



Middle Georgia

Regional Commission



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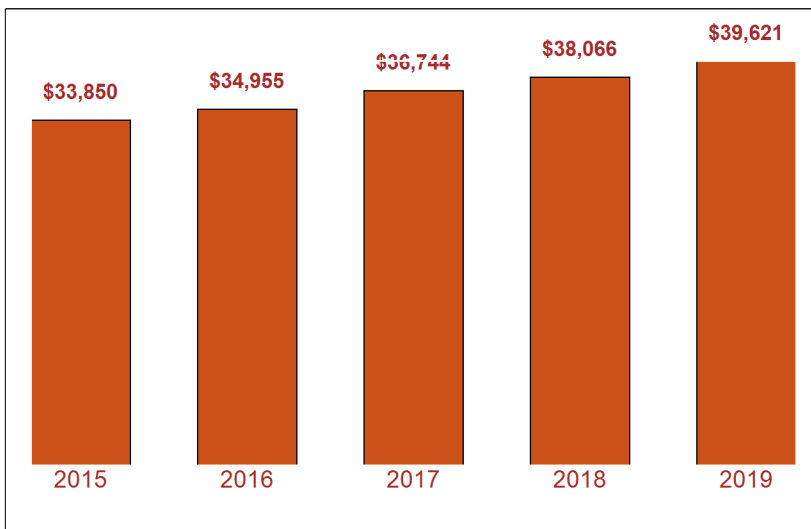
Super Sector Industries

	Establishments			Employment			Weekly Wage		
	2019	2020	% Change	2019	2020	% Change	2019	2020	% Change
Construction	748	801	7.1%	6,167	6,234	1.1%	938	991	5.7%
Education and Health Services	1,341	1,431	6.7%	29,859	28,356	-5.0%	916	984	7.4%
Financial Activities	893	951	6.5%	11,713	11,408	-2.6%	894	954	6.7%
Information	101	94	-6.9%	1,122	794	-29.2%	917	1,056	15.2%
Leisure and Hospitality	1,154	1,197	3.7%	22,916	20,212	-11.8%	301	317	5.3%
Manufacturing	320	340	6.3%	16,892	15,609	-7.6%	1,002	1,005	0.3%
Natural Resources, Mining, and Agriculture	143	147	2.8%	2,995	2,894	-3.4%	1,001	1,024	2.3%
Other Services	795	863	8.6%	3,878	3,716	-4.2%	681	723	6.2%
Professional and Business Services	1,482	1,598	7.8%	21,858	19,983	-8.6%	934	969	3.7%
Trade, Transportation and Utilities	2,334	2,478	6.2%	33,885	32,814	-3.2%	666	708	6.3%
Unclassified	377	379	0.5%	327	241	-26.3%	665	761	14.4%
Government	599	585	-2.3%	48,246	46,807	-3.0%	973	1,006	3.4%
Total	10,287	10,864	5.6%	199,856	189,066	-5.4%	822	864	5.1%

Note: All figures are 3rd Quarter of 2019 and 2020.

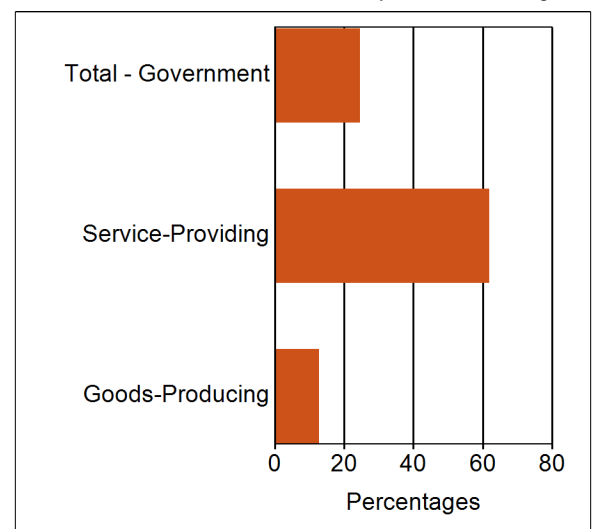
Middle Georgia RC Per Capita Income

Source: U.S. Bureau of Economic Analysis



Industry Mix 2020

Source: See Industry Mix data on Page 2.



