

COMMUNITY PROFILE

Darlington County



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Labor Market Information

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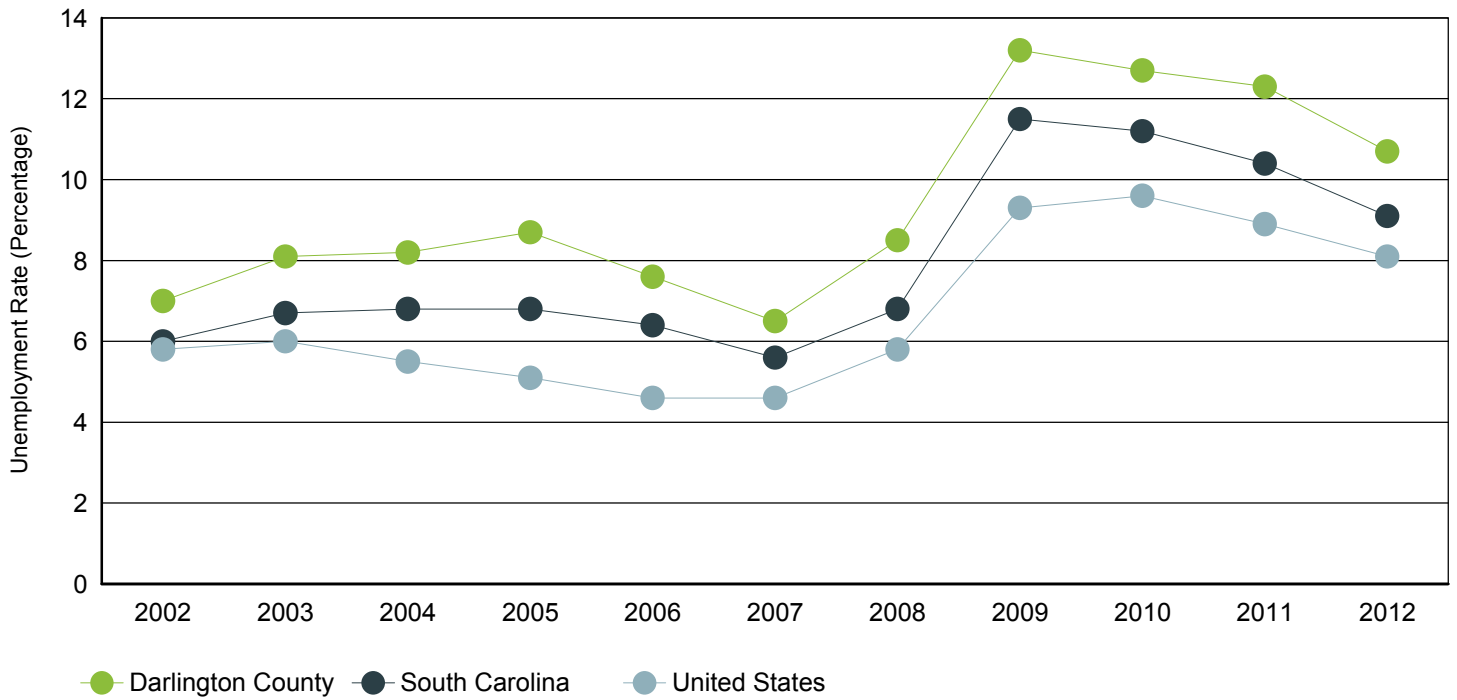
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Annual Unemployment Rate (Unadjusted)

Trends

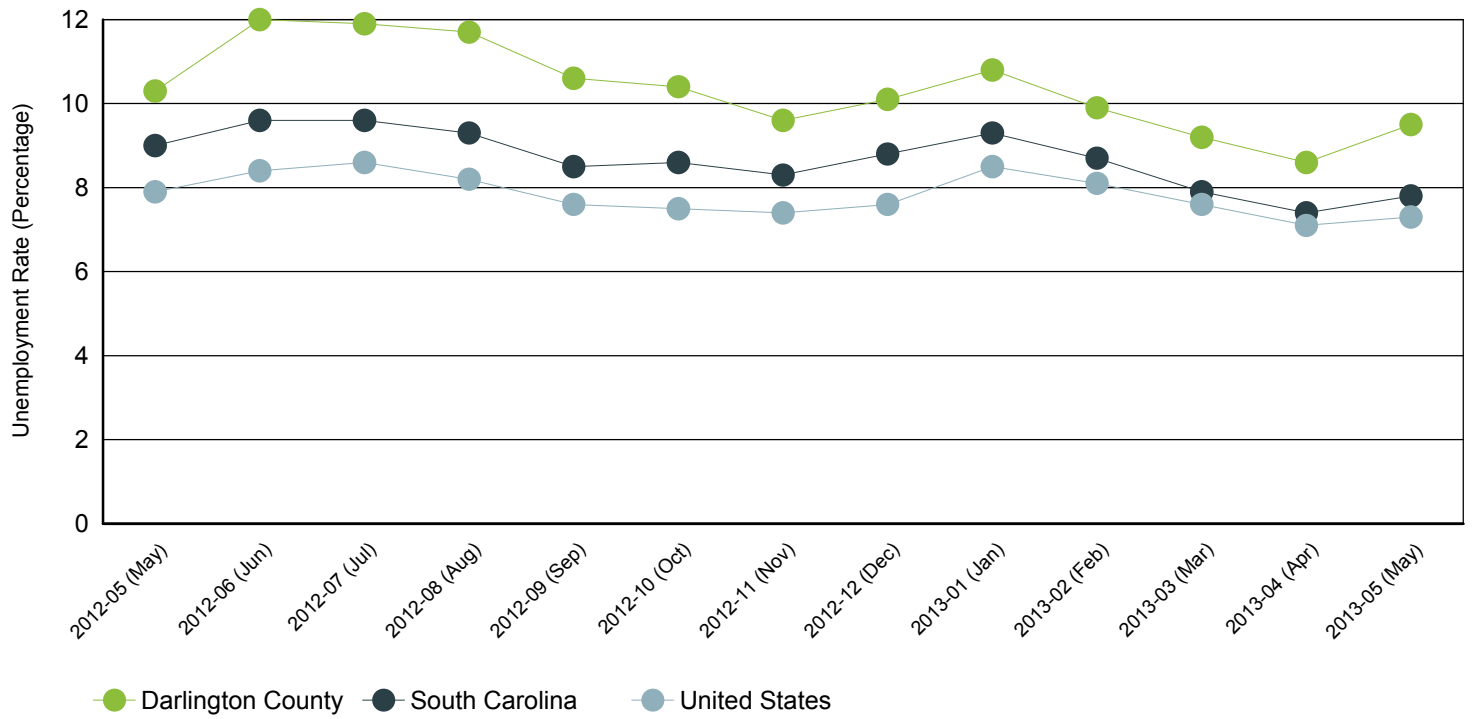


Year	Darlington County			South Carolina			United States		
	Employment	Unemp	Rate	Employment	Unemp	Rate	Employment	Unemp	Rate
2012	27,150	3,247	10.7%	1,970,112	197,083	9.1%	142,469,000	12,506,000	8.1%
2011	26,780	3,751	12.3%	1,941,654	225,657	10.4%	139,869,000	13,747,000	8.9%
2010	26,988	3,924	12.7%	1,917,747	241,452	11.2%	139,064,000	14,825,000	9.6%
2009	27,007	4,115	13.2%	1,908,839	246,945	11.5%	139,877,000	14,265,000	9.3%
2008	28,521	2,635	8.5%	1,998,368	144,925	6.8%	145,362,000	8,924,000	5.8%
2007	28,828	1,989	6.5%	2,010,252	119,068	5.6%	146,047,000	7,078,000	4.6%
2006	28,604	2,352	7.6%	1,970,912	134,123	6.4%	144,427,000	7,001,000	4.6%
2005	27,830	2,668	8.7%	1,922,367	139,983	6.8%	141,730,000	7,591,000	5.1%
2004	28,100	2,523	8.2%	1,888,050	138,430	6.8%	139,252,000	8,149,000	5.5%
2003	28,638	2,534	8.1%	1,854,419	133,257	6.7%	137,736,000	8,774,000	6.0%
2002	28,526	2,146	7.0%	1,826,240	115,907	6.0%	136,485,000	8,378,000	5.8%

Source: S.C. Department of Employment & Workforce

Monthly Unemployment Rate (Unadjusted)

Past 13 Months



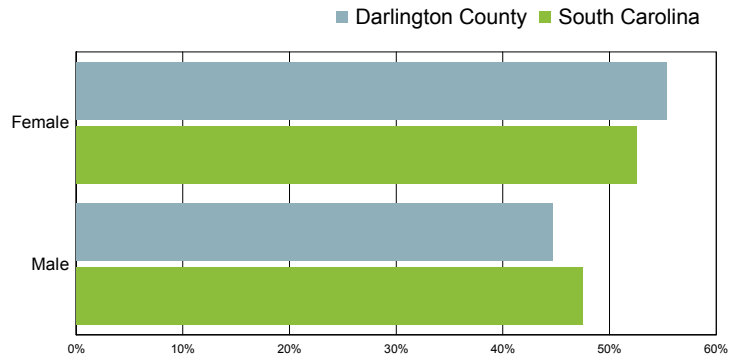
Period	Darlington County	South Carolina	United States
May 2013	9.5%	7.8%	7.3%
Apr 2013	8.6%	7.4%	7.1%
Mar 2013	9.2%	7.9%	7.6%
Feb 2013	9.9%	8.7%	8.1%
Jan 2013	10.8%	9.3%	8.5%
Dec 2012	10.1%	8.8%	7.6%
Nov 2012	9.6%	8.3%	7.4%
Oct 2012	10.4%	8.6%	7.5%
Sep 2012	10.6%	8.5%	7.6%
Aug 2012	11.7%	9.3%	8.2%
Jul 2012	11.9%	9.6%	8.6%
Jun 2012	12.0%	9.6%	8.4%
May 2012	10.3%	9.0%	7.9%

