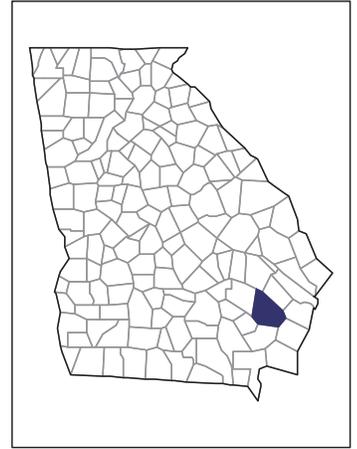


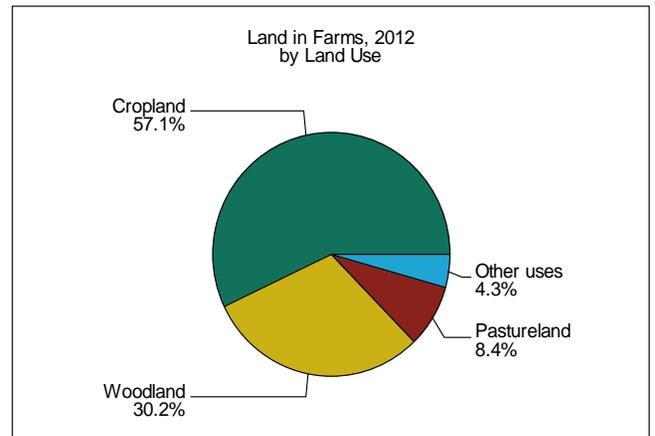
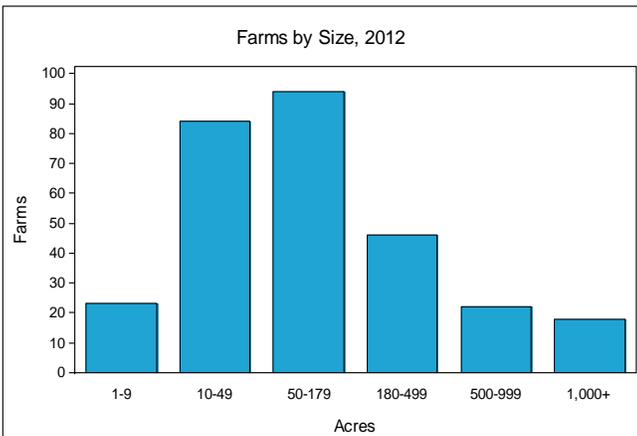
2012 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

COUNTY PROFILE



Wayne County Georgia

	2012	2007	% change
Number of Farms	287	313	- 8
Land in Farms	62,268 acres	56,790 acres	+ 10
Average Size of Farm	217 acres	181 acres	+ 20
Market Value of Products Sold	\$44,329,000	\$28,705,000	+ 54
Crop Sales \$26,494,000 (60 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$17,835,000 (40 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$154,457	\$91,710	+ 68
Government Payments	\$748,000	\$896,000	- 17
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$6,129	\$7,863	- 22





Wayne County – Georgia

Ranked items among the 159 state counties and 3,079 U.S. counties, 2012

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	44,329	68	159	1,865	3,077
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	26,494	45	159	1,560	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	17,835	69	159	1,703	3,076
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	5,888	34	151	1,694	2,926
Tobacco	(D)	10	29	(D)	436
Cotton and cottonseed	8,164	37	84	200	635
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	(D)	22	152	(D)	2,802
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	1,621	37	156	377	2,724
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	(D)	(D)	144	(D)	2,678
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	(D)	13	65	(D)	1,530
Other crops and hay	6,075	45	157	497	3,049
Poultry and eggs	15,659	62	153	511	3,013
Cattle and calves	1,919	71	158	2,353	3,056
Milk from cows	(D)	61	67	(D)	2,038
Hogs and pigs	6	63	124	2,301	2,827
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, and milk	(D)	(D)	154	(D)	2,988
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	24	71	143	2,614	3,011
Aquaculture	-	-	57	-	1,366
Other animals and other animal products	23	45	135	1,846	2,924
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Cotton, all	11,773	38	84	210	635
Upland cotton	11,773	38	84	210	635
Peanuts for nuts	5,958	41	75	80	364
Soybeans for beans	5,895	10	115	1,245	2,162
Forage-land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	3,775	59	159	2,393	3,057
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Layers	706,530	9	156	140	3,040
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	321,600	76	132	441	2,723
Cattle and calves	5,299	71	158	2,361	3,063
Horses and ponies	493	38	159	2,063	3,072
Goats, all	465	46	155	1,318	2,996

Other County Highlights, 2012

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	85	Farming	119
\$1,000 to \$2,499	20	Other	168
\$2,500 to \$4,999	28	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	32	Male	258
\$10,000 to \$19,999	17	Female	29
\$20,000 to \$24,999	16	Average age of principal operator (years)	57.3
\$25,000 to \$39,999	22	All operators by race ² :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	4	American Indian or Alaska Native	1
\$50,000 to \$99,999	7	Asian	-
\$100,000 to \$249,999	18	Black or African American	-
\$250,000 to \$499,999	5	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	33	White	424
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	33,167	More than one race	2
Average per farm (\$)	115,565	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin ²	-
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	13,260		
Average per farm (\$)	46,204		

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.

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.