

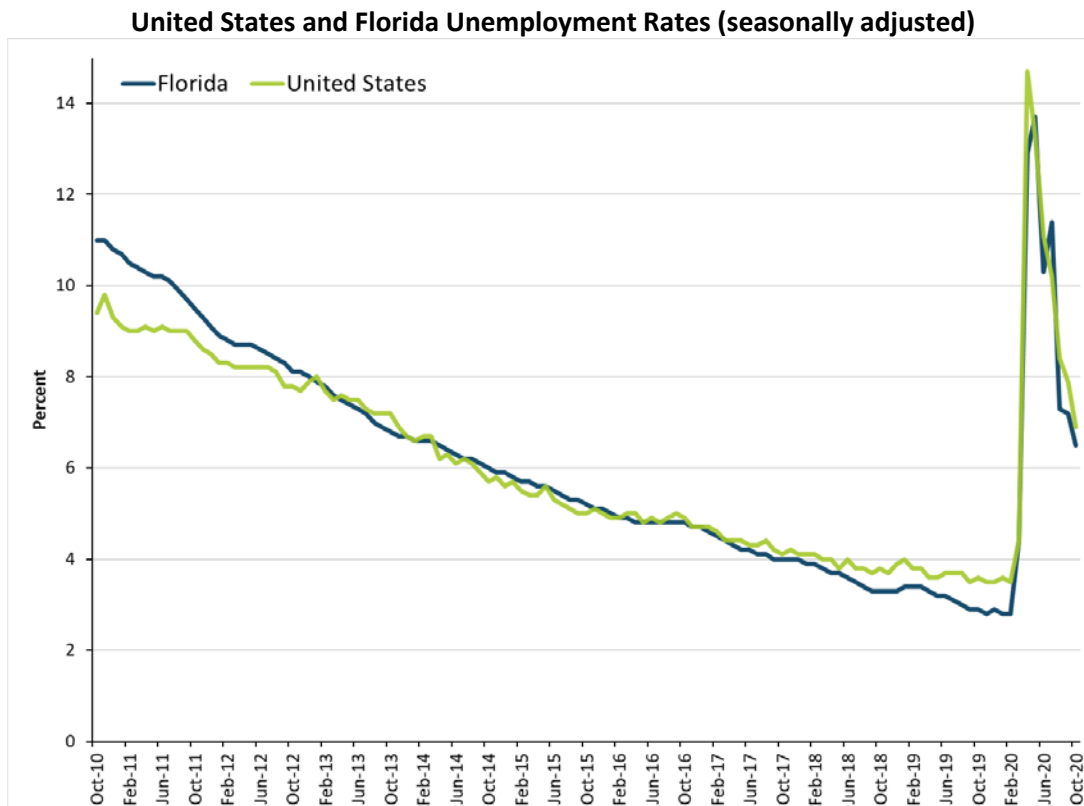
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Florida's October Employment Figures Released

Florida's seasonally adjusted unemployment rate was 6.5 percent in October 2020, down 0.7 percentage point from the revised September 2020 rate, and up 3.6 percentage points from a year ago. There were 659,000 jobless Floridians out of a labor force of 10,109,000. The U.S. unemployment rate was 6.9 percent in October.

Florida's seasonally adjusted total nonagricultural employment was 8,593,200 in October 2020, an increase of 51,600 jobs (+0.6 percent) over the month. The state lost 407,600 jobs over the year, a decrease of 4.5 percent. Nationally, the number of jobs fell 6.1 percent over the year.

October labor statistics reflect the continued effects of COVID-19 and the efforts to reopen businesses and services.



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 Workforce Statistics and Economic Research.

Florida's Nonagricultural Employment by Industry (Seasonally Adjusted)

- Florida lost 1,178,100 jobs from February to April 2020 and has since gained back over half of the jobs lost (+699,700 jobs).
- The number of jobs in Florida was 8,593,200 in October 2020, down 407,600 jobs compared to a year ago. All ten major industries experienced negative over-the-year job growth in October.
- The industry losing the most jobs over the year was leisure and hospitality (-198,500 jobs, -15.8 percent).

Other industries losing jobs over the year included professional and business services (-49,100 jobs, -3.5 percent); total government (-39,000, -3.5 percent); trade, transportation, and utilities (-37,700 jobs, -2.1 percent); education and health services (-25,600 jobs, -1.9 percent); other services (-23,200 jobs, -6.6 percent); information (-10,900 jobs, -7.9 percent); construction (-10,500 jobs, -1.8 percent); financial activities (-7,100 jobs, -1.2 percent); and manufacturing (-5,900 jobs, -1.5 percent).

Local Area Unemployment Statistics (Not Seasonally Adjusted)

- In October 2020, Wakulla County had the state's lowest unemployment rate (3.5 percent), followed by St. Johns County (3.7 percent), Santa Rosa County and Okaloosa County (3.8 percent each), and Lafayette County and DeSoto County (4.0 percent each).
- Osceola County had the highest unemployment rate (10.4 percent) in Florida in October 2020, followed by Miami-Dade County (8.8 percent), Orange County (8.5 percent), and Polk County and Broward County (7.3 percent each).

Area Nonagricultural Employment (Not Seasonally Adjusted)

- In October 2020, 20 out of 24 metro areas in Florida had over-the-year job losses. The areas with the largest losses were Orlando-Kissimmee-Sanford (-124,900 jobs, -9.3 percent), Miami-Miami Beach-Kendall (-74,900 jobs, -6.1 percent), and Fort Lauderdale-Pompano Beach-Deerfield Beach (-63,100 jobs, -7.3 percent).
- Four metro areas in Florida experienced an over-the-year job gain in October 2020: Ocala (1,200 jobs, +1.1 percent), Punta Gorda (+700 jobs, +1.4 percent), Sebring (+300 jobs +1.1 percent), and The Villages (+200 jobs, +0.6 percent).

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 December 18, 2020, at 10:00 A.M.

