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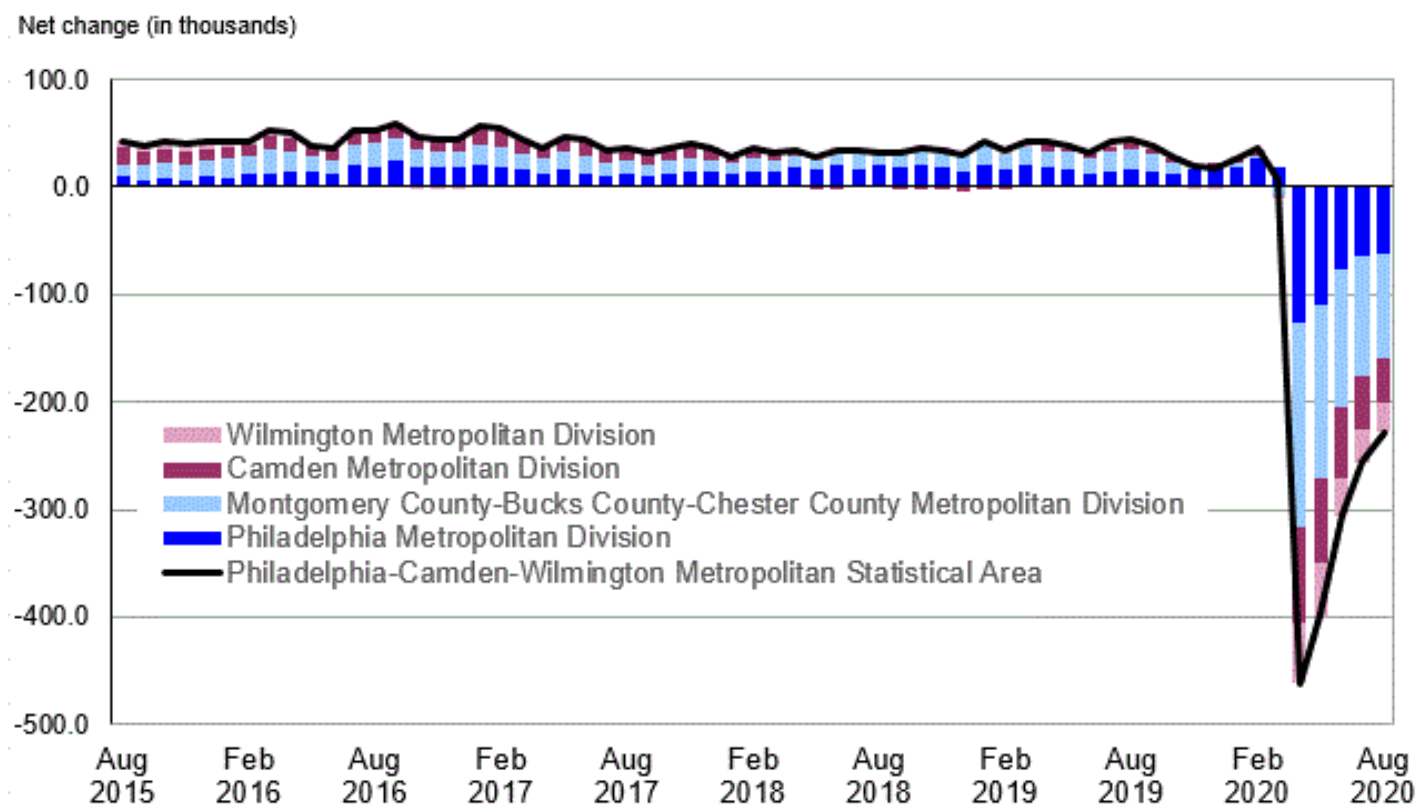
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Philadelphia Area Employment – August 2020

Area's Rate of Employment Decline Faster than the National Average

Total nonfarm employment for the Philadelphia-Camden-Wilmington, PA-NJ-DE-MD Metropolitan Statistical Area stood at 2,733,500 in August 2020, down 228,400, or 7.7 percent, over the year, the U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics reported today. During the same period, the national job count decreased 7.0 percent. (See [chart 1](#) and [table 1](#).) Regional Commissioner Sheila Watkins noted that this was the sixth consecutive month of over-the-year employment declines in the Philadelphia area. (The [Technical Note](#) at the end of this release contains metropolitan area definitions. All data in this release are not seasonally adjusted; accordingly, over-the-year analysis is used throughout.)

Chart 1. Total nonfarm employment, over-the-year net change in the Philadelphia metropolitan area and its divisions, August 2015–August 2020

