

January 2020

1,510,039  
Labor Force

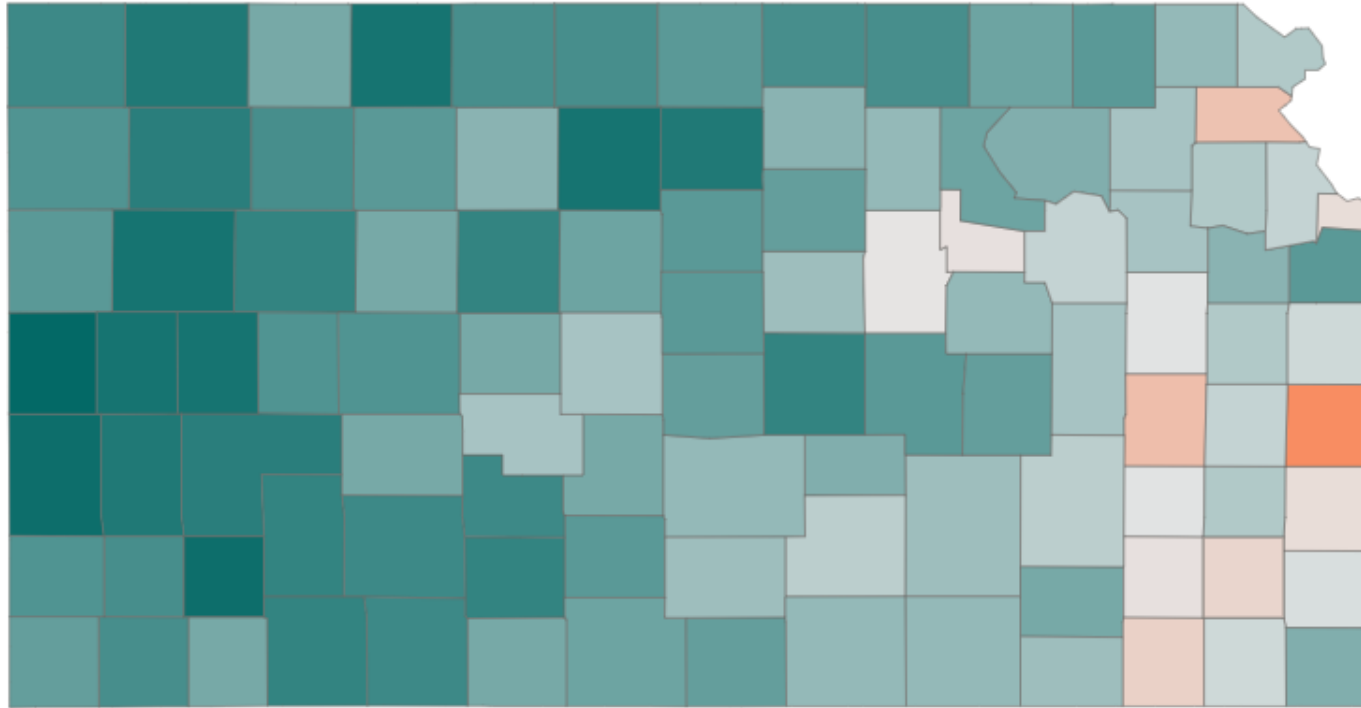
1,463,424  
Employed

46,615  
Unemployed

3.1%  
Unemployment Rate

### County Unemployment Rate Map

Hover over your area of interest to view other labor force statistics for the selected month



Local Area	Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Unemployment Rate
Local Area 1	294,396	286,439	7,957	2.7%
Local Area 2	293,390	283,701	9,689	3.3%
Local Area 3	460,181	446,366	13,815	3.0%
Local Area 4	325,134	313,673	11,461	3.5%
Local Area 5	131,424	126,225	5,199	4.0%

[Chart from Kansas Labor Information Center \(KLIC\) - Local Area Unemployment Statistics \(ks.gov\)](#)

