



2023 Population		
Demographic	County	PA
Total Population	73,255	12,986,518
Female	34,861	6,585,606
Male	38,394	6,400,912
Population by Race		
White	94.5%	75.8%
Black	1.9%	10.7%
Other	3.5%	13.5%
Hispanic Origin (all races)	1.5%	8.4%
Population by Age		
Ages 0 to 17	18.2%	20.6%
Ages 18 to 24	6.8%	8.9%
Ages 25 to 34	11.1%	13.0%
Ages 35 to 44	11.8%	12.3%
Ages 45 to 54	13.3%	12.2%
Ages 55 to 64	15.4%	13.9%
Ages 65 to 74	13.5%	11.2%
Ages 75 and Older	9.9%	7.9%
Median Age	47.0	40.9

Source: U.S. Census 5 Year Estimate 2019-2023 (Tables: DP05 and B01001)

Online Job Postings	County	PA
August 2025	1,098	287,837
August 2024	560	220,014
Annual Percent Change	96.1%	30.8%
Annual Volume Change	538	67,823

Source: The Conference Board - LightCast - Help Wanted OnLine™

2023 Veterans	County	PA
Total Veterans	4,766	656,112
Veteran Median Income	\$39,540	\$48,257
Non-Veteran Median Income	\$31,955	\$39,875
Veteran Unemployment Rate	4.8%	3.9%
Non-Veteran Unemployment Rate	5.4%	5.3%

Source: U.S. Census 5 Year Estimate 2019-2023 (Table: S2101)

2023 Resident Income	County	PA
Per Capita Income	\$49,685	\$68,945
Total Personal Income (in thousands)	\$3,587,141	\$893,649,165
Total Earnings (in thousands)	\$1,864,821	\$538,362,363
Total Dividends/Interest/Rent (in thousands)	\$597,518	\$167,613,070
Total Transfer Payments (in thousands)	\$1,124,802	\$187,673,732

Source: Bureau of Economic Analysis

Local Area Unemployment Statistics		
Aug 2025	County	PA
Unemployment Rate	4.2%	4.0%
Labor Force	32,000	6,530,000
Employed	30,600	6,267,000
Unemployed	1,400	263,000

Notes: Current month's data are preliminary. Data are seasonally adjusted.

Unemployment Compensation Exhaustees				
Sep 2024 to Aug 2025	Volume		Percent of Total	
	County	PA	County	PA
Natural Resources and Mining	20	760	6.0%	1.0%
Construction	60	7,630	18.0%	9.0%
Manufacturing	40	9,970	12.0%	12.0%
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	70	16,540	21.0%	20.0%
Information	0	1,800	0.0%	2.0%
Financial Activities	0	4,730	0.0%	5.5%
Professional and Business Services	50	16,540	15.0%	20.0%
Education and Health Service	30	14,450	9.0%	17.5%
Leisure and Hospitality	40	6,620	12.0%	8.0%
Other Services	10	2,530	3.0%	3.0%
Public Administration	10	1,550	3.0%	2.0%
Unclassified Industry	0	450	0.0%	0.5%
Total	330	83,570	100%	100%

Note: Percentages less than 0.5% will be displayed as 0.0%.
Source: Pennsylvania Unemployment Compensation System

Top 10 Employers by Employment in Q1 of 2025	
State Government	
VR US Holdings Inc	
UPMC Somerset	
CSS Medical Center at Windber	
Somerset County	
Wal-Mart Associates Inc	
Somerset Area School District	
DeVilbiss Healthcare LLC	
Somerset Trust Company	
CVS PA Distribution Inc	