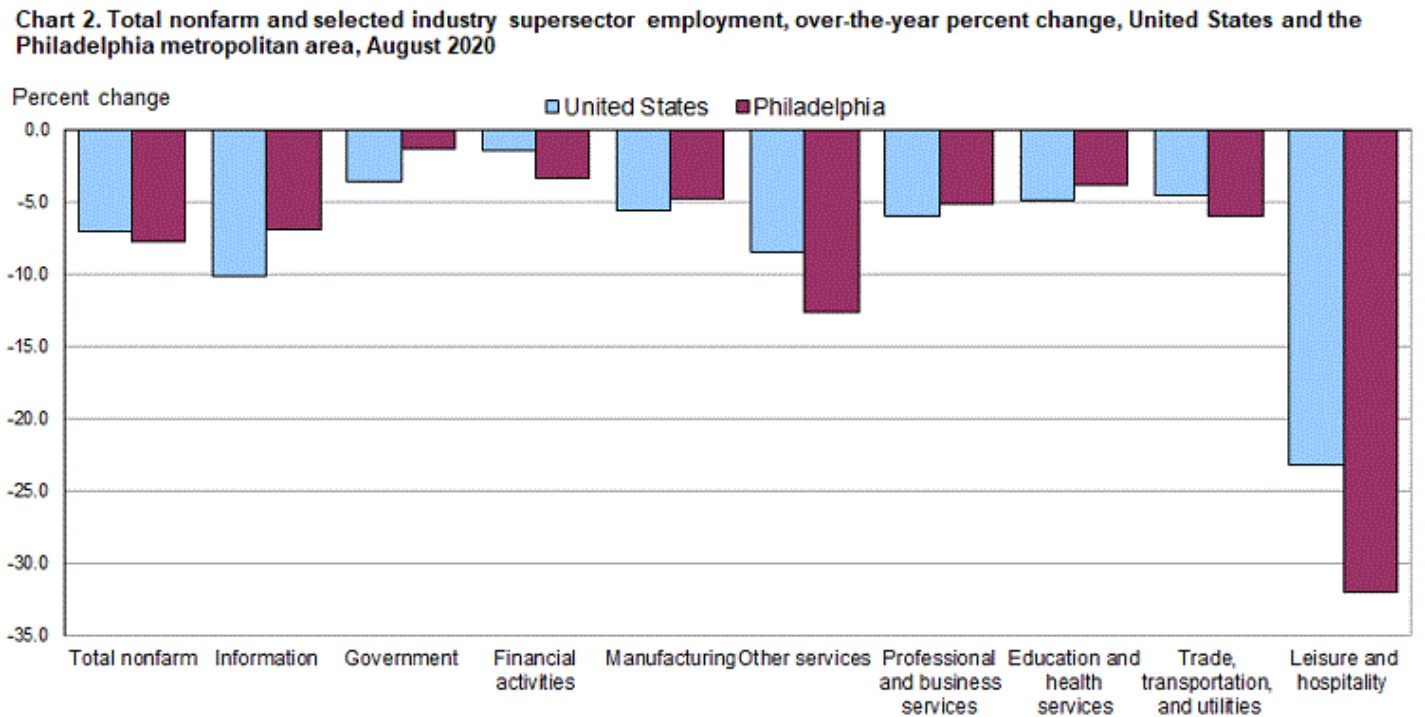


The Philadelphia-Camden-Wilmington, PA-NJ-DE-MD Metropolitan Statistical Area is made up of four metropolitan divisions—separately identifiable employment centers within the greater metropolitan area. All of the four divisions reported employment decreases over the year. The Montgomery County-Bucks County-Chester County Metropolitan Division, with 37 percent of the area’s employment, lost 96,200 jobs since last August. The Philadelphia Metropolitan Division, with 33 percent of the area’s employment, lost 62,600 jobs, and the Camden Metropolitan Division, with 18 percent of the area’s employment, had a decrease of 41,200 jobs over the year. The Wilmington Metropolitan Division, with the remaining 12 percent, lost 28,400 jobs.

Industry employment

In the greater Philadelphia metropolitan area, the leisure and hospitality industry had the largest employment decline from August 2019 to August 2020, losing 93,300 jobs. The Philadelphia area’s 32.1-percent decrease in leisure and hospitality employment compared to the sector’s nationwide decrease of 23.2 percent. (See [chart 2](#).) The Philadelphia County division lost 35,500 jobs and the Montgomery division lost 29,900 jobs.

The next largest over-the-year local job decreases were in the trade, transportation, and utilities (-31,300, -6.0 percent), education and health services (-24,500, -3.8 percent) and professional and business services (-24,100, -5.1 percent) supersectors. Nationally, employment was down 4.5 percent in trade, transportation, and utilities; 4.9 percent in education and health services; and 6.0 percent in professional and business services.

