

**Three-month private sector gross job gains and losses in the United States<sup>1</sup> and Massachusetts, seasonally adjusted, June 2010 - 2011**

Category	3 months ended				
	June 2010	September 2010	December 2010	March 2011	June 2011
<b>United States</b>	Levels				
Gross job gains	6,969	6,685	7,009	6,338	6,892
at expanding establishments	5,687	5,427	5,631	5,230	5,627
at opening establishments	1,282	1,258	1,378	1,108	1,265
Gross job losses	6,248	6,480	6,427	6,086	6,314
at contracting establishments	5,086	5,255	5,199	4,969	5,083
at closing establishments	1,162	1,225	1,228	1,117	1,231
Net change(2)	721	205	582	252	578
<b>Massachusetts</b>	Levels				
Gross job gains	158,135	156,158	157,256	140,586	159,052
at expanding establishments	129,554	129,173	128,112	116,082	130,158
at opening establishments	28,581	26,985	29,144	24,504	28,894
Gross job losses	136,646	152,843	149,093	140,876	142,030
at contracting establishments	114,990	124,257	119,491	114,731	116,517
at closing establishments	21,656	28,586	29,602	26,145	25,513
Net change(2)	21,489	3,315	8,163	-290	17,022

(1) Numbers for the United States are in thousands

(2) Net change is the difference between total gross job gains and total gross job losses.

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With the release of this quarter's data, additional state data at the NAICS industry sector level are now available. These data are accessible through the data query tools at [www.bls.gov/bdm/](http://www.bls.gov/bdm/). Data are available from September 1992 through June 2011 and will be updated quarterly.