

# COMMUNITY PROFILE

Orangeburg County



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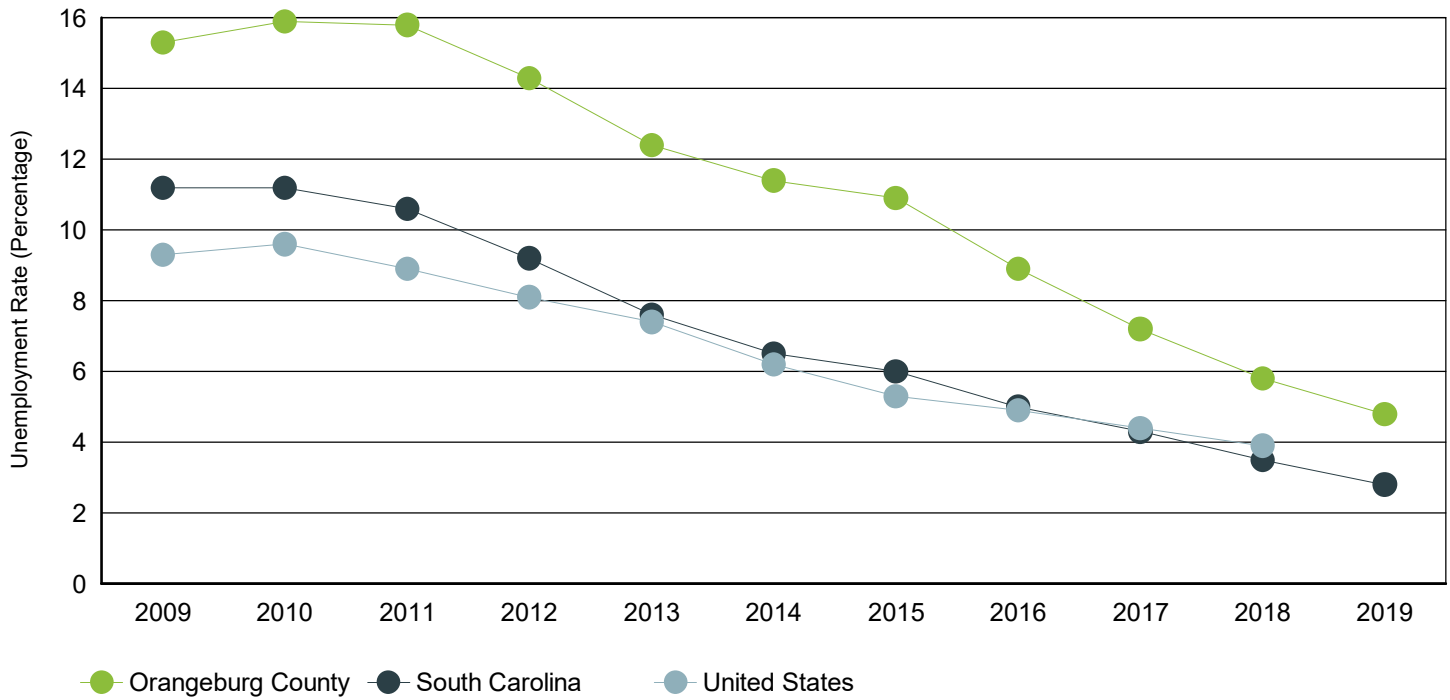
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## Annual Unemployment Rate (Unadjusted)

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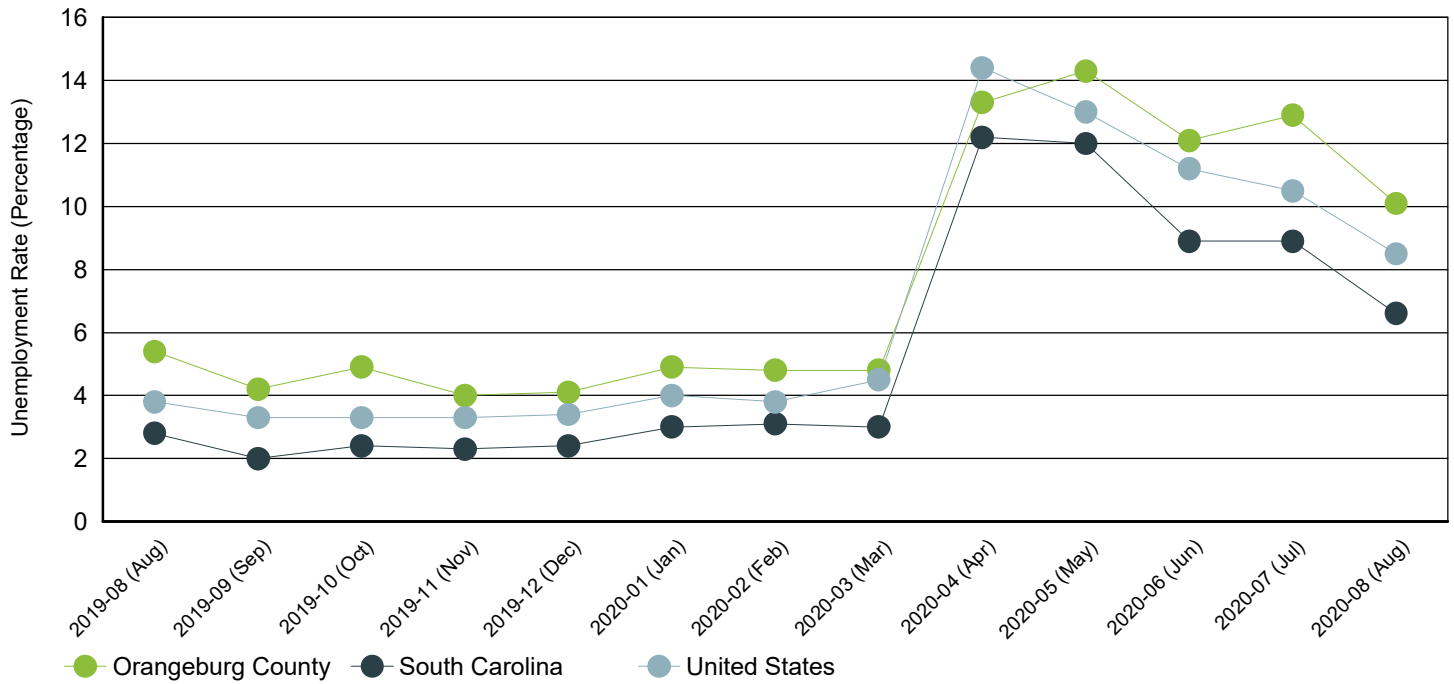


| Year | Orangeburg County |       |       | South Carolina |         |       | United States |            |      |
|------|-------------------|-------|-------|----------------|---------|-------|---------------|------------|------|
|      | Employment        | Unemp | Rate  | Employment     | Unemp   | Rate  | Employment    | Unemp      | Rate |
| 2018 | 32,452            | 2,004 | 5.8%  | 2,259,057      | 80,882  | 3.5%  | 155,761,000   | 6,314,000  | 3.9% |
| 2017 | 32,170            | 2,487 | 7.2%  | 2,212,845      | 98,921  | 4.3%  | 153,337,000   | 6,982,000  | 4.4% |
| 2016 | 32,503            | 3,178 | 8.9%  | 2,181,587      | 115,213 | 5.0%  | 151,436,000   | 7,751,000  | 4.9% |
| 2015 | 32,976            | 4,034 | 10.9% | 2,137,158      | 135,838 | 6.0%  | 148,834,000   | 8,296,000  | 5.3% |
| 2014 | 33,546            | 4,303 | 11.4% | 2,078,592      | 143,753 | 6.5%  | 146,305,000   | 9,617,000  | 6.2% |
| 2013 | 33,764            | 4,763 | 12.4% | 2,023,642      | 167,326 | 7.6%  | 143,929,000   | 11,460,000 | 7.4% |
| 2012 | 33,761            | 5,618 | 14.3% | 1,985,618      | 201,260 | 9.2%  | 142,469,000   | 12,506,000 | 8.1% |
| 2011 | 33,877            | 6,364 | 15.8% | 1,945,900      | 229,623 | 10.6% | 139,869,000   | 13,747,000 | 8.9% |
| 2010 | 33,722            | 6,380 | 15.9% | 1,915,045      | 240,623 | 11.2% | 139,064,000   | 14,825,000 | 9.6% |
| 2009 | 35,196            | 6,344 | 15.3% | 1,910,670      | 242,075 | 11.2% | 139,877,000   | 14,265,000 | 9.3% |
| 2008 | 36,936            | 4,151 | 10.1% | 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   | Orangeburg County | South Carolina | United States |
|----------|-------------------|----------------|---------------|
| Aug 2020 | 10.1%             | 6.6%           | 8.5%          |
| Jul 2020 | 12.9%             | 8.9%           | 10.5%         |
| Jun 2020 | 12.1%             | 8.9%           | 11.2%         |
| May 2020 | 14.3%             | 12.0%          | 13.0%         |
| Apr 2020 | 13.3%             | 12.2%          | 14.4%         |
| Mar 2020 | 4.8%              | 3.0%           | 4.5%          |
| Feb 2020 | 4.8%              | 3.1%           | 3.8%          |
| Jan 2020 | 4.9%              | 3.0%           | 4.0%          |
| Dec 2019 | 4.1%              | 2.4%           | 3.4%          |
| Nov 2019 | 4.0%              | 2.3%           | 3.3%          |
| Oct 2019 | 4.9%              | 2.4%           | 3.3%          |
| Sep 2019 | 4.2%              | 2.0%           | 3.3%          |
| Aug 2019 | 5.4%              | 2.8%           | 3.8%          |

