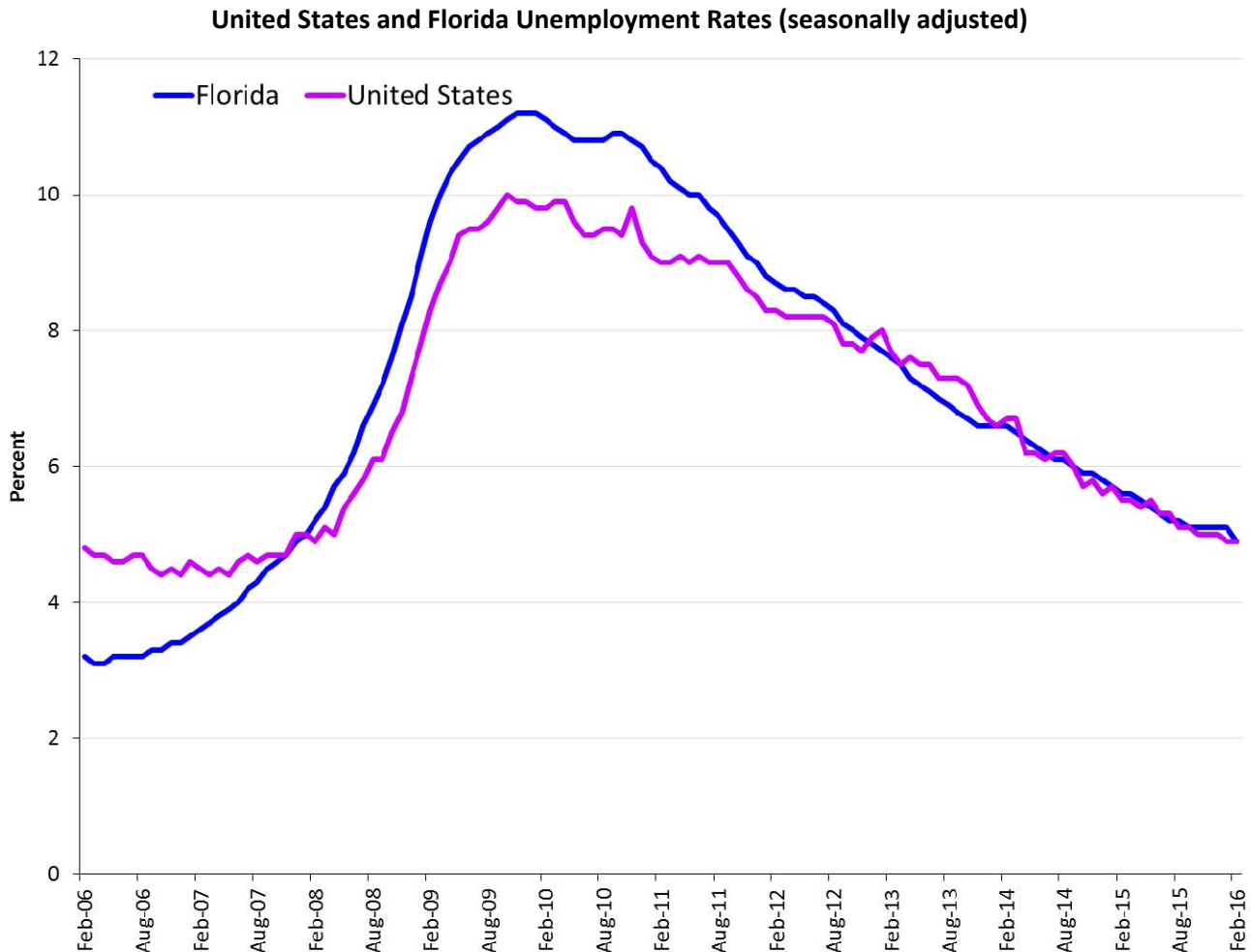


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Florida's February Employment Figures Released

Florida's seasonally adjusted unemployment rate was 4.9 percent in February 2016, down 0.2 percentage point from the revised January 2016 rate of 5.1 percent, and down 0.7 percentage point from 5.6 percent a year ago. There were 484,000 jobless Floridians out of a labor force of 9,793,000. The U.S. unemployment rate was 4.9 percent in February. Florida's unemployment rate has been less than or equal to the national rate for 25 of the last 39 months.

Florida's seasonally adjusted total nonagricultural employment was 8,241,700 in February 2016, an increase of 5,900 jobs (+0.1 percent) over the month. Compared to February a year ago, the number of jobs in the state was up by 243,200, an increase of 3.0 percent. Nationally, the number of jobs was up 1.9 percent over the year. Florida's annual 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 8,241,700 in February 2016, up 243,200 jobs compared to a year ago. February 2016 was the 67th consecutive month with positive annual job growth after the state lost jobs for over three years. The industry gaining the most jobs was professional and business services (+52,200 jobs, +4.4 percent).
- Other industries gaining jobs included leisure and hospitality (+42,800 jobs, +3.8 percent); trade, transportation, and utilities (+41,500 jobs, +2.5 percent); education and health services (+39,300 jobs, +3.3 percent); construction (+25,800 jobs, +6.2 percent); financial activities (+17,300 jobs, +3.3 percent); manufacturing (+12,200 jobs, +3.6 percent); total government (+8,000 jobs, +0.7 percent); and other services (+5,700 jobs, +1.7 percent).
- The only industry that lost jobs over the year was information (-1,600 jobs, -1.2 percent).

Local Area Unemployment Statistics (Not Seasonally Adjusted)

- In February 2016, Monroe County had the state's lowest unemployment rate (3.1 percent), followed by St. Johns County (3.5 percent) and Lafayette County (3.9 percent).
- Hendry County had the highest unemployment rate (7.8 percent) in Florida in February 2016, followed by Sumter County (6.8 percent) and Citrus County (6.6 percent).

