

- The largest agriculture related manufacturing establishments in District 6 are furniture & related products (84), wood products (73), food (30) paper (23), textiles (22), and apparel (12).



- The largest agriculture related employment manufacturers are food, furniture & related products, wood products, paper, beverage & tobacco products, textiles, and apparel.

- The District is home to 15,400 farms covering close to 2.0 million acres. Crop acres exceed 900,000.



- The top five crops in District 6 include hay (381,400 acres), corn for grain (87,500 acres), soybeans (73,800 acres), wheat (28,600 acres), and tobacco (10,700 acres). In addition, nearly 1,500 acres are planted in upland cotton.

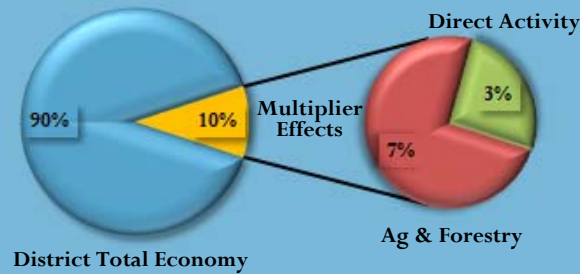


- There are over 221,000 beef cattle in District 6 with 11,200 milk cows. In addition, there are 9,800 head of hogs and 47.2 million broilers.



- Forestland totals 1.6 million acres of which 1.5 million acres are in private ownership.

District 6-Economic Contributions of Ag and Forestry to the Economy, 2009



- The market value of agricultural products sold totals \$484 million of which 62.0% is from livestock and their products and 38.0% is from crops (includes nursery & greenhouse).



- Over \$1 out of every \$9 in the economy is directly or indirectly derived from agriculture and forestry related industries.
- 1 out of 9 six jobs in the economy is directly or indirectly derived from agriculture and forestry related industries.

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DIRECT AND TOTAL EFFECTS OF AGRO-FORESTRY ON THE DISTRICT*

	<i>Direct Effects</i>		<i>Total Effects</i>
Total Industrial Output	\$4,878 million	Total Industrial Output	\$6,563 million
Employment	26,941	Employment	41,050
Wages and Salaries	\$651 million	Wages and Salaries	\$1,171 million
Value-added	\$1,407 million	Value-added	\$2,324 million

DIRECT AND TOTAL EFFECTS OF AGRICULTURE ON THE DISTRICT

	<i>Direct Effects</i>		<i>Total Effects</i>
Total Industrial Output	\$3,991 million	Total Industrial Output	\$5,326 million
Employment	23,050	Employment	34,137
Wages and Salaries	\$455 million	Wages and Salaries	\$860 million
Value-added	\$1,135 million	Value-added	\$1,848 million

DIRECT AND TOTAL EFFECTS OF FORESTRY ON THE DISTRICT

	<i>Direct Effects</i>		<i>Total Effects</i>
Total Industrial Output	\$887 million	Total Industrial Output	\$1,237 million
Employment	3,891	Employment	6,913
Wages and Salaries	\$195 million	Wages and Salaries	\$311 million
Value-added	\$272 million	Value-added	\$476 million

DIRECT AND TOTAL EFFECTS OF AGRICULTURE & FOREST MANUFACTURING INDUSTRIES ON THE DISTRICT

	<i>Direct Effects</i>		<i>Total Effects</i>
Total Industrial Output	\$4,174 million	Total Industrial Output	\$5,622 million
Employment	11,785	Employment	22,895
Wages and Salaries	\$577 million	Wages and Salaries	\$1,033 million
Value-added	\$1,139 million	Value-added	\$1,930 million

*Direct effects are the economic impacts due to industry activity. Total effects also include impacts due to supplying industries and the impact effects household incomes have on the economy. Tennessee's Congressional Districts contain partial counties but the model used to estimate the economic impacts, IMPLAN, is modeled on a