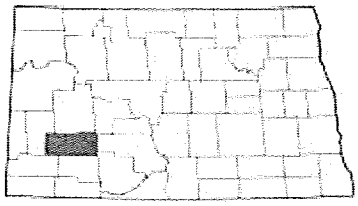
STARK COUNTY AREA PROFILE

ALL AREA PROFILE DATA CURRENT AS OF MARCH 8, 2017



		SUMMARY STATISTICS	
		Stark County	North Dakota
POPULATION CHARACTERISTICS			
Population CENSUS EST	[2015]	32,154	756,835
Largest City (incorporated places) CENSUS EST	[2015]	Dickinson	Fargo
Largest City Population CENSUS EST	[2015]	23,765	118,523
Median Age ACS	[2011-2015]	35.0	35.4
Average Commute Time to Work (minutes) ACS	[2011-2015]	17.4	17.2
HIGHEST EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT ACS	[2011-2015]		
No High School Diploma (%)		10.0	8.3
High School Diploma or Equivalent (%)		30.5	27.4
Some College, No Degree (%)		23.8	23.4
Associate's Degree (%)		11.4	13.2
Bachelor's Degree (%)		17.5	20.1
Graduate or Professional Degree (%) [Percent of population 25 years and over]		6.8	7.6
INCOME AND POVERTY			
Per Capita Personal Income ($) BEA	[2015]	85,677	55,950
Population Below Poverty Level (%) ACS	[2011-2015]	6.7	11.5
Median Household Income ($) ACS	[2011-2015]	72,099	57,181
LABOR FORCE AND UNEMPLOYMENT LAUS	[DEC 2016]		
Labor Force		18,716	427,558
Unemployment Rate (%) [Civilian population 16 years and over working or actively seeking work]		3.4	3.0
EMPLOYMENT AND WAGES			
Employment QCEW	[Q3 2016]	18,258	418,137
Average Weekly Wages ($) QCEW	[Q3 2016]	1,095	966
Hires Rate (%) LED	[Q3 2015]	13.9	14.0
Separations Rate (%) LED	[Q3 2015]	17.6	16.0
LARGEST EMPLOYMENT QCEW	[Q3 2016]		
Retail Trade [Private industry employment]		2,215	
HIGHEST AVERAGE WEEKLY WAGES ($) QCEW	[Q3 2016]		
Mining, Quarrying, and Oil and Gas Extraction [Private industry average weekly wages]		1,897	
JOB OPENINGS AND ACTIVE RESUMÉS OJOR	[FEB 2017]		
Job Openings		749	14,344
Active Resumés		466	7,299
Active Resumés per Job Opening		0.6	0.5

Quarterly time period definitions: Q1=Jan-Mar; Q2=Apr-Jun; Q3=Jul-Sep; Q4=Oct-Dec. Data are not seasonally adjusted. Asterisks (***) indicate data cannot be released due to reliability, availability or confidentiality restrictions.

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CLASS OF WORKER ACS [2011-2015]	Stark County	North Dakota
Private Wage and Salary Workers (%)	77.5	75.2
Government Workers (%)	13.6	16.4
Self-Employed Workers (%)	8.9	8.1
Unpaid Family Workers (%)	0.1	0.3
[Percent of civilian employed population 16 years and over]		
WORKER OCCUPATIONS ACS [2011-2015]		
Management, Business, Science, and Arts Occupations (%)	27.7	35.0
Service Occupations (%)	16.1	16.9
Sales and Office Occupations (%)	23.2	22.5
Natural Resources, Construction, and Maintenance Occupations (%)	17.5	13.2
Production, Transportation, and Material Moving Occupations (%)	15.5	12.4
[Percent of civilian employed population 16 years and over]		
USUAL WORKER HOURS ACS [2011-2015]		
Work 35 or More Hours per Week (%)	81.4	78.3
Work Between 15 and 34 Hours per Week (%)	14.4	17.2
Work Less Than 15 Hours per Week (%)	4.2	4.5
Average Weekly Hours	43.7	40.5
[Percent of employed population 16 to 64 years]		
HOUSING CHARACTERISTICS ACS [2011-2015]		
Occupied Housing Units (%)	89.3	87.9
Rental Vacancy Rate (%)	11.1	5.9
BUSINESS ESTABLISHMENTS QCEW [Q3 2016]		
Business Establishments	1,498	32,130
LARGEST EMPLOYERS QCEW [2015]		
Stark County		
1 DICKINSON PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT		Educational Services
2 [Nondisclosable]		-----
3 MISSOURI BASIN WELL SERVICE		Truck Transportation
4 WAL-MART		General Merchandise Stores
5 ROCKPILE MANAGEMENT LLC		Support Activities for Mining
6 ST JOSEPH'S HOSPITAL		Hospitals
7 STEFFES		Machinery Manufacturing
8 ST BENEDICT'S HEALTH CENTER		Nursing and Residential Care Facilities
9 DICKINSON STATE UNIVERSITY		Educational Services
10 [Nondisclosable]		-----

Summary Statistic Sources:

QCEW Labor Market Information Center, Job Service ND, Quarterly Census of Employment and Wages

LAUS Labor Market Information Center, Job Service ND, Local Area Unemployment Statistics

OJOR Labor Market Information Center, Job Service ND, Online Job Openings Report

CENSUS EST U.S. Census Bureau, Intercensal Population Estimates

CENSUS DEC U.S. Census Bureau, Decennial Population Counts

ACS U.S. Census Bureau, American Community Survey

LED U.S. Census Bureau, Local Employment Dynamics

BEA U.S. Bureau of Economic Analysis