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Nonfarm Job Gains Above Historic Average; Unemployment Rate Declines to 6.1%

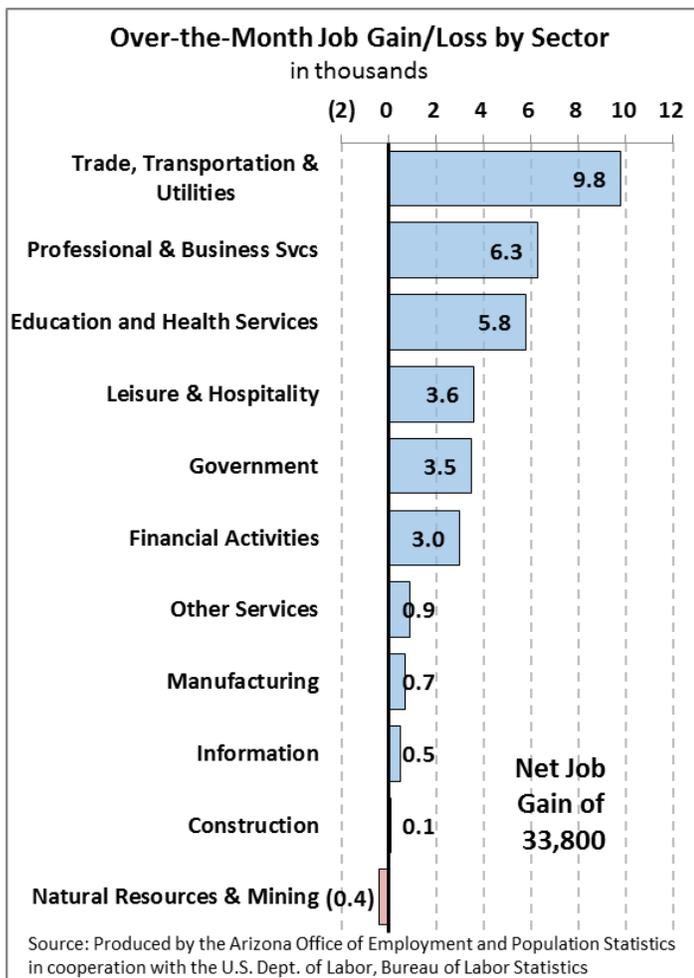
Arizona's seasonally adjusted unemployment rate dropped two-tenths of a percentage point from 6.3% in September to 6.1% in October. The U.S. seasonally adjusted unemployment rate decreased one-tenth of a percentage point from 5.1% in September to 5.0% in October. A year ago, the Arizona seasonally adjusted rate was 6.6% and the U.S. rate was 5.7% (see Figure 1).

Figure 1

Arizona, U.S. Economic Indicators			
Unemployment Rate (Seasonally Adj.)			
	<u>Oct'15</u>	<u>Sept'15</u>	<u>Oct'14</u>
United States	5.0%	5.1%	5.7%
Arizona	6.1%	6.3%	6.6%
Arizona unadjusted rate	6.1%	6.4%	6.7%

Arizona Nonfarm Employment (in Thousands)			
	<u>Oct'15</u>	<u>Sept'15</u>	<u>Oct'14</u>
Overall	2,666.4	2,632.6	2,606.1
Over-Month % Chg.	1.3%	1.1%	1.2%
Year-to-Year % Chg.	2.3%	2.2%	2.0%

Figure 2



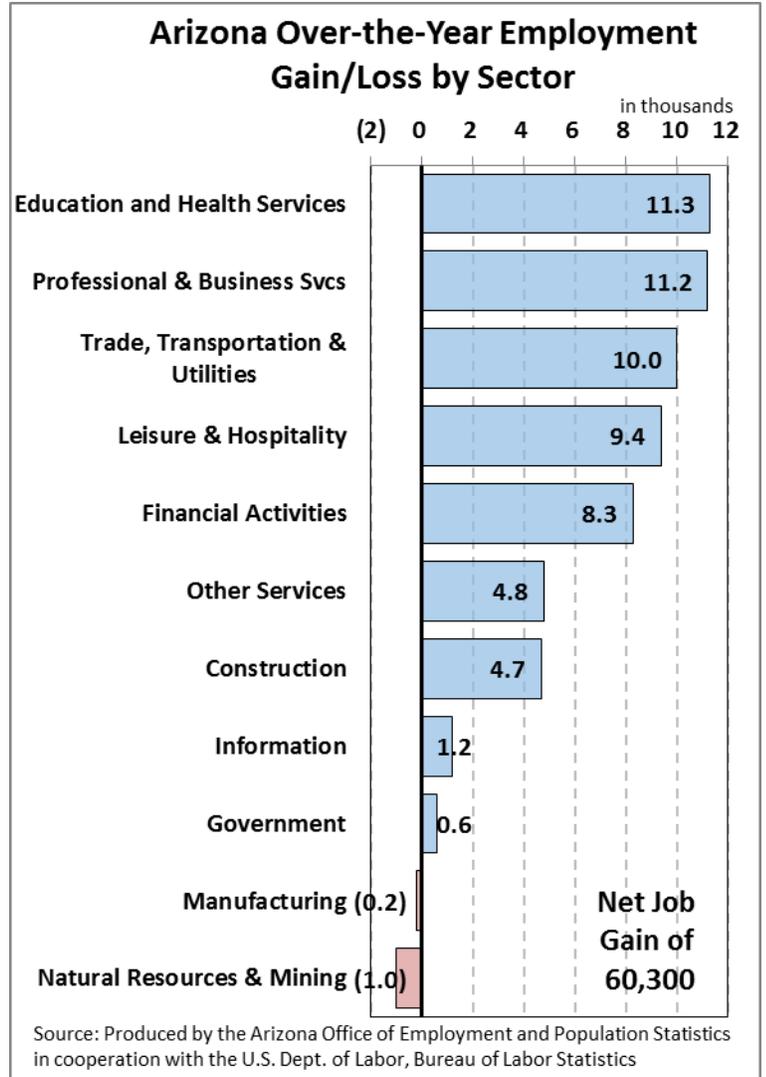
Over the Month

Arizona gained 33,800 Nonfarm jobs (1.3%) in October (see Figure 2). This was more than the post-recessionary ('10-'14) average gain of 23,900 jobs. The Private Sector gained 30,300 jobs, more than the post-recessionary ('10-'14) average gain of 20,900 jobs. Government gained 3,500 jobs, with gains recorded in Local (1,700 jobs) and State (2,100 jobs) Government Education offsetting losses within Federal Government (-800 jobs). Gains were recorded in ten of the eleven sectors, while one posted losses. The largest gain was recorded in Trade, Transportation and Utilities (9,800 jobs), followed by Professional and Business Services (6,300 jobs), Education and Health Services (5,800 jobs), Leisure and Hospitality (3,600 jobs), Government (3,500 jobs), Financial Activities (3,000 jobs), Other Services (900 jobs), Manufacturing (700 jobs), Information (500 jobs) and Construction (100 jobs). Natural Resources and Mining recorded losses of 400 jobs.

Over the Year

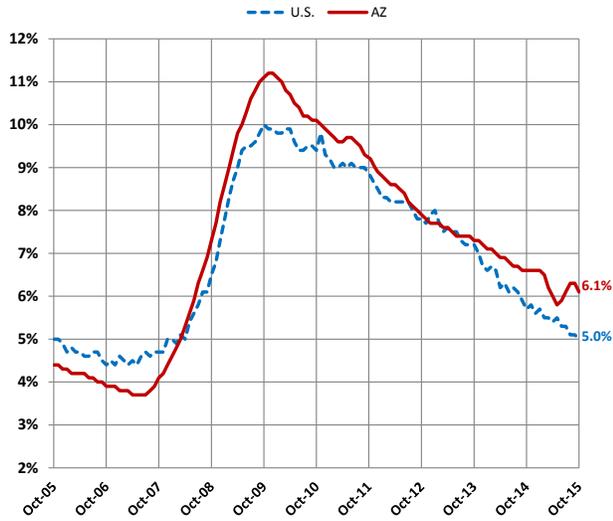
Arizona Nonfarm employment grew by 2.3% (60,300 jobs) over the year in October (see **Figure 3**). The Private Sector accounted for a majority of the September gains, adding 59,700 jobs. Government employment grew by 600 jobs in October. Nine of the eleven sectors reported job gains while two sectors reported losses. The sectors with the largest gains included Education and Health Services (11,300 jobs) and Professional and Business Services (11,200 jobs). Other gains were reported in Trade, Transportation and Utilities (10,000 jobs), Leisure and Hospitality (9,400 jobs), Financial Activities (8,300 jobs), Other Services (4,800 jobs), Construction (4,700 jobs), Information (1,200 jobs), and Government (600 jobs). Job losses were reported in Natural Resources and Mining (-1,000 jobs) and Manufacturing (-200 jobs).

Figure 3

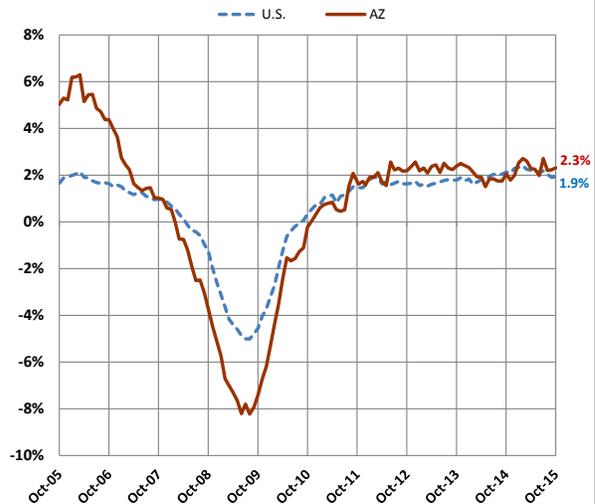


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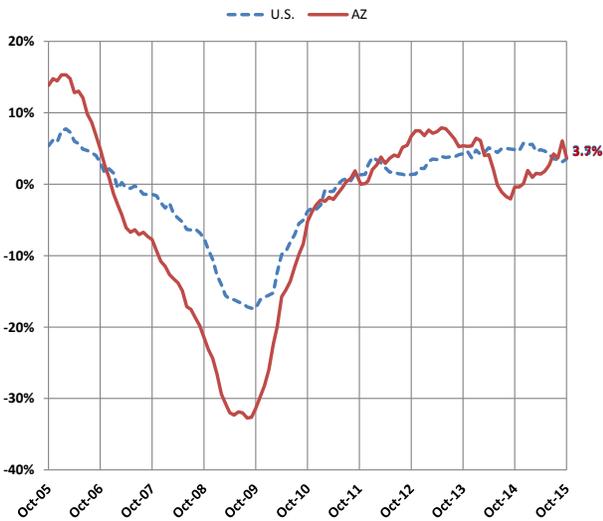
Arizona & U.S. Unemployment Rate Seasonally Adjusted



