



Fulton County Georgia

Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017 and change since 2012

	2017	% change since 2012
Number of farms	195	+4
Land in farms (acres)	12,228	-13
Average size of farm (acres)	63	-17
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Total	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	2,270,000	-50
Government payments	110,000	+148
Farm-related income	848,000	-8
Total farm production expenses	7,595,000	-3
Net cash farm income	-4,367,000	-87
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Per farm average	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	11,640	-52
Government payments (average per farm receiving)	5,241	+112
Farm-related income	21,743	+44
Total farm production expenses	38,949	-7
Net cash farm income	-22,397	-80

(Z) Percent of state agriculture sales

Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	40
Livestock, poultry, and products	60

Land in Farms by Use (%) ^a

Cropland	18
Pastureland	24
Woodland	50
Other	8

Acres irrigated: 188

2% of land in farms

Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	13
Reduced till	5
Intensive till	8
Cover crop	15

Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total ^a
Less than \$2,500	96	49
\$2,500 to \$4,999	27	14
\$5,000 to \$9,999	25	13
\$10,000 to \$24,999	27	14
\$25,000 to \$49,999	6	3
\$50,000 to \$99,999	12	6
\$100,000 or more	2	1

Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total ^a
1 to 9 acres	87	45
10 to 49 acres	61	31
50 to 179 acres	28	14
180 to 499 acres	14	7
500 to 999 acres	5	3
1,000 + acres	-	-

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	2,270	144	159	2,957	3,077
Crops	906	135	159	2,844	3,073
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	(D)	129	148	(D)	2,916
Tobacco	-	-	25	-	323
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	90	-	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	467	41	157	988	2,821
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	69	113	158	1,428	2,748
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	292	75	138	1,200	2,601
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	(D)	50	64	(D)	1,384
Other crops and hay	70	146	155	2,704	3,040
Livestock, poultry, and products	1,364	132	159	2,797	3,073
Poultry and eggs	26	123	158	1,482	3,007
Cattle and calves	373	121	158	2,578	3,055
Milk from cows	-	-	64	-	1,892
Hogs and pigs	(D)	70	129	(D)	2,856
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	93	8	153	1,334	2,984
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	681	3	145	305	2,970
Aquaculture	(D)	31	54	(D)	1,251
Other animals and animal products	184	17	141	549	2,878

Total Producers ^c	338	Percent of farms that:	Top Crops in Acres ^d
Sex		Have internet access	92
Male	194		
Female	144	Farm organically	2
Age		Sell directly to consumers	19
<35	25	Hire farm labor	35
35 – 64	232	Are family farms	93
65 and older	81		
Race			Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017)
American Indian/Alaska Native	-		Broilers and other meat-type chickens (D)
Asian	-		Cattle and calves 1,437
Black or African American	54		Goats 330
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	-		Hogs and pigs 14
White	284		Horses and ponies 639
More than one race	-		Layers 931
Other characteristics			Pullets 124
Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	6		Sheep and lambs 370
With military service	30		Turkeys (D)
New and beginning farmers	194		

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.