

# COMMUNITY PROFILE

Edgefield County



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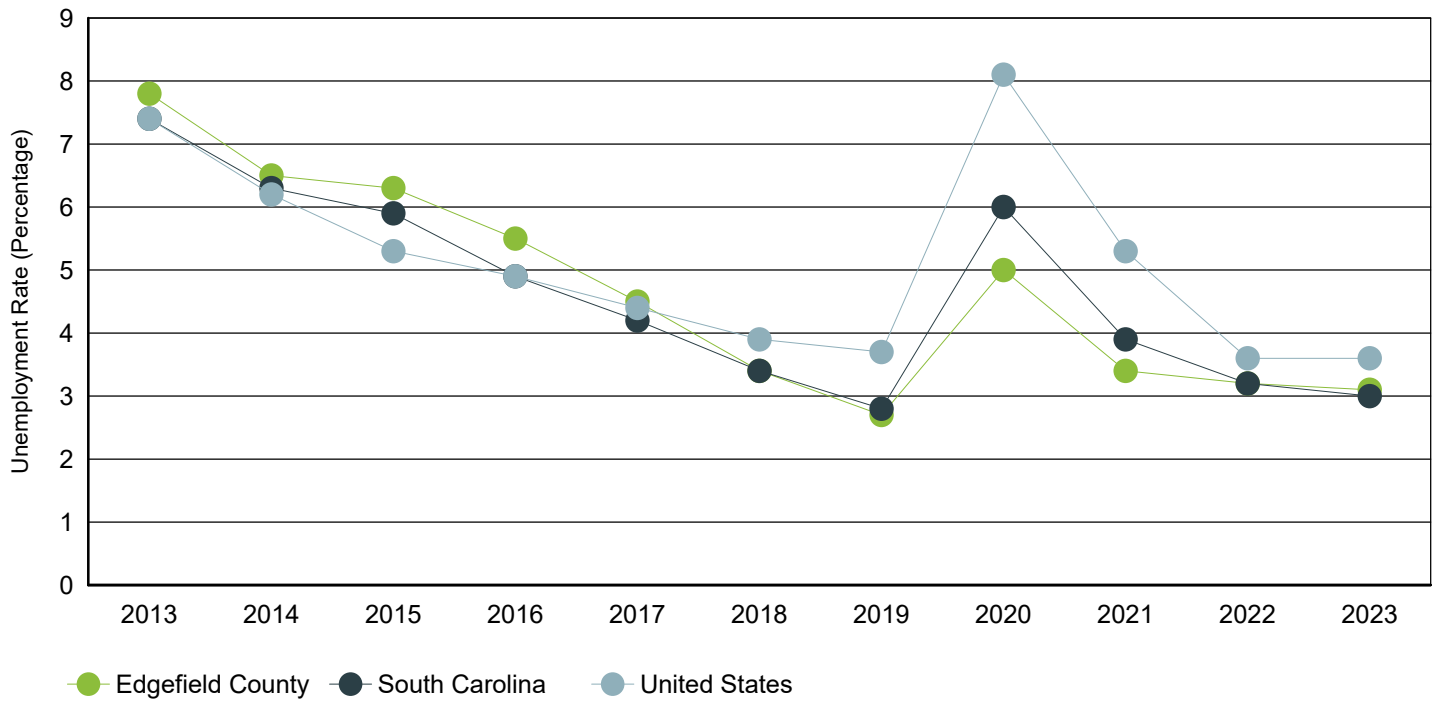
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## Annual Unemployment Rate (Unadjusted)

