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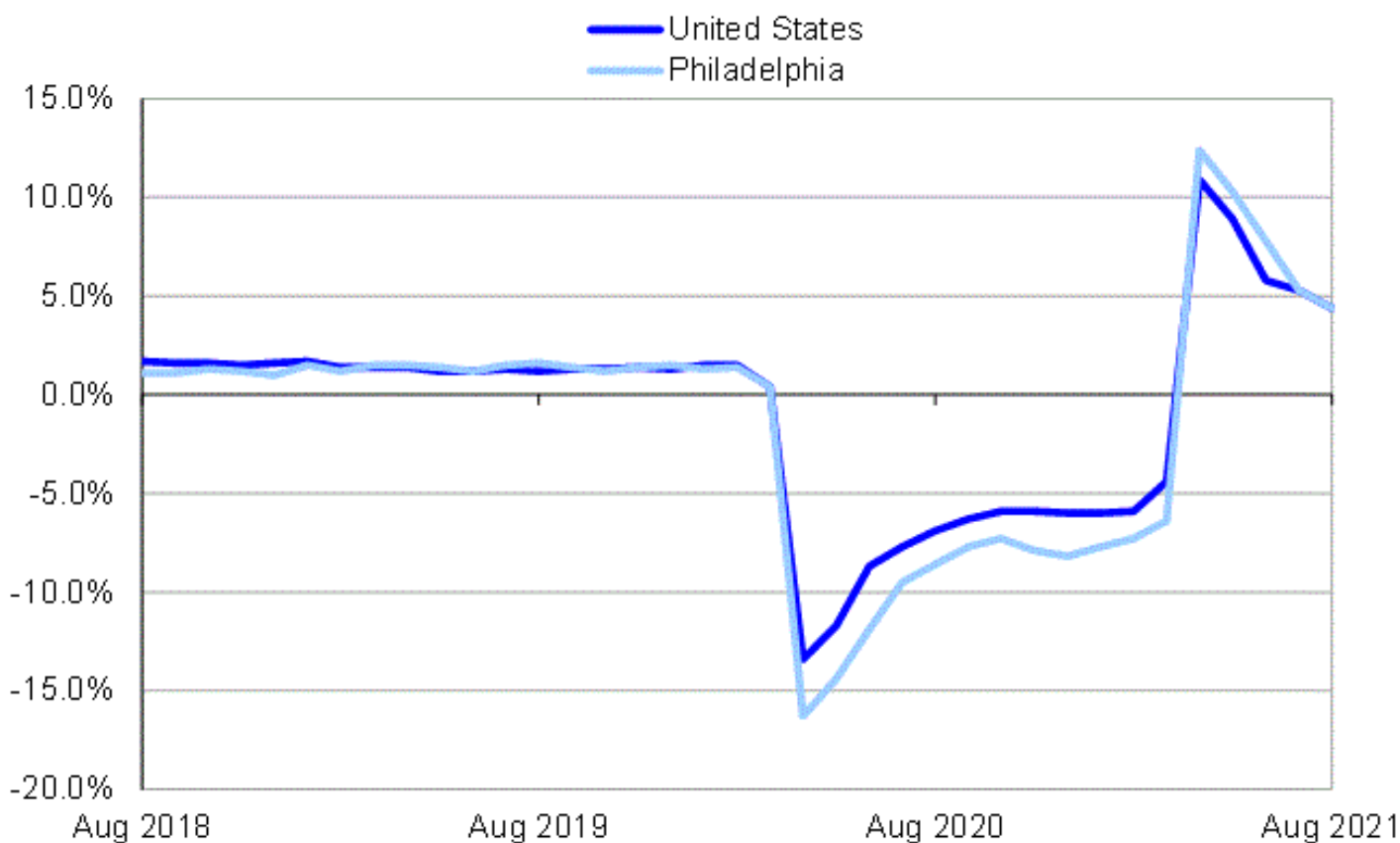
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Philadelphia Area Employment – August 2021

Total nonfarm employment for the Philadelphia-Camden-Wilmington, PA-NJ-DE-MD, metropolitan area increased by 119,700 over the year in August, 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 growth, 4.4 percent, was similar to the 4.4-percent national increase. (All data in this release are not seasonally adjusted; accordingly, over-the-year analysis is used throughout.)

Chart 1. Over-the-year percent change for total nonfarm employment in the Philadelphia metropolitan area, August 2018–August 2021



