

Employment Indicators in Selected States - September 2020  
Seasonally adjusted unless otherwise indicated (numbers in thousands)

	Arkansas			Louisiana			New Mexico		
	Sep 2019	Aug 2020	Sep 2020(p)	Sep 2019	Aug 2020	Sep 2020(p)	Sep 2019	Aug 2020	Sep 2020(p)
<b>Labor force data</b>									
Civilian labor force	1,363.3	1,343.2	1,335.5	2,099.2	2,106.6	2,095.1	959.0	896.7	952.3
Employed	1,314.8	1,243.7	1,238.3	1,993.1	1,944.8	1,924.7	913.3	794.8	862.8
Unemployed	48.5	99.5	97.2	106.1	161.8	170.3	45.7	102.0	89.6
Unemployment rate	3.6	7.4	7.3	5.1	7.7	8.1	4.8	11.4	9.4
<b>Nonfarm wage and salary employment</b>									
Total	1,273.0	1,227.5	1,225.8	1,987.1	1,853.0	1,851.4	861.6	798.1	802.4
Mining and Logging	5.9	5.1	5.1	36.5	29.0	28.0	26.1	18.7	19.0
Construction	52.4	53.1	53.1	138.1	121.9	126.9	51.1	49.1	48.1
Manufacturing	161.2	144.0	145.4	137.5	128.3	127.9	28.7	26.9	27.2
Trade, Transportation, & Utilities	251.2	257.9	258.6	378.3	365.2	365.2	136.4	133.8	134.3
Information	11.2	10.4	10.6	22.4	19.3	19.5	11.4	9.4	10.0
Financial Activities	62.9	60.5	60.5	92.5	91.5	93.4	35.6	34.2	33.3
Professional & Business Services	144.5	145.9	143.8	215.8	200.5	202.9	111.8	103.2	105.9
Education and Health Services	193.4	185.0	186.7	322.2	300.5	297.0	141.8	138.0	135.1
Leisure and Hospitality	120.3	102.1	102.8	237.2	194.7	192.8	100.0	71.9	75.4
Other Services	59.3	57.0	56.4	74.1	70.5	70.7	29.0	24.9	26.4
Government	210.7	206.5	202.8	332.5	331.6	327.1	189.7	188.0	187.7

	Oklahoma			Texas		
	Sep 2019	Aug 2020	Sep 2020(p)	Sep 2019	Aug 2020	Sep 2020(p)
<b>Labor force data</b>						
Civilian labor force	1,845.1	1,833.4	1,880.3	14,133.2	14,386.7	14,214.9
Employed	1,783.4	1,728.7	1,780.4	13,637.4	13,405.3	13,029.8
Unemployed	61.7	104.7	99.8	495.8	981.4	1,185.1
Unemployment rate	3.3	5.7	5.3	3.5	6.8	8.3
<b>Nonfarm wage and salary employment</b>						
Total	1,705.3	1,622.0	1,618.9	12,848.8	12,224.5	12,265.2
Mining and Logging	46.2	33.5	33.3	245.8	189.0	190.3
Construction	82.9	75.5	75.6	783.5	741.5	745.2
Manufacturing	140.3	128.0	126.5	909.4	868.1	870.8
Trade, Transportation, & Utilities	302.8	294.7	294.2	2,514.5	2,439.7	2,438.6
Information	19.6	19.0	18.9	209.2	195.3	198.0
Financial Activities	79.1	79.0	79.1	808.0	807.5	805.4
Professional & Business Services	194.1	179.0	179.8	1,804.1	1,776.5	1,780.5
Education and Health Services	239.3	234.0	233.4	1,746.7	1,676.4	1,678.9
Leisure and Hospitality	174.6	164.2	164.4	1,396.9	1,148.3	1,171.9
Other Services	70.6	67.6	66.8	448.4	422.3	420.3
Government	355.8	347.5	346.9	1,982.3	1,959.9	1,965.3

(p) Preliminary

Source: BLS Southwest Information Office, Dallas; CES and LAUS Surveys; October 20, 2020.