

Annual employment growth since the Great Recession Began

Percent change from December 2007 of MSAs without seasonally adjusted data

BLS Current Employment Statistics, State and Metro Area Employment, Hours, and Earnings (SAE)

Please Note: Red text color signifies that the MSA has fewer jobs in December 2014 than before the Great Recession Began.

Metro Area	State	Percent change in employment since the beginning of Great Recession						
		December 2008	December 2009	December 2010	December 2011	December 2012	December 2013	December 2014
Daphne-Fairhope-Foley, AL	Alabama	-3.8%	-8.4%	-8.2%	-7.3%	-5.3%	-1.4%	1.8%
Sierra Vista-Douglas, AZ	Arizona	0.0%	-1.0%	-2.8%	-4.7%	-6.5%	-9.6%	-9.3%
Danbury, CT NECTA	Connecticut	-3.1%	-8.2%	-6.4%	-4.6%	-2.6%	-1.9%	0.7%
Waterbury, CT NECTA	Connecticut	-4.0%	-8.2%	-9.1%	-7.5%	-6.4%	-6.5%	-4.3%
Salisbury, MD-DE	Delaware	-2.1%	-5.2%	-4.4%	-5.9%	-4.0%	-2.4%	-2.1%
Crestview-Fort Walton Beach-Destin, FL	Florida	-3.6%	-7.7%	-7.4%	-6.2%	-4.6%	-2.3%	0.2%
Deltona-Daytona Beach-Ormond Beach, FL	Florida	-4.9%	-8.3%	-9.5%	-9.0%	-7.7%	-5.0%	-2.9%
Homosassa Springs, FL	Florida	-8.8%	-10.7%	-9.9%	-11.8%	-11.2%	-14.2%	-12.8%
Panama City, FL	Florida	-4.8%	-7.2%	-6.4%	-7.1%	-5.8%	-3.2%	-0.8%
Sebring, FL	Florida	-6.9%	-11.6%	-12.0%	-12.7%	-12.7%	-10.9%	-5.4%
The Villages, FL	Florida	0.5%	-0.5%	0.5%	6.1%	12.1%	16.8%	22.4%
Warner Robins, GA	Georgia	1.1%	1.1%	-0.3%	2.6%	1.7%	-0.3%	1.0%
Kahului-Wailuku-Lahaina, HI	Hawaii	-6.4%	-11.1%	-10.6%	-8.5%	-4.3%	-1.9%	-0.3%
Idaho Falls, ID	Idaho	-2.8%	-5.0%	-4.0%	-4.8%	-4.5%	-2.7%	0.3%
Pocatello, ID	Idaho	-2.7%	-8.7%	-7.4%	-8.7%	-7.7%	-4.4%	-3.0%
Bloomington, IL	Illinois	1.2%	-0.3%	-0.5%	0.0%	-0.6%	-1.3%	-2.8%
Carbondale-Marion, IL	Illinois	-2.4%	-3.6%	-2.9%	-2.4%	-3.5%	-4.3%	-4.7%
Bloomington, IN	Indiana	-6.3%	-2.1%	-5.1%	-4.4%	-9.0%	-2.8%	-2.1%
Evansville, IN-KY	Indiana	-1.1%	-5.0%	-3.8%	-1.2%	-2.1%	-1.7%	0.6%
Kokomo, IN	Indiana	-7.1%	-14.4%	-12.3%	-9.5%	-6.6%	-2.8%	-2.8%
Sioux City, IA-NE-SD	Iowa	-0.7%	-3.5%	-4.3%	-3.4%	-1.7%	0.0%	1.6%
Manhattan, KS	Kansas	2.4%	-1.0%	-1.7%	-3.8%	1.9%	5.0%	6.4%
Bowling Green, KY	Kentucky	-3.8%	-7.2%	-5.9%	-2.4%	-0.8%	1.6%	4.0%
Elizabethtown-Fort Knox, KY	Kentucky	-3.2%	-6.6%	-0.4%	-1.7%	1.3%	1.9%	3.6%
Hammond, LA	Louisiana	-1.8%	-2.5%	-1.8%	-0.9%	0.0%	-1.6%	1.3%
Lafayette, LA	Louisiana	1.6%	-3.5%	-3.3%	-0.7%	1.3%	2.5%	3.1%
Shreveport-Bossier City, LA	Louisiana	-0.8%	-3.3%	-1.8%	-1.7%	-3.9%	-5.2%	-5.1%
California-Lexington Park, MD	Maryland	0.5%	2.4%	3.3%	4.5%	5.0%	5.5%	5.7%
New Bedford, MA NECTA	Massachusetts	-1.4%	-1.6%	0.6%	2.4%	3.9%	4.7%	7.7%
Pittsfield, MA NECTA	Massachusetts	-2.1%	-4.4%	-5.1%	-2.6%	-4.2%	-4.4%	-2.8%
Springfield, MA-CT NECTA	Massachusetts	-1.6%	-4.7%	-3.5%	-3.3%	-2.1%	0.0%	1.0%
Worcester, MA-CT NECTA	Massachusetts	-2.2%	-3.9%	-2.8%	-1.5%	-1.1%	0.6%	2.6%
Grand Rapids-Wyoming, MI	Michigan	-3.7%	-8.3%	-6.2%	-3.0%	0.2%	3.8%	5.9%
Midland, MI	Michigan	0.5%	-3.8%	-0.8%	-0.3%	0.8%	2.5%	3.8%
Rochester, MN	Minnesota	-1.7%	-4.8%	-4.9%	-2.5%	0.5%	0.4%	1.2%
Gulfport-Biloxi-Pascagoula, MS	Mississippi	-2.0%	-4.5%	-4.6%	-6.1%	-5.3%	-3.8%	-5.8%
Grand Island, NE	Nebraska	1.2%	-1.7%	-1.4%	-1.0%	2.4%	2.9%	3.3%
Dover-Durham, NH-ME NECTA	New Hampshire	-1.9%	-5.8%	-4.9%	-3.9%	-2.4%	-0.9%	1.3%

