



# Yell County, AR

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## Economy Overview

**21,455**

**Population (2018)**

Population **decreased by 324** over the last 5 years and is projected to **decrease by 117** over the next 5 years.

**7,363**

**Total Regional Employment**

Jobs **decreased by 34** over the last 5 years but are projected to **grow by 90** over the next 5 years.

**\$39.7K**

**Median Household Income (2017)**

Median household income is **\$18.0K below** the national median household income of \$57.7K.

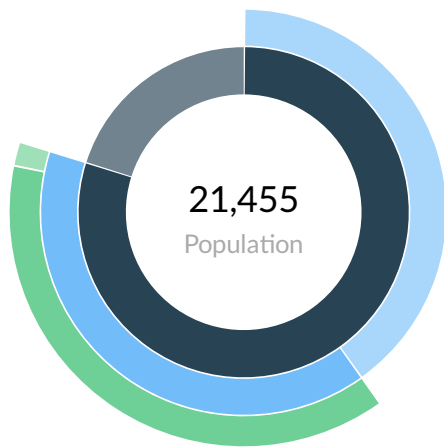
## Takeaways

- As of 2018 the region's population **declined by 1.5%** since 2013, falling by 324. Population is expected to **decrease by 0.5%** between 2018 and 2023, losing 117.
- From 2013 to 2018, jobs **declined by 0.5%** in Yell County, AR from 7,398 to **7,363**. This change **fell short of the national growth rate of 8.2% by 8.7%**. As the number of jobs declined, the **labor force participation rate decreased from 53.0% to 49.8% between 2013 and 2018**.
- Concerning educational attainment, **9.6% of Yell County, AR residents possess a Bachelor's Degree** (9.0% below the national average), and **3.7% hold an Associate's Degree** (4.3% below the national average).
- The top three industries in 2018 are Animal Slaughtering and Processing, Education and Hospitals (Local Government), and Nursing Care Facilities (Skilled Nursing Facilities).

	Population (2018)	Labor Force (2018)	Jobs (2018)	Cost of Living	GRP	Imports	Exports
Region	21,455	8,519	7,363	89.0	\$558.37M	\$1.15B	\$952.27M
Little Rock, AR (in Pulaski county)	14,131	N/A	6,302	95.8	\$654.55M	\$1.43B	\$1.78B

## Economy Overview - Cont.

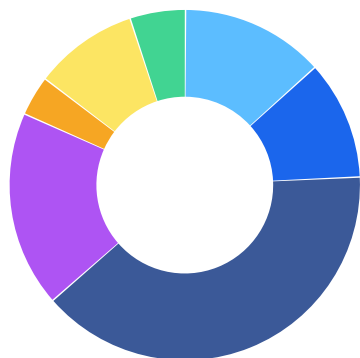
### 2018 Labor Force Breakdown



	Population
● Total Working Age Population	17,116
● Not in Labor Force (15+)	8,597
● Labor Force	8,519
● Employed	8,163
● Unemployed	356
● Under 15	4,339

### Educational Attainment

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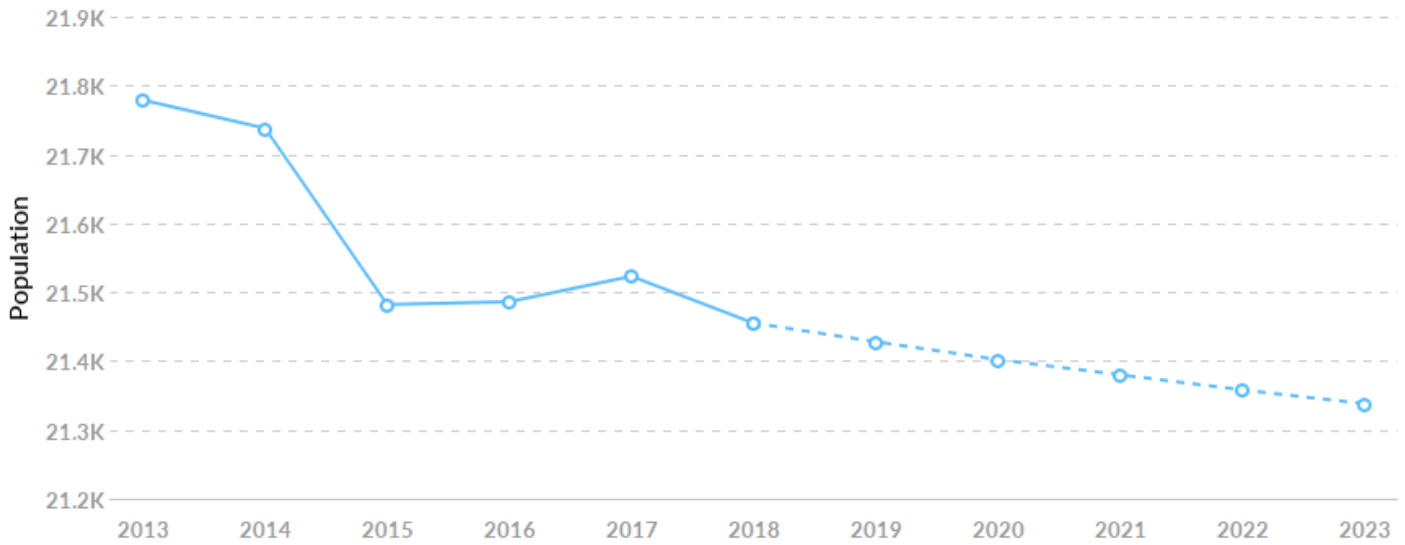


	% of Population	Population
● Less Than 9th Grade	13.2%	1,912
● 9th Grade to 12th Grade	11.0%	1,585
● High School Diploma	39.3%	5,682
● Some College	18.1%	2,614
● Associate's Degree	3.7%	535
● Bachelor's Degree	9.6%	1,388
● Graduate Degree and Higher	5.1%	740

# Historic & Projected Trends

## Population Trends

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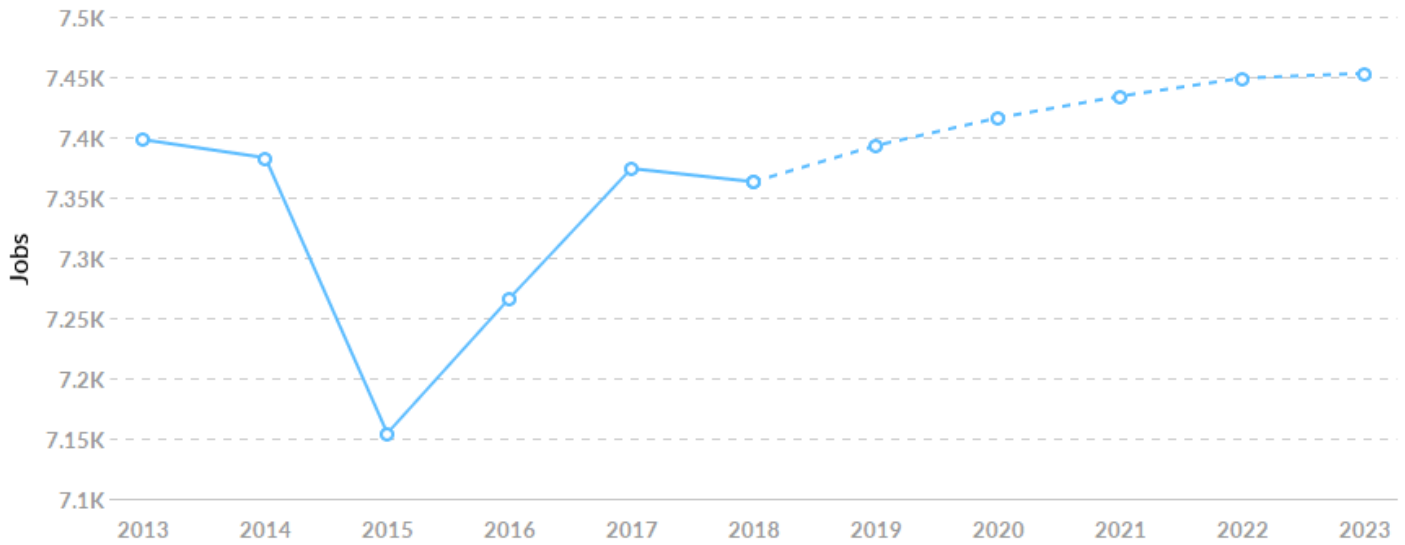


