



## Area Labor Profile

# Lumpkin

# County



Updated: Dec 2016

## Labor Force Activity - 2015

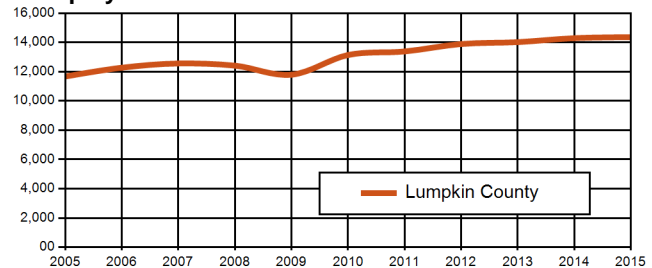
### 2015 ANNUAL AVERAGES

	Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate
Lumpkin	15,170	14,360	810	5.3%
Dawson	10,918	10,376	542	5.0%
Fannin	10,094	9,484	610	6.0%
Hall	92,277	87,894	4,383	4.7%
Union	9,786	9,278	508	5.2%
White	13,740	13,042	698	5.1%
<b>Lumpkin Area</b>	<b>151,985</b>	<b>144,434</b>	<b>7,551</b>	<b>5.0%</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%

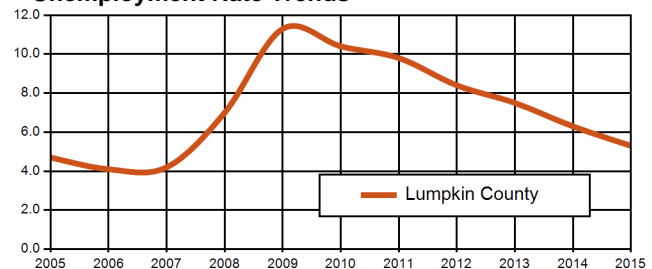
Note: This series reflects the latest information available. Labor Force includes residents of the county who are employed or actively seeking employment.

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

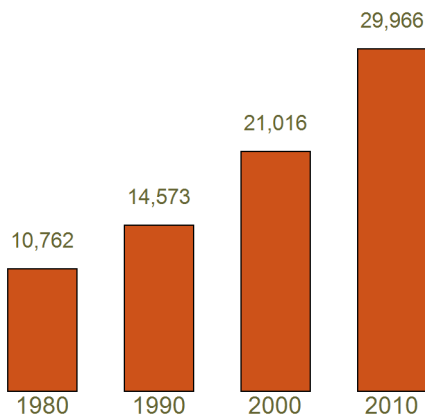
### Employment Trends



### Unemployment Rate Trends



### Population Estimates



### Population

	2010 Census	2015 Rank	2015 Estimate	% Change 2000-2015	2025 Projected*	% Change 2010-2025
Lumpkin	29,966	118	31,408	4.8	35,539	18.6
City of Dahlonega	5,242					
<b>Lumpkin Area</b>	<b>304,162</b>		<b>323,144</b>	<b>6.2</b>	<b>369,199</b>	<b>21.4</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

