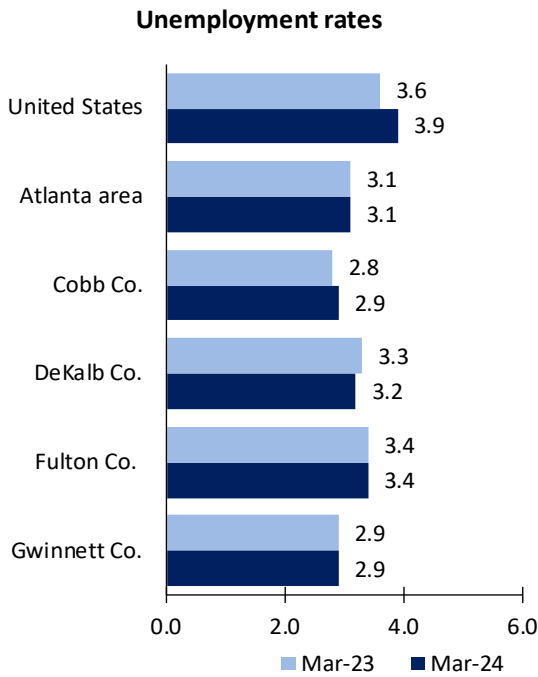


Atlanta, GA, Area Economic Summary

Updated May 02, 2024

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.

Unemployment rates for the nation and selected areas

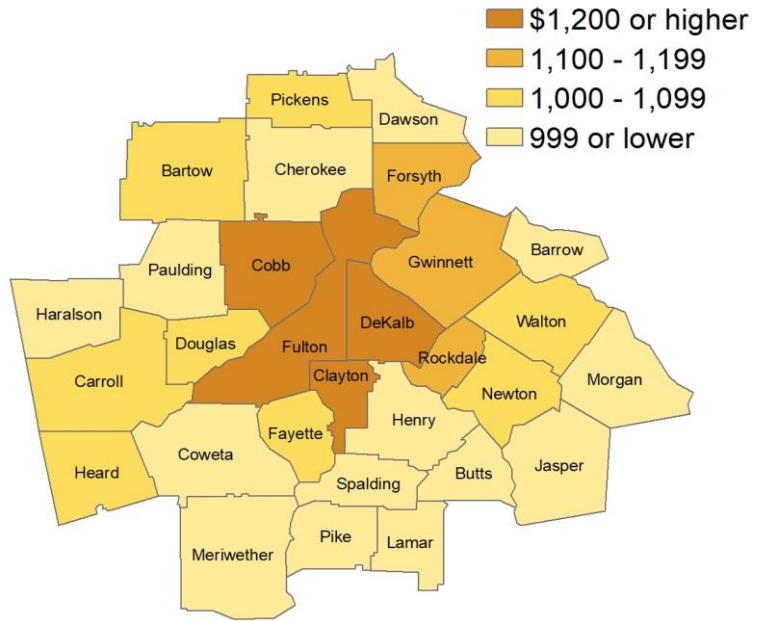


Source: U.S. BLS, Local Area Unemployment Statistics.

Average weekly wages for all industries by county

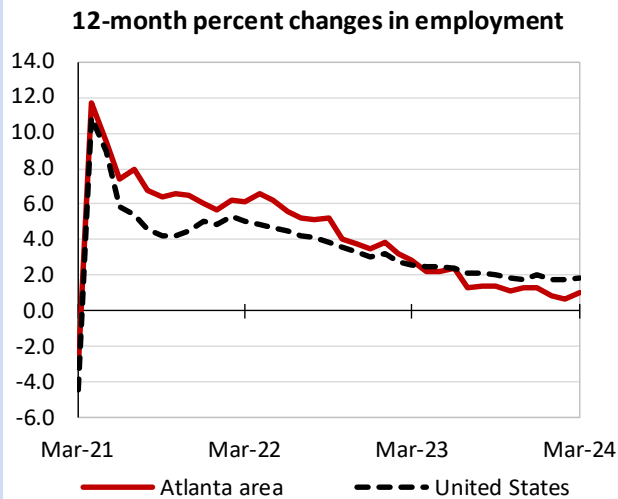
Atlanta area, third quarter 2023

(U.S. = \$1,334; Area = \$1,371)



Source: U.S. BLS, Quarterly Census of Employment and Wages.

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



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

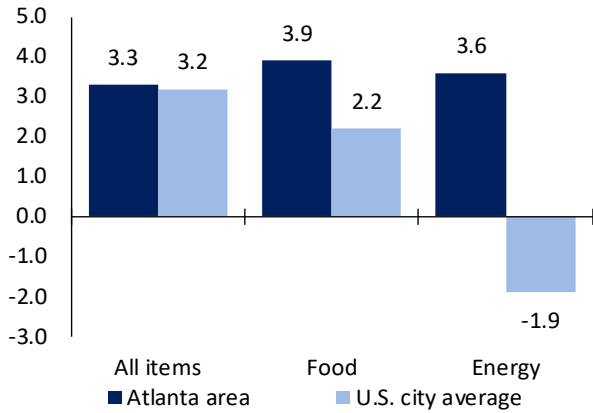
| Atlanta area employment (number in thousands) | Mar. 2024 | Change from Mar. 2023 to Mar. 2024 | |
|--|-----------|------------------------------------|---------|
| | | Number | Percent |
| Total nonfarm | 3,068.7 | 30.1 | 1.0 |
| Mining and logging | 2.1 | 0.1 | 5.0 |
| Construction | 146.2 | 4.3 | 3.0 |
| Manufacturing | 182.0 | 2.1 | 1.2 |
| Trade, transportation, and utilities | 651.7 | -10.7 | -1.6 |
| Information | 95.8 | -18.1 | -15.9 |
| Financial activities | 206.1 | 2.8 | 1.4 |
| Professional and business services | 584.6 | -1.4 | -0.2 |
| Education and health services | 420.0 | 20.4 | 5.1 |
| Leisure and hospitality | 315.8 | 14.2 | 4.7 |
| Other services | 104.5 | 2.0 | 2.0 |
| Government | 359.9 | 14.4 | 4.2 |

