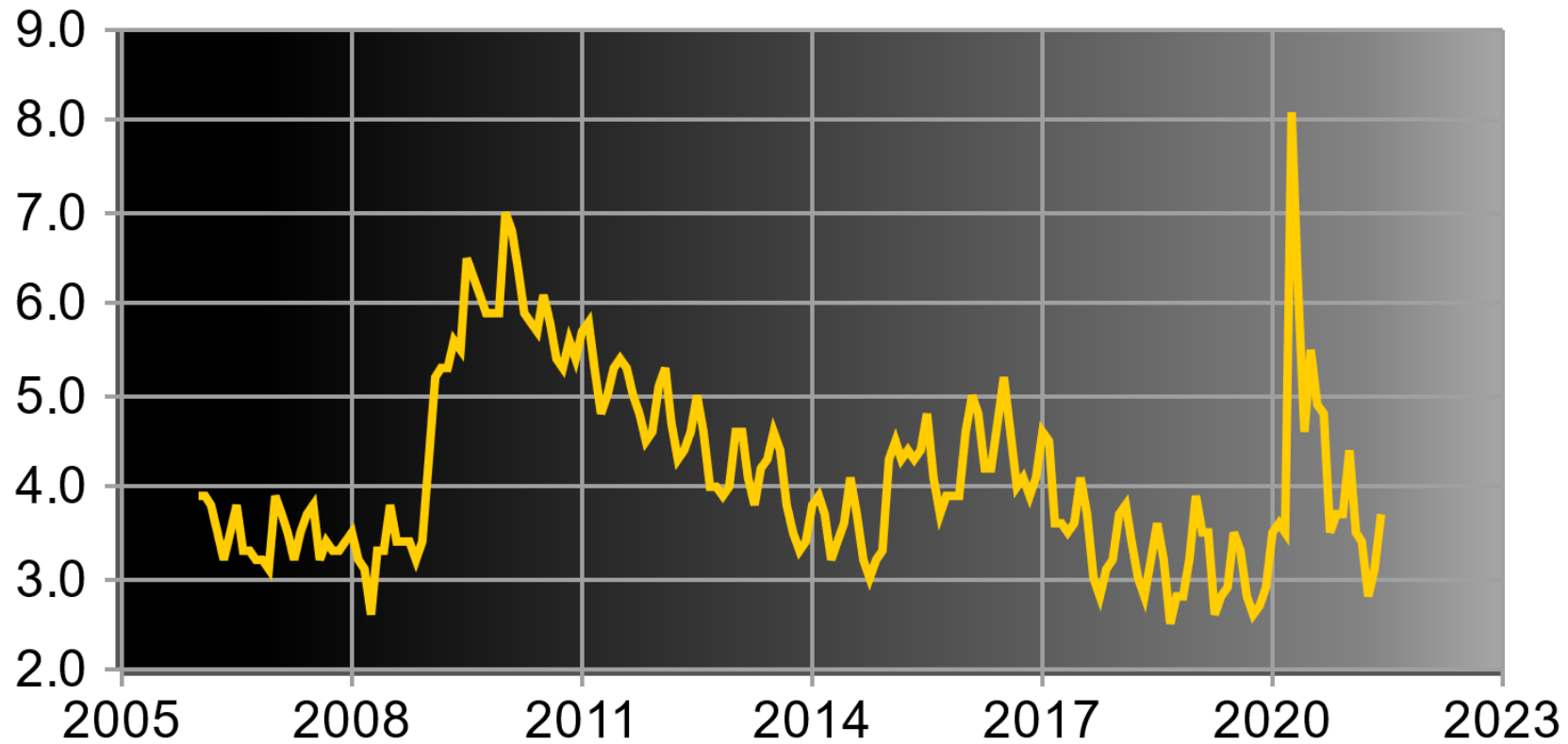




Barton County Economy

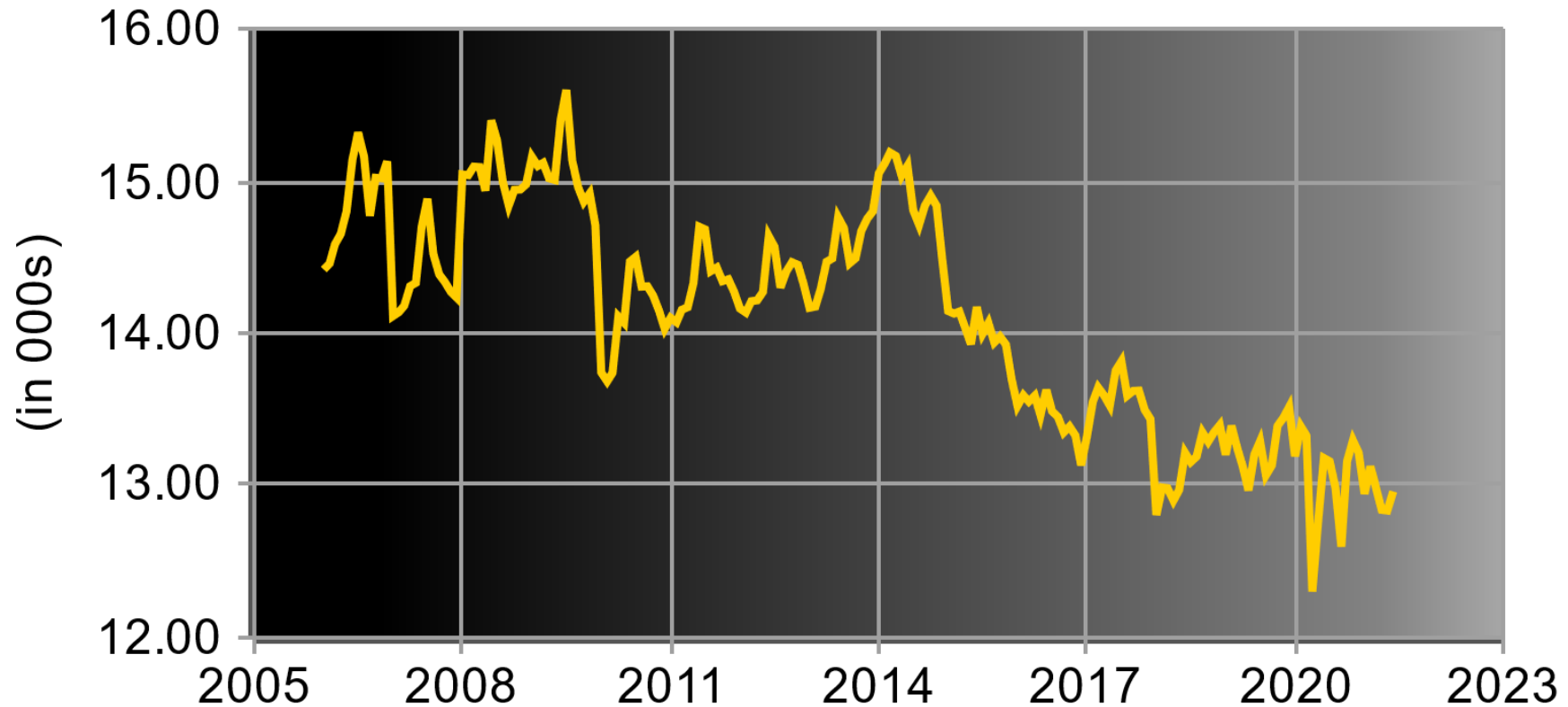
Unemployment Rate

Unemployment Rate - Barton County, KS - Civilian Labor Force (not seasonally adjusted)



Total Employment

Employment - Barton County, KS - Civilian Labor Force
(not seasonally adjusted)



Employment Growth

Industry	Kansas			Barton County		
	2019	2020	Growth	2019	2020	Growth
Natural resources and mining	19,353	18,593	-3.9%	747	602	-19.4%
Construction	63,735	63,153	-0.9%	1,006	902	-10.3%
Manufacturing	167,196	158,708	-5.1%	1,110	1,049	-5.5%
Trade, transportation, and utilities	262,383	255,582	-2.6%	2,405	2,389	-0.7%
Information	18,137	16,727	-7.8%	73	65	-11.0%
Financial activities	74,336	73,321	-1.4%	763	716	-6.2%
Professional and business services	179,211	168,833	-5.8%	687	718	4.5%
Education and health services	197,874	194,592	-1.7%	1,912	1,970	3.0%
Leisure and hospitality	130,101	110,649	-15.0%	877	793	-9.6%
Other services	34,833	31,219	-10.4%	205	184	-10.2%
Federal Government	25,487	26,153	2.6%	66	68	3.0%
Local Government	179,422	171,426	-4.5%	2,144	2,068	-3.5%
State Government	41,116	39,947	-2.8%	136	130	-4.4%
Total, all industries	1,393,184	1,328,903	-4.6%	12,131	11,654	-3.9%

Source: CEDBR, BLS - QCEW

Annual Wages

Industry	Kansas			Barton County		
	2019	2020	Growth	2019	2020	Growth
Natural resources and mining	\$47,802	\$ 47,721	-0.2%	\$ 48,606	\$ 47,935	-1.4%
Construction	\$57,030	\$ 59,094	3.6%	\$56,281	\$59,492	5.7%
Manufacturing	\$59,652	\$ 62,947	5.5%	\$39,350	\$40,451	2.8%
Trade, transportation, and utilities	\$43,539	\$ 46,006	5.7%	\$ 40,107	\$ 41,690	3.9%
Information	\$66,433	\$ 73,751	11.0%	\$41,613	\$ 42,812	2.9%
Financial activities	\$68,950	\$ 75,887	10.1%	\$49,834	\$ 52,257	4.9%
Professional and business services	\$64,553	\$ 69,540	7.7%	\$51,678	\$ 50,028	-3.2%
Education and health services	\$43,909	\$ 48,480	10.4%	\$33,839	\$ 35,486	4.9%
Leisure and hospitality	\$17,333	\$ 18,046	4.1%	\$ 14,217	\$ 14,801	4.1%
Other services	\$35,624	\$ 38,932	9.3%	\$34,807	\$ 37,834	8.7%
Federal Government	\$70,163	\$ 71,190	1.5%	\$ 50,591	\$ 49,766	-1.6%
Local Government	\$37,494	\$ 40,128	7.0%	\$ 32,465	\$ 34,054	4.9%
State Government	\$58,381	\$ 52,822	-9.5%	\$ 44,874	\$ 45,274	0.9%
Total, all industries	\$48,060	\$ 51,473	7.1%	\$ 38,993	\$ 40,241	3.2%