Source: S.C. Department of Employment & Workforce

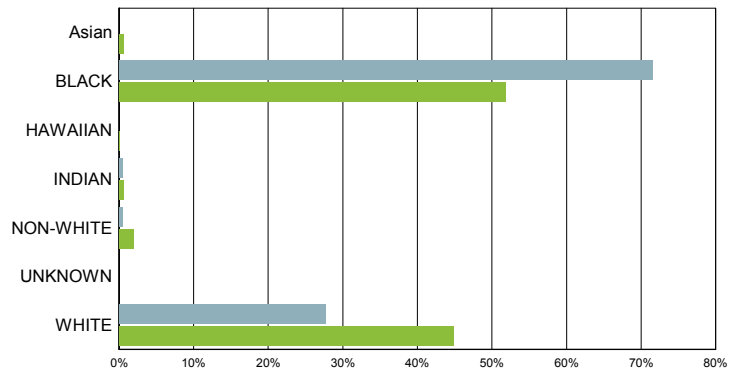
Characteristics of Unemployment Insurance Claimants

May 2013

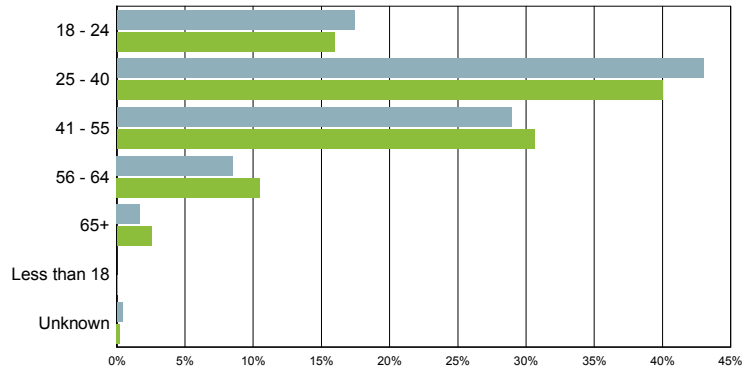
Gender	Darlington County	South Carolina
Female	130	7,596
Male	105	6,863



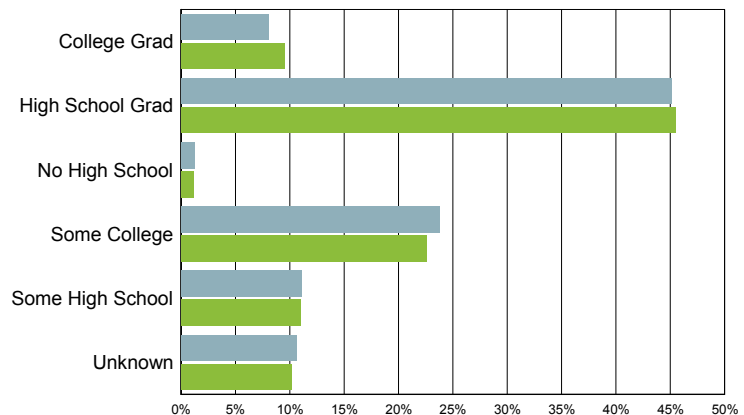
Race	Darlington County	South Carolina
Asian	0	82
BLACK	168	7,500
INDIAN	1	81
NON-WHITE	1	282
WHITE	65	6,488



Age Group	Darlington County	South Carolina
18 - 24	41	2,310
25 - 40	101	5,785
41 - 55	68	4,430
56 - 64	20	1,520
65+	4	370
Less than 18	0	8
Unknown	1	36



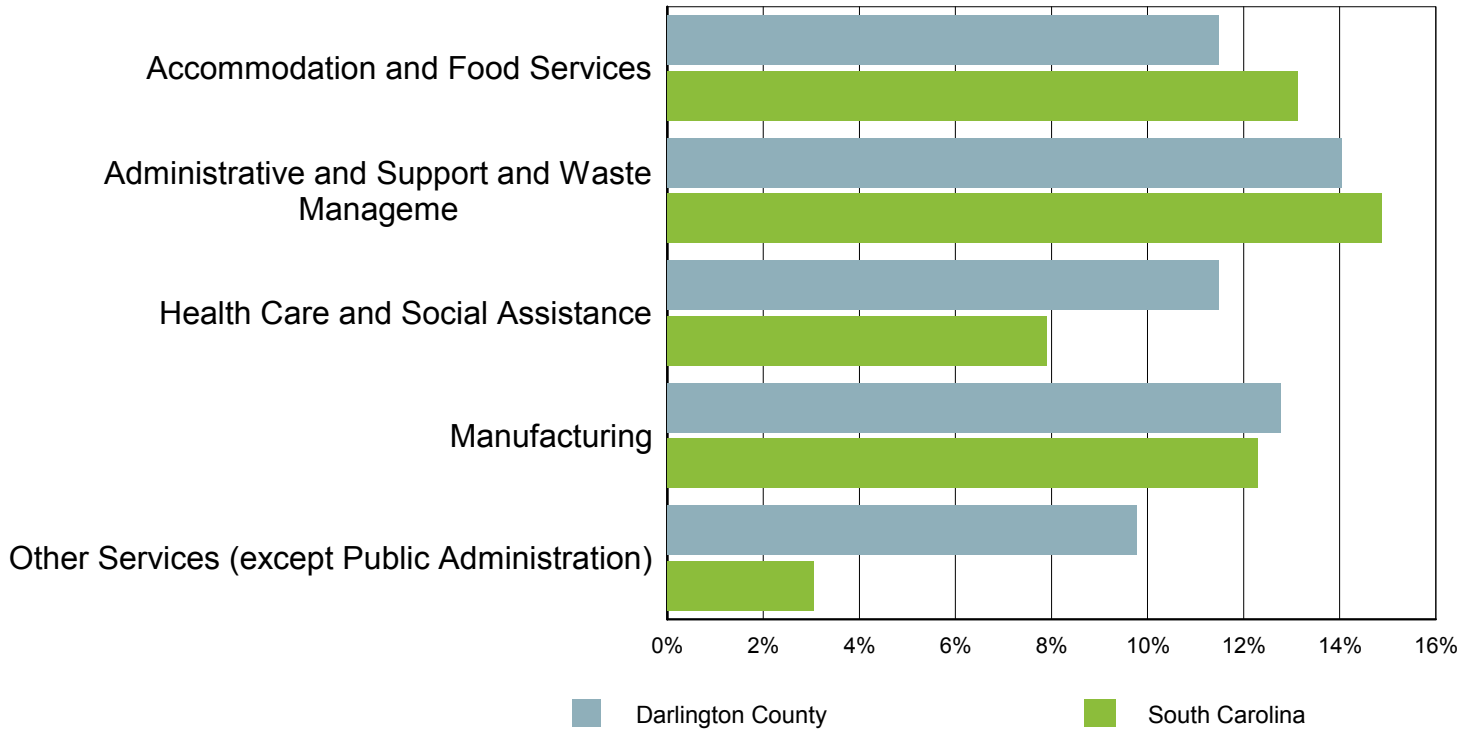
Education	Darlington County	South Carolina
College Grad	19	1,375
Some College	56	3,268
High School Grad	106	6,583
Some High School	26	1,590
No High School	3	168
Unknown	25	1,475



Source: S.C. Department of Employment & Workforce

Characteristics of Unemployment Insurance Claims by Industry

Industry Groups With Largest Number of Claims
May 2013



Industry	Darlington County	South Carolina
Construction	19	802
Manufacturing	30	1,779
Wholesale Trade	5	418
Retail Trade	22	1,568
Transportation and Warehousing	3	269
Finance and Insurance	4	239
Real Estate and Rental and Leasing	3	183
Professional, Scientific, and Technical Servi	6	686
Management of Companies and Enterprises	2	38
Administrative and Support and Waste Manageme	33	2,153
Educational Services	3	311
Health Care and Social Assistance	27	1,144
Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation	1	118
Accommodation and Food Services	27	1,902
Other Services (except Public Administration)	23	442
Public Administration	3	204
Unknown	24	1,962

