

PROWERS COUNTY, CO

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

	1,997	1,992	1,987
Farms			
Number	522	530	510
Acreage	862,953	1,004,360	882,165
Average size (acres)	1,653	1,895	1,730
Median size (acres)	560	N	N
Estimated market value average per farm			
Land/buildings (dollars)	678,535	564,767	563,567
Machinery/equip (dollars)	101,591	77,626	74,225
Cropland (acres)			
Total	445,365	477,781	467,650
Harvested	230,472	224,957	D
Irrigated	111,091	113,922	104,831
Agricultural products sold - market value			
(\$1,000)	150,677	167,239	143,988
(dollars avg. per farm)	288,652	315,545	282,330
Agricultural sales - Net cash return per farm			
(dollars average)	50,643	45,136	34,469
Livestock inventory (number)			
Cattle and calves	109,101	99,834	107,402
Beef cows	19,270	15,318	13,750
Milk cows	24	69	230
Hogs and pigs	6,975	10,121	6,062
Sheep and lambs	1,986	1,026	4,672
Layers 13 wks or/older	D	806	891
Broilers and chicken (sold)	D	0	D
Harvested commodities (acres)			
Corn, grain or seed	19,561	18,520	10,494
Corn, silage or green chop	2,527	2,068	2,490
Sorghum, grain or seed	15,652	19,733	26,254
Wheat	119,337	113,095	104,073
Barley	731	1,909	7,704
Oats	N	N	N
Rice	N	N	N
Sunflower seed	N	N	N
Cotton	N	N	N
Tobacco	N	N	N
Soybeans	N	N	N
Dry edible beans, excl limas	D	160	D
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	71,283	67,611	59,800
Vegetables			
Number of farms	N	N	N
Acreage	N	N	N

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Orchards			
Number of farms	N	N	N
Acreage	N	N	N

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