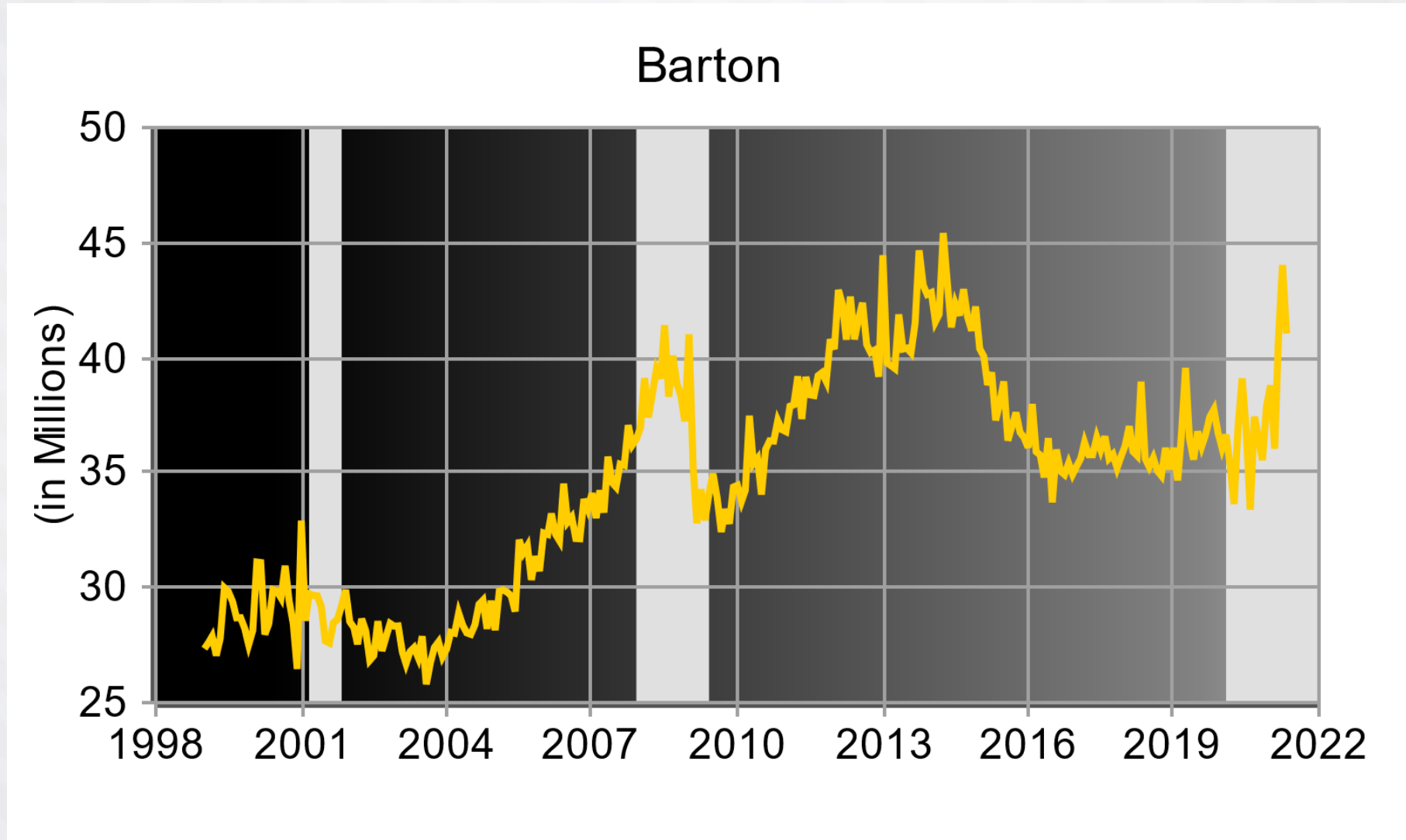
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Business Establishments

Industry	Kansas			Barton County		
	2019	2020	Growth	2019	2020	Growth
Natural resources and mining	2,612	2,624	0.5%	105	97	-7.6%
Construction	7,399	7,400	0.0%	83	79	-4.8%
Manufacturing	3,105	3,118	0.4%	40	36	-10.0%
Trade, transportation, and utilities	19,844	19,606	-1.2%	214	210	-1.9%
Information	1,386	1,570	13.3%	11	11	0.0%
Financial activities	8,744	8,798	0.6%	96	93	-3.1%
Professional and business services	16,598	16,949	2.1%	94	95	1.1%
Education and health services	10,085	10,383	3.0%	84	82	-2.4%
Leisure and hospitality	6,871	6,834	-0.5%	75	72	-4.0%
Other services	5,938	5,903	-0.6%	58	54	-6.9%
Federal Government	1,222	1,217	-0.4%	12	11	-8.3%
Local Government	999	951	-4.8%	55	55	0.0%
State Government	2,714	2,724	0.4%	15	15	0.0%
Total, all industries	87,517	88,077	0.6%	942	910	-3.4%

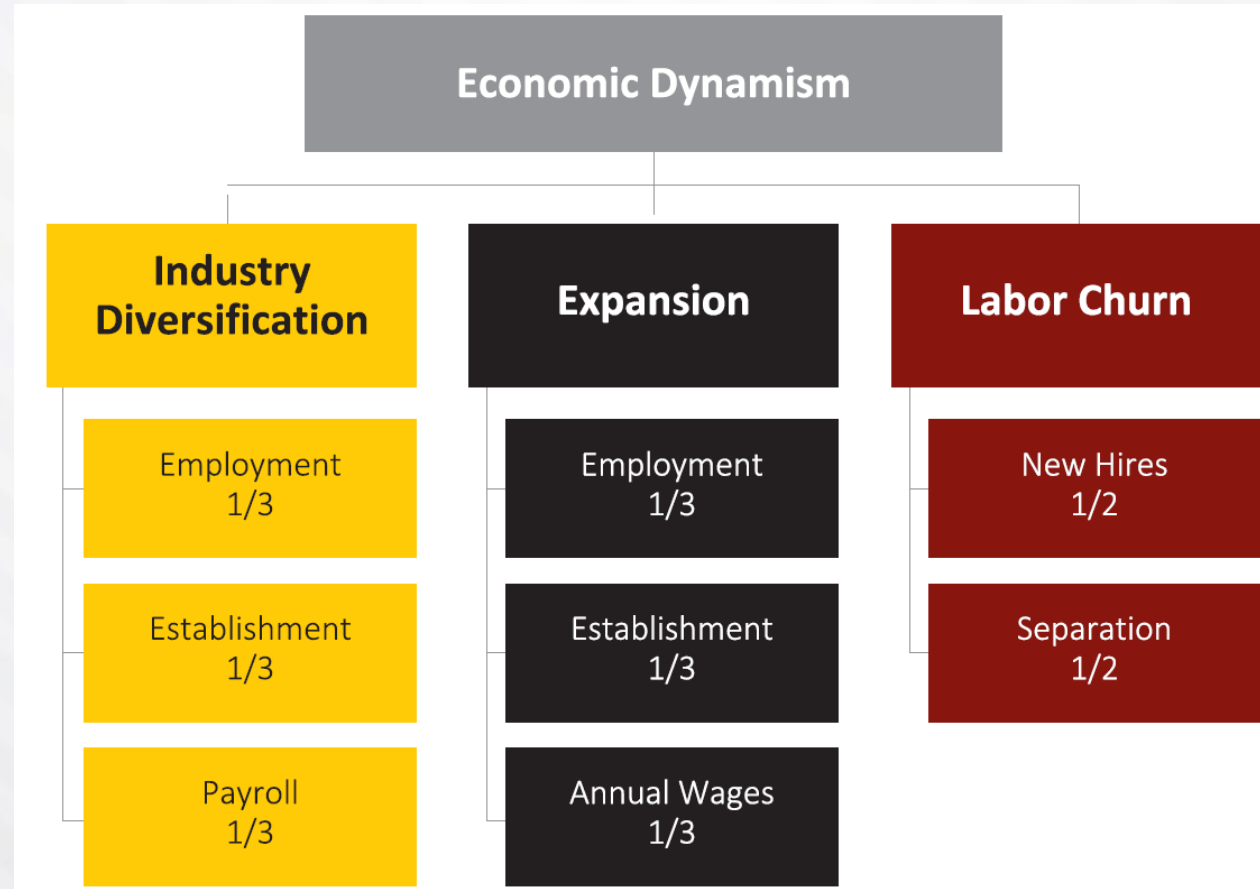
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Seasonally Adjusted Retail Sales

