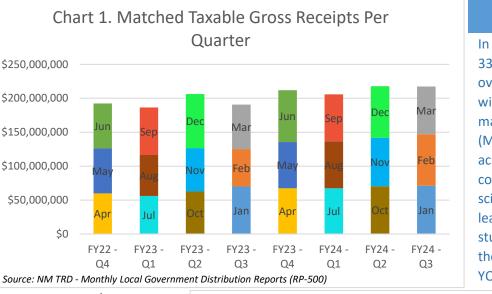


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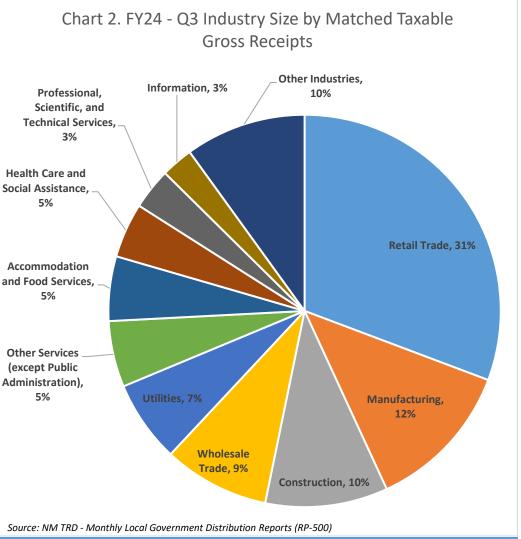
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In the third quarter of FY24, 27 out of 33 counties reported positive yearover-year (YOY) economic growth, with a statewide 8.5% increase in matched taxable gross receipts (MTGR). Statewide growth was seen across most industry sectors, with construction and professional, scientific, and technical services inflation leading. As remains stubborn, employment, wages, and the number of establishments are up YOY in New Mexico.

Grant County's MTGR decreased by 0.2%, or \$450K, from Q2 FY24 to Q3 FY24, as seen in Chart 1. Despite this slight decrease, the amount reported during Q3 FY24 (\$217.4M) was \$13.8M larger than the eight-quarter average (\$203.6M). As seen in Chart 2, the largest industry in Q3 FY24 as a share of MTGR the retail trade was industry. The manufacturing industry rose to the second largest share, up from fourth in Q2 FY24.

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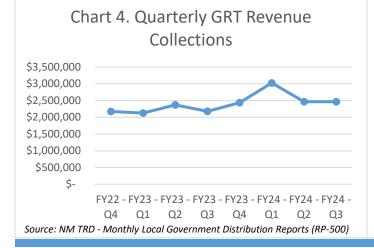
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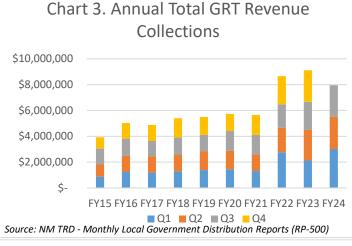


