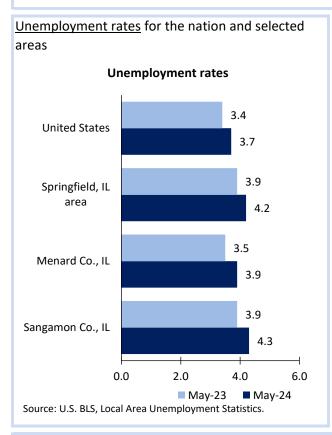
Springfield, IL Area Economic Summary

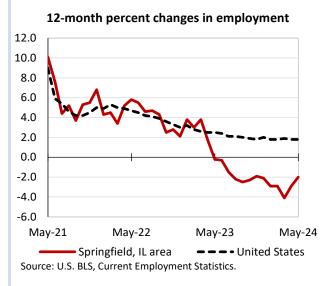
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This summary presents a sampling of economic information for the area; supplemental data are provided for regions and the nation. Subjects include unemployment, employment, wages, prices, spending, and benefits. All data are not seasonally adjusted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





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



Springfield, IL area employment (number in thousands)	May 2024	Change from May 2023 to May 2024	
		Number	Percent
Total nonfarm	108.0	-2.2	-2.0
Mining, logging, and construction	3.8	-0.1	-2.6
Manufacturing	3.7	0.0	0.0
Trade, transportation, and utilities	16.7	-0.3	-1.8
Information	2.6	-0.7	-21.2
Financial activities	5.5	-0.2	-3.5
Professional and business services	11.8	-1.2	-9.2
Education and health services	20.5	-0.3	-1.4
Leisure and hospitality	10.7	-0.1	-0.9
Other services	6.0	0.1	1.7
Government	26.7	0.6	2.3

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



Over-the-year change in the <u>prices paid by urban</u> <u>consumers</u> for selected categories

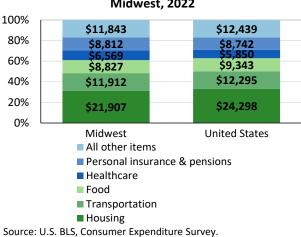
12-month percent change in CPI-U, May 2024 4.0 3.7 3.3 3.5 3.0 2.4 2.5 2.2 2.1 2.0 1.6 1.5 1.0 0.5 0.0 All items Food Energy

■ East North Central ■ Source: U.S. BLS, Consumer Price Index.

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

■ U.S. city average

Average annual expenditures, United States and Midwest, 2022



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

12-month percent changes in PPI 8.0 7.0 6.0 5.0 4.0 3.0 2.0 1.0 0.0 -1.0 -2.0 May-21 May-23 May-22 May-24 Wireless telecommunications carriers Hospitals Employment services Source: U.S. BLS, Producer Price Index.

Average hourly wages for selected occupations

Occupation	Springfield, IL area	United States
All occupations	\$31.05	\$31.48
Accountants and auditors	35.13	43.65
Automotive service technicians and mechanics	25.52	24.97
Light truck drivers	22.24	22.16
Welders, cutters, solderers, and brazers	20.67	25.31
Office clerks, general	19.66	20.94
Waiters and waitresses	15.70	17.56

Source: U.S. BLS, Occupational Employment and Wage Statistics, May 2023.

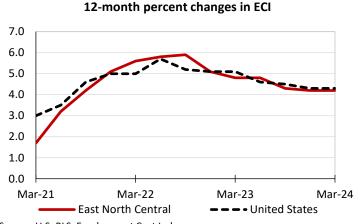
<u>Employer costs</u> per hour worked for wages and selected employee benefits by geographic division

Private industry, March 2024	East North Central (1)	United States
Total compensation	\$42.50	\$43.78
Wages and salaries	29.43	30.76
Total benefits	13.07	13.02
Paid leave	3.09	3.31
Vacation	1.63	1.69
Supplemental pay	1.98	1.77
Insurance	3.34	3.20
Retirement and savings	1.61	1.52
Legally required benefits	3.05	3.21

(1) The states that compose the East North Central census division are: IL, IN, MI, OH, and WI.

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

Over-the-year changes in wages and salaries



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

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