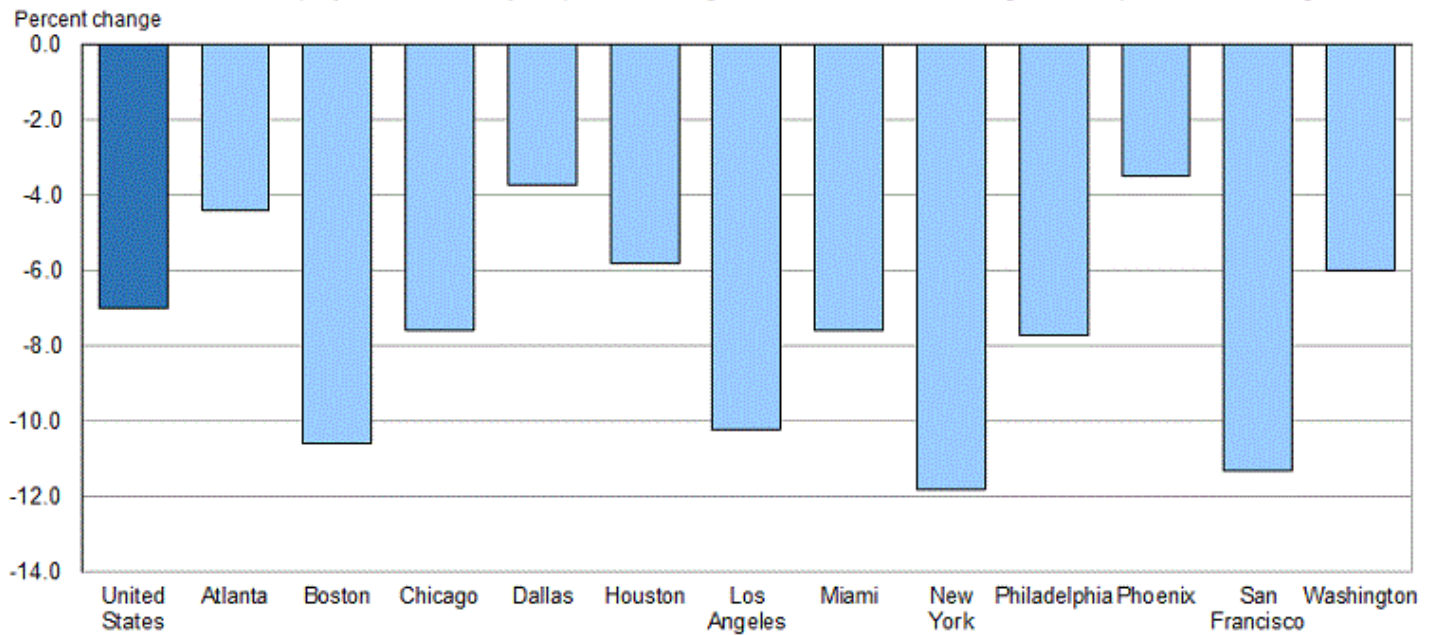


Source: U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics.

Employment in the 12 largest metropolitan areas

Philadelphia-Camden-Wilmington was 1 of the nation’s 12 largest metropolitan statistical areas in August 2020. All 12 areas had over-the-year job losses during the period, with the rates of job loss in 7 areas exceeding the national decrease of 7.0 percent. New York-Newark-Jersey City had the fastest rate of job loss (-11.8 percent), followed by San Francisco-Oakland-Hayward (-11.3 percent). Phoenix-Mesa-Scottsdale (-3.5 percent) had the slowest rate of job loss. (See [chart 3](#) and [table 2](#).)

Chart 3. Total nonfarm employment, over-the-year percent change, United States and 12 largest metropolitan areas, August 2020



Source: U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics.

New York lost the largest number of jobs over the year (-1,176,100), followed by Los Angeles-Long Beach-Anaheim (-633,000). The smallest employment loss occurred in Phoenix (-77,300). Annual losses in the remaining nine metropolitan areas ranged from 366,600 in Chicago-Naperville-Elgin to 126,500 in Atlanta-Sandy Springs-Roswell.

Over the year, leisure and hospitality lost the most jobs in all 12 metropolitan areas. New York had the largest loss of jobs for this sector (-404,900), followed by Los Angeles (-251,900). Phoenix had the smallest job loss for the leisure and hospitality sector (-48,100). The remaining nine areas had job losses ranging from 128,700 in Chicago to 50,400 in Atlanta for this industry sector.

Three areas had job gains over 1,000 within at least one supersector from August 2019 to August 2020: Dallas (financial activities), Phoenix (trade, transportation, utilities; education and health services; and other services), and Washington (government).

Metropolitan area employment data for September 2020 are scheduled to be released on Tuesday, October 20, 2020, at 10:00 a.m. (ET).

Coronavirus (COVID-19) Impact on August 2020 Establishment Survey Data

BLS has continued to review all estimation and methodological procedures for the establishment survey, which included the review of data, estimation processes, the application of the birth-death model, and seasonal adjustment. Business births and deaths cannot be adequately captured by the establishment survey as they occur. Therefore, the Current Employment Statistics (CES) program uses a model to account for the relatively stable net employment change generated by business births and deaths. Due to the impact of COVID-19, the relationship between business births and deaths is no longer stable. Typically, reports with zero employment are not included in estimation. For the July final and August preliminary estimates, CES included a portion of these reports in the estimates and made modifications to the birth-death model. In addition for both months, the establishment survey included a portion of the reports that returned to reporting positive employment from reporting zero employment. For more information, see www.bls.gov/web/empsit/cesbd.htm.

In the establishment survey, workers who are paid by their employer for all or any part of the pay period including the 12th of the month are counted as employed, even if they were not actually at their jobs. Workers who are temporarily or permanently absent from their jobs and are not being paid are not counted as employed, even if they are continuing to receive benefits. The length of the reference period does vary across the respondents in the establishment survey; one-third of businesses have a weekly pay period, slightly over 40 percent a bi-weekly, about 20 percent semi-monthly, and a small amount monthly.

Technical Note

This release presents nonfarm payroll employment estimates from the Current Employment Statistics (CES) program. The CES survey is a Federal-State cooperative endeavor between State employment security agencies and the Bureau of Labor Statistics.

Definitions. Employment data refer to persons on establishment payrolls who receive pay for any part of the pay period which 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. The estimates presented in this release are based on sample surveys, administrative data, and modeling and, thus, are subject to sampling and other types of errors. Sampling error is a measure of sampling variability—that is, variation that occurs by chance because a sample rather than the entire population is surveyed. Survey data also are subject to nonsampling errors, such as those which can be introduced into the data collection and processing operations. Estimates not directly derived from sample surveys are subject to additional errors resulting from the specific estimation processes used. The sums of individual items may not always equal the totals shown in the same tables because of rounding.

Annual revisions. Employment estimates are adjusted annually to a complete count of jobs, called benchmarks, derived principally from tax reports which 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.

Reliability of the estimates. 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 down to the supersector level are available on the BLS website at www.bls.gov/web/laus/790stderr.htm. Measures of nonsampling error are not available for the areas contained in this news release. Information on recent benchmark revisions is available online at www.bls.gov/web/laus/benchmark.pdf.

Employment estimates. Measures of sampling error for state CES data at the supersector level are available on the BLS Web site at www.bls.gov/sae/790stderr.htm. Information on recent benchmark revisions for states is available at www.bls.gov/sae/.

Area definitions. The substate area data published in this release reflect the delineations issued by the U.S. Office of Management and Budget on April 10, 2018. A detailed list of the geographic definitions is available at www.bls.gov/lau/lausmsa.htm.

