### December 2022 Labor Market Update

San Jose-Sunnyvale-Santa Clara Metropolitan Statistical Area Santa Clara County + San Benito County



#### Market Signals

- MSA added 300 jobs November—December vs. 4 jobs prior month
  - +47,100 (+4.1%) December 2021–December 2022
    - All sectors up, except Financial Activities down 1,100, Govt down 1,300
- US economy added 223,000 in December, more than 500K in Jan
- Unemployment rates stable within narrow margin
- January Fed rate increase 0.25 percentage points, down from previous hikes
- January inflation 6.4% vs December inflation 6.5%
  - Peak 9.1% in June 2022
  - Housing up in December



#### **Unemployment Rates**

#### December 2022

MSA: 2.1%

**County: 2.0%** 

State: 3.7%

USA: 3.3%

#### **November 2022**

MSA: 2.4% (revised)

**County: 2.4%** 

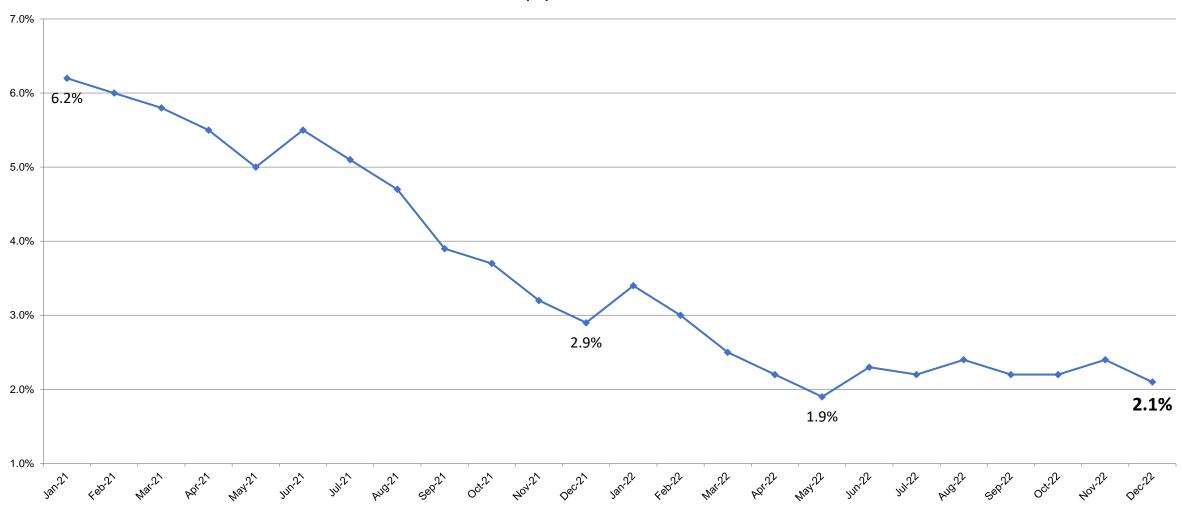
State: 4.0%

USA: 3.6%



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**Unemployment Rate Historical Trend** 



