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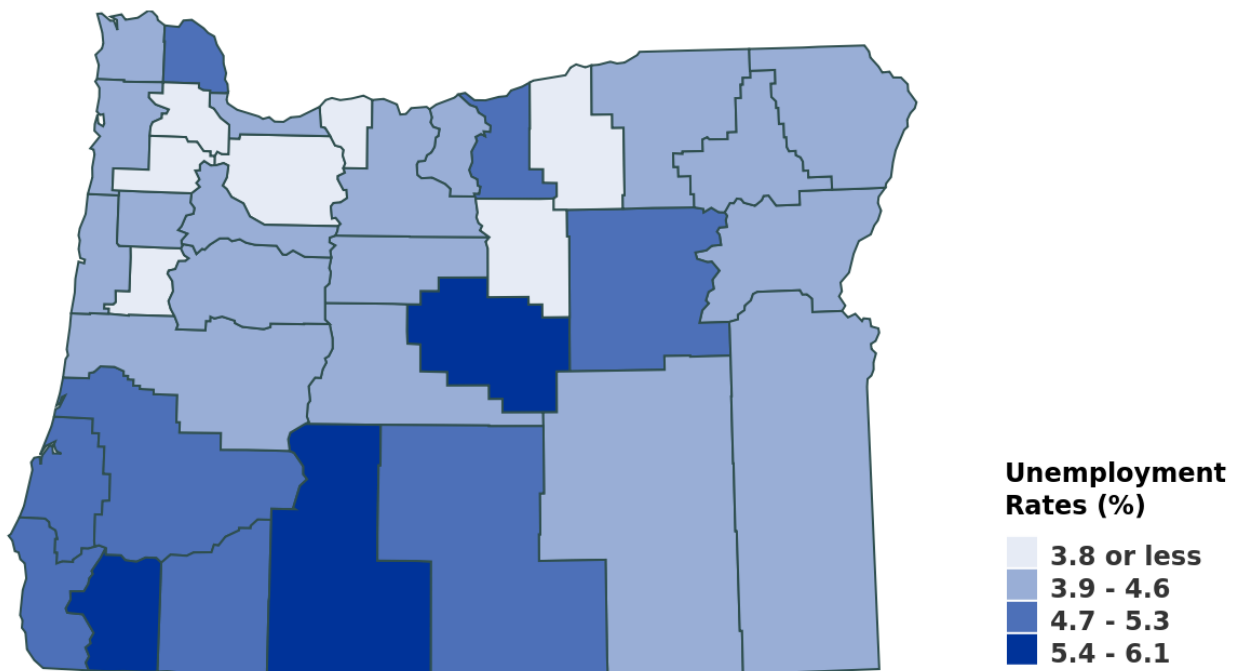
June 2024 Employment and Unemployment in Oregon's Counties

In June, unemployment rates decreased or remained unchanged in 35 of Oregon's 36 counties over the month and increased in Grant County. Seventeen counties had unemployment rates at or below the statewide and U.S. unemployment rate of 4.1%.

Crook County had Oregon's highest seasonally adjusted unemployment rate in June at 6.1%. Other counties with relatively high unemployment rates were Josephine and Klamath, both at 5.4%. Wheeler County registered the lowest unemployment rate in June at 3.0%. Other counties with relatively low unemployment rates included Hood River (3.2%) and Benton (3.3%).

