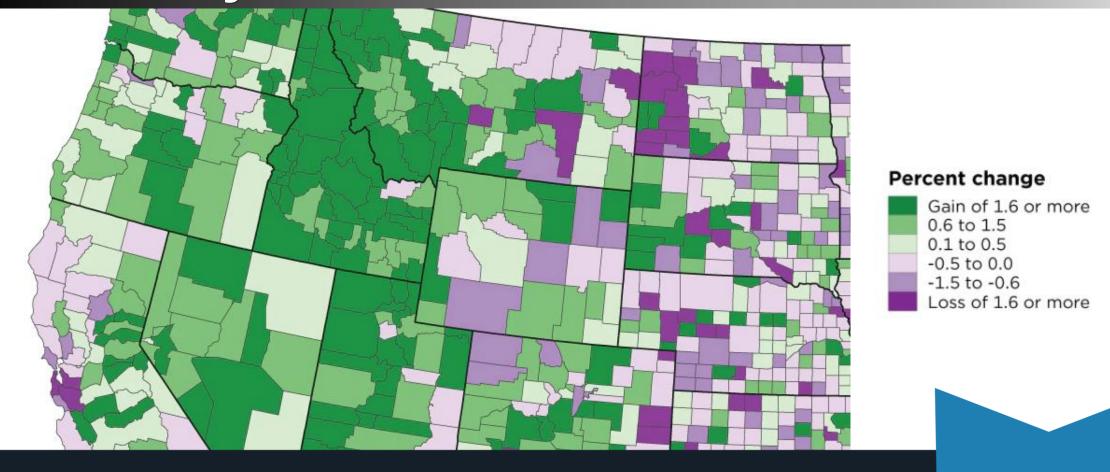
The Labor Market

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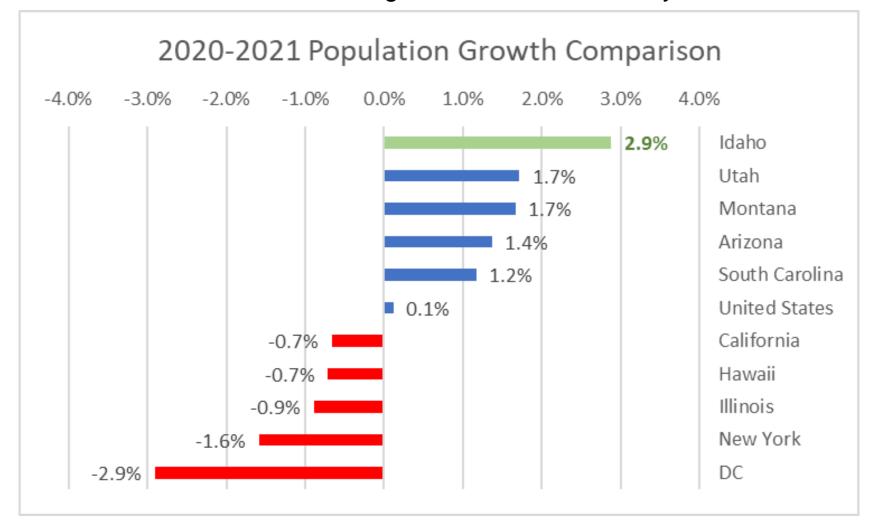
Lisa Grigg, Regional Labor Economist April 21, 2022



Population

2020-2021 Population Growth

Idaho #1 at 2.9%, US +.1% is slowest growth rate in US history



2020-2021 vs 2015-2019 Population Growth

Migration is the key population driver in North-Central Idaho

Population Changes 2020-2021	Total Growth	Natural Growth	Migration
US (National)	0.1%	0.04%	0.07%
Idaho (Statewide)	2.9%	0.2%	2.7%
North Central Idaho	1.7%	-0.1%	1.8%
Clearwater County	1.7%	-0.7%	2.4%
Idaho County	2.9%	-0.4%	3.4%
Latah County	1.8%	0.3%	1.4%
Lewis County	5.2%	-0.3%	5.6%
Nez Perce County	0.9%	-0.2%	1.1%

Population Changes	Annual	Natural	Migration
2015-2019	Growth	Growth	Wiigiation
US (National)	0.6%	0.3%	0.7%
Idaho (Statewide)	1.9%	0.5%	1.1%
North Central Idaho	0.6%	0.1%	0.4%
Clearwater County	0.8%	-0.5%	4.1%
Idaho County	0.6%	-0.2%	1.0%
Latah County	0.8%	0.5%	2.5%
Lewis County	0.3%	-0.2%	-8.2%
Nez Perce County	0.2%	-0.1%	-1.9%

Natural Population Growth, 2015-2021

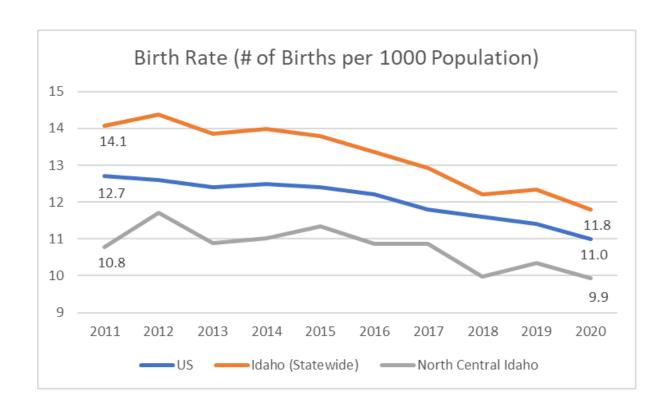
Deaths exceeded births in N Central Idaho for both 2020 and 2021

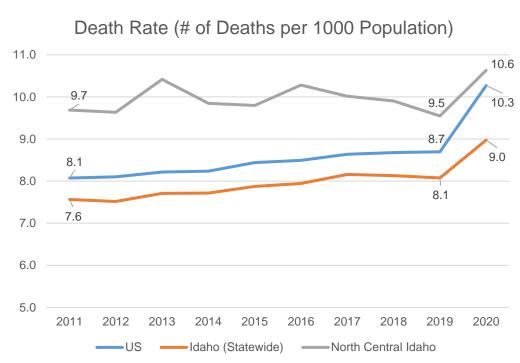
Net Natural Population		# of Births - # of Deaths							
Change	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	% CH 2019-2020	Avg 2015- 2019
US	1265867	1201627	1041997	952507	890702	229918	148043	-74.2%	1070540
Idaho (Statewide)	9796	9112	8174	7140	7633	5136	4398	-32.7%	8371
North Central Idaho	167	64	91	9	88	-78	-99	-188.6%	83.8
Clearwater County	-58	-44	-48	-36	-22	-51	-65	131.8%	-42
Idaho County	-16	-51	-19	-64	-35	-88	-74	151.4%	-37
Latah County	260	181	234	172	214	169	135	-21.0%	212
Lewis County	11	-6	-18	-13	-18	-10	-9	-44.4%	-9
Nez Perce County	-30	-16	-58	-50	-51	-98	-86	92.2%	-41

Source: ID Dept of Health and Welfare, US Census

2011-2020 Population Growth

Birth rates are declining while death rates are rising





Source: CDC, ID Dept of Health and Welfare

2020-2021 vs 2015-2019 Population Growth

Migration is the key population driver in North-Central Idaho

Net Migration	Cumulative Net Migration by Time Period		2020-2021 Migrat	tion vs 2015-2019:	Ann Net Mig Per 1000 Popul		
Historical Trends	2015-2019	2020-2021	X Annual Avg	% of 5-yr total	2015-2019	2020-2021	
Idaho (Statewide)	97139	49289	2.5	51%	10.9	26.3	
North Central Idaho	440	1991	22.6	453%	0.8	17.9	
Clearwater County	350	214	3.1	61%	8.0	24.3	
Idaho County	171	562	16.4	329%	2.1	33.5	
Latah County	1007	568	2.8	56%	5.0	14.2	
Lewis County	-314	196			-16.4	54.1	
Nez Perce County	-774	451			-3.8	10.7	

Population Age Trends

Median Age, % of population >age 65 increasing

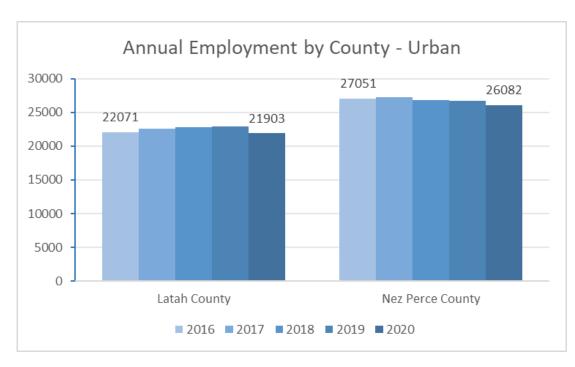
	% of Population Over Age 65					
Aging Population	2006-2010	2011-	2016-			
	2000-2010	2015	2020			
us	12.9%	14.3%	16.2%			
Idaho (Statewide)	12.1%	14.0%	16.0%			
North Central Idaho						
Clearwater County	21.3%	24.4%	27.6%			
Idaho County	20.5%	23.7%	28.0%			
Latah County	10.0%	11.4%	14.0%			
Lewis County	22.2%	23.8%	26.2%			
Nez Perce County	17.8%	19.0%	20.0%			

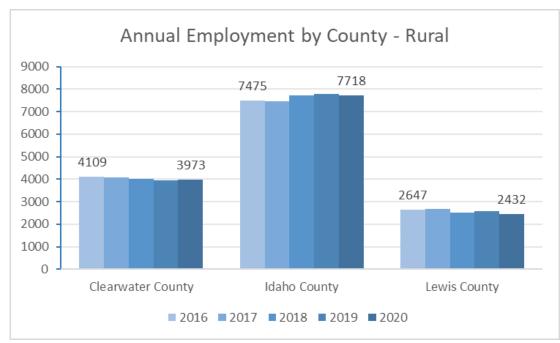
Median Age	2006-	2011-	2016-
	2010	2015	2020
US	37.3	38.0	38.7
Idaho (Statewide)	35.0	36.0	37.1
North Central Idaho			
Clearwater County	48.5	50.4	51.1
Idaho County	47.4	49.4	50.8
Latah County	28.2	28.8	29.8
Lewis County	47.9	48.5	48.9
Nez Perce County	41.0	42.2	40.8

