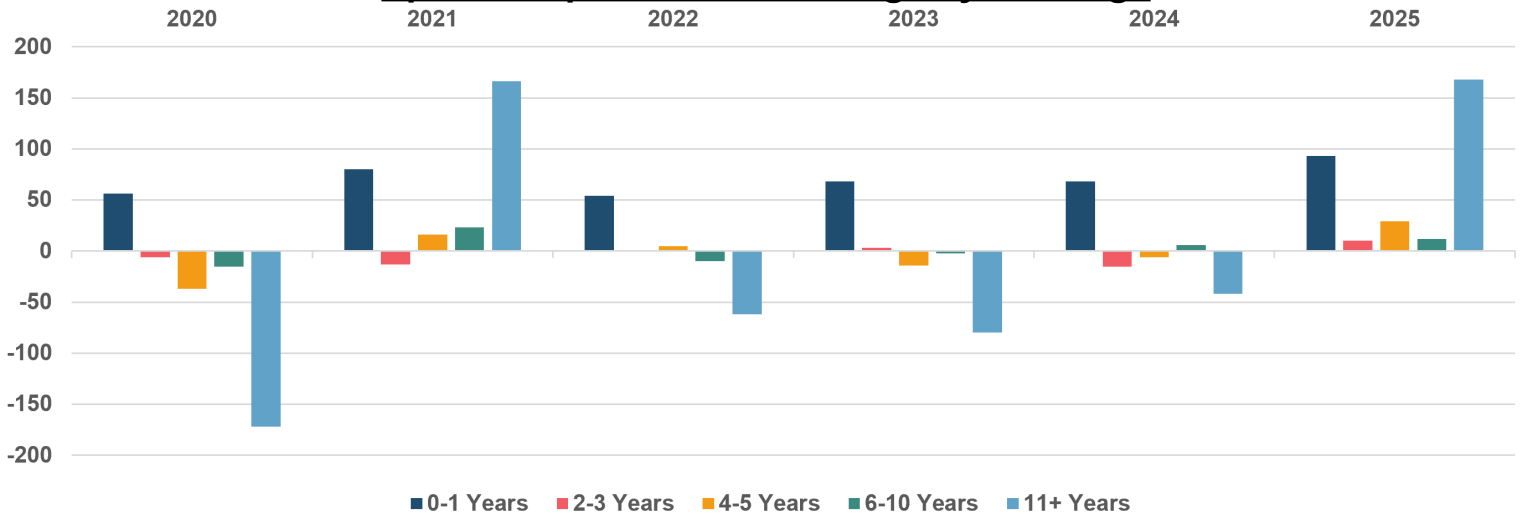


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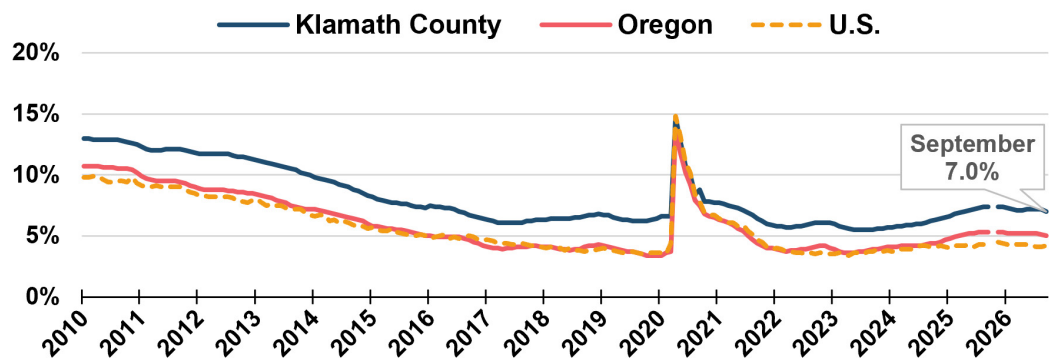
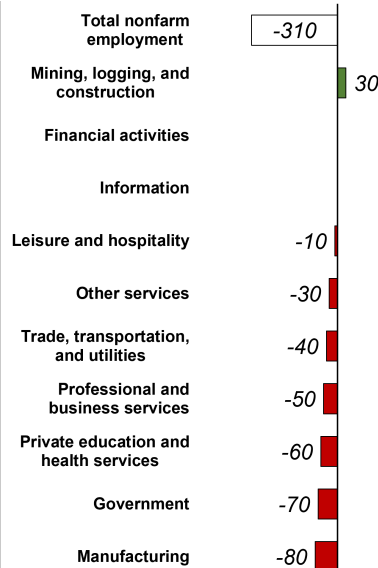
Over this six year period new firms consistently added jobs (+419). Middle age firms experienced modest changes with no clear trend. Mature firms were the most volatile and lost the most jobs (-248), but posted gains in 2021 and 2025.

