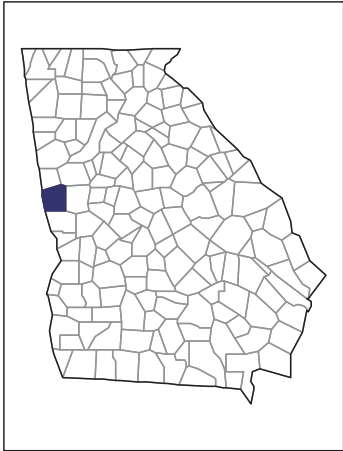


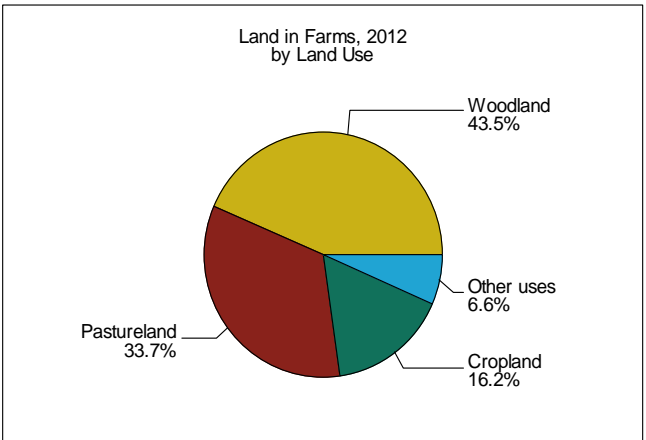
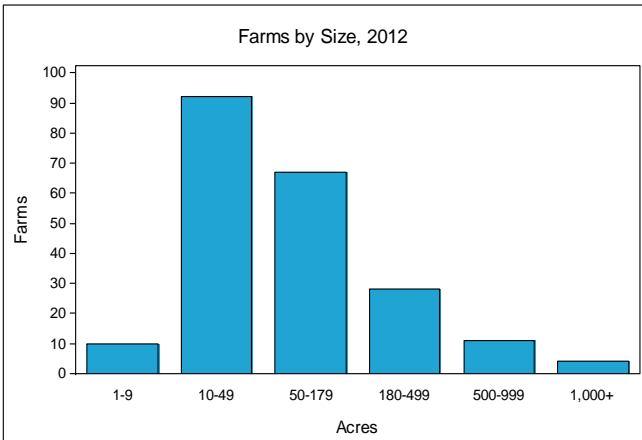
# 2012 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

## COUNTY PROFILE

### Troup County Georgia



	2012	2007	% change
<b>Number of Farms</b>	212	241	- 12
<b>Land in Farms</b>	32,416 acres	37,866 acres	- 14
<b>Average Size of Farm</b>	153 acres	157 acres	- 3
<b>Market Value of Products Sold</b>	\$4,168,000	\$3,535,000	+ 18
Crop Sales \$985,000 (24 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$3,182,000 (76 percent)			
<b>Average Per Farm</b>	\$19,659	\$14,669	+ 34
<b>Government Payments</b>	\$94,000	\$106,000	- 11
<b>Average Per Farm Receiving Payments</b>	\$5,515	\$7,061	- 22





## Troup County – Georgia

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

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	4,168	135	159	2,879	3,077
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	985	134	159	2,888	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	3,182	113	159	2,641	3,076
<b>VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)</b>					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	(D)	138	151	(D)	2,926
Tobacco	-	-	29	-	436
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	84	-	635
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	9	143	152	2,602	2,802
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	(D)	151	156	(D)	2,724
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	438	74	144	1,418	2,678
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	(D)	56	65	(D)	1,530
Other crops and hay	508	99	157	2,419	3,049
Poultry and eggs	5	136	153	2,626	3,013
Cattle and calves	1,329	87	158	2,528	3,056
Milk from cows	1,704	29	67	1,082	2,038
Hogs and pigs	(D)	120	124	(D)	2,827
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, and milk	122	7	154	1,195	2,988
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	22	74	143	2,636	3,011
Aquaculture	-	-	57	-	1,366
Other animals and other animal products	(D)	119	135	(D)	2,924
<b>TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)</b>					
Forage-land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	3,660	62	159	2,412	3,057
Wheat for grain, all	(D)	102	120	(D)	2,537
Winter wheat for grain	(D)	102	120	(D)	2,480
Corn for silage	(D)	48	73	(D)	2,237
Cut Christmas trees	24	24	60	826	1,557
<b>TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)</b>					
Cattle and calves	5,391	70	158	2,356	3,063
Layers	535	95	156	2,335	3,040
Goats, all	384	67	155	1,538	2,996
Sheep and lambs	321	18	120	1,775	2,897
Horses and ponies	230	98	159	2,699	3,072

### Other County Highlights, 2012

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	82	Farming	107
\$1,000 to \$2,499	20	Other	105
\$2,500 to \$4,999	28	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	27	Male	180
\$10,000 to \$19,999	14	Female	32
\$20,000 to \$24,999	5	Average age of principal operator (years)	60.1
\$25,000 to \$39,999	19	All operators by race <sup>2</sup> :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	2	American Indian or Alaska Native	3
\$50,000 to \$99,999	10	Asian	3
\$100,000 to \$249,999	2	Black or African American	8
\$250,000 to \$499,999	1	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	2	White	286
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	5,269	More than one race	-
Average per farm (\$)	24,854	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin <sup>2</sup>	-
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	-445		
Average per farm (\$)	-2,100		

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.

<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.