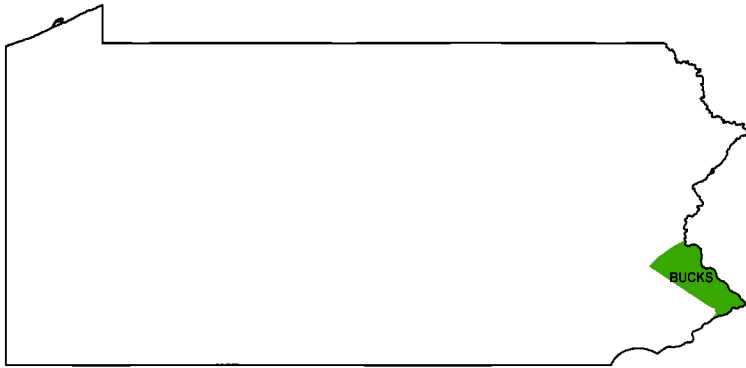
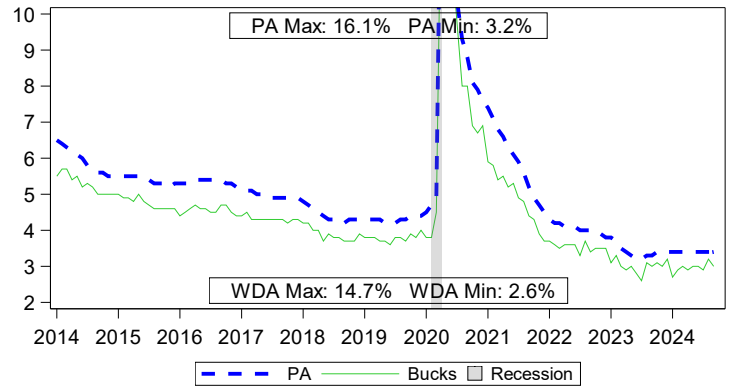


# Bucks County WDA Profile

October 2024



Workforce Development Area (WDA) Unemployment, Jan 2014 to Sep 2024



2022 Population		
Demographic	WDA	PA
Total Population	645,163	12,989,208
Female	325,753	6,578,442
Male	319,410	6,410,766
Population by Race		
White	83.8%	77.1%
Black	3.9%	10.8%
Other	12.3%	12.1%
Hispanic Origin (all races)	5.9%	8.1%
Population by Age		
Ages 0 to 17	20.0%	20.5%
Ages 18 to 24	8.0%	9.2%
Ages 25 to 34	10.9%	13.1%
Ages 35 to 44	12.1%	12.1%
Ages 45 to 54	13.6%	12.4%
Ages 55 to 64	15.8%	14.0%
Ages 65 to 74	11.3%	10.8%
Ages 75 and Older	8.2%	7.9%
Educational Attainment, Ages 18 and Older		
High School Diploma or Less	34.5%	42.5%
Some College or Associate Degree	24.6%	26.1%
Bachelor's Degree	24.9%	19.3%
Graduate or Professional Degree	16.0%	12.1%

Source: U.S. Census-2022 ACS 5-Year Estimates - DP05, B01001, and B15001

Local Area Unemployment Statistics		
Sep 2024	WDA	PA
Unemployment Rate	3.0%	3.4%
Labor Force	350,400	6,556,000
Employed	339,900	6,334,000
Unemployed	10,500	222,000

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

Top 10 Employers by Employment in Q1 of 2024	
Giant Food Stores LLC	
Central Bucks School District	
Bucks County	
Wal-Mart Associates Inc	
Doylestown Hospital	
Saint Mary Medical Center	
Grand View Health	
ELC Beauty LLC	
Pennsbury School District	
Council Rock School District	

Source: Quarterly Census of Employment and Wages

Online Job Postings	WDA	PA
September 2024	10,124	230,491
September 2023	8,474	185,665
Annual Percent Change	19.5%	24.1%
Annual Volume Change	1,650	44,826

