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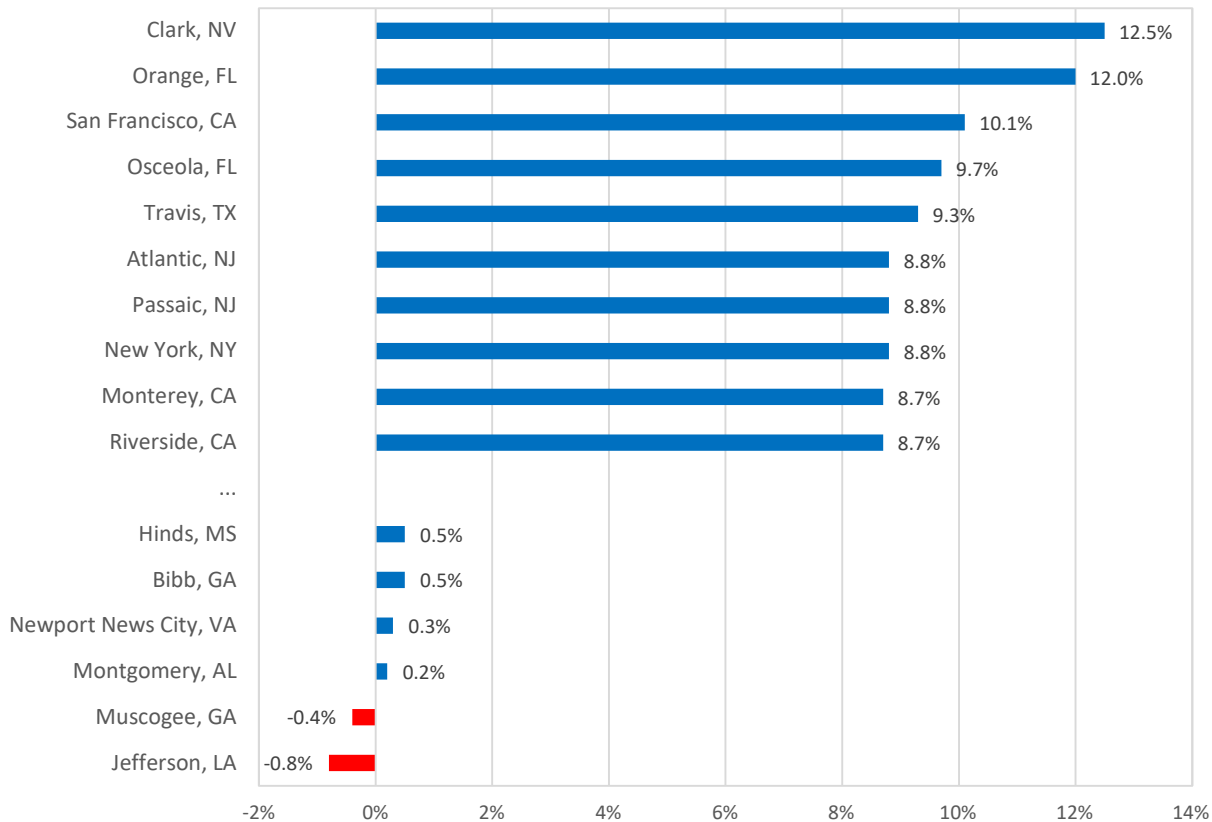
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## COUNTY EMPLOYMENT AND WAGES – FIRST QUARTER 2022

From March 2021 to March 2022, **employment** increased in 349 of the 355 largest U.S. counties, the U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics reported today. In March 2022, national employment increased to 147.6 million, a 5.0-percent increase over the year, as measured by the Quarterly Census of Employment and Wages (QCEW) program. Clark, NV, had the largest over-the-year increase in employment, with a gain of 12.5 percent. Employment data in this release are presented for March 2022, and average weekly wage data are presented for first quarter 2022.

Among the 355 largest counties, 348 had over-the-year increases in **average weekly wages**. In the first quarter of 2022, average weekly wages for the nation increased to \$1,374, a 6.7-percent increase over the year. Peoria, IL, had the largest first quarter over-the-year wage gain at 25.8 percent. (See table 1.)

**Chart 1. Percent change in employment, March 2021 to March 2022, by largest and smallest gains and losses**



## Large County Employment in March 2022

Clark, NV, had the largest over-the-year percentage increase in employment (+12.5 percent). Within Clark, the largest employment increase occurred in leisure and hospitality, which gained 59,159 jobs over the year (+28.6 percent).

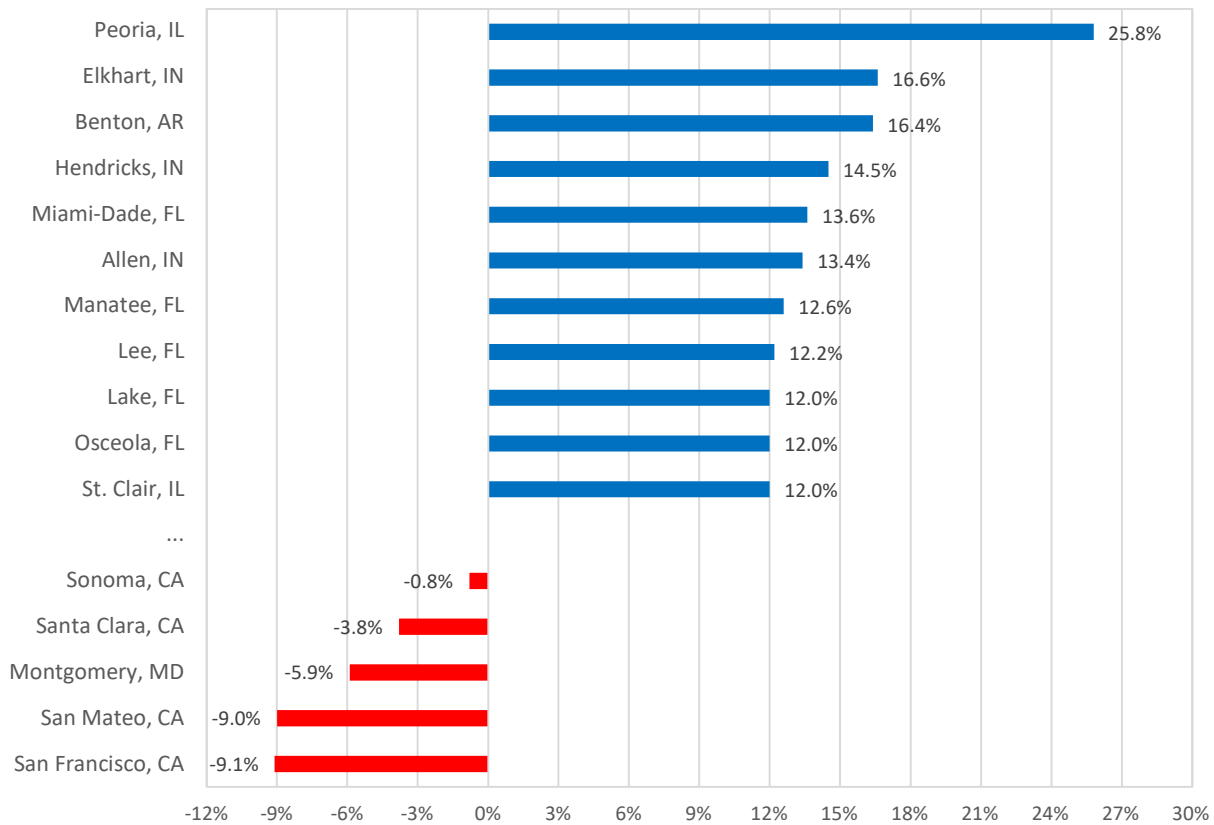
Jefferson, LA, experienced the largest over-the-year percentage decrease in employment, with a loss of 0.8 percent. Within Jefferson, education and health services had the largest employment decrease, with a loss of 1,893 jobs (-5.4 percent).

