GEORGIA ROAD FREIGHT

TOTAL ROADWAY MILES
6,541 (State and County Miles)
1,271 (Total City Streets)

INBOUND TRUCK FREIGHT
TRUCK INBOUND TONS: 8,478,136
TRUCK INBOUND VOLUME: 785,322
TRUCK INBOUND VALUE: $7,055,853,503

TOP 5 COMMODITIES BY VALUE

2019 INBOUND
1) Motor Vehicle Parts or Accessories: $707,386,266
2) Motor Vehicles: $600,652,154
3) Petroleum Refining Products: $505,595,536
4) Live Poultry: $280,644,832
5) Primary Iron or Steel Products: $185,251,438

2050 PROJECTED INBOUND
1) Motor Vehicles: $882,231,212
2) Motor Vehicle Parts or Accessories: $864,237,721
3) Live Poultry: $835,360,928
4) Petroleum Refining Products: $420,774,661
5) Misc Waste or Scrap: $294,231,767

Data source: IHS 2019. Inbound road data reflects North American freight terminating within [the State of Georgia / region X]. Outbound road data reflects North American freight originating within [the State of Georgia / region X].
GEORGIA ROAD FREIGHT

OUTBOUND TRUCK FREIGHT

TRUCK INBOUND TONS: 8,154,326
TRUCK INBOUND VOLUME: 811,079
TRUCK INBOUND VALUE: $15,097,084,167

TOP 5 COMMODITIES

BY VALUE

2019 OUTBOUND

1) Motor Vehicles: $2,785,036,585
2) Motor Vehicle Parts or Accessories: $1,898,192,575
3) Transportation Equipment, Nec: $1,435,052,296
4) Telephone or Telegraph Equipment: $819,590,815
5) Misc Plastic Products: $648,151,998

2050 PROJECTED OUTBOUND

1) Motor Vehicles: $4,601,332,201
2) Live Poultry: $2,354,011,543
3) Motor Vehicle Parts or Accessories: $2,227,350,079
4) Transportation Equipment, Nec: $1,885,980,334
5) Telephone or Telegraph Equipment: $1,356,184,349

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REGION 4-WEST CENTRAL GEORGIA
Butts • Carroll • Coweta • Heard • Lamar
Meriwether • Pike • Spalding • Troup • Upson

OCEAN FREIGHT

INBOUND OCEAN FREIGHT
OCEAN IMPORT TONS: 293,227
OCEAN IMPORT VOLUME: 34,653

INBOUND
PARTS & ACCESS FOR MOTOR VEHICLES (HEAD 8701-8705): 14,729
MOTOR CARS & VEHICLES FOR TRANSPORTING PERSONS: 2,993
TUBES, PIPES & HOSES & THEIR FITTINGS, OF PLASTICS: 1,425
PARTS & ACCESS FOR CYCLES & INVALID CARRIAGES: 1,174
INSULATED WIRE, CABLE ETC, OPT SHEATH FIB CABLES: 1,096
Other: 13,237

TOP 5 COMMODITIES
BY TEU CONTAINER VOLUME

OUTBOUND
ARTICLES OF IRON OR STEEL, NESOI: 186
PARTS & ACCESS FOR MOTOR VEHICLES (HEAD 8701-8705): 59
PLATES, SHEETS, FILM ETC NO AD, NON-CEL ETC, PLAST: 26
PARTS FOR ENGINES OF HEADING 8407 OR 8408: 19
MOTOR CARS & VEHICLES FOR TRANSPORTING PERSONS: 15
Other: 89

OUTBOUND OCEAN FREIGHT
OCEAN EXPORT TONS: 8,395
OCEAN EXPORT VOLUME: 392

GEORGIA AIR CARGO
AIR HIGHLIGHTS
• World’s busiest passenger airport, with 2,500 arrivals and departures and 250,000 passengers per day
• Over 80% of U.S. consumers are within a 2-hour flight time from Atlanta
• Foreign Trade Zone #26 is directly connected to the airport, and is a U.S. Fish and Wildlife port of entry
• ATL handles 95% of the state’s annual air freight volume
• In 2021, 13th largest airport in the U.S. for cargo, and 43rd in the world
• Is the only air cargo perishable complex in the Southeast approved by the USDA to offer on-site cold treatment and fumigation treatment of fruit fly host plants

GEORGIA RAIL FREIGHT
RAIL HIGHLIGHTS
• Georgia is home to 28 freight railroads (2 class-1s and 26 short-line railroads)
• Home to the largest intermodal facility on the East Coast
• Georgia has the largest railroad network in the Southeast, with over 4,600 miles of track
• Rail transport directly employs over 6,500 Georgians
• Georgia railroads move 190 million tons of freight in Georgia annually
REGION 4-WEST CENTRAL GEORGIA
WAREHOUSING & DISTRIBUTION

See map of regional locations

EDUCATION
Top Schools with Logistics Programs
• Gordon State College
• Southern Crescent Technical College
• University of West Georgia
• West Georgia Technical College

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