

1 Introduction: Monroe County

About This Report

The Workforce Intelligence Network for Southeast Michigan (WIN) partnership is a collaboration of six Michigan Works! Agencies (MWAs) and ten community colleges across a 16-county region in Michigan. The counties in the WIN partnership include: Genesee, Hillsdale, Huron, Jackson, Lapeer, Lenawee, Livingston, Macomb, Monroe, Oakland, Saint Clair, Sanilac, Shiawassee, Tuscola, Washtenaw, and Wayne, along with the City of Detroit.

This report highlights labor market information and real-time job posting data for the Monroe county as a whole with special sections devoted to 5 occupational groups. WIN's analysis of online job postings, a proxy for employer demand, is a pioneering method for tracking the health of the labor market. Occupational groups include:

- Agriculture (page 6)
- Customer service (formerly retail & hospitality) (page 11)
- Energy (page 16)
- Skilled trades & technicians (manufacturing focused) (page 21)
- Transportation, distribution, and logistics (TDL) (page 26)

Data analyzed includes:

- Employer demand
- Top posting jobs
- In-demand credentials, degrees, and skills
- Educational attainment required

- Wages offered in job postings
- Employment
- Unemployment
- Labor force



Key Findings: State of the Labor Market in Monroe County

The labor force in Monroe County is at its largest since 2010.

The labor force increased by 1,719 individuals (2%) reaching 78,837 through May of this year from 77,118 in Q2 2015.

Online job postings in Q2 of 2016 for all occupations groups in the County of Monroe saw a decrease.

Postings from the previous quarter fell 8% (1,841 to 1,694).

Postings related to skilled trades declined slightly from last quarter; however, postings have increased from Q2 2015.

Online job postings related to Skilled Trades declined 6% in Q2 2016 to 95 postings from 101 postings from Q1 2016. However, the 95 postings in Q2 2016 was an increase of 14% compared to the 82 postings seen in Q2 2015.

In the TDL occupation group, heavy tractor-trailer truck drivers experienced a large increase in job postings.

Online job postings for heavy and tractor-trailer truck drivers increased by 65% (104 postings) to 263 ads compared to 159 in Q1 2016.

The energy occupation group experienced a double digit decrease in the amount of online job postings from Q1to Q2 2016.

Online job postings related to Energy have decreased 42% going from 45 postings in Q1 2016 to 26 in Q2 2016. Postings are also down 45% compared to Q2 2015 dropping 47 total postings in Q2 2015 to 26 in Q2 2016.

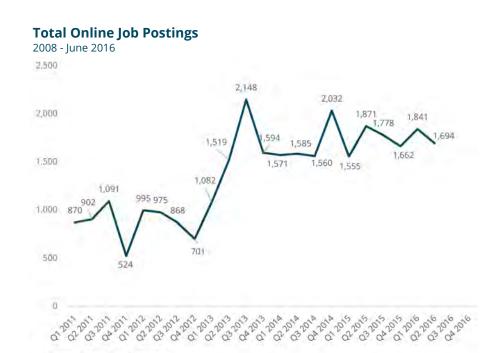
B Executive Summary

Postings Over Time

Online job postings in Q2 of 2016 for all occupations in the County of Monroe saw a decrease of 8% in total postings from the previous quarter (1,841 to 1,694). When compared to total online postings from one year ago in Q2 of 2015, this last quarter saw a 9% increase (1,871 to 1694).

Labor Force, Employment, & Unemployment

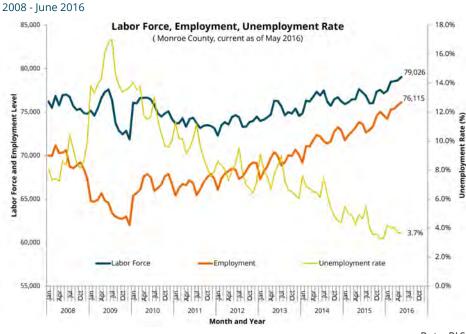
The labor force in Monroe County is at its largest since 2010. In particular, the labor force increased by 1,719 (2%) from 77,118 in Q2 2015 and by 685 (1%) from 78,152 in Q1 2016 to 78,837 in Q2 2016. Employment in terms of the yearly average for Monroe county through May 2016 of 78,426 is currently higher than the end of year average for 2015 of 76,732, an increase of 2%. Unemployment rates in Monroe county have also seen improvement, seeing a decrease over the past 5 years to its lowest annual point. Unemployment fell by 307 individuals from 3,193 in Q1 2016 to 2,887 in Q2 2016, in particular. The drop caused the unemployment rate to fall by 0.4 percentage points to 3.7%.



