## Douglas County Georgia



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| :--- | ---: | ---: | :---: |
| Number of Farms | 117 | 136 | -14 |
| Land in Farms | 8,342 acres | 7,114 acres | +17 |
| Average Size of Farm | 71 acres | 52 acres | +37 |
|  |  |  |  |
| Market Value of Products Sold | $\$ 1,167,000$ | $\$ 3,804,000$ | -69 |
| Crop Sales $\$ 814,000$ (70 percent) <br> Livestock Sales $\$ 353,000$ (30 percent) <br> Average Per Farm | $\$ 9,976$ |  |  |
|  |  | $\$ 27,973$ | -64 |
| Government Payments | $\$ 55,000$ | $\$ 20,000$ | +175 |
| Average Per Farm Receiving Payments | $\$ 4,975$ | $\$ 1,994$ | +149 |




## Douglas County - Georgia

Ranked items among the 159 state counties and 3,079 U.S. counties, 2012

| Item | Quantity | State Rank | Universe ${ }^{1}$ | U.S. Rank | Universe ${ }^{1}$ |
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| MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000) |  |  |  |  |  |
| Total value of agricultural products sold | 1,167 | 150 | 159 | 3,007 | 3,077 |
| Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse | 814 | 138 | 159 | 2,911 | 3,072 |
| Value of livestock, poultry, and their products | 353 | 150 | 159 | 2,985 | 3,076 |
| VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000) |  |  |  |  |  |
| Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas | 438 | 102 | 151 | 2,429 | 2,926 |
| Tobacco |  | - | 29 |  | 436 |
| Cotton and cottonseed | - | - | 84 | - | 635 |
| Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes | (D) | (D) | 152 | (D) | 2,802 |
| Fruits, tree nuts, and berries | ) |  | 156 |  | 2,724 |
| Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod | 146 | 98 | 144 | 1,888 | 2,678 |
| Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops | (D) | 45 | 65 | (D) | 1,530 |
| Other crops and hay | 208 | 129 | 157 | 2,762 | 3,049 |
| Poultry and eggs | 3 | 139 | 153 | 2,780 | 3,013 |
| Cattle and calves | 168 | 144 | 158 | 2,928 | 3,056 |
| Milk from cows |  | - | 67 |  | 2,038 |
| Hogs and pigs | - | - | 124 | - | 2,827 |
| Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, and milk | 3 | 140 | 154 | 2,884 | 2,988 |
| Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys | 78 | 31 | 143 | 2,022 | 3,011 |
| Aquaculture | (D) | 18 | 57 | (D) | 1,366 |
| Other animals and other animal products | (D) | 104 | 135 | 2,650 | 2,924 |
| TOP CROP ITEMS (acres) |  |  |  |  |  |
| Forage-land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop | 1,150 | 132 | 159 | 2,851 | 3,057 |
| Corn for grain | 323 | 86 | 139 | 2,181 | 2,638 |
| Soybeans for beans | 300 | 87 | 115 | 1,871 | 2,162 |
| Short-rotation woody crops | 30 | 30 | 48 | 366 | 793 |
| Cut Christmas trees | (D) | 33 | 60 | (D) | 1,557 |
| TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number) |  |  |  |  |  |
| Cattle and calves | 871 | 145 | 158 | 2,897 | 3,063 |
| Horses and ponies | 288 | 85 | 159 | 2,556 | 3,072 |
| Layers | 154 | 132 | 156 | 2,822 | 3,040 |
| Goats, all | 115 | 132 | 155 | 2,484 | 2,996 |
| Sheep and lambs | 41 | 79 | 120 | 2,653 | 2,897 |

Other County Highlights, 2012

| Economic Characteristics | Quantity | Operator Characteristics | Quantity |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Farms by value of sales: |  | Principal operators by primary occupation: |  |
| Less than \$1,000 | 53 | Farming | 51 |
| \$1,000 to \$2,499 | 23 | Other | 66 |
| \$2,500 to \$4,999 | 12 |  |  |
| \$5,000 to \$9,999 | 9 | Principal operators by sex: |  |
| \$10,000 to \$19,999 | 6 | Male | 89 |
| \$20,000 to \$24,999 | 1 | Female | 28 |
| \$25,000 to \$39,999 | 2 |  |  |
| \$40,000 to \$49,999 | 7 | Average age of principal operator (years) | 57.2 |
| \$50,000 to \$99,999 | 1 |  |  |
| \$100,000 to \$249,999 | 3 | All operators by race ${ }^{2}$ : |  |
| \$250,000 to \$499,999 | - | American Indian or Alaska Native | - |
| \$500,000 or more | - | Asian | - |
|  |  | Black or African American | 12 |
| Total farm production expenses (\$1,000) | 2,190 | Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander | - |
| Average per farm (\$) | 18,716 | White | 163 |
|  |  | More than one race | 1 |
|  |  |  |  |
| Average per farm (\$) | -7,431 | All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin ${ }^{2}$ | - |

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[^0]:    See "Census of Agriculture, Volume 1, Geographic Area Series" for complete footnotes, explanations, definitions, and methodology

    - Represents zero. (D) Withheld to avoid disclosing data for individual operations.
    ${ }^{1}$ Universe is number of counties in state or U.S. with item. ${ }^{2}$ Data were collected for a maximum of three operators per farm.

