

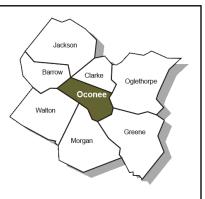


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Oconee

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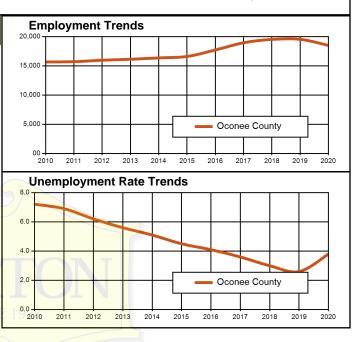
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## abor Force Activity - 2020

	2020 ANNUAL AVERAGES						
	Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate			
Oconee	19,208	18,487	721	3.8%			
Barrow	40,112	38,057	2,055	5.1%			
Clarke	58,206	54,453	3,753	6.4%			
Greene	7,080	6,663	417	5.9%			
Jackson	39,648	37,910	1,738	4.4%			
Morgan	9,142	8,645	497	5.4%			
Oglethorpe	6,791	6,464	327	4.8%			
Walton	44,917	42 <mark>,476</mark>	2,441	5.4%			
Oconee Area	225,104	213,1 <mark>55</mark>	11,949	5.3%			
Georgia	5,072,155	4,741,1 <mark>91</mark>	330,964	6.5%			
United States	160,742,000	147,795,0 <mark>00</mark>	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.



Рор	oulation Estimat	es	Populatio	n					
		32,808							
	26,225			2010 Census	2020 Rank	2020 Estimate	% Change 2010-2020	2025 Projected*	% Change 2010-2025
			Oconee	32,808	49	41,124	25.3	47,213	43.9
17,618			City of Watkinsville	2,832					
			Oconee Area	411,903		481,437	16.9	528,605	28.3
			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: Populatio	n Division, U.S.	. Census	s Bureau, *Gove	ernor's Office of	of Planning and	Budget.
1990	2000	2010							

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### Industry Mix - 2nd Quarter of 2021

		Ocon	ee			Oconee Are	a	
	NUMBER	EMPLOY	MENT	WEEKLY	NUMBER	EMPLOY	MENT	WEEKLY
INDUSTRY	OF FIRMS	NUMBER	PERCENT	WAGE	OF FIRMS	NUMBER	PERCENT	WAGE
Goods-Producing	206	1,534	10.7	1,024	1,848	30,617	17.3	1,079
Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing and Hunting Mining, Quarrying, and Oil and Gas Extraction	26 2	217	1.5 *	916 *	143 18	1,573 118	0.9 0.1	827 1,133
Construction	139	647	4.5	1,036	1,225	10,095	5.7	1,100
Manufacturing	39	661	4.6	1,054	462	18,831	10.6	1,085
Food	2	*	+.0	1,004	41	3,711	2.1	924
	2	*	*	*	10	390	0.2	824
Beverage and Tobacco Product	1	*	*	*	24	1,335	0.2	1,159
Wood Product	3	*	*	*	31	276	0.8	753
Printing and Related Support Activities	3	*	*	*	45	1,385	0.2	1,528
Chemical	3	*	*	*				
Plastics and Rubber Products	1	*	*	*	21	1,829	1.0	1,042
Nonmetallic Mineral Product	2				30	920	0.5	1,294
Fabricated Metal Product	6	244	1.7	1,073	79	1,731	1.0	918
Machinery	2	*		*	30	2,157	1.2	1,205
Computer and Electronic Product Electrical Equipment, Appliance, and	1	*	*	*	10	25	0.0	1,530
Component	3	21	0.1	4,464	11	821	0.5	1,152
Furniture and Related Product	6	71	0.5	805	37	765	0.4	1,003
Miscellaneous	8	119	0.8	1,187	37	551	0.3	1,151
Petroleum and Coal Products	0	0	0.0	0	1	*	*	*
Apparel	0	0	0.0	0	6			*
Primary Metal	0	0	0.0	0	6	292	0.2	1,434
Textile Mills	0	0	0.0	0	6	293	0.2	1,004
Textile Product Mills	0	0	0.0	0	7	43	0.0	429
Paper	0	0	0.0	0	7	219	0.1	1,201
Transportation Equipment	0	0	0.0	0	23	2,067	1.2	1,027
Service-Providing	<mark>1,011</mark>	11,127	77.8	820	9,098	114,620	64.7	825
Utilities	2	*	*	*	20	755	0.4	1,495
Wholesale Trade	50	1,315	9.2	1,061	494	11,105	6.3	1,190
Retail Trade	109	1,906	13.3	619	1,450	24,400	13.8	673
Transportation and Warehousing	17	112	0.8	944	290	9,976	5.6	719
Information	14	*	SINCE 19	28 *	120	894	0.5	1,167
Finance and Insurance	96	387	2.7	1,343	525	4,183	2.4	1,468
Real Estate and Rental and Leasing	74	189	1.3	815	551	3,647	2.1	807
Professional, Scientific, and Technical Services	185	903	6.3	1,153	TM 1,073	5,360	3.0	1,186
Management of Companies and Enterprises Administrative and Support and Waste	6	566	4.0	1,402	37	2,119	1.2	1,452
Management and Remediation Services	93	866	6.1	772	710	8,134	4.6	680
Educational Services	27	637	4.5	691	141	2,174	1.2	597
Health Care and Social Assistance	160	1,863	13.0	884	1,144	18,611	10.5	1,053
Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation	21	114	0.8	449	177	1,546	0.9	405
Accommodation and Food Services	77	1,594	11.2	333	940	17,350	9.8	370
Other Services (except Public Administration)	80	560	3.9	853	754	3,942	2.2	806
Unclassified - industry not assigned	82	53	0.4	935	672	421	0.2	934
Total - Private Sector	1,299	12,714	88.9	845	10,946	145,237	82.0	879
Total - Government	30	1,581	11.1	904	379	31,951	18.0	1,040
Federal Government	8	59	0.4	1,229	81	1,517	0.9	1,577
State Government	6	32	0.2	478	107	*	*	*
Local Government	16	1,490	10.4	900	191	17,053	9.6	916
ALL INDUSTRIES	1,329	14,295	100.0	851	11,325	177,186	100.0	907
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.

