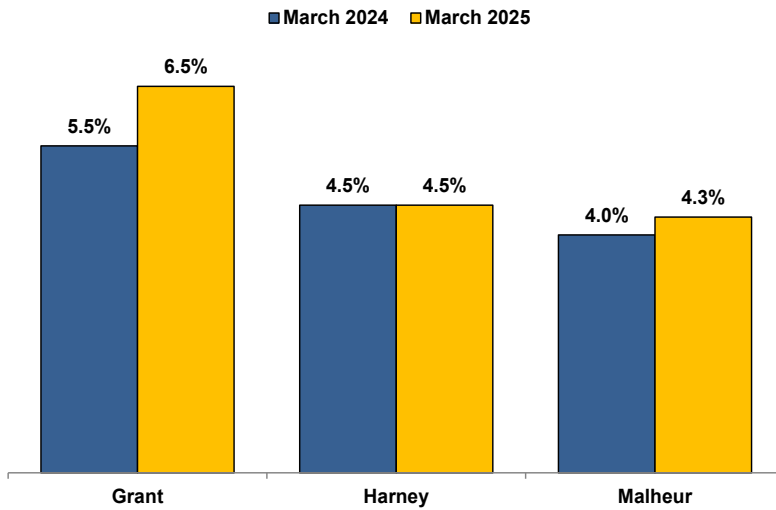


#### Unemployment Rates (Seasonally Adjusted)



#### Unemployment Rate News

Malheur County's seasonally adjusted unemployment rate for March 2025 was 4.3%, while Harney County came in at 4.5% and Grant County at 6.5%. Malheur and Harney counties' rates were below Oregon's statewide rate of 4.6%. All were above the national rate of 4.2%.

Harney County's March 2025 rate held steady with its March 2024 rate while Grant and Malheur counties' rates were up over the year.

Harney County's March 2025 rate tied for its second lowest March rate since comparable statistics began in 1990. Grant and Malheur counties' rates were their fourth lowest March rates over the same period.

#### Nonfarm Employment Change

March 2024 to March 2025

Grant County added an estimated 10 jobs over the year. The private sector increased by 20 jobs. Mining and logging led gains. Manufacturing led losses. The public sector dropped 10 jobs with losses in federal government and local government overcoming a gain in state government.

Harney County employment increased by an estimated 30 jobs over the year. The private sector added 30 jobs. Gains were led by private education and health services. Retail trade led losses. The public sector saw a net change of zero jobs with a gain in local government offsetting a loss in federal government while state government went unchanged.

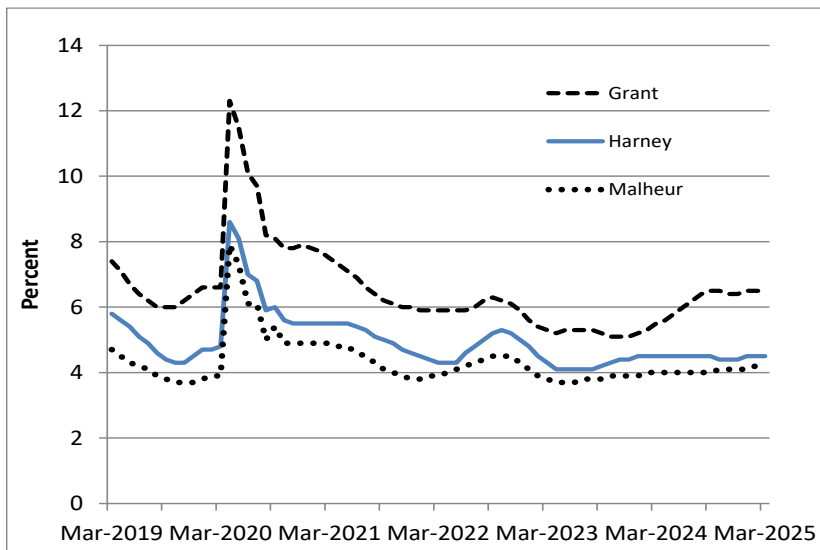
Malheur County employment increased by an estimated 50 jobs over the year. The private sector dropped 40 jobs led by losses in leisure and hospitality; mining, logging, and construction; and professional and business services. Gains were led by manufacturing. The public sector increased by 90 jobs with gains in local government and federal government while state government went unchanged.

#### Notable Industry Gains and Losses

Over-the-Year Employment Change from March 2024

Grant	Harney	Malheur
Mining/Logging (+20)	Private Education/Health Services (+30)	Manufacturing (+100)
State Government (+20)	Goods-producing (+10)	Local Government (+80)
Other Services (+10)	Financial Activities (+10)	Retail Trade (+20)
Transportation/Warehousing/Utilities (+10)	Professional/Business Services (+10)	Information (+10)
Wholesale Trade (+10)	Local Government (+10)	Federal Government (+10)
Manufacturing (-20)	Retail Trade (-20)	Leisure/Hospitality (-50)
Federal Government (-20)	Leisure/Hospitality (-10)	Mining/Logging/Construction (-40)
Retail Trade (-10)	Federal Government (-10)	Professional/Business Services (-30)
Leisure/Hospitality (-10)		

#### Unemployment rates rising but remain comparatively low



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