

# Tucson economy: MAP Dashboard

Monthly stats	Change year/Year
Non-farm jobs 400,800 (April 2023)	1.3%
Unemployment Rate 3.2% (April 2023)	-0.3% pts.
Median home price \$365,000 (April 2023)	1.1%
Housing permits* 285 (April 2023)	-29.8%

\*Single family permits, based on U.S. Census Bureau data

## Wages in Tucson pick up significantly

Tucson's median wage for all occupations was \$42,430 in 2022, which ranked eighth among the 12 metropolitan areas tracked on the MAP Dashboard. Tucson's median wage was \$3,880 below the U.S. median, an improvement from 2021 when it was nearly \$8,000 lower. Management occupations paid the most in Tucson at \$89,070, while food preparation and serving jobs paid the least, at \$29,570. Occupational wages tell workers which jobs provide the largest payoff, therefore influencing residential location decisions and educational choices. Wages in Tucson picked up significantly in 2022, increasing by 11.5%.



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for Southern Arizona

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### About the MAP Dashboard

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