

1997 Census of Agriculture County Profile

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West Virginia Agricultural Statistics Service



WETZEL WEST VIRGINIA

Land in farms

Increased 29 percent from 37,130 acres in 1992 to 47,771 acres in 1997.

Average size of farms

Decreased 2 percent from 187 acres in 1992 to 184 acres in 1997.

Full time farms

Increased 34 percent from 62 farms in 1992 to 83 farms in 1997.

Market value of agricultural products sold

Decreased 11 percent to \$735,000 in 1997.

Crop sales accounted for 26 percent of the market value.

Livestock sales accounted for 74 percent of the market value.

Market value of agricultural products sold, average per farm

Decreased 32 percent from \$4,165 in 1992 to \$2,826 in 1997.

