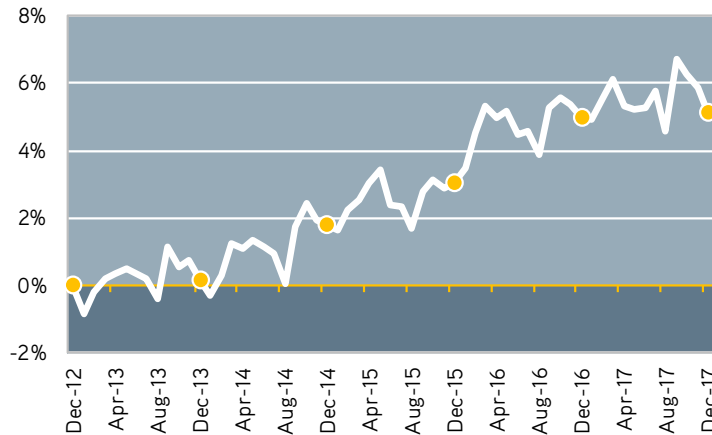


## Regional Labor Market Snapshot

### 5-Year Percent Change in Number Employed\*

DavidsonWorks Region

Source: LAUS, Labor & Economic Analysis, NC Dept. of Commerce



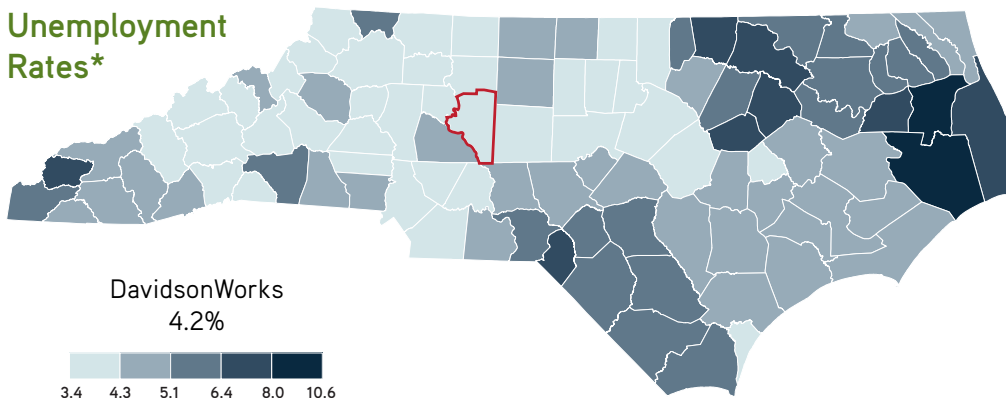
## Trending

### UNEMPLOYMENT\*

December 2017  
DavidsonWorks Total = 3,348

	Current	Previous
Region	4.2%	4.3%
NC	4.4%	4.5%
US	3.9%	3.9%

### December 2017 Unemployment Rates\*



### REGIONAL EMPLOYMENT\*

DavidsonWorks Total = 76,171  
**530 Fewer People Working**  
 in December than previous month  
**105 More People Working**  
 than same period one year ago

### METRO JOB GROWTH\*

Winston-Salem Total = 266,000  
**600 More Jobs**  
 in December than previous month  
**2,000 More Jobs**  
 than same period one year ago

### TAXABLE RETAIL SALES

DavidsonWorks Total = \$101,225,675  
**3.3% Higher**  
 than same period one year ago

Source: NC Dept. of Revenue  
 Note: December 2017 data most current available at time of release.

### ONLINE JOB ADS

**1,381 Online Advertised Vacancies**  
 over past 90 days  
**288 More Vacancies**  
 than same period one year ago

Source: The Conference Board Help Wanted Online

### Who's Hiring

past 90 days from January 30, 2018

• Novant Health	83
• Lowe's	73
• Davidson County Community College	54
• Ashley Furniture	48
• Randstad	34
• Old Dominion Freight Lines	30
• Mohawk Industries, Inc.	29
• R.J. Reynolds Tobacco Company	23

Source: The Conference Board Help Wanted Online

\*December 2017 data are preliminary, previous month's data are revised while all other data have undergone annual revision. All data produced in this publication are generated by LEAD unless otherwise stated.

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### What Jobs

past 90 days from January 30, 2018

• Registered Nurses	81
• Retail Salespersons	58
• Heavy & Tractor-Trailer Truck Drivers	55
• First-Line Supervisors, Retail Sales	48
• First-Line Supervisors, Production	45
• Freight, Stock, & Material Movers	41
• Helpers--Production Workers	38
• Nursing Assistants	32

Source: The Conference Board Help Wanted Online