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Below-Average Seasonal Losses in Nonfarm Employment; Unemployment Rate Increases to 6.0%

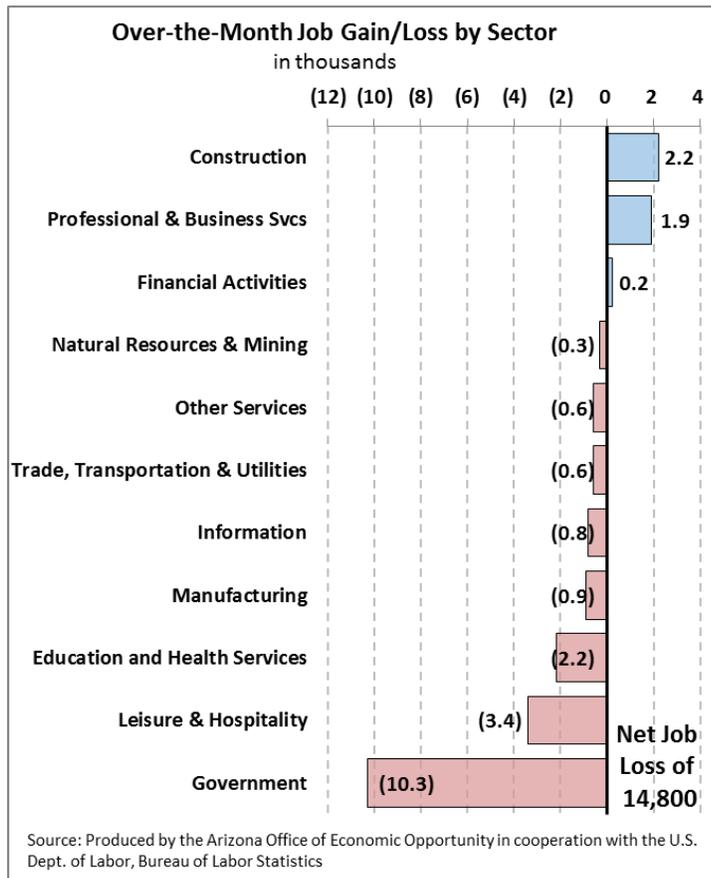
Arizona's seasonally adjusted unemployment rate increased two-tenths of a percentage point from 5.8% in June to 6.0% in July. The U.S. seasonally adjusted unemployment rate remained unchanged at 4.9% in June and 4.9% in July. A year ago, the Arizona seasonally adjusted rate was 6.0% and the U.S. rate was 5.3% (see Figure 1).

Figure 1

Arizona, U.S. Economic Indicators			
Unemployment Rate (Seasonally Adj.)			
	<u>July'16</u>	<u>June'16</u>	<u>July'15</u>
United States	4.9%	4.9%	5.3%
Arizona	6.0%	5.8%	6.0%
Arizona unadjusted rate	6.3%	6.2%	6.6%

Arizona Nonfarm Employment (in Thousands)			
	<u>July'16</u>	<u>June'16</u>	<u>July'15</u>
Overall	2,640.8	2,655.6	2,564.7
Over-Month % Chg.	-0.6%	-0.8%	-2.0%
Year-to-Year % Chg.	3.0%	3.1%	2.7%

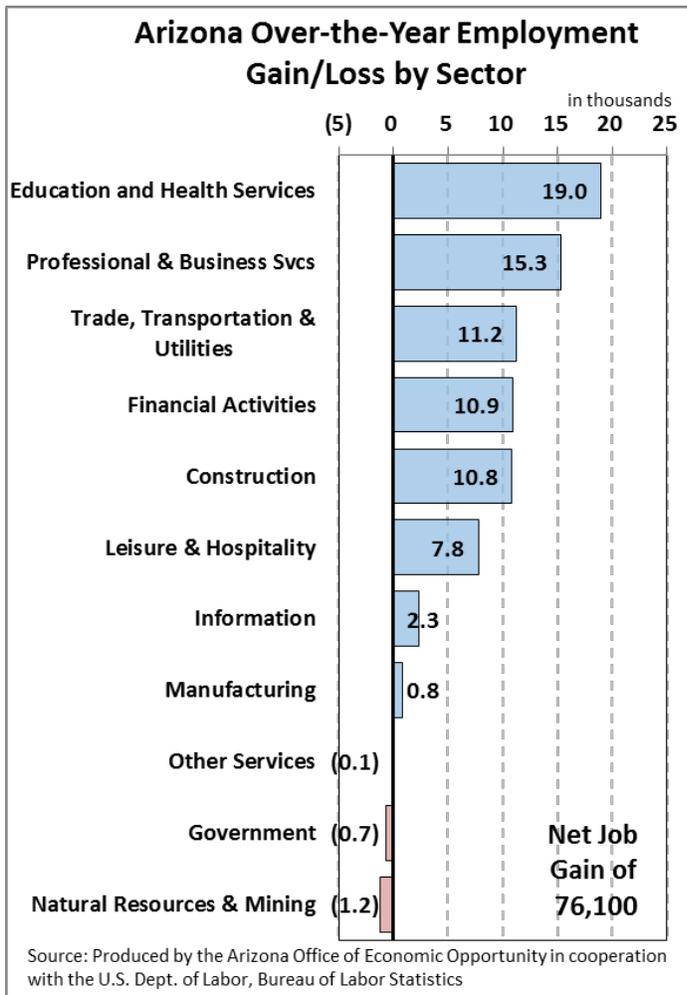
Figure 2



Over the Month

Arizona lost 14,800 Nonfarm jobs (-0.6%) in July (see Figure 2). This was less than the post-recessionary ('10-'15) average loss of 23,500 jobs. The Private Sector lost 4,500 jobs (-0.2%). Historically, ('10-'15) the Private Sector averages employment losses of 9,200 jobs in July. Three of the eleven sectors posted gains and eight sectors posted losses. The gains were recorded in Construction (2,200 jobs); Professional and Business Services (1,900 jobs); and Financial Activities (200 jobs). The losses were recorded in Natural Resources and Mining (-300 jobs); Other Services (-600 jobs); Trade, Transportation, and Utilities (-600 jobs); Information (-800 jobs); Manufacturing (-900 jobs); Education and Health Services (-2,200 jobs); Leisure and Hospitality (-3,400 jobs); and Government (-10,300 jobs).

Figure 3

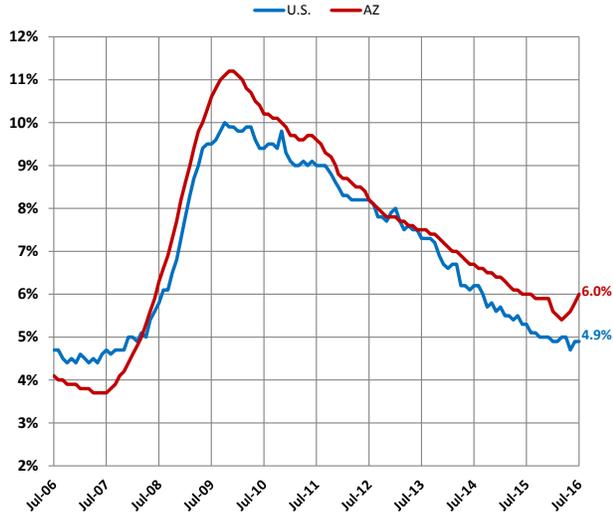


Over the Year

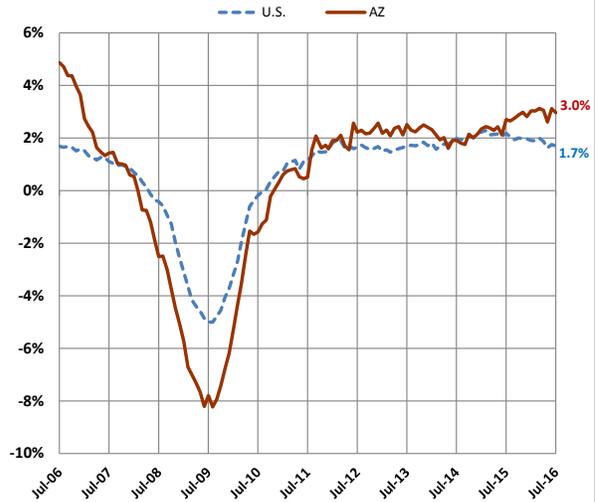
Arizona Nonfarm employment grew by 3.0% (76,100 jobs) over the year in July (see **Figure 3**). The Private Sector accounted for all of the July gains, adding 76,800 jobs (3.5%). Government employment declined by 700 jobs in July. Eight of the eleven sectors reported job gains, and three sectors reported losses. The sectors with the largest gains included Education and Health Services (19,000 jobs); Professional and Business Services (15,300 jobs); and Trade, Transportation, and Utilities (11,200 jobs). Additional employment gains were reported in Financial Activities (10,900 jobs); Construction (10,800 jobs); Leisure and Hospitality (7,800 jobs); Information (2,300 jobs); and Manufacturing (800 jobs). Job losses were reported in Other Services (-100 jobs); Government (-700 jobs); and Natural Resources and Mining (-1,200 jobs).

