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## REGIONAL AND STATE EMPLOYMENT AND UNEMPLOYMENT — JUNE 2011

Regional and state unemployment rates were little changed in June. Twenty-eight states and the District of Columbia registered unemployment rate increases, 8 states recorded rate decreases, and 14 states had no rate change, the U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics reported today. Thirty-nine states posted unemployment rate decreases from a year earlier, eight states and the District of Columbia reported increases, and three states had no change. The national jobless rate was little changed at 9.2 percent, but was 0.3 percentage point lower than a year earlier.

In June, nonfarm payroll employment increased in 26 states and the District of Columbia and decreased in 24 states. The largest over-the-month increase in employment occurred in Texas (+32,000), followed by California (+28,800), Michigan (+18,000), and Minnesota (+13,200). Alaska experienced the largest over-the-month percentage increase in employment (+1.7 percent), followed by North Dakota (+1.2 percent), Vermont (+0.9 percent), and South Dakota (+0.8 percent). The largest over-the-month decrease in employment occurred in Tennessee (-16,900), followed by Virginia (-14,600), Missouri (-12,900), and North Carolina (-9,500). Kansas and Tennessee experienced the largest over-the-month percentage declines in employment (-0.6 percent each), followed by Missouri (-0.5 percent), and Idaho and Virginia (-0.4 percent each). Over the year, nonfarm employment increased in 40 states and decreased in 10 states and the District of Columbia. The largest over-the-year percentage increase occurred in North Dakota (+4.9 percent), followed by Texas and Vermont (+2.1 percent each), and Wyoming (+2.0 percent). The largest over-the-year percent decreases in employment occurred in Kansas and Maryland (-0.6 percent each), followed by Delaware and Georgia (-0.5 percent each).

### Regional Unemployment (Seasonally Adjusted)

The West had the highest regional unemployment rate in June, 10.4 percent, while the Northeast had the lowest rate, 8.1 percent. Over the month, two regions experienced statistically significant jobless rate changes: the Midwest (+0.2 percentage point) and South (+0.1 point). Three of the regions registered significant rate changes from a year earlier: the Midwest (-1.1 percentage points) and Northeast and West (-0.6 point each). (See table 1.)

Among the nine geographic divisions, the Pacific continued to have the highest jobless rate, 11.0 percent in June. The West North Central again registered the lowest rate, 6.8 percent. Over the month, two divisions experienced statistically significant unemployment rate changes: the East North Central (+0.2 percentage point) and South Atlantic (+0.1 point). Over the year, five divisions posted significant rate changes, all of which were decreases. The largest decrease was in the East North Central (-1.5 percentage points).

### **State Unemployment (Seasonally Adjusted)**

Nevada continued to register the highest unemployment rate among the states, 12.4 percent in June. California had the next highest rate, 11.8 percent. North Dakota reported the lowest jobless rate, 3.2 percent, followed by Nebraska, 4.1 percent, and South Dakota, 4.8 percent. In total, 26 states posted jobless rates significantly lower than the U.S. figure of 9.2 percent, 6 states and the District of Columbia recorded measurably higher rates, and 18 states had rates that were not appreciably different from that of the nation. (See tables A and 3 and chart 1.)

Nine states reported statistically significant over-the-month unemployment rate increases in June. South Carolina experienced the largest increase (+0.5 percentage point), followed by Alabama, Arkansas, and Illinois (+0.3 point each) and Maryland, Montana, North Carolina, Texas, and Wisconsin (+0.2 point each). The District of Columbia also experienced a significant over-the-month rate increase (+0.6 percentage point). The remaining 41 states registered jobless rates that were not measurably different from those of a month earlier, though some had changes that were at least as large numerically as the significant changes.

Nevada recorded the largest jobless rate decrease from June 2010 (-2.5 percentage points). Two other states had rate decreases of at least 2.0 percentage points—Michigan (-2.1 points) and Indiana (-2.0 points). Eleven additional states had smaller but also statistically significant decreases over the year. The remaining 36 states and the District of Columbia registered unemployment rates that were not appreciably different from those of a year earlier. (See table B.)

### **Nonfarm Payroll Employment (Seasonally Adjusted)**

Over the month, 16 states recorded statistically significant changes in employment. The four states reporting the largest over-the-month statistically significant job gains were Texas (+32,000), California (+28,800), Michigan (+18,000), and Minnesota (+13,200). Over-the-month statistically significant declines in employment occurred in Tennessee (-16,900), Virginia (-14,600), Missouri (-12,900), and Kansas (-7,500). (See tables C and 5.)

Over the year, 18 states experienced statistically significant changes in employment, all of which were increases. The largest increase occurred in Texas (+220,000), followed by California (+157,000), Ohio (+72,400), and Illinois (+59,000). (See table D and chart 2.)

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**The Metropolitan Area Employment and Unemployment news release for June is scheduled to be released on Wednesday, August 3, 2011, at 10:00 a.m. (EDT). The Regional and State Employment and Unemployment news release for July is scheduled to be released on Friday, August 19, 2011, at 10:00 a.m. (EDT).**

**Table A. States with unemployment rates significantly different from that of the U.S., June 2011, seasonally adjusted**

State	Rate <sup>P</sup>
United States <sup>1</sup> .....	9.2
Alaska .....	7.5
Arkansas .....	8.1
California .....	11.8
Delaware .....	8.0
District of Columbia .....	10.4
Florida .....	10.6
Hawaii .....	6.0
Iowa .....	6.0
Kansas .....	6.6
Louisiana .....	7.8
Maine .....	7.8
Maryland .....	7.0
Massachusetts .....	7.6
Michigan .....	10.5
Minnesota .....	6.7
Montana .....	7.5
Nebraska .....	4.1
Nevada .....	12.4
New Hampshire .....	4.9
New Mexico .....	6.8
New York .....	8.0
North Dakota .....	3.2
Oklahoma .....	5.3
Pennsylvania .....	7.6
Rhode Island .....	10.8
South Carolina .....	10.5
South Dakota .....	4.8
Texas .....	8.2
Utah .....	7.4
Vermont .....	5.5
Virginia .....	6.0
Wisconsin .....	7.6
Wyoming .....	5.9

<sup>1</sup> Data are not preliminary.

<sup>P</sup> = preliminary.

**Table B. States with statistically significant unemployment rate changes from June 2010 to June 2011, seasonally adjusted**

State	Rate		Over-the-year rate change <sup>P</sup>
	June 2010	June 2011 <sup>P</sup>	
Florida .....	11.4	10.6	-0.8
Illinois .....	10.3	9.2	-1.1
Indiana .....	10.3	8.3	-2.0
Michigan .....	12.6	10.5	-2.1
Nevada .....	14.9	12.4	-2.5
New Hampshire .....	6.0	4.9	-1.1
New Mexico .....	8.4	6.8	-1.6
North Dakota .....	3.9	3.2	-.7
Ohio .....	10.1	8.8	-1.3
Oklahoma .....	7.0	5.3	-1.7
Oregon .....	10.8	9.4	-1.4
Pennsylvania .....	8.7	7.6	-1.1
Virginia .....	6.9	6.0	-.9
Wyoming .....	7.0	5.9	-1.1

<sup>P</sup> = preliminary.

**Table C. States with statistically significant employment changes from May 2011 to June 2011, seasonally adjusted**

State	May 2011	June 2011 <sup>P</sup>	Over-the-month change <sup>P</sup>
Alaska .....	324,600	330,000	5,400
California .....	14,039,800	14,068,600	28,800
Kansas .....	1,324,600	1,317,100	-7,500
Massachusetts .....	3,224,700	3,235,100	10,400
Michigan .....	3,903,200	3,921,200	18,000
Minnesota .....	2,648,000	2,661,200	13,200
Missouri <sup>c</sup> .....	2,658,600	<sup>c</sup> 2,645,700	-12,900
North Dakota .....	389,500	394,000	4,500
Oklahoma .....	1,556,700	1,563,100	6,400
South Carolina .....	1,816,800	1,826,100	9,300
South Dakota .....	403,400	406,600	3,200
Tennessee .....	2,633,000	2,616,100	-16,900
Texas .....	10,556,600	10,588,600	32,000
Vermont .....	299,500	302,300	2,800
Virginia .....	3,658,400	3,643,800	-14,600
Wisconsin .....	2,764,100	2,773,600	9,500

<sup>c</sup> = corrected.

<sup>P</sup> = preliminary.

**Table D. States with statistically significant employment changes from June 2010 to June 2011, seasonally adjusted**

State	June 2010	June 2011 <sup>P</sup>	Over-the-year change <sup>P</sup>
California .....	13,911,600	14,068,600	157,000
Florida .....	7,194,000	7,247,000	53,000
Illinois .....	5,618,700	5,677,700	59,000
Massachusetts .....	3,185,100	3,235,100	50,000
Michigan .....	3,867,800	3,921,200	53,400
Montana .....	428,200	434,600	6,400
Nebraska .....	940,400	957,800	17,400
North Dakota .....	375,500	394,000	18,500
Ohio .....	5,033,200	5,105,600	72,400
Oklahoma .....	1,534,800	1,563,100	28,300
Oregon .....	1,605,000	1,625,500	20,500
Pennsylvania .....	5,630,500	5,676,900	46,400
Texas .....	10,368,600	10,588,600	220,000
Utah .....	1,182,300	1,202,200	19,900
Vermont .....	296,000	302,300	6,300
Washington .....	2,784,600	2,809,100	24,500
Wisconsin .....	2,735,900	2,773,600	37,700
Wyoming .....	282,600	288,300	5,700

<sup>P</sup> = preliminary.

