

Georgia Labor Force Estimates

Place of Residence - Persons 16 Years and Older

Area	Employment Status	Preliminary AUG 2017	Revised JUL 2017	Revised AUG 2016	Change From	
					Revised JUL 2017	Revised AUG 2016
Georgia (Seasonally adjusted)	Civilian labor force	5,046,999	5,038,076	4,932,454	8,923	114,545
	Employed	4,811,281	4,801,371	4,669,689	9,910	141,592
	Unemployed	235,718	236,705	262,765	-987	-27,047
	Rate	4.7	4.7	5.3		
Georgia (Not seasonally adjusted)	Civilian labor force	5,057,573	5,078,790	4,920,833	-21,217	136,740
	Employed	4,815,003	4,822,235	4,646,987	-7,232	168,016
	Unemployed	242,570	256,555	273,846	-13,985	-31,276
	Rate	4.8	5.1	5.6		
Albany MSA	Civilian labor force	66,760	67,113	65,660	-353	1,100
	Employed	62,885	63,076	61,336	-191	1,549
	Unemployed	3,875	4,037	4,324	-162	-449
	Rate	5.8	6.0	6.6		
Athens-Clarke County MSA	Civilian labor force	99,645	100,494	97,336	-849	2,309
	Employed	94,981	95,427	92,027	-446	2,954
	Unemployed	4,664	5,067	5,309	-403	-645
	Rate	4.7	5.0	5.5		
Atlanta MSA	Civilian labor force	3,039,724	3,052,606	2,941,500	-12,882	98,224
	Employed	2,899,939	2,905,952	2,785,336	-6,013	114,603
	Unemployed	139,785	146,654	156,164	-6,869	-16,379
	Rate	4.6	4.8	5.3		
Augusta-Richmond County MSA	Civilian labor force	269,924	270,895	263,170	-971	6,754
	Employed	256,363	256,845	247,713	-482	8,650
	Unemployed	13,561	14,050	15,457	-489	-1,896
	Rate	5.0	5.2	5.9		
Brunswick MSA	Civilian labor force	53,356	53,829	52,844	-473	512
	Employed	50,777	51,175	49,932	-398	845
	Unemployed	2,579	2,654	2,912	-75	-333
	Rate	4.8	4.9	5.5		
Columbus MSA	Civilian labor force	124,440	125,299	124,044	-859	396
	Employed	117,384	117,867	115,881	-483	1,503
	Unemployed	7,056	7,432	8,163	-376	-1,107
	Rate	5.7	5.9	6.6		
Dalton MSA	Civilian labor force	63,174	63,496	62,665	-322	509
	Employed	59,872	60,057	58,774	-185	1,098
	Unemployed	3,302	3,439	3,891	-137	-589
	Rate	5.2	5.4	6.2		
Gainesville MSA	Civilian labor force	99,662	99,844	96,423	-182	3,239
	Employed	95,659	95,661	91,831	-2	3,828
	Unemployed	4,003	4,183	4,592	-180	-589
	Rate	4.0	4.2	4.8		

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Rome MSA: Floyd County.

Savannah MSA: Bryan, Chatham, and Effingham counties.

Valdosta MSA: Brooks, Echols, Lanier, and Lowndes counties.

Warner Robins MSA: Houston, Peach and Pulaski counties.

Source: Georgia Department of Labor, Workforce Statistics & Economic Research



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Hinesville MSA	Civilian labor force	33,458	33,158	32,855	300	603
	Employed	31,744	31,390	30,935	354	809
	Unemployed	1,714	1,768	1,920	-54	-206
	Rate	5.1	5.3	5.8		
Macon-Bibb County MSA	Civilian labor force	104,936	105,512	104,173	-576	763
	Employed	99,314	99,737	98,005	-423	1,309
	Unemployed	5,622	5,775	6,168	-153	-546
	Rate	5.4	5.5	5.9		
Rome MSA	Civilian labor force	44,162	44,463	43,483	-301	679
	Employed	41,825	41,665	40,762	160	1,063
	Unemployed	2,337	2,798	2,721	-461	-384
	Rate	5.3	6.3	6.3		
Savannah MSA	Civilian labor force	186,273	187,566	181,281	-1,293	4,992
	Employed	177,982	178,884	171,592	-902	6,390
	Unemployed	8,291	8,682	9,689	-391	-1,398
	Rate	4.5	4.6	5.3		
Valdosta MSA	Civilian labor force	64,517	65,071	63,508	-554	1,009
	Employed	61,437	61,858	60,110	-421	1,327
	Unemployed	3,080	3,213	3,398	-133	-318
	Rate	4.8	4.9	5.4		
Warner Robins MSA	Civilian labor force	84,291	84,744	83,066	-453	1,225
	Employed	80,103	80,384	78,409	-281	1,694
	Unemployed	4,188	4,360	4,657	-172	-469
	Rate	5.0	5.1	5.6		