## Large County Average Weekly Wage in First Quarter 2022

Peoria, IL, had the largest over-the-year percentage increase in average weekly wages (+25.8 percent). Within Peoria, an average weekly wage gain of \$1,157 (+43.2 percent) in manufacturing made the largest contribution to the county's increase in average weekly wages.

San Francisco, CA, had the largest over-the-year percentage decrease in average weekly wages, with a loss of 9.1 percent. Within San Francisco, leisure and hospitality had the largest impact, with an average weekly wage increase of \$41 (+4.7 percent) over the year.

**Chart 2. Percent change in average weekly wage, first quarter 2021 to first quarter 2022, by largest gains and losses**



## **Ten Largest Counties**

All of the 10 largest counties had over-the-year percentage increases in employment. In March 2022, New York, NY, had the largest over-the-year employment percentage gain (+8.8 percent). Within New York, leisure and hospitality had the largest employment increase, with a gain of 92,700 jobs (+68.1 percent). (See table 2.)

All of the 10 largest counties had over-the-year percentage increases in average weekly wages. In first quarter 2022, Miami-Dade, FL, experienced the largest over-the-year percentage gain in average weekly wages (+13.6 percent). Within Miami-Dade, trade, transportation, and utilities had the largest impact, with an average weekly wage increase of \$172 (+15.9 percent) over the year.

## **For More Information**

The tables and charts included in this release contain data for the nation and for the 355 U.S. counties with annual average employment levels of 75,000 or more in 2021. March 2022 employment and first quarter 2022 average weekly wages for all states are provided in table 3 of this release.

The QCEW Technical Note is available at [www.bls.gov/cew/news-release-technical-note.htm](http://www.bls.gov/cew/news-release-technical-note.htm).

QCEW response rate tables are available at [www.bls.gov/cew/response-rates/](http://www.bls.gov/cew/response-rates/).

The most current news release on quarterly measures of gross job flows is available from QCEW Business Employment Dynamics at [www.bls.gov/news.release/pdf/cewbd.pdf](http://www.bls.gov/news.release/pdf/cewbd.pdf).

Several BLS regional offices issue QCEW news releases targeted to local data users. Links to these releases are available at [www.bls.gov/cew/regional-resources.htm](http://www.bls.gov/cew/regional-resources.htm).

QCEW data are available in the Census Business Builder suite of web tools assisting business owners and regional analysts in data-driven decision making at [www.census.gov/data/data-tools/cbb.html](http://www.census.gov/data/data-tools/cbb.html).

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**The County Employment and Wages full data update for first quarter 2022 is scheduled to be released on Wednesday, September 7, 2022, at 10:00 a.m. (ET).**

**The County Employment and Wages news release for second quarter 2022 is scheduled to be released on Tuesday, November 22, 2022, at 10:00 a.m. (ET).**

### **County Changes for the 2022 County Employment and Wages News Releases**

Counties with annual average employment of 75,000 or more in 2021 are included in this release and will be included in future 2022 releases. Twelve counties have been added to the publication tables: Baldwin, AL; Bay, FL; Forsyth, GA; Canyon, ID; Hendricks, IN; Cabarrus, NC; Iredell, NC; Pitt, NC; Greene, OH; Hays, TX; Potter, TX; and Washington, UT. No counties were dropped from the publication tables.

### **Industry Changes to QCEW Data**

Beginning with the full release of first quarter 2022 data on September 7, 2022, the QCEW program will use the 2022 version of the North American Industry Classification System (NAICS) as the basis for the publication of economic data by industry.

For more information on the change to NAICS, please see the Federal Register notice at [www.census.gov/naics/federal\\_register\\_notices/notices/fr21dc21.pdf](http://www.census.gov/naics/federal_register_notices/notices/fr21dc21.pdf).

For information on the use of the 2022 version of NAICS in QCEW, please see [www.bls.gov/cew/classifications/industry/naics-2022.htm](http://www.bls.gov/cew/classifications/industry/naics-2022.htm).

**Table 1. Covered establishments, employment, and wages in the 356 largest counties, first quarter 2022**

County <sup>1</sup>	Establishments, first quarter 2022 (thousands)	Employment			Average weekly wage <sup>2</sup>		
		March 2022 (thousands)	Percent change, March 2021-22 <sup>3</sup>	Ranking by percent change	First quarter 2022	Percent change, first quarter 2021-22 <sup>3</sup>	Ranking by percent change
United States <sup>4</sup> .....	11,299.0	147,648.4	5.0	-	\$1,374	6.7	-
Baldwin, AL.....	7.4	78.0	4.2	148	841	9.1	68
Jefferson, AL.....	20.8	349.1	1.9	304	1,300	8.2	104
Madison, AL.....	11.5	212.8	2.7	260	1,327	5.9	225
Mobile, AL.....	11.2	172.3	( <sup>5</sup> )	-	1,018	6.5	202
Montgomery, AL.....	6.8	125.7	0.2	349	1,014	6.7	189
Shelby, AL.....	6.6	84.2	2.0	301	1,242	7.3	155
Tuscaloosa, AL.....	4.9	91.9	1.7	314	1,039	9.4	58
Anchorage, AK.....	8.5	139.5	2.4	282	1,251	5.0	263
Maricopa, AZ.....	125.3	2,158.1	4.6	128	1,308	7.3	155
Pima, AZ.....	21.2	378.7	3.7	195	1,061	5.2	255
Benton, AR.....	7.6	131.0	5.0	109	1,913	16.4	3
Pulaski, AR.....	14.5	248.7	3.8	181	1,134	7.1	163
Washington, AR.....	6.6	114.6	4.5	134	1,016	11.3	17
Alameda, CA.....	67.0	787.3	6.9	36	1,828	3.7	301
Butte, CA.....	8.1	79.2	4.9	115	944	2.7	322
Contra Costa, CA.....	35.8	366.2	5.6	80	1,629	0.6	348
Fresno, CA.....	39.0	402.9	7.2	24	982	5.0	263
Kern, CA.....	23.2	322.9	7.1	28	1,029	3.1	317
Los Angeles, CA.....	526.1	4,455.0	7.2	24	1,487	3.4	308
Marin, CA.....	12.6	107.7	5.2	101	1,777	3.0	319
Merced, CA.....	7.1	80.5	7.6	20	920	2.2	333
Monterey, CA.....	14.4	180.1	8.7	9	1,047	1.6	343
Orange, CA.....	135.6	1,614.3	7.2	24	1,510	3.8	297
Placer, CA.....	14.6	181.9	7.0	32	1,302	3.8	297
Riverside, CA.....	72.9	810.5	8.7	9	1,034	4.3	288
Sacramento, CA.....	64.3	693.9	5.8	67	1,409	5.9	225
San Bernardino, CA.....	67.2	829.9	6.5	41	1,053	5.3	250
San Diego, CA.....	121.7	1,495.9	7.9	17	1,484	3.4	308
San Francisco, CA.....	61.2	732.4	10.1	3	3,393	-9.1	354
San Joaquin, CA.....	19.6	277.1	7.7	19	1,032	3.3	315
San Luis Obispo, CA.....	10.9	118.6	5.5	82	1,062	3.4	308
San Mateo, CA.....	29.4	417.9	7.0	32	3,300	-9.0	353
Santa Barbara, CA.....	16.3	214.6	7.1	28	1,195	3.9	295
Santa Clara, CA.....	76.4	1,103.5	6.1	56	3,334	-3.8	351
Santa Cruz, CA.....	9.7	100.2	7.1	28	1,185	2.1	335
Solano, CA.....	12.1	138.3	6.1	56	1,249	2.0	336
Sonoma, CA.....	20.2	205.4	6.8	37	1,285	-0.8	350
Stanislaus, CA.....	16.6	194.5	5.9	65	1,089	4.2	292
Tulare, CA.....	12.4	165.6	7.4	22	899	5.4	246
Ventura, CA.....	28.8	328.2	5.8	67	1,292	2.3	331
Yolo, CA.....	7.3	107.4	5.2	101	1,294	5.5	242
Adams, CO.....	13.3	233.5	( <sup>5</sup> )	-	1,246	9.0	73
Arapahoe, CO.....	25.6	331.2	2.7	260	1,674	8.5	91
Boulder, CO.....	18.3	190.7	5.5	82	1,718	10.2	34
Denver, CO.....	41.2	542.7	8.5	11	1,887	6.7	189
Douglas, CO.....	14.9	136.0	4.2	148	1,607	11.7	14
El Paso, CO.....	24.0	293.1	4.9	115	1,153	6.3	211
Jefferson, CO.....	23.9	237.6	3.2	218	1,398	9.1	68
Larimer, CO.....	14.4	167.6	5.5	82	1,225	7.0	167
Weld, CO.....	8.9	109.1	3.9	174	1,212	11.9	12

