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**Member Survey** 

Percent indicating Utah currently in recession

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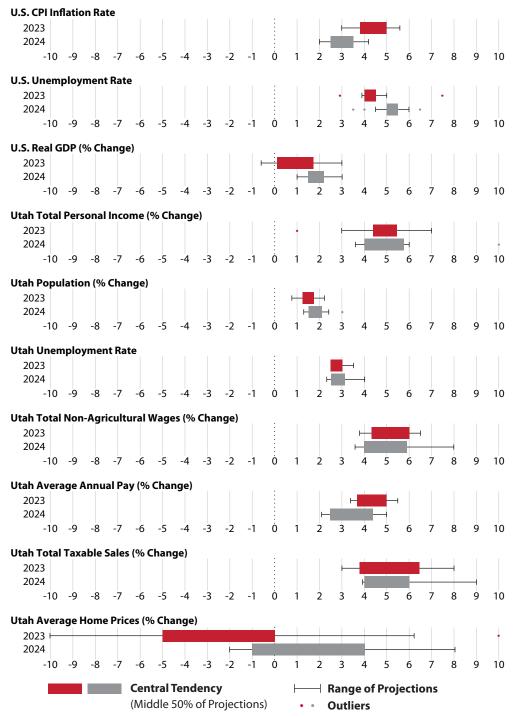
Utah recession in 2023

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# Utah Economic Council Forecast

## Range Forecast for Selected Economic and Business Indicators, 2023 and 2024



Source: Utah Economic Council

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### **Utah Economic Council Economic and Business Indicators**