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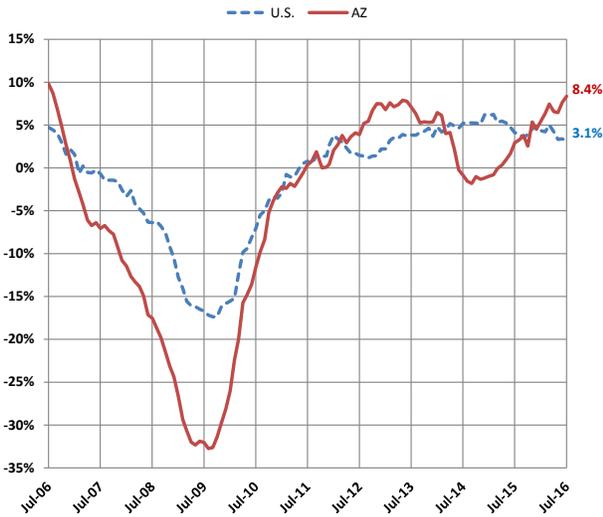
Arizona & U.S. Unemployment Rate Seasonally Adjusted



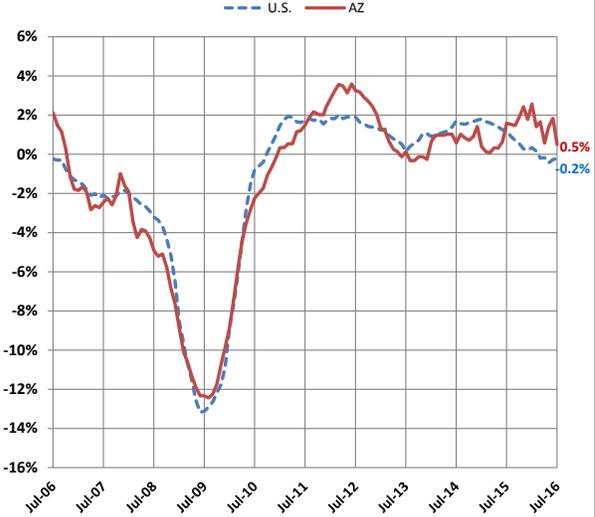
Arizona & U.S. Nonfarm Employment Year-to-Year Percent Change



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

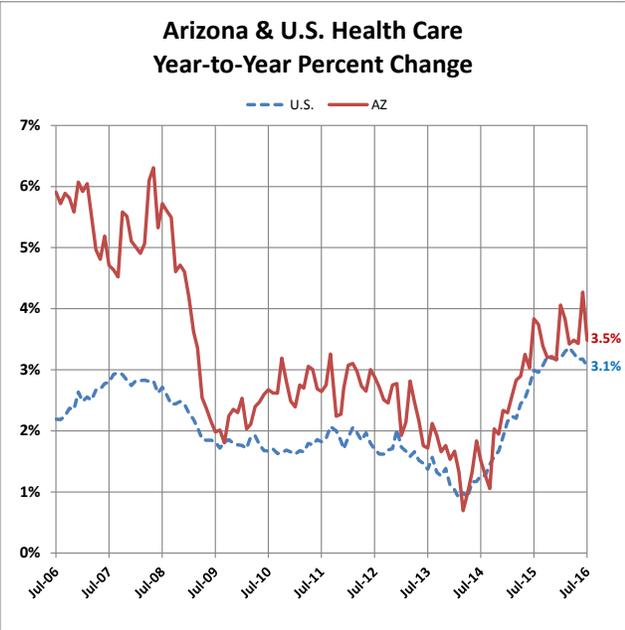
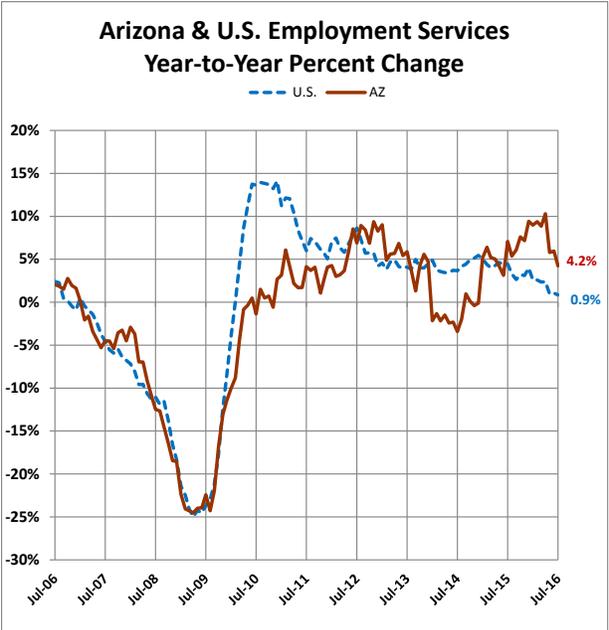


Arizona & U.S. Manufacturing Employment Year-to-Year Percent Change



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Table 1

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

(in Thousands)

ARIZONA	July	June	July	Monthly/Yearly Change	
	2016 ^(c)	2016 ^(d)	2015 ^(d)	June '16 - July '16	July '15 - July '16
Civilian Labor Force ^(e)	3,223.4	3,233.7	3,152.9	-10.2	70.5
Unemployment	204.6	199.9	208.4	4.8	-3.8
Unemployment Rate	6.3%	6.2%	6.6%	0.1	-0.3
Unemployment Rate (Seasonally Adjusted) ^(f)	6.0%	5.8%	6.0%	0.2	0.0
Total Employment	3,018.8	3,033.8	2,944.5	-15.0	74.3
FLAGSTAFF MSA (Coconino County)					
Civilian Labor Force ^(e)	74.5	75.2	74.8	-0.7	-0.4
Unemployment	5.2	5.1	5.2	0.1	0.0
Unemployment Rate (Unadjusted)	7.0%	6.8%	7.0%	0.2	0.0
Total Employment	69.2	70.1	69.6	-0.9	-0.4
LAKE HAVASU CITY-KINGMAN MSA (Mohave County)					
Civilian Labor Force ^(e)	80.4	80.3	80.8	0.1	-0.3
Unemployment	5.9	6.0	6.6	-0.1	-0.7
Unemployment Rate (Unadjusted)	7.4%	7.5%	8.2%	-0.1	-0.8
Total Employment	74.5	74.3	74.1	0.1	0.4
PHOENIX-MESA-SCOTTSDALE MSA (Maricopa & Pinal Counties)					
Civilian Labor Force ^(e)	2,217.0	2,222.4	2,163.9	-5.4	53.1
Unemployment	119.9	118.4	120.4	1.6	-0.4
Unemployment Rate (Unadjusted)	5.4%	5.3%	5.6%	0.1	-0.2
Total Employment	2,097.1	2,104.0	2,043.6	-7.0	53.5
PRESCOTT MSA (Yavapai County)					
Civilian Labor Force ^(e)	101.5	102.4	96.8	-0.9	4.7
Unemployment	5.6	5.5	5.7	0.1	-0.1
Unemployment Rate (Unadjusted)	5.5%	5.4%	5.9%	0.1	-0.4
Total Employment	95.9	96.8	91.1	-0.9	4.8
SIERRA VISTA-DOUGLAS MSA (Cochise County)					
Civilian Labor Force ^(e)	50.9	50.9	50.4	0.0	0.5
Unemployment	3.5	3.6	3.9	-0.1	-0.3
Unemployment Rate (Unadjusted)	7.0%	7.1%	7.6%	-0.1	-0.6
Total Employment	47.3	47.3	46.6	0.0	0.8

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)

TUCSON MSA (Pima County)	July 2016^(c)	June 2016^(d)	July 2015^(d)	Monthly/Yearly Change	
				June '16 - July '16	July '15 - July '16
Civilian Labor Force^(e)	470.1	473.3	455.1	-3.1	15.0
Unemployment	27.4	27.1	27.4	0.2	0.0
Unemployment Rate (Unadjusted)	5.8%	5.7%	6.0%	0.1	-0.2
Total Employment	442.8	446.1	427.7	-3.4	15.1

YUMA MSA (Yuma County)

Civilian Labor Force^(e)	99.0	97.8	99.5	1.2	-0.5
Unemployment	24.0	21.7	25.4	2.3	-1.4
Unemployment Rate (Unadjusted)	24.3%	22.2%	25.5%	2.1	-1.2
Total Employment	75.0	76.1	74.2	-1.1	0.8

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 Economic Opportunity, 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 2016) to reflect place of residence

f) Normal seasonal variations have been eliminated to reflect underlying trends

MSA - Metropolitan Statistical Area

NA - Not Available

Source: Prepared by the Arizona Office of Economic Opportunity, in cooperation with the U.S. Dept. of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics.

