

Georgia: Price Movements of Top Exports and Other Highlights

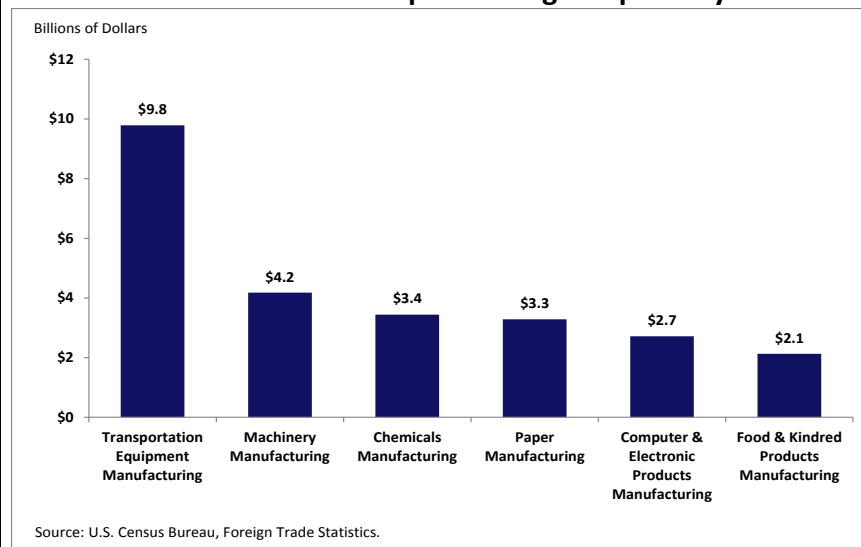
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Georgia's exports totaled \$37.2 billion in 2017, up 4.4 percent from \$35.6 billion in 2016. Export prices for Georgia's top 4 export industries—transportation equipment manufacturing, machinery manufacturing, chemical manufacturing, and paper manufacturing—all advanced during the third quarter of 2018. Overall export manufacturing prices recorded no change for the 3 months ended in September.



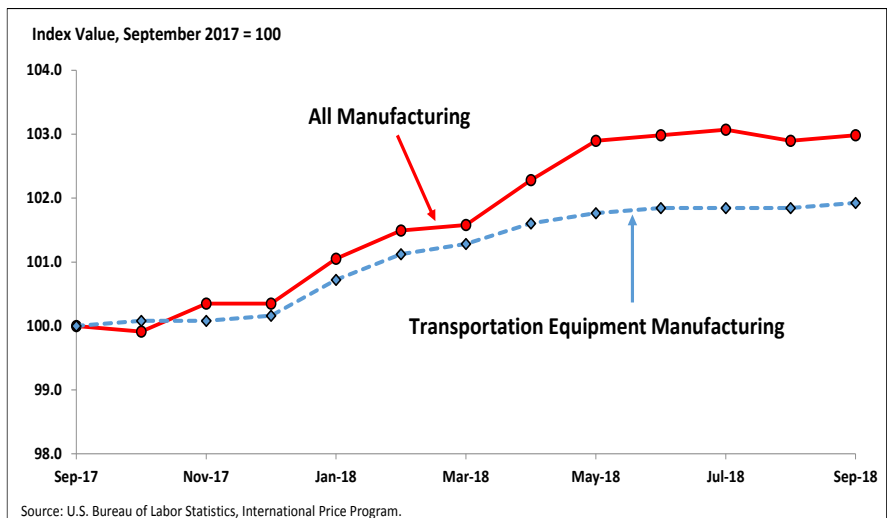
Top Six Georgia Exports by Trade Dollar Value, 2017



- Georgia's top export industry, transportation equipment manufacturing, accounted for 26.3 percent of the state's total exports by trade dollar value.
- Georgia accounted for 3.5 percent of total U.S. exports of transportation equipment by trade dollar value.
- In 2017, Georgia ranked first in the United States in paper manufacturing exports and accounted for 13.5 percent of the U.S. total by trade dollar value.

