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Employment in Lane County (Eugene MSA)

Lane County Employers Add 500 Jobs in June

Lane County's seasonally adjusted payroll employment rose by 500 jobs in June after an increase of 700 in May and no change in April.

In the not seasonally adjusted private-sector industries in June, there were seasonal gains in leisure and hospitality (800) and construction (100). Elsewhere, there were gains of 100 each in manufacturing; wholesale trade; and transportation, warehousing, and utilities. There was a loss of 200 in private education and health services.

Government dropped 300 jobs in June due to a seasonal loss of 400 in local education from the beginning of summer break that was countered by a gain of 100 in noneducation local government.

When comparing June 2024 with June 2023, total nonfarm employment added 1,100 jobs on a seasonally adjusted basis for a gain of 0.7%. There were over-the-year gains in private education and health services (1,800), leisure and hospitality (500), manufacturing (200), and financial activities (200). There were relatively large losses in retail trade (-1,000), professional and business services (-300), and other services (-300).

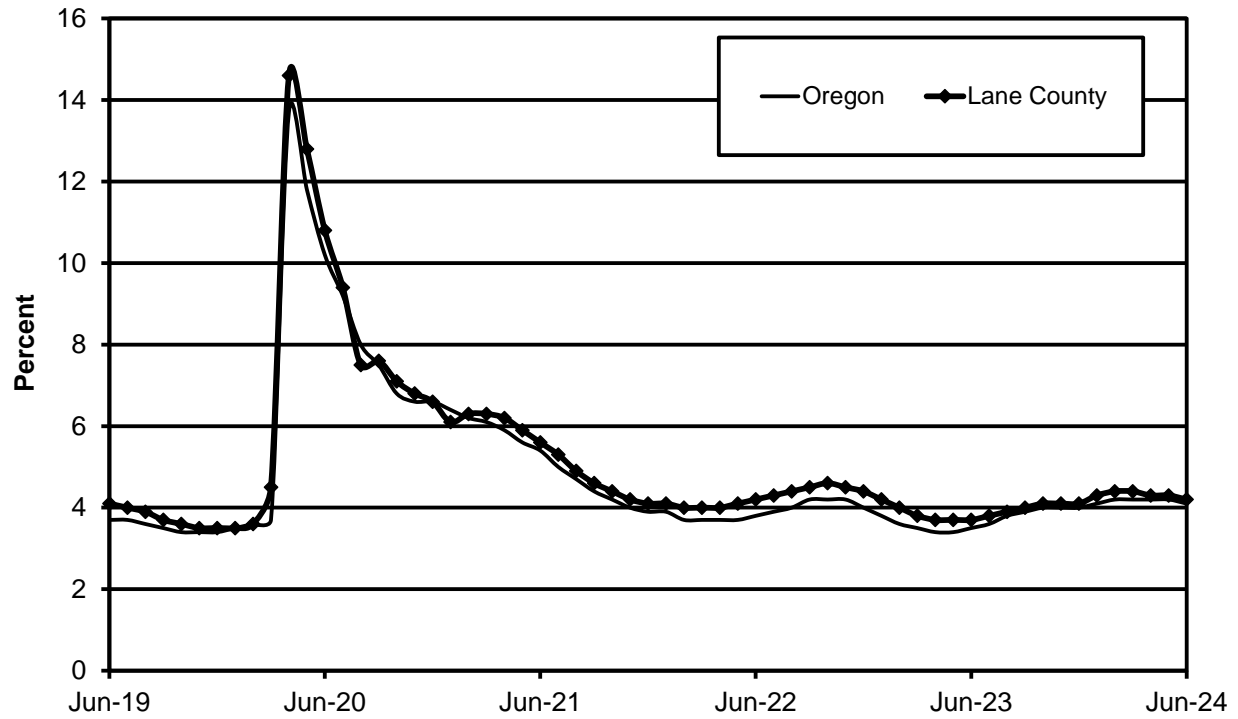
There was an over-the-year increase of 1,100 in government due to gains in local education (700), noneducation local government (300), and state government (100).

