

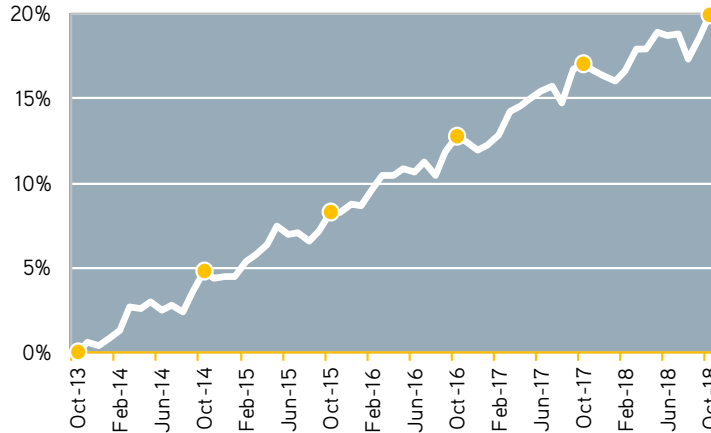
LABOR MARKET OVERVIEW

Regional Labor Market Snapshot

5-Year Percent Change in Number Employed*

Charlotte Works Region

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



Trending

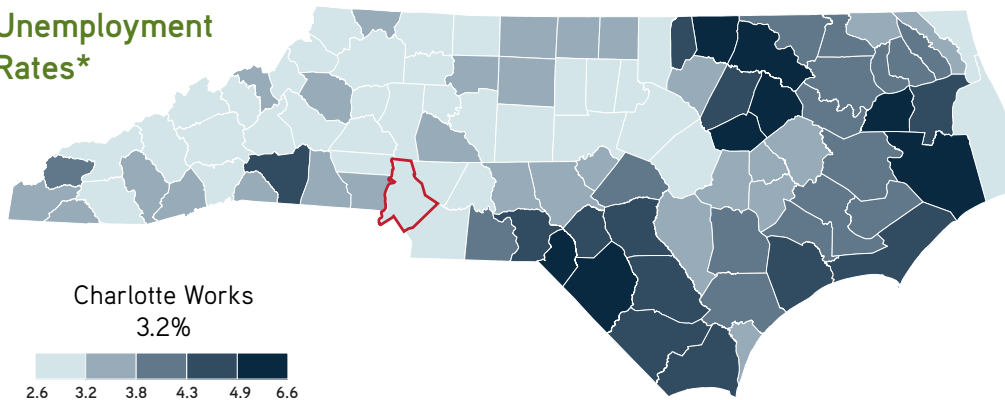
UNEMPLOYMENT*

October 2018

Charlotte Works Total = 19,813

	Current	Previous
Region	3.2%	2.9%
NC	3.4%	3.1%
US	3.5%	3.6%

October 2018 Unemployment Rates*



REGIONAL EMPLOYMENT*

Charlotte Works Total = 599,844

6,396 More People Working in October than previous month

14,493 More People Working than same period one year ago

METRO JOB GROWTH*

Charlotte Total = 1,232,400

13,400 More Jobs in October than previous month

28,800 More Jobs than same period one year ago

Employment & Wages by Supersector 2nd Quarter 2018

	Establishments	Avg. Employment	Avg. Weekly Wage
Natural Resources & Mining	54	1,546	\$791.77
Construction	2,955	34,051	\$1,226.74
Manufacturing	1,021	34,194	\$1,459.61
Trade, Transportation, & Utilities	7,911	142,483	\$1,017.72
Information	850	24,170	\$1,539.56
Financial Activities	5,031	77,877	\$2,058.75
Professional & Business Services	9,616	148,813	\$1,368.42
Education & Health Services	3,908	114,003	\$1,058.83
Leisure & Hospitality Services	3,667	81,550	\$503.82
Other Services	3,402	18,097	\$778.78
Public Administration	66	18,437	\$1,184.50

*October 2018 data are preliminary, previous month's data are revised while all other data have undergone annual revision All data produced in this publication are generated by LEAD unless otherwise stated.

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TAXABLE RETAIL SALES

Charlotte Works Total = \$2,012,105,615

12.5% Higher than same period one year ago

Source: NC Dept. of Revenue
Note: October 2018 data most current available at time of release.

ONLINE JOB ADS

256,652 Online Advertised Vacancies over past 90 days

86,404 More Vacancies than same period one year ago

Source: The Conference Board Help Wanted Online