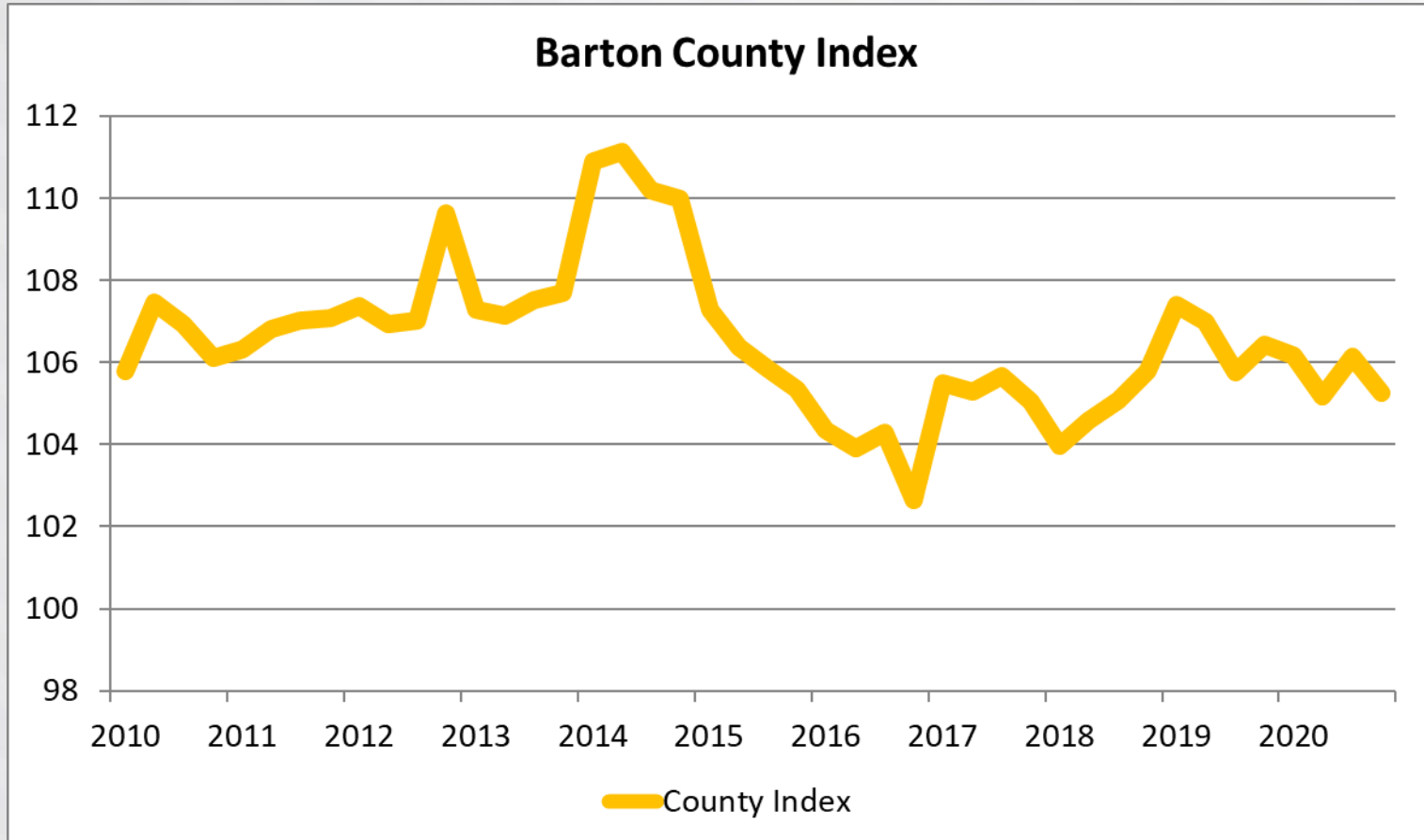


Business Dynamism Index

- The index measures the dynamism of the business environment in three areas: industry diversification, business expansion, and labor churn.

