



Toombs County Georgia

Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017 and change since 2012

	2017	% change since 2012
Number of farms	320	+19
Land in farms (acres)	80,620	+10
Average size of farm (acres)	252	-8
Total	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	83,226,000	+41
Government payments	572,000	-23
Farm-related income	1,703,000	+110
Total farm production expenses	57,882,000	+28
Net cash farm income	27,619,000	+83
Per farm average	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	260,082	+18
Government payments (average per farm receiving)	4,803	-16
Farm-related income	18,312	+62
Total farm production expenses	180,881	+7
Net cash farm income	86,309	+53

1 Percent of state agriculture sales

Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	89
Livestock, poultry, and products	11

Land in Farms by Use (%) ^a

Cropland	49
Pastureland	9
Woodland	35
Other	7

Acres irrigated: 16,521

20% of land in farms

Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	10
Reduced till	7
Intensive till	13
Cover crop	8

Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total ^a
Less than \$2,500	158	49
\$2,500 to \$4,999	16	5
\$5,000 to \$9,999	42	13
\$10,000 to \$24,999	25	8
\$25,000 to \$49,999	19	6
\$50,000 to \$99,999	14	4
\$100,000 or more	46	14

Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total ^a
1 to 9 acres	45	14
10 to 49 acres	72	23
50 to 179 acres	112	35
180 to 499 acres	56	18
500 to 999 acres	13	4
1,000 + acres	22	7

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	83,226	38	159	1,322	3,077
Crops	74,029	9	159	790	3,073
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	(D)	20	148	(D)	2,916
Tobacco	-	-	25	-	323
Cotton and cottonseed	5,535	43	90	263	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	49,517	4	157	65	2,821
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	6,026	22	158	191	2,748
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	(D)	35	138	(D)	2,601
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	-	-	64	-	1,384
Other crops and hay	5,944	43	155	425	3,040
Livestock, poultry, and products	9,197	84	159	2,156	3,073
Poultry and eggs	7,797	80	158	580	3,007
Cattle and calves	(D)	79	158	(D)	3,055
Milk from cows	-	-	64	-	1,892
Hogs and pigs	-	-	129	-	2,856
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	(D)	(D)	153	(D)	2,984
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	(D)	125	145	2,414	2,970
Aquaculture	-	-	54	-	1,251
Other animals and animal products	(D)	(D)	141	(D)	2,878

Total Producers ^c	503	Percent of farms that:	Top Crops in Acres ^d
Sex		Have internet access	Cotton, all 8,523
Male	357	71	Vegetables harvested, all 7,964
Female	146		Peanuts for nuts 6,187
Age		Farm organically	Onions, dry 4,785
<35	33	1	Corn for grain 4,186
35 – 64	256		
65 and older	214		
Race		Sell directly to consumers	Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017)
American Indian/Alaska Native	-	3	Broilers and other meat-type chickens (D)
Asian	-		Cattle and calves 6,435
Black or African American	24	Hire farm labor	Goats 481
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	-	28	Hogs and pigs (D)
White	479		Horses and ponies 103
More than one race	-	Are family farms	Layers (D)
Other characteristics		93	Pullets 65
Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	11		Sheep and lambs (D)
With military service	57		Turkeys -
New and beginning farmers	216		

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.