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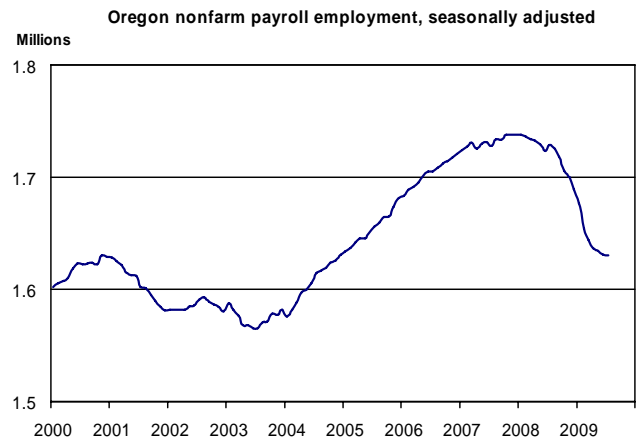
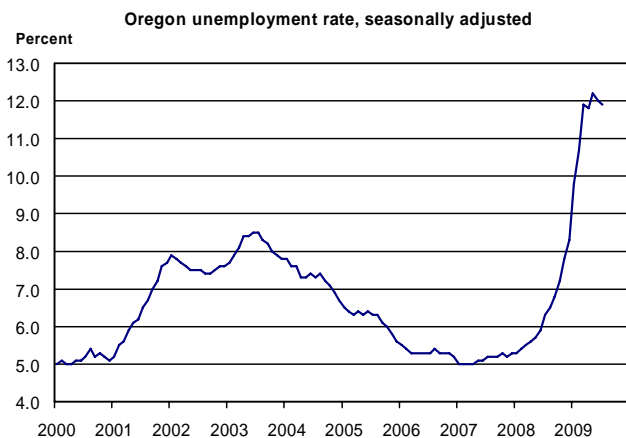
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## Oregon's Employment Situation: July 2009

Oregon's seasonally adjusted unemployment rate was 11.9 percent in July, essentially unchanged from the revised June figure of 12.0 percent. Oregon's unemployment rate has been close to 12 percent for the five-month period March through July, following a steep run-up during the prior nine months. Oregon's unemployment rate was 6.3 percent in July 2008.

The U.S. seasonally adjusted unemployment rate was essentially unchanged at 9.4 percent in July and 9.5 percent in June.

In July, Oregon's seasonally adjusted nonfarm payroll employment declined by 700 jobs, following a drop of 3,400 (as revised) in June. This marked the 12<sup>th</sup> consecutive month of decline for this measure of employment. However, the pace of decline has slowed. Over the past three months, job declines have averaged 1,900 per month, while averaging 10,300 per month over the prior nine months.



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### **Industry Payroll Employment (Establishment Survey Data)**

In July, four major industries posted seasonally adjusted job losses: manufacturing (-3,100 jobs), construction (-2,500), leisure and hospitality (-1,300), and financial activities (-900). Each of these four industries had already experienced large reductions over the prior 12 months. Meanwhile, two major industries that have fared the best during the recession added to their payrolls. Government added 3,400 jobs on a seasonally adjusted basis, while educational and health services added 1,600. Rounding out the major industries with big July job swings was trade, transportation, and utilities, which added 1,700.

**Manufacturing** continued to shed employment rapidly, cutting 500 jobs in July when a gain of 2,600 is the normal seasonal movement for the month. Machinery manufacturing was down 500 jobs and is now off by 4,100 over the past 12 months. Many other manufacturing industries were flat in July, when a substantial gain would be normal. One bright spot was in fruit and vegetable preserving, which added 1,100 in July and is now up 1,800 since July 2008.

**Construction** cut 2,500 jobs on a seasonally adjusted basis, dropping to 77,200. This was its lowest seasonally adjusted figure since September 2003.

Building foundation and exterior contractors shed 1,400 jobs and now employs only 8,900 compared with 12,400 in July 2008. Conversely, heavy and civil engineering construction added 700 jobs in July.

