

**WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT BOARD**  
**Priority Populations Committee Agenda**  
**Virtual Zoom Meeting**  
**Tuesday, May 4, 2021**  
**3:00 – 4:00 pm**

Topic: Priority Populations Committee Meeting  
Time: May 4, 2021 03:00 PM Eastern Time (US and Canada)

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- I. Welcome and Introductions
- II. Approval of the March 2, 2021 Minutes\*
- III. Chris Sparrow, Able SC
- IV. Karen Hamrick, One-Stop Manager
- V. WorkLink's Data and Community Profile
- VI. Other Business
- VII. Adjourn

\*requires a vote

Next Priority Populations Committee Meeting, Tuesday, August 3, 2021  
Virtual Zoom Meeting

**WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT BOARD**  
**Priority Populations Committee Meeting Minutes**  
**SC Works Clemson Comprehensive Center at East Park**  
**Tuesday, March 2 2021**  
**3:00 – 4:00 pm**

Members Present

Lisa Gillespie, Chair  
Susan Stockton

Margaret Camp

Pat Pruitt

Emily Hodge

Members Absent

Danny Brothers

Edgar Brown

Billy Gibson

Staff Present

Windy Graham

Meredith Durham

Guests Present

Karen Hamrick

I. Welcome and Introductions

Ms. Lisa Gillespie, Chair, called the meeting to order. Chair Gillespie announced that the meeting will be recorded in order to process the minutes. Chair Gillespie welcomed everyone and committee members gave introductions.

II. Approval of the January 5, 2021 Minutes

The minutes from the 1/5/21 meeting were emailed with the meeting notice and included in the meeting packet.

**ACTION TAKEN:** Susan Stockton made a motion to accept the minutes as presented, seconded by Emily Hodge. The motion passed with a unanimous vote.

III. Committee Education – Center Update

Mr. Patrick Pruitt, DEW Regional Manager, shared information about the DEW Veteran Business Consultant position. Mr. Pruitt stated that Mr. Jeff Wilcox, who holds the position of Veteran Business Consultant, represents the WorkLink area as the Veterans Employment Representative and also as a Business Consultant. Mr. Wilcox engages with businesses in the WorkLink area to build relationships and market veterans for open positions.

Ms. Karen Hamrick, OneStop Manager with Eckerd Connects, provided an update on the status of the SC Works centers. All WorkLink SC Works centers are currently operating with normal hours of 8:30

a.m.-5 p.m. and a 1 hour closure for lunch. Masks and temperature checks are required upon entry into the centers. SC Works orientations are virtual right now. Ms. Hamrick can provide interested individuals with a schedule. The Clemson center is sanitized twice per day. The satellite offices also have cleaning staff that sanitize throughout the day. SC Works staff also sanitizes after each customer leaves.

Ms. Windy Graham, staff to the WorkLink Board, referenced reports in the packet.

The Community Profile was available in the packet, beginning on page 4. Ms. Graham stated that the Community Profile shows economic, demographic, industry, occupation, and education data for the Anderson, Oconee, and Pickens area. The report can be revised to show individual counties and is updated approximately every 6 weeks.

The targeted population WIOA data is found on page 34. Aggregate information is given for July 2020 to February 2021. Ms. Graham reviewed the demographics and disability data.

WorkLink's unemployment rate is 3.9%, and the population of those with disabilities is higher nationwide at 12.0%. The percentage of our labor force with a disability is 19.6% (data from US Department of Labor).

IV. **Adjourn**

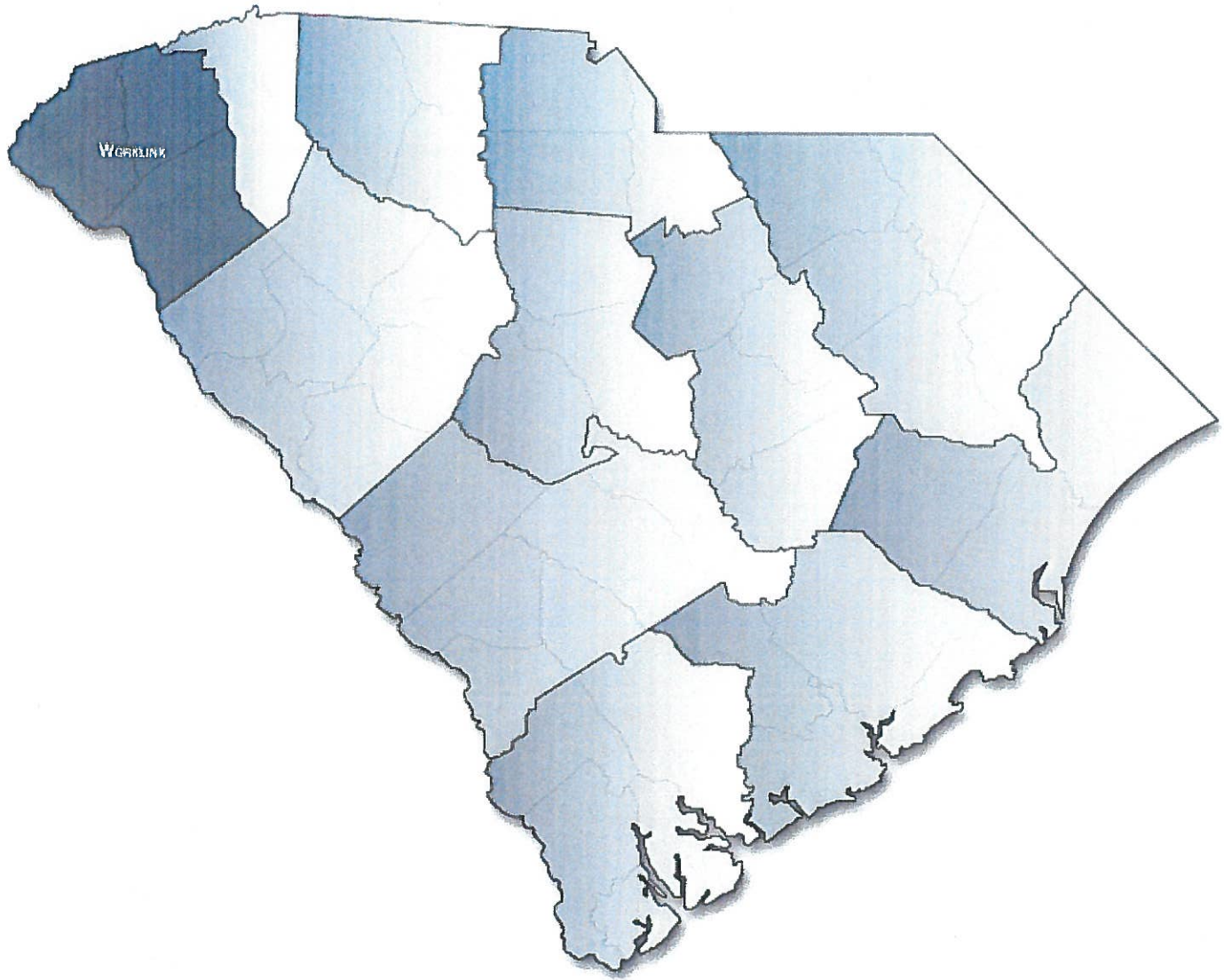
The next meeting will be Tuesday, May 4, 2021.

*Respectfully submitted by Meredith Durham*

# COMMUNITY PROFILE

Worklink

Workforce Development Area



## S.C. Department of Employment & Workforce

Business Intelligence Department

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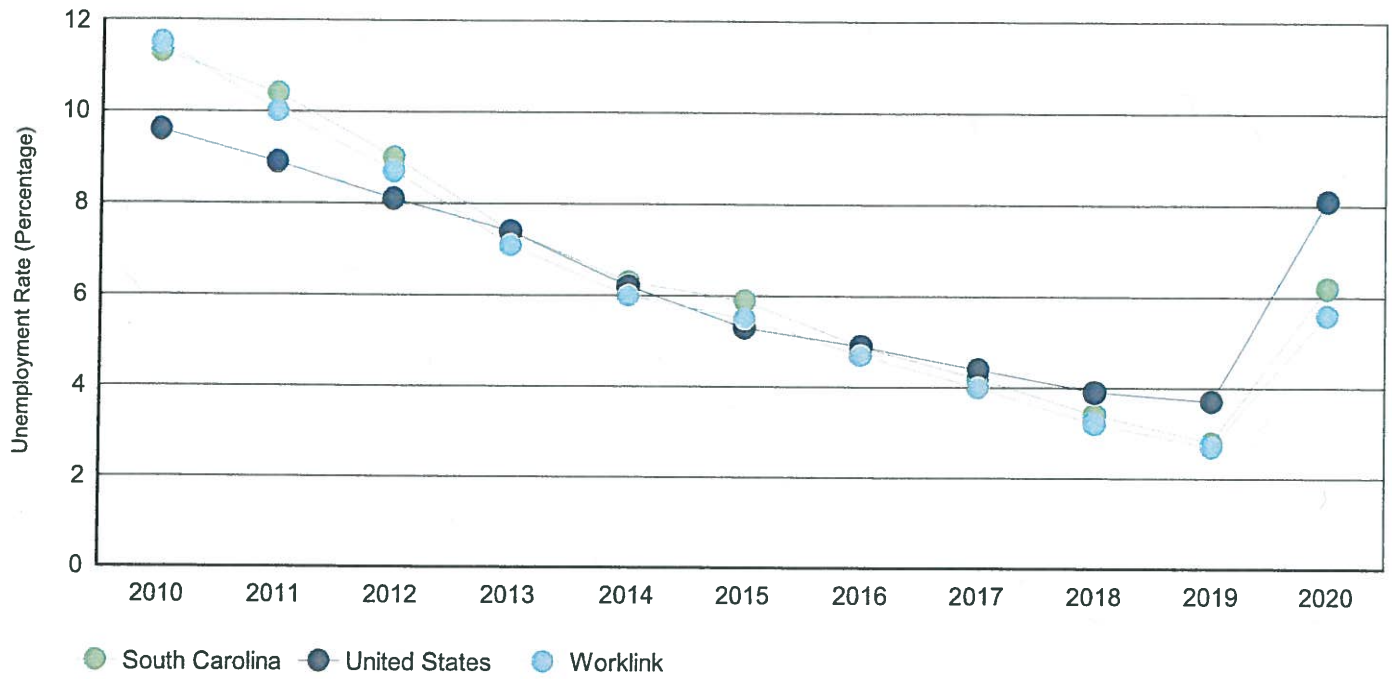
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## Annual Unemployment Rate (Unadjusted)