Source: S.C. Department of Employment & Workforce

## Area Job Openings

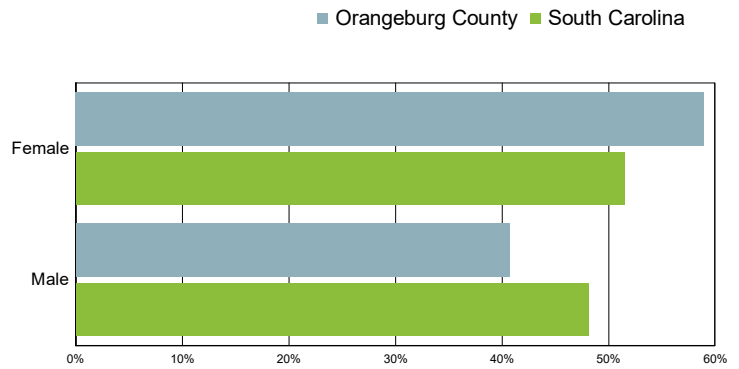
| Period | Orangeburg County |            |             |              | South Carolina |            |             |              |
|--------|-------------------|------------|-------------|--------------|----------------|------------|-------------|--------------|
|        | Employed          | Unemployed | Unemp. Rate | Job Openings | Employed       | Unemployed | Unemp. Rate | Job Openings |
| Aug-20 | 33,227            | 3,722      | 10.1%       | 2,711        | 2,264,535      | 152,936    | 6.3%        | 49,905       |
| Jul-20 | 33,219            | 4,930      | 12.9%       | 2,341        | 2,246,003      | 212,902    | 8.7%        | 45,266       |
| Jun-20 | 32,793            | 4,522      | 12.1%       | 2,123        | 2,226,783      | 211,612    | 8.7%        | 37,666       |
| May-20 | 31,414            | 5,245      | 14.3%       | 1,906        | 2,116,430      | 299,668    | 12.4%       | 38,053       |
| Apr-20 | 30,461            | 4,667      | 13.3%       | 2,101        | 2,073,470      | 303,360    | 12.8%       | 51,518       |
| Mar-20 | 33,742            | 1,717      | 4.8%        | 2,404        | 2,328,802      | 76,369     | 3.2%        | 57,374       |
| Feb-20 | 33,862            | 1,694      | 4.8%        | 2,188        | 2,333,224      | 58,631     | 2.5%        | 52,662       |
| Jan-20 | 33,662            | 1,749      | 4.9%        | 2,355        | 2,330,497      | 56,599     | 2.4%        | 52,639       |
| Dec-19 | 33,531            | 1,442      | 4.1%        | 2,234        | 2,326,018      | 57,279     | 2.4%        | 59,953       |
| Nov-19 | 33,373            | 1,390      | 4.0%        | 2,793        | 2,326,821      | 56,712     | 2.4%        | 55,821       |
| Oct-19 | 32,726            | 1,672      | 4.9%        | 865          | 2,326,812      | 56,244     | 2.4%        | 68,386       |
| Sep-19 | 32,919            | 1,442      | 4.2%        | 862          | 2,322,842      | 57,450     | 2.4%        | 66,100       |
| Aug-19 | 32,631            | 1,863      | 5.4%        | 908          | 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  
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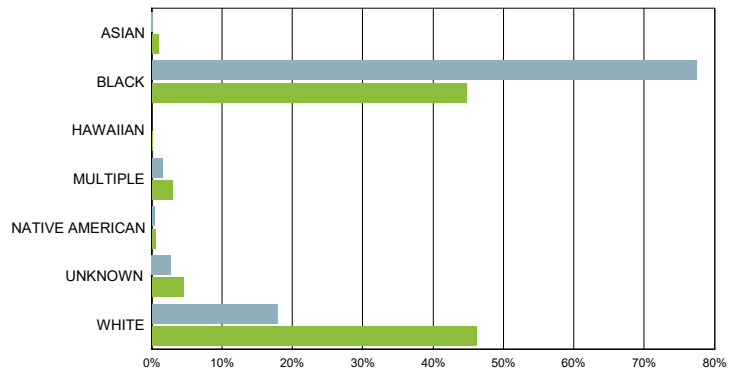
# Characteristics of Unemployment Insurance Claimants

August 2020

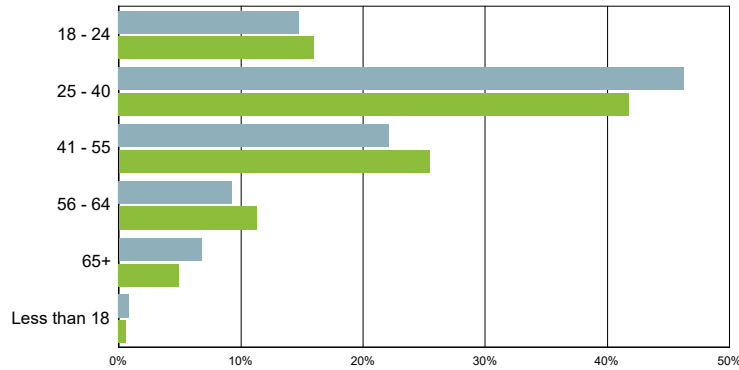
| Gender | Orangeburg County | South Carolina |
|--------|-------------------|----------------|
| Female | 349               | 10,858         |
| Male   | 241               | 10,154         |
| O      | 2                 | 91             |



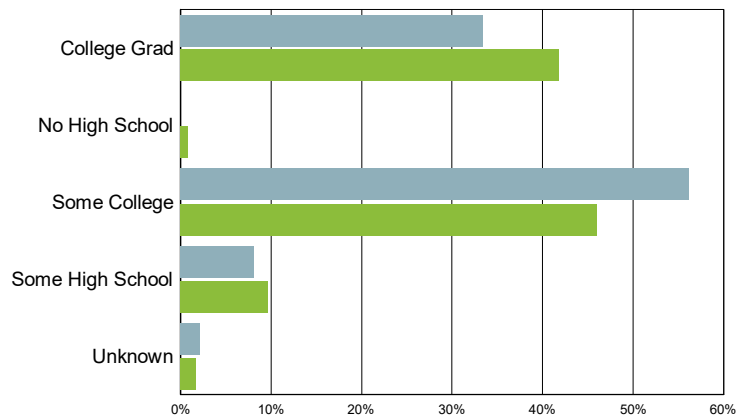
| Race            | Orangeburg County | South Carolina |
|-----------------|-------------------|----------------|
| ASIAN           | 1                 | 192            |
| BLACK           | 458               | 9,439          |
| MULTIPLE        | 9                 | 614            |
| NATIVE AMERICAN | 2                 | 125            |
| UNKNOWN         | 16                | 958            |
| WHITE           | 106               | 9,747          |



| Age Group    | Orangeburg County | South Carolina |
|--------------|-------------------|----------------|
| 18 - 24      | 87                | 3,375          |
| 25 - 40      | 274               | 8,813          |
| 41 - 55      | 131               | 5,368          |
| 56 - 64      | 55                | 2,381          |
| 65+          | 40                | 1,040          |
| Less than 18 | 5                 | 126            |



| Education        | Orangeburg County | South Carolina |
|------------------|-------------------|----------------|
| College Grad     | 198               | 8,821          |
| Some College     | 333               | 9,721          |
| Some High School | 48                | 2,030          |
| No High School   | 0                 | 178            |
| Unknown          | 13                | 353            |



Source: S.C. Department of Employment & Workforce

## Characteristics of Unemployment Insurance Claims by Industry

Industry Groups With Largest Number of Claims  
August 2020

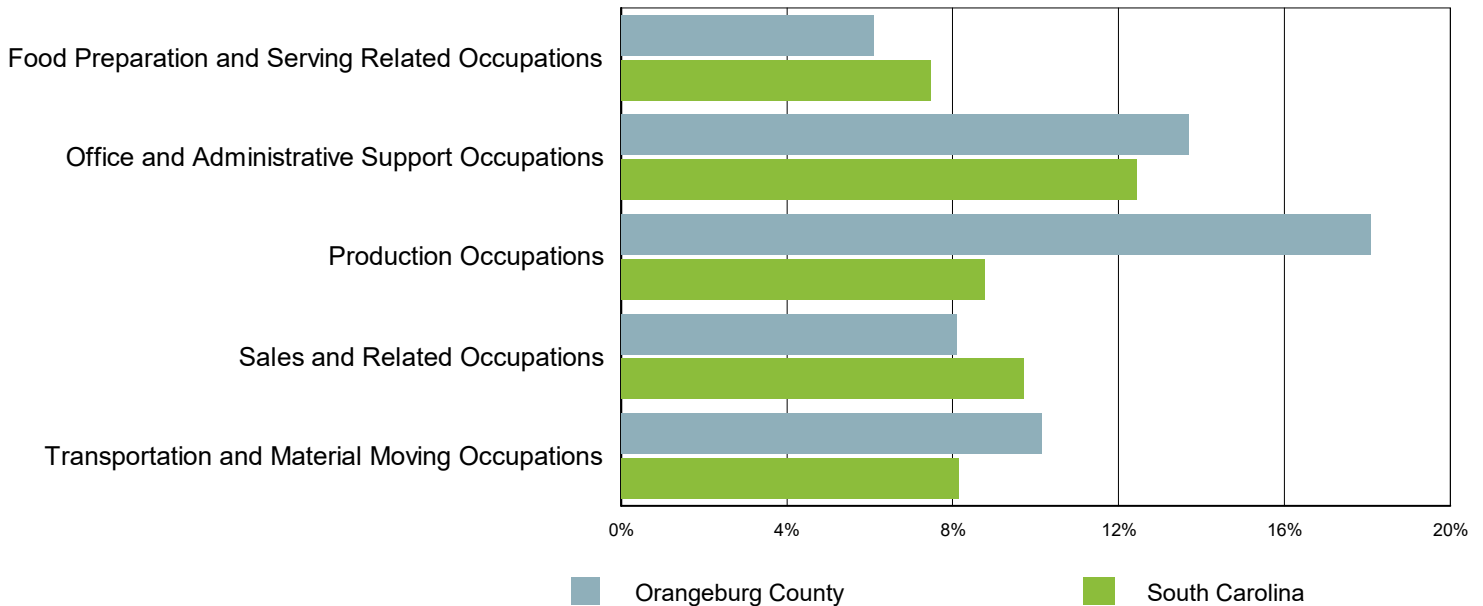


| Industry                                      | Orangeburg County | South Carolina |
|---|-------------------|----------------|
| Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing and Hunting    | 1                 | 94             |
| Utilities                                     | 3                 | 44             |
| Construction                                  | 20                | 1,006          |
| Manufacturing                                 | 103               | 2,190          |
| Wholesale Trade                               | 20                | 632            |
| Retail Trade                                  | 58                | 1,945          |
| Transportation and Warehousing                | 19                | 537            |
| Information                                   | 2                 | 221            |
| Finance and Insurance                         | 7                 | 326            |
| Real Estate and Rental and Leasing            | 2                 | 311            |
| Professional, Scientific, and Technical Servi | 30                | 932            |
| Management of Companies and Enterprises       | 3                 | 111            |
| Administrative and Support and Waste Manageme | 78                | 2,308          |
| Educational Services                          | 25                | 639            |
| Health Care and Social Assistance             | 58                | 1,809          |
| Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation           | 6                 | 200            |
| Accommodation and Food Services               | 48                | 1,988          |
| Other Services (except Public Administration) | 5                 | 511            |
| Public Administration                         | 11                | 400            |
| Unknown                                       | 93                | 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   | Orangeburg County | South Carolina |
|--|-------------------|----------------|
| Architecture and Engineering Occupations           | 15                | 541            |
| Arts, Design, Entertainment, Sports, and Media Occ | 7                 | 329            |
| Building and Grounds Cleaning and Maintenance Occu | 19                | 1,052          |
| Business and Financial Operations Occupations      | 11                | 509            |
| Community and Social Service Occupations           | 1                 | 142            |
| Computer and Mathematical Occupations              | 3                 | 284            |
| Construction and Extraction Occupations            | 26                | 1,183          |
| Educational Instruction and Library Occupations    | 16                | 472            |
| Food Preparation and Serving Related Occupations   | 36                | 1,578          |
| Healthcare Practitioners and Technical Occupations | 17                | 576            |
| Healthcare Support Occupations                     | 27                | 847            |
| Installation, Maintenance, and Repair Occupations  | 17                | 844            |
| Life, Physical, and Social Science Occupations     | 10                | 179            |
| Management Occupations                             | 30                | 1,700          |
| Military Specific Occupations                      | 1                 | 29             |
| Office and Administrative Support Occupations      | 81                | 2,627          |
| Personal Care and Service Occupations              | 14                | 686            |
| Production Occupations                             | 107               | 1,849          |
| Protective Service Occupations                     | 8                 | 239            |
| Sales and Related Occupations                      | 48                | 2,048          |
| Transportation and Material Moving Occupations     | 60                | 1,721          |
| Unknown  | 38                | 1,502          |