Timeframe	Population
2013	21,779
2014	21,738
2015	21,482
2016	21,486
2017	21,523
2018	21,455
2019	21,428
2020	21,402
2021	21,380
2022	21,358
2023	21,338

# Historic & Projected Trends - Cont.

## Job Trends

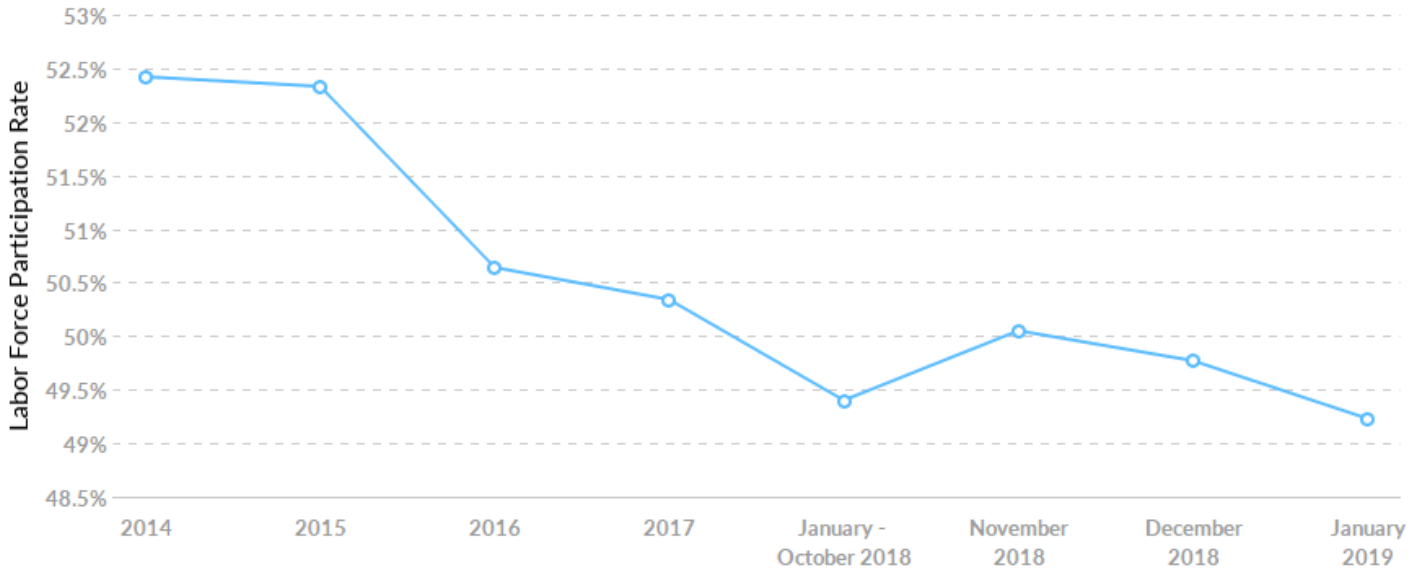
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Timeframe	Jobs
2013	7,398
2014	7,383
2015	7,154
2016	7,266
2017	7,374
2018	7,363
2019	7,393
2020	7,416
2021	7,434
2022	7,449
2023	7,453

## Historic & Projected Trends - Cont.

### Labor Force Participation Rate Trends

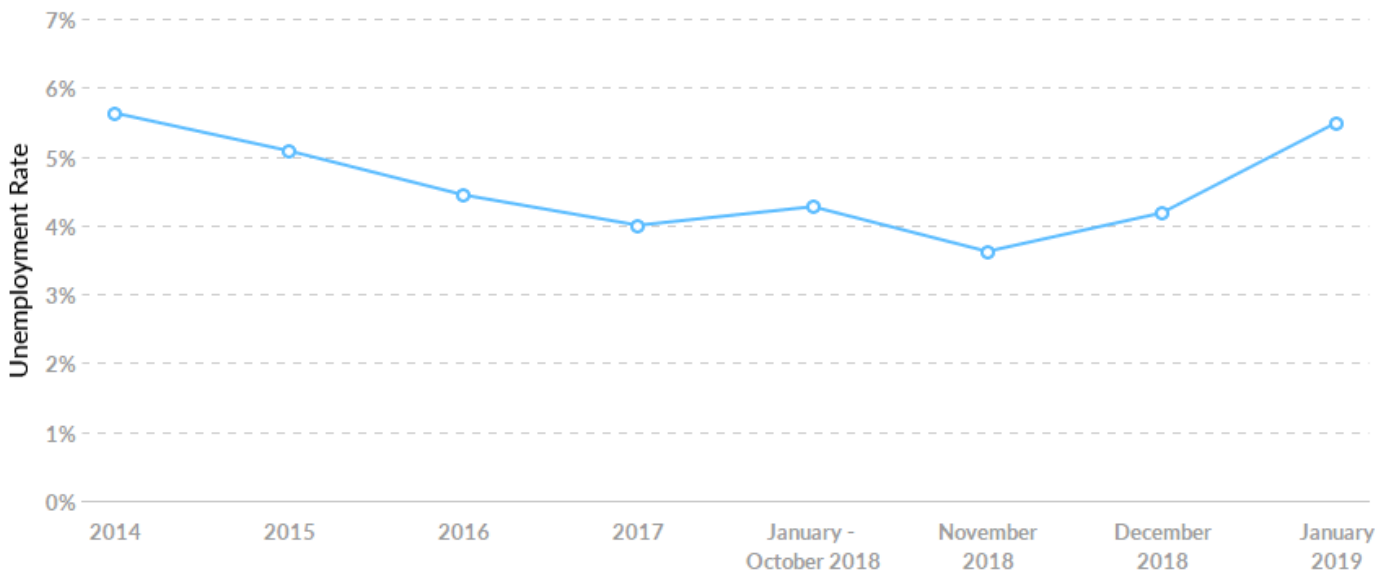


Timeframe	Labor Force Participation Rate
2014	52.42%
2015	52.33%
2016	50.64%
2017	50.34%
January - October 2018	49.40%
November 2018	50.05%
December 2018	49.77%
January 2019	49.23%

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### Unemployment Rate Trends

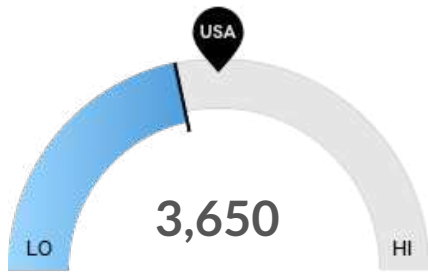
Yell County, AR had a January 2019 unemployment rate of 5.49%, decreasing from 5.63% 5 years before.



Timeframe	Unemployment Rate
2014	5.63%
2015	5.08%
2016	4.44%
2017	4.00%
January - October 2018	4.27%
November 2018	3.62%
December 2018	4.18%
January 2019	5.49%

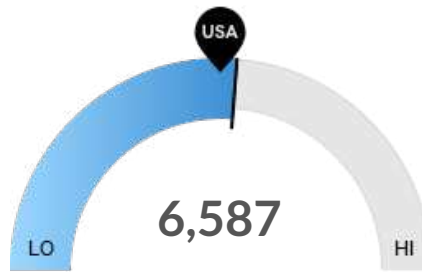


## Population Characteristics



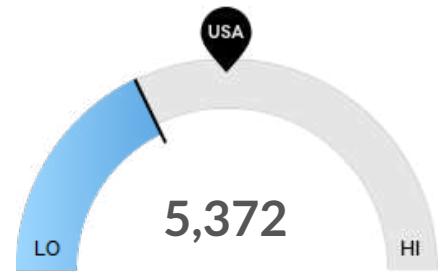
**Millennials**

Yell County, AR has 3,650 millennials (ages 20-34). The national average for an area this size is 4,458.



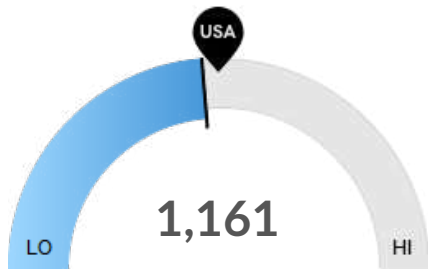
**Retiring Soon**

Retirement risk is about average in Yell County, AR. The national average for an area this size is 6,136 people 55 or older, while there are 6,587 here.