Seasonally Adjusted Unemployment Rate

June 2024

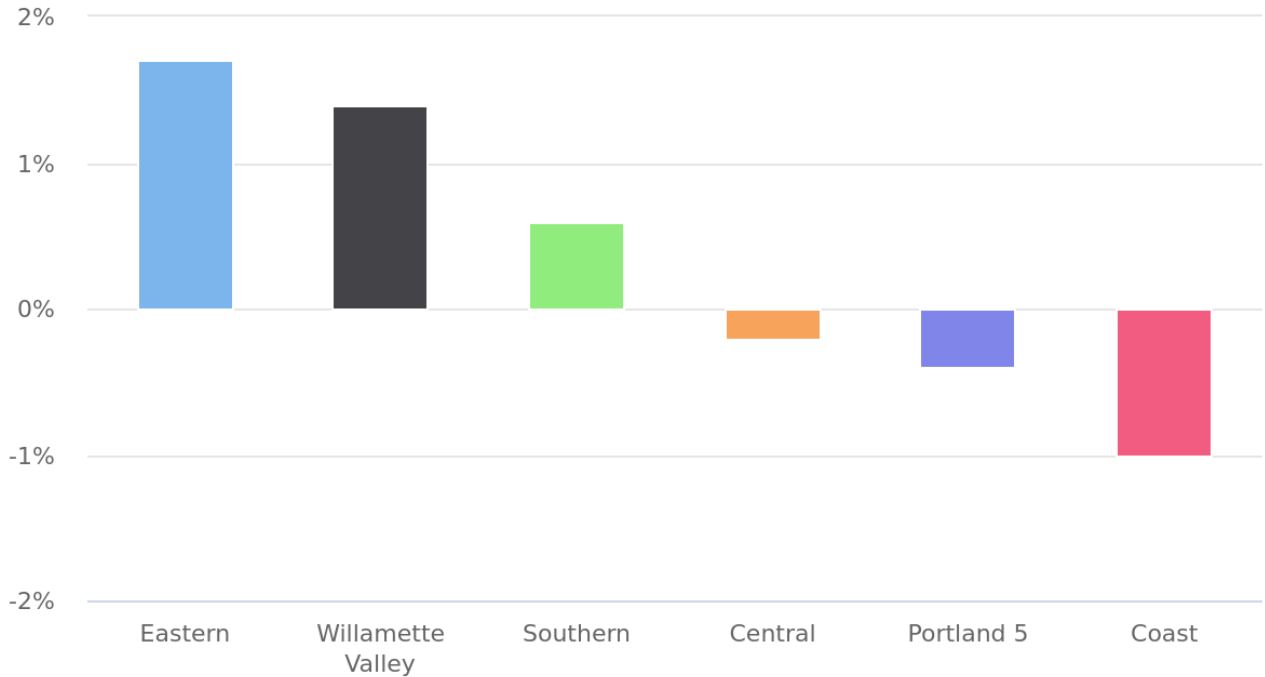


Oregon Employment Department, Local Area Unemployment Statistics

Between June 2023 and June 2024, total nonfarm employment rose in three of Oregon's six broad regions and decreased in three. Eastern Oregon experienced the fastest job growth over the year at 1.7%. Employment also grew relatively quickly in the Willamette Valley (1.4%). Employment grew at a moderate pace in Southern Oregon (0.6%). Employment decreased in Central Oregon by -0.2%. Employment also decreased in the five Portland-Metro counties (-0.4%) and along the Coast (-1.0%).

Over-the-Year Employment Change by Region

June 2023 to June 2024, Seasonally Adjusted Nonfarm Employment



Oregon Employment Department, Current Employment Statistics

Next News Releases

The Oregon Employment Department will release statewide unemployment rate and industry employment data for July 2024 on Wednesday, Aug. 14, 2024. The July 2024 county and metropolitan area unemployment rates will be released on Tuesday, Aug. 20, 2024.

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Labor Force and Unemployment by Area (1)

