



# Tennessee Labor Market Report

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## Labor Force & Nonfarm Employment, 2016-2020

The Bureau of Labor Statistics has two cooperating agreements with states to collect employment levels and unemployment data for states and sub-state areas. The Current Employment Statistics (CES) program samples approximately 145,000 businesses and government agencies representing 697,000 worksites in the U.S. The survey is done on a monthly basis by asking for an establishment's employment, hours, and earnings for the pay period that includes the 12th of each month. This data is solicited using computer assisted telephone surveys. The result is monthly nonfarm employment estimates. These estimates provide total employment, by industry, for the state and metropolitan statistical areas (MSAs). This data is compiled based on the employee's place of work.

The second cooperative agreement is the Local Area Unemployment Statistics (LAUS) program. The source data is obtained by the Bureau of the Census using a monthly phone survey of about 60,000 households. The data collected from this survey includes the number of persons who are currently working and/or unemployed and available to work. The results are the total employment and the unemployment percentages in the U.S., states, and sub-states areas. The LAUS program compiles data based on the employee's county of residence, rather than county of work. This is the primary reason why the total employment count differs in each program.

The monthly data for both programs are updated and revised to produce annual averages at the end of each year. Pages 2 and 3 of this edition show the annual averages for Tennessee and the four largest MSAs. The nonfarm employment provides a glimpse of growing and declining industries.

(49,300 jobs) compared to the total growth rate for the state. According to the LAUS survey, which includes employees by place of residence, Nashville MSA employment grew by 6.2 percent (57,884 workers) while the state employment grew by 1.9 percent (56,215 workers). The nonfarm employment in the four largest MSAs increased by 43,100 jobs.

Tennessee industries with the highest growth were mining, logging, & construction (up 14,200 jobs, or 11.9 percent); financial activities (up 14,900 jobs, or 9.5 percent); other services (up 6,200 jobs, or 5.6 percent); and professional & business services (up 9,600 jobs, or 2.4 percent).

The LAUS data shows that the unemployment rate decreased every year in the state of Tennessee, except for 2020. From 2016 through 2019, nonfarm employment increased in every year in Tennessee and the four largest MSAs. The only exceptions occurred in two of the six smaller MSAs. Employment declined in the Cleveland MSA in 2017 and 2018, and in the Kingsport-Bristol MSA in 2017 through 2019. All MSAs had lower nonfarm employment in 2020. According to the labor force estimates, the MSAs with the highest and lowest unemployment rates in 2016 were Clarksville-Hopkinsville-KY (5.3 percent) and Nashville (3.8 percent), respectively. By 2020 the highest and lowest unemployment rates were Memphis (8.8 percent) and Knoxville (6.2 percent), respectively.

## U.S. Comparisons

The most recent annual average unemployment rate in the U.S. was 8.1 percent. The unemployment rate in previous years was 4.9 percent (2016); 4.4 percent (2017); 3.9 percent (2018); and 3.7 percent (2019). During 2020, Nebraska had the lowest unemployment rate (4.2 percent). In 2020, the highest unemployment rate was in Nevada (12.8 percent).

Tennessee's ranking compared to other states' unemployment rates was 27th in 2020. The previous rankings for the state were 23rd (in 2019); 21st (in 2018); 17th (in 2017); and 25th (in 2016).

## In Tennessee

The total nonfarm employment in Tennessee, from 2016 to 2020, increased by 29,500 jobs (1.0 percent). In the previous year (2019-2020) nonfarm employment decreased by 124,300 jobs. During the five year time period, Nashville MSA employment grew at a faster rate, 5.2 percent

# 2016-2020 Labor Force & Nonfarm Employment

## TENNESSEE

### Labor Force Estimates

(by place of residence)	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020
Labor Force	3,136,399	3,187,449	3,250,678	3,329,279	3,289,426
Employment	2,987,679	3,068,568	3,137,661	3,216,916	3,043,894
Unemployment	148,720	118,881	113,017	112,363	245,532
Unemployment Rate	4.7	3.7	3.5	3.4	7.5

### Nonfarm Employment Estimates

(by place of work, in thousands)	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020
Total Nonfarm Employment	2,969.1	3,016.5	3,067.4	3,122.9	2,998.6
Goods Producing	461.0	470.9	479.7	489.8	468.4
Mining, Logging, & Construction	119.1	124.4	128.9	134.4	133.3
Manufacturing	341.8	346.5	350.7	355.4	335.1
Durable Goods	219.5	222.0	224.1	227.5	211.3
Non-Durable Goods	122.3	124.5	126.6	127.9	123.9
Service-Providing	2,508.2	2,545.6	2,587.7	2,633.0	2,530.2
Trade, Transportation, & Utilities	615.3	619.7	626.5	637.0	627.3
Wholesale Trade	116.8	118.1	119.3	121.0	117.6
Retail Trade	334.0	336.0	335.8	333.6	323.4
Transportation/Warehousing/Utilities	164.5	165.6	171.5	182.5	186.3
Information	45.6	46.1	45.2	45.5	43.2
Financial Activities	156.1	162.7	168.4	172.3	171.0
Professional & Business Services	405.1	408.6	416.1	426.3	414.7
Education & Health Services	427.8	435.0	440.0	445.4	431.9
Educational Services	59.3	60.0	61.0	61.8	58.2
Health Care & Social Assistance	368.5	374.9	379.0	383.6	373.7
Leisure & Hospitality	319.6	328.9	337.7	347.2	292.6
Arts/Entertainment/Recreation	35.6	37.6	39.8	42.1	34.0
Accommodation/Food Services	284.0	291.3	297.9	305.1	258.6
Other Services	110.8	114.4	118.2	121.7	117.0
Government	428.0	430.4	435.8	437.6	432.5
Federal Government	49.2	49.1	49.1	50.1	51.9
State Government	96.5	98.0	99.0	96.8	95.5
Local Government	282.3	283.3	287.6	290.7	285.1

## CHATTANOOGA, TN-GA MSA

### Labor Force Estimates

(by place of residence)	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020
Labor Force	259,993	266,774	272,182	276,963	271,915
Employment	247,265	256,294	262,570	267,743	254,248
Unemployment	12,728	10,480	9,612	9,220	17,667
Unemployment Rate	4.9	3.9	3.5	3.3	6.5

### Nonfarm Employment Estimates

(by place of work, in thousands)	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020
Total Employment	251.7	257.5	263.0	267.5	256.7
Goods-Producing	42.0	43.2	45.1	45.6	44.1
Mining/Logging/Construction	10.1	10.2	11.1	11.4	11.1
Manufacturing	31.9	33.1	34.1	34.2	33.0
Service-Providing	209.8	214.3	217.8	221.9	212.6
Trade/Transportation/Utilities	52.2	52.9	53.1	53.6	52.8
Information	2.6	2.7	2.5	2.3	2.4
Financial Activities	19.5	20.4	21.1	22.0	22.5
Professional/Business Services	26.1	26.9	27.4	28.0	27.3
Education/Health Services	33.1	33.9	34.5	35.1	33.5
Leisure/Hospitality	28.1	28.7	29.5	30.3	24.9
Other Services	11.2	11.8	12.0	12.4	11.8
Government	36.9	37.0	37.7	38.1	37.4

# Annual Average Labor Force & Nonfarm Employment

## KNOXVILLE MSA

### Labor Force Estimates

(by place of residence)	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020
Labor Force	412,698	416,784	422,508	431,375	426,561
Employment	394,227	402,086	408,739	417,595	399,982
Unemployment	18,471	14,698	13,769	13,780	26,579
Unemployment Rate	4.5	3.5	3.3	3.2	6.2

### Nonfarm Employment Estimates

(by place of work, in thousands)	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Total Employment	392.8	396.0	399.9	405.4	394.6
Goods-Producing	56.0	56.9	58.3	60.1	59.4
Mining/Logging/Construction	17.7	18.2	18.5	18.9	18.5
Manufacturing	38.3	38.7	39.9	41.2	40.9
Service-Providing	336.9	339.1	341.6	345.4	335.2
Trade/Transportation/Utilities	78.9	77.7	78.3	79.0	78.0
Information	5.9	6.0	6.0	6.0	5.7
Financial Activities	19.1	19.5	19.9	19.8	19.3
Professional/Business Services	63.2	64.8	64.4	65.3	65.2
Education/Health Services	53.4	54.6	54.9	55.6	54.9
Leisure/Hospitality	41.4	41.8	43.0	44.4	38.5
Other Services	14.8	15.0	15.5	16.1	15.8
Government	60.1	59.8	59.8	59.3	57.9

