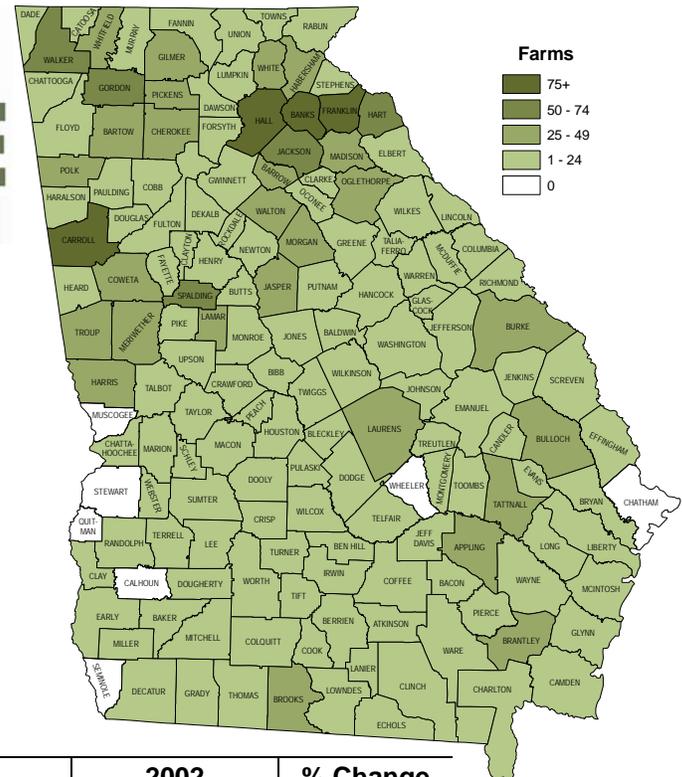


# 2007 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

## State Profile

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### Georgia Layer and Egg Farms – All

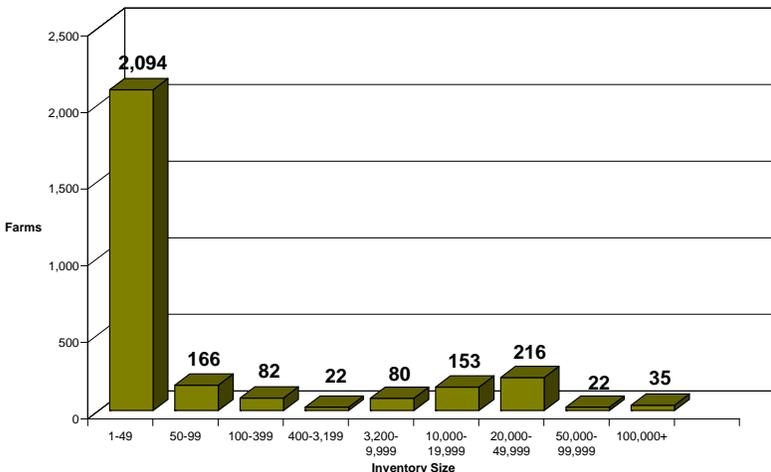


All Layers <sup>1</sup>	Unit	2007	2002	% Change
Farms	-	2,870	1,274	+125%
Inventory on Dec. 31, 2007	birds	19,273,181	20,022,117	-4%
Table egg layer inventory	birds	10,721,601	NA	-
Hatching layer inventory	birds	8,551,580	NA	-
Layers sold in 2007	birds	16,615,602	15,217,322	+9%
Table egg layers sold	birds	7,740,000	NA	-
Hatching layers sold	birds	8,875,602	NA	-

Pullets for Laying Flock Replacement	Unit	2007	2002	% Change
Farms	-	587	416	+41%
Inventory on Dec. 31, 2007	birds	7,675,221	7,384,754	+4%
Pullets sold in 2007	birds	13,533,873	13,885,761	-3%

<sup>1</sup>Includes table egg and hatching (egg type and meat type) layers.  
 NA – This information is not available for the 2002 Census of Agriculture.

