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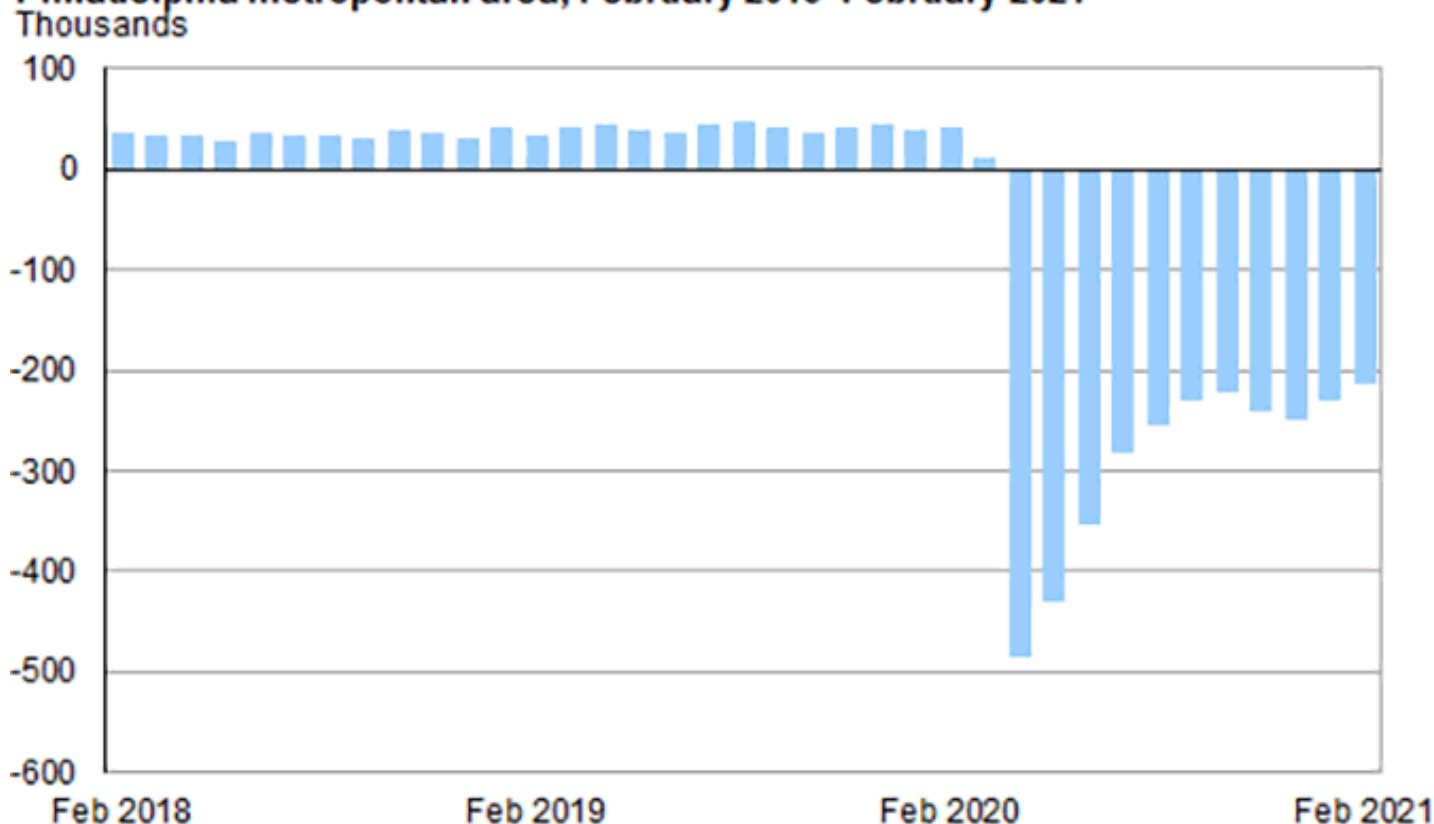
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Philadelphia Area Employment – February 2021

Total nonfarm employment for the Philadelphia-Camden-Wilmington, PA-NJ-DE-MD Metropolitan Statistical Area decreased by 214,600 over the year in February, the U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics reported today. (See [chart 1](#) and [table 1](#).) Regional Commissioner Alexandra Hall Bovee noted that the local rate of job loss, 7.2 percent, compared to the 6.0-percent national decline. (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. Over-the-year net change for total nonfarm employment in the Philadelphia metropolitan area, February 2018–February 2021



Source: U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics.

