

**SHAWNEE COUNTY, KS**

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

	1,997	1,992	1,987
<b>Farms</b>			
Number	823	825	852
Acreage	224,143	227,349	221,098
Average size (acres)	272	276	260
Median size (acres)	102	N	N
<b>Estimated market value average per farm</b>			
Land/buildings (dollars)	280,195	237,714	189,910
Machinery/equip (dollars)	39,149	39,402	26,118
<b>Cropland (acres)</b>			
Total	148,011	148,863	149,707
Harvested	113,643	111,948	101,139
Irrigated	12,402	14,002	11,382
<b>Agricultural products sold - market value</b>			
(\$1,000)	29,103	29,637	21,859
(dollars avg. per farm)	35,362	35,924	25,656
<b>Agricultural sales - Net cash return per farm</b>			
(dollars average)	10,641	11,615	3,015
<b>Livestock inventory (number)</b>			
Cattle and calves	21,902	19,931	19,849
Beef cows	9,744	9,254	7,764
Milk cows	301	493	370
Hogs and pigs	2,090	8,931	4,620
Sheep and lambs	99	488	D
Layers 13 wks or/older	752	D	1,181
Broilers and chicken (sold)	101	0	D
<b>Harvested commodities (acres)</b>			
Corn, grain or seed	21,682	21,132	20,588
Corn, silage or green chop	583	360	437
Sorghum, grain or seed	11,381	17,027	20,453
Wheat	9,022	14,625	7,719
Barley	N	N	N
Oats	398	716	1,086
Rice	N	N	N
Sunflower seed	N	N	N
Cotton	N	N	N
Tobacco	N	N	N
Soybeans	39,385	35,063	30,060
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	32,844	25,915	23,711
<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