Table 2

Nonfarm Payroll Employment

(in Thousands, Not Seasonally Adjusted)

ARIZONA ^(a)				Amount Change		Percent Change	
	July 2016(b)	June 2016(c)	July 2015(c)	Monthly	Over-Year	Monthly	Over-Year
				June '16 - July '16	July '15 - July '16	June '16 - July '16	July '15 - July '16
Total Nonfarm Payroll Employment^(c,d)	2,640.8	2,655.6	2,564.7	-14.8	76.1	-0.6%	3.0%
Private Sector	2,282.7	2,287.2	2,205.9	-4.5	76.8	-0.2%	3.5%
Government	358.1	368.4	358.8	-10.3	-0.7	-2.8%	-0.2%
Goods-Producing Industries	311.8	310.8	301.4	1.0	10.4	0.3%	3.5%
Manufacturing	160.2	161.1	159.4	-0.9	0.8	-0.6%	0.5%
Durable Goods	120.9	122.0	122.4	-1.1	-1.5	-0.9%	-1.2%
Fabricated Metal	19.7	19.6	19.4	0.1	0.3	0.5%	1.5%
Computer and Electronic Parts	31.9	32.4	33.4	-0.5	-1.5	-1.5%	-4.5%
Aerospace Products and Parts	25.3	25.1	25.1	0.2	0.2	0.8%	0.8%
Nondurable Goods	39.3	39.1	37.0	0.2	2.3	0.5%	6.2%
Natural Resources and Mining	11.7	12.0	12.9	-0.3	-1.2	-2.5%	-9.3%
Metal Ore Mining	9.5	9.6	10.6	-0.1	-1.1	-1.0%	-10.4%
Construction	139.9	137.7	129.1	2.2	10.8	1.6%	8.4%
Buildings	25.7	25.1	24.2	0.6	1.5	2.4%	6.2%
Heavy	16.0	15.9	16.1	0.1	-0.1	0.6%	-0.6%
Specialty Trades	98.2	96.7	88.8	1.5	9.4	1.6%	10.6%
Service-Providing Industries	2,329.0	2,344.8	2,263.3	-15.8	65.7	-0.7%	2.9%
Private Service Providing	1,970.9	1,976.4	1,904.5	-5.5	66.4	-0.3%	3.5%
Trade, Transportation and Utilities	512.5	513.1	501.3	-0.6	11.2	-0.1%	2.2%
Trade	421.4	421.5	411.5	-0.1	9.9	0.0%	2.4%
Wholesale Trade	96.6	96.2	93.1	0.4	3.5	0.4%	3.8%
Retail Trade	324.8	325.3	318.4	-0.5	6.4	-0.2%	2.0%
Motor Vehicles and Parts	44.2	44.0	43.5	0.2	0.7	0.5%	1.6%
Furniture and Home Furnishings	10.1	10.0	10.0	0.1	0.1	1.0%	1.0%
Building Material, Garden Supply	24.5	24.2	23.1	0.3	1.4	1.2%	6.1%
Food and Beverage	57.4	57.6	57.5	-0.2	-0.1	-0.3%	-0.2%
Clothing and Accessories	20.5	20.3	21.7	0.2	-1.2	1.0%	-5.5%
General Merchandise	67.5	67.4	65.8	0.1	1.7	0.1%	2.6%
Department Stores	24.9	24.7	25.4	0.2	-0.5	0.8%	-2.0%
Other General merchandise	42.6	42.7	40.4	-0.1	2.2	-0.2%	5.4%
Transp., Warehousing, and Utilities	91.1	91.6	89.8	-0.5	1.3	-0.5%	1.4%
Utilities	12.3	12.3	12.2	0.0	0.1	0.0%	0.8%
Transportation and Warehousing	78.8	79.3	77.6	-0.5	1.2	-0.6%	1.5%
Air Transportation	13.5	13.5	13.6	0.0	-0.1	0.0%	-0.7%
Truck Transportation	21.1	21.0	20.7	0.1	0.4	0.5%	1.9%
Information	47.7	48.5	45.4	-0.8	2.3	-1.6%	5.1%
Telecommunications	15.6	15.5	15.4	0.1	0.2	0.6%	1.3%
Financial Activities	205.5	205.3	194.6	0.2	10.9	0.1%	5.6%
Finance and Insurance	154.5	153.7	146.9	0.8	7.6	0.5%	5.2%
Credit Intermediation and Related Activities	83.0	82.6	78.9	0.4	4.1	0.5%	5.2%
Insurance Carriers and Related Activities	52.8	52.6	50.2	0.2	2.6	0.4%	5.2%
Securities, Commodity Contracts	18.7	18.5	17.8	0.2	0.9	1.1%	5.1%
Real Estate and Rental and Leasing	51.0	51.6	47.7	-0.6	3.3	-1.2%	6.9%
Professional and Business Services	408.4	406.5	393.1	1.9	15.3	0.5%	3.9%
Professional, Scientific and Technical Services	130.5	129.2	130.6	1.3	-0.1	1.0%	-0.1%
Management of Companies and Enterprises	31.9	31.7	31.8	0.2	0.1	0.6%	0.3%
Administrative and Support and Waste	246.0	245.6	230.7	0.4	15.3	0.2%	6.6%
Employment Services	101.0	101.5	96.9	-0.5	4.1	-0.5%	4.2%
Business Support Services	38.0	38.0	36.6	0.0	1.4	0.0%	3.8%
Services to Buildings and Dwellings	44.0	43.4	42.0	0.6	2.0	1.4%	4.8%
Educational and Health Services	408.6	410.8	389.6	-2.2	19.0	-0.5%	4.9%
Educational Services	58.5	58.6	52.6	-0.1	5.9	-0.2%	11.2%
Health Care and Social Assistance	350.1	352.2	337.0	-2.1	13.1	-0.6%	3.9%
Health Care	297.0	297.8	287.0	-0.8	10.0	-0.3%	3.5%
Ambulatory Health Care Services	153.6	154.0	147.0	-0.4	6.6	-0.3%	4.5%
Hospitals	90.9	91.0	89.7	-0.1	1.2	-0.1%	1.3%
Nursing and Residential Care Facilities	52.5	52.8	50.3	-0.3	2.2	-0.6%	4.4%
Social Assistance	53.1	54.4	50.0	-1.3	3.1	-2.4%	6.2%
Leisure and Hospitality	300.2	303.6	292.4	-3.4	7.8	-1.1%	2.7%
Arts, Entertainment and Recreation	40.8	41.3	39.9	-0.5	0.9	-1.2%	2.3%
Accommodation and Food Services	259.4	262.3	252.5	-2.9	6.9	-1.1%	2.7%
Accommodation	44.2	45.1	45.1	-0.9	-0.9	-2.0%	-2.0%
Food Services and Drinking Places	215.2	217.2	207.4	-2.0	7.8	-0.9%	3.8%
Other Services (except Public Administration)	88.0	88.6	88.1	-0.6	-0.1	-0.7%	-0.1%
Government	358.1	368.4	358.8	-10.3	-0.7	-2.8%	-0.2%
Federal	54.6	55.3	54.5	-0.7	0.1	-1.3%	0.2%
State	73.3	74.8	74.9	-1.5	-1.6	-2.0%	-2.1%
State Education	36.6	37.8	37.4	-1.2	-0.8	-3.2%	-2.1%
Local	230.2	238.3	229.4	-8.1	0.8	-3.4%	0.3%
Local Education	100.6	109.5	98.7	-8.9	1.9	-8.1%	1.9%

