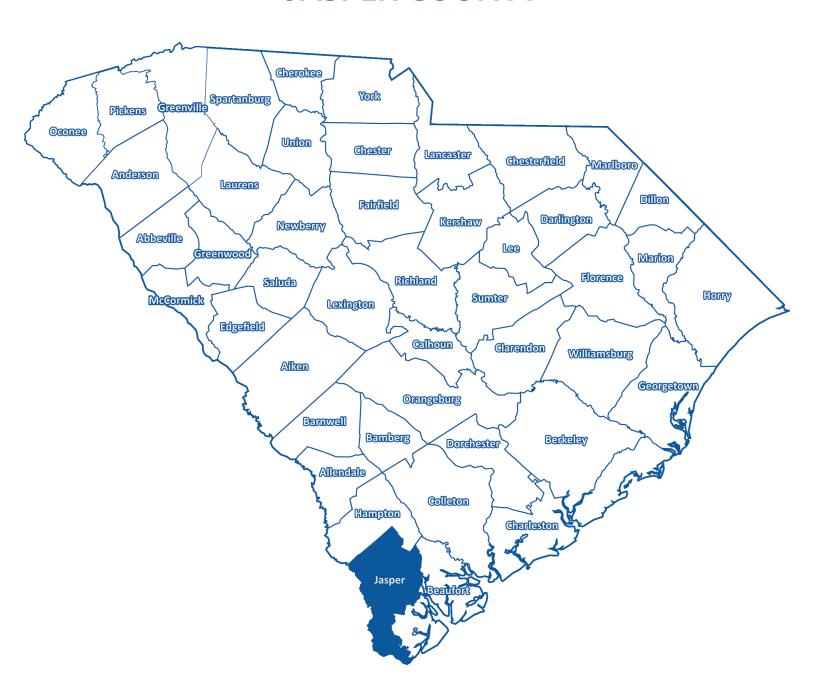
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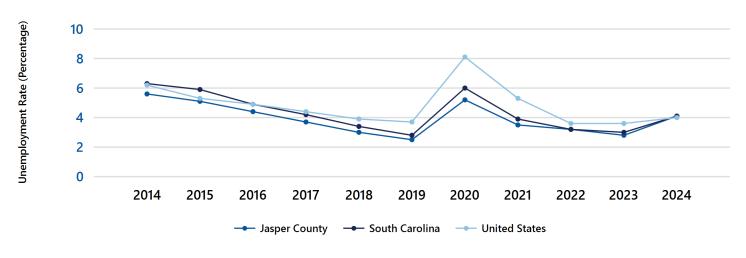
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ANNUAL UNEMPLOYMENT RATE



JASPER COUNTY

SOUTH CAROLINA

UNITED STATES

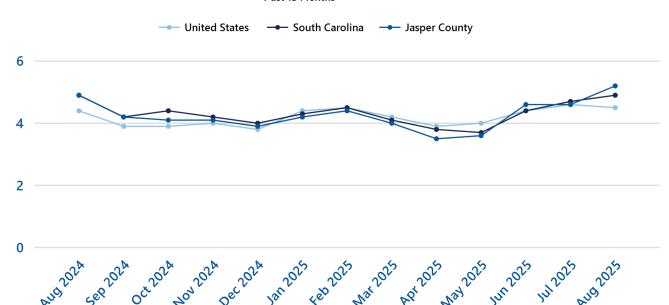
Year	Employment	Unemp.	Rate	Employment	Unemp.	Rate	Employment	Unemp.	Rate
2024	13,482	575	4.1%	2,430,453	105,178	4.1%	161,346,000	6,761,000	4.0%
2023	13,332	383	2.8%	2,401,212	74,248	3.0%	161,037,000	6,080,000	3.6%
2022	12,495	409	3.2%	2,330,548	77,339	3.2%	158,291,000	5,996,000	3.6%
2021	11,964	439	3.5%	2,272,940	92,676	3.9%	152,581,000	8,623,000	5.3%
2020	11,375	626	5.2%	2,201,090	140,613	6.0%	147,795,000	12,947,000	8.1%
2019	11,532	301	2.5%	2,263,682	64,405	2.8%	157,538,000	6,001,000	3.7%
2018	11,025	345	3.0%	2,206,821	76,542	3.4%	155,761,000	6,314,000	3.9%
2017	10,637	413	3.7%	2,168,104	94,845	4.2%	153,337,000	6,982,000	4.4%
2016	10,443	483	4.4%	2,145,584	110,199	4.9%	151,436,000	7,751,000	4.9%
2015	11,082	592	5.1%	2,108,786	132,281	5.9%	148,834,000	8,296,000	5.3%
2014	10,696	629	5.6%	2,063,369	138,475	6.3%	146,305,000	9,617,000	6.2%