### Layer and Egg Farms by Size of Inventory



Rankings of Top 5 Counties			
Rank	All Layers Sold	Table Egg Layers Sold	Hatching Layers Sold
1	Hart	Bacon	Franklin
2	Hall	Hall	Banks
3	Bacon	Hart	Hart
4	Franklin	Putnam	Gilmer
5	Banks	Jackson	Hall

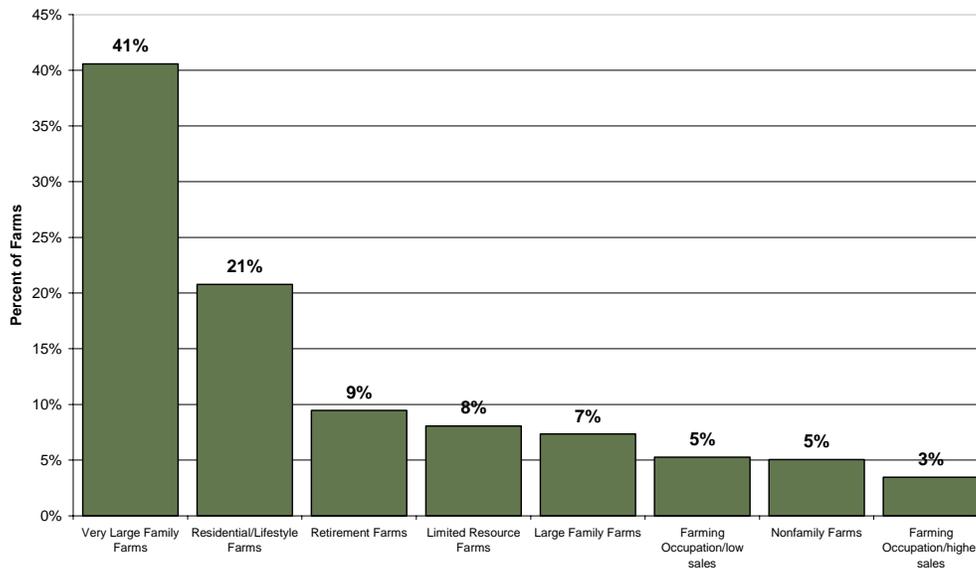
Poultry and Eggs Farms – Principal Operators <sup>1</sup>		
Age and Primary Occupation - 2007	Farming	Other
Under 25 years	14	11
25-34 years	175	130
35-44 years	510	411
45-54 years	837	622
55-64 years	881	520
65 and Over	710	220
Age and Primary Occupation - 2002	Farming	Other
Under 25 years	13	5
25-34 years	241	48
35-44 years	598	234
45-54 years	794	262
55-64 years	859	225
65 and Over	486	118

<sup>1</sup> Includes broiler operations.

Poultry and Eggs Farms – Principal Operators <sup>1</sup>		
Tenure - 2007	Farms	\$1,000
Full Owner	3,939	3,126,116
Part Owner	1,012	1,078,506
Tenants	90	42,143
Operators of Farm		
One operator	2,424	2,280,437
More than one operator	2,617	1,966,328
Tenure - 2002	Farms	\$1,000
Full Owner	3,072	2,141,447
Part Owner	736	606,375
Tenants	75	32,393
Operators of Farm		
One operator	2,341	1,754,522
More than one operator	1,542	1,025,692

<sup>1</sup> Includes broiler operations.

## Poultry and Egg Farms Farms by Typology<sup>1</sup>



### Other State Highlights

Poultry and Egg Farms - by Economic Class <sup>1</sup>		
Market Value of Product Sold - 2007	Farms	\$1,000
\$ 1,000,000 or More	1,525	3,526,962
\$ 500,000 - 999,999	702	505,841
\$ 100,000 - 499,999	733	209,750
\$ 25,000 - 99,999	149	2,163
\$ 5,000 - 24,999	472	1,113
\$ 1,000 - 4,999	766	688
\$ Less than 1,000	694	247
<b>\$ Total</b>	<b>5,041</b>	<b>4,246,764</b>
Market Value of Product Sold - 2002	Farms	\$1,000
\$ 1,000,000 or More	780	1,650,319
\$ 500,000 - 999,999	850	611,297
\$ 100,000 - 499,999	1,634	508,574
\$ 25,000 - 99,999	148	9,271
\$ 5,000 - 24,999	127	563
\$ 1,000 - 4,999	189	155
\$ Less than 1,000	155	35
<b>\$ Total</b>	<b>3,883</b>	<b>2,780,214</b>

<sup>1</sup> Includes broiler operations.

Poultry and Egg Farms - Principal Operator Characteristics <sup>1</sup>		
Summary of Type by Organization - 2007	Farms	\$1,000
Family or Individual	4,395	2,971,170
Partnership	318	(D)
Corporation	317	823,882
Family Held	281	635,884
Other	36	187,998
Other - cooperatives, estate or trust, institutional, etc	11	(D)
Summary of Type by Organization - 2002	Farms	\$1,000
Family or Individual	3,452	1,984,229
Partnership	215	(D)
Corporation	208	562,458
Family Held	179	28,140
Other	29	274,318
Other - cooperatives, estate or trust, institutional, etc	8	(D)

<sup>1</sup> Includes broiler operations.

\* (D) denotes data that is withheld to avoid disclosing information for individual farms.