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Industry Mix - 3rd Quarter of 2020

	Number OF Firms	Employment		WEEKLY WAGE
		NUMBER	PERCENT	
Goods-Producing	1,288	24,738	13.1	1,003
Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing and Hunting	128	1,612	0.9	816
Mining, Quarrying, and Oil and Gas Extraction	19	1,282	0.7	1,284
Construction	801	6,234	3.3	991
Manufacturing	340	15,609	8.3	1,004
Apparel	5	*	*	*
Beverage and Tobacco Product	3	115	0.1	490
Chemical	25	510	0.3	998
Computer and Electronic Product	7	*	*	*
Electrical Equipment, Appliance, and Component	8	122	0.1	829
Fabricated Metal Product	46	810	0.4	899
Food	30	4,235	2.2	798
Furniture and Related Product	21	161	0.1	692
Machinery	16	332	0.2	1,249
Miscellaneous	32	*	*	*
Nonmetallic Mineral Product	27	1,676	0.9	1,243
Paper	11	1,861	1.0	1,321
Petroleum and Coal Products	3	*	*	*
Plastics and Rubber Products	16	991	0.5	948
Primary Metal	2	*	*	*
Printing and Related Support Activities	28	189	0.1	676
Textile Mills	9	194	0.1	983
Textile Product Mills	9	54	0.0	440
Transportation Equipment	14	2,632	1.4	1,130
Wood Product	28	808	0.4	930
Service-Providing	8,612	117,282	62.0	778
Utilities	27	1,026	0.5	1,654
Wholesale Trade	360	3,604	1.9	1,068
Retail Trade	1,816	23,035	12.2	588
Transportation and Warehousing	275	5,149	2.7	802
Information	94	794	0.4	1,056
Finance and Insurance	566	9,880	5.2	983
Real Estate and Rental and Leasing	385	1,528	0.8	765
Professional, Scientific, and Technical Services	956	8,030	4.2	1,280
Management of Companies and Enterprises	38	1,354	0.7	1,817
Administrative and Support and Waste Management and Remediation Services	604	10,599	5.6	625
Educational Services	84	2,741	1.4	966
Health Care and Social Assistance	1,347	25,615	13.5	985
Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation	126	1,378	0.7	356
Accommodation and Food Services	1,071	18,834	10.0	315
Other Services (except Public Administration)	863	3,716	2.0	723
Unclassified - industry not assigned	379	241	0.1	760
Total - Private Sector	10,279	142,261	75.2	817
Total - Government	585	46,806	24.8	1,006
Federal Government	111	17,391	9.2	1,293
State Government	195	8,687	4.6	822
Local Government	279	20,728	11.0	842
ALL INDUSTRIES	10,864	189,066	100.0	864

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 3rd Quarter of 2020.