United States Labor Force Estimates

Place of Residence - Persons 16 Years and Older

Area	Employment Status	AUG 2017	JUL 2017	AUG 2016	Change From	
					JUL 2017	AUG 2016
United States (Seasonally adjusted)	Civilian labor force	160,571,000	160,494,000	159,508,000	77,000	1,063,000
	Employed	153,439,000	153,513,000	151,655,000	-74,000	1,784,000
	Unemployed	7,132,000	6,981,000	7,853,000	151,000	-721,000
	Rate	4.4	4.3	4.9		
United States (Not Seasonally adjusted)	Civilian labor force	160,863,000	161,911,000	159,800,000	-1,048,000	1,063,000
	Employed	153,576,000	154,470,000	151,804,000	-894,000	1,772,000
	Unemployed	7,287,000	7,441,000	7,996,000	-154,000	-709,000
	Rate	4.5	4.6	5.0		

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Atlanta MSA Labor Force Estimates

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	Employed	2,899,939	2,905,952	2,785,336	-6,013	114,603
	Unemployed	139,785	146,654	156,164	-6,869	-16,379
	Rate	4.6	4.8	5.3		

Source: Georgia Department of Labor, Workforce Statistics & Economic Research

Augusta MSA Labor Force Estimates

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Augusta-Richmond, GA-SC MSA	Civilian labor force	269,924	270,895	263,170	-971	6,754
	Employed	256,363	256,845	247,713	-482	8,650
	Unemployed	13,561	14,050	15,457	-489	-1,896
	Rate	5.0	5.2	5.9		
Residing in Georgia	Civilian labor force	182,478	183,193	177,120	-715	5,358
	Employed	172,683	172,720	166,102	-37	6,581
	Unemployed	9,795	10,473	11,018	-678	-1,223
	Rate	5.4	5.7	6.2		
Residing in South Carolina	Civilian labor force	87,446	87,702	86,050	-256	1,396
	Employed	83,680	84,125	81,611	-445	2,069
	Unemployed	3,766	3,577	4,439	189	-673
	Rate	4.3	4.1	5.2		

 **Note:** The Augusta Metropolitan Statistical Area includes Columbia, Lincoln, McDuffie, and Richmond counties, Georgia, and Aiken and Edgefield counties, South Carolina.

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Columbus MSA Labor Force Estimates

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Columbus, GA-AL MSA	Civilian labor force	124,440	125,299	124,044	-859	396
	Employed	117,384	117,867	115,881	-483	1,503
	Unemployed	7,056	7,432	8,163	-376	-1,107
	Rate	5.7	5.9	6.6		
Residing in Georgia	Civilian labor force	100,595	101,332	100,047	-737	548
	Employed	94,554	95,015	93,273	-461	1,281
	Unemployed	6,041	6,317	6,774	-276	-733
	Rate	6.0	6.2	6.8		
Residing in Alabama	Civilian labor force	23,845	23,967	23,997	-122	-152
	Employed	22,830	22,852	22,608	-22	222
	Unemployed	1,015	1,115	1,389	-100	-374
	Rate	4.3	4.7	5.8		

 **Note:** The Columbus Metropolitan Statistical Area includes Chattahoochee, Harris, and Muscogee counties, Georgia, and Russell county, Alabama.

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Georgia Regional Commissions (RCs)

