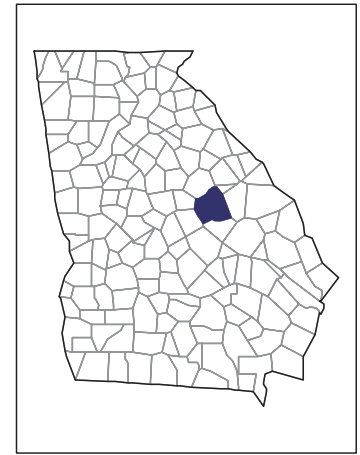


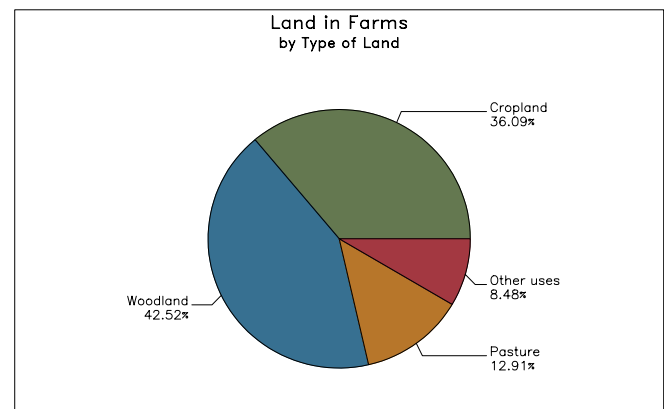
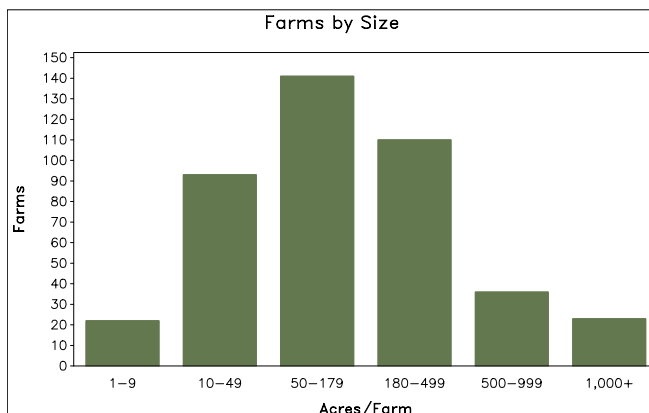
2007 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

County Profile



Washington County Georgia

	2007	2002	% change
Number of Farms	425	411	+ 3
Land in Farms	110,164 acres	124,042 acres	- 11
Average Size of Farm	259 acres	302 acres	- 14
Market Value of Products Sold	\$11,699,000	\$15,565,000	- 25
Crop Sales \$7,459,000 (64 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$4,240,000 (36 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$27,528	\$37,870	- 27
Government Payments	\$1,639,000	\$742,000	+ 121
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$7,954	\$4,264	+ 87



2007 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

County Profile

Washington 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	11,699	107	159	2,536	3,076
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	7,459	66	159	2,038	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	4,240	102	159	2,510	3,069
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	3,460	34	148	1,624	2,933
Tobacco	-	-	36	-	437
Cotton and cottonseed	584	63	84	414	626
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	(D)	(D)	146	(D)	2,796
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	1,883	29	152	312	2,659
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	(D)	(D)	146	(D)	2,703
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	-	-	74	-	1,710
Other crops and hay	1,234	52	158	1,321	3,054
Poultry and eggs	8	133	155	2,535	3,020
Cattle and calves	(D)	56	159	(D)	3,054
Milk and other dairy products from cows	(D)	(D)	115	(D)	2,493
Hogs and pigs	2	115	140	2,733	2,922
Sheep, goats, and their products	25	51	152	2,156	2,998
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	17	106	153	2,730	3,024
Aquaculture	(D)	31	65	(D)	1,498
Other animals and other animal products	(D)	(D)	133	(D)	2,875
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Wheat for grain, all	6,777	9	117	864	2,481
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	6,556	25	159	2,077	3,060
Soybeans for beans	5,938	14	97	1,152	2,039
Corn for grain	3,259	44	138	1,544	2,634
Peanuts for nuts	1,830	53	76	132	347
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Cattle and calves	8,158	54	159	2,159	3,060
Goats, all	1,130	18	157	647	3,023
Layers	379	93	152	2,344	3,024
Horses and ponies	378	88	159	2,519	3,066
Mules, burros, and donkeys	55	61	152	1,481	2,998

Other County Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	208	Farming	131
\$1,000 to \$2,499	40	Other	294
\$2,500 to \$4,999	31	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	28	Male	366
\$10,000 to \$19,999	46	Female	59
\$20,000 to \$24,999	7	Average age of principal operator (years)	59.2
\$25,000 to \$39,999	16	All operators by race ² :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	8	American Indian or Alaska Native	-
\$50,000 to \$99,999	17	Asian	-
\$100,000 to \$249,999	15	Black or African American	36
\$250,000 to \$499,999	5	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	4	White	518
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	11,701	More than one race	7
Average per farm (\$)	27,532	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin ²	-
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	3,540		
Average per farm (\$)	8,330		

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.