

2020-2030 LONG-TERM PROJECTIONS

Labor Market Information Services

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Projections inform researchers and other interested parties about the future direction of the labor market and its implications for the economy. Projections also play an important role in making career choices. While general interest in certain careers may impact occupational choices, information about future trends in employment or demand for labor helps identify practical options to ensure future job security.

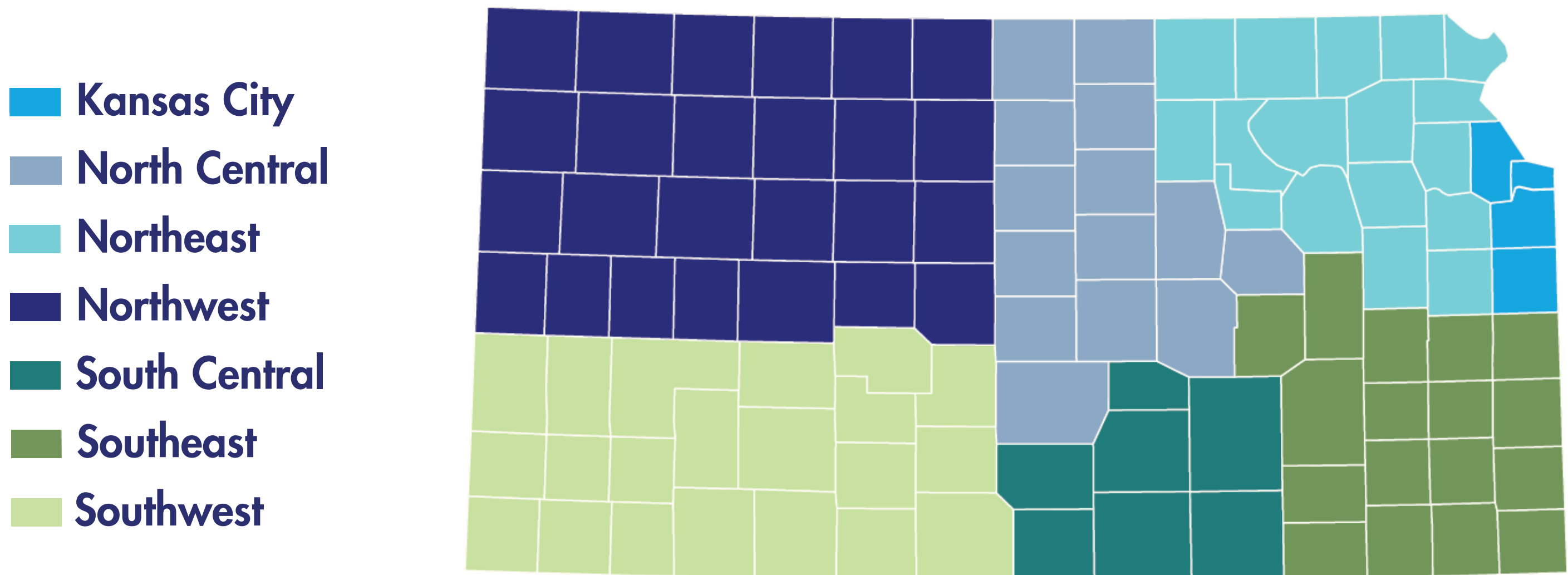


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Kansas, Statewide Top 5 Occupations for 2030

Occupational Code	Occupational Title	Annual Openings	Average Ann. Growth	Median Annual Wage
35-3023	Fast Food & Counter Workers	85,903	8,590	\$23,240
41-2011	Cashiers	54,209	5,420	\$24,600
41-2031	Retail Salespersons	48,366	4,837	\$28,500
43-4051	Customer Service Representatives	41,166	4,116	\$35,460
35-3031	Waiters & Waitresses	40,852	4,085	\$27,260

