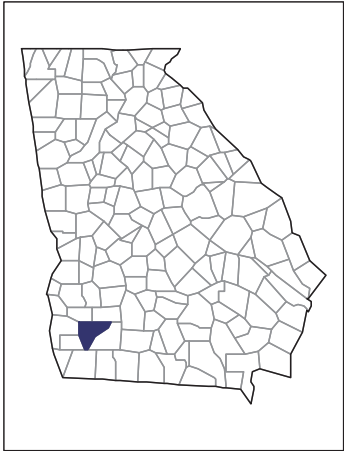


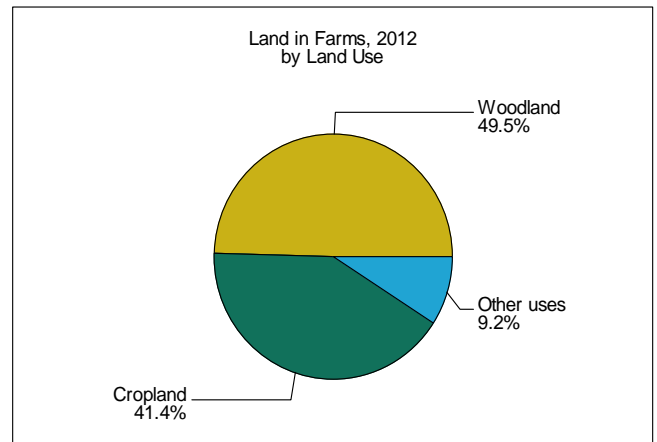
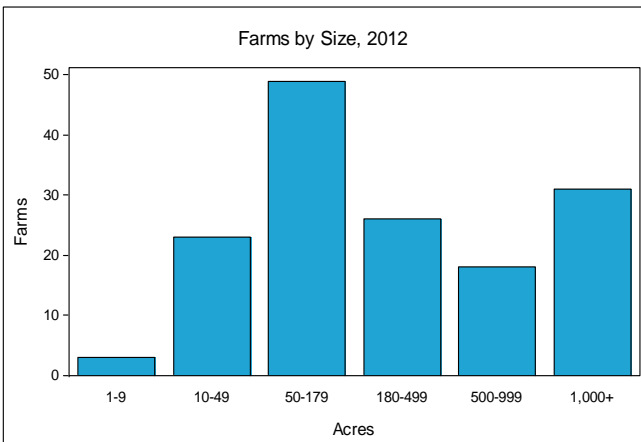
# 2012 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

## COUNTY PROFILE



### Baker County Georgia

	2012	2007	% change
<b>Number of Farms</b>	150	156	- 4
<b>Land in Farms</b>	146,478 acres	135,181 acres	+ 8
<b>Average Size of Farm</b>	977 acres	867 acres	+ 13
<b>Market Value of Products Sold</b>	\$84,393,000	\$42,064,000	+ 101
Crop Sales \$62,467,000 (74 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$21,926,000 (26 percent)			
<b>Average Per Farm</b>	\$562,622	\$269,639	+ 109
<b>Government Payments</b>	\$3,011,000	\$2,986,000	+ 1
<b>Average Per Farm Receiving Payments</b>	\$26,882	\$27,910	- 4





## Baker County – Georgia

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

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	84,393	35	159	1,326	3,077
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	62,467	25	159	997	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	21,926	60	159	1,547	3,076
<b>VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)</b>					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	14,552	11	151	1,360	2,926
Tobacco	-	-	29	-	436
Cotton and cottonseed	16,521	29	84	111	635
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	13	141	152	2,539	2,802
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	(D)	63	156	(D)	2,724
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	(D)	(D)	144	(D)	2,678
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	-	-	65	-	1,530
Other crops and hay	29,376	9	157	102	3,049
Poultry and eggs	17,121	57	153	492	3,013
Cattle and calves	(D)	36	158	(D)	3,056
Milk from cows	-	-	67	-	2,038
Hogs and pigs	10	48	124	2,114	2,827
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, and milk	7	121	154	2,754	2,988
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	(D)	142	143	2,999	3,011
Aquaculture	(D)	6	57	(D)	1,366
Other animals and other animal products	(D)	(D)	135	(D)	2,924
<b>TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)</b>					
Peanuts for nuts	21,031	11	75	18	364
Cotton, all	17,141	31	84	157	635
Upland cotton	17,141	31	84	156	635
Corn for grain	8,388	11	139	1,255	2,638
Forage-land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	4,169	47	159	2,325	3,057
<b>TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)</b>					
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	612,815	65	132	365	2,723
Layers	133,600	27	156	326	3,040
Roosters	16,011	21	105	139	2,120
Cattle and calves	7,000	58	158	2,202	3,063
Quail	(D)	23	46	(D)	944

### Other County Highlights, 2012

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	37	Farming	109
\$1,000 to \$2,499	2	Other	41
\$2,500 to \$4,999	13	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	13	Male	135
\$10,000 to \$19,999	1	Female	15
\$20,000 to \$24,999	1	Average age of principal operator (years)	60.5
\$25,000 to \$39,999	3	All operators by race <sup>2</sup> :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	6	American Indian or Alaska Native	-
\$50,000 to \$99,999	16	Asian	3
\$100,000 to \$249,999	11	Black or African American	51
\$250,000 to \$499,999	7	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	40	White	158
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	62,076	More than one race	-
Average per farm (\$)	413,841	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin <sup>2</sup>	-
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	29,892		
Average per farm (\$)	199,281		

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.

<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.