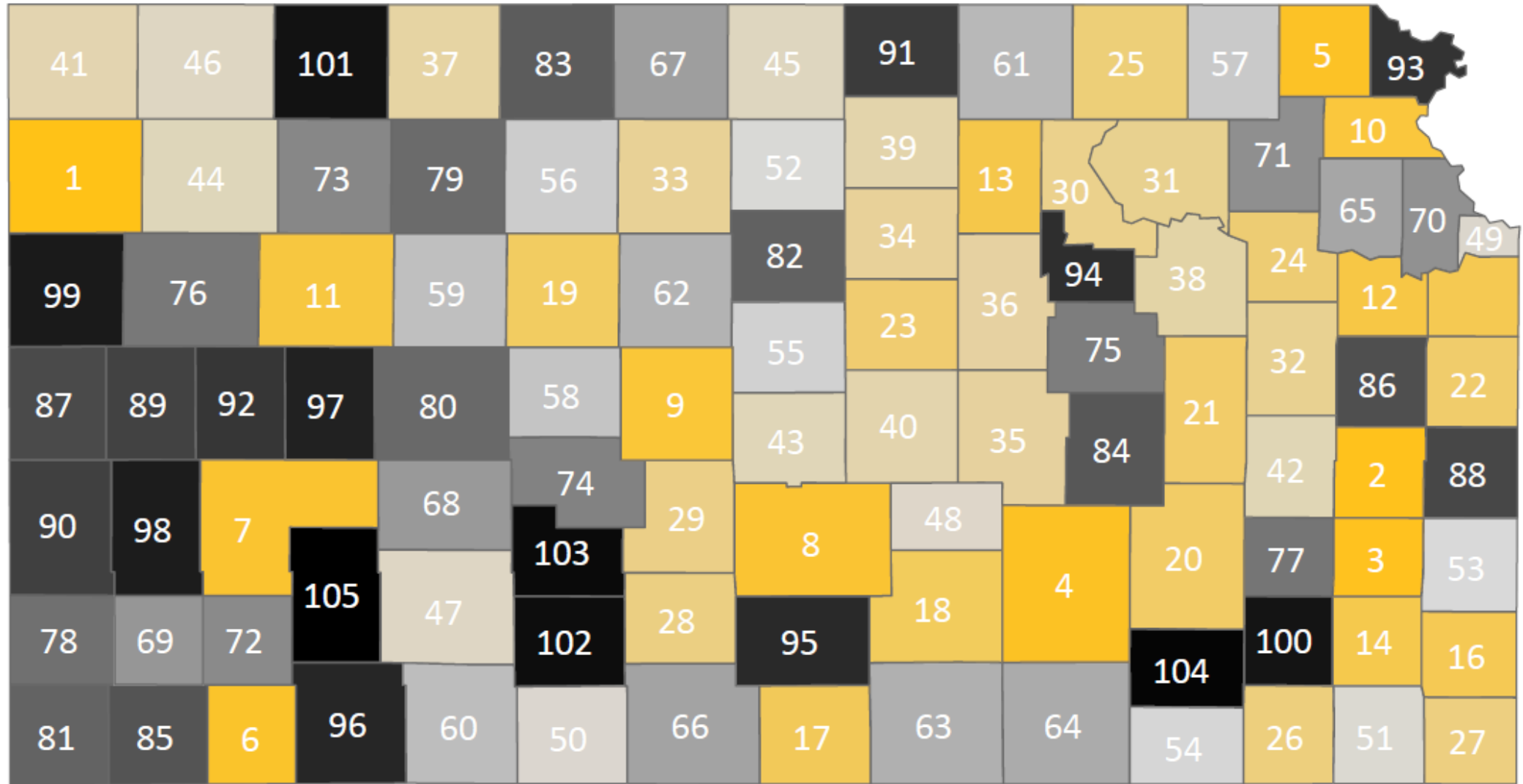


County Index



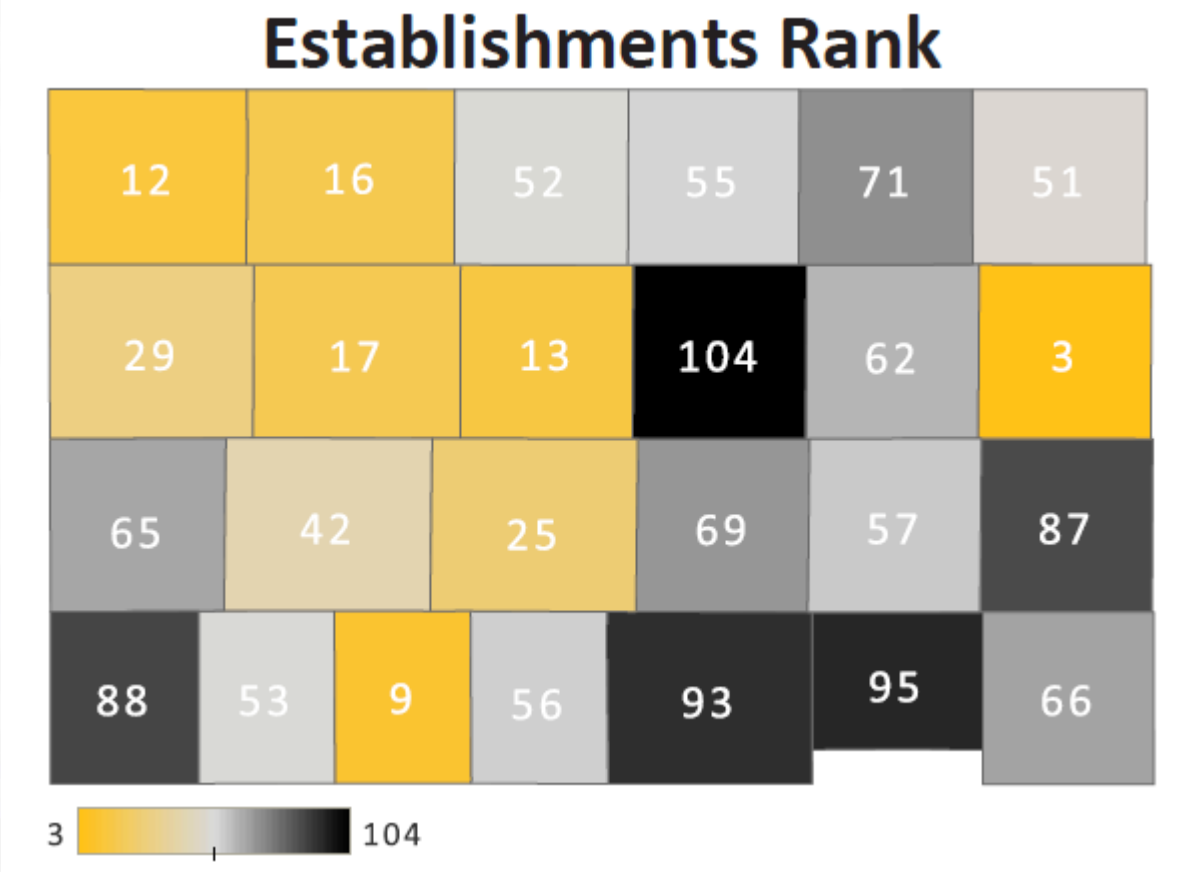
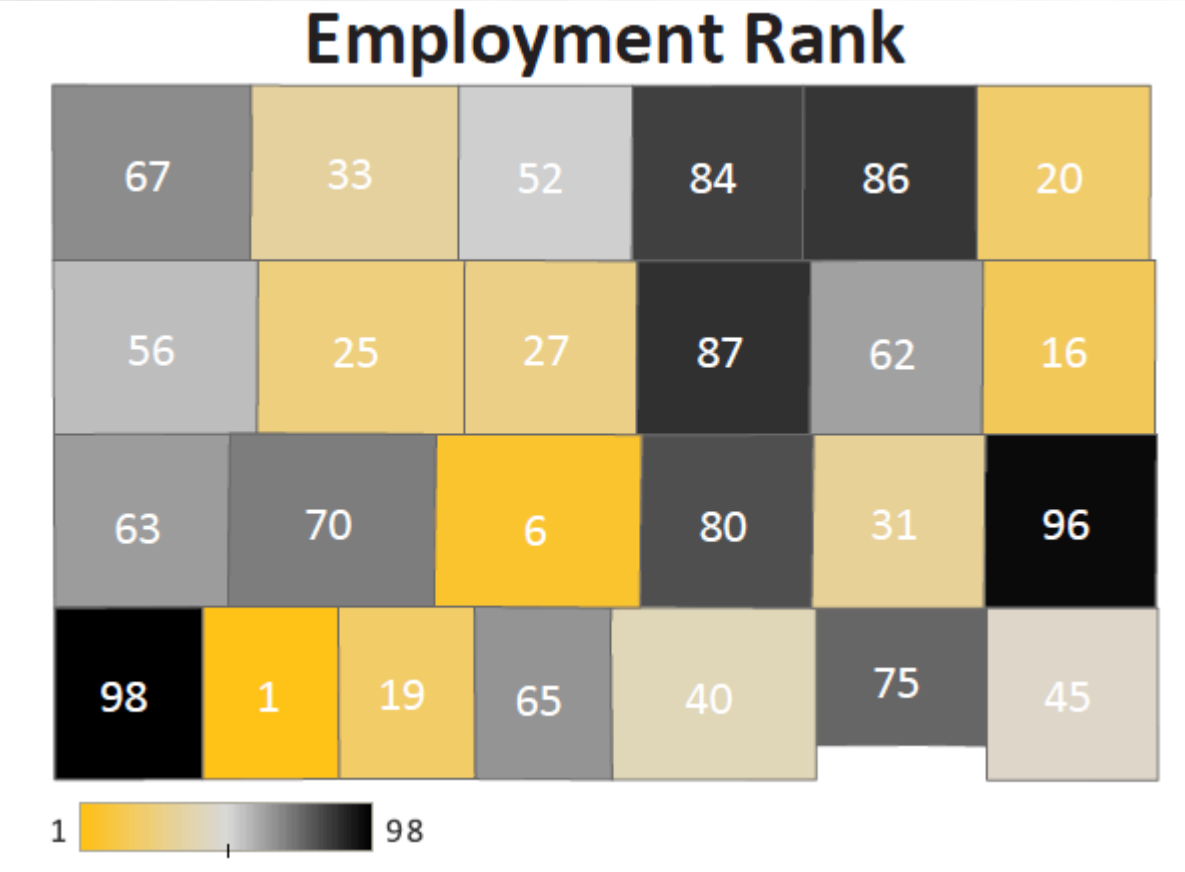
- The CEDBR County Economic Conditions Index is based on employment, retail sales, average wages, and the unemployment rate.