Labor Force

N Central Idaho Annual Employment by County

2016-2020

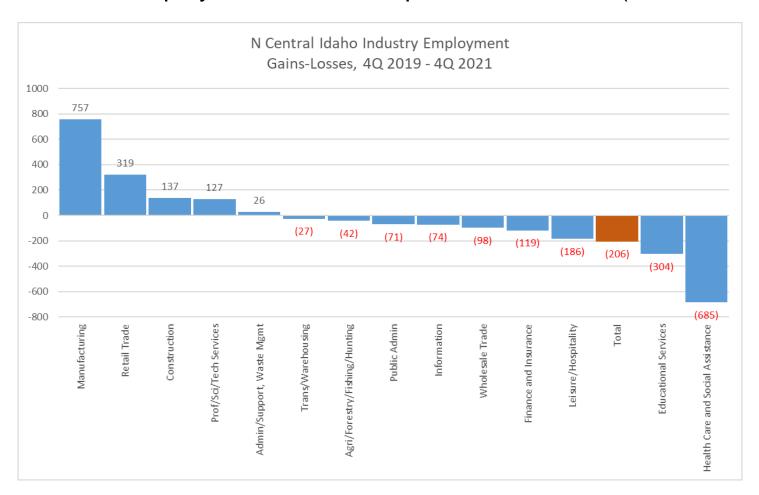




Source: BEA

N Central Idaho Employment by Industry

4Q 2021 employment levels compared to 4Q 2019 (UI Covered Employment Only)



Industries that have held employment flat between 4Q 2019 - 4Q 2021 (+/- 20 employees)

Mining
Other Services (excl Public Admin)
Real Estate Rental & Leasing
Utilities
Management of Companies & Enterprises

N Central Idaho Top Industries

4Q 2021 total employment (UI Covered Employment Only)

Top 5 I	Top 5 North Central Idaho Industries by Total Average Employment, 4Q 2021		North Central Idaho			Idaho	
NAICS 2	Industry Title	4Q 2021	% of Total	Avg \$/Wk	% Total	Avg \$/Wk	
62	Health Care and Social Assistance	6,507	15%	948	14%	1097	
61	Educational Services	6,202	14%	990	8%	805	
44-45	Retail Trade	5,485	13%	635	5%	767	
31-33	Manufacturing	5,344	12%	1,261	9%	1700	
72	Accommodation and Food Services	4,141	10%	365	9%	424	
	Top 5 Industries	27,680	64%	869	45%	962	
	All Industries	43,396		933		1107	

N Central vs ID					
Saturation	% ID \$				
107%	86%				
173%	123%				
253%	83%				
138%	74%				
105%	86%				
141%	83%				
	84%				

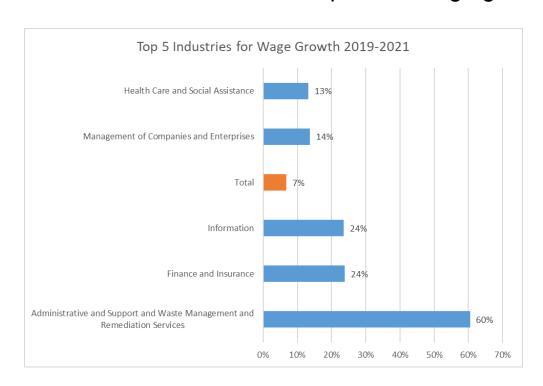
Top !	Top 5 North Central Idaho Industries by Average Weekly Wages, 4Q 2021		th Central Idah	Idaho		
NAICS 2	Industry Title	Employment	% Total Empl	Avg \$/Wk	% Total	Avg \$/Wk
22	Utilities	152	0.3%	1,573	0.5%	1631
55	Management of Companies and Enterprises	121	0.3%	1,564	1.0%	2222
21	Mining	236	0.5%	1,552	0.4%	1596
52	Finance and Insurance	1,398	3.2%	1,489	3.5%	1699
31-33	Manufacturing	5,344	12.3%	1,261	8.9%	1700
	Top 5 Industries	7,251	16.7%	1,326	14.2%	1732
	All Industries	43,396	_	933		1107

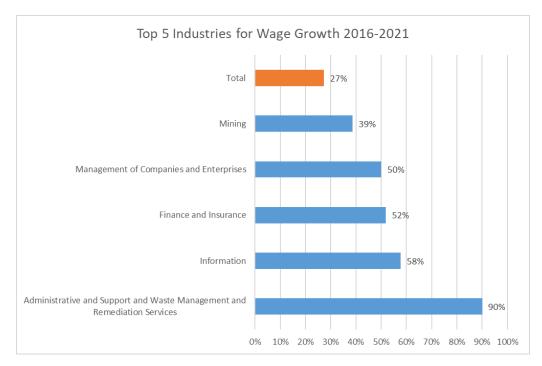
N Central vs ID				
Saturation	% ID\$			
75%	96%			
28%	70%			
153%	97%			
92%	88%			
138%	74%			
117%	77%			
	84%			

N Central Idaho Avg Weekly Wages by Industry

4Q 2021 Weekly Pay levels compared to 4Q 2019 (UI Covered Employment Only)

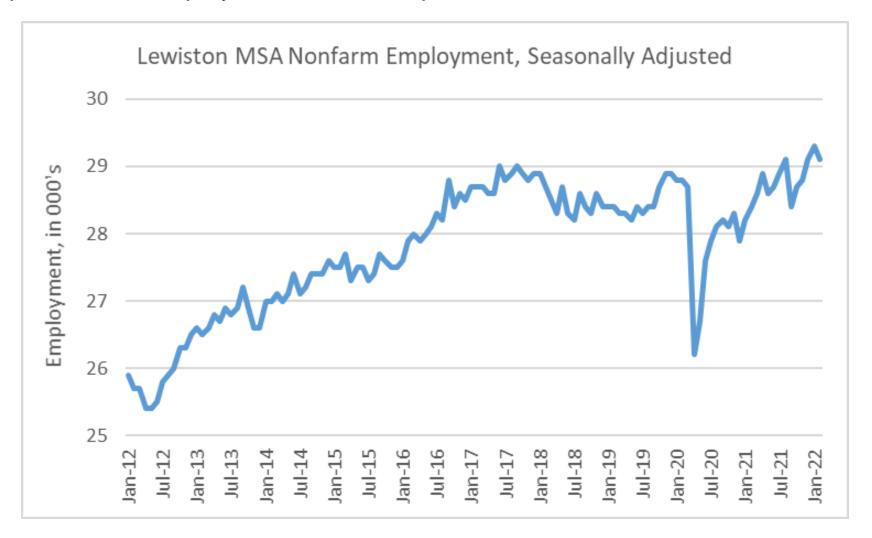
- Average weekly wages for all industries have increased 6.8% over the past 2 years
- 17 of 20 major industry sectors realized avg wage growth between 4Q 2019 4Q 2021
 - Wage Declines: Education (-5%), Wholesale Trade (-4%), Arts/Entertainment/Rec (-15%)
- All 20 industries realized positive wage growth (avg +27%) between 4Q 2016 4Q 2021





Nonfarm Employment in the Lewiston MSA

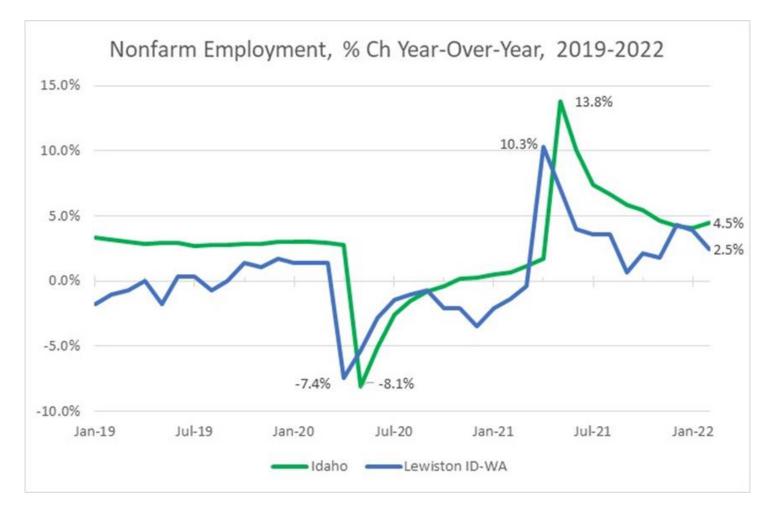
Lewiston hit pre-COVID employment levels in April 2021



Source: BLS

Nonfarm Employment for Idaho and Lewiston MSA

Employment growth in Lewiston MSA generally lower than Idaho statewide



Source: BLS

Seasonal Nonfarm Employment in Idaho's MSAs

Lewiston hit pre-COVID employment levels in April 2021

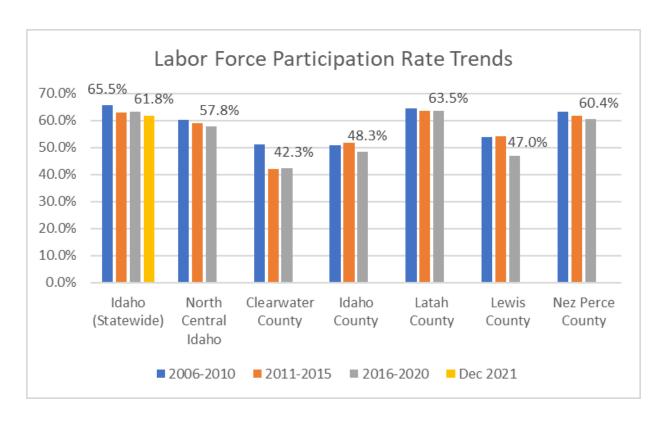
# C	of Months With Year Over Y	^{'ear} Total	Pre-Covid	Post-Covid
_	Employment Declines	2013-Feb2022	2013-Feb2020	Mar20 - Feb22
	Idaho	6	0	6
	Boise	6	0	6
	Coeur d'Alene Idaho Falls	6	0	6
		2	0	2
	Lewiston ID-WA	27	15	12
	Pocatello	18	6	12
	Twin Falls	9	0	9
	Total Months in Period	110	86	24

- Since April 2021, the Lewiston ID-WA MSA has not realized any year over year employment declines, compared to 12 straight declines between April 2020 March 2021
- Between March 2018 April 2019 (prior to COVID), Nonfarm Employment (Seasonally Adjusted) in the Lewiston MSA declined year over year in 13 of the 15 months

Source: Bureau of Labor Statistics, CES (Seasonally Adjusted)

Labor Force Participation

Labor Force Participation rate in decline, currently near record lows



	Labor Force Participation Rate					
Employment Data	2006- 2010	2011- 2015	2016- 2020	Dec 2021		
Idaho (Statewide)	65.5%	62.8%	63.1%	61.8%		
North Central Idaho	60.3%	59.0%	57.8%			
Clearwater County	51.1%	41.9%	42.3%			
Idaho County	50.8%	51.8%	48.3%			
Latah County	64.4%	63.5%	63.5%			
Lewis County	53.7%	54.2%	47.0%			
Nez Perce County	63.1%	61.8%	60.4%			

Idaho's Labor Participation Rate peaked in 1998 at 71.4%.