Labor Force, Employment, Unemployment Rate

Source: Burning Glass Technologies

Analysis: Workforce Intelligence Network



Data: BLS Analysis: Workforce Intelligence Network

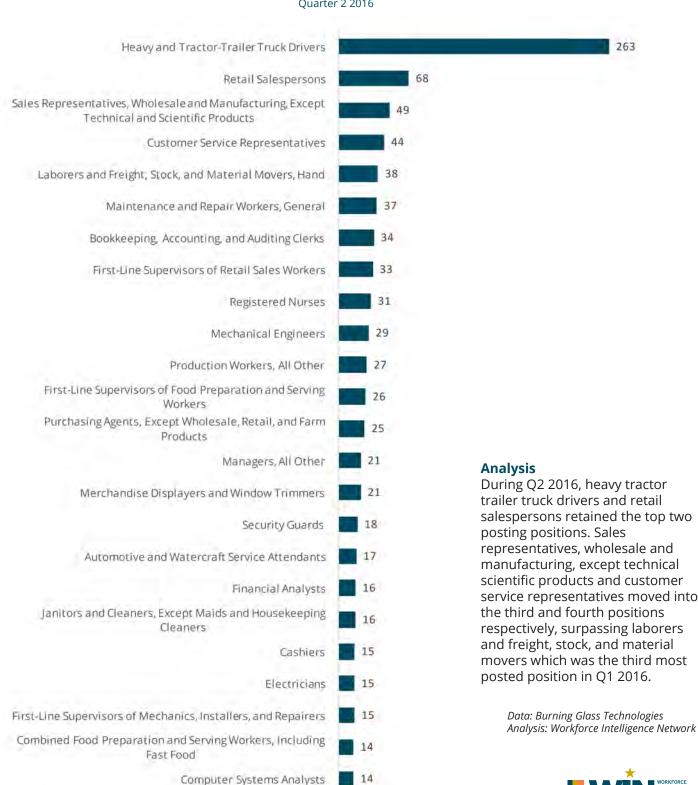
Data: Burning Glass Technologies



Highest labor force numbers since 2010

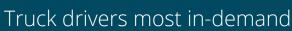
Top Jobs In Demand

Quarter 2 2016



Inspectors, Testers, Sorters, Samplers, and Weighers







Top Jobs In Demand

Quarter 2 2016

| Secretaries and Administrative Assistants, Except Legal, Medical, and Executive | 14 |
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| Electrical Engineers | 13 |
| Light Truck or Delivery Services Drivers | 13 |
| Driver/Sales Workers | 12 |
| Software Developers, Applications | 12 |
| Coaches and Scouts | 11 |
| Hairdressers, Hairstylists, and Cosmetologists | 11 |
| Demonstrators and Product Promoters | 10 |
| Financial Specialists, All Other | 10 |
| Human Resources Managers | 10 |
| Nuclear Engineers | 10 |
| General and Operations Managers | 9 |
| Architectural and Engineering Managers | 8 |
| Bus and Truck Mechanics and Diesel Engine Specialists | 8 |
| Computer User Support Specialists | 8 |
| First-Line Supervisors of Production and Operating Workers | 8 |
| Industrial Truck and Tractor Operators | 8 |
| Machinists | 8 |
| Management Analysts | 8 |
| Personal Care Aides | 8 |
| Secondary School Teachers, Except Special and Career/Technical Education | 8 |
| Speech-Language Pathologists | 8 |
| Stock Clerks-Stockroom, Warehouse, or Storage Yard | 8 |
| Welders, Cutters, and Welder Fitters | 8 |
| Engineering Teachers, Postsecondary | 7 |





Introduction

Agriculture

WIN's agriculture group brings together occupations that require knowledge of the farming, livestock, the environment, and natural sciences. Occupations range from farm workers, to environmental engineers, to meat butchers, and recreation workers.

Postings Over Time

Online job postings for occupations related to Agriculture were down 4% to 24 during Q2 2016, compared to 25 during Q1 2016. This was also an 8% decrease from Q2 2015 which reported having 26 postings within this occupational group.

Employment Over Time

While the Agriculture related jobs in Monroe generally had a decreasing employment trend from 2006 to 2013, employment has grown for the past three years. In fact, there was a 14% increase from 2013 to 2016 adding 192 jobs.

Online Job Postings



Employment Over Time



Data: EMSI, BLS Analysis: Workforce Intelligence Network





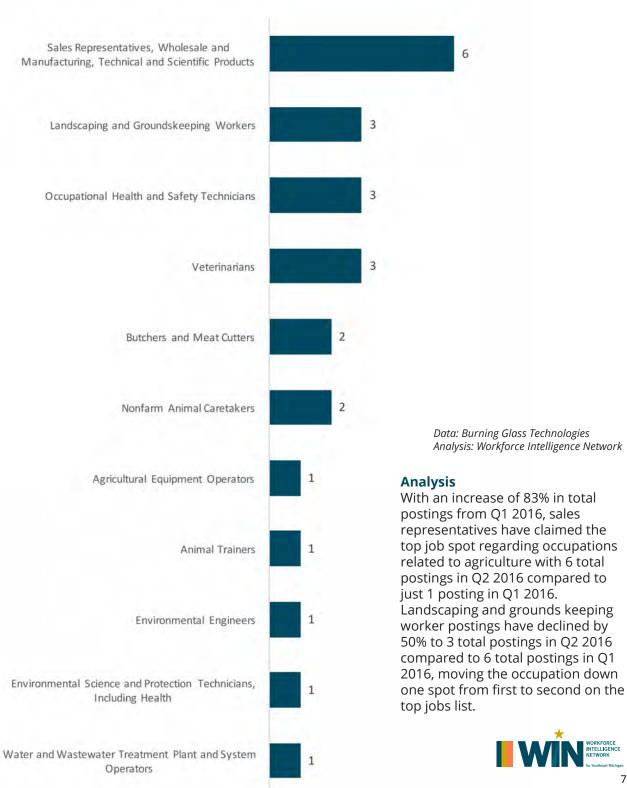




4% decrease in postings from Q1 2016

Agriculture Top Jobs

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Vocational training required

6-8 years, most in-demand experience

Agriculture Educational Attainment & Experience Required

Of the 24 postings for Agriculture related occupations, 29% (7 postings) expressed a desired education level, 43% (3 postings) of which requested workers with a high school degree/equivalent or vocational training, 43% requesting at least an Associate level education, and only 14% (1 posting) requesting a Bachelor level education. Only 5 of the 24 postings (21%) expressed a desired experience level, with 40% requesting an experience level of 0-5 years and 60% requesting an experience level of 6-8 years.

Minimum Educational Attainment Required Q2 2016



Experience Required Q2 2016







Decrease in online job postings

Agriculture in-Demand Skills Q2 2016

Q2 2016 postings in the Agriculture group required a wide range of skills. Skills such as Inspection/Repair and inventory control management were indicated to be critical. A variety of soft skills such as Communication and Computer Skills were also shown to be important.

Technical in-Demand Skills

- Packaging
- Inspection
- Inventory control and management
- Store Management / Supervisory Skills

Foundational In-Demand Skills

- Writing/ Organizational Skills
- Building effective relationships
- Microsoft powerpoint /Computer Skills
- Detail oriented / organizational skills





Very little information on salary



Postings have declined 50% for landscaping and grounds keeping workers

Agriculture Wages

Insufficient data in postings.

