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Employment in Lincoln County: April 2024

Seasonally adjusted employment decreased by 210 in April

Seasonally adjusted nonfarm payroll employment decreased by 210 in April to 18,500 jobs. Seasonally adjusted figures compare expected changes with actual changes. A gain of 420 jobs was expected for the month, but the county's total nonfarm employment increased by 210. The private sector gained 210 jobs. Leisure and hospitality added 110 jobs. Financial activities added 30 jobs. Local education decreased by 20.

April's total nonfarm employment numbers were essentially unchanged from one year before with a gain of 20 jobs. Private education and health services was up 20 jobs over the year in April. Leisure and hospitality shed 120 jobs over the year. Local government, including tribal and education, added 160 jobs over the past year.

Lincoln County's seasonally adjusted unemployment rate was 4.6% in April, unchanged from a revised 4.6% in March. It was 4.2% the year before. The statewide unemployment rate was 4.2% in April, and the national rate was 3.9%.

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The Oregon Employment Department plans to release the May county and metropolitan area unemployment rates and employment survey data on Tuesday, June 25, and the statewide unemployment rate and employment survey data for May on Thursday, June 20.

Lincoln County Current Labor Force and Industry Employment

	--Change From--				
	April 2024	March 2024	April 2023	March 2024	April 2023
Labor Force Status					
Civilian labor force	21,311	21,266	20,720	45	591
Unemployed	919	1,095	722	-176	197
Unemployment rate	4.3%	5.1%	3.5%	-0.8	0.8
<i>Unemployment rate (seasonally adjusted)</i>	4.6%	4.6%	4.2%	0.0	0.4
Employed	20,392	20,171	19,998	221	394
Nonfarm Payroll Employment					
Total nonfarm employment	18,370	18,160	18,350	210	20
<i>Total nonfarm employment (seasonally adjusted)</i>	18,500	18,710	18,480	-210	20
Total private	14,450	14,240	14,600	210	-150
Mining, logging, and construction	950	940	940	10	10
Mining and logging	140	130	120	10	20
Construction	810	810	820	0	-10
Manufacturing	920	910	940	10	-20
Durable goods	140	140	160	0	-20
Nondurable goods	780	770	780	10	0
Food manufacturing	220	210	240	10	-20
Trade, transportation, and utilities	3,150	3,140	3,190	10	-40
Retail trade	2,700	2,690	2,730	10	-30
Food and beverage retailers	770	760	770	10	0
Transportation, warehousing, and utilities	280	270	280	10	0
Information	130	130	110	0	20
Financial activities	980	950	980	30	0
Professional and business services	1,060	1,040	1,060	20	0
Private education and health services	2,220	2,210	2,200	10	20
Leisure and hospitality	4,590	4,480	4,710	110	-120
Accommodation and food services	4,390	4,260	4,490	130	-100
Accommodation	1,600	1,560	1,740	40	-140
Food services and drinking places	2,790	2,700	2,750	90	40
Other services	450	440	470	10	-20
Government	3,920	3,920	3,750	0	170
Federal government	320	310	310	10	10
State government	330	320	330	10	0
Local government	3,270	3,290	3,110	-20	160
Indian tribal	940	950	880	-10	60
Local education	1,050	1,070	970	-20	80
Local government excluding education and tribal	1,280	1,270	1,260	10	20

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.

Oregon Seasonally Adjusted Unemployment Rates by Area (1)

	April 2024	March 2024	April 2023
United States	3.9	3.8	3.4
State of Oregon	4.2	4.2	3.4
<u>Metropolitan Statistical Areas:</u>			
Albany (Linn County)	4.6	4.7	3.8
Bend-Redmond (Deschutes County)	4.1	4.0	3.5
Corvallis (Benton County)	3.4	3.4	2.7
Eugene (Lane County)	4.3	4.4	3.7
Grants Pass (Josephine County)	5.4	5.5	4.8
Medford (Jackson County)	4.8	4.9	4.1
Portland-Vancouver-Hillsboro (2)	4.1	4.2	3.3
Salem (Marion and Polk counties)	4.1	4.2	3.5
<u>Counties (1):</u>			
Baker	4.5	4.6	4.2
Benton	3.4	3.4	2.7
Clackamas	3.7	3.8	3.1
Clatsop	3.9	3.9	3.5
Columbia	4.9	5.0	4.1
Coos	4.8	4.9	4.5
Crook	6.3	6.4	5.2
Curry	5.2	5.3	4.4
Deschutes	4.1	4.0	3.5
Douglas	5.0	5.1	4.5
Gilliam	5.1	5.4	3.7
Grant	4.9	4.9	5.0
Harney	4.4	4.4	4.0
Hood River	3.2	3.2	2.8
Jackson	4.8	4.9	4.1
Jefferson	4.7	4.8	4.4
Josephine	5.4	5.5	4.8
Klamath	5.4	5.4	5.2
Lake	5.1	5.3	4.7
Lane	4.3	4.4	3.7
Lincoln	4.6	4.6	4.2
Linn	4.6	4.7	3.8
Malheur	3.9	3.9	3.5
Marion	4.1	4.2	3.5
Morrow	3.7	3.6	3.2
Multnomah	4.0	4.1	3.3
Polk	4.1	4.1	3.6
Sherman	4.2	4.3	3.6
Tillamook	4.0	4.1	3.6
Umatilla	4.0	4.0	4.6
Union	4.4	4.4	3.7
Wallowa	4.4	4.4	4.6
Wasco	4.1	4.1	3.9
Washington	3.7	3.7	3.0
Wheeler	3.1	3.1	2.7
Yamhill	3.8	3.9	3.2

(1) Seasonally adjusted rates for the United States and Oregon are official Bureau of Labor Statistics (BLS) series. Source of Metro data is BLS and LAUS. Source of county data is OED.

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

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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