

# 1997 Census of Agriculture County Profile

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## RUTHERFORD TENNESSEE

### Land in farms

Decreased 2 percent from 200,097 acres in 1992 to 195,295 acres in 1997.

### Average size of farms

Decreased 13 percent from 141 acres in 1992 to 123 acres in 1997.

### Full time farms

Increased 2 percent from 508 farms in 1992 to 518 farms in 1997.

### Market value of agricultural products sold

Decreased 6 percent to \$19,841,000 in 1997.

Crop sales accounted for 23 percent of the market value.

Livestock sales accounted for 77 percent of the market value.

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

Decreased 17 percent from \$14,940 in 1992 to \$12,471 in 1997.

