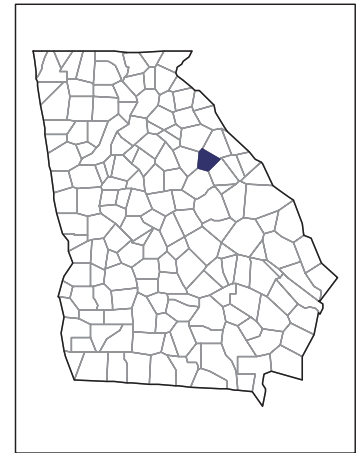


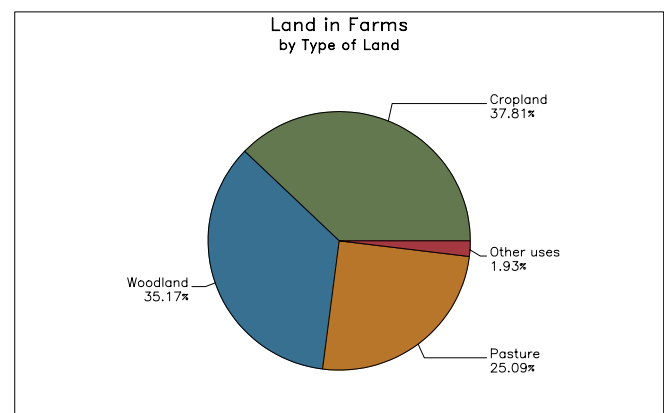
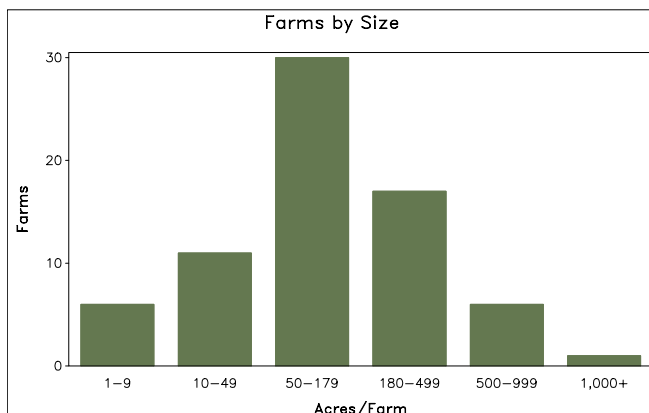
# 2007 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

## County Profile

### Taliaferro County Georgia



	2007	2002	% change
<b>Number of Farms</b>	71	73	- 3
<b>Land in Farms</b>	14,096 acres	18,547 acres	- 24
<b>Average Size of Farm</b>	199 acres	254 acres	- 22
<b>Market Value of Products Sold</b>	\$5,993,000	\$3,067,000	+ 95
Crop Sales \$165,000 (3 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$5,828,000 (97 percent)			
<b>Average Per Farm</b>	\$84,406	\$42,007	+ 101
<b>Government Payments</b>	\$17,000	\$122,000	- 86
<b>Average Per Farm Receiving Payments</b>	\$2,178	\$6,774	- 68



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#### 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	5,993	121	159	2,768	3,076
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	165	153	159	3,015	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	5,828	90	159	2,367	3,069
<b>VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)</b>					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	-	-	148	-	2,933
Tobacco	-	-	36	-	437
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	84	-	626
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	(D)	(D)	146	(D)	2,796
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	-	-	152	-	2,659
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	-	-	146	-	2,703
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	(D)	(D)	74	(D)	1,710
Other crops and hay	85	140	158	2,865	3,054
Poultry and eggs	(D)	90	155	(D)	3,020
Cattle and calves	(D)	(D)	159	(D)	3,054
Milk and other dairy products from cows	2,497	25	115	991	2,493
Hogs and pigs	-	-	140	-	2,922
Sheep, goats, and their products	1	145	152	2,943	2,998
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	-	-	153	-	3,024
Aquaculture	-	-	65	-	1,498
Other animals and other animal products	(D)	119	133	(D)	2,875
<b>TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)</b>					
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	3,595	81	159	2,516	3,060
Cut Christmas trees	(D)	3	78	(D)	1,756
Sorghum for silage	(D)	28	50	(D)	1,151
Vegetables harvested for sale	(D)	(D)	148	(D)	2,794
Peas, green southern	(D)	(D)	70	(D)	743
<b>TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)</b>					
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	(D)	84	124	(D)	2,476
Cattle and calves	2,577	117	159	2,705	3,060
Goats, all	269	104	157	2,019	3,023
Horses and ponies	56	155	159	3,021	3,066
Sheep and lambs	51	61	119	2,545	2,891

#### Other County Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	32	Farming	29
\$1,000 to \$2,499	10	Other	42
\$2,500 to \$4,999	2	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	10	Male	55
\$10,000 to \$19,999	6	Female	16
\$20,000 to \$24,999	2	Average age of principal operator (years)	56.2
\$25,000 to \$39,999	1	All operators by race <sup>2</sup> :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	1	American Indian or Alaska Native	-
\$50,000 to \$99,999	1	Asian	-
\$100,000 to \$249,999	2	Black or African American	11
\$250,000 to \$499,999	1	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	3	White	87
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	4,211	More than one race	-
Average per farm (\$)	59,311	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin <sup>2</sup>	-
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	1,973		
Average per farm (\$)	27,796		

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.