

1997 Census of Agriculture County Profile

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Colorado Agricultural Statistics Service



WELD COLORADO

Land in farms

Decreased 8 percent from 2,086,292 acres in 1992 to 1,913,603 acres in 1997.

Average size of farms

Decreased 10 percent from 717 acres in 1992 to 647 acres in 1997.

Full time farms

Decreased 9 percent from 1,870 farms in 1992 to 1,698 farms in 1997.

Market value of agricultural products sold

Increased 9 percent to \$1,286,636,000 in 1997.

Crop sales accounted for 16 percent of the market value.

Livestock sales accounted for 84 percent of the market value.

Market value of agricultural products sold, average per farm

Increased 7 percent from \$405,661 in 1992 to \$434,821 in 1997.