### **Oconee Per Capita Income**

Source: U.S. Bureau of Economic Analysis



#### **Oconee Industry Mix 2021**

Source: See Industry Mix data on Page 2.

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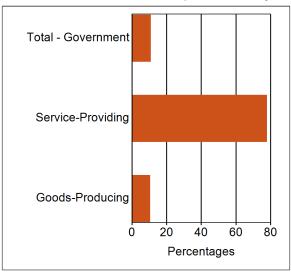
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### Top Ten Largest Employers - 2021\*

#### Oconee

Athens Academy, Inc. Benson'S Old Home Kitchens Bakery , LLC Caterpillar, Inc. Dunkin Donuts Baskin Robbins Lowe's Home Centers, Inc. Prince Avenue Christian School Publix Super Markets, Inc. The Home Depot The Kroger Company Zaxby's Franchising, Inc.

\*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

#### **Oconee Area**

			PERCE	NT DISTRIBUTION	BY AGE	
	PERCENT					
	OF TOTAL	18-24	25-34	35-44	45-64	65+
Elementary	5.5%	1.5%	4.3%	3.8%	5.6%	15.0%
Some High School	12.5%	12.3%	12.1%	10.6%	12.3%	16.1%
High School Grad/GED	30.3%	28.4%	27.5%	32.1%	31.9%	31.0%
Some College	24.4%	46.7%	20.2%	20.3%	19.8%	14.5%
College Grad 2 Yr	5.4%	2.8%	6.4%	7.1%	6.2%	3.4%
College Grad 4 Yr	13.2%	7.6%	19.8%	15.7%	12.8%	10.0%
Post Graduate Studies	8.8%	0.7%	9.9%	10.5%	11.4%	10.1%
Totals	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%

**Oconee Area** 

Amazon.Com Services, Inc.

Bed Bath And Beyond, Inc.

HG Georgia Merchants, Inc.

**Pilgrim's Pride Corporation** 

The William Carter Company

St. Marys Hospital

Walmart

Wellpoint, Inc.

University Of Georgia

Athens Regional Medical Center

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
Barrow	800		800
Clarke	584		584
Greene	141		141
Jackson	841		841
Morgan	208		208
Oconee	603		603
Oglethorpe	137		137
Walton	995		995
Oconee Area	4,309		4,309



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**

#### **Oconee Area**

<u>Clarke</u>	
Athens Technical College	www.athenstech.edu/
University of Georgia	www.uga.edu
<u>Greene</u>	
Greene County Campus (Satellite cam <mark>pus of Athens Technical College)</mark>	www.athenstech.edu/
Walton NICOT	
Walton County Campus (Satellite cam <mark>pus of Athens Technical College)</mark>	www.athenstech.edu/
Morgan SINCE 19	
Georgia Military College (Madison Campus)	www.gmc.edu/about-gmc/madison.cms
Barrow	
Winder-Barrow Campus (Satellite campus of Lanier Technical College)	www.laniertech.edu
<u>Jackson</u>	
Jackson Campus (Satellite campus of Lanier Technical College)	www.laniertech.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	GRADUA	ATES	PERCENT CHANGE		
	2018	2019	2020	2018-2019	2019-2020	
Accounting Technology/Technician and Bookkeeping°	119	78	86	-34.5	10.3	
Administrative Assistant and Secretarial Science, General	19	12	9	-36.8	-25.0	
Aesthetician/Esthetician and Skin Care Specialist°	17	11	15	-35.3	36.4	
Allied Health and Medical Assisting Services, Other°	1	1	1	0.0	0.0	
Autobody/Collision and Repair Technology/Technician°	49	70	48	42.9	-31.4	
Automobile/Automotive Mechanics Technology/Technician°	99	127	88	28.3	-30.7	
Biology Technician/Biotechnology Laboratory Technician°	13	19	9	46.2	-52.6	
Business Administration and Management, General°	31	18	17	-41.9	-5.6	