Area Nonagricultural Employment (Not Seasonally Adjusted)

- All twenty-four metro areas in the state had over-the-year job gains in February 2016. The areas with the largest gains were Orlando-Kissimmee-Sanford (+47,900 jobs, +4.2 percent), Tampa-St. Petersburg-Clearwater (+39,500 jobs, +3.2 percent), and Ft. Lauderdale-Pompano Beach-Deerfield Beach (+30,800 jobs, +3.9 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 April 15, 2016, at 10:00 A.M.

LABOR FORCE STATUS OF THE CIVILIAN NONINSTITUTIONAL POPULATION
RELEASE DATE: March 25, 2016

SEASONALLY ADJUSTED

	Current Month February 2016	Month Ago January 2016	Year Ago February 2015	Over-the-Month Change		Over-the-Year Change	
				Level	Percent	Level	Percent
				STATE OF FLORIDA			
Civilian Noninstitutional Population 16+	16,508,000	16,485,000	16,194,000	23,000	0.1	314,000	1.9
Civilian Labor Force	9,793,000	9,766,000	9,603,000	27,000	0.3	190,000	2.0
Employment	9,309,000	9,272,000	9,061,000	37,000	0.4	248,000	2.7
Unemployment	484,000	494,000	542,000	-10,000	-2.0	-58,000	-10.7
Unemployment Rate (%)	4.9	5.1	5.6	-0.2	--	-0.7	--

UNITED STATES

Civilian Noninstitutional Population 16+	252,577,000	252,397,000	249,899,000	180,000	0.1	2,678,000	1.1
Civilian Labor Force	158,890,000	158,335,000	156,878,000	555,000	0.4	2,012,000	1.3
Employment	151,074,000	150,544,000	148,231,000	530,000	0.4	2,843,000	1.9
Unemployment	7,815,000	7,791,000	8,646,000	24,000	0.3	-831,000	-9.6
Unemployment Rate (%)	4.9	4.9	5.5	0.0	--	-0.6	--

NOT SEASONALLY ADJUSTED

	Current Month February 2016	Month Ago January 2016	Year Ago February 2015	Over-the-Month Change		Over-the-Year Change	
				Level	Percent	Level	Percent
				STATE OF FLORIDA			
Civilian Noninstitutional Population 16+	16,508,000	16,485,000	16,194,000	23,000	0.1	314,000	1.9
Civilian Labor Force	9,719,000	9,714,000	9,604,000	5,000	0.1	115,000	1.2
Employment	9,264,000	9,215,000	9,068,000	49,000	0.5	196,000	2.2
Unemployment	455,000	498,000	536,000	-43,000	-8.6	-81,000	-15.1
Unemployment Rate (%)	4.7	5.1	5.6	-0.4	--	-0.9	--

UNITED STATES

Civilian Noninstitutional Population 16+	252,577,000	252,397,000	249,899,000	180,000	0.1	2,678,000	1.1
Civilian Labor Force	158,279,000	157,347,000	156,213,000	932,000	0.6	2,066,000	1.3
Employment	150,060,000	149,037,000	147,118,000	1,023,000	0.7	2,942,000	2.0
Unemployment	8,219,000	8,309,000	9,095,000	-90,000	-1.1	-876,000	-9.6
Unemployment Rate (%)	5.2	5.3	5.8	-0.1	--	-0.6	--

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

	February ^p 2016	January ^r 2016	February 2015	Over-the-Month Change		Over-the-Year Change	
				Level	Percent	Level	Percent
Total Nonagricultural Employment	8,241,700	8,235,800	7,998,500	5,900	0.1	243,200	3.0
Total Private	7,155,900	7,153,100	6,920,700	2,800	*	235,200	3.4
Goods Producing	800,200	801,200	762,200	-1,000	-0.1	38,000	5.0
Mining, Logging, and Construction	450,200	452,000	424,400	-1,800	-0.4	25,800	6.1
Construction	444,400	446,200	418,600	-1,800	-0.4	25,800	6.2
Manufacturing	350,000	349,200	337,800	800	0.2	12,200	3.6
Durable Goods	238,900	237,200	229,000	1,700	0.7	9,900	4.3
Nondurable Goods	111,100	112,000	108,800	-900	-0.8	2,300	2.1
Service Producing	7,441,500	7,434,600	7,236,300	6,900	0.1	205,200	2.8
Private Service Providing	6,355,700	6,351,900	6,158,500	3,800	0.1	197,200	3.2
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	1,705,500	1,702,100	1,664,000	3,400	0.2	41,500	2.5
Wholesale Trade	338,200	338,900	332,400	-700	-0.2	5,800	1.7
Retail Trade	1,092,400	1,091,400	1,070,900	1,000	0.1	21,500	2.0
Transportation, Warehousing, and Utilities	274,900	271,800	260,700	3100	1.1	14,200	5.4
Information	134,300	133,900	135,900	400	0.3	-1,600	-1.2
Financial Activities	547,000	543,300	529,700	3,700	0.7	17,300	3.3
Finance and Insurance	364,000	362,200	354,600	1,800	0.5	9,400	2.7
Real Estate, Rental, and Leasing	183,000	181,100	175,100	1900	1.0	7,900	4.5
Professional and Business Services	1,251,700	1,256,600	1,199,500	-4,900	-0.4	52,200	4.4
Professional and Technical Services	511,600	514,100	498,100	-2,500	-0.5	13,500	2.7
Management of Companies and Enterprises	97,800	98,300	95,500	-500	-0.5	2,300	2.4
Administrative and Waste Services	642,300	644,200	605,900	-1,900	-0.3	36,400	6.0
Education and Health Services	1,224,000	1,221,000	1,184,700	3,000	0.2	39,300	3.3
Educational Services	158,000	155,300	150,500	2,700	1.7	7,500	5.0
Health Care and Social Assistance	1,066,000	1,065,700	1,034,200	300	*	31,800	3.1
Leisure and Hospitality	1,159,500	1,159,900	1,116,700	-400	*	42,800	3.8
Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation	220,800	223,700	213,400	-2,900	-1.3	7,400	3.5
Accommodation and Food Services	938,700	936,200	903,300	2,500	0.3	35,400	3.9
Other Services	333,700	335,100	328,000	-1,400	-0.4	5,700	1.7

