



# 2021 Dairy Facts Georgia

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Georgia is home to about **81,000** dairy cows

Dairy cows produced an average of **8.3** gallons of milk per day

**90%** of all milk produced in 2020 was used and consumed in the form of fluid milk

Georgia has **130** dairy farms and a typical dairy farm has a herd of about **623** milking cows

The average value of a day's milk per cow was about **\$13.93**

In 2020, a dairy cow in Georgia cost about **\$1,300**

The top five milk producing counties:

- 1. Macon**
- 2. Sumter**
- 3. Brooks**
- 4. Burke**
- 5. Morgan**



The total amount of milk produced equaled **206 million** gallons

Each dairy cow in Georgia provided an average of **2,544** gallons of milk in 2020

## Georgia rankings

**23rd** in milk production,  
**23rd** in number of milk cows,  
**23rd** in milk output per cow, and  
**27th** in the number of licensed dairy operations during 2020 in the United States.