



# White County Georgia

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

	2017	% change since 2012
Number of farms	301	+1
Land in farms (acres)	18,707	-20
Average size of farm (acres)	62	-21
<b>Total</b>	<b>(\$)</b>	
Market value of products sold	92,828,000	+20
Government payments	388,000	+200
Farm-related income	556,000	-71
Total farm production expenses	60,676,000	-8
Net cash farm income	33,096,000	+145
<b>Per farm average</b>	<b>(\$)</b>	
Market value of products sold	308,397	+19
Government payments (average per farm receiving)	9,472	+112
Farm-related income	6,181	-70
Total farm production expenses	201,583	-9
Net cash farm income	109,953	+144

**1** Percent of state agriculture sales

### Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	2
Livestock, poultry, and products	98

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

Cropland	33
Pastureland	33
Woodland	27
Other	7

**Acres irrigated: 142**

1% of land in farms

### Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	7
Reduced till	(Z)
Intensive till	7
Cover crop	5

## Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total <sup>a</sup>
Less than \$2,500	103	34
\$2,500 to \$4,999	41	14
\$5,000 to \$9,999	56	19
\$10,000 to \$24,999	22	7
\$25,000 to \$49,999	17	6
\$50,000 to \$99,999	2	1
\$100,000 or more	60	20

## Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total <sup>a</sup>
1 to 9 acres	44	15
10 to 49 acres	159	53
50 to 179 acres	78	26
180 to 499 acres	17	6
500 to 999 acres	2	1
1,000 + acres	1	(Z)

**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>92,828</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>159</b>	<b>1,216</b>	<b>3,077</b>
<b>Crops</b>	<b>1,628</b>	<b>123</b>	<b>159</b>	<b>2,732</b>	<b>3,073</b>
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	624	74	148	2,217	2,916
Tobacco	-	-	25	-	323
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	90	-	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	128	75	157	1,446	2,821
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	117	91	158	1,233	2,748
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	449	67	138	1,071	2,601
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	-	-	64	-	1,384
Other crops and hay	309	129	155	2,508	3,040
<b>Livestock, poultry, and products</b>	<b>91,200</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>159</b>	<b>567</b>	<b>3,073</b>
Poultry and eggs	88,245	23	158	170	3,007
Cattle and calves	2,573	48	158	2,050	3,055
Milk from cows	(D)	57	64	(D)	1,892
Hogs and pigs	5	55	129	1,693	2,856
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	86	11	153	1,391	2,984
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	41	56	145	1,899	2,970
Aquaculture	-	-	54	-	1,251
Other animals and animal products	(D)	16	141	(D)	2,878

**Total Producers <sup>c</sup>**

<b>Sex</b>	<b>517</b>
Male	321
Female	196
<b>Age</b>	
<35	77
35 – 64	269
65 and older	171
<b>Race</b>	
American Indian/Alaska Native	1
Asian	-
Black or African American	-
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	-
White	516
More than one race	-
<b>Other characteristics</b>	
Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	5
With military service	77
New and beginning farmers	177

**Percent of farms that:**

Have internet access	<b>84</b>
Farm organically	<b>-</b>
Sell directly to consumers	<b>10</b>
Hire farm labor	<b>28</b>
Are family farms	<b>93</b>

**Top Crops in Acres <sup>d</sup>**

Forage (hay/haylage), all	3,943
Corn for silage or greenchop	(D)
Soybeans for beans	(D)
Rye for grain	(D)
Corn for grain	55

**Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017)**

Broilers and other meat-type chickens	3,865,600
Cattle and calves	7,114
Goats	408
Hogs and pigs	129
Horses and ponies	458
Layers	217,287
Pullets	118,000
Sheep and lambs	187
Turkeys	(D)

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.