Source: DEW LMI/BLS - Local Area Unemployment Statistics

Unemployment Rate (Percentage)

MONTHLY UNEMPLOYMENT RATE

Past 13 Months



Period	JASPER COUNTY	SOUTH CAROLINA	UNITED STATES
Aug 2025	5.2%	4.9%	4.5%
Jul 2025	4.6%	4.7%	4.6%
Jun 2025	4.6%	4.4%	4.4%
May 2025	3.6%	3.7%	4.0%
Apr 2025	3.5%	3.8%	3.9%
Mar 2025	4.0%	4.1%	4.2%
Feb 2025	4.4%	4.5%	4.5%
Jan 2025	4.2%	4.3%	4.4%
Dec 2024	3.9%	4.0%	3.8%
Nov 2024	4.1%	4.2%	4.0%
Oct 2024	4.1%	4.4%	3.9%
Sep 2024	4.2%	4.2%	3.9%
Aug 2024	4.9%	4.9%	4.4%

Source: DEW LMI/BLS - Local Area Unemployment Statistics

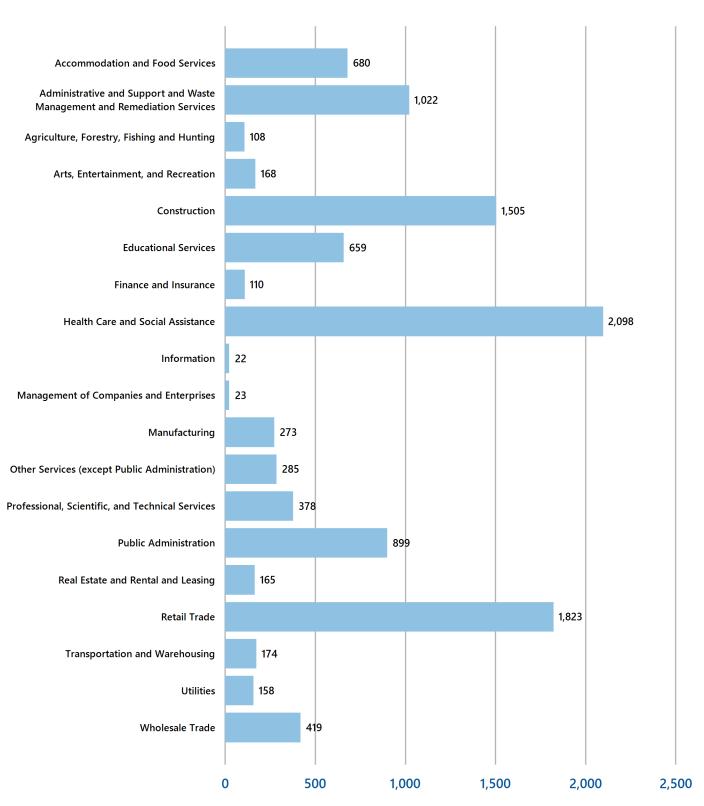
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Source: South Carolina Department of Employment & Workforce QCEW

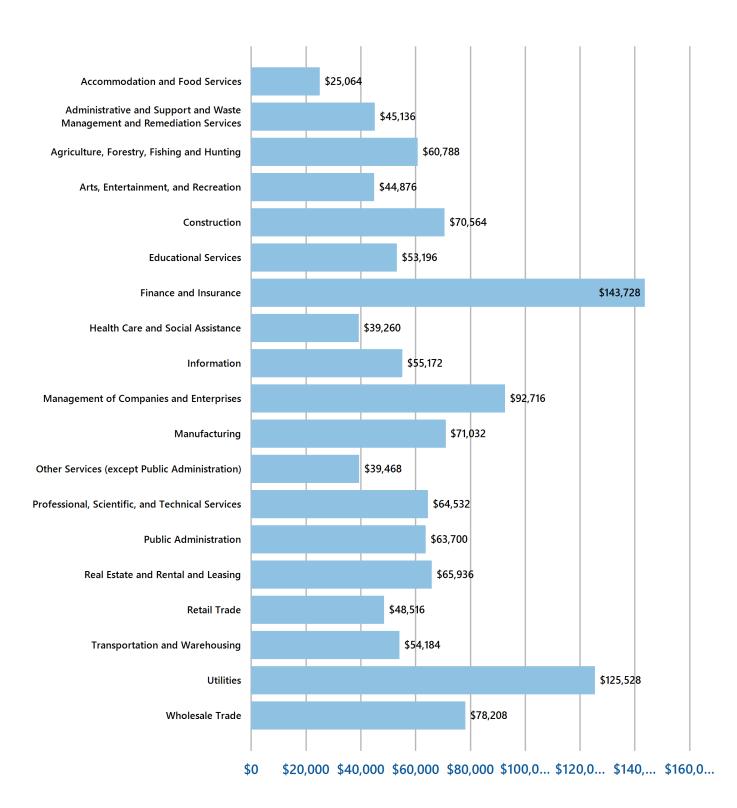
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EMPLOYMENT BY INDUSTRY