**Leisure and hospitality** continued its general weakness experienced over the past 12 months. This industry of restaurants and motels added only 1,300 jobs in July, when a gain of double that magnitude is the normal seasonal pattern. Since July 2008, it has cut 8,500 jobs or 4.7% of its workforce. In July, arts, entertainment, and recreation added 1,200 jobs, which was in line with its normal summer hiring. This industry has kept employment close to normal seasonal levels over the past two years. Accommodation and food services was essentially flat in July, when it normally would add summer help. Food services and drinking places was particularly weak, shedding 600 jobs and down 6,100 since July 2008. Job losses were most pronounced in full-service restaurants, which has lost 4,700 jobs or 7.2 percent over the past 12 months.

**Financial activities** continued its pattern of persistent job losses. Since reaching a peak of 108,200 in March 2007, the industry has seen its seasonally adjusted employment steadily drop over the ensuing two years. July's reading was 94,100, a loss of 900 jobs from the prior month. Over the past year, all industry categories within financial activities are down substantially, except insurance carriers and related activities, which was flat compared with June 2008.

**Government** performed slightly above its normal summertime drop in jobs, registering a drop of 26,300 when a loss of 29,700 is the normal seasonal pattern. Summer vacation at schools is the reason for the big drop in July. This includes state education, home of Oregon University System, which dropped 6,100 in July. It also includes local government education, comprised primarily of community colleges and K-12 schools, which dropped 21,200.

**Educational and health services** cut only 1,100 jobs in July, which was less than the normal seasonal drop of 2,700 for the month. This private-sector industry group has been the fastest growing major industry over the past 12 months, having added 7,400 jobs or 3.4 percent over that time.

Employment in nursing and residential care services grew by 700 in July. It has accelerated over the past four years and has nearly doubled its employment over the past 20 years, reaching 41,200 jobs as of July.

Employment in hospitals added 200 in July, and is up 800 over the past 12 months. This industry, which employed 53,800, has slowed its rate of growth over the past year, following rapid expansion during the prior three years.

**Trade, transportation, and utilities** added 3,100 jobs in July at a time of year when a gain of only 1,400 is the normal seasonal pattern. The industry has flattened out in recent months. Its July seasonally adjusted employment total of 313,600 is at about the same level as in April and May.

All three of the major component industries showed flat seasonally adjusted drifts over the past few months. This is in contrast to the persistent and steep declines in each component during the prior 12 months.

### **Unemployment (Household Survey Data)**

In July, Oregon's seasonally adjusted unemployment rate was 11.9 percent, essentially unchanged from the revised June figure of 12.0 percent. The rate has been relatively unchanged since March when the rate was also 11.9 percent.

In July, 232,782 Oregonians were unemployed. In July 2008, 120,582 Oregonians were unemployed.

The Oregon Employment Department plans to release the July county and metropolitan area unemployment rates on Monday, August 24<sup>th</sup> and the statewide unemployment rate and employment survey data for August on Monday, September 14<sup>th</sup>.

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Equal Opportunity program — auxiliary aids and services available upon request to individuals with disabilities.

