

1997 Census of Agriculture State Profile

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Land in farms

Decreased slightly from 10,188,362 acres in 1992 to 10,124,822 acres in 1997.

Average size of farms

Increased 2 percent from 318 acres in 1992 to 323 acres in 1997.

Full time farms

Decreased 12 percent from 14,463 farms in 1992 to 12,753 farms in 1997.

Market value of agricultural products sold

Increased 34 percent to \$3,127,383,000 in 1997.

Crop sales accounted for 41 percent of the market value.

Livestock sales accounted for 59 percent of the market value.

Market value of agricultural products sold, average per farm

Increased 37 percent from \$73,028 in 1992 to \$99,859 in 1997.

