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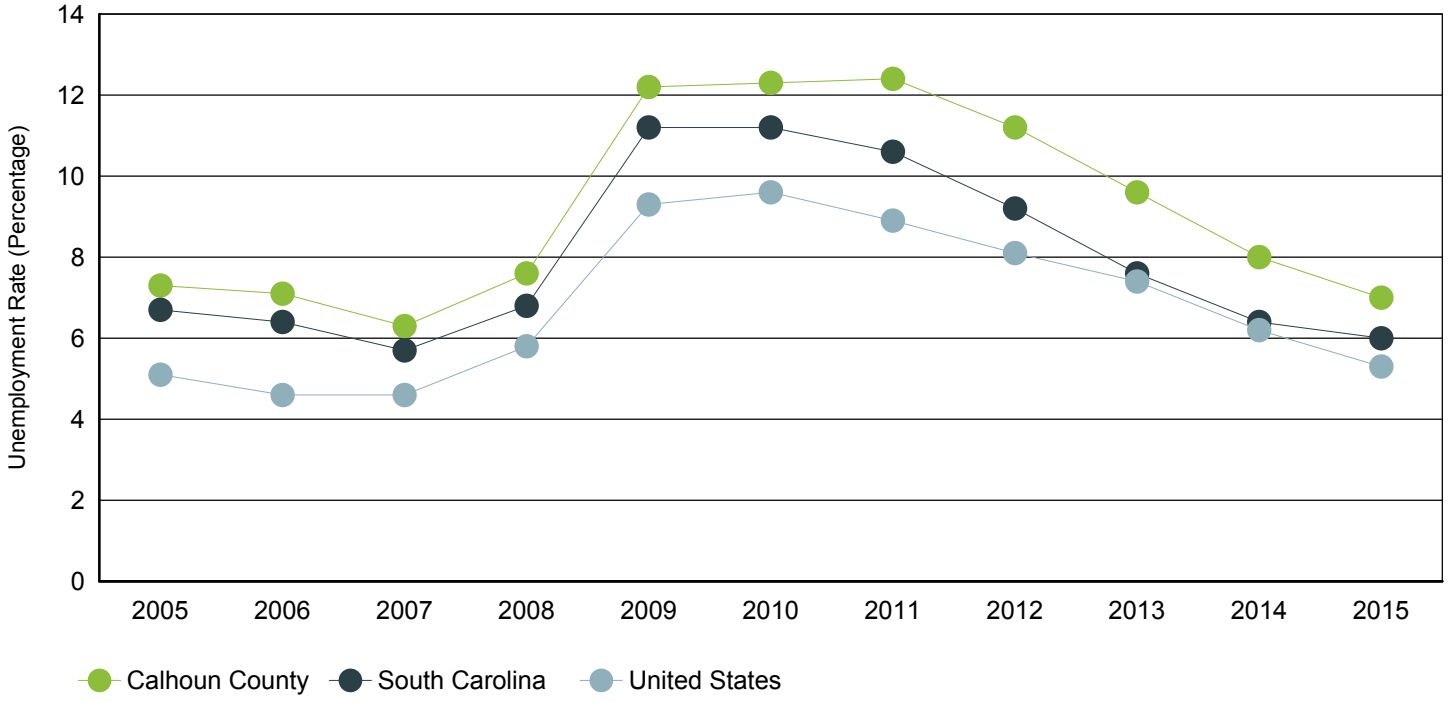
Annual Unemployment Rate (Unadjusted)

Trends

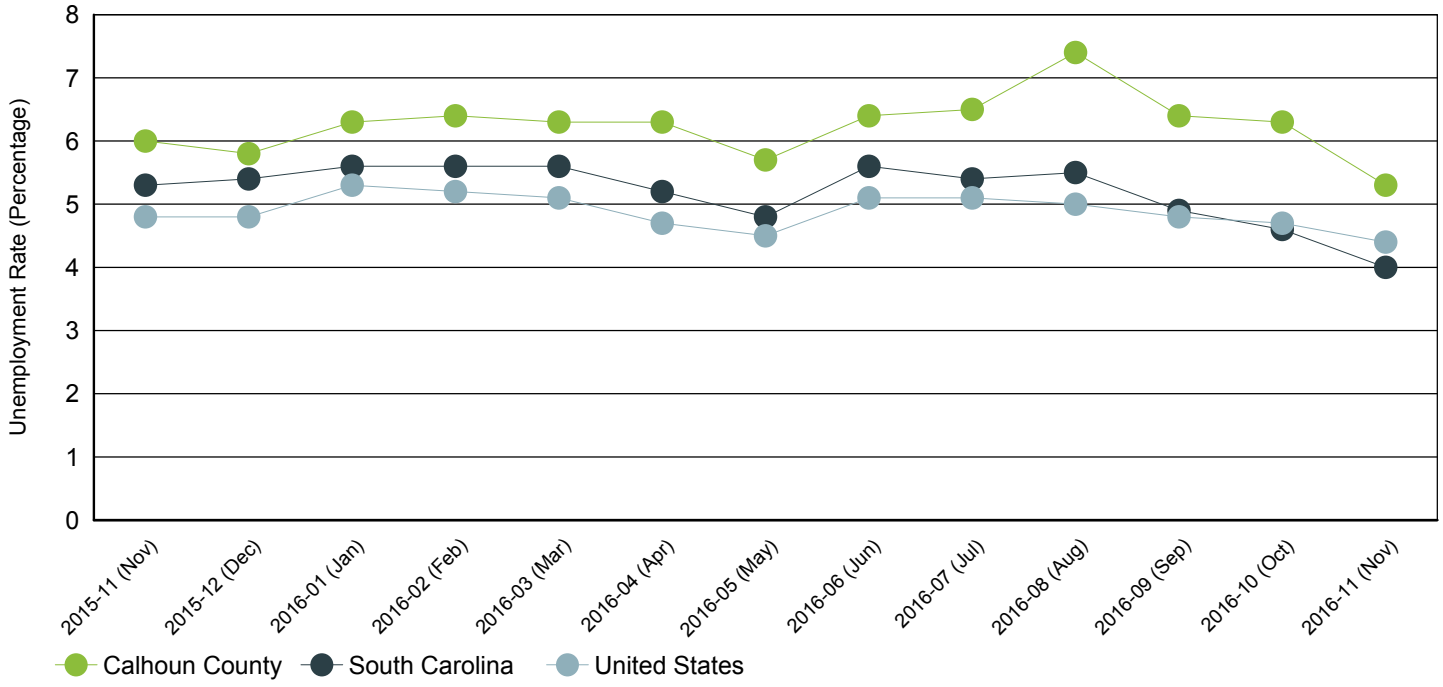


	Calhoun County			South Carolina			United States		
Year	Employment	Unemp	Rate	Employment	Unemp	Rate	Employment	Unemp	Rate
2015	6,476	490	7.0%	2,122,573	134,504	6.0%	148,834,000	8,296,000	5.3%
2014	6,317	549	8.0%	2,074,277	142,505	6.4%	146,305,000	9,617,000	6.2%
2013	6,263	662	9.6%	2,022,444	166,924	7.6%	143,929,000	11,460,000	7.4%
2012	6,166	776	11.2%	1,983,506	200,607	9.2%	142,469,000	12,506,000	8.1%
2011	6,216	877	12.4%	1,945,900	229,623	10.6%	139,869,000	13,747,000	8.9%
2010	6,178	866	12.3%	1,915,045	240,623	11.2%	139,064,000	14,825,000	9.6%
2009	5,903	824	12.2%	1,910,670	242,075	11.2%	139,877,000	14,265,000	9.3%
2008	6,246	517	7.6%	1,996,409	145,823	6.8%	145,362,000	8,924,000	5.8%
2007	6,465	431	6.3%	2,005,686	120,205	5.7%	146,047,000	7,078,000	4.6%
2006	6,574	506	7.1%	1,973,337	135,760	6.4%	144,427,000	7,001,000	4.6%
2005	6,572	519	7.3%	1,929,233	139,366	6.7%	141,730,000	7,591,000	5.1%

Source: S.C. Department of Employment & Workforce

Monthly Unemployment Rate (Unadjusted)

Past 13 Months



Period	Calhoun County	South Carolina	United States
Nov 2016	5.3%	4.0%	4.4%
Oct 2016	6.3%	4.6%	4.7%
Sep 2016	6.4%	4.9%	4.8%
Aug 2016	7.4%	5.5%	5.0%
Jul 2016	6.5%	5.4%	5.1%
Jun 2016	6.4%	5.6%	5.1%
May 2016	5.7%	4.8%	4.5%
Apr 2016	6.3%	5.2%	4.7%
Mar 2016	6.3%	5.6%	5.1%
Feb 2016	6.4%	5.6%	5.2%
Jan 2016	6.3%	5.6%	5.3%
Dec 2015	5.8%	5.4%	4.8%
Nov 2015	6.0%	5.3%	4.8%

