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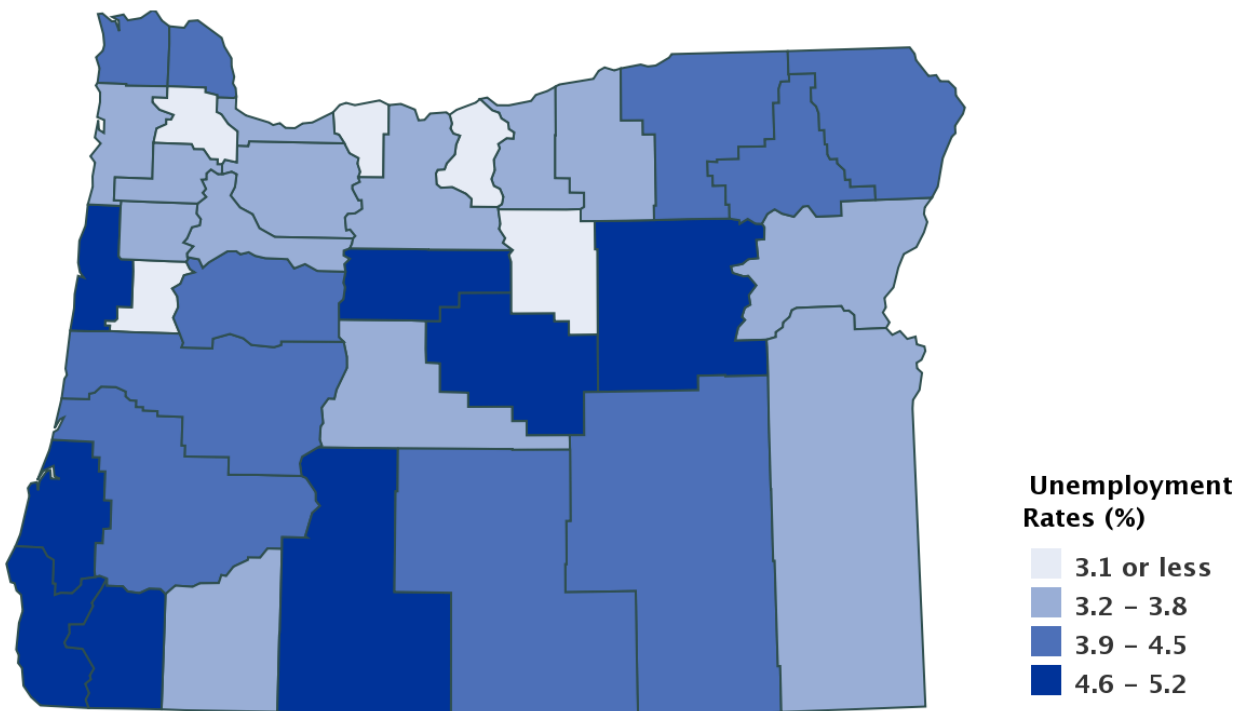
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## June 2022 Employment and Unemployment in Oregon's Counties

In June, unemployment rates declined in 18 of Oregon's 36 counties. Unemployment rates in 17 counties did not decline, but held steady over the month. The unemployment rate increased in Umatilla County. Fourteen counties had unemployment rates at or below the statewide and nationwide rate of 3.6% in June.

Klamath and Grant counties had Oregon's highest seasonally adjusted unemployment rate (5.2%) in June. Other counties with relatively high unemployment rates were Curry (4.8%), Crook (4.7%), Josephine (4.7%), and Lincoln (4.7%). Wheeler County registered the lowest unemployment rate (2.8%) in June. Other counties with some of the lowest unemployment rates in June included Benton, Hood River, Sherman, and Washington, at 2.9% each.

