

COMMUNITY PROFILE

Edgefield County



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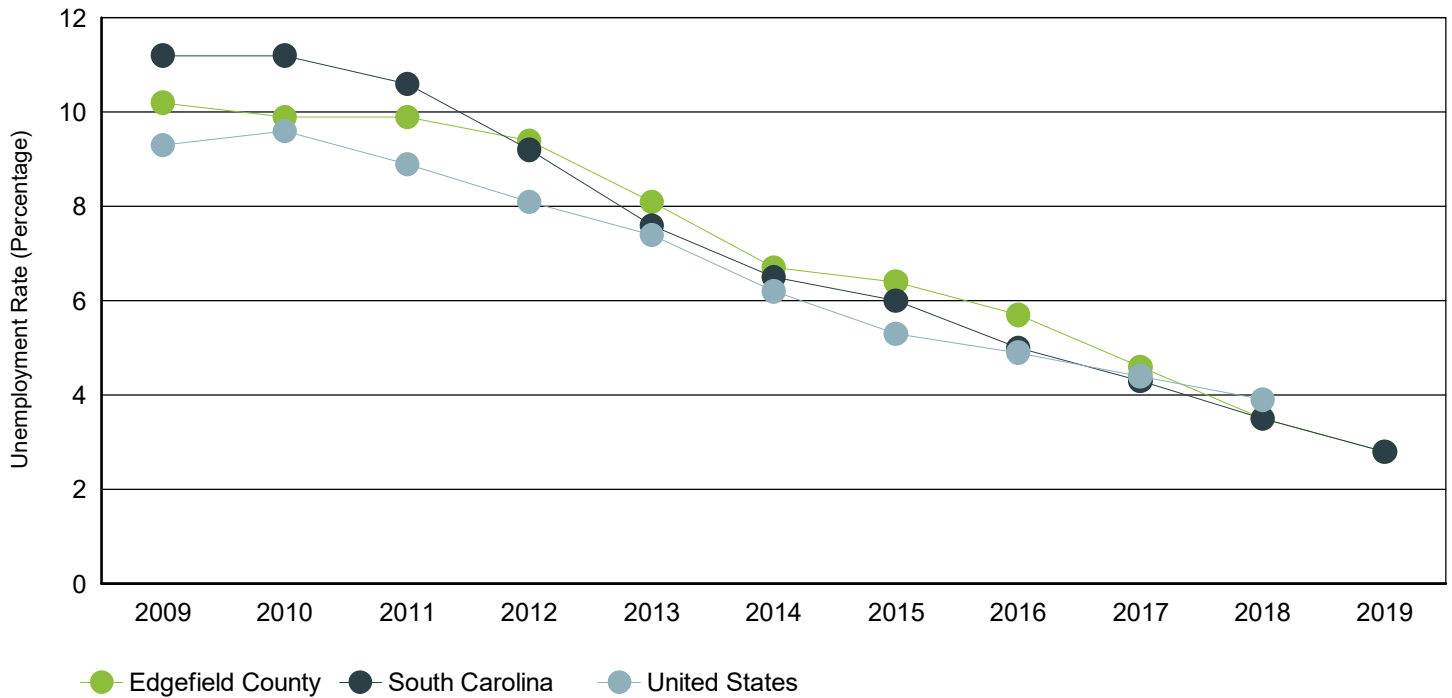
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Annual Unemployment Rate (Unadjusted)

Trends

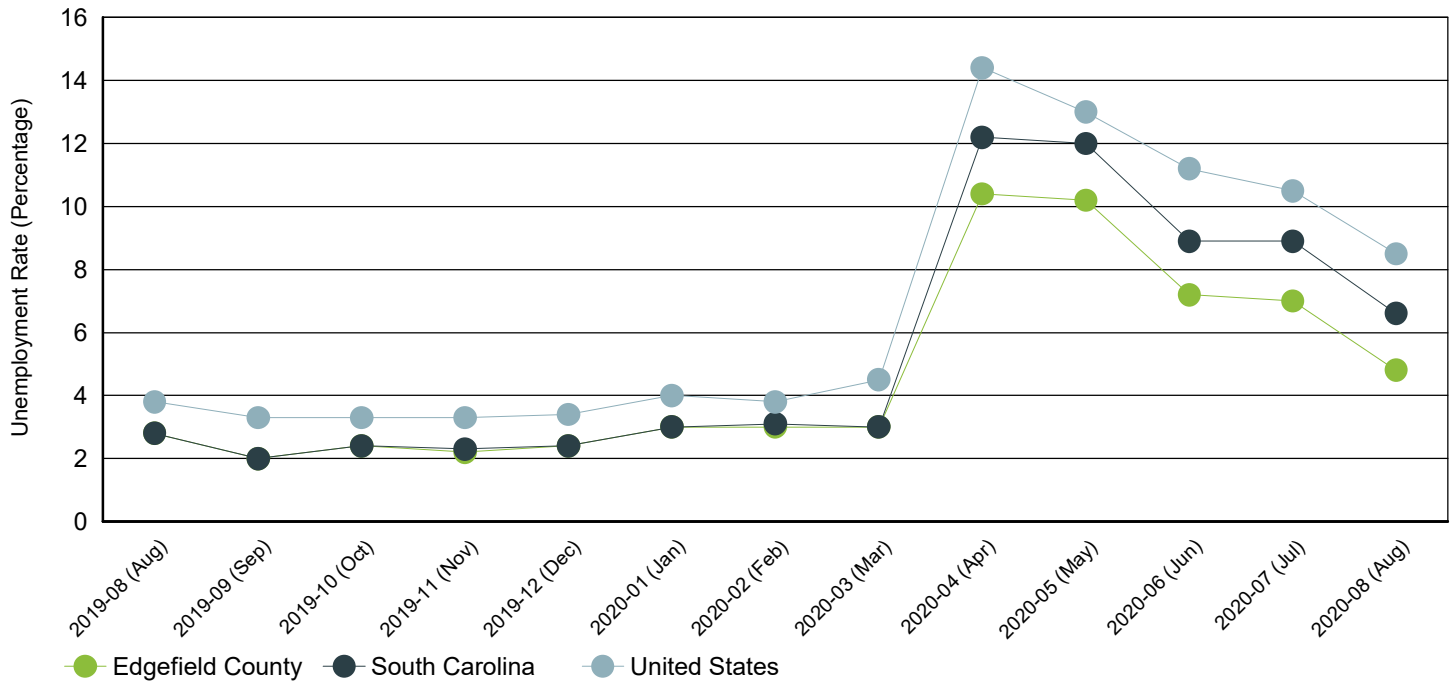


Year	Edgefield County			South Carolina			United States		
	Employment	Unemp	Rate	Employment	Unemp	Rate	Employment	Unemp	Rate
2018	10,282	374	3.5%	2,259,057	80,882	3.5%	155,761,000	6,314,000	3.9%
2017	10,108	484	4.6%	2,212,845	98,921	4.3%	153,337,000	6,982,000	4.4%
2016	9,964	601	5.7%	2,181,587	115,213	5.0%	151,436,000	7,751,000	4.9%
2015	10,005	680	6.4%	2,137,158	135,838	6.0%	148,834,000	8,296,000	5.3%
2014	9,841	711	6.7%	2,078,592	143,753	6.5%	146,305,000	9,617,000	6.2%
2013	9,671	847	8.1%	2,023,642	167,326	7.6%	143,929,000	11,460,000	7.4%
2012	9,638	1,005	9.4%	1,985,618	201,260	9.2%	142,469,000	12,506,000	8.1%
2011	9,829	1,084	9.9%	1,945,900	229,623	10.6%	139,869,000	13,747,000	8.9%
2010	9,893	1,093	9.9%	1,915,045	240,623	11.2%	139,064,000	14,825,000	9.6%
2009	10,019	1,132	10.2%	1,910,670	242,075	11.2%	139,877,000	14,265,000	9.3%
2008	10,199	735	6.7%	1,996,409	145,823	6.8%	145,362,000	8,924,000	5.8%

Source: S.C. Department of Employment & Workforce

Monthly Unemployment Rate (Unadjusted)

Past 13 Months



Period	Edgefield County	South Carolina	United States
Aug 2020	4.8%	6.6%	8.5%
Jul 2020	7.0%	8.9%	10.5%
Jun 2020	7.2%	8.9%	11.2%
May 2020	10.2%	12.0%	13.0%
Apr 2020	10.4%	12.2%	14.4%
Mar 2020	3.0%	3.0%	4.5%
Feb 2020	3.0%	3.1%	3.8%
Jan 2020	3.0%	3.0%	4.0%
Dec 2019	2.4%	2.4%	3.4%
Nov 2019	2.2%	2.3%	3.3%
Oct 2019	2.4%	2.4%	3.3%
Sep 2019	2.0%	2.0%	3.3%
Aug 2019	2.8%	2.8%	3.8%