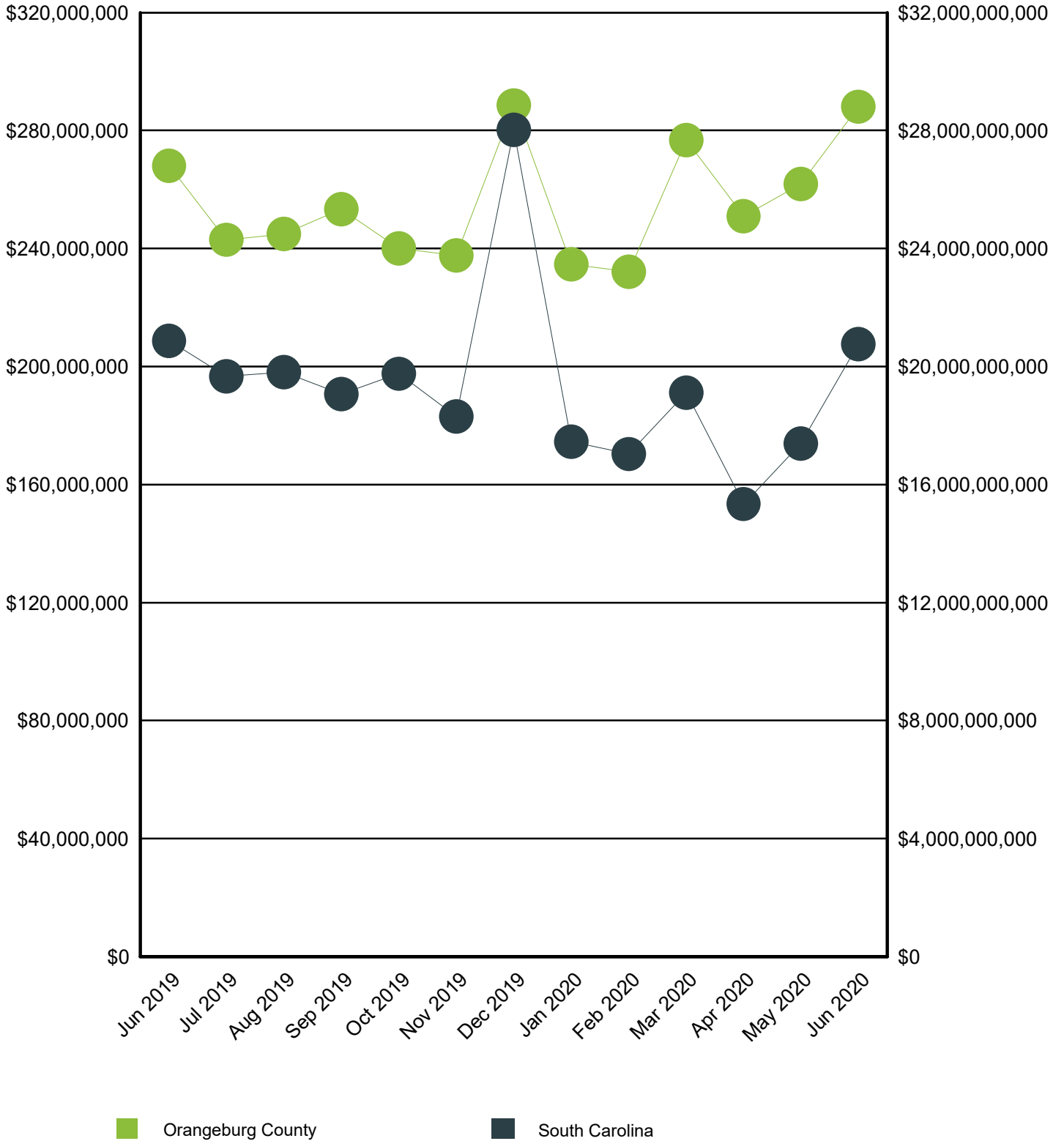
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### Retail Sales

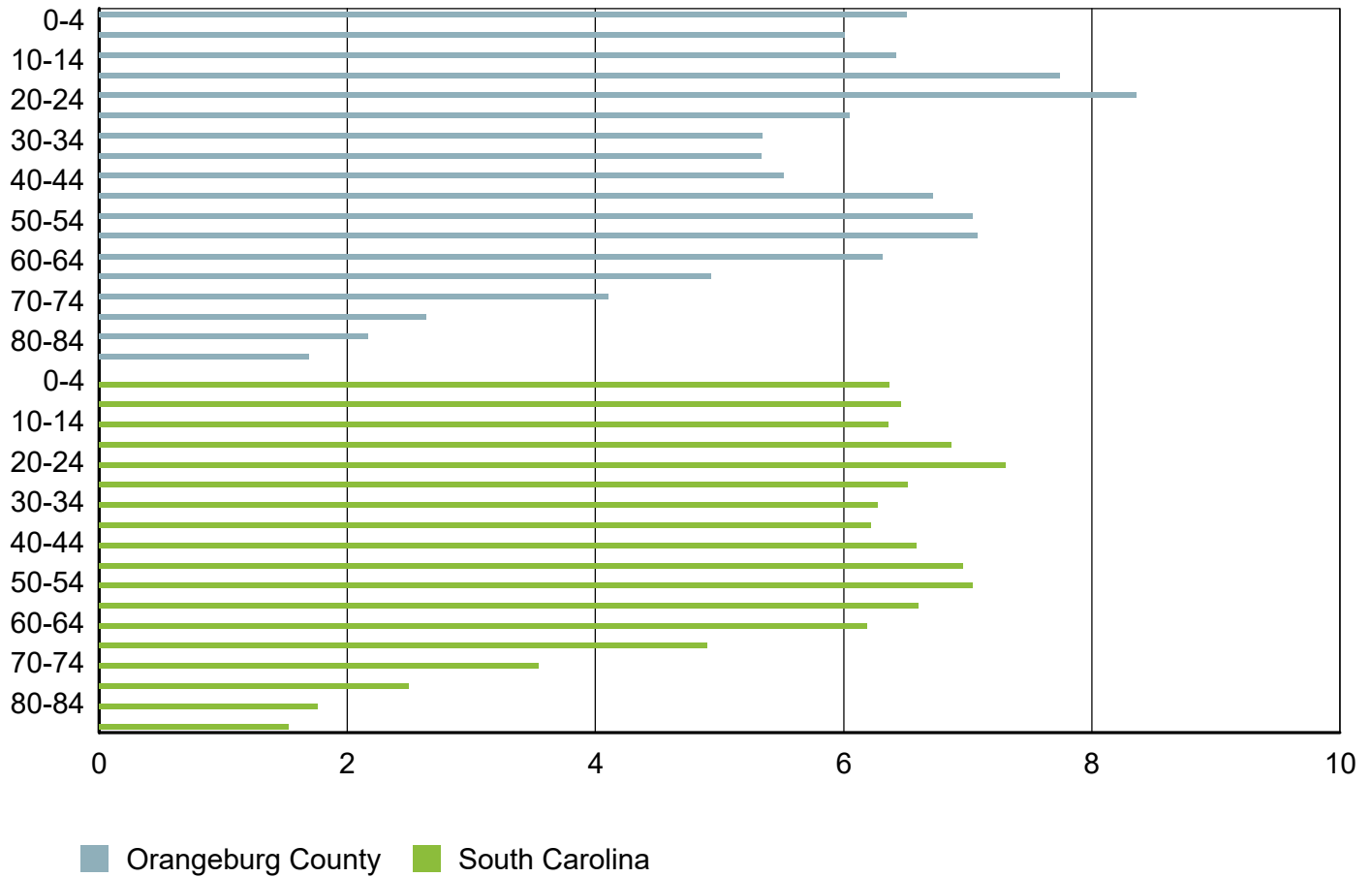
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Source: S.C. Department of Revenue

### Population by Age



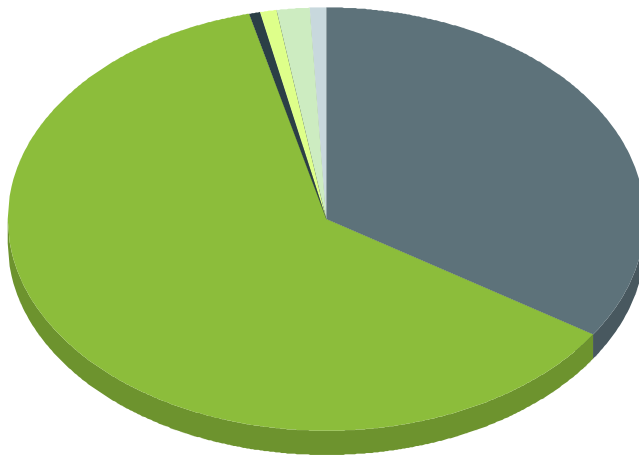
| Age Range    | Orangeburg County | South Carolina | United States |
|--------------|-------------------|----------------|---------------|
| 0-4          | 5,979             | 298,242        | 20,052,112    |
| 5-9          | 5,518             | 302,111        | 20,409,060    |
| 10-14        | 5,900             | 297,443        | 20,672,609    |
| 15-19        | 7,109             | 321,540        | 21,715,074    |
| 20-24        | 7,676             | 342,237        | 22,099,887    |
| 25-29        | 5,559             | 305,167        | 21,243,365    |
| 30-34        | 4,916             | 293,464        | 20,467,912    |
| 35-39        | 4,904             | 291,183        | 19,876,161    |
| 40-44        | 5,068             | 308,158        | 20,998,001    |
| 45-49        | 6,173             | 325,660        | 22,109,946    |
| 50-54        | 6,466             | 329,431        | 22,396,322    |
| 55-59        | 6,498             | 309,061        | 20,165,892    |
| 60-64        | 5,793             | 289,690        | 17,479,211    |
| 65-69        | 4,526             | 229,251        | 13,189,508    |
| 70-74        | 3,776             | 165,797        | 9,767,522     |
| 75-79        | 2,424             | 117,187        | 7,438,750     |
| 80-84        | 1,997             | 82,223         | 5,781,697     |
| 85 and older | 1,554             | 71,757         | 5,673,565     |

