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Employment in Clatsop County: June 2022

Seasonally adjusted employment rose by 210 in June

Seasonally adjusted nonfarm payroll employment increased by 210 in June to 18,760 jobs. Seasonally adjusted figures compare expected changes with actual changes. A gain of 450 jobs was expected for the month, but the county added 660 jobs. The private sector added 570 jobs, and total government employment rose by 90. Leisure and hospitality added 230 jobs, professional and business services grew by 150, and food manufacturing was up 130 jobs. Local government education employment jumped by 60 jobs. Other industries had smaller changes.

June's total nonfarm employment was up from the previous year by 710 jobs, an increase of 3.8%. The county lost 4,820 jobs in April 2020 as the pandemic hit, and it remains 600 jobs below the pre-pandemic level of June 2019. Some major industries gained jobs over the past year but others have plateaued or shed a few. Leisure and hospitality added back 520 jobs over the previous year. Professional and business services added 100, and manufacturing gained 70 jobs. On the other hand, private education and health services cut 110 jobs, and construction lost 70 jobs. Local government education added 280 jobs over the year.

Clatsop County's seasonally adjusted unemployment rate was 3.9% in June. It was unchanged from May. The rate was 6.0% the year before. The statewide unemployment rate was 3.6% in June, and the national rate was 3.6% as well.

Next News Releases

The Oregon Employment Department plans to release the July county and metropolitan area unemployment rates and employment survey data on Tuesday, Aug. 23, and the statewide unemployment rate and employment survey data for July on Wednesday, Aug. 17.

Clatsop County Current Labor Force and Industry Employment

	--Change From--				
	June 2022	May 2022	June 2021	May 2022	June 2021
Labor Force Status					
Civilian labor force	20,092	19,737	19,754	355	338
Unemployed	760	650	1,251	110	-491
Unemployment rate	3.8%	3.3%	6.3%	0.5	-2.5
<i>Unemployment rate (seasonally adjusted)</i>	3.9%	3.9%	6.0%	0.0	-2.1
Employed	19,332	19,087	18,503	245	829
Nonfarm Payroll Employment					
Total nonfarm employment	19,280	18,620	18,570	660	710
<i>Total nonfarm employment (seasonally adjusted)</i>	18,760	18,550	18,050	210	710
Total private	16,510	15,940	16,090	570	420
Mining, logging, and construction	1,070	1,080	1,180	-10	-110
Mining and logging	100	100	140	0	-40
Construction	970	980	1,040	-10	-70
Manufacturing	1,880	1,740	1,810	140	70
Durable goods	440	440	410	0	30
Wood product manufacturing	260	260	260	0	0
Nondurable goods	1,440	1,300	1,400	140	40
Food manufacturing	680	550	640	130	40
Paper manufacturing	670	670	670	0	0
Trade, transportation, and utilities	3,570	3,530	3,600	40	-30
Wholesale trade	190	180	190	10	0
Retail trade	3,080	3,050	3,100	30	-20
Transportation, warehousing, and utilities	300	300	310	0	-10
Information	150	150	130	0	20
Financial activities	710	710	730	0	-20
Professional and business services	1,040	890	940	150	100
Education and health services	2,410	2,420	2,520	-10	-110
Leisure and hospitality	5,120	4,890	4,600	230	520
Accommodation and food services	4,820	4,620	4,300	200	520
Accommodation	1,590	1,550	1,450	40	140
Food services and drinking places	3,230	3,070	2,850	160	380
Other services	560	530	580	30	-20
Government	2,770	2,680	2,480	90	290
Federal government	200	180	190	20	10
State government	360	350	350	10	10
Local government	2,210	2,150	1,940	60	270
Local education	1,120	1,060	840	60	280
Local government excluding educational services	1,090	1,090	1,100	0	-10

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.

Civilian labor force includes employed and unemployed individuals 16 years and older by place of residence.

Employed includes 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.

Oregon Seasonally Adjusted Unemployment Rates by Area (1)

	<u>June 2022</u>	<u>May 2022</u>	<u>June 2021</u>
United States	3.6	3.6	5.9
State of Oregon	3.6	3.5	5.4
<u>Metropolitan Statistical Areas:</u>			
Albany (Linn County)	4.0	4.1	5.8
Bend-Redmond (Deschutes County)	3.4	3.4	5.5
Corvallis (Benton County)	2.9	2.9	4.0
Eugene (Lane County)	3.9	3.9	6.1
Grants Pass (Josephine County)	4.7	4.7	6.5
Medford (Jackson County)	3.8	3.9	5.7
Portland-Vancouver-Hillsboro (2)	3.5	3.6	5.3
Salem (Marion and Polk counties)	3.5	3.6	5.2
<u>Counties (1):</u>			
Baker	3.8	3.8	5.3
Benton	2.9	2.9	4.0
Clackamas	3.2	3.3	4.9
Clatsop	3.9	3.9	6.0
Columbia	4.2	4.3	5.8
Coos	4.6	4.6	6.5
Crook	4.7	4.8	6.8
Curry	4.8	4.9	6.9
Deschutes	3.4	3.4	5.5
Douglas	4.4	4.5	6.0
Gilliam	3.2	3.2	5.1
Grant	5.2	5.2	6.8
Harney	3.9	3.9	5.2
Hood River	2.9	2.9	4.6
Jackson	3.8	3.9	5.7
Jefferson	4.6	4.6	6.6
Josephine	4.7	4.7	6.5
Klamath	5.2	5.3	6.8
Lake	4.4	4.5	5.8
Lane	3.9	3.9	6.1
Lincoln	4.7	4.9	7.0
Linn	4.0	4.1	5.8
Malheur	3.3	3.3	4.5
Marion	3.6	3.6	5.1
Morrow	3.3	3.3	4.8
Multnomah	3.6	3.7	5.6
Polk	3.5	3.6	4.9
Sherman	2.9	3.1	4.5
Tillamook	3.8	3.9	5.6
Umatilla	3.9	3.8	5.4
Union	3.9	3.9	5.7
Wallowa	4.4	4.4	5.5
Wasco	3.7	3.8	5.2
Washington	2.9	3.0	4.5
Wheeler	2.8	2.9	3.0
Yamhill	3.2	3.3	4.8

(1) Seasonally adjusted rates for the United States and Oregon are official Bureau of Labor Statistics (BLS) series. Source of Metro data is BLS and LAUS. Source of county data is OED.

(2) Portland-Vancouver-Hillsboro MSA includes Clackamas, Columbia, Multnomah, Washington, and Yamhill counties in Oregon and Clark and Skamania counties in Washington.

The Oregon Employment Department and the U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics (BLS) work cooperatively to develop and publish monthly payroll employment and labor force data for Oregon's metropolitan areas and counties. The estimates of monthly job gains and losses are based on a survey of businesses. The estimates of unemployment are based on a survey of households and other sources.

The Oregon Employment Department payroll employment estimates are revised quarterly using information from unemployment insurance tax records. All department publications use data from this *official Oregon series* unless noted.

The department also makes the BLS-produced nonfarm payroll employment series for metropolitan areas available. These are revised annually by BLS.

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