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Quarterly Workforce Indicators

Unemployment Rate - 7.0%

- September 2025 rate - 7.4%
- The seasonally adjusted unemployment rate has ranged from 7.0% to 7.4% over the year

Local Area Unemployment

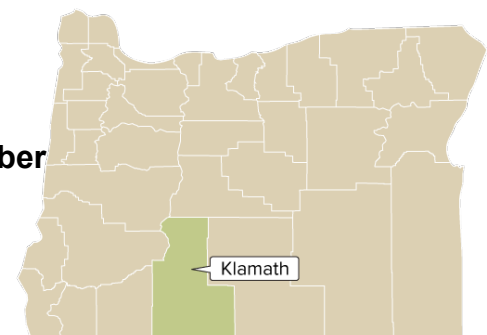


Industry Employment Change September 2025 to September 2026

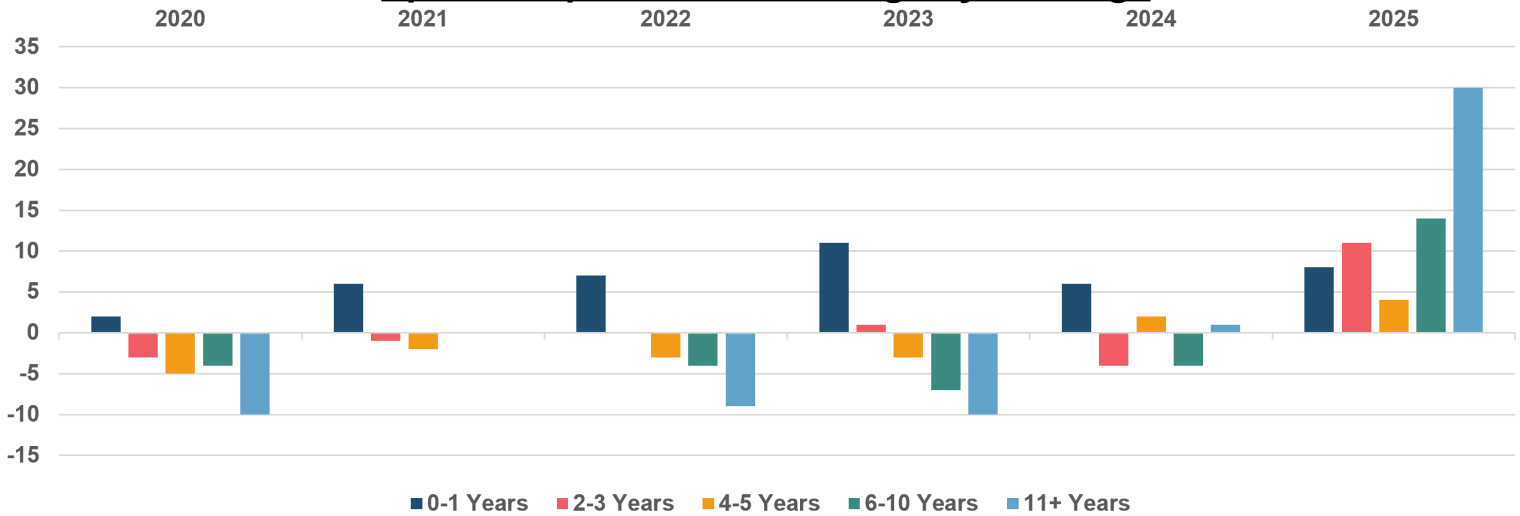
- Klamath County lost 310 jobs over the year
- Payroll employment down 1.3% over the year
- Mining, logging, and construction added 30 jobs
- Manufacturing lost 80 jobs

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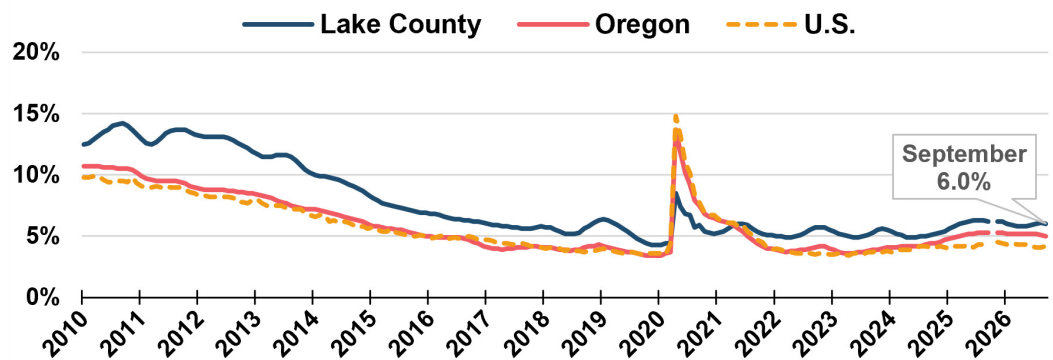
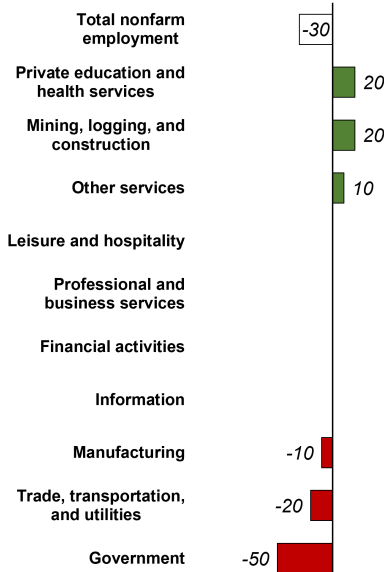
Over this six year period new firms added the most jobs (+40) and grew consistently every year. Middle age firms experienced modest contractions until 2025 when all age classes expanded. Mature firms were the most volatile and saw marginal gains (+2).

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Quarterly Workforce Indicators

Unemployment Rate - 6.0%

- September 2025 rate - 6.2%
- The seasonally adjusted unemployment rate has ranged from 5.8% to 6.2% over the year

Local Area Unemployment



Industry Employment Change September 2025 to September 2026

- Lake County lost 30 jobs over the year
- Payroll employment down 1.4% over the year
- Private education and health services added 20 jobs
- Government lost 50 jobs

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