



Knox County, MO



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Report Parameters

1 County

29103 Knox County, MO

Class of Worker

QCEW Employees, Non-QCEW Employees, and Self-Employed

The information in this report pertains to the chosen geographical area.

Economy Overview

3,958

Population (2020)

Population **grew by 51** over the last 5 years but is projected to **decrease by 22** over the next 5 years.

1,368

Total Regional Employment

Jobs **decreased by 113** over the last 5 years but are projected to **grow by 95** over the next 5 years.

\$40.4K

Median Household Income (2018)

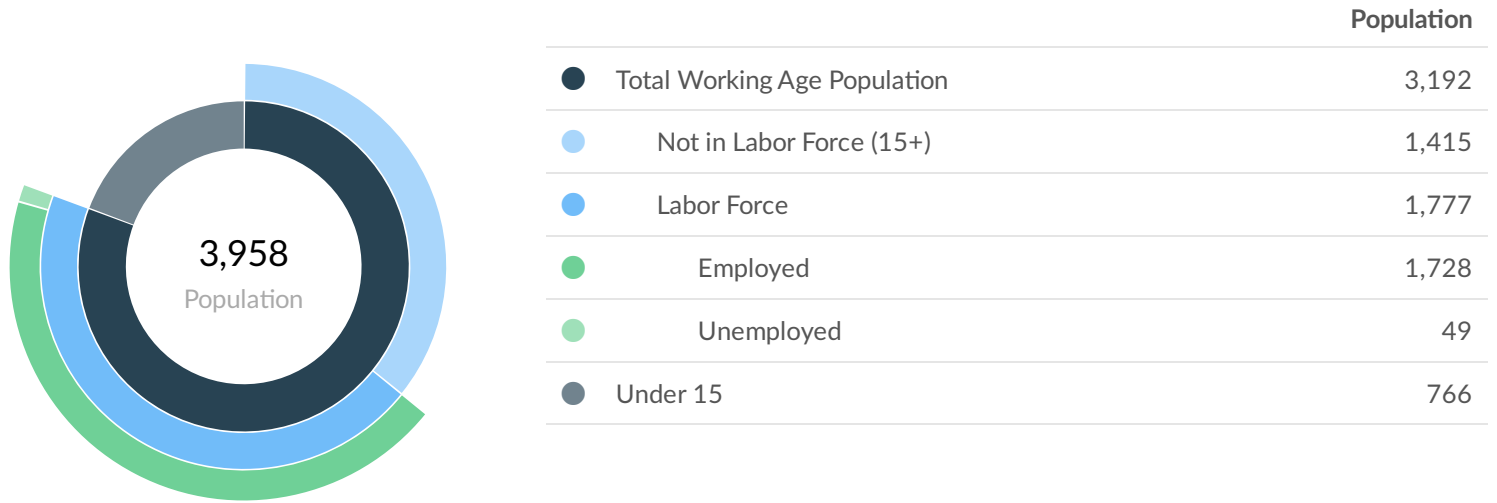
Median household income is **\$19.9K below** the national median household income of \$60.3K.

Takeaways

- As of 2020 the region's population **increased by 1.3%** since 2015, growing by 51. Population is expected to **decrease by 0.6%** between 2020 and 2025, losing 22.
- From 2015 to 2020, jobs **declined by 7.6%** in Knox County, MO from 1,481 to **1,368**. This change **fell short of the national growth rate of 3.6% by 11.2%**. As the number of jobs declined, the **labor force participation rate decreased from 62.6% to 55.7% between 2015 and 2020**.
- Concerning educational attainment, **11.5% of Knox County, MO residents possess a Bachelor's Degree** (8.5% below the national average), and **7.2% hold an Associate's Degree** (1.4% below the national average).
- The top three industries in 2020 are Local Government, Excluding Education and Hospitals, Other Wood Product Manufacturing, and Animal Production.

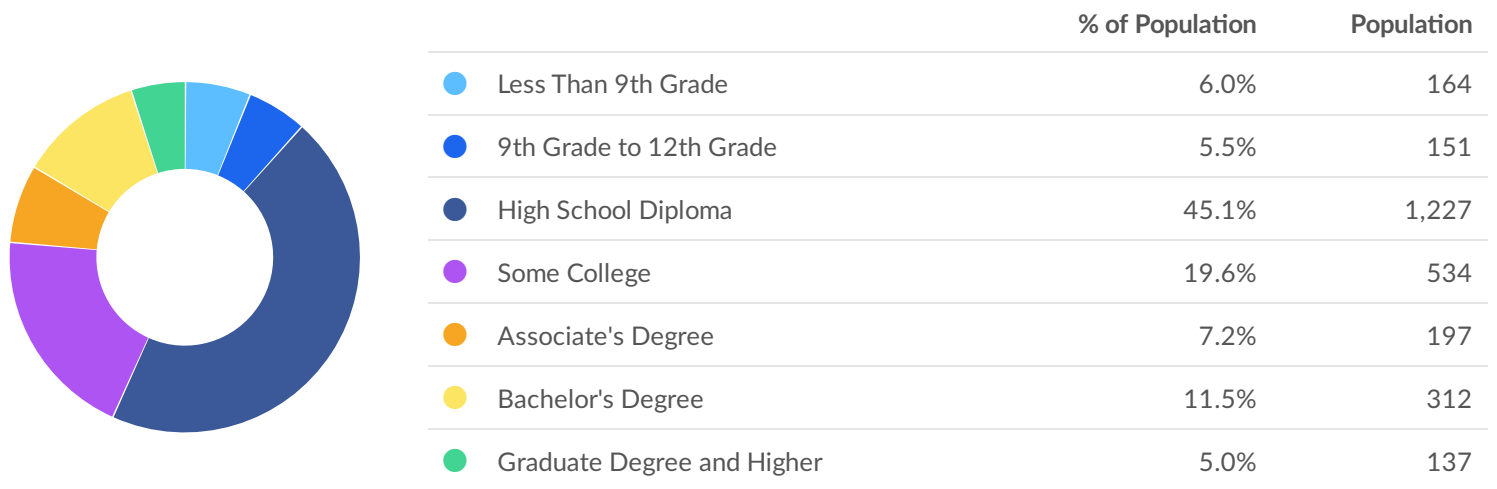
	Population (2020)	Labor Force (2020)	Jobs (2020)	Cost of Living	GRP	Imports	Exports
Region	3,958	1,777	1,368	91.0	\$127.07M	\$278.41M	\$219.02M
United States	330,768,968	160,467,740	164,012,276	100.0	\$21.14T	\$0	\$9.05T
Missouri	6,163,707	2,995,370	3,152,362	89.9	\$325.93B	\$311.03B	\$365.73B

2020 Labor Force Breakdown



Educational Attainment

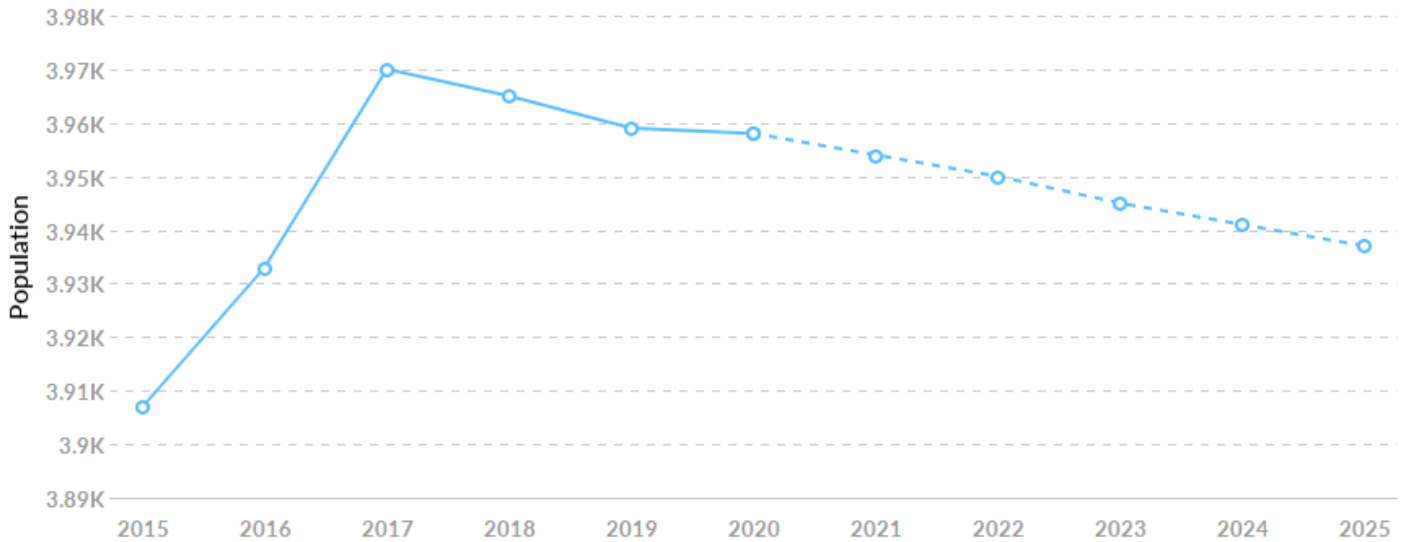
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Historic & Projected Trends

