



Ben Hill County, Georgia Farms with American Indian or Alaska Native Producers^a

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Ben Hill County, Georgia Farms with Asian Producers^a

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Ben Hill County, Georgia Farms with Black or African American Producers^a

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Ben Hill County, Georgia Farms with Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander Producers^a

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Ben Hill County, Georgia Farms with White Producers^a

Data not available at this geographic level for farms with White Producers.

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Ben Hill County, Georgia Farms with Hispanic, Latino, or Spanish Producers

Data not available at this geographic level for farms with Hispanic, Latino, or Spanish Producers.



Ben Hill County, Georgia Farms with Female Producers

Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017

	Farms with Female Producers	All Farms
Number of farms	83	217
Land in farms (acres)	22,798	52,542
Average size of farm (acres)	275	242
Total	(\$)	(\$)
Market value of products sold	8,364,000	20,885,000
Government payments	355,000	891,000
Farm-related income	851,000	1,466,000
Total farm production expenses	6,694,000	17,969,000
Net cash farm income	2,875,000	5,273,000
Per farm average	(\$)	(\$)
Market value of products sold	100,767	96,242
Government payments (average per farm receiving)	9,588	9,281
Farm-related income	30,407	18,798
Total farm production expenses	80,655	82,804
Net cash farm income	34,644	24,300

Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	52
Livestock, poultry, and products	48

Land in Farms by Use (%) ^b

Cropland	29
Pastureland	8
Woodland	58
Other	5

Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	-
Reduced till	5
Intensive till	18
Cover crop	6

Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent ^b
Less than \$2,500	26	31
\$2,500 to \$4,999	13	16
\$5,000 to \$9,999	11	13
\$10,000 to \$24,999	20	24
\$25,000 to \$49,999	2	2
\$50,000 to \$99,999	6	7
\$100,000 or more	5	6
Total	83	100

Farms by Size

	Number	Percent ^b
1 to 9 acres	11	13
10 to 49 acres	19	23
50 to 179 acres	34	41
180 to 499 acres	14	17
500 to 999 acres	1	1
1,000 + acres	4	5
Total	83	100

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Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold		Total Producers ^c	89
	Sales (\$1,000)	No. of Farms	
Total	8,364	83	Age
Crops	4,356	41	<35 7
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	(D)	3	35 – 64 47
Tobacco	(D)	1	65 and older 35
Cotton and cottonseed	845	4	Race
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	(D)	9	American Indian/Alaska Native 1
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	234	18	Asian -
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	(D)	1	Black/African American 3
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation	-	-	Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander -
woody crops	-	-	White 83
Other crops and hay	1,836	21	More than one race 2
Livestock, poultry, and products	4,007	33	Primary occupation
Poultry and eggs	3,573	3	Farming 34
Cattle and calves	357	18	Other 55
Milk from cows	-	-	Days worked off farm
Hogs and pigs	(D)	1	None 44
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	40	10	1 to 199 18
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	18	8	200 + 27
Aquaculture	(D)	1	Other characteristics
Other animals and animal products	(D)	3	Hispanic/Latino/Spanish -
			With military service 2
			New and beginning farmers 28
			<i>Average age (years)</i> 59.1
Top Crops in Acres ^d		Percent of farms that:	Demographic Data in the Census of Agriculture
Peanuts for nuts 1,736		Have internet access 75	The agriculture census is a complete count of U.S. farms and ranches and the people who operate them. Demographic information is available at national, state, and county levels, and for classes of farm and congressional districts. Results from the 2017 Census and earlier are available through the searchable database Quick Stats, the new Census Data Query Tool, downloadable PDF reports, maps, and topic-specific Highlights and Profiles. See also the video "What's New in the 2017 Census?" (www.nass.usda.gov/Newsroom/VideoFeatures/index.php).
Cotton, all (D)		Farm organically -	
Corn for grain (D)		Sell directly to consumers 4	
Forage (hay/haylage), all 576		Hire farm labor 33	
Pecans, all 219		Are family farms 98	
Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017)			
Broilers and other meat-type chickens 222,620			
Cattle and calves 1,120			
Goats 508			
Hogs and pigs (D)			
Horses and ponies 120			
Layers (D)			
Pullets -			
Sheep and lambs (D)			
Turkeys -			

See 2017 Census of Agriculture, U.S. Summary and State Data, for complete footnotes, explanations, definitions, commodity descriptions, and methodology.

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^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.