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METROPOLITAN AREA EMPLOYMENT AND UNEMPLOYMENT — AUGUST 2022

Unemployment rates were lower in August than a year earlier in 384 of the 389 metropolitan areas and higher in 5 areas, the U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics reported today. A total of 90 areas had jobless rates of less than 3.0 percent and 2 areas had rates of at least 10.0 percent. Nonfarm payroll employment increased over the year in 101 metropolitan areas and was essentially unchanged in 288 areas. The national unemployment rate in August was 3.8 percent, not seasonally adjusted, down from 5.3 percent a year earlier.

This news release presents statistics from two monthly programs. The civilian labor force and unemployment data are based on the same concepts and definitions as those used for the national household survey estimates. These data pertain to individuals by where they reside. The employment data are from an establishment survey that measures nonfarm employment, hours, and earnings by industry. These data pertain to jobs on payrolls defined by where the establishments are located. For more information about the concepts and statistical methodologies used by these two programs, see the Technical Note.

Metropolitan Area Unemployment (Not Seasonally Adjusted)

In August, the following three areas had the lowest unemployment rates, 1.7 percent each: Burlington-South Burlington, VT; Fargo, ND-MN; and Mankato-North Mankato, MN. Yuma, AZ, had the highest rate, 21.0 percent. A total of 209 areas had August jobless rates below the U.S. rate of 3.8 percent, 161 areas had rates above it, and 19 areas had rates equal to that of the nation. (See table 1 and map 1.)

The largest over-the-year unemployment rate decrease in August occurred in Atlantic City-Hammonton, NJ (-4.2 percentage points). Rates fell over the year by at least 3.0 percentage points in an additional 10 areas. Yuma, AZ, had the largest over-the-year rate increase in August (+4.4 percentage points).

Of the 51 metropolitan areas with a 2010 Census population of 1 million or more, Minneapolis-St. Paul-Bloomington, MN-WI, and Salt Lake City, UT, had the lowest jobless rates, 2.1 percent each. Las Vegas-Henderson-Paradise, NV, had the highest rate, 5.7 percent. All 51 large areas had over-the-year unemployment rate decreases, the largest of which was in Los Angeles-Long Beach-Anaheim, CA (-3.7 percentage points). The smallest rate decreases occurred in Indianapolis-Carmel-Anderson, IN, and Oklahoma City, OK (-0.3 percentage point each).

Metropolitan Division Unemployment (Not Seasonally Adjusted)

Eleven of the most populous metropolitan areas are made up of 38 metropolitan divisions, which are essentially separately identifiable employment centers. In August, Miami-Miami Beach-Kendall, FL, and San Francisco-Redwood City-South San Francisco, CA, had the lowest division unemployment rates, 2.3 percent each. Philadelphia, PA, had the highest rate among the divisions, 5.9 percent. (See table 2.)

In August, all 38 metropolitan divisions had over-the-year unemployment rate decreases. Detroit-Dearborn-Livonia, MI, had the largest rate decline (-4.1 percentage points), closely followed by Los Angeles-Long Beach-Glendale, CA (-4.0 points). The smallest rate decline occurred in Gary, IN (-0.2 percentage point).

Metropolitan Area Nonfarm Employment (Not Seasonally Adjusted)

In August, nonfarm payroll employment increased over the year in 101 metropolitan areas and was essentially unchanged in 288 areas. The largest over-the-year employment increases occurred in New York-Newark-Jersey City, NY-NJ-PA (+497,800), Dallas-Fort Worth-Arlington, TX (+260,700), and Chicago-Naperville-Elgin, IL-IN-WI (+201,200). The largest over-the-year percentage gains in employment occurred in Atlantic City-Hammonton, NJ (+10.1 percent), Dallas-Fort Worth-Arlington, TX (+6.7 percent), and Houston-The Woodlands-Sugar Land, TX (+6.2 percent). (See table 3 and map 2.)

Over the year, nonfarm employment increased in 45 metropolitan areas with a 2010 Census population of 1 million or more, while employment was essentially unchanged in 6 areas. The largest over-the-year percentage increases in employment in these large metropolitan areas occurred in Dallas-Fort Worth-Arlington, TX (+6.7 percent), Houston-The Woodlands-Sugar Land, TX (+6.2 percent), and Miami-Fort Lauderdale-West Palm Beach, FL; Portland-Vancouver-Hillsboro, OR-WA; and Riverside-San Bernardino-Ontario, CA (+5.7 percent each).

Metropolitan Division Nonfarm Employment (Not Seasonally Adjusted)

In August, nonfarm payroll employment increased over the year in 27 metropolitan divisions and was essentially unchanged in 11 divisions. The largest over-the-year increases in employment among the metropolitan divisions occurred in New York-Jersey City-White Plains, NY-NJ (+386,800), Dallas-Plano-Irving, TX (+197,500), and Chicago-Naperville-Arlington Heights, IL (+172,600). (See table 4.)

The largest over-the-year percentage increase in employment occurred in Camden, NJ (+7.5 percent), followed by Dallas-Plano-Irving, TX (+7.1 percent), and Miami-Miami Beach-Kendall, FL (+6.8 percent).

The State Employment and Unemployment news release for September is scheduled to be released on Friday, October 21, 2022, at 10:00 a.m. (ET). The Metropolitan Area Employment and Unemployment news release for September is scheduled to be released on Wednesday, November 2, 2022, at 10:00 a.m. (ET).

Technical Note

This news release presents civilian labor force and unemployment data from the Local Area Unemployment Statistics (LAUS) program (tables 1 and 2) for 389 metropolitan statistical areas and metropolitan New England City and Town Areas (NECTAs), plus 7 areas in Puerto Rico. Estimates for 38 metropolitan and NECTA divisions also are presented. Nonfarm payroll employment estimates from the Current Employment Statistics (CES) program (tables 3 and 4) are provided for the same areas. State estimates were previously published in the news release *State Employment and Unemployment*, and are republished in this news release for ease of reference. The LAUS and CES programs are both federal-state cooperative endeavors.

Civilian labor force and unemployment—from the LAUS program

Definitions. The civilian 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 employed persons and unemployed persons on a place-of-residence basis. The universe for each is the civilian noninstitutional population 16 years of age and older. *Employed* persons are those who did any work at all for pay or profit in the reference week (typically 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 *civilian labor force* is the sum of employed and unemployed persons. The *unemployment rate* is the number of unemployed as a percent of the civilian labor force.

Method of estimation. Estimates for states, the District of Columbia, the Los Angeles-Long Beach-Glendale metropolitan division, and New York City are produced using time-series models with real-time benchmarking to national CPS totals. Model-based estimates are also produced for the following areas and their respective balances: the Chicago-Naperville-Arlington Heights, IL Metropolitan Division; Cleveland-Elyria, OH Metropolitan Statistical Area; Detroit-Warren-Dearborn, MI Metropolitan Statistical Area; Miami-Miami Beach-Kendall, FL Metropolitan Division; and Seattle-Bellevue-Everett, WA Metropolitan Division. Modeling improves the statistical basis of the estimation for these areas and provides important tools for analysis, such as measures of errors and seasonally adjusted series. For all other substate

areas in this news release, estimates are prepared through indirect estimation procedures using a building-block approach. Estimates of employed persons, which are based largely on “place of work” estimates from the CES program, are adjusted to refer to place of residence as used in the CPS. Unemployment estimates are aggregates of persons previously employed in industries covered by state Unemployment Insurance (UI) laws and entrants to the labor force from the CPS. The substate estimates of employment and unemployment, which geographically exhaust the entire state, are adjusted proportionally to ensure that they add to the independently estimated model-based area totals. A detailed description of the estimation procedures is available from BLS upon request.

Annual revisions. Civilian labor force and unemployment data shown for the prior year reflect adjustments made at the beginning of each year, usually implemented with the issuance of January estimates. The adjusted model-based estimates typically reflect updated population data from the U.S. Census Bureau, any revisions in other input data sources, and model re-estimation. All substate estimates then are re-estimated using updated inputs and adjusted to add to the revised model-based totals. In early 2021, a new generation of time-series models was implemented, resulting in the replacement of data back to the series beginnings.

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 2017 version of the North American Industry Classification System.

Method of estimation. CES State and Area employment data are produced using several estimation procedures. Where possible, these data are produced using a “weighted link relative” estimation technique in which a ratio of current month weighted employment to that of the previous-month weighted employment is computed from a sample of establishments reporting for both months. The estimates of employment for the current month are then obtained by multiplying these ratios by the previous month’s employment estimates. The weighted link relative technique is utilized for data series where the sample size meets certain statistical criteria. For some employment series, the estimates are produced with a model that uses direct sample estimates (described above) combined with other regressors to compensate for smaller sample sizes.

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 for states, metropolitan areas, and metropolitan divisions at the total nonfarm level. For states, data are seasonally adjusted at the supersector level as well. Revisions to historical data for the most recent 5 years are made once a year, coincident with annual benchmark adjustments.

Payroll employment data are seasonally adjusted concurrently, using all available estimates, including those for the current month, to develop sample-based seasonal factors. Concurrent sample-based factors are created every month for the current month's preliminary estimate as well as the previous month's final estimate.

Reliability of the estimates

The estimates presented in this news 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.

Use of error measures

Civilian labor force and unemployment estimates. Measures of sampling error are not available for metropolitan areas or metropolitan divisions. Model-based error measures for states are available on the BLS website at www.bls.gov/lau/lastderr.htm. Measures of nonsampling error are not available for the areas contained in this news release. Information on recent data revisions for states and local areas is available online at www.bls.gov/lau/launews1.htm.

Employment estimates. Changes in metropolitan area nonfarm payroll employment are cited in the analysis of this news release only if they have been determined to be statistically significant at the 90-percent confidence level. Measures of sampling error for the total nonfarm employment series are available for metropolitan areas and metropolitan divisions at www.bls.gov/web/laus/790stderr.htm. Measures of sampling error for more detailed series at the area and division level are available upon request. Measures of sampling error for states at the supersector level and for the private service providing, goods-producing, total private and total nonfarm levels are available on the BLS website at www.bls.gov/web/laus/790stderr.htm. Information on recent benchmark revisions is available online at www.bls.gov/web/laus/benchmark.pdf.

Area definitions

The substate area data published in this news release reflect the delineations issued by the U.S. Office of Management and Budget on April 10, 2018. Data reflect New England City and Town Area (NECTA) definitions, rather than county-based definitions, in the six New England States. A detailed list of the geographic definitions is available online at www.bls.gov/lau/lausmsa.htm.

Additional information

Estimates of unadjusted and seasonally adjusted civilian labor force and unemployment data for states and seven substate areas are available in the news release *State Employment and Unemployment*. Estimates of civilian labor force and unemployment for all states, metropolitan areas, counties, cities with a population of 25,000 or more, and other areas used in the administration of various federal economic assistance programs are available online at www.bls.gov/lau/. Employment data from the CES program for states and metropolitan areas are available on the BLS website at www.bls.gov/sae/.