Population Trends

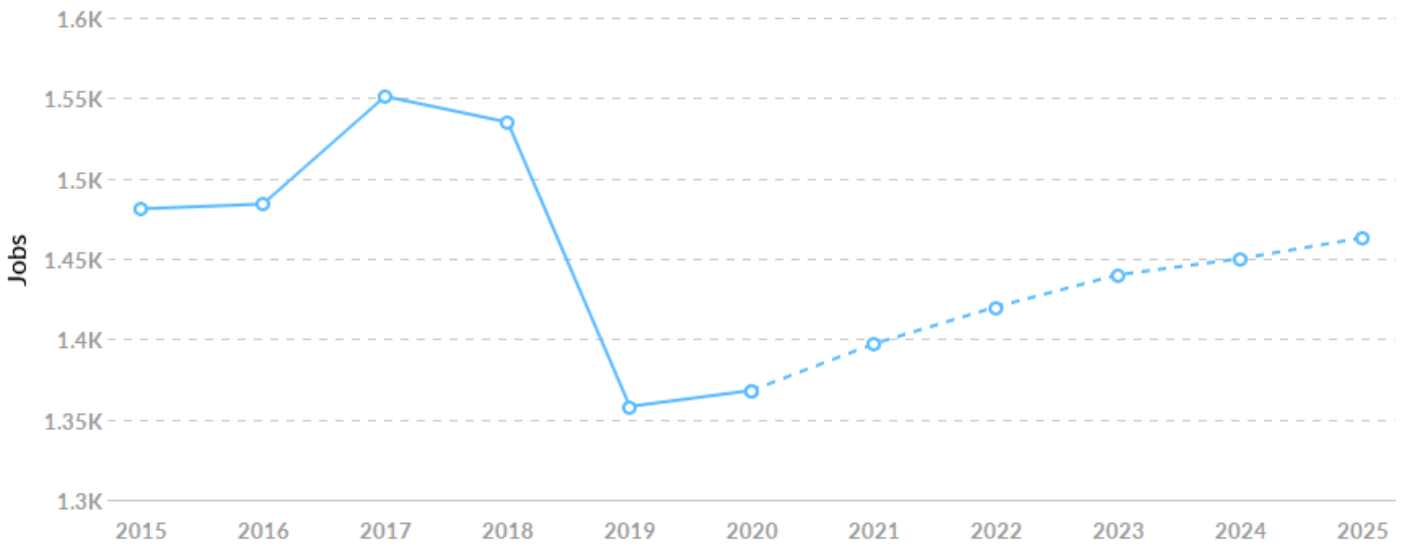
As of 2020 the region's population **increased by 1.3%** since 2015, growing by 51. Population is expected to **decrease by 0.6%** between 2020 and 2025, losing 22.



Timeframe	Population
2015	3,907
2016	3,933
2017	3,970
2018	3,965
2019	3,959
2020	3,958
2021	3,954
2022	3,950
2023	3,945
2024	3,941
2025	3,937

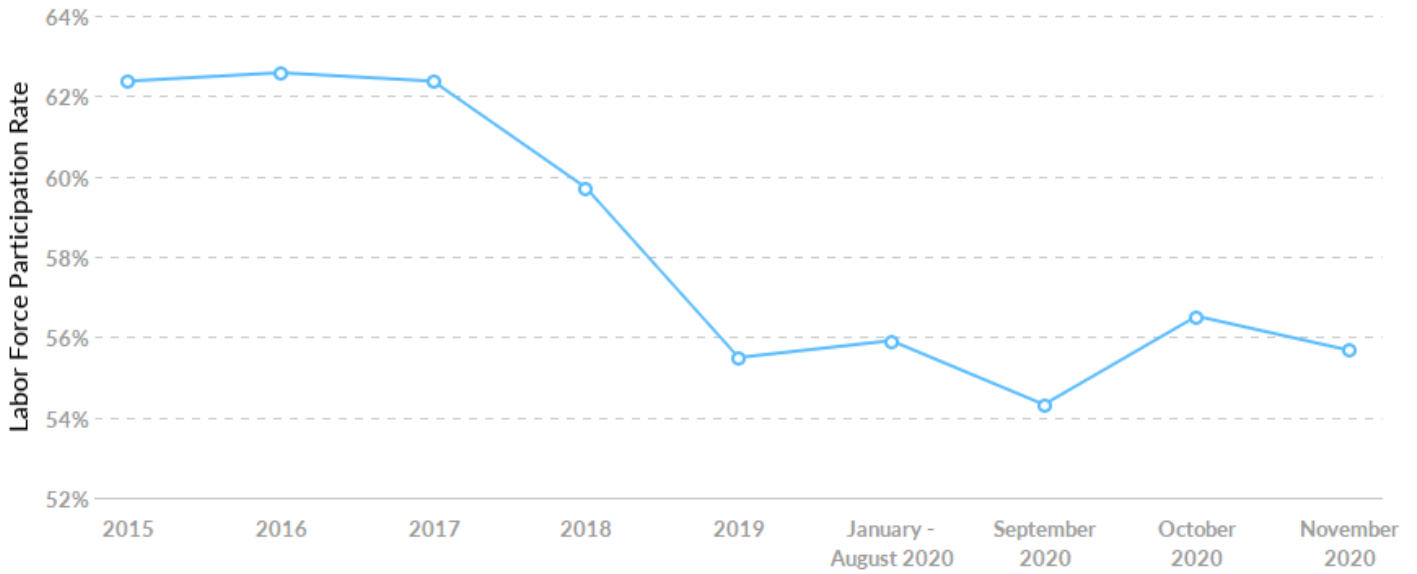
Job Trends

From 2015 to 2020, jobs declined by 7.6% in Knox County, MO from 1,481 to 1,368. This change fell short of the national growth rate of 3.6% by 11.2%.



Timeframe	Jobs
2015	1,481
2016	1,484
2017	1,551
2018	1,535
2019	1,358
2020	1,368
2021	1,397
2022	1,420
2023	1,440
2024	1,450
2025	1,463

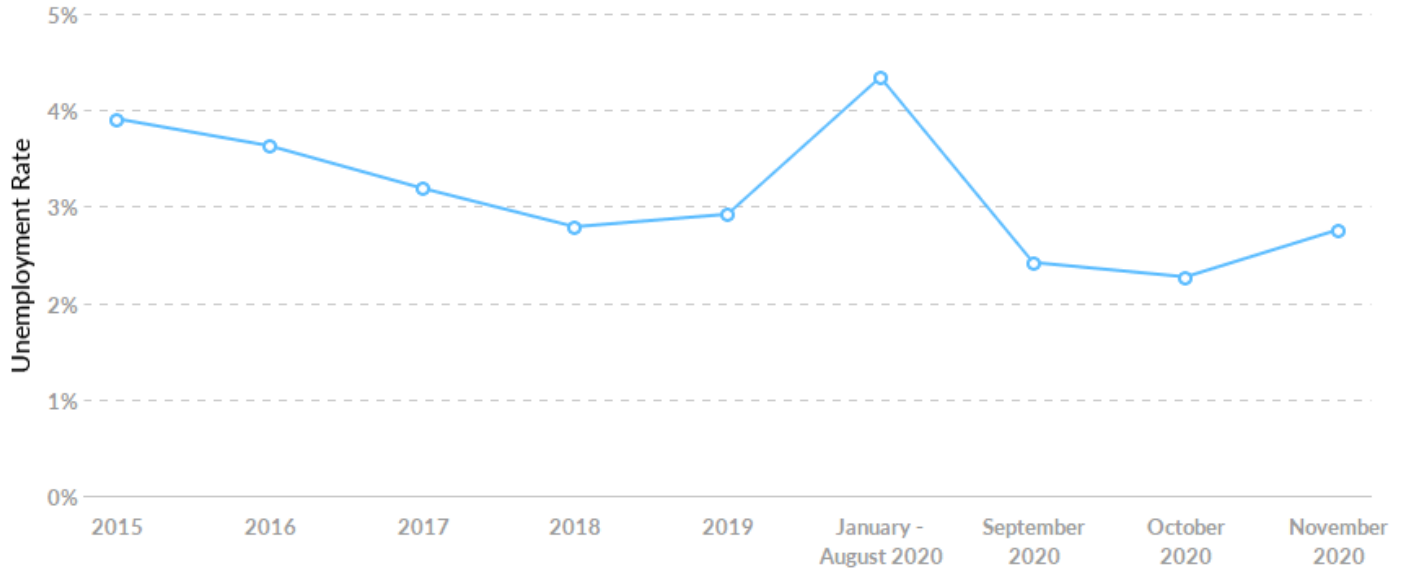
Labor Force Participation Rate Trends



Timeframe	Labor Force Participation Rate
2015	62.37%
2016	62.58%
2017	62.37%
2018	59.72%
2019	55.49%
January - August 2020	55.91%
September 2020	54.32%
October 2020	56.52%
November 2020	55.67%

