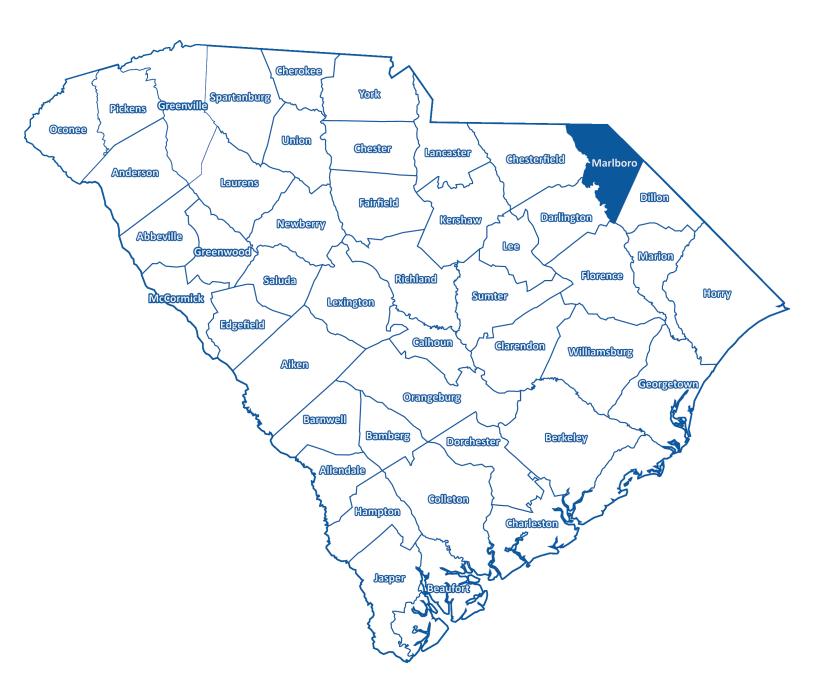
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Labor Market

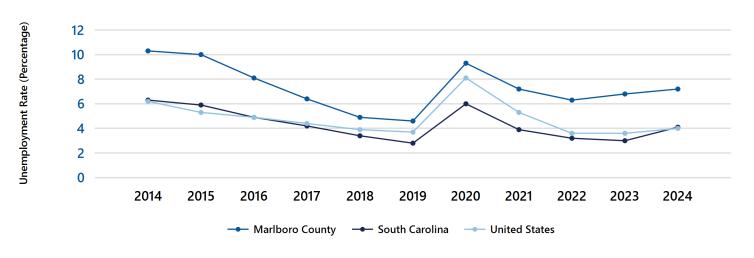
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ANNUAL UNEMPLOYMENT RATE (UNADJUSTED)



