

**Table 14. Private-sector gross job gains and losses by State, seasonally adjusted, December 2005 to December 2006**

State	Gross job gains (3 months ended)					Gross job losses (3 months ended)				
	Dec. 2005	March 2,006	June 2,006	Sept. 2006	Dec. 2006	Dec. 2005	March 2,006	June 2,006	Sept. 2006	Dec. 2006
United States <sup>1</sup> .....	7,818,000	7,556,000	7,761,000	7,364,000	7,734,000	7,267,000	6,772,000	7,295,000	7,345,000	7,218,000
Alabama.....	111,644	103,743	100,806	101,842	107,199	99,996	93,051	99,071	102,805	103,129
Alaska.....	25,128	26,162	28,732	21,653	25,408	27,131	22,015	22,458	26,469	26,404
Arizona.....	165,669	172,185	166,623	171,540	160,222	146,300	128,605	152,171	152,364	163,933
Arkansas.....	60,313	63,772	59,513	58,564	61,309	55,458	52,719	59,445	61,364	57,471
California.....	1,006,738	930,835	946,640	894,866	974,871	869,549	908,131	900,747	901,248	885,374
Colorado.....	147,317	137,874	149,885	143,632	150,585	135,592	127,746	132,040	144,690	139,283
Connecticut.....	80,974	78,840	87,156	81,030	84,707	79,160	75,184	78,338	82,159	76,336
Delaware.....	27,688	25,964	27,770	23,411	25,966	24,638	24,147	25,894	27,461	23,256
District of Columbia.....	25,030	25,992	28,808	27,070	24,618	25,238	23,472	26,600	25,675	27,014
Florida.....	509,472	483,408	521,985	491,734	499,579	494,868	412,651	486,924	487,935	523,909
Georgia.....	249,734	254,688	257,521	245,828	263,741	239,806	221,469	234,320	255,702	252,821
Hawaii.....	28,317	27,755	28,682	27,677	26,988	25,041	25,239	25,417	26,656	26,636
Idaho.....	46,547	47,900	46,222	44,915	47,183	38,450	38,933	42,389	41,259	39,861
Illinois.....	290,919	283,849	307,144	278,479	292,645	288,195	265,395	260,487	285,939	279,570
Indiana.....	150,182	153,313	148,759	145,617	151,719	151,396	139,251	151,810	152,949	148,740
Iowa.....	77,877	78,411	77,936	73,598	77,767	74,249	70,942	71,426	73,492	72,309
Kansas.....	72,070	70,589	71,822	80,934	74,788	65,839	63,421	73,821	66,728	66,975
Kentucky.....	96,228	100,764	86,808	90,598	105,213	95,092	83,274	93,863	95,723	90,001
Louisiana.....	187,824	152,400	121,752	118,861	120,834	170,973	106,838	108,463	103,850	103,978
Maine.....	41,581	35,897	40,509	35,119	40,373	38,398	37,013	37,477	39,311	37,120
Maryland.....	135,651	141,926	135,332	130,763	136,324	136,999	124,303	136,911	137,052	129,773
Massachusetts.....	168,491	158,000	180,115	166,974	165,249	169,677	156,866	157,204	167,204	164,127
Michigan.....	230,363	217,168	247,226	226,239	229,386	262,768	240,164	236,767	256,870	264,248
Minnesota.....	159,995	150,999	156,515	140,806	147,906	148,263	138,180	155,152	169,663	149,422
Mississippi.....	93,194	68,911	63,170	67,660	66,404	75,275	58,031	65,182	62,260	57,787
Missouri.....	145,568	147,198	146,950	136,058	151,533	139,951	130,016	143,022	139,173	137,996
Montana.....	30,785	32,366	30,250	27,174	32,835	26,952	26,295	27,742	29,635	26,749
Nebraska.....	43,833	45,562	45,089	46,787	47,432	43,352	40,306	44,915	44,762	45,157
Nevada.....	82,079	83,069	79,460	73,302	80,243	67,146	64,914	72,452	76,030	76,563
New Hampshire.....	39,517	38,966	40,865	36,945	39,549	39,618	36,492	38,734	40,465	37,576
New Jersey.....	225,042	219,037	236,437	216,977	226,357	227,211	202,605	223,784	224,923	217,483
New Mexico.....	47,360	50,697	55,640	45,774	48,583	40,199	40,418	45,389	44,522	44,936
New York.....	473,818	447,791	492,781	445,715	489,582	455,908	451,192	452,166	451,960	438,190
North Carolina.....	228,096	230,861	227,452	196,479	269,251	215,789	195,681	213,401	192,658	206,114
North Dakota.....	18,089	21,278	19,912	19,691	19,081	17,319	19,482	17,404	17,698	18,043
Ohio.....	281,194	275,509	279,118	263,540	270,013	285,901	267,039	275,088	282,491	281,543
Oklahoma.....	86,237	86,846	84,551	84,772	86,201	73,853	72,135	82,571	79,772	80,346
Oregon.....	111,489	107,162	102,507	102,169	106,566	93,880	95,805	96,836	94,415	97,204
Pennsylvania.....	293,112	294,277	290,192	278,487	284,772	293,303	265,699	274,509	273,665	268,748
Rhode Island.....	27,205	25,115	29,675	28,563	28,393	29,216	25,969	25,856	27,611	28,041
South Carolina.....	112,344	112,541	109,383	120,372	109,548	113,207	96,302	111,868	103,775	96,229
South Dakota.....	22,327	22,138	21,975	21,769	22,560	20,144	20,136	19,380	20,155	19,880
Tennessee.....	146,663	146,443	147,865	142,108	152,248	137,984	126,859	149,756	142,001	133,789
Texas.....	558,177	554,875	552,450	540,271	562,174	471,141	449,775	501,655	466,145	468,078
Utah.....	75,396	83,940	78,096	76,714	79,503	64,986	63,802	65,139	68,215	64,509
Vermont.....	19,901	16,976	19,307	16,913	18,920	17,369	18,362	17,745	18,754	18,062
Virginia.....	192,174	194,549	194,709	178,522	191,491	188,614	168,124	189,246	192,144	178,887
Washington.....	203,013	178,305	186,813	174,517	184,972	164,050	158,201	160,118	167,048	165,782
West Virginia.....	40,633	43,159	37,829	37,494	40,524	37,306	35,462	39,055	39,650	36,510
Wisconsin.....	142,101	142,881	149,177	137,886	144,841	143,637	134,807	140,667	144,676	143,326
Wyoming.....	21,248	22,932	19,250	20,574	22,422	16,698	16,636	18,468	19,282	16,448
Puerto Rico.....	52,544	47,883	46,996	48,181	54,849	42,535	54,181	55,272	52,155	51,298
Virgin Islands.....	2,300	2,478	2,165	2,669	2,068	2,304	1,902	2,474	3,926	1,923

<sup>1</sup> The sum of the states will not necessarily add to the U.S. total because of the independent seasonal adjustment of each state.

NOTE: Totals for the United States do not include data for Puerto Rico or the Virgin Islands.