Source: S.C. Department of Employment & Workforce

Area Job Openings

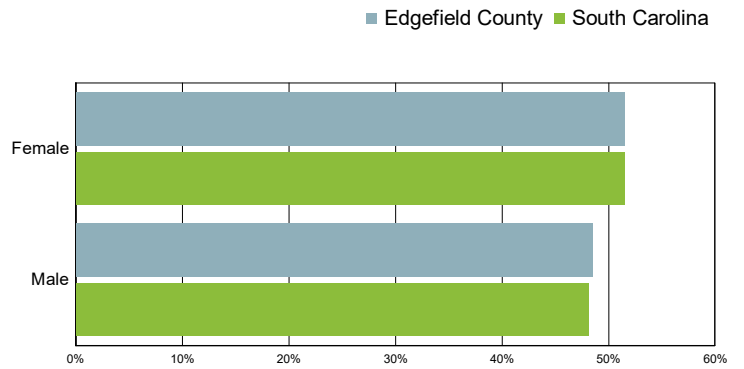
Period	Edgefield County				South Carolina			
	Employed	Unemployed	Unemp. Rate	Job Openings	Employed	Unemployed	Unemp. Rate	Job Openings
Aug-20	10,274	521	4.8%	72	2,264,535	152,936	6.3%	49,905
Jul-20	10,238	768	7.0%	54	2,246,003	212,902	8.7%	45,266
Jun-20	10,126	786	7.2%	65	2,226,783	211,612	8.7%	37,666
May-20	9,936	1,128	10.2%	70	2,116,430	299,668	12.4%	38,053
Apr-20	9,754	1,138	10.4%	69	2,073,470	303,360	12.8%	51,518
Mar-20	10,520	328	3.0%	98	2,328,802	76,369	3.2%	57,374
Feb-20	10,545	327	3.0%	95	2,333,224	58,631	2.5%	52,662
Jan-20	10,501	320	3.0%	83	2,330,497	56,599	2.4%	52,639
Dec-19	10,460	252	2.4%	73	2,326,018	57,279	2.4%	59,953
Nov-19	10,433	238	2.2%	62	2,326,821	56,712	2.4%	55,821
Oct-19	10,453	252	2.4%	95	2,326,812	56,244	2.4%	68,386
Sep-19	10,334	212	2.0%	100	2,322,842	57,450	2.4%	66,100
Aug-19	10,478	307	2.8%	121	2,316,783	60,140	2.5%	67,729

Source: S.C. Department of Employment & Workforce & The Conference Board's Help Wanted OnLine® data series
 South Carolina Data is Seasonally Adjusted

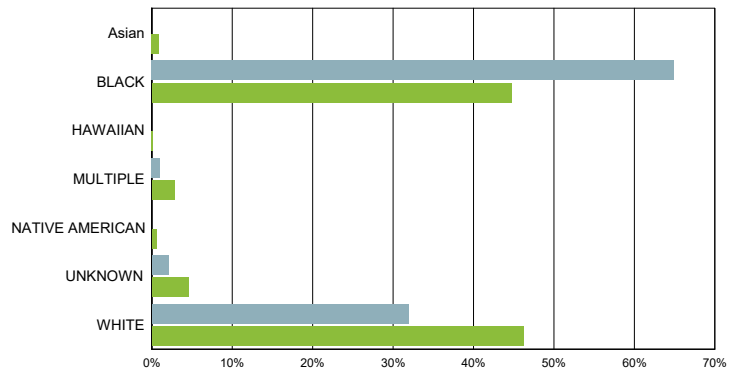
Characteristics of Unemployment Insurance Claimants

August 2020

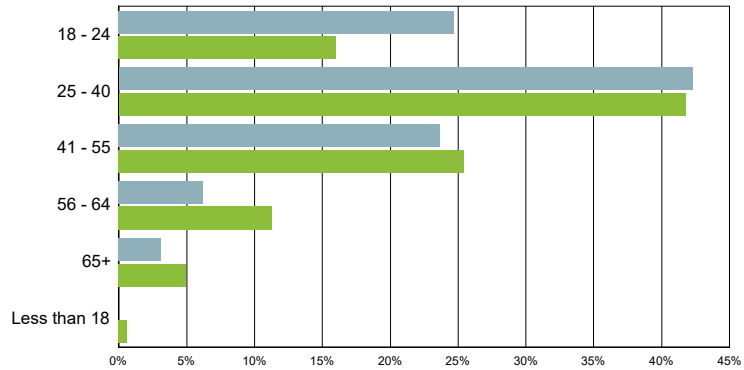
Gender	Edgefield County	South Carolina
Female	50	10,858
Male	47	10,154
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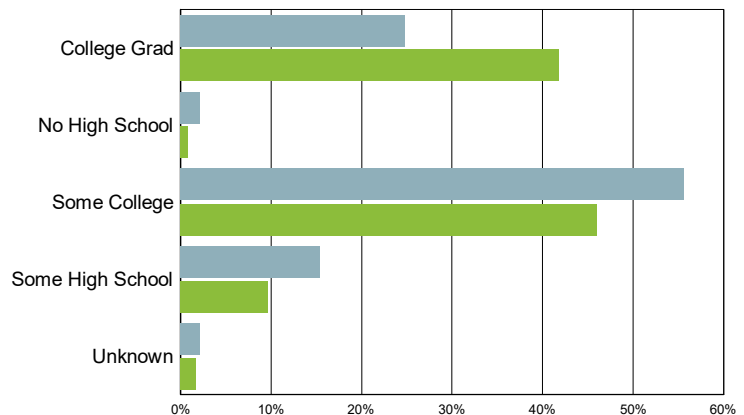
Race	Edgefield County	South Carolina
Asian	0	192
BLACK	63	9,439
MULTIPLE	1	614
UNKNOWN	2	958
WHITE	31	9,747



Age Group	Edgefield County	South Carolina
18 - 24	24	3,375
25 - 40	41	8,813
41 - 55	23	5,368
56 - 64	6	2,381
65+	3	1,040
Less than 18	0	126



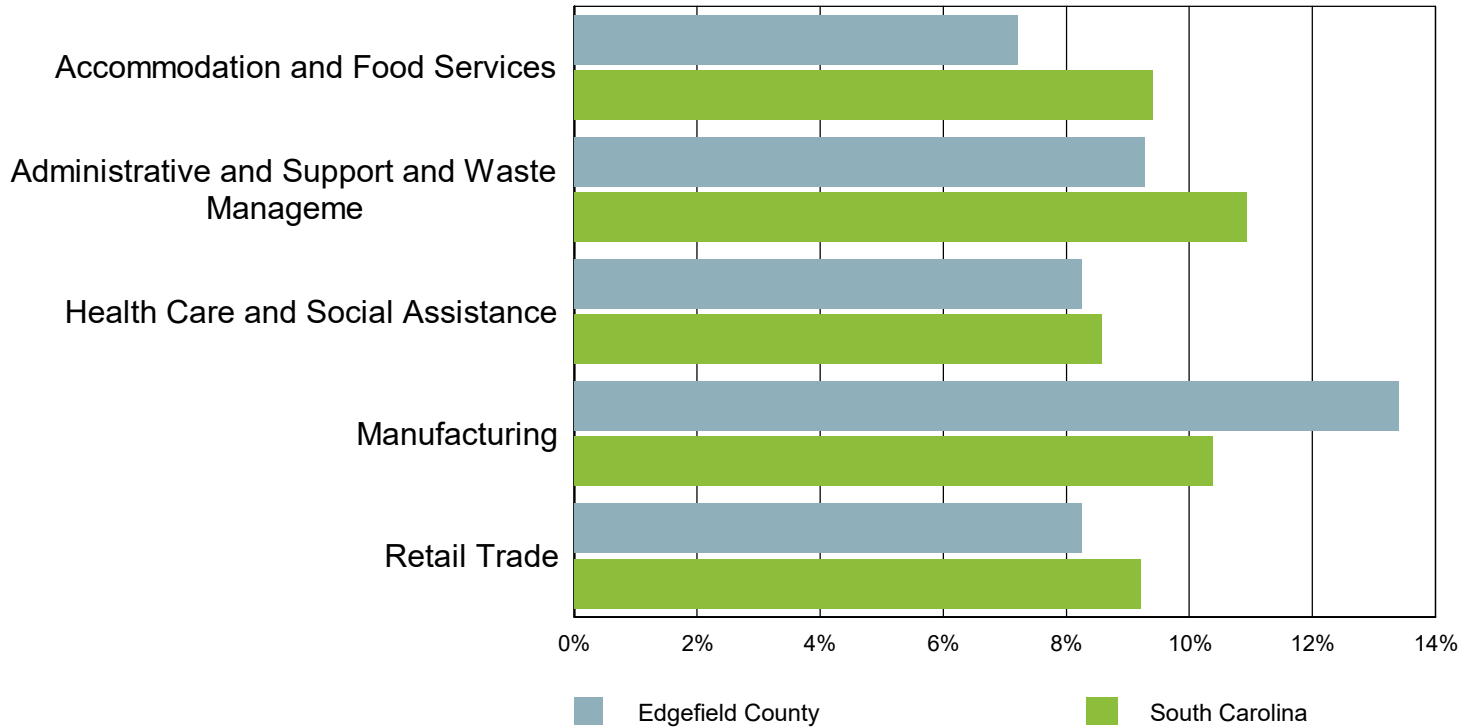
Education	Edgefield County	South Carolina
College Grad	24	8,821
Some College	54	9,721
Some High School	15	2,030
No High School	2	178
Unknown	2	353