LABOR FORCE STATUS OF THE CIVILIAN NONINSTITUTIONAL POPULATION
RELEASE DATE: NOVEMBER 20, 2020

SEASONALLY ADJUSTED

	Current Month October 2020	Month Ago September 2020	Year Ago October 2019	Over-the-Month Change		Over-the-Year Change	
				Level	Percent	Level	Percent

STATE OF FLORIDA

Civilian Noninstitutional							
Population 16+	17,743,000	17,718,000	17,484,000	25,000	0.1	259,000	1.5
Civilian Labor Force	10,109,000	10,123,000	10,423,000	-14,000	-0.1	-314,000	-3.0
Employment	9,450,000	9,392,000	10,125,000	58,000	0.6	-675,000	-6.7
Unemployment	659,000	731,000	298,000	-72,000	-9.8	361,000	121.1
Unemployment Rate (%)	6.5	7.2	2.9	-0.7	--	3.6	--

UNITED STATES

Civilian Noninstitutional							
Population 16+	260,925,000	260,742,000	259,845,000	183,000	0.1	1,080,000	0.4
Civilian Labor Force	160,867,000	160,143,000	164,401,000	724,000	0.5	-3,534,000	-2.1
Employment	149,806,000	147,563,000	158,544,000	2,243,000	1.5	-8,738,000	-5.5
Unemployment	11,061,000	12,580,000	5,857,000	-1,519,000	-12.1	5,204,000	88.9
Unemployment Rate (%)	6.9	7.9	3.6	-1.0	--	3.3	--

NOT SEASONALLY ADJUSTED

	Current Month October 2020	Month Ago September 2020	Year Ago October 2019	Over-the-Month Change		Over-the-Year Change	
				Level	Percent	Level	Percent

STATE OF FLORIDA

Civilian Noninstitutional							
Population 16+	17,743,000	17,718,000	17,484,000	25,000	0.1	259,000	1.5
Civilian Labor Force	10,154,000	10,166,000	10,458,000	-12,000	-0.1	-304,000	-2.9
Employment	9,501,000	9,431,000	10,162,000	70,000	0.7	-661,000	-6.5
Unemployment	653,000	736,000	296,000	-83,000	-11.3	357,000	120.6
Unemployment Rate (%)	6.4	7.2	2.8	-0.8	--	3.6	--

UNITED STATES

Civilian Noninstitutional							
Population 16+	260,925,000	260,742,000	259,845,000	183,000	0.1	1,080,000	0.4
Civilian Labor Force	161,053,000	160,073,000	164,576,000	980,000	0.6	-3,523,000	-2.1
Employment	150,433,000	147,796,000	159,067,000	2,637,000	1.8	-8,634,000	-5.4
Unemployment	10,620,000	12,277,000	5,510,000	-1,657,000	-13.5	5,110,000	92.7
Unemployment Rate (%)	6.6	7.7	3.3	-1.1	--	3.3	--

* = less than 0.1 percent

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 Workforce Statistics and Economic Research.

Nonagricultural Employment in Florida Seasonally Adjusted

	October ^P 2020	September ^F 2020	October 2019	Over-the-Month Change		Over-the-Year Change	
				Level	Percent	Level	Percent
Total Nonagricultural Employment	8,593,200	8,541,600	9,000,800	51,600	0.6	-407,600	-4.5
Total Private	7,505,200	7,444,100	7,873,800	61,100	0.8	-368,600	-4.7
Goods Producing	950,400	943,100	966,900	7,300	0.8	-16,500	-1.7
Mining, Logging, and Construction	567,700	564,800	578,300	2,900	0.5	-10,600	-1.8
Construction	562,100	559,200	572,600	2,900	0.5	-10,500	-1.8
Manufacturing	382,700	378,300	388,600	4,400	1.2	-5,900	-1.5
Durable Goods	267,500	263,700	267,000	3,800	1.4	500	0.2
Nondurable Goods	115,200	114,600	121,600	600	0.5	-6,400	-5.3
Service Producing	7,642,800	7,598,500	8,033,900	44,300	0.6	-391,100	-4.9
Private Service Providing	6,554,800	6,501,000	6,906,900	53,800	0.8	-352,100	-5.1
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	1,775,400	1,769,400	1,813,100	6,000	0.3	-37,700	-2.1
Wholesale Trade	346,300	343,200	353,900	3,100	0.9	-7,600	-2.1
Retail Trade	1,088,000	1,082,500	1,109,800	5,500	0.5	-21,800	-2.0
Transportation, Warehousing, and Utilities	341,100	343,700	349,400	-2,600	-0.8	-8,300	-2.4
Information	127,300	127,600	138,200	-300	-0.2	-10,900	-7.9
Financial Activities	589,500	589,000	596,600	500	0.1	-7,100	-1.2
Finance and Insurance	402,700	401,100	397,200	1,600	0.4	5,500	1.4
Real Estate, Rental, and Leasing	186,800	187,900	199,400	-1,100	-0.6	-12,600	-6.3
Professional and Business Services	1,347,300	1,334,300	1,396,400	13,000	1.0	-49,100	-3.5
Professional and Technical Services	603,000	598,100	600,500	4,900	0.8	2,500	0.4
Management of Companies and Enterprises	113,000	114,100	115,500	-1,100	-1.0	-2,500	-2.2
Administrative and Waste Services	631,300	622,100	680,400	9,200	1.5	-49,100	-7.2
Education and Health Services	1,326,600	1,327,000	1,352,200	-400	*	-25,600	-1.9
Educational Services	166,000	163,400	174,600	2,600	1.6	-8,600	-4.9
Health Care and Social Assistance	1,160,600	1,163,600	1,177,600	-3,000	-0.3	-17,000	-1.4
Leisure and Hospitality	1,061,600	1,032,000	1,260,100	29,600	2.9	-198,500	-15.8
Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation	208,100	199,600	242,700	8,500	4.3	-34,600	-14.3
Accommodation and Food Services	853,500	832,400	1,017,400	21,100	2.5	-163,900	-16.1
Other Services	327,100	321,700	350,300	5,400	1.7	-23,200	-6.6

Source: U.S. Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics, Current Employment Statistics Program.