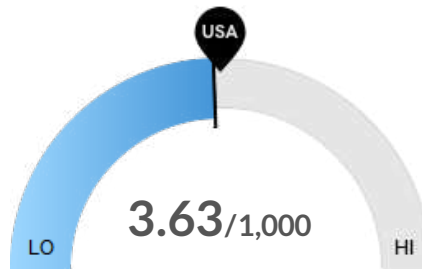
**Racial Diversity**

Racial diversity is low in Yell County, AR. The national average for an area this size is 8,453 racially diverse people, while there are 5,372 here.



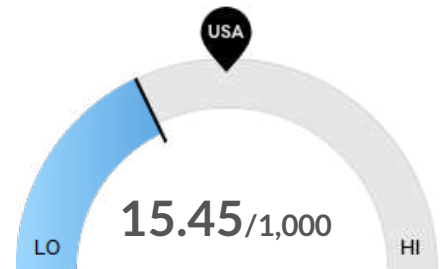
**Veterans**

Yell County, AR has 1,161 veterans. The national average for an area this size is 1,251.



**Violent Crime**

Yell County, AR has 3.63 violent crimes per 1,000 people. The national rate is 3.75 per 1,000 people.



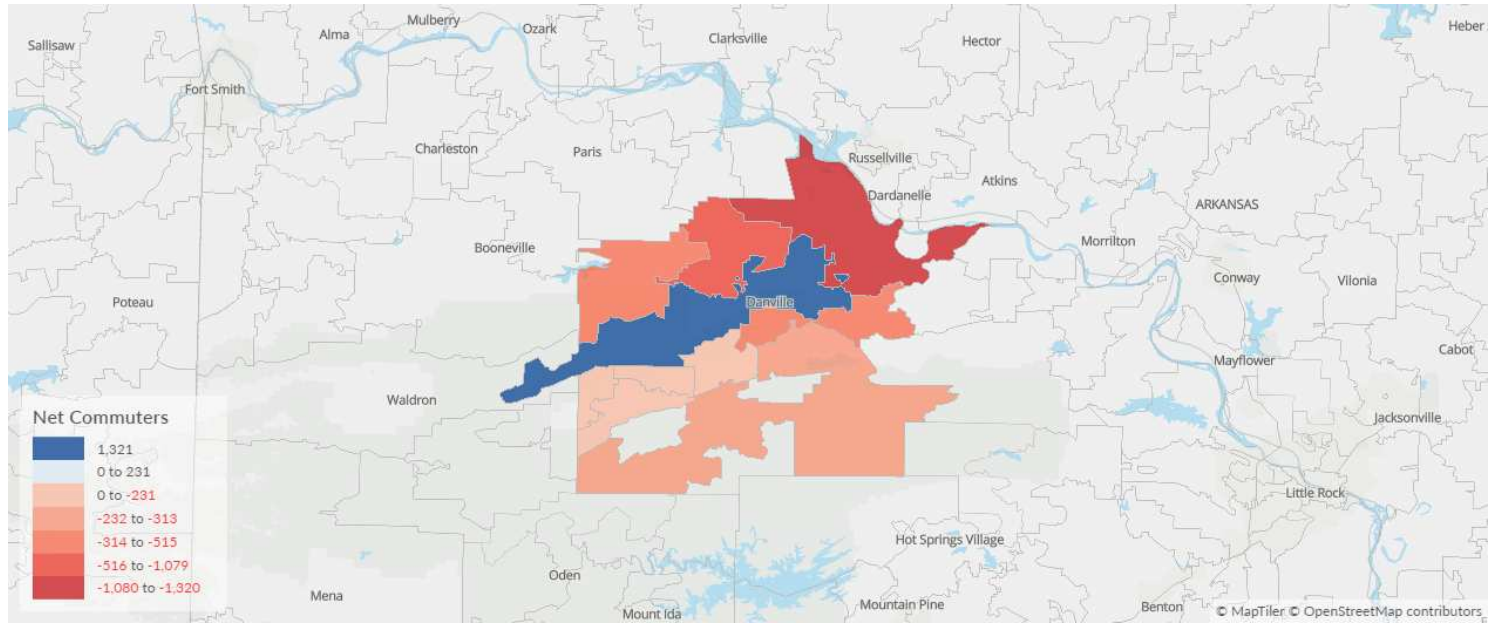
**Property Crime**

Yell County, AR has 15.45 property crimes per 1,000 people. The national rate is 24.21 per 1,000 people.

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## Place of Work vs Place of Residence

Understanding where talent in Yell County, AR currently works compared to where talent lives can help you optimize site decisions.



### Where Talent Works

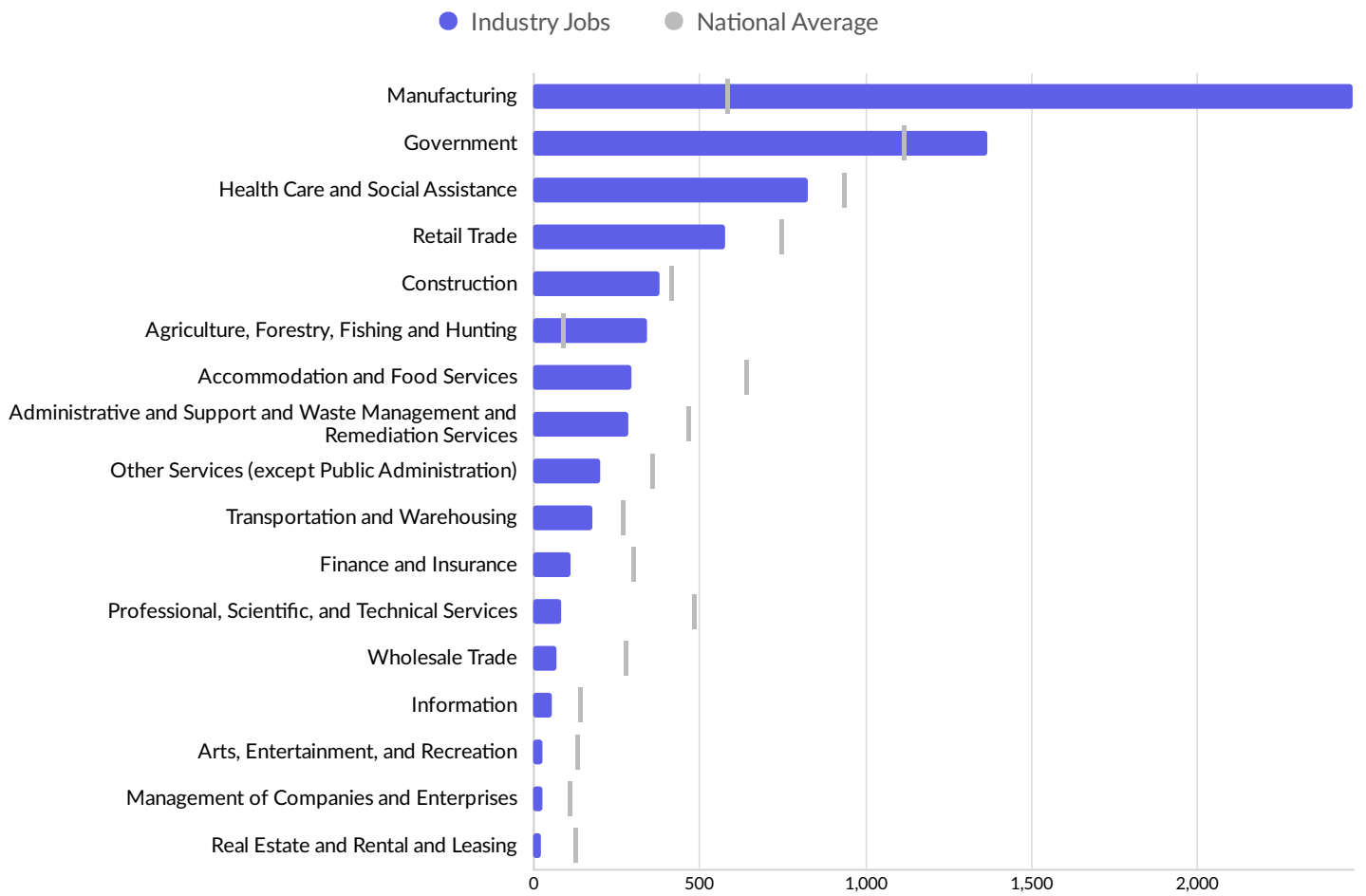
ZIP	Name	2018 Employment
72834	Dardanelle, AR (in Yell c...	3,381
72833	Danville, AR (in Yell cou...	2,786
72853	Ola, AR (in Yell county)	358
72857	Plainview, AR (in Yell co...	272
72842	Havana, AR (in Yell coun...	249