Wage Data from Bureau of Labor Statistics 2015

| Occupation Code | Occupation Name | 10th Percentile Wages | 25th Percentile Wages | Median Wages | 75th Percentile Wages | 90th Percentile Wages | |
|-----------------|--|--------------------------|-----------------------------|-----------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|--|
| 41-4011 | Sales Representatives, Wholesale and Manufacturing, | \$20.99 | \$32.30 | \$40.71 | \$47.28 | \$59.36 | |
| 37-3011 | Landscaping and Groundskeeping Workers | \$8.15 | \$9.07 | \$12.02 | \$13.55 | \$14.47 | |
| 29-9012 | Occupational Health and Safety Technicians | Insf. Data | Insf. Data | Insf. Data | Insf. Data | Insf. Data | |
| 29-1131 | Veterinarians | \$24.62 | \$29.94 | \$37.77 | \$47.68 | \$69.04 | |
| 51-3021 | Butchers and Meat Cutters | \$10.08 | \$13.39 | \$17.40 | \$24.89 | \$27.08 | |
| 39-2021 | Nonfarm Animal Caretakers | Insf. Data | Insf. Data | Insf. Data | Insf. Data | Insf. Data | |
| 45-2091 | Agricultural Equipment | \$11.98 | \$12.49 | \$13.05 | \$13.64 | \$14.48 | |
| 39-2011 | Animal Trainers | Insf. Data | Insf. Data | Insf. Data | Insf. Data | Insf. Data | |
| 17-2081 | Environmental Engineers | \$28.66 | \$38.67 | \$45.85 | \$52.04 | \$58.70 | |
| 19-4091 | Environmental Science and | Insf. Data | Insf. Data | Insf. Data | Insf. Data | Insf. Data | |

A Customer Service

Introduction

Customer Service

The customer service group is the largest occupational group that WIN analyzes, both in terms of employment and online job postings. This group is of very high importance to the region because it is the first to grow when the economy expands and the first to contract in a downturn: it is often a leading indicator. As defined by WIN, this group encompasses all customer service occupations, with skills transferrable across the retail sector, the hotel industry, food and beverage service industry, call centers, and other areas.

Postings Over Time

Online job postings for occupations related to Customer Service were up 3% to 414 during Q2 2016, compared to 403 during Q1 2016. This was also a 2% increase from Q2 2015 which reported having 407 postings within this occupational group.

Employment Over Time

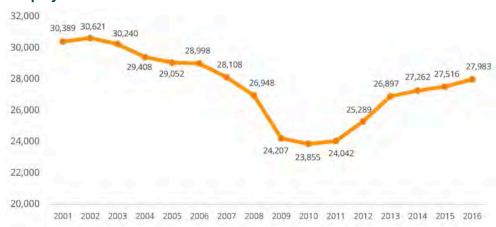
2016 has been another period of employment growth for Customer Service job group when looking past the 2009 recession. Employment rose to 27,983 workers in 2016, 4,183 more workers than the trough in 2009.

Online Job Postings



Data: Burning Glass Technologies Analysis: Workforce Intelligence Network

Employment Over Time



Data: EMSI, BLS Analysis: Workforce Intelligence Network









0-2 years of experience most Preferred

Customer Service Top Jobs



Waiters and Waitresses

Baristas

While many of the top jobs remained the same, postings for purchasing agents increased by 75%, with 25 postings in Q2 2016 from 5





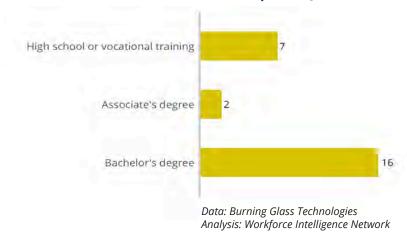
Preferred Education: High-School/ Vocational Training

Top Area of Study: Business Administration

Customer Service Educational Attainment & Experience Required

Of the 414 postings for Customer Service group occupations, 36% (147 postings) expressed a desired experience level, 96% of which were less than 5 years of experience, indicating a majority of the online ads advertising experience were for entry-level positions. Employers of Customer Service occupations in Monroe County most often prefer workers with a high school degree/equivalent or vocational training with 141 of the 192 online postings expressing these levels of educational attainment as a preferred or necessary qualification.

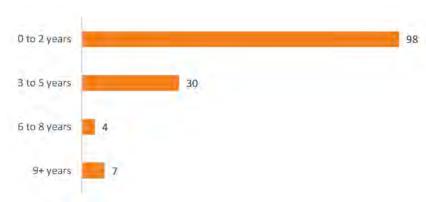
Minimum Educational Attainment Required Q2 2016



Areas of Study in-Demand Q2 2016

- · Business administration and management
- Accounting
- Marketing/marketing management
- Mechanical engineering
- Electrical and electronic engineering technology

Experience Required Q2 2016





Mostly Full Time Job Postings

Customer Service in-Demand Skills Q2 2016

Sales, Communications

The occupations in the Customer Service group require a wide array of high-level communication skills. The most common skill present within this occupation group is Customer Service and Communication skills. Management skills were also present in many of the Customers Service postings including store management, supervisory skills and an understanding of the retail setting. Employers also look for a variety of sales skills including product knowledge, merchandising, and meeting sales goals. These skills are vital for Customer Service to build a relationship with customers and provide them with particular product to meet their needs.

Technical in-Demand Skills

- Customer Service/ Sales/ Building Relationships
- Retail Setting/ Store Management/ Supervisory Skills
- Merchandising/ Product Sales/ Sales Goals
- Scheduling/ Customer Contact
- Product Knowledge

Foundational In-Demand Skills

- Communications Skills/ Team Work
- · Writing/ Organizational Skills
- Microsoft Office/ Computer Skills
- · Physical Demand
- Supervisory Skills/ Planning/ Problem Solving

Job Type

Temporary: 6%Full-time: 34%Part-time: 21%Not Reported: 39%

Certifications In-Demand

- · CDL Class A
- Automotive Service Excellence (ASE) certification
- Servesafe
- Commercial driver's license
- Alcohol server certificate





Average advertised salary: \$48,824

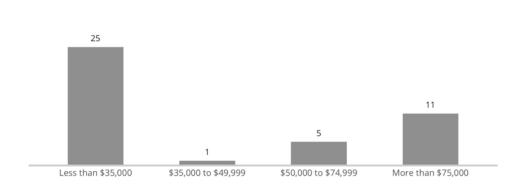


Customer Service Wages

Of the 42 postings that gave wage information in the Customer Service group in Q2 2016, 25 (60%) were below \$35,000 a year. The average advertised salary for the postings that gave wage information in Monroe during Q2 2016 was \$48,824.



