

South Carolina Data Trends: December 2025

The South Carolina Department of Employment and Workforce, through its Labor Market Information (LMI) Division, summarizes the latest workforce data trends as of December 2025, providing key insights into employment and wages for the state and each of its metro areas. For questions or additional information, please contact the LMI Division at lmicustomerservice@dew.sc.gov.

Table 1. Labor Market Snapshot

Metric	December 2025	MoM Δ (#)	YoY Δ (#)
Unemployment	124,807	+4,222	+12,170
Employment	2,489,407	+8,458	+52,391
Labor Force	2,614,214	+12,680	+64,561

Source: Bureau of Labor Statistics, Local Area Unemployment Statistics. Note: Current month's estimates are preliminary. All data are subject to revision. Estimates are seasonally adjusted. MoM = Month-over-Month. YoY = Year-over-Year. Δ (#) = Absolute Change.

Table 2. Nonagricultural Employment by Industry, Seasonally Adjusted

Industry	December 2025	MoM Δ (#)	MoM Δ (%)	YoY Δ (#)	YoY Δ (%)
Total Nonfarm	2,417,300	-5,900	-0.2	+33,600	+1.4
Construction	122,100	+500	+0.4	+700	+0.6
Manufacturing	260,800	0	0.0	-2,200	-0.8
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	449,000	-5,400	-1.2	+200	+0.0
Information	30,700	-100	-0.3	+1,500	+5.1
Financial Activities	128,100	+800	+0.6	+1,900	+1.5
Professional and Business Services	319,800	-4,100	-1.3	+2,100	+0.7
Private Education and Health Services	315,900	-100	-0.0	+7,300	+2.4
Leisure and Hospitality	300,600	+1,900	+0.6	+17,900	+6.3
Other Services	93,800	0	0.0	+2,100	+2.3
Government	391,900	+500	+0.1	+2,000	+0.5

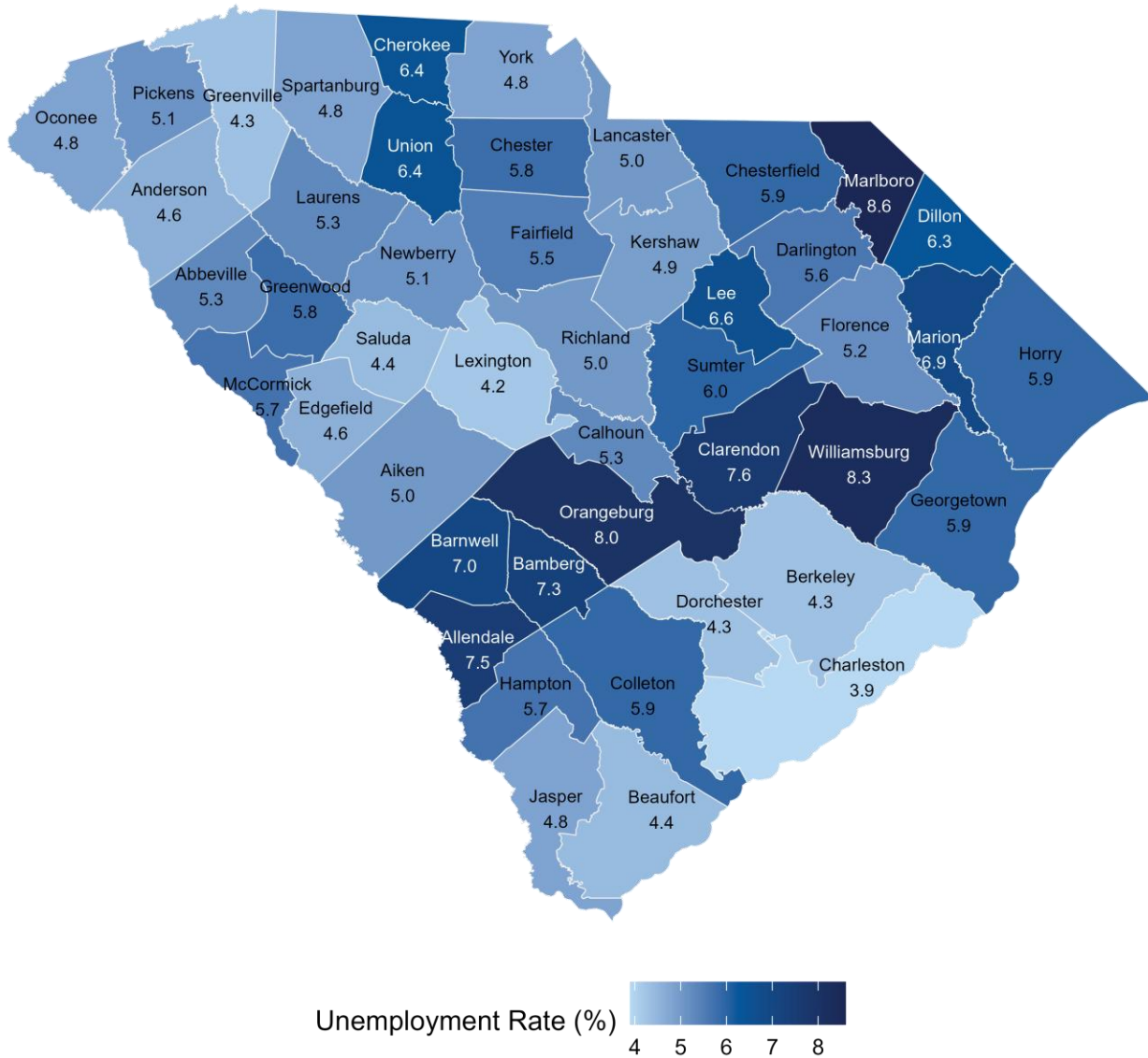
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Table 3. Nonagricultural Employment by Metropolitan Statistical Area, Seasonally Adjusted

