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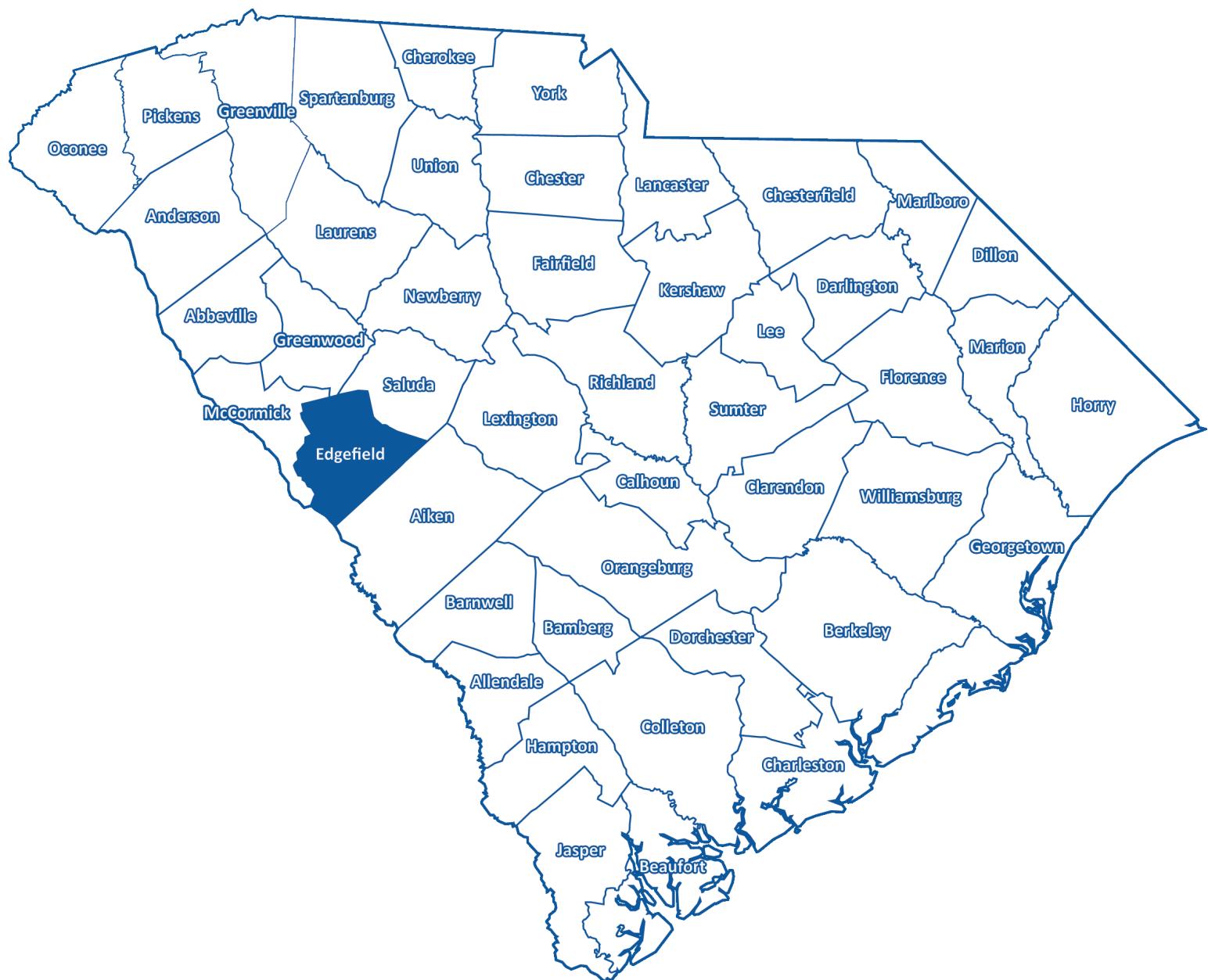