In Feb 2022, Idaho's labor force participation rate increased +.1% for the first time since Oct 2021 to 61.9% (record low Dec 2021-Jan 2022 of 61.8%). Mar 2022 was the 2nd straight increase +.2% to 62%.

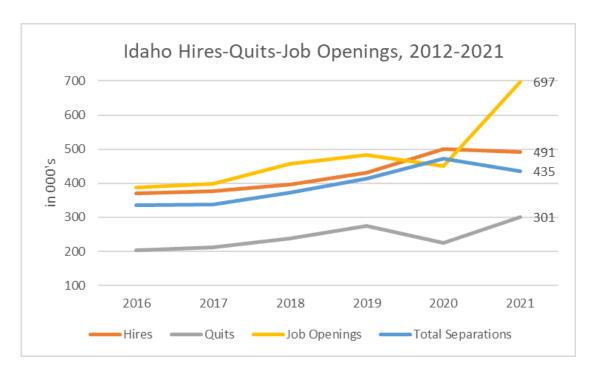
Source: US Census, Idaho Dept of Labor

Idaho Monthly Employment Changes



What is causing Idaho's tight labor market?

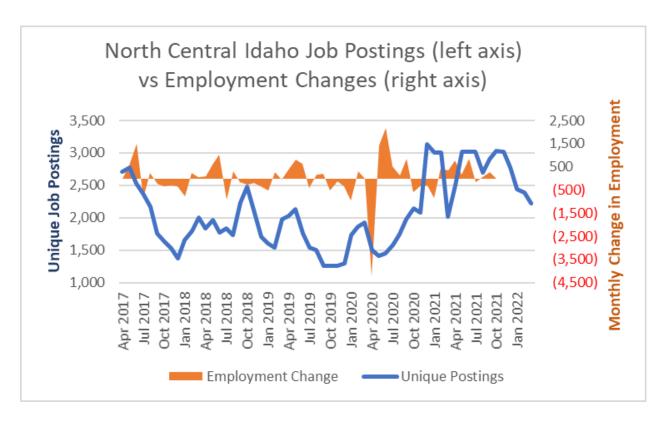
Elevated quit levels combined with robust job openings



Idaho Employment Trends (in 000's)	2012- 2019 Ann Avg	2019	2020	2021	2021 vs 2012- 2019 Avg	2021 vs 2019
Hires	366	431	500	491	134%	114%
Quits	202	274	224	301	149%	110%
Hires-Quits	165	157	276	190	116%	121%
Hires as a % of Quits	182%	157%	223%	163%		
# Job Openings	363.8	482.0	450.0	697.0	192%	145%
# Job Openings Per Hire	1.0	1.1	0.9	1.4		
# Hires Per Separation	1.1	1.0	1.1	1.1		
Quits to Total Separations	0.6	0.7	0.5	0.7		
Separations to Openings	0.9	0.9	1.1	0.6		

Job Openings in North Central Idaho

At historically high levels for most of 2021 and year-to-date 2022



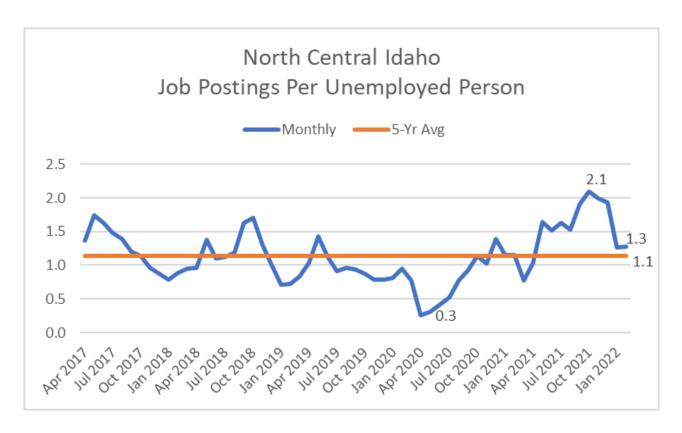
Average Monthly Job Postings:

2018-2019	1700-1800
2020	1800-1900
2021	2800-2900
Jan-Mar 2022	2300-2400

Source: BLS, EMSI Burning Glass

Job Openings to Unemployment Levels

More Jobs available than the number of Unemployed in North-Central Idaho



Average Posting/Unemployed Per Qtr

Qtr	2019	2020	2021	2022
1st Qtr	0.8	0.8	1.0	1.3
2nd Qtr	1.2	0.3	1.4	
3rd Qtr	0.9	0.7	1.7	
4th Qtr	0.8	1.2	2.0	
Idaho	1.3	1.2	2.5	2.8

5-Yr Avg (Apr 2017 – Mar 2022):

Idaho 1.6

N. Central 1.1

Source: BLS, EMSI Burning Glass

March 2022 Employment in North Central Idaho

Year over year decrease in unemployment, despite cyclical factors

Seasonally Adjusted Employment Data	Total Employment Mar 2022	% Feb 2022	ce: Mar 2020	
Idaho (Statewide)	907537	0.7%	4.2%	4.8%
North Central Idaho	52705	1.8%	6.5%	3.4%
Clearwater County	2852	2.7%	-0.5%	0.7%
Idaho County	6701	3.6%	3.6%	5.8%
Latah County	20446	2.2%	11.0%	2.6%
Lewis County	1639	4.2%	3.9%	5.5%
Nez Perce County	21067	0.5%	4.4%	3.7%

Seasonally Adjusted	Total	% Change Since:			Unemployment Rate (in %)			
UnEmployment Data	Mar 2022	Feb 2022	Mar 2021	Mar 2020	Mar 2022	Feb 2022	Mar 2021	Mar 2020
Idaho (Statewide)	24741	-5.3%	-14.1%	1.7%	2.7	2.8	3.2	2.7
North Central Idaho	1242	-18.3%	-27.4%	-20.2%	2.3	2.9	3.3	3.0
Clearwater County	47	-70.6%	-54.4%	-69.9%	1.6 *	5.4	3.5*	5.2
Idaho County	203	-21.3%	-34.1%	-27.8%	2.9 *	3.8	4.5*	4.2
Latah County	457	-10.0%	-25.4%	-6.9%	2.2	2.5	3.2	2.4
Lewis County	53	-32.1%	-25.4%	-37.6%	3.1 *	4.7	4.3*	5.2
Nez Perce County	482	-6.6%	-21.6%	-11.4%	2.2	2.4	3.0	2.6

^{* -} Likely Seasonal Fluctuations related to cyclical industries (such as Logging) and traditionally increase over April/May

Housing Affordability

% of Households Paying >30% of Income on Housing

% of Households w/ Housing Costs >30% Household Income		Homeowners		Renters			
	2006-2010	2011-2015	2016-2020	2006-2010	2011-2015	2016-2020	
Idaho (Statewide)	35.0%	31.0%	25.6%	46.2%	48.5%	45.0%	
North Central Idaho	32.3%	29.6%	28.2%	49.8%	49.5%	49.8%	
Clearwater County	29.6%	32.6%	38.6%	29.8%	36.6%	48.9%	
Idaho County	45.7%	41.2%	37.0%	43.1%	35.7%	38.9%	
Latah County	33.6%	24.7%	24.3%	60.1%	59.6%	50.6%	
Lewis County	29.0%	33.9%	29.5%	42.5%	45.9%	38.4%	
Nez Perce County	26.4%	26.6%	25.0%	42.4%	41.2%	53.4%	

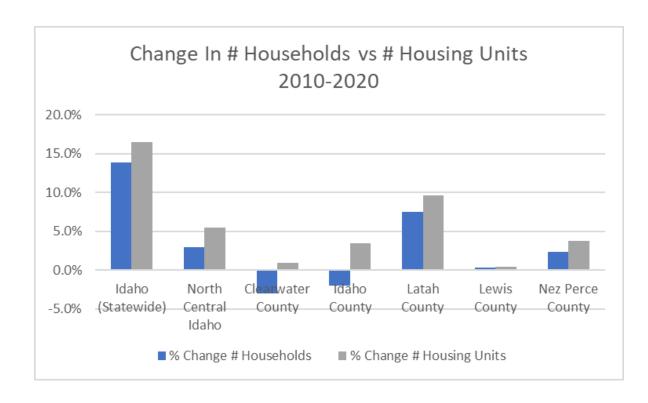
Household Growth

From 2010-2020, North Central Idaho added +1250 households (+1850 homeowners, -600 renters)

	# Households			% CH	Owner-Occupied Housing Units			Renter-Occupied Housing Units		
Household Data	2006-2010	2011-2015	2016-2020	2010 - 2020	2006-2010	2011-2015	2016-2020	2006-2010	2011-2015	2016-2020
Idaho (Statewide)	570283	589320	649299	13.9%	71.0%	68.9%	70.8%	29.0%	31.1%	29.2%
North Central Idaho	42694	43032	43943	2.9%	65.3%	66.8%	67.7%	34.7%	33.2%	32.3%
Clearwater County	3656	3648	3547	-3.0%	78.2%	78.5%	76.0%	21.8%	21.5%	24.0%
Idaho County	6596	6583	6462	-2.0%	75.8%	80.2%	77.5%	24.2%	19.8%	22.5%
Latah County	14635	15080	15737	7.5%	54.0%	54.0%	55.4%	46.0%	46.0%	44.6%
Lewis County	1644	1625	1649	0.3%	72.6%	72.4%	74.6%	27.4%	27.6%	25.4%
Nez Perce County	16163	16096	16548	2.4%	67.6%	70.0%	73.0%	32.4%	30.0%	27.0%

Household Growth vs Housing Unit Growth

On average, household size increased between 2010-2020



Household Size (# persons)	2010	2015	2020	% Ch 2010-2020
Idaho (Statewide)	2.63	2.69	2.66	1.1%
North Central Idaho	2.32	2.36	2.38	2.5%
Clearwater County	2.20	2.05	2.20	0.0%
Idaho County	2.32	2.38	2.45	5.6%
Latah County	2.27	2.32	2.34	3.2%
Lewis County	2.28	2.31	2.32	1.8%
Nez Perce County	2.37	2.41	2.39	0.9%