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SOUTH CAROLINA

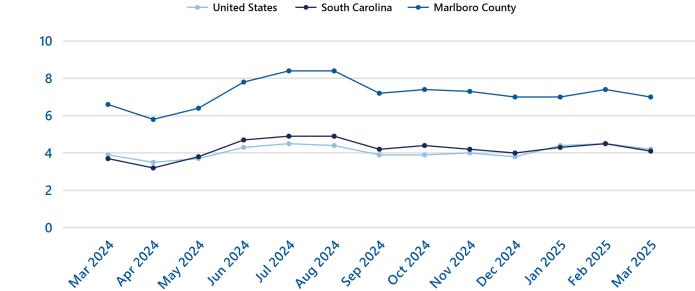
UNITED STATES

Year	Employment	Unemp.	Rate	Employment	Unemp.	Rate	Employment	Unemp.	Rate
2024	7,622	589	7.2%	2,430,453	105,178	4.1%	161,346,000	6,761,000	4.0%
2023	7,564	550	6.8%	2,401,212	74,248	3.0%	161,037,000	6,080,000	3.6%
2022	8,119	543	6.3%	2,330,548	77,339	3.2%	158,291,000	5,996,000	3.6%
2021	8,572	662	7.2%	2,272,940	92,676	3.9%	152,581,000	8,623,000	5.3%
2020	8,586	879	9.3%	2,201,090	140,613	6.0%	147,795,000	12,947,000	8.1%
2019	8,917	430	4.6%	2,263,682	64,405	2.8%	157,538,000	6,001,000	3.7%
2018	8,908	460	4.9%	2,206,821	76,542	3.4%	155,761,000	6,314,000	3.9%
2017	8,739	593	6.4%	2,168,104	94,845	4.2%	153,337,000	6,982,000	4.4%
2016	8,780	772	8.1%	2,145,584	110,199	4.9%	151,436,000	7,751,000	4.9%
2015	8,575	949	10.0%	2,108,786	132,281	5.9%	148,834,000	8,296,000	5.3%
2014	8,846	1,021	10.3%	2,063,369	138,475	6.3%	146,305,000	9,617,000	6.2%

Source: SC Department of Employment & Workforce

MONTHLY UNEMPLOYMENT RATE (UNADJUSTED)





Period	MARLBORO COUNTY	SOUTH CAROLINA	UNITED STATES
Mar 2025	7.0%	4.1%	4.2%
Feb 2025	7.4%	4.5%	4.5%
Jan 2025	7.0%	4.3%	4.4%
Dec 2024	7.0%	4.0%	3.8%
Nov 2024	7.3%	4.2%	4.0%
Oct 2024	7.4%	4.4%	3.9%
Sep 2024	7.2%	4.2%	3.9%
Aug 2024	8.4%	4.9%	4.4%
Jul 2024	8.4%	4.9%	4.5%
Jun 2024	7.8%	4.7%	4.3%
May 2024	6.4%	3.8%	3.7%
Apr 2024	5.8%	3.2%	3.5%
Mar 2024	6.6%	3.7%	3.9%

Source: SC Department of Employment & Workforce

Unemployment Rate (Percentage)

AREA JOB OPENINGS

MARLBORO COUNTY

SOUTH CAROLINA

Period	Employed	Unemployed	Unenmp. Rate	Employed	Unemployed	Unemp. Rate
Mar 2025	7,566	566	7.0%	2,445,419	105,657	4.1%
Feb 2025	7,556	602	7.4%	2,443,050	107,112	4.2%
Jan 2025	7,512	568	7.0%	2,439,667	109,341	4.3%
Dec 2024	7,559	565	7.0%	2,437,016	112,637	4.4%
Nov 2024	7,545	594	7.3%	2,437,183	112,954	4.4%
Oct 2024	7,625	607	7.4%	2,436,946	114,211	4.5%
Sep 2024	7,550	588	7.2%	2,435,531	115,873	4.5%
Aug 2024	7,546	691	8.4%	2,433,798	116,576	4.6%
Jul 2024	7,599	700	8.4%	2,432,238	115,123	4.5%
Jun 2024	7,739	656	7.8%	2,430,644	111,177	4.4%
May 2024	7,662	526	6.4%	2,428,597	105,424	4.2%
Apr 2024	7,717	476	5.8%	2,426,252	99,053	3.9%
Mar 2024	7,692	547	6.6%	2,424,087	93,207	3.7%

Source: SC Department of Employment & Workforce & The Conference Board's Help Wanted OnLine $^{\circledR}$ data series South Carolina Data is Seasonally Adjusted

EMPLOYERS BY SIZE OF ESTABLISHMENT

Employees	Marlboro County	South Carolina
0 to 4	205	147,311
5 to 9	78	24,044
10 to 19	35	17,672
20 to 49	37	13,002
50 to 99	13	5,015
100 to 249	12	3,069
250 to 499	0	912
500 to 999	0	417
1000 +	0	307

Source: SC Department of Employment & Workforce

EMPLOYMENT BY SIZE OF ESTABLISHMENT

Employees	Marlboro County	South Carolina
0 to 4	213	150,934
5 to 9	528	160,035
10 to 19	473	240,440
20 to 49	1,107	395,156
50 to 99	875	346,437
100 to 249	1,695	467,356
250 to 499	0	311,369
500 to 999	0	284,827
1000 +	0	821,778

