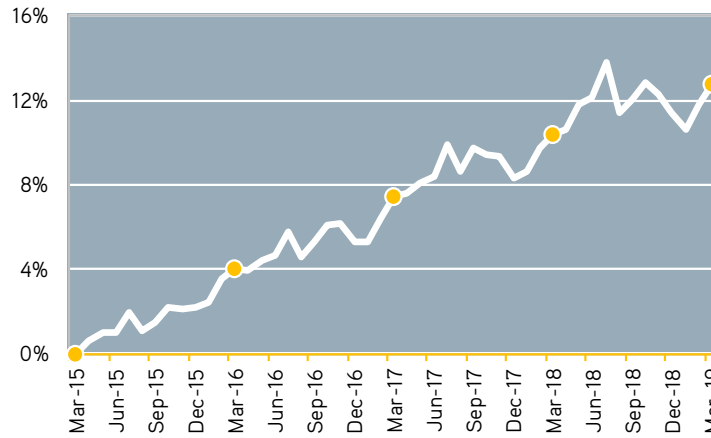


LABOR MARKET OVERVIEW

Regional Labor Market Snapshot

5-Year Percent Change in Number Employed*



Capital Area Region

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

Trending

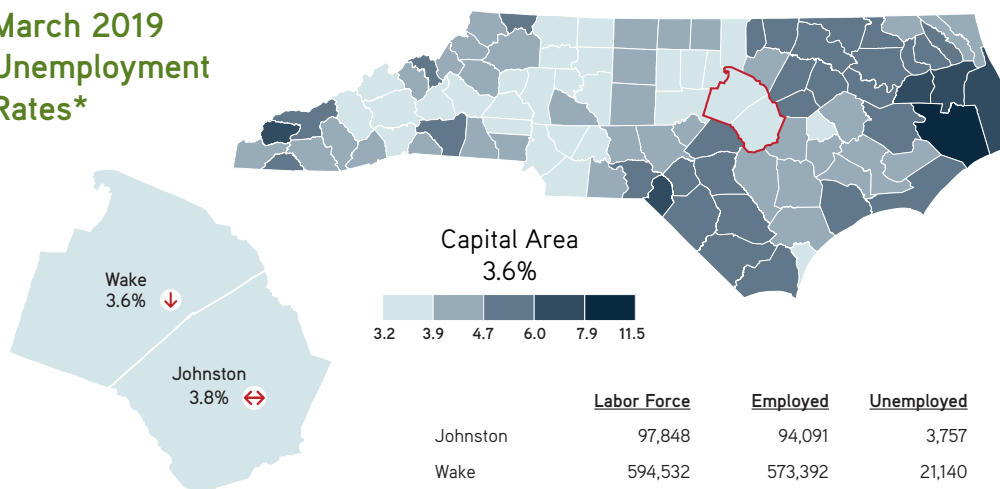
UNEMPLOYMENT*

March 2019

Capital Area Total = 24,897

	Current	Previous
Region	3.6%	3.6%
NC	4.1%	4.2%
US	3.9%	4.1%

March 2019 Unemployment Rates*



REGIONAL EMPLOYMENT*

Capital Area Total = 667,483

5,809 More People Working in March than previous month

11,173 More People Working than same period one year ago

METRO JOB GROWTH*

Raleigh Total = 635,000

3,300 More Jobs in March than previous month

7,100 More Jobs than same period one year ago

Community Investment Report Top Announced Projects 2018 Annual Data

County	Company	Announced Jobs
Wake	Amazon	1,500
Wake	Pendo.io	590
Wake	Pendo.io, Inc.	590
Wake	TrialCard	500
Wake	Advance Auto Parts	435
Wake	Arch Capital	365
Wake	Seqirus	120
Wake	Pentair	51
Wake	Pillar Technology	50
Johnston	Penn Compression	40

TAXABLE RETAIL SALES

Capital Area Total = \$1,634,992,213

12.5% Higher than same period one year ago

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

ONLINE JOB ADS

29,330 Online Advertised Vacancies over past 90 days

147 More Vacancies than same period one year ago

Source: The Conference Board Help Wanted Online

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