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**RIVERSIDE-SAN BERNARDINO-ONTARIO METROPOLITAN STATISTICAL AREA (MSA)
(RIVERSIDE AND SAN BERNARDINO COUNTIES)**

Nonfarm employment up 12,500 over the month; down 64,900 over the year

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Between February 2021 and March 2021, total nonfarm employment grew from 1,497,200 to 1,509,700, an increase of 12,500 jobs. Agricultural employment increased by 800 jobs.

- Leisure and hospitality (up 4,900) recorded the largest payroll increase over the month. Accommodation and food services (up 4,500) accounted for most of the job gain. Within accommodation and food services, food services and drinking places (up 3,800), recorded the largest employment increase, while accommodation added 700 jobs over the month. Arts, entertainment, and recreation grew by 400 jobs.
- Trade, transportation, and utilities (up 4,100) increased payrolls over the month, where transportation and warehousing (up 4,400) and retail trade (up 800) contributed to the gain. Wholesale trade receded by 1,100.
- Additional employment gains were recorded in professional and business services (up 1,600), government (up 1,500), other services (up 1,000), construction (up 400), and information (up 100). Financial activities, manufacturing, and mining and logging remained unchanged.
- Educational and health services recorded the only employment loss over the month, receding by 1,100.

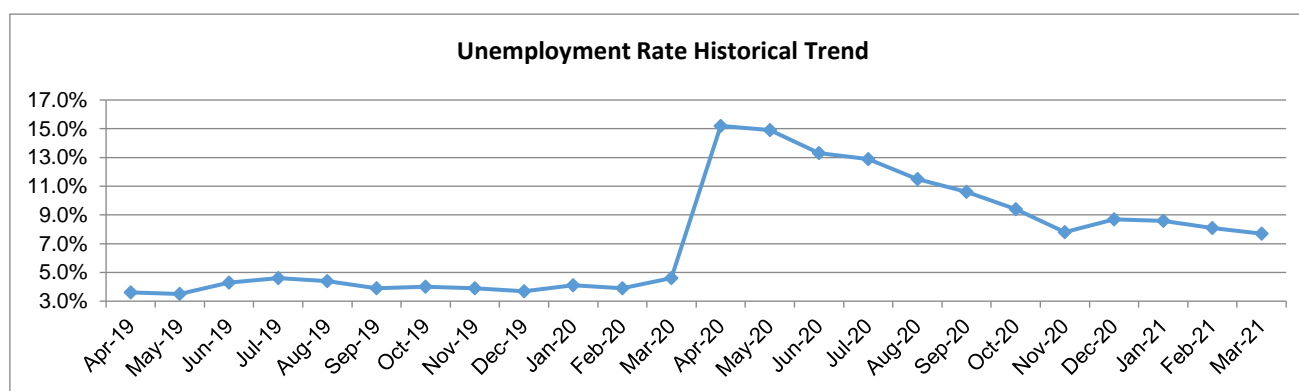
Between March 2020 and March 2021, total nonfarm employment decreased by 64,900 (down 4.1 percent). Agricultural employment declined by 600 (down 4.3 percent).

- Leisure and hospitality (down 40,600) posted the largest decline over the year. Accommodation and food services (down 30,700) accounted for approximately three-fourths of the job loss, where employment in food services and drinking places (down 22,200) and accommodation (down 8,500) contracted. Arts, entertainment, and recreation (down 9,900) also registered job losses.
- Government employment fell by 24,200. Employment decreases were recorded in local government (down 22,600), state government (down 1,000), and federal government (down 600).
- Additional year-over employment losses occurred in the following sectors: manufacturing (down 9,500), other services (down 7,800), educational and health services (down 5,400), professional and business services (down 4,000), financial activities (down 2,700), and information (down 2,400).
- Two industry sectors advanced employment levels over the year: trade, transportation, and utilities (up 29,400) and construction (up 2,300).
- Mining and logging remained unchanged.

