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### South Carolina Data Trends



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## LMI Insights

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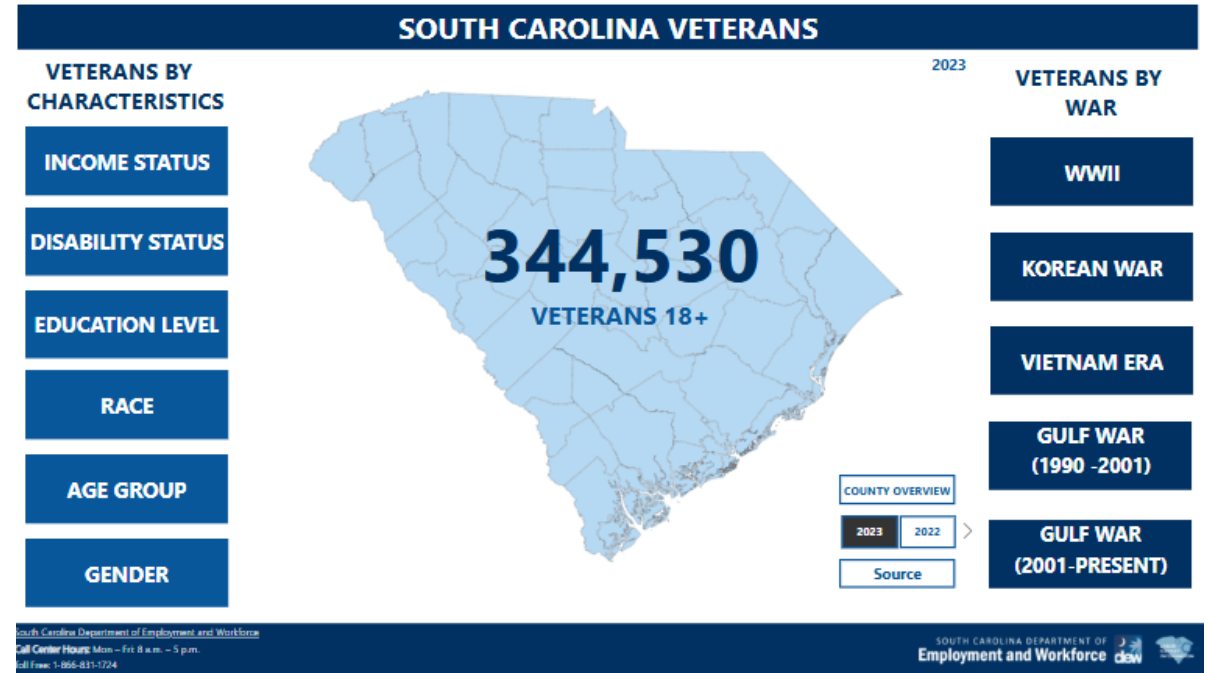
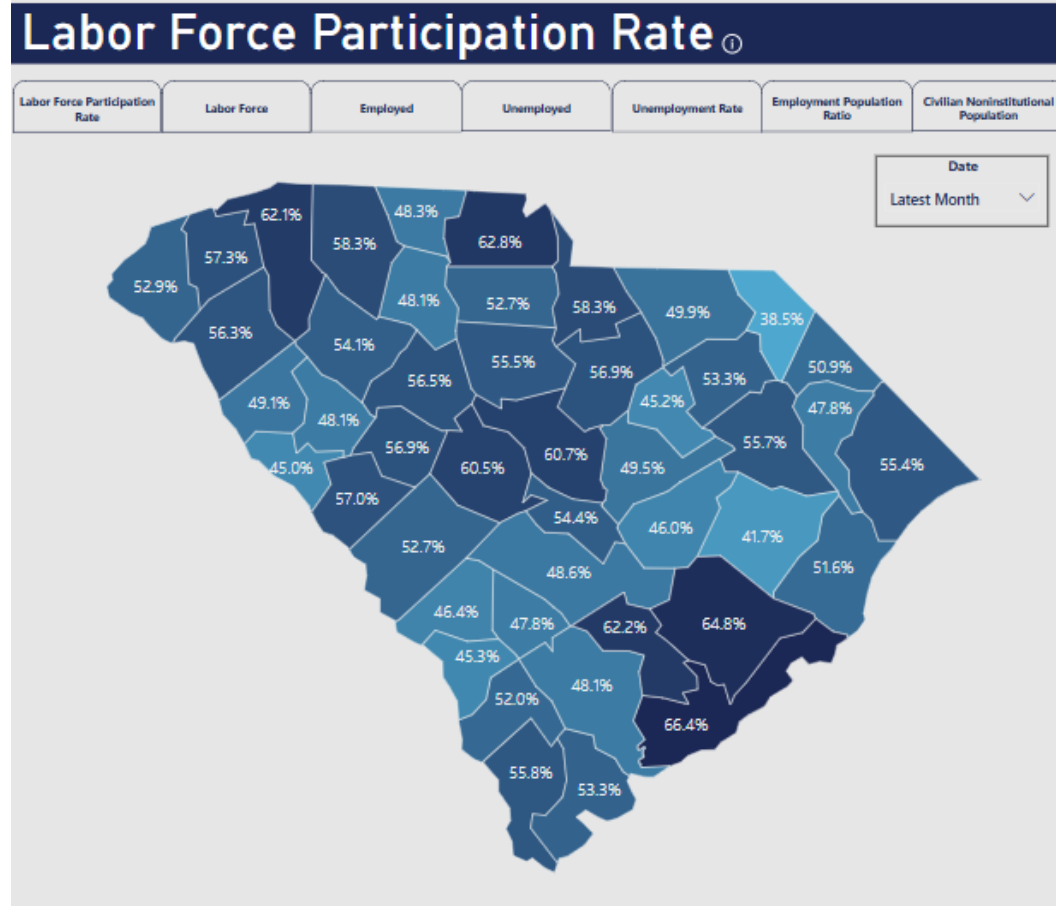
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### July 2025 Employment Situation • 8/19/2025