Utah and the United States, December 2022

#### **Utah Economic Council Forecast**

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DEMOGRAPHICS	2020	2021	2022	Percent Change				Percent Change	
	Actual	Actual	Estimate	20-21	21-22	2023	2024	22-23	23-24
Utah July 1st Population (Thousands)	3,285	3,344	3,405	1.8	1.8	3,456	3,514	1.5	1.
Utah Net Migration (Thousands)	26.1	34.9	38.1	-	-	26.2	32.9	-	
U.S. July 1st Population (Millions)	331.8	332.2	333.1	0.1	0.3	334.5	336.1	0.4	0.
EMPLOYMENT, WAGES, AND INCOME									
Utah Nonagricultural Employment (DWS) (Thousands)	1,539	1,616	1,676	5.0	3.7	1,709	1,739	2.0	1.
Utah Total Nonagriculture Wages (DWS) (Millions)	\$83,223	\$92,010	\$101,958	10.6	10.8	\$108,075	\$112,615	6.0	4.
Utah Average Annual Pay (DWS) (Dollars)	\$54,079	\$56,944	\$60,849	5.3	6.9	\$63,223	\$64,740	3.9	2.
Utah Unemployment Rate (DWS) (Percent)	4.7	2.7	2.0	-	-	2.6	2.7	-	
Utah Personal Income (BEA) (Millions)	\$171,385	\$186,991	\$195,707	9.1	4.7	\$207,449	\$217,822	6.0	5
U.S. Establishment Employment (BLS) (Millions)	142	146	152	2.8	4.1	153	152	0.6	-0.
U.S. Total Wages & Salaries (BEA) (Billions)	\$9,457	\$10,290	\$11,164	8.8	8.5	\$11,701	\$12,191	4.8	4
U.S. Average Annual Pay (BEA)	\$66,533	\$70,431	\$73,423	5.9	4.2	\$76,502	\$79,987	4.2	4.
U.S. Unemployment Rate (BLS) (Percent)	8.1	5.4	3.7	-	-	4.5	4.2	-	
U.S. Personal Income (BEA) (Billions)	\$19,832	\$21,295	\$21,752	7.4	2.1	\$22,736	\$23,786	4.5	4
PRODUCTION AND SALES									
Utah Real GDP (2012 Chained, Millions)	\$174,955	\$186,910	\$191,186	6.8	2.3	\$194,863	\$200,364	1.9	2
Utah Taxable Sales (Millions)	\$74,731	\$90,105	\$100,407	20.6	11.4	\$106,432	\$111,327	6.0	4
Utah Exports (Millions)	\$17,713	\$18,060	\$15,738	2.0	-12.9	\$16,907	\$17,956	7.4	6
U.S. Real GDP (2012 Chained, Billions)	\$18,509	\$19,610	\$19,983	5.9	1.9	\$20,183	\$20,587	1.0	2
U.S. Total Retail Sales (Billions)	\$6,210	\$7,435	\$8,149	19.7	9.6	\$8,308	\$8,476	2.0	2
U.S. Real Exports (2012 Chained, Billions)	\$2,232	\$2,367	\$2,538	6.1	7.2	\$2,623	\$2,745	3.4	4
REAL ESTATE AND CONSTRUCTION									
Utah Dwelling Unit Permits (Units)	31,797	40,144	29,500	26.3	-26.5	22,750	23,500	-22.9	3
Utah Home Price Index (FHFA) (1991Q1 = 100)	540	661	792	22.4	19.8	783	798	-1.2	2
Utah Residential Permit Value (Millions)	\$6,785	\$8,850	\$7,097	30.4	-19.8	\$5,300	\$6,000	-25.3	13
Utah Nonresidential Permit Value (Millions)	\$2,567	\$2,930	\$3,256	14.1	11.1	\$2,600	\$2,200	-20.2	-15
U.S. Private Residential Investment (Billions)	900.8	1,107.6	1,131.1	23.0	2.1	1,009.8	1,090.1	-10.7	7
U.S. Home Price Index (FHFA) (1991Q1 = 100)	290	339	386	16.8	13.8	365	362	-5.5	-0
ENERGY & NATURAL RESOURCE PRODUCTION A	ND PRICES		II				II		1
West Texas Intermediate Crude Oil Price (Per Barrel)	\$39	\$68	\$96	73.2	40.7	\$82	\$82.5	-13.8	0
Utah Oil Price (Per Barrel)	\$35	\$61	\$84	74.0	38.3	\$75	\$64.0	-10.7	-14
Utah Coal Price (Per Short Ton)	\$37	\$34	\$37	-8.7	8.8	\$39	\$35.0	5.4	-10
Utah Natural Gas Price (Per MCF)	\$2.0	\$4.1	\$6.4	109.2	56.1	\$5.4	\$4.5	-15.6	-16
Utah Copper Price (Per Pound)	\$2.8	\$4.3	\$3.7	51.8	-12.9	\$4.0	\$4.1	8.1	2
Utah Crude Oil Production (Million Barrels)	31	36	43	14.6	21.9	46	48	6.2	4
Utah Coal Production (Million Tons)	13.3	12.3	11.0	-7.4	-10.9	12.5	13.0	13.6	4
Utah Natural Gas Production Sales (Billion Cubic Feet)	243	240	260	-1.1	8.4	275	290	5.8	5
Utah Copper Mined Production (Million Pounds)	309	351	353	13.6	0.6	450	451	27.5	0
NFLATION AND INTEREST RATES									
U.S. CPI Urban Consumers (BLS) (1982-84 = 100)	258.8	271.0	292.8	4.7	8.1	305.4	314.0	4.3	2
U.S. Federal Funds Rate (FRB) (Effective Rate)	0.4	0.1	1.7	-	_	4.8	4.3		_
U.S. 3-Month Treasury Bills (FRB) (Discount Rate)	0.4	0.0	2.0	_	_	4.7	4.0	-	
U.S. 10-Year Treasury Notes (FRB) (Yield (Percent))	0.9	1.4	3.0	-	_	3.6	3.3	-	
30 Year Mortgage Rate (FHLMC) (Percent)	3.2	3.0	5.4	_	_	6.3	5.6		

Sources: Utah Economic Council, GOPB, Moody's, Economy.com, and IHS Markit

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