The **Philadelphia-Camden-Wilmington, PA-NJ-DE-MD Metropolitan Statistical Area** includes Bucks, Chester, Delaware, Montgomery, and Philadelphia Counties in Pennsylvania; Burlington, Camden, Gloucester, and Salem Counties in New Jersey; New Castle County in Delaware; and Cecil County in Maryland.













































- The Camden, NJ Metropolitan Division includes Burlington, Camden, and Gloucester Counties in New Jersey.
- The Montgomery County-Bucks County-Chester County, PA Metropolitan Division includes Bucks, Chester, and Montgomery Counties in Pennsylvania.
- The Philadelphia, PA Metropolitan Division includes Delaware and Philadelphia Counties in Pennsylvania.
- The Wilmington, DE-MD-NJ Metropolitan Division includes New Castle County in Delaware; Cecil County in Maryland; and Salem County in New Jersey.

Additional information

More complete information on the technical procedures used to develop these estimates and additional data appear in *Employment and Earnings*, which is available online at www.bls.gov/opub/ee/home.htm. Detailed industry employment data for metropolitan areas from the CES program are available from the State and Area Employment databases at www.bls.gov/sae/data/home.htm

































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Table 1. Employees on nonfarm payrolls by industry supersector, Philadelphia metropolitan area and its components, not seasonally adjusted (numbers in thousands)

Area	Back data	Aug 2019	Jun 2020	Jul 2020	Aug 2020	Aug 2019 to Aug 2020	
						Net change	Percent change
Philadelphia-Camden-Wilmington, PA-NJ-DE-MD Metropolitan Statistical Area							
Total nonfarm.....		2,961.9	2,680.1	2,705.7	(p)2,733.5	(p)-228.4	(p)-7.7
Mining, logging, and construction.....		124.5	106.4	107.1	(p)108.8	(p)-15.7	(p)-12.6
Manufacturing.....		184.4	176.8	176.7	(p)175.6	(p)-8.8	(p)-4.8
Trade, transportation, and utilities		525.2	481.0	485.7	(p)493.9	(p)-31.3	(p)-6.0
Information		50.4	46.9	47.1	(p)46.9	(p)-3.5	(p)-6.9
Financial activities		218.9	210.3	211.6	(p)211.7	(p)-7.2	(p)-3.3
Professional and business services		473.2	446.4	447.1	(p)449.1	(p)-24.1	(p)-5.1
Education and health services		651.2	618.4	622.7	(p)626.7	(p)-24.5	(p)-3.8
Leisure and hospitality.....		290.9	169.2	192.7	(p)197.6	(p)-93.3	(p)-32.1
Other services		123.6	95.5	104.9	(p)107.9	(p)-15.7	(p)-12.7
Government.....		319.6	329.2	310.1	(p)315.3	(p)-4.3	(p)-1.3
Philadelphia, PA Metropolitan Division							
Total nonfarm.....		967.0	894.2	896.8	(p)904.4	(p)-62.6	(p)-6.5
Mining, logging, and construction.....		25.1	23.7	24.2	(p)24.4	(p)-0.7	(p)-2.8
Manufacturing.....		34.0	32.5	32.3	(p)32.0	(p)-2.0	(p)-5.9
Trade, transportation, and utilities		136.4	130.5	129.4	(p)131.4	(p)-5.0	(p)-3.7
Information		15.6	14.5	14.5	(p)14.5	(p)-1.1	(p)-7.1
Financial activities		60.1	59.2	59.5	(p)59.5	(p)-0.6	(p)-1.0
Professional and business services		138.1	129.4	130.6	(p)130.8	(p)-7.3	(p)-5.3
Education and health services		290.1	282.7	281.0	(p)281.0	(p)-9.1	(p)-3.1
Leisure and hospitality.....		100.9	58.9	64.6	(p)65.4	(p)-35.5	(p)-35.2
Other services		40.2	33.3	35.3	(p)35.8	(p)-4.4	(p)-10.9
Government.....		126.5	129.5	125.4	(p)129.6	(p)3.1	(p)2.5
Philadelphia City, PA							
Total nonfarm.....		728.6	671.5	672.5	(p)680.5	(p)-48.1	(p)-6.6
Mining, logging, and construction.....		12.4	11.7	12.0	(p)12.3	(p)-0.1	(p)-0.8
Manufacturing.....		19.5	18.2	18.2	(p)18.1	(p)-1.4	(p)-7.2
Trade, transportation, and utilities		93.3	89.8	88.3	(p)90.3	(p)-3.0	(p)-3.2
Information		12.4	11.6	11.6	(p)11.6	(p)-0.8	(p)-6.5
Financial activities		43.5	42.3	42.5	(p)42.5	(p)-1.0	(p)-2.3
Professional and business services		104.3	96.4	98.4	(p)98.7	(p)-5.6	(p)-5.4
Education and health services		233.1	230.0	226.5	(p)226.3	(p)-6.8	(p)-2.9
Leisure and hospitality.....		77.2	41.8	46.6	(p)47.4	(p)-29.8	(p)-38.6
Other services		28.6	24.1	25.1	(p)25.5	(p)-3.1	(p)-10.8
Government.....		104.3	105.6	103.3	(p)107.8	(p)3.5	(p)3.4
Delaware County, PA							
Total nonfarm.....		238.4	222.7	224.3	(p)223.9	(p)-14.5	(p)-6.1
Mining, logging, and construction.....		12.7	12.0	12.2	(p)12.1	(p)-0.6	(p)-4.7
Manufacturing.....		14.5	14.3	14.1	(p)13.9	(p)-0.6	(p)-4.1
Trade, transportation, and utilities		43.1	40.7	41.1	(p)41.1	(p)-2.0	(p)-4.6
Information		3.2	2.9	2.9	(p)2.9	(p)-0.3	(p)-9.4
Financial activities		16.6	16.9	17.0	(p)17.0	(p)0.4	(p)2.4
Professional and business services		33.8	33.0	32.2	(p)32.1	(p)-1.7	(p)-5.0
Education and health services		57.0	52.7	54.5	(p)54.7	(p)-2.3	(p)-4.0
Leisure and hospitality.....		23.7	17.1	18.0	(p)18.0	(p)-5.7	(p)-24.1
Other services		11.6	9.2	10.2	(p)10.3	(p)-1.3	(p)-11.2
Government.....		22.2	23.9	22.1	(p)21.8	(p)-0.4	(p)-1.8

Note: See footnotes at end of table.

