

1997 Census of Agriculture County Profile

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BEN HILL GEORGIA

Land in farms

Increased 13 percent from 47,071 acres in 1992 to 53,325 acres in 1997.

Average size of farms

Increased 30 percent from 257 acres in 1992 to 335 acres in 1997.

Full time farms

Decreased 20 percent from 115 farms in 1992 to 92 farms in 1997.

Market value of agricultural products sold

Increased 15 percent to \$16,381,000 in 1997.

Crop sales accounted for 76 percent of the market value.

Livestock sales accounted for 24 percent of the market value.

Market value of agricultural products sold, average per farm

Increased 32 percent from \$77,832 in 1992 to \$103,025 in 1997.