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**Nonagricultural Employment in Florida
Seasonally Adjusted**

	October ^p 2020	September ^r 2020	October 2019	Over-the-Month Change		Over-the-Year Change	
				Level	Percent	Level	Percent
Total Government	1,088,000	1,097,500	1,127,000	-9,500	-0.9	-39,000	-3.5
Federal Government	154,900	163,400	144,300	-8,500	-5.2	10,600	7.3
State Government	245,500	247,200	258,500	-1,700	-0.7	-13,000	-5.0
Local Government	687,600	686,900	724,200	700	0.1	-36,600	-5.1

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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
STATEWIDE (Not Seasonally Adjusted)**

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Industry Title	October 2020	September 2020	October 2019	Change from			
				Sep 2020 to Level	Oct 2020 Percent	Oct 2019 to Level	Oct 2020 Percent
Total Nonagricultural Employment	8,603,000	8,490,800	9,010,000	112,200	1.3%	-407,000	-4.5%
Total Private	7,493,200	7,384,700	7,863,400	108,500	1.5%	-370,200	-4.7%
Goods Producing	952,400	943,200	970,800	9,200	1.0%	-18,400	-1.9%
Mining and Logging	5,500	5,500	5,700	0	0.0%	-200	-3.5%
Mining, except Oil and Gas	3,300	3,300	3,400	0	0.0%	-100	-2.9%
Mining, Logging, and Construction	571,200	566,200	582,600	5,000	0.9%	-11,400	-2.0%
Construction	565,700	560,700	576,900	5,000	0.9%	-11,200	-1.9%
Construction of Buildings	115,400	113,900	115,300	1,500	1.3%	100	0.1%
Heavy and Civil Engineering Construction	72,900	72,200	74,400	700	1.0%	-1,500	-2.0%
Specialty Trade Contractors	377,400	374,600	387,200	2,800	0.7%	-9,800	-2.5%
Building Equipment Contractors	167,400	169,100	170,500	-1,700	-1.0%	-3,100	-1.8%
Manufacturing	381,200	377,000	388,200	4,200	1.1%	-7,000	-1.8%
Durable Goods	266,400	263,100	267,000	3,300	1.3%	-600	-0.2%
Fabricated Metal Product Manufacturing	42,000	41,600	41,900	400	1.0%	100	0.2%
Computer and Electronic Product Manufacturing	47,100	46,500	45,100	600	1.3%	2,000	4.4%
Communications Equipment Manufacturing	6,400	6,300	5,700	100	1.6%	700	12.3%
Transportation Equipment Manufacturing	49,500	48,500	48,500	1,000	2.1%	1,000	2.1%
Aerospace Product and Parts Manufacturing	26,700	26,200	26,500	500	1.9%	200	0.8%
Miscellaneous Durable Goods Manufacturing	33,000	32,800	33,100	200	0.6%	-100	-0.3%
Nondurable Goods	114,800	113,900	121,200	900	0.8%	-6,400	-5.3%
Food Manufacturing	34,200	33,900	34,000	300	0.9%	200	0.6%
Beverage and Tobacco Product Manufacturing	11,500	11,500	12,100	0	0.0%	-600	-5.0%
Paper Manufacturing	8,300	8,300	8,600	0	0.0%	-300	-3.5%
Printing and Related Support Activities	17,100	17,100	16,900	0	0.0%	200	1.2%
Chemical Manufacturing	22,700	22,700	23,800	0	0.0%	-1,100	-4.6%

Source: U.S. Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics, Current Employment Statistics Program.

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Industry Title	October 2020	September 2020	October 2019	Change from			
				Sep 2020 to Level	Oct 2020 Percent	Oct 2019 to Level	Oct 2020 Percent
Service Providing	7,650,600	7,547,600	8,039,200	103,000	1.4%	-388,600	-4.8%
Private Service Providing	6,540,800	6,441,500	6,892,600	99,300	1.5%	-351,800	-5.1%
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	1,766,200	1,747,100	1,804,100	19,100	1.1%	-37,900	-2.1%
Wholesale Trade	345,200	341,900	353,300	3,300	1.0%	-8,100	-2.3%
Merchant Wholesalers, Durable Goods	190,800	188,300	190,600	2,500	1.3%	200	0.1%
Professional and Commercial Equipment Wholesalers	50,800	50,800	50,200	0	0.0%	600	1.2%
Electrical and Electronic Goods Wholesalers	23,100	22,800	23,700	300	1.3%	-600	-2.5%
Machinery and Supply Wholesalers	33,900	33,200	33,900	700	2.1%	0	0.0%
Merchant Wholesalers, Nondurable Goods	130,000	129,600	137,900	400	0.3%	-7,900	-5.7%
Grocery and Related Product Wholesalers	49,200	49,100	54,600	100	0.2%	-5,400	-9.9%
Wholesale Electronic Markets and Agents	24,400	24,000	24,800	400	1.7%	-400	-1.6%
Retail Trade	1,083,100	1,068,000	1,105,700	15,100	1.4%	-22,600	-2.0%
Motor Vehicle and Parts Dealers	138,800	138,400	150,400	400	0.3%	-11,600	-7.7%
Automobile Dealers	88,500	88,200	95,000	300	0.3%	-6,500	-6.8%
Furniture and Home Furnishings Stores	34,200	33,300	38,500	900	2.7%	-4,300	-11.2%
Electronics and Appliance Stores	38,700	35,900	39,700	2,800	7.8%	-1,000	-2.5%
Building Material and Garden Supply Stores	94,100	94,600	89,300	-500	-0.5%	4,800	5.4%
Food and Beverage Stores	240,800	239,000	231,600	1,800	0.8%	9,200	4.0%
Health and Personal Care Stores	71,600	70,800	77,900	800	1.1%	-6,300	-8.1%
Gasoline Stations	40,800	41,200	45,100	-400	-1.0%	-4,300	-9.5%
Clothing and Accessory Stores	101,000	96,700	101,300	4,300	4.4%	-300	-0.3%
Sporting Goods, Hobby, Book, and Music Stores	30,600	30,400	34,500	200	0.7%	-3,900	-11.3%
General Merchandise Stores	200,900	197,700	208,100	3,200	1.6%	-7,200	-3.5%
Department Stores	66,200	63,500	77,600	2,700	4.3%	-11,400	-14.7%
Other General Merchandise Stores	134,700	134,200	130,500	500	0.4%	4,200	3.2%
Miscellaneous Store Retailers	57,600	56,600	57,300	1,000	1.8%	300	0.5%
Nonstore Retailers	34,000	33,400	32,000	600	1.8%	2,000	6.3%
Electronic Shopping and Mail-Order Houses	24,700	24,200	23,400	500	2.1%	1,300	5.6%
Transportation, Warehousing, and Utilities	337,900	337,200	345,100	700	0.2%	-7,200	-2.1%
Utilities	22,500	22,400	22,700	100	0.4%	-200	-0.9%

