

Table 13. Private-sector gross job gains and losses by industry, seasonally adjusted, December 2005 to December 2006

Category	Gross job gains and job losses (in thousands)					Gross job gains and job losses as a percent of employment				
	3 months ended					3 months ended				
	Dec. 2005	Mar. 2006	June 2006	Sept. 2006	Dec. 2006	Dec. 2005	Mar. 2006	June 2006	Sept. 2006	Dec. 2006
<b>Total private:<sup>1</sup></b>										
Gross job gains .....	7,818	7,556	7,761	7,364	7,734	7.1	6.7	6.9	6.5	6.8
At expanding establishments .....	6,293	6,205	6,286	5,985	6,255	5.7	5.5	5.6	5.3	5.5
At opening establishments .....	1,525	1,351	1,475	1,379	1,479	1.4	1.2	1.3	1.2	1.3
Gross job losses .....	7,267	6,772	7,295	7,345	7,218	6.5	6.0	6.5	6.5	6.4
At contracting establishments .....	5,888	5,536	5,937	6,010	5,885	5.3	4.9	5.3	5.3	5.2
At closing establishments .....	1,379	1,236	1,358	1,335	1,333	1.2	1.1	1.2	1.2	1.2
Net employment change .....	551	784	466	19	516	0.6	0.7	0.4	0.0	0.4
<b>Goods-producing:</b>										
Gross job gains .....	1,722	1,713	1,673	1,537	1,616	7.4	7.2	7.1	6.5	6.9
At expanding establishments .....	1,463	1,466	1,434	1,317	1,375	6.3	6.2	6.1	5.6	5.9
At opening establishments .....	259	247	239	220	241	1.1	1.0	1.0	0.9	1.0
Gross job losses .....	1,606	1,545	1,644	1,706	1,697	6.8	6.5	6.9	7.2	7.2
At contracting establishments .....	1,338	1,302	1,373	1,436	1,433	5.7	5.5	5.8	6.1	6.1
At closing establishments .....	268	243	271	270	264	1.1	1.0	1.1	1.1	1.1
Net employment change .....	116	168	29	-169	-81	0.6	0.7	0.2	-0.7	-0.3
<b>Natural resources and mining:</b>										
Gross job gains .....	279	279	286	261	283	16.1	15.7	16.2	14.7	15.6
At expanding establishments .....	238	240	246	226	243	13.7	13.5	13.9	12.7	13.4
At opening establishments .....	41	39	40	35	40	2.4	2.2	2.3	2.0	2.2
Gross job losses .....	265	275	265	258	261	15.2	15.6	15.0	14.6	14.4
At contracting establishments .....	226	235	228	218	225	13.0	13.3	12.9	12.3	12.4
At closing establishments .....	39	40	37	40	36	2.2	2.3	2.1	2.3	2.0
Net employment change .....	14	4	21	3	22	0.9	0.1	1.2	0.1	1.2
<b>Construction:</b>										
Gross job gains .....	862	910	828	771	809	11.6	11.9	10.7	10.1	10.7
At expanding establishments .....	699	747	678	631	658	9.4	9.8	8.8	8.3	8.7
At opening establishments .....	163	163	150	140	151	2.2	2.1	1.9	1.8	2.0
Gross job losses .....	774	742	830	848	835	10.5	9.7	10.8	11.1	11.0
At contracting establishments .....	618	596	668	686	675	8.4	7.8	8.7	9.0	8.9
At closing establishments .....	156	146	162	162	160	2.1	1.9	2.1	2.1	2.1
Net employment change .....	88	168	-2	-77	-26	1.1	2.2	-0.1	-1.0	-0.3
<b>Manufacturing:</b>										
Gross job gains .....	581	524	559	505	524	4.1	3.7	3.9	3.6	3.8
At expanding establishments .....	526	479	510	460	474	3.7	3.4	3.6	3.3	3.4
At opening establishments .....	55	45	49	45	50	0.4	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.4
Gross job losses .....	567	528	549	600	601	4.0	3.7	3.9	4.3	4.3
At contracting establishments .....	494	471	477	532	533	3.5	3.3	3.4	3.8	3.8
At closing establishments .....	73	57	72	68	68	0.5	0.4	0.5	0.5	0.5
Net employment change .....	14	-4	10	-95	-77	0.1	0.0	0.0	-0.7	-0.5
<b>Service-providing:<sup>1</sup></b>										
Gross job gains .....	6,096	5,843	6,088	5,827	6,118	6.9	6.6	6.9	6.5	6.9
At expanding establishments .....	4,830	4,739	4,852	4,668	4,880	5.5	5.4	5.5	5.2	5.5
At opening establishments .....	1,266	1,104	1,236	1,159	1,238	1.4	1.2	1.4	1.3	1.4
Gross job losses .....	5,661	5,227	5,651	5,639	5,521	6.5	5.9	6.3	6.3	6.2
At contracting establishments .....	4,550	4,234	4,564	4,574	4,452	5.2	4.8	5.1	5.1	5.0
At closing establishments .....	1,111	993	1,087	1,065	1,069	1.3	1.1	1.2	1.2	1.2
Net employment change .....	435	616	437	188	597	0.4	0.7	0.6	0.2	0.7

