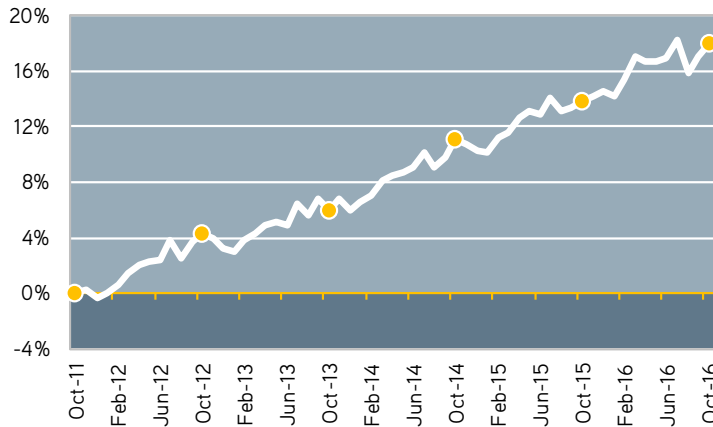


LABOR MARKET OVERVIEW

Regional Labor Market Snapshot

5-Year Percent Change in Number Employed*



Capital Area Region

Source: LAUS, Labor & Economic Analysis, NC Dept. of Commerce

Trending

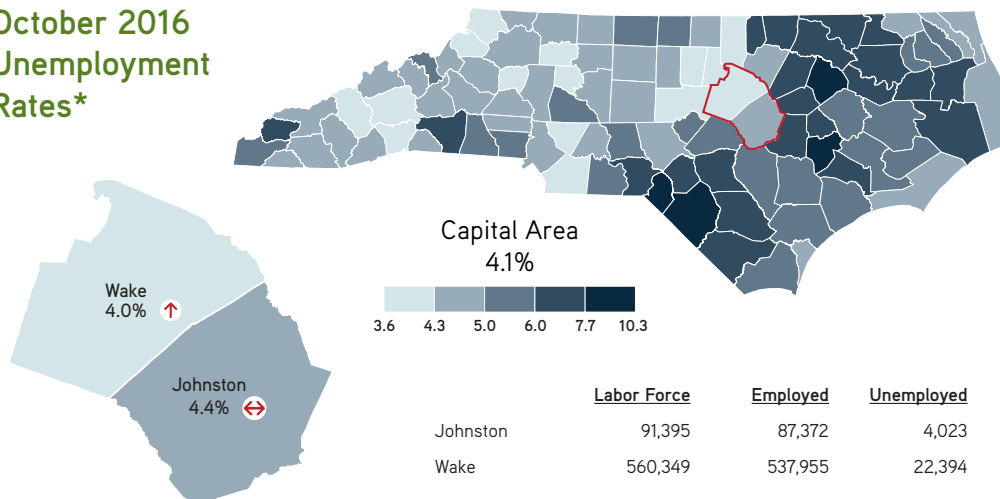
UNEMPLOYMENT*

October 2016

Capital Area Total = 26,417

	Current	Previous
Region	4.1%	4.0%
NC	4.9%	4.8%
US	4.7%	4.8%

October 2016 Unemployment Rates*



REGIONAL EMPLOYMENT*

Capital Area Total = 625,327

5,304 More People Working in October than previous month

22,283 More People Working than same period one year ago

METRO JOB GROWTH*

Raleigh Total = 603,800

3,000 More Jobs in October than previous month

13,700 More Jobs than same period one year ago

Employment & Wages by Supersector 2nd Quarter 2016

Supersector	Establishments	Avg. Employment	Avg. Weekly Wage
Natural Resources & Mining	118	946	\$631.48
Construction	1,363	8,938	\$786.91
Manufacturing	349	9,386	\$1,318.00
Trade, Transportation, & Utilities	2,807	34,051	\$703.02
Information	192	3,475	\$1,136.08
Financial Activities	1,406	7,219	\$1,055.60
Professional & Business Services	2,485	19,614	\$932.41
Education & Health Services	1,500	40,164	\$796.77
Leisure & Hospitality Services	1,447	23,650	\$290.95
Other Services	997	4,438	\$495.01
Public Administration	140	10,091	\$833.21

TAXABLE RETAIL SALES

Capital Area Total = \$1,431,710,787

10% Higher than same period one year ago

Source: NC Dept. of Revenue
Note: September 2016 data most current available at time of release.

ONLINE JOB ADS

49,877 Online Advertised Vacancies over past 90 days

3,061 Fewer Vacancies than same period one year ago

Source: The Conference Board Help Wanted Online

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