Source: S.C. Department of Employment & Workforce

Characteristics of Unemployment Insurance Claims by Industry

Industry Groups With Largest Number of Claims
August 2020

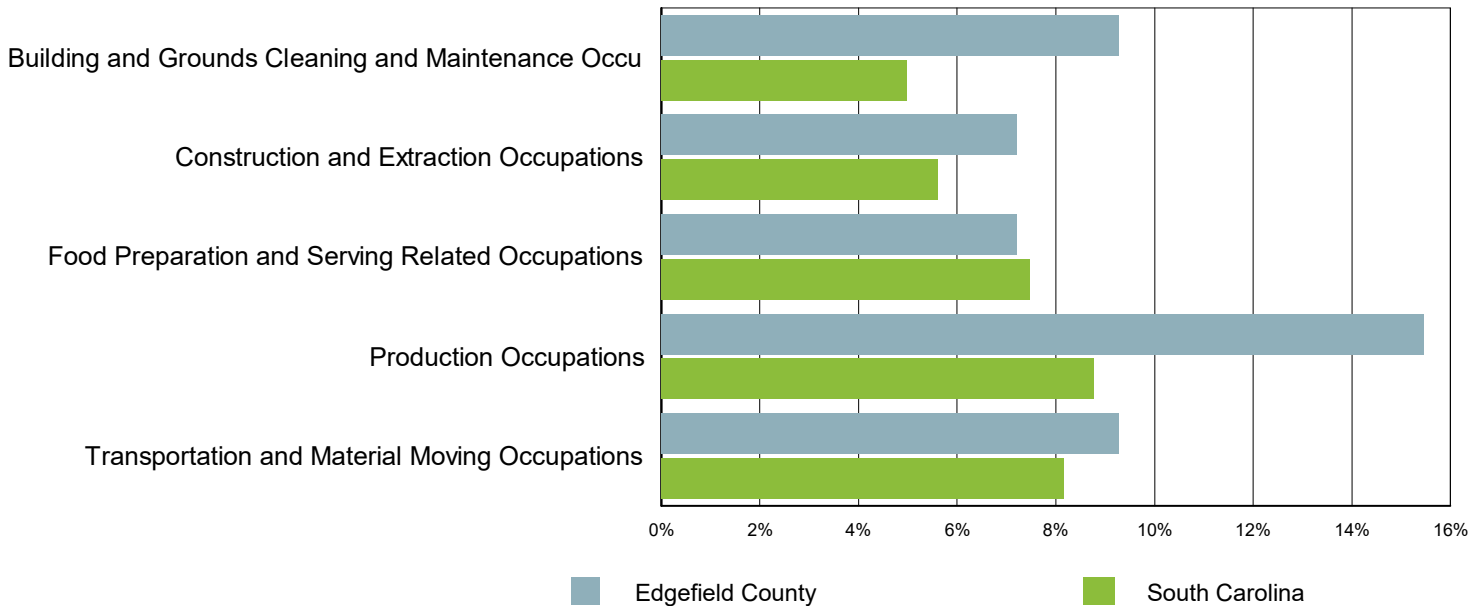


Industry	Edgefield County	South Carolina
Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing and Hunting	2	94
Construction	3	1,006
Manufacturing	13	2,190
Wholesale Trade	2	632
Retail Trade	8	1,945
Transportation and Warehousing	1	537
Information	1	221
Real Estate and Rental and Leasing	2	311
Professional, Scientific, and Technical Servi	4	932
Administrative and Support and Waste Managem	9	2,308
Educational Services	3	639
Health Care and Social Assistance	8	1,809
Accommodation and Food Services	7	1,988
Other Services (except Public Administration)	3	511
Unknown	31	4,896

Source: S.C. Department of Employment & Workforce

Characteristics of Unemployment Insurance Claims by Occupation

Occupation Groups With Largest Number of Claims
August 2020



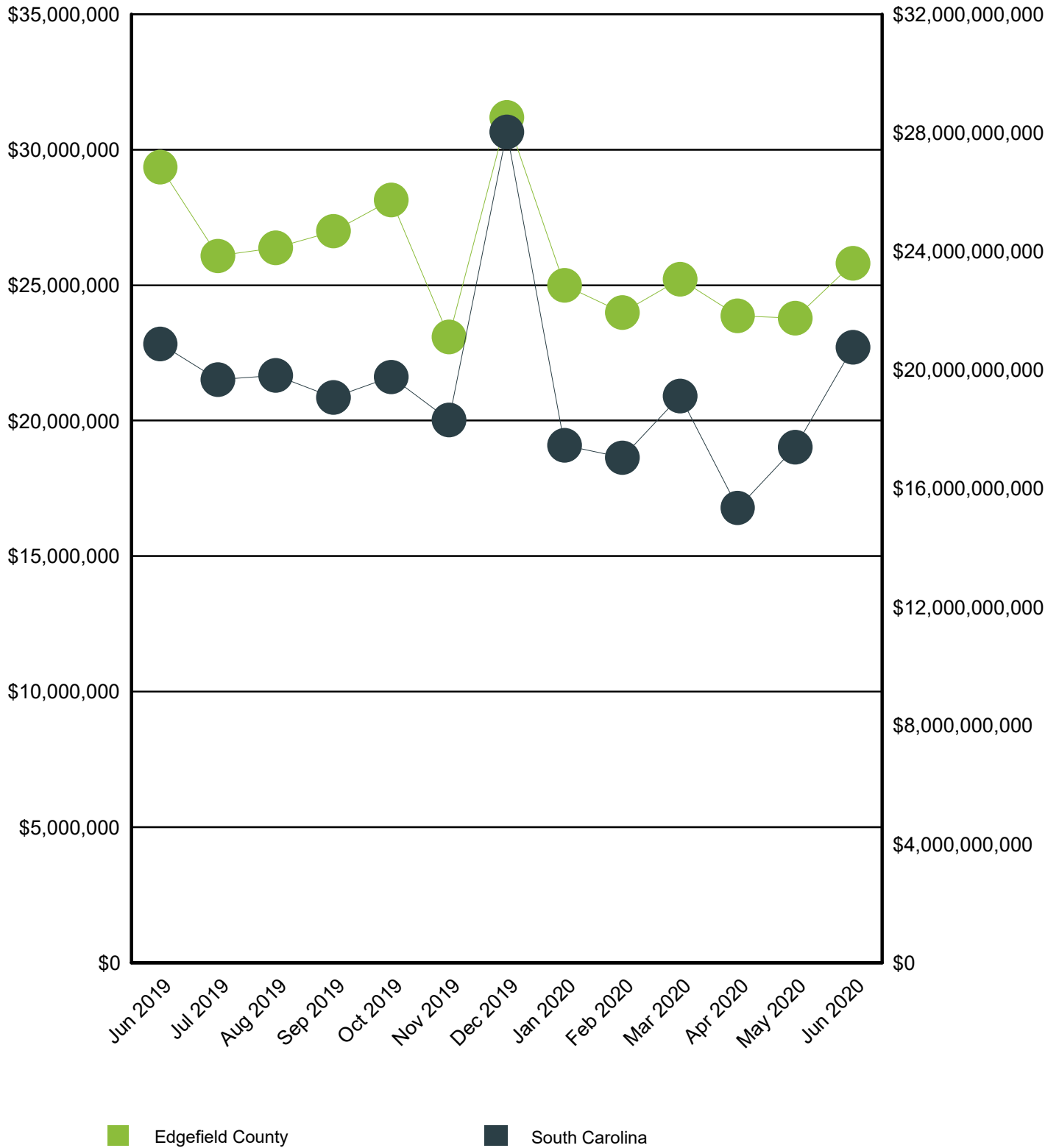
Occupation	Edgefield County	South Carolina
Architecture and Engineering Occupations	2	541
Arts, Design, Entertainment, Sports, and Media Occ	1	329
Building and Grounds Cleaning and Maintenance Occu	9	1,052
Community and Social Service Occupations	3	142
Construction and Extraction Occupations	7	1,183
Educational Instruction and Library Occupations	3	472
Farming, Fishing, and Forestry Occupations	2	97
Food Preparation and Serving Related Occupations	7	1,578
Healthcare Practitioners and Technical Occupations	2	576
Healthcare Support Occupations	6	847
Installation, Maintenance, and Repair Occupations	3	844
Management Occupations	5	1,700
Office and Administrative Support Occupations	6	2,627
Personal Care and Service Occupations	3	686
Production Occupations	15	1,849
Sales and Related Occupations	3	2,048
Transportation and Material Moving Occupations	9	1,721
Unknown	11	1,502