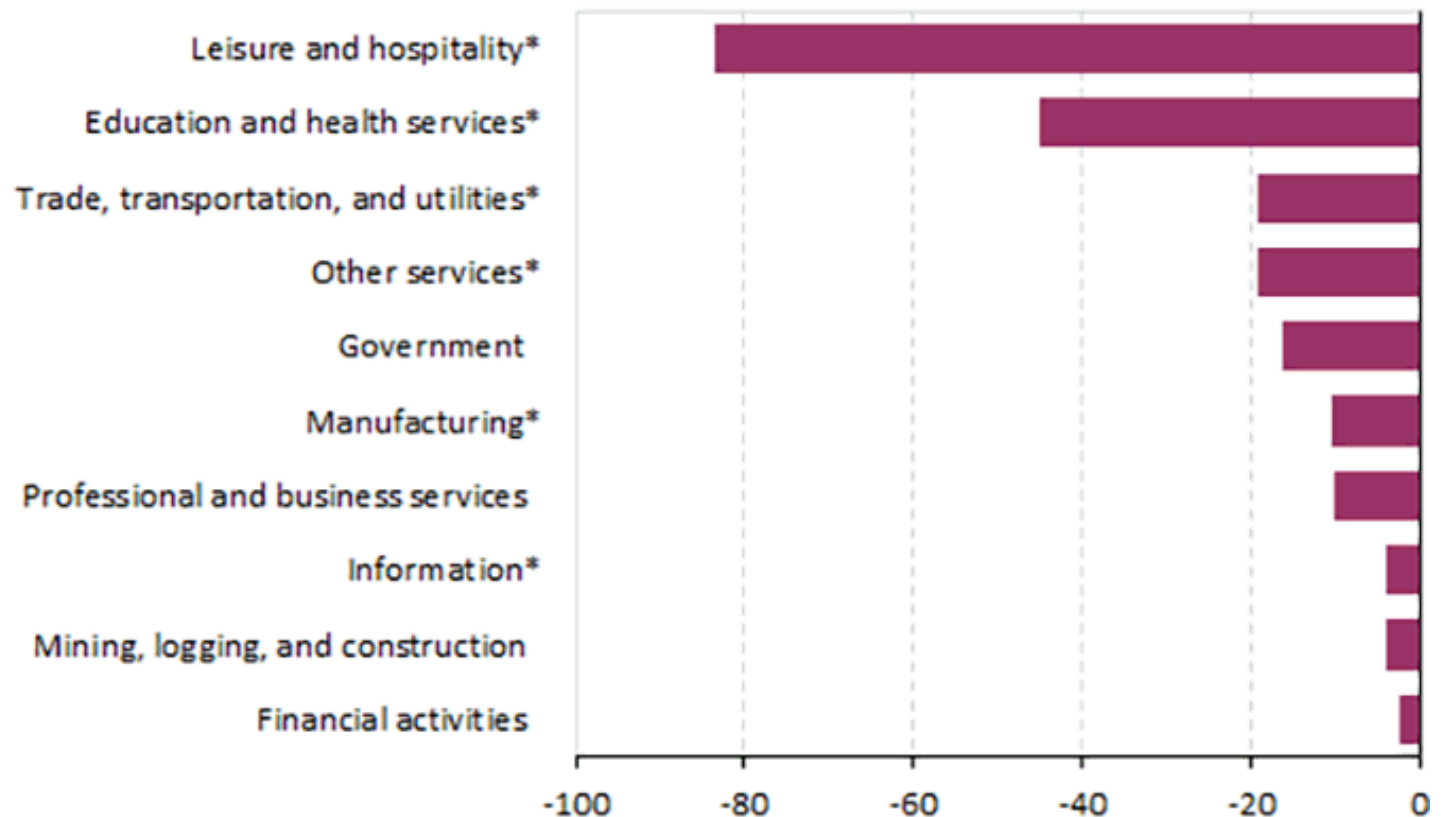
The Philadelphia-Camden-Wilmington Metropolitan Statistical Area is made up of four metropolitan divisions—separately identifiable employment centers within the greater metropolitan area. Employment declined over the year in all four divisions. The Montgomery County-Bucks County-Chester County Metropolitan Division, with 37 percent of the area's total nonfarm employment, lost 64,600 jobs over the year. The Philadelphia

Metropolitan Division, which accounted for 32 percent of the area’s employment, lost 97,300 jobs since February 2020. The Camden Metropolitan Division, with 18 percent of local employment, lost 36,900 jobs, and the Wilmington Metropolitan Division, with 12 percent of the area’s employment, lost 15,800 jobs.

Industry employment

In the greater Philadelphia area, leisure and hospitality had the largest job loss (-83,400), with all four divisions recording declines. (See [chart 2](#).) The 31.3-percent decline in Philadelphia’s leisure and hospitality supersector compared to the 20.2-percent loss on a national level.

Chart 2. Over-the-year net change for industry supersector employment in the Philadelphia metropolitan area, February 2021 (in thousands)



Note: An asterisk indicates statistical significance at the 90-percent confidence level.

Source: U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics.

Education and health services lost 45,200 jobs over the year in the local area. All four divisions lost jobs over the year. The Philadelphia division’s loss of 21,300 jobs accounted for 47 percent of the local area’s employment loss in this industry. The local area had a 6.6-percent loss compared to the 5.3-percent decline for the nation.

Trade, transportation, and utilities lost 19,200 jobs locally. Within the supersector, employment in the retail trade sector was down 13,800. Wilmington was the only division that did not report a significant decline in this supersector.