Source: S.C. Department of Employment & Workforce

Characteristics of Unemployment Insurance Claims by Occupation

Occupation Groups With Largest Number of Claims
May 2013



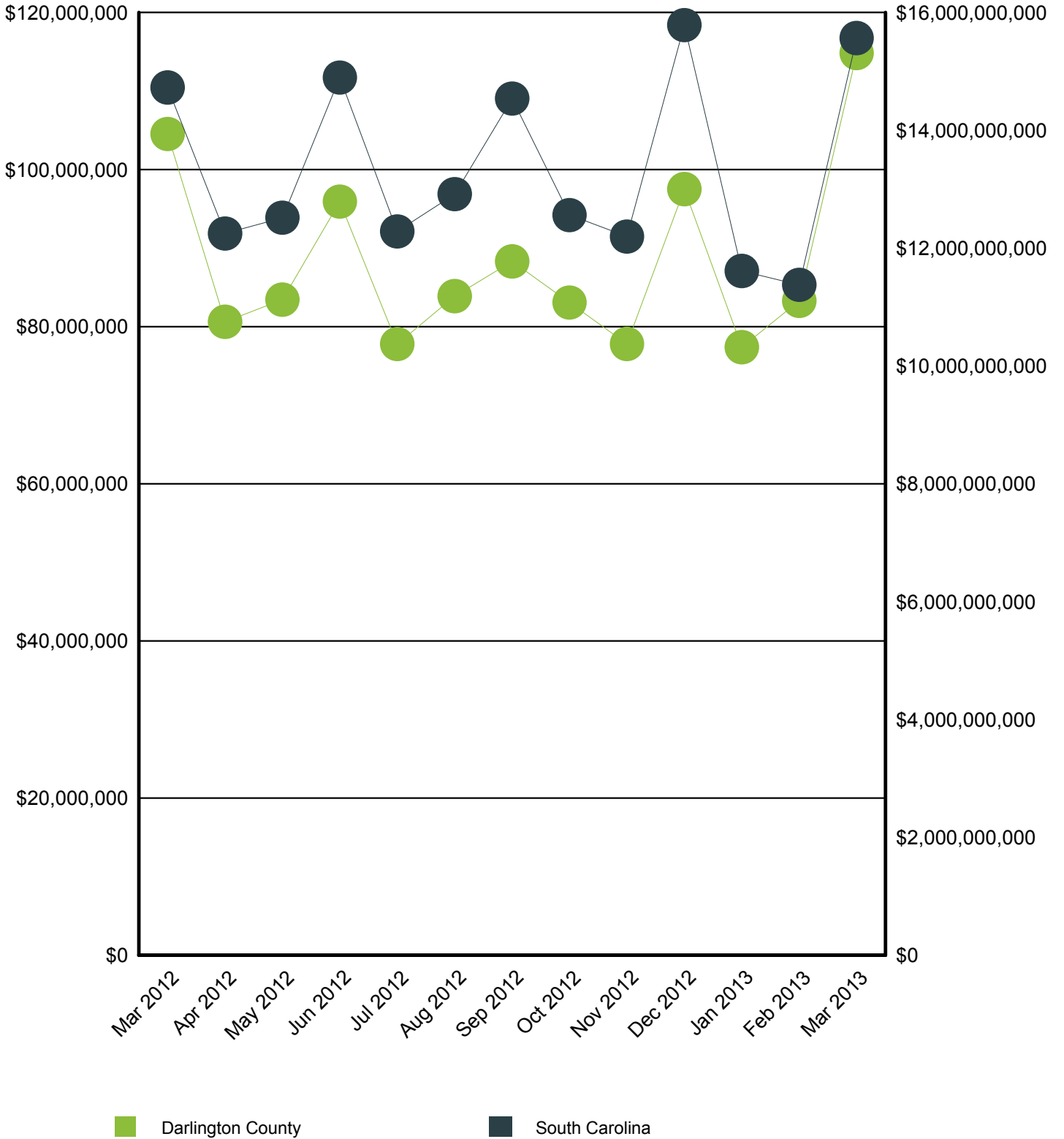
Occupation	Darlington County	South Carolina
Arts, Design, Entertainment, Sports, and Media Occ	1	90
Building and Grounds Cleaning and Maintenance Occu	8	570
Business and Financial Operations Occupations	8	457
Community and Social Service Occupations	2	97
Construction and Extraction Occupations	21	885
Education, Training, and Library Occupations	8	462
Food Preparation and Serving Related Occupations	29	2,049
Healthcare Practitioners and Technical Occupations	3	282
Healthcare Support Occupations	17	609
Installation, Maintenance, and Repair Occupations	8	441
Management Occupations	8	683
Military Specific Occupations	2	111
Office and Administrative Support Occupations	17	968
Personal Care and Service Occupations	4	219
Production Occupations	29	2,626
Protective Service Occupations	3	175
Sales and Related Occupations	20	1,633
Transportation and Material Moving Occupations	13	573
Unknown	34	1,061

Source: S.C. Department of Employment & Workforce

Retail Sales

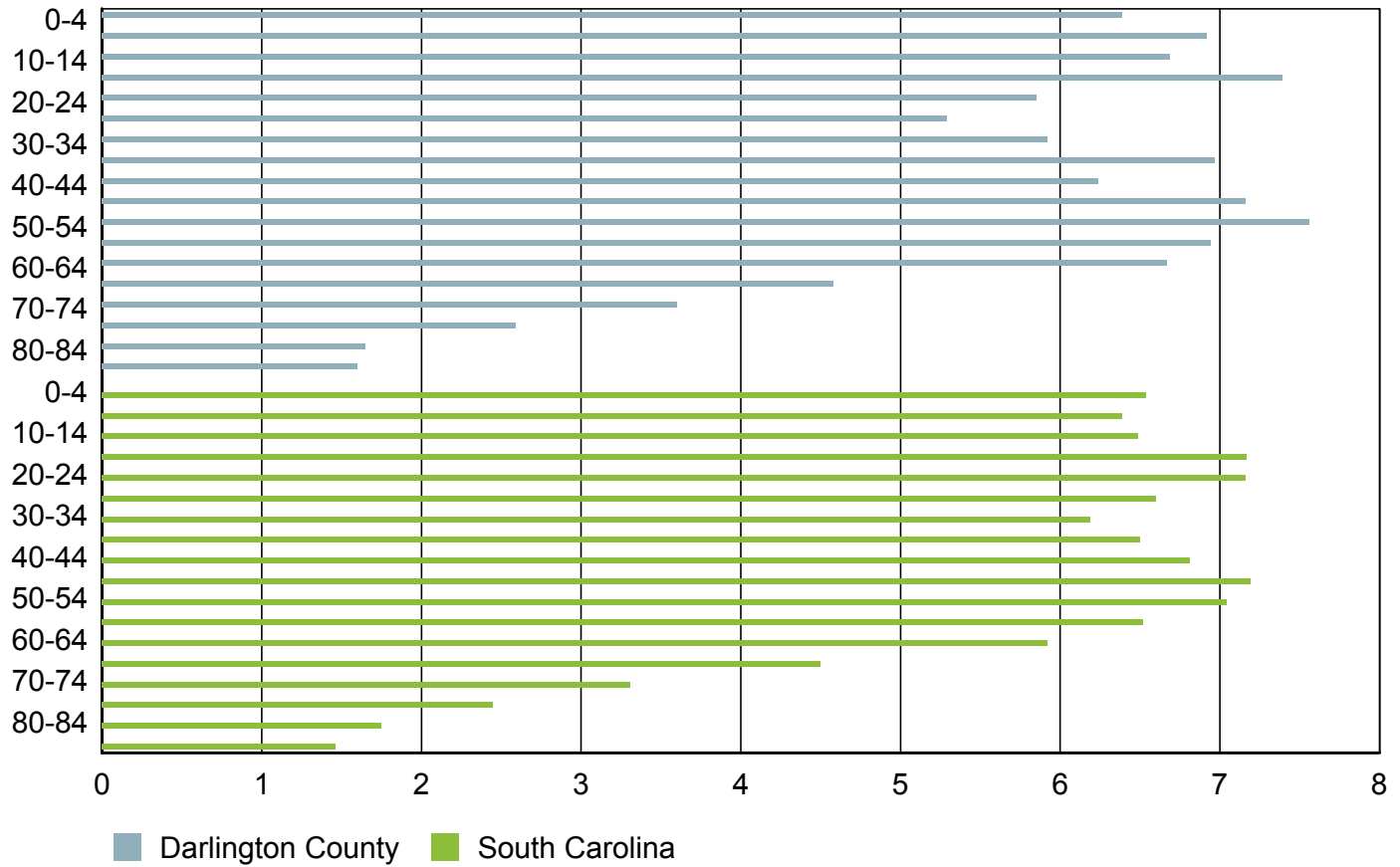
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Source: S.C. Department of Revenue

Population by Age



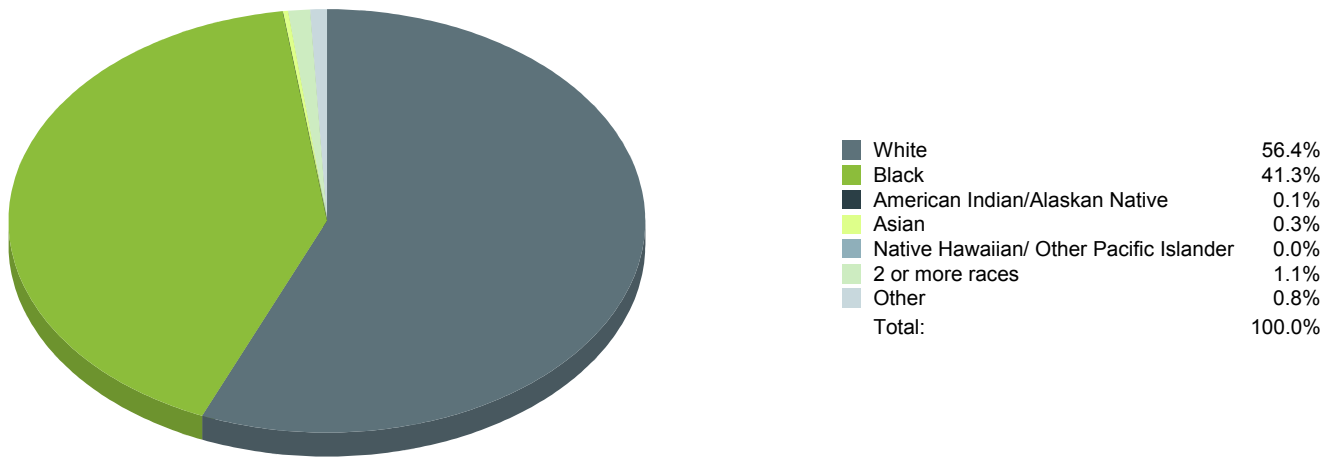
Age Range	Darlington County	South Carolina	United States
0-4	4,382	299,328	20,170,377
5-9	4,745	292,378	20,207,046
10-14	4,590	297,045	20,631,572
15-19	5,070	327,882	22,083,463
20-24	4,009	327,799	21,463,191
25-29	3,630	302,121	20,940,180
30-34	4,061	283,397	19,728,641
35-39	4,778	297,283	20,367,911
40-44	4,279	311,606	21,315,317
45-49	4,907	329,132	22,654,947
50-54	5,182	322,250	21,924,721
55-59	4,761	298,425	19,215,139
60-64	4,577	270,722	16,292,447
65-69	3,141	206,047	11,984,083
70-74	2,466	151,529	9,168,648
75-79	1,774	112,287	7,365,437
80-84	1,131	79,905	5,753,990
85 and older	1,098	66,728	5,336,662