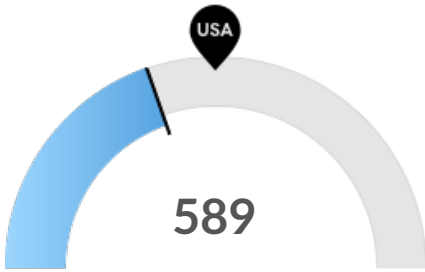
Unemployment Rate Trends

Knox County, MO had a November 2020 unemployment rate of 2.76%, **decreasing from 3.91%** 5 years before.



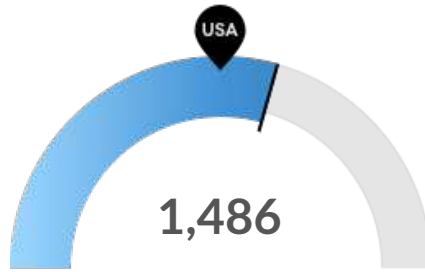
Timeframe	Unemployment Rate
2015	3.91%
2016	3.63%
2017	3.19%
2018	2.79%
2019	2.92%
January - August 2020	4.34%
September 2020	2.42%
October 2020	2.27%
November 2020	2.76%

Population Characteristics



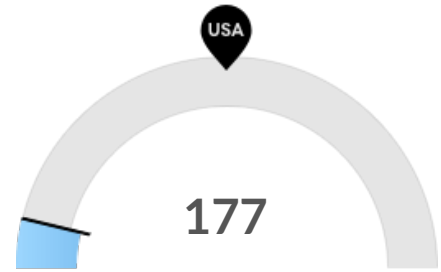
Millennials

Knox County, MO has 589 millennials (ages 25-39). The national average for an area this size is 816.



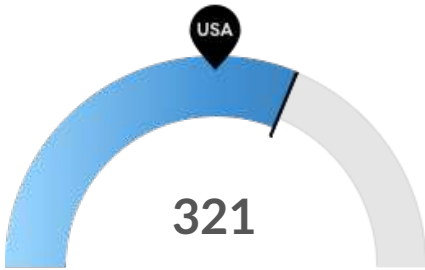
Retiring Soon

Retirement risk is high in Knox County, MO. The national average for an area this size is 1,164 people 55 or older, while there are 1,486 here.



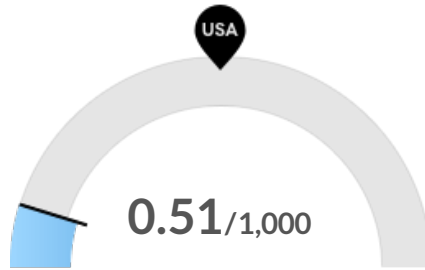
Racial Diversity

Racial diversity is low in Knox County, MO. The national average for an area this size is 1,579 racially diverse people, while there are 177 here.



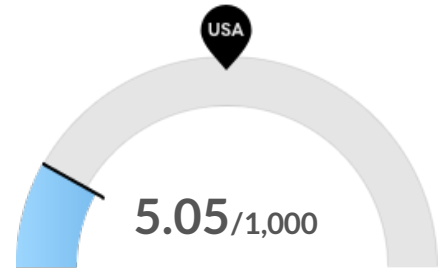
Veterans

Knox County, MO has 321 veterans. The national average for an area this size is 226.



Violent Crime

Knox County, MO has 0.51 violent crimes per 1,000 people. The national rate is 3.53 per 1,000 people.

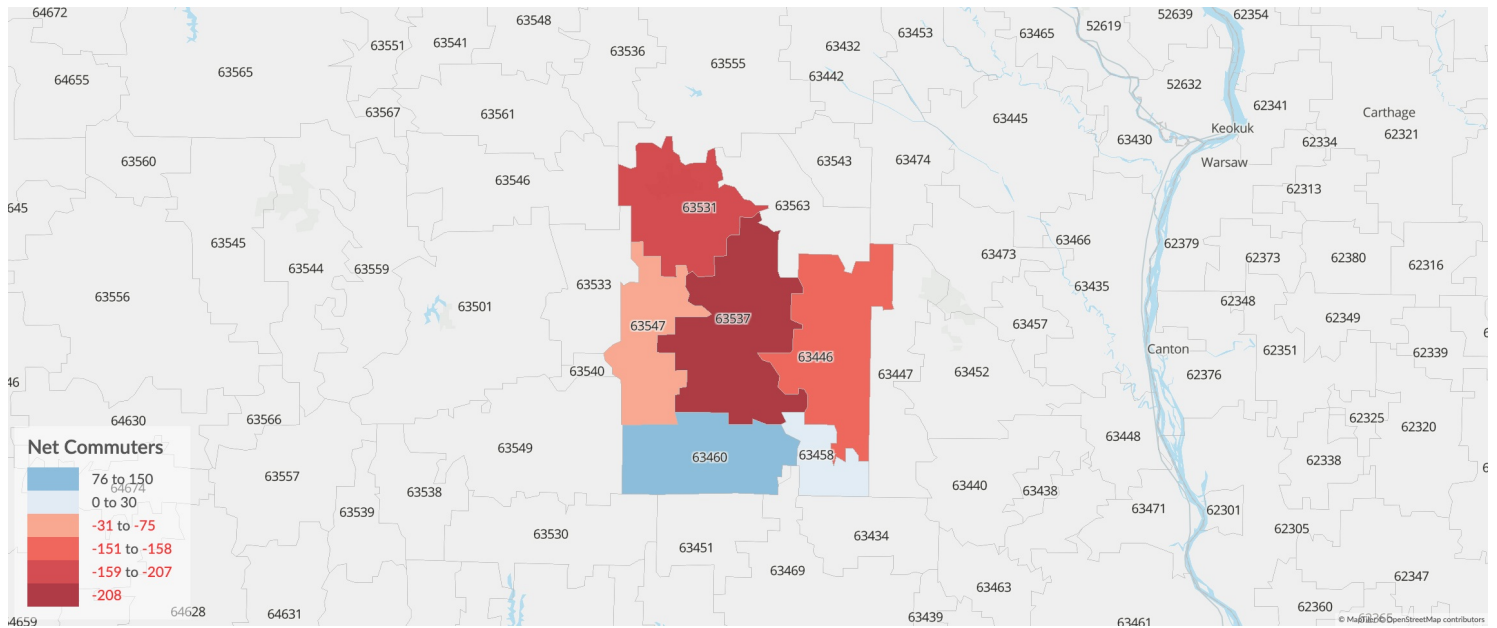


Property Crime

Knox County, MO has 5.05 property crimes per 1,000 people. The national rate is 19.79 per 1,000 people.

Place of Work vs Place of Residence

Understanding where talent in Knox County, MO currently works compared to where talent lives can help you optimize site decisions.



