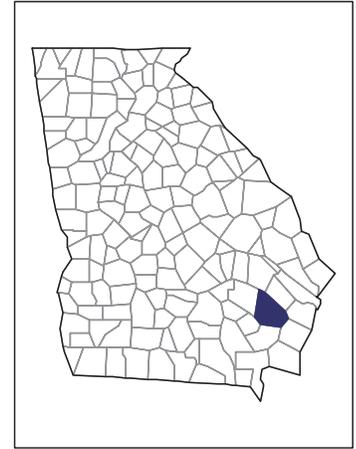


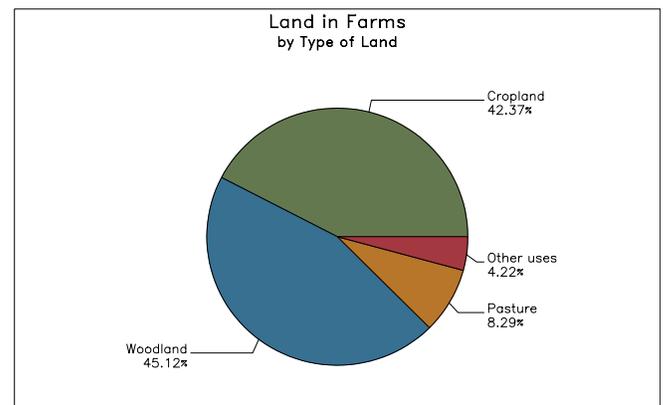
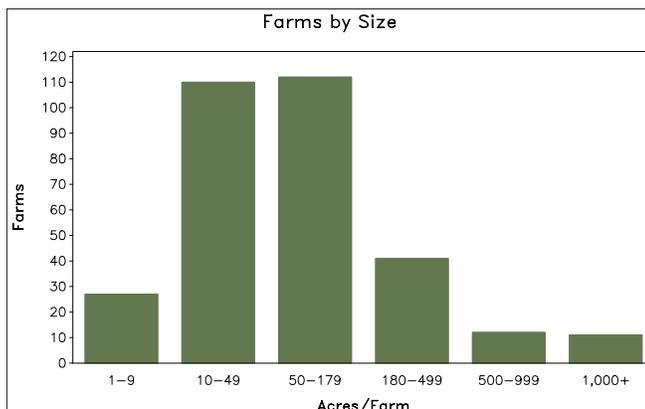
2007 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

County Profile

Wayne County Georgia



	2007	2002	% change
Number of Farms	313	341	- 8
Land in Farms	56,790 acres	64,490 acres	- 12
Average Size of Farm	181 acres	189 acres	- 4
Market Value of Products Sold	\$28,705,000	\$16,359,000	+ 75
Crop Sales \$15,948,000 (56 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$12,757,000 (44 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$91,710	\$47,975	+ 91
Government Payments	\$896,000	\$424,000	+ 111
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$7,863	\$4,041	+ 95



2007 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

County Profile

Wayne 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	28,705	77	159	2,018	3,076
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	15,948	49	159	1,596	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	12,757	71	159	1,878	3,069
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	1,868	49	148	1,807	2,933
Tobacco	4,317	3	36	83	437
Cotton and cottonseed	(D)	57	84	(D)	626
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	5,198	19	146	321	2,796
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	1,910	27	152	307	2,659
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	(D)	(D)	146	(D)	2,703
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	(D)	(D)	74	(D)	1,710
Other crops and hay	1,210	53	158	1,330	3,054
Poultry and eggs	10,811	65	155	550	3,020
Cattle and calves	(D)	110	159	(D)	3,054
Milk and other dairy products from cows	(D)	(D)	115	(D)	2,493
Hogs and pigs	(D)	(D)	140	(D)	2,922
Sheep, goats, and their products	9	93	152	2,643	2,998
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	35	80	153	2,411	3,024
Aquaculture	-	-	65	-	1,498
Other animals and other animal products	(D)	(D)	133	(D)	2,875
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Corn for grain	3,697	37	138	1,491	2,634
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	3,168	88	159	2,565	3,060
Cotton, all	2,813	53	84	352	627
Soybeans for beans	2,260	41	97	1,383	2,039
Wheat for grain, all	2,153	38	117	1,335	2,481
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Layers	604,389	9	152	140	3,024
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	(D)	91	124	(D)	2,476
Cattle and calves	5,358	77	159	2,423	3,060
Goats, all	532	61	157	1,400	3,023
Horses and ponies	472	62	159	2,302	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	112	Farming	140
\$1,000 to \$2,499	41	Other	173
\$2,500 to \$4,999	36	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	32	Male	270
\$10,000 to \$19,999	30	Female	43
\$20,000 to \$24,999	11	Average age of principal operator (years)	56.9
\$25,000 to \$39,999	16	All operators by race ² :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	-	American Indian or Alaska Native	7
\$50,000 to \$99,999	6	Asian	2
\$100,000 to \$249,999	10	Black or African American	4
\$250,000 to \$499,999	3	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	16	White	445
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	22,036	More than one race	4
Average per farm (\$)	70,401	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin ²	4
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	8,810		
Average per farm (\$)	28,147		

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.