FACT SHEET
GCI INDUSTRIES

2019

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Georgia Correctional Industries is an integral part of the Georgia Department of Corrections employing approximately 1,000 offenders. During their incarceration, offenders are provided opportunities to enhance key attributes needed to obtain employment upon release. Georgia Correctional Industries plays a valuable role in this process by providing job opportunities within one of our three divisions: Manufacturing, Food Service and Agribusiness.

MANUFACTURING OPERATIONS

Georgia Correctional Industries (GCI) is committed to mentoring and developing offenders with marketable job skills needed to become productive citizens.

Autry State Prison
- Shoes
- Boots

Central State Prison
- Garments
- Linens

Colony Farms
- Screen Printing
- Garments

Decatur Office
- Engraving
- Trophies
- Awards

Dodge State Prison
- Wood Furniture
- Picnic Tables

Hancock State Prison
- Embroidery
- Garments
- Linens

Hays State Prison
- Optics

Lee Arrendale State Prison
- Offender Package Program

Montgomery State Prison
- Upholstered Furniture
- Reupholstery

Phillips State Prison
- Printing & Binding

Pulaski State Prison
- Garments

Smith/GA State Prison
- Signs & Decals
- Sign Recycling
- Paint
- Panel Systems

Telfair State Prison
- Motor Vehicle Tags
- Mattress & Pillows

Valdosta State Prison
- Cleaning & Maintenance Chemicals
- Soaps

Walker State Prison
- Metal Furnishings
- File Cabinets
- Grills
- High Security Items

Washington State Prison
- Garments
- Linens
- Socks

GCI positively impacts offenders' lives through the goods and services we provide. GCI Produces over 10,000 different products with annual sales over $39 million (FY 18).

GCI Programs - Benefit All of Us:
- ***Reduces*** ... Idle time during incarceration
- ***Provides*** ... Certified job skills for offenders
- ***Savings*** ... To the taxpayers of Georgia
- ***Employs*** ... Georgia citizens throughout the state, including ex-offenders, where able

Our customers come from all sectors of the public, including:
- Corrections
- Education
- Food Service
- Health Care
- Parks & Recreation
- Public Safety
- Transportation

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FOOD & FARM OPERATIONS

GCI Food & Farm programs produce 42% (FY 18) of the food items utilized within the offender menu; with products privileged to carry the Georgia Grown Label. Production facilities include dairy, meat and egg processing units, cannery, and grist mill. Emphasis is placed on efficient farm operations, distribution, warehousing, and food preparation. Major production enterprises include beef, pork, milk, fruits and vegetables, eggs, grits, and corn meal.

FOOD SERVICES

Provides male and female offenders the following menu choices: regular, alternative entree program (religious diet program) and medically prescribed diets. 39,553,392 (FY18) offender meals are prepared and served annually.

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Provides on-site food service to training, cadets, staff and visitors.

- Total meals served 153,421 (FY18)
- Cadet meals served 122,702 (FY18)

FOOD DISTRIBUTION UNIT (MILLEDGEVILLE)

Meat processing, warehousing and distribution unit for statewide food service operations

- Processed 3.25 million pounds of beef and chicken products (FY18)
- Average monthly distribution of food and supplies $1.8 million

FARM OPERATIONS

Each year, GCI's agriculture programs provide the opportunity for more than 300 offenders to work in farm operations located across the state.

***Lee Arrendale State Prison Farm**, Alto, GA - 596 acres*

- Swine Unit: 150 sow farrow-to-finish
- Beef Unit: 125 head cow/calf
- On-site feed mill: 30,000-bushel storage capacity

***Dooly State Prison Farm**, Unadilla, GA - 125 acres*

- Vegetable, fruit and row crop operation

***Joe Kennedy Farm**, Lyons, GA - 2,600 acres*

- Offender labor provided by Montgomery State Prison and Women's Probation Detention Center
- Gristmill (grits and cornmeal)
- Average 1,600 head of background steer and heifers annually
- 100 head of brood cows
- Row crops: corn, double-cropped soybeans, wheat, cotton and winter grazing grasses
- On-site feed mill with over 60,000-bushel storage capacity

***Middle Georgia Farm**, Milledgeville, Wrightsville and Davisboro, GA - 1,100 acres*

- Beef Unit: 500 head brood cows
- Winter grazing grasses for livestock

***Montgomery State Prison Farm,** Mount Vernon, GA - 65 acres*

- Egg production facility, fresh and frozen egg products
- 115,000 hen laying operation
- On-site feed mill with 65,000-bushel storage capacity

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Rogers State Prison Farm, *Reidsville, GA - 9,400 acres*

- Beef unit: 1,200 head of brood cows
- Pork unit: 450 sow farrow-to-finish operations
- Dairy unit: Average 175 cows milked daily
- Canned Vegetable Unit: carrots, collards, kale, Irish potatoes, rutabagas, sweet potatoes, squash and turnips
- Fresh Vegetable Unit: cabbage, broccoli, greens, watermelon, cantaloupe, cucumbers, tomatoes, squash, sweet corn, and bell peppers
- Row Crops: corn, cotton, soy beans, wheat and winter grazing grasses
- On-site feed mill with over 150,000-bushel storage capacity
- Two food processing units - canning & dairy

EMERGENCY RESPONSE CAPABILITIES

GCI is privileged to have our own emergency response equipment allowing GCI to respond when needed. This equipment is used for the following:

- Kitchen Construction projects
- GDC emergencies such as loss of power, water or other resources
- State of emergencies to support the needs of the Georgia Emergency Management Agency or other agencies

GCI's emergency response equipment includes:

- Two mobile kitchens with the ability to feed up to 1,700 people
- One mobile kitchen with the ability to feed up to 450 people
- Two prep trailers with the ability to support the mobile kitchens
- Two generators
- One 6,500-gallon water tanker for potable water