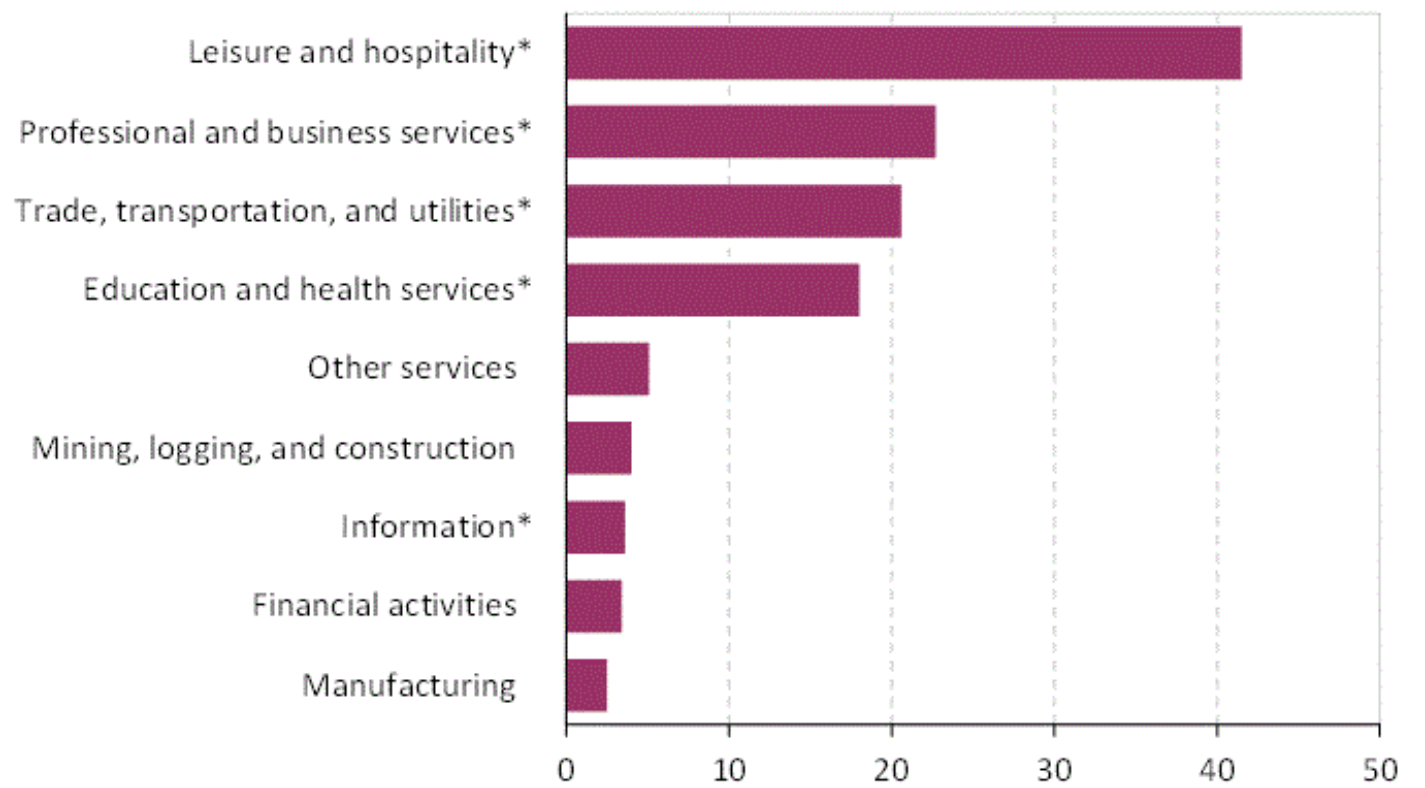
Source: U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics.

Philadelphia-Camden-Wilmington, PA-NJ-DE-MD, is made up of four metropolitan divisions—separately identifiable employment centers within the greater metropolitan area. Employment increased over the year in all four divisions. Montgomery County-Bucks County-Chester County, PA, with 37 percent of the area’s total nonfarm employment, gained 45,000 jobs over the year. Philadelphia, PA, which accounted for 32 percent of the area’s employment, gained 27,200 jobs since August 2020. Camden, NJ, with 19 percent of local employment, added 31,600 jobs, and Wilmington, DE-MD-NJ, with 13 percent of the area’s employment, gained 15,900 jobs.

Industry employment

In Philadelphia-Camden-Wilmington, PA-NJ-DE-MD, leisure and hospitality had the largest job gain (41,500), with all four divisions recording increases. (See [chart 2.](#)) The 21.4-percent advance in the metropolitan area’s leisure and hospitality supersector compared to the 17.5-percent increase on a national level.

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



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

Source: U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics.

The professional and business services supersector added 22,700 jobs over the year in the metropolitan area. All four divisions gained jobs over the year. The metropolitan area had a 5.1-percent gain compared to the 5.6-percent increase for the nation.