Source: U.S. Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics, Current Employment Statistics Program.
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Nonagricultural Employment in Florida
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	February ^p 2016	January ^r 2016	February 2015	Over-the-Month Change		Over-the-Year Change	
				Level	Percent	Level	Percent
Total Government	1,085,800	1,082,700	1,077,800	3,100	0.3	8,000	0.7
Federal Government	135,700	135,200	132,900	500	0.4	2,800	2.1
State Government	208,800	206,800	208,500	2,000	1.0	300	0.1
Local Government	741,300	740,700	736,400	600	0.1	4,900	0.7

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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	February 2016	January 2016	February 2015	Change from			
				Jan 2016 to Feb 2016 Level	Percent	Feb 2015 to Feb 2016 Level	Percent
Total Nonagricultural Employment	8,267,100	8,202,100	8,013,600	65,000	0.8%	253,500	3.2%
Total Private	7,157,300	7,104,200	6,915,200	53,100	0.7%	242,100	3.5%
Goods Producing	793,200	790,700	754,900	2,500	0.3%	38,300	5.1%
Mining and Logging	5,800	5,800	5,800	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Mining, except Oil and Gas	3,400	3,300	3,300	100	3.0%	100	3.0%
Mining, Logging, and Construction	443,000	443,200	418,200	-200	0.0%	24,800	5.9%
Construction	437,200	437,400	412,400	-200	0.0%	24,800	6.0%
Construction of Buildings	89,000	89,800	84,000	-800	-0.9%	5,000	6.0%
Heavy and Civil Engineering Construction	54,300	52,600	51,300	1,700	3.2%	3,000	5.8%
Specialty Trade Contractors	293,900	295,000	277,100	-1,100	-0.4%	16,800	6.1%
Building Equipment Contractors	130,600	131,000	123,100	-400	-0.3%	7,500	6.1%
Manufacturing	350,200	347,500	336,700	2,700	0.8%	13,500	4.0%
Durable Goods	238,100	235,000	227,700	3,100	1.3%	10,400	4.6%
Fabricated Metal Product Manufacturing	36,100	35,800	34,800	300	0.8%	1,300	3.7%
Computer and Electronic Product Manufacturing	41,300	41,300	40,800	0	0.0%	500	1.2%
Communications Equipment Manufacturing	5,500	5,500	5,600	0	0.0%	-100	-1.8%
Transportation Equipment Manufacturing	39,700	39,600	38,800	100	0.3%	900	2.3%
Aerospace Product and Parts Manufacturing	19,800	19,800	19,500	0	0.0%	300	1.5%
Miscellaneous Durable Goods Manufacturing	31,800	31,700	30,600	100	0.3%	1,200	3.9%
Nondurable Goods	112,100	112,500	109,000	-400	-0.4%	3,100	2.8%
Food Manufacturing	31,100	31,100	30,100	0	0.0%	1,000	3.3%
Beverage and Tobacco Product Manufacturing	9,400	9,400	9,200	0	0.0%	200	2.2%
Paper Manufacturing	8,900	8,900	9,000	0	0.0%	-100	-1.1%
Printing and Related Support Activities	17,700	17,600	17,300	100	0.6%	400	2.3%
Chemical Manufacturing	18,800	18,700	18,900	100	0.5%	-100	-0.5%

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Industry Title	February 2016	January 2016	February 2015	Change from			
				Jan 2016 to Feb 2016 Level	Percent	Feb 2015 to Feb 2016 Level	Percent
Service Providing	7,473,900	7,411,400	7,258,700	62,500	0.8%	215,200	3.0%
Private Service Providing	6,364,100	6,313,500	6,160,300	50,600	0.8%	203,800	3.3%
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	1,701,800	1,705,000	1,661,000	-3,200	-0.2%	40,800	2.5%
Wholesale Trade	338,900	337,400	332,900	1,500	0.4%	6,000	1.8%
Merchant Wholesalers, Durable Goods	173,200	172,100	166,600	1,100	0.6%	6,600	4.0%
Commercial Equipment Wholesalers	46,300	46,300	47,200	0	0.0%	-900	-1.9%
Electrical and Electronic Goods Wholesalers	21,000	21,300	20,600	-300	-1.4%	400	1.9%
Machinery and Supply Wholesalers	32,500	32,500	30,400	0	0.0%	2,100	6.9%
Merchant Wholesalers, Nondurable Goods	122,600	122,600	123,400	0	0.0%	-800	-0.6%
Grocery and Related Product Wholesalers	50,200	50,300	49,700	-100	-0.2%	500	1.0%
Wholesale Electronic Markets and Agents	43,100	42,700	42,900	400	0.9%	200	0.5%
Retail Trade	1,089,700	1,093,800	1,067,400	-4,100	-0.4%	22,300	2.1%
Motor Vehicle and Parts Dealers	140,000	141,000	133,300	-1,000	-0.7%	6,700	5.0%
Automobile Dealers	88,900	89,900	84,300	-1,000	-1.1%	4,600	5.5%
Furniture and Home Furnishings Stores	38,200	38,000	36,400	200	0.5%	1,800	4.9%
Electronics and Appliance Stores	42,300	43,300	42,000	-1,000	-2.3%	300	0.7%
Building Material and Garden Supply Stores	85,200	82,200	80,500	3,000	3.6%	4,700	5.8%
Food and Beverage Stores	218,400	217,400	217,000	1,000	0.5%	1,400	0.6%
Health and Personal Care Stores	78,500	77,400	78,900	1,100	1.4%	-400	-0.5%
Gasoline Stations	43,400	43,200	42,600	200	0.5%	800	1.9%
Clothing and Accessory Stores	108,800	111,000	111,600	-2,200	-2.0%	-2,800	-2.5%
Sporting Goods, Hobby, Book, and Music Stores	38,500	40,400	37,800	-1,900	-4.7%	700	1.9%
General Merchandise Stores	204,600	209,100	201,600	-4,500	-2.2%	3,000	1.5%
Department Stores	78,400	82,600	81,500	-4,200	-5.1%	-3,100	-3.8%
Other General Merchandise Stores	126,200	126,500	120,100	-300	-0.2%	6,100	5.1%
Miscellaneous Store Retailers	59,700	58,800	55,200	900	1.5%	4,500	8.2%
Nonstore Retailers	32,100	32,000	30,500	100	0.3%	1,600	5.2%
Electronic Shopping and Mail-Order Houses	23,900	23,700	22,800	200	0.8%	1,100	4.8%
Transportation, Warehousing, and Utilities	273,200	273,800	260,700	-600	-0.2%	12,500	4.8%
Utilities	22,500	22,500	21,900	0	0.0%	600	2.7%