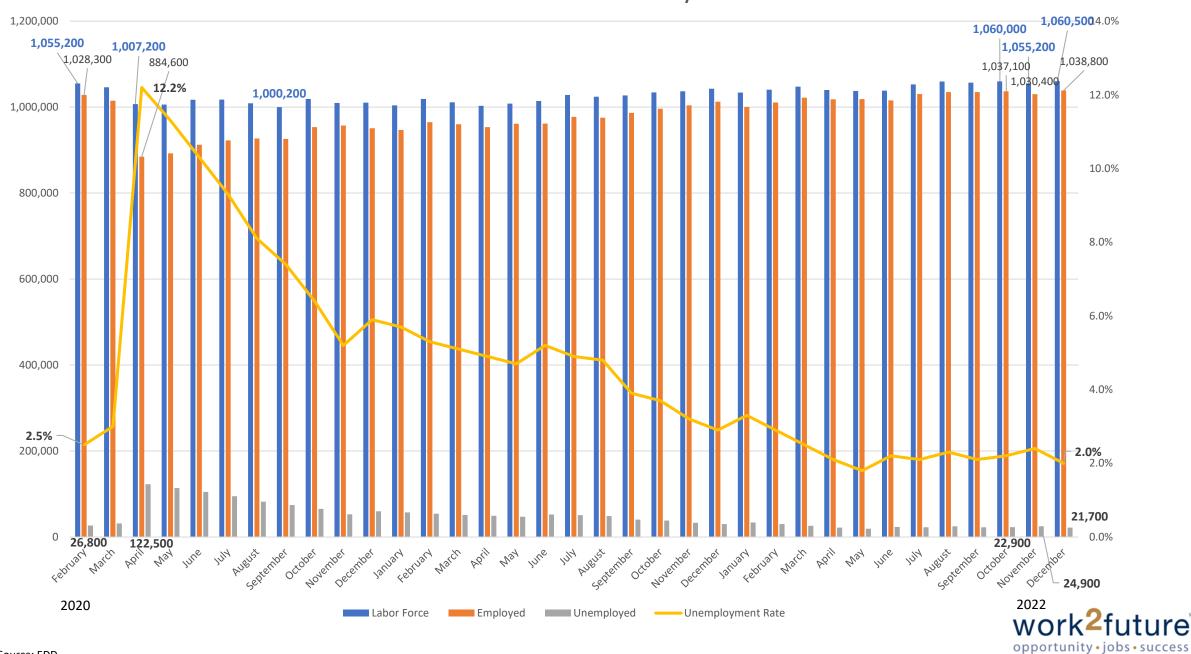








#### **Labor Force in Santa Clara County**

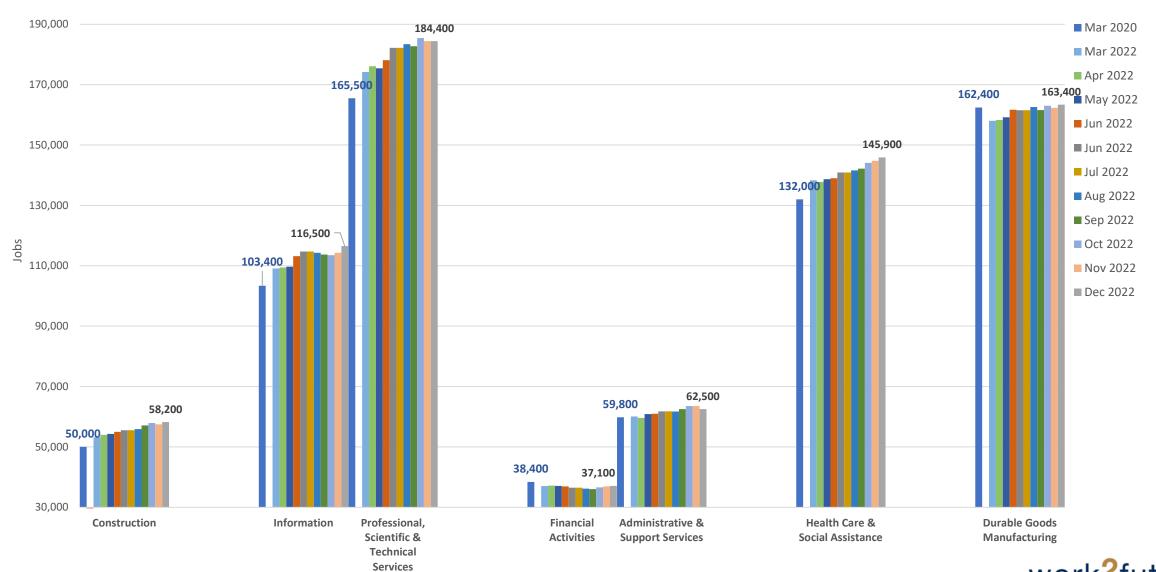


## November 2022 – Decmeber 2022 Total MSA Employment Up 300 Jobs to Reach 1,195,900

- Information UP 2,200
- Trade, transportation & utilities UP 1,400
- Construction UP 700
- Manufacturing UP 700
- Leisure & Hospitality down 1,300
- Government down 1,300
- Professional & Business Services down 900

