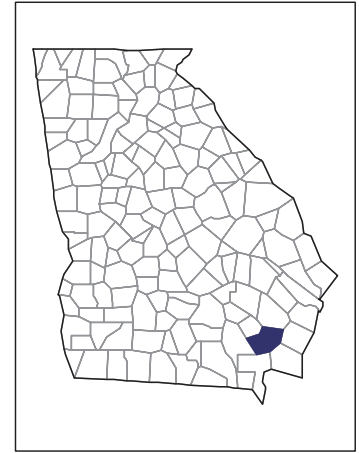


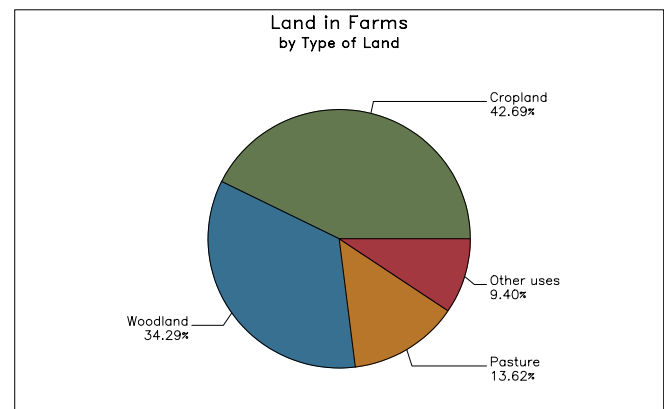
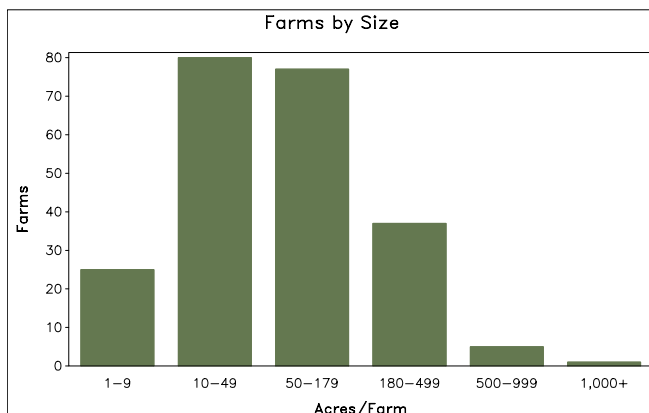
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## County Profile

### Brantley County Georgia



	2007	2002	% change
<b>Number of Farms</b>	225	270	- 17
<b>Land in Farms</b>	25,337 acres	32,320 acres	- 22
<b>Average Size of Farm</b>	113 acres	120 acres	- 6
<b>Market Value of Products Sold</b>	\$8,302,000	\$12,446,000	- 33
Crop Sales \$3,144,000 (38 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$5,158,000 (62 percent)			
<b>Average Per Farm</b>	\$36,897	\$46,096	- 20
<b>Government Payments</b>	\$584,000	\$47,000	+ 1,143
<b>Average Per Farm Receiving Payments</b>	\$11,225	\$1,087	+ 933



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### Brantley County – Georgia

Ranked items among the 159 state counties and 3,079 U.S. counties, 2007

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	8,302	117	159	2,676	3,076
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	3,144	90	159	2,440	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	5,158	95	159	2,417	3,069
<b>VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)</b>					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	162	87	148	2,389	2,933
Tobacco	(D)	25	36	(D)	437
Cotton and cottonseed	(D)	82	84	601	626
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	57	102	146	2,082	2,796
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	(D)	(D)	152	(D)	2,659
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	(D)	139	146	(D)	2,703
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	(D)	16	74	(D)	1,710
Other crops and hay	1,697	47	158	1,015	3,054
Poultry and eggs	(D)	(D)	155	(D)	3,020
Cattle and calves	(D)	(D)	159	(D)	3,054
Milk and other dairy products from cows	18	105	115	2,265	2,493
Hogs and pigs	50	43	140	1,596	2,922
Sheep, goats, and their products	14	73	152	2,457	2,998
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	21	99	153	2,647	3,024
Aquaculture	-	-	65	-	1,498
Other animals and other animal products	1	103	133	2,634	2,875
<b>TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)</b>					
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	2,231	108	159	2,696	3,060
Peanuts for nuts	1,024	60	76	161	347
Corn for grain	971	65	138	1,872	2,634
Land in berries	304	7	123	75	2,237
Soybeans for beans	260	82	97	1,770	2,039
<b>TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)</b>					
Layers	(D)	16	152	(D)	3,024
Cattle and calves	2,468	119	159	2,724	3,060
Goats, all	626	49	157	1,228	3,023
Horses and ponies	207	123	159	2,850	3,066
Colonies of bees	(D)	(D)	123	(D)	2,640

### Other County Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	85	Farming	89
\$1,000 to \$2,499	31	Other	136
\$2,500 to \$4,999	26	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	39	Male	203
\$10,000 to \$19,999	12	Female	22
\$20,000 to \$24,999	5	Average age of principal operator (years)	55.9
\$25,000 to \$39,999	8	All operators by race <sup>2</sup> :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	-	American Indian or Alaska Native	3
\$50,000 to \$99,999	9	Asian	-
\$100,000 to \$249,999	6	Black or African American	-
\$250,000 to \$499,999	1	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	3	White	306
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	7,800	More than one race	1
Average per farm (\$)	34,665	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin <sup>2</sup>	1
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	1,401		
Average per farm (\$)	6,227		

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.

<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.