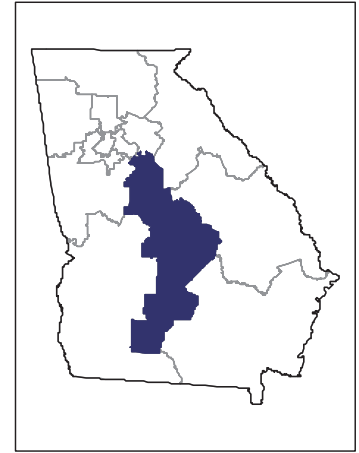


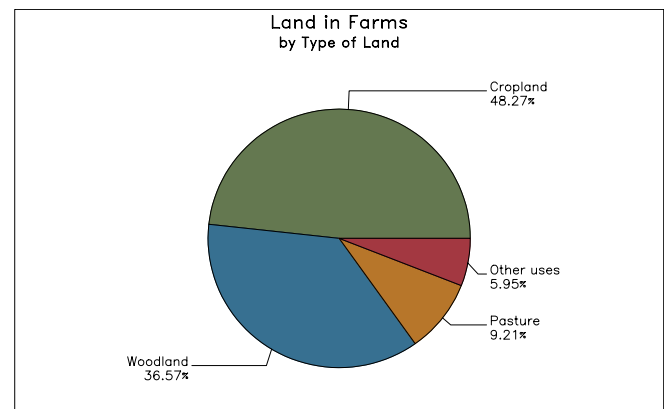
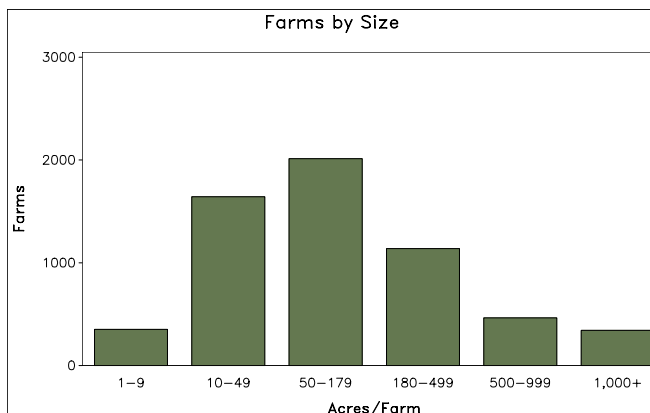
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Congressional District Profile

Georgia 8th District



	2007	2002	% change
Number of Farm Operators	8,431	(NA)	
Number of Farms	5,953	(NA)	
Land in Farms	1,624,260 acres	(NA)	
Average Size of Farm	273 acres	(NA)	
Irrigated Land	226,238 acres	(NA)	
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Market Value of Products Sold	\$716,808,000	(NA)	
Average Per Farm	\$120,411	(NA)	
Gross Income, Farm Related Sources	\$28,269,000	(NA)	
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Government Payments	\$51,883,000	(NA)	
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$18,576	(NA)	



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Georgia 8th District

Ranked items among the 13 congressional districts in the state, and among the 435 congressional districts in the U.S., 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	716,808	4	13	114	425
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	431,153	2	13	86	425
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	285,656	6	13	133	415
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	50,774	3	11	124	371
Tobacco	9,779	2	4	24	81
Cotton and cottonseed	99,736	2	8	13	102
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	139,091	1	13	25	403
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	18,944	4	13	77	398
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	(D)	4	12	132	421
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	323	4	11	130	328
Other crops and hay	(D)	2	13	31	389
Poultry and eggs	220,085	6	13	48	395
Cattle and calves	38,068	4	13	163	393
Milk and other dairy products from cows	22,876	5	11	156	343
Hogs and pigs	2,267	6	10	134	368
Sheep, goats, and their products	627	3	12	157	383
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	1,242	8	13	238	401
Aquaculture	(D)	10	10	(D)	336
Other animals and other animal products	(D)	6	13	(D)	395
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Cotton, all	243,700	2	8	12	103
Peanuts for nuts	115,837	2	5	3	68
Corn for grain	78,387	3	11	109	343
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	70,155	5	13	164	398
Wheat for grain, all	40,584	3	9	76	319
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	13,898,573	6	12	33	345
Layers	(D)	4	13	(D)	395
Pullets for laying flock replacement	374,612	4	11	72	356
Quail	(D)	6	10	14	318
Cattle and calves	134,898	4	13	147	396

Other Congressional District Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	2,322	Farming	2,657
\$1,000 to \$2,499	576	Other	3,296
\$2,500 to \$4,999	479	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	522	Male	5,053
\$10,000 to \$19,999	462	Female	900
\$20,000 to \$24,999	134	Average age of principal operator (years)	58.0
\$25,000 to \$39,999	246	All operators by race ² :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	93	American Indian or Alaska Native	60
\$50,000 to \$99,999	231	Asian	51
\$100,000 to \$249,999	405	Black or African American	351
\$250,000 to \$499,999	206	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	2
\$500,000 or more	277	White	7,794
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	612,294	More than one race	79
Average per farm (\$)	102,855	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin ²	48
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	184,666		
Average per farm (\$)	31,021		

See "Census of Agriculture, Volume 1, Geographic Area Series" for complete footnotes, explanations, definitions, and methodology.

(D) Cannot be disclosed. (NA) Not available. (Z) Less than half of the unit shown.

¹ Universe is number of congressional districts in state or U.S. with item. ² Data were collected for a maximum of three operators per farm.