Kansas Projection Regions - Top 5 Occupations for 2030



Northwest Projection Region

Occupational Code	Occupational Title	Annual Openings	Average Ann. Growth	Median Annual Wage
41-2011	Cashiers	4,086	409	\$22,966
35-3023	Fast Food & Counter Workers	3,827	383	\$23,110
31-1131	Nursing Assistants	2,274	228	\$30,485
41-2031	Retail Salespersons	2,080	208	\$27,803
53-3032	Heavy and Tractor-Trailer Truck Drivers	1,943	195	\$43,378

Southwest Projection Region

Occupational Code	Occupational Title	Annual Openings	Average Ann. Growth	Median Annual Wage
41-2011	Cashiers	4,794	479	\$22,968
51-3022	Meat, Poultry, & Fish Cutters & Trimmers	4,634	463	\$39,342
53-7062	Laborers & Freight, Stock, & Material Movers, Hand	4,571	457	\$40,391
11-9013	Farmers, Ranchers, & Other Agricultural Managers	4,137	413	*
37-2011	Janitors & Cleaners, Except Maids/Housekeeping Cleaners	4,124	412	\$29,493

North Central Projection Region

Occupational Code	Occupational Title	Annual Openings	Average Ann. Growth	Median Annual Wage
35-3023	Fast Food & Counter Workers	6,711	671	\$22,625
41-2011	Cashiers	4,950	495	\$23,194
31-1131	Nursing Assistants	2,936	294	\$29,663
53-3032	Heavy and Tractor-Trailer Truck Drivers	2,753	275	\$45,346
41-2031	Retail Salesperson	2,659	266	\$27,670

South Central Projection Region

Occupational Code	Occupational Title	Annual Openings	Average Ann. Growth	Median Annual Wage
35-3023	Fast Food & Counter Workers	23,358	2,335	\$22,272
41-2031	Retail Salesperson	12,354	1,235	\$28,252
41-2011	Cashiers	11,213	1,122	\$24,939
35-3031	Waiters & Waitresses	10,347	1,035	\$27,848
43-4051	Customer Service Representatives	9,467	946	\$34,443

Northeast Projection Region

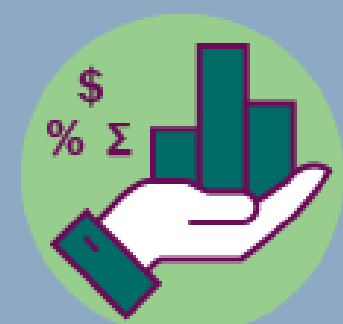
Occupational Code	Occupational Title	Annual Openings	Average Ann. Growth	Median Annual Wage
35-3023	Fast Food & Counter Workers	17,010	1,701	\$22,658
41-2011	Cashiers	10,070	1,007	\$23,812
41-2031	Retail Salespersons	8,038	804	\$28,324
35-3031	Waiters & Waitresses	7,814	782	\$26,212
37-2011	Janitors & Cleaners, Except Maids/Housekeeping Cleaners	7,434	743	\$28,293

Kansas City Projection Region

Occupational Code	Occupational Title	Annual Openings	Average Ann. Growth	Median Annual Wage
35-3023	Fast Food & Counter Workers	25,730	2,573	\$26,959
43-4051	Customer Service Representatives	18,708	1,871	\$36,939
53-7062	Laborers & Freight, Stock, & Material Movers, Hand	17,690	1,769	\$38,283
41-2031	Retail Salespersons	16,427	1,642	\$30,501
41-2011	Cashiers	16,081	1,609	\$27,264

Southeast Projection Region

Occupational Code	Occupational Title	Annual Openings	Average Ann. Growth	Median Annual Wage
35-3023	Fast Food & Counter Workers	5,207	521	\$22,306
31-1120	Home Health and Personal Care Aides	5,070	507	\$23,581
41-2031	Retail Salespersons	4,752	475	\$27,912
35-3031	Waiters & Waitresses	3,653	365	\$26,152
41-2011	Cashiers	3,026	303	\$22,966



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