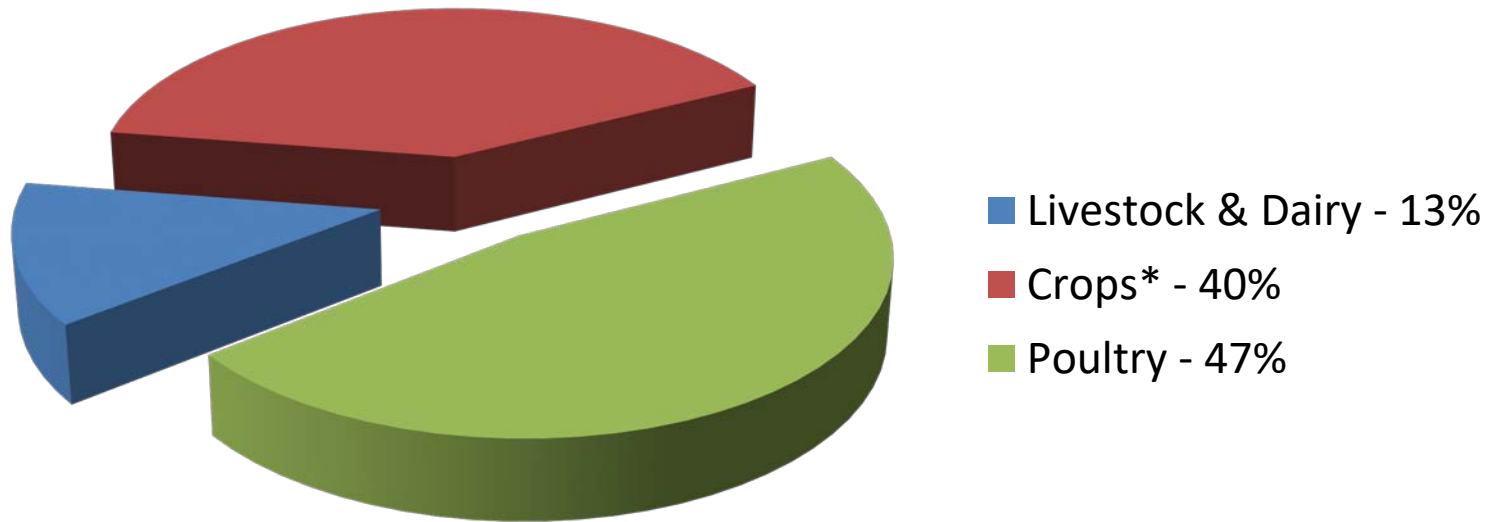


Poultry --> The Largest Segment of Georgia Agriculture!



Percent Total by Commodity

* Crops include row crops, vegetables, fruits, nuts, nursery/greenhouse, hay and turfgrass



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Poultry's Annual Contribution to Georgia's Economy from Farms, Processing, Further Processing and Allied Industries

\$25.5 BILLION



The jobs of nearly 104,000 Georgians depend on the Poultry Industry either directly or indirectly!



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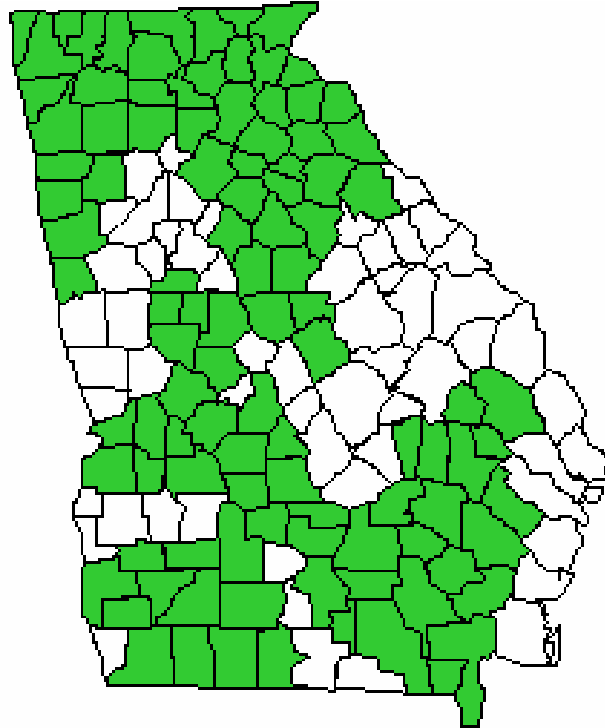
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Source: UGA Center for Agribusiness and Economic Development



Million Dollar Poultry Counties



Georgia now has 102 Counties producing more than \$1 Million of Poultry at the farm level!