April 2020

1,487,192  
Labor Force

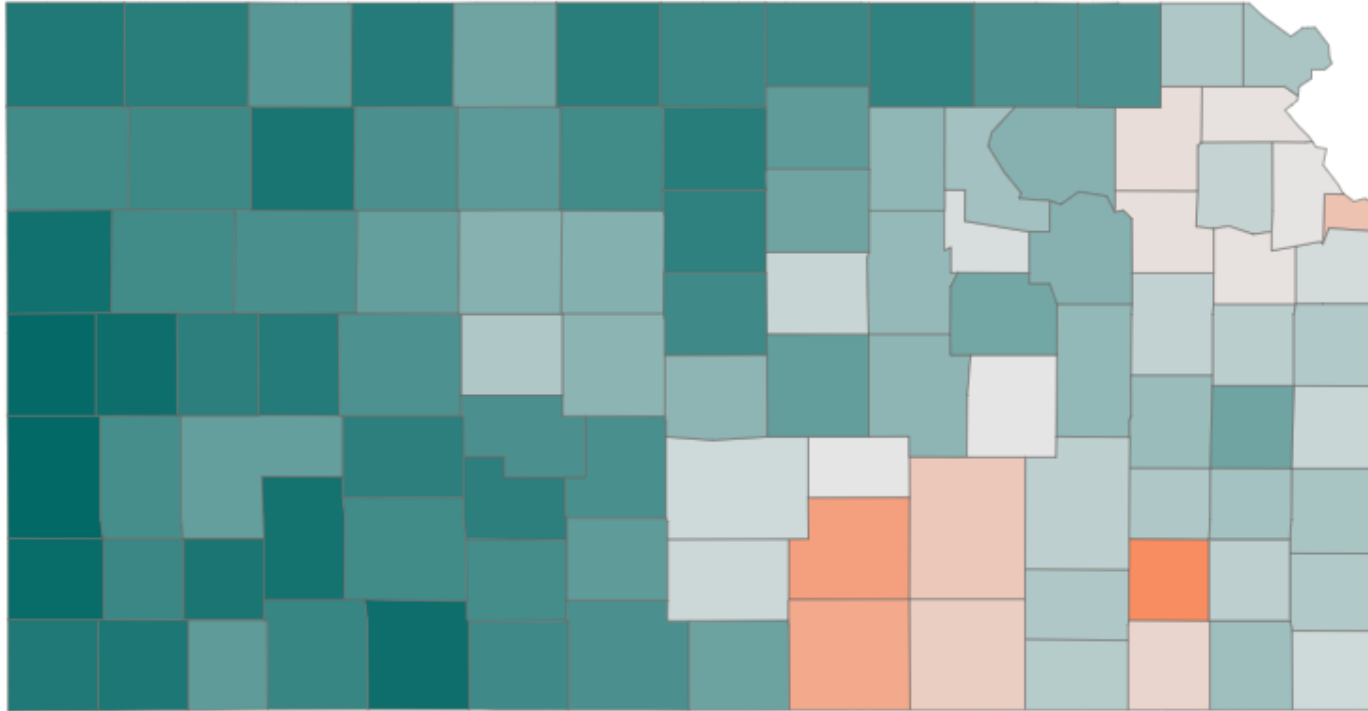
1,307,711  
Employed

179,481  
Unemployed

12.1%  
Unemployment Rate

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Local Area	Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Unemployment Rate
Local Area 1	284,344	264,709	19,635	6.9%
Local Area 2	287,915	257,432	30,483	10.6%
Local Area 3	446,914	395,527	51,387	11.5%
Local Area 4	333,041	273,159	59,882	18.0%
Local Area 5	129,211	116,555	12,656	9.8%

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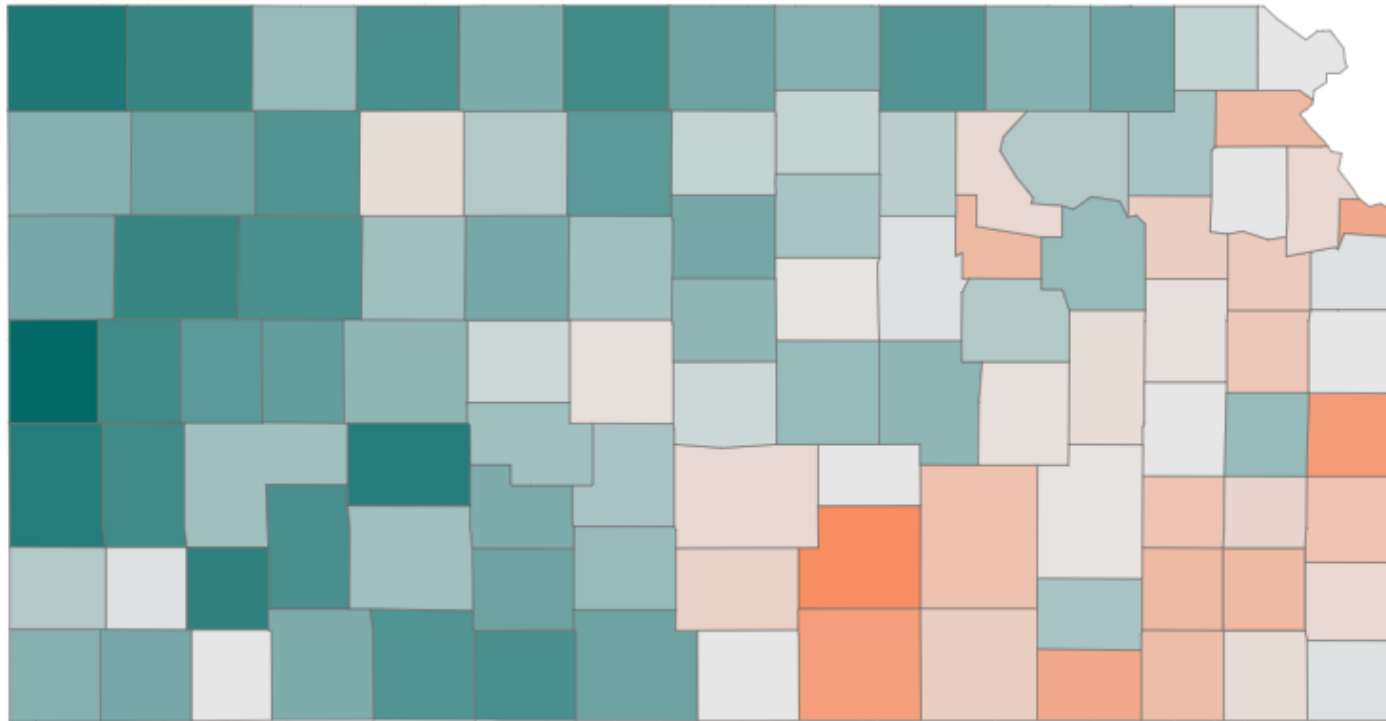
1,441,027  
Employed

