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Georgia

## Area Labor Profile

# Meriwether

# County



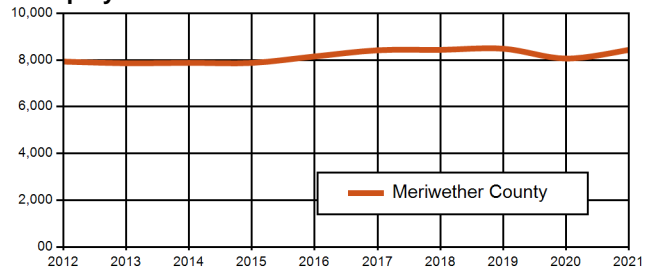
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## Annual Labor Force Activity - 2021

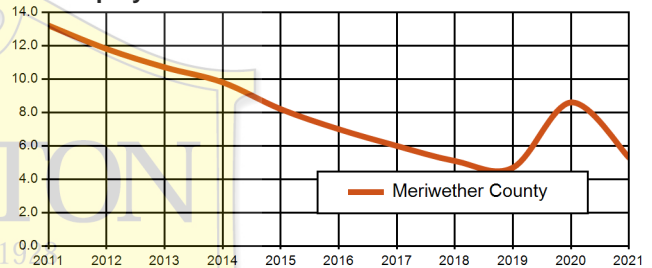
### 2021 ANNUAL AVERAGES

|                        | Labor Force    | Employed       | Unemployed   | Rate        |
|------------------------|----------------|----------------|--------------|-------------|
| Meriwether             | 8,897          | 8,429          | 468          | 5.3%        |
| Coweta                 | 76,218         | 73,661         | 2,557        | 3.4%        |
| Harris                 | 16,881         | 16,397         | 484          | 2.9%        |
| Pike                   | 8,981          | 8,728          | 253          | 2.8%        |
| Spalding               | 28,984         | 27,627         | 1,357        | 4.7%        |
| Talbot                 | 2,775          | 2,649          | 126          | 4.5%        |
| Troup                  | 37,678         | 36,030         | 1,648        | 4.4%        |
| Upson                  | 11,628         | 11,162         | 466          | 4.0%        |
| <b>Meriwether Area</b> | <b>192,042</b> | <b>184,683</b> | <b>7,359</b> | <b>3.8%</b> |
| Georgia                | 5,186,969      | 4,983,732      | 203,237      | 3.9%        |
| United States          | 161,204,000    | 152,581,000    | 8,623,000    | 5.3%        |

### Employment Trends



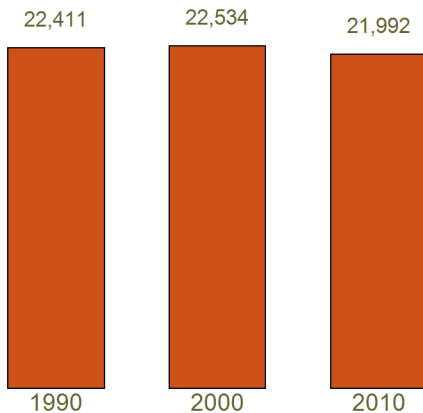
### Unemployment Rate Trends



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.

### Population Estimates



### Population

|                        | 2010 Census    | 2021 Rank | 2021 Estimate  | % Change 2010-2021 | 2025 Projected* | % Change 2010-2025 |
|------------------------|----------------|-----------|----------------|--------------------|-----------------|--------------------|
| <b>Meriwether</b>      | <b>21,992</b>  | <b>85</b> | <b>20,793</b>  | <b>-5.5</b>        | <b>20,971</b>   | <b>-4.6</b>        |
| City of Greenville     | 876            |           |                |                    |                 |                    |
| <b>Meriwether Area</b> | <b>364,337</b> |           | <b>396,943</b> | <b>8.9</b>         | <b>416,630</b>  | <b>14.4</b>        |
| Georgia                | 9,687,653      |           | 10,799,566     | 11.5               | 11,335,283      | 17.0               |
| United States          | 308,745,538    |           | 331,893,745    | 7.5                | 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 2022

