



Georgia 14th District

Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017

	2017
Number of farms	4,449
Land in farms (acres)	547,188
Average size of farm (acres)	123
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Total	(\$)
Market value of products sold	1,076,043,000
Government payments	5,700,000
Farm-related income	14,185,000
Total farm production expenses	745,083,000
Net cash farm income	350,845,000
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Per farm average	(\$)
Market value of products sold	241,862
Government payments (average per farm receiving)	5,450
Farm-related income	13,962
Total farm production expenses	167,472
Net cash farm income	78,859

11 Percent of state agriculture sales

Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	4
Livestock, poultry, and products	96

Land in Farms by Use (%) ^a

Cropland	31
Pastureland	33
Woodland	30
Other	6

Acres irrigated: 3,766

1% of land in farms

Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	5
Reduced till	1
Intensive till	4
Cover crop	6

Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total ^a
Less than \$2,500	1,827	41
\$2,500 to \$4,999	554	12
\$5,000 to \$9,999	586	13
\$10,000 to \$24,999	554	12
\$25,000 to \$49,999	298	7
\$50,000 to \$99,999	143	3
\$100,000 or more	487	11

Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total ^a
1 to 9 acres	463	10
10 to 49 acres	1,724	39
50 to 179 acres	1,493	34
180 to 499 acres	609	14
500 to 999 acres	104	2
1,000 + acres	56	1

Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold

	Sales (\$1,000)	Rank in State ^b	CDs Producing Item	Rank in U.S. ^b	CDs Producing Item
Total	1,076,043	5	14	99	431
Crops	47,889	7	14	273	431
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	11,353	5	13	208	381
Tobacco	-	-	4	-	68
Cotton and cottonseed	(D)	7	9	79	108
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	1,398	8	14	296	418
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	970	8	14	285	416
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	10,554	10	13	273	425
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	(D)	7	13	(D)	326
Other crops and hay	22,361	6	14	132	395
Livestock, poultry, and products	1,028,154	2	14	51	422
Poultry and eggs	971,245	2	14	15	404
Cattle and calves	42,287	4	14	155	396
Milk from cows	(D)	8	9	(D)	312
Hogs and pigs	(D)	3	12	(D)	367
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	587	5	14	188	393
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	(D)	4	13	(D)	393
Aquaculture	(D)	8	12	(D)	328
Other animals and animal products	366	7	14	221	413

Total Producers ^c

7,241

Sex

Male 4,748
Female 2,493

Age

<35 622
35 – 64 4,292
65 and older 2,327

Race

American Indian/Alaska Native 16
Asian 18
Black or African American 50
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander -
White 7,111
More than one race 46

Other characteristics

Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin 102
With military service 899
New and beginning farmers 2,598

Percent of farms that:

Have internet access **76**

Farm organically **(Z)**

Sell directly to consumers **7**

Hire farm labor **23**

Are family farms **97**

Top Crops in Acres ^d

Forage (hay/haylage), all 109,002
Soybeans for beans (D)
Corn for grain (D)
Wheat for grain, all 1,845
Canola (D)

Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017)

Broilers and other meat-type chickens 45,404,427
Cattle and calves 109,288
Goats 6,895
Hogs and pigs (D)
Horses and ponies 6,923
Layers 667,048
Pullets 847,718
Sheep and lambs 2,648
Turkeys (D)

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

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

^d Crop commodity names may be shortened; see full names at www.nass.usda.gov/go/cropnames.pdf. ^e 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.