

# 1997 Census of Agriculture County Profile

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## BERRIEN MICHIGAN

### Land in farms

Increased 4 percent from 166,886 acres in 1992 to 173,958 acres in 1997.

### Average size of farms

Increased 16 percent from 127 acres in 1992 to 147 acres in 1997.

### Full time farms

Decreased 15 percent from 751 farms in 1992 to 641 farms in 1997.

### Market value of agricultural products sold

Increased 19 percent to \$81,376,000 in 1997.

Crop sales accounted for 89 percent of the market value.

Livestock sales accounted for 11 percent of the market value.

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

Increased 32 percent from \$51,999 in 1992 to \$68,846 in 1997.