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**LABOR FORCE DATA
NOT SEASONALLY ADJUSTED
Table 1. Civilian labor force and unemployment by state and metropolitan area**

State and area	Civilian labor force				Unemployed							
	July		August		Number				Percent of labor force			
	2021	2022	2021	2022 ^P	July		August		July		August	
					2021	2022	2021	2022 ^P	2021	2022	2021	2022 ^P
Alabama	2,255,528	2,308,923	2,245,334	2,306,560	85,891	73,318	82,441	67,004	3.8	3.2	3.7	2.9
Anniston-Oxford-Jacksonville	46,378	46,929	46,206	47,113	2,143	1,725	2,028	1,549	4.6	3.7	4.4	3.3
Auburn-Opelika	76,492	79,399	76,582	79,692	2,401	2,300	2,387	2,129	3.1	2.9	3.1	2.7
Birmingham-Hoover	556,963	578,197	554,591	577,146	19,356	16,193	18,722	15,041	3.5	2.8	3.4	2.6
Daphne-Fairhope-Foley	102,520	102,906	100,574	102,263	3,180	2,803	3,135	2,625	3.1	2.7	3.1	2.6
Decatur	74,029	75,634	73,572	75,607	2,126	1,973	2,078	1,808	2.9	2.6	2.8	2.4
Dothan	65,159	67,198	64,808	67,025	2,379	2,039	2,332	1,879	3.7	3.0	3.6	2.8
Florence-Muscle Shoals	65,557	67,043	65,373	66,910	2,621	2,276	2,424	2,072	4.0	3.4	3.7	3.1
Gadsden	39,219	40,091	38,950	39,876	1,778	1,438	1,672	1,300	4.5	3.6	4.3	3.3
Huntsville	239,407	246,175	239,194	246,843	6,819	6,355	6,670	5,782	2.8	2.6	2.8	2.3
Mobile	193,115	193,168	191,736	193,838	10,079	7,892	9,591	7,278	5.2	4.1	5.0	3.8
Montgomery	174,777	179,327	174,764	178,796	8,232	6,373	7,658	5,773	4.7	3.6	4.4	3.2
Tuscaloosa	114,052	117,380	113,866	117,615	4,986	4,049	4,561	3,582	4.4	3.4	4.0	3.0
Alaska	362,453	365,440	359,758	364,785	21,759	15,491	18,955	12,794	6.0	4.2	5.3	3.5
Anchorage	197,930	199,532	197,384	201,608	11,676	7,860	10,133	6,481	5.9	3.9	5.1	3.2
Fairbanks	45,797	45,879	45,669	45,757	2,141	1,647	1,876	1,347	4.7	3.6	4.1	2.9
Arizona	3,519,661	3,586,200	3,513,363	3,619,730	182,824	142,363	166,745	152,627	5.2	4.0	4.7	4.2
Flagstaff	73,084	75,267	72,444	75,835	4,541	3,531	4,140	3,764	6.2	4.7	5.0	5.0
Lake Havasu City-Kingman	88,693	90,879	87,761	90,487	5,111	4,130	4,639	4,424	5.8	4.5	5.3	4.9
Phoenix-Mesa-Scottsdale	2,510,704	2,560,113	2,498,638	2,574,840	116,929	84,999	105,215	88,803	4.7	3.3	4.2	3.4
Prescott	105,569	107,671	104,910	108,621	4,561	3,581	4,030	3,644	4.3	3.3	3.8	3.4
Sierra Vista-Douglas	48,366	48,536	48,603	49,238	2,538	2,105	2,335	2,195	5.2	4.3	4.8	4.5
Tucson	478,883	482,906	479,401	486,508	24,874	18,638	22,348	19,369	5.2	3.9	4.7	4.0
Yuma	92,301	98,060	95,842	105,518	15,420	17,732	15,868	22,161	16.7	18.1	16.6	21.0
Arkansas	1,343,593	1,367,088	1,331,975	1,352,183	59,653	57,019	50,414	47,980	4.4	4.2	3.8	3.5
Fayetteville-Springdale-Rogers	288,851	302,922	285,280	297,673	9,201	8,536	7,850	7,363	3.2	2.8	2.8	2.5
Fort Smith	116,514	118,831	115,121	117,262	4,936	4,477	4,257	4,040	4.2	3.8	3.7	3.4
Hot Springs	42,012	42,212	40,874	41,318	2,200	2,081	1,819	1,730	5.2	4.9	4.5	4.2
Jonesboro	66,230	67,880	64,919	66,125	2,460	2,344	2,098	2,020	3.7	3.5	3.2	3.1
Little Rock-North Little Rock-Conway	354,394	361,662	349,514	355,499	16,093	14,503	13,873	12,262	4.5	4.0	4.0	3.4
Pine Bluff	33,080	33,847	32,532	33,165	2,219	2,271	1,916	1,923	6.7	6.7	5.9	5.8
California	19,081,613	19,239,758	18,990,256	19,288,261	1,480,069	754,073	1,374,022	782,707	7.8	3.9	7.2	4.1
Bakersfield	387,432	384,251	388,120	392,326	41,113	25,387	37,920	26,250	10.6	6.6	9.8	6.7
Chico	91,533	90,256	91,807	92,210	6,661	3,577	6,167	3,814	7.3	4.0	6.7	4.1
El Centro	69,056	67,779	69,827	70,544	13,757	9,757	13,552	11,435	19.9	14.4	19.4	16.2
Fresno	447,459	455,091	444,859	457,849	42,202	25,785	39,000	26,788	9.4	5.7	8.8	5.9
Hanford-Corcoran	56,398	56,161	55,685	56,322	5,521	3,464	5,029	3,538	9.8	6.2	9.0	6.3
Los Angeles-Long Beach-Anaheim	6,614,151	6,568,332	6,554,971	6,539,834	584,047	295,651	540,100	291,545	8.8	4.5	8.2	4.5
Madera	61,405	61,772	63,467	63,563	5,722	3,462	5,188	3,530	9.3	5.6	8.2	5.6
Merced	114,239	117,155	116,277	117,106	12,219	7,811	11,103	7,956	10.7	6.7	9.5	6.8
Modesto	242,981	242,812	241,739	243,978	21,203	12,212	19,549	12,602	8.7	5.0	8.1	5.2
Napa	70,065	70,696	69,636	70,433	4,124	1,841	3,784	2,003	5.9	2.6	5.4	2.8
Oxnard-Thousand Oaks-Ventura	406,756	409,678	405,450	411,151	26,591	13,071	25,019	14,327	6.5	3.2	6.2	3.5
Redding	71,997	72,561	72,708	72,614	5,208	2,848	4,807	3,060	7.2	3.9	6.6	4.2
Riverside-San Bernardino-Ontario	2,122,912	2,172,822	2,112,563	2,185,501	169,608	86,087	158,284	92,386	8.0	4.0	7.5	4.2
Sacramento-Roseville-Arden-Arcade	1,109,150	1,120,218	1,105,514	1,122,832	75,132	36,916	70,079	39,791	6.8	3.3	6.3	3.5
Salinas	223,417	221,719	221,867	221,957	15,784	9,479	14,369	9,866	7.1	4.3	6.5	4.4
San Diego-Carlsbad	1,554,670	1,577,440	1,550,582	1,587,435	107,394	49,128	100,202	53,239	6.9	3.1	6.5	3.4
San Francisco-Oakland-Hayward	2,480,654	2,546,696	2,471,372	2,552,359	147,172	65,206	137,065	70,971	5.9	2.6	5.5	2.8
San Jose-Sunnyvale-Santa Clara	1,051,384	1,086,380	1,051,747	1,092,865	53,245	23,887	49,706	26,003	5.1	2.2	4.7	2.4
San Luis Obispo-Paso Robles-Arroyo Grande	136,102	136,959	134,907	136,242	7,510	3,483	6,989	3,744	5.5	2.5	5.2	2.7
Santa Cruz-Watsonville	136,288	137,628	135,385	138,609	8,920	5,044	8,191	5,251	6.5	3.7	6.1	3.8
Santa Maria-Santa Barbara	222,550	222,525	219,198	225,042	12,768	6,181	11,787	6,579	5.7	2.8	5.4	2.9
Santa Rosa	244,920	248,560	245,402	250,421	14,009	6,478	13,007	7,039	5.7	2.6	5.3	2.8
Stockton-Lodi	333,172	335,079	334,871	339,996	30,560	16,653	28,194	17,566	9.2	5.0	8.4	5.2
Vallejo-Fairfield	200,867	200,835	199,993	201,536	15,740	7,877	14,714	8,470	7.8	3.9	7.4	4.2
Visalia-Porterville	200,482	201,012	201,841	206,312	22,552	15,312	21,002	16,383	11.2	7.6	10.4	7.9
Yuba City	76,479	77,188	76,476	77,714	6,820	4,089	6,230	4,257	8.9	5.3	8.1	5.5
Colorado	3,177,549	3,253,325	3,175,446	3,266,884	176,942	113,262	165,350	108,449	5.6	3.5	5.2	3.3
Boulder	196,351	200,676	195,833	203,621	8,843	5,819	8,281	5,337	4.5	2.9	4.2	2.6
Colorado Springs	364,991	372,463	365,753	373,114	21,694	14,400	20,142	13,587	5.9	3.9	5.5	3.6
Denver-Aurora-Lakewood	1,691,573	1,734,934	1,691,627	1,746,170	96,612	60,156	90,279	58,381	5.7	3.5	5.3	3.3
Fort Collins	207,345	212,197	208,058	213,526	9,818	6,391	9,276	6,075	4.7	3.0	4.5	2.8
Grand Junction	76,784	77,915	77,444	78,759	4,586	3,032	4,210	2,815	6.0	3.9	5.4	3.6
Greeley	165,171	168,967	165,763	170,895	9,929	6,494	9,297	6,136	6.0	3.8	5.6	3.6
Pueblo	77,129	78,537	77,086	78,749	6,727	4,431	6,194	4,235	8.7	5.6	8.0	5.4
Connecticut	1,891,831	1,927,182	1,864,498	1,906,473	124,717	84,518	114,662	82,469	6.6	4.4	6.1	4.3
Bridgeport-Stamford-Norwalk	466,309	476,311	458,288	469,570	30,704	21,180	28,274	20,563	6.6	4.4	6.2	4.4
Danbury	106,301	107,780	104,957	106,673	5,932	4,016	5,335	3,890	5.6	3.7	5.1	3.6
Hartford-West Hartford-East Hartford	615,298	625,820	606,371	620,135	41,220	27,680	37,931	27,092	6.7	4.4	6.3	4.4
New Haven	330,374	338,229	326,325	333,990	20,927	14,154	19,170	13,747	6.3	4.2	5.9	4.1

See footnotes at end of table.

**LABOR FORCE DATA
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Table 1. Civilian labor force and unemployment by state and metropolitan area — Continued