### Seasonally Adjusted Unemployment Rate, June 2022



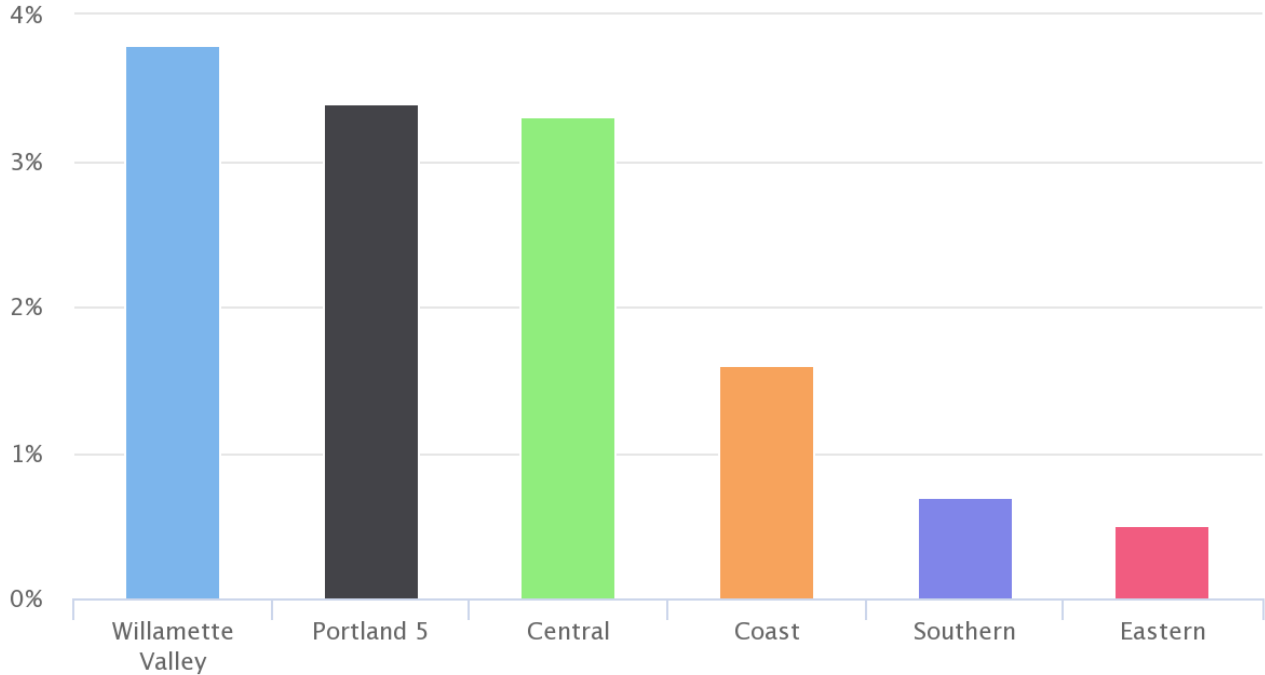
Oregon Employment Department, Local Area Unemployment Statistics

Between June 2021 and June 2022, total nonfarm employment rose in each of the six broad regions across Oregon. The Willamette Valley region experienced the fastest job growth over the year at 3.8%. Employment also grew at a relatively fast pace in the five Portland-metro counties (3.4%) and Central

Oregon region (3.3%). Growth occurred at a slower pace along the Coast (1.6%), in Southern Oregon (0.7%), and in Eastern Oregon (0.5%).

### Over-the-Year Employment Change by Region

June 2021 to June 2022, Seasonally Adjusted Nonfarm Employment



Oregon Employment Department, Current Employment Statistics

#### Next News Releases

The Oregon Employment Department will release statewide unemployment rate and industry employment data for July 2022 on Wednesday, Aug. 17, 2022. The July 2022 county and metropolitan area unemployment rates will be released on Tuesday, Aug. 23, 2022.

