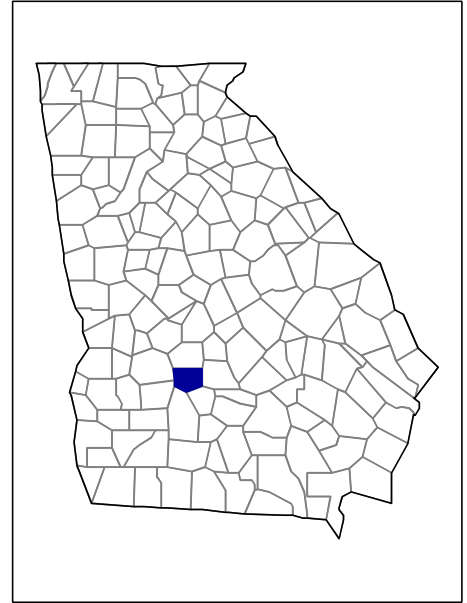


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Number of farms

223 farms in 2002, 243 farms in 1997, down 8 percent.

Land in farms

103,917 acres in 2002, 117,791 acres in 1997, down 12 percent.

Average size of farm

466 acres in 2002, 485 acres in 1997, down 4 percent.

Market Value of Production

\$28,346,000 in 2002, \$43,705,000 in 1997, down 35 percent.

Crop sales accounted for \$25,436,000 of the total value in 2002.

Livestock sales accounted for \$2,911,000 of the total value in 2002.

Market Value of Production, average per farm

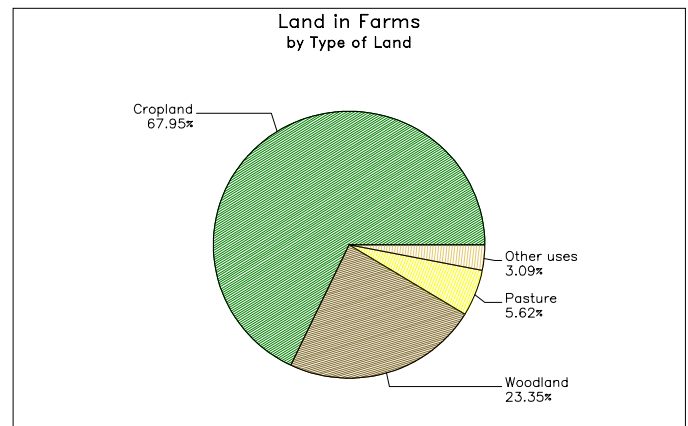
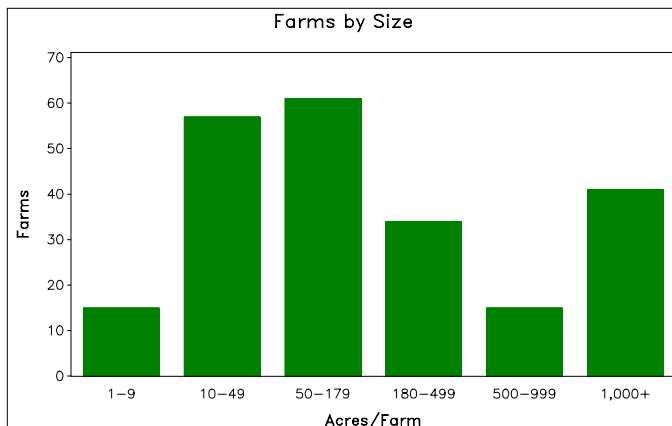
\$127,114 in 2002, \$179,855 in 1997, down 29 percent.

Government Payments

\$1,952,000 in 2002, \$879,000 in 1997, up 122 percent.

Government Payments, average per farm receiving payments

\$16,546 in 2002, \$7,780 in 1997, up 113 percent.



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Ranked items among the 159 state counties and 3,078 U.S. counties, 2002

Item	Quantity	State Rank	Universe ¹	U.S. Rank	Universe ¹
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)					
Total value of agricultural products sold	28,346	54	159	1,764	3,075
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	25,436	17	159	990	3,070
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	2,911	109	159	2,585	3,070
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	526	53	150	1,990	2,871
Tobacco	-	-	50	-	560
Cotton and cottonseed	8,015	13	93	120	656
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	8,404	12	149	196	2,747
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	3,824	8	151	168	2,638
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	(D)	(D)	148	(D)	2,708
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	(D)	(D)	84	(D)	1,774
Other crops and hay	4,275	21	158	286	3,046
Poultry and eggs	(D)	(D)	142	(D)	2,918
Cattle and calves	951	93	159	2,568	3,053
Milk and other dairy products from cows	(D)	(D)	111	(D)	2,493
Hogs and pigs	(D)	(D)	135	(D)	2,919
Sheep, goats, and their products	1	141	152	2,902	2,997
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	9	139	151	2,921	3,014
Aquaculture	(D)	(D)	64	(D)	1,520
Other animals and other animal products	(D)	(D)	108	(D)	2,727
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	(D)	81	111	(D)	2,599
Cattle and calves	5,534	96	159	2,470	3,059
Hogs and pigs	(D)	19	141	(D)	2,926
Colonies of bees	(D)	17	96	(D)	2,392
Horses and ponies	345	83	158	2,500	3,065
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
All Cotton	37,203	9	93	97	663
Peanuts	13,167	14	79	29	398
Pecans	4,097	8	139	24	1,194
All Vegetables harvested	3,982	11	149	164	2,710
Watermelons	3,216	1	112	5	1,753

Other County Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	62	Farming	124
\$1,000 to \$2,499	25	Other	99
\$2,500 to \$4,999	17	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	14	Male	201
\$10,000 to \$19,999	12	Female	22
\$20,000 to \$24,999	5	Average age of principal operator (years)	53.9
\$25,000 to \$39,999	19	All operators ² by race:	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	3	White	289
\$50,000 to \$99,999	14	Black or African American	5
\$100,000 to \$249,999	11	American Indian or Alaska Native	-
\$250,000 to \$499,999	23	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	18	Asian	-
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	27,660	More than one race	1
Average per farm (\$)	123,480	All operators ² of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin	2
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	3,721		
Average per farm (\$)	16,612		

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

¹ Universe is number of counties in state or U.S. with item.

² Data were collected for a maximum of three operators per farm.