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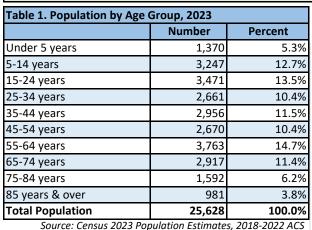
Brown Co.

Brown Co. is a part of Economic Development Region 9, which is located in the Southwest Planning Region.

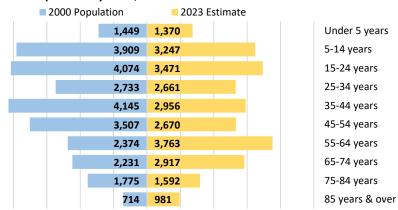
POPULATION CHARACTERISTICS



Brown Co. is the 40th largest of the 87 counties in the state. Its population decreased so far this decade, ranking as the 61st fastest growing in the state from 2020 to 2023. Brown Co.'s population has an older median age than the state and a larger percentage of people aged 65 years and older. The population is aging, especially as the Baby Boom generation moves through the population pyramid (see Figure 1).







Brown Co. suffered a negative natural increase - more deaths than births from 2020 to 2023, but also experienced net out-migration - meaning more people moved out than moved in. Despite suffering domestic out-migration, Brown Co. welcomed net international inmigration - gaining new Minnesotans from foreign countries (see Table 2).

Table 2. Cumulative Estimates of the Components of Population Change, 2020-2023								
	Total		April 1, 2020 to July 1, 2023					
	Population	Natural	Vital E	Vital Events Net Migration				
	Change	Increase	Births	Deaths	Total	International	Domestic	
Brown Co.	-292	-215	871	1,086	-88	50	-138	
State of Minnesota	31,111	40,368	207,857	167,489	-11,352	34,624	-45,976	

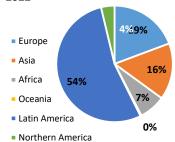
Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Population Estimates Program

Compared to the state, Brown Co. has a smaller percentage of foreign-born residents. From 2010 to 2022, Brown Co. saw an increase in the number of foreign-born residents, which was faster than the statewide increase.

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Table 3. Place of Birth for the Foreign Born	Brow	n Co.	Change 2	010-2022	Minnesota			
Population, 2022	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Percent	Change		
Foreign-born Population	668	2.6%	249	59.4%	8.5%	31.3%		
Europe	129	19.3%	55	74.3%	9.3%	-0.6%		
Asia	105	15.7%	-45	-30.0%	36.7%	30.2%		
Africa	49	7.3%	47	2350.0%	28.1%	93.1%		
Oceania	2	0.3%	2	#DIV/0!	0.4%	20.4%		
Americas:	383	57.3%	190	98.4%	25.4%	7.5%		
Latin America	358	53.6%	198	123.8%	22.9%	9.0%		
Northern America	25	3.7%	-8	-24.2%	2.5%	-4.6%		

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2018-2022 American Community Survey

Figure 2. Place of Birth for the Foreign Born Population, 2022



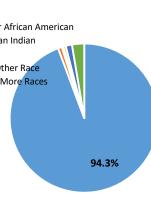
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Brown Co.'s population was becoming more racially diverse over time. Since 2011, the county's white population declined, but the number of people of other races increased (see Table 4).

Figure 3. Population by Race, 2022



- Black or African American
- American Indian
- Asian
- Some Other Race
- Two or More Races



		Brown Co	Minnesota		
Table 4. Race and Hispanic Origin, 2022	Number	Percent	Change from 2011-2022	Percent	Change from 2011-2022
Total	25,880	100.0%	-0.2%	100.0%	7.9%
White	24,403	94.3%	-3.9%	79.7%	-0.4%
Black or African American	219	0.8%	236.9%	6.7%	44.3%
American Indian or Alaska Native	79	0.3%	192.6%	0.9%	-10.2%
Asian or Other Pac. Islanders	143	0.6%	-20.1%	5.1%	37.1%
Some Other Race	352	1.4%	198.3%	2.3%	84.7%
Two or More Races	684	2.6%	344.2%	5.3%	159.6%
Hispanic or Latino origin	1,254	4.8%	52.9%	5.7%	34.6%

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2018-2022 American Community Survey

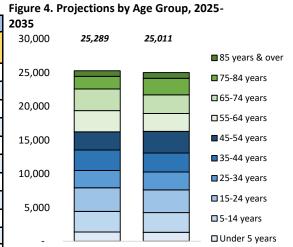
POPULATION PROJECTIONS

According to the Minnesota State Demographic Center, Brown Co.'s population is expected to decline from 2025 to 2035, with a rate of change that is slower than the projected statewide growth rate (4.5%). Despite the decline, the number of people aged 65 years and older is expected to increase over the next decade (see Figure 4 and Table 5).