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

Labor Force Activity

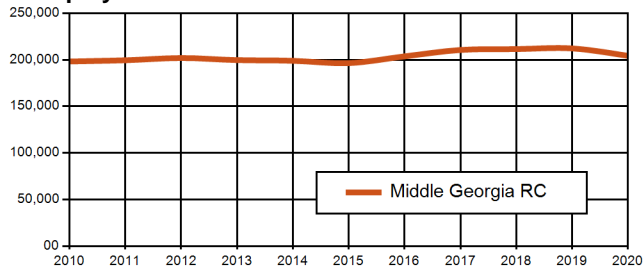
ANNUAL AVERAGES

	Labor Force			Employed			Unemployed			Rate		
	2019	2020	% Change	2019	2020	% Change	2019	2020	% Change	2019	2020	% Change
Baldwin	17,711	17,607	-0.6%	16,941	16,388	-3.3%	770	1,219	58.3%	4.3%	6.9%	60.5%
Bibb	67,991	67,421	-0.8%	65,238	62,371	-4.4%	2,753	5,050	83.4%	4.0%	7.5%	87.5%
Crawford	5,647	5,488	-2.8%	5,438	5,211	-4.2%	209	277	32.5%	3.7%	5.0%	35.1%
Houston	71,213	70,418	-1.1%	68,770	66,769	-2.9%	2,443	3,649	49.4%	3.4%	5.2%	52.9%
Jones	13,757	13,346	-3.0%	13,308	12,737	-4.3%	449	609	35.6%	3.3%	4.6%	39.4%
Monroe	13,028	12,700	-2.5%	12,592	12,050	-4.3%	436	650	49.1%	3.3%	5.1%	54.5%
Peach	11,901	11,814	-0.7%	11,402	11,084	-2.8%	499	730	46.3%	4.2%	6.2%	47.6%
Pulaski	4,066	3,976	-2.2%	3,905	3,797	-2.8%	161	179	11.2%	4.0%	4.5%	12.5%
Putnam	8,326	8,210	-1.4%	7,956	7,671	-3.6%	370	539	45.7%	4.4%	6.6%	50.0%
Twiggs	2,860	2,790	-2.4%	2,698	2,583	-4.3%	162	207	27.8%	5.7%	7.4%	29.8%
Wilkinson	4,053	3,790	-6.5%	3,898	3,587	-8.0%	155	203	31.0%	3.8%	5.4%	42.1%
Middle Georgia RC	220,553	217,560	-1.4%	212,146	204,248	-3.7%	8,407	13,312	58.3%	3.8%	6.1%	60.5%
Georgia	5,148,312	5,072,155	-1.5%	4,966,157	4,741,191	-4.5%	182,155	330,964	81.7%	3.5%	6.5%	85.7%
United States	163,539,000	160,742,000	-1.7%	157,538,000	147,795,000	-6.2%	6,001,000	12,947,000	115.7%	3.7%	8.1%	118.9%

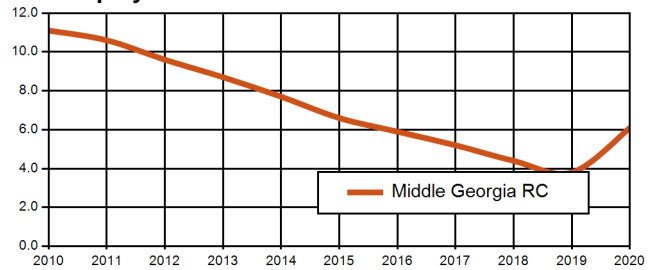
Note: This series reflects the latest information available. Labor Force includes residents of the county who are employed or actively seeking employment.

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

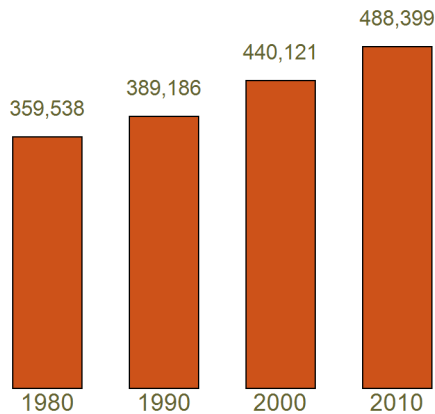
Employment Trends



Unemployment Rate Trends



Population Estimates



Population

	2010 Census	2019 Rank	2019 Estimate	% Change 2010-2019	2025 Projected*	% Change 2010-2025
Houston	139,900	14	157,863	12.8	167,781	19.9
City of Perry	13,839					
Middle Georgia RC	488,399		502,505	2.9	512,690	5.0
Georgia	9,687,653		10,617,423	9.6	11,335,283	17.0
United States	308,745,538		328,239,523	6.3	349,439,199	13.2

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

Top Employers - 2020*

TEN LARGEST EMPLOYERS

Middle Georgia RC

Blue Bird Body Company, Inc.
Frito-Lay, Inc.
GEICO
Georgia Department of Corrections
Georgia Health Holdings, Inc.
Mercer University
Perdue Farms Incorporated
The Kroger Company
The Medical Center of Central Georgia, Inc.
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 Third Quarter of 2020. Employers are listed alphabetically by area, not by the number of employees.