# Technical College Graduates - 2020\*

PROGRAMS	TOTAL	GRADUA	ATES	PERCENT C	PERCENT CHANGE		
	2018	2019	2020	2018-2019	2019-2020		
CAD/CADD Drafting and/or Design Technology/Technician°	16	18	5	12.5	-72.2		
Child Care Provider/Assistant°	69	115	83	66.7	-27.8		
Computer Installation and Repair Technology/Technician°	135	106	29	-21.5	-72.6		
Computer Programming Special Applications°	32	48	20	50.0	-58.3		
Cosmetology/Cosmetologist, General°	86	99	69	15.1	-30.3		
Criminal Justice/Safety Studies°	58	61	31	5.2	-49.2		
Culinary Arts/Chef Training	5	7	2	40.0	-71.4		
Data Entry/Microcomputer Applications, General°	30	15	3	-50.0	-80.0		
Data Processing and Data Processing Fechnology/Technician°	27	28	22	3.7	-21.4		
Dental Assisting/Assistant	10	11	9	10.0	-18.2		
Dental Hygiene/Hygienist	12	11	8	-8.3	-27.3		
Diesel Mechanics Technology/Technician°	39	29	18	-25.6	-37.9		
Drafting and Design Technology/Technician, General°	27	20	9	-25.9	-55.0		
Early Childhood Education and Teaching	38	25	39	-34.2	56.0		
Electrician°	64	82	25	28.1	-69.5		
Emergency Medical Technology/Technician (EMT Paramedic)°	83	105	71	26.5	-32.4		
General Office Occupations and Clerical Services°	-13	8	2	-38.5	-75.0		
Health Information/Medical Records Technology/Technician	9	2	8	-77.8	300.0		
Heating, Air Conditioning, Ventilation and Refrigeration	52	62	63	19.2	1.6		
Hospitality Administration/Management, General®	20	64	26	220.0	-59.4		
Hotel/Motel Administration/Management°	3	15	7	ТИ 400.0	-53.3		
luman Resources Management and Services, Other°	2	11	9	450.0	-18.2		
ndustrial Mechanics and Maintenance Technology $^\circ$	8	23	26	187.5	13.0		
nterior Design°	42	47	15	11.9	-68.1		
egal Assistant/Paralegal	10	14	6	40.0	-57.1		
icensed Practical/Vocational Nurse Training	19	20	33	5.3	65.0		
Aachine Shop Technology/Assistant°	17	51	6	200.0	-88.2		
Marketing/Marketing Management, General	17	8	8	-52.9	0.0		
Medical/Clinical Assistant	27	30	18	11.1	-40.0		
Medium/Heavy Vehicle and Truck Technology/Technician°	47	72	27	53.2	-62.5		
Neeting and Event Planning°	9	14	7	55.6	-50.0		
Network and System Administration/Administrator	15	11	7	-26.7	-36.4		
Phlebotomy Technician/Phlebotomist°	14	12	9	-14.3	-25.0		
Physical Therapy Technician/Assistant	17	17	15	0.0	-11.8		
Radiologic Technology/Science - Radiographer	14	16	15	14.3	-6.3		
Registered Nursing/Registered Nurse	54	53	54	-1.9	1.9		
Selling Skills and Sales Operations°	12	11	2	-8.3	-81.8		

### Technical College Graduates - 2020\*

PROGRAMS	TOTAL	GRADU/	ATES	PERCENT C	PERCENT CHANGE		
	2018	2019	2020	2018-2019	2019-2020		
Social Work, Other°	31	33	29	6.5	-12.1		
Surgical Technology/Technologist	16	14	8	-12.5	-42.9		
Truck and Bus Driver/Commercial Vehicle Operator and Instructor <sup>o</sup>	31	52	47	67.7	-9.6		
Veterinary/Animal Health Technology/Technician and Veterinary Assistant°	21	18	10	-14.3	-44.4		
Welding Technology/Welder	8	3	10	-62.5	233.3		

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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