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Kansas Farm Production Expenditures Down Slightly in 2011

Kansas Farm Expenditures totaled \$11.67 billion in 2011, down 0.3 percent from the revised 2010 total of \$11.71 billion. Total farm expenditures at the U.S. level were up 10.2 percent to \$318.7 billion. Kansas operations accounted for 3.7 percent of the National farm expenditures in 2011, down from 4.1 percent in 2010.

The top three expense categories with the largest per farm percent increase in Kansas were: Fuel, up 23.1 percent; Labor, up 21.4 percent; Interest, up 11.9 percent. In contrast, the top three declining categories in Kansas were: Rent, down 22.6 percent; Trucks and Automobiles, down 21.6 percent; and Taxes, down 14.6 percent.

Data for this publication are a result of the Agricultural Resource Management Survey - Phase III (ARMS III). Nationally, 34,070 farm operations were contacted during the months of January to April 2012.

Farm Production Expenditures: Kansas and United States Average per Farm and Total, 2010 - 2011

Farm Expenditure Category	United States ¹				Kansas			
	Average per Farm ²		Total Farm		Average per Farm ²		Total Farm	
	2010	2011	2010	2011	2010	2011	2010	2011
	<i>Dollars</i>		<i>Million Dollars</i>		<i>Dollars</i>		<i>Million Dollars</i>	
Total Farm Production Expenditures ³	131,821	146,653	289,050	318,650	178,779	178,168	11,710	11,670
Livestock, Poultry & Related Expenses ⁴	11,128	13,163	24,400	28,600	33,588	36,794	2,200	2,410
Feed	20,705	25,129	45,400	54,600	22,901	22,901	1,500	1,500
Farm Services ⁵	16,281	17,075	35,700	37,100	16,641	16,947	1,090	1,110
Rent ⁶	11,812	12,104	25,900	26,300	20,000	15,573	1,310	1,020
Agricultural Chemicals ⁷	4,880	5,431	10,700	11,800	6,107	5,802	400	380
Fertilizer, Lime & Soil Conditioners ⁷	9,577	11,552	21,000	25,100	15,878	14,809	1,040	970
Interest	4,652	4,510	10,200	9,800	6,412	7,176	420	470
Taxes (Real Estate & Property)	4,925	5,201	10,800	11,300	7,328	6,260	480	410
Labor	12,450	12,334	27,300	26,800	6,412	7,786	420	510
Fuel	5,883	7,042	12,900	15,300	7,939	9,771	520	640
Farm Supplies & Repairs ⁸	7,251	7,502	15,900	16,300	8,244	8,397	540	550
Farm Improvements & Construction ⁹	5,746	6,581	12,600	14,300	6,107	5,496	400	360
Tractors & Self-Propelled Farm Machinery	4,971	5,753	10,900	12,500	6,565	5,954	430	390
Other Farm Machinery	2,280	2,945	5,000	6,400	3,359	3,511	220	230
Seeds & Plants ¹⁰	7,434	8,192	16,300	17,800	8,397	8,702	550	570
Trucks & Autos	1,760	2,011	3,860	4,370	2,824	2,214	185	145
Miscellaneous Capital Expenses	87	129	190	280	76	76	5	5

* See footnotes at end of release.

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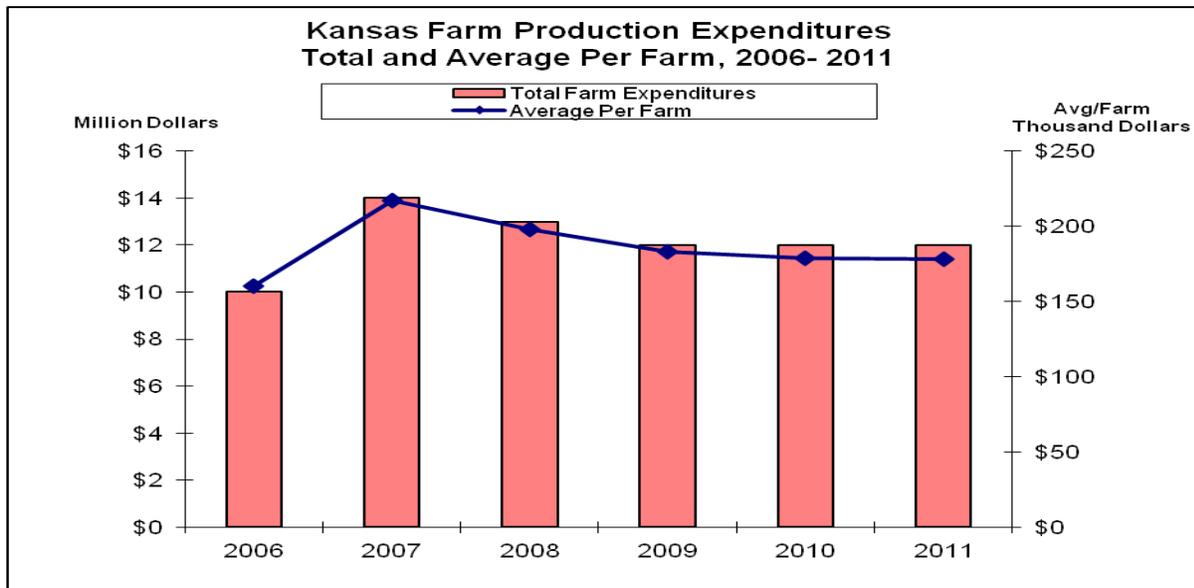


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Kansas Average per Farm Expenditures Down Just Slightly to \$178,168

An average of \$178,168 was spent on farm expenses in Kansas for 2011. This is down 0.3 percent from the revised 2010 average of \$178,779. Since Kansas expenditure estimates began being published in 2005, average expenditures have risen 36 percent.

On average, the top four expenditures on a Kansas operation were: Livestock, Poultry & Related Expenses at \$36,794, Feed at \$22,901, Farm Services at \$16,947, and Rent at \$15,573.



*Footnotes from previous page.

¹ Excludes AK and HI. ² Total expenditures divided by total number of farms. Items may not sum to total due to rounding. ³ Includes landlord and contractor share of farm production expenses. Totals may not add due to rounding. ⁴ Includes purchases and leasing of livestock and poultry. ⁵ Includes all crop custom work, veterinary custom services, transportation costs, marketing charges, insurance, leasing of machinery and equipment, general and miscellaneous business expenses, and utilities. ⁶ Includes cash rent paid, share rent, plus public and private grazing fees. ⁷ Includes material and application costs. ⁸ Includes bedding and litter, marketing containers, power farm shop equipment, oils and lubricants, miscellaneous non-capital equipment and supplies, temporary fencing, repairs and maintenance of equipment not depreciated, and other small, non-capital equipment. ⁹ Includes all expenditures related to new construction or repairs of buildings, fences, operator dwelling (if dwelling is owned by operation), and any improvements to physical structures of land. ¹⁰ Excludes bedding plants, nursery stock, seed purchased for resale, and includes seed treatment.



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