



Due to BLS methodological changes and conversions to the 2020 Census-based area delineations, seasonally adjusted substate area LAUS data are not available until further notice.

2023 Population		
Demographic	County	PA
Total Population	51,189	12,986,518
Female	23,834	6,585,606
Male	27,355	6,400,912
Population by Race		
White	90.1%	75.8%
Black	3.2%	10.7%
Other	5.9%	10.0%
Hispanic Origin (all races)	4.9%	8.4%
Population by Age		
Ages 0 to 17	16.6%	20.6%
Ages 18 to 24	6.3%	8.9%
Ages 25 to 34	11.2%	13.0%
Ages 35 to 44	11.4%	12.3%
Ages 45 to 54	12.8%	12.2%
Ages 55 to 64	16.6%	13.9%
Ages 65 to 74	15.1%	11.2%
Ages 75 and Older	9.9%	7.9%
Median Age	48.9	40.9

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

Online Job Postings	County	PA
February 2025	309	235,805
February 2024	189	205,673
Annual Percent Change	63.5%	14.7%
Annual Volume Change	120	30,132

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

2023 Veterans	County	PA
Total Veterans	4,243	656,112
Veteran Median Income	\$43,383	\$48,257
Non-Veteran Median Income	\$32,293	\$39,875
Veteran Unemployment Rate	1.9%	3.9%
Non-Veteran Unemployment Rate	6.4%	5.3%

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

2023 Resident Income	County	PA
Per Capita Income	\$57,575	\$68,945
Total Personal Income (in thousands)	\$2,951,411	\$893,649,165
Total Earnings (in thousands)	\$1,469,990	\$538,362,363
Total Dividends/Interest/Rent (in thousands)	\$625,649	\$167,613,070
Total Transfer Payments (in thousands)	\$855,772	\$187,673,732

Source: Bureau of Economic Analysis

Local Area Unemployment Statistics		
February	2025	2024
Unemployment Rate	5.4%	5.0%
Labor Force	21,700	23,000
Employed	20,500	21,800
Unemployed	1,200	1,200

Notes: Current month's data are preliminary. Data are not seasonally adjusted.

Unemployment Compensation Exhaustees				
Mar 2024 to Feb 2025	Volume		Percent of Total	
	County	PA	County	PA
Natural Resources and Mining	10	650	4.0%	1.0%
Construction	40	7,370	15.5%	10.0%
Manufacturing	20	8,510	7.5%	11.5%
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	60	14,140	23.0%	19.5%
Information	10	1,610	4.0%	2.0%
Financial Activities	10	4,240	4.0%	6.0%
Professional and Business Services	40	14,810	15.5%	20.5%
Education and Health Service	20	11,800	7.5%	16.0%
Leisure and Hospitality	30	5,670	11.5%	8.0%
Other Services	10	2,000	4.0%	2.5%
Public Administration	10	1,590	4.0%	2.0%
Unclassified Industry	0	370	0.0%	0.5%
Total	260	72,760	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 Q3 of 2024	
State Government	
Wayne County Memorial Hospital Association	
Federal Government	
Wayne County Commissioners	
Wayne Highlands School District	
Wal-Mart Associates Inc	
Western Wayne School District	
Wayne Memorial Community Health	
Weis Markets Inc	
Human Resources Center Inc	

