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Monthly Employment Update

Employment Situation

July 2025 | Released August 01, 2025

+73K

Change in nonfarm payroll jobs Jun 2025 to Jul 2025 +0.1 percent

Change in unemployment rate Jun 2025 to Jul 2025 -0.1 percent

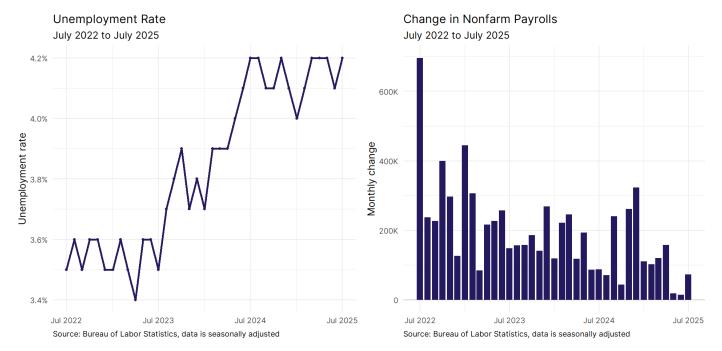
Change in labor force participation rate
Jun 2025 to Jul 2025

From June 2025 to July 2025:

- Nonfarm payroll employment increased by 73K.
 - Private sector payroll employment increased by 83K.
 - Government payroll employment decreased by 10K.
- The headline unemployment rate (U-3) increased by 0.1 percentage points to 4.2 percent.
 - The broadest measure of unemployment (U-6, which adds underemployment to unemployment) increased by 0.2 percentage points to 7.9 percent.
- The labor force participation rate (LFPR) decreased by 0.1 percentage points to 62.2 percent.

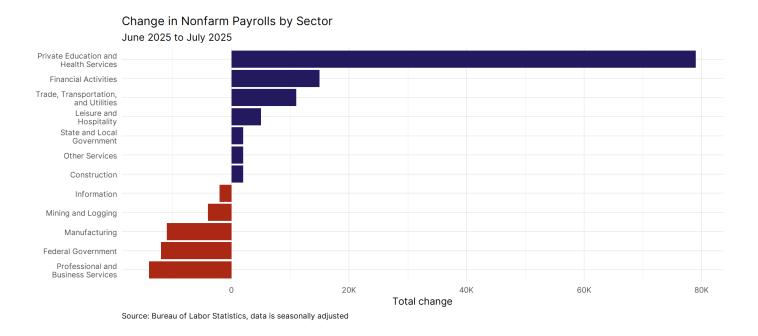
From July 2024 to July 2025:

- For all employees on private nonfarm payrolls:
 - Average nominal weekly earnings increased by 4.21 percent.
 - Average nominal hourly earnings increased by 3.91 percent.
- For production and nonsupervisory employees on private nonfarm payrolls:
 - Average nominal weekly earnings increased by 3.88 percent.
 - Average nominal hourly earnings increased by 3.88 percent.



From June 2025 to July 2025:

- The best performing sectors were private education and health services (+79K) and financial activities (+15K).
- The worst performing sectors were professional and business services (-14K) and federal government (-12K).



From July 2024 to July 2025:

- The best performing sectors were **private education and health services** (+884K) and **state and local government** (+248K).
- The worst performing sectors were manufacturing (-113K) and federal government (-71K).

