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Nebraska's Workforce

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713,830
persons over 16 that are employed full-time year-round

1,031,005
persons 16 years and older in the labor force

70%
labor force participation

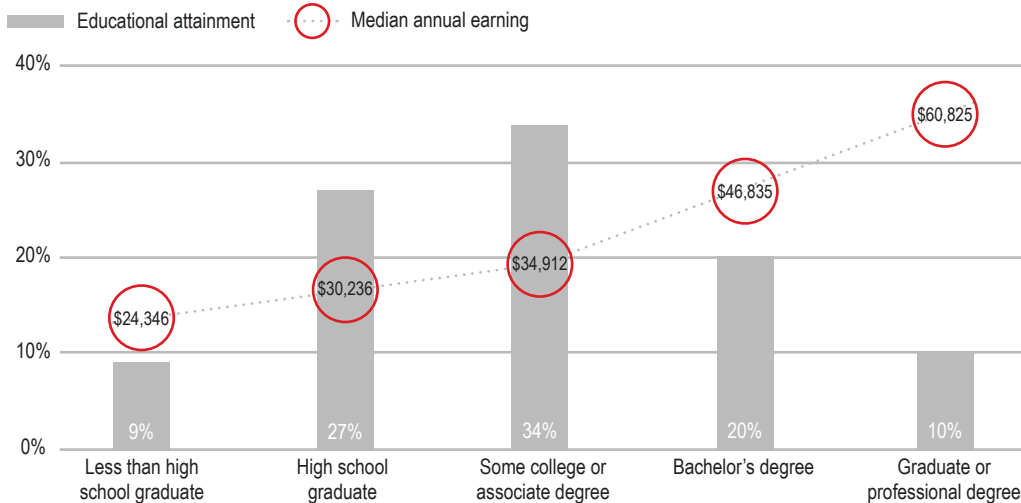
Labor force participation rate by race, ethnicity, and gender

Latino — 75% Black — 68%
White — 70% Asian — 66%
American Indian & Alaska Native — 64%



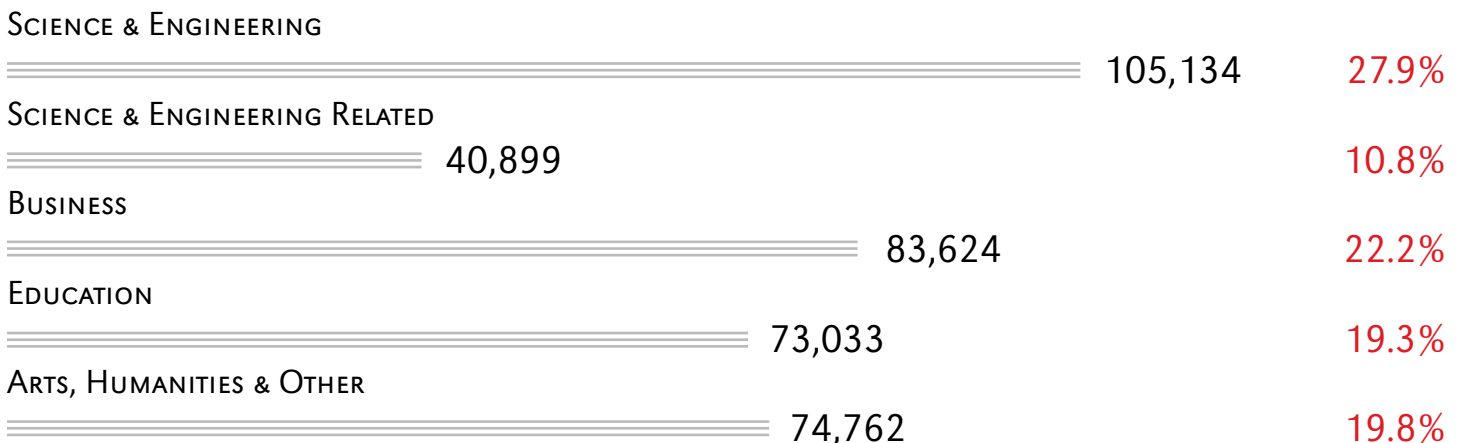
age 20-64
Male 88%
Female 80%

64% of Nebraskans have some higher education and higher education results in higher salaries