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Atlanta Regional Commission	Civilian labor force	2,408,224	2,417,957	2,330,022	-9,733	78,202
	Employed	2,296,843	2,301,705	2,206,437	-4,862	90,406
	Unemployed	111,381	116,252	123,585	-4,871	-12,204
	Rate	4.6	4.8	5.3		
Central Savannah River Area	Civilian labor force	210,930	211,719	205,039	-789	5,891
	Employed	199,385	199,307	192,009	78	7,376
	Unemployed	11,545	12,412	13,030	-867	-1,485
	Rate	5.5	5.9	6.4		
Coastal Georgia	Civilian labor force	327,610	328,589	321,378	-979	6,232
	Employed	312,215	312,346	303,558	-131	8,657
	Unemployed	15,395	16,243	17,820	-848	-2,425
	Rate	4.7	4.9	5.5		
Georgia Mountains	Civilian labor force	338,234	339,046	327,418	-812	10,816
	Employed	324,275	324,109	311,477	166	12,798
	Unemployed	13,959	14,937	15,941	-978	-1,982
	Rate	4.1	4.4	4.9		
Heart of Georgia Altamaha	Civilian labor force	116,758	116,874	115,311	-116	1,447
	Employed	109,686	109,302	107,217	384	2,469
	Unemployed	7,072	7,572	8,094	-500	-1,022
	Rate	6.1	6.5	7.0		
Middle Georgia	Civilian labor force	219,082	219,981	216,752	-899	2,330
	Employed	207,518	207,993	203,808	-475	3,710
	Unemployed	11,564	11,988	12,944	-424	-1,380
	Rate	5.3	5.4	6.0		
Northeast Georgia	Civilian labor force	299,915	301,640	290,998	-1,725	8,917
	Employed	286,233	286,941	275,395	-708	10,838
	Unemployed	13,682	14,699	15,603	-1,017	-1,921
	Rate	4.6	4.9	5.4		
Northwest Georgia	Civilian labor force	416,464	419,034	406,720	-2,570	9,744
	Employed	396,848	397,723	384,001	-875	12,847
	Unemployed	19,616	21,311	22,719	-1,695	-3,103
	Rate	4.7	5.1	5.6		
River Valley	Civilian labor force	147,752	148,685	147,130	-933	622
	Employed	138,678	139,092	136,958	-414	1,720
	Unemployed	9,074	9,593	10,172	-519	-1,098
	Rate	6.1	6.5	6.9		
Southern Georgia	Civilian labor force	177,456	178,328	173,724	-872	3,732
	Employed	168,566	168,764	163,517	-198	5,049
	Unemployed	8,890	9,564	10,207	-674	-1,317
	Rate	5.0	5.4	5.9		
Southwest Georgia	Civilian labor force	148,598	148,937	146,071	-339	2,527
	Employed	140,163	140,035	136,583	128	3,580
	Unemployed	8,435	8,902	9,488	-467	-1,053
	Rate	5.7	6.0	6.5		
Three Rivers	Civilian labor force	246,561	247,997	240,265	-1,436	6,296
	Employed	234,594	234,913	226,029	-319	8,565
	Unemployed	11,967	13,084	14,236	-1,117	-2,269
	Rate	4.9	5.3	5.9		

