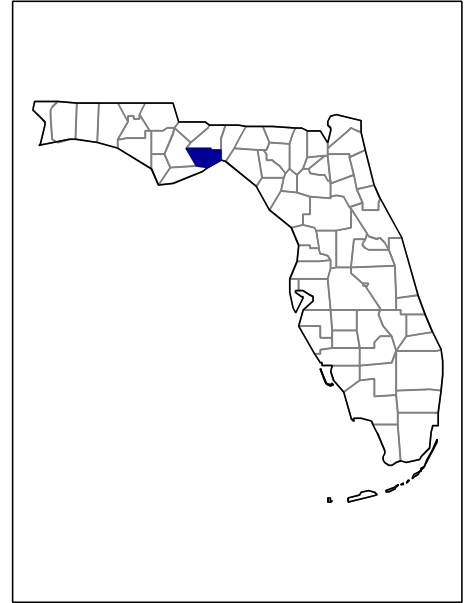


# 2002 Census of Agriculture County Profile

## Wakulla, Florida



### Number of farms

126 farms in 2002, 126 farms in 1997, unchanged.

### Land in farms

10,900 acres in 2002, 11,890 acres in 1997, down 8 percent.

### Average size of farm

87 acres in 2002, 94 acres in 1997, down 7 percent.

### Market Value of Production

\$1,584,000 in 2002, \$3,409,000 in 1997, down 54 percent.

Crop sales accounted for \$642,000 of the total value in 2002.

Livestock sales accounted for \$942,000 of the total value in 2002.

### Market Value of Production, average per farm

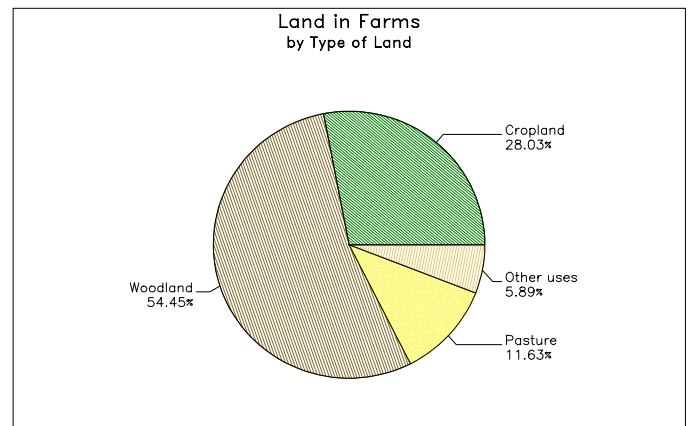
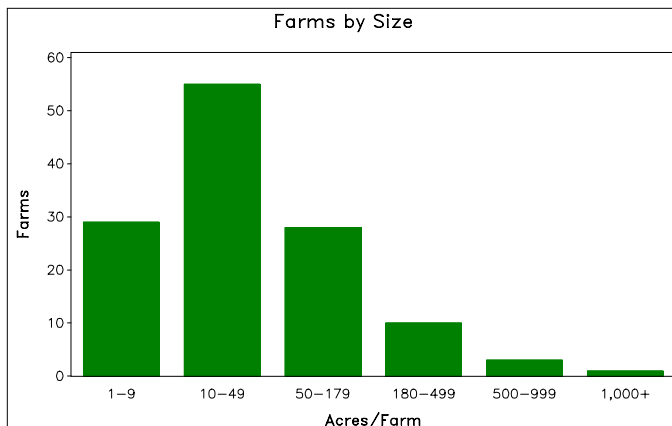
\$12,571 in 2002, \$27,059 in 1997, down 54 percent.

### Government Payments

\$34,000 in 2002, (D) in 1997.

### Government Payments, average per farm receiving payments

\$5,636 in 2002, (D) in 1997.



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**Ranked items among the 67 state counties and 3,078 U.S. counties, 2002**

Item	Quantity	State Rank	Universe <sup>1</sup>	U.S. Rank	Universe <sup>1</sup>
<b>MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)</b>					
Total value of agricultural products sold	1,584	64	67	2,972	3,075
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	642	64	66	2,855	3,070
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	942	63	67	2,880	3,070
<b>VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)</b>					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	(D)	(D)	49	(D)	2,871
Tobacco	-	-	14	-	560
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	12	-	656
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	(D)	(D)	62	(D)	2,747
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	(D)	(D)	65	(D)	2,638
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	355	60	65	1,580	2,708
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	-	-	36	-	1,774
Other crops and hay	132	44	61	2,707	3,046
Poultry and eggs	6	51	66	2,148	2,918
Cattle and calves	272	61	66	2,868	3,053
Milk and other dairy products from cows	-	-	52	-	2,493
Hogs and pigs	(D)	(D)	61	(D)	2,919
Sheep, goats, and their products	(D)	(D)	65	(D)	2,997
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	12	62	64	2,874	3,014
Aquaculture	-	-	53	-	1,520
Other animals and other animal products	554	14	65	245	2,727
<b>TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)</b>					
Colonies of bees	9,100	7	64	50	2,392
Quail	(D)	7	37	(D)	1,412
Cattle and calves	1,159	62	66	2,911	3,059
Hogs and pigs	454	24	62	1,682	2,926
All Goats	388	31	64	1,232	2,971
<b>TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)</b>					
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	600	53	65	2,938	3,059
Peanuts	(D)	19	30	(D)	398
All Vegetables harvested	51	54	62	1,577	2,710
Corn for grain	(D)	31	38	(D)	2,592
Southern peas	(D)	15	35	(D)	625

**Other County Highlights**

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	50	Farming	61
\$1,000 to \$2,499	28	Other	65
\$2,500 to \$4,999	6		
\$5,000 to \$9,999	7	Principal operators by sex:	
\$10,000 to \$19,999	18	Male	103
\$20,000 to \$24,999	-	Female	23
\$25,000 to \$39,999	3		
\$40,000 to \$49,999	3	Average age of principal operator (years)	55.7
\$50,000 to \$99,999	8		
\$100,000 to \$249,999	3	All operators <sup>2</sup> by race:	
\$250,000 to \$499,999	-	White	160
\$500,000 or more	-	Black or African American	19
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	1,755	American Indian or Alaska Native	-
Average per farm (\$)	13,930	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
		Asian	-
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	-101	More than one race	-
Average per farm (\$)	-801	All operators <sup>2</sup> of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin	12

(D) Cannot be disclosed. (Z) Less than half of the unit shown. See "Census of Agriculture, Volume 1, Geographic Area Series" for complete footnotes.

<sup>1</sup> Universe is number of counties in state or U.S. with item.

<sup>2</sup> Data were collected for a maximum of three operators per farm.