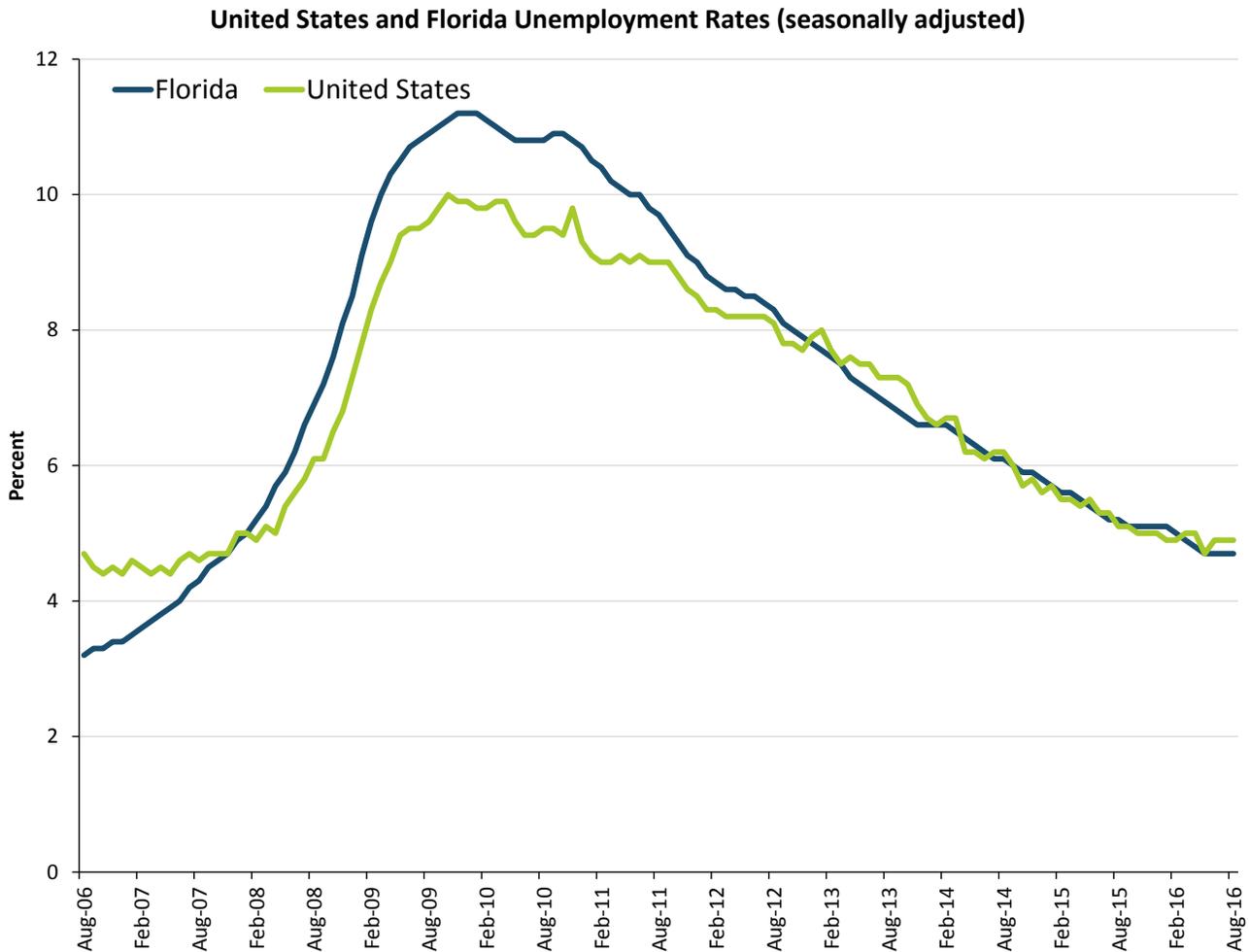


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### Florida's August Employment Figures Released

Florida's seasonally adjusted unemployment rate was 4.7 percent in August 2016, unchanged from the July 2016 rate, but down 0.5 percentage point from 5.2 percent a year ago. There were 454,000 jobless Floridians out of a labor force of 9,717,000. The U.S. unemployment rate was 4.9 percent in August.

Florida's seasonally adjusted total nonagricultural employment was 8,392,400 in August 2016, an increase of 24,500 jobs (+0.3 percent) over the month. The state gained 259,800 jobs over the year, an increase of 3.2 percent. Nationally, the number of jobs rose 1.7 percent over the year. Florida's over-the-year job growth rate has exceeded the nation's rate since May 2012.



Source: U.S. Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics, Local Area Unemployment Statistics Program, in cooperation with the Florida Department of Economic Opportunity, Bureau of Labor Market Statistics.

## Florida's Nonagricultural Employment by Industry (Seasonally Adjusted)

- The number of jobs in Florida was 8,392,400 in August 2016, up 259,800 jobs compared to a year ago. August 2016 was the 73<sup>rd</sup> consecutive month with positive over-the-year job growth. The industry gaining the most jobs was professional and business services (+59,800 jobs, +4.9 percent).
- Other industries gaining jobs included education and health services (+47,900 jobs, +4.0 percent); leisure and hospitality (+38,000 jobs, +3.3 percent); trade, transportation, and utilities (+37,100 jobs, +2.2 percent); construction (+22,000 jobs, +5.1 percent); government (+18,500 jobs, +1.7 percent); financial activities (+16,500 jobs, +3.1 percent); manufacturing (+15,200 jobs, +4.4 percent); and other services (+8,400 jobs, +2.5 percent).
- The only industry that lost jobs over the year was information (-3,600 jobs, -2.6 percent).

## Local Area Unemployment Statistics (Not Seasonally Adjusted)

- In August 2016, Monroe County had the state's lowest unemployment rate (3.1 percent), followed by St. Johns County (3.6 percent), and Lafayette County (3.8 percent).
- Hendry County had the highest unemployment rate (11.6 percent) in Florida in August 2016, followed by Hardee County (7.3 percent), and Glades County (7.0 percent).

## Area Nonagricultural Employment (Not Seasonally Adjusted)

- Twenty-three out of twenty-four metro areas in the state had over-the-year job gains in August 2016. The areas with the largest gains were Orlando-Kissimmee-Sanford (+51,600 jobs, +4.4 percent), Tampa-St. Petersburg-Clearwater (+38,200 jobs, +3.1 percent), and Ft. Lauderdale-Pompano Beach-Deerfield Beach (+34,800 jobs, +4.4 percent).

**Note:** The unemployment and job growth rates are estimates, which are primarily based on surveys created and mandated by the U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics in cooperation with the Florida Department of Economic Opportunity.