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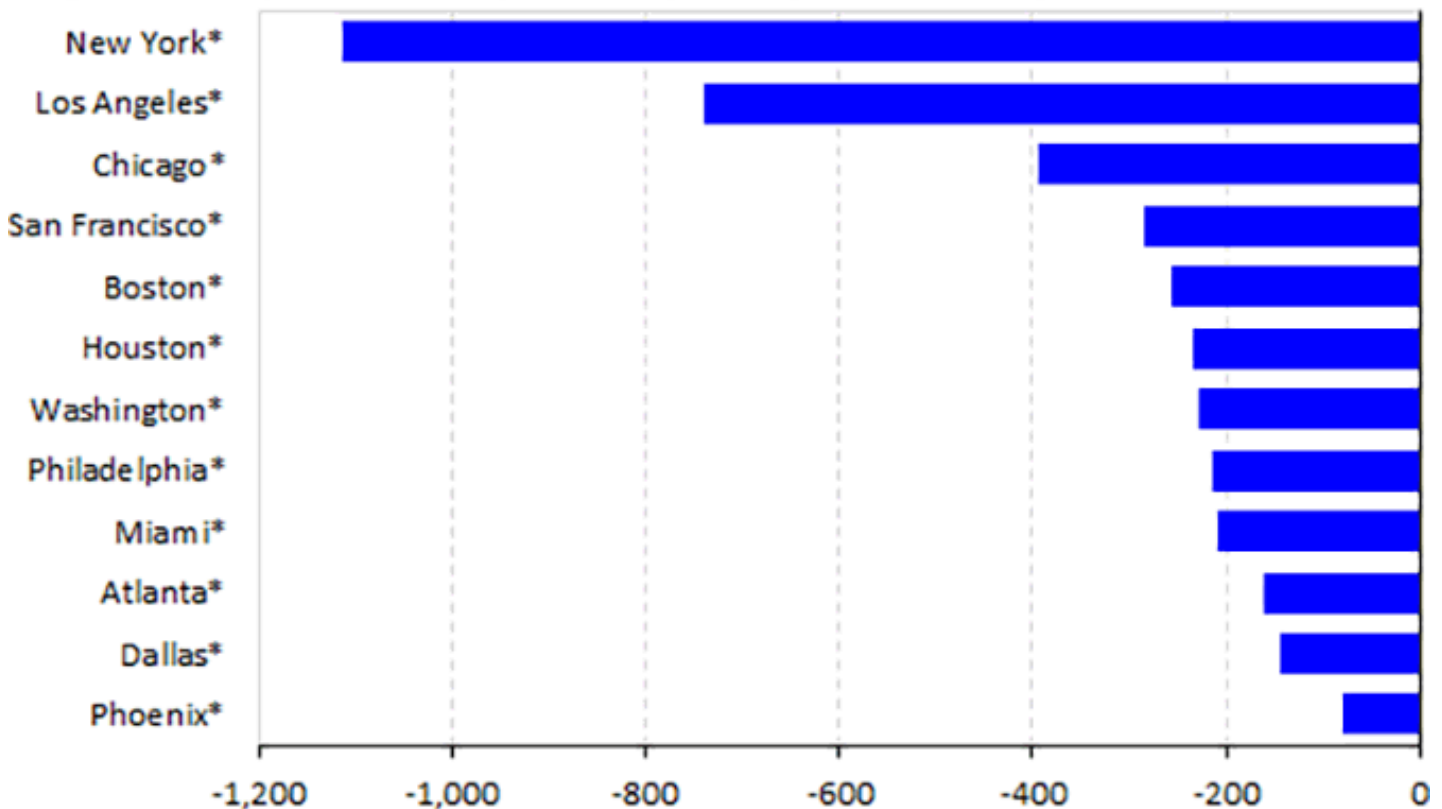
The manufacturing and information supersectors also recorded employment declines, down 10,600 and 4,200, respectively.

Twelve largest metropolitan areas

Philadelphia was 1 of the nation's 12 largest metropolitan statistical areas in February 2021. All 12 areas lost jobs over the year. New York-Newark-Jersey City had the largest decline (-1,113,600). Phoenix-Mesa-Scottsdale has the smallest loss (-79,600) among the largest areas. (See [chart 3](#) and [table 2](#).)

Los Angeles-Long Beach-Anaheim had an 11.7-percent rate of job loss, followed by San Francisco-Hayward-Oakland (-11.3 percent) and New York (-11.2 percent). The rates of job losses in the remaining nine areas ranged from 9.1 percent in Boston-Cambridge-Nashua to 3.6 percent in Phoenix.

Chart 3. Over-the-year net change in total nonfarm employment for the 12 largest metropolitan areas, February 2021 (in thousands)



Note: An asterisk indicates statistical significance at the 90-percent confidence level.

Source: U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics.

The Metropolitan Area Employment and Unemployment release for March 2021 is scheduled to be released on Wednesday, April 28, 2021 at 10:00 a.m. (ET).

Coronavirus (COVID-19) Pandemic Impact on February 2021 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 January final and February 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/empstat/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. 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 sample of establishments is very small or highly variable. In these cases, a model-based approach is used in estimation. These models use the direct sample estimates (described above), combined with forecasts of historical (benchmarked) data to decrease volatility in estimation. Two different

models (Fay-Herriot Model and Small Domain Model) are used depending on the industry level being estimated. For more detailed information about each model, refer to the BLS Handbook of Methods at www.bls.gov/opub/hom/pdf/ces-20110307.pdf.

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. 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.

Employment estimates. Changes in metropolitan area nonfarm payroll employment are cited in the analysis of this 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 <https://www.bls.gov/web/laus/790stderr.htm>. Information on recent benchmark revisions is available online at www.bls.gov/web/laus/bmrk_article.htm.

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.

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 **Philadelphia, PA Metropolitan Division** includes Delaware and Philadelphia Counties in Pennsylvania.
- The **Montgomery County-Bucks County-Chester County, PA Metropolitan Division** includes Bucks, Chester, and Montgomery 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

Employment data from the CES program are available on the BLS website at www.bls.gov/sae/.

































