



# Coosa County Alabama

## Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017 and change since 2012

	2017	% change since 2012
Number of farms	215	+41
Land in farms (acres)	45,921	+28
Average size of farm (acres)	214	-10
<b>Total</b>	<b>(\$)</b>	
Market value of products sold	1,707,000	-18
Government payments	270,000	+590
Farm-related income	373,000	+25
Total farm production expenses	2,963,000	+14
Net cash farm income	-612,000	-269
<b>Per farm average</b>	<b>(\$)</b>	
Market value of products sold	7,941	-42
Government payments (average per farm receiving)	4,508	+3
Farm-related income	6,789	-11
Total farm production expenses	13,779	-19
Net cash farm income	-2,844	-161

(Z) Percent of state agriculture sales

### Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	18
Livestock, poultry, and products	82

### Land in Farms by Use (%) <sup>a</sup>

Cropland	11
Pastureland	35
Woodland	49
Other	4

Acres irrigated: 48

(Z)% of land in farms

### Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	-
Reduced till	(Z)
Intensive till	6
Cover crop	3

## Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total <sup>a</sup>
Less than \$2,500	102	47
\$2,500 to \$4,999	22	10
\$5,000 to \$9,999	47	22
\$10,000 to \$24,999	19	9
\$25,000 to \$49,999	24	11
\$50,000 to \$99,999	1	(Z)
\$100,000 or more	-	-

## Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total <sup>a</sup>
1 to 9 acres	11	5
10 to 49 acres	26	12
50 to 179 acres	112	52
180 to 499 acres	44	20
500 to 999 acres	16	7
1,000 + acres	6	3

**Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold**

	Sales (\$1,000)	Rank in State <sup>b</sup>	Counties Producing Item	Rank in U.S. <sup>b</sup>	Counties Producing Item
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,707</b>	<b>67</b>	<b>67</b>	<b>2,977</b>	<b>3,077</b>
<b>Crops</b>	<b>300</b>	<b>67</b>	<b>67</b>	<b>2,955</b>	<b>3,073</b>
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	(D)	67	67	2,600	2,916
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	323
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	56	-	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	10	67	67	2,003	2,821
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	51	51	65	1,535	2,748
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	-	-	59	-	2,601
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	(D)	4	33	(D)	1,384
Other crops and hay	168	66	67	2,630	3,040
<b>Livestock, poultry, and products</b>	<b>1,407</b>	<b>67</b>	<b>67</b>	<b>2,787</b>	<b>3,073</b>
Poultry and eggs	26	58	67	1,481	3,007
Cattle and calves	1,312	64	67	2,323	3,055
Milk from cows	-	-	38	-	1,892
Hogs and pigs	9	31	64	1,581	2,856
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	(D)	58	67	(D)	2,984
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	44	43	67	1,868	2,970
Aquaculture	-	-	41	-	1,251
Other animals and animal products	(D)	39	66	(D)	2,878

<b>Total Producers <sup>c</sup></b>	<b>331</b>	<b>Percent of farms that:</b>	<b>Top Crops in Acres <sup>d</sup></b>	
<b>Sex</b>		Have internet access	73	
Male	226			
Female	105			
<b>Age</b>		Farm organically	-	
<35	8			
35 – 64	172			
65 and older	151			
<b>Race</b>		Sell directly to consumers	5	
American Indian/Alaska Native	8			
Asian	-			
Black or African American	9			
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	-	Hire farm labor	13	
White	314			
More than one race	-			
<b>Other characteristics</b>		Are family farms	99	
Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	2			
With military service	49			
New and beginning farmers	108			
			<b>Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017)</b>	
			Forage (hay/haylage), all	3,706
			Short-rotation woody crops	(D)
			Corn for grain	22
			Peaches, all	20
			Land in berries	10
			Broilers and other meat-type chickens	(D)
			Cattle and calves	5,663
			Goats	56
			Hogs and pigs	98
			Horses and ponies	312
			Layers	413
			Pullets	-
			Sheep and lambs	116
			Turkeys	-

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

<sup>a</sup> May not add to 100% due to rounding. <sup>b</sup> Among counties whose rank can be displayed. <sup>c</sup> Data collected for a maximum of four producers per farm.

<sup>d</sup> Crop commodity names may be shortened; see full names at [www.nass.usda.gov/go/cropnames.pdf](http://www.nass.usda.gov/go/cropnames.pdf). <sup>e</sup> 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.