Lane County's seasonally adjusted unemployment rate was essentially unchanged at 4.2% in June compared with a revised 4.3% in May. The rate is higher than the 3.7% recorded in June 2023. Lane County's record low rate was 3.5% in November 2019. The Oregon seasonally adjusted June rate was 4.1% and the U.S. rate was 4.1%.

Next Press Releases

The Oregon Employment Department plans to release the July county and metropolitan area unemployment rates and employment survey data on Tuesday, Aug. 20th and the statewide unemployment rate and employment survey data for July on Wednesday, Aug. 14th.

Seasonally Adjusted Unemployment Rates



Eugene MSA Current Labor Force and Industry Employment

	--Change From--				
	June 2024	May 2024	June 2023	May 2024	June 2023
Labor Force Status					
Civilian labor force	186,491	186,499	183,183	-8	3,308
Unemployed	7,644	7,152	7,080	492	564
Unemployment rate	4.1%	3.8%	3.9%	0.3	0.2
<i>Unemployment rate (seasonally adjusted)</i>	4.2%	4.3%	3.7%	-0.1	0.5
Employed	178,847	179,347	176,103	-500	2,744
Nonfarm Payroll Employment					
Total nonfarm employment	168,000	167,200	165,800	800	2,200
<i>Total nonfarm employment (seasonally adjusted)</i>	165,100	164,600	164,000	500	1,100
Total private	135,100	134,000	134,000	1,100	1,100
Mining, logging, and construction	9,000	8,900	9,000	100	0
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Construction	8,100	8,000	8,200	100	-100
Manufacturing	14,900	14,800	14,700	100	200
Durable goods	9,500	9,500	9,300	0	200
Wood product manufacturing	3,900	3,800	3,700	100	200
Nondurable goods	5,400	5,300	5,400	100	0
Trade, transportation, and utilities	28,800	28,600	29,900	200	-1,100
Wholesale trade	6,200	6,100	6,300	100	-100
Retail trade	19,000	19,000	20,000	0	-1,000
Food and beverage retailers	4,900	4,900	5,000	0	-100
Transportation, warehousing, and utilities	3,600	3,500	3,600	100	0
Information	2,100	2,100	2,000	0	100
Financial activities	8,800	8,800	8,600	0	200
Professional and business services	17,500	17,500	17,800	0	-300
Administrative and support services	6,400	6,500	6,500	-100	-100
Private education and health services	30,700	30,900	28,900	-200	1,800
Health care and social assistance	27,700	27,400	26,800	300	900
Leisure and hospitality	18,400	17,600	17,900	800	500
Accommodation and food services	16,100	15,700	15,700	400	400
Food services and drinking places	14,000	13,700	13,900	300	100
Other services	4,900	4,800	5,200	100	-300
Government	32,900	33,200	31,800	-300	1,100
Federal government	2,000	2,000	2,000	0	0
State government	2,000	2,000	1,900	0	100
State education	0	0	0	0	0
Local government	28,900	29,200	27,900	-300	1,000
Local education	20,500	20,900	19,800	-400	700

The most recent month is preliminary, the prior month is revised. Prepared in cooperation with the U.S. Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics.

Civilian labor force includes employed and unemployed individuals 16 years and older by place of residence. Employed includes payroll employment, self-employed, unpaid family workers, domestics, agriculture, and labor disputants. Unemployment rate is calculated by dividing unemployed by civilian labor force.

Nonfarm Payroll Employment: Official Oregon Series. Data are by place of work and cover full- and part-time employees who worked or received pay for the pay period that includes the 12th of the month. The data exclude the self-employed, volunteers, unpaid family workers, and domestics.

The Oregon Employment Department and the U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics (BLS) work cooperatively to develop and publish monthly payroll employment and labor force data for Oregon's metropolitan areas and counties. The estimates of monthly job gains and losses are based on a survey of businesses. The estimates of unemployment are based on a survey of households and other sources.

The Oregon Employment Department payroll employment estimates are revised quarterly using information from unemployment insurance tax records. All department publications use data from this *official Oregon series* unless noted.

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