## Technical Note

This release presents labor force and unemployment data for census regions and divisions, states, and selected substate areas from the Local Area Unemployment Statistics (LAUS) program (tables 1 to 4). Also presented are nonfarm payroll employment estimates by state and major industry sector from the Current Employment Statistics (CES) program (tables 5 and 6). The LAUS and CES programs are both federal-state cooperative endeavors.

### Labor force and unemployment—from the LAUS program

**Definitions.** The labor force and unemployment data are based on the same concepts and definitions as those used for the official national estimates obtained from the Current Population Survey (CPS), a sample survey of households that is conducted for the Bureau of Labor Statistics (BLS) by the U.S. Census Bureau. The LAUS program measures employment and unemployment on a place-of-residence basis. The universe for each is the civilian noninstitutional population 16 years of age and over. *Employed* persons are those who did any work at all for pay or profit in the reference week (the week including the 12th of the month) or worked 15 hours or more without pay in a family business or farm, plus those not working who had a job from which they were temporarily absent, whether or not paid, for such reasons as labor-management dispute, illness, or vacation. *Unemployed* persons are those who were not employed during the reference week (based on the definition above), had actively looked for a job sometime in the 4-week period ending with the reference week, and were currently available for work; persons on layoff expecting recall need not be looking for work to be counted as unemployed. The *labor force* is the sum of employed and unemployed persons. The *unemployment rate* is the number of unemployed as a percent of the labor force.

**Method of estimation.** Estimates for 48 of the 50 states, the District of Columbia, the Los Angeles-Long Beach-Glendale metropolitan division, New York City, and the balances of California and New York State are produced using estimating equations based on regression techniques. This method, which underwent substantial enhancement at the beginning of 2005, utilizes data from several sources, including the CPS, the CES, and state unemployment insurance (UI) programs. Estimates for the state of California are derived by summing the estimates for the Los Angeles-Long Beach-Glendale metropolitan division and the balance of California. Similarly, estimates for New York State are derived by summing the estimates for New York City and the balance of New York State. Estimates for all nine census divisions and the five additional substate areas contained in this release (the Cleveland-Elyria-Mentor and Detroit-Warren-Livonia metropolitan areas and the Chicago-Joliet-Naperville, Miami-Miami Beach-Kendall, and Seattle-Bellevue-Everett metropolitan divisions) and their respective

balances of state are based on a similar regression approach that does not incorporate CES or UI data. Estimates for census regions are obtained by summing the model-based estimates for the component divisions and then calculating the unemployment rate. Each month, census division estimates are controlled to national totals; state estimates are then controlled to their respective division totals. Substate and balance-of-state estimates for the five areas noted above are controlled to their respective state totals. Estimates for Puerto Rico are derived from a monthly household survey similar to the CPS. A detailed description of the estimation procedures is available from BLS upon request.

**Annual revisions.** Labor force and unemployment data for prior years reflect adjustments made at the end of each year. The adjusted estimates reflect updated population data from the U.S. Census Bureau, any revisions in the other data sources, and model reestimation. In most years, historical data for the most recent five years (both seasonally adjusted and not seasonally adjusted) are revised near the beginning of each calendar year, prior to the release of January estimates.

**Seasonal adjustment.** The LAUS program introduced smoothed seasonally adjusted (SSA) estimates in January 2010. These are seasonally adjusted data that have incorporated a long-run trend smoothing procedure, resulting in estimates that are less volatile than those previously produced. The estimates are smoothed using a Henderson Trend Filter (H13). The H13 uses a filtering procedure, based on moving averages, to remove the irregular fluctuations from the seasonally adjusted series, leaving the trend. The same process is used on both historical and current year estimates. For more information about the smoothing technique, see the BLS Web site at [www.bls.gov/lau/lassaqa.htm](http://www.bls.gov/lau/lassaqa.htm).

**Area definitions.** The substate area data published in this release reflect the standards and definitions established by the U.S. Office of Management and Budget on December 1, 2009. A detailed list of the geographic definitions is available on the Internet at [www.bls.gov/lau/lausmsa.htm](http://www.bls.gov/lau/lausmsa.htm).

### Employment—from the CES program

**Definitions.** Employment data refer to persons on establishment payrolls who receive pay for any part of the pay period that includes the 12th of the month. Persons are counted at their place of work rather than at their place of residence; those appearing on more than one payroll are counted on each payroll. Industries are classified on the basis of their principal activity in accordance with the 2007 version of the North American Industry Classification System.

**Method of estimation.** The employment data are estimated using a “link relative” technique in which a ratio (link relative) of current-month employment to that of the previous month is computed from a sample of establishments

reporting for both months. The estimates of employment for the current month are obtained by multiplying the estimates for the previous month by these ratios. Small-domain models are used as the official estimators for the approximately 39 percent of CES published series which have insufficient sample for direct sample-based estimates.

**Annual revisions.** Employment estimates are adjusted annually to a complete count of jobs, called benchmarks, derived principally from tax reports that are submitted by employers who are covered under state unemployment insurance (UI) laws. The benchmark information is used to adjust the monthly estimates between the new benchmark and the preceding one and also to establish the level of employment for the new benchmark month. Thus, the benchmarking process establishes the level of employment, and the sample is used to measure the month-to-month changes in the level for the subsequent months.

**Seasonal adjustment.** Payroll employment data are seasonally adjusted at the statewide supersector level. In some states, the seasonally adjusted payroll employment total is computed by aggregating the independently adjusted supersector series. In other states, the seasonally adjusted payroll employment total is independently adjusted. Revisions of historical data for the most recent 5 years are made once a year, coincident with annual benchmark adjustments.

**Caution on aggregating state data.** State estimation procedures are designed to produce accurate data for each individual state. BLS independently develops a national employment series; state estimates are not forced to sum to national totals. Because each state series is subject to larger sampling and nonsampling errors than the national series, summing them cumulates individual state level errors and can cause significant distortions at an aggregate level. Due to these statistical limitations, BLS does not compile a "sum-of-states" employment series, and cautions users that such a series is subject to a relatively large and volatile error structure.

## Reliability of the estimates

The estimates presented in this release are based on sample surveys, administrative data, and modeling and, thus, are subject to sampling and other types of errors. Sampling error is a measure of sampling variability—that is, variation that occurs by chance because a sample rather than the entire population is surveyed. Survey data also are subject to nonsampling errors, such as those which can be introduced into the data collection and processing operations. Estimates not directly derived from sample surveys are subject to additional errors resulting from the specific estimation processes used. The sums of individual items may not always equal the totals shown in the same tables because of rounding. Unemployment rates are computed from unrounded data and thus may differ slightly from rates computed using the rounded data displayed in the tables.

**Use of error measures.** In 2005, the LAUS program introduced several improvements to its methodology. Among these were the development of model-based error measures for the monthly estimates and the estimates of over-the-month changes. The introductory section of this release preserves the long-time practice of highlighting the direction of the movements in regional and state unemployment rates and state nonfarm payroll employment regardless of their statistical significance. The remainder of the analysis in the release takes statistical significance into consideration.

**Labor force and unemployment estimates.** Model-based error measures for seasonally adjusted and not seasonally adjusted data and for over-the-month and over-the-year changes are available online at [www.bls.gov/lau/lastderr.htm](http://www.bls.gov/lau/lastderr.htm). BLS uses a 90-percent confidence level in determining whether changes in LAUS unemployment rates are statistically significant. The average magnitude of the current year over-the-month change in a state unemployment rate that is required for statistical significance at the 90-percent confidence level is just over 0.2 percentage point; the average amount of the current over-the-year change in a state rate for significance is about 0.9 point. More details can be found on the Web site. Measures of nonsampling error are not available, but additional information on the subject is provided in *Employment and Earnings Online* at [www.bls.gov/opub/ee/home.htm](http://www.bls.gov/opub/ee/home.htm).

**Employment estimates.** Measures of sampling error for state CES data at the total nonfarm and supersector level and for metropolitan area CES data at the total nonfarm level are available online at [www.bls.gov/sae/790stderr.htm](http://www.bls.gov/sae/790stderr.htm). BLS uses a 90-percent confidence level in determining whether changes in CES employment levels are statistically significant. Information on recent benchmark revisions for states is available on the Internet at [www.bls.gov/sae/](http://www.bls.gov/sae/).

## Additional information

More complete information on the technical procedures used to develop these estimates and additional data appear in *Employment and Earnings Online*.

Estimates of labor force and unemployment from the LAUS program, as well as nonfarm employment from the CES program, for 380 metropolitan areas and metropolitan New England City and Town Areas (NECTAs) are available in the news release, *Metropolitan Area Employment and Unemployment*. Estimates of labor force, employment, and unemployment for approximately 7,300 subnational areas are available on the Internet at [www.bls.gov/lau/](http://www.bls.gov/lau/). Employment data from the CES program for states and metropolitan areas are available on the Internet at [www.bls.gov/sae/](http://www.bls.gov/sae/).

