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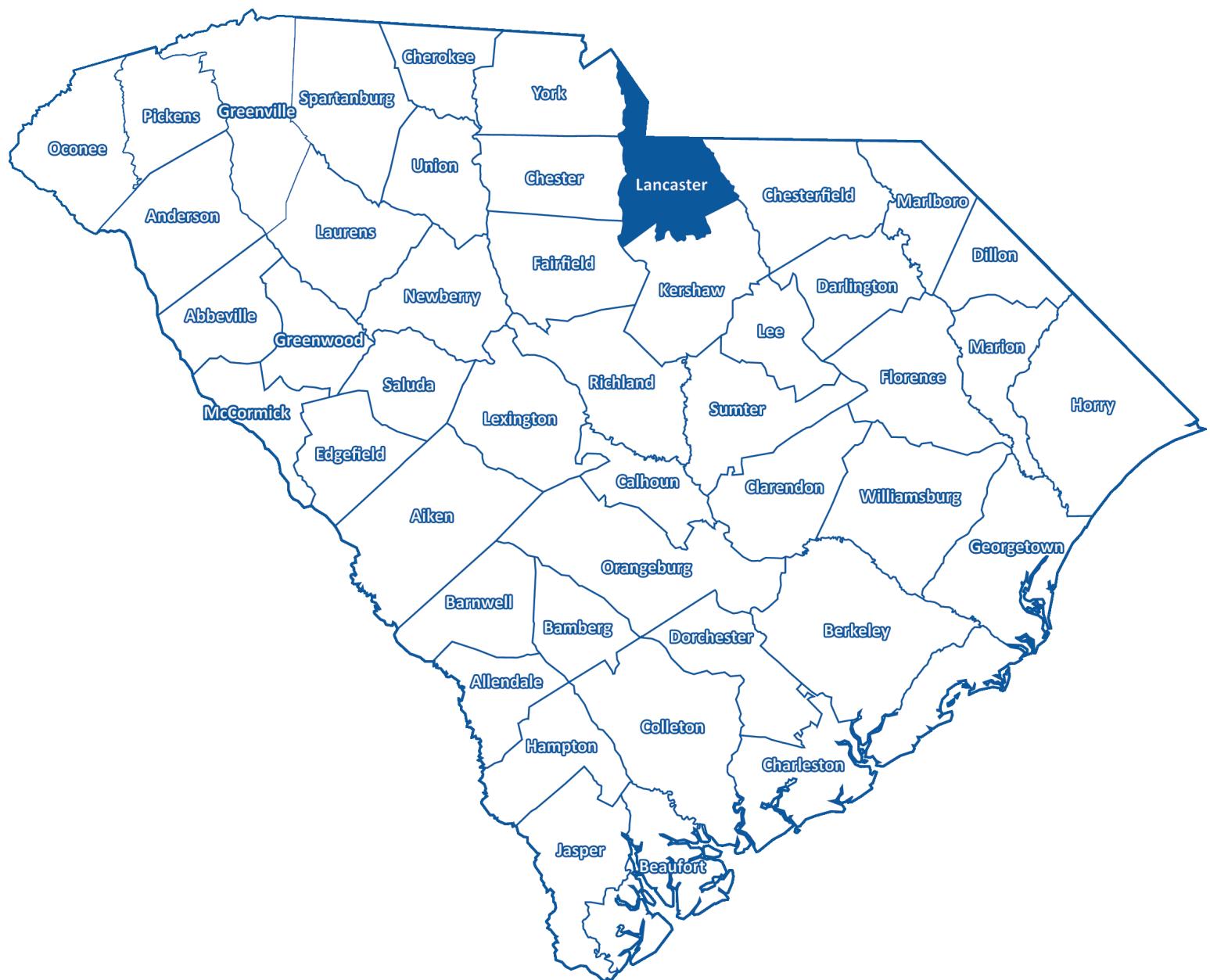