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		March 2022 (thousands)	Percent change, March 2021-22 <sup>3</sup>	Ranking by percent change	First quarter 2022	Percent change, first quarter 2021-22 <sup>3</sup>	Ranking by percent change
Fairfield, CT.....	40.3	399.6	4.2	148	\$2,451	10.5	24
Hartford, CT.....	31.2	491.3	2.6	267	1,652	8.7	82
New Haven, CT.....	26.6	364.1	4.4	139	1,279	6.2	214
New London, CT.....	8.1	113.0	5.3	96	1,424	8.0	115
New Castle, DE.....	23.4	289.6	3.5	202	1,557	7.5	138
Sussex, DE.....	8.8	82.9	5.8	67	948	10.9	19
Washington, DC.....	46.9	749.0	5.8	67	2,221	2.6	325
Alachua, FL.....	7.9	134.7	1.8	309	1,052	7.2	160
Bay, FL.....	6.4	76.7	1.7	314	926	7.4	146
Brevard, FL.....	18.2	228.6	2.6	267	1,127	7.8	124
Broward, FL.....	81.6	824.2	4.6	128	1,287	11.4	16
Collier, FL.....	17.4	161.0	5.6	80	1,171	10.0	41
Duval, FL.....	34.5	541.5	3.8	181	1,300	9.2	64
Escambia, FL.....	9.5	140.6	2.4	282	1,035	9.2	64
Hillsborough, FL.....	53.4	737.1	5.3	96	1,322	8.4	94
Lake, FL.....	10.1	108.2	3.8	181	886	12.0	9
Lee, FL.....	26.9	288.7	5.2	101	1,056	12.2	8
Leon, FL.....	10.0	153.7	3.3	211	1,003	6.7	189
Manatee, FL.....	13.7	133.5	3.5	202	1,009	12.6	7
Marion, FL.....	9.7	111.5	3.8	181	848	7.6	132
Miami-Dade, FL.....	119.0	1,173.1	6.3	48	1,402	13.6	5
Okaloosa, FL.....	7.5	88.9	1.9	304	1,062	9.0	73
Orange, FL.....	53.3	876.9	12.0	2	1,181	6.8	181
Osceola, FL.....	9.5	104.8	9.7	4	875	12.0	9
Palm Beach, FL.....	67.6	631.5	4.9	115	1,412	11.7	14
Pasco, FL.....	13.6	132.0	3.2	218	908	11.1	18
Pinellas, FL.....	39.2	446.3	3.8	181	1,130	9.7	47
Polk, FL.....	17.5	252.0	3.6	198	969	9.6	52
St. Johns, FL.....	10.0	88.2	5.7	75	1,081	10.1	38
St. Lucie, FL.....	8.1	85.0	2.9	243	902	7.1	163
Sarasota, FL.....	19.0	179.6	5.5	82	1,105	10.3	30
Seminole, FL.....	17.5	205.2	3.3	211	1,131	3.0	319
Volusia, FL.....	16.5	180.7	3.0	237	952	10.8	20
Bibb, GA.....	4.7	79.5	0.5	346	970	2.2	333
Chatham, GA.....	9.6	163.8	4.2	148	1,046	9.4	58
Clayton, GA.....	5.0	118.8	8.4	14	1,187	3.2	316
Cobb, GA.....	26.6	371.7	3.5	202	1,433	6.6	197
DeKalb, GA.....	21.8	300.4	4.2	148	1,388	10.2	34
Forsyth, GA.....	7.0	79.3	3.8	181	1,119	7.9	119
Fulton, GA.....	54.4	909.9	5.8	67	2,068	8.3	98
Gwinnett, GA.....	31.3	367.8	4.6	128	1,207	7.5	138
Hall, GA.....	5.4	92.1	1.5	322	1,084	10.4	25
Muscogee, GA.....	5.2	90.9	-0.4	350	1,055	3.1	317
Richmond, GA.....	5.0	102.7	1.1	333	1,002	5.3	250
Honolulu, HI.....	28.5	433.7	6.5	41	1,186	3.6	305
Ada, ID.....	20.9	268.5	4.1	161	1,142	6.9	174
Canyon, ID.....	6.9	83.0	5.8	67	828	9.7	47
Champaign, IL.....	4.3	92.7	3.5	202	1,082	2.0	336
Cook, IL.....	143.3	2,475.0	4.6	128	1,725	5.8	228
DuPage, IL.....	35.3	597.1	3.2	218	1,529	8.7	82

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Kane, IL.....	13.0	206.2	( <sup>6</sup> )	-	\$1,091	6.0	222
Lake, IL.....	20.6	318.6	2.8	254	2,072	8.8	79
McHenry, IL.....	8.0	93.4	2.9	243	959	4.6	277
McLean, IL.....	3.4	83.0	6.0	62	1,351	2.7	322
Madison, IL.....	5.4	100.8	2.9	243	1,004	8.3	98
Peoria, IL.....	4.1	101.1	3.1	228	1,616	25.8	1
St. Clair, IL.....	5.1	86.7	1.4	324	1,005	12.0	9
Sangamon, IL.....	4.9	125.7	1.8	309	1,189	4.4	284
Will, IL.....	16.0	249.7	4.7	126	1,031	-0.1	349
Winnebago, IL.....	6.0	121.8	5.0	109	1,056	9.8	44
Allen, IN.....	9.7	191.5	3.8	181	1,107	13.4	6
Elkhart, IN.....	5.0	142.3	5.4	89	1,312	16.6	2
Hamilton, IN.....	11.2	152.5	6.5	41	1,298	8.1	108
Hendricks, IN.....	3.9	80.1	5.5	82	934	14.5	4
Lake, IN.....	11.2	182.5	3.9	174	1,069	9.3	61
Marion, IN.....	26.5	598.6	3.9	174	1,435	8.1	108
St. Joseph, IN.....	6.1	116.2	1.6	318	1,041	10.2	34
Tippecanoe, IN.....	4.0	88.9	5.4	89	1,030	8.8	79
Vanderburgh, IN.....	5.0	105.9	2.4	282	999	6.7	189
Johnson, IA.....	4.8	81.5	3.1	228	1,138	5.4	246
Linn, IA.....	7.5	125.5	2.6	267	1,219	9.5	54
Polk, IA.....	19.4	299.6	4.6	128	1,329	5.0	263
Scott, IA.....	5.9	87.2	3.8	181	1,012	8.1	108
Johnson, KS.....	26.6	351.0	2.9	243	1,370	10.1	38
Sedgwick, KS.....	13.3	250.9	4.0	168	1,056	8.9	76
Shawnee, KS.....	5.1	95.9	1.3	330	1,043	8.1	108
Wyandotte, KS.....	3.6	88.2	4.4	139	1,136	6.1	218
Boone, KY.....	5.3	104.6	5.1	104	1,002	7.9	119
Fayette, KY.....	12.9	194.1	5.4	89	1,116	9.5	54
Jefferson, KY.....	29.3	465.8	2.8	254	1,293	6.4	207
Caddo, LA.....	7.8	105.4	1.1	333	981	9.1	68
Calcasieu, LA.....	5.8	85.3	2.7	260	1,113	6.8	181
East Baton Rouge, LA.....	18.3	260.5	3.5	202	1,139	8.0	115
Jefferson, LA.....	15.5	178.3	-0.8	351	1,100	8.7	82
Lafayette, LA.....	11.2	129.0	3.3	211	969	6.8	181
Orleans, LA.....	16.0	179.5	6.4	45	1,237	4.3	288
St. Tammany, LA.....	9.9	89.8	1.5	322	1,041	7.4	146
Cumberland, ME.....	15.6	179.2	1.8	309	1,293	7.4	146
Anne Arundel, MD.....	15.6	266.1	2.5	276	1,381	3.9	295
Baltimore, MD.....	21.3	362.7	3.0	237	1,271	1.0	346
Frederick, MD.....	6.5	101.7	4.2	148	1,181	7.0	167
Harford, MD.....	5.9	91.8	3.3	211	1,158	3.4	308
Howard, MD.....	10.3	163.6	2.9	243	1,565	1.8	341
Montgomery, MD.....	33.5	450.6	2.7	260	1,834	-5.9	352
Prince George's, MD.....	16.6	304.9	4.0	168	1,263	3.4	308
Baltimore City, MD.....	13.6	336.7	3.5	202	1,482	5.9	225
Barnstable, MA.....	10.0	84.7	5.0	109	1,129	8.7	82
Bristol, MA.....	18.8	221.7	4.9	115	1,171	9.3	61
Essex, MA.....	30.0	312.3	4.6	128	1,382	2.5	329
Hampden, MA.....	20.0	204.1	4.2	148	1,091	7.3	155

