

JEFFERSON COUNTY, KS

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

	1,997	1,992	1,987
Farms			
Number	1,018	981	1,017
Acreage	269,019	271,713	263,592
Average size (acres)	264	277	259
Median size (acres)	115	N	N
Estimated market value average per farm			
Land/buildings (dollars)	239,162	188,212	168,696
Machinery/equip (dollars)	38,039	29,831	29,394
Cropland (acres)			
Total	175,768	183,003	177,972
Harvested	123,538	128,220	112,895
Irrigated	2,176	2,489	1,763
Agricultural products sold - market value			
(\$1,000)	34,740	35,883	25,301
(dollars avg. per farm)	34,126	36,578	24,878
Agricultural sales - Net cash return per farm			
(dollars average)	5,788	10,071	2,991
Livestock inventory (number)			
Cattle and calves	38,328	39,150	32,679
Beef cows	15,808	14,972	13,733
Milk cows	1,819	1,706	1,719
Hogs and pigs	4,872	12,601	11,369
Sheep and lambs	457	457	889
Layers 13 wks or/older	1,473	1,761	2,473
Broilers and chicken (sold)	D	D	D
Harvested commodities (acres)			
Corn, grain or seed	31,027	25,386	23,174
Corn, silage or green chop	1,021	987	844
Sorghum, grain or seed	6,703	14,261	17,596
Wheat	5,424	14,153	3,836
Barley	N	N	N
Oats	1,054	1,171	1,945
Rice	N	N	N
Sunflower seed	N	N	N
Cotton	N	N	N
Tobacco	N	N	N
Soybeans	43,678	39,176	36,268
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	37,037	36,408	32,019
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