





Lumpkin

County



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Area Labor Profile

Labor Force Activity

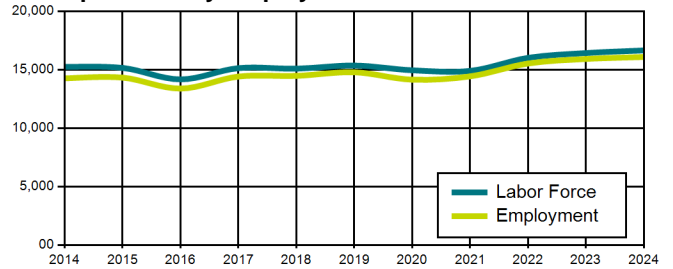
September 2025

	Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate
Lumpkin	16,660	16,096	564	3.4%
Dawson	15,971	15,548	423	2.6%
Fannin	11,301	10,966	335	3.0%
Hall	109,367	106,410	2,957	2.7%
Union	9,800	9,457	343	3.5%
White	14,261	13,857	404	2.8%
Lumpkin Area	177,360	172,334	5,026	2.8%
Georgia	5,408,978	5,225,359	183,619	3.4%
United States	171,217,000	163,894,000	7,324,000	4.3%

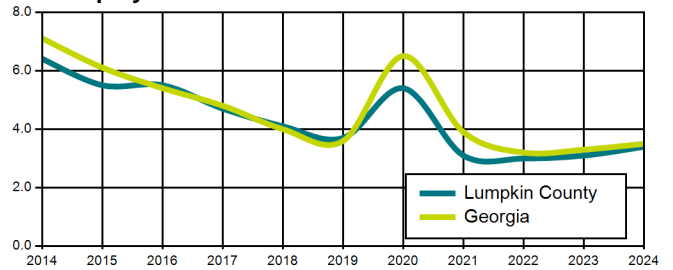
Note: This series reflects the latest information available. Labor Force includes residents of the county who are employed or actively seeking employment.

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

Lumpkin County Employment Trends



Unemployment Rate Trends

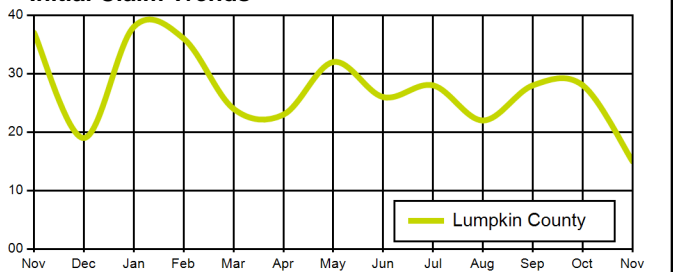


Initial Claims Activity

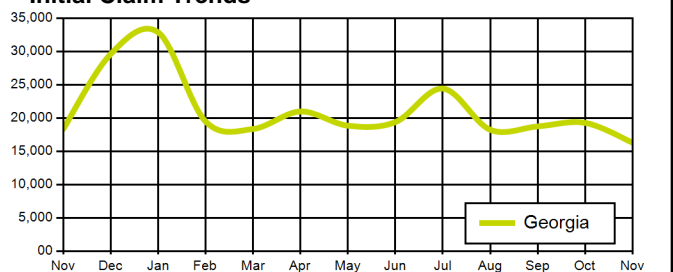
	November 2025	October 2025	September 2025	Total
Lumpkin	15	28	28	71
Dawson	31	36	23	90
Fannin	12	10	18	40
Hall	185	417	434	1,036
Union	21	11	18	50
White	26	36	38	100
Lumpkin Area	290	538	559	1,387

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

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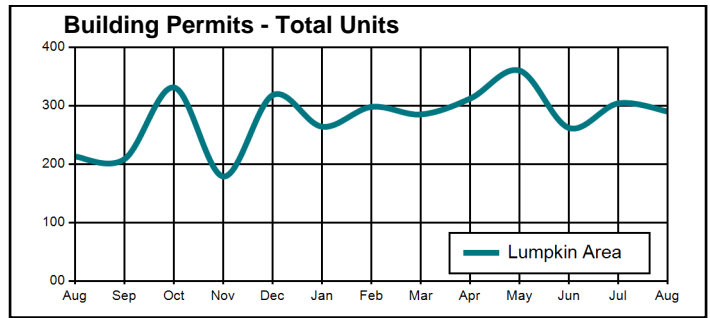
Initial Claim Trends