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Total Nonfarm Payroll Employment^(c,d)	1,925.2	1,934.2	1,866.6	-9.0	58.6	-0.5%	3.1%
Private Sector	1,722.8	1,725.4	1,665.0	-2.6	57.8	-0.2%	3.5%
Government	202.4	208.8	201.6	-6.4	0.8	-3.1%	0.4%
Goods-Producing Industries	233.6	232.4	223.7	1.2	9.9	0.5%	4.4%
Manufacturing	120.1	120.9	120.6	-0.8	-0.5	-0.7%	-0.4%
Durable Goods	89.1	90.0	90.6	-0.9	-1.5	-1.0%	-1.7%
Computer and Electronic Parts	29.6	30.4	30.7	-0.8	-1.1	-2.6%	-3.6%
Aerospace Products and Parts	13.8	13.8	14.2	0.0	-0.4	0.0%	-2.8%
Nondurable Goods	31.0	30.9	30.0	0.1	1.0	0.3%	3.3%
Natural Resources and Mining	3.2	3.3	3.5	-0.1	-0.3	-3.0%	-8.6%
Construction	110.3	108.2	99.6	2.1	10.7	1.9%	10.7%
Buildings	18.9	18.7	18.3	0.2	0.6	1.1%	3.3%
Heavy	13.2	13.0	12.8	0.2	0.4	1.5%	3.1%
Specialty Trades	78.2	76.5	68.5	1.7	9.7	2.2%	14.2%
Service-Providing Industries	1,691.6	1,701.8	1,642.9	-10.2	48.7	-0.6%	3.0%
Private Service Providing	1,489.2	1,493.0	1,441.3	-3.8	47.9	-0.3%	3.3%
Trade, Transportation and Utilities	383.8	383.4	373.8	0.4	10.0	0.1%	2.7%
Trade	314.8	314.2	305.5	0.6	9.3	0.2%	3.0%
Wholesale Trade	80.5	79.7	77.3	0.8	3.2	1.0%	4.1%
Retail Trade	234.3	234.5	228.2	-0.2	6.1	-0.1%	2.7%
Motor Vehicles and Parts	32.5	32.2	31.0	0.3	1.5	0.9%	4.8%
Building Material, Garden Supply	16.3	16.3	15.4	0.0	0.9	0.0%	5.8%
Food and Beverage	39.3	39.4	39.3	-0.1	0.0	-0.3%	0.0%
Clothing and Gen. Merchandise	61.7	61.2	61.4	0.5	0.3	0.8%	0.5%
General Merchandise	45.6	45.5	44.5	0.1	1.1	0.2%	2.5%
Department Stores	17.8	17.6	18.2	0.2	-0.4	1.1%	-2.2%
Other General merchandise	27.8	27.9	26.3	-0.1	1.5	-0.4%	5.7%
Transportation, Warehousing and Utilities	69.0	69.2	68.3	-0.2	0.7	-0.3%	1.0%
Utilities	8.1	8.2	8.1	-0.1	0.0	-1.2%	0.0%
Transportation and warehousing	60.9	61.0	60.2	-0.1	0.7	-0.2%	1.2%
Air transportation ²							
Truck transportation	16.7	16.7	16.2	0.0	0.5	0.0%	3.1%
Information	38.4	39.2	36.8	-0.8	1.6	-2.0%	4.3%
Telecommunications	13.4	13.4	13.3	0.0	0.1	0.0%	0.8%
Financial Activities	175.2	175.2	167.0	0.0	8.2	0.0%	4.9%
Finance and Insurance	134.8	134.3	129.0	0.5	5.8	0.4%	4.5%
Credit Intermediation and Related Activities	72.7	72.5	70.1	0.2	2.6	0.3%	3.7%
Insurance Carriers and Related Activities	44.8	44.8	42.5	0.0	2.3	0.0%	5.4%
Securities, Commodity Contracts	17.3	17.0	16.4	0.3	0.9	1.8%	5.5%
Real Estate and Rental and Leasing	40.4	40.9	38.0	-0.5	2.4	-1.2%	6.3%
Professional and Business Services	331.3	329.8	320.4	1.5	10.9	0.5%	3.4%
Professional, Scientific and Technical Services	102.2	100.9	103.0	1.3	-0.8	1.3%	-0.8%
Management of Companies and Enterprises	28.7	28.7	28.6	0.0	0.1	0.0%	0.3%
Administrative and Support and Waste	200.4	200.2	188.8	0.2	11.6	0.1%	6.1%
Employment Services	89.1	89.2	85.7	-0.1	3.4	-0.1%	4.0%
Business Support Services	25.3	25.4	24.2	-0.1	1.1	-0.4%	4.5%
Services to Buildings and Dwellings	32.0	31.8	32.7	0.2	-0.7	0.6%	-2.1%
Educational and Health Services	288.2	290.4	276.6	-2.2	11.6	-0.8%	4.2%
Educational Services	45.0	45.3	41.9	-0.3	3.1	-0.7%	7.4%
Health Care and Social Assistance	243.2	245.1	234.7	-1.9	8.5	-0.8%	3.6%
Health Care	205.8	207.3	199.5	-1.5	6.3	-0.7%	3.2%
Ambulatory Health Care Services	113.9	115.0	109.5	-1.1	4.4	-1.0%	4.0%
Hospitals	58.1	58.4	57.3	-0.3	0.8	-0.5%	1.4%
Nursing and Residential Care Facilities	33.8	33.9	32.7	-0.1	1.1	-0.3%	3.4%
Social Assistance	37.4	37.8	35.2	-0.4	2.2	-1.1%	6.2%
Leisure and Hospitality	207.0	209.4	201.7	-2.4	5.3	-1.1%	2.6%
Arts, Entertainment and Recreation	31.4	31.5	30.4	-0.1	1.0	-0.3%	3.3%
Accommodation and Food Services	175.6	177.9	171.3	-2.3	4.3	-1.3%	2.5%
Accommodation	24.7	25.2	24.9	-0.5	-0.2	-2.0%	-0.8%
Food Services and Drinking Places	150.9	152.7	146.4	-1.8	4.5	-1.2%	3.1%
Other Services (except Public Administration)	65.3	65.6	65.0	-0.3	0.3	-0.5%	0.5%
Government	202.4	208.8	201.6	-6.4	0.8	-3.1%	0.4%
Federal	22.3	22.2	22.1	0.1	0.2	0.5%	0.9%
State	41.6	42.1	42.0	-0.5	-0.4	-1.2%	-1.0%
State Education	15.6	15.8	15.3	-0.2	0.3	-1.3%	2.0%
Local	138.5	144.5	137.5	-6.0	1.0	-4.2%	0.7%
Local Education	61.4	68.5	61.8	-7.1	-0.4	-10.4%	-0.6%

- 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	
	July 2016(b)	June 2016(c)	July 2015(c)	June '16 - July '16	July '15 - July '16	June '16 - July '16	July '15 - July '16
Total Nonfarm Payroll Employment^(c,d)	366.3	369.2	351.4	-2.9	14.9	-0.8%	4.2%
Private Sector	299.6	301.0	287.5	-1.4	12.1	-0.5%	4.2%
Government	66.7	68.2	63.9	-1.5	2.8	-2.2%	4.4%
Goods-Producing Industries	40.8	40.8	39.9	0.0	0.9	0.0%	2.3%
Manufacturing	24.1	24.1	22.7	0.0	1.4	0.0%	6.2%
Aerospace Products and Parts	11.3	11.2	10.7	0.1	0.6	0.9%	5.6%
Natural Resources and Mining	2.2	2.2	2.3	0.0	-0.1	0.0%	-4.3%
Construction	14.5	14.5	14.9	0.0	-0.4	0.0%	-2.7%
Specialty Trades	11.5	11.4	11.3	0.1	0.2	0.9%	1.8%
Service-Providing Industries	325.5	328.4	311.5	-2.9	14.0	-0.9%	4.5%
Private Service Providing	258.8	260.2	247.6	-1.4	11.2	-0.5%	4.5%
Trade, Transportation and Utilities	60.4	60.7	59.4	-0.3	1.0	-0.5%	1.7%
Trade	50.1	50.3	49.4	-0.2	0.7	-0.4%	1.4%
Wholesale Trade	7.9	7.9	7.9	0.0	0.0	0.0%	0.0%
Retail Trade	42.2	42.4	41.5	-0.2	0.7	-0.5%	1.7%
Clothing & General Merchandise	11.5	11.4	11.3	0.1	0.2	0.9%	1.8%
General Merchandise	8.7	8.6	8.4	0.1	0.3	1.2%	3.6%
Department Stores	3.6	3.6	3.6	0.0	0.0	0.0%	0.0%
Other General Merchandise	5.1	5.0	4.8	0.1	0.3	2.0%	6.3%
Food and Beverage Stores	9.1	9.2	9.0	-0.1	0.1	-1.1%	1.1%
Transportation, Warehousing and Utilities	10.3	10.4	10.0	-0.1	0.3	-1.0%	3.0%
Information	5.0	5.0	4.4	0.0	0.6	0.0%	13.6%
Financial Activities	19.9	19.9	17.4	0.0	2.5	0.0%	14.4%
Professional and Business Services	52.2	52.1	49.9	0.1	2.3	0.2%	4.6%
Professional, Scientific and Technical Services	18.4	18.4	18.6	0.0	-0.2	0.0%	-1.1%
Administrative and Support and Waste	30.4	30.3	29.0	0.1	1.4	0.3%	4.8%
Employment Services	8.9	8.9	8.6	0.0	0.3	0.0%	3.5%
Business Support Services	10.0	10.0	9.6	0.0	0.4	0.0%	4.2%
Educational and Health Services	65.7	66.5	62.1	-0.8	3.6	-1.2%	5.8%
Health Care	48.1	48.1	47.1	0.0	1.0	0.0%	2.1%
Ambulatory Health Care Services	20.7	20.7	20.2	0.0	0.5	0.0%	2.5%
Hospitals	16.6	16.6	16.4	0.0	0.2	0.0%	1.2%
Nursing and Residential Care Facilities	10.8	10.8	10.5	0.0	0.3	0.0%	2.9%
Leisure and Hospitality	43.0	43.2	41.5	-0.2	1.5	-0.5%	3.6%
Accommodation and Food Services	39.2	39.5	36.8	-0.3	2.4	-0.8%	6.5%
Accommodation	7.5	7.7	7.6	-0.2	-0.1	-2.6%	-1.3%
Food Services and Drinking Places	31.7	31.8	29.2	-0.1	2.5	-0.3%	8.6%
Other Services (except Public Administration)	12.6	12.8	12.9	-0.2	-0.3	-1.6%	-2.3%
Government	66.7	68.2	63.9	-1.5	2.8	-2.2%	4.4%
Federal	12.7	12.9	12.4	-0.2	0.3	-1.6%	2.4%
State	18.7	19.2	19.5	-0.5	-0.8	-2.6%	-4.1%
State Education	14.2	14.8	15.0	-0.6	-0.8	-4.1%	-5.3%
Local	35.3	36.1	32.0	-0.8	3.3	-2.2%	10.3%
Local Education	17.1	17.8	14.2	-0.7	2.9	-3.9%	20.4%

