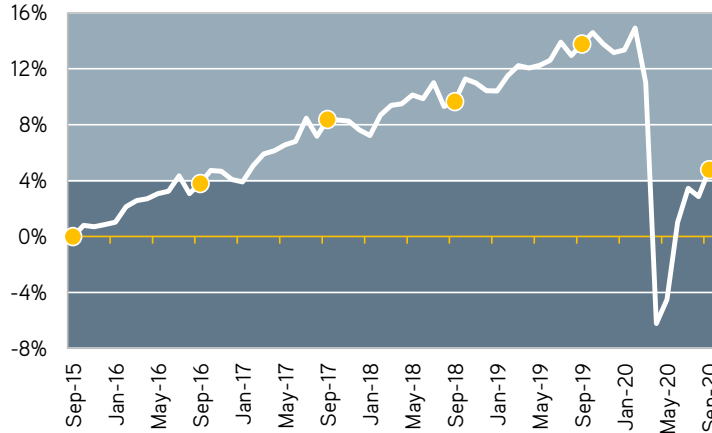


LABOR MARKET OVERVIEW

Regional Labor Market Snapshot

Change in Employment since 2015*



Capital Area Region

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

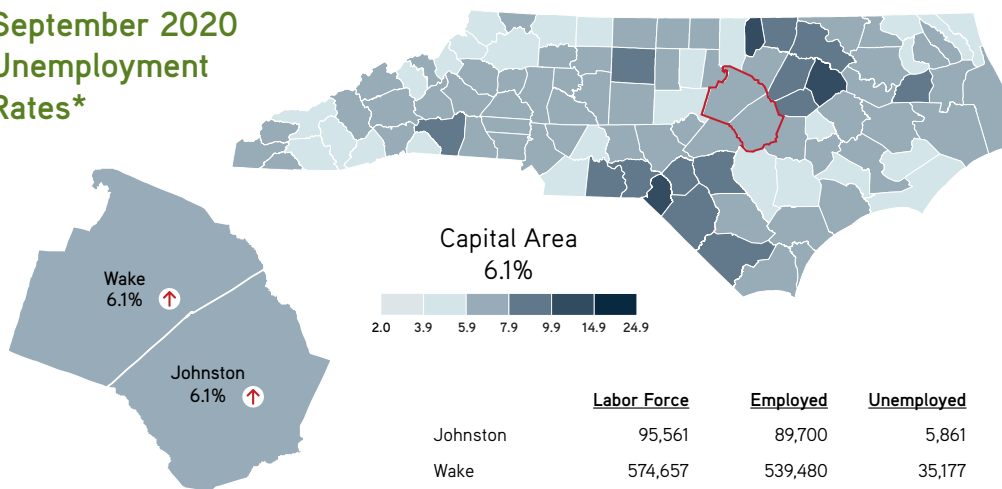
Trending

UNEMPLOYMENT*

September 2020
Capital Area Total = 41,038

	Current	Previous
Region	6.1%	6.0%
NC	7.0%	6.8%
US	7.7%	8.5%

September 2020 Unemployment Rates*



REGIONAL EMPLOYMENT*

Capital Area Total = 629,180
11,563 More People Working in September than previous month
54,033 Fewer People Working than same period one year ago

METRO JOB GROWTH*

Raleigh Total = 605,500
7,000 More Jobs in September than previous month
46,800 Fewer Jobs than same period one year ago

Who's Hiring

past 90 days from Oct. 20, 2020

Wake County Public School System	1,006
WakeMed Health & Hospitals	586
Johnston County Public Schools	393
NC State University	332
UNC Health Care System	316
UNC Rockingham Health Care	314
McDonald's Corporation	234
Amazon.com, Inc.	198

Source: DWS, NC Dept. of Commerce, NCWorks.gov

What Jobs

past 90 days from Oct. 20, 2020

Registered Nurses	682
Computer Programmers	518
Retail Salespersons	518
Combined Food Prep. & Serving Workers	504
First-Line Supervisors, Food Prep.	458
Customer Service Representatives	427
First-Line Supervisors, Retail	321
Teacher Assistants	297

Source: DWS, NC Dept. of Commerce, NCWorks.gov

TAXABLE RETAIL SALES

Capital Area Total = \$1,945,188,254

4.2% Higher than same period one year ago

Source: NC Dept. of Revenue
Note: August 2020 data most current available at time of release.

ONLINE JOB ADS

49,307 Online Advertised Vacancies reported in August

7,318 Fewer Vacancies than same period one year ago

Source: LEAD/The Conference Board
Note: August 2020 data most current available at time of release.

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