

2002 Census of Agriculture County Profile

Codington, South Dakota

Number of farms

694 farms in 2002, 678 farms in 1997, up 2 percent.

Land in farms

386,607 acres in 2002, 395,976 acres in 1997, down 2 percent.

Average size of farm

557 acres in 2002, 584 acres in 1997, down 5 percent.

Market Value of Production

\$73,612,000 in 2002, \$66,350,000 in 1997, up 11 percent.

Crop sales accounted for \$34,126,000 of the total value in 2002.

Livestock sales accounted for \$39,486,000 of the total value in 2002.

Market Value of Production, average per farm

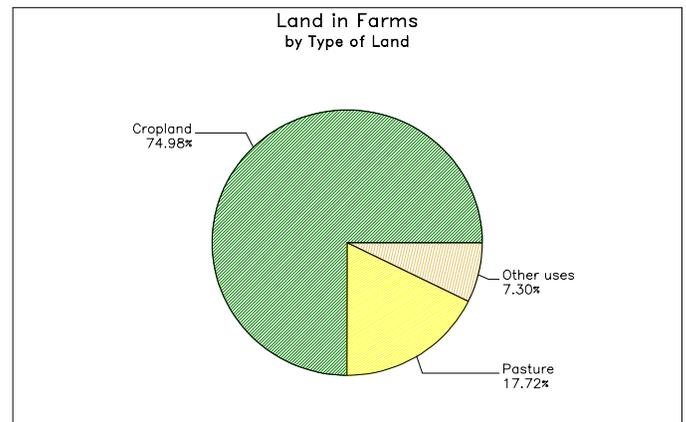
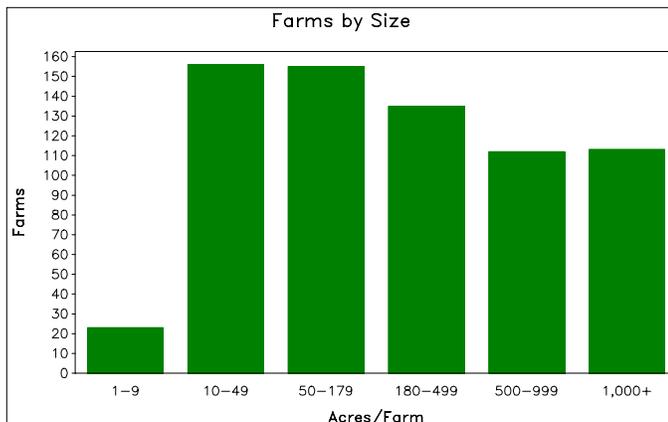
\$106,069 in 2002, \$97,861 in 1997, up 8 percent.

Government Payments

\$3,937,000 in 2002, \$2,642,000 in 1997, up 49 percent.

Government Payments, average per farm receiving payments

\$9,329 in 2002, \$6,087 in 1997, up 53 percent.



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Ranked items among the 66 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	73,612	22	66	756	3,075
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	34,126	22	66	768	3,070
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	39,486	25	66	729	3,070
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	31,195	22	66	466	2,871
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	560
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	656
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	(D)	(D)	38	(D)	2,747
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	(D)	(D)	17	(D)	2,638
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	(D)	(D)	36	(D)	2,708
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	(D)	(D)	10	(D)	1,774
Other crops and hay	1,287	32	66	1,010	3,046
Poultry and eggs	(D)	(D)	62	(D)	2,918
Cattle and calves	22,357	38	66	442	3,053
Milk and other dairy products from cows	9,287	6	59	399	2,493
Hogs and pigs	3,672	31	64	557	2,919
Sheep, goats, and their products	874	11	65	110	2,997
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	(D)	(D)	66	(D)	3,014
Aquaculture	-	-	9	-	1,520
Other animals and other animal products	(D)	(D)	62	(D)	2,727
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Cattle and calves	51,993	35	66	538	3,059
Turkeys	(D)	15	50	(D)	2,328
Hogs and pigs	17,162	30	64	569	2,926
Quail	(D)	1	9	(D)	1,412
Sheep and lambs	9,349	10	65	125	2,867
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Soybeans	89,952	26	61	313	2,076
Corn for grain	53,236	28	65	471	2,592
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	49,157	31	66	307	3,059
All Wheat for grain	34,729	18	66	324	2,517
Corn for silage	8,926	26	65	178	2,307

Other County Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales	
Less than \$1,000	176
\$1,000 to \$2,499	32
\$2,500 to \$4,999	32
\$5,000 to \$9,999	44
\$10,000 to \$19,999	64
\$20,000 to \$24,999	17
\$25,000 to \$39,999	58
\$40,000 to \$49,999	27
\$50,000 to \$99,999	58
\$100,000 to \$249,999	109
\$250,000 to \$499,999	42
\$500,000 or more	35
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	61,982
Average per farm (\$)	89,569
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	19,162
Average per farm (\$)	27,691

Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Farming	420
Other	274
Principal operators by sex:	
Male	655
Female	39
Average age of principal operator (years)	52.2
All operators ² by race:	
White	941
Black or African American	-
American Indian or Alaska Native	2
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
Asian	-
More than one race	-
All operators ² of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin	8

(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.