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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	Feb 2020	Dec 2020	Jan 2021	Feb 2021	Feb 2020 to Feb 2021	
						Net change	Percent change
Philadelphia-Camden-Wilmington, PA-NJ-DE-MD Metropolitan Statistical Area							
Total nonfarm.....		2,976.4	2,783.7	2,732.2	(p)2,761.8	(p)-214.6	(p)-7.2
Mining, logging, and construction.....		115.7	114.8	110.3	(p)111.6	(p)-4.1	(p)-3.5
Manufacturing.....		182.8	175.1	172.1	(p)172.2	(p)-10.6	(p)-5.8
Trade, transportation, and utilities		523.5	527.2	506.3	(p)504.3	(p)-19.2	(p)-3.7
Information		53.8	50.1	49.1	(p)49.6	(p)-4.2	(p)-7.8
Financial activities		218.2	215.6	214.4	(p)215.9	(p)-2.3	(p)-1.1
Professional and business services		464.4	451.4	449.0	(p)454.1	(p)-10.3	(p)-2.2
Education and health services		684.7	636.9	626.5	(p)639.5	(p)-45.2	(p)-6.6
Leisure and hospitality.....		266.6	179.1	177.4	(p)183.2	(p)-83.4	(p)-31.3
Other services		122.5	102.9	103.1	(p)103.4	(p)-19.1	(p)-15.6
Government.....		344.2	330.6	324.0	(p)328.0	(p)-16.2	(p)-4.7
Philadelphia, PA Metropolitan Division							
Total nonfarm.....		991.5	895.0	880.6	(p)894.2	(p)-97.3	(p)-9.8
Mining, logging, and construction.....		23.6	23.4	22.7	(p)22.4	(p)-1.2	(p)-5.1
Manufacturing.....		33.1	31.3	30.8	(p)30.9	(p)-2.2	(p)-6.6
Trade, transportation, and utilities		135.7	129.1	126.0	(p)124.7	(p)-11.0	(p)-8.1
Information		18.6	17.2	16.7	(p)17.0	(p)-1.6	(p)-8.6
Financial activities		59.6	56.9	56.1	(p)55.9	(p)-3.7	(p)-6.2
Professional and business services		140.1	131.9	132.1	(p)132.8	(p)-7.3	(p)-5.2
Education and health services		311.9	287.9	281.2	(p)290.6	(p)-21.3	(p)-6.8
Leisure and hospitality.....		96.2	54.4	54.6	(p)58.5	(p)-37.7	(p)-39.2
Other services		40.6	33.4	33.0	(p)33.2	(p)-7.4	(p)-18.2
Government.....		132.1	129.5	127.4	(p)128.2	(p)-3.9	(p)-3.0
Philadelphia City, PA							
Total nonfarm.....		750.4	667.7	659.0	(p)669.9	(p)-80.5	(p)-10.7
Mining, logging, and construction.....		11.4	11.4	11.1	(p)11.2	(p)-0.2	(p)-1.8
Manufacturing.....		18.9	17.3	17.0	(p)17.0	(p)-1.9	(p)-10.1
Trade, transportation, and utilities		93.3	86.1	84.6	(p)83.4	(p)-9.9	(p)-10.6
Information		16.2	15.2	14.7	(p)15.0	(p)-1.2	(p)-7.4
Financial activities		43.0	41.0	40.3	(p)40.1	(p)-2.9	(p)-6.7
Professional and business services		106.4	99.3	99.6	(p)99.8	(p)-6.6	(p)-6.2
Education and health services		250.6	229.8	224.9	(p)232.2	(p)-18.4	(p)-7.3
Leisure and hospitality.....		74.5	37.5	38.1	(p)41.7	(p)-32.8	(p)-44.0
Other services		29.0	23.9	23.6	(p)23.7	(p)-5.3	(p)-18.3
Government.....		107.1	106.2	105.1	(p)105.8	(p)-1.3	(p)-1.2
Delaware County, PA							
Total nonfarm.....		241.1	227.3	221.6	(p)224.3	(p)-16.8	(p)-7.0
Mining, logging, and construction.....		12.2	12.0	11.6	(p)11.2	(p)-1.0	(p)-8.2
Manufacturing.....		14.2	14.0	13.8	(p)13.9	(p)-0.3	(p)-2.1
Trade, transportation, and utilities		42.4	43.0	41.4	(p)41.3	(p)-1.1	(p)-2.6
Information		2.4	2.0	2.0	(p)2.0	(p)-0.4	(p)-16.7
Financial activities		16.6	15.9	15.8	(p)15.8	(p)-0.8	(p)-4.8
Professional and business services		33.7	32.6	32.5	(p)33.0	(p)-0.7	(p)-2.1
Education and health services		61.3	58.1	56.3	(p)58.4	(p)-2.9	(p)-4.7
Leisure and hospitality.....		21.7	16.9	16.5	(p)16.8	(p)-4.9	(p)-22.6
Other services		11.6	9.5	9.4	(p)9.5	(p)-2.1	(p)-18.1
Government.....		25.0	23.3	22.3	(p)22.4	(p)-2.6	(p)-10.4

Note: See footnotes at end of table.













































