

**Regional Profile**

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**South Central Enterprise Region**

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**Theme 10: Agriculture**

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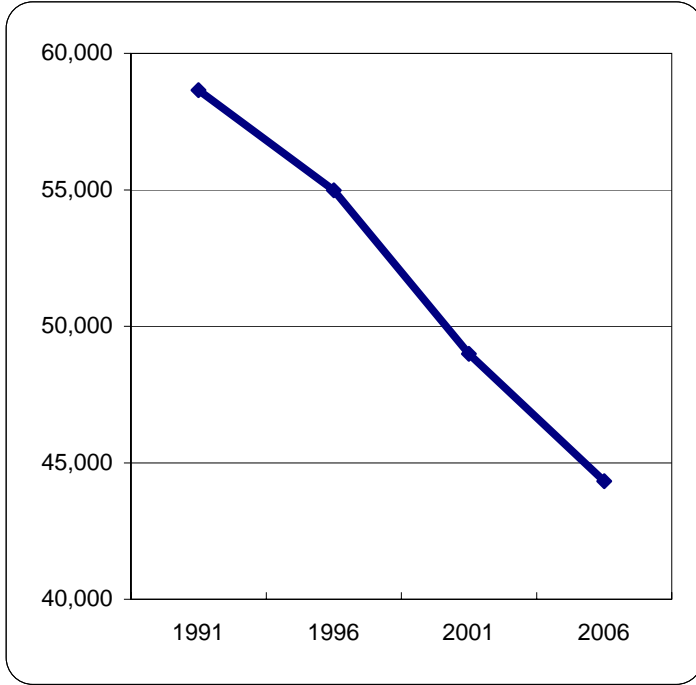
	Saskatchewan				South Central Enterprise Region			
	1991	1996	2001	2006	1991	1996	2001	2006
<b>Farm Operations</b>								
"Census" farms*	58,651	54,979	48,990	44,329	4,854	4,406	3,852	3,357
Acres Farmed (000)	66,387	65,654	64,904	64,254	6,146	5,962	5,930	5,846
Average size in acres	1,091	1,152	1,283	1,449	1,266	1,353	1,539	1,741
<b>Farm Operators</b>								
Under 35 years	15,595	11,555	8,095	5,910	...	...	...	465
35 to 54 years	34,990	36,170	33,970	28,360	...	...	...	2,245
<u>55 &amp; older</u>	<u>27,425</u>	<u>25,890</u>	<u>24,145</u>	<u>24,915</u>	...	...	...	<u>1,800</u>
Total	78,015	73,610	66,200	59,185	...	...	...	4,500
Of which, number with:								
farm hours of 20 or more/week	...	57,175	52,525	46,465	...	...	...	3,575
any off farm hours	...	22,690	28,740	28,615	...	...	...	2,150
<b>Farm Size for All Farms (# of acres)</b>								
Under 180	8,385	9,013	8,269	7,216	478	474	436	377
180 to 759	20,125	17,606	15,106	12,640	1,309	1,105	950	778
760 to 1,599	20,578	17,648	14,239	11,037	1,761	1,493	1,127	866
<u>1,600 or more</u>	<u>11,752</u>	<u>12,728</u>	<u>12,984</u>	<u>13,436</u>	<u>1,306</u>	<u>1,334</u>	<u>1,339</u>	<u>1,336</u>
Total	60,840	56,995	50,598	44,329	4,854	4,406	3,852	3,357
<b>Land Tenure (000 acres)</b>								
Owned	40,557	39,729	39,635	38,677	3,866	3,669	3,735	3,966
<u>Leased</u>	<u>25,830</u>	<u>25,925</u>	<u>25,269</u>	<u>25,577</u>	<u>2,280</u>	<u>2,293</u>	<u>2,194</u>	<u>1,880</u>
Total	66,387	65,654	64,904	64,254	6,146	5,962	5,930	5,846
<b>Farm Land Use (000 acres)</b>								
Summerfallow	14,117	10,950	7,738	6,001	1,787	1,365	922	560
Cropland	33,258	35,580	37,995	36,967	2,621	2,917	3,299	3,320
Pasture	15,996	15,634	16,142	17,638	1,573	1,512	1,564	1,811
<u>Buildings and other</u>	<u>3,016</u>	<u>3,490</u>	<u>3,029</u>	<u>3,648</u>	<u>166</u>	<u>167</u>	<u>146</u>	<u>155</u>
Total	66,387	65,654	64,904	64,254	6,146	5,962	5,930	5,846
<b>Crops planted (000 acres)</b>								
Wheat and durum	21,242	18,164	15,183	13,036	2,230	2,192	1,671	1,457
Oats	830	2,182	1,948	2,317	48	89	77	104
Barley	3,319	4,720	4,598	3,523	80	130	207	172
Canola	3,359	3,877	4,710	5,977	1	45	80	127
Field peas	196	884	2,543	2,709	1	22	229	381
<u>All others</u>	<u>4,312</u>	<u>5,753</u>	<u>9,014</u>	<u>9,405</u>	<u>261</u>	<u>440</u>	<u>1,035</u>	<u>1,078</u>
Total	33,258	35,580	37,995	36,967	2,621	2,917	3,299	3,320
<b>Selected Agricultural Practices</b>								
Number of cattle/calves (000)	2,286	2,724	2,900	3,363	192	243	263	311
Irrigation use (farms)	1,224	1,617	1,030	923	81	101	64	56
Commercial fertilizer (000 acres)	18,915	24,749	24,485	26,912	888	1,665	1,779	2,111
Herbicide (000 acres)	24,824	26,814	30,461	29,135	1,984	2,174	2,372	2,445
Manure application (000 acres)	604	706	555	709	36	41	38	48
Chemical summerfallow (000 acres)	571	946	1,243	2,261	76	133	140	164
Farms using computers	...	11,310	17,619	19,301	...	1,060	1,525	1,557
Avg. weeks of paid work per farm	10.8	14.4	14.6	13.4	9.6	13.8	14.8	4.2
Number of sole proprietorships	44,706	40,323	33,463	28,860	3,714	3,218	2,584	2,190
Number of certified organic producers	...	...	773	1,181	...	...	116	186