The July 2025 press release of the state's Employment Situation is available by clicking "Other Resources-DEW Press Releases" on the main menu.

### July 2025 Community Profile Reports • 8/19/2025

The July 2025 Community Profile Reports are available by clicking on the "Community Profiles" button on the main page.

### July 2025 Current Employment Statistics • 8/19/2025

The July 2025 data release of the Current Employment Statistics program is available by clicking on the "Data Hub" menu item and next on the "BLS Data" item, then the "Current Employment Statistics-Learn More" choice.

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### Current Employment Statistics

The Current Employment Statistics (CES) program is a monthly survey conducted by the Bureau of Labor Statistics.

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### Local Area Unemployment Statistics

The Local Area Unemployment Statistics (LAUS) program is a cooperative effort between the Labor Market Information Division of the South Carolina Department of Employment and Workforce (DEW) and the U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics (BLS)

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### Occupational Employment and Wage Statistics

The Occupational Employment and Wage Statistics (OEWS) program produces employment and wage estimates annually for nearly 800 occupations.

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The Quarterly Census of Employment and Wages (QCEW) program publishes a quarterly count of employment and wages reported by employers covering more than 95 percent of U.S. jobs.

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# Data Hub - LAUS Table

## Employment and Unemployment Statistics - LAUS

| State          | Region         | Area Type | Area           | Year       | Period Type | Period    | Adjustment  |            |                   |  |
|----------------|----------------|-----------|----------------|------------|-------------|-----------|-------------|------------|-------------------|--|
| South Carolina | SC             | State     | South Carolina | (All)      | (All)       | (All)     | (All)       |            |                   |  |
| Region         | Area           | Year      | Period         | Adjustment | Preliminary | Employed  | Labor Force | Unemployed | Unemployment Rate |  |
| SC             | South Carolina | 2025      | January        | Not Adj    | No          | 2,420,805 | 2,528,287   | 107,482    | 4.3%              |  |
| SC             | South Carolina | 2025      | January        | Not Adj    | Yes         | 2,420,901 | 2,528,428   | 107,527    | 4.3%              |  |
| SC             | South Carolina | 2025      | January        | Seas. Adj  | No          | 2,439,667 | 2,549,008   | 109,341    | 4.3%              |  |
| SC             | South Carolina | 2025      | January        | Seas. Adj  | Yes         | 2,439,684 | 2,549,034   | 109,350    | 4.3%              |  |
| SC             | South Carolina | 2025      | February       | Not Adj    | No          | 2,440,273 | 2,555,745   | 115,472    | 4.5%              |  |
| SC             | South Carolina | 2025      | February       | Not Adj    | Yes         | 2,440,432 | 2,556,047   | 115,615    | 4.5%              |  |
| SC             | South Carolina | 2025      | February       | Seas. Adj  | No          | 2,443,050 | 2,550,162   | 107,112    | 4.2%              |  |
| SC             | South Carolina | 2025      | February       | Seas. Adj  | Yes         | 2,443,080 | 2,550,219   | 107,139    | 4.2%              |  |
| SC             | South Carolina | 2025      | March          | Not Adj    | No          | 2,458,520 | 2,562,946   | 104,426    | 4.1%              |  |
| SC             | South Carolina | 2025      | March          | Not Adj    | Yes         | 2,458,426 | 2,562,989   | 104,563    | 4.1%              |  |
| SC             | South Carolina | 2025      | March          | Seas. Adj  | No          | 2,445,437 | 2,551,068   | 105,631    | 4.1%              |  |
| SC             | South Carolina | 2025      | March          | Seas. Adj  | Yes         | 2,445,419 | 2,551,076   | 105,657    | 4.1%              |  |
| SC             | South Carolina | 2025      | April          | Not Adj    | Yes         | 2,470,912 | 2,567,717   | 96,805     | 3.8%              |  |
| SC             | South Carolina | 2025      | April          | Seas. Adj  | Yes         | 2,448,456 | 2,554,954   | 106,498    | 4.2%              |  |
| SC             | South Carolina | 2024      | Annual         | Not Adj    | No          | 2,430,453 | 2,535,631   | 105,178    | 4.1%              |  |
| SC             | South Carolina | 2024      | January        | Not Adj    | No          | 2,392,938 | 2,485,273   | 92,335     | 3.7%              |  |
| SC             | South Carolina | 2024      | January        | Seas. Adj  | No          | 2,420,352 | 2,506,326   | 85,974     | 3.4%              |  |
| SC             | South Carolina | 2024      | February       | Not Adj    | No          | 2,408,352 | 2,508,001   | 99,649     | 4.0%              |  |
| SC             | South Carolina | 2024      | February       | Seas. Adj  | No          | 2,422,031 | 2,510,960   | 88,929     | 3.5%              |  |
| SC             | South Carolina | 2024      | March          | Not Adj    | No          | 2,435,393 | 2,528,529   | 93,136     | 3.7%              |  |
| SC             | South Carolina | 2024      | March          | Seas. Adj  | No          | 2,424,087 | 2,517,294   | 93,207     | 3.7%              |  |
| SC             | South Carolina | 2024      | April          | Not Adj    | No          | 2,445,498 | 2,527,106   | 81,608     | 3.2%              |  |
| SC             | South Carolina | 2024      | April          | Seas. Adj  | No          | 2,426,252 | 2,525,305   | 99,053     | 3.9%              |  |
| SC             | South Carolina | 2024      | May            | Not Adj    | No          | 2,435,683 | 2,532,870   | 97,187     | 3.8%              |  |
| SC             | South Carolina | 2024      | May            | Seas. Adj  | No          | 2,428,597 | 2,534,021   | 105,424    | 4.2%              |  |

# Data Hub - Industry Employment Projections Table

- Both Long Term and Short Term Industry Projections can be found in the Industry Employment Projections table. Occupational Projections can be found on the website in another table.