### Oregon Current Labor Force and Industry Employment

	July 2009	June 2009	July 2008	Change From June 2009	Change From July 2008
<b>Labor Force Status</b>					
Civilian labor force	1,996,544	1,992,338	1,978,927	4,206	17,617
Unemployed	232,782	236,323	120,582	-3,541	112,200
Unemployment rate	11.7	11.9	6.1	-0.2	5.6
Unemployment rate, seasonally adjusted	11.9	12.0	6.3	-0.1	5.6
Employed	1,763,762	1,756,015	1,858,345	7,747	-94,583
<b>Nonfarm Payroll Employment</b>					
Total nonfarm payroll employment	1,624,700	1,646,800	1,722,900	-22,100	-98,200
Total private	1,341,600	1,337,400	1,440,500	4,200	-98,900
Mining and logging	7,500	7,400	9,100	100	-1,600
Logging	5,600	5,500	7,000	100	-1,400
Construction	80,300	80,600	98,800	-300	-18,500
Construction of buildings	19,500	19,200	24,200	300	-4,700
Residential building construction	12,000	12,000	14,000	0	-2,000
Nonresidential building construction	7,500	7,200	10,200	300	-2,700
Heavy and civil engineering construction	11,600	10,900	12,200	700	-600
Specialty trade contractors	49,200	50,500	62,400	-1,300	-13,200
Building foundation and exterior contractors	8,900	10,300	12,400	-1,400	-3,500
Building equipment contractors	18,900	19,000	24,900	-100	-6,000
Building finishing contractors	13,800	13,600	15,900	200	-2,100
Other specialty trade contractors	7,600	7,600	9,200	0	-1,600
Manufacturing	168,600	169,100	198,400	-500	-29,800
Durable goods	117,100	117,400	144,200	-300	-27,100
Wood product manufacturing	21,600	21,300	27,700	300	-6,100
Sawmills and wood preservation	6,300	6,400	7,700	-100	-1,400
Plywood and engineered wood product mfg.	6,900	6,900	9,500	0	-2,600
Other wood product manufacturing	8,400	8,000	10,500	400	-2,100
Primary metal manufacturing	7,500	7,700	10,000	-200	-2,500
Fabricated metal product manufacturing	14,900	14,800	17,500	100	-2,600
Machinery manufacturing	8,400	8,900	12,500	-500	-4,100
Computer and electronic product manufacturing	34,600	34,600	39,000	0	-4,400
Computer and peripheral equipment mfg.	3,400	3,400	3,600	0	-200
Semiconductor and electronic component mfg.	25,700	25,700	28,400	0	-2,700
Electronic instrument manufacturing	5,300	5,200	5,600	100	-300
Transportation equipment manufacturing	12,100	12,000	14,500	100	-2,400
Nondurable goods	51,500	51,700	54,200	-200	-2,700
Food manufacturing	26,500	25,900	24,600	600	1,900
Fruit and vegetable preserving and specialty	12,300	11,200	10,500	1,100	1,800
Paper manufacturing	5,200	5,300	5,800	-100	-600
Trade, transportation, and utilities	314,400	311,300	337,200	3,100	-22,800
Wholesale trade	74,900	74,000	81,200	900	-6,300
Merchant wholesalers, durable goods	33,300	32,900	37,100	400	-3,800
Merchant wholesalers, nondurable goods	28,500	28,200	30,800	300	-2,300
Electronic markets and agents and brokers	13,100	12,900	13,300	200	-200
Retail trade	186,000	184,100	197,600	1,900	-11,600
Motor vehicle and parts dealers	23,300	22,900	26,200	400	-2,900
Building material and garden supply stores	14,400	14,500	15,700	-100	-1,300
Food and beverage stores	38,800	38,400	39,200	400	-400
Clothing and clothing accessories stores	14,800	14,200	17,400	600	-2,600
Sporting goods, hobby, book and music stores	8,800	8,900	10,200	-100	-1,400
General merchandise stores	37,700	37,400	38,200	300	-500
Miscellaneous store retailers	9,900	9,800	11,200	100	-1,300
Nonstore retailers	5,500	5,300	6,500	200	-1,000