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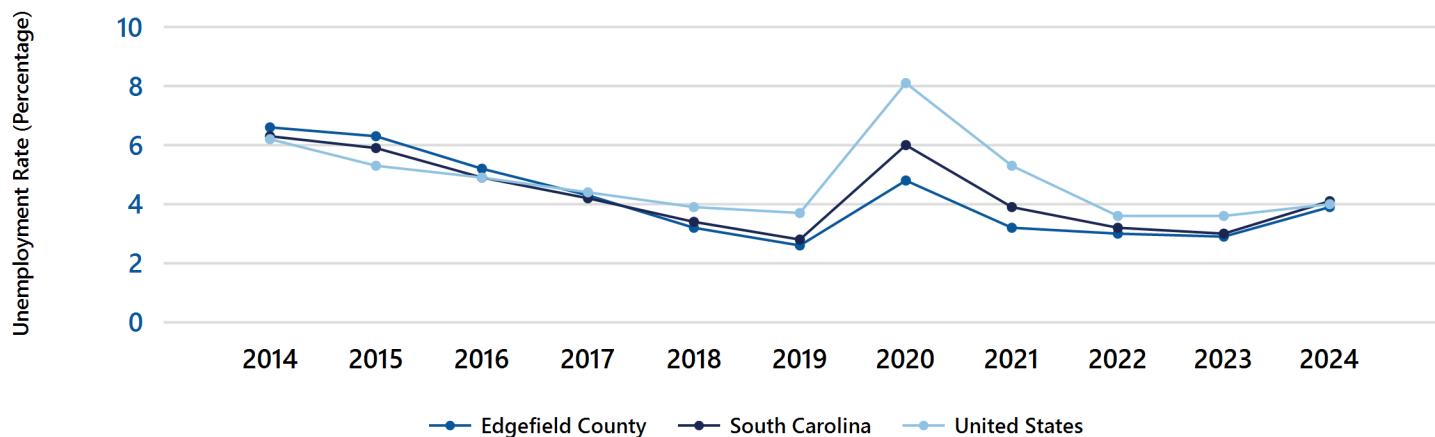
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ANNUAL UNEMPLOYMENT RATE



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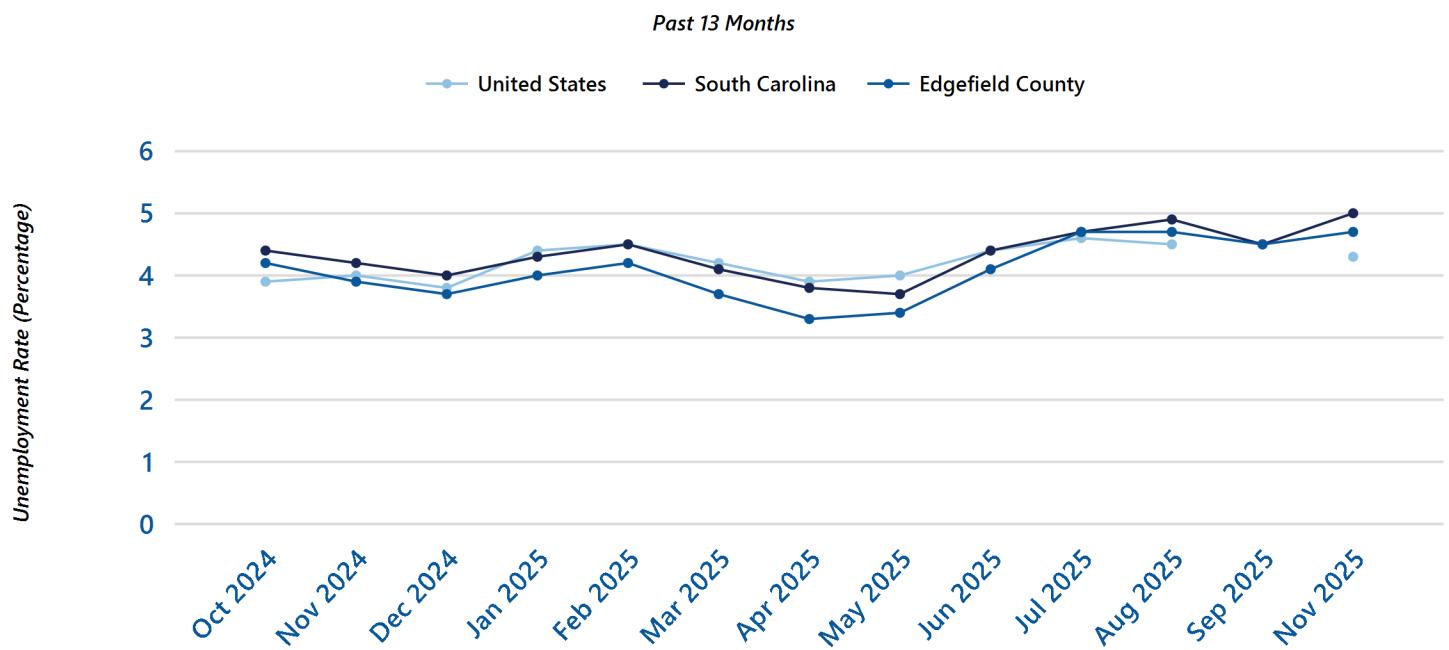
SOUTH CAROLINA