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Transportation and Warehousing	315,400	314,800	322,400	600	0.2%	-7,000	-2.2%
Air Transportation	43,400	43,200	46,400	200	0.5%	-3,000	-6.5%
Water Transportation	11,800	12,000	15,800	-200	-1.7%	-4,000	-25.3%
Truck Transportation	56,100	56,900	59,300	-800	-1.4%	-3,200	-5.4%
Support Activities for Transportation	63,000	61,600	66,600	1,400	2.3%	-3,600	-5.4%
Couriers and Messengers	54,600	53,300	47,500	1,300	2.4%	7,100	14.9%
Warehousing and Storage	64,000	63,600	61,200	400	0.6%	2,800	4.6%
Information	127,800	126,500	138,600	1,300	1.0%	-10,800	-7.8%
Publishing Industries, except Internet	30,500	30,300	32,400	200	0.7%	-1,900	-5.9%
Broadcasting, except Internet	14,500	14,500	14,800	0	0.0%	-300	-2.0%
Telecommunications	47,100	47,200	48,500	-100	-0.2%	-1,400	-2.9%
Wired Telecommunications Carriers	36,500	36,500	37,200	0	0.0%	-700	-1.9%
Data Processing, Hosting, and Related Services	20,400	20,300	19,700	100	0.5%	700	3.6%
Financial Activities	590,900	586,600	596,900	4,300	0.7%	-6,000	-1.0%
Finance and Insurance	404,900	401,300	398,300	3,600	0.9%	6,600	1.7%
Credit Intermediation and Related Activities	167,300	166,800	167,200	500	0.3%	100	0.1%
Depository Credit Intermediation	107,400	107,900	108,600	-500	-0.5%	-1,200	-1.1%
Insurance Carriers and Related Activities	187,500	184,500	181,000	3,000	1.6%	6,500	3.6%
Insurance Carriers	89,300	88,700	88,800	600	0.7%	500	0.6%
Agencies, Brokerages, and Related	98,200	95,800	92,200	2,400	2.5%	6,000	6.5%
Real Estate, Rental, and Leasing	186,000	185,300	198,600	700	0.4%	-12,600	-6.3%
Real Estate	148,300	147,100	150,800	1,200	0.8%	-2,500	-1.7%
Professional and Business Services	1,353,400	1,327,800	1,405,700	25,600	1.9%	-52,300	-3.7%
Professional, Scientific, and Technical Services	602,900	592,400	602,700	10,500	1.8%	200	0.0%
Legal Services	103,000	99,900	103,600	3,100	3.1%	-600	-0.6%
Accounting, Tax Preparation, and Bookkeeping	70,100	68,100	66,700	2,000	2.9%	3,400	5.1%
Architectural, Engineering, and Related	96,500	95,600	90,300	900	0.9%	6,200	6.9%
Computer Systems Design and Related	111,100	109,500	106,800	1,600	1.5%	4,300	4.0%
Management and Technical Consulting Services	113,900	111,800	122,500	2,100	1.9%	-8,600	-7.0%
Management of Companies and Enterprises	112,800	113,700	115,500	-900	-0.8%	-2,700	-2.3%

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Administrative and Support and Waste Services	637,700	621,700	687,500	16,000	2.6%	-49,800	-7.2%
Administrative and Support Services	612,500	596,600	661,100	15,900	2.7%	-48,600	-7.4%
Employment Services	179,200	170,200	205,000	9,000	5.3%	-25,800	-12.6%
Business Support Services	87,200	87,000	93,200	200	0.2%	-6,000	-6.4%
Travel Arrangement and Reservation Services	28,800	28,500	32,200	300	1.1%	-3,400	-10.6%
Investigation and Security Services	71,100	68,800	78,400	2,300	3.3%	-7,300	-9.3%
Services to Buildings and Dwellings	184,200	182,000	185,500	2,200	1.2%	-1,300	-0.7%
Waste Management and Remediation Services	25,200	25,100	26,400	100	0.4%	-1,200	-4.5%
Education and Health Services	1,334,900	1,321,700	1,358,400	13,200	1.0%	-23,500	-1.7%
Educational Services	171,300	163,000	179,400	8,300	5.1%	-8,100	-4.5%
Elementary and Secondary Schools	68,900	67,100	69,000	1,800	2.7%	-100	-0.1%
Colleges and Universities	53,600	51,600	59,000	2,000	3.9%	-5,400	-9.2%
Health Care and Social Assistance	1,163,600	1,158,700	1,179,000	4,900	0.4%	-15,400	-1.3%
Ambulatory Health Care Services	535,500	533,800	527,500	1,700	0.3%	8,000	1.5%
Offices of Physicians	236,900	236,100	228,800	800	0.3%	8,100	3.5%
Home Health Care Services	80,500	81,700	81,400	-1,200	-1.5%	-900	-1.1%
Hospitals	316,500	317,800	322,700	-1,300	-0.4%	-6,200	-1.9%
Nursing and Residential Care Facilities	178,300	178,000	191,400	300	0.2%	-13,100	-6.8%
Nursing Care Facilities	87,700	87,600	94,000	100	0.1%	-6,300	-6.7%
Continuing Community Care Facilities for the Elderly	66,700	66,500	68,800	200	0.3%	-2,100	-3.1%
Social Assistance	133,300	129,100	137,400	4,200	3.3%	-4,100	-3.0%
Leisure and Hospitality	1,042,700	1,011,400	1,239,700	31,300	3.1%	-197,000	-15.9%
Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation	204,500	194,800	241,500	9,700	5.0%	-37,000	-15.3%
Amusement, Gambling, and Recreation	171,100	165,000	191,900	6,100	3.7%	-20,800	-10.8%
Amusement Parks and Arcades	56,700	54,400	83,700	2,300	4.2%	-27,000	-32.3%
Accommodation and Food Services	838,200	816,600	998,200	21,600	2.6%	-160,000	-16.0%
Accommodation	119,600	120,200	192,700	-600	-0.5%	-73,100	-37.9%
Food Services and Drinking Places	718,600	696,400	805,500	22,200	3.2%	-86,900	-10.8%

Source: U.S. Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics, Current Employment Statistics Program.