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Middlesex, MA.....	61.1	908.5	4.1	161	\$2,152	3.0	319
Norfolk, MA.....	27.2	334.7	4.3	147	1,540	4.8	271
Plymouth, MA.....	17.6	186.0	4.4	139	1,212	7.4	146
Suffolk, MA.....	34.7	686.3	6.2	52	2,753	7.7	126
Worcester, MA.....	28.7	346.9	5.7	75	1,294	5.1	259
Genesee, MI.....	7.3	126.7	2.4	282	973	3.7	301
Ingham, MI.....	6.7	145.7	3.1	228	1,236	8.6	87
Kalamazoo, MI.....	6.0	118.2	3.0	237	1,196	6.8	181
Kent, MI.....	17.0	400.5	5.8	67	1,130	7.1	163
Macomb, MI.....	19.7	325.9	4.9	115	1,268	6.8	181
Oakland, MI.....	43.6	705.9	3.2	218	1,391	4.5	282
Ottawa, MI.....	6.5	126.5	3.2	218	1,018	4.6	277
Saginaw, MI.....	4.0	78.4	3.6	198	1,028	8.4	94
Washtenaw, MI.....	9.6	211.3	4.7	126	1,300	2.0	336
Wayne, MI.....	36.1	707.3	4.1	161	1,390	7.5	138
Anoka, MN.....	8.3	124.4	2.3	289	1,124	5.1	259
Dakota, MN.....	11.2	180.0	2.1	298	1,318	8.8	79
Hennepin, MN.....	42.9	884.2	2.7	260	1,788	6.9	174
Olmsted, MN.....	3.9	98.2	1.3	330	1,346	2.6	325
Ramsey, MN.....	14.8	312.4	1.6	318	1,456	5.6	238
St. Louis, MN.....	5.4	91.0	1.7	314	1,040	7.5	138
Stearns, MN.....	4.5	81.9	1.4	324	1,130	8.9	76
Washington, MN.....	6.5	87.9	2.3	289	1,063	3.6	305
Harrison, MS.....	4.7	85.6	3.5	202	865	9.2	64
Hinds, MS.....	5.5	112.2	0.5	346	1,023	7.6	132
Boone, MO.....	5.3	96.0	2.6	267	1,019	1.9	340
Clay, MO.....	6.3	105.4	1.4	324	1,072	10.1	38
Greene, MO.....	10.1	172.2	3.2	218	978	7.2	160
Jackson, MO.....	23.9	362.2	1.6	318	1,244	2.7	322
St. Charles, MO.....	10.4	154.6	1.7	314	1,099	7.9	119
St. Louis, MO.....	43.1	580.2	1.8	309	1,400	7.5	138
St. Louis City, MO.....	15.1	219.2	2.9	243	1,455	5.6	238
Yellowstone, MT.....	7.0	83.5	2.7	260	1,045	6.0	222
Douglas, NE.....	20.3	329.5	0.7	344	1,263	10.7	22
Lancaster, NE.....	10.8	167.7	1.4	324	1,011	6.5	202
Clark, NV.....	59.4	1,024.2	12.5	1	1,127	7.4	146
Washoe, NV.....	15.8	228.1	4.9	115	1,181	7.9	119
Hillsborough, NH.....	12.7	199.7	2.6	267	1,424	8.5	91
Rockingham, NH.....	11.7	147.3	3.9	174	1,330	7.7	126
Atlantic, NJ.....	7.2	120.1	8.8	6	1,075	7.5	138
Bergen, NJ.....	36.2	425.4	6.2	52	1,500	4.7	275
Burlington, NJ.....	12.3	202.6	4.9	115	1,334	5.8	228
Camden, NJ.....	13.8	200.8	6.2	52	1,211	3.5	307
Essex, NJ.....	23.7	330.9	7.0	32	1,657	2.3	331
Gloucester, NJ.....	7.2	120.6	8.5	11	998	4.6	277
Hudson, NJ.....	18.6	269.3	8.5	11	2,041	6.0	222
Mercer, NJ.....	12.1	260.9	5.5	82	1,881	4.8	271
Middlesex, NJ.....	25.1	429.9	6.2	52	1,527	5.1	259
Monmouth, NJ.....	21.9	258.9	6.4	45	1,287	5.1	259
Morris, NJ.....	18.2	291.5	5.7	75	2,146	0.9	347

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**Table 1. Covered establishments, employment, and wages in the 356 largest counties, first quarter 2022 - Continued**