Quarter 2 2016



Data: Burning Glass Technologies Analysis: Workforce Intelligence Network

Wage Data from Bureau of Labor Statistics 2015

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| 41-2031 | Retail Salespersons | \$8.15 | \$8.73 | \$9.81 | \$13.21 | \$18.04 |
| 41-4012 | Sales Representatives, Wholesale and Manufacturing, | \$11.96 | \$16.03 | \$21.50 | \$28.18 | \$36.54 |
| 43-4051 | Customer Service Representatives | \$8.15 | \$8.87 | \$11.01 | \$15.63 | \$19.14 |
| 41-1011 | First-Line Supervisors of Retail Sales Workers | \$12,31 | \$14.06 | \$17.32 | \$21.64 | \$26.48 |
| 35-1012 | First-Line Supervisors of Food Preparation and Serving | \$9.53 | \$10.82 | \$13.55 | \$18.27 | \$23,47 |
| 13-1023 | Purchasing Agents, Except | \$17.74 | \$21.65 | \$28.36 | \$39.53 | \$47.28 |
| 53-6031 | Automotive and Watercraft | \$8.15 | \$8.49 | \$9.68 | \$11.33 | \$13.94 |
| 37-2011 | Janitors and Cleaners, Except | \$8.15 | \$8.89 | \$11.02 | \$13.97 | \$16.87 |
| 41-2011 | Cashiers | \$8.15 | \$8.55 | \$9.22 | \$10.34 | \$13.26 |
| 35-3021 | Combined Food Preparation | \$8.15 | \$8.47 | \$9.00 | \$9.53 | \$10.38 |

Data: EMSI, BLS





Introduction

Energy

Energy-related occupations encompass jobs in engineering, science, mining, and extraction. Workers in this field have a range of skills all related to keeping businesses and homes powered. Energy companies employ workers in a variety of occupations, many of which are also included in other WIN occupation groups. Data referenced in this section pertain only to job postings from energy-related businesses.

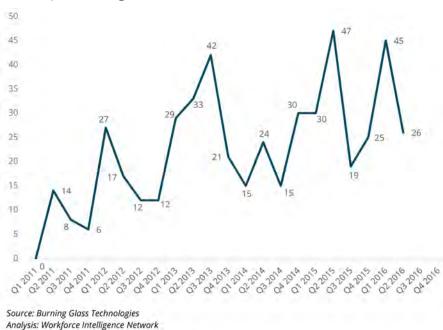
Postings Over Time

Online job postings related to Energy have decreased 42% going from 45 postings in Q1 2016 to 26 in Q2 2016. Postings are also down 45% compared to Q2 2015 dropping 47 total postings in Q2 2015 to 26 in Q2 2016.

Employment Over Time

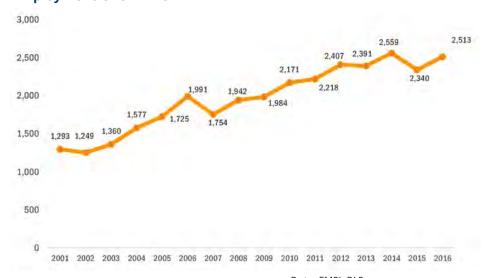
The employment, in general, showed an increasing trend although there was a recent drop from 2014 to 2015. In particular, the employment increased by approximately 7% from 2015 to 2016.

Online Job Postings



Data: Burning Glass Technologies Analysis: Workforce Intelligence Network

Employment Over Time



Data: EMSI, BLS Analysis: Workforce Intelligence Network







Nuclear engineers in-demand

Energy Top Jobs

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Analysis

Engineers were the most in-demand jobs. Nuclear engineers ranked first in Q2 2016, possibly due to the Enrico Fermi Nuclear Generating Station near Monroe and other power generation stations in this county.





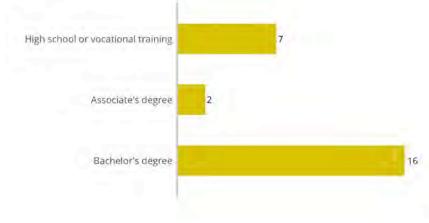
6-8 years, most in-demand experience

Bachelor's degree preferred

Energy Educational Attainment & Experience Required

Of the 26 postings for occupations related to energy in Monroe County, 96% (25 postings) expressed a desired level of education, with 16 of the 25 postings (43%) requested that the applicant have a relevant Bachelor's degree. A desired experience level was expressed for 18 of the 26 job postings (69%), with 15 postings asking for 3-5 years and 3 asking for 9+ years.

Minimum Educational Attainment Required Q2 2016

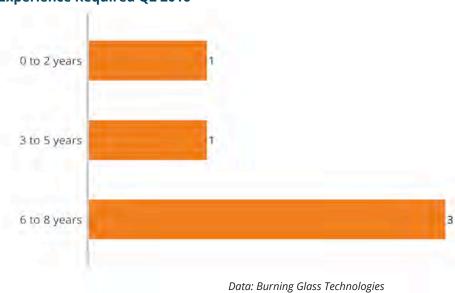


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Areas of Study in-Demand Q2 2016

- Engineering, general
- Engineering technology, general
- Mechanical engineering
- Business administration and management, general
- Electrical and electronic engineering technologies/technicians, other

Experience Required Q2 2016







42% decrease in postings from Q1 2016

Energy in-Demand Skills Q2 2016

Postings from Q2 2016 in the Energy group required a wide range of skills both specific to this industry and generally applicable to other fields. The former included Engineering Support and Nuclear Energy while the latter focused on a variety of management skills.

Technical in-Demand Skills

- Budgeting/ Cost Control
- Benchmarking/Performance Management
- Project Manager
- Supervisory skills
- Cost control

Job Type

Temporary: data not available

Full-time: 62%

Part-time: data not available

Foundational In-Demand Skills

- Planning
- Writing
- Research
- Mentoring
- Problem Solving

Certifications In-Demand

- Auditor certification
- Certified safety professional
- Professional engineer
- Reactor operator license





Auditor certification is the most sought after



> \$75,000 typical annual salary

Energy

Wages

Based on the table with BLS data, seven out of the top ten occupations were estimated to have the median salaries greater than \$75,000 per year. The approximated median salaries for the rest were between \$50,000 and \$74,999 per year.

Data from job postings unavailable.