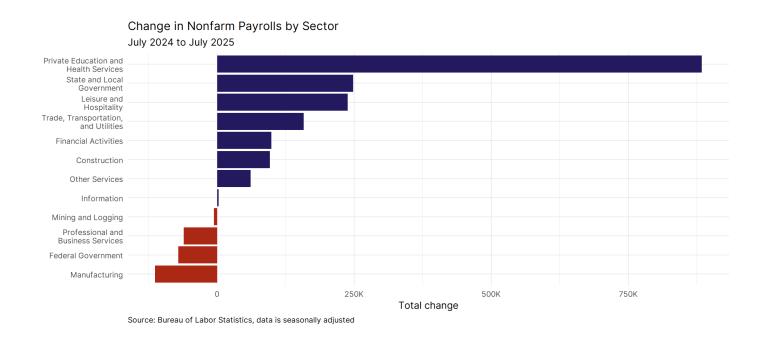


Table 1. Labor Indicators

| | Jul 2025 | Jun 2025 | M/M change | Jul 2024 | Y/Y change |
|--------------------------------|----------|----------|------------|----------|------------|
| Payroll jobs | | | | | |
| Nonfarm | 159.539M | 159.466M | 73K | 158.003M | 1.536M |
| Private | 135.970M | 135.887M | 83K | 134.611M | 1.359M |
| Unemployment | | | | | |
| Official rate (U-3) | 4.2% | 4.1% | 0.1pp | 4.2% | 0.0pp |
| Broader rate (U-6) | 7.9% | 7.7% | 0.2рр | 7.8% | 0.1pp |
| | | | | | |
| Labor force participation rate | | | | | |
| 16 years and over | 62.2% | 62.3% | -0.1pp | 62.7% | -0.5рр |
| Prime age (25-54 years) | 83.4% | 83.5% | -0.1pp | 83.9% | -0.5pp |
| Employment-to-Population Ratio | 59.6% | 59.7% | -0.1pp | 60.0% | -0.4pp |

Table 2. Earnings Indicators

| | Jul 2025 | Jun 2025 | M/M change | Jul 2024 | Y/Y change |
|--------------------------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|
| Production and non-supervisory | | | | | |
| Hourly earnings | \$31.34 | \$31.26 | 0.26% | \$30.17 | 3.88% |
| Weekly earnings | \$1,056.16 | \$1,050.34 | 0.55% | \$1,016.73 | 3.88% |
| All employees | | | | | |
| Hourly earnings | \$36.44 | \$36.32 | 0.33% | \$35.07 | 3.91% |
| Weekly earnings | \$1,249.89 | \$1,242.14 | 0.62% | \$1,199.39 | 4.21% |

Table 3. Revisions

| | 1st | 2nd | 3rd | Net revision |
|--------------------|------|------|------|--------------|
| Nonfarm jobs added | | | | |
| June 2025 | 147K | 14K | | -133K |
| May 2025 | 139K | 144K | 19K | -120K |
| April 2025 | 177K | 147K | 158K | -19K |

Table 4. Comparison to ADP Estimate

| | BLS | ADP | Difference |
|----------------------------|-----|------|------------|
| Private nonfarm jobs added | 83K | 104K | -21K |

Job Openings and Labor Turnover Survey

June 2025 | Released July 29, 2025

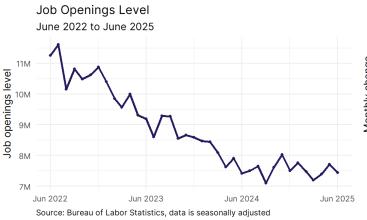
-275KChange in nonfarm job openings
May 2025 to Jun 2025

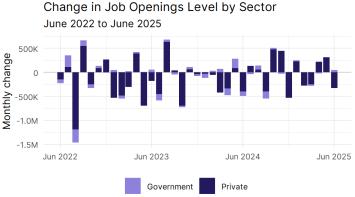
-261KChange in nonfarm hires
May 2025 to Jun 2025

-153KChange in nonfarm separations
May 2025 to Jun 2025

Job Openings: The total number of nonfarm job openings decreased by 275K to 7.44 million, and the rate decreased by 0.2 percentage points to 4.4 percent.

- The best performing sectors were **professional and business services** (+156K) and **trade, transportation, and utilities** (+143K).
- The worst performing sectors were **leisure and hospitality** (-264K) and **private education and health services** (-255K).