Source: Georgia Department of Labor

SIZE CLASS

Employees	Establishments	Employment
0 - 4	5,832	8,668
5 - 9	1,989	13,263
10 - 19	1,405	19,119
20 - 49	989	29,973
50 - 99	395	27,779
100 - 249	187	28,671
250 - 499	45	15,133
500 - 999	13	8,378
1000 - and over	10	36,135
Total	10,865	187,119

Note: Data shown for the Third Quarter of 2020.

Education of the Labor Force

Middle Georgia RC

PERCENT DISTRIBUTION BY AGE

	PERCENT					
	OF TOTAL	18-24	25-34	35-44	45-64	65+
Elementary	5.3%	2.6%	3.5%	2.9%	4.5%	14.4%
Some High School	13.2%	19.9%	11.6%	8.8%	12.2%	16.1%
High School Grad/GED	33.0%	30.4%	28.9%	34.0%	34.1%	36.2%
Some College	23.2%	36.4%	25.9%	21.8%	20.8%	15.4%
College Grad 2 Yr	6.6%	4.4%	8.5%	9.1%	6.9%	3.2%
College Grad 4 Yr	12.2%	6.0%	16.1%	15.9%	12.7%	8.3%
Post Graduate Studies	6.4%	0.4%	5.6%	7.5%	8.9%	6.4%
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
Baldwin	236	--	236
Bibb	1,176	--	1,176
Crawford	97	--	97
Houston	1,964	--	1,964
Jones	343	--	343
Monroe	278	--	278
Peach	225	--	225
Pulaski	92	--	92
Putnam	168	--	168
Twiggs	63	--	63
Wilkinson	96	--	96
Middle Georgia RC	4,738	--	4,738

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

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Houston

Central Georgia Technical College

www.centralgatech.edu

Georgia Military College (Warner Robins Campus)

www.gmc.edu/about-gmc/warner-robins-campus.cms

Peach

Fort Valley State University

www.fvsu.edu

Baldwin

Georgia College & State University

www.gcsu.edu

Georgia Military College (Milledgeville Campus)

www.gmc.edu/index.cms

Bibb

Mercer University

www.mercer.edu

Middle Georgia State University (Main Campus)

www.mga.edu/

Virginia College (Macon Campus)

www.vc.edu/campus/macon-georgia-college.cfm

Wesleyan College

www.wesleyancollege.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°	200	197	170	-1.5	-13.7
Administrative Assistant and Secretarial Science, General	99	79	71	-20.2	-10.1
Adult Development and Aging	2	3	1	50.0	-66.7
Airframe Mechanics and Aircraft Maintenance Technology/Technician°	84	115	112	36.9	-2.6
Allied Health and Medical Assisting Services, Other°	53	29	56	-45.3	93.1
Autobody/Collision and Repair Technology/Technician°	8	24	8	200.0	-66.7
Automobile/Automotive Mechanics Technology/Technician°	211	248	171	17.5	-31.0

