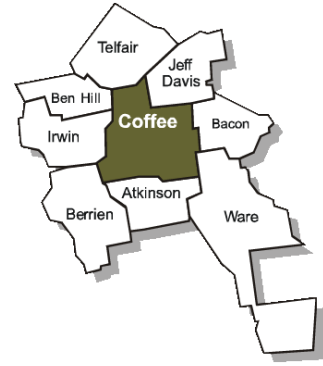




# Coffee

# County



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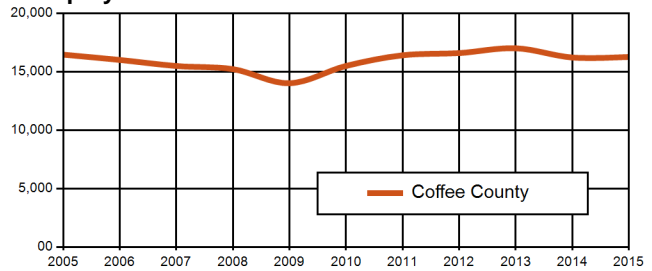
## Area Labor Profile

### Labor Force Activity - 2015

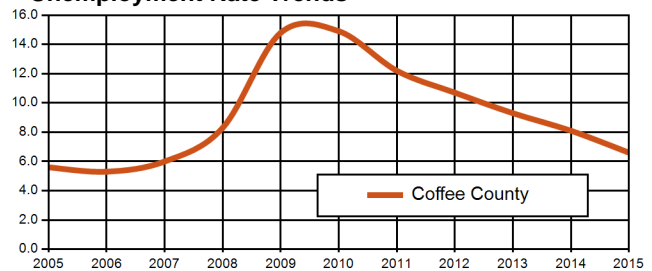
#### 2015 ANNUAL AVERAGES

	Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate
Coffee	17,395	16,253	1,142	6.6%
Atkinson	3,872	3,656	216	5.6%
Bacon	5,033	4,758	275	5.5%
Ben Hill	5,318	4,837	481	9.0%
Berrien	7,010	6,521	489	7.0%
Irwin	3,058	2,809	249	8.1%
Jeff Davis	6,383	5,972	411	6.4%
Telfair	4,877	4,463	414	8.5%
Ware	14,747	13,810	937	6.4%
<b>Coffee Area</b>	<b>67,693</b>	<b>63,079</b>	<b>4,614</b>	<b>6.8%</b>
Georgia	4,770,873	4,490,931	279,942	5.9%
United States	157,129,917	148,833,417	8,296,333	5.3%

#### Employment Trends



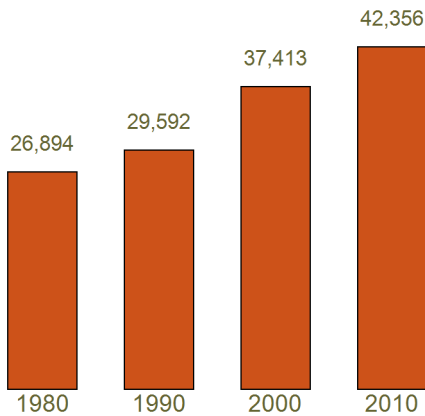
#### Unemployment Rate Trends



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	2015 Rank	2015 Estimate	% Change 2000-2015	2025 Projected*	% Change 2010-2025
<b>Coffee</b>	<b>42,356</b>	<b>97</b>	<b>43,108</b>	<b>1.8</b>	<b>47,236</b>	<b>11.5</b>
City of Douglas	11,589					
<b>Coffee Area</b>	<b>176,165</b>		<b>175,106</b>	<b>-0.6</b>	<b>183,575</b>	<b>4.2</b>
Georgia	9,687,653		10,214,860	5.4	11,538,707	19.1
United States	308,745,538		321,418,820	4.1	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 2016

