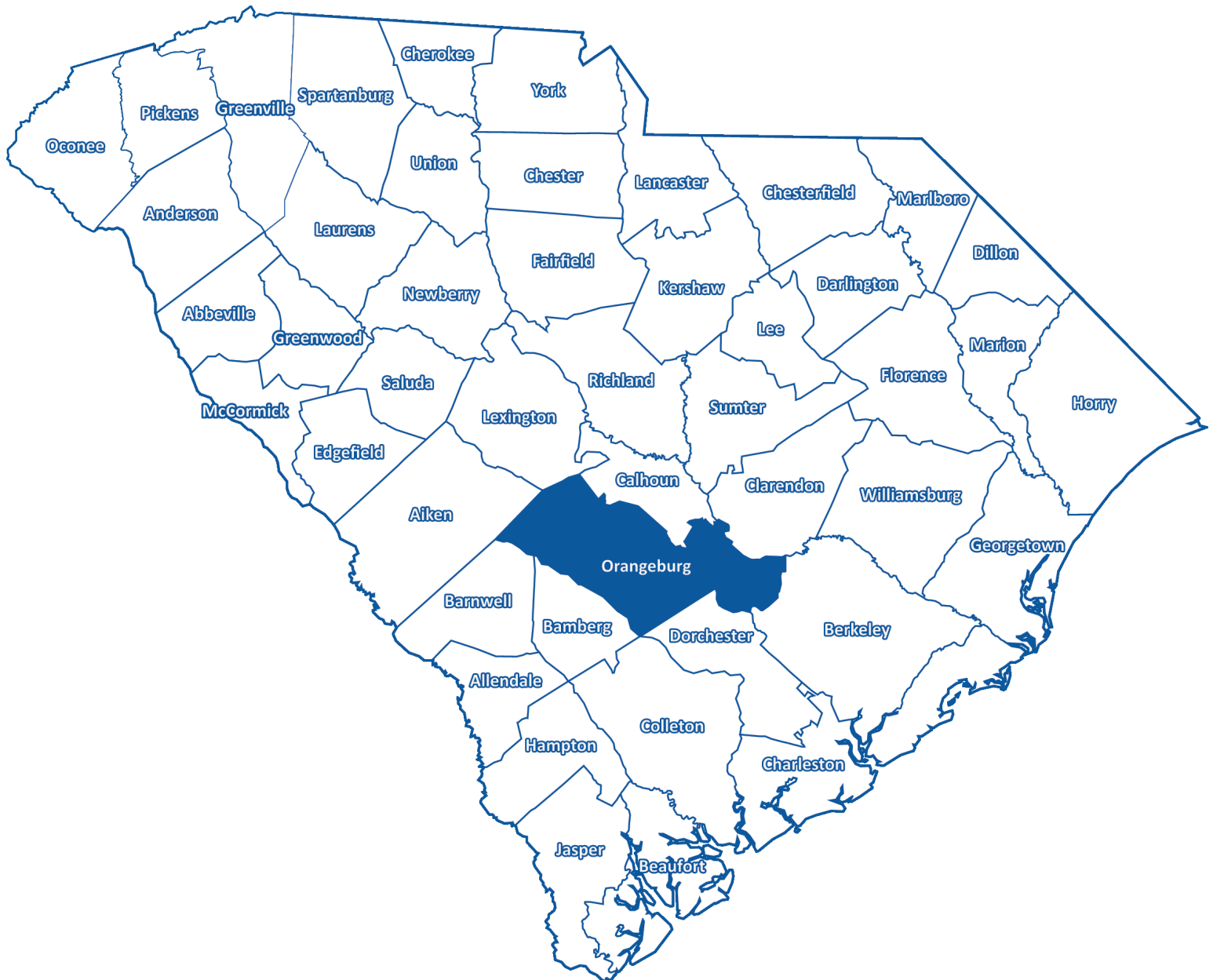


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