

AGRICULTURE AND AGRIBUSINESS IN CHEROKEE COUNTY, 2006

Definitions: Dollar-values are *value-added*, which is the production value using inputs from Cherokee County. *Employment* is full plus part-time employment. Data are from IMPLAN (Mig, Inc.).

Agriculture/Food Industries

Farming:	\$6,397,311
Manufacturing:	\$2,966,000
Wholesaling/Retailing:	\$21,064,000
Total:	\$30,427,311

Natural Fiber Industries

Farming:	\$0
Manufacturing:	\$2,181,000
Wholesaling/Retailing:	\$2,803,000
Total:	\$4,984,000

Forestry Industries

Farming:	\$2,260,000
Manufacturing:	\$5,651,000
Wholesaling/Retailing:	\$2,787,700
Total:	\$10,698,700

Total Income

Total County Value-added:	\$608,342,000
Agriculture/Food Industries	
total income:	\$30,427,311
share of county value-added:	5.0%
Natural Fiber Industries:	
total income:	\$4,984,000
share of county value-added:	0.8%
Forestry Industries:	
total income:	\$10,698,700
share of county value-added:	1.8%
All Agriculture/Agribusiness Industries	
total income:	\$46,110,011
share of county value-added:	7.6%

Total Agricultural/Agribusiness Employment:

total employment:	1,539
share of county employment:	12.6 %