

1997 Census of Agriculture County Profile

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Land in farms

Decreased 7 percent from 1,166,009 acres in 1992 to 1,081,057 acres in 1997.

Average size of farms

Increased 6 percent from 2,444 acres in 1992 to 2,592 acres in 1997.

Full time farms

Decreased 6 percent from 212 farms in 1992 to 200 farms in 1997.

Market value of agricultural products sold

Decreased slightly

Crop sales accounted for 36 percent of the market value.

Livestock sales accounted for 64 percent of the market value.

Market value of agricultural products sold, average per farm

Increased 13 percent from \$20,522 in 1992 to \$23,247 in 1997.