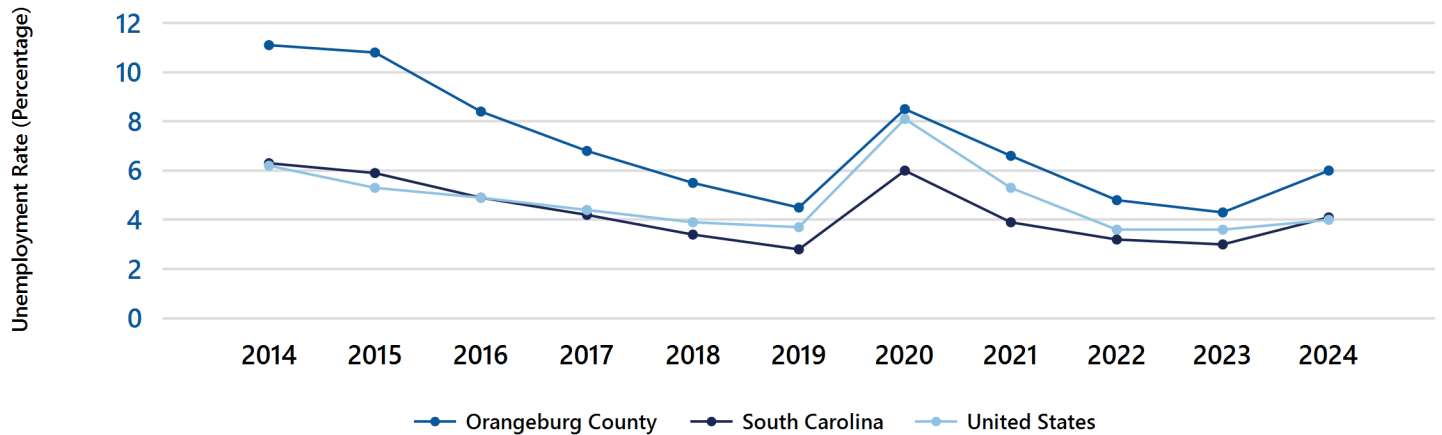
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ANNUAL UNEMPLOYMENT RATE



