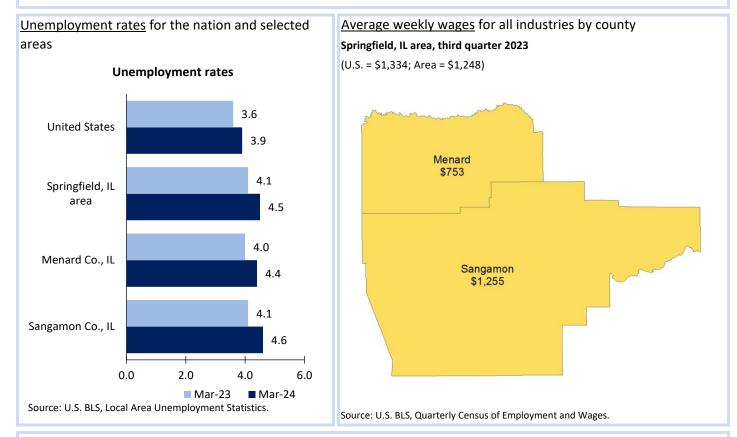
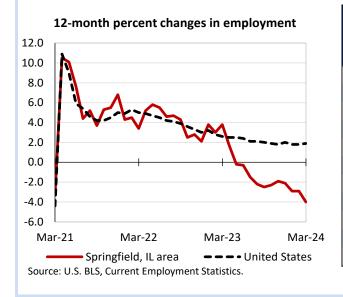
Springfield, IL Area Economic Summary

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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 <u>www.bls.gov/regions/economic-summaries.htm</u>.



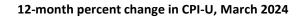
Over-the-year changes in employment on nonfarm payrolls and employment by major industry sector

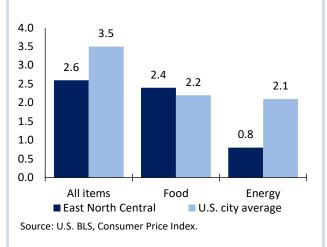


Springfield, IL area employment (number in thousands)	Mar. 2024	Change from Mar. 2023 to Mar. 2024		
		Number	Percent	
Total nonfarm	106.2	-4.4	-4.0	
Mining, logging, and construction	3.4	-0.1	-2.9	
Manufacturing	3.7	0.0	0.0	
Trade, transportation, and utilities	16.8	-0.1	-0.6	
Information	1.6	-2.6	-61.9	
Financial activities	5.5	-0.3	-5.2	
Professional and business services	11.6	-1.2	-9.4	
Education and health services	20.6	-0.4	-1.9	
Leisure and hospitality	10.0	-0.4	-3.8	
Other services	5.9	0.0	0.0	
Government	27.1	0.7	2.7	
Source: U.S. BLS, Current Employment Statistics.				

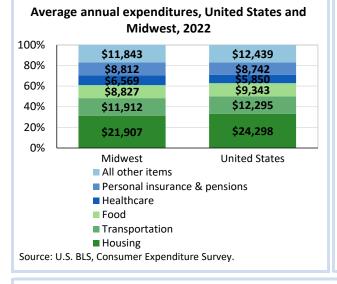


Over-the-year change in the <u>prices paid by urban</u> <u>consumers</u> for selected categories

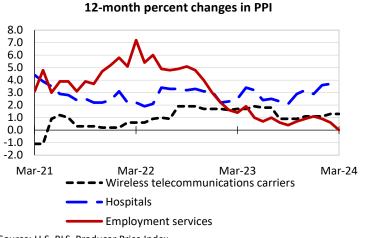




<u>Average annual spending</u> and percent distribution for selected categories



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.

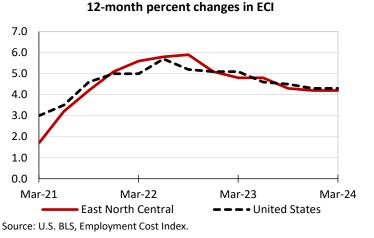
Occupation	Springfield, IL area	United States
All occupations	\$31.05	\$31.48
Accountants and auditors	35.13	43.65
Automotive service technicians and mechanics	25.52	24.97
Light truck drivers	22.24	22.16
Welders, cutters, solderers, and brazers	20.67	25.31
Office clerks, general	19.66	20.94
Waiters and waitresses	15.70	17.56

Over-the-year changes in wages and salaries

Private industry, December 2023	East North Central (1)	United States		
Total compensation	\$41.90	\$43.11		
Wages and salaries	29.01	30.33		
Total benefits	12.89	12.77		
Paid leave	3.05	3.26		
Vacation	1.61	1.67		
Supplemental pay	1.94	1.71		
Insurance	3.31	3.14		
Retirement and savings	1.60	1.50		
Legally required benefits	3.00	3.17		
(1) The states that compose the East North Central census division are: IL, IN, MI, OH, and WI.				

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

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Average hourly wages for selected occupations

Employer costs per hour worked for wages and Over-the-ye selected employee benefits by geographic division