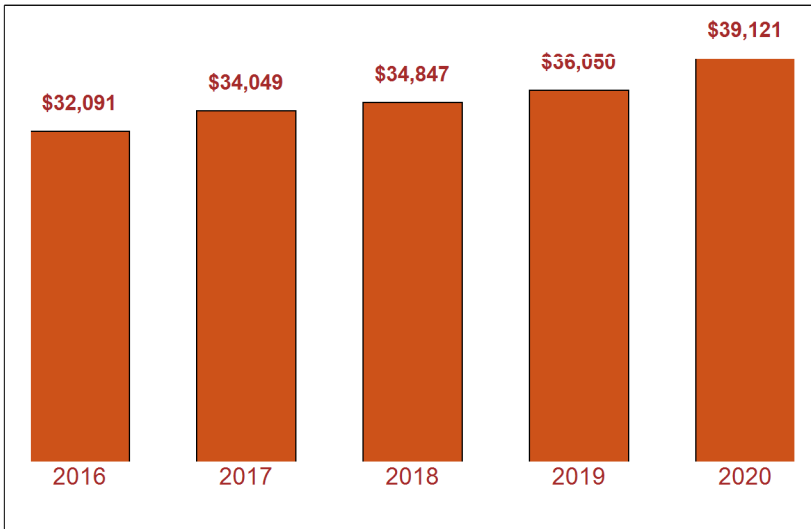
| INDUSTRY   | Meriwether      |                   |              |              | Meriwether Area |                   |              |              |
|--|-----------------|-------------------|--------------|--------------|-----------------|-------------------|--------------|--------------|
|  | NUMBER OF FIRMS | EMPLOYMENT NUMBER | PERCENT      | WEEKLY WAGE  | NUMBER OF FIRMS | EMPLOYMENT NUMBER | PERCENT      | WEEKLY WAGE  |
| <b>Goods-Producing</b>   | <b>81</b>       | <b>1,478</b>      | <b>33.2</b>  | <b>1,021</b> | <b>1,260</b>    | <b>30,415</b>     | <b>23.7</b>  | <b>1,132</b> |
| Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing and Hunting                               | 21              | 172               | 3.9          | 873          | 76              | 341               | 0.3          | 807          |
| Mining, Quarrying, and Oil and Gas Extraction                            | 0               | 0                 | 0.0          | 0            | 8               | 188               | 0.1          | 1,335        |
| Construction   | 47              | 529               | 11.9         | 1,167        | 800             | 5,807             | 4.5          | 1,076        |
| Manufacturing  | 13              | 777               | 17.5         | 954          | 376             | 24,081            | 18.8         | 1,148        |
| Wood Product   | 2               | *                 | *            | *            | 20              | 414               | 0.3          | 975          |
| Paper  | 1               | *                 | *            | *            | 13              | 789               | 0.6          | 1,124        |
| Petroleum and Coal Products  | 1               | *                 | *            | *            | 5               | 110               | 0.1          | 1,053        |
| Chemical   | 1               | *                 | *            | *            | 21              | 270               | 0.2          | 1,233        |
| Fabricated Metal Product   | 3               | 15                | 0.3          | 988          | 54              | 1,187             | 0.9          | 1,146        |
| Transportation Equipment   | 5               | 661               | 14.9         | 924          | 36              | 9,430             | 7.4          | 1,193        |
| Apparel  | 0               | 0                 | 0.0          | 0            | 2               | *                 | *            | *            |
| Leather and Allied Product   | 0               | 0                 | 0.0          | 0            | 2               | *                 | *            | *            |
| Primary Metal  | 0               | 0                 | 0.0          | 0            | 2               | *                 | *            | *            |
| Computer and Electronic Product  | 0               | 0                 | 0.0          | 0            | 6               | *                 | *            | *            |
| Beverage and Tobacco Product   | 0               | 0                 | 0.0          | 0            | 6               | 228               | 0.2          | 1,149        |
| Electrical Equipment, Appliance, and Component                           | 0               | 0                 | 0.0          | 0            | 8               | 1,720             | 1.3          | 1,364        |
| Furniture and Related Product  | 0               | 0                 | 0.0          | 0            | 18              | 354               | 0.3          | 681          |
| Nonmetallic Mineral Product  | 0               | 0                 | 0.0          | 0            | 18              | 374               | 0.3          | 1,202        |
| Food   | 0               | 0                 | 0.0          | 0            | 18              | 1,515             | 1.2          | 898          |
| Textile Mills  | 0               | 0                 | 0.0          | 0            | 20              | 1,594             | 1.2          | 1,008        |
| Printing and Related Support Activities                                  | 0               | 0                 | 0.0          | 0            | 21              | 552               | 0.4          | 855          |
| Miscellaneous  | 0               | 0                 | 0.0          | 0            | 22              | 121               | 0.1          | 897          |
| Textile Product Mills  | 0               | 0                 | 0.0          | 0            | 23              | 2,170             | 1.7          | 1,161        |
