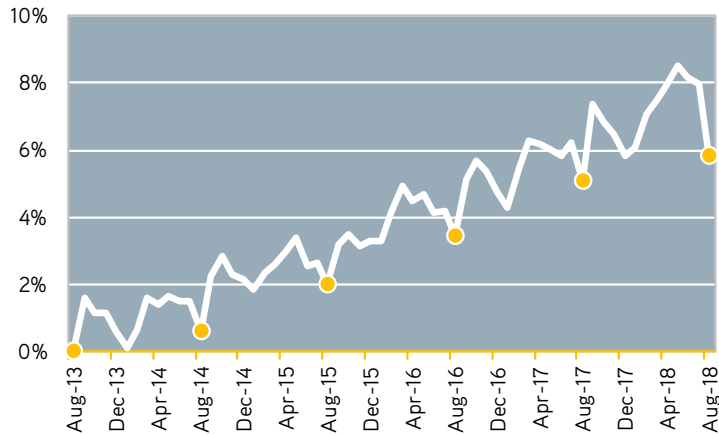


## Regional Labor Market Snapshot

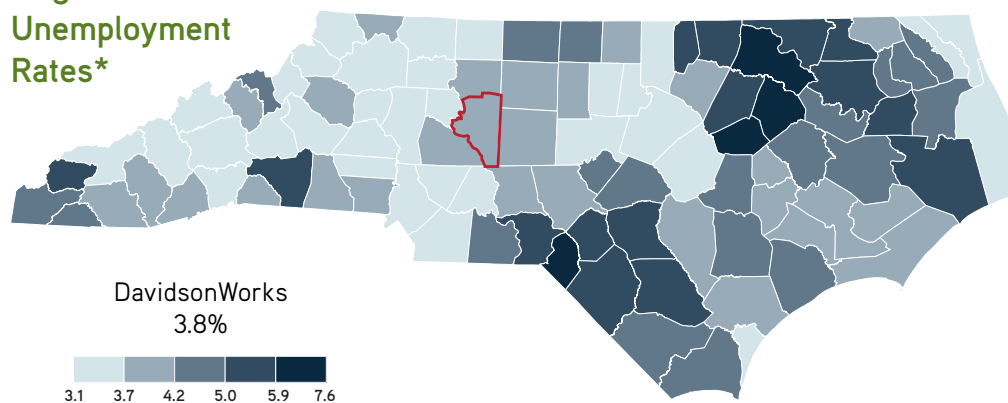
### 5-Year Percent Change in Number Employed\*

DavidsonWorks Region

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



### August 2018 Unemployment Rates\*



### Employment & Wages by Supersector 1st Quarter 2018

Supersector	Establishments	Avg. Employment	Avg. Weekly Wage
Natural Resources & Mining	17	76	\$631.13
Construction	365	2,054	\$736.07
Manufacturing	242	9,617	\$979.00
Trade, Transportation, & Utilities	727	9,579	\$675.05
Information	22	135	\$869.77
Financial Activities	244	985	\$907.72
Professional & Business Services	430	4,965	\$983.54
Education & Health Services	297	9,036	\$718.76
Leisure & Hospitality Services	257	4,154	\$366.64
Other Services	250	1,019	\$534.15
Public Administration	19	2,016	\$743.77

\*August 2018 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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## Trending

### UNEMPLOYMENT\*

August 2018  
DavidsonWorks Total = 3,091

	Current	Previous
Region	3.8%	3.9%
NC	4.1%	4.2%
US	4.1%	4.2%



### REGIONAL EMPLOYMENT\*

DavidsonWorks Total = 78,226

**28 Fewer People Working**  
in August than previous month

**1,390 More People Working**  
than same period one year ago

### METRO JOB GROWTH\*

Winston-Salem Total = 263,800

**4,800 Fewer Jobs**  
in August than previous month

**4,500 More Jobs**  
than same period one year ago

### TAXABLE RETAIL SALES

DavidsonWorks Total = \$116,919,678

**7.9% Higher**  
than same period one year ago

Source: NC Dept. of Revenue  
Note: August 2018 data most current available at time of release.

### ONLINE JOB ADS

**1,891 Online Advertised Vacancies**  
over past 90 days

**571 More Vacancies**  
than same period one year ago

Source: The Conference Board Help Wanted Online