State and area	Civilian labor force				Unemployed							
	July		August		Number				Percent of labor force			
	2021	2022	2021	2022 ^P	July		August		July		August	
					2021	2022	2021	2022 ^P	2021	2022	2021	2022 ^P
Minnesota.....	3,047,417	3,093,292	3,031,310	3,075,841	96,546	63,778	93,906	65,838	3.2	2.1	3.1	2.1
Duluth.....	137,358	140,579	136,611	139,880	4,982	3,956	4,843	4,021	3.6	2.8	3.5	2.9
Mankato-North Mankato.....	57,615	60,358	57,453	60,176	1,701	1,049	1,654	1,053	3.0	1.7	2.9	1.7
Minneapolis-St. Paul-Bloomington.....	1,999,239	2,045,171	1,990,484	2,033,950	64,598	41,922	63,213	43,729	3.2	2.0	3.2	2.1
Rochester.....	126,727	129,064	126,178	128,151	3,251	2,234	3,259	2,308	2.6	1.7	2.6	1.8
St. Cloud.....	108,904	110,613	107,956	109,527	3,809	2,248	3,642	2,302	3.5	2.0	3.4	2.1
Mississippi.....	1,271,420	1,279,945	1,251,533	1,257,220	81,941	56,516	71,385	47,200	6.4	4.4	5.7	3.8
Gulfport-Biloxi-Pascagoula.....	168,837	169,618	166,313	167,387	10,896	7,405	9,546	6,306	6.5	4.4	5.7	3.8
Hattiesburg.....	69,165	69,378	68,021	69,026	4,024	2,732	3,501	2,258	5.8	3.9	5.1	3.3
Jackson.....	264,113	264,772	259,807	258,727	15,604	10,537	13,623	8,801	5.9	4.0	5.2	3.4
Missouri.....	3,088,737	3,076,852	3,054,037	3,057,503	140,485	90,285	134,234	92,465	4.5	2.9	4.4	3.0
Cape Girardeau.....	46,492	46,447	47,130	46,118	1,885	1,375	1,855	1,387	4.1	3.0	3.9	3.0
Columbia.....	98,896	101,015	98,313	100,336	2,904	2,285	2,973	2,399	2.9	2.3	3.0	2.4
Jefferson City.....	75,039	74,766	73,845	73,978	2,261	1,824	2,349	1,948	3.0	2.4	3.2	2.6
Joplin.....	85,169	85,486	83,964	85,144	3,274	2,294	3,179	2,350	3.8	2.7	3.8	2.8
Kansas City.....	1,171,626	1,164,195	1,149,131	1,148,562	55,181	37,744	48,281	35,427	4.7	3.2	4.2	3.1
St. Joseph.....	62,008	61,856	60,978	61,134	2,307	1,669	2,251	1,709	3.7	2.7	3.7	2.8
St. Louis ²	1,476,554	1,483,982	1,459,975	1,472,111	73,416	47,261	70,184	48,401	5.0	3.2	4.8	3.3
Springfield.....	238,930	241,078	235,125	238,196	7,904	5,514	8,088	6,075	3.3	2.3	3.4	2.6
Montana.....	557,529	573,172	556,245	574,850	17,868	15,003	16,973	15,073	3.2	2.6	3.1	2.6
Billings.....	92,008	94,592	91,252	95,462	2,977	2,452	2,755	2,416	3.2	2.6	3.0	2.5
Great Falls.....	37,515	38,387	37,544	38,748	1,221	1,056	1,181	1,048	3.3	2.8	3.1	2.7
Missoula.....	65,083	67,928	64,929	68,431	2,057	1,722	1,949	1,688	3.2	2.5	3.0	2.5
Nebraska.....	1,060,328	1,068,788	1,048,591	1,061,900	28,718	26,920	25,771	23,669	2.7	2.5	2.5	2.2
Grand Island.....	45,501	44,937	45,200	44,302	1,440	1,076	1,143	960	3.2	2.4	2.5	2.2
Lincoln.....	188,257	190,885	187,544	190,999	4,619	4,308	4,342	4,004	2.5	2.3	2.3	2.1
Omaha-Council Bluffs.....	506,773	513,759	501,525	512,102	16,368	14,114	14,697	12,804	3.2	2.7	2.9	2.5
Nevada.....	1,510,053	1,537,499	1,500,037	1,567,299	111,094	76,830	101,233	81,578	7.4	5.0	6.7	5.2
Carson City.....	25,406	25,729	25,176	26,146	1,240	918	1,123	986	4.9	3.6	4.5	3.8
Las Vegas-Henderson-Paradise.....	1,109,983	1,133,617	1,104,315	1,155,405	92,745	62,987	84,675	66,355	8.4	5.6	7.7	5.7
Reno.....	251,993	256,452	249,836	262,143	11,383	8,197	10,198	9,015	4.5	3.2	4.1	3.4
New Hampshire.....	765,883	779,194	761,431	782,799	26,733	15,048	24,730	17,878	3.5	1.9	3.2	2.3
Dover-Durham.....	84,846	85,276	84,017	85,042	2,895	1,648	2,537	1,809	3.4	1.9	3.0	2.1
Manchester.....	118,315	122,532	117,873	123,221	4,059	2,282	3,749	2,717	3.4	1.9	3.2	2.2
Portsmouth.....	78,657	77,826	78,388	77,833	2,432	1,340	2,245	1,659	3.1	1.7	2.9	2.1
New Jersey.....	4,739,260	4,692,497	4,686,989	4,718,496	328,706	176,165	299,946	173,277	6.9	3.8	6.4	3.7
Atlantic City-Hammonton.....	127,232	130,479	126,085	129,917	12,681	6,454	11,508	6,403	10.0	4.9	9.1	4.9
Ocean City.....	58,955	58,021	57,408	57,872	3,927	2,318	3,508	2,262	6.7	4.0	6.1	3.9
Trenton.....	215,472	210,572	213,710	212,562	12,286	6,793	11,179	6,553	5.7	3.2	5.2	3.1
Vineland-Bridgeton.....	69,239	66,277	69,361	68,772	5,925	3,532	5,465	3,589	8.6	5.3	7.9	5.2
New Mexico.....	951,815	942,825	947,646	941,908	74,895	44,035	66,821	41,419	7.9	4.7	7.1	4.4
Albuquerque.....	440,105	437,510	438,456	435,894	32,681	18,940	29,233	17,874	7.4	4.3	6.7	4.1
Farmington.....	49,892	48,469	49,756	50,760	4,622	2,734	4,109	2,578	9.3	5.6	8.3	5.1
Las Cruces.....	98,151	97,856	99,049	97,662	7,719	4,881	6,776	4,495	7.9	5.0	6.8	4.6
Santa Fe.....	74,448	73,081	73,951	72,287	5,196	2,978	4,630	2,790	7.0	4.1	6.3	3.9
New York.....	9,573,626	9,586,986	9,506,794	9,574,806	682,237	457,291	636,875	473,541	7.1	4.8	6.7	4.9
Albany-Schenectady-Troy.....	451,699	458,369	449,427	456,957	20,364	14,817	18,939	14,996	4.5	3.2	4.2	3.3
Binghamton.....	103,745	105,942	103,363	105,316	5,492	4,130	5,025	4,138	5.3	3.9	4.9	3.9
Buffalo-Cheektowaga-Niagara Falls.....	538,159	547,232	534,655	549,412	30,019	21,798	28,080	22,565	5.6	4.0	5.3	4.1
Elmira.....	34,987	35,085	34,793	34,819	1,882	1,384	1,753	1,429	5.4	3.9	5.0	4.1
Glens Falls.....	61,745	61,128	61,045	60,577	2,739	1,932	2,537	1,941	4.4	3.2	4.2	3.2
Ithaca.....	48,057	49,341	47,724	49,170	2,060	1,566	1,878	1,486	4.3	3.2	3.9	3.0
Kingston.....	88,090	88,656	86,944	88,166	4,261	2,998	3,970	3,071	4.8	3.4	4.6	3.5
New York-Newark-Jersey City.....	10,178,304	10,107,024	10,082,510	10,119,253	778,848	478,536	722,855	490,539	7.7	4.7	7.2	4.8
Rochester.....	519,653	525,848	517,074	523,711	26,566	19,447	24,650	19,839	5.1	3.7	4.8	3.8
Syracuse.....	307,309	311,856	305,776	311,126	15,834	11,518	14,572	11,633	5.2	3.7	4.8	3.7
Utica-Rome.....	130,017	130,579	129,621	129,645	6,891	5,000	6,381	5,063	5.3	3.8	4.9	3.9
Watertown-Fort Drum.....	45,280	45,856	44,918	45,609	2,248	1,754	2,099	1,812	5.0	3.8	4.7	4.0
North Carolina.....	5,007,308	5,157,636	4,968,061	5,114,815	255,432	190,090	240,286	199,869	5.1	3.7	4.8	3.9
Asheville.....	230,537	237,250	228,909	234,199	10,042	6,983	9,435	7,390	4.4	2.9	4.1	3.2
Burlington.....	81,711	83,697	81,060	82,968	4,302	3,197	3,995	3,312	5.3	3.8	4.9	4.0
Charlotte-Concord-Gastonia.....	1,373,197	1,430,317	1,360,408	1,419,014	66,475	49,242	62,750	51,762	4.8	3.4	4.6	3.6
Durham-Chapel Hill.....	312,336	324,764	309,346	320,033	13,323	10,003	12,401	10,392	4.3	3.1	4.0	3.2
Fayetteville.....	144,387	148,208	144,109	147,770	10,545	8,195	9,970	8,540	7.3	5.5	6.9	5.8
Greensboro.....	50,754	51,346	50,252	51,128	2,738	2,058	2,569	2,140	5.4	4.0	5.1	4.2
Greensboro-High Point.....	355,586	365,185	358,058	365,493	20,836	15,229	19,544	16,025	5.9	4.2	5.5	4.4
Greenville.....	86,556	87,918	86,108	87,669	4,845	3,794	4,556	3,926	5.6	4.3	5.3	4.5
Hickory-Lenoir-Morganton.....	168,939	173,049	167,094	171,927	8,183	5,890	7,730	6,225	4.8	3.4	4.6	3.6
Jacksonville.....	64,151	66,051	65,463	67,337	3,698	2,878	3,446	3,061	5.8	4.4	5.3	4.5
New Bern.....	50,890	51,340	50,152	50,810	2,445	1,821	2,339	1,918	4.8	3.5	4.7	3.8
Raleigh.....	742,763	773,993	734,753	765,263	31,913	23,921	30,017	25,170	4.3	3.1	4.1	3.3
Rocky Mount.....	62,744	62,180	61,866	61,736	4,631	3,752	4,357	3,984	7.4	6.0	7.0	6.5

See footnotes at end of table.

**LABOR FORCE DATA
NOT SEASONALLY ADJUSTED**

Table 1. Civilian labor force and unemployment by state and metropolitan area — Continued

State and area	Civilian labor force				Unemployed								
	July		August		Number				Percent of labor force				
	2021	2022	2021	2022 ^p	July		August		July		August		
					2021	2022	2021	2022 ^p	2021	2022	2021	2022 ^p	
Wisconsin - Continued													
Eau Claire.....	94,633	93,383	93,796	93,336	3,171	2,807	3,041	2,812	3.4	3.0	3.2	3.0	
Fond du Lac.....	57,869	58,098	57,732	57,614	1,952	1,747	1,868	1,721	3.4	3.0	3.2	3.0	
Green Bay.....	176,214	175,377	175,900	174,363	6,140	5,230	5,857	5,222	3.5	3.0	3.3	3.0	
Janesville-Beloit.....	88,747	87,149	87,327	86,696	4,211	3,407	3,663	3,468	4.7	3.9	4.2	4.0	
La Crosse-Onalaska.....	77,482	76,067	77,141	75,517	2,221	2,009	2,192	1,906	2.9	2.6	2.8	2.5	
Madison.....	405,325	399,806	401,773	394,745	11,923	10,105	11,346	9,841	2.9	2.5	2.8	2.5	
Milwaukee-Waukesha-West Allis.....	837,878	826,065	833,254	825,872	40,425	32,720	37,527	32,039	4.8	4.0	4.5	3.9	
Oshkosh-Neenah.....	94,616	93,267	93,640	92,698	3,214	2,821	3,091	2,778	3.4	3.0	3.3	3.0	
Racine.....	101,293	99,351	100,586	99,037	5,008	4,224	4,713	4,228	4.9	4.3	4.7	4.3	
Sheboygan.....	63,715	62,988	63,174	62,583	2,024	1,703	1,912	1,689	3.2	2.7	3.0	2.7	
Wausau.....	75,328	75,009	74,630	74,120	2,353	2,113	2,218	2,108	3.1	2.8	3.0	2.8	
Wyoming.....	293,611	290,526	291,269	290,243	12,652	8,615	11,388	9,035	4.3	3.0	3.9	3.1	
Casper.....	39,050	38,281	38,432	38,338	2,265	1,387	2,080	1,482	5.8	3.6	5.4	3.9	
Cheyenne.....	49,156	49,235	48,885	49,489	1,956	1,406	1,743	1,504	4.0	2.9	3.6	3.0	
Puerto Rico.....	1,162,417	1,155,839	1,183,991	1,168,505	107,951	66,214	108,209	70,143	9.3	5.7	9.1	6.0	
Aguadilla-Isabela.....	92,026	90,937	94,305	92,581	10,445	7,209	10,359	7,439	11.4	7.9	11.0	8.0	
Arecibo.....	55,548	55,439	57,390	56,349	5,224	3,773	5,276	3,926	9.4	6.8	9.2	7.0	
Guayama.....	21,044	20,966	21,521	21,056	2,262	1,554	2,190	1,580	10.7	7.4	10.2	7.5	
Mayaguez.....	29,380	28,970	29,961	29,276	3,099	2,005	3,126	2,045	10.5	6.9	10.4	7.0	
Ponce.....	98,103	97,244	100,457	99,292	11,055	7,148	11,246	7,886	11.3	7.4	11.2	7.9	
San German.....	37,263	36,817	38,126	37,483	4,336	2,752	4,367	2,857	11.6	7.5	11.5	7.6	
San Juan-Carolina-Caguas.....	784,590	782,662	796,142	788,493	66,086	38,438	66,116	40,632	8.4	4.9	8.3	5.2	

¹ For operational reasons, these interstate areas are listed under the state that accounts for the larger share of the population, which is different from the state that contains the first principal city.

