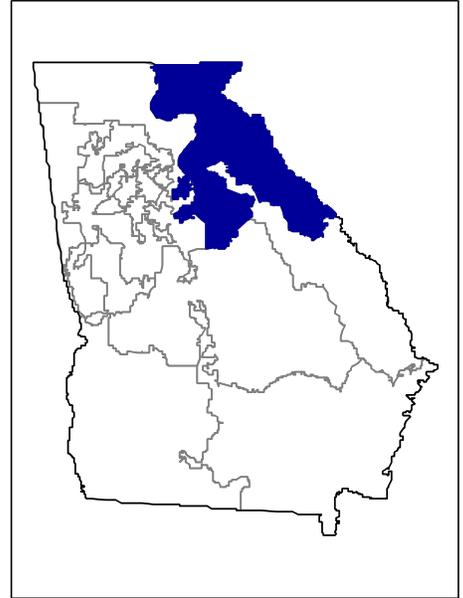


2002 Census of Agriculture Congressional District Profile



Correction issued January 2005. See Economic Characteristics table.

District 9, Georgia

Number of farms: 10,034

Land in farms: 1,197,699 acres

Average size of farm: 119 acres

Irrigated Land: 10,776 acres

Total Number of Farm Operators: 14,016

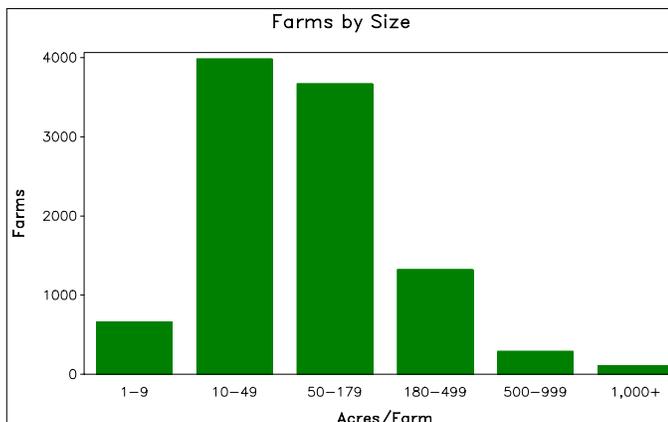
Market Value of Production: \$1,330,465,000

Market Value of Production, average per farm: \$132,596

Government Payments: \$7,362,000

Government Payments, average per farm receiving payments: \$2,999

Gross Income from Farm Related Sources: \$11,432,000



**2002 Census of Agriculture
Congressional District Profile
United States Department of Agriculture, Georgia Agricultural Statistics Service**

District 9, Georgia

Ranked items among the 13 congressional districts in the state, and among the 435 congressional districts in the U.S., 2002

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	1,330,465	1	13	33	418
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)²					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	2,841	6	10	240	371
Tobacco	(D)	(D)	6	(D)	106
Cotton and cottonseed	1,450	5	11	72	111
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	3,637	5	12	220	398
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	2,786	5	11	162	403
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	62,565	2	12	60	415
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	258	4	12	163	349
Poultry and eggs	1,109,187	1	12	3	382
Cattle and calves	53,603	1	12	104	389
Milk and other dairy products from cows	56,968	1	11	97	339
Hogs and pigs	21,233	1	10	68	372
Sheep, goats, and their products	493	1	11	137	380
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	3,218	1	12	77	398
Aquaculture	433	4	10	175	321
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	83,538,973	1	11	3	354
Layers 20 weeks old and older	9,182,966	1	11	5	387
Quail	546,800	1	10	2	313
Cattle and calves	303,242	1	12	81	394
Hogs and pigs	90,491	2	11	72	371
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	158,762	1	13	100	391
All Wheat for grain	11,145	5	10	161	323
All Cotton	7,469	5	11	70	113
Soybeans	5,423	6	9	176	269
Corn for silage	4,443	5	9	169	330

Other Congressional District Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	3,031	Farming	5,467
\$1,000 to \$2,499	1,509	Other	4,567
\$2,500 to \$4,999	1,219	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	1,082	Male	8,651
\$10,000 to \$19,999	742	Female	1,383
\$20,000 to \$24,999	160	Average age of principal operator (years)	56.5
\$25,000 to \$39,999 ³	249	All operators ⁴ by race:	
\$40,000 to \$49,999 ³	90	White	13,383
\$50,000 to \$99,999	207	Black or African American	274
\$100,000 to \$249,999	375	American Indian or Alaska Native	38
\$250,000 to \$499,999	648	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	2
\$500,000 or more	722	Asian	32
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000) ³	944,931	More than one race	40
Average per farm (\$) ³	93,874	All operators ⁴ of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin	121
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	402,350		
Average per farm (\$)	39,971		

(D) Cannot be disclosed. (Z) Less than half of the unit shown. See "Census of Agriculture, Volume 1, Geographic Area Series" for complete footnotes.

¹ Universe is number of congressional districts in state or U.S. with item.

² Categories are not comprehensive and will not sum to total.

³ Value corrected January 2005.

⁴ Data were collected for a maximum of three operators per farm.