

DEMOGRAPHIC PROFILE

	CLARKE CO.	GEORGIA TOTAL	Avg. Co. in GA
<u>AGRICULTURE</u>			
Total Farm Gate Value of production, 2007	\$32,785,386	\$11,566,159,994	\$72,743,145
Total Farm Gate Value per farm	\$315,244	\$234,555	\$226,929
Total Farm Gate value per acre of farm land	\$2,322	\$1,076	\$1,265
Poultry/eggs value	\$2,947,392	\$5,432,743,528	\$34,168,198
Row/forage crops value	\$601,488	\$1,681,026,208	\$10,572,492
Livestock/aquaculture value	\$4,886,338	\$1,334,564,863	\$8,393,490
Forestry & products value	\$187,500	\$597,031,464	\$3,754,915
Vegetables value	\$35,915	\$894,853,190	\$5,628,007
Ornamental horticulture value	\$23,749,500	\$770,185,915	\$4,843,937
Fruits & nuts value	\$13,290	\$241,603,601	\$1,519,520
Other income value	\$363,963	\$614,151,225	\$3,862,586
Farm production expenses, 2006	\$12,089,000	\$5,521,880,000	\$34,728,805
Net farm proprietor's income, 2006	\$356,000	\$1,099,755,000	\$6,916,698
Number of farms, 2002	104	49,311	310
% change in number of farms, 1997-2002	5.1	-0.1	0.9
Land in farms, acres, 2002	14,121	10,744,239	67,574
% of farmers working 200+ days off farm, 2002	48.1	39.8	40.3
Average farm size in acres, 2002	136	218	244
Harvested cropland, acres, 2002	2,094	3,245,784	20,414
Acres of irrigated farm land, 2004	362	1,546,756	9,728
<u>CRIME</u>			
Index crimes reported, 2007	6,358	399,828	2,515
Index crime rate per 100,000	5,574.1	4,189.0	2,742.7
Arrests for index crimes, 2007	2,039	95,687	602
% juvenile arrests	22.2	21.5	16.5
Arrest rate per 100,000	1,787.6	1,002.5	782.5
Juvenile commitment rate per 1,000 (age 10-16), FY2008	6.76	3.00	2.39
State prison inmates' home county, 2008	495	52,626	301
% incarcerated for violent/sex crimes	63.4	57.6	56.0
Probationers county of conviction, 2008	1,319	151,828	933
<u>ECONOMICS</u>			
Deposits in financial institutions, 2008	\$2,154,167,000	\$197,551,532,000	\$1,242,462,465
Bankruptcy filings per 1,000 population, 2007	2.7	5.4	5.3
Gross tax digest 40% value of assessed property, 2007	\$3,685,355,684	\$373,343,929,153	\$2,348,075,026
Taxes levied, 2007	\$110,411,637	\$10,610,667,784	\$66,733,760
Millage rate, county-wide, 2007	33.050	--	26.858
Total lottery sales, FY2008	\$38,686,178	\$3,514,014,116	\$22,100,718
Per capita lottery sales	\$339	\$368	\$429
Median household income, 2005 model-based estimate	\$30,627	\$45,564	\$37,147
Persons below poverty level, 2005 model-based estimate	27,551	1,271,409	7,996
% of all persons	29.0	14.5	18.7
% of children 0-17	27.6	20.3	26.1
Families living below poverty level, % in 1999	14.8	9.9	13.5
Per capita income, 2006	\$23,921	\$32,095	\$25,483
Total personal income, 2006	\$2,671,791,000	\$299,834,187,000	\$1,885,749,604
Transfer receipts, 2006	\$425,053,000	\$40,804,551,000	\$256,632,396
Transfer receipts as a % of total personal income	15.9	13.6	22.5
Per capita transfer receipts	\$3,806	\$4,368	\$5,469
Total retail sales, 2007	\$2,002,248,000	\$144,522,794,000	\$908,948,390
Pull factor (1 = average)	1.75	1.00	0.87
<u>EDUCATION--Public School Systems, (County/City combined) 2006-07</u>			
Total enrollment	11,281	1,589,839	9,994
% Black	55.4	39.6	36.9
% White	20.4	45.2	54.3
% Hispanic	18.1	9.3	5.6
% Asian	2.4	2.8	1.0
% students absent > 15 days	10.2	10.0	10.7
% qualifying for free/reduced lunch	69.6	50.3	59.2
% of students retained in grade	7.9	4.3	4.6
% students in gifted program	10.7	8.7	6.3
% students with disabilities	15.3	11.7	12.9
General Fund Expenditures per pupil	\$9,724	\$7,816	\$7,748
Number of high school dropouts (grades 9-12)	262	21,100	133
High school dropout rate per 100 enrolled	7.6	4.1	4.9
Total graduates	428	77,829	489
% of grads with college prep. diploma	69.2	74.5	61.3
Class of 2007 percent completion	58.4	72.3	69.8
% of teachers with advanced degrees	56.6	56.3	56.9
Total recipients of HOPE Scholarships, FY2008	3,078	203,035	1,277
HOPE \$ awards	\$10,184,662	\$454,844,539	\$2,860,657

