EMPLOYMENT AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

COUNTY PROFILE

Cass Co.

Cass Co. is a part of Economic Development Region 5, which is located in the Northwest Planning Region.

POPULATION CHARACTERISTICS



Cass Co. is the 36th largest of the 87 counties in the state. Its population increased so far this decade, ranking as the 4th fastest growing in the state from 2020 to 2023. Cass 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).

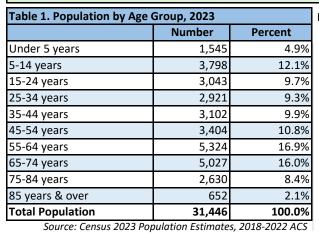
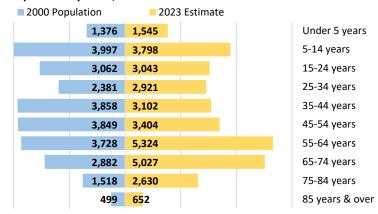


Figure 1. Population Pyramid, 2000-2023



Cass Co. suffered a negative natural increase - more deaths than births from 2020 to 2023, but also experienced net in-migration - meaning more people moved in than moved out. In addition to domestic in-migration, Cass Co. welcomed net international in-migration - 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	Natural Vital Events Net Migration				
	Change	Increase	Births	Deaths	Total	International	Domestic
Cass Co.	1,356	-454	917	1,371	1,800	18	1,782
State of Minnesota	31,111	40,368	207,857	167,489	-11,352	34,624	-45,976

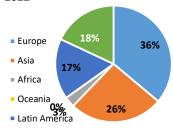
Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Population Estimates Program

Compared to the state, Cass Co. has a smaller percentage of foreign-born residents. From 2010 to 2022, Cass 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	Cass Co.		Change 2	010-2022	Minnesota			
Population, 2022	Number	Number Percent		Number Percent		Change		
Foreign-born Population	410	1.4%	108	35.8%	8.5%	31.3%		
Europe	148	36.1%	60	68.2%	9.3%	-0.6%		
Asia	107	26.1%	25	30.5%	36.7%	30.2%		
Africa	12	2.9%	-28	-70.0%	28.1%	93.1%		
Oceania	0	0.0%	0	#DIV/0!	0.4%	20.4%		
Americas:	143	34.9%	51	55.4%	25.4%	7.5%		
Latin America	69	16.8%	40	137.9%	22.9%	9.0%		
Northern America	74	18.0%	11	17.5%	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



Northern America

COUNTY PROFILE Cass Co.

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

Figure 3. Population by Race, 2022

White



81.5%

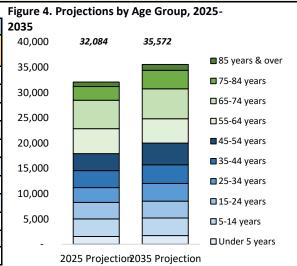
		Cass Co.	Minnesota		
Table 4. Race and Hispanic Origin, 2022	Number	Percent	Change from 2011-2022	Percent	Change from 2011-2022
Total	30,288	100.0%	6.0%	100.0%	7.9%
White	24,693	81.5%	0.1%	79.7%	-0.4%
Black or African American	144	0.5%	28.6%	6.7%	44.3%
American Indian or Alaska Native	2,846	9.4%	-1.6%	0.9%	-10.2%
Asian or Other Pac. Islanders	160	0.5%	-12.6%	5.1%	37.1%
Some Other Race	244	0.8%	687.1%	2.3%	84.7%
Two or More Races	2,201	7.3%	219.4%	5.3%	159.6%
Hispanic or Latino origin	742	2.4%	92.2%	5.7%	34.6%

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

POPULATION PROJECTIONS

According to the Minnesota State Demographic Center, Cass Co.'s population is expected to grow from 2025 to 2035, with a rate of change that is slower than the projected statewide growth rate (4.5%). In addition to the overall growth, 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 Cass Co. **Projection** Projection Change Change Under 5 years 1,543 1,705 162 10.5% 5-14 years 3,486 3,497 11 0.3% 3,268 1.3% 15-24 years 3,310 42 25-34 years 2,897 3,529 632 21.8% 9.9% 35-44 years 3,361 3,695 334 906 45-54 years 3,366 4,272 26.9% 55-64 years 4,946 4,820 -126 -2.5% 65-74 years 5,618 5,906 288 5.1% 75-84 years 2,716 3,666 950 35.0% 289 85 years & over 883 1,172 32.7% **Total Population** 32,084 35,572 3,488 10.9%