### Where Talent Lives

ZIP	Name	2018 Workers
72834	Dardanelle, AR (in Yell c...	4,461
72833	Danville, AR (in Yell cou...	1,465
72853	Ola, AR (in Yell county)	672
72824	Belleville, AR (in Yell co...	659
72842	Havana, AR (in Yell coun...	590

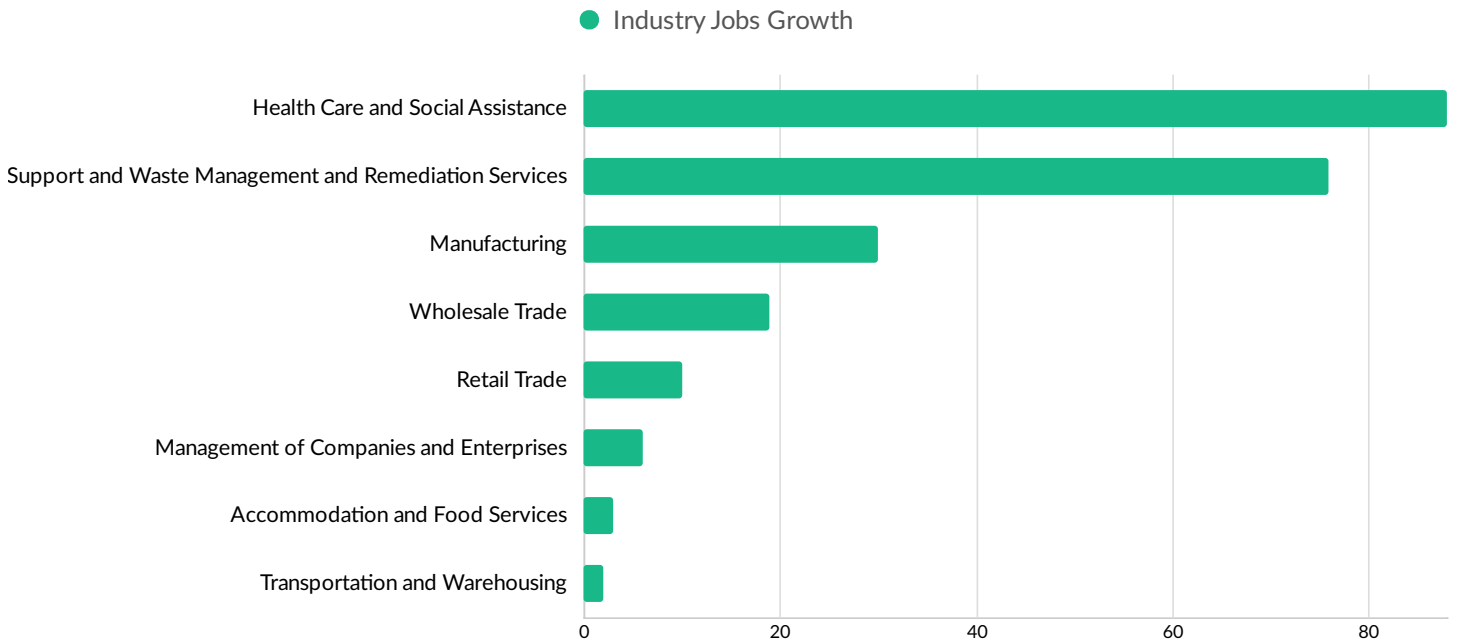
# Industry Characteristics

## Largest Industries



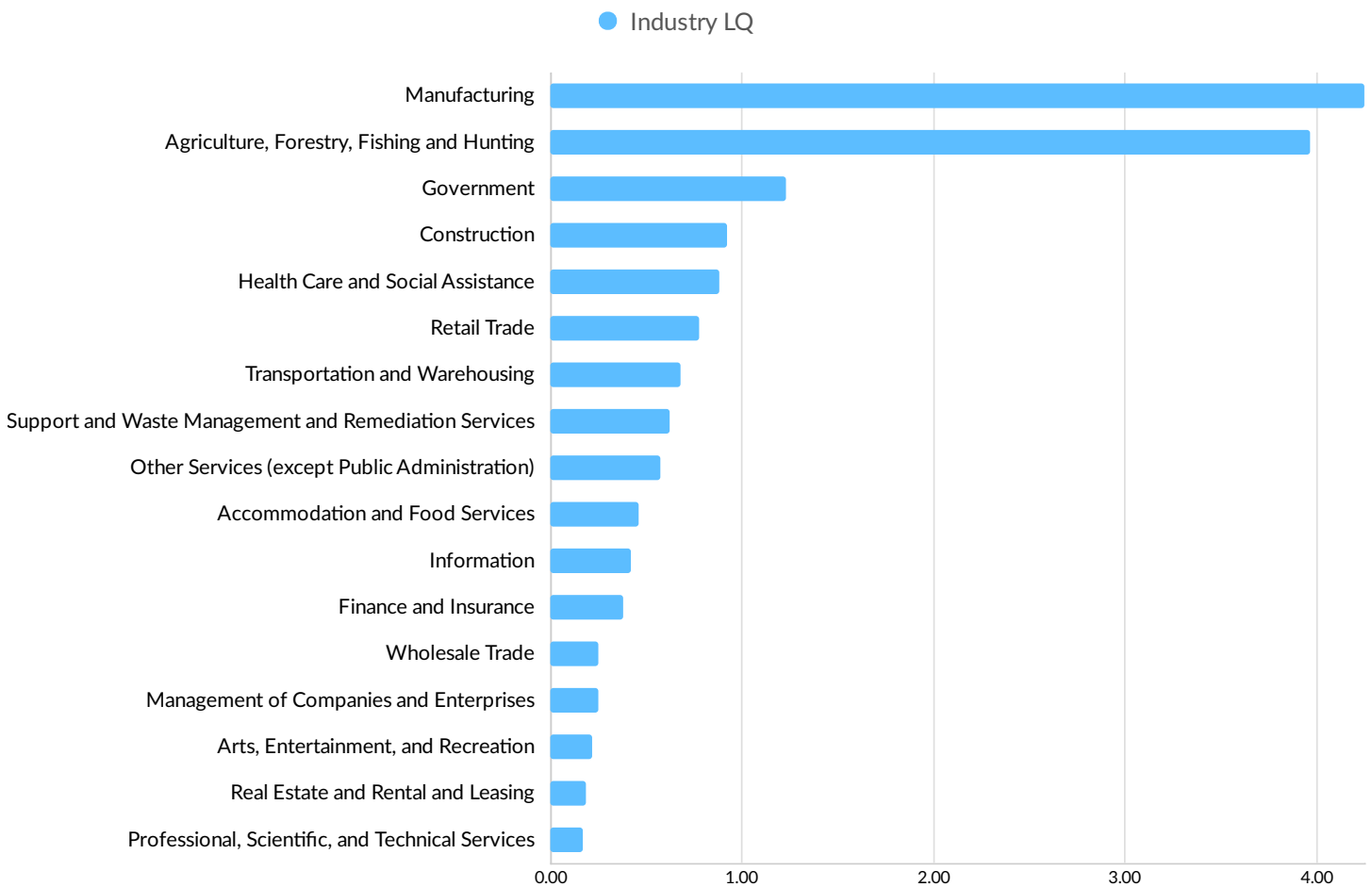
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### Top Growing Industries