\* with gross receipts of \$2,500 or more

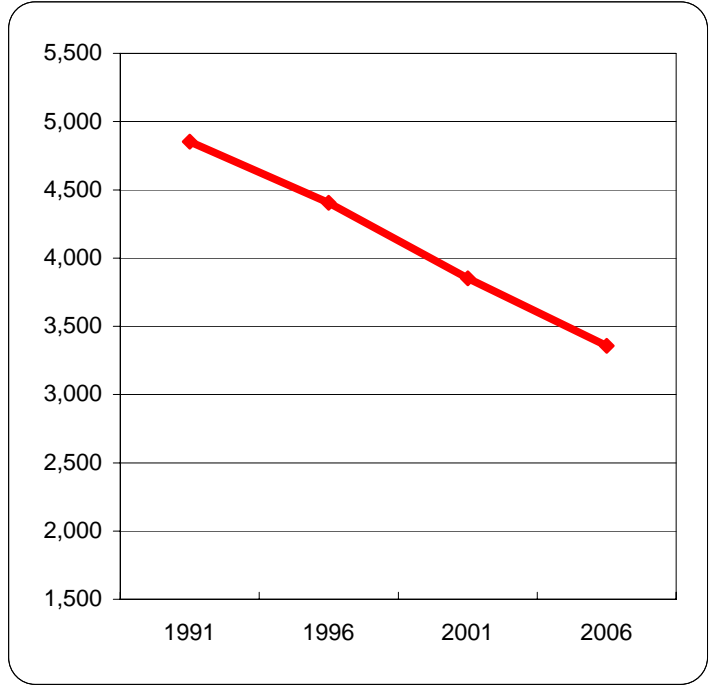
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	1991	1996	2001	2006	1991	1996	2001	2006
<b>Balance Sheet Items (\$000,000)</b>								
Value of land and buildings	\$17,589	\$20,626	\$21,868	\$25,137	\$1,431	\$1,698	\$1,854	\$2,067
Value of machinery/equipment	\$6,361	\$7,547	\$8,107	\$8,342	\$505	\$584	\$632	\$629
Value of livestock/poultry	<u>\$1,766</u>	<u>\$1,663</u>	<u>\$3,489</u>	<u>\$2,561</u>	<u>\$142</u>	<u>\$135</u>	<u>\$310</u>	<u>\$258</u>
Total assets	\$25,716	\$29,835	\$33,464	\$36,040	\$2,078	\$2,418	\$2,797	\$2,954
<b>Number of farms by assets</b>								
Under \$200K	19,520	16,118	11,306	7,520	1,379	1,031	747	474
\$200K to \$1 million	37,393	34,036	29,878	25,948	3,178	2,826	2,304	2,000
<u>\$1 million or more</u>	<u>3,927</u>	<u>6,841</u>	<u>9,414</u>	<u>10,861</u>	<u>297</u>	<u>549</u>	<u>801</u>	<u>883</u>
Total Farms	60,840	56,995	50,598	44,329	4,854	4,406	3,852	3,357
<b>Revenue Items (\$000,000)</b>								
Gross cash receipts	\$4,174	\$5,624	\$5,895	\$6,338	\$310	\$444	\$485	\$591
Cash expenditures	<u>\$3,328</u>	<u>\$4,357</u>	<u>\$5,021</u>	<u>\$5,580</u>	<u>\$244</u>	<u>\$333</u>	<u>\$401</u>	<u>\$501</u>
Net cash income	\$846	\$1,267	\$873	\$758	\$66	\$112	\$84	\$90
<b>Number of farms by gross receipts</b>								
Under \$25,000	18,632	15,208	14,246	12,194	1,349	899	880	715
\$25,000 to \$99,999	30,167	22,986	18,575	15,113	2,715	1,983	1,556	1,260
\$100,000 to \$249,999	10,242	14,708	12,437	10,674	695	1,259	1,032	873
<u>\$250,00 or more</u>	<u>1,799</u>	<u>4,093</u>	<u>5,340</u>	<u>6,348</u>	<u>95</u>	<u>265</u>	<u>384</u>	<u>509</u>
Total Farms	60,840	56,995	50,598	44,329	4,854	4,406	3,852	3,357
<b>Derived Financial Ratios</b>								
Net income as % of assets	3.3%	4.2%	2.6%	2.1%	3.2%	4.6%	3.0%	3.0%
Net income as % of revenue	20.3%	22.5%	14.8%	12.0%	21.3%	25.1%	17.4%	15.2%
Gross income per acre	\$63	\$86	\$91	\$99	\$50	\$75	\$82	\$101
Net income per acre	\$13	\$19	\$13	\$12	\$11	\$19	\$14	\$15
Net cash income per census farm	\$14,429	\$23,048	\$17,830	\$17,099	\$13,583	\$25,322	\$21,863	\$26,695

**Number of Farms with Gross Receipts of \$2,500 or more**

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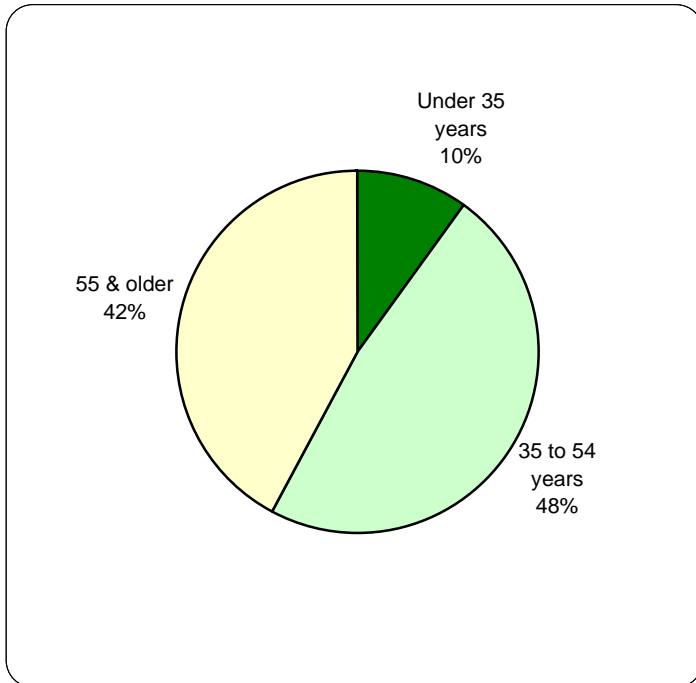


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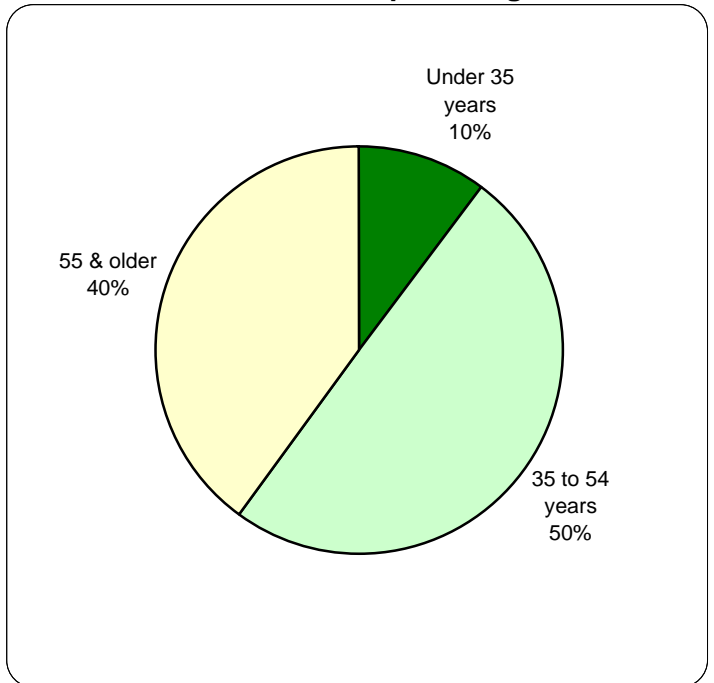