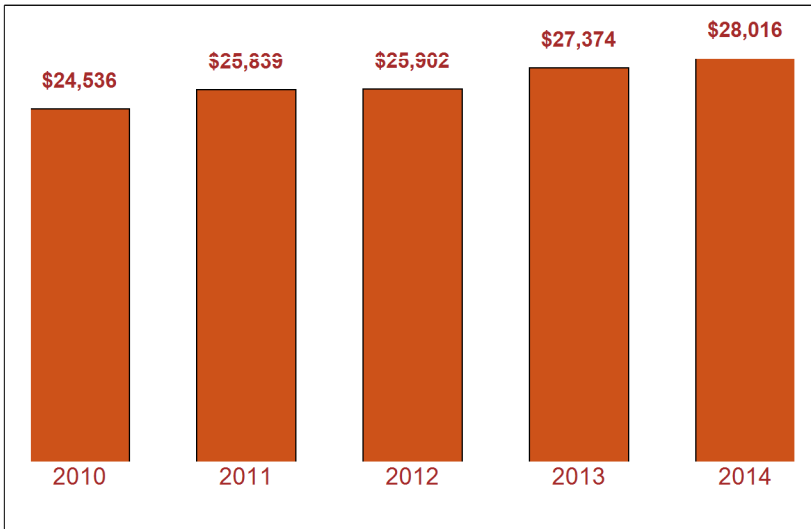
INDUSTRY	Coffee				Coffee Area			
	NUMBER	EMPLOYMENT		WEEKLY	NUMBER	EMPLOYMENT		WEEKLY
	OF FIRMS	NUMBER	PERCENT	WAGE	OF FIRMS	NUMBER	PERCENT	WAGE
<b>Goods-Producing</b>	<b>162</b>	<b>4,464</b>	<b>26.8</b>	<b>692</b>	<b>615</b>	<b>16,245</b>	<b>28.2</b>	<b>659</b>
Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing and Hunting	44	444	2.7	623	184	2,800	4.9	528
Mining, Quarrying, and Oil and Gas Extraction	0	0	0.0	0	3	*	*	*
Construction	67	1,001	6.0	671	223	1,845	3.2	672
Manufacturing	51	3,019	18.1	709	205	11,597	20.2	689
Food	4	*	*	*	18	1,458	2.5	552
Beverage and Tobacco Product	1	*	*	*	4	266	0.5	783
Textile Mills	1	*	*	*	12	978	1.7	663
Textile Product Mills	1	*	*	*	5	52	0.1	507
Wood Product	5	274	1.6	519	32	2,473	4.3	724
Printing and Related Support Activities	3	5	0.0	689	12	61	0.1	516
Chemical	4	*	*	*	8	374	0.6	912
Plastics and Rubber Products	5	14	0.1	640	11	182	0.3	626
Nonmetallic Mineral Product	4	96	0.6	1,137	13	171	0.3	914
Primary Metal	3	*	*	*	4	*	*	*
Fabricated Metal Product	9	419	2.5	744	28	750	1.3	674
Machinery	2	*	*	*	11	1,059	1.8	527
Transportation Equipment	6	766	4.6	756	21	2,817	4.9	728
Miscellaneous	3	7	0.0	406	10	67	0.1	691
Apparel	0	0	0.0	0	1	*	*	*
Leather and Allied Product	0	0	0.0	0	1	*	*	*
Paper	0	0	0.0	0	3	15	0.0	1,269
Furniture and Related Product	0	0	0.0	0	11	485	0.8	688
<b>Service-Providing</b>	<b>710</b>	<b>9,578</b>	<b>57.6</b>	<b>573</b>	<b>2,720</b>	<b>30,190</b>	<b>52.5</b>	<b>574</b>
Utilities	5	*	*	*	19	301	0.5	1,185
Wholesale Trade	44	621	3.7	610	192	1,840	3.2	765
Retail Trade	198	1,936	11.6	482	726	7,065	12.3	488
Transportation and Warehousing	35	1,329	8.0	813	129	2,851	5.0	709
Information	9	92	0.6	516	37	389	0.7	835
Finance and Insurance	56	271	1.6	808	203	1,274	2.2	767
Real Estate and Rental and Leasing	36	117	0.7	515	117	338	0.6	539
Professional, Scientific, and Technical Services	54	283	1.7	692	190	780	1.4	676
Management of Companies and Enterprises	4	69	0.4	841	17	413	0.7	926
Administrative and Support and Waste Management and Remediation Services	29	1,205	7.2	426	118	2,810	4.9	488
Educational Services	4	*	*	*	16	71	0.1	409
Health Care and Social Assistance	95	1,977	11.9	753	327	6,200	10.8	733
Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation	11	105	0.6	217	29	187	0.3	260
Accommodation and Food Services	67	1,218	7.3	244	253	4,265	7.4	252
Other Services (except Public Administration)	63	263	1.6	526	239	1,286	2.2	430
<b>Unclassified - industry not assigned</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>0.2</b>	<b>610</b>	<b>108</b>	<b>119</b>	<b>0.2</b>	<b>545</b>
<b>Total - Private Sector</b>	<b>898</b>	<b>14,075</b>	<b>84.6</b>	<b>611</b>	<b>3,335</b>	<b>46,435</b>	<b>80.7</b>	<b>604</b>
<b>Total - Government</b>	<b>57</b>	<b>2,563</b>	<b>15.4</b>	<b>626</b>	<b>305</b>	<b>11,116</b>	<b>19.3</b>	<b>624</b>
Federal Government	12	112	0.7	855	62	387	0.7	872
State Government	22	753	4.5	650	120	2,835	4.9	640
Local Government	23	1,698	10.2	601	123	7,894	13.7	606
<b>ALL INDUSTRIES</b>	<b>955</b>	<b>16,638</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>614</b>	<b>3,640</b>	<b>57,552</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>608</b>
<b>ALL INDUSTRIES - Georgia</b>					<b>298,099</b>	<b>4,257,675</b>		<b>930</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 2016.