Trends

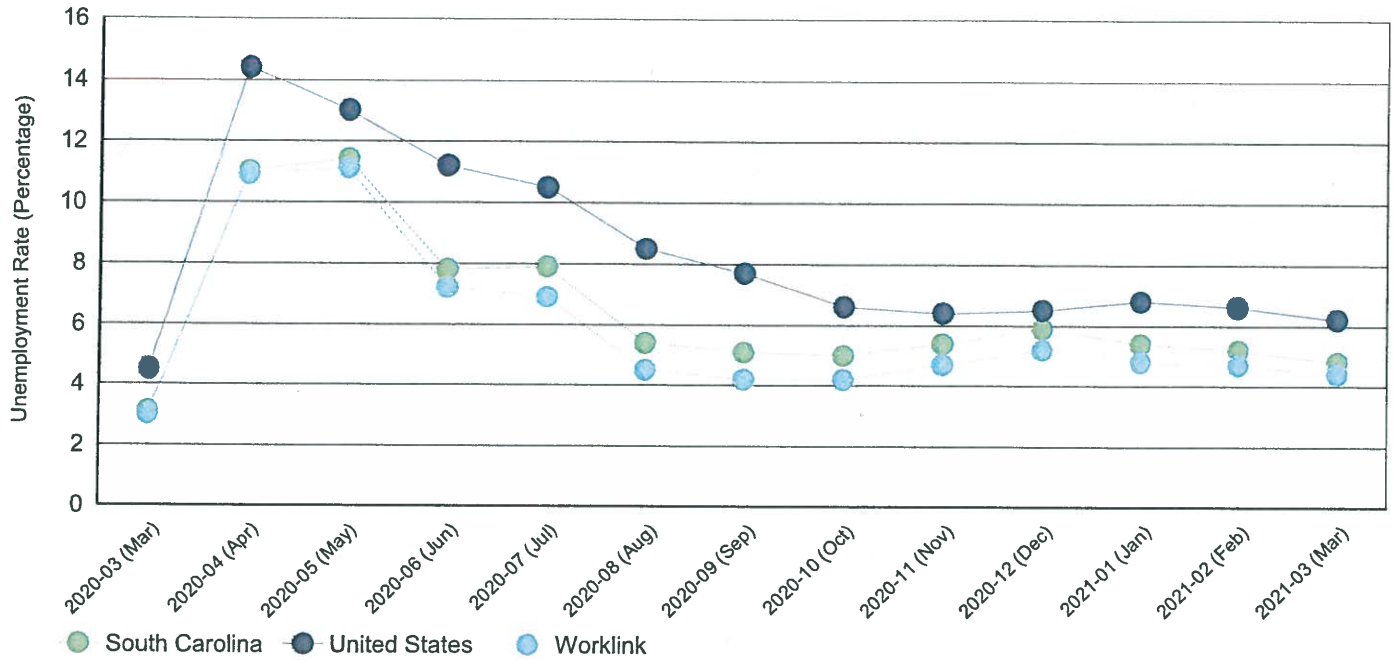


Year	Worklink			South Carolina			United States		
	Employment	Unemp	Rate	Employment	Unemp	Rate	Employment	Unemp	Rate
2020	172,727	10,315	5.6%	2,237,407	147,183	6.2%	147,795,000	12,947,000	8.1%
2019	178,111	4,863	2.7%	2,302,573	65,112	2.8%	157,538,000	6,001,000	3.7%
2018	174,848	5,864	3.2%	2,242,438	78,442	3.4%	155,761,000	6,314,000	3.9%
2017	171,610	7,156	4.0%	2,200,602	96,477	4.2%	153,337,000	6,982,000	4.4%
2016	170,516	8,435	4.7%	2,174,301	111,753	4.9%	151,436,000	7,751,000	4.9%
2015	169,017	9,901	5.5%	2,134,087	133,750	5.9%	148,834,000	8,296,000	5.3%
2014	165,212	10,497	6.0%	2,082,941	139,485	6.3%	146,305,000	9,617,000	6.2%
2013	161,818	12,382	7.1%	2,034,404	163,472	7.4%	143,929,000	11,460,000	7.4%
2012	158,880	15,118	8.7%	1,992,957	197,246	9.0%	142,469,000	12,506,000	8.1%
2011	157,230	17,467	10.0%	1,957,493	227,678	10.4%	139,869,000	13,747,000	8.9%
2010	154,486	20,025	11.5%	1,928,442	246,093	11.3%	139,064,000	14,825,000	9.6%

Source: S.C. Department of Employment & Workforce

## Monthly Unemployment Rate (Unadjusted)

Past 13 Months



Period	Worklink	South Carolina	United States
Mar 2021	4.4%	4.8%	6.2%
Feb 2021	4.7%	5.2%	6.6%
Jan 2021	4.8%	5.4%	6.8%
Dec 2020	5.2%	5.9%	6.5%
Nov 2020	4.7%	5.4%	6.4%
Oct 2020	4.2%	5.0%	6.6%
Sep 2020	4.2%	5.1%	7.7%
Aug 2020	4.5%	5.4%	8.5%
Jul 2020	6.9%	7.9%	10.5%
Jun 2020	7.2%	7.8%	11.2%
May 2020	11.1%	11.4%	13.0%
Apr 2020	10.9%	11.0%	14.4%
Mar 2020	3.0%	3.1%	4.5%

Source: S.C. Department of Employment & Workforce

## Area Job Openings

Period	Worklink				South Carolina			
	Employed	Unemployed	Unemp. Rate	Job Openings	Employed	Unemployed	Unemp. Rate	Job Openings
Mar-21	176,229	8,070	4.4%	3,683	2,267,328	120,783	5.1%	70,670
Feb-21	174,750	8,559	4.7%	3,565	2,253,252	123,928	5.2%	64,799
Jan-21	171,382	8,577	4.8%	3,407	2,235,303	125,444	5.3%	68,687
Dec-20	170,666	9,389	5.2%	3,371	2,223,480	131,582	5.6%	63,043
Nov-20	171,528	8,442	4.7%	3,012	2,217,588	131,355	5.6%	61,171
Oct-20	178,131	7,844	4.2%	3,391	2,306,258	130,857	5.4%	56,273
Sep-20	177,709	7,700	4.2%	2,686	2,292,518	130,400	5.4%	48,900
Aug-20	176,533	8,361	4.5%	2,745	2,272,014	130,549	5.4%	49,905
Jul-20	173,976	12,932	6.9%	2,825	2,243,805	183,470	7.6%	45,266
Jun-20	171,819	13,243	7.2%	2,842	2,209,060	183,862	7.7%	37,666
May-20	161,168	20,220	11.1%	2,702	2,092,571	273,164	11.5%	38,053
Apr-20	160,406	19,682	10.9%	2,908	2,086,262	270,763	11.5%	51,518
Mar-20	176,369	5,384	3.0%	3,354	2,297,323	69,844	3.0%	57,374

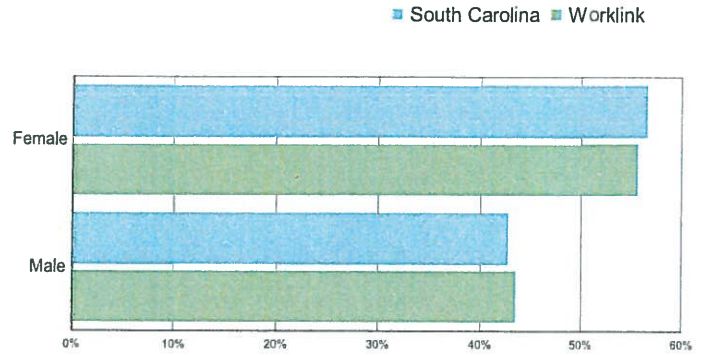
Source: S.C. Department of Employment & Workforce & The Conference Board's Help Wanted OnLine® data series  
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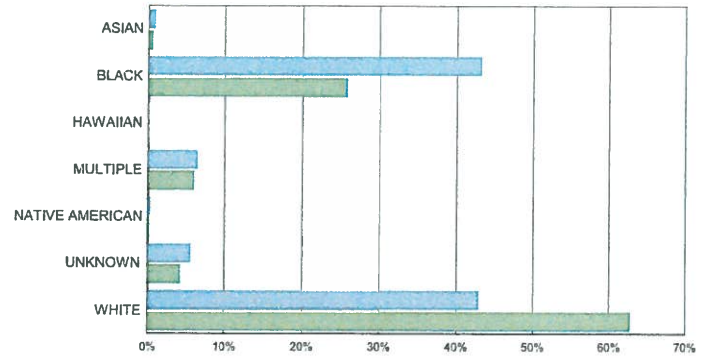
# Characteristics of Unemployment Insurance Claimants

March 2021

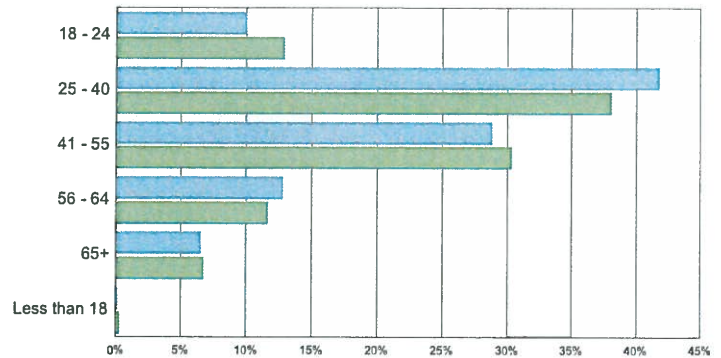
Gender	Worklink	South Carolina
Female	970	16,249
Male	759	12,278
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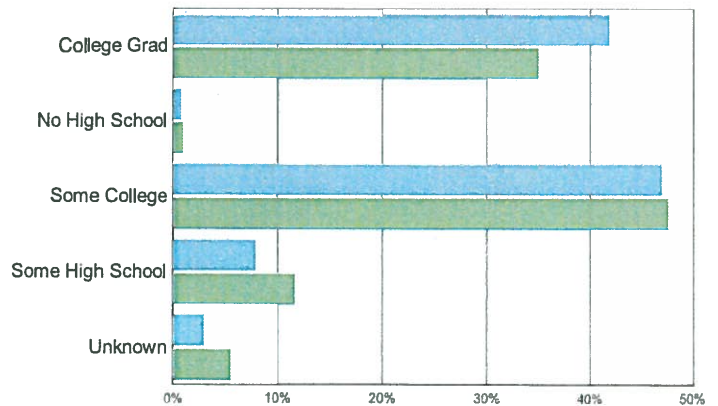
Race	Worklink	South Carolina
ASIAN	12	288
BLACK	448	12,416
HAWAIIAN	2	35
MULTIPLE	105	1,868
NATIVE AMERICAN	4	128
UNKNOWN	75	1,628
WHITE	1,096	12,336



Age Group	Worklink	South Carolina
18 - 24	224	2,867
25 - 40	664	12,001
41 - 55	528	8,268
56 - 64	203	3,661
65+	118	1,871
Less than 18	5	31



Education	Worklink	South Carolina
College Grad	608	12,009
Some College	826	13,451
Some High School	199	2,225
No High School	16	212
Unknown	93	802



Source: S.C. Department of Employment & Workforce

## Characteristics of Unemployment Insurance Claims by Industry

Industry Groups With Largest Number of Claims  
March 2021



Industry	Worklink	South Carolina
Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing and Hunting	2	77
Utilities	2	30
Construction	68	925
Manufacturing	289	3,420
Wholesale Trade	54	883
Retail Trade	145	2,611
Transportation and Warehousing	28	778
Information	11	259
Finance and Insurance	19	341
Real Estate and Rental and Leasing	19	546
Professional, Scientific, and Technical Servi	62	1,068
Management of Companies and Enterprises	8	131
Administrative and Support and Waste Manageme	270	3,315
Educational Services	20	547
Health Care and Social Assistance	116	1,840
Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation	46	593
Accommodation and Food Services	333	7,028
Other Services (except Public Administration)	57	1,005
Public Administration	16	307
Unknown	177	2,994

