Labour market information by region

April - June 2019

Data obtained from the Office for National Statistics and GOV.uk, correct at time of distribution.
Labour Market Information
Manchester, Staffordshire, Cheshire and Warrington

**Employment**
75.1% of people are employed.
Lower than the UK average of 76.1%.

**Unemployment**
3.6% of people are unemployed.
Lower than the UK average of 3.9%.

**Salary**
The average income is £27,539 a year

**Working Hours**
On average people 31.7 hours a week

**Economically Active**

**Predicted Job Growth**
+110,000 jobs by 2024 in this area.
Growth hotspot!

**Sectors set to grow**
Finance & Business
Construction
Information Technology
Transport and Storage
Cultural & Creative
Health and Social Work

**Where are the most jobs now?**

- Wholesale and Retail
- Administration
- Health and Social Care
- Manufacturing
- Science and Technology

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Labour Market Information

East of England

Employment
79.3% of people are employed. **Higher** than the UK average of 76.1%.

Unemployment
3.2% of people are unemployed. **Lower** than the UK average of 3.9%.

Salary
The average income is **£29,021** a year

Working Hours
On average people work **32.2** hours a week

Economically Active

Predicted Job Growth
+**88,000** jobs by 2024 in the East of England

Sectors set to grow
Health and Social Care
Support Services
Construction
Wholesale and Retail
Information Technology
Professional Services

Where are the most jobs now?

- Wholesale and Retail
- Administration
- Health and Social Care
- Education
- Science and Technology

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Labour Market Information

**East Midlands**

**Employment**
75.4% of people are employed. **Lower** than the UK average of 76.1%.

**Unemployment**
4.7% of people are unemployed. **Higher** than the UK average of 3.9%.

**Salary**
The average income is **£26,826** a year.

**Working Hours**
On average people work **31.5 hours** a week.

**Economically Active**

**Predicted Job Growth**

+47,000 **jobs** by 2024 in the East Midlands

**Sectors set to grow**
Construction
Wholesale and Retail
Health and Social Work
Transport & Storage
Science & Technology
Manufacturing

**Where are the most jobs now?**

Wholesale and Retail
Manufacturing
Health and Social Care
Education
Administration

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Labour Market Information

South West

Employment
79.9% of people are employed.
Higher than the UK average of 76.1%.

Unemployment
2.9% of people are unemployed. Lower than the UK average of 3.9%.

Salary
The average income is £27,622 a year.

Working Hours
On average people work 30.9 hours a week.

Economically Active

Predicted Job Growth
+68,000 jobs by 2024 in the South West

Sectors set to grow
STEM
Health and Social Work
Construction
Professional Services
Wholesale and Retail

Where are the most jobs now?

Wholesale and Retail
Accommodation and Food Service
Health and Social Care
Science and Technology
Education

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Labour Market Information

North East

Employment

72.5% of people are employed. Lower than the UK average of 76.1%.

Unemployment

5.1% of people are unemployed. Higher than the UK average of 3.9%.

Salary

The average income is £26,353 a year

Working Hours

On average people work 31.3 hours a week

Economically Active

Predicted Job Growth

+57,000 jobs by 2024 in the North East

Sectors set to grow

Teaching and Education
Health and Social Work
Information Technology
Professional Services
Construction
Finance and Insurance

Where are the most jobs now?

Wholesale and Retail
Health and Social Care
Manufacturing
Education
Administration

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Labour Market Information

South Central

Employment
78.7% of people are employed.
Higher than the UK average of 76.1%.

Unemployment
3.1% of people are unemployed.
Lower than the UK average of 3.9%.

Salary
The average income is £30,638 a year

Working Hours
On average people work 31.4 hours a week

Economically Active

Predicted Job Growth
+172,000 jobs by 2024 in the South Central area
Growth hotspot!

Sectors set to grow
Support Services
Professional Services
Information and Technology
Construction
Health and Social Care

Where are the most jobs now?

