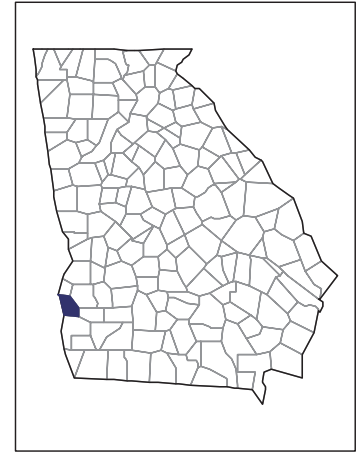


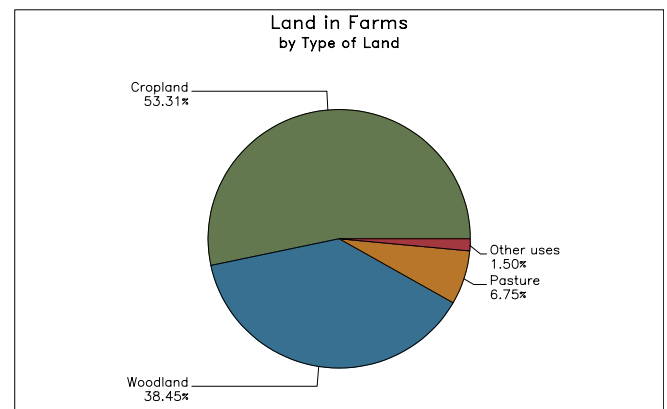
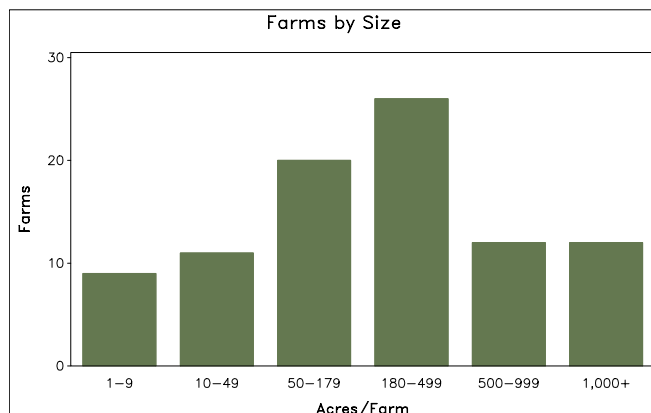
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## County Profile

### Clay County Georgia



	2007	2002	% change
<b>Number of Farms</b>	90	49	+ 84
<b>Land in Farms</b>	44,566 acres	42,443 acres	+ 5
<b>Average Size of Farm</b>	495 acres	866 acres	- 43
<b>Market Value of Products Sold</b>	\$11,512,000	\$6,620,000	+ 74
Crop Sales \$10,818,000 (94 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$694,000 (6 percent)			
<b>Average Per Farm</b>	\$127,914	\$135,105	- 5
<b>Government Payments</b>	\$1,542,000	\$431,000	+ 258
<b>Average Per Farm Receiving Payments</b>	\$30,238	\$11,981	+ 152



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### Clay 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	11,512	108	159	2,548	3,076
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	10,818	59	159	1,823	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	694	141	159	2,938	3,069
<b>VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)</b>					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	2,363	46	148	1,737	2,933
Tobacco	-	-	36	-	437
Cotton and cottonseed	4,175	33	84	220	626
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	(D)	77	146	1,706	2,796
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	-	-	152	-	2,659
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	(D)	99	146	(D)	2,703
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	-	-	74	-	1,710
Other crops and hay	3,909	33	158	430	3,054
Poultry and eggs	(D)	153	155	3,008	3,020
Cattle and calves	653	120	159	2,726	3,054
Milk and other dairy products from cows	-	-	115	-	2,493
Hogs and pigs	17	62	140	2,043	2,922
Sheep, goats, and their products	-	-	152	-	2,998
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	(D)	93	153	2,597	3,024
Aquaculture	-	-	65	-	1,498
Other animals and other animal products	-	-	133	-	2,875
<b>TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)</b>					
Cotton, all	7,376	38	84	257	627
Peanuts for nuts	6,565	32	76	60	347
Wheat for grain, all	3,015	29	117	1,201	2,481
Corn for grain	2,023	57	138	1,683	2,634
Sorghum for grain	2,000	7	61	360	1,158
<b>TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)</b>					
Cattle and calves	2,240	122	159	2,757	3,060
Horses and ponies	120	141	159	2,953	3,066
Hogs and pigs	78	77	150	2,286	2,958
Layers	75	139	152	2,904	3,024
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	45	112	124	1,986	2,476

### Other County Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	43	Farming	40
\$1,000 to \$2,499	6	Other	50
\$2,500 to \$4,999	8	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	5	Male	80
\$10,000 to \$19,999	7	Female	10
\$20,000 to \$24,999	1	Average age of principal operator (years)	60.1
\$25,000 to \$39,999	-	All operators by race <sup>2</sup> :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	3	American Indian or Alaska Native	-
\$50,000 to \$99,999	1	Asian	-
\$100,000 to \$249,999	9	Black or African American	21
\$250,000 to \$499,999	-	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	7	White	96
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	11,400	More than one race	6
Average per farm (\$)	126,672	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin <sup>2</sup>	-
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	3,333		
Average per farm (\$)	37,037		

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.