

# Economic Indicator

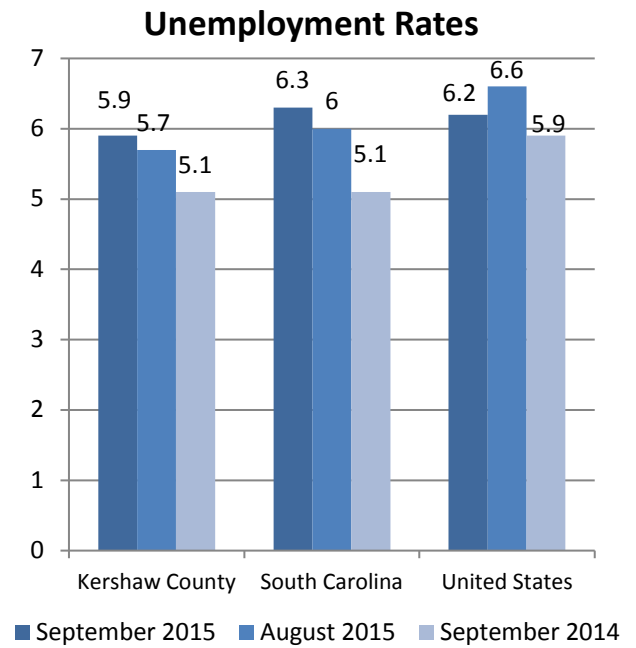
November 2015

Unemployment Rate	September 2015	August 2015	September 2014
Kershaw County	5.9	6.3	6.2
South Carolina	5.7	6	6.6
United States	5.1	5.1	5.9

Source: SC Department of Employment and Workforce

Labor Force	September 2015	August 2015	September 2014
Total Civilian Labor Force	28,708	28,737	29,440

Source: SC Department of Employment and Workforce



Building Permits - City/County	Sept 15	Aug 15	Sept 14	YTD 15	YTD 14
Total Building Permits	23	20	24	216	178
Value of Total Building Permits	\$3,217,525	\$3,259,675	\$2,894,294	\$32,096,398	\$24,315,879
Total Commercial Permits	0	0	0	3	4
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Total Residential Permits	23	20	24	213	174
Value of Total Residential Permits	\$3,217,525	\$3,259,675	\$2,894,294	\$30,626,756	\$22,742,429

Source: Kershaw County & City of Camden

Gross Retail Sales	Sept 15	Aug 15	YTD 15	YTD 14
Total Retail Sales	\$107,554,893	\$89,438,749	\$873,036,565	\$791,816,420

Source: South Carolina Department of Revenue

New Vehicle Registration	Sept 15	Aug 15	YTD 15	YTD 14
Total Registrations	484	350	3,816	3,234
Total Assessment	\$6,695,500	\$4,383,333	\$62,341,664	\$41,651,833

Source: Kershaw County

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