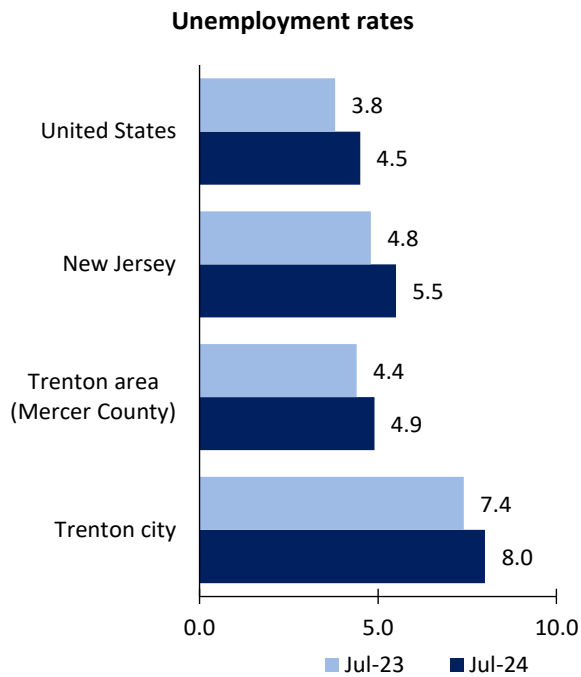


Trenton Area Economic Summary

Updated August 30, 2024

This summary presents a sampling of economic information for the area; supplemental data are provided for regions and the nation. Subjects include **unemployment, employment, wages, prices, spending, and benefits**. All data are not seasonally adjusted and some may be subject to revision. Area definitions may differ by subject. For more area summaries and geographic definitions, see www.bls.gov/regions/economic-summaries.htm.

Unemployment rates for the nation and selected areas

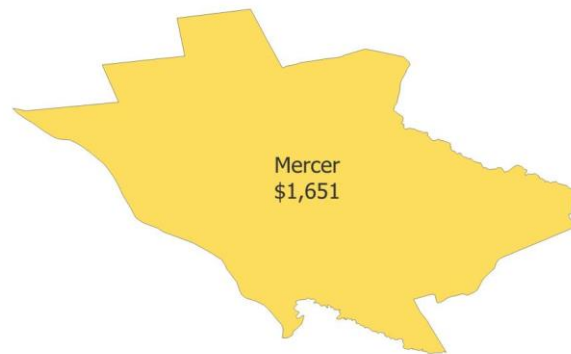


Source: U.S. BLS, Local Area Unemployment Statistics.

Average weekly wages for all industries by county

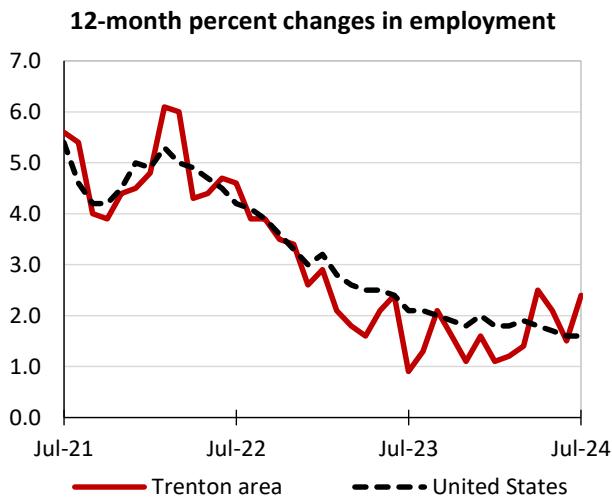
Trenton area, fourth quarter 2023

(U.S. = \$1,435; Area = \$1,651)



Source: U.S. BLS, Quarterly Census of Employment and Wages.

Over-the-year changes in employment on nonfarm payrolls and employment by major industry sector



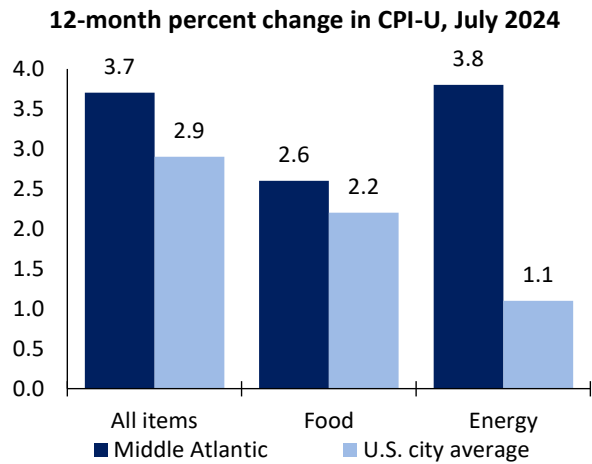
Source: U.S. BLS, Current Employment Statistics.