² The area boundary does not reflect the Office of Management and Budget delineation.

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NOTE: Data refer to place of residence. Data for Puerto Rico are derived from a monthly household survey similar to the Current Population Survey. Area delineations are based on Office of Management and Budget Bulletin No. 18-03, dated April 10, 2018, and are available on the BLS website at <https://www.bls.gov/lau/lausmsa.htm>. Areas in the six New England states are Metropolitan New England City and Town Areas (NECTAs), while areas in other states are county-based. Some metropolitan areas lie in two or more states. They are listed under the state containing the first principal city, unless otherwise footnoted. Estimates for the latest month are subject to revision the following month.

**ESTABLISHMENT DATA
NOT SEASONALLY ADJUSTED**

Table 3. Employees on nonfarm payrolls by state and metropolitan area, not seasonally adjusted
[In thousands]

State and area	July		August		August 2021 to August 2022 ^P	
	2021	2022	2021	2022 ^P	Level change	Percent change
Alabama.....	2,044.8	2,078.2	2,042.9	2,079.7	36.8	1.8
Anniston-Oxford-Jacksonville.....	46.3	46.9	46.5	47.3	0.8	1.7
Auburn-Opelika.....	66.5	68.1	66.8	68.7	1.9	2.8
Birmingham-Hoover.....	538.0	556.5	537.4	555.3	17.9	3.3
Daphne-Fairhope-Foley.....	83.5	83.0	81.7	82.4	0.7	0.9
Decatur.....	57.5	58.1	57.0	58.0	1.0	1.8
Dothan.....	59.4	61.1	59.4	61.0	1.6	2.7
Florence-Muscle Shoals.....	55.7	56.4	55.8	56.4	0.6	1.1
Gadsden.....	33.6	34.2	33.3	34.0	0.7	2.1
Huntsville.....	252.2	256.8	252.7	257.8	5.1	2.0
Mobile.....	185.3	185.2	184.8	186.1	1.3	0.7
Montgomery.....	173.6	178.2	174.6	178.1	3.5	2.0
Tuscaloosa.....	105.2	108.0	105.5	108.6	3.1	2.9
Alaska.....	331.4	333.2	328.3	335.5	7.2	2.2
Anchorage.....	171.9	178.0	172.2	181.2	9.0	5.2
Fairbanks.....	37.4	38.1	37.4	38.1	0.7	1.9
Arizona.....	2,908.0	3,026.7	2,962.0	3,073.0	111.0	3.7
Flagstaff.....	64.1	67.8	64.7	68.5	3.8	5.9
Lake Havasu City-Kingman.....	53.3	55.8	54.1	55.6	1.5	2.8
Phoenix-Mesa-Scottsdale.....	2,178.3	2,272.9	2,215.4	2,302.5	87.1	3.9
Prescott.....	65.3	68.1	66.3	69.3	3.0	4.5
Sierra Vista-Douglas.....	33.0	33.9	33.5	34.2	0.7	2.1
Tucson.....	370.0	381.8	379.5	387.8	8.3	2.2
Yuma.....	55.9	58.7	57.3	59.2	1.9	3.3
Arkansas.....	1,268.6	1,313.9	1,278.7	1,317.9	39.2	3.1
Fayetteville-Springdale-Rogers.....	268.7	285.7	271.6	286.7	15.1	5.6
Fort Smith.....	108.0	111.4	109.2	112.5	3.3	3.0
Hot Springs.....	38.9	39.7	39.0	39.8	0.8	2.1
Jonesboro.....	59.3	61.6	59.5	61.2	1.7	2.9
Little Rock-North Little Rock-Conway.....	355.3	367.0	359.3	369.8	10.5	2.9
Pine Bluff.....	30.4	31.3	30.6	31.5	0.9	2.9
California.....	16,788.0	17,523.4	16,918.8	17,579.0	660.2	3.9
Bakersfield.....	267.3	272.8	271.1	276.9	5.8	2.1
Chico.....	74.7	75.2	75.5	76.8	1.3	1.7
El Centro.....	52.0	54.3	53.2	55.5	2.3	4.3
Fresno.....	357.7	374.6	360.7	375.1	14.4	4.0
Hanford-Corcoran.....	40.4	41.0	40.5	41.2	0.7	1.7
Los Angeles-Long Beach-Anaheim.....	5,908.1	6,153.7	5,959.8	6,157.0	197.2	3.3
Madera.....	39.8	41.3	41.2	42.3	1.1	2.7
Merced.....	67.6	72.4	70.2	71.8	1.6	2.3
Modesto.....	180.5	185.5	181.3	185.5	4.2	2.3
Napa.....	68.9	71.3	69.7	71.6	1.9	2.7
Oxnard-Thousand Oaks-Ventura.....	297.6	306.6	300.4	308.2	7.8	2.6
Redding.....	66.0	68.0	67.6	67.8	0.2	0.3
Riverside-San Bernardino-Ontario.....	1,567.1	1,653.8	1,573.8	1,663.1	89.3	5.7
Sacramento--Roseville--Arden-Arcade.....	1,015.7	1,050.5	1,021.6	1,050.8	29.2	2.9
Salinas.....	138.1	140.5	139.7	141.7	2.0	1.4
San Diego-Carlsbad.....	1,447.0	1,509.3	1,456.3	1,515.9	59.6	4.1
San Francisco-Oakland-Hayward.....	2,346.6	2,465.2	2,356.1	2,465.3	109.2	4.6
San Jose-Sunnyvale-Santa Clara.....	1,109.6	1,165.2	1,118.9	1,170.7	51.8	4.6
San Luis Obispo-Paso Robles-Arroyo Grande.....	114.9	117.9	115.0	117.2	2.2	1.9
Santa Cruz-Watsonville.....	98.3	101.5	98.8	102.2	3.4	3.4
Santa Maria-Santa Barbara.....	187.8	192.3	187.4	195.4	8.0	4.3
Santa Rosa.....	195.4	202.8	198.1	204.0	5.9	3.0
Stockton-Lodi.....	251.5	260.4	256.8	264.6	7.8	3.0
Vallejo-Fairfield.....	133.8	137.0	134.5	137.0	2.5	1.9
Visalia-Porterville.....	129.5	133.0	131.7	135.8	4.1	3.1
Yuba City.....	46.9	48.0	47.6	48.3	0.7	1.5
Colorado.....	2,779.3	2,879.0	2,782.3	2,887.2	104.9	3.8
Boulder.....	196.0	201.0	196.3	204.7	8.4	4.3

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**ESTABLISHMENT DATA
NOT SEASONALLY ADJUSTED**

Table 3. Employees on nonfarm payrolls by state and metropolitan area, not seasonally adjusted — Continued
[In thousands]

State and area	July		August		August 2021 to August 2022 ^P	
	2021	2022	2021	2022 ^P	Level change	Percent change
Colorado - Continued						
Colorado Springs.....	304.8	313.6	305.8	312.7	6.9	2.3
Denver-Aurora-Lakewood.....	1,529.9	1,585.1	1,531.1	1,586.3	55.2	3.6
Fort Collins.....	173.8	178.3	174.6	178.8	4.2	2.4
Grand Junction.....	64.6	66.1	65.5	66.6	1.1	1.7
Greeley.....	104.0	106.5	105.0	108.0	3.0	2.9
Pueblo.....	62.4	64.5	62.6	64.4	1.8	2.9
Connecticut.....	1,621.3	1,658.6	1,613.3	1,655.1	41.8	2.6
Bridgeport-Stamford-Norwalk.....	393.5	402.5	389.1	399.8	10.7	2.7
Danbury.....	74.9	75.7	74.6	75.6	1.0	1.3
Hartford-West Hartford-East Hartford.....	553.8	564.9	551.1	563.5	12.4	2.3
New Haven.....	285.3	293.4	285.5	291.4	5.9	2.1
Norwich-New London-Westerly.....	120.2	121.9	119.6	122.0	2.4	2.0
Waterbury.....	65.0	65.5	64.3	65.6	1.3	2.0
Delaware.....	458.1	469.6	454.2	467.1	12.9	2.8
Dover.....	69.2	70.8	68.8	70.4	1.6	2.3
Salisbury ¹	172.6	176.2	170.9	175.0	4.1	2.4
District of Columbia.....	756.2	779.4	744.4	763.5	19.1	2.6
Washington-Arlington-Alexandria.....	3,240.7	3,313.4	3,234.8	3,308.6	73.8	2.3
Florida.....	8,865.3	9,313.4	8,948.4	9,408.9	460.5	5.1
Cape Coral-Fort Myers.....	279.4	291.4	282.8	295.6	12.8	4.5
Crestview-Fort Walton Beach-Destin.....	125.2	127.5	124.0	127.2	3.2	2.6
Deltona-Daytona Beach-Ormond Beach.....	206.1	214.6	208.3	217.2	8.9	4.3
Gainesville.....	144.5	147.6	144.2	147.4	3.2	2.2
Homosassa Springs.....	32.4	32.5	33.2	33.5	0.3	0.9
Jacksonville.....	731.4	764.0	736.2	770.5	34.3	4.7
Lakeland-Winter Haven.....	250.0	261.0	253.6	263.3	9.7	3.8
Miami-Fort Lauderdale-West Palm Beach.....	2,646.4	2,783.9	2,671.7	2,822.7	151.0	5.7
Naples-Immokalee-Marco Island.....	152.3	159.0	154.1	160.9	6.8	4.4
North Port-Sarasota-Bradenton.....	314.4	334.9	317.8	334.4	16.6	5.2
Ocala.....	109.4	111.6	109.8	112.3	2.5	2.3
Orlando-Kissimmee-Sanford.....	1,281.4	1,348.8	1,299.4	1,370.2	70.8	5.4
Palm Bay-Melbourne-Titusville.....	236.0	242.7	236.8	244.0	7.2	3.0
Panama City.....	83.7	86.4	83.6	87.3	3.7	4.4
Pensacola-Ferry Pass-Brent.....	187.6	193.7	188.3	195.5	7.2	3.8
Port St. Lucie.....	157.2	163.1	158.6	164.9	6.3	4.0
Punta Gorda.....	50.2	52.1	50.6	52.7	2.1	4.2
Sebastian-Vero Beach.....	53.0	54.9	53.6	55.3	1.7	3.2
Sebring.....	24.7	24.8	25.1	24.9	-0.2	-0.8
Tallahassee.....	182.0	187.3	182.8	190.1	7.3	4.0
Tampa-St. Petersburg-Clearwater.....	1,391.7	1,457.6	1,403.8	1,467.7	63.9	4.6
The Villages.....	34.5	36.0	35.1	36.6	1.5	4.3
Georgia.....	4,578.8	4,787.7	4,597.0	4,817.1	220.1	4.8
Albany.....	60.8	62.3	60.8	62.9	2.1	3.5
Athens-Clarke County.....	93.7	101.5	96.4	102.9	6.5	6.7
Atlanta-Sandy Springs-Roswell.....	2,830.7	2,979.8	2,839.9	2,990.3	150.4	5.3
Augusta-Richmond County.....	237.8	242.5	238.5	243.8	5.3	2.2
Brunswick.....	44.6	45.5	44.1	45.7	1.6	3.6
Columbus.....	117.1	122.2	117.5	122.0	4.5	3.8
Dalton.....	65.4	67.2	65.6	67.1	1.5	2.3
Gainesville.....	94.4	97.5	95.8	98.9	3.1	3.2
Hinesville.....	21.1	21.4	21.3	21.7	0.4	1.9
Macon-Bibb County.....	100.2	104.5	100.7	105.0	4.3	4.3
Rome.....	41.0	42.4	41.2	42.5	1.3	3.2
Savannah.....	192.6	199.8	192.9	201.0	8.1	4.2
Valdosta.....	54.6	55.5	55.2	56.6	1.4	2.5
Warner Robins.....	77.8	78.8	77.2	79.3	2.1	2.7
Hawaii.....	594.1	606.2	591.7	605.2	13.5	2.3
Kahului-Wailuku-Lahaina.....	71.8	73.3	71.6	73.6	2.0	2.8
Urban Honolulu.....	427.3	435.7	425.4	434.9	9.5	2.2

