



# Georgia 5th District

## Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017

	2017
Number of farms	37
Land in farms (acres)	3,697
Average size of farm (acres)	100
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<b>Total</b>	(\$)
Market value of products sold	216,000
Government payments	97,000
Farm-related income	60,000
Total farm production expenses	776,000
Net cash farm income	-403,000
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<b>Per farm average</b>	(\$)
Market value of products sold	5,835
Government payments (average per farm receiving)	8,113
Farm-related income	4,972
Total farm production expenses	20,981
Net cash farm income	-10,902

## (Z) Percent of state agriculture sales

### Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	49
Livestock, poultry, and products	51

### Land in Farms by Use (%) <sup>a</sup>

Cropland	15
Pastureland	2
Woodland	79
Other	4

### Acres irrigated: 21

(D)% of land in farms

### Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	27
Reduced till	22
Intensive till	22
Cover crop	49

## Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total <sup>a</sup>
Less than \$2,500	19	51
\$2,500 to \$4,999	6	16
\$5,000 to \$9,999	3	8
\$10,000 to \$24,999	7	19
\$25,000 to \$49,999	2	5
\$50,000 to \$99,999	-	-
\$100,000 or more	-	-

## Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total <sup>a</sup>
1 to 9 acres	27	73
10 to 49 acres	4	11
50 to 179 acres	2	5
180 to 499 acres	-	-
500 to 999 acres	4	11
1,000 + acres	-	-

Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold

	Sales (\$1,000)	Rank in State <sup>b</sup>	CDs Producing Item	Rank in U.S. <sup>b</sup>	CDs Producing Item
<b>Total</b>	<b>216</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>412</b>	<b>431</b>
<b>Crops</b>	<b>106</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>411</b>	<b>431</b>
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	-	-	13	-	381
Tobacco	-	-	4	-	68
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	9	-	108
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	80	13	14	357	418
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	(D)	13	14	(D)	416
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	-	-	13	-	425
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	-	-	13	-	326
Other crops and hay	(D)	14	14	351	395
<b>Livestock, poultry, and products</b>	<b>110</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>384</b>	<b>422</b>
Poultry and eggs	4	13	14	299	404
Cattle and calves	(D)	14	14	(D)	396
Milk from cows	-	-	9	-	312
Hogs and pigs	-	-	12	-	367
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	(D)	11	14	(D)	393
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	-	-	13	-	393
Aquaculture	(D)	12	12	200	328
Other animals and animal products	(D)	13	14	(D)	413

Total Producers <sup>c</sup>

<b>Sex</b>	<b>64</b>
Male	36
Female	28
<b>Age</b>	
<35	6
35 – 64	46
65 and older	12
<b>Race</b>	
American Indian/Alaska Native	-
Asian	-
Black or African American	27
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	-
White	37
More than one race	-
<b>Other characteristics</b>	
Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	-
With military service	3
New and beginning farmers	46

Percent of farms that:

Have internet access	<b>97</b>
Farm organically	<b>-</b>
Sell directly to consumers	<b>19</b>
Hire farm labor	<b>35</b>
Are family farms	<b>78</b>

Top Crops in Acres <sup>d</sup>

Forage (hay/haylage), all	(D)
Vegetables harvested, all	21
Cut Christmas trees	(D)
Peppers, other than Bell	5
Land in Berries	4

Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017)

Broilers and other meat-type chickens	-
Cattle and calves	27
Goats	(D)
Hogs and pigs	12
Horses and ponies	9
Layers	320
Pullets	-
Sheep and lambs	(D)
Turkeys	-

See 2017 Census of Agriculture, U.S. Summary and State Data, for complete footnotes, explanations, definitions, commodity descriptions, and methodology.

<sup>a</sup> May not add to 100% due to rounding. <sup>b</sup> Among CDs whose rank can be displayed. <sup>c</sup> Data collected for a maximum of four producers per farm.

<sup>d</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>e</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.