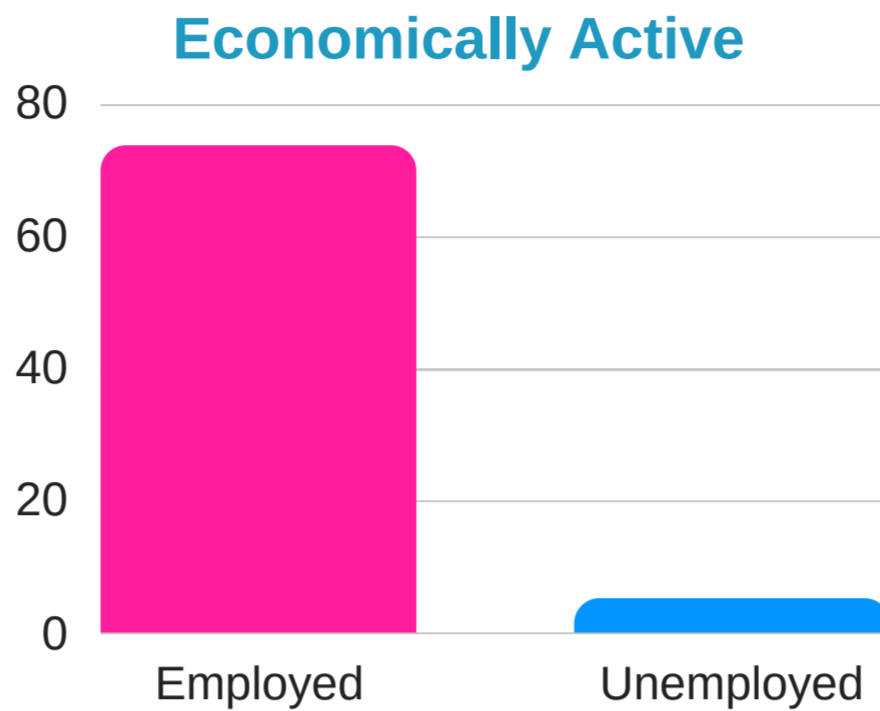


West Midlands

Employment

73.8% of people in the West Midlands are employed.
Lower than the UK average of **75.7%**.



Unemployment

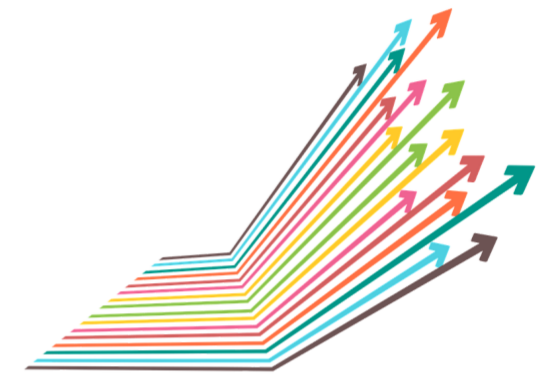
5.2% of people in the West Midlands are unemployed.
Higher than the UK average of **4.1%**.



The average income is **£27,903** a year

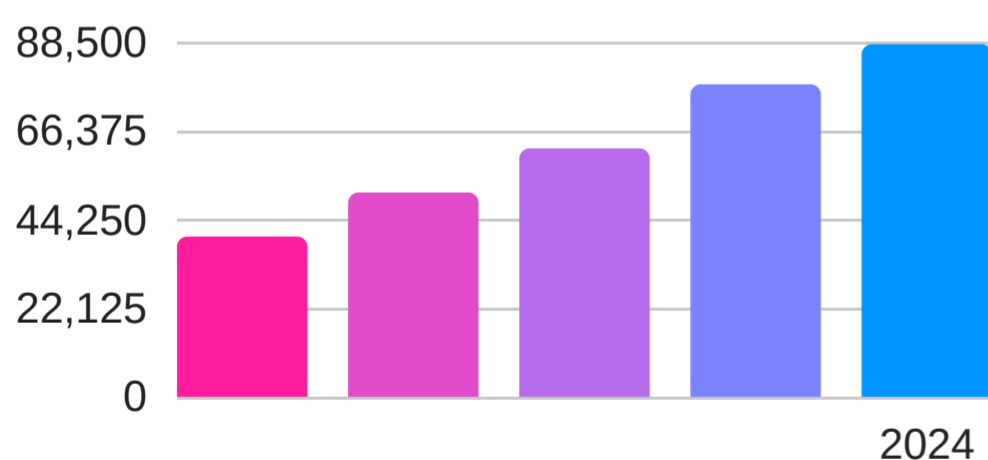


On average people in the West Midlands work **31.7** hours a week



Out of 12 regional areas the West Midlands is the **8th** most productive

Growth in the West Midlands



+88,000 jobs by 2024 in the West Midlands

Sectors set to grow

- Construction
- Health and Social Work
- Support Services
- Transport and Storage
- Professional Services

Where are the most jobs now?



Wholesale and Retail



Education



Health and Social Care



Manufacturing