Source: S.C. Department of Employment & Workforce

## Characteristics of Unemployment Insurance Claims by Occupation

Occupation Groups With Largest Number of Claims  
March 2021



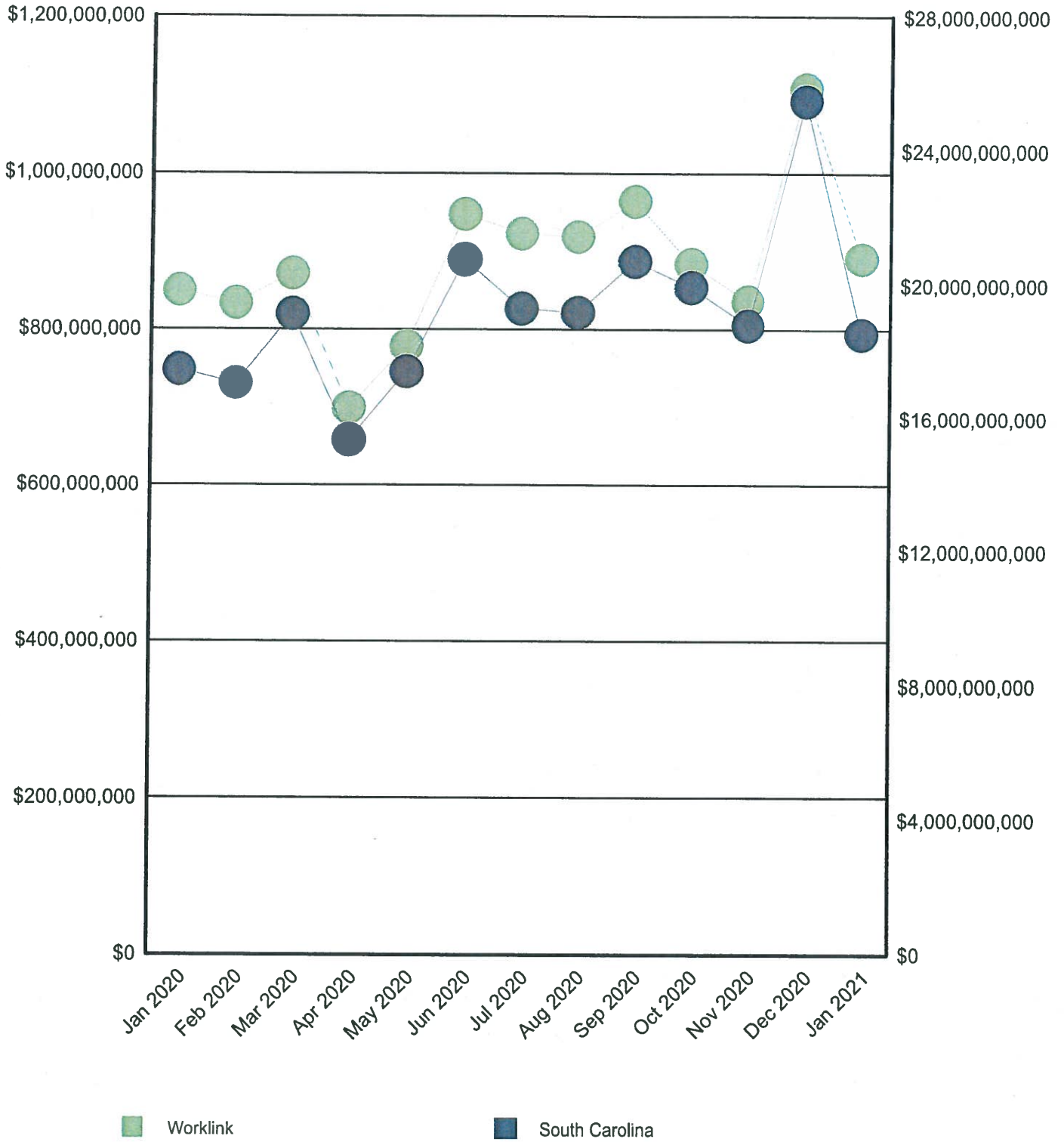
Occupation	Worklink	South Carolina
Architecture and Engineering Occupations	44	548
Arts, Design, Entertainment, Sports, and Media Occ	16	321
Building and Grounds Cleaning and Maintenance Occu	58	1,009
Business and Financial Operations Occupations	27	570
Community and Social Service Occupations	4	134
Computer and Mathematical Occupations	15	257
Construction and Extraction Occupations	67	751
Educational Instruction and Library Occupations	18	521
Farming, Fishing, and Forestry Occupations	2	60
Food Preparation and Serving Related Occupations	252	5,325
Healthcare Practitioners and Technical Occupations	31	541
Healthcare Support Occupations	47	687
Installation, Maintenance, and Repair Occupations	53	765
Legal Occupations	4	91
Life, Physical, and Social Science Occupations	12	216
Management Occupations	123	1,976
Military Specific Occupations	1	29
Office and Administrative Support Occupations	202	3,712
Personal Care and Service Occupations	34	652
Production Occupations	175	2,545
Protective Service Occupations	13	198
Sales and Related Occupations	142	2,776
Transportation and Material Moving Occupations	100	1,916
Unknown	302	3,103

Source: S.C. Department of Employment & Workforce

# Retail Sales

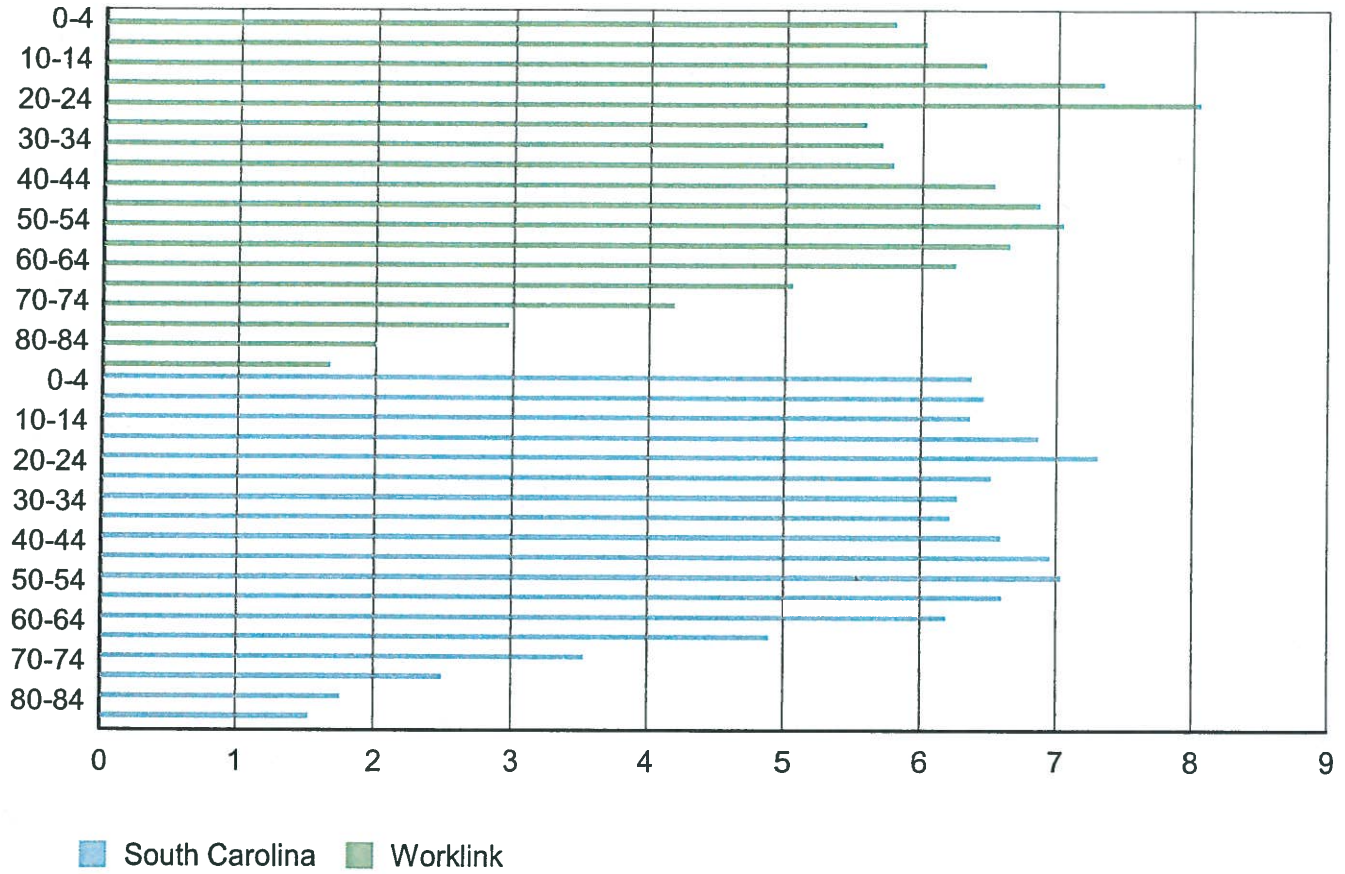
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Source: S.C. Department of Revenue

### Population by Age



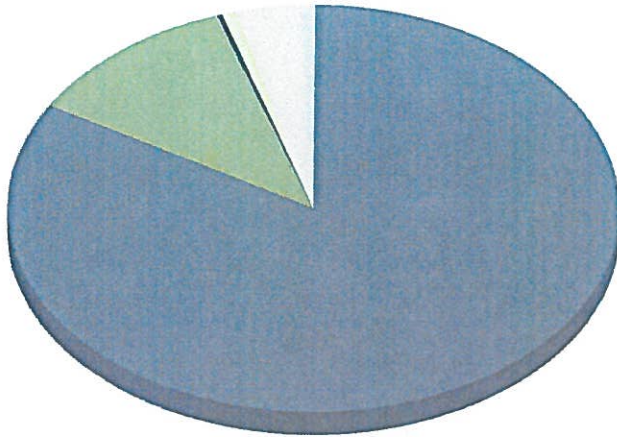
Age Range	Worklink	South Carolina	United States
0-4	22,196	298,242	20,052,112
5-9	23,035	302,111	20,409,060
10-14	24,696	297,443	20,672,609
15-19	28,081	321,540	21,715,074
20-24	30,768	342,237	22,099,887
25-29	21,391	305,167	21,243,365
30-34	21,838	293,464	20,467,912
35-39	22,135	291,183	19,876,161
40-44	24,952	308,158	20,998,001
45-49	26,276	325,660	22,109,946
50-54	26,945	329,431	22,396,322
55-59	25,424	309,061	20,165,892
60-64	23,883	289,690	17,479,211
65-69	19,332	229,251	13,189,508
70-74	16,019	165,797	9,767,522
75-79	11,369	117,187	7,438,750
80-84	7,645	82,223	5,781,697
85 and older	6,397	71,757	5,673,565

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, American Community Survey

### Population by Race

Race	Worklink	%	South Carolina	%	United States	%
White	323,429	84.6%	3,144,146	66.0%	230,592,579	72.0%
Black	44,151	11.6%	1,298,534	27.3%	39,167,010	12.2%
American Indian/Alaskan Native	1,026	0.3%	14,732	0.3%	2,540,309	0.8%
Asian	3,725	1.0%	61,097	1.3%	15,231,962	4.8%
Native Hawaiian/ Other Pacific Islander	164	0.0%	2,128	0.0%	526,347	0.2%
2 or more races	12,272	3.2%	169,670	3.6%	17,464,666	5.5%
Other	3,751	1.0%	74,130	1.6%	14,746,054	4.6%

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, American Community Survey



White	83.2%
Black	11.4%
American Indian/Alaskan Native	0.3%
Asian	1.0%
Native Hawaiian/ Other Pacific Islander	0.0%
2 or more races	3.2%
Other	1.0%
Total:	100.0%

### Population by Gender

Gender	Worklink	South Carolina	United States
Male	187,160	2,276,305	153,247,412
Female	195,222	2,403,297	158,289,182

