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Morgan County

Georgia Area Labor Profile

Updated: Dec 2021

Labor Force Activity - 2020

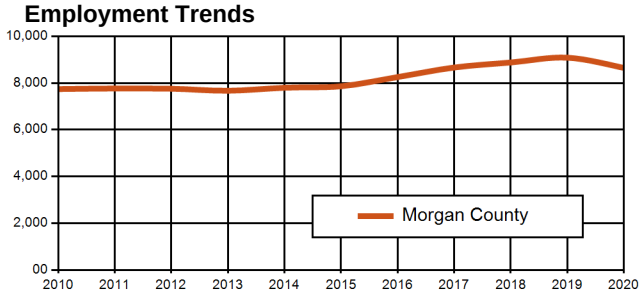
2020 ANNUAL AVERAGES

	Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate
Morgan	9,142	8,645	497	5.4%
Greene	7,080	6,663	417	5.9%
Jasper	6,756	6,422	334	4.9%
Newton	51,901	48,202	3,699	7.1%
Oconee	19,208	18,487	721	3.8%
Putnam	8,210	7,671	539	6.6%
Walton	44,917	42,476	2,441	5.4%
Morgan Area	**147,214**	**138,566**	**8,648**	**5.9%**
Georgia	5,072,155	4,741,191	330,964	6.5%
United States	160,742,000	147,795,000	12,947,000	8.1%

Note: This series reflects the latest information available. Labor Force includes residents of the county who are employed or actively seeking employment.

Source: Georgia Department of Labor; U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics.

Employment Trends



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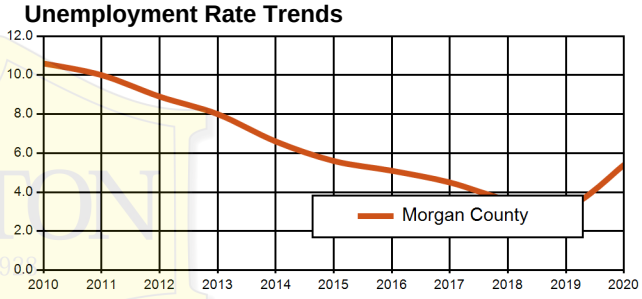

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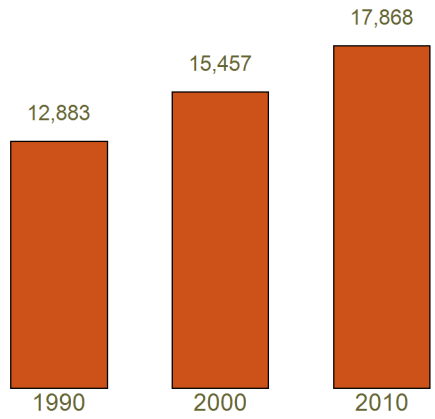

Population

	2010 Census	2020 Rank	2020 Estimate	% Change 2010-2020	2025 Projected*	% Change 2010-2025
Morgan	**17,868**	**91**	**19,636**	**9.9**	**19,766**	**10.6**
City of Madison	3,979					
Morgan Area	**285,514**		**326,770**	**14.4**	**351,143**	**23.0**
Georgia	9,687,653		10,710,017	10.6	11,335,283	17.0
United States	308,745,538		329,484,123	6.7	349,439,199	13.2

Source: Population Division, U.S. Census Bureau, *Governor's Office of Planning and Budget.

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Industry Mix - 2nd Quarter of 2021