Trends

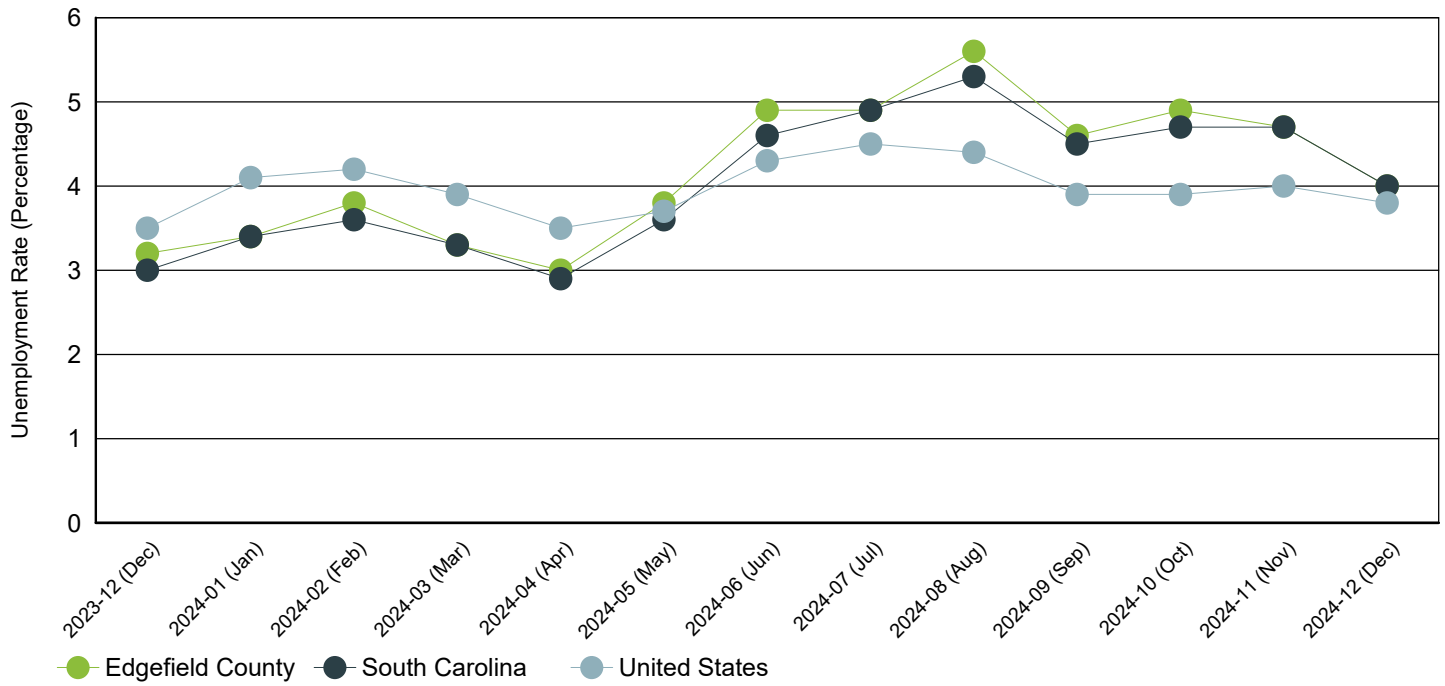


Year	Edgefield County			South Carolina			United States		
	Employment	Unemp	Rate	Employment	Unemp	Rate	Employment	Unemp	Rate
2023	10,067	320	3.1%	2,380,392	72,668	3.0%	161,037,000	6,080,000	3.6%
2022	10,002	334	3.2%	2,316,435	76,894	3.2%	158,291,000	5,996,000	3.6%
2021	10,000	347	3.4%	2,266,611	92,558	3.9%	152,581,000	8,623,000	5.3%
2020	9,871	519	5.0%	2,199,751	139,389	6.0%	147,795,000	12,947,000	8.1%
2019	10,271	288	2.7%	2,268,884	64,649	2.8%	157,538,000	6,001,000	3.7%
2018	10,037	355	3.4%	2,205,356	76,666	3.4%	155,761,000	6,314,000	3.9%
2017	9,897	466	4.5%	2,166,708	95,058	4.2%	153,337,000	6,982,000	4.4%
2016	9,931	583	5.5%	2,174,301	111,753	4.9%	151,436,000	7,751,000	4.9%
2015	9,991	669	6.3%	2,134,087	133,750	5.9%	148,834,000	8,296,000	5.3%
2014	9,862	690	6.5%	2,082,941	139,485	6.3%	146,305,000	9,617,000	6.2%
2013	9,723	827	7.8%	2,034,404	163,472	7.4%	143,929,000	11,460,000	7.4%