Source: SC Department of Employment & Workforce

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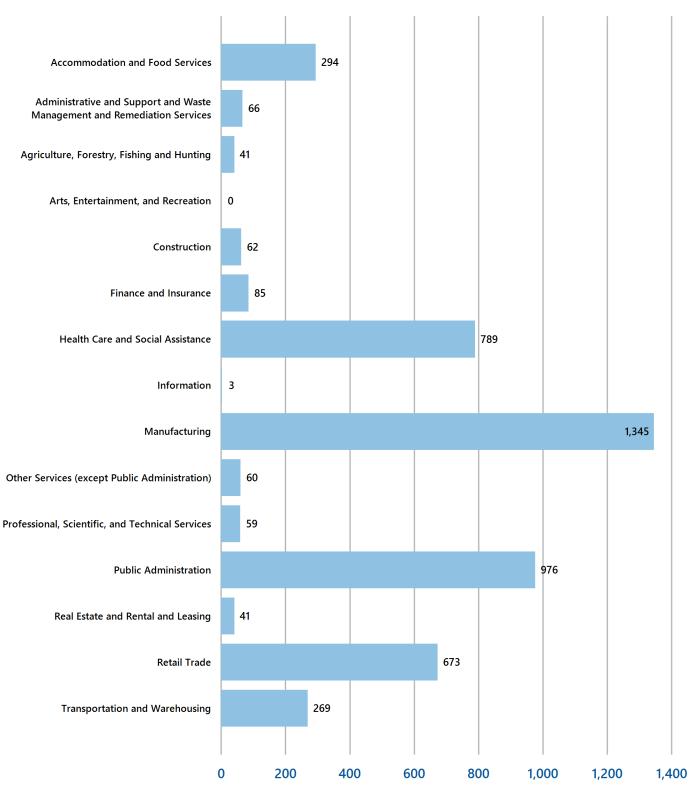
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20 LARGEST EMPLOYERS

AUSTIN MAINTENANCE & CONSTRUCTION I
Bennettsville Health Care LLC
CARESOUTH CAROLINA INC
CITY OF BENNETTSVILLE
COMMUNITY HOME CARE LLC
DEPT OF JUSTICE
DOMTAR PAPER COMPANY LLC
J L ANDERSON COMPANY INC
Kaufman Trailers LLC
MARLBORO COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION
MARLBORO COUNTY COUNCIL
MARLEY ENGINEERED PRODUCTS LLC
MPD CORPORATION
PRAIRIE PIZZA INC
PRIORITY ONE HOME HEALTHCARE INC
SADDLE PEAK LLC
SC DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS
SERVICE TRANSPORATION INC
UNAKA COMPANY INC
Wal-Mart Associates, Inc.

Source: SC Department of Employment & Workforce

EMPLOYMENT BY INDUSTRY



Source: SC Department of Employment & Workforce Quarterly Census of Employment and Wages (QCEW)