## MEMPHIS, TN-AR-MS MSA

### Labor Force Estimates

(by place of residence)	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020
Labor Force	622,961	626,385	633,958	643,951	639,654
Employment	590,310	599,222	607,619	617,177	583,157
Unemployment	32,651	27,163	26,339	26,774	56,497
Unemployment Rate	5.2	4.3	4.2	4.2	8.8

### Nonfarm Employment Estimates

(by place of work, in thousands)	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020
Total Employment	639.4	642.7	649.4	655.6	626.4
Goods-Producing	64.8	65.8	67.0	68.9	67.3
Mining/Logging/Construction	21.7	22.8	23.3	23.9	23.7
Manufacturing	43.1	42.9	43.8	45.0	43.6
Service-Providing	574.5	576.9	582.4	586.7	559.0
Trade/Transportation/Utilities	174.0	174.8	175.0	176.5	173.3
Information	5.7	5.7	5.5	5.5	5.1
Financial Activities	28.0	28.6	29.6	29.6	29.0
Professional/Business Services	99.8	96.3	97.0	96.2	91.0
Education/Health Services	93.6	94.7	96.3	98.9	94.9
Leisure/Hospitality	67.1	68.4	68.2	68.3	56.3
Other Services	25.2	25.8	27.0	27.6	26.8
Government	81.0	82.5	83.9	84.1	82.8

## NASHVILLE MSA

### Labor Force Estimates

(by place of residence)	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020
Labor Force	975,004	1,010,414	1,047,758	1,085,649	1,070,473
Employment	938,322	980,902	1,019,206	1,057,176	996,206
Unemployment	36,682	29,512	28,552	28,473	74,267
Unemployment Rate	3.8	2.9	2.7	2.6	6.9

### Nonfarm Employment Estimates

(by place of work, in thousands)	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020
Total Employment	950.9	984.0	1,015.6	1,046.4	1,000.2
Goods-Producing	122.4	127.6	130.4	133.9	128.2
Mining/Logging/Construction	40.1	43.1	46.0	49.0	49.6
Manufacturing	82.3	84.5	84.3	84.8	78.6
Service-Providing	828.5	856.4	885.2	912.6	872.0
Trade/Transportation/Utilities	181.5	187.2	194.0	201.2	198.7
Information	22.8	23.4	23.4	24.8	23.9
Financial Activities	62.8	66.2	68.4	71.1	70.5
Professional/Business Services	155.3	161.2	168.9	174.9	169.5
Education/Health Services	146.5	150.2	153.4	155.2	151.9
Leisure/Hospitality	105.5	110.8	116.5	121.6	97.4
Other Services	39.2	40.8	42.3	43.5	40.4
Government	114.8	116.7	118.5	120.3	119.7

# Tennessee Civilian Labor Workforce 1991-Present

# County Unemployment Rates\*

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS)

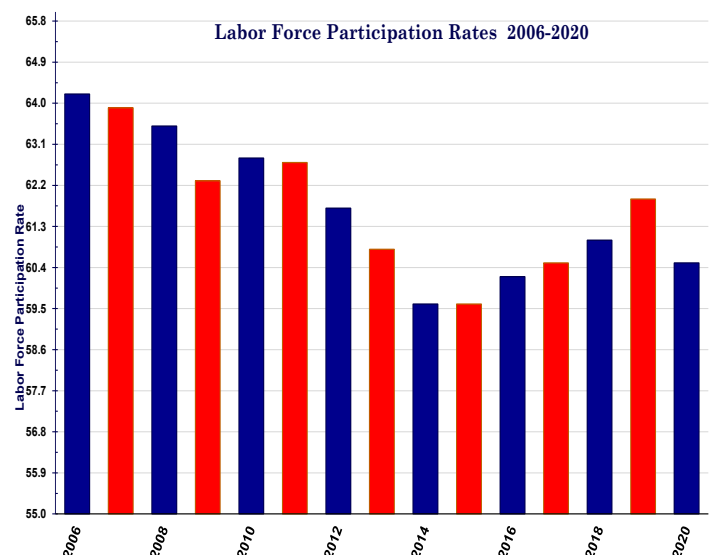
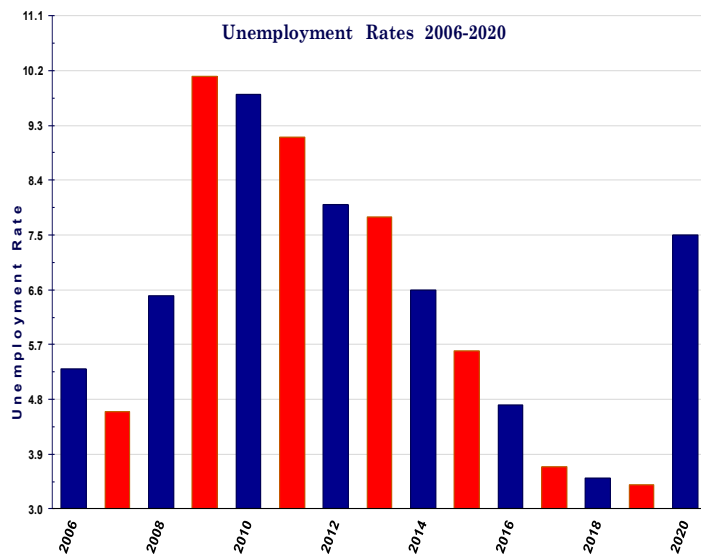
MONTHLY DATA NOT SEASONALLY ADJUSTED

Year and Month	Civilian noninstitutional population	Civilian Labor Force					
		Total	Participation Rate (%)	Employed		Unemployed	
				Total	Rate (%)	Total	Rate (%)
1991	3,822.5	2,418.5	63.3%	2,258.8	59.1%	159.8	6.6%
1992	3,875.8	2,469.2	63.7	2,309.7	59.6	159.6	6.5
1993	3,936.5	2,534.5	64.4	2,386.9	60.6	147.6	5.8
1994	4,003.3	2,657.2	66.4	2,529.6	63.2	127.6	4.8
1995	4,075.6	2,723.1	66.8	2,582.9	63.4	140.3	5.2
1996	4,150.1	2,763.2	66.6	2,620.2	63.1	143.0	5.2
1997	4,218.9	2,780.6	65.9	2,634.2	62.4	146.4	5.3
1998	4,272.7	2,810.1	65.8	2,688.5	62.9	121.6	4.3
1999	4,317.6	2,843.0	65.8	2,730.1	62.9	112.9	4.0
2000	4,358.4	2,849.0	65.4	2,738.8	62.8	110.2	3.9
2001	4,401.2	2,857.7	64.9	2,728.6	62.0	129.0	4.5
2002	4,444.9	2,898.9	65.2	2,750.4	61.9	148.5	5.1
2003	4,492.3	2,904.6	64.7	2,744.4	61.1	160.2	5.5
2004	4,541.6	2,897.8	63.8	2,742.9	60.4	154.9	5.3
2005	4,610.1	2,898.5	62.9	2,738.2	59.4	160.3	5.5
2006	4,692.4	3,014.7	64.2	2,856.1	60.9	158.7	5.3
2007	4,760.1	3,043.3	63.9	2,901.9	61.0	141.3	4.6
2008	4,821.7	3,060.8	63.5	2,862.1	59.4	198.7	6.5
2009	4,868.4	3,032.7	62.3	2,725.1	56.0	307.5	10.1
2010	4,925.4	3,093.1	62.8	2,789.1	56.6	304.1	9.8
2011	4,973.5	3,117.5	62.7	2,833.3	57.0	284.2	9.1
2012	5,020.4	3,096.3	61.7	2,849.7	56.8	246.6	8.0
2013	5,064.6	3,078.9	60.8	2,840.1	56.1	238.8	7.8
2014	5,109.9	3,043.6	59.6	2,842.5	55.6	201.0	6.6
2015	5,159.2	3,074.2	59.6	2,902.7	56.3	171.5	5.6
2016	5,213.9	3,136.4	60.2	2,987.7	57.3	148.7	4.7
2017	5,272.1	3,187.4	60.5	3,068.6	58.2	118.9	3.7
2018	5,328.2	3,250.7	61.0	3,137.7	58.9	113.0	3.5
2019	5,381.1	3,329.3	61.9	3,216.9	59.8	112.4	3.4
2020	5,437.9	3,289.4	60.5	3,043.9	56.0	245.5	7.5
2021							
January	5,469.2	3,306.2	60.5%	3,129.2	57.2%	177.1	5.4%
February	5,473.1	3,298.5	60.3	3,138.1	57.3	160.4	4.9
March (p)	5,477.5	3,299.5	60.2	3,130.8	57.2	168.6	5.1
April (r)	5,482.2	3,327.6	60.7	3,172.3	57.9	155.2	4.7
May							
June							
July							
August							
September							
October							
November							
December							

