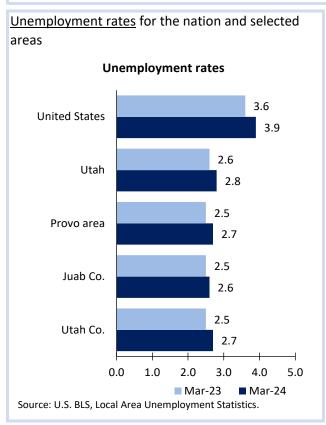
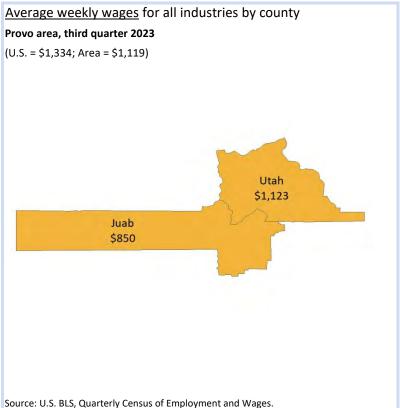
# **Provo Area Economic Summary**

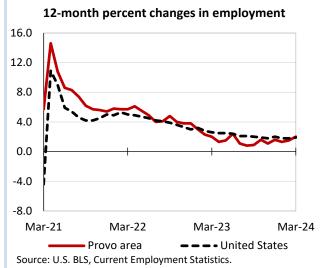
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This summary presents a sampling of economic information for the area; supplemental data are provided for regions and the nation. Subjects include unemployment, employment, wages, prices, spending, and benefits. All data are not seasonally adjusted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





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



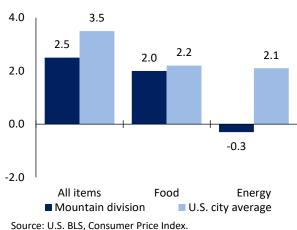
Provo area employment (number in thousands)	Mar. 2024	Change from Mar. 2023 to Mar. 2024	
		Number	Percent
Total nonfarm	315.7	6.2	2.0
Mining, logging, and construction	32.3	2.4	8.0
Manufacturing	24.2	0.2	0.8
Trade, transportation, and utilities	47.1	-0.2	-0.4
Information	12.8	-0.7	-5.2
Financial activities	13.0	-0.2	-1.5
Professional and business services	44.2	-1.4	-3.1
Education and health services	69.2	3.8	5.8
Leisure and hospitality	27.8	0.2	0.7
Other services	7.4	0.4	5.7
Government	37.7	1.7	4.7

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



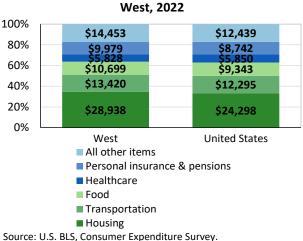
Over-the-year change in the <u>prices paid by urban</u> <u>consumers</u> for selected categories

### 12-month percent change in CPI-U, March 2024



<u>Average annual spending</u> and percent distribution for selected categories

# Average annual expenditures, United States and



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

### 12-month percent changes in PPI 40.0 30.0 20.0 10.0 0.0 -10.0 -20.0 Mar-24 Mar-21 Mar-22 Mar-23 General freight trucking Hospitals Data processing and related services Source: U.S. BLS, Producer Price Index.

### Average hourly wages for selected occupations

Occupation	Provo area	United States
All occupations	\$28.89	\$31.48
Software developers	60.56	66.40
General and operations managers	52.89	62.18
Construction laborers	23.56	23.69
Office clerks, general	19.86	20.94
Customer service representatives	19.08	20.92
Fast food and counter workers	13.65	14.48

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

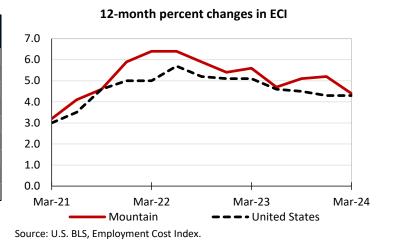
<u>Employer costs</u> per hour worked for wages and selected employee benefits by geographic division

Private industry, December 2023	Mountain (1)	United States
Total compensation	\$37.88	\$43.11
Wages and salaries	27.24	30.33
Total benefits	10.64	12.77
Paid leave	2.62	3.26
Vacation	1.30	1.67
Supplemental pay	1.41	1.71
Insurance	2.59	3.14
Retirement and savings	1.15	1.50
Legally required benefits	2.87	3.17

(1) The states that compose the Mountain census division are: AZ, CO, ID, MT, NV, NM, UT, and WY.

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

## Over-the-year changes in wages and salaries



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