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PROGRAMS	TOTAL GRADUATES			PERCENT CHANGE	
	2018	2019	2020	2018-2019	2019-2020
Banking and Financial Support Services	6	7	5	16.7	-28.6
Barbering/Barber°	39	123	91	215.4	-26.0
Biology Technician/Biotechnology Laboratory Technician	5	5	2	0.0	-60.0
Business Administration and Management, General°	278	358	348	28.8	-2.8
Business/Office Automation/Technology/Data Entry°	6	4	3	-33.3	-25.0
Cabinetmaking and Millwork°	8	6	1	-25.0	-83.3
CAD/CADD Drafting and/or Design Technology/Technician°	7	7	4	0.0	-42.9
Cardiovascular Technology/Technologist	5	7	10	40.0	42.9
Carpentry/Carpenter°	31	74	22	138.7	-70.3
Child Care and Support Services Management°	10	10	21	0.0	110.0
Child Care Provider/Assistant°	176	141	163	-19.9	15.6
Clinical/Medical Laboratory Technician	10	7	7	-30.0	0.0
Computer Installation and Repair Technology/Technician°	501	396	295	-21.0	-25.5
Computer Programming Special Applications°	38	32	34	-15.8	6.3
Computer Programming/Programmer, General	20	11	17	-45.0	54.5
Construction Management	1	6	6	500.0	0.0
Cosmetology/Cosmetologist, General°	241	249	201	3.3	-19.3
Criminal Justice/Police Science°	23	14	16	-39.1	14.3
Criminal Justice/Safety Studies	55	71	75	29.1	5.6
Crisis/Emergency/Disaster Management°	13	1	1	-92.3	0.0
Customer Service Support/Call Center/Teleservice Operation	613	714	363	16.5	-49.2
Data Entry/Microcomputer Applications, General°	76	61	61	-19.7	0.0
Data Processing and Data Processing Technology/Technician°	114	68	51	-40.4	-25.0
Dental Hygiene/Hygienist	31	32	28	3.2	-12.5
Design and Visual Communications, General°	34	72	57	111.8	-20.8
Drafting and Design Technology/Technician, General°	4	8	4	100.0	-50.0
Early Childhood Education and Teaching	86	80	80	-7.0	0.0
Electrical/Electronics Equipment Installation and Repair, General°	59	97	59	64.4	-39.2
Electrician°	42	48	27	14.3	-43.8
Electrocardiograph Technology/Technician°	3	12	9	300.0	-25.0
Emergency Medical Technology/Technician (EMT Paramedic)°	129	179	140	38.8	-21.8
Entrepreneurship/Entrepreneurial Studies°	2	2	6	0.0	200.0
Food Preparation/Professional Cooking/Kitchen Assistant°	75	96	96	28.0	0.0
General Office Occupations and Clerical Services°	84	63	78	-25.0	23.8
Geographic Information Science and Cartography°	2	5	4	150.0	-20.0
Heating, Air Conditioning, Ventilation and Refrigeration Maintenance Technology/°	116	140	156	20.7	11.4
Hospitality Administration/Management, General	7	6	4	-14.3	-33.3

Technical College Graduates - 2020*

PROGRAMS	TOTAL GRADUATES			PERCENT CHANGE	
	2018	2019	2020	2018-2019	2019-2020
Human Resources Management/Personnel Administration, General°	59	66	73	11.9	10.6
Industrial Mechanics and Maintenance Technology°	163	170	229	4.3	34.7
Instrumentation Technology/Technician°	3	12	25	300.0	108.3
Legal Assistant/Paralegal	4	5	2	25.0	-60.0
Licensed Practical/Vocational Nurse Training	98	81	70	-17.3	-13.6
Logistics, Materials, and Supply Chain Management°	66	65	115	-1.5	76.9
Machine Shop Technology/Assistant°	33	49	37	48.5	-24.5
Marketing/Marketing Management, General	11	8	5	-27.3	-37.5
Mechanic and Repair Technologies/Technicians, Other	152	210	321	38.2	52.9
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	45	52	18	15.6	-65.4
Network and System Administration/Administrator°	181	128	114	-29.3	-10.9
Nursing Assistant/Aide and Patient Care Assistant/Aide°	211	151	133	-28.4	-11.9
Pharmacy Technician/Assistant°	12	12	17	0.0	41.7
Phlebotomy Technician/Phlebotomist°	23	34	25	47.8	-26.5
Plumbing Technology/Plumber°	19	27	10	42.1	-63.0
Polysomnography	5	8	1	60.0	-87.5
Professional, Technical, Business, and Scientific Writing°	3	58	15	1833.3	-74.1
Radiologic Technology/Science - Radiographer°	43	38	34	-11.6	-10.5
Rehabilitation and Therapeutic Professions, Other	11	15	9	36.4	-40.0
Renal/Dialysis Technologist/Technician°	60	62	50	3.3	-19.4
Surgical Technology/Technologist°	12	21	19	75.0	-9.5
Teacher Assistant/Aide°	1	4	6	300.0	50.0
Web Page, Digital/Multimedia and Information Resources Design°	34	39	26	14.7	-33.3
Welding Technology/Welder°	350	524	444	49.7	-15.3

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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