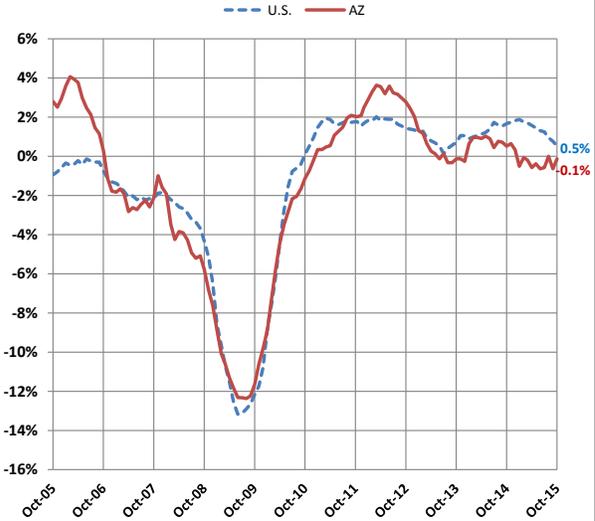
Arizona & U.S. Nonfarm Employment Year-to-Year Percent Change



Arizona & U.S. Construction Employment Year-to-Year Percent Change

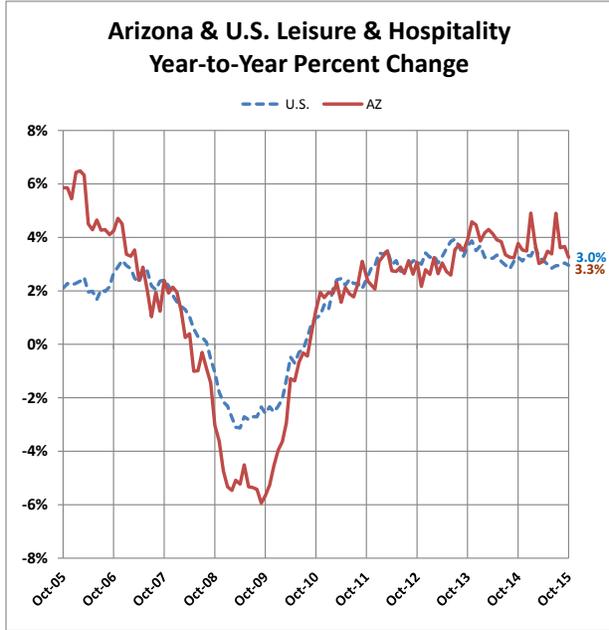
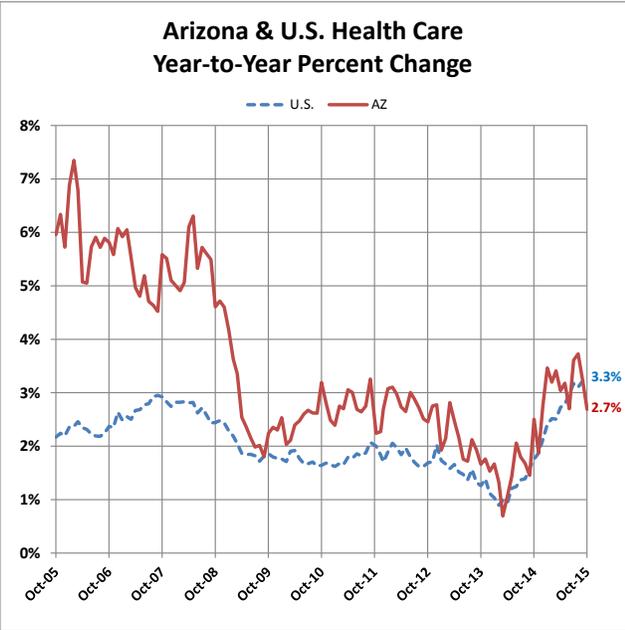


Arizona & U.S. Manufacturing Employment Year-to-Year Percent Change



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Table 1

Labor Force, Employment, Unemployment and Unemployment Rates^(a)

(in Thousands)

<u>ARIZONA</u>	October	September	Monthly/Yearly Change		
	2015 ^(c)	2015 ^(d)	October 2014 ^(d)	September '15 - October '15	October '14 - October '15
Civilian Labor Force ^(e)	3,163.2	3,163.9	3,129.7	-0.7	33.5
Unemployment	193.5	203.5	208.3	-10.0	-14.9
Unemployment Rate	6.1%	6.4%	6.7%	-0.3	-0.6
Unemployment Rate (Seasonally Adjusted) ^(f)	6.1%	6.3%	6.6%	-0.2	-0.5
Total Employment	2,969.7	2,960.4	2,921.4	9.3	48.3
<u>FLAGSTAFF MSA (Coconino County)</u>					
Civilian Labor Force ^(e)	73.7	74.6	73.3	-0.9	0.4
Unemployment	4.7	4.8	4.7	-0.1	-0.1
Unemployment Rate (Unadjusted)	6.3%	6.4%	6.5%	-0.1	-0.2
Total Employment	69.1	69.8	68.5	-0.7	0.5
<u>LAKE HAVASU CITY-KINGMAN MSA (Mohave County)</u>					
Civilian Labor Force ^(e)	77.4	78.0	78.5	-0.6	-1.0
Unemployment	6.2	6.5	6.6	-0.3	-0.4
Unemployment Rate (Unadjusted)	8.0%	8.4%	8.4%	-0.4	-0.4
Total Employment	71.2	71.5	71.9	-0.3	-0.6
<u>PHOENIX-MESA-SCOTTSDALE MSA (Maricopa & Pinal Counties)</u>					
Civilian Labor Force ^(e)	2,172.7	2,168.7	2,138.3	4.0	34.3
Unemployment	113.8	118.3	123.9	-4.5	-10.1
Unemployment Rate (Unadjusted)	5.2%	5.5%	5.8%	-0.3	-0.6
Total Employment	2,058.9	2,050.4	2,014.4	8.5	44.4
<u>PRESCOTT MSA (Yavapai County)</u>					
Civilian Labor Force ^(e)	98.2	98.1	97.9	0.1	0.4
Unemployment	5.3	5.5	5.8	-0.2	-0.5
Unemployment Rate (Unadjusted)	5.4%	5.6%	5.9%	-0.2	-0.5
Total Employment	93.0	92.6	92.1	0.3	0.9
<u>SIERRA VISTA-DOUGLAS MSA (Cochise County)</u>					
Civilian Labor Force ^(e)	50.2	50.3	51.5	-0.1	-1.3
Unemployment	3.6	3.8	4.1	-0.2	-0.5
Unemployment Rate (Unadjusted)	7.2%	7.6%	7.9%	-0.4	-0.7
Total Employment	46.6	46.5	47.4	0.1	-0.9

Notes: For notes and source, see end of Table 1

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Table 1 (Cont.)

Labor Force, Employment, Unemployment and Unemployment Rates^{(a)(b)}

(in Thousands)

	<u>Monthly/Yearly Change</u>				
	October 2015 ^(c)	September 2015 ^(d)	October 2014 ^(d)	September '15 - October '15	October '14 - October '15
TUCSON MSA (Pima County)					
Civilian Labor Force^(e)	471.6	471.5	466.6	0.1	5.0
Unemployment	26.2	27.0	28.0	-0.8	-1.9
Unemployment Rate (Unadjusted)	5.5%	5.7%	6.0%	-0.2	-0.5
Total Employment	445.4	444.5	438.5	0.9	6.9
YUMA MSA (Yuma County)					
Civilian Labor Force^(e)	90.7	92.4	92.8	-1.6	-2.1
Unemployment	21.0	24.1	21.3	-3.0	-0.3
Unemployment Rate (Unadjusted)	23.2%	26.1%	23.0%	-2.9	0.2
Total Employment	69.7	68.3	71.5	1.4	-1.8

Notes: a) Labor force, unemployment, total employment, and unadjusted unemployment rates are produced by the Local Area Unemployment Statistics (LAUS) program in the Arizona Office of Employment and Population Statistics, in cooperation with the U.S. Dept. of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics (BLS). BLS data used as part of the input in producing LAUS data come from the monthly Household Survey, produced by the Census Bureau for the U.S. Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics.

For more information on the LAUS program, visit this website: <http://www.bls.gov/lau/laufaq.htm>

- c) Preliminary
- d) Revised
- e) Adjusted to Current Population Survey (CPS 2015) to reflect place of residence
- f) Normal seasonal variations have been eliminated to reflect underlying trends

MSA - Metropolitan Statistical Area

NA - Not Available

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Table 2
Nonfarm Payroll Employment

(in Thousands, Not Seasonally Adjusted)

