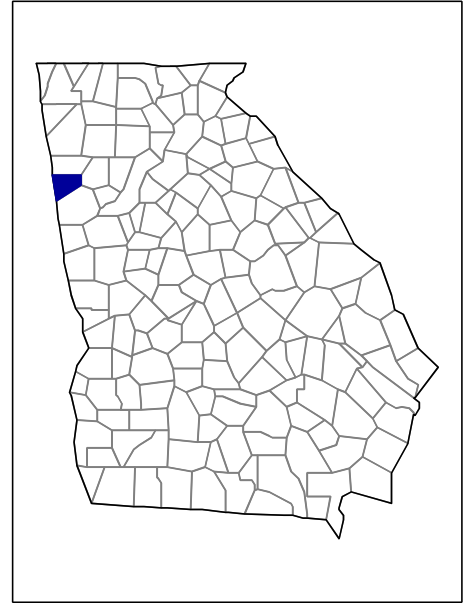


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Number of farms

332 farms in 2002, 337 farms in 1997, down 1 percent.

Land in farms

39,995 acres in 2002, 35,802 acres in 1997, up 12 percent.

Average size of farm

120 acres in 2002, 106 acres in 1997, up 13 percent.

Market Value of Production

\$18,960,000 in 2002, \$17,382,000 in 1997, up 9 percent.

Crop sales accounted for \$650,000 of the total value in 2002.

Livestock sales accounted for \$18,310,000 of the total value in 2002.

Market Value of Production, average per farm

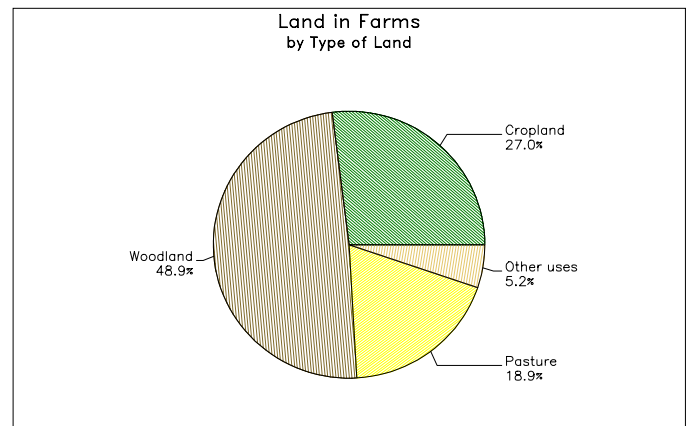
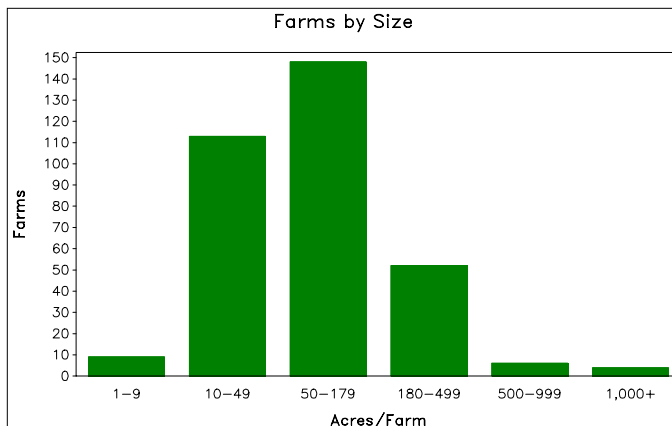
\$57,110 in 2002, \$51,579 in 1997, up 11 percent.

Government Payments

\$101,000 in 2002, \$41,000 in 1997, up 146 percent.

Government Payments, average per farm receiving payments

\$1,833 in 2002, \$1,420 in 1997, up 29 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	18,960	84	159	2,137	3,075
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	650	138	159	2,849	3,070
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	18,310	48	159	1,373	3,070
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	138	88	150	2,307	2,871
Tobacco	-	-	50	-	560
Cotton and cottonseed	(D)	(D)	93	(D)	656
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	124	77	149	1,606	2,747
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	13	138	151	2,124	2,638
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	145	114	148	1,954	2,708
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	(D)	(D)	84	(D)	1,774
Other crops and hay	189	101	158	2,556	3,046
Poultry and eggs	17,094	42	142	336	2,918
Cattle and calves	1,067	85	159	2,519	3,053
Milk and other dairy products from cows	-	-	111	-	2,493
Hogs and pigs	(D)	(D)	135	(D)	2,919
Sheep, goats, and their products	77	2	152	964	2,997
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	70	65	151	2,105	3,014
Aquaculture	-	-	64	-	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	1,126,828	47	111	268	2,599
Cattle and calves	6,409	81	159	2,386	3,059
All Goats	1,992	2	155	185	2,971
Horses and ponies	595	42	158	1,952	3,065
Mules, burros, and donkeys	145	1	127	128	2,649
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	3,548	70	159	2,510	3,059
Soybeans	(D)	45	111	(D)	2,076
Corn for grain	(D)	93	145	(D)	2,592
All Wheat for grain	(D)	111	129	(D)	2,517
All Cotton	(D)	88	93	(D)	663

Other County Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales	
Less than \$1,000	111
\$1,000 to \$2,499	75
\$2,500 to \$4,999	38
\$5,000 to \$9,999	55
\$10,000 to \$19,999	19
\$20,000 to \$24,999	4
\$25,000 to \$39,999	8
\$40,000 to \$49,999	3
\$50,000 to \$99,999	3
\$100,000 to \$249,999	2
\$250,000 to \$499,999	2
\$500,000 or more	12
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	13,431
Average per farm (\$)	40,091
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	4,616
Average per farm (\$)	13,778

Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Farming	152
Other	180
Principal operators by sex:	
Male	285
Female	47
Average age of principal operator (years)	57.4
All operators ² by race:	
White	439
Black or African American	-
American Indian or Alaska Native	-
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
Asian	-
More than one race	-
All operators ² of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin	4

(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.