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<u>EDUCATION--Highest Level Completed (Age 25+) 2000</u>			
% NOT completing high school	19.0	21.4	29.3
% high school graduate (includes GED)	21.6	28.7	34.9
% some college and/or associate degree	19.6	25.6	21.8
% Bachelor's degree	20.9	16.0	8.9
% Graduate or professional degree	18.9	8.3	5.1
<u>GOVERNMENT</u>			
Date of county creation	Dec. 5, 1801	--	--
Total direct Federal government expenditures, FY2006	\$665,408,587	\$64,550,610,284	\$385,865,659
% Defense spending	5.2	18.9	8.0
Total registered voters as of 11/1/08	59,560	5,201,450	32,714
% registered voting for President in 2008 General Election	76.4	75.4	74.3
<u>HEALTH</u>			
Disability, % age 21-64, 2000	16.3	19.9	23.8
Disability, % age 65+, 2000	44.0	47.5	50.7
Licensed child day care facilities, 2008	29	3,043	19
General hospitals, 2006	2	149	1
General nursing homes, SFY07	4	359	2
STD rate per 100,000 pop., 2007	861.8	663.7	624.4
Medicare payments, 2006	\$91,336,000	\$9,445,676,000	\$59,406,767
Total practicing physicians, 2006	355	18,422	116
Persons per physician ratio	308.0	494.5	1,581.7
<u>HOUSING / HOUSEHOLDS</u>			
Private residential units authorized for construction, 2007	993	73,165	460
Value of construction	\$88,181,385	\$10,438,569,144	\$65,651,378
Total housing units, 2007 estimate	49,962	3,961,474	24,914.9
% change 2000-07	18.6	20.7	28.8
Housing unit density per sq. mi. of land area	413.6	68.4	74.7
% mobile homes of total housing units, 2000	6.5	12.0	25.5
% owner-occupied of total housing units, 2000	42.0	67.5	73.9
Median value of owner-occupied units, 2000	\$111,300	\$111,200	\$81,599
Total families, 2000	19,678	2,111,647	13,281
% with own children <18	45.3	49.8	47.3
% married couples	65.8	73.3	73.4
% female householder, no husband present	26.9	20.6	20.7
% female h/holder, no husband, w/children <18	15.9	12.2	11.9
Total households, 2000	39,706	3,006,369	18,908
# persons per household	2.35	2.65	2.64
<u>LABOR</u>			
Civilian labor force, 2007	64,024	4,814,831	30,282
Average annual unemployment rate, 2007	4.1	4.4	4.9
Average # of business establishments, 2007	3,162	274,350	1,534
Average monthly employment, 2007	66,162	4,076,363	25,035
Average weekly wage, all industries, 2007	\$679	\$811	\$575
Residents' mean travel time to work in minutes, 2000	18.6	27.7	26.4
% of residents working outside of county, 2000	19.1	41.5	45.5
% of residents who drove alone to work, 2000	75.1	77.5	77.1
% change in residents who drove alone, 1990-2000	20.4	24.8	26.0
% of workforce coming into county from elsewhere, 2000	41.0	41.8	33.1
<u>NATURAL RESOURCES</u>			
Total area in square miles, 2000 Census	121.3	59,424.8	373.7
Rank of size, 1=highest (1-159)	159	--	--
Acres of forestland, 2007	32,485	24,896,839	156,584
Forestland as a % of land use area	35.7	65.5	64.3
Net volume of live trees on timberland, cubic ft., 2007	45,761,503	38,712,292,418	243,473,537
Water withdrawals (gallons per day), 2000	18,820,000	6,486,580,000	40,798,491
Public use per capita in gallons per day	187.8	185.1	189.8
Water use for irrigation (millions of gal/day)	0.00	1,092.16	7
Hazardous waste sites, 2008	7	499	3
Toxic chemical releases (pounds per year), 2006	531,302	129,964,479	817,387
<u>POPULATION</u>			
Metropolitan county in 2008?	YES	--	--
Total, 2007 estimate	114,063	9,544,750	60,030
Rank of population size, 1=highest (1-159)	18	--	--
% change in total, 2000-07	12.4	16.6	9.9
Rank of % change in total, 2000-07	48	--	--
Growth rate by natural increase, 1 yr. 2006-07	8.6	8.3	5.3
Growth rate by net migration, 1 yr. 2006-07	12.5	13.3	6.6
% change in total population, 1930-2007	345.3	228.2	210.0
Rank of % change, 1=highest (1-159)	26	--	--