	July 2009	June 2009	July 2008	Change From June 2009	Change From July 2008
Transportation, warehousing, and utilities	53,500	53,200	58,400	300	-4,900
Utilities	4,800	4,600	4,800	200	0
Transportation and warehousing	48,700	48,600	53,600	100	-4,900
Air transportation	4,300	4,200	4,600	100	-300
Truck transportation	16,700	16,000	18,900	700	-2,200
Couriers and messengers	5,900	5,800	6,500	100	-600
Warehousing and storage	7,400	7,200	8,000	200	-600
Information	35,600	35,500	36,100	100	-500
Publishing industries, except internet	14,900	14,900	15,800	0	-900
Newspaper, book, and directory publishers	5,900	5,900	6,500	0	-600
Software publishers	9,000	9,000	9,300	0	-300
Telecommunications	8,200	8,200	8,100	0	100
Financial activities	95,500	95,300	103,000	200	-7,500
Finance and insurance	59,400	59,600	62,000	-200	-2,600
Credit intermediation and related activities	27,300	27,500	29,000	-200	-1,700
Insurance carriers and related activities	27,100	27,100	27,100	0	0
Real estate and rental and leasing	36,100	35,700	41,000	400	-4,900
Real estate	29,800	29,500	33,100	300	-3,300
Professional and business services	184,100	182,900	200,400	1,200	-16,300
Professional and technical services	71,100	71,000	73,100	100	-2,000
Legal services	12,600	12,500	12,500	100	100
Architectural and engineering services	14,600	14,500	15,300	100	-700
Computer systems design and related services	9,600	9,600	9,900	0	-300
Management of companies and enterprises	30,300	29,900	31,300	400	-1,000
Administrative and waste services	82,700	82,000	96,000	700	-13,300
Administrative and support services	75,800	75,300	90,300	500	-14,500
Employment services	28,000	27,500	38,200	500	-10,200
Business support services	13,800	14,000	15,200	-200	-1,400
Services to buildings and dwellings	21,200	21,000	22,400	200	-1,200
Educational and health services	222,100	223,200	214,700	-1,100	7,400
Educational services	31,100	32,200	24,300	-1,100	6,800
Health care and social assistance	191,000	191,000	190,400	0	600
Ambulatory health care services	67,900	67,800	68,100	100	-200
Hospitals	53,800	53,600	53,000	200	800
Nursing and residential care facilities	41,200	40,500	40,400	700	800
Social assistance	28,100	29,100	28,900	-1,000	-800
Leisure and hospitality	172,900	171,600	181,400	1,300	-8,500
Arts, entertainment, and recreation	25,100	23,900	24,900	1,200	200
Amusement, gambling, and recreation	19,700	18,700	19,100	1,000	600
Accommodation and food services	147,800	147,700	156,500	100	-8,700
Accommodation	22,200	21,500	24,800	700	-2,600
Food services and drinking places	125,600	126,200	131,700	-600	-6,100
Full-service restaurants	60,400	59,700	65,100	700	-4,700
Limited-service eating places	54,100	54,200	55,500	-100	-1,400
Other services	60,600	60,500	61,400	100	-800
Repair and maintenance	16,900	16,300	17,300	600	-400
Personal and laundry services	13,300	13,300	13,700	0	-400
Membership associations and organizations	30,400	30,900	30,400	-500	0
Religious organizations	16,000	16,600	15,900	-600	100
Government	283,100	309,400	282,400	-26,300	700
Federal government	31,800	31,000	30,800	800	1,000
State government	74,400	80,400	73,300	-6,000	1,100
State education	24,800	30,900	24,100	-6,100	700
Local government	176,900	198,000	178,300	-21,100	-1,400
Indian tribal	8,400	8,300	9,100	100	-700
Local education	85,200	106,400	84,600	-21,200	600
Labor-management disputes	0	0	0	0	0

The most recent month is preliminary, the prior month is revised. Prepared in cooperation with the U.S. Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics.

Labor Force Status: Civilian labor force includes employed and unemployed individuals 16 years and older by place of residence. Employed includes nonfarm payroll employment, self-employed, unpaid family workers, domestics, agriculture and labor disputants. Unemployment rate is calculated by dividing unemployed by civilian labor force.

Nonfarm Payroll Employment: Data are by place of work and cover full- and part-time employees who worked or received pay for the pay period that includes the 12th of the month. The data exclude the self-employed, volunteers, unpaid family workers, and domestics. "Natural resources" includes only Logging (NAICS 1133).