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**Table 1. Civilian labor force and unemployment by census region and division, seasonally adjusted <sup>1</sup>**

(Numbers in thousands)

Census region and division	Civilian labor force				Unemployed							
					Number				Percent of labor force			
	June 2010	April 2011	May 2011	June 2011	June 2010	April 2011	May 2011	June 2011	June 2010	April 2011	May 2011	June 2011
<b>Northeast</b> .....	28,253.6	28,217.9	28,201.9	28,118.5	2,458.4	2,261.2	2,254.1	2,273.5	8.7	8.0	8.0	8.1
New England .....	7,765.8	7,787.0	7,768.9	7,739.2	657.5	616.7	610.8	606.8	8.5	7.9	7.9	7.8
Middle Atlantic .....	20,487.9	20,430.9	20,432.9	20,379.3	1,800.9	1,644.5	1,643.4	1,666.7	8.8	8.0	8.0	8.2
<b>South</b> .....	55,162.6	55,481.8	55,544.1	55,495.2	5,088.7	4,908.8	4,896.6	4,957.6	9.2	8.8	8.8	8.9
South Atlantic .....	29,280.1	29,299.3	29,323.4	29,315.7	2,880.4	2,701.2	2,684.3	2,723.9	9.8	9.2	9.2	9.3
East South Central .....	8,564.3	8,744.4	8,779.4	8,782.2	838.8	852.8	858.2	867.4	9.8	9.8	9.8	9.9
West South Central .....	17,318.2	17,438.1	17,441.3	17,397.3	1,369.5	1,354.8	1,354.2	1,366.3	7.9	7.8	7.8	7.9
<b>Midwest</b> .....	34,465.4	34,415.2	34,430.0	34,362.8	3,250.9	2,790.6	2,803.7	2,849.1	9.4	8.1	8.1	8.3
East North Central .....	23,527.1	23,408.1	23,414.0	23,371.7	2,461.4	2,044.7	2,062.1	2,107.2	10.5	8.7	8.8	9.0
West North Central .....	10,938.3	11,007.1	11,015.9	10,991.1	789.6	745.9	741.6	741.9	7.2	6.8	6.7	6.8
<b>West</b> .....	35,771.9	35,639.9	35,613.0	35,539.9	3,938.1	3,722.5	3,664.4	3,689.8	11.0	10.4	10.3	10.4
Mountain .....	11,093.3	11,063.1	11,063.3	11,025.3	1,069.5	1,000.7	977.6	981.0	9.6	9.0	8.8	8.9
Pacific .....	24,678.6	24,576.8	24,549.7	24,514.6	2,868.6	2,721.7	2,686.8	2,708.7	11.6	11.1	10.9	11.0

<sup>1</sup> Census region estimates are derived by summing the census division model-based estimates.

NOTE: Data refer to place of residence. The States (including the District of Columbia) that compose the various census divisions are: New England: Connecticut, Maine, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, Rhode Island, and Vermont; Middle Atlantic: New Jersey, New York, and Pennsylvania; South Atlantic: Delaware, District of Columbia, Florida, Georgia, Maryland, North Carolina, South Carolina, Virginia, and West Virginia; East South Central: Alabama, Kentucky, Mississippi, and

Tennessee; West South Central: Arkansas, Louisiana, Oklahoma, and Texas; East North Central: Illinois, Indiana, Michigan, Ohio, and Wisconsin; West North Central: Iowa, Kansas, Minnesota, Missouri, Nebraska, North Dakota, and South Dakota; Mountain: Arizona, Colorado, Idaho, Montana, Nevada, New Mexico, Utah, and Wyoming; and Pacific: Alaska, California, Hawaii, Oregon, and Washington. Estimates for the current year are subject to revision early in the following calendar year.

**Table 2. Civilian labor force and unemployment by census region and division, not seasonally adjusted <sup>1</sup>**

(Numbers in thousands)

Census region and division	Civilian labor force				Unemployed							
					Number				Percent of labor force			
	May		June		May		June		May		June	
	2010	2011	2010	2011	2010	2011	2010	2011	2010	2011	2010	2011
<b>Northeast</b> .....	28,220.3	28,058.5	28,467.8	28,322.7	2,411.3	2,234.7	2,449.3	2,338.2	8.5	8.0	8.6	8.3
New England .....	7,747.1	7,705.8	7,839.9	7,807.6	644.4	599.4	659.3	617.7	8.3	7.8	8.4	7.9
Middle Atlantic .....	20,473.2	20,352.7	20,627.9	20,515.0	1,766.8	1,635.3	1,790.0	1,720.4	8.6	8.0	8.7	8.4
<b>South</b> .....	55,258.5	55,542.7	55,482.2	55,864.1	4,970.5	4,852.0	5,213.2	5,258.7	9.0	8.7	9.4	9.4
South Atlantic .....	29,369.6	29,386.1	29,410.4	29,516.5	2,812.8	2,676.4	2,914.8	2,873.9	9.6	9.1	9.9	9.7
East South Central .....	8,575.6	8,760.5	8,641.1	8,855.1	828.9	838.2	862.1	912.0	9.7	9.6	10.0	10.3
West South Central .....	17,313.2	17,396.0	17,430.6	17,492.6	1,328.8	1,337.5	1,436.3	1,472.8	7.7	7.7	8.2	8.4
<b>Midwest</b> .....	34,490.3	34,398.9	34,826.6	34,732.7	3,158.6	2,783.6	3,293.2	3,006.6	9.2	8.1	9.5	8.7
East North Central .....	23,534.2	23,393.8	23,770.3	23,634.9	2,406.7	2,067.0	2,496.1	2,239.5	10.2	8.8	10.5	9.5
West North Central .....	10,956.2	11,005.1	11,056.3	11,097.7	751.9	716.6	797.1	767.1	6.9	6.5	7.2	6.9
<b>West</b> .....	35,718.7	35,448.5	35,807.5	35,619.0	3,812.0	3,550.3	3,911.1	3,805.5	10.7	10.0	10.9	10.7
Mountain .....	11,081.5	11,007.5	11,132.9	11,045.7	1,038.8	944.7	1,076.4	1,032.0	9.4	8.6	9.7	9.3
Pacific .....	24,637.3	24,441.0	24,674.7	24,573.3	2,773.2	2,605.6	2,834.7	2,773.5	11.3	10.7	11.5	11.3

<sup>1</sup> Census region estimates are derived by summing the census division model-based estimates.

NOTE: Data refer to place of residence. The composition of the regions

and divisions is described in table 1. Estimates for the current year are subject to revision early in the following calendar year.



Table 3. Civilian labor force and unemployment by state and selected area, seasonally adjusted

(Numbers in thousands)

