



Georgia

Area Labor Profile

## Savannah, GA

## Metropolitan Statistical Area



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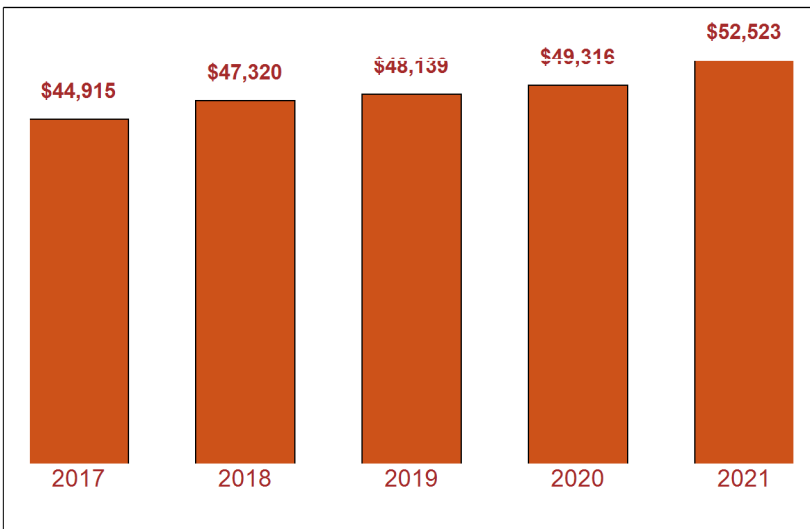
### Super Sector Industries – Quarterly Comparison

	Establishments			Employment			Weekly Wage		
	2021	2022	% Change	2021	2022	% Change	2021	2022	% Change
Construction	875	925	5.7%	7,808	8,652	10.8%	1,309	1,346	2.8%
Education and Health Services	1,178	1,250	6.1%	24,602	25,911	5.3%	1,204	1,228	2.0%
Financial Activities	1,083	1,140	5.3%	6,016	6,087	1.2%	1,605	1,632	1.7%
Information	118	131	11.0%	1,496	1,802	20.5%	1,270	1,031	-18.8%
Leisure and Hospitality	1,473	1,569	6.5%	25,161	26,876	6.8%	504	515	2.2%
Manufacturing	291	322	10.7%	18,230	19,842	8.8%	1,819	1,856	2.0%
Natural Resources, Mining, and Agriculture	52	57	9.6%	293	278	-5.1%	1,050	1,175	11.9%
Other Services	730	778	6.6%	5,396	5,762	6.8%	857	885	3.3%
Professional and Business Services	1,842	1,961	6.5%	24,422	22,903	-6.2%	1,032	1,080	4.7%
Trade, Transportation and Utilities	2,640	2,784	5.5%	48,409	47,543	-1.8%	1,014	1,030	1.6%
Unclassified	833	1,510	81.3%	616	890	44.5%	1,730	1,648	-4.7%
Government	194	194	0.0%	23,209	23,158	-0.2%	1,213	1,215	0.2%
<b>Total</b>	<b>11,309</b>	<b>12,621</b>	<b>11.6%</b>	<b>185,657</b>	<b>189,703</b>	<b>2.2%</b>	<b>1,108</b>	<b>1,131</b>	<b>2.1%</b>

Note: All figures are 4th Quarter of 2021 and 2022.

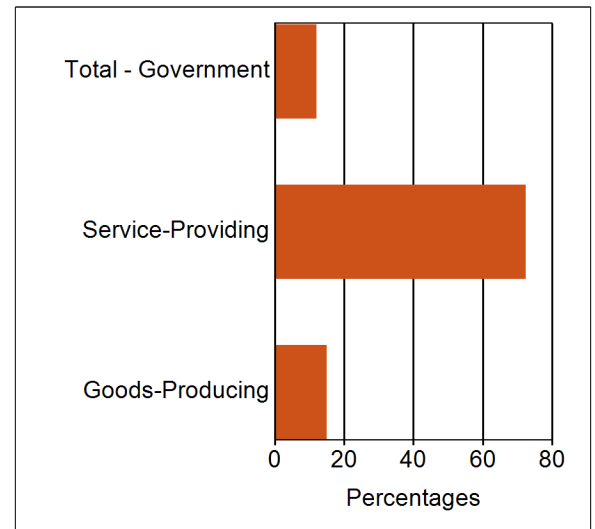
### Savannah, GA Metropolitan Statistical Area Per Capita Income

Source: U.S. Bureau of Economic Analysis



### Savannah, GA Industry Mix 2022

Source: See Industry Mix data on Page 2.