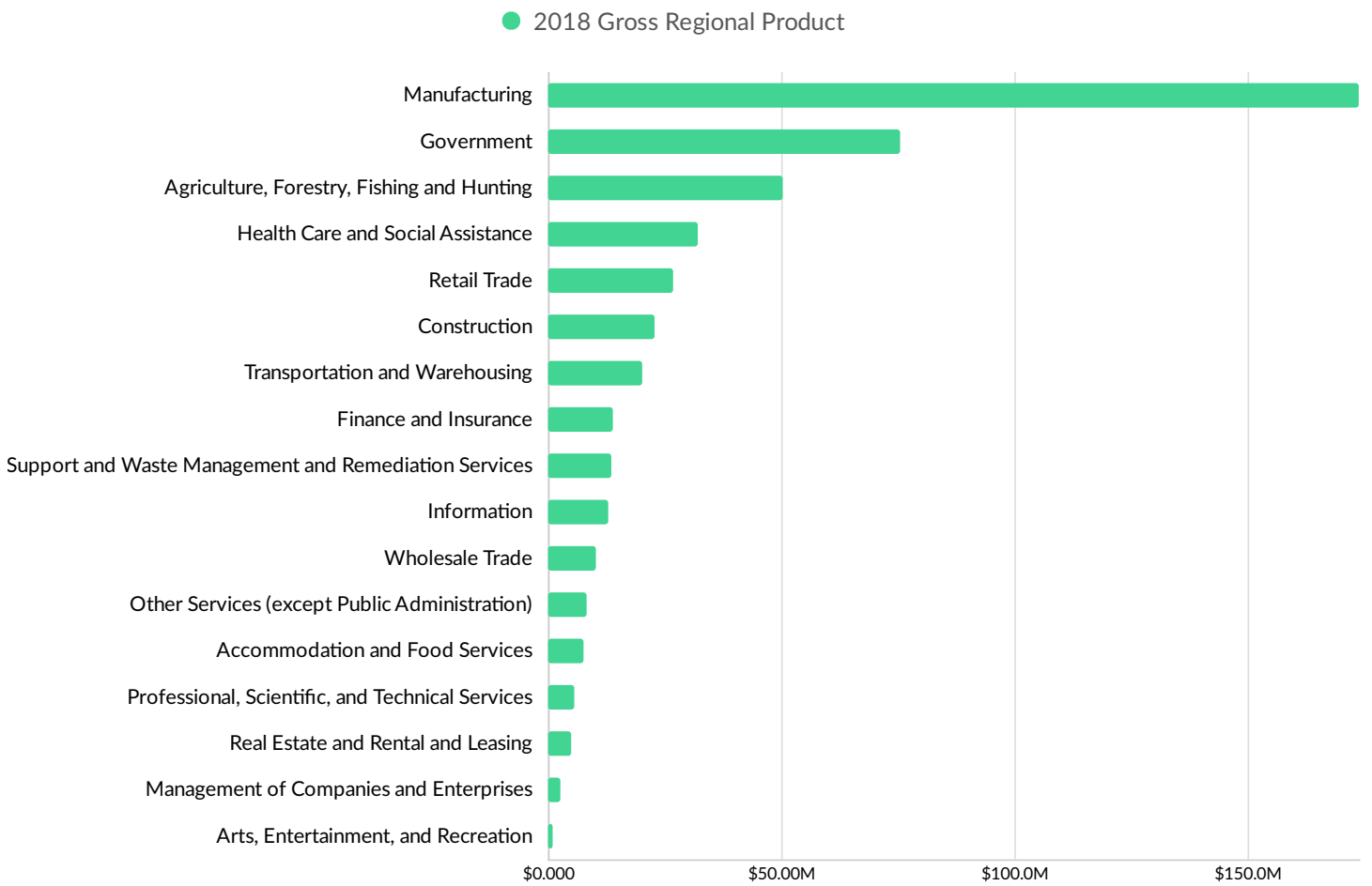
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### Top Industry LQ



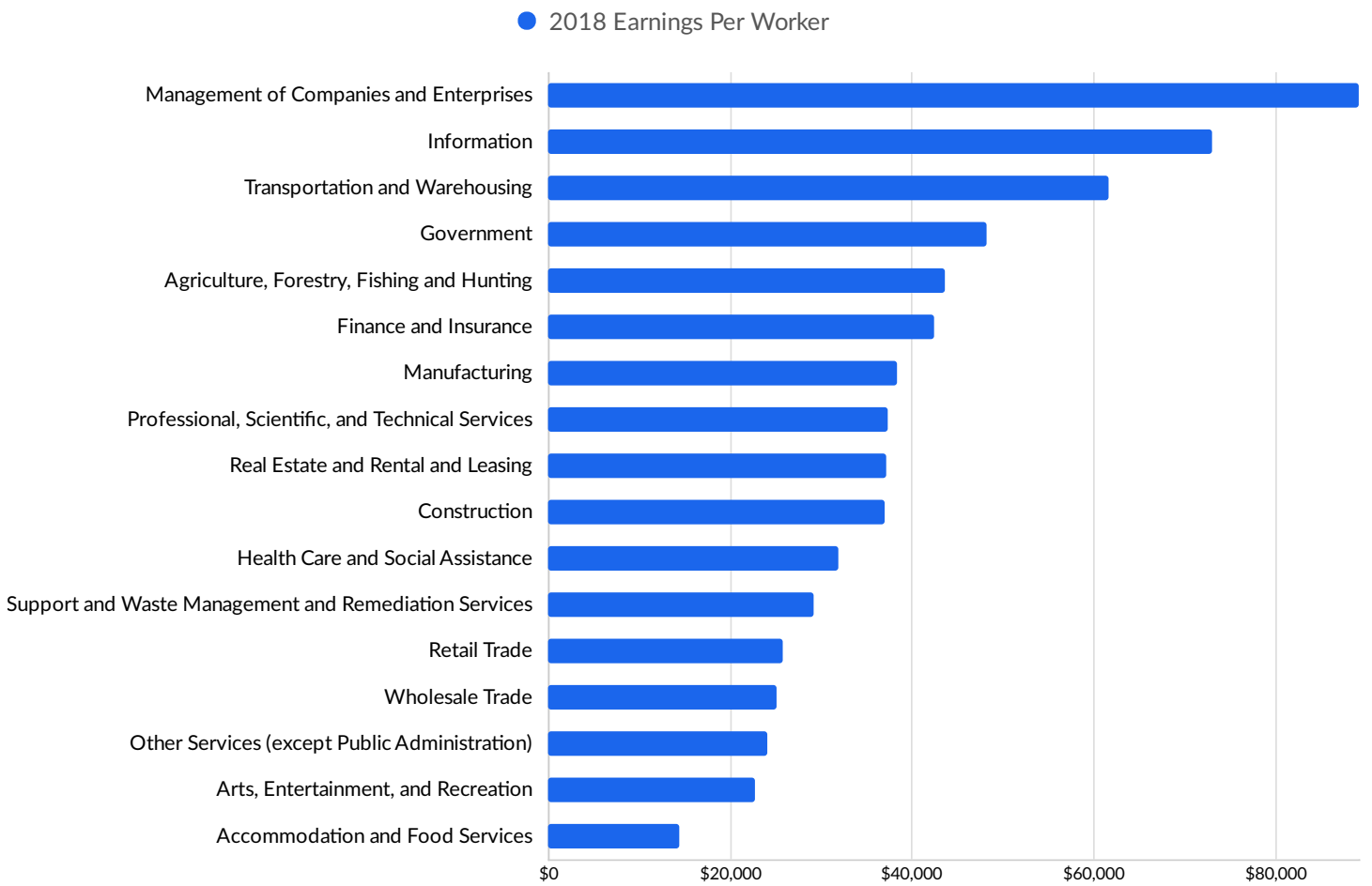
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## Top Industry GRP



# Industry Characteristics - Cont.

## Top Industry Earnings



## Industry Characteristics - Cont.





















Industry	2013 Jobs	2018 Jobs	Change in Jobs	% Change in Jobs	2018 LQ	2018 Earnings Per Worker	2018 GRP
Manufacturing	2,438	2,468	30	+1%	4.25	\$38,353	\$173.67M
Government	1,461	1,368	-93	-6%	1.23	\$48,299	\$75.37M
Health Care and Social Assistance	738	826	88	+12%	0.89	\$31,931	\$32.17M
Retail Trade	570	580	10	+2%	0.78	\$25,870	\$26.95M
Construction	403	380	-23	-6%	0.93	\$36,972	\$22.83M
Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing and Hunting	363	344	-19	-5%	3.97	\$43,615	\$50.13M
Accommodation and Food Services	292	295	3	+1%	0.47	\$14,375	\$7.48M
Administrative and Support and Waste Management and Remediation Services	212	288	76	+36%	0.63	\$29,178	\$13.51M
Other Services (except Public Administration)	212	202	-10	-5%	0.58	\$24,121	\$8.28M
Transportation and Warehousing	178	180	2	+1%	0.68	\$61,634	\$20.24M
Finance and Insurance	159	112	-47	-30%	0.38	\$42,529	\$14.00M
Professional, Scientific, and Technical Services	86	83	-3	-3%	0.17	\$37,458	\$5.62M
Wholesale Trade	50	69	19	+38%	0.25	\$25,213	\$10.32M
Information	57	57	0	0%	0.42	\$73,048	\$13.02M
Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation	38	28	-10	-26%	0.22	\$22,730	\$940.90K
Management of Companies and Enterprises	21	27	6	+29%	0.25	\$89,191	\$2.59M
Real Estate and Rental and Leasing	32	24	-8	-25%	0.19	\$37,191	\$4.85M



# Business Characteristics

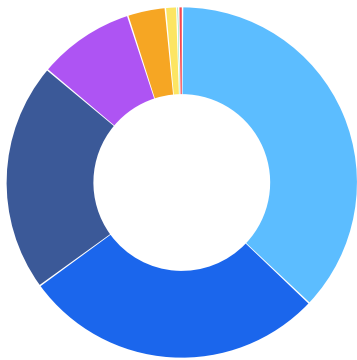
## 604 Companies Employ Your Workers

Online profiles for your workers mention 604 companies as employers, with the top 10 appearing below. In the last 12 months, 379 companies in Yell County, AR posted job postings, with the top 10 appearing below.