	June 2024					May 2024					June 2023				
	Civilian Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Unemployment Rate (UR)	Seasonally Adjusted UR	Civilian Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Unemployment Rate (UR)	Seasonally Adjusted UR	Civilian Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Unemployment Rate (UR)	Seasonally Adjusted UR
United States	169,007,000	161,774,000	7,233,000	4.3%	4.1%	167,576,000	161,341,000	6,235,000	3.7%	4.0%	167,910,000	161,559,000	6,351,000	3.8%	3.6%
Oregon	2,192,026	2,105,647	86,379	3.9%	4.1%	2,187,272	2,106,020	81,252	3.7%	4.2%	2,166,934	2,087,828	79,106	3.7%	3.5%
<u>Metropolitan Statistical Areas</u>															
Albany (Linn County)	61,657	58,995	2,662	4.3%	4.5%	61,413	58,882	2,531	4.1%	4.6%	60,681	58,241	2,440	4.0%	3.8%
Bend-Redmond (Deschutes County)	107,389	103,420	3,969	3.7%	4.0%	107,223	103,371	3,852	3.6%	4.1%	105,822	102,189	3,633	3.4%	3.6%
Corvallis (Benton County)	51,320	49,596	1,724	3.4%	3.3%	51,259	49,707	1,552	3.0%	3.3%	49,973	48,366	1,607	3.2%	2.8%
Eugene (Lane County)	186,491	178,847	7,644	4.1%	4.2%	186,499	179,347	7,152	3.8%	4.3%	183,183	176,103	7,080	3.9%	3.7%
Grants Pass (Josephine County)	36,561	34,574	1,987	5.4%	5.4%	36,232	34,483	1,749	4.8%	5.4%	35,791	34,078	1,713	4.8%	4.8%
Medford (Jackson County)	107,727	102,666	5,061	4.7%	4.7%	107,179	102,563	4,616	4.3%	4.8%	105,206	100,778	4,428	4.2%	4.1%
Portland-Vancouver-Hillsboro (2)	1,360,500	1,307,627	52,873	3.9%	4.0%	1,360,293	1,309,386	50,907	3.7%	4.1%	1,353,361	1,306,217	47,144	3.5%	3.4%
Salem (Marion and Polk counties)	217,791	209,230	8,561	3.9%	4.0%	217,761	209,818	7,943	3.6%	4.1%	213,296	205,272	8,024	3.8%	3.5%
<u>Counties</u>															
Baker	7,125	6,846	279	3.9%	4.4%	7,140	6,876	264	3.7%	4.5%	7,128	6,847	281	3.9%	4.2%
Benton	51,320	49,596	1,724	3.4%	3.3%	51,259	49,707	1,552	3.0%	3.3%	49,973	48,366	1,607	3.2%	2.8%
Clackamas	226,119	217,783	8,336	3.7%	3.7%	226,193	218,346	7,847	3.5%	3.7%	224,527	216,968	7,559	3.4%	3.2%
Clatsop	20,546	19,783	763	3.7%	3.9%	20,297	19,576	721	3.6%	3.9%	20,096	19,412	684	3.4%	3.5%
Columbia	24,980	23,852	1,128	4.5%	4.8%	25,045	23,961	1,084	4.3%	4.9%	24,822	23,779	1,043	4.2%	4.1%
Coos	26,838	25,627	1,211	4.5%	4.7%	26,807	25,651	1,156	4.3%	4.8%	26,791	25,641	1,150	4.3%	4.4%
Crook	11,363	10,762	601	5.3%	6.1%	11,232	10,635	597	5.3%	6.3%	11,275	10,712	563	5.0%	5.4%
Curry	9,059	8,627	432	4.8%	5.3%	8,945	8,521	424	4.7%	5.3%	9,159	8,794	365	4.0%	4.4%
Deschutes	107,389	103,420	3,969	3.7%	4.0%	107,223	103,371	3,852	3.6%	4.1%	105,822	102,189	3,633	3.4%	3.6%
Douglas	47,566	45,255	2,311	4.9%	5.0%	47,488	45,310	2,178	4.6%	5.0%	46,952	44,825	2,127	4.5%	4.5%
Gilliam	899	858	41	4.6%	4.8%	883	846	37	4.2%	5.0%	940	899	41	4.4%	4.1%
Grant	3,290	3,144	146	4.4%	5.0%	3,207	3,054	153	4.8%	4.9%	3,210	3,071	139	4.3%	5.1%