The unemployment rate is derived from Florida household surveys conducted by the U.S. Census Bureau under contract with the U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics. The job growth rate is derived from Florida employer surveys conducted by the U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics.

Both estimates are revised on a monthly basis. In addition, these estimates are benchmarked (revised) annually based on actual counts from Florida's Reemployment Assistance tax records and other data.

Procedures mandated by the U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics may result in more variable month-to-month changes. For further information, go to: <http://www.bls.gov/sae/cesprocs.htm>

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*The next Florida Employment and Unemployment release will be October 21, 2016, at 10:00 A.M.*

LABOR FORCE STATUS OF THE CIVILIAN NONINSTITUTIONAL POPULATION  
RELEASE DATE: September 16, 2016

**SEASONALLY ADJUSTED**

	Current Month August 2016	Month Ago July 2016	Year Ago August 2015	Over-the-Month Change		Over-the-Year Change	
				Level	Percent	Level	Percent
<b>STATE OF FLORIDA</b>							
Civilian Noninstitutional							
Population 16+	16,662,000	16,633,000	16,353,000	29,000	0.2	309,000	1.9
Civilian Labor Force	9,717,000	9,730,000	9,645,000	-13,000	-0.1	72,000	0.7
Employment	9,263,000	9,272,000	9,146,000	-9,000	-0.1	117,000	1.3
Unemployment	454,000	457,000	499,000	-3,000	-0.7	-45,000	-9.0
Unemployment Rate (%)	4.7	4.7	5.2	0.0	--	-0.5	--

**UNITED STATES**

Civilian Noninstitutional							
Population 16+	253,854,000	253,620,000	251,096,000	234,000	0.1	2,758,000	1.1
Civilian Labor Force	159,463,000	159,287,000	157,061,000	176,000	0.1	2,402,000	1.5
Employment	151,614,000	151,517,000	149,043,000	97,000	0.1	2,571,000	1.7
Unemployment	7,849,000	7,770,000	8,018,000	79,000	1.0	-169,000	-2.1
Unemployment Rate (%)	4.9	4.9	5.1	0.0	--	-0.2	--

**NOT SEASONALLY ADJUSTED**

	Current Month August 2016	Month Ago July 2016	Year Ago August 2015	Over-the-Month Change		Over-the-Year Change	
				Level	Percent	Level	Percent
<b>STATE OF FLORIDA</b>							
Civilian Noninstitutional							
Population 16+	16,662,000	16,633,000	16,353,000	29,000	0.2	309,000	1.9
Civilian Labor Force	9,773,000	9,824,000	9,691,000	-51,000	-0.5	82,000	0.8
Employment	9,292,000	9,323,000	9,147,000	-31,000	-0.3	145,000	1.6
Unemployment	481,000	501,000	545,000	-20,000	-4.0	-64,000	-11.7
Unemployment Rate (%)	4.9	5.1	5.6	-0.2	--	-0.7	--

**UNITED STATES**

Civilian Noninstitutional							
Population 16+	253,854,000	253,620,000	251,096,000	234,000	0.1	2,758,000	1.1
Civilian Labor Force	159,800,000	160,705,000	157,390,000	-905,000	-0.6	2,410,000	1.5
Employment	151,804,000	152,437,000	149,228,000	-633,000	-0.4	2,576,000	1.7
Unemployment	7,996,000	8,267,000	8,162,000	-271,000	-3.3	-166,000	-2.0
Unemployment Rate (%)	5.0	5.1	5.2	-0.1	--	-0.2	--

Note: All estimates except unemployment rates are rounded to the nearest thousand. Items may not add to totals or compute to displayed percentages due to rounding. All data are subject to revision.

Source: U.S. Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics, Local Area Unemployment Statistics Program, in cooperation with the Florida Department of Economic Opportunity, Bureau of Labor Market Statistics.

**Nonagricultural Employment in Florida  
Seasonally Adjusted**

	August <sup>P</sup> 2016	July <sup>r</sup> 2016	August 2015	Over-the-Month		Over-the-Year	
				Change Level	Change Percent	Change Level	Change Percent
Total Nonagricultural Employment	8,392,400	8,367,900	8,132,600	24,500	0.3	259,800	3.2
Total Private	7,291,800	7,269,200	7,050,500	22,600	0.3	241,300	3.4
Goods Producing	819,800	816,200	782,600	3,600	0.4	37,200	4.8
Mining, Logging, and Construction	460,800	462,000	438,800	-1,200	-0.3	22,000	5.0
Construction	455,000	456,200	433,000	-1,200	-0.3	22,000	5.1
Manufacturing	359,000	354,200	343,800	4,800	1.4	15,200	4.4
Durable Goods	246,000	241,600	234,000	4,400	1.8	12,000	5.1
Nondurable Goods	113,000	112,600	109,800	400	0.4	3,200	2.9
Service Producing	7,572,600	7,551,700	7,350,000	20,900	0.3	222,600	3.0
Private Service Providing	6,472,000	6,453,000	6,267,900	19,000	0.3	204,100	3.3
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	1,729,000	1,718,500	1,691,900	10,500	0.6	37,100	2.2
Wholesale Trade	340,200	341,200	336,100	-1,000	-0.3	4,100	1.2
Retail Trade	1,114,500	1,106,600	1,088,600	7,900	0.7	25,900	2.4
Transportation, Warehousing, and Utilities	274,300	270,700	267,200	3,600	1.3	7,100	2.7
Information	132,800	133,900	136,400	-1,100	-0.8	-3,600	-2.6
Financial Activities	553,900	555,500	537,400	-1,600	-0.3	16,500	3.1
Finance and Insurance	372,100	371,700	358,800	400	0.1	13,300	3.7
Real Estate, Rental, and Leasing	181,800	183,800	178,600	-2,000	-1.1	3,200	1.8
Professional and Business Services	1,287,800	1,284,300	1,228,000	3,500	0.3	59,800	4.9
Professional and Technical Services	531,400	528,500	510,000	2,900	0.5	21,400	4.2
Management of Companies and Enterprises	100,200	99,400	97,600	800	0.8	2,600	2.7
Administrative and Waste Services	656,200	656,400	620,400	-200	*	35,800	5.8
Education and Health Services	1,251,200	1,249,400	1,203,300	1,800	0.1	47,900	4.0
Educational Services	160,000	159,200	151,500	800	0.5	8,500	5.6
Health Care and Social Assistance	1,091,200	1,090,200	1,051,800	1,000	0.1	39,400	3.7
Leisure and Hospitality	1,176,800	1,175,200	1,138,800	1,600	0.1	38,000	3.3
Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation	222,600	222,000	216,200	600	0.3	6,400	3.0
Accommodation and Food Services	954,200	953,200	922,600	1,000	0.1	31,600	3.4
Other Services	340,500	336,200	332,100	4,300	1.3	8,400	2.5