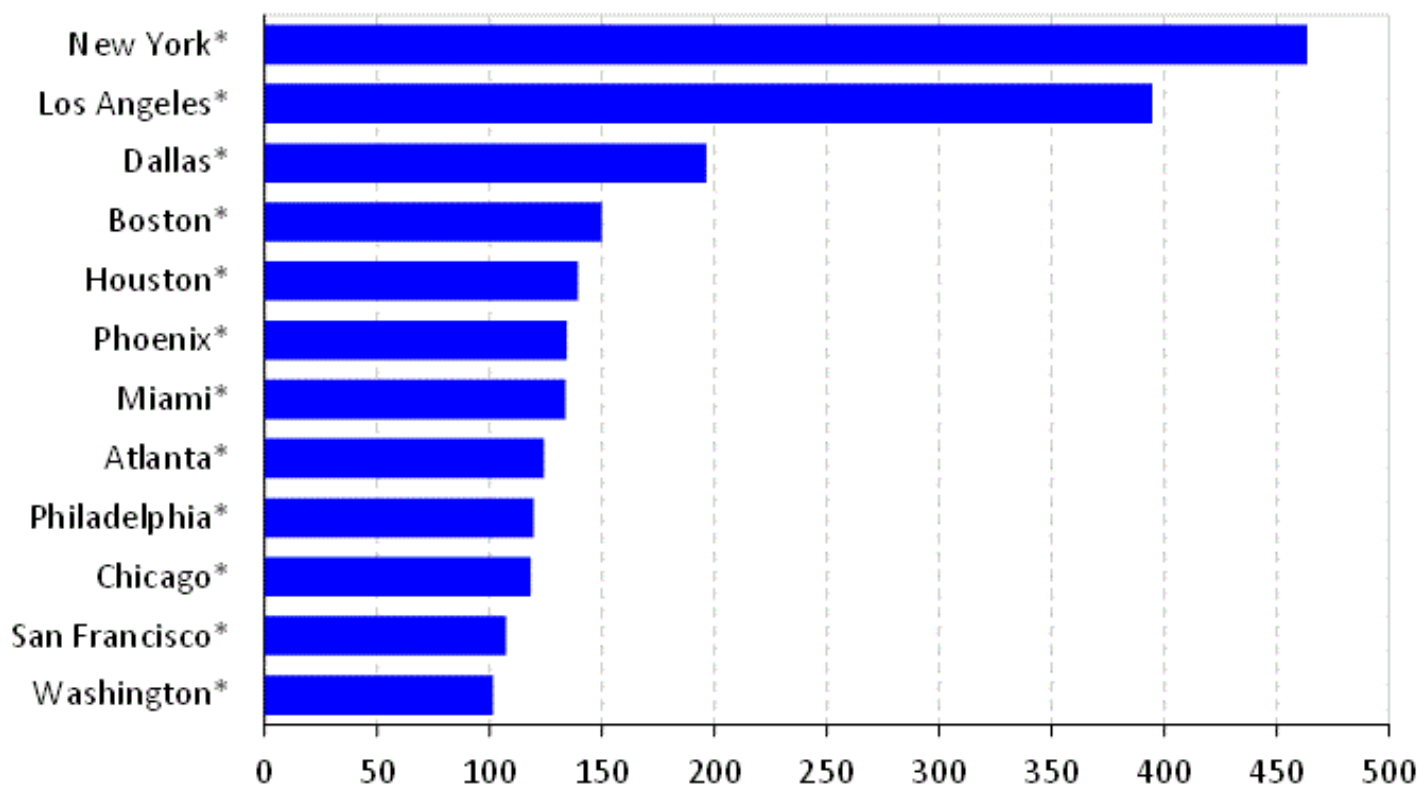
Three other local supersectors had significant job gains over the year: trade, transportation, and utilities (+20,600), education and health services (+18,000), and information (+3,600).

Twelve largest metropolitan areas

Philadelphia-Camden-Wilmington, PA-NJ-DE-MD, was 1 of the nation's 12 largest metropolitan statistical areas in August 2021. All 12 areas gained jobs over the year. New York-Newark-Jersey City, NY-NJ-PA, had the largest increase (+463,600). Washington-Arlington-Alexandria, DC-VA-MD-WV, had the smallest gain (+101,700) among the largest areas. (See [table 2](#) and [chart 3](#).)

Los Angeles-Long Beach-Anaheim, CA, had a 7.2-percent rate of job gain, followed by Phoenix-Mesa-Scottsdale, AZ (+6.5 percent). The rates of job gains in the remaining 10 areas ranged from 5.9 percent in Boston-Cambridge-Nashua, MA-NH, to 2.7 percent in Chicago-Naperville-Elgin, IL-IN-WI.

Chart 3. Over-the-year net change in total nonfarm employment for the 12 largest metropolitan areas, August 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 September 2021 is scheduled to be released on Wednesday, November 3, 2021 at 10:00 a.m. (ET).

Coronavirus (COVID-19) Pandemic Impact on August 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 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/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

Special technical note: This technical note describes the procedures regularly used on a monthly basis to develop estimates from the Current Employment Statistics (CES) program. Due to the COVID-19 pandemic, some of the procedures described in this technical note have been modified. The modifications are briefly described in the box note of this news release. More information on the changes to the CES business birth-death model is available at www.bls.gov/web/empstat/cesbd.htm.

This release presents nonfarm payroll employment estimates from the 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 12 metropolitan areas discussed in this release are the metropolitan areas with the largest population according to the U.S. Census Bureau.