Source: S.C. Department of Employment & Workforce

## Monthly Unemployment Rate (Unadjusted)

Past 13 Months



Period	Edgefield County	South Carolina	United States
Dec 2024	4.0%	4.0%	3.8%
Nov 2024	4.7%	4.7%	4.0%
Oct 2024	4.9%	4.7%	3.9%
Sep 2024	4.6%	4.5%	3.9%
Aug 2024	5.6%	5.3%	4.4%
Jul 2024	4.9%	4.9%	4.5%
Jun 2024	4.9%	4.6%	4.3%
May 2024	3.8%	3.6%	3.7%
Apr 2024	3.0%	2.9%	3.5%
Mar 2024	3.3%	3.3%	3.9%
Feb 2024	3.8%	3.6%	4.2%
Jan 2024	3.4%	3.4%	4.1%
Dec 2023	3.2%	3.0%	3.5%

Source: S.C. Department of Employment & Workforce

## Area Job Openings

Period	Edgefield County				South Carolina			
	Employed	Unemployed	Unemp. Rate	Job Openings	Employed	Unemployed	Unemp. Rate	Job Openings
Dec-24	10,047	423	4.0%		2,417,169	119,485	4.7%	
Nov-24	9,961	494	4.7%		2,412,589	121,482	4.8%	
Oct-24	10,108	523	4.9%		2,413,165	118,097	4.7%	
Sep-24	10,099	488	4.6%		2,413,300	113,975	4.5%	
Aug-24	10,091	595	5.6%		2,414,624	107,891	4.3%	
Jul-24	10,332	538	4.9%		2,415,158	97,764	3.9%	
Jun-24	10,245	526	4.9%		2,410,159	89,718	3.6%	
May-24	10,153	396	3.8%		2,406,512	83,589	3.4%	
Apr-24	10,385	323	3.0%		2,404,517	79,782	3.2%	
Mar-24	10,274	352	3.3%		2,399,640	77,948	3.1%	
Feb-24	10,085	397	3.8%		2,396,195	76,424	3.1%	
Jan-24	9,894	350	3.4%		2,396,514	75,325	3.0%	
Dec-23	9,909	328	3.2%		2,395,427	74,873	3.0%	

Source: S.C. Department of Employment & Workforce & The Conference Board's Help Wanted OnLine® data series  
South Carolina Data is Seasonally Adjusted

## Employers by Size of Establishment

Employees	Edgefield County	South Carolina
0 to 4	303	147,311
5 to 9	73	24,044
10 to 19	47	17,672
20 to 49	47	13,002
50 to 99	11	5,015
100 to 249	10	3,069
250 to 499	0	912
500 to 999	0	417
1000 +	0	307

Source: S.C. Department of Employment & Workforce - 2024 Q2

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## Employment by Size of Establishment

Employees	Edgefield County	South Carolina
0 to 4	385	150,934
5 to 9	484	160,035
10 to 19	626	240,440
20 to 49	1,424	395,156
50 to 99	715	346,437
100 to 249	1,642	467,356
250 to 499	0	311,369
500 to 999	0	284,827
1000 +	0	821,778

Source: S.C. Department of Employment & Workforce - 2024 Q2

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## 20 Largest Employers

*(Listed Alphabetically)*

### Corporation Name

ANGFIELD PARTNERS LLC

BONDEX INC.