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**NONAGRICULTURAL EMPLOYMENT IN FLORIDA
STATEWIDE (Not Seasonally Adjusted)**

Released November 20, 2020

Industry Title	October 2020	September 2020	October 2019	Change from			
				Sep 2020 to Oct 2020 Level	Oct 2020 Percent	Oct 2019 to Oct 2020 Level	Oct 2020 Percent
Other Services	324,900	320,400	349,200	4,500	1.4%	-24,300	-7.0%
Repair and Maintenance	87,300	85,700	87,000	1,600	1.9%	300	0.3%
Automotive Repair and Maintenance	59,000	58,200	58,700	800	1.4%	300	0.5%
Personal and Laundry Services	81,200	79,900	99,800	1,300	1.6%	-18,600	-18.6%
Membership Associations and Organizations	156,400	154,800	162,400	1,600	1.0%	-6,000	-3.7%
Total Government	1,109,800	1,106,100	1,146,600	3,700	0.3%	-36,800	-3.2%
Federal	154,400	162,800	143,900	-8,400	-5.2%	10,500	7.3%
State	253,400	250,400	265,200	3,000	1.2%	-11,800	-4.4%
State Government Educational Services	138,000	135,200	149,700	2,800	2.1%	-11,700	-7.8%
State Government Excluding Education	115,400	115,200	115,500	200	0.2%	-100	-0.1%
Local	702,000	692,900	737,500	9,100	1.3%	-35,500	-4.8%
Local Government Educational Services	320,700	312,500	365,000	8,200	2.6%	-44,300	-12.1%
Local Government excluding Educational Services	381,300	380,400	372,500	900	0.2%	8,800	2.4%

Source: U.S. Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics, Current Employment Statistics Program.

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

COUNTY	OCTOBER 2020				SEPTEMBER 2020				OCTOBER 2019			
	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	138,678	132,655	6,023	4.3%	136,170	130,668	5,502	4.0%	142,433	138,577	3,856	2.7%
Baker County	11,718	11,190	528	4.5%	11,573	11,130	443	3.8%	12,086	11,750	336	2.8%
Bay County	81,800	78,049	3,751	4.6%	82,058	78,544	3,514	4.3%	83,908	81,344	2,564	3.1%
Bradford County	11,027	10,504	523	4.7%	10,906	10,427	479	4.4%	11,338	11,017	321	2.8%
Brevard County	286,898	272,365	14,533	5.1%	285,065	270,257	14,808	5.2%	288,618	280,184	8,434	2.9%
Broward County	1,018,346	943,935	74,411	7.3%	1,015,187	935,856	79,331	7.8%	1,053,729	1,024,008	29,721	2.8%
Calhoun County	4,680	4,467	213	4.6%	4,624	4,445	179	3.9%	4,866	4,690	176	3.6%
Charlotte County	72,725	68,911	3,814	5.2%	72,222	68,225	3,997	5.5%	71,956	69,566	2,390	3.3%
Citrus County	45,592	42,614	2,978	6.5%	45,600	42,726	2,874	6.3%	47,560	45,530	2,030	4.3%
Clay County	106,052	101,748	4,304	4.1%	105,233	101,212	4,021	3.8%	109,932	106,889	3,043	2.8%
Collier County	176,526	167,520	9,006	5.1%	174,136	164,270	9,866	5.7%	180,325	174,924	5,401	3.0%
Columbia County	29,948	28,365	1,583	5.3%	29,417	28,045	1,372	4.7%	30,511	29,636	875	2.9%
DeSoto County	14,673	14,082	591	4.0%	14,319	13,786	533	3.7%	14,120	13,648	472	3.3%
Dixie County	5,830	5,573	257	4.4%	5,820	5,580	240	4.1%	6,040	5,837	203	3.4%
Duval County	491,058	463,610	27,448	5.6%	487,277	461,155	26,122	5.4%	501,891	486,950	14,941	3.0%
Escambia County	143,717	135,742	7,975	5.5%	143,541	136,275	7,266	5.1%	147,434	143,107	4,327	2.9%
Flagler County	46,263	43,638	2,625	5.7%	45,941	43,275	2,666	5.8%	47,214	45,576	1,638	3.5%
Franklin County	4,383	4,184	199	4.5%	4,418	4,235	183	4.1%	4,567	4,436	131	2.9%
Gadsden County	18,947	17,728	1,219	6.4%	18,469	17,399	1,070	5.8%	19,487	18,744	743	3.8%
Gilchrist County	7,061	6,767	294	4.2%	6,941	6,690	251	3.6%	7,307	7,076	231	3.2%
Glades County	5,397	5,175	222	4.1%	5,094	4,879	215	4.2%	5,440	5,245	195	3.6%
Gulf County	5,552	5,292	260	4.7%	5,562	5,322	240	4.3%	5,730	5,520	210	3.7%
Hamilton County	4,429	4,129	300	6.8%	4,253	3,992	261	6.1%	4,539	4,371	168	3.7%
Hardee County	8,461	8,016	445	5.3%	8,364	7,938	426	5.1%	8,555	8,143	412	4.8%
Hendry County	15,504	14,464	1,040	6.7%	15,101	14,040	1,061	7.0%	15,837	14,891	946	6.0%
Hernando County	71,004	66,672	4,332	6.1%	70,640	66,283	4,357	6.2%	73,028	70,218	2,810	3.8%
Highlands County	36,728	34,509	2,219	6.0%	35,941	33,827	2,114	5.9%	36,060	34,572	1,488	4.1%
Hillsborough County	744,991	702,200	42,791	5.7%	741,575	698,113	43,462	5.9%	761,135	739,355	21,780	2.9%
Holmes County	6,873	6,575	298	4.3%	6,793	6,531	262	3.9%	7,098	6,875	223	3.1%
Indian River County	64,399	60,749	3,650	5.7%	63,484	59,759	3,725	5.9%	65,470	63,147	2,323	3.5%
Jackson County	16,990	16,161	829	4.9%	16,871	16,174	697	4.1%	17,329	16,795	534	3.1%
Jefferson County	5,419	5,141	278	5.1%	5,375	5,141	234	4.4%	5,729	5,558	171	3.0%
Lafayette County	2,787	2,675	112	4.0%	2,768	2,680	88	3.2%	2,869	2,789	80	2.8%
Lake County	151,302	141,412	9,890	6.5%	151,655	140,508	11,147	7.4%	161,180	156,472	4,708	2.9%
Lee County	347,235	328,055	19,180	5.5%	340,268	320,110	20,158	5.9%	351,228	341,096	10,132	2.9%
Leon County	149,550	141,905	7,645	5.1%	148,624	141,723	6,901	4.6%	158,581	154,075	4,506	2.8%
Levy County	16,672	15,859	813	4.9%	16,434	15,697	737	4.5%	16,972	16,418	554	3.3%