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	July 2016(b)	June 2016(c)	July 2015(c)	Amount Change		Percent Change	
				Monthly	Over-Year	Monthly	Over-Year
				June '16 - July '16	July '15 - July '16	June '16 - July '16	July '15 - July '16
Total Nonfarm Payroll Employment^(c,d)	51.5	51.7	50.2	-0.2	1.3	-0.4%	2.6%
Private Sector	37.9	38.1	36.6	-0.2	1.3	-0.5%	3.6%
Government	13.6	13.6	13.6	0.0	0.0	0.0%	0.0%
Goods-Producing Industries	4.1	4.1	4.3	0.0	-0.2	0.0%	-4.7%
Manufacturing	1.7	1.8	1.9	-0.1	-0.2	-5.6%	-10.5%
Natural Resources and Construction	2.4	2.3	2.4	0.1	0.0	4.3%	0.0%
Service-Providing Industries	47.4	47.6	45.9	-0.2	1.5	-0.4%	3.3%
Private Service Providing	33.8	34.0	32.3	-0.2	1.5	-0.6%	4.6%
Trade, Transportation and Utilities	10.1	10.3	9.8	-0.2	0.3	-1.9%	3.1%
Information	0.5	0.5	0.5	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	6.5	6.4	6.2	0.1	0.3	1.6%	4.8%
Educational and Health Services	7.6	7.6	6.9	0.0	0.7	0.0%	10.1%
Leisure and Hospitality	5.4	5.5	5.3	-0.1	0.1	-1.8%	1.9%
Other Services (except Public Administration)	1.9	1.9	1.8	0.0	0.1	0.0%	5.6%
Government	13.6	13.6	13.6	0.0	0.0	0.0%	0.0%
Federal	3.5	3.4	3.4	0.1	0.1	2.9%	2.9%
State and Local	10.1	10.2	10.2	-0.1	-0.1	-1.0%	-1.0%

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

FLAGSTAFF MSA ⁵	July 2016(b)	June 2016(c)	July 2015(c)	Amount Change		Percent Change	
				Monthly	Over-Year	Monthly	Over-Year
				June '16 - July '16	July '15 - July '16	June '16 - July '16	July '15 - July '16
Total Nonfarm Payroll Employment^(c,d)	65.2	66.2	65.3	-1.0	-0.1	-1.5%	-0.2%
Private Sector	48.3	48.3	46.8	0.0	1.5	0.0%	3.2%
Government	16.9	17.9	18.5	-1.0	-1.6	-5.6%	-8.6%
Goods-Producing Industries	6.9	6.9	6.7	0.0	0.2	0.0%	3.0%
Manufacturing	4.6	4.6	4.4	0.0	0.2	0.0%	4.5%
Natural Resources and Construction	2.3	2.3	2.3	0.0	0.0	0.0%	0.0%
Service-Providing Industries	58.3	59.3	58.6	-1.0	-0.3	-1.7%	-0.5%
Private Service Providing	41.4	41.4	40.1	0.0	1.3	0.0%	3.2%
Trade, Transportation and Utilities	10.5	10.5	10.2	0.0	0.3	0.0%	2.9%
Information	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.0	0.0	0.0%	0.0%
Financial Activities	1.3	1.3	1.3	0.0	0.0	0.0%	0.0%
Professional and Business Services	3.4	3.5	3.3	-0.1	0.1	-2.9%	3.0%
Educational and Health Services	9.6	9.6	9.2	0.0	0.4	0.0%	4.3%
Leisure and Hospitality	14.7	14.6	14.1	0.1	0.6	0.7%	4.3%
Other Services (except Public Administration)	1.4	1.4	1.5	0.0	-0.1	0.0%	-6.7%
Government	16.9	17.9	18.5	-1.0	-1.6	-5.6%	-8.6%
Federal	2.6	2.8	2.7	-0.2	-0.1	-7.1%	-3.7%
State and Local	14.3	15.1	15.8	-0.8	-1.5	-5.3%	-9.5%

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	July 2016(b)	June 2016(c)	July 2015(c)	Amount Change		Percent Change	
				Monthly	Over-Year	Monthly	Over-Year
				June '16 - July '16	July '15 - July '16	June '16 - July '16	July '15 - July '16
Total Nonfarm Payroll Employment^(c,d)	62.8	63.4	59.0	-0.6	3.8	-0.9%	6.4%
Private Sector	53.1	53.3	49.5	-0.2	3.6	-0.4%	7.3%
Government	9.7	10.1	9.5	-0.4	0.2	-4.0%	2.1%
Goods-Producing Industries	8.4	8.3	8.3	0.1	0.1	1.2%	1.2%
Manufacturing	3.5	3.5	3.4	0.0	0.1	0.0%	2.9%
Natural Resources and Construction	4.9	4.8	4.9	0.1	0.0	2.1%	0.0%
Service-Providing Industries	54.4	55.1	50.7	-0.7	3.7	-1.3%	7.3%
Private Service Providing	44.7	45.0	41.2	-0.3	3.5	-0.7%	8.5%
Trade, Transportation and Utilities	13.3	13.5	12.5	-0.2	0.8	-1.5%	6.4%
Information	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.0	0.0	0.0%	0.0%
Financial Activities	1.9	1.9	1.9	0.0	0.0	0.0%	0.0%
Professional and Business Services	4.4	4.5	3.2	-0.1	1.2	-2.2%	37.5%
Educational and Health Services	11.6	11.6	10.8	0.0	0.8	0.0%	7.4%
Leisure and Hospitality	9.9	9.9	9.2	0.0	0.7	0.0%	7.6%
Other Services (except Public Administration)	3.0	3.0	3.0	0.0	0.0	0.0%	0.0%
Government	9.7	10.1	9.5	-0.4	0.2	-4.0%	2.1%
Federal	1.5	1.5	1.5	0.0	0.0	0.0%	0.0%
State and Local	8.2	8.6	8.0	-0.4	0.2	-4.7%	2.5%

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

LAKE HAVASU CITY-KINGMAN MSA⁷

LAKE HAVASU CITY-KINGMAN MSA ⁷	July 2016(b)	June 2016(c)	July 2015(c)	Amount Change		Percent Change	
				Monthly	Over-Year	Monthly	Over-Year
				June '16 - July '16	July '15 - July '16	June '16 - July '16	July '15 - July '16
Total Nonfarm Payroll Employment^(c,d)	47.4	47.3	47.3	0.1	0.1	0.2%	0.2%
Private Sector	40.2	40.1	39.7	0.1	0.5	0.2%	1.3%
Government	7.2	7.2	7.6	0.0	-0.4	0.0%	-5.3%
Goods-Producing Industries	5.4	5.4	5.4	0.0	0.0	0.0%	0.0%
Manufacturing	3.0	3.0	3.0	0.0	0.0	0.0%	0.0%
Natural Resources and Construction	2.4	2.4	2.4	0.0	0.0	0.0%	0.0%
Service-Providing Industries	42.0	41.9	41.9	0.1	0.1	0.2%	0.2%
Private Service Providing	34.8	34.7	34.3	0.1	0.5	0.3%	1.5%
Trade, Transportation and Utilities	11.4	11.2	11.4	0.2	0.0	1.8%	0.0%
Information	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.0	0.0	0.0%	0.0%
Financial Activities	1.7	1.7	1.7	0.0	0.0	0.0%	0.0%
Professional and Business Services	3.6	3.6	3.4	0.0	0.2	0.0%	5.9%
Educational and Health Services	8.6	8.6	8.5	0.0	0.1	0.0%	1.2%
Leisure and Hospitality	7.3	7.3	7.1	0.0	0.2	0.0%	2.8%
Other Services (except Public Administration)	1.5	1.6	1.5	-0.1	0.0	-6.3%	0.0%
Government	7.2	7.2	7.6	0.0	-0.4	0.0%	-5.3%
Federal	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.0	0.0	0.0%	0.0%
State and Local	6.7	6.7	7.1	0.0	-0.4	0.0%	-5.6%

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	
	July 2016(b)	June 2016(c)	July 2015(c)	Monthly June '16 - July '16	Over-Year July '15 - July '16	Monthly June '16 - July '16	Over-Year July '15 - July '16
Total Nonfarm Payroll Employment^(c,d)	34.0	34.0	33.4	0.0	0.6	0.0%	1.8%
Private Sector	23.1	22.9	22.4	0.2	0.7	0.9%	3.1%
Government	10.9	11.1	11.0	-0.2	-0.1	-1.8%	-0.9%
Goods-Producing Industries	1.8	1.7	1.9	0.1	-0.1	5.9%	-5.3%
Manufacturing	0.6	0.5	0.6	0.1	0.0	20.0%	0.0%
Natural Resources and Construction	1.2	1.2	1.3	0.0	-0.1	0.0%	-7.7%
Service-Providing Industries	32.2	32.3	31.5	-0.1	0.7	-0.3%	2.2%
Private Service Providing	21.3	21.2	20.5	0.1	0.8	0.5%	3.9%
Trade, Transportation and Utilities	6.0	6.0	6.0	0.0	0.0	0.0%	0.0%
Information	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.0	0.0	0.0%	0.0%
Financial Activities	1.0	1.0	1.0	0.0	0.0	0.0%	0.0%
Professional and Business Services	3.7	3.5	3.8	0.2	-0.1	5.7%	-2.6%
Educational and Health Services	5.8	5.7	4.7	0.1	1.1	1.8%	23.4%
Leisure and Hospitality	3.8	3.9	3.9	-0.1	-0.1	-2.6%	-2.6%
Other Services (except Public Administration)	0.6	0.7	0.7	-0.1	-0.1	-14.3%	-14.3%
Government	10.9	11.1	11.0	-0.2	-0.1	-1.8%	-0.9%
Federal	4.9	4.9	5.1	0.0	-0.2	0.0%	-3.9%
State and Local	6.0	6.2	5.9	-0.2	0.1	-3.2%	1.7%

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

Other notes and sources:

a) Nonfarm employment at the state and substate level is produced from the monthly establishment survey by the Current Employment Statistics (CES) program of the Arizona Office of Economic Opportunity, in cooperation with U.S. Dept. of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics.