UNITED STATES

Year	Employment	Unemp.	Rate	Employment	Unemp.	Rate	Employment	Unemp.	Rate
2024	11,210	457	3.9%	2,430,453	105,178	4.1%	161,346,000	6,761,000	4.0%
2023	11,075	329	2.9%	2,401,212	74,248	3.0%	161,037,000	6,080,000	3.6%
2022	10,824	339	3.0%	2,330,548	77,339	3.2%	158,291,000	5,996,000	3.6%
2021	10,677	349	3.2%	2,272,940	92,676	3.9%	152,581,000	8,623,000	5.3%
2020	10,374	522	4.8%	2,201,090	140,613	6.0%	147,795,000	12,947,000	8.1%
2019	10,770	286	2.6%	2,263,682	64,405	2.8%	157,538,000	6,001,000	3.7%
2018	10,570	354	3.2%	2,206,821	76,542	3.4%	155,761,000	6,314,000	3.9%
2017	10,516	467	4.3%	2,168,104	94,845	4.2%	153,337,000	6,982,000	4.4%
2016	10,517	579	5.2%	2,145,584	110,199	4.9%	151,436,000	7,751,000	4.9%
2015	9,872	662	6.3%	2,108,786	132,281	5.9%	148,834,000	8,296,000	5.3%
2014	9,769	685	6.6%	2,063,369	138,475	6.3%	146,305,000	9,617,000	6.2%

Source: DEW LMI/BLS - Local Area Unemployment Statistics

MONTHLY UNEMPLOYMENT RATE



Period	EDGEFIELD COUNTY	SOUTH CAROLINA	UNITED STATES
Nov 2025	4.7%	5.0%	4.3%
Sep 2025	4.5%	4.5%	%
Aug 2025	4.7%	4.9%	4.5%
Jul 2025	4.7%	4.7%	4.6%
Jun 2025	4.1%	4.4%	4.4%
May 2025	3.4%	3.7%	4.0%
Apr 2025	3.3%	3.8%	3.9%
Mar 2025	3.7%	4.1%	4.2%
Feb 2025	4.2%	4.5%	4.5%
Jan 2025	4.0%	4.3%	4.4%
Dec 2024	3.7%	4.0%	3.8%
Nov 2024	3.9%	4.2%	4.0%
Oct 2024	4.2%	4.4%	3.9%