Kansas Business Dynamism Index, 2021



Business Expansion

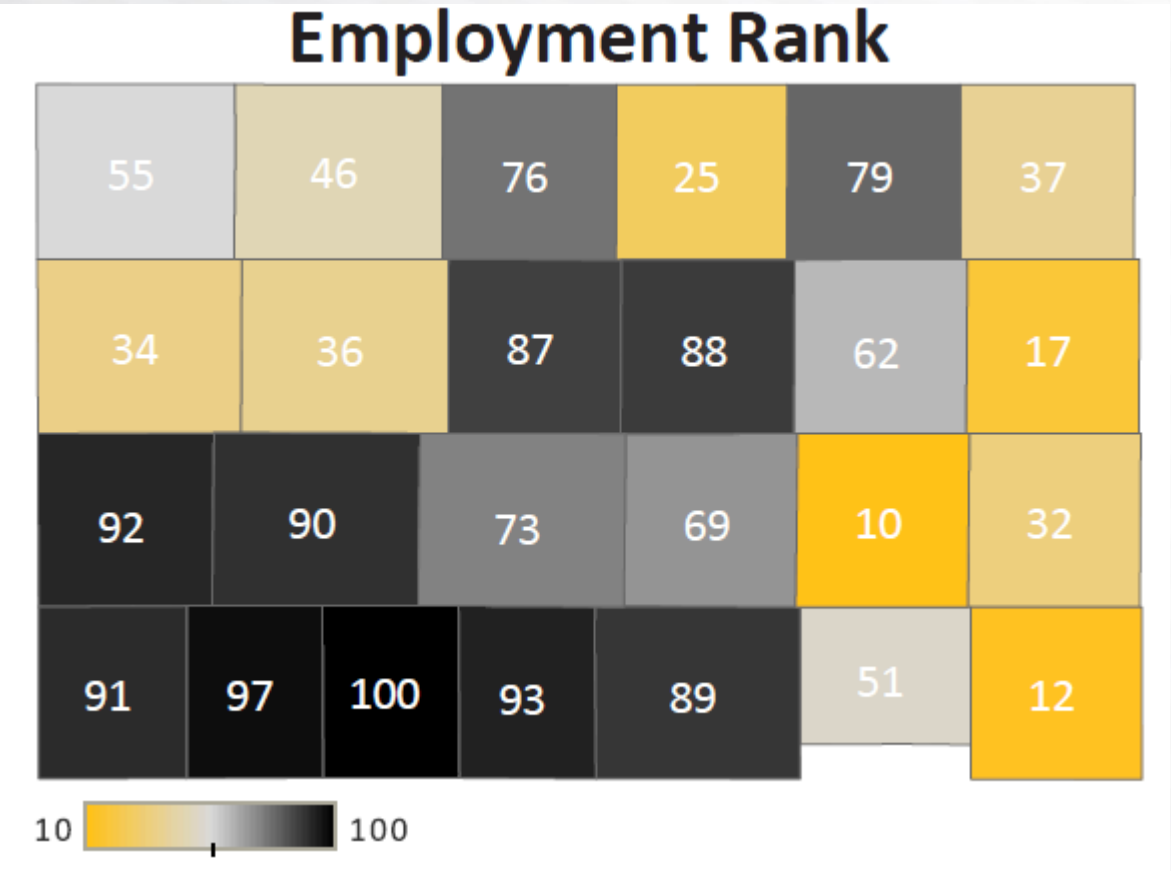
- Barton County ranked 64th highest overall in the state for business expansion.



