

**STEVENS COUNTY, KS**

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

	1,997	1,992	1,987
<b>Farms</b>			
Number	304	295	300
Acreage	511,859	450,829	460,974
Average size (acres)	1,684	1,528	1,537
Median size (acres)	955	N	N
<b>Estimated market value average per farm</b>			
Land/buildings (dollars)	908,392	650,388	682,130
Machinery/equip (dollars)	250,242	164,370	145,329
<b>Cropland (acres)</b>			
Total	408,018	356,072	392,622
Harvested	289,215	244,407	238,568
Irrigated	162,336	131,754	119,752
<b>Agricultural products sold - market value</b>			
(\$1,000)	154,227	200,296	96,641
(dollars avg. per farm)	507,326	678,970	322,138
<b>Agricultural sales - Net cash return per farm</b>			
(dollars average)	109,160	77,132	32,541
<b>Livestock inventory (number)</b>			
Cattle and calves	63,449	74,795	52,216
Beef cows	D	6,819	5,332
Milk cows	D	7	0
Hogs and pigs	D	505	3,663
Sheep and lambs	0	283	699
Layers 13 wks or/older	D	69	283
Broilers and chicken (sold)	0	0	0
<b>Harvested commodities (acres)</b>			
Corn, grain or seed	103,391	60,254	25,418
Corn, silage or green chop	D	0	D
Sorghum, grain or seed	84,314	82,824	114,832
Wheat	93,343	91,955	89,747
Barley	N	N	N
Oats	0	D	D
Rice	N	N	N
Sunflower seed	N	N	N
Cotton	N	N	N
Tobacco	N	N	N
Soybeans	D	438	890
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	14,497	8,730	7,048
<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