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Category	Gross job gains and job losses (in thousands)					Gross job gains and job losses as a percent of employment				
	3 months ended					3 months ended				
	Dec. 2005	Mar. 2006	June 2006	Sept. 2006	Dec. 2006	Dec. 2005	Mar. 2006	June 2006	Sept. 2006	Dec. 2006
<b>Wholesale trade:</b>										
Gross job gains .....	320	311	328	304	318	5.5	5.3	5.6	5.1	5.3
At expanding establishments .....	263	262	270	251	262	4.5	4.5	4.6	4.2	4.4
At opening establishments .....	57	49	58	53	56	1.0	0.8	1.0	0.9	0.9
Gross job losses .....	302	288	288	302	299	5.2	4.9	4.9	5.1	5.0
At contracting establishments .....	234	223	223	235	234	4.0	3.8	3.8	4.0	3.9
At closing establishments .....	68	65	65	67	65	1.2	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.1
Net employment change .....	18	23	40	2	19	0.3	0.4	0.7	0.0	0.3
<b>Retail trade:</b>										
Gross job gains .....	1,058	1,048	1,053	1,010	1,070	6.9	6.8	6.8	6.5	6.9
At expanding establishments .....	884	905	870	841	899	5.8	5.9	5.6	5.4	5.8
At opening establishments .....	174	143	183	169	171	1.1	0.9	1.2	1.1	1.1
Gross job losses .....	1,015	971	1,074	1,063	1,003	6.6	6.3	7.0	6.9	6.5
At contracting establishments .....	865	828	926	906	858	5.6	5.4	6.0	5.9	5.6
At closing establishments .....	150	143	148	157	145	1.0	0.9	1.0	1.0	0.9
Net employment change .....	43	77	-21	-53	67	0.3	0.5	-0.2	-0.4	0.4
<b>Transportation and warehousing:</b>										
Gross job gains .....	268	232	242	236	266	6.4	5.5	5.8	5.5	6.2
At expanding establishments .....	226	201	205	205	231	5.4	4.8	4.9	4.8	5.4
At opening establishments .....	42	31	37	31	35	1.0	0.7	0.9	0.7	0.8
Gross job losses .....	231	228	227	221	223	5.5	5.4	5.4	5.2	5.2
At contracting establishments .....	188	194	188	183	183	4.5	4.6	4.5	4.3	4.3
At closing establishments .....	43	34	39	38	40	1.0	0.8	0.9	0.9	0.9
Net employment change .....	37	4	15	15	43	0.9	0.1	0.4	0.3	1.0
<b>Utilities:</b>										
Gross job gains .....	14	11	13	13	17	2.6	2.0	2.4	2.4	3.1
At expanding establishments .....	13	10	12	12	13	2.4	1.8	2.2	2.2	2.4
At opening establishments .....	1	1	1	1	4	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.7
Gross job losses .....	16	11	13	12	16	2.9	2.0	2.4	2.2	2.9
At contracting establishments .....	11	9	11	10	11	2.0	1.6	2.0	1.8	2.0
At closing establishments .....	5	2	2	2	5	0.9	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.9
Net employment change .....	-2	0	0	1	1	-0.3	0.0	0.0	0.2	0.2
<b>Information:</b>										
Gross job gains .....	152	139	146	148	156	4.9	4.6	4.8	4.9	5.1
At expanding establishments .....	127	121	123	124	129	4.1	4.0	4.0	4.1	4.2
At opening establishments .....	25	18	23	24	27	0.8	0.6	0.8	0.8	0.9
Gross job losses .....	156	142	140	167	142	5.1	4.6	4.6	5.5	4.7
At contracting establishments .....	121	117	112	140	109	4.0	3.8	3.7	4.6	3.6
At closing establishments .....	35	25	28	27	33	1.1	0.8	0.9	0.9	1.1
Net employment change .....	-4	-3	6	-19	14	-0.2	0.0	0.2	-0.6	0.4
<b>Financial Activities:</b>										
Gross job gains .....	472	408	447	436	452	5.8	5.0	5.5	5.3	5.5
At expanding establishments .....	359	331	352	345	345	4.4	4.1	4.3	4.2	4.2
At opening establishments .....	113	77	95	91	107	1.4	0.9	1.2	1.1	1.3
Gross job losses .....	434	404	432	435	442	5.4	5.0	5.3	5.3	5.4
At contracting establishments .....	329	315	333	335	336	4.1	3.9	4.1	4.1	4.1
At closing establishments .....	105	89	99	100	106	1.3	1.1	1.2	1.2	1.3
Net employment change .....	38	4	15	1	10	0.4	0.0	0.2	0.0	0.1