Building Permit Construction Activity

	Lumpkin Area			
	August 2025	July 2025	June 2025	Total
Totals	290	304	262	856
Family residential	275	284	260	819
Multi family resident	15	20	2	37

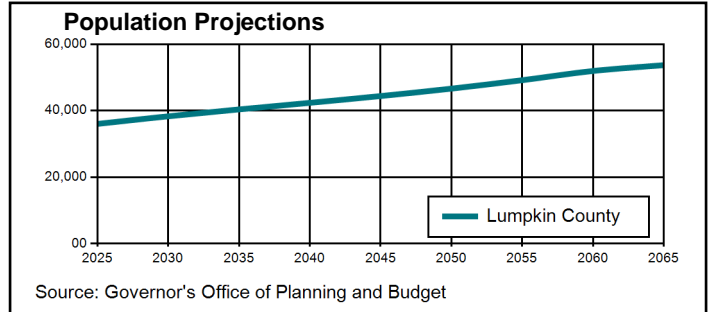
Source: U.S. Census Bureau.



Population Activity

	Annual 2024	Annual 2023	Difference
Lumpkin	36,016	35,258	758
Dawson	33,748	31,732	2,016
Fannin	25,854	25,955	-101
Hall	221,745	217,267	4,478
Union	27,601	27,124	477
White	29,668	29,026	642
Lumpkin Area	374,632	366,362	8,270
Georgia	11,180,878	11,029,227	151,651
United States	340,110,988	334,914,895	5,196,093

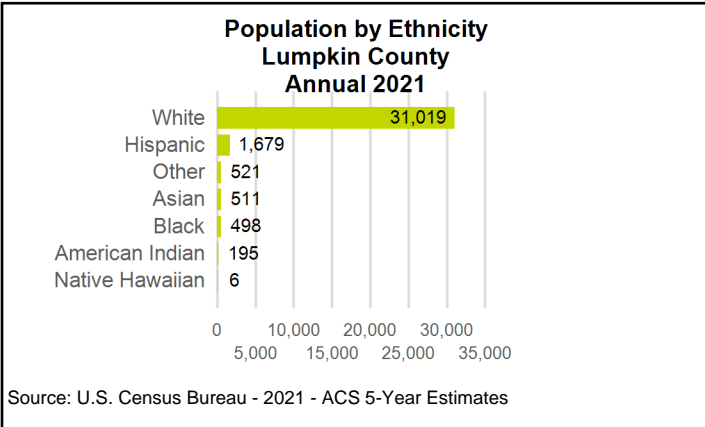
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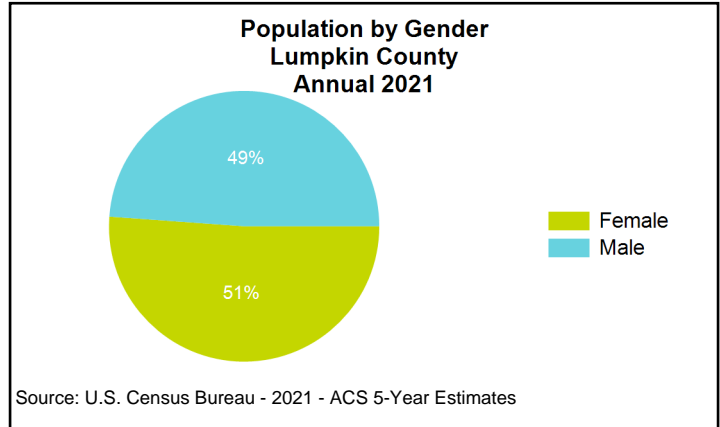
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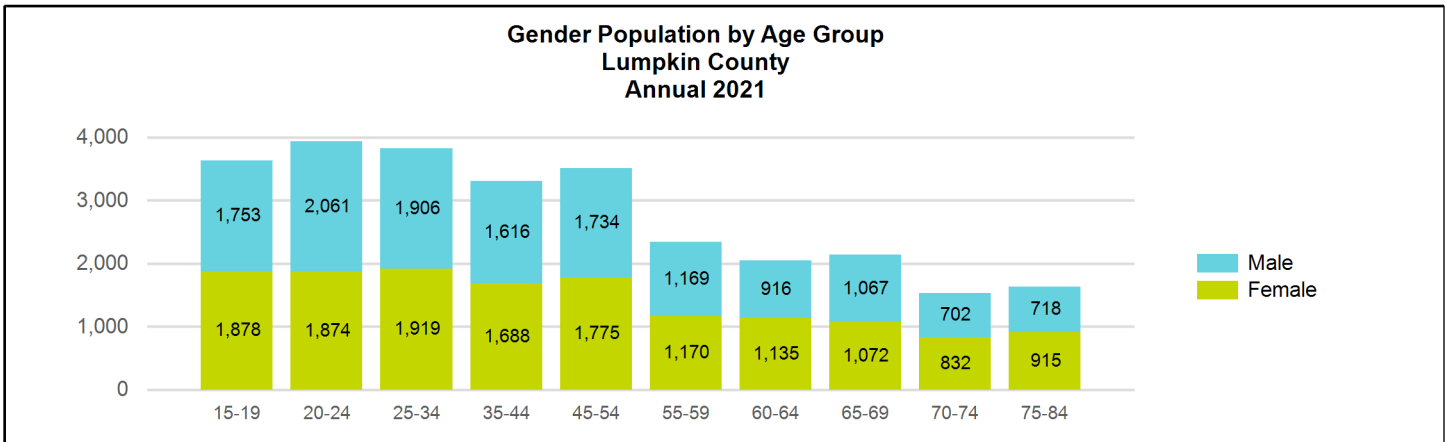
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Source: U.S. Census Bureau - 2021 - ACS 5-Year Estimates



