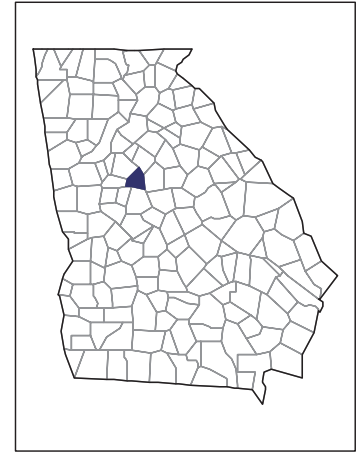


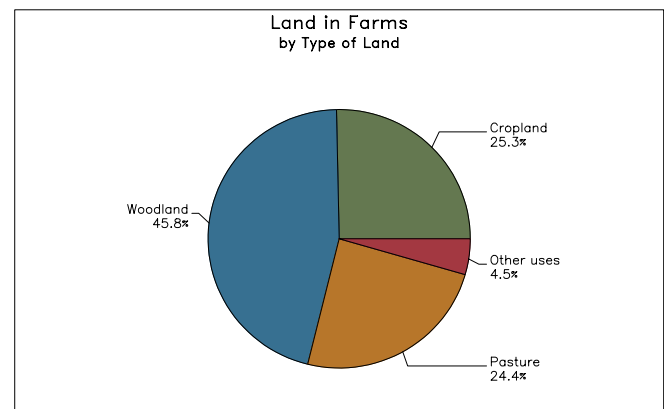
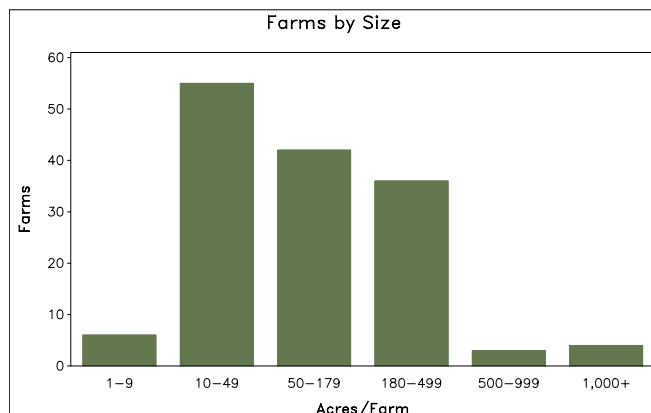
2007 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

County Profile

Butts County Georgia



	2007	2002	% change
Number of Farms	146	173	- 16
Land in Farms	25,433 acres	36,685 acres	- 31
Average Size of Farm	174 acres	212 acres	- 18
Market Value of Products Sold	\$3,520,000	\$2,476,000	+ 42
Crop Sales \$1,165,000 (33 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$2,355,000 (67 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$24,112	\$14,311	+ 68
Government Payments	\$74,000	\$124,000	- 40
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$1,945	\$2,173	- 10



2007 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

County Profile

Butts County – Georgia

Ranked items among the 159 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	3,520	138	159	2,888	3,076
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	1,165	117	159	2,756	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	2,355	124	159	2,740	3,069
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	9	130	148	2,760	2,933
Tobacco	-	-	36	-	437
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	84	-	626
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	(D)	131	146	(D)	2,796
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	67	118	152	1,581	2,659
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	993	61	146	1,088	2,703
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	(D)	(D)	74	(D)	1,710
Other crops and hay	60	144	158	2,909	3,054
Poultry and eggs	1	151	155	2,955	3,020
Cattle and calves	(D)	57	159	(D)	3,054
Milk and other dairy products from cows	-	-	115	-	2,493
Hogs and pigs	1	129	140	2,826	2,922
Sheep, goats, and their products	5	119	152	2,776	2,998
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	54	70	153	2,144	3,024
Aquaculture	-	-	65	-	1,498
Other animals and other animal products	(D)	10	133	(D)	2,875
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	2,407	103	159	2,667	3,060
Wheat for grain, all	145	96	117	2,133	2,481
Pecans, all	(D)	84	135	(D)	1,315
Sod harvested	(D)	39	46	(D)	761
Cut Christmas trees	(D)	18	78	(D)	1,756
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Cattle and calves	2,901	114	159	2,674	3,060
Horses and ponies	456	69	159	2,335	3,066
Goats, all	237	111	157	2,117	3,023
Colonies of bees	(D)	33	123	(D)	2,640
Layers	104	130	152	2,838	3,024

Other County Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	68	Farming	76
\$1,000 to \$2,499	20	Other	70
\$2,500 to \$4,999	9	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	23	Male	125
\$10,000 to \$19,999	10	Female	21
\$20,000 to \$24,999	3	Average age of principal operator (years)	58.7
\$25,000 to \$39,999	2	All operators by race ² :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	1	American Indian or Alaska Native	3
\$50,000 to \$99,999	1	Asian	-
\$100,000 to \$249,999	7	Black or African American	2
\$250,000 to \$499,999	1	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	1	White	204
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	3,910	More than one race	1
Average per farm (\$)	26,781	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin ²	-
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	172		
Average per farm (\$)	1,178		

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.