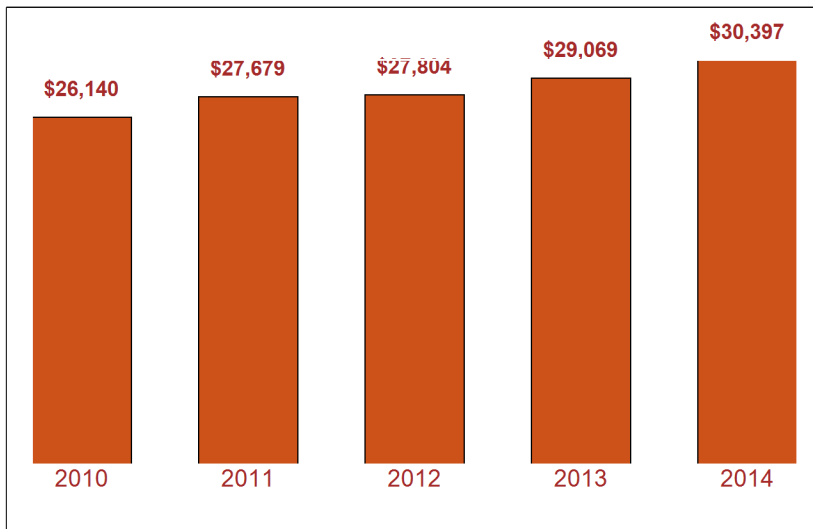
INDUSTRY	Lumpkin				Lumpkin Area			
	NUMBER OF FIRMS	EMPLOYMENT		WEEKLY WAGE	NUMBER OF FIRMS	EMPLOYMENT		WEEKLY WAGE
		NUMBER	PERCENT			NUMBER	PERCENT	
<b>Goods-Producing</b>	<b>98</b>	<b>1,075</b>	<b>14.9</b>	<b>807</b>	<b>1,348</b>	<b>28,149</b>	<b>23.9</b>	<b>812</b>
Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing and Hunting	6	28	0.4	515	58	663	0.6	722
Mining, Quarrying, and Oil and Gas Extraction	2	*	*	*	9	50	0.0	1,377
Construction	63	270	3.8	832	875	5,263	4.5	867
Manufacturing	27	765	10.6	800	406	22,173	18.8	801
Food	2	*	*	*	50	10,718	9.1	653
Beverage and Tobacco Product	2	*	*	*	17	363	0.3	854
Textile Product Mills	2	*	*	*	9	99	0.1	407
Apparel	1	*	*	*	3	*	*	*
Wood Product	2	*	*	*	22	539	0.5	589
Printing and Related Support Activities	1	*	*	*	30	373	0.3	1,111
Petroleum and Coal Products	1	*	*	*	3	14	0.0	1,110
Chemical	1	*	*	*	19	903	0.8	1,143
Plastics and Rubber Products	1	*	*	*	19	806	0.7	804
Nonmetallic Mineral Product	1	*	*	*	29	216	0.2	821
Fabricated Metal Product	3	*	*	*	59	1,441	1.2	956
Transportation Equipment	2	*	*	*	21	2,334	2.0	1,006
Furniture and Related Product	4	13	0.2	508	28	205	0.2	701
Miscellaneous	4	*	*	*	43	541	0.5	867
Paper	0	0	0.0	0	3	26	0.0	873
Primary Metal	0	0	0.0	0	5	487	0.4	1,031
Electrical Equipment, Appliance, and Component	0	0	0.0	0	6	*	*	*
Computer and Electronic Product	0	0	0.0	0	6	143	0.1	916
Textile Mills	0	0	0.0	0	6	520	0.4	656
Machinery	0	0	0.0	0	28	1,960	1.7	1,001
<b>Service-Providing</b>	<b>414</b>	<b>3,820</b>	<b>53.1</b>	<b>505</b>	<b>6,290</b>	<b>72,342</b>	<b>61.4</b>	<b>720</b>
Utilities	4	27	0.4	746	17	255	0.2	1,277
Wholesale Trade	20	197	2.7	1,024	457	5,310	4.5	1,030
Retail Trade	73	895	12.4	470	1,140	15,730	13.4	501
Transportation and Warehousing	16	93	1.3	708	242	3,345	2.8	833
Information	7	*	*	*	79	702	0.6	1,123
Finance and Insurance	26	104	1.4	928	399	2,888	2.5	1,182
Real Estate and Rental and Leasing	24	41	0.6	491	329	908	0.8	782
Professional, Scientific, and Technical Services	48	172	2.4	644	686	2,467	2.1	949
Management of Companies and Enterprises	1	*	*	*	34	1,312	1.1	2,308
Administrative and Support and Waste Management and Remediation Services	25	148	2.1	480	435	5,416	4.6	548
Educational Services	5	*	*	*	56	1,749	1.5	606
Health Care and Social Assistance	64	651	9.0	673	811	16,074	13.7	912
Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation	7	64	0.9	361	130	1,416	1.2	1,040
Accommodation and Food Services	58	1,317	18.3	295	625	12,031	10.2	303
Other Services (except Public Administration)	36	73	1.0	573	487	2,278	1.9	534
<b>Unclassified - industry not assigned</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>0.6</b>	<b>896</b>	<b>363</b>	<b>461</b>	<b>0.4</b>	<b>732</b>
<b>Total - Private Sector</b>	<b>543</b>	<b>4,937</b>	<b>68.6</b>	<b>574</b>	<b>7,638</b>	<b>100,491</b>	<b>85.4</b>	<b>746</b>
<b>Total - Government</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>2,263</b>	<b>31.4</b>	<b>726</b>	<b>261</b>	<b>17,241</b>	<b>14.6</b>	<b>717</b>
Federal Government	4	73	1.0	1,034	48	725	0.6	1,069
State Government	12	*	*	*	98	4,057	3.4	749
Local Government	6	971	13.5	614	115	12,459	10.6	686
<b>ALL INDUSTRIES</b>	<b>565</b>	<b>7,199</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>622</b>	<b>7,899</b>	<b>117,733</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>741</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.