Source: UGA Center for Agribusiness and Economic Development



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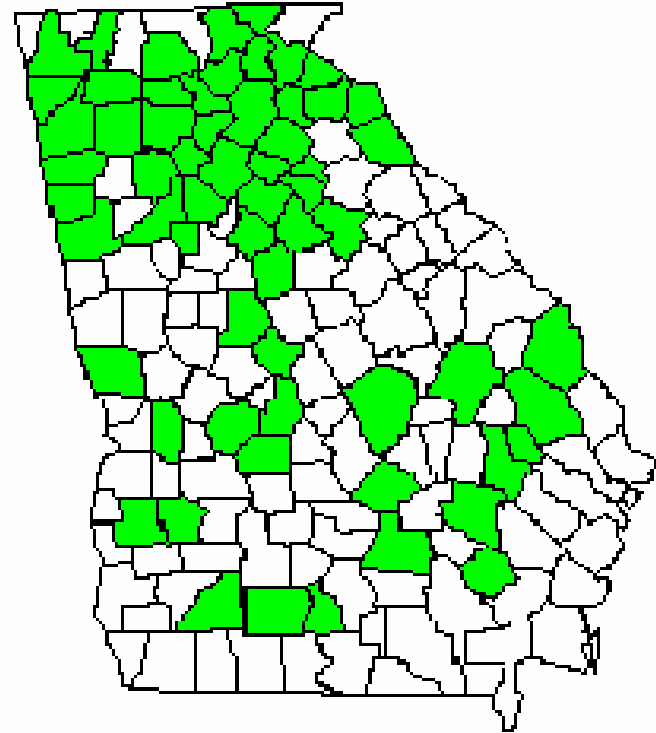
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Poultry Employment Across Georgia

59 Counties with one or more:

- Broiler Processing
- Fowl Processing
- Further Processing
- Breeder Facility
- Egg Packing
- Egg Products
- Hatchery
- Feed Mill
- By-Products Processing



*Most counties have more than one, and many have several.
Plants in AL, SC, and TN also process chicken produced in Georgia!*