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Industry Title	February 2016	January 2016	February 2015	Change from			
				Jan 2016 to Feb 2016 Level	Percent	Feb 2015 to Feb 2016 Level	Percent
Transportation and Warehousing	250,700	251,300	238,800	-600	-0.2%	11,900	5.0%
Air Transportation	37,800	37,400	35,500	400	1.1%	2,300	6.5%
Water Transportation	13,100	13,000	12,300	100	0.8%	800	6.5%
Truck Transportation	51,300	51,200	48,400	100	0.2%	2,900	6.0%
Support Activities for Transportation	56,200	56,500	55,100	-300	-0.5%	1,100	2.0%
Couriers and Messengers	32,700	34,900	30,300	-2,200	-6.3%	2,400	7.9%
Warehousing and Storage	33,900	34,000	31,800	-100	-0.3%	2,100	6.6%
Information	134,100	133,200	135,800	900	0.7%	-1,700	-1.3%
Publishing Industries, except Internet	30,700	30,700	31,500	0	0.0%	-800	-2.5%
Broadcasting, except Internet	15,600	15,600	15,300	0	0.0%	300	2.0%
Telecommunications	51,600	51,500	51,600	100	0.2%	0	0.0%
Wired Telecommunications Carriers	41,200	41,100	41,000	100	0.2%	200	0.5%
Internet Service Providers and Data Processing	17,700	17,700	17,500	0	0.0%	200	1.1%
Financial Activities	545,100	541,400	527,100	3,700	0.7%	18,000	3.4%
Finance and Insurance	363,800	361,400	353,700	2,400	0.7%	10,100	2.9%
Credit Intermediation and Related Activities	159,600	159,300	158,600	300	0.2%	1,000	0.6%
Depository Credit Intermediation	96,600	97,000	96,500	-400	-0.4%	100	0.1%
Insurance Carriers and Related Activities	159,600	157,800	151,200	1,800	1.1%	8,400	5.6%
Insurance Carriers	78,800	78,500	75,400	300	0.4%	3,400	4.5%
Insurance Agencies, Brokerages, and Related	80,800	79,300	75,800	1,500	1.9%	5,000	6.6%
Real Estate, Rental, and Leasing	181,300	180,000	173,400	1,300	0.7%	7,900	4.6%
Real Estate	138,300	139,100	132,700	-800	-0.6%	5,600	4.2%
Professional and Business Services	1,251,200	1,241,600	1,197,600	9,600	0.8%	53,600	4.5%
Professional and Technical Services	517,100	513,500	501,900	3,600	0.7%	15,200	3.0%
Legal Services	98,400	97,300	96,000	1,100	1.1%	2,400	2.5%
Accounting, Tax Preparation, and Bookkeeping	70,900	69,800	68,700	1,100	1.6%	2,200	3.2%
Architectural, Engineering, and Related	77,400	77,900	74,200	-500	-0.6%	3,200	4.3%
Computer Systems Design and Related	80,100	79,800	76,600	300	0.4%	3,500	4.6%
Management and Technical Consulting Services	92,900	91,400	90,100	1,500	1.6%	2,800	3.1%
Management of Companies and Enterprises	97,900	97,900	95,500	0	0.0%	2,400	2.5%

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Industry Title	February 2016	January 2016	February 2015	Change from			
				Jan 2016 to Feb 2016 Level	Percent	Feb 2015 to Feb 2016 Level	Percent
Administrative and Waste Services	636,200	630,200	600,200	6,000	1.0%	36,000	6.0%
Administrative and Support Services	614,900	609,000	579,800	5,900	1.0%	35,100	6.1%
Employment Services	199,900	194,600	180,000	5,300	2.7%	19,900	11.1%
Business Support Services	95,600	95,600	91,600	0	0.0%	4,000	4.4%
Travel Arrangement and Reservation Services	28,600	28,200	27,300	400	1.4%	1,300	4.8%
Investigation and Security Services	70,900	70,600	69,900	300	0.4%	1,000	1.4%
Services to Buildings and Dwellings	162,600	164,900	154,300	-2,300	-1.4%	8,300	5.4%
Waste Management and Remediation Services	21,300	21,200	20,400	100	0.5%	900	4.4%
Education and Health Services	1,230,200	1,217,800	1,186,800	12,400	1.0%	43,400	3.7%
Educational Services	163,100	154,100	153,800	9,000	5.8%	9,300	6.0%
Elementary and Secondary Schools	58,600	57,500	55,900	1,100	1.9%	2,700	4.8%
Colleges and Universities	56,300	53,300	55,800	3,000	5.6%	500	0.9%
Health Care and Social Assistance	1,067,100	1,063,700	1,033,000	3,400	0.3%	34,100	3.3%
Ambulatory Health Care Services	462,000	458,600	447,900	3,400	0.7%	14,100	3.1%
Offices of Physicians	200,300	198,000	193,400	2,300	1.2%	6,900	3.6%
Home Health Care Services	73,600	73,000	70,100	600	0.8%	3,500	5.0%
Hospitals	295,400	294,400	282,400	1,000	0.3%	13,000	4.6%
Nursing and Residential Care Facilities	184,400	185,600	183,300	-1,200	-0.6%	1,100	0.6%
Nursing Care Facilities	95,100	96,600	96,200	-1,500	-1.6%	-1,100	-1.1%
Community Care for the Elderly	61,300	61,100	59,400	200	0.3%	1,900	3.2%
Social Assistance	125,300	125,100	119,400	200	0.2%	5,900	4.9%
Leisure and Hospitality	1,167,200	1,140,500	1,123,300	26,700	2.3%	43,900	3.9%
Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation	221,800	218,300	214,100	3,500	1.6%	7,700	3.6%
Amusement, Gambling, and Recreation	172,600	172,100	167,700	500	0.3%	4,900	2.9%
Amusement Parks and Arcades	71,000	68,500	68,800	2,500	3.6%	2,200	3.2%
Accommodation and Food Services	945,400	922,200	909,200	23,200	2.5%	36,200	4.0%
Accommodation	180,200	176,100	178,600	4,100	2.3%	1,600	0.9%
Food Services and Drinking Places	765,200	746,100	730,600	19,100	2.6%	34,600	4.7%