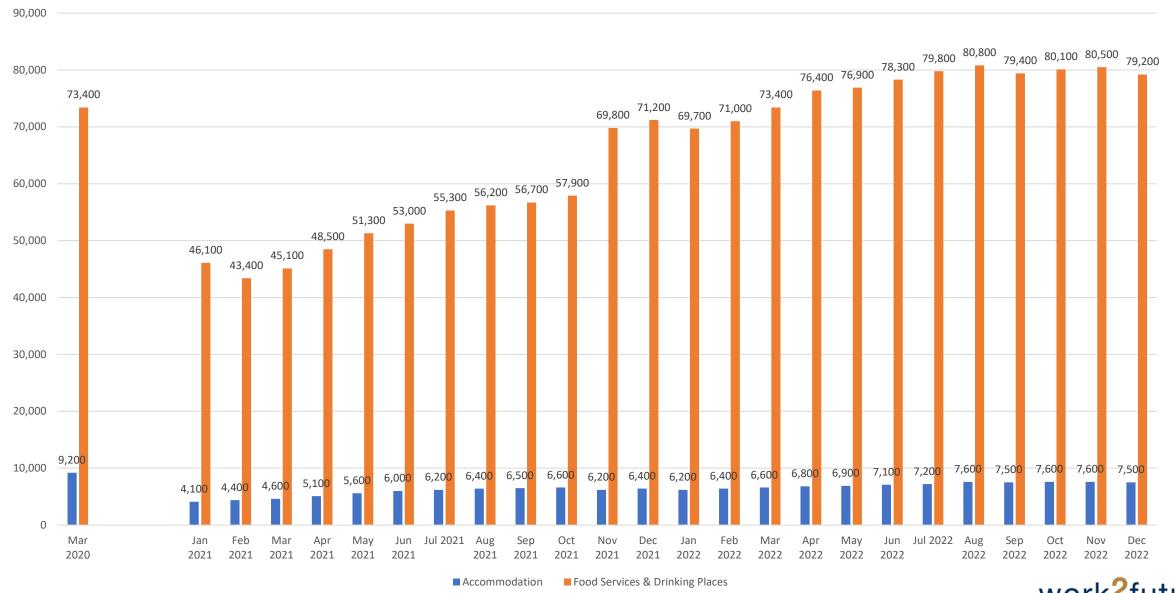


#### Priority Sector Employment–MSA March 2020 + March 2022–November 2022





#### Leisure & Hospitality March 2020 + January 2021-December 2022

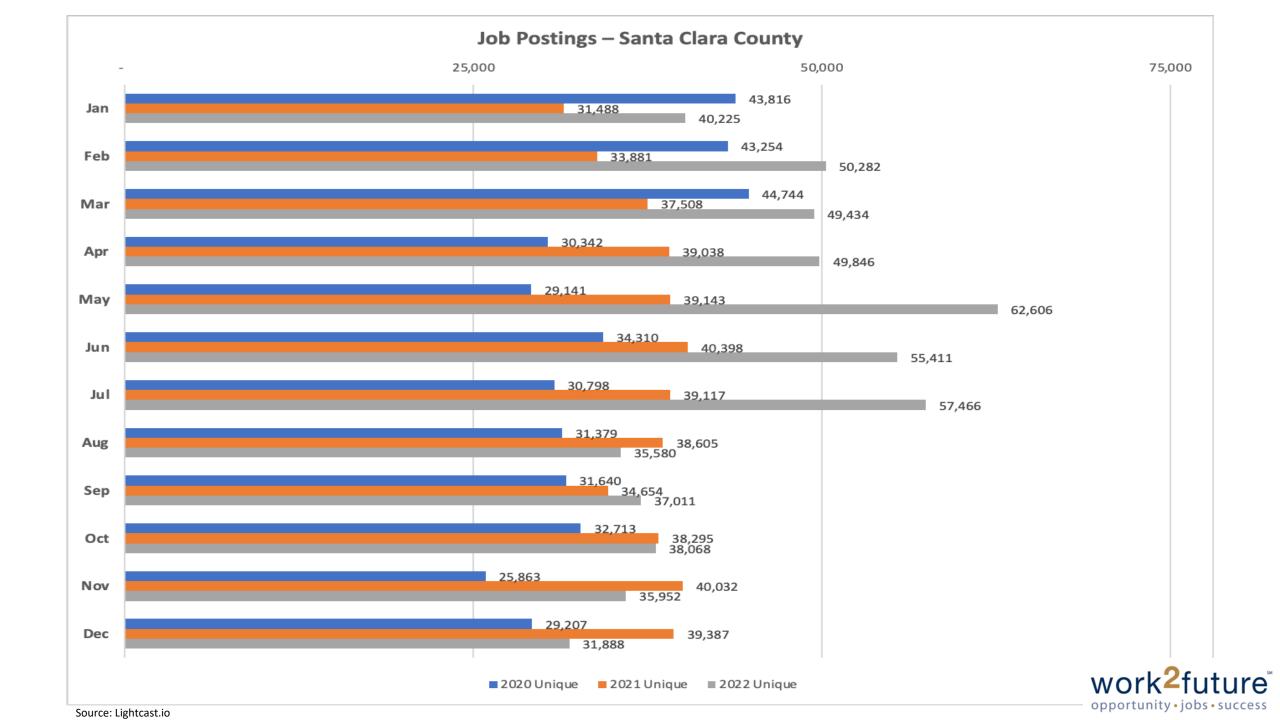


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## **Employer Demand Job Postings Analysis**





