

MARDON COUNTY, GA

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

	1997	1992	1987
Farms			
Number	147	133	128
Acreage	51,645	45,448	41,517
Average size (acres)	351	342	324
Median size (acres)	200	N	N
Estimated market value average per farm			
Land/buildings (dollars)	369,430	219,764	159,172
Machinery/equip (dollars)	37,396	39,109	32,158
Cropland (acres)			
Total	18,247	20,675	16,573
Harvested	10,752	8,578	7,767
Irrigated	1,301	627	1,405
Agricultural products sold - market value			
(\$1,000)	33,642	11,744	8,448
(dollars avg. per farm)	228,854	88,299	66,001
Agricultural sales - Net cash return per farm			
(dollars average)	41,505	12,527	6,136
Livestock inventory (number)			
Cattle and calves	4,072	2,981	3,390
Beef cows	D	1,861	D
Milk cows	D	63	D
Hogs and pigs	516	2,926	2,418
Sheep and lambs	0	D	D
Layers 13 wks or older	D	D	D
Broilers and chicken (sold)	5,858,000	5,392,307	2,391,500
Harvested commodities (acres)			
Com, grain or seed	1,132	1,229	385
Com, silage or green chop	N	N	N
Sorghum, grain or seed	N	N	N
Wheat	1,003	449	1,538
Barley	N	N	N
Oats	N	N	N
Rice	N	N	N
Sunflower seed	N	N	N
Cotton	1,399	0	0
Tobacco	0	0	0
Soybeans	2,001	622	1,343
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	2,259	3,477	2,455
Hay-alfalfa	2,178	1,617	1,542
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