State and area	Civilian labor force				Unemployed							
					Number				Percent of labor force			
	June 2010	April 2011	May 2011	June 2011P	June 2010	April 2011	May 2011	June 2011P	June 2010	April 2011	May 2011	June 2011P
Alabama .....	2,122.8	2,151.7	2,162.6	2,168.9	197.8	199.7	206.6	214.0	9.3	9.3	9.6	9.9
Alaska .....	360.4	363.6	363.8	364.6	28.5	26.6	26.7	27.5	7.9	7.3	7.3	7.5
Arizona .....	3,179.6	3,185.8	3,188.4	3,179.3	317.9	297.3	291.5	295.5	10.0	9.3	9.1	9.3
Arkansas .....	1,349.9	1,368.0	1,364.3	1,355.8	105.1	105.7	106.8	109.3	7.8	7.7	7.8	8.1
California .....	18,172.9	18,080.0	18,063.1	18,043.7	2,249.5	2,141.2	2,115.7	2,133.6	12.4	11.8	11.7	11.8
Los Angeles-Long Beach-Glendale <sup>1</sup> .....	4,876.0	4,891.9	4,888.0	4,874.1	613.3	588.7	582.5	587.3	12.6	12.0	11.9	12.0
Colorado .....	2,689.3	2,692.3	2,692.1	2,681.5	238.0	237.9	233.2	228.4	8.8	8.8	8.7	8.5
Connecticut .....	1,897.8	1,898.6	1,894.1	1,886.0	173.1	172.4	172.6	171.6	9.1	9.1	9.1	9.1
Delaware .....	425.0	426.3	426.1	425.4	35.3	34.8	33.9	34.0	8.3	8.2	8.0	8.0
District of Columbia .....	334.5	334.7	334.6	332.8	32.9	32.1	32.9	34.6	9.8	9.6	9.8	10.4
Florida .....	9,216.5	9,246.4	9,249.8	9,233.8	1,048.6	997.0	980.4	982.0	11.4	10.8	10.6	10.6
Miami-Miami Beach-Kendall <sup>1</sup> .....	1,268.6	1,307.0	1,315.7	1,313.8	153.5	171.2	177.1	176.5	12.1	13.1	13.5	13.4
Georgia .....	4,683.6	4,680.4	4,690.4	4,700.4	469.7	460.9	459.0	467.5	10.0	9.8	9.8	9.9
Hawaii .....	627.9	635.4	635.1	633.6	41.5	38.6	38.1	38.2	6.6	6.1	6.0	6.0
Idaho .....	758.2	765.4	766.0	764.1	70.3	73.2	71.6	72.2	9.3	9.6	9.4	9.4
Illinois .....	6,637.1	6,596.7	6,597.5	6,596.8	685.0	575.2	584.8	603.7	10.3	8.7	8.9	9.2
Chicago-Joliet-Naperville <sup>1</sup> .....	4,089.6	4,053.7	4,053.2	4,059.1	416.2	343.7	358.8	378.3	10.2	8.5	8.9	9.3
Indiana .....	3,147.2	3,117.5	3,118.8	3,114.4	323.0	255.6	254.7	257.5	10.3	8.2	8.2	8.3
Iowa .....	1,669.2	1,684.9	1,683.0	1,677.0	102.4	101.6	100.5	100.9	6.1	6.0	6.0	6.0
Kansas .....	1,501.3	1,505.5	1,505.4	1,501.2	105.3	101.4	99.5	99.1	7.0	6.7	6.6	6.6
Kentucky .....	2,077.9	2,118.6	2,120.3	2,115.0	213.4	211.7	207.0	202.6	10.3	10.0	9.8	9.6
Louisiana .....	2,084.3	2,067.3	2,060.5	2,045.4	155.6	167.8	169.7	160.4	7.5	8.1	8.2	7.8
Maine .....	695.9	700.0	699.7	697.5	54.9	52.9	53.8	54.1	7.9	7.6	7.7	7.8
Maryland .....	2,980.0	2,988.6	2,990.7	2,990.5	219.5	203.4	203.4	208.3	7.4	6.8	6.8	7.0
Massachusetts .....	3,493.6	3,505.4	3,497.3	3,487.9	294.8	272.2	265.5	263.8	8.4	7.8	7.6	7.6
Michigan .....	4,796.8	4,741.0	4,736.2	4,718.4	605.8	483.5	487.7	496.2	12.6	10.2	10.3	10.5
Detroit-Warren-Livonia <sup>2</sup> .....	2,072.5	2,025.6	2,026.2	2,016.4	282.8	228.1	235.5	239.6	13.6	11.3	11.6	11.9
Minnesota .....	2,964.3	2,971.0	2,977.6	2,973.1	215.8	194.2	196.6	199.8	7.3	6.5	6.6	6.7
Mississippi .....	1,310.1	1,346.5	1,351.8	1,352.4	134.3	139.7	139.0	139.7	10.3	10.4	10.3	10.3
Missouri .....	3,013.7	3,032.4	3,037.4	3,031.6	286.5	270.2	269.3	267.6	9.5	8.9	8.9	8.8
Montana .....	497.5	500.3	501.8	502.0	35.9	36.6	36.7	37.8	7.2	7.3	7.3	7.5
Nebraska .....	976.3	988.2	989.6	987.4	45.3	41.3	41.0	40.8	4.6	4.2	4.1	4.1
Nevada .....	1,353.7	1,314.4	1,312.0	1,309.5	202.1	163.9	159.3	162.9	14.9	12.5	12.1	12.4
New Hampshire .....	743.5	744.1	742.2	741.0	44.7	36.2	35.7	36.6	6.0	4.9	4.8	4.9
New Jersey .....	4,506.3	4,501.8	4,505.8	4,497.1	426.8	418.7	421.5	428.4	9.5	9.3	9.4	9.5
New Mexico .....	953.9	948.8	944.3	938.4	80.0	71.6	65.5	64.0	8.4	7.6	6.9	6.8
New York .....	9,641.3	9,575.1	9,580.4	9,556.6	824.8	752.9	751.6	760.5	8.6	7.9	7.8	8.0
New York City .....	4,008.4	3,988.2	3,993.1	3,983.1	381.7	341.2	344.0	347.5	9.5	8.6	8.6	8.7
North Carolina .....	4,520.0	4,489.1	4,502.4	4,502.1	474.4	435.3	436.9	446.4	10.5	9.7	9.7	9.9
North Dakota .....	370.1	373.3	373.6	372.9	14.5	12.3	11.9	12.1	3.9	3.3	3.2	3.2
Ohio .....	5,892.2	5,892.1	5,892.3	5,879.5	595.4	509.2	508.1	516.7	10.1	8.6	8.6	8.8
Cleveland-Elyria-Mentor <sup>2</sup> .....	1,076.3	1,082.8	1,082.6	1,077.7	98.9	85.2	83.7	83.3	9.2	7.9	7.7	7.7
Oklahoma .....	1,754.3	1,739.1	1,737.3	1,730.4	122.8	97.9	92.2	92.5	7.0	5.6	5.3	5.3
Oregon .....	1,982.7	1,995.7	1,992.4	1,992.1	214.2	190.6	185.1	187.4	10.8	9.5	9.3	9.4
Pennsylvania .....	6,339.3	6,356.2	6,343.9	6,327.0	549.7	477.5	471.1	479.0	8.7	7.5	7.4	7.6
Rhode Island .....	576.5	571.1	569.7	567.1	67.0	62.1	62.0	61.3	11.6	10.9	10.9	10.8
South Carolina .....	2,162.4	2,152.4	2,155.4	2,158.2	238.8	210.0	215.6	226.8	11.0	9.8	10.0	10.5
South Dakota .....	443.9	449.3	449.2	448.2	21.0	21.9	21.5	21.3	4.7	4.9	4.8	4.8
Tennessee .....	3,053.1	3,124.3	3,142.1	3,143.9	292.9	298.9	304.4	309.4	9.6	9.6	9.7	9.8
Texas .....	12,123.5	12,265.9	12,281.1	12,264.1	982.4	984.8	985.6	1,002.9	8.1	8.0	8.0	8.2
Utah .....	1,368.7	1,358.5	1,361.4	1,355.5	105.4	100.0	99.7	100.1	7.7	7.4	7.3	7.4
Vermont .....	360.7	364.1	363.1	361.5	22.4	19.4	19.5	19.9	6.2	5.3	5.4	5.5
Virginia .....	4,181.9	4,201.4	4,207.6	4,204.7	287.8	255.2	251.9	253.4	6.9	6.1	6.0	6.0
Washington .....	3,532.6	3,488.4	3,485.6	3,476.0	336.6	319.4	318.8	321.1	9.5	9.2	9.1	9.2
Seattle-Bellevue-Everett <sup>1</sup> .....	1,493.5	1,474.2	1,469.1	1,468.4	135.4	128.8	127.4	128.5	9.1	8.7	8.7	8.8
West Virginia .....	781.0	782.6	782.9	781.1	69.4	68.7	67.4	66.2	8.9	8.8	8.6	8.5
Wisconsin .....	3,059.7	3,067.8	3,072.0	3,066.1	254.7	224.2	227.8	234.4	8.3	7.3	7.4	7.6
Wyoming .....	294.0	292.8	293.7	293.0	20.6	17.7	17.5	17.2	7.0	6.0	6.0	5.9
Puerto Rico .....	1,299.1	1,269.4	1,267.2	1,278.6	210.2	208.7	202.1	191.0	16.2	16.4	16.0	14.9

<sup>1</sup> Metropolitan division.

<sup>2</sup> Metropolitan statistical area.

P = preliminary.

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Table 4. Civilian labor force and unemployment by state and selected area, not seasonally adjusted

(Numbers in thousands)

