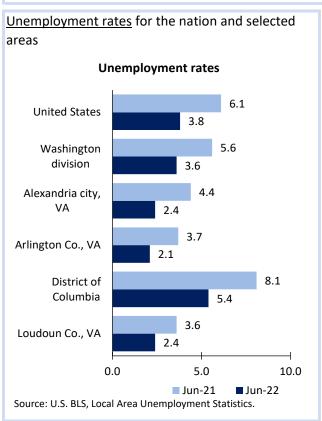
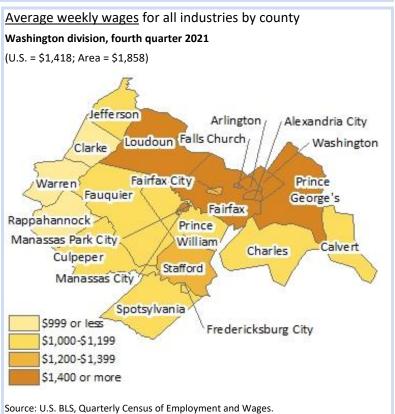
Washington, DC division Economic Summary

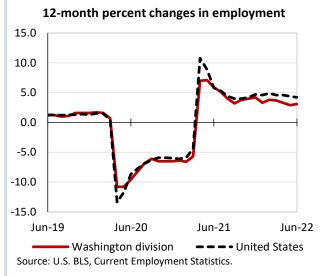
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This summary presents a sampling of economic information for the area; supplemental data are provided for regions and the nation. Subjects include unemployment, employment, wages, prices, spending, and benefits. All data are not seasonally adjusted 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.





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



Washington division employment (number in thousands)	Jun. 2022	Change from Jun. 2021 to Jun. 2022	
		Number	Percent
Total nonfarm	2,727.5	81.9	3.1
Mining, logging, and construction	132.5	2.7	2.1
Manufacturing	36.9	0.5	1.4
Trade, transportation, and utilities	330.4	10.0	3.1
Information	66.4	1.3	2.0
Financial activities	120.4	-0.2	-0.2
Professional and business services	665.9	14.2	2.2
Education and health services	339.4	10.6	3.2
Leisure and hospitality	264.3	40.9	18.3
Other services	175.2	2.8	1.6
Government	596.1	-0.9	-0.2

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



Over-the-year change in the <u>prices paid by urban</u> <u>consumers</u> for selected categories

12-month percent change in CPI-U, May 2022 40.0 34.6 35.0 32.0 30.0 25.0 20.0 15.0 10.1 8.6 8.4 7.5 10.0 5.0 0.0 All items Food Energy

Average annual spending and percent distribution for selected categories

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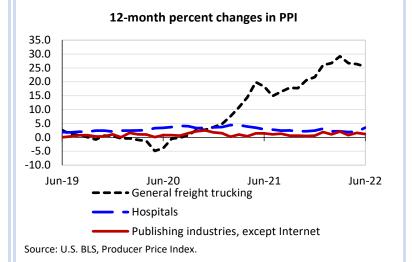
Source: U.S. BLS, Consumer Price Index.

U.S. city average

Average annual expenditures, United States and Washington area, 2019-20



Over-the-year changes in the selling <u>prices received by</u> <u>producers</u> for selected industries nationwide



Average hourly wages for selected occupations

Occupation	Washington area	United States
All occupations	\$38.69	\$28.01
Lawyers	89.72	71.17
Political scientists	62.08	57.90
Computer systems analysts	55.62	49.14
Statisticians	54.75	47.81
Budget analysts	51.14	40.50
Editors	44.67	36.73

Source: U.S. BLS, Occupational Employment and Wage Statistics, May 2021.

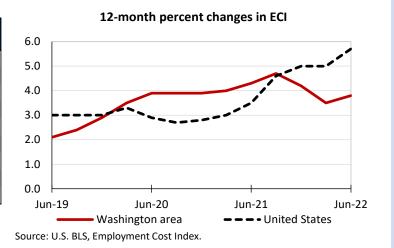
<u>Employer costs</u> per hour worked for wages and selected employee benefits by geographic division

Private industry, March 2022	South Atlantic	United States
Total compensation	\$35.26	\$38.61
Wages and salaries	25.50	27.19
Total benefits	9.76	11.42
Paid leave	2.63	2.88
Vacation	1.34	1.47
Supplemental pay	1.10	1.37
Insurance	2.34	2.93
Retirement and savings	1.05	1.33
Legally required benefits	2.64	2.91

(1) The states that compose the South Atlantic census division are: DE, DC, FL, GA, MD, NC, SC, VA, and WV.

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

Over-the-year changes in wages and salaries



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