60,744  
Unemployed

4.0%  
Unemployment Rate

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Local Area	Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Unemployment Rate
Local Area 1	294,350	285,214	9,136	3.1%
Local Area 2	288,151	276,294	11,857	4.1%
Local Area 3	459,858	441,681	18,177	4.0%
Local Area 4	321,334	302,074	19,260	6.0%
Local Area 5	130,437	124,982	5,455	4.2%

January 2022

1,497,661  
Labor Force

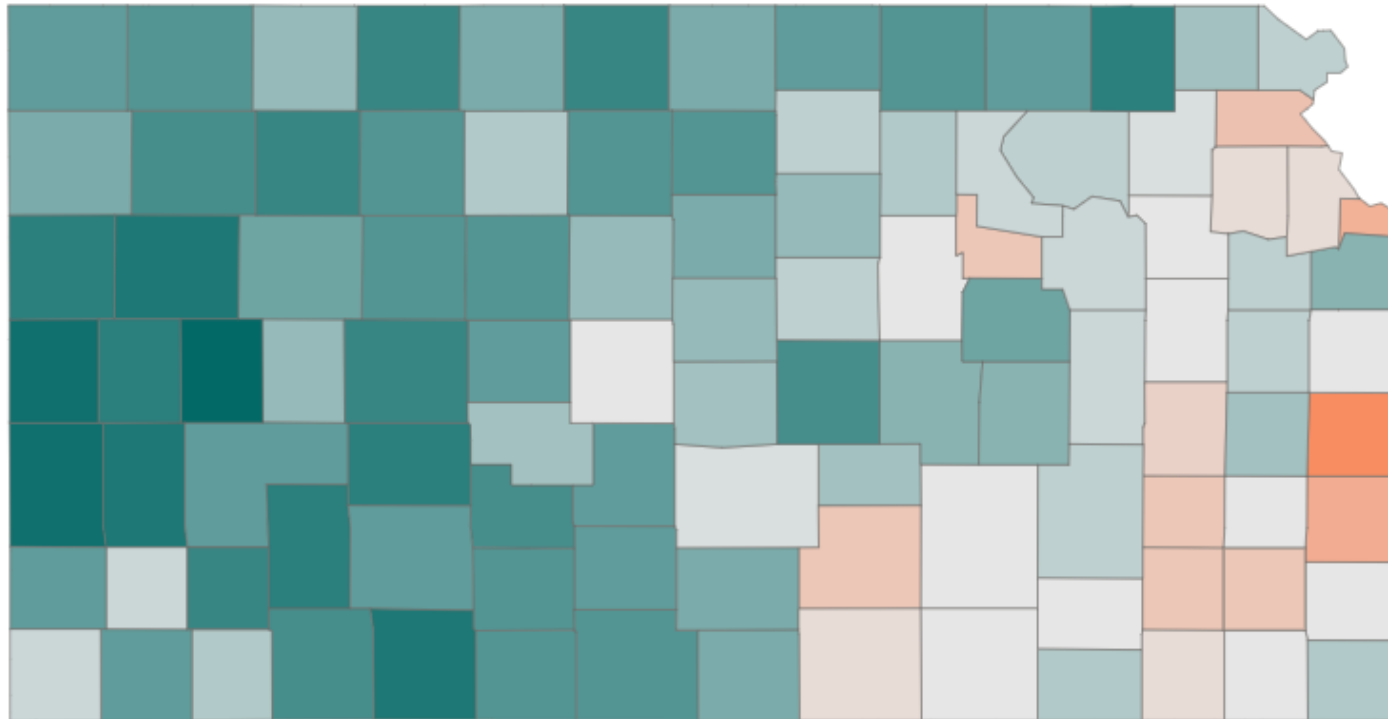
1,459,956  
Employed

37,705  
Unemployed

2.5%  
Unemployment Rat

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Local Area	Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Unemployment Rate
Local Area 1	292,265	284,929	7,336	2.5%
Local Area 2	295,262	286,556	8,706	2.9%
Local Area 3	463,361	450,486	12,875	2.8%
Local Area 4	321,801	311,539	10,262	3.2%
Local Area 5	129,863	125,679	4,184	3.2%