Source: S.C. Department of Employment & Workforce

Retail Sales

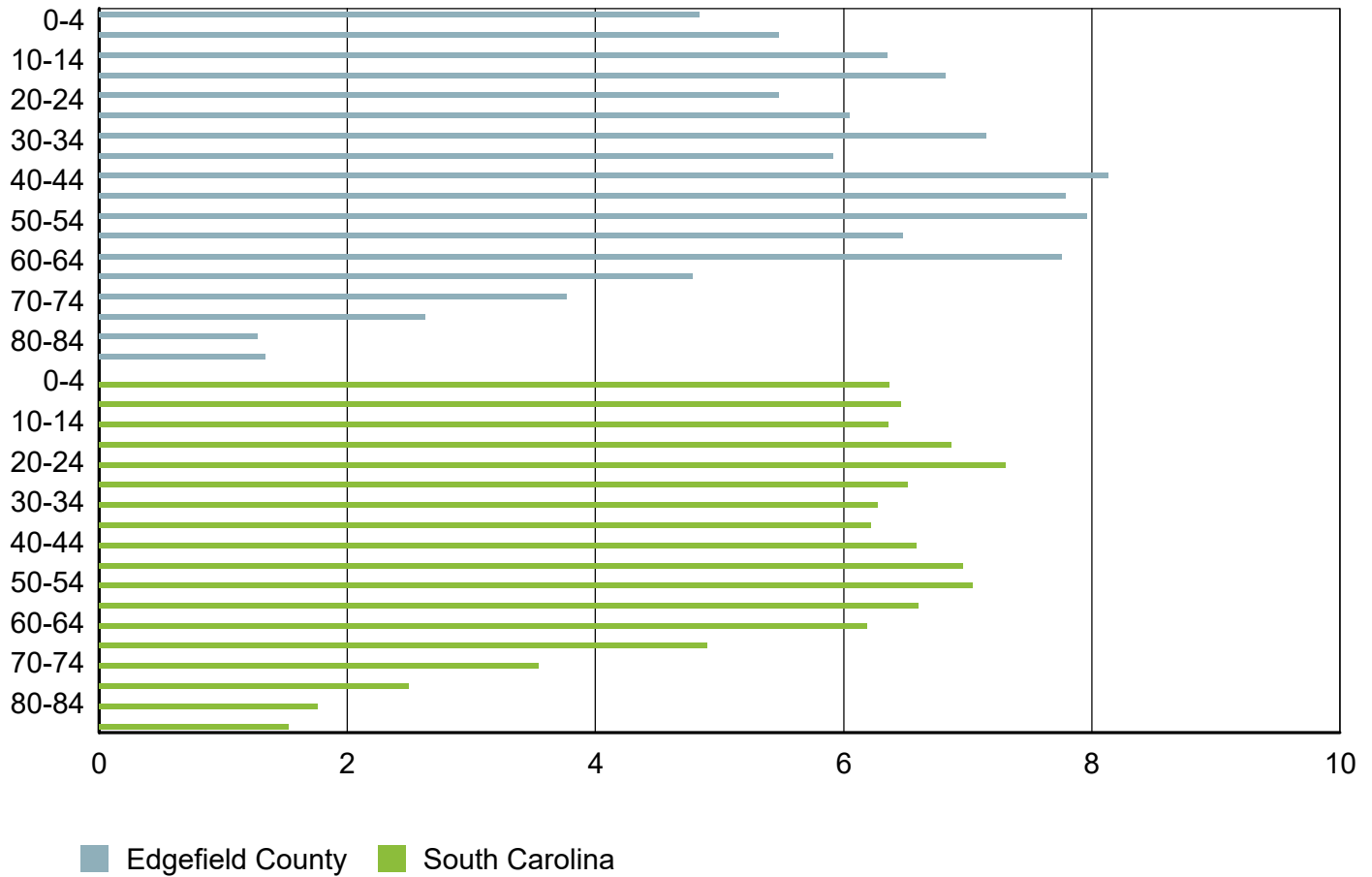
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Source: S.C. Department of Revenue

Population by Age



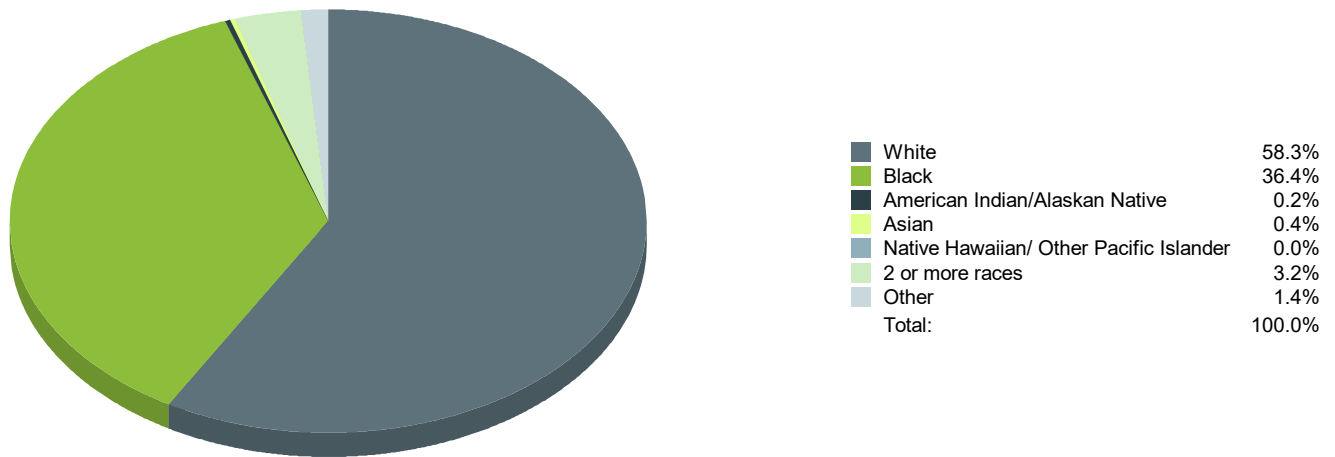
Age Range	Edgefield County	South Carolina	United States
0-4	1,293	298,242	20,052,112
5-9	1,462	302,111	20,409,060
10-14	1,694	297,443	20,672,609
15-19	1,821	321,540	21,715,074
20-24	1,462	342,237	22,099,887
25-29	1,615	305,167	21,243,365
30-34	1,908	293,464	20,467,912
35-39	1,578	291,183	19,876,161
40-44	2,171	308,158	20,998,001
45-49	2,081	325,660	22,109,946
50-54	2,126	329,431	22,396,322
55-59	1,729	309,061	20,165,892
60-64	2,072	289,690	17,479,211
65-69	1,276	229,251	13,189,508
70-74	1,007	165,797	9,767,522
75-79	703	117,187	7,438,750
80-84	342	82,223	5,781,697
85 and older	358	71,757	5,673,565

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

Population by Race

Race	Edgefield County	%	South Carolina	%	United States	%
White	15,826	59.3%	3,144,146	66.0%	230,592,579	72.0%
Black	9,890	37.0%	1,298,534	27.3%	39,167,010	12.2%
American Indian/Alaskan Native	58	0.2%	14,732	0.3%	2,540,309	0.8%
Asian	96	0.4%	61,097	1.3%	15,231,962	4.8%
Native Hawaiian/ Other Pacific Islander	0	0.0%	2,128	0.0%	526,347	0.2%
2 or more races	872	3.3%	169,670	3.6%	17,464,666	5.5%
Other	392	1.5%	74,130	1.6%	14,746,054	4.6%

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



Population by Gender

Gender	Edgefield County	South Carolina	United States
Male	14,350	2,276,305	153,247,412
Female	12,348	2,403,297	158,289,182

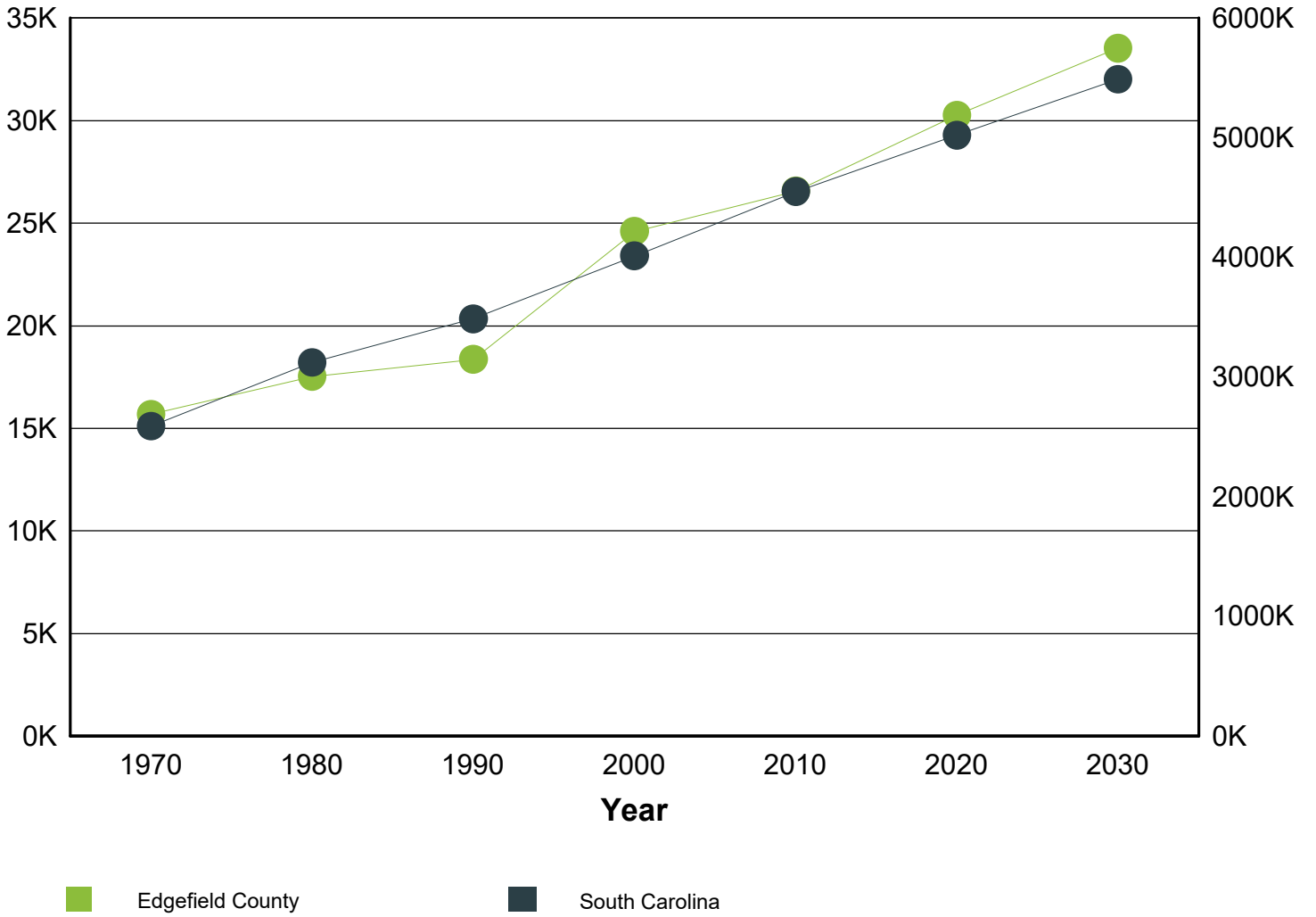
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Population Change