**Age of Farm Operators in 2006**

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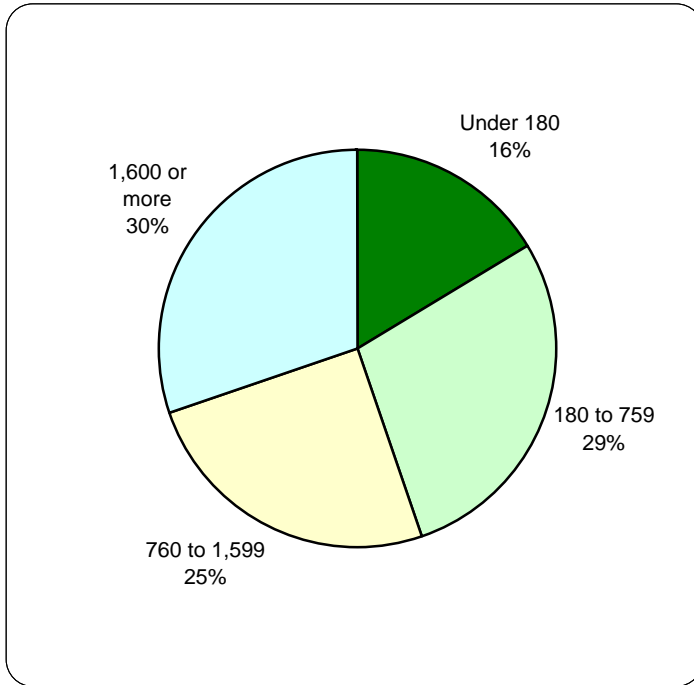


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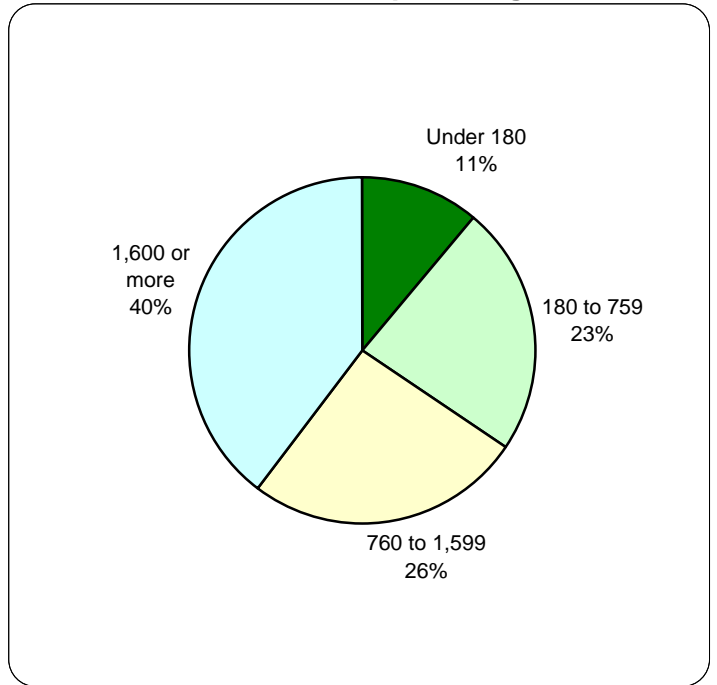


**Farm Size (# of Acres) in 2006**

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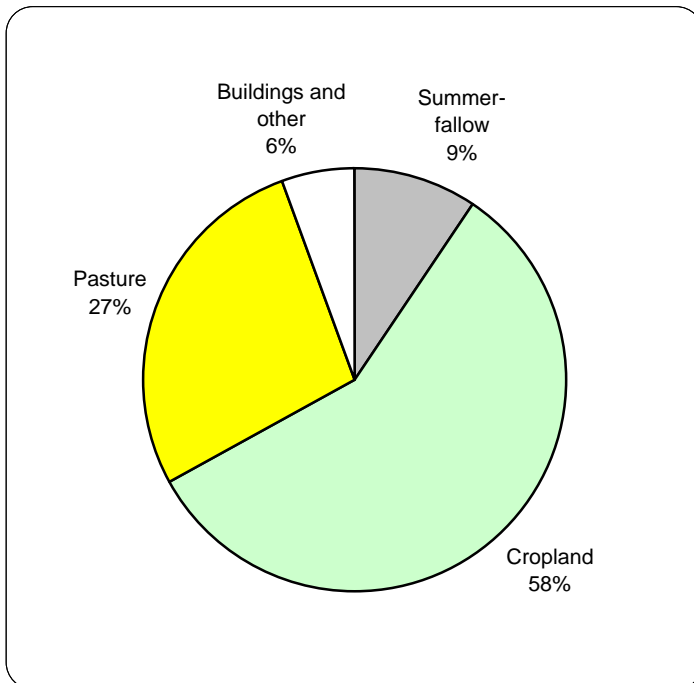


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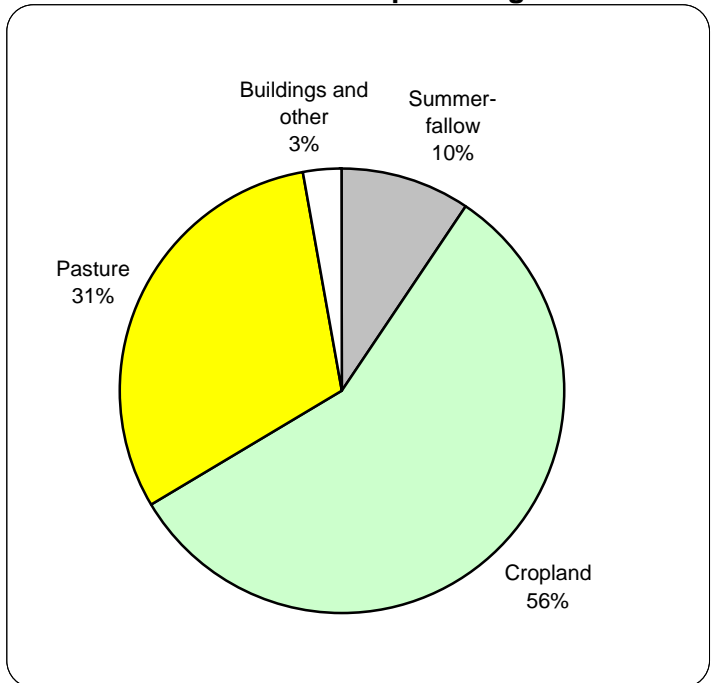