Where Talent Works

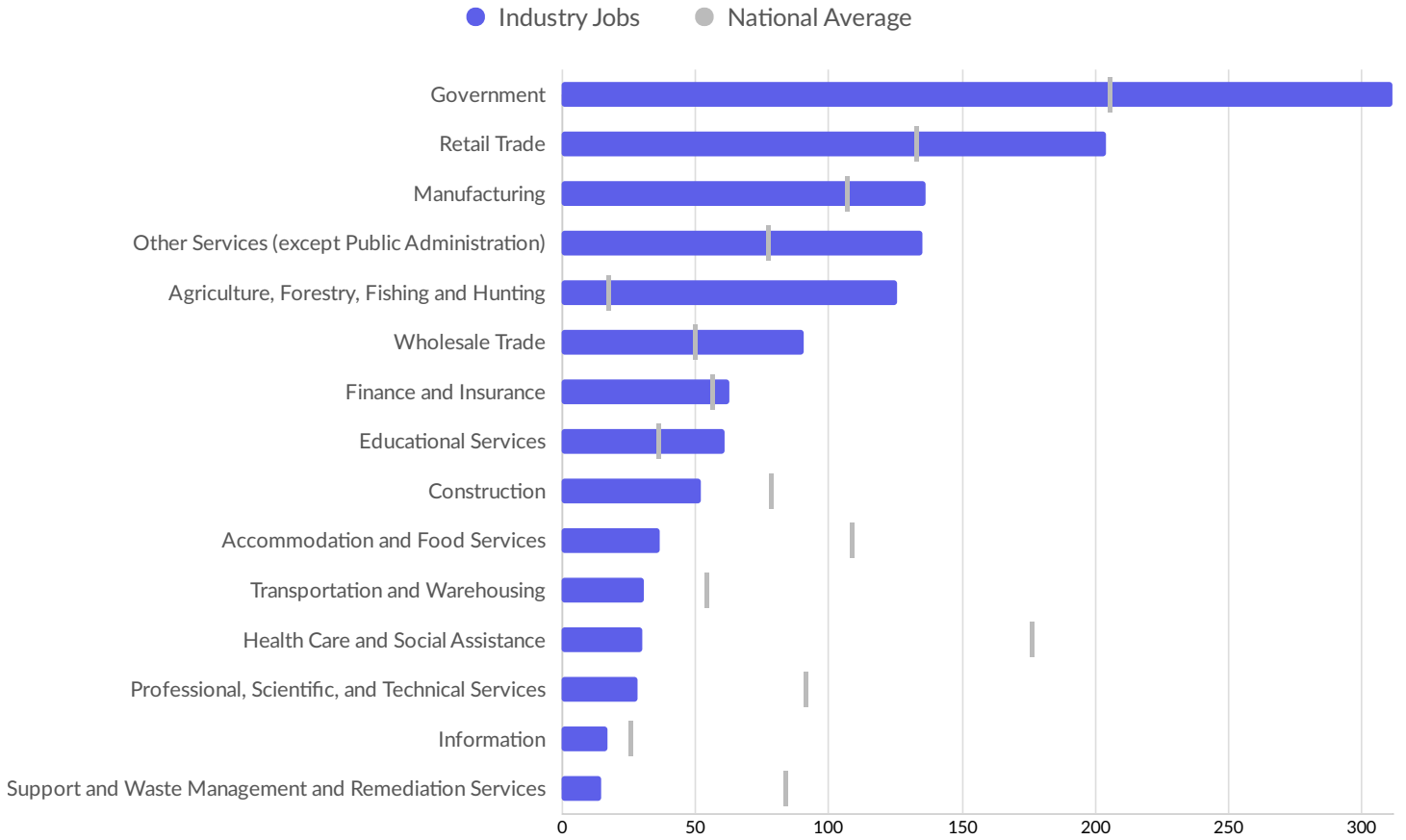
ZIP	Name	2020 Employment
63537	Edina, MO (in Knox cou...	769
63460	Novelty, MO (in Knox c...	234
63547	Hurdland, MO (in Knox ...	144
63458	Newark, MO (in Knox c...	95
63531	Baring, MO (in Knox co...	89

Where Talent Lives

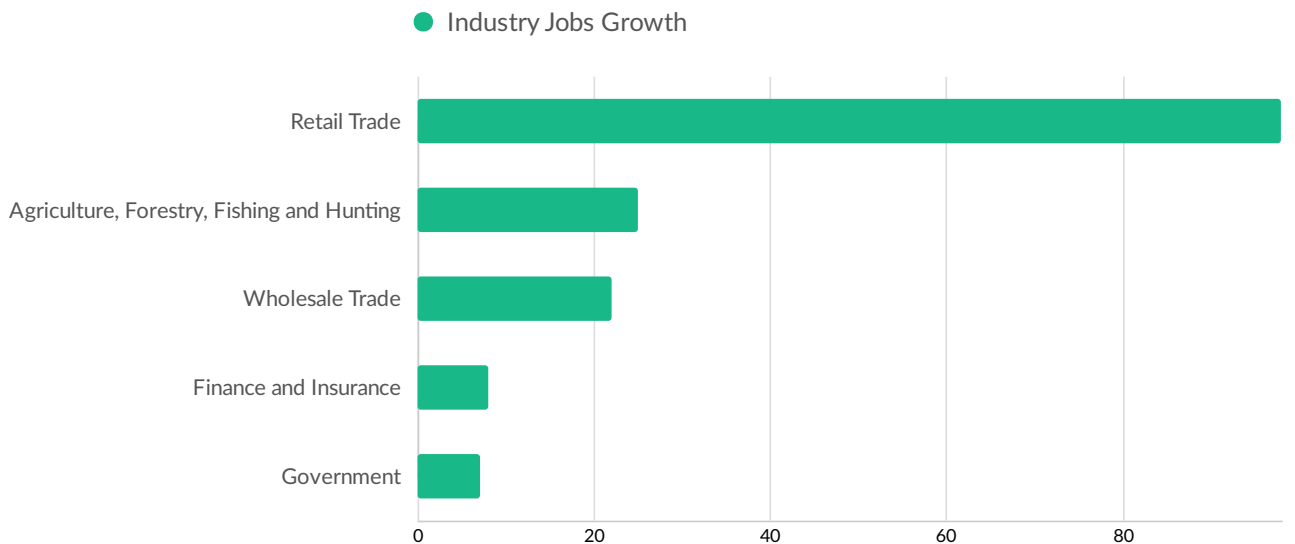
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Industry Characteristics