Source: S.C. Department of Employment & Workforce

Area Job Openings

	Calhoun County				South Carolina			
Period	Employed	Unemployed	Unemp. Rate	Job Openings	Employed	Unemployed	Unemp. Rate	Job Openings
Nov-16	6,674	373	5.3%	28	2,200,101	102,075	4.4%	59,494
Oct-16	6,686	447	6.3%	21	2,192,573	108,350	4.7%	59,888
Sep-16	6,696	457	6.4%	31	2,186,132	111,941	4.9%	61,522
Aug-16	6,707	539	7.4%	17	2,181,220	117,003	5.1%	63,800
Jul-16	6,730	468	6.5%	30	2,182,885	120,854	5.2%	61,572
Jun-16	6,707	458	6.4%	23	2,185,076	125,646	5.4%	61,518
May-16	6,682	404	5.7%	24	2,185,072	129,861	5.6%	63,126
Apr-16	6,640	444	6.3%	19	2,181,794	134,295	5.8%	67,021
Mar-16	6,614	443	6.3%	13	2,174,655	131,324	5.7%	61,889
Feb-16	6,550	445	6.4%	25	2,162,709	125,494	5.5%	64,238
Jan-16	6,535	436	6.3%	32	2,150,533	124,506	5.5%	56,427
Dec-15	6,523	404	5.8%	34	2,138,997	124,433	5.5%	60,418
Nov-15	6,536	417	6.0%	34	2,136,651	124,159	5.5%	73,219

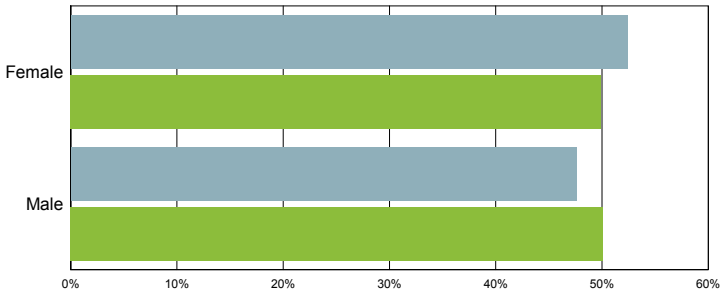
Source: S.C. Department of Employment & Workforce & The Conference Board's Help Wanted OnLine® data series
South Carolina Data is Seasonally Adjusted

Characteristics of Unemployment Insurance Claimants

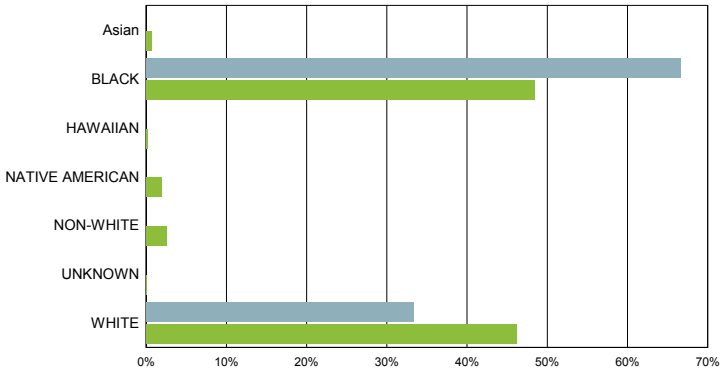
November 2016

Calhoun County South Carolina

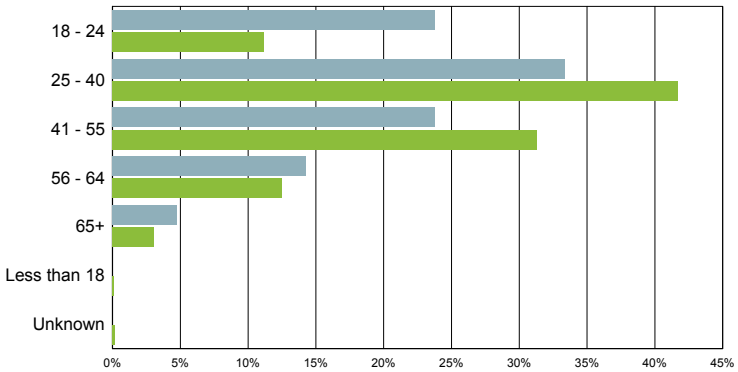
Gender	Calhoun County	South Carolina
Female	11	5,214
Male	10	5,231



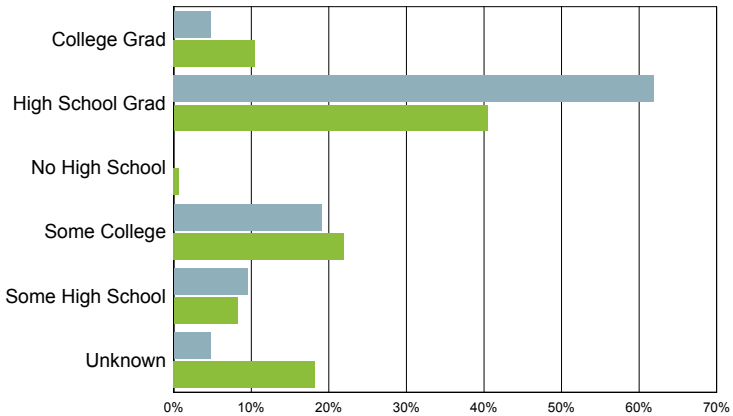
Race	Calhoun County	South Carolina
Asian	0	75
BLACK	14	5,061
WHITE	7	4,822



Age Group	Calhoun County	South Carolina
18 - 24	5	1,166
25 - 40	7	4,354
41 - 55	5	3,270
56 - 64	3	1,305
65+	1	319
Less than 18	0	11
Unknown	0	20



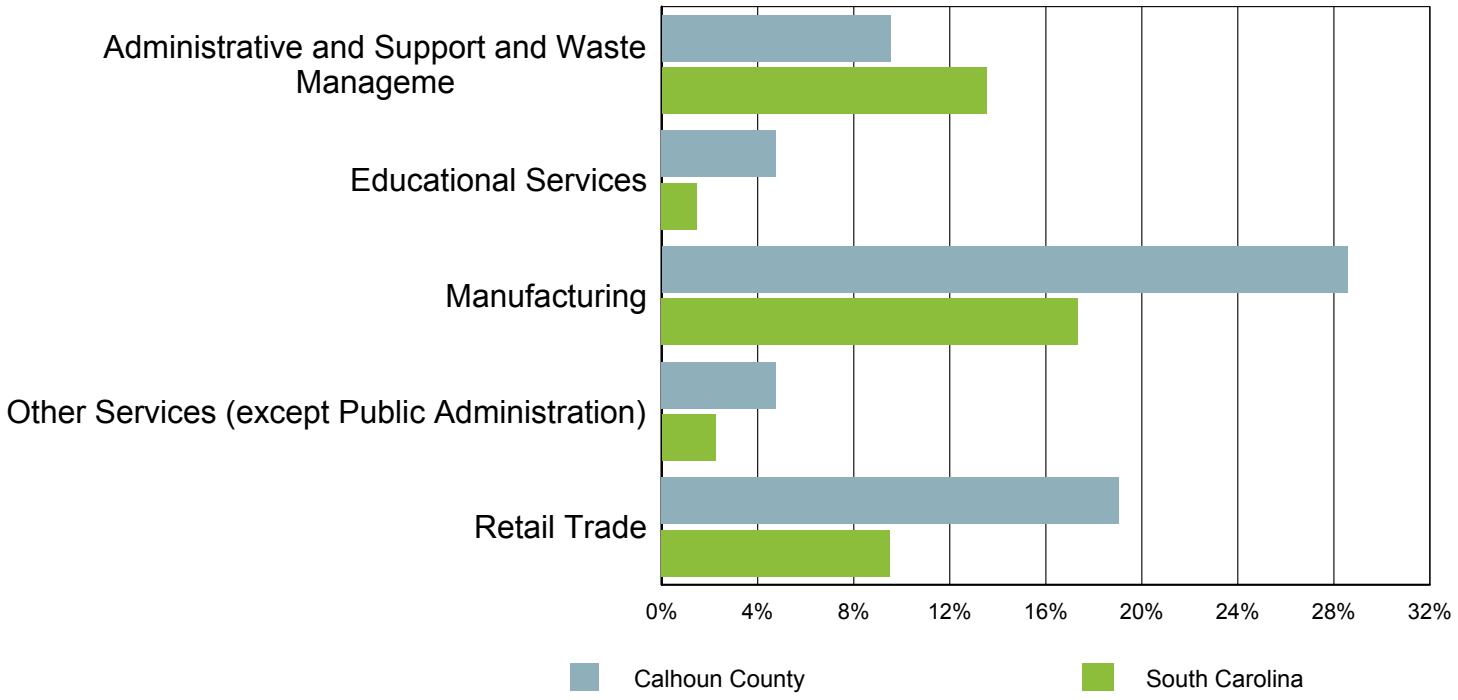
Education	Calhoun County	South Carolina
College Grad	1	1,094
Some College	4	2,291
High School Grad	13	4,226
Some High School	2	857
No High School	0	74
Unknown	1	1,903



