

DEMOGRAPHIC PROFILE

| | WALTON CO. | GEORGIA TOTAL | Avg. Co. in GA |
|---|-----------------|---------------------|-------------------|
| <u>AGRICULTURE</u> | | | |
| Total Farm Gate Value of production, 2008 | \$43,398,986 | \$11,922,405,911 | \$74,983,685 |
| Total Farm Gate Value per farm | \$88,569 | \$249,183 | \$238,628 |
| Total Farm Gate value per acre of farm land | \$808 | \$1,175 | \$1,463 |
| Poultry/eggs value | \$17,044,913 | \$5,651,535,758 | \$35,544,250 |
| Row/forage crops value | \$2,687,061 | \$2,009,762,474 | \$12,640,016 |
| Livestock/aquaculture value | \$7,200,884 | \$1,263,728,965 | \$7,947,981 |
| Forestry & products value | \$1,323,025 | \$570,838,261 | \$3,590,178 |
| Vegetables value | \$84,892 | \$849,037,686 | \$5,339,860 |
| Ornamental horticulture value | \$14,425,436 | \$695,986,551 | \$4,377,274 |
| Fruits & nuts value | \$73,812 | \$267,729,337 | \$1,683,832 |
| Other income value | \$558,962 | \$613,786,879 | \$3,860,295 |
| Farm production expenses, 2007 | \$39,138,000 | \$5,999,216,000 | \$37,730,918 |
| Net farm proprietor's income, 2007 | \$8,831,000 | \$1,240,892,000 | \$7,804,352 |
| Number of farms, 2007 | 490 | 47,846 | 301 |
| % change in number of farms, 2002-2007 | -27.8 | -3.0 | -1.2 |
| Land in farms, acres, 2007 | 53,696 | 10,150,539 | 63,840 |
| % of farmers working 200+ days off farm, 2007 | 38.4 | 39.9 | 40.1 |
| Average farm size in acres, 2007 | 110 | 212 | 225 |
| Harvested cropland, acres, 2007 | 9,211 | 3,390,437 | 21,324 |
| Acres of irrigated farm land, 2008 | 800 | 1,446,754 | 9,099 |
| <u>CRIME</u> | | | |
| Index crimes reported, 2008 | 2,375 | 418,025 | 2,646 |
| Index crime rate per 100,000 | 2,767.6 | 4,315.9 | 3,025.7 |
| Arrests for index crimes, 2008 | 805 | 107,241 | 710 |
| % juvenile arrests | 19.1 | 22.3 | 17.1 |
| Arrest rate per 100,000 | 938.1 | 1,107.2 | 878.1 |
| Juvenile commitment rate per 1,000 (age 10-16), FY2009 | 2.70 | 2.96 | 2.22 |
| State prison inmates' home county, 2009 | 353 | 53,163 | 303 |
| % incarcerated for violent/sex crimes | 56.9 | 59.3 | 57.0 |
| Probationers county of conviction, 2009 | 1,743 | 159,258 | 985 |
| <u>ECONOMICS</u> | | | |
| Deposits in financial institutions, 2009 | \$848,170,000 | \$198,546,005,000 | \$1,248,717,013 |
| Bankruptcy filings per 1,000 population, 2008 | 6.1 | 6.5 | 6.3 |
| Gross tax digest 40% value of assessed property, 2008 | \$3,315,767,023 | \$338,247,553,569** | \$2,127,343,104** |
| Taxes levied, 2008 | \$92,791,918 | \$8,975,713,109 | \$56,451,026 |
| Millage rate, county-wide, 2008 | 32.48 | -- | 30.49 |
| Total lottery sales, FY2009 | \$31,355,783 | \$3,662,866,404 | \$23,036,896 |
| Per capita lottery sales | \$365 | \$378 | \$440 |
| Median household income, 2008 model-based estimate | \$54,479 | \$50,834 | \$41,186 |
| Persons below poverty level, 2008 model-based estimate | 10,524 | 1,388,959 | 8,736 |
| % of all persons | 12.4 | 14.7 | 19.1 |
| % of children 0-17 | 16.9 | 20.2 | 26.7 |
| Families living below poverty level, % in 1999 | 8.0 | 9.9 | 13.5 |
| Per capita income, 2007 | \$29,232 | \$33,499 | \$26,299 |
| Total personal income, 2007 | \$2,424,753,000 | \$319,018,383,000 | \$2,006,404,925 |
| Transfer receipts, 2007 | \$369,773,000 | \$43,595,241,000 | \$274,183,906 |
| Transfer receipts as a % of total personal income | 15.2 | 13.7 | 23.1 |