State and area	Civilian labor force				Unemployed							
					Number				Percent of labor force			
	May		June		May		June		May		June	
	2010	2011	2010	2011P	2010	2011	2010	2011P	2010	2011	2010	2011P
Alabama	2,123.9	2,155.3	2,135.5	2,185.7	191.7	203.6	205.2	230.2	9.0	9.4	9.6	10.5
Alaska	360.6	364.0	365.7	372.6	27.6	26.7	28.2	29.3	7.7	7.3	7.7	7.9
Arizona	3,175.1	3,174.7	3,181.5	3,174.8	307.7	280.5	320.8	313.3	9.7	8.8	10.1	9.9
Arkansas	1,357.4	1,361.8	1,370.1	1,368.8	102.7	107.3	108.0	117.2	7.6	7.9	7.9	8.6
California	18,142.8	17,990.1	18,144.8	18,071.9	2,164.5	2,051.8	2,217.8	2,183.1	11.9	11.4	12.2	12.1
Los Angeles-Long Beach-Glendale <sup>1</sup>	4,851.7	4,858.6	4,835.2	4,837.8	590.5	574.0	601.5	600.2	12.2	11.8	12.4	12.4
Colorado	2,680.9	2,668.1	2,701.6	2,687.8	233.0	226.9	240.7	234.5	8.7	8.5	8.9	8.7
Connecticut	1,898.1	1,884.8	1,914.4	1,899.8	170.2	170.9	174.8	173.4	9.0	9.1	9.1	9.1
Delaware	425.1	422.8	427.5	428.2	33.9	31.5	36.2	36.1	8.0	7.5	8.5	8.4
District of Columbia	335.0	332.8	339.1	335.9	31.4	33.9	34.6	39.8	9.4	10.2	10.2	11.9
Florida	9,220.2	9,262.9	9,227.4	9,259.8	1,006.1	972.8	1,051.7	1,024.3	10.9	10.5	11.4	11.1
Miami-Miami Beach-Kendall <sup>1</sup>	1,269.8	1,323.5	1,268.2	1,311.8	153.9	181.4	160.5	182.3	12.1	13.7	12.7	13.9
Georgia	4,688.4	4,698.3	4,680.9	4,723.5	458.4	455.6	481.7	498.2	9.8	9.7	10.3	10.5
Hawaii	628.4	632.1	630.9	636.4	40.2	37.4	45.2	43.1	6.4	5.9	7.2	6.8
Idaho	757.9	763.0	765.0	769.8	65.2	66.1	67.1	71.9	8.6	8.7	8.8	9.3
Illinois	6,624.7	6,590.5	6,699.7	6,684.5	667.7	592.0	701.2	649.4	10.1	9.0	10.5	9.7
Chicago-Joliet-Naperville <sup>1</sup>	4,096.2	4,060.2	4,133.1	4,136.7	426.9	396.2	438.5	430.3	10.4	9.8	10.6	10.4
Indiana	3,161.8	3,132.8	3,181.2	3,152.4	317.0	259.3	321.9	267.1	10.0	8.3	10.1	8.5
Iowa	1,666.4	1,672.7	1,679.3	1,684.4	94.7	93.0	101.0	101.9	5.7	5.6	6.0	6.0
Kansas	1,497.9	1,498.0	1,517.2	1,515.6	102.3	94.7	105.3	101.4	6.8	6.3	6.9	6.7
Kentucky	2,085.7	2,118.8	2,104.2	2,139.1	213.8	201.7	215.8	208.1	10.2	9.5	10.3	9.7
Louisiana	2,087.8	2,057.3	2,116.0	2,070.0	149.8	166.2	176.4	167.5	7.2	8.1	8.3	8.1
Maine	694.3	694.7	703.9	704.4	54.0	53.9	53.4	52.5	7.8	7.8	7.6	7.4
Maryland	2,983.3	2,982.0	2,997.5	3,017.4	213.6	203.9	221.9	223.5	7.2	6.8	7.4	7.4
Massachusetts	3,482.7	3,467.4	3,532.0	3,525.2	289.0	257.2	298.5	273.8	8.3	7.4	8.5	7.8
Michigan	4,801.4	4,726.9	4,847.3	4,766.3	596.2	486.0	613.2	524.3	12.4	10.3	12.6	11.0
Detroit-Warren-Livonia <sup>2</sup>	2,067.8	2,018.2	2,087.6	2,030.2	276.2	233.5	289.3	253.3	13.4	11.6	13.9	12.5
Minnesota	2,966.2	2,975.6	2,980.7	2,989.9	204.0	189.8	214.1	207.4	6.9	6.4	7.2	6.9
Mississippi	1,313.8	1,352.7	1,322.9	1,363.6	137.2	136.3	141.8	150.3	10.4	10.1	10.7	11.0
Missouri	3,024.4	3,041.5	3,059.9	3,072.9	273.5	267.6	292.1	276.7	9.0	8.8	9.5	9.0
Montana	498.2	503.3	503.1	508.0	33.3	35.1	35.7	39.6	6.7	7.0	7.1	7.8
Nebraska	981.9	991.4	987.0	996.0	43.6	39.9	48.2	43.9	4.4	4.0	4.9	4.4
Nevada	1,355.7	1,309.7	1,352.9	1,313.6	197.9	158.8	201.7	177.6	14.6	12.1	14.9	13.5
New Hampshire	741.3	736.2	748.5	747.7	44.0	36.1	44.3	39.0	5.9	4.9	5.9	5.2
New Jersey	4,506.3	4,489.2	4,540.0	4,525.6	420.1	417.5	424.9	438.2	9.3	9.3	9.4	9.7
New Mexico	952.3	935.9	958.7	942.6	78.1	60.6	84.0	73.7	8.2	6.5	8.8	7.8
New York	9,615.1	9,543.1	9,703.4	9,608.9	799.5	739.6	811.7	770.6	8.3	7.8	8.4	8.0
New York City	3,993.7	3,978.4	3,992.1	3,963.1	372.5	341.8	374.0	347.4	9.3	8.6	9.4	8.8
North Carolina	4,559.0	4,518.4	4,547.3	4,528.2	486.2	439.4	482.1	469.5	10.7	9.7	10.6	10.4
North Dakota	372.8	375.7	380.2	382.8	13.0	11.2	16.1	14.6	3.5	3.0	4.2	3.8
Ohio	5,893.6	5,889.7	5,940.5	5,927.5	575.2	502.2	600.2	546.4	9.8	8.5	10.1	9.2
Cleveland-Elyria-Mentor <sup>2</sup>	1,076.6	1,081.0	1,091.3	1,088.7	98.2	83.6	103.2	90.3	9.1	7.7	9.5	8.3
Oklahoma	1,760.8	1,735.1	1,774.5	1,745.8	124.5	91.9	127.8	105.3	7.1	5.3	7.2	6.0
Oregon	1,976.2	1,978.9	1,990.2	2,007.0	207.7	178.1	212.1	195.4	10.5	9.0	10.7	9.7
Pennsylvania	6,351.7	6,320.4	6,384.5	6,380.5	547.2	478.2	553.4	511.6	8.6	7.6	8.7	8.0
Rhode Island	572.0	563.7	577.5	566.2	65.4	61.8	65.8	58.5	11.4	11.0	11.4	10.3
South Carolina	2,176.3	2,169.3	2,190.9	2,196.4	231.7	222.1	242.8	246.5	10.6	10.2	11.1	11.2
South Dakota	446.6	450.2	452.0	456.1	20.8	20.5	20.3	21.2	4.7	4.6	4.5	4.6
Tennessee	3,052.2	3,133.8	3,078.6	3,166.6	286.2	296.5	299.3	323.5	9.4	9.5	9.7	10.2
Texas	12,107.3	12,241.7	12,170.1	12,308.0	951.9	972.1	1,024.2	1,082.7	7.9	7.9	8.4	8.8
Utah	1,368.4	1,360.6	1,372.1	1,352.8	103.0	99.5	106.6	104.8	7.5	7.3	7.8	7.7
Vermont	358.7	359.0	363.7	364.4	21.8	19.4	22.4	20.5	6.1	5.4	6.2	5.6
Virginia	4,197.1	4,214.9	4,208.2	4,234.4	283.8	249.9	293.0	267.6	6.8	5.9	7.0	6.3
Washington	3,529.3	3,475.9	3,543.0	3,485.5	333.3	311.6	331.3	322.6	9.4	9.0	9.4	9.3
Seattle-Bellevue-Everett <sup>1</sup>	1,499.3	1,468.7	1,498.2	1,480.1	133.2	121.9	139.7	134.3	8.9	8.3	9.3	9.1
West Virginia	785.1	784.9	791.6	792.6	67.7	67.4	70.7	68.5	8.6	8.6	8.9	8.6
Wisconsin	3,052.6	3,053.8	3,101.6	3,104.2	250.6	227.5	259.6	252.2	8.2	7.4	8.4	8.1
Wyoming	293.1	292.3	298.0	296.1	20.5	17.2	19.9	16.7	7.0	5.9	6.7	5.6
Puerto Rico	1,299.7	1,264.0	1,301.8	1,278.3	218.9	202.1	216.6	194.0	16.8	16.0	16.6	15.2

<sup>1</sup> Metropolitan division.  
<sup>2</sup> Metropolitan statistical area.  
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Table 5. Employees on nonfarm payrolls by state and selected industry sector, seasonally adjusted

(In thousands)