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	Dec. 2005	Mar. 2006	June 2006	Sept. 2006	Dec. 2006	Dec. 2005	Mar. 2006	June 2006	Sept. 2006	Dec. 2006
<b>Professional and business services:</b>										
Gross job gains .....	1,432	1,279	1,428	1,305	1,409	8.4	7.4	8.2	7.5	8.0
At expanding establishments .....	1,163	1,060	1,169	1,083	1,146	6.8	6.1	6.7	6.2	6.5
At opening establishments .....	269	219	259	222	263	1.6	1.3	1.5	1.3	1.5
Gross job losses .....	1,303	1,169	1,272	1,259	1,297	7.6	6.7	7.3	7.2	7.3
At contracting establishments .....	1,041	945	992	1,014	1,043	6.1	5.4	5.7	5.8	5.9
At closing establishments .....	262	224	280	245	254	1.5	1.3	1.6	1.4	1.4
Net employment change .....	129	110	156	46	112	0.8	0.7	0.9	0.3	0.7
<b>Education and health services:</b>										
Gross job gains .....	766	771	776	772	785	4.6	4.6	4.6	4.5	4.6
At expanding establishments .....	645	659	658	662	664	3.9	3.9	3.9	3.9	3.9
At opening establishments .....	121	112	118	110	121	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.6	0.7
Gross job losses .....	699	645	713	670	675	4.2	3.9	4.2	4.0	3.9
At contracting establishments .....	572	529	594	554	552	3.4	3.2	3.5	3.3	3.2
At closing establishments .....	127	116	119	116	123	0.8	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7
Net employment change .....	67	126	63	102	110	0.4	0.7	0.4	0.5	0.7
<b>Leisure and hospitality:</b>										
Gross job gains .....	1,175	1,194	1,200	1,154	1,205	9.2	9.3	9.2	8.8	9.2
At expanding establishments .....	893	927	926	891	932	7.0	7.2	7.1	6.8	7.1
At opening establishments .....	282	267	274	263	273	2.2	2.1	2.1	2.0	2.1
Gross job losses .....	1,165	1,046	1,169	1,168	1,095	9.0	8.1	9.0	8.9	8.3
At contracting establishments .....	941	842	949	945	887	7.3	6.5	7.3	7.2	6.7
At closing establishments .....	224	204	220	223	208	1.7	1.6	1.7	1.7	1.6
Net employment change .....	10	148	31	-14	110	0.2	1.2	0.2	-0.1	0.9
<b>Other services:</b>										
Gross job gains .....	289	293	307	285	293	7.6	7.7	8.0	7.4	7.5
At expanding establishments .....	231	240	247	232	237	6.1	6.3	6.4	6.0	6.1
At opening establishments .....	58	53	60	53	56	1.5	1.4	1.6	1.4	1.4
Gross job losses .....	296	281	284	302	288	7.8	7.4	7.3	7.9	7.5
At contracting establishments .....	231	217	221	238	224	6.1	5.7	5.7	6.2	5.8
At closing establishments .....	65	64	63	64	64	1.7	1.7	1.6	1.7	1.7
Net employment change .....	-7	12	23	-17	5	-0.2	0.3	0.7	-0.5	0.0

<sup>1</sup> Includes unclassified sector, not shown separately.