Source: U.S. Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics, Current Employment Statistics Program.  
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**Nonagricultural Employment in Florida  
Seasonally Adjusted**

	August <sup>P</sup> 2016	July <sup>r</sup> 2016	August 2015	Over-the-Month Change		Over-the-Year Change	
				Level	Percent	Level	Percent
Total Government	1,100,600	1,098,700	1,082,100	1,900	0.2	18,500	1.7
Federal Government	138,200	137,200	134,200	1,000	0.7	4,000	3.0
State Government	211,000	210,100	209,300	900	0.4	1,700	0.8
Local Government	751,400	751,400	738,600	0	0.0	12,800	1.7

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p = preliminary, r = revised

\* = less than 0.1 percent

Note: Sum of detail may not equal totals due to rounding or the exclusion of certain industries from publication. All data are subject to revision.

**NONAGRICULTURAL EMPLOYMENT IN FLORIDA  
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Industry Title	August 2016	July 2016	August 2015	Change from			
				July 2016 to August 2016 Level	Percent	August 2015 to August 2016 Level	Percent
<b>Total Nonagricultural Employment</b>	8,328,900	8,237,600	8,086,600	91,300	1.1%	242,300	3.0%
<b>Total Private</b>	7,235,200	7,223,000	7,008,100	12,200	0.2%	227,100	3.2%
<b>Goods Producing</b>	823,500	816,600	787,700	6,900	0.8%	35,800	4.5%
<b>Mining and Logging</b>	5,800	5,800	5,800	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Mining, except Oil and Gas	3,400	3,400	3,400	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
<b>Mining, Logging, and Construction</b>	466,500	464,000	443,000	2,500	0.5%	23,500	5.3%
<b>Construction</b>	460,700	458,200	437,200	2,500	0.5%	23,500	5.4%
Construction of Buildings	91,800	91,800	90,000	0	0.0%	1,800	2.0%
Heavy and Civil Engineering Construction	57,000	55,800	53,500	1,200	2.2%	3,500	6.5%
Specialty Trade Contractors	311,900	310,600	293,700	1,300	0.4%	18,200	6.2%
Building Equipment Contractors	139,700	138,800	131,400	900	0.6%	8,300	6.3%
<b>Manufacturing</b>	357,000	352,600	344,700	4,400	1.2%	12,300	3.6%
Durable Goods	245,200	241,300	235,400	3,900	1.6%	9,800	4.2%
Fabricated Metal Product Manufacturing	37,300	37,400	36,400	-100	-0.3%	900	2.5%
Computer and Electronic Product Manufacturing	42,600	42,100	41,500	500	1.2%	1,100	2.7%
Communications Equipment Manufacturing	5,500	5,500	5,700	0	0.0%	-200	-3.5%
Transportation Equipment Manufacturing	39,700	39,700	39,500	0	0.0%	200	0.5%
Aerospace Product and Parts Manufacturing	20,200	20,200	19,600	0	0.0%	600	3.1%
Miscellaneous Durable Goods Manufacturing	32,300	32,200	31,700	100	0.3%	600	1.9%
Nondurable Goods	111,800	111,300	109,300	500	0.4%	2,500	2.3%
Food Manufacturing	30,400	30,000	29,900	400	1.3%	500	1.7%
Beverage and Tobacco Product Manufacturing	9,500	9,500	9,600	0	0.0%	-100	-1.0%
Paper Manufacturing	8,900	8,900	8,900	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Printing and Related Support Activities	17,500	17,600	17,500	-100	-0.6%	0	0.0%
Chemical Manufacturing	19,400	19,400	19,000	0	0.0%	400	2.1%

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Industry Title	August 2016	July 2016	August 2015	Change from			
				July 2016 to August 2016 Level	Percent	August 2015 to August 2016 Level	Percent
<b>Service Providing</b>	7,505,400	7,421,000	7,298,900	84,400	1.1%	206,500	2.8%
<b>Private Service Providing</b>	6,411,700	6,406,400	6,220,400	5,300	0.1%	191,300	3.1%
<b>Trade, Transportation, and Utilities</b>	1,710,700	1,703,000	1,674,300	7,700	0.5%	36,400	2.2%
<b>Wholesale Trade</b>	337,900	337,900	334,500	0	0.0%	3,400	1.0%
Merchant Wholesalers, Durable Goods	172,800	172,200	169,100	600	0.3%	3,700	2.2%
Commercial Equipment Wholesalers	47,000	47,000	47,700	0	0.0%	-700	-1.5%
Electrical and Electronic Goods Wholesalers	20,500	20,300	20,900	200	1.0%	-400	-1.9%
Machinery and Supply Wholesalers	33,900	33,300	30,700	600	1.8%	3,200	10.4%
Merchant Wholesalers, Nondurable Goods	121,500	121,700	122,200	-200	-0.2%	-700	-0.6%
Grocery and Related Product Wholesalers	49,700	49,200	48,600	500	1.0%	1,100	2.3%
Wholesale Electronic Markets and Agents	43,600	44,000	43,200	-400	-0.9%	400	0.9%
<b>Retail Trade</b>	1,101,600	1,097,300	1,074,900	4,300	0.4%	26,700	2.5%
Motor Vehicle and Parts Dealers	141,200	142,400	137,500	-1,200	-0.8%	3,700	2.7%
Automobile Dealers	90,300	91,200	87,200	-900	-1.0%	3,100	3.6%
Furniture and Home Furnishings Stores	38,100	38,300	36,300	-200	-0.5%	1,800	5.0%
Electronics and Appliance Stores	41,100	41,400	41,100	-300	-0.7%	0	0.0%
Building Material and Garden Supply Stores	85,200	85,500	79,600	-300	-0.4%	5,600	7.0%
Food and Beverage Stores	219,600	219,100	215,900	500	0.2%	3,700	1.7%
Health and Personal Care Stores	80,100	79,800	77,500	300	0.4%	2,600	3.4%
Gasoline Stations	44,700	44,300	43,700	400	0.9%	1,000	2.3%
Clothing and Accessory Stores	112,300	112,400	112,100	-100	-0.1%	200	0.2%
Sporting Goods, Hobby, Book, and Music Stores	40,600	37,400	38,400	3,200	8.6%	2,200	5.7%
General Merchandise Stores	208,500	206,800	207,700	1,700	0.8%	800	0.4%
Department Stores	78,300	77,100	82,500	1,200	1.6%	-4,200	-5.1%
Other General Merchandise Stores	130,200	129,700	125,200	500	0.4%	5,000	4.0%
Miscellaneous Store Retailers	58,200	58,000	54,800	200	0.3%	3,400	6.2%
Nonstore Retailers	32,000	31,900	30,300	100	0.3%	1,700	5.6%
Electronic Shopping and Mail-Order Houses	24,300	24,300	22,500	0	0.0%	1,800	8.0%
<b>Transportation, Warehousing, and Utilities</b>	271,200	267,800	264,900	3,400	1.3%	6,300	2.4%
<b>Utilities</b>	22,800	22,700	22,600	100	0.4%	200	0.9%

