

1997 Census of Agriculture County Profile

United States Department of Agriculture, Pennsylvania Agricultural Statistics Service

LEBANON PENNSYLVANIA

Ranked Items Within State and U.S., 1997

Item	Quantity	State		U.S.	
		Rank	Universe*	Rank	Universe*
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)					
Total value of agricultural products sold	171,137	5	67	186	3,076
Value of livestock and poultry	152,656	3	67	83	3,069
Value of crops including nursery	18,481	17	67	1,324	3,070
TOP FIVE ALL COMMODITIES - VALUE OF SALES (\$1,000)					
Poultry & poultry products	65,010	2	66	82	2,901
Dairy products	50,461	5	67	76	2,563
Hogs and pigs	22,042	2	67	154	2,976
Cattle and calves	13,351	5	67	684	3,063
Corn for grain	5,021	11	66	807	2,582
TOP FIVE COMMODITIES - LIVESTOCK SOLD (number)					
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold	14,851,079	2	53	133	1,882
Layers, pullets, and pullet chicks sold	1,946,500	3	62	27	2,203
Turkeys sold	387,879	8	52	140	1,353
Hogs and pigs sold	253,111	2	67	123	2,976
Ducks, geese, and other poultry sold	85,054	8	59	66	2,200
TOP FIVE COMMODITIES - LIVESTOCK INVENTORY (number)					
Broiler inventory	2,454,774	2	62	135	2,620
Layers 20 weeks and older inventory	2,136,022	2	66	25	3,002
Pullets less than 13 weeks inventory	446,332	2	51	25	1,790
All turkeys inventory	191,515	5	63	117	2,361
Pullets 13 to less than 20 weeks inventory	175,483	7	63	87	2,549
TOP FIVE COMMODITIES - CROP AREA					
Corn for grain-acres	27,565	10	66	699	2,691
Hay crops-acres	23,566	32	66	876	3,061
Corn for silage-acres	16,041	7	66	52	2,473
Soybeans for beans-acres	14,330	7	58	898	2,144
Wheat-acres	5,208	11	61	1,042	2,612

Some counties do not have five commodities in a group.

Other County Summary Highlights

Item	1997	1992	Percent Change
Farms by value of sales:			
Less than \$10,000	242	262	-8
\$10,000 or more	643	630	2
Total farm production expenses\$1,000..	135,514	99,603	36
Average per farmdollars..	153,296	111,788	37
Net cash return from agricultural sales			
for the farm unit\$1,000..	26,871	31,536	-15
Average per farmdollars..	30,397	35,394	-14
Farms by type of organization:			
Individual or family	792	797	-1
Partnership or corporation	90	94	-4
Other	3	1	200
OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS			
Operators by principal occupation:			
Farming	563	591	-5
Other	322	301	7
Operators by sex:			
Male	845	849	-0
Female	40	43	-7
Operators by race:			
White	885	892	-1
Black and other races			
Average age of operator	48.4	48.2	0

(D) Cannot be disclosed. See "Census of Agriculture Volume 1 Geographic Area Series" for complete footnotes.

* Universe is number of counties in state or U.S. with item.