Top Companies	Profiles	Top Companies Posting	Unique Postings
Entergy Arkansas, Inc.	25 	CRST International, Inc.	470 
Chambers Memorial Hall	21 	USA Truck, Inc.	279 
Wayne Farms LLC	19 	Koch Trucking, Inc.	115 
Tyson Foods, Inc.	18 	Travelers Healthcare	114 
Arkansas Tech University	13 	U. S. Xpress, Inc.	101 
Two Rivers School District	11 	Dollar General Corporation	95 
Danville Public Schools	10 	Southern Refrigerated Transport...	83 
Dardanelle Public Schools	10 	C.R. England, Inc.	80 
United States Department of th...	9 	Celadon Group, Inc.	77 
Conagra Foods, Inc.	8 	Dart Transit Co Inc	65 

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### Business Size

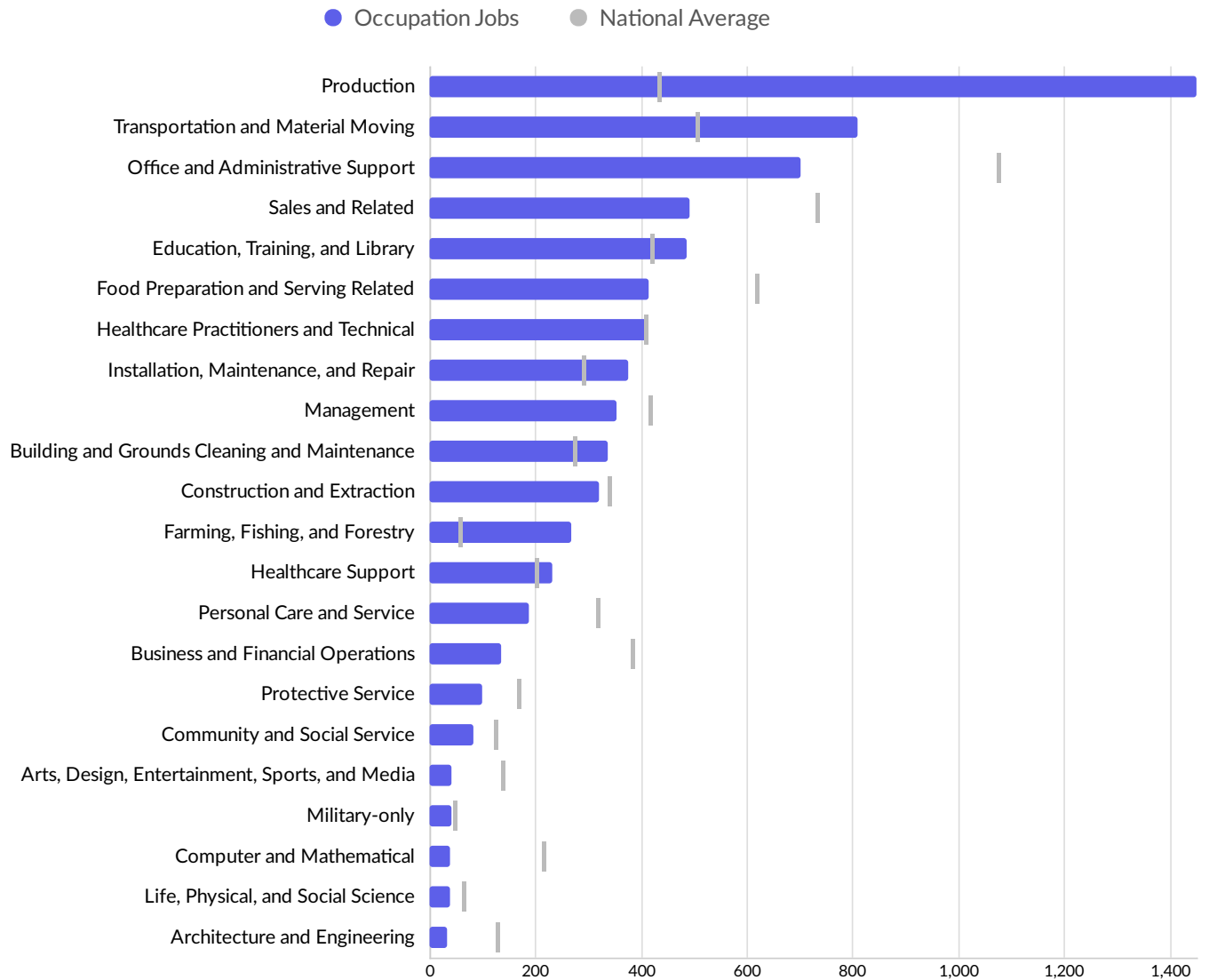


	Percentage	Business Count
1 to 4 employees	37.0%	212
5 to 9 employees	27.9%	160
10 to 19 employees	21.1%	121
20 to 49 employees	8.9%	51
50 to 99 employees	3.5%	20
100 to 249 employees	1.0%	6
250 to 499 employees	0.2%	1
500+ employees	0.3%	2

*\*Business Data by DatabaseUSA.com is third-party data provided by Emsi to its customers as a convenience, and Emsi does not endorse or warrant its accuracy or consistency with other published Emsi data. In most cases, the Business Count will not match total companies with profiles on the summary tab.*

