

# LABOR FORCE CHARACTERISTICS

## LABOR MARKET SUMMARY

CURRENT INDICATORS (ANNUAL AVERAGE 2020)	STATE OF TN	KNOXVILLE MSA	ANDERSON COUNTY	BLOUNT COUNTY	CAMPBELL COUNTY	GRAINGER COUNTY	KNOX COUNTY	LOUDON COUNTY	MORGAN COUNTY	ROANE COUNTY	UNION COUNTY
Unemployment Rate	7.5%	6.2%	6.7%	6.4%	7.6%	7.2%	5.9%	6.4%	6.5%	6.6%	6.9%
Total Labor Force	3,289,426	426,561	34,360	63,505	14,717	9,480	242,643	23,572	7,654	23,021	7,610
Unemployment Estimates	245,532	26,579	2,311	4,065	1,120	687	14,361	1,500	501	1,513	522
EMPLOYMENT BY SECTOR (ANNUAL AVERAGE 2020)	STATE OF TN	KNOXVILLE MSA	ANDERSON COUNTY	BLOUNT COUNTY	CAMPBELL COUNTY	GRAINGER COUNTY	KNOX COUNTY	LOUDON COUNTY	MORGAN COUNTY	ROANE COUNTY	UNION COUNTY
<b>Total All Industries</b>	<b>2,916,181</b>	<b>375,154</b>	<b>39,244</b>	<b>48,928</b>	<b>9,164</b>	<b>4,036</b>	<b>232,376</b>	<b>16,675</b>	<b>3,110</b>	<b>19,171</b>	<b>2,449</b>
Natural Resources and Mining	11,134	1,168	24	72	44	72	339	583	ND	ND	ND
Construction	130,050	18,027	1,147	2,441	433	274	12,364	811	ND	ND	ND
Manufacturing	334,972	40,762	11,888	7,956	1,428	1,225	12,945	3,639	318	899	465
Trade, Transportation and Utilities	627,005	75,253	4,771	10,015	1,887	777	50,101	4,201	306	2,712	482
- Wholesale Trade	118,241	ND	ND	1,778	170	69	11,257	320	10	474	54
- Retail Trade	324,666	46,459	3,476	6,286	1,446	445	29,510	2,847	225	1,863	361
Financial Activities	155,926	ND	1,280	2,538	327	65	12,720	364	49	240	ND
Government	145,003	12,747	1,787	1,443	749	235	6,648	580	222	859	224
Information	42,929	ND	235	356	49	18	4,361	153	31	46	ND
Professional and Business Svcs	414,644	62,117	7,163	6,583	504	232	37,929	1,205	210	8,183	108
Education and Health Svcs	421,097	53,904	4,467	4,855	1,303	208	39,250	1,427	398	1,823	173
Leisure and Hospitality	293,033	38,529	3,166	5,225	1,096	164	25,355	1,770	148	1,373	232
Other Services	70,977	9,503	617	1,249	130	117	6,536	493	39	238	35

ND = Not Disclosable

Source: U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics; Local Area Unemployment Statistics; Quarterly Census of Employment & Wages; Annual Averages 2019

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## EDUCATION AND LABOR FORCE

	NUMBER	ENROLLMENT	GRADUATES	GRADUATION RATE	AVG. ACT SCORE
High Schools (Public)	31	33,898	7,814	93.6%	20.0
*TCAT's	3	2,073	937	-	-
Community Colleges	3	22,834	4,665	-	-
Four-Year Colleges	9	46,901	13,255	-	-

\*TCAT = Tennessee Colleges of Applied Technology

Sources: Tennessee Department of Education Annual Statistical Report 2020 & Report Card 2020-2021; National Center for Education Statistics 2019-2020

## KNOXVILLE MSA EMPLOYMENT BY OCCUPATION GROUP

(COUNTIES INCLUDE: ANDERSON, BLOUNT, CAMPBELL, GRAINGER, KNOX, LOUDON, MORGAN, ROANE AND UNION)

OCCUPATION GROUP	ESTIMATE MAY 2020
Architecture and Engineering	7,600
Arts, Design, Entertainment, Sports and Media	4,140
Building and Grounds Cleaning Services	14,030
Business and Financial Operations	15,630
Community and Social Services	5,080
Computer and Math Science	8,460
Construction and Extraction	13,550
Education, Training and Library	19,370
Farming, Fishing and Forestry	230
Food Preparation and Servers	35,910
Healthcare Practitioners	25,500

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OCCUPATION GROUP	ESTIMATE MAY 2020
Healthcare Support	12,900
Installation, Maintenance and Repair	16,480
Legal Services	2,430
Life, Physical and Social Sciences	3,350
Management and Executive	24,350
Manufacturing and Production	27,730
Office and Administrative Support Services	58,120
Personal Care Services	7,450
Protective Services	7,140
Sales and Related Services	38,310
Transportation and Material Moving	34,200

ND = Not Disclosable

Source: Tennessee Department of Labor & Workforce Development; Knoxville MSA Wage Survey; May 2020

## COMMUTE TIMES

	KNOXVILLE MSA	ANDERSON COUNTY	BLOUNT COUNTY	CAMPBELL COUNTY	KNOX COUNTY	LOUDON COUNTY	MORGAN COUNTY	ROANE COUNTY	UNION COUNTY
Avg. Time (mins.)	27.0	24.7	24.9	30.8	22.4	22.7	28.6	27.8	33.7

Source: U.S. Census Bureau; American Community Survey 5-Year Estimates 2015-2019.