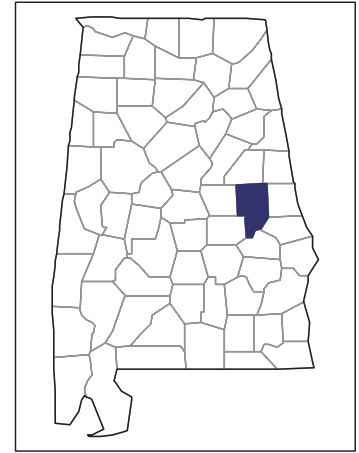


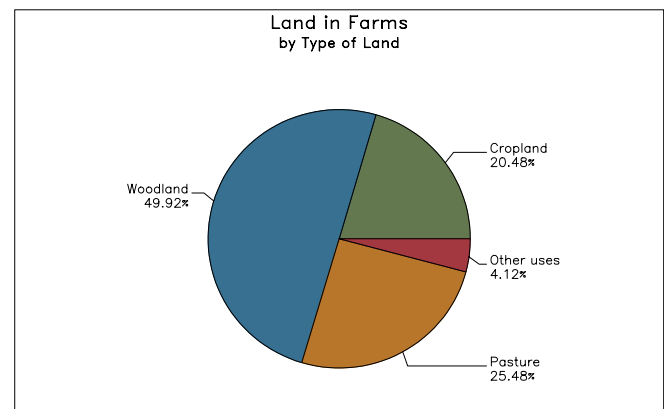
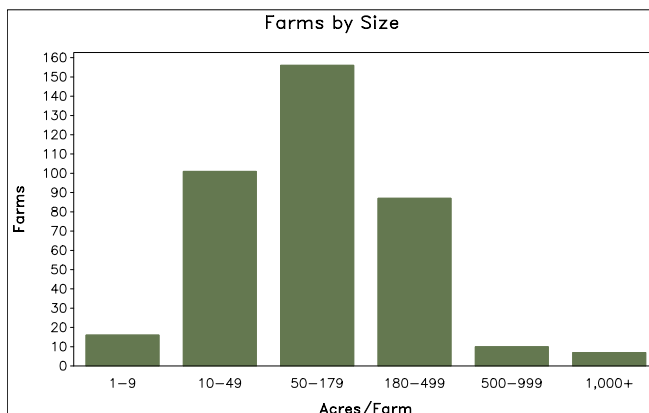
2007 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

County Profile

Tallapoosa County Alabama



	2007	2002	% change
Number of Farms	377	377	0
Land in Farms	64,078 acres	78,082 acres	- 18
Average Size of Farm	170 acres	207 acres	- 18
Market Value of Products Sold	\$6,616,000	\$5,183,000	+ 28
Crop Sales \$1,395,000 (21 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$5,220,000 (79 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$17,548	\$13,747	+ 28
Government Payments	\$324,000	\$134,000	+ 142
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$5,233	\$2,739	+ 91



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County Profile

Tallapoosa County – Alabama

Ranked items among the 67 state counties and 3,079 U.S. counties, 2007

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	6,616	62	67	2,743	3,076
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	1,395	56	67	2,706	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	5,220	57	67	2,411	3,069
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	(D)	41	67	(D)	2,933
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	437
Cotton and cottonseed	(D)	39	51	(D)	626
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	(D)	(D)	67	(D)	2,796
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	144	37	67	1,237	2,659
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	327	44	62	1,606	2,703
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	(D)	29	30	(D)	1,710
Other crops and hay	(D)	65	67	(D)	3,054
Poultry and eggs	(D)	45	67	(D)	3,020
Cattle and calves	2,030	58	67	2,294	3,054
Milk and other dairy products from cows	15	40	51	2,290	2,493
Hogs and pigs	1	61	65	2,807	2,922
Sheep, goats, and their products	36	31	67	1,899	2,998
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	44	52	67	2,289	3,024
Aquaculture	29	23	56	867	1,498
Other animals and other animal products	(D)	(D)	64	(D)	2,875
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	4,189	65	67	2,423	3,060
Cotton, all	(D)	43	51	(D)	627
Corn for grain	665	52	67	1,988	2,634
Pecans, all	(D)	27	63	(D)	1,315
Land in berries	57	3	59	307	2,237
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	245,014	42	61	470	2,476
Cattle and calves	6,754	58	67	2,278	3,060
Quail	(D)	23	52	(D)	1,386
Colonies of bees	(D)	1	64	(D)	2,640
Goats, all	1,052	32	67	714	3,023

Other County Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	121	Farming	122
\$1,000 to \$2,499	63	Other	255
\$2,500 to \$4,999	59		
\$5,000 to \$9,999	44	Principal operators by sex:	
\$10,000 to \$19,999	62	Male	342
\$20,000 to \$24,999	9	Female	35
\$25,000 to \$39,999	2		
\$40,000 to \$49,999	2	Average age of principal operator (years)	54.9
\$50,000 to \$99,999	7		
\$100,000 to \$249,999	4	All operators by race ² :	
\$250,000 to \$499,999	-	American Indian or Alaska Native	9
\$500,000 or more	4	Asian	2
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	7,945	Black or African American	8
Average per farm (\$)	21,074	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
		White	530
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	-406	More than one race	8
Average per farm (\$)	-1,076	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin ²	1

See "Census of Agriculture, Volume 1, Geographic Area Series" for complete footnotes, explanations, definitions, and methodology.

(D) Cannot be disclosed. (Z) Less than half of the unit shown.

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.