ARIZONA ^(a)				Amount Change		Percent Change	
	Oct. 2015 ^(c)	Sept. 2015 ^(c)	Oct. 2014 ^(c)	Monthly	Over-Year	Monthly	Over-Year
				Oct. '15 - Sept. '15	Oct. '14 - Oct. '15	Oct. '15 - Sept. '15	Oct. '14 - Oct. '15
Total Nonfarm Payroll Employment^(c,d)	2,666.4	2,632.6	2,606.1	33.8	60.3	1.3%	2.3%
Private Sector	2,240.9	2,210.6	2,181.2	30.3	59.7	1.4%	2.7%
Government	425.5	422.0	424.9	3.5	0.6	0.8%	0.1%
Goods-Producing Industries	299.6	299.2	296.1	0.4	3.5	0.1%	1.2%
Manufacturing	156.0	155.3	156.2	0.7	-0.2	0.5%	-0.1%
Durable Goods	120.2	119.6	120.9	0.6	-0.7	0.5%	-0.6%
Fabricated Metal	18.8	18.8	18.4	0.0	0.4	0.0%	2.2%
Computer and Electronic Parts	32.1	32.1	34.0	0.0	-1.9	0.0%	-5.6%
Aerospace Products and Parts	24.6	24.6	24.8	0.0	-0.2	0.0%	-0.8%
Nondurable Goods	35.8	35.7	35.3	0.1	0.5	0.3%	1.4%
Natural Resources and Mining	12.2	12.6	13.2	-0.4	-1.0	-3.2%	-7.6%
Metal Ore Mining	9.3	9.4	10.8	-0.1	-1.5	-1.1%	-13.9%
Construction	131.4	131.3	126.7	0.1	4.7	0.1%	3.7%
Buildings	24.4	24.6	23.5	-0.2	0.9	-0.8%	3.8%
Heavy	16.1	16.2	16.7	-0.1	-0.6	-0.6%	-3.6%
Specialty Trades	90.9	90.5	86.5	0.4	4.4	0.4%	5.1%
Service-Providing Industries	2,366.8	2,333.4	2,310.0	33.4	56.8	1.4%	2.5%
Private Service Providing	1,941.3	1,911.4	1,885.1	29.9	56.2	1.6%	3.0%
Trade, Transportation and Utilities	505.8	496.0	495.8	9.8	10.0	2.0%	2.0%
Trade	416.2	408.1	408.1	8.1	8.1	2.0%	2.0%
Wholesale Trade	94.0	93.1	93.6	0.9	0.4	1.0%	0.4%
Retail Trade	322.2	315.0	314.5	7.2	7.7	2.3%	2.4%
Motor Vehicles and Parts	43.1	43.0	41.0	0.1	2.1	0.2%	5.1%
Furniture and Home Furnishings	11.4	11.1	10.6	0.3	0.8	2.7%	7.5%
Building Material, Garden Suppl	23.8	23.5	22.6	0.3	1.2	1.3%	5.3%
Food and Beverage	56.1	55.6	55.9	0.5	0.2	0.9%	0.4%
Clothing and Accessories	21.5	20.6	21.8	0.9	-0.3	4.4%	-1.4%
General Merchandise	66.0	64.6	65.0	1.4	1.0	2.2%	1.5%
Department Stores	25.3	24.9	25.9	0.4	-0.6	1.6%	-2.3%
Other General merchand	40.7	39.7	39.1	1.0	1.6	2.5%	4.1%
Transp., Warehousing, and Utilities	89.6	87.9	87.7	1.7	1.9	1.9%	2.2%
Utilities	12.1	12.0	12.0	0.1	0.1	0.8%	0.8%
Transportation and Warehousing	77.5	75.9	75.7	1.6	1.8	2.1%	2.4%
Air Transportation	12.5	12.5	12.7	0.0	-0.2	0.0%	-1.6%
Truck Transportation	19.6	19.5	19.7	0.1	-0.1	0.5%	-0.5%
Information	43.6	43.1	42.4	0.5	1.2	1.2%	2.8%
Telecommunications	15.3	15.4	15.2	-0.1	0.1	-0.6%	0.7%
Financial Activities	198.4	195.4	190.1	3.0	8.3	1.5%	4.4%
Finance and Insurance	150.9	149.5	142.3	1.4	8.6	0.9%	6.0%
Credit Intermediation and Related Activities	80.4	79.5	75.2	0.9	5.2	1.1%	6.9%
Insurance Carriers and Related Activities	51.9	51.3	49.5	0.6	2.4	1.2%	4.8%
Securities, Commodity Contracts	18.6	18.7	17.6	-0.1	1.0	-0.5%	5.7%
Real Estate and Rental and Leasing	47.5	45.9	47.8	1.6	-0.3	3.5%	-0.6%
Professional and Business Services	400.7	394.4	389.5	6.3	11.2	1.6%	2.9%
Professional, Scientific and Technical Service	135.4	133.3	128.7	2.1	6.7	1.6%	5.2%
Management of Companies and Enterprises	31.0	30.9	30.0	0.1	1.0	0.3%	3.3%
Administrative and Support and Waste	234.3	230.2	230.8	4.1	3.5	1.8%	1.5%
Employment Services	101.2	98.4	98.1	2.8	3.1	2.8%	3.2%
Business Support Services	39.2	38.6	38.1	0.6	1.1	1.6%	2.9%
Services to Buildings and Dwellings	42.2	42.0	41.1	0.2	1.1	0.5%	2.7%
Educational and Health Services	400.4	394.6	389.1	5.8	11.3	1.5%	2.9%
Educational Services	62.7	59.6	60.9	3.1	1.8	5.2%	3.0%
Health Care and Social Assistance	337.7	335.0	328.2	2.7	9.5	0.8%	2.9%
Health Care	290.1	287.9	282.5	2.2	7.6	0.8%	2.7%
Ambulatory Health Care Services	151.7	150.3	145.9	1.4	5.8	0.9%	4.0%
Hospitals	89.2	88.7	87.5	0.5	1.7	0.6%	1.9%
Nursing and Residential Care Facilities	49.2	48.9	49.1	0.3	0.1	0.6%	0.2%
Social Assistance	47.6	47.1	45.7	0.5	1.9	1.1%	4.2%
Leisure and Hospitality	298.2	294.6	288.8	3.6	9.4	1.2%	3.3%
Arts, Entertainment and Recreation	39.8	40.0	38.5	-0.2	1.3	-0.5%	3.4%
Accommodation and Food Services	258.4	254.6	250.3	3.8	8.1	1.5%	3.2%
Accommodation	45.1	43.9	43.4	1.2	1.7	2.7%	3.9%
Food Services and Drinking Places	213.3	210.7	206.9	2.6	6.4	1.2%	3.1%
Other Services (except Public Administration)	94.2	93.3	89.4	0.9	4.8	1.0%	5.4%
Government	425.5	422.0	424.9	3.5	0.6	0.8%	0.1%
Federal	54.8	55.6	54.5	-0.8	0.3	-1.4%	0.6%
State	91.9	89.0	91.2	2.9	0.7	3.3%	0.8%
State Education	53.8	51.7	52.8	2.1	1.0	4.1%	1.9%
Local	278.8	277.4	279.2	1.4	-0.4	0.5%	-0.1%
Local Education	152.4	150.7	150.8	1.7	1.6	1.1%	1.1%

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(in Thousands, Not Seasonally Adjusted)

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Total Nonfarm Payroll Employment^{(c)(9)}	1,932.0	1,906.2	1,883.7	25.8	48.3	1.4%	2.6%
Private Sector	1,687.6	1,664.4	1,640.2	23.2	47.4	1.4%	2.9%
Government	244.4	241.8	243.5	2.6	0.9	1.1%	0.4%
Goods-Producing Industries	223.5	223.0	218.3	0.5	5.2	0.2%	2.4%
Manufacturing	117.4	117.0	118.1	0.4	-0.7	0.3%	-0.6%
Durable Goods	88.8	88.5	90.0	0.3	-1.2	0.3%	-1.3%
Computer and Electronic Parts	29.6	29.5	31.3	0.1	-1.7	0.3%	-5.4%
Aerospace Products and Parts	13.8	13.9	14.4	-0.1	-0.6	-0.7%	-4.2%
Nondurable Goods	28.6	28.5	28.1	0.1	0.5	0.4%	1.8%
Natural Resources and Mining	3.3	3.4	3.4	-0.1	-0.1	-2.9%	-2.9%
Construction	102.8	102.6	96.8	0.2	6.0	0.2%	6.2%
Buildings	17.5	17.8	17.3	-0.3	0.2	-1.7%	1.2%
Heavy	12.5	12.6	12.9	-0.1	-0.4	-0.8%	-3.1%
Specialty Trades	72.8	72.2	66.6	0.6	6.2	0.8%	9.3%
Service-Providing Industries	1,708.5	1,683.2	1,665.4	25.3	43.1	1.5%	2.6%
Private Service Providing	1,464.1	1,441.4	1,421.9	22.7	42.2	1.6%	3.0%
Trade, Transportation and Utilities	376.3	369.6	368.0	6.7	8.3	1.8%	2.3%
Trade	306.9	301.0	301.3	5.9	5.6	2.0%	1.9%
Wholesale Trade	78.2	78.1	77.7	0.1	0.5	0.1%	0.6%
Retail Trade	228.7	222.9	223.6	5.8	5.1	2.6%	2.3%
Motor Vehicles and Parts	30.4	30.2	29.0	0.2	1.4	0.7%	4.8%
Building Material, Garden Supply	16.1	15.8	15.4	0.3	0.7	1.9%	4.5%
Food and Beverage	37.4	37.0	37.2	0.4	0.2	1.1%	0.5%
Clothing and Gen. Merchandise	61.8	60.0	60.7	1.8	1.1	3.0%	1.8%
General Merchandise	44.4	43.5	43.7	0.9	0.7	2.1%	1.6%
Department Stores	17.9	17.6	18.3	0.3	-0.4	1.7%	-2.2%
Other General merchandise	26.5	25.9	25.4	0.6	1.1	2.3%	4.3%
Transportation, Warehousing and Utilities	69.4	68.6	66.7	0.8	2.7	1.2%	4.0%
Utilities	8.3	8.3	7.9	0.0	0.4	0.0%	5.1%
Transportation and warehousing	61.1	60.3	58.8	0.8	2.3	1.3%	3.9%
Air transportation*							
Truck transportation	15.4	15.4	15.3	0.0	0.1	0.0%	0.7%
Information	35.4	34.9	34.5	0.5	0.9	1.4%	2.6%
Telecommunications	13.2	13.3	13.2	-0.1	0.0	-0.8%	0.0%
Financial Activities	169.8	168.0	164.1	1.8	5.7	1.1%	3.5%
Finance and Insurance	131.4	130.8	126.0	0.6	5.4	0.5%	4.3%
Credit Intermediation and Related Activities	70.0	69.4	67.4	0.6	2.6	0.9%	3.9%
Insurance Carriers and Related Activities	44.3	44.0	42.3	0.3	2.0	0.7%	4.7%
Securities, Commodity Contracts	17.1	17.4	16.3	-0.3	0.8	-1.7%	4.9%
Real Estate and Rental and Leasing	38.4	37.2	38.1	1.2	0.3	3.2%	0.8%
Professional and Business Services	323.2	318.7	314.4	4.5	8.8	1.4%	2.8%
Professional, Scientific and Technical Services	104.5	102.9	100.3	1.6	4.2	1.6%	4.2%
Management of Companies and Enterprises	28.2	28.4	26.7	-0.2	1.5	-0.7%	5.6%
Administrative and Support and Waste	190.5	187.4	187.4	3.1	3.1	1.7%	1.7%
Employment Services	89.4	87.2	86.5	2.2	2.9	2.5%	3.4%
Business Support Services	25.1	24.8	24.7	0.3	0.4	1.2%	1.6%
Services to Buildings and Dwellings	32.4	32.6	32.4	-0.2	0.0	-0.6%	0.0%
Educational and Health Services	283.5	279.0	274.5	4.5	9.0	1.6%	3.3%
Educational Services	49.6	46.6	47.7	3.0	1.9	6.4%	4.0%
Health Care and Social Assistance	233.9	232.4	226.8	1.5	7.1	0.6%	3.1%
Health Care	201.8	200.4	195.9	1.4	5.9	0.7%	3.0%
Ambulatory Health Care Services	112.6	111.6	108.8	1.0	3.8	0.9%	3.5%
Hospitals	57.2	56.8	55.5	0.4	1.7	0.7%	3.1%
Nursing and Residential Care Facilities	32.0	32.0	31.6	0.0	0.4	0.0%	1.3%
Social Assistance	32.1	32.0	30.9	0.1	1.2	0.3%	3.9%
Leisure and Hospitality	207.7	203.9	200.7	3.8	7.0	1.9%	3.5%
Arts, Entertainment and Recreation	31.1	30.7	29.7	0.4	1.4	1.3%	4.7%
Accommodation and Food Services	176.6	173.2	171.0	3.4	5.6	2.0%	3.3%
Accommodation	25.1	24.1	24.9	1.0	0.2	4.1%	0.8%
Food Services and Drinking Places	151.5	149.1	146.1	2.4	5.4	1.6%	3.7%
Other Services (except Public Administration)	68.2	67.3	65.7	0.9	2.5	1.3%	3.8%
Government	244.4	241.8	243.5	2.6	0.9	1.1%	0.4%
Federal	21.8	21.9	21.8	-0.1	0.0	-0.5%	0.0%
State	50.4	48.3	49.7	2.1	0.7	4.3%	1.4%
State Education	23.2	21.8	22.1	1.4	1.1	6.4%	5.0%
Local	172.2	171.6	172.0	0.6	0.2	0.3%	0.1%
Local Education	100.3	99.6	98.5	0.7	1.8	0.7%	1.8%

- Note:**
- 1) Phoenix-Mesa-Scottsdale Metropolitan Area includes Maricopa and Pinal counties. For other notes and source, see end of Table 2
 - 2) The series for Air Transportation in the Phoenix MSA has been discontinued following the BLS' annual review of sample adequacy and disclosure requirements. Employment counts for Air Transportation in the Phoenix MSA will however still continue to be available through the QCEW program.