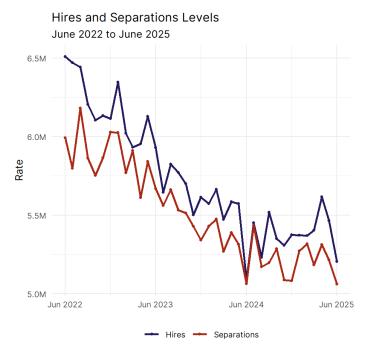
Source: Bureau of Labor Statistics, data is seasonally adjusted

Hires: The total number of nonfarm hires decreased by 261K to 5.20 million, and the rate decreased by 0.1 percentage points to 3.3 percent.

- The best performing sectors were trade, transportation, and utilities (+49K) and private education and health services (+18K).
- The worst performing sectors were leisure and hospitality (-148K) and professional and business services (-133K).

Separations: The total number of nonfarm separations decreased by 153K to 5.06 million, and the rate decreased by 0.1 percentage points to 3.2 percent.

- **Quits** decreased by 128K to 3.14 million, and the rate remained unchanged at 2 percent.
- Layoffs and discharges decreased by 7K to 1.60 million, and the rate remained unchanged at 1 percent
- Other separations decreased by 18K to 314K, and the rate remained unchanged at 0.2 percent.



Source: Bureau of Labor Statistics, data is seasonally adjusted

Table 5. JOLTS Level Indicators

| | Jun 2025 | May 2025 | M/M change | Jun 2024 | Y/Y change |
|--------------------|----------|----------|------------|----------|------------|
| Job openings level | | | | | |
| Nonfarm | 7.437M | 7.712M | -275K | 7.412M | 25K |
| Private | 6.551M | 6.876M | -325K | 6.455M | 96K |
| Hire level | | | | | |
| Nonfarm | 5.204M | 5.465M | -261K | 5.088M | 116K |
| Private | 4.863M | 5.109M | -246K | 4.756M | 107K |
| Separation level | | | | | |
| Nonfarm | 5.060M | 5.213M | -153K | 5.064M | -4K |
| Private | 4.784M | 4.860M | -76K | 4.749M | 35K |

Table 6. JOLTS Rate Indicators

| | Jun 2025 | May 2025 | M/M change | Jun 2024 | Y/Y change |
|-------------------|----------|----------|------------|----------|------------|
| Job openings rate | | | | | |
| Nonfarm | 4.4% | 4.6% | -0.2pp | 4.5% | -0.1pp |
| Private | 4.6% | 4.8% | -0.2pp | 4.6% | 0.0рр |
| Hire rate | | | | | |
| Nonfarm | 3.3% | 3.4% | -0.1pp | 3.2% | 0.1pp |
| Private | 3.6% | 3.8% | -0.2pp | 3.5% | 0.1рр |
| Separation rate | | | | | |
| Nonfarm | 3.2% | 3.3% | -0.1pp | 3.2% | 0.0рр |
| Private | 3.5% | 3.6% | -0.1pp | 3.5% | 0.0рр |

Upcoming releases

| Date | Time | Release | Data source |
|--------|----------|---|-----------------------------|
| Aug 05 | 08:30 AM | Monthly Trade Update, June 2025 | Bureau of Economic Analysis |
| Aug 07 | 10:00 AM | Monthly Debt Update, August 2025 | U.S. Treasury |
| Aug 12 | 08:30 AM | Monthly Inflation Update, July 2025 | Bureau of Labor Statistics |
| Aug 13 | 10:00 AM | Monthly Fiscal Update, July 2025 | U.S. Treasury |
| Aug 19 | 10:00 AM | State Employment Update, July 2025 | Bureau of Labor Statistics |
| Aug 28 | 08:30 AM | Monthly GDP Update, Q2 2025 Second Estimate | Bureau of Economic Analysis |
| Aug 29 | 08:30 AM | Monthly Expenditures Update, July 2025 | Bureau of Economic Analysis |

Notes

Source: Bureau of Labor Statistics; ADP National Employment Report; JEC Republicans calculations

"pp" = percentage points; "M/M" = month over month; "Y/Y" = year over year

Consistent with the Bureau of Labor Statistics, monthly figures are seasonally adjusted. Discrepancy in change figures is possible due to rounding.