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Industry	Feb-2021	Mar-2021	Change		Mar-2020	Mar-2021	Change
	Revised	Prelim				Prelim	
Total, All Industries	1,509,600	1,522,900	13,300		1,588,400	1,522,900	(65,500)
Total Farm	12,400	13,200	800		13,800	13,200	(600)
Total Nonfarm	1,497,200	1,509,700	12,500		1,574,600	1,509,700	(64,900)
Mining, Logging, and Construction	109,200	109,600	400		107,300	109,600	2,300
Mining and Logging	1,300	1,300	0		1,300	1,300	0
Construction	107,900	108,300	400		106,000	108,300	2,300
Manufacturing	90,500	90,500	0		100,000	90,500	(9,500)
Trade, Transportation & Utilities	425,100	429,200	4,100		399,800	429,200	29,400
Information	8,700	8,800	100		11,200	8,800	(2,400)
Financial Activities	42,800	42,800	0		45,500	42,800	(2,700)
Professional & Business Services	155,200	156,800	1,600		160,800	156,800	(4,000)
Educational & Health Services	254,500	253,400	(1,100)		258,800	253,400	(5,400)
Leisure & Hospitality	130,100	135,000	4,900		175,600	135,000	(40,600)
Other Services	38,200	39,200	1,000		47,000	39,200	(7,800)
Government	242,900	244,400	1,500		268,600	244,400	(24,200)

Notes: Data not adjusted for seasonality. Data may not add due to rounding
 Labor force data are revised month to month
 Additional data are available on line at www.labormarketinfo.edd.ca.gov

Riverside San Bernardino Ontario MSA
(Riverside and San Bernardino Counties)
Industry Employment & Labor Force
March 2020 Benchmark

Data Not Seasonally Adjusted

	Mar 20	Jan 21	Feb 21	Mar 21	Percent Change	
			Revised	Prelim	Month	Year
Civilian Labor Force (1)	2,091,500	2,075,800	2,105,800	2,094,700	-0.5%	0.2%
Civilian Employment	1,995,400	1,897,600	1,936,300	1,932,500	-0.2%	-3.2%
Civilian Unemployment	96,100	178,200	169,500	162,200	-4.3%	68.8%
Civilian Unemployment Rate	4.6%	8.6%	8.1%	7.7%		
(CA Unemployment Rate)	5.1%	9.2%	8.4%	8.2%		
(U.S. Unemployment Rate)	4.5%	6.8%	6.6%	6.2%		

