



# Hall County Georgia

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

	2017	% change since 2012
Number of farms	551	-11
Land in farms (acres)	40,690	-22
Average size of farm (acres)	74	-12
<b>Total</b>	<b>(\$)</b>	
Market value of products sold	128,469,000	-23
Government payments	789,000	+586
Farm-related income	2,418,000	+7
Total farm production expenses	107,324,000	-33
Net cash farm income	24,352,000	+177
<b>Per farm average</b>	<b>(\$)</b>	
Market value of products sold	233,156	-13
Government payments (average per farm receiving)	7,048	+212
Farm-related income	20,670	+3
Total farm production expenses	194,781	-24
Net cash farm income	44,196	+212

**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	34
Pastureland	38
Woodland	22
Other	6

**Acres irrigated: 53**

(Z)% of land in farms

### Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	6
Reduced till	2
Intensive till	2
Cover crop	5

## Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total <sup>a</sup>
Less than \$2,500	249	45
\$2,500 to \$4,999	62	11
\$5,000 to \$9,999	51	9
\$10,000 to \$24,999	64	12
\$25,000 to \$49,999	20	4
\$50,000 to \$99,999	6	1
\$100,000 or more	99	18

## Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total <sup>a</sup>
1 to 9 acres	86	16
10 to 49 acres	264	48
50 to 179 acres	145	26
180 to 499 acres	46	8
500 to 999 acres	8	1
1,000 + acres	2	(Z)

**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>128,469</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>159</b>	<b>912</b>	<b>3,077</b>
<b>Crops</b>	<b>2,927</b>	<b>106</b>	<b>159</b>	<b>2,574</b>	<b>3,073</b>
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	1,791	44	148	1,965	2,916
Tobacco	-	-	25	-	323
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	90	-	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	45	98	157	1,794	2,821
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	55	120	158	1,514	2,748
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	182	82	138	1,290	2,601
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	-	-	64	-	1,384
Other crops and hay	854	87	155	2,011	3,040
<b>Livestock, poultry, and products</b>	<b>125,542</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>159</b>	<b>396</b>	<b>3,073</b>
Poultry and eggs	121,613	15	158	117	3,007
Cattle and calves	2,893	42	158	1,990	3,055
Milk from cows	(D)	41	64	(D)	1,892
Hogs and pigs	(D)	(D)	129	(D)	2,856
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	41	43	153	1,848	2,984
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	164	19	145	1,116	2,970
Aquaculture	-	-	54	-	1,251
Other animals and animal products	100	25	141	749	2,878

<b>Total Producers <sup>c</sup></b>	<b>947</b>	<b>Percent of farms that:</b>	<b>Top Crops in Acres <sup>d</sup></b>
<b>Sex</b>		Have internet access	81
Male	589		
Female	358	Farm organically	(Z)
<b>Age</b>		Sell directly to consumers	6
<35	61	Hire farm labor	31
35 – 64	552	Are family farms	96
65 and older	334		
<b>Race</b>			
American Indian/Alaska Native	12		
Asian	3		
Black or African American	-		
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	1		
White	927		
More than one race	4		
<b>Other characteristics</b>			
Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	8		
With military service	108		
New and beginning farmers	300		
			<b>Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017)</b>
			Broilers and other meat-type chickens
			2,896,587
			Cattle and calves
			11,856
			Goats
			697
			Hogs and pigs
			53
			Horses and ponies
			906
			Layers
			1,779,419
			Pullets
			417,015
			Sheep and lambs
			237
			Turkeys
			18

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.