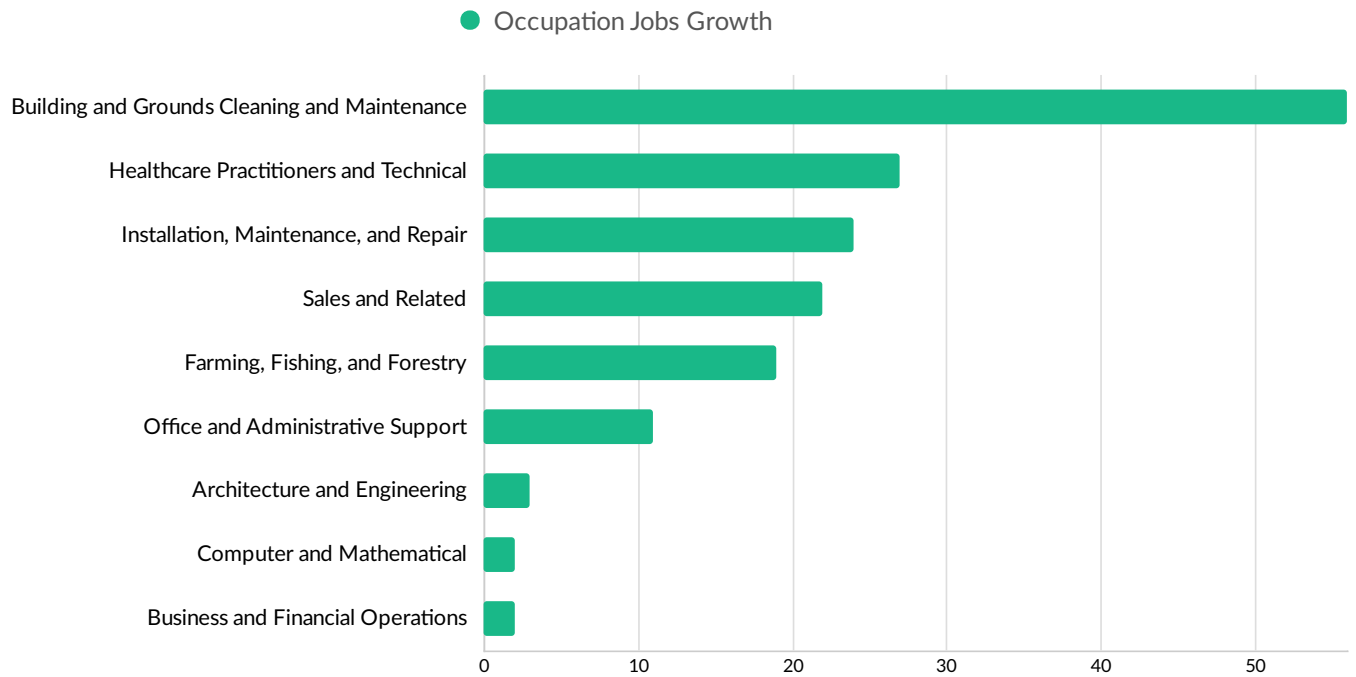
# Workforce Characteristics

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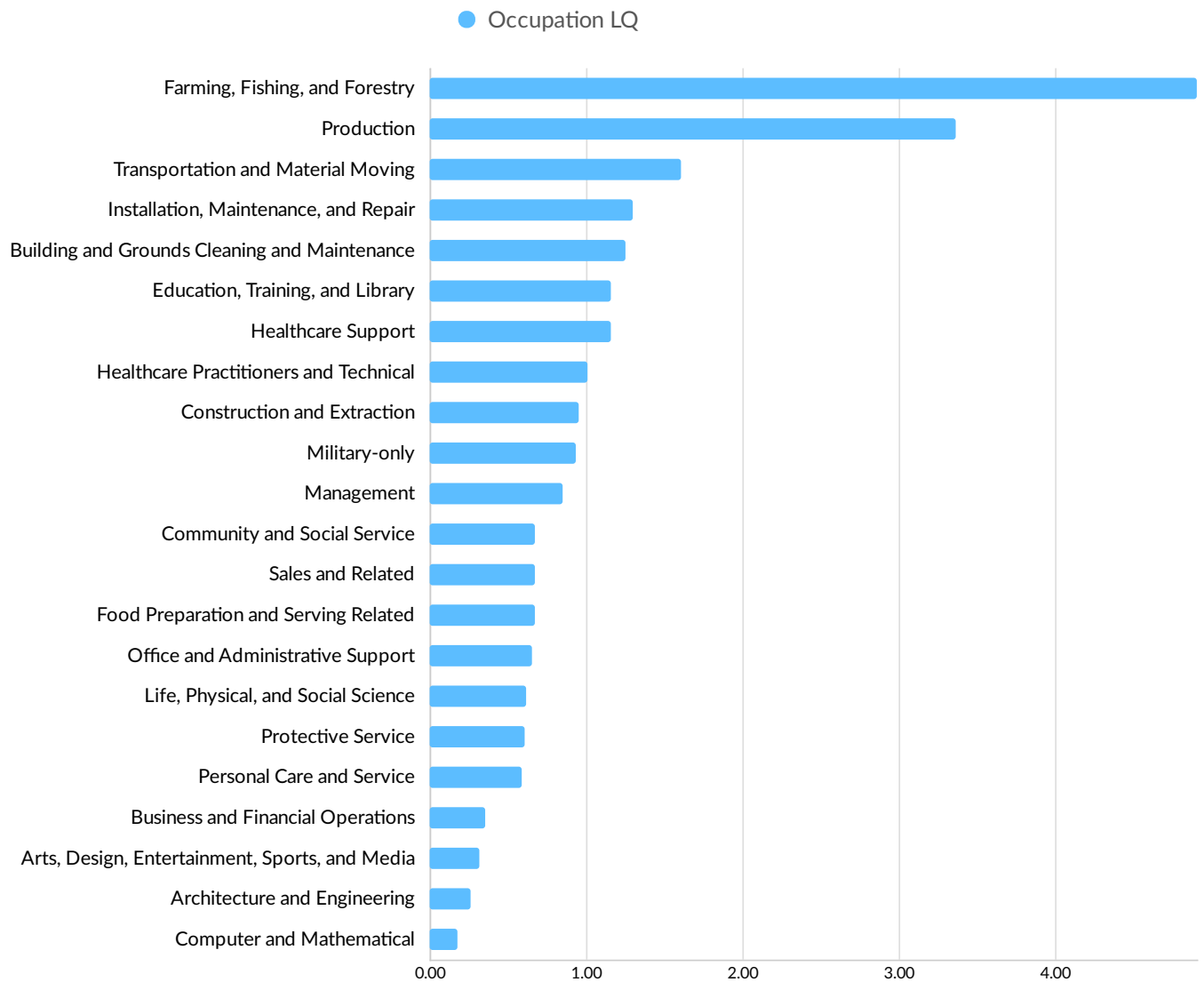
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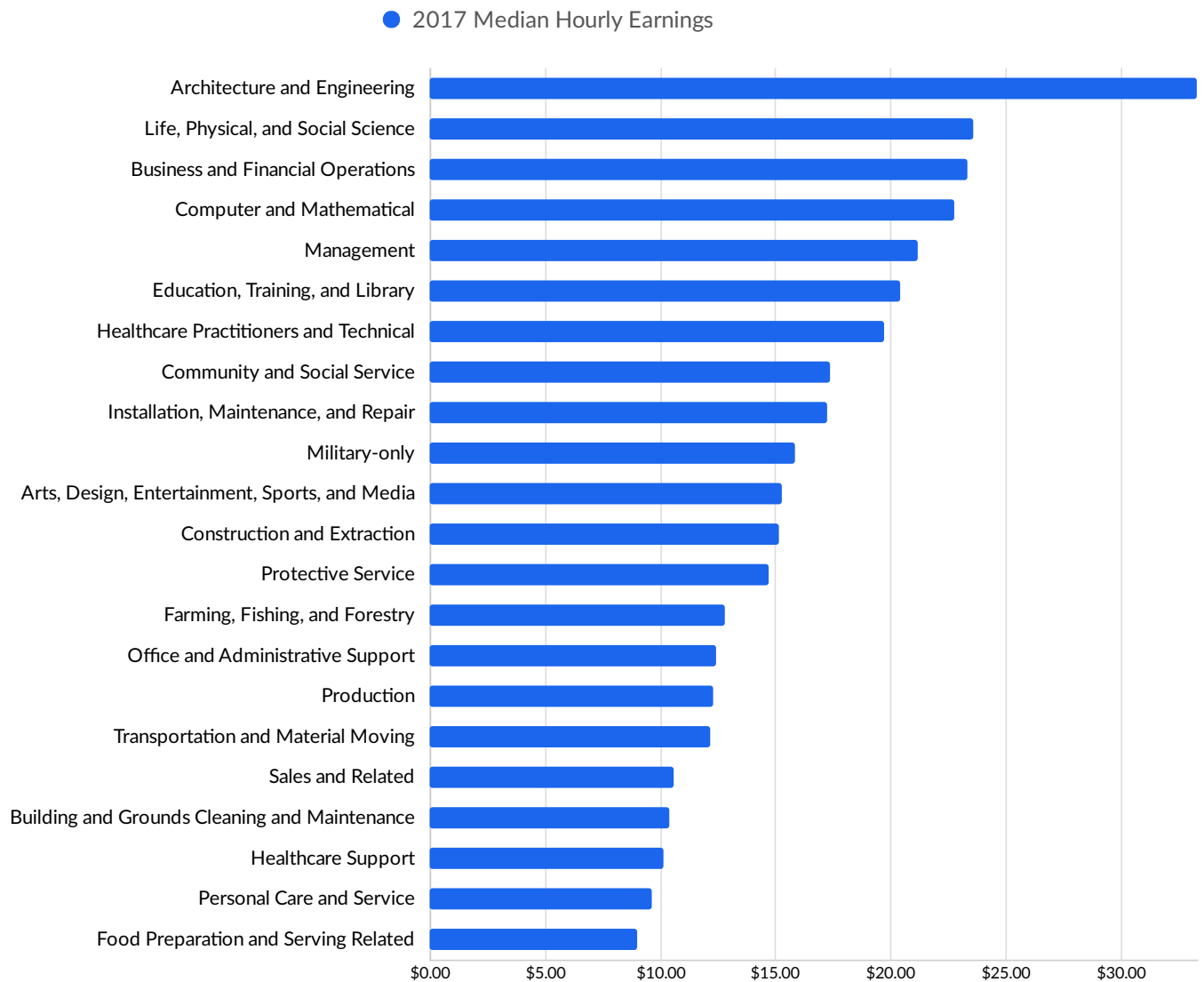
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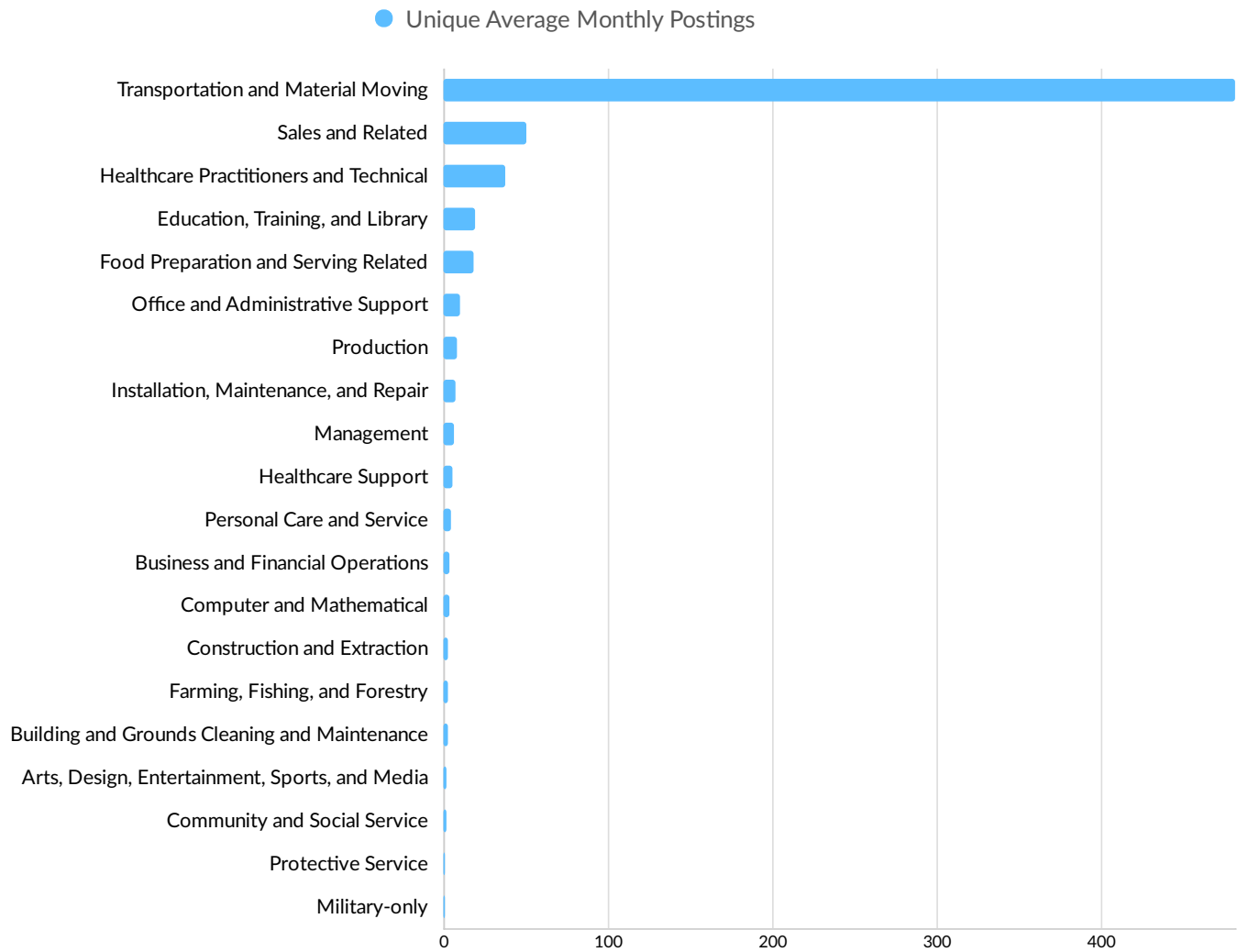
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### Top Occupation Earnings