Source: Minnesota State Demographic Center

EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT

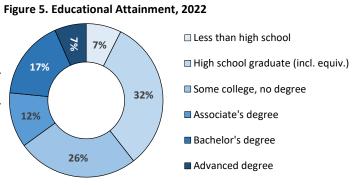
Cass Co. has a lower percentage of adults (18 years & over) with at least a high school diploma than the state (93.0%), and a lower percentage of people with at least some college experience. Cass Co. also has a higher percentage of people with an Associate's degree and a lower percentage of people with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

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

92.6%



Associate's Degree: 11.6%
Bachelor's Degree: 16.7%
Advanced Degree: 6.7%



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

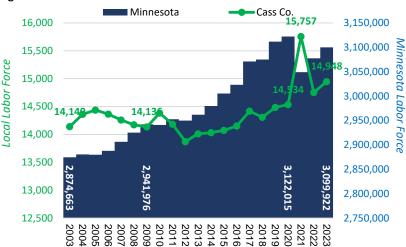
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LABOR FORCE TRENDS

At 4.4%, Cass Co. had a higher unemployment rate than the state in 2023. After the pandemic recession Cass Co.'s unemployment rate declined compared to the 5.6% prepandemic rate posted in 2019. The number of unemployed workers actively seeking work in Cass Co. increased over the past year, and is down compared to 2019.



Figure 6. Annual Labor Force Estimates



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, Cass Co. averaged an annual gain of new workers from 2000 to 2010, and most recently a gain of new workers since 2010 (see Figure 7). Moving forward, Cass Co. is expected to add workers from 2025 to 2035 (see Table 6).

Cass Co. Figure 7. Annual Change in Labor Force, 1990-2023 1,500 Average of 429 Average of 96 Average of 15 1,223 new workers per year new workers per year new workers per year Year-Over-Year Change in Available Workers 1,000 500 194 -500 -1,000 -1,003 -1,500 2012-201 2011-201 2011-201 2017-2018 2016-2017 2015-2016 2014-2018 2014-2018 2020-2021s 2019-2020tistics 2018-2019statistics 2021-202 2010-2011 2013-2014 2000-200: 2002-2003 2004-2005 2005-2006 2006-2007 2007-2008 2009-2010 2022-2023 2001-2002 2003-2004 2008-2009 1991-1992 1995-1996 1997-1998 1999-2000

Table 6. Labor Force	Labor Force Projection			
Projections, 2025-2035	2025	2035		
16 to 24 years	2,055	2,121		
25 to 54 years	8,200	9,778		
55 to 64 years	3,020	2,943		
65 years & over	1,453	1,596		
Total Labor Force	14,728	16,438		

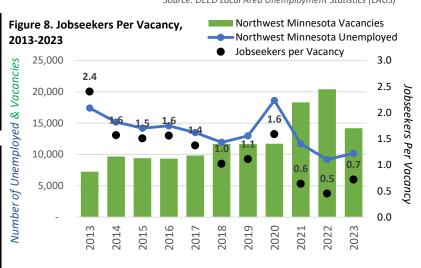
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Source: Minnesota State Demographic Center, 2018-2022 ACS

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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 Northwest 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

COUNTY PROFILE Cass Co.

LABOR FORCE CHARACTERISTICS

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

		Cass Co.		Minne	esota	
	In Labor Force (available workers)	Labor Force Partic. Rate	Unemp. Rate	Labor Force Partic. Rate	Unemp. Rate	
Total Labor Force	13,887	56.1%	6.4%	68.7%	4.0%	
16 to 19 years	684	53.9%	13.9%	53.0%	9.8%	
20 to 24 years	1,091	85.6%	8.7%	83.1%	6.7%	
25 to 44 years	5,077	87.5%	7.5%	88.8%	3.5%	
45 to 54 years	2,653	80.9%	4.4%	87.8%	2.9%	
55 to 64 years	3,131	61.1%	4.4%	72.8%	3.1%	
65 to 74 years	1,051	21.7%	5.0%	27.6%	3.3%	
75 years & over	205	6.5%	4.4%	6.6%	3.2%	
Employment Characteristics by Race &	Hispanic Origin					
White alone	11,606	54.9%	5.1%	67.8%	3.4%	ľ
Black or African American	77	67.0%	3.9%	71.5%	8.7%	
American Indian & Alaska Native	1,084	60.0%	18.8%	57.6%	11.9%	ŀ
Asian or Other Pac. Islanders	66	56.9%	4.6%	73.9%	3.6%	
Some Other Race	105	53.3%	9.5%	76.1%	6.1%	ĺ
Two or More Races	960	69.6%	8.0%	74.3%	6.6%	ľ
Hispanic or Latino	304	73.6%	5.6%	77.0%	6.3%	ĺ
Employment Characteristics by Disabili	ty, 20 to 64 years					l
With Any Disability, 20 to 64 years	917	45.0%	10.6%	54.4%	10.2%	ĺ
Employment Characteristics by Educati	onal Attainment, 25	to 64 years				ı
Population, 25 to 64 years	10,855	76.4%	5.8%	84.4%	3.3%	ĺ
Less than H.S. Diploma	602	65.6%	8.1%	67.2%	4.6%	ĺ
H.S. Diploma or Equivalent	3,077	72.4%	2.3%	76.8%	2.5%	
Some College or Assoc. Degree	4,409	77.8%	5.4%	85.1%	3.6%	ĺ
Bachelor's Degree or Higher	2,773	82.2%	3.1%	90.3%	2.0%	ĺ