Source: S.C. Department of Employment & Workforce

Characteristics of Unemployment Insurance Claims by Industry

Industry Groups With Largest Number of Claims
November 2016

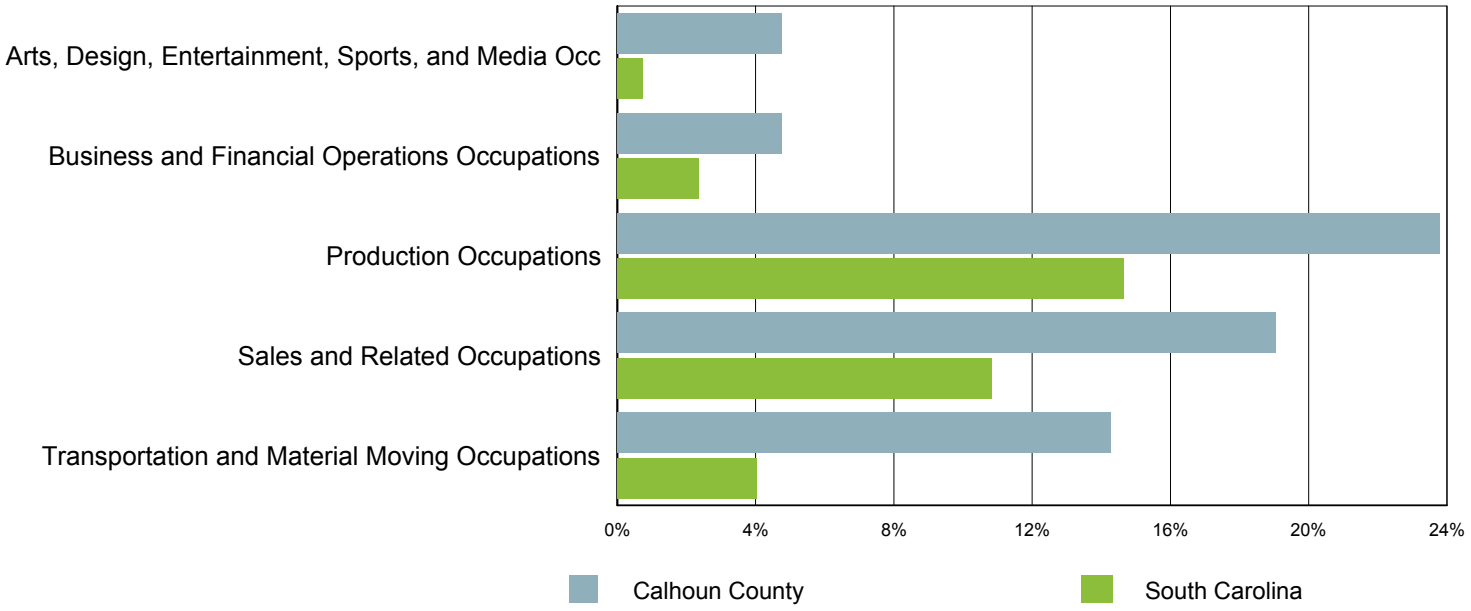


Industry	Calhoun County	South Carolina
Construction	1	546
Manufacturing	6	1,812
Wholesale Trade	1	478
Retail Trade	4	995
Administrative and Support and Waste Manageme	2	1,414
Educational Services	1	154
Other Services (except Public Administration)	1	233
Public Administration	1	163
Unknown	4	1,051

Source: S.C. Department of Employment & Workforce

Characteristics of Unemployment Insurance Claims by Occupation

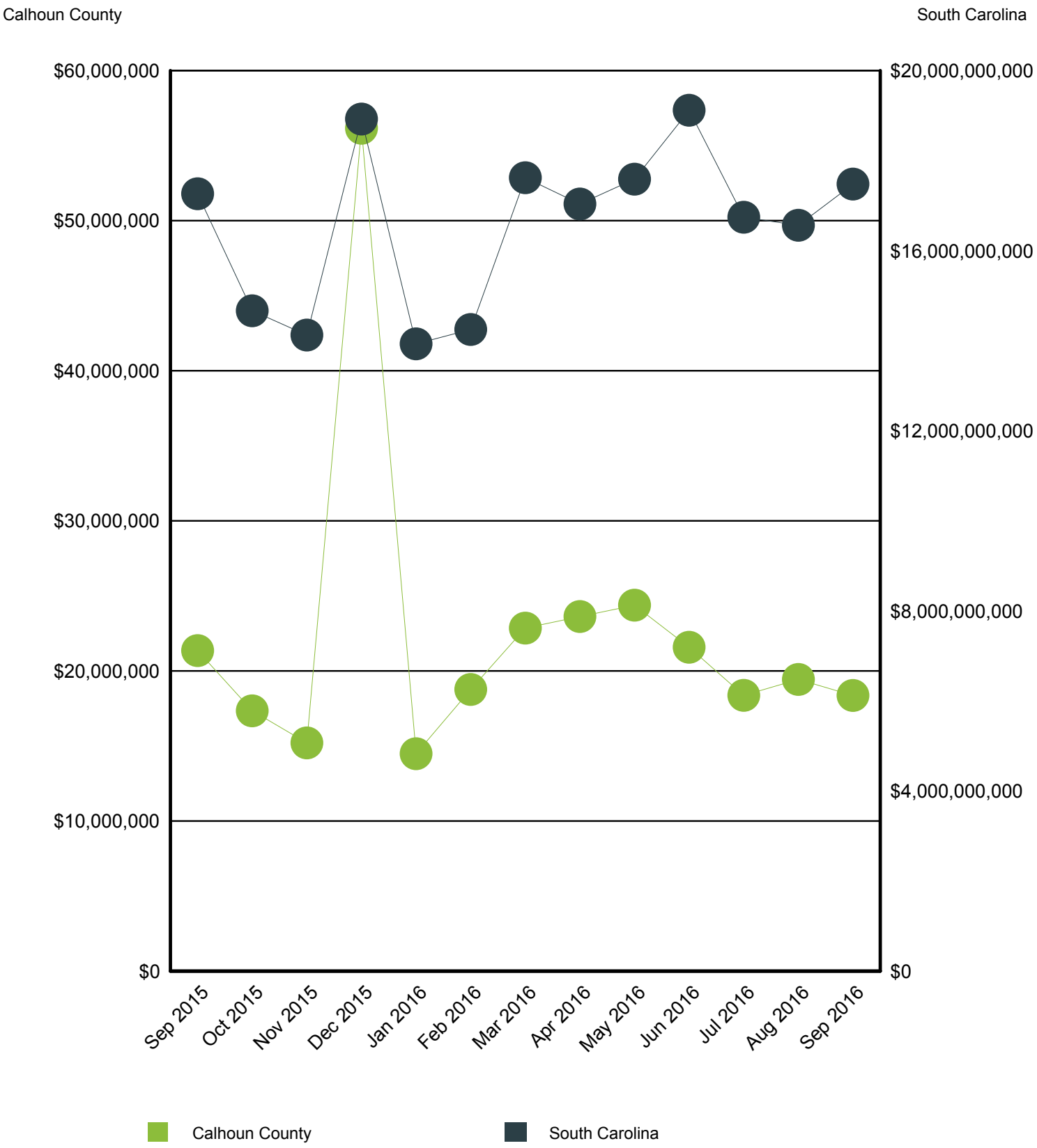
Occupation Groups With Largest Number of Claims
November 2016



Occupation	Calhoun County	South Carolina
Arts, Design, Entertainment, Sports, and Media Occ	1	78
Business and Financial Operations Occupations	1	246
Community and Social Service Occupations	1	96
Computer and Mathematical Occupations	1	123
Construction and Extraction Occupations	1	603
Education, Training, and Library Occupations	1	144
Installation, Maintenance, and Repair Occupations	1	329
Personal Care and Service Occupations	1	157
Production Occupations	5	1,532
Sales and Related Occupations	4	1,134
Transportation and Material Moving Occupations	3	422
Unknown	1	1,518

