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**CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE
FARMS: NUMBER, ACRES, VALUE AND LAND USE, 1909 - 2017 ¹**

Year	Number of Farms	Land in Farms	Avg Size of Farm	Avg Value of Land & Bldgs per Acre	Land Use						
					Cropland			Other Pasture ²	Other Land	Woodland	
					Harvested	Not Harvested	Pasture ²			Pasture	Other
	<i>No.</i>	<i>Acres</i>	<i>Acres</i>	<i>Dollars</i>	<i>Acres</i>	<i>Acres</i>	<i>Acres</i>	<i>Acres</i>	<i>Acres</i>	<i>Acres</i>	<i>Acres</i>
1909	3,464	241,372	70	20	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
1919	4,293	243,057	57	65	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
1924	3,700	235,804	64	32	74,907	34,924	42,000	5,064	28,701	6,123	44,085
1929	2,990	215,931	72	30	68,126	27,310	42,715	12,285	23,193	9,884	32,148
1934	3,100	223,680	72	23	71,271	18,024	43,018	5,548	40,593	10,130	35,096
1939	3,040	229,906	76	31	74,235	30,349	48,552	NA	NA	NA	NA
1944	2,478	184,967	75	52	61,128	21,058	46,214	7,205	11,802	5,888	31,672
1949	2,746	209,102	76	75	70,058	33,462	38,239	5,051	18,995	9,071	34,226
1954	2,292	187,475	82	107	63,852	19,952	41,143	4,067	14,354	12,643	31,464
1959	1,836	170,382	93	140	55,733	24,773	37,913	4,251	12,215	9,312	26,185
1964	1,707	170,165	100	196	47,022	24,862	43,330	7,788	11,708	9,609	25,825
1969	1,527	169,795	111	246	57,724	18,162	34,641	NA	³ 24,565	NA	⁴ 34,703
1974	1,198	159,993	134	442	77,866	4,774	23,762	NA	³ 21,855	NA	⁴ 31,736
1978	1,129	160,330	142	992	101,161	5,688	13,666	5,027	9,066	6,535	19,187
1982	949	152,270	160	963	106,812	4,411	10,077	4,087	7,355	3,889	15,639
1987	749	137,781	184	804	77,687	18,568	12,135	5,467	6,050	5,638	12,236
1992	694	137,337	198	948	83,175	12,866	11,949	3,069	5,152	6,699	14,427
1997 ⁵	864	157,616	182	1,578	96,205	15,135	13,994	3,614	8,278	5,065	15,325
2002 ⁵	819	169,407	207	1,862	101,251	18,215	11,656	8,811	8,169	5,598	15,707
2007 ⁵	888	157,761	178	2,821	94,021	13,270	6,146	14,686	7,540	4,147	17,951
2012 ⁵	821	176,076	214	2,968	118,235	12,235	1,451	13,499	8,663	2,963	19,030
2017 ⁵	710	135,521	191	4,122	90,675	10,839	1,015	12,865	4,944	2,206	12,977

¹ Due to changes in the definition of a farm, Farm Numbers and Land in Farms are not always comparable from Census to Census.

² Due to changes in definition and wording of question, figures for Cropland Pasture and Other Pasture are not always comparable from Census to Census. ³ Includes Other Pasture. ⁴ Includes Woodland Pasture. ⁵ Beginning in 1997, data adjusted for coverage. (NA) Data Not Available. (-) Zero. (D) Withheld to avoid disclosing data for individual farms.

**CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE
NUMBER OF FARMS, BY SIZE GROUP, 1909 - 2017**

Year	Size of Farms (Acres)							All Farms
	1 - 9	10 - 49	50 - 179 50 - 174 ¹	180 - 499 175 - 499 ¹	500 - 999	1,000-1,999 1,000+ ²	2,000+	
	<i>No.</i>	<i>No.</i>	<i>No.</i>	<i>No.</i>	<i>No.</i>	<i>No.</i>	<i>No.</i>	<i>No.</i>
1909	121	1,359	1,822	154	7	1	NA	3,464
1919	399	1,788	2,010	94	1	1	NA	4,293
1924	177	1,448	1,972	98	5	-	NA	3,700
1929	49	1,011	1,819	105	4	2	NA	2,990
1934	110	1,050	1,816	115	7	2	NA	3,100
1939	105	948	1,843	134	8	2	NA	3,040
1944	125	768	1,456	123	6	-	NA	2,478
1949	134	889	1,567	148	8	-	NA	2,746
1954	141	691	1,293	156	8	3	NA	2,292
1959	98	486	1,067	174	7	4	NA	1,836
1964	91	450	949	203	12	1	1	1,707
1969	91	393	814	193	33	1	2	1,527
1974	56	317	568	204	44	8	1	1,198
1978	140	308	435	182	50	13	1	1,129
1982	133	257	335	151	52	17	4	949
1987	95	184	266	131	52	19	2	749
1992	108	171	242	101	40	25	7	694
1997 ³	79	270	321	117	43	27	7	864
2002 ³	52	296	287	104	37	31	12	819
2007 ³	39	379	303	100	33	20	14	888
2012 ³	35	297	313	99	29	28	20	821
2017 ³	70	277	236	70	30	12	15	710

¹ 1909-1929. ² 1909-1959. ³ Beginning in 1997, data adjusted for coverage. (NA) Data Not Available. (-) Zero. (D) Withheld to avoid disclosing data for individual farms.

CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE
TOTAL & SPECIFIED FARM PRODUCTION EXPENDITURES, 1939 - 2017

Year	Total	Feed Purchased	Livestock and Poultry Purchased	Hired Labor	Petroleum Products and Utilities	Seed, Plants, Vines and Trees	Fertilizer, Lime, Soil Conditioners & Chemicals Purchased ¹
	<i>Dollars</i>	<i>Dollars</i>	<i>Dollars</i>	<i>Dollars</i>	<i>Dollars</i>	<i>Dollars</i>	<i>Dollars</i>
1939	NA	60,953	NA	48,620	20,517	NA	65,550
1944	NA	259,629	NA	65,377	NA	NA	NA
1949	NA	382,300	497,425	198,060	169,155	112,700	NA
1954	NA	508,360	NA	109,960	209,440	NA	447,185
1959	NA	587,335	194,775	222,680	242,255	56,670	NA
1964	NA	881,355	407,815	429,045	296,355	114,715	496,475
1969	5,904,000	1,104,190	631,478	450,205	405,392	199,840	801,431
1974	10,343,000	1,885,000	542,000	352,000	699,000	398,000	2,402,000
1978	NA	1,760,000	661,000	1,032,000	1,444,000	778,000	4,827,000
1982	NA	1,425,000	833,000	1,488,000	2,255,000	1,276,000	6,614,000
1987	17,680,000	1,514,000	923,000	1,509,000	1,366,000	1,055,000	4,806,000
1992	23,486,000	4,076,000	1,216,000	1,679,000	1,682,000	1,224,000	5,650,000
1997 ²	40,047,000	10,042,000	2,639,000	3,284,000	³ 1,858,000	1,882,000	⁴ 8,254,000
2002 ²	41,762,000	11,110,000	2,682,000	2,818,000	2,848,000	2,204,000	7,182,000
2007 ²	61,867,000	19,717,000	4,182,000	3,846,000	4,082,000	3,485,000	11,409,000
2012 ²	91,503,000	26,721,000	5,645,000	5,556,000	6,092,000	7,037,000	21,029,000
2017 ²	70,758,000	14,457,000	5,835,000	5,409,000	2,829,000	5,641,000	8,485,000

¹ Beginning in 1987, includes cost of custom applications. ² Beginning in 1997, data adjusted for coverage. ³ 1997 does not include utilities. ⁴ 1997 does not include lime or manure. (NA) Data Not Available. (D) Data withheld to avoid disclosing information for individual farms.

**CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD, 1969 - 2017**

Year	Total	Crops, including Nursery & Greenhouse ¹	Grains, Oilseeds	Tobacco	Hay and Other Crops	Livestock, Poultry and their Products ²	Poultry and Eggs	Milk and Other Dairy Products	Cattle and Calves	Hogs and Pigs
	(Thousand Dollars)	(Thousand Dollars)	(Thousand Dollars)	(Thousand Dollars)	(Thousand Dollars)	(Thousand Dollars)	(Thousand Dollars)	(Thousand Dollars)	(Thousand Dollars)	(Thousand Dollars)
1969	8,786	4,449	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	4,307	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1974	18,892	13,650	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	5,193	232	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1978	23,028	18,036	11,915	5,906	124	4,992	(D)	1,411	1,824	1,568
1982	30,143	24,727	17,922	6,615	116	5,415	(D)	1,720	1,841	1,794
1987	21,918	16,476	11,616	4,445	248	5,442	(D)	908	2,473	1,928
1992	33,411	24,167	17,391	6,395	293	9,244	2,809	2,420	2,156	1,808
1997 ³	52,333	35,363	NA	10,167	NA	16,970	10,809	2,529	2,327	1,121
2002 ³	53,974	27,907	18,239	8,903	312	26,067	21,562	1,158	2,533	(D)
2007 ³	69,672	34,068	19,966	12,662	(D)	35,604	30,512	373	3,451	218
2012 ³	109,701	62,882	43,852	17,313	432	46,819	42,985	277	2,300	8
2017 ³	97,718	58,632	38,755	17,976	1,307	39,086	30,856	(D)	3,706	(D)

¹ Includes a value of crops not listed. ² Includes values of other livestock and livestock products not listed. ³ Beginning in 1997, data adjusted for coverage. (NA) Data Not Available. (Z) Less than half of the unit shown. (-) Zero. (D) Data withheld to avoid disclosing information for individual farms.

**CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE
OCCUPATION AND AGE, 1969 - 2017 ¹**

Year	Operators by ²								Average Age
	Principal Occupation		Age Group						
	Farming	Other	Under 25 Years	25 to 34 Years	35 to 44 Years	45 to 54 Years	55 to 64 Years	65 and over	
<i>Number</i>	<i>Number</i>	<i>Number</i>	<i>Number</i>	<i>Number</i>	<i>Number</i>	<i>Number</i>	<i>Number</i>	<i>Number</i>	
1969	(NA)	(NA)	39	152	201	383	414	338	53.0
1974	676	519	29	145	205	317	268	231	51.2
1978	530	599	79	229	220	204	243	154	46.4
1982	512	437	74	151	205	192	188	139	47.0
1987	384	365	20	123	179	155	127	145	49.4
1992	348	346	19	112	128	168	130	137	49.8
1997 ¹	341	523	24	89	158	210	171	212	52.8
2002 ¹	431	388	8	40	153	201	206	211	55.2
2007 ¹	309	579	4	63	111	235	263	212	55.9
2012 ¹	315	506	1	39	101	202	201	277	58.1
2017 ¹	354	586	4	85	99	157	263	332	58.0

¹ Beginning in 1997, data adjusted for coverage. ² Counts may not be comparable from Census to Census due to changes in the report form. (-) Zero. (NA) Data Not Available.