Household Growth vs Housing Unit Growth

Housing units up in all 5 counties, despite mixed results in # of households

Total Change	Popu	lation	# Hous	eholds	# Housing Units	
2010-2020	Change	% Change	Change	Households	Change	Housing Units
Idaho (Statewide)	259331	16.5%	79016	13.9%	85088	16.5%
North Central Idaho	5734	5.4%	1249	2.9%	2597	5.4%
Clearwater County	85	1.0%	-109	-3.0%	224	1.0%
Idaho County	556	3.4%	-134	-2.0%	195	3.4%
Latah County	3586	9.6%	1102	7.5%	1469	9.6%
Lewis County	17	0.4%	5	0.3%	86	0.4%
Nez Perce County	1490	3.8%	385	2.4%	623	3.8%

Household Growth by Demographic, 2010-2020

Single person households up in North-Central Idaho while # households with children are down

# Households With Children Age <18	Total Change 2010-2020
Idaho (Statewide)	1741
North Central Idaho	-776
Clearwater County	-309
Idaho County	-25
Latah County	-578
Lewis County	-9
Nez Perce County	146

He salada di ta	Change 2010-2020						
Householder Living Alone	# Single Householders	# Single Householder age >65	% of Total Over Age 65				
Idaho (Statewide)	32283	22712	70%				
North Central Idaho	1100	1366	124%				
Clearwater County	423	160	38%				
Idaho County	-69	222	-324%				
Latah County	664	587	88%				
Lewis County	51	72	140%				
Nez Perce County	31	326	1043%				

Housing Unit Changes by # Bedrooms, 2010-2020

0-2 Bedroom Housing Units declined while the number of 3+ bedroom units increased

Change in Housing	# of I	# of Housing Units Gained/Lost between 2010-2020							
Units by Bedroom	0-1 Bed 2 Bed 3 Bed 4 Bed 5+ Bed								
Idaho (Statewide)	7087	3473	36364	24267	13897	85088			
North Central Idaho	-152	-908	1897	1226	534	2597			
Clearwater County	76	-82	-107	310	27	224			
Idaho County	-421	-171	312	367	108	195			
Latah County	356	179	478	114	342	1469			
Lewis County	12	-160	197	11	26	86			
Nez Perce County	-175	-674	1017	424	31	623			

Between 2010-2020, the North-Central Region lost 2.4% of its 0-1 bedroom units and lost 5.8% of its 2-bedroom units.

0-2 bedroom units declined to <42% of total housing units in 2020 vs 46% in 2010. Clearwater, Idaho, & Lewis County 0-2 bedroom units as a % of total are each <40%

Household Size Compared to % Units by # Bedrooms

% of Total Households	% of 1-2	2 Person House	eholds	% of 3+ Person Households			
	2006-2010	2011-2015	2016-2020	2006-2010	2011-2015	2016-2020	
US (National)	60.6%	61.3%	61.9%	39.3%	38.7%	38.1%	
Idaho (Statewide)	60.1%	61.1%	62.3%	39.9%	39.0%	37.7%	
North Central Idaho	70.0%	70.6%	69.7%	30.0%	29.4%	30.3%	
Clearwater County	71.3%	76.2%	78.3%	28.7%	23.9%	21.7%	
Idaho County	72.6%	74.9%	71.0%	27.3%	25.2%	29.0%	
Latah County	69.1%	69.5%	71.3%	30.8%	30.5%	28.7%	
Lewis County	76.5%	75.5%	74.6%	23.5%	24.5%	25.4%	
Nez Perce County	68.7%	68.2%	65.3%	31.3%	31.8%	34.7%	
% of Housing Units by	% of 0-2 B	Bedroom Units	to Total	% of 3+ Bedroom Units to Total			
# of Bedrooms	2006-2010	2011-2015	2016-2020	2006-2010	2011-2015	2016-2020	
US (National)							
Idaho (Statewide)	33.8%	32.9%	31.2%	66.4%	67.0%	68.8%	
North Central Idaho	46.2%	43.0%	41.6%	53.8%	57.0%	58.4%	
Clearwater County	42.0%	39.6%	39.9%	58.0%	60.4%	60.1%	
Idaho County	43.7%	40.9%	36.0%	56.3%	59.0%	64.0%	
Latah County	47.5%	46.0%	46.5%	52.6%	54.0%	53.5%	
Lewis County	52.1%	41.9%	34.5%	55.9%	58.1%	65.5%	
Nez Perce County	47.1%	42.1%	40.8%	52.9%	57.9%	59.3%	

Median Household Income

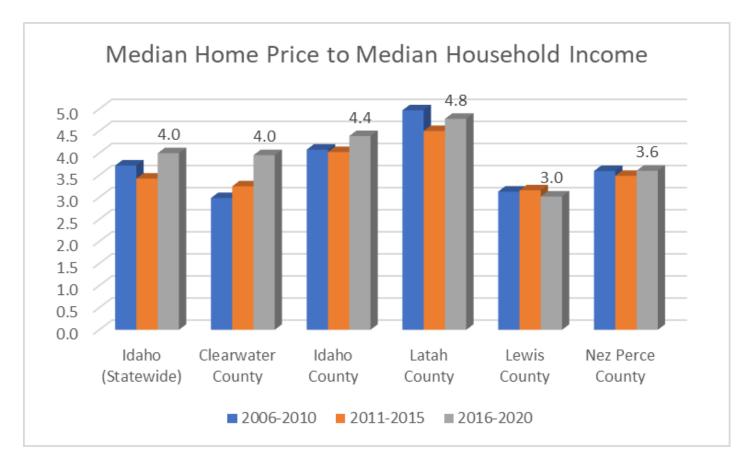
N Central Idaho averages 88% (range of 72%-97%) of Idaho Median Household Income

Median Household		Total		Total - % CH			
Income	2006-2010	2011-2015	2016-2020	2010-2015	2015-2020	2010 - 2020	
Idaho (Statewide)	46423	47583	58915	2.5%	23.8%	26.9%	
North Central Idaho	39778	43400	51777	9.1%	19.3%	30.2%	
Clearwater County	41835	38837	42413	-7.2%	9.2%	1.4%	
Idaho County	34536	38191	44951	10.6%	17.7%	30.2%	
Latah County	36974	42439	51312	14.8%	20.9%	38.8%	
Lewis County	35808	36505	49688	1.9%	36.1%	38.8%	
Nez Perce County	44395	48160	57099	8.5%	18.6%	28.6%	

Median Household	Owner-Occupied Housing			Renter-Occupied Housing			% Change 2010-2020	
Income	2006-2010	2011-2015	2016-2020	2006-2010	2011-2015	2016-2020	Homeowner	Renter
Idaho (Statewide)	55450	57628	69775	28542	29589	38067	25.8%	33.4%
North Central Idaho	51564	56329	67032	22940	26324	29514	30.0%	28.7%
Clearwater County	44856	41599	49635	27887	31230	33477	10.7%	20.0%
Idaho County	38276	41294	50115	21592	32894	33182	30.9%	53.7%
Latah County	57462	66852	76410	21566	23559	30230	33.0%	40.2%
Lewis County	39213	42736	49688	21176	25076	27457	26.7%	29.7%
Nez Perce County	56480	60934	72924	24513	27840	26634	29.1%	8.7%

Median Home Price to Household Income

Household Income Gains Lagging Home Price Appreciation



	Median Home	Price to House	ehold Income
	2006-2010	2011-2015	2016-2020
Idaho (Statewide)	3.7	3.4	4.0
Clearwater County	3.0	3.2	4.0
Idaho County	4.1	4.0	4.4
Latah County	5.0	4.5	4.8
Lewis County	3.1	3.2	3.0
Nez Perce County	3.6	3.5	3.6

	% Change 2010-2020		
	Median	Median	
	Home	Household	
	Price	Income	
Idaho (Statewide)	36.4%	26.9%	
Clearwater County	34.4%	1.4%	
Idaho County	40.0%	30.2%	
Latah County	33.4%	38.8%	
Lewis County	33.8%	38.8%	
Nez Perce County	28.8%	28.6%	

2020-2021 Home Sales Price to Household Income

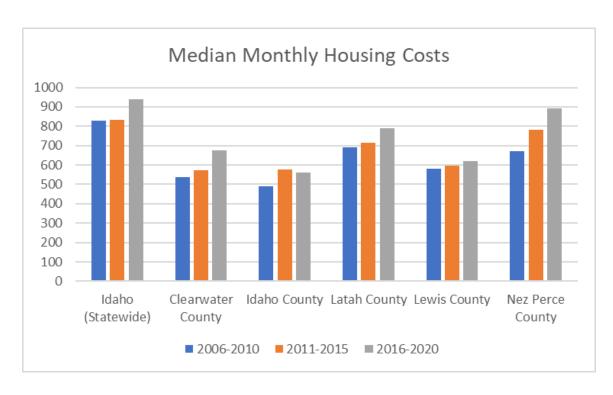
Household Income Gains Lagging Home Price Appreciation

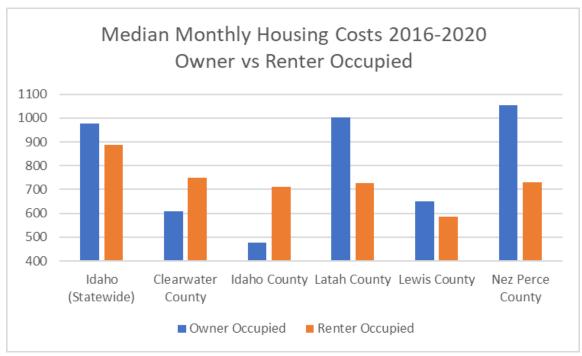
	Nez Perce County		Latah County		Idaho	County
	2020	2021	2020	2021	2020	2021
Avg Sales Price of Existing Homes	274,227	335,818	328,863	380,296	270,008	358,406
% Increase Year over Year		22%		16%		33%
20% Down Payment	54,845	67,164	65,773	76,059	54,002	71,681
Mortgage Borrowings Household Income Needed to be <3x Borrowings	219,381 73,127	268,654 89,551	263,090 87,697	304,237 101,412	216,006 72,002	286,725 95,575
Median Household Income 2016-2020	<u>57,099</u>		51,312		<u>44,951</u>	
Owner-Occupied Median Household Income	72,924		76,410		50,115	
Renter-Occupied Median Household Income	26,634		30,230		33,182	