(r)=revised  
(p)=preliminary

County	Apr	Apr	County	Apr	Apr
	2020	2021		2020	2021
Anderson	15.2	4.0	Lauderdale	14.5	6.0
Bedford	19.4	4.6	Lawrence	19.4	5.5
Benton	15.8	4.9	Lewis	19.8	7.2
Bledsoe	17.7	4.9	Lincoln	17.0	4.3
Blount	14.6	3.7	Loudon	15.4	3.7
Bradley	13.8	4.1	Macon	14.3	3.9
Campbell	16.9	5.1	Madison	14.3	4.8
Cannon	16.4	3.6	Marion	15.6	4.3
Carroll	14.2	4.6	Marshall	25.7	6.8
Carter	13.1	4.5	Maury	22.5	8.0
Cheatam	12.1	3.4	McMinn	18.8	4.7
Chester	10.9	3.4	McNairy	13.4	5.8
Claiborne	16.9	4.1	Meigs	19.6	5.3
Clay	14.2	5.2	Monroe	23.9	3.8
Coke	26.3	5.7	Montgomery	16.1	4.7
Coffee	20.7	4.0	Moore	12.6	2.8
Crockett	10.7	3.9	Morgan	10.9	4.5
Cumberland	13.5	4.7	Obion	11.0	4.7
Davidson	16.9	4.6	Overton	14.5	3.8
Decatur	15.0	5.3	Perry	24.1	7.8
DeKalb	23.5	4.8	Pickett	11.3	3.3
Dickson	14.3	3.5	Polk	13.9	4.2
Dyer	15.1	4.7	Putnam	15.3	4.0
Fayette	9.6	4.2	Rhea	27.1	5.1
Fentress	10.3	3.9	Roane	12.3	4.4
Franklin	23.1	3.9	Robertson	13.4	3.5
Gibson	12.3	4.5	Rutherford	17.1	3.7
Giles	21.1	5.0	Scott	18.4	5.3
Grainger	14.7	4.1	Sequatchie	17.6	4.5
Greene	18.2	4.4	Sevier	30.5	4.2
Grundy	25.7	5.5	Shelby	13.7	7.3
Hamblen	15.5	4.2	Smith	14.8	3.4
Hamilton	15.5	4.3	Stewart	11.9	4.2
Hancock	12.9	5.2	Sullivan	14.6	4.5
Hardeman	10.3	6.4	Sumner	15.1	3.8
Hardin	12.1	4.8	Tipton	11.0	4.5
Hawkins	15.6	4.5	Trousdale	12.4	3.8
Haywood	12.8	6.4	Unicoi	13.6	5.7
Henderson	17.1	5.2	Union	13.1	4.4
Henry	15.6	4.3	Van Buren	21.3	5.4
Hickman	12.9	3.8	Warren	24.4	4.8
Houston	14.0	6.1	Washington	13.6	3.8
Humphreys	12.4	3.9	Wayne	12.7	4.3
Jackson	17.6	4.4	Weakley	9.8	3.7
Jefferson	17.5	4.3	White	17.7	4.3
Johnson	13.4	3.5	Williamson	10.7	2.8
Knox	13.2	3.5	Wilson	14.3	3.5
Lake	13.9	6.6			

\*Data Not Seasonally Adjusted



# Statewide

## Estimated Nonfarm Employment (in thousands)

Industry	Revised Preliminary			Net Change	
	April 2020	Mar. 2021	April 2021	Apr. 2020 Apr. 2021	Mar. 2021 Apr. 2021
Total Nonfarm	2,781.0	3,045.4	3,050.7	269.7	5.3
Total Private	2,344.1	2,607.9	2,612.2	268.1	4.3
Goods Producing	424.6	479.0	476.5	51.9	-2.5
Mining, Logging & Construction	130.1	131.5	132.6	2.5	1.1
Natural Resources & Mining	4.2	4.1	4.2	0.0	0.1
Construction	125.9	127.4	128.4	2.5	1.0
Construction of Buildings	25.8	26.3	25.8	0.0	-0.5
Heavy and Civil Engineering	17.0	15.8	16.5	-0.5	0.7
Specialty Trade Contractors	83.1	85.3	86.1	3.0	0.8
Manufacturing	294.5	347.5	343.9	49.4	-3.6
Durable Goods Manufacturing	178.5	221.4	219.3	40.8	-2.1
Wood Product Manufacturing	12.4	12.8	12.8	0.4	0.0
Nonmetallic Mineral Product Manufacturing	12.9	14.0	14.1	1.2	0.1
Primary Metal Manufacturing	9.4	10.8	10.8	1.4	0.0
Fabricated Metal Product Manufacturing	35.3	38.1	38.0	2.7	-0.1
Machinery Manufacturing	21.8	24.4	24.4	2.6	0.0
Computer & Electronic Product Manufacturing	5.8	6.3	6.3	0.5	0.0
Electrical Equipment & Appliance Manufacturing	16.8	17.5	17.5	0.7	0.0
Transportation Equipment Manufacturing	42.9	71.4	69.3	26.4	-2.1
Furniture & Related Product Manufacturing	5.7	9.8	9.8	4.1	0.0
Miscellaneous Manufacturing Durable Goods	15.5	16.3	16.3	0.8	0.0
Nondurable Goods Manufacturing	116.0	126.1	124.6	8.6	-1.5
Food Manufacturing	35.4	36.2	35.7	0.3	-0.5
Beverage & Tobacco Product Manufacturing	6.7	7.5	7.6	0.9	0.1
Paper Manufacturing	12.3	12.7	12.6	0.3	-0.1
Printing & Related Support Activities	7.5	7.8	7.8	0.3	0.0
Chemical Manufacturing	25.0	25.8	25.6	0.6	-0.2
Plastics & Rubber Products Manufacturing	18.5	24.1	23.8	5.3	-0.3
Service Providing	2,356.4	2,566.4	2,574.2	217.8	7.8
Trade, Transportation, & Utilities	584.3	643.8	638.5	54.2	-5.3
Wholesale Trade	116.5	118.6	119.3	2.8	0.7
Merchant Wholesalers, Durable Goods	68.4	70.2	70.9	2.5	0.7
Merchant Wholesalers, Nondurable Goods	41.5	41.6	41.5	0.0	-0.1
Wholesale Electronic Markets	6.6	6.8	6.9	0.3	0.1
Retail Trade	294.9	327.7	326.3	31.4	-1.4
Motor Vehicle & Parts Dealers	43.3	45.9	46.0	2.7	0.1
Furniture & Home Furnishings Stores	7.0	9.3	9.2	2.2	-0.1
Building Material, Garden Equipment, & Supplies	31.9	31.8	32.5	0.6	0.7
Food & Beverage Stores	56.8	57.6	56.6	-0.2	-1.0
Health & Personal Care Stores	21.1	23.3	23.2	2.1	-0.1
Gasoline Stations	22.8	24.0	23.9	1.1	-0.1
Clothing & Clothing Accessories Stores	10.0	19.5	19.3	9.3	-0.2
Sporting Goods, Hobby, Book, & Music Stores	7.0	11.1	11.1	4.1	0.0
General Merchandise Stores	65.1	68.6	68.2	3.1	-0.4
Miscellaneous Store Retailers	13.1	17.6	17.4	4.3	-0.2
Nonstore Retailers	7.3	7.8	7.8	0.5	0.0
Transportation, Warehousing, & Utilities	172.9	197.5	192.9	20.0	-4.6
Utilities	3.6	3.7	3.7	0.1	0.0
Transportation & Warehousing	169.3	193.8	189.2	19.9	-4.6
Truck Transportation	57.7	58.2	57.3	-0.4	-0.9
Information	41.6	43.5	44.0	2.4	0.5
Financial Activities	168.2	168.9	169.9	1.7	1.0
Finance & Insurance	130.8	130.9	130.8	0.0	-0.1
Real Estate, Rental, & Leasing	37.4	38.0	39.1	1.7	1.1
Professional & Business Services	385.4	429.6	429.4	44.0	-0.2
Professional, Scientific, & Technical Services	143.0	156.6	157.3	14.3	0.7
Management of Companies & Enterprises	47.9	49.9	49.8	1.9	-0.1
Administrative, Support, & Waste Management	194.5	223.1	222.3	27.8	-0.8
Educational & Health Services	414.5	430.9	431.3	16.8	0.4
Educational Services	57.7	58.8	59.7	2.0	0.9
Health Care & Social Assistance	356.8	372.1	371.6	14.8	-0.5
Ambulatory Health Care Services	139.7	156.9	156.4	16.7	-0.5
Hospitals	106.4	108.8	108.8	2.4	0.0
Nursing & Residential Care Facilities	60.9	55.8	55.4	-5.5	-0.4
Social Assistance	49.8	50.6	51.0	1.2	0.4
Leisure & Hospitality	219.8	292.8	301.9	82.1	9.1
Arts, Entertainment, & Recreation	25.6	34.0	35.1	9.5	1.1
Accommodation & Food Services	194.2	258.8	266.8	72.6	8.0
Accommodation	21.8	28.3	29.9	8.1	1.6
Food Services & Drinking Places	172.4	230.5	236.9	64.5	6.4
Other Services	105.7	119.4	120.7	15.0	1.3
Government	436.9	437.5	438.5	1.6	1.0
Federal Government	50.4	51.2	51.4	1.0	0.2
State Government	98.9	98.1	98.2	-0.7	0.1
State Government Educational Services	57.8	57.5	57.5	-0.3	0.0
Local Government	287.6	288.2	288.9	1.3	0.7
Local Government Educational Services	143.5	143.3	143.8	0.3	0.5

