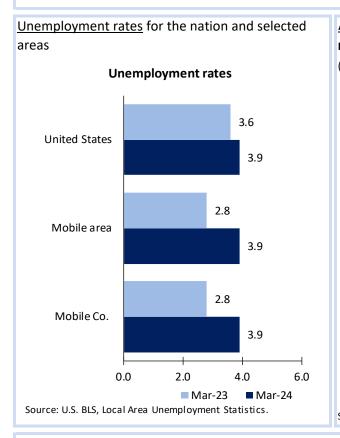
## Mobile, AL, Area Economic Summary

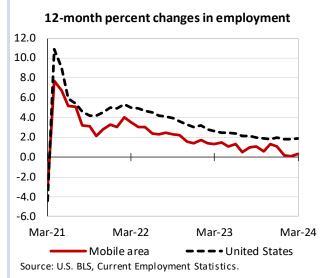
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This summary presents a sampling of economic information for the area; supplemental data are provided for regions and the nation. Subjects include unemployment, employment, wages, prices, spending, and benefits. All data are not seasonally adjusted and some may be subject to revision. Area definitions may differ by subject. For more area summaries and geographic definitions, see <a href="www.bls.gov/regions/economic-summaries.htm">www.bls.gov/regions/economic-summaries.htm</a>.





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



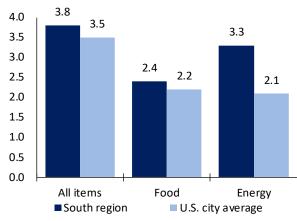
Mobile area employment (number in thousands)	Mar. 2024	Change from Mar. 2023 to Mar. 2024	
		Number	Percent
Total nonfarm	188.5	0.5	0.3
Mining, logging, and construction	13.1	0.7	5.6
Manufacturing	16.4	0.5	3.1
Trade, transportation, and utilities	39.3	-0.4	-1.0
Information	2.3	0.0	0.0
Financial activities	8.0	-1.3	-14.0
Professional and business services	23.2	-0.4	-1.7
Education and health services	31.0	1.2	4.0
Leisure and hospitality	16.9	-0.5	-2.9
Other services	12.5	0.3	2.5
Government	25.8	0.4	1.6

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

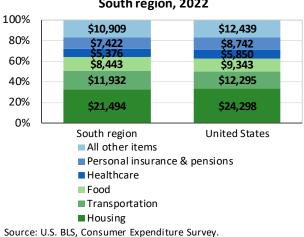
### 12-month percent change in CPI-U, March 2024



Source: U.S. BLS, Consumer PriceIndex.

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

# Average annual expenditures, United States and South region, 2022



Over-the-year changes in the selling <u>prices received by</u> <u>producers</u> for selected industries nationwide

### 12-month percent changes in PPI 35.0 30.0 25.0 20.0 15.0 10.0 5.0 0.0 -5.0 -10.0 -15.0 Mar-21 Mar-22 Mar-24 Mar-23 --- General freight trucking Hospitals Ship and boat building

### Average hourly wages for selected occupations

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

Occupation	Mobile area	United States
All occupations	\$25.22	\$31.48
General and operations managers	60.17	62.18
Accountants and auditors	35.36	43.65
Registered nurses	33.13	45.42
Heavy and tractor-trailer truck drivers	24.09	26.92
Construction laborers	16.38	23.69
Retail salespersons	15.33	17.64

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

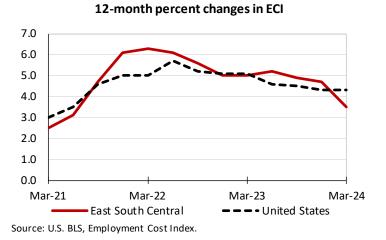
<u>Employer costs</u> per hour worked for wages and selected employee benefits by geographic division

Private industry, December 2023	East South Central (1)	United States
Total compensation	\$31.82	\$43.11
Wages and salaries	22.92	30.33
Total benefits	8.89	12.77
Paid leave	2.06	3.26
Vacation	1.03	1.67
Supplemental pay	1.26	1.71
Insurance	2.46	3.14
Retirement and savings	0.81	1.50
Legally required benefits	2.32	3.17

(1) The states that compose the East South Central census division are: AL, KY, MS, and TN.

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

Over-the-year changes in wages and salaries



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