Source: Intermountain MLS, US Census

Monthly Housing Costs by County

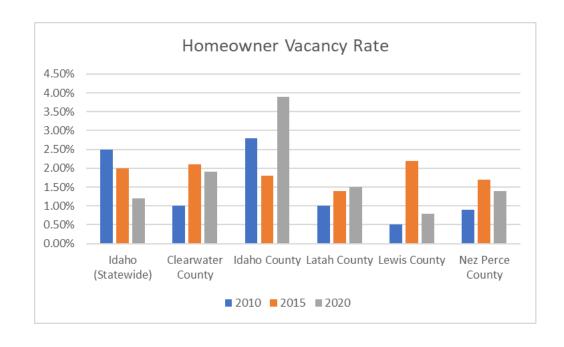
Owner Occupied vs Renter Occupied

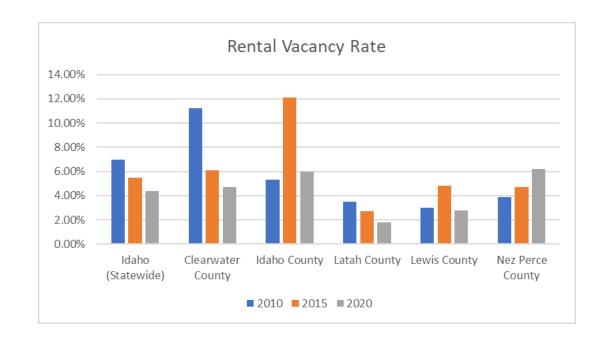




Housing Unit Vacancy Rate

Owner Occupied vs Renter Occupied





Home Price Appreciation 2015-2020

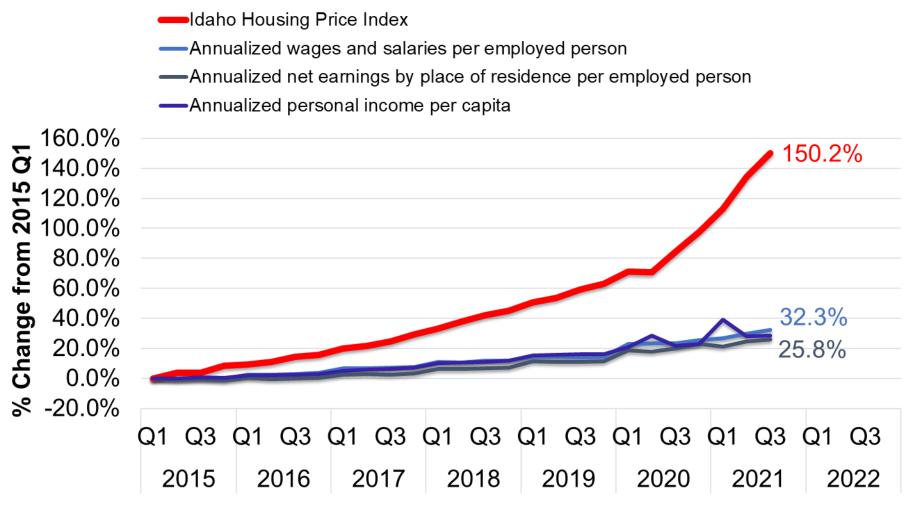
Total units up, but fewer units available under \$300k

Owner Occupied	# of Housing Units Gained/Lost between 2015-2020						
Housing Units	<\$300k	\$300- 500K	>\$500K	Total Ch 2015-2020			
Idaho (Statewide)	-36843	65157	25069	53563			
North Central Idaho	-1820	2438	403	994			
Clearwater County	-253	112	-27	-171			
Idaho County	-748	396	84	-274			
Latah County	-759	1055	275	571			
Lewis County	-15	60	5	53			
Nez Perce County	-44	815	66	815			

Inflation

House Price Index

2015 Q1 to 2021 Q3

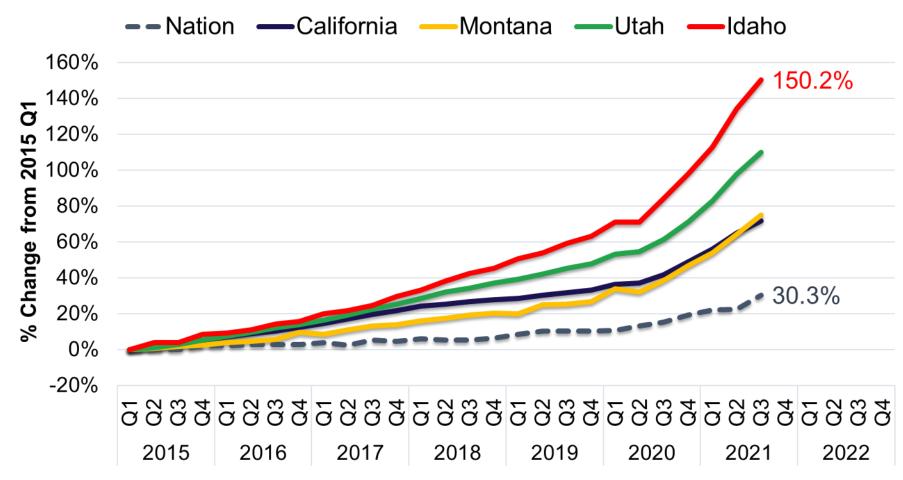


Source: Federal Housing Finance Agency, Bureau of Economic Analysis, St. Louis Federal Reserve

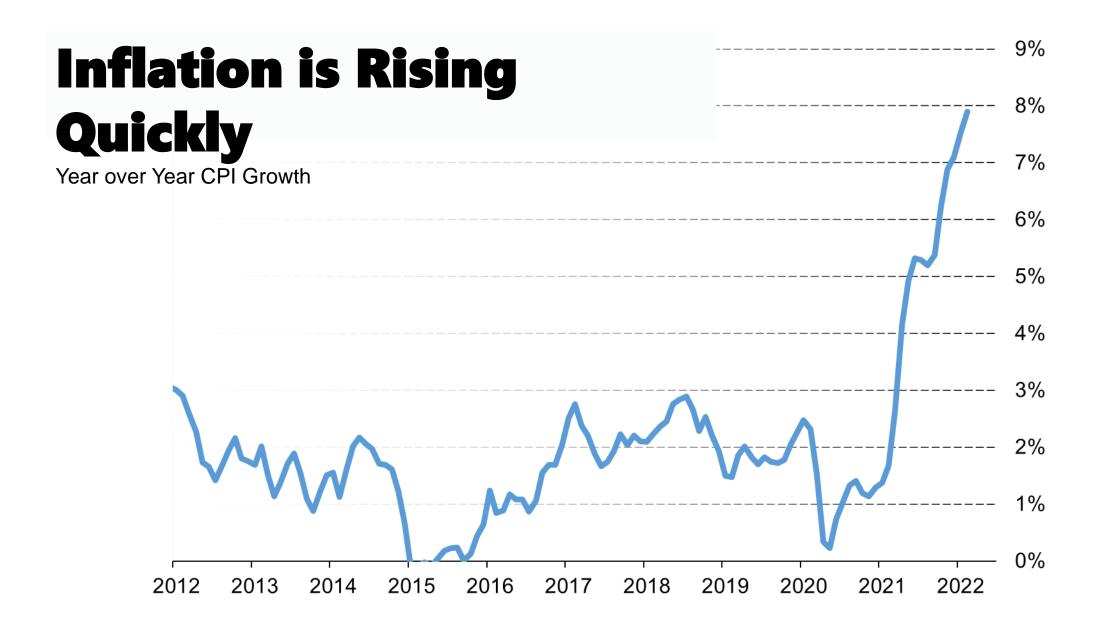


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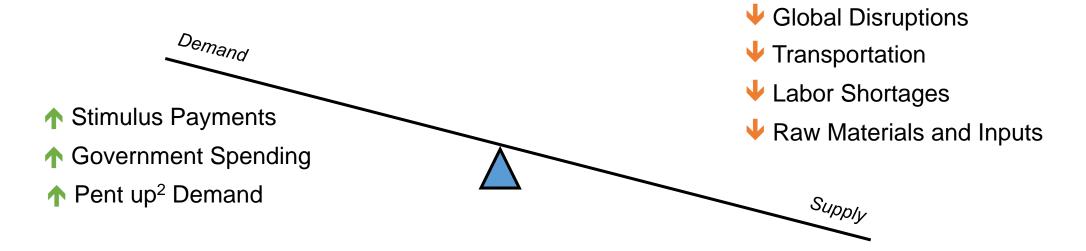


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What is Driving Inflation?

A simple supply and demand model



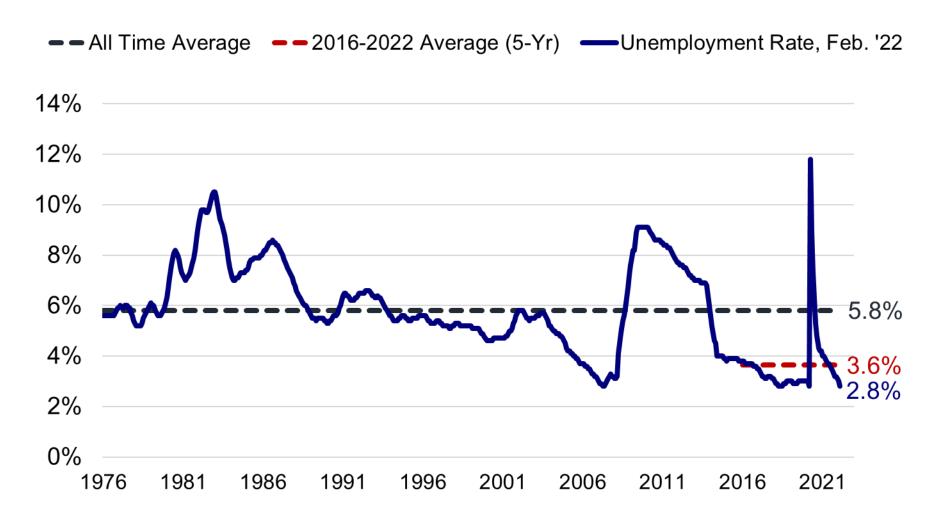
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Idaho Unemployment Rates