State	Total <sup>1</sup>				Construction				Manufacturing			
	June 2010	Apr. 2011	May 2011	June 2011P	June 2010	Apr. 2011	May 2011	June 2011P	June 2010	Apr. 2011	May 2011	June 2011P
Alabama	1,876.0	1,871.6	1,871.7	1,870.1	88.8	85.9	86.0	86.0	( <sup>2</sup> )	( <sup>2</sup> )	( <sup>2</sup> )	( <sup>2</sup> )
Alaska	324.8	329.5	324.6	330.0	16.1	16.2	15.7	15.7	12.7	12.1	11.4	13.3
Arizona	2,379.2	2,390.6	2,398.9	2,390.7	110.2	110.8	110.3	112.1	148.1	149.3	150.2	150.6
Arkansas	1,171.9	1,178.9	1,173.8	1,175.9	50.3	46.8	46.3	47.0	161.9	158.7	158.9	157.7
California	13,911.6	14,060.9	14,039.8	14,068.6	557.2	571.1	566.1	565.0	1,241.1	1,253.4	1,252.9	1,257.8
Colorado	2,221.9	2,230.1	2,231.7	2,236.2	114.1	104.7	105.9	105.2	125.7	126.6	126.9	125.9
Connecticut	1,608.2	1,625.6	1,620.1	1,616.0	49.7	49.8	50.2	48.8	165.7	167.3	166.6	166.6
Delaware <sup>3</sup>	413.7	416.0	412.3	411.8	19.4	19.7	19.5	18.7	26.1	26.2	26.4	26.4
District of Columbia <sup>3</sup>	715.8	715.3	712.5	712.8	10.6	11.0	11.0	10.8	( <sup>2</sup> )	( <sup>2</sup> )	( <sup>2</sup> )	( <sup>2</sup> )
Florida	7,194.0	7,210.3	7,242.7	7,247.0	346.3	332.6	336.0	336.9	307.7	306.6	307.5	308.5
Georgia	3,838.1	3,825.6	3,820.4	3,818.0	148.6	138.4	135.8	138.0	344.8	348.2	346.8	347.2
Hawaii <sup>3</sup>	584.5	593.0	590.5	588.5	28.5	28.4	28.9	29.1	( <sup>2</sup> )	( <sup>2</sup> )	( <sup>2</sup> )	( <sup>2</sup> )
Idaho	601.1	607.3	607.3	604.9	30.6	30.4	29.8	28.7	52.9	54.4	54.1	53.4
Illinois	5,618.7	5,680.0	5,684.9	5,677.7	198.4	202.9	206.2	207.3	561.1	568.7	570.3	571.2
Indiana	2,799.4	2,804.7	2,798.0	2,792.1	114.8	117.4	118.1	118.6	447.2	453.4	453.0	451.3
Iowa	1,469.9	1,481.4	1,486.8	1,482.3	62.3	61.7	62.5	61.9	200.2	203.3	205.3	204.4
Kansas	1,325.4	1,323.7	1,324.6	1,317.1	53.4	53.2	55.5	53.9	160.5	161.3	161.4	161.6
Kentucky	1,772.9	1,795.1	1,789.5	1,791.1	67.2	64.4	64.0	64.0	209.2	213.9	212.0	213.2
Louisiana	1,893.9	1,901.6	1,910.6	1,906.5	122.5	121.7	122.2	120.4	138.0	140.6	144.4	144.0
Maine	591.0	595.7	597.6	595.7	23.8	25.0	24.8	24.6	50.6	51.4	51.9	51.7
Maryland <sup>3</sup>	2,524.2	2,519.5	2,509.9	2,509.6	145.8	143.3	140.1	137.3	114.9	114.0	113.0	113.0
Massachusetts	3,185.1	3,228.8	3,224.7	3,235.1	106.6	107.0	108.3	110.8	254.1	254.8	255.3	258.2
Michigan	3,867.8	3,913.0	3,903.2	3,921.2	118.8	122.7	125.8	129.7	480.1	494.0	498.4	497.0
Minnesota	2,638.0	2,648.0	2,648.0	2,661.2	85.7	78.8	81.0	78.8	293.2	296.3	295.5	296.3
Mississippi	1,095.0	1,096.5	1,092.9	1,094.5	48.5	49.6	48.9	48.7	136.6	133.8	134.1	134.4
Missouri	2,642.7	2,659.5	2,658.6	2,645.7	104.6	106.7	107.8	105.5	242.3	249.2	250.1	251.1
Montana	428.2	430.2	433.6	434.6	22.4	22.1	22.2	21.6	16.3	16.1	16.2	16.0
Nebraska <sup>3</sup>	940.4	957.3	957.9	957.8	43.0	44.0	43.6	43.0	91.8	93.7	94.8	95.7
Nevada	1,118.2	1,120.5	1,117.0	1,115.4	59.2	54.1	53.9	54.1	38.0	36.0	35.8	36.0
New Hampshire	623.3	631.1	629.6	631.2	21.0	20.3	20.5	20.9	65.9	67.0	66.2	66.7
New Jersey	3,869.3	3,859.4	3,862.3	3,864.0	129.5	128.7	128.5	129.6	257.7	255.4	251.4	249.5
New Mexico	802.6	804.6	801.0	804.7	43.3	41.7	40.5	38.9	28.9	28.6	28.4	28.7
New York	8,580.6	8,637.1	8,619.6	8,622.5	306.1	301.5	303.4	305.6	458.1	453.4	454.9	454.8
North Carolina	3,873.5	3,890.5	3,880.3	3,870.8	177.5	169.8	171.7	170.7	432.1	435.6	434.1	434.9
North Dakota	375.5	388.7	389.5	394.0	20.8	21.9	22.7	24.4	22.3	23.7	23.4	23.3
Ohio	5,033.2	5,092.2	5,095.0	5,105.6	165.7	169.9	167.7	170.5	622.9	626.9	631.3	628.3
Oklahoma	1,534.8	1,551.5	1,556.7	1,563.1	67.0	69.2	70.1	70.1	123.0	131.2	133.2	134.2
Oregon	1,605.0	1,624.0	1,624.7	1,625.5	67.3	69.7	68.7	68.9	164.3	168.9	168.8	166.8
Pennsylvania	5,630.5	5,692.9	5,679.5	5,676.9	216.0	220.0	217.4	218.5	562.8	571.2	571.4	573.4
Rhode Island	457.9	462.5	463.9	462.4	15.8	15.0	14.6	15.3	40.3	40.9	41.0	40.7
South Carolina	1,808.9	1,820.4	1,816.8	1,826.1	78.5	78.1	75.8	77.3	207.5	212.5	213.8	215.3
South Dakota <sup>3</sup>	403.5	403.1	403.4	406.6	20.9	19.0	20.3	21.1	36.8	37.8	38.3	38.9
Tennessee <sup>3</sup>	2,615.6	2,634.5	2,633.0	2,616.1	106.3	109.3	109.6	299.6	298.3	298.3	300.6	300.8
Texas	10,368.6	10,554.5	10,556.6	10,588.6	564.7	587.6	591.1	590.7	810.9	819.6	821.8	830.2
Utah	1,182.3	1,198.7	1,202.8	1,202.2	64.9	64.4	64.5	64.8	111.3	115.5	114.7	115.2
Vermont	296.0	302.6	299.5	302.3	13.2	13.0	12.8	13.5	31.0	31.4	31.6	32.0
Virginia	3,640.3	3,660.6	3,658.4	3,643.8	183.4	184.6	184.3	182.2	230.9	233.3	233.2	233.5
Washington	2,784.6	2,811.9	2,811.2	2,809.1	139.8	140.0	139.6	136.7	258.2	262.6	263.0	264.7
West Virginia	748.4	753.6	749.9	752.3	32.7	31.5	30.6	31.3	49.4	49.7	49.4	49.7
Wisconsin	2,735.9	2,763.4	2,764.1	2,773.6	93.5	87.3	88.0	89.6	432.1	445.4	447.2	448.0
Wyoming	282.6	285.8	287.9	288.3	22.1	23.5	23.2	22.6	8.6	8.7	8.9	8.8
Puerto Rico <sup>3</sup>	917.9	917.7	915.1	923.7	33.1	26.7	26.7	27.0	86.4	82.5	82.8	81.8
Virgin Islands	44.2	43.4	43.1	43.1	( <sup>2</sup> )	( <sup>2</sup> )	( <sup>2</sup> )	( <sup>2</sup> )	( <sup>2</sup> )	( <sup>2</sup> )	( <sup>2</sup> )	( <sup>2</sup> )

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Table 5. Employees on nonfarm payrolls by state and selected industry sector, seasonally adjusted—Continued

(In thousands)