Total, All Industries (2)	1,588,400	1,488,600	1,509,600	1,522,900	0.9%	-4.1%
Total Farm	13,800	13,200	12,400	13,200	6.5%	-4.3%
Total Nonfarm	1,574,600	1,475,400	1,497,200	1,509,700	0.8%	-4.1%
Total Private	1,306,000	1,231,800	1,254,300	1,265,300	0.9%	-3.1%
Goods Producing	207,300	197,400	199,700	200,100	0.2%	-3.5%
Mining, Logging, and Construction	107,300	108,500	109,200	109,600	0.4%	2.1%
Mining and Logging	1,300	1,200	1,300	1,300	0.0%	0.0%
Construction	106,000	107,300	107,900	108,300	0.4%	2.2%
Construction of Buildings	16,600	16,600	17,300	16,800	-2.9%	1.2%
Heavy & Civil Engineering Construction	12,600	12,300	12,400	11,900	-4.0%	-5.6%
Specialty Trade Contractors	76,800	78,400	78,200	79,600	1.8%	3.6%
Building Foundation & Exterior Contractors	22,300	24,200	24,400	24,700	1.2%	10.8%
Building Equipment Contractors	28,400	28,900	28,900	29,900	3.5%	5.3%
Building Finishing Contractors	18,100	17,900	17,600	17,800	1.1%	-1.7%
Manufacturing	100,000	88,900	90,500	90,500	0.0%	-9.5%
Durable Goods	63,800	56,800	57,500	57,500	0.0%	-9.9%
Fabricated Metal Product Manufacturing	15,300	13,600	13,900	13,900	0.0%	-9.2%
Nondurable Goods	36,200	32,100	33,000	33,000	0.0%	-8.8%
Service Providing	1,367,300	1,278,000	1,297,500	1,309,600	0.9%	-4.2%
Private Service Providing	1,098,700	1,034,400	1,054,600	1,065,200	1.0%	-3.0%
Trade, Transportation & Utilities	399,800	422,100	425,100	429,200	1.0%	7.4%
Wholesale Trade	67,700	65,800	65,400	64,300	-1.7%	-5.0%
Merchant Wholesalers, Durable Goods	39,500	37,800	37,500	36,800	-1.9%	-6.8%
Merchant Wholesalers, Nondurable Goods	24,900	24,400	24,300	24,000	-1.2%	-3.6%
Retail Trade	175,400	173,900	174,200	175,000	0.5%	-0.2%
Motor Vehicle & Parts Dealer	25,300	24,100	24,600	24,600	0.0%	-2.8%
Automotive Parts, Accessories & Tire Stores	7,600	7,500	7,700	7,800	1.3%	2.6%
Building Material & Garden Equipment Stores	14,300	15,900	15,900	16,600	4.4%	16.1%
Food & Beverage Stores	34,200	36,400	36,900	36,500	-1.1%	6.7%
Health & Personal Care Stores	11,500	11,100	11,000	11,000	0.0%	-4.3%
Clothing & Clothing Accessories Stores	18,300	17,100	16,400	17,600	7.3%	-3.8%
Clothing Stores	14,100	13,500	12,700	13,600	7.1%	-3.5%
General Merchandise Stores	34,600	36,700	36,400	35,200	-3.3%	1.7%
Transportation, Warehousing & Utilities	156,700	182,400	185,500	189,900	2.4%	21.2%
Utilities	5,000	5,300	5,300	5,300	0.0%	6.0%
Transportation & Warehousing	151,700	177,100	180,200	184,600	2.4%	21.7%
Truck Transportation	29,600	31,400	32,800	34,500	5.2%	16.6%
General Freight Trucking	22,500	23,100	24,100	24,100	0.0%	7.1%
Couriers & Messengers	17,300	22,800	23,700	24,500	3.4%	41.6%
Warehousing & Storage	86,400	108,000	108,800	110,400	1.5%	27.8%
Information	11,200	8,700	8,700	8,800	1.1%	-21.4%
Publishing Industries (except Internet)	1,800	1,700	1,700	1,700	0.0%	-5.6%
Telecommunications	5,100	4,700	4,600	4,700	2.2%	-7.8%
Financial Activities	45,500	42,400	42,800	42,800	0.0%	-5.9%
Finance & Insurance	25,100	24,600	24,800	24,600	-0.8%	-2.0%
Credit Intermediation & Related Activities	13,000	13,200	13,300	13,300	0.0%	2.3%
Depository Credit Intermediation	9,100	8,800	8,800	8,800	0.0%	-3.3%
Nondepository Credit Intermediation	2,200	2,500	2,600	2,600	0.0%	18.2%
Insurance Carriers & Related	10,300	9,900	10,000	10,000	0.0%	-2.9%
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Real Estate & Rental & Leasing	20,400	17,800	18,000	18,200	1.1%	-10.8%
Real Estate	14,400	13,000	13,100	13,200	0.8%	-8.3%