January 2023

1,509,840  
Labor Force

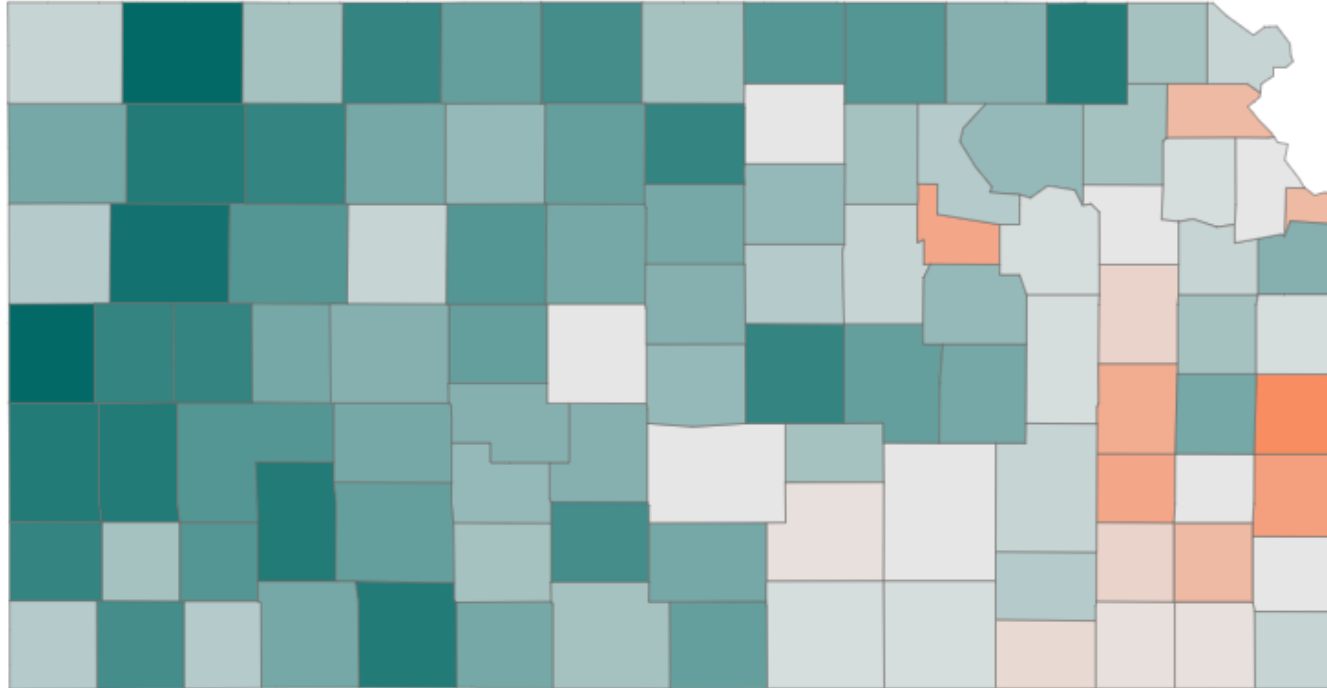
1,467,395  
Employed

42,445  
Unemployed

2.8%  
Unemployment Rate

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Local Area	Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Unemployment Rate
Local Area 1	292,702	286,268	6,434	2.2%
Local Area 2	291,997	283,991	8,006	2.7%
Local Area 3	459,549	447,622	11,927	2.6%
Local Area 4	319,219	308,544	10,675	3.3%
Local Area 5	129,558	125,652	3,906	3.0%

