

Wilkinson County, Georgia

Labor Report

Draw Area Labor

County	Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Unemp Rate
Baldwin	20,494	19,551	943	4.60 %
Bleckley	5,162	4,876	286	5.50 %
Johnson	3,813	3,624	189	5.00 %
Jones	13,502	12,911	591	4.40 %
Laurens	22,623	21,488	1,135	5.00 %
Twiggs	4,721	4,459	262	5.50 %
Washington	8,268	7,789	479	5.80 %
Wilkinson	4,533	4,290	243	5.40 %

Active Applicants

Occupation	County	Draw Area	Total
Professional, Technical, Managerial	21	494	515
Clerical and Sales	68	1,130	1,198
Service	68	1,333	1,401
Agricultural, Forestry, Fishing, etc.	4	64	68
Processing	21	286	307
Machine Trades	31	412	443
Benchwork	36	450	486
Structural Work	38	645	683
Miscellaneous Occupations	50	985	1,035
Total	337	5,799	6,136

Projected Work Age Population

County	Total	18-24	25-34	35-44	45-65
Baldwin	30,388	5,701	7,088	6,478	11,121
Bleckley	7,165	1,316	1,288	1,483	3,078
Johnson	4,468	764	781	913	2,010
Jones	19,001	2,568	3,464	4,261	8,708
Laurens	29,333	4,221	5,791	6,447	12,874
Twiggs	6,575	934	1,224	1,413	3,004
Washington	12,456	1,850	2,382	2,776	5,448
Wilkinson	6,396	848	1,188	1,460	2,900
Total	115,782	18,202	23,206	25,231	49,143

Unemployment Rate

Georgia	4.5 %
United States	4.8 %

Unionization

Workers	14.6 %
Companies	7.7 %

Draw Area defined as: Baldwin, Bleckley, Johnson, Jones, Laurens, Twiggs, Washington, Wilkinson

Source:

Georgia Department of Labor (Industry Mix),
 Second Quarter, 2005
 Georgia Department of Economic Development, 2006
 Georgia Department of Labor (Labor Figures), March, 2006
 County, last general update, 2000
 Georgia Department of Community Affairs, 2006
 Georgia Department of Revenue (Tax Rates), 2005