## Nonfarm Employment & Labor Workforce Narrative

Total nonfarm employment increased by 269,700 jobs from April 2020 to April 2021. There were increases in leisure & hospitality (up 82,100 jobs), which includes increases of 64,500 jobs in food services & drinking places; trade/transportation/utilities (up 54,200 jobs), which includes increases of 31,400 jobs in retail trade; manufacturing (up 49,400 jobs), which includes increases of 40,800 jobs in durable goods manufacturing; professional & business services (up 44,000 jobs), which includes increases of 27,800 jobs in administrative/support/waste management.

These increases were partially offset by decreases in nursing & residential care facilities (down 5,500 jobs); state government (down 700 jobs); heavy and civil engineering construction (down 500 jobs); truck transportation (down 400 jobs).

During the past month, nonfarm employment increased by 5,300 jobs. There were increases in leisure & hospitality (up 9,100 jobs), which include increases of 6,400 jobs in food services & drinking places; other services (up 1,300 jobs); mining/logging/construction (up 1,100 jobs), which includes increases of 1,000 jobs in construction; financial activities and government (both up 1,000 jobs).

These increases were partially offset by decreases in trade/transportation/utilities (down 5,300 jobs), which includes decreases of 4,600 jobs in transportation & warehousing; manufacturing (down 3,600 jobs), which includes decreases of 2,100 jobs in durable goods manufacturing.

Tennessee's seasonally adjusted estimated unemployment rate for April 2021 was 5.0 percent, down slightly from the revised March 2021 rate of 5.1 percent. The United States unemployment rate for April 2021 was 6.1 percent, up slightly from the revised March 2021 rate of 6.0 percent. In April 2020, the U.S. seasonally adjusted rate was 14.8 percent while the state rate was 15.8 percent.

The not seasonally adjusted unemployment rate increased in 87 counties, decreased in 6 counties, and remained the same in 2 counties. Williamson County had the lowest rate at 2.8 percent, down from the revised March rate of 3.3 percent. The highest rate was Maury County at 8.0 percent, up from the revised unemployment rate of 4.7 percent in March.

The data from all the nonfarm employment estimates tables include all full- and part-time nonfarm wage and salary employees who worked during or received pay for any part of the pay period that includes the 12th of the month. This is a count of jobs by place of work. Agricultural workers, proprietors, self-employed persons, workers in private households, and unpaid family workers are excluded. These numbers may not add due to rounding. Data are based on the 2020 benchmark.