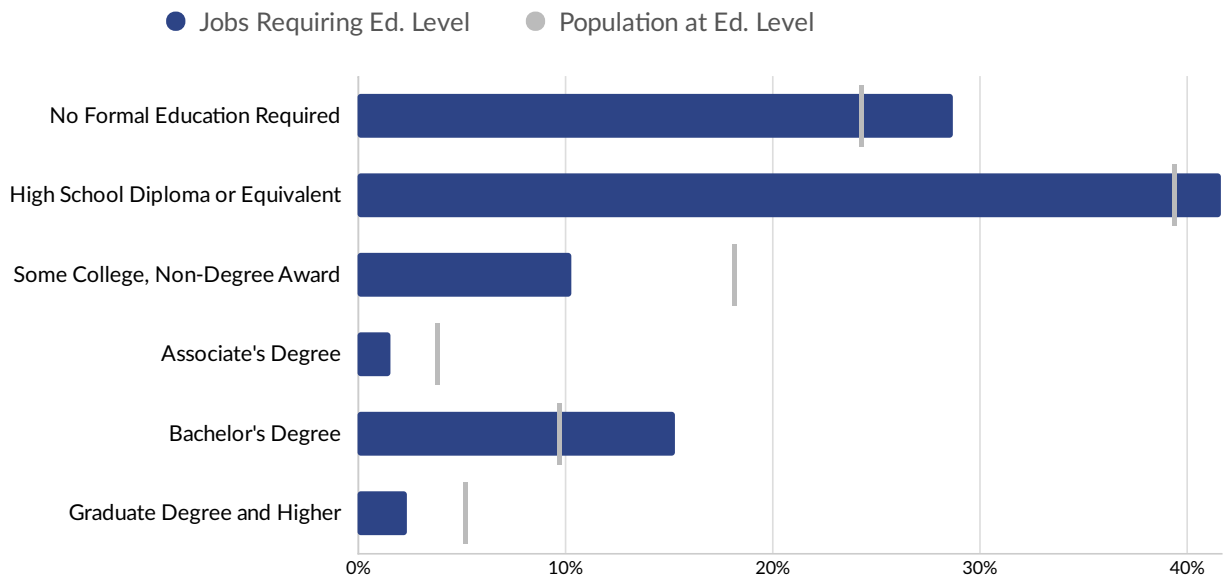
## Workforce Characteristics - Cont.

### Top Posted Occupations



# Workforce Characteristics - Cont.

## Underemployment





## Workforce Characteristics - Cont.

Occupation	2013 Jobs	2018 Jobs	Change in Jobs	% Change in Jobs	2018 LQ	2017 Median Hourly Earnings	May 2018 - Apr 2019 Unique Average Monthly Postings
Production	1,496	1,451	-45	-3%	3.36	\$12.31	9
Transportation and Material Moving	825	809	-16	-2%	1.61	\$12.19	481
Office and Administrative Support	691	702	11	+2%	0.65	\$12.43	10
Sales and Related	469	491	22	+5%	0.67	\$10.63	50
Education, Training, and Library	549	486	-63	-11%	1.16	\$20.46	19
Food Preparation and Serving Related	421	415	-6	-1%	0.67	\$9.04	18
Healthcare Practitioners and Technical	386	413	27	+7%	1.01	\$19.73	37
Installation, Maintenance, and Repair	352	376	24	+7%	1.30	\$17.28	7
Management	364	353	-11	-3%	0.85	\$21.21	7
Building and Grounds Cleaning and Maintenance	282	338	56	+20%	1.25	\$10.43	2
Construction and Extraction	344	320	-24	-7%	0.95	\$15.15	3
Farming, Fishing, and Forestry	250	269	19	+8%	4.91	\$12.80	3
Healthcare Support	234	232	-2	-1%	1.16	\$10.15	5
Personal Care and Service	198	187	-11	-6%	0.59	\$9.68	4
Business and Financial Operations	134	136	2	+1%	0.36	\$23.36	4
Protective Service	101	100	-1	-1%	0.61	\$14.74	1
Community and Social Service	82	82	0	0%	0.68	\$17.42	2

## Workforce Characteristics - Cont.

Occupation	2013 Jobs	2018 Jobs	Change in Jobs	% Change in Jobs	2018 LQ	2017 Median Hourly Earnings	May 2018 - Apr 2019 Unique Average Monthly Postings
Arts, Design, Entertainment, Sports, and Media	47	43	-4	-9%	0.31	\$15.31	2
Military-only	52	42	-10	-19%	0.94	\$15.85	1
Computer and Mathematical	36	38	2	+6%	0.18	\$22.76	4
Life, Physical, and Social Science	38	38	0	0%	0.62	\$23.64	1
Architecture and Engineering	29	32	3	+10%	0.26	\$33.33	1

## Educational Pipeline

Over the last 5 years, no schools in Yell County, AR produced graduates.