Table 2 (Cont.)

Nonfarm Payroll Employment

(in Thousands, Not Seasonally Adjusted)

TUCSON MSA ³				Amount Change		Percent Change	
	Oct.	Sept.	Oct.	Monthly	Over-Year	Monthly	Over-Year
	2015(b)	2015(c)	2014(c)	Oct. '15 - Sept. '15	Oct. '14 - Oct. '15	Oct. '15 - Sept. '15	Oct. '14 - Oct. '15
Total Nonfarm Payroll Employment^(c,d)	376.0	371.4	368.6	4.6	7.4	1.2%	2.0%
Private Sector	295.8	291.9	289.7	3.9	6.1	1.3%	2.1%
Government	80.2	79.5	78.9	0.7	1.3	0.9%	1.6%
Goods-Producing Industries	39.9	39.6	39.8	0.3	0.1	0.8%	0.3%
Manufacturing	22.8	22.6	22.5	0.2	0.3	0.9%	1.3%
Aerospace Products and Parts	10.3	10.2	10.2	0.1	0.1	1.0%	1.0%
Natural Resources and Mining	2.2	2.2	2.3	0.0	-0.1	0.0%	-4.3%
Construction	14.9	14.8	15.0	0.1	-0.1	0.7%	-0.7%
Specialty Trades	11.1	11.1	11.0	0.0	0.1	0.0%	0.9%
Service-Providing Industries	336.1	331.8	328.8	4.3	7.3	1.3%	2.2%
Private Service Providing	255.9	252.3	249.9	3.6	6.0	1.4%	2.4%
Trade, Transportation and Utilities	61.6	60.1	60.8	1.5	0.8	2.5%	1.3%
Trade	51.4	50.5	50.8	0.9	0.6	1.8%	1.2%
Wholesale Trade	8.1	8.0	7.9	0.1	0.2	1.3%	2.5%
Retail Trade	43.3	42.5	42.9	0.8	0.4	1.9%	0.9%
Clothing & General Merchandise	11.5	11.1	11.4	0.4	0.1	3.6%	0.9%
General Merchandise	8.6	8.5	8.4	0.1	0.2	1.2%	2.4%
Department Stores	3.6	3.6	3.7	0.0	-0.1	0.0%	-2.7%
Other General Merchandise	5.0	4.9	4.7	0.1	0.3	2.0%	6.4%
Food and Beverage Stores	9.6	9.4	9.5	0.2	0.1	2.1%	1.1%
Transportation, Warehousing and Utilities	10.2	9.6	10.0	0.6	0.2	6.3%	2.0%
Information	4.2	4.1	4.1	0.1	0.1	2.4%	2.4%
Financial Activities	18.0	17.8	17.5	0.2	0.5	1.1%	2.9%
Professional and Business Services	53.0	52.3	50.2	0.7	2.8	1.3%	5.6%
Professional, Scientific and Technical Services	19.3	19.4	19.2	-0.1	0.1	-0.5%	0.5%
Administrative and Support and Waste	31.0	30.6	29.4	0.4	1.6	1.3%	5.4%
Employment Services	9.2	9.1	8.6	0.1	0.6	1.1%	7.0%
Business Support Services	10.3	10.1	10.2	0.2	0.1	2.0%	1.0%
Educational and Health Services	63.9	63.2	62.5	0.7	1.4	1.1%	2.2%
Health Care	47.1	46.8	46.3	0.3	0.8	0.6%	1.7%
Ambulatory Health Care Services	20.1	20.0	19.9	0.1	0.2	0.5%	1.0%
Hospitals	16.7	16.6	16.3	0.1	0.4	0.6%	2.5%
Nursing and Residential Care Facilities	10.3	10.2	10.1	0.1	0.2	1.0%	2.0%
Leisure and Hospitality	42.4	42.1	41.9	0.3	0.5	0.7%	1.2%
Accommodation and Food Services	38.1	37.9	37.3	0.2	0.8	0.5%	2.1%
Accommodation	7.4	7.1	7.2	0.3	0.2	4.2%	2.8%
Food Services and Drinking Places	30.7	30.8	30.1	-0.1	0.6	-0.3%	2.0%
Other Services (except Public Administration)	12.8	12.7	12.9	0.1	-0.1	0.8%	-0.8%
Government	80.2	79.5	78.9	0.7	1.3	0.9%	1.6%
Federal	12.5	12.5	12.3	0.0	0.2	0.0%	1.6%
State	26.5	26.1	26.5	0.4	0.0	1.5%	0.0%
State Education	22.0	21.5	22.0	0.5	0.0	2.3%	0.0%
Local	41.2	40.9	40.1	0.3	1.1	0.7%	2.7%
Local Education	22.0	21.8	21.3	0.2	0.7	0.9%	3.3%

Note: 3) Tucson Metropolitan Area includes all of Pima County. For other notes and source, see end of Table 2.

Table 2 (Cont.)

Nonfarm Payroll Employment

(in Thousands, Not Seasonally Adjusted)

YUMA MSA ⁴	Oct. 2015(b)	Sept. 2015(c)	Oct. 2014(c)	Amount Change		Percent Change	
				Monthly	Over-Year	Monthly	Over-Year
				Oct. '15 - Sept. '15	Oct. '14 - Oct. '15	Oct. '15 - Sept. '15	Oct. '14 - Oct. '15
Total Nonfarm Payroll Employment^(c,a)	51.4	50.5	51.4	0.9	0.0	1.8%	0.0%
Private Sector	36.8	35.9	36.3	0.9	0.5	2.5%	1.4%
Government	14.6	14.6	15.1	0.0	-0.5	0.0%	-3.3%
Goods-Producing Industries	4.3	4.3	4.2	0.0	0.1	0.0%	2.4%
Manufacturing	2.0	2.0	1.9	0.0	0.1	0.0%	5.3%
Natural Resources and Construction	2.3	2.3	2.3	0.0	0.0	0.0%	0.0%
Service-Providing Industries	47.1	46.2	47.2	0.9	-0.1	1.9%	-0.2%
Private Service Providing	32.5	31.6	32.1	0.9	0.4	2.8%	1.2%
Trade, Transportation and Utilities	10.1	9.9	9.4	0.2	0.7	2.0%	7.4%
Information	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.0	0.0	0.0%	0.0%
Financial Activities	1.6	1.6	1.7	0.0	-0.1	0.0%	-5.9%
Professional and Business Services	5.9	5.7	6.2	0.2	-0.3	3.5%	-4.8%
Educational and Health Services	7.7	7.5	7.4	0.2	0.3	2.7%	4.1%
Leisure and Hospitality	5.2	4.9	5.4	0.3	-0.2	6.1%	-3.7%
Other Services (except Public Administration)	1.5	1.5	1.5	0.0	0.0	0.0%	0.0%
Government	14.6	14.6	15.1	0.0	-0.5	0.0%	-3.3%
Federal	3.4	3.4	3.5	0.0	-0.1	0.0%	-2.9%
State and Local	11.2	11.2	11.6	0.0	-0.4	0.0%	-3.4%

Note: 4) Yuma Metropolitan Area includes all of Yuma County. For other notes and source, see end of Table 2

FLAGSTAFF MSA ⁵	Oct. 2015(b)	Sept. 2015(c)	Oct. 2014(c)	Amount Change		Percent Change	
				Monthly	Over-Year	Monthly	Over-Year
				Oct. '15 - Sept. '15	Oct. '14 - Oct. '15	Oct. '15 - Sept. '15	Oct. '14 - Oct. '15
Total Nonfarm Payroll Employment^(c,a)	67.0	67.2	65.9	-0.2	1.1	-0.3%	1.7%
Private Sector	46.7	47.2	45.4	-0.5	1.3	-1.1%	2.9%
Government	20.3	20.0	20.5	0.3	-0.2	1.5%	-1.0%
Goods-Producing Industries	6.5	6.4	6.5	0.1	0.0	1.6%	0.0%
Manufacturing	4.3	4.3	4.2	0.0	0.1	0.0%	2.4%
Natural Resources and Construction	2.2	2.1	2.3	0.1	-0.1	4.8%	-4.3%
Service-Providing Industries	60.5	60.8	59.4	-0.3	1.1	-0.5%	1.9%
Private Service Providing	40.2	40.8	38.9	-0.6	1.3	-1.5%	3.3%
Trade, Transportation and Utilities	11.3	10.8	10.2	0.5	1.1	4.6%	10.8%
Information	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.0	0.0	0.0%	0.0%
Financial Activities	1.2	1.2	1.2	0.0	0.0	0.0%	0.0%
Professional and Business Services	3.2	2.9	3.2	0.3	0.0	10.3%	0.0%
Educational and Health Services	9.5	9.5	9.3	0.0	0.2	0.0%	2.2%
Leisure and Hospitality	13.1	14.5	13.1	-1.4	0.0	-9.7%	0.0%
Other Services (except Public Administration)	1.5	1.5	1.5	0.0	0.0	0.0%	0.0%
Government	20.3	20.0	20.5	0.3	-0.2	1.5%	-1.0%
Federal	2.7	2.9	2.7	-0.2	0.0	-6.9%	0.0%
State and Local	17.6	17.1	17.8	0.5	-0.2	2.9%	-1.1%

Notes: 5) Flagstaff Metropolitan Area includes all of Coconino County. For other notes and source, see end of Table 2

Table 2 (Cont.)