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				July 2016 to August 2016 Level	Percent	August 2015 to August 2016 Level	Percent
<b>Transportation and Warehousing</b>	248,400	245,100	242,300	3,300	1.3%	6,100	2.5%
Air Transportation	37,800	37,700	36,800	100	0.3%	1,000	2.7%
Water Transportation	13,700	13,500	12,400	200	1.5%	1,300	10.5%
Truck Transportation	51,500	51,000	50,900	500	1.0%	600	1.2%
Support Activities for Transportation	52,700	53,600	54,800	-900	-1.7%	-2,100	-3.8%
Couriers and Messengers	33,100	32,400	30,500	700	2.2%	2,600	8.5%
Warehousing and Storage	33,800	34,000	32,700	-200	-0.6%	1,100	3.4%
<b>Information</b>	132,800	133,800	136,500	-1,000	-0.7%	-3,700	-2.7%
Publishing Industries, except Internet	30,600	30,500	31,100	100	0.3%	-500	-1.6%
Broadcasting, except Internet	15,500	15,400	15,800	100	0.6%	-300	-1.9%
Telecommunications	50,700	50,900	51,600	-200	-0.4%	-900	-1.7%
Wired Telecommunications Carriers	40,800	41,100	41,000	-300	-0.7%	-200	-0.5%
Internet Service Providers and Data Processing	17,800	17,700	17,500	100	0.6%	300	1.7%
<b>Financial Activities</b>	553,400	556,600	538,600	-3,200	-0.6%	14,800	2.7%
<b>Finance and Insurance</b>	372,500	372,500	359,400	0	0.0%	13,100	3.6%
Credit Intermediation and Related Activities	162,300	161,700	159,700	600	0.4%	2,600	1.6%
Depository Credit Intermediation	97,800	97,200	96,300	600	0.6%	1,500	1.6%
Insurance Carriers and Related Activities	164,400	164,700	154,700	-300	-0.2%	9,700	6.3%
Insurance Carriers	81,000	80,800	77,600	200	0.2%	3,400	4.4%
Insurance Agencies, Brokerages, and Related	83,400	83,900	77,100	-500	-0.6%	6,300	8.2%
<b>Real Estate, Rental, and Leasing</b>	180,900	184,100	179,200	-3,200	-1.7%	1,700	0.9%
Real Estate	140,400	141,200	137,400	-800	-0.6%	3,000	2.2%
<b>Professional and Business Services</b>	1,281,000	1,276,600	1,223,800	4,400	0.3%	57,200	4.7%
<b>Professional and Technical Services</b>	525,300	522,800	506,600	2,500	0.5%	18,700	3.7%
Legal Services	99,800	98,600	97,200	1,200	1.2%	2,600	2.7%
Accounting, Tax Preparation, and Bookkeeping	64,100	65,000	59,100	-900	-1.4%	5,000	8.5%
Architectural, Engineering, and Related	81,700	81,900	77,600	-200	-0.2%	4,100	5.3%
Computer Systems Design and Related	83,400	82,100	79,100	1,300	1.6%	4,300	5.4%
Management and Technical Consulting Services	95,400	95,500	94,400	-100	-0.1%	1,000	1.1%
<b>Management of Companies and Enterprises</b>	100,000	99,400	97,600	600	0.6%	2,400	2.5%

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<b>Administrative and Waste Services</b>	655,700	654,400	619,600	1,300	0.2%	36,100	5.8%
Administrative and Support Services	633,600	632,500	598,400	1,100	0.2%	35,200	5.9%
Employment Services	200,600	202,700	187,600	-2,100	-1.0%	13,000	6.9%
Business Support Services	97,400	93,400	92,300	4,000	4.3%	5,100	5.5%
Travel Arrangement and Reservation Services	29,100	28,900	27,500	200	0.7%	1,600	5.8%
Investigation and Security Services	73,300	72,700	70,100	600	0.8%	3,200	4.6%
Services to Buildings and Dwellings	172,900	174,700	164,800	-1,800	-1.0%	8,100	4.9%
Waste Management and Remediation Services	22,100	21,900	21,200	200	0.9%	900	4.2%
<b>Education and Health Services</b>	1,237,000	1,229,400	1,193,500	7,600	0.6%	43,500	3.6%
<b>Educational Services</b>	150,800	146,900	143,400	3,900	2.7%	7,400	5.2%
Elementary and Secondary Schools	53,000	47,100	50,600	5,900	12.5%	2,400	4.7%
Colleges and Universities	51,900	51,500	51,400	400	0.8%	500	1.0%
<b>Health Care and Social Assistance</b>	1,086,200	1,082,500	1,050,100	3,700	0.3%	36,100	3.4%
Ambulatory Health Care Services	474,100	474,100	455,300	0	0.0%	18,800	4.1%
Offices of Physicians	198,000	199,800	197,100	-1,800	-0.9%	900	0.5%
Home Health Care Services	79,100	79,100	69,600	0	0.0%	9,500	13.6%
Hospitals	298,100	297,800	289,500	300	0.1%	8,600	3.0%
Nursing and Residential Care Facilities	185,100	187,000	186,200	-1,900	-1.0%	-1,100	-0.6%
Nursing Care Facilities	94,000	95,500	97,400	-1,500	-1.6%	-3,400	-3.5%
Community Care for the Elderly	62,600	62,500	60,800	100	0.2%	1,800	3.0%
Social Assistance	128,900	123,600	119,100	5,300	4.3%	9,800	8.2%
<b>Leisure and Hospitality</b>	1,161,900	1,171,600	1,123,800	-9,700	-0.8%	38,100	3.4%
<b>Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation</b>	219,800	224,100	213,700	-4,300	-1.9%	6,100	2.9%
Amusement, Gambling, and Recreation	168,700	174,000	168,500	-5,300	-3.0%	200	0.1%
Amusement Parks and Arcades	75,500	77,200	74,400	-1,700	-2.2%	1,100	1.5%
<b>Accommodation and Food Services</b>	942,100	947,500	910,100	-5,400	-0.6%	32,000	3.5%
Accommodation	178,300	179,700	176,800	-1,400	-0.8%	1,500	0.8%
Food Services and Drinking Places	763,800	767,800	733,300	-4,000	-0.5%	30,500	4.2%

Source: U.S. Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics, Current Employment Statistics Program.  
Prepared by: Florida Department of Economic Opportunity, Bureau of Labor Market Statistics.