Harney	3,629	3,495	134	3.7%	4.3%	3,647	3,511	136	3.7%	4.4%	3,647	3,518	129	3.5%	4.0%
Hood River	14,128	13,686	442	3.1%	3.2%	13,535	13,127	408	3.0%	3.2%	14,291	13,875	416	2.9%	2.8%
Jackson	107,727	102,666	5,061	4.7%	4.7%	107,179	102,563	4,616	4.3%	4.8%	105,206	100,778	4,428	4.2%	4.1%
Jefferson	10,504	10,063	441	4.2%	4.6%	10,627	10,209	418	3.9%	4.7%	10,504	10,078	426	4.1%	4.4%
Josephine	36,561	34,574	1,987	5.4%	5.4%	36,232	34,483	1,749	4.8%	5.4%	35,791	34,078	1,713	4.8%	4.8%
Klamath	30,482	29,029	1,453	4.8%	5.4%	30,266	28,879	1,387	4.6%	5.4%	29,987	28,609	1,378	4.6%	5.1%
Lake	3,614	3,460	154	4.3%	4.8%	3,536	3,391	145	4.1%	5.0%	3,731	3,579	152	4.1%	4.7%
Lane	186,491	178,847	7,644	4.1%	4.2%	186,499	179,347	7,152	3.8%	4.3%	183,183	176,103	7,080	3.9%	3.7%
Lincoln	21,655	20,679	976	4.5%	4.6%	21,484	20,553	931	4.3%	4.6%	21,646	20,803	843	3.9%	4.1%
Linn	61,657	58,995	2,662	4.3%	4.5%	61,413	58,882	2,531	4.1%	4.6%	60,681	58,241	2,440	4.0%	3.8%
Malheur	13,413	12,880	533	4.0%	3.9%	13,298	12,850	448	3.4%	3.9%	12,930	12,438	492	3.8%	3.5%
Marion	174,287	167,421	6,866	3.9%	4.0%	174,096	167,723	6,373	3.7%	4.1%	170,661	164,244	6,417	3.8%	3.6%
Morrow	6,279	6,061	218	3.5%	3.6%	6,223	6,026	197	3.2%	3.7%	6,225	6,015	210	3.4%	3.3%
Multnomah	467,171	449,040	18,131	3.9%	4.0%	467,264	450,017	17,247	3.7%	4.0%	463,721	447,434	16,287	3.5%	3.4%
Polk	43,504	41,809	1,695	3.9%	3.9%	43,665	42,095	1,570	3.6%	4.0%	42,635	41,028	1,607	3.8%	3.6%
Sherman	999	963	36	3.6%	4.1%	977	941	36	3.7%	4.2%	982	942	40	4.1%	3.9%
Tillamook	12,519	12,063	456	3.6%	3.9%	12,364	11,928	436	3.5%	4.0%	12,427	11,989	438	3.5%	3.6%
Umatilla	40,077	38,610	1,467	3.7%	3.9%	39,442	38,127	1,315	3.3%	3.9%	39,403	38,005	1,398	3.5%	4.4%
Union	12,312	11,799	513	4.2%	4.6%	12,236	11,656	580	4.7%	4.6%	12,159	11,710	449	3.7%	3.7%
Wallowa	3,782	3,656	126	3.3%	4.3%	3,687	3,543	144	3.9%	4.3%	3,729	3,604	125	3.4%	4.4%
Wasco	14,060	13,562	498	3.5%	4.0%	12,889	12,402	487	3.8%	4.1%	13,991	13,497	494	3.5%	3.9%
Washington	333,566	321,668	11,898	3.6%	3.6%	333,875	322,718	11,157	3.3%	3.7%	331,833	320,919	10,914	3.3%	3.1%
Wheeler	809	786	23	2.8%	3.0%	824	802	22	2.7%	3.1%	818	794	24	2.9%	2.8%
Yamhill	56,305	54,282	2,023	3.6%	3.7%	56,296	54,394	1,902	3.4%	3.8%	56,058	54,044	2,014	3.6%	3.3%

(1) Civilian labor force includes employed and unemployed individuals 16 years and older by place of residence. Employed includes nonfarm payroll employment, self-employed, unpaid family workers, domestics, agriculture, and labor disputants. Unemployment rate is calculated by dividing unemployed by civilian labor force. Data are not seasonally adjusted unless otherwise noted.

(2) The Portland-Vancouver-Hillsboro metropolitan area includes Clackamas, Columbia, Multnomah, Washington, and Yamhill counties in Oregon, and Clark and Skamania counties in Washington State.