Figure 9. Labor Force by Race, 2022

Labor Force by Gender

Female

6,525

346

527

2,418 1,192

1,469

488

85

Male

7,363

338

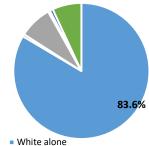
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2,657

1,461

1,663 561

119



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

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

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

	Cass C	Co.	Minn	esota	ı
Table 8. Commuting Characteristics, 2022	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	٤
Worked in state of residence	12,538	98.7%	2,867,086	97.7%	İ
Worked in county of residence	7,050	55.5%	1,957,366	66.7%	ĺ
Worked out of county of residence	5,475	43.1%	909,720	31.0%	ĺ
Worked outside state of residence	165	1.3%	67,495	2.3%	ĺ
MEANS OF TRANSPORTATION TO WORK					Ĺ
Car, truck, or van	10,645	83.8%	2,338,861	79.7%	5
Public transportation (excl. taxicab)	76	0.6%	73,365	2.5%	ĺ
Other method (walk, bike, taxi, etc.)	711	5.6%	120,318	4.1%	6
Worked at home	1,258	9.9%	399,103	13.6%	İ
TRAVEL TIME TO WORK					7
Less than 10 minutes	2,845	22.4%	475,402	16.2%	ĺ
10 to 19 minutes	3,315	26.1%	906,786	30.9%	ĺ
20 to 29 minutes	2,642	20.8%	651,477	22.2%	8
30 to 44 minutes	2,134	16.8%	563,440	19.2%	ĺ
45 to 59 minutes	902	7.1%	181,944	6.2%	ĺ
60 or more minutes	864	6.8%	155,533	5.3%	İ
Mean travel time to work (minutes)	23.8	minutes	23.3	minutes	İ

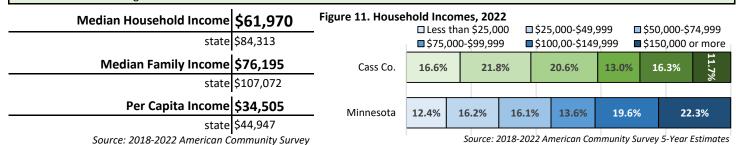
Figure 10. Time Leaving Home to go to Work, 2022 Cass Co. ■ Minnesota 0% 20% 40% 12:00 a.m. to 4.9% 4:59 a.m. 5:00 a.m. to 5:59 a.m. 9.2% 6:00 a.m. to 6:59 18.6% 19.2% 7:00 a.m. to 7:59 34.6% a.m. 28.7% 8:00 a.m. to 8:59 12.0% a.m. 14.7% 9:00 a.m. to 20.1% 11:59 p.m. 23.5%

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

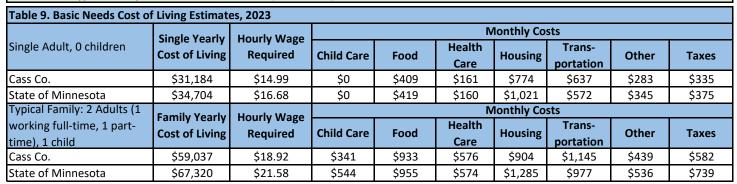
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INCOMES, COST OF LIVING, & HOUSING

Cass Co. had a lower median household income than the state, and a higher percentage of households with incomes below \$50,000. Overall, Cass Co. had the 80th 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. Cass Co. had a lower cost of living than the state, with a required hourly wage of \$14.99 for a single person living alone to meet a basic needs cost of living, and an hourly wage requirement of \$18.92 for a typical family with 2 adults and 1 child (see Table 9).

