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HIGHLIGHTS				
Poultry Summary Livestock Slaughter	Agricultural Prices Peanuts	GA Planted & Harvested Acres US Grain Stocks	July 1 Forecast Vegetables	Milk Production

EGGS IN INCUBATORS, UNITED STATES--JUNE 1, 2004-2005

Item	2004	2005	% of Year Ago
	--Thousands--		--Percent--
Chickens, Egg Type	34,678	33,179	96
Chickens, Broiler Type	661,255	667,473	101
Turkeys, All Breeds	29,910	30,160	101

[Results from the monthly Chicken and Egg Report and the monthly Turkey Hatchery Report].

POULTRY HATCHING AND PLACEMENT--MAY 2004-2005

Item	2004		% of year ago	January thru May		% of year ago
	2004	2005		2004	2005	
	--Thousands--		--Percent--	--Thousands--		--Percent--
Pullet Chicks Placed Domestic (U.S.)^{1/}						
Broiler Type	7,590	7,783	103	34,958	35,394	101
Egg Type	157	190	121	1,310	1,177	90
Chicks Hatched - Broiler Type						
Georgia	121,611	123,890	102	592,348	600,604	101
United States	810,484	823,406	102	3,879,433	3,956,268	102
Chicks Hatched - Egg Type						
Georgia	2,377	2,315	97	11,970	11,499	96
United States	38,347	37,449	98	180,436	189,408	105
Turkeys Poults Placed^{2/}						
United States	23,692	23,714	100	209,304	200,349	96

[Results from the monthly Chicken and Egg Report and the monthly Turkey Hatchery Report]. 1/ Domestic placements as reported by leading breeders includes expected pullet replacements from eggs sold during the preceding month at the rate of 125 pullet chicks per 30 dozen case of eggs. 2/ Accumulated turkey poults placed are September 1st to current month.

NUMBER OF LAYERS AND EGG PRODUCTION DURING MAY 2004-2005^{1/}

	Number of Layers		Eggs per 100 Layers		Total Eggs Produced	
	2004	2005	2004	2005	2004	2005
	--Thousands--		--Number--		--Millions--	
GEORGIA						
Hatching	9,028	9,209	1,927	1,944	174	179
Table	11,078	9,971	2,185	2,186	242	218
Total Georgia	20,106	19,180	2,069	2,070	416	397
UNITED STATES						
Hatching	60,163	59,697	1,862	1,898	1,120	1,133
Table	282,623	282,493	2,262	2,276	6,393	6,430
Total U.S.	342,786	342,190	2,192	2,210	7,513	7,563

[Results from the monthly Chicken and Egg Report]. 1/ Totals may not add due to rounding.

COMMERCIAL POULTRY SLAUGHTER^{1/}--APRIL AND MAY 2005

Item	Apr	May	% of Last Month	January to Date
	--Thousands--		--Percent--	--Thousands--
Young Chickens				
Georgia	100,761	107,405	107	515,522
United States	714,619	758,338	106	3,630,159
Mature Chickens				
Light Type, U.S.	7,103	6,829	96	32,592
Heavy Type, U.S.	5,909	6,148	104	28,796
Total U.S.	13,012	12,977	100	61,388
Percent Condemned Young Chickens	--Percent--			--Percent--
Georgia	0.75	0.73		0.94
United States	0.99	1.00		1.06

^{1/} Federally inspected slaughter data as collected by Meat and Poultry Inspection Program.

LIVESTOCK SLAUGHTER, UNITED STATES^{1/}--MAY 2004-2005

State	Number Slaughtered			Average Live Weight		Total Live Weight	
	2004	2005	2005 as % of 2004	2004	2005	2004	2005
	--1,000 Head--		--Percent--	--Pounds--		--1,000 Pounds--	
Cattle	2,836.1	2,792.1	98	1,204	1,224	3,415,402	3,416,695
Calf	64.7	58.5	90	354	376	22,911	21,980
Hog	7,578.6	8,030.2	106	266	270	2,016,047	2,167,449
Sheep & Lambs	188.7	208.0	110	138	143	26,098	29,639

[Results from the U.S. Livestock Slaughter Release]. ^{1/} Includes slaughter under Federal Inspection and other commercial slaughter, excludes farm slaughter.