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



Over-the-year change in the prices paid by urban consumers for selected categories

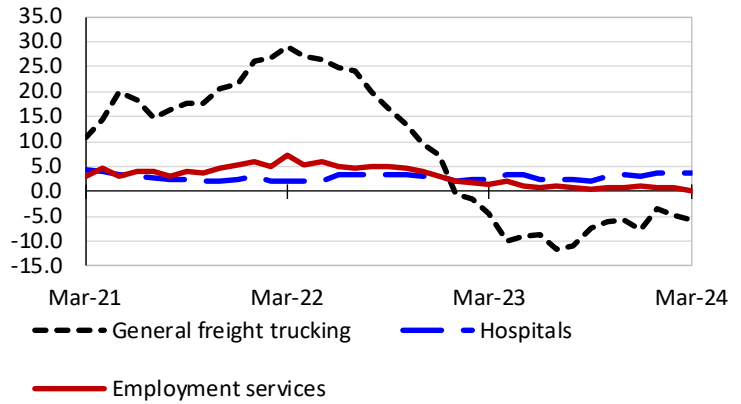
12-month percent change in CPI-U, February 2024



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

Over-the-year changes in the selling prices received by producers for selected industries nationwide

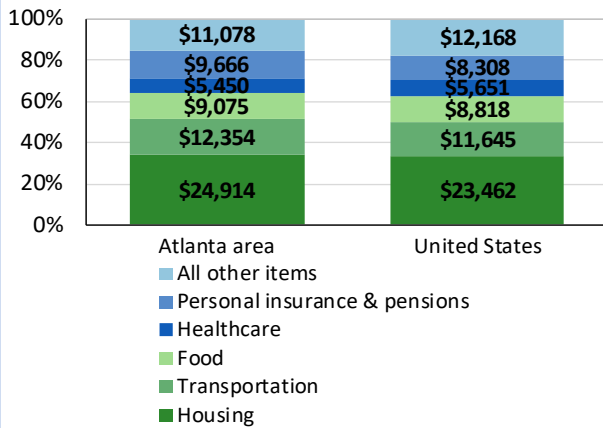
12-month percent changes in PPI



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

Average annual spending and percent distribution for selected categories

Average annual expenditures, United States and Atlanta area, 2021-22



Source: U.S. BLS, Consumer Expenditure Survey.

Average hourly wages for selected occupations

| Occupation | Atlanta area | United States |
|----------------------------------|--------------|---------------|
| All occupations | \$32.17 | \$31.48 |
| Financial managers | 91.35 | 84.05 |
| General and operations managers | 63.96 | 62.18 |
| Computer systems analysts | 52.71 | 53.27 |
| Customer service representatives | 20.41 | 20.92 |
| Construction laborers | 20.33 | 23.69 |
| Retail salespersons | 16.43 | 17.64 |

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

Employer costs per hour worked for wages and selected employee benefits by geographic division

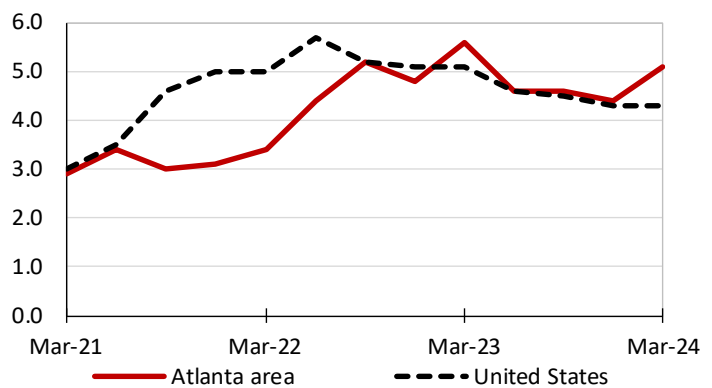
| Private industry, December 2023 | South Atlantic (1) | United States |
|---------------------------------|--------------------|---------------|
| Total compensation | \$40.34 | \$43.11 |
| Wages and salaries | 28.91 | 30.33 |
| Total benefits | 11.43 | 12.77 |
| Paid leave | 3.10 | 3.26 |
| Vacation | 1.61 | 1.67 |
| Supplemental pay | 1.43 | 1.71 |
| Insurance | 2.73 | 3.14 |
| Retirement and savings | 1.25 | 1.50 |
| Legally required benefits | 2.92 | 3.17 |

(1) The states that compose the South Atlantic census division are: DE, DC, FL, GA, MD, NC, SC, VA, and WV.

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

Over-the-year changes in wages and salaries

12-month percent changes in ECI



Source: U.S. BLS, Employment Cost Index.