Historical and Projected

Edgefield County

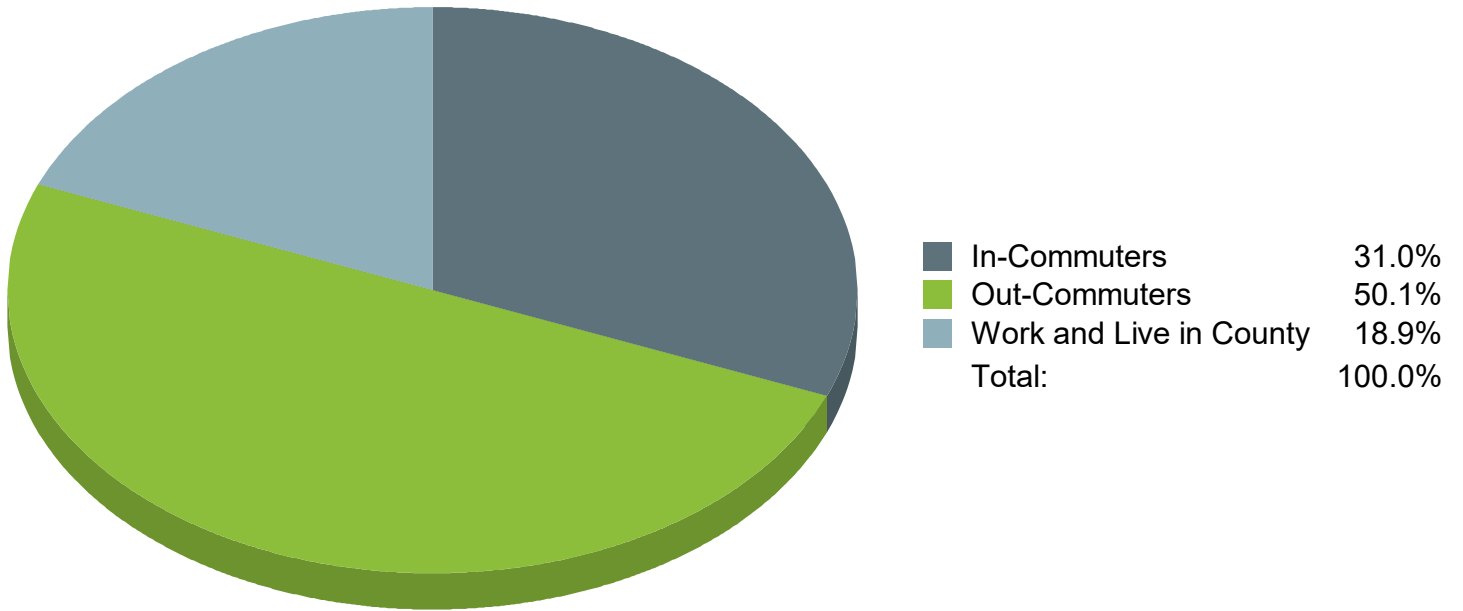
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Year	Edgefield County	South Carolina
1970	15,692	2,590,713
1980	17,528	3,121,820
1990	18,360	3,486,310
2000	24,595	4,012,012
2010	26,560	4,549,150
2020	30,270	5,020,400
2030	33,520	5,488,460

Source: U.S. Census Bureau

Commuting Patterns



Commuting Patterns	Workers
Work and Live in County	3,885
In-Commuters	6,371
Out-Commuters	10,293

Source: U.S. Census Bureau - 2010

Top 10 Places Residents Are Commuting To

Area	Workers
Aiken County, SC	3,320
RICHMOND COUNTY, GA	1,792
Saluda County, SC	323
COLUMBIA COUNTY, GA	278
Lexington County, SC	165
Greenwood County, SC	121
Richland County, SC	102
Allendale County, SC	57
DUVAL COUNTY, FL	38
DEKALB COUNTY, GA	27

Source: U.S. Census Bureau - 2010

Top 10 Places Residents Are Commuting From

Area	Workers
Aiken County, SC	1,201
Saluda County, SC	427
RICHMOND COUNTY, GA	220
Berkeley County, SC	152
COLUMBIA COUNTY, GA	135
Greenwood County, SC	118
Dillon County, SC	70
BURKE COUNTY, GA	46
Lexington County, SC	31
McCormick County, SC	25

Source: U.S. Census Bureau - 2010

Employers by Size of Establishment

Employees	Edgefield County	South Carolina
0 to 4	196	86,522
5 to 9	69	21,426
10 to 19	41	15,750
20 to 49	39	11,945
50 to 99	10	4,586
100 to 249	12	2,856
250 to 499	0	876
500 to 999	0	413
1000 +	0	306

Source: S.C. Department of Employment & Workforce - 2020 Q1

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Employment by Size of Establishment

Employees	Edgefield County	South Carolina
0 to 4	308	117,020
5 to 9	473	142,786
10 to 19	554	215,019
20 to 49	1,271	365,409
50 to 99	595	316,631
100 to 249	1,815	429,525
250 to 499	0	299,253
500 to 999	0	282,918
1000 +	0	794,497

Source: S.C. Department of Employment & Workforce - 2020 Q1

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20 Largest Employers

(Listed Alphabetically)

Corporation Name

ANGFIELD PARTNERS LLC

CAROLINA COVERTECH INC

COSTA LAYMAN LLC

COUNTY OF EDGEFIELD

DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

EDGEFIELD COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION

EDGEFIELD COUNTY SENIOR CITIZENS CO

HERLONG CHEVROLET BUICK INC

HERLONG FORD INC

LYDALL/SOUTHERN FELT COMPANY

MARSHFIELD FOREST SERVICE INC

MENARDI LLC

MILLIKEN & COMPANY JOHNSTON MILL DI

NATIONAL WILD TURKEY FEDERATION IN

PAC TELL GROUP INC

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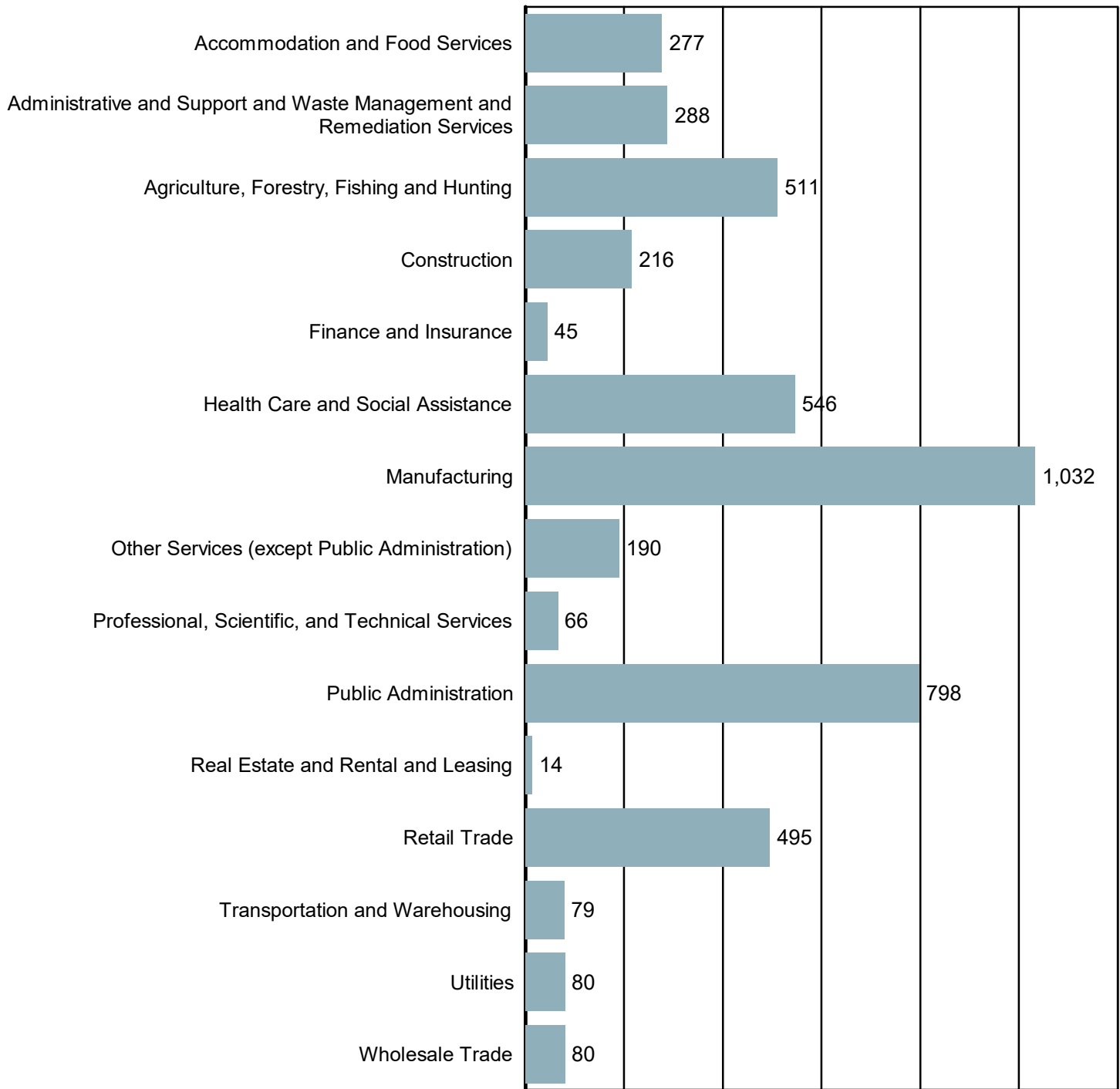
Self Regional Healthcare Partners