PRICES RECEIVED BY FARMERS--JUNE 15, 2005

Commodity	Price per Unit	Georgia			United States		
		Jun 2004	May 2005	Jun 15, 2005	Jun 2004	May 2005	Jun 15, 2005
Cotton	¢/Lb	58.90	39.50	39.50 ^{1/}	59.90	42.00	40.70 ^{1/}
Peanuts, In-Shell	¢/Lb	19.70	2/	3/	20.30	17.80	17.80
Calves	¢/Lb	122.00	135.00	134.00	125.00	141.00	140.00
Cattle, All Beef ^{4/}	¢/Lb	69.20	74.70	73.00	89.80	92.40	89.50
Cows ^{5/}	¢/Lb	53.30	58.50	57.60	53.70	58.50	57.30
Steers & Heifers	¢/Lb	100.00	106.00	103.00	93.80	96.40	93.10

[Results from the monthly Prices Received by Farmers]. ^{1/} Based on sales during the first half of the month. ^{2/} Not published to avoid disclosure of individual firms. ^{3/} Insufficient sales to establish a price. ^{4/} "Cows," "Steers and Heifers" combined. ^{5/} Beef cows and cull dairy cows sold for slaughter.

INDEX NUMBERS, UNITED STATES--2004-2005

	2004		2005	
	May	Jun	May	Jun
UNITED STATES (1990-92 =100)				
Prices Received	129	128	120	120
Prices Paid	135	135	139	139
Ratio ^{1/}	96	95	86	86

[Results from the monthly Prices Received by Farmers]. ^{1/} Ratio of index of prices received by farmers to index of prices paid.

STOCKS OF PEANUTS AND SPECIFIED PRODUCTS AT MONTH'S END, UNITED STATES--2005^{1/}

Month Ending	Farmer Stocks	Shelled Peanuts ^{2/}	Roasting Stock (In Shell)	Farmer Stock Equivalent	
				Shelled Peanuts	Total ^{3/}
	--Thousand Pounds--				
May	990,830	688,727	92,026	916,007	1,998,863

[Results from the Peanut Stocks and Processing Report]. ^{1/} Excludes stocks on farms. Includes stocks owned by or held for account of CCC in commercial storages. Farmer stock on net weight basis. ^{2/} Includes shelled edible grades, shelled oil stock, and shelled seed (untreated). ^{3/} Actual farmer stock, plus roasting stock, plus shelled peanuts x 1.33.

AREA PLANTED AND FORECAST HARVESTED, GEORGIA AND UNITED STATES, 2004-2005

Crop	Georgia				United States			
	Area Planted		Area Harvested		Area Planted		Area Harvested	
	2004	2005	2004	2005	2004	2005	2004	2005
	--Thousand Acres--							
Corn	335	260	280	220	80,930	81,592	73,632	74,368
Cotton, Upland	1,290	1,200	1,280	1/	13,659	14,026	13,057	1/
Hay, All			600	650			61,916	61,723
Oats ^{2/}	90	80	25	25	4,085	4,342	1,792	1,976
Peanuts	620	780	610	770	1,430	1,649	1,394	1,612
Rye ^{2/}	250	270	25	20	1,380	1,440	320	323
Sorghum	45	50	25	30	7,486	7,013	6,517	6,030
Soybeans	280	200	270	190	75,208	73,303	73,958	72,384
Tobacco			23	16			408,040	316,860
Wheat, Winter ^{2/}	330	320	190	160	43,350	41,408	34,462	34,271

1/ Estimates to be released August 12, 2005 in the August Crop Production report. 2/ Includes area planted in preceding fall.

U.S. GRAIN STOCKS--JUNE 1, 2004-2005

Grain	2004			2005		
	On Farms	Off Farms ^{1/}	All Positions	On Farms	Off Farms ^{1/}	All Positions
	--1,000 Bushels--					
Barley (Old Crop)	28,320	91,988	120,308	41,100	87,604	128,704
Corn	1,540,000	1,430,140	2,970,140	2,462,300	1,857,657	4,319,957
Oats (Old Crop)	27,500	37,348	64,848	25,350	32,613	57,963
Sorghum	7,650	72,944	80,594	16,000	88,369	104,369
Soybeans	110,000	300,604	410,604	356,100	343,544	699,644
All Wheat (Old Crop)	131,880	414,559	546,439	161,275	378,566	539,841

1/ Includes stocks at mills, elevators, warehouses, terminals, and processors.