Source: South Carolina Department of Employment & Workforce QCEW

AVERAGE ANNUAL WAGE BY INDUSTRY



 $Source: South\ Carolina\ Department\ of\ Employment\ \&\ Workforce\ QCEW$



LABOR MARKET PROJECTIONS

Total Employment by Industry

	2022	2032			
LOWCOUNTRY	Estimated Employment	Projected Employment	Change	Percent Change	Annual Percent Change
Total All Industries	105,682	115,702	10,020	9.5%	0.9%
Accommodation and Food Services	15,479	16,236	757	4.9%	0.5%
Retail Trade	15,140	16,865	1,725	11.4%	1.1%
Health Care and Social Assistance	12,369	14,666	2,297	18.6%	1.7%
Construction	7,157	7,304	147	2.1%	0.2%
Other Services (except Government)	6,633	7,090	457	6.9%	0.7%
Educational Services	6,406	6,933	527	8.2%	0.8%
Administrative and Support and Waste Management and Remediat	6,058	6,731	673	11.1%	1.1%
Professional, Scientific, and Technical Services	4,971	5,657	686	13.8%	1.3%
Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation	3,254	3,522	268	8.2%	0.8%
Real Estate and Rental and Leasing	2,600	2,940	340	13.1%	1.2%
Finance and Insurance	2,395	2,803	408	17.0%	1.6%
Manufacturing	2,343	2,430	87	3.7%	0.4%
Wholesale Trade	1,887	2,025	138	7.3%	0.7%
Transportation and Warehousing	1,294	1,445	151	11.7%	1.1%
Management of Companies and Enterprises	754	1,048	294	39.0%	3.3%
Information	745	853	108	14.5%	1.4%
Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing and Hunting	731	725	-6	-0.8%	-0.1%
Utilities	428	444	16	3.7%	0.4%
Mining, Quarrying, and Oil and Gas Extraction	18	20	2	11.1%	1.1%

Source: South Carolina Department of Employment & Workforce QCEW

U.S. CENSUS BUREAU AMERICAN COMMUNITY SURVEY DATA

The rest of this profile consists of data from the American Community Survey, which is administered annually by the U.S. Census Bureau. The survey contacts one percent of all residents annually to generate data on a range of topics. However, accurate data from a single year of survey responses can only be generated for areas containing at least 65,000 people; five-year averages are reported for less populated geographies. To ensure that data are available for all areas and comparable across the state, all Community Profiles use these five-year averages that cover the years 2019 through 2023. Estimates with overlapping years should not be compared, since the repetition of sample data leads to statistical errors. For viable comparisons, the two prior non-overlapping five-year averages (2009-2013 and 2014-2018) are also provided. Each year, as new data is released, the profiles will increase by one year in the same manner, ensuring that non-overlapping five-year averages are always what is being compared.

SCHOOL ENROLLMENT

YEAR	TOTAL ENROLLED IN SCHOOL	ENROLLED IN SCHOOL NURSERY SCHOOL OR PRESCHOOL	ENROLLED IN SCHOOL KINDERGARTEN	ENROLLED IN ELEMENTARY SCHOOL GRADES 1-8	ENROLLED IN HIGH SCHOOL GRADES 9-12	ENROLLED IN COLLEGE OR GRADUATE SCHOOL
2013	5,951	303	491	2,644	1,180	1,333
2018	5,999	307	365	3,011	1,433	883
2023	6,060	481	189	2,571	1,513	1,306

Note: Based on Population 3 years and over enrolled in school

Source: Table DP02 - Selected Social Characteristics in the United States, U.S. Census Bureau



EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT

YEAR	TOTAL POPULATION 25 YEARS AND OVER	LESS THAN 9TH GRADE	9TH TO 12TH GRADE NO DIPLOMA	HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATE "INCLUDES EQUIV."	SOME COLLEGE NO DEGREE	ASSOCIATES DEGREE	BACHELORS DEGREE	GRADUATE OR PROF. DEGREE	HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATE OR HIGHER	BACHELORS DEGREE OR HIGHER
2013	16,655	1,006	2,533	6,700	3,284	1,048	1,514	570	N/A*	N/A*
2018	19,532	1,093	2,528	7,486	3,879	1,239	2,153	1,154	15,911	3,307
2023	22,389	874	1,328	7,631	4,655	2,096	4,219	1,586	20,187	5,805

Note: Based on Population 25 years and over

Source: Table DP02 - Selected Social Characteristics in the United States, U.S. Census Bureau



^{*}American Community Survey data from 2010 to 2017 do not include these estimates

VETERAN STATUS

YEAR	TOTAL POPULATION	TOTAL VETERANS	TOTAL NONVETERANS
2013	19,158	1,604	17,554
2018	21,964	2,250	19,714
2023	24,667	2,210	22,457

Note: Civilian Population 18 years and over Source: Table S2101 - Veteran Status in the United States, U.S. Census Bureau



DISABILITY STATUS

YEAR	TOTAL NON- INSTITUTIONAL POPULATION	TOTAL WITH A DISABILITY	TOTAL POPULATION UNDER 18 YEARS OLD	TOTAL POPULATION UNDER 18 YEARS OLD WITH A DISABILITY	TOTAL POPULATION 18 TO 64 YEARS OLD	TOTAL POPULATION 18 TO 64 YEARS OLD WITH A DISABILITY	TOTAL POPULATION 65 YEARS AND OVER	TOTAL POPULATION 65 YEARS AND OVER WITH A DISABILITY
2013	24,350	3,680	6,061	177	15,223	2,167	3,066	1,336
2018	27,381	4,222	5,905	321	16,820	2,384	4,656	1,517
2023	29,517	4,513	5,838	169	17,083	2,493	6,596	1,851

Note: Based on Civilian Noninstitutionalized Population

Source: Table DP02 - Selected Social Characteristics in the United States, U.S. Census Bureau

RESIDENCE ONE YEAR AGO

YEAR	TOTAL POPULATION	SAME HOUSE	DIFFERENT HOUSE (IN THE U.S. OR ABROAD)	DIFFERENT HOUSE IN THE U.S.	DIFFERENT HOUSE IN THE U.S., SAME COUNTY	DIFFERENT HOUSE IN THE U.S., DIFFERENT COUNTY	DIFFERENT HOUSE IN THE U.S., DIFFERENT COUNTY SAME STATE	DIFFERENT HOUSE IN THE U.S., DIFFERENT COUNTY DIFFERENT STATE	DIFFERENT HOUSE, ABROAD
2013	25,064	20,599	N/A*	4,255	1,723	2,532	1,837	695	210
2018	27,618	23,866	N/A*	3,741	1,042	2,699	1,772	927	11
2023	30,471	25,674	4,797	4,678	1,690	2,988	1,609	1,379	119

Note: Based on Population 1 year and over

Source: Table DP02 - Selected Social Characteristics in the United States, U.S. Census Bureau

^{*}American Community Survey data from 2010 to 2019 do not include these estimates

^{*}Although the survey data in these years did not include a sum for Different House (in the U.S. or Abroad), LMI believes it can be calculated by finding the sum of Different House in the U.S. and Different House, Abroad.

LANGUAGE SPOKEN AT HOME

YEAR	ENGLISH ONLY	OTHER THAN ENGLISH	SPANISH	EUROPEAN LANGUAGES	ASIAN AND PACIFIC ISLANDER LANGUAGES	OTHER LANGUAGES
2013	20,555	3,026	2,860	23	108	35
2018	22,880	3,349	3,084	63	164	38
2023	23,841	5,086	4,480	257	50	299

Note: Based on Population 5 years and over

Source: Table DP02 - Selected Social Characteristics, U.S. Census Bureau



EMPLOYMENT STATUS

YEAR	CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE	EMPLOYED	UNEMPLOYED
2013	12,415	10,922	1,493
2018	13,408	12,182	1,226
2023	13,441	12,755	686