January 2024

1,506,694  
Labor Force

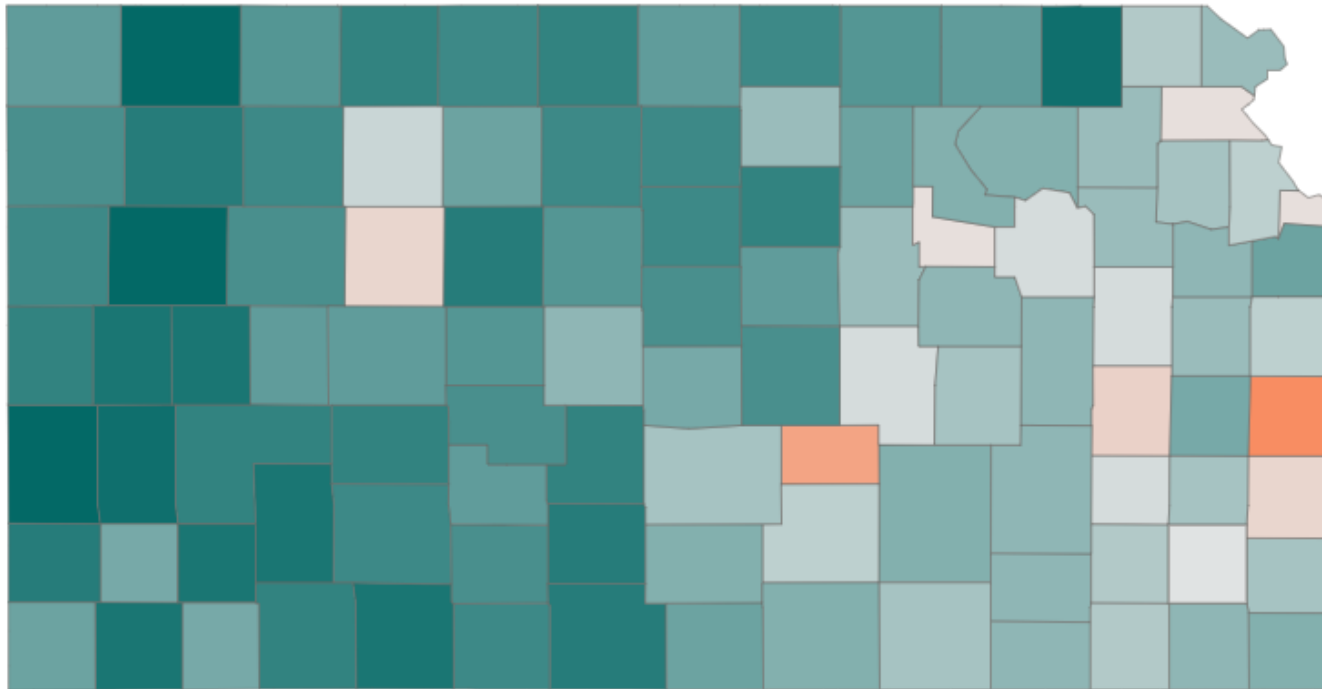
1,467,625  
Employed

39,069  
Unemployed

2.6%  
Unemployment Rate

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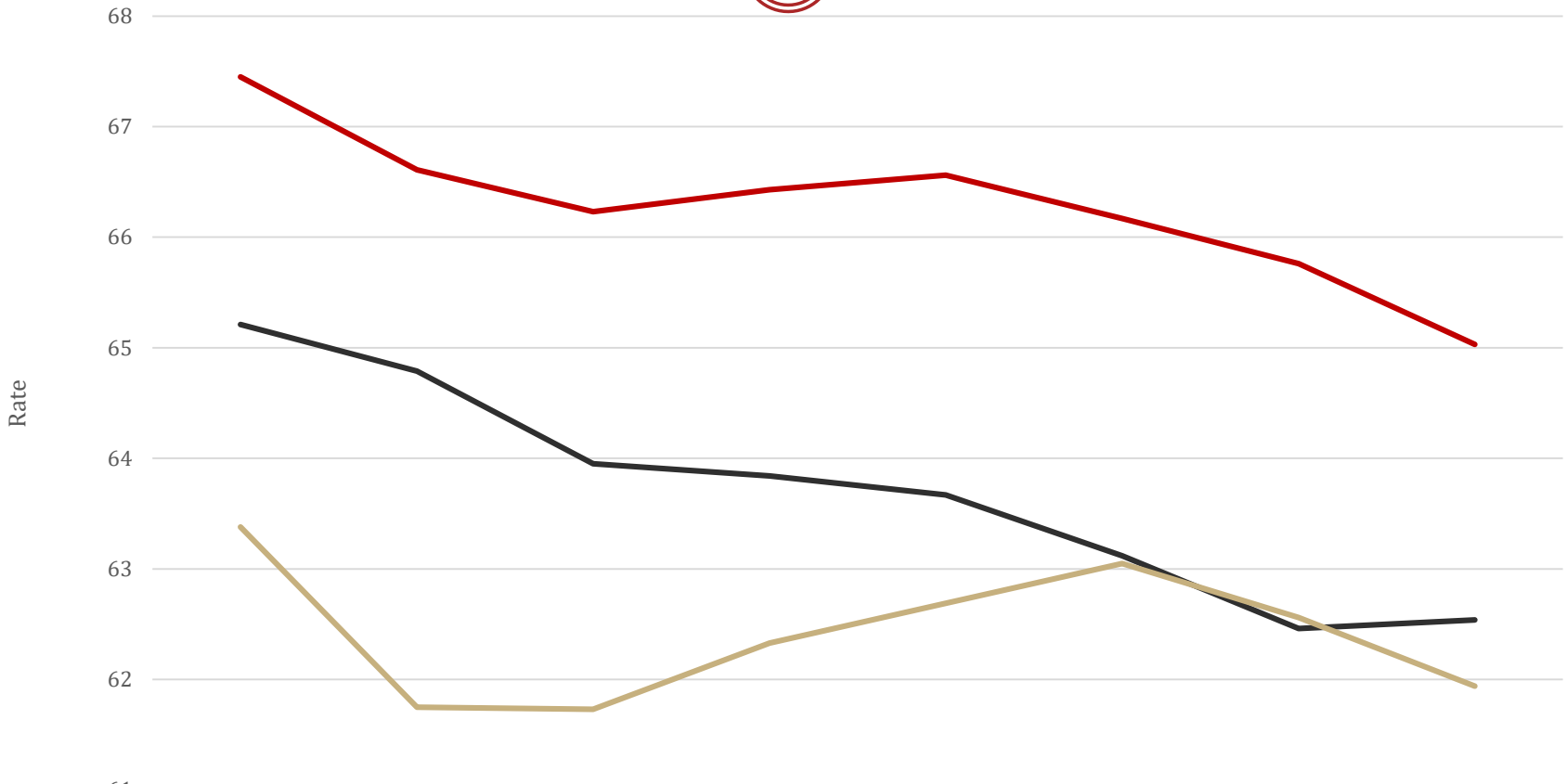
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Local Area	Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Unemployment Rate
Local Area 1	291,132	284,097	7,035	2.4%
Local Area 2	294,280	286,091	8,189	2.8%
Local Area 3	461,396	449,166	12,230	2.7%
Local Area 4	321,640	311,859	9,781	3.0%
Local Area 5	128,673	124,752	3,921	3.0%