Table 5. Population Projections by Age Group, 2025-2035 2025 2035

Numeric Percent Brown Co. Projection Projection Change Change Under 5 years 1,375 1,337 -38 -2.8% 5-14 years 3,051 2,915 -136 -4.5% 3,378 -3.5% 3,500 -122 15-24 years 25-34 years 2,581 2,651 70 2.7% -207 35-44 years 3,022 2,815 -6.8% 2,702 3,212 510 45-54 years 18.9% 55-64 years 3,141 2,652 -489 -15.6% 65-74 years 3,220 2,751 -469 -14.6% 75-84 years 1,870 2.451 581 31.1% 22 85 years & over 827 849 2.7% **Total Population** 25,289 25,011 -278 -1.1%

Source: Minnesota State Demographic Center



2025 Projection 2035 Projection

EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT

Brown Co. has a lower percentage of adults (18 years & over) with at least a high school diploma than the state (93.0%), and a lower percentage of people with at least some college experience. Brown Co. also has a higher percentage of people with an Associate's degree and a lower percentage of people with a Bachelor's degree or higher.

Percentage of the adult population (18 years & over) with at least a high school diploma:

92.1%

57.2% 68.5%

Associate's Degree: 11.1% Bachelor's Degree: 16.1% Advanced Degree: 6.1%

state:

College-educated:

Figure 5. Educational Attainment, 2022 ■ Less than high school 6% 8% 16% ■ High school graduate (incl. equiv.) ■ Some college, no degree 35% 11% Associate's degree ■ Bachelor's degree 24% ■ Advanced degree

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2018-2022 American Community Survey

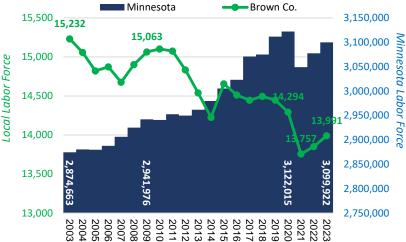
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LABOR FORCE TRENDS

At 2.9%, Brown Co. had a higher unemployment rate than the state in 2023. After the pandemic recession Brown Co.'s unemployment rate declined compared to the 3.7% pre-pandemic rate posted in 2019. The number of unemployed workers actively seeking work in Brown Co. increased over the past year, and is down compared to 2019.



Figure 6. Annual Labor Force Estimates Minnesota



Source: DEED Local Area Unemployment Statistics

Labor force growth has slowed in recent years. After experiencing a net gain of workers each year from 1990 to 2000, Brown Co. averaged an annual loss of fewer workers from 2000 to 2010, and most recently a loss of fewer workers since 2010 (see Figure 7). Moving forward, Brown Co. is expected to see a labor force decline from 2025 to 2035 (see Table 6).

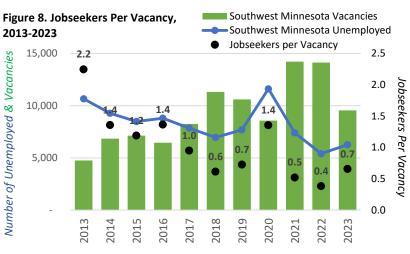
Brown Co. Figure 7. Annual Change in Labor Force, 1990-2023 600 Average of 114 Average of -34 Average of -81 new workers per year fewer workers per year fewer workers per year 400 200 95



Table 6. Labor Force	Labor Force Projection			
Projections, 2025-2035	2025	2035		
16 to 24 years	2,129	2,079		
25 to 54 years	7,509	7,848		
55 to 64 years	2,408	2,033		
65 years & over	1,335	1,210		
Total Labor Force	13,382	13,171		

Source: Minnesota State Demographic Center, 2018-2022 ACS

The labor market had grown extremely tight in recent years, with less than 1 jobseeker per vacancy until the pandemic recession intervened in early 2020 and the number of unemployed workers spiked. In 2023, job vacancies in Southwest returned to pre-pandemic levels, but employers are still seeing challenges finding enough workers for open jobs (see Figure 8).