Professional & Business Services	160,800	154,000	155,200	156,800	1.0%	-2.5%
Professional, Scientific & Technical Services	44,900	42,700	43,800	45,600	4.1%	1.6%
Management of Companies & Enterprises	8,800	8,800	8,800	8,800	0.0%	0.0%
Administrative & Support & Waste Services	107,100	102,500	102,600	102,400	-0.2%	-4.4%
Administrative & Support Services	103,000	99,100	99,200	98,900	-0.3%	-4.0%
Employment Services	45,000	43,600	44,400	44,500	0.2%	-1.1%
Investigation & Security Services	16,700	15,100	15,100	14,900	-1.3%	-10.8%
Services to Buildings & Dwellings	22,400	22,300	21,600	21,600	0.0%	-3.6%
Educational & Health Services	258,800	250,900	254,500	253,400	-0.4%	-2.1%
Educational Services	21,500	18,100	18,900	18,800	-0.5%	-12.6%
Colleges, Universities & Professional Schools	6,900	5,600	6,300	6,300	0.0%	-8.7%
Health Care & Social Assistance	237,300	232,800	235,600	234,600	-0.4%	-1.1%
Ambulatory Health Care Services	81,100	80,800	81,000	79,900	-1.4%	-1.5%
Offices of Physicians	23,600	23,600	23,700	23,700	0.0%	0.4%
Hospitals	42,700	41,600	42,200	42,400	0.5%	-0.7%
Nursing & Residential Care Facilities	27,700	25,200	26,200	26,100	-0.4%	-5.8%
Leisure & Hospitality	175,600	120,200	130,100	135,000	3.8%	-23.1%
Arts, Entertainment & Recreation	21,700	11,100	11,400	11,800	3.5%	-45.6%
Accommodation & Food Services	153,900	109,100	118,700	123,200	3.8%	-19.9%
Accommodation	18,400	8,000	9,200	9,900	7.6%	-46.2%
Food Services & Drinking Places	135,500	101,100	109,500	113,300	3.5%	-16.4%
Restaurants	131,000	98,400	106,500	110,400	3.7%	-15.7%
Full-Service Restaurants	51,200	23,800	29,600	31,500	6.4%	-38.5%
Limited-Service Eating Places	79,800	74,600	76,900	78,900	2.6%	-1.1%
Other Services	47,000	36,100	38,200	39,200	2.6%	-16.6%
Repair & Maintenance	17,100	16,200	15,300	15,500	1.3%	-9.4%
Personal & Laundry Services	14,900	7,900	10,200	10,500	2.9%	-29.5%
Government	268,600	243,600	242,900	244,400	0.6%	-9.0%
Federal Government	21,800	21,300	21,200	21,200	0.0%	-2.8%
Department of Defense	6,100	6,200	6,200	6,200	0.0%	1.6%
Federal Government excluding Department of	15,700	15,100	15,000	15,000	0.0%	-4.5%
State & Local Government	246,800	222,300	221,700	223,200	0.7%	-9.6%
State Government	32,000	30,500	30,900	31,000	0.3%	-3.1%
State Government Education	13,800	12,000	12,400	12,500	0.8%	-9.4%
State Government Excluding Education	18,200	18,500	18,500	18,500	0.0%	1.6%
Local Government	214,800	191,800	190,800	192,200	0.7%	-10.5%
Local Government Education	131,200	115,200	114,100	115,700	1.4%	-11.8%
Local Government Excluding Education	83,600	76,600	76,700	76,500	-0.3%	-8.5%
County	35,500	34,800	34,800	34,700	-0.3%	-2.3%
City	15,200	13,500	13,700	13,700	0.0%	-9.9%
Special Districts plus Indian Tribes	32,900	28,300	28,200	28,100	-0.4%	-14.6%

Notes:

(1) Civilian labor force data are by place of residence; include self-employed individuals, unpaid family workers, household domestic workers, & workers on strike. Data may not add due to rounding. The unemployment rate is calculated using unrounded data.

(2) Industry employment is by place of work; excludes self-employed individuals, unpaid family workers, household domestic workers, & workers on strike. Data may not add due to rounding.

These data are produced by the Labor Market Information Division of the California Employment Development Department (EDD). Questions should be directed to:

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