# Labor Force Participation Rates

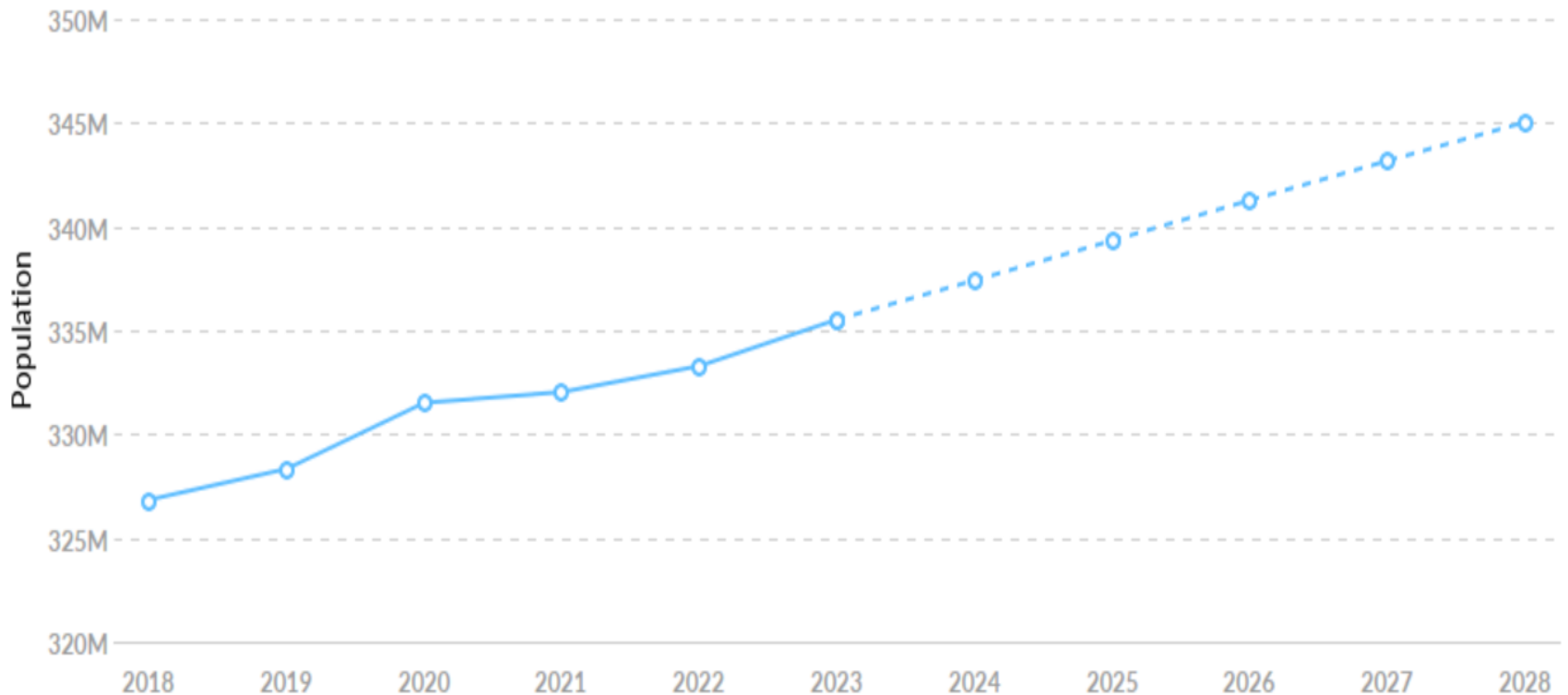


	2019	2020	2021	2022	Jan-Oct 2023	Nov-23	Dec-23	Jan-24
LAIV	65.21	64.79	63.95	63.84	63.67	63.12	62.46	62.54
Kansas	67.45	66.61	66.23	66.43	66.56	66.17	65.76	65.03
US	63.38	61.75	61.73	62.33	62.69	63.05	62.56	61.94

# US Population



As of 2023 the region's population increased by 2.7% since 2018, growing by 8,690,044. Population is expected to increase by 2.8% between 2023 and 2028, adding 9,513,666.