Source: DEED Job Vacancy Survey, LAUS program

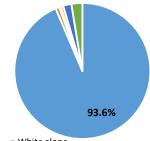
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LABOR FORCE CHARACTERISTICS

Brown Co. had a lower labor force participation rate than the state. The labor force in Brown Co. is less racially diverse than the state (where 81.3% of workers are white alone), but is becoming more diverse over time.

Table 7. Employment Characteristics, 2022							
	В	rown Co.		Minne	esota	Labor Force	by Gender
	In Labor Force (available workers)	Labor Force Partic. Rate	Unemp. Rate	Labor Force Partic. Rate	Unemp. Rate	Male	Female
Total Labor Force	13,863	66.3%	2.7%	68.7%	4.0%	7,273	6,593
16 to 19 years	814	55.8%	8.0%	53.0%	9.8%	390	423
20 to 24 years	1,341	77.1%	2.9%	83.1%	6.7%	623	718
25 to 44 years	5,117	90.2%	1.9%	88.8%	3.5%	2,750	2,368
45 to 54 years	2,448	90.8%	0.9%	87.8%	2.9%	1,232	1,216
55 to 64 years	2,914	76.7%	5.0%	72.8%	3.1%	1,536	1,378
65 to 74 years	1,049	35.6%	1.1%	27.6%	3.3%	618	431
75 years & over	182	7.0%	0.0%	6.6%	3.2%	124	59
Employment Characteristics by Race & His	panic Origin					Figure 9. La	abor Force l
White alone	12,972	65.5%	2.8%	67.8%	3.4%	Race, 2022	
Black or African American	120	85.7%	9.2%	71.5%	8.7%		
American Indian & Alaska Native	46	65.7%	0.0%	57.6%	11.9%		
Asian or Other Pac. Islanders	94	65.8%	8.5%	73.9%	3.6%		
Some Other Race	271	88.3%	0.0%	76.1%	6.1%		
Two or More Races	361	81.1%	0.0%	74.3%	6.6%		
Hispanic or Latino	731	90.4%	7.0%	77.0%	6.3%		
Employment Characteristics by Disability,	20 to 64 years						
With Any Disability, 20 to 64 years	581	48.1%	14.5%	54.4%	10.2%		93.69
Employment Characteristics by Education	al Attainment, 25	to 64 years					
Population, 25 to 64 years	10,477	86.1%	2.5%	84.4%	3.3%	White al	
Less than H.S. Diploma	364	56.3%	1.7%	67.2%	4.6%		African Ameri
H.S. Diploma or Equivalent	2,898	83.5%	1.5%	76.8%	2.5%		n Indian & Ala
Some College or Assoc. Degree	4,079	88.5%	3.8%	85.1%	3.6%		Other Pac. Isla
Bachelor's Degree or Higher	3,142	91.3%	1.6%	90.3%	2.0%	Some Ot	her Race

Figure 9. Labor Force by Race, 2022



- White alone
- Black or African American
- American Indian & Alaska Native
- Asian or Other Pac. Islanders
- Some Other Race
- Two or More Races

A larger percentage of workers in Brown Co. worked in the same county in which they live compared to the state. Brown Co. also had a shorter average commute time than the state.

Source: 2018-2022 American Community Survey, 5-Year Estimates

	Brown	Co.	Minne	esota
Table 8. Commuting Characteristics, 2022	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Worked in state of residence	13,274	99.7%	2,867,086	97.7%
Worked in county of residence	11,277	84.7%	1,957,366	66.7%
Worked out of county of residence	1,997	15.0%	909,720	31.0%
Worked outside state of residence	40	0.3%	67,495	2.3%
MEANS OF TRANSPORTATION TO WORK				
Car, truck, or van	11,703	87.9%	2,338,861	79.7%
Public transportation (excl. taxicab)	53	0.4%	73,365	2.5%
Other method (walk, bike, taxi, etc.)	519	3.9%	120,318	4.1%
Worked at home	1,025	7.7%	399,103	13.6%
TRAVEL TIME TO WORK				
Less than 10 minutes	5,858	44.0%	475,402	16.2%
10 to 19 minutes	3,981	29.9%	906,786	30.9%
20 to 29 minutes	1,318	9.9%	651,477	22.2%
30 to 44 minutes	1,345	10.1%	563,440	19.2%
45 to 59 minutes	320	2.4%	181,944	6.2%
60 or more minutes	506	3.8%	155,533	5.3%
Mean travel time to work (minutes)	15.7	minutes	23.3	minutes