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Industry Mix - 2nd Quarter of 2025

INDUSTRY	Lumpkin				Lumpkin Area			
	NUMBER OF FIRMS	EMPLOYMENT NUMBER	PERCENT	WEEKLY WAGE	NUMBER OF FIRMS	EMPLOYMENT NUMBER	PERCENT	WEEKLY WAGE
Goods-Producing	128	1,469	16.8	1,289	1,727	37,254	25.1	1,187
Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing and Hunting	6	10	0.1	549	70	784	0.5	1,032
Mining, Quarrying, and Oil and Gas Extraction	1	*	*	*	6	102	0.1	1,742
Construction	86	808	9.3	1,387	1,141	8,108	5.5	1,344
Manufacturing	35	627	7.2	1,155	510	28,260	19.0	1,145
Food	4	66	0.8	672	71	14,514	9.8	979
Beverage and Tobacco Product	8	104	1.2	567	35	591	0.4	1,131
Textile Product Mills	2	*	*	*	7	44	0.0	562
Apparel	1	*	*	*	7	173	0.1	1,729
Wood Product	1	*	*	*	24	365	0.2	995
Petroleum and Coal Products	1	*	*	*	4	*	*	*
Chemical	1	*	*	*	27	730	0.5	1,446
Plastics and Rubber Products	1	*	*	*	22	1,009	0.7	1,178
Primary Metal	1	*	*	*	8	532	0.4	1,540
Fabricated Metal Product	4	*	*	*	68	2,090	1.4	1,455
Machinery	1	*	*	*	36	2,707	1.8	1,413
Electrical Equipment, Appliance, and Component	2	*	*	*	16	412	0.3	1,354
Transportation Equipment	2	*	*	*	22	3,223	2.2	1,242
Furniture and Related Product	5	12	0.1	643	25	188	0.1	1,061
Miscellaneous	1	*	*	*	57	529	0.4	1,259
Paper	0	0	0.0	0	3	*	*	*
Textile Mills	0	0	0.0	0	5	309	0.2	1,111
Computer and Electronic Product	0	0	0.0	0	17	125	0.1	1,264
Nonmetallic Mineral Product	0	0	0.0	0	27	254	0.2	1,251
Printing and Related Support Activities	0	0	0.0	0	29	436	0.3	1,303
Service-Providing	535	4,725	54.1	757	7,745	91,308	61.5	1,105
Utilities	4	49	0.6	1,299	19	379	0.3	1,957
Wholesale Trade	13	166	1.9	1,461	417	5,653	3.8	1,440
Retail Trade	92	1,024	11.7	640	1,371	17,981	12.1	696