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City Labor Force Estimates

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	Preliminary August 2017				Revised July 2017				Revised August 2016			
	Laborforce	Employment	Unemployment Number	Unemployment Rate	Laborforce	Employment	Unemployment Number	Unemployment Rate	Laborforce	Employment	Unemployment Number	Unemployment Rate
*Albany	31,130	29,089	2,041	6.6	31,296	29,185	2,111	6.7	30,719	28,430	2,289	7.5
*Alpharetta	36,033	34,673	1,360	3.8	36,190	34,743	1,447	4.0	34,872	33,307	1,565	4.5
*Athens	60,410	57,378	3,032	5.0	60,993	57,633	3,360	5.5	59,181	55,664	3,517	5.9
*Atlanta	250,056	236,856	13,200	5.3	251,338	237,332	14,006	5.6	242,277	227,531	14,746	6.1
Dekalb Part	19,351	18,546	805	4.2	19,442	18,584	858	4.4	18,756	17,823	933	5.0
Fulton Part	230,705	218,310	12,395	5.4	231,896	218,748	13,148	5.7	223,521	209,708	13,813	6.2
*Augusta	87,920	82,686	5,234	6.0	88,288	82,674	5,614	6.4	85,553	79,631	5,922	6.9
*Brookhaven	33,653	32,556	1,097	3.3	33,721	32,621	1,100	3.3	32,470	31,286	1,184	3.6
Canton	13,777	13,271	506	3.7	13,799	13,304	495	3.6	13,136	12,588	548	4.2
Carrollton	11,655	10,938	717	6.2	11,741	10,963	778	6.6	11,356	10,491	865	7.6
Chamblee	19,818	19,188	630	3.2	19,886	19,226	660	3.3	11,009	10,671	338	3.1
*Columbus	79,161	74,185	4,976	6.3	79,709	74,550	5,159	6.5	78,783	73,246	5,537	7.0
Dalton	14,877	14,077	800	5.4	14,949	14,121	828	5.5	14,719	13,826	893	6.1
Douglasville	17,107	16,216	891	5.2	17,189	16,251	938	5.5	16,548	15,581	967	5.8
Duluth	16,293	15,609	684	4.2	16,361	15,648	713	4.4	15,738	14,988	750	4.8
*Dunwoody	27,747	26,680	1,067	3.8	27,834	26,734	1,100	4.0	26,716	25,639	1,077	4.0
East Point	17,516	16,351	1,165	6.7	17,508	16,384	1,124	6.4	16,919	15,707	1,212	7.2
Gainesville	18,792	17,982	810	4.3	18,815	17,982	833	4.4	18,186	17,262	924	5.1
Hinesville	15,131	14,414	717	4.7	14,993	14,250	743	5.0	14,862	14,074	788	5.3
*Johns Creek	45,525	43,695	1,830	4.0	45,693	43,783	1,910	4.2	43,961	41,973	1,988	4.5
Kennesaw	20,148	19,363	785	3.9	20,286	19,407	879	4.3	19,485	18,598	887	4.6
LaGrange	15,524	14,706	818	5.3	15,665	14,679	986	6.3	15,270	14,360	910	6.0
Lawrenceville	15,111	14,394	717	4.7	15,213	14,430	783	5.1	14,666	13,821	845	5.8
*Macon-Bibb	69,357	65,518	3,839	5.5	69,728	65,801	3,927	5.6	68,951	64,744	4,207	6.1
*Marietta	35,346	33,894	1,452	4.1	35,437	33,972	1,465	4.1	34,264	32,555	1,709	5.0
Milton	19,735	18,984	751	3.8	19,823	19,023	800	4.0	19,031	18,236	795	4.2
Newnan	17,708	16,874	834	4.7	17,838	16,903	935	5.2	17,224	16,207	1,017	5.9
Peachtree City	18,664	17,997	667	3.6	18,783	18,029	754	4.0	18,111	17,295	816	4.5
P'tree Corners	24,064	23,094	970	4.0	24,152	23,152	1,000	4.1	23,245	22,175	1,070	4.6
Rome	15,537	14,668	869	5.6	15,741	14,612	1,129	7.2	15,251	14,295	956	6.3
*Roswell	54,922	52,850	2,072	3.8	54,995	52,957	2,038	3.7	53,037	50,768	2,269	4.3
*Sandy Springs	64,880	62,537	2,343	3.6	65,056	62,663	2,393	3.7	62,810	60,073	2,737	4.4
*Savannah	68,281	64,817	3,464	5.1	68,739	65,150	3,589	5.2	66,565	62,496	4,069	6.1
*Smyrna	35,600	34,206	1,394	3.9	35,694	34,285	1,409	3.9	34,393	32,855	1,538	4.5
Statesboro	14,180	13,258	922	6.5	14,105	13,011	1,094	7.8	14,047	12,919	1,128	8.0
Stockbridge	14,233	13,348	885	6.2	14,221	13,362	859	6.0	13,755	12,837	918	6.7
*Valdosta	25,704	24,339	1,365	5.3	25,928	24,512	1,416	5.5	25,414	23,901	1,513	6.0
*Warner Robins	32,535	30,883	1,652	5.1	32,691	30,991	1,700	5.2	32,104	30,276	1,828	5.7
Woodstock	16,444	15,843	601	3.7	16,526	15,882	644	3.9	15,872	15,212	660	4.2

 **Note:** City estimates were prepared in cooperation with the U.S. Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics. All cities listed have total population of 25,000 or more and an asterisks (*) designates cities with population of 50,000 or more.

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County Labor Force Estimates (not seasonally adjusted)