| Per capita transfer receipts | \$4,458 | \$4,578 | \$5,770 |
| Total retail sales, 2008 | \$1,057,770,000 | \$152,968,024,000 | \$962,063,044 |
| Pull factor (1 = average) | 0.72 | 1.00 | 0.87 |
| <u>EDUCATION--Public School Systems, (County Systems only) 2007-08</u> | | | |
| Total FTE enrollment | 12,357 | 1,609,681 | 9,362 |
| % Black | 22.4 | 39.5 | 36.2 |
| % White | 69.1 | 44.5 | 54.5 |
| % Hispanic | 3.4 | 9.8 | 5.8 |
| % Asian | 1.7 | 2.9 | 1.0 |
| % students absent > 15 days | 10.1 | 9.5 | 10 |
| % economically disadvantaged | 38.8 | 51.0 | 60 |
| % of students retained in grade | 4.5 | 4.1 | 4.3 |
| % students in gifted program | 10.9 | 9.0 | 6.6 |
| % students with disabilities | 9 | 11 | 12 |
| General Fund Expenditures per pupil | \$8,369 | \$8,428 | \$8,301 |
| Number of high school dropouts (grades 9-12) | 176 | 18,960 | 106 |
| High school dropout rate per 100 enrolled | 4.7 | 3.6 | 4.2 |
| Total graduates | 612 | 83517 | 491 |
| % of grads with college prep. diploma | 70.6 | 75.4 | 61.8 |
| Class of 2008 percent completion | 78.4 | 75.4 | 72.7 |
| % of teachers with advanced degrees | 62.0 | 57.6 | 58.2 |
| Total recipients of HOPE Scholarships, FY2009 | 944 | 217,978 | 1,368 |
| HOPE \$ awards | \$2,182,949 | \$522,917,080 | \$3,275,482 |

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| <u>EDUCATION--Highest Level Completed (Age 25+) 2000</u> | | | |
| % NOT completing high school | 26.5 | 21.4 | 29.3 |
| % high school graduate (includes GED) | 35.6 | 28.7 | 34.9 |
| % some college and/or associate degree | 24.8 | 25.6 | 21.8 |
| % Bachelor's degree | 8.9 | 16.0 | 8.9 |
| % Graduate or professional degree | 4.1 | 8.3 | 5.1 |
| <u>GOVERNMENT</u> | | | |
| Date of county creation | Dec. 15, 1818 | -- | -- |
| Total direct Federal government expenditures, FY2008 | \$391,022,963 | \$74,164,642,401 | \$425,664,325 |
| % Defense spending | 6.1 | 19.1 | 8.3 |
| Total registered voters as of 11/4/08 | 47,567 | 5,198,971 | 32,698 |
| % registered voting for President in 2008 General Election | 75.7 | 75.5 | 74.4 |
| <u>HEALTH</u> | | | |
| Disability, % age 21-64, 2000 | 19.3 | 19.9 | 23.8 |
| Disability, % age 65+, 2000 | 49.3 | 47.5 | 50.7 |
| Licensed child day care facilities, 2009 | 16 | 3,097 | |
| General hospitals, 2007 | 1 | 149 | |
| General nursing homes, SFY08 | 3 | 354 | |
| STD rate per 100,000 pop., 2008 | 354.3 | 633.4 | 596.9 |
| Medicare payments, 2007 | \$109,541,000 | \$10,105,248,000 | \$63,555,019 |
| Total practicing physicians, 2006 | 60 | 18,422 | 116 |
| Persons per physician ratio | 1,259.1 | 494.5 | 1,581.7 |
| <u>HOUSING / HOUSEHOLDS</u> | | | |
| Private residential units authorized for construction, 2008 | 185 | 35,519 | 223 |
| Value of construction | \$24,194,834 | \$4,956,641,616 | \$31,173,847 |
| Total housing units, 2008 estimate | 32,309 | 4,026,082 | 25,321.3 |
| % change 2000-08 | 43.6 | 22.7 | 15.5 |
| Housing unit density per sq. mi. of land area | 98.2 | 69.5 | 79.7 |
| % mobile homes of total housing units, 2000 | 11.9 | 12.0 | 25.5 |
| % owner-occupied of total housing units, 2000 | 76.5 | 67.5 | 73.9 |
| Median value of owner-occupied units, 2000 | \$113,300 | \$111,200 | \$81,599 |
| Total families, 2000 | 16,995 | 2,111,647 | 13,281 |
| % with own children <18 | 49.2 | 49.8 | 47.3 |