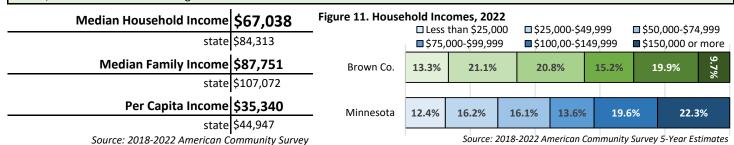
Figure 10. Time Leaving Home to go to Work, 2022 Brown Co. ■ Minnesota 0% 20% 40% 12:00 a.m. to 4.9% 4:59 a.m. 5:00 a.m. to 5:59 a.m. 9.2% 6:00 a.m. to 6:59 20.6% 19.2% 7:00 a.m. to 7:59 34.5% a.m. 28.7% 8:00 a.m. to 8:59 9.9% a.m. 14.7% 9:00 a.m. to 18.7% 11:59 p.m. 23.5%

Source: 2018-2022 American Community Survey, 5-Year Estimates

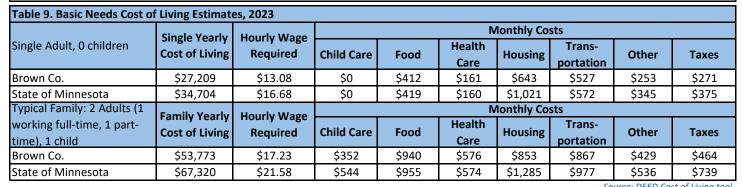
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INCOMES, COST OF LIVING, & HOUSING

Brown Co. had a lower median household income than the state, and a higher percentage of households with incomes below \$50,000. Overall, Brown Co. had the 55th highest median household income of the 87 counties in the state.



The cost of living has increased over the past 2 years with costs up in many areas. Brown Co. had a lower cost of living than the state, with a required hourly wage of \$13.08 for a single person living alone to meet a basic needs cost of living, and an hourly wage requirement of \$17.23 for a typical family with 2 adults and 1 child (see Table 9).



Brown Co. had a lower median house value than the state, having the 58th highest value of the 87 counties in 2022. Brown Co.'s housing stock was older than the state's, with a lower percentage of units built since 2000 (see Figure 12).

Table 10. Estimated Value of Owner-	Brown	Minnesota	
occupied Housing Units, 2022	Total	Percent	Percent
Total	8,593	100.0%	100.0%
Less than \$50,000	551	6.4%	4.1%
\$50,000 to \$99,999	1,094	12.7%	4.6%
\$100,000 to \$149,999	2,017	23.5%	7.1%
\$150,000 to \$199,999	1,830	21.3%	10.7%
\$200,000 to \$299,999	1,738	20.2%	27.1%
\$300,000 to \$499,999	1,043	12.1%	31.7%
\$500,000 or more	320	3.7%	14.7%
Median (dollars)	\$165,2	200	\$286,800

Source: 2018-2022 American Community Survey, 5-Year Estimates

Figure 12. Year Structure Built, 2022 0% 10% 20% 30% 40% ■ Minnesota ■ Brown Co. 2010 or later 7.8% 6.6% 2000 to 2009 13.3% 17.3% 1980 to 1999 25.5% 22.2% 1960 to 1979 23.8% 18.6% 1940 to 1959 13.8% 30.7% 1939 or earlier 15.8%

Median monthly owner costs, owner-occupied units with a mortgage

state \$1,818

Percentage of households with a mortgage spending 30% or more of their income on housing costs

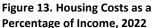
19.0%

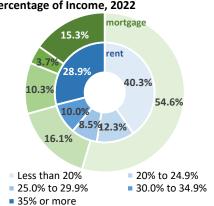
Median monthly rent costs \$825

Percentage of renters spending 30% or more of their household income on rent

state 46.7%

Source: 2018-2022 American Community Survey, 5-Year Estimates





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OCCUPATIONS

At \$23.24 in 2024, wages were lower in Region 9 than the state. Overall, Region 9 had the 6th highest median hourly wage level of the 13 economic development regions in the state. Wages were highest for management occupations (\$47.87) and lowest for food preparation and serving related jobs (\$14.69) (see Table 11).

