

Table 2

Oconee County, South Carolina

LABOR FORCE CHARACTERISTICS

Civilian Labor Force	2015	2014	2013	2012	2011			
Total Workforce	32,438	31,946	31,631	31,113	30,772			
Unemployed	1,999	2,145	2,582	2,845	3,123			
Unemployment Rate	5.8%	6.3%	108.2%	109.1%	110.1%			
Non-Agricultural Employment Reported by Place of Work	Total Number Employed				% of Total Employed Persons			
	Quarter 1 2016	2014 Annual Average	2012 Annual Total	2022 Annual Total Projection	Present Year 3rd Qtr (2013)	Last Year 2012 Annual Avg	2001	5 Year Projection
Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing & Hunting	93	90	1,118	1,169	0.4%	0.4%	4.4%	N/A
Construction	1,173	1,055	4,427	5,675	5.4%	4.8%	17.5%	N/A
Manufacturing	5,714	5,688	22,867	23,149	26.2%	26.0%	90.2%	N/A
Transportation & Warehousing	243	4,888	N/A	N/A	1.1%	22.3%	N/A	N/A
Wholesale Trade	3,022	1,863	2,738	3,037	13.9%	8.5%	10.8%	N/A
Finance, Insurance & Real Estate	635	1,780	15,616	16,991	2.9%	8.1%	61.6%	N/A
Services	533	2,080	2,613	2,848	2.4%	9.5%	10.3%	N/A
Public Administration	1,101	713	2,108	2,602	5.1%	3.3%	8.3%	N/A
Total	12,963	22,406	6,274	6,436	57.4%	82.9%	24.7%	N/A

Note: Total may not equal the sum of individual employment groups due to unclassified or undisclosed figures); N/A = Not Available

Sources: US Bureau of Labor Statistics and SC Dept. of Employment & Workforce

Resident Employment Reported by Group Occupation (Figures represent the 8-county Upper Savannah Non-Metropolitan Statistical Area, to which Oconee County belongs)	2012	2022 Projection
Management occupations	6,227	6,548
Business and financial operations occupations:	2,784	3,164
Computer and mathematical occupations	1,228	1,385
Architecture and engineering occupations:	2,349	2,517
Life, physical, and social science occupations	856	989
Community and social services occupations	1,109	1,240
Legal occupations	640	736
Education, training, and library occupations	8,560	9,655
Arts, design, entertainment, sports, and media occupations	1,277	1,389
Healthcare practitioners and technical occupations:	7,595	9,244
Healthcare support occupations	2,833	3,614
Protective service occupations:	1,864	1,999
Food preparation and serving related occupations	12,084	13,236
Building and grounds cleaning and maintenance occupations	4,509	5,081
Personal care and service occupations	4,017	4,705
Sales and related occupations	13,241	14,291
Office and administrative support occupations	16,770	18,165
Farming, fishing, and forestry occupations	1,118	1,169
Construction and extraction occupations:	4,583	5,577
Installation, maintenance, and repair occupations	5,496	6,079
Production occupations	17,396	18,105
Transportation and material moving occupations:	7,404	8,297

Sources: SC D.E.W. September Community Profile

LATEST YEAR AVAILABLE PAYROLL COSTS BY INDUSTRY

Average Annual Wage by Major Industry	2015
Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing & Hunting	\$24,908
Construction	\$38,532
Manufacturing	\$56,992
Transportation & Warehousing	\$34,892
Finance & Insurance	\$45,916
Professional & Business Services	\$47,424
Other Services	\$24,856
Public Administration	\$35,568

Source: SC Dept. of Employment & Workforce