Note: Based on Population 16 years and over

Source: Table DP03 - Selected Economic Characteristics, U.S. Census Bureau



CLASS OF WORKER

YEAR	TOTAL CIVILIAN EMPLOYED POPULATION	PRIVATE WAGE AND SALARY WORKERS	GOVERNMENT WORKERS	SELF-EMPLOYED IN OWN NOT INCORPORATED BUSINESS WORKERS	UNPAID FAMILY WORKERS
2013	10,922	8,192	1,550	1,175	5
2018	12,182	9,815	1,629	738	0
2023	12,755	9,980	1,853	922	0

Note: Based on Civilian Employed Population 16 years and over Source: Table DP03 - Selected Economic Characteristics, U.S. Census Bureau

OCCUPATIONS

YEAR	TOTAL CIVILIAN EMPLOYED POPULATION	MANAGEMENT, BUSINESS, SCIENCE, AND ARTS OCCUPATIONS	SERVICE OCCUPATIONS	SALES AND OFFICE OCCUPATIONS	NATURAL RESOURCES, CONSTRUCTION, AND MAINTENANCE OCCUPATIONS	PRODUCTION, TRANSPORTATION, AND MATERIAL MOVING OCCUPATIONS
2013	10,922	2,345	2,955	2,426	1,585	1,611
2018	12,182	2,198	3,138	2,778	2,371	1,697
2023	12,755	3,155	2,434	3,674	1,840	1,652

Note: Based on Civilian Employed Population 16 years and over Source: Table DP03 - Selected Economic Characteristics, U.S. Census Bureau To see a more detailed explanation of these occupations, <u>click here.</u>



POPULATION

YEAR	WHITE	BLACK OR AFRICAN AMERICAN	AMERICAN INDIAN AND ALASKA NATIVE	ASIAN	NATIVE HAWAIIAN AND OTHER PACIFIC ISLANDER	SOME OTHER RACE	TWO OR MORE RACES
2013	11,372	11,657	0	122	0	1,840	417
2018	14,577	12,015	27	156	0	843	282
2023	14,407	10,558	211	131	0	2,831	2,520

Note: Based on Total Population

Source: Table DP05 - ACS Demographic and Housing Estimates, U.S. Census Bureau

TRANSPORTATION TO WORK

YEAR	TOTAL WORKERS	CAR, TRUCK, OR VAN DROVE ALONE	CAR, TRUCK, OR VAN CARPOOLED	PUBLIC TRANS. EXCLUDING TAXICAB	WALKED	BICYCLE	TAXICAB, MOTORCYCLE, OR OTHER MEANS	WORKED FROM HOME
2013	10,918	77.8%	16.4%	0.0%	1.2%	0.7%	0.6%	3.3%
2018	12,035	72.5%	18.3%	0.4%	4.4%	0.0%	0.9%	3.5%
2023	12,698	79.2%	12.9%	0.0%	1.1%	0.2%	0.2%	6.4%

Note: Based on Workers 16 years and over

Source: Table S0801 - Commuting Characteristics by Sex, U.S. Census Bureau

TRAVEL TIME TO WORK

YEAR	LESS THAN 10 MINUTES	10 TO 14 MINUTES	15 TO 19 MINUTES	20 TO 24 MINUTES	25 TO 29 MINUTES	30 TO 34 MINUTES	35 TO 44 MINUTES	45 TO 59 MINUTES	60 OR MORE MINUTES
2013	12.2%	7.3%	10.1%	12.8%	3.9%	22.5%	11.1%	14.9%	5.3%
2018	10.8%	6.8%	11.5%	12.0%	4.6%	18.6%	8.8%	17.4%	9.6%
2023	15.0%	8.1%	6.6%	8.8%	9.0%	20.3%	7.0%	15.5%	9.6%

Note: Based on Workers 16 Years and over who did not work from home Source: Table S0801 - Commuting Characteristics by Sex, U.S. Census Bureau



VEHICLES AVAILABLE BY OCCUPIED HOUSING UNIT

YEAR	TOTAL OCCUPIED HOUSING UNITS	NO VEHICLES AVAILABLE	1 VEHICLE AVAILABLE	2 VEHICLES AVAILABLE	3 OR MORE VEHICLES AVAILABLE
2013	8,563	618	3,175	3,276	1,494
2018	9,982	570	3,994	3,563	1,855
2023	12,420	481	4,578	4,973	2,388

Source: Table DP04 - Selected Housing Characteristics, U.S. Census Bureau

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