**Seasonal Expectations and  
 Over-the-Month Employment Changes**

June 2009 to July 2009

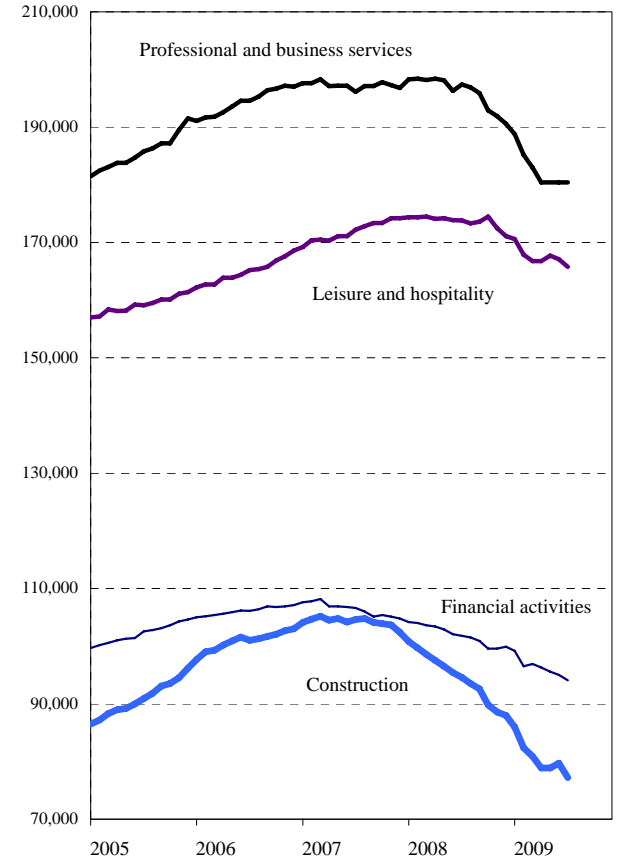
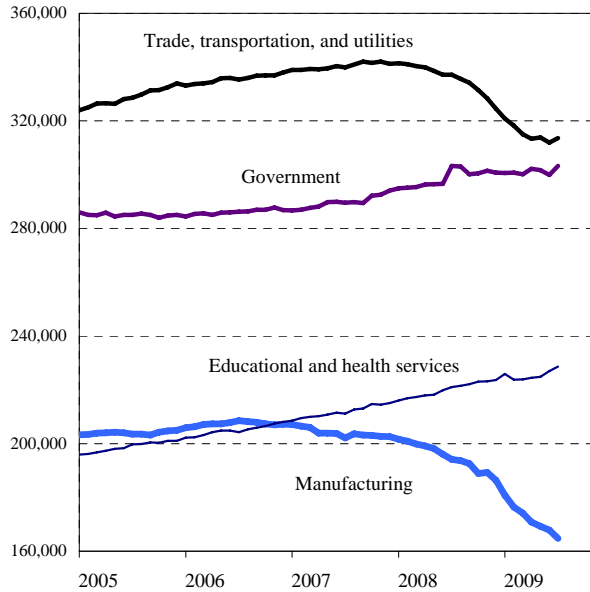
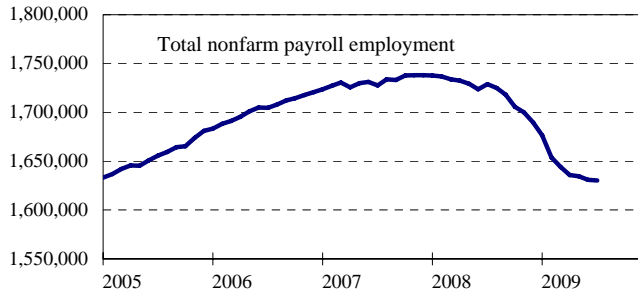
INDUSTRY	OVER THE MONTH		
	Normal Seasonal Movements	Unadjusted OTM Change	Seasonally Adjusted OTM Change
Total nonfarm payroll employment	-21,400	-22,100	-700
Mining and logging	100	100	0
Construction	2,200	-300	-2,500
Manufacturing	2,600	-500	-3,100
Trade, transportation, and utilities	1,400	3,100	1,700
Information	0	100	100
Financial activities	1,100	200	-900
Professional and business services	1,200	1,200	0
Educational and health services	-2,700	-1,100	1,600
Leisure and hospitality	2,600	1,300	-1,300
Other services	-200	100	300
Government	-29,700	-26,300	3,400

# Oregon Seasonally Adjusted Employment

(Most recent 13 months)