Area	December 2025	MoM Δ (#)	MoM Δ (%)	YoY Δ (#)	YoY Δ (%)
Statewide	2,417,300	-5,900	-0.2	+33,600	+1.4
Charleston/North Charleston	435,400	+300	+0.1	+6,600	+1.5
Columbia	439,500	0	0.0	+3,800	+0.9
Florence	99,300	-100	-0.1	+2,200	+2.3
Greenville/Anderson/Mauldin	477,600	-900	-0.2	+1,500	+0.3
Hilton Head Island-Bluffton-Beaufort	91,500	0	0.0	+1,900	+2.1
Myrtle Beach	161,800	0	0.0	+5,500	+3.5
Spartanburg	181,900	-700	-0.4	+2,400	+1.3
Sumter	38,900	-200	-0.5	+800	+2.1

Source: Bureau of Labor Statistics, Current Employment Statistics. Note: Current month's estimates are preliminary. All data are subject to revision. MoM = Month-over-Month. YoY = Year-over-Year. Δ (#) = Absolute Change. Δ (%) = Percent Change.

Figure 1. Unemployment Rate by County, Not Seasonally Adjusted



Source: Bureau of Labor Statistics, Local Area Unemployment Statistics.

Table 4. Unemployment Estimates by County, Not Seasonally Adjusted

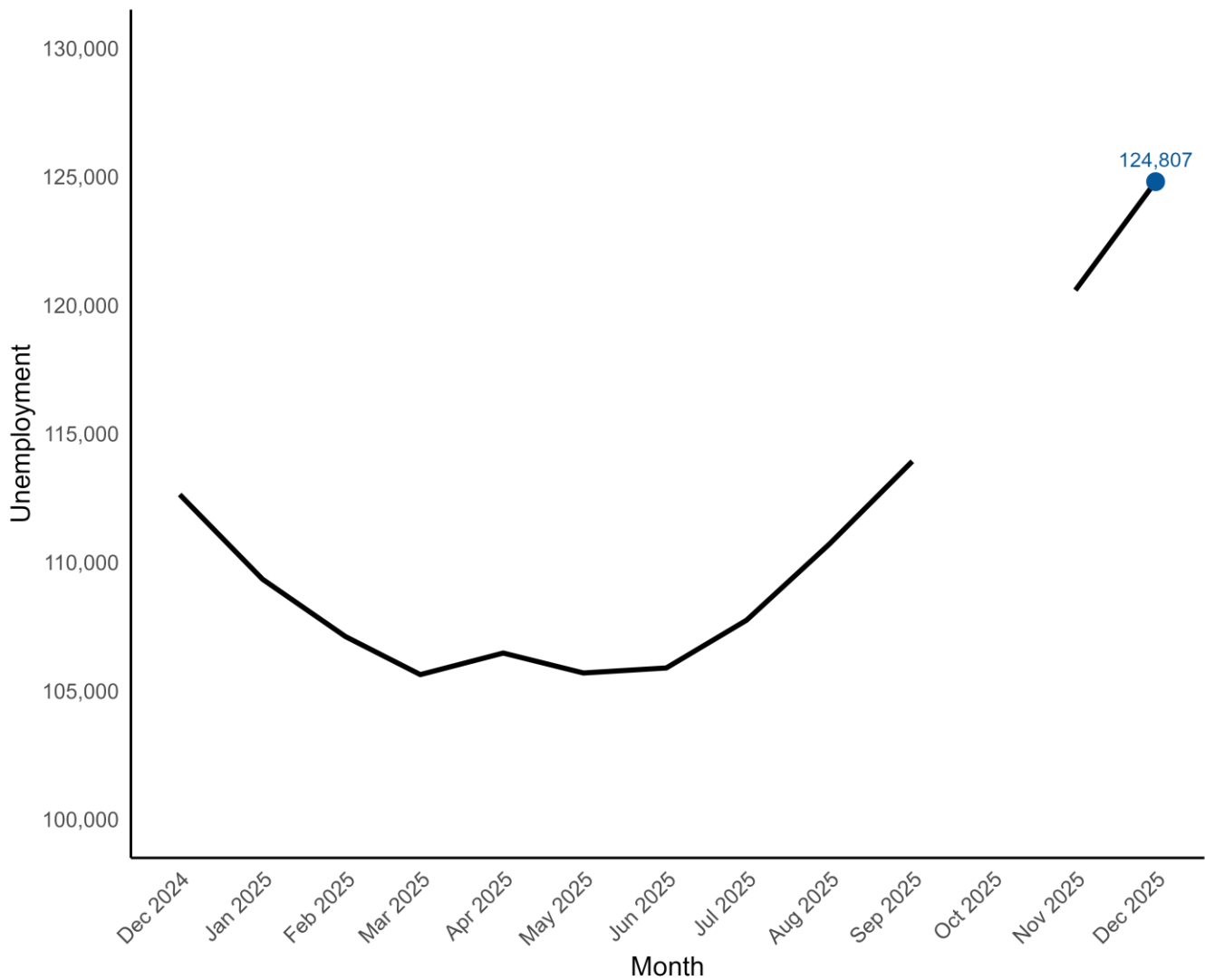
County	Labor Force	Employment	Unemp. Level	Unemp. Rate
Abbeville	10,420	9,863	557	5.3
Aiken	78,302	74,417	3,885	5.0
Allendale	2,623	2,427	196	7.5
Anderson	102,785	98,055	4,730	4.6
Bamberg	5,479	5,078	401	7.3
Barnwell	7,790	7,248	542	7.0
Beaufort	87,188	83,350	3,838	4.4
Berkeley	132,679	126,984	5,695	4.3
Calhoun	6,754	6,395	359	5.3
Charleston	239,983	230,722	9,261	3.9
Cherokee	23,725	22,199	1,526	6.4
Chester	14,899	14,039	860	5.8
Chesterfield	18,227	17,144	1,083	5.9
Clarendon	10,978	10,149	829	7.6
Colleton	15,501	14,593	908	5.9
Darlington	29,544	27,895	1,649	5.6
Dillon	12,047	11,283	764	6.3
Dorchester	89,109	85,278	3,831	4.3
Edgefield	11,799	11,255	544	4.6
Fairfield	10,195	9,638	557	5.5
Florence	67,107	63,605	3,502	5.2
Georgetown	27,734	26,085	1,649	5.9
Greenville	293,193	280,463	12,730	4.3
Greenwood	30,004	28,261	1,743	5.8
Hampton	7,901	7,449	452	5.7
Horry	176,841	166,469	10,372	5.9
Jasper	14,472	13,774	698	4.8