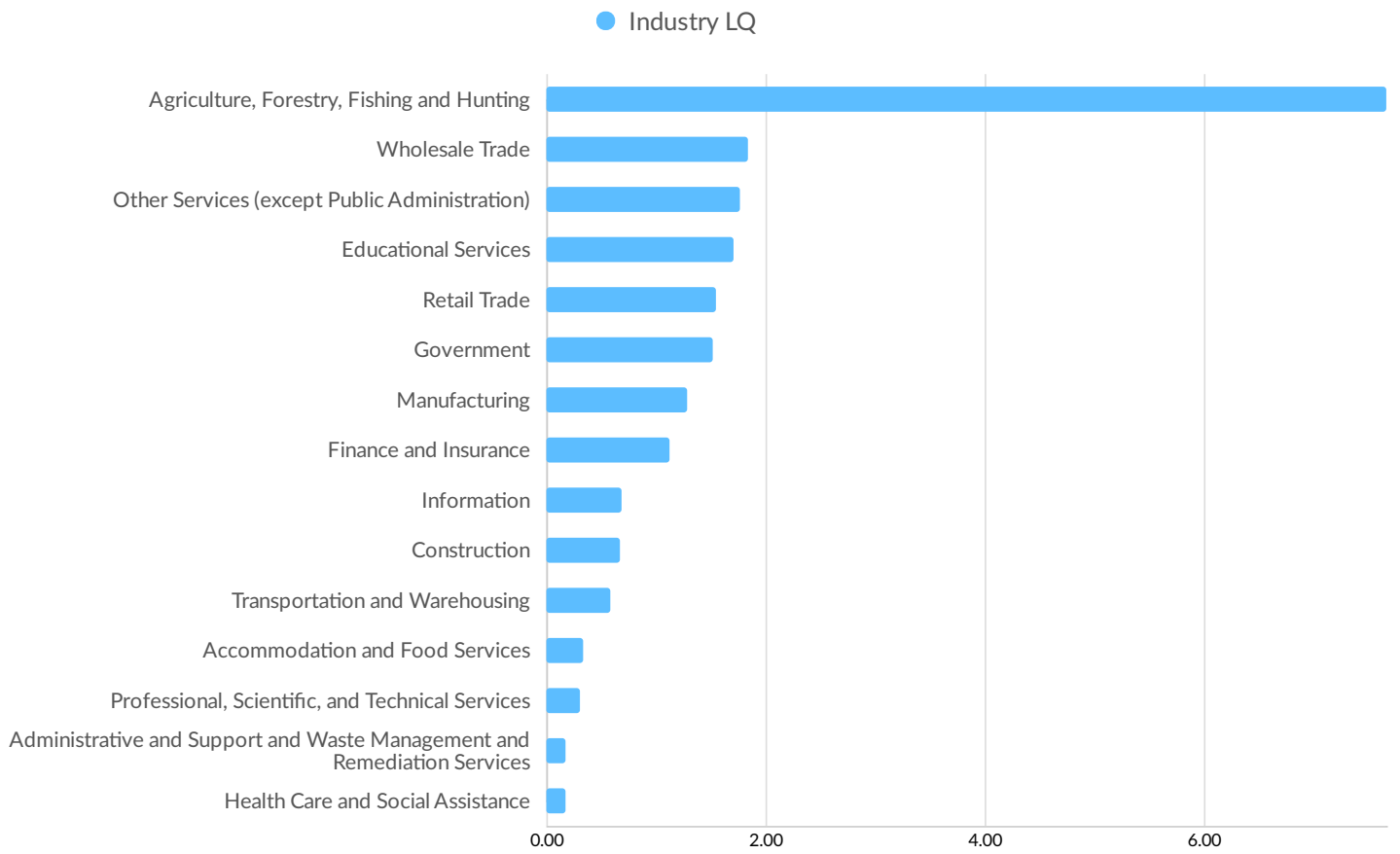
Largest Industries



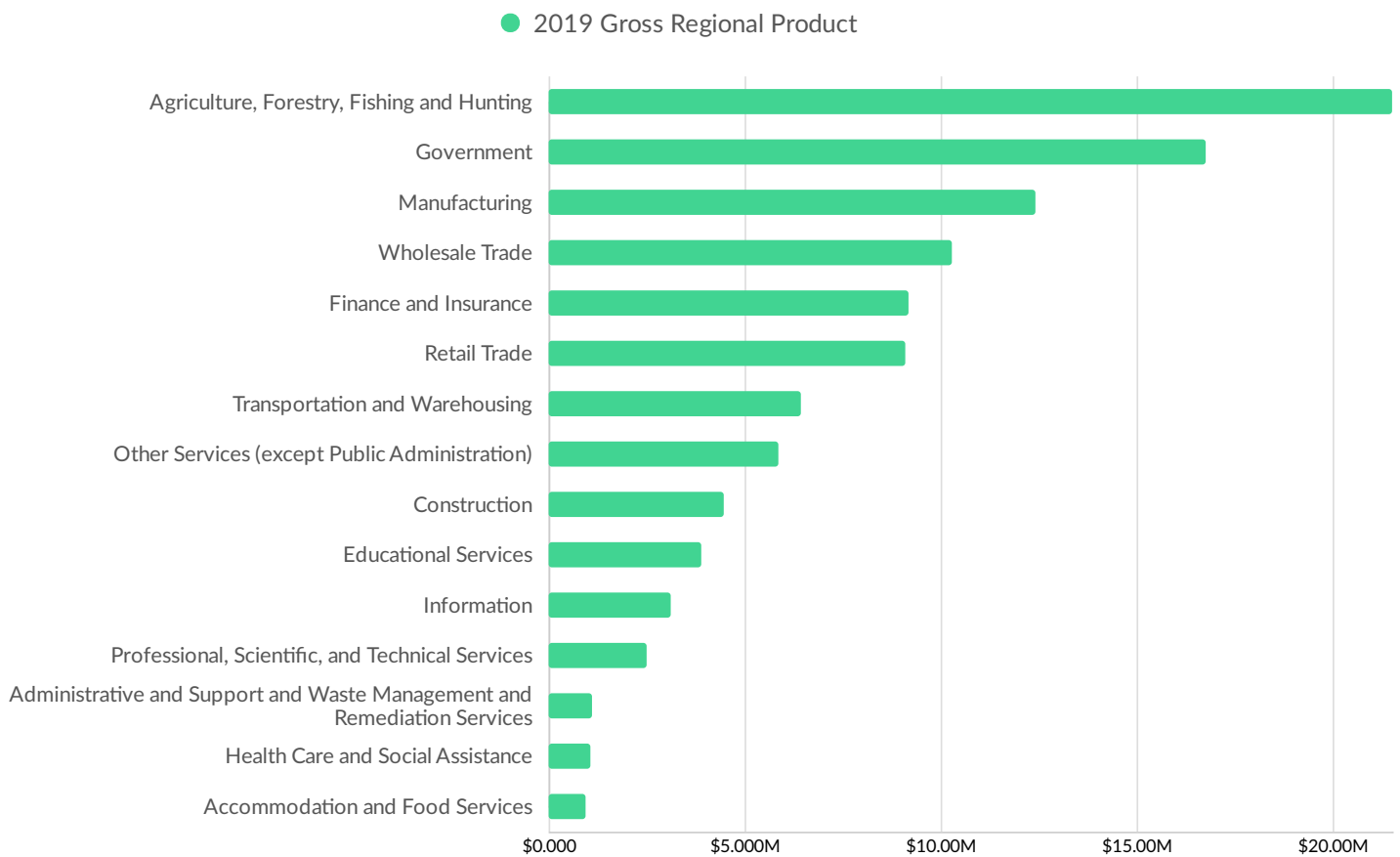
Top Growing Industries



Top Industry LQ



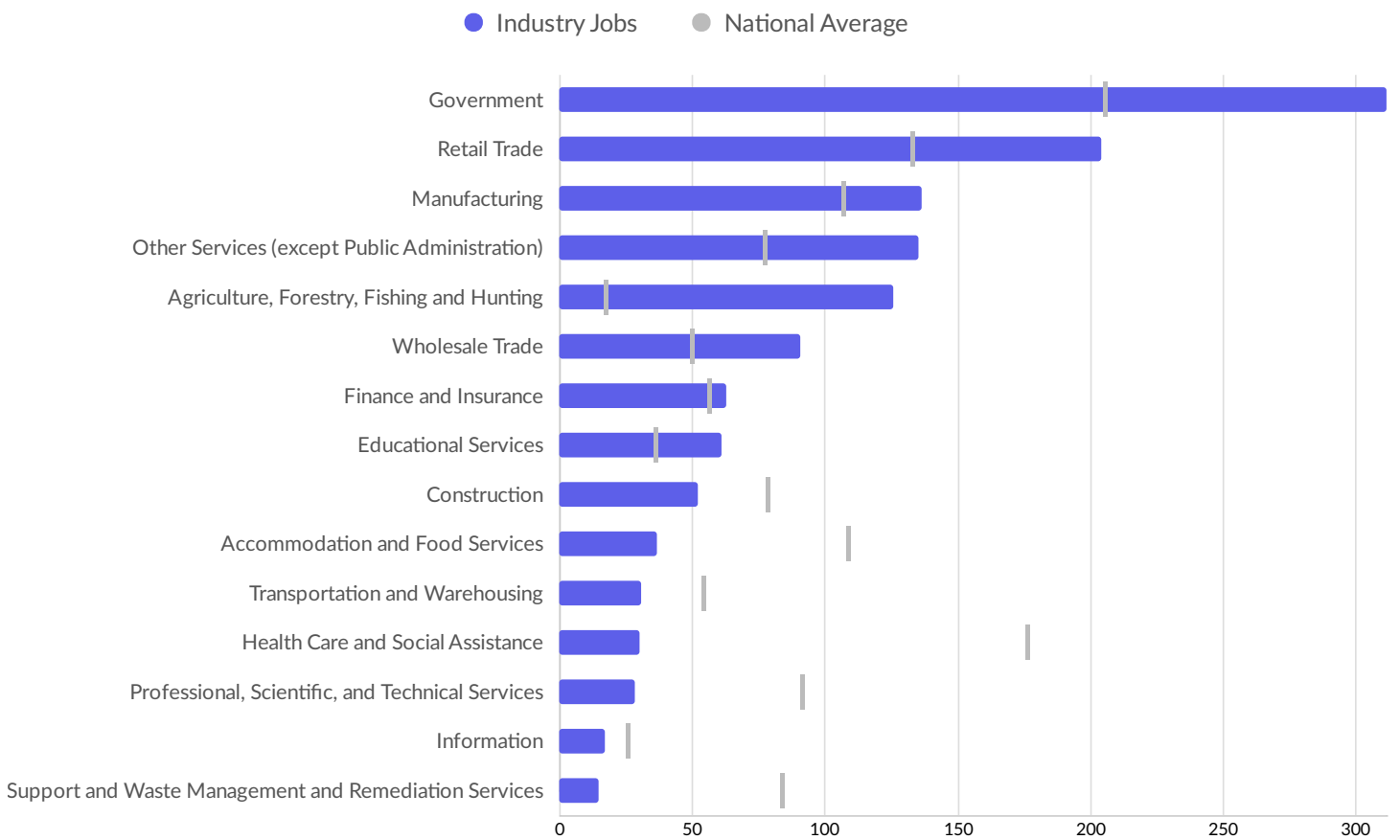
Top Industry GRP



Top Industry Earnings























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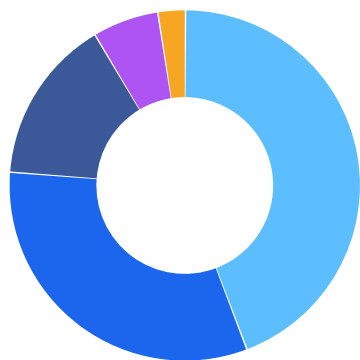
Business Characteristics

158 Companies Employ Your Workers

Online profiles for your workers mention 158 companies as employers, with the top 10 appearing below. In the last 12 months, 171 companies in Knox County, MO posted job postings, with the top 10 appearing below.

