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Employment in Tillamook County: December 2020

Seasonally adjusted employment up 10 more than expected in December

Seasonally adjusted nonfarm payroll employment rose by 10 in December to 8,730 jobs. Seasonally adjusted figures compare expected changes with actual changes. Employment was expected to drop by 140 jobs, but the county lost only 130. The private sector shed 100 jobs, and government employment was down 30. Leisure and hospitality cut 50 jobs. Other industries had smaller changes.

December's total nonfarm employment numbers show a loss of 840 jobs compared with one year before, a decrease of 9.0%. Nearly every major industry lost jobs over the year. Leisure and hospitality shed many of the jobs; the industry was down 230 jobs over the year, a drop of 16.3%. Local government cut 270 jobs over the year.

Tillamook County's seasonally adjusted unemployment rate was 5.7% in December, essentially unchanged from 5.8% in November. It was 3.3% the year before. The statewide unemployment rate was 6.4% in December, and the national rate was 6.7%.

Next Press Releases

The Oregon Employment Department plans to release the January county and metropolitan area unemployment rates on Tuesday, March 9, and the statewide unemployment rate and employment survey data for January on Tuesday, March 2.

Tillamook County Current Labor Force and Industry Employment

	--Change From--				
	December 2020	November 2020	December 2019	November 2020	December 2019
Labor Force Status					
Civilian labor force	11,510	11,554	11,416	-44	94
Unemployed	674	650	391	24	283
Unemployment rate	5.9%	5.6%	3.4%	0.3	2.5
<i>Unemployment rate (seasonally adjusted)</i>	5.7%	5.8%	3.3%	-0.1	2.4
Employed	10,836	10,904	11,025	-68	-189
Nonfarm Payroll Employment					
Total nonfarm employment	8,490	8,620	9,330	-130	-840
<i>Total nonfarm employment (seasonally adjusted)</i>	8,730	8,720	9,590	10	-860
Total private	6,730	6,830	7,330	-100	-600
Mining, logging, and construction	590	600	610	-10	-20
Mining and logging	240	240	200	0	40
Construction	350	360	410	-10	-60
Manufacturing	1,420	1,430	1,490	-10	-70
Durable goods	330	340	390	-10	-60
Wood product manufacturing	270	270	320	0	-50
Nondurable goods	1,090	1,090	1,100	0	-10
Food manufacturing	1,000	1,000	1,020	0	-20
Trade, transportation, and utilities	1,420	1,410	1,450	10	-30
Retail trade	1,090	1,090	1,080	0	10
Information	60	60	50	0	10
Financial activities	260	270	310	-10	-50
Professional and business services	360	370	370	-10	-10
Education and health services	1,160	1,170	1,290	-10	-130
Leisure and hospitality	1,180	1,230	1,410	-50	-230
Accommodation and food services	1,150	1,190	1,360	-40	-210
Accommodation	460	480	510	-20	-50
Food services and drinking places	690	710	850	-20	-160
Other services	280	290	350	-10	-70
Government	1,760	1,790	2,000	-30	-240
Federal government	120	130	120	-10	0
State government	330	330	300	0	30
Local government	1,310	1,330	1,580	-20	-270
Local education	620	620	770	0	-150
Local government excluding educational services	690	710	810	-20	-120

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>December 2020</u>	<u>November 2020</u>	<u>December 2019</u>
United States	6.7	6.7	3.6
State of Oregon	6.4	6.0	3.4
<u>Metropolitan Statistical Areas:</u>			
Albany (Linn County)	5.9	5.8	3.6
Bend-Redmond (Deschutes County)	7.6	6.7	3.2
Corvallis (Benton County)	4.3	4.2	2.5
Eugene (Lane County)	5.9	5.9	3.3
Grants Pass (Josephine County)	7.0	6.2	4.2
Medford (Jackson County)	6.4	6.4	3.5
Portland-Vancouver-Hillsboro (2)	6.1	5.9	3.1
Salem (Marion and Polk counties)	6.3	5.9	3.4
<u>Counties (1):</u>			
Baker	6.1	6.0	3.8
Benton	4.3	4.2	2.5
Clackamas	6.1	5.8	2.9
Clatsop	6.8	6.1	3.1
Columbia	6.7	6.5	4.0
Coos	6.4	6.6	4.0
Crook	7.6	7.4	4.7
Curry	6.4	6.3	4.3
Deschutes	7.6	6.7	3.2
Douglas	6.4	6.1	4.1
Gilliam	4.8	5.0	3.5
Grant	7.5	7.1	5.7
Harney	5.0	5.5	4.1
Hood River	5.2	4.9	2.6
Jackson	6.4	6.4	3.5
Jefferson	7.1	6.8	4.0
Josephine	7.0	6.2	4.2
Klamath	7.1	6.9	5.4
Lake	4.5	4.9	4.0
Lane	5.9	5.9	3.3
Lincoln	7.7	7.4	3.6
Linn	5.9	5.8	3.6
Malheur	4.6	4.6	3.3
Marion	6.1	5.8	3.3
Morrow	4.5	4.3	3.4
Multnomah	7.0	6.8	2.8
Polk	5.7	5.4	3.4
Sherman	4.4	4.3	3.4
Tillamook	5.7	5.8	3.3
Umatilla	5.6	5.2	3.7
Union	6.1	5.6	3.9
Wallowa	5.3	5.6	4.7
Wasco	6.0	5.5	3.5
Washington	5.4	5.1	2.6
Wheeler	4.2	4.0	3.9
Yamhill	5.6	5.2	2.8

(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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