

2002 Census of Agriculture County Profile

Pottawatomie, Kansas

Number of farms

842 farms in 2002, 800 farms in 1997, up 5 percent.

Land in farms

465,494 acres in 2002, 414,733 acres in 1997, up 12 percent.

Average size of farm

553 acres in 2002, 518 acres in 1997, up 7 percent.

Market Value of Production

\$53,803,000 in 2002, \$49,874,000 in 1997, up 8 percent.

Crop sales accounted for \$12,925,000 of the total value in 2002.

Livestock sales accounted for \$40,878,000 of the total value in 2002.

Market Value of Production, average per farm

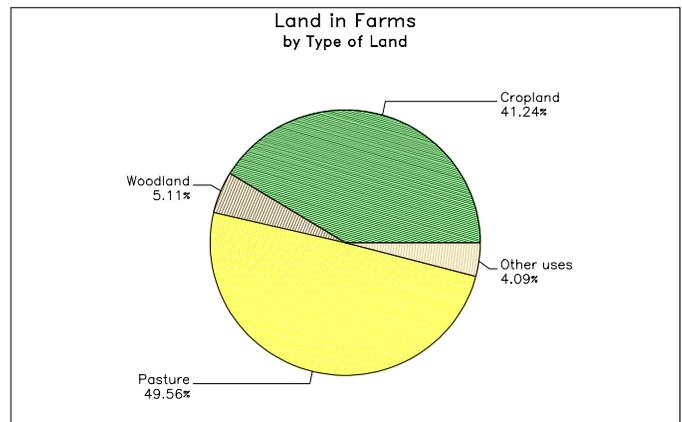
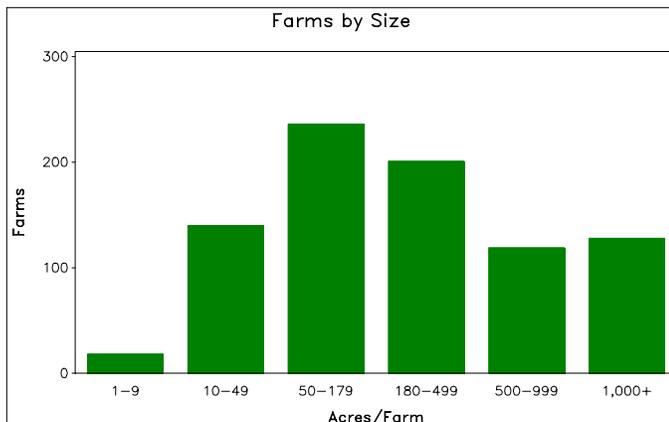
\$63,899 in 2002, \$62,343 in 1997, up 2 percent.

Government Payments

\$2,168,000 in 2002, \$1,894,000 in 1997, up 14 percent.

Government Payments, average per farm receiving payments

\$4,575 in 2002, \$4,127 in 1997, up 11 percent.



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Ranked items among the 105 state counties and 3,078 U.S. counties, 2002

Item	Quantity	State Rank	Universe ¹	U.S. Rank	Universe ¹
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)					
Total value of agricultural products sold	53,803	47	105	1,070	3,075
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	12,925	82	105	1,490	3,070
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	40,878	41	105	705	3,070
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	10,410	85	105	988	2,871
Tobacco	-	-	5	-	560
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	28	-	656
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	(D)	(D)	66	(D)	2,747
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	(D)	(D)	52	(D)	2,638
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	(D)	(D)	77	(D)	2,708
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	(D)	(D)	40	(D)	1,774
Other crops and hay	1,400	48	105	931	3,046
Poultry and eggs	(D)	(D)	100	(D)	2,918
Cattle and calves	32,086	47	105	279	3,053
Milk and other dairy products from cows	(D)	(D)	99	(D)	2,493
Hogs and pigs	(D)	(D)	105	(D)	2,919
Sheep, goats, and their products	86	18	105	898	2,997
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	129	28	105	1,536	3,014
Aquaculture	-	-	22	-	1,520
Other animals and other animal products	30	34	87	1,357	2,727
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Cattle and calves	72,625	23	105	283	3,059
Layers 20 weeks old and older	(D)	4	105	(D)	2,983
Hogs and pigs	20,700	20	105	513	2,926
Horses and ponies	1,236	13	105	1,004	3,065
Sheep and lambs	824	31	103	1,116	2,867
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	56,450	7	105	221	3,059
Soybeans	35,565	27	105	669	2,076
Corn for grain	20,121	47	105	811	2,592
Sorghum for grain	9,740	78	105	179	1,307
All Wheat for grain	7,622	92	105	741	2,517

Other County Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	221	Farming	497
\$1,000 to \$2,499	60	Other	345
\$2,500 to \$4,999	63		
\$5,000 to \$9,999	93	Principal operators by sex:	
\$10,000 to \$19,999	112	Male	768
\$20,000 to \$24,999	34	Female	74
\$25,000 to \$39,999	61		
\$40,000 to \$49,999	27	Average age of principal operator (years)	54.4
\$50,000 to \$99,999	70		
\$100,000 to \$249,999	59	All operators ² by race:	
\$250,000 to \$499,999	25	White	1,163
\$500,000 or more	17	Black or African American	-
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	54,314	American Indian or Alaska Native	2
Average per farm (\$)	64,506	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
		Asian	1
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	3,314	More than one race	5
Average per farm (\$)	3,936	All operators ² of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin	14

(D) Cannot be disclosed. (Z) Less than half of the unit shown. See "Census of Agriculture, Volume 1, Geographic Area Series" for complete footnotes.

¹ Universe is number of counties in state or U.S. with item.

² Data were collected for a maximum of three operators per farm.