Top Companies	Profiles	Top Companies Posting	Unique Postings
Knox County R-I School District	26 	CRST International, Inc.	184 
Hawkins Insurance Group	8 	Platinum Supplemental Insuranc...	64 
Preferred Family Healthcare, Inc...	5 	Hogan Transports Inc	50 
Knox County Nursing Home Dis...	4 	Transland, Inc.	49 
Sharpe Holdings, Inc.	4 	Pegasus Transportation, Inc.	35 
State of Maine	4 	C.R. England, Inc.	33 
United State Bank	4 	Paschall Truck Lines, Inc.	33 
Adair Associates Inc	3 	U.S. Xpress, Inc.	31 
Draper, Gigi Rimer	3 	Roehl Transport, Inc.	28 
Knox County	3 	Marten Transport, Ltd.	26 

Business Size

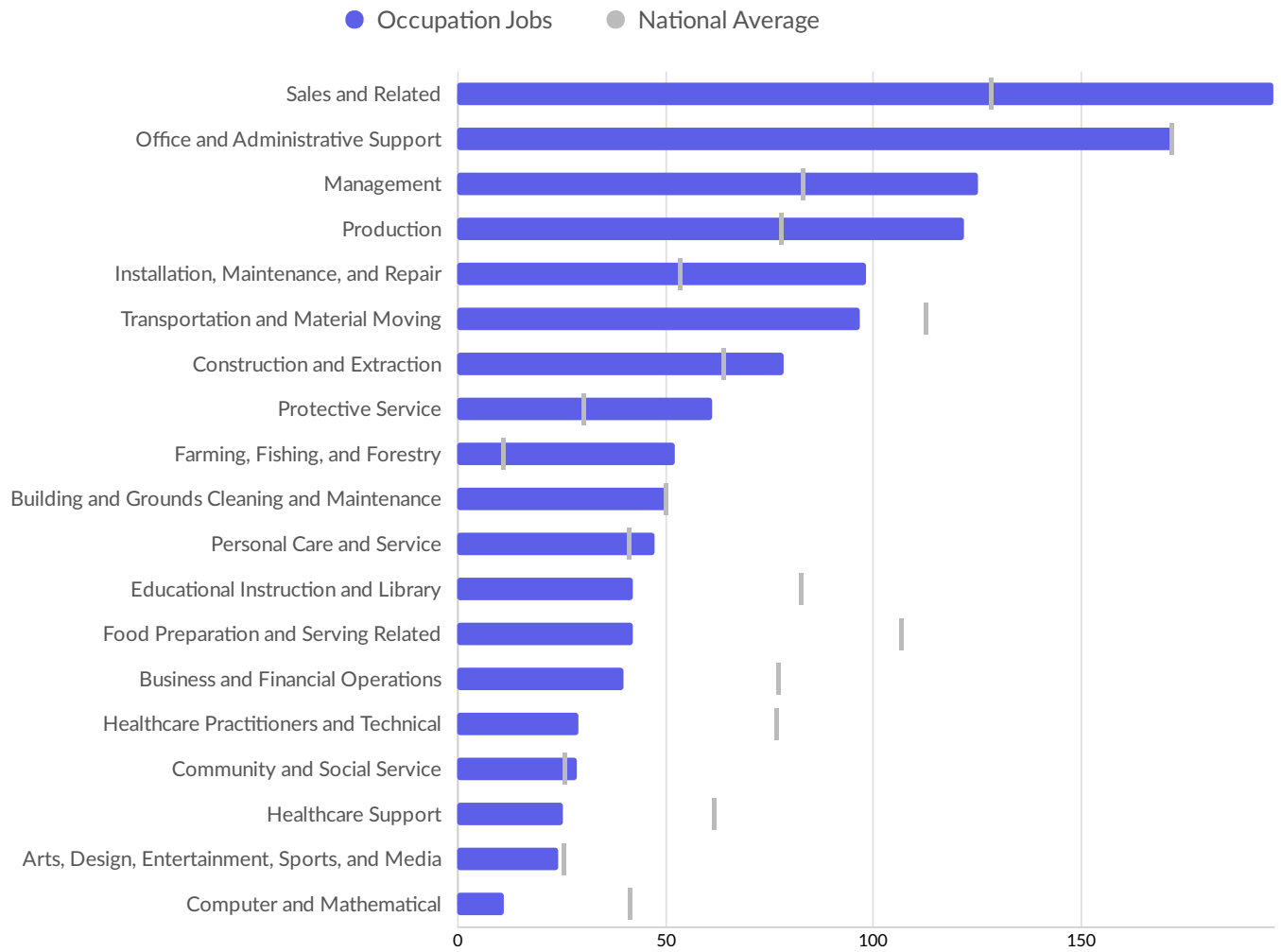


	Percentage	Business Count
1 to 4 employees	44.2%	87
5 to 9 employees	32.0%	63
10 to 19 employees	15.2%	30
20 to 49 employees	6.1%	12
50 to 99 employees	2.5%	5

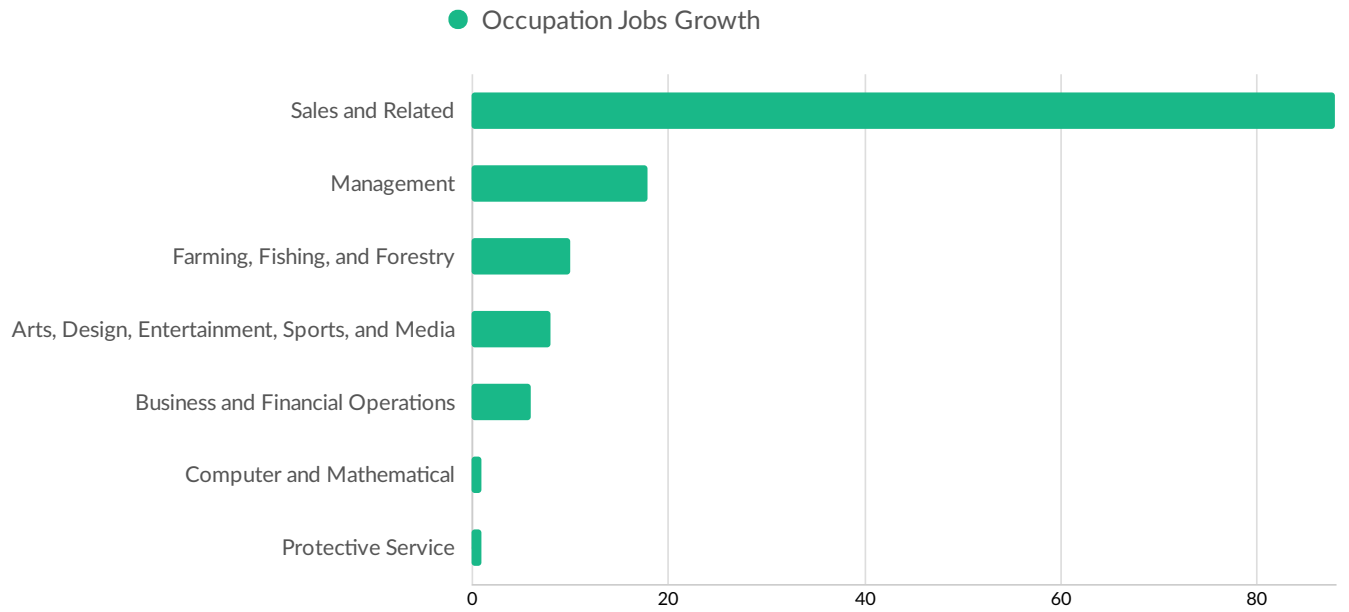
*Business Data by DatabaseUSA.com is third-party data provided by Emsi to its customers as a convenience, and Emsi does not endorse or warrant its accuracy or consistency with other published Emsi data. In most cases, the Business Count will not match total companies with profiles on the summary tab.