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	February 2016	January 2016	February 2015	Change from			
				Jan 2016 to Feb 2016 Level	Percent	Feb 2015 to Feb 2016 Level	Percent
Other Services	334,500	334,000	328,700	500	0.1%	5,800	1.8%
Repair and Maintenance	84,100	83,000	79,000	1,100	1.3%	5,100	6.5%
Automotive Repair and Maintenance	56,500	55,000	53,300	1,500	2.7%	3,200	6.0%
Personal and Laundry Services	95,300	96,400	94,500	-1,100	-1.1%	800	0.8%
Membership Associations and Organizations	155,100	154,600	155,200	500	0.3%	-100	-0.1%
Total Government	1,109,800	1,097,900	1,098,400	11,900	1.1%	11,400	1.0%
Federal	135,600	135,400	132,700	200	0.1%	2,900	2.2%
State	213,600	208,800	213,300	4,800	2.3%	300	0.1%
Local	760,600	753,700	752,400	6,900	0.9%	8,200	1.1%

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	FEBRUARY 2016				JANUARY 2016				FEBRUARY 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	130,763	125,546	5,217	4.0%	130,192	124,347	5,845	4.5%	129,284	123,276	6,008	4.6%
Baker County	11,348	10,833	515	4.5%	11,343	10,774	569	5.0%	11,187	10,554	633	5.7%
Bay County	85,875	81,544	4,331	5.0%	85,221	80,328	4,893	5.7%	85,773	80,489	5,284	6.2%
Bradford County	10,729	10,275	454	4.2%	10,766	10,272	494	4.6%	10,588	10,052	536	5.1%
Brevard County	256,294	243,018	13,276	5.2%	255,708	241,491	14,217	5.6%	256,870	240,909	15,961	6.2%
Broward County	1,002,778	958,810	43,968	4.4%	999,465	951,814	47,651	4.8%	983,653	931,626	52,027	5.3%
Calhoun County	4,807	4,539	268	5.6%	4,801	4,508	293	6.1%	4,899	4,592	307	6.3%
Charlotte County	68,157	64,597	3,560	5.2%	67,921	64,055	3,866	5.7%	67,632	63,510	4,122	6.1%
Citrus County	47,479	44,326	3,153	6.6%	47,193	43,692	3,501	7.4%	47,250	43,420	3,830	8.1%
Clay County	99,530	95,264	4,266	4.3%	99,479	94,736	4,743	4.8%	97,806	92,758	5,048	5.2%
Collier County	165,267	158,043	7,224	4.4%	165,142	157,144	7,998	4.8%	165,457	157,209	8,248	5.0%
Columbia County	29,466	28,086	1,380	4.7%	29,139	27,637	1,502	5.2%	28,485	26,818	1,667	5.9%
DeSoto County	12,511	11,872	639	5.1%	12,715	12,007	708	5.6%	13,017	12,223	794	6.1%
Dixie County	5,450	5,154	296	5.4%	5,485	5,172	313	5.7%	5,531	5,172	359	6.5%
Duval County	465,694	443,311	22,383	4.8%	465,385	441,109	24,276	5.2%	458,846	431,405	27,441	6.0%
Escambia County	138,893	132,131	6,762	4.9%	138,367	130,825	7,542	5.5%	137,322	129,116	8,206	6.0%
Flagler County	43,935	41,545	2,390	5.4%	43,665	41,073	2,592	5.9%	43,248	40,393	2,855	6.6%
Franklin County	4,660	4,447	213	4.6%	4,613	4,383	230	5.0%	4,718	4,462	256	5.4%
Gadsden County	18,324	17,188	1,136	6.2%	18,097	16,888	1,209	6.7%	18,458	17,077	1,381	7.5%
Gilchrist County	6,609	6,296	313	4.7%	6,597	6,232	365	5.5%	6,534	6,163	371	5.7%
Glades County	4,671	4,403	268	5.7%	4,668	4,369	299	6.4%	4,695	4,381	314	6.7%
Gulf County	5,989	5,720	269	4.5%	5,916	5,617	299	5.1%	5,968	5,639	329	5.5%
Hamilton County	5,596	5,344	252	4.5%	5,186	4,912	274	5.3%	4,627	4,313	314	6.8%
Hardee County	11,220	10,642	578	5.2%	11,203	10,562	641	5.7%	11,310	10,624	686	6.1%
Hendry County	15,577	14,365	1,212	7.8%	15,881	14,543	1,338	8.4%	15,895	14,473	1,422	8.9%
Hernando County	66,753	62,768	3,985	6.0%	66,588	62,232	4,356	6.5%	65,932	61,192	4,740	7.2%
Highlands County	36,531	34,318	2,213	6.1%	36,232	33,801	2,431	6.7%	35,957	33,307	2,650	7.4%
Hillsborough County	696,033	666,261	29,772	4.3%	692,592	660,100	32,492	4.7%	685,247	649,737	35,510	5.2%
Holmes County	6,612	6,263	349	5.3%	6,622	6,231	391	5.9%	6,709	6,268	441	6.6%
Indian River County	61,810	58,306	3,504	5.7%	61,776	57,947	3,829	6.2%	61,248	57,295	3,953	6.5%
Jackson County	16,920	16,037	883	5.2%	17,010	16,034	976	5.7%	17,206	16,131	1,075	6.2%
Jefferson County	5,453	5,173	280	5.1%	5,391	5,091	300	5.6%	5,460	5,137	323	5.9%
Lafayette County	3,164	3,040	124	3.9%	3,159	3,026	133	4.2%	3,251	3,087	164	5.0%
Lake County	141,628	134,976	6,652	4.7%	141,208	133,953	7,255	5.1%	138,347	130,394	7,953	5.7%
Lee County	326,727	312,685	14,042	4.3%	326,593	311,226	15,367	4.7%	320,326	303,863	16,463	5.1%
Leon County	149,232	142,892	6,340	4.2%	148,196	141,021	7,175	4.8%	149,177	141,703	7,474	5.0%
Levy County	16,449	15,602	847	5.1%	16,494	15,565	929	5.6%	16,465	15,459	1,006	6.1%
Liberty County	2,622	2,490	132	5.0%	2,618	2,469	149	5.7%	2,693	2,535	158	5.9%