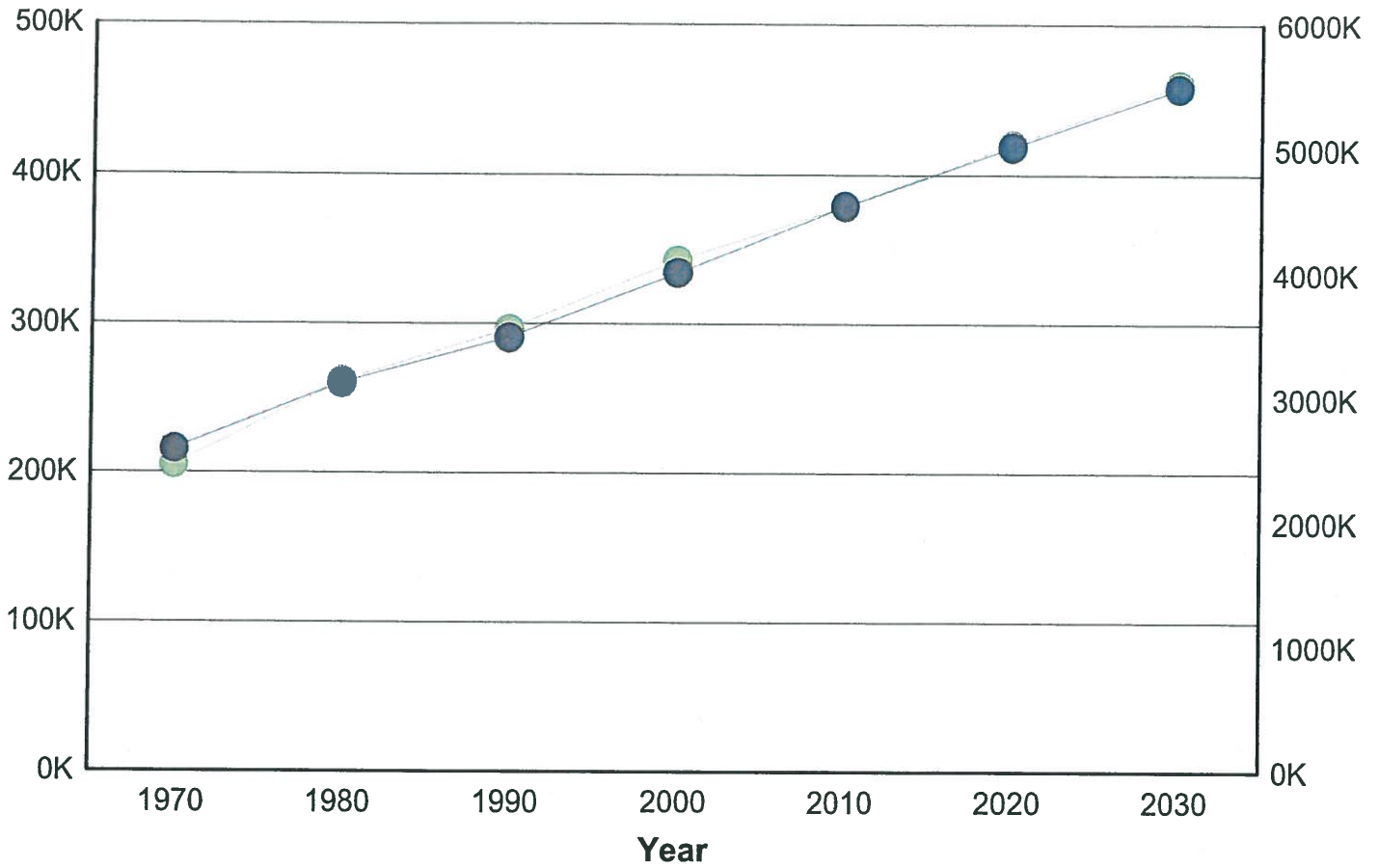
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# Population Change

Historical and Projected

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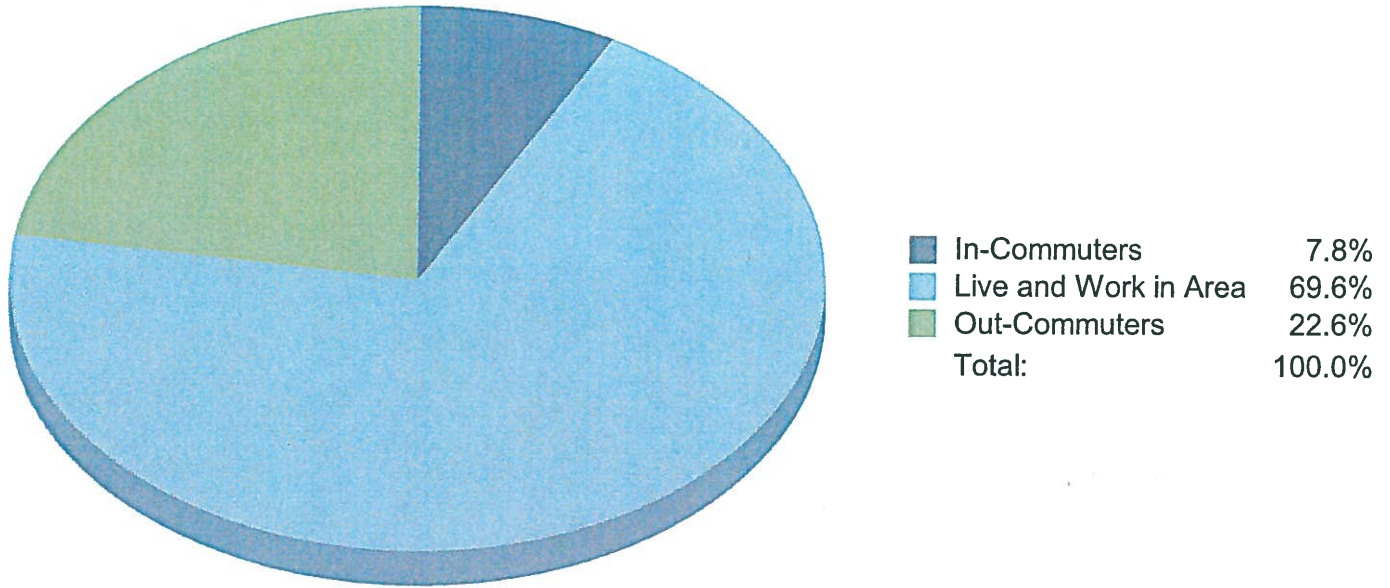


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Year	Worklink	South Carolina
1970	205,158	2,590,713
1980	261,138	3,121,820
1990	296,567	3,486,310
2000	342,712	4,012,012
2010	379,010	4,549,150
2020	419,950	5,020,400
2030	460,010	5,488,460

Source: U.S. Census Bureau

## Commuting Patterns



Commuting Patterns	Workers
Live and Work in Area	119,413
In-Commuters	13,355
Out-Commuters	38,815

Source: U.S. Census Bureau - 2010



## Top 10 Places Residents Are Commuting To

Area	Workers
Greenville County, SC	30,285
Spartanburg County, SC	2,573
Greenwood County, SC	572
Abbeville County, SC	432
Laurens County, SC	311
MECKLENBURG COUNTY, NC	265
Richland County, SC	259
STEPHENS COUNTY, GA	222
FRANKLIN COUNTY, GA	212
FULTON COUNTY, GA	204

Source: U.S. Census Bureau - 2010

## Top 10 Places Residents Are Commuting From

Area	Workers
Greenville County, SC	7,279
Abbeville County, SC	1,627
HART COUNTY, GA	475
Spartanburg County, SC	451
Greenwood County, SC	419
Laurens County, SC	303
STEPHENS COUNTY, GA	228
Richland County, SC	188
ELBERT COUNTY, GA	180
Cherokee County, SC	141

Source: U.S. Census Bureau - 2010

## Employers by Size of Establishment

Employees	Worklink	South Carolina
0 to 4	4,606	91,281
5 to 9	1,372	21,644
10 to 19	1,014	15,806
20 to 49	701	11,677
50 to 99	218	4,278
100 to 249	137	2,634
250 to 499	32	812
500 to 999	17	408
1000 +	8	274

Source: S.C. Department of Employment & Workforce - 2020 Q3  
 - Indicates that the requested data is suppressed

## Employment by Size of Establishment

Employees	Worklink	South Carolina
0 to 4	6,605	118,154
5 to 9	9,175	144,044
10 to 19	13,732	215,290
20 to 49	20,879	355,964
50 to 99	14,599	294,185
100 to 249	20,547	399,493
250 to 499	9,721	275,133
500 to 999	12,488	282,762
1000 +	18,996	741,027

Source: S.C. Department of Employment & Workforce - 2020 Q3  
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## 20 Largest Employers

(Listed Alphabetically)

### Corporation Name

ANDERSON AREA MEDICAL CENTER

ANDERSON COUNTY

ANDERSON COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT #5

ANDERSON COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT 1

BORGWARNER PDS USA INC

Clarios LLC

CLEMSON UNIVERSITY

DUKE ENERGY CORPORATION

ELECTROLUX HOME PRODUCTS INC

FIRST QUALITY TISSUE SE LLC

INGLES MARKET INC

Ingles Market Inc.