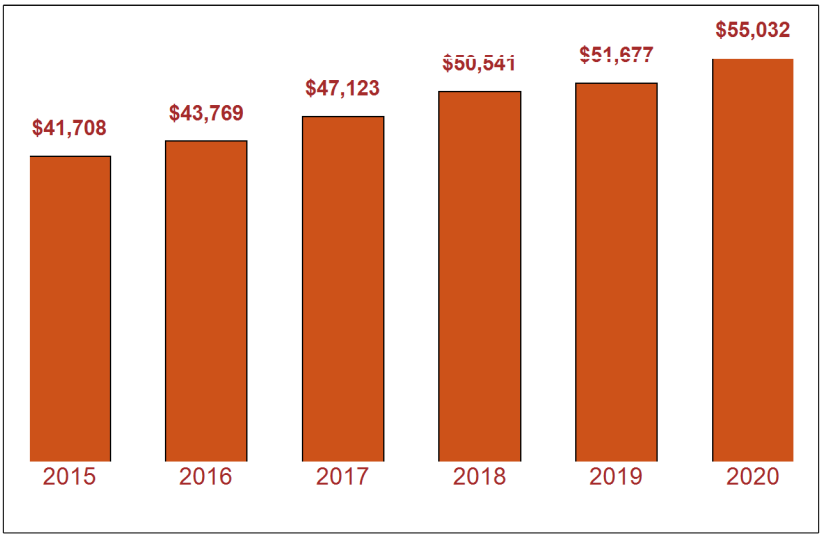
	Morgan				Morgan Area			
	NUMBER	EMPLOYMENT		WEEKLY	NUMBER	EMPLOYMENT		WEEKLY
INDUSTRY	OF FIRMS	NUMBER	PERCENT	WAGE	OF FIRMS	NUMBER	PERCENT	WAGE
Goods-Producing	**116**	**2,064**	**25.2**	**1,072**	**1,325**	**19,241**	**22.6**	**1,043**
Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing and Hunting	23	182	2.2	825	112	1,047	1.2	826
Mining, Quarrying, and Oil and Gas Extraction	0	0	0.0	0	7	40	0.0	1,083
Construction	68	306	3.7	1,016	916	7,141	8.4	1,044
Manufacturing	25	1,576	19.3	1,111	290	11,013	12.9	1,063
Food	3	127	1.6	2,032	17	917	1.1	1,375
Wood Product	3	*	*	*	26	1,576	1.9	1,020
Printing and Related Support Activities	1	*	*	*	18	106	0.1	599
Chemical	1	*	*	*	28	1,134	1.3	1,152
Plastics and Rubber Products	3	518	6.3	1,083	19	1,277	1.5	1,183
Nonmetallic Mineral Product	2	*	*	*	19	351	0.4	1,140
Primary Metal	1	*	*	*	7	212	0.2	1,372
Fabricated Metal Product	2	*	*	*	45	1,269	1.5	829
Machinery	4	*	*	*	17	675	0.8	1,076
Electrical Equipment, Appliance, and Component	1	*	*	*	7	42	0.0	2,708
Transportation Equipment	1	*	*	*	9	1,376	1.6	974
Furniture and Related Product	2	*	*	*	28	636	0.7	879
Miscellaneous	1	*	*	*	21	385	0.5	1,072
Petroleum and Coal Products	0	0	0.0	0	1	*	*	*
Leather and Allied Product	0	0	0.0	0	1	*	*	*
Apparel	0	0	0.0	0	2	*	*	*
Textile Mills	0	0	0.0	0	3	*	*	*
Textile Product Mills	0	0	0.0	0	4	17	0.0	432
Beverage and Tobacco Product	0	0	0.0	0	4	34	0.0	459
Computer and Electronic Product	0	0	0.0	0	6	15	0.0	1,979
Paper	0	0	0.0	0	8	832	1.0	1,011
Service-Providing	**416**	**4,946**	**60.4**	**799**	**5,442**	**52,192**	**61.3**	**804**
Utilities	1	*	*	*	16	561	0.7	1,576
Wholesale Trade	24	1,106	13.5	1,410	310	4,801	5.6	1,452
Retail Trade	81	1,130	13.8	509	834	10,728	12.6	575
Transportation and Warehousing	14	102	1.2	945	218	2,621	3.1	919
Information	9	36	0.4	1,329	77	637	0.7	949
Finance and Insurance	28	207	2.5	1,291	357	1,908	2.2	1,334
Real Estate and Rental and Leasing	25	61	0.7	990	295	704	0.8	872
Professional, Scientific, and Technical Services	53	197	2.4	924	654	2,896	3.4	961
Management of Companies and Enterprises	2	*	*	*	21	879	1.0	1,529
Administrative and Support and Waste Management and Remediation Services	31	345	4.2	718	451	4,939	5.8	752
Educational Services	4	*	*	*	73	1,602	1.9	545
Health Care and Social Assistance	43	370	4.5	730	622	7,826	9.2	970
Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation	9	33	0.4	663	98	626	0.7	423
Accommodation and Food Services	52	1,010	12.3	387	520	9,161	10.8	371
Other Services (except Public Administration)	40	262	3.2	678	419	2,026	2.4	738
Unclassified - industry not assigned	**25**	**17**	**0.2**	**1,247**	**477**	**279**	**0.3**	**1,060**
Total - Private Sector	**557**	**7,027**	**85.9**	**881**	**6,767**	**71,433**	**83.9**	**868**
Total - Government	**31**	**1,158**	**14.1**	**783**	**273**	**13,680**	**16.1**	**908**
Federal Government	6	37	0.5	1,145	52	639	0.8	1,240
State Government	9	116	1.4	529	83	995	1.2	696
Local Government	16	1,005	12.3	799	138	12,046	14.2	908
ALL INDUSTRIES	**588**	**8,185**	**100.0**	**867**	**7,040**	**85,114**	**100.0**	**875**
ALL INDUSTRIES - Georgia					**336,630**	**4,430,045**		**1,139**

