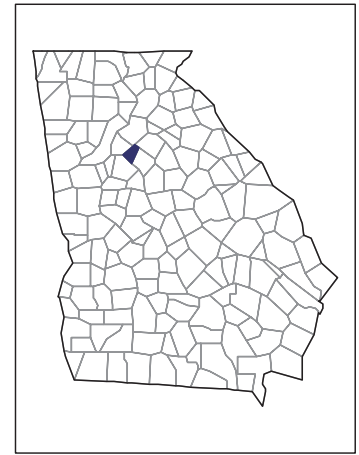


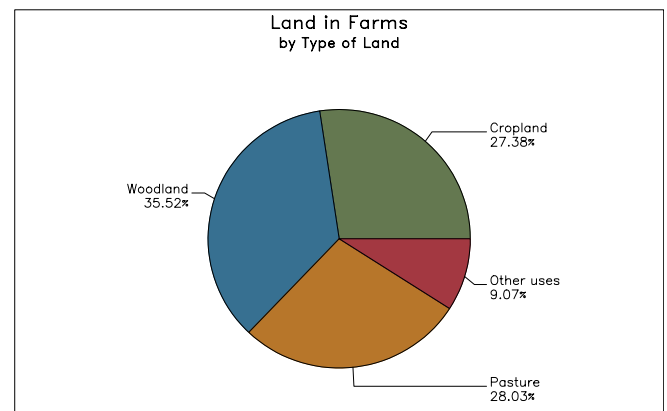
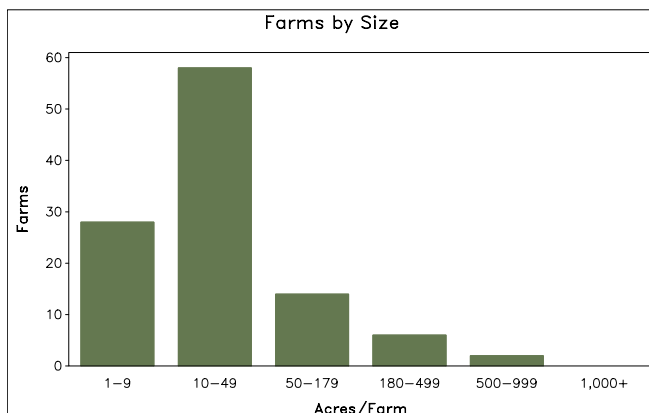
2007 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

County Profile

Rockdale, Georgia



	2007	2002	% change
Number of Farms	108	140	- 23
Land in Farms	6,329 acres	8,789 acres	- 28
Average Size of Farm	59 acres	63 acres	- 7
Market Value of Production	(D)	\$852,000	
Crop Sales \$476,000			
Livestock Sales (D)			
Average Per Farm	(D)	\$6,083	
Government Payments	(D)	\$67,000	
Average Per Farm	(D)	\$4,497	



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Ranked items among the 159 state counties and 3,079 U.S. counties, 2007

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	(D)	(D)	159	(D)	3,076
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	476	141	159	2,931	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	(D)	(D)	159	(D)	3,069
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	(-)	(-)	148	(-)	2,933
Tobacco	(-)	(-)	36	(-)	437
Cotton and cottonseed	(-)	(-)	84	(-)	626
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	(D)	(D)	146	(D)	2,796
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	(D)	(D)	152	(D)	2,659
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	320	91	146	1,619	2,703
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	(D)	(D)	74	(D)	1,710
Other crops and hay	105	135	158	2,839	3,054
Poultry and eggs	6	140	155	2,660	3,020
Cattle and calves	161	145	159	2,939	3,054
Milk and other dairy products from cows	(D)	(D)	115	(D)	2,493
Hogs and pigs	(-)	(-)	140	(-)	2,922
Sheep, goats, and their products	(D)	(D)	152	(D)	2,998
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	29	90	153	2,493	3,024
Aquaculture	(-)	(-)	65	(-)	1,498
Other animals and other animal products	0	115	133	2,736	2,875
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Cattle and calves	647	148	159	2,946	3,060
Horses and ponies	469	64	159	2,310	3,066
Layers	200	117	152	2,660	3,024
Goats, All	(D)	139	157	(D)	3,023
Pullets for laying flock replacement	(D)	70	106	(D)	2,627
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Forage-land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	909	142	159	2,891	3,060
Nursery stock	9	75	117	1,445	2,130
Grapes	4	57	113	1,111	2,040
Vegetables harvested, all ³	(D)	(D)	148	(D)	2,794
Sweet corn ³	(D)	(D)	126	(D)	2,384

Other County Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	60	Farming	54
\$1,000 to \$2,499	15	Other	54
\$2,500 to \$4,999	7	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	7	Male	65
\$10,000 to \$19,999	8	Female	43
\$20,000 to \$24,999	1	Average age of principal operator (years)	59.8
\$25,000 to \$39,999	3	All operators ² by race:	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	(-)	American Indian or Alaska Native	(-)
\$50,000 to \$99,999	7	Asian	1
\$100,000 to \$249,999	(-)	Black or African American	(-)
\$250,000 to \$499,999	(-)	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	(-)
\$500,000 or more	(-)	White	178
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	1,842	More than one race	(-)
Average per farm (\$)	17,055	All operators ² of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin	(-)
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	-922		
Average per farm (\$)	-8,537		

(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.

³ Items with a rank that cannot be disclosed are separated by a blank line, position in table does not indicate rank.