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

### Population by Race

| Race                                    | Orangeburg County | %     | South Carolina | %     | United States | %     |
|---|-------------------|-------|----------------|-------|---------------|-------|
| White                                   | 31,731            | 34.6% | 3,144,146      | 66.0% | 230,592,579   | 72.0% |
| Black                                   | 57,292            | 62.4% | 1,298,534      | 27.3% | 39,167,010    | 12.2% |
| American Indian/Alaskan Native          | 434               | 0.5%  | 14,732         | 0.3%  | 2,540,309     | 0.8%  |
| Asian                                   | 854               | 0.9%  | 61,097         | 1.3%  | 15,231,962    | 4.8%  |
| Native Hawaiian/ Other Pacific Islander | 19                | 0.0%  | 2,128          | 0.0%  | 526,347       | 0.2%  |
| 2 or more races                         | 1,640             | 1.8%  | 169,670        | 3.6%  | 17,464,666    | 5.5%  |
| Other                                   | 686               | 0.8%  | 74,130         | 1.6%  | 14,746,054    | 4.6%  |

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



|   |        |
|---|--------|
| White                                   | 34.2%  |
| Black                                   | 61.8%  |
| American Indian/Alaskan Native          | 0.5%   |
| Asian                                   | 0.9%   |
| Native Hawaiian/ Other Pacific Islander | 0.0%   |
| 2 or more races                         | 1.8%   |
| Other                                   | 0.7%   |
| Total:                                  | 100.0% |

### Population by Gender

| Gender | Orangeburg County | South Carolina | United States |
|--------|-------------------|----------------|---------------|
| Male   | 43,283            | 2,276,305      | 153,247,412   |
| Female | 48,553            | 2,403,297      | 158,289,182   |

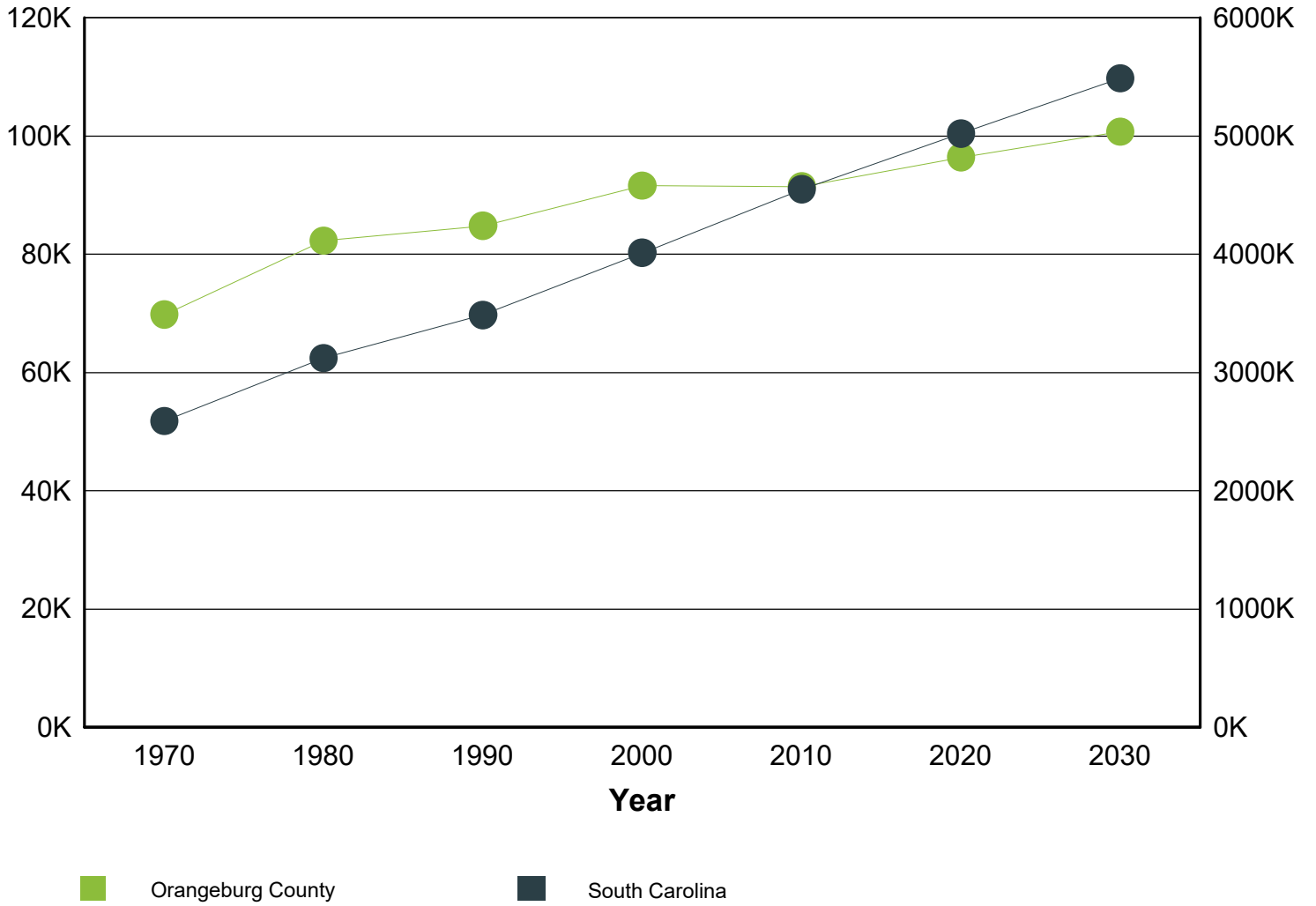
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# Population Change

Historical and Projected

Orangeburg County

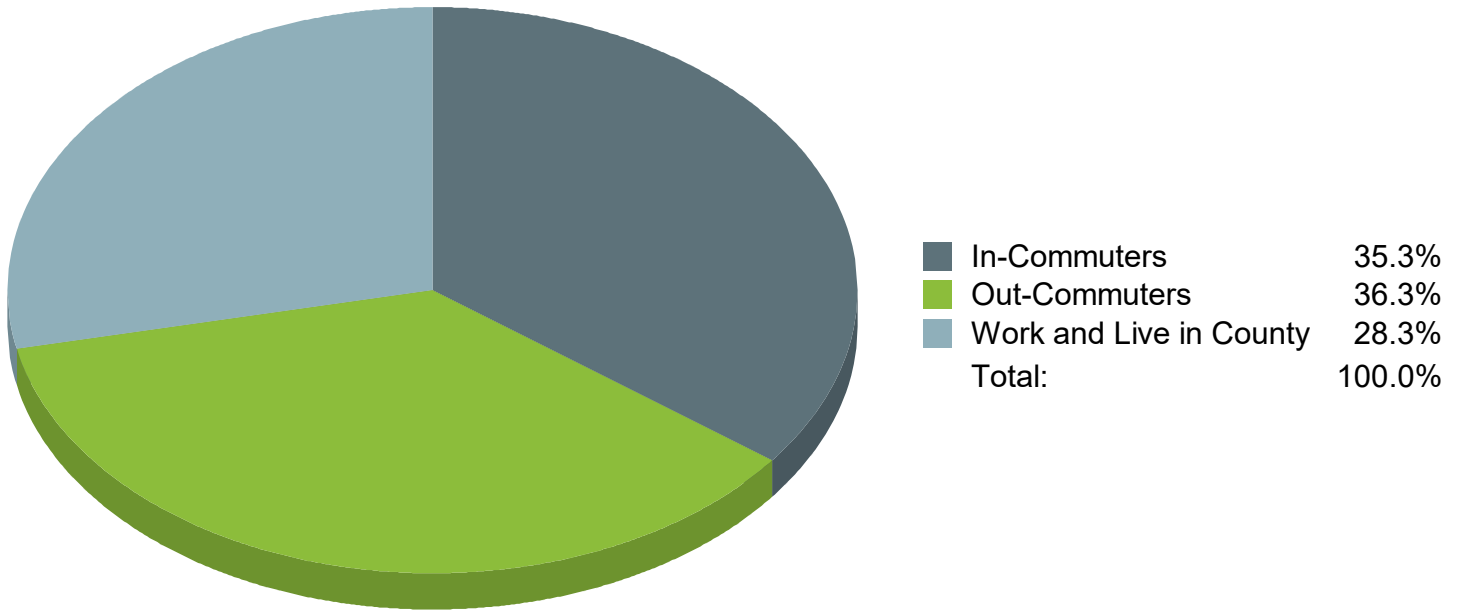
South Carolina



| Year | Orangeburg County | South Carolina |
|------|-------------------|----------------|
| 1970 | 69,789            | 2,590,713      |
| 1980 | 82,276            | 3,121,820      |
| 1990 | 84,804            | 3,486,310      |
| 2000 | 91,582            | 4,012,012      |
| 2010 | 91,450            | 4,549,150      |
| 2020 | 96,400            | 5,020,400      |
| 2030 | 100,700           | 5,488,460      |

Source: U.S. Census Bureau

## Commuting Patterns



| Commuting Patterns      | Workers |
|-------------------------|---------|
| Work and Live in County | 27,270  |
| In-Commuters            | 34,016  |
| Out-Commuters           | 34,951  |

Source: U.S. Census Bureau - 2010

## Top 10 Places Residents Are Commuting To

| Area                  | Workers |
|-----------------------|---------|
| Richland County, SC   | 1,727   |
| Lexington County, SC  | 1,134   |
| Charleston County, SC | 826     |
| Dorchester County, SC | 715     |
| Calhoun County, SC    | 714     |
| Bamberg County, SC    | 528     |
| Berkeley County, SC   | 525     |
| Aiken County, SC      | 273     |
| Barnwell County, SC   | 217     |
| Sumter County, SC     | 208     |

Source: U.S. Census Bureau - 2010

## Top 10 Places Residents Are Commuting From

| Area                  | Workers |
|-----------------------|---------|
| Calhoun County, SC    | 1,759   |
| Bamberg County, SC    | 971     |
| Clarendon County, SC  | 640     |
| Lexington County, SC  | 621     |
| Dorchester County, SC | 581     |
| Richland County, SC   | 453     |
| Barnwell County, SC   | 241     |
| Colleton County, SC   | 211     |
| Berkeley County, SC   | 202     |
| Sumter County, SC     | 195     |

Source: U.S. Census Bureau - 2010

## Employers by Size of Establishment

| Employees  | Orangeburg County | South Carolina |
|------------|-------------------|----------------|
| 0 to 4     | 847               | 86,522         |
| 5 to 9     | 333               | 21,426         |
| 10 to 19   | 229               | 15,750         |
| 20 to 49   | 169               | 11,945         |
| 50 to 99   | 67                | 4,586          |
| 100 to 249 | 26                | 2,856          |
| 250 to 499 | 9                 | 876            |
| 500 to 999 | 0                 | 413            |
| 1000 +     | 0                 | 306            |

Source: S.C. Department of Employment & Workforce - 2020 Q1  
 - Indicates that the requested data is suppressed

## Employment by Size of Establishment

| Employees  | Orangeburg County | South Carolina |
|------------|-------------------|----------------|
| 0 to 4     | 1,408             | 117,020        |
| 5 to 9     | 2,227             | 142,786        |
| 10 to 19   | 3,093             | 215,019        |
| 20 to 49   | 5,100             | 365,409        |
| 50 to 99   | 4,780             | 316,631        |
| 100 to 249 | 3,840             | 429,525        |
| 250 to 499 | 3,015             | 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

ALLIED AIR ENTERPRISES INC

CLAFLIN UNIVERSITY

COUNTY OF ORANGEBURG

DELHAIZE AMERICA DISTRIBUTION LLC

FOGLE'S, INC.