Table 11. Occupational Employment & Wage Statistics, 2024								
	Region 9				State of Minnesota			
Occupational Group	Median Hourly Wage	Estimated Regional Jobs	Share of Total Jobs	Regional Location Quotient	Median Hourly Wage	Estimated Statewide Jobs	Share of Total Jobs	
Total, All Occupations	\$23.24	100,990	100.0%	1.0	\$25.22	2,881,100	100.0%	
Management	\$47.87	5,590	5.5%	0.8	\$57.75	201,710	7.0%	
Business & Financial Operations	\$34.68	4,130	4.1%	0.6	\$39.26	202,700	7.0%	
Computer & Mathematical	\$38.68	1,130	1.1%	0.3	\$50.83	98,240	3.4%	
Architecture & Engineering	\$37.82	1,690	1.7%	0.8	\$42.97	58,320	2.0%	
Life, Physical & Social Science	\$33.51	810	0.8%	0.8	\$39.93	29,220	1.0%	
Community & Social Service	\$27.25	2,620	2.6%	1.3	\$27.92	57,930	2.0%	
Legal	\$38.07	380	0.4%	0.6	\$51.15	19,040	0.7%	
Education, Training & Library	\$30.13	6,690	6.6%	1.2	\$28.22	163,340	5.7%	
Arts, Design, Entertainment & Media	\$23.48	1,050	1.0%	0.8	\$29.01	36,160	1.3%	
Healthcare Practitioners & Technical	\$40.45	5,790	5.7%	0.9	\$43.01	184,410	6.4%	
Healthcare Support	\$18.45	6,120	6.1%	1.0	\$18.07	169,580	5.9%	
Protective Service	\$29.43	1,430	1.4%	0.9	\$28.87	45,860	1.6%	
Food Preparation & Serving Related	\$14.69	9,050	9.0%	1.1	\$15.07	232,190	8.1%	
Building, Grounds Cleaning & Maint.	\$18.19	2,980	3.0%	1.1	\$18.83	79,660	2.8%	
Personal Care & Service	\$16.51	2,150	2.1%	1.0	\$17.60	59,420	2.1%	
Sales & Related	\$17.55	8,630	8.5%	1.0	\$18.82	242,440	8.4%	
Office & Administrative Support	\$22.79	11,510	11.4%	0.9	\$23.86	352,250	12.2%	
Farming, Fishing & Forestry	\$22.13	240	0.2%	1.9	\$22.13	3,520	0.1%	
Construction & Extraction	\$29.78	4,050	4.0%	1.0	\$32.44	110,960	3.9%	
Installation, Maintenance & Repair	\$28.11	4,660	4.6%	1.3	\$29.54	104,530	3.6%	
Production	\$22.68	10,680	10.6%	1.5	\$23.05	203,810	7.1%	
Transportation & Material Moving	\$21.90	9,640	9.5%	1.2	\$19.80	225,820	7.8%	

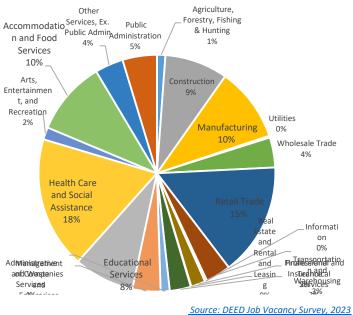
Source: DEED Occupational Employment & Wage Statistics, Qtr. 1 2024

JOB VACANCY SURVEY

Brown Co. is a part of the Southwest planning region. There were 9546 job vacancies posted by employers in 2023, indicating extensive opportunity in the region, with openings across several occupations and industries (see Figure 14).