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

Population by Race

Race	Darlington County	%	South Carolina	%	United States	%
White	38,644	56.4%	3,075,318	67.2%	227,167,013	74.1%
Black	28,314	41.3%	1,281,627	28.0%	38,395,857	12.5%
American Indian/Alaskan Native	98	0.1%	14,939	0.3%	2,502,653	0.8%
Asian	208	0.3%	56,575	1.2%	14,497,185	4.7%
Native Hawaiian/ Other Pacific Islander	0	0.0%	1,920	0.0%	500,592	0.2%
2 or more races	786	1.1%	72,080	1.6%	7,816,654	2.5%
Other	531	0.8%	73,405	1.6%	15,723,818	5.1%

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



Population by Gender

Gender	Darlington County	South Carolina	United States
Male	32,574	2,227,017	150,740,216
Female	36,007	2,348,847	155,863,556

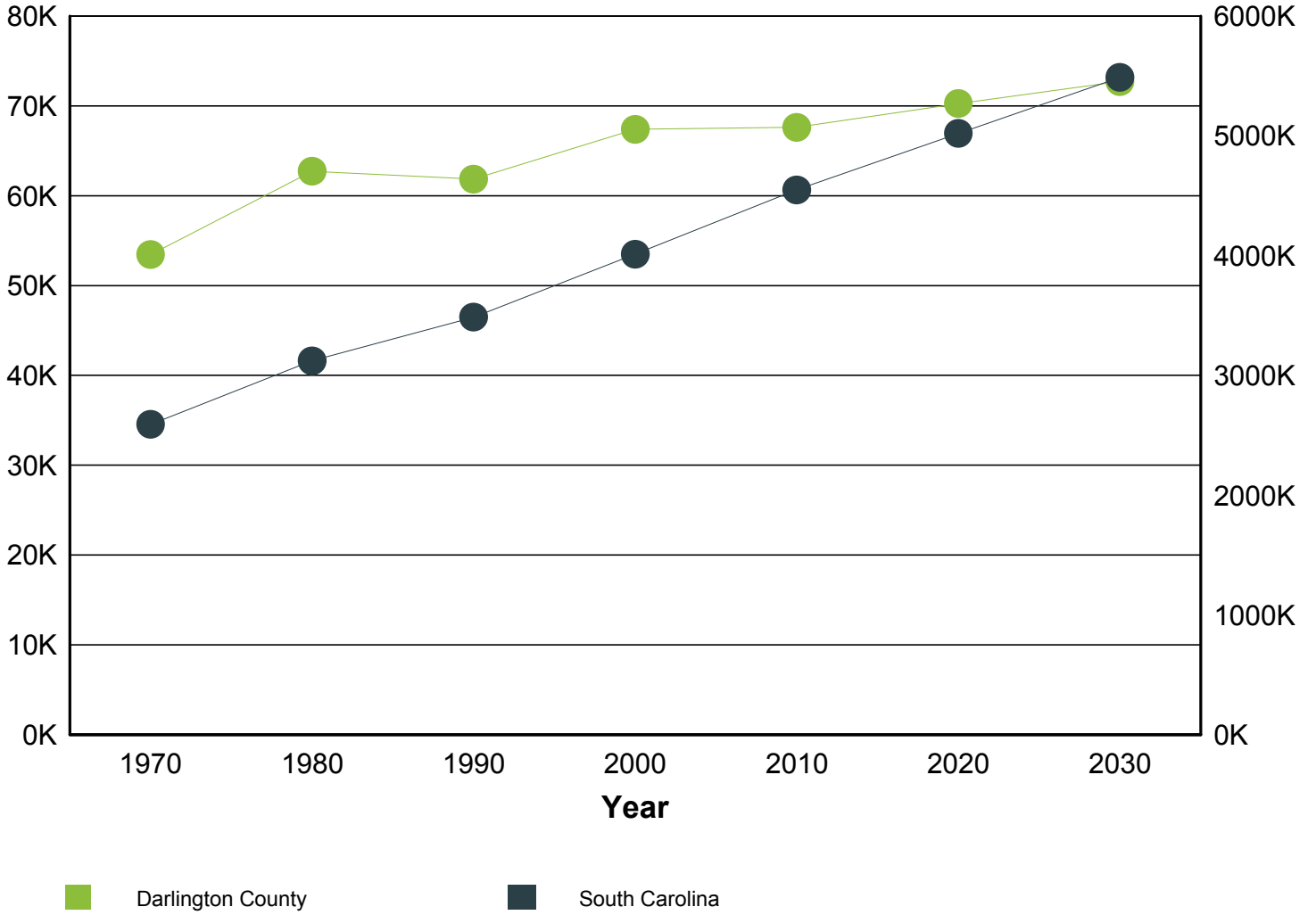
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Population Change

Historical and Projected

Darlington County

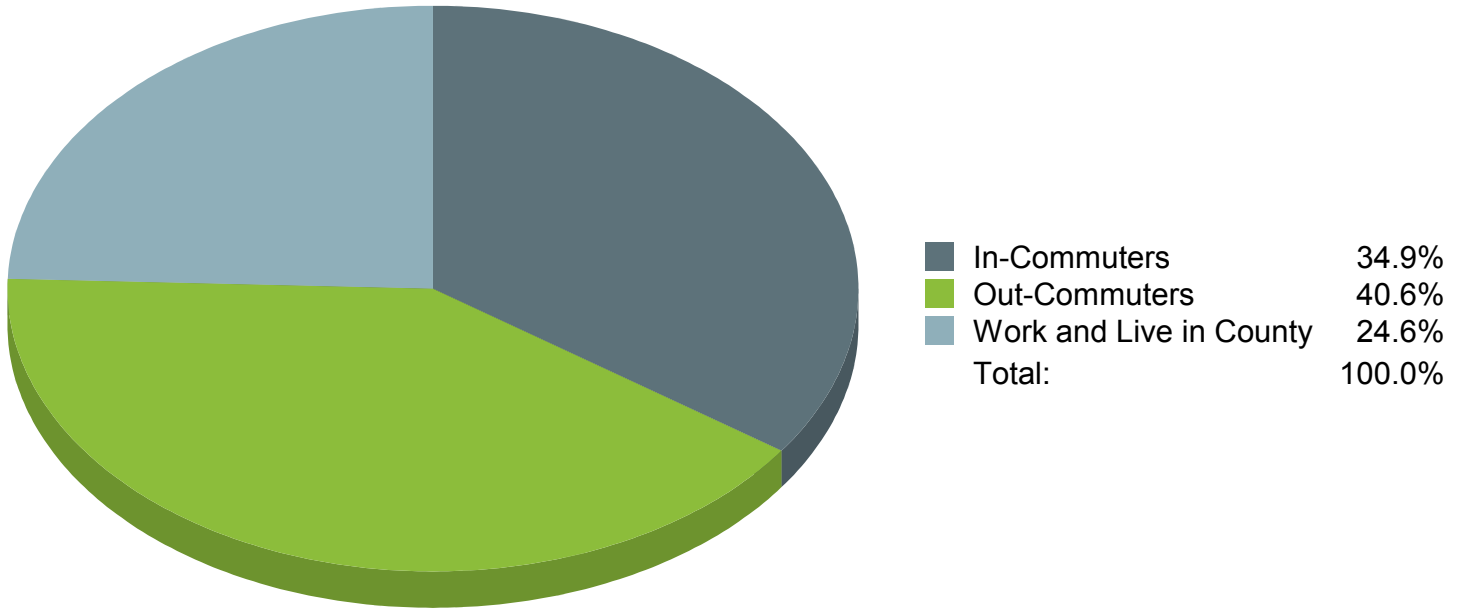
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Year	Darlington County	South Carolina
1970	53,442	2,590,713
1980	62,717	3,121,820
1990	61,851	3,486,310
2000	67,394	4,012,012
2010	67,620	4,549,150
2020	70,260	5,020,400
2030	72,710	5,488,460

Source: U.S. Census Bureau

Commuting Patterns



Commuting Patterns	Workers
Work and Live in County	16,663
In-Commuters	23,639
Out-Commuters	27,513

Source: U.S. Census Bureau - 2010

Top 10 Places Residents Are Commuting To

Area	Workers
Florence County, SC	8,050
Chesterfield County, SC	881
Lee County, SC	363
Marlboro County, SC	278
Sumter County, SC	160
Richland County, SC	108
Kershaw County, SC	104
Lexington County, SC	103
Horry County, SC	70
WAKE COUNTY, NC	57

Source: U.S. Census Bureau - 2010

Top 10 Places Residents Are Commuting From

Area	Workers
Florence County, SC	3,212
Chesterfield County, SC	1,827
Lee County, SC	488
Kershaw County, SC	194
Marlboro County, SC	132
Horry County, SC	124
Richland County, SC	122
Sumter County, SC	113
LEE COUNTY, NC	80
Dillon County, SC	74

Source: U.S. Census Bureau - 2010

Employers by Size of Establishment

Employees	Darlington County	South Carolina
0 to 4	553	64,868
5 to 9	219	19,977
10 to 19	133	13,143
20 to 49	105	9,836
50 to 99	41	3,858
100 to 249	25	2,442
250 to 499	7	766
500 to 999	0	333
1000 +	0	276

Source: S.C. Department of Employment & Workforce - 2012 Q4
 - Indicates that the requested data is suppressed

Employment by Size of Establishment

Employees	Darlington County	South Carolina
0 to 4	1,064	105,100
5 to 9	1,443	132,514
10 to 19	1,784	178,714
20 to 49	3,225	302,060
50 to 99	2,819	267,914
100 to 249	3,760	367,338
250 to 499	2,810	264,598
500 to 999	0	231,504
1000 +	0	688,039

Source: S.C. Department of Employment & Workforce - 2012 Q4
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20 Largest Employers

(Listed Alphabetically)

Corporation Name

CARESOUTH CAROLINA INC.