GKN AEROSPACE SOUTH CAROLINA INC

HUSQVARNA CONSUMER OUTDOOR PRODUCTS

KOYO BEARINGS NORTH AMERICA LLC

MAIN WATERS ENTERPRISES LLP

ORANGEBURG CALHOUN TECHNICAL EDUCAT

ORANGEBURG COUNTY CONSOLIDATED SCHO

ORANGEBURG COUNTY DISABILITIES & SP

Orangeburg County School District

REGIONAL MEDICAL CENTER OF ORANGEBU

SOUTH CAROLINA STATE UNIVERSITY

STAFFMARK INVESTMENTS LLC

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THE OKONITE COMPANY INC

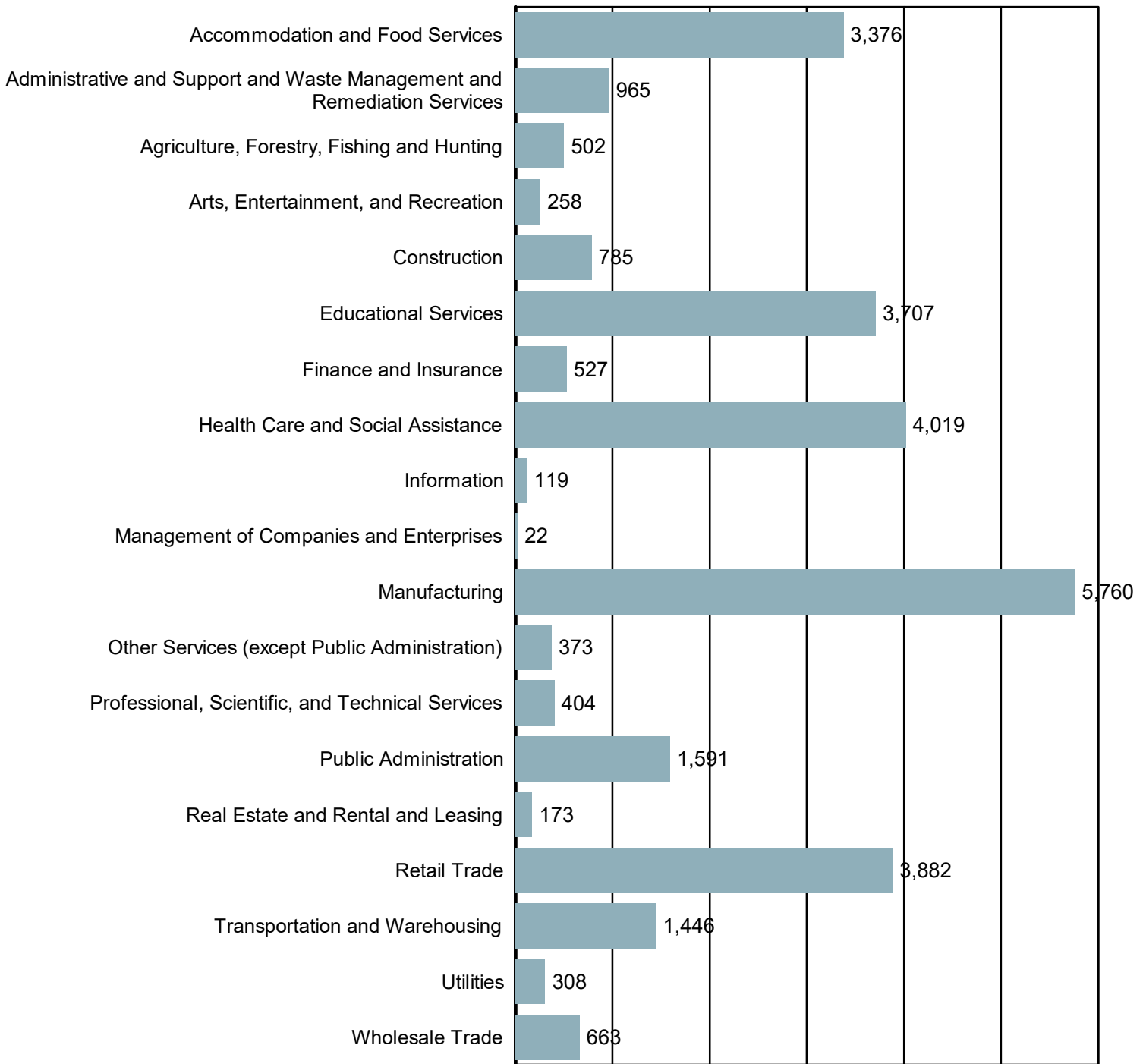
WAL-MART ASSOCIATES INC

ZEUS INDUSTRIAL PRODUCTS INC

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



### Employment by Industry

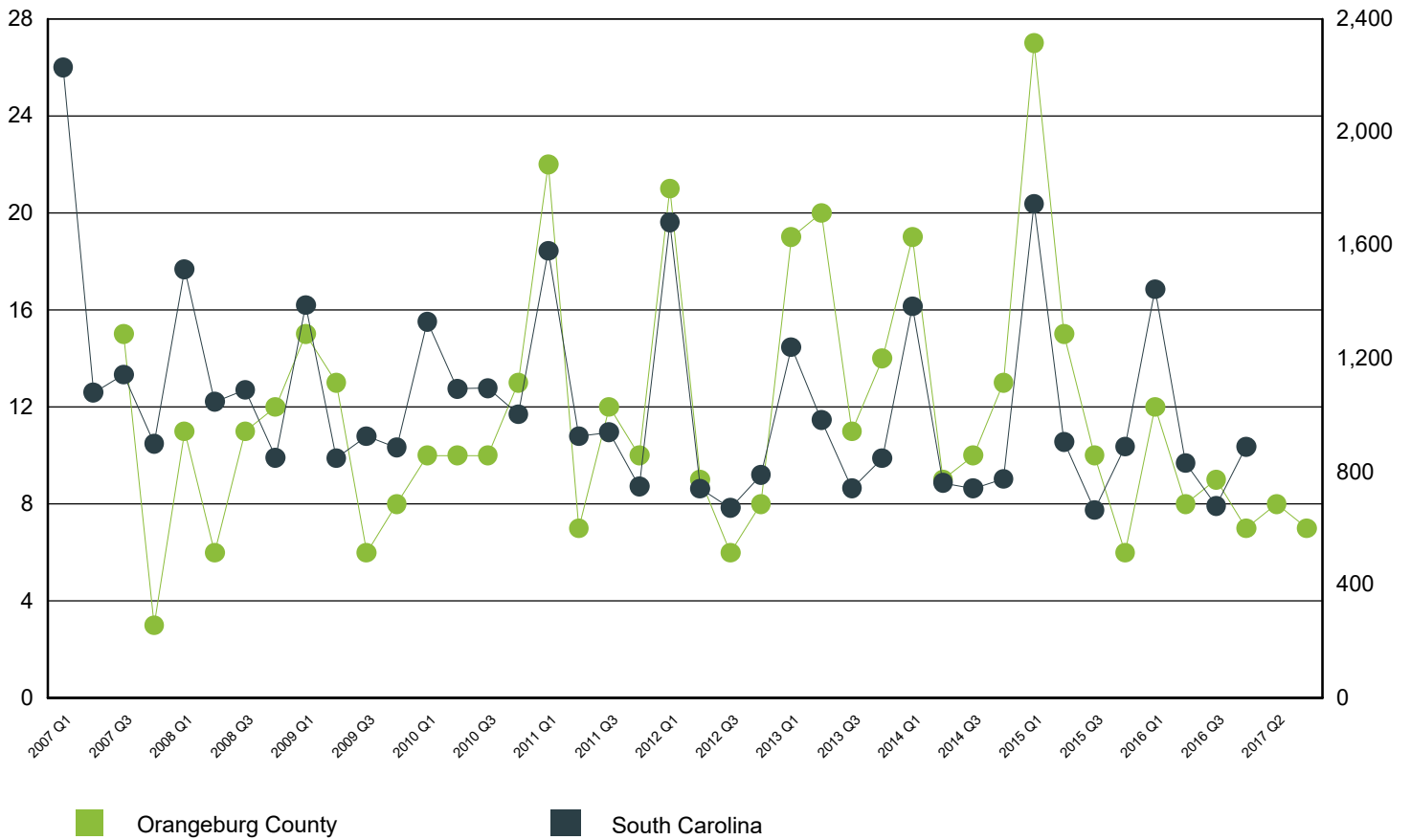


Source: S.C. Department of Employment & Workforce  
 Quarterly Census of Employment and Wages (QCEW) - 2020 Q1

# New Startup Firms

Orangeburg County

South Carolina



| Quarter | Orangeburg County | South Carolina |
|---------|-------------------|----------------|
| 2016 Q4 | 7                 | 888            |
| 2016 Q3 | 9                 | 679            |
| 2016 Q2 | 8                 | 831            |
| 2016 Q1 | 12                | 1,445          |
| 2015 Q4 | 6                 | 889            |
| 2015 Q3 | 10                | 665            |
| 2015 Q2 | 15                | 905            |
| 2015 Q1 | 27                | 1,746          |
| 2014 Q4 | 13                | 775            |
| 2014 Q3 | 10                | 741            |
| 2014 Q2 | 9                 | 760            |
| 2014 Q1 | 19                | 1,384          |
| 2013 Q4 | 14                | 848            |
| 2013 Q3 | 11                | 741            |
| 2013 Q2 | 20                | 982            |
| 2013 Q1 | 19                | 1,240          |
| 2012 Q4 | 8                 | 788            |
| 2012 Q3 | 6                 | 672            |
| 2012 Q2 | 9                 | 740            |
| 2012 Q1 | 21                | 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

