



Walton County Georgia

Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017 and change since 2012

	2017	% change since 2012
Number of farms	437	-8
Land in farms (acres)	47,416	-10
Average size of farm (acres)	109	-1
Total (\$)		
Market value of products sold	26,613,000	-10
Government payments	276,000	-26
Farm-related income	1,114,000	+31
Total farm production expenses	24,448,000	-18
Net cash farm income	3,554,000	+322
Per farm average (\$)		
Market value of products sold	60,899	-1
Government payments (average per farm receiving)	3,208	-13
Farm-related income	13,747	+33
Total farm production expenses	55,946	-10
Net cash farm income	8,132	+361

(Z) Percent of state agriculture sales

Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	23
Livestock, poultry, and products	77

Land in Farms by Use (%) ^a

Cropland	28
Pastureland	30
Woodland	34
Other	8

Acres irrigated: 815

2% of land in farms

Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	4
Reduced till	1
Intensive till	5
Cover crop	5

Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total ^a
Less than \$2,500	211	48
\$2,500 to \$4,999	45	10
\$5,000 to \$9,999	50	11
\$10,000 to \$24,999	52	12
\$25,000 to \$49,999	24	5
\$50,000 to \$99,999	20	5
\$100,000 or more	35	8

Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total ^a
1 to 9 acres	64	15
10 to 49 acres	180	41
50 to 179 acres	116	27
180 to 499 acres	57	13
500 to 999 acres	17	4
1,000 + acres	3	1

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	26,613	91	159	2,217	3,077
Crops	6,134	80	159	2,272	3,073
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	161	96	148	2,406	2,916
Tobacco	-	-	25	-	323
Cotton and cottonseed	(D)	87	90	511	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	301	48	157	1,126	2,821
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	279	70	158	869	2,748
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	4,112	21	138	426	2,601
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	(D)	39	64	541	1,384
Other crops and hay	1,223	79	155	1,687	3,040
Livestock, poultry, and products	20,479	64	159	1,621	3,073
Poultry and eggs	12,230	71	158	519	3,007
Cattle and calves	7,712	7	158	1,410	3,055
Milk from cows	(D)	64	64	1,157	1,892
Hogs and pigs	(D)	(D)	129	(D)	2,856
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	102	7	153	1,275	2,984
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	291	11	145	745	2,970
Aquaculture	(D)	23	54	(D)	1,251
Other animals and animal products	(D)	22	141	(D)	2,878

Total Producers ^c	686	Percent of farms that:	Top Crops in Acres ^d
Sex		Have internet access	Forage (hay/haylage), all
Male	450	76	6,999
Female	236		Wheat for grain, all
Age		Farm organically	578
<35	39	(Z)	Nursery stock crops
35 – 64	344		567
65 and older	303		Soybeans for beans
Race		Sell directly to consumers	245
American Indian/Alaska Native	-	7	Corn for grain
Asian	8		154
Black or African American	11		
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	-	Hire farm labor	Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017)
White	667	19	Broilers and other meat-type chickens
More than one race	-		696,761
Other characteristics		Are family farms	Cattle and calves
Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	18	97	10,250
With military service	93		Goats
New and beginning farmers	237		1,125
			Hogs and pigs
			13
			Horses and ponies
			875
			Layers
			1,568
			Pullets
			165
			Sheep and lambs
			220
			Turkeys
			30

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.