Workforce Characteristics

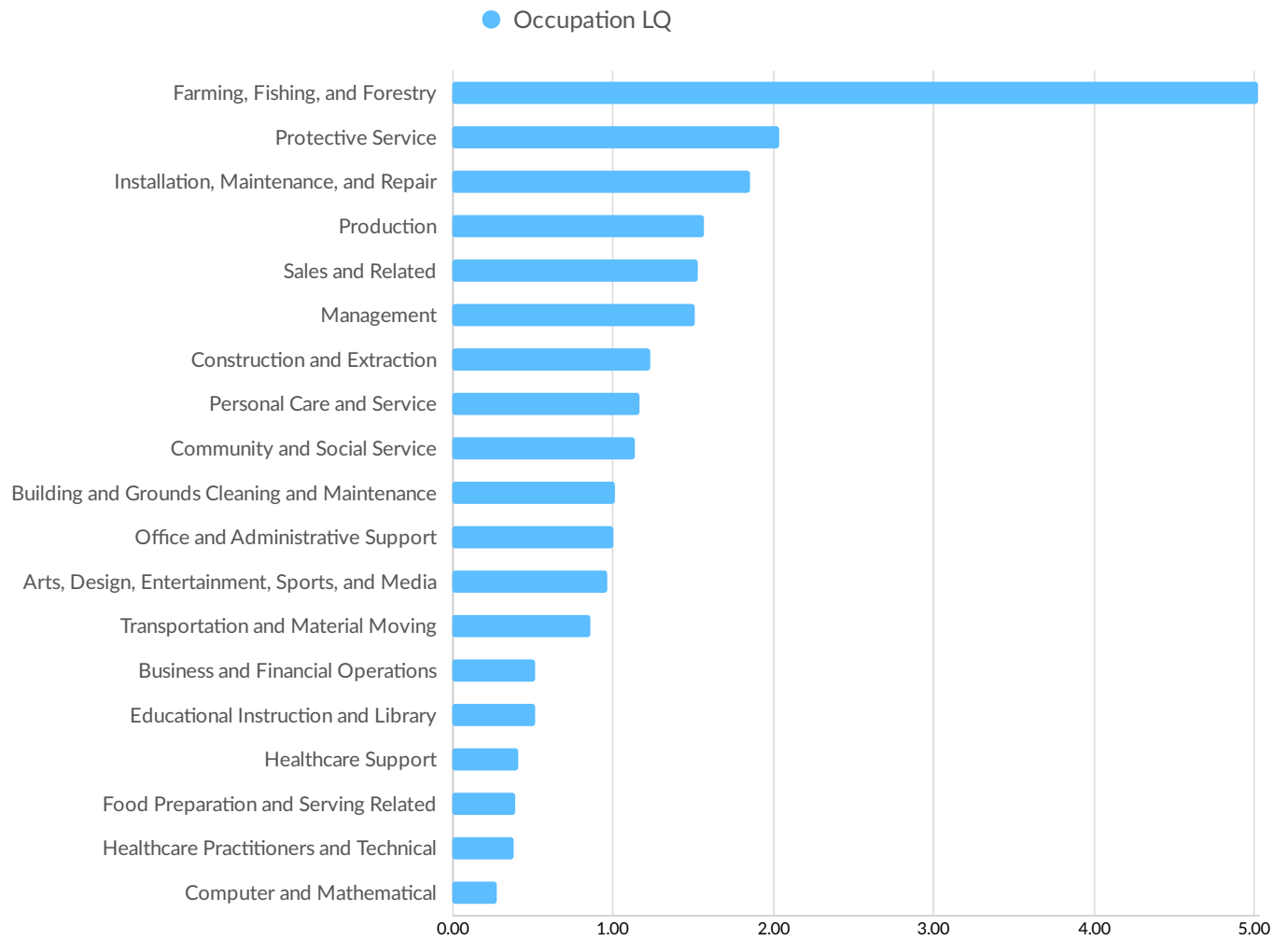
Largest Occupations



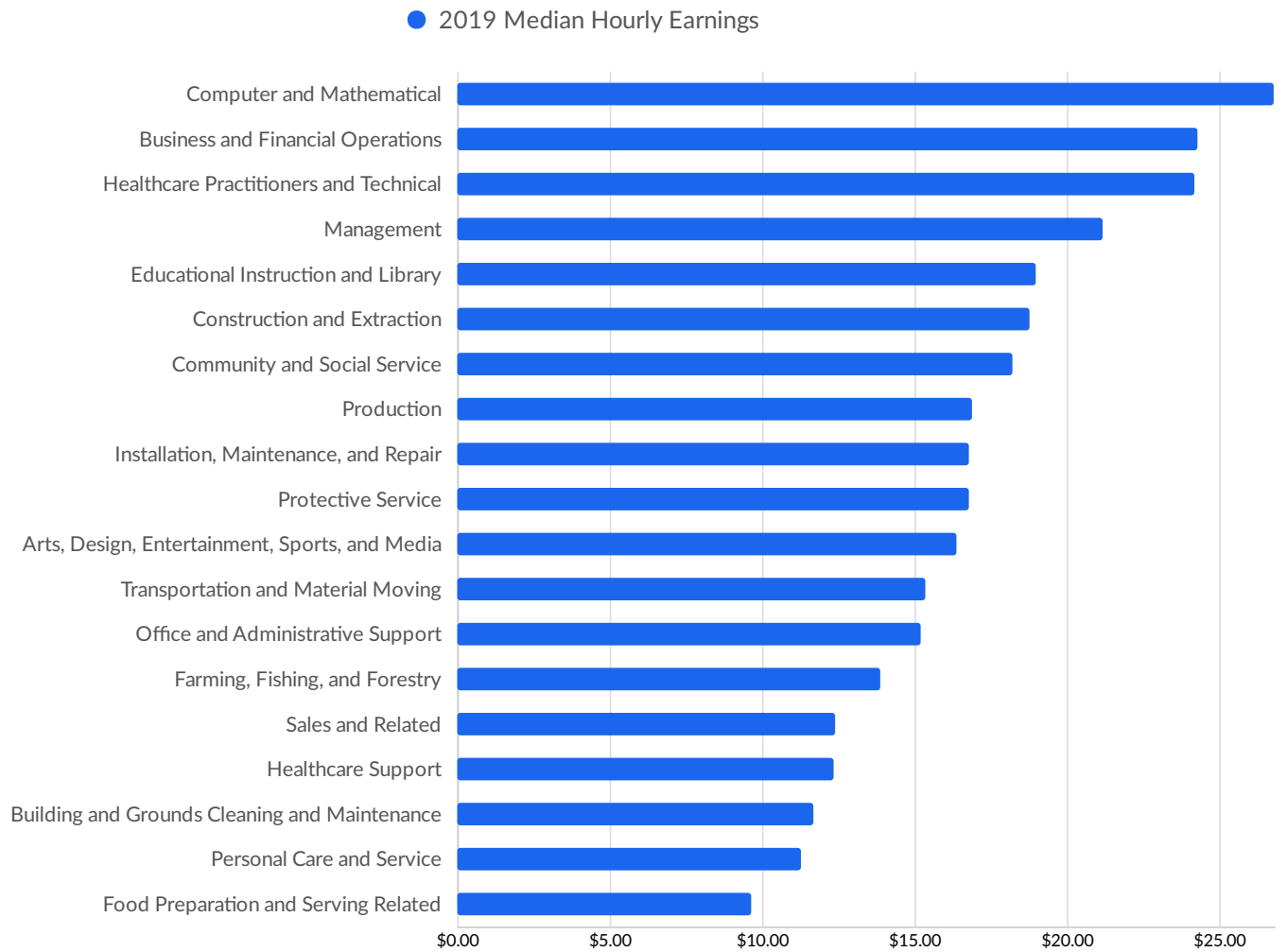
Top Growing Occupations



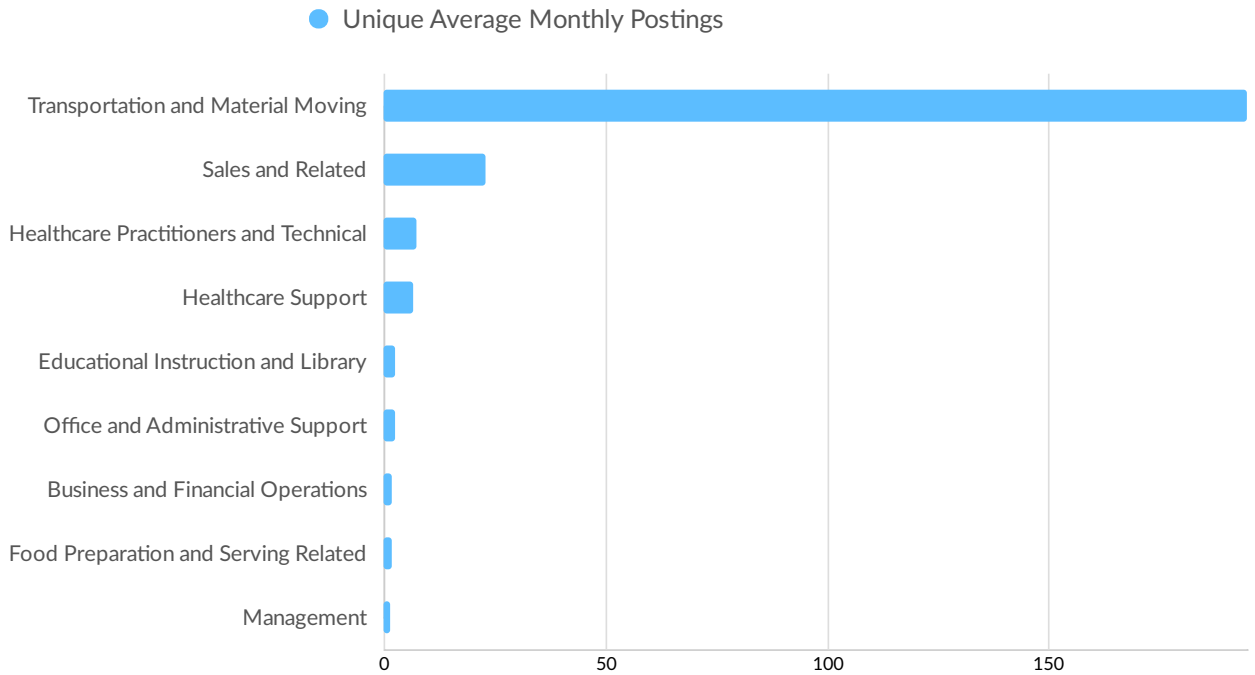
Top Occupation LQ



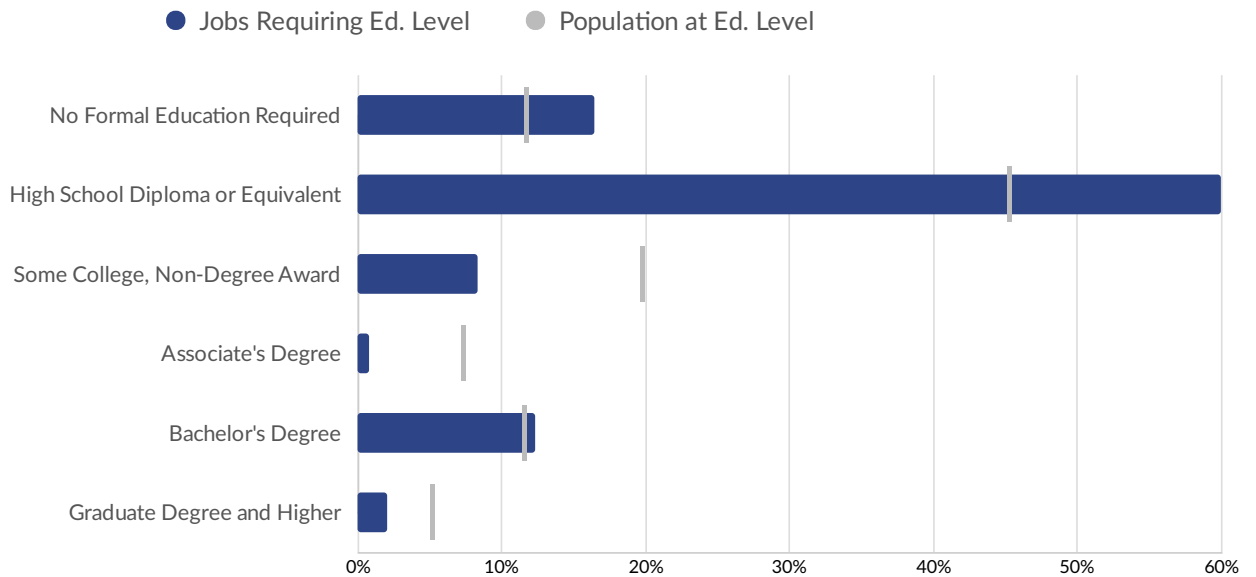