Nonfarm Payroll Employment

(in Thousands, Not Seasonally Adjusted)

PRESCOTT MSA ⁶	Oct. 2015(b)	Sept. 2015(c)	Oct. 2014(c)	Amount Change		Percent Change	
				Monthly	Over-Year	Monthly	Over-Year
				Oct. '15 - Sept. '15	Oct. '14 - Oct. '15	Oct. '15 - Sept. '15	Oct. '14 - Oct. '15
Total Nonfarm Payroll Employment^{(c)(d)}	62.3	61.6	60.9	0.7	1.4	1.1%	2.3%
Private Sector	51.6	51.0	49.7	0.6	1.9	1.2%	3.8%
Government	10.7	10.6	11.2	0.1	-0.5	0.9%	-4.5%
Goods-Producing Industries	8.1	8.1	7.8	0.0	0.3	0.0%	3.8%
Manufacturing	3.5	3.5	3.3	0.0	0.2	0.0%	6.1%
Natural Resources and Construction	4.6	4.6	4.5	0.0	0.1	0.0%	2.2%
Service-Providing Industries	54.2	53.5	53.1	0.7	1.1	1.3%	2.1%
Private Service Providing	43.5	42.9	41.9	0.6	1.6	1.4%	3.8%
Trade, Transportation and Utilities	13.7	13.3	12.7	0.4	1.0	3.0%	7.9%
Information	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.0	0.0	0.0%	0.0%
Financial Activities	1.8	1.8	1.8	0.0	0.0	0.0%	0.0%
Professional and Business Services	3.6	3.7	3.7	-0.1	-0.1	-2.7%	-2.7%
Educational and Health Services	12.0	11.8	11.6	0.2	0.4	1.7%	3.4%
Leisure and Hospitality	8.5	8.5	8.4	0.0	0.1	0.0%	1.2%
Other Services (except Public Administration)	3.3	3.2	3.1	0.1	0.2	3.1%	6.5%
Government	10.7	10.6	11.2	0.1	-0.5	0.9%	-4.5%
Federal	1.3	1.3	1.3	0.0	0.0	0.0%	0.0%
State and Local	9.4	9.3	9.9	0.1	-0.5	1.1%	-5.1%

Note: 6) Prescott Metropolitan Area includes all of Yavapai County. For other notes and source, see end of Table 2

LAKE HAVASU CITY-KINGMAN MSA ⁷	Oct. 2015(b)	Sept. 2015(c)	Oct. 2014(c)	Amount Change		Percent Change	
				Monthly	Over-Year	Monthly	Over-Year
				Oct. '15 - Sept. '15	Oct. '14 - Oct. '15	Oct. '15 - Sept. '15	Oct. '14 - Oct. '15
Total Nonfarm Payroll Employment^{(c)(d)}	45.8	45.8	46.7	0.0	-0.9	0.0%	-1.9%
Private Sector	38.2	38.3	38.6	-0.1	-0.4	-0.3%	-1.0%
Government	7.6	7.5	8.1	0.1	-0.5	1.3%	-6.2%
Goods-Producing Industries	5.3	5.3	5.5	0.0	-0.2	0.0%	-3.6%
Manufacturing	2.8	2.8	2.9	0.0	-0.1	0.0%	-3.4%
Natural Resources and Construction	2.5	2.5	2.6	0.0	-0.1	0.0%	-3.8%
Service-Providing Industries	40.5	40.5	41.2	0.0	-0.7	0.0%	-1.7%
Private Service Providing	32.9	33.0	33.1	-0.1	-0.2	-0.3%	-0.6%
Trade, Transportation and Utilities	10.9	10.9	11.0	0.0	-0.1	0.0%	-0.9%
Information	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.0	0.0	0.0%	0.0%
Financial Activities	1.5	1.5	1.6	0.0	-0.1	0.0%	-6.3%
Professional and Business Services	4.2	4.2	3.9	0.0	0.3	0.0%	7.7%
Educational and Health Services	8.1	8.2	8.3	-0.1	-0.2	-1.2%	-2.4%
Leisure and Hospitality	5.8	5.8	5.8	0.0	0.0	0.0%	0.0%
Other Services (except Public Administration)	1.8	1.8	1.9	0.0	-0.1	0.0%	-5.3%
Government	7.6	7.5	8.1	0.1	-0.5	1.3%	-6.2%
Federal	0.4	0.4	0.5	0.0	-0.1	0.0%	-20.0%
State and Local	7.2	7.1	7.6	0.1	-0.4	1.4%	-5.3%

Note: 7) Lake Havasu City-Kingman Metropolitan Area includes all of Mohave County
For other notes and source, see next page

Table 2 (Cont.)

Nonfarm Payroll Employment

(in Thousands, Not Seasonally Adjusted)

	SIERRA VISTA-DOUGLAS MSA ⁸			Amount Change		Percent Change	
	Oct.	Sept.	Oct.	Monthly	Over-Year	Monthly	Over-Year
	2015(b)	2015(c)	2014(c)	Oct. '15 - Sept. '15	Oct. '14 - Oct. '15	Oct. '15 - Sept. '15	Oct. '14 - Oct. '15
Total Nonfarm Payroll Employment^{(c),(d)}	34.6	34.2	34.9	0.4	-0.3	1.2%	-0.9%
Private Sector	23.0	22.5	23.1	0.5	-0.1	2.2%	-0.4%
Government	11.6	11.7	11.8	-0.1	-0.2	-0.9%	-1.7%
Goods-Producing Industries	1.7	1.6	1.8	0.1	-0.1	6.3%	-5.6%
Manufacturing	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.0	0.0	0.0%	0.0%
Natural Resources and Construction	1.1	1.0	1.2	0.1	-0.1	10.0%	-8.3%
Service-Providing Industries	32.9	32.6	33.1	0.3	-0.2	0.9%	-0.6%
Private Service Providing	21.3	20.9	21.3	0.4	0.0	1.9%	0.0%
Trade, Transportation and Utilities	6.1	6.1	6.1	0.0	0.0	0.0%	0.0%
Information	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.0	0.0	0.0%	0.0%
Financial Activities	0.9	0.9	0.9	0.0	0.0	0.0%	0.0%
Professional and Business Services	4.5	4.3	4.6	0.2	-0.1	4.7%	-2.2%
Educational and Health Services	4.6	4.6	4.5	0.0	0.1	0.0%	2.2%
Leisure and Hospitality	3.9	3.8	3.9	0.1	0.0	2.6%	0.0%
Other Services (except Public Administration)	1.0	0.9	1.0	0.1	0.0	11.1%	0.0%
Government	11.6	11.7	11.8	-0.1	-0.2	-0.9%	-1.7%
Federal	5.0	5.1	5.1	-0.1	-0.1	-2.0%	-2.0%
State and Local	6.6	6.6	6.7	0.0	-0.1	0.0%	-1.5%

Note: 8) Sierra Vista Douglas Metropolitan Area includes all of Cochise County

Other notes and sources:

- Nonfarm employment at the state and substate level is produced from the monthly establishment survey by the Current Employment Statistics (CES)
For more information on the establishment survey, see: <http://www.bls.gov/bls/empsitquickguide.htm>
 - Preliminary and subject to revision the following month
 - Revised
 - By place of work; does not include agricultural workers, self-employed, unpaid family members, and domestic workers
 - Detail may not add up exactly due to rounding
- MSA — Metropolitan Statistical Area
NA — Not Available

Source: Prepared by the Arizona Office of Employment and Population Statistics, in cooperation with the U.S. Dept. of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics.

**APACHE COUNTY
LABOR FORCE
2015**

	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC
Total Civilian Labor Force	20,814	20,582	20,296	20,603	20,991	21,291	21,027	21,285	20,948	20,346	-	-
Total Employment	17,632	17,549	17,701	18,012	18,443	18,398	17,911	18,370	18,182	17,755	-	-
Total Unemployment	3,182	3,033	2,595	2,591	2,548	2,893	3,116	2,915	2,766	2,591	-	-
Unemployment Rate	15.3%	14.7%	12.8%	12.6%	12.1%	13.6%	14.8%	13.7%	13.2%	12.7%	-	-

**COCHISE COUNTY (SIERRA VISTA-DOUGLAS MSA)
LABOR FORCE
2015**

	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC
Total Civilian Labor Force	50,874	50,897	50,550	50,728	51,087	51,288	51,013	50,706	50,311	50,184	-	-
Total Employment	46,629	46,924	47,061	47,120	47,666	47,401	46,978	46,666	46,473	46,565	-	-
Total Unemployment	4,245	3,973	3,489	3,608	3,421	3,887	4,035	4,040	3,838	3,619	-	-
Unemployment Rate	8.3%	7.8%	6.9%	7.1%	6.7%	7.6%	7.9%	8.0%	7.6%	7.2%	-	-

**COCONINO COUNTY (FLAGSTAFF MSA)
LABOR FORCE
2015**

	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC
Total Civilian Labor Force	71,836	71,864	72,070	73,424	73,436	75,493	75,017	73,753	74,592	73,717	-	-
Total Employment	66,450	66,939	67,794	69,271	69,321	70,546	69,619	68,656	69,803	69,063	-	-
Total Unemployment	5,386	4,925	4,276	4,153	4,115	4,947	5,398	5,097	4,789	4,654	-	-
Unemployment Rate	7.5%	6.9%	5.9%	5.7%	5.6%	6.6%	7.2%	6.9%	6.4%	6.3%	-	-

Adjusted to the Current Population Survey (CPS 2015) to reflect place of residence.

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**GILA COUNTY
LABOR FORCE
2015**

	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC
Total Civilian Labor Force	21,261	21,093	21,117	21,378	21,747	22,141	22,015	21,845	21,435	21,066	-	-
Total Employment	19,384	19,332	19,580	19,789	20,243	20,423	20,159	20,017	19,684	19,377	-	-
Total Unemployment	1,877	1,761	1,537	1,589	1,504	1,718	1,856	1,828	1,751	1,689	-	-
Unemployment Rate	8.8%	8.3%	7.3%	7.4%	6.9%	7.8%	8.4%	8.4%	8.2%	8.0%	-	-

**GRAHAM COUNTY
LABOR FORCE
2015**

	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC
Total Civilian Labor Force	14,081	14,466	14,436	14,601	14,843	14,810	14,732	14,703	14,912	14,953	-	-
Total Employment	12,934	13,360	13,473	13,640	13,884	13,723	13,563	13,560	13,762	13,840	-	-
Total Unemployment	1,147	1,106	963	961	959	1,087	1,169	1,143	1,150	1,113	-	-
Unemployment Rate	8.1%	7.6%	6.7%	6.6%	6.5%	7.3%	7.9%	7.8%	7.7%	7.4%	-	-

**GREENLEE COUNTY
LABOR FORCE
2015**

	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC
Total Civilian Labor Force	4,086	4,055	4,016	4,063	4,077	4,131	4,135	4,091	4,093	4,037	-	-
Total Employment	3,756	3,736	3,743	3,785	3,803	3,823	3,800	3,752	3,744	3,688	-	-
Total Unemployment	330	319	273	278	274	308	335	339	349	349	-	-
Unemployment Rate	8.1%	7.9%	6.8%	6.8%	6.7%	7.5%	8.1%	8.3%	8.5%	8.6%	-	-

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**LA PAZ COUNTY
LABOR FORCE
2015**

	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC
Total Civilian Labor Force	7,934	7,769	8,064	8,134	8,436	8,822	8,784	8,212	7,712	7,816	-	-
Total Employment	7,242	7,094	7,490	7,516	7,841	8,154	8,100	7,550	7,079	7,227	-	-
Total Unemployment	692	675	574	618	595	668	684	662	633	589	-	-
Unemployment Rate	8.7%	8.7%	7.1%	7.6%	7.1%	7.6%	7.8%	8.1%	8.2%	7.5%	-	-