Wage Data from Bureau of Labor Statistics 2015

| Occupation Code | Occupation Name | 10th Percentile Wages | 25th Percentile Wages | Median Wages | 75th Percentile Wages | 90th Percentile Wages |
|-----------------|---|--------------------------|-----------------------------|-----------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|
| 17-2161 | Nuclear Engineers | \$38.31 | \$48.14 | \$54.78 | \$59.58 | \$66.37 |
| 49-1011 | First-Line Supervisors of Mechanics, Installers, and | \$15.78 | \$19.70 | \$27.03 | \$39.25 | \$45.60 |
| 11-9199 | Managers, All Other | \$24.85 | \$31.98 | \$44.25 | \$53.80 | \$61.93 |
| 17-2141 | Mechanical Engineers | \$26.21 | \$29.88 | \$34.87 | \$42.81 | \$50.19 |
| 11-9041 | Architectural and Engineering Managers | \$48.11 | \$53.31 | \$62.00 | \$72.91 | \$85.30 |
| 51-9061 | Inspectors, Testers, Sorters, | \$9.77 | \$11.07 | \$15.57 | \$21.47 | \$26.84 |
| 17-2051 | Civil Engineers | \$26.28 | \$31.52 | \$37.45 | \$44.10 | \$51.41 |
| 17-2071 | Electrical Engineers | \$29.71 | \$38.39 | \$44.89 | \$50.72 | \$58.25 |
| 47-2111 | Electricians | \$24.15 | \$27.37 | \$31.72 | \$35.37 | \$38.59 |
| 47-1011 | First-Line Supervisors of | \$19.38 | \$23.51 | \$28.43 | \$37.78 | \$51.75 |

Data: EMSI, BLS



K Skilled Trades & Technicians (Manufacturing Focused)

Introduction

Skilled Trades & Technicians

WIN's technicians/skilled trades category includes jobs related to advanced manufacturing. Southeast Michigan has more demand for skilled-trades labor, such as CNC machinists and welders, than almost anywhere else in the country.

NOTE: Skilled trades related to construction and assembly are not included in this cluster, as the focus is on advanced manufacturing only.

Postings Over Time

Online job postings related to Skilled Trades declined 6% in Q2 2016 to 95 postings from 101 postings from Q1 2016. However, the 95 postings in Q2 2016, is an increase of 14% compared to the 82 postings seen in Q2 2015.

Employment Over Time

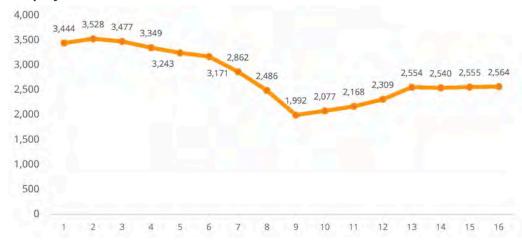
Skilled Labor employment within Monroe county during 2016 has seen slow growth after a decline in 2014. In 2016, there were 2,564 Skilled Trade employees were identified in Monroe, an increase of 572 from the 2009 recession.





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Employment Over Time



Data: EMSI, BLS Analysis: Workforce Intelligence Network





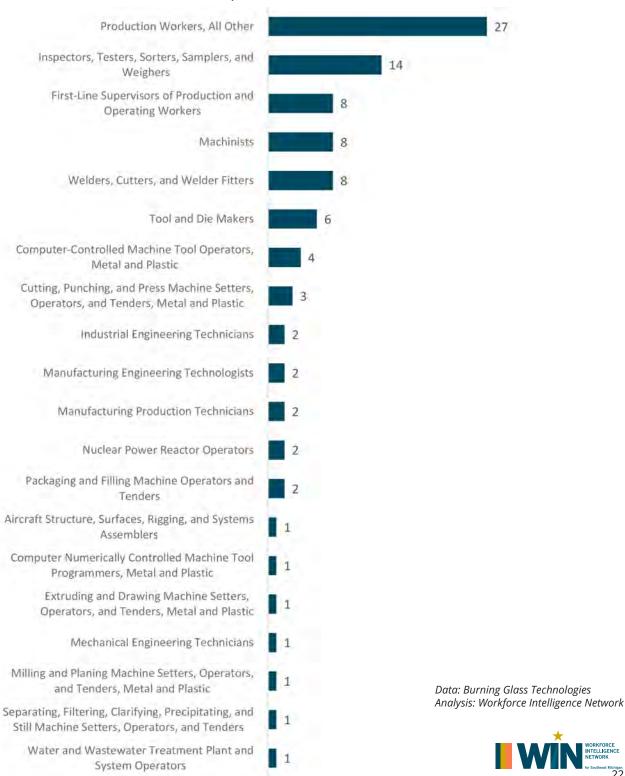
Postings decreased by 6%



Entry Level Experience Desired

Skilled Trades & Technicians Top Jobs

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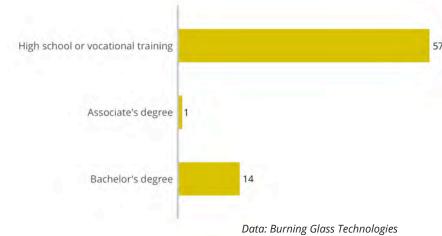
Desired Education: High-School/ Vocational

Demanded area of study: Engineering

Skilled Trades & Technicians Educational Attainment & Experience Required

Of the 95 postings for occupations related to energy in Monroe County 76% (72 postings) expressed a desired level of education, with 57 of the 72 postings (79%) requested that the applicant have high school or vocation training. A desired experience level was expressed for 47 of the 95 job postings (49%) with 42 postings (89%) asking for 0-5 years and 5 (11%) asking for 9+ years.





Analysis: Workforce Intelligence Network

Areas of Study in-Demand Q2 2016

- Engineering, general
- Business administration and management
- Engineering technology, general
- Mechanical engineering

Experience Required Q2 2016







Skills desired: mechanical, problem solving, communication

Majority of postings are full-time

Skilled Trades & Technicians in-Demand Skills Q2 2016

The occupations in the Skilled Trades group require a wide array of high-level technical skills. Machinery, repair, inspection, and other traditional skills remain the most common in Skilled Trades job postings. Communication skills were also present in many of the Skilled Labor postings including problem solving skills, planning, and quality assurance and control. Advanced technical skills such as mathematics do appear through the skills list most likely coinciding with the demand for procedural knowledge. Employers also look for troubleshooting, safety, and assessment skills when posting Skilled Trade jobs. These skills are imperative for Skilled Trades so that collaboration can be fostered in a safe and flowing environment.