CAROLINA COVERTECH INC

COSTA LAYMAN LLC

COUNTY OF EDGEFIELD

DEPT OF JUSTICE

DOLGENCORP INC

Edgefield Community Healthcare LLC

EDGEFIELD COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION

EDGEFIELD COUNTY SENIOR CITIZENS CO

Generac Power Systems Inc

Junior Food Stores

LYDALL/SOUTHERN FELT COMPANY

MENARDI LLC

MILLIKEN & COMPANY JOHNSTON MILL DI

NATIONAL WILD TURKEY FEDERATION IN

PAC TELL GROUP INC

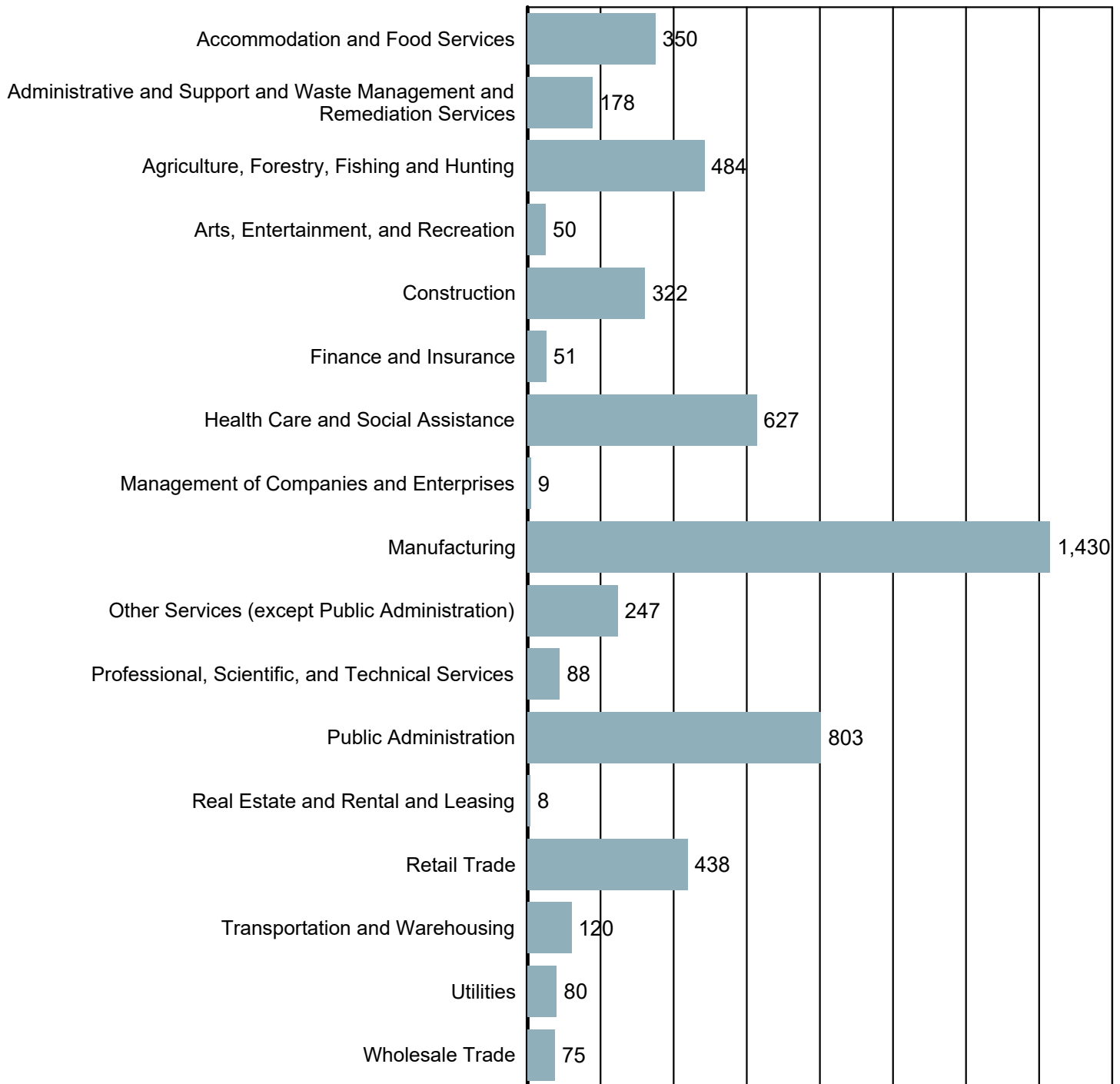
SC DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS

Self Regional Healthcare Partners

TRANTECH RADIATOR PRODUCTS INC

Source: S.C. Department of Employment & Workforce - 2024 Q2

## Employment by Industry



Source: S.C. Department of Employment & Workforce  
 Quarterly Census of Employment and Wages (QCEW) - 2024 Q2



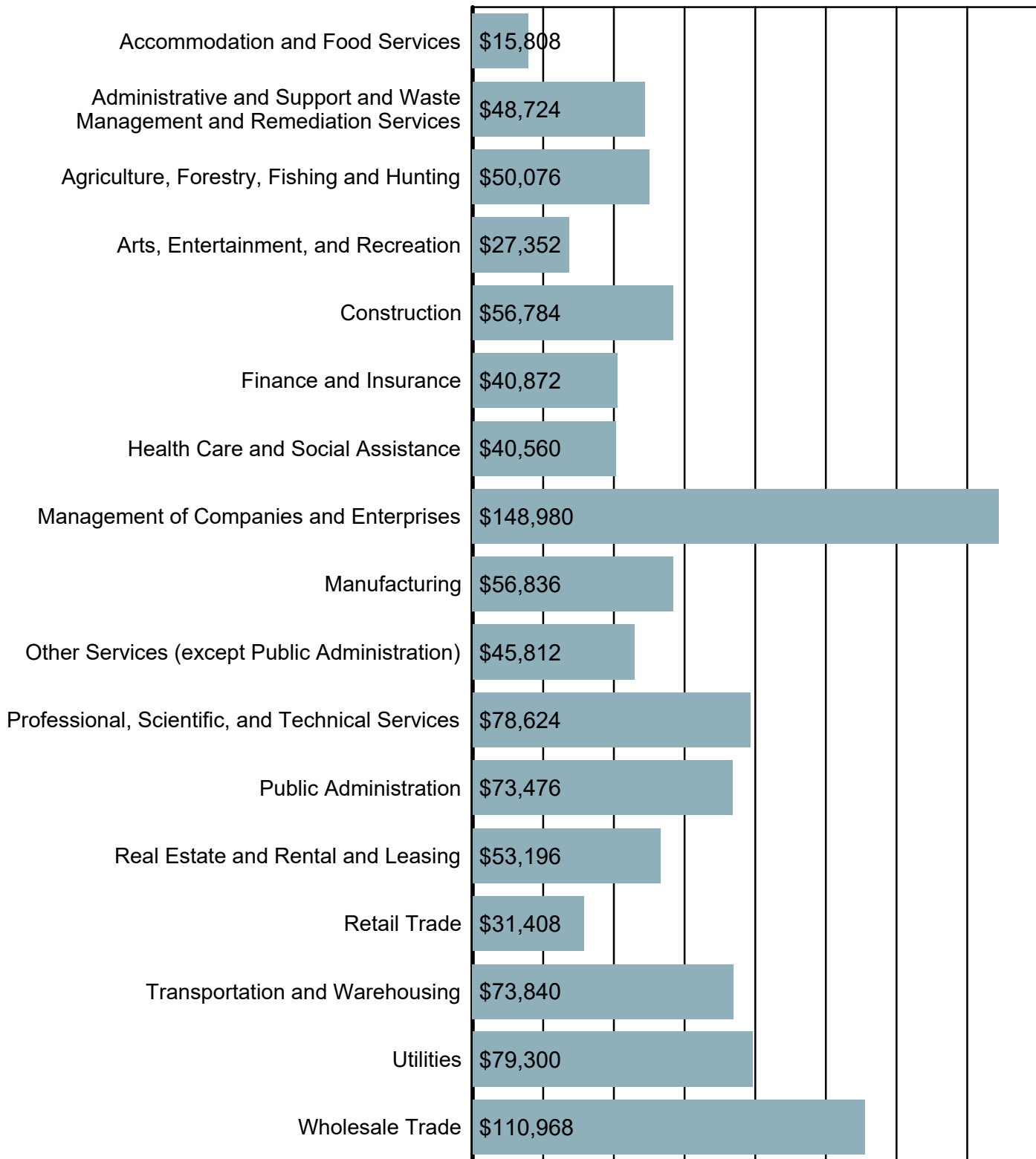
## Top 20 Occupational Openings

Edgefield County  
October-2023

Occupation Name (Soccode)	Job Openings
Retail Salespersons (41-2031)	13
Correctional Officers and Jailers (33-3012)	11
First-Line Supervisors of Retail Sales Workers (41-1011)	11
Registered Nurses (29-1141)	9
First-Line Supervisors of Food Preparation and Serving Workers (35-1012)	8
Fast Food and Counter Workers (35-3023)	7
Cashiers (41-2011)	6
Customer Service Representatives (43-4051)	6
Electrical Engineers (17-2071)	6
Heavy and Tractor-Trailer Truck Drivers (53-3032)	6
Laborers and Freight, Stock, and Material Movers, Hand (53-7062)	5
Stockers and Order Fillers (53-7065)	5
Hosts and Hostesses, Restaurant, Lounge, and Coffee Shop (35-9031)	4
Industrial Engineering Technologists and Technicians (17-3026)	4
Aircraft Structure, Surfaces, Rigging, and Systems Assemblers (51-2011)	3
Automotive Service Technicians and Mechanics (49-3023)	3
Food Service Managers (11-9051)	3
General and Operations Managers (11-1021)	3
Human Resources Specialists (13-1071)	3
Licensed Practical and Licensed Vocational Nurses (29-2061)	3

Source: S.C. Department of Employment & Workforce & The Conference Board's Help Wanted OnLine® data series

### Average Annual Wage by Industry



Source: S.C. Department of Employment & Workforce  