County <sup>1</sup>	Establishments, first quarter 2022 (thousands)	Employment			Average weekly wage <sup>2</sup>		
		March 2022 (thousands)	Percent change, March 2021-22 <sup>3</sup>	Ranking by percent change	First quarter 2022	Percent change, first quarter 2021-22 <sup>3</sup>	Ranking by percent change
Ocean, NJ.....	15.4	170.0	6.0	62	\$996	5.0	263
Passaic, NJ.....	14.6	164.7	8.8	6	1,165	( <sup>4</sup> )	-
Somerset, NJ.....	10.9	187.9	4.9	115	2,301	1.1	344
Union, NJ.....	16.4	225.7	5.4	89	1,644	2.6	325
Bernalillo, NM.....	22.3	332.0	5.3	96	1,080	6.6	197
Albany, NY.....	10.5	221.3	2.2	294	1,429	8.7	82
Bronx, NY.....	20.2	313.8	3.1	228	1,186	4.3	288
Broome, NY.....	4.3	79.0	1.9	304	1,052	9.1	68
Dutchess, NY.....	8.8	106.9	3.1	228	1,248	9.3	61
Erie, NY.....	25.1	445.9	4.2	148	1,173	7.6	132
Kings, NY.....	70.3	810.0	7.2	24	1,055	3.7	301
Monroe, NY.....	19.3	367.7	3.2	218	1,165	5.8	228
Nassau, NY.....	55.8	609.3	5.0	109	1,403	4.4	284
New York, NY.....	128.3	2,315.8	8.8	6	4,064	2.5	329
Oneida, NY.....	5.3	97.9	1.0	337	1,028	10.4	25
Onondaga, NY.....	12.8	233.3	2.8	254	1,211	10.3	30
Orange, NY.....	11.3	146.4	6.0	62	1,094	7.3	155
Queens, NY.....	56.2	683.5	6.4	45	1,199	4.7	275
Richmond, NY.....	10.5	130.7	6.1	56	1,131	4.4	284
Rockland, NY.....	11.8	126.1	5.5	82	1,213	5.4	246
Saratoga, NY.....	6.3	85.7	4.5	134	1,235	7.0	167
Suffolk, NY.....	55.3	635.2	3.6	198	1,335	5.2	255
Westchester, NY.....	37.1	406.4	4.4	139	1,843	7.0	167
Buncombe, NC.....	11.5	134.2	6.3	48	970	8.3	98
Cabarrus, NC.....	5.9	81.4	4.4	139	960	9.7	47
Catawba, NC.....	4.9	88.6	4.1	161	1,005	10.8	20
Cumberland, NC.....	7.0	120.9	2.4	282	931	7.4	146
Durham, NC.....	10.3	226.6	3.8	181	1,713	5.3	250
Forsyth, NC.....	10.5	189.4	2.8	254	1,246	10.2	34
Guilford, NC.....	16.9	282.2	2.3	289	1,129	9.8	44
Iredell, NC.....	6.4	80.2	4.0	168	1,179	6.9	174
Mecklenburg, NC.....	46.7	742.1	5.9	65	1,738	5.0	263
New Hanover, NC.....	10.1	121.9	4.5	134	1,068	2.6	325
Pitt, NC.....	4.2	78.0	3.0	237	991	6.3	211
Wake, NC.....	44.3	602.2	6.1	56	1,418	7.0	167
Cass, ND.....	8.3	120.2	2.5	276	1,146	6.2	214
Butler, OH.....	8.5	152.4	2.5	276	1,139	8.2	104
Cuyahoga, OH.....	38.2	693.0	2.8	254	1,368	8.1	108
Delaware, OH.....	6.4	89.6	4.4	139	1,378	4.9	268
Franklin, OH.....	37.3	751.3	3.7	195	1,330	6.1	218
Greene, OH.....	3.9	75.3	1.0	337	1,207	4.2	292
Hamilton, OH.....	26.1	502.1	3.0	237	1,465	6.9	174
Lake, OH.....	6.5	91.0	2.2	294	997	5.4	246
Lorain, OH.....	6.5	94.0	2.9	243	944	6.1	218
Lucas, OH.....	10.6	194.2	1.1	333	1,133	8.6	87
Mahoning, OH.....	6.0	92.3	2.5	276	884	7.9	119
Montgomery, OH.....	12.6	244.4	2.1	298	1,074	6.4	207
Stark, OH.....	9.0	151.9	0.8	342	941	5.6	238
Summit, OH.....	15.2	250.6	0.9	341	1,178	9.4	58
Warren, OH.....	5.9	95.8	2.6	267	1,217	4.9	268

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**Table 1. Covered establishments, employment, and wages in the 356 largest counties, first quarter 2022 - Continued**

County <sup>1</sup>	Establishments, first quarter 2022 (thousands)	Employment			Average weekly wage <sup>2</sup>		
		March 2022 (thousands)	Percent change, March 2021-22 <sup>3</sup>	Ranking by percent change	First quarter 2022	Percent change, first quarter 2021-22 <sup>3</sup>	Ranking by percent change
Cleveland, OK.....	6.6	87.1	2.1	298	\$882	6.7	189
Oklahoma, OK.....	30.4	464.1	4.2	148	1,162	8.4	94
Tulsa, OK.....	24.3	352.6	2.3	289	1,108	5.7	233
Clackamas, OR.....	16.9	169.2	4.9	115	1,246	8.0	115
Deschutes, OR.....	10.8	86.6	3.1	228	1,121	9.8	44
Jackson, OR.....	8.2	88.1	0.8	342	1,022	8.3	98
Lane, OR.....	13.5	153.3	3.3	211	1,017	6.9	174
Marion, OR.....	12.1	160.1	4.0	168	1,089	8.1	108
Multnomah, OR.....	39.5	496.9	4.8	125	1,435	6.1	218
Washington, OR.....	21.9	299.5	4.2	148	1,690	6.2	214
Allegheny, PA.....	36.8	650.4	2.6	267	1,436	5.2	255
Berks, PA.....	8.9	166.8	2.8	254	1,117	6.7	189
Bucks, PA.....	21.1	260.6	4.4	139	1,192	8.2	104
Butler, PA.....	5.2	83.7	2.2	294	1,132	6.5	202
Chester, PA.....	16.4	243.8	3.4	210	1,717	4.1	294
Cumberland, PA.....	6.9	134.0	2.5	276	1,123	5.5	242
Dauphin, PA.....	7.6	178.6	2.9	243	1,249	5.7	233
Delaware, PA.....	14.5	216.2	3.9	174	1,414	7.3	155
Erie, PA.....	6.9	115.3	2.9	243	916	5.7	233
Lackawanna, PA.....	5.6	94.0	4.1	161	928	4.4	284
Lancaster, PA.....	14.4	243.6	4.0	168	1,049	7.7	126
Lehigh, PA.....	9.1	194.0	4.2	148	1,213	7.7	126
Luzerne, PA.....	7.5	140.9	5.3	96	966	3.8	297
Montgomery, PA.....	29.0	496.9	3.2	218	1,777	5.5	242
Northampton, PA.....	7.0	117.6	4.1	161	1,067	6.6	197
Philadelphia, PA.....	35.4	676.1	6.5	41	1,507	7.0	167
Washington, PA.....	5.7	83.4	3.8	181	1,495	1.7	342
Westmoreland, PA.....	9.2	127.4	2.9	243	992	7.1	163
York, PA.....	9.4	178.0	4.1	161	1,083	8.1	108
Providence, RI.....	21.2	278.0	3.9	174	1,287	6.4	207
Charleston, SC.....	19.8	258.1	5.1	104	1,192	10.4	25
Greenville, SC.....	18.0	281.7	3.1	228	1,082	7.4	146
Horry, SC.....	11.1	131.8	6.6	40	789	9.7	47
Lexington, SC.....	8.1	125.4	3.5	202	929	5.7	233
Richland, SC.....	11.7	218.5	1.9	304	1,090	6.3	211
Spartanburg, SC.....	7.5	148.5	1.6	318	1,004	8.3	98
York, SC.....	7.8	101.3	2.3	289	1,118	10.4	25
Minnehaha, SD.....	9.1	129.4	3.8	181	1,143	9.9	43
Davidson, TN.....	30.6	520.9	7.8	18	1,496	8.4	94
Hamilton, TN.....	12.1	206.1	3.2	218	1,164	9.0	73
Knox, TN.....	15.4	242.2	2.9	243	1,100	4.6	277
Rutherford, TN.....	7.5	138.5	4.2	148	1,032	6.8	181
Shelby, TN.....	23.5	488.5	2.6	267	1,259	6.6	197
Williamson, TN.....	12.5	145.3	6.3	48	1,727	9.7	47
Bell, TX.....	6.4	124.1	3.1	228	1,015	5.8	228
Bexar, TX.....	45.1	885.3	5.3	96	1,192	6.7	189
Brazoria, TX.....	6.6	116.7	5.7	75	1,282	11.8	13
Brazos, TX.....	5.1	116.8	6.7	39	942	6.2	214
Cameron, TX.....	7.0	148.9	3.8	181	736	7.6	132
Collin, TX.....	33.2	492.5	7.5	21	1,636	6.8	181