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# Industry Mix - 4th Quarter of 2022

	Number OF Firms	Employment		WEEKLY WAGE
		NUMBER	PERCENT	
<b>Goods-Producing</b>	<b>1,304</b>	<b>28,772</b>	<b>15.2</b>	<b>1,696</b>
Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing and Hunting	51	223	0.1	1,169
Mining, Quarrying, and Oil and Gas Extraction	6	55	0.0	1,202
Construction	925	8,652	4.6	1,346
Manufacturing	76	1,965	1.0	1,388
Apparel	4	*	*	*
Beverage and Tobacco Product	10	140	0.1	828
Chemical	30	881	0.5	2,600
Computer and Electronic Product	7	50	0.0	1,272
Electrical Equipment, Appliance, and Component	7	422	0.2	1,379
Fabricated Metal Product	42	1,037	0.5	1,572
Food	46	1,101	0.6	1,682
Furniture and Related Product	16	223	0.1	1,100
Leather and Allied Product	3	*	*	*
Machinery	17	1,097	0.6	1,528
Miscellaneous	23	206	0.1	1,023
Nonmetallic Mineral Product	33	889	0.5	1,444
Paper	11	2,187	1.2	1,691
Petroleum and Coal Products	4	391	0.2	1,776
Plastics and Rubber Products	6	73	0.0	887
Primary Metal	1	*	*	*
Printing and Related Support Activities	16	305	0.2	769
Textile Mills	5	*	*	*
Textile Product Mills	8	52	0.0	1,440
Transportation Equipment	21	9,836	5.2	2,140
Wood Product	12	278	0.1	1,324
<b>Service-Providing</b>	<b>9,613</b>	<b>136,884</b>	<b>72.2</b>	<b>995</b>
Utilities	20	657	0.3	1,779
Wholesale Trade	474	6,382	3.4	1,631
Retail Trade	610	11,375	6.0	942
Transportation and Warehousing	568	11,165	5.9	1,232
Information	131	1,802	0.9	1,031
Finance and Insurance	523	3,205	1.7	1,970
Real Estate and Rental and Leasing	617	2,882	1.5	1,256
Professional, Scientific, and Technical Services	1,134	6,477	3.4	1,639
Management of Companies and Enterprises	55	773	0.4	1,656
Administrative and Support and Waste Management and Remediation Services	772	15,653	8.3	820
Educational Services	92	3,786	2.0	1,326
Health Care and Social Assistance	1,158	22,125	11.7	1,212
Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation	202	2,477	1.3	606
Accommodation and Food Services	1,367	24,399	12.9	505
Other Services (except Public Administration)	778	5,762	3.0	885
<b>Unclassified - industry not assigned</b>	<b>1,510</b>	<b>890</b>	<b>0.5</b>	<b>1,648</b>
<b>Total - Private Sector</b>	<b>12,427</b>	<b>166,544</b>	<b>87.8</b>	<b>1,120</b>
<b>Total - Government</b>	<b>194</b>	<b>23,159</b>	<b>12.2</b>	<b>1,215</b>
Federal Government	66	2,817	1.5	1,570
State Government	74	4,607	2.4	1,467
Local Government	54	15,735	8.3	1,078
<b>ALL INDUSTRIES</b>	<b>12,621</b>	<b>189,703</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>1,131</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 4th Quarter of 2022.