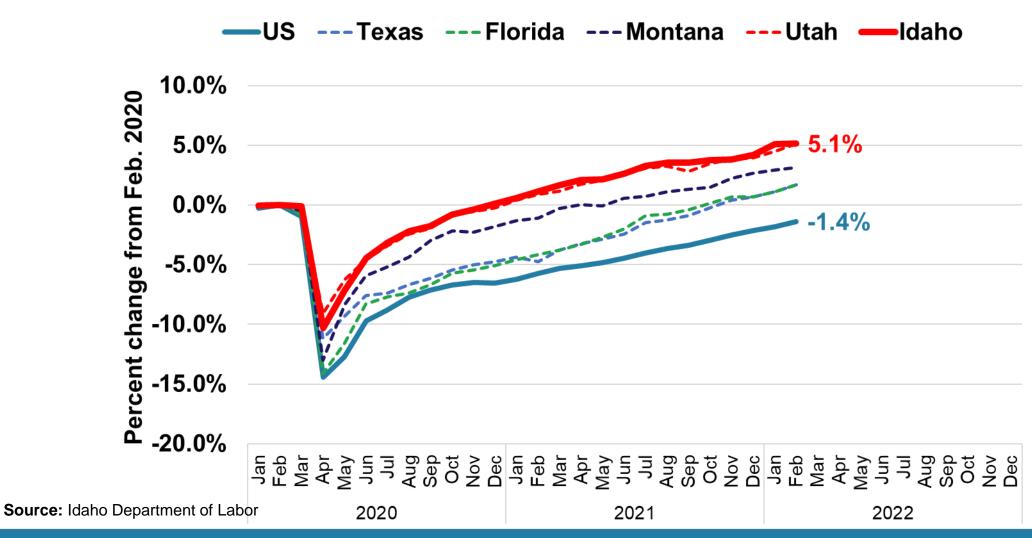
Compared with averages starting from 1976 and 2016



Source: Idaho Department of Labor

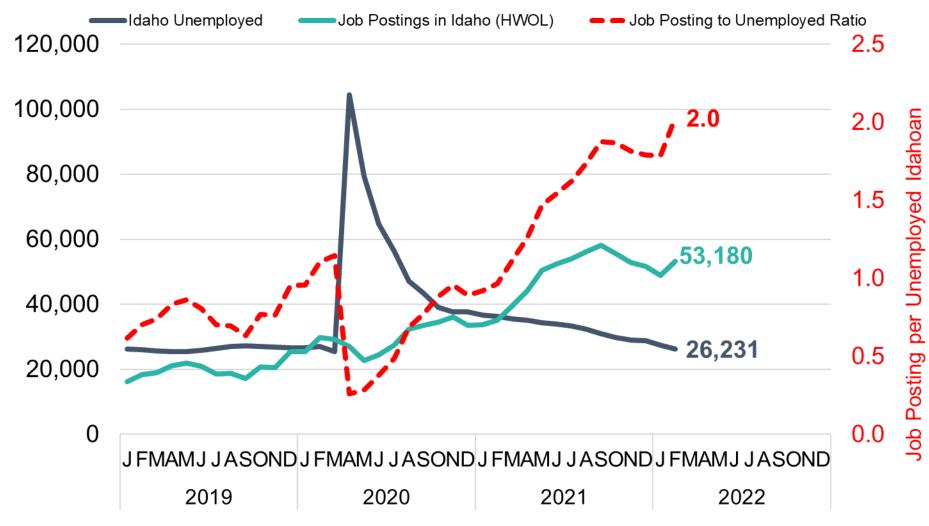
Total Nonfarm Jobs from Pre-Pandemic Peak

Idaho and other top states



Online Job Posting Index

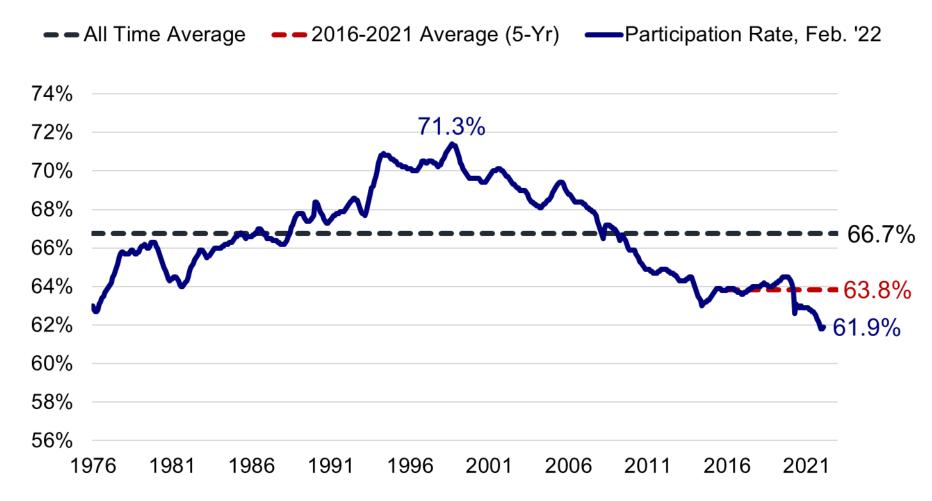
Jobs in Idaho, January 2019 to February 2022



Source: Idaho Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics, The Conference Board-HWOL

Idaho's Participation Rate

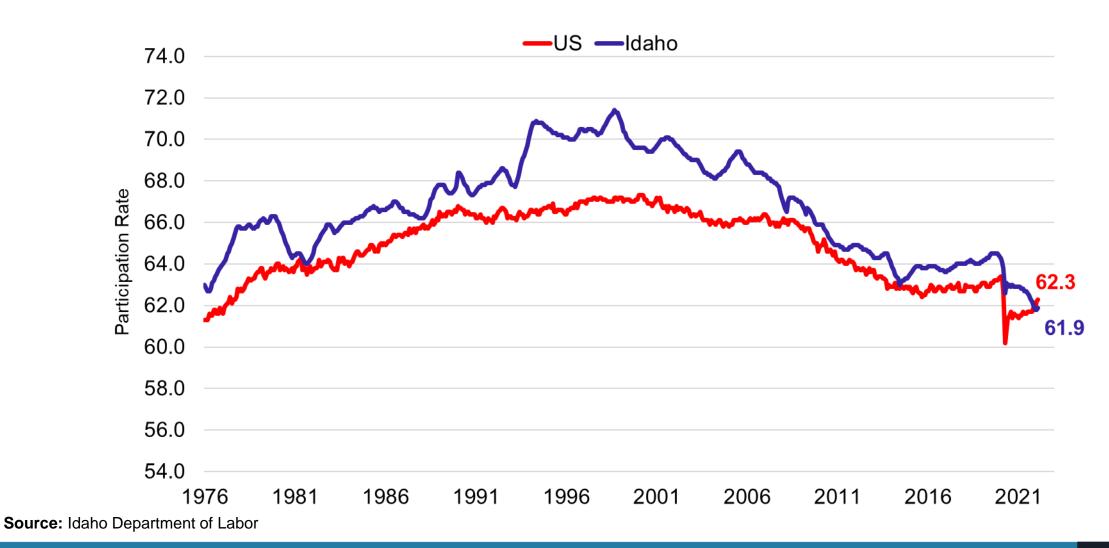
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Labor Force Participation Rate

Change from January 1976 to February 2022



What is wrong with our labor supply?

Where are all the workers?

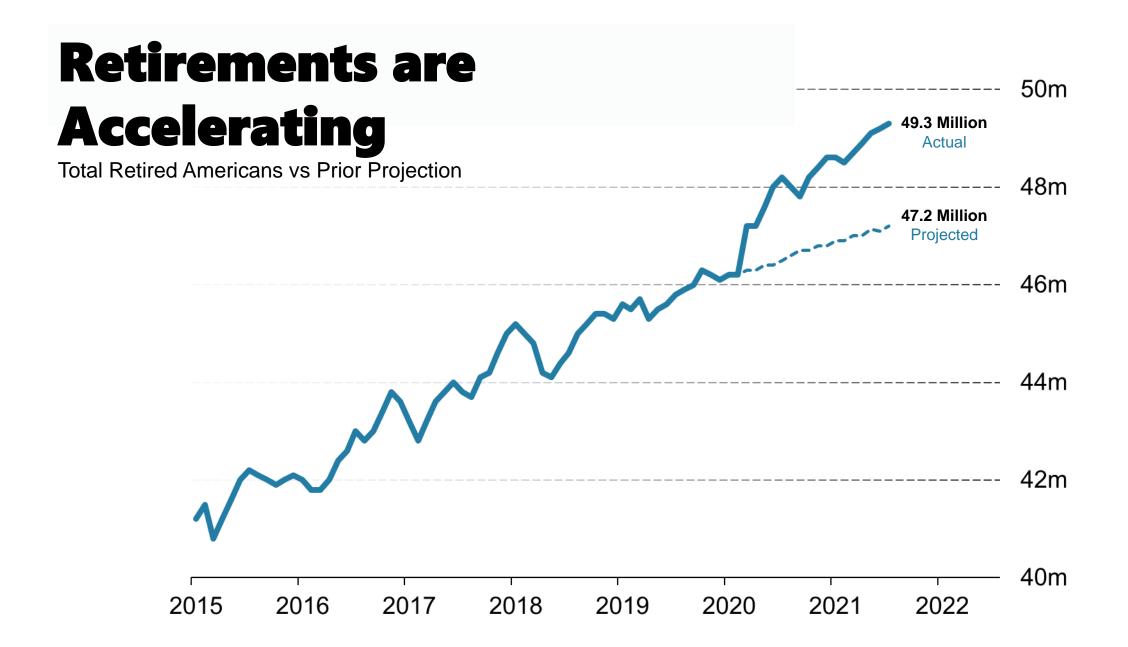
A classic economics low supply issue.