| Machinery  | 0               | 0                 | 0.0          | 0            | 25              | 905               | 0.7          | 1,239        |
| Plastics and Rubber Products   | 0               | 0                 | 0.0          | 0            | 36              | 1,679             | 1.3          | 1,118        |
| <b>Service-Providing</b>   | <b>240</b>      | <b>1,825</b>      | <b>41.0</b>  | <b>682</b>   | <b>6,863</b>    | <b>78,601</b>     | <b>61.3</b>  | <b>836</b>   |
| Utilities  | 1               | *                 | *            | *            | 18              | 635               | 0.5          | 1,576        |
| Wholesale Trade  | 10              | 87                | 2.0          | 1,036        | 373             | 3,659             | 2.9          | 1,287        |
| Retail Trade   | 74              | 475               | 10.7         | 502          | 1,217           | 17,019            | 13.3         | 666          |
| Transportation and Warehousing   | 17              | 50                | 1.1          | 1,015        | 251             | 5,702             | 4.4          | 991          |
| Information  | 3               | *                 | *            | *            | 98              | 839               | 0.7          | 1,214        |
| Finance and Insurance  | 17              | 67                | 1.5          | 809          | 396             | 2,485             | 1.9          | 1,269        |
| Real Estate and Rental and Leasing                                       | 5               | 11                | 0.2          | 781          | 371             | 1,010             | 0.8          | 996          |
| Professional, Scientific, and Technical Services                         | 14              | 44                | 1.0          | 1,039        | 648             | 3,738             | 2.9          | 1,082        |
| Management of Companies and Enterprises                                  | 0               | 0                 | 0.0          | 0            | 20              | 267               | 0.2          | 1,437        |
| Administrative and Support and Waste Management and Remediation Services | 17              | 127               | 2.9          | 783          | 517             | 9,872             | 7.7          | 674          |
| Educational Services   | 3               | *                 | *            | *            | 76              | 1,410             | 1.1          | 735          |
| Health Care and Social Assistance  | 25              | 476               | 10.7         | 792          | 794             | 15,305            | 11.9         | 1,174        |
| Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation                                      | 3               | 8                 | 0.2          | 883          | 102             | 1,056             | 0.8          | 442          |
| Accommodation and Food Services  | 26              | 227               | 5.1          | 334          | 715             | 12,640            | 9.9          | 400          |
| Other Services (except Public Administration)                            | 25              | 162               | 3.6          | 704          | 535             | 2,421             | 1.9          | 725          |
| <b>Unclassified - industry not assigned</b>                              | <b>34</b>       | <b>23</b>         | <b>0.5</b>   | <b>1,497</b> | <b>732</b>      | <b>544</b>        | <b>0.4</b>   | <b>878</b>   |
| <b>Total - Private Sector</b>  | <b>355</b>      | <b>3,326</b>      | <b>74.7</b>  | <b>838</b>   | <b>8,123</b>    | <b>109,016</b>    | <b>85.0</b>  | <b>918</b>   |
| <b>Total - Government</b>  | <b>45</b>       | <b>1,125</b>      | <b>25.3</b>  | <b>843</b>   | <b>411</b>      | <b>19,198</b>     | <b>15.0</b>  | <b>996</b>   |
| Federal Government   | 8               | 41                | 0.9          | 1,324        | 67              | 684               | 0.5          | 1,430        |
| State Government   | 16              | 360               | 8.1          | 771          | 149             | 4,106             | 3.2          | 999          |
| Local Government   | 21              | 724               | 16.3         | 852          | 195             | 14,408            | 11.2         | 975          |
| <b>ALL INDUSTRIES</b>  | <b>400</b>      | <b>4,450</b>      | <b>100.0</b> | <b>840</b>   | <b>8,534</b>    | <b>128,212</b>    | <b>100.0</b> | <b>930</b>   |
| <b>ALL INDUSTRIES - Georgia</b>  |                 |                   |              |              | <b>369,327</b>  | <b>4,677,957</b>  |              | <b>1,222</b> |