ORANGEBURG COUNTY

SOUTH CAROLINA

UNITED STATES

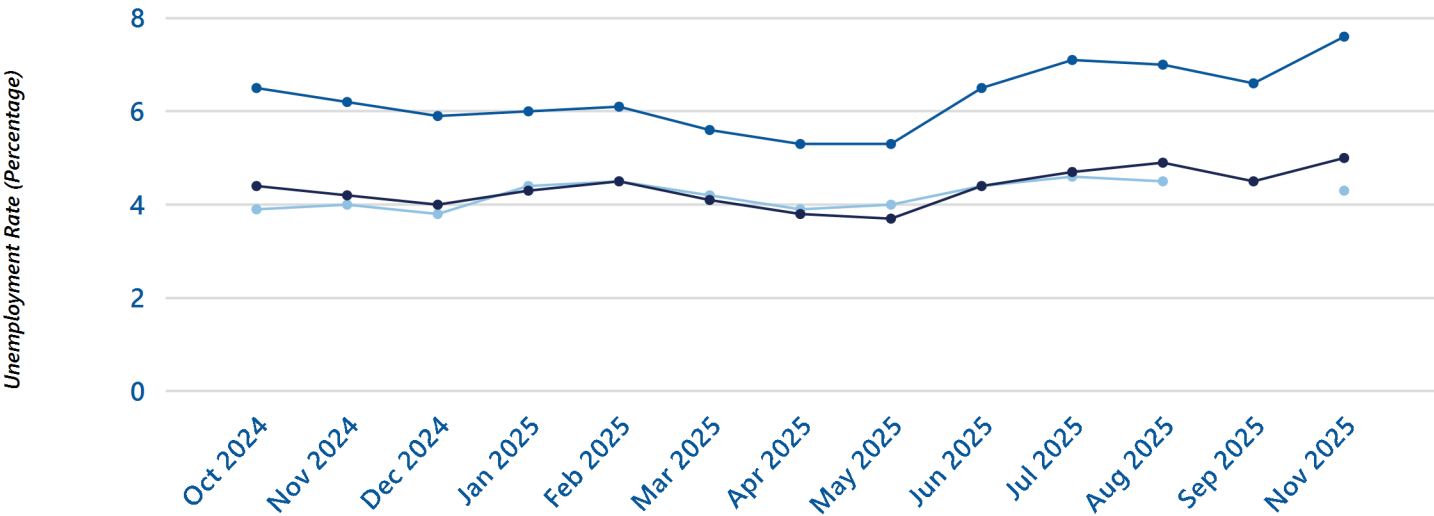
Year	Employment	Unemp.	Rate	Employment	Unemp.	Rate	Employment	Unemp.	Rate
2024	33,254	2,121	6.0%	2,430,453	105,178	4.1%	161,346,000	6,761,000	4.0%
2023	33,342	1,480	4.3%	2,401,212	74,248	3.0%	161,037,000	6,080,000	3.6%
2022	32,631	1,636	4.8%	2,330,548	77,339	3.2%	158,291,000	5,996,000	3.6%
2021	32,438	2,289	6.6%	2,272,940	92,676	3.9%	152,581,000	8,623,000	5.3%
2020	32,306	3,018	8.5%	2,201,090	140,613	6.0%	147,795,000	12,947,000	8.1%
2019	33,631	1,571	4.5%	2,263,682	64,405	2.8%	157,538,000	6,001,000	3.7%
2018	32,909	1,910	5.5%	2,206,821	76,542	3.4%	155,761,000	6,314,000	3.9%
2017	32,734	2,402	6.8%	2,168,104	94,845	4.2%	153,337,000	6,982,000	4.4%
2016	33,206	3,061	8.4%	2,145,584	110,199	4.9%	151,436,000	7,751,000	4.9%
2015	32,540	3,927	10.8%	2,108,786	132,281	5.9%	148,834,000	8,296,000	5.3%
2014	33,302	4,145	11.1%	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

Past 13 Months

United States South Carolina Orangeburg County



Period	ORANGEBURG COUNTY	SOUTH CAROLINA	UNITED STATES
Nov 2025	7.6%	5.0%	4.3%
Sep 2025	6.6%	4.5%	%
Aug 2025	7.0%	4.9%	4.5%
Jul 2025	7.1%	4.7%	4.6%
Jun 2025	6.5%	4.4%	4.4%
May 2025	5.3%	3.7%	4.0%
Apr 2025	5.3%	3.8%	3.9%
Mar 2025	5.6%	4.1%	4.2%
Feb 2025	6.1%	4.5%	4.5%
Jan 2025	6.0%	4.3%	4.4%
Dec 2024	5.9%	4.0%	3.8%
Nov 2024	6.2%	4.2%	4.0%
Oct 2024	6.5%	4.4%	3.9%