Transportation and Warehousing	14	80	0.9	924	277	5,295	3.6	1,242
Information	16	71	0.8	1,420	142	909	0.6	1,492
Finance and Insurance	36	112	1.3	1,397	547	2,888	1.9	1,679
Real Estate and Rental and Leasing	38	85	1.0	627	480	1,349	0.9	916
Professional, Scientific, and Technical Services	61	222	2.5	818	911	4,092	2.8	1,519
Management of Companies and Enterprises	1	*	*	*	39	1,859	1.3	2,986
Administrative and Support and Waste Management and Remediation Services	41	163	1.9	908	619	6,453	4.3	882
Educational Services	7	*	*	*	95	2,521	1.7	574
Health Care and Social Assistance	69	853	9.8	1,026	1,020	20,468	13.8	1,405
Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation	15	135	1.5	762	174	2,123	1.4	3,301
Accommodation and Food Services	86	1,436	16.4	465	934	16,214	10.9	500
Other Services (except Public Administration)	42	204	2.3	586	700	3,125	2.1	854
Unclassified - industry not assigned	53	30	0.3	1,408	610	369	0.2	1,108
Total - Private Sector	716	6,224	71.3	886	10,082	128,932	86.8	1,128
Total - Government	19	2,509	28.7	1,118	254	19,651	13.2	1,034
Federal Government	3	88	1.0	1,366	42	791	0.5	1,468
State Government	11	*	*	*	97	4,787	3.2	1,075
Local Government	5	1,100	12.6	922	115	14,073	9.5	996
ALL INDUSTRIES	735	8,735	100.0	952	10,336	148,586	100.0	1,116
ALL INDUSTRIES - Georgia					394,870	4,899,057		1,339

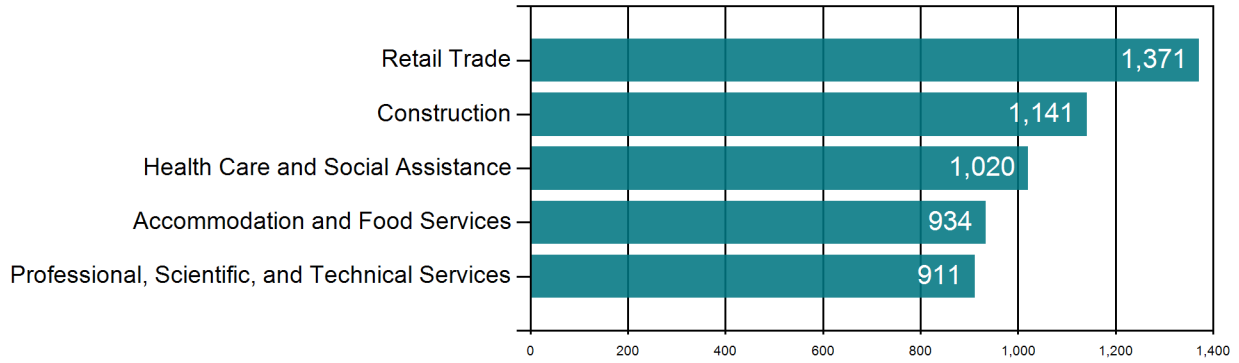
Note: *Denotes confidential data relating to individual employers and cannot be released. These data use the North American Industrial Classification System (NAICS) categories. Average weekly wage is derived by dividing gross payroll dollars paid to all employees - both hourly and salaried - by the average 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 2025.