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 2022.

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

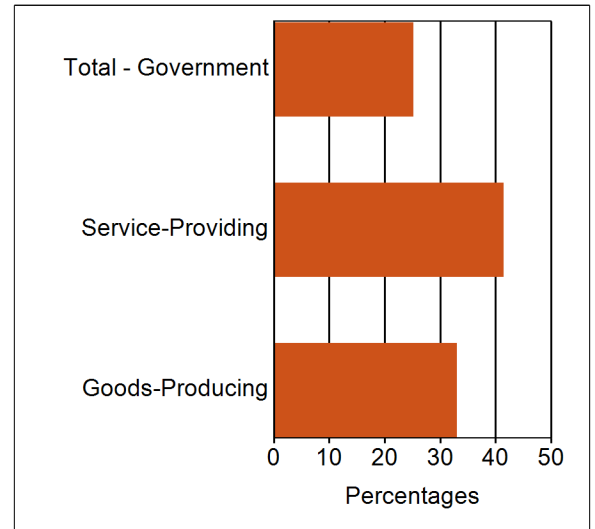
## Meriwether Per Capita Income

Source: U.S. Bureau of Economic Analysis



## Meriwether Industry Mix 2022

Source: See Industry Mix data on Page 2.



## Top Ten Largest Employers - 2022\*

### Meriwether

Accuwright Mechanical, LLC  
 Alfaro Concrete Installation, Inc.  
 Crown Technology, LLC  
 Custom Truck & Body Works, Inc.  
 Dongwon Autopart Technology Georgia  
 Ingles Markets, Inc.  
 Mando America Corporation  
 McCoy Grading, Inc.  
 Roosevelt Warm Springs Rehabilitation  
 Warm Springs Medical Center

### Meriwether Area

Hello Fresh  
 Impact Outsourcing Solutions IX, LLC  
 Interface Flooring Systems, Inc.  
 Kia Motors Manufacturing Georgia, Inc.  
 Milliken & Company  
 Piedmont Newnan Hospital, Inc.  
 Security Forces, LLC  
 Walmart  
 Wellstar Health System, Inc.  
 Yamaha Motor Manufacturing

### COUNTY

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\*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 2022. Employers are listed alphabetically by area, not by the number of employees.

Source: Georgia Department of Labor

## Education of the Labor Force

### Meriwether Area

### PERCENT DISTRIBUTION BY AGE

|                       | PERCENT OF TOTAL | PERCENT DISTRIBUTION BY AGE |        |        |        |        |
|-----------------------|------------------|-----------------------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
|                       |                  | 18-24                       | 25-34  | 35-44  | 45-64  | 65+    |
| Elementary            | 5.6%             | 2.7%                        | 3.0%   | 2.8%   | 4.0%   | 17.4%  |
| Some High School      | 13.5%            | 21.3%                       | 12.2%  | 8.9%   | 12.9%  | 16.3%  |
| High School Grad/GED  | 36.2%            | 41.2%                       | 32.7%  | 37.2%  | 36.6%  | 33.8%  |
| Some College          | 21.1%            | 28.2%                       | 26.0%  | 20.9%  | 19.4%  | 15.1%  |
| College Grad 2 Yr     | 5.8%             | 3.1%                        | 6.8%   | 7.8%   | 6.5%   | 3.0%   |
| College Grad 4 Yr     | 11.7%            | 3.5%                        | 14.8%  | 15.2%  | 12.4%  | 8.5%   |
| Post Graduate Studies | 6.1%             | 0.2%                        | 4.5%   | 7.1%   | 8.3%   | 5.9%   |
| 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 - 2021



|                        | PUBLIC SCHOOLS | PRIVATE SCHOOLS* | TOTAL        |
|------------------------|----------------|------------------|--------------|
| Coweta                 | 1,626          | --               | 1,626        |
| Harris                 | 419            | --               | 419          |
| Meriwether             | 125            | --               | 125          |
| Pike                   | 261            | --               | 261          |
| Spalding               | 523            | --               | 523          |
| Talbot                 | 40             | --               | 40           |
| Troup                  | 707            | --               | 707          |
| Upson                  | 262            | --               | 262          |
| <b>Meriwether Area</b> | <b>3,963</b>   | <b>--</b>        | <b>3,963</b> |

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

\* Private schools data is not available for 2021 from Georgia Independent School Association.

