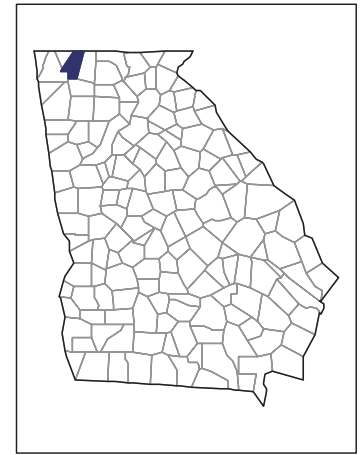


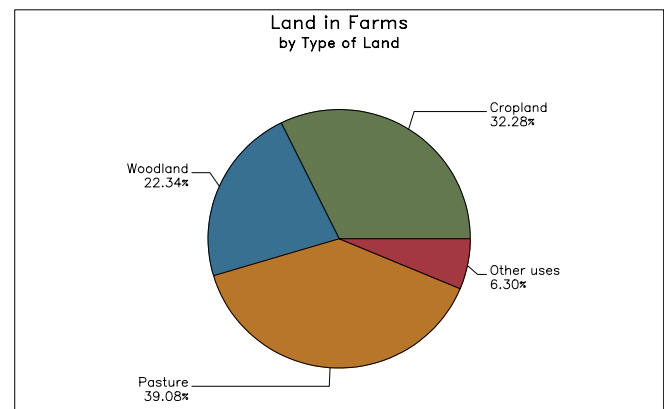
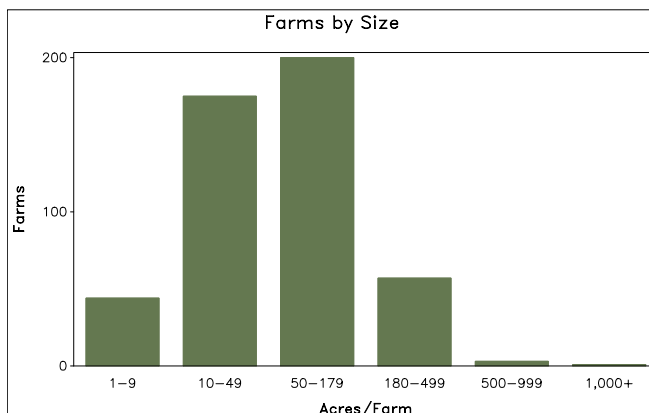
2007 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

County Profile



Whitfield, Georgia

	2007	2002	% change
Number of Farms	480	418	+ 15
Land in Farms	42,750 acres	43,302 acres	- 1
Average Size of Farm	89 acres	104 acres	- 14
Market Value of Production	\$108,381,000	\$74,146,000	+ 46
Crop Sales \$680,000 (1 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$107,700,000 (99 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$225,793	\$177,383	+ 27
Government Payments	\$133,000	\$88,000	+ 51
Average Per Farm	\$4,584	\$1,877	+ 144



2007 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

County Profile

Whitfield, Georgia

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	108,381	17	159	818	3,076
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	680	134	159	2,880	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	107,700	15	159	351	3,069
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	152	88	148	2,402	2,933
Tobacco	(-)	(-)	36	(-)	437
Cotton and cottonseed	(-)	(-)	84	(-)	626
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	(-)	(-)	146	(-)	2,796
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	(-)	(-)	152	(-)	2,659
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	273	96	146	1,691	2,703
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	(-)	(-)	74	(-)	1,710
Other crops and hay	255	98	158	2,558	3,054
Poultry and eggs	103,985	14	155	101	3,020
Cattle and calves	3,341	38	159	1,992	3,054
Milk and other dairy products from cows	81	82	115	2,047	2,493
Hogs and pigs	13	70	140	2,169	2,922
Sheep, goats, and their products	15	70	152	2,430	2,998
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	256	21	153	913	3,024
Aquaculture	(D)	(D)	65	(D)	1,498
Other animals and other animal products	(D)	(D)	133	(D)	2,875
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	3,348,665	23	124	151	2,476
Layers	240,295	19	152	252	3,024
Pullets for laying flock replacement	41,667	36	106	353	2,627
Cattle and calves	9,972	42	159	2,004	3,060
Horses and ponies	915	15	159	1,496	3,066
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Forage-land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	7,859	22	159	1,933	3,060
Soybeans for beans	321	79	97	1,741	2,039
Corn for grain	(D)	87	138	(D)	2,634
Wheat for grain, all	(D)	95	117	(D)	2,481
Rye for grain	(D)	96	99	(D)	977

Other County Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	197	Farming	164
\$1,000 to \$2,499	57	Other	316
\$2,500 to \$4,999	38		
\$5,000 to \$9,999	41	Principal operators by sex:	
\$10,000 to \$19,999	52	Male	403
\$20,000 to \$24,999	10	Female	77
\$25,000 to \$39,999	14		
\$40,000 to \$49,999	2	Average age of principal operator (years)	58.5
\$50,000 to \$99,999	10		
\$100,000 to \$249,999	9	All operators ² by race:	
\$250,000 to \$499,999	12	American Indian or Alaska Native	(-)
\$500,000 or more	38	Asian	4
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	95,609	Black or African American	12
Average per farm (\$)	199,186	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	(-)
		White	662
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	13,248	More than one race	3
Average per farm (\$)	27,600	All operators ² of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin	(-)

(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.