

PIKE COUNTY, PA

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

	1997	1992	1987
Farms			
Number	40	36	44
Acreage	5,566	6,197	5,472
Average size (acres)	139	172	124
Median size (acres)	53	N	N
Estimated market value average per farm			
Land/buildings (dollars)	523,320	498,078	238,750
Machinery/equip (dollars)	38,900	38,943	40,367
Cropland (acres)			
Total	D	2,145	2,382
Harvested	D	1,160	1,651
Irrigated	59	5	D
Agricultural products sold - market value			
(\$1,000)	1,385	2,092	1,284
(dollars avg. per farm)	34,625	58,120	29,193
Agricultural sales - Net cash return per farm			
(dollars average)	4,992	13,148	5,750
Livestock inventory (number)			
Cattle and calves	D	236	452
Beef cows	66	55	D
Milk cows	60	69	D
Hogs and pigs	58	D	D
Sheep and lambs	72	0	D
Layers 13 wks or older	829	527	796
Broilers and chicken (sold)	0	0	0
Harvested commodities (acres)			
Corn, grain or seed	D	D	408
Corn, silage or green chop	D	0	D
Sorghum, grain or seed	N	N	N
Wheat	0	D	0
Barley	N	N	N
Oats	0	0	D
Rice	N	N	N
Sunflowerseed	N	N	N
Cotton	N	N	N
Tobacco	N	N	N
Soybeans	N	N	N
Dry edible beans, excl m's	N	N	N
Potatoes, excl sweet potatoes	D	D	D
Sugarbeets for sugar	N	N	N
Sugarcane for sugar	N	N	N
Peanuts for nuts	N	N	N
Hay-alalfa	696	616	981
Vegetables			
Number of farms	N	N	N
Acreage	N	N	N

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Orchards			
Number of farms	7	8	6
Acreage	14	24	18

Abbreviations/footnotes:

N represents zero.

0 represents an insignificant amount.

D-W withheld to avoid disclosing data for individual farms.

Source: USDA, NASS, 1997 Census of Agriculture