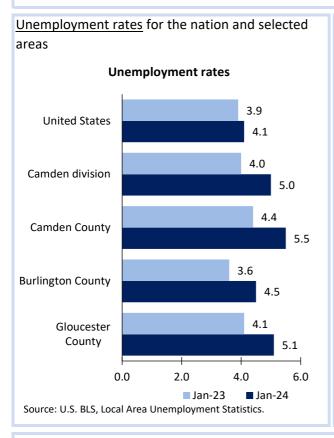
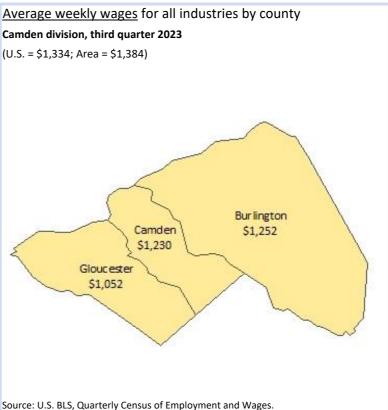
Camden, NJ, Division Economic Summary

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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



Camden division employment (number in thousands)	Jan. 2024	Change from Jan. 2023 to Jan. 2024	
		Number	Percent
Total nonfarm	573.0	14.1	2.5
Mining, logging, and construction	23.1	0.3	1.3
Manufacturing	41.1	0.8	2.0
Trade, transportation, and utilities	135.9	-1.0	-0.7
Information	6.2	-0.2	-3.1
Financial activities	29.8	0.1	0.3
Professional and business services	80.9	2.4	3.1
Education and health services	111.4	7.6	7.3
Leisure and hospitality	47.4	0.4	0.9
Other services	21.1	0.9	4.5
Government	76.1	2.8	3.8

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



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

12-month percent change in CPI-U, February 2024 4.0 3.4 3.2 2.3 2.2 1.0 0.0 -1.0 -2.0

-1.9

Energy

U.S. city average

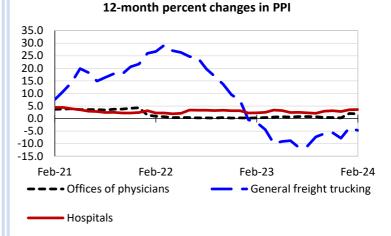
■ Philadelphia area ■ Source: U.S. BLS, Consumer Price Index.

All items

-3.0

-4.0

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



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

Average annual spending and percent distribution for selected categories

Average annual expenditures, United States and Philadelphia, 2021-22



Average hourly wages for selected occupations

Occupation	Philadelphia area	United States
All occupations	\$31.01	\$29.76
Lawyers	76.88	78.74
Registered nurses	42.23	42.80
Accountants and auditors	41.83	41.70
Customer service representatives	21.24	19.80
Nursing assistants	18.17	17.41
Fast food and counter workers	13.26	13.53

Source: U.S. BLS, Occupational Employment and Wage Statistics, May 2022.

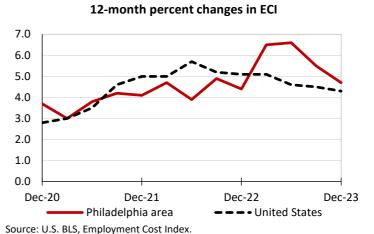
<u>Employer costs</u> per hour worked for wages and selected employee benefits by geographic division

Private industry, December 2023	Middle Atlantic	United States
Total compensation	\$52.53	\$43.11
Wages and salaries	36.44	30.33
Total benefits	16.09	12.77
Paid leave	4.34	3.26
Vacation	2.19	1.67
Supplemental pay	1.79	1.71
Insurance	3.94	3.14
Retirement and savings	2.16	1.50
Legally required benefits	3.86	3.17

(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: 0.5. BES, Employment cost mack.

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