TRANTECH RADIATOR PRODUCTS INC

TRS CRAFT SERVICES INC

Source: S.C. Department of Employment & Workforce - 2020 Q1

Employment by Industry

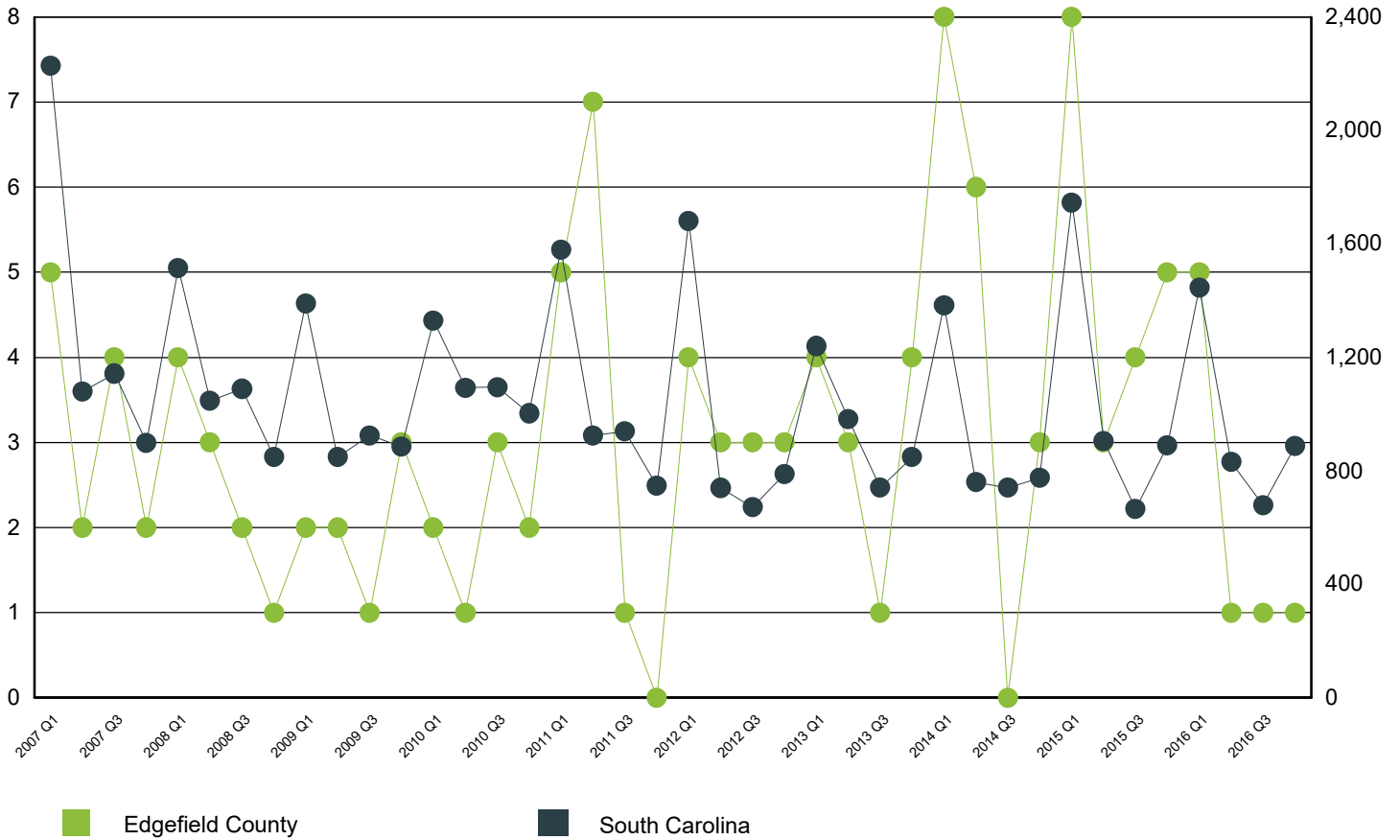


Source: S.C. Department of Employment & Workforce
 Quarterly Census of Employment and Wages (QCEW) - 2020 Q1

New Startup Firms

Edgefield County

South Carolina



Quarter	Edgefield County	South Carolina
2016 Q4	1	888
2016 Q3	1	679
2016 Q2	1	831
2016 Q1	5	1,445
2015 Q4	5	889
2015 Q3	4	665
2015 Q2	3	905
2015 Q1	8	1,746
2014 Q4	3	775
2014 Q3	0	741
2014 Q2	6	760
2014 Q1	8	1,384
2013 Q4	4	848
2013 Q3	1	741
2013 Q2	3	982
2013 Q1	4	1,240
2012 Q4	3	788
2012 Q3	3	672
2012 Q2	3	740
2012 Q1	4	1,680

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

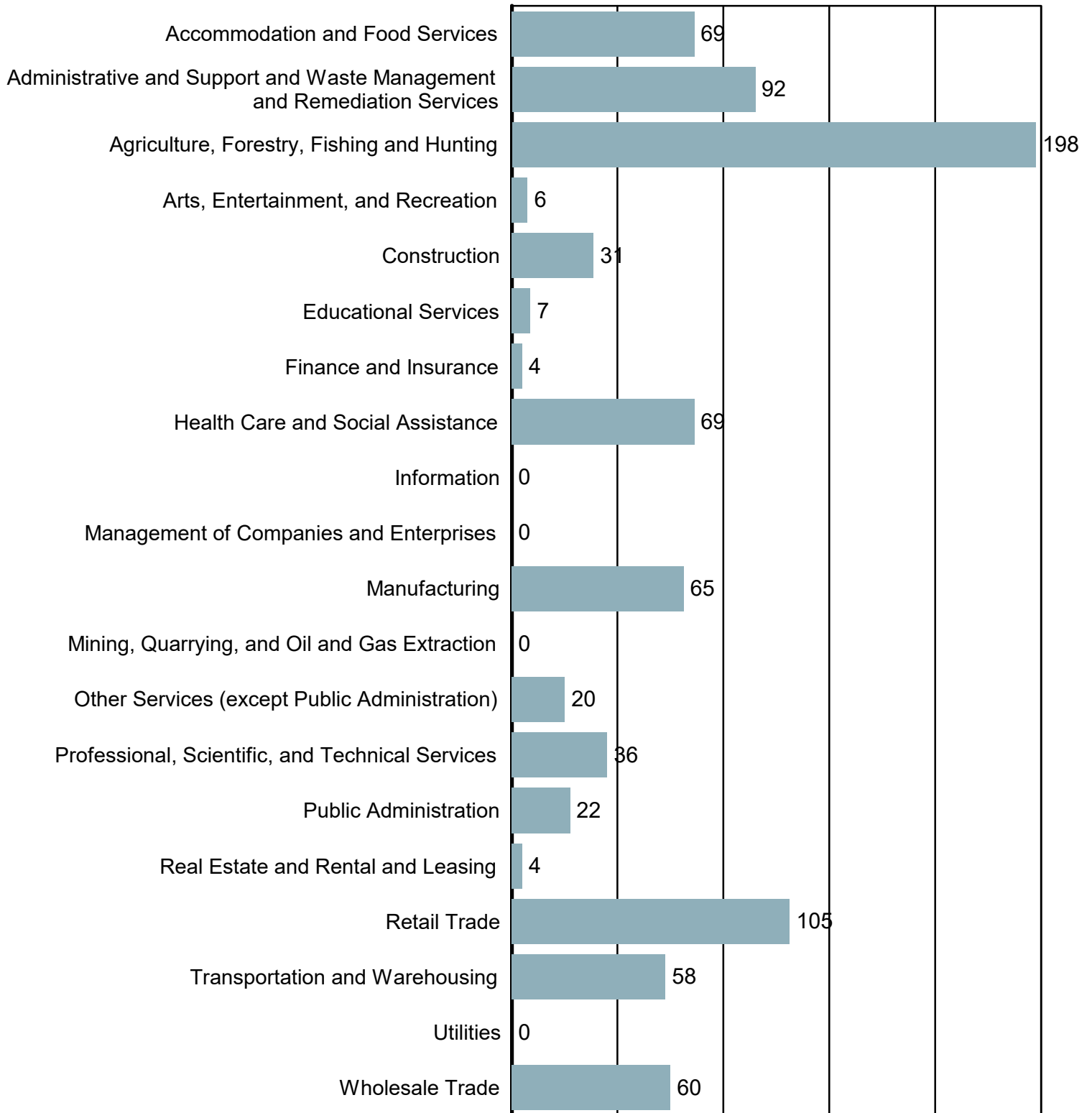
Top 2 Occupational Openings

*Edgefield County
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Occupation Name (Soccode)	Job Openings
Heavy and Tractor-Trailer Truck Drivers (53-3032)	4
Customer Service Representatives (43-4051)	3