**MARICOPA COUNTY
LABOR FORCE
2015**

	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC
Total Civilian Labor Force	2,000,281	2,003,039	1,996,057	2,004,259	2,004,835	2,007,037	1,998,408	1,997,633	2,013,838	2,017,415	-	-
Total Employment	1,886,514	1,897,231	1,902,464	1,908,943	1,914,623	1,900,314	1,885,650	1,884,530	1,905,798	1,913,421	-	-
Total Unemployment	113,767	105,808	93,593	95,316	90,212	106,723	112,758	113,103	108,040	103,994	-	-
Unemployment Rate	5.7%	5.3%	4.7%	4.8%	4.5%	5.3%	5.6%	5.7%	5.4%	5.2%	-	-

**MOHAVE COUNTY (LAKE HAVASU CITY-KINGMAN MSA)
LABOR FORCE
2015**

	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC
Total Civilian Labor Force	79,375	79,360	78,773	79,056	78,718	79,357	79,261	78,380	78,036	77,446	-	-
Total Employment	72,246	72,490	72,851	73,171	73,128	72,957	72,395	71,575	71,489	71,237	-	-
Total Unemployment	7,129	6,870	5,922	5,885	5,590	6,400	6,866	6,805	6,547	6,209	-	-
Unemployment Rate	9.0%	8.7%	7.5%	7.4%	7.1%	8.1%	8.7%	8.7%	8.4%	8.0%	-	-

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**NAVAJO COUNTY
LABOR FORCE
2015**

	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC
Total Civilian Labor Force	41,021	40,683	40,747	41,171	41,899	42,167	41,392	41,953	41,443	40,718	-	-
Total Employment	36,389	36,318	37,004	37,495	38,359	38,115	37,036	37,769	37,496	36,990	-	-
Total Unemployment	4,632	4,365	3,743	3,676	3,540	4,052	4,356	4,184	3,947	3,728	-	-
Unemployment Rate	11.3%	10.7%	9.2%	8.9%	8.4%	9.6%	10.5%	10.0%	9.5%	9.2%	-	-

**PIMA COUNTY (TUCSON MSA)
LABOR FORCE
2015**

	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC
Total Civilian Labor Force	470,337	468,799	469,066	470,576	470,036	462,974	459,673	461,557	471,490	471,601	-	-
Total Employment	442,388	442,755	445,967	446,569	447,094	435,651	431,251	433,205	444,510	445,448	-	-
Total Unemployment	27,949	26,044	23,099	24,007	22,942	27,323	28,422	28,352	26,980	26,153	-	-
Unemployment Rate	5.9%	5.6%	4.9%	5.1%	4.9%	5.9%	6.2%	6.1%	5.7%	5.5%	-	-

**PINAL COUNTY
LABOR FORCE
2015**

	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC
Total Civilian Labor Force	153,983	153,869	153,982	154,643	155,526	157,205	156,395	155,085	154,860	155,236	-	-
Total Employment	143,215	143,716	144,992	145,476	146,758	146,949	145,662	144,391	144,594	145,435	-	-
Total Unemployment	10,768	10,153	8,990	9,167	8,768	10,256	10,733	10,694	10,266	9,801	-	-
Unemployment Rate	7.0%	6.6%	5.8%	5.9%	5.6%	6.5%	6.9%	6.9%	6.6%	6.3%	-	-

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**SANTA CRUZ COUNTY
LABOR FORCE
2015**

	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC
Total Civilian Labor Force	20,563	20,391	20,078	20,134	20,335	20,025	19,853	19,864	19,784	19,697	-	-
Total Employment	18,238	18,180	18,238	18,252	18,494	17,912	17,032	16,999	16,886	17,002	-	-
Total Unemployment	2,325	2,211	1,840	1,882	1,841	2,113	2,821	2,865	2,898	2,695	-	-
Unemployment Rate	11.3%	10.8%	9.2%	9.3%	9.1%	10.6%	14.2%	14.4%	14.6%	13.7%	-	-

**YAVAPAI COUNTY (PRESCOTT MSA)
LABOR FORCE
2015**

	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC
Total Civilian Labor Force	98,066	97,856	97,638	98,927	98,034	97,897	96,784	97,175	98,112	98,229	-	-
Total Employment	91,907	92,134	92,635	93,813	93,348	92,251	90,948	91,348	92,631	92,966	-	-
Total Unemployment	6,159	5,722	5,003	5,114	4,686	5,646	5,836	5,827	5,481	5,263	-	-
Unemployment Rate	6.3%	5.8%	5.1%	5.2%	4.8%	5.8%	6.0%	6.0%	5.6%	5.4%	-	-

**YUMA COUNTY (YUMA MSA)
LABOR FORCE
2015**

	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC
Total Civilian Labor Force	88,519	87,742	87,017	91,312	94,404	93,667	97,818	96,406	92,360	90,738	-	-
Total Employment	70,947	70,683	72,377	71,005	72,553	72,298	71,649	70,350	68,292	69,692	-	-
Total Unemployment	17,572	17,059	14,640	20,307	21,851	21,369	26,169	26,056	24,068	21,046	-	-
Unemployment Rate	19.9%	19.4%	16.8%	22.2%	23.1%	22.8%	26.8%	27.0%	26.1%	23.2%	-	-

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**APACHE COUNTY
NONFARM PAYROLL EMPLOYMENT
2015**

	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC
Total Nonfarm	17,775	17,825	17,875	18,150	18,375	18,000	17,625	18,525	18,425	18,100	-	-
Total Private	7,075	7,125	7,150	7,325	7,425	7,400	7,400	7,450	7,375	7,350	-	-
Goods Producing	500	500	525	575	575	575	575	575	550	550	-	-
Service-Providing	17,275	17,325	17,350	17,575	17,800	17,425	17,050	17,950	17,875	17,550	-	-
Private Service Providing	6,575	6,625	6,625	6,750	6,850	6,825	6,825	6,875	6,825	6,800	-	-
Trade, Transportation, and Utiliti	2,025	2,025	2,050	2,075	2,100	2,100	2,075	2,075	2,075	2,075	-	-
Other Private Service-Providing	4,550	4,600	4,575	4,675	4,750	4,725	4,750	4,800	4,750	4,725	-	-
Government	10,700	10,700	10,725	10,825	10,950	10,600	10,225	11,075	11,050	10,750	-	-
Federal Government	2,475	2,500	2,575	2,625	2,725	2,750	2,525	2,725	2,700	2,575	-	-
State and Local Government	8,225	8,200	8,150	8,200	8,225	7,850	7,700	8,350	8,350	8,175	-	-

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**COCHISE COUNTY (SIERRA VISTA-DOUGLAS MSA)
NONFARM PAYROLL EMPLOYMENT
2015**

	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC
Total Nonfarm	34,200	34,800	34,500	34,300	34,400	33,600	33,500	34,000	34,200	34,600	-	-
Total Private	22,800	22,900	22,800	22,500	22,600	22,500	22,600	22,600	22,500	23,000	-	-
Goods Producing	1,600	1,600	1,600	1,600	1,600	1,600	1,700	1,600	1,600	1,700	-	-
Mining and Construction	1,100	1,100	1,100	1,100	1,100	1,100	1,100	1,000	1,000	1,100	-	-
Manufacturing	500	500	500	500	500	500	600	600	600	600	-	-
Service-Providing	32,600	33,200	32,900	32,700	32,800	32,000	31,800	32,400	32,600	32,900	-	-
Private Service-Providing	21,200	21,300	21,200	20,900	21,000	20,900	20,900	21,000	20,900	21,300	-	-
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	6,200	6,200	6,200	6,100	6,200	6,200	6,100	6,100	6,100	6,100	-	-
Information	300	400	400	300	300	300	300	300	300	300	-	-
Financial Activities	1,000	900	900	900	900	900	900	900	900	900	-	-
Professional and Business Services	4,400	4,500	4,400	4,200	4,200	4,200	4,200	4,300	4,300	4,500	-	-
Educational and Health Services	4,500	4,500	4,500	4,500	4,600	4,500	4,600	4,600	4,600	4,600	-	-
Leisure and Hospitality	3,900	3,900	3,900	4,000	3,900	3,800	3,900	3,800	3,800	3,900	-	-
Other Services	900	900	900	900	900	1,000	900	1,000	900	1,000	-	-
Government	11,400	11,900	11,700	11,800	11,800	11,100	10,900	11,400	11,700	11,600	-	-
Federal Government	5,000	5,100	5,000	5,100	5,100	5,100	5,100	5,100	5,100	5,000	-	-
State and Local Government	6,400	6,800	6,700	6,700	6,700	6,000	5,800	6,300	6,600	6,600	-	-

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**COCONINO COUNTY (FLAGSTAFF MSA)
NONFARM PAYROLL EMPLOYMENT
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	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC
Total Nonfarm	63,500	64,400	65,100	66,200	65,600	66,100	65,400	65,700	67,200	67,000	-	-
Total Private	43,900	44,500	45,000	46,000	46,500	47,300	47,600	47,400	47,200	46,700	-	-
Goods Producing	6,500	6,500	6,500	6,400	6,400	6,600	6,600	6,600	6,400	6,500	-	-
Mining and Construction	2,200	2,200	2,200	2,100	2,100	2,200	2,200	2,200	2,100	2,200	-	-
Manufacturing	4,300	4,300	4,300	4,300	4,300	4,400	4,400	4,400	4,300	4,300	-	-
Service-Providing	57,000	57,900	58,600	59,800	59,200	59,500	58,800	59,100	60,800	60,500	-	-
Private Service-Providing	37,400	38,000	38,500	39,600	40,100	40,700	41,000	40,800	40,800	40,200	-	-
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	10,100	10,300	10,400	10,500	10,600	10,700	10,800	10,800	10,800	11,300	-	-
Information	400	400	400	400	400	400	400	400	400	400	-	-
Financial Activities	1,200	1,200	1,200	1,200	1,200	1,200	1,200	1,200	1,200	1,200	-	-
Professional and Business Services	2,800	3,000	3,000	3,000	3,000	3,000	3,000	2,900	2,900	3,200	-	-
Educational and Health Services	9,400	9,300	9,300	9,200	9,200	9,300	9,300	9,400	9,500	9,500	-	-
Leisure and Hospitality	12,100	12,400	12,700	13,800	14,200	14,600	14,800	14,600	14,500	13,100	-	-
Other Services	1,400	1,400	1,500	1,500	1,500	1,500	1,500	1,500	1,500	1,500	-	-
Government	19,600	19,900	20,100	20,200	19,100	18,800	17,800	18,300	20,000	20,300	-	-
Federal Government	2,400	2,300	2,500	2,600	2,800	3,000	2,600	2,900	2,900	2,700	-	-
State and Local Government	17,200	17,600	17,600	17,600	16,300	15,800	15,200	15,400	17,100	17,600	-	-