CITI TRENDS INC

COKER COLLEGE

DARLINGTON CNTY DISABILITIES & SPEC

DARLINGTON COUNTY

DARLINGTON COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT

DIXIE CONSUMER PRODUCTS LLC

GALEY & LORD INDUSTRIES LLC

HARTSVILLE HMA INC

MANHEIM REMARKETING INC

MOR PPM INC

MORRELL NURSING CENTER LLC

NOC HOME CARE LLC

NUCOR CORPORATION

PROGRESS ENERGY CAROLINAS INC

ROLLER BEARING CO. OF AMERICA INC.

SC BAPTIST MINISTRIES FOR THE AGING

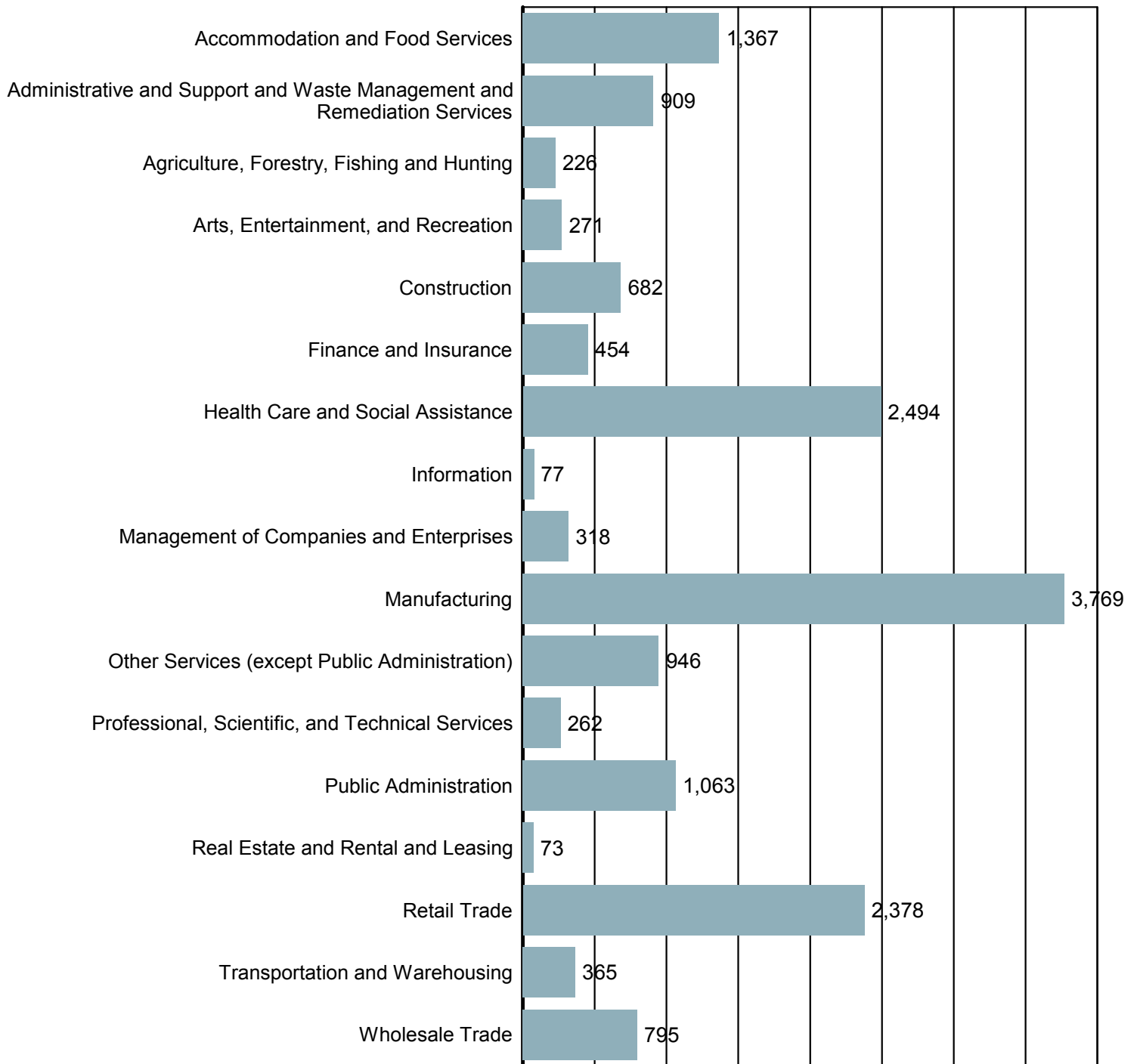
SONOCO PRODUCTS COMPANY

WAL-MART ASSOCIATES INC

WEST OIL COMPANY INC

Source: S.C. Department of Employment & Workforce - 2012 Q4

Employment by Industry

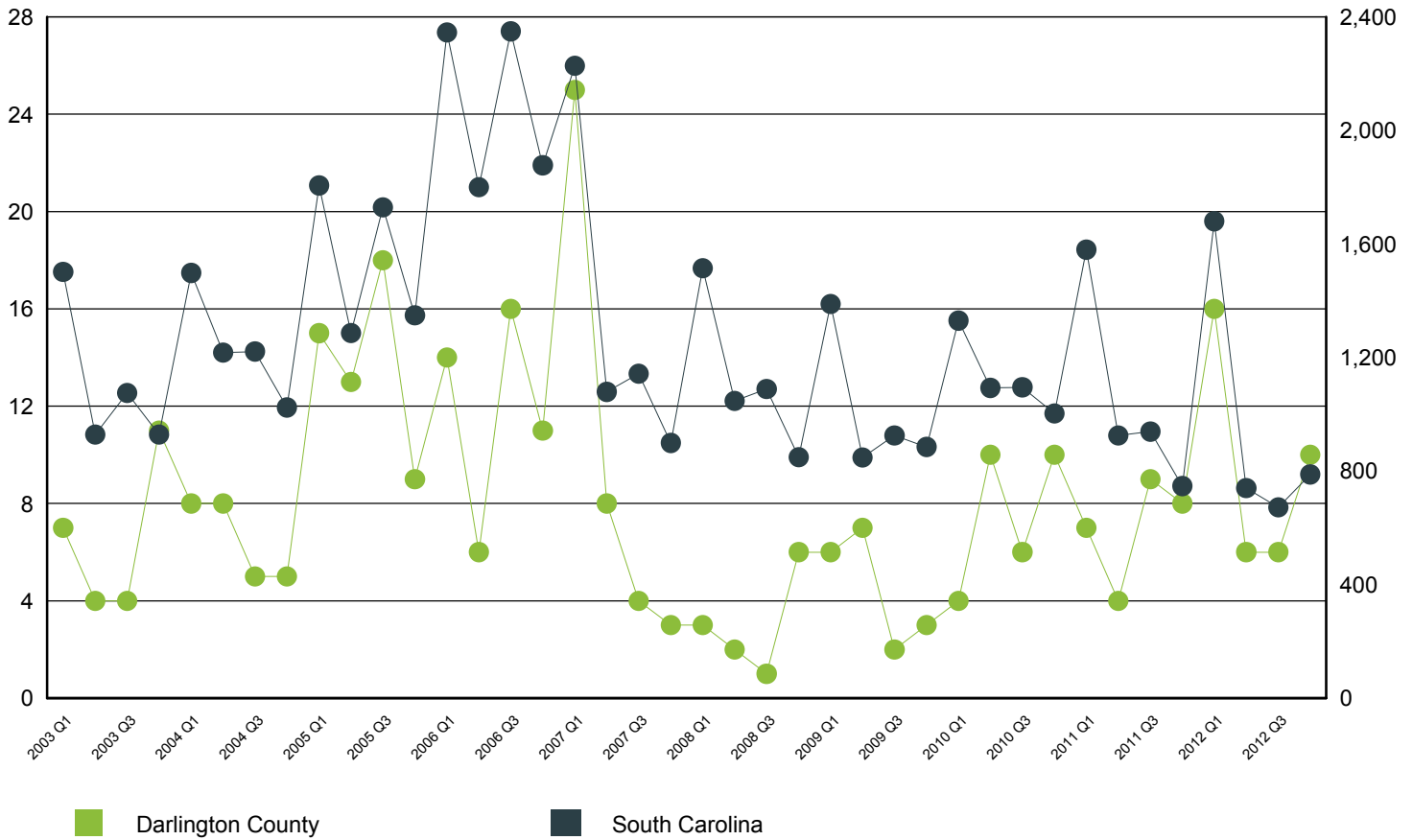


Source: S.C. Department of Employment & Workforce
 Quarterly Census of Employment and Wages (QCEW) - 2012 Q4

