

INYO COUNTY, CA

Information based on Congressional Districts of the 106th U.S. Congress, 1997

	1997	1992	1987
Farms			
Number	82	79	94
Acreage	198,658	247,550	219,816
Average size (acres)	2,423	3,134	2,338
Median size (acres)	160	N	N
Estimated market value average per farm			
Land/buildings (dollars)	1,974,816	4,090,073	1,204,202
Machinery/equip (dollars)	38,279	38,456	24,181
Cropland (acres)			
Total	D	D	17,927
Harvested	2,944	5,787	D
Irrigated	19,408	16,192	13,034
Agricultural products sold - market value			
(\$1,000)	5,038	6,049	4,715
(dollars avg. per farm)	61,444	76,565	50,161
Agricultural sales - Net cash return per farm			
(dollars average)	19,426	9,799	4,150
Livestock inventory (number)			
Cattle and calves	18,168	17,837	16,516
Beef cows	D	D	12,665
Milk cows	D	D	8
Hogs and pigs	12	D	D
Sheep and lambs	147	158	265
Layers 13 wks or/older	D	D	559
Broilers and chicken (sold)	0	0	0
Harvested commodities (acres)			
Corn, grain or seed	N	N	N
Corn, silage or green chop	N	N	N
Sorghum, grain or seed	N	N	N
Wheat	0	0	0
Barley	0	0	0
Oats	N	N	N
Rice	0	0	0
Sunflower seed	N	N	N
Cotton	0	0	0
Tobacco	N	N	N
Soybeans	N	N	N
Dry edible beans, excl limas	N	N	N
Potatoes, excl sweetpotatoes	N	N	N
Sugar beets for sugar	N	N	N
Sugarcane for sugar	N	N	N
Peanuts for nuts	N	N	N
Hay-alfalfa	2,912	5,691	3,465
Vegetables			
Number of farms	8	2	2
Acreage	6	D	D
Orchards			
Number of farms	8	9	9
Acreage	39	29	33

Abbreviations/footnotes:

N represents zero.

0 represents an insignificant amount.

D-Withheld to avoid disclosing data for individual farms.

Source: USDA, NASS, 1997 Census of Agriculture