# Georgia Soybeans

Current fiscal year checkoff investment in production research





## TOP RESEARCH FUNDING AREAS

- Soybean Rust Monitoring
- Cultivar Development
- Irrigation Management Strategies
- Variety Evaluation for Specific Production Systems



## **RECENT INNOVATIVE RESEARCH PROJECTS**

- Soybean Smart Irrigation App
- Expansion of Georgia Weather Network
- Identifying Varieties for Dryland & Ultra-Late Production



#### TOP THINGS FOR FARMERS TO KNOW ABOUT CHECKOFF DOLLARS INVESTED IN RESEARCH

The Georgia Soybean Commodity Commission dedicates 75% of instate checkoff funds to research and Extension programs. Our researchers and Extension personnel do an outstanding job investing in practical projects that support Georgia soybean production.



#### TOP AREAS OF RESEARCH CRITICAL TO THE FUTURE OF GEORGIA'S SOYBEAN PRODUCTION

- Benefits of Soybean Production
- Soybean Profitability
- Best Management Practices



Sweet Success

ONE OF THE BIGGEST SUCCESS STORIES IN GEORGIA AS A RESULT OF RESEARCH

Asian soybean remains a limiting factor for Georgia soybeans. The Soybean Rust and Fungal Disease Sentinel Plot Monitoring Program consistently helps Georgia soybean farmers protect crop yields by 25 bu/A or more and save production with timely fungicide applications to control soybean rust only when needed.

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