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Table 3. Employees on nonfarm payrolls by state and metropolitan area, not seasonally adjusted — Continued
[In thousands]

State and area	July		August		August 2021 to August 2022 ^P	
	2021	2022	2021	2022 ^P	Level change	Percent change
Idaho.....	808.3	832.2	805.1	827.3	22.2	2.8
Boise City.....	370.1	381.0	370.2	380.5	10.3	2.8
Coeur d'Alene.....	73.1	74.5	72.7	73.8	1.1	1.5
Idaho Falls.....	76.6	78.3	76.1	77.8	1.7	2.2
Lewiston.....	29.0	29.3	29.1	29.2	0.1	0.3
Pocatello.....	36.9	38.5	37.4	38.5	1.1	2.9
Twin Falls.....	48.8	50.6	48.7	50.9	2.2	4.5
Illinois.....	5,842.3	6,083.0	5,845.2	6,078.3	233.1	4.0
Bloomington.....	88.7	91.8	90.2	93.7	3.5	3.9
Carbondale-Marion.....	54.9	56.8	54.5	56.6	2.1	3.9
Champaign-Urbana.....	108.6	110.8	107.2	109.8	2.6	2.4
Chicago-Naperville-Elgin.....	4,557.4	4,759.0	4,555.1	4,756.3	201.2	4.4
Danville.....	25.7	26.2	25.6	26.3	0.7	2.7
Davenport-Moline-Rock Island ¹	178.9	187.1	179.1	186.6	7.5	4.2
Decatur.....	47.7	48.5	48.1	48.7	0.6	1.2
Kankakee.....	42.1	42.9	41.9	42.7	0.8	1.9
Peoria.....	164.9	167.8	165.6	169.3	3.7	2.2
Rockford.....	139.2	146.9	139.6	146.8	7.2	5.2
Springfield.....	104.4	108.5	106.5	110.1	3.6	3.4
Indiana.....	3,079.8	3,160.2	3,112.3	3,194.6	82.3	2.6
Bloomington.....	74.3	75.7	77.1	78.2	1.1	1.4
Columbus.....	49.3	50.3	49.0	50.9	1.9	3.9
Elkhart-Goshen.....	142.8	147.3	143.9	147.7	3.8	2.6
Evansville.....	154.6	156.9	154.8	158.0	3.2	2.1
Fort Wayne.....	221.5	226.8	220.1	229.0	8.9	4.0
Indianapolis-Carmel-Anderson.....	1,088.8	1,110.9	1,104.2	1,128.2	24.0	2.2
Kokomo.....	36.0	36.2	36.3	36.9	0.6	1.7
Lafayette-West Lafayette.....	96.0	100.1	98.2	101.5	3.3	3.4
Michigan City-La Porte.....	39.7	39.9	39.8	40.1	0.3	0.8
Muncie.....	46.7	48.0	47.2	49.2	2.0	4.2
South Bend-Mishawaka.....	134.9	137.5	133.9	138.9	5.0	3.7
Terre Haute.....	64.1	65.6	64.4	66.0	1.6	2.5
Iowa.....	1,538.1	1,573.5	1,536.1	1,574.5	38.4	2.5
Ames.....	48.5	49.2	50.1	50.9	0.8	1.6
Cedar Rapids.....	139.2	139.9	138.3	139.5	1.2	0.9
Des Moines-West Des Moines.....	372.0	378.6	373.5	379.0	5.5	1.5
Dubuque.....	58.4	59.0	58.2	58.7	0.5	0.9
Iowa City.....	96.1	99.3	97.2	100.6	3.4	3.5
Sioux City.....	86.1	87.2	85.9	87.3	1.4	1.6
Waterloo-Cedar Falls.....	86.8	88.4	86.8	88.6	1.8	2.1
Kansas.....	1,371.7	1,387.4	1,375.6	1,390.0	14.4	1.0
Lawrence.....	47.4	46.3	50.2	49.4	-0.8	-1.6
Manhattan.....	37.0	37.5	38.9	39.4	0.5	1.3
Topeka.....	110.0	109.7	110.3	110.8	0.5	0.5
Wichita.....	289.9	296.6	292.6	298.9	6.3	2.2
Kentucky.....	1,883.9	1,929.1	1,905.6	1,968.3	62.7	3.3
Bowling Green.....	74.0	73.8	75.2	76.0	0.8	1.1
Elizabethtown-Fort Knox.....	53.0	54.0	53.1	54.1	1.0	1.9
Lexington-Fayette.....	271.5	279.2	274.3	281.8	7.5	2.7
Louisville/Jefferson County.....	658.8	672.2	665.3	687.9	22.6	3.4
Owensboro.....	51.6	52.2	51.8	52.4	0.6	1.2
Louisiana.....	1,868.9	1,912.4	1,876.7	1,921.4	44.7	2.4
Alexandria.....	61.0	62.9	60.6	62.6	2.0	3.3
Baton Rouge.....	384.2	394.2	389.4	399.4	10.0	2.6
Hammond.....	46.6	46.1	46.6	46.9	0.3	0.6
Houma-Thibodaux.....	83.2	80.6	82.7	81.5	-1.2	-1.5
Lafayette.....	197.0	200.7	196.8	202.4	5.6	2.8
Lake Charles.....	99.3	101.1	98.0	101.5	3.5	3.6
Monroe.....	75.4	75.6	74.8	75.5	0.7	0.9
New Orleans-Metairie.....	542.9	554.2	546.2	556.0	9.8	1.8

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Table 3. Employees on nonfarm payrolls by state and metropolitan area, not seasonally adjusted — Continued
[In thousands]

State and area	July		August		August 2021 to August 2022 ^P	
	2021	2022	2021	2022 ^P	Level change	Percent change
Louisiana - Continued						
Shreveport-Bossier City.....	171.1	176.4	171.0	175.7	4.7	2.7
Maine.....	642.2	661.1	639.6	657.5	17.9	2.8
Bangor.....	65.8	68.4	65.3	68.1	2.8	4.3
Lewiston-Auburn.....	49.7	51.3	49.2	51.1	1.9	3.9
Portland-South Portland.....	214.1	222.7	213.2	222.8	9.6	4.5
Maryland.....	2,669.7	2,740.6	2,669.1	2,738.7	69.6	2.6
Baltimore-Columbia-Towson.....	1,376.0	1,419.2	1,377.3	1,423.0	45.7	3.3
California-Lexington Park.....	47.9	48.0	47.6	47.9	0.3	0.6
Cumberland.....	36.4	36.3	36.4	36.2	-0.2	-0.5
Hagerstown-Martinsburg.....	101.3	104.4	101.9	103.9	2.0	2.0
Massachusetts.....	3,581.7	3,732.6	3,575.6	3,722.4	146.8	4.1
Barnstable Town.....	115.1	114.5	113.7	114.3	0.6	0.5
Boston-Cambridge-Nashua.....	2,693.1	2,819.8	2,689.8	2,816.8	127.0	4.7
Leominster-Gardner.....	50.8	51.7	50.2	51.5	1.3	2.6
New Bedford.....	63.9	65.3	63.5	65.0	1.5	2.4
Pittsfield.....	39.8	39.4	39.6	39.3	-0.3	-0.8
Springfield.....	322.0	336.4	321.1	335.0	13.9	4.3
Worcester.....	281.4	286.6	281.5	286.3	4.8	1.7
Michigan.....	4,208.0	4,358.3	4,227.5	4,366.8	139.3	3.3
Ann Arbor.....	214.8	222.7	216.2	222.8	6.6	3.1
Battle Creek.....	53.2	54.5	53.9	54.7	0.8	1.5
Bay City.....	34.6	35.0	34.5	34.9	0.4	1.2
Detroit-Warren-Dearborn.....	1,921.4	2,019.3	1,942.4	2,020.1	77.7	4.0
Flint.....	132.1	133.7	127.6	134.5	6.9	5.4
Grand Rapids-Wyoming.....	545.1	562.3	548.6	563.6	15.0	2.7
Jackson.....	56.3	56.8	56.1	57.0	0.9	1.6
Kalamazoo-Portage.....	142.6	144.9	142.3	144.8	2.5	1.8
Lansing-East Lansing.....	217.5	221.8	215.1	225.0	9.9	4.6
Midland.....	36.0	36.3	36.0	36.2	0.2	0.6
Monroe.....	39.1	39.1	38.3	38.9	0.6	1.6
Muskegon.....	62.1	63.6	62.4	63.6	1.2	1.9
Niles-Benton Harbor.....	60.3	60.7	59.8	60.8	1.0	1.7
Saginaw.....	80.8	81.1	80.9	81.1	0.2	0.2
Minnesota.....	2,888.5	2,965.3	2,883.2	2,956.3	73.1	2.5
Duluth.....	129.3	133.5	129.0	133.0	4.0	3.1
Mankato-North Mankato.....	53.5	56.9	53.8	57.2	3.4	6.3
Minneapolis-St. Paul-Bloomington.....	1,965.7	2,028.9	1,963.0	2,018.9	55.9	2.8
Rochester.....	124.4	127.4	124.4	127.3	2.9	2.3
St. Cloud.....	104.7	108.0	104.8	107.4	2.6	2.5
Mississippi.....	1,130.3	1,151.5	1,136.4	1,150.1	13.7	1.2
Gulfport-Biloxi-Pascagoula.....	157.4	159.9	157.7	159.6	1.9	1.2
Hattiesburg.....	64.7	65.2	64.6	65.9	1.3	2.0
Jackson.....	268.8	271.0	268.7	268.4	-0.3	-0.1
Missouri.....	2,849.4	2,916.5	2,849.5	2,912.4	62.9	2.2
Cape Girardeau.....	42.3	42.9	43.6	43.0	-0.6	-1.4
Columbia.....	99.0	101.7	99.5	101.8	2.3	2.3
Jefferson City.....	76.6	77.1	76.3	77.2	0.9	1.2
Joplin.....	79.7	81.4	79.7	81.8	2.1	2.6
Kansas City.....	1,079.8	1,087.2	1,080.7	1,090.7	10.0	0.9
St. Joseph.....	59.8	60.4	59.6	60.3	0.7	1.2
St. Louis ²	1,359.6	1,384.5	1,359.6	1,384.2	24.6	1.8
Springfield.....	218.1	222.6	216.4	220.8	4.4	2.0
Montana.....	499.8	516.8	501.5	515.1	13.6	2.7
Billings.....	88.0	90.6	87.9	91.0	3.1	3.5
Great Falls.....	34.9	35.6	35.0	35.8	0.8	2.3
Missoula.....	62.8	65.9	63.1	66.1	3.0	4.8
Nebraska.....	1,013.8	1,032.2	1,012.6	1,029.1	16.5	1.6

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Table 3. Employees on nonfarm payrolls by state and metropolitan area, not seasonally adjusted — Continued
[In thousands]