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Area	Back data	Feb 2020	Dec 2020	Jan 2021	Feb 2021	Feb 2020 to Feb 2021	
						Net change	Percent change
Montgomery County-Bucks County-Chester County, PA Metropolitan Division							
Total nonfarm.....		1,082.8	1,019.8	1,007.0	(p)1,018.2	(p)-64.6	(p)-6.0
Mining, logging, and construction.....		52.8	53.0	51.2	(p)53.4	(p)0.6	(p)1.1
Manufacturing.....		91.4	87.7	86.0	(p)86.1	(p)-5.3	(p)-5.8
Trade, transportation, and utilities		198.1	197.9	191.7	(p)191.7	(p)-6.4	(p)-3.2
Information		25.0	23.8	23.6	(p)23.7	(p)-1.3	(p)-5.2
Financial activities		85.7	86.4	85.7	(p)87.0	(p)1.3	(p)1.5
Professional and business services		200.7	193.9	194.8	(p)196.7	(p)-4.0	(p)-2.0
Education and health services		206.9	194.0	191.2	(p)195.3	(p)-11.6	(p)-5.6
Leisure and hospitality.....		88.8	62.4	62.7	(p)63.5	(p)-25.3	(p)-28.5
Other services		48.6	40.9	41.5	(p)41.4	(p)-7.2	(p)-14.8
Government.....		84.8	79.8	78.6	(p)79.4	(p)-5.4	(p)-6.4
Camden, NJ Metropolitan Division							
Total nonfarm.....		541.6	518.4	501.7	(p)504.7	(p)-36.9	(p)-6.8
Mining, logging, and construction.....		22.6	22.0	20.6	(p)20.2	(p)-2.4	(p)-10.6
Manufacturing.....		39.8	38.1	37.2	(p)37.2	(p)-2.6	(p)-6.5
Trade, transportation, and utilities		125.0	130.8	122.5	(p)121.7	(p)-3.3	(p)-2.6
Information		7.2	6.3	5.9	(p)6.0	(p)-1.2	(p)-16.7
Financial activities		29.1	29.1	29.5	(p)29.8	(p)0.7	(p)2.4
Professional and business services		71.7	73.5	71.6	(p)73.4	(p)1.7	(p)2.4
Education and health services		101.9	94.2	93.9	(p)93.7	(p)-8.2	(p)-8.0
Leisure and hospitality.....		47.7	35.2	33.6	(p)34.4	(p)-13.3	(p)-27.9
Other services		19.1	16.2	16.0	(p)16.1	(p)-3.0	(p)-15.7
Government.....		77.5	73.0	70.9	(p)72.2	(p)-5.3	(p)-6.8
Wilmington, DE-MD-NJ Metropolitan Division							
Total nonfarm.....		360.5	350.5	342.9	(p)344.7	(p)-15.8	(p)-4.4
Mining, logging, and construction.....		16.7	16.4	15.8	(p)15.6	(p)-1.1	(p)-6.6
Manufacturing.....		18.5	18.0	18.1	(p)18.0	(p)-0.5	(p)-2.7
Trade, transportation, and utilities		64.7	69.4	66.1	(p)66.2	(p)1.5	(p)2.3
Information		3.0	2.8	2.9	(p)2.9	(p)-0.1	(p)-3.3
Financial activities		43.8	43.2	43.1	(p)43.2	(p)-0.6	(p)-1.4
Professional and business services		51.9	52.1	50.5	(p)51.2	(p)-0.7	(p)-1.3
Education and health services		64.0	60.8	60.2	(p)59.9	(p)-4.1	(p)-6.4
Leisure and hospitality.....		33.9	27.1	26.5	(p)26.8	(p)-7.1	(p)-20.9
Other services		14.2	12.4	12.6	(p)12.7	(p)-1.5	(p)-10.6
Government.....		49.8	48.3	47.1	(p)48.2	(p)-1.6	(p)-3.2

