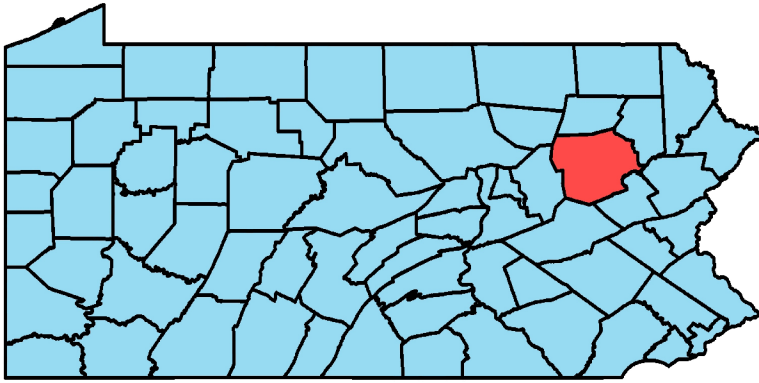
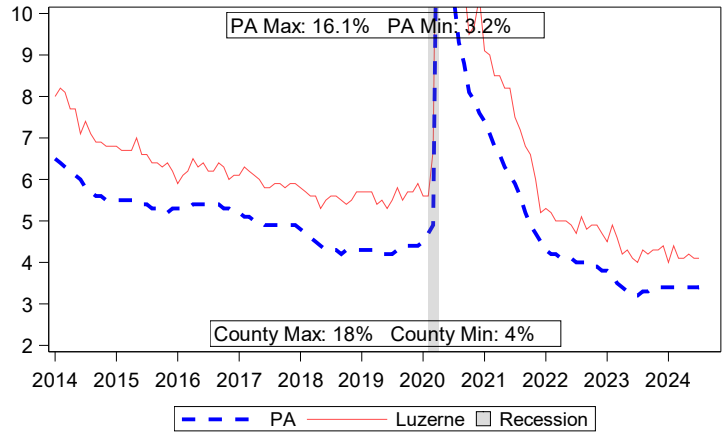


Luzerne County Profile

August 2024



Unemployment Rate, Jan 2014 to Jul 2024



2022 Population		
Demographic	County	PA
Total Population	325,396	12,989,208
Female	163,119	6,578,442
Male	162,277	6,410,766
Population by Race		
White	80.6%	77.1%
Black	5.2%	10.8%
Other	14.2%	12.1%
Hispanic Origin (all races)	15.1%	8.1%

Population by Age		
Ages 0 to 17	20.1%	20.5%
Ages 18 to 24	8.9%	9.2%
Ages 25 to 34	12.6%	13.1%
Ages 35 to 44	11.8%	12.1%
Ages 45 to 54	12.9%	12.4%
Ages 55 to 64	14.0%	14.0%
Ages 65 to 74	11.3%	10.8%
Ages 75 and Older	8.6%	7.9%
Median Age	42.2	40.8

Source: U.S. Census 5 Year Estimate 2018-2022 (Tables: DP05 and B01001)

Online Job Postings	County	PA
July 2024	4,766	236,108
July 2023	3,513	209,827
Annual Percent Change	35.7%	12.5%
Annual Volume Change	1,253	26,281

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

2022 Veterans	County	PA
Total Veterans	19,168	680,824
Veteran Median Income	\$43,475	\$46,106
Non-Veteran Median Income	\$32,903	\$37,475
Veteran Unemployment Rate	3.8%	4.2%
Non-Veteran Unemployment Rate	5.7%	5.3%

Source: U.S. Census 5 Year Estimate 2018-2022 (Table: S2101)

2022 Resident Income	County	PA
Per Capita Income	\$50,618	\$64,506
Total Personal Income (in thousands)	\$16,520,258	\$836,778,334
Total Earnings (in thousands)	\$9,420,546	\$511,019,899
Total Dividends/Interest/Rent (in thousands)	\$2,569,802	\$151,238,652
Total Transfer Payments (in thousands)	\$4,529,910	\$174,519,783

Source: Bureau of Economic Analysis

Local Area Unemployment Statistics		
Jul 2024	County	PA
Unemployment Rate	4.1%	3.4%
Labor Force	161,600	6,602,000
Employed	155,000	6,378,000
Unemployed	6,600	224,000

Notes: Current month's data are preliminary. Data are Seasonally Adjusted.

Unemployment Compensation Exhaustees				
Aug 2023 to Jul 2024	Volume		Percent of Total	
	County	PA	County	PA
Natural Resources and Mining	10	470	0.5%	1.0%
Construction	220	6,840	10.5%	12.5%
Manufacturing	280	6,440	13.5%	11.5%
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	650	10,250	31.5%	18.5%
Information	20	1,430	1.0%	2.5%
Financial Activities	80	3,030	4.0%	5.5%
Professional and Business Services	400	11,870	19.5%	21.5%
Education and Health Service	210	8,180	10.0%	14.5%
Leisure and Hospitality	100	4,120	5.0%	7.5%
Other Services	30	1,340	1.5%	2.5%
Public Administration	40	1,040	2.0%	2.0%
Unclassified Industry	20	800	1.0%	1.5%
Total	2,060	55,810	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 2024
Federal Government
Amazon.com Services LLC
Geisinger Wyoming Valley Medical Center
State Government
TJ Maxx Distribution Center
Hazleton Area School District
Chewy Inc
Wal-Mart Associates Inc
Luzerne County Government
Lowe's Home Centers LLC

