



Dade County Georgia

Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017 and change since 2012

	2017	% change since 2012
Number of farms	198	+3
Land in farms (acres)	29,054	-11
Average size of farm (acres)	147	-13
Total (\$)		
Market value of products sold	25,073,000	-15
Government payments	198,000	+2
Farm-related income	725,000	+4
Total farm production expenses	17,816,000	-32
Net cash farm income	8,180,000	+107
Per farm average (\$)		
Market value of products sold	126,631	-17
Government payments (average per farm receiving)	4,046	-61
Farm-related income	15,097	-14
Total farm production expenses	89,978	-34
Net cash farm income	41,314	+101

(Z) Percent of state agriculture sales

Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	3
Livestock, poultry, and products	97

Land in Farms by Use (%) ^a

Cropland	16
Pastureland	20
Woodland	59
Other	5

Acres irrigated: 45

(Z)% of land in farms

Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	9
Reduced till	1
Intensive till	2
Cover crop	7

Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total ^a
Less than \$2,500	77	39
\$2,500 to \$4,999	27	14
\$5,000 to \$9,999	39	20
\$10,000 to \$24,999	30	15
\$25,000 to \$49,999	15	8
\$50,000 to \$99,999	1	1
\$100,000 or more	9	5

Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total ^a
1 to 9 acres	17	9
10 to 49 acres	66	33
50 to 179 acres	86	43
180 to 499 acres	24	12
500 to 999 acres	2	1
1,000 + acres	3	2

Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold

	Sales (\$1,000)	Rank in State ^b	Counties Producing Item	Rank in U.S. ^b	Counties Producing Item
Total	25,073	93	159	2,251	3,077
Crops	804	137	159	2,865	3,073
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	27	116	148	2,526	2,916
Tobacco	-	-	25	-	323
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	90	-	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	99	80	157	1,552	2,821
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	88	102	158	1,338	2,748
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	60	104	138	1,485	2,601
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	9	38	64	539	1,384
Other crops and hay	521	108	155	2,309	3,040
Livestock, poultry, and products	24,269	60	159	1,494	3,073
Poultry and eggs	23,501	53	158	398	3,007
Cattle and calves	710	103	158	2,473	3,055
Milk from cows	-	-	64	-	1,892
Hogs and pigs	20	31	129	1,365	2,856
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	27	66	153	2,067	2,984
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	7	110	145	2,336	2,970
Aquaculture	-	-	54	-	1,251
Other animals and animal products	4	75	141	1,644	2,878

Total Producers ^c	310	Percent of farms that:	Top Crops in Acres ^d
Sex		Have internet access	Forage (hay/haylage), all 3,715
Male	193	69	Cultivated Christmas trees 90
Female	117		Corn for grain 58
Age		Farm organically	Vegetables harvested, all 21
<35	15	2	Apples 9
35 – 64	176		
65 and older	119		
Race		Sell directly to consumers	Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017)
American Indian/Alaska Native	-	10	Broilers and other meat-type chickens 1,165,650
Asian	-		Cattle and calves 3,183
Black or African American	-	Hire farm labor	Goats 553
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	-	24	Hogs and pigs 39
White	309		Horses and ponies 305
More than one race	1		Layers (D)
Other characteristics		Are family farms	Pullets -
Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	-	96	Sheep and lambs 13
With military service	54		Turkeys -
New and beginning farmers	87		

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 counties 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.