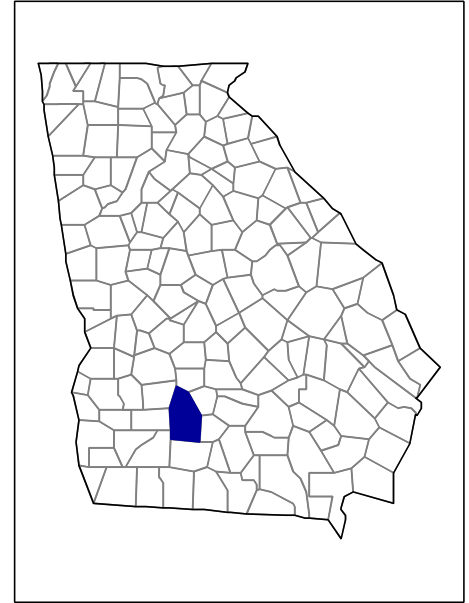


# 2002 Census of Agriculture County Profile

## Worth, Georgia



### Number of farms

487 farms in 2002, 482 farms in 1997, up 1 percent.

### Land in farms

179,110 acres in 2002, 198,559 acres in 1997, down 10 percent.

### Average size of farm

368 acres in 2002, 412 acres in 1997, down 11 percent.

### Market Value of Production

\$38,490,000 in 2002, \$67,444,000 in 1997, down 43 percent.

Crop sales accounted for \$31,081,000 of the total value in 2002.

Livestock sales accounted for \$7,409,000 of the total value in 2002.

### Market Value of Production, average per farm

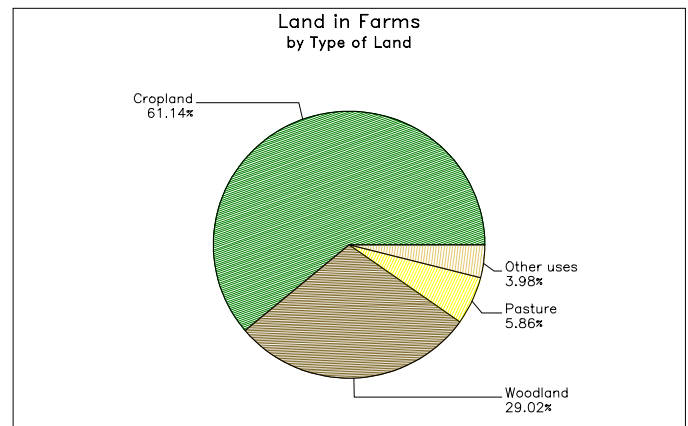
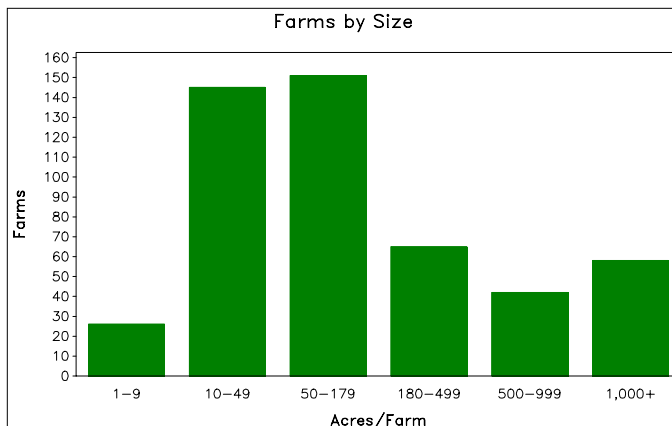
\$79,035 in 2002, \$139,926 in 1997, down 44 percent.

### Government Payments

\$4,353,000 in 2002, \$1,432,000 in 1997, up 204 percent.

### Government Payments, average per farm receiving payments

\$17,274 in 2002, \$7,270 in 1997, up 138 percent.



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**Ranked items among the 159 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	38,490	42	159	1,471	3,075
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	31,081	13	159	839	3,070
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	7,409	76	159	2,094	3,070
<b>VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)</b>					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	1,171	30	150	1,735	2,871
Tobacco	2,026	16	50	185	560
Cotton and cottonseed	10,559	7	93	92	656
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	3,762	19	149	373	2,747
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	(D)	(D)	151	(D)	2,638
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	(D)	(D)	148	(D)	2,708
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	-	-	84	-	1,774
Other crops and hay	11,486	7	158	122	3,046
Poultry and eggs	3,786	26	142	675	2,918
Cattle and calves	(D)	(D)	159	(D)	3,053
Milk and other dairy products from cows	(D)	(D)	111	(D)	2,493
Hogs and pigs	25	77	135	1,959	2,919
Sheep, goats, and their products	42	9	152	1,387	2,997
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	39	87	151	2,484	3,014
Aquaculture	-	-	64	-	1,520
Other animals and other animal products	(D)	(D)	108	(D)	2,727
<b>TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)</b>					
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	289,800	76	111	438	2,599
Cattle and calves	12,476	33	159	1,881	3,059
Quail	(D)	20	52	(D)	1,412
Sheep and lambs	(D)	1	111	(D)	2,867
All Goats	461	60	155	1,064	2,971
<b>TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)</b>					
All Cotton	48,641	3	93	75	663
Peanuts	27,449	1	79	4	398
Corn for grain	3,344	28	145	1,420	2,592
All Wheat for grain	2,846	21	129	1,150	2,517
All Vegetables harvested	2,084	15	149	275	2,710

**Other County Highlights**

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	168	Farming	242
\$1,000 to \$2,499	41	Other	245
\$2,500 to \$4,999	44	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	54	Male	430
\$10,000 to \$19,999	34	Female	57
\$20,000 to \$24,999	13	Average age of principal operator (years)	54.8
\$25,000 to \$39,999	27	All operators <sup>2</sup> by race:	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	3	White	635
\$50,000 to \$99,999	20	Black or African American	20
\$100,000 to \$249,999	29	American Indian or Alaska Native	5
\$250,000 to \$499,999	30	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	24	Asian	-
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	42,806	More than one race	2
Average per farm (\$)	87,359	All operators <sup>2</sup> of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin	6
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	2,584		
Average per farm (\$)	5,274		

(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.