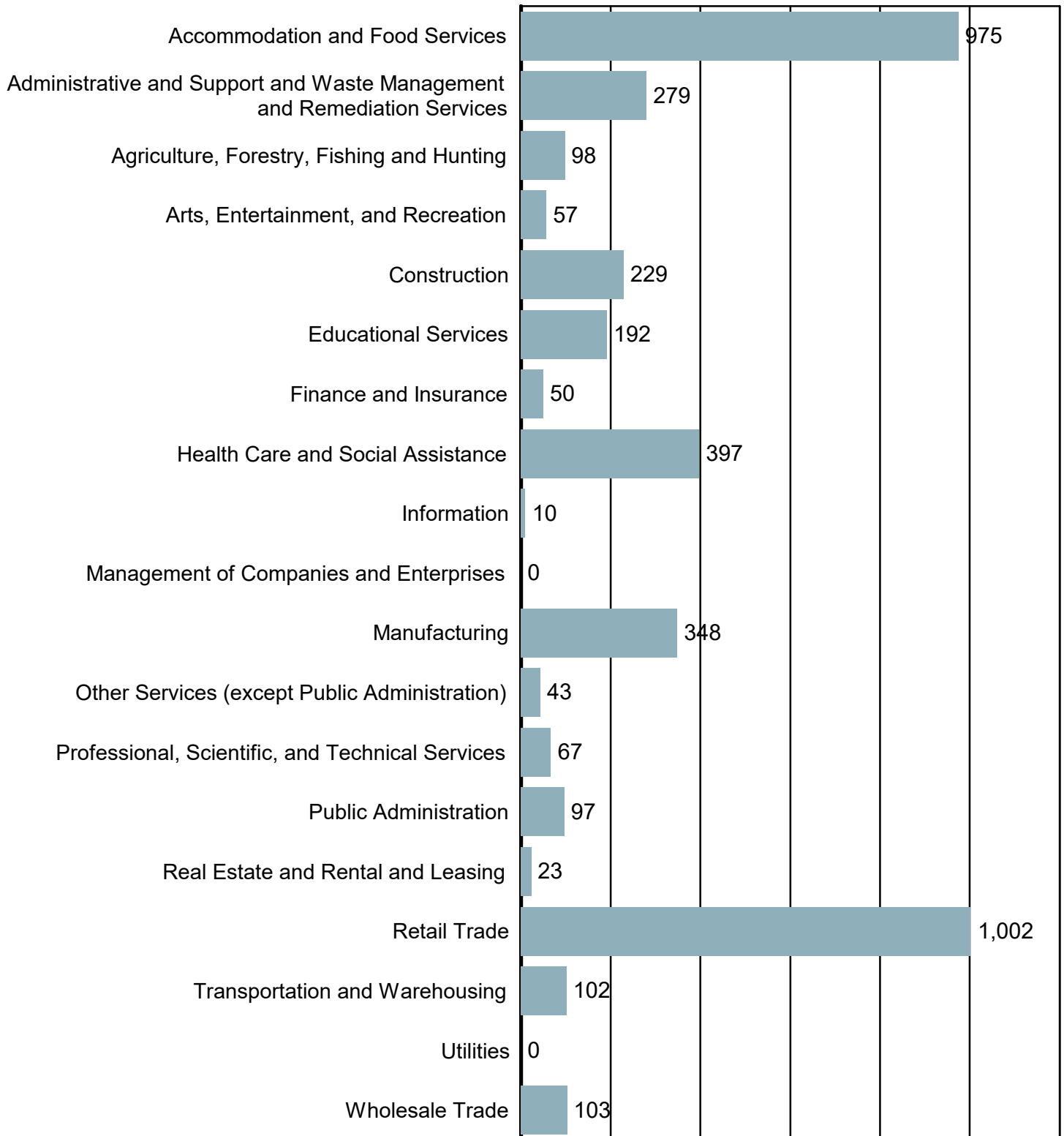
## Top 20 Occupational Openings

Orangeburg County  
August-2020

| Occupation Name (Soccode)  | Job Openings |
|--|--------------|
| Registered Nurses (29-1141)  | 101          |
| Secretaries and Administrative Assistants, Except Legal, Medical, and Executive (43-6014)              | 72           |
| Managers, All Other (11-9199)  | 64           |
| First-Line Supervisors of Retail Sales Workers (41-1011)   | 47           |
| Retail Salespersons (41-2031)  | 47           |
| Medical and Health Services Managers (11-9111)   | 45           |
| Sales Representatives, Wholesale and Manufacturing, Except Technical and Scientific Products (41-4012) | 44           |
| Customer Service Representatives (43-4051)   | 42           |
| Accountants and Auditors (13-2011)   | 37           |
| First-Line Supervisors of Office and Administrative Support Workers (43-1011)                          | 27           |
| General and Operations Managers (11-1021)  | 26           |
| Janitors and Cleaners, Except Maids and Housekeeping Cleaners (37-2011)                                | 26           |
| Licensed Practical and Licensed Vocational Nurses (29-2061)  | 25           |
| Health Technologists and Technicians, All Other (29-2099)  | 24           |
| Heavy and Tractor-Trailer Truck Drivers (53-3032)  | 24           |
| Maintenance and Repair Workers, General (49-9071)  | 24           |
| Management Analysts (13-1111)  | 24           |
| Sales Managers (11-2022)   | 23           |
| First-Line Supervisors of Mechanics, Installers, and Repairers (49-1011)                               | 21           |
| First-Line Supervisors of Food Preparation and Serving Workers (35-1012)                               | 19           |

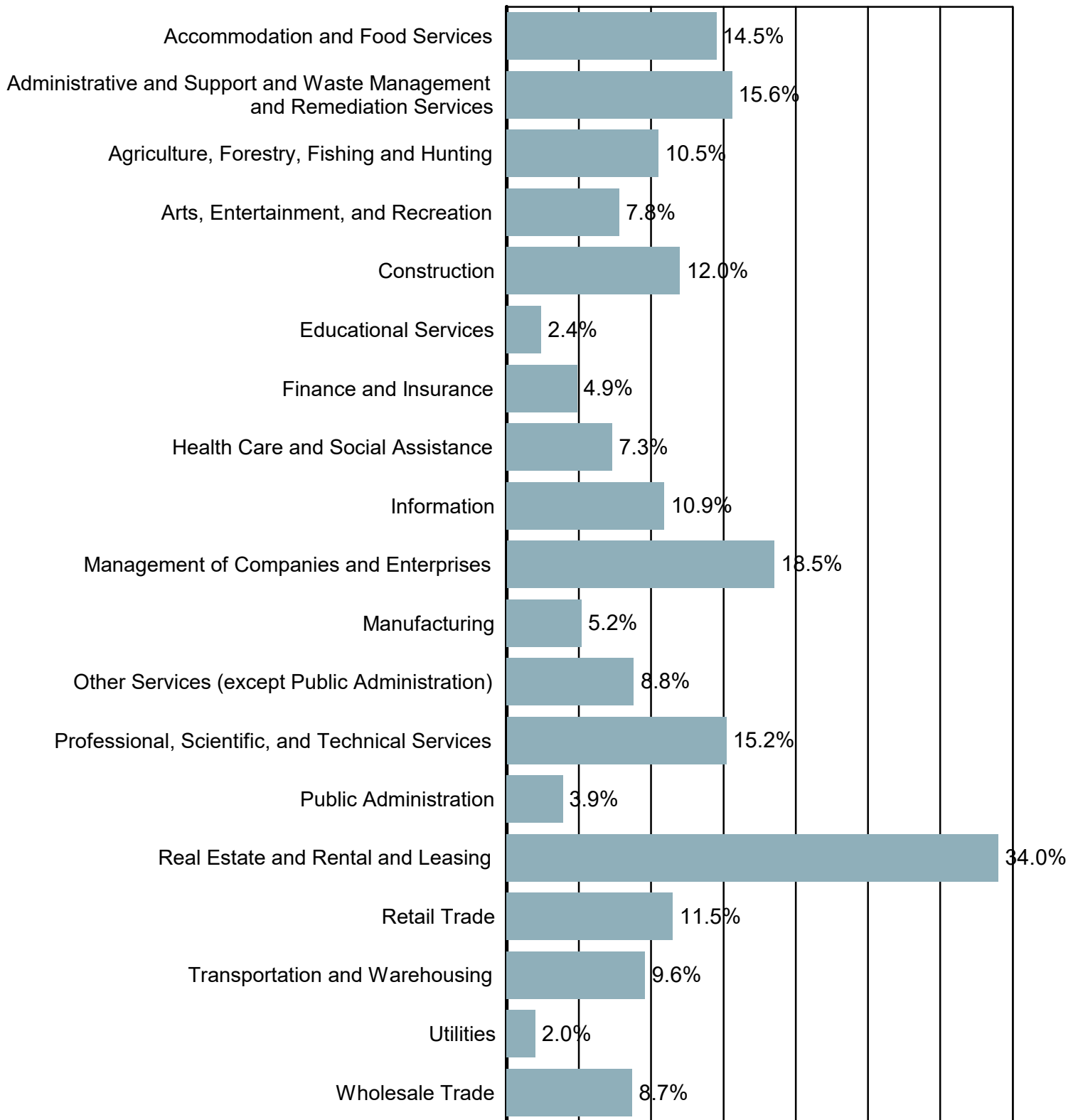
Source: S.C. Department of Employment & Workforce & The Conference Board's Help Wanted OnLine® data series

### New Hires by Industry



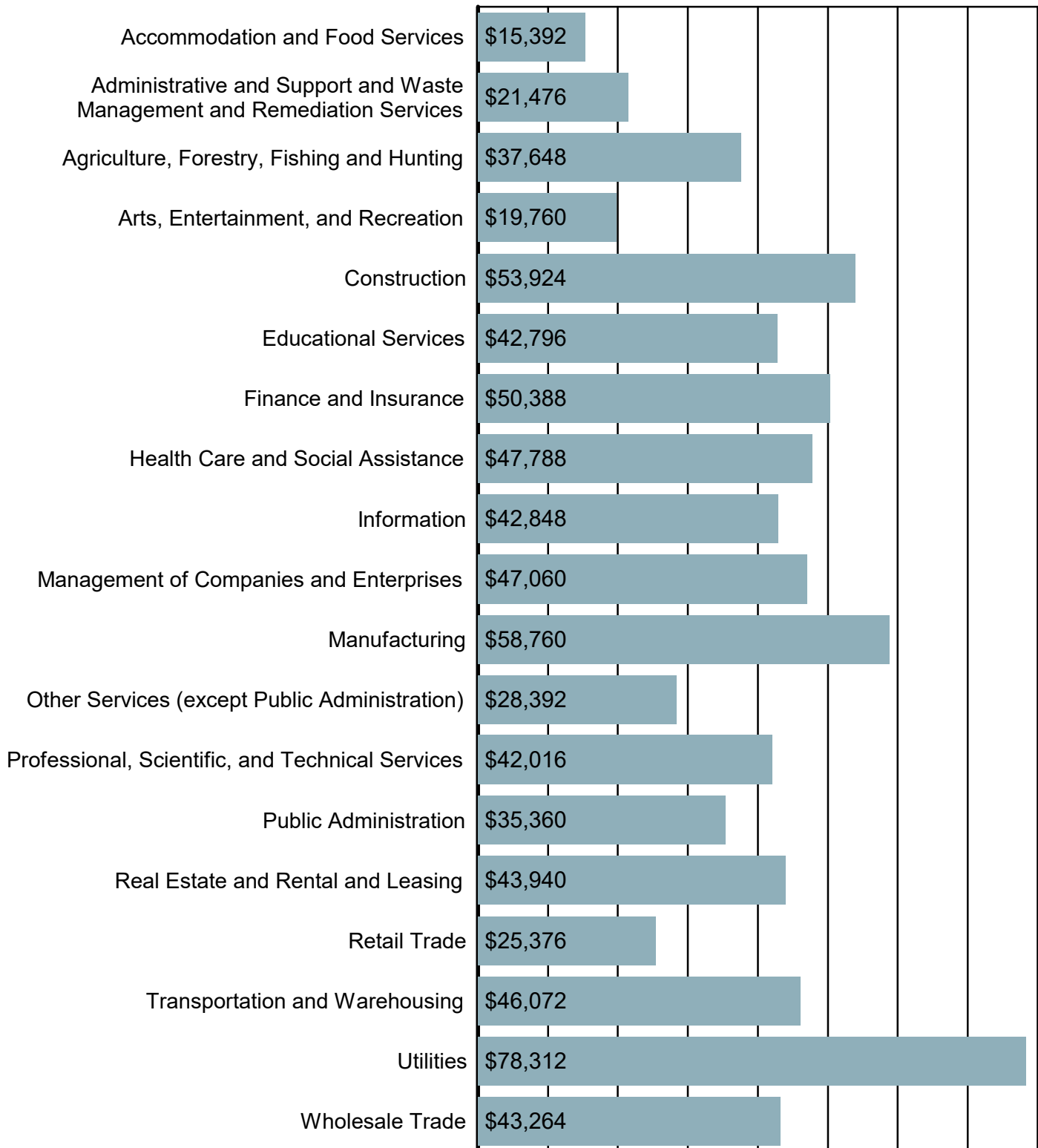
Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Local Employment Dynamics - 2016 Q2

