

Atlanta's Top Employers, 2006

| | | Atlanta | Employees | |
|-------|---|-----------|-------------|-----------------------------|
| Rank | Company | Employees | Nationwide* | Product or Service |
| | 1 | _ | T- | |
| | Gwinnett County Public Schools | | | |
| 1 | www.gwinnett.k12.ga.us | 27,197 | 27,197 | Public education, K-12 |
| | Emory University | 04 707 | 04 707 | |
| 2 | www.emory.edu Delta Air Lines | 21,797 | 21,797 | Education institution |
| 3 | www.delta.com | 19,235 | E1 27E | Air transportation |
| 3 | Publix Supermarkets | 19,233 | 51,275 | Air transportation |
| 4 | www.publix.com | 16,855 | 132,000 | Grocer |
| - | www.publix.com | 10,000 | 102,000 | - Crooci |
| 5 | Kroger Company | 15,500 | 290,000 | |
| _ | www.kroger.com | -, | , | Grocer |
| (tie) | Bellsouth Corp. | 15,500 | 15,500 | Telecommunications, |
| ` ′ | www.bellsouth.com | | | wireless comm., cable & |
| | | | | digital TV, Internet & data |
| | | | | services |
| _ | Wal-Mart Stores | | 4 000 000 | |
| 7 | www.wal-mart.com | 14,700 | 1,200,000 | Discount retailer |
| | DeKalb County Public Schools | 44.500 | 44.500 | Dublic advantion I/ 40 |
| 8 | www.deKalb.k12.ga.us United States Postal Service | 14,500 | 14,500 | Public education, K-12 |
| 9 | www.usps.gov | 14,000 | 753,000 | U.S. postal service |
| 9 | Home Depot | 14,000 | 755,000 | Home improvement |
| 10 | www.homedepot.com | 13,184 | 325,000 | retailer |
| | Cobb County Public Schools | 10,101 | 020,000 | Totalioi |
| 11 | www.cobb.k12.ga.us | 13,000 | 13,000 | Public education, K-12 |
| | Fulton County School System | ĺ | , | |
| 12 | www.fulton.k12.ga.us | 10,892 | 10,892 | Public education, K-12 |
| | UPS | | 384,000 | Express document and |
| 13 | www.ups.com | 10,500 | (worldwide) | package delivery |
| _ | Wellstar Health Systems | | | |
| 14 | www.wellstar.org | 10,112 | 10,112 | Health care services |
| | Atlanta City Municipal | 7,934 | 7,934 | Atlanta City Government |
| 45 | Government | | | |
| 15 | www.atlantaga.gov SunTrust Banks Inc. | | | Financial services, bank |
| 16 | www.suntrust.com | 7,768 | 33,012 | holding company |
| 10 | Lockheed Martin Aeronautics | 7,700 | 130,000+ | Aircraft design, |
| | www.lockheedmartin.com | 7,001 | 100,0001 | development, |
| | | | | manufacturing and |
| 17 | | | | support |
| | IBM Corp. | | | Hardware, software and |
| 18 | www.ibm.com | 7,500 | 329,000 | consulting services |
| | Northside Hospital | | | |
| 19 | www.northside.com | 7,100 | 7,100 | Health care services |

| | Georgia Institute of Technology | | | |
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| 20 | www.gatech.edu | 7,075 | 7,075 | University |
| | Clayton County Public Schools | 1,0.0 | 1,070 | Similarion, |
| 21 | www.clayton.k12.ga.us | 6,826 | 6,826 | Public education, K-12 |
| | Atlanta Public Schools | | | , |
| 21 | www.atlanta.k12.ga.us | 6,702 | 6,702 | Public education, K-12 |
| | U.S. Centers for Disease Control | , | , | Federal health agency |
| | & Prevention Headquarters | | | that protects public health |
| | www.cdc.com | | | through prevention of |
| 22 | | 6,500 | 21,000 | disease |
| | Wachovia Corporation | | | |
| 23 | www.wachovia.com | 6,000 | 93,000 | Financial services |
| | Turner Broadcasting Systems | | | Producer of news and |
| 24 | <u>www.turner.com</u> | 5,959 | 8,000 | entertainment |
| | Cox Enterprises | | | Newspapers, radio & TV, |
| | www.coxenterprises.com | | | broadcasting, publishing, |
| | | | | auto auctions, city Web |
| 25 | The Court of Court | 5,606 | 73,036 | sites |
| | The Southern Company | | | |
| 26 | (including Georgia Power, etc.) | F 400 | 26,000 | Energy company |
| 20 | www.southernco.com AT&T Corp. | 5,490 | 26,000 | Energy company Full range of |
| | www.att.com | | | telecommunications |
| | www.att.com | | | services for business and |
| 27 | | 5,200 | 61,600 | government services |
| | Waffle House | 0,200 | 01,000 | government convices |
| (tie) | www.wafflehouse.com | 5,200 | 16,650 | Restaurant |
| | Bank of America N.A. | , | , | Financial and investment |
| | www.bankofamerica.com | | | services to consumer, |
| | | | | small and commercial |
| 29 | | 5,115 | 177,236 | clients |
| | Piedmont Hospital | | | |
| 30 | www.piedmonthospital.org | 4,800 | 4,800 | Health care services |
| | The Coca-Cola Company | 4.700 | 0.750 | non-alcoholic beverage |
| 31 | www.coca-cola.com | 4,720 | 8,758 | marketer |
| 20 | Children's Healthcare of Atlanta | 4.000 | 4.000 | Children's Health care |
| 32 | www.choa.org General Electric (GE Energy HQ | 4,668 | 4,668 | services |
| | here) | | | Aircraft engines, power generation, financial |
| | www.ge.com | | | services. Medical |
| | www.gc.com | | | imaging, television |
| 33 | | 4,600 | 305,000 | programming |
| | AirTran Airways | , | , | 1 3 3 |
| 34 | www.airtran.com | 4,541 | 6,902 | airline |
| | MARTA (Metropolitan Rapid | | | |
| | Transit Authority) | | | |
| 35 | www.itsmarta.com | 4,500 | 4,500 | Bus and rail transit |
| | Grady Health Systems/Grady | | | |
| | Hospital | | | |
| 36 | www.gradyhealthsystem.org | 4,437 | 4,437 | Health services |
| 27 | Cobb County Government | 4 200 | 4 200 | Local action action and action |
| 37 | www.cobbcounty.org | 4,309 | 4,309 | Local county government |
| 20 | Cingular www.cingular.com | 4,200 | 64,000 | Wireless voice & data |
| 38 39 | Verizon Wireless | 4,200 | 216,700 | services Telecommunications |
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| 48 www.gm.com 2,300 324,000 Vehicle manufacture | r |
| Printed products, | <u> </u> |
| John H. Harland software services, | |
| 49 <u>www.harland.net</u> 2,000 5,686 Scantron | |
| Southwire 2,000 countern | able |
| 50 www.mysouthwire.com 1,952 3,600 products | 2010 |

Source: Metro Atlanta Chamber of Commerce Research Dept. BOLDING INDICATES THAT THE COMPANY IS HEADQUARTERED IN METRO ATLANTA

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