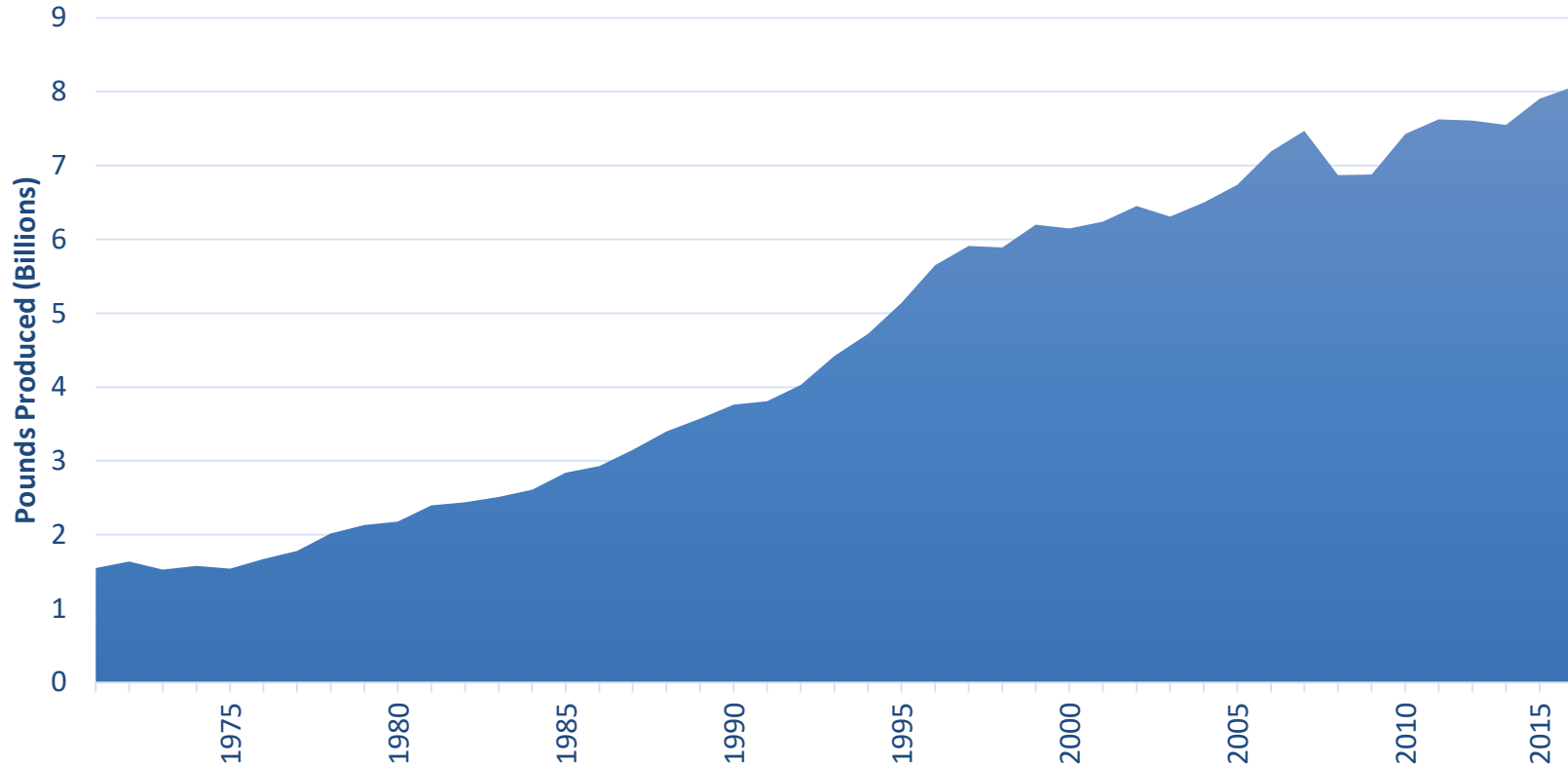


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Broiler Growth in Georgia



Source: USDA NASS



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On An Average Day, Georgia Produces...

**31 Million Pounds of
Chicken**

7.6 Million Table Eggs

5.8 Million Hatching Eggs



Source: USDA NASS

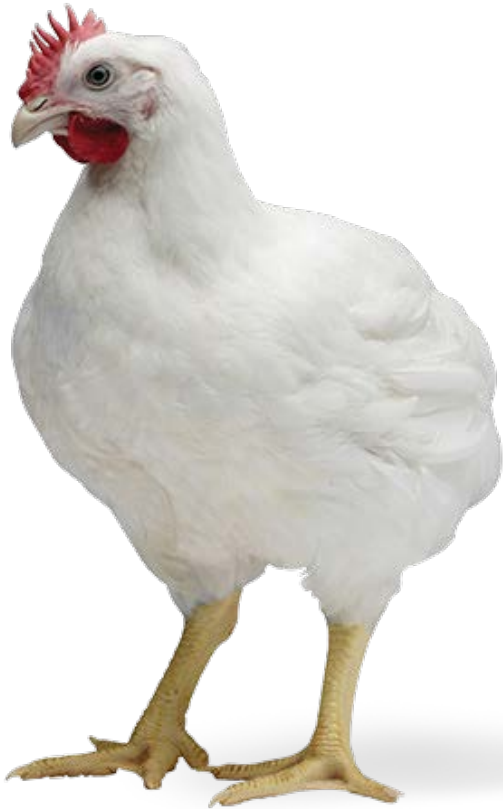


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If Georgia were a country, it would be the 7th largest in Broiler Production!