TOP 20 OCCUPATIONAL OPENINGS

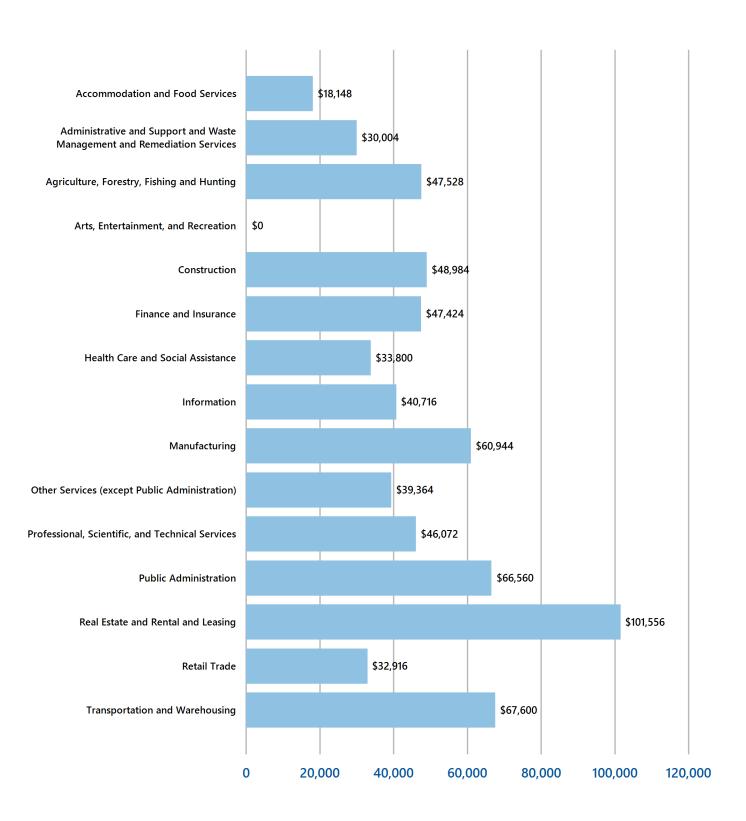
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OCCUPATION NAME (SOC CODE)	JOB OPENINGS
Production Workers, All Other (51-9199)	7
Retail Salespersons (41-2031)	6
Human Resources Specialists (13-1071)	5
Purchasing Managers (11-3061)	5
Welders, Cutters, Solderers, and Brazers (51-4121)	5
Industrial Machinery Mechanics (49-9041)	4
Automotive Service Technicians and Mechanics (49-3023)	3
First-Line Supervisors of Production and Operating Workers (51-1011)	3
Industrial Engineers (17-2112)	3
Medical and Health Services Managers (11-9111)	3

Source: SC Department of Employment & Workforce & The Conference Board's Help Wanted OnLine $^\circledR$ data series



AVERAGE ANNUAL WAGE BY INDUSTRY



Source: SC Department of Employment & Workforce Quarterly Census of Employment and Wages (QCEW)





LABOR MARKET PROJECTIONS

Total Employment by Industry

PEE DEE	2022	2032			
	Estimated Employment	Projected Employment	Change	Percent Change	Annual Percent
Total All Industries	138,298	155,054	16,756	12.12%	1.15%
Health Care and Social Assistance	20,777	24,076	3,299	15.88%	1.48%
Manufacturing	20,564	22,781	2,217	10.78%	1.03%
Retail Trade	15,589	17,317	1,728	11.08%	1.06%
Accommodation and Food Services	11,670	12,263	593	5.08%	0.50%
Educational Services	9,363	10,133	770	8.22%	0.79%
Transportation and Warehousing	9,116	13,030	3,914	42.94%	3.64%
Administrative and Support and Waste Management and Remediat	6,860	7,630	770	11.22%	1.07%
Other Services (except Government)	5,555	5,939	384	6.91%	0.67%
Wholesale Trade	4,589	4,902	313	6.82%	0.66%
Construction	4,164	4,342	178	4.27%	0.42%
Finance and Insurance	3,781	4,179	398	10.53%	1.01%
Professional, Scientific, and Technical Services	3,492	3,973	481	13.77%	1.30%
Management of Companies and Enterprises	1,459	2,029	570	39.07%	3.35%
Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing and Hunting	1,333	1,277	-56	-4.20%	-0.43%
Utilities	1,137	1,180	43	3.78%	0.37%
Real Estate and Rental and Leasing	998	1,064	66	6.61%	0.64%
Information	981	1,114	133	13.56%	1.28%
Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation	834	890	56	6.71%	0.65%
Mining, Quarrying, and Oil and Gas Extraction	174	201	27	15.52%	1.45%

Source: SC Department of Employment & Workforce - Industry Projections