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

# Annual Labor Force Activity – 2022

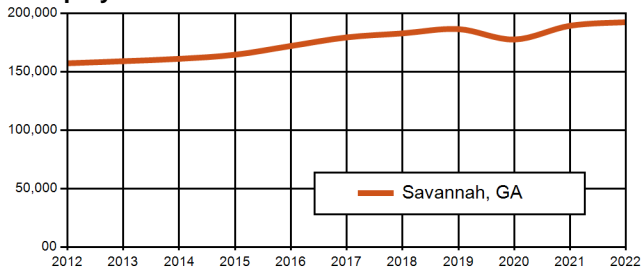
## ANNUAL AVERAGES

	Labor Force			Employed			Unemployed			Rate		
	2021	2022	% Change	2021	2022	% Change	2021	2022	% Change	2021	2022	% Change
Bryan	19,894	20,150	1.3%	19,321	19,627	1.6%	573	523	-8.7%	2.9%	2.6%	-10.3%
Chatham	143,877	144,226	0.2%	137,644	139,858	1.6%	6,233	4,368	-29.9%	4.3%	3.0%	-30.2%
Effingham	33,266	33,678	1.2%	32,292	32,818	1.6%	974	860	-11.7%	2.9%	2.6%	-10.3%
<b>Savannah, GA Metropolitan Statistical Area</b>	<b>197,037</b>	<b>198,054</b>	<b>0.5%</b>	<b>189,257</b>	<b>192,303</b>	<b>1.6%</b>	<b>7,780</b>	<b>5,751</b>	<b>-26.1%</b>	<b>3.9%</b>	<b>2.9%</b>	<b>-25.6%</b>
Georgia	5,186,969	5,234,275	0.9%	4,983,732	5,075,093	1.8%	203,237	159,182	-21.7%	3.9%	3.0%	-23.1%
United States	161,204,000	164,287,000	1.9%	152,581,000	158,291,000	3.7%	8,623,000	5,996,000	-30.5%	5.3%	3.6%	-32.1%

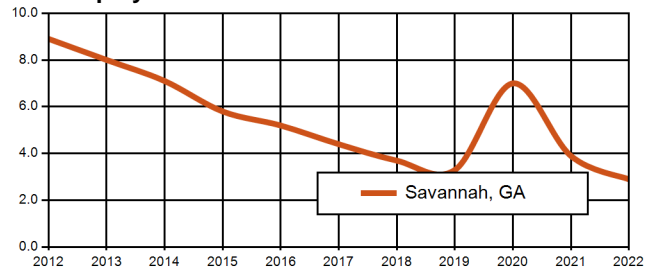
Note: This series reflects the latest information available. Labor Force includes residents of the county who are employed or actively seeking employment.

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

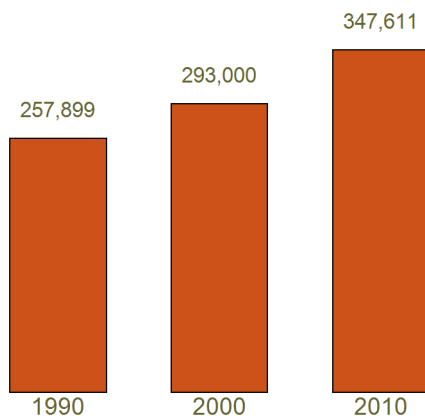
### Employment Trends



### Unemployment Rate Trends



### Population Estimates



### Population

	2010 Census	2021 Rank	2021 Estimate	% Change 2010-2021	2025 Projected*	% Change 2010-2025
<b>Chatham</b>	<b>265,128</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>296,329</b>	<b>11.8</b>	<b>303,392</b>	<b>14.4</b>
<b>Savannah, GA</b>	<b>347,611</b>		<b>410,008</b>	<b>18.0</b>	<b>422,779</b>	<b>21.6</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.