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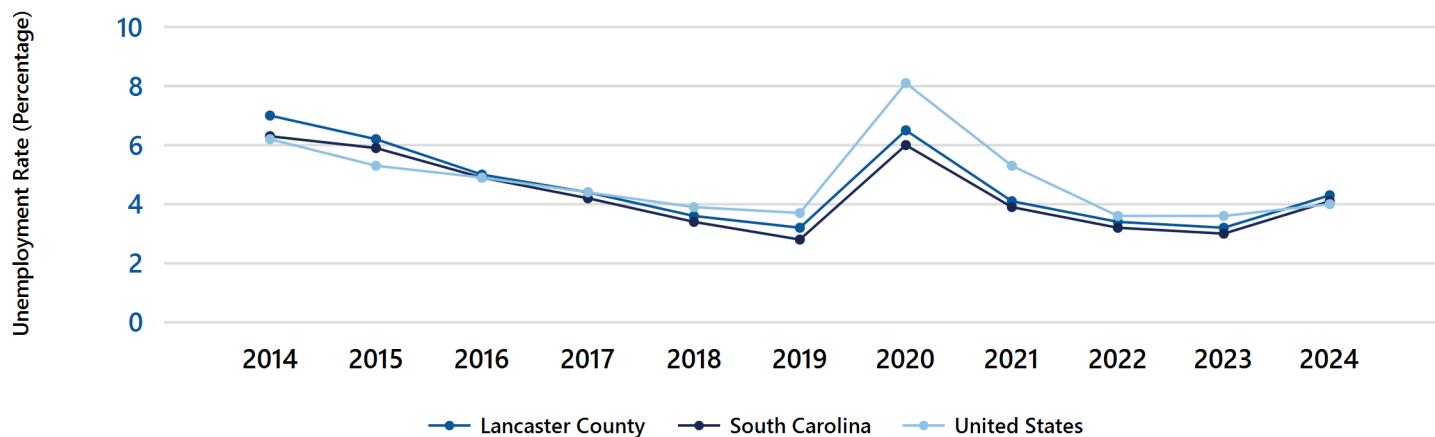
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ANNUAL UNEMPLOYMENT RATE



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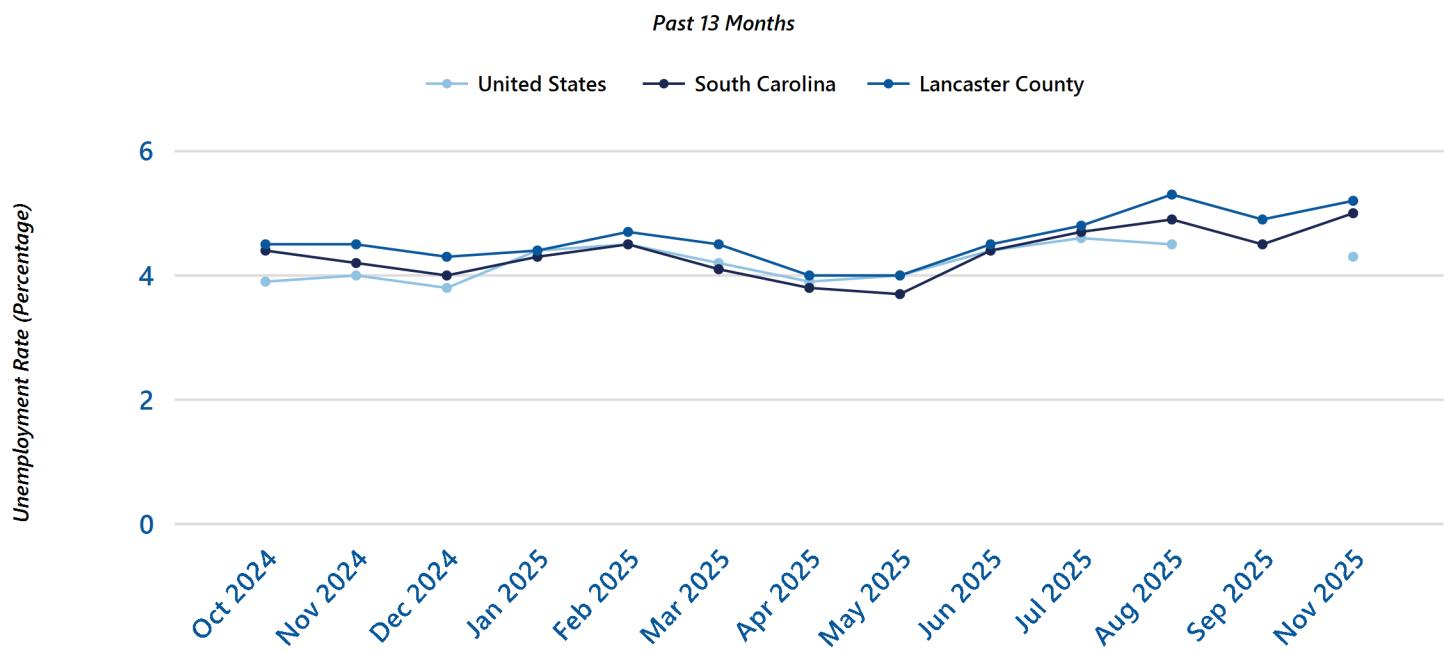
SOUTH CAROLINA