Technical in-Demand Skills

- Inspection
- Repair
- Machinery
- Micrometers
- **Packaging**

Foundational In-Demand Skills

- Communication
- Problem Solving
- Planning
- Quality Assurance and Control
- Troubleshooting

Job Type

Temporary: 2% Full-time: 72% Part-time: 14%

Not Reported: 12%

Certifications In-Demand

- American Society for Quality Certification
- Certified quality auditor
- · Certified quality engineer
- · Certified reliability engineer
- Six Sigma black belt





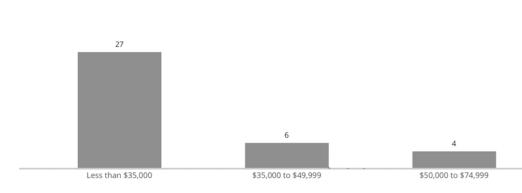
Average Salary 11% less than state average



Skilled Trades & Technicians Wages

Of the 95 postings related to skilled trades, 39% (37 postings) offered salary expectations, with 73% (27 postings) offering a salary of \$35,000 or less. There were 10 postings of the 37 (27%) that offered salaries between \$35,000 to \$74,999.





Data: Burning Glass Technologies Analysis: Workforce Intelligence Network

Wage Data from Bureau of Labor Statistics 2015

| Occupation Code | Occupation Name | 10th Percentile Wages | 25th Percentile Wages | Median Wages | 75th Percentile Wages | 90th Percentile Wages | |
|-----------------|---|-------------------------------------|-----------------------------|-----------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|--|
| 51-9199 | Production Workers, All Other | \$10.69 | \$13.56 | \$18.64 | \$26.76 | \$30.60 | |
| 51-9061 | Inspectors, Testers, Sorters, Samplers, and Weighers | \$9.77 | \$11.07 | \$15.57 | \$21,47 | \$26.84 | |
| 51-1011 | First-Line Supervisors of Production and Operating | Line Supervisors of \$20.62 \$28.10 | | \$37.64 | \$45,29 | \$53.51 | |
| 51-4041 | Machinists | \$16.53 | \$23.40 | \$27.87 | \$32.27 | \$34.95 | |
| 51-4121 | Welders, Cutters, and Welder Fitters | \$12.85 | \$14,80 | \$17.19 | \$20,65 | \$25.26 | |
| 51-4111 | Tool and Die Makers | \$15.22 | \$19.04 | \$21.85 | \$25.11 | \$28.17 | |
| 51-4011 | Computer-Controlled Machine | \$11.08 | \$14.43 | \$18.66 | \$28.00 | \$30.15 | |
| 51-4031 | Cutting, Punching, and Press | \$9.91 | \$10.38 | \$11.16 | \$11.93 | \$21.65 | |
| 17-3026 | Industrial Engineering Technicians | \$18.09 | \$23.25 | \$27.19 | \$31.73 | \$36,48 | |
| 17-3029 | Manufacturing Engineering | \$17.91 | \$24.18 | \$31.03 | \$36.21 | \$42.64 | |

Data: EMSI, BLS



Transportation, Distribution, and Logistics (TDL)

Introduction

Transportation, Distribution, and Logistics (TDL)

Transportation, distribution, and logistics (TDL) workers help move materials in an efficient manner whether it is from one company to another or directly to a consumer. Logistics workers range from materials movers to logistics analysts, coordinating and analyzing material and goods movement.

Postings Over Time

Online job postings for occupations related to TDL were up 30% to 1,422 during Q2 2016, compared to 1,092 during Q1 2016. There was also an 18% increase from Q2 2015 which reported having 1,210 postings within this occupational group.

Online Job Postings

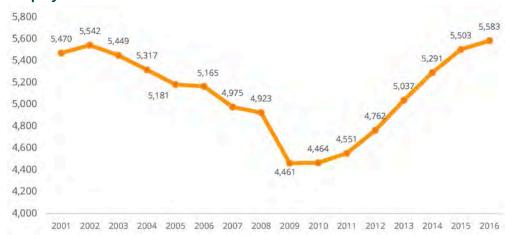


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Employment Over Time

2016 marked a new high point in employment for the Transportation Job group in Monroe country after steady increases since 2009. There were a total of 5,583 workers within the occupation group a sixteen-year high point overall, and an increase of 1,122 workers from the 2009 employment drop.

Employment Over Time



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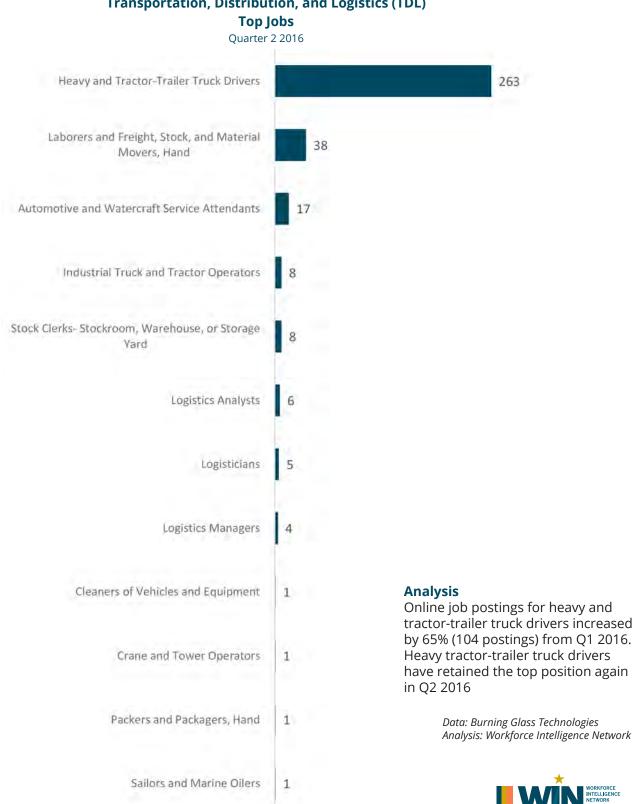


Job postings increased by 30% compared to Q1 2016



Job postings isurpassed Q2 2015 levels

Transportation, Distribution, and Logistics (TDL) **Top Jobs**





Postings desired 0-2 years of prior experience.