Table 12. Southwest Job Vacancy Survey Results, 2023						
	Number of	Wage				
Occupational Group	Vacancies	Offer				
Total, All Occupations	9,546	\$19.74				
Management	202	\$32.04				
Business & Financial Operations	520					
Computer & Mathematical	100	\$37.50				
Architecture & Engineering	96	\$28.56				
Life, Physical & Social Sciences	69	\$24.18				
Community & Social Service	258	•				
Education, Training & Library	453					
Healthcare Practitioners & Technical	738	\$31.97				
Healthcare Support	508	•				
Protective Service	177					
Food Preparation & Serving Related	1,180	\$15.32				
Building, Grounds Cleaning & Maint.	432	T = 0.0 0				
Personal Care & Service	188	\$14.60				
Sales & Related	1,164	\$15.93				
Office & Administrative Support	563	\$19.27				
Construction & Extraction	431	\$25.04				
Installation, Maintenance & Repair	653	\$22.92				
Production	540	\$18.93				
Transportation & Material Moving	773	\$21.15				

Figure 14. Job Vacancies by Industry, 2023



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OCCUPATIONS IN DEMAND

Table 13. Southwest Planning Region Occupations in Demand, 2023						
Less than High School	High School or Equivalent	Some College or Assoc. Deg.	Bachelor's Degree or Higher			
Retail Salespersons	Heavy and Tractor-Trailer Truck Drivers	Registered Nurses	Accountants and Auditors			
\$34,798/yr	\$54,491/yr	\$85,138/yr	\$69,245/yr			
Home Health and Personal Care Aides	Nursing Assistants	Police and Sheriff's Patrol Officers	General and Operations Managers			
\$36,495/yr	\$39,764/yr	\$74,684/yr	\$82,482/yr			
Fast Food and Counter Workers	Licensed Practical and Licensed Vocational Nurses	Dental Hygienists	Elementary School Teachers, Except Special Education			
\$30,228/yr	\$58,499/yr	\$84,870/yr	\$65,364/yr			
Cashiers	Heating, Air Conditioning, and Refrigeration Mechanics and Installers	Industrial Engineering Technologists and Technicians	Secondary School Teachers, Except Special and Career/Technical			
\$30,595/yr	\$64,265/yr	\$60,049/yr	\$66,349/yr			
Teaching Assistants, Except Postsecondary	Bus and Truck Mechanics and Diesel Engine Specialists	Radiologic Technologists and Technicians	Substitute Teachers, Short-Term			
\$38,031/yr	\$59,444/yr	\$78,236/yr	\$52,112/yr			
First-Line Supervisors of Retail Sales Workers	Bookkeeping, Accounting, and Auditing Clerks	Agricultural Technicians	Financial Managers			
\$45,427/yr	\$47,963/yr	\$50,274/yr	\$119,560/yr			
Janitors and Cleaners, Except Maids and	Plumbers, Pipefitters, and Steamfitters	Human Resources Assistants, Except Payroll and Timekeeping	Industrial Engineers			
\$37,379/yr	\$61,794/yr	\$49,828/yr	\$90,455/yr			
Construction Laborers	Substance abuse, behavioral disorder, and mental health counselors	Civil Engineering Technologists and Technicians	Computer Systems Analysts			
\$49,744/yr	\$49,947/yr	\$71,227/yr	\$96,291/yr			
Bus Drivers, School	Automotive Service Technicians and Mechanics	Physical Therapist Assistants	Middle School Teachers, Except Special and Career/Technical			
\$49,228/yr	\$50,024/yr	\$62,988/yr	\$66,534/yr			
Laborers and Freight, Stock, and Material Movers, Hand	Industrial Machinery Mechanics	Veterinary Technologists and Technicians	Preschool Teachers, Except Special Education			
\$43,003/yr	\$60,689/yr	\$40,453/yr	\$37,747/yr			

Source: DEED Occupations in Demand

Brown Co. is a part of the Southwest planning region, which is projected to see a 2.8% increase in employment levels over the next decade. In addition to new jobs created, there will be a much larger number of exit openings (see Figure 15).

	Estimated Employment	Projected Employ-	Percent Change
Southwest Planning Region	2022	ment 2032	2022-2032
Total, All Industries	202,214	207,878	2.8%
Natural Resources & Mining	5,523	5,777	4.6%
Utilities	690	690	0.0%
Construction	7,679	8,252	7.5%
Manufacturing	32,192	33,537	4.2%
Wholesale Trade	8,001	8,116	1.4%
Retail Trade	19,409	19,084	-1.7%
Transportation & Warehousing	6,297	6,810	8.1%
Information	2,093	2,046	-2.2%
Finance & Insurance, Real Estate	8,227	8,375	1.8%
Professional Services & Mgmt. of Compani	5,544	5,985	8.0%
Admin. Support & Waste Mgmt.	4,127	4,331	4.9%
Educational Services	16,065	16,116	0.3%
Health Care & Social Assistance	28,786	30,498	5.9%
Leisure & Hospitality	13,625	14,377	5.5%
Other Services	7,097	7,281	2.6%
Public Administration	14,117	14,370	1.8%

