

PAULDING COUNTY, GA

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

	1997	1992	1987
Farms			
Number	218	220	275
Acreage	18,369	18,644	25,751
Average size (acres)	84	85	94
Median size (acres)	48	N	N
Estimated market value average per farm			
Land/buildings (dollars)	347,442	240,380	198,538
Machinery/equip (dollars)	18,534	14,725	11,052
Cropland (acres)			
Total	7,709	8,942	11,075
Harvested	2,903	2,671	3,590
Irrigated	36	6	D
Agricultural products sold - market value			
(\$1,000)	11,171	9,248	9,543
(dollars avg. per farm)	51,241	42,039	34,700
Agricultural sales - Net cash return per farm			
(dollars average)	-1,451	3,799	318
Livestock inventory (number)			
Cattle and calves	2,984	4,288	5,458
Beef cows	1,702	D	D
Milk cows	91	D	D
Hogs and pigs	123	18	64
Sheep and lambs	D	0	D
Layers 13 wks or older	D	D	202
Broilers and chicken (sold)	5,120,864	5,931,434	6,848,577
Harvested commodities (acres)			
Com, grain or seed	D	D	31
Com, silage or green chop	N	N	N
Sorghum, grain or seed	N	N	N
Wheat	0	D	D
Barley	N	N	N
Oats	N	N	N
Rice	N	N	N
Sunflower seed	N	N	N
Cotton	0	0	0
Tobacco	0	0	0
Soybeans	0	0	0
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	D
Hay-alfalfa	2,864	2,557	3,486
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