State and area	July		August		August 2021 to August 2022 ^P	
	2021	2022	2021	2022 ^P	Level change	Percent change
Nebraska - Continued						
Grand Island.....	41.5	41.2	41.9	40.8	-1.1	-2.6
Lincoln.....	186.1	188.5	186.6	189.4	2.8	1.5
Omaha-Council Bluffs.....	494.8	502.3	493.5	502.8	9.3	1.9
Nevada.....	1,381.6	1,457.4	1,394.0	1,457.8	63.8	4.6
Carson City.....	30.4	31.6	30.5	31.6	1.1	3.6
Las Vegas-Henderson-Paradise.....	997.7	1,060.8	1,008.6	1,060.7	52.1	5.2
Reno.....	247.1	257.1	247.8	257.7	9.9	4.0
New Hampshire.....	671.0	688.6	670.4	686.8	16.4	2.4
Dover-Durham.....	51.4	52.2	51.1	52.1	1.0	2.0
Manchester.....	108.7	112.5	108.7	112.4	3.7	3.4
Portsmouth.....	94.9	93.7	94.8	93.2	-1.6	-1.7
New Jersey.....	4,057.6	4,262.8	4,042.8	4,262.9	220.1	5.4
Atlantic City-Hammonton.....	125.2	139.6	125.2	137.9	12.7	10.1
Ocean City.....	55.8	57.5	54.3	56.7	2.4	4.4
Trenton.....	274.2	281.1	273.7	283.0	9.3	3.4
Vineland-Bridgeton.....	57.6	58.3	56.9	58.9	2.0	3.5
New Mexico.....	813.1	845.1	823.2	851.6	28.4	3.4
Albuquerque.....	384.7	396.9	388.0	397.6	9.6	2.5
Farmington.....	42.9	43.4	43.3	45.9	2.6	6.0
Las Cruces.....	70.2	73.1	72.8	73.8	1.0	1.4
Santa Fe.....	60.2	61.7	61.1	62.0	0.9	1.5
New York.....	9,088.7	9,528.4	9,068.5	9,510.0	441.5	4.9
Albany-Schenectady-Troy.....	442.5	454.5	442.5	453.9	11.4	2.6
Binghamton.....	93.5	97.1	94.2	96.9	2.7	2.9
Buffalo-Cheektowaga-Niagara Falls.....	521.3	538.1	520.6	540.9	20.3	3.9
Elmira.....	34.1	34.9	34.3	34.6	0.3	0.9
Glens Falls.....	54.9	54.4	54.4	54.1	-0.3	-0.6
Ithaca.....	57.9	60.1	57.5	60.4	2.9	5.0
Kingston.....	57.8	58.9	57.0	58.8	1.8	3.2
New York-Newark-Jersey City.....	9,335.6	9,832.6	9,313.9	9,811.7	497.8	5.3
Rochester.....	500.1	513.2	500.1	512.7	12.6	2.5
Syracuse.....	299.8	308.7	300.1	308.9	8.8	2.9
Utica-Rome.....	120.5	122.5	120.8	122.1	1.3	1.1
Watertown-Fort Drum.....	40.7	41.6	40.5	41.6	1.1	2.7
North Carolina.....	4,570.8	4,742.4	4,615.5	4,790.4	174.9	3.8
Asheville.....	192.6	198.9	194.4	199.8	5.4	2.8
Burlington.....	63.1	64.4	63.6	65.3	1.7	2.7
Charlotte-Concord-Gastonia.....	1,240.9	1,302.0	1,248.0	1,312.8	64.8	5.2
Durham-Chapel Hill.....	332.6	345.8	334.8	346.9	12.1	3.6
Fayetteville.....	126.6	130.9	128.5	132.6	4.1	3.2
Goldensboro.....	39.9	40.5	40.4	41.1	0.7	1.7
Greensboro-High Point.....	346.3	357.5	355.7	364.8	9.1	2.6
Greenville.....	78.0	79.1	78.9	80.3	1.4	1.8
Hickory-Lenoir-Morganton.....	149.9	154.2	150.7	156.2	5.5	3.6
Jacksonville.....	49.1	50.8	51.3	53.0	1.7	3.3
New Bern.....	44.8	45.2	44.9	45.5	0.6	1.3
Raleigh.....	666.3	694.2	668.8	699.3	30.5	4.6
Rocky Mount.....	53.9	53.5	54.3	53.8	-0.5	-0.9
Wilmington.....	133.9	138.0	135.7	139.7	4.0	2.9
Winston-Salem.....	264.8	270.3	267.0	271.9	4.9	1.8
North Dakota.....	417.7	430.3	417.7	430.7	13.0	3.1
Bismarck.....	72.6	73.9	71.9	73.6	1.7	2.4
Fargo.....	141.6	145.4	143.2	147.4	4.2	2.9
Grand Forks.....	50.6	52.3	51.1	53.0	1.9	3.7
Ohio.....	5,429.0	5,511.7	5,425.8	5,513.3	87.5	1.6
Akron.....	322.5	323.2	322.2	323.2	1.0	0.3
Canton-Massillon.....	167.0	169.3	166.9	168.6	1.7	1.0
Cincinnati.....	1,099.9	1,103.4	1,102.4	1,103.8	1.4	0.1

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Table 3. Employees on nonfarm payrolls by state and metropolitan area, not seasonally adjusted — Continued
[In thousands]

State and area	July		August		August 2021 to August 2022 ^P	
	2021	2022	2021	2022 ^P	Level change	Percent change
Ohio - Continued						
Cleveland-Elyria.....	1,043.4	1,066.9	1,040.5	1,063.4	22.9	2.2
Columbus.....	1,109.8	1,126.2	1,108.8	1,123.6	14.8	1.3
Dayton.....	376.0	381.7	376.8	383.0	6.2	1.6
Lima.....	51.0	51.4	51.0	51.3	0.3	0.6
Mansfield.....	50.1	50.7	49.9	50.5	0.6	1.2
Springfield.....	47.7	48.1	48.1	48.1	0.0	0.0
Toledo.....	290.1	306.9	292.1	306.7	14.6	5.0
Weirton-Steubenville ¹	39.1	39.2	39.2	39.4	0.2	0.5
Youngstown-Warren-Boardman.....	203.0	206.7	203.6	205.5	1.9	0.9
Oklahoma.....	1,629.8	1,681.3	1,634.2	1,684.0	49.8	3.0
Enid.....	24.0	24.4	23.9	24.5	0.6	2.5
Lawton.....	42.6	43.0	42.9	43.2	0.3	0.7
Oklahoma City.....	638.2	666.4	639.8	668.7	28.9	4.5
Tulsa.....	438.2	458.1	439.4	459.6	20.2	4.6
Oregon.....	1,890.6	1,968.0	1,889.2	1,979.0	89.8	4.8
Albany.....	45.6	47.0	45.9	47.2	1.3	2.8
Bend-Redmond.....	89.3	91.5	89.4	91.9	2.5	2.8
Corvallis.....	39.0	41.0	39.5	41.1	1.6	4.1
Eugene.....	155.2	158.7	155.5	158.7	3.2	2.1
Grants Pass.....	27.0	27.6	26.7	27.7	1.0	3.7
Medford.....	88.5	89.2	88.5	90.4	1.9	2.1
Portland-Vancouver-Hillsboro.....	1,179.4	1,244.0	1,180.1	1,247.6	67.5	5.7
Salem.....	169.9	172.8	170.1	172.9	2.8	1.6
Pennsylvania.....	5,765.1	5,982.4	5,763.9	5,966.3	202.4	3.5
Allentown-Bethlehem-Easton.....	369.1	387.5	368.7	387.1	18.4	5.0
Altoona.....	59.3	60.5	59.1	60.7	1.6	2.7
Bloomsburg-Berwick.....	41.0	41.1	41.1	41.0	-0.1	-0.2
Chambersburg-Waynesboro.....	59.5	60.9	59.5	60.8	1.3	2.2
East Stroudsburg.....	56.7	57.3	56.6	57.4	0.8	1.4
Erie.....	120.5	123.2	120.6	123.1	2.5	2.1
Gettysburg.....	33.3	33.8	33.1	33.8	0.7	2.1
Harrisburg-Carlisle.....	341.5	360.6	342.3	360.6	18.3	5.3
Johnstown.....	49.6	49.8	49.2	50.0	0.8	1.6
Lancaster.....	251.5	256.3	251.9	256.8	4.9	1.9
Lebanon.....	52.4	53.7	52.5	53.7	1.2	2.3
Philadelphia-Camden-Wilmington.....	2,861.1	2,981.4	2,858.4	2,981.2	122.8	4.3
Pittsburgh.....	1,123.3	1,152.5	1,118.5	1,150.5	32.0	2.9
Reading.....	169.8	172.9	169.3	173.5	4.2	2.5
Scranton--Wilkes-Barre--Hazleton.....	247.9	258.5	248.2	259.0	10.8	4.4
State College.....	71.0	72.2	72.9	73.8	0.9	1.2
Williamsport.....	49.6	49.7	49.4	49.9	0.5	1.0
York-Hanover.....	180.6	187.2	181.0	187.3	6.3	3.5
Rhode Island.....	486.3	501.9	484.6	503.8	19.2	4.0
Providence-Warwick.....	579.0	598.9	577.4	601.5	24.1	4.2
South Carolina.....	2,157.9	2,233.4	2,162.9	2,243.0	80.1	3.7
Charleston-North Charleston.....	375.8	393.6	376.8	395.1	18.3	4.9
Columbia.....	393.5	400.2	394.2	402.8	8.6	2.2
Florence.....	89.7	89.9	90.5	89.8	-0.7	-0.8
Greenville-Anderson-Mauldin.....	425.4	438.9	427.1	441.3	14.2	3.3
Hilton Head Island-Bluffton-Beaufort.....	84.4	86.3	83.9	86.0	2.1	2.5
Myrtle Beach-Conway-North Myrtle Beach.....	181.1	186.7	179.4	185.3	5.9	3.3
Spartanburg.....	161.4	167.1	163.3	168.4	5.1	3.1
Sumter.....	38.5	38.0	38.2	37.6	-0.6	-1.6
South Dakota.....	446.7	457.2	447.5	459.5	12.0	2.7
Rapid City.....	72.9	74.2	73.9	76.7	2.8	3.8
Sioux Falls.....	164.1	170.0	164.0	170.6	6.6	4.0
Tennessee.....	3,096.9	3,219.3	3,123.2	3,237.2	114.0	3.7
Chattanooga.....	265.1	269.4	265.5	270.5	5.0	1.9

See footnotes at end of table.

**ESTABLISHMENT DATA
NOT SEASONALLY ADJUSTED**

Table 3. Employees on nonfarm payrolls by state and metropolitan area, not seasonally adjusted — Continued
[In thousands]