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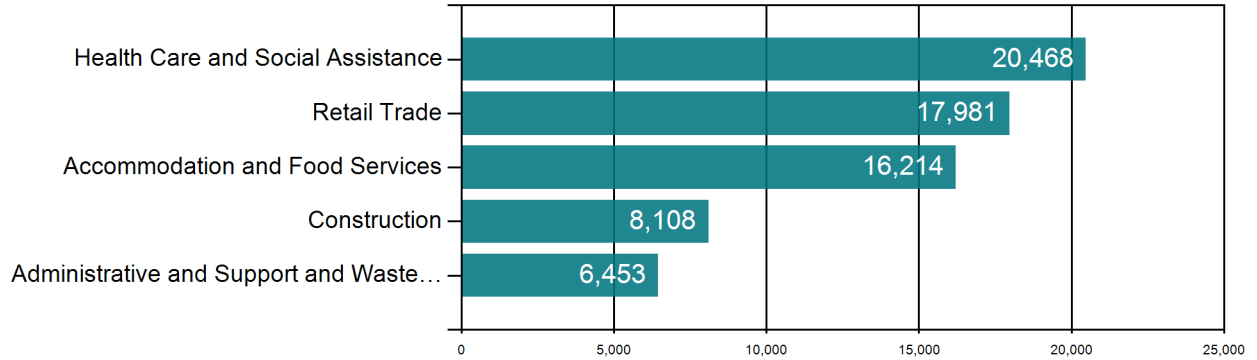
Top Industries - 2nd Quarter of 2025

Lumpkin Area

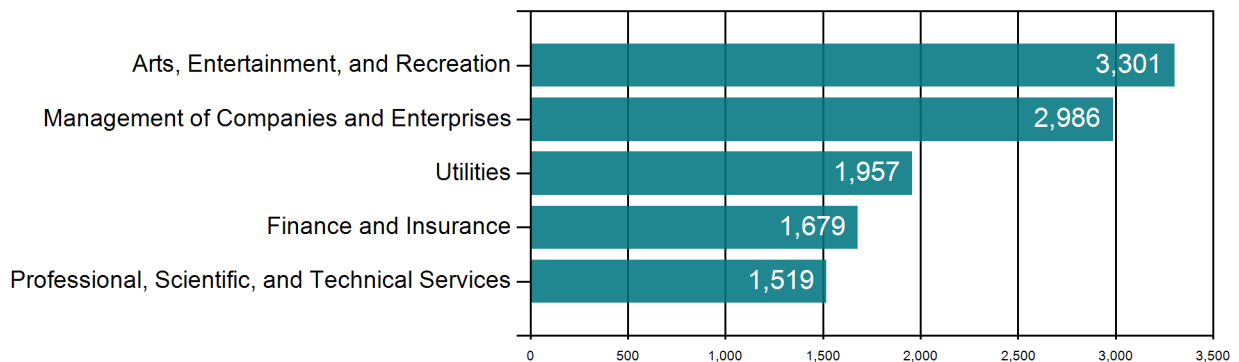
Top Industries by Firms



Top Industries by Employment



Top Industries by Weekly Wages



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Technical College Certificate Graduates - 2024

PROGRAMS	TOTAL GRADUATES			PERCENT CHANGE	
	2022	2023	2024	2022-2023	2023-2024
Welding Technology/Welder	94	252	400	168.1	58.7
Automobile/Automotive Mechanics Technology/Technician	68	180	230	164.7	27.8
Cosmetology/Cosmetologist, General	111	152	213	36.9	40.1
Child Care Provider/Assistant	103	154	147	49.5	-4.5
Nursing Assistant/Aide and Patient Care Assistant/Aide	103	161	126	56.3	-21.7
Industrial Mechanics and Maintenance Technology	79	97	120	22.8	23.7
Business Administration and Management, General	44	50	119	13.6	138.0
Computer and Information Systems Security/Information Assurance	8	19	61	137.5	221.1
Autobody/Collision and Repair Technology/Technician	17	54	54	217.6	0.0
Medical Office Assistant/Specialist	52	40	51	-23.1	27.5