Note: *Denotes confidential data relating to individual employers and cannot be released. These data use the North American Industrial Classification System(NAICS) categories. Average weekly wage is derived by dividing gross payroll dollars paid to all employees - both hourly and salaried - by the average number of employees who had earnings; average earnings are then divided by the number of weeks in a reporting period to obtain weekly figures. Figures in other columns may not sum accurately due to rounding. All figures are 2nd Quarter of 2021.

Source: Georgia Department of Labor. These data represent jobs that are covered by unemployment insurance laws.

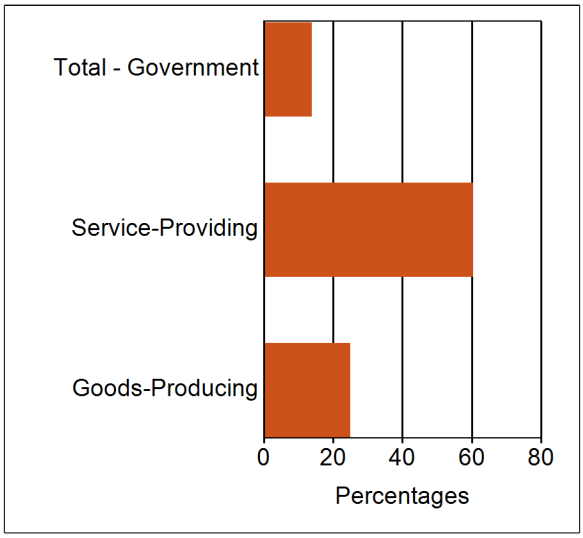
Morgan Per Capita Income

Source: U.S. Bureau of Economic Analysis



Morgan Industry Mix 2021

Source: See Industry Mix data on Page 2.



Top Ten Largest Employers - 2021*

Morgan	Morgan Area	
		COUNTY
Amtico International, Inc.	Bxl Covington	Walton
Bard Manufacturing Co, Inc.	C R Bard, Inc.	Morgan
C R Bard, Inc.	Caterpillar, Inc.	Oconee
Flambeau, Inc.	Daniel RP Management, LLC	Greene
Georgia-Pacific Wood Products, LLC	Hire Dynamics, LLC	Newton
Ingles Markets, Inc.	Hitachi Automotive Products (USA), Inc.	Walton
Lowe's Home Centers, Inc.	Pactiv Corporation	Newton
Pennington Seed, Inc.	Pike Electric, LLC	Walton
Townsend Tree Service Company, LLC	Walmart	Walton
Walmart	Walmart	Newton

*Note: Represents employment covered by unemployment insurance excluding all government agencies except correctional institutions, state and local hospitals, state colleges and universities. Data shown for the Second Quarter of 2021. Employers are listed alphabetically by area, not by the number of employees.