State	Trade, transportation, and utilities				Financial activities				Professional and business services			
	June 2010	Apr. 2011	May 2011	June 2011P	June 2010	Apr. 2011	May 2011	June 2011P	June 2010	Apr. 2011	May 2011	June 2011P
Alabama	361.1	360.9	361.9	364.5	91.9	92.6	91.9	92.1	209.0	212.5	212.6	212.7
Alaska	62.6	64.7	64.7	63.7	14.9	15.3	14.7	14.7	26.1	26.9	26.1	26.4
Arizona	468.7	472.3	473.7	474.1	162.2	162.3	163.2	163.6	341.3	331.3	336.9	337.0
Arkansas	235.0	240.0	237.2	236.6	48.7	50.4	50.3	50.2	118.6	123.5	121.9	122.9
California	2,620.2	2,652.5	2,649.4	2,638.4	758.5	753.9	757.4	758.4	2,070.4	2,124.3	2,120.4	2,136.8
Colorado	398.6	402.5	403.4	402.8	143.6	141.7	138.0	139.0	330.0	333.0	332.9	333.9
Connecticut	290.4	292.5	290.8	291.7	134.5	134.3	134.0	133.7	190.6	196.0	194.7	192.8
Delaware <sup>3</sup>	74.5	73.5	72.3	72.1	42.6	42.8	43.0	42.4	54.5	54.1	52.3	52.7
District of Columbia <sup>3</sup>	27.6	26.4	26.1	26.3	27.1	25.9	26.2	26.7	148.5	150.7	151.4	151.0
Florida	1,459.6	1,463.1	1,468.0	1,464.0	469.9	465.9	468.5	468.6	1,038.5	1,038.4	1,043.6	1,046.0
Georgia	810.7	813.3	811.0	813.6	203.5	194.2	194.3	192.9	518.5	536.8	536.5	532.6
Hawaii <sup>3</sup>	109.6	108.9	108.1	108.0	26.6	26.0	26.0	26.3	71.0	74.9	73.7	73.2
Idaho	121.1	122.6	122.2	121.6	28.7	29.6	29.5	29.6	72.7	72.6	72.3	71.3
Illinois	1,125.9	1,145.4	1,144.6	1,143.4	361.1	353.2	355.4	355.6	801.5	819.7	819.2	816.3
Indiana	542.5	541.6	537.8	537.9	130.0	132.1	133.8	134.7	275.5	278.0	278.5	276.0
Iowa	300.6	302.4	303.6	307.5	101.1	100.4	99.7	98.5	120.8	124.1	122.9	124.8
Kansas	251.5	251.6	252.5	251.9	71.1	68.6	68.2	68.7	141.3	142.1	141.8	140.8
Kentucky	360.0	360.4	359.3	360.3	86.0	85.2	84.9	84.2	180.6	187.1	186.5	186.4
Louisiana	364.8	367.7	368.6	369.7	92.7	92.6	92.4	92.4	194.3	193.7	192.9	192.8
Maine	117.1	116.8	116.4	116.8	31.2	31.4	31.7	31.7	55.3	56.0	55.8	56.2
Maryland <sup>3</sup>	439.3	441.2	439.4	438.8	142.9	141.8	141.6	141.1	387.2	392.4	390.9	393.7
Massachusetts	545.0	550.8	549.2	548.7	207.0	209.4	208.4	209.6	461.0	469.6	472.0	474.3
Michigan	710.7	714.6	712.7	713.1	185.6	188.4	186.8	186.5	517.0	542.1	544.3	539.1
Minnesota	491.3	489.4	490.0	495.0	171.3	169.7	170.2	170.5	312.5	319.3	320.8	319.6
Mississippi	212.9	214.6	213.4	214.6	( <sup>2</sup> )	( <sup>2</sup> )	( <sup>2</sup> )	( <sup>2</sup> )	94.5	97.2	97.9	98.8
Missouri	510.4	519.7	518.9	517.5	163.5	164.1	162.8	162.2	316.3	320.7	322.1	320.4
Montana	87.1	87.5	89.2	88.4	21.2	21.1	21.0	21.0	38.8	38.8	38.6	39.0
Nebraska <sup>3</sup>	196.1	199.6	200.6	203.0	68.6	69.1	68.6	68.7	100.9	107.8	108.8	107.4
Nevada	209.7	206.7	205.0	202.7	51.9	49.3	48.2	48.2	135.9	140.4	139.9	141.5
New Hampshire	132.7	131.3	131.0	132.0	35.4	35.8	35.5	35.0	64.1	69.2	68.5	69.7
New Jersey	809.5	819.7	820.8	820.4	252.2	255.2	255.6	254.7	585.2	594.1	594.4	594.7
New Mexico	133.5	137.6	137.1	139.8	32.9	33.9	33.2	33.4	100.1	92.3	92.9	93.1
New York	1,461.0	1,473.1	1,468.8	1,471.5	666.1	675.8	674.9	674.3	1,098.5	1,130.6	1,131.3	1,135.3
North Carolina	712.6	721.5	720.0	719.4	197.8	202.5	203.5	204.6	480.6	502.4	498.0	492.6
North Dakota	80.2	83.8	84.0	84.6	20.5	20.5	20.9	20.7	28.1	29.0	28.8	28.6
Ohio	948.7	952.1	952.1	954.9	274.3	276.7	275.9	275.6	623.8	640.2	641.7	641.1
Oklahoma	277.6	280.2	278.9	280.4	80.2	81.9	81.5	80.7	169.6	172.5	175.8	175.5
Oregon	307.7	311.8	313.5	311.7	93.0	92.1	93.7	94.2	181.3	185.6	184.4	185.6
Pennsylvania	1,082.1	1,094.1	1,094.6	1,095.5	311.0	313.0	311.6	309.6	687.7	696.3	695.0	693.3
Rhode Island	72.6	76.7	77.1	77.1	30.4	30.3	30.1	29.9	53.3	53.2	54.2	53.8
South Carolina	344.6	347.8	348.7	351.1	97.1	98.3	98.1	97.1	214.0	223.6	221.7	223.1
South Dakota <sup>3</sup>	80.8	80.9	80.6	80.6	28.7	28.7	28.5	28.4	27.3	28.0	28.3	28.1
Tennessee <sup>3</sup>	554.7	559.6	558.3	558.3	137.3	138.3	138.2	138.7	305.6	310.0	308.5	308.2
Texas	2,053.8	2,091.6	2,091.2	2,092.1	622.6	626.2	627.2	627.9	1,273.3	1,318.7	1,322.3	1,323.0
Utah	229.2	232.5	233.9	234.9	67.8	67.2	66.9	66.6	152.8	156.7	159.9	159.9
Vermont	55.4	56.3	56.4	56.4	12.1	12.5	12.4	12.4	22.8	24.8	24.7	24.4
Virginia	621.4	632.6	627.3	622.8	177.9	177.1	177.4	176.7	646.2	664.4	666.0	663.9
Washington	518.5	523.7	517.9	519.5	133.9	137.6	137.5	137.0	324.8	345.9	348.2	349.8
West Virginia	134.6	137.2	136.3	136.4	28.2	28.2	28.3	28.3	60.5	63.7	62.1	63.4
Wisconsin	508.4	514.8	514.9	517.8	157.7	155.9	155.3	154.1	267.6	271.7	270.5	271.5
Wyoming	51.6	50.8	51.5	51.6	10.8	11.1	11.1	11.0	17.1	18.1	17.6	18.3
Puerto Rico <sup>3</sup>	173.7	171.3	171.8	172.0	45.0	45.5	44.9	45.1	102.6	107.2	107.9	106.4
Virgin Islands	8.2	8.3	8.3	8.2	( <sup>2</sup> )	( <sup>2</sup> )	( <sup>2</sup> )	( <sup>2</sup> )	( <sup>2</sup> )	( <sup>2</sup> )	( <sup>2</sup> )	( <sup>2</sup> )

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Table 5. Employees on nonfarm payrolls by state and selected industry sector, seasonally adjusted—Continued

(In thousands)