Portsmouth, NH-ME NECTA	New Hampshire	-2.0%	-3.7%	-1.6%	-0.1%	1.2%	1.8%	2.8%
Watertown-Fort Drum, NY	New York	-0.2%	-0.7%	-0.2%	-2.1%	-1.6%	-1.9%	-2.1%
Charlotte-Concord-Gastonia, NC-SC	North Carolina	-3.2%	-8.9%	-6.8%	-4.6%	-1.7%	1.2%	4.7%
Greenville, NC	North Carolina	-2.7%	-5.5%	-6.0%	-4.4%	-2.4%	-1.0%	0.1%
New Bern, NC	North Carolina	-4.2%	-8.7%	-8.7%	-8.5%	-8.5%	-8.5%	-6.8%
Wilmington, NC	North Carolina	-2.9%	-8.0%	-8.6%	-8.1%	-5.7%	-3.0%	-0.6%
Winston-Salem, NC	North Carolina	-2.5%	-7.9%	-8.2%	-7.1%	-5.4%	-4.4%	-3.2%
Albany, OR	Oregon	-4.6%	-10.1%	-9.8%	-11.0%	-9.6%	-7.6%	-5.9%
Grants Pass, OR	Oregon	-5.1%	-11.1%	-9.9%	-9.9%	-9.9%	-8.7%	-2.0%
Bloomsburg-Berwick, PA	Pennsylvania	1.0%	0.2%	2.4%	3.1%	5.5%	3.6%	4.3%
Chambersburg-Waynesboro, PA	Pennsylvania	-1.5%	-7.7%	-6.8%	-5.3%	-4.8%	-3.6%	-0.8%
East Stroudsburg, PA	Pennsylvania	-2.4%	-6.1%	-6.4%	-7.4%	-9.1%	-10.0%	-10.4%
Gettysburg, PA	Pennsylvania	-1.4%	-7.4%	-6.9%	-7.4%	-5.2%	-1.1%	0.6%
Greenville-Anderson-Mauldin, SC	South Carolina	-3.3%	-8.5%	-6.3%	-4.6%	-2.6%	0.9%	3.1%
Hilton Head Island-Bluffton-Beaufort, SC	South Carolina	-6.0%	-11.6%	-13.0%	-12.0%	-10.0%	-5.1%	-2.3%
Myrtle Beach-Conway-North Myrtle Beach, SC-NC	South Carolina	-5.7%	-10.8%	-10.1%	-9.2%	-7.0%	-4.5%	-1.2%
Spartanburg, SC	South Carolina	-4.5%	-9.2%	-7.8%	-6.9%	-4.2%	-1.4%	0.7%
Jackson, TN	Tennessee	-2.9%	-7.4%	-5.2%	-2.7%	-2.1%	-0.6%	0.8%
Knoxville, TN	Tennessee	-1.0%	-4.8%	-3.4%	-2.1%	-1.1%	-0.1%	2.3%
Morristown, TN	Tennessee	-4.4%	-10.9%	-11.7%	-10.9%	-10.5%	-8.4%	-6.5%
Texarkana, TX-AR	Texas	1.8%	-1.9%	-0.8%	-1.8%	-2.9%	-5.6%	-4.8%
Victoria, TX	Texas	-0.9%	-7.3%	-6.8%	-2.6%	2.1%	4.5%	7.8%
Ogden-Clearfield, UT	Utah	-2.7%	-6.3%	-5.9%	-3.9%	-1.4%	1.4%	4.8%
Staunton-Waynesboro, VA	Virginia	-2.7%	-7.0%	-7.8%	-7.2%	-6.4%	-5.4%	-5.4%
Spokane-Spokane Valley, WA	Washington	-1.6%	-6.2%	-6.4%	-6.0%	-4.6%	-3.2%	-0.7%
Walla Walla, WA	Washington	0.0%	0.8%	-0.8%	-0.4%	-3.0%	-0.4%	1.5%
Beckley, WV	West Virginia	1.4%	-2.1%	-0.4%	4.1%	0.4%	-1.8%	-2.7%
Charleston, WV	West Virginia	1.2%	-2.2%	-2.3%	-1.1%	-2.2%	-2.8%	-3.2%
Huntington-Ashland, WV-KY-OH	West Virginia	-1.3%	-3.8%	-5.5%	-4.8%	-4.7%	-5.0%	-4.5%
Parkersburg-Vienna, WV	West Virginia	-0.7%	-2.5%	-3.4%	-4.1%	-2.7%	-2.0%	-1.4%
Madison, WI	Wisconsin	-0.1%	-1.5%	-0.7%	-0.1%	1.8%	3.9%	5.8%