## Industry Employment Projections

State:  Region:  Area Type:  Area:

Period:  Industry Type:  Industry Level:  Industry Code & Title:

Note: Data Displayed is for Total, All Occupations

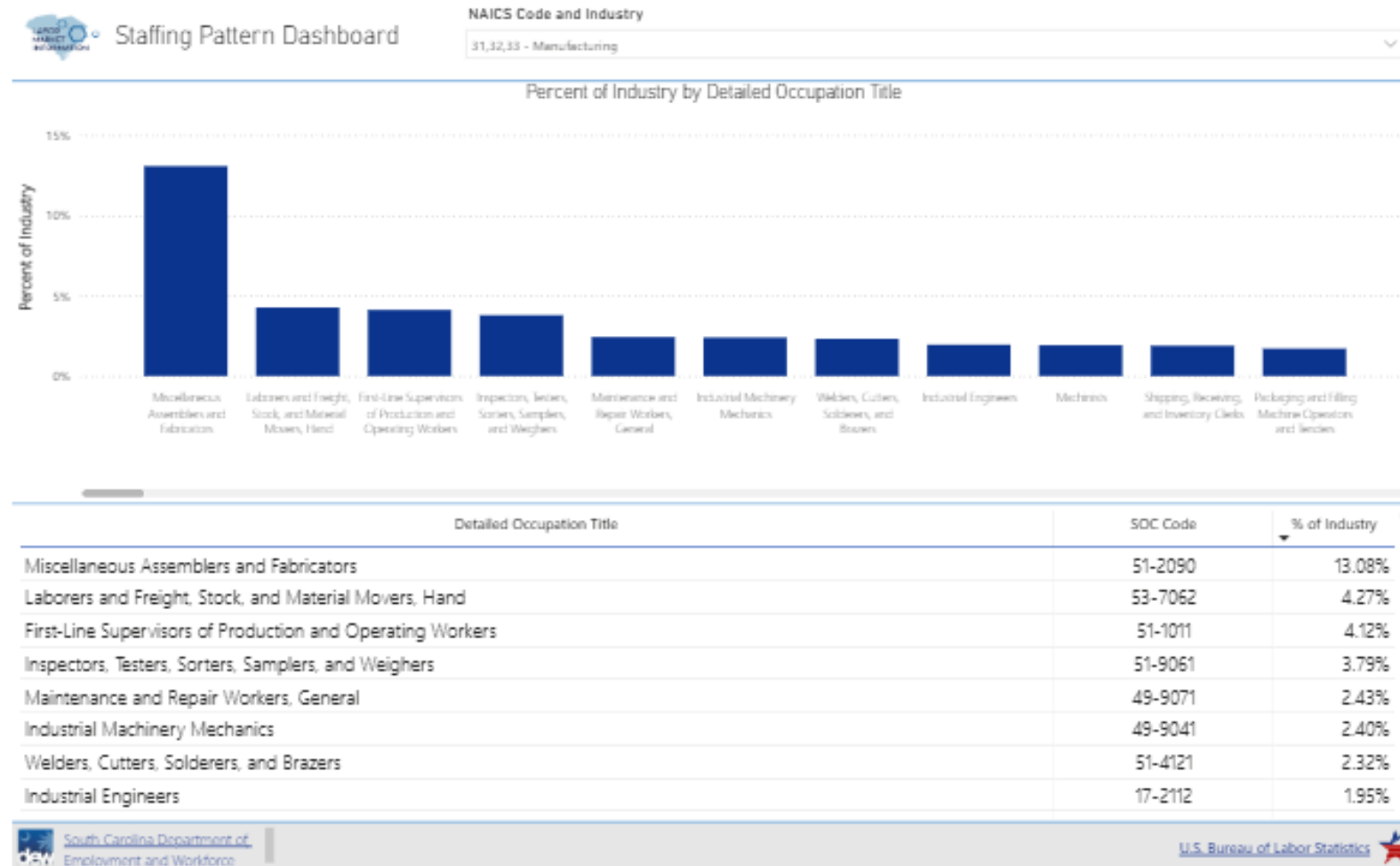
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☐ Short-Term Projections 2023 - 2025  
☒ Long-Term Projections 2022 - 2032  
☐ Long-Term Projections 2020 - 2030