Source: Technical College System of Georgia

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

Technical College Diploma Graduates - 2024

PROGRAMS	TOTAL GRADUATES			PERCENT CHANGE	
	2022	2023	2024	2022-2023	2023-2024
Cosmetology/Cosmetologist, General	45	65	54	44.4	-16.9
Business Administration and Management, General	39	24	49	-38.5	104.2
Medical/Clinical Assistant	36	43	38	19.4	-11.6
Licensed Practical/Vocational Nurse Training	30	25	34	-16.7	36.0
Welding Technology/Welder	25	38	31	52.0	-18.4
Industrial Mechanics and Maintenance Technology	19	16	21	-15.8	31.3
Early Childhood Education and Teaching	17	13	14	-23.5	7.7
Accounting Technology/Technician and Bookkeeping	22	23	12	4.5	-47.8
Autobody/Collision and Repair Technology/Technician	7	7	11	0.0	57.1
Electrician	10	16	11	60.0	-31.3

Source: Technical College System of Georgia

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Technical College Degree Graduates - 2024

PROGRAMS	TOTAL GRADUATES			PERCENT CHANGE	
	2022	2023	2024	2022-2023	2023-2024
Business Administration and Management, General	47	41	60	-12.8	46.3
Accounting Technology/Technician and Bookkeeping	26	26	23	0.0	-11.5
Radiologic Technology/Science - Radiographer	17	18	22	5.9	22.2
Computer and Information Systems Security	4	8	16	100.0	100.0
Industrial Mechanics and Maintenance Technology	23	13	15	-43.5	15.4
Criminal Justice/Safety Studies	11	15	14	36.4	-6.7
Early Childhood Education and Teaching	15	14	12	-6.7	-14.3
Automobile/Automotive Mechanics Technology/Technician	9	13	11	44.4	-15.4
Interior Design	14	4	9	-71.4	125.0
Emergency Medical Technology/Technician (EMT Paramedic)	6	2	8	-66.7	300.0

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Top Ten Largest Employers - 2025*

Lumpkin County

Arcadia Louvered Roofs, Inc.
 Koyo Bearings USA, LLC
 Montaluce Management, LLC
 North Georgia College
 Northeast Georgia Medical Center
 Publix Super Market, Inc.
 The Home Depot
 University of North Georgia
 Wahoo Docks, LLC
 Walmart

*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 2025. Employers are listed alphabetically by area, not by the number of employees.

Source: Georgia Department of Labor

Lumpkin Area

	<u>COUNTY</u>
Cottrell, Inc.	Hall
Fieldale Farms Corporation	Hall
Gold Creek Processing, LLC	Hall
Kubota Manufacturing of America Corporation	Hall
Mars Chocolate North America , LLC	Hall
Northeast Georgia Medical Center, Inc.	Hall
Northeast Georgia Physicians Group	Hall
Pilgrim's Pride Corporation	Hall
Soulshine Farms, LLC	Hall
University of North Georgia	Lumpkin

Education of the Labor Force

Lumpkin Area

PERCENT DISTRIBUTION BY AGE

	PERCENT					
	OF TOTAL	18-24	25-34	35-44	45-64	65+
Elementary	7.2%	2.6%	6.1%	12.7%	8.2%	5.7%
Some High School	8.8%	10.6%	8.7%	11.6%	7.3%	8.5%
High School Grad/GED	30.4%	41.4%	31.4%	24.5%	29.1%	29.6%
Some College	23.1%	34.5%	23.3%	19.2%	22.0%	20.8%
College Grad 2 Yr	7.1%	5.6%	9.0%	6.9%	7.2%	6.6%
College Grad 4 Yr	14.8%	5.2%	17.0%	15.0%	16.4%	15.8%
Post Graduate Studies	8.6%	0.2%	4.5%	10.1%	9.8%	13.1%
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

Source: U.S. Census Bureau - 2021: ACS 5-Year Estimates.

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