UNITED STATES

Year	Employment	Unemp.	Rate	Employment	Unemp.	Rate	Employment	Unemp.	Rate
2024	47,462	2,121	4.3%	2,430,453	105,178	4.1%	161,346,000	6,761,000	4.0%
2023	47,044	1,534	3.2%	2,401,212	74,248	3.0%	161,037,000	6,080,000	3.6%
2022	44,986	1,582	3.4%	2,330,548	77,339	3.2%	158,291,000	5,996,000	3.6%
2021	42,693	1,838	4.1%	2,272,940	92,676	3.9%	152,581,000	8,623,000	5.3%
2020	40,129	2,794	6.5%	2,201,090	140,613	6.0%	147,795,000	12,947,000	8.1%
2019	40,208	1,317	3.2%	2,263,682	64,405	2.8%	157,538,000	6,001,000	3.7%
2018	38,370	1,435	3.6%	2,206,821	76,542	3.4%	155,761,000	6,314,000	3.9%
2017	37,447	1,743	4.4%	2,168,104	94,845	4.2%	153,337,000	6,982,000	4.4%
2016	36,595	1,946	5.0%	2,145,584	110,199	4.9%	151,436,000	7,751,000	4.9%
2015	33,993	2,258	6.2%	2,108,786	132,281	5.9%	148,834,000	8,296,000	5.3%
2014	32,477	2,458	7.0%	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	LANCASTER COUNTY	SOUTH CAROLINA	UNITED STATES
Nov 2025	5.2%	5.0%	4.3%
Sep 2025	4.9%	4.5%	%
Aug 2025	5.3%	4.9%	4.5%
Jul 2025	4.8%	4.7%	4.6%
Jun 2025	4.5%	4.4%	4.4%
May 2025	4.0%	3.7%	4.0%
Apr 2025	4.0%	3.8%	3.9%
Mar 2025	4.5%	4.1%	4.2%
Feb 2025	4.7%	4.5%	4.5%
Jan 2025	4.4%	4.3%	4.4%
Dec 2024	4.3%	4.0%	3.8%
Nov 2024	4.5%	4.2%	4.0%
Oct 2024	4.5%	4.4%	3.9%

