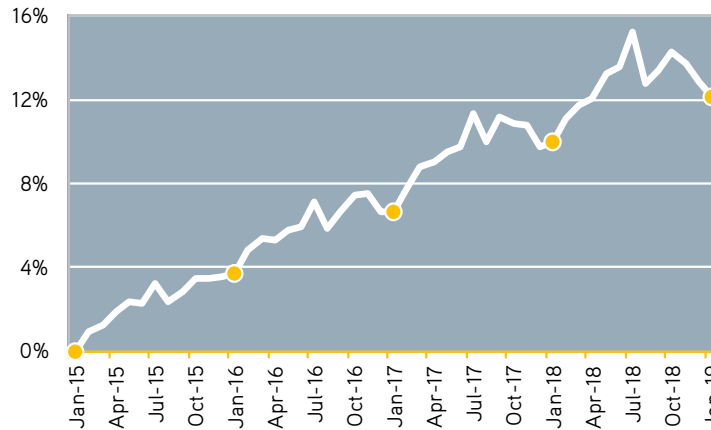


LABOR MARKET OVERVIEW

Regional Labor Market Snapshot

5-Year Percent Change in Number Employed*



Capital Area Region

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

Trending

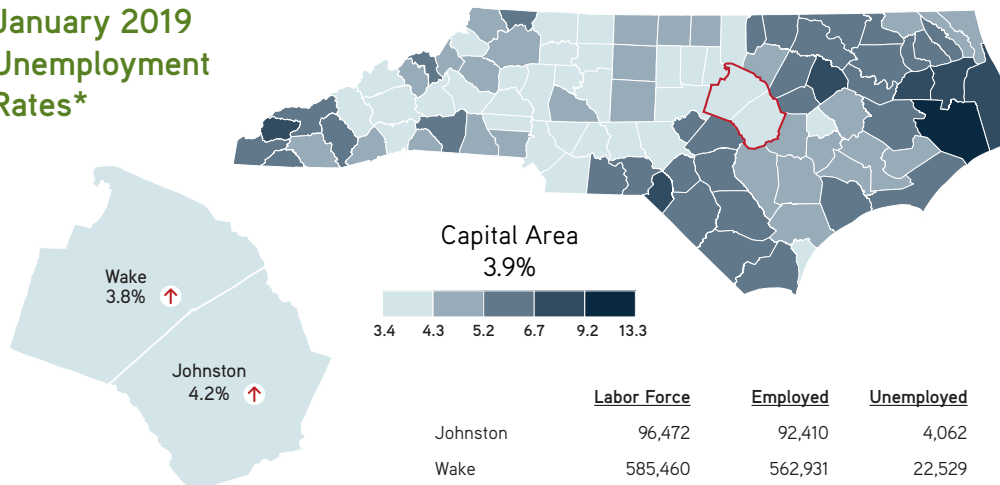
UNEMPLOYMENT*

January 2019

Capital Area Total = 26,591

	Current	Previous
Region	3.9%	3.2%
NC	4.5%	3.7%
US	4.4%	3.7%

January 2019 Unemployment Rates*



REGIONAL EMPLOYMENT*

Capital Area Total = 655,341

4,078 Fewer People Working in January than previous month

12,611 More People Working than same period one year ago

METRO JOB GROWTH*

Raleigh Total = 630,000

5,400 Fewer Jobs in January than previous month

10,400 More Jobs than same period one year ago

Employment & Wages by Supersector 3rd Quarter 2018

Supersector	Establishments	Avg. Employment	Avg. Weekly Wage
Natural Resources & Mining	178	1,853	\$888.26
Construction	3,813	38,969	\$1,149.89
Manufacturing	894	33,387	\$1,853.89
Trade, Transportation, & Utilities	6,952	111,589	\$875.76
Information	979	22,331	\$1,826.10
Financial Activities	4,040	32,206	\$1,487.49
Professional & Business Services	10,388	120,069	\$1,379.48
Education & Health Services	4,278	116,403	\$944.78
Leisure & Hospitality Services	3,301	71,289	\$350.89
Other Services	3,188	18,333	\$763.77
Public Administration	171	44,433	\$1,023.67

TAXABLE RETAIL SALES

Capital Area Total = \$1,891,734,702

11.9% Higher than same period one year ago

Source: NC Dept. of Revenue
Note: January 2019 data most current available at time of release.

ONLINE JOB ADS

22,559 Online Advertised Vacancies over past 90 days

3,488 Fewer Vacancies than same period one year ago

Source: The Conference Board Help Wanted Online

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