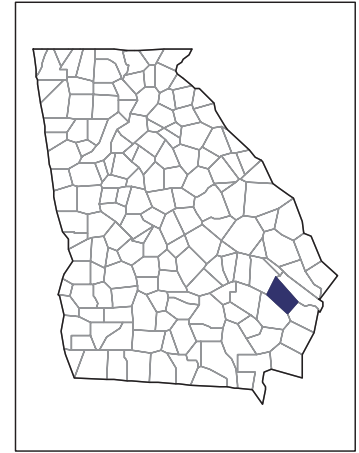


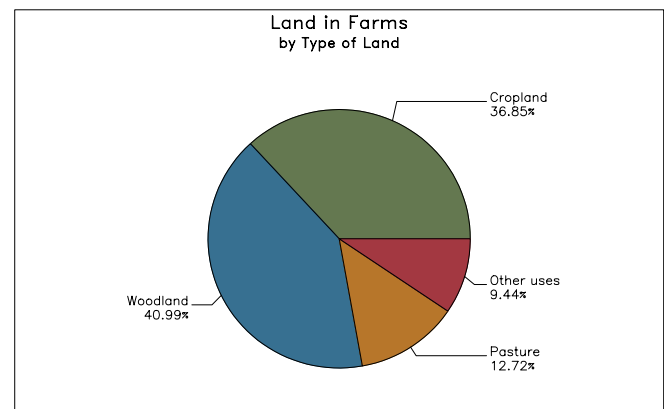
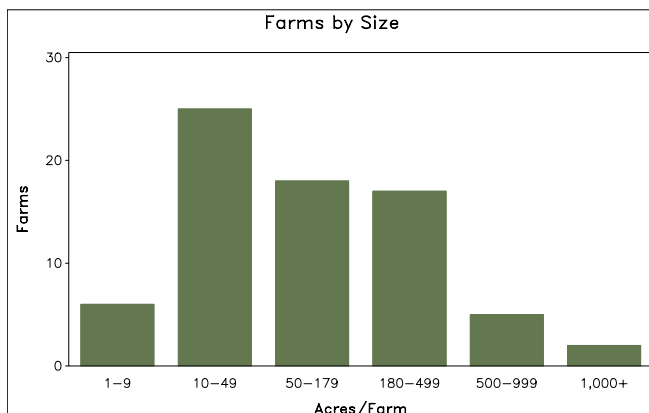
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## County Profile

### Long County Georgia



	2007	2002	% change
<b>Number of Farms</b>	73	76	- 4
<b>Land in Farms</b>	13,141 acres	23,624 acres	- 44
<b>Average Size of Farm</b>	180 acres	311 acres	- 42
<b>Market Value of Products Sold</b>	\$5,341,000	\$7,950,000	- 33
Crop Sales \$776,000 (15 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$4,565,000 (85 percent)			
<b>Average Per Farm</b>	\$73,158	\$104,605	- 30
<b>Government Payments</b>	\$120,000	\$67,000	+ 79
<b>Average Per Farm Receiving Payments</b>	\$8,591	\$3,727	+ 131



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### Long 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	5,341	125	159	2,792	3,076
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	776	128	159	2,850	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	4,565	100	159	2,479	3,069
<b>VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)</b>					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	269	82	148	2,281	2,933
Tobacco	(D)	32	36	(D)	437
Cotton and cottonseed	(D)	78	84	560	626
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	(D)	(D)	146	(D)	2,796
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	(D)	147	152	(D)	2,659
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	-	-	146	-	2,703
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	-	-	74	-	1,710
Other crops and hay	28	151	158	2,973	3,054
Poultry and eggs	4,318	84	155	737	3,020
Cattle and calves	222	142	159	2,908	3,054
Milk and other dairy products from cows	-	-	115	-	2,493
Hogs and pigs	1	128	140	2,823	2,922
Sheep, goats, and their products	(D)	91	152	2,636	2,998
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	14	113	153	2,768	3,024
Aquaculture	-	-	65	-	1,498
Other animals and other animal products	(D)	126	133	(D)	2,875
<b>TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)</b>					
Soybeans for beans	956	61	97	1,561	2,039
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	828	144	159	2,903	3,060
Corn for grain	541	78	138	2,033	2,634
Vegetables harvested for sale	(D)	36	148	(D)	2,794
Cotton, all	(D)	77	84	(D)	627
<b>TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)</b>					
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	(D)	89	124	(D)	2,476
Pullets for laying flock replacement	(D)	33	106	(D)	2,627
Cattle and calves	1,725	133	159	2,814	3,060
Sheep and lambs	205	16	119	1,977	2,891
Horses and ponies	131	138	159	2,942	3,066

### Other County Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	35	Farming	33
\$1,000 to \$2,499	-	Other	40
\$2,500 to \$4,999	8	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	10	Male	68
\$10,000 to \$19,999	6	Female	5
\$20,000 to \$24,999	-	Average age of principal operator (years)	55.5
\$25,000 to \$39,999	2	All operators by race <sup>2</sup> :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	5	American Indian or Alaska Native	-
\$50,000 to \$99,999	2	Asian	3
\$100,000 to \$249,999	-	Black or African American	5
\$250,000 to \$499,999	1	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	4	White	91
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	5,168	More than one race	-
Average per farm (\$)	70,801	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin <sup>2</sup>	-
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	806		
Average per farm (\$)	11,046		

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.