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Labor Force and Unemployment by Area (1)

	June 2022					May 2022					June 2021				
	Civilian Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Unemployment Rate (UR)	Seasonally Adjusted UR	Civilian Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Unemployment Rate (UR)	Seasonally Adjusted UR	Civilian Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Unemployment Rate (UR)	Seasonally Adjusted UR
United States	165,012,000	158,678,000	6,334,000	3.8	3.6	164,157,000	158,609,000	5,548,000	3.4	3.6	162,167,000	152,283,000	9,883,000	6.1	5.9
State of Oregon	2,201,256	2,119,639	81,617	3.7	3.6	2,198,178	2,131,146	67,032	3.0	3.5	2,154,123	2,028,487	125,636	5.8	5.4
<b>Metropolitan Statistical Areas:</b>															
Albany (Linn County)	61,412	58,864	2,548	4.1	4.0	61,455	59,340	2,115	3.4	4.1	60,873	57,085	3,788	6.2	5.8
Bend-Redmond (Deschutes County)	105,448	101,760	3,688	3.5	3.4	105,143	102,116	3,027	2.9	3.4	102,802	96,952	5,850	5.7	5.5
Corvallis (Benton County)	49,566	47,909	1,657	3.3	2.9	49,565	48,390	1,175	2.4	2.9	48,133	46,006	2,127	4.4	4.0
Eugene (Lane County)	185,567	178,018	7,549	4.1	3.9	186,766	180,629	6,137	3.3	3.9	183,220	171,762	11,458	6.3	6.1
Grants Pass (Josephine County)	37,618	35,757	1,861	4.9	4.7	37,498	35,952	1,546	4.1	4.7	37,373	34,838	2,535	6.8	6.5
Medford (Jackson County)	108,460	103,974	4,486	4.1	3.8	108,314	104,676	3,638	3.4	3.9	107,830	101,310	6,520	6.0	5.7
Portland-Vancouver-Hillsboro (2)	1,380,175	1,330,287	49,888	3.6	3.5	1,382,447	1,339,776	42,671	3.1	3.6	1,334,873	1,258,561	76,312	5.7	5.3
Salem (Marion and Polk counties)	212,855	204,762	8,093	3.8	3.5	212,526	206,042	6,484	3.1	3.6	210,508	198,528	11,980	5.7	5.2
<b>Counties:</b>															
Baker	7,680	7,394	286	3.7	3.8	7,697	7,456	241	3.1	3.8	7,566	7,152	414	5.5	5.3
Benton	49,566	47,909	1,657	3.3	2.9	49,565	48,390	1,175	2.4	2.9	48,133	46,006	2,127	4.4	4.0
Clackamas	229,518	221,764	7,754	3.4	3.2	229,742	223,411	6,331	2.8	3.3	221,630	209,513	12,117	5.5	4.9
Clatsop	20,092	19,332	760	3.8	3.9	19,737	19,087	650	3.3	3.9	19,754	18,503	1,251	6.3	6.0
Columbia	25,325	24,242	1,083	4.3	4.2	25,385	24,476	909	3.6	4.3	24,520	22,943	1,577	6.4	5.8
Coos	26,641	25,348	1,293	4.9	4.6	26,822	25,737	1,085	4.0	4.6	27,187	25,308	1,879	6.9	6.5
Crook	11,522	10,988	534	4.6	4.7	11,431	10,978	453	4.0	4.8	11,082	10,301	781	7.0	6.8
Curry	9,354	8,912	442	4.7	4.8	9,219	8,842	377	4.1	4.9	9,346	8,684	662	7.1	6.9
Deschutes	105,448	101,760	3,688	3.5	3.4	105,143	102,116	3,027	2.9	3.4	102,802	96,952	5,850	5.7	5.5