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	Aug 2020	Jun 2021	Jul 2021	Aug 2021	Aug 2020 to Aug 2021	
						Net change	Percent change
Philadelphia-Camden-Wilmington, PA-NJ-DE-MD Metropolitan Statistical Area							
Total nonfarm.....		2,709.2	2,843.2	2,828.2	(p)2,828.9	(p)119.7	(p)4.4
Mining, logging, and construction.....		118.0	119.7	120.7	(p)122.0	(p)4.0	(p)3.4
Manufacturing.....		173.7	175.2	176.7	(p)176.2	(p)2.5	(p)1.4
Trade, transportation, and utilities		493.9	517.2	516.0	(p)514.5	(p)20.6	(p)4.2
Information		49.7	52.2	53.1	(p)53.3	(p)3.6	(p)7.2
Financial activities		216.0	217.8	218.8	(p)219.4	(p)3.4	(p)1.6
Professional and business services		442.1	463.8	464.4	(p)464.8	(p)22.7	(p)5.1
Education and health services		612.0	636.1	630.2	(p)630.0	(p)18.0	(p)2.9
Leisure and hospitality.....		193.5	230.4	237.0	(p)235.0	(p)41.5	(p)21.4
Other services		102.0	107.5	107.5	(p)107.1	(p)5.1	(p)5.0
Government.....		308.3	323.3	303.8	(p)306.6	(p)-1.7	(p)-0.6
Philadelphia, PA Metropolitan Division							
Total nonfarm.....		868.6	902.1	895.2	(p)895.8	(p)27.2	(p)3.1
Mining, logging, and construction.....		23.1	22.7	23.0	(p)23.2	(p)0.1	(p)0.4
Manufacturing.....		30.8	31.2	31.4	(p)31.2	(p)0.4	(p)1.3
Trade, transportation, and utilities		123.3	125.9	125.3	(p)124.6	(p)1.3	(p)1.1
Information		17.1	18.2	18.4	(p)18.5	(p)1.4	(p)8.2
Financial activities		57.6	57.5	58.0	(p)57.9	(p)0.3	(p)0.5
Professional and business services		127.1	133.9	133.1	(p)133.3	(p)6.2	(p)4.9
Education and health services		274.8	280.9	279.4	(p)277.9	(p)3.1	(p)1.1
Leisure and hospitality.....		57.6	70.3	70.9	(p)70.6	(p)13.0	(p)22.6
Other services		32.9	34.7	34.6	(p)34.6	(p)1.7	(p)5.2
Government.....		124.3	126.8	121.1	(p)124.0	(p)-0.3	(p)-0.2
Philadelphia City, PA							
Total nonfarm.....		652.6	674.2	669.4	(p)671.7	(p)19.1	(p)2.9
Mining, logging, and construction.....		11.2	11.0	11.2	(p)11.4	(p)0.2	(p)1.8
Manufacturing.....		17.2	17.0	17.1	(p)17.0	(p)-0.2	(p)-1.2
Trade, transportation, and utilities		83.4	84.2	84.2	(p)83.9	(p)0.5	(p)0.6
Information		15.1	16.1	16.3	(p)16.4	(p)1.3	(p)8.6
Financial activities		41.3	41.8	41.8	(p)41.7	(p)0.4	(p)1.0
Professional and business services		95.6	99.9	99.0	(p)99.5	(p)3.9	(p)4.1
Education and health services		221.7	225.0	223.8	(p)222.5	(p)0.8	(p)0.4
Leisure and hospitality.....		40.4	50.5	51.0	(p)51.0	(p)10.6	(p)26.2
Other services		23.5	24.9	24.8	(p)24.8	(p)1.3	(p)5.5
Government.....		103.2	103.8	100.2	(p)103.5	(p)0.3	(p)0.3
Delaware County, PA							
Total nonfarm.....		216.0	227.9	225.8	(p)224.1	(p)8.1	(p)3.8
Mining, logging, and construction.....		11.9	11.7	11.8	(p)11.8	(p)-0.1	(p)-0.8
Manufacturing.....		13.6	14.2	14.3	(p)14.2	(p)0.6	(p)4.4
Trade, transportation, and utilities		39.9	41.7	41.1	(p)40.7	(p)0.8	(p)2.0
Information		2.0	2.1	2.1	(p)2.1	(p)0.1	(p)5.0
Financial activities		16.3	15.7	16.2	(p)16.2	(p)-0.1	(p)-0.6
Professional and business services		31.5	34.0	34.1	(p)33.8	(p)2.3	(p)7.3
Education and health services		53.1	55.9	55.6	(p)55.4	(p)2.3	(p)4.3
Leisure and hospitality.....		17.2	19.8	19.9	(p)19.6	(p)2.4	(p)14.0
Other services		9.4	9.8	9.8	(p)9.8	(p)0.4	(p)4.3
Government.....		21.1	23.0	20.9	(p)20.5	(p)-0.6	(p)-2.8

