

# 1997 Census of Agriculture County Profile

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### Land in farms

Increased 3 percent from 331,211 acres in 1992 to 340,885 acres in 1997.

### Average size of farms

Increased 7 percent from 335 acres in 1992 to 360 acres in 1997.

### Full time farms

Decreased 14 percent from 623 farms in 1992 to 536 farms in 1997.

### Market value of agricultural products sold

Increased 23 percent to \$130,832,000 in 1997.

Crop sales accounted for 72 percent of the market value.

Livestock sales accounted for 28 percent of the market value.

### Market value of agricultural products sold, average per farm

Increased 29 percent from \$107,250 in 1992 to \$138,300 in 1997.