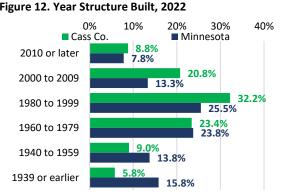


Source: DEED Cost of Living tool

Cass Co. had a lower median house value than the state, having the 24th highest value of the 87 counties in 2022. Cass Co.'s housing stock was newer than the state's, with a higher percentage of units built since 2000 (see Figure 12).

Table 10. Estimated Value of Owner-	Cass Co.		Minnesota
occupied Housing Units, 2022	Total	Percent	Percent
Total	10,496	100.0%	100.0%
Less than \$50,000	624	5.9%	4.1%
\$50,000 to \$99,999	976	9.3%	4.6%
\$100,000 to \$149,999	1,170	11.1%	7.1%
\$150,000 to \$199,999	1,360	13.0%	10.7%
\$200,000 to \$299,999	2,490	23.7%	27.1%
\$300,000 to \$499,999	2,326	22.2%	31.7%
\$500,000 or more	1,550	14.8%	14.7%
Median (dollars)	\$241,0	\$286,800	

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



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

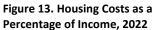
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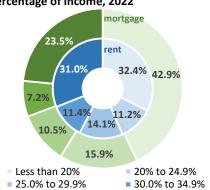
Median monthly rent costs

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





35% or more

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OCCUPATIONS

At \$21.89 in 2024, wages were lower in Region 5 than the state. Overall, Region 5 had the lowest median hourly wage level of the 13 economic development regions in the state. Wages were highest for management occupations (\$40.32) and lowest for food preparation and serving related jobs (\$14.34) (see Table 11).

Table 11. Occupational Employment & Wage Statistics, 2024							
		Regio	n 5		Stat	e of Minnes	sota
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	\$21.89	62,970	100.0%	1.0	\$25.22	2,881,100	100.0%
Management	\$40.32	3,400	5.4%	0.8	\$57.75	201,710	7.0%
Business & Financial Operations	\$31.37	2,130	3.4%	0.5	\$39.26	202,700	7.0%
Computer & Mathematical	\$36.83	570	0.9%	0.3	\$50.83	98,240	3.4%
Architecture & Engineering	\$37.81	600	1.0%	0.5	\$42.97	58,320	2.0%
Life, Physical & Social Science	\$33.10	430	0.7%	0.7	\$39.93	29,220	1.0%
Community & Social Service	\$27.49	1,600	2.5%	1.3	\$27.92	57,930	2.0%
Legal	\$38.07	200	0.3%	0.5	\$51.15	19,040	0.7%
Education, Training & Library	\$24.35	4,510	7.2%	1.3	\$28.22	163,340	5.7%
Arts, Design, Entertainment & Media	\$23.41	470	0.7%	0.6	\$29.01	36,160	1.3%
Healthcare Practitioners & Technical	\$40.22	4,220	6.7%	1.0	\$43.01	184,410	6.4%
Healthcare Support	\$18.33	3,780	6.0%	1.0	\$18.07	169,580	5.9%
Protective Service	\$26.44	1,030	1.6%	1.0	\$28.87	45,860	1.6%
Food Preparation & Serving Related	\$14.34	6,970	11.1%	1.4	\$15.07	232,190	8.1%
Building, Grounds Cleaning & Maint.	\$17.84	2,500	4.0%	1.4	\$18.83	79,660	2.8%
Personal Care & Service	\$16.28	1,570	2.5%	1.2	\$17.60	59,420	2.1%
Sales & Related	\$16.99	5,760	9.1%	1.1	\$18.82	242,440	8.4%
Office & Administrative Support	\$21.48	7,510	11.9%	1.0	\$23.86	352,250	12.2%
Farming, Fishing & Forestry	\$20.82	140	0.2%	1.8	\$22.13	3,520	0.1%
Construction & Extraction	\$28.50	3,060	4.9%	1.3	\$32.44	110,960	3.9%
Installation, Maintenance & Repair	\$24.72	2,790	4.4%	1.2	\$29.54	104,530	3.6%
Production	\$21.03	5,010	8.0%	1.1	\$23.05	203,810	7.1%
Transportation & Material Moving	\$21.10	4,720	7.5%	1.0	\$19.80	225,820	7.8%

