



# Georgia 10th District

## Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017

	2017
Number of farms	5,529
Land in farms (acres)	1,116,120
Average size of farm (acres)	202
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<b>Total</b>	(\$)
Market value of products sold	921,978,000
Government payments	12,584,000
Farm-related income	23,813,000
Total farm production expenses	698,809,000
Net cash farm income	259,566,000
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<b>Per farm average</b>	(\$)
Market value of products sold	166,753
Government payments (average per farm receiving)	9,717
Farm-related income	16,559
Total farm production expenses	126,390
Net cash farm income	46,946

**10** Percent of state agriculture sales

### Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	20
Livestock, poultry, and products	80

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

Cropland	29
Pastureland	21
Woodland	43
Other	7

**Acres irrigated: 60,596**

5% of land in farms

### Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	5
Reduced till	4
Intensive till	7
Cover crop	7

## Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total <sup>a</sup>
Less than \$2,500	2,483	45
\$2,500 to \$4,999	575	10
\$5,000 to \$9,999	615	11
\$10,000 to \$24,999	714	13
\$25,000 to \$49,999	376	7
\$50,000 to \$99,999	221	4
\$100,000 or more	545	10

## Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total <sup>a</sup>
1 to 9 acres	551	10
10 to 49 acres	1,608	29
50 to 179 acres	1,869	34
180 to 499 acres	974	18
500 to 999 acres	320	6
1,000 + acres	207	4

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>921,978</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>114</b>	<b>431</b>
<b>Crops</b>	<b>180,774</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>178</b>	<b>431</b>
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	26,328	4	13	176	381
Tobacco	-	-	4	-	68
Cotton and cottonseed	17,060	5	9	55	108
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	3,555	6	14	240	418
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	9,065	5	14	113	416
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	86,768	1	13	46	425
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	199	3	13	133	326
Other crops and hay	37,799	4	14	81	395
<b>Livestock, poultry, and products</b>	<b>741,205</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>70</b>	<b>422</b>
Poultry and eggs	583,754	3	14	26	404
Cattle and calves	62,215	1	14	124	396
Milk from cows	74,609	2	9	88	312
Hogs and pigs	14,470	2	12	81	367
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	1,184	1	14	125	393
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	2,091	2	13	142	393
Aquaculture	1,493	4	12	94	328
Other animals and animal products	1,388	5	14	142	413

Total Producers <sup>c</sup>

8,971

Sex

Male  
Female

5,876  
3,095

Age

<35  
35 – 64  
65 and older

561  
5,063  
3,347

Race

American Indian/Alaska Native  
Asian  
Black or African American  
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander  
White  
More than one race

26  
46  
329  
6  
8,503  
61

Other characteristics

Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin  
With military service  
New and beginning farmers

172  
1,168  
2,876

Percent of farms that:

Have internet  
access

76

Farm  
organically

(Z)

Sell directly to  
consumers

6

Hire  
farm labor

26

Are family  
farms

97

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

Forage (hay/haylage), all 121,262  
Cotton, all 25,253  
Peanuts for nuts 21,949  
Corn for grain 19,901  
Soybeans for beans 17,325

Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017)

Broilers and other  
meat-type chickens (D)  
Cattle and calves 183,533  
Goats 13,297  
Hogs and pigs 20,656  
Horses and ponies 7,370  
Layers 3,964,192  
Pullets 1,030,039  
Sheep and lambs 4,968  
Turkeys 270

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.