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

COUNTY	OCTOBER 2020				SEPTEMBER 2020				OCTOBER 2019			
	LABOR FORCE	EMPLOY- MENT	UNEMPLOYMENT LEVEL	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	LABOR FORCE	EMPLOY- MENT	UNEMPLOYMENT LEVEL	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	LABOR FORCE	EMPLOY- MENT	UNEMPLOYMENT LEVEL	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE
Liberty County	2,566	2,444	122	4.8%	2,541	2,441	100	3.9%	2,670	2,582	88	3.3%
Madison County	7,607	7,141	466	6.1%	7,474	7,076	398	5.3%	7,605	7,351	254	3.3%
Manatee County	175,885	166,807	9,078	5.2%	173,501	164,422	9,079	5.2%	180,308	175,058	5,250	2.9%
Marion County	142,137	134,215	7,922	5.6%	141,685	134,203	7,482	5.3%	139,117	134,320	4,797	3.4%
Martin County	73,395	70,225	3,170	4.3%	73,318	69,965	3,353	4.6%	74,680	72,586	2,094	2.8%
Miami-Dade County	1,342,819	1,224,101	118,718	8.8%	1,396,663	1,220,275	176,388	12.6%	1,399,889	1,371,540	28,349	2.0%
Monroe County	48,258	46,053	2,205	4.6%	47,674	45,024	2,650	5.6%	46,529	45,643	886	1.9%
Nassau County	40,564	38,913	1,651	4.1%	40,354	38,699	1,655	4.1%	42,041	40,917	1,124	2.7%
Okaloosa County	94,251	90,629	3,622	3.8%	94,116	90,611	3,505	3.7%	97,693	95,387	2,306	2.4%
Okeechobee County	17,548	16,756	792	4.5%	17,319	16,583	736	4.2%	18,028	17,469	559	3.1%
Orange County	741,496	678,144	63,352	8.5%	748,262	675,176	73,086	9.8%	773,112	752,294	20,818	2.7%
Osceola County	181,963	163,085	18,878	10.4%	185,686	162,459	23,227	12.5%	186,807	181,017	5,790	3.1%
Palm Beach County	706,665	663,366	43,299	6.1%	698,544	652,356	46,188	6.6%	737,312	714,672	22,640	3.1%
Pasco County	235,083	222,108	12,975	5.5%	234,049	220,943	13,106	5.6%	241,528	233,812	7,716	3.2%
Pinellas County	489,224	463,593	25,631	5.2%	488,151	461,207	26,944	5.5%	501,699	488,248	13,451	2.7%
Polk County	308,576	286,065	22,511	7.3%	308,450	283,989	24,461	7.9%	309,933	299,315	10,618	3.4%
Putnam County	26,398	24,487	1,911	7.2%	26,005	24,333	1,672	6.4%	26,719	25,681	1,038	3.9%
Santa Rosa County	80,439	77,352	3,087	3.8%	80,570	77,686	2,884	3.6%	83,759	81,516	2,243	2.7%
Sarasota County	184,360	175,358	9,002	4.9%	182,291	172,807	9,484	5.2%	189,771	184,481	5,290	2.8%
Seminole County	240,780	227,173	13,607	5.7%	240,574	226,165	14,409	6.0%	258,997	251,986	7,011	2.7%
St. Johns County	130,233	125,362	4,871	3.7%	129,643	124,703	4,940	3.8%	135,017	131,814	3,203	2.4%
St. Lucie County	145,033	136,213	8,820	6.1%	144,957	135,891	9,066	6.3%	146,174	140,798	5,376	3.7%
Sumter County	32,621	30,715	1,906	5.8%	32,414	30,570	1,844	5.7%	32,901	31,606	1,295	3.9%
Suwannee County	17,987	17,107	880	4.9%	17,802	17,013	789	4.4%	18,289	17,709	580	3.2%
Taylor County	8,304	7,822	482	5.8%	8,231	7,784	447	5.4%	8,335	8,064	271	3.3%
Union County	4,538	4,344	194	4.3%	4,503	4,345	158	3.5%	4,712	4,582	130	2.8%
Volusia County	251,721	236,884	14,837	5.9%	249,657	234,869	14,788	5.9%	255,779	247,613	8,166	3.2%
Wakulla County	14,167	13,666	501	3.5%	14,142	13,668	474	3.4%	15,215	14,804	411	2.7%
Walton County	30,788	29,507	1,281	4.2%	30,672	29,424	1,248	4.1%	31,844	31,064	780	2.4%
Washington County	9,297	8,860	437	4.7%	9,311	8,932	379	4.1%	9,655	9,361	294	3.0%
Florida (Not Seasonally Adjusted)	10,154,000	9,501,000	653,000	6.4%	10,166,000	9,431,000	736,000	7.2%	10,458,000	10,162,000	296,000	2.8%
Florida (Seasonally Adjusted)	10,109,000	9,450,000	659,000	6.5%	10,123,000	9,392,000	731,000	7.2%	10,423,000	10,125,000	298,000	2.9%
United States (Not Seasonally Adjusted)	161,053,000	150,433,000	10,620,000	6.6%	160,073,000	147,796,000	12,277,000	7.7%	164,576,000	159,067,000	5,510,000	3.3%
United States (Seasonally Adjusted)	160,867,000	149,806,000	11,061,000	6.9%	160,143,000	147,563,000	12,580,000	7.9%	164,401,000	158,544,000	5,857,000	3.6%

