Table 1. Labor Force and Employment in the Camden HMA, 2010 Through March 2025

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	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	March 2024	March 2025					
Labor Force	657.5	654.4	654.6	645.9	637.5	643.6	645.9	648.1	642.0	651.0	651.8	656.3	668.8	684.8	689.1	686.1	689.7					
Resident Employment	590.1	589.1	589.3	588.3	592.2	605.6	613.5	618.5	615.5	627.3	593.1	613.6	642.7	655.3	657.7	655.9	657.9					
Unemployment	67.4	65.3	65.3	57.6	45.2	38.1	32.4	29.7	26.5	23.8	58.7	42.7	26.1	29.5	31.4	30.2	31.8					
Unemployment Rate (%)	10.3	10.0	10.0	8.9	7.1	5.9	5.0	4.6	4.1	3.6	9.0	6.5	3.9	4.3	4.6	4.4	4.6					
Total Nonfarm Payroll Jobs	505.7	500.6	502.2	504.6	505.5	517.4	528.9	540.5	541.3	544.4	509.1	534.1	560.3	573.0	581.3	575.4	583.0					
Goods-Producing Sectors	57.4	56.4	55.5	56.2	55.6	57.8	59.6	61.0	62.7	63.3	60.7	61.4	63.9	64.0	63.3	63.7	63.2					
Mining, Logging, & Construction	20.2	19.7	19.7	20.8	20.5	21.7	22.5	22.9	23.2	23.4	22.4	23.0	23.8	23.4	22.9	23.1	22.8					
Manufacturing	37.3	36.8	35.8	35.4	35.1	36.1	37.1	38.1	39.5	39.9	38.3	38.4	40.1	40.6	40.4	40.6	40.4					
Service-Providing Sectors	448.3	444.1	446.7	448.4	449.9	459.7	469.3	479.5	478.6	481.1	448.4	472.8	496.4	509.0	518.0	511.8	519.8					
Wholesale & Retail Trade	94.8	94.4	94.4	94.2	94.8	95.6	96.6	97.0	97.4	95.9	88.0	92.7	95.7	96.4	96.3	96.4	96.3					
Wholesale Trade	29.5	29.1	28.8	28.5	28.6	28.3	29.0	29.7	29.7	29.0	26.2	25.8	27.3	28.3	28.2	28.4	28.0					
Retail Trade	65.3	65.3	65.6	65.7	66.2	67.3	67.6	67.3	67.7	66.9	61.8	66.9	68.4	68.1	68.1	68.1	68.3					
Transportation & Utilities	18.9	18.9	18.7	19.1	19.3	19.8	21.6	24.0	25.9	29.9	32.3	35.6	39.9	40.3	41.2	40.6	41.2					
Information	7.7	7.3	7.3	7.4	7.3	7.1	6.9	6.9	7.0	7.0	6.7	6.2	6.0	6.4	6.0	6.4	5.9					
Financial Activities	28.7	29.0	30.0	30.0	27.8	28.6	29.8	30.1	29.4	29.0	28.8	29.7	30.0	29.7	29.4	29.6	29.6					
Professional & Business Services	70.7	71.4	71.1	71.4	72.8	76.7	77.8	79.8	75.0	73.7	71.4	77.0	80.1	81.4	82.6	81.7	83.2					
Education & Health Services	79.7	79.8	82.5	84.0	85.5	89.3	92.8	96.0	96.6	97.6	91.4	95.0	100.3	106.6	111.6	107.7	112.9					
Leisure & Hospitality	40.9	41.0	42.0	42.3	43.9	44.8	46.4	48.4	49.7	50.1	37.0	42.8	48.3	50.8	51.9	51.3	51.5					
Other Services	21.8	21.5	21.8	20.8	18.5	18.4	18.7	18.6	18.8	19.2	17.4	19.2	20.5	20.9	21.2	21.0	21.2					
Government	85.1	80.9	79.0	79.3	80.0	79.4	78.8	78.8	78.9	78.7	75.4	74.6	75.7	76.6	77.8	77.0	78.1					
Federal	9.2	8.7	8.5	8.1	8.0	7.8	7.7	7.7	7.5	7.5	7.6	7.4	7.4	7.7	7.7	7.7	7.8					
State	13.5	12.5	12.1	12.7	13.8	14.1	14.4	14.3	14.4	14.4	13.9	13.4	13.3	12.8	12.6	12.7	12.5					
Local	62.4	59.6	58.4	58.5	58.2	57.5	56.7	56.7	56.9	56.8	53.9	53.8	55.0	56.2	57.5	56.5	57.9					

Notes: Numbers may not add to totals due to rounding. Data are reported in thousands.

Source: U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics



Table 2. Population and Household Trends in the Camden HMA, 2010 to Forecast

						Average Annual Change								
					2010 t	2010 to 2020		Current	Current to Forecast					
	2010	2020	Current	Forecast	Number	Rate (%)	Number	Rate (%)	Number	Rate (%)				
Population														
Camden HMA	1,250,679	1,287,639	1,331,000	1,355,000	3,700	0.3	8,650	0.7	7,950	0.6				
Households														
Camden HMA	461,569	484,404	507,900	521,300	2,275	0.5	4,700	1.0	4,475	0.9				

Notes: The current date is April 1, 2025. The forecast date is April 1, 2028.

Sources: 2010 and 2020—2010 Census and 2020 Census; current and forecast—estimates by the analyst



Table 3. Housing Inventory, Tenure, and Vacancy in the Camden HMA, 2010, 2020, and Current

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		Camden HMA									
	2010	2020	Current								
Total Housing Inventory	490,354	514,742	533,550								
Occupied Units	461,569	484,404	507,900								
Owner-Occupied	343,536	340,646	346,700								
%	74.4	70.3	68.3								
Renter-Occupied	118,033	143,758	161,200								
%	25.6	29.7	31.7								
Vacant Units	28,785	30,338	25,650								
Available Units	16,828	16,333	13,650								
For Sale	5,657	5,551	2,450								
Rate (%)	1.6	1.6	0.7								
For Rent	11,171	10,782	11,200								
Rate (%)	8.6	7.0	6.5								
Other Vacant	11,957	14,005	12,000								

Notes: The current date is April 1, 2025. In this analysis conducted by the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD), other vacant units include all vacant units that are not available for sale or for rent. The term therefore includes units rented or sold but not occupied; held for seasonal, recreational, or occasional use; used by migrant workers; and the category specified as "other" vacant by the U.S. Census Bureau. Sources: 2010 and 2020—2010 Census and 2020 Census; current—estimates by the analyst



Table 4. Residential Building Permit Activity in the Camden HMA, 2010 Through March 2025

																12 Months Ending		
Type of Building Permit	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	Mar 2024	Mar 2025	
Camden HMA																		
Total	2,303	1,953	2,185	3,144	3,004	2,374	2,325	3,500	2,858	4,891	3,032	3,256	4,571	4,208	4,284	4,228	4,188	
Sales	1,533	1,316	1,431	1,634	1,695	1,646	1,604	1,637	1,798	1,855	1,926	2,116	2,443	2,575	2,524	2,563	2,692	
Rental	770	637	753	1,510	1,309	728	721	1,863	1,061	3,036	1,106	1,140	2,128	1,633	1,760	1,665	1,496	

Sources: U.S. Census Bureau, Building Permits Survey; 2010–23—final data and estimates by the analyst; past 24 months of data—preliminary data and estimates by the analyst