Source: DEED 2022-2032 Employment Outlook

Figure 15. Regional Occupational Employment Projections, 2022-2032

Employment Projections, 2022-2032						
From employment gr	owth 300 (From exit opening 5,000 10,000 1				
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Management Occupations	579	5,196				
Business and Financial	304	2,6 85				
Computer and	154	479				
Architecture and	243	8 52				
Life, Physical, and Social	96	365				
Community and Social	334	1 ,841				
Legal Occupations	33	224				
Educational Instruction and	292	5,689				
Arts, Design,	47	1 ,841				
Healthcare Practitioners	638	3,403				
Healthcare Support	807	8,057				
Protective Service	60	1 ,233				
Food Preparation and	451	12,217				
Building and Grounds	219	4,473				
Personal Care and Service	296	3,602				
Sales and Related	-41	9 10,465				
Office and Administrative	-1,115	11,316				
Farming, Fishing, and	84	1 ,771				
Construction and Extraction	529	3,584				
Installation, Maintenance,	592	3,584				
Production Occupations	438	9,377				
Transportation and	1,002	10,018				
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ECONOMIC CHARACTERISTICS

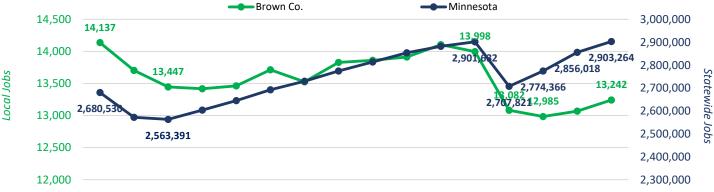
Coming out of the pandemic recession, after gaining jobs over the past year, Brown Co. had the 32nd largest economy of the 87 counties in the state. Brown Co. was the 47th fastest growing in the past year and the 74th fastest growing since 2019. From 2019 to 2023, employment in Brown Co. is still down from the pandemic recession.

896 business establishments \$54,194 annual average wage

13,242 jobs \$717,638,950 total industry payroll

Job change, 2019-2023 -5.4% decline 55.4% decline

Figure 16. Industry Employment Statistics, 2008-2023

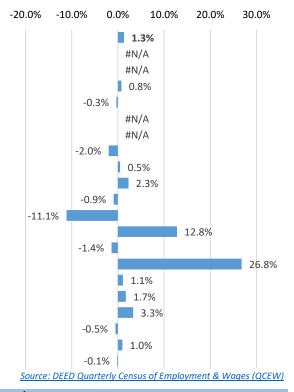


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Source: DEED QCEW program

			Average
Table 15. Brown Co. Industry Employment	Number of	Percent of	Annual
Statistics, 2023	Jobs	Total Jobs	Wage
Total, All Industries	13,242	100.0%	\$54,194
Agriculture, Forestry, Fish & Hunt	#N/A	#N/A	#N/A
Mining	#N/A	#N/A	#N/A
Construction	656	5.0%	\$71,819
Manufacturing	2,451	18.5%	\$67,770
Utilities	#N/A	#N/A	#N/A
Wholesale Trade	#N/A	#N/A	#N/A
Retail Trade	1,533	11.6%	\$32,923
Transportation & Warehousing	796	6.0%	\$49,554
Information	267	2.0%	\$65,045
Finance & Insurance	435	3.3%	\$69,590
Real Estate & Rental & Leasing	24	0.2%	\$20,545
Professional & Technical Services	538	4.1%	\$55,688
Management of Companies	361	2.7%	\$114,206
Admin. Support & Waste Mgmt. Svcs.	201	1.5%	\$28,944
Educational Services	682	5.2%	\$24,272
Health Care & Social Assistance	2,126	16.1%	\$55,911
Arts, Entertainment, & Recreation	155	1.2%	\$15,382
Accommodation & Food Services	951	7.2%	\$17,156
Other Services	310	2.3%	\$37,325
Public Administration	675	5.1%	\$54,707

Figure 17. Change in Jobs, 2022-2023



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