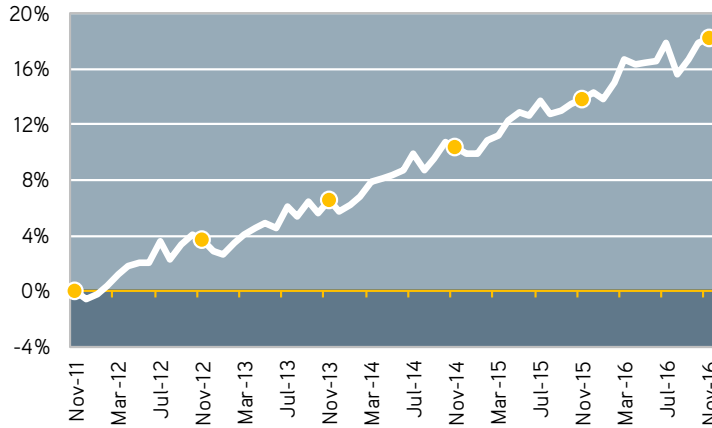


# LABOR MARKET OVERVIEW

## Regional Labor Market Snapshot

### 5-Year Percent Change in Number Employed\*



Capital Area Region

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

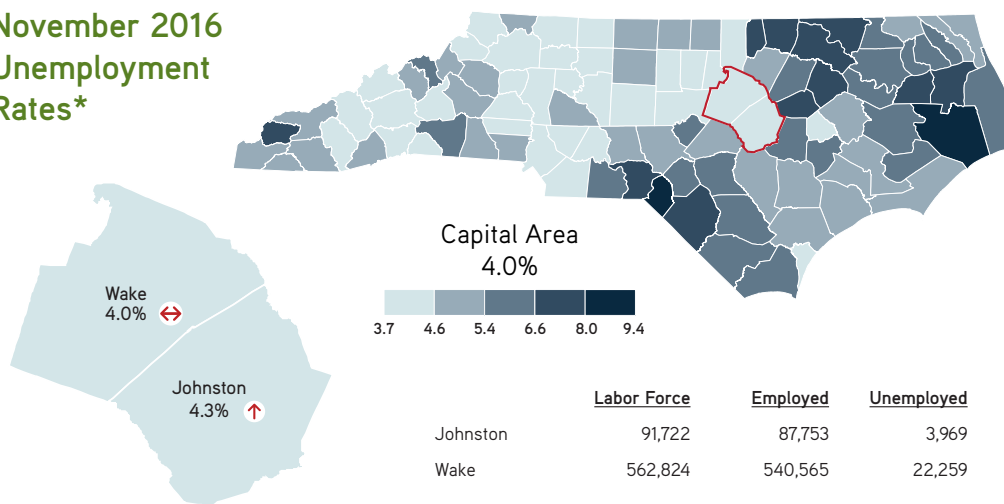
## Trending

### UNEMPLOYMENT\*

November 2016  
Capital Area Total = 26,228

	Current	Previous
Region	4.0%	4.0%
NC	4.8%	4.8%
US	4.4%	4.7%

### November 2016 Unemployment Rates\*



### REGIONAL EMPLOYMENT\*

Capital Area Total = 628,318  
**2,077 More People Working** in November than previous month  
**23,291 More People Working** than same period one year ago

### METRO JOB GROWTH\*

Raleigh Total = 608,000  
**3,300 More Jobs** in November than previous month  
**12,100 More Jobs** than same period one year ago

### Who's Hiring

past 90 days from Dec. 29, 2016

• IBM	1,050
• WakeMed	929
• State of North Carolina	899
• Wake County Public Schools	753
• Cisco	577
• TEKsystems	569
• ACCENTURE	466
• Randstad	454

### What Jobs

past 90 days from Dec. 29, 2016

• Software Developers, Applications	1,651
• Network & Computer Systems Admin.	1,258
• Web Developers	1,222
• Heavy & Tractor-Trailer Truck Drivers	1,175
• Registered Nurses	1,002
• Computer Systems Analysts	925
• Computer User Support Specialists	843
• Retail Salespersons	837

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\*November 2016 data are preliminary, while all other data have undergone annual revision. All data produced in this publication are generated by LEAD unless otherwise stated.

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### TAXABLE RETAIL SALES

Capital Area Total = \$1,397,471,439

**5% Higher** than same period one year ago

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

### ONLINE JOB ADS

**43,644 Online Advertised Vacancies** over past 90 days

**2,858 Fewer Vacancies** than same period one year ago

Source: The Conference Board Help Wanted Online