

1997 Census of Agriculture County Profile

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Land in farms

Increased 6 percent from 268,520 acres in 1992 to 285,724 acres in 1997.

Average size of farms

Increased 9 percent from 270 acres in 1992 to 294 acres in 1997.

Full time farms

Decreased 22 percent from 568 farms in 1992 to 442 farms in 1997.

Market value of agricultural products sold

Increased 12 percent to \$73,114,000 in 1997.

Crop sales accounted for 61 percent of the market value.

Livestock sales accounted for 39 percent of the market value.

Market value of agricultural products sold, average per farm

Increased 15 percent from \$65,503 in 1992 to \$75,298 in 1997.

