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Georgia Agricultural Facts

2017 HIGHLIGHTED COMMODITIES

	Cash Receipts		U.S. Ranking	
All Commodities	\$8.85	billion	# 15	
Broilers	\$4.38	billion	# 1	
Cotton lint and seed	\$878	million	# 2	
Peanuts	\$608	million	# 1	
Chicken Eggs	\$578	million	# 2	
Pecans	\$257	million	# 1	
Onions, Spring	\$122	million	# 1	
Watermelon	\$74	million	# 4	
Blueberries	\$74	million	# 7	











Leading Commodities for Production: 2017

U.S. Rank		Production
1	Broilers	1.36 bil hd
1	Peanuts	3.57 bil lbs
1	Pecans, Utilized	107 mil lbs
2	Cotton Lint	2.26 mil bales
2	Cotton Seed	638 th tons
3	Watermelon	6.81 mil cwt
4	Bell Peppers	841 th cwt
4	Cantaloupes	363 th cwt
4	Cucumbers	1.66 mil cwt
5	Chickens, Excl Broilers	29.37 mil hd
5	Tobacco	26.3 mil lbs
6	Blueberries	32.81 mil lbs
6	Cabbage	1.93 mil cwt
6	Eggs	4.96 bil eggs
6	Onions	3.76 mil cwt
6	Squash	537 th cwt
7	Peaches	9.6 th tons
7	Snap Beans	647 th cwt
7	Sweet Corn	3.94 mil cwt
22	Farm Operations	40.9 th farms
30	Cattle & Calves, Inventory	1.10 mil hd
30	Land in Farms	9.30 mil acres









Leading Commodities for Cash Receipts — Georgia: 2017

Rank	Items	Value of Georgia receipts	Percent of total receipts	Cumulative percent ¹	Percent of U.S. Value ²	Value of U.S. receipts
		(\$1,000)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(\$1,000)
United States		, , ,	. ,	. ,	., ,	
15	All commodities	8,850,235	100.0	_	2.4	374,341,092
9	Livestock and products	5,836,723	65.9		3.3	176,034,295
21	Crops	3,013,513	34.1	_	1.5	198,306,797
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Georgia						
1	Broilers	4,375,990	49.4	49.4	14.5	30,229,700
2	Cotton lint, Upland	787,245	8.9	58.3	12.4	6,355,522
3	Peanuts	608,273	6.9	65.2	47.3	1,285,165
4	Chicken eggs	578,298	6.5	71.7	7.7	7,551,021
5	Miscellaneous crops	387,625	4.4	76.1	1.6	24,056,181
6	Cattle and calves	369,949	4.2	80.3	0.5	67,351,377
7	Dairy products, Milk	348,080	3.9	84.2	0.9	37,937,689
8	Pecans	256,800	2.9	87.1	37.5	684,348
9	Corn	188,561	2.1	89.3	0.4	47,011,622
10	Onions	121,766	1.4	90.6	11.7	1,039,325
11	Corn, Sweet	98,393	1.1	91.8	10.6	931,631
12	All other animals and products	94,311	1.1	92.8	1.6	6,030,720
13	Cottonseed	91,128	1.0	93.9	9.2	994,422
14	Watermelon	74,240	0.8	94.7	12.5	595,304
15	Blueberries	73,527	8.0	95.5	8.8	839,375
16	Soybeans	65,672	0.7	96.3	0.2	40,633,732
17	Hay	54,131	0.6	96.9	0.8	6,526,105
18	Tobacco	53,423	0.6	97.5	3.9	1,378,695
19	Hogs	40,227	0.5	97.9	0.2	21,072,898
20	Peppers, bell	37,172	0.4	98.4	5.8	641,521
21	Mushrooms	23,701	0.3	98.6	1.9	1,222,021
22	Squash	23,525	0.3	98.9	13.2	178,469
23	Peaches	17,454	0.2	99.1	2.9	599,330
	Government Payments ³	391,707	-	-	3.4	11,531,611
	Net Farm income ⁴	2,668,740	-	-	3.5	75,477,001

¹ The cumulative percentage is the sum of the percent total receipts for each commodity and all proceeding commodities.

Georgia Cash Receipts: 1998-2017 Billion dollars



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Farm Income and Wealth Statistics

² Percent State receipts are of U.S. receipts for same line item.

³ Government payments made directly to farmers in cash or payment-in-kind.

⁴ Net farm income, a value of production measure, is the farm operator's share of the sector's net value added to the National economy from production activities within a calendar year.