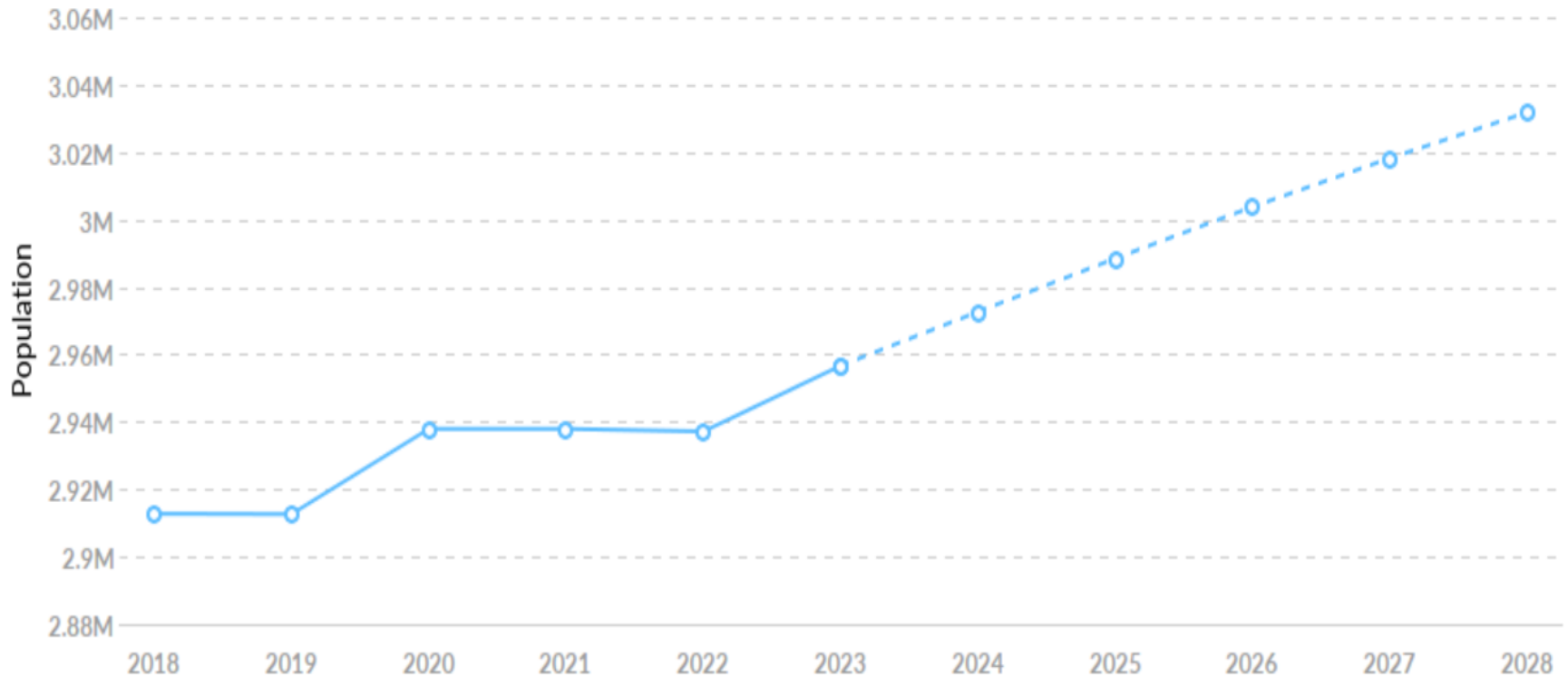




# Kansas Population



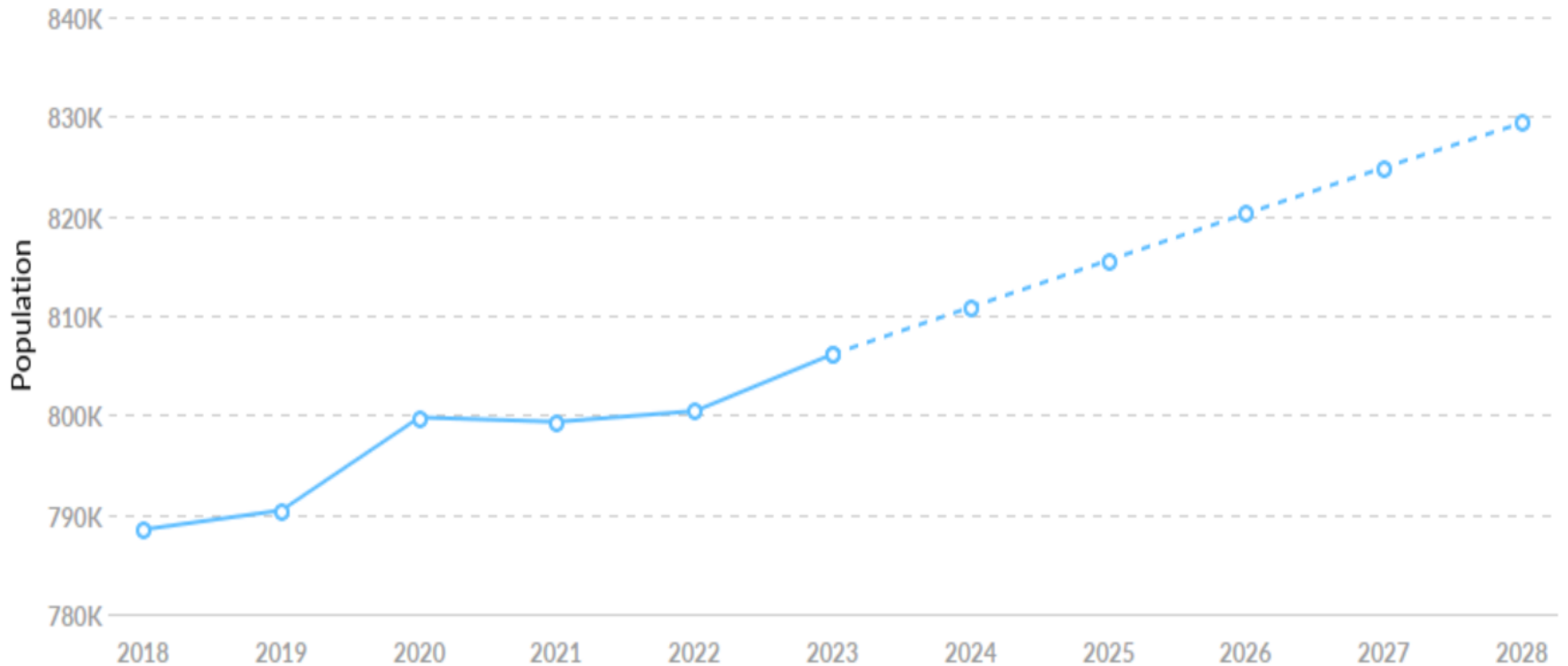
As of 2023 the region's population increased by 1.5% since 2018, growing by 43,938. Population is expected to increase by 2.5% between 2023 and 2028, adding 75,154.