Top Occupation Earnings



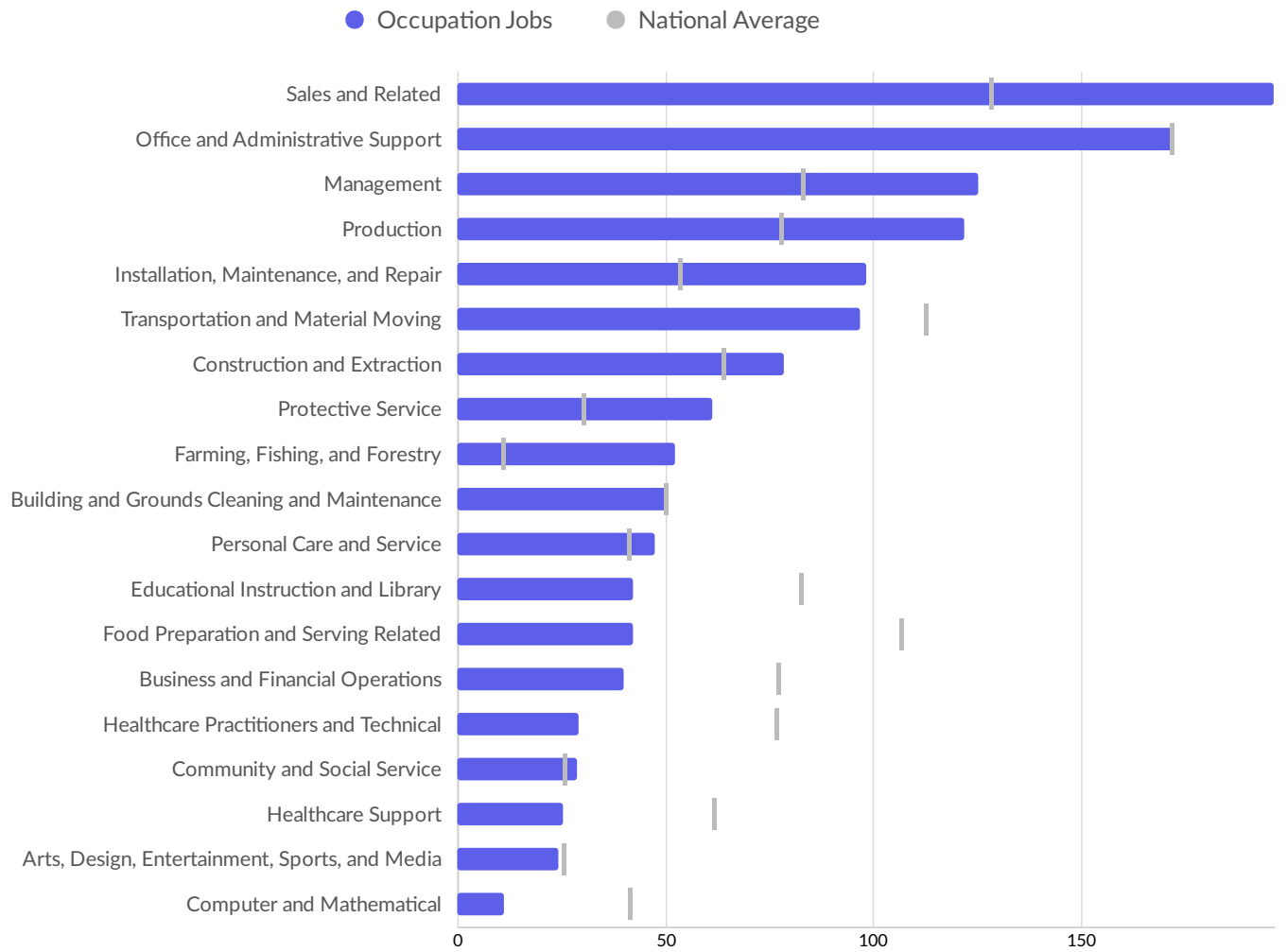
Top Posted Occupations



Underemployment



Largest Occupations



Educational Pipeline

Over the last 5 years, no schools in Knox County, MO produced graduates.

In-Demand Skills

