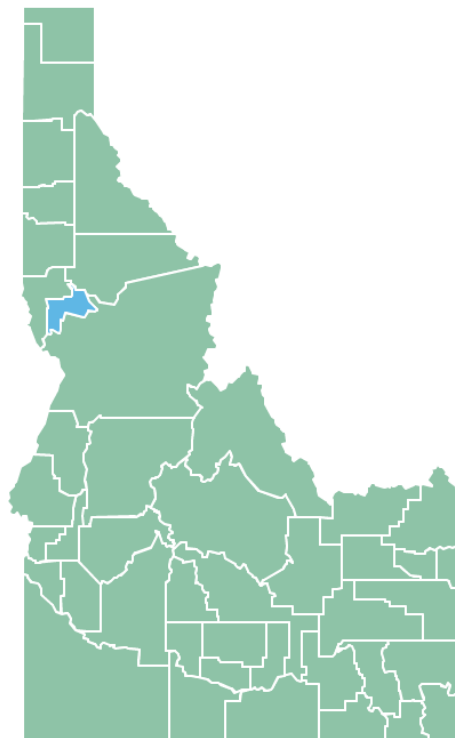


Lewis County Labor Force And Economic Profile

Last Updated: June 2025

Lewis County Economic Overview

Civilian Labor Force (May 2025)	1,433
Unemployment Rate (May 2025)	4.0%
Population (2024)	3,728
Median Household Income (2023)	\$49,643
Per Capita Personal Income (2023)	\$54,650
Poverty Rate (2023)	17.4%



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1. Lewis County Demographic Characteristics, 2023 5-Year ACS

	Lewis County	Lewis County (%)	State of Idaho (%)	United States (%)
Total Population	3,649	100.0%	1,893,296	332,387,540
Race and Ethnicity				
White alone, not hispanic	3,042	83.4%	83.3%	63.4%
Black or African American alone, not hispanic	62	1.7%	0.7%	12.4%
Native American alone, not hispanic	60	1.6%	1.1%	0.9%
Asian alone, not hispanic	33	0.9%	1.3%	5.8%
Hispanic, or Latino (of any race)	148	4.1%	13.3%	19.0%
Gender				
Male	1,826	50.0%	50.3%	49.5%
Female	1,823	50.0%	49.7%	50.5%
Age				
Median age	48.9	-	37.1	38.7
Under 18 years	802	22.0%	24.5%	22.2%
Over 18 years	2,847	78.0%	75.5%	77.8%
21 years and over	2,657	72.8%	65.7%	68.7%
Over 65 years	1,014	27.8%	16.6%	16.8%
Educational Attainment (Population 25 years and Over)				
Less than 9th grade	80	2.2%	2.1%	3.2%
High school graduate (with equivalencies)	850	23.3%	17.0%	18.0%
Some college, no degree	733	20.1%	16.3%	13.3%
Associate's degree	298	8.2%	6.4%	6.0%
Bachelor's degree	386	10.6%	13.7%	14.6%
Graduate or professional degree	145	4.0%	6.8%	9.4%
Median Household Income	\$49,643	-	\$74,636	\$78,538