**Land Use (in acres) in 2006**

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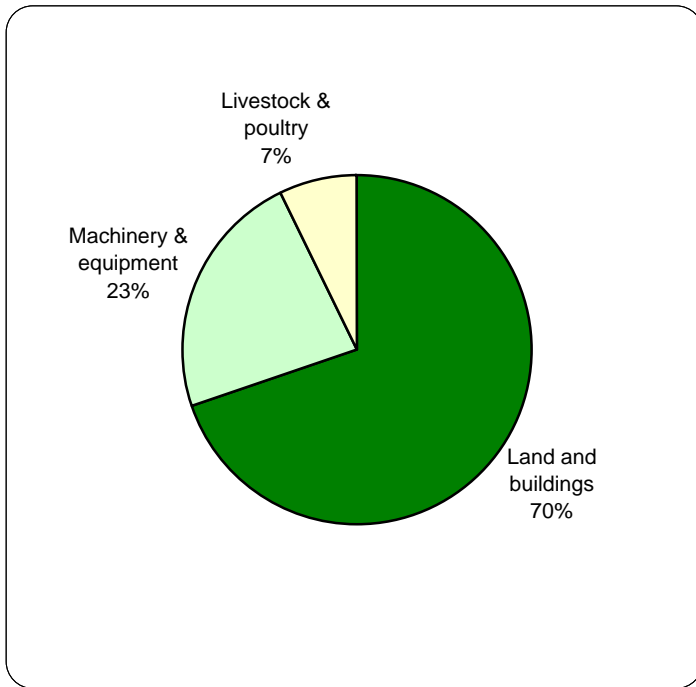


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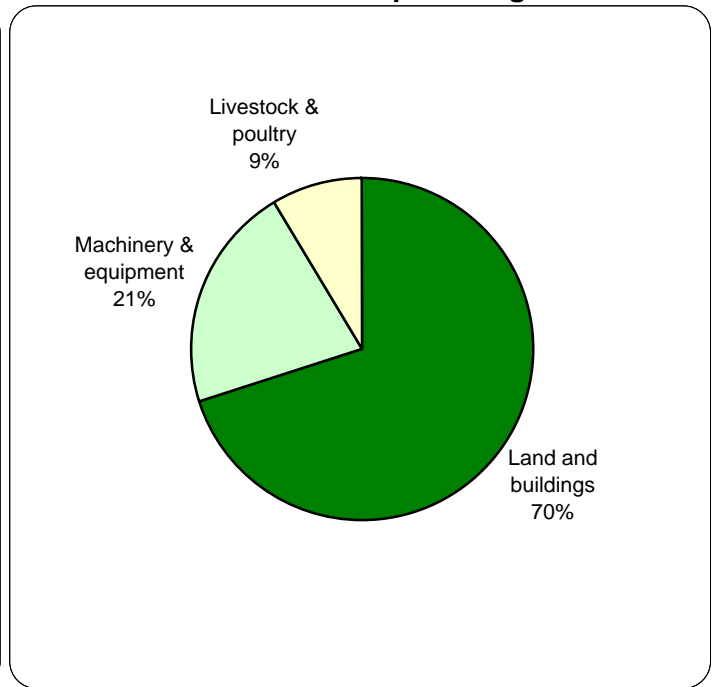


**Distribution of Assets in 2006**

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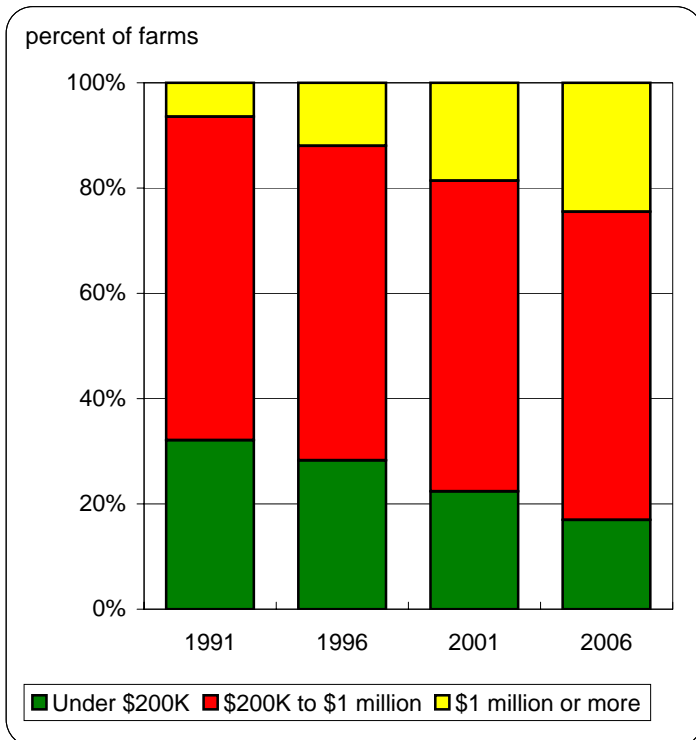


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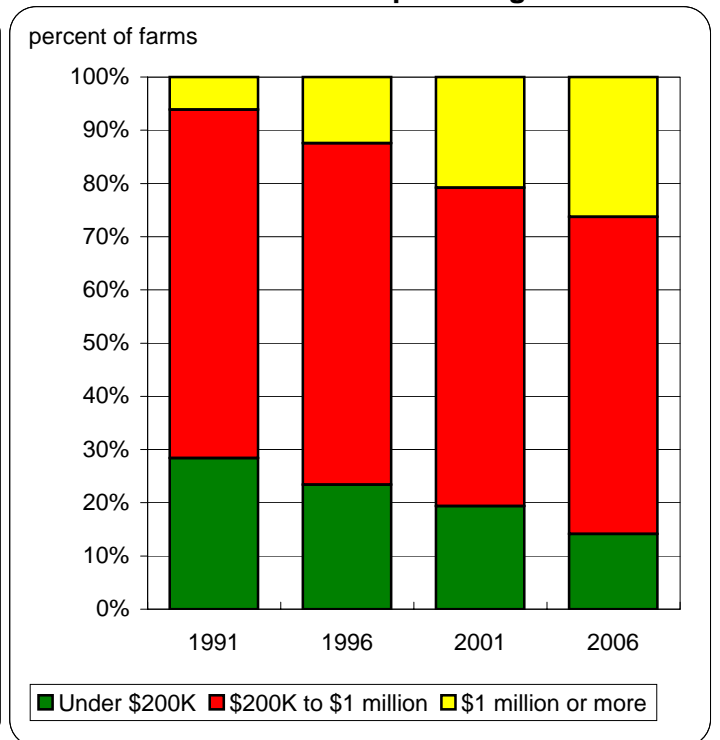


**Value of Assets, 1991 to 2006**

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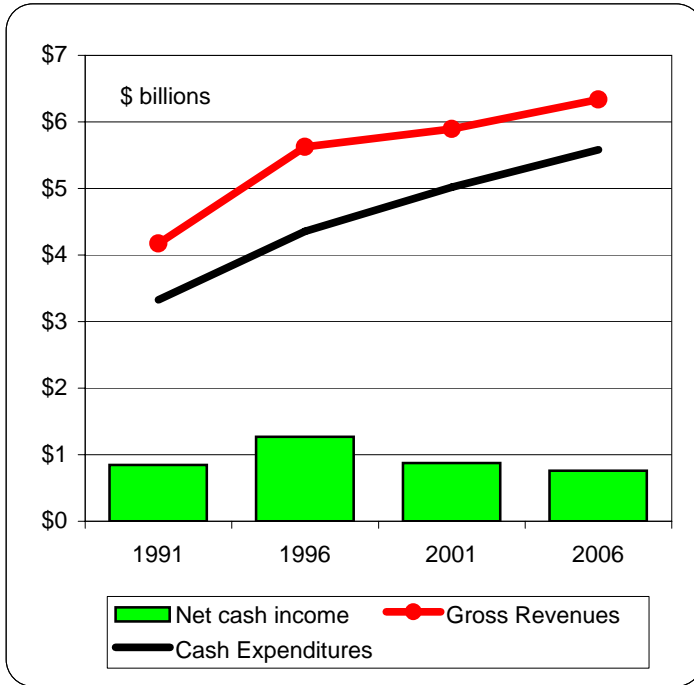