Table 1. Employees on nonfarm payrolls by industry supersector, Philadelphia metropolitan area and its components, not seasonally adjusted (numbers in thousands) - Continued

Area	Back data	Aug 2019	Jun 2020	Jul 2020	Aug 2020	Aug 2019 to Aug 2020	
						Net change	Percent change
Montgomery County-Bucks County-Chester County, PA Metropolitan Division							
Total nonfarm.....		1,091.2	970.2	984.9	(p)995.0	(p)-96.2	(p)-8.8
Mining, logging, and construction.....		57.4	44.6	44.3	(p)44.6	(p)-12.8	(p)-22.3
Manufacturing.....		92.0	87.1	87.4	(p)86.7	(p)-5.3	(p)-5.8
Trade, transportation, and utilities		199.1	171.1	173.7	(p)176.9	(p)-22.2	(p)-11.2
Information		24.8	23.7	23.8	(p)23.6	(p)-1.2	(p)-4.8
Financial activities		85.6	82.7	83.6	(p)83.9	(p)-1.7	(p)-2.0
Professional and business services		207.8	199.7	198.7	(p)200.2	(p)-7.6	(p)-3.7
Education and health services		198.0	187.6	191.6	(p)193.2	(p)-4.8	(p)-2.4
Leisure and hospitality.....		99.7	56.8	67.2	(p)69.8	(p)-29.9	(p)-30.0
Other services		49.7	36.3	39.7	(p)41.0	(p)-8.7	(p)-17.5
Government.....		77.1	80.6	74.9	(p)75.1	(p)-2.0	(p)-2.6
Camden, NJ Metropolitan Division							
Total nonfarm.....		541.6	487.2	491.2	(p)500.4	(p)-41.2	(p)-7.6
Mining, logging, and construction.....		24.4	22.5	22.7	(p)23.7	(p)-0.7	(p)-2.9
Manufacturing.....		39.7	39.8	39.7	(p)39.6	(p)-0.1	(p)-0.3
Trade, transportation, and utilities		125.0	119.1	121.8	(p)123.7	(p)-1.3	(p)-1.0
Information		6.9	6.0	6.0	(p)6.1	(p)-0.8	(p)-11.6
Financial activities		29.4	25.9	25.9	(p)26.4	(p)-3.0	(p)-10.2
Professional and business services		74.5	68.0	68.6	(p)68.8	(p)-5.7	(p)-7.7
Education and health services		99.4	90.2	91.4	(p)93.4	(p)-6.0	(p)-6.0
Leisure and hospitality.....		53.1	28.1	32.5	(p)34.3	(p)-18.8	(p)-35.4
Other services		19.4	13.6	16.8	(p)17.6	(p)-1.8	(p)-9.3
Government.....		69.8	74.0	65.8	(p)66.8	(p)-3.0	(p)-4.3
Wilmington, DE-MD-NJ Metropolitan Division							
Total nonfarm.....		362.1	328.5	332.8	(p)333.7	(p)-28.4	(p)-7.8
Mining, logging, and construction.....		17.6	15.6	15.9	(p)16.1	(p)-1.5	(p)-8.5
Manufacturing.....		18.7	17.4	17.3	(p)17.3	(p)-1.4	(p)-7.5
Trade, transportation, and utilities		64.7	60.3	60.8	(p)61.9	(p)-2.8	(p)-4.3
Information		3.1	2.7	2.8	(p)2.7	(p)-0.4	(p)-12.9
Financial activities		43.8	42.5	42.6	(p)41.9	(p)-1.9	(p)-4.3
Professional and business services		52.8	49.3	49.2	(p)49.3	(p)-3.5	(p)-6.6
Education and health services		63.7	57.9	58.7	(p)59.1	(p)-4.6	(p)-7.2
Leisure and hospitality.....		37.2	25.4	28.4	(p)28.1	(p)-9.1	(p)-24.5
Other services		14.3	12.3	13.1	(p)13.5	(p)-0.8	(p)-5.6
Government.....		46.2	45.1	44.0	(p)43.8	(p)-2.4	(p)-5.2














































Footnotes

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Table 2. Employees on nonfarm payrolls by industry supersector, United States and 12 large metropolitan areas, not seasonally adjusted (numbers in thousands)