Industry	Jul 2008	Aug 2008	Sep 2008	Oct 2008	Nov 2008	Dec 2008	Jan 2009	Feb 2009	Mar 2009	Apr 2009	May 2009	Jun 2009	Jul 2009
Total nonfarm--monthly change	5,400	-3,800	-6,900	-12,600	-5,600	-10,400	-13,000	-22,800	-9,700	-8,100	-1,600	-3,400	-700
Total nonfarm	1,728,900	1,725,100	1,718,200	1,705,600	1,700,000	1,689,600	1,676,600	1,653,800	1,644,100	1,636,000	1,634,400	1,631,000	1,630,300
Mining and logging	8,600	8,700	8,700	8,400	8,500	8,500	8,100	7,400	7,400	7,300	7,000	7,000	7,000
Construction	94,600	93,500	92,600	89,800	88,600	88,000	86,000	82,400	80,900	78,900	78,900	79,700	77,200
Manufacturing	194,100	193,700	192,600	188,900	189,300	186,400	180,800	176,400	174,200	170,800	169,300	167,800	164,700
Trade, transportation, and utilities	337,100	335,600	334,200	331,500	328,300	324,500	320,800	318,200	315,000	313,400	313,800	311,900	313,600
Information	36,100	36,200	36,100	35,900	36,000	35,700	34,500	34,600	35,000	35,000	35,000	35,500	35,600
Financial activities	101,800	101,500	100,900	99,600	99,600	99,900	99,200	96,500	96,900	96,300	95,600	95,000	94,100
Professional and business services	197,400	196,900	195,900	192,900	191,900	190,600	188,800	185,200	183,000	180,400	180,400	180,400	180,400
Educational and health services	221,000	221,500	222,100	223,000	223,200	223,700	225,900	223,800	223,900	224,500	224,900	227,000	228,600
Leisure and hospitality	173,800	173,300	173,600	174,500	172,500	171,100	170,600	167,900	166,800	166,800	167,700	167,100	165,800
Other services	61,200	61,200	61,300	60,600	60,600	60,400	61,300	60,600	60,900	60,400	60,100	59,700	60,000
Government	303,200	303,000	300,200	300,500	301,500	300,800	300,600	300,800	300,100	302,200	301,700	299,900	303,300

Notes: The most recent month is a preliminary figure.



### Oregon Labor Force and Industry Employment 2009

	Annual Average	Jan.*	Feb.*	March*	April*	May*	June*	July**	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
<b>Labor Force Status</b>													
Civilian labor force		1,975,599	1,986,029	1,991,769	1,995,969	1,987,520	1,992,338	1,996,544					
Unemployed		211,979	232,568	252,155	238,294	236,210	236,323	232,782					
Unemployment rate		10.7	11.7	12.7	11.9	11.9	11.9	11.7					
Unemployment rate, seasonally adjusted		9.8	10.7	11.9	11.8	12.2	12.0	11.9					
Employed		1,763,620	1,753,461	1,739,614	1,757,675	1,751,310	1,756,015	1,763,762					
<b>Nonfarm Payroll Employment</b>													
Total nonfarm payroll employment		1,646,300	1,635,300	1,634,500	1,633,900	1,642,200	1,646,800	1,624,700					
Total private		1,344,600	1,328,800	1,327,500	1,326,100	1,331,500	1,337,400	1,341,600					
Mining and logging		7,600	6,900	6,900	6,900	7,100	7,400	7,500					
Logging		5,700	5,300	5,100	5,100	5,200	5,500	5,600					
Construction		81,000	77,900	77,000	76,600	77,800	80,600	80,300					
Construction of buildings		19,700	18,900	18,600	19,000	19,000	19,200	19,500					
Residential building construction		11,500	11,300	11,300	11,900	11,900	12,000	12,000					
Nonresidential building construction		8,200	7,600	7,300	7,100	7,100	7,200	7,500					
Heavy and civil engineering construction		9,100	8,900	8,800	8,600	9,400	10,900	11,600					