# Civilian Labor Force

## Civilian Labor Force Summary

	April 2020				March 2021				April 2021			
	Labor Force	Employment	Unemployed	Rate	Labor Force	Employment	Unemployed	Rate	Labor Force	Employment	Unemployed	Rate
<b>Seasonally Adjusted</b>												
U.S.	156,478,000	133,370,000	23,109,000	14.8	160,558,000	150,848,000	9,710,000	6.0	160,988,000	151,176,000	9,812,000	6.1
TENNESSEE	3,183,054	2,679,469	503,585	15.8	3,316,335	3,147,880	168,455	5.1	3,325,306	3,158,335	166,971	5.0
<b>Not Seasonally Adjusted</b>												
U.S.	155,830,000	133,326,000	22,504,000	14.4	160,397,000	150,493,000	9,905,000	6.2	160,379,000	151,160,000	9,220,000	5.7
TENNESSEE	3,161,316	2,668,368	492,948	15.6	3,299,464	3,130,835	168,629	5.1	3,327,563	3,172,323	155,240	4.7
<b>Metropolitan Statistical Areas</b>												
Chattanooga	263,045	226,073	36,972	14.1	274,039	262,243	11,796	4.3	274,055	263,613	10,442	3.8
Clarksville	113,719	94,528	19,191	16.9	116,842	110,212	6,630	5.7	117,088	111,687	5,401	4.6
Cleveland	57,000	49,134	7,866	13.8	59,361	56,307	3,054	5.1	59,677	57,243	2,434	4.1
Jackson	60,338	52,199	8,139	13.5	64,253	61,016	3,237	5.0	64,720	61,793	2,927	4.5
Johnson City	87,092	75,343	11,749	13.5	90,437	85,867	4,570	5.1	90,648	86,890	3,758	4.1
Kingsport	133,424	115,036	18,388	13.8	134,382	127,275	7,107	5.3	133,709	127,952	5,757	4.3
Knoxville	410,508	354,030	56,478	13.8	430,903	411,429	19,474	4.5	431,788	415,787	16,001	3.7
Memphis	602,619	524,098	78,521	13.0	642,235	600,754	41,481	6.5	652,169	609,091	43,078	6.6
Morristown	52,424	43,807	8,617	16.4	52,637	50,046	2,591	4.9	52,888	50,656	2,232	4.2
Nashville	1,026,695	864,944	161,751	15.8	1,077,565	1,031,622	45,943	4.3	1,090,065	1,045,008	45,057	4.1
<b>Microropolitan Statistical Areas</b>												
Athens	22,868	18,573	4,295	18.8	23,213	21,971	1,242	5.4	23,314	22,217	1,097	4.7
*Brownsville	7,355	6,414	941	12.8	7,677	7,162	515	6.7	7,737	7,240	497	6.4
Cookeville	47,362	40,077	7,285	15.4	50,016	47,454	2,562	5.1	50,058	48,070	1,988	4.0
Crossville	21,608	18,697	2,911	13.5	22,627	21,137	1,490	6.6	22,592	21,531	1,061	4.7
*Dayton	12,577	9,172	3,405	27.1	13,083	12,230	853	6.5	13,089	12,415	674	5.1
Dyersburg	15,456	13,126	2,330	15.1	15,731	14,812	919	5.8	15,672	14,930	742	4.7
Greeneville	28,199	23,076	5,123	18.2	28,554	26,971	1,583	5.5	28,574	27,328	1,246	4.4
Lawrenceburg	19,092	15,384	3,708	19.4	19,082	18,105	977	5.1	19,489	18,419	1,070	5.5
Lewisburg	15,800	11,743	4,057	25.7	15,157	14,422	735	4.8	15,670	14,598	1,072	6.8
Martin	14,437	13,024	1,413	9.8	15,494	14,783	711	4.6	15,543	14,968	575	3.7
McMinnville	17,500	13,234	4,266	24.4	16,719	15,764	955	5.7	16,825	16,016	809	4.8
Newport	15,544	11,462	4,082	26.3	14,440	13,453	987	6.8	14,661	13,821	840	5.7
Paris	13,311	11,232	2,079	15.6	13,331	12,583	748	5.6	13,423	12,851	572	4.3
Sevierville	55,228	38,409	16,819	30.5	53,546	50,866	2,680	5.0	55,480	53,145	2,335	4.2
Shelbyville	21,140	17,032	4,108	19.4	20,623	19,550	1,073	5.2	20,765	19,816	949	4.6
Tullahoma	49,464	39,009	10,455	21.1	48,374	46,091	2,283	4.7	48,627	46,730	1,897	3.9
<b>Cities</b>												
Bartlett	28,930	25,942	2,988	10.3	31,105	29,882	1,223	3.9	31,326	30,306	1,020	3.3
Brentwood	19,545	17,837	1,708	8.7	21,998	21,279	719	3.3	22,135	21,589	546	2.5
Bristol	11,104	9,602	1,502	13.5	11,589	10,977	612	5.3	11,605	11,081	524	4.5
Chattanooga	85,662	70,257	15,405	18.0	87,087	82,108	4,979	5.7	87,298	82,684	4,614	5.3
Clarksville	61,019	50,021	10,998	18.0	63,625	59,641	3,984	6.3	63,936	60,528	3,408	5.3
Cleveland	20,762	17,600	3,162	15.2	21,378	20,175	1,203	5.6	21,534	20,507	1,027	4.8
Collierville	23,826	21,815	2,011	8.4	26,002	25,129	873	3.4	26,200	25,485	715	2.7
Columbia	20,898	15,264	5,634	27.0	19,281	18,189	1,092	5.7	20,548	18,421	2,127	10.4
Cookeville	13,912	11,570	2,342	16.8	14,486	13,701	785	5.4	14,516	13,860	656	4.5
Franklin	43,480	38,733	4,747	10.9	47,712	46,205	1,507	3.2	48,096	46,880	1,216	2.5
Gallatin	21,844	18,047	3,797	17.4	22,700	21,539	1,161	5.1	22,961	21,832	1,129	4.9
Germantown	18,069	16,590	1,479	8.2	19,761	19,110	651	3.3	19,898	19,381	517	2.6
Hendersonville	30,950	26,458	4,492	14.5	32,925	31,578	1,347	4.1	33,229	32,007	1,222	3.7
Jackson	30,838	26,050	4,788	15.5	32,355	30,538	1,817	5.6	32,667	30,912	1,755	5.4
Johnson City	30,476	26,116	4,360	14.3	31,237	29,777	1,460	4.7	31,336	30,105	1,231	3.9
Kingsport	22,615	18,839	3,776	16.7	22,925	21,535	1,390	6.1	22,945	21,738	1,207	5.3
Knoxville	93,557	79,403	14,154	15.1	96,922	92,363	4,559	4.7	97,307	93,302	4,005	4.1
LaVergne	19,272	15,539	3,733	19.4	19,474	18,544	930	4.8	19,655	18,757	898	4.6
Lebanon	16,550	13,936	2,614	15.8	17,467	16,598	869	5.0	17,549	16,805	744	4.2
Maryville	13,414	11,645	1,769	13.2	14,156	13,528	628	4.4	14,155	13,679	476	3.4
Memphis	281,437	238,776	42,661	15.2	299,812	275,043	24,769	8.3	306,132	278,945	27,187	8.9
Morristown	11,629	9,777	1,852	15.9	11,834	11,168	666	5.6	11,891	11,303	588	4.9
*Mount Juliet	19,283	16,292	2,991	15.5	20,212	19,405	807	4.0	20,416	19,646	770	3.8
Murfreesboro	80,615	67,072	13,543	16.8	83,625	80,042	3,583	4.3	84,286	80,961	3,325	3.9
Nashville	386,060	320,969	65,091	16.9	401,940	383,381	18,559	4.6	407,129	388,250	18,879	4.6
Oak Ridge	13,490	11,609	1,881	13.9	14,148	13,509	639	4.5	14,180	13,649	531	3.7
Smyrna	28,413	23,045	5,368	18.9	28,709	27,502	1,207	4.2	28,986	27,817	1,169	4.0
Spring Hill	23,598	19,472	4,126	17.5	24,127	23,220	907	3.8	24,881	23,547	1,334	5.4

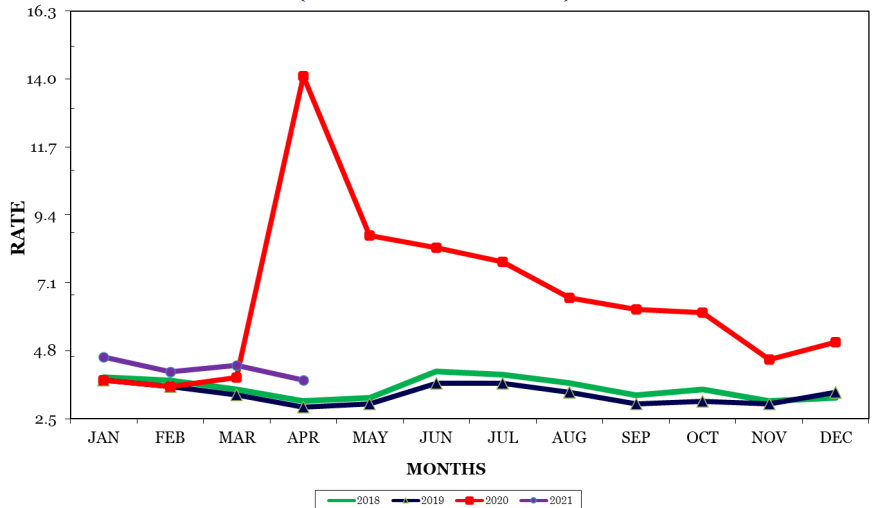
\*2016 Census changes: **Microropolitan Areas**-Dayton and Brownsville added, Columbia, Harriman, Humboldt, LaFollette deleted. **Cities**: Mount Juliet added and Union City deleted.

# Chattanooga MSA

Total nonfarm employment in the Chattanooga MSA decreased by 1,100 jobs from March 2021 to April 2021. There was a decrease in local government (down 500 jobs); trade/transportation/utilities (down 400 jobs); educational & health services (down 300 jobs). These decreases were partially offset by increases in manufacturing, financial activities, and other services (all up 100 jobs).

During the past 12 months, nonfarm employment increased by 20,600 jobs. During the year, goods-producing jobs increased by 4,100 jobs while service-providing jobs increased by 16,500 jobs.

## CHATTANOOGA MSA UNEMPLOYMENT RATES (NOT SEASONALLY ADJUSTED)



## Estimated Nonfarm Employment (in thousands)

Industry	April 2020	Revised March 2021	Preliminary April 2021	Net Change Apr. 2020 to Apr. 2021	Net Change Mar. 2021 to Apr. 2021
Total Nonfarm	237.9	259.6	<b>258.5</b>	20.6	-1.1
Total Private	200.0	222.6	<b>222.0</b>	22.0	-0.6
Goods-Producing	41.3	45.3	<b>45.4</b>	4.1	0.1
Mining, Logging, & Construction	10.6	11.1	<b>11.1</b>	0.5	0.0
Manufacturing	30.7	34.2	<b>34.3</b>	3.6	0.1
Durable Goods Manufacturing	18.1	20.3	<b>20.3</b>	2.2	0.0
Nondurable Goods Manufacturing	12.6	13.9	<b>14.0</b>	1.4	0.1
Service-Providing	196.6	214.3	<b>213.1</b>	16.5	-1.2
Trade, Transportation, & Utilities	49.3	53.5	<b>53.1</b>	3.8	-0.4
Wholesale Trade	8.1	8.2	<b>8.2</b>	0.1	0.0
Retail Trade	24.6	26.6	<b>26.3</b>	1.7	-0.3
Transportation, Warehousing, & Utilities	16.6	18.7	<b>18.6</b>	2.0	-0.1
Information	2.2	2.5	<b>2.5</b>	0.3	0.0
Financial Activities	22.3	22.0	<b>22.1</b>	-0.2	0.1
Professional & Business Services	24.8	27.9	<b>27.7</b>	2.9	-0.2
Educational & Health Services	31.6	34.6	<b>34.3</b>	2.7	-0.3
Leisure & Hospitality	17.8	24.8	<b>24.8</b>	7.0	0.0
Other Services	10.7	12.0	<b>12.1</b>	1.4	0.1
Government	37.9	37.0	<b>36.5</b>	-1.4	-0.5
Federal Government	5.4	5.5	<b>5.5</b>	0.1	0.0
State Government	6.7	6.2	<b>6.2</b>	-0.5	0.0
Local Government	25.8	25.3	<b>24.8</b>	-1.0	-0.5