United States	18,634
Brazil	13,440
China	11,100
India	4,500
Russia	3,750
Mexico	3,384
<u>GEORGIA</u>	<u>2,634</u>
Argentina	2,125
Turkey	1,925
Thailand	1,660

(1,000 Metric Tons Forecast for 2017)

Source: USDA/FAS

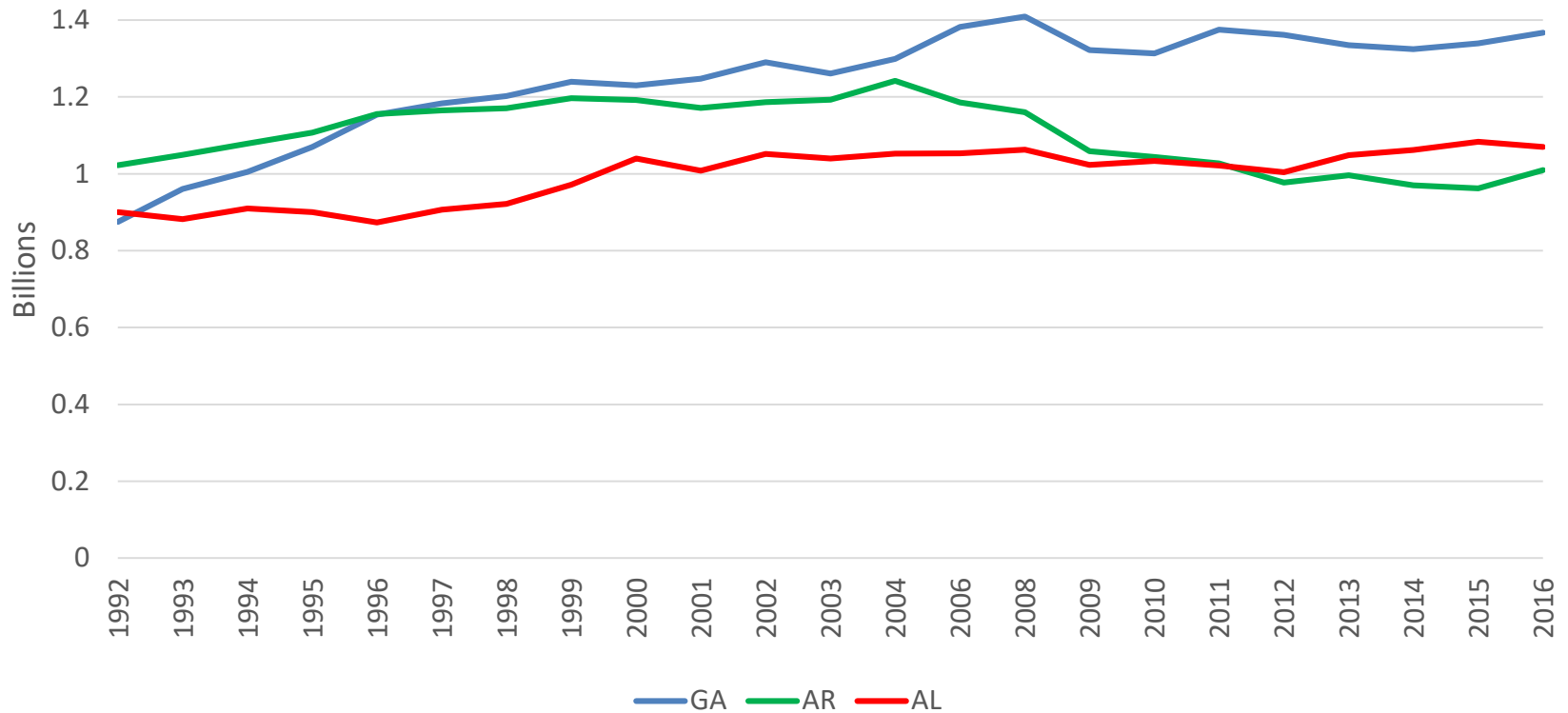
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Top Three States in Broiler Chicken Production

1991 – 2016
(Number of Birds)