Source: DEW LMI/BLS - Local Area Unemployment Statistics

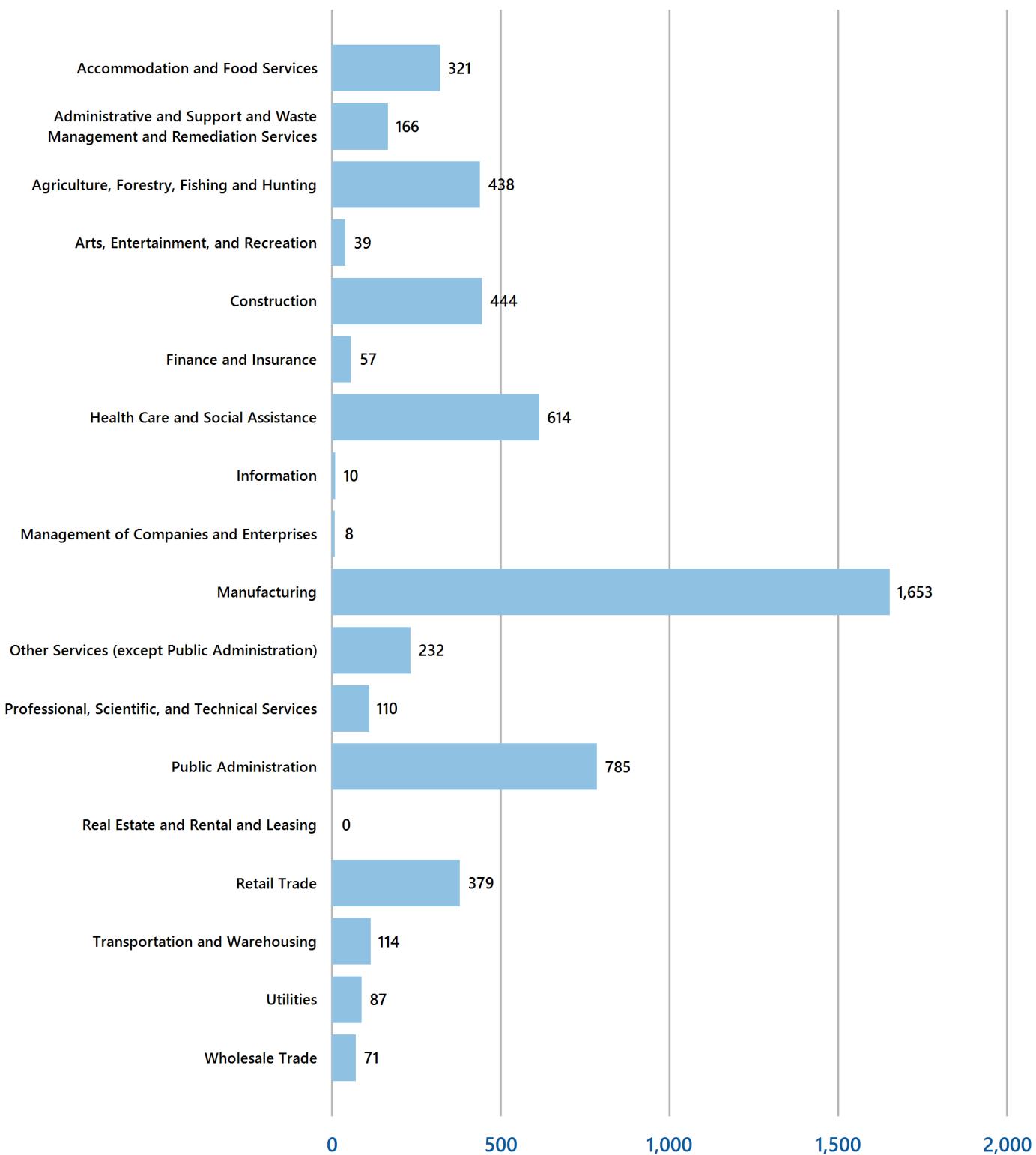
20 LARGEST EMPLOYERS

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
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
Smyrna Ready Mix Concrete LLC
TRANTECH RADIATOR PRODUCTS INC