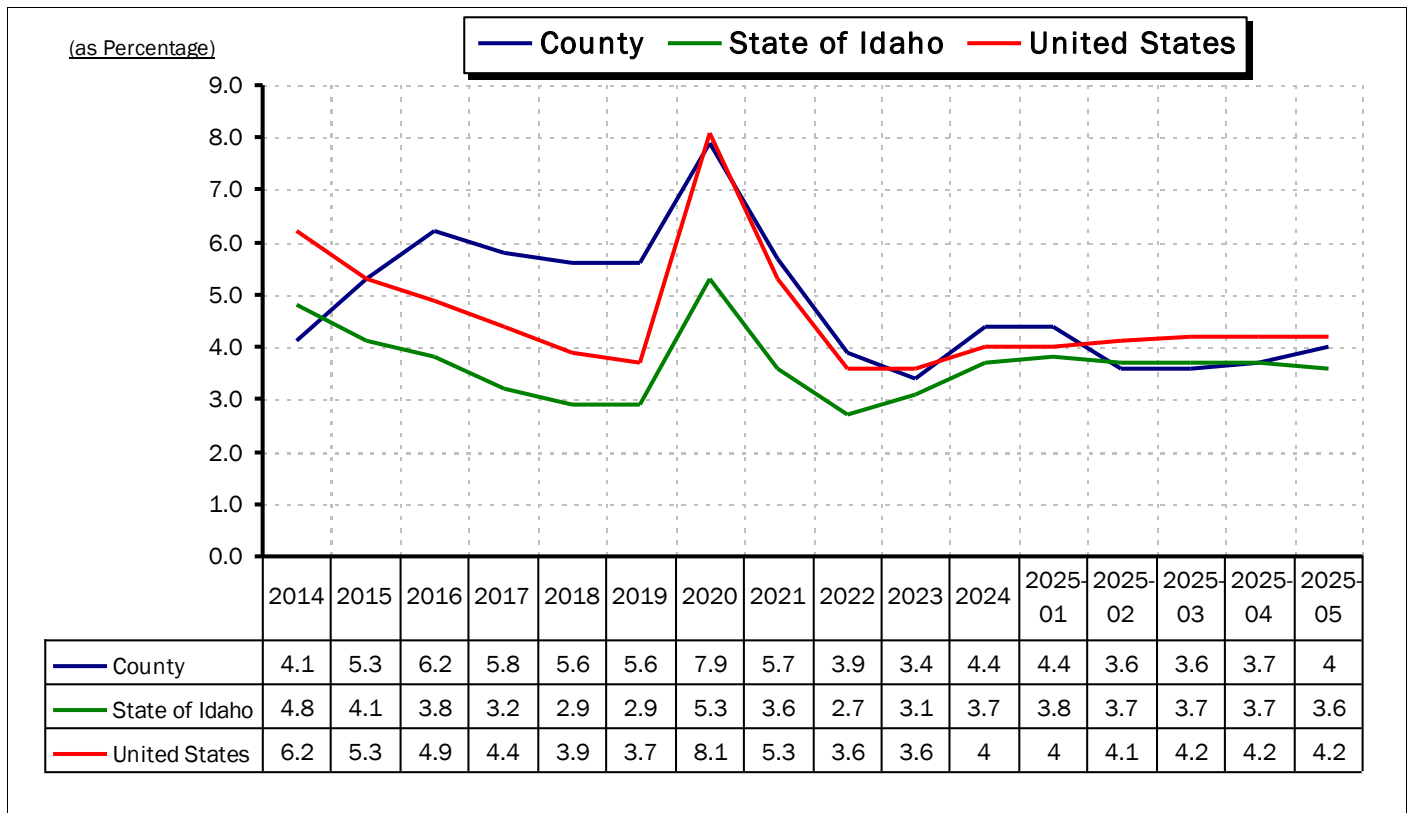
Source: US Census Bureau, American Community Survey 5-Year Estimates

2. Labor Force Growth, May 2024 to May 2025

	Labor Force	Employment	Unemployed	Unemployment Rate
May 2025	1,433	1,375	58	4.0%
May 2024	1,458	1,395	63	4.3%
YoY % Change	-1.7%	-1.4%	-7.9%	-0.3%

