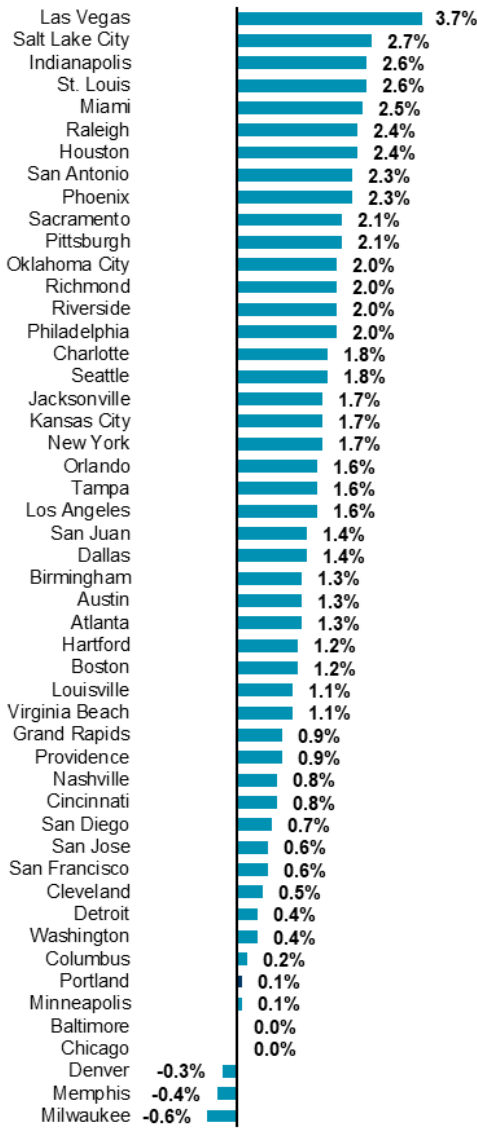


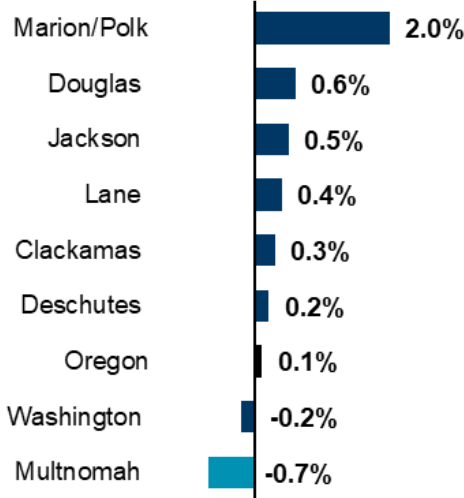
Job Growth by U.S. Metro

Percentage Growth - Aug. 2023 to Aug. 2024



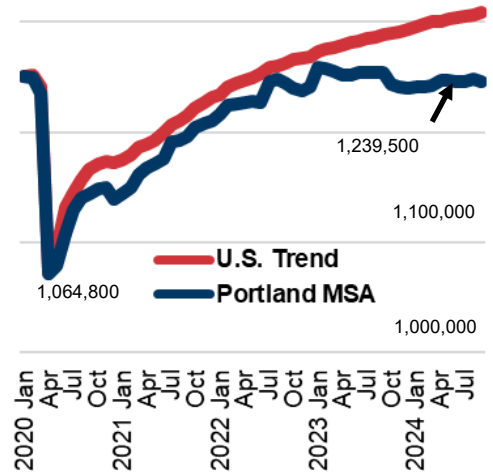
Employment Growth by County

Sep. 2023 to Sep. 2024



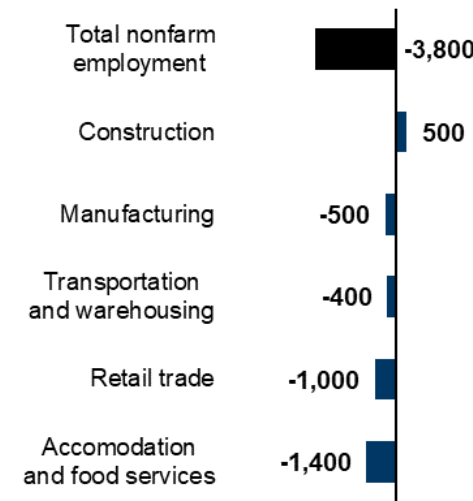
Employment in Portland Metro

Jan. 2020 to Sep. 2024 (seasonally adjusted)