# Top Employers - 2022\*

## TEN LARGEST EMPLOYERS

### Savannah, GA Metropolitan Statistical Area

Candler Hospital, Inc.  
 Gateway Terminals, LLC  
 Gulfstream Aerospace Corp  
 Gulfstream Services Corporation  
 Publix Super Markets, Inc.  
 Savannah College of Art and Design  
 Savannah Health Services, LLC  
 St. Joseph's Hospital, Inc.  
 The Kroger Company  
 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 Fourth Quarter of 2022. Employers are listed alphabetically by area, not by the number of employees.

Source: Georgia Department of Labor

## SIZE CLASS

Employees	Establishments	Employment
0 - 4	7,657	9,424
5 - 9	1,891	12,568
10 - 19	1,394	19,010
20 - 49	1,095	33,136
50 - 99	352	24,130
100 - 249	226	33,758
250 - 499	43	14,883
500 - 999	15	9,725
1000 - and over	11	30,886
<b>Total</b>	<b>12,684</b>	<b>187,520</b>

Note: Data shown for the Fourth Quarter of 2022.

# Education of the Labor Force

## Savannah, GA

### PERCENT DISTRIBUTION BY AGE

	PERCENT					
	OF TOTAL	18-24	25-34	35-44	45-64	65+
Elementary	3.5%	1.4%	2.1%	2.5%	2.4%	10.8%
Some High School	10.5%	18.2%	9.3%	6.8%	8.3%	13.3%
High School Grad/GED	31.6%	32.8%	26.7%	31.7%	33.6%	32.2%
Some College	23.5%	35.1%	23.2%	22.1%	21.5%	17.5%
College Grad 2 Yr	7.1%	5.3%	8.8%	7.9%	7.9%	4.3%
College Grad 4 Yr	15.9%	6.8%	22.2%	20.0%	16.1%	12.1%
Post Graduate Studies	7.9%	0.2%	7.7%	9.1%	10.2%	9.8%
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 - 2022

	PUBLIC SCHOOLS	PRIVATE SCHOOLS*	TOTAL
Bryan	698	--	698
Chatham	1,998	--	1,998
Effingham	788	--	788
<b>Savannah, GA</b>	<b>3,484</b>	<b>--</b>	<b>3,484</b>



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

\* Private schools data is not available for 2022 from Georgia Independent School Association.

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

# Colleges and Universities

## Savannah, GA Metropolitan Statistical Area

### Chatham

Georgia Institute of Technology (Savannah Campus)	<a href="http://pe.gatech.edu/savannah-campus">pe.gatech.edu/savannah-campus</a>
Georgia Southern University (Armstrong Campus)	<a href="http://www.armstrong.edu">www.armstrong.edu</a>
Savannah Law School	<a href="http://www.savannahlawschool.org/">www.savannahlawschool.org/</a>
Savannah State University	<a href="http://www.savannahstate.edu/">www.savannahstate.edu/</a>
Savannah Technical College	<a href="http://www.savannahtech.edu">www.savannahtech.edu</a>
Savannah College of Art and Design	<a href="http://www.scad.edu">www.scad.edu</a>
South University–Savannah Online	<a href="http://www.southuniversity.edu/online#location=online%20programs">www.southuniversity.edu/online#location=online%20programs</a>
South University-Savannah	<a href="http://www.southuniversity.edu/savannah#lid-84">www.southuniversity.edu/savannah#lid-84</a>
Strayer University (Savannah Campus)	<a href="http://www.strayer.edu/georgia/savannah">www.strayer.edu/georgia/savannah</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 - 2022\*