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

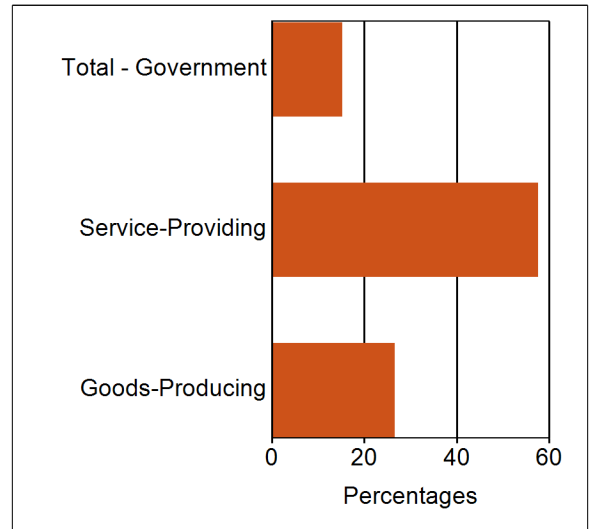
## Coffee Per Capita Income

Source: U.S. Bureau of Economic Analysis



## Coffee Industry Mix 2016

Source: See Industry Mix data on Page 2.



## Top Ten Largest Employers - 2015\*

### Coffee

Coffee Correctional Facility  
 Coffee Regional Medical Center, Inc.  
 Diamond Builders, Inc.  
 Elixir Door & Metals Company  
 Pcc Airfoils, Inc.  
 Pilgrim's Pride Corporation  
 Southwire Company  
 StaffMate  
 Walmart  
 Wing Zone

\*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 2015. Employers are listed alphabetically by area, not by the number of employees.

Source: Georgia Department of Labor

### Coffee Area

Chaparral Boats, Inc.  
 Coffee Regional Medical Center, Inc.  
 Consumer Outdoor Products, Inc.  
 Georgia Department of Corrections  
 Packers Sanitation Services, Inc.  
 Pcc Airfoils, Inc.  
 Pilgrim's Pride Corporation  
 Ponder Enterprises  
 Surgical Associates of Atlanta  
 Walmart

### COUNTY

Berrien  
 Coffee  
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## Commuting Patterns

EMPLOYED RESIDENTS OF			PERSONS WORKING IN		
Coffee			Coffee		
COUNTY WHERE EMPLOYED	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL	COUNTY OF RESIDENCE	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL
Coffee, GA	13,850	86.1	Coffee, GA	13,850	83.4
Atkinson, GA	293	1.8	Atkinson, GA	730	4.4
Ware, GA	225	1.4	Jeff Davis, GA	362	2.2
Bacon, GA	178	1.1	Ware, GA	308	1.9
Irwin, GA	163	1.0	Ben Hill, GA	204	1.2
Ben Hill, GA	139	0.9	Irwin, GA	193	1.2
Jeff Davis, GA	123	0.8	Bacon, GA	174	1.0
Tift, GA	90	0.6	Lanier, GA	109	0.7
Other	1,021	6.3	Other	671	4.0
<b>Total Residents:</b>	<b>16,082</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>Total Residents:</b>	<b>16,601</b>	<b>100.0</b>

Note: Other category represents employment from U.S. counties only.

