

ELMORE COUNTY, AL

Information based on Congressional Districts of the 106th U.S. Congress, 1997

	1997	1992	1987
Farms			
Number	560	519	622
Acreage	124,260	104,364	128,572
Average size (acres)	222	201	207
Median size (acres)	100	N	N
Estimated market value average per farm			
Land/buildings (dollars)	378,369	188,213	151,760
Machinery/equip (dollars)	35,413	29,943	25,389
Cropland (acres)			
Total	61,970	59,477	69,696
Harvested	34,685	30,033	31,734
Irrigated	890	964	1,025
Agricultural products sold - market value			
(\$1,000)	19,419	17,862	17,299
(dollars avg. per farm)	34,677	34,416	27,811
Agricultural sales - Net cash return per farm			
(dollars average)	6,233	6,029	2,644
Livestock inventory (number)			
Cattle and calves	19,916	18,179	21,483
Beef cows	9,849	8,980	10,989
Milk cows	895	1,501	1,170
Hogs and pigs	D	7,049	5,676
Sheep and lambs	194	96	D
Layers 13 wks or older	D	D	580
Broilers and chicken (sold)	0	D	1,029,000
Harvested commodities (acres)			
Com, grain or seed	2,167	1,357	1,323
Com, silage or green chop	N	N	N
Sorghum, grain or seed	N	N	N
Wheat	640	590	924
Barley	N	N	N
Oats	N	N	N
Rice	N	N	N
Sunflower seed	N	N	N
Cotton	19,393	18,561	18,389
Tobacco	N	N	N
Soybeans	1,371	469	1,112
Dry edible beans, excl lima	N	N	N
Potatoes, excl sweet potatoes	N	N	N
Sugar beets for sugar	N	N	N
Sugarcane for sugar	N	N	N
Peanuts for nuts	0	0	0
Hay-alfalfa	10,284	7,891	8,502
Vegetables			
Number of farms	N	N	N
Acreage	N	N	N

ELMORE COUNTY, AL

Information based on Congressional Districts of the 106th U.S. Congress, 1997

	1997	1992	1987
Orchards			
Number of farms	N	N	N
Acreage	N	N	N

Abbreviations/footnotes:

N represents zero.

0 represents an insignificant amount.

D-W withheld to avoid disclosing data for individual farms.

Source: USDA, NASS, 1997 Census of Agriculture