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 2020	Jun 2021	Jul 2021	Aug 2021	Aug 2020 to Aug 2021	
						Net change	Percent change
Montgomery County-Bucks County-Chester County, PA Metropolitan Division							
Total nonfarm.....		1,002.7	1,057.9	1,049.2	(p)1,047.7	(p)45.0	(p)4.5
Mining, logging, and construction.....		54.8	57.3	56.6	(p)56.8	(p)2.0	(p)3.6
Manufacturing.....		87.3	88.3	89.1	(p)88.6	(p)1.3	(p)1.5
Trade, transportation, and utilities		185.1	197.1	193.5	(p)192.9	(p)7.8	(p)4.2
Information		23.5	25.2	25.6	(p)25.8	(p)2.3	(p)9.8
Financial activities		85.8	88.3	88.4	(p)88.7	(p)2.9	(p)3.4
Professional and business services		194.5	202.8	202.7	(p)203.2	(p)8.7	(p)4.5
Education and health services		186.4	195.8	193.0	(p)193.3	(p)6.9	(p)3.7
Leisure and hospitality.....		71.8	81.3	85.2	(p)83.4	(p)11.6	(p)16.2
Other services		40.4	42.8	43.2	(p)43.0	(p)2.6	(p)6.4
Government.....		73.1	79.0	71.9	(p)72.0	(p)-1.1	(p)-1.5
Camden, NJ Metropolitan Division							
Total nonfarm.....		496.9	528.8	526.1	(p)528.5	(p)31.6	(p)6.4
Mining, logging, and construction.....		23.3	22.3	23.4	(p)24.3	(p)1.0	(p)4.3
Manufacturing.....		37.9	37.6	38.1	(p)38.2	(p)0.3	(p)0.8
Trade, transportation, and utilities		121.9	126.5	129.5	(p)129.4	(p)7.5	(p)6.2
Information		6.3	6.0	6.1	(p)6.1	(p)-0.2	(p)-3.2
Financial activities		29.1	29.3	29.3	(p)29.4	(p)0.3	(p)1.0
Professional and business services		70.1	75.9	77.2	(p)76.8	(p)6.7	(p)9.6
Education and health services		90.8	98.9	96.3	(p)97.8	(p)7.0	(p)7.7
Leisure and hospitality.....		36.0	44.3	44.8	(p)45.2	(p)9.2	(p)25.6
Other services		15.9	16.9	16.5	(p)16.3	(p)0.4	(p)2.5
Government.....		65.6	71.1	64.9	(p)65.0	(p)-0.6	(p)-0.9
Wilmington, DE-MD-NJ Metropolitan Division							
Total nonfarm.....		341.0	354.4	357.7	(p)356.9	(p)15.9	(p)4.7
Mining, logging, and construction.....		16.8	17.4	17.7	(p)17.7	(p)0.9	(p)5.4
Manufacturing.....		17.7	18.1	18.1	(p)18.2	(p)0.5	(p)2.8
Trade, transportation, and utilities		63.6	67.7	67.7	(p)67.6	(p)4.0	(p)6.3
Information		2.8	2.8	3.0	(p)2.9	(p)0.1	(p)3.6
Financial activities		43.5	42.7	43.1	(p)43.4	(p)-0.1	(p)-0.2
Professional and business services		50.4	51.2	51.4	(p)51.5	(p)1.1	(p)2.2
Education and health services		60.0	60.5	61.5	(p)61.0	(p)1.0	(p)1.7
Leisure and hospitality.....		28.1	34.5	36.1	(p)35.8	(p)7.7	(p)27.4
Other services		12.8	13.1	13.2	(p)13.2	(p)0.4	(p)3.1
Government.....		45.3	46.4	45.9	(p)45.6	(p)0.3	(p)0.7













































Footnotes

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SOURCE: Current Employment Statistics - National State and Metropolitan Area













