Table 4. Unemployment Estimates by County, Not Seasonally Adjusted

County	Labor Force	Employment	Unemp. Level	Unemp. Rate
Kershaw	33,251	31,624	1,627	4.9
Lancaster	52,090	49,508	2,582	5.0
Laurens	31,945	30,249	1,696	5.3
Lee	6,082	5,681	401	6.6
Lexington	160,840	154,020	6,820	4.2
McCormick	3,446	3,250	196	5.7
Marion	12,023	11,199	824	6.9
Marlboro	8,319	7,607	712	8.6
Newberry	18,864	17,910	954	5.1
Oconee	36,898	35,137	1,761	4.8
Orangeburg	35,183	32,371	2,812	8.0
Pickens	67,016	63,596	3,420	5.1
Richland	216,190	205,405	10,785	5.0
Saluda	8,828	8,438	390	4.4
Spartanburg	174,177	165,781	8,396	4.8
Sumter	43,521	40,917	2,604	6.0
Union	11,325	10,601	724	6.4
Williamsburg	11,271	10,338	933	8.3
York	162,274	154,516	7,758	4.8

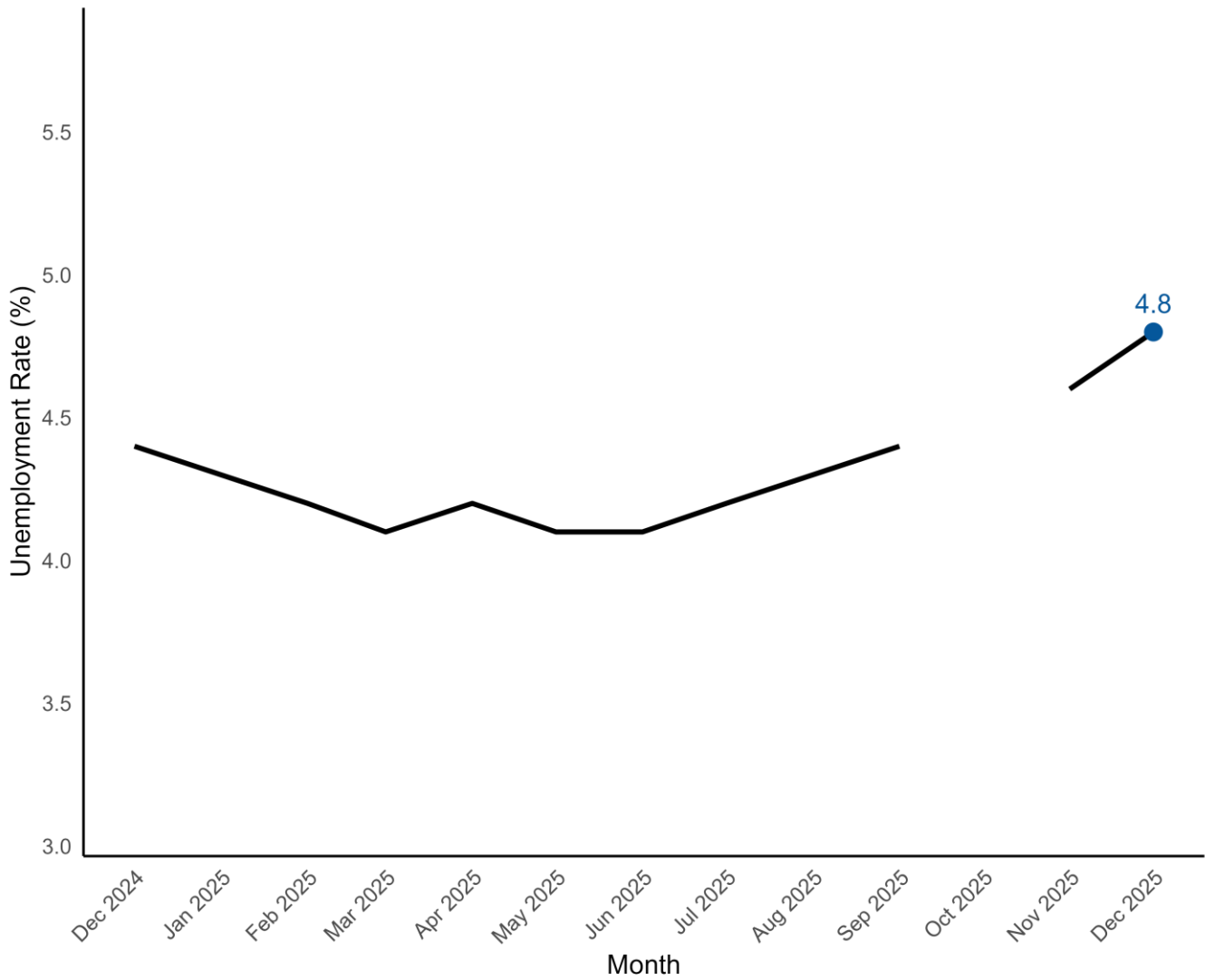
Source: Bureau of Labor Statistics, Local Area Unemployment Statistics. Note: Current month's estimates are preliminary. All data are subject to revision. Unemp = Unemployment.