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Georgia	5,057,573	4,815,003	242,570	4.8	5,078,790	4,822,235	256,555	5.1	4,920,833	4,646,987	273,846	5.6
Appling	9,392	8,819	573	6.1	9,466	8,876	590	6.2	9,212	8,548	664	7.2
Atkinson	4,121	3,957	164	4.0	4,124	3,929	195	4.7	3,963	3,762	201	5.1
Bacon	5,151	4,918	233	4.5	5,155	4,901	254	4.9	4,870	4,594	276	5.7
Baker	1,197	1,117	80	6.7	1,189	1,113	76	6.4	1,152	1,051	101	8.8
Baldwin	18,116	17,051	1,065	5.9	17,946	16,805	1,141	6.4	17,958	16,640	1,318	7.3
Banks	9,045	8,680	365	4.0	9,035	8,628	407	4.5	8,776	8,320	456	5.2
Barrow	38,568	36,975	1,593	4.1	38,706	37,036	1,670	4.3	37,352	35,515	1,837	4.9
Bartow	49,988	47,673	2,315	4.6	50,264	47,751	2,513	5.0	48,332	45,761	2,571	5.3
Ben Hill	5,767	5,356	411	7.1	5,873	5,381	492	8.4	5,648	5,175	473	8.4
Berrien	7,205	6,820	385	5.3	7,234	6,819	415	5.7	7,051	6,582	469	6.7
Bibb	69,357	65,518	3,839	5.5	69,728	65,801	3,927	5.6	68,951	64,744	4,207	6.1
Bleckley	4,460	4,193	267	6.0	4,458	4,155	303	6.8	4,350	4,035	315	7.2
Brantley	7,350	6,910	440	6.0	7,416	6,972	444	6.0	7,232	6,723	509	7.0
Brooks	7,176	6,838	338	4.7	7,214	6,877	337	4.7	6,924	6,567	357	5.2
Bryan	17,106	16,363	743	4.3	17,229	16,450	779	4.5	16,611	15,757	854	5.1
Bulloch	36,455	34,596	1,859	5.1	36,052	33,952	2,100	5.8	35,912	33,713	2,199	6.1
Burke	9,611	8,940	671	7.0	9,703	8,929	774	8.0	9,288	8,560	728	7.8
Butts	10,737	10,221	516	4.8	10,777	10,235	542	5.0	10,402	9,810	592	5.7
Calhoun	2,177	2,060	117	5.4	2,139	2,017	122	5.7	2,162	2,023	139	6.4
Camden	20,157	19,094	1,063	5.3	20,172	19,049	1,123	5.6	20,528	19,307	1,221	5.9
Candler	5,194	4,973	221	4.3	5,188	4,941	247	4.8	5,008	4,752	256	5.1
Carroll	55,012	52,239	2,773	5.0	55,313	52,357	2,956	5.3	53,429	50,101	3,328	6.2
Catoosa	33,042	31,680	1,362	4.1	33,469	31,955	1,514	4.5	32,173	30,551	1,622	5.0
Charlton	4,829	4,555	274	5.7	4,825	4,555	270	5.6	4,780	4,482	298	6.2
Chatham	140,420	134,068	6,352	4.5	141,384	134,757	6,627	4.7	136,680	129,267	7,413	5.4
Chattahoochee	2,126	1,967	159	7.5	2,138	1,972	166	7.8	2,126	1,932	194	9.1
Chattooga	10,725	10,200	525	4.9	10,652	10,120	532	5.0	10,695	10,027	668	6.2
Cherokee	128,840	123,932	4,908	3.8	129,363	124,238	5,125	4.0	124,510	118,999	5,511	4.4
Clarke	60,410	57,378	3,032	5.0	60,993	57,633	3,360	5.5	59,181	55,664	3,517	5.9
Clay	870	791	79	9.1	877	791	86	9.8	859	764	95	11.1
Clayton	133,978	126,115	7,863	5.9	134,656	126,305	8,351	6.2	130,011	121,194	8,817	6.8
Clinch	2,689	2,548	141	5.2	2,729	2,528	201	7.4	2,756	2,578	178	6.5
Cobb	425,870	408,391	17,479	4.1	427,609	409,329	18,280	4.3	411,658	392,260	19,398	4.7
Coffee	19,110	18,224	886	4.6	19,154	18,138	1,016	5.3	18,260	17,186	1,074	5.9
Colquitt	21,771	20,757	1,014	4.7	21,793	20,659	1,134	5.2	20,979	19,830	1,149	5.5
Columbia	72,295	69,158	3,137	4.3	72,497	69,220	3,277	4.5	69,978	66,494	3,484	5.0
Cook	7,598	7,235	363	4.8	7,580	7,217	363	4.8	7,466	7,046	420	5.6
Coweta	72,502	69,420	3,082	4.3	72,939	69,542	3,397	4.7	70,372	66,677	3,695	5.3
Crawford	5,716	5,429	287	5.0	5,753	5,447	306	5.3	5,664	5,334	330	5.8
Crisp	9,383	8,879	504	5.4	9,466	8,907	559	5.9	9,236	8,678	558	6.0
Dade	8,294	7,934	360	4.3	8,463	8,028	435	5.1	8,042	7,607	435	5.4
Dawson	11,706	11,241	465	4.0	11,770	11,278	492	4.2	11,307	10,759	548	4.8
Decatur	11,645	10,962	683	5.9	11,691	10,963	728	6.2	11,515	10,724	791	6.9
DeKalb	398,015	378,581	19,434	4.9	399,342	379,347	19,995	5.0	385,159	363,815	21,344	5.5
Dodge	6,989	6,558	431	6.2	7,021	6,560	461	6.6	6,864	6,358	506	7.4
Dooly	5,124	4,852	272	5.3	5,125	4,846	279	5.4	4,955	4,661	294	5.9
Dougherty	38,415	35,953	2,462	6.4	38,646	36,072	2,574	6.7	37,855	35,138	2,717	7.2
Douglas	72,683	69,125	3,558	4.9	72,999	69,272	3,727	5.1	70,422	66,416	4,006	5.7
Early	4,431	4,176	255	5.8	4,428	4,156	272	6.1	4,418	4,103	315	7.1
Echols	1,970	1,897	73	3.7	1,983	1,901	82	4.1	1,898	1,808	90	4.7