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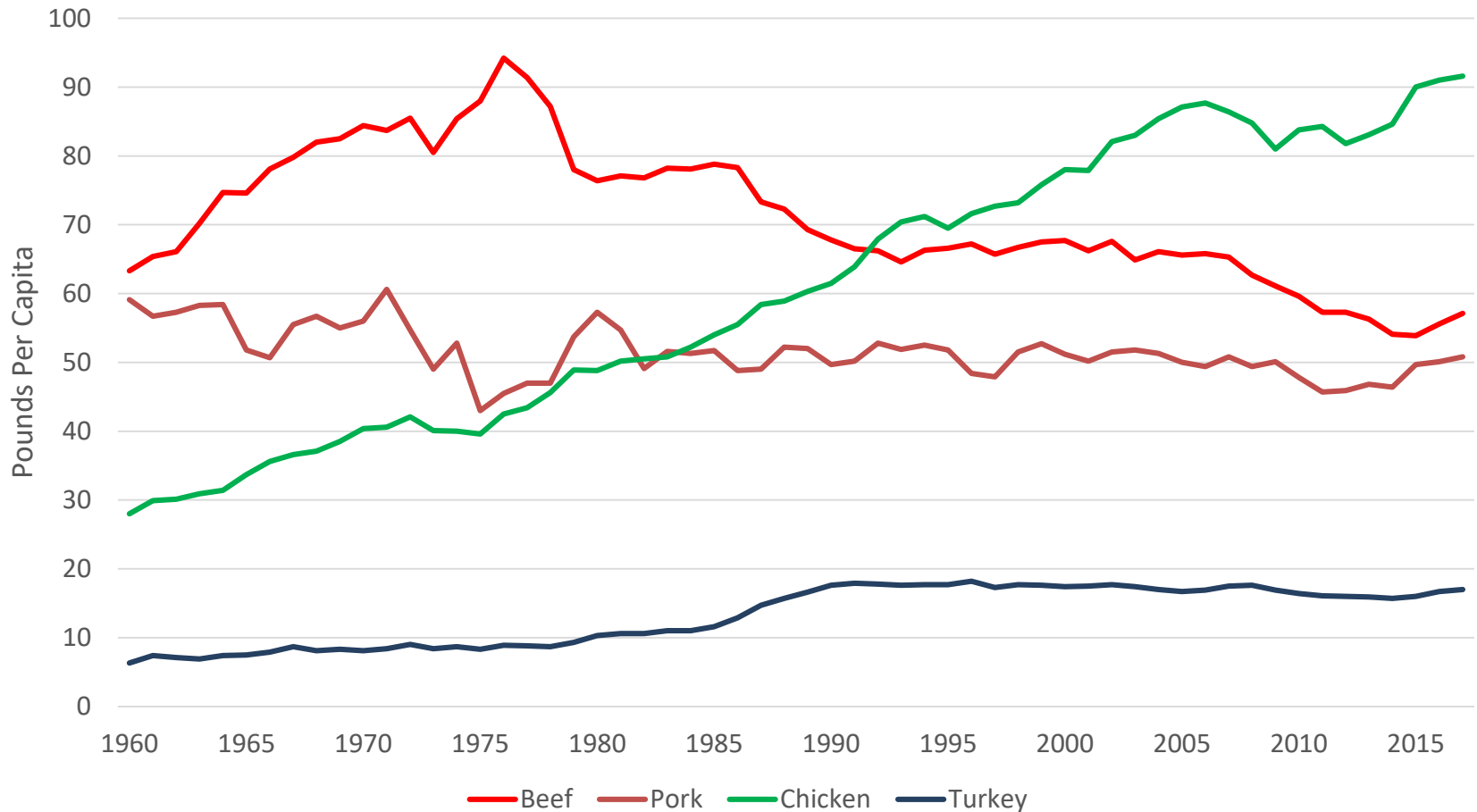
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Source: USDA NASS



Chicken → America's Favorite Food!