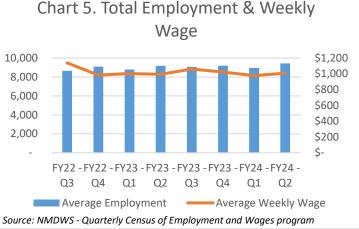
Industries		FY23 - Q3	FY24 - Q3		Growth	Year over year Change	
Accommodation and Food Services	\$	10,552,039	\$ 11,556,417	\$	1,004,378		10%
Administrative/Support & Waste Management/Remediation	\$	3,434,198	\$ 5,382,307	\$	1,948,109		57%
Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing, and Hunting	\$	616,650	\$ 634,387	\$	17,737		3%
Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation	\$	123,262	\$ 168,154	\$	44,893		36%
Construction	\$	12,036,572	\$ 21,930,555	\$	9,893,982		82%
Educational Services	\$	417,224	\$ 383,110	\$	(34,114)		-8%
Finance and Insurance	\$	854,737	\$ 817,470	\$	(37,267)		-4%
Health Care and Social Assistance	\$	10,159,331	\$ 9,801,210	\$	(358,121)		-4%
Information	\$	5,761,047	\$ 5,722,870	\$	(38,177)		-1%
Management of Companies and Enterprises	\$	-	\$ -	\$	-	N/A	
Manufacturing	\$	12,923,929	\$ 26,908,626	\$	13,984,698		108%
Mining, Quarrying, and Oil and Gas Extraction	\$	3,646,203	\$ 4,576,263	\$	930,060		26%
Other Services (except Public Administration)	\$	12,380,217	\$ 11,833,057	\$	(547,160)		-4%
Professional, Scientific, and Technical Services	\$	5,963,998	\$ 7,355,444	\$	1,391,446		23%
Public Administration	\$	24,230	\$ 100,221	\$	75,991		314%
Real Estate and Rental and Leasing	\$	2,056,273	\$ 3,324,883	\$	1,268,610		62%
Retail Trade	\$	66,354,713	\$ 66,703,859	\$	349,147		1%
Transportation and Warehousing	\$	8,040,917	\$ 3,016,024	\$	(5,024,893)		-62%
Unclassified Establishments	\$	2,539,684	\$ 3,226,605	\$	686,921		27%
Utilities	\$	14,434,817	\$ 14,666,881	\$	232,065		2%
Wholesale Trade	\$	18,115,885	\$ 18,972,951	\$	857,066		5%
All Industries	\$	190,723,631	\$ 217,423,037	\$	26,699,407		14%

Table 1 shows that MTGR in Grant County posted a 14% overall YOY change. The manufacturing industry was the largest contributor to the growth, with a YOY increase of nearly \$14M. The retail trade industry grew by 1%, or \$349K.

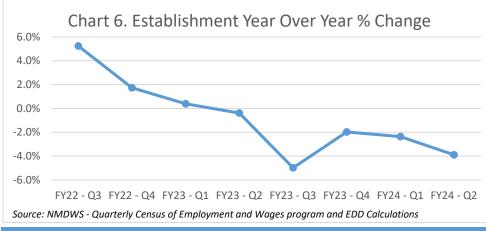
The quarterly gross receipts tax (GRT) collections during Q3 FY24 (\$2.5M), as seen in Chart 4, show a slight decrease of 0.1% compared to Q2 FY24, but are 2.4% higher than the eight-quarter average (\$2.4M). Average employment increased by 2.8% YOY, or 260, and the average weekly wage also posted an increase of 1.5%, or \$15, YOY (Chart 5).











An **establishment**, as used in the QCEW and subsequently Chart 6 and Table 2, is an economic unit, such as a farm, factory, or store, which produces goods or provides services at a single physical worksite and is engaged, predominantly, in one type of economic activity.

The **Quarterly Census of Employment and Wages,** or the **QCEW**, used in Charts 5-6 and Table 2, produces comprehensive data on the number of establishments, monthly employment, and quarterly wages for workers covered by state unemployment insurance (UI) laws and federal workers covered by the Unemployment Compensation for Federal Employees (UCFE) program. These data are aggregated to many different levels, starting at the 6-digit NAICS industry level, to higher industry levels (NAICS industry groups, sectors, and supersectors), and to higher geographic levels (MSA, state, and national).