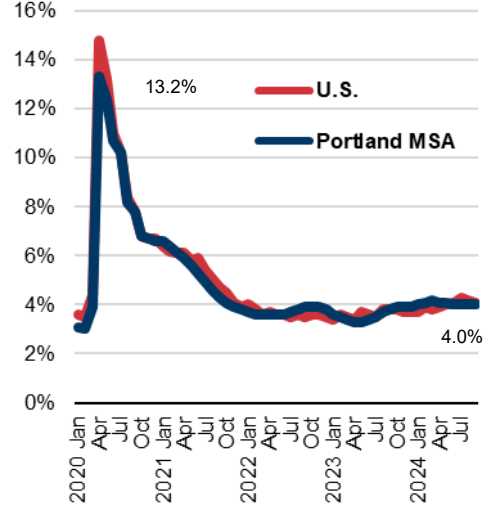
Select Industry Gains and Losses

Multnomah County, Sep. 2023 to Sep. 2024



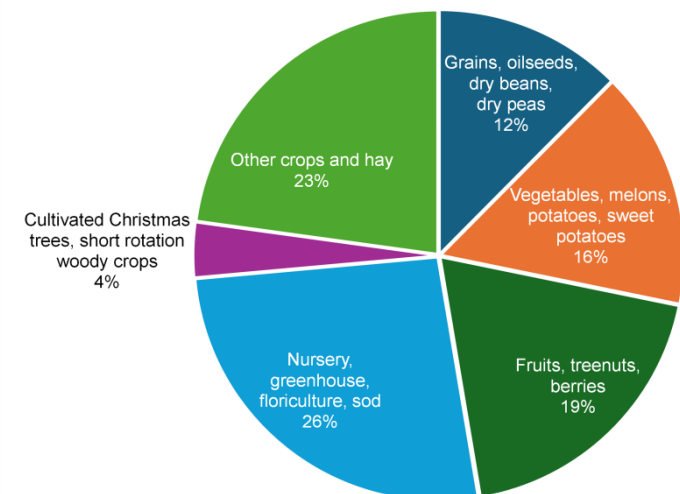
Unemployment Rate Portland Metro

Jan. 2020 through Sep. 2024 (Seasonally Adjusted)



Oregon Market Value of Crops, 2022

Source: U.S. Department of Agriculture, 2022 Census of Agriculture



Oregon Produced \$4.7 Billion Worth of Crops in 2022

Oregon farm acreage totaled about 15.3 million acres in 2022 with 35,547 farms and 70,501 producers. Oregon agricultural product sales were \$6.7 billion, ranging from a high of \$874.6 million in Marion County to a low of \$7 million in Lincoln County. Five counties – Clackamas, Malheur, Marion, Morrow, and Umatilla – combined to produce half of the state’s agricultural sales.

Crop sales accounted for \$4.7 billion or about 69% of Oregon’s total sales. Livestock sales were \$2.1 billion or approximately 31%. Oregon ranked 28th out of 50 states in agricultural product sales overall, coming in at 20th position for crop sales.

Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas sales brought in \$578.8 million in 2022, or about 12% of Oregon crop sales – ranking 31st nationally. Sales in this product segment rose by \$234.9 million compared with 2017, roughly 68%. Umatilla County was the lead producer with \$174.6 million in sales, about 30% of Oregon’s total. The top three counties – including \$125.6 million from Morrow County (22%) and \$51.7 million from Sherman County (9%) – make up 61% of Oregon’s grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas sales.

Oregon’s vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes sales ranked seventh nationally with \$733 million or about 16% of total crop sales.

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