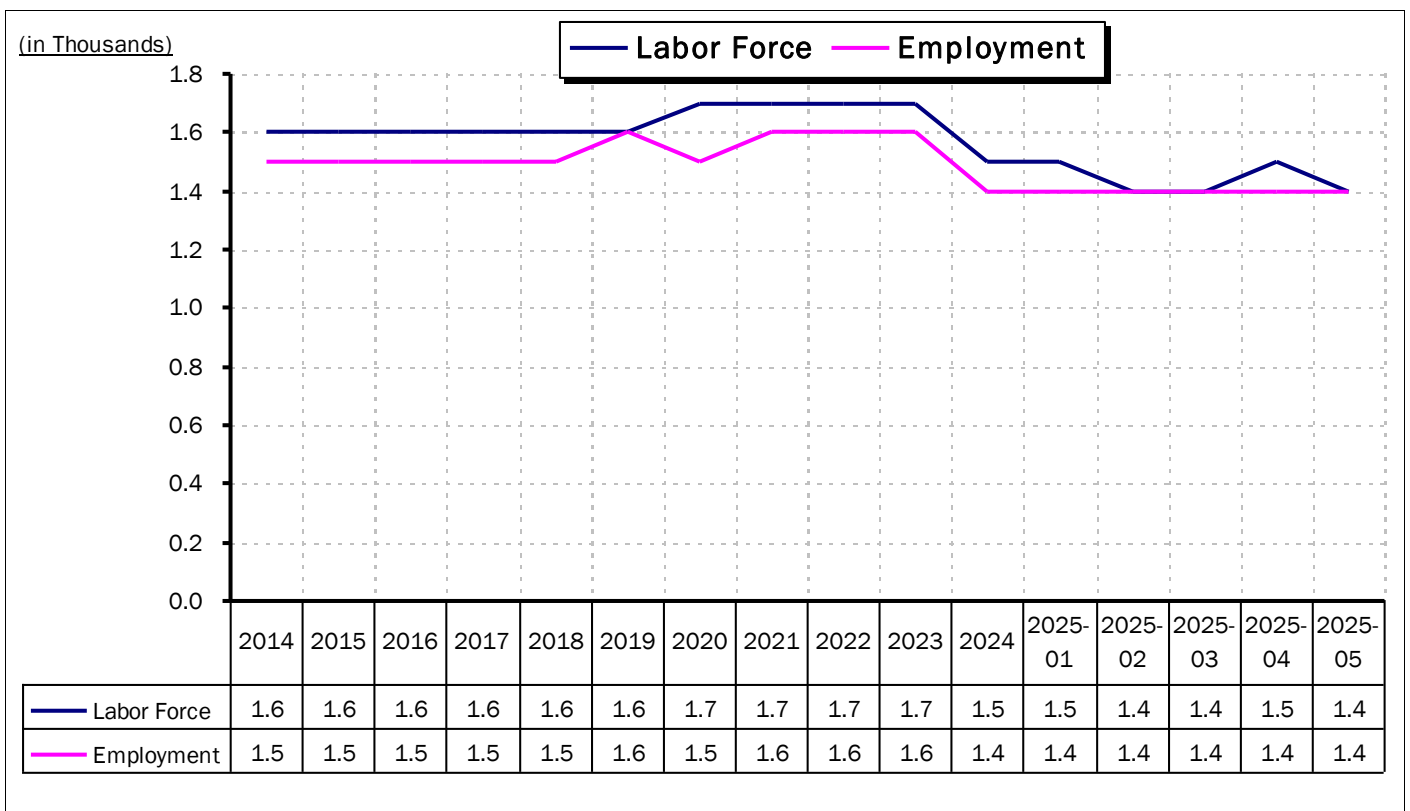
Source: Idaho Department of Labor- Local Area Unemployment Statistics (LAUS)

3. Seasonally-Adjusted Unemployment Rate, 2014 to May 2025



Source: Idaho Department of Labor- Local Area Unemployment Statistics (LAUS)

4. Seasonally-Adjusted Labor Force and Employment, 2014 to May 2025



Source: Idaho Department of Labor- Local Area Unemployment Statistics (LAUS)

5. Industry Employment and Wages, 2013, 2022, and 2023

Supersector	2013		2022		2023	
	Average Employment	Average Wages	Average Employment	Average Wages	Average Employment	Average Wages
Total Covered Wages	1,553	\$28,837	1,610	\$38,589	1,597	\$41,552
Natural Resources and Mining	113	\$37,879	126	\$51,414	142	\$52,465
Construction	63	\$24,957	94	\$39,012	79	\$43,521
Manufacturing	289	\$34,854	178	\$43,225	161	\$48,938
Trade,Transportation, and Utilities	334	\$27,727	360	\$34,771	356	\$37,677
Information	8	\$46,932	0		0	
Financial Activities	45	\$48,797	70	\$59,476	71	\$63,837
Professional and Business Services	31	\$49,690	63	\$60,562	77	\$59,311
Education and Health Services	360	\$20,600	349	\$29,939	357	\$30,873
Leisure and Hospitality	135	\$16,677	130	\$19,597	128	\$21,059
Other Services	20	\$15,599	55	\$19,201	52	\$21,012
Public Administration	155	\$35,524	185	\$52,654	174	\$59,020

Source: Idaho Department of Labor- Quarterly Census of Employment Wages (QCEW)