WINTER WHEAT: AREA HARVESTED, YIELD, PRODUCTION, GEORGIA AND UNITED STATES, 2004 AND FORECAST JULY 1, 2005

State	Area Harvested		Yield		Production	
	2004	2005	2004	2005	2004	2005
	--1,000 Acres--		--Bushels--		--1,000 Bushels--	
GA	190	160	45.0	52.0	8,550	8,320
US	34,462	34,271	43.5	44.5	1,499,434	1,525,302

[Results from the July Yield Survey].

TYPE 14 TOBACCO: AREA HARVESTED, YIELD, PRODUCTION, GEORGIA AND UNITED STATES, 2004 AND FORECAST JULY 1, 2005

State	Harvested Acres		Yield per Acre		Production	
	2004	2005	2004	2005	2004	2005
	--Acres--		--Pounds--		--Thousand Lbs--	
GA	23,000	16,000	2,030	1,900	46,690	30,400
US	27,000	18,800	2,092	1,989	56,490	37,400

[Results from the July Yield Survey].

PEACHES: TOTAL PRODUCTION, GEORGIA AND UNITED STATES, 2003-2004 AND FORECAST JULY 1, 2005

State	2003	2004	2005	2005 as % of 2004
	--Tons--		--Percent--	
GA	55,000	52,500	40,000	76
US	1,259,500	1,307,110	1,240,350	95

[Results from the Peach Inquiry].

ONIONS--SPRING SEASON, GEORGIA AND TOTAL, 2004 AND 2005

State	Area Planted		Area Harvested		Yield per Acre		Production	
	2004	2005	2004	2005	2004	2005	2004	Ind 2005
	--Acres--		--Acres--		--Cwt--		--1,000 Cwt--	
GA	16,500	13,500	14,500	11,000	260	240	3,770	2,640
Total	39,900	38,800	35,700	34,600	337	314	12,031	10,875

[Results from the Georgia Onions, Acreage, and Yield Inquiry].

**SELECTED FRESH MARKET VEGETABLES AND MELONS, AREA FOR HARVEST
BY CROP, STATE AND TOTAL, SUMMER SEASON, 2004 AND FORECASTED AREA, 2005**

Crop and State	Usual Harvest Period	Area Harvested 2004	Area for Harvest 2005	2005 as % of 2004	Crop and State	Usual Harvest Period	Area Harvested 2004	Area for Harvest 2005	2005 as % of 2004
SNAP BEANS					CANTALOUPE				
GA	Jun-Sep	2,500	3,000	120	CA	Jul-Sep	36,200	35,000	97
MI	Jul-Oct	4,100	4,300	105	GA	Jun-Sep	2,000	1,900	95
NY	Jun-Oct	7,600	7,500	99	SC	Jun-Sep	1,100	1,100	100
VA	Jul-Sep	3,000	2,600	87	TX	Jul-Sep	4,000	3,200	80
Total		17,200	17,400	101	Total		43,300	41,200	95
CABBAGE					WATERMELON				
GA	Jun-Sep	700	900	129	CA	Jul-Sep	10,000	9,000	90
MI	Jun-Nov	1,600	1,700	106	GA	Jun-Sep	23,000	20,000	87
NY	Jun-Sep	10,600	10,200	96	MS	Jun-Sep	2,700	2,900	107
Total		12,900	12,800	99	SC	Jun-Sep	7,000	6,500	93
					TX	Jul-Sep	13,000	15,700	121
Total					Total		55,700	54,100	97

[Results from the Fresh Market Vegetable Acreage Inquiry].

MILK COWS AND MILK PRODUCTION, GEORGIA AND UNITED STATES--BY QUARTER, APRIL-JUNE 2004-2005

Item	Unit	Georgia			United States		
		2004	2005	Percent	2004	2005	Percent
Milk Cows ^{1/}	Thousand Head	84	82	98	9,001	9,035	100
Milk per Cow ^{2/}	Pounds	4,550	4,660	102	4,869	5,051	104
Milk Production	Million Pounds	382	382	100	43,824	45,633	104

[Results from the Milk Production Report]. 1/ Includes dry cows, excludes heifers not yet fresh. 2/ Excludes milk sucked by calves.

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