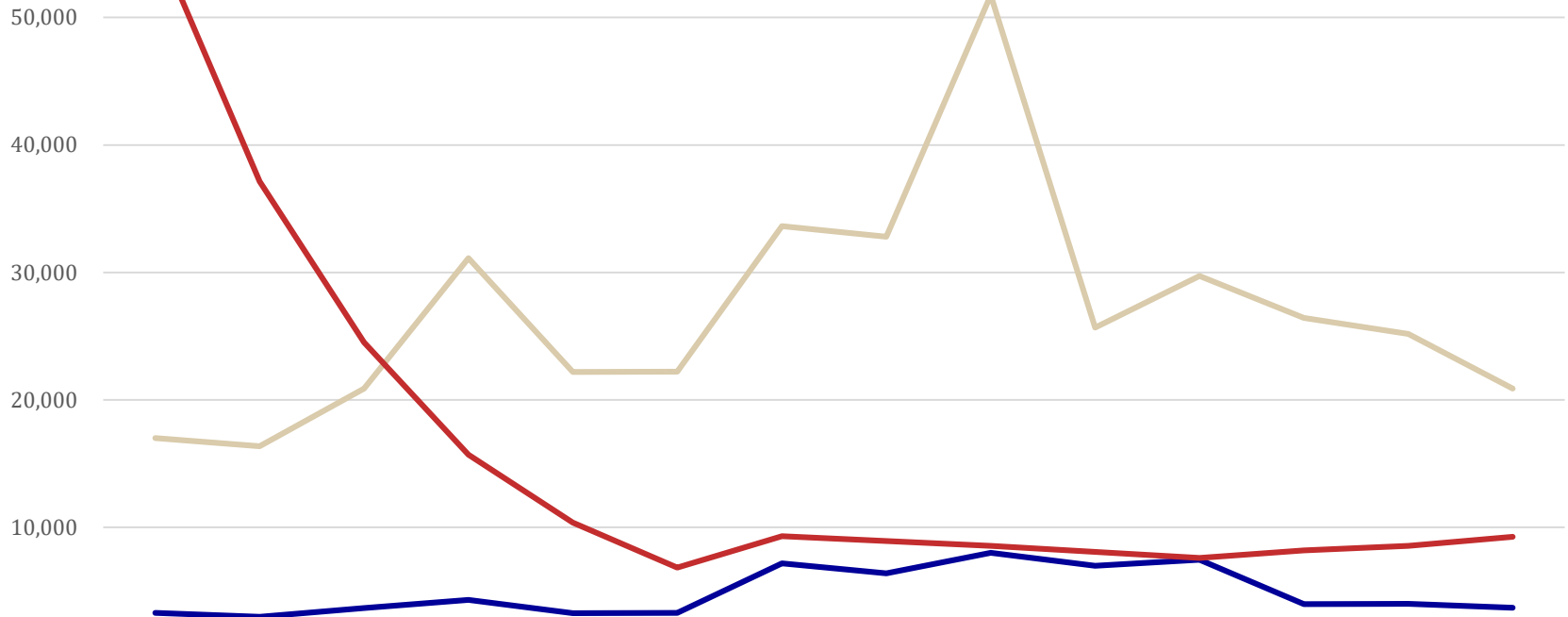
# South Central Kansas Population



As of 2023 the region's population increased by 2.2% since 2018, growing by 17,630. Population is expected to increase by 2.9% between 2023 and 2028, adding 23,231.



# Jobs vs Resumes



	2020 q3	2020 q4	2021 q1	2021 q2	2021 q3	2021 q4	2022 q1	2022 q2	2022 q3	2022 q4	2023 q1	2023 q2	2023 q3	2023 q4
Jobs	17,014	16,378	20,896	31,121	22,208	22,219	33,625	32,802	51,741	25,679	29,732	26,439	25,175	20,891
Employers	3,309	2,982	3,672	4,306	3,266	3,302	7,180	6,408	8,003	6,991	7,477	3,988	4,002	3,693
Resumes	56,284	37,147	24,517	15,709	10,368	6,843	9,311	8,930	8,549	8,082	7,615	8,206	8,554	9,277

Jobs and Employers – Lightcast's de-duplicated job postings. Multiple postings that list the same job, same company, and same region are reduced to 1 unique posting. Source: Lightcast's proprietary job postings data  
 Resumes: Kansasworks.com active resumes statewide