New Startup Firms

Darlington County

South Carolina

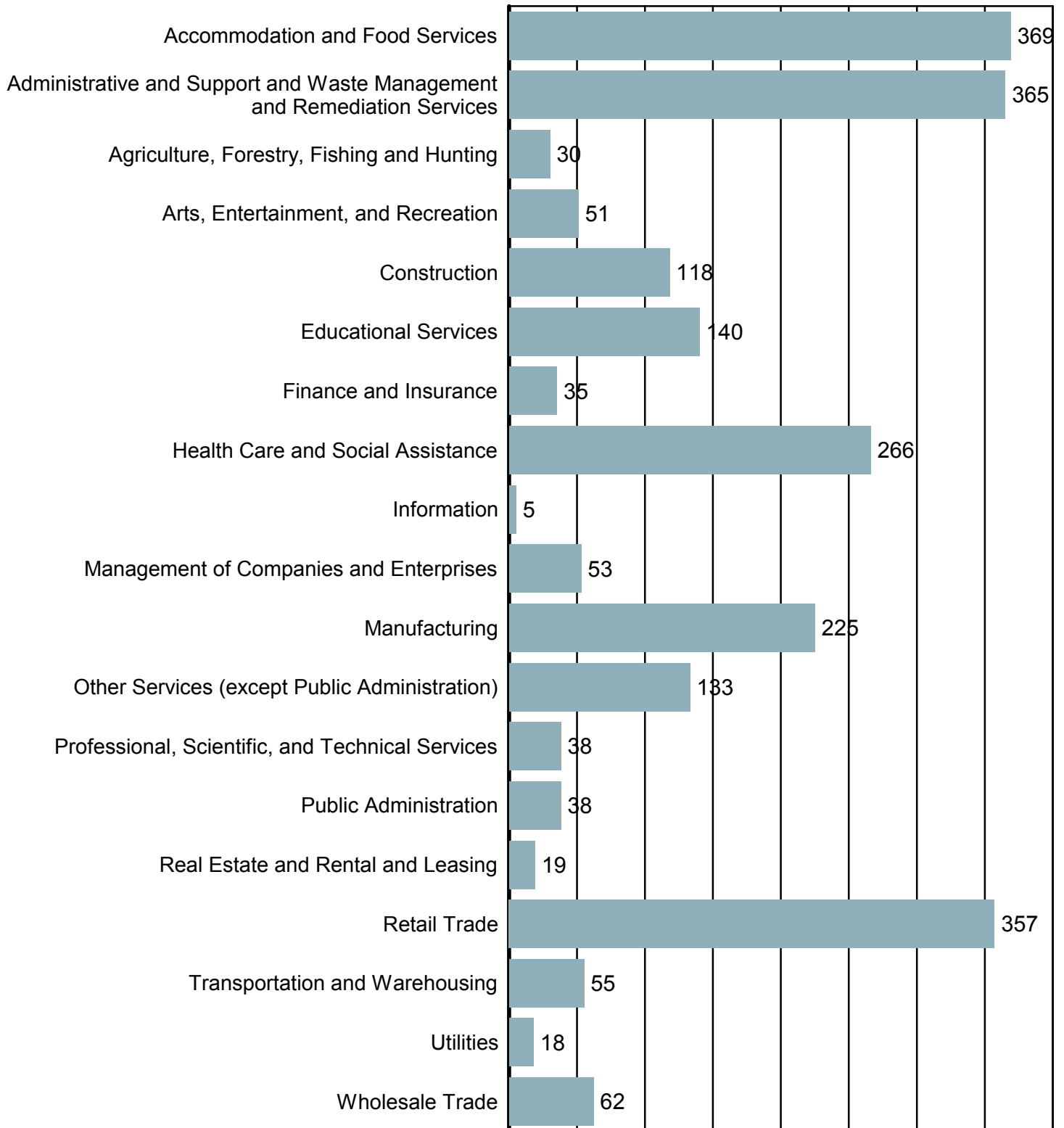


Quarter	Darlington County	South Carolina
2012 Q4	10	788
2012 Q3	6	672
2012 Q2	6	740
2012 Q1	16	1,680
2011 Q4	8	747
2011 Q3	9	939
2011 Q2	4	925
2011 Q1	7	1,580
2010 Q4	10	1,003
2010 Q3	6	1,095
2010 Q2	10	1,093
2010 Q1	4	1,330
2009 Q4	3	885
2009 Q3	2	925
2009 Q2	7	848
2009 Q1	6	1,389
2008 Q4	6	849
2008 Q3	1	1,089
2008 Q2	2	1,047
2008 Q1	3	1,515

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.

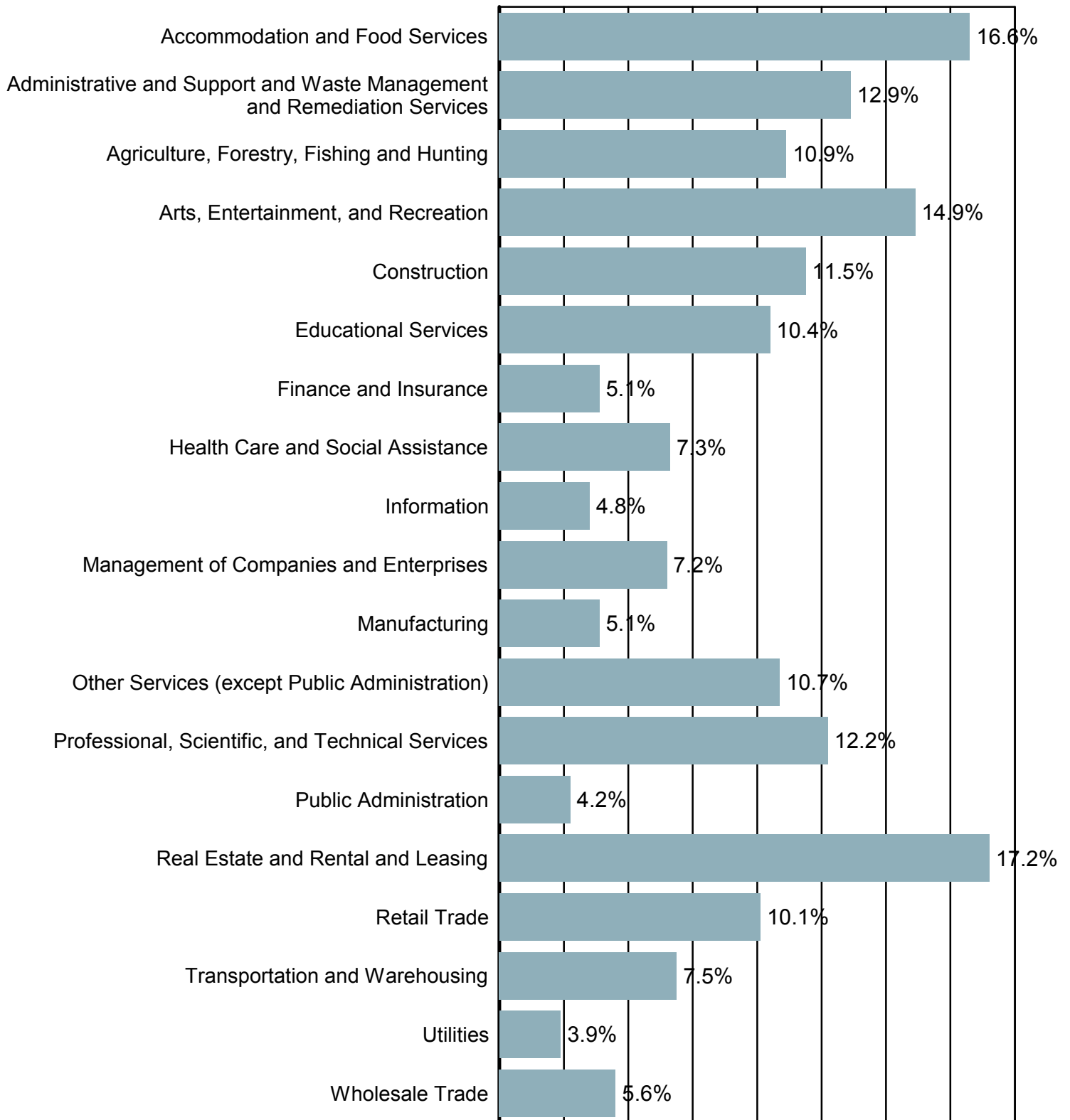
Source: S.C. Department of Employment & Workforce

