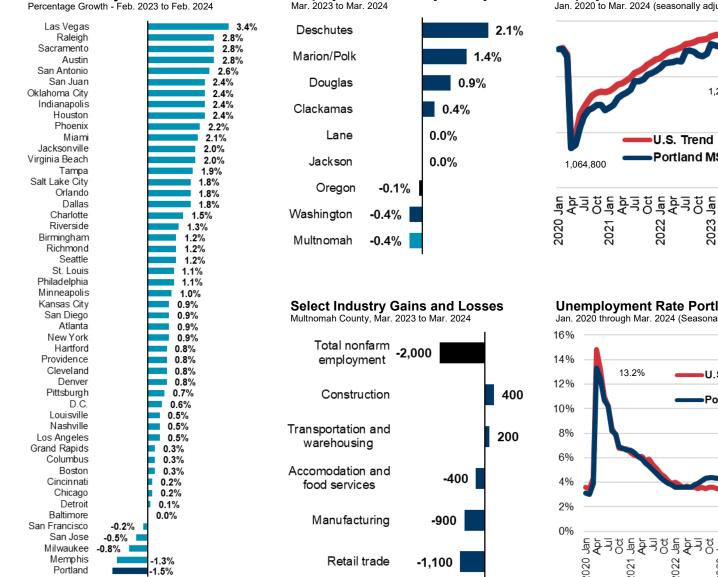


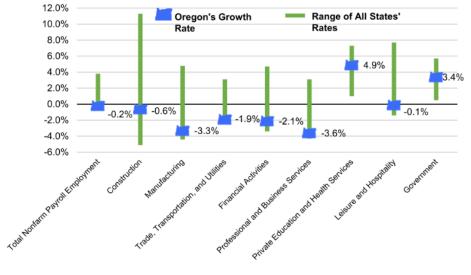
Job Growth by U.S. Metro







Growth Rates for All States by Sector Jan. 2023 to Jan. 2024, Seasonal Adjusted Source: Oregon Employment Department and U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics



Employment Growth by County

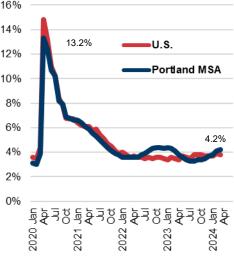
Employment in Portland Metro

Jan. 2020 to Mar. 2024 (seasonally adjusted)



Unemployment Rate Portland Metro

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Oregon's Job Growth Fastest in Private Education and Health Services and Government

Oregon lost 4,900 nonfarm payroll jobs from January 2023 to January 2024, which was a growth rate of -0.2%. Among all states and the District of Columbia, Oregon grew at the slowest rate. Washington and California were near the middle of the rankings, with growth rates of 1.4% and 1.3%, respectively. Idaho grew 2.0% over the year, ranking 12th. Nevada grew the fastest of all states at 3.8%.

Job growth rankings by industry sector show that two sectors of Oregon's economy added jobs fast enough to rank in the top 10 of all states: the private education and health services industry and government.

Oregon's job growth in many other sectors ranked at or near the bottom of the list. In the trade, transportation, and utilities industry, Oregon ranked last among states, with a growth rate of -1.9%. In the manufacturing industry, Oregon grew at -3.3% over the year, which ranked 50th. When it comes to the professional and business services industry, Oregon grew the 48th fastest, at -3.6%.

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