State	Education and health services				Leisure and hospitality				Government			
	June 2010	Apr. 2011	May 2011	June 2011P	June 2010	Apr. 2011	May 2011	June 2011P	June 2010	Apr. 2011	May 2011	June 2011P
Alabama	213.7	214.3	213.7	212.6	167.3	169.8	169.9	169.6	390.7	382.2	382.4	379.6
Alaska	41.6	42.9	43.0	43.4	31.0	33.2	32.8	32.8	86.3	83.7	81.6	84.9
Arizona	343.0	359.3	359.7	357.3	253.5	257.5	259.1	257.1	415.4	413.3	413.3	404.5
Arkansas	165.6	168.0	166.3	168.2	99.1	103.4	103.5	104.4	223.3	216.3	218.2	217.7
California	1,784.7	1,827.2	1,825.8	1,835.2	1,492.3	1,529.4	1,522.3	1,527.2	2,446.1	2,387.7	2,384.5	2,384.5
Colorado	264.3	271.7	272.5	272.8	262.1	268.9	271.1	278.3	394.9	391.9	392.5	389.9
Connecticut	306.6	315.6	313.7	315.0	132.5	135.1	134.1	135.0	245.5	242.1	242.0	239.3
Delaware <sup>3</sup>	64.4	65.6	65.3	64.6	42.0	44.0	43.7	45.0	64.5	64.0	63.3	63.2
District of Columbia <sup>3</sup>	108.9	109.6	107.8	110.6	60.0	58.2	59.0	59.2	248.0	248.8	247.4	245.7
Florida	1,078.5	1,092.5	1,102.6	1,100.0	915.4	952.3	962.4	962.1	1,128.5	1,110.3	1,107.4	1,112.5
Georgia	486.9	491.9	493.7	492.6	372.7	380.3	380.4	376.2	689.4	657.9	658.9	660.0
Hawaii <sup>3</sup>	75.4	78.3	78.6	78.1	99.2	101.6	101.0	100.4	124.9	124.8	124.3	123.5
Idaho	83.8	85.5	86.6	86.2	57.8	60.2	60.3	62.0	119.3	117.9	118.7	117.9
Illinois	830.9	848.4	849.1	845.6	513.1	522.8	519.9	523.8	862.0	853.1	855.0	851.5
Indiana	425.0	431.9	433.7	435.0	271.8	273.8	273.2	269.4	443.1	428.7	422.2	422.5
Iowa	213.3	215.1	215.3	216.5	129.3	135.9	138.6	136.9	254.8	253.1	252.6	247.6
Kansas	179.8	183.1	183.3	185.0	113.1	112.5	111.8	112.1	264.0	262.1	261.0	254.7
Kentucky	249.1	254.1	253.0	253.0	167.2	177.5	178.7	179.8	334.4	330.3	329.5	329.2
Louisiana	271.1	277.5	280.3	280.8	193.3	202.6	202.6	201.3	372.2	360.5	359.7	357.0
Maine	118.5	121.4	121.2	120.9	59.4	60.8	63.1	61.1	103.6	101.5	101.5	101.7
Maryland <sup>3</sup>	399.8	402.8	400.5	398.7	228.9	229.1	228.3	227.5	505.9	495.4	496.6	498.7
Massachusetts	660.4	676.5	675.1	676.2	305.4	320.3	317.0	318.4	439.4	431.8	429.0	429.1
Michigan	613.6	628.2	623.4	629.4	374.9	372.5	367.4	375.3	639.5	619.6	611.4	621.6
Minnesota	458.5	464.0	464.4	466.8	233.1	238.7	239.6	247.6	418.4	416.9	411.6	413.3
Mississippi	132.1	135.4	133.6	133.1	118.2	120.3	120.6	121.5	251.3	245.0	243.8	242.4
Missouri	404.2	408.9	407.0	<sup>c</sup> 399.6	269.2	268.1	268.5	269.0	453.3	445.0	445.7	445.9
Montana	63.9	64.3	64.1	64.5	55.4	59.7	61.4	60.6	91.1	87.9	88.2	90.7
Nebraska <sup>3</sup>	135.4	137.2	136.9	137.0	80.9	83.4	82.8	81.6	169.9	168.0	167.6	166.8
Nevada	99.9	104.9	104.8	104.3	308.8	316.4	316.7	318.7	156.4	153.2	153.1	150.0
New Hampshire	110.2	112.5	113.0	111.9	62.3	66.7	67.0	67.8	97.9	96.1	95.7	95.0
New Jersey	603.8	609.3	612.1	613.9	335.0	334.3	335.8	341.0	654.2	624.2	624.3	619.6
New Mexico	119.9	122.4	123.4	127.4	84.0	86.9	84.4	82.8	198.4	198.4	198.6	198.1
New York	1,698.1	1,732.6	1,727.6	1,734.6	732.1	756.1	750.2	746.7	1,540.5	1,485.9	1,482.7	1,472.0
North Carolina	539.3	538.4	537.3	538.6	392.0	397.3	396.5	400.9	712.7	693.0	691.3	681.1
North Dakota	54.8	55.7	55.3	55.0	33.9	35.2	35.5	36.3	81.7	79.8	79.5	81.4
Ohio	837.7	859.5	865.1	870.9	472.6	485.1	487.1	497.7	788.9	777.5	770.7	763.4
Oklahoma	203.5	207.1	206.4	207.4	138.3	144.1	143.6	145.3	346.3	335.0	336.9	338.3
Oregon	228.3	234.8	234.7	236.9	162.4	167.1	166.3	170.7	303.3	297.2	297.1	294.2
Pennsylvania	1,135.8	1,161.7	1,159.0	1,151.2	497.4	512.5	511.8	510.4	767.8	745.3	738.8	746.5
Rhode Island	102.0	102.1	103.0	100.7	49.5	51.6	50.9	51.8	62.1	60.2	60.1	60.1
South Carolina	212.3	217.7	216.4	216.3	206.7	211.3	212.7	213.7	350.2	333.7	333.1	335.6
South Dakota <sup>3</sup>	64.5	65.3	65.4	66.1	43.0	42.7	42.5	42.4	79.2	78.3	77.3	78.6
Tennessee <sup>3</sup>	370.7	381.1	380.1	378.1	263.0	264.6	266.7	266.6	433.2	429.3	426.2	410.9
Texas	1,387.5	1,430.3	1,425.1	1,425.1	1,003.6	1,030.1	1,025.3	1,035.9	1,888.9	1,859.8	1,856.2	1,868.5
Utah	155.2	158.3	157.7	157.4	110.8	111.3	112.6	112.5	217.3	217.0	216.6	215.0
Vermont	58.5	60.2	59.7	60.5	32.2	34.5	32.2	33.1	54.9	54.2	53.8	54.2
Virginia	455.0	463.9	463.6	454.3	340.9	333.4	334.6	339.0	713.2	704.8	703.8	703.3
Washington	375.7	381.5	381.5	381.4	266.5	269.7	270.2	270.0	553.5	539.9	540.9	533.7
West Virginia	120.7	123.4	123.9	124.2	72.2	72.6	72.2	72.7	154.3	150.2	149.8	148.8
Wisconsin	417.7	423.6	426.1	427.2	250.8	248.9	247.9	254.1	421.8	420.7	420.5	417.1
Wyoming	( <sup>2</sup> )	( <sup>2</sup> )	( <sup>2</sup> )	( <sup>2</sup> )	32.6	31.4	32.8	33.1	73.0	73.3	73.4	73.1
Puerto Rico <sup>3</sup>	111.8	114.1	114.3	116.1	71.1	69.4	69.1	68.8	260.3	266.2	262.6	271.5
Virgin Islands	( <sup>2</sup> )	( <sup>2</sup> )	( <sup>2</sup> )	( <sup>2</sup> )	7.4	7.3	7.1	7.1	13.2	12.8	12.9	12.9

<sup>1</sup> Includes mining and logging, information, and other services (except public administration), not shown separately.

<sup>2</sup> This series is not published seasonally adjusted because the seasonal component, which is small relative to the trend-cycle and irregular components, cannot be separated with sufficient precision.

<sup>3</sup> Mining and logging is combined with construction.

P = preliminary.

<sup>c</sup> = corrected.

NOTE: Data are counts of jobs by place of work. Estimates are currently estimated from 2010 benchmark levels. Estimates subsequent to the current benchmarks are provisional and will be revised when new information becomes available.









# Chart 1. Unemployment rates by state, seasonally adjusted June 2011

(U.S. rate = 9.2 percent)

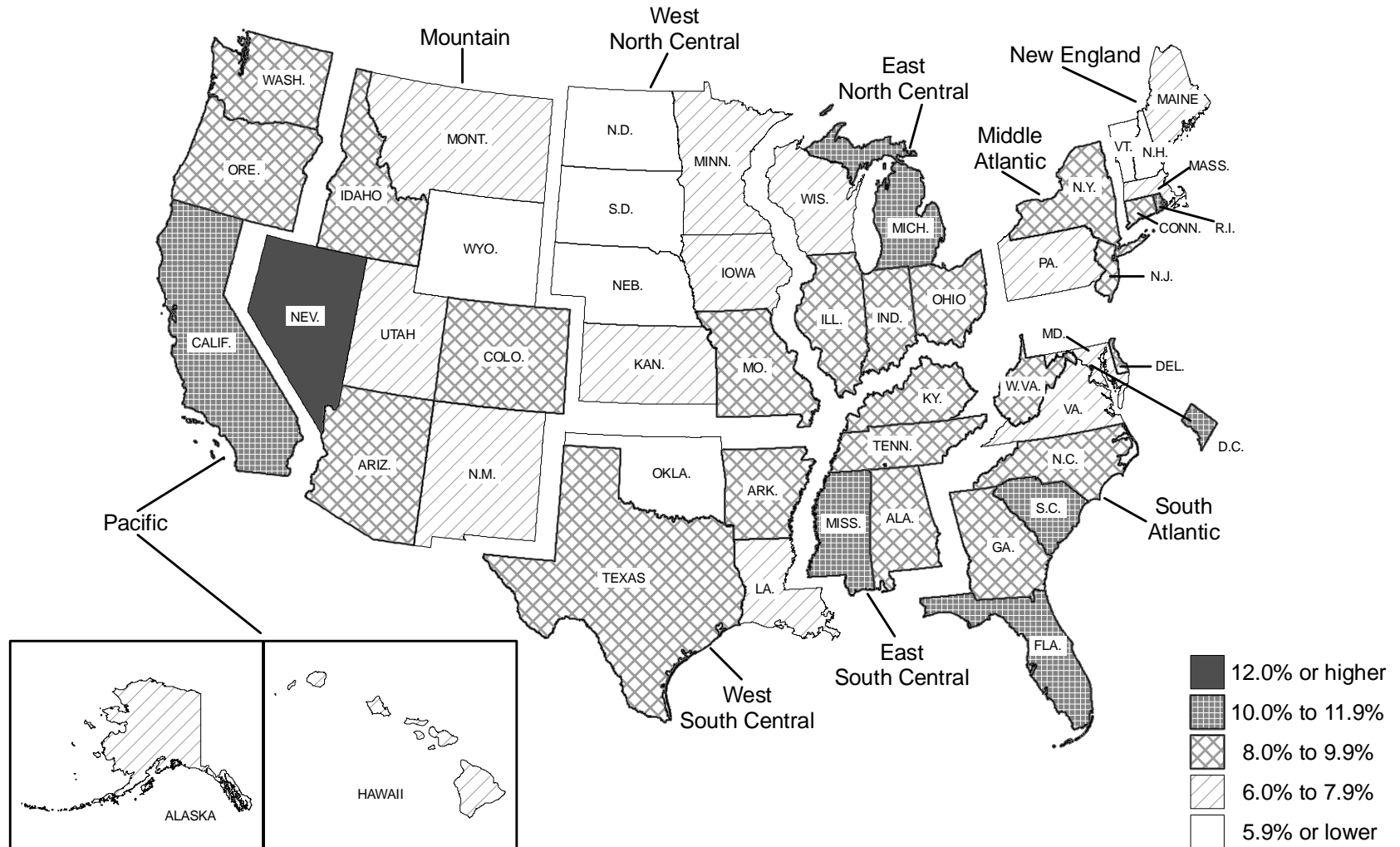


Chart 2. Percentage change in nonfarm employment by state, seasonally adjusted, June 2010 – June 2011