Source: DEW LMI/BLS - Local Area Unemployment Statistics

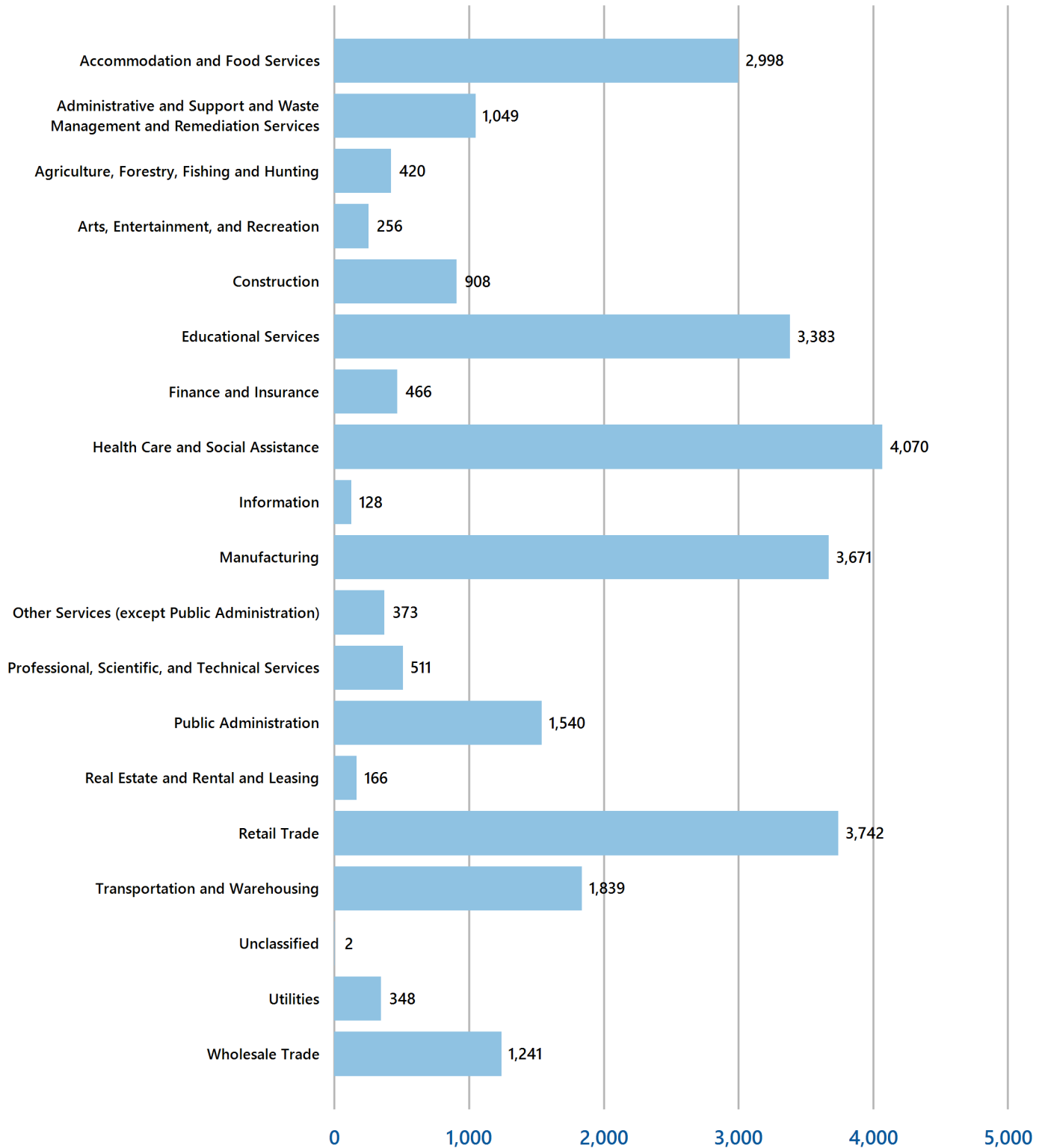
20 LARGEST EMPLOYERS

ALLIED AIR ENTERPRISES INC
BIMBO BAKERIES USA INC
CLAFLIN UNIVERSITY
COUNTY OF ORANGEBURG
COX AUTOMOTIVE CORPORATE SERVICES L
DELHAIZE AMERICA DISTRIBUTION LLC
DELHAIZE AMERICA TRANSPORTATION LLC
FAMILY HEALTH CENTERS INC
FOGLE'S, INC.
GPM INVESTMENTS LLC
HUSQVARNA CONSUMER OUTDOOR PRODUCTS
LOVES TRAVEL STOPS & COUNTRY STORES
MEDICAL UNIV OF SC HOSPITAL AUTHORI
ORANGEBURG CALHOUN TECHNICAL EDUCAT
ORANGEBURG COUNTY DISABILITIES & SP
Orangeburg County School District
SOUTH CAROLINA STATE UNIVERSITY
THE OKONITE COMPANY INC
WAL-MART ASSOCIATES INC
Zeus Company Inc

