

W ALTON COUNTY, GA

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

	1997	1992	1987
Farms			
Number	493	434	469
Acreage	59,824	55,779	65,220
Average size (acres)	121	129	139
Median size (acres)	60	N	N
Estimated market value average per farm			
Land/buildings (dollars)	449,024	292,592	271,145
Machinery/equip (dollars)	25,000	16,539	21,882
Cropland (acres)			
Total	31,045	28,568	34,266
Harvested	12,551	11,294	14,738
Irrigated	829	480	333
Agricultural products sold - market value			
(\$1,000)	29,226	17,405	15,520
(dollars avg. per farm)	59,281	40,103	33,092
Agricultural sales - Net cash return per farm			
(dollars average)	8,028	1,913	2,537
Livestock inventory (number)			
Cattle and calves	11,979	11,218	11,946
Beef cows	6,086	5,991	6,477
Milk cows	45	176	291
Hogs and pigs	219	D	995
Sheep and lambs	145	D	D
Layers 13 wks or older	161,009	D	126,160
Broilers and chicken (sold)	8,973,250	7,302,371	6,659,084
Harvested commodities (acres)			
Com, grain or seed	62	252	167
Com, silage or green chop	N	N	N
Sorghum, grain or seed	N	N	N
Wheat	1,671	1,742	3,194
Barley	N	N	N
Oats	N	N	N
Rice	N	N	N
Sunflower seed	N	N	N
Cotton	D	0	0
Tobacco	0	0	0
Soybeans	678	1,237	2,525
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	7,984	6,927	8,480
Vegetables			
Number of farms	N	N	N
Acreage	N	N	N

WALTON COUNTY, GA

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