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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 2020	Jun 2021	Jul 2021	Aug 2021	Aug 2020 to Aug 2021	
						Net change	Percent change
United States							
Total nonfarm.....		140,728	146,578	(p)146,544	(p)146,856	(p)6,128	(p)4.4
Mining and logging		595	634	(p)643	(p)647	(p)52	(p)8.7
Construction		7,460	7,598	(p)7,641	(p)7,643	(p)183	(p)2.5
Manufacturing.....		12,133	12,397	(p)12,458	(p)12,492	(p)359	(p)3.0
Trade, transportation, and utilities		26,452	27,318	(p)27,339	(p)27,314	(p)862	(p)3.3
Information		2,622	2,730	(p)2,763	(p)2,771	(p)149	(p)5.7
Financial activities		8,730	8,842	(p)8,890	(p)8,899	(p)169	(p)1.9
Professional and business services		20,060	20,918	(p)21,062	(p)21,175	(p)1,115	(p)5.6
Education and health services		22,782	23,347	(p)23,313	(p)23,341	(p)559	(p)2.5
Leisure and hospitality.....		13,445	15,397	(p)15,872	(p)15,798	(p)2,353	(p)17.5
Other services		5,425	5,729	(p)5,788	(p)5,791	(p)366	(p)6.7
Government.....		21,024	21,668	(p)20,775	(p)20,985	(p)-39	(p)-0.2
Atlanta-Sandy Springs-Roswell, GA							
Total nonfarm.....		2,668.8	2,776.2	2,790.8	(p)2,793.1	(p)124.3	(p)4.7
Mining and logging		1.6	1.6	1.6	(p)1.6	(p)0.0	(p)0.0
Construction		127.8	130.4	130.5	(p)128.9	(p)1.1	(p)0.9
Manufacturing.....		161.8	166.3	166.2	(p)166.3	(p)4.5	(p)2.8
Trade, transportation, and utilities		575.9	591.1	592.9	(p)591.4	(p)15.5	(p)2.7
Information		90.7	101.7	104.4	(p)103.7	(p)13.0	(p)14.3
Financial activities		177.4	179.7	182.9	(p)184.3	(p)6.9	(p)3.9
Professional and business services		522.0	552.4	556.8	(p)560.9	(p)38.9	(p)7.5
Education and health services		351.1	365.5	366.7	(p)370.8	(p)19.7	(p)5.6
Leisure and hospitality.....		235.4	261.8	269.4	(p)263.4	(p)28.0	(p)11.9
Other services		93.6	97.9	97.8	(p)95.7	(p)2.1	(p)2.2
Government.....		331.5	327.8	321.6	(p)326.1	(p)-5.4	(p)-1.6
Boston-Cambridge-Nashua, MA-NH (NECTA)							
Total nonfarm.....		2,529.3	2,671.9	2,682.1	(p)2,679.2	(p)149.9	(p)5.9
Mining, logging, and construction.....		120.2	125.6	129.2	(p)130.4	(p)10.2	(p)8.5
Manufacturing.....		177.2	181.9	183.8	(p)184.0	(p)6.8	(p)3.8
Trade, transportation, and utilities		382.6	405.1	402.5	(p)402.6	(p)20.0	(p)5.2
Information		77.6	80.4	82.8	(p)82.5	(p)4.9	(p)6.3
Financial activities		182.4	183.8	183.9	(p)181.7	(p)-0.7	(p)-0.4
Professional and business services		500.5	526.0	531.7	(p)530.3	(p)29.8	(p)6.0
Education and health services		537.4	553.3	556.9	(p)555.4	(p)18.0	(p)3.3
Leisure and hospitality.....		190.9	230.7	244.9	(p)246.8	(p)55.9	(p)29.3
Other services		84.8	88.8	93.2	(p)93.3	(p)8.5	(p)10.0
Government.....		275.7	296.3	273.2	(p)272.2	(p)-3.5	(p)-1.3
Chicago-Naperville-Elgin, IL-IN-WI							
Total nonfarm.....		4,376.1	4,495.9	4,504.4	(p)4,494.5	(p)118.4	(p)2.7
Mining and logging		1.7	1.8	1.8	(p)1.8	(p)0.1	(p)5.9
Construction		176.2	178.5	182.0	(p)180.0	(p)3.8	(p)2.2
Manufacturing.....		395.9	395.0	396.2	(p)399.8	(p)3.9	(p)1.0
Trade, transportation, and utilities		911.2	928.1	928.7	(p)925.6	(p)14.4	(p)1.6
Information		71.7	70.8	70.8	(p)70.3	(p)-1.4	(p)-2.0
Financial activities		316.2	317.4	316.7	(p)316.6	(p)0.4	(p)0.1
Professional and business services		775.8	799.5	806.5	(p)806.6	(p)30.8	(p)4.0
Education and health services		682.8	696.8	697.8	(p)695.7	(p)12.9	(p)1.9
Leisure and hospitality.....		364.4	399.6	410.4	(p)408.3	(p)43.9	(p)12.0













































