

Clay County

Communities: Ashland, Lineville

County Code: 027 MSA:

Population and Income Estimates

	County	15-Mile Radius	30-Mile Radius	45-Mile Radius
2010 Census:	13,932	16,297	212,178	439,379
2016 Estimate:	13,537	15,850	207,507	437,498
2021 Projection:	13,484	15,770	206,313	439,797
2016 Median Household Income:	\$36,015	\$36,369	\$37,343	\$42,109
2016 Median Age:	44	44	42	41

Source: Nielsen

2015 County Labor Analysis

Civilian Labor Force: 5,526 Unemployment Rate: 6.2%
 Employment: 5,186 Unemployment: 340

Workforce Commuting Patterns

County Residents Working in the County: 2,254
 County Residents Working Outside the County: 3,439
 Outside Residents Working in County: 1,534

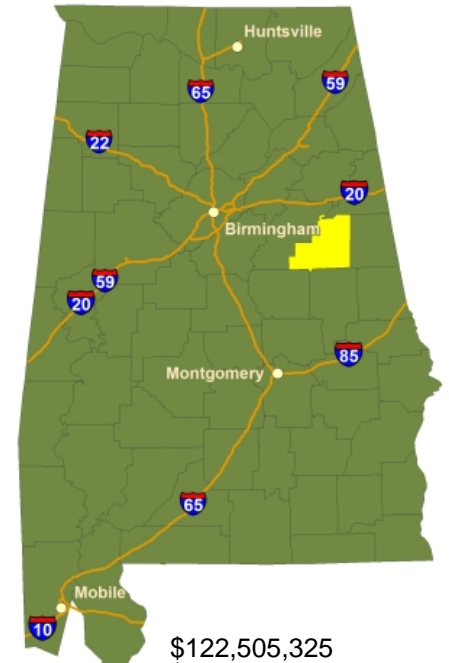
Top Counties Receiving Workers

- 1) Clay
- 2) Talladega
- 3) Calhoun
- 4) Jefferson
- 5) Tallapoosa

Top Counties Sending Workers

- 1) Clay
- 2) Randolph
- 3) Talladega
- 4) Calhoun
- 5) Tallapoosa

Source: US Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics; U.S. Census Bureau, Center for Economic Studies, LEHD Origin-Destination Employment Statistics (LODES), OnTheMap application.



County Employment by Industry

Total	3,842
Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing, Hunting:	47
Mining:	00
Utilities:	**
Construction:	40
Manufacturing:	1,775
Wholesale Trade:	**
Retail Trade:	294
Transportation and Warehousing:	83
Information:	18
Finance and Insurance:	81
Real Estate and Rental and Leasing:	09
Professional and Technical Services:	**
Management of Companies/Enterprises:	**
Administrative and Waste Services:	55
Educational Services:	**
Health Care and Social Assistance:	**
Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation:	00
Accommodation and Food Services:	114
Other Services, except Public Admin:	55
Total Federal Government:	51
Total State Government:	53
Total Local Government:	831

County Wage by Industry

Total:	\$122,505,325
Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing, Hunting:	\$1,631,016
Mining:	\$0
Utilities:	**
Construction:	\$1,377,497
Manufacturing:	\$61,401,625
Wholesale Trade:	**
Retail Trade:	\$5,691,658
Transportation and Warehousing:	\$2,614,752
Information:	\$600,190
Finance and Insurance:	\$3,871,220
Real Estate and Rental and Leasing:	\$110,435
Professional and Technical Services:	**
Management of Companies/Enterprises:	**
Administrative and Waste Services:	\$1,131,338
Educational Services:	**
Health Care and Social Assistance:	**
Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation:	\$0
Accommodation and Food Services:	\$1,276,917
Other Services, except Public Admin:	\$1,158,312
Total Federal Government:	\$2,622,053
Total State Government:	\$2,173,090
Total Local Government:	\$25,279,809

Source: U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics, Quarterly Census of Employment and Wages, 2015 annual averages.. Note: **Data do not meet BLS or state agency disclosure standards

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Major Employers in Clay County

Name	Product	# of Employees
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Source: Local economic development contacts

Major Manufacturing Employers in Clay County

Name	Product	# of Employees
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Source: Local economic development contacts

Education

2016 County Population 25+ by Educational Attainment Colleges and Universities

Graduate/Professional Degree:	3.2%
Bachelors Degree:	6.0%
Associates Degree:	8.4%
Some College, No Degree:	21.4%
High School Graduate/GED:	37.7%
9-12th Grade (No Diploma):	14.1%
Less Than 9th Grade:	9.2%

Source: Nielsen

Source: Alabama Commission on Higher Education. Note: Information on Alabama's two and four year colleges can be found on the Commission's website <http://www.ache.state.al.us/Colleges&Universities/InstitutionalMap.htm>

School Systems Clay County

Source: Alabama Department of Education; www.alsde.edu. Note: Detailed information on Alabama's public school systems and individual schools can be accessed on the Alabama Department of Education website; <http://www.alsde.edu/Home/Reports/ReportsBySite.aspx>

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2015 County Profile General Tax Structure

Ad Valorem Tax

Alabama has a state property tax rate of 6.5 mills (3 mills for education). Both county and city can levy property tax. All real and personal business property is assessed at 20% of fair market value.

Other Business Related Taxes

	County (Outside Incorporated Areas)	State
Sales Tax General Rate:	2.00%	4.00%
Use Tax General Rate:	2.00%	4.00%
Sales Tax on Machinery:	1.10%	1.50%
Use Tax on Machinery:	0.10%	1.50%

Source: Alabama Department of Revenue; www.ador.state.al.us. Note: Information on business-related taxes is available on the Alabama Department of Revenue website at www.ador.state.al.us. Construction materials are taxed at the general rate. Inventories and goods-in-process are not taxed.

Transportation

Interstates in County:	None
Federal Highways in County:	
Railroads Serving in County:	CSX Transportation Norfolk Southern

Source: Alabama Department of Transportation Intermodal Division, www.dot.state.al.us

Commercial Air Service

Birmingham-Shuttlesworth International Airport
Birmingham, AL

General Aviation Service

Ashland-Lineville Airport
Ashville

Source: EDPA Survey of Commercial Airports; Alabama Department of Transportation Aeronautics Bureau; www.dot.state.al.us; Airnav.com