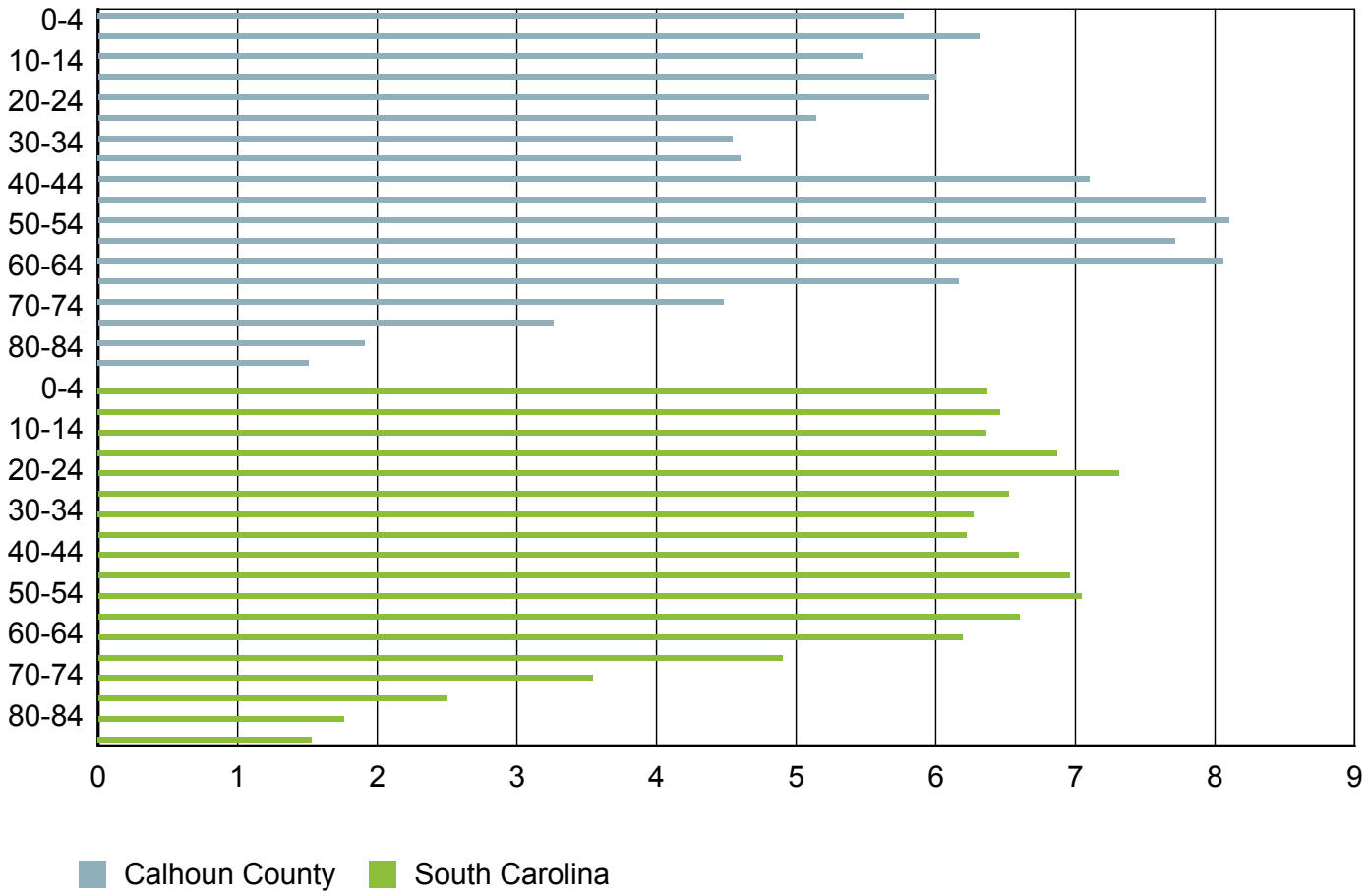
Source: S.C. Department of Employment & Workforce

Retail Sales



Source: S.C. Department of Revenue

Population by Age



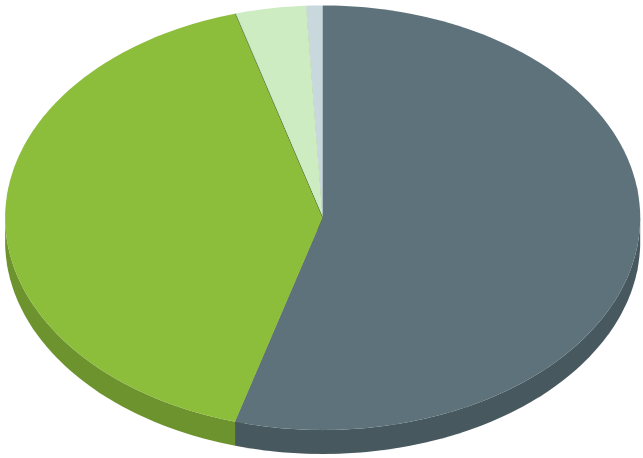
Age Range	Calhoun County	South Carolina	United States
0-4	872	298,242	20,052,112
5-9	953	302,111	20,409,060
10-14	828	297,443	20,672,609
15-19	906	321,540	21,715,074
20-24	899	342,237	22,099,887
25-29	777	305,167	21,243,365
30-34	686	293,464	20,467,912
35-39	695	291,183	19,876,161
40-44	1,072	308,158	20,998,001
45-49	1,198	325,660	22,109,946
50-54	1,224	329,431	22,396,322
55-59	1,165	309,061	20,165,892
60-64	1,218	289,690	17,479,211
65-69	930	229,251	13,189,508
70-74	677	165,797	9,767,522
75-79	493	117,187	7,438,750
80-84	288	82,223	5,781,697
85 and older	228	71,757	5,673,565

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

Population by Race

Race	Calhoun County	%	South Carolina	%	United States	%
White	8,367	55.4%	3,144,146	66.0%	230,592,579	72.0%
Black	6,325	41.9%	1,298,534	27.3%	39,167,010	12.2%
American Indian/Alaskan Native	22	0.2%	14,732	0.3%	2,540,309	0.8%
Asian	5	0.0%	61,097	1.3%	15,231,962	4.8%
Native Hawaiian/ Other Pacific Islan	0	0.0%	2,128	0.0%	526,347	0.2%
2 or more races	554	3.7%	169,670	3.6%	17,464,666	5.5%
Other	113	0.8%	74,130	1.6%	14,746,054	4.6%

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



White	54.4%
Black	41.1%
American Indian/Alaskan Native	0.1%
Asian	0.0%
Native Hawaiian/ Other Pacific Islander	0.0%
2 or more races	3.6%
Other	0.7%
Total:	100.0%

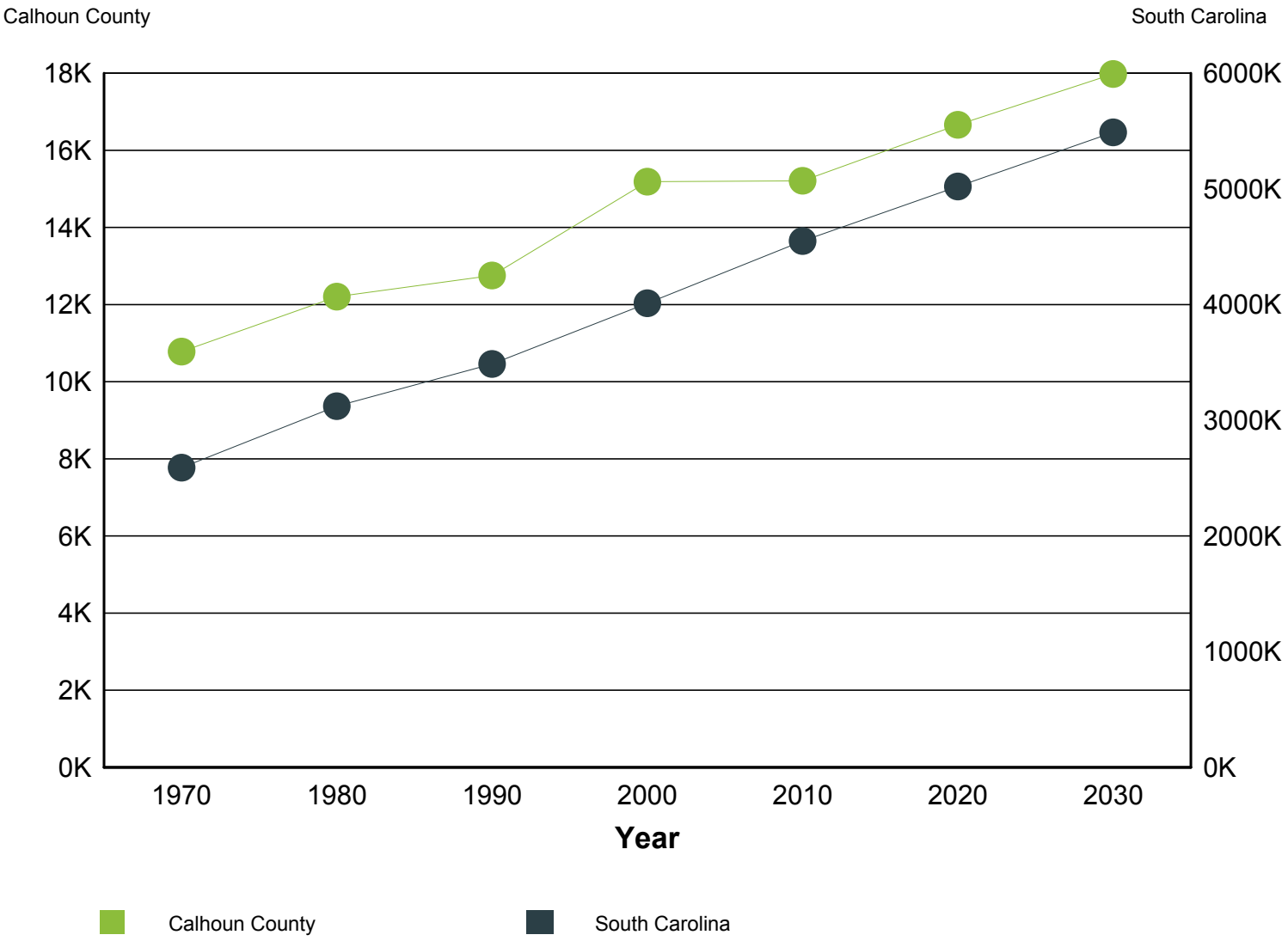
Population by Gender

Gender	Calhoun County	South Carolina	United States
Male	7,301	2,276,305	153,247,412
Female	7,808	2,403,297	158,289,182