 Quarterly Census of Employment and Wages (QCEW) - 2024 Q2

## Labor Market Projections

*Total Employment by Industry*  
(County/Metropolitan Statistical Area Data Unavailable)

Note: Projections are available by Workforce Investment Area (WIA). The data displayed is selected from the appropriate WIA.

Upper Savannah Industry	2020 Estimated Employment	2030 Projected Employment	Change	Percent Change	Annual Percent
Total All Industries	86,880	90,203	3,323	3.82	0.38
Health Care and Social Assistance	9,801	12,504	2,703	27.58	2.47
Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation	784	1,483	699	89.16	6.58
Administrative and Support and Waste Management and Remediat	5,030	5,496	466	9.26	0.89
Accommodation and Food Services	5,406	5,857	451	8.34	0.80
Finance and Insurance	1,180	1,404	224	18.98	1.75
Transportation and Warehousing	2,245	2,452	207	9.22	0.89
Information	374	500	126	33.69	2.95
Retail Trade	7,963	8,070	107	1.34	0.13
Mining	52	46	-6	-11.54	-1.22
Wholesale Trade	2,045	2,037	-8	-0.39	-0.04
Management of Companies and Enterprises	169	156	-13	-7.69	-0.80
Real Estate and Rental and Leasing	457	440	-17	-3.72	-0.38
Professional, Scientific, and Technical Services	1,151	1,129	-22	-1.91	-0.19
Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing and Hunting	1,581	1,555	-26	-1.64	-0.17
Utilities	272	240	-32	-11.76	-1.24
Other Services (except Government)	3,541	3,401	-140	-3.95	-0.40
Government	8,288	8,113	-175	-2.11	-0.21
Educational Services	7,369	7,145	-224	-3.04	-0.31
Construction	3,168	2,901	-267	-8.43	-0.88
Manufacturing	21,966	21,456	-510	-2.32	-0.23

Source: S.C. Department of Employment & Workforce - Industry Projections