



Snapshot of Lumpkin County's Local Food System

Production	County	Georgia
Number of farms	220 (0.5% of GA farms)	42,257
Proportion of farmers farming less than 10 years	11.0%	19.8%
Proportion of principal farmers younger than 35	4.1%	4.4%
Proportion of farms with direct-to-consumer sales (total direct sales)	2.7% (\$7,000)	5.2% (\$13,197,000)
Proportion of farms growing fruits and vegetables	11.4%	11.4%
Change in farmland acres 2007-2012	-21.1%	-5.2%
Proportion of county land in farmland	9.6%	26.1%
Retail Infrastructure	County	Georgia
Grocery stores/1,000 pop	0.03	0.18
Full service restaurants/1,000 pop	0.63	0.68
Farmers markets/1,000 pop (total markets)	0.03 (1 total markets)	0.01 (141 total markets)
Consumption, Access, and Health	County	Georgia
Proportion of population with inadequate fruit and vegetable consumption	*Suppressed	75.7%
Rates of diabetes and obesity (adults 18+)	Diabetes (9.5%); Obesity (29.0%)	Diabetes (9.6 %); Obesity (29.1%)
Equity	County	Georgia
Proportion of population below poverty level	18.1%	19.0%
Proportion of households receiving SNAP	15.1%	16.5%
Proportion of workforce employed in foodservice (average annual salary from foodservice)	7.0% (\$13,873)	7.3% (\$16,279)
Proportion of workforce employed in farming (average annual salary from farming)	2.5% (-\$357)	1.5% (\$35,452)

*Suppressed - In some cases data are suppressed by agencies to protect individually identifiable information, or because of a lack of conclusive information. For more information on this county's agricultural statistics, visit its [2012 Census of Agriculture profile](#)

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