

1997 Census of Agriculture County Profile

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LA PLATA COLORADO

Land in farms

Decreased 1 percent from 587,339 acres in 1992 to 580,135 acres in 1997.

Average size of farms

Decreased 10 percent from 828 acres in 1992 to 743 acres in 1997.

Full time farms

Decreased 5 percent from 355 farms in 1992 to 339 farms in 1997.

Market value of agricultural products sold

Increased 11 percent to \$15,797,000 in 1997.

Crop sales accounted for 31 percent of the market value.

Livestock sales accounted for 69 percent of the market value.

Market value of agricultural products sold, average per farm

Increased slightly from \$20,096 in 1992 to \$20,227 in 1997.