Specialty trade contractors		52,200	50,100	49,600	49,000	49,400	50,500	49,200					
Building foundation and exterior contractors		10,500	10,100	10,200	10,200	10,500	10,300	8,900					
Building equipment contractors		21,200	19,700	19,200	19,200	19,100	19,000	18,900					
Building finishing contractors		13,500	13,000	13,500	13,000	12,700	13,600	13,800					
Other specialty trade contractors		7,000	7,300	6,700	6,600	7,100	7,600	7,600					
Manufacturing		177,400	173,700	171,700	168,600	167,700	169,100	168,600					
Durable goods		127,400	124,200	122,000	119,200	117,800	117,400	117,100					
Wood product manufacturing		24,000	22,900	22,100	21,100	20,900	21,300	21,600					
Sawmills and wood preservation		7,100	6,900	6,900	6,400	6,300	6,400	6,300					
Plywood and engineered wood product mfg.		7,700	7,400	7,300	6,800	6,700	6,900	6,900					
Other wood product manufacturing		9,200	8,600	7,900	7,900	7,900	8,000	8,400					
Primary metal manufacturing		9,300	8,400	8,600	8,300	7,700	7,700	7,500					
Fabricated metal product manufacturing		16,200	15,800	15,300	14,700	15,000	14,800	14,900					
Machinery manufacturing		10,700	10,300	9,900	9,300	9,100	8,900	8,400					
Computer and electronic product manufacturing		36,300	35,800	35,200	35,000	35,000	34,600	34,600					
Computer and peripheral equipment mfg.		3,500	3,500	3,500	3,500	3,400	3,400	3,400					
Semiconductor and electronic component mfg.		26,400	26,100	25,900	25,600	25,600	25,700	25,700					
Electronic instrument manufacturing		5,400	5,400	5,300	5,400	5,500	5,200	5,300					
Transportation equipment manufacturing		12,200	11,000	11,200	11,500	11,400	12,000	12,100					
Nondurable goods		50,000	49,500	49,700	49,400	49,900	51,700	51,500					
Food manufacturing		23,000	23,400	23,800	23,800	24,300	25,900	26,500					
Fruit and vegetable preserving and specialty		9,200	9,700	9,700	9,800	10,100	11,200	12,300					
Paper manufacturing		5,900	5,800	5,600	5,200	5,200	5,300	5,200					
Trade, transportation, and utilities		316,800	311,000	309,600	309,700	311,400	311,300	314,400					
Wholesale trade		76,400	75,300	74,500	74,100	74,300	74,000	74,900					
Merchant wholesalers, durable goods		33,500	33,500	33,000	32,700	32,700	32,900	33,300					
Merchant wholesalers, nondurable goods		29,900	29,000	28,800	28,500	28,800	28,200	28,500					
Electronic markets and agents and brokers		13,000	12,800	12,700	12,900	12,800	12,900	13,100					
Retail trade		185,800	182,000	181,600	182,400	183,100	184,100	186,000					
Motor vehicle and parts dealers		22,300	22,200	22,200	22,500	22,500	22,900	23,300					
Building material and garden supply stores		13,900	14,100	13,900	14,200	14,300	14,500	14,400					
Food and beverage stores		38,800	38,500	38,200	38,000	38,300	38,400	38,800					
Clothing and clothing accessories stores		15,100	14,600	14,200	14,000	14,000	14,200	14,800					
Sporting goods, hobby, book and music stores		9,100	8,400	8,500	8,600	8,700	8,900	8,800					
General merchandise stores		38,000	37,400	37,500	37,600	37,400	37,400	37,700					
Miscellaneous store retailers		9,900	9,800	9,900	9,900	9,900	9,800	9,900					
Nonstore retailers		5,700	5,000	5,100	5,300	5,200	5,300	5,500					