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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 2020	Jun 2021	Jul 2021	Aug 2021	Aug 2020 to Aug 2021	
						Net change	Percent change
Other services		178.2	182.4	182.6	(p)182.4	(p)4.2	(p)2.4
Government.....		502.0	526.0	510.9	(p)507.4	(p)5.4	(p)1.1
Dallas-Fort Worth-Arlington, TX							
Total nonfarm.....		3,618.4	3,790.4	3,791.9	(p)3,814.9	(p)196.5	(p)5.4
Mining, logging, and construction.....		216.3	216.7	216.6	(p)219.5	(p)3.2	(p)1.5
Manufacturing.....		279.2	282.7	286.3	(p)286.0	(p)6.8	(p)2.4
Trade, transportation, and utilities		791.3	825.3	823.5	(p)830.1	(p)38.8	(p)4.9
Information		77.2	79.9	79.7	(p)79.2	(p)2.0	(p)2.6
Financial activities		324.3	330.3	333.4	(p)330.8	(p)6.5	(p)2.0
Professional and business services		624.9	663.8	670.6	(p)684.3	(p)59.4	(p)9.5
Education and health services		442.6	448.3	448.7	(p)451.6	(p)9.0	(p)2.0
Leisure and hospitality.....		319.3	377.8	381.0	(p)372.4	(p)53.1	(p)16.6
Other services		110.7	121.4	121.8	(p)122.0	(p)11.3	(p)10.2
Government.....		432.6	444.2	430.3	(p)439.0	(p)6.4	(p)1.5
Houston-The Woodlands-Sugar Land, TX							
Total nonfarm.....		2,912.9	3,047.3	3,047.5	(p)3,052.3	(p)139.4	(p)4.8
Mining and logging		62.6	68.9	68.5	(p)69.9	(p)7.3	(p)11.7
Construction		207.1	204.2	202.7	(p)204.8	(p)-2.3	(p)-1.1
Manufacturing.....		210.9	207.2	209.5	(p)210.8	(p)-0.1	(p)0.0
Trade, transportation, and utilities		607.0	631.8	629.3	(p)631.3	(p)24.3	(p)4.0
Information		27.5	28.8	29.0	(p)29.0	(p)1.5	(p)5.5
Financial activities		163.6	163.2	163.4	(p)164.9	(p)1.3	(p)0.8
Professional and business services		482.1	493.7	501.5	(p)507.0	(p)24.9	(p)5.2
Education and health services		392.8	400.5	405.2	(p)409.2	(p)16.4	(p)4.2
Leisure and hospitality.....		269.1	326.6	328.5	(p)323.6	(p)54.5	(p)20.3
Other services		100.6	111.3	114.9	(p)114.5	(p)13.9	(p)13.8
Government.....		389.6	411.1	395.0	(p)387.3	(p)-2.3	(p)-0.6
Los Angeles-Long Beach-Anaheim, CA							
Total nonfarm.....		5,444.2	5,792.2	5,776.2	(p)5,838.9	(p)394.7	(p)7.2
Mining and logging		1.9	1.9	1.9	(p)1.9	(p)0.0	(p)0.0
Construction		248.3	250.6	247.0	(p)249.9	(p)1.6	(p)0.6
Manufacturing.....		455.8	457.4	456.5	(p)457.8	(p)2.0	(p)0.4
Trade, transportation, and utilities		1,013.0	1,054.6	1,061.4	(p)1,059.3	(p)46.3	(p)4.6
Information		191.4	201.2	205.2	(p)211.1	(p)19.7	(p)10.3
Financial activities		322.5	323.6	324.5	(p)322.8	(p)0.3	(p)0.1
Professional and business services		879.7	916.1	924.8	(p)932.1	(p)52.4	(p)6.0
Education and health services		1,022.5	1,065.0	1,056.5	(p)1,060.5	(p)38.0	(p)3.7
Leisure and hospitality.....		485.3	632.6	657.3	(p)660.1	(p)174.8	(p)36.0
Other services		153.2	174.7	179.7	(p)178.6	(p)25.4	(p)16.6
Government.....		670.6	714.5	661.4	(p)704.8	(p)34.2	(p)5.1
Miami-Fort Lauderdale-West Palm Beach, FL							
Total nonfarm.....		2,471.8	2,571.8	2,580.6	(p)2,605.7	(p)133.9	(p)5.4
Mining and logging		0.8	0.8	0.8	(p)0.8	(p)0.0	(p)0.0
Construction		139.4	138.9	139.0	(p)139.3	(p)-0.1	(p)-0.1
Manufacturing.....		86.2	87.9	87.5	(p)86.6	(p)0.4	(p)0.5
Trade, transportation, and utilities		567.6	581.5	585.2	(p)585.5	(p)17.9	(p)3.2
Information		45.7	46.6	46.7	(p)47.1	(p)1.4	(p)3.1
Financial activities		186.7	190.7	192.9	(p)192.9	(p)6.2	(p)3.3



