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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	OCTOBER 2020				SEPTEMBER 2020				OCTOBER 2019			
	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	347,235	328,055	19,180	5.5%	340,268	320,110	20,158	5.9%	351,228	341,096	10,132	2.9%
Crestview-Fort Walton Beach-Destin MSA	125,039	120,136	4,903	3.9%	124,788	120,035	4,753	3.8%	129,537	126,451	3,086	2.4%
Deltona-Daytona Beach-Ormond Beach MSA	297,984	280,522	17,462	5.9%	295,598	278,144	17,454	5.9%	302,993	293,189	9,804	3.2%
Gainesville MSA	145,739	139,422	6,317	4.3%	143,111	137,358	5,753	4.0%	149,740	145,653	4,087	2.7%
Homosassa Springs MSA	45,592	42,614	2,978	6.5%	45,600	42,726	2,874	6.3%	47,560	45,530	2,030	4.3%
Jacksonville MSA	779,625	740,823	38,802	5.0%	774,080	736,899	37,181	4.8%	800,967	778,320	22,647	2.8%
Lakeland-Winter Haven MSA	308,576	286,065	22,511	7.3%	308,450	283,989	24,461	7.9%	309,933	299,315	10,618	3.4%
Miami-Fort Lauderdale-West Palm Beach MSA	3,067,830	2,831,402	236,428	7.7%	3,110,394	2,808,487	301,907	9.7%	3,190,930	3,110,220	80,710	2.5%
Fort Lauderdale-Pompano Beach-Deerfield Beach MD	1,018,346	943,935	74,411	7.3%	1,015,187	935,856	79,331	7.8%	1,053,729	1,024,008	29,721	2.8%
Miami-Miami Beach-Kendall MD	1,342,819	1,224,101	118,718	8.8%	1,396,663	1,220,275	176,388	12.6%	1,399,889	1,371,540	28,349	2.0%
West Palm Beach-Boca Raton-Delray Beach MD	706,665	663,366	43,299	6.1%	698,544	652,356	46,188	6.6%	737,312	714,672	22,640	3.1%
Naples-Immokalee-Marco Island MSA	176,526	167,520	9,006	5.1%	174,136	164,270	9,866	5.7%	180,325	174,924	5,401	3.0%
North Port-Sarasota-Bradenton MSA	360,245	342,165	18,080	5.0%	355,792	337,229	18,563	5.2%	370,079	359,539	10,540	2.8%
Ocala MSA	142,137	134,215	7,922	5.6%	141,685	134,203	7,482	5.3%	139,117	134,320	4,797	3.4%
Orlando-Kissimmee-Sanford MSA	1,315,541	1,209,814	105,727	8.0%	1,326,177	1,204,308	121,869	9.2%	1,380,096	1,341,769	38,327	2.8%
Palm Bay-Melbourne-Titusville MSA	286,898	272,365	14,533	5.1%	285,065	270,257	14,808	5.2%	288,618	280,184	8,434	2.9%
Panama City MSA	87,352	83,341	4,011	4.6%	87,620	83,866	3,754	4.3%	89,638	86,864	2,774	3.1%
Pensacola-Ferry Pass-Brent MSA	224,156	213,094	11,062	4.9%	224,111	213,961	10,150	4.5%	231,193	224,623	6,570	2.8%
Port St. Lucie MSA	218,428	206,438	11,990	5.5%	218,275	205,856	12,419	5.7%	220,854	213,384	7,470	3.4%
Punta Gorda MSA	72,725	68,911	3,814	5.2%	72,222	68,225	3,997	5.5%	71,956	69,566	2,390	3.3%
Sebastian-Vero Beach MSA	64,399	60,749	3,650	5.7%	63,484	59,759	3,725	5.9%	65,470	63,147	2,323	3.5%
Sebring MSA	36,728	34,509	2,219	6.0%	35,941	33,827	2,114	5.9%	36,060	34,572	1,488	4.1%
Tallahassee MSA	188,083	178,440	9,643	5.1%	186,610	177,931	8,679	4.7%	199,012	193,181	5,831	2.9%
Tampa-St. Petersburg-Clearwater MSA	1,540,302	1,454,573	85,729	5.6%	1,534,415	1,446,546	87,869	5.7%	1,577,390	1,531,633	45,757	2.9%
The Villages MSA	32,621	30,715	1,906	5.8%	32,414	30,570	1,844	5.7%	32,901	31,606	1,295	3.9%
Florida (Not Seasonally Adjusted)	10,154,000	9,501,000	653,000	6.4%	10,166,000	9,431,000	736,000	7.2%	10,458,000	10,162,000	296,000	2.8%
Florida (Seasonally Adjusted)	10,109,000	9,450,000	659,000	6.5%	10,123,000	9,392,000	731,000	7.2%	10,423,000	10,125,000	298,000	2.9%
United States (Not Seasonally Adjusted)	161,053,000	150,433,000	10,620,000	6.6%	160,073,000	147,796,000	12,277,000	7.7%	164,576,000	159,067,000	5,510,000	3.3%
United States (Seasonally Adjusted)	160,867,000	149,806,000	11,061,000	6.9%	160,143,000	147,563,000	12,580,000	7.9%	164,401,000	158,544,000	5,857,000	3.6%

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STATE OF FLORIDA
COUNTIES RANKED BY UNEMPLOYMENT RATE
(NOT SEASONALLY ADJUSTED)
OCTOBER 2020 (PRELIMINARY)

1	Osceola County	10.4%
2	Miami-Dade County	8.8%
3	Orange County	8.5%
4	Broward County	7.3%
4	Polk County	7.3%
6	Putnam County	7.2%
7	Hamilton County	6.8%
8	Hendry County	6.7%
	United States	6.6%
9	Citrus County	6.5%
9	Lake County	6.5%
11	Gadsden County	6.4%
	Florida	6.4%
12	Hernando County	6.1%
12	Madison County	6.1%
12	Palm Beach County	6.1%
12	St. Lucie County	6.1%
16	Highlands County	6.0%
17	Volusia County	5.9%
18	Sumter County	5.8%
18	Taylor County	5.8%
20	Flagler County	5.7%
20	Hillsborough County	5.7%
20	Indian River County	5.7%
20	Seminole County	5.7%
24	Duval County	5.6%
24	Marion County	5.6%
26	Escambia County	5.5%
26	Lee County	5.5%
26	Pasco County	5.5%
29	Columbia County	5.3%
29	Hardee County	5.3%
31	Charlotte County	5.2%
31	Manatee County	5.2%
31	Pinellas County	5.2%
34	Brevard County	5.1%
34	Collier County	5.1%
34	Jefferson County	5.1%
34	Leon County	5.1%
38	Jackson County	4.9%

