



# HANCOCK COUNTY

## MISSISSIPPI

**46,028**  
POPULATION

**1.2%**

POPULATION ANNUAL AVERAGE  
**GROWTH RATE**

### WORKFORCE

**21,368** WORKFORCE  
**57.6%** WORKFORCE PARTICIPATION RATE  
**4.8%** UNEMPLOYMENT RATE  
(Seasonally Adjusted)

AVERAGE  
COMMUTE TIME  
**28.9**  
MINUTES

AVERAGE WAGE  
**\$45,996**

AVERAGE MANUFACTURING WAGE  
**\$72,780**

### COST OF LIVING INDEX

|                |      |
|----------------|------|
| HANCOCK COUNTY | 89.9 |
| MSA            | 89.6 |
| MISSISSIPPI    | 83.8 |
| U.S. = 100     |      |



**\$46,542**  
MEDIAN HOUSEHOLD INCOME



**18.5%**  
POVERTY RATE

**RIGHT TO  
WORK STATE**

**3.5%**  
private union membership

**\$1.4 BILLION**

### GROSS DOMESTIC PRODUCT

Manufacturing contributed 12.48% to the 2016 Gross Domestic Product (GDP) of the county. The largest contributing sector was Public Administration.

### LARGEST INDUSTRY CLUSTERS



Stennis Space Center, MS  
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Bay St. Louis, MS  
Stennis Space Center, MS



CHEMICAL



UTILITIES



MACHINERY  
MANUFACTURING



CONSUMER  
SERVICES

### MAJOR EMPLOYERS

| Employer  | Location                 | Industry                      | # OF EMP |
|---|--------------------------|-------------------------------|----------|
| United States Department of the Navy NASA Shared Services/SSC | Stennis Space Center, MS | U.S. Military - Navy Services | 1,984    |
| Silver Slipper Casino Venture, LLC                            | Bay St. Louis, MS        | Casino Hotel                  | 650      |
| NCCIPS/NSSC-Dept. of Human Services Jindal Tubular            | Stennis Space Center, MS | Computer related services     | 240      |
| Syncom Space Systems  |                          | Manufacturing                 | 158      |