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**GILA COUNTY
NONFARM PAYROLL EMPLOYMENT
2015**

	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC
Total Nonfarm	14,800	14,900	14,950	15,075	15,250	15,150	15,025	15,275	15,125	14,975	-	-
Total Private	9,575	9,625	9,725	9,775	9,875	9,900	9,925	9,875	9,875	9,775	-	-
Goods Producing	3,050	3,050	3,075	3,075	3,100	3,100	3,100	3,100	3,100	2,975	-	-
Service-Providing	11,750	11,850	11,875	12,000	12,150	12,050	11,925	12,175	12,025	12,000	-	-
Private Service Providing	6,525	6,575	6,650	6,700	6,775	6,800	6,825	6,775	6,775	6,800	-	-
Trade, Transportation, and Utiliti	2,300	2,300	2,350	2,350	2,375	2,375	2,400	2,400	2,400	2,400	-	-
Other Private Service-Providing	4,225	4,275	4,300	4,350	4,400	4,425	4,425	4,375	4,375	4,400	-	-
Government	5,225	5,275	5,225	5,300	5,375	5,250	5,100	5,400	5,250	5,200	-	-
Federal Government	400	425	425	500	525	525	500	500	500	425	-	-
State and Local Government	4,825	4,850	4,800	4,800	4,850	4,725	4,600	4,900	4,750	4,775	-	-

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**GRAHAM COUNTY
NONFARM PAYROLL EMPLOYMENT
2015**

	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC
Total Nonfarm	8,400	8,775	8,800	8,875	8,925	8,675	8,600	8,825	9,000	9,125	-	-
Total Private	5,675	5,725	5,800	5,825	5,850	5,875	5,825	5,875	5,825	5,800	-	-
Goods Producing	1,325	1,350	1,350	1,350	1,350	1,375	1,375	1,400	1,375	1,375	-	-
Service-Providing	7,075	7,425	7,450	7,525	7,575	7,300	7,225	7,425	7,625	7,750	-	-
Private Service Providing	4,350	4,375	4,450	4,475	4,500	4,500	4,450	4,475	4,450	4,425	-	-
Trade, Transportation, and Utiliti	1,625	1,650	1,650	1,675	1,700	1,700	1,700	1,675	1,675	1,675	-	-
Other Private Service-Providing	2,725	2,725	2,800	2,800	2,800	2,800	2,750	2,800	2,775	2,750	-	-
Government	2,725	3,050	3,000	3,050	3,075	2,800	2,775	2,950	3,175	3,325	-	-
Federal Government	400	400	400	400	400	425	425	400	400	400	-	-
State and Local Government	2,325	2,650	2,600	2,650	2,675	2,375	2,350	2,550	2,775	2,925	-	-

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**GREENLEE COUNTY
NONFARM PAYROLL EMPLOYMENT
2015**

	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC
Total Nonfarm	4,600	4,600	4,575	4,625	4,575	4,550	4,550	4,575	4,550	4,550	-	-
Total Private	4,025	4,025	4,000	4,050	4,025	4,050	4,025	4,000	4,000	4,000	-	-
Goods Producing	3,325	3,325	3,300	3,325	3,300	3,300	3,275	3,275	3,275	3,275	-	-
Service-Providing	1,275	1,275	1,275	1,300	1,275	1,250	1,275	1,300	1,275	1,275	-	-
Private Service Providing	700	700	700	725	725	750	750	725	725	725	-	-
Trade, Transportation, and Utiliti	300	300	300	300	300	325	350	325	325	325	-	-
Other Private Service-Providing	400	400	400	425	425	425	400	400	400	400	-	-
Government	575	575	575	575	550	500	525	575	550	550	-	-
Federal Government	25	25	25	25	25	50	50	50	25	25	-	-
State and Local Government	550	550	550	550	525	450	475	525	525	525	-	-

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**LA PAZ COUNTY
NONFARM PAYROLL EMPLOYMENT
2015**

	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC
Total Nonfarm	5,175	5,175	5,225	5,250	5,200	5,100	5,150	5,075	5,100	5,200	-	-
Total Private	2,800	2,825	2,850	2,825	2,800	2,750	2,750	2,700	2,725	2,775	-	-
Goods Producing	200	225	250	275	275	250	250	225	225	225	-	-
Service-Providing	4,975	4,950	4,975	4,975	4,925	4,850	4,900	4,850	4,875	4,975	-	-
Private Service Providing	2,600	2,600	2,600	2,550	2,525	2,500	2,500	2,475	2,500	2,550	-	-
Trade, Transportation, and Utiliti	1,275	1,275	1,300	1,300	1,275	1,275	1,250	1,250	1,250	1,275	-	-
Other Private Service-Providing	1,325	1,325	1,300	1,250	1,250	1,225	1,250	1,225	1,250	1,275	-	-
Government	2,375	2,350	2,375	2,425	2,400	2,350	2,400	2,375	2,375	2,425	-	-
Federal Government	300	300	300	325	325	325	325	325	325	325	-	-
State and Local Government	2,075	2,050	2,075	2,100	2,075	2,025	2,075	2,050	2,050	2,100	-	-

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**MARICOPA COUNTY
NONFARM PAYROLL EMPLOYMENT
2015**

	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC
Total Nonfarm	1,825,000	1,845,200	1,847,300	1,847,200	1,837,600	1,809,000	1,805,100	1,832,000	1,849,000	1,874,500	-	-
Total Private	1,610,600	1,620,700	1,623,400	1,622,500	1,622,000	1,618,100	1,620,200	1,626,200	1,626,700	1,649,500	-	-
Goods Producing	210,500	211,900	213,100	212,900	214,900	216,200	215,800	216,700	216,600	216,900	-	-
Mining and Construction	97,900	98,700	99,900	100,100	101,700	102,700	102,400	102,300	103,200	103,100	-	-
Manufacturing	112,600	113,200	113,200	112,800	113,200	113,500	113,400	114,400	113,400	113,800	-	-
Service-Providing	1,614,500	1,633,300	1,634,200	1,634,300	1,622,700	1,592,800	1,589,300	1,615,300	1,632,400	1,657,600	-	-
Private Service-Providing	1,400,100	1,408,800	1,410,300	1,409,600	1,407,100	1,401,900	1,404,400	1,409,500	1,410,100	1,432,600	-	-
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	361,200	361,000	362,200	358,700	358,300	358,300	359,100	361,000	360,600	367,300	-	-
Information	33,500	34,100	34,300	35,000	34,700	35,100	35,200	34,600	34,200	34,700	-	-
Financial Activities	163,100	164,700	164,500	164,400	165,200	164,800	166,100	166,400	166,600	168,500	-	-
Professional and Business Services	308,700	310,300	307,000	309,600	309,400	311,500	314,000	311,900	311,500	315,900	-	-
Educational and Health Services	271,100	271,500	271,900	272,000	271,800	270,900	270,300	274,400	273,300	277,700	-	-
Leisure and Hospitality	196,900	200,500	203,700	203,900	202,100	196,200	194,300	197,000	199,200	202,900	-	-
Other Services	65,600	66,700	66,700	66,000	65,600	65,100	65,400	64,200	64,700	65,600	-	-
Government	214,400	224,500	223,900	224,700	215,600	190,900	184,900	205,800	222,300	225,000	-	-
Federal Government	20,000	20,000	20,000	20,400	20,000	20,000	20,200	20,200	20,200	20,200	-	-
State and Local Government	194,400	204,500	203,900	204,300	195,600	170,900	164,700	185,600	202,100	204,800	-	-

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**MOHAVE COUNTY (LAKE HAVASU CITY-KINGMAN MSA)
NONFARM PAYROLL EMPLOYMENT
2015**

	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC
Total Nonfarm	46,500	46,900	47,000	47,000	46,500	46,100	45,900	46,100	45,800	45,800	-	-
Total Private	38,800	39,000	39,100	39,100	38,700	38,500	38,400	38,500	38,300	38,200	-	-
Goods Producing	5,400	5,400	5,400	5,400	5,500	5,400	5,300	5,300	5,300	5,300	-	-
Mining and Construction	2,600	2,600	2,600	2,600	2,600	2,600	2,500	2,500	2,500	2,500	-	-
Manufacturing	2,800	2,800	2,800	2,800	2,900	2,800	2,800	2,800	2,800	2,800	-	-
Service-Providing	41,100	41,500	41,600	41,600	41,000	40,700	40,600	40,800	40,500	40,500	-	-
Private Service-Providing	33,400	33,600	33,700	33,700	33,200	33,100	33,100	33,200	33,000	32,900	-	-
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	11,000	11,000	11,000	10,800	10,800	11,000	10,900	10,900	10,900	10,900	-	-
Information	600	600	600	600	600	600	600	600	600	600	-	-
Financial Activities	1,600	1,600	1,600	1,600	1,600	1,600	1,600	1,600	1,500	1,500	-	-
Professional and Business Services	4,300	4,400	4,400	4,400	4,200	4,300	4,300	4,200	4,200	4,200	-	-
Educational and Health Services	8,400	8,400	8,400	8,400	8,300	8,000	8,000	8,200	8,200	8,100	-	-
Leisure and Hospitality	5,700	5,800	5,900	6,000	5,900	5,800	5,900	5,900	5,800	5,800	-	-
Other Services	1,800	1,800	1,800	1,900	1,800	1,800	1,800	1,800	1,800	1,800	-	-
Government	7,700	7,900	7,900	7,900	7,800	7,600	7,500	7,600	7,500	7,600	-	-
Federal Government	400	400	400	400	500	500	500	500	400	400	-	-
State and Local Government	7,300	7,500	7,500	7,500	7,300	7,100	7,000	7,100	7,100	7,200	-	-

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**NAVAJO COUNTY
NONFARM PAYROLL EMPLOYMENT
2015**

	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC
Total Nonfarm	26,950	27,100	27,475	27,775	28,100	27,575	26,850	28,125	28,050	27,825	-	-
Total Private	17,200	17,225	17,450	17,725	18,000	18,125	18,175	18,325	18,275	18,150	-	-
Goods Producing	1,775	1,775	1,825	1,850	1,825	1,800	1,800	1,825	1,850	1,850	-	-
Mining and Construction	1,625	1,600	1,650	1,675	1,675	1,650	1,650	1,675	1,700	1,700	-	-
Manufacturing	150	175	175	175	150	150	150	150	150	150	-	-
Service-Providing	25,175	25,325	25,650	25,925	26,275	25,775	25,050	26,300	26,200	25,975	-	-
Private Service-Providing	15,425	15,450	15,625	15,875	16,175	16,325	16,375	16,500	16,425	16,300	-	-
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	4,750	4,750	4,800	4,825	4,900	4,975	5,025	5,000	5,000	4,975	-	-
Information	1,175	1,175	1,200	1,200	1,200	1,200	1,200	1,200	1,175	1,175	-	-
Financial Activities	625	625	625	625	625	625	625	625	625	650	-	-
Professional and Business Services	1,125	1,125	1,125	1,150	1,150	1,175	1,200	1,200	1,200	1,200	-	-
Educational and Health Services	3,925	3,925	3,950	3,950	3,975	3,925	3,850	3,975	3,975	3,975	-	-
Leisure and Hospitality	2,875	2,875	2,950	3,150	3,350	3,425	3,500	3,500	3,450	3,300	-	-
Other Services	950	975	975	975	975	1,000	975	1,000	1,000	1,025	-	-
Government	9,750	9,875	10,025	10,050	10,100	9,450	8,675	9,800	9,775	9,675	-	-
Federal Government	1,550	1,550	1,625	1,725	1,800	1,825	1,600	1,775	1,750	1,575	-	-
State and Local Government	8,200	8,325	8,400	8,325	8,300	7,625	7,075	8,025	8,025	8,100	-	-

