



Spalding County Georgia

Total and Per Farm Overview, 2022 and change since 2017

	2022	% change since 2017
Number of farms	212	-6
Land in farms (acres)	16,543	-3
Average size of farm (acres)	78	+3
Total	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	6,433,000	-31
Government payments	10,000	-90
Farm-related income	686,000	+99
Total farm production expenses	6,994,000	-11
Net cash farm income	135,000	-93
Per farm average	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	30,343	-27
Government payments ^a	2,589	-71
Farm-related income ^a	19,069	+144
Total farm production expenses	32,991	-6
Net cash farm income	639	-92

(Z) Percent of state agriculture sales

Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	29
Livestock, poultry, and products	71

Land in Farms by Use (acres)

Cropland	5,510
Pastureland	4,617
Woodland	5,443
Other	973

Acres irrigated: 358

2% of land in farms

Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	6
Reduced till	4
Intensive till	4
Cover crop	5

Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total ^b
Less than \$2,500	119	56
\$2,500 to \$4,999	10	5
\$5,000 to \$9,999	32	15
\$10,000 to \$24,999	21	10
\$25,000 to \$49,999	18	8
\$50,000 to \$99,999	3	1
\$100,000 or more	9	4

Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total ^b
1 to 9 acres	15	7
10 to 49 acres	121	57
50 to 179 acres	57	27
180 to 499 acres	16	8
500 to 999 acres	2	1
1,000+ acres	1	(Z)

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	6,433	132	159	2,817	3,078
Crops	1,872	127	159	2,759	3,074
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	(D)	(D)	147	(D)	2,917
Tobacco	-	-	17	-	267
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	92	-	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	226	70	155	1,432	2,831
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	414	74	157	954	2,711
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	410	78	139	1,197	2,660
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	(D)	10	49	(D)	1,274
Other crops and hay	539	115	152	2,377	3,035
Livestock, poultry, and products	4,561	108	159	2,473	3,076
Poultry and eggs	(D)	95	154	(D)	3,027
Cattle and calves	605	107	156	2,484	3,047
Milk from cows	(D)	40	66	(D)	1,770
Hogs and pigs	-	-	124	-	2,814
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	86	22	155	1,535	2,967
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	(D)	(D)	140	(D)	2,907
Aquaculture	-	-	41	-	1,190
Other animals and animal products	61	37	143	1,167	2,909

Producers ^d

366

Sex

Male	214
Female	152

Age

<35	45
35 – 64	161
65 and older	160

Race

American Indian/Alaska Native	-
Asian	6
Black or African American	10
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	-
White	343
More than one race	7

Other characteristics

Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	9
With military service	52
New and beginning farmers	150

Percent of farms that:

Have internet access **84**

Farm organically **-**

Sell directly to consumers **8**

Hire farm labor **19**

Are family farms **99**

Top Crops in Acres ^e

Forage (hay/haylage), all	1,890
Soybeans for beans	(D)
Nursery stock crops	110
Oats for grain	(D)
Grapes	49

Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2022)

Broilers and other meat-type chickens	(D)
Cattle and calves	1,823
Goats	516
Hogs and pigs	10
Horses and ponies	356
Layers	697
Pullets	80
Sheep and lambs	152
Turkeys	15

^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.