

Establishment Data		Charleston, WV Metropolitan Statistical Area												Annual Avg
		not seasonally adjusted data												
	Year	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	
Total Nonfarm	2008	149.6	149.6	150.3	151.1	151.8	153.4	153.1	153.3	153.0	153.2	152.9	152.3	152.0
	2009	149.4	148.7	149.5										
Mining, Logging, & Construction	2008	16.0	15.7	16.0	16.5	16.9	17.3	17.8	17.9	18.3	18.4	17.9	17.4	17.2
	2009	16.9	16.5	16.5										
Manufacturing	2008	6.3	6.3	6.3	6.2	6.2	6.2	6.2	6.2	6.1	6.1	6.1	6.1	6.2
	2009	6.0	5.9	5.9										
Trade, Transportation, & Utilities	2008	28.6	28.5	28.5	28.6	28.7	28.8	28.8	28.8	28.8	28.6	28.8	29.0	28.7
	2009	28.2	27.9	27.9										
Information	2008	2.9	2.8	2.8	2.8	2.8	2.8	2.8	2.8	2.7	2.7	2.7	2.7	2.8
	2009	2.7	2.7	2.7										
Financial Activities	2008	8.1	8.1	8.1	8.1	8.1	8.1	8.1	8.1	8.1	8.1	8.1	8.1	8.1
	2009	8.0	8.0	8.1										
Professional & Business Services	2008	15.1	15.1	15.1	15.5	15.4	15.6	15.4	15.4	15.2	15.2	15.1	14.8	15.2
	2009	14.3	14.2	14.3										
Education & Health Services	2008	22.0	22.1	22.1	21.7	21.6	21.9	22.2	22.3	22.4	22.6	22.7	22.6	22.2
	2009	22.4	22.5	22.6										
Leisure & Hospitality	2008	11.7	11.8	12.0	12.4	12.6	12.9	12.7	12.8	12.6	12.2	12.3	12.2	12.4
	2009	11.7	11.9	12.1										
Other Services	2008	11.6	11.6	11.7	11.7	11.8	11.8	11.8	11.7	11.7	11.7	11.7	11.7	11.7
	2009	11.6	11.6	11.7										
Government	2008	27.3	27.6	27.7	27.6	27.7	28.0	27.3	27.3	27.1	27.6	27.5	27.7	27.5
	2009	27.6	27.5	27.7										
Labor Force Data														
Labor Force	2008	139,133	138,760	138,825	140,735	140,562	143,661	143,857	141,685	139,902	139,411	138,206	137,094	140,153
	2009	136,439	135,497	135,680										
Employment	2008	133,723	132,704	133,233	135,710	135,527	138,180	139,287	136,714	135,559	135,036	133,693	132,399	135,147
	2009	129,744	127,511	126,848										
Unemployment	2008	5,410	6,056	5,592	5,025	5,035	5,481	4,570	4,971	4,343	4,375	4,513	4,695	5,006
	2009	6,695	7,986	8,832										
Unemployment Rate	2008	3.9	4.4	4.0	3.6	3.6	3.8	3.2	3.5	3.1	3.1	3.3	3.4	3.6
	2009	4.9	5.9	6.5										

Data for the most recent month are preliminary.

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The Charleston, W.Va. Metropolitan Statistical Area (MSA) includes Boone, Clay, Kanawha, Lincoln and Putnam Counties in West Virginia.