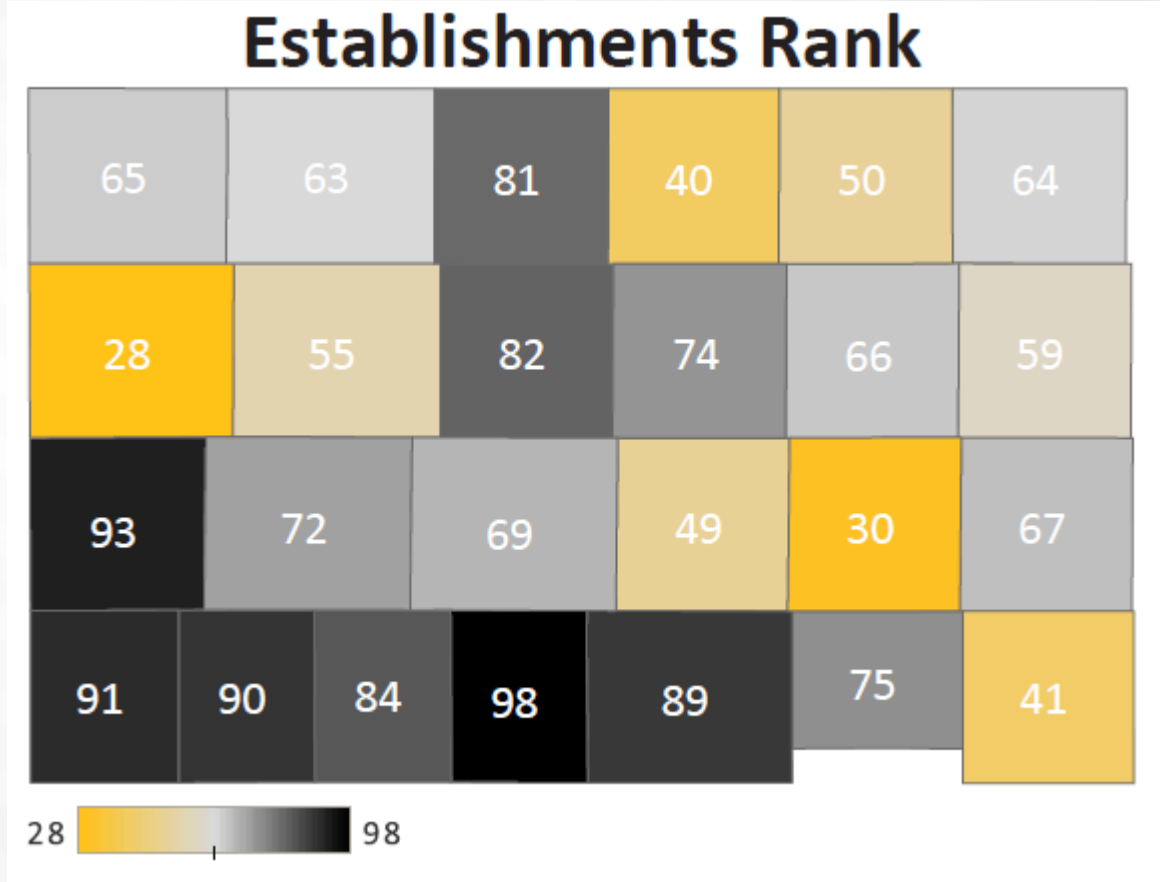
Business Diversification

- Barton County ranked 19th highest overall in the state.