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	Feb 2020	Dec 2020	Jan 2021	Feb 2021	Feb 2020 to Feb 2021	
						Net change	Percent change
United States							
Total nonfarm.....		150,968	143,602	140,980	(p)142,077	(p)-8,891	(p)-5.9
Mining and logging		675	602	593	(p)584	(p)-91	(p)-13.5
Construction		7,278	7,312	7,067	(p)7,006	(p)-272	(p)-3.7
Manufacturing.....		12,727	12,251	12,142	(p)12,188	(p)-539	(p)-4.2
Trade, transportation, and utilities		27,504	27,799	26,957	(p)26,805	(p)-699	(p)-2.5
Information		2,894	2,668	2,648	(p)2,670	(p)-224	(p)-7.7
Financial activities		8,820	8,788	8,733	(p)8,734	(p)-86	(p)-1.0
Professional and business services		21,134	20,638	20,291	(p)20,442	(p)-692	(p)-3.3
Education and health services		24,668	23,400	23,105	(p)23,393	(p)-1,275	(p)-5.2
Leisure and hospitality.....		16,292	12,896	12,576	(p)13,037	(p)-3,255	(p)-20.0
Other services		5,882	5,448	5,415	(p)5,453	(p)-429	(p)-7.3
Government.....		23,094	21,800	21,453	(p)21,765	(p)-1,329	(p)-5.8
Atlanta-Sandy Springs-Roswell, GA							
Total nonfarm.....		2,867.9	2,741.6	2,697.6	(p)2,706.3	(p)-161.6	(p)-5.6
Mining and logging		1.7	1.7	1.7	(p)1.7	(p)0.0	(p)0.0
Construction		130.9	128.1	126.3	(p)128.4	(p)-2.5	(p)-1.9
Manufacturing.....		171.4	165.4	162.9	(p)163.9	(p)-7.5	(p)-4.4
Trade, transportation, and utilities		601.2	606.5	588.4	(p)589.7	(p)-11.5	(p)-1.9
Information		106.0	97.9	97.9	(p)97.7	(p)-8.3	(p)-7.8
Financial activities		180.8	181.8	178.8	(p)178.3	(p)-2.5	(p)-1.4
Professional and business services		552.7	535.6	530.3	(p)529.1	(p)-23.6	(p)-4.3
Education and health services		376.6	359.3	354.2	(p)358.6	(p)-18.0	(p)-4.8
Leisure and hospitality.....		300.7	243.7	236.7	(p)240.1	(p)-60.6	(p)-20.2
Other services		106.4	91.9	91.8	(p)91.1	(p)-15.3	(p)-14.4
Government.....		339.5	329.7	328.6	(p)327.7	(p)-11.8	(p)-3.5
Boston-Cambridge-Nashua, MA-NH (NECTA)							
Total nonfarm.....		2,809.5	2,572.2	2,532.1	(p)2,552.8	(p)-256.7	(p)-9.1
Mining, logging, and construction.....		116.1	120.0	114.1	(p)111.6	(p)-4.5	(p)-3.9
Manufacturing.....		186.2	177.1	175.2	(p)176.5	(p)-9.7	(p)-5.2
Trade, transportation, and utilities		421.2	408.6	399.7	(p)395.4	(p)-25.8	(p)-6.1
Information		83.7	76.8	79.0	(p)78.3	(p)-5.4	(p)-6.5
Financial activities		184.6	179.9	181.1	(p)181.5	(p)-3.1	(p)-1.7
Professional and business services		514.8	502.5	496.0	(p)502.0	(p)-12.8	(p)-2.5
Education and health services		610.1	548.0	543.7	(p)553.7	(p)-56.4	(p)-9.2
Leisure and hospitality.....		267.9	175.3	165.4	(p)173.0	(p)-94.9	(p)-35.4
Other services		103.4	84.2	83.9	(p)83.3	(p)-20.1	(p)-19.4
Government.....		321.5	299.8	294.0	(p)297.5	(p)-24.0	(p)-7.5
Chicago-Naperville-Elgin, IL-IN-WI							
Total nonfarm.....		4,699.1	4,384.6	4,287.4	(p)4,304.8	(p)-394.3	(p)-8.4
Mining and logging		1.7	1.5	1.4	(p)1.4	(p)-0.3	(p)-17.6
Construction		160.2	164.0	148.5	(p)143.5	(p)-16.7	(p)-10.4
Manufacturing.....		416.0	394.8	389.6	(p)392.3	(p)-23.7	(p)-5.7
Trade, transportation, and utilities		936.2	945.2	917.3	(p)909.6	(p)-26.6	(p)-2.8
Information		78.4	71.7	71.0	(p)71.7	(p)-6.7	(p)-8.5
Financial activities		317.7	316.8	313.7	(p)313.0	(p)-4.7	(p)-1.5
Professional and business services		818.6	789.4	772.5	(p)768.8	(p)-49.8	(p)-6.1
Education and health services		746.5	699.9	692.2	(p)698.7	(p)-47.8	(p)-6.4
Leisure and hospitality.....		475.1	308.8	297.0	(p)314.7	(p)-160.4	(p)-33.8












