	Annual Average	Jan.*	Feb.*	March*	April*	May*	June*	July**	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
Transportation, warehousing, and utilities	54,600	53,700	53,500	53,200	54,000	53,200	53,500						
Utilities	4,800	4,700	4,700	4,600	4,700	4,600	4,800						
Transportation and warehousing	49,800	49,000	48,800	48,600	49,300	48,600	48,700						
Air transportation	4,300	4,200	4,200	4,200	4,200	4,200	4,300						
Truck transportation	16,200	15,900	15,900	15,900	16,100	16,000	16,700						
Couriers and messengers	6,200	6,000	6,000	5,900	5,900	5,800	5,900						
Warehousing and storage	7,400	7,300	7,300	7,200	7,300	7,200	7,400						
Information	34,500	34,600	35,000	35,000	35,000	35,500	35,600						
Publishing industries, except internet	15,000	15,000	15,000	14,900	14,900	14,900	14,900						
Newspaper, book, and directory publishers	6,000	6,000	6,000	5,900	5,900	5,900	5,900						
Software publishers	9,000	9,000	9,000	9,000	9,000	9,000	9,000						
Telecommunications	8,200	8,200	8,200	8,200	8,200	8,200	8,200						
Financial activities	97,600	95,600	96,100	96,300	95,700	95,300	95,500						
Finance and insurance	60,300	59,800	60,300	60,300	59,900	59,600	59,400						
Credit intermediation and related activities	27,500	27,300	27,500	27,500	27,200	27,500	27,300						
Insurance carriers and related activities	27,700	27,400	27,800	27,700	27,600	27,100	27,100						
Real estate and rental and leasing	37,300	35,800	35,800	36,000	35,800	35,700	36,100						
Real estate	31,000	29,500	29,400	29,400	29,700	29,500	29,800						
Professional and business services	182,200	181,100	180,600	180,500	181,000	182,900	184,100						
Professional and technical services	72,400	73,800	73,400	73,400	71,400	71,000	71,100						
Legal services	12,300	12,300	12,300	12,300	12,400	12,500	12,600						
Architectural and engineering services	14,300	14,200	14,300	14,400	14,400	14,500	14,600						
Computer systems design and related services	9,800	9,800	9,800	9,800	9,700	9,600	9,600						
Management of companies and enterprises	30,200	29,900	29,700	29,700	29,900	29,900	30,300						
Administrative and waste services	79,600	77,400	77,500	77,400	79,700	82,000	82,700						
Administrative and support services	73,100	71,500	71,400	70,900	72,900	75,300	75,800						
Employment services	26,100	25,600	25,500	25,300	26,300	27,500	28,000						
Business support services	13,800	14,100	14,000	14,000	14,000	14,000	13,800						
Services to buildings and dwellings	19,000	18,600	19,300	19,600	20,200	21,000	21,200						
Educational and health services	224,000	225,900	226,700	227,400	226,400	223,200	222,100						
Educational services	32,000	33,800	34,700	35,500	34,300	32,200	31,100						
Health care and social assistance	192,000	192,100	192,000	191,900	192,100	191,000	191,000						
Ambulatory health care services	67,900	67,400	67,500	67,200	67,600	67,800	67,900						
Hospitals	53,900	54,000	54,000	53,600	53,600	53,600	53,800						
Nursing and residential care facilities	40,100	40,100	40,100	40,500	40,300	40,500	41,200						
Social assistance	30,100	30,600	30,400	30,600	30,600	29,100	28,100						
Leisure and hospitality	163,400	162,000	163,000	164,700	168,900	171,600	172,900						
Arts, entertainment, and recreation	23,200	23,300	23,300	24,700	23,600	23,900	25,100						
Amusement, gambling, and recreation	17,300	17,500	17,800	18,000	17,800	18,700	19,700						
Accommodation and food services	140,200	138,700	139,700	140,000	145,300	147,700	147,800						
Accommodation	18,900	18,800	18,500	18,900	20,200	21,500	22,200						
Food services and drinking places	121,300	119,900	121,200	121,100	125,100	126,200	125,600						
Full-service restaurants	57,300	56,300	56,600	56,600	58,800	59,700	60,400						
Limited-service eating places	51,300	50,800	52,000	52,300	54,200	54,200	54,100						
Other services	60,100	60,100	60,900	60,400	60,500	60,500	60,600						
Repair and maintenance	16,500	16,600	17,000	16,600	16,400	16,300	16,900						
Personal and laundry services	13,200	13,100	13,200	13,200	13,200	13,300	13,300						
Membership associations and organizations	30,400	30,400	30,700	30,600	30,900	30,900	30,400						
Religious organizations	17,200	17,200	17,300	17,100	17,200	16,600	16,000						
Government	301,700	306,500	307,000	307,800	310,700	309,400	283,100						
Federal government	28,700	28,900	28,800	30,700	30,800	31,000	31,800						
State government	77,800	79,100	79,800	79,300	79,400	80,400	74,400						
State education	29,300	30,700	31,300	30,800	30,700	30,900	24,800						
Local government	195,200	198,500	198,400	197,800	200,500	198,000	176,900						
Indian tribal	8,200	8,100	8,000	8,100	8,200	8,300	8,400						
Local education	106,000	109,200	108,900	108,100	109,600	106,400	85,200						
Labor-management disputes	200	200	0	0	0	0	0						

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Labor Force Status: Civilian labor force includes employed and unemployed individuals 16 years and older by place of residence. Employed includes nonfarm payroll employment, self-employed, unpaid family workers, domestics, agriculture, and labor disputants. Unemployment rate is calculated by dividing unemployed by civilian labor force.

Nonfarm Payroll Employment: Data are by place of work and cover full- and part-time employees who worked or received pay for the pay period that includes the 12th of the month. The data exclude the self-employed, volunteers, unpaid family workers, and domestics. "Natural resources" includes only Logging (NAICS 1133).