Major Causes:

- Very Low Population Growth
- Lots of Retirements
- Accumulated Savings

Efficiency Challenges:

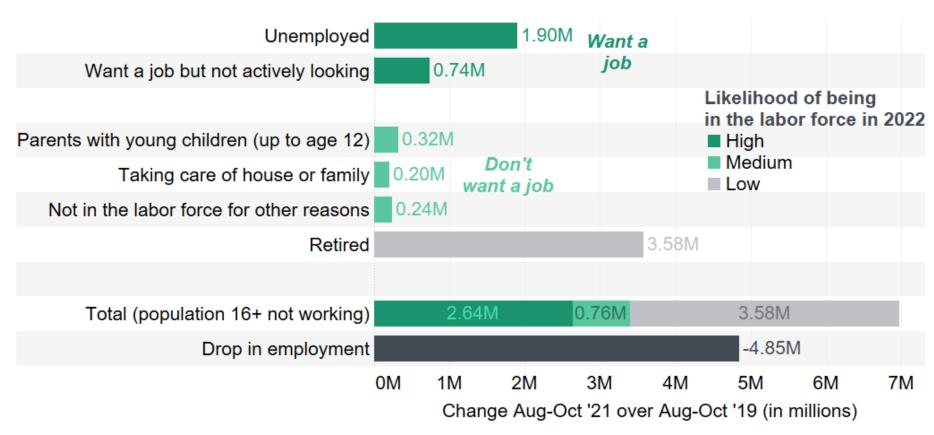
- Choosy Job Seekers
- Disabilities of Despair
- Skill Level Mismatch



Labor Force Participation Decline

National Insights

Increase in the number of people not working, by labor market status and expectation for 2022, change Aug-Oct '21 over Aug-Oct '19



Source: The Conference Board calculations on microdata from iPUMS-CPS, University of Minnesota

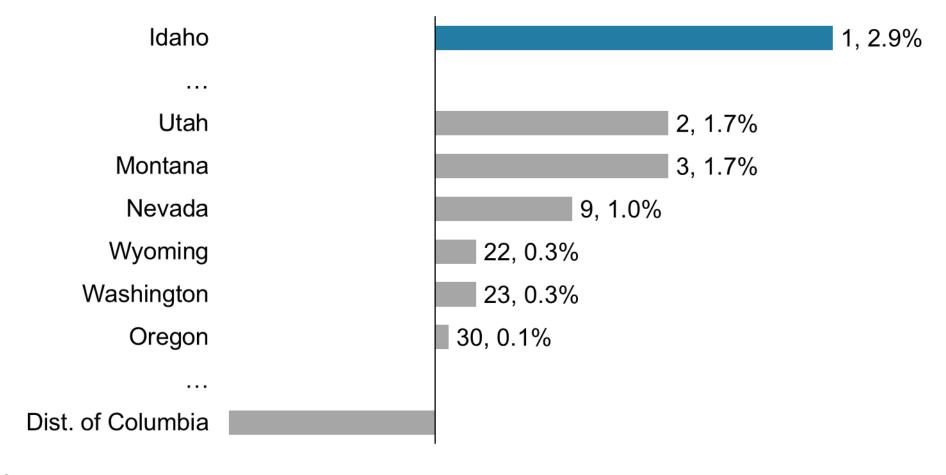
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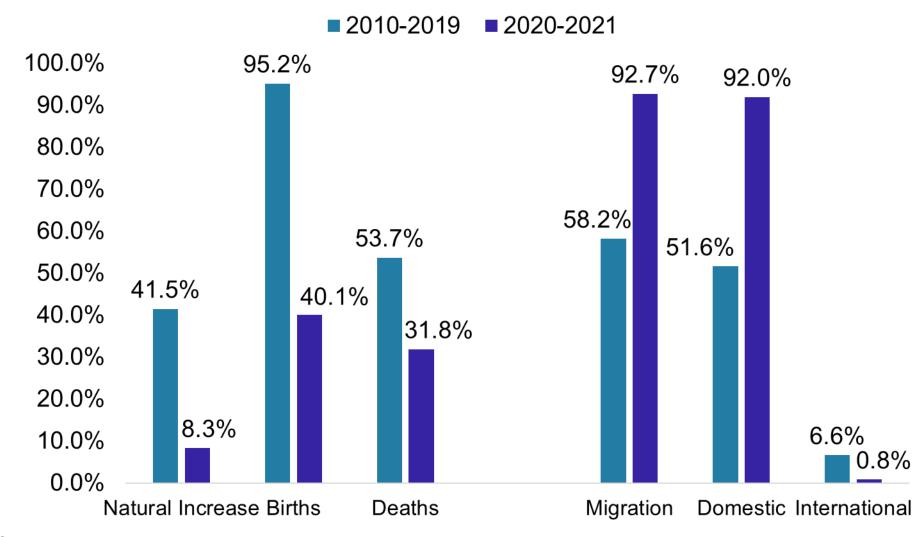
Population and Age