Source: DEW LMI/BLS - Local Area Unemployment Statistics

20 LARGEST EMPLOYERS

CMHA PRIMARY CARE FACILITIES INC

CONTINENTAL TIRE NORTH AMERICA INC

FOOD LION LLC

FOUNDERS FEDERAL CREDIT UNION

HAILE GOLD MINE INC

KANAWHA INSURANCE COMPANY

KEER AMERICA CORPORATION

LANCASTER COUNTY

LANCASTER COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT

MEDICAL UNIV OF SC HOSPITAL AUTHORITY

MOVEMENT MORTGAGE LLC

MUSC Community Physicians

NUTRAMAX MANUFACTURING INC

PCI GROUP INC

RBUS INC

REMAC CORPORATION

SRM MANAGEMENT GROUP LLC

THE BUDD GROUP INC

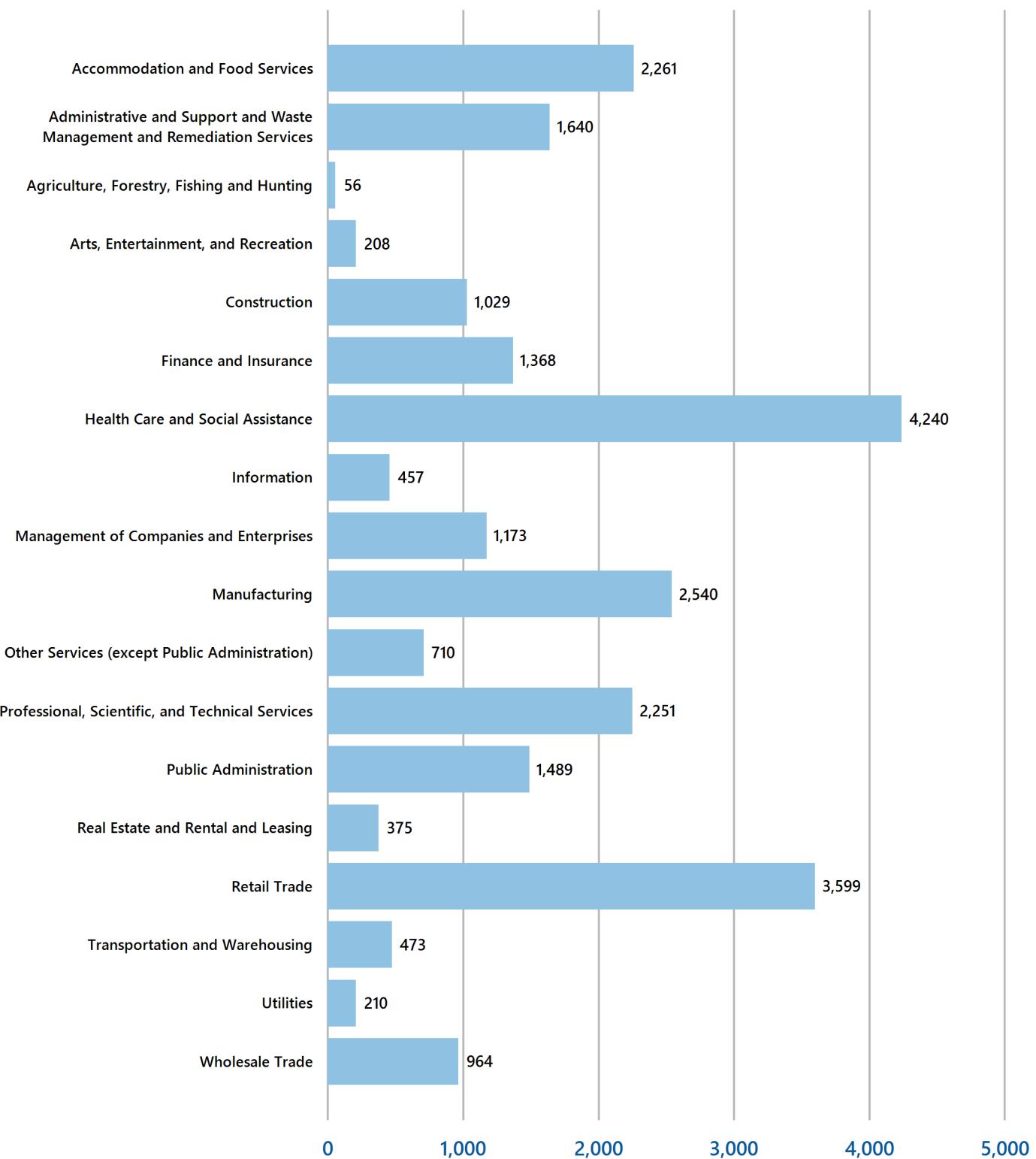
TriNet USA Inc

WAL-MART ASSOCIATES INC

Source: South Carolina Department of Employment & Workforce QCEW

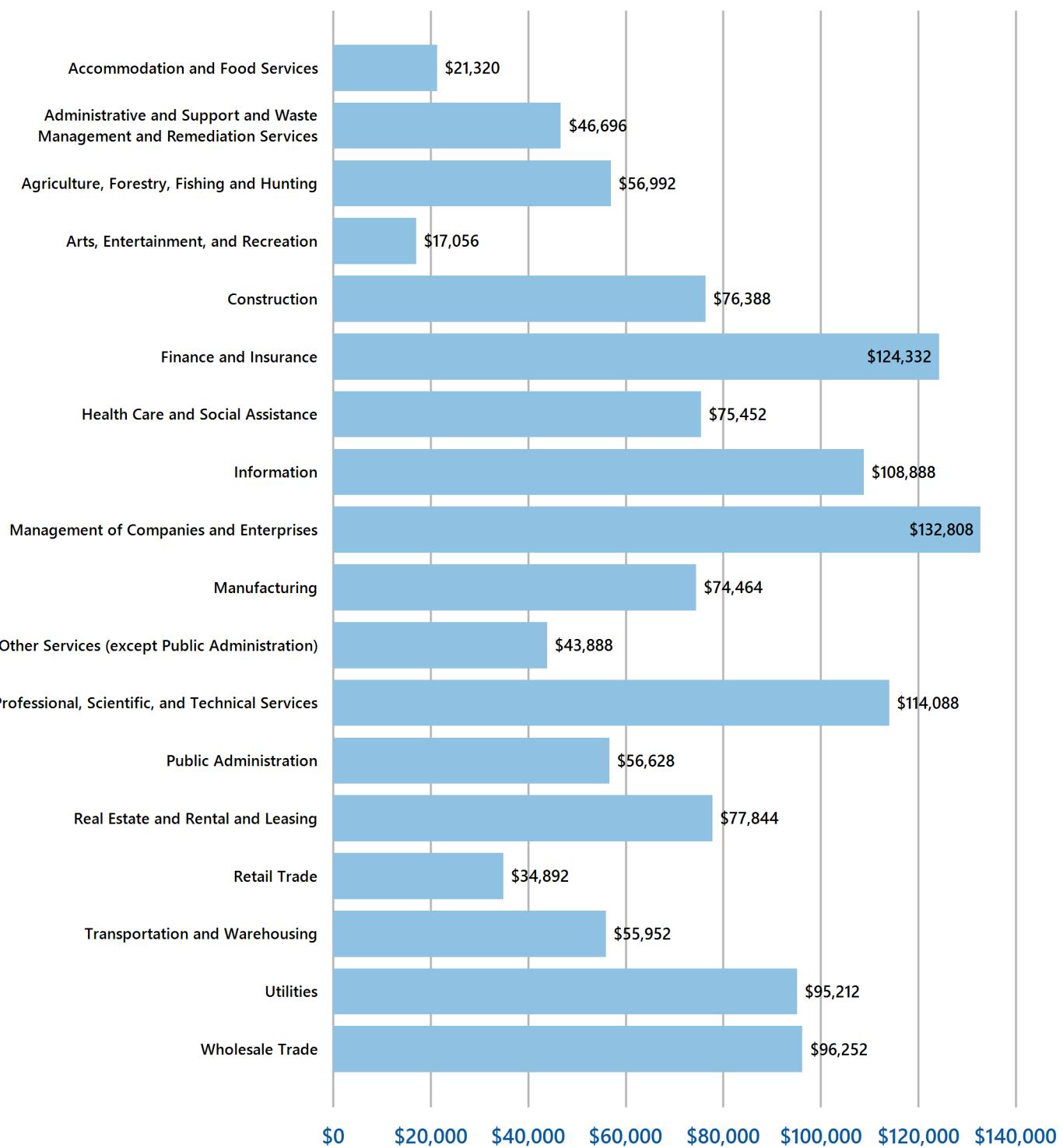
Note: This list is derived from unemployment insurance accounts and some employers may be duplicated due to variations in their reported name. Also, employers are listed alphabetically, not in rank order.