### 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                        | 607   | 1,207 | 1,610 | 5,968 | 6,014 | 6,911 | 5,678 | 2,074 |
| Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing and Hunting   | 7     | 24    | 18    | 92    | 118   | 126   | 105   | 60    |
| Utilities                                    | 0     | 0     | 0     | 0     | 0     | 0     | 0     | 0     |
| Construction                                 | 5     | 24    | 60    | 252   | 259   | 290   | 225   | 68    |
| Manufacturing                                | 6     | 88    | 235   | 1,131 | 1,309 | 1,721 | 1,284 | 249   |
| Wholesale Trade                              | 3     | 20    | 40    | 148   | 168   | 177   | 141   | 65    |
| Retail Trade                                 | 206   | 395   | 383   | 1,025 | 733   | 753   | 609   | 295   |
| Transportation and Warehousing               | 0     | 19    | 53    | 227   | 265   | 312   | 262   | 102   |
| Information                                  | 0     | 3     | 8     | 24    | 28    | 25    | 25    | 8     |
| Finance and Insurance                        | 0     | 12    | 26    | 133   | 147   | 157   | 118   | 41    |
| Real Estate and Rental and Leasing           | 0     | 4     | 9     | 34    | 25    | 24    | 27    | 21    |
| Professional and Technical Services          | 0     | 13    | 23    | 100   | 102   | 107   | 87    | 38    |
| Management of Companies and Enterprises      | 0     | 0     | 0     | 4     | 3     | 5     | 4     | 0     |
| Administrative and Waste Services            | 4     | 45    | 64    | 214   | 180   | 121   | 84    | 48    |
| Educational Services                         | 7     | 53    | 93    | 492   | 796   | 1,017 | 1,035 | 378   |
| Health Care and Social Assistance            | 10    | 70    | 161   | 999   | 1,014 | 1,054 | 880   | 304   |
| Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation          | 17    | 17    | 12    | 43    | 34    | 47    | 44    | 34    |
| Accommodation and Food Services              | 330   | 388   | 346   | 689   | 438   | 454   | 324   | 129   |
| Other Services, Except Public Administration | 0     | 16    | 17    | 74    | 63    | 79    | 71    | 71    |
| Public Administration                        | 0     | 11    | 51    | 232   | 260   | 349   | 283   | 152   |

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.

| Lower Savannah<br>Industry                                      | 2016<br>Estimated<br>Employment | 2026<br>Projected<br>Employment | Change | Percent<br>Change | Annual<br>Percent |
|---|---------------------------------|---------------------------------|--------|-------------------|-------------------|
| Total All Industries  | 123,582                         | 132,224                         | 8,642  | 6.99              | 0.68              |
| Health Care and Social Assistance                               | 11,427                          | 13,401                          | 1,974  | 17.27             | 1.61              |
| Administrative and Support and Waste Management<br>and Remediat | 10,792                          | 12,581                          | 1,789  | 16.58             | 1.55              |
| Accommodation and Food Services                                 | 9,291                           | 10,656                          | 1,365  | 14.69             | 1.38              |
| Educational Services  | 10,619                          | 11,579                          | 960    | 9.04              | 0.87              |
| Transportation and Warehousing                                  | 3,403                           | 4,179                           | 776    | 22.80             | 2.08              |
| Construction  | 6,067                           | 6,825                           | 758    | 12.49             | 1.18              |
| Retail Trade  | 13,654                          | 14,156                          | 502    | 3.68              | 0.36              |
| Finance and Insurance   | 2,959                           | 3,269                           | 310    | 10.48             | 1.00              |
| Wholesale Trade   | 2,247                           | 2,401                           | 154    | 6.85              | 0.67              |
| Other Services (except Government)                              | 5,575                           | 5,700                           | 125    | 2.24              | 0.22              |
| Real Estate and Rental and Leasing                              | 568                             | 648                             | 80     | 14.08             | 1.33              |
| Information   | 727                             | 763                             | 36     | 4.95              | 0.48              |
| Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation                             | 1,252                           | 1,284                           | 32     | 2.56              | 0.25              |
| Utilities   | 817                             | 823                             | 6      | 0.73              | 0.07              |
| Manufacturing   | 17,142                          | 17,141                          | -1     | -0.01             | 0.00              |
| Mining  | 131                             | 129                             | -2     | -1.53             | -0.15             |
| Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing and Hunting                      | 6,362                           | 5,447                           | -915   | -14.38            | -1.54             |

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.

| Lower Savannah   | 2016                    | 2026                    |                       |                      |                    |
|--|-------------------------|-------------------------|-----------------------|----------------------|--------------------|
| Occupation   | Estimated<br>Employment | Projected<br>Employment | Openings<br>(Replace) | Openings<br>(Growth) | Annual<br>Openings |
| Total, All Occupations                                     | 123,582                 | 132,224                 |                       |                      |                    |
| Management Occupations                                     | 9,883                   | 9,738                   |                       |                      |                    |
| Business and Financial Operations Occupations              | 3,729                   | 4,130                   |                       |                      |                    |
| Computer and Mathematical Occupations                      | 1,008                   | 1,122                   |                       |                      |                    |
| Architecture and Engineering Occupations                   | 1,989                   | 2,191                   |                       |                      |                    |
| Life, Physical, and Social Science Occupations             | 608                     | 640                     |                       |                      |                    |
| Community and Social Service Occupations                   | 1,440                   | 1,644                   |                       |                      |                    |
| Legal Occupations  | 1,381                   | 1,539                   |                       |                      |                    |
| Education, Training, and Library Occupations               | 6,941                   | 7,707                   |                       |                      |                    |
| Arts, Design, Entertainment, Sports, and Media Occupations | 464                     | 502                     |                       |                      |                    |
| Healthcare Practitioners and Technical Occupations         | 5,512                   | 6,406                   |                       |                      |                    |
| Healthcare Support Occupations                             | 2,527                   | 2,945                   |                       |                      |                    |
| Protective Service Occupations                             | 2,503                   | 2,701                   |                       |                      |                    |
| Food Preparation and Serving Related Occupations           | 9,806                   | 11,185                  |                       |                      |                    |
| Building and Grounds Cleaning and Maintenance Occupations  | 4,649                   | 5,227                   |                       |                      |                    |
| Personal Care and Service Occupations                      | 3,008                   | 3,353                   |                       |                      |                    |
| Sales and Related Occupations                              | 11,199                  | 11,787                  |                       |                      |                    |
| Office and Administrative Support Occupations              | 17,641                  | 18,193                  |                       |                      |                    |
| Farming, Fishing, and Forestry Occupations                 | 3,682                   | 3,099                   |                       |                      |                    |
| Construction and Extraction Occupations                    | 6,578                   | 7,307                   |                       |                      |                    |
| Installation, Maintenance, and Repair Occupations          | 5,947                   | 6,304                   |                       |                      |                    |
| Production Occupations                                     | 10,624                  | 10,407                  |                       |                      |                    |
| Transportation and Material Moving Occupations             | 12,463                  | 14,097                  |                       |                      |                    |

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.

| Lower Savannah   | 2016                    | 2026                    |                   |         |        |       |                   |
|--|-------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------|---------|--------|-------|-------------------|
| Occupation   | Estimated<br>Employment | Projected<br>Employment | Percent<br>Change | Replace | Growth | Total | Average<br>Salary |
| Nurse Practitioners  | 50                      | 71                      | 42                |         |        |       | \$ 96,649         |
| Physician Assistants   | 28                      | 39                      | 39                |         |        |       | \$ 93,998         |
| Medical Assistants   | 129                     | 171                     | 33                |         |        |       | \$ 28,380         |
| Software Developers, Applications                                  | 77                      | 102                     | 32                |         |        |       | \$ 91,089         |
| Physical Therapist Assistants                                      | 34                      | 44                      | 29                |         |        |       | \$ 56,592         |
| Physical Therapists  | 45                      | 58                      | 29                |         |        |       | \$ 83,310         |
| Medical Secretaries  | 379                     | 483                     | 27                |         |        |       | \$ 35,349         |
| Market Research Analysts and Marketing Specialists                 | 157                     | 196                     | 25                |         |        |       | \$ 61,074         |
| Personal Care Aides  | 880                     | 1,098                   | 25                |         |        |       | \$ 21,066         |
| Self-Enrichment Education Teachers                                 | 218                     | 269                     | 23                |         |        |       | \$ 49,068         |
| Dentists, General  | 153                     | 188                     | 23                |         |        |       | \$ 160,817        |
| Dental Assistants  | 197                     | 242                     | 23                |         |        |       | \$ 35,793         |
| Dental Hygienists  | 144                     | 176                     | 22                |         |        |       | \$ 55,195         |
| Combined Food Preparation and Serving Workers, Including Fast Food | 3,497                   | 4,267                   | 22                |         |        |       | \$ 18,027         |
| Occupational Therapists  | 64                      | 78                      | 22                |         |        |       | \$ 82,298         |
| Financial Managers   | 262                     | 319                     | 22                |         |        |       | \$ 113,590        |
| Training and Development Specialists                               | 198                     | 241                     | 22                |         |        |       | \$ 52,933         |
| Veterinary Technologists and Technicians                           | 84                      | 102                     | 21                |         |        |       | \$ 24,156         |
| Loan Interviewers and Clerks                                       | 129                     | 156                     | 21                |         |        |       |                   |
| Business Teachers, Postsecondary                                   | 68                      | 82                      | 21                |         |        |       |                   |

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)

