



Brooks County Georgia

Total and Per Farm Overview, 2022 and change since 2017

	2022	% change since 2017
Number of farms	392	+9
Land in farms (acres)	207,151	+16
Average size of farm (acres)	528	+7
Total	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	193,129,000	+62
Government payments	7,591,000	+131
Farm-related income	2,764,000	-32
Total farm production expenses	146,504,000	+59
Net cash farm income	56,980,000	+68
Per farm average	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	492,675	+49
Government payments ^a	49,293	+197
Farm-related income ^a	20,628	-21
Total farm production expenses	373,734	+46
Net cash farm income	145,358	+54

1 Percent of state agriculture sales

Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	60
Livestock, poultry, and products	40

Land in Farms by Use (acres)

Cropland	120,278
Pastureland	6,807
Woodland	67,909
Other	12,157

Acres irrigated: 24,739

12% of land in farms

Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	13
Reduced till	15
Intensive till	11
Cover crop	17

Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total ^b
Less than \$2,500	168	43
\$2,500 to \$4,999	12	3
\$5,000 to \$9,999	52	13
\$10,000 to \$24,999	27	7
\$25,000 to \$49,999	29	7
\$50,000 to \$99,999	17	4
\$100,000 or more	87	22

Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total ^b
1 to 9 acres	19	5
10 to 49 acres	112	29
50 to 179 acres	117	30
180 to 499 acres	66	17
500 to 999 acres	21	5
1,000+ acres	57	15

Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold

	Sales (\$1,000)	Rank in State ^c	Counties Producing Item	Rank in U.S. ^c	Counties Producing Item
Total	193,129	19	159	853	3,078
Crops	116,667	7	159	736	3,074
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	21,990	7	147	1,257	2,917
Tobacco	(D)	7	17	(D)	267
Cotton and cottonseed	39,709	8	92	34	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	29,726	6	155	121	2,831
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	3,324	31	157	302	2,711
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	(D)	(D)	139	(D)	2,660
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	(D)	28	49	(D)	1,274
Other crops and hay	20,176	13	152	164	3,035
Livestock, poultry, and products	76,462	37	159	823	3,076
Poultry and eggs	25,294	59	154	467	3,027
Cattle and calves	5,871	15	156	1,600	3,047
Milk from cows	44,249	4	66	237	1,770
Hogs and pigs	(D)	7	124	(D)	2,814
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	(D)	(D)	155	(D)	2,967
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	53	52	140	1,830	2,907
Aquaculture	-	-	41	-	1,190
Other animals and animal products	(D)	(D)	143	(D)	2,909

Producers ^d	686	Percent of farms that:	Top Crops in Acres ^e	
Sex		Have internet access	79	
Male	434			
Female	252			
Age		Farm organically	-	
<35	44			
35 – 64	340			
65 and older	302			
Race		Sell directly to consumers	5	
American Indian/Alaska Native	2			
Asian	-			
Black or African American	74			
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	-			
White	604	Hire farm labor	36	
More than one race	6			
Other characteristics		Are family farms	96	
Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	21			
With military service	77			
New and beginning farmers	202			
			Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2022)	
			Broilers and other meat-type chickens	350,600
			Cattle and calves	13,163
			Goats	348
			Hogs and pigs	(D)
			Horses and ponies	452
			Layers	989
			Pullets	150
			Sheep and lambs	91
			Turkeys	8

^a Average per farm receiving. ^b May not add to 100% due to rounding. ^c Among counties whose rank can be displayed. ^d Data collected for a maximum of four producers per farm. ^e Crop commodity names may be shortened; see full names at www.nass.usda.gov/go/cropnames.pdf. ^f 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.