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

COUNTY	FEBRUARY 2016				JANUARY 2016				FEBRUARY 2015			
	LABOR FORCE	EMPLOYMENT	UNEMPLOYMENT LEVEL	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	LABOR FORCE	EMPLOYMENT	UNEMPLOYMENT LEVEL	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	LABOR FORCE	EMPLOYMENT	UNEMPLOYMENT LEVEL	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE
Madison County	7,452	7,051	401	5.4%	7,403	6,992	411	5.6%	7,594	7,099	495	6.5%
Manatee County	166,076	158,909	7,167	4.3%	165,516	157,631	7,885	4.8%	163,887	155,542	8,345	5.1%
Marion County	130,063	122,672	7,391	5.7%	129,977	121,922	8,055	6.2%	130,468	121,678	8,790	6.7%
Martin County	70,630	67,330	3,300	4.7%	70,494	66,919	3,575	5.1%	69,404	65,671	3,733	5.4%
Miami-Dade County	1,325,152	1,255,646	69,506	5.2%	1,346,822	1,270,242	76,580	5.7%	1,334,243	1,254,214	80,029	6.0%
Monroe County	47,131	45,693	1,438	3.1%	46,818	45,258	1,560	3.3%	46,115	44,417	1,698	3.7%
Nassau County	36,779	35,159	1,620	4.4%	36,763	34,994	1,769	4.8%	36,209	34,254	1,955	5.4%
Okaloosa County	89,241	85,531	3,710	4.2%	88,872	84,772	4,100	4.6%	89,168	84,752	4,416	5.0%
Okeechobee County	17,530	16,631	899	5.1%	17,493	16,474	1,019	5.8%	17,564	16,477	1,087	6.2%
Orange County	694,614	665,137	29,477	4.2%	692,008	659,778	32,230	4.7%	677,495	642,227	35,268	5.2%
Osceola County	156,420	148,769	7,651	4.9%	155,903	147,514	8,389	5.4%	152,728	143,609	9,119	6.0%
Palm Beach County	700,502	668,893	31,609	4.5%	697,874	663,667	34,207	4.9%	688,108	653,699	34,409	5.0%
Pasco County	215,819	204,918	10,901	5.1%	214,966	203,068	11,898	5.5%	212,699	199,700	12,999	6.1%
Pinellas County	478,883	458,365	20,518	4.3%	476,265	454,069	22,196	4.7%	471,146	446,666	24,480	5.2%
Polk County	280,734	265,842	14,892	5.3%	280,664	264,267	16,397	5.8%	277,168	259,379	17,789	6.4%
Putnam County	28,722	26,999	1,723	6.0%	28,380	26,472	1,908	6.7%	28,443	26,183	2,260	7.9%
Santa Rosa County	73,426	70,286	3,140	4.3%	73,097	69,553	3,544	4.8%	72,161	68,620	3,541	4.9%
Sarasota County	180,030	172,098	7,932	4.4%	179,408	170,772	8,636	4.8%	177,523	168,298	9,225	5.2%
Seminole County	242,127	232,068	10,059	4.2%	241,359	230,358	11,001	4.6%	236,189	224,082	12,107	5.1%
St. Johns County	112,611	108,706	3,905	3.5%	112,612	108,256	4,356	3.9%	110,355	105,852	4,503	4.1%
St. Lucie County	132,130	125,198	6,932	5.2%	131,981	124,320	7,661	5.8%	130,665	122,326	8,339	6.4%
Sumter County	28,986	27,009	1,977	6.8%	28,870	26,749	2,121	7.3%	28,542	26,282	2,260	7.9%
Suwannee County	17,626	16,768	858	4.9%	17,706	16,746	960	5.4%	17,436	16,396	1,040	6.0%
Taylor County	8,655	8,162	493	5.7%	8,807	8,235	572	6.5%	9,067	8,393	674	7.4%
Union County	4,730	4,522	208	4.4%	4,733	4,488	245	5.2%	4,682	4,446	236	5.0%
Volusia County	241,288	229,386	11,902	4.9%	239,892	226,889	13,003	5.4%	237,584	223,175	14,409	6.1%
Wakulla County	14,182	13,606	576	4.1%	14,035	13,396	639	4.6%	14,203	13,543	660	4.6%
Walton County	26,926	25,753	1,173	4.4%	26,747	25,432	1,315	4.9%	26,673	25,292	1,381	5.2%
Washington County	9,449	8,951	498	5.3%	9,472	8,923	549	5.8%	9,467	8,866	601	6.3%
Florida (Not Seasonally Adjusted)	9,719,000	9,264,000	455,000	4.7%	9,714,000	9,215,000	498,000	5.1%	9,604,000	9,068,000	536,000	5.6%
Florida (Seasonally Adjusted)	9,793,000	9,309,000	484,000	4.9%	9,766,000	9,272,000	494,000	5.1%	9,603,000	9,061,000	542,000	5.6%
United States (Not Seasonally Adjusted)	158,279,000	150,060,000	8,219,000	5.2%	157,347,000	149,037,000	8,309,000	5.3%	156,213,000	147,118,000	9,095,000	5.8%
United States (Seasonally Adjusted)	158,890,000	151,074,000	7,815,000	4.9%	158,335,000	150,544,000	7,791,000	4.9%	156,878,000	148,231,000	8,646,000	5.5%