Source: U.S. Census Bureau - 2010 County-To-County Worker Flow Files.

# Education of the Labor Force

## Coffee Area

	PERCENT OF TOTAL	PERCENT DISTRIBUTION BY AGE				
		18-24	25-34	35-44	45-64	65+
Elementary	9.2%	4.0%	6.5%	6.9%	7.9%	20.4%
Some High School	18.4%	28.7%	19.0%	14.6%	16.0%	19.4%
High School Grad/GED	40.0%	43.2%	37.6%	42.5%	40.7%	35.7%
Some College	16.8%	18.3%	18.2%	17.8%	16.8%	13.4%
College Grad 2 Yr	6.0%	3.5%	7.9%	7.1%	6.9%	3.3%
College Grad 4 Yr	5.5%	1.9%	8.0%	6.4%	5.5%	4.6%
Post Graduate Studies	4.1%	0.5%	2.8%	4.7%	6.2%	3.4%
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+. The "Some College" category represents workers with less than two years of college and no degree.

Source: U.S. Census Bureau - 2010 Decennial Census.

## High School Graduates - 2015

	PUBLIC SCHOOLS	PRIVATE SCHOOLS*	TOTAL
Atkinson	83	--	83
Bacon	141	--	141
Ben Hill	165	--	165
Berrien	208	--	208
Coffee	424	--	424
Irwin	95	--	95
Jeff Davis	165	--	165
Telfair	85	--	85
Ware	310	--	310
<b>Coffee Area</b>	<b>1,676</b>	<b>--</b>	<b>1,676</b>



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

\* Private schools data is not available for 2015 from Georgia Independent School Association.

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

## Coffee Area

### Ware

Coastal Pines Technical College	<a href="http://">http://</a>
Okefenokee Technical College	<a href="http://www.okefenokeetech.edu">www.okefenokeetech.edu</a>
South Georgia State College	<a href="http://www.waycross.edu">www.waycross.edu</a>

### Bacon

Alma Campus (Satellite campus of Coastal Pines Technical College)	<a href="http://www.coastalpinestechicalcollege.org/">www.coastalpinestechicalcollege.org/</a>
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### Jeff Davis

Hazlehurst Campus (Satellite campus of Coastal Pines Technical College)	<a href="http://www.coastalpinestechicalcollege.org/">www.coastalpinestechicalcollege.org/</a>
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### Ben Hill

East Central Technical College	<a href="http://www.eastcentraltech.edu">www.eastcentraltech.edu</a>
Ben Hill-Irwin Campus (Satellite campus of Wiregrass Georgia Technical College)	<a href="http://www.wiregrass.edu">www.wiregrass.edu</a>

### Telfair

Little Ocmulgee Center (Loic) (Satellite campus of Oconee Fall Line Technical College)	<a href="http://www.oftc.edu">www.oftc.edu</a>
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### Coffee

South Georgia State College	<a href="http://www.sgc.edu">www.sgc.edu</a>
Coffee County Campus (Satellite campus of Wiregrass Georgia Technical College)	<a href="http://www.wiregrass.edu">www.wiregrass.edu</a>