Source: Quarterly Census of Employment and Wages

Quarterly Census of Employment and Wages, 2024 Annual Averages									
NAICS	NAICS Description	Estab.	LQ	Employment		Employment %		Wages	
		County		County	PA	County	PA	County	PA
	Total, All Industries	1,862	1.00	23,303	6,019,749	100.0%	100.0%	\$50,924	\$71,731
11	Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing and Hunting	27	1.51	164	28,038	0.7%	0.5%	\$37,567	\$45,430
21	Mining, Quarrying, and Oil & Gas	26	9.31	752	20,860	3.2%	0.3%	\$91,428	\$105,671
22	Utilities	25	1.37	182	34,275	0.8%	0.6%	\$77,029	\$117,912
23	Construction	173	1.15	1,200	269,524	5.1%	4.5%	\$60,617	\$81,495
31-33	Manufacturing	115	1.17	2,563	563,767	11.0%	9.4%	\$60,945	\$77,222
42	Wholesale Trade	83	1.32	1,110	217,225	4.8%	3.6%	\$59,589	\$103,433
44-45	Retail Trade	215	1.09	2,509	595,107	10.8%	9.9%	\$33,668	\$37,566
48-49	Transportation and Warehousing	106	0.95	1,282	348,451	5.5%	5.8%	\$55,665	\$61,475
51	Information	13	0.24	87	94,435	0.4%	1.6%	\$54,247	\$127,563
52	Finance and Insurance	83	0.63	669	273,363	2.9%	4.5%	\$69,410	\$125,012
53	Real Estate and Rental and Leasing	42	0.84	220	67,751	0.9%	1.1%	\$45,862	\$75,745
54	Professional and Technical Services	112	0.49	749	396,986	3.2%	6.6%	\$62,772	\$122,816
55	Management of Companies and Enterprises	11	0.14	82	147,358	0.4%	2.4%	\$82,964	\$161,330
56	Administrative and Waste Services	72	0.51	590	299,369	2.5%	5.0%	\$44,509	\$51,366
61	Educational Services	40	0.83	1,579	492,429	6.8%	8.2%	\$47,534	\$69,268
62	Health Care and Social Assistance	276	0.90	4,006	1,154,466	17.2%	19.2%	\$52,631	\$64,842
71	Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation	32	0.71	292	106,263	1.3%	1.8%	\$22,783	\$44,444
72	Accommodation and Food Services	155	1.32	2,370	465,024	10.2%	7.7%	\$22,997	\$25,518
81	Other Services (Except Public Administration)	184	1.04	840	207,747	3.6%	3.5%	\$27,836	\$45,440
92	Public Administration	72	2.24	2,059	237,313	8.8%	3.9%	\$65,603	\$77,037
	Total, Suppressed Local Industries	0		0		0.0%			

Company Ownership									
	Total, All Ownership	1,862	1.00	23,303	6,019,749	100.0%	100.0%	\$50,924	\$71,731
	Private Ownership	1,710	0.92	19,129	5,345,897	82.1%	88.8%	\$49,421	\$71,761
	Federal Ownership	36	0.45	179	103,709	0.8%	1.7%	\$63,461	\$93,356
	State Ownership	24	3.24	1,601	127,747	6.9%	2.1%	\$77,547	\$75,454
	Local Ownership	92	1.40	2,393	442,396	10.3%	7.3%	\$44,217	\$65,225

Notes: 'Estab.'-Establishments. 'LQ'-(Location Quotient) is the percent of county employment by sector divided by the percent of PA's employment by sector.

Occupational Wages, 2024 Annual Averages					
SOC Code	Major Occupational Group	Entry-Level Wage		Average Wage	
		County	PA	County	PA
00-0000	Total, All Occupations	\$28,670	\$30,780	\$53,080	\$63,690
11-0000	Management	\$52,550	\$64,230	\$103,830	\$131,730
13-0000	Business & Financial Operations	\$41,410	\$49,780	\$70,240	\$86,650
15-0000	Computer & Mathematical	\$46,340	\$56,410	\$75,250	\$100,280
17-0000	Architecture & Engineering	\$49,230	\$59,380	\$80,310	\$94,890
19-0000	Life, Physical, & Social Science	\$39,370	\$50,040	\$62,960	\$85,750
21-0000	Community & Social Service	\$34,340	\$39,030	\$52,090	\$57,940
23-0000	Legal	\$47,820	\$49,940	\$92,410	\$116,900
25-0000	Educational Instruction & Library	\$32,920	\$33,960	\$60,040	\$67,240
27-0000	Arts, Design, Entertainment, Sports, & Media	\$21,570	\$33,610	\$49,770	\$65,180
29-0000	Healthcare Practitioners & Technical	\$43,950	\$48,760	\$84,590	\$97,430
31-0000	Healthcare Support	\$29,750	\$26,910	\$37,390	\$35,900
33-0000	Protective Service	\$41,020	\$32,510	\$64,310	\$58,460
35-0000	Food Preparation & Serving Related	\$19,590	\$22,160	\$30,450	\$33,140
37-0000	Building & Grounds Cleaning & Maintenance	\$25,580	\$28,100	\$33,930	\$38,190
39-0000	Personal Care & Service	\$21,060	\$22,620	\$33,640	\$36,000
41-0000	Sales & Related	\$24,230	\$25,890	\$40,130	\$50,110
43-0000	Office & Administrative Support	\$29,860	\$32,920	\$43,020	\$48,410
45-0000	Farming, Fishing, & Forestry	\$27,680	\$29,230	\$43,710	\$42,730
47-0000	Construction & Extraction	\$39,200	\$42,180	\$55,500	\$64,370
49-0000	Installation, Maintenance, & Repair	\$35,770	\$39,410	\$55,020	\$60,180
51-0000	Production	\$32,800	\$34,480	\$46,200	\$50,090
53-0000	Transportation & Material Moving	\$28,440	\$30,700	\$42,890	\$46,820

Note: 'ND' represents Non-Disclosable information.