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Effingham	28,747	27,551	1,196	4.2	28,953	27,677	1,276	4.4	27,990	26,568	1,422	5.1
Elbert	7,719	7,300	419	5.4	7,816	7,291	525	6.7	7,736	7,233	503	6.5
Emanuel	8,481	7,857	624	7.4	8,440	7,800	640	7.6	8,368	7,716	652	7.8
Evans	4,862	4,639	223	4.6	4,813	4,590	223	4.6	4,838	4,593	245	5.1
Fannin	11,263	10,759	504	4.5	11,327	10,786	541	4.8	10,749	10,159	590	5.5
Fayette	57,864	55,462	2,402	4.2	58,131	55,559	2,572	4.4	56,098	53,298	2,800	5.0
Floyd	44,162	41,825	2,337	5.3	44,463	41,665	2,798	6.3	43,483	40,762	2,721	6.3
Forsyth	112,029	107,706	4,323	3.9	112,477	107,927	4,550	4.0	108,187	103,418	4,769	4.4
Franklin	10,012	9,531	481	4.8	10,101	9,545	556	5.5	9,670	9,117	553	5.7
Fulton	549,734	522,735	26,999	4.9	551,877	523,785	28,092	5.1	531,832	502,138	29,694	5.6
Gilmer	11,815	11,217	598	5.1	11,883	11,257	626	5.3	11,783	11,087	696	5.9
Glascock	1,294	1,231	63	4.9	1,286	1,213	73	5.7	1,272	1,185	87	6.8
Glynn	39,814	37,986	1,828	4.6	40,180	38,287	1,893	4.7	39,519	37,463	2,056	5.2
Gordon	25,687	24,452	1,235	4.8	25,773	24,427	1,346	5.2	25,089	23,647	1,442	5.7
Grady	10,129	9,596	533	5.3	10,101	9,532	569	5.6	10,062	9,459	603	6.0
Greene	7,122	6,756	366	5.1	7,150	6,777	373	5.2	6,908	6,503	405	5.9
Gwinnett	484,171	463,397	20,774	4.3	486,408	464,560	21,848	4.5	468,159	444,961	23,198	5.0
Habersham	19,402	18,541	861	4.4	19,453	18,454	999	5.1	19,337	18,305	1,032	5.3
Hall	99,662	95,659	4,003	4.0	99,844	95,661	4,183	4.2	96,423	91,831	4,592	4.8
Hancock	2,547	2,375	172	6.8	2,520	2,337	183	7.3	2,498	2,280	218	8.7
Haralson	12,604	11,987	617	4.9	12,669	12,021	648	5.1	12,228	11,502	726	5.9
Harris	15,871	15,174	697	4.4	16,030	15,248	782	4.9	15,717	14,929	788	5.0
Hart	11,274	10,769	505	4.5	11,364	10,771	593	5.2	10,834	10,229	605	5.6
Heard	5,245	4,976	269	5.1	5,278	4,985	293	5.6	5,082	4,767	315	6.2
Henry	111,985	106,429	5,556	5.0	112,327	106,544	5,783	5.1	108,584	102,357	6,227	5.7
Houston	68,412	65,111	3,301	4.8	68,778	65,339	3,439	5.0	67,485	63,835	3,650	5.4