MICHELIN NORTH AMERICA INC

OCONEE COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT

ONE WORLD TECHNOLOGIES INC

PLASTIC OMNIUM AUTO EXTERIORS LLC

ROBERT BOSCH CORPORATION

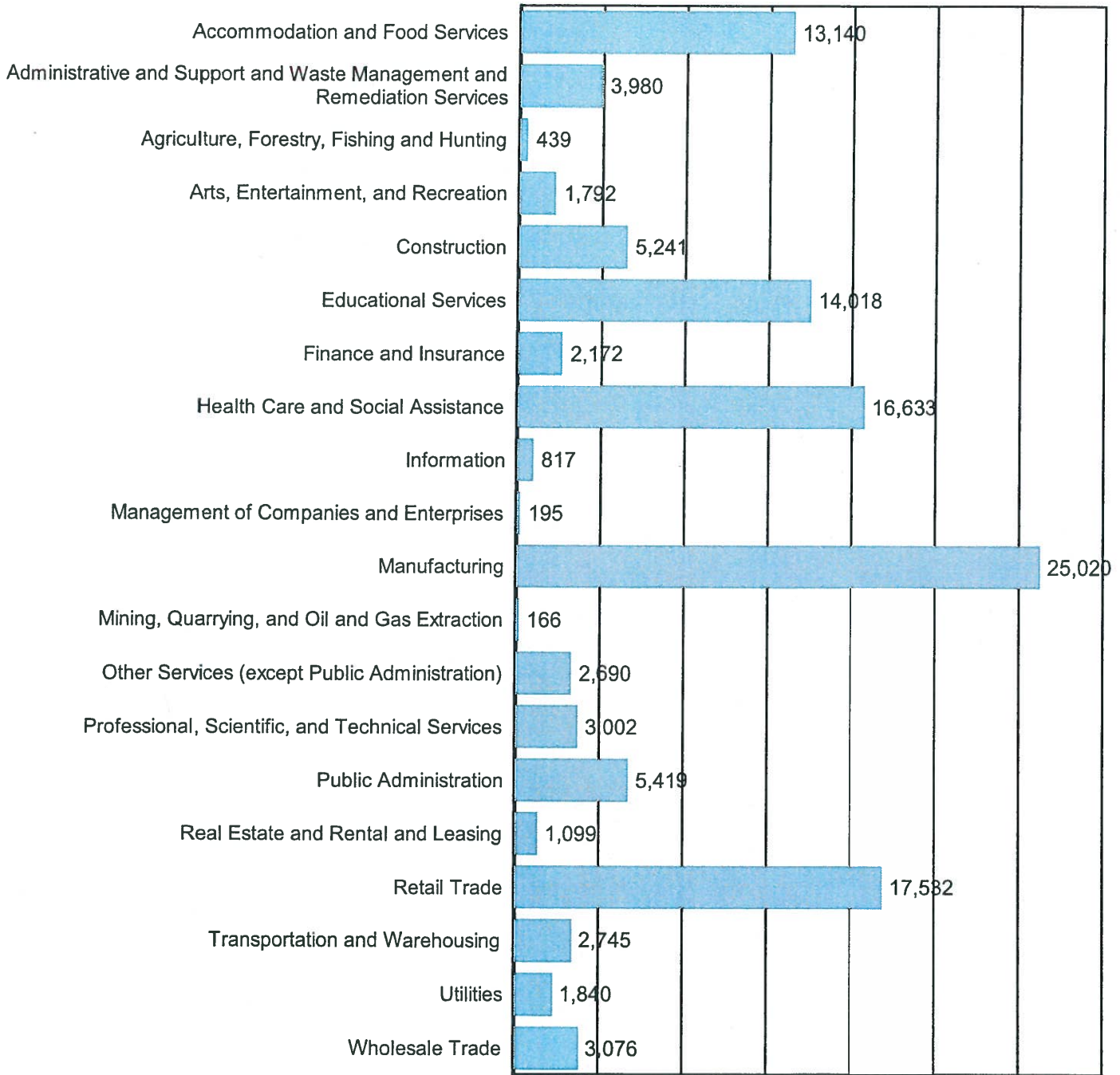
SCHOOL DISTRICT OF PICKENS COUNTY

UPSTATE AFFILIATE ORGANIZATION

WAL-MART ASSOCIATES INC

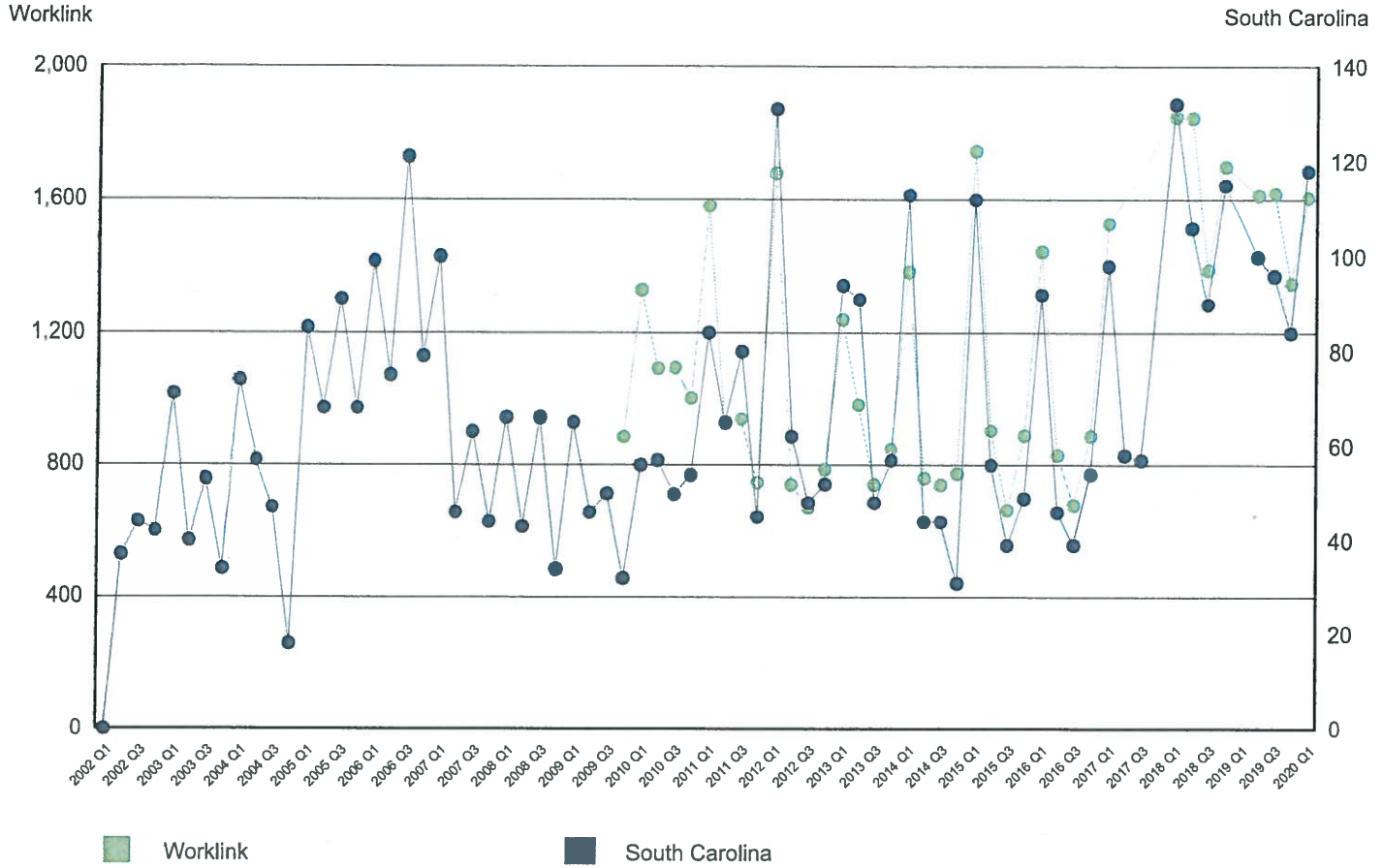
Source: S.C. Department of Employment & Workforce - 2020 Q3

### Employment by Industry



Source: S.C. Department of Employment & Workforce  
 Quarterly Census of Employment and Wages (QCEW) - 2020 Q3

# New Startup Firms



Quarter	Worklink	South Carolina
2020 Q1	118	1,606
2019 Q4	84	1,350
2019 Q3	96	1,619
2019 Q2	100	1,613
2018 Q4	115	1,700
2018 Q3	90	1,389
2018 Q2	106	1,845
2018 Q1	132	1,849
2017 Q1	98	1,528
2016 Q4	54	888
2016 Q3	39	679
2016 Q2	46	831
2016 Q1	92	1,445
2015 Q4	49	889
2015 Q3	39	665
2015 Q2	56	905
2015 Q1	112	1,746
2014 Q4	31	775
2014 Q3	44	741
2014 Q2	44	760

Note: A firm is included in the count when it does not have a UI Account Number in the previous quarter and has a Setup Date that falls in the quarter displayed.

Source: S.C. Department of Employment & Workforce

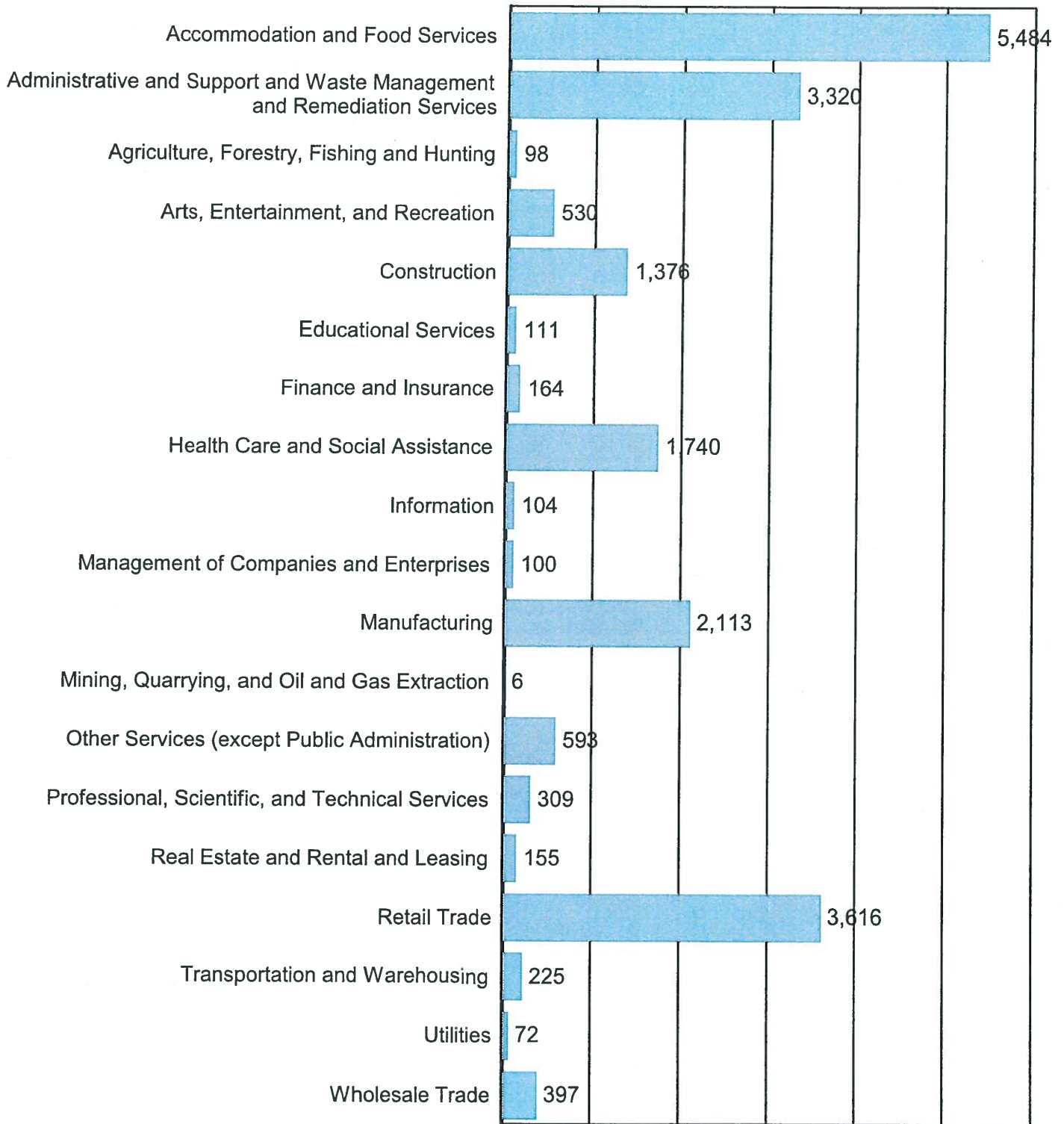
## Top 20 Occupational Openings

Worklink  
March-2021

Occupation Name (Soccode)	Job Openings
Social and Human Service Assistants (21-1093)	123
Registered Nurses (29-1141)	119
Retail Salespersons (41-2031)	108
Secretaries and Administrative Assistants, Except Legal, Medical, and Executive (43-6014)	97
First-Line Supervisors of Retail Sales Workers (41-1011)	83
First-Line Supervisors of Office and Administrative Support Workers (43-1011)	73
Managers, All Other (11-9199)	73
Security Guards (33-9032)	54
Correctional Officers and Jailers (33-3012)	48
Licensed Practical and Licensed Vocational Nurses (29-2061)	47
Medical and Health Services Managers (11-9111)	44
General and Operations Managers (11-1021)	41
Customer Service Representatives (43-4051)	39
Maintenance and Repair Workers, General (49-9071)	38
Mental Health Counselors (21-1014)	38
Postsecondary Teachers, All Other (25-1199)	37
Heavy and Tractor-Trailer Truck Drivers (53-3032)	32
Laborers and Freight, Stock, and Material Movers, Hand (53-7062)	31
Tellers (43-3071)	31
Financial and Investment Analysts (13-2051)	30