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Area	Back data	Feb 2020	Dec 2020	Jan 2021	Feb 2021	Feb 2020 to Feb 2021	
						Net change	Percent change
Other services		196.0	174.8	175.2	(p)174.2	(p)-21.8	(p)-11.1
Government.....		552.7	517.7	509.0	(p)516.9	(p)-35.8	(p)-6.5
Dallas-Fort Worth-Arlington, TX							
Total nonfarm.....		3,838.8	3,755.0	3,701.8	(p)3,695.9	(p)-142.9	(p)-3.7
Mining, logging, and construction.....		225.6	219.3	216.4	(p)214.9	(p)-10.7	(p)-4.7
Manufacturing.....		291.0	281.0	280.8	(p)281.7	(p)-9.3	(p)-3.2
Trade, transportation, and utilities		801.1	837.1	810.5	(p)808.6	(p)7.5	(p)0.9
Information		83.1	78.9	79.1	(p)79.1	(p)-4.0	(p)-4.8
Financial activities		325.8	328.4	326.4	(p)326.6	(p)0.8	(p)0.2
Professional and business services		655.4	646.0	645.2	(p)633.0	(p)-22.4	(p)-3.4
Education and health services		470.6	454.1	449.6	(p)451.8	(p)-18.8	(p)-4.0
Leisure and hospitality.....		396.1	338.4	330.8	(p)332.2	(p)-63.9	(p)-16.1
Other services		128.6	114.6	114.0	(p)114.2	(p)-14.4	(p)-11.2
Government.....		461.5	457.2	449.0	(p)453.8	(p)-7.7	(p)-1.7
Houston-The Woodlands-Sugar Land, TX							
Total nonfarm.....		3,192.2	2,995.7	2,952.3	(p)2,959.2	(p)-233.0	(p)-7.3
Mining and logging		78.4	66.3	67.0	(p)67.6	(p)-10.8	(p)-13.8
Construction		237.4	200.9	198.3	(p)199.8	(p)-37.6	(p)-15.8
Manufacturing.....		234.5	208.7	205.6	(p)205.2	(p)-29.3	(p)-12.5
Trade, transportation, and utilities		628.9	633.6	620.0	(p)618.6	(p)-10.3	(p)-1.6
Information		32.7	29.0	28.7	(p)28.7	(p)-4.0	(p)-12.2
Financial activities		169.2	163.3	162.8	(p)162.0	(p)-7.2	(p)-4.3
Professional and business services		514.7	483.8	479.7	(p)478.6	(p)-36.1	(p)-7.0
Education and health services		414.4	398.0	393.6	(p)392.1	(p)-22.3	(p)-5.4
Leisure and hospitality.....		334.5	287.2	282.9	(p)283.5	(p)-51.0	(p)-15.2
Other services		119.1	104.8	104.9	(p)104.4	(p)-14.7	(p)-12.3
Government.....		428.4	420.1	408.8	(p)418.7	(p)-9.7	(p)-2.3
Los Angeles-Long Beach-Anaheim, CA							
Total nonfarm.....		6,303.0	5,627.3	5,492.7	(p)5,564.6	(p)-738.4	(p)-11.7
Mining and logging		2.3	1.9	1.9	(p)1.9	(p)-0.4	(p)-17.4
Construction		260.0	247.4	247.8	(p)246.8	(p)-13.2	(p)-5.1
Manufacturing.....		496.3	454.7	445.0	(p)449.0	(p)-47.3	(p)-9.5
Trade, transportation, and utilities		1,101.3	1,076.8	1,045.5	(p)1,041.6	(p)-59.7	(p)-5.4
Information		265.0	202.4	197.1	(p)199.4	(p)-65.6	(p)-24.8
Financial activities		342.7	325.4	323.3	(p)322.4	(p)-20.3	(p)-5.9
Professional and business services		975.5	901.6	883.8	(p)892.5	(p)-83.0	(p)-8.5
Education and health services		1,103.5	1,053.0	1,039.7	(p)1,047.8	(p)-55.7	(p)-5.0
Leisure and hospitality.....		773.4	501.0	458.4	(p)505.9	(p)-267.5	(p)-34.6
Other services		217.0	157.5	153.1	(p)158.5	(p)-58.5	(p)-27.0
Government.....		766.0	705.6	697.1	(p)698.8	(p)-67.2	(p)-8.8
Miami-Fort Lauderdale-West Palm Beach, FL							
Total nonfarm.....		2,765.4	2,570.9	2,542.4	(p)2,555.8	(p)-209.6	(p)-7.6
Mining and logging		0.8	0.8	0.8	(p)0.8	(p)0.0	(p)0.0
Construction		142.6	137.9	137.4	(p)138.0	(p)-4.6	(p)-3.2
Manufacturing.....		91.8	89.3	86.2	(p)87.3	(p)-4.5	(p)-4.9
Trade, transportation, and utilities		617.6	593.1	580.0	(p)577.0	(p)-40.6	(p)-6.6
Information		51.8	46.3	46.0	(p)46.5	(p)-5.3	(p)-10.2
Financial activities		191.9	191.3	187.2	(p)187.4	(p)-4.5	(p)-2.3



