Irwin	3,195	2,986	209	6.5	3,244	2,966	278	8.6	3,188	2,933	255	8.0
Jackson	34,865	33,576	1,289	3.7	34,908	33,575	1,333	3.8	33,287	31,794	1,493	4.5
Jasper	6,897	6,594	303	4.4	6,931	6,607	324	4.7	6,636	6,308	328	4.9
Jeff Davis	6,262	5,885	377	6.0	6,276	5,863	413	6.6	6,247	5,819	428	6.9
Jefferson	6,778	6,338	440	6.5	6,790	6,312	478	7.0	6,538	6,050	488	7.5
Jenkins	3,225	3,010	215	6.7	3,240	2,984	256	7.9	3,143	2,909	234	7.4
Johnson	3,962	3,766	196	4.9	3,964	3,757	207	5.2	3,916	3,664	252	6.4
Jones	13,832	13,200	632	4.6	13,918	13,255	663	4.8	13,682	12,998	684	5.0
Lamar	8,115	7,662	453	5.6	8,166	7,686	480	5.9	7,887	7,352	535	6.8
Lanier	3,877	3,670	207	5.3	3,928	3,699	229	5.8	3,796	3,585	211	5.6
Laurens	19,083	17,952	1,131	5.9	19,123	17,919	1,204	6.3	18,819	17,539	1,280	6.8
Lee	14,420	13,772	648	4.5	14,502	13,818	684	4.7	14,164	13,448	716	5.1
Liberty	25,994	24,660	1,334	5.1	25,759	24,380	1,379	5.4	25,581	24,079	1,502	5.9
Lincoln	3,551	3,356	195	5.5	3,554	3,355	199	5.6	3,408	3,200	208	6.1
Long	7,464	7,084	380	5.1	7,399	7,010	389	5.3	7,274	6,856	418	5.7
Lowndes	51,494	49,032	2,462	4.8	51,946	49,381	2,565	4.9	50,890	48,150	2,740	5.4
Lumpkin	16,799	16,100	699	4.2	16,494	15,745	749	4.5	15,955	15,113	842	5.3
McDuffie	9,101	8,543	558	6.1	9,151	8,542	609	6.7	8,893	8,217	676	7.6
McIntosh	6,192	5,881	311	5.0	6,233	5,916	317	5.1	6,093	5,746	347	5.7
Macon	4,723	4,392	331	7.0	4,723	4,387	336	7.1	4,618	4,243	375	8.1
Madison	13,367	12,769	598	4.5	13,471	12,839	632	4.7	13,019	12,356	663	5.1
Marion	3,437	3,228	209	6.1	3,455	3,245	210	6.1	3,421	3,166	255	7.5
Meriwether	9,155	8,642	513	5.6	9,341	8,662	679	7.3	8,913	8,266	647	7.3
Miller	2,778	2,644	134	4.8	2,773	2,632	141	5.1	2,721	2,565	156	5.7
Mitchell	8,558	7,980	578	6.8	8,548	7,961	587	6.9	8,401	7,824	577	6.9
Monroe	13,022	12,384	638	4.9	13,084	12,444	640	4.9	12,863	12,176	687	5.3
Montgomery	3,632	3,374	258	7.1	3,634	3,364	270	7.4	3,614	3,335	279	7.7
Morgan	9,058	8,647	411	4.5	9,114	8,671	443	4.9	8,684	8,240	444	5.1
Murray	16,420	15,504	916	5.6	16,508	15,551	957	5.8	16,311	15,196	1,115	6.8