**NONAGRICULTURAL EMPLOYMENT IN FLORIDA  
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Industry Title	August 2016	July 2016	August 2015	Change from			
				July 2016 to August 2016 Level	Percent	August 2015 to August 2016 Level	Percent
<b>Other Services</b>	334,900	335,400	329,900	-500	-0.1%	5,000	1.5%
Repair and Maintenance	84,100	85,500	80,400	-1,400	-1.6%	3,700	4.6%
Automotive Repair and Maintenance	54,400	55,100	53,800	-700	-1.3%	600	1.1%
Personal and Laundry Services	96,100	95,600	94,900	500	0.5%	1,200	1.3%
Membership Associations and Organizations	154,700	154,300	154,600	400	0.3%	100	0.1%
<b>Total Government</b>	1,093,700	1,014,600	1,078,500	79,100	7.8%	15,200	1.4%
Federal	137,500	136,800	134,100	700	0.5%	3,400	2.5%
State	202,500	200,200	201,500	2,300	1.1%	1,000	0.5%
Local	753,700	677,600	742,900	76,100	11.2%	10,800	1.5%

Note: Employment estimates have been rounded to the nearest hundred. Sum of detail may not equal totals due to rounding or the exclusion of certain industries from publication. All data are subject to revision.

STATE OF FLORIDA  
LOCAL AREA UNEMPLOYMENT STATISTICS BY COUNTY  
(NOT SEASONALLY ADJUSTED)

COUNTY	AUGUST 2016				JULY 2016				AUGUST 2015			
	LABOR FORCE	EMPLOY- MENT	UNEMPLOYMENT LEVEL	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	LABOR FORCE	EMPLOY- MENT	UNEMPLOYMENT LEVEL	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	LABOR FORCE	EMPLOY- MENT	UNEMPLOYMENT LEVEL	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE
Alachua County	128,299	122,656	5,643	4.4%	130,018	123,950	6,068	4.7%	127,630	121,540	6,090	4.8%
Baker County	11,639	11,090	549	4.7%	11,699	11,113	586	5.0%	11,415	10,793	622	5.4%
Bay County	88,177	84,080	4,097	4.6%	89,544	85,198	4,346	4.9%	89,289	84,671	4,618	5.2%
Bradford County	10,739	10,288	451	4.2%	10,790	10,297	493	4.6%	10,801	10,273	528	4.9%
Brevard County	256,942	243,652	13,290	5.2%	258,900	244,890	14,010	5.4%	259,291	243,794	15,497	6.0%
Broward County	1,015,425	969,218	46,207	4.6%	1,021,356	972,974	48,382	4.7%	995,777	944,062	51,715	5.2%
Calhoun County	4,819	4,538	281	5.8%	4,857	4,555	302	6.2%	4,901	4,589	312	6.4%
Charlotte County	67,783	64,160	3,623	5.3%	68,118	64,307	3,811	5.6%	67,324	63,187	4,137	6.1%
Citrus County	47,386	44,178	3,208	6.8%	46,651	43,245	3,406	7.3%	47,877	44,245	3,632	7.6%
Clay County	102,087	97,568	4,519	4.4%	102,454	97,730	4,724	4.6%	99,881	94,908	4,973	5.0%
Collier County	160,747	152,230	8,517	5.3%	160,979	152,209	8,770	5.4%	158,364	148,838	9,526	6.0%
Columbia County	28,560	27,161	1,399	4.9%	28,790	27,332	1,458	5.1%	29,119	27,551	1,568	5.4%
DeSoto County	12,251	11,517	734	6.0%	12,066	11,309	757	6.3%	12,483	11,643	840	6.7%
Dixie County	5,416	5,125	291	5.4%	5,447	5,131	316	5.8%	5,597	5,241	356	6.4%
Duval County	478,683	454,399	24,284	5.1%	480,684	455,177	25,507	5.3%	470,052	441,947	28,105	6.0%
Escambia County	140,853	133,861	6,992	5.0%	141,286	133,819	7,467	5.3%	141,653	133,818	7,835	5.5%
Flagler County	44,691	42,263	2,428	5.4%	44,809	42,261	2,548	5.7%	43,573	40,855	2,718	6.2%
Franklin County	4,913	4,719	194	3.9%	4,926	4,708	218	4.4%	4,903	4,687	216	4.4%
Gadsden County	18,157	17,022	1,135	6.3%	18,478	17,277	1,201	6.5%	18,285	16,968	1,317	7.2%
Gilchrist County	6,498	6,166	332	5.1%	6,582	6,230	352	5.3%	6,461	6,085	376	5.8%
Glades County	4,542	4,226	316	7.0%	4,819	4,489	330	6.8%	4,649	4,268	381	8.2%
Gulf County	6,174	5,911	263	4.3%	6,261	5,978	283	4.5%	6,260	5,942	318	5.1%
Hamilton County	5,637	5,388	249	4.4%	5,824	5,555	269	4.6%	5,808	5,515	293	5.0%
Hardee County	9,153	8,488	665	7.3%	9,169	8,463	706	7.7%	9,162	8,396	766	8.4%
Hendry County	14,199	12,553	1,646	11.6%	14,028	12,360	1,668	11.9%	14,270	12,365	1,905	13.3%
Hernando County	67,593	63,570	4,023	6.0%	68,006	63,766	4,240	6.2%	66,983	62,361	4,622	6.9%
Highlands County	34,885	32,489	2,396	6.9%	34,176	31,645	2,531	7.4%	34,597	31,815	2,782	8.0%
Hillsborough County	699,043	667,663	31,380	4.5%	702,745	669,658	33,087	4.7%	689,455	654,263	35,192	5.1%
Holmes County	6,566	6,197	369	5.6%	6,555	6,165	390	5.9%	6,677	6,260	417	6.2%
Indian River County	60,952	56,904	4,048	6.6%	61,288	57,125	4,163	6.8%	61,033	56,379	4,654	7.6%
Jackson County	16,811	15,892	919	5.5%	16,944	15,960	984	5.8%	17,145	16,121	1,024	6.0%
Jefferson County	5,372	5,093	279	5.2%	5,412	5,113	299	5.5%	5,402	5,073	329	6.1%
Lafayette County	3,222	3,098	124	3.8%	3,165	3,034	131	4.1%	3,282	3,136	146	4.4%
Lake County	144,913	138,156	6,757	4.7%	145,296	138,092	7,204	5.0%	141,530	133,778	7,752	5.5%
Lee County	319,954	305,012	14,942	4.7%	322,679	306,939	15,740	4.9%	315,295	298,386	16,909	5.4%
Leon County	146,986	140,028	6,958	4.7%	148,110	140,729	7,381	5.0%	147,045	139,425	7,620	5.2%
Levy County	16,410	15,551	859	5.2%	16,482	15,563	919	5.6%	16,463	15,508	955	5.8%
Liberty County	2,601	2,461	140	5.4%	2,608	2,461	147	5.6%	2,617	2,463	154	5.9%