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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	Feb 2020	Dec 2020	Jan 2021	Feb 2021	Feb 2020 to Feb 2021	
						Net change	Percent change
Professional and business services		457.1	443.9	438.5	(p)443.0	(p)-14.1	(p)-3.1
Education and health services		422.0	396.7	395.2	(p)397.3	(p)-24.7	(p)-5.9
Leisure and hospitality		344.9	261.6	263.4	(p)268.2	(p)-76.7	(p)-22.2
Other services		121.0	105.8	106.0	(p)107.0	(p)-14.0	(p)-11.6
Government		323.9	304.2	301.7	(p)303.3	(p)-20.6	(p)-6.4
New York-Newark-Jersey City, NY-NJ-PA							
Total nonfarm		9,933.2	9,001.7	8,767.6	(p)8,819.6	(p)-1,113.6	(p)-11.2
Mining, logging, and construction		401.3	381.0	359.7	(p)346.7	(p)-54.6	(p)-13.6
Manufacturing		355.0	330.3	325.9	(p)327.5	(p)-27.5	(p)-7.7
Trade, transportation, and utilities		1,709.6	1,612.3	1,553.1	(p)1,535.4	(p)-174.2	(p)-10.2
Information		314.2	285.7	281.7	(p)286.5	(p)-27.7	(p)-8.8
Financial activities		789.7	761.0	756.7	(p)755.3	(p)-34.4	(p)-4.4
Professional and business services		1,570.8	1,469.9	1,434.8	(p)1,449.1	(p)-121.7	(p)-7.7
Education and health services		2,119.6	1,956.5	1,917.6	(p)1,947.2	(p)-172.4	(p)-8.1
Leisure and hospitality		905.0	559.2	525.4	(p)544.4	(p)-360.6	(p)-39.8
Other services		425.3	344.2	341.0	(p)341.6	(p)-83.7	(p)-19.7
Government		1,342.7	1,301.6	1,271.7	(p)1,285.9	(p)-56.8	(p)-4.2
Philadelphia-Camden-Wilmington, PA-NJ-DE-MD							
Total nonfarm		2,976.4	2,783.7	2,732.2	(p)2,761.8	(p)-214.6	(p)-7.2
Mining, logging, and construction		115.7	114.8	110.3	(p)111.6	(p)-4.1	(p)-3.5
Manufacturing		182.8	175.1	172.1	(p)172.2	(p)-10.6	(p)-5.8
Trade, transportation, and utilities		523.5	527.2	506.3	(p)504.3	(p)-19.2	(p)-3.7
Information		53.8	50.1	49.1	(p)49.6	(p)-4.2	(p)-7.8
Financial activities		218.2	215.6	214.4	(p)215.9	(p)-2.3	(p)-1.1
Professional and business services		464.4	451.4	449.0	(p)454.1	(p)-10.3	(p)-2.2
Education and health services		684.7	636.9	626.5	(p)639.5	(p)-45.2	(p)-6.6
Leisure and hospitality		266.6	179.1	177.4	(p)183.2	(p)-83.4	(p)-31.3
Other services		122.5	102.9	103.1	(p)103.4	(p)-19.1	(p)-15.6
Government		344.2	330.6	324.0	(p)328.0	(p)-16.2	(p)-4.7
Phoenix-Mesa-Scottsdale, AZ							
Total nonfarm		2,233.5	2,168.6	2,140.5	(p)2,153.9	(p)-79.6	(p)-3.6
Mining and logging		3.3	2.8	2.8	(p)2.8	(p)-0.5	(p)-15.2
Construction		137.2	133.5	132.0	(p)130.2	(p)-7.0	(p)-5.1
Manufacturing		136.0	133.9	133.4	(p)135.2	(p)-0.8	(p)-0.6
Trade, transportation, and utilities		416.5	440.8	424.0	(p)427.9	(p)11.4	(p)2.7
Information		41.1	36.7	37.5	(p)38.8	(p)-2.3	(p)-5.6
Financial activities		205.7	205.9	203.3	(p)203.3	(p)-2.4	(p)-1.2
Professional and business services		372.8	364.9	361.4	(p)361.9	(p)-10.9	(p)-2.9
Education and health services		353.2	346.3	344.5	(p)346.3	(p)-6.9	(p)-2.0
Leisure and hospitality		242.3	194.1	195.1	(p)197.8	(p)-44.5	(p)-18.4
Other services		70.3	67.0	65.9	(p)67.2	(p)-3.1	(p)-4.4
Government		255.1	242.7	240.6	(p)242.5	(p)-12.6	(p)-4.9
San Francisco-Oakland-Hayward, CA							
Total nonfarm		2,500.8	2,245.4	2,202.5	(p)2,217.3	(p)-283.5	(p)-11.3
Mining and logging		0.4	0.3	0.3	(p)0.3	(p)-0.1	(p)-25.0
Construction		129.4	120.9	122.1	(p)121.0	(p)-8.4	(p)-6.5
Manufacturing		145.4	141.2	140.6	(p)142.3	(p)-3.1	(p)-2.1
Trade, transportation, and utilities		370.1	346.5	336.9	(p)334.4	(p)-35.7	(p)-9.6

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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	Feb 2020	Dec 2020	Jan 2021	Feb 2021	Feb 2020 to Feb 2021	
						Net change	Percent change
Information		133.5	136.0	134.6	(p)134.0	(p)0.5	(p)0.4
Financial activities		146.8	140.2	138.1	(p)137.2	(p)-9.6	(p)-6.5
Professional and business services		505.6	484.1	477.2	(p)481.0	(p)-24.6	(p)-4.9
Education and health services		374.7	353.7	347.2	(p)349.7	(p)-25.0	(p)-6.7
Leisure and hospitality		281.9	153.3	141.5	(p)150.4	(p)-131.5	(p)-46.6
Other services		89.1	66.0	65.2	(p)66.6	(p)-22.5	(p)-25.3
Government		323.9	303.2	298.8	(p)300.4	(p)-23.5	(p)-7.3
Washington-Arlington-Alexandria, DC-VA-MD-WV							
Total nonfarm		3,352.8	3,165.6	3,115.9	(p)3,125.6	(p)-227.2	(p)-6.8
Mining, logging, and construction		162.8	162.5	158.7	(p)157.2	(p)-5.6	(p)-3.4
Manufacturing		56.3	54.8	54.1	(p)54.8	(p)-1.5	(p)-2.7
Trade, transportation, and utilities		404.0	405.0	391.4	(p)385.8	(p)-18.2	(p)-4.5
Information		77.0	72.4	73.1	(p)72.5	(p)-4.5	(p)-5.8
Financial activities		159.9	153.4	152.5	(p)152.5	(p)-7.4	(p)-4.6
Professional and business services		783.5	770.5	759.9	(p)764.8	(p)-18.7	(p)-2.4
Education and health services		457.9	423.0	421.6	(p)425.4	(p)-32.5	(p)-7.1
Leisure and hospitality		326.4	229.7	220.6	(p)223.2	(p)-103.2	(p)-31.6
Other services		209.5	189.6	187.9	(p)187.7	(p)-21.8	(p)-10.4
Government		715.5	704.7	696.1	(p)701.7	(p)-13.8	(p)-1.9

Footnotes

(p) Preliminary