Source: Georgia Department of Labor

Education of the Labor Force

Morgan Area

		PERCENT DISTRIBUTION BY AGE				
	PERCENT OF TOTAL	18-24	25-34	35-44	45-64	65+
Elementary	5.4%	3.0%	3.4%	3.3%	4.4%	14.4%
Some High School	13.4%	21.0%	14.0%	9.1%	12.1%	16.1%
High School Grad/GED	34.0%	38.5%	31.1%	33.6%	34.9%	32.5%
Some College	21.4%	29.8%	22.7%	21.8%	20.5%	15.5%
College Grad 2 Yr	6.2%	3.7%	8.1%	8.1%	6.3%	3.3%
College Grad 4 Yr	12.3%	3.5%	14.7%	15.6%	12.8%	10.3%
Post Graduate Studies	7.3%	0.5%	6.0%	8.7%	9.1%	7.9%
Totals	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%

Note: Totals are based on the portion of the labor force between ages 18 - 65+. Some College category represents workers with some college with no degree less than two years.

Source: U.S. Census Bureau - 2010 Decennial Census.

High School Graduates - 2020

	PUBLIC SCHOOLS	PRIVATE SCHOOLS*	TOTAL
Greene	141	--	141
Jasper	152	--	152
Morgan	208	--	208
Newton	1,370	--	1,370
Oconee	603	--	603
Putnam	168	--	168
Walton	995	--	995
Morgan Area	**3,637**	**--**	**3,637**

Note: Public schools include city as well as county schools systems.

* Private schools data is not available for 2020 from Georgia Independent School Association.

Source: The Governor's Office of Student Achievement of Georgia.

Colleges and Universities

Morgan Area

Greene

Greene County Campus (Satellite campus of Athens Technical College)	www.athenstech.edu/

Walton

Walton County Campus (Satellite campus of Athens Technical College)	www.athenstech.edu/

Putnam

Putnam County Center (Satellite campus of Central Georgia Technical College)	www.centralgatech.edu

Newton

Emory University-Oxford College	www.emory.edu/oxford/
Newton Campus (Satellite campus of Georgia Piedmont Technical College)	www.gptc.edu
Newton Campus Building D (Satellite campus of Georgia Piedmont Technical College)	www.gptc.edu

Morgan

Georgia Military College (Madison Campus)	www.gmc.edu/about-gmc/madison.cms

Jasper

Jasper County Center (Satellite campus of Southern Crescent Technical College)	www.sctech.edu

Note: The colleges and universities listed include public and private institutions. This list is updated periodically as information becomes available.

Source: Integrated Postsecondary Education Data System (IPEDS).

Technical College Graduates - 2020*

PROGRAMS	TOTAL GRADUATES			PERCENT CHANGE	
	2018	2019	2020	2018-2019	2019-2020
Accounting Technology/Technician and Bookkeeping°	548	529	429	-3.5	-18.9
Administrative Assistant and Secretarial Science, General	171	120	113	-29.8	-5.8
Adult Development and Aging	2	3	1	50.0	-66.7
Aesthetician/Esthetician and Skin Care Specialist°	17	11	15	-35.3	36.4
Airframe Mechanics and Aircraft Maintenance Technology/Technician°	84	115	112	36.9	-2.6
Allied Health and Medical Assisting Services, Other°	54	33	58	-38.9	75.8
Autobody/Collision and Repair Technology/Technician°	86	105	73	22.1	-30.5