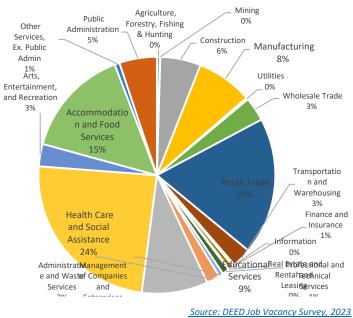
Source: DEED Occupational Employment & Wage Statistics, Qtr. 1 2024

JOB VACANCY SURVEY

Cass Co. is a part of the Northwest planning region. There were 14193 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. Northwest Job Vacancy Survey Results, 2023					
Number of Number of					
Occupational Group	Vacancies	Offer			
Total, All Occupations	14,193	\$17.77			
Management	180				
Business & Financial Operations	162				
Computer & Mathematical	49	\$30.06			
Architecture & Engineering	110				
Life, Physical & Social Sciences	105				
Community & Social Service	326				
Education, Training & Library	668				
Healthcare Practitioners & Technical	1,478				
Healthcare Support	1,168	•			
Protective Service	277	\$23.55			
Food Preparation & Serving Related	2,518	\$14.63			
Building, Grounds Cleaning & Maint.	594	\$16.01			
Personal Care & Service	223	\$15.86			
Sales & Related	1,918				
Office & Administrative Support	508	\$17.18			
Construction & Extraction	727	N/A			
Installation, Maintenance & Repair	609	\$20.26			
Production	668				
Transportation & Material Moving	1,263	\$20.23			

Figure 14. Job Vacancies by Industry, 2023



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OCCUPATIONS IN DEMAND

Table 13. Northwest Planning Region Occupations in Demand, 2023						
Less than High School	High School or Equivalent	Some College or Assoc. Deg.	Bachelor's Degree or Higher			
Home Health and Personal Care Aides	Heavy and Tractor-Trailer Truck Drivers	Registered Nurses	General and Operations Managers			
\$36,108/yr	\$54,491/yr	\$84,785/yr	\$77,521/yr			
Retail Salespersons	Nursing Assistants	Police and Sheriff's Patrol Officers	Elementary School Teachers, Except Special Education			
\$35,088/yr	\$40,033/yr	\$71,010/yr	\$64,121/yr			
Cashiers	Licensed Practical and Licensed Vocational Nurses	Radiologic Technologists and Technicians	Secondary School Teachers, Except Special and Career/Technical			
\$30,773/yr	\$54,946/yr	\$78,771/yr	\$66,299/yr			
Teaching Assistants, Except Postsecondary	Automotive Service Technicians and Mechanics	Dental Hygienists	Accountants and Auditors			
\$38,126/yr	\$47,486/yr	\$85,989/yr	\$64,893/yr			
Stockers and Order Fillers	Bookkeeping, Accounting, and Auditing Clerks	Civil Engineering Technologists and Technicians	Substitute Teachers, Short-Term			
\$40,709/yr	\$48,131/yr	\$71,227/yr	\$46,162/yr			
Janitors and Cleaners, Except Maids and \$38,122/yr	Substance abuse, behavioral disorder, and mental health counselors \$49,479/yr	Paralegals and Legal Assistants \$59,200/yr	Medical and Health Services Managers \$102,974/yr			
Cooks, Restaurant	Machinists	Occupational Therapy Assistants	Child, Family, and School Social Workers			
\$36,830/yr	\$51,295/yr	\$59,627/yr	\$63,680/yr			
Food Preparation Workers	Electricians	Computer Network Support Specialists	Preschool Teachers, Except Special Education			
\$31,855/yr	\$65,524/yr	\$70,049/yr	\$37,999/yr			
Miscellaneous Assemblers and Fabricators	Bus and Truck Mechanics and Diesel Engine Specialists	Surgical Technologists	Pharmacists			
\$40,826/yr	\$59,152/yr	\$64,809/yr	\$140,993/yr			
First-Line Supervisors of Retail Sales Workers	Paramedics	Industrial Engineering Technologists and Technicians	Physical Therapists			
\$46,395/yr	\$64,134/yr	\$60,791/yr	\$98,061/yr			

Source: DEED Occupations in Demand

Cass Co. is a part of the Northwest planning region, which is projected to see a 3.9% 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).

