

ESTABLISHMENT DATA
Summary table B. Establishment data, seasonally adjusted

Category	Mar. 2011	Apr. 2011	May 2011	June 2011	July 2011	Aug. 2011	Sept. 2011	Oct. 2011	Nov. 2011	Dec. 2011	Jan. 2012	Feb. 2012 ^p	Mar. 2012 ^p
EMPLOYMENT BY SELECTED INDUSTRY (Over-the-month change, in thousands)													
Total nonfarm.....	246	251	54	84	96	85	202	112	157	223	275	240	120
Total private.....	261	264	108	102	175	52	216	139	178	234	277	233	121
Goods-producing.....	48	39	20	18	52	-4	33	6	8	62	78	29	31
Mining and logging.....	15	12	9	9	9	3	6	6	4	8	8	4	1
Construction.....	7	-1	3	-3	13	-10	30	-9	1	26	18	-6	-7
Manufacturing.....	26	28	8	12	30	3	-3	9	3	28	52	31	37
Durable goods ¹	23	19	19	17	22	-3	4	13	14	30	40	28	26
Motor vehicles and parts.....	4.6	2.8	-1.7	1.8	9.2	-4.1	2.9	8.3	1.4	7.4	8.6	5.2	11.6
Nondurable goods.....	3	9	-11	-5	8	6	-7	-4	-11	-2	12	3	11
Private service-providing ¹	213	225	88	84	123	56	183	133	170	172	199	204	90
Wholesale trade.....	14.2	7.2	7.6	5.8	2.3	5.0	-3.0	11.9	6.9	14.7	14.6	6.9	4.1
Retail trade.....	7.7	67.5	-4.6	15.8	26.9	-4.4	14.2	12.3	33.8	6.8	24.9	-28.6	-33.8
Transportation and warehousing.....	8.1	10.0	7.5	11.5	-3.5	6.9	1.8	3.1	9.9	5.1	17.1	14.4	2.8
Utilities.....	-0.1	1.5	0.4	0.9	-0.3	0.4	1.3	-0.3	1.5	0.9	0.8	0.6	1.2
Information.....	-2	-1	0	-2	-4	-50	34	-3	-2	1	-17	13	-9
Financial activities.....	14	-4	14	-13	-4	5	-6	5	11	5	1	9	15
Professional and business services ¹	88	50	56	5	39	40	59	41	39	72	79	86	31
Temporary help services.....	36.2	-1.3	1.7	-7.7	8.9	20.6	23.7	16.5	19.7	18.7	36.4	54.9	-7.5
Education and health services ¹	24	55	19	25	50	33	58	37	20	33	31	66	37
Health care and social assistance.....	28.4	37.6	25.7	25.7	36.1	29.8	47.5	28.8	6.2	29.5	30.8	52.8	26.1
Leisure and hospitality.....	64	36	-15	35	17	12	20	30	42	28	39	45	39
Other services.....	-5	3	3	0	0	8	3	-4	8	6	8	-8	3
Government.....	-15	-13	-54	-18	-79	33	-14	-27	-21	-11	-2	7	-1
WOMEN AND PRODUCTION AND NONSUPERVISORY EMPLOYEES AS A PERCENT OF ALL EMPLOYEES²													
Total nonfarm women employees.....	49.5	49.5	49.5	49.4	49.4	49.4	49.4	49.4	49.4	49.3	49.3	49.3	49.3
Total private women employees.....	48.0	48.0	48.0	47.9	47.9	47.9	47.9	47.9	47.9	47.8	47.8	47.8	47.8
Total private production and nonsupervisory employees.....	82.4	82.4	82.4	82.4	82.4	82.4	82.5	82.5	82.5	82.5	82.6	82.6	82.6
HOURS AND EARNINGS ALL EMPLOYEES													
Total private													
Average weekly hours.....	34.3	34.4	34.4	34.4	34.4	34.3	34.4	34.4	34.4	34.5	34.5	34.6	34.5
Average hourly earnings.....	\$ 22.92	\$ 22.97	\$ 23.02	\$ 23.05	\$ 23.13	\$ 23.12	\$ 23.16	\$ 23.21	\$ 23.23	\$ 23.25	\$ 23.28	\$ 23.34	\$ 23.39
Average weekly earnings.....	\$786.16	\$790.17	\$791.89	\$792.92	\$795.67	\$793.02	\$796.70	\$798.42	\$799.11	\$802.13	\$803.16	\$807.56	\$806.96
Index of aggregate weekly hours ³	93.5	94.0	94.0	94.1	94.3	94.1	94.5	94.6	94.8	95.3	95.5	96.0	95.8
Over-the-month percent change.....	0.3	0.5	0.0	0.1	0.2	-0.2	0.4	0.1	0.2	0.5	0.2	0.5	-0.2
Index of aggregate weekly payrolls ⁴	102.1	102.9	103.2	103.5	104.0	103.7	104.4	104.8	105.0	105.6	106.0	106.8	106.9