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

# Colleges and Universities

## Meriwether Area

### Pike

Georgia Military College (Zebulon Campus) [www.gmc.edu/about-gmc/zebulon-campus.cms](http://www.gmc.edu/about-gmc/zebulon-campus.cms)

### Troup

LaGrange College [www.lagrange.edu](http://www.lagrange.edu)

Point University [www.point.edu](http://www.point.edu)

Lagrange Campus (Satellite campus of West Georgia Technical College) [www.westgatech.edu](http://www.westgatech.edu)

### Spalding

Southern Crescent Technical College [www.sctech.edu](http://www.sctech.edu)

### Upson

Community Development Center (Satellite campus of Southern Crescent Technical College) [www.sctech.edu](http://www.sctech.edu)

Flint River Campus (Satellite campus of Southern Crescent Technical College) [www.sctech.edu](http://www.sctech.edu)

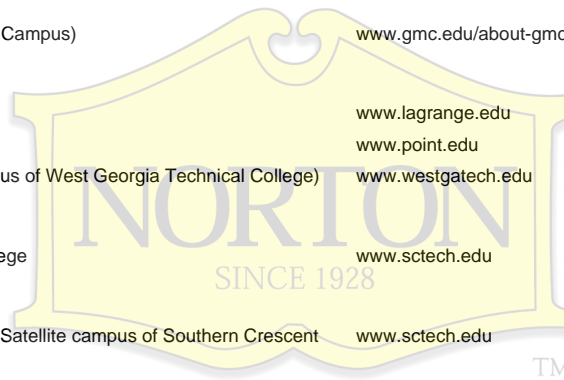
### Coweta

University of West Georgia (Newnan Campus) [www.westga.edu/newnan/](http://www.westga.edu/newnan/)

Coweta Campus (Satellite campus of West Georgia Technical College) [www.westgatech.edu](http://www.westgatech.edu)

### Meriwether

Greenville Site (Satellite campus of West Georgia Technical College) [www.westgatech.edu](http://www.westgatech.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 - 2021\*

| PROGRAMS  | TOTAL GRADUATES |      |      | PERCENT CHANGE |           |
|---|-----------------|------|------|----------------|-----------|
|   | 2019            | 2020 | 2021 | 2019-2020      | 2020-2021 |
| Accounting Technology/Technician and Bookkeeping°         | 137             | 113  | 159  | -17.5          | 40.7      |
| Administrative Assistant and Secretarial Science, General | 25              | 26   | 14   | 4.0            | -46.2     |
| Allied Health and Medical Assisting Services, Other°      | 3               | 1    | 3    | -66.7          | 200.0     |
| Automobile/Automotive Mechanics Technology/Technician°    | 203             | 215  | 159  | 5.9            | -26.0     |
| Business Administration and Management, General°          | 363             | 321  | 353  | -11.6          | 10.0      |

