



Greene County Alabama

Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017 and change since 2012

	2017	% change since 2012
Number of farms	325	+7
Land in farms (acres)	153,321	+27
Average size of farm (acres)	472	+19
Total	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	25,944,000	+16
Government payments	1,127,000	+43
Farm-related income	1,464,000	-22
Total farm production expenses	22,077,000	+12
Net cash farm income	6,458,000	+22
Per farm average	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	79,826	+8
Government payments (average per farm receiving)	7,047	-4
Farm-related income	11,617	(Z)
Total farm production expenses	67,929	+4
Net cash farm income	19,870	+14

(Z) Percent of state agriculture sales

Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	5
Livestock, poultry, and products	95

Land in Farms by Use (%) ^a

Cropland	13
Pastureland	23
Woodland	52
Other	11

Acres irrigated: 55

(Z)% of land in farms

Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	1
Reduced till	8
Intensive till	8
Cover crop	8

Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total ^a
Less than \$2,500	132	41
\$2,500 to \$4,999	39	12
\$5,000 to \$9,999	41	13
\$10,000 to \$24,999	39	12
\$25,000 to \$49,999	36	11
\$50,000 to \$99,999	20	6
\$100,000 or more	18	6

Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total ^a
1 to 9 acres	16	5
10 to 49 acres	65	20
50 to 179 acres	116	36
180 to 499 acres	32	10
500 to 999 acres	41	13
1,000 + acres	55	17

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	25,944	50	67	2,229	3,077
Crops	1,178	63	67	2,794	3,073
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	27	65	67	2,528	2,916
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	323
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	56	-	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	226	30	67	1,224	2,821
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	(D)	61	65	(D)	2,748
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	(D)	52	59	(D)	2,601
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	-	-	33	-	1,384
Other crops and hay	(D)	53	67	(D)	3,040
Livestock, poultry, and products	24,766	38	67	1,476	3,073
Poultry and eggs	(D)	66	67	(D)	3,007
Cattle and calves	3,465	45	67	1,908	3,055
Milk from cows	-	-	38	-	1,892
Hogs and pigs	31	18	64	1,251	2,856
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	(D)	(D)	67	(D)	2,984
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	31	49	67	2,016	2,970
Aquaculture	20,985	3	41	18	1,251
Other animals and animal products	210	5	66	514	2,878

Total Producers ^c	473	Percent of farms that:	Top Crops in Acres ^d
Sex		Have internet access	Forage (hay/haylage), all 11,578
Male	335	68	Vegetables harvested, all 73
Female	138		Soybeans for beans (D)
Age		Farm organically	Corn for grain 34
<35	18	-	Pecans, all (D)
35 – 64	231		
65 and older	224		
Race		Sell directly to consumers	Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017)
American Indian/Alaska Native	4	5	Broilers and other meat-type chickens 230
Asian	-		Cattle and calves 12,977
Black or African American	200	Hire farm labor	Goats 482
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	-	38	Hogs and pigs 122
White	268		Horses and ponies 156
More than one race	1	Are family farms	Layers 121
Other characteristics		93	Pullets (D)
Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	-		Sheep and lambs -
With military service	64		Turkeys -
New and beginning farmers	95		

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.