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

Population Change

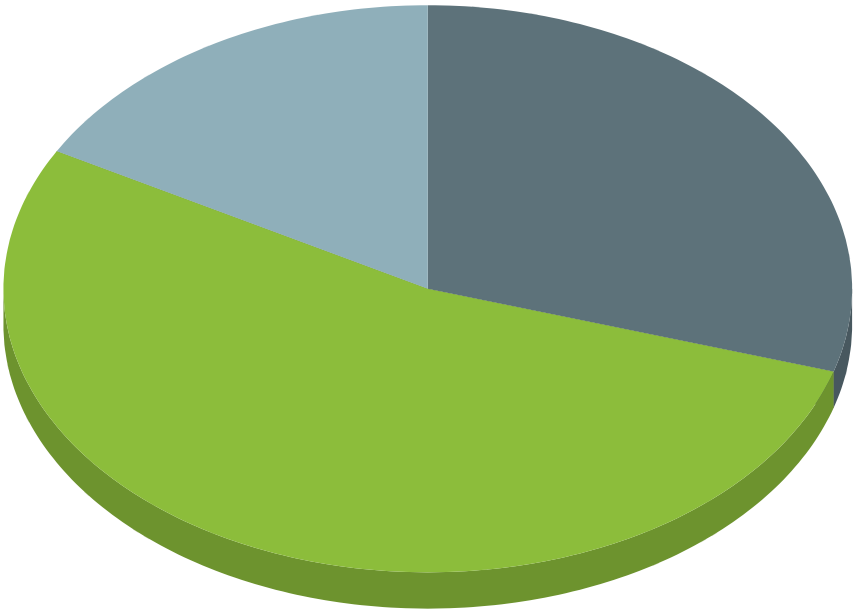
Historical and Projected



Year	Calhoun County	South Carolina
1970	10,780	2,590,713
1980	12,206	3,121,820
1990	12,753	3,486,310
2000	15,185	4,012,012
2010	15,210	4,549,150
2020	16,660	5,020,400
2030	17,980	5,488,460

Source: U.S. Census Bureau

Commuting Patterns



In-Commuters	29.8%
Out-Commuters	53.3%
Work and Live in County	16.9%
Total:	100.0%

Commuting Patterns	Workers
Work and Live in County	2,031
In-Commuters	3,578
Out-Commuters	6,399

Source: U.S. Census Bureau - 2010

Top 10 Places Residents Are Commuting To

Area	Workers
Orangeburg County, SC	1,759
Richland County, SC	1,410
Lexington County, SC	887
Kershaw County, SC	72
Charleston County, SC	58
Bamberg County, SC	50
Clarendon County, SC	21
WAYNE COUNTY, NC	20
BURKE COUNTY, ND	20
Sumter County, SC	13

Source: U.S. Census Bureau - 2010

Top 10 Places Residents Are Commuting From

Area	Workers
Orangeburg County, SC	714
Lexington County, SC	571
Richland County, SC	151
Laurens County, SC	34
Florence County, SC	15
Clarendon County, SC	13
Dorchester County, SC	11
HIDALGO COUNTY, TX	11
Kershaw County, SC	11
Fairfield County, SC	10

Source: U.S. Census Bureau - 2010

Employers by Size of Establishment

Employees	Calhoun County	South Carolina
0 to 4	126	71,671
5 to 9	41	20,158
10 to 19	30	14,486
20 to 49	25	11,097
50 to 99	12	4,443
100 to 249	9	2,748
250 to 499	0	814
500 to 999	0	372
1000 +	0	294

Source: S.C. Department of Employment & Workforce - 2016 Q2
- Indicates that the requested data is suppressed

Employment by Size of Establishment

Employees	Calhoun County	South Carolina
0 to 4	248	110,742
5 to 9	284	134,124
10 to 19	412	197,345
20 to 49	868	340,108
50 to 99	794	305,534
100 to 249	1,354	416,848
250 to 499	0	280,699
500 to 999	0	251,061
1000 +	0	745,879

Source: S.C. Department of Employment & Workforce - 2016 Q2
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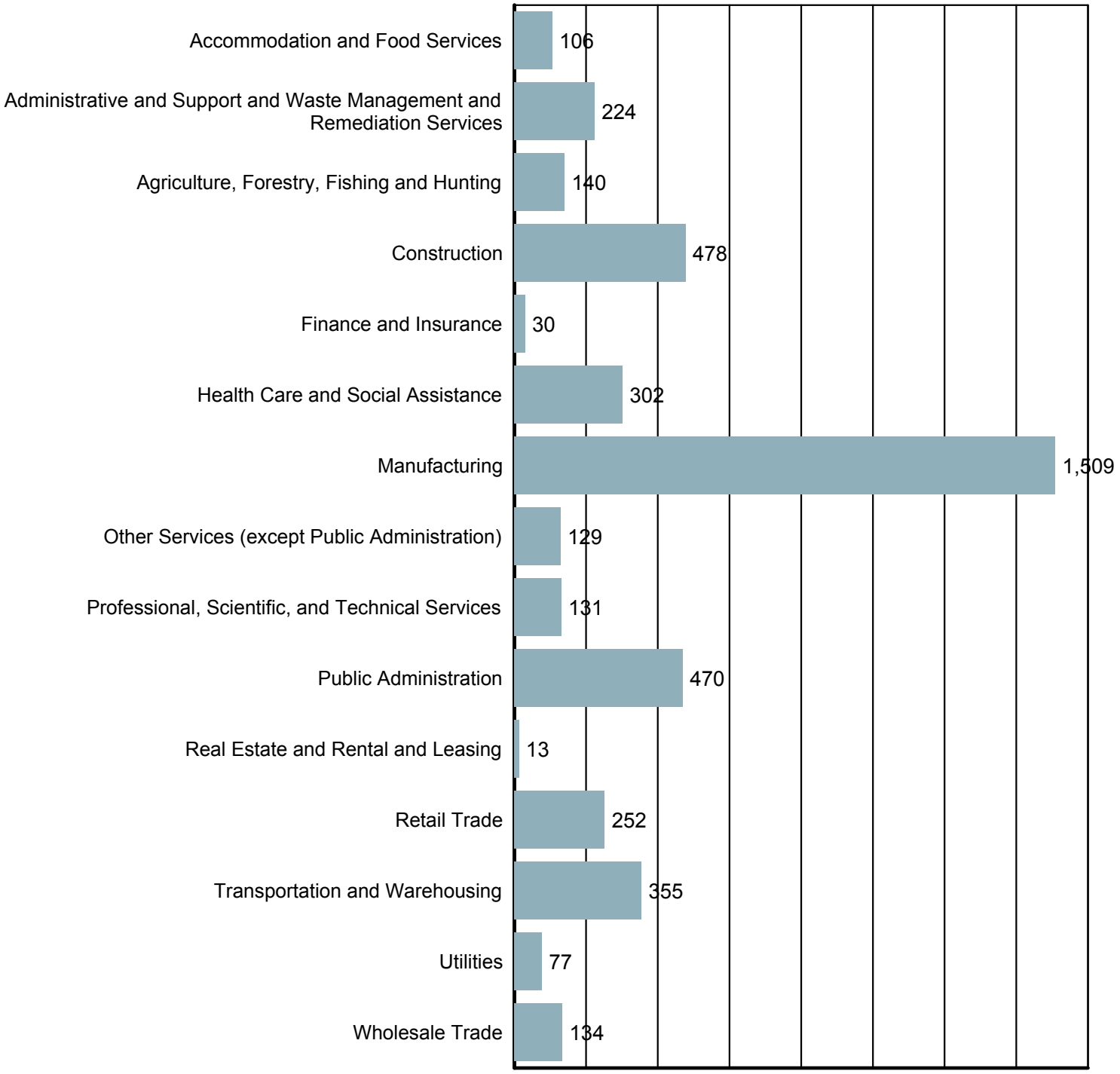
20 Largest Employers

(Listed Alphabetically)

Corporation Name
ADS WASTE HOLDINGS INC
ANNETT HOLDINGS INC
BILO LLC
CALHOUN COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOL
CHARLESTON ALUMINUM LLC
COUNTY OF CALHOUN
DAK AMERICAS LLC
DEVRO INC
FOREMOST PIPELINE CONSTRUCTION COMP
MARION GRESSETTE CENTER
NORTHCOAST TRANSACTORS INC GEN PTR
ONTIME TRANSPORT LLC
PALMETTO INDUSTRIAL SERVICES INC
SAINT MATTHEWS HEALTH CARE LLC
SPEEDWAY LLC
STARBUCKS MANUFACTURING
TOMMY RHODES
TRI COUNTY ELECTRIC COOPERATIVE INC
WILBERT PLASTIC SERVICES INC
ZEUS INDUSTRIAL PRODUCTS INC

