

**LINN COUNTY, KS**

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

|  | 1,997   | 1,992   | 1,987   |
|--|---------|---------|---------|
| <b>Farms</b>   |         |         |         |
| Number   | 757     | 711     | 688     |
| Acreage  | 278,086 | 273,841 | 273,211 |
| Average size (acres)                                 | 367     | 385     | 397     |
| Median size (acres)                                  | 160     | N       | N       |
| <b>Estimated market value average per farm</b>       |         |         |         |
| Land/buildings (dollars)                             | 217,253 | 192,921 | 157,301 |
| Machinery/equip (dollars)                            | 31,360  | 30,366  | 30,923  |
| <b>Cropland (acres)</b>                              |         |         |         |
| Total  | 156,596 | 165,675 | 156,403 |
| Harvested  | 100,160 | 101,362 | 93,665  |
| Irrigated  | 5       | 91      | D       |
| <b>Agricultural products sold - market value</b>     |         |         |         |
| (\$1,000)  | 30,012  | 24,785  | 21,703  |
| (dollars avg. per farm)                              | 39,646  | 34,860  | 31,545  |
| <b>Agricultural sales - Net cash return per farm</b> |         |         |         |
| (dollars average)                                    | 9,080   | 5,373   | 5,762   |
| <b>Livestock inventory (number)</b>                  |         |         |         |
| Cattle and calves                                    | 39,461  | 34,741  | 35,037  |
| Beef cows  | 15,786  | 15,820  | 14,000  |
| Milk cows  | 757     | 1,224   | 763     |
| Hogs and pigs  | 13,337  | 12,863  | 15,530  |
| Sheep and lambs                                      | 76      | 134     | 224     |
| Layers 13 wks or/older                               | 602     | 1,141   | 1,506   |
| Broilers and chicken (sold)                          | D       | 0       | 0       |
| <b>Harvested commodities (acres)</b>                 |         |         |         |
| Corn, grain or seed                                  | 8,668   | 9,690   | 6,544   |
| Corn, silage or green chop                           | 185     | 80      | 132     |
| Sorghum, grain or seed                               | 5,658   | 11,664  | 16,867  |
| Wheat  | 8,154   | 14,932  | 2,608   |
| Barley   | N       | N       | N       |
| Oats   | 734     | 1,433   | 1,225   |
| Rice   | N       | N       | N       |
| Sunflower seed                                       | N       | N       | N       |
| Cotton   | N       | N       | N       |
| Tobacco  | N       | N       | N       |
| Soybeans   | 48,387  | 33,291  | 40,829  |
| 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  | 32,722  | 33,584  | 27,364  |
| <b>Vegetables</b>                                    |         |         |         |
| Number of farms                                      | N       | N       | N       |
| Acreage  | N       | N       | N       |

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| <b>Orchards</b> |       |       |       |
| 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