

LANIER COUNTY, GA

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

	1997	1992	1987
Farms			
Number	92	107	130
Acreage	42,890	40,955	50,529
Average size (acres)	466	383	389
Median size (acres)	110	N	N
Estimated market value average per farm			
Land/buildings (dollars)	470,067	326,318	212,092
Machinery/equip (dollars)	38,678	40,153	60,838
Cropland (acres)			
Total	14,595	21,194	18,059
Harvested	12,064	15,431	12,839
Irrigated	623	5,888	3,789
Agricultural products sold - market value			
(\$1,000)	7,291	16,254	11,660
(dollars avg. per farm)	79,245	151,907	89,696
Agricultural sales - Net cash return per farm			
(dollars average)	12,043	32,716	11,742
Livestock inventory (number)			
Cattle and calves	2,079	1,928	1,994
Beef cows	1,122	879	D
Milk cows	0	0	D
Hogs and pigs	1,368	3,657	1,797
Sheep and lambs	0	0	0
Layers 13 wks or older	D	75	47
Broilers and chicken (sold)	0	626,250	1,798,000
Harvested commodities (acres)			
Com, grain or seed	2,189	3,780	2,812
Com, silage or green chop	N	N	N
Sorghum, grain or seed	N	N	N
Wheat	D	0	0
Barley	N	N	N
Oats	N	N	N
Rice	N	N	N
Sunflower seed	N	N	N
Cotton	7,340	1,335	285
Tobacco	420	974	618
Soybeans	526	2,668	3,987
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	115	410	D
Hay-alfalfa	601	483	365
Vegetables			
Number of farms	N	N	N
Acreage	N	N	N

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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