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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	FEBRUARY 2016				JANUARY 2016				FEBRUARY 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
Cape Coral-Fort Myers MSA	326,727	312,685	14,042	4.3%	326,593	311,226	15,367	4.7%	320,326	303,863	16,463	5.1%
Crestview-Fort Walton Beach-Destin MSA	116,167	111,284	4,883	4.2%	115,619	110,204	5,415	4.7%	115,841	110,044	5,797	5.0%
Deltona-Daytona Beach-Ormond Beach MSA	285,223	270,931	14,292	5.0%	283,557	267,962	15,595	5.5%	280,832	263,568	17,264	6.1%
Gainesville MSA	137,372	131,842	5,530	4.0%	136,789	130,579	6,210	4.5%	135,818	129,439	6,379	4.7%
Homosassa Springs MSA	47,479	44,326	3,153	6.6%	47,193	43,692	3,501	7.4%	47,250	43,420	3,830	8.1%
Jacksonville MSA	725,962	693,273	32,689	4.5%	725,582	689,869	35,713	4.9%	714,403	674,823	39,580	5.5%
Lakeland-Winter Haven MSA	280,734	265,842	14,892	5.3%	280,664	264,267	16,397	5.8%	277,168	259,379	17,789	6.4%
Miami-Fort Lauderdale-West Palm Beach MSA	3,028,432	2,883,349	145,083	4.8%	3,044,161	2,885,723	158,438	5.2%	3,006,004	2,839,539	166,465	5.5%
Fort Lauderdale-Pompano Beach-Deerfield Beach	1,002,778	958,810	43,968	4.4%	999,465	951,814	47,651	4.8%	983,653	931,626	52,027	5.3%
Miami-Miami Beach-Kendall MD	1,325,152	1,255,646	69,506	5.2%	1,346,822	1,270,242	76,580	5.7%	1,334,243	1,254,214	80,029	6.0%
West Palm Beach-Boca Raton-Delray Beach MD	700,502	668,893	31,609	4.5%	697,874	663,667	34,207	4.9%	688,108	653,699	34,409	5.0%
Naples-Immokalee-Marco Island MSA	165,267	158,043	7,224	4.4%	165,142	157,144	7,998	4.8%	165,457	157,209	8,248	5.0%
North Port-Sarasota-Bradenton MSA	346,106	331,007	15,099	4.4%	344,924	328,403	16,521	4.8%	341,410	323,840	17,570	5.1%
Ocala MSA	130,063	122,672	7,391	5.7%	129,977	121,922	8,055	6.2%	130,468	121,678	8,790	6.7%
Orlando-Kissimmee-Sanford MSA	1,234,789	1,180,950	53,839	4.4%	1,230,478	1,171,603	58,875	4.8%	1,204,759	1,140,312	64,447	5.3%
Palm Bay-Melbourne-Titusville MSA	256,294	243,018	13,276	5.2%	255,708	241,491	14,217	5.6%	256,870	240,909	15,961	6.2%
Panama City MSA	91,864	87,264	4,600	5.0%	91,137	85,945	5,192	5.7%	91,741	86,128	5,613	6.1%
Pensacola-Ferry Pass-Brent MSA	212,319	202,417	9,902	4.7%	211,464	200,378	11,086	5.2%	209,483	197,736	11,747	5.6%
Port St. Lucie MSA	202,760	192,528	10,232	5.0%	202,475	191,239	11,236	5.5%	200,069	187,997	12,072	6.0%
Punta Gorda MSA	68,157	64,597	3,560	5.2%	67,921	64,055	3,866	5.7%	67,632	63,510	4,122	6.1%
Sebastian-Vero Beach MSA	61,810	58,306	3,504	5.7%	61,776	57,947	3,829	6.2%	61,248	57,295	3,953	6.5%
Sebring MSA	36,531	34,318	2,213	6.1%	36,232	33,801	2,431	6.7%	35,957	33,307	2,650	7.4%
Tallahassee MSA	187,191	178,859	8,332	4.5%	185,719	176,396	9,323	5.0%	187,298	177,460	9,838	5.3%
Tampa-St. Petersburg-Clearwater MSA	1,457,488	1,392,312	65,176	4.5%	1,450,411	1,379,469	70,942	4.9%	1,435,024	1,357,295	77,729	5.4%
The Villages MSA	28,986	27,009	1,977	6.8%	28,870	26,749	2,121	7.3%	28,542	26,282	2,260	7.9%
Florida (Not Seasonally Adjusted)	9,719,000	9,264,000	455,000	4.7%	9,714,000	9,215,000	498,000	5.1%	9,604,000	9,068,000	536,000	5.6%
Florida (Seasonally Adjusted)	9,793,000	9,309,000	484,000	4.9%	9,766,000	9,272,000	494,000	5.1%	9,603,000	9,061,000	542,000	5.6%
United States (Not Seasonally Adjusted)	158,279,000	150,060,000	8,219,000	5.2%	157,347,000	149,037,000	8,309,000	5.3%	156,213,000	147,118,000	9,095,000	5.8%
United States (Seasonally Adjusted)	158,890,000	151,074,000	7,815,000	4.9%	158,335,000	150,544,000	7,791,000	4.9%	156,878,000	148,231,000	8,646,000	5.5%

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

1	Hendry County	7.8%
2	Sumter County	6.8%
3	Citrus County	6.6%
4	Gadsden County	6.2%
5	Highlands County	6.1%
6	Putnam County	6.0%
6	Hernando County	6.0%
8	Glades County	5.7%
8	Taylor County	5.7%
8	Marion County	5.7%
8	Indian River County	5.7%
12	Calhoun County	5.6%
13	Flagler County	5.4%
13	Dixie County	5.4%
13	Madison County	5.4%
16	Polk County	5.3%
16	Holmes County	5.3%
16	Washington County	5.3%
19	St. Lucie County	5.2%
19	Miami-Dade County	5.2%
19	Charlotte County	5.2%
19	Jackson County	5.2%
	United States	5.2%
19	Brevard County	5.2%
19	Hardee County	5.2%
25	Levy County	5.1%
25	Jefferson County	5.1%
25	Okeechobee County	5.1%
25	DeSoto County	5.1%
25	Pasco County	5.1%
30	Bay County	5.0%
30	Liberty County	5.0%
32	Volusia County	4.9%
32	Osceola County	4.9%
32	Escambia County	4.9%