Area	Back data	Aug 2019	Jun 2020	Jul 2020	Aug 2020	Aug 2019 to Aug 2020	
						Net change	Percent change
United States							
Total nonfarm.....		151,141	138,502	139,076	(p)140,718	(p)-10,423	(p)-6.9
Mining and logging		744	630	630	(p)620	(p)-124	(p)-16.7
Construction		7,760	7,365	7,427	(p)7,461	(p)-299	(p)-3.9
Manufacturing.....		12,929	12,139	12,175	(p)12,212	(p)-717	(p)-5.5
Trade, transportation, and utilities		27,619	25,868	26,095	(p)26,403	(p)-1,216	(p)-4.4
Information		2,887	2,584	2,583	(p)2,601	(p)-286	(p)-9.9
Financial activities		8,835	8,648	8,681	(p)8,703	(p)-132	(p)-1.5
Professional and business services		21,521	19,838	20,010	(p)20,220	(p)-1,301	(p)-6.0
Education and health services		23,980	22,556	22,646	(p)22,835	(p)-1,145	(p)-4.8
Leisure and hospitality.....		17,244	12,437	13,152	(p)13,231	(p)-4,013	(p)-23.3
Other services		5,951	5,246	5,409	(p)5,445	(p)-506	(p)-8.5
Government.....		21,671	21,191	20,268	(p)20,987	(p)-684	(p)-3.2
Atlanta-Sandy Springs-Roswell, GA							
Total nonfarm.....		2,852.7	2,687.9	2,702.0	(p)2,726.2	(p)-126.5	(p)-4.4
Mining and logging		1.6	1.5	1.5	(p)1.5	(p)-0.1	(p)-6.3
Construction		130.4	127.8	127.0	(p)127.5	(p)-2.9	(p)-2.2
Manufacturing.....		173.0	159.7	159.7	(p)161.0	(p)-12.0	(p)-6.9
Trade, transportation, and utilities		598.0	588.0	589.7	(p)598.4	(p)0.4	(p)0.1
Information		101.0	91.2	91.4	(p)91.3	(p)-9.7	(p)-9.6
Financial activities		179.8	174.1	172.3	(p)169.8	(p)-10.0	(p)-5.6
Professional and business services		548.1	515.9	517.2	(p)522.0	(p)-26.1	(p)-4.8
Education and health services		370.7	362.5	363.7	(p)368.2	(p)-2.5	(p)-0.7
Leisure and hospitality.....		311.1	250.6	262.5	(p)260.7	(p)-50.4	(p)-16.2
Other services		105.4	94.4	96.2	(p)98.3	(p)-7.1	(p)-6.7
Government.....		333.6	322.2	320.8	(p)327.5	(p)-6.1	(p)-1.8
Boston-Cambridge-Nashua, MA-NH (NECTA)							
Total nonfarm.....		2,817.0	2,446.4	2,487.8	(p)2,518.0	(p)-299.0	(p)-10.6
Mining, logging, and construction.....		127.7	106.4	110.8	(p)111.1	(p)-16.6	(p)-13.0
Manufacturing.....		189.4	175.4	176.3	(p)176.5	(p)-12.9	(p)-6.8
Trade, transportation, and utilities		426.3	364.0	375.4	(p)384.0	(p)-42.3	(p)-9.9
Information		84.3	79.5	80.4	(p)81.4	(p)-2.9	(p)-3.4
Financial activities		190.7	185.5	186.0	(p)185.2	(p)-5.5	(p)-2.9
Professional and business services		525.9	490.7	494.7	(p)498.4	(p)-27.5	(p)-5.2
Education and health services		579.2	525.0	533.7	(p)540.3	(p)-38.9	(p)-6.7
Leisure and hospitality.....		295.6	157.6	181.3	(p)190.8	(p)-104.8	(p)-35.5
Other services		107.9	70.9	78.0	(p)78.8	(p)-29.1	(p)-27.0
Government.....		290.0	291.4	271.2	(p)271.5	(p)-18.5	(p)-6.4
Chicago-Naperville-Elgin, IL-IN-WI							
Total nonfarm.....		4,797.0	4,344.8	4,399.7	(p)4,430.4	(p)-366.6	(p)-7.6
Mining and logging		1.9	1.7	1.6	(p)1.7	(p)-0.2	(p)-10.5
Construction		191.1	179.0	181.4	(p)181.4	(p)-9.7	(p)-5.1
Manufacturing.....		420.6	402.4	400.3	(p)400.8	(p)-19.8	(p)-4.7
Trade, transportation, and utilities		949.4	893.2	901.3	(p)904.1	(p)-45.3	(p)-4.8
Information		79.5	75.7	75.4	(p)75.3	(p)-4.2	(p)-5.3
Financial activities		323.1	311.2	312.8	(p)310.9	(p)-12.2	(p)-3.8
Professional and business services		852.8	778.7	786.7	(p)793.6	(p)-59.2	(p)-6.9
Education and health services		725.9	690.3	692.2	(p)696.8	(p)-29.1	(p)-4.0
Leisure and hospitality.....		515.0	329.1	379.4	(p)386.3	(p)-128.7	(p)-25.0












