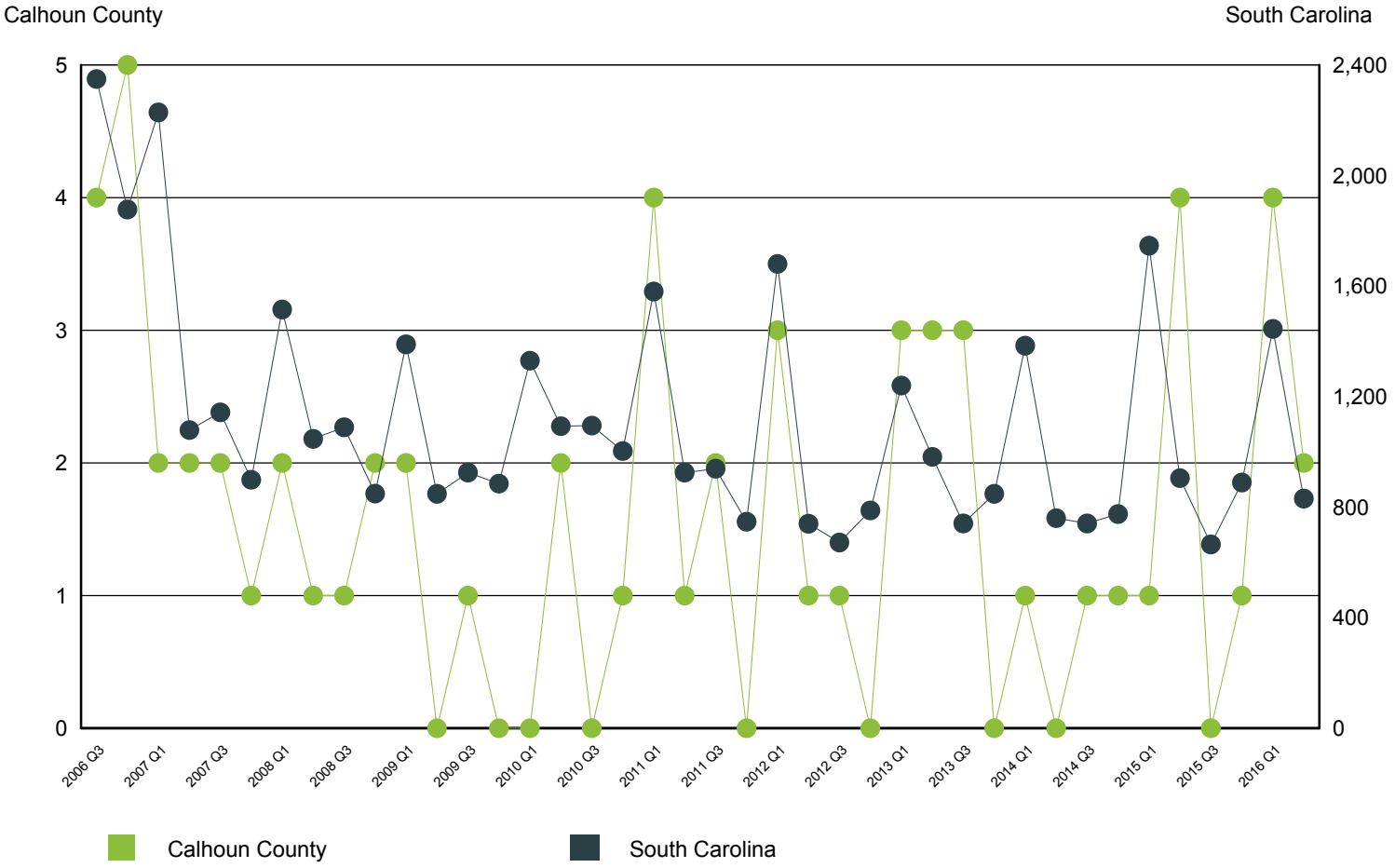
Source: S.C. Department of Employment & Workforce - 2016 Q2

Employment by Industry



Source: S.C. Department of Employment & Workforce
Quarterly Census of Employment and Wages (QCEW) - 2016 Q2

New Startup Firms



Quarter	Calhoun County	South Carolina
2016 Q2	2	831
2016 Q1	4	1,445
2015 Q4	1	889
2015 Q3	0	665
2015 Q2	4	905
2015 Q1	1	1,746
2014 Q4	1	775
2014 Q3	1	741
2014 Q2	0	760
2014 Q1	1	1,384
2013 Q4	0	848
2013 Q3	3	741
2013 Q2	3	982
2013 Q1	3	1,240
2012 Q4	0	788
2012 Q3	1	672
2012 Q2	1	740
2012 Q1	3	1,680
2011 Q4	0	747
2011 Q3	2	939

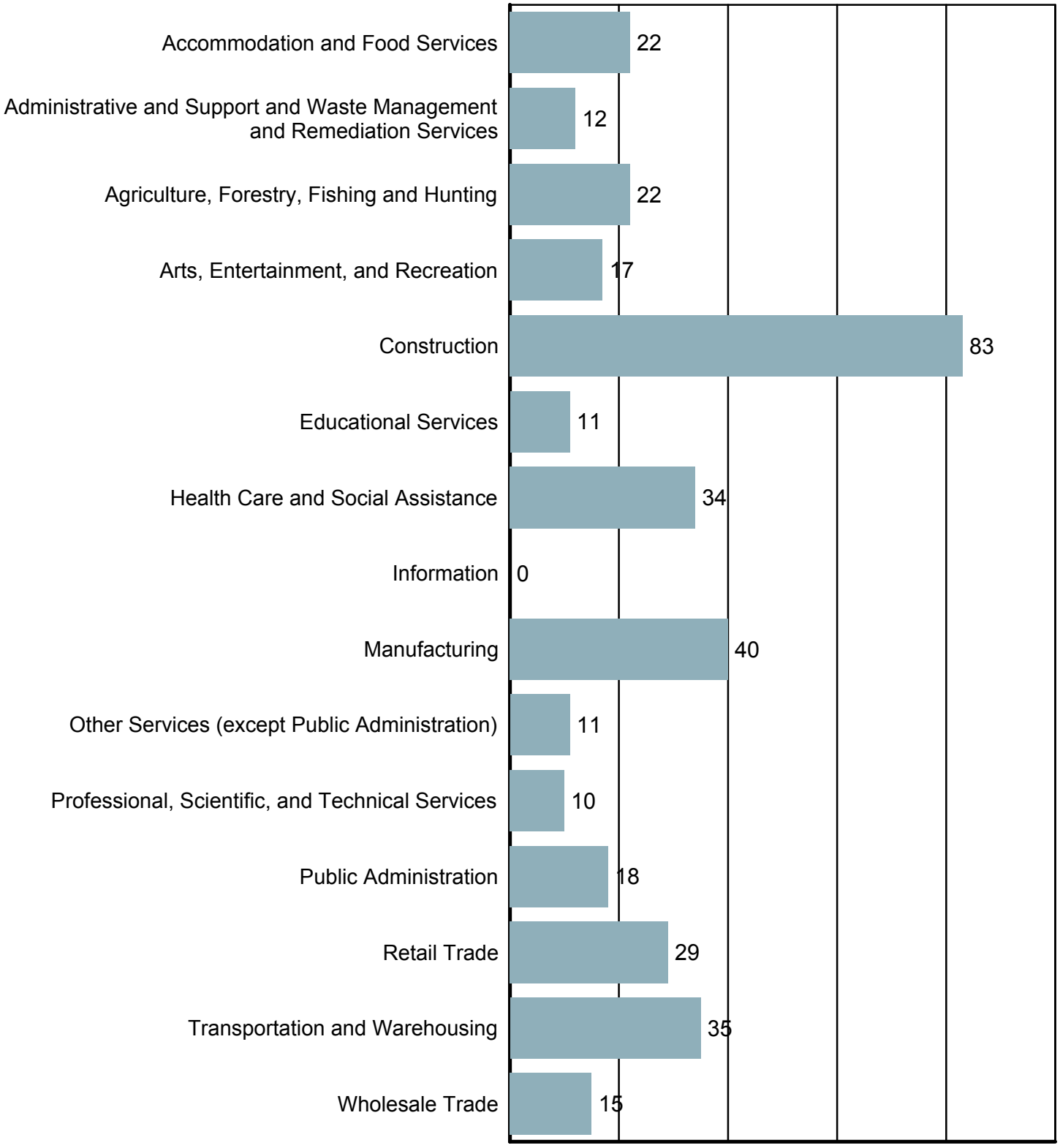
Note: A firm is included in the count when it does not have a UI Account Number in the previous quarter and has a Setup Date that falls in the quarter displayed.
Source: S.C. Department of Employment & Workforce