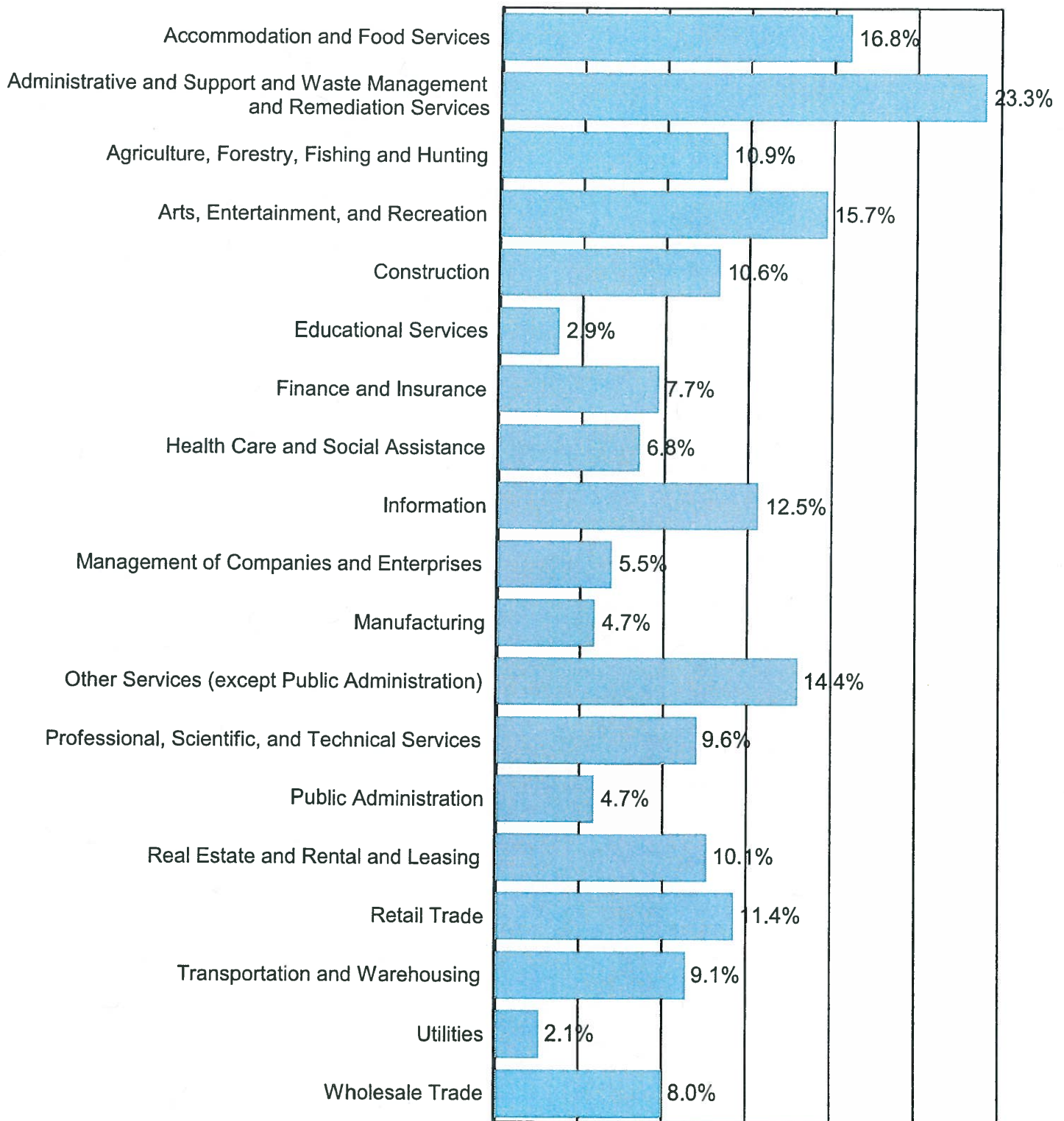
Source: S.C. Department of Employment & Workforce & The Conference Board's Help Wanted OnLine® data series

### New Hires by Industry



Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Local Employment Dynamics - 2016 Q2

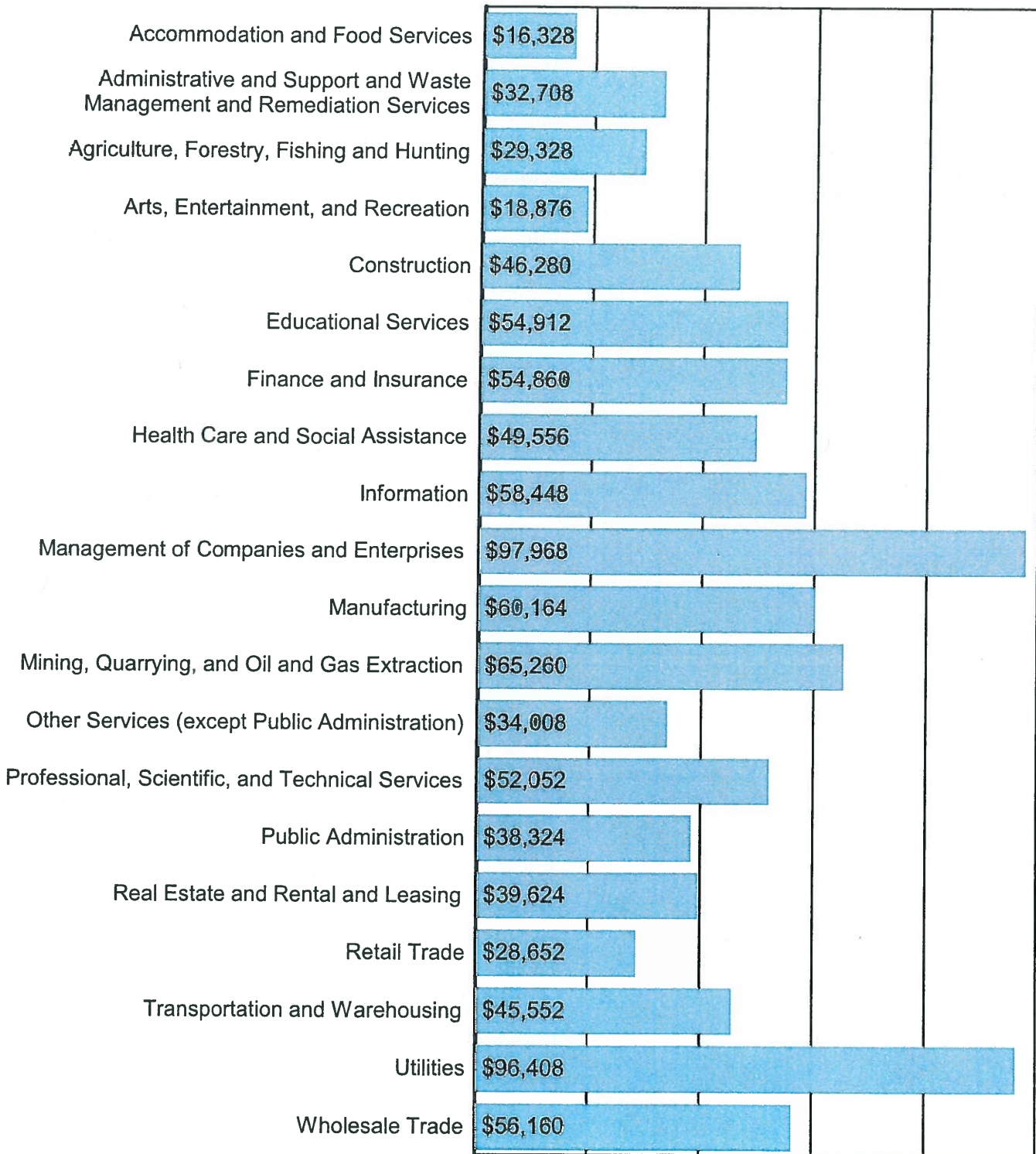
## Turnover by Industry



Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Local Employment Dynamics - 2013 Q3



### Average Annual Wage by Industry



Source: S.C. Department of Employment & Workforce  
 Quarterly Census of Employment and Wages (QCEW) - 2020 Q3

## Age of Workers by Industry

Industry	14-18	19-21	22-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+
Transportation and Warehousing	22	72	116	388	421	493	372	114
Professional and Technical Services	27	83	141	598	532	580	481	247
Wholesale Trade	15	76	119	648	799	845	588	312
Finance and Insurance	11	29	77	447	494	506	340	123
Management of Companies and Enterprises	11	10	9	31	48	83	89	35
Administrative and Waste Services	59	350	498	1,622	1,339	1,206	743	291
Other Services, Except Public Administration	77	185	220	656	647	669	580	278
Total, All Industries	3,332	6,295	6,911	21,231	20,906	21,625	16,598	5,584
Information	37	46	50	189	221	232	116	48
Educational Services	7	20	55	283	276	333	290	142
Mining, Quarrying, and Oil and Gas Extraction	0	3	3	14	15	19	20	5
Manufacturing	65	485	1,057	4,451	5,594	6,802	5,261	956
Real Estate and Rental and Leasing	5	29	62	159	157	179	145	64
Retail Trade	828	1,740	1,507	3,486	2,796	2,843	2,264	1,153
Health Care and Social Assistance	51	434	729	3,249	3,569	3,272	2,583	883
Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing and Hunting	6	5	14	56	79	70	62	26
Utilities	7	14	31	365	435	553	733	78
Construction	49	239	336	1,166	1,335	1,219	859	310
Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation	124	211	170	262	197	176	162	125
Accommodation and Food Services	1,933	2,266	1,719	3,161	1,953	1,546	911	392

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Local Employment Dynamics - 2016 Q2

## Labor Market Projections

*Total Employment by Industry*  
(County/Metropolitan Statistical Area Data Unavailable)

Note: Projections are available by Workforce Investment Area (WIA). The data displayed is selected from the appropriate WIA.

Worklink Industry	2016 Estimated Employment	2026 Projected Employment	Change	Percent Change	Annual Percent
Total All Industries	139,785	153,986	14,201	10.16	0.97
Health Care and Social Assistance	15,713	18,808	3,095	19.70	1.81
Accommodation and Food Services	13,739	16,474	2,735	19.91	1.83
Educational Services	15,061	16,414	1,353	8.98	0.86
Manufacturing	24,975	26,327	1,352	5.41	0.53
Administrative and Support and Waste Management and Remediat	6,836	8,111	1,275	18.65	1.72
Retail Trade	17,147	18,386	1,239	7.23	0.70
Transportation and Warehousing	2,178	2,926	748	34.34	3.00
Construction	5,123	5,815	692	13.51	1.28
Wholesale Trade	3,252	3,672	420	12.92	1.22
Professional, Scientific, and Technical Services	2,624	2,972	348	13.26	1.25
Other Services (except Government)	6,928	7,250	322	4.65	0.46
Real Estate and Rental and Leasing	885	1,048	163	18.42	1.70
Finance and Insurance	2,211	2,365	154	6.97	0.68
Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation	1,438	1,539	101	7.02	0.68
Management of Companies and Enterprises	364	417	53	14.56	1.37
Information	1,010	1,053	43	4.26	0.42
Utilities	1,891	1,903	12	0.63	0.06
Mining	116	114	-2	-1.72	-0.17
Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing and Hunting	3,540	3,082	-458	-12.94	-1.38

Source: S.C. Department of Employment & Workforce - Industry Projections

## Labor Market Projections

*Total Employment by Occupation*  
(County/Metropolitan Statistical Area Data Unavailable)

Note: Projections are available by Workforce Investment Area (WIA). The data displayed is selected from the appropriate WIA.