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**Table 1. Covered establishments, employment, and wages in the 356 largest counties, first quarter 2022 - Continued**

County <sup>1</sup>	Establishments, first quarter 2022 (thousands)	Employment			Average weekly wage <sup>2</sup>		
		March 2022 (thousands)	Percent change, March 2021-22 <sup>3</sup>	Ranking by percent change	First quarter 2022	Percent change, first quarter 2021-22 <sup>3</sup>	Ranking by percent change
Dallas, TX.....	85.4	1,767.5	6.1	56	\$1,690	8.5	91
Denton, TX.....	19.5	287.6	5.7	75	1,148	6.9	174
El Paso, TX.....	16.7	311.4	3.3	211	864	6.5	202
Fort Bend, TX.....	17.3	225.8	8.1	15	1,097	7.5	138
Galveston, TX.....	6.8	118.1	5.0	109	1,061	4.8	271
Harris, TX.....	125.5	2,305.2	5.0	109	1,681	10.3	30
Hays, TX.....	5.7	82.8	( <sup>4</sup> )	-	912	10.7	22
Hidalgo, TX.....	13.6	277.3	5.4	89	737	6.5	202
Jefferson, TX.....	5.9	114.9	3.2	218	1,224	7.7	126
Lubbock, TX.....	8.2	145.6	3.9	174	930	7.4	146
McLennan, TX.....	5.9	119.2	3.7	195	990	7.4	146
Midland, TX.....	6.3	103.1	8.1	15	1,719	5.7	233
Montgomery, TX.....	14.3	207.3	6.1	56	1,383	10.3	30
Nueces, TX.....	8.5	154.8	2.0	301	1,018	6.4	207
Potter, TX.....	4.0	76.6	1.4	324	1,013	8.9	76
Smith, TX.....	6.7	106.8	3.6	198	1,003	9.1	68
Tarrant, TX.....	49.9	950.8	4.9	115	1,286	8.3	98
Travis, TX.....	51.2	853.6	9.3	5	1,707	7.2	160
Webb, TX.....	5.8	101.4	4.5	134	795	7.6	132
Williamson, TX.....	14.8	202.4	7.0	32	1,571	3.4	308
Davis, UT.....	9.9	135.8	2.7	260	1,003	7.7	126
Salt Lake, UT.....	58.9	755.6	4.4	139	1,348	9.6	52
Utah, UT.....	20.8	283.4	5.8	67	1,106	3.4	308
Washington, UT.....	7.6	79.2	5.4	89	807	9.5	54
Weber, UT.....	7.1	115.5	3.0	237	975	8.6	87
Chittenden, VT.....	8.5	100.1	5.1	104	1,279	7.6	132
Arlington, VA.....	9.8	171.9	1.1	333	2,207	4.9	268
Chesterfield, VA.....	10.2	137.5	3.8	181	1,070	8.6	87
Fairfax, VA.....	39.4	608.1	1.8	309	2,055	4.5	282
Henrico, VA.....	12.5	185.3	1.2	332	1,317	8.0	115
Loudoun, VA.....	14.2	174.2	4.0	168	1,493	5.3	250
Prince William, VA.....	10.4	131.2	3.3	211	1,069	5.3	250
Alexandria City, VA.....	6.6	84.1	3.1	228	1,637	3.7	301
Chesapeake City, VA.....	6.7	102.4	1.0	337	999	5.8	228
Newport News City, VA.....	4.3	101.2	0.3	348	1,184	10.0	41
Norfolk City, VA.....	6.4	136.6	2.4	282	1,262	6.9	174
Richmond City, VA.....	8.7	151.0	2.6	267	1,596	9.5	54
Virginia Beach City, VA.....	13.4	169.5	1.4	324	983	7.8	124
Benton, WA.....	6.6	91.6	5.1	104	1,184	1.1	344
Clark, WA.....	17.9	173.5	7.4	22	1,266	4.3	288
King, WA.....	98.0	1,433.7	7.1	28	2,195	2.0	336
Kitsap, WA.....	7.8	91.0	4.5	134	1,161	3.8	297
Pierce, WA.....	26.0	321.7	5.1	104	1,185	6.6	197
Snohomish, WA.....	24.2	282.4	3.8	181	1,410	7.5	138
Spokane, WA.....	18.7	234.6	5.4	89	1,108	4.6	277
Thurston, WA.....	9.5	122.7	6.3	48	1,211	4.8	271
Whatcom, WA.....	8.2	91.0	6.8	37	1,102	6.7	189
Yakima, WA.....	8.6	112.1	4.2	148	863	5.2	255
Kanawha, WV.....	5.7	91.6	0.6	345	1,041	5.5	242
Brown, WI.....	7.2	153.0	2.2	294	1,126	8.2	104

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**Table 1. Covered establishments, employment, and wages in the 356 largest counties, first quarter 2022 - Continued**

County <sup>1</sup>	Establishments, first quarter 2022 (thousands)	Employment			Average weekly wage <sup>2</sup>		
		March 2022 (thousands)	Percent change, March 2021-22 <sup>3</sup>	Ranking by percent change	First quarter 2022	Percent change, first quarter 2021-22 <sup>3</sup>	Ranking by percent change
Dane, WI.....	17.2	337.5	2.5	276	\$1,346	6.8	181
Milwaukee, WI.....	28.2	461.4	2.4	282	1,292	10.4	25
Outagamie, WI.....	5.7	104.0	1.9	304	1,099	9.2	64
Waukesha, WI.....	13.9	237.3	2.0	301	1,306	7.0	167
Winnebago, WI.....	4.1	90.9	1.0	337	1,130	5.6	238
San Juan, PR.....	11.5	246.4	7.7	( <sup>6</sup> )	703	1.4	( <sup>6</sup> )

<sup>1</sup> Includes areas not officially designated as counties. See Technical Note.

<sup>2</sup> Average weekly wages were calculated using unrounded data.

<sup>3</sup> Percent changes were computed from employment and pay data adjusted for noneconomic county reclassifications. See Technical Note.

<sup>4</sup> Totals for the United States do not include data for Puerto Rico or the Virgin Islands.

<sup>5</sup> Data do not meet BLS or state agency disclosure standards.

<sup>6</sup> This county was not included in the U.S. rankings.

Note: Data are preliminary. Includes workers covered by Unemployment Insurance (UI) and Unemployment Compensation for Federal Employees (UCFE) programs. These 355 U.S. counties comprise 73 percent of the total covered workers in the U.S.