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Persons per square mile, 2007 estimate	944.3	164.8	189.6
Rank of population density, 1=highest (1-159)	6	--	--
% urban, 2000	91.3	71.7	36.4
% rural, 2000	8.7	28.3	63.6
Total, 2010 Trend (Center for Agribusiness) rev 3/08	119,104	10,105,155	63,554
Total, 2010 projection (GA Office of Planning & Budget)	110,647	9,864,970	62,044
Total, 2015 projection (GA Office of Planning & Budget)	115,870	10,813,573	68,010
% Black alone, 2007 estimate	25.4	30.0	28.1
% White alone, 2007 estimate	69.4	65.6	69.8
% Other races alone, 2007 estimate	3.86	3.24	1.3
% Hispanic/Latino, 2007 estimate	8.9	7.8	4.8
% Age 65 and over, 2007 estimate	8.3	9.9	12.5
Median age, Total, 2007 estimate	26.6	34.7	35.8
Religion--churches/synagogues/mosques/temples, 2000	68	8,962	56
Adherents as % of population	35.9	44.8	43.9
Total civilian veterans, 2008 estimate	6,031	769,567	4,840
<u>PUBLIC ASSISTANCE</u>			
Child abuse cases investigated, 2007	417	43,766	275
% of child abuse cases substantiated	42.7	45.4	47.4
Substantiated child maltreatment victims, 2007	297	32,951	207
Maltreatment rate per 1,000 children <18	14.9	13.4	19.7
Child Welfare, adoptions, SFY2007	6	1227	8
Food stamp average # of recipients, SFY2007	10,372	947,146	5,957
Food stamp recipients % of population	9.1	9.9	13.5
Medicaid average # of recipients, SFY2007	22,275	2,177,092	13,692
Medicaid recipients % of population	19.5	22.8	28.3
TANF average # of recipients, SFY2007	511	47,395	298
TANF recipients % of population	0.4	0.5	0.6
OASDI (Social Security) recipients % of pop., 12/2007	11.4	13.7	18.1
SSI (Supplemental Security Income) % of pop., 12/2007	2.1	2.2	3.3
<u>TRANSPORTATION</u>			
Total highway mileage (12/31/07), 2008	588.5	117,536.6	739
% unpaved	1.6	24.4	28.1
Daily Vehicle miles traveled (12/31/07), 2008	2,731,323	305,327,543	1,920,299.0
Registered motor vehicles (as of 8/31//08)	75,646	8,548,425	53,761
Motor vehicle crashes, 2000-2006	38,785	2,320,522	14,594.5
Rate per 100 million vehicle miles traveled	551.6	306.7	184.4
Motor vehicle crash fatalities, 2000-2006	76	11,435	71.9
Rate per 100 million vehicle miles traveled	1.1	1.5	1.8
% restraint usage in traffic crashes (age 6 or >), 2006	84.9	80.9	78.8
% restraint usage in traffic crashes (< age 6), 2006	67.7	65.0	59.8
Housing units with no vehicles available, 2000	3,355	248,546	1,563
<u>VITAL STATISTICS, 2006 (Rate not shown when number of events is >0 and <5)</u>			
Live births, total	1,599	148,403	933
Live birth rate (per 1,000 population)	14.2	15.8	14.6
Live births to unwed mothers, total	771	62,887	396
% Unwed births of total live births	48.2	42.4	46.7
% Unwed births to teen mothers of all births	10.9	10.0	12.3
Low weight births, total (< 2500 grams)	156	14,209	89
% Low weight of total live births	9.8	9.6	10.2
Induced terminations, total	392	27,642	174
Induced termination rate (per 1,000 fem. age 15-44)	11.0	13.5	--
Teen Pregnancies, total	252	22,561	142
Teen pregnancy rate (per 1,000 fem. age 10-19)	21.7	34.5	38.4
Deaths, total	574	67,079	422
Death rate (per 100,000 population)	5.1	7.2	9.2
Infant deaths, total	6	1,198	8
<u>VITAL STATISTICS, 10-Yr. CUMULATIVE RATES, 1997-2006</u>			
Live birth rate (per 1,000 population)	13.1	15.7	14.4
Live births to unwed mothers rate (per 100 live births)	43.9	38.2	42.4
Low birth weight rate (per 100 live births)	9.0	9.0	9.5
Induced termination rate (per 1,000 females age 15-44)	14.7	15.3	8.5
Teen pregnancy rate (per 1,000 females age 10-19)	29.5	38.6	41.3
Death rate (per 100,000 population)	599.0	754.1	953.3
Infant death rate (per 1,000 live births)	8.5	8.4	9.4
Suicide rate (per 100,000 population)	10.0	10.6	--
Homicide rate (per 100,000 population)	7.1	7.8	--

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