| % married couples | 78.6 | 73.3 | 73.4 |
| % female householder, no husband present | 16.1 | 20.6 | 20.7 |
| % female h/holder, no husband, w/children <18 | 9.4 | 12.2 | 11.9 |
| Total households, 2000 | 21,307 | 3,006,369 | 18,908 |
| # persons per household | 2.82 | 2.65 | 2.64 |
| <u>LABOR</u> | | | |
| Civilian labor force, 2008 | 41,395 | 4,847,650 | 30,488 |
| Average annual unemployment rate, 2008 | 6.5 | 6.2 | 6.9 |
| Average # of business establishments, 2008 | 1,843 | 276,063 | 1,572 |
| Average monthly employment, 2008 | 19,398 | 4,029,673 | 24,656 |
| Average weekly wage, all industries, 2008 | \$640 | \$819 | \$589 |
| Residents' mean travel time to work in minutes, 2000 | 33.5 | 27.7 | 26.4 |
| % of residents working outside of county, 2000 | 61.4 | 41.5 | 45.5 |
| % of residents who drove alone to work, 2000 | 79.1 | 77.5 | 77.1 |
| % change in residents who drove alone, 1990-2000 | 76.8 | 24.8 | 26.0 |
| % of workforce coming into county from elsewhere, 2000 | 30.1 | 41.8 | 33.1 |
| <u>NATURAL RESOURCES</u> | | | |
| Total area in square miles, 2000 Census | 330.1 | 59,424.8 | 373.7 |
| Rank of size, 1=highest (1-159) | 88 | -- | -- |
| Acres of forestland, 2008 | 133,029 | 24,825,352 | 156,134 |
| Forestland as a % of land use area | 57.9 | 65.3 | 64.1 |
| Net volume of live trees on timberland, cubic ft., 2008 | 289,256,752 | 39,499,721,725 | 248,425,923 |
| Water withdrawals (gallons per day), 2005 | 10,750,000 | 5,471,470,000 | 34,411,761 |
| Public use per capita in gallons per day | 127.3 | 157.9 | 173.7 |
| Water use for irrigation (millions of gal/day) | 2.68 | 751.64 | 5 |
| Hazardous waste sites, 2009 | 7 | 533 | 3 |
| Toxic chemical releases (pounds per year), 2008 | 13,554 | 104,580,923 | 658,000 |
| <u>POPULATION</u> | | | |
| Metropolitan county in 2009? | YES | -- | -- |
| Total, 2008 estimate | 85,813 | 9,685,744 | 60,917 |
| Rank of population size, 1=highest (1-159) | 28 | -- | -- |
| % change in total, 2000-08 | 41.4 | 18.3 | 11.2 |
| Rank of % change in total, 2000-08 | 8 | -- | -- |
| Growth rate by natural increase, 1 yr. 2007-08 | 7.6 | 8.3 | 5.3 |
| Growth rate by net migration, 1 yr. 2007-08 | 27.7 | 8.7 | 5.9 |
| % change in total population, 1930-2008 | 306.4 | 233.0 | 214.8 |
| Rank of % change, 1=highest (1-159) | 30 | -- | -- |

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| Persons per square mile, 2008 estimate | 260.7 | 167.3 | 192.4 |
| Rank of population density, 1=highest (1-159) | 28 | -- | -- |
| % urban, 2000 | 42.2 | 71.7 | 36.4 |
| % rural, 2000 | 57.8 | 28.3 | 63.6 |
| Total, 2010 Trend (Center for Agribusiness) rev 3/09 | 91,958 | 10,050,139 | 63,208 |
| Total, 2015 projection (GA Office of Planning & Budget) | 107,321 | 10,961,128 | 68,938 |
| % Black alone, 2008 estimate | 15.5 | 30.0 | 28.1 |
| % White alone, 2008 estimate | 82.2 | 65.4 | 69.7 |
| % Other races alone, 2008 estimate | 1.36 | 3.31 | 1.3 |
| % Hispanic/Latino, 2008 estimate | 3.2 | 8.0 | 5.0 |
| % Age 65 and over, 2008 estimate | 11.6 | 10.1 | 12.8 |
| Median age, Total, 2008 estimate | 34.6 | 34.9 | 36.0 |
| Religion--churches/synagogues/mosques/temples, 2000 | 58 | 8,962 | 56 |
| Adherents as % of population | 31.7 | 44.8 | 43.9 |
| Total civilian veterans, 2009 estimate | 6,077 | 772,832 | 4,861 |
| <u>PUBLIC ASSISTANCE</u> | | | |
