



Upson County Georgia, USA



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Demographics

Population Data

	2000	2007	2012
Total Population	27,597	28,062	28,761
Total Households	10,722	11,298	11,815
Female Population	14,492	14,473	14,666
Percentage Female	52.51%	51.58%	50.99%
Male Population	13,105	13,589	14,095
Percentage Male	47.5%	48.4%	49%

*Source: Demographics Now *Last Updated: Nov. 2008

Age Distribution

Age Group	2000	2007	2012
Age 0 - 4	6.5%	5.7%	5%
Age 5 - 14	14.8%	13.3%	12%
Age 15 - 19	6.7%	7.1%	6.9%
Age 20 - 24	5.9%	6.8%	7%
Age 25 - 34	12.6%	13.5%	13.5%
Age 35 - 44	15.2%	13.9%	13.1%
Age 45 - 54	13.4%	14.2%	14.3%
Age 55 - 64	10.1%	11.4%	12.6%
Age 65 - 74	7.7%	7.6%	8.6%
Age 75 - 84	5.3%	4.5%	5%
Age 85 +	2%	2%	1.9%
Median Age	37.3	37.8	39.2

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Racial & Ethnic Composition

Race/Ethnic Origin	2007
American Indian, Eskimo, Aleut	0.2%
Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	0%
Asian	0.4%
Black	27.6%

White	70.8%
Other	0.3%
Multi-Race	0.6%
Hispanic Ethnicity	1.9%
Not of Hispanic Ethnicity	98.1%

*Source: Demographics Now *Last Updated: Nov. 2008

Educational Attainment

Years of School Completed	2007
Grade K - 8	10.5%
Grade 9 - 12	19.1%
High School Graduate	38.6%
Associate Degree	4.7%
Bachelor's Degree	8.6%
Graduate Degree	3.9%
Some College, No Degree	3.9%

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Income

Household Income	2007	2012
\$0 - \$9,999	12.2%	11.3%
\$10,000 - \$14,999	7%	6%
\$15,000 - \$24,999	14.4%	13.4%
\$25,000 - \$34,999	13.4%	11.8%
\$35,000 - \$49,999	16%	15.4%
\$50,000 - \$74,999	19%	20.1%
\$75,000 - \$99,999	9.1%	9.8%
\$100,000 - \$124,999	4.4%	5.2%
\$10,000 - \$14,999	7%	6%
\$125,000 - \$149,999	1.6%	3.1%
\$150,000 +	3%	3.9%
Average Household Income	\$46,690	\$49,810
Median Household Income	\$37,675	\$41,750
Per Capita Income	\$19,423	\$21,235

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Employment by Industry

INDUSTRY	Average # of Establishments	Average Monthly Employment	Average Monthly Percent	Average Weekly Wages
Goods-Producing	82	1	24	\$688
Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing & Hunting	9	31	0	\$384
Construction	49	214	3	\$569
Manufacturing	24	1	21	\$710
Fabricated Metal Product	4	44	1	\$580
Food	1	*	*	*
Furniture and Related Product	2	*	*	*
Miscellaneous	1	*	*	*
Paper	2	*	*	*
Plastics and Rubber Products	2	*	*	*
Printing and Related Support Activities	2	*	*	*
Textile Mills	2	*	*	*
Textile Product Mills	2	*	*	*
Wood Product	6	148	2	\$728
Service-Providing	393	4	53	\$471
Utilities	4	43	1	\$664
Wholesale Trade	12	60	1	\$415
Retail Trade	92	988	13	\$383
Transportation and Warehousing	20	55	1	\$662
Information	7	87	1	\$592
Finance and Insurance	29	256	3	\$713
Real Estate and Rental and Leasing	21	38	1	\$572
Professional, Scientific & Technical Svc	33	89	1	\$513
Admin., Support, Waste Mgmt, Remediation	25	334	4	\$401
Education Services	4	25	0	\$238
Health Care and Social Assistance	50	1	17	\$629
Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation	5	27	0	\$182
Accommodation and Food Services	47	612	8	\$199
Other Services (except Public Admin.)	44	188	2	\$409
Unclassified - industry not assigned	5	*	*	*
Total - Private Sector	480	5	77	\$538
Total - Government	38	1	23	\$545
Federal Government	6	46	1	\$912
State Government	17	582	8	\$565
Local Government	15	1	15	\$521
ALL INDUSTRIES	518	7	100	\$540

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 data represent the Annual 2007.

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

Area: Upson County

City Populations

City	County Job Tax Credit Tier	Population 2000	Population 2007	Population 2012
Hannahs Mill CDP	1	3,267	3,227	3,254
Lincoln Park CDP	1	1,122	1,067	1,049
Salem CDP	1	339	336	340
Sunset Village CDP	1	871	807	781
Thomaston	1	9,404	9,173	9,163
Yatesville	1	408	437	462

*Source: Demographics Now *Last Updated: Nov. 2008

*Source for 2008 County Job Tax Credit Tiers: Georgia Department of Community Affairs

Labor Force

Year	Civilian Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Unemployment Rate
2008	12,102	11,069	1,033	8.5%
2005	12,257	11,455	803	6.5%
2004	11,875	11,591	619	3.6%
2003	10,303	9,610	410	3.5%
2002	10,754	9,610	410	3.5%
2001	11,805	10,503	623	6.9%
2000	12,819	12,183	441	5.2%
1999	12,990	12,078	487	5.7%
1998	13,239	12,802	437	5%
1997	12,929	12,376	553	3.2%
1996	13,098	12,438	339	4.9%
1995	13,019	12,433	586	3.3%

*Source: Georgia Department of Labor, 2005 *Last Updated: Dec. 2008

Taxes Overview

Type	% Tax
County Job Tax Credit Tier	1
Corporate Income Tax	7%
Sales & Use Tax	7%
Freeport Tax - Tier 1	100%
Freeport Tax - Tier 2	100%
Freeport Tax - Tier 3	100%

*Source: Upson County IDA. *Last Updated: 2008. [Georgia Job Tax Credit Tier Map](#)

New Businesses and Expansions

Company Name	City	No. Employees	Announcement Type	Date Established
InnoWare	Thomaston	45	Expansion	February 13, 2008

*Source: Georgia Department of Economic Development *Last Updated: 2nd Quarter of 2009