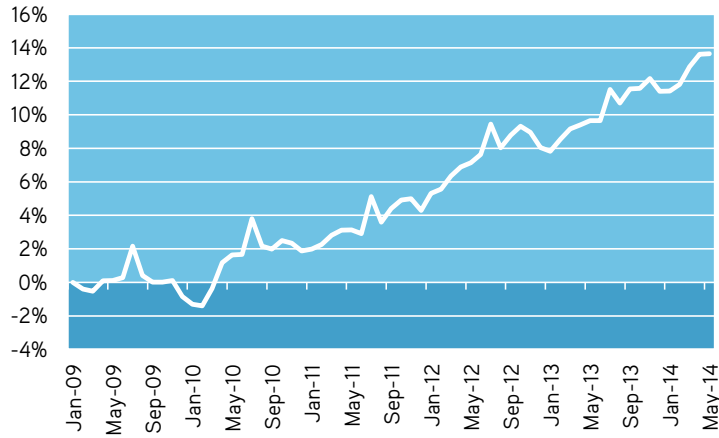


LABOR MARKET OVERVIEW

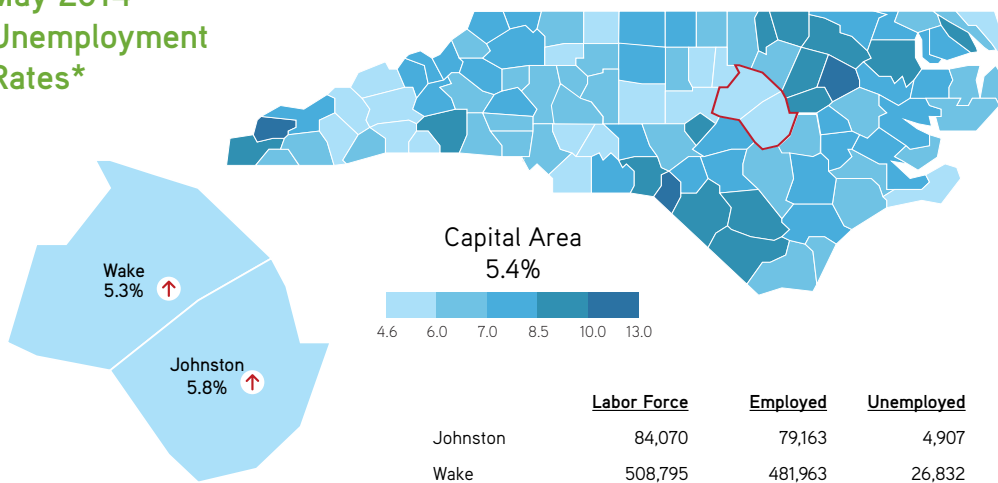
Regional Labor Market Snapshot

5-Year Percent Change in Employment*



Capital Area Region

May 2014 Unemployment Rates*



Employment & Wages by Supersector 4th Quarter 2013

Supersector	Establishments	Avg. Employment	Avg. Weekly Wage
Natural Resources & Mining	176	1,891	\$736.00
Construction	3,175	29,412	\$969.00
Manufacturing	868	29,170	\$1,509.00
Trade, Transportation, & Utilities	6,385	97,543	\$829.00
Information	732	17,845	\$1,565.00
Financial Activities	3,340	26,588	\$1,255.00
Professional & Business Services	8,914	105,631	\$1,184.00
Education & Health Services	3,754	101,984	\$925.00
Leisure & Hospitality Services	2,872	58,719	\$355.00
Other Services	2,794	15,675	\$699.00
Public Administration	158	42,403	\$919.00

Note: All data produced in this publication are generated by LEAD unless otherwise stated.

*May 2014 data are preliminary, while other 2014 data are revised. All other reported data have undergone annual revision.

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Trending

UNEMPLOYMENT*

May 2014

Capital Area Total = 31,739

↑	Capital Area	5.4%
↑	North Carolina	6.6%
↑	United States	6.1%

REGIONAL EMPLOYMENT*

Capital Area Total = 561,126

148 More People Working in May than previous month

19,693 More People Working than same period one year ago

CLAIMS-TAKING ACTIVITY

Initial Claims Total = 2,303

13% Increase in Claims in May over previous month

Benefits Paid Total = \$3,972,058

1% Decrease in Payments in May over previous month

Duration of Claims Down 1% to 17.2 in May over previous month

INDIVIDUALS RECEIVING BENEFITS

Capital Area Total = 4,097

1% Decrease in Claimants in May over previous month

AVAILABLE JOBS

45,542 Jobs Posted Online over past 90 days

16,058 Less Job Openings than same period one year ago

Source: The Conference Board Help Wanted Online