

SKAMANIA COUNTY, WA

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

	1,997	1,992	1,987
Farms			
Number	63	60	71
Acreage	4,220	4,043	6,726
Average size (acres)	67	67	95
Median size (acres)	43	N	N
Estimated market value average per farm			
Land/buildings (dollars)	334,096	223,036	188,423
Machinery/equip (dollars)	28,117	20,185	14,550
Cropland (acres)			
Total	1,911	2,031	D
Harvested	1,206	1,205	1,541
Irrigated	272	D	12
Agricultural products sold - market value			
(\$1,000)	1,532	1,001	824
(dollars avg. per farm)	24,316	16,676	11,603
Agricultural sales - Net cash return per farm			
(dollars average)	496	2,230	-1,203
Livestock inventory (number)			
Cattle and calves	711	640	977
Beef cows	392	D	D
Milk cows	0	D	D
Hogs and pigs	D	D	55
Sheep and lambs	D	84	177
Layers 13 wks or/older	D	D	233
Broilers and chicken (sold)	0	0	D
Harvested commodities (acres)			
Corn, grain or seed	0	0	D
Corn, silage or green chop	N	N	N
Sorghum, grain or seed	N	N	N
Wheat	0	0	0
Barley	0	0	0
Oats	N	N	N
Rice	N	N	N
Sunflower seed	N	N	N
Cotton	N	N	N
Tobacco	N	N	N
Soybeans	N	N	N
Dry edible beans, excl limas	N	N	N
Potatoes, excl sweetpotatoes	0	0	0
Sugar beets for sugar	N	N	N
Sugarcane for sugar	N	N	N
Peanuts for nuts	N	N	N
Hay-alfalfa	489	591	1,118
Vegetables			
Number of farms	1	0	2
Acreage	D	0	D

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Orchards

Number of farms	20	17	13
Acreage	654	603	397

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