Worklink Occupation	2016 Estimated Employment	2026 Projected Employment	Openings (Replace)	Openings (Growth)	Annual Openings
Total, All Occupations	139,785	153,986			
Management Occupations	8,370	8,640			
Business and Financial Operations Occupations	3,491	3,915			
Computer and Mathematical Occupations	1,234	1,373			
Architecture and Engineering Occupations	2,632	2,972			
Life, Physical, and Social Science Occupations	688	730			
Community and Social Service Occupations	1,432	1,601			
Legal Occupations	745	849			
Education, Training, and Library Occupations	9,555	10,618			
Arts, Design, Entertainment, Sports, and Media Occupations	1,106	1,170			
Healthcare Practitioners and Technical Occupations	7,757	9,005			
Healthcare Support Occupations	4,115	5,125			
Protective Service Occupations	1,777	1,879			
Food Preparation and Serving Related Occupations	13,690	16,279			
Building and Grounds Cleaning and Maintenance Occupations	4,443	5,007			
Personal Care and Service Occupations	5,065	5,808			
Sales and Related Occupations	14,180	15,395			
Office and Administrative Support Occupations	16,754	17,398			
Farming, Fishing, and Forestry Occupations	2,170	1,896			
Construction and Extraction Occupations	4,842	5,408			
Installation, Maintenance, and Repair Occupations	6,948	7,756			
Production Occupations	19,729	20,726			
Transportation and Material Moving Occupations	9,062	10,436			

Source: S.C. Department of Employment & Workforce - Occupational Projections

## Labor Market Projections

*Growing Occupations*  
(County/Metropolitan Statistical Area Data Unavailable)

Note: Projections are available by Workforce Investment Area (WIA). The data displayed is selected from the appropriate WIA.

Worklink Occupation	2016 Estimated Employment	2026 Projected Employment	Percent Change	Replace	Growth	Total	Average Salary
Nurse Practitioners	108	147	36				\$ 106,904
Packers and Packagers, Hand	1,027	1,314	28				
Medical Assistants	460	588	28				\$ 32,633
Veterinary Technologists and Technicians	103	129	25				\$ 32,357
Self-Enrichment Education Teachers	231	287	24				\$ 46,520
Cooks, Restaurant	1,385	1,715	24				\$ 24,732
Healthcare Social Workers	85	105	24				\$ 54,208
Logisticians	91	112	23				\$ 58,252
Market Research Analysts and Marketing Specialists	229	281	23				\$ 58,793
Occupational Therapists	53	65	23				\$ 77,329
Helpers--Production Workers	696	849	22				\$ 30,701
Medical Secretaries	270	329	22				\$ 31,431
Ambulance Drivers and Attendants, Except Emergency Medical T	175	213	22				\$ 24,266
Magnetic Resonance Imaging Technologists	14	17	21				\$ 61,373
Physical Therapist Assistants	52	63	21				\$ 62,610
Medical and Health Services Managers	224	271	21				\$ 89,552
Food Service Managers	276	333	21				\$ 45,869
Dentists, General	112	135	21				\$ 205,799
Personal Financial Advisors	39	47	21				
Physical Therapists	88	106	20				\$ 88,264

Occupations are sorted by highest estimated percentage growth from estimate year to projection year.

Source: S.C. Department of Employment & Workforce - Occupational Projections

## Labor Market Projections

*Declining Occupations*  
(County/Metropolitan Statistical Area Data Unavailable)

Note: Projections are available by Workforce Investment Area (WIA). The data displayed is selected from the appropriate WIA.

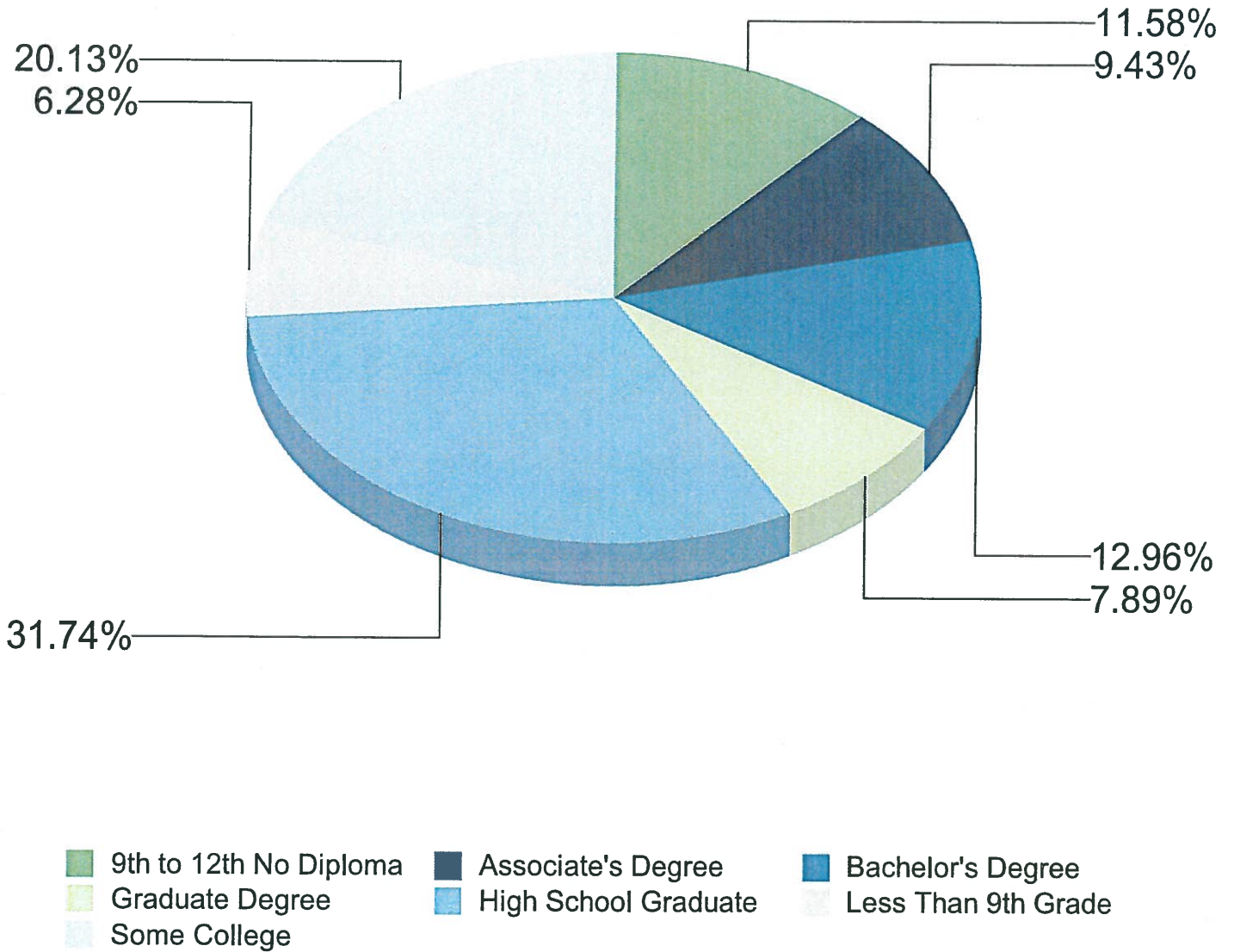
Worklink Occupation	2016 Estimated Employment	2026 Projected Employment	Percent Change	Replace	Growth	Total	Average Salary
Data Entry Keyers	212	172	-19				\$ 35,951
Logging Equipment Operators	54	46	-15				\$ 33,467
File Clerks	28	24	-14				\$ 33,695
Switchboard Operators, Including Answering Service	176	152	-14				\$ 29,381
Postmasters and Mail Superintendents	18	16	-11				\$ 81,482
Postal Service Mail Sorters, Processors, and Processing Mach	11	10	-9				\$ 47,690
Heat Treating Equipment Setters, Operators, and Tenders, Met	23	21	-9				\$ 40,166
Medical Transcriptionists	25	23	-8				\$ 38,291
Floral Designers	87	81	-7				\$ 28,584
Extruding and Forming Machine Setters, Operators, and Tender	90	84	-7				\$ 36,672
Printing Press Operators	236	222	-6				\$ 34,605
First-Line Supervisors of Correctional Officers	73	69	-5				\$ 46,219
Inspectors, Testers, Sorters, Samplers, and Weighers	1,300	1,240	-5				\$ 39,892
Correctional Officers and Jailers	109	104	-5				\$ 36,294
Secretaries and Administrative Assistants, Except Legal, Med	2,642	2,538	-4				\$ 36,243
Meter Readers, Utilities	55	53	-4				\$ 35,301
Tellers	445	430	-3				\$ 33,508
Extruding, Forming, Pressing, and Compacting Machine Setters	216	211	-2				\$ 27,832
Molding, Coremaking, and Casting Machine Setters, Operators,	228	223	-2				\$ 30,052
Textile Winding, Twisting, and Drawing Out Machine Setters,	463	453	-2				\$ 30,108

Occupations are sorted by highest estimated percentage decline from estimate year to projection year.

Source: S.C. Department of Employment & Workforce - Occupational Projections

### Educational Attainment

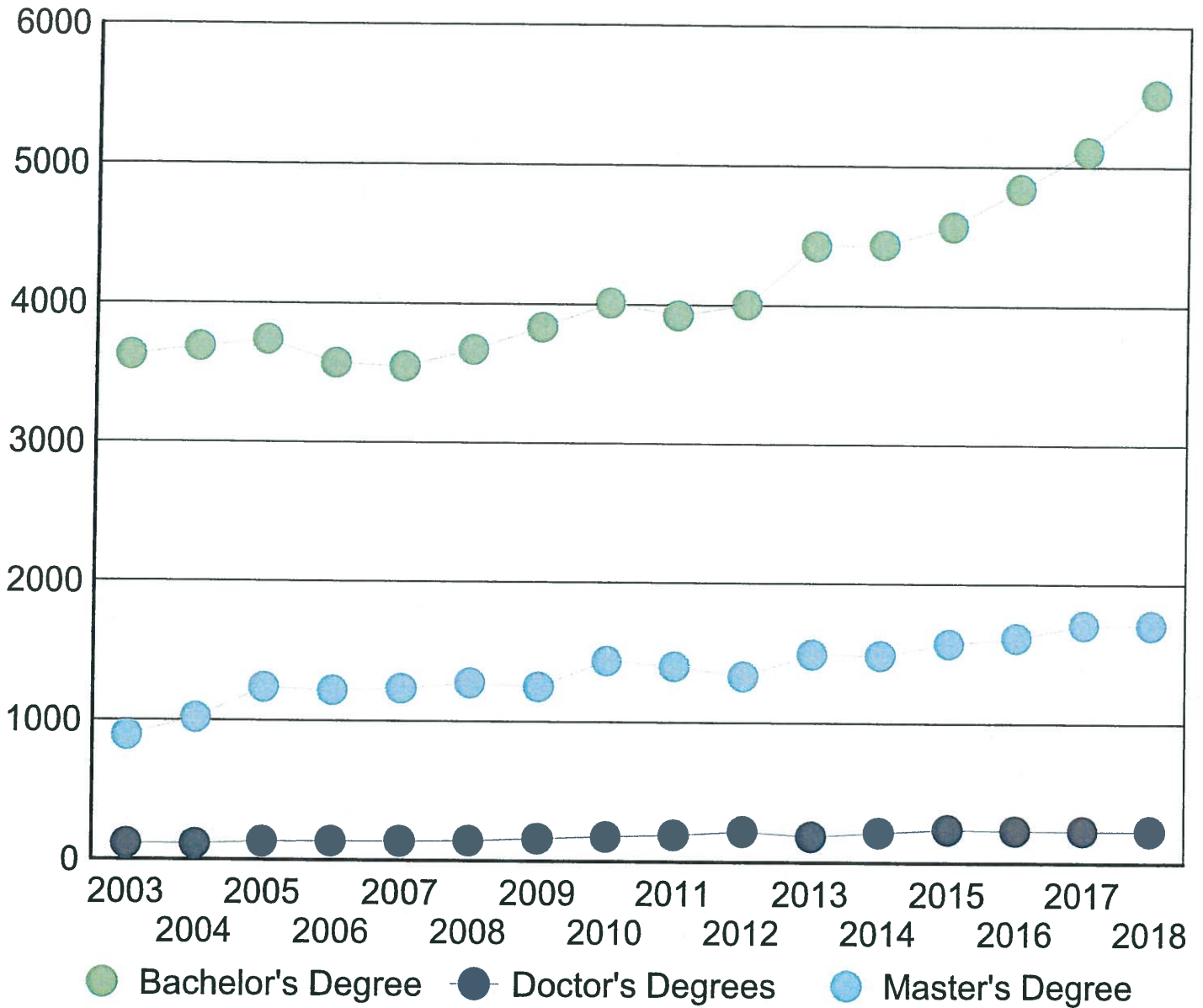
(Population 25 Years and Older)