Source: Quarterly Census of Employment and Wages

Quarterly Census of Employment and Wages, 2023 Annual Averages									
NAICS	NAICS Description	Estab.	LQ	Employment		Employment %		Wages	
		County		County	PA	County	PA	County	PA
	Total, All Industries	1,434	1.00	15,238	5,963,025	100.0%	100.0%	\$50,718	\$69,252
11	Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing and Hunting	18	0.66	46	27,249	0.3%	0.5%	\$39,077	\$44,014
21	Mining, Quarrying, and Oil & Gas	14	2.41	136	22,118	0.9%	0.4%	\$71,655	\$101,711
22	Utilities	11	1.54	134	34,054	0.9%	0.6%	\$83,867	\$110,867
23	Construction	176	1.92	1,317	268,718	8.6%	4.5%	\$64,173	\$77,927
31-33	Manufacturing	44	0.46	670	566,896	4.4%	9.5%	\$48,750	\$74,597
42	Wholesale Trade	37	0.55	307	216,986	2.0%	3.6%	\$72,723	\$99,656
44-45	Retail Trade	181	1.46	2,244	601,132	14.7%	10.1%	\$37,488	\$36,721
48-49	Transportation and Warehousing	79	0.47	417	345,491	2.7%	5.8%	\$40,286	\$59,247
51	Information	15	0.64	158	96,556	1.0%	1.6%	\$54,710	\$119,947
52	Finance and Insurance	62	0.86	603	273,127	4.0%	4.6%	\$82,759	\$118,105
53	Real Estate and Rental and Leasing	40	0.65	112	67,704	0.7%	1.1%	\$45,910	\$74,573
54	Professional and Technical Services	102	0.36	371	398,002	2.4%	6.7%	\$57,619	\$117,065
55	Management of Companies and Enterprises	9	0.26	99	147,596	0.6%	2.5%	\$103,470	\$153,152
56	Administrative and Waste Services	70	0.72	556	303,622	3.6%	5.1%	\$34,944	\$51,067
61	Educational Services	22	0.72	889	485,148	5.8%	8.1%	\$61,361	\$67,022
62	Health Care and Social Assistance	183	0.88	2,502	1,108,490	16.4%	18.6%	\$52,335	\$63,414
71	Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation	41	0.78	205	102,276	1.3%	1.7%	\$27,409	\$43,044
72	Accommodation and Food Services	162	1.63	1,928	461,744	12.7%	7.7%	\$28,891	\$24,729
81	Other Services (Except Public Administration)	124	1.36	708	203,144	4.6%	3.4%	\$32,335	\$43,903
92	Public Administration	46	3.08	1,836	232,974	12.0%	3.9%	\$68,188	\$73,804
	Total, Suppressed Local Industries	0		0		0.0%			
Company Ownership									
	Total, All Ownership	1,434	1.00	15,238	5,963,025	100.0%	100.0%	\$50,718	\$69,252
	Private Ownership	1,337	0.91	12,261	5,301,081	80.5%	88.9%	\$46,960	\$69,300
	Federal Ownership	22	1.90	493	101,636	3.2%	1.7%	\$88,522	\$90,018
	State Ownership	20	2.89	932	126,229	6.1%	2.1%	\$76,784	\$71,770
	Local Ownership	56	1.40	1,552	434,079	10.2%	7.3%	\$52,748	\$63,079

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, 2023 Annual Averages					
SOC Code	Major Occupational Group	Entry-Level Wage		Average Wage	
		County	PA	County	PA
00-0000	Total, All Occupations	\$27,320	\$29,860	\$51,870	\$61,920
11-0000	Management	\$51,500	\$64,540	\$96,980	\$131,660
13-0000	Business & Financial Operations	\$40,140	\$47,270	\$68,620	\$82,990
15-0000	Computer & Mathematical	\$44,170	\$54,840	\$74,830	\$98,060
17-0000	Architecture & Engineering	\$51,940	\$57,460	\$80,610	\$92,950
19-0000	Life, Physical, & Social Science	\$55,180	\$48,260	\$81,980	\$82,210
21-0000	Community & Social Service	\$35,200	\$36,700	\$52,430	\$55,040
23-0000	Legal	\$41,480	\$51,470	\$72,950	\$120,620
25-0000	Educational Instruction & Library	\$34,690	\$34,430	\$60,410	\$68,610
27-0000	Arts, Design, Entertainment, Sports, & Media	\$28,510	\$32,120	\$57,660	\$61,640
29-0000	Healthcare Practitioners & Technical	\$45,550	\$48,400	\$94,730	\$97,160
31-0000	Healthcare Support	\$27,380	\$26,680	\$35,630	\$35,120
33-0000	Protective Service	\$37,930	\$30,510	\$61,990	\$56,120
35-0000	Food Preparation & Serving Related	\$19,750	\$21,170	\$30,040	\$31,550
37-0000	Building & Grounds Cleaning & Maintenance	\$25,070	\$27,390	\$34,000	\$37,490
39-0000	Personal Care & Service	\$22,100	\$22,380	\$37,170	\$35,260
41-0000	Sales & Related	\$22,960	\$24,850	\$39,350	\$50,440
43-0000	Office & Administrative Support	\$28,030	\$31,640	\$41,640	\$46,810
45-0000	Farming, Fishing, & Forestry	\$28,390	\$25,510	\$40,590	\$41,590
47-0000	Construction & Extraction	\$37,550	\$40,300	\$54,030	\$61,810
49-0000	Installation, Maintenance, & Repair	\$31,080	\$36,690	\$48,980	\$57,200
51-0000	Production	\$30,480	\$32,920	\$43,920	\$48,120
53-0000	Transportation & Material Moving	\$27,760	\$30,290	\$42,550	\$45,770

Note: 'ND' represents Non-Disclosable information.