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

32	Suwannee County	4.9%
36	Duval County	4.8%
37	Gilchrist County	4.7%
37	Lake County	4.7%
37	Columbia County	4.7%
	Florida	4.7%
37	Martin County	4.7%
41	Franklin County	4.6%
42	Baker County	4.5%
42	Palm Beach County	4.5%
42	Hamilton County	4.5%
42	Gulf County	4.5%
46	Sarasota County	4.4%
46	Nassau County	4.4%
46	Union County	4.4%
46	Broward County	4.4%
46	Collier County	4.4%
46	Walton County	4.4%
52	Manatee County	4.3%
52	Lee County	4.3%
52	Clay County	4.3%
52	Pinellas County	4.3%
52	Hillsborough County	4.3%
52	Santa Rosa County	4.3%
58	Leon County	4.2%
58	Orange County	4.2%
58	Bradford County	4.2%
58	Okaloosa County	4.2%
58	Seminole County	4.2%
63	Wakulla County	4.1%
64	Alachua County	4.0%
65	Lafayette County	3.9%
66	St. Johns County	3.5%
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)
 FEBRUARY 2016 (PRELIMINARY)

1	The Villages MSA	6.8%
2	Homasassa Springs MSA	6.6%
3	Sebring MSA	6.1%
4	Ocala MSA	5.7%
4	Sebastian-Vero Beach MSA	5.7%
6	Lakeland-Winter Haven MSA	5.3%
7	Miami-Miami Beach-Kendall MD	5.2%
7	Punta Gorda MSA	5.2%
	United States	5.2%
7	Palm Bay-Melbourne-Titusville MSA	5.2%
10	Port St. Lucie MSA	5.0%
10	Deltona-Daytona Beach-Ormond Beach MSA	5.0%
10	Panama City MSA	5.0%
	Florida	4.7%
13	Pensacola-Ferry Pass-Brent MSA	4.7%
14	West Palm Beach-Boca Raton-Delray Beach MD	4.5%
14	Jacksonville MSA	4.5%
14	Tampa-St. Petersburg-Clearwater MSA	4.5%
14	Tallahassee MSA	4.5%
18	Fort Lauderdale-Pompano Beach-Deerfield Beach MD	4.4%
18	Naples-Immokalee-Marco Island MSA	4.4%
18	North Port-Sarasota-Bradenton MSA	4.4%
18	Orlando-Kissimmee-Sanford MSA	4.4%
22	Cape Coral-Fort Myers MSA	4.3%
23	Crestview-Fort Walton Beach-Destin MSA	4.2%
24	Gainesville MSA	4.0%

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TOTAL NONAGRICULTURAL EMPLOYMENT
FLORIDA (Not Seasonally Adjusted)

Area	February 2016	January 2016	February 2015	Over-the-Month Change		Over-the-Year Change	
				Level	Percent	Level	Percent
Statewide	8,267,100	8,202,100	8,013,600	65,000	0.8%	253,500	3.2%
Cape Coral-Ft. Myers MSA	255,400	254,100	246,600	1,300	0.5%	8,800	3.6%
Crestview-Ft. Walton Beach-Destin MSA	104,200	103,400	102,700	800	0.8%	1,500	1.5%
Deltona-Daytona Beach-Ormond Beach MSA	193,000	190,800	186,700	2,200	1.2%	6,300	3.4%
Ft. Lauderdale-Pompano Beach-Deerfield Beach MD	821,400	815,000	790,600	6,400	0.8%	30,800	3.9%
Gainesville MSA	137,400	136,200	133,900	1,200	0.9%	3,500	2.6%
Homosassa Springs MSA	33,000	32,500	32,200	500	1.5%	800	2.5%
Jacksonville MSA	658,600	657,000	637,500	1,600	0.2%	21,100	3.3%
Lakeland-Winter Haven MSA	212,600	211,500	205,900	1,100	0.5%	6,700	3.3%
Miami-Fort Lauderdale-West Palm Beach MSA	2,554,800	2,542,700	2,487,000	12,100	0.5%	67,800	2.7%
Miami-Miami Beach-Kendall MD	1,133,400	1,132,500	1,114,200	900	0.1%	19,200	1.7%
Naples-Immokalee-Marco Island MSA	139,600	138,900	137,900	700	0.5%	1,700	1.2%
North Port-Sarasota-Bradenton MSA	289,400	286,900	281,400	2,500	0.9%	8,000	2.8%
Ocala MSA	98,300	97,600	96,900	700	0.7%	1,400	1.4%
Orlando-Kissimmee-Sanford MSA	1,183,800	1,177,300	1,135,900	6,500	0.6%	47,900	4.2%
Palm Bay-Melbourne-Titusville MSA	203,300	202,700	200,900	600	0.3%	2,400	1.2%
Panama City MSA	81,200	80,000	79,800	1,200	1.5%	1,400	1.8%
Pensacola-Ferry Pass-Brent MSA	168,600	167,200	164,000	1,400	0.8%	4,600	2.8%
Port St. Lucie MSA	140,700	140,200	136,400	500	0.4%	4,300	3.2%
Punta Gorda MSA	46,900	46,600	45,900	300	0.6%	1,000	2.2%
Sebastian-Vero Beach MSA	49,800	49,700	48,700	100	0.2%	1,100	2.3%
Sebring MSA	25,700	25,400	24,600	300	1.2%	1,100	4.5%
Tallahassee MSA	176,000	173,800	174,200	2,200	1.3%	1,800	1.0%
Tampa-St. Petersburg-Clearwater MSA	1,273,800	1,264,100	1,234,300	9,700	0.8%	39,500	3.2%
The Villages MSA	27,100	26,900	26,200	200	0.7%	900	3.4%
West Palm Beach-Boca Raton-Delray Beach MD	600,000	595,200	582,200	4,800	0.8%	17,800	3.1%

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. March 25, 2016.