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

Unemployment Compensation (UC) by Pre-UC Industry	Oct 2023 to Sep 2024				Sep 2024 Initial (IC) and Continued (CC) UC Claims							
	Exhaustees		Exh. Percent		IC Total		IC Percent		CC Total		CC Percent	
	WDA	PA	WDA	PA	WDA	PA	WDA	PA	WDA	PA	WDA	PA
Natural Resources and Mining	10	540	0.5%	1.0%	0	370	0.5%	1.0%	30	3,380	0.0%	1.0%
Construction	340	7,100	14.0%	11.5%	220	5,030	18.5%	15.0%	1,740	34,030	11.0%	8.5%
Manufacturing	240	7,020	10.0%	11.5%	110	4,810	9.0%	14.5%	1,550	50,550	10.0%	12.5%
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	440	11,480	18.5%	19.0%	210	6,060	17.5%	18.0%	3,230	82,510	20.5%	20.5%
Information	70	1,500	3.0%	2.5%	30	520	3.0%	1.5%	530	8,030	3.5%	2.0%
Financial Activities	170	3,330	7.0%	5.5%	80	1,290	6.5%	4.0%	1,000	21,110	6.5%	5.5%
Professional and Business Services	620	12,530	25.5%	20.5%	210	4,990	18.0%	15.0%	3,810	73,720	24.0%	18.5%
Education and Health Service	280	9,140	11.5%	15.0%	150	5,110	12.5%	15.5%	2,200	73,600	14.0%	18.5%
Leisure and Hospitality	120	4,570	5.0%	7.5%	70	2,610	6.0%	8.0%	930	30,570	6.0%	7.5%
Other Services	70	1,660	3.0%	2.5%	30	780	3.0%	2.5%	490	11,180	3.0%	3.0%
Public Administration	30	1,150	1.0%	2.0%	10	300	0.5%	1.0%	80	3,760	0.5%	1.0%
Unclassified Industry	20	520	1.0%	1.0%	70	1,510	6.0%	4.5%	260	8,460	1.5%	2.0%
Total	2,410	60,540	100%	100%	1,200	33,380	100%	100%	15,830	400,890	100%	100%

Notes: Percentages less than 0.5% will be displayed as 0.0%. Percentages may not sum to 100% due to rounding. Claims data are not comparable to claims data released in any other report.

Source: Pennsylvania Unemployment Compensation System

Quarterly Census of Employment and Wages, 2023 Annual Averages									
NAICS	NAICS Description	Estab.		Employment		Employment %		Wages	
		WDA	LQ	WDA	PA	WDA	PA	WDA	PA
	Total, All Industries	21,006	1.00	269,152	5,963,025	100.0%	100.0%	\$62,921	\$69,252
11	Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing and Hunting	89	0.50	614	27,249	0.2%	0.5%	\$41,394	\$44,014
21	Mining, Quarrying, and Oil & Gas	9	0.13	134	22,118	0.0%	0.4%	\$75,157	\$101,711
22	Utilities	43	0.62	956	34,054	0.4%	0.6%	\$158,283	\$110,867
23	Construction	2,549	1.41	17,145	268,718	6.4%	4.5%	\$82,132	\$77,927
31-33	Manufacturing	1,027	1.07	27,501	566,896	10.2%	9.5%	\$72,537	\$74,597
42	Wholesale Trade	1,286	1.39	13,569	216,986	5.0%	3.6%	\$91,869	\$99,656
44-45	Retail Trade	2,118	1.27	34,358	601,132	12.8%	10.1%	\$38,942	\$36,721
48-49	Transportation and Warehousing	907	0.62	9,674	345,491	3.6%	5.8%	\$59,930	\$59,247
51	Information	310	0.76	3,292	96,556	1.2%	1.6%	\$100,408	\$119,947
52	Finance and Insurance	1,195	0.68	8,365	273,127	3.1%	4.6%	\$113,605	\$118,105
53	Real Estate and Rental and Leasing	752	1.00	3,051	67,704	1.1%	1.1%	\$63,818	\$74,573
54	Professional and Technical Services	2,678	0.88	15,854	398,002	5.9%	6.7%	\$103,590	\$117,065
55	Management of Companies and Enterprises	307	0.48	3,171	147,596	1.2%	2.5%	\$135,956	\$153,152
56	Administrative and Waste Services	1,226	0.89	12,158	303,622	4.5%	5.1%	\$56,043	\$51,067
61	Educational Services	422	0.85	18,550	485,148	6.9%	8.1%	\$64,353	\$67,022
62	Health Care and Social Assistance	2,423	1.13	56,403	1,108,490	21.0%	18.6%	\$55,970	\$63,414
71	Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation	321	1.33	6,142	102,276	2.3%	1.7%	\$33,189	\$43,044
72	Accommodation and Food Services	1,417	1.08	22,439	461,744	8.3%	7.7%	\$24,040	\$24,729
81	Other Services (Except Public Administration)	1,819	1.15	10,573	203,144	3.9%	3.4%	\$43,407	\$43,903
92	Public Administration	110	0.49	5,205	232,974	1.9%	3.9%	\$76,475	\$73,804
	Total, Suppressed Industries	0		0		0.0%			