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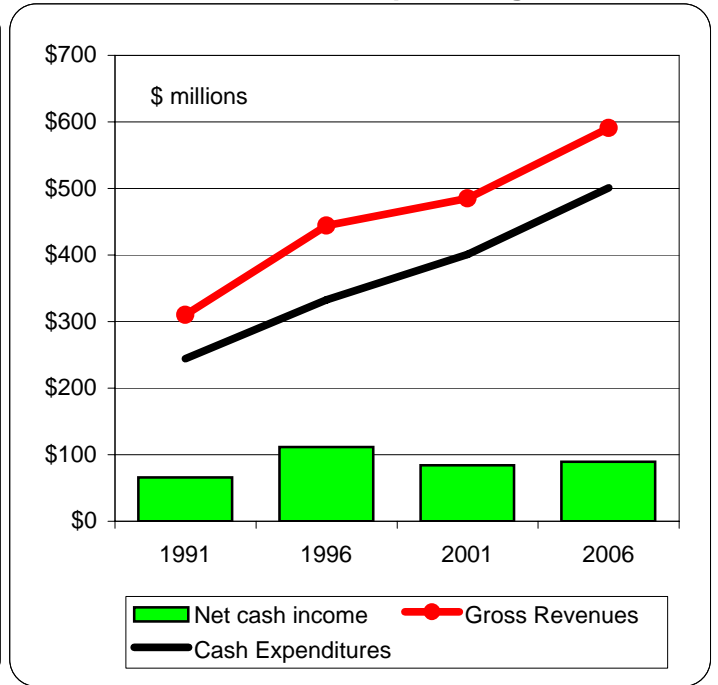


**Cash Revenues and Expenses**

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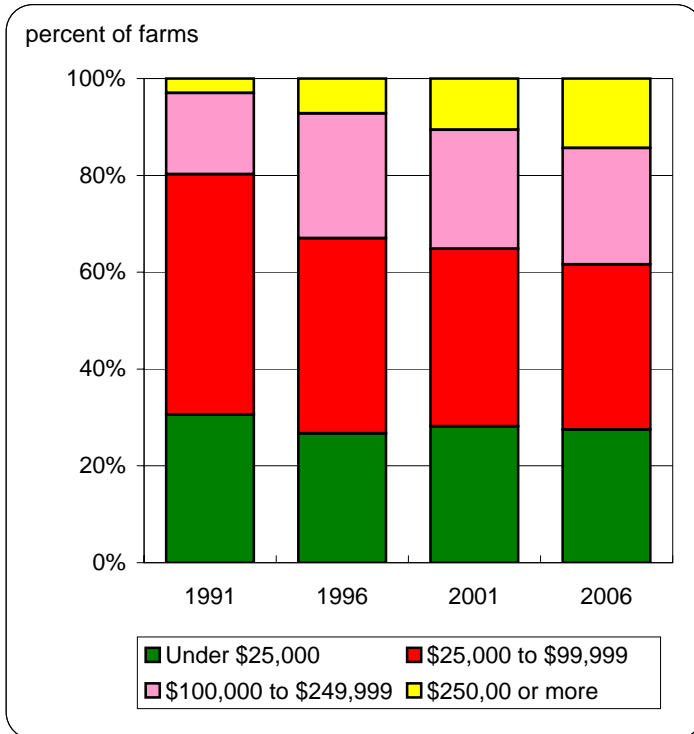


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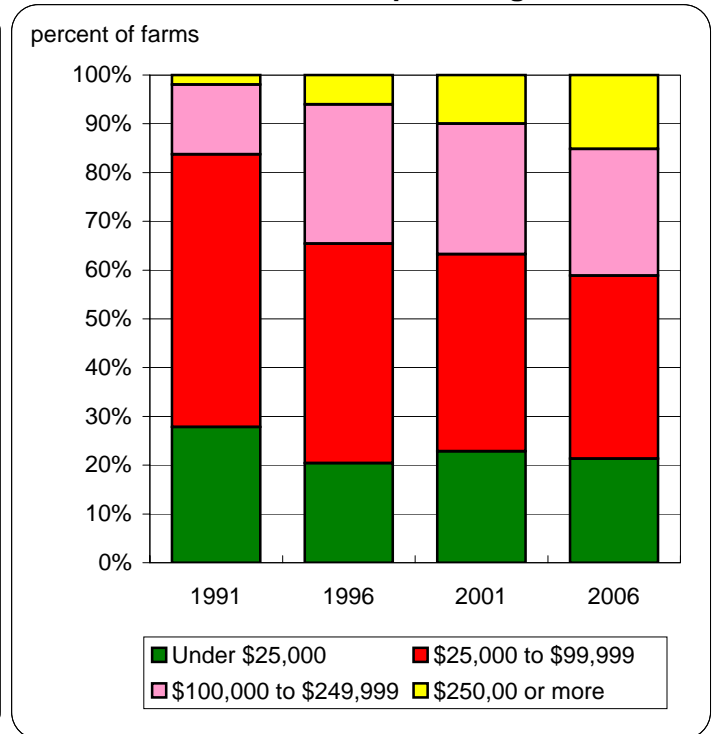


