



# Mitchell County Georgia

## Total and Per Farm Overview, 2022 and change since 2017

	2022	% change since 2017
Number of farms	367	-14
Land in farms (acres)	205,689	+8
Average size of farm (acres)	560	+26
<b>Total</b>	<b>(\$)</b>	
Market value of products sold	346,092,000	+32
Government payments	10,320,000	+49
Farm-related income	13,383,000	-4
Total farm production expenses	249,750,000	+24
Net cash farm income	120,045,000	+47
<b>Per farm average</b>	<b>(\$)</b>	
Market value of products sold	943,030	+53
Government payments <sup>a</sup>	59,311	+85
Farm-related income <sup>a</sup>	81,605	+25
Total farm production expenses	680,518	+43
Net cash farm income	327,098	+70

**3** Percent of state agriculture sales

### Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	47
Livestock, poultry, and products	53

### Land in Farms by Use (acres)

Cropland	135,716
Pastureland	13,496
Woodland	46,394
Other	10,083

**Acres irrigated: 75,488**

37% of land in farms

### Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	16
Reduced till	10
Intensive till	21
Cover crop	12

## Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total <sup>b</sup>
Less than \$2,500	111	30
\$2,500 to \$4,999	26	7
\$5,000 to \$9,999	21	6
\$10,000 to \$24,999	40	11
\$25,000 to \$49,999	18	5
\$50,000 to \$99,999	11	3
\$100,000 or more	140	38

## Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total <sup>b</sup>
1 to 9 acres	12	3
10 to 49 acres	113	31
50 to 179 acres	90	25
180 to 499 acres	56	15
500 to 999 acres	41	11
1,000+ acres	55	15

Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold

	Sales (\$1,000)	Rank in State <sup>c</sup>	Counties Producing Item	Rank in U.S. <sup>c</sup>	Counties Producing Item
<b>Total</b>	<b>346,092</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>159</b>	<b>399</b>	<b>3,078</b>
<b>Crops</b>	<b>163,404</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>159</b>	<b>497</b>	<b>3,074</b>
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	16,403	11	147	1,362	2,917
Tobacco	-	-	17	-	267
Cotton and cottonseed	46,350	5	92	24	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	27,595	7	155	129	2,831
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	23,943	5	157	116	2,711
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	6,603	22	139	403	2,660
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	-	-	49	-	1,274
Other crops and hay	42,510	1	152	75	3,035
<b>Livestock, poultry, and products</b>	<b>182,688</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>159</b>	<b>371</b>	<b>3,076</b>
Poultry and eggs	136,044	18	154	168	3,027
Cattle and calves	(D)	2	156	(D)	3,047
Milk from cows	(D)	6	66	(D)	1,770
Hogs and pigs	20	34	124	1,362	2,814
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	78	28	155	1,592	2,967
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	68	46	140	1,716	2,907
Aquaculture	(D)	1	41	(D)	1,190
Other animals and animal products	29	50	143	1,445	2,909

<b>Producers <sup>d</sup></b>	<b>648</b>	<b>Percent of farms that:</b>	<b>Top Crops in Acres <sup>e</sup></b>	
<b>Sex</b>		Have internet access	76	
Male	431			
Female	217	Farm organically	1	
<b>Age</b>		Sell directly to consumers	4	
<35	52	Hire farm labor	44	
35 – 64	308	Are family farms	89	
65 and older	288			
<b>Race</b>			<b>Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2022)</b>	
American Indian/Alaska Native	5		Broilers and other meat-type chickens	4,112,302
Asian	11		Cattle and calves	23,907
Black or African American	73		Goats	285
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	-		Hogs and pigs	79
White	552		Horses and ponies	109
More than one race	7		Layers	(D)
<b>Other characteristics</b>			Pullets	60
Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	-		Sheep and lambs	236
With military service	66		Turkeys	(D)
New and beginning farmers	176			

<sup>a</sup> Average per farm receiving. <sup>b</sup> May not add to 100% due to rounding. <sup>c</sup> Among counties whose rank can be displayed. <sup>d</sup> Data collected for a maximum of four producers per farm. <sup>e</sup> Crop commodity names may be shortened; see full names at [www.nass.usda.gov/go/cropnames.pdf](http://www.nass.usda.gov/go/cropnames.pdf). <sup>f</sup> Position below the line does not indicate rank. (D) Withheld to avoid disclosing data for individual operations. (NA) Not available. (Z) Less than half of the unit shown. (-) Represents zero.