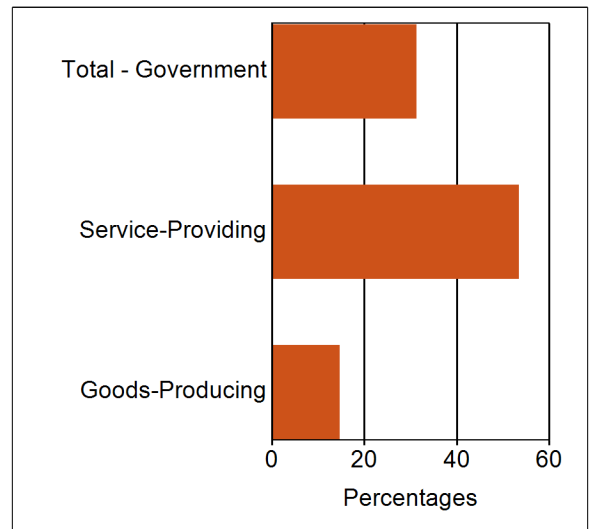
## Lumpkin Per Capita Income

Source: U.S. Bureau of Economic Analysis



## Lumpkin Industry Mix 2016

Source: See Industry Mix data on Page 2.



## Top Ten Largest Employers - 2015\*

### Lumpkin

Captain D's, LLC  
 Chestatee Regional Hospital  
 Dress Up Boutique  
 Goldcity Convalescent Center  
 Koyo Bearings USA, LLC  
 Refrigiwear  
 The Home Depot  
 The Louver Shop  
 University Of North Georgia  
 Wal-Mart

\*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

### Lumpkin Area

Cottrell, Inc.  
 Fieldale Further Processing  
 Kubota Manufacturing of America Corporation  
 Mar-Jac Poultry  
 Northeast Georgia Medical Center, Inc.  
 Northeast Georgia Physicians Group  
 Pilgrim's Pride Corporation  
 University of North Georgia  
 Victory Processing, LLC  
 Walmart

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## Commuting Patterns

### EMPLOYED RESIDENTS OF

#### Lumpkin

COUNTY WHERE EMPLOYED	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL
Lumpkin, GA	6,480	49.7
Hall, GA	1,777	13.6
Forsyth, GA	1,244	9.5
Dawson, GA	1,240	9.5
Fulton, GA	701	5.4
Gwinnett, GA	291	2.2
DeKalb, GA	282	2.2
White, GA	273	2.1
Other	763	5.8
<b>Total Residents:</b>	<b>13,051</b>	<b>100.0</b>