Figure 2. Monthly Unemployment, Past 12 Months, Seasonally Adjusted



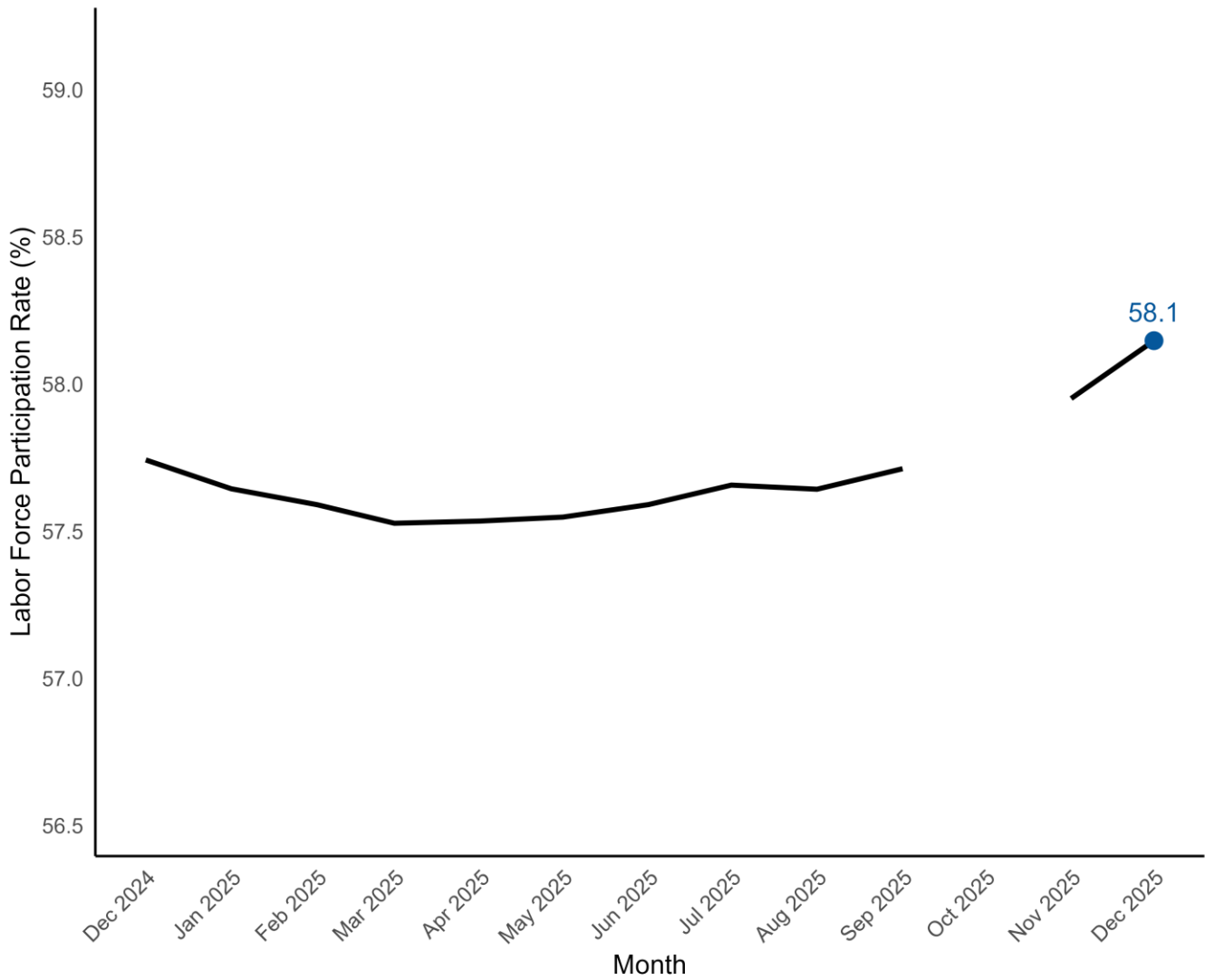
Source: Bureau of Labor Statistics, Local Area Unemployment Statistics.
Data for October 2025 are unavailable due to the federal government shutdown during that period.

Figure 3. Monthly Unemployment Rate, Past 12 months, Seasonally Adjusted



Source: Bureau of Labor Statistics, Local Area Unemployment Statistics.
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Figure 4. Labor Force Participation, Past 12 Months, Seasonally Adjusted



Source: Bureau of Labor Statistics, Local Area Unemployment Statistics.
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Table 5. NonFarm Payroll by Economic Sector, Seasonally Adjusted

