

Staff Research Craft (Micro) Breweries

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Sizing recommendation: 0.5 – 1.5 square feet per barrel of yearly capacity (See attached study)

Staff (Jobs) Requirement: 0.75 staff per 1,000 barrels of yearly capacity

Blue Tarp Brewery (Decatur)	3,000 SF Brewery/3,000 SF Tasting Room
Jekyll (Alpharetta)	5,000 SF Brewery
Three Taverns (Decatur)	8,500 SF Brewery
Eventide (Grant Park)	3,000 SF Brewery
Creature Comforts (Athens)	12,000 SF Brewery
Reformation (Cherokee County)	

Georgia's top 10 craft breweries by volume (Barrels = BBLs in parentheses):

1. SweetWater Brewing Company (192,500) 114,000 SF (Regional Brewery)
2. Terrapin Beer Company (46,207)
3. Red Brick Brewing Company (10,000)
4. Red Hare Brewing (8,000)
5. (t.) Jekyll Brewing (7,500) 5,000 SF
5. (t.) Monday Night Brewing (7,500)
7. Three Taverns Brewery (2,500) 8,000 SF
8. Southbound Brewing Company (2,300)
9. Creature Comforts Brewing Co.* (2,100)
10. JailHouse Brewing Company (2,000)

* Only open for eight months of 2014

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Georgia breweries, brewpubs, and client brewers in current operation

Name	Location	Initial Production	Type	Barrels/year production	Distributed By
5 Seasons Brewing Company ^[8]	Atlanta & Alpharetta	2001	Brewpub	2,258 ^[9]	
Abbey of the Holy Goats ^[10]	Roswell	2016	Brewery		Atlanta Beverage Company
Abide Brewing Company ^[11]	Newnan	2015	Brewery		
Arches Brewing ^[12]	Hapeville	2016	Brewery		
Benning Brewpub ^[13]	Fort Benning	2010	Brewpub	Unknown	
BlueTarp Brewing Company ^[14]	Decatur	2012	Brewery		Atlanta Beverage Company
Burnt Hickory Brewery ^[15]	Kennesaw	2011	Brewery	2,000 ^[16]	Savannah Distribution
Cannon Brew Pub ^[18]	Columbus	1999	Brewpub	3,000 ^[19]	
Cherry Street Brewing Co-op (Rick Tanner's) ^[20]	Cumming	2012	Brewpub	750 ^[21]	Atlanta Beverage Company
Coastal Empire Beer Co.	Savannah	2011	Brewery	1,300	Savannah Distribution
Copper Creek Brewing ^[22]	Athens	2002	Brewpub	Unknown	
Creature Comforts Brewing Co. ^[23]	Athens	2014	Brewery	8,000 ^[24]	Savannah Distribution
Dry County Brewing Company ^[25]	Kennesaw	2015	Brewery		
Eagle Creek Brewing Company ^[26]	Statesboro	2013	Brewery	4,500 ^[27]	Atlanta Beverage Company
Eventide Brewing ^[29]	Atlanta	2011	Brewery	Unknown	
Fannin Brewing Company ^[28]	Blue Ridge	2013	Brewery		Eagle Rock Distributing

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Gate City Brewing Company ^[30]	Roswell	2015	Brewery	Unknown	
Grumpy Old Men Brewing ^[31]	Blue Ridge	2012	Brewery		Savannah Distributing
Hop Alley Brew Pub ^[32]	Alpharetta	2012	Brewpub	Unknown	
Jailhouse Brewing Company ^[33]	Hampton & McDonough ^[34]	2009	Brewery	2,000 ^[35]	Atlanta Beverage Company
Jekyll Brewing ^[36]	Alpharetta	2011	Brewery	7,500 ^[37]	Atlanta Beverage Company
Left Nut Brewing Company ^[38]	Gainesville	2016	Brewery		Atlanta Beverage Company
Macon Beer Company ^[39]	Macon	2011	Brewery		
Max Lager's Wood-Fired Grill and Brewery ^[40]	Atlanta	1998	Brewpub	Unknown	
Monday Night Brewing	Atlanta	2011	Brewery	7,500 ^[41]	Atlanta Beverage Company
Monkey Wrench Brewing ^[42]	Snellville	2012	Brewery	Unknown	
Moon River Brewing Company	Savannah	1999	Brewpub	Unknown	
Omaha Brewing Company ^[43]	Omaha	2012	Brewery	Unknown	Atlanta Beverage Company
Park Tavern ^[44]	Atlanta	2009	Brewpub	Unknown	
Piedmont Brewery & Kitchen ^[45]	Macon	2016	Brewpub	Unknown ^[46]	
Red Brick Brewing Company	Atlanta	1993	Brewery	14,000 ^[47]	Georgia Crown
Red Hare Brewing	Marietta	2011	Brewery	8,000 ^[49]	Atlanta Beverage

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Company ^[48]					Company
Reformation Brewery ^[50]	Woodstock	2012	Brewery		
Riverwatch Brewery ^[51]	Augusta	2016	Brewery	Unknown ^[52]	A B Beverage Company
Scofflaw Brewing Company	Atlanta	2016	Brewery	Unknown	
Second Self Beer Company ^[53]	Atlanta	2014	Brewery	Unknown	
Service Brewing Co ^[17]	Savannah	2014	Brewery	unknown	Savannah Distribution
Slice & Pint ^[54]	Atlanta	2013	Brewpub	Unknown	
Southbound Brewing Co ^[55]	Savannah	2013	Brewery	6,000 ^[56]	United Distributing
Southern Brewing Company ^[58]	Athens	2015	Brewery		Leon Farmer & Company
Southern Sky Brewing Company ^[57]	Kennesaw	2015	Brewery		
Stone Mountain Brewery (The Village Corner) ^[59]	Stone Mountain	2013	Brewpub	Unknown	
Strawn Brewing Company ^[60]	Fairburn	2012	Brewery	Unknown	Georgia Crown
SweetWater Brewing Company	Atlanta	1997	Brewery	192,500 ^[61]	United Distributing
Three Taverns Craft Brewery ^[63]	Decatur	2013	Brewery	2,500 ^[64]	Savannah Distribution
Torched Hop Brewing Company ^[62]	Atlanta	2015	Brewpub	Unknown	
Twains Billiards and	Decatur	2006	Brewpub	750 ^[66]	

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Tap ^[65]					
Wild Heaven Craft Beers ^[67]	Avondale Estates	2010	Brewery	Unknown	Georgia Crown
Wrecking Bar Brewpub ^[68]	Atlanta	2011	Brewpub	Unknown	