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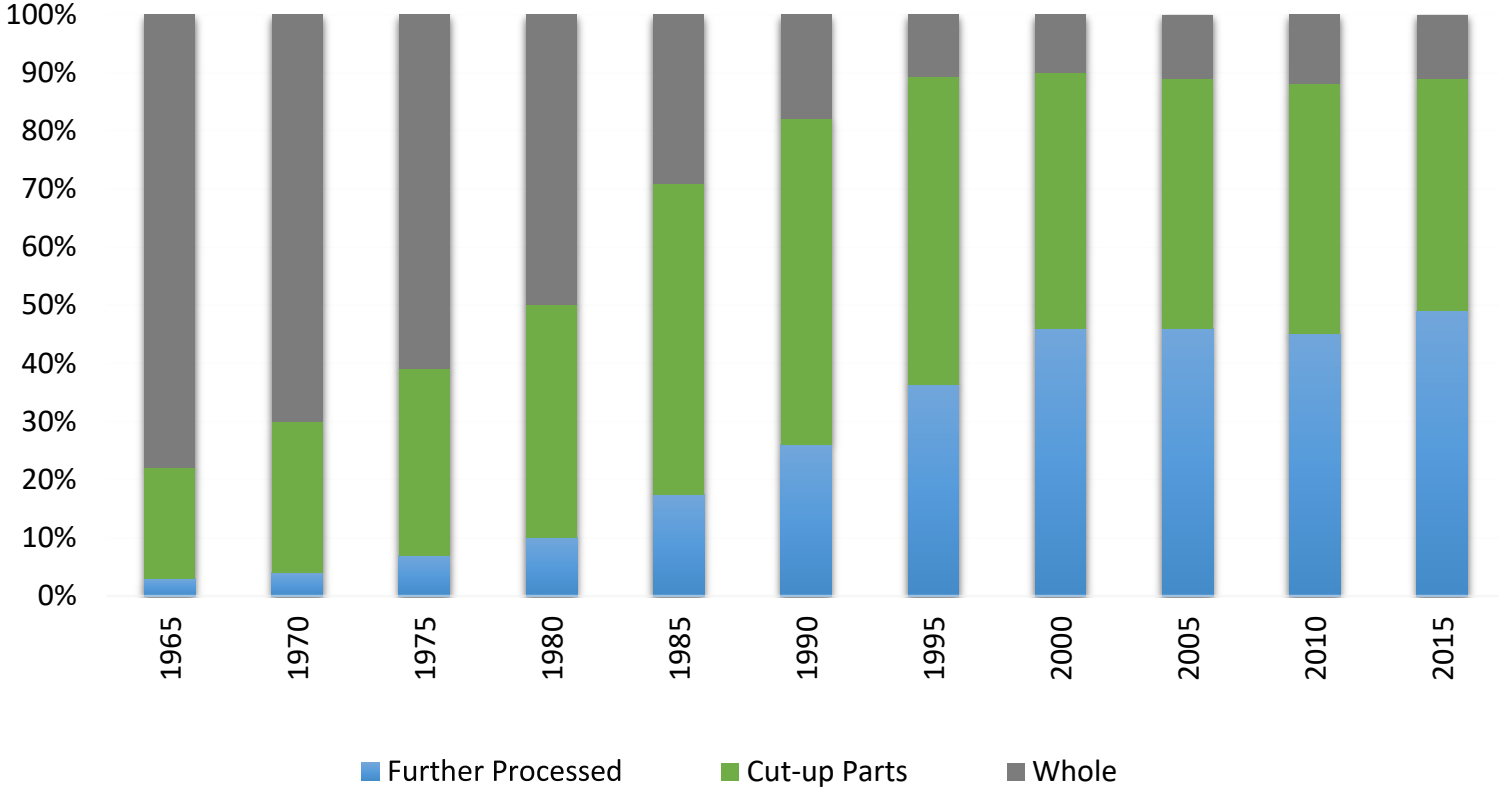
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Source: USDA/National Chicken Council



The Georgia Poultry Industry Continues to Develop New Value-Added Products



Chicken

Annual Per Capita Consumption

United States 92 lbs.

World 22.4 lbs.



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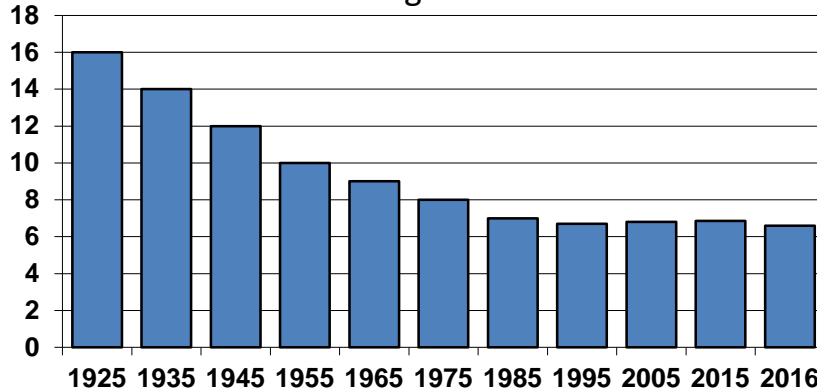