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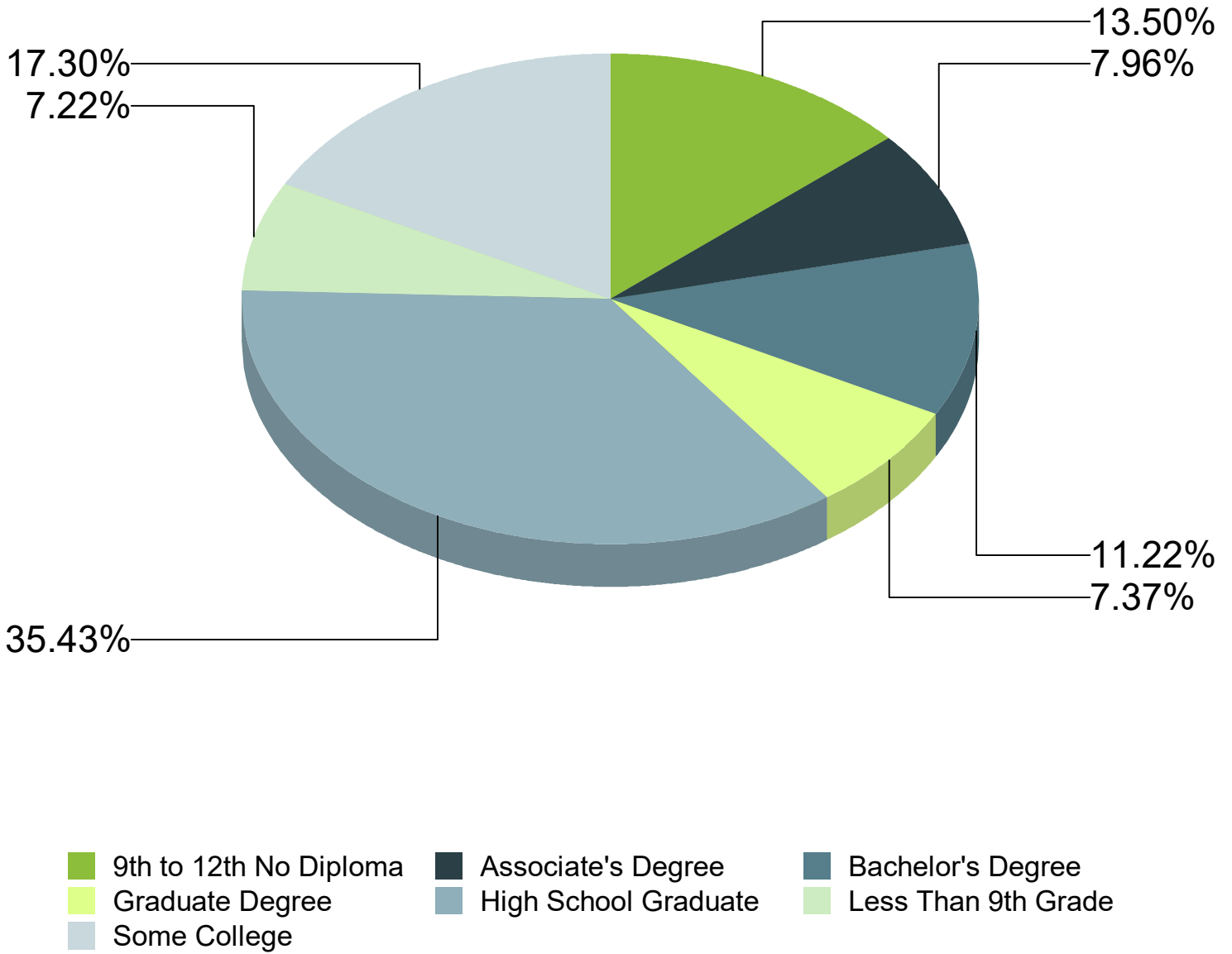
| Lower Savannah   | 2016                 | 2026                 |                |         |        |       |                |
|--|----------------------|----------------------|----------------|---------|--------|-------|----------------|
| Occupation   | Estimated Employment | Projected Employment | Percent Change | Replace | Growth | Total | Average Salary |
| Logging Equipment Operators                                      | 331                  | 266                  | -20            |         |        |       | \$ 45,146      |
| Data Entry Keyers  | 51                   | 42                   | -18            |         |        |       | \$ 28,600      |
| Farmworkers and Laborers, Crop, Nursery, and Greenhouse          | 2,188                | 1,830                | -16            |         |        |       | \$ 27,873      |
| First-Line Supervisors of Farming, Fishing, and Forestry Workers | 194                  | 169                  | -13            |         |        |       | \$ 59,824      |
| Postmasters and Mail Superintendents                             | 34                   | 30                   | -12            |         |        |       | \$ 76,972      |
| Tire Repairers and Changers                                      | 158                  | 141                  | -11            |         |        |       | \$ 24,629      |
| Heat Treating Equipment Setters, Operators, and Tenders, Metal   | 38                   | 34                   | -11            |         |        |       | \$ 33,822      |
| Order Clerks   | 51                   | 46                   | -10            |         |        |       | \$ 37,486      |
| Inspectors, Testers, Sorters, Samplers, and Weighers             | 684                  | 621                  | -9             |         |        |       | \$ 39,130      |
| Computer Programmers   | 36                   | 33                   | -8             |         |        |       | \$ 87,185      |
| Correctional Officers and Jailers                                | 424                  | 392                  | -8             |         |        |       | \$ 33,168      |
| Cutting, Punching, and Press Machine Setters, Operators, and     | 54                   | 51                   | -6             |         |        |       | \$ 28,033      |
| Forest and Conservation Workers                                  | 76                   | 72                   | -5             |         |        |       | \$ 28,012      |
| Printing Press Operators   | 62                   | 59                   | -5             |         |        |       | \$ 31,444      |
| Molding, Coremaking, and Casting Machine Setters, Operators,     | 217                  | 207                  | -5             |         |        |       | \$ 41,220      |
| Meter Readers, Utilities   | 45                   | 43                   | -4             |         |        |       | \$ 40,460      |
| Animal Trainers  | 142                  | 136                  | -4             |         |        |       | \$ 34,255      |
| Packers and Packagers, Hand                                      | 218                  | 209                  | -4             |         |        |       | \$ 22,421      |
| Extruding and Drawing Machine Setters, Operators, and Tenders    | 503                  | 486                  | -3             |         |        |       | \$ 46,611      |
| Procurement Clerks   | 61                   | 59                   | -3             |         |        |       | \$ 39,976      |

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# Educational Attainment

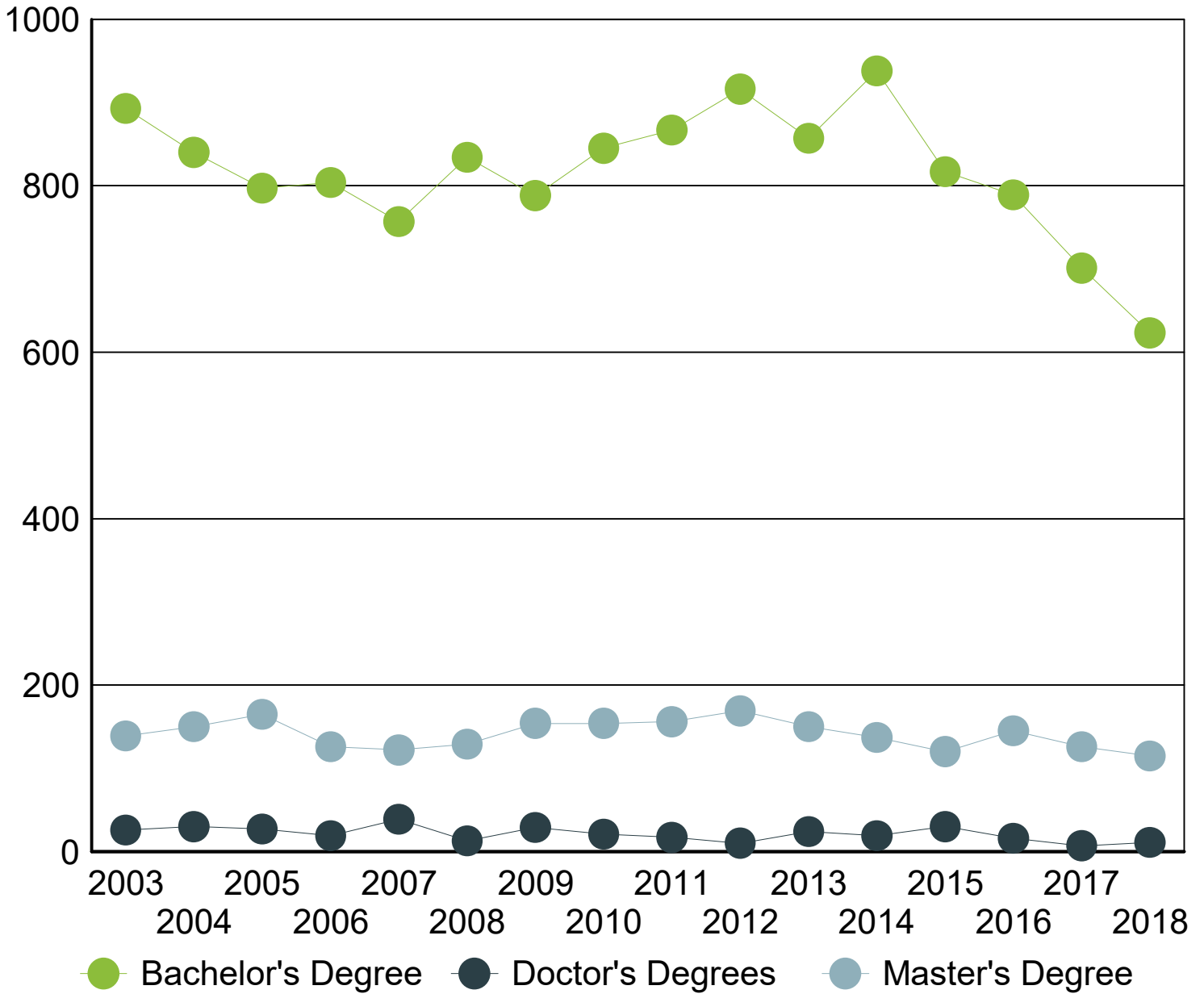
(Population 25 Years and Older)



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

Barber Tech Academy  
1521 Russell Street  
Orangeburg, SC 29115  
803.937.5730

<http://www.barbertechacademy.com>

2018 Degrees Awarded: 26

Orangeburg Calhoun Technical College  
3250 Saint Matthews Rd  
Orangeburg, SC 29118  
803.536.0311

<http://www.octech.edu>

2018 Degrees Awarded: 1,414

Claflin University  
400 Magnolia Street  
Orangeburg, SC 29115  
803.535.5000

<http://www.claflin.edu>

2018 Degrees Awarded: 686

South Carolina State University  
300 College St NE  
Orangeburg, SC 29117  
803.536.7000

<http://www.scsu.edu>

2018 Degrees Awarded: 834

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