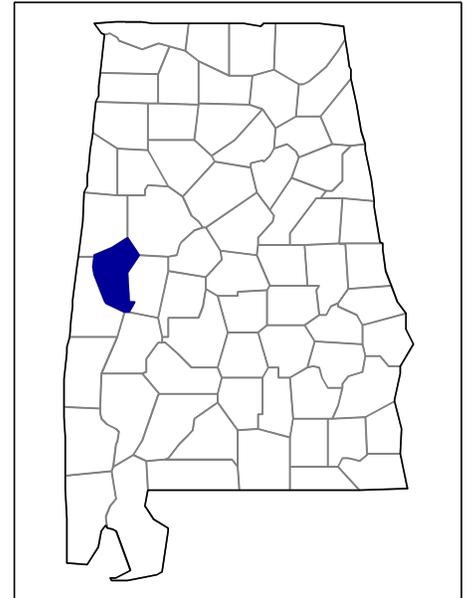


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Number of farms

349 farms in 2002, 323 farms in 1997, up 8 percent.

Land in farms

128,032 acres in 2002, 147,322 acres in 1997, down 13 percent.

Average size of farm

367 acres in 2002, 456 acres in 1997, down 20 percent.

Market Value of Production

\$19,709,000 in 2002, \$11,770,000 in 1997, up 67 percent.

Crop sales accounted for \$363,000 of the total value in 2002.

Livestock sales accounted for \$19,347,000 of the total value in 2002.

Market Value of Production, average per farm

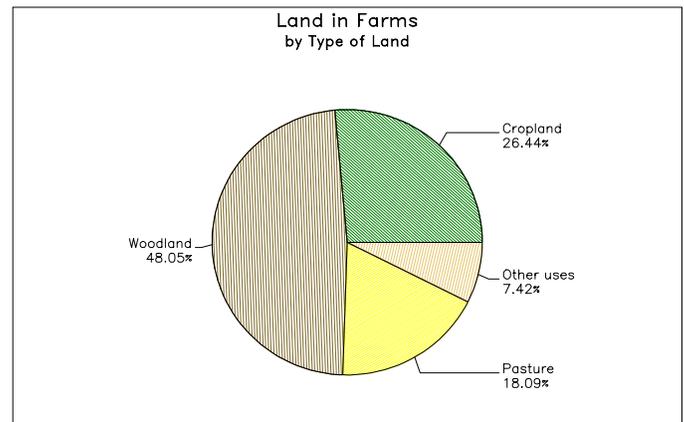
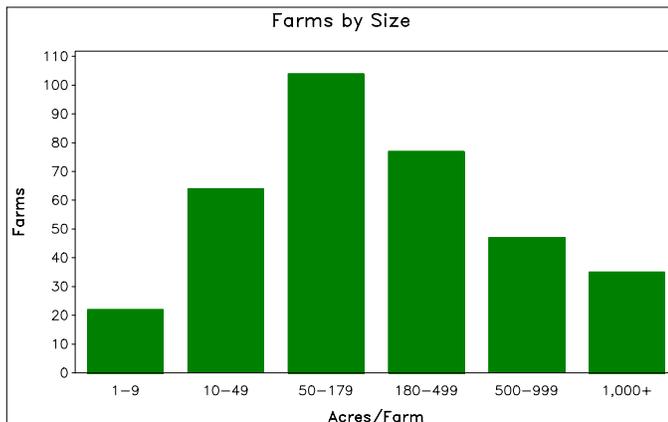
\$56,473 in 2002, \$36,439 in 1997, up 55 percent.

Government Payments

\$586,000 in 2002, \$721,000 in 1997, down 19 percent.

Government Payments, average per farm receiving payments

\$4,410 in 2002, \$6,937 in 1997, down 36 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	19,709	45	67	2,105	3,075
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	363	65	67	2,943	3,070
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	19,347	35	67	1,329	3,070
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	17	62	66	2,680	2,871
Tobacco	-	-	3	-	560
Cotton and cottonseed	(D)	(D)	56	(D)	656
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	(D)	(D)	66	(D)	2,747
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	(D)	(D)	67	(D)	2,638
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	32	53	62	2,365	2,708
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	-	-	34	-	1,774
Other crops and hay	(D)	(D)	67	(D)	3,046
Poultry and eggs	(D)	(D)	66	(D)	2,918
Cattle and calves	(D)	(D)	67	(D)	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	71	46	67	2,098	3,014
Aquaculture	13,291	2	62	18	1,520
Other animals and other animal products	(D)	(D)	60	(D)	2,727
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Cattle and calves	16,650	40	67	1,637	3,059
Hogs and pigs	(D)	5	65	(D)	2,926
Rabbits	(D)	2	41	(D)	1,966
Horses and ponies	440	53	67	2,291	3,065
Layers 20 weeks old and older	203	63	67	2,464	2,983
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	9,543	36	67	1,823	3,059
Corn for grain	315	54	67	2,102	2,592
All Vegetables harvested	110	30	66	1,209	2,710
Watermelons	50	19	65	360	1,753
Sweet corn	24	28	65	978	2,279

Other County Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales	
Less than \$1,000	109
\$1,000 to \$2,499	52
\$2,500 to \$4,999	41
\$5,000 to \$9,999	37
\$10,000 to \$19,999	44
\$20,000 to \$24,999	12
\$25,000 to \$39,999	12
\$40,000 to \$49,999	6
\$50,000 to \$99,999	10
\$100,000 to \$249,999	7
\$250,000 to \$499,999	10
\$500,000 or more	9
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	17,039
Average per farm (\$)	48,684
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	5,502
Average per farm (\$)	15,719

Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Farming	195
Other	154
Principal operators by sex:	
Male	300
Female	49
Average age of principal operator (years)	57.3
All operators ² by race:	
White	287
Black or African American	163
American Indian or Alaska Native	6
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
Asian	-
More than one race	3
All operators ² of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin	4

(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.