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Muscogee	79,161	74,185	4,976	6.3	79,709	74,550	5,159	6.5	78,783	73,246	5,537	7.0
Newton	51,537	48,809	2,728	5.3	51,805	48,893	2,912	5.6	49,965	46,863	3,102	6.2
Oconee	18,705	18,002	703	3.8	18,840	18,099	741	3.9	18,211	17,421	790	4.3
Oglethorpe	7,163	6,832	331	4.6	7,190	6,856	334	4.6	6,925	6,586	339	4.9
Paulding	81,626	78,181	3,445	4.2	81,950	78,303	3,647	4.5	78,915	75,109	3,806	4.8
Peach	11,681	11,012	669	5.7	11,749	11,052	697	5.9	11,482	10,711	771	6.7
Pickens	14,826	14,189	637	4.3	14,883	14,216	667	4.5	14,373	13,632	741	5.2
Pierce	8,568	8,169	399	4.7	8,585	8,153	432	5.0	8,371	7,894	477	5.7
Pike	8,779	8,393	386	4.4	8,838	8,416	422	4.8	8,510	8,040	470	5.5
Polk	18,339	17,396	943	5.1	18,504	17,406	1,098	5.9	18,094	16,984	1,110	6.1
Pulaski	4,198	3,980	218	5.2	4,217	3,993	224	5.3	4,099	3,863	236	5.8
Putnam	8,067	7,588	479	5.9	8,106	7,614	492	6.1	7,896	7,326	570	7.2
Quitman	814	760	54	6.6	813	760	53	6.5	797	732	65	8.2
Rabun	6,990	6,664	326	4.7	7,179	6,834	345	4.8	6,822	6,440	382	5.6
Randolph	2,443	2,268	175	7.2	2,430	2,247	183	7.5	2,428	2,207	221	9.1
Richmond	87,920	82,686	5,234	6.0	88,288	82,674	5,614	6.4	85,553	79,631	5,922	6.9
Rockdale	45,084	42,676	2,408	5.3	45,245	42,766	2,479	5.5	43,589	40,999	2,590	5.9
Schley	2,110	1,989	121	5.7	2,120	1,986	134	6.3	2,087	1,947	140	6.7
Screven	5,261	4,932	329	6.3	5,228	4,868	360	6.9	5,190	4,802	388	7.5
Seminole	3,096	2,895	201	6.5	3,105	2,891	214	6.9	3,076	2,827	249	8.1
Spalding	28,612	26,946	1,666	5.8	28,712	26,997	1,715	6.0	27,810	25,867	1,943	7.0
Stephens	11,153	10,536	617	5.5	11,278	10,593	685	6.1	10,993	10,307	686	6.2
Stewart	2,194	2,064	130	5.9	2,198	2,052	146	6.6	2,128	1,991	137	6.4
Sumter	12,783	11,885	898	7.0	12,832	11,854	978	7.6	12,631	11,636	995	7.9
Talbot	2,779	2,612	167	6.0	2,821	2,617	204	7.2	2,755	2,563	192	7.0
Taliaferro	617	581	36	5.8	622	582	40	6.4	596	558	38	6.4
Tattnall	9,513	9,018	495	5.2	9,509	8,989	520	5.5	9,337	8,802	535	5.7
Taylor	2,968	2,742	226	7.6	2,979	2,744	235	7.9	3,638	3,402	236	6.5
Telfair	4,773	4,422	351	7.4	4,739	4,333	406	8.6	4,544	4,166	378	8.3
Terrell	3,694	3,470	224	6.1	3,709	3,482	227	6.1	3,612	3,379	233	6.5
Thomas	17,253	16,208	1,045	6.1	17,246	16,148	1,098	6.4	17,077	15,892	1,185	6.9
Tift	18,723	17,757	966	5.2	18,696	17,687	1,009	5.4	18,374	17,285	1,089	5.9
Toombs	11,581	10,796	785	6.8	11,591	10,778	813	7.0	11,593	10,655	938	8.1
Towns	4,269	4,020	249	5.8	4,026	3,756	270	6.7	4,265	3,968	297	7.0
Treutlen	2,750	2,572	178	6.5	2,825	2,589	236	8.4	2,721	2,501	220	8.1
Troup	37,301	35,609	1,692	4.5	37,496	35,542	1,954	5.2	36,742	34,769	1,973	5.4
Turner	3,234	3,045	189	5.8	3,238	3,045	193	6.0	3,197	2,979	218	6.8
Twiggs	3,009	2,783	226	7.5	3,029	2,790	239	7.9	3,013	2,753	260	8.6
Union	10,942	10,489	453	4.1	10,955	10,484	471	4.3	10,292	9,799	493	4.8
Upton	11,103	10,486	617	5.6	11,137	10,491	646	5.8	11,118	10,380	738	6.6
Walker	30,919	29,483	1,436	4.6	31,238	29,731	1,507	4.8	30,099	28,399	1,700	5.6
Walton	44,504	42,595	1,909	4.3	44,716	42,664	2,052	4.6	43,094	40,912	2,182	5.1
Ware	15,399	14,649	750	4.9	15,404	14,615	789	5.1	15,060	14,188	872	5.8
Warren	2,724	2,569	155	5.7	2,758	2,569	189	6.9	2,689	2,489	200	7.4
Washington	7,196	6,748	448	6.2	7,205	6,732	473	6.6	7,231	6,755	476	6.6
Wayne	11,473	10,833	640	5.6	11,469	10,780	689	6.0	11,413	10,625	788	6.9
Webster	966	890	76	7.9	969	886	83	8.6	951	861	90	9.5
Wheeler	1,737	1,579	158	9.1	1,734	1,562	172	9.9	1,674	1,521	153	9.1
White	14,951	14,339	612	4.1	15,070	14,433	637	4.2	14,557	13,871	686	4.7
Whitfield	46,754	44,368	2,386	5.1	46,988	44,506	2,482	5.3	46,354	43,578	2,776	6.0
Wilcox	2,614	2,450	164	6.3	2,624	2,446	178	6.8	2,793	2,588	205	7.3
Wilkes	4,071	3,850	221	5.4	4,105	3,858	247	6.0	3,952	3,681	271	6.9
Wilkinson	3,672	3,462	210	5.7	3,673	3,453	220	6.0	3,659	3,428	231	6.3
Worth	9,034	8,573	461	5.1	9,067	8,591	476	5.2	8,877	8,320	557	6.3

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