

AGRICULTURE AND AGRIBUSINESS IN GATES COUNTY, 2008

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

Agriculture/Food Industries

Farming	\$57,239,401
Manufacturing	\$0
Wholesaling/Retailing	\$2,529,693
Total	\$59,769,094

Natural Fiber Industries

Farming	\$5,363,639
Manufacturing	\$268,117
Wholesaling/Retailing	\$143,222
Total	\$5,774,978

Forestry Industries

Farming	\$10,407,181
Manufacturing	\$6,995,273
Wholesaling/Retailing	\$27,014
Total	\$17,429,468

Total Income

Total County Value-added	\$138,255,494
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Agriculture/Food Industries

total income	\$59,769,094
share of county value-added	43.2%

Natural Fiber Industries

total income	\$5,774,978
share of county value-added	4.2%

Forestry Industries

total income	\$17,429,468
share of county value-added	12.6%

All Agriculture/Agribusiness Industries

total income	\$82,973,540
share of county value-added	60.0%

Total Agricultural/Agribusiness Employment

total employment	636
share of county employment	22.4%