State and area	July		August		August 2021 to August 2022 ^P	
	2021	2022	2021	2022 ^P	Level change	Percent change
Tennessee - Continued						
Clarksville.....	92.3	95.4	93.4	95.8	2.4	2.6
Cleveland.....	46.3	47.2	46.6	47.2	0.6	1.3
Jackson.....	69.3	70.9	68.9	70.4	1.5	2.2
Johnson City.....	81.3	84.0	82.0	84.5	2.5	3.0
Kingsport-Bristol-Bristol.....	116.1	119.3	117.5	121.0	3.5	3.0
Knoxville.....	408.4	426.9	411.1	428.1	17.0	4.1
Memphis.....	640.7	665.0	647.8	667.0	19.2	3.0
Morristown.....	47.2	48.3	46.9	48.3	1.4	3.0
Nashville-Davidson--Murfreesboro--Franklin.....	1,051.3	1,108.9	1,064.4	1,116.7	52.3	4.9
Texas.....						
Abilene.....	12,726.5	13,476.3	12,759.2	13,469.5	710.3	5.6
Amarillo.....	71.7	73.7	71.3	73.7	2.4	3.4
Amarillo.....	120.9	123.5	121.5	124.1	2.6	2.1
Austin-Round Rock.....	1,175.1	1,244.4	1,178.0	1,240.9	62.9	5.3
Beaumont-Port Arthur.....	150.3	156.9	150.9	157.6	6.7	4.4
Brownsville-Harlingen.....	147.7	152.8	148.7	153.4	4.7	3.2
College Station-Bryan.....	121.0	124.4	120.7	123.3	2.6	2.2
Corpus Christi.....	184.7	190.9	184.4	189.7	5.3	2.9
Dallas-Fort Worth-Arlington.....	3,847.6	4,127.5	3,865.0	4,125.7	260.7	6.7
El Paso.....	317.8	326.7	319.7	326.7	7.0	2.2
Houston-The Woodlands-Sugar Land.....	3,078.1	3,267.7	3,081.2	3,273.1	191.9	6.2
Killeen-Temple.....	145.9	150.6	146.2	151.0	4.8	3.3
Laredo.....	103.5	107.7	104.0	108.1	4.1	3.9
Longview.....	93.7	97.8	94.3	97.8	3.5	3.7
Lubbock.....	148.4	156.0	149.3	156.0	6.7	4.5
McAllen-Edinburg-Mission.....	271.7	282.7	272.4	282.9	10.5	3.9
Midland.....	102.3	106.7	102.7	107.1	4.4	4.3
Odessa.....	70.5	74.8	70.9	74.4	3.5	4.9
San Angelo.....	48.0	49.5	48.3	49.4	1.1	2.3
San Antonio-New Braunfels.....	1,066.0	1,113.5	1,064.4	1,111.1	46.7	4.4
Sherman-Denison.....	49.2	50.9	49.4	50.9	1.5	3.0
Texarkana.....	58.5	60.5	58.7	60.5	1.8	3.1
Tyler.....	108.3	111.1	108.2	111.5	3.3	3.0
Victoria.....	37.9	39.0	38.1	39.2	1.1	2.9
Waco.....	124.5	131.0	125.3	130.7	5.4	4.3
Wichita Falls.....	57.6	59.3	57.3	58.9	1.6	2.8
Utah.....						
Logan.....	1,607.7	1,665.0	1,618.8	1,673.2	54.4	3.4
Logan.....	66.4	68.4	66.5	68.7	2.2	3.3
Ogden-Clearfield.....	276.8	285.0	277.5	285.6	8.1	2.9
Provo-Orem.....	286.0	300.5	290.2	303.4	13.2	4.5
St. George.....	75.2	77.7	76.9	80.0	3.1	4.0
Salt Lake City.....	769.8	794.1	774.1	795.5	21.4	2.8
Vermont.....						
Burlington-South Burlington.....	295.5	302.9	294.9	302.3	7.4	2.5
Burlington-South Burlington.....	118.7	121.1	118.4	121.3	2.9	2.4
Virginia.....						
Blacksburg-Christiansburg-Radford.....	3,958.2	4,070.3	3,967.4	4,082.1	114.7	2.9
Blacksburg-Christiansburg-Radford.....	75.5	77.9	76.6	80.2	3.6	4.7
Charlottesville.....	115.3	117.6	115.4	117.7	2.3	2.0
Harrisonburg.....	66.8	68.3	67.1	68.3	1.2	1.8
Lynchburg.....	101.5	104.0	101.8	104.8	3.0	2.9
Richmond.....	673.7	683.3	673.1	682.4	9.3	1.4
Roanoke.....	157.3	159.2	158.4	159.1	0.7	0.4
Staunton-Waynesboro.....	49.8	51.1	49.7	51.6	1.9	3.8
Virginia Beach-Norfolk-Newport News.....	777.8	789.6	776.1	792.6	16.5	2.1
Winchester.....	66.8	68.2	66.7	68.2	1.5	2.2
Washington.....						
Bellingham.....	3,393.2	3,533.9	3,399.0	3,536.9	137.9	4.1
Bellingham.....	90.1	94.4	89.7	93.0	3.3	3.7
Bremerton-Silverdale.....	92.6	94.7	92.3	93.5	1.2	1.3
Kennewick-Richland.....	119.8	123.9	118.8	123.6	4.8	4.0
Longview.....	40.6	42.1	40.6	42.1	1.5	3.7
Mount Vernon-Anacortes.....	50.1	51.4	50.2	51.3	1.1	2.2

See footnotes at end of table.

**ESTABLISHMENT DATA
NOT SEASONALLY ADJUSTED**

Table 3. Employees on nonfarm payrolls by state and metropolitan area, not seasonally adjusted — Continued
[In thousands]

State and area	July		August		August 2021 to August 2022 ^p	
	2021	2022	2021	2022 ^p	Level change	Percent change
Washington - Continued						
Olympia-Tumwater.....	119.0	123.2	119.7	123.1	3.4	2.8
Seattle-Tacoma-Bellevue.....	2,021.5	2,122.0	2,027.3	2,124.9	97.6	4.8
Spokane-Spokane Valley.....	255.9	265.6	255.8	263.4	7.6	3.0
Walla Walla.....	29.4	29.9	29.4	29.4	0.0	0.0
Wenatchee.....	47.3	48.8	47.4	48.4	1.0	2.1
Yakima.....	85.9	89.0	85.4	88.1	2.7	3.2
West Virginia.....	686.6	704.0	688.6	706.8	18.2	2.6
Beckley.....	42.9	43.9	42.9	43.9	1.0	2.3
Charleston.....	104.0	104.6	103.8	104.5	0.7	0.7
Huntington-Ashland.....	127.5	129.2	129.3	129.2	-0.1	-0.1
Morgantown.....	68.4	69.8	69.4	71.4	2.0	2.9
Parkersburg-Vienna.....	37.0	37.9	36.9	37.9	1.0	2.7
Wheeling.....	59.9	60.5	59.6	60.2	0.6	1.0
Wisconsin.....	2,928.0	2,974.5	2,916.1	2,968.1	52.0	1.8
Appleton.....	125.7	127.4	125.4	127.6	2.2	1.8
Eau Claire.....	86.1	86.4	85.3	86.8	1.5	1.8
Fond du Lac.....	47.4	48.4	47.6	48.0	0.4	0.8
Green Bay.....	175.2	177.5	175.6	177.2	1.6	0.9
Janesville-Beloit.....	68.9	69.3	68.5	69.3	0.8	1.2
La Crosse-Onalaska.....	76.2	75.8	76.0	75.6	-0.4	-0.5
Madison.....	407.4	409.6	405.2	405.9	0.7	0.2
Milwaukee-Waukesha-West Allis.....	841.9	850.7	841.2	853.0	11.8	1.4
Oshkosh-Neenah.....	95.3	95.3	94.3	95.1	0.8	0.8
Racine.....	76.8	76.0	76.4	76.0	-0.4	-0.5
Sheboygan.....	62.1	62.5	61.5	62.3	0.8	1.3
Wausau.....	72.3	73.2	72.0	72.8	0.8	1.1
Wyoming.....	284.5	291.5	284.0	292.1	8.1	2.9
Casper.....	37.9	38.2	37.6	38.0	0.4	1.1
Cheyenne.....	47.7	48.5	47.7	48.3	0.6	1.3
Puerto Rico.....	871.2	910.8	873.8	920.8	47.0	5.4
Aguadilla-Isabela.....	51.9	53.7	52.3	54.7	2.4	4.6
Arecibo.....	34.5	35.9	35.1	36.4	1.3	3.7
Guayama.....	13.9	14.6	14.3	14.8	0.5	3.5
Mayaguez.....	31.6	32.7	31.7	33.0	1.3	4.1
Ponce.....	67.7	71.3	68.1	72.7	4.6	6.8
San German.....	20.0	21.0	20.0	21.4	1.4	7.0
San Juan-Carolina-Caguas.....	630.5	660.8	632.2	667.6	35.4	5.6
Virgin Islands.....	35.1	36.1	34.6	35.5	0.9	2.6

¹ For operational reasons, these interstate areas are listed under the state that accounts for the larger share of the population, which is different from the state that contains the first principal city.

² Area boundary does not reflect official OMB delineation.

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NOTE: Data are counts of jobs by place of work. Estimates subsequent to the current benchmark are preliminary and will be revised when new information becomes available. Area delineations are based on Office of Management and Budget Bulletin No. 18-03, dated April 10, 2018, and are available on the BLS website at <https://www.bls.gov/lau/lausmsa.htm>. Areas in the six New England states are Metropolitan New England City and Town Areas (NECTAs), while areas in other states are county-based. Some metropolitan areas lie in two or more states. They are listed under the state containing the first principal city, unless otherwise footnoted. Estimates for the latest month are subject to revision the following month.

**ESTABLISHMENT DATA
NOT SEASONALLY ADJUSTED**

Table 4. Employees on nonfarm payrolls by state, selected metropolitan area, and metropolitan division, not seasonally adjusted¹
[In thousands]

State, area, and division	July		August		August 2021 to August 2022 ^p	
	2021	2022	2021	2022 ^p	Level change	Percent change
California.....	16,788.0	17,523.4	16,918.8	17,579.0	660.2	3.9
Los Angeles-Long Beach-Anaheim.....	5,908.1	6,153.7	5,959.8	6,157.0	197.2	3.3
Anaheim-Santa Ana-Irvine.....	1,590.6	1,660.8	1,598.2	1,656.1	57.9	3.6
Los Angeles-Long Beach-Glendale.....	4,317.5	4,492.9	4,361.6	4,500.9	139.3	3.2
San Francisco-Oakland-Hayward.....	2,346.6	2,465.2	2,356.1	2,465.3	109.2	4.6
Oakland-Hayward-Berkeley.....	1,134.1	1,174.3	1,136.6	1,176.7	40.1	3.5
San Francisco-Redwood City-South San Francisco.....	1,104.3	1,182.8	1,112.0	1,181.2	69.2	6.2
San Rafael.....	108.2	108.1	107.5	107.4	-0.1	-0.1
District of Columbia.....	756.2	779.4	744.4	763.5	19.1	2.6
Washington-Arlington-Alexandria ²	3,240.7	3,313.4	3,234.8	3,308.6	73.8	2.3
Silver Spring-Frederick-Rockville ³	581.5	595.9	582.0	594.8	12.8	2.2
Washington-Arlington-Alexandria ²	2,659.2	2,717.5	2,652.8	2,713.8	61.0	2.3
Florida.....	8,865.3	9,313.4	8,948.4	9,408.9	460.5	5.1
Miami-Fort Lauderdale-West Palm Beach.....	2,646.4	2,783.9	2,671.7	2,822.7	151.0	5.7
Fort Lauderdale-Pompano Beach-Deerfield Beach.....	840.9	873.6	847.8	887.0	39.2	4.6
Miami-Miami Beach-Kendall.....	1,173.2	1,250.3	1,186.9	1,267.3	80.4	6.8
West Palm Beach-Boca Raton-Delray Beach.....	632.3	660.0	637.0	668.4	31.4	4.9
Illinois.....	5,842.3	6,083.0	5,845.2	6,078.3	233.1	4.0
Chicago-Naperville-Elgin ²	4,557.4	4,759.0	4,555.1	4,756.3	201.2	4.4
Chicago-Naperville-Arlington Heights.....	3,634.9	3,809.4	3,632.9	3,805.5	172.6	4.8
Elgin.....	245.0	253.0	245.4	253.3	7.9	3.2
Gary.....	262.4	267.5	264.2	270.4	6.2	2.3
Lake County-Kenosha County ²	415.1	429.1	412.6	427.1	14.5	3.5
Massachusetts.....	3,581.7	3,732.6	3,575.6	3,722.4	146.8	4.1
Boston-Cambridge-Nashua ²	2,693.1	2,819.8	2,689.8	2,816.8	127.0	4.7
Boston-Cambridge-Newton.....	1,827.9	1,932.2	1,826.5	1,928.4	101.9	5.6
Brockton-Bridgewater-Easton.....	76.3	77.1	76.6	77.4	0.8	1.0
Framingham.....	163.7	168.4	162.2	167.9	5.7	3.5
Haverhill-Newburyport-Amesbury Town ²	67.0	68.2	67.2	68.6	1.4	2.1
Lawrence-Methuen Town-Salem ²	80.8	83.4	80.5	84.3	3.8	4.7
Lowell-Billerica-Chelmsford ²	157.3	162.9	156.6	162.1	5.5	3.5
Lynn-Saugus-Marblehead.....	43.6	44.5	43.5	44.6	1.1	2.5
Nashua ²	127.3	131.4	127.8	132.0	4.2	3.3
Peabody-Salem-Beverly.....	89.8	90.3	89.7	90.3	0.6	0.7
Taunton-Middleborough-Norton.....	59.4	61.4	59.2	61.2	2.0	3.4
Michigan.....	4,208.0	4,358.3	4,227.5	4,366.8	139.3	3.3
Detroit-Warren-Dearborn.....	1,921.4	2,019.3	1,942.4	2,020.1	77.7	4.0
Detroit-Dearborn-Livonia.....	721.6	759.5	730.4	761.3	30.9	4.2
Warren-Troy-Farmington Hills.....	1,199.8	1,259.8	1,212.0	1,258.8	46.8	3.9
New York.....	9,088.7	9,528.4	9,068.5	9,510.0	441.5	4.9
New York-Newark-Jersey City ²	9,335.6	9,832.6	9,313.9	9,811.7	497.8	5.3
Dutchess County-Putnam County.....	137.7	141.0	137.1	140.8	3.7	2.7
Nassau County-Suffolk County.....	1,292.8	1,327.6	1,285.5	1,317.0	31.5	2.5
Newark ³	1,172.9	1,239.9	1,167.9	1,243.7	75.8	6.5
New York-Jersey City-White Plains ²	6,732.2	7,124.1	6,723.4	7,110.2	386.8	5.8
Pennsylvania.....	5,765.1	5,982.4	5,763.9	5,966.3	202.4	3.5
Philadelphia-Camden-Wilmington ²	2,861.1	2,981.4	2,858.4	2,981.2	122.8	4.3
Camden ³	533.2	570.0	532.5	572.2	39.7	7.5
Montgomery County-Bucks County-Chester County.....	1,062.3	1,094.2	1,058.5	1,093.5	35.0	3.3
Philadelphia.....	913.8	955.6	918.0	955.3	37.3	4.1
Wilmington ³	351.8	361.6	349.4	360.2	10.8	3.1
Texas.....	12,726.5	13,476.3	12,759.2	13,469.5	710.3	5.6
Dallas-Fort Worth-Arlington.....	3,847.6	4,127.5	3,865.0	4,125.7	260.7	6.7
Dallas-Plano-Irving.....	2,756.7	2,970.0	2,770.2	2,967.7	197.5	7.1
Fort Worth-Arlington.....	1,090.9	1,157.5	1,094.8	1,158.0	63.2	5.8
Washington.....	3,393.2	3,533.9	3,399.0	3,536.9	137.9	4.1
Seattle-Tacoma-Bellevue.....	2,021.5	2,122.0	2,027.3	2,124.9	97.6	4.8
Seattle-Bellevue-Everett.....	1,698.7	1,795.0	1,705.6	1,796.7	91.1	5.3
Tacoma-Lakewood.....	322.8	327.0	321.7	328.2	6.5	2.0