For more information on the establishment survey, see: <http://www.bls.gov/bls/empsitquickguide.htm>

b) Preliminary and subject to revision the following month

c) Revised

d) By place of work; does not include agricultural workers, self-employed, unpaid family members, and domestic workers

e) Detail may not add up exactly due to rounding

MSA — Metropolitan Statistical Area

NA — Not Available

Source: Prepared by the Arizona Office of Economic Opportunity in cooperation with the U.S. Dept. of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics.

**APACHE COUNTY
LABOR FORCE
2016**

	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC
Total Civilian Labor Force	20,439	20,283	20,315	20,190	20,520	20,748	20,709	-	-	-	-	-
Total Employment	17,972	17,935	18,099	17,969	18,259	18,115	18,012	-	-	-	-	-
Total Unemployment	2,467	2,348	2,216	2,221	2,261	2,633	2,697	-	-	-	-	-
Unemployment Rate	12.1%	11.6%	10.9%	11.0%	11.0%	12.7%	13.0%	-	-	-	-	-

**COCHISE COUNTY (SIERRA VISTA-DOUGLAS MSA)
LABOR FORCE
2016**

	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC
Total Civilian Labor Force	49,164	49,510	50,689	50,152	50,523	50,928	50,895	-	-	-	-	-
Total Employment	45,925	46,314	47,523	46,898	47,270	47,318	47,348	-	-	-	-	-
Total Unemployment	3,239	3,196	3,166	3,254	3,253	3,610	3,547	-	-	-	-	-
Unemployment Rate	6.6%	6.5%	6.2%	6.5%	6.4%	7.1%	7.0%	-	-	-	-	-

**COCONINO COUNTY (FLAGSTAFF MSA)
LABOR FORCE
2016**

	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC
Total Civilian Labor Force	71,863	72,641	72,985	73,566	73,572	75,183	74,450	-	-	-	-	-
Total Employment	67,160	68,278	68,878	69,402	69,365	70,067	69,202	-	-	-	-	-
Total Unemployment	4,703	4,363	4,107	4,164	4,207	5,116	5,248	-	-	-	-	-
Unemployment Rate	6.5%	6.0%	5.6%	5.7%	5.7%	6.8%	7.0%	-	-	-	-	-

Adjusted to the Current Population Survey (CPS 2016) to reflect place of residence.

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**GILA COUNTY
LABOR FORCE
2016**

	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC
Total Civilian Labor Force	20,991	21,070	21,164	21,044	21,277	21,566	21,479	-	-	-	-	-
Total Employment	19,379	19,498	19,653	19,486	19,745	19,821	19,733	-	-	-	-	-
Total Unemployment	1,612	1,572	1,511	1,558	1,532	1,745	1,746	-	-	-	-	-
Unemployment Rate	7.7%	7.5%	7.1%	7.4%	7.2%	8.1%	8.1%	-	-	-	-	-

**GRAHAM COUNTY
LABOR FORCE
2016**

	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC
Total Civilian Labor Force	14,504	14,848	14,935	14,979	14,659	14,472	14,355	-	-	-	-	-
Total Employment	13,531	13,871	13,979	13,952	13,634	13,342	13,227	-	-	-	-	-
Total Unemployment	973	977	956	1,027	1,025	1,130	1,128	-	-	-	-	-
Unemployment Rate	6.7%	6.6%	6.4%	6.9%	7.0%	7.8%	7.9%	-	-	-	-	-

**GREENLEE COUNTY
LABOR FORCE
2016**

	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC
Total Civilian Labor Force	3,994	3,977	3,971	3,954	3,960	3,971	3,984	-	-	-	-	-
Total Employment	3,663	3,653	3,653	3,631	3,638	3,624	3,643	-	-	-	-	-
Total Unemployment	331	324	318	323	322	347	341	-	-	-	-	-
Unemployment Rate	8.3%	8.1%	8.0%	8.2%	8.1%	8.7%	8.6%	-	-	-	-	-

Adjusted to the Current Population Survey (CPS 2016) to reflect place of residence.

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**LA PAZ COUNTY
LABOR FORCE
2016**

	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC
Total Civilian Labor Force	8,429	8,310	8,829	8,518	8,746	8,813	8,630	-	-	-	-	-
Total Employment	7,853	7,760	8,292	7,983	8,229	8,217	8,056	-	-	-	-	-
Total Unemployment	576	550	537	535	517	596	574	-	-	-	-	-
Unemployment Rate	6.8%	6.6%	6.1%	6.3%	5.9%	6.8%	6.7%	-	-	-	-	-

**MARICOPA COUNTY
LABOR FORCE
2016**

	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC
Total Civilian Labor Force	2,040,515	2,057,753	2,061,335	2,059,970	2,053,060	2,059,568	2,054,766	-	-	-	-	-
Total Employment	1,947,246	1,965,706	1,969,760	1,965,322	1,957,789	1,951,425	1,945,143	-	-	-	-	-
Total Unemployment	93,269	92,047	91,575	94,648	95,271	108,143	109,623	-	-	-	-	-
Unemployment Rate	4.6%	4.5%	4.4%	4.6%	4.6%	5.3%	5.3%	-	-	-	-	-

**MOHAVE COUNTY (LAKE HAVASU CITY-KINGMAN MSA)
LABOR FORCE
2016**

	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC
Total Civilian Labor Force	79,037	79,589	80,113	79,751	80,446	80,343	80,433	-	-	-	-	-
Total Employment	73,271	73,970	74,661	74,311	75,107	74,339	74,487	-	-	-	-	-
Total Unemployment	5,766	5,619	5,452	5,440	5,339	6,004	5,946	-	-	-	-	-
Unemployment Rate	7.3%	7.1%	6.8%	6.8%	6.6%	7.5%	7.4%	-	-	-	-	-

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**NAVAJO COUNTY
LABOR FORCE
2016**

	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC
Total Civilian Labor Force	40,446	40,557	41,227	41,517	42,019	42,043	41,639	-	-	-	-	-
Total Employment	36,706	36,999	37,901	38,122	38,632	38,103	37,664	-	-	-	-	-
Total Unemployment	3,740	3,558	3,326	3,395	3,387	3,940	3,975	-	-	-	-	-
Unemployment Rate	9.2%	8.8%	8.1%	8.2%	8.1%	9.4%	9.5%	-	-	-	-	-

**PIMA COUNTY (TUCSON MSA)
LABOR FORCE
2016**

	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC
Total Civilian Labor Force	471,722	479,256	478,533	477,987	478,709	473,259	470,133	-	-	-	-	-
Total Employment	448,536	456,383	455,868	454,345	454,942	446,139	442,766	-	-	-	-	-
Total Unemployment	23,186	22,873	22,665	23,642	23,767	27,120	27,367	-	-	-	-	-
Unemployment Rate	4.9%	4.8%	4.7%	4.9%	5.0%	5.7%	5.8%	-	-	-	-	-

**PINAL COUNTY
LABOR FORCE
2016**

	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC
Total Civilian Labor Force	160,033	160,870	162,451	161,646	161,757	162,838	162,241	-	-	-	-	-
Total Employment	151,057	152,010	153,698	152,659	152,774	152,615	151,933	-	-	-	-	-
Total Unemployment	8,976	8,860	8,753	8,987	8,983	10,223	10,308	-	-	-	-	-
Unemployment Rate	5.6%	5.5%	5.4%	5.6%	5.6%	6.3%	6.4%	-	-	-	-	-

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**SANTA CRUZ COUNTY
LABOR FORCE
2016**

	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC
Total Civilian Labor Force	19,747	19,966	20,006	19,695	19,827	19,790	19,263	-	-	-	-	-
Total Employment	17,939	18,241	18,342	18,043	18,173	17,783	16,729	-	-	-	-	-
Total Unemployment	1,808	1,725	1,664	1,652	1,654	2,007	2,534	-	-	-	-	-
Unemployment Rate	9.2%	8.6%	8.3%	8.4%	8.3%	10.1%	13.2%	-	-	-	-	-