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**PIMA COUNTY (TUCSON MSA)
NONFARM PAYROLL EMPLOYMENT
2015**

	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC
Total Nonfarm	368,500	370,900	373,100	372,200	369,600	357,800	355,400	362,100	371,400	376,000	-	-
Total Private	291,200	292,000	294,100	292,900	292,200	291,700	291,400	291,000	291,900	295,800	-	-
Goods Producing	39,600	40,000	40,000	39,600	39,600	39,900	40,200	39,700	39,600	39,900	-	-
Mining and Construction	17,500	17,400	17,300	17,300	17,100	17,100	17,400	17,000	17,000	17,100	-	-
Manufacturing	22,100	22,600	22,700	22,300	22,500	22,800	22,800	22,700	22,600	22,800	-	-
Service-Providing	328,900	330,900	333,100	332,600	330,000	317,900	315,200	322,400	331,800	336,100	-	-
Private Service-Providing	251,600	252,000	254,100	253,300	252,600	251,800	251,200	251,300	252,300	255,900	-	-
Trade, Transportation, and Utiliti	61,300	61,200	61,300	60,800	60,600	59,900	60,000	59,700	60,100	61,600	-	-
Information	4,100	4,100	4,200	4,200	4,200	4,100	4,100	4,200	4,100	4,200	-	-
Financial Activities	17,400	17,500	17,600	17,600	17,700	17,700	17,800	17,800	17,800	18,000	-	-
Professional and Business Services	50,600	50,400	50,700	50,900	51,100	50,900	51,000	51,800	52,300	53,000	-	-
Educational and Health Services	63,200	63,300	63,700	63,000	62,700	63,100	62,600	63,600	63,200	63,900	-	-
Leisure and Hospitality	42,300	42,600	43,700	43,800	43,300	43,000	42,700	41,300	42,100	42,400	-	-
Other Services	12,700	12,900	12,900	13,000	13,000	13,100	13,000	12,900	12,700	12,800	-	-
Government	77,300	78,900	79,000	79,300	77,400	66,100	64,000	71,100	79,500	80,200	-	-
Federal Government	12,400	12,300	12,300	12,500	12,400	12,400	12,300	12,600	12,500	12,500	-	-
State and Local Government	64,900	66,600	66,700	66,800	65,000	53,700	51,700	58,500	67,000	67,700	-	-

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**PINAL COUNTY
NONFARM PAYROLL EMPLOYMENT
2015**

	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC
Total Nonfarm	56,275	57,650	57,700	57,400	57,325	56,150	55,175	55,825	56,550	57,125	-	-
Total Private	37,275	38,050	38,050	37,775	37,525	37,200	36,500	37,025	37,125	37,600	-	-
Goods Producing	6,450	6,475	6,525	6,525	6,625	6,650	6,575	6,575	6,475	6,500	-	-
Mining and Construction	2,875	2,875	2,900	2,900	2,950	2,975	2,925	2,925	2,875	2,875	-	-
Manufacturing	3,575	3,600	3,625	3,625	3,675	3,675	3,650	3,650	3,600	3,625	-	-
Service-Providing	49,825	51,175	51,175	50,875	50,700	49,500	48,600	49,250	50,075	50,625	-	-
Private Service-Providing	30,825	31,575	31,525	31,250	30,900	30,550	29,925	30,450	30,650	31,100	-	-
Trade, Transportation, and Utiliti	9,325	9,300	9,325	9,350	9,325	9,250	9,175	9,225	9,250	9,300	-	-
Information	650	675	675	675	675	675	675	650	650	675	-	-
Financial Activities	1,325	1,325	1,325	1,325	1,300	1,300	1,275	1,275	1,300	1,300	-	-
Professional and Business Services	6,350	6,450	6,375	6,425	6,450	6,475	6,400	6,350	6,450	6,575	-	-
Educational and Health Services	5,625	5,775	5,750	5,775	5,775	5,650	5,250	5,750	5,750	5,825	-	-
Leisure and Hospitality	5,025	5,500	5,525	5,125	4,775	4,575	4,550	4,600	4,650	4,800	-	-
Other Services	2,525	2,550	2,550	2,575	2,600	2,625	2,600	2,600	2,600	2,625	-	-
Government	19,000	19,600	19,650	19,625	19,800	18,950	18,675	18,800	19,425	19,525	-	-
Federal Government	1,675	1,675	1,675	1,675	1,675	1,675	1,675	1,650	1,625	1,625	-	-
State and Local Government	17,325	17,925	17,975	17,950	18,125	17,275	17,000	17,150	17,800	17,900	-	-

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**SANTA CRUZ COUNTY
NONFARM PAYROLL EMPLOYMENT
2015**

	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC
Total Nonfarm	13,825	13,875	13,850	13,800	13,825	13,275	12,550	12,800	12,800	12,925	-	-
Total Private	10,025	10,050	10,025	9,950	10,000	9,675	9,075	9,075	9,050	9,225	-	-
Goods Producing	725	725	725	700	725	700	675	675	650	650	-	-
Service-Providing	13,100	13,150	13,125	13,100	13,100	12,575	11,875	12,125	12,150	12,275	-	-
Private Service Providing	9,300	9,325	9,300	9,250	9,275	8,975	8,400	8,400	8,400	8,575	-	-
Trade, Transportation, and Utiliti	6,250	6,250	6,200	6,175	6,200	5,950	5,375	5,350	5,325	5,500	-	-
Other Private Service-Providing	3,050	3,075	3,100	3,075	3,075	3,025	3,025	3,050	3,075	3,075	-	-
Government	3,800	3,825	3,825	3,850	3,825	3,600	3,475	3,725	3,750	3,700	-	-
Federal Government	1,675	1,675	1,675	1,675	1,675	1,650	1,650	1,650	1,650	1,625	-	-
State and Local Government	2,125	2,150	2,150	2,175	2,150	1,950	1,825	2,075	2,100	2,075	-	-

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**YAVAPAI COUNTY (PRESCOTT MSA)
NONFARM PAYROLL EMPLOYMENT
2015**

	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC
Total Nonfarm	60,400	61,200	61,300	61,900	60,700	59,900	59,200	60,500	61,600	62,300	-	-
Total Private	49,700	50,000	50,200	50,800	50,100	50,000	49,800	50,500	51,000	51,600	-	-
Goods Producing	7,800	7,900	7,700	8,100	8,000	8,100	8,000	8,000	8,100	8,100	-	-
Mining and Construction	4,400	4,500	4,300	4,600	4,500	4,600	4,500	4,500	4,600	4,600	-	-
Manufacturing	3,400	3,400	3,400	3,500	3,500	3,500	3,500	3,500	3,500	3,500	-	-
Service-Providing	52,600	53,300	53,600	53,800	52,700	51,800	51,200	52,500	53,500	54,200	-	-
Private Service-Providing	41,900	42,100	42,500	42,700	42,100	41,900	41,800	42,500	42,900	43,500	-	-
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	12,900	12,700	12,900	13,100	12,800	12,900	12,900	13,200	13,300	13,700	-	-
Information	600	600	600	600	600	600	600	600	600	600	-	-
Financial Activities	1,800	1,800	1,800	1,800	1,800	1,800	1,800	1,800	1,800	1,800	-	-
Professional and Business Services	3,700	3,800	3,800	3,800	3,700	3,500	3,400	3,700	3,700	3,600	-	-
Educational and Health Services	11,500	11,500	11,600	11,600	11,600	11,500	11,500	11,700	11,800	12,000	-	-
Leisure and Hospitality	8,300	8,500	8,600	8,600	8,400	8,400	8,400	8,300	8,500	8,500	-	-
Other Services	3,100	3,200	3,200	3,200	3,200	3,200	3,200	3,200	3,200	3,300	-	-
Government	10,700	11,200	11,100	11,100	10,600	9,900	9,400	10,000	10,600	10,700	-	-
Federal Government	1,300	1,300	1,300	1,300	1,300	1,300	1,300	1,300	1,300	1,300	-	-
State and Local Government	9,400	9,900	9,800	9,800	9,300	8,600	8,100	8,700	9,300	9,400	-	-

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**YUMA COUNTY (YUMA MSA)
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2015**

	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC
Total Nonfarm	52,300	53,000	52,700	51,200	50,700	48,200	48,300	49,900	50,500	51,400	-	-
Total Private	37,900	38,100	37,900	36,400	36,100	34,900	34,900	35,500	35,900	36,800	-	-
Goods Producing	4,500	4,600	4,600	4,200	4,200	4,200	4,300	4,300	4,300	4,300	-	-
Mining and Construction	2,200	2,300	2,300	2,200	2,200	2,200	2,300	2,300	2,300	2,300	-	-
Manufacturing	2,300	2,300	2,300	2,000	2,000	2,000	2,000	2,000	2,000	2,000	-	-
Service-Providing	47,800	48,400	48,100	47,000	46,500	44,000	44,000	45,600	46,200	47,100	-	-
Private Service-Providing	33,400	33,500	33,300	32,200	31,900	30,700	30,600	31,200	31,600	32,500	-	-
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	9,800	9,900	9,800	9,500	9,600	9,200	9,400	9,700	9,900	10,100	-	-
Information	500	500	500	500	500	500	500	500	500	500	-	-
Financial Activities	1,700	1,700	1,700	1,600	1,600	1,600	1,600	1,600	1,600	1,600	-	-
Professional and Business Services	6,000	6,000	6,000	5,800	5,700	5,600	5,600	5,600	5,700	5,900	-	-
Educational and Health Services	7,700	7,700	7,700	7,700	7,700	7,300	7,200	7,500	7,500	7,700	-	-
Leisure and Hospitality	6,100	6,100	6,000	5,600	5,300	5,100	4,900	4,900	4,900	5,200	-	-
Other Services	1,600	1,600	1,600	1,500	1,500	1,400	1,400	1,400	1,500	1,500	-	-
Government	14,400	14,900	14,800	14,800	14,600	13,300	13,400	14,400	14,600	14,600	-	-
Federal Government	3,500	3,500	3,400	3,500	3,500	3,400	3,500	3,500	3,400	3,400	-	-
State and Local Government	10,900	11,400	11,400	11,300	11,100	9,900	9,900	10,900	11,200	11,200	-	-

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