Preferred min education: highschool/vocational training

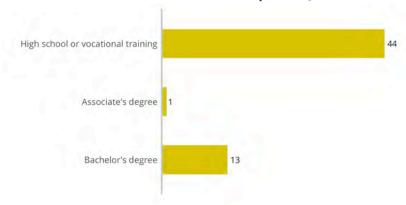
Transportation, Distribution, and Logistics (TDL) Educational Attainment & Experience Required

Of the 353 postings for TDL group occupations, 31% (109 postings) expressed a desired experience level, 96% of which were less than 5 years of experience, indicating a majority of the online ads advertising experience were for entry-level positions. Employers of TDL related occupations in Monroe County most often prefer workers with a high school degree/equivalent or vocational training with 44 of the 58 online postings expressing these levels of educational attainment as a preferred or necessary qualification.

Areas of Study in-Demand Q2 2016

- Business Administration and Management
- Accounting
- Marketing, marketing management
- Mechanical engineering
- Electrical and electronic engineering technology

Minimum Educational Attainment Required Q2 2016



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Experience Required Q2 2016





Communication and Teamwork skills desired

Transportation, Distribution, and Logistics (TDL) in-Demand Skills Q2 2016

The occupations in the Transportation group require a wide array of high-level technical skills. Repair, inspection, forklift operation, and truck driving skills remain the most common in Skilled Trades job postings. Management skills were also present in many of the Transportation postings focusing on logistics, supply chain management, operations management, customer service, and staff management. Advanced technical skills such as mathematics and analytics do appear through the skills list most likely coinciding with the demand for procedural knowledge. Employers also look for communication, safety, and assessment skills when posting Transportations jobs. These skills are imperative for this occupation group as detailed plans are key in cost saving techniques, and communication and safety knowledge bring about an optimal work environment when transporting goods or materials.

Technical in-Demand Skills

- Repair/Inspection
- Forklift Operation/ Truck Driving
- Labeling/ Scheduling/ Cycle Counting
- Scheduling
- Customer Service/Contact

Foundational In-Demand Skills

- Organizational Skills/ Planning/ Preventive Maintenance
- Physical Demand
- Computer Skills/ Microsoft Office
- Communication Skills/ English/ Customer Service
- Project Management

Job Type

Temporary: 4%Full-time: 21%Part-time: 2%

Not Reported: 73%

Certifications In-Demand

- Commercial driver's license
- · Air brake certified
- APICS (American Production and Inventory Control Society) certification
- Automotive Service Excellence (ASE) certification
- Road test





Advertised average salary: \$71,826.

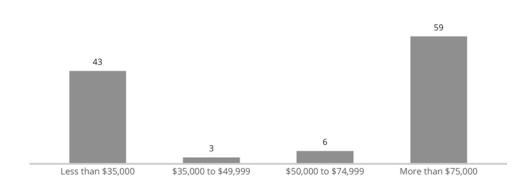


Transportation, Distribution, and **Logistics (TDL) Wages**

Of the 111 postings that gave wage information in the TDL group in Q2 2016, 46 (41%) were below \$35,000 a year. There were 59 postings (53%) with a salary range of \$75,000 and above. The mean realtime advertised salary for the postings that gave wage information in Monroe during Q2 2016 was \$71,826.

Advertised Salaries

Quarter 2 2016



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Wage Data from Bureau of Labor Statistics 2015

| Occupation Code | Occupation Name | 10th Percentile Wages | 25th Percentile Wages | Median Wages | 75th Percentile Wages |
|-----------------|---|--------------------------|-----------------------------|-----------------|--------------------------|
| 53-3032 | Heavy and Tractor-Trailer Truck Drivers | \$11.20 | \$15.18 | \$19.22 | \$22.32 |
| 53-7062 | Laborers and Freight, Stock, and Material Movers, Hand | \$8.15 | \$9.05 | \$12.10 | \$15.29 |
| 53-6031 | Automotive and Watercraft Service Attendants | | | \$9.68 | \$11.33 |
| 53-7051 | Industrial Truck and Tractor Operators | \$10.23 | \$12.07 | \$15.86 | \$22.38 |
| 43-5081 | Stock Clerks- Stockroom, Warehouse, or Storage Yard | \$8.76 | \$9.57 | \$11.64 | \$15.67 |
| 13-1081 | Logistics Analysts | \$23,52 | \$30.74 | \$39.42 | \$49.25 |
| 13-1081 | Logisticians | \$23.52 | \$30.74 | \$39.42 | \$49.25 |
| 11-3071 | Logistics Managers | \$24.58 | \$31.17 | \$42.22 | \$54.04 |
| 53-7061 | Cleaners of Vehicles and | | \$8.37 | \$9.78 | \$11.60 |
| 53-7021 | Crane and Tower Operators | \$17.62 | \$19.64 | \$21.20 | \$22.77 |

Data: EMSI, BLS



Annual Labor Market Data

| | 2010 Annual | 2011 Annual | 2012 Annual | 2013 Annual | 2014 Annual | 2015 Annual | 2016 to- date (through May 2016) | Change from 2015 | Percent Change from 2015 |
|-------------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|--|------------------------|--------------------------------|
| Labor Force | 75,641 | 73,660 | 73,796 | 74,985 | 76,425 | 76,732 | 78,426 | 1,694 | 2.2% |
| Employment | 66,771 | 66,681 | 68,065 | 69,422 | 71,760 | 73,387 | 75,356 | 1,968 | 2.7% |
| Unemployment | 8,869 | 6,979 | 5,731 | 5,563 | 4,664 | 3,345 | 3,070 | -274 | -8.2% |
| Unemployment Rate | 11.7% | 9.5% | 7.8% | 7.4% | 6.1% | 4.4% | 3.9% | -0.4% | na |

*Note: Monthly data averaged by year Data: Bureau of Labor Statistics

Quarterly Labor Market Data

| | 2nd Quarter 2015 | 3rd Quarter 2015 | 4th Quarter 2015 | 1st Quarter 2016 | 2nd Quarter 2016 (through May 2016) | Change from 1st Quarter 2016 | Percent Change from 1st Quarter 2016 |
|-------------------|------------------------|------------------------|------------------------|------------------------|--|---------------------------------------|--|
| Labor Force | 77,118 | 76,294 | 77,349 | 78,152 | 78,837 | 684 | 0.9% |
| Employment | 73,562 | 72,990 | 74,728 | 74,959 | 75,950 | 991 | 1.3% |
| Unemployment | 3,556 | 3,304 | 2,621 | 3,193 | 2,887 | -307 | -9.6% |
| Unemployment Rate | 4.6% | 4.3% | 3.4% | 4.1% | 3.7% | -0.4% | na |