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STATE OF FLORIDA  
LOCAL AREA UNEMPLOYMENT STATISTICS BY COUNTY  
(NOT SEASONALLY ADJUSTED)

COUNTY	AUGUST 2016				JULY 2016				AUGUST 2015			
	LABOR FORCE	EMPLOY- MENT	UNEMPLOYMENT LEVEL	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	LABOR FORCE	EMPLOY- MENT	UNEMPLOYMENT LEVEL	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	LABOR FORCE	EMPLOY- MENT	UNEMPLOYMENT LEVEL	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE
Madison County	7,446	7,048	398	5.3%	7,470	7,050	420	5.6%	7,541	7,068	473	6.3%
Manatee County	165,227	157,630	7,597	4.6%	166,055	158,001	8,054	4.9%	163,746	155,058	8,688	5.3%
Marion County	131,030	123,314	7,716	5.9%	131,858	123,690	8,168	6.2%	131,709	123,122	8,587	6.5%
Martin County	70,299	66,819	3,480	5.0%	70,249	66,585	3,664	5.2%	69,864	65,961	3,903	5.6%
Miami-Dade County	1,311,986	1,238,615	73,371	5.6%	1,321,695	1,249,751	71,944	5.4%	1,331,563	1,245,780	85,783	6.4%
Monroe County	46,573	45,137	1,436	3.1%	46,981	45,423	1,558	3.3%	45,946	44,308	1,638	3.6%
Nassau County	37,726	36,021	1,705	4.5%	37,859	36,080	1,779	4.7%	36,945	35,075	1,870	5.1%
Okaloosa County	94,092	90,434	3,658	3.9%	96,043	92,073	3,970	4.1%	94,829	90,617	4,212	4.4%
Okeechobee County	16,585	15,599	986	5.9%	16,735	15,721	1,014	6.1%	17,113	15,938	1,175	6.9%
Orange County	711,967	681,091	30,876	4.3%	712,774	680,398	32,376	4.5%	693,702	658,950	34,752	5.0%
Osceola County	160,354	152,405	7,949	5.0%	160,584	152,261	8,323	5.2%	156,432	147,397	9,035	5.8%
Palm Beach County	699,012	663,503	35,509	5.1%	705,150	668,279	36,871	5.2%	693,510	655,705	37,805	5.5%
Pasco County	218,363	207,177	11,186	5.1%	219,571	207,821	11,750	5.4%	215,706	203,066	12,640	5.9%
Pinellas County	484,845	463,993	20,852	4.3%	487,448	465,459	21,989	4.5%	478,470	454,793	23,677	4.9%
Polk County	280,953	264,596	16,357	5.8%	281,325	264,302	17,023	6.1%	281,116	262,591	18,525	6.6%
Putnam County	28,491	26,773	1,718	6.0%	28,589	26,752	1,837	6.4%	28,194	26,111	2,083	7.4%
Santa Rosa County	74,508	71,136	3,372	4.5%	74,861	71,163	3,698	4.9%	74,691	71,029	3,662	4.9%
Sarasota County	180,776	172,636	8,140	4.5%	181,574	172,975	8,599	4.7%	179,101	169,965	9,136	5.1%
Seminole County	248,300	237,811	10,489	4.2%	248,682	237,561	11,121	4.5%	241,949	230,205	11,744	4.9%
St. Johns County	115,567	111,369	4,198	3.6%	116,040	111,556	4,484	3.9%	112,869	108,441	4,428	3.9%
St. Lucie County	131,877	124,008	7,869	6.0%	131,689	123,463	8,226	6.2%	131,302	122,393	8,909	6.8%
Sumter County	29,121	27,167	1,954	6.7%	28,948	26,883	2,065	7.1%	28,706	26,515	2,191	7.6%
Suwannee County	17,712	16,803	909	5.1%	17,733	16,768	965	5.4%	17,899	16,903	996	5.6%
Taylor County	8,548	8,077	471	5.5%	8,635	8,147	488	5.7%	9,122	8,495	627	6.9%
Union County	4,643	4,431	212	4.6%	4,639	4,413	226	4.9%	4,748	4,522	226	4.8%
Volusia County	245,864	233,634	12,230	5.0%	246,143	233,163	12,980	5.3%	240,167	226,111	14,056	5.9%
Wakulla County	13,845	13,277	568	4.1%	13,972	13,354	618	4.4%	13,900	13,245	655	4.7%
Walton County	28,532	27,360	1,172	4.1%	29,026	27,784	1,242	4.3%	28,459	27,161	1,298	4.6%
Washington County	9,663	9,178	485	5.0%	9,837	9,306	531	5.4%	9,752	9,183	569	5.8%
Florida (Not Seasonally Adjusted)	9,773,000	9,292,000	481,000	4.9%	9,824,000	9,323,000	501,000	5.1%	9,691,000	9,147,000	545,000	5.6%
Florida (Seasonally Adjusted)	9,717,000	9,263,000	454,000	4.7%	9,730,000	9,272,000	457,000	4.7%	9,645,000	9,146,000	499,000	5.2%
United States (Not Seasonally Adjusted)	159,800,000	151,804,000	7,996,000	5.0%	160,705,000	152,437,000	8,267,000	5.1%	157,390,000	149,228,000	8,162,000	5.2%
United States (Seasonally Adjusted)	159,463,000	151,614,000	7,849,000	4.9%	159,287,000	151,517,000	7,770,000	4.9%	157,061,000	149,043,000	8,018,000	5.1%

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STATE OF FLORIDA  
 LOCAL AREA UNEMPLOYMENT STATISTICS BY METROPOLITAN STATISTICAL AREA (MSA) AND METROPOLITAN DIVISION (MD)  
 (NOT SEASONALLY ADJUSTED)