| Area           | Period                            | Industry Code & Title                               | <div>Cancel</div> | <div>Apply</div> | Projected Employment | Numeric Change | % Change |
|----------------|-----------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------|-------------------|------------------|----------------------|----------------|----------|
| South Carolina | Long-Term Projections 2022 - 2032 | 1021 - Trade, Transportation and Utilities          |                   | 433,492          | 492,785              | 59,293         | 13.68%   |
| South Carolina | Long-Term Projections 2022 - 2032 | 221 - Utilities                                     |                   | 10,950           | 11,357               | 407            | 3.72%    |
| South Carolina | Long-Term Projections 2022 - 2032 | 71 - Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation            |                   | 32,538           | 36,093               | 3,555          | 10.93%   |
| South Carolina | Long-Term Projections 2022 - 2032 | 424 - Merchant Wholesalers, Nondurable Goods        |                   | 22,708           | 24,128               | 1,420          | 6.25%    |
| South Carolina | Long-Term Projections 2022 - 2032 | 323 - Printing and Related Support Activities       |                   | 4,798            | 4,088                | -710           | -14.80%  |
| South Carolina | Long-Term Projections 2022 - 2032 | 512 - Motion Picture and Sound Recording Industries |                   | 1,936            | 1,846                | -90            | -4.65%   |
| South Carolina | Long-Term Projections 2022 - 2032 | 236 - Construction of Buildings                     |                   | 26,453           | 26,787               | 334            | 1.26%    |
| South Carolina | Long-Term Projections 2022 - 2032 | 531 - Real Estate                                   |                   | 23,992           | 28,235               | 4,243          | 17.69%   |
| South Carolina | Long-Term Projections 2022 - 2032 | 485 - Transit and Ground Passenger Transportation   |                   | 2,161            | 2,390                | 229            | 10.60%   |
| South Carolina | Long-Term Projections 2022 - 2032 | 339 - Miscellaneous Manufacturing                   |                   | 8,235            | 8,222                | -13            | -0.16%   |
| South Carolina | Long-Term Projections 2022 - 2032 | 513 - Publishing Industries                         |                   | 7,618            | 9,236                | 1,618          | 21.24%   |
| South Carolina | Long-Term Projections 2022 - 2032 | 482 - Rail Transportation                           |                   | 1,962            | 1,903                | -59            | -3.01%   |
| South Carolina | Long-Term Projections 2022 - 2032 | 551 - Management of Companies and Enterprises       |                   | 24,851           | 34,562               | 9,711          | 39.08%   |
| South Carolina | Long-Term Projections 2022 - 2032 | 1011 - Natural Resources and Mining                 |                   | 15,992           | 16,019               | 27             | 0.17%    |
| South Carolina | Long-Term Projections 2022 - 2032 | 115 - Agriculture and forestry support activities   |                   | 4,329            | 4,670                | 341            | 7.88%    |
| South Carolina | Long-Term Projections 2022 - 2032 | 313 - Textile Mills                                 |                   | 12,518           | 11,020               | -1,498         | -11.97%  |
| South Carolina | Long-Term Projections 2022 - 2032 | 56 - Administrative and Waste Services              |                   | 162,830          | 180,897              | 18,067         | 11.10%   |
| South Carolina | Long-Term Projections 2022 - 2032 | 444 - Building material and garden supply stores    |                   | 26,316           | 29,153               | 2,837          | 10.78%   |
| South Carolina | Long-Term Projections 2022 - 2032 | 721 - Accommodation                                 |                   | 30,545           | 31,249               | 704            | 2.30%    |
| South Carolina | Long-Term Projections 2022 - 2032 | 316 - Leather and Allied Product Manufacturing      |                   | 81               | 91                   | 10             | 12.35%   |
| South Carolina | Long-Term Projections 2022 - 2032 | 48 - Transportation and Warehousing                 |                   | 83,196           | 107,240              | 24,044         | 28.90%   |



# Data Hub - Staffing Patterns

- The staffing pattern divides each industry's employment into different occupations, forming a matrix





# Thank you

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