Wholesale and Retail
Science and Technology
Health and Social Care
Education
Administration

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Labour Market Information
West Midlands

Employment
74% of people are employed. Lower than the UK average of 76.1%.

Unemployment
5.1% of people are unemployed. Higher than the UK average of 3.9%.

Salary
The average income is £27,903 a year.

Working Hours
On average people work 31.7 hours a week.

Economically Active

Predicted Job Growth

+88,000 jobs by 2024 in the West Midlands

Sectors set to grow
Construction
Health and Social Work
Support Services
Transport and Storage Professional Services

Where are the most jobs now?

Wholesale and Retail
Health and Social Care
Manufacturing
Education
Administration

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Labour Market Information
Liverpool, Cumbria and Lancashire

**Employment**
75.1% of people are employed.
Lower than the UK average of 76.1%.

**Unemployment**
3.6% of people are unemployed.
Lower than the UK average of 3.9%.

**Salary**
The average income is £27,539 a year.

**Working Hours**
On average people 31.7 hours a week.

**Economically Active**
80
60
40
20
0
Active
Inactive

**Predicted Job Growth**
+59,000 jobs by 2024 in Liverpool, Cumbria and Lancashire

**Sectors set to grow**
Health and Social Care
Professional Services
Support Services
Information Technology
Construction
Wholesale and Retail

**Where are the most jobs now?**
Wholesale and Retail
Health and Social Care
Manufacturing
Administration
Education

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Labour Market Information

London

Employment
75.4% of people are employed.
**Lower** than the UK average of 76.1%.

Unemployment
4.2% of people are unemployed.
**Higher** than the UK average of 3.9%.

Salary
The average income is £37,086 a year

Working Hours
On average people work 33.5 hours a week

Economically Active

Predicted Job Growth

+155,000 jobs by 2024 in London
**Growth hotspot!**

Sectors set to grow
Professional Services
Information Technology
Health and Social Work
Construction
Finance and Insurance

Where are the most jobs now?

Science and Technology
Administration
Wholesale and Retail
Health and Social Care
Information Technology

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Labour Market Information

South East

Employment
78.7% of people are employed. Higher than the UK average of 76.1%.

Unemployment
3.1% of people are unemployed. Lower than the UK average of 3.9%.

Salary
The average income is £30,638 a year

Working Hours
On average people work 31.4 hours a week

Economically Active

Predicted Job Growth
+110,000 jobs by 2024 in the South East

Sectors set to grow
Construction
Health and Social Work
Professional Services
Wholesale and Retail
Support Services
Transport and Storage

Where are the most jobs now?

Wholesale and Retail
Health and Social Care
Education
Science and Technology
Administration

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Labour Market Information

Thames Valley

Employment
79.8% of people are employed. Higher than the UK average of 76.1%.

Unemployment
3% of people are unemployed. Lower than the UK average of 3.9%.

Salary
The average income is £30,520 a year.

Working Hours
On average people work 30.9 hours a week.

Economically Active

Predicted Job Growth
+130,000 jobs by 2024 in the Thames Valley region.

Sectors set to grow
Construction
Information Technology
Professional Services
Support Services
Health and Social Work
Wholesale and Retail

Where are the most jobs now?

Science and Technology
Health and Social Care
Information Technology
Wholesale and Retail
Administration

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**Labour Market Information**

**Yorkshire and Humber**

**Employment**

74.4% of people are employed.

**Lower** than the UK average of 76.1%.

**Unemployment**

5.2% of people are unemployed.

**Higher** than the UK average of 3.9%.

**Salary**

The average income is **£27,081** a year

**Working Hours**

On average people work **31.4** hours a week

**Economically Active**

![Bar chart showing active and inactive economically active](chart)

**Predicted Job Growth**

+78,000 jobs by 2024 in Yorkshire and Humber

**Sectors set to grow**

Health and Social Work
Professional Services
Construction
Information Technology
Transport and Storage
Wholesale and Retail

**Where are the most jobs now?**

- Wholesale and Retail
- Health and Social Care
- Manufacturing
- Education
- Administration

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