Employment Rank



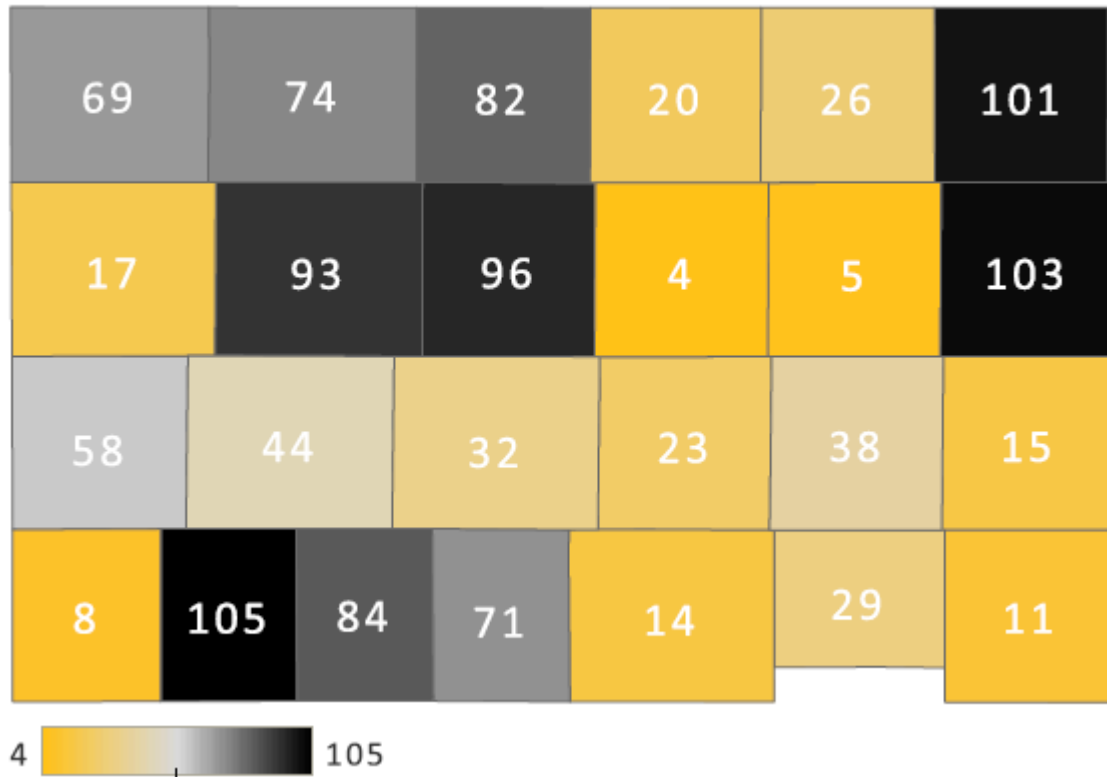
Establishments Rank



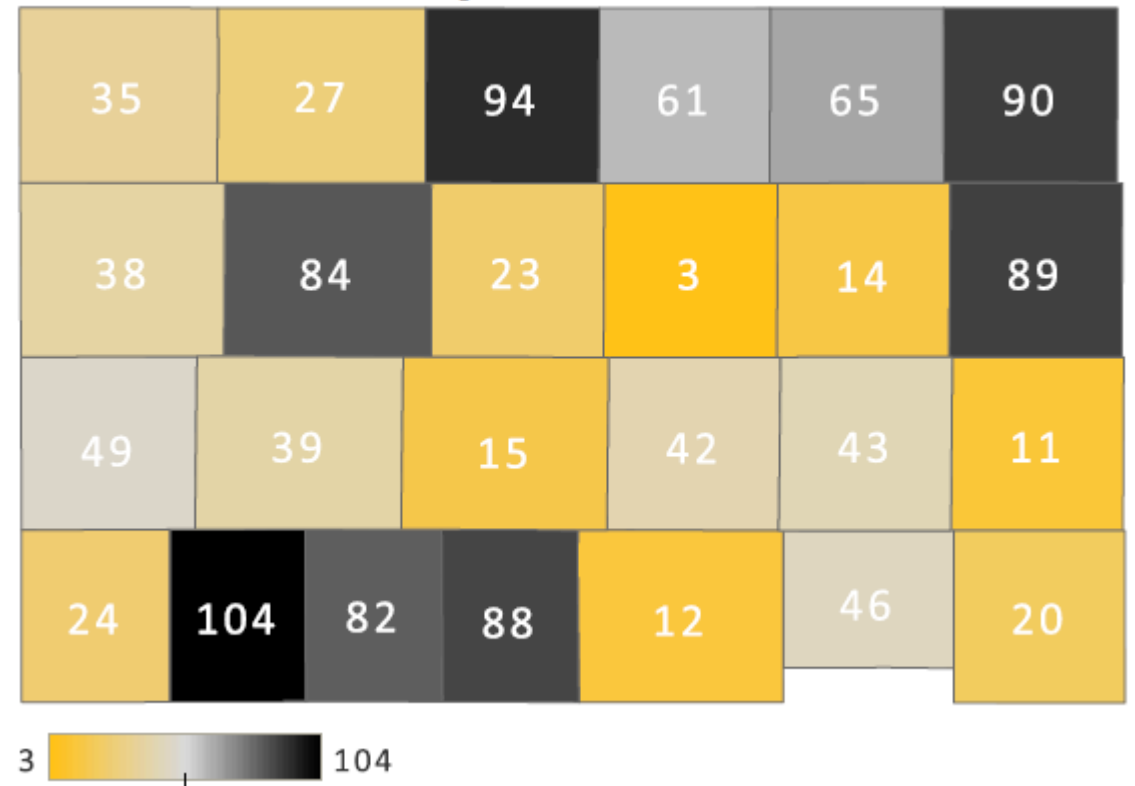
Labor Churn

- Barton County ranked 13th highest overall in the state.

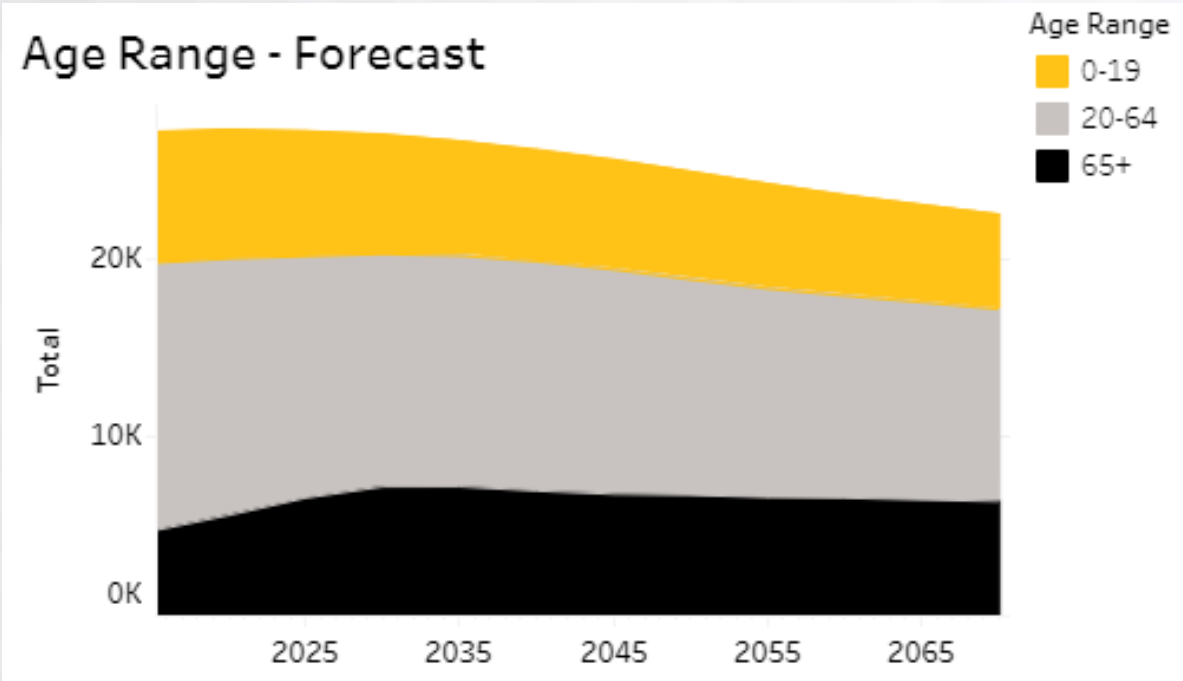
New Employment



Separations



Population Forecast, 2020 to 2070



- Total population projected to decline 17.4 percent by 2070
- Population expected to begin to decline by 2025
- 65 and older population projected to increase by 34.7 percent by 2070

	2020	2025	2030	2035	2040	2045	2050	2055	2060	2065	2070
Total	27,232	27,186	26,954	26,601	26,144	25,572	24,901	24,215	23,599	23,043	22,506
% Diff Total	0.48%	-0.17%	-0.85%	-1.31%	-1.72%	-2.19%	-2.62%	-2.75%	-2.54%	-2.36%	-2.33%