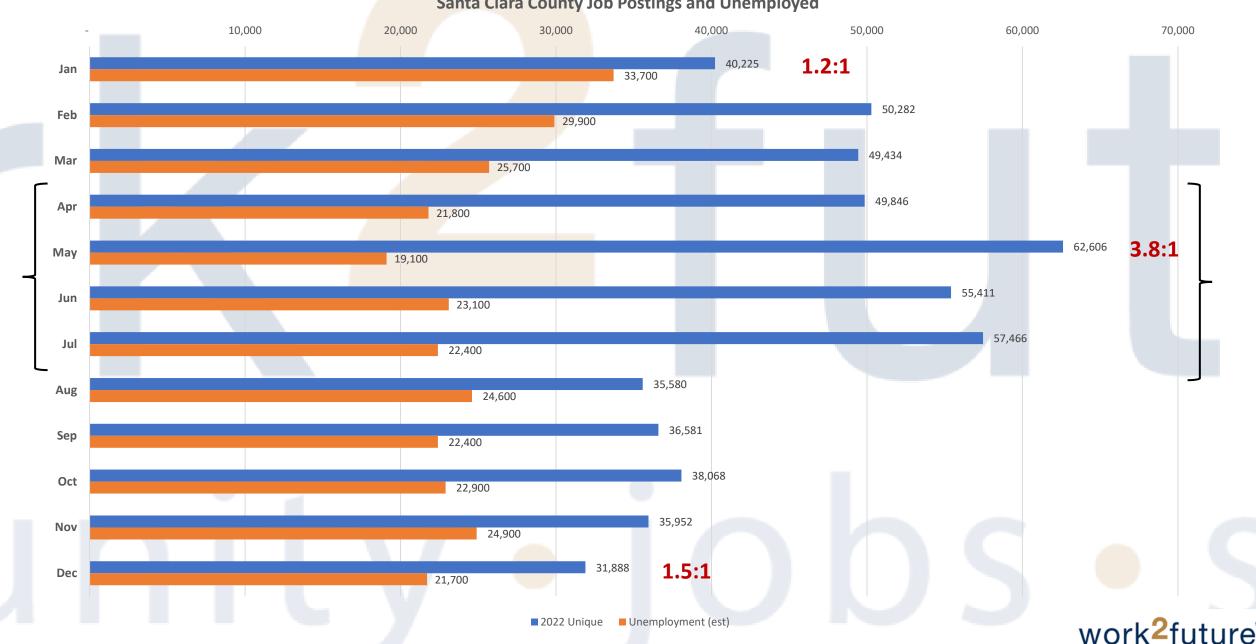
#### Santa Clara County Job Posting Intensity



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	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	
2021 Intensity	3.9	4.1	3.7	3.3	3.0	3.5	4.0	4.0	4.2	4.8	2.6	3.2	
2022 Intensity	3.3	3.0	3.2	3.6	3.3	3.2	2.6	3.3	3.5	2.3	1.4	2.7	



#### Santa Clara County Job Postings and Unemployed



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#### **Top Posted Occupations**

Occupation (SOC)	Total/Unique (Dec 2022)	Posting Intensity	Median Posting Duration
Software Developers	4,076 / 2,437	2:1	19 days
Registered Nurses	3,642 / 1,259	3:1	19 days
Computer Occupations, All Other	1,783 / 987	2:1	18 days
Managers, All Other	1,505 / 813	2:1	17 days
Retail Salespersons	1,635 / 733	2:1	18 days
Sales Representatives, Wholesale and Manufacturing, Except Technical and Scientific Products	1,476 / 675	2:1	19 days
Marketing Managers	1,128 / 604	2:1	18 days
First-Line Supervisors of Retail Sales Workers	1,136 / 580	2:1	18 days
Customer Service Representatives	1,049 / 440	2:1	17 days
General and Operations Managers	959 / 417	2:1	15 days



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