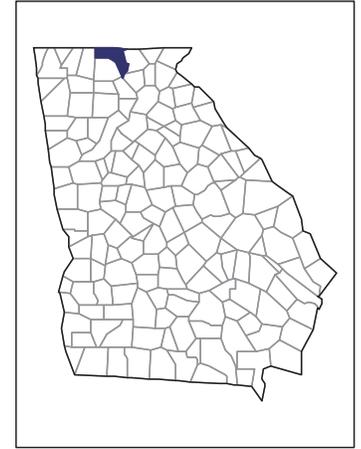


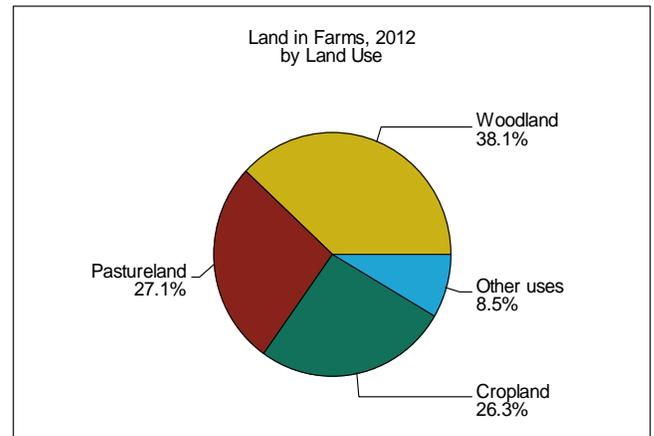
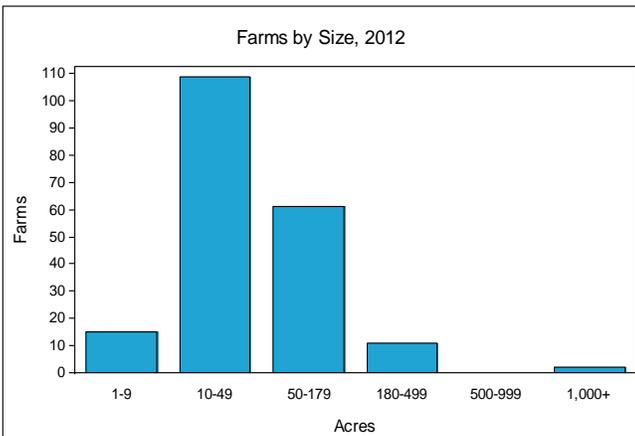
# 2012 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

## COUNTY PROFILE



### Fannin County Georgia

	2012	2007	% change
<b>Number of Farms</b>	198	243	- 19
<b>Land in Farms</b>	13,872 acres	18,811 acres	- 26
<b>Average Size of Farm</b>	70 acres	77 acres	- 9
<b>Market Value of Products Sold</b>	\$16,096,000	\$18,127,000	- 11
Crop Sales \$1,289,000 (8 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$14,807,000 (92 percent)			
<b>Average Per Farm</b>	\$81,294	\$74,598	+ 9
<b>Government Payments</b>	\$16,000	\$6,000	+ 167
<b>Average Per Farm Receiving Payments</b>	\$1,422	\$342	+ 316





## Fannin 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	16,096	107	159	2,480	3,077
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	1,289	128	159	2,823	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	14,807	76	159	1,859	3,076
<b>VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)</b>					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	394	103	151	2,451	2,926
Tobacco	-	-	29	-	436
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	84	-	635
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	(D)	(D)	152	(D)	2,802
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	566	58	156	665	2,724
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	(D)	(D)	144	(D)	2,678
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	-	-	65	-	1,530
Other crops and hay	229	123	157	2,737	3,049
Poultry and eggs	13,511	67	153	536	3,013
Cattle and calves	644	117	158	2,732	3,056
Milk from cows	-	-	67	-	2,038
Hogs and pigs	7	54	124	2,224	2,827
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, and milk	3	143	154	2,892	2,988
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	30	58	143	2,506	3,011
Aquaculture	504	8	57	338	1,366
Other animals and other animal products	108	21	135	1,053	2,924
<b>TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)</b>					
Forage-land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	1,999	105	159	2,700	3,057
Corn for grain	488	77	139	2,086	2,638
Apples	295	1	81	118	2,167
Soybeans for beans	90	105	115	2,028	2,162
Vegetables harvested, all	37	80	152	1,772	2,801
<b>TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)</b>					
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	598,110	67	132	368	2,723
Layers	(D)	(D)	156	(D)	3,040
Pullets for laying flock replacement	(D)	40	116	(D)	2,637
Roosters	(D)	38	105	(D)	2,120
Cattle and calves	2,220	114	158	2,704	3,063

### Other County Highlights, 2012

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	63	Farming	82
\$1,000 to \$2,499	33	Other	116
\$2,500 to \$4,999	26	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	29	Male	173
\$10,000 to \$19,999	15	Female	25
\$20,000 to \$24,999	3	Average age of principal operator (years)	63.6
\$25,000 to \$39,999	6	All operators by race <sup>2</sup> :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	2	American Indian or Alaska Native	3
\$50,000 to \$99,999	7	Asian	-
\$100,000 to \$249,999	4	Black or African American	-
\$250,000 to \$499,999	2	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	8	White	305
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	16,541	More than one race	-
Average per farm (\$)	83,540	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin <sup>2</sup>	4
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	-27		
Average per farm (\$)	-136		

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.