Company Ownership									
	Total, All Ownership	21,006	1.00	269,152	5,963,025	100.0%	100.0%	\$62,921	\$69,252
	Private Ownership	20,632	1.03	246,122	5,301,081	91.4%	88.9%	\$62,211	\$69,300
	Federal Ownership	73	0.27	1,259	101,636	0.5%	1.7%	\$83,194	\$90,018
	State Ownership	31	0.23	1,307	126,229	0.5%	2.1%	\$59,778	\$71,770
	Local Ownership	270	1.04	20,464	434,079	7.6%	7.3%	\$70,412	\$63,079

Notes: 'Estab.'-Establishments. 'LQ'-(Location Quotient) is the percent of WDA employment by sector divided by the percent of PA's employment by sector.

Occupational Employment (2020) and Wages (2023)							
SOC Code	Major Occupational Group	Estimated Employment		Entry-Level Wage		Average Wage	
		WDA	PA	WDA	PA	WDA	PA
00-0000	Total, All Occupations	267,090	5,923,090	\$30,130	\$29,860	\$60,650	\$61,920
11-0000	Management	13,530	329,650	\$64,080	\$64,540	\$130,450	\$131,660
13-0000	Business & Financial Operations	10,520	307,330	\$47,530	\$47,270	\$82,820	\$82,990
15-0000	Computer & Mathematical	5,520	168,390	\$53,810	\$54,840	\$97,790	\$98,060
17-0000	Architecture & Engineering	3,460	102,710	\$59,720	\$57,460	\$93,410	\$92,950
19-0000	Life, Physical & Social Science	1,620	56,570	\$48,310	\$48,260	\$79,190	\$82,210
21-0000	Community & Social Services	4,390	129,510	\$38,990	\$36,700	\$57,720	\$55,040
23-0000	Legal	ND	48,600	\$50,420	\$51,470	\$118,360	\$120,620
25-0000	Education, Training & Library	12,100	322,980	\$33,700	\$34,430	\$64,660	\$68,610
27-0000	Arts, Design, Entertainment, Sports & Media	3,430	76,840	\$34,500	\$32,120	\$62,790	\$61,640
29-0000	Healthcare Practitioners & Technical	17,070	410,120	\$49,770	\$48,400	\$99,080	\$97,160
31-0000	Healthcare Support	20,960	323,520	\$27,240	\$26,680	\$35,220	\$35,120
33-0000	Protective Service	3,600	123,720	\$30,660	\$30,510	\$57,020	\$56,120
35-0000	Food Preparation & Serving Related	20,410	403,000	\$22,760	\$21,170	\$33,320	\$31,550
37-0000	Building & Grounds Cleaning & Maintenance	8,020	185,730	\$30,120	\$27,390	\$41,240	\$37,490
39-0000	Personal Care & Service	9,380	159,270	\$23,340	\$22,380	\$37,100	\$35,260
41-0000	Sales & Related	28,420	525,290	\$26,330	\$24,850	\$51,400	\$50,440
43-0000	Office & Administrative Support	35,470	811,460	\$32,700	\$31,640	\$48,170	\$46,810
45-0000	Farming, Fishing & Forestry	ND	42,050	\$25,420	\$25,510	\$37,570	\$41,590
47-0000	Construction & Extraction	12,240	244,620	\$42,650	\$40,300	\$66,500	\$61,810
49-0000	Installation, Maintenance & Repair	12,650	232,680	\$38,220	\$36,690	\$60,000	\$57,200
51-0000	Production	16,940	361,760	\$34,130	\$32,920	\$49,780	\$48,120
53-0000	Transportation & Material Moving	24,880	557,300	\$30,320	\$30,290	\$45,060	\$45,770

Note: 'ND' represents Non-Disclosable information.