

**Kansas Farm Statistics
1920-2010, Selected Years**

Year	Farms	Average Size of Farms (acres)	Land in Farms (thousands of acres)	Value of Land and Buildings (dollars)		Total Value (million dollars)
				Average per Acre	Average per Farm*	
1920	167,000	272	45,400	\$62	\$16,855	\$2,815
1930	166,000	283	47,000	49	13,873	2,303
1940	159,000	303	48,200	30	9,094	1,446
1950	135,000	374	50,500	66	24,689	3,333
1960	110,000	456	50,200	101	46,093	5,070
1970	87,000	574	49,900	159	91,197	7,934
1972	85,000	582	49,500	174	101,329	8,613
1974	83,000	590	49,000	253	149,361	12,397
1976	78,000	623	48,600	342	213,092	16,621
1977	77,000	629	48,400	398	250,171	19,263
1978	76,000	636	48,300	418	265,650	20,189
1979	75,000	644	48,300	501	322,644	24,198
1980	75,000	644	48,300	587	378,028	28,352
1981	75,000	644	48,300	619	398,636	29,898
1982	75,000	644	48,300	628	404,432	30,332
1983	75,000	644	48,300	601	387,044	29,028
1984	74,000	649	48,000	597	387,243	28,656
1985	72,000	667	48,000	488	325,333	23,424
1986	70,000	684	47,900	415	283,979	19,879
1987	70,000	684	47,900	373	255,239	17,867
1988	69,000	694	47,900	413	286,706	19,783
1989	69,000	694	47,900	429	297,813	20,549
1990	69,000	694	47,900	450	312,391	21,555
1991	69,000	694	47,900	449	311,697	21,507
1992	67,000	713	47,800	460	328,179	21,988
1993	66,000	723	47,700	463	334,623	22,085
1994	66,000	721	47,600	503	362,770	23,943
1995	66,000	721	47,600	535	385,848	25,466
1996	65,000	731	47,500	553	404,115	26,268
1997	65,000	731	47,500	565	412,885	26,838
1998	65,000	731	47,500	577	421,654	27,408
1999	65,000	731	47,500	600	438,462	28,500
2000	64,500	736	47,500	625	460,271	29,688
2001	64,500	733	47,300	645	473,000	30,509
2002	64,500	733	47,300	665	487,667	31,455
2003	64,500	729	47,000	685	499,147	32,195
2004	64,500	726	46,800	700	507,907	32,760
2005	64,500	731	47,160	810	592,242	38,200
2006	64,000	741	47,450	870	645,023	41,282
2007	65,500	707	46,300	980	692,733	45,374
2008	65,500	705	46,200	1,020	719,450	47,124
2009	65,500	705	46,200	1,030	726,504	47,586
2010	65,500	705	46,200	1,060	747,664	48,972

Source: U.S. Department of Agriculture, Economic Research Service, Farm Income: Data Files,
<http://www.ers.usda.gov/Data/FarmIncome/FinfidmuXls.htm> (accessed September 12, 2011); *Kansas Farm Facts 2006*,
http://www.nass.usda.gov/Statistics_by_State/Kansas/Publications/Annual_Statistical_Bulletin/ (accessed September 12, 2011).

Beginning in 1975, a farm is defined as any place with annual sales of agricultural products of \$1,000 or more. Between 1959 and 1975 a farm was defined as a place of 10 or more acres that had annual sales of agricultural products of \$50 or more or a place of less than 10 acres that had annual sales of \$250 or more. Prior to 1959 a farm was defined as a place of three acres or more in size with a value of farm products amounting to \$150 or more. Places of less than three acres with sales of \$250 or more were also considered farms.

* Average per Farm is obtained by dividing Total Value by Farms.