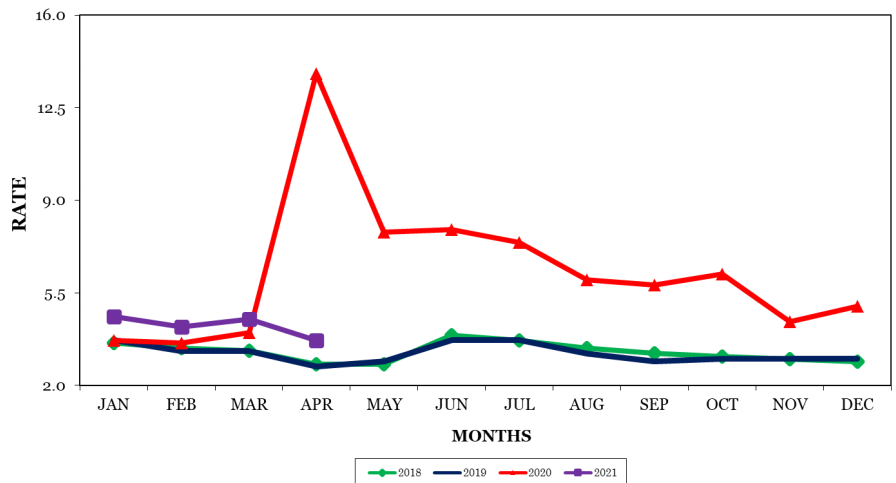
# Knoxville MSA

## KNOXVILLE MSA UNEMPLOYMENT RATES (NOT SEASONALLY ADJUSTED)

Total nonfarm employment in the Knoxville MSA increased by 500 jobs from March 2021 to April 2021. There were increases in government (up 1,100 jobs), which includes increases of 900 jobs in local government; leisure/hospitality (up 500 jobs); mining/logging/construction (up 200 jobs).

These decreases were partially offset by a decrease of 700 jobs in both trade/transportation/utilities and educational/health services.

During the past 12 months, nonfarm employment increased by 31,900 jobs. During the year, goods-producing jobs increased by 2,600 jobs while service-providing jobs increased by 29,300 jobs.



## Estimated Nonfarm Employment (in thousands)

Industry	April 2020	Revised	Preliminary	Net Change	
		March 2021	April 2021	Apr. 2020 Apr. 2021	Mar. 2021 Apr. 2021
Total Nonfarm	368.9	400.3	<b>400.8</b>	31.9	0.5
Total Private	310.5	341.5	<b>340.9</b>	30.4	-0.6
Goods-Producing	56.9	59.3	<b>59.5</b>	2.6	0.2
Mining, Logging, & Construction	18.2	17.2	<b>17.4</b>	-0.8	0.2
Manufacturing	38.7	42.1	<b>42.1</b>	3.4	0.0
Durable Goods Manufacturing	28.8	31.2	<b>31.2</b>	2.4	0.0
Nondurable Goods Manufacturing	9.9	10.9	<b>10.9</b>	1.0	0.0
Service-Providing	312.0	341.0	<b>341.3</b>	29.3	0.3
Trade, Transportation, & Utilities	72.5	79.9	<b>79.2</b>	6.7	-0.7
Wholesale Trade	15.6	16.1	<b>16.1</b>	0.5	0.0
Retail Trade	42.9	48.2	<b>47.8</b>	4.9	-0.4
Transportation, Warehousing, & Utilities	14.0	15.6	<b>15.3</b>	1.3	-0.3
Information	5.5	5.7	<b>5.8</b>	0.3	0.1
Financial Activities	19.0	19.3	<b>19.1</b>	0.1	-0.2
Professional & Business Services	62.2	67.7	<b>67.0</b>	4.8	-0.7
Educational & Health Services	52.3	55.0	<b>55.1</b>	2.8	0.1
Leisure & Hospitality	28.1	38.2	<b>38.7</b>	10.6	0.5
Other Services	14.0	16.4	<b>16.5</b>	2.5	0.1
Government	58.4	58.8	<b>59.9</b>	1.5	1.1
Federal Government	5.4	5.4	<b>5.5</b>	0.1	0.1
State Government	19.0	19.0	<b>19.1</b>	0.1	0.1
Local Government	34.0	34.4	<b>35.3</b>	1.3	0.9



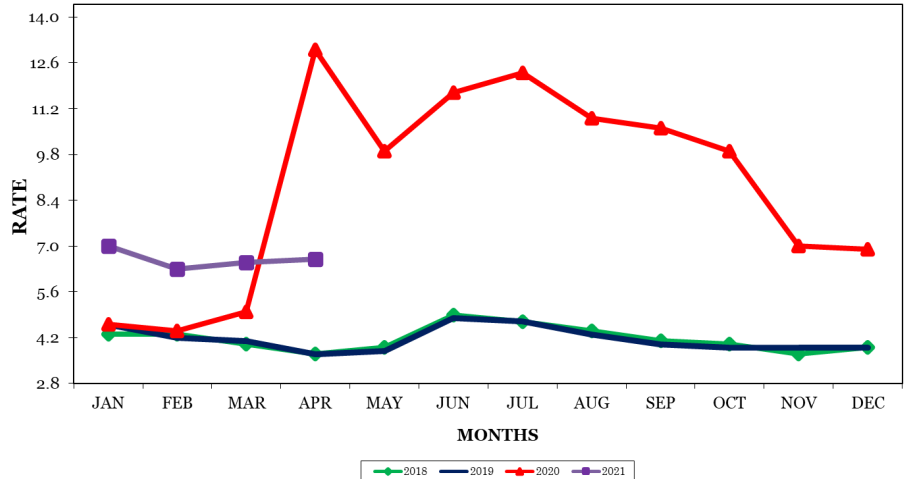
# Memphis MSA

Total nonfarm employment in the Memphis MSA increased by 3,300 jobs from March 2021 to April 2021. There were increases in professional/business services (up 3,700 jobs), which includes increases of 3,600 jobs in administrative/support/waste management; leisure/hospitality (up 3,400 jobs); information (up 100 jobs)

These increases were partially offset by decreases in trade/transportation/utilities (down 1,400 jobs); mining/logging/construction (down 900 jobs); education/health services and government (both down 500 jobs).

During the past 12 months, nonfarm employment increased by 47,200 jobs. During that time, goods-producing jobs increased by 2,200 jobs, while service-providing jobs increased by 45,000 jobs.

## MEMPHIS MSA UNEMPLOYMENT RATES (NOT SEASONALLY ADJUSTED)



## Estimated Nonfarm Employment (in thousands)

Industry	April	Revised	Preliminary	Net Change	
	2020	March 2021	April 2021	Apr. 2020 Apr. 2021	Mar. 2021 Apr. 2021
Total Nonfarm	592.2	636.1	<b>639.4</b>	47.2	3.3
Total Private	508.4	552.9	<b>556.7</b>	48.3	3.8
Goods-Producing	66.4	70.0	<b>68.6</b>	2.2	-1.4
Mining, Logging, & Construction	23.3	24.6	<b>23.7</b>	0.4	-0.9
Manufacturing	43.1	45.4	<b>44.9</b>	1.8	-0.5
Durable Goods Manufacturing	25.5	27.0	<b>26.8</b>	1.3	-0.2
Nondurable Goods Manufacturing	17.6	18.4	<b>18.1</b>	0.5	-0.3
Service-Providing	525.8	566.1	<b>570.8</b>	45.0	4.7
Trade, Transportation, & Utilities	163.7	176.2	<b>174.8</b>	11.1	-1.4
Wholesale Trade	34.2	34.9	<b>34.6</b>	0.4	-0.3
Retail Trade	56.1	62.6	<b>62.2</b>	6.1	-0.4
Transportation, Warehousing, & Utilities	73.4	78.7	<b>78.0</b>	4.6	-0.7
Information	4.9	5.0	<b>5.1</b>	0.2	0.1
Financial Activities	28.7	28.5	<b>28.5</b>	-0.2	0.0
Professional & Business Services	84.2	96.3	<b>100.0</b>	15.8	3.7
Professional, Scientific, & Technical Services	22.2	25.0	<b>25.1</b>	2.9	0.1
Management of Companies & Enterprises	9.6	9.7	<b>9.7</b>	0.1	0.0
Administrative, Support, & Waste Management	52.4	61.6	<b>65.2</b>	12.8	3.6
Educational & Health Services	92.4	93.8	<b>93.3</b>	0.9	-0.5
Leisure & Hospitality	42.9	56.5	<b>59.9</b>	17.0	3.4
Other Services	25.2	26.6	<b>26.5</b>	1.3	-0.1
Government	83.8	83.2	<b>82.7</b>	-1.1	-0.5
Federal Government	13.7	14.2	<b>14.2</b>	0.5	0.0
State Government	16.2	15.3	<b>14.9</b>	-1.3	-0.4
Local Government	53.9	53.7	<b>53.6</b>	-0.3	-0.1

