

2002 Census of Agriculture County Profile

Jackson, South Dakota

Number of farms

308 farms in 2002, 289 farms in 1997, up 7 percent.

Land in farms

1,190,603 acres in 2002, 1,322,818 acres in 1997, down 10 percent.

Average size of farm

3,866 acres in 2002, 4,577 acres in 1997, down 16 percent.

Market Value of Production

\$23,456,000 in 2002, \$27,996,000 in 1997, down 16 percent.

Crop sales accounted for \$2,035,000 of the total value in 2002.

Livestock sales accounted for \$21,421,000 of the total value in 2002.

Market Value of Production, average per farm

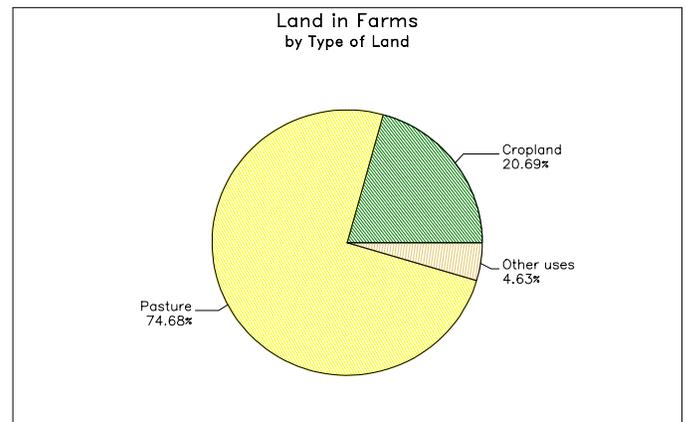
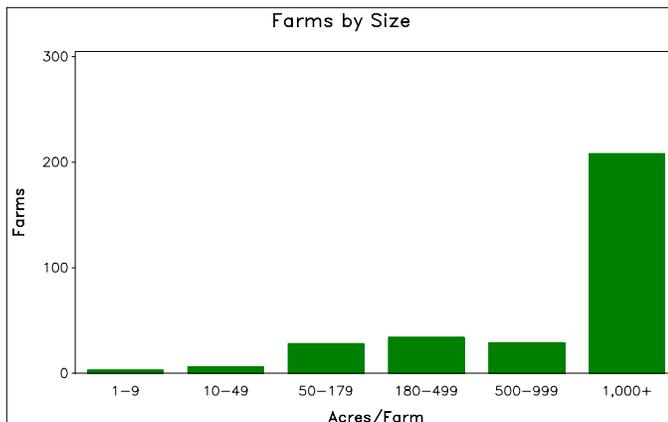
\$76,157 in 2002, \$96,871 in 1997, down 21 percent.

Government Payments

\$1,776,000 in 2002, \$1,909,000 in 1997, down 7 percent.

Government Payments, average per farm receiving payments

\$10,263 in 2002, \$9,890 in 1997, up 4 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	23,456	56	66	1,947	3,075
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	2,035	58	66	2,502	3,070
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	21,421	49	66	1,243	3,070
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	(D)	(D)	66	(D)	2,871
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	560
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	656
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	-	-	38	-	2,747
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	-	-	17	-	2,638
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	-	-	36	-	2,708
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	(D)	(D)	10	(D)	1,774
Other crops and hay	(D)	(D)	66	(D)	3,046
Poultry and eggs	(D)	(D)	62	(D)	2,918
Cattle and calves	20,788	41	66	495	3,053
Milk and other dairy products from cows	(D)	(D)	59	(D)	2,493
Hogs and pigs	39	57	64	1,781	2,919
Sheep, goats, and their products	50	57	65	1,259	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	55,809	31	66	474	3,059
Colonies of bees	(D)	8	43	(D)	2,392
Horses and ponies	2,174	7	66	412	3,065
Sheep and lambs	1,013	55	65	965	2,867
Layers 20 weeks old and older	305	35	66	2,245	2,983
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	52,438	28	66	266	3,059
All Wheat for grain	16,711	34	66	497	2,517
Sunflower seed	2,525	28	46	120	746
Corn for grain	2,013	55	65	1,559	2,592
Sorghum for grain	1,288	12	54	432	1,307

Other County Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales	
Less than \$1,000	41
\$1,000 to \$2,499	4
\$2,500 to \$4,999	11
\$5,000 to \$9,999	17
\$10,000 to \$19,999	19
\$20,000 to \$24,999	15
\$25,000 to \$39,999	27
\$40,000 to \$49,999	24
\$50,000 to \$99,999	69
\$100,000 to \$249,999	69
\$250,000 to \$499,999	9
\$500,000 or more	3
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	21,404
Average per farm (\$)	69,492
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	4,876
Average per farm (\$)	15,830

Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Farming	259
Other	49
Principal operators by sex:	
Male	281
Female	27
Average age of principal operator (years)	54.4
All operators ² by race:	
White	367
Black or African American	-
American Indian or Alaska Native	74
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
Asian	-
More than one race	12
All operators ² of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin	6

(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.