Technical College Graduates - 2020*

PROGRAMS	TOTAL GRADUATES			PERCENT CHANGE	
	2018	2019	2020	2018-2019	2019-2020
Automobile/Automotive Mechanics Technology/Technician°	830	862	666	3.9	-22.7
Banking and Financial Support Services°	16	13	16	-18.8	23.1
Barbering/Barber°	39	123	91	215.4	-26.0
Biology Technician/Biotechnology Laboratory Technician°	18	24	11	33.3	-54.2
Business Administration and Management, General°	1,042	814	877	-21.9	7.7
Business/Office Automation/Technology/Data Entry°	6	4	3	-33.3	-25.0
Cabinetmaking and Millwork°	11	8	1	-27.3	-87.5
CAD/CADD Drafting and/or Design Technology/Technician°	23	25	9	8.7	-64.0
Cardiovascular Technology/Technologist	5	7	10	40.0	42.9
Carpentry/Carpenter°	59	95	56	61.0	-41.1
Child Care and Support Services Management°	75	45	87	-40.0	93.3
Child Care Provider/Assistant°	571	496	573	-13.1	15.5
Clinical/Medical Laboratory Technician	20	15	21	-25.0	40.0
Computer Engineering Technology/Technician°	9	9	5	0.0	-44.4
Computer Installation and Repair Technology/Technician°	688	585	360	-15.0	-38.5
Computer Programming Special Applications°	70	80	54	14.3	-32.5
Computer Programming, Specific Applications°	8	19	47	137.5	147.4
Computer Programming/Programmer, General	43	38	62	-11.6	63.2
Construction Management	4	12	11	200.0	-8.3
Cosmetology/Cosmetologist, General°	398	406	332	2.0	-18.2
Criminal Justice/Police Science°	37	28	25	-24.3	-10.7
Criminal Justice/Safety Studies°	324	303	275	-6.5	-9.2
Crisis/Emergency/Disaster Management°	13	1	1	-92.3	0.0
Culinary Arts/Chef Training	14	17	14	21.4	-17.6
Customer Service Support/Call Center/Teleservice Operation°	613	714	363	16.5	-49.2
Data Entry/Microcomputer Applications, General°	106	76	64	-28.3	-15.8
Data Modeling/Warehousing and Database Administration	10	9	14	-10.0	55.6
Data Processing and Data Processing Technology/Technician°	181	113	98	-37.6	-13.3
Dental Assisting/Assistant	28	34	25	21.4	-26.5
Dental Hygiene/Hygienist	43	43	36	0.0	-16.3
Design and Visual Communications, General°	36	72	57	100.0	-20.8
Diesel Mechanics Technology/Technician°	39	29	18	-25.6	-37.9
Drafting and Design Technology/Technician, General°	41	32	19	-22.0	-40.6
Early Childhood Education and Teaching°	272	230	203	-15.4	-11.7
Electrical, Electronic and Communications Engineering Technology/Technician	3	4	5	33.3	25.0
Electrical/Electronics Equipment Installation and Repair, General°	82	105	75	28.0	-28.6
Electrician°	115	145	83	26.1	-42.8

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Technical College Graduates - 2020*