Source: South Carolina Department of Employment & Workforce QCEW

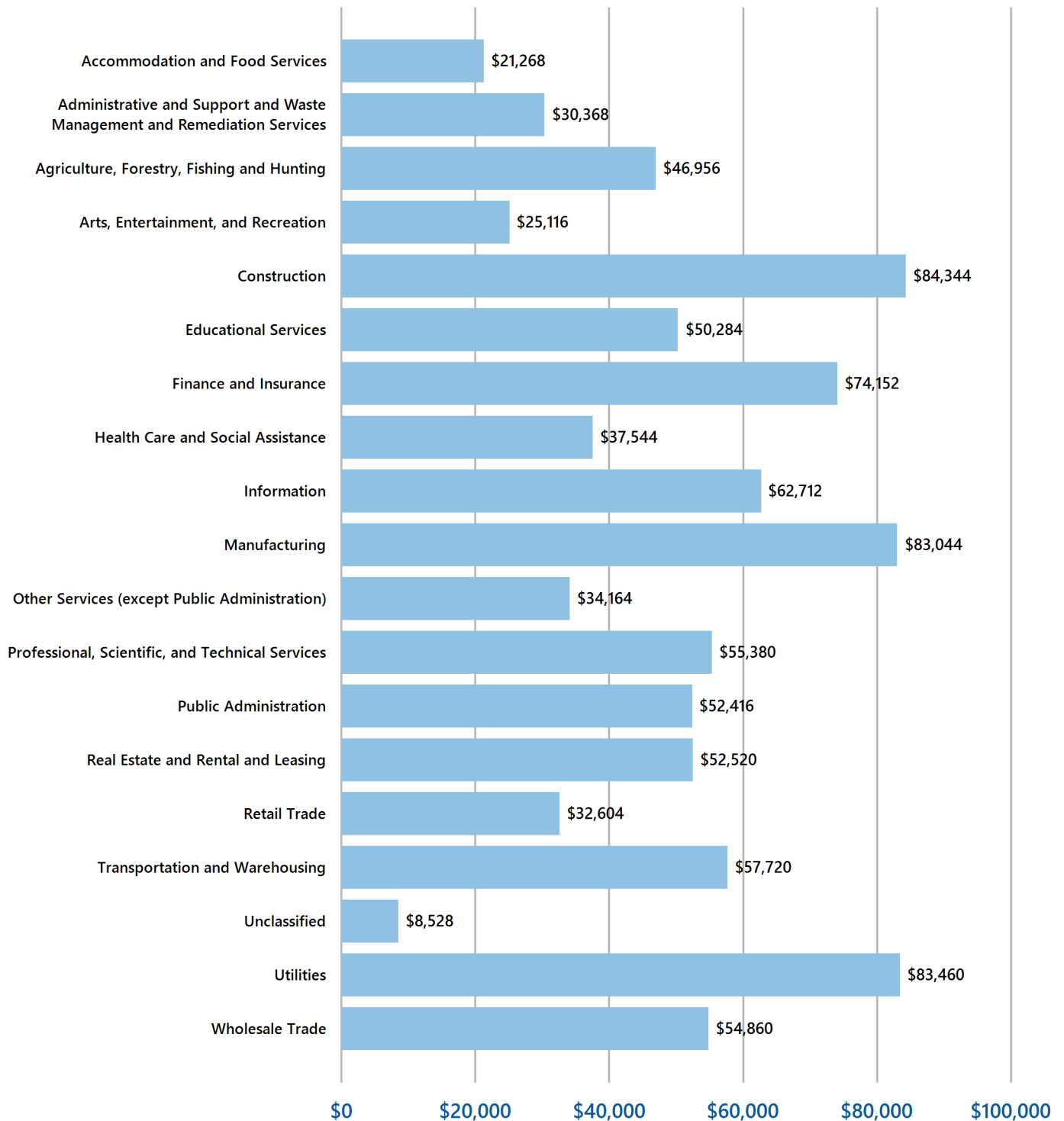
Note: This list is derived from unemployment insurance accounts and some employers may be duplicated due to variations in their reported name. Also, employers are listed alphabetically, not in rank order.