Sector	December 2025	MoM Δ (#)	MoM Δ (%)	YoY Δ (#)	YoY Δ (%)
Total Nonfarm	2,417,300	-5,900	-0.2	+33,600	+1.4
Total Private	2,025,400	-6,400	-0.3	+31,600	+1.6
Goods Producing	387,500	+600	+0.2	-1,400	-0.4
Service-Providing	2,029,800	-6,500	-0.3	+35,000	+1.8
Private Service Providing	1,637,900	-7,000	-0.4	+33,000	+2.1
Mining and Logging	4,600	+100	+2.2	+100	+2.2
Mining, Logging, and Construction	126,700	+600	+0.5	+800	+0.6
Construction	122,100	+500	+0.4	+700	+0.6
Manufacturing	260,800	0	0.0	-2,200	-0.8
Durable Goods	159,100	+200	+0.1	-2,800	-1.7
Non-Durable Goods	101,700	-200	-0.2	+600	+0.6
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	449,000	-5,400	-1.2	+200	+0.0
Wholesale Trade	85,500	-300	-0.3	+1,500	+1.8
Retail Trade	269,800	-3,300	-1.2	0	0.0
Transportation, Warehousing, and Utilities	93,700	-1,800	-1.9	-1,300	-1.4
Information	30,700	-100	-0.3	+1,500	+5.1
Financial Activities	128,100	+800	+0.6	+1,900	+1.5
Finance and Insurance	90,400	0	0.0	+900	+1.0
Real Estate and Rental and Leasing	37,700	+800	+2.2	+1,000	+2.7
Professional and Business Services	319,800	-4,100	-1.3	+2,100	+0.7
Professional, Scientific, and Technical	142,000	-1,900	-1.3	+5,500	+4.0
Management of Companies and Enterprises	25,900	0	0.0	+1,300	+5.3
Administrative and Support and Waste Management and Remediation Services	151,900	-2,200	-1.4	-4,700	-3.0
Private Education and Health Services	315,900	-100	-0.0	+7,300	+2.4
Private Educational Services	54,900	0	0.0	+1,800	+3.4
Health Care and Social Assistance	261,000	-100	-0.0	+5,500	+2.2

Table 5. NonFarm Payroll by Economic Sector, Seasonally Adjusted

Sector	December 2025	MoM Δ (#)	MoM Δ (%)	YoY Δ (#)	YoY Δ (%)
Leisure and Hospitality	300,600	+1,900	+0.6	+17,900	+6.3
Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation	41,300	+200	+0.5	+3,000	+7.8
Accommodation and Food Services	259,300	+1,700	+0.7	+14,900	+6.1
Other Services	93,800	0	0.0	+2,100	+2.3
Government	391,900	+500	+0.1	+2,000	+0.5
Federal Government	36,100	-100	-0.3	-2,700	-7.0
State Government	116,000	-500	-0.4	+600	+0.5
Local Government	239,800	+1,100	+0.5	+4,100	+1.7

Source: Bureau of Labor Statistics, Current Employment Statistics. Note: Current month's estimates are preliminary. All data are subject to revision. MoM = Month-over-Month. YoY = Year-over-Year. Δ (#) = Absolute Change. Δ (%) = Percent Change.

Table 6. Average Weekly Earnings by Metropolitan Statistical Area, Total Private, Not Seasonally Adjusted

Area	December 2025	MoM Δ (#)	MoM Δ (%)	YoY Δ (#)	YoY Δ (%)
Charleston-North Charleston	\$1,191.19	-\$64.86	-5.2	+\$13.37	+1.1
Columbia	\$1,012.99	-\$33.50	-3.2	-\$28.78	-2.8
Florence	\$761.96	-\$38.36	-4.8	+\$39.48	+5.5
Greenville-Anderson-Mauldin	\$1,215.22	-\$8.61	-0.7	+\$88.45	+7.8
Hilton Head Island-Bluffton-Beaufort	\$888.46	-\$16.91	-1.9	+\$57.36	+6.9
Myrtle Beach-Conway-North Myrtle Beach	\$800.38	-\$16.37	-2.0	-\$54.94	-6.4
Spartanburg	\$1,096.95	-\$25.82	-2.3	+\$27.01	+2.5
Sumter	\$1,005.30	+\$4.97	+0.5	+\$61.17	+6.5

Source: Bureau of Labor Statistics, Current Employment Statistics. Note: Current month's estimates are preliminary. All data are subject to revision. MoM = Month-over-Month. YoY = Year-over-Year. Δ (#) = Absolute Change. Δ (%) = Percent Change.

Table 7. Average Weekly Hours by Metropolitan Statistical Area, Total Private, Not Seasonally Adjusted

Area	December 2025	MoM Δ (#)	MoM Δ (%)	YoY Δ (#)	YoY Δ (%)
Charleston-North Charleston	34.2	-0.7	-2.0	0.5	+1.5
Columbia	33.3	-1.0	-2.9	-1.6	-4.6
Florence	32.3	-0.5	-1.5	-0.6	-1.8
Greenville-Anderson-Mauldin	35.9	0.0	0.0	1.4	+4.1
Hilton Head Island-Bluffton-Beaufort	31.0	0.1	+0.3	0.8	+2.6
Myrtle Beach-Conway-North Myrtle Beach	29.6	-0.1	-0.3	-1.2	-3.9
Spartanburg	35.5	-0.2	-0.6	0.2	+0.6
Sumter	33.2	-0.1	-0.3	0.2	+0.6

Source: Bureau of Labor Statistics, Current Employment Statistics. Note: Current month's estimates are preliminary. All data are subject to revision. MoM = Month-over-Month. YoY = Year-over-Year. Δ (#) = Absolute Change. Δ (%) = Percent Change.