***126,111**
or **10%** of the population has an **associate degree**

Number of persons 25 years and older with a bachelor's degree in:



NEBRASKA'S WORKFORCE IN CONTRAST

#1

Labor force participation of single mothers with kids under six - **82%**

for age 55-64 labor force participation - **75%**

#4

for age 65+ labor force participation - **22%**

for portion of workers that have more than one job - **8%**

for age 16-19 labor force participation - **52%**

#5

for kids under six with all parents in the labor force - **73%**

#2

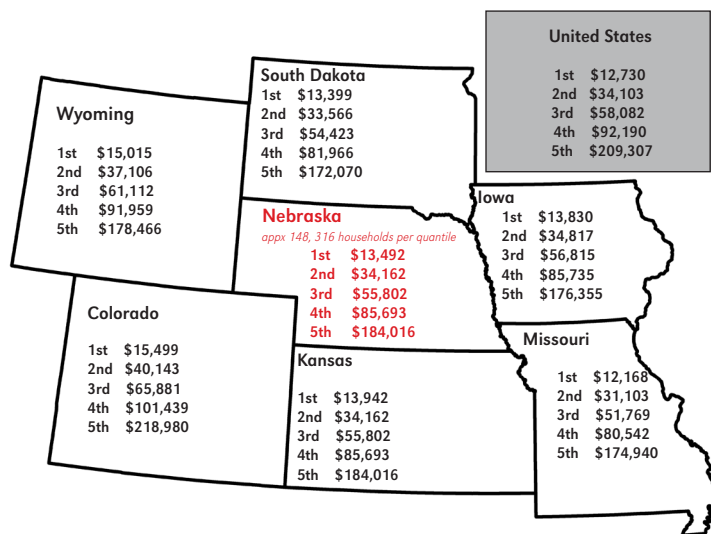
for age 25-64 with a bachelor's degree+ in the labor force - **90%**

in % of married-couple families with both spouses in the labor force - **61%**

for share of families in poverty that have a householder or spouse who worked "full time and year round" - **29%**

Nebraska mean household income for the two lowest quantiles is above the U.S. means. The 3rd through highest quintiles are below the U.S. means

Mean household income by quintile for region and U.S.



Sources: 2012-2016 & 2013-2017 American Community Survey, U.S. Census Bureau; 2015 Multiple Job Holding, Bureau of Labor Statistics

% of persons age 16 and older full time employed and median income

High persons cut off 30,000 – High wage cut off \$40,000

High Number High Wage	No. of Persons	% of Population	Median Income
Business & financial	44,673	5%	\$58,137
Health diagnosing and treating practitioner	39,913	4%	\$57,187
Installation, maintenance and repair	34,338	3%	\$41,961
Management	109,976	11%	\$68,569

High Number Low wage	No. of Persons	% of Population	Median Income
Building and grounds cleaning and maintenance	33,995	3%	\$19,772
Construction and extraction	50,339	5%	\$35,241
Education	63,697	6%	\$38,998
Food preparation and service related	51,937	5%	\$14,273
Office and administrative support	131,919	13%	\$30,310
Personal care and service	34,259	3%	\$16,121
Production	68,224	7%	\$32,484
Sales and related	99,447	10%	\$29,293
Transportation	35,864	4%	\$34,747

Low Number High Wage	No. of Persons	% of Population	Median Income
Architecture and engineering	12,064	1%	\$77,074
Community and social service	18,415	2%	\$40,153
Computer and mathematical	25,352	3%	\$77,080
Law enforcement	7,636	1%	\$56,929
Legal	8,674	1%	\$77,606
Life, physical, and social science	7,787	1%	\$57,358

Low Number Low Wage	No. of Persons	% of Population	Median Income
Arts, entertainment, sports, and media	14,790	1%	\$37,530
Farming, fishing and forestry	13,594	1%	\$20,689
Fire and protective services	8,246	1%	\$30,462
Health technicians	17,721	2%	\$36,578
Healthcare support	25,701	3%	\$23,484

Sources: 2013-2017 ACS B24011 - income s2401 - estimates