New Hires by Industry



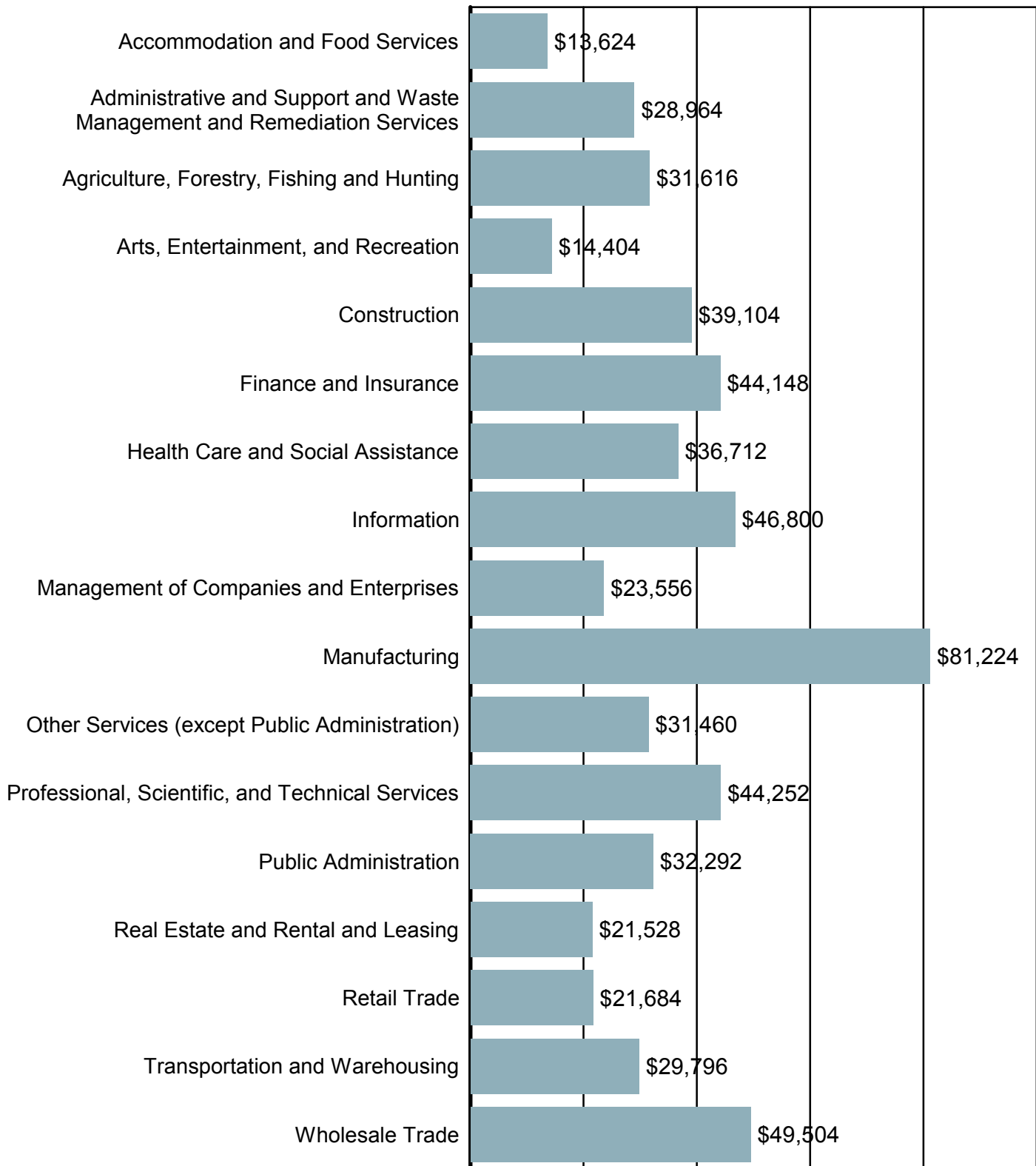
Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Local Employment Dynamics - 2011 Q3

Turnover by Industry



Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Local Employment Dynamics - 2011 Q2

Average Annual Wage by Industry



Source: S.C. Department of Employment & Workforce
 Quarterly Census of Employment and Wages (QCEW) - 2012 Q4

Age of Workers by Industry

Industry	14-18	19-21	22-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+
Total, All Industries	369	888	975	3,412	4,408	4,730	3,435	1,026
Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing and Hunting	11	4	5	33	38	63	43	17
Utilities	2	12	18	100	138	243	141	3
Construction	11	18	31	121	149	173	111	47
Manufacturing	11	57	94	581	1,166	1,246	910	97
Wholesale Trade	0	24	37	152	224	231	184	154
Retail Trade	108	235	193	446	435	420	319	122
Transportation and Warehousing	0	13	22	78	161	166	116	28
Information	0	4	8	15	10	12	5	6
Finance and Insurance	5	14	17	102	90	97	76	37
Real Estate and Rental and Leasing	0	0	5	10	15	20	11	5
Professional, Scientific, and Technical Servi	7	6	15	59	57	62	59	30
Management of Companies and Enterprises	0	9	20	75	72	62	38	20
Administrative and Support and Waste Manageme	13	66	74	259	258	308	210	83
Educational Services	7	45	35	173	246	310	271	47
Health Care and Social Assistance	9	78	129	628	757	681	407	114
Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation	45	52	27	29	48	63	38	15
Accommodation and Food Services	113	195	169	263	155	123	89	40
Other Services (except Public Administration)	9	41	48	141	206	235	213	88
Public Administration	9	13	29	147	182	216	194	73

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Local Employment Dynamics - 2011 Q3

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.

Pee Dee Industry	2008 Estimated Employment	2018 Projected Employment	Change	Percent Change	Annual Percent
Total Employment, All Jobs	134,254	140,226	5,972	4.45	0.44
Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing and Hunting	3,433	2,099	-1,334	-38.86	-4.80
Mining	201	210	9	4.48	0.44
Utilities	862	834	-28	-3.25	-0.33
Construction	4,547	4,380	-167	-3.67	-0.37
Manufacturing	23,573	21,116	-2,457	-10.42	-1.09
Wholesale Trade	4,597	5,083	486	10.57	1.01
Retail Trade	15,758	16,094	336	2.13	0.21
Transportation and Warehousing	4,108	4,581	473	11.51	1.10
Information	1,301	1,305	4	0.31	0.03
Finance and Insurance	4,294	4,699	405	9.43	0.91
Real Estate and Rental and Leasing	891	1,039	148	16.61	1.55
Professional, Scientific, and Technical Services	2,482	3,054	572	23.05	2.10
Management of Companies and Enterprises	875	1,299	424	48.46	4.03
Administrative and Support and Waste Management and Remediat	3,976	4,687	711	17.88	1.66
Educational Services	10,946	11,839	893	8.16	0.79
Health Care and Social Assistance	18,891	23,051	4,160	22.02	2.01
Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation	1,035	1,162	127	12.27	1.16
Accommodation and Food Services	9,472	10,114	642	6.78	0.66
Other Services (Except Government)	4,911	4,943	32	0.65	0.07
Government	10,448	10,988	540	5.17	0.51

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.

Pee Dee Occupation	2008 Estimated Employment	2018 Projected Employment	Annual Openings	Openings (Replace)	Openings (Growth)
Total, All Occupations	134,254	140,226	3,043	1,013	4,056
Management Occupations	6,228	5,994	152	22	174
Business and Financial Operations Occupations	4,199	4,751	82	56	138
Computer and Mathematical Occupations	985	1,114	20	15	35
Architecture and Engineering Occupations	1,519	1,528	34	8	42
Life, Physical, and Social Science Occupations	753	780	24	5	29
Community and Social Services Occupations	3,038	3,331	68	29	97
Legal Occupations	728	805	12	8	20
Education, Training, and Library Occupations	7,688	8,527	171	84	255
Arts, Design, Entertainment, Sports, and Media Occ	1,018	1,069	25	10	35
Healthcare Practitioners and Technical Occupations	9,200	10,805	195	161	356
Healthcare Support Occupations	4,935	6,431	52	150	202
Protective Service Occupations	3,051	3,313	81	26	107
Food Preparation and Serving Related Occupations	9,693	10,480	304	79	383
Building & Grounds Cleaning & Maintenance Occup.	4,533	4,655	79	17	96
Personal Care and Service Occupations	3,029	3,708	79	72	151
Sales and Related Occupations	13,893	14,492	428	64	492
Office and Administrative Support Occupations	19,733	20,707	409	136	545
Farming, Fishing, and Forestry Occupations	2,588	1,752	69	2	71
Construction and Extraction Occupations	5,248	4,979	96	4	100
Installation, Maintenance, and Repair Occupations	6,015	6,060	120	18	138
Production Occupations	16,038	14,708	316	19	335
Transportation and Material Moving Occupations	10,142	10,237	229	29	258

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.

Occupation	2008		2018		Replace	Growth	Total	Average Salary
	Estimated Employment	Projected Employment	Percent Change	Projected Employment				
Personal and Home Care Aides	505	852	69	6	35	41	\$ 18,901	
Medical Equipment Repairers	21	33	57	1	1	2	\$ 38,178	
Transportation Inspectors	10	15	50	0	1	1	\$ 64,996	
Personal Financial Advisors	79	116	47	1	4	5	\$ 58,922	
Pharmacy Technicians	505	700	39	13	20	33	\$ 26,842	
Mental Health Counselors	18	23	28	0	1	1	\$ 48,799	
Insurance Sales Agents	332	419	26	8	9	17	\$ 52,761	
Paralegals and Legal Assistants	197	244	24	2	5	7	\$ 33,702	
Pharmacists	360	445	24	8	9	17	\$ 116,624	
Compliance Officers, Except Agriculture, Construct	119	148	24	1	3	4	\$ 42,809	
Nursing Aides, Orderlies, and Attendants	2,364	2,914	23	24	55	79	\$ 19,973	
Recreational Therapists	13	16	23	1	0	1	\$ 48,179	
Fitness Trainers and Aerobics Instructors	158	194	23	3	4	7	\$ 30,885	
First-Line Super./Manag., Personal Service Workers	297	365	23	8	7	15	\$ 27,702	
Surgical Technologists	288	350	22	7	6	13	\$ 37,336	
Instructional Coordinators	165	201	22	4	4	8	\$ 57,920	
Biological Technicians	27	33	22	1	1	2	\$ 30,592	
Dental Assistants	177	215	21	3	4	7	\$ 31,860	
Respiratory Therapists	114	138	21	2	2	4	\$ 46,556	
Veterinarians	24	29	21	0	1	1	\$ 107,323	

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.

