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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	1,785	159,171	89	20	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
1919	2,152	165,357	77	42	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
1924	2,117	154,818	73	25	44,021	13,544	22,524	7,422	24,107	4,567	38,633
1929	2,021	140,907	70	33	47,171	12,261	30,422	2,451	13,195	6,925	28,482
1934	2,187	157,091	72	23	52,691	9,569	30,174	3,142	10,507	8,593	42,415
1939	1,829	154,465	84	33	50,954	6,752	40,217	NA	NA	NA	NA
1944	1,661	147,354	89	47	51,091	10,985	26,279	11,857	9,268	7,565	30,309
1949	1,857	162,390	87	73	51,293	9,450	36,231	9,019	13,067	10,237	33,093
1954	1,712	156,472	91	94	50,244	7,442	40,416	7,230	8,450	14,646	28,044
1959	1,335	143,402	107	131	42,847	9,100	33,022	14,620	8,140	11,849	23,824
1964	1,447	154,105	107	199	42,108	8,898	40,170	12,372	5,992	11,108	33,396
1969	1,474	152,561	104	251	30,025	12,610	49,047	NA	³ 18,673	NA	⁴ 42,206
1974	1,071	121,618	114	406	30,196	4,838	38,952	NA	³ 16,385	NA	⁴ 31,247
1978	1,180	136,960	116	824	38,849	7,319	41,906	7,108	8,066	11,880	21,832
1982	1,135	128,179	113	998	43,012	6,068	34,366	7,940	7,113	10,926	18,754
1987	1,056	130,552	124	747	39,249	9,834	34,549	7,529	8,326	10,749	20,316
1992	1,065	128,719	121	965	41,267	10,638	33,175	7,185	5,422	8,968	22,064
1997 ⁵	1,068	114,581	107	1,398	38,348	6,429	29,233	7,430	4,284	9,266	19,591
2002 ⁵	957	112,317	117	1,689	40,118	4,004	21,293	12,141	5,847	7,332	21,582
2007 ⁵	941	118,712	126	2,477	43,419	6,048	10,145	22,523	6,228	7,693	22,656
2012 ⁵	874	114,568	131	2,782	47,591	8,471	3,417	20,958	6,324	6,025	21,782
2017 ⁵	803	111,756	139	3,038	50,226	8,589	2,283	20,262	3,679	5,107	21,610

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	78	495	1,020	181	10	1	NA	1,785
1919	167	733	1,091	155	5	1	NA	2,152
1924	180	731	1,060	143	2	1	NA	2,117
1929	183	698	1,015	124	1	-	NA	2,021
1934	169	773	1,103	139	3	-	NA	2,187
1939	82	522	1,067	155	3	-	NA	1,829
1944	121	403	977	149	11	-	NA	1,661
1949	162	508	998	182	6	1	NA	1,857
1954	181	431	902	187	10	1	NA	1,712
1959	108	312	688	213	13	1	NA	1,335
1964	216	324	665	217	20	5	-	1,447
1969	215	327	698	211	22	1	-	1,474
1974	131	216	527	179	13	5	-	1,071
1978	140	270	542	200	26	2	-	1,180
1982	170	262	482	197	21	3	-	1,135
1987	129	252	456	181	34	3	1	1,056
1992	141	268	444	174	35	2	1	1,065
1997 ³	131	313	442	160	20	2	-	1,068
2002 ³	83	291	418	130	29	6	-	957
2007 ³	62	305	390	147	25	11	1	941
2012 ³	48	327	325	136	24	12	2	874
2017 ³	72	308	248	135	25	12	3	803

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	30,098	NA	45,634	23,312	NA	54,621
1944	NA	215,508	NA	86,786	NA	NA	NA
1949	NA	290,592	420,294	175,488	145,251	118,438	NA
1954	NA	589,675	NA	184,230	226,195	NA	404,400
1959	NA	488,085	271,795	201,490	215,270	62,005	NA
1964	NA	756,475	297,645	278,515	302,705	139,825	444,965
1969	5,534,000	1,017,912	804,991	542,229	358,387	118,496	604,922
1974	7,786,000	1,820,000	923,000	492,000	454,000	183,000	1,191,000
1978	NA	3,555,000	2,666,000	1,132,000	1,015,000	373,000	1,644,000
1982	NA	3,011,000	3,723,000	1,420,000	1,764,000	589,000	1,708,000
1987	17,984,000	3,141,000	3,808,000	1,149,000	1,373,000	477,000	1,886,000
1992	18,727,000	3,379,000	2,648,000	1,416,000	1,380,000	525,000	2,650,000
1997 ²	19,186,000	2,993,000	2,517,000	1,152,000	³ 1,070,000	774,000	⁴ 2,778,000
2002 ²	14,776,000	1,374,000	1,295,000	905,000	2,641,000	480,000	2,226,000
2007 ²	23,172,000	4,905,000	1,203,000	1,323,000	2,361,000	918,000	4,042,000
2012 ²	36,055,000	9,196,000	2,347,000	1,664,000	3,266,000	1,676,000	6,217,000
2017 ²	38,468,000	6,431,000	4,484,000	2,106,000	2,492,000	2,519,000	4,624,000

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	8,266	3,606	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	4,597	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1974	12,148	5,593	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	6,485	271	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1978	21,564	7,781	1,622	5,751	391	13,784	100	4,283	6,778	(D)
1982	26,529	10,801	2,822	7,638	294	15,728	1	5,830	7,775	(D)
1987	23,088	6,843	1,652	4,802	346	16,245	2	4,491	9,137	2,533
1992	27,273	11,845	2,545	8,673	612	15,428	(D)	4,951	8,651	1,765
1997 ³	24,916	11,805	NA	8,399	NA	13,111	4	5,277	7,216	519
2002 ³	20,070	7,999	2,298	4,760	707	12,071	6	5,171	6,220	215
2007 ³	26,332	10,552	5,310	3,308	(D)	15,779	(D)	5,138	6,714	(D)
2012 ³	37,898	16,852	10,475	4,440	1,389	21,046	5,892	5,549	9,018	33
2017 ³	46,064	22,710	17,022	3,099	2,028	23,354	7,895	5,323	9,905	9

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)	42	168	290	326	357	291	51.3
1974	573	497	34	115	232	223	235	231	51.5
1978	540	640	33	167	237	287	244	212	49.9
1982	542	593	33	150	215	288	250	199	50.4
1987	469	587	17	115	189	235	276	224	52.8
1992	449	616	20	111	183	214	263	274	53.6
1997 ¹	411	657	15	71	272	227	225	258	53.0
2002 ¹	505	452	11	48	164	255	211	268	55.2
2007 ¹	362	579	2	53	103	235	258	290	57.3
2012 ¹	330	544	-	50	116	189	253	266	57.1
2017 ¹	364	616	21	65	99	201	259	335	57.6

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.