PROGRAMS	TOTAL GRADUATES			PERCENT CHANGE	
	2020	2021	2022	2020-2021	2021-2022
Accounting Technology/Technician and Bookkeeping	27	25	28	-7.4	12.0
Administrative Assistant and Secretarial Science, General	20	14	12	-30.0	-14.3
Aircraft Powerplant Technology/Technician°	89	56	36	-37.1	-35.7
Airframe Mechanics and Aircraft Maintenance Technology/Technician°	171	91	84	-46.8	-7.7
Allied Health and Medical Assisting Services, Other°	86	155	148	80.2	-4.5
Automobile/Automotive Mechanics Technology/Technician°	234	171	227	-26.9	32.7
Avionics Maintenance Technology/Technician°	19	49	37	157.9	-24.5
Barbering/Barber	14	14	11	0.0	-21.4
Business Administration and Management, General°	42	70	29	66.7	-58.6
Cabinetmaking and Millwork°	8	7	13	-12.5	85.7
CAD/CADD Drafting and/or Design Technology/Technician°	10	2	13	-80.0	550.0
Carpentry/Carpenter°	21	12	17	-42.9	41.7
Child Care and Support Services Management°	12	8	3	-33.3	-62.5
Child Care Provider/Assistant°	70	59	49	-15.7	-16.9
Computer and Information Systems Security/Information Assurance°	25	30	54	20.0	80.0
Computer Installation and Repair Technology/Technician°	27	23	39	-14.8	69.6
Cosmetology/Cosmetologist, General°	162	101	147	-37.7	45.5
Criminal Justice/Police Science°	36	41	27	13.9	-34.1
Criminal Justice/Safety Studies°	116	53	68	-54.3	28.3
Culinary Arts/Chef Training	15	23	30	53.3	30.4
Data Processing and Data Processing Technology/Technician°	31	10	8	-67.7	-20.0
Dental Assisting/Assistant	15	11	8	-26.7	-27.3
Dental Hygiene/Hygienist	25	20	20	-20.0	0.0
Early Childhood Education and Teaching	28	36	29	28.6	-19.4

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PROGRAMS	TOTAL GRADUATES			PERCENT CHANGE	
	2020	2021	2022	2020-2021	2021-2022
Electrical, Electronic and Communications Engineering Technology/Technician	7	9	2	28.6	-77.8
Electrician <sup>o</sup>	24	31	9	29.2	-71.0
Emergency Medical Technology/Technician (EMT Paramedic) <sup>o</sup>	32	29	28	-9.4	-3.4
Fire Science/Fire-fighting <sup>o</sup>	13	10	1	-23.1	-90.0
Food Preparation/Professional Cooking/Kitchen Assistant <sup>o</sup>	39	35	37	-10.3	5.7
Health Services/Allied Health/Health Sciences, General <sup>o</sup>	36	49	72	36.1	46.9
Heating, Air Conditioning, Ventilation and Refrigeration Maintenance Technology/ <sup>o</sup>	80	49	49	-38.8	0.0
Human Resources Management/Personnel Administration, General <sup>o</sup>	34	25	16	-26.5	-36.0
Industrial Mechanics and Maintenance Technology <sup>o</sup>	88	41	63	-53.4	53.7
Legal Assistant/Paralegal	15	14	7	-6.7	-50.0
Licensed Practical/Vocational Nurse Training	12	17	27	41.7	58.8
Logistics, Materials, and Supply Chain Management <sup>o</sup>	12	11	2	-8.3	-81.8
Machine Shop Technology/Assistant <sup>o</sup>	26	2	9	-92.3	350.0
Marketing/Marketing Management, General	11	6	9	-45.5	50.0
Medical Insurance Coding Specialist/Coder <sup>o</sup>	34	56	42	64.7	-25.0
Medical Office Assistant/Specialist <sup>o</sup>	47	45	32	-4.3	-28.9
Medical/Clinical Assistant	9	20	10	122.2	-50.0
Nail Technician/Specialist and Manicurist <sup>o</sup>	10	20	21	100.0	5.0
Network and System Administration/Administrator <sup>o</sup>	35	29	28	-17.1	-3.4
Nursing Assistant/Aide and Patient Care Assistant/Aide <sup>o</sup>	83	233	266	180.7	14.2
Surgical Technology/Technologist <sup>o</sup>	16	18	19	12.5	5.6
Truck and Bus Driver/Commercial Vehicle Operator and Instructor <sup>o</sup>	172	176	72	2.3	-59.1
Welding Technology/Welder <sup>o</sup>	350	341	415	-2.6	21.7

Definition: All graduates except those listed as technical certificates(<sup>o</sup>) 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 2020, 2021, and 2022.

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

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