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Area	Back data	Aug 2019	Jun 2020	Jul 2020	Aug 2020	Aug 2019 to Aug 2020	
						Net change	Percent change
Other services		200.7	179.5	179.9	(p)181.4	(p)-19.3	(p)-9.6
Government.....		537.0	504.0	488.7	(p)498.1	(p)-38.9	(p)-7.2
Dallas-Fort Worth-Arlington, TX							
Total nonfarm.....		3,797.8	3,642.0	3,627.5	(p)3,657.5	(p)-140.3	(p)-3.7
Mining, logging, and construction.....		229.9	229.8	229.9	(p)228.1	(p)-1.8	(p)-0.8
Manufacturing.....		290.9	280.0	279.8	(p)279.0	(p)-11.9	(p)-4.1
Trade, transportation, and utilities		795.5	782.8	780.3	(p)786.6	(p)-8.9	(p)-1.1
Information		82.1	80.1	79.5	(p)79.9	(p)-2.2	(p)-2.7
Financial activities		322.4	328.5	331.4	(p)332.3	(p)9.9	(p)3.1
Professional and business services		651.9	626.4	634.0	(p)645.5	(p)-6.4	(p)-1.0
Education and health services		464.3	431.4	428.2	(p)434.5	(p)-29.8	(p)-6.4
Leisure and hospitality.....		402.8	334.0	327.3	(p)323.0	(p)-79.8	(p)-19.8
Other services		129.8	121.2	118.1	(p)120.6	(p)-9.2	(p)-7.1
Government.....		428.2	427.8	419.0	(p)428.0	(p)-0.2	(p)0.0
Houston-The Woodlands-Sugar Land, TX							
Total nonfarm.....		3,150.3	2,980.4	2,962.2	(p)2,967.5	(p)-182.8	(p)-5.8
Mining and logging		79.8	61.5	60.6	(p)59.9	(p)-19.9	(p)-24.9
Construction		239.1	218.7	217.9	(p)216.3	(p)-22.8	(p)-9.5
Manufacturing.....		237.3	219.7	215.8	(p)214.3	(p)-23.0	(p)-9.7
Trade, transportation, and utilities		627.4	607.6	605.0	(p)610.1	(p)-17.3	(p)-2.8
Information		32.8	29.6	29.4	(p)28.8	(p)-4.0	(p)-12.2
Financial activities		167.8	164.5	164.6	(p)164.7	(p)-3.1	(p)-1.8
Professional and business services		510.6	500.8	505.4	(p)509.4	(p)-1.2	(p)-0.2
Education and health services		406.0	395.7	398.7	(p)394.2	(p)-11.8	(p)-2.9
Leisure and hospitality.....		338.1	285.0	279.6	(p)279.8	(p)-58.3	(p)-17.2
Other services		116.0	98.7	100.2	(p)104.7	(p)-11.3	(p)-9.7
Government.....		395.4	398.6	385.0	(p)385.3	(p)-10.1	(p)-2.6
Los Angeles-Long Beach-Anaheim, CA							
Total nonfarm.....		6,211.8	(1)5,591.0	5,563.6	(p)5,578.8	(p)-633.0	(p)-10.2
Mining and logging		2.3	2.3	2.3	(p)2.3	(p)0.0	(p)0.0
Construction		260.9	251.4	249.3	(p)251.7	(p)-9.2	(p)-3.5
Manufacturing.....		500.0	457.1	458.9	(p)455.6	(p)-44.4	(p)-8.9
Trade, transportation, and utilities		1,109.3	1,010.4	1,024.1	(p)1,036.0	(p)-73.3	(p)-6.6
Information		238.2	200.2	202.5	(p)204.6	(p)-33.6	(p)-14.1
Financial activities		343.3	331.4	337.4	(p)335.2	(p)-8.1	(p)-2.4
Professional and business services		978.8	888.1	895.7	(p)896.7	(p)-82.1	(p)-8.4
Education and health services		1,070.9	1,014.1	1,016.3	(p)1,016.9	(p)-54.0	(p)-5.0
Leisure and hospitality.....		780.0	542.1	543.4	(p)528.1	(p)-251.9	(p)-32.3
Other services		211.8	160.2	164.7	(p)161.5	(p)-50.3	(p)-23.7
Government.....		716.3	(1)733.7	669.0	(p)690.2	(p)-26.1	(p)-3.6
Miami-Fort Lauderdale-West Palm Beach, FL							
Total nonfarm.....		2,714.4	2,493.0	2,479.6	(p)2,507.4	(p)-207.0	(p)-7.6
Mining and logging		0.7	0.8	0.8	(p)0.8	(p)0.1	(p)14.3
Construction		143.2	142.0	140.6	(p)138.0	(p)-5.2	(p)-3.6
Manufacturing.....		92.0	84.5	85.3	(p)85.6	(p)-6.4	(p)-7.0
Trade, transportation, and utilities		610.7	573.8	576.7	(p)580.5	(p)-30.2	(p)-4.9
Information		51.0	48.0	47.0	(p)46.7	(p)-4.3	(p)-8.4
Financial activities		189.8	189.2	190.4	(p)189.1	(p)-0.7	(p)-0.4



















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Table 2. Employees on nonfarm payrolls by industry supersector, United States and 12 large metropolitan areas, not seasonally adjusted (numbers in thousands) - Continued