**YAVAPAI COUNTY (PRESCOTT MSA)
LABOR FORCE
2016**

	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC
Total Civilian Labor Force	97,884	99,850	100,607	101,145	101,033	102,360	101,481	-	-	-	-	-
Total Employment	92,879	94,896	95,728	96,192	96,178	96,834	95,902	-	-	-	-	-
Total Unemployment	5,005	4,954	4,879	4,953	4,855	5,526	5,579	-	-	-	-	-
Unemployment Rate	5.1%	5.0%	4.8%	4.9%	4.8%	5.4%	5.5%	-	-	-	-	-

**YUMA COUNTY (YUMA MSA)
LABOR FORCE
2016**

	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC
Total Civilian Labor Force	90,207	89,546	91,669	93,539	97,214	97,774	98,987	-	-	-	-	-
Total Employment	75,971	75,980	78,960	75,942	76,819	76,063	74,973	-	-	-	-	-
Total Unemployment	14,236	13,566	12,709	17,597	20,395	21,711	24,014	-	-	-	-	-
Unemployment Rate	15.8%	15.1%	13.9%	18.8%	21.0%	22.2%	24.3%	-	-	-	-	-

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Apache County

	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	AVG
Total Nonfarm	18,050	18,025	18,075	18,100	18,275	17,875	17,800						
Total Private	7,550	7,525	7,550	7,500	7,650	7,650	7,700						
Goods Producing	475	450	475	425	475	475	500						
Service-Providing	17,575	17,575	17,600	17,675	17,800	17,400	17,300						
Private Service-Providing	7,075	7,075	7,075	7,075	7,175	7,175	7,200						
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	1,950	1,950	1,925	1,950	1,975	2,000	1,975						
Other Private Service-Providing	5,125	5,125	5,150	5,125	5,200	5,175	5,225						
Government	10,500	10,500	10,525	10,600	10,625	10,225	10,100						
Federal Government	2,450	2,475	2,500	2,550	2,600	2,650	2,500						
State and Local Government	8,050	8,025	8,025	8,050	8,025	7,575	7,600						

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Cochise County(Sierra-Vista Douglas MSA)

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

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Coconino County(Flagstaff MSA)

	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	AVG
Total Nonfarm	64,000	65,200	65,600	66,600	66,100	66,200	65,200						
Total Private	44,300	44,600	45,000	46,000	47,300	48,300	48,300						
Goods Producing	6,500	6,500	6,500	6,500	6,600	6,900	6,900						
Mining and Construction	2,100	2,100	2,100	2,100	2,200	2,300	2,300						
Manufacturing	4,400	4,400	4,400	4,400	4,400	4,600	4,600						
Service-Providing	57,500	58,700	59,100	60,100	59,500	59,300	58,300						
Private Service-Providing	37,800	38,100	38,500	39,500	40,700	41,400	41,400						
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	9,900	9,900	10,100	10,200	10,300	10,500	10,500						
Information	500	500	500	500	500	500	500						
Financial Activities	1,300	1,300	1,300	1,300	1,300	1,300	1,300						
Professional and Business Services	3,300	3,300	3,300	3,400	3,400	3,500	3,400						
Educational and Health Services	9,600	9,600	9,700	9,700	9,700	9,600	9,600						
Leisure and Hospitality	11,900	12,100	12,200	13,000	14,100	14,600	14,700						
Other Services	1,300	1,400	1,400	1,400	1,400	1,400	1,400						
Government	19,700	20,600	20,600	20,600	18,800	17,900	16,900						
Federal Government	2,400	2,400	2,400	2,500	2,600	2,800	2,600						
State and Local Government	17,300	18,200	18,200	18,100	16,200	15,100	14,300						

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Gila County

	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	AVG
Total Nonfarm	14,675	14,775	14,750	14,800	14,900	14,800	14,700						
Total Private	9,475	9,525	9,500	9,550	9,575	9,650	9,675						
Goods Producing	2,925	2,925	2,875	2,850	2,825	2,850	2,875						
Service-Providing	11,750	11,850	11,875	11,950	12,075	11,950	11,825						
Private Service-Providing	6,550	6,600	6,625	6,700	6,750	6,800	6,800						
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	2,275	2,275	2,300	2,325	2,350	2,350	2,350						
Other Private Service-Providing	4,275	4,325	4,325	4,375	4,400	4,450	4,450						
Government	5,200	5,250	5,250	5,250	5,325	5,150	5,025						
Federal Government	325	325	325	350	400	400	375						
State and Local Government	4,875	4,925	4,925	4,900	4,925	4,750	4,650						

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Graham County

	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	AVG
Total Nonfarm	8,750	9,000	9,025	9,075	8,850	8,500	8,425						
Total Private	5,675	5,750	5,825	5,800	5,800	5,775	5,700						
Goods Producing	1,225	1,250	1,275	1,275	1,275	1,300	1,300						
Service-Providing	7,525	7,750	7,750	7,800	7,575	7,200	7,125						
Private Service-Providing	4,450	4,500	4,550	4,525	4,525	4,475	4,400						
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	1,800	1,800	1,825	1,800	1,825	1,825	1,800						
Other Private Service-Providing	2,650	2,700	2,725	2,725	2,700	2,650	2,600						
Government	3,075	3,250	3,200	3,275	3,050	2,725	2,725						
Federal Government	400	400	400	400	425	425	425						
State and Local Government	2,675	2,850	2,800	2,875	2,625	2,300	2,300						

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Greenlee County

	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	AVG
Total Nonfarm	4,425	4,400	4,375	4,425	4,400	4,300	4,325						
Total Private	3,850	3,825	3,800	3,800	3,800	3,800	3,800						
Goods Producing	3,200	3,175	3,150	3,150	3,125	3,125	3,125						
Service-Providing	1,225	1,225	1,225	1,275	1,275	1,175	1,200						
Private Service-Providing	650	650	650	650	675	675	675						
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	300	325	300	300	325	325	325						
Other Private Service-Providing	350	325	350	350	350	350	350						
Government	575	575	575	625	600	500	525						
Federal Government	25	25	25	50	50	50	50						
State and Local Government	550	550	550	575	550	450	475						

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La Paz County

	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	AVG
Total Nonfarm	5,400	5,400	5,425	5,400	5,375	5,250	5,200						
Total Private	3,000	3,000	3,025	3,000	2,975	2,975	2,875						
Goods Producing	225	225	250	250	250	250	200						
Service-Providing	5,175	5,175	5,175	5,150	5,125	5,000	5,000						
Private Service-Providing	2,775	2,775	2,775	2,750	2,725	2,725	2,675						
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	1,400	1,400	1,400	1,400	1,400	1,400	1,375						
Other Private Service-Providing	1,375	1,375	1,375	1,350	1,325	1,325	1,300						
Government	2,400	2,400	2,400	2,400	2,400	2,275	2,325						
Federal Government	325	325	325	325	325	325	350						
State and Local Government	2,075	2,075	2,075	2,075	2,075	1,950	1,975						

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Maricopa County

	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	AVG
Total Nonfarm	1,891,400	1,906,700	1,913,300	1,921,100	1,903,800	1,879,800	1,871,300						
Total Private	1,678,600	1,684,300	1,691,400	1,697,500	1,689,400	1,689,500	1,686,800						
Goods Producing	218,500	219,700	222,000	220,800	222,700	226,200	227,400						
Mining and Construction	101,400	103,500	105,400	105,800	106,200	108,700	110,700						
Manufacturing	117,100	116,200	116,600	115,000	116,500	117,500	116,700						
Service-Providing	1,672,900	1,687,000	1,691,300	1,700,300	1,681,100	1,653,600	1,643,900						
Private Service-Providing	1,460,100	1,464,600	1,469,400	1,476,700	1,466,700	1,463,300	1,459,400						
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	374,000	372,300	372,500	374,200	374,100	373,700	374,100						
Information	37,900	37,600	37,700	38,700	38,200	38,600	37,700						
Financial Activities	170,900	172,900	173,800	174,000	173,400	173,900	173,900						
Professional and Business Services	325,100	325,200	322,700	326,900	321,800	323,600	325,000						
Educational and Health Services	283,700	285,200	285,900	286,900	285,900	285,000	282,700						
Leisure and Hospitality	205,000	207,000	211,700	211,100	209,400	204,800	202,500						
Other Services	63,500	64,400	65,100	64,900	63,900	63,700	63,500						
Government	212,800	222,400	221,900	223,600	214,400	190,300	184,500						
Federal Government	20,200	20,200	20,300	20,300	20,400	20,500	20,700						
State and Local Government	192,600	202,200	201,600	203,300	194,000	169,800	163,800						

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Mohave County(Lake Havasu City-Kingman MSA)

