

LABOR MARKET OVERVIEW



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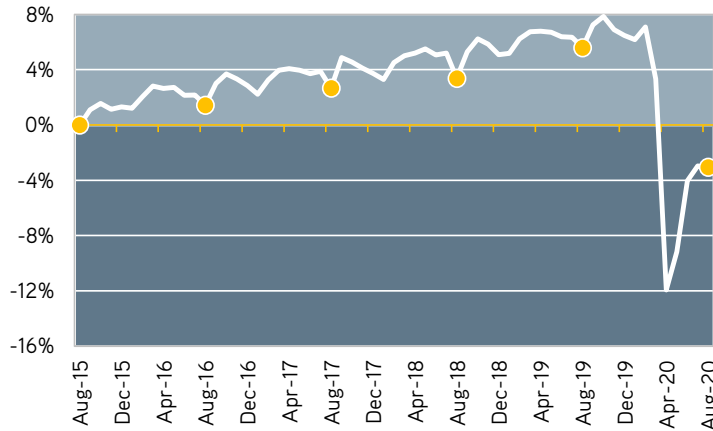
October 2020

Regional Labor Market Snapshot

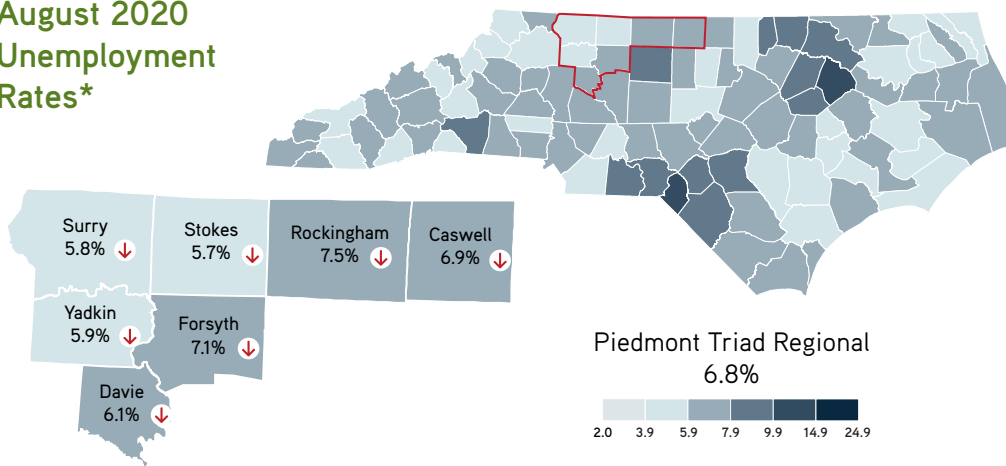
Change in Employment since 2015*

Piedmont Triad Region

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



August 2020 Unemployment Rates*



Trending

UNEMPLOYMENT*

August 2020

Piedmont Triad Regional Total = 21,391

	Current	Previous
Region	6.8%	8.9%
NC	6.8%	8.8%
US	8.5%	10.5%

REGIONAL EMPLOYMENT*

Piedmont Triad Regional Total = 293,501

277 Fewer People Working
in August than previous month

26,183 Fewer People Working
than same period one year ago

METRO JOB GROWTH*

Greensboro-High Point Total = 330,500

5,500 More Jobs
in August than previous month

Winston-Salem Total = 248,500

6,200 More Jobs
in August than previous month

TAXABLE RETAIL SALES

Piedmont Triad Regional Total = \$866,314,307

18.1% Higher
than same period one year ago

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

ONLINE JOB ADS

24,625 Online Advertised Vacancies
reported in July

2,311 More Vacancies
than same period one year ago

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

Who's Hiring

past 90 days from Sept. 19, 2020

Novant Health, Inc.	441
Carrolls Corporation	261
Winston-Salem/Forsyth County Schools	233
Lowe's Companies, Inc	215
Food Lion	177
Rockingham County Schools	126
LOWES	116
Dollar Tree, Inc.	104

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

What Jobs

past 90 days from Sept. 19, 2020

Registered Nurses	532
Combined Food Prep. & Serving Workers	348
Retail Salespersons	336
First-Line Supervisors, Food Prep.	317
Heavy & Tractor-Trailer Truck Drivers	291
Customer Service Representatives	218
Cashiers	176
First-Line Supervisors, Retail	169

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

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Civilian Labor Force Estimates*

		August 2020	July 2020	June 2020	August 2019
Caswell	Labor Force	9,372	9,573	9,410	9,764
	Employed	8,728	8,744	8,711	9,304
	Unemployed	644	829	699	460
	Rate	6.9	8.7	7.4	4.7
Davie	Labor Force	19,448	19,852	19,495	20,730
	Employed	18,254	18,252	18,044	19,949
	Unemployed	1,194	1,600	1,451	781
	Rate	6.1	8.1	7.4	3.8
Forsyth	Labor Force	178,367	182,419	178,260	189,022
	Employed	165,717	165,531	163,857	181,334
	Unemployed	12,650	16,888	14,403	7,688
	Rate	7.1	9.3	8.1	4.1
Rockingham	Labor Force	37,739	38,923	38,080	40,277
	Employed	34,900	35,082	34,710	38,388
	Unemployed	2,839	3,841	3,370	1,889
	Rate	7.5	9.9	8.8	4.7
Stokes	Labor Force	20,362	20,759	20,337	21,791
	Employed	19,195	19,175	18,965	20,940
	Unemployed	1,167	1,584	1,372	851
	Rate	5.7	7.6	6.7	3.9
Surry	Labor Force	32,992	33,891	33,012	34,035
	Employed	31,074	31,345	30,796	32,702
	Unemployed	1,918	2,546	2,216	1,333
	Rate	5.8	7.5	6.7	3.9
Yadkin	Labor Force	16,612	17,013	16,710	17,733
	Employed	15,633	15,649	15,447	17,067
	Unemployed	979	1,364	1,263	666
	Rate	5.9	8.0	7.6	3.8

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