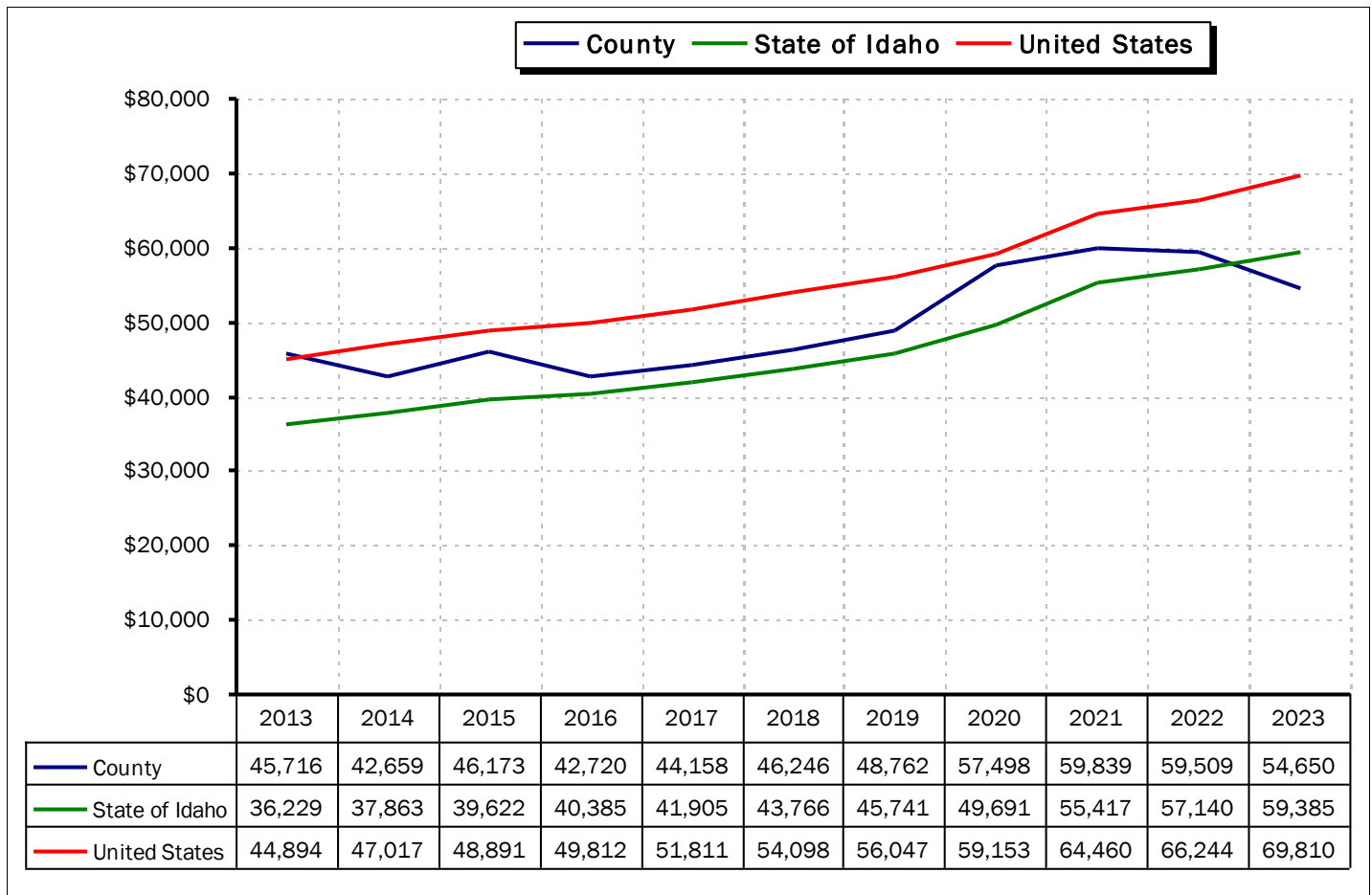
6. Top Employers, 2023

Employer	Ownership	Employment Range
Kamiah Joint School District	Local Government	050 - 099
Cloninger's Marketplace	Private	050 - 099
Lakeside Residential Care	Private	050 - 099
Hillco Technologies	Private	050 - 099
U.S. Forest Service	Federal Government	050 - 099
Kamiah Auto Parts	Private	010 - 049
Freedom Northwest Credit Union	Private	010 - 049
Nez Perce Tribe	Local Government	010 - 049
Nezperce Joint School District	Local Government	010 - 049
Alternative Nursing Services	Private	010 - 049

NOTE: Only employers that have given the Department permission to release employment range data are listed.

Source: Idaho Department of Labor- Quarterly Census of Employment Wages (QCEW)