Table 14. Regional Industry Employment Projections, 2022-2032						
Estimated Employment	Projected Employ-	Percent Change 2022-2032				
_		3.9%				
•	-	3.9%				
,	,	-0.1%				
11,719	12,715	8.5%				
29,871	31,429	5.2%				
12,936	14,034	8.5%				
27,705	27,590	-0.4%				
5,579	5,997	7.5%				
2,451	2,470	0.8%				
8,067	8,366	3.7%				
5,609	6,152	9.7%				
4,192	4,460	6.4%				
22,849	22,989	0.6%				
36,421	38,978	7.0%				
24,958	26,706	7.0%				
9,824	10,129	3.1%				
24,161	24,869	2.9%				
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Source: DEED 2022-2032 Employment Outlook

Figure 15. Regional Occupational

Employment Projections, 2022-2032						
■ From employment gr			exit openings			
-5,0	000	5,000	15,000			
Management Occupations	994	6,607				
Business and Financial	514	3,361				
Computer and	324	695				
Architecture and	338	1,122				
Life, Physical, and Social	108	475				
Community and Social	578	2,713				
Legal Occupations	38	340				
Educational Instruction and	511	7,826				
Arts, Design,	129	2 ,518				
Healthcare Practitioners	1,065	5,003				
Healthcare Support	1,222	9,828				
Protective Service	152	2 ,152				
Food Preparation and	869	17,902				
Building and Grounds	494	6,547				
Personal Care and Service	553	5,268				
Sales and Related	-31	² 14,814				
Office and Administrative1		15,558				
Farming, Fishing, and	54	1 ,975				
Construction and Extraction	939	5,328				
Installation, Maintenance,	765	4,558				
Production Occupations	523	8,662				
Transportation and	1,566	12,176				

COUNTY PROFILE Cass Co.

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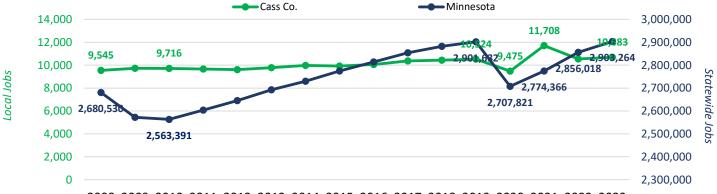
Coming out of the pandemic recession, after gaining jobs over the past year, Cass Co. had the 38th largest economy of the 87 counties in the state. Cass Co. was the 30th fastest growing in the past year and the 29th fastest growing since 2019. From 2019 to 2023, employment in Cass Co. grew despite the pandemic recession.

967 business establishments \$41,470 annual average wage

10,683 jobs \$443,024,177 total industry payroll

Job change, 2019-2023 1.5% increase

Figure 16. Industry Employment Statistics, 2008-2023

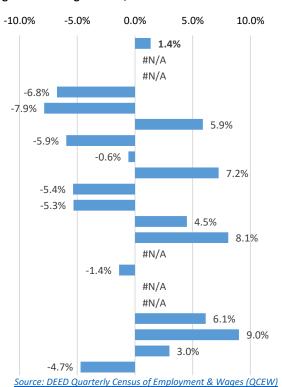


2008 2009 2010 2011 2012 2013 2014 2015 2016 2017 2018 2019 2020 2021 2022 2023

Source: DEED QCEW program

			Average
Table 15. Cass Co. Industry Employment	Number of	Percent of	Annual
Statistics, 2023	Jobs	Total Jobs	Wage
Total, All Industries	10,683	100.0%	\$41,470
Agriculture, Forestry, Fish & Hunt	#N/A	#N/A	#N/A
Mining	#N/A	#N/A	#N/A
Construction	483	4.5%	\$56,382
Manufacturing	668	6.3%	\$49,774
Utilities	18	0.2%	\$27,326
Wholesale Trade	95	0.9%	\$43,907
Retail Trade	1,226	11.5%	\$31,995
Transportation & Warehousing	148	1.4%	\$8,814
Information	106	1.0%	\$32,063
Finance & Insurance	160	1.5%	\$70,022
Real Estate & Rental & Leasing	279	2.6%	\$36,817
Professional & Technical Services	214	2.0%	\$58,768
Management of Companies	#N/A	#N/A	#N/A
Admin. Support & Waste Mgmt. Svcs.	215	2.0%	\$48,027
Educational Services	999	9.4%	\$13,049
Health Care & Social Assistance	1,236	11.6%	\$12,089
Arts, Entertainment, & Recreation	572	5.4%	\$32,097
Accommodation & Food Services	2,384	22.3%	\$28,178
Other Services	276	2.6%	\$21,306
Public Administration	1,659	15.5%	\$51,565

Figure 17. Change in Jobs, 2022-2023



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