

# 2002 Census of Agriculture County Profile

## Pawnee, Kansas

### Number of farms

430 farms in 2002, 450 farms in 1997, down 4 percent.

### Land in farms

520,360 acres in 2002, 483,862 acres in 1997, up 8 percent.

### Average size of farm

1,210 acres in 2002, 1,075 acres in 1997, up 13 percent.

### Market Value of Production

\$139,484,000 in 2002, \$117,347,000 in 1997, up 19 percent.

Crop sales accounted for \$31,283,000 of the total value in 2002.

Livestock sales accounted for \$108,202,000 of the total value in 2002.

### Market Value of Production, average per farm

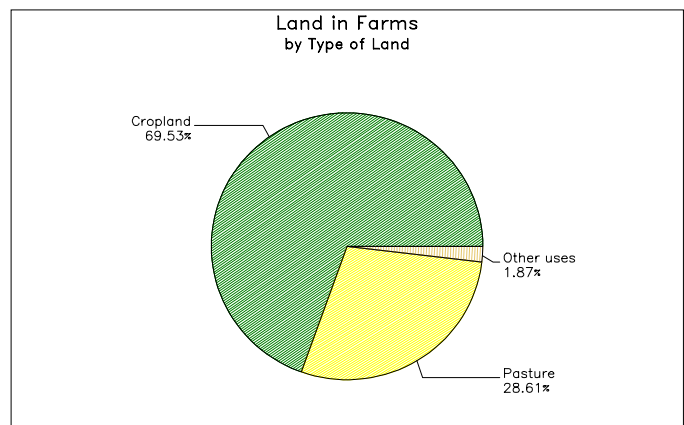
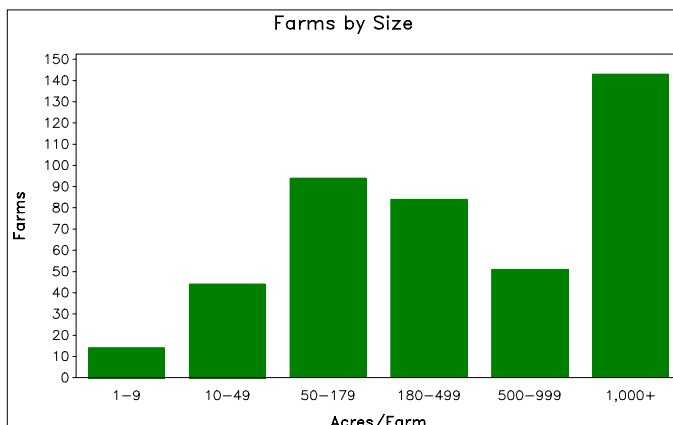
\$324,383 in 2002, \$260,772 in 1997, up 24 percent.

### Government Payments

\$3,548,000 in 2002, \$5,173,000 in 1997, down 31 percent.

### Government Payments, average per farm receiving payments

\$10,592 in 2002, \$13,721 in 1997, down 23 percent.



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**Ranked items among the 105 state counties and 3,078 U.S. counties, 2002**

Item	Quantity	State Rank	Universe <sup>1</sup>	U.S. Rank	Universe <sup>1</sup>
<b>MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)</b>					
Total value of agricultural products sold	139,484	14	105	288	3,075
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	31,283	25	105	832	3,070
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	108,202	14	105	185	3,070
<b>VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)</b>					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	24,692	31	105	575	2,871
Tobacco	-	-	5	-	560
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	28	-	656
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	-	-	66	-	2,747
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	-	-	52	-	2,638
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	(D)	(D)	77	(D)	2,708
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	-	-	40	-	1,774
Other crops and hay	(D)	(D)	105	(D)	3,046
Poultry and eggs	(Z)	92	100	2,838	2,918
Cattle and calves	108,101	14	105	57	3,053
Milk and other dairy products from cows	(D)	(D)	99	(D)	2,493
Hogs and pigs	3	103	105	2,630	2,919
Sheep, goats, and their products	14	78	105	2,119	2,997
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	(D)	(D)	105	(D)	3,014
Aquaculture	-	-	22	-	1,520
Other animals and other animal products	(D)	(D)	87	(D)	2,727
<b>TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)</b>					
Cattle and calves	77,685	20	105	250	3,059
Sheep and lambs	313	67	103	1,731	2,867
Horses and ponies	226	96	105	2,769	3,065
Layers 20 weeks old and older	170	77	105	2,548	2,983
Colonies of bees <sup>3</sup>	(D)	(D)	54	(D)	2,392
<b>TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)</b>					
All Wheat for grain	110,171	29	105	114	2,517
Sorghum for grain	43,213	24	105	40	1,307
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	38,067	26	105	524	3,059
Corn for grain	27,225	28	105	696	2,592
Soybeans	13,798	57	105	950	2,076

**Other County Highlights**

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	136	Farming	287
\$1,000 to \$2,499	10	Other	143
\$2,500 to \$4,999	14	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	26	Male	372
\$10,000 to \$19,999	34	Female	58
\$20,000 to \$24,999	11	Average age of principal operator (years)	56.3
\$25,000 to \$39,999	32	All operators <sup>2</sup> by race:	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	16	White	548
\$50,000 to \$99,999	41	Black or African American	-
\$100,000 to \$249,999	56	American Indian or Alaska Native	-
\$250,000 to \$499,999	34	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	20	Asian	-
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	132,824	More than one race	2
Average per farm (\$)	309,612	All operators <sup>2</sup> of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin	5
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	12,334		
Average per farm (\$)	28,751		

(D) Cannot be disclosed. (Z) Less than half of the unit shown. See "Census of Agriculture, Volume 1, Geographic Area Series" for complete footnotes.

<sup>1</sup> Universe is number of counties in state or U.S. with item.

<sup>2</sup> Data were collected for a maximum of three operators per farm.

<sup>3</sup> Items with a rank that cannot be disclosed are separated by a blank line, position in table does not indicate rank.