**Table 2. Covered establishments, employment, and wages in the 10 largest counties, first quarter 2022**

County by NAICS supersector	Establishments, first quarter 2022 (thousands)	Employment		Average weekly wage <sup>1</sup>	
		March 2022 (thousands)	Percent change, March 2021-22 <sup>2</sup>	First quarter 2022	Percent change, first quarter 2021-22 <sup>2</sup>
United States <sup>3</sup> .....	11,299.0	147,648.4	5.0	\$1,374	6.7
Private industry.....	10,996.2	126,152.4	5.7	1,398	6.9
Natural resources and mining.....	142.1	1,682.3	2.7	1,359	12.1
Construction.....	889.9	7,417.4	3.7	1,308	5.6
Manufacturing.....	376.4	12,632.4	3.2	1,560	7.7
Trade, transportation, and utilities.....	2,003.9	28,042.6	4.4	1,115	10.6
Information.....	246.9	2,981.3	7.7	3,083	-0.6
Financial activities.....	1,018.1	8,485.7	2.7	2,953	7.6
Professional and business services.....	2,236.7	22,105.5	6.2	1,866	7.5
Education and health services.....	1,965.7	23,126.2	2.1	1,095	7.0
Leisure and hospitality.....	922.0	15,032.7	16.8	540	14.9
Other services.....	856.7	4,296.6	7.0	885	5.7
Government.....	302.8	21,495.9	1.3	1,233	4.5
Los Angeles, CA.....	526.1	4,455.0	7.2	1,487	3.4
Private industry.....	519.7	3,892.9	7.9	1,462	3.6
Natural resources and mining.....	0.6	6.5	6.5	1,221	8.8
Construction.....	18.2	149.5	0.7	1,440	4.5
Manufacturing.....	12.4	319.1	2.1	1,628	4.4
Trade, transportation, and utilities.....	61.0	821.9	3.9	1,228	11.0
Information.....	13.9	226.2	5.4	2,928	2.2
Financial activities.....	32.4	212.5	1.6	3,122	11.9
Professional and business services.....	61.3	641.3	6.5	1,854	2.1
Education and health services.....	246.8	875.0	6.2	995	1.5
Leisure and hospitality.....	42.2	495.0	31.8	835	10.6
Other services.....	29.3	144.4	17.7	927	-4.1
Government.....	6.4	562.0	2.6	1,664	3.0
Cook, IL.....	143.3	2,475.0	4.6	1,725	5.8
Private industry.....	142.0	2,194.3	4.9	1,753	5.3
Natural resources and mining.....	0.1	1.7	5.5	1,104	-1.0
Construction.....	11.4	68.1	4.9	1,645	4.0
Manufacturing.....	5.7	174.1	0.1	1,540	7.9
Trade, transportation, and utilities.....	29.3	459.7	4.3	1,269	12.3
Information.....	2.9	50.4	4.2	3,080	6.9
Financial activities.....	14.5	201.4	-0.6	4,836	4.7
Professional and business services.....	30.5	466.4	3.9	2,121	8.0
Education and health services.....	16.7	441.9	1.0	1,139	8.2
Leisure and hospitality.....	14.2	239.5	28.8	629	12.3
Other services.....	16.5	90.9	4.7	1,134	3.2
Government.....	1.3	280.7	2.2	1,502	10.5
Harris, TX.....	125.5	2,305.2	5.0	1,681	10.3
Private industry.....	125.0	2,034.9	5.4	1,731	10.9
Natural resources and mining.....	1.6	53.1	2.0	5,321	14.8
Construction.....	8.4	157.3	3.1	1,635	6.5
Manufacturing.....	5.1	166.2	3.8	2,016	13.9
Trade, transportation, and utilities.....	26.3	476.3	4.8	1,523	10.4
Information.....	1.5	23.4	13.8	2,131	6.4
Financial activities.....	13.8	130.0	2.2	2,952	14.5
Professional and business services.....	26.2	416.6	6.0	2,202	13.8
Education and health services.....	17.5	307.3	3.4	1,214	8.6
Leisure and hospitality.....	11.3	232.9	12.7	534	12.2
Other services.....	11.8	68.4	4.4	992	9.5
Government.....	0.6	270.3	1.7	1,308	3.7

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**Table 2. Covered establishments, employment, and wages in the 10 largest counties, first quarter 2022 - Continued**

County by NAICS supersector	Establishments, first quarter 2022 (thousands)	Employment		Average weekly wage <sup>1</sup>	
		March 2022 (thousands)	Percent change, March 2021-22 <sup>2</sup>	First quarter 2022	Percent change, first quarter 2021-22 <sup>2</sup>
New York,	128.3	2,315.8	8.8	\$4,064	2.5
Private industry.....	126.9	2,091.8	9.8	4,311	1.6
Natural resources and mining.....	0.0	0.2	-1.9	3,287	19.7
Construction.....	2.4	36.1	-1.0	2,232	6.2
Manufacturing.....	1.7	16.5	15.6	1,940	4.8
Trade, transportation, and utilities.....	16.9	211.0	9.0	1,999	6.8
Information.....	5.7	197.1	7.8	4,337	-0.9
Financial activities.....	19.0	380.5	1.7	12,190	7.7
Professional and business services.....	28.0	560.2	5.7	3,496	6.7
Education and health services.....	10.2	359.2	3.3	1,622	6.6
Leisure and hospitality.....	14.0	228.7	68.1	1,082	6.2
Other services.....	18.1	91.7	6.6	1,530	1.7
Government.....	1.5	224.0	0.5	1,770	9.6
Maricopa, AZ.....	125.3	2,158.1	4.6	1,308	7.3
Private industry.....	124.5	1,946.9	5.1	1,321	7.6
Natural resources and mining.....	0.5	7.6	0.4	2,255	25.8
Construction.....	9.7	143.0	6.1	1,367	9.1
Manufacturing.....	3.7	137.0	3.1	1,737	4.0
Trade, transportation, and utilities.....	23.2	436.1	5.8	1,166	10.5
Information.....	3.0	38.3	6.5	2,257	4.6
Financial activities.....	16.7	196.7	-1.7	2,110	7.3
Professional and business services.....	32.8	358.4	2.7	1,459	10.4
Education and health services.....	15.4	345.4	3.6	1,147	7.9
Leisure and hospitality.....	9.9	225.4	15.0	610	13.6
Other services.....	8.1	56.2	9.2	886	6.4
Government.....	0.8	211.1	0.2	1,188	4.7
Dallas, TX.....	85.4	1,767.5	6.1	1,690	8.5
Private industry.....	84.9	1,592.4	6.8	1,726	8.6
Natural resources and mining.....	0.5	7.1	0.4	5,348	46.6
Construction.....	5.3	91.5	2.2	1,523	5.5
Manufacturing.....	3.0	120.3	2.7	1,992	-0.5
Trade, transportation, and utilities.....	16.8	377.5	7.4	1,365	11.2
Information.....	1.7	46.4	3.3	3,184	6.6
Financial activities.....	10.9	163.8	5.1	3,072	11.2
Professional and business services.....	20.4	391.8	9.5	1,952	8.7
Education and health services.....	10.5	199.2	2.3	1,270	8.3
Leisure and hospitality.....	7.5	151.1	13.0	634	20.8
Other services.....	7.4	41.6	7.7	1,133	7.5
Government.....	0.5	175.2	0.1	1,359	4.5
Orange, CA.....	135.6	1,614.3	7.2	1,510	3.8
Private industry.....	134.2	1,463.3	7.7	1,495	3.6
Natural resources and mining.....	0.2	2.1	-13.6	997	13.2
Construction.....	8.1	103.3	2.2	1,593	6.1
Manufacturing.....	5.4	153.2	3.1	1,959	6.1
Trade, transportation, and utilities.....	18.9	249.7	3.0	1,306	11.0
Information.....	1.6	23.8	5.4	3,040	2.4
Financial activities.....	14.2	114.0	-2.1	2,904	8.2
Professional and business services.....	25.1	313.7	2.6	1,782	7.5
Education and health services.....	42.0	244.2	7.0	1,056	1.7
Leisure and hospitality.....	10.2	210.8	41.0	614	14.6
Other services.....	8.1	48.0	15.4	818	1.9
Government.....	1.4	151.0	2.8	1,650	6.1

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 2. Covered establishments, employment, and wages in the 10 largest counties, first quarter 2022 - Continued**