Source: South Carolina Department of Employment & Workforce QCEW

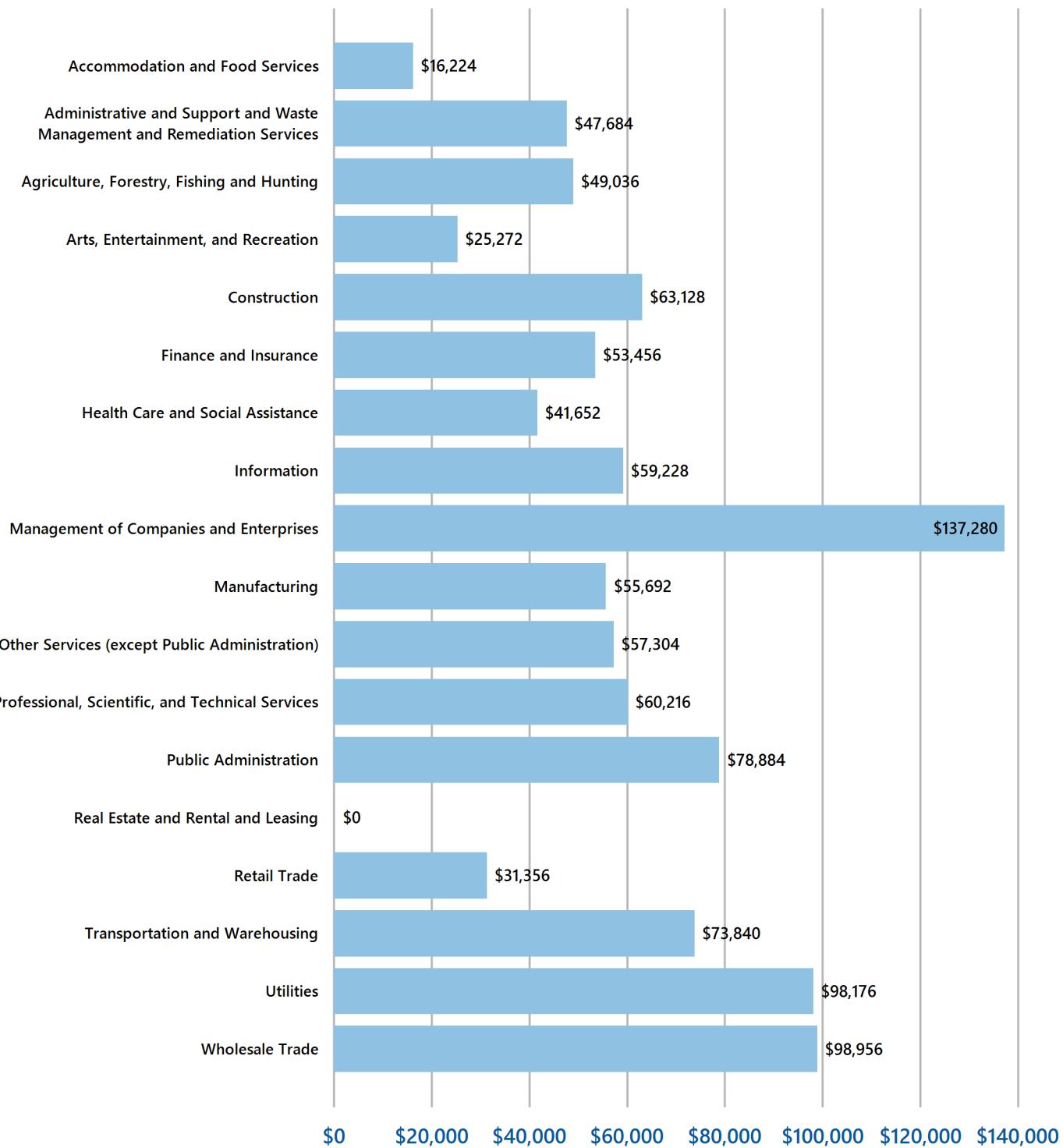
Note: This list is derived from unemployment insurance accounts and some employers may be duplicated due to variations in their reported name. Also, employers are listed alphabetically, not in rank order.