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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	Aug 2020	Jun 2021	Jul 2021	Aug 2021	Aug 2020 to Aug 2021	
						Net change	Percent change
Professional and business services		433.3	449.8	452.7	(p)455.0	(p)21.7	(p)5.0
Education and health services		387.1	397.2	395.9	(p)401.4	(p)14.3	(p)3.7
Leisure and hospitality		224.8	283.5	285.8	(p)284.8	(p)60.0	(p)26.7
Other services		102.2	112.3	112.0	(p)111.4	(p)9.2	(p)9.0
Government		298.0	282.6	282.1	(p)300.9	(p)2.9	(p)1.0
New York-Newark-Jersey City, NY-NJ-PA							
Total nonfarm		8,699.5	9,189.8	9,164.3	(p)9,163.1	(p)463.6	(p)5.3
Mining, logging, and construction		391.5	373.5	375.0	(p)376.0	(p)-15.5	(p)-4.0
Manufacturing		324.9	335.5	334.7	(p)337.4	(p)12.5	(p)3.8
Trade, transportation, and utilities		1,502.8	1,580.5	1,560.8	(p)1,554.4	(p)51.6	(p)3.4
Information		277.8	297.4	299.6	(p)302.9	(p)25.1	(p)9.0
Financial activities		764.6	759.5	753.9	(p)760.3	(p)-4.3	(p)-0.6
Professional and business services		1,448.7	1,517.0	1,516.0	(p)1,515.9	(p)67.2	(p)4.6
Education and health services		1,836.2	1,958.7	1,939.5	(p)1,938.6	(p)102.4	(p)5.6
Leisure and hospitality		584.8	712.2	747.2	(p)751.5	(p)166.7	(p)28.5
Other services		340.5	356.8	360.2	(p)361.3	(p)20.8	(p)6.1
Government		1,227.7	1,298.7	1,277.4	(p)1,264.8	(p)37.1	(p)3.0
Philadelphia-Camden-Wilmington, PA-NJ-DE-MD							
Total nonfarm		2,709.2	2,843.2	2,828.2	(p)2,828.9	(p)119.7	(p)4.4
Mining, logging, and construction		118.0	119.7	120.7	(p)122.0	(p)4.0	(p)3.4
Manufacturing		173.7	175.2	176.7	(p)176.2	(p)2.5	(p)1.4
Trade, transportation, and utilities		493.9	517.2	516.0	(p)514.5	(p)20.6	(p)4.2
Information		49.7	52.2	53.1	(p)53.3	(p)3.6	(p)7.2
Financial activities		216.0	217.8	218.8	(p)219.4	(p)3.4	(p)1.6
Professional and business services		442.1	463.8	464.4	(p)464.8	(p)22.7	(p)5.1
Education and health services		612.0	636.1	630.2	(p)630.0	(p)18.0	(p)2.9
Leisure and hospitality		193.5	230.4	237.0	(p)235.0	(p)41.5	(p)21.4
Other services		102.0	107.5	107.5	(p)107.1	(p)5.1	(p)5.0
Government		308.3	323.3	303.8	(p)306.6	(p)-1.7	(p)-0.6
Phoenix-Mesa-Scottsdale, AZ							
Total nonfarm		2,082.9	2,174.9	2,185.1	(p)2,217.3	(p)134.4	(p)6.5
Mining and logging		2.9	2.8	2.8	(p)2.8	(p)-0.1	(p)-3.4
Construction		133.8	136.0	136.8	(p)138.0	(p)4.2	(p)3.1
Manufacturing		132.2	136.5	136.5	(p)136.6	(p)4.4	(p)3.3
Trade, transportation, and utilities		410.8	438.9	438.9	(p)438.4	(p)27.6	(p)6.7
Information		36.4	36.9	37.6	(p)36.2	(p)-0.2	(p)-0.5
Financial activities		203.7	205.3	207.7	(p)206.8	(p)3.1	(p)1.5
Professional and business services		350.8	367.8	375.7	(p)379.5	(p)28.7	(p)8.2
Education and health services		334.0	348.6	347.5	(p)355.0	(p)21.0	(p)6.3
Leisure and hospitality		172.8	213.1	214.2	(p)216.7	(p)43.9	(p)25.4
Other services		65.9	68.5	69.1	(p)69.3	(p)3.4	(p)5.2
Government		239.6	220.5	218.3	(p)238.0	(p)-1.6	(p)-0.7
San Francisco-Oakland-Hayward, CA							
Total nonfarm		2,201.9	2,297.7	2,296.4	(p)2,309.2	(p)107.3	(p)4.9
Mining and logging		0.3	0.3	0.3	(p)0.3	(p)0.0	(p)0.0
Construction		123.1	124.9	123.7	(p)123.9	(p)0.8	(p)0.6
Manufacturing		139.2	141.7	142.6	(p)141.7	(p)2.5	(p)1.8
Trade, transportation, and utilities		332.6	333.2	335.3	(p)333.6	(p)1.0	(p)0.3

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Area	Back data	Aug 2020	Jun 2021	Jul 2021	Aug 2021	Aug 2020 to Aug 2021	
						Net change	Percent change
Information		134.7	137.3	139.0	(p)139.8	(p)5.1	(p)3.8
Financial activities		138.8	139.9	140.1	(p)140.5	(p)1.7	(p)1.2
Professional and business services		472.9	494.4	498.8	(p)505.4	(p)32.5	(p)6.9
Education and health services		342.6	356.5	355.3	(p)354.7	(p)12.1	(p)3.5
Leisure and hospitality		157.1	196.9	205.4	(p)206.8	(p)49.7	(p)31.6
Other services		62.6	71.9	74.9	(p)75.9	(p)13.3	(p)21.2
Government		298.0	300.7	281.0	(p)286.6	(p)-11.4	(p)-3.8
Washington-Arlington-Alexandria, DC-VA-MD-WV							
Total nonfarm		3,103.2	3,212.7	3,214.5	(p)3,204.9	(p)101.7	(p)3.3
Mining, logging, and construction		162.0	163.5	163.6	(p)162.9	(p)0.9	(p)0.6
Manufacturing		54.3	55.8	56.1	(p)55.9	(p)1.6	(p)2.9
Trade, transportation, and utilities		377.7	394.0	394.2	(p)389.9	(p)12.2	(p)3.2
Information		73.6	73.2	73.6	(p)73.3	(p)-0.3	(p)-0.4
Financial activities		155.3	152.9	153.1	(p)154.8	(p)-0.5	(p)-0.3
Professional and business services		767.6	783.3	789.0	(p)789.3	(p)21.7	(p)2.8
Education and health services		407.5	426.4	428.1	(p)431.0	(p)23.5	(p)5.8
Leisure and hospitality		229.7	262.5	275.3	(p)277.3	(p)47.6	(p)20.7
Other services		191.8	192.5	194.0	(p)196.1	(p)4.3	(p)2.2
Government		683.7	708.6	687.5	(p)674.4	(p)-9.3	(p)-1.4

Footnotes

(p) Preliminary

SOURCE: Current Employment Statistics - National State and Metropolitan Area