County by NAICS supersector	Establishments, first quarter 2022 (thousands)	Employment		Average weekly wage <sup>1</sup>	
		March 2022 (thousands)	Percent change, March 2021-22 <sup>2</sup>	First quarter 2022	Percent change, first quarter 2021-22 <sup>2</sup>
San Diego, CA.....	121.7	1,495.9	7.9	\$1,484	3.4
Private industry.....	119.8	1,261.2	8.9	1,479	3.5
Natural resources and mining.....	0.7	9.7	3.2	882	6.7
Construction.....	8.4	86.6	6.6	1,450	7.9
Manufacturing.....	3.7	116.3	3.0	2,126	2.5
Trade, transportation, and utilities.....	15.4	218.1	3.5	1,169	11.0
Information.....	1.5	21.5	9.5	2,483	6.3
Financial activities.....	12.0	76.2	2.3	2,335	4.4
Professional and business services.....	22.7	278.2	6.9	2,180	7.0
Education and health services.....	37.0	220.6	5.9	1,071	0.2
Leisure and hospitality.....	9.4	184.0	32.2	621	14.6
Other services.....	8.6	49.6	19.1	766	2.5
Government.....	1.9	234.7	2.7	1,512	3.3
King, WA.....	98.0	1,433.7	7.1	2,195	2.0
Private industry.....	97.3	1,263.6	7.8	2,272	1.7
Natural resources and mining.....	0.4	3.0	6.1	1,299	24.0
Construction.....	7.2	74.3	0.1	1,581	0.1
Manufacturing.....	2.6	89.5	2.7	2,189	14.3
Trade, transportation, and utilities.....	13.6	227.3	4.2	1,574	11.2
Information.....	3.5	138.7	7.9	5,421	-5.8
Financial activities.....	7.7	71.9	3.8	2,975	5.5
Professional and business services.....	22.2	317.5	10.1	2,768	2.3
Education and health services.....	23.1	180.4	3.3	1,206	4.9
Leisure and hospitality.....	7.6	117.4	32.7	707	16.9
Other services.....	9.5	43.5	8.6	1,098	-3.9
Government.....	0.7	170.1	1.6	1,629	3.0
Miami-Dade, FL.....	119.0	1,173.1	6.3	1,402	13.6
Private industry.....	118.7	1,037.6	7.3	1,411	14.5
Natural resources and mining.....	0.6	10.8	11.0	743	9.4
Construction.....	7.7	49.6	-2.0	1,354	22.1
Manufacturing.....	3.2	40.7	1.8	1,190	16.4
Trade, transportation, and utilities.....	26.2	291.8	5.9	1,255	15.9
Information.....	2.4	20.2	10.3	2,894	20.7
Financial activities.....	13.0	79.8	3.3	3,061	15.3
Professional and business services.....	29.3	176.8	8.7	1,636	12.7
Education and health services.....	15.1	194.4	5.9	1,212	12.3
Leisure and hospitality.....	8.5	134.6	17.9	817	18.6
Other services.....	8.7	35.7	2.5	872	15.0
Government.....	0.3	135.4	-0.6	1,334	6.8

<sup>1</sup> Average weekly wages were calculated using unrounded data.

<sup>2</sup> Percent changes were computed from quarterly employment and pay data adjusted for noneconomic county reclassifications. See Technical Note.

<sup>3</sup> Totals for the United States do not include data for Puerto Rico or the Virgin Islands.

Note: Data are preliminary. Counties selected are based on 2021 annual average employment. Includes workers covered by Unemployment Insurance (UI) and Unemployment Compensation for Federal Employees (UCFE) programs.

**Table 3. Covered establishments, employment, and wages by state, first quarter 2022**

State	Establishments, first quarter 2022 (thousands)	Employment		Average weekly wage <sup>1</sup>	
		March 2022 (thousands)	Percent change, March 2021-22	First quarter 2022	Percent change, first quarter 2021-22
United States <sup>2</sup> .....	11,299.0	147,648.4	5.0	\$1,374	6.7
Alabama.....	143.7	1,990.4	2.5	1,072	8.2
Alaska.....	24.2	303.9	2.8	1,178	4.9
Arizona.....	195.8	3,048.2	5.0	1,234	7.5
Arkansas.....	98.3	1,232.7	3.1	1,060	10.9
California.....	1,667.6	17,720.8	7.7	1,644	1.0
Colorado.....	238.0	2,767.9	5.1	1,455	8.8
Connecticut.....	135.7	1,618.6	4.3	1,716	9.2
Delaware.....	38.1	447.8	3.9	1,362	7.5
District of Columbia.....	46.9	749.1	5.8	2,221	2.6
Florida.....	844.0	9,249.2	6.1	1,222	10.8
Georgia.....	359.6	4,615.2	5.0	1,301	8.8
Hawaii.....	50.4	612.1	7.9	1,135	4.2
Idaho.....	83.6	806.4	4.7	982	8.5
Illinois.....	403.8	5,808.8	4.5	1,487	7.3
Indiana.....	183.0	3,071.1	3.7	1,127	9.8
Iowa.....	108.2	1,511.6	2.5	1,080	7.6
Kansas.....	93.1	1,369.8	2.5	1,073	9.0
Kentucky.....	137.5	1,911.5	4.0	1,038	7.6
Louisiana.....	147.6	1,820.6	1.3	1,058	8.6
Maine.....	60.4	604.1	2.8	1,103	10.3
Maryland.....	179.9	2,623.1	3.9	1,410	2.0
Massachusetts.....	286.6	3,516.0	5.3	1,827	5.9
Michigan.....	282.2	4,212.5	4.6	1,225	6.2
Minnesota.....	194.1	2,772.6	2.7	1,374	6.8
Mississippi.....	77.9	1,134.2	2.9	879	8.5
Missouri.....	227.1	2,788.2	3.0	1,128	7.0
Montana.....	57.5	479.9	3.1	991	8.3
Nebraska.....	78.7	965.4	1.5	1,079	9.2
Nevada.....	102.7	1,441.3	11.6	1,164	8.0
New Hampshire.....	61.1	659.9	4.3	1,361	7.8
New Jersey.....	317.9	4,085.1	7.2	1,606	4.6
New Mexico.....	68.0	817.4	5.1	1,018	6.5
New York.....	681.3	9,107.2	6.0	1,972	5.6
North Carolina.....	335.8	4,638.3	4.8	1,241	9.2
North Dakota.....	33.3	400.5	2.7	1,106	6.9
Ohio.....	320.5	5,299.0	3.1	1,179	7.5
Oklahoma.....	120.7	1,601.8	2.9	1,012	8.0
Oregon.....	175.1	1,921.9	4.0	1,259	7.4
Pennsylvania.....	384.0	5,778.2	4.3	1,309	6.9
Rhode Island.....	45.0	469.3	4.7	1,249	6.8
South Carolina.....	164.1	2,142.9	3.9	1,043	9.2
South Dakota.....	37.8	432.0	3.5	1,012	8.6
Tennessee.....	198.1	3,104.1	4.6	1,172	8.8
Texas.....	788.4	12,985.4	6.1	1,369	8.7
Utah.....	126.5	1,625.6	4.5	1,152	8.2
Vermont.....	29.3	295.8	3.9	1,107	7.7
Virginia.....	310.8	3,889.4	3.1	1,366	6.6
Washington.....	277.3	3,453.4	6.0	1,596	3.8
West Virginia.....	55.2	668.1	2.9	968	6.1
Wisconsin.....	193.9	2,816.5	2.9	1,137	8.7

See footnotes at end of table.



**Table 3. Covered establishments, employment, and wages by state, first quarter 2022 - Continued**

State	Establishments, first quarter 2022 (thousands)	Employment		Average weekly wage <sup>1</sup>	
		March 2022 (thousands)	Percent change, March 2021-22	First quarter 2022	Percent change, first quarter 2021-22
Wyoming.....	28.9	263.6	2.6	\$1,059	11.2
Puerto Rico.....	48.7	917.1	6.8	579	2.8
Virgin Islands.....	3.5	34.8	-0.3	947	-3.7

<sup>1</sup> Average weekly wages were calculated using unrounded data.

<sup>2</sup> Totals for the United States do not include data for Puerto Rico or the Virgin Islands.

Note: Data are preliminary. Includes workers covered by Unemployment Insurance (UI) and Unemployment Compensation for Federal Employees (UCFE) programs.