STARK COUNTY AREA PROFILE

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	[NOV 2016]		
Labor Force		18,717	427,210
Unemployment Rate (%) [Civilian population 16 years and over working or actively seeking work]		3.1	2.5
EMPLOYMENT AND WAGES			
Employment QCEW	[Q2 2016]	18,592	420,049
Average Weekly Wages ($) QCEW	[Q2 2016]	1,032	908
Hires Rate (%) LED	[Q3 2015]	13.9	14.0
Separations Rate (%) LED	[Q3 2015]	17.6	16.0
LARGEST EMPLOYMENT QCEW	[Q2 2016]		
Retail Trade [Private industry employment]		2,235	
HIGHEST AVERAGE WEEKLY WAGES ($) QCEW	[Q2 2016]		
Mining, Quarrying, and Oil and Gas Extraction [Private industry average weekly wages]		1,796	
JOB OPENINGS AND ACTIVE RESUMÉS OJOR	[DEC 2016]		
Job Openings		587	13,685
Active Resumés		437	6,771
Active Resumés per Job Opening		0.7	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]		
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 [Q2 2016]		
Business Establishments	1,504	32,066

LARGEST EMPLOYERS QCEW [2015]

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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]	-----