STATE OF FLORIDA
COUNTIES RANKED BY UNEMPLOYMENT RATE
(NOT SEASONALLY ADJUSTED)
OCTOBER 2020 (PRELIMINARY)

38	Levy County	4.9%
38	Sarasota County	4.9%
38	Suwannee County	4.9%
42	Liberty County	4.8%
43	Bradford County	4.7%
43	Gulf County	4.7%
43	Washington County	4.7%
46	Bay County	4.6%
46	Calhoun County	4.6%
46	Monroe County	4.6%
49	Baker County	4.5%
49	Franklin County	4.5%
49	Okeechobee County	4.5%
52	Dixie County	4.4%
53	Alachua County	4.3%
53	Holmes County	4.3%
53	Martin County	4.3%
53	Union County	4.3%
57	Gilchrist County	4.2%
57	Walton County	4.2%
59	Clay County	4.1%
59	Glades County	4.1%
59	Nassau County	4.1%
62	DeSoto County	4.0%
62	Lafayette County	4.0%
64	Okaloosa County	3.8%
64	Santa Rosa County	3.8%
66	St. Johns County	3.7%
67	Wakulla County	3.5%

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STATE OF FLORIDA
 METROPOLITAN STATISTICAL AREAS (MSAs) AND METROPOLITAN DIVISIONS (MDs)
 RANKED BY UNEMPLOYMENT RATE
 (NOT SEASONALLY ADJUSTED)
 OCTOBER 2020 (PRELIMINARY)

1	Miami-Miami Beach-Kendall MD	8.8%
2	Orlando-Kissimmee-Sanford MSA	8.0%
3	Fort Lauderdale-Pompano Beach-Deerfield Beach MD	7.3%
3	Lakeland-Winter Haven MSA	7.3%
	United States	6.6%
5	Homosassa Springs MSA	6.5%
	Florida	6.4%
6	West Palm Beach-Boca Raton-Delray Beach MD	6.1%
7	Sebring MSA	6.0%
8	Deltona-Daytona Beach-Ormond Beach MSA	5.9%
9	The Villages MSA	5.8%
10	Sebastian-Vero Beach MSA	5.7%
11	Ocala MSA	5.6%
11	Tampa-St. Petersburg-Clearwater MSA	5.6%
13	Cape Coral-Fort Myers MSA	5.5%
13	Port St. Lucie MSA	5.5%
15	Punta Gorda MSA	5.2%
16	Naples-Immokalee-Marco Island MSA	5.1%
16	Palm Bay-Melbourne-Titusville MSA	5.1%
16	Tallahassee MSA	5.1%
19	Jacksonville MSA	5.0%
19	North Port-Sarasota-Bradenton MSA	5.0%
21	Pensacola-Ferry Pass-Brent MSA	4.9%
22	Panama City MSA	4.6%
23	Gainesville MSA	4.3%
24	Crestview-Fort Walton Beach-Destin MSA	3.9%

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TOTAL NONAGRICULTURAL EMPLOYMENT
FLORIDA (Not Seasonally Adjusted)

Area	October 2020	September 2020	October 2019	Over-the-Month Change		Over-the-Year Change	
				Level	Percent	Level	Percent
Statewide	8,603,000	8,490,800	9,010,000	112,200	1.3%	-407,000	-4.5%
Cape Coral-Fort Myers MSA	270,600	262,900	278,800	7,700	2.9%	-8,200	-2.9%
Crestview-Fort Walton Beach-Destin MSA	113,300	113,100	118,600	200	0.2%	-5,300	-4.5%
Deltona-Daytona Beach-Ormond Beach MSA	200,700	198,000	205,200	2,700	1.4%	-4,500	-2.2%
Fort Lauderdale-Pompano Beach-Deerfield Beach MD	807,100	796,100	870,200	11,000	1.4%	-63,100	-7.3%
Gainesville MSA	145,100	142,300	150,800	2,800	2.0%	-5,700	-3.8%
Homosassa Springs MSA	31,500	31,500	33,300	0	0.0%	-1,800	-5.4%
Jacksonville MSA	706,000	698,900	735,600	7,100	1.0%	-29,600	-4.0%
Lakeland-Winter Haven MSA	230,600	228,100	236,700	2,500	1.1%	-6,100	-2.6%
Miami-Ft. Lauderdale-West Palm Beach MSA	2,550,500	2,517,900	2,729,500	32,600	1.3%	-179,000	-6.6%
Miami-Miami Beach-Kendall MD	1,145,900	1,136,000	1,220,800	9,900	0.9%	-74,900	-6.1%
Naples-Immokalee-Marco Island MSA	150,300	147,200	154,500	3,100	2.1%	-4,200	-2.7%
North Port-Sarasota-Bradenton MSA	300,700	295,400	312,500	5,300	1.8%	-11,800	-3.8%
Ocala MSA	108,800	108,200	107,600	600	0.6%	1,200	1.1%
Orlando-Kissimmee-Sanford MSA	1,212,500	1,201,600	1,337,400	10,900	0.9%	-124,900	-9.3%
Palm Bay-Melbourne-Titusville MSA	229,800	227,100	233,900	2,700	1.2%	-4,100	-1.8%
Panama City MSA	77,700	77,900	80,200	-200	-0.3%	-2,500	-3.1%
Pensacola -Ferry Pass-Brent MSA	178,900	178,900	186,800	0	0.0%	-7,900	-4.2%
Port St. Lucie MSA	153,500	152,800	155,700	700	0.5%	-2,200	-1.4%
Punta Gorda MSA	50,400	49,800	49,700	600	1.2%	700	1.4%
Sebastian-Vero Beach MSA	52,600	51,500	54,100	1,100	2.1%	-1,500	-2.8%
Sebring MSA	26,700	26,100	26,400	600	2.3%	300	1.1%
Tallahassee MSA	175,900	174,900	189,600	1,000	0.6%	-13,700	-7.2%
Tampa - St. Petersburg - Clearwater MSA	1,341,200	1,328,200	1,399,200	13,000	1.0%	-58,000	-4.1%
The Villages MSA	32,400	31,900	32,200	500	1.6%	200	0.6%
West Palm Beach-Boca Raton-Delray Beach MD	597,500	585,800	638,500	11,700	2.0%	-41,000	-6.4%

* - less than 0.1 percent

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. November 20, 2020.

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