**Gross Receipts, 1991 to 2006**

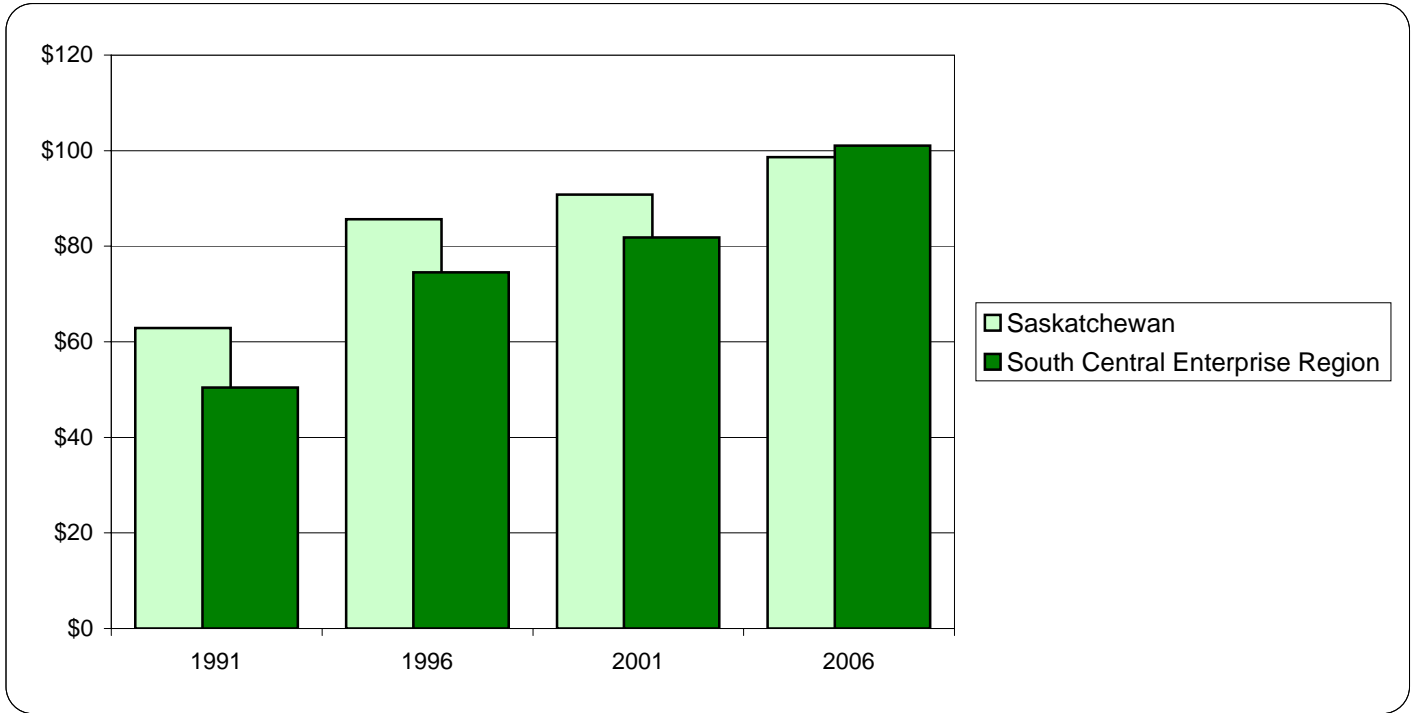
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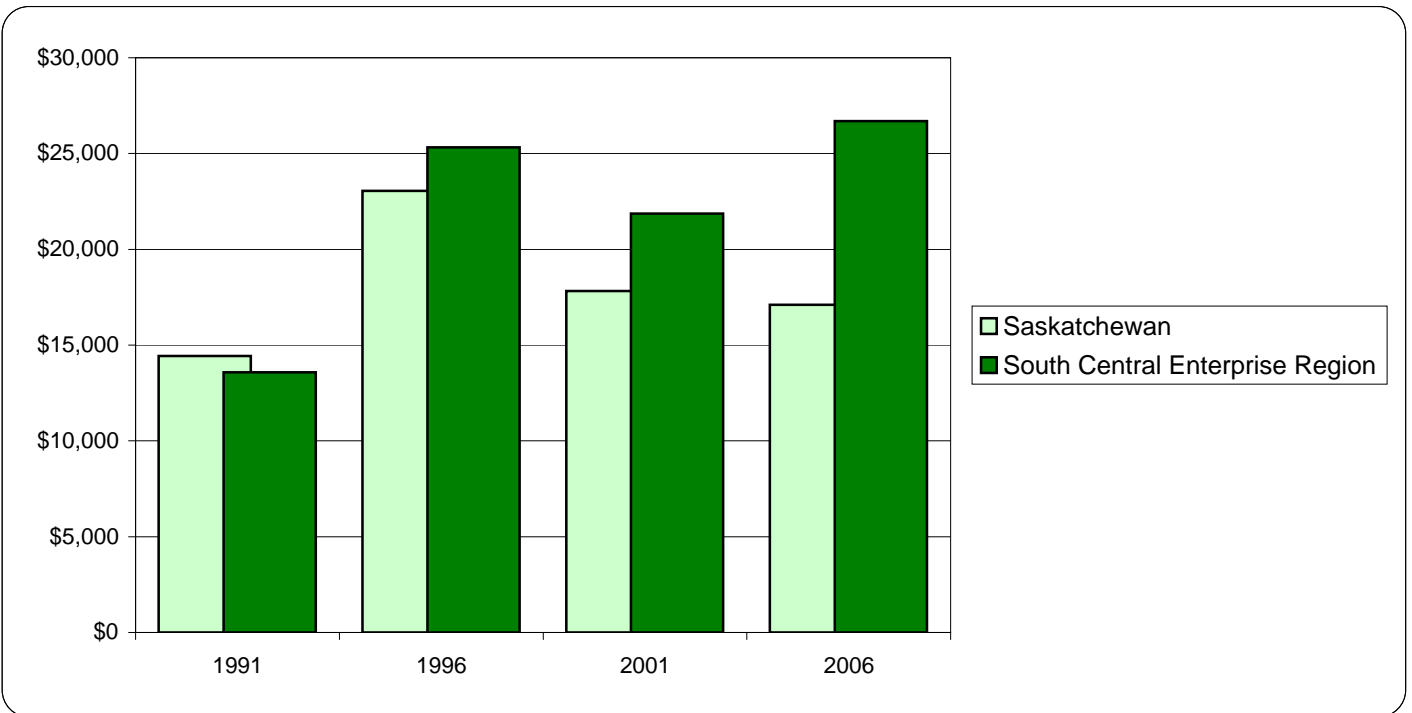
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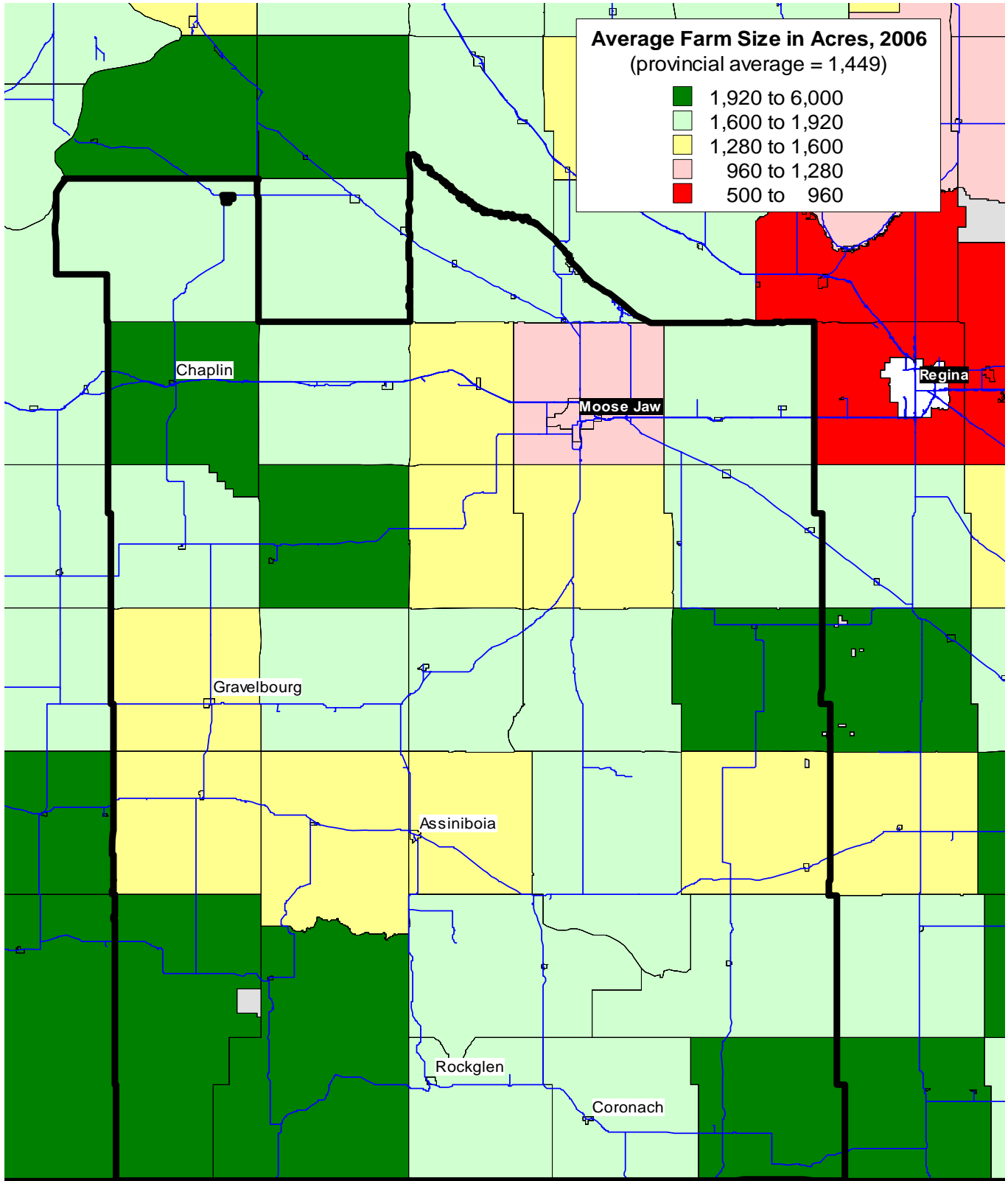
**Gross Revenue per Acre**



