



HILLSDALE COUNTY, MICHIGAN LABOR FORCE CHARACTERISTICS ¹								
Civilian Labor Force	Jul-10	2009	2008	2007	2006			
Unemployment Rate (not seasonally adjusted)	16.9%	17.4%	10.3%	8.5%	7.6%			
Employment by Industry	Total Number Employed				% of Total Employed Persons			
	Dec-09	2008	2004	2018 Projection	Dec-09	2008	2004	2018 Projection
Natural Resources and Mining	334	345	345	286	3%	3%	2%	2%
Construction	237	282	512	281	2%	2%	4%	2%
Manufacturing	2,506	3,196	4,298	2,281	22%	26%	30%	19%
Trade, Transportation & Utilities	1,931	1,970	2,195	2,026	17%	16%	16%	17%
Professional & Business Services	953	1,223	1,381	1,178	8%	10%	10%	10%
Other Services	445	439	419	502	4%	4%	3%	4%
Financial Activities	343	314	320	366	3%	3%	2%	3%
Information	209	200	167	217	2%	2%	1%	2%
Education and Health Services	1,473	1,468	1,462	1,849	13%	12%	10%	15%
Leisure and Hospitality	657	696	729	713	6%	6%	5%	6%
Private Industry - Total	9,088	10,133	11,828	9,698	80%	82%	84%	80%
Government (includes unclassified and ND)	2,264	2,247	2,306	2,422	20%	18%	16%	20%
Total, all industries	11,352	12,380	14,134	12,120	100%	100%	100%	100%
Occupations	Number (#)	Percent (%)						
Management, professional & related	2,724	24.0%						
Service	1,680	14.8%						
Sales and office	2,475	21.8%						
Farming, fishing and forestry	170	1.5%						
Construction, extraction, maintenance & repair	1,203	10.6%						
Production, transportation & material moving	3,110	27.4%						
Commute Times ²	Miles							
Median	24.5							
Education & Labor Force	Enrollment	Graduates						
High School (Public/Private)	759							
High School Students Enrolling in College	N/A							
Community College (Full-Time)	11,907	1,603						
4 Year University (Full-Time)	11,939	2,604						
Military Presence	Civilian Employment	Military Personnel	Annual # of Military Personnel Discharge	# of Military Dependents				
Names of Installations								
N/A								
Total								

¹ Source: Bureau of Labor Statistics, 2010

² Source: Census Bureau, American FactFinder, 2010

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