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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	1,171	80,519	69	43	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
1919	1,086	78,224	72	76	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
1924	987	69,238	70	58	18,642	2,715	18,637	16,448	6,676	4,244	1,876
1929	1,188	82,514	70	66	19,636	4,940	23,173	20,280	3,599	9,692	1,194
1934	1,024	84,273	82	38	19,503	2,689	26,864	2,188	9,060	23,245	724
1939	953	81,088	85	50	18,006	2,768	27,551	NA	NA	NA	NA
1944	947	79,947	84	58	19,356	2,355	5,261	31,666	4,336	13,175	3,798
1949	833	79,904	96	106	18,660	2,094	16,869	14,233	4,441	18,926	4,681
1954	822	75,287	92	87	16,340	8,367	20,509	6,600	2,633	15,357	5,481
1959	651	73,588	113	121	13,550	2,640	16,968	10,524	5,043	15,789	9,074
1964	496	75,835	153	129	12,058	5,139	15,345	10,863	4,442	19,850	8,095
1969	485	64,931	134	253	9,348	4,476	19,599	NA	³ 13,601	NA	⁴ 17,907
1974	405	58,935	146	419	9,971	2,359	17,752	NA	³ 14,636	NA	⁴ 14,217
1978	442	66,631	151	721	10,684	4,169	17,646	9,755	4,395	11,521	8,461
1982	420	64,791	154	961	12,680	2,816	15,329	10,022	4,830	8,774	10,340
1987	399	66,781	167	695	13,090	3,423	15,744	10,111	3,942	10,683	9,788
1992	365	60,812	167	900	11,398	3,287	13,924	9,652	2,841	10,589	9,121
1997 ⁵	348	61,166	176	1,282	12,072	2,194	15,088	9,041	2,877	10,467	9,427
2002 ⁵	339	61,122	180	2,071	13,407	3,604	12,016	10,064	3,994	8,609	9,428
2007 ⁵	326	63,708	195	2,370	15,325	2,194	8,204	18,893	2,443	8,109	8,540
2012 ⁵	278	53,562	193	2,637	17,410	2,044	2,220	13,937	3,665	4,774	9,512
2017 ⁵	308	50,908	165	3,393	15,023	2,593	241	14,124	2,069	6,027	10,831

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	146	448	484	90	3	-	NA	1,171
1919	114	393	496	81	2	-	NA	1,086
1924	109	360	448	68	2	-	NA	987
1929	226	346	529	86	1	-	NA	1,188
1934	89	283	579	70	3	-	NA	1,024
1939	140	205	506	101	1	-	NA	953
1944	160	199	497	89	1	1	NA	947
1949	138	146	449	95	3	2	NA	833
1954	110	151	473	82	5	1	NA	822
1959	118	85	329	105	8	6	NA	651
1964	64	60	227	128	15	2	-	496
1969	97	67	197	109	12	2	1	485
1974	62	50	178	103	10	2	-	405
1978	69	56	195	108	8	5	1	442
1982	63	63	175	106	8	3	2	420
1987	49	62	176	95	12	3	2	399
1992	49	62	144	92	12	5	1	365
1997 ³	34	59	150	85	13	5	2	348
2002 ³	19	74	143	84	12	4	3	339
2007 ³	13	59	141	94	13	4	2	326
2012 ³	3	53	134	73	9	4	2	278
2017 ³	11	68	148	68	10	1	2	308

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	33,352	NA	53,487	7,519	NA	13,613
1944	NA	166,863	NA	139,478	NA	NA	NA
1949	NA	157,939	178,437	158,383	60,026	30,732	NA
1954	NA	98,450	NA	102,780	72,116	NA	134,195
1959	NA	216,190	103,435	196,940	129,589	21,625	NA
1964	NA	142,505	87,616	164,985	145,205	28,230	165,355
1969	1,901,000	191,496	138,250	271,667	139,910	28,224	174,767
1974	3,646,000	495,000	1,255,000	259,000	172,000	43,000	339,000
1978	NA	392,000	104,000	493,000	380,000	85,000	331,000
1982	NA	275,000	231,000	536,000	566,000	107,000	352,000
1987	3,923,000	295,000	207,000	446,000	323,000	96,000	560,000
1992	4,629,000	331,000	206,000	478,000	449,000	78,000	885,000
1997 ²	4,724,000	441,000	207,000	707,000	³ 343,000	178,000	⁴ 538,000
2002 ²	6,391,000	496,000	175,000	888,000	684,000	273,000	676,000
2007 ²	5,796,000	626,000	215,000	378,000	885,000	116,000	554,000
2012 ²	6,072,000	899,000	330,000	538,000	778,000	478,000	698,000
2017 ²	6,077,000	345,000	712,000	238,000	507,000	440,000	371,000

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	3,245	2,217	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	1,014	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1974	6,064	3,762	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	2,283	2	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1978	6,564	4,691	275	4,307	91	1,873	1	490	1,230	127
1982	8,629	6,951	626	6,215	65	1,678	2	433	1,103	121
1987	6,623	4,552	643	3,790	112	2,071	(D)	424	1,450	147
1992	8,744	6,800	364	6,211	(D)	1,944	(D)	251	1,454	234
1997 ³	8,863	6,682	NA	6,115	NA	2,181	(D)	297	1,377	(D)
2002 ³	8,007	6,148	(D)	3,093	191	1,859	(D)	(D)	1,573	(D)
2007 ³	5,354	2,424	325	(D)	266	2,930	17	220	2,385	(D)
2012 ³	6,441	4,503	2,209	895	1,264	1,938	5	-	1,859	39
2017 ³	5,811	3,349	2,068	69	973	2,462	(D)	-	2,379	28

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	
	Number	Number	Number	Number	Number	Number	Number	Number	
1969	(NA)	(NA)	12	44	77	144	123	85	51.8
1974	234	171	6	52	67	106	93	81	51.6
1978	210	232	17	66	76	111	101	71	49.6
1982	212	208	15	49	89	95	94	78	50.6
1987	188	211	5	49	108	65	87	85	51.2
1992	176	189	3	39	71	100	58	94	52.9
1997 ¹	144	204	7	21	77	118	54	71	52.5
2002 ¹	166	173	2	14	72	86	98	67	53.2
2007 ¹	148	178	2	13	29	99	109	74	56.2
2012 ¹	104	174	-	10	36	53	92	87	57.9
2017 ¹	149	276	-	50	57	44	134	140	56.4

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.