



# Habersham County Georgia

## Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017 and change since 2012

	2017	% change since 2012
Number of farms	379	-10
Land in farms (acres)	25,723	-32
Average size of farm (acres)	68	-24
<b>Total</b>	<b>(\$)</b>	
Market value of products sold	122,980,000	-2
Government payments	269,000	+89
Farm-related income	3,007,000	+90
Total farm production expenses	82,285,000	-25
Net cash farm income	43,970,000	+147
<b>Per farm average</b>	<b>(\$)</b>	
Market value of products sold	324,485	+9
Government payments (average per farm receiving)	4,405	+21
Farm-related income	30,679	+100
Total farm production expenses	217,112	-16
Net cash farm income	116,016	+175

**1** Percent of state agriculture sales

### Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	2
Livestock, poultry, and products	98

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

Cropland	38
Pastureland	36
Woodland	19
Other	8

Acres irrigated: 55

(Z)% of land in farms

### Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	7
Reduced till	3
Intensive till	5
Cover crop	8

## Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total <sup>a</sup>
Less than \$2,500	126	33
\$2,500 to \$4,999	52	14
\$5,000 to \$9,999	47	12
\$10,000 to \$24,999	38	10
\$25,000 to \$49,999	21	6
\$50,000 to \$99,999	11	3
\$100,000 or more	84	22

## Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total <sup>a</sup>
1 to 9 acres	54	14
10 to 49 acres	187	49
50 to 179 acres	106	28
180 to 499 acres	29	8
500 to 999 acres	3	1
1,000 + acres	-	-

**Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold**

	Sales (\$1,000)	Rank in State <sup>b</sup>	Counties Producing Item	Rank in U.S. <sup>b</sup>	Counties Producing Item
<b>Total</b>	<b>122,980</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>159</b>	<b>946</b>	<b>3,077</b>
<b>Crops</b>	<b>1,879</b>	<b>118</b>	<b>159</b>	<b>2,695</b>	<b>3,073</b>
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	449	80	148	2,280	2,916
Tobacco	-	-	25	-	323
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	90	-	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	188	62	157	1,302	2,821
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	431	65	158	705	2,748
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	(D)	106	138	(D)	2,601
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	(D)	46	64	(D)	1,384
Other crops and hay	753	92	155	2,112	3,040
<b>Livestock, poultry, and products</b>	<b>121,101</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>159</b>	<b>410</b>	<b>3,073</b>
Poultry and eggs	112,445	17	158	125	3,007
Cattle and calves	4,086	31	158	1,800	3,055
Milk from cows	(D)	53	64	(D)	1,892
Hogs and pigs	(D)	5	129	(D)	2,856
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	54	32	153	1,686	2,984
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	24	74	145	2,099	2,970
Aquaculture	-	-	54	-	1,251
Other animals and animal products	(D)	(D)	141	(D)	2,878

**Total Producers <sup>c</sup>**

<b>Sex</b>	<b>634</b>
Male	406
Female	228
<b>Age</b>	
<35	73
35 – 64	364
65 and older	197
<b>Race</b>	
American Indian/Alaska Native	-
Asian	5
Black or African American	1
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	-
White	616
More than one race	12
<b>Other characteristics</b>	
Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	2
With military service	71
New and beginning farmers	216

**Percent of farms that:**

Have internet access	<b>81</b>
Farm organically	<b>(Z)</b>
Sell directly to consumers	<b>6</b>
Hire farm labor	<b>26</b>
Are family farms	<b>97</b>

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

Forage (hay/haylage), all	6,365
Corn for silage or greenchop	965
Corn for grain	184
Soybeans for beans	116
Grapes	(D)

**Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017)**

Broilers and other meat-type chickens	4,913,301
Cattle and calves	8,546
Goats	556
Hogs and pigs	(D)
Horses and ponies	552
Layers	386,244
Pullets	382,036
Sheep and lambs	110
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 counties 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.