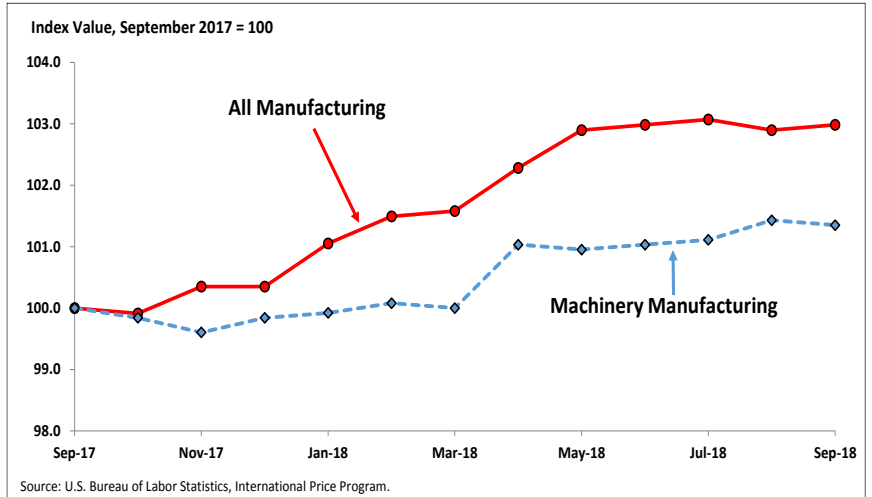
U.S. Export Price Indexes: Transportation Equipment Manufacturing

- Export prices for transportation equipment manufacturing ticked up 0.1 percent over the past quarter.
- The price index for export transportation equipment manufacturing rose 1.9 percent over the past 12 months.
- Prices for export motor vehicle body and trailer manufacturing, a contributor to the index, increased 1.4 percent for the year ended in September; this was the largest 12-month rise since December 2015.

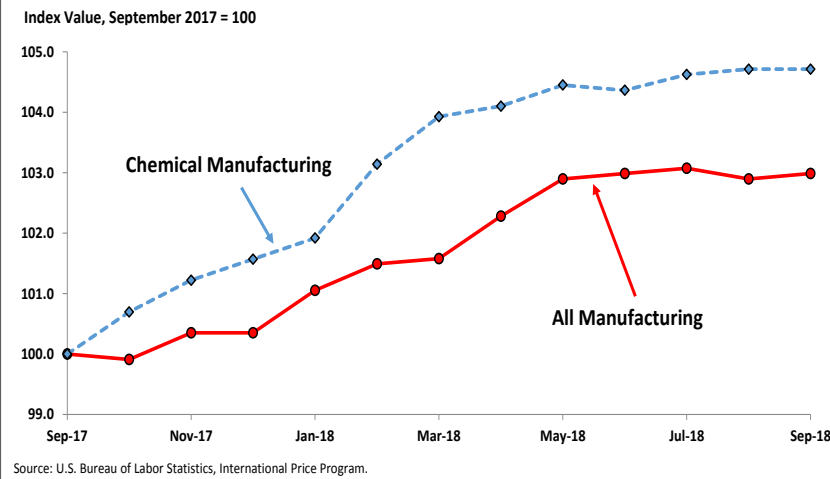


U.S. Export Price Indexes: Machinery Manufacturing

- Machinery manufacturing export prices advanced 0.3 percent for the 3-month period ended in September.
- Prices for export machinery manufacturing increased 1.4 percent for the 12 months ended in September.
- The last time prices for export machinery manufacturing rose by more than 1.4 percent on a 12-month basis was a 1.6-percent advance in June 2014.



U.S. Export Price Indexes: Chemical Manufacturing



- Export chemical manufacturing prices rose 0.3 percent for the 3-month period ended in September.
- Chemical manufacturing export prices increased 4.7 percent from September 2017 to September 2018.
- Export prices for pesticide, fertilizer, and other agricultural chemical manufacturing rose 12.9 percent over the past 12 months, the largest over-the-year increase since the index was first published in December 2012.

U.S. Export Price Indexes: Paper Manufacturing

- The paper manufacturing export price index rose 0.5 percent over the third quarter of 2018.
- Export prices for paper manufacturing increased 8.3 percent from September 2017 to September 2018.
- Export prices for pulp, paper, and paperboard mills manufacturing drove the 12-month advance, increasing 11.4 percent.