PROGRAMS	TOTAL GRADUATES			PERCENT CHANGE	
	2018	2019	2020	2018-2019	2019-2020
Electrocardiograph Technology/Technician°	13	32	13	146.2	-59.4
Emergency Medical Technology/Technician (EMT Paramedic)°	433	474	391	9.5	-17.5
Entrepreneurship/Entrepreneurial Studies°	2	2	8	0.0	300.0
Fire Science/Fire-fighting°	27	25	87	-7.4	248.0
Fire Services Administration	6	5	1	-16.7	-80.0
Food Preparation/Professional Cooking/Kitchen Assistant°	142	151	120	6.3	-20.5
Forensic Science and Technology°	17	33	37	94.1	12.1
General Office Occupations and Clerical Services°	119	86	99	-27.7	15.1
Geographic Information Science and Cartography°	2	5	4	150.0	-20.0
Health Information/Medical Records Technology/Technician	9	12	40	33.3	233.3
Heating, Air Conditioning, Ventilation and Refrigeration Maintenance Technology/°	530	533	376	0.6	-29.5
Hospitality Administration/Management, General°	27	70	30	159.3	-57.1
Hotel/Motel Administration/Management°	3	15	7	400.0	-53.3
Human Resources Management and Services, Other°	2	11	9	450.0	-18.2
Human Resources Management/Personnel Administration, General°	261	166	211	-36.4	27.1
Industrial Mechanics and Maintenance Technology°	247	267	329	8.1	23.2
Instrumentation Technology/Technician°	3	12	25	300.0	108.3
Interior Design°	42	47	15	11.9	-68.1
Legal Assistant/Paralegal°	55	63	72	14.5	14.3
Licensed Practical/Vocational Nurse Training	178	174	170	-2.2	-2.3
Logistics, Materials, and Supply Chain Management°	81	86	129	6.2	50.0
Machine Shop Technology/Assistant°	70	123	56	75.7	-54.5
Marketing/Marketing Management, General	38	20	23	-47.4	15.0
Mechanic and Repair Technologies/Technicians, Other	154	214	328	39.0	53.3
Mechanical Drafting and Mechanical Drafting CAD/CADD°	4	2	4	-50.0	100.0
Medical Insurance Coding Specialist/Coder°	42	42	44	0.0	4.8
Medical Office Assistant/Specialist°	35	33	26	-5.7	-21.2
Medical Reception/Receptionist°	26	43	52	65.4	20.9
Medical/Clinical Assistant	117	126	89	7.7	-29.4
Medium/Heavy Vehicle and Truck Technology/Technician°	47	72	27	53.2	-62.5
Meeting and Event Planning°	9	14	7	55.6	-50.0
Network and System Administration/Administrator°	235	176	162	-25.1	-8.0
Nursing Assistant/Aide and Patient Care Assistant/Aide°	399	353	324	-11.5	-8.2
Ophthalmic and Optometric Support Services and Allied Professions, Other°	31	6	24	-80.6	300.0
Opticianry/Ophthalmic Dispensing Optician	4	13	3	225.0	-76.9
Pharmacy Technician/Assistant°	33	32	45	-3.0	40.6
Phlebotomy Technician/Phlebotomist°	104	97	88	-6.7	-9.3

Technical College Graduates - 2020*

PROGRAMS	TOTAL GRADUATES			PERCENT CHANGE	
	2018	2019	2020	2018-2019	2019-2020
Physical Therapy Technician/Assistant	17	17	15	0.0	-11.8
Plumbing Technology/Plumber°	37	33	18	-10.8	-45.5
Polysomnography°	5	8	1	60.0	-87.5
Professional, Technical, Business, and Scientific Writing°	54	65	69	20.4	6.2
Radiologic Technology/Science - Radiographer°	74	68	62	-8.1	-8.8
Registered Nursing/Registered Nurse	54	53	54	-1.9	1.9
Rehabilitation and Therapeutic Professions, Other	35	33	23	-5.7	-30.3
Renal/Dialysis Technologist/Technician°	70	70	52	0.0	-25.7
Respiratory Care Therapy/Therapist	17	19	20	11.8	5.3
Selling Skills and Sales Operations°	28	12	15	-57.1	25.0
Small Business Administration/Management°	50	60	38	20.0	-36.7
Social Work, Other°	31	33	29	6.5	-12.1
Surgical Technology/Technologist°	69	83	72	20.3	-13.3
Teacher Assistant/Aide°	19	44	44	131.6	0.0
Truck and Bus Driver/Commercial Vehicle Operator and Instructor°	156	177	146	13.5	-17.5
Veterinary/Animal Health Technology/Technician and Veterinary Assistant°	21	18	10	-14.3	-44.4
Web Page, Digital/Multimedia and Information Resources Design°	94	120	65	27.7	-45.8
Welding Technology/Welder°	603	754	669	25.0	-11.3

Definition: All graduates except those listed as technical certificates(°) are diploma and degree graduates. Diploma and degree programs are one to two years in length. Technical certificates are less than a year in length. Duplication may occur due to graduates with multiple awards.

Source: Technical College System of Georgia

*Data shown represents Annual 2018, 2019, and 2020.

Note: Please visit TCSG website for any college configuration changes.

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