*Note: Monthly data averaged by quarter

Data: Bureau of Labor Statistics

Monthly Labor Market Data

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|-------------------------|---------------|------------|----------|-----------|-----------|----------------|--------------------|-----------------|---------------|------------------|-----------------|------------------|---------------|------------|----------|
| | March 2015 | April 2015 | May 2015 | June 2015 | July 2015 | August 2015 | Septembe r 2015 | October 2015 | November 2015 | December 2015 | January 2016 | February 2016 | March 2016 | April 2016 | May 2016 |
| Labor Force | 76,459 | 76,461 | 77,637 | 77,257 | 76,857 | 75,993 | 76,032 | 77,344 | 77,546 | 77,157 | 77,440 | 78,471 | 78,546 | 78,546 | 78,546 |
| Employment | 72,720 | 73,223 | 73,823 | 73,641 | 72,669 | 72,948 | 73,352 | 74,545 | 75,028 | 74,611 | 74,214 | 75,284 | 75,380 | 75,380 | 75,380 |
| Unemployment | 3,739 | 3,238 | 3,814 | 3,616 | 4,188 | 3,045 | 2,680 | 2,799 | 2,518 | 2,546 | 3,226 | 3,187 | 3,166 | 3,166 | 3,166 |
| Unemployment Rate | 4.9% | 4.2% | 4.9% | 4.7% | 5.4% | 4.0% | 3.5% | 3.6% | 3.2% | 3.3% | 4.2% | 4.1% | 4.0% | 4.0% | 4.0% |

* Note: Data shown for 15 most recently available months

Data: Bureau of Labor Statistics

Monroe County Job Posting Data by Occupation Group* Over Time

| | Q2 2015 | Q3 2015 | Q4 2015 | Q1 2016 | Q2 2016 | Change Over Time | Annual Change Q2 2015-Q2 2016 | Quarter Growth Q1 2016-Q2 2016 |
|---|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|------------------|-------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| Total Postings | 1,871 | 1,778 | 1,662 | 1,841 | 1,694 | \\\\\ | -9.5% | -8.0% |
| Agriculture | 26 | 23 | 20 | 25 | 24 | | -7.7% | -4.0% |
| Business & finance | 119 | 108 | 133 | 141 | 112 | | -5.9% | -20.6% |
| Construction | 14 | 19 | 14 | 30 | 31 | | 121.4% | 3.3% |
| Customer service | 407 | 425 | 355 | 403 | 414 | | 1.7% | 2.7% |
| Education | 28 | 53 | 24 | 16 | 48 | | 71.4% | 200.0% |
| Energy | 47 | 19 | 25 | 45 | 26 | | -44.7% | -42.2% |
| Engineers & designers | 107 | 91 | 75 | 107 | 76 | | -29.0% | -29.0% |
| Health care | 277 | 200 | 178 | 176 | 110 | | -60.3% | -37.5% |
| Information technology | 117 | 97 | 82 | 47 | 70 | - | -40.2% | 48.9% |
| Skilled trades & technicians | 82 | 91 | 85 | 101 | 95 | ~ | 15.9% | -5.9% |
| Transportation, distribution, and logistics | 276 | 201 | 251 | 249 | 353 | | 27.9% | 41.8% |

^{*}Note: Some overlap exists between groups, the occupational groups are not mutually exclusive. Thus, postings should not be added from one group to another but instead should be analyzed on their own.

Total Job Postings: WIN Partnership

| | Q2 2015 | Q3 2015 | Q4 2015 | Q1 2016 | Q2 2016 | Share of Q2 2016 Total | Change Over Time | Annual Change Q2 2015-Q2 2016 | Quarter Growth Q1 2016-Q2 2016 |
|----------------------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------------------------|------------------|-------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| WIN-Region Total | 129,794 | 140,225 | 126,959 | 143,199 | 139,765 | 100.0% | | 7.7% | -2.4% |
| Detroit | 27,742 | 30,426 | 27,966 | 29,296 | 28,456 | 20.5% | // | 2.6% | -2.9% |
| Genesee & Shiawassee | 5,071 | 5,465 | 4,721 | 5,711 | 5,631 | 4.0% | 1 | 11.0% | -1.4% |
| Hillsdale & Lenawee | 1,495 | 1,467 | 1,580 | 1,678 | 1,606 | 1.2% | | 7.4% | -4.3% |
| Jackson | 2,415 | 2,373 | 2,099 | 2,557 | 2,181 | 1.8% | \ \ | -9.7% | -14.7% |
| Livingston | 2,151 | 2,274 | 2,048 | 2,472 | 2,162 | 1.7% | ~/\ | 0.5% | -12.5% |
| Macomb | 13,586 | 14,136 | 12,658 | 14,754 | 14,257 | 10.3% | ~ | 4.9% | -3.4% |
| Monroe | 1,871 | 1,778 | 1,662 | 1,841 | 1,694 | 1.3% | | -9.5% | -8.0% |
| Oakland | 40,219 | 44,474 | 39,030 | 45,418 | 43,058 | 31.7% | | 7.1% | -5.2% |
| St. Clair | 1,807 | 1,697 | 1,461 | 1,730 | 1,788 | 1.2% | | -1.1% | 3.4% |
| Thumb Area | 1,208 | 1,199 | 1,561 | 1,673 | 1,598 | 1.2% | | 32.3% | -4.5% |
| Washtenaw | 11,192 | 11,812 | 10,540 | 11,951 | 11,020 | 8.3% | | -1.5% | -7.8% |
| Wayne | 50,930 | 55,824 | 51,993 | 55,886 | 54,770 | 39.0% | | 7.5% | -2.0% |
| Outer Wayne | 23,188 | 25,398 | 24,027 | 26,590 | 26,314 | 18.6% | / | 13.5% | -1.0% |
| | | | | | | | | | |
| Prosperity Region 6 | 8,086 | 8,361 | 7,743 | 9,114 | 9,017 | 6.4% | ~ | 11.5% | -1.1% |
| Prosperity Region 9 | 19,124 | 19,704 | 17,929 | 20,499 | 18,663 | 14.3% | | -2.4% | -9.0% |
| Prosperity Region 10 | 104,735 | 114,434 | 103,681 | 116,058 | 112,085 | 81.0% | | 7.0% | -3.4% |

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