Table 8. Average Hourly Earnings by Metropolitan Statistical Area, Total Private, Not Seasonally Adjusted

Area	December 2025	MoM Δ (#)	MoM Δ (%)	YoY Δ (#)	YoY Δ (%)
Charleston-North Charleston	\$34.83	-\$1.16	-3.2	-\$0.12	-0.3
Columbia	\$30.42	-\$0.09	-0.3	+\$0.57	+1.9
Florence	\$23.59	-\$0.81	-3.3	+\$1.63	+7.4
Greenville-Anderson-Mauldin	\$33.85	-\$0.24	-0.7	+\$1.19	+3.6
Hilton Head Island-Bluffton-Beaufort	\$28.66	-\$0.64	-2.2	+\$1.14	+4.1
Myrtle Beach-Conway-North Myrtle Beach	\$27.04	-\$0.46	-1.7	-\$0.73	-2.6
Spartanburg	\$30.90	-\$0.55	-1.7	+\$0.59	+1.9
Sumter	\$30.28	+\$0.24	+0.8	+\$1.67	+5.8

Source: Bureau of Labor Statistics, Current Employment Statistics. Note: Current month's estimates are preliminary. All data are subject to revision. MoM = Month-over-Month. YoY = Year-over-Year. Δ (#) = Absolute Change. Δ (%) = Percent Change.

Table 9. Average Weekly Earnings by Industry, Statewide, Not Seasonally Adjusted

Industry	December 2025	MoM Δ (#)	MoM Δ (%)	YoY Δ (#)	YoY Δ (%)
Total Private	\$1,132.54	-\$22.87	-2.0	+\$63.11	+5.9
Goods Producing	\$1,452.36	-\$21.22	-1.4	+\$119.85	+9.0
Construction	\$1,342.80	-\$73.60	-5.2	+\$20.40	+1.5
Manufacturing	\$1,473.02	-\$0.70	-0.0	+\$101.61	+7.4
Private Service Providing	\$1,057.86	-\$22.91	-2.1	+\$50.36	+5.0
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	\$979.32	-\$11.80	-1.2	+\$77.01	+8.5
Financial Activities	\$1,385.30	-\$29.02	-2.1	+\$65.44	+5.0
Professional and Business Services	\$1,468.53	-\$83.86	-5.4	+\$65.31	+4.7
Private Education and Health Services	\$1,009.26	-\$4.52	-0.4	-\$31.77	-3.1
Leisure and Hospitality	\$486.13	+\$0.85	+0.2	+\$12.61	+2.7
Other Services	\$926.38	-\$26.83	-2.8	-\$24.89	-2.6

Source: Bureau of Labor Statistics, Current Employment Statistics. Note: Current month's estimates are preliminary. All data are subject to revision. MoM = Month-over-Month. YoY = Year-over-Year. Δ (#) = Absolute Change. Δ (%) = Percent Change.

Table 10. Average Weekly Hours by Industry, Statewide, Not Seasonally Adjusted

Industry	December 2025	MoM Δ (#)	MoM Δ (%)	YoY Δ (#)	YoY Δ (%)
Total Private	34.0	-0.5	-1.4	0.2	+0.6
Goods Producing	40.9	-0.4	-1.0	1.5	+3.8
Construction	40.0	-1.5	-3.6	0.0	0.0
Manufacturing	41.1	-0.1	-0.2	0.8	+2.0
Private Service Providing	32.4	-0.5	-1.5	-0.1	-0.3
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	33.7	0.0	0.0	0.6	+1.8
Financial Activities	35.0	-0.5	-1.4	-2.2	-5.9
Professional and Business Services	37.8	-1.0	-2.6	-0.3	-0.8
Private Education and Health Services	31.5	-0.4	-1.3	-0.7	-2.2
Leisure and Hospitality	23.9	-0.1	-0.4	-0.1	-0.4
Other Services	30.9	-1.5	-4.6	-1.7	-5.2

Source: Bureau of Labor Statistics, Current Employment Statistics. Note: Current month's estimates are preliminary. All data are subject to revision. MoM = Month-over-Month. YoY = Year-over-Year. Δ (#) = Absolute Change. Δ (%) = Percent Change.

Table 11. Average Hourly Earnings by Industry, Statewide, Not Seasonally Adjusted

Industry	December 2025	MoM Δ (#)	MoM Δ (%)	YoY Δ (#)	YoY Δ (%)
Total Private	\$33.31	-\$0.18	-0.5	+\$1.67	+5.3
Goods Producing	\$35.51	-\$0.17	-0.5	+\$1.69	+5.0
Construction	\$33.57	-\$0.56	-1.6	+\$0.51	+1.5
Manufacturing	\$35.84	+\$0.07	+0.2	+\$1.81	+5.3
Private Service Providing	\$32.65	-\$0.20	-0.6	+\$1.65	+5.3
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	\$29.06	-\$0.35	-1.2	+\$1.80	+6.6
Financial Activities	\$39.58	-\$0.26	-0.7	+\$4.10	+11.6
Professional and Business Services	\$38.85	-\$1.16	-2.9	+\$2.02	+5.5
Private Education and Health Services	\$32.04	+\$0.26	+0.8	-\$0.29	-0.9
Leisure and Hospitality	\$20.34	+\$0.12	+0.6	+\$0.61	+3.1
Other Services	\$29.98	+\$0.56	+1.9	+\$0.80	+2.7

Source: Bureau of Labor Statistics, Current Employment Statistics. Note: Current month's estimates are preliminary. All data are subject to revision. YoY = Year-over-Year. Δ (#) = Absolute Change. Δ (%) = Percent Change.

