



Putnam County Georgia

Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017 and change since 2012

	2017	% change since 2012
Number of farms	186	+13
Land in farms (acres)	38,277	+34
Average size of farm (acres)	206	+19
Total (\$)		
Market value of products sold	34,741,000	-9
Government payments	333,000	-41
Farm-related income	553,000	-53
Total farm production expenses	37,474,000	-9
Net cash farm income	-1,847,000	-20
Per farm average (\$)		
Market value of products sold	186,779	-19
Government payments (average per farm receiving)	11,111	-35
Farm-related income	10,842	-59
Total farm production expenses	201,473	-20
Net cash farm income	-9,929	-6

(Z) Percent of state agriculture sales

Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	20
Livestock, poultry, and products	80

Land in Farms by Use (%) ^a

Cropland	38
Pastureland	31
Woodland	22
Other	8

Acres irrigated: 1,755

5% of land in farms

Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	3
Reduced till	2
Intensive till	9
Cover crop	3

Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total ^a
Less than \$2,500	81	44
\$2,500 to \$4,999	8	4
\$5,000 to \$9,999	11	6
\$10,000 to \$24,999	24	13
\$25,000 to \$49,999	16	9
\$50,000 to \$99,999	15	8
\$100,000 or more	31	17

Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total ^a
1 to 9 acres	13	7
10 to 49 acres	33	18
50 to 179 acres	89	48
180 to 499 acres	29	16
500 to 999 acres	18	10
1,000 + acres	4	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	34,741	81	159	2,051	3,077
Crops	6,950	78	159	2,204	3,073
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	1,241	56	148	2,066	2,916
Tobacco	-	-	25	-	323
Cotton and cottonseed	(D)	88	90	520	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	(D)	119	157	(D)	2,821
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	(D)	119	158	(D)	2,748
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	4,841	18	138	390	2,601
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	-	-	64	-	1,384
Other crops and hay	775	91	155	2,097	3,040
Livestock, poultry, and products	27,791	56	159	1,396	3,073
Poultry and eggs	(D)	(D)	158	(D)	3,007
Cattle and calves	6,862	9	158	1,496	3,055
Milk from cows	20,851	5	64	315	1,892
Hogs and pigs	(D)	(D)	129	(D)	2,856
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	26	70	153	2,091	2,984
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	42	54	145	1,884	2,970
Aquaculture	-	-	54	-	1,251
Other animals and animal products	5	71	141	1,618	2,878

Total Producers ^c	289	Percent of farms that:	Top Crops in Acres ^d
Sex		Have internet access	72
Male	195		
Female	94		
Age		Farm organically	-
<35	26		
35 – 64	156		
65 and older	107		
Race		Sell directly to consumers	2
American Indian/Alaska Native	-		
Asian	1		
Black or African American	11		
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	-	Hire farm labor	29
White	272		
More than one race	5		
Other characteristics		Are family farms	97
Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	-		
With military service	56		
New and beginning farmers	86		
			Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017)
			Broilers and other meat-type chickens
			Cattle and calves
			Goats
			Hogs and pigs
			Horses and ponies
			Layers
			Pullets
			Sheep and lambs
			Turkeys

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.