### PERSONS WORKING IN

#### Lumpkin

COUNTY OF RESIDENCE	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL
Lumpkin, GA	6,480	71.0
Hall, GA	689	7.5
Dawson, GA	529	5.8
White, GA	442	4.8
Forsyth, GA	234	2.6
Gwinnett, GA	178	1.9
Duval, FL	145	1.6
Pickens, GA	71	0.8
Other	361	4.0
<b>Total Residents:</b>	<b>9,129</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

## Lumpkin Area

	PERCENT OF TOTAL	PERCENT DISTRIBUTION BY AGE				
		18-24	25-34	35-44	45-64	65+
Elementary	8.9%	5.4%	10.0%	9.3%	6.9%	13.9%
Some High School	13.0%	21.7%	13.3%	11.5%	10.1%	13.8%
High School Grad/GED	33.0%	33.9%	32.8%	32.6%	33.6%	31.5%
Some College	21.2%	31.9%	21.5%	18.7%	20.7%	17.2%
College Grad 2 Yr	5.7%	3.2%	5.7%	7.3%	6.9%	3.5%
College Grad 4 Yr	11.6%	3.8%	11.7%	13.9%	13.1%	11.4%
Post Graduate Studies	6.6%	0.1%	4.9%	6.7%	8.7%	8.6%
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
Dawson	252	--	252
Fannin	180	--	180
Hall	2,107	--	2,107
Lumpkin	218	--	218
Union	180	--	180
White	565	--	565
<b>Lumpkin Area</b>	<b>3,502</b>	<b>--</b>	<b>3,502</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.

# Colleges and Universities

## Lumpkin Area

### Dawson

Southern Catholic College	<a href="http://www.southerncatholic.org/">http://www.southerncatholic.org/</a>
Dawson Campus (Satellite campus of Lanier Technical College)	<a href="http://www.laniertech.edu">www.laniertech.edu</a>
Southern Catholic College	<a href="http://www.southerncatholic.org">www.southerncatholic.org</a>

### Hall

Brenau University	<a href="http://www.brenau.edu">www.brenau.edu</a>
University of North Georgia	<a href="http://www.gsc.edu">www.gsc.edu</a>
Lanier Technical College	<a href="http://www.laniertech.edu">www.laniertech.edu</a>
Oakwood Campus (Satellite campus of Lanier Technical College)	<a href="http://www.laniertech.edu">www.laniertech.edu</a>

### Union

Blairsville Campus (Satellite campus of North Georgia Technical College)	<a href="http://www.northgatech.edu">www.northgatech.edu</a>
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### Lumpkin

University of North Georgia	<a href="http://www.northgeorgia.edu">www.northgeorgia.edu</a>
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### White

Truett-McConnell College	<a href="http://www.truett.edu">www.truett.edu</a>
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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°	96	101	184	5.2	82.2
Administrative Assistant and Secretarial Science, General	35	28	38	-20.0	35.7
Aesthetician/Esthetician and Skin Care Specialist°	16	21	43	31.3	104.8
Allied Health and Medical Assisting Services, Other°	22	20	22	-9.1	10.0
Autobody/Collision and Repair Technology/Technician°	13	24	46	84.6	91.7
Automobile/Automotive Mechanics Technology/Technician°	55	102	145	85.5	42.2
Business Administration and Management, General°	35	40	117	14.3	192.5
CAD/CADD Drafting and/or Design Technology/Technician°	8	11	11	37.5	0.0
Child Care and Support Services Management°	2	2	1	0.0	-50.0
Child Care Provider/Assistant°	88	98	156	11.4	59.2
Clinical/Medical Laboratory Technician	6	9	5	50.0	-44.4
Computer Installation and Repair Technology/Technician°	9	19	47	111.1	147.4
Cosmetology/Cosmetologist, General°	111	113	260	1.8	130.1
Criminal Justice/Safety Studies°	51	17	74	-66.7	335.3
Data Entry/Microcomputer Applications, General°	19	18	46	-5.3	155.6
Data Processing and Data Processing Technology/Technician°	23	25	30	8.7	20.0
Dental Assisting/Assistant	14	12	26	-14.3	116.7
Design and Visual Communications, General°	9	6	17	-33.3	183.3
Drafting and Design Technology/Technician, General°	15	8	12	-46.7	50.0
Early Childhood Education and Teaching°	42	38	57	-9.5	50.0