Table 12. Charleston-North Charleston MSA: Nonfarm Payroll by Economic Sector, NSA

Sector	December 2025	MoM Δ (#)	MoM Δ (%)	YoY Δ (#)	YoY Δ (%)
Total Nonfarm	436,200	-1,100	-0.3	+5,800	+1.3
Total Private	363,500	-1,100	-0.3	+5,100	+1.4
Goods Producing	59,800	+100	+0.2	+400	+0.7
Service-Providing	376,400	-1,200	-0.3	+5,400	+1.5
Private Service Providing	303,700	-1,200	-0.4	+4,700	+1.6
Mining, Logging, and Construction	25,200	-200	-0.8	+800	+3.3
Manufacturing	34,600	+300	+0.9	-400	-1.1
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	79,100	+600	+0.8	-700	-0.9
Wholesale Trade	13,200	0	0.0	+200	+1.5
Retail Trade	46,600	+700	+1.5	-100	-0.2
General Merchandise Stores	8,900	+200	+2.3	0	0.0
Transportation, Warehousing, and Utilities	19,300	-100	-0.5	-800	-4.0
Information	8,300	0	0.0	+400	+5.1
Financial Activities	23,600	+500	+2.2	+1,800	+8.3
Professional and Business Services	68,900	-1,000	-1.4	+800	+1.2
Administrative and Support and Waste Management	28,300	-800	-2.7	-100	-0.4
Private Education and Health Services	51,100	-600	-1.2	-300	-0.6
Leisure and Hospitality	55,800	-600	-1.1	+2,400	+4.5
Accommodation and Food Services	48,200	-800	-1.6	+1,900	+4.1
Food Services and Drinking Places	40,100	-600	-1.5	+1,700	+4.4
Other Services	16,900	-100	-0.6	+300	+1.8
Government	72,700	0	0.0	+700	+1.0
Federal Government	11,600	+100	+0.9	-1,000	-7.9
State Government	30,600	+100	+0.3	+2,100	+7.4
Local Government	30,500	-200	-0.7	-400	-1.3

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Table 13. Columbia MSA: Nonfarm Payroll by Economic Sector, NSA

Sector	December 2025	MoM Δ (#)	MoM Δ (%)	YoY Δ (#)	YoY Δ (%)
Total Nonfarm	442,500	-200	-0.0	+3,400	+0.8
Total Private	357,000	-900	-0.3	+3,200	+0.9
Goods Producing	51,100	+200	+0.4	-200	-0.4
Service-Providing	391,400	-400	-0.1	+3,600	+0.9
Private Service Providing	305,900	-1,100	-0.4	+3,400	+1.1
Mining, Logging, and Construction	19,500	0	0.0	+600	+3.2
Manufacturing	31,600	+200	+0.6	-800	-2.5
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	80,000	+400	+0.5	-700	-0.9
Wholesale Trade	16,300	-100	-0.6	+100	+0.6
Retail Trade	45,900	+600	+1.3	-200	-0.4
Transportation, Warehousing, and Utilities	17,800	-100	-0.6	-600	-3.3
Information	5,300	+100	+1.9	+300	+6.0
Financial Activities	37,000	+300	+0.8	+600	+1.6
Credit Intermediation and Related Activities including Monetary Authorities - Central Bank	6,500	0	0.0	-100	-1.5
Professional and Business Services	58,600	-2,100	-3.5	-1,000	-1.7
Administrative and Support and Waste Management	30,400	-900	-2.9	-300	-1.0
Private Education and Health Services	62,400	+300	+0.5	+1,200	+2.0
Leisure and Hospitality	43,700	-100	-0.2	+2,600	+6.3
Food Services and Drinking Places	35,900	-200	-0.6	+1,600	+4.7
Other Services	18,900	0	0.0	+400	+2.2
Government	85,500	+700	+0.8	+200	+0.2
Federal Government	11,600	0	0.0	-900	-7.2
State Government	36,800	+500	+1.4	+600	+1.7
Local Government	37,100	+200	+0.5	+500	+1.4

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Table 14. Greenville-Anderson-Mauldin MSA: Nonfarm Payroll by Economic Sector, NSA

Sector	December 2025	MoM Δ (#)	MoM Δ (%)	YoY Δ (#)	YoY Δ (%)
Total Nonfarm	480,100	-3,200	-0.7	+800	+0.2
Total Private	419,500	-2,800	-0.7	+2,200	+0.5
Goods Producing	85,400	-200	-0.2	+500	+0.6
Service-Providing	394,700	-3,000	-0.8	+300	+0.1
Private Service Providing	334,100	-2,600	-0.8	+1,700	+0.5
Mining, Logging, and Construction	25,200	-300	-1.2	+600	+2.4
Manufacturing	60,200	+100	+0.2	-100	-0.2
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	89,000	+300	+0.3	-100	-0.1
Wholesale Trade	22,200	-100	-0.4	+300	+1.4
Retail Trade	51,200	+500	+1.0	+100	+0.2
Transportation, Warehousing, and Utilities	15,600	-100	-0.6	-500	-3.1
Information	6,500	0	0.0	+400	+6.6
Financial Activities	24,400	+100	+0.4	+600	+2.5
Professional and Business Services	76,400	-1,500	-1.9	-1,800	-2.3
Professional, Scientific, and Technical Services	32,400	-400	-1.2	+200	+0.6
Management of Companies and Enterprises	7,300	-100	-1.4	+400	+5.8
Administrative and Support and Waste Management	36,700	-1,000	-2.7	-2,400	-6.1
Private Education and Health Services	69,200	-700	-1.0	+2,000	+3.0
Educational Services	16,800	-300	-1.8	+700	+4.3
Health Care and Social Assistance	52,400	-400	-0.8	+1,300	+2.5
Leisure and Hospitality	50,900	-800	-1.5	+300	+0.6
Other Services	17,700	0	0.0	+300	+1.7
Government	60,600	-400	-0.7	-1,400	-2.3
Federal Government	3,000	0	0.0	-200	-6.3
State Government	11,200	-500	-4.3	-2,100	-15.8
Local Government	46,400	+100	+0.2	+900	+2.0

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Table 15. Myrtle Beach-Conway-North Myrtle Beach MSA: Nonfarm Payroll by Economic Sector, NSA