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

LOWER SAVANNAH	2022	2032	Change	Percent Change	Annual Percent Change
	Estimated Employment	Projected Employment			
Total All Industries	118,396	127,501	9,105	7.7%	0.7%
Manufacturing	18,147	18,571	424	2.3%	0.2%
Retail Trade	13,221	14,716	1,495	11.3%	1.1%
Health Care and Social Assistance	11,700	13,676	1,976	16.9%	1.6%
Administrative and Support and Waste Management and Remediat	10,812	11,298	486	4.5%	0.4%
Educational Services	9,511	10,293	782	8.2%	0.8%
Accommodation and Food Services	9,462	9,964	502	5.3%	0.5%
Construction	7,144	7,287	143	2.0%	0.2%
Other Services (except Government)	5,310	5,677	367	6.9%	0.7%
Professional, Scientific, and Technical Services	4,854	5,523	669	13.8%	1.3%
Transportation and Warehousing	4,833	5,898	1,065	22.0%	2.0%
Wholesale Trade	2,192	2,365	173	7.9%	0.8%
Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing and Hunting	2,047	1,977	-70	-3.4%	-0.3%
Finance and Insurance	1,848	2,003	155	8.4%	0.8%
Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation	1,372	1,466	94	6.9%	0.7%
Utilities	769	798	29	3.8%	0.4%
Information	729	840	111	15.2%	1.4%
Real Estate and Rental and Leasing	671	711	40	6.0%	0.6%
Management of Companies and Enterprises	195	271	76	39.0%	3.3%
Mining, Quarrying, and Oil and Gas Extraction	136	155	19	14.0%	1.3%

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	24,649	1,591	1,420	8,995	4,838	7,805
2019	23,044	666	1,235	9,261	4,795	7,087

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	59,605	3,812	7,796	21,021	10,531	5,269	6,819	4,357	N/A*	N/A*
2019	59,200	2,352	5,966	18,496	12,296	8,313	6,838	4,939	50,882	11,777

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	70,441	6,634	63,807
2019	68,258	4,517	63,741

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	90,486	15,566	20,782	1,070	55,383	7,888	14,321	6,608
2019	86,945	12,821	19,392	888	51,253	5,930	16,300	6,003

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	90,402	80,468	N/A*	9,840	6,099	3,741	2,691	1,050	94
2019	86,851	80,758	N/A*	5,840	3,207	2,633	1,553	1,080	253

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	82,561	2,851	1,616	767	303	165
2019	79,987	2,885	1,942	423	312	208

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	38,965	33,771	5,194
2019	38,592	35,030	3,562

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	33,771	25,378	6,706	1,623	64
2019	35,030	25,803	6,779	2,352	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	33,771	9,537	6,582	7,789	2,852	7,011
2019	35,030	9,570	6,208	8,052	3,462	7,738

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	31,417	56,695	560	915	16	839	820
2019	30,474	54,107	319	137	0	449	1,840

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	33,005	84.4%	10.5%	0.1%	1.2%	0.0%	1.4%	2.2%
2019	34,118	85.1%	8.3%	0.2%	1.4%	0.1%	0.7%	4.2%

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	15.2%	15.7%	15.2%	14.3%	4.9%	9.7%	5.5%	8.7%	10.8%
2019	10.5%	16.7%	14.5%	13.1%	4.2%	10.1%	6.7%	10.4%	14.0%

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	33,836	3,279	12,155	10,982	7,420
2019	33,060	2,661	11,412	10,396	8,591

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

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