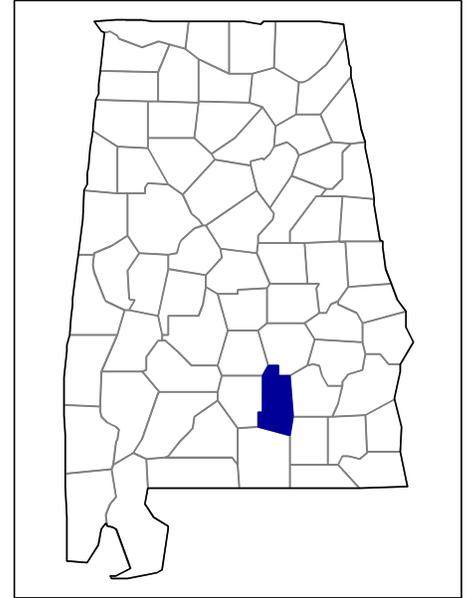


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Number of farms

570 farms in 2002, 560 farms in 1997, up 2 percent.

Land in farms

130,332 acres in 2002, 136,569 acres in 1997, down 5 percent.

Average size of farm

229 acres in 2002, 244 acres in 1997, down 6 percent.

Market Value of Production

\$74,148,000 in 2002, \$56,527,000 in 1997, up 31 percent.

Crop sales accounted for \$1,583,000 of the total value in 2002.

Livestock sales accounted for \$72,565,000 of the total value in 2002.

Market Value of Production, average per farm

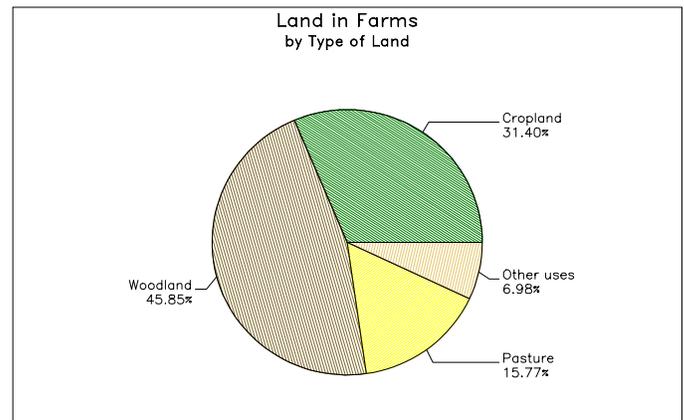
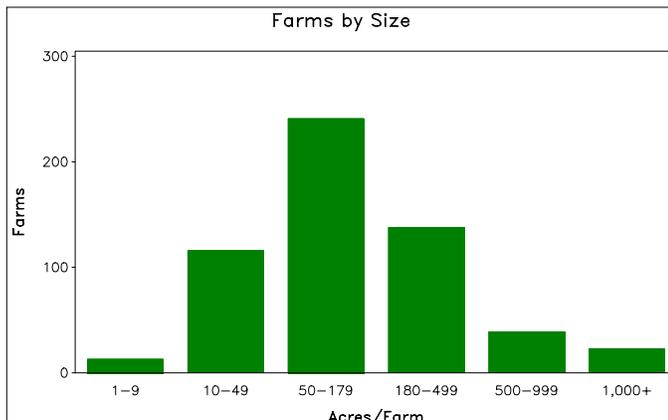
\$130,084 in 2002, \$100,942 in 1997, up 29 percent.

Government Payments

\$1,746,000 in 2002, \$604,000 in 1997, up 189 percent.

Government Payments, average per farm receiving payments

\$6,443 in 2002, \$2,798 in 1997, up 130 percent.



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Ranked items among the 67 state counties and 3,078 U.S. counties, 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	74,148	12	67	747	3,075
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	1,583	47	67	2,586	3,070
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	72,565	10	67	338	3,070
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	181	44	66	2,254	2,871
Tobacco	-	-	3	-	560
Cotton and cottonseed	293	41	56	468	656
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	60	54	66	1,965	2,747
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	92	41	67	1,296	2,638
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	-	-	62	-	2,708
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	67	5	34	552	1,774
Other crops and hay	890	15	67	1,357	3,046
Poultry and eggs	66,366	8	66	91	2,918
Cattle and calves	6,111	17	67	1,365	3,053
Milk and other dairy products from cows	-	-	54	-	2,493
Hogs and pigs	(D)	(D)	66	(D)	2,919
Sheep, goats, and their products	(D)	(D)	66	(D)	2,997
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	42	61	67	2,435	3,014
Aquaculture	(D)	(D)	62	(D)	1,520
Other animals and other animal products	-	-	60	-	2,727
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	4,979,281	8	65	83	2,599
Layers 20 weeks old and older	184,725	18	67	296	2,983
Cattle and calves	25,608	20	67	1,209	3,059
Quail	(D)	12	42	(D)	1,412
All Goats	1,175	12	67	386	2,971
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	10,246	35	67	1,747	3,059
All Cotton	2,444	37	57	400	663
Corn for grain	1,592	33	67	1,639	2,592
Peanuts	1,528	14	29	126	398
Pecans	307	19	66	269	1,194

Other County Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales	
Less than \$1,000	227
\$1,000 to \$2,499	57
\$2,500 to \$4,999	62
\$5,000 to \$9,999	51
\$10,000 to \$19,999	47
\$20,000 to \$24,999	8
\$25,000 to \$39,999	13
\$40,000 to \$49,999	4
\$50,000 to \$99,999	8
\$100,000 to \$249,999	15
\$250,000 to \$499,999	20
\$500,000 or more	58
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	50,827
Average per farm (\$)	89,015
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	26,555
Average per farm (\$)	46,506

Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Farming	303
Other	267
Principal operators by sex:	
Male	482
Female	88
Average age of principal operator (years)	57.1
All operators ² by race:	
White	713
Black or African American	19
American Indian or Alaska Native	9
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
Asian	2
More than one race	1
All operators ² of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin	9

(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 counties in state or U.S. with item.

² Data were collected for a maximum of three operators per farm.