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 - 2015\*

PROGRAMS	TOTAL GRADUATES			PERCENT CHANGE	
	2013	2014	2015	2013-2014	2014-2015
Accounting Technology/Technician and Bookkeeping°	35	26	64	-25.7	146.2
Administrative Assistant and Secretarial Science, General	17	21	43	23.5	104.8
Autobody/Collision and Repair Technology/Technician°	6	11	10	83.3	-9.1
Automobile/Automotive Mechanics Technology/Technician°	108	69	145	-36.1	110.1
Child Care Provider/Assistant°	7	4	67	-42.9	1575.0
Clinical/Medical Laboratory Technician	10	6	5	-40.0	-16.7
Computer Installation and Repair Technology/Technician°	17	17	53	0.0	211.8
Cosmetology/Cosmetologist, General°	63	41	125	-34.9	204.9
Criminal Justice/Safety Studies°	63	38	132	-39.7	247.4
Data Entry/Microcomputer Applications, General°	22	5	72	-77.3	1340.0
Data Processing and Data Processing Technology/Technician°	58	56	115	-3.4	105.4
Early Childhood Education and Teaching	11	9	38	-18.2	322.2
Electrical/Electronics Equipment Installation and Repair, General°	28	21	39	-25.0	85.7
Electrician°	41	33	44	-19.5	33.3
Electromechanical and Instrumentation and Maintenance Technologies/Technicians,°	3	9	12	200.0	33.3
Emergency Medical Technology/Technician (EMT Paramedic)°	55	44	45	-20.0	2.3
Food Preparation/Professional Cooking/Kitchen Assistant°	51	38	69	-25.5	81.6
General Office Occupations and Clerical Services°	22	7	48	-68.2	585.7
Heating, Air Conditioning, Ventilation and Refrigeration Maintenance Technology/°	148	129	235	-12.8	82.2
Industrial Mechanics and Maintenance Technology	12	14	20	16.7	42.9
Licensed Practical/Vocational Nurse Training	93	114	190	22.6	66.7
Lineworker°	36	40	88	11.1	120.0
Marketing/Marketing Management, General	2	6	7	200.0	16.7
Mechanic and Repair Technologies/Technicians, Other	7	1	2	-85.7	100.0
Medical/Clinical Assistant	19	2	18	-89.5	800.0
Network and System Administration/Administrator°	28	4	39	-85.7	875.0
Nursing Assistant/Aide and Patient Care Assistant/Aide°	82	144	366	75.6	154.2
Phlebotomy Technician/Phlebotomist°	25	18	48	-28.0	166.7
Respiratory Care Therapy/Therapist	8	9	9	12.5	0.0
Surgical Technology/Technologist°	12	9	22	-25.0	144.4
Surveying Technology/Surveying°	6	6	12	0.0	100.0
Truck and Bus Driver/Commercial Vehicle Operator and Instructor°	53	86	186	62.3	116.3
Welding Technology/Welder°	178	162	396	-9.0	144.4

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 2013, 2014, and 2015.

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

## Active Applicants - Georgia Department of Labor

	TOTAL	Mgt.	Bus. and Finance	Comp. and Arch. Math	Eng. and	Life and Soc. Svcs.	Comm. and Svcs	Legal	Ed. and Training	Arts and Design	Health Prac.	Health Support
Atkinson	69	6	11	0	5	2	0	2	2	4	26	11
Bacon	88	27	0	4	3	7	0	0	10	3	29	5
Ben Hill	116	15	9	0	8	11	2	0	13	1	21	36
Berrien	124	6	10	13	0	5	24	0	16	15	17	18
Coffee	587	53	103	6	15	5	21	0	40	24	141	179
Irwin	69	22	3	0	9	3	0	0	5	2	23	2
Jeff Davis	43	1	5	3	2	3	1	0	11	4	9	4
Telfair	65	2	5	0	3	0	3	0	45	2	0	5
Ware	661	31	25	90	50	7	87	0	66	9	185	111
Subtotal Area	1,822	163	171	116	95	43	138	2	208	64	451	371

## Active Applicants - Georgia Department of Labor (cont.)

	TOTAL	Protect. Svcs.	Food Prep.	Ground Cleaning	Personal Care	Sales	Office Support	Farm. and Forestry	Cons- truction	Installation Main.	Prod.	Trans. and Moving
Atkinson	1,067	0	34	8	13	181	173	136	27	69	207	219
Bacon	1,031	2	37	3	32	82	278	13	57	30	198	299
Ben Hill	1,766	7	56	18	39	170	309	15	59	273	526	294
Berrien	1,439	35	43	6	11	136	388	0	30	178	314	298
Coffee	7,246	115	270	79	119	730	1,117	184	324	460	1,910	1,938
Irwin	912	9	9	5	6	167	269	28	45	10	154	210
Jeff Davis	729	5	23	3	3	62	131	0	21	61	250	170
Telfair	1,021	18	28	11	14	87	195	1	28	30	357	252
Ware	4,377	151	328	102	120	391	1,255	62	264	303	840	561
Subtotal Area	19,588	342	828	235	357	2,006	4,115	439	855	1,414	4,756	4,241

Note: For current applicant data available for a specific occupation, contact the nearest Georgia Department of Labor Career Center.

Source: Georgia Department of Labor (active applicants as of October 2016).

## Georgia Department of Labor Location(s)

### Career Center(s)

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