Trenton area employment (number in thousands)	Jul. 2024	Change from Jul. 2023 to Jul. 2024	
		Number	Percent
Total nonfarm	295.0	6.8	2.4
Mining, logging, and construction	6.2	0.0	0.0
Manufacturing	11.1	0.0	0.0
Trade, transportation, and utilities	40.9	1.0	2.5
Information	4.7	-0.5	-9.6
Financial activities	20.2	-0.2	-1.0
Professional and business services	53.0	0.4	0.8
Education and health services	53.4	3.3	6.6
Leisure and hospitality	15.5	0.1	0.6
Other services	9.2	0.1	1.1
Government	80.8	2.6	3.3

Source: U.S. BLS, Current Employment Statistics.

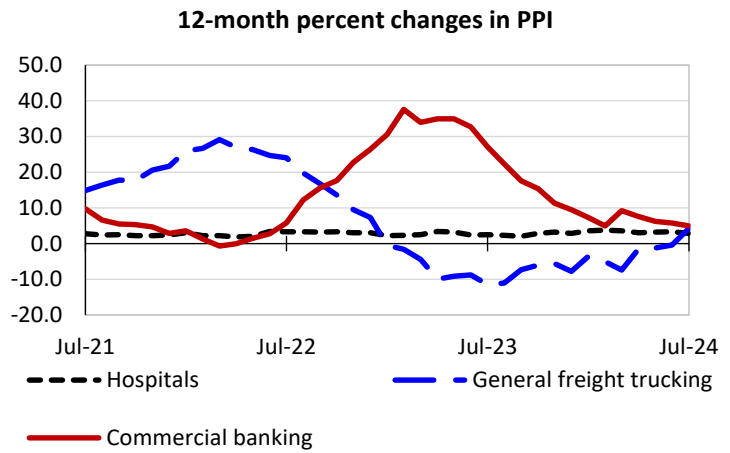


Over-the-year change in the prices paid by urban consumers for selected categories



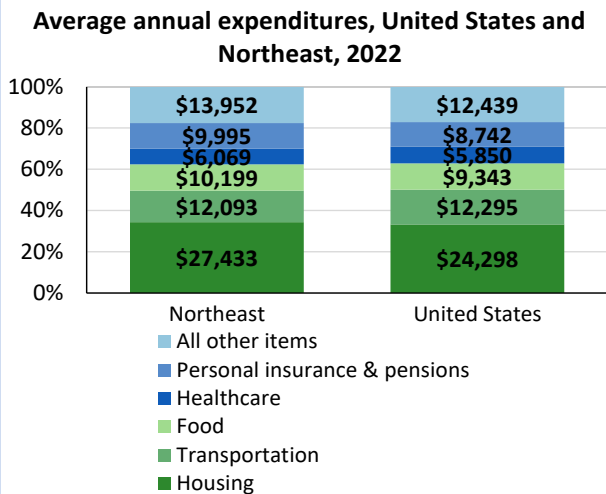
Source: U.S. BLS, Consumer Price Index.

Over-the-year changes in the selling prices received by producers for selected industries nationwide



Source: U.S. BLS, Producer Price Index.

Average annual spending and percent distribution for selected categories



Source: U.S. BLS, Consumer Expenditure Survey.

Average hourly wages for selected occupations

Occupation	Trenton area	United States
All occupations	\$37.49	\$31.48
Software developers	62.41	66.40
Management analysts	48.29	55.54
Accountants and auditors	48.08	43.65
Compliance officers	40.57	38.55
Heavy and tractor-trailer truck drivers	28.23	26.92
Social and human service assistants	25.12	21.27

Source: U.S. BLS, Occupational Employment and Wage Statistics, May 2023.

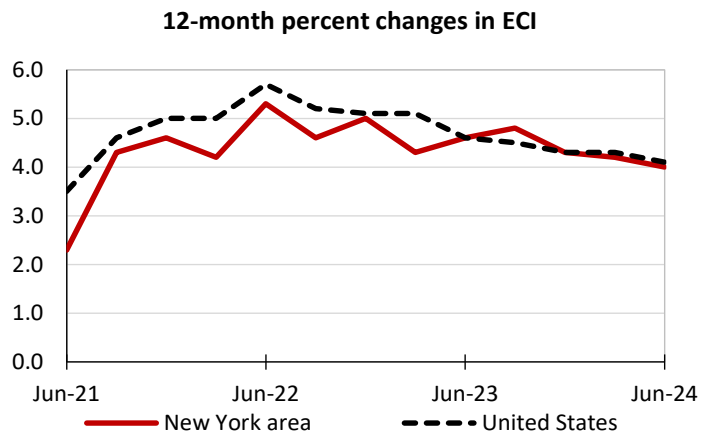
Employer costs per hour worked for wages and selected employee benefits by geographic division

Private industry, March 2024	Middle Atlantic	United States
Total compensation	\$53.35	\$43.78
Wages and salaries	36.97	30.76
Total benefits	16.38	13.02
Paid leave	4.39	3.31
Vacation	2.19	1.69
Supplemental pay	1.87	1.77
Insurance	3.99	3.20
Retirement and savings	2.20	1.52
Legally required benefits	3.94	3.21

(1) The states that compose the Middle Atlantic census division are: NJ, NY, and PA.

Source: U.S. BLS, Employer Costs for Employee Compensation.

Over-the-year changes in wages and salaries



Source: U.S. BLS, Employment Cost Index.