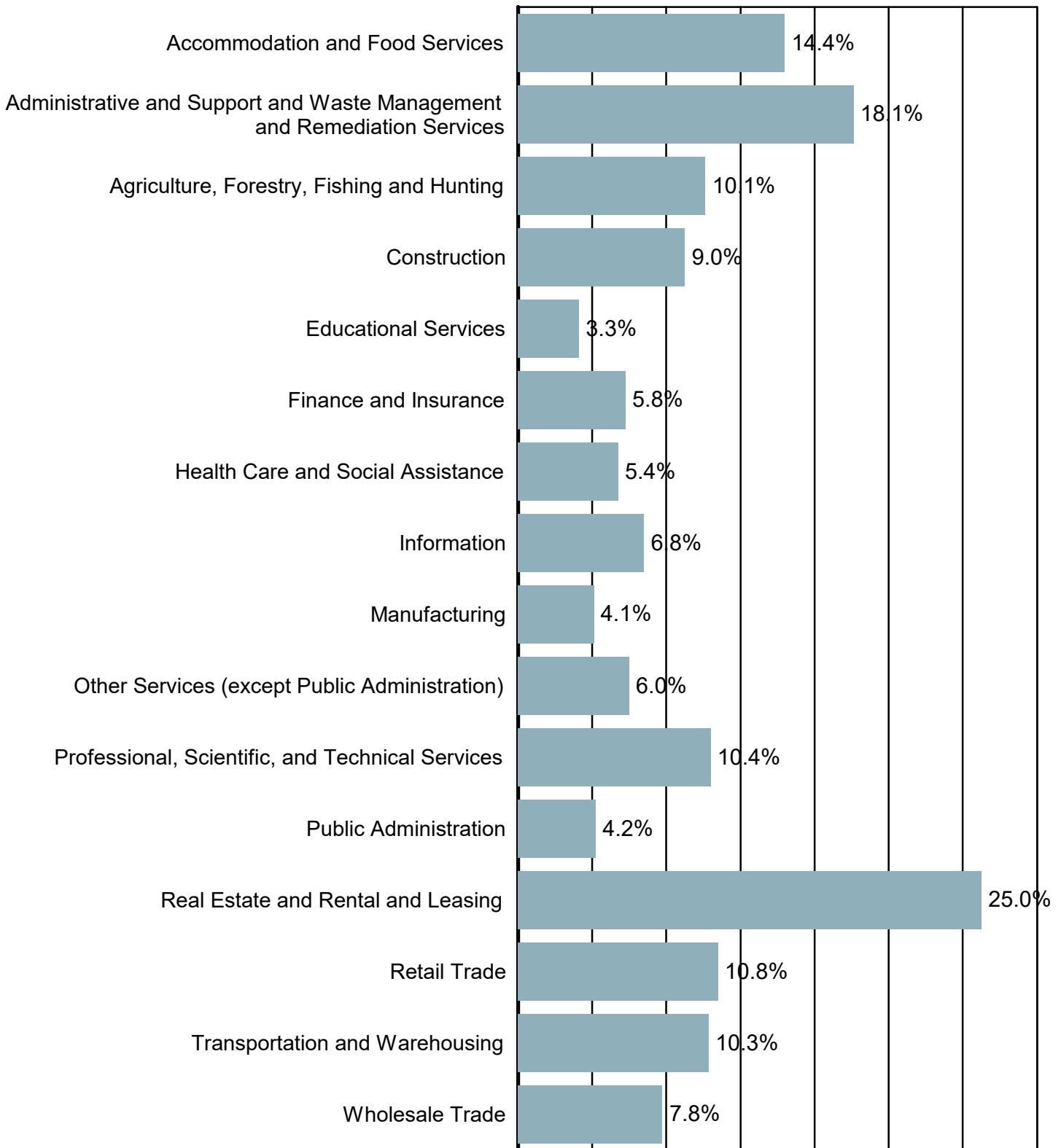
Source: S.C. Department of Employment & Workforce & The Conference Board's Help Wanted OnLine® data series

New Hires by Industry



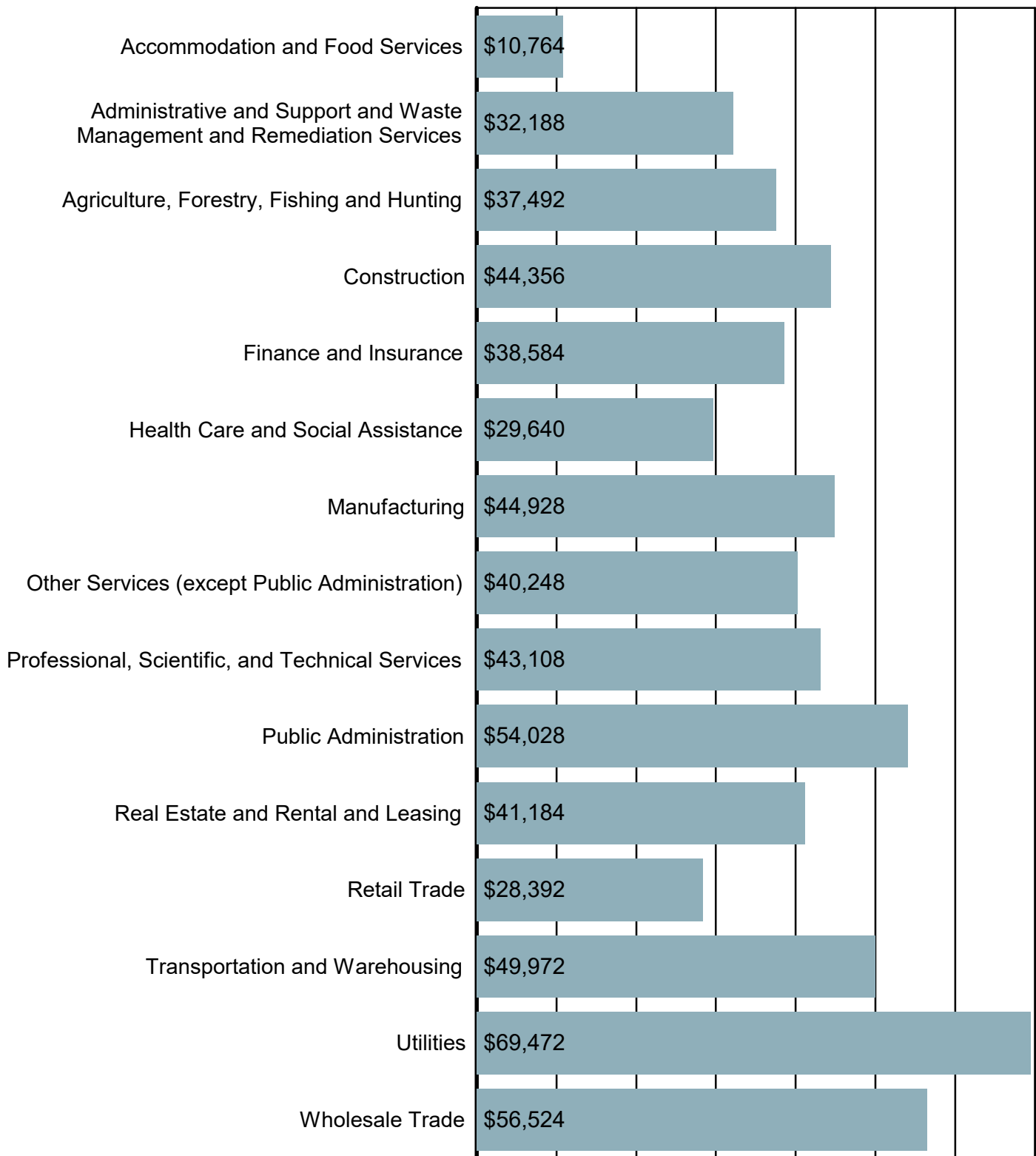
Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Local Employment Dynamics - 2016 Q2

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 Q1

Age of Workers by Industry

Industry	14-18	19-21	22-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+
Total, All Industries	95	194	271	1,062	1,200	1,349	1,091	419
Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing and Hunting	9	16	25	118	122	151	96	57
Mining, Quarrying, and Oil and Gas Extraction	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Utilities	0	0	0	12	18	30	16	0
Construction	0	9	11	36	48	34	23	9
Manufacturing	0	15	48	201	292	298	263	51
Wholesale Trade	0	4	0	20	22	35	24	15
Retail Trade	24	49	34	98	112	111	88	33
Transportation and Warehousing	0	25	31	57	37	35	36	9
Information	0	0	0	5	0	4	7	4
Finance and Insurance	0	0	0	13	9	8	8	5
Real Estate and Rental and Leasing	0	3	0	4	4	5	6	0
Professional and Technical Services	0	0	15	16	14	9	20	8
Management of Companies and Enterprises	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Administrative and Waste Services	0	9	13	75	67	62	62	30
Educational Services	15	6	16	113	155	200	191	50
Health Care and Social Assistance	0	8	20	95	106	123	101	73
Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation	0	3	0	10	0	8	4	0
Accommodation and Food Services	34	35	18	43	35	40	17	7
Other Services, Except Public Administration	0	0	13	47	44	52	42	22
Public Administration	0	3	16	88	101	137	72	39

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.