Douglas	47,914	45,715	2,199	4.6	4.4	48,030	46,202	1,828	3.8	4.5	48,344	45,185	3,159	6.5	6.0
Gilliam	1,024	990	34	3.3	3.2	1,015	988	27	2.7	3.2	929	878	51	5.5	5.1
Grant	3,257	3,106	151	4.6	5.2	3,150	3,002	148	4.7	5.2	3,372	3,178	194	5.8	6.8
Harney	3,770	3,633	137	3.6	3.9	3,804	3,683	121	3.2	3.9	3,779	3,598	181	4.8	5.2
Hood River	14,691	14,215	476	3.2	2.9	13,954	13,596	358	2.6	2.9	14,733	13,899	834	5.7	4.6
Jackson	108,460	103,974	4,486	4.1	3.8	108,314	104,676	3,638	3.4	3.9	107,830	101,310	6,520	6.0	5.7
Jefferson	10,819	10,304	515	4.8	4.6	10,800	10,396	404	3.7	4.6	10,687	9,979	708	6.6	6.6
Josephine	37,618	35,757	1,861	4.9	4.7	37,498	35,952	1,546	4.1	4.7	37,373	34,838	2,535	6.8	6.5
Klamath	30,448	28,890	1,558	5.1	5.2	30,417	29,131	1,286	4.2	5.3	30,397	28,215	2,182	7.2	6.8
Lake	3,769	3,608	161	4.3	4.4	3,708	3,568	140	3.8	4.5	3,829	3,595	234	6.1	5.8
Lane	185,567	178,018	7,549	4.1	3.9	186,766	180,629	6,137	3.3	3.9	183,220	171,762	11,458	6.3	6.1
Lincoln	21,541	20,525	1,016	4.7	4.7	21,186	20,309	877	4.1	4.9	21,345	19,772	1,573	7.4	7.0
Linn	61,412	58,864	2,548	4.1	4.0	61,455	59,340	2,115	3.4	4.1	60,873	57,085	3,788	6.2	5.8
Malheur	12,769	12,288	481	3.8	3.3	12,745	12,370	375	2.9	3.3	12,860	12,227	633	4.9	4.5
Marion	170,282	163,813	6,469	3.8	3.6	169,848	164,648	5,200	3.1	3.6	168,514	158,847	9,667	5.7	5.1
Morrow	6,050	5,821	229	3.8	3.3	6,057	5,887	170	2.8	3.3	6,016	5,709	307	5.1	4.8
Multnomah	473,873	456,801	17,072	3.6	3.6	474,669	460,128	14,541	3.1	3.7	459,695	430,937	28,758	6.3	5.6
Polk	42,573	40,949	1,624	3.8	3.5	42,678	41,394	1,284	3.0	3.6	41,994	39,681	2,313	5.5	4.9
Sherman	975	950	25	2.6	2.9	966	941	25	2.6	3.1	989	943	46	4.7	4.5
Tillamook	12,619	12,146	473	3.7	3.8	12,451	12,044	407	3.3	3.9	12,304	11,578	726	5.9	5.6
Umatilla	38,351	36,849	1,502	3.9	3.9	38,259	37,049	1,210	3.2	3.8	38,473	36,340	2,133	5.5	5.4
Union	12,423	11,922	501	4.0	3.9	12,371	11,968	403	3.3	3.9	12,341	11,646	695	5.6	5.7
Wallowa	3,851	3,692	159	4.1	4.4	3,708	3,572	136	3.7	4.4	3,812	3,617	195	5.1	5.5
Wasco	16,471	15,987	484	2.9	3.7	13,077	12,643	434	3.3	3.8	16,337	15,546	791	4.8	5.2
Washington	337,750	327,327	10,423	3.1	2.9	338,611	330,222	8,389	2.5	3.0	326,157	309,870	16,287	5.0	4.5
Wheeler	711	692	19	2.7	2.8	727	711	16	2.2	2.9	737	714	23	3.1	3.0
Yamhill	57,118	55,153	1,965	3.4	3.2	57,175	55,604	1,571	2.7	3.3	55,163	52,176	2,987	5.4	4.8

(1) 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. Data are not seasonally adjusted unless otherwise noted.

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

Next release: Aug. 23, 2022