| Child abuse cases investigated, 2008 | 370 | 30,600 | 192 |
| % of child abuse cases substantiated | 37.0 | 53.3 | 58.4 |
| Substantiated child maltreatment victims, 2008 | 230 | 25,949 | 163 |
| Maltreatment rate per 1,000 children <18 | 10.1 | 10.3 | 15.1 |
| Child Welfare, adoptions, SFY2008 | 12 | 1273 | 8 |
| Food stamp average # of recipients, SFY2008 | 7,378 | 987,851 | 6,213 |
| Food stamp recipients % of population | 8.6 | 10.2 | 13.8 |
| Medicaid average # of recipients, SFY2008 | 16,341 | 2,068,185 | 13,007 |
| Medicaid recipients % of population | 19.0 | 21.4 | 27.2 |
| TANF average # of recipients, SFY2008 | 236 | 40,609 | 255 |
| TANF recipients % of population | 0.3 | 0.4 | 0.5 |
| OASDI (Social Security) recipients % of pop., 12/2008 | 14.5 | 13.9 | 18.4 |
| SSI (Supplemental Security Income) % of pop., 12/2008 | 1.8 | 2.2 | 3.3 |
| <u>TRANSPORTATION</u> | | | |
| Total highway mileage (12/31/08), 2009 | 950.5 | 117,237.7 | 737 |
| % unpaved | 6.2 | 24.3 | 27.9 |
| Daily Vehicle miles traveled (12/31/08), 2009 | 2,151,000 | 297,363,000 | 1,870,220.1 |
| Registered motor vehicles (as of 9/30//09) | 91,730 | 8,499,469 | 53,372 |
| Motor vehicle crashes, 2000-2006 | 11,482 | 2,320,522 | 14,594.5 |
| Rate per 100 million vehicle miles traveled | 219.8 | 306.7 | 184.4 |
| Motor vehicle crash fatalities, 2000-2006 | 115 | 11,435 | 71.9 |
| Rate per 100 million vehicle miles traveled | 2.2 | 1.5 | 1.8 |
| % restraint usage in traffic crashes (age 6 or >), 2006 | 84.0 | 80.9 | 78.8 |
| % restraint usage in traffic crashes (< age 6), 2006 | 76.4 | 65.0 | 59.8 |
| Housing units with no vehicles available, 2000 | 1,304 | 248,546 | 1,563 |
| <u>VITAL STATISTICS, 2007 (Rate not shown when number of events is >0 and <5)</u> | | | |
| Live births, total | 1,225 | 150,804 | 948 |
| Live birth rate (per 1,000 population) | 14.7 | 15.8 | 14.7 |
| Live births to unwed mothers, total | 420 | 65,068 | 409 |
| % Unwed births of total live births | 34.3 | 43.1 | 46.7 |
| % Unwed births to teen mothers of all births | 9.7 | 10.1 | 12.8 |
| Low weight births, total (< 2500 grams) | 90 | 14,351 | 90 |
| % Low weight of total live births | 7.3 | 9.5 | 10.0 |
| Induced terminations, total | 181 | 29,415 | 185 |
| Induced termination rate (per 1,000 fem. age 15-44) | 9.9 | 14.3 | -- |
| Teen Pregnancies, total | 186 | 23,285 | 146 |
| Teen pregnancy rate (per 1,000 fem. age 10-19) | 32.7 | 35.3 | 40.7 |
| Deaths, total | 572 | 67,753 | 426 |
| Death rate (per 100,000 population) | 688.0 | 709.8 | 949.6 |
| Infant deaths, total | 10 | 1,198 | 8 |
| <u>VITAL STATISTICS, 10-Yr. CUMULATIVE RATES, 1998-2007</u> | | | |
| Live birth rate (per 1,000 population) | 15.4 | 15.7 | 14.4 |
| Live births to unwed mothers rate (per 100 live births) | 30.5 | 39.0 | 43.2 |
| Low birth weight rate (per 100 live births) | 7.8 | 9.1 | 9.6 |
| Induced termination rate (per 1,000 females age 15-44) | 10.0 | 14.9 | 8.4 |
| Teen pregnancy rate (per 1,000 females age 10-19) | 33.6 | 37.6 | 40.6 |
| Death rate (per 100,000 population) | 760.7 | 747.7 | 953.2 |
| Infant death rate (per 1,000 live births) | 7.2 | 8.4 | 9.0 |
| Suicide rate (per 100,000 population) | 10.5 | 10.4 | -- |
| Homicide rate (per 100,000 population) | 3.5 | 7.7 | -- |

-- Data not available or data tabulation not appropriate.