Source: USDA/ERS and FAO

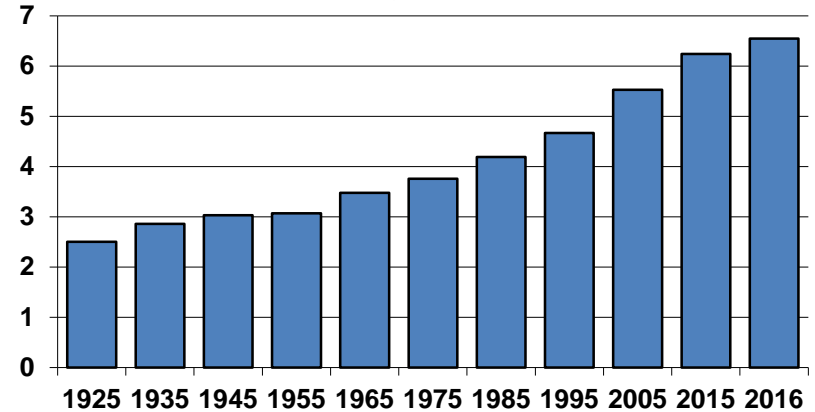


Research and Innovation Have Led to Dramatic Progress in Broiler Performance

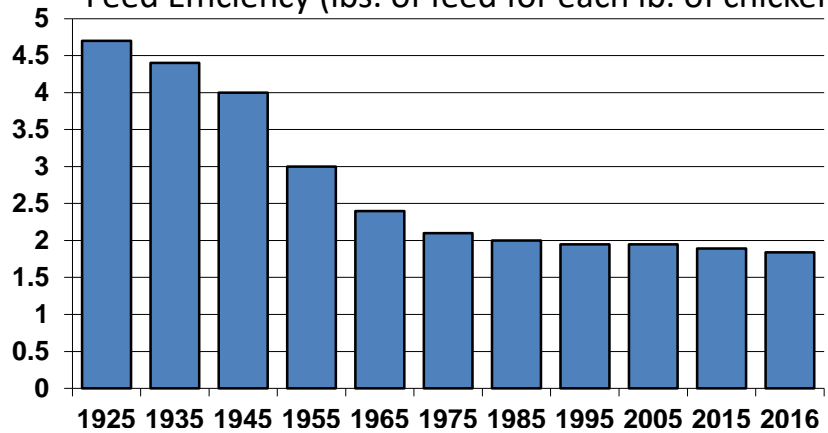
Growing Time - Weeks



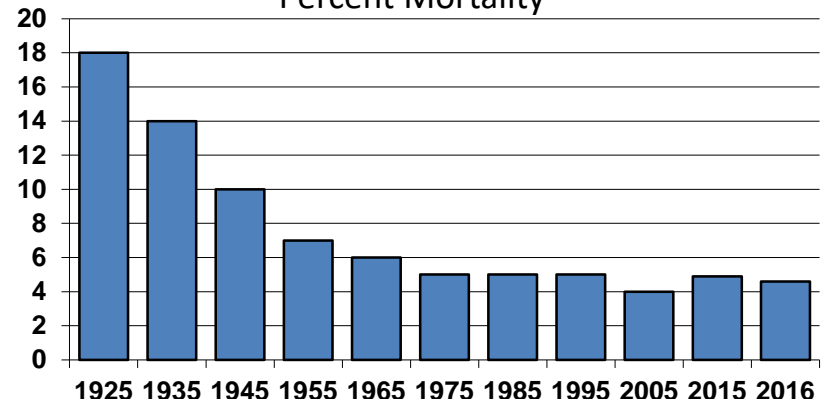
Live Weight – Lbs.



Feed Efficiency (lbs. of feed for each lb. of chicken)



Percent Mortality



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The Annual Production from an Average Poultry Farm Could Feed...

7 Million People a Delicious Chicken



Or More than **19,400 People** Served a Single Meal Per Day
Entire Year!



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