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

CATAWBA	2022	2032	Change	Percent Change	Annual Percent Change
	Estimated Employment	Projected Employment			
Total All Industries	158,459	179,471	21,012	13.3%	1.3%
Retail Trade	17,568	19,504	1,936	11.0%	1.1%
Manufacturing	17,437	18,702	1,265	7.3%	0.7%
Health Care and Social Assistance	14,050	17,227	3,177	22.6%	2.1%
Accommodation and Food Services	13,951	14,702	751	5.4%	0.5%
Educational Services	12,688	13,732	1,044	8.2%	0.8%
Professional, Scientific, and Technical Services	8,911	10,142	1,231	13.8%	1.3%
Administrative and Support and Waste Management and Remediat	8,059	9,022	963	11.9%	1.1%
Other Services (except Government)	7,713	8,244	531	6.9%	0.7%
Wholesale Trade	6,995	7,497	502	7.2%	0.7%
Management of Companies and Enterprises	6,855	9,541	2,686	39.2%	3.4%
Construction	6,544	6,698	154	2.4%	0.2%
Finance and Insurance	6,284	7,546	1,262	20.1%	1.8%
Transportation and Warehousing	6,017	8,925	2,908	48.3%	4.0%
Information	3,035	3,647	612	20.2%	1.9%
Real Estate and Rental and Leasing	2,258	2,689	431	19.1%	1.8%
Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation	2,155	2,441	286	13.3%	1.3%
Utilities	1,140	1,184	44	3.9%	0.4%
Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing and Hunting	912	915	3	0.3%	0.0%
Mining, Quarrying, and Oil and Gas Extraction	693	797	104	15.0%	1.4%

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	17,570	924	1,057	8,151	4,238	3,200
2019	19,234	1,099	1,003	9,384	4,046	3,702

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	55,321	2,873	5,601	19,402	11,731	4,507	7,562	3,645	N/A*	N/A*
2019	65,993	3,088	6,213	19,753	12,480	6,729	11,790	5,940	56,692	17,730

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	61,591	6,352	55,239
2019	72,189	6,151	66,038

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	77,887	11,259	17,857	324	46,633	6,417	13,397	4,518
2019	90,282	11,922	20,045	1,132	51,739	5,427	18,498	5,363

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	78,412	69,669	N/A*	8,538	5,840	2,698	1,032	1,666	205
2019	91,548	79,950	N/A*	11,432	5,101	6,331	1,797	4,534	166

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	70,530	4,065	2,964	829	140	132
2019	81,195	5,618	4,125	704	755	34

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	36,017	31,680	4,337
2019	41,732	38,913	2,819

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	31,680	25,739	4,121	1,757	63
2019	38,913	32,261	4,709	1,847	96

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	31,680	8,825	5,325	9,114	3,157	5,259
2019	38,913	13,133	6,020	9,124	3,894	6,742

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	58,803	18,453	320	516	51	529	843
2019	68,565	19,412	91	65	0	355	2,306

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	31,216	84.6%	10.2%	0.1%	1.0%	0.0%	1.4%	2.8%
2019	38,349	84.4%	7.3%	0.7%	0.4%	0.0%	1.1%	6.1%

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	11.9%	13.2%	14.3%	13.4%	4.3%	14.2%	9.5%	10.7%	8.4%
2019	8.9%	12.6%	11.6%	10.2%	6.3%	15.0%	9.7%	14.8%	11.0%

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	29,104	1,810	9,964	11,187	6,143
2019	33,899	1,647	10,605	14,117	7,530

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

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