Top Occupational Openings

Occupation Name (Soccode)	Job Openings

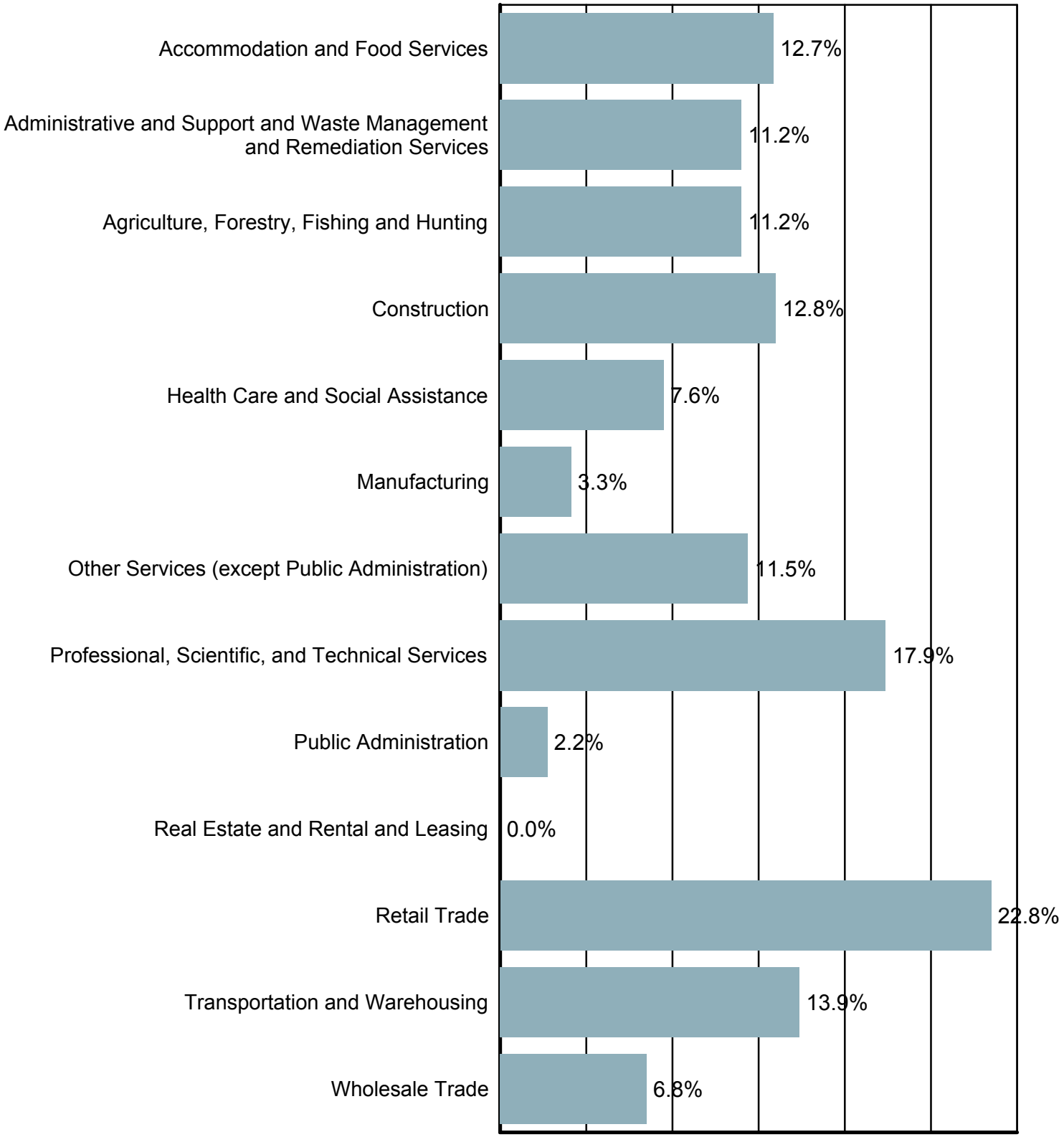
Source: S.C. Department of Employment & Workforce & The Conference Board's Help Wanted OnLine® data series

New Hires by Industry



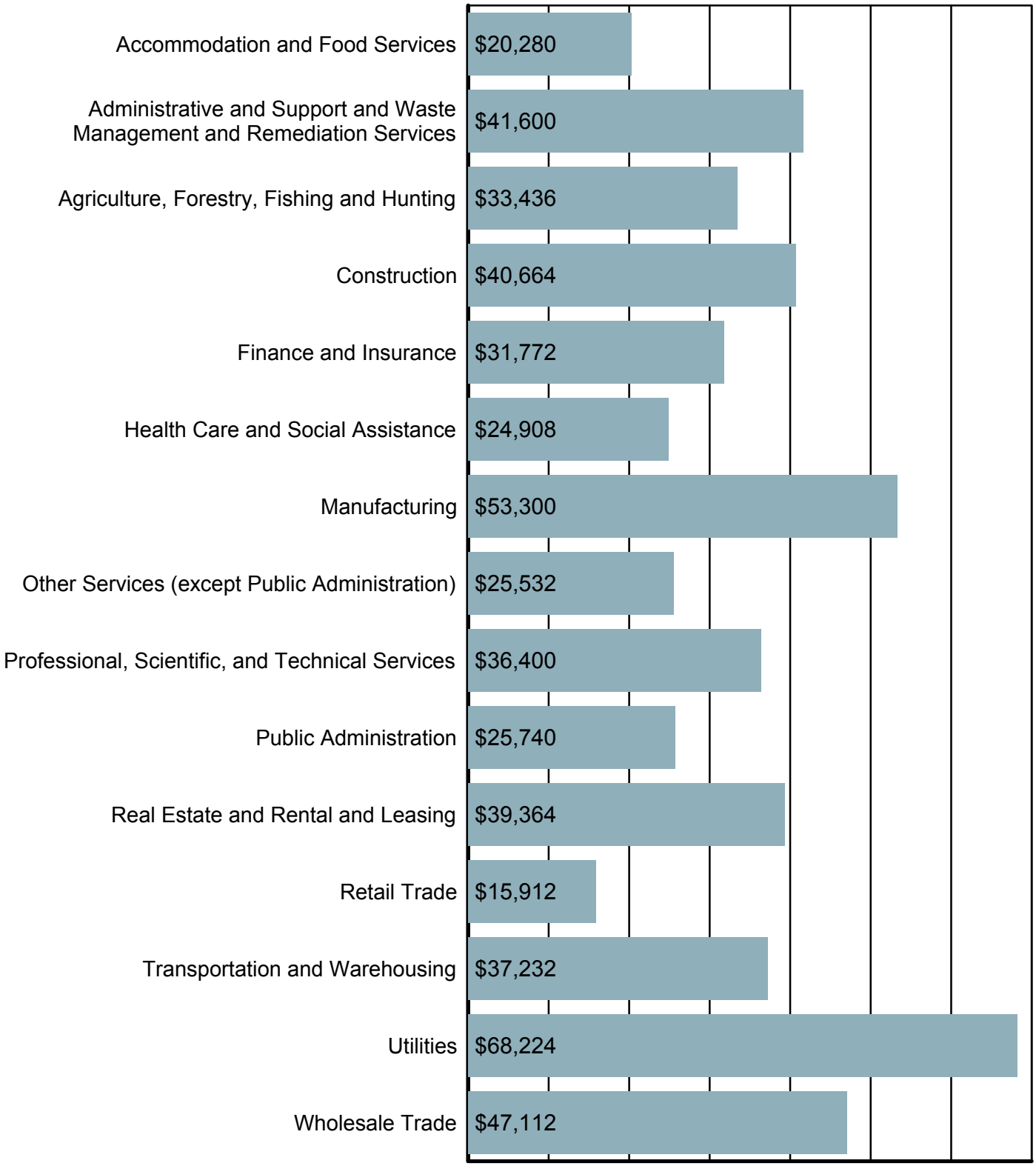
Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Local Employment Dynamics - 2014 Q1

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) - 2016 Q2

Age of Workers by Industry

Industry	14-18	19-21	22-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+
Total, All Industries	25	98	152	739	816	881	744	223
Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing and Hunting	4	7	13	53	44	40	46	36
Utilities	0	0	0	7	22	25	10	0
Construction	0	20	29	111	121	128	74	24
Manufacturing	0	10	20	169	219	268	205	29
Wholesale Trade	0	0	5	42	39	27	42	5
Retail Trade	8	12	14	42	35	34	24	9
Transportation and Warehousing	0	5	6	38	38	31	19	6
Information	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Finance and Insurance	0	0	0	7	10	6	5	0
Real Estate and Rental and Leasing	0	0	0	0	3	5	4	0
Professional, Scientific, and Technical Servi	0	0	6	18	22	19	30	13
Administrative and Support and Waste Manageme	0	7	9	32	21	19	13	3
Educational Services	0	0	0	35	63	77	94	27
Health Care and Social Assistance	0	7	16	59	62	59	32	4
Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation	0	0	3	0	3	5	5	0
Accommodation and Food Services	5	18	11	23	18	12	11	0
Other Services (except Public Administration)	0	0	3	19	14	21	23	16
Public Administration	0	5	11	80	81	105	107	46

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Local Employment Dynamics - 2014 Q1

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 Industry	2012 Estimated Employment	2022 Projected Employment	Change	Percent Change	Annual Percent
Total Employment, All Jobs	116,065	128,977	12,912	11.12	1.06
Health care and social assistance	10,877	13,761	2,884	26.51	2.38
Administrative and support and waste management and remediat	10,422	12,175	1,753	16.82	1.57
Construction	5,406	6,909	1,503	27.80	2.48
Educational services; state, local, and private	10,936	12,162	1,226	11.21	1.07
Manufacturing	16,962	18,043	1,081	6.37	0.62
Accommodation and food services	8,791	9,592	801	9.11	0.88
Retail Trade	13,259	14,049	790	5.96	0.58
Transportation and Warehousing	2,397	2,990	593	24.74	2.24
Finance and insurance	2,892	3,374	482	16.67	1.55
Other services (except public administration)	3,824	4,256	432	11.30	1.08
Wholesale trade	1,725	1,936	211	12.23	1.16
Government	7,924	8,093	169	2.13	0.21
Arts, entertainment, and recreation	1,126	1,261	135	11.99	1.14
Utilities	825	916	91	11.03	1.05
Real estate and rental and leasing	526	594	68	12.93	1.22
Agriculture, forestry, fishing, and hunting	4,774	4,809	35	0.73	0.07
Mining, quarrying, and oil and gas extraction	117	126	9	7.69	0.74
Information	783	764	-19	-2.43	-0.25

