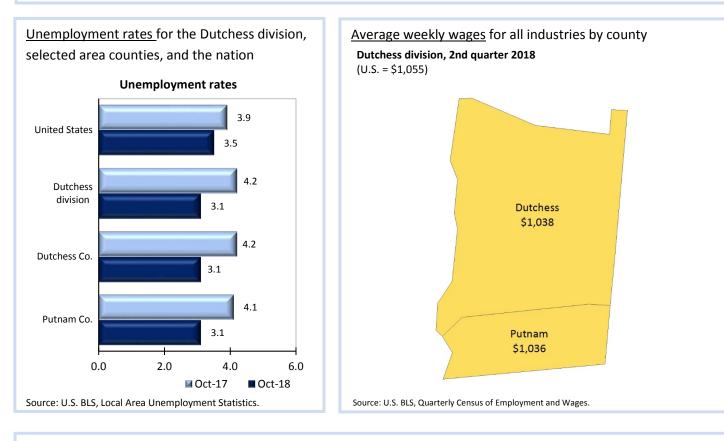
Dutchess-Putnam Division Economic Summary

Updated December 10, 2018

This summary presents a sampling of economic information for the area; supplemental data are provided for regions and the nation. Subjects include **unemployment**, **employment**, **wages**, **prices**, **spending**, and **benefits**. All data are not seasonally adjusted and some may be subject to revision. Area definitions may differ by subject. For more area summaries and geographic definitions, see <u>www.bls.gov/regions/economic-summaries.htm</u>.



Over-the-year changes in employment on nonfarm payrolls and employment by major industry sector

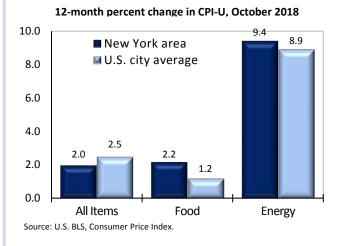


Dutchess division employment (numbers in thousands)	Oct. 2018	Change from Oct. 2017 to Oct. 2018	
		Number	Percent
Total nonfarm	153.5	2.5	1.7
Mining, logging, and construction	8.6	0.2	2.4
Manufacturing	9.2	-0.3	-3.2
Trade, transportation, and utilities	24.5	-0.5	-2.0
Information	1.8	-0.1	-5.3
Financial activities	4.8	0.0	0.0
Professional and business services	13.1	0.6	4.8
Education and health services	42.8	2.8	7.0
Leisure and hospitality	15.0	-0.3	-2.0
Other services	7.3	0.2	2.8
Government	26.4	-0.1	-0.4

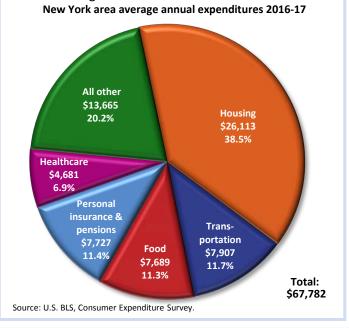
Source: U.S. BLS, Current Employment Statistics.



Over-the-year change in the prices paid by urban consumers for selected categories



<u>Average annual spending</u> and percent distribution for selected categories



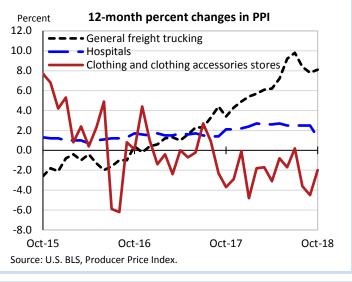
Employer costs per hour worked for wages and selected employee benefits by geographic division

Private industry, June 2018	Middle Atlantic (1)	United States
Total compensation	\$41.73	\$34.19
Wages and salaries	27.42	23.78
Total benefits	14.31	10.41
Paid leave	3.10	2.39
Vacation	1.60	1.24
Supplemental pay	3.18	1.32
Insurance	3.29	2.72
Retirement and savings	1.61	1.35
Legally required benefits	3.13	2.64

(1) Middle Atlantic includes NJ, NY, and PA.

Source: U.S. BLS, Employer Costs for Employee Compensation.

Over-the-year changes in the selling <u>prices received by</u> <u>producers</u> for selected industries nationwide

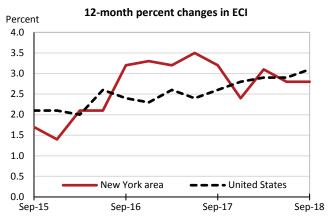


Average hourly wages for selected occupations

Occupation	Dutchess division	United States
Total, all occupations	\$25.91	\$24.34
Accountants and auditors	41.35	37.46
Registered nurses	38.01	35.36
Carpenters	25.05	23.86
Construction laborers	20.07	18.70
Bus drivers, school or special client	19.58	15.45
Personal care aides	14.27	11.59
Home health aides	13.94	11.67
Packers and packagers, hand	13.92	12.22
Stock clerks and order fillers	13.40	13.20
Retail salespersons	13.32	13.20
Cooks, fast food	12.62	10.39
Childcare workers	11.85	11.42

Source: U.S. BLS, Occupational Employment Statistics, May 2017.

Over-the-year changes in wages and salaries



Source: U.S. BLS, Employment Cost Index.

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