

**Minneapolis-St. Paul-Bloomington, MN-WI Metropolitan Statistical Area**

not seasonally adjusted data

<b>Establishment Data</b>	<b>Year</b>	<b>Jan</b>	<b>Feb</b>	<b>Mar</b>	<b>Apr</b>	<b>May</b>	<b>Jun</b>	<b>Jul</b>	<b>Aug</b>	<b>Sep</b>	<b>Oct</b>	<b>Nov</b>	<b>Dec</b>	<b>Annual Avg</b>
<b>Total Nonfarm</b>	2008	1,764.4	1,766.7	1,770.6	1,779.4	1,802.3	1,812.6	1,791.2	1,791.1	1,789.4	1,791.2	1,781.1	1,765.5	1,783.8
	2009	1,716.7	1,711.5	1,706.1										
<b>Mining, Logging, &amp; Construction</b>	2008	64.6	63.2	63.5	65.3	72.1	75.6	76.5	76.6	74.2	72.9	66.6	59.5	69.2
	2009	49.5	45.6	45.9										
<b>Manufacturing</b>	2008	197.9	196.7	196.1	196.8	198.2	199.8	199.0	199.2	196.8	195.7	194.4	193.4	197.0
	2009	189.3	186.6	183.8										
<b>Trade, Transportation, &amp; Utilities</b>	2008	336.2	331.0	331.9	331.7	334.9	335.4	333.7	333.7	331.2	331.5	334.7	334.3	333.4
	2009	324.5	318.3	317.7										
<b>Information</b>	2008	41.9	41.7	41.8	41.7	41.7	42.0	42.1	42.1	41.8	41.9	42.1	42.0	41.9
	2009	41.6	41.6	41.5										
<b>Financial Activities</b>	2008	139.2	139.5	139.6	139.4	139.4	140.2	140.6	140.3	138.7	138.8	138.7	139.4	139.5
	2009	139.7	139.4	139.1										
<b>Professional &amp; Business Services</b>	2008	260.4	260.9	260.6	262.2	263.6	266.2	266.0	265.9	263.1	262.9	259.3	255.5	262.2
	2009	245.5	242.6	239.2										
<b>Education &amp; Health Services</b>	2008	253.1	256.0	257.5	259.9	259.5	257.5	256.5	256.6	258.0	261.1	262.5	262.9	258.4
	2009	260.2	263.1	264.6										
<b>Leisure &amp; Hospitality</b>	2008	155.0	154.7	156.5	159.5	166.8	171.0	169.7	171.8	165.7	162.8	156.2	155.6	162.1
	2009	150.9	150.5	151.0										
<b>Other Services</b>	2008	75.9	77.1	77.8	78.0	78.1	79.5	78.6	79.3	77.3	77.7	77.9	78.5	78.0
	2009	76.7	76.9	78.2										
<b>Government</b>	2008	240.2	245.9	245.3	244.9	248.0	245.4	228.5	225.6	242.6	245.9	248.7	244.4	242.1
	2009	238.8	246.9	245.1										
<b>Labor Force Data</b>														
<b>Labor Force</b>	2008	1,825,529	1,824,519	1,829,600	1,836,903	1,838,629	1,853,883	1,873,472	1,869,076	1,853,817	1,857,208	1,847,015	1,833,678	1,845,278
	2009	1,811,704	1,818,699	1,821,265										
<b>Employment</b>	2008	1,736,269	1,739,727	1,739,551	1,753,887	1,751,613	1,759,152	1,775,782	1,769,863	1,753,910	1,762,256	1,744,016	1,716,433	1,750,205
	2009	1,671,786	1,670,452	1,668,385										
<b>Unemployment</b>	2008	89,260	84,792	90,049	83,016	87,016	94,731	97,690	99,213	99,907	94,952	102,999	117,245	95,073
	2009	139,918	148,247	152,880										
<b>Unemployment Rate</b>	2008	4.9	4.6	4.9	4.5	4.7	5.1	5.2	5.3	5.4	5.1	5.6	6.4	5.2
	2009	7.7	8.2	8.4										

Data for the most recent month are preliminary.

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