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| PROGRAMS  | TOTAL GRADUATES |      |      | PERCENT CHANGE |           |
|---|-----------------|------|------|----------------|-----------|
|   | 2019            | 2020 | 2021 | 2019-2020      | 2020-2021 |
| Carpentry/Carpenter°  | 17              | 34   | 34   | 100.0          | 0.0       |
| Child Care and Support Services Management°                                       | 34              | 29   | 33   | -14.7          | 13.8      |
| Child Care Provider/Assistant°  | 157             | 186  | 183  | 18.5           | -1.6      |
| Computer Installation and Repair Technology/Technician°                           | 16              | 6    | 7    | -62.5          | 16.7      |
| Computer Programming/Programmer, General  | 15              | 22   | 13   | 46.7           | -40.9     |
| Cosmetology/Cosmetologist, General  | 43              | 48   | 42   | 11.6           | -12.5     |
| Criminal Justice/Safety Studies°  | 121             | 101  | 86   | -16.5          | -14.9     |
| Culinary Arts/Chef Training   | 10              | 12   | 12   | 20.0           | 0.0       |
| Dental Assisting/Assistant  | 13              | 16   | 8    | 23.1           | -50.0     |
| Early Childhood Education and Teaching°   | 63              | 49   | 64   | -22.2          | 30.6      |
| Electrician°  | 15              | 31   | 13   | 106.7          | -58.1     |
| Electrocardiograph Technology/Technician°   | 20              | 4    | 19   | -80.0          | 375.0     |
| Emergency Medical Technology/Technician (EMT Paramedic)°                          | 176             | 116  | 134  | -34.1          | 15.5      |
| Fire Science/Fire-fighting°   | 25              | 24   | 10   | -4.0           | -58.3     |
| Fire Services Administration  | 5               | 1    | 1    | -80.0          | 0.0       |
| Food Preparation/Professional Cooking/Kitchen Assistant°                          | 42              | 24   | 53   | -42.9          | 120.8     |
| Health Information/Medical Records Technology/Technician                          | 10              | 32   | 31   | 220.0          | -3.1      |
| Heating, Air Conditioning, Ventilation and Refrigeration Maintenance Technology/° | 185             | 101  | 61   | -45.4          | -39.6     |
| Human Resources Management/Personnel Administration, General°                     | 73              | 53   | 64   | -27.4          | 20.8      |
| Industrial Mechanics and Maintenance Technology°                                  | 74              | 74   | 63   | 0.0            | -14.9     |
| Legal Assistant/Paralegal°  | 34              | 51   | 35   | 50.0           | -31.4     |
| Licensed Practical/Vocational Nurse Training                                      | 46              | 50   | 63   | 8.7            | 26.0      |
| Logistics, Materials, and Supply Chain Management°                                | 21              | 14   | 35   | -33.3          | 150.0     |
| Machine Shop Technology/Assistant°  | 23              | 13   | 13   | -43.5          | 0.0       |
| Mechanic and Repair Technologies/Technicians, Other                               | 1               | 4    | 2    | 300.0          | -50.0     |
| Medical/Clinical Assistant  | 12              | 40   | 34   | 233.3          | -15.0     |
| Network and System Administration/Administrator                                   | 7               | 14   | 13   | 100.0          | -7.1      |
| Nursing Assistant/Aide and Patient Care Assistant/Aide°                           | 194             | 168  | 60   | -13.4          | -64.3     |
| Pharmacy Technician/Assistant   | 20              | 28   | 21   | 40.0           | -25.0     |
| Phlebotomy Technician/Phlebotomist°   | 39              | 40   | 63   | 2.6            | 57.5      |
| Plumbing Technology/Plumber°  | 6               | 8    | 11   | 33.3           | 37.5      |
| Professional, Technical, Business, and Scientific Writing°                        | 7               | 23   | 69   | 228.6          | 200.0     |
| Radiologic Technology/Science - Radiographer                                      | 14              | 13   | 13   | -7.1           | 0.0       |
| Rehabilitation and Therapeutic Professions, Other                                 | 18              | 14   | 19   | -22.2          | 35.7      |
| Renal/Dialysis Technologist/Technician°   | 8               | 2    | 2    | -75.0          | 0.0       |
| Respiratory Care Therapy/Therapist  | 19              | 20   | 18   | 5.3            | -10.0     |
| Small Business Administration/Management°   | 60              | 38   | 124  | -36.7          | 226.3     |

# Technical College Graduates - 2021\*

| PROGRAMS   | TOTAL GRADUATES |      |      | PERCENT CHANGE |           |
|--|-----------------|------|------|----------------|-----------|
|  | 2019            | 2020 | 2021 | 2019-2020      | 2020-2021 |
| Surgical Technology/Technologist°                                | 48              | 45   | 39   | -6.3           | -13.3     |
| Teacher Assistant/Aide°  | 40              | 38   | 31   | -5.0           | -18.4     |
| Truck and Bus Driver/Commercial Vehicle Operator and Instructor° | 58              | 44   | 33   | -24.1          | -25.0     |
| Web Page, Digital/Multimedia and Information Resources Design°   | 81              | 39   | 29   | -51.9          | -25.6     |
| Welding Technology/Welder°                                       | 62              | 96   | 131  | 54.8           | 36.5      |

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 2019, 2020, and 2021.

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

## Georgia Department of Labor Location(s)

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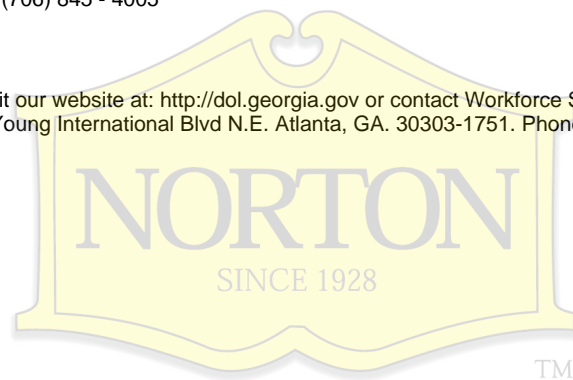
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