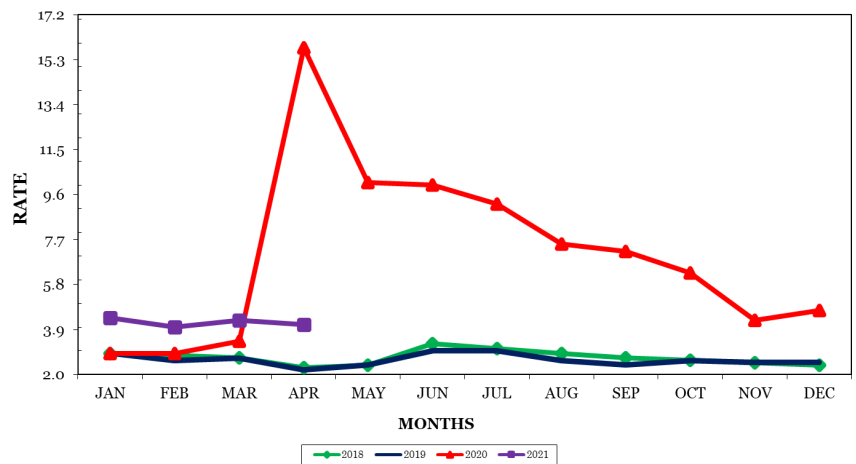
# Nashville MSA

Total nonfarm employment in the Nashville MSA increased by 2,000 jobs from March 2021 to April 2021. There were increases in financial activities (up 1,000 jobs); retail trade (up 500 jobs); educational/health services (up 400 jobs), which includes increases of 300 jobs in educational services; information (up 300 jobs).

These increases were partially offset by decreases in manufacturing (down 1,500 jobs), which includes decreases of 1,400 jobs in durable good manufacturing; professional/business services (down 1,300 jobs).

During the past 12 months, nonfarm employment increased by 108,200 jobs. During that time, goods-producing jobs increased by 17,600 jobs, while service-providing jobs increased by 90,600 jobs.

## NASHVILLE MSA UNEMPLOYMENT RATES (NOT SEASONALLY ADJUSTED)



## Estimated Nonfarm Employment (in thousands)

Industry	April	Revised	Preliminary	Net Change	
	2020	March 2021	April 2021	Apr. 2020 Apr. 2021	Mar. 2021 Apr. 2021
Total Nonfarm	916.1	1,022.3	<b>1,024.3</b>	108.2	2.0
Total Private	796.1	900.6	<b>903.4</b>	107.3	2.8
Goods-Producing	112.6	132.3	<b>130.2</b>	17.6	-2.1
Mining, Logging, & Construction	48.1	50.3	<b>49.7</b>	1.6	-0.6
Manufacturing	64.5	82.0	<b>80.5</b>	16.0	-1.5
Durable Goods Manufacturing	42.5	58.6	<b>57.2</b>	14.7	-1.4
Nondurable Goods Manufacturing	22.0	23.4	<b>23.3</b>	1.3	-0.1
Service-Providing	803.5	890.0	<b>894.1</b>	90.6	4.1
Trade, Transportation, & Utilities	181.8	204.5	<b>203.9</b>	22.1	-0.6
Wholesale Trade	40.7	41.2	<b>41.3</b>	0.6	0.1
Retail Trade	87.9	98.8	<b>99.3</b>	11.4	0.5
Transportation, Warehousing, & Utilities	53.2	64.5	<b>63.3</b>	10.1	-1.2
Information	22.7	25.3	<b>25.6</b>	2.9	0.3
Financial Activities	69.0	71.3	<b>72.3</b>	3.3	1.0
Professional & Business Services	157.3	177.1	<b>175.8</b>	18.5	-1.3
Professional, Scientific, & Technical Services	67.7	74.5	<b>74.1</b>	6.4	-0.4
Management of Companies & Enterprises	23.7	24.5	<b>24.6</b>	0.9	0.1
Administrative, Support, & Waste Management	65.9	78.1	<b>77.1</b>	11.2	-1.0
Educational & Health Services	145.2	154.8	<b>155.2</b>	10.0	0.4
Educational Services	27.2	27.7	<b>28.0</b>	0.8	0.3
Health Care & Social Assistance	118.0	127.1	<b>127.2</b>	9.2	0.1
Leisure & Hospitality	71.8	95.0	<b>99.8</b>	28.0	4.8
Other Services	35.7	40.3	<b>40.6</b>	4.9	0.3
Government	120.0	121.7	<b>120.9</b>	0.9	-0.8
Federal Government	14.5	14.7	<b>14.8</b>	0.3	0.1
State Government	30.3	30.5	<b>30.6</b>	0.3	0.1
Local Government	75.2	76.5	<b>75.5</b>	0.3	-1.0



# Nonfarm Employment (Smaller MSAs)

	Clarksville, TN-KY MSA		Cleveland, TN MSA		Jackson, TN MSA	
	Mar. 2021 Revised	Apr. 2021 Prelim.	Mar. 2021 Revised	Apr. 2021 Prelim.	Mar. 2021 Revised	Apr. 2021 Prelim.
Total Nonfarm	91,900	<b>92,300</b>	47,300	<b>47,900</b>	67,900	<b>68,000</b>
Total Private	73,100	<b>73,500</b>	42,000	<b>42,500</b>	54,000	<b>54,000</b>
Goods Producing	14,400	<b>14,200</b>	10,800	<b>10,800</b>	14,100	<b>14,400</b>
Mining, Logging & Construction	3,500	<b>3,600</b>	2,200	<b>2,200</b>	3,000	<b>3,200</b>
Manufacturing	10,900	<b>10,600</b>	8,600	<b>8,600</b>	11,100	<b>11,200</b>
Service Providing	77,500	<b>78,100</b>	36,500	<b>37,100</b>	53,800	<b>53,600</b>
Trade, Transportation, & Utilities	18,100	<b>18,200</b>	12,800	<b>12,900</b>	12,200	<b>12,100</b>
Wholesale Trade	N.A.	<b>N.A.</b>	800	<b>800</b>	2,900	<b>2,900</b>
Retail Trade	12,800	<b>12,800</b>	5,400	<b>5,400</b>	7,500	<b>7,500</b>
Transportation, Warehousing, & Utilities	2,700	<b>2,700</b>	6,600	<b>6,700</b>	1,800	<b>1,700</b>
Information	1,000	<b>1,100</b>	200	<b>200</b>	500	<b>500</b>
Financial Activities	3,100	<b>3,100</b>	1,300	<b>1,300</b>	2,100	<b>2,100</b>
Professional & Business Services	9,800	<b>9,800</b>	4,100	<b>4,200</b>	6,900	<b>6,600</b>
Educational & Health Services	12,100	<b>12,100</b>	5,900	<b>5,900</b>	10,900	<b>10,800</b>
Leisure & Hospitality	11,300	<b>11,700</b>	4,700	<b>4,900</b>	5,200	<b>5,400</b>
Other Services	3,300	<b>3,300</b>	2,200	<b>2,300</b>	2,100	<b>2,100</b>
Government	18,800	<b>18,800</b>	5,300	<b>5,400</b>	13,900	<b>14,000</b>
Federal Government	5,000	<b>5,000</b>	300	<b>300</b>	500	<b>500</b>
State Government	2,800	<b>2,700</b>	700	<b>700</b>	2,000	<b>2,100</b>
Local Government	11,000	<b>11,100</b>	4,300	<b>4,400</b>	11,400	<b>11,400</b>