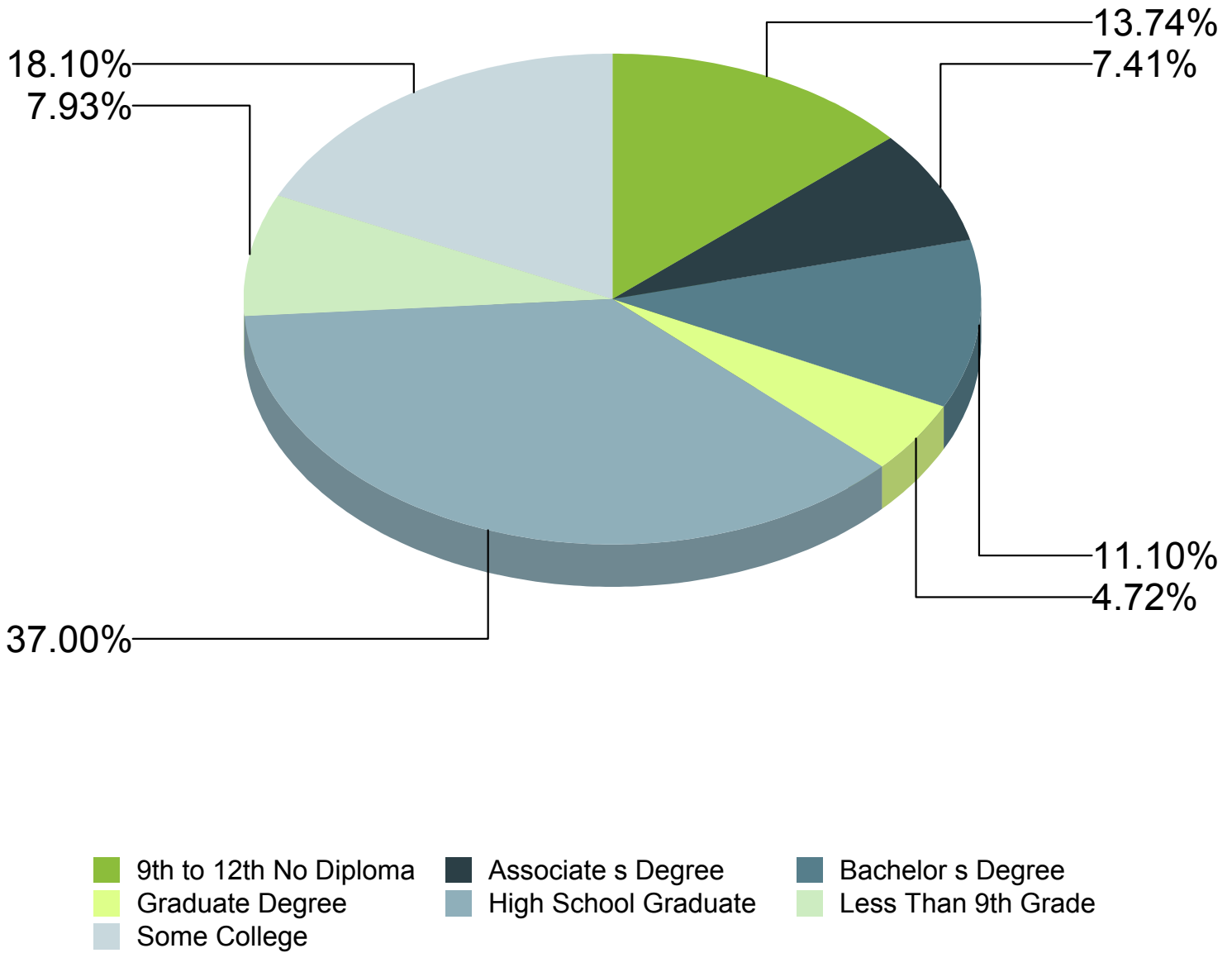
Occupation	2008	2018	Percent Change	Replace	Growth	Total	Average Salary
	Estimated Employment	Projected Employment					
Sewing Machine Operators	153	78	-49	1	0	1	\$ 20,584
Farmworkers & Laborers, Crop, Nursery & Greenhouse	1,567	951	-39	42	0	42	\$ 18,766
Agricultural Equipment Operators	175	109	-38	5	0	5	\$ 18,037
Order Clerks	48	30	-38	1	0	1	\$ 27,202
Maintenance Workers, Machinery	136	93	-32	2	0	2	\$ 40,522
Pressers, Textile, Garment, and Related Materials	94	70	-26	0	0	0	\$ 17,635
Postal Service Mail Sorters, Processors, and Proce	154	114	-26	1	0	1	\$ 45,884
File Clerks	98	73	-26	2	0	2	\$ 21,618
Computer Operators	65	51	-22	1	0	1	\$ 35,895
Industrial Engineering Technicians	178	141	-21	3	0	3	\$ 41,475
Grinding, Lapping, Polishing, and Buffing Machine	271	222	-18	4	0	4	\$ 35,424
Roofers	42	35	-17	1	0	1	\$ 23,436
Computer, Automated Teller & Office Mach. Repairer	25	21	-16	0	0	0	\$ 31,315
Cutting, Punching, and Press Machine Setters, Oper	323	272	-16	6	0	6	\$ 32,532
Multiple Machine Tool Setters, Operators, and Tend	153	129	-16	3	0	3	\$ 38,963
Pipelayers	55	47	-15	1	0	1	\$ 33,122
Chief Executives	450	386	-14	13	0	13	\$ 155,626
Inspectors, Testers, Sorters, Samplers & Weighers	662	572	-14	11	0	11	\$ 30,968
Helpers--Installation, Maint., & Repair Worers	287	251	-13	14	0	14	\$ 22,536
Electricians	494	431	-13	12	0	12	\$ 38,130

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

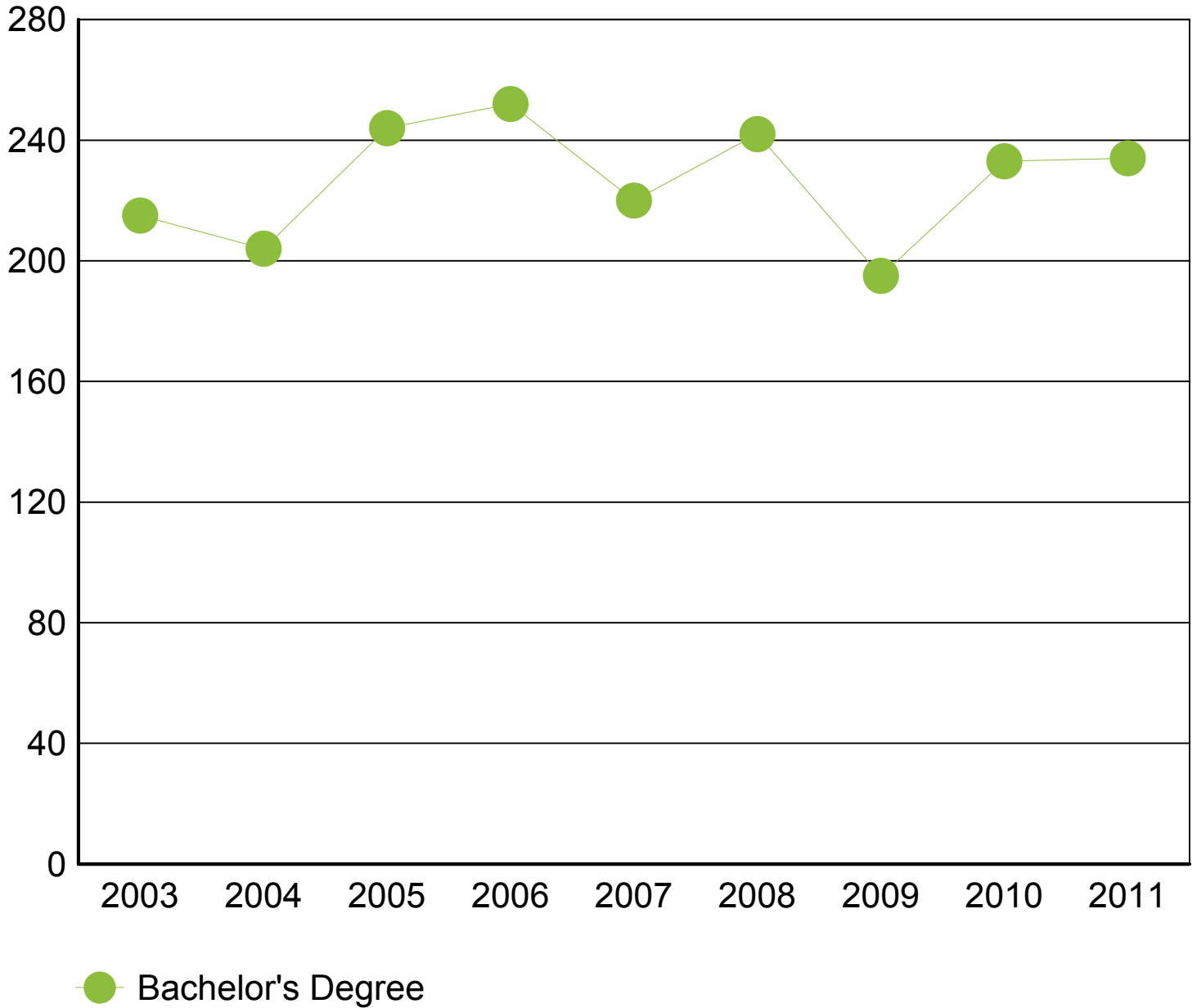
(Population 25 Years and Older)



Source: U.S. Census Bureau, American Community Survey - 2011 5-Year Estimates

Graduate Trends

(Based On Graduates From Area Schools)



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

Educational Institutions

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2011 Degrees Awarded: 234

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