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	2012	2022			
Occupation	Estimated Employment	Projected Employment	Openings (Replace)	Openings (Growth)	Annual Openings
Total, all occupations	116,065	128,977	2,698	1,421	4,119
Management occupations	7,600	7,388	143	53	196
Business and financial operations occupations	3,065	3,552	70	50	120
Computer and mathematical occupations	671	757	12	9	21
Architecture and engineering occupations	1,677	1,883	41	21	62
Life, physical, and social science occupations	773	891	19	13	32
Community and social service occupations	1,508	1,732	34	23	57
Legal occupations	1,377	1,669	22	29	51
Education, training, and library occupations	6,961	7,927	143	97	240
Arts, design, entertainment, sports, and media occupations	1,217	1,370	25	16	41
Healthcare practitioners and technical occupations	5,250	6,326	107	108	215
Healthcare support occupations	2,820	3,582	54	77	131
Protective service occupations	2,172	2,300	59	13	72
Food preparation and serving related occupations	9,200	10,105	323	91	414
Building and grounds cleaning and maintenance occupations	5,521	6,275	113	75	188
Personal care and service occupations	1,805	2,086	37	28	65
Sales and related occupations	10,920	11,618	353	70	423
Office and administrative support occupations	16,804	18,610	366	198	564
Farming, fishing, and forestry occupations	3,145	3,152	89	10	99
Construction and extraction occupations	5,813	7,109	93	130	223
Installation, maintenance, and repair occupations	7,962	9,001	190	107	297
Production occupations	11,766	12,592	231	101	332
Transportation and material moving occupations	8,038	9,052	175	105	280

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	2012	2022					
Occupation	Estimated Employment	Projected Employment	Percent Change	Replace	Growth	Total	Average Salary
Logging equipment operators	166	240	45	2	7	9	$ 38,077
Home health aides	805	1,145	42	15	34	49	$ 19,539
Nurse practitioners	77	108	40	2	3	5	$ 92,641
Dental hygienists	88	119	35	2	3	5	$ 60,458
Market research analysts and marketing specialists	47	63	34	1	2	3	$ 60,529
Software developers, applications	16	21	31	0	0	0	$ 87,252
Medical assistants	276	361	31	5	8	13	$ 25,975
Physician assistants	26	34	31	0	1	1	$ 63,437
Cost estimators	143	184	29	5	4	9	$ 52,047
Social and community service managers	89	114	28	2	2	4	$ 60,069
Dental assistants	173	220	27	4	5	9	$ 26,570
Telecommunications line installers and repairers	88	111	26	2	2	4	$ 34,385
Physical therapists	54	68	26	1	1	2	$ 103,607
Construction laborers	1,019	1,280	26	22	26	48	$ 29,227
Carpenters	1,496	1,878	26	18	38	56	$ 39,510
Emergency medical technicians and paramedics	404	506	25	11	10	21	$ 29,095
Furnace, kiln, oven, drier, and kettle operators and tenders	151	189	25	4	4	8	$ 29,406
Cement masons and concrete finishers	215	269	25	2	5	7	$ 31,994
Medical records and health information technicians	104	130	25	3	3	6	$ 34,347
Information security analysts	28	35	25	0	1	1	$ 55,889

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.

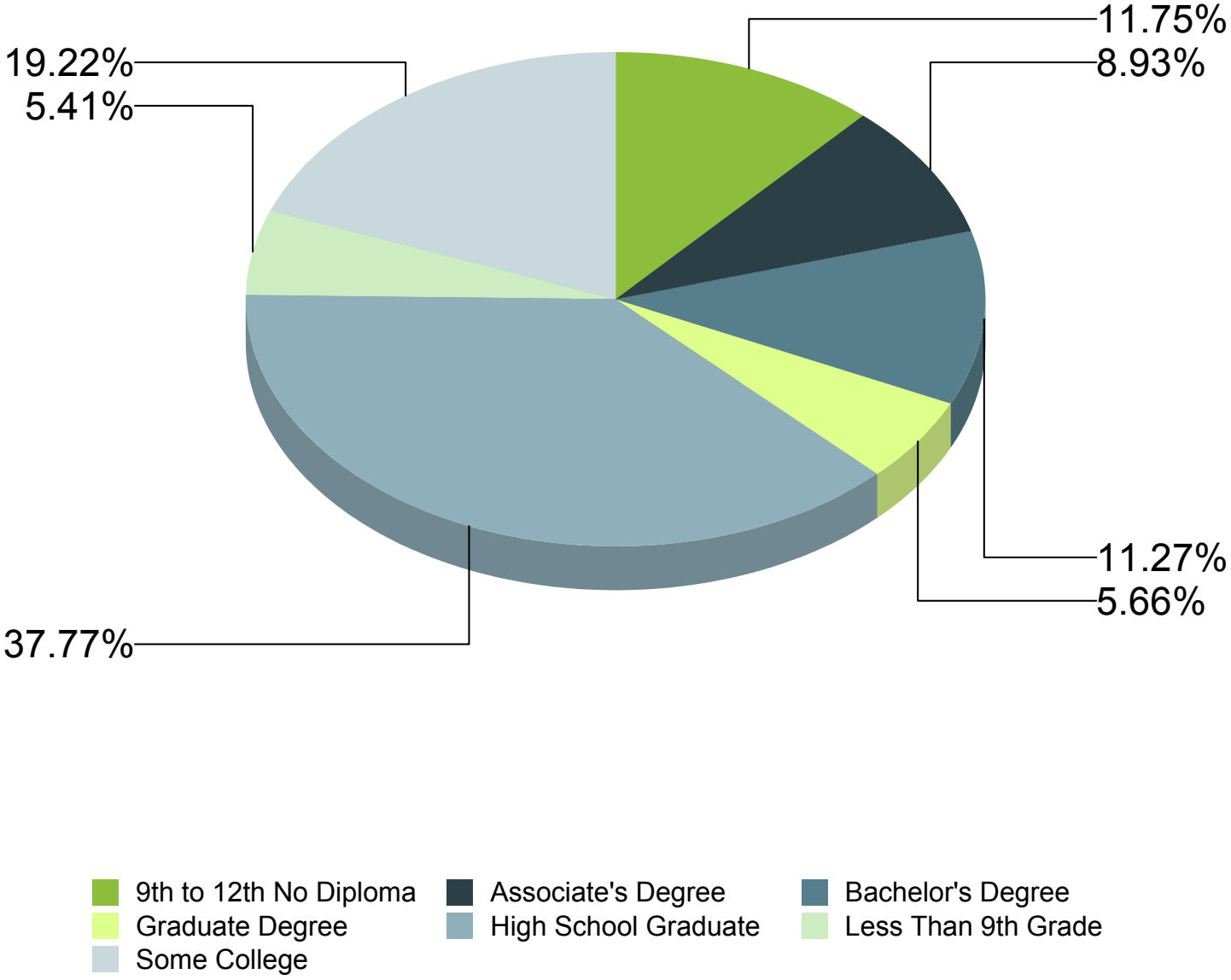
Lower Savannah	2012	2022					
Occupation	Estimated Employment	Projected Employment	Percent Change	Replace	Growth	Total	Average Salary
Data entry keyers	101	78	-23	1	0	1	$ 22,739
Postal service clerks	59	46	-22	1	0	1	$ 43,417
Postal service mail carriers	282	236	-16	10	0	10	$ 49,233
Computer operators	56	47	-16	0	0	0	$ 29,300
Switchboard operators, including answering service	59	50	-15	1	0	1	$ 21,955
Information and record clerks, all other	81	69	-15	2	0	2	$ 34,222
Meter readers, utilities	54	47	-13	1	0	1	$ 33,904
Computer network support specialists	24	21	-13	0	0	0	$ 59,595
Postmasters and mail superintendents	51	45	-12	1	0	1	$ 68,344
Cutting, punching, and press machine setters, operators, and	317	282	-11	3	0	3	$ 26,357
Machine feeders and offbearers	148	134	-9	3	0	3	$ 22,817
Couriers and messengers	143	130	-9	2	0	2	$ 20,739
Medical transcriptionists	42	39	-7	1	0	1	$ 34,946
Order clerks	47	44	-6	1	0	1	$ 37,666
Telecommunications equipment installers and repairers, excep	76	72	-5	1	0	1	$ 55,219
Floral designers	75	72	-4	2	0	2	$ 22,152
Packers and packagers, hand	419	405	-3	11	0	11	$ 24,043
Farmworkers and laborers, crop, nursery, and greenhouse	2,032	1,967	-3	62	0	62	$ 21,939
Chemical engineers	79	77	-3	2	0	2	$ 73,531
Stock clerks and order fillers	1,449	1,428	-1	44	0	44	$ 21,082

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