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

UPPER SAVANNAH	2022	2032	Change	Percent Change	Annual Percent Change
	Estimated Employment	Projected Employment			
Total All Industries	89,943	97,466	7,523	8.4%	0.8%
Manufacturing	24,237	25,534	1,297	5.4%	0.5%
Health Care and Social Assistance	9,996	11,350	1,354	13.5%	1.3%
Retail Trade	8,010	8,862	852	10.6%	1.0%
Educational Services	7,681	8,313	632	8.2%	0.8%
Accommodation and Food Services	5,888	6,206	318	5.4%	0.5%
Administrative and Support and Waste Management and Remediat	4,325	4,776	451	10.4%	1.0%
Other Services (except Government)	3,779	4,042	263	7.0%	0.7%
Construction	3,192	3,295	103	3.2%	0.3%
Transportation and Warehousing	2,302	3,270	968	42.1%	3.6%
Wholesale Trade	2,124	2,271	147	6.9%	0.7%
Finance and Insurance	1,321	1,436	115	8.7%	0.8%
Professional, Scientific, and Technical Services	1,320	1,502	182	13.8%	1.3%
Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation	773	830	57	7.4%	0.7%
Real Estate and Rental and Leasing	484	516	32	6.6%	0.6%
Information	444	601	157	35.4%	3.1%
Utilities	280	290	10	3.6%	0.4%
Management of Companies and Enterprises	152	211	59	38.8%	3.3%

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
2014	6,061	197	314	2,593	1,514	1,443
2019	5,744	219	357	2,390	1,589	1,189

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
2014	18,936	1,309	2,121	7,087	3,374	1,516	2,266	1,263	N/A*	N/A*
2019	19,672	1,315	2,043	7,221	4,083	1,732	2,006	1,272	16,314	3,278

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
2014	21,156	2,131	19,025
2019	21,958	1,986	19,972

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
2014	23,900	3,568	5,398	256	14,848	2,094	3,654	1,218
2019	24,442	3,981	4,935	338	14,816	1,680	4,691	1,963

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
2014	26,447	23,049	N/A*	3,157	1,281	1,876	1,242	634	241
2019	26,800	23,816	N/A*	2,929	837	2,092	1,348	744	55

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
2014	23,712	1,602	1,399	133	45	25
2019	24,455	1,470	1,295	51	50	74

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
2014	11,290	10,080	1,210
2019	11,355	10,602	753

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
2014	10,080	7,636	1,715	729	0
2019	10,602	8,369	1,634	547	52

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
2014	10,080	2,680	1,628	2,243	1,474	2,055
2019	10,602	3,029	1,843	2,093	1,628	2,009

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, [click here](#).

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
2014	15,835	9,762	69	84	0	382	441
2019	16,163	9,511	107	31	0	78	491

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
2014	9,874	79.3%	15.4%	0.7%	0.9%	0.0%	1.1%	2.7%
2019	10,447	83.3%	8.4%	1.6%	2.1%	0.0%	1.0%	3.6%

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
2014	11.0%	12.7%	13.7%	16.7%	6.6%	17.6%	6.8%	8.1%	6.6%
2019	15.7%	10.0%	13.9%	13.5%	5.9%	13.6%	7.9%	12.7%	6.8%

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
2014	9,043	527	2,268	3,556	2,692
2019	9,176	546	2,609	3,161	2,860

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

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