State Population Growth

Percentage Growth 2020-2021 with Rank, Idaho and Neighboring States

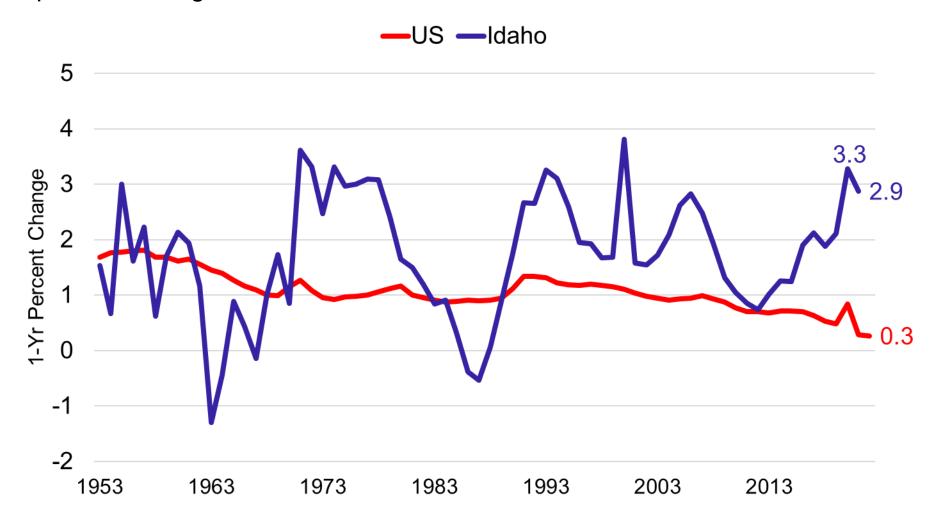


Proportions of Idaho's Population Change



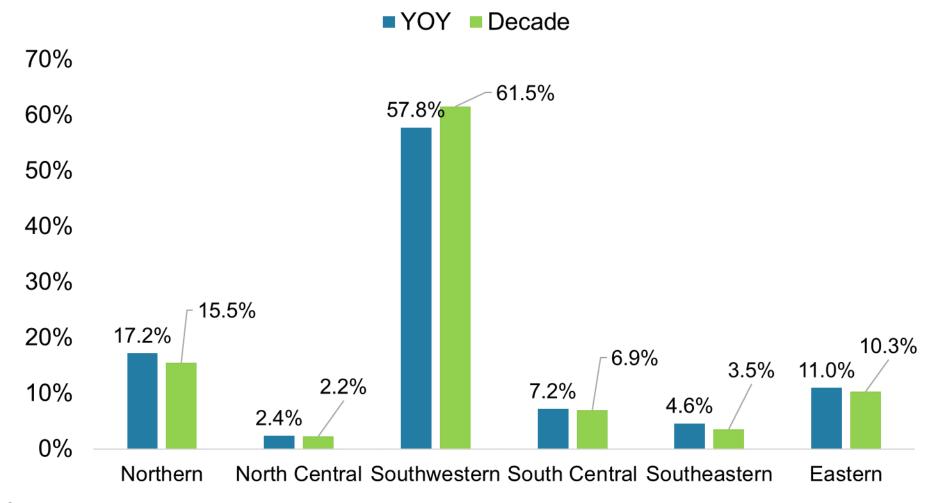
Idaho and US Population Growth

One year percent change 1953-2021

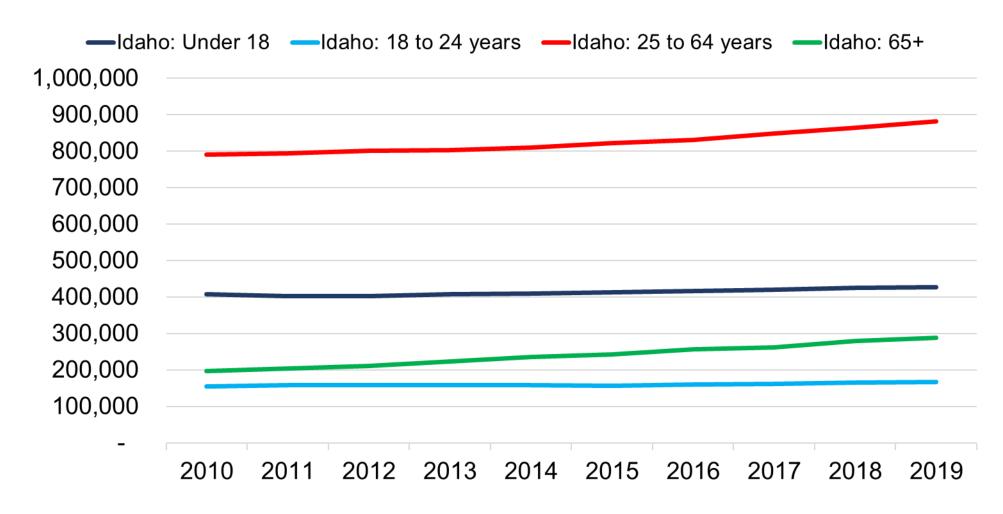


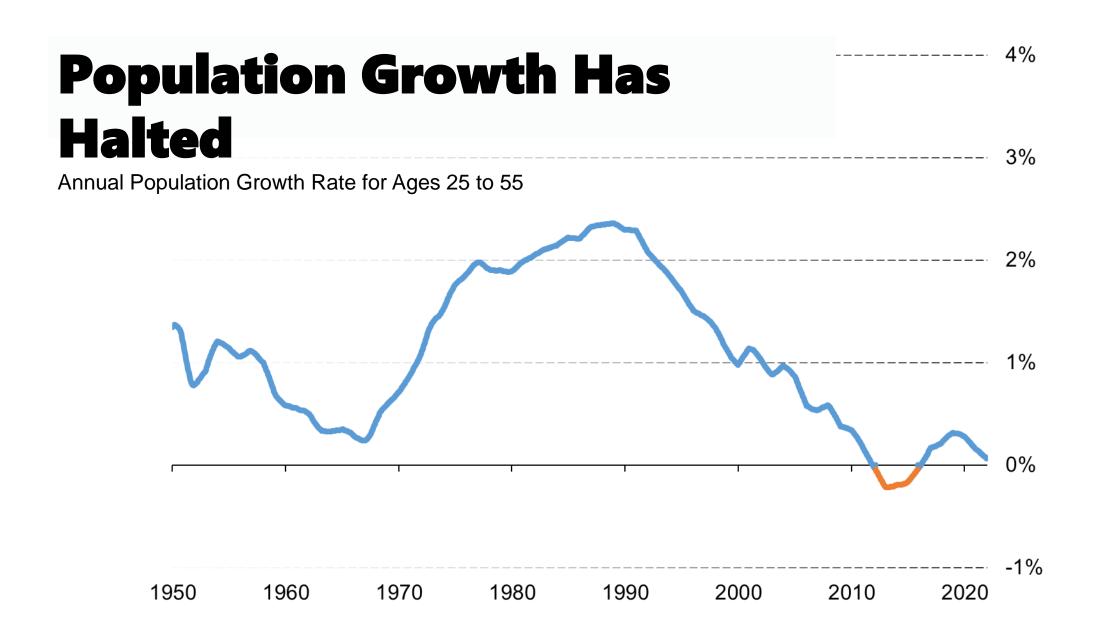
Idaho's Population

Regional proportion of state change



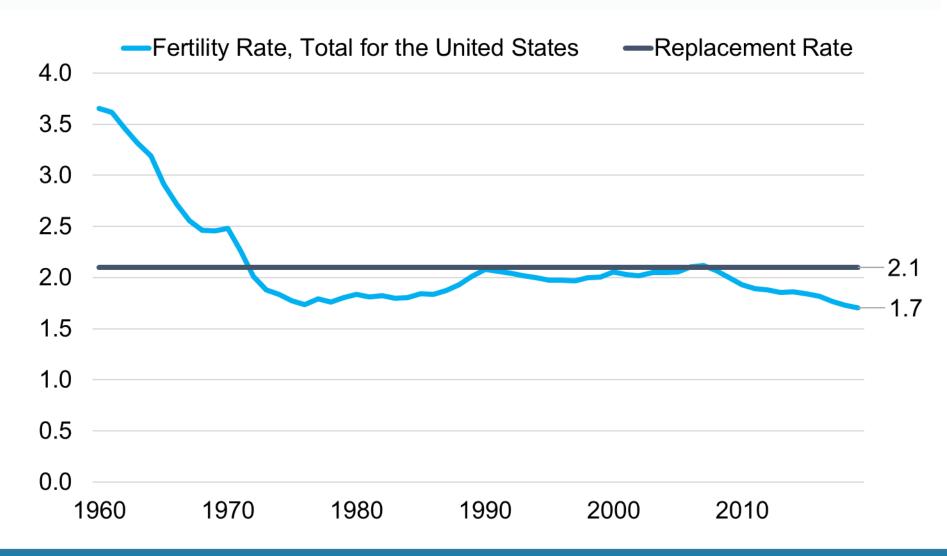
Idaho Population by Age Group

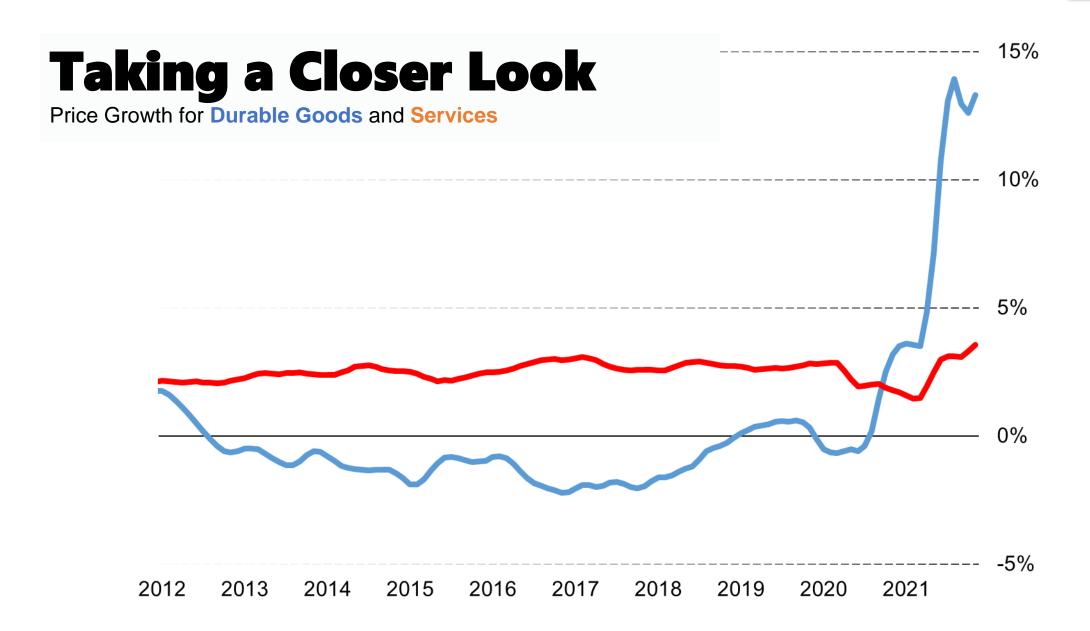




US Fertility Rates Below Replacement Rate

1960 to 2020

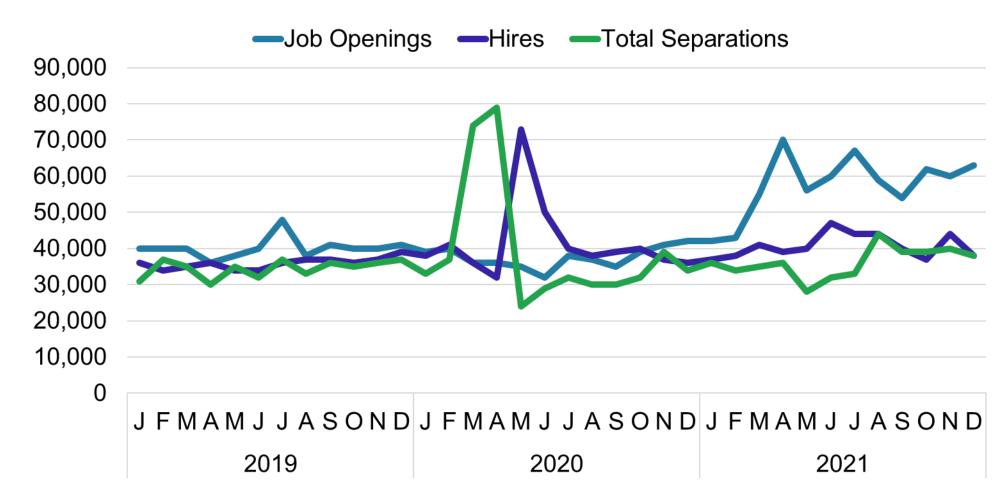






Idaho Job Openings, Layoffs and Terminations

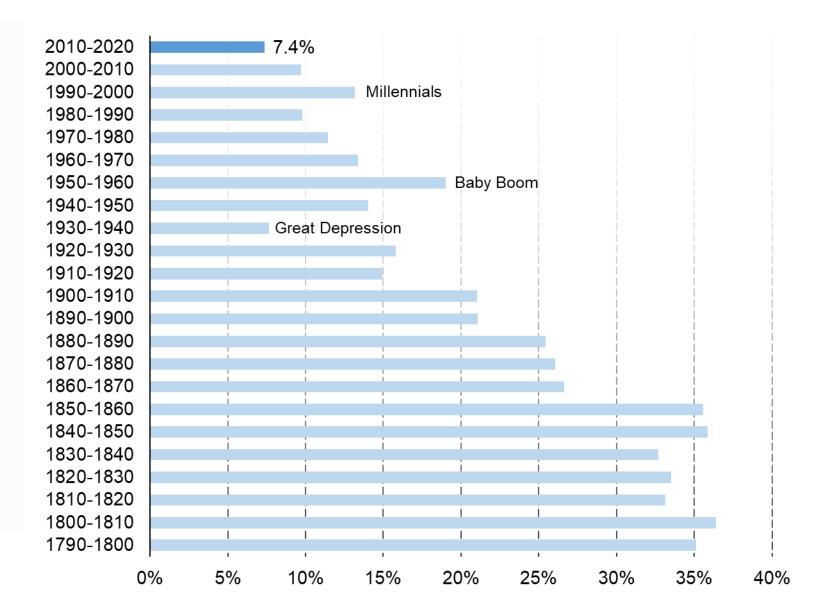
2019 to 2021

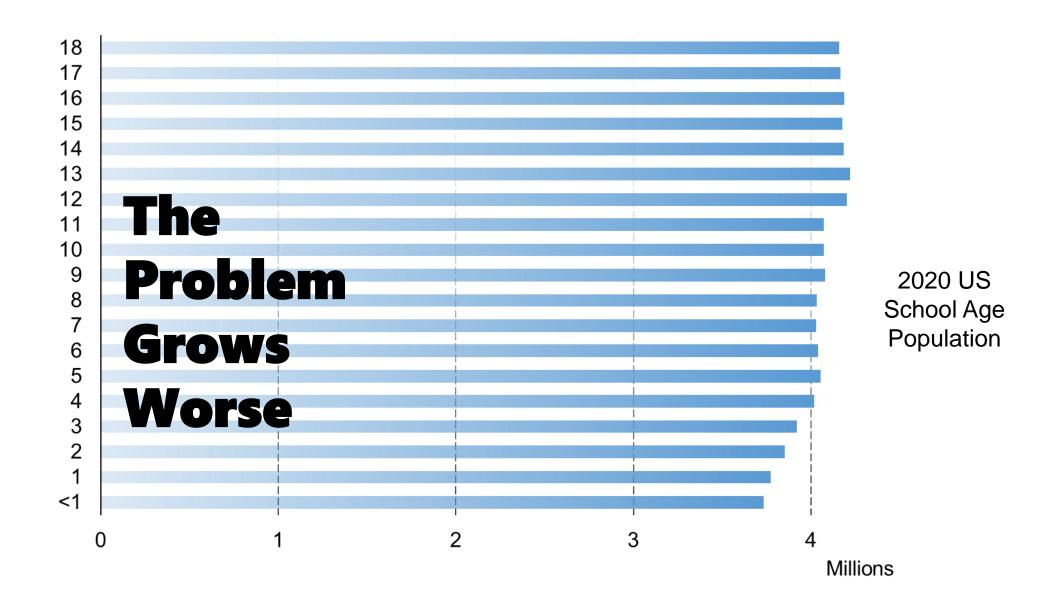


Source: Idaho Department of Labor

Population Growth by Decade

Total United States Inter-Census Growth





Components of Idaho's Population Change