MSA/MD	AUGUST 2016				JULY 2016				AUGUST 2015			
	LABOR FORCE	EMPLOY- MENT	UNEMPLOYMENT LEVEL	RATE	LABOR FORCE	EMPLOY- MENT	UNEMPLOYMENT LEVEL	RATE	LABOR FORCE	EMPLOY- MENT	UNEMPLOYMENT LEVEL	RATE
Cape Coral-Fort Myers MSA	319,954	305,012	14,942	4.7%	322,679	306,939	15,740	4.9%	315,295	298,386	16,909	5.4%
Crestview-Fort Walton Beach-Destin MSA	122,624	117,794	4,830	3.9%	125,069	119,857	5,212	4.2%	123,288	117,778	5,510	4.5%
Deltona-Daytona Beach-Ormond Beach MSA	290,555	275,897	14,658	5.0%	290,952	275,424	15,528	5.3%	283,740	266,966	16,774	5.9%
Gainesville MSA	134,797	128,822	5,975	4.4%	136,600	130,180	6,420	4.7%	134,091	127,625	6,466	4.8%
Homosassa Springs MSA	47,386	44,178	3,208	6.8%	46,651	43,245	3,406	7.3%	47,877	44,245	3,632	7.6%
Jacksonville MSA	745,702	710,447	35,255	4.7%	748,736	711,656	37,080	5.0%	731,162	691,164	39,998	5.5%
Lakeland-Winter Haven MSA	280,953	264,596	16,357	5.8%	281,325	264,302	17,023	6.1%	281,116	262,591	18,525	6.6%
Miami-Fort Lauderdale-West Palm Beach MSA	3,026,423	2,871,336	155,087	5.1%	3,048,201	2,891,004	157,197	5.2%	3,020,850	2,845,547	175,303	5.8%
Fort Lauderdale-Pompano Beach-Deerfield Beach MD	1,015,425	969,218	46,207	4.6%	1,021,356	972,974	48,382	4.7%	995,777	944,062	51,715	5.2%
Miami-Miami Beach-Kendall MD	1,311,986	1,238,615	73,371	5.6%	1,321,695	1,249,751	71,944	5.4%	1,331,563	1,245,780	85,783	6.4%
West Palm Beach-Boca Raton-Delray Beach MD	699,012	663,503	35,509	5.1%	705,150	668,279	36,871	5.2%	693,510	655,705	37,805	5.5%
Naples-Immokalee-Marco Island MSA	160,747	152,230	8,517	5.3%	160,979	152,209	8,770	5.4%	158,364	148,838	9,526	6.0%
North Port-Sarasota-Bradenton MSA	346,003	330,266	15,737	4.5%	347,629	330,976	16,653	4.8%	342,847	325,023	17,824	5.2%
Ocala MSA	131,030	123,314	7,716	5.9%	131,858	123,690	8,168	6.2%	131,709	123,122	8,587	6.5%
Orlando-Kissimmee-Sanford MSA	1,265,534	1,209,463	56,071	4.4%	1,267,336	1,208,312	59,024	4.7%	1,233,613	1,170,330	63,283	5.1%
Palm Bay-Melbourne-Titusville MSA	256,942	243,652	13,290	5.2%	258,900	244,890	14,010	5.4%	259,291	243,794	15,497	6.0%
Panama City MSA	94,351	89,991	4,360	4.6%	95,805	91,176	4,629	4.8%	95,549	90,613	4,936	5.2%
Pensacola-Ferry Pass-Brent MSA	215,361	204,997	10,364	4.8%	216,147	204,982	11,165	5.2%	216,344	204,847	11,497	5.3%
Port St. Lucie MSA	202,176	190,827	11,349	5.6%	201,938	190,048	11,890	5.9%	201,166	188,354	12,812	6.4%
Punta Gorda MSA	67,783	64,160	3,623	5.3%	68,118	64,307	3,811	5.6%	67,324	63,187	4,137	6.1%
Sebastian-Vero Beach MSA	60,952	56,904	4,048	6.6%	61,288	57,125	4,163	6.8%	61,033	56,379	4,654	7.6%
Sebring MSA	34,885	32,489	2,396	6.9%	34,176	31,645	2,531	7.4%	34,597	31,815	2,782	8.0%
Tallahassee MSA	184,360	175,420	8,940	4.8%	185,972	176,473	9,499	5.1%	184,632	174,711	9,921	5.4%
Tampa-St. Petersburg-Clearwater MSA	1,469,844	1,402,403	67,441	4.6%	1,477,770	1,406,704	71,066	4.8%	1,450,614	1,374,483	76,131	5.2%
The Villages MSA	29,121	27,167	1,954	6.7%	28,948	26,883	2,065	7.1%	28,706	26,515	2,191	7.6%
Florida (Not Seasonally Adjusted)	9,773,000	9,292,000	481,000	4.9%	9,824,000	9,323,000	501,000	5.1%	9,691,000	9,147,000	545,000	5.6%
Florida (Seasonally Adjusted)	9,717,000	9,263,000	454,000	4.7%	9,730,000	9,272,000	457,000	4.7%	9,645,000	9,146,000	499,000	5.2%
United States (Not Seasonally Adjusted)	159,800,000	151,804,000	7,996,000	5.0%	160,705,000	152,437,000	8,267,000	5.1%	157,390,000	149,228,000	8,162,000	5.2%
United States (Seasonally Adjusted)	159,463,000	151,614,000	7,849,000	4.9%	159,287,000	151,517,000	7,770,000	4.9%	157,061,000	149,043,000	8,018,000	5.1%

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STATE OF FLORIDA  
COUNTIES RANKED BY UNEMPLOYMENT RATE  
RANKED BY UNEMPLOYMENT RATE  
(NOT SEASONALLY ADJUSTED)  
AUGUST 2016 (PRELIMINARY)

1	Hendry County	11.6%
2	Hardee County	7.3%
3	Glades County	7.0%
4	Highlands County	6.9%
5	Citrus County	6.8%
6	Sumter County	6.7%
7	Indian River County	6.6%
8	Gadsden County	6.3%
9	Putnam County	6.0%
9	DeSoto County	6.0%
9	St. Lucie County	6.0%
9	Hernando County	6.0%
13	Okeechobee County	5.9%
13	Marion County	5.9%
15	Calhoun County	5.8%
15	Polk County	5.8%
17	Holmes County	5.6%
17	Miami-Dade County	5.6%
19	Taylor County	5.5%
19	Jackson County	5.5%
21	Flagler County	5.4%
21	Liberty County	5.4%
21	Dixie County	5.4%
24	Madison County	5.3%
24	Charlotte County	5.3%
24	Collier County	5.3%
27	Levy County	5.2%
27	Jefferson County	5.2%
27	Brevard County	5.2%
30	Suwannee County	5.1%
30	Pasco County	5.1%
30	Gilchrist County	5.1%
30	Palm Beach County	5.1%
30	Duval County	5.1%
35	Washington County	5.0%
	<b>United States</b>	<b>5.0%</b>
35	Volusia County	5.0%
35	Escambia County	5.0%
35	Osceola County	5.0%
35	Martin County	5.0%
	<b>Florida</b>	<b>4.9%</b>
40	Columbia County	4.9%

