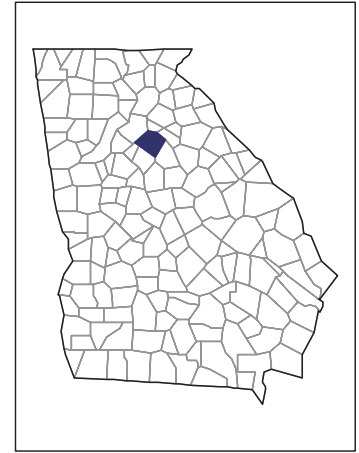


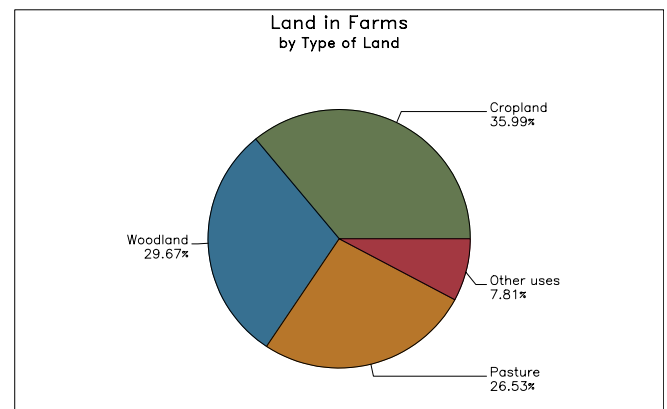
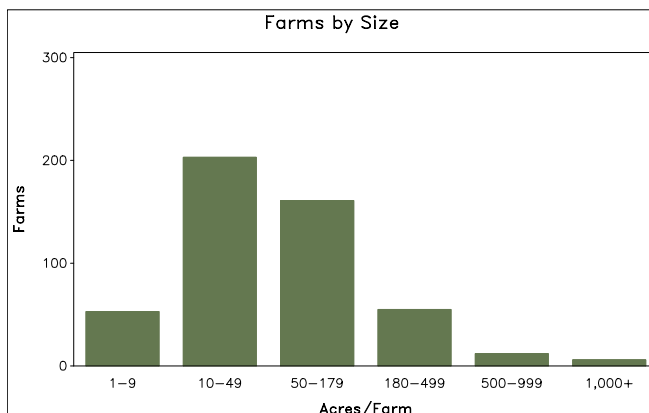
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## County Profile

### Walton, Georgia



	2007	2002	% change
<b>Number of Farms</b>	490	679	- 28
<b>Land in Farms</b>	53,696 acres	66,136 acres	- 19
<b>Average Size of Farm</b>	110 acres	97 acres	+ 13
<b>Market Value of Production</b>	\$37,260,000	\$32,137,000	+ 16
Crop Sales \$10,719,000 (29 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$26,541,000 (71 percent)			
<b>Average Per Farm</b>	\$76,040	\$47,330	+ 61
<b>Government Payments</b>	\$241,000	\$304,000	- 21
<b>Average Per Farm</b>	\$1,897	\$1,770	+ 7



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

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	37,260	62	159	1,816	3,076
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	10,719	60	159	1,830	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	26,541	54	159	1,293	3,069
<b>VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)</b>					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	143	89	148	2,410	2,933
Tobacco	(-)	(-)	36	(-)	437
Cotton and cottonseed	(D)	(D)	84	(D)	626
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	(D)	(D)	146	(D)	2,796
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	203	80	152	1,077	2,659
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	9,620	10	146	301	2,703
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	(D)	(D)	74	(D)	1,710
Other crops and hay	570	72	158	2,053	3,054
Poultry and eggs	17,822	56	155	431	3,020
Cattle and calves	8,253	3	159	1,333	3,054
Milk and other dairy products from cows	(-)	(-)	115	(-)	2,493
Hogs and pigs	11	71	140	2,211	2,922
Sheep, goats, and their products	(D)	(D)	152	(D)	2,998
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	382	12	153	627	3,024
Aquaculture	(D)	(D)	65	(D)	1,498
Other animals and other animal products	31	35	133	1,587	2,875
<b>TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)</b>					
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	1,187,220	53	124	288	2,476
Layers	(D)	31	152	(D)	3,024
Pullets for laying flock replacement	(D)	28	106	(D)	2,627
Cattle and calves	10,879	35	159	1,929	3,060
Horses and ponies	1,358	9	159	985	3,066
<b>TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)</b>					
Forage-land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	7,285	23	159	2,003	3,060
Nursery stock	958	1	117	99	2,130
Wheat for grain, all	695	68	117	1,747	2,481
Pecans, all	(D)	81	135	(D)	1,315
Short-rotation woody crops	(D)	16	41	(D)	1,134

#### Other County Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	196	Farming	194
\$1,000 to \$2,499	42	Other	296
\$2,500 to \$4,999	62	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	66	Male	408
\$10,000 to \$19,999	38	Female	82
\$20,000 to \$24,999	10	Average age of principal operator (years)	59.4
\$25,000 to \$39,999	14	All operators <sup>2</sup> by race:	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	3	American Indian or Alaska Native	6
\$50,000 to \$99,999	19	Asian	12
\$100,000 to \$249,999	12	Black or African American	(-)
\$250,000 to \$499,999	6	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	(-)
\$500,000 or more	22	White	686
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	31,197	More than one race	2
Average per farm (\$)	63,668	All operators <sup>2</sup> of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin	16
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	7,719		
Average per farm (\$)	15,752		

(D) Cannot be disclosed. (Z) Less than half of the unit shown. See "Census of Agriculture, Volume 1, Geographic Area Series" for complete footnotes.

<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.