

1997 Census of Agriculture County Profile

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SAN BENITO CALIFORNIA

Land in farms

Decreased 15 percent from 600,073 acres in 1992 to 511,571 acres in 1997.

Average size of farms

Decreased 7 percent from 982 acres in 1992 to 910 acres in 1997.

Full time farms

Decreased 3 percent from 319 farms in 1992 to 310 farms in 1997.

Market value of agricultural products sold

Increased 45 percent to \$156,707,000 in 1997.

Crop sales accounted for 85 percent of the market value.

Livestock sales accounted for 15 percent of the market value.

Market value of agricultural products sold, average per farm

Increased 57 percent from \$177,446 in 1992 to \$278,838 in 1997.