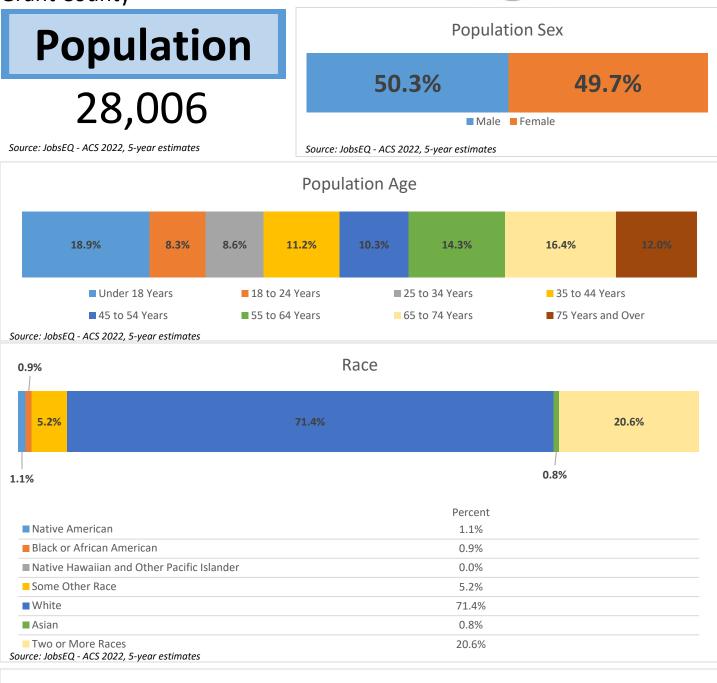
Data are based on information reported by New Mexico employers, covering 97% of nonfarm wage and salary workers. Data are published every quarter. Considered the gold standard for its reliability of industry data, the QCEW data are the most complete universe of monthly employment and quarterly wage information by detailed industry.

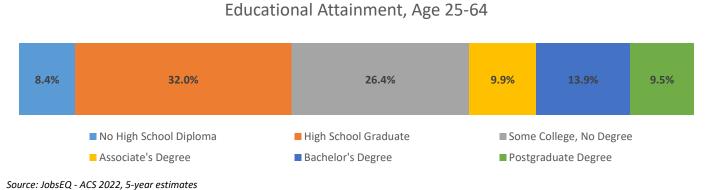
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	YOY Change in			YOY change in					
	Average					Average		Number of	YOY Change in
Industry	Employment	Employ	ment	We	ekly Wage	Weekly	Wage	Establishments	Establishments
Accommodation and Food Services	779		-9.4%	\$	368		9.5%	68	-11.7%
Administrative/Support & Waste									
Management/Remediation	837		13.3%	\$	1,271		-28.9%	33	-8.3%
Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing, and Hunting	51		2.0%	\$	1,019		9.3%	16	6.7%
Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation	39		*	\$	771		*	8	0.0%
Construction	445		9.1%	\$	1,184		47.3%	63	-11.3%
Educational Services	1,530		11.4%	\$	871		-1.9%	13	8.3%
Finance and Insurance	148		2.1%	\$	998		2.9%	38	-2.6%
Health Care and Social Assistance	1,755		-2.8%	\$	922		0.1%	136	-5.6%
Information	117		1.7%	\$	1,059		-17.8%	18	-10.0%
Management of Companies and Enterprises	95		15.9%		1,383		21.9%	5	0.0%
Manufacturing	94		-14.5%	\$	549		14.6%	17	0.0%
Mining, Quarrying, and Oil and Gas Extraction	1,162		*	\$	1,840		*	8	14.3%
Other Services (except Public Administration)	230		24.3%	\$	717		-8.8%	53	0.0%
Professional, Scientific, and Technical Services	154		-4.9%	\$	903		-2.2%	51	13.3%
Public Administration	538		2.5%	\$	1,333		11.2%	40	-7.0%
Real Estate and Rental and Leasing	83		1.2%	\$	863		12.8%	30	-6.3%
Retail Trade	1,058		-6.5%	\$	564		4.4%	81	-2.4%
Transportation and Warehousing	126		-10.6%	\$	781		12.2%	23	-11.5%
Utilities	113		22.8%	\$	1,181		-5.9%	15	0.0%
Wholesale Trade	85		-1.2%	\$	1,141		0.2%	24	9.1%
All Industries	9,441		2.8%	\$	1,009		1.5%	740	-3.9%

#### Table 2. FY24 - Q2 Employment Data and Establishments by Industry

Source: NMDWS - Quarterly Census of Employment and Wages program and EDD Calculations \*Some data may be withheld to avoid disclosure of confidential information.







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