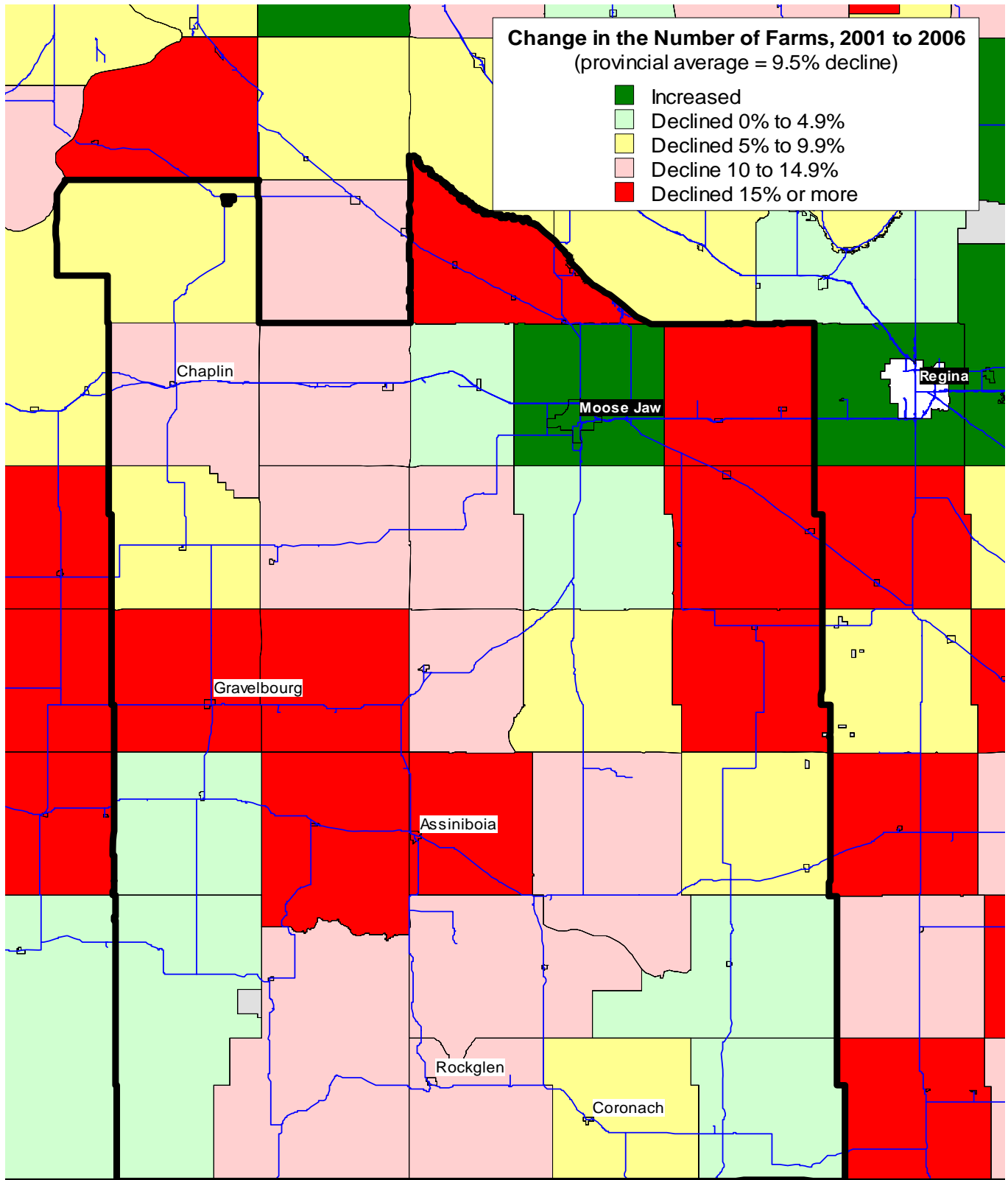
**Net Cash Income per Farm**



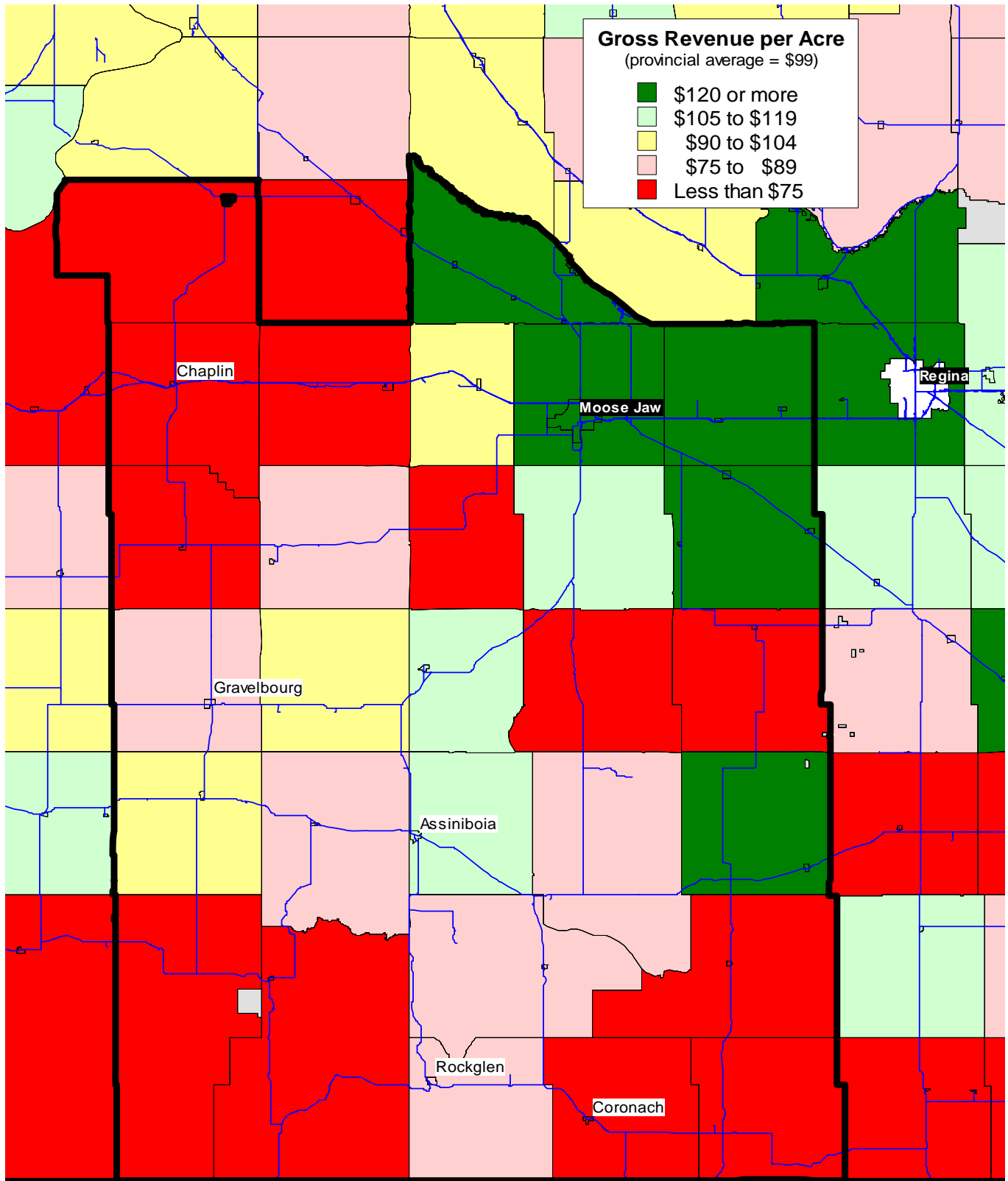
**Average Farm Size in Acres, 2001, Census Farms Only**



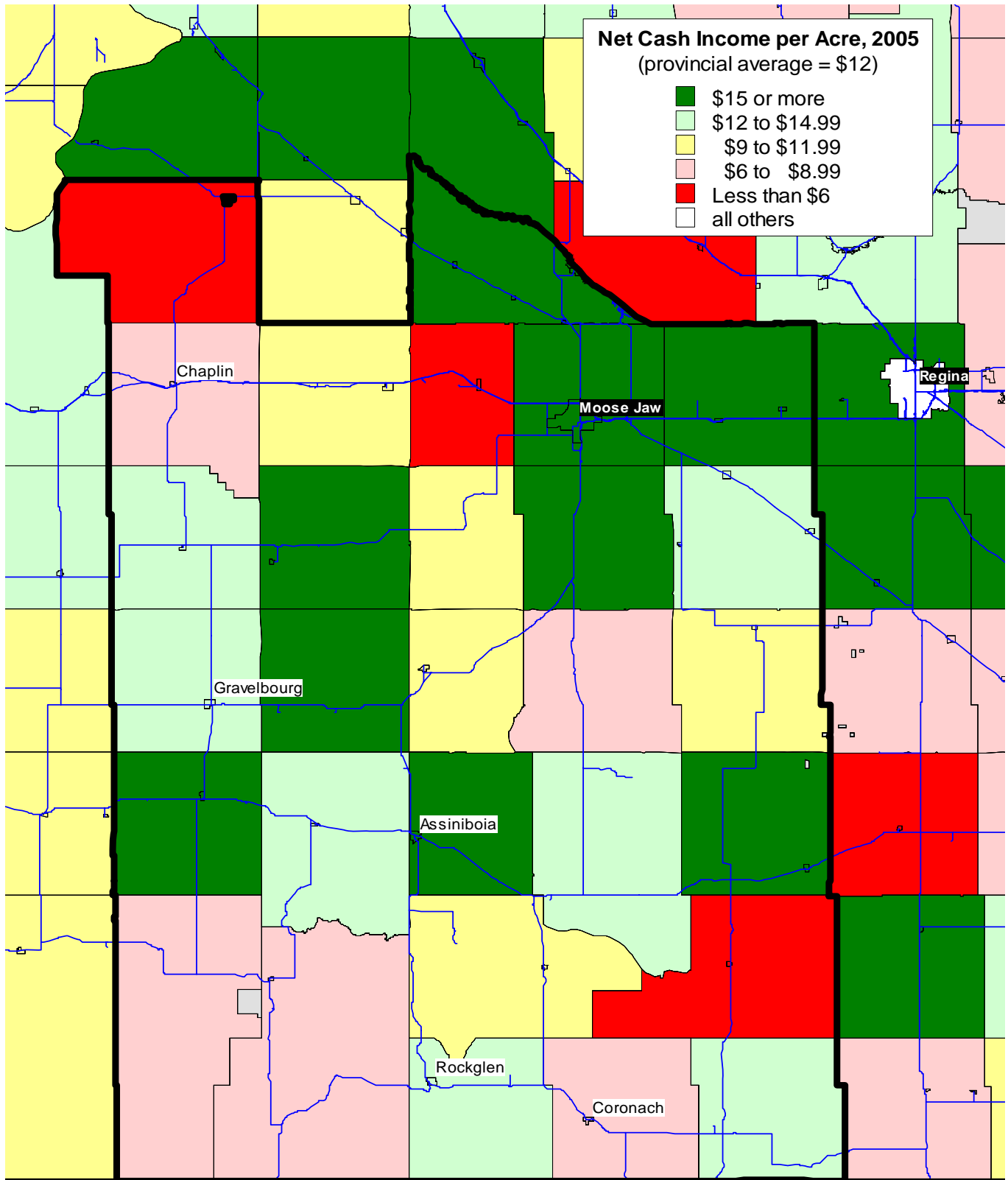
**Change in Number of Farms, 2001 to 2006, by Rural Municipality**



**Gross Revenue per Acre in 2000**



**Net Cash Income per Acre in 2000**



**Percentage of Operators 55 Years of Age and Older, 2006**