	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	AVG
Total Nonfarm	47,100	47,500	48,200	48,000	48,500	47,300	47,400						
Total Private	39,500	39,800	40,300	40,100	40,600	40,100	40,200						
Goods Producing	5,200	5,200	5,200	5,300	5,400	5,400	5,400						
Mining and Construction	2,300	2,300	2,300	2,400	2,400	2,400	2,400						
Manufacturing	2,900	2,900	2,900	2,900	3,000	3,000	3,000						
Service-Providing	41,900	42,300	43,000	42,700	43,100	41,900	42,000						
Private Service-Providing	34,300	34,600	35,100	34,800	35,200	34,700	34,800						
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	11,500	11,500	11,600	11,200	11,500	11,200	11,400						
Information	700	700	700	700	700	700	700						
Financial Activities	1,700	1,700	1,700	1,700	1,700	1,700	1,700						
Professional and Business Services	3,500	3,500	3,600	3,600	3,600	3,600	3,600						
Educational and Health Services	8,600	8,700	8,700	8,700	8,700	8,600	8,600						
Leisure and Hospitality	6,700	6,900	7,200	7,300	7,400	7,300	7,300						
Other Services	1,600	1,600	1,600	1,600	1,600	1,600	1,500						
Government	7,600	7,700	7,900	7,900	7,900	7,200	7,200						
Federal Government	400	400	400	400	500	500	500						
State and Local Government	7,200	7,300	7,500	7,500	7,400	6,700	6,700						

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Navajo County

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Total Nonfarm	27,075	27,275	27,800	28,300	28,400	27,675	27,400						
Total Private	17,725	17,725	18,225	18,575	18,725	18,775	18,900						
Goods Producing	1,700	1,725	1,700	1,725	1,725	1,775	1,825						
Mining and Construction	1,450	1,475	1,475	1,500	1,475	1,525	1,550						
Manufacturing	250	250	225	225	250	250	275						
Service-Providing	25,375	25,550	26,100	26,575	26,675	25,900	25,575						
Private Service-Providing	16,025	16,000	16,525	16,850	17,000	17,000	17,075						
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	4,975	5,000	5,325	5,350	5,375	5,475	5,625						
Information	1,050	1,050	1,050	1,050	1,075	1,050	1,075						
Financial Activities	650	650	650	650	650	625	625						
Professional and Business Services	1,250	1,200	1,300	1,350	1,300	1,325	1,300						
Educational and Health Services	4,175	4,200	4,225	4,250	4,250	4,125	4,050						
Leisure and Hospitality	2,975	2,950	3,025	3,225	3,375	3,425	3,425						
Other Services	950	950	950	975	975	975	975						
Government	9,350	9,550	9,575	9,725	9,675	8,900	8,500						
Federal Government	1,425	1,425	1,500	1,600	1,650	1,725	1,600						
State and Local Government	7,925	8,125	8,075	8,125	8,025	7,175	6,900						

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Pima County(Tucson MSA)

	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	AVG
Total Nonfarm	375,100	381,000	381,200	382,100	380,300	369,200	366,300						
Total Private	296,400	300,600	301,000	301,900	301,800	301,000	299,600						
Goods Producing	39,000	39,600	39,900	40,000	40,300	40,800	40,800						
Mining and Construction	16,100	16,400	16,600	16,500	16,600	16,700	16,700						
Manufacturing	22,900	23,200	23,300	23,500	23,700	24,100	24,100						
Service-Providing	336,100	341,400	341,300	342,100	340,000	328,400	325,500						
Private Service-Providing	257,400	261,000	261,100	261,900	261,500	260,200	258,800						
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	60,600	60,800	60,400	60,700	60,800	60,700	60,400						
Information	4,700	4,700	5,000	5,000	5,000	5,000	5,000						
Financial Activities	19,900	20,000	20,000	19,500	19,600	19,900	19,900						
Professional and Business Services	51,600	52,900	52,500	53,200	52,200	52,100	52,200						
Educational and Health Services	65,600	65,900	65,800	65,800	66,700	66,500	65,700						
Leisure and Hospitality	42,600	44,100	44,700	45,000	44,500	43,200	43,000						
Other Services	12,400	12,600	12,700	12,700	12,700	12,800	12,600						
Government	78,700	80,400	80,200	80,200	78,500	68,200	66,700						
Federal Government	12,500	12,600	12,800	12,700	12,800	12,900	12,700						
State and Local Government	66,200	67,800	67,400	67,500	65,700	55,300	54,000						

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Pinal County

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Total Nonfarm	55,525	56,850	57,500	56,400	56,150	54,350	53,900						
Total Private	36,750	37,500	37,975	36,900	36,650	35,875	35,975						
Goods Producing	6,225	6,225	6,225	6,225	6,225	6,225	6,275						
Mining and Construction	2,800	2,825	2,825	2,825	2,825	2,825	2,850						
Manufacturing	3,425	3,400	3,400	3,400	3,400	3,400	3,425						
Service-Providing	49,300	50,625	51,275	50,175	49,925	48,125	47,625						
Private Service-Providing	30,525	31,275	31,750	30,675	30,425	29,650	29,700						
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	9,725	9,725	9,750	9,750	9,725	9,750	9,700						
Information	625	625	625	625	625	625	625						
Financial Activities	1,350	1,350	1,375	1,375	1,325	1,325	1,325						
Professional and Business Services	6,125	6,325	6,875	6,050	6,200	6,200	6,250						
Educational and Health Services	5,800	5,850	5,725	5,825	5,825	5,325	5,475						
Leisure and Hospitality	5,100	5,550	5,550	5,225	4,900	4,600	4,550						
Other Services	1,800	1,850	1,850	1,825	1,825	1,825	1,775						
Government	18,775	19,350	19,525	19,500	19,500	18,475	17,925						
Federal Government	1,625	1,625	1,650	1,650	1,650	1,675	1,675						
State and Local Government	17,150	17,725	17,875	17,850	17,850	16,800	16,250						

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Santa Cruz County

	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	AVG
Total Nonfarm	13,625	13,800	13,800	13,675	13,600	13,225	12,325						
Total Private	9,900	10,050	9,975	9,900	9,875	9,575	8,775						
Goods Producing	725	725	700	700	700	700	675						
Service-Providing	12,900	13,075	13,100	12,975	12,900	12,525	11,650						
Private Service-Providing	9,175	9,325	9,275	9,200	9,175	8,875	8,100						
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	6,025	6,075	6,025	5,950	5,975	5,750	5,050						
Other Private Service-Providing	3,150	3,250	3,250	3,250	3,200	3,125	3,050						
Government	3,725	3,750	3,825	3,775	3,725	3,650	3,550						
Federal Government	1,600	1,600	1,600	1,625	1,600	1,625	1,625						
State and Local Government	2,125	2,150	2,225	2,150	2,125	2,025	1,925						

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Yavapai County(Prescott MSA)

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Total Nonfarm	61,300	62,600	63,000	64,000	63,300	63,400	62,800						
Total Private	50,800	51,700	52,000	53,000	52,900	53,300	53,100						
Goods Producing	8,100	8,200	8,200	8,300	8,300	8,300	8,400						
Mining and Construction	4,700	4,800	4,800	4,800	4,800	4,800	4,900						
Manufacturing	3,400	3,400	3,400	3,500	3,500	3,500	3,500						
Service-Providing	53,200	54,400	54,800	55,700	55,000	55,100	54,400						
Private Service-Providing	42,700	43,500	43,800	44,700	44,600	45,000	44,700						
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	12,900	13,000	13,100	13,400	13,400	13,500	13,300						
Information	600	600	500	600	600	600	600						
Financial Activities	1,800	1,900	1,900	1,900	1,900	1,900	1,900						
Professional and Business Services	4,400	4,500	4,500	4,600	4,500	4,500	4,400						
Educational and Health Services	11,300	11,400	11,500	11,600	11,500	11,600	11,600						
Leisure and Hospitality	8,800	9,100	9,300	9,600	9,700	9,900	9,900						
Other Services	2,900	3,000	3,000	3,000	3,000	3,000	3,000						
Government	10,500	10,900	11,000	11,000	10,400	10,100	9,700						
Federal Government	1,500	1,500	1,500	1,500	1,500	1,500	1,500						
State and Local Government	9,000	9,400	9,500	9,500	8,900	8,600	8,200						

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Yuma County(Yuma MSA)

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Total Nonfarm	54,600	55,100	55,400	54,300	53,300	51,700	51,500						
Total Private	40,000	39,900	40,100	39,100	38,300	38,100	37,900						
Goods Producing	4,600	4,600	4,600	4,100	4,100	4,100	4,100						
Mining and Construction	2,300	2,300	2,400	2,300	2,300	2,300	2,400						
Manufacturing	2,300	2,300	2,200	1,800	1,800	1,800	1,700						
Service-Providing	50,000	50,500	50,800	50,200	49,200	47,600	47,400						
Private Service-Providing	35,400	35,300	35,500	35,000	34,200	34,000	33,800						
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	10,400	10,200	10,400	10,300	10,200	10,300	10,100						
Information	500	500	500	500	500	500	500						
Financial Activities	1,900	1,900	1,900	1,900	1,700	1,800	1,800						
Professional and Business Services	6,700	6,700	6,700	6,500	6,400	6,400	6,500						
Educational and Health Services	7,800	7,800	7,800	7,800	7,800	7,600	7,600						
Leisure and Hospitality	6,100	6,200	6,200	6,000	5,700	5,500	5,400						
Other Services	2,000	2,000	2,000	2,000	1,900	1,900	1,900						
Government	14,600	15,200	15,300	15,200	15,000	13,600	13,600						
Federal Government	3,400	3,400	3,400	3,400	3,400	3,400	3,500						
State and Local Government	11,200	11,800	11,900	11,800	11,600	10,200	10,100						

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