STATE OF FLORIDA  
COUNTIES RANKED BY UNEMPLOYMENT RATE  
RANKED BY UNEMPLOYMENT RATE  
(NOT SEASONALLY ADJUSTED)  
AUGUST 2016 (PRELIMINARY)

41	Leon County	4.7%
41	Baker County	4.7%
41	Lee County	4.7%
41	Lake County	4.7%
45	Bay County	4.6%
45	Manatee County	4.6%
45	Union County	4.6%
45	Broward County	4.6%
49	Santa Rosa County	4.5%
49	Nassau County	4.5%
49	Sarasota County	4.5%
49	Hillsborough County	4.5%
53	Clay County	4.4%
53	Hamilton County	4.4%
53	Alachua County	4.4%
56	Orange County	4.3%
56	Pinellas County	4.3%
56	Gulf County	4.3%
59	Seminole County	4.2%
59	Bradford County	4.2%
61	Walton County	4.1%
61	Wakulla County	4.1%
63	Franklin County	3.9%
63	Okaloosa County	3.9%
65	Lafayette County	3.8%
66	St. Johns County	3.6%
67	Monroe County	3.1%

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STATE OF FLORIDA  
 METROPOLITAN STATISTICAL AREAS (MSAs) AND METROPOLITAN DIVISIONS (MDs)  
 RANKED BY UNEMPLOYMENT RATE  
 (NOT SEASONALLY ADJUSTED)  
 AUGUST 2016 (PRELIMINARY)

1	Sebring MSA	6.9%
2	Homosassa Springs MSA	6.8%
3	The Villages MSA	6.7%
4	Sebastian-Vero Beach MSA	6.6%
5	Ocala MSA	5.9%
6	Lakeland-Winter Haven MSA	5.8%
7	Port St. Lucie MSA	5.6%
7	Miami-Miami Beach-Kendall MD	5.6%
9	Punta Gorda MSA	5.3%
9	Naples-Immokalee-Marco Island MSA	5.3%
11	Palm Bay-Melbourne-Titusville MSA	5.2%
12	West Palm Beach-Boca Raton-Delray Beach MD	5.1%
13	Deltona-Daytona Beach-Ormond Beach MSA	5.0%
	<b>United States</b>	<b>5.0%</b>
	<b>Florida</b>	<b>4.9%</b>
14	Tallahassee MSA	4.8%
14	Pensacola-Ferry Pass-Brent MSA	4.8%
16	Jacksonville MSA	4.7%
16	Cape Coral-Fort Myers MSA	4.7%
18	Panama City MSA	4.6%
18	Tampa-St. Petersburg-Clearwater MSA	4.6%
18	Fort Lauderdale-Pompano Beach-Deerfield Beach MD	4.6%
21	North Port-Sarasota-Bradenton MSA	4.5%
22	Gainesville MSA	4.4%
22	Orlando-Kissimmee-Sanford MSA	4.4%
24	Crestview-Fort Walton Beach-Destin MSA	3.9%

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TOTAL NONAGRICULTURAL EMPLOYMENT  
FLORIDA (Not Seasonally Adjusted)

Area	August 2016	July 2016	August 2015	Over-the-Month Change		Over-the-Year Change	
				Level	Percent	Level	Percent
Statewide	8,328,900	8,237,600	8,086,600	91,300	1.1%	242,300	3.0%
Cape Coral-Ft. Myers MSA	250,100	246,900	242,000	3,200	1.3%	8,100	3.3%
Crestview-Ft. Walton Beach-Destin MSA	110,400	111,400	109,800	-1,000	-0.9%	600	0.5%
Deltona-Daytona Beach-Ormond Beach MSA	196,200	193,100	187,600	3,100	1.6%	8,600	4.6%
Ft. Lauderdale-Pompano Beach-Deerfield Beach MD	830,000	823,800	795,200	6,200	0.8%	34,800	4.4%
Gainesville MSA	133,800	133,500	131,300	300	0.2%	2,500	1.9%
Homosassa Springs MSA	32,800	31,700	32,500	1,100	3.5%	300	0.9%
Jacksonville MSA	674,700	667,900	649,800	6,800	1.0%	24,900	3.8%
Lakeland-Winter Haven MSA	211,000	208,400	208,100	2,600	1.2%	2,900	1.4%
Miami-Fort Lauderdale-West Palm Beach MSA	2,558,700	2,542,300	2,499,000	16,400	0.6%	59,700	2.4%
Miami-Miami Beach-Kendall MD	1,133,300	1,125,500	1,121,600	7,800	0.7%	11,700	1.0%
Naples-Immokalee-Marco Island MSA	136,000	134,400	131,100	1,600	1.2%	4,900	3.7%
North Port-Sarasota-Bradenton MSA	289,000	286,300	281,600	2,700	0.9%	7,400	2.6%
Ocala MSA	98,700	97,900	97,600	800	0.8%	1,100	1.1%
Orlando-Kissimmee-Sanford MSA	1,212,800	1,197,200	1,161,200	15,600	1.3%	51,600	4.4%
Palm Bay-Melbourne-Titusville MSA	203,900	202,500	202,100	1,400	0.7%	1,800	0.9%
Panama City MSA	83,500	83,800	83,700	-300	-0.4%	-200	-0.2%
Pensacola-Ferry Pass-Brent MSA	170,200	168,400	169,200	1,800	1.1%	1,000	0.6%
Port St. Lucie MSA	139,500	137,200	136,100	2,300	1.7%	3,400	2.5%
Punta Gorda MSA	46,300	45,900	45,200	400	0.9%	1,100	2.4%
Sebastian-Vero Beach MSA	49,000	48,700	47,900	300	0.6%	1,100	2.3%
Sebring MSA	25,000	24,000	24,200	1,000	4.2%	800	3.3%
Tallahassee MSA	172,400	171,300	170,300	1,100	0.6%	2,100	1.2%
Tampa-St. Petersburg-Clearwater MSA	1,287,600	1,276,700	1,249,400	10,900	0.9%	38,200	3.1%
The Villages MSA	26,900	26,200	26,100	700	2.7%	800	3.1%
West Palm Beach-Boca Raton-Delray Beach MD	595,400	593,000	582,200	2,400	0.4%	13,200	2.3%

Note: Employment estimates have been rounded to the nearest hundred. Sum of detail may not equal totals due to rounding or the exclusion of certain industries from publication. All data are subject to revision. September 16, 2016.