# Technical College Graduates - 2015\*

PROGRAMS	TOTAL GRADUATES			PERCENT CHANGE	
	2013	2014	2015	2013-2014	2014-2015
Electrical and Power Transmission Installation/Installer, General°	12	10	16	-16.7	60.0
Electrician°	11	6	31	-45.5	416.7
Emergency Medical Technology/Technician (EMT Paramedic)°	48	64	121	33.3	89.1
Entrepreneurship/Entrepreneurial Studies°	3	1	9	-66.7	800.0
Fire Prevention and Safety Technology/Technician°	1	2	6	100.0	200.0
Fire Science/Fire-fighting°	9	15	12	66.7	-20.0
Fire Services Administration	1	2	13	100.0	550.0
Graphic Design°	2	4	1	100.0	-75.0
Health Services/Allied Health/Health Sciences, General°	16	14	39	-12.5	178.6
Heating, Air Conditioning, Ventilation and Refrigeration Maintenance Technology/°	26	34	50	30.8	47.1
Industrial Mechanics and Maintenance Technology°	79	79	127	0.0	60.8
Interior Design°	3	6	45	100.0	650.0
Licensed Practical/Vocational Nurse Training	53	26	72	-50.9	176.9
Machine Shop Technology/Assistant°	41	53	57	29.3	7.5
Marketing/Marketing Management, General	5	1	6	-80.0	500.0
Medical Insurance Coding Specialist/Coder°	6	4	3	-33.3	-25.0
Medical Office Assistant/Specialist°	43	33	36	-23.3	9.1
Medical Office Management/Administration	8	5	19	-37.5	280.0
Medical/Clinical Assistant	125	105	168	-16.0	60.0
Network and System Administration/Administrator°	28	30	72	7.1	140.0
Nursing Assistant/Aide and Patient Care Assistant/Aide°	144	132	230	-8.3	74.2
Phlebotomy Technician/Phlebotomist°	15	15	13	0.0	-13.3
Radiologic Technology/Science - Radiographer	17	17	13	0.0	-23.5
Retailing and Retail Operations°	3	1	7	-66.7	600.0
Surgical Technology/Technologist	13	14	21	7.7	50.0
Web Page, Digital/Multimedia and Information Resources Design°	2	10	6	400.0	-40.0
Welding Technology/Welder°	118	123	211	4.2	71.5

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.	Life and Soc. Svcs.	Comm. and Svcs	Legal	Ed. and Training	Arts and Design	Health Prac.	Health Support
Dawson	319	56	31	63	38	8	14	2	31	31	30	15
Fannin	935	121	64	210	62	7	19	0	85	64	202	101
Hall	1,958	262	139	421	158	9	128	18	352	169	160	142
Lumpkin	264	42	0	31	21	0	9	2	47	45	43	24
Union	532	153	30	58	31	10	28	8	5	34	98	77
White	385	185	3	63	11	3	1	0	10	13	34	62
Subtotal Area	4,393	819	267	846	321	37	199	30	530	356	567	421

## 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
Dawson	1,056	1	45	6	15	267	343	1	30	83	139	126
Fannin	4,001	28	265	123	68	599	1,100	22	192	296	560	748
Hall	7,003	219	230	115	182	512	1,704	55	432	682	1,846	1,026
Lumpkin	1,042	4	41	27	47	205	211	8	82	87	170	160
Union	2,370	34	124	43	24	305	824	0	154	132	314	416
White	2,232	14	156	70	50	260	439	19	73	185	629	337
Subtotal Area	17,704	300	861	384	386	2,148	4,621	105	963	1,465	3,658	2,813

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)

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