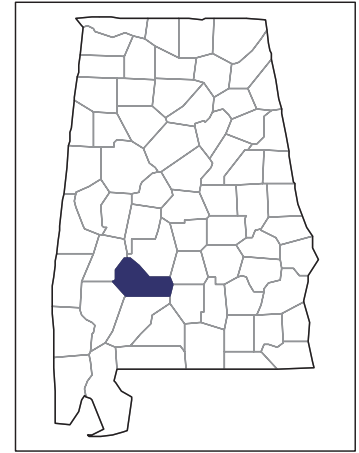


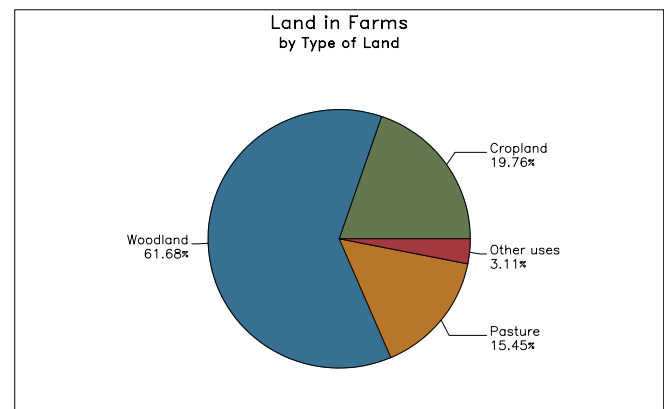
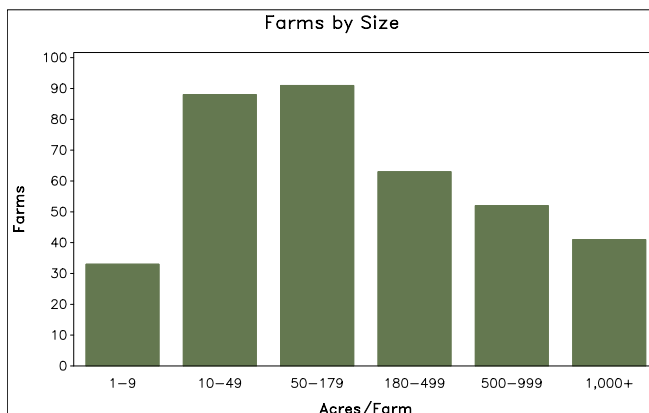
2007 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

County Profile

Wilcox County Alabama



	2007	2002	% change
Number of Farms	368	306	+ 20
Land in Farms	168,849 acres	160,041 acres	+ 6
Average Size of Farm	459 acres	523 acres	- 12
Market Value of Products Sold	\$7,611,000	\$5,043,000	+ 51
Crop Sales \$1,652,000 (22 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$5,959,000 (78 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$20,682	\$16,480	+ 25
Government Payments	\$1,126,000	\$1,058,000	+ 6
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$6,585	\$8,204	- 20



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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	7,611	61	67	2,711	3,076
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	1,652	52	67	2,651	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	5,959	55	67	2,358	3,069
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	280	44	67	2,270	2,933
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	437
Cotton and cottonseed	(D)	35	51	(D)	626
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	134	39	67	1,695	2,796
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	(D)	(D)	67	(D)	2,659
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	(D)	60	62	(D)	2,703
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	-	-	30	-	1,710
Other crops and hay	772	44	67	1,791	3,054
Poultry and eggs	12	64	67	2,375	3,020
Cattle and calves	5,571	28	67	1,631	3,054
Milk and other dairy products from cows	-	-	51	-	2,493
Hogs and pigs	2	56	65	2,697	2,922
Sheep, goats, and their products	4	62	67	2,802	2,998
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	(D)	(D)	67	(D)	3,024
Aquaculture	(D)	13	56	(D)	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	12,632	23	67	1,480	3,060
Cotton, all	(D)	34	51	(D)	627
Corn for grain	1,172	42	67	1,826	2,634
Soybeans for beans	(D)	38	55	(D)	2,039
Peanuts for nuts	(D)	23	29	(D)	347
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Cattle and calves	14,350	34	67	1,702	3,060
Horses and ponies	721	44	67	1,804	3,066
Goats, all	544	53	67	1,374	3,023
Layers	470	55	67	2,212	3,024
Hogs and pigs	207	26	64	1,814	2,958

Other County Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	172	Farming	196
\$1,000 to \$2,499	38	Other	172
\$2,500 to \$4,999	46	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	30	Male	295
\$10,000 to \$19,999	23	Female	73
\$20,000 to \$24,999	5	Average age of principal operator (years)	60.5
\$25,000 to \$39,999	18	All operators by race ² :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	1	American Indian or Alaska Native	3
\$50,000 to \$99,999	19	Asian	-
\$100,000 to \$249,999	8	Black or African American	215
\$250,000 to \$499,999	6	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	2	White	280
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	9,427	More than one race	-
Average per farm (\$)	25,617	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin ²	8
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	1,983		
Average per farm (\$)	5,387		

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.