Source: Quarterly Census of Employment and Wages

Quarterly Census of Employment and Wages, 2023 Annual Averages

NAICS	NAICS Description	Estab.		Employment		Employment %		Wages	
		County	LQ	County	PA	County	PA	County	PA
	Total, All Industries	7,461	1.00	144,394	5,963,025	100.0%	100.0%	\$54,138	\$69,252
11	Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing and Hunting	16	0.19	125	27,249	0.1%	0.5%	\$45,855	\$44,014
21	Mining, Quarrying, and Oil & Gas	20	0.61	325	22,118	0.2%	0.4%	\$76,788	\$101,711
22	Utilities	30	2.12	1,745	34,054	1.2%	0.6%	\$123,911	\$110,867
23	Construction	584	0.84	5,453	268,718	3.8%	4.5%	\$66,207	\$77,927
31-33	Manufacturing	331	1.29	17,726	566,896	12.3%	9.5%	\$63,544	\$74,597
42	Wholesale Trade	335	0.89	4,694	216,986	3.3%	3.6%	\$71,824	\$99,656
44-45	Retail Trade	1,123	1.10	16,050	601,132	11.1%	10.1%	\$34,454	\$36,721
48-49	Transportation and Warehousing	392	2.50	20,902	345,491	14.5%	5.8%	\$51,487	\$59,247
51	Information	92	1.08	2,518	96,556	1.7%	1.6%	\$64,820	\$119,947
52	Finance and Insurance	358	0.57	3,794	273,127	2.6%	4.6%	\$76,898	\$118,105
53	Real Estate and Rental and Leasing	239	0.62	1,021	67,704	0.7%	1.1%	\$55,368	\$74,573
54	Professional and Technical Services	561	0.40	3,900	398,002	2.7%	6.7%	\$76,328	\$117,065
55	Management of Companies and Enterprises	71	0.45	1,626	147,596	1.1%	2.5%	\$91,382	\$153,152
56	Administrative and Waste Services	401	1.19	8,729	303,622	6.0%	5.1%	\$41,138	\$51,067
61	Educational Services	171	0.83	9,747	485,148	6.8%	8.1%	\$53,977	\$67,022
62	Health Care and Social Assistance	1,072	0.92	24,701	1,108,490	17.1%	18.6%	\$62,010	\$63,414
71	Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation	93	0.58	1,425	102,276	1.0%	1.7%	\$33,778	\$43,044
72	Accommodation and Food Services	762	0.99	11,102	461,744	7.7%	7.7%	\$21,571	\$24,729
81	Other Services (Except Public Administration)	673	0.75	3,700	203,144	2.6%	3.4%	\$37,974	\$43,903
92	Public Administration	137	0.91	5,110	232,974	3.5%	3.9%	\$61,401	\$73,804
	Total, Suppressed Local Industries	0		0		0.0%			

Company Ownership

Total, All Ownership	7,461	1.00	144,394	5,963,025	100.0%	100.0%	\$54,138	\$69,252
Private Ownership	7,155	1.00	128,031	5,301,081	88.7%	88.9%	\$52,903	\$69,300
Federal Ownership	52	1.40	3,452	101,636	2.4%	1.7%	\$80,428	\$90,018
State Ownership	39	0.88	2,675	126,229	1.9%	2.1%	\$71,743	\$71,770
Local Ownership	215	0.97	10,235	434,079	7.1%	7.3%	\$56,127	\$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	\$29,040	\$29,860	\$54,460	\$61,920
11-0000	Management	\$58,460	\$64,540	\$115,930	\$131,660
13-0000	Business & Financial Operations	\$43,350	\$47,270	\$73,790	\$82,990
15-0000	Computer & Mathematical	\$47,110	\$54,840	\$84,440	\$98,060
17-0000	Architecture & Engineering	\$55,460	\$57,460	\$87,600	\$92,950
19-0000	Life, Physical, & Social Science	\$39,050	\$48,260	\$68,660	\$82,210
21-0000	Community & Social Service	\$34,670	\$36,700	\$50,750	\$55,040
23-0000	Legal	\$51,940	\$51,470	\$111,930	\$120,620
25-0000	Educational Instruction & Library	\$31,290	\$34,430	\$61,760	\$68,610
27-0000	Arts, Design, Entertainment, Sports, & Media	\$28,700	\$32,120	\$52,070	\$61,640
29-0000	Healthcare Practitioners & Technical	\$46,600	\$48,400	\$99,290	\$97,160
31-0000	Healthcare Support	\$25,460	\$26,680	\$33,850	\$35,120
33-0000	Protective Service	\$29,640	\$30,510	\$55,620	\$56,120
35-0000	Food Preparation & Serving Related	\$20,530	\$21,170	\$30,100	\$31,550
37-0000	Building & Grounds Cleaning & Maintenance	\$26,710	\$27,390	\$35,320	\$37,490
39-0000	Personal Care & Service	\$20,840	\$22,380	\$33,650	\$35,260
41-0000	Sales & Related	\$23,520	\$24,850	\$42,050	\$50,440
43-0000	Office & Administrative Support	\$30,610	\$31,640	\$44,100	\$46,810
45-0000	Farming, Fishing, & Forestry	\$25,990	\$25,510	\$45,020	\$41,590
47-0000	Construction & Extraction	\$38,820	\$40,300	\$58,820	\$61,810
49-0000	Installation, Maintenance, & Repair	\$35,440	\$36,690	\$56,010	\$57,200
51-0000	Production	\$32,220	\$32,920	\$46,860	\$48,120
53-0000	Transportation & Material Moving	\$32,260	\$30,290	\$43,530	\$45,770

Note: 'ND' represents Non-Disclosable information.