¹ These 11 areas contain all of the 38 metropolitan divisions.

² Part of the area (or division) is in one or more adjacent states.

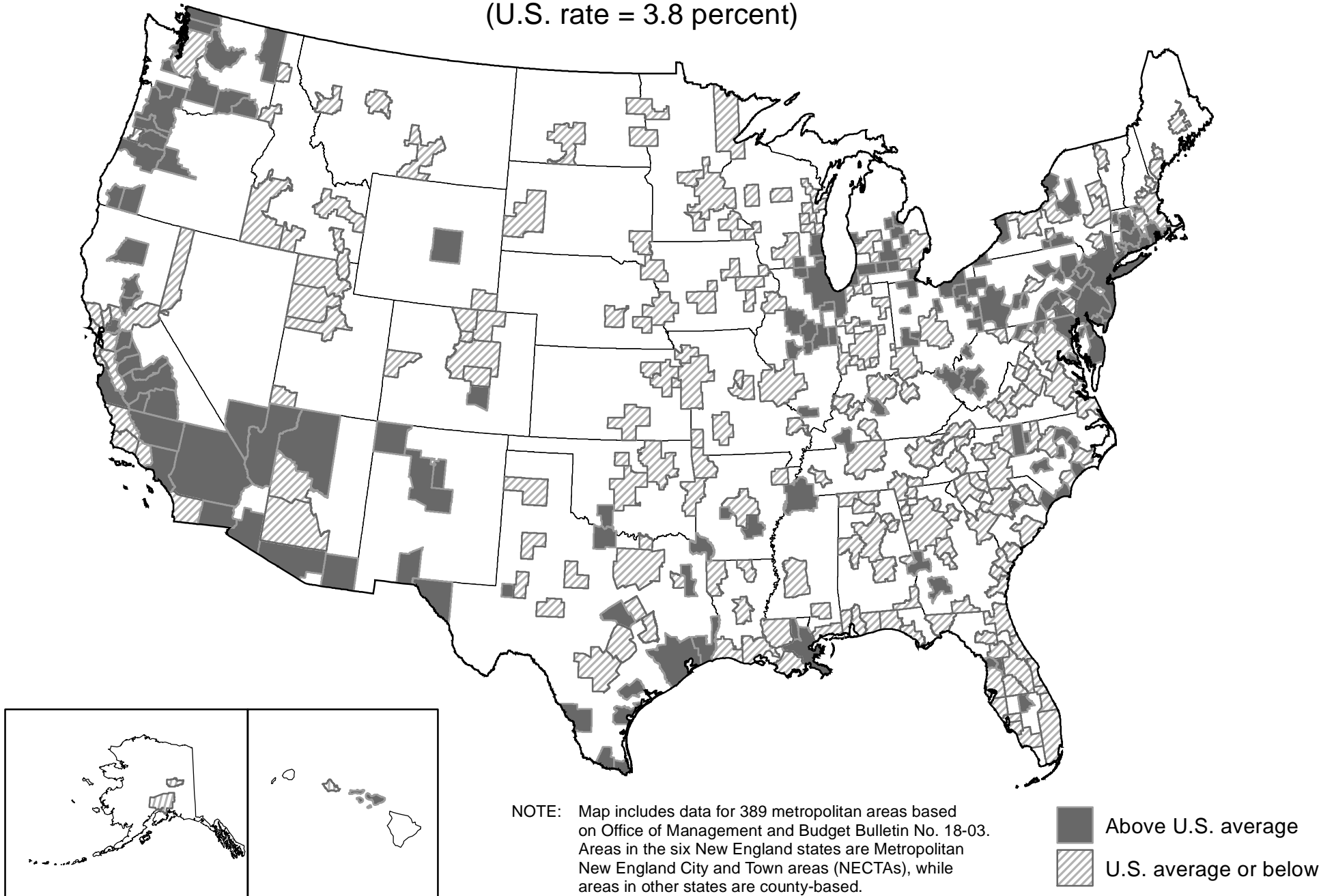
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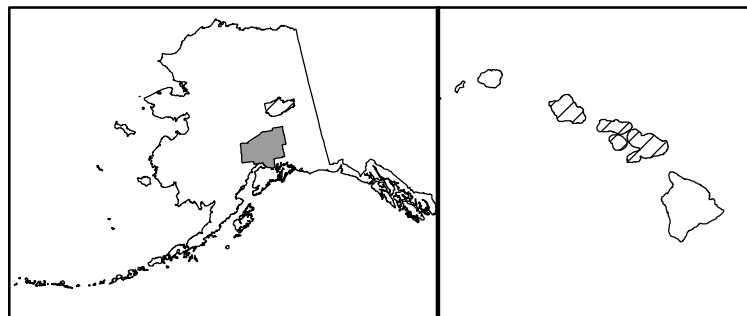
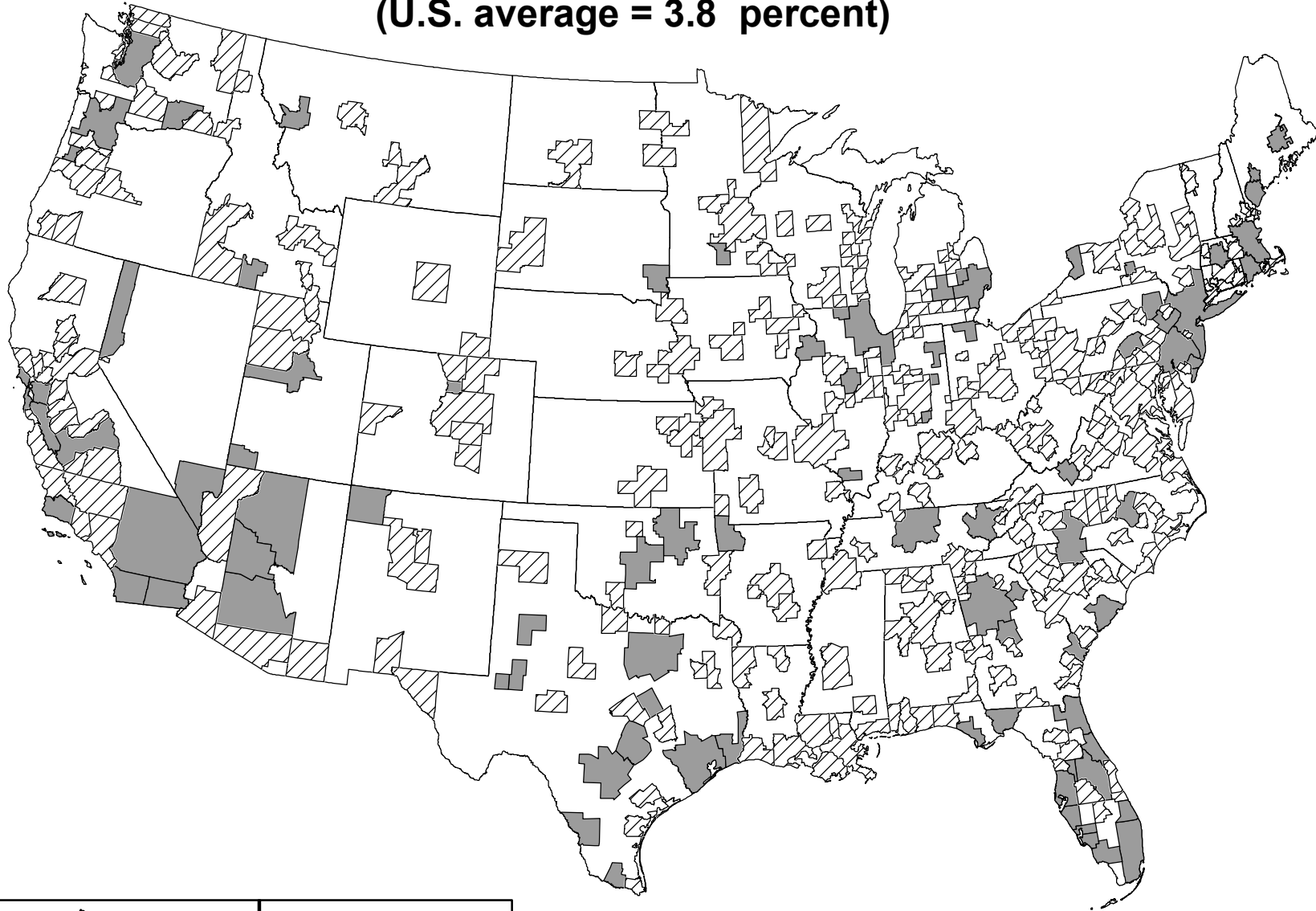
NOTE: Data are counts of jobs by place of work. Estimates subsequent to the current benchmark are preliminary and will be revised when new information becomes available. Area definitions are based on Office of Management and Budget Bulletin No. 18-03, dated April 10, 2018, and available at <https://www.bls.gov/lau/lausmsa.htm>. Areas in the six New England states are Metropolitan New England City and Town Areas (NECTAs), while areas in other states are county-based. Some metropolitan areas lie in two or more states. They are listed under the state containing the first principal city. Metropolitan divisions are listed under their metropolitan areas. Some divisions lie in more than one state, and some, like Camden, NJ, are totally outside the states under which their metropolitan areas are listed. For Washington-Arlington-Alexandria, DC-VA-MD-WV, the metropolitan area and division titles are identical. Estimates for the latest month are subject to revision the following month.

Map 1. Unemployment rates for metropolitan areas, not seasonally adjusted, August 2022

(U.S. rate = 3.8 percent)



Map 2. Over-the-year percentage change in employment, by metropolitan area, not seasonally adjusted, August 2022 (U.S. average = 3.8 percent)



NOTE: Map includes data for 389 metropolitan areas based on Office of Management and Budget Bulletin No. 18-03. Areas in the six New England states are Metropolitan New England City and Town areas (NECTAs), while areas in other states are county based.