Over-the-month percent change.....	0.4	0.8	0.3	0.3	0.5	-0.3	0.7	0.4	0.2	0.6	0.4	0.8	0.1
HOURS AND EARNINGS PRODUCTION AND NONSUPERVISORY EMPLOYEES													
Total private													
Average weekly hours.....	33.6	33.7	33.6	33.7	33.7	33.6	33.6	33.7	33.7	33.7	33.8	33.8	33.8
Average hourly earnings.....	\$ 19.34	\$ 19.39	\$ 19.43	\$ 19.45	\$ 19.52	\$ 19.50	\$ 19.53	\$ 19.57	\$ 19.58	\$ 19.59	\$ 19.61	\$ 19.65	\$ 19.68
Average weekly earnings.....	\$649.82	\$653.44	\$652.85	\$655.47	\$657.82	\$655.20	\$656.21	\$659.51	\$659.85	\$660.18	\$662.82	\$664.17	\$665.18
Index of aggregate weekly hours ³	100.6	101.2	101.0	101.4	101.5	101.3	101.5	102.0	102.2	102.4	103.0	103.3	103.4
Over-the-month percent change.....	0.2	0.6	-0.2	0.4	0.1	-0.2	0.2	0.5	0.2	0.2	0.6	0.3	0.1
Index of aggregate weekly payrolls ⁴	130.0	131.1	131.1	131.7	132.4	132.0	132.5	133.3	133.7	134.1	135.0	135.7	136.0
Over-the-month percent change.....	0.3	0.8	0.0	0.5	0.5	-0.3	0.4	0.6	0.3	0.3	0.7	0.5	0.2
DIFFUSION INDEXES⁵													
Total Private													
Over 1-month span.....	65.8	65.2	64.5	64.0	63.2	62.2	61.7	61.3	60.9	61.7	61.1	60.7	59.6
Over 3-month span.....	71.8	69.9	67.1	64.3	64.1	61.7	61.3	60.9	61.7	61.1	60.0	72.2	67.7
Over 6-month span.....	71.2	68.8	66.5	68.2	70.5	66.4	65.8	63.5	62.8	63.5	68.6	70.1	68.0
Over 12-month span.....	68.4	67.7	66.4	69.0	68.2	69.4	69.0	66.4	66.9	65.2	70.9	69.5	71.2
Manufacturing													
Over 1-month span.....	66.7	66.7	64.3	67.4	63.6	50.0	53.7	49.4	48.1	64.8	77.8	59.9	67.9
Over 3-month span.....	78.4	72.8	66.7	63.0	62.3	59.3	56.8	55.6	50.0	58.0	65.4	74.7	75.3
Over 6-month span.....	69.1	77.2	74.1	71.6	71.0	68.5	66.7	59.3	54.9	48.8	64.2	62.3	65.4
Over 12-month span.....	63.6	69.1	64.8	69.8	69.8	69.1	70.4	67.9	64.2	62.3	67.9	65.4	69.1

1 Includes other industries, not shown separately.

2 Data relate to production employees in mining and logging and manufacturing, construction employees in construction, and nonsupervisory employees in the service-providing industries.

3 The indexes of aggregate weekly hours are calculated by dividing the current month's estimates of aggregate hours by the corresponding annual average aggregate hours.

4 The indexes of aggregate weekly payrolls are calculated by dividing the current month's estimates of aggregate weekly payrolls by the corresponding annual average aggregate weekly payrolls.

5 Figures are the percent of industries with employment increasing plus one-half of the industries with unchanged employment, where 50 percent indicates an equal balance between industries with increasing and decreasing employment. Based on seasonally adjusted data for 1-, 3-, 6-month spans and unadjusted data for the 12-month span.

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NOTE: Estimates of women employees in the U.S. Postal Service and some related series from the Current Employment Statistics survey were temporarily removed from the BLS data-retrieval system on May 14, 2012. For more information, see http://www.bls.gov/bls/ceswomen_usps.htm