	Johnson City, TN MSA		Kingsport-Bristol, TN-VA MSA		Morristown, TN MSA	
	Mar. 2021 Revised	Apr. 2021 Prelim.	Mar. 2021 Revised	Apr. 2021 Prelim.	Mar. 2021 Revised	Apr. 2021 Prelim.
Total Nonfarm	78,800	<b>79,000</b>	116,600	<b>116,600</b>	46,700	<b>46,500</b>
Total Private	63,700	<b>63,800</b>	101,000	<b>101,000</b>	40,200	<b>40,000</b>
Goods Producing	10,800	<b>10,600</b>	25,300	<b>25,300</b>	13,800	<b>13,800</b>
Mining, Logging & Construction	2,500	<b>2,500</b>	5,200	<b>5,200</b>	1,800	<b>1,800</b>
Manufacturing	8,300	<b>8,100</b>	20,100	<b>20,100</b>	12,000	<b>12,000</b>
Service Providing	68,000	<b>68,400</b>	91,300	<b>91,300</b>	32,900	<b>32,700</b>
Trade, Transportation, & Utilities	13,900	<b>13,900</b>	23,300	<b>22,800</b>	9,700	<b>9,600</b>
Wholesale Trade	2,500	<b>2,600</b>	3,300	<b>3,300</b>	1,400	<b>1,400</b>
Retail Trade	10,400	<b>10,300</b>	15,200	<b>14,800</b>	5,800	<b>5,800</b>
Transportation, Warehousing, & Utilities	1,000	<b>1,000</b>	4,800	<b>4,700</b>	2,500	<b>2,400</b>
Information	1,000	<b>1,000</b>	1,000	<b>1,000</b>	300	<b>300</b>
Financial Activities	4,700	<b>4,700</b>	3,600	<b>3,600</b>	900	<b>900</b>
Professional & Business Services	8,500	<b>8,600</b>	13,800	<b>13,900</b>	4,700	<b>4,500</b>
Educational & Health Services	13,600	<b>13,500</b>	17,100	<b>17,100</b>	5,500	<b>5,500</b>
Leisure & Hospitality	8,500	<b>8,700</b>	11,500	<b>11,800</b>	4,100	<b>4,200</b>
Other Services	2,700	<b>2,800</b>	5,400	<b>5,500</b>	1,200	<b>1,200</b>
Government	15,100	<b>15,200</b>	15,600	<b>15,600</b>	6,500	<b>6,500</b>
Federal Government	3,000	<b>3,100</b>	900	<b>900</b>	300	<b>300</b>
State Government	4,500	<b>4,500</b>	2,300	<b>2,300</b>	1,100	<b>1,100</b>
Local Government	7,600	<b>7,600</b>	12,400	<b>12,400</b>	5,100	<b>5,100</b>

**Clarksville MSA** is Montgomery County, Christian County, KY, & Trigg County, KY. **Cleveland MSA** is Bradley & Polk counties. **Jackson MSA** is Chester, Crockett, & Madison counties. **Johnson City MSA** is Carter, Unicoi, & Washington counties. **Kingsport-Bristol MSA** is Hawkins County, Sullivan County, Scott County, VA, Washington County, VA, & Bristol City, VA. **Morristown MSA** is Hamblen & Jefferson counties.

# U.S. Consumer Price Index — April 2021

Group	All Urban Consumers			Wage & Clerical Earners		
	Index	Percent Change		Index	Percent Change	
		Yearly	Monthly		Yearly	Monthly
<b>U.S. City Average</b>						
<b>All Items (1982-84=100)</b>	267.054	4.2	0.8	261.237	4.7	0.9
Food and beverages	272.367	2.3	0.5	271.580	2.3	0.5
Housing	277.258	2.6	0.4	273.199	2.6	0.4
Apparel	120.656	1.9	-0.1	120.506	1.9	0.2
Transportation	222.547	14.9	3.1	224.757	16.9	3.3
Medical care	524.585	1.5	0.0	531.979	1.4	-0.1
<b>South</b>						
<b>All Items (1982-84=100)</b>	257.207	4.4	0.7	252.967	4.9	0.8
Food and beverages	267.864	2.1	0.3	266.748	2.0	0.2
Housing	254.420	2.7	0.4	254.445	2.6	0.3
Apparel	127.227	0.6	-0.2	126.140	0.5	0.2
Transportation	223.261	15.4	2.8	222.819	17.5	2.9
Medical care	495.347	1.8	-0.4	506.234	1.7	-0.4

## Hours And Earnings Of Production Workers

	Average Weekly Earnings			Average Hourly Earnings			Average Weekly Hours		
	Apr.	Mar.	Apr.	Apr.	Mar.	Apr.	Apr.	Mar.	Apr.
	2020	2021	2021	2020	2021	2021	2020	2021	2021
Manufacturing	\$685.10	\$863.62	<b>\$879.75</b>	\$20.15	\$20.81	<b>\$21.25</b>	34.0	41.5	<b>41.4</b>
Durable Goods Manufacturing	\$719.55	\$937.99	<b>\$948.62</b>	\$20.50	\$22.28	<b>\$22.64</b>	35.1	42.1	<b>41.9</b>
Non-Durable Goods Manufacturing	\$634.39	\$737.10	<b>\$764.50</b>	\$19.58	\$18.20	<b>\$18.83</b>	32.4	40.5	<b>40.6</b>

## All Employee Hours And Earnings

	Average Weekly Earnings			Average Hourly Earnings			Average Weekly Hours		
	Apr.	Mar.	Apr.	Apr.	Mar.	Apr.	Apr.	Mar.	Apr.
	2020	2021	2021	2020	2021	2021	2020	2021	2021
Total Private	\$861.37	\$918.56	<b>\$927.74</b>	\$25.56	\$25.73	<b>\$26.06</b>	33.7	35.7	<b>35.6</b>
Goods-Producing	\$950.13	\$1,077.71	<b>\$1,084.95</b>	\$26.54	\$26.61	<b>\$27.26</b>	35.8	40.5	<b>39.8</b>
Mining, Logging & Construction	\$1,076.59	\$1,084.06	<b>\$1,073.02</b>	\$27.05	\$26.57	<b>\$26.56</b>	39.8	40.8	<b>40.4</b>
Manufacturing	\$895.81	\$1,075.85	<b>\$1,090.19</b>	\$26.27	\$26.63	<b>\$27.53</b>	34.1	40.4	<b>39.6</b>
Private Service-Providing	\$840.96	\$882.30	<b>\$893.87</b>	\$25.33	\$25.50	<b>\$25.76</b>	33.2	34.6	<b>34.7</b>
Trade, Transportation, & Utilities	\$774.56	\$846.06	<b>\$857.03</b>	\$23.33	\$23.90	<b>\$24.21</b>	33.2	35.4	<b>35.4</b>
Information	\$1,106.44	\$1,099.10	<b>\$1,127.66</b>	\$30.82	\$30.03	<b>\$30.56</b>	35.9	36.6	<b>36.9</b>
Financial Activities	\$1,312.42	\$1,402.27	<b>\$1,415.11</b>	\$35.28	\$38.63	<b>\$38.77</b>	37.2	36.3	<b>36.5</b>
Professional & Business Services	\$1,065.80	\$1,062.53	<b>\$1,068.65</b>	\$29.20	\$28.41	<b>\$28.65</b>	36.5	37.4	<b>37.3</b>
Education & Health Services	\$770.88	\$865.20	<b>\$874.94</b>	\$23.36	\$24.72	<b>\$25.07</b>	33.0	35.0	<b>34.9</b>
Leisure & Hospitality	\$385.79	\$425.34	<b>\$449.73</b>	\$15.37	\$15.30	<b>\$15.78</b>	25.1	27.8	<b>28.5</b>
Other Services	\$751.83	\$817.57	<b>\$831.14</b>	\$24.02	\$24.70	<b>\$24.81</b>	31.3	33.1	<b>33.5</b>

## TENNESSEE & UNITED STATES UNEMPLOYMENT RATES (Seasonally Adjusted/ TN Solid Line)