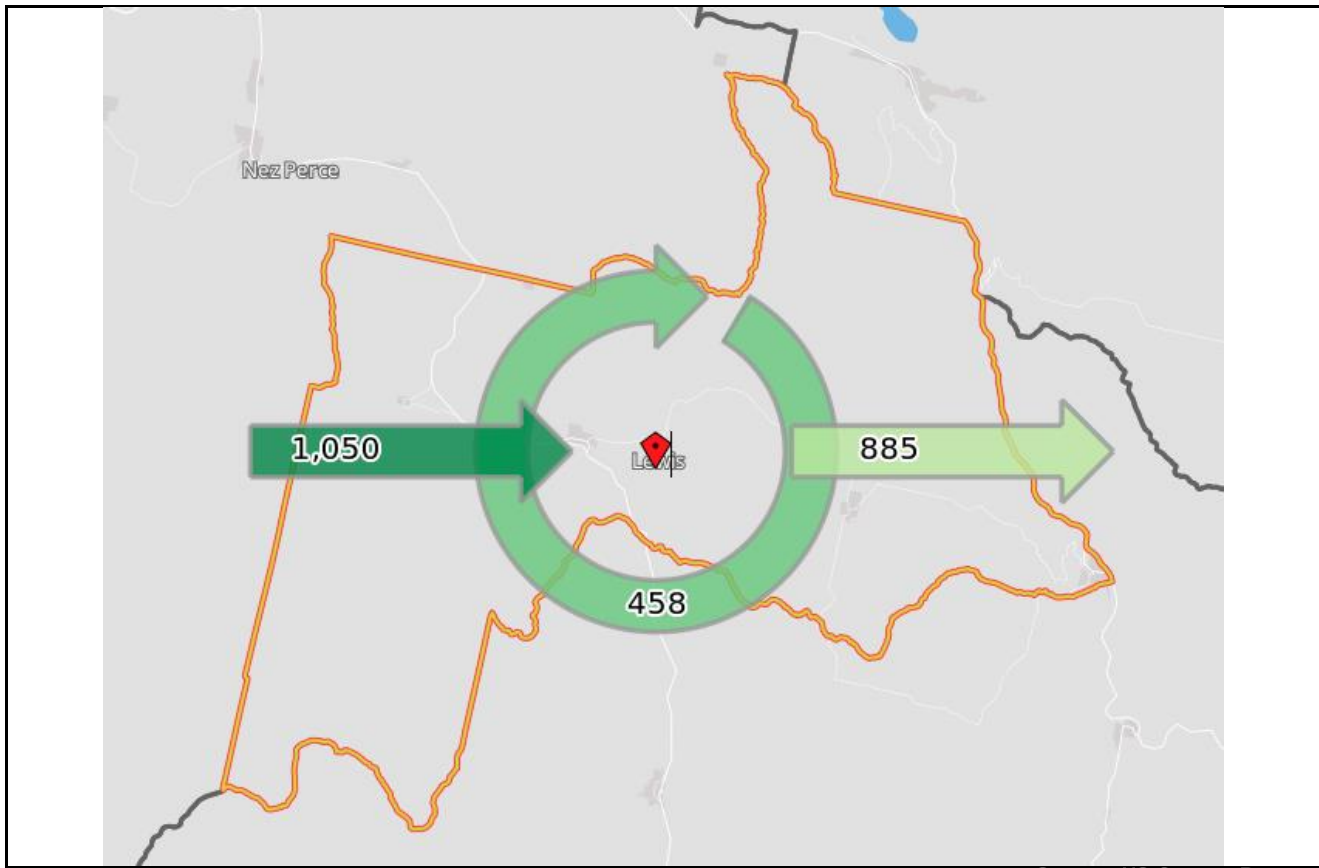
7. Real Per Capita Income, 2013 to 2023



Source: U.S. Bureau of Economic Analysis

8. Labor Force Commuting Patterns, 2022

It is estimated that 458 workers lived and worked in Lewis County in 2022. Another 1,050 workers were employed in Lewis County but lived outside, while 885 workers commuted to other counties for work.



Source: US Census Bureau

9. Top 10 Cities Where People Who Work in Lewis County Live, 2022

City of Residence	Count of All Jobs	Percentage of Total Jobs
Kamiah	164	10.9%
Lewiston	98	6.5%
Nezperce	59	3.9%
Craigmont	55	3.6%
Winchester	42	2.8%
Grangeville	40	2.7%
Kooskia	29	1.9%
Moscow	20	1.3%
Orofino	20	1.3%
Stites	14	0.9%

Note: "All Jobs" includes private and public sector jobs. It also includes a count of workers with multiple jobs. Source: US Census Bureau- Longitudinal Employer-Household Dynamics (LEHD)

10. Top 10 Cities Where People Who Live in Lewis County Work, 2022

City of Employment	Count of All Jobs	Percentage of Total Jobs
Kamiah	193	14.4%
Lewiston	182	13.6%
Nezperce city	117	8.7%
Orofino	59	4.4%
Winchester	53	3.9%
Craigmont	49	3.6%
Cottonwood	46	3.4%
Grangeville	44	3.3%
Boise	35	2.6%
Moscow	25	1.9%

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