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Employment in Yamhill County: March 2025

Yamhill County's Unemployment Rate Remains at 4.3%

Yamhill County's seasonally adjusted unemployment rate was 4.3% in March, matching its revised rate of 4.3% in February. Oregon's statewide unemployment rate in March was 4.5%, up from its revised February rate of 4.4%.

Yamhill County's employment gains in March were more than normal; total nonfarm employment increased 370 jobs, when an employment increase of 300 jobs would be expected. As a result, seasonally adjusted employment was up 70 in March. Employment is 1,580 jobs (+4.5%) above the pre-pandemic level in February 2020.

The private sector added 310 jobs in March. The largest private-sector industry employment gains in March were reported in health care and social assistance (+150 jobs, +2.2%), professional and business services (+60 jobs, +2.7%), and private educational services (+60 jobs, +2.1%).

Yamhill County's public-sector employment was up 60 in March. Local government employment was up 60 jobs. State government employment and federal government employment were both unchanged in March.

Next Press Releases

The Oregon Employment Department plans to release the April county and metropolitan area unemployment rates on Tuesday, May 20 and the statewide unemployment rate and employment survey data on Wednesday, May 14.



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Yamhill County Current Labor Force and Industry Employment

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	March 2025	February 2025	March 2024	February 2025	March 2024
Labor Force Status					
Civilian labor force	56,433	56,289	56,368	144	65
Unemployed	2,705	2,704	2,222	1	483
Unemployment rate	4.8%	4.8%	3.9%	0.0	0.9
<i>Unemployment rate (seasonally adjusted)</i>	4.3%	4.3%	3.7%	0.0	0.6
Employed	53,728	53,585	54,146	143	-418
Nonfarm Payroll Employment					
Total nonfarm employment	37,130	36,760	36,800	370	330
<i>Total nonfarm employment (seasonally adjusted)</i>	36,960	36,890	36,640	70	320
Total private	32,460	32,150	32,040	310	420
Mining, logging, and construction	2,150	2,110	2,170	40	-20
Mining and logging	100	100	90	0	10
Construction	2,050	2,010	2,080	40	-30
Manufacturing	6,680	6,660	6,550	20	130
Trade, transportation, and utilities	4,930	4,940	5,000	-10	-70
Wholesale trade	780	780	770	0	10
Retail trade	3,680	3,680	3,750	0	-70
Motor vehicle and parts dealers	660	660	650	0	10
Food and beverage retailers	920	930	920	-10	0
General merchandise retailers	710	680	700	30	10
Transportation, warehousing, and utilities	470	480	480	-10	-10
Information	290	290	310	0	-20
Financial activities	1,410	1,420	1,270	-10	140
Professional and business services	2,320	2,260	2,440	60	-120
Private education and health services	9,800	9,590	9,380	210	420
Private educational services	2,910	2,850	2,910	60	0
Health care and social assistance	6,890	6,740	6,470	150	420
Leisure and hospitality	3,730	3,730	3,790	0	-60
Other services	1,150	1,150	1,130	0	20
Government	4,670	4,610	4,760	60	-90
Federal government	460	460	440	0	20
State government	270	270	250	0	20
Local government	3,940	3,880	4,070	60	-130
Local education	2,260	2,220	2,350	40	-90
Local government excluding educational services	1,680	1,660	1,720	20	-40

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.

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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