Sector	December 2025	MoM Δ (#)	MoM Δ (%)	YoY Δ (#)	YoY Δ (%)
Total Nonfarm	157,300	-1,500	-0.9	+4,800	+3.1
Total Private	135,500	-1,500	-1.1	+4,400	+3.4
Goods Producing	13,300	0	0.0	+200	+1.5
Service-Providing	144,000	-1,500	-1.0	+4,600	+3.3
Private Service Providing	122,200	-1,500	-1.2	+4,200	+3.6
Mining, Logging, and Construction	9,800	0	0.0	+200	+2.1
Manufacturing	3,500	0	0.0	0	0.0
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	34,200	+200	+0.6	+200	+0.6
Wholesale Trade	3,300	0	0.0	+100	+3.1
Retail Trade	27,500	+200	+0.7	+300	+1.1
Transportation, Warehousing, and Utilities	3,400	0	0.0	-200	-5.6
Information	2,000	0	0.0	0	0.0
Financial Activities	8,800	+100	+1.1	+200	+2.3
Professional and Business Services	16,500	-400	-2.4	-200	-1.2
Private Education and Health Services	18,500	-100	-0.5	+500	+2.8
Leisure and Hospitality	36,300	-1,300	-3.5	+3,400	+10.3
Accommodation and Food Services	29,900	-1,300	-4.2	+2,200	+7.9
Food Services and Drinking Places	23,800	-900	-3.6	+2,600	+12.3
Other Services	5,900	0	0.0	+100	+1.7
Government	21,800	0	0.0	+400	+1.9
Federal Government	1,100	0	0.0	0	0.0
State Government	4,700	+100	+2.2	+200	+4.4
Local Government	16,000	-100	-0.6	+200	+1.3

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Table 16. Spartanburg MSA: Nonfarm Payroll by Economic Sector, NSA

Sector	December 2025	MoM Δ (#)	MoM Δ (%)	YoY Δ (#)	YoY Δ (%)
Total Nonfarm	183,600	-200	-0.1	+2,400	+1.3
Total Private	151,100	-300	-0.2	+1,500	+1.0
Goods Producing	49,600	+400	+0.8	+800	+1.6
Service-Providing	134,000	-600	-0.4	+1,600	+1.2
Private Service Providing	101,500	-700	-0.7	+700	+0.7
Mining, Logging, and Construction	8,600	+100	+1.2	+300	+3.6
Manufacturing	41,000	+300	+0.7	+500	+1.2
Durable Goods	28,800	+300	+1.1	+400	+1.4
Non-Durable Goods	12,200	0	0.0	+100	+0.8
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	37,700	0	0.0	-400	-1.0
Wholesale Trade	7,500	-100	-1.3	+100	+1.4
Retail Trade	19,400	+100	+0.5	-200	-1.0
Transportation, Warehousing, and Utilities	10,800	0	0.0	-300	-2.7
Information	900	0	0.0	0	0.0
Financial Activities	5,800	0	0.0	+100	+1.8
Professional and Business Services	16,900	-400	-2.3	-200	-1.2
Private Education and Health Services	18,100	-100	-0.5	+300	+1.7
Leisure and Hospitality	15,500	-100	-0.6	+700	+4.7
Other Services	6,600	-100	-1.5	+200	+3.1
Government	32,500	+100	+0.3	+900	+2.8
Federal Government	700	0	0.0	0	0.0
State Government	4,800	0	0.0	+100	+2.1
Local Government	27,000	+100	+0.4	+800	+3.1

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Table 17. Florence MSA: Nonfarm Payroll by Economic Sector, NSA

Sector	December 2025	MoM Δ (#)	MoM Δ (%)	YoY Δ (#)	YoY Δ (%)
Total Nonfarm	99,900	0	0.0	+2,100	+2.1
Total Private	80,800	+200	+0.2	+1,800	+2.3
Goods Producing	15,700	0	0.0	0	0.0
Service-Providing	84,200	0	0.0	+2,100	+2.6
Private Service Providing	65,100	+200	+0.3	+1,800	+2.8
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	20,700	+100	+0.5	-600	-2.8
Government	19,100	-200	-1.0	+300	+1.6
Federal Government	700	-100	-12.5	-100	-12.5
State Government	5,400	-100	-1.8	+100	+1.9
Local Government	13,000	0	0.0	+300	+2.4

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Table 18. Hilton Head Island-Bluffton-Beaufort MSA: Nonfarm Payroll by Economic Sector, NSA

Sector	December 2025	MoM Δ (#)	MoM Δ (%)	YoY Δ (#)	YoY Δ (%)
Total Nonfarm	91,400	-200	-0.2	+2,000	+2.2
Total Private	78,500	-300	-0.4	+1,700	+2.2
Goods Producing	7,500	-100	-1.3	-200	-2.6
Service-Providing	83,900	-100	-0.1	+2,200	+2.7
Private Service Providing	71,000	-200	-0.3	+1,900	+2.7
Government	12,900	+100	+0.8	+300	+2.4

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Table 19. Sumter MSA: Nonfarm Payroll by Economic Sector, NSA

Sector	December 2025	MoM Δ (#)	MoM Δ (%)	YoY Δ (#)	YoY Δ (%)
Total Nonfarm	39,100	-100	-0.3	+800	+2.1
Total Private	33,100	-100	-0.3	+900	+2.8
Goods Producing	9,200	0	0.0	+200	+2.2
Service-Providing	29,900	-100	-0.3	+600	+2.0
Private Service Providing	23,900	-100	-0.4	+700	+3.0
Manufacturing	6,200	0	0.0	0	0.0
Government	6,000	0	0.0	-100	-1.6
Federal Government	1,200	0	0.0	-100	-7.7
State Government	1,400	0	0.0	0	0.0
Local Government	3,400	0	0.0	0	0.0

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