Source: U.S. Census Bureau, American Community Survey - 2013 5-Year Estimates

### Graduate Trends

(Based On Graduates From Area Schools)



Source: Institute of Education Sciences (IES), Integrated Postsecondary Education Data System



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## Educational Institutions

Anderson University  
316 Boulevard  
Anderson, SC 29621  
864.231.2000  
<http://www.andersonuniversity.edu>  
2018 Degrees Awarded: 1,674

Arclabs  
2615 Highway 153  
Piedmont, SC 29673  
864.236.9995  
<http://www.arclabs.com>  
2018 Degrees Awarded: 622

Forrest College  
601 E River Street  
Anderson, SC 29624  
864.225.7653  
<http://www.forrestcollege.edu>  
2018 Degrees Awarded: 40

Kenneth Shuler School of Cosmetology-Greenville  
3528-A Earl E. Morris Jr. Highway  
Greenville, SC 29611  
864.269.6886  
<http://kennethshuler.com>  
2018 Degrees Awarded: 132

Tri-County Technical College  
7900 U.S. Hwy 76  
Pendleton, SC 29670  
864.646.1500  
<http://https://www.tctc.edu>  
2018 Degrees Awarded: 4,052

Clemson University  
201 Sikes Hall  
Clemson, SC 29634  
864.656.4636  
<http://www.clemson.edu>  
2018 Degrees Awarded: 13,148

Southern Wesleyan University  
907 Wesleyan Drive  
Central, SC 29630  
864.644.5000  
<http://www.swu.edu>  
2018 Degrees Awarded: 984

Source: Institute of Education Sciences (IES), Integrated Postsecondary Education Data System

### WIOA Targeted Population Summary

- State Region: State Region 1  
 - LWIA/Region: WorkLink  
 - Filter By Date: Participation Date  
 - Date Range: 7/1/2020 - 4/30/2021

Target Group	Total Enrolled	New Enrolled	Received Career Services	Received Training/Educ Svcs	Total Exited	With Credential	Empl at Exit	Avg Wage at Exit	Training Related at Exit	Emp Qtr 1	Emp Qtr 2	Emp Qtr 3	Emp Qtr 4	Training Related Qtr 1	Training Related Qtr 2	Training Related Qtr 3	Training Related Qtr 4
<b>Total</b>	<b>266</b>	<b>266</b>	<b>266</b>	<b>181</b>	<b>59</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>\$13.25</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>Gender</b>																	
Female	150 56.39%	150 56.39%	150 56.39%	102 56.35%	24 40.68%	19 47.50%	2 50.00%	\$16.50 124.53%	1 100.00%	7 25.00%	6 35.29%	1 25.00%	0 0	1 16.67%	1 16.67%	0 0	0 0
Male	115 43.23%	115 43.23%	115 43.23%	79 43.65%	34 57.63%	21 52.50%	2 50.00%	\$10.00 75.47%	0 0	21 75.00%	11 64.71%	3 75.00%	0 0	5 83.33%	5 83.33%	0 0	0 0
NA	1 0.38%	1 0.38%	1 0.38%	0 0	1 1.69%	0 0	0 0	\$0.00	0 0	0 0	0 0	0 0	0 0	0 0	0 0	0 0	0 0
<b>Age</b>																	
18 and Under	58 21.80%	58 21.80%	58 21.80%	55 30.39%	19 32.20%	13 32.50%	1 25.00%	\$8.00 60.38%	0 0	9 32.14%	4 23.53%	0 0	0 0	0 0	0 0	0 0	0 0
19 to 24	73 27.44%	73 27.44%	73 27.44%	57 31.49%	16 27.12%	9 22.50%	1 25.00%	\$12.00 90.57%	0 0	7 25.00%	3 17.65%	0 0	0 0	1 16.67%	1 16.67%	0 0	0 0
25 to 54	120 45.11%	120 45.11%	120 45.11%	62 34.25%	22 37.29%	17 42.50%	1 25.00%	\$19.00 143.40%	0 0	11 39.29%	9 52.94%	4 100.00%	0 0	4 66.67%	4 66.67%	0 0	0 0
55 and Older	15 5.64%	15 5.64%	15 5.64%	7 3.87%	2 3.39%	1 2.50%	1 25.00%	\$14.00 105.66%	1 100.00%	1 3.57%	1 5.88%	0 0	0 0	1 16.67%	1 16.67%	0 0	0 0
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>																	
White	180 67.67%	180 67.67%	180 67.67%	132 72.93%	46 77.97%	27 67.50%	3 75.00%	\$13.00 98.11%	0 0	22 78.57%	12 70.59%	2 50.00%	0 0	4 66.67%	4 66.67%	0 0	0 0
African American/Black	62 23.31%	62 23.31%	62 23.31%	36 19.89%	7 11.86%	8 20.00%	0 0	\$0.00	0 0	2 7.14%	2 11.76%	2 50.00%	0 0	1 16.67%	1 16.67%	0 0	0 0
American Indian/Alaskan Native	1 0.38%	1 0.38%	1 0.38%	1 0.55%	1 1.69%	1 2.50%	0 0	\$0.00	0 0	1 3.57%	0 0	0 0	0 0	0 0	0 0	0 0	0 0
Asian	1 0.38%	1 0.38%	1 0.38%	1 0.55%	0 0	0 0	0 0	\$0.00	0 0	0 0	0 0	0 0	0 0	0 0	0 0	0 0	0 0
Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander	1 0.38%	1 0.38%	1 0.38%	1 0.55%	0 0	0 0	0 0	\$0.00	0 0	0 0	0 0	0 0	0 0	0 0	0 0	0 0	0 0
Hispanic	10 3.76%	10 3.76%	10 3.76%	5 2.76%	3 5.08%	2 5.00%	0 0	\$0.00	0 0	2 7.14%	2 11.76%	0 0	0 0	0 0	0 0	0 0	0 0
<b>Educational Status</b>																	
In-school; post Secondary School	10 3.76%	10 3.76%	10 3.76%	6 2.76%	0 0	2 5.00%	0 0	\$0.00	0 0	0 0	0 0	0 0	0 0	0 0	0 0	0 0	0 0



Dislocation Event	32.33%	32.33%	32.33%	26.52%	20.34%	12.50%	25.00%	90.57%	17.86%	17.65%	16.67%	16.67%	16.67%
	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	\$0.00	0	0	0	0	0
	0.38%	0.38%	0.38%										
Within 2 Years of Exhausting TANF	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	\$0.00	0	0	0	0	0
Hawaiian Native	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	\$0.00	0	0	0	0	0
Single Parent	42	42	42	21	9	5	2	\$16.50	1	2	0	0	1
	15.79%	15.79%	15.79%	11.60%	15.25%	12.50%	50.00%	124.53%	100.00%	7.14%	11.76%	16.67%	16.67%
Facing Substantial Cultural Barriers	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	\$0.00	0	0	0	0	0
Eligible Migrant and Seasonal Farmworker	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	\$0.00	0	0	0	0	0
Meets Governors Special Barrier	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	\$0.00	0	0	0	0	0
English Language Learner	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	\$0.00	0	0	0	0	0
Basic Skills Deficient	155	155	155	113	36	22	3	\$11.33	1	16	1	0	1
	58.27%	58.27%	58.27%	62.43%	61.02%	55.00%	75.00%	85.53%	100.00%	57.14%	47.06%	25.00%	16.67%
Offender	42	42	42	22	14	7	0	\$0.00	0	7	4	3	3
	15.79%	15.79%	15.79%	12.15%	23.73%	17.50%			25.00%	23.53%	75.00%	50.00%	50.00%
Homeless	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	\$0.00	0	0	0	0	0
Runaway Youth	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	\$0.00	0	0	0	0	0
Foster Care (All)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	\$0.00	0	0	0	0	0
In Foster Care	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	\$0.00	0	0	0	0	0
Aged Out of Foster Care	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	\$0.00	0	0	0	0	0
Pregnant or Parenting Youth	22	22	22	22	5	3	0	\$0.00	0	1	1	0	0
	8.27%	8.27%	8.27%	12.15%	8.47%	7.50%			3.57%	5.88%			
Out of Home Placement	1	1	1	1	1	0	0	\$0.00	0	1	0	0	0
	0.38%	0.38%	0.38%	0.55%	1.69%				3.57%				
Eligible Under Section 477	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	\$0.00	0	0	0	0	0

Target Group	Total Enrolled	New Enrolled	Received Career Services	Received Training/Educ Svcs	Total Exited	With Credit	Empl at Exit	Avg Wage at Exit	Training Related at Exit	Emp Qtr 1	Emp Qtr 2	Emp Qtr 3	Emp Qtr 4	Training Related Qtr 1	Training Related Qtr 2	Training Related Qtr 3	Training Related Qtr 4	
Youth Requires Additional Assistance	52	19.55%	52	19.55%	52	17	13	1	\$8.00	0	5	3	0	0	0	0	0	0
Long-Term Unemployed	31	11.65%	31	11.65%	17	8	5	0	\$0.00	0	2	2	1	0	1	1	1	0
<b>Public Assistance</b>																		
TANF	1	0.38%	1	0.38%	0	0	0	0	\$0.00	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
SNAP	39	14.66%	39	14.66%	20	8	5	0	\$0.00	0	2	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
Social Security Disability Insurance (SSDI)	4	1.50%	4	1.50%	2	1	2	0	\$0.00	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Supplemental Security Income (SSI)	1	0.38%	1	0.38%	1	1	0	0	\$0.00	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
General Assistance	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	0	0	0	0	\$0.00	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Living in the High Poverty Area	2	0.75%	2	0.75%	2	0	0	0	\$0.00	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Free or Reduced Lunch	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	0	0	0	0	\$0.00	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Low Income	121	45.49%	121	45.49%	81	23	18	0	\$0.00	0	5	5	2	0	1	1	1	0
<b>Green Training</b>																		
Received Green Training	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	0	0	0	0	\$0.00	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Total Rows: 61</b>																		

## Quick Facts March 2021

### South Carolina:

Population: 4,625,364

Labor Force: 2,388,111

Employed: 2,267,328

Unemployed: 120,783

Unemployment Rate: 5.1% (Not Seasonally Adjusted) (The Unemployment Rate Is Lower Compared to February 2020 Rate Of: 5.2%)

### Anderson:

Population: 187,126

Labor Force: 91,512

Employed: 87,367

Unemployed: 4,145

Unemployment Rate: 4.5% (The Unemployment Rate Is Lower Compared to February 2020 Rate Of: 4.9%)

### Oconee:

Population: 74,273

Labor Force: 35,059

Employed: 33,569

Unemployed: 1,490

Unemployment Rate: 4.2% (The Unemployment Rate Is Lower Compared to February 2020 Rate Of: 4.6%)

### Pickens:

Population: 119,224

Labor Force: 57,728

Employed: 55,293

Unemployed: 2,435

Unemployment Rate: 4.2% (The Unemployment Rate Is Lower Compared to February 2020 Rate Of: 4.4%)

<https://lmi.dew.sc.gov/lmi%20site/CommunityProfiles.html>

## March 2021 Disability Employment Statistics Ages 16 years and over:

### Labor Force Participation Rate

- People with disabilities: 20.2%
- People without disabilities: 66.8%

### Unemployment Rate

- People with disabilities: 10.2%
- People without disabilities: 6.0%

<https://www.dol.gov/agencies/odep>