Area	Back data	Aug 2019	Jun 2020	Jul 2020	Aug 2020	Aug 2019 to Aug 2020	
						Net change	Percent change
Professional and business services		455.7	420.2	421.2	(p)423.7	(p)-32.0	(p)-7.0
Education and health services		407.1	381.7	376.4	(p)380.7	(p)-26.4	(p)-6.5
Leisure and hospitality.....		327.3	254.9	244.7	(p)241.1	(p)-86.2	(p)-26.3
Other services		119.4	108.1	108.3	(p)108.0	(p)-11.4	(p)-9.5
Government.....		317.5	289.8	288.2	(p)313.2	(p)-4.3	(p)-1.4
New York-Newark-Jersey City, NY-NJ-PA							
Total nonfarm.....		9,928.7	8,508.1	8,618.4	(p)8,752.6	(p)-1,176.1	(p)-11.8
Mining, logging, and construction.....		429.6	359.2	376.8	(p)380.9	(p)-48.7	(p)-11.3
Manufacturing.....		359.9	324.4	326.5	(p)328.9	(p)-31.0	(p)-8.6
Trade, transportation, and utilities		1,712.9	1,461.7	1,520.9	(p)1,536.4	(p)-176.5	(p)-10.3
Information		301.4	277.0	280.4	(p)284.9	(p)-16.5	(p)-5.5
Financial activities		802.4	746.8	751.4	(p)758.2	(p)-44.2	(p)-5.5
Professional and business services		1,626.5	1,426.1	1,444.6	(p)1,446.6	(p)-179.9	(p)-11.1
Education and health services		1,992.8	1,839.8	1,844.4	(p)1,854.1	(p)-138.7	(p)-7.0
Leisure and hospitality.....		992.8	475.4	560.2	(p)587.9	(p)-404.9	(p)-40.8
Other services		428.9	322.6	358.8	(p)367.8	(p)-61.1	(p)-14.2
Government.....		1,281.5	1,275.1	1,154.4	(p)1,206.9	(p)-74.6	(p)-5.8
Philadelphia-Camden-Wilmington, PA-NJ-DE-MD							
Total nonfarm.....		2,961.9	2,680.1	2,705.7	(p)2,733.5	(p)-228.4	(p)-7.7
Mining, logging, and construction.....		124.5	106.4	107.1	(p)108.8	(p)-15.7	(p)-12.6
Manufacturing.....		184.4	176.8	176.7	(p)175.6	(p)-8.8	(p)-4.8
Trade, transportation, and utilities		525.2	481.0	485.7	(p)493.9	(p)-31.3	(p)-6.0
Information		50.4	46.9	47.1	(p)46.9	(p)-3.5	(p)-6.9
Financial activities		218.9	210.3	211.6	(p)211.7	(p)-7.2	(p)-3.3
Professional and business services		473.2	446.4	447.1	(p)449.1	(p)-24.1	(p)-5.1
Education and health services		651.2	618.4	622.7	(p)626.7	(p)-24.5	(p)-3.8
Leisure and hospitality.....		290.9	169.2	192.7	(p)197.6	(p)-93.3	(p)-32.1
Other services		123.6	95.5	104.9	(p)107.9	(p)-15.7	(p)-12.7
Government.....		319.6	329.2	310.1	(p)315.3	(p)-4.3	(p)-1.3
Phoenix-Mesa-Scottsdale, AZ							
Total nonfarm.....		2,179.3	2,060.7	2,050.7	(p)2,102.0	(p)-77.3	(p)-3.5
Mining and logging		3.6	3.6	3.6	(p)3.5	(p)-0.1	(p)-2.8
Construction		136.3	133.4	132.0	(p)132.2	(p)-4.1	(p)-3.0
Manufacturing.....		134.6	130.5	129.9	(p)130.4	(p)-4.2	(p)-3.1
Trade, transportation, and utilities		405.5	407.7	408.3	(p)413.1	(p)7.6	(p)1.9
Information		40.8	37.8	38.0	(p)38.5	(p)-2.3	(p)-5.6
Financial activities		204.3	203.4	202.6	(p)204.4	(p)0.1	(p)0.0
Professional and business services		371.2	341.9	343.4	(p)345.5	(p)-25.7	(p)-6.9
Education and health services		339.3	330.4	332.5	(p)342.6	(p)3.3	(p)1.0
Leisure and hospitality.....		229.2	189.4	177.6	(p)181.1	(p)-48.1	(p)-21.0
Other services		70.6	71.6	71.4	(p)72.4	(p)1.8	(p)2.5
Government.....		243.9	211.0	211.4	(p)238.3	(p)-5.6	(p)-2.3
San Francisco-Oakland-Hayward, CA							
Total nonfarm.....		2,494.7	(1)2,200.6	2,196.4	(p)2,213.1	(p)-281.6	(p)-11.3
Mining and logging		0.3	0.3	0.3	(p)0.3	(p)0.0	(p)0.0
Construction		130.9	115.9	115.0	(p)115.6	(p)-15.3	(p)-11.7
Manufacturing.....		143.9	125.4	126.4	(p)127.1	(p)-16.8	(p)-11.7
Trade, transportation, and utilities		373.8	328.5	334.4	(p)337.2	(p)-36.6	(p)-9.8

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Table 2. Employees on nonfarm payrolls by industry supersector, United States and 12 large metropolitan areas, not seasonally adjusted (numbers in thousands) - Continued

Area	Back data	Aug 2019	Jun 2020	Jul 2020	Aug 2020	Aug 2019 to Aug 2020	
						Net change	Percent change
Information		131.3	119.9	121.4	(p)120.7	(p)-10.6	(p)-8.1
Financial activities		149.0	146.2	146.8	(p)147.5	(p)-1.5	(p)-1.0
Professional and business services		510.2	480.9	483.9	(p)485.5	(p)-24.7	(p)-4.8
Education and health services		361.4	333.7	335.6	(p)336.6	(p)-24.8	(p)-6.9
Leisure and hospitality.....		289.4	181.5	187.1	(p)186.2	(p)-103.2	(p)-35.7
Other services		89.1	68.5	71.0	(p)69.7	(p)-19.4	(p)-21.8
Government.....		315.4	(1)299.8	274.5	(p)286.7	(p)-28.7	(p)-9.1
Washington-Arlington-Alexandria, DC-VA-MD-WV							
Total nonfarm.....		3,345.9	3,119.2	3,128.1	(p)3,144.5	(p)-201.4	(p)-6.0
Mining, logging, and construction.....		168.7	162.9	166.8	(p)166.7	(p)-2.0	(p)-1.2
Manufacturing.....		57.2	54.4	54.3	(p)54.3	(p)-2.9	(p)-5.1
Trade, transportation, and utilities		408.0	374.6	382.2	(p)383.2	(p)-24.8	(p)-6.1
Information		77.5	73.2	74.0	(p)73.9	(p)-3.6	(p)-4.6
Financial activities		162.3	158.1	157.4	(p)157.8	(p)-4.5	(p)-2.8
Professional and business services		787.2	764.6	768.7	(p)769.9	(p)-17.3	(p)-2.2
Education and health services		442.3	408.0	406.0	(p)407.1	(p)-35.2	(p)-8.0
Leisure and hospitality.....		347.6	223.4	243.6	(p)243.4	(p)-104.2	(p)-30.0
Other services		212.5	203.5	203.9	(p)204.3	(p)-8.2	(p)-3.9
Government.....		682.6	696.5	671.2	(p)683.9	(p)1.3	(p)0.2

Footnotes

(1) Correction

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