Upper Savannah Industry	2016 Estimated Employment	2026 Projected Employment	Change	Percent Change	Annual Percent
Total All Industries	95,233	101,667	6,434	6.76	0.66
Health Care and Social Assistance	9,692	11,079	1,387	14.31	1.35
Manufacturing	23,720	24,806	1,086	4.58	0.45
Transportation and Warehousing	2,693	3,757	1,064	39.51	3.39
Administrative and Support and Waste Management and Remediat	5,625	6,670	1,045	18.58	1.72
Accommodation and Food Services	5,301	6,004	703	13.26	1.25
Educational Services	7,405	8,072	667	9.01	0.87
Construction	2,935	3,341	406	13.83	1.30
Retail Trade	8,292	8,548	256	3.09	0.30
Professional, Scientific, and Technical Services	1,602	1,815	213	13.30	1.26
Wholesale Trade	1,856	1,977	121	6.52	0.63
Finance and Insurance	1,238	1,322	84	6.79	0.66
Real Estate and Rental and Leasing	389	454	65	16.71	1.56
Other Services (except Government)	3,963	4,023	60	1.51	0.15
Management of Companies and Enterprises	242	277	35	14.46	1.36
Information	422	432	10	2.37	0.23
Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation	908	918	10	1.10	0.11
Utilities	258	260	2	0.78	0.08

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.

Upper Savannah	2016	2026			
Occupation	Estimated Employment	Projected Employment	Openings (Replace)	Openings (Growth)	Annual Openings
Total, All Occupations	95,233	101,667			
Management Occupations	6,780	6,430			
Business and Financial Operations Occupations	2,048	2,255			
Computer and Mathematical Occupations	532	593			
Architecture and Engineering Occupations	1,594	1,797			
Life, Physical, and Social Science Occupations	368	405			
Community and Social Service Occupations	1,410	1,504			
Legal Occupations	260	290			
Education, Training, and Library Occupations	5,088	5,623			
Arts, Design, Entertainment, Sports, and Media Occupations	721	753			
Healthcare Practitioners and Technical Occupations	4,832	5,483			
Healthcare Support Occupations	2,478	2,827			
Protective Service Occupations	2,271	2,371			
Food Preparation and Serving Related Occupations	5,871	6,554			
Building and Grounds Cleaning and Maintenance Occupations	3,270	3,626			
Personal Care and Service Occupations	2,831	3,068			
Sales and Related Occupations	6,861	7,188			
Office and Administrative Support Occupations	12,017	12,617			
Farming, Fishing, and Forestry Occupations	2,587	2,156			
Construction and Extraction Occupations	3,092	3,415			
Installation, Maintenance, and Repair Occupations	4,507	4,988			
Production Occupations	19,220	20,070			
Transportation and Material Moving Occupations	6,595	7,654			

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.

Upper Savannah		2016	2026				
Occupation	Estimated Employment	Projected Employment	Percent Change	Replace	Growth	Total	Average Salary
Physician Assistants	43	61	42				
Nurse Practitioners	81	112	38				\$ 81,804
Machine Feeders and Offbearers	265	365	38				\$ 25,260
Medical Assistants	362	480	33				\$ 29,679
Database Administrators	22	28	27				\$ 54,735
Financial Managers	287	354	23				\$ 105,351
Dental Assistants	73	90	23				\$ 36,605
Respiratory Therapists	61	75	23				\$ 52,271
Opticians, Dispensing	44	54	23				
Dental Hygienists	75	92	23				\$ 51,435
Physical Therapists	150	184	23				\$ 80,505
Industrial Engineers	514	628	22				\$ 80,641
Home Health Aides	191	233	22				\$ 21,164
Industrial Machinery Mechanics	498	607	22				\$ 49,211
Laborers and Freight, Stock, and Material Movers, Hand	2,197	2,671	22				\$ 27,192
Combined Food Preparation and Serving Workers, Including Fast	1,635	1,985	21				\$ 18,874
Chemical Technicians	33	40	21				\$ 50,698
Personal Care Aides	741	897	21				\$ 22,132
Computer-Controlled Machine Tool Operators, Metal and Plastic	144	174	21				\$ 40,166
Software Developers, Systems Software	24	29	21				\$ 96,819

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.

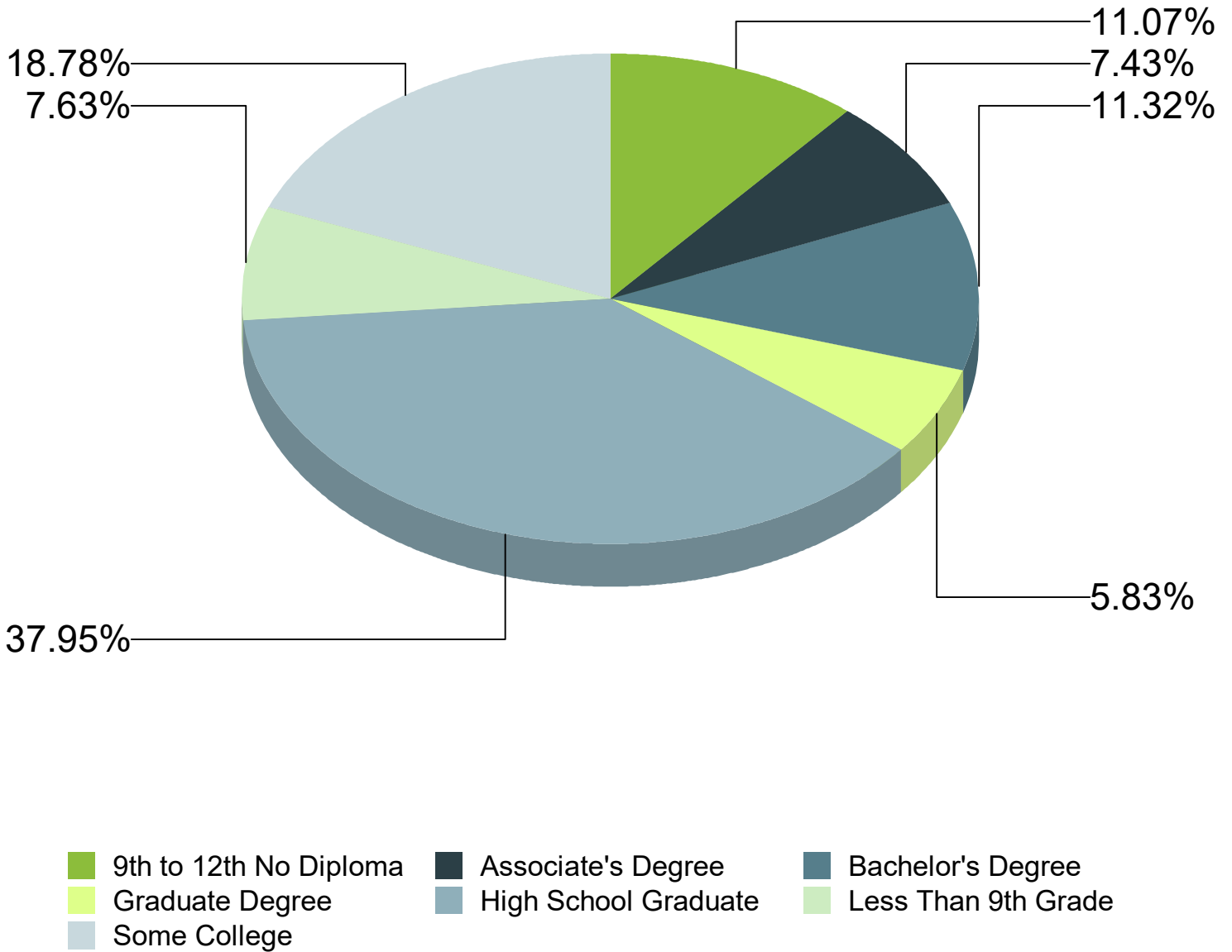
Upper Savannah	2016	2026					
Occupation	Estimated Employment	Projected Employmen	Percent Change	Replace	Growth	Total	Average Salary
Mail Clerks and Mail Machine Operators, Except Postal Servic	19	15	-21				\$ 27,173
First-Line Supervisors of Farming, Fishing, and Forestry Wor	97	81	-16				\$ 71,364
Grinding and Polishing Workers, Hand	49	41	-16				
Structural Metal Fabricators and Fitters	150	129	-14				\$ 33,240
Computer Operators	29	25	-14				\$ 41,651
Molding, Coremaking, and Casting Machine Setters, Operators,	188	169	-10				\$ 25,832
Chief Executives	132	122	-8				\$ 172,463
Secretaries and Administrative Assistants, Except Legal, Med	1,956	1,830	-6				\$ 31,470
Postmasters and Mail Superintendents	16	15	-6				\$ 74,837
Logging Equipment Operators	33	31	-6				\$ 41,763
Computer Programmers	34	32	-6				\$ 73,035
Correctional Officers and Jailers	568	536	-6				\$ 40,082
First-Line Supervisors of Correctional Officers	39	37	-5				\$ 65,839
Tool and Die Makers	21	20	-5				\$ 51,814
Extruding and Forming Machine Setters, Operators, and Tender	207	198	-4				\$ 34,216
Agricultural Inspectors	23	22	-4				\$ 48,723
File Clerks	26	25	-4				\$ 27,690
Grinding, Lapping, Polishing, and Buffing Machine Tool Sette	124	120	-3				\$ 38,482
Bookkeeping, Accounting, and Auditing Clerks	887	859	-3				\$ 33,094
Laundry and Dry-Cleaning Workers	163	158	-3				\$ 22,865

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

Educational Institutions

Degrees Awarded:

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