

OUACHITA PARISH PROFILE-2011

AREA		MARKET ACCESSIBILITY	
Total	633 Sq. miles	Major Highways	
Land	611 Sq. miles	Interstate Hwy	I-20
Water	22 Sq. miles	US Highway	80,165
		LA Highways	2,15,34
DEMOGRAPHICS			
Population		Freight Railroad	
Total Population	153,720	Union Pacific Railroad (UP)	
Total Households	56,995	Kansas City Southern (KCS)	
Median Age	34.4	Arkansas & Louisiana Mississippi Railroad (ALM)	
Household Income		Nearest Major City	
Median Household Income	\$36,373	Shreveport, Louisiana	100 miles
Average Household Income	\$49,177	Nearest Commercial Airport	
Per Capita Income	\$18,858	Monroe Regional Airport	0 miles
		(2, 5000 & 1, 7500 runway)	
Population by Employment		Nearest Port	
White Collar Jobs	59.9%	Greater Ouachita Parish Port (9Ft)	5 miles
Service Jobs	19.1%	Nearest Deepwater Port	
Blue Collar Jobs	21.0%	Port of New Orleans (Deepwater)	
Population by Education, 25 Years+		MAJOR EMPLOYERS	
High School Graduate	31.8%	Ouachita Parish School Board	3,025
Associate Degree	4.5%	St. Francis Medical Center	2,262
Bachelor's Degree	17.3%	J. P. Morgan Chase/Monroe	2,100
Master's Professional/Doctorate Degree	7.9%	Monroe City School District	1,387
		CenturyLink-Monroe	1,360
		University of Louisiana at Monroe	1,206
LABOR FORCE-YEAR 2010-Average			
Civilian Labor	72,158	CLIMATE	
Employed	66,586	Annual average high temperature	77.1° F
Unemployed	5,572	Annual average low temperature	54.6° F
Unemployment Rate	7.7%	Average temperature	65.8° F
		Average annual precipitation	53.4in
UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE CLAIMS-YEAR 2010-Average			
TAXES, 2010			
Property Taxes (Mills) Parish Wide	75.09-133.79		
SALES TAX			
Parish	8.6-9.6%		
Monroe	9.99%		
Richwood	9.50%		
Sterlington	9.50%		

Sources: ESRI, 2010, LA Dept of Education, LA Dept of Transportation, Parish Tax Assessor Offices, US Census 2010 Data, LA Board of Regents, LA Workforce Commission, & Hoovers

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Average Weekly Wages (\$) by Major Industry Division (3RD QUARTER 2010)

Industry Division	Average Weekly Wage (\$)
Ouachita	\$665
Agriculture	515
Mining	1,032
Utilities	963
Construction	715
Manufacturing	1,023
Wholesale Trade	970
Retail Trade	447
Transportation & Warehousing	836
Information	729
Finance & Insurance	709
Real Estate & Rental & Leasing	646
Professional & Technical Services	840
Management Companies & Enterprises	1,547
Administrative & Waste Services	461
Educational Services	611
Healthcare & Social Assistance	693
Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation	285
Accommodation & Food Services	253
Other services	487
Public Administration	817

Data Non-publishable

EDUCATION

Primary/Education (Year 2009-2010)

Public Schools	55
Private Schools	14
School District	2

(Ouachita Parish School Board & Monroe City School District)

NEAREST COMMUNITY & 2-YEAR COLLEGES

Louisiana Delta Community College

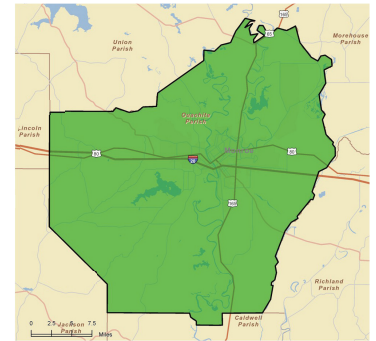
NEAREST TECHNICAL COLLEGES

Louisiana Technical College-Delta-Ouachita Campus
Unitech Training Academy-West Monroe Campus

NEAREST 4-YEAR COLLEGES & UNIVERSITIES

University of Louisiana at Monroe

ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT CONTACT



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