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Unemployment Rates (%)

(seasonally adjusted)

	February 2024	January 2024	February 2023
United States	3.9	3.7	3.6
Florida	3.1	3.1	2.8

Unemployment

United States	6,458,000	6,124,000	5,962,000
Florida	345,000	340,000	301,000

Unemployment Rates (%)

(not seasonally adjusted)

by Metropolitan Statistical Area and Metropolitan Division

United States	4.2	4.1	3.9
Florida	3.1	3.1	2.7
Cape Coral-Fort Myers MSA	3.3	3.4	3.1
Crestview-Fort Walton Beach-Destin MSA	3.0	3.1	2.6
Deltona-Daytona Beach-Ormond Beach MSA	3.7	3.7	3.1
Gainesville MSA	3.4	3.4	2.8
Homosassa Springs MSA	5.2	5.2	4.1
Jacksonville MSA	3.3	3.3	2.8
Lakeland-Winter Haven MSA	3.9	4.0	3.3
Miami-Fort Lauderdale-West Palm Beach MSA	2.5	2.4	2.3
Fort Lauderdale-Pompano Beach-Deerfield Beach MD	3.1	3.1	2.7
Miami-Miami Beach-Kendall MD	1.6	1.4	1.8
West Palm Beach-Boca Raton-Delray Beach MD	3.3	3.3	2.7
Naples-Immokalee-Marco Island MSA	3.0	3.0	2.6
North Port-Sarasota-Bradenton MSA	3.4	3.4	2.8
Ocala MSA	4.1	4.2	3.4
Orlando-Kissimmee-Sanford MSA	3.2	3.2	2.7
Palm Bay-Melbourne-Titusville MSA	3.3	3.3	2.8
Panama City MSA	3.2	3.4	2.7
Pensacola-Ferry Pass-Brent MSA	3.4	3.4	2.8
Port St. Lucie MSA	3.7	3.6	3.1
Punta Gorda MSA	3.9	3.8	3.4
Sebastian-Vero Beach MSA	3.8	3.9	3.2
Sebring MSA	4.8	4.7	3.9
Tallahassee MSA	3.3	3.3	2.9
Tampa-St. Petersburg-Clearwater MSA	3.3	3.3	2.8
The Villages MSA	5.1	5.1	4.0

Nonagricultural Employment by Industry

(seasonally adjusted)

	February 2024	February 2023	Level Change	Percent Change
United States	157,808,000	155,060,000	2,748,000	1.8
Florida	9,887,600	9,661,400	226,200	2.3
by Industry				
Construction	640,500	619,500	21,000	3.4
Manufacturing	427,800	417,300	10,500	2.5
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	1,997,300	1,949,000	48,300	2.5
Information	158,600	159,500	-900	-0.6
Financial Activities	685,100	678,000	7,100	1.0
Professional and Business Services	1,622,300	1,618,000	4,300	0.3
Education and Health Services	1,507,700	1,450,200	57,500	4.0
Leisure and Hospitality	1,323,500	1,288,500	35,000	2.7
Other Services	373,800	362,600	11,200	3.1
Total Government	1,145,000	1,113,000	32,000	2.9

Florida Nonagricultural Employment by Area

(not seasonally adjusted)

United States	156,555,000	153,817,000	2,738,000	1.8
Florida	9,911,500	9,693,000	218,500	2.3

by Metropolitan Statistical Area and Metropolitan Division

Cape Coral-Fort Myers MSA	311,300	305,200	6,100	2.0
Crestview-Fort Walton Beach-Destin MSA	132,000	127,000	5,000	3.9
Deltona-Daytona Beach-Ormond Beach MSA	226,300	222,300	4,000	1.8
Gainesville MSA	158,300	156,300	2,000	1.3
Homosassa Springs MSA	35,500	35,800	-300	-0.8
Jacksonville MSA	799,300	783,300	16,000	2.0
Lakeland-Winter Haven MSA	276,700	271,300	5,400	2.0
Miami-Fort Lauderdale-West Palm Beach MSA	2,947,400	2,886,100	61,300	2.1
Fort Lauderdale-Pompano Beach-Deerfield Beach MD	925,200	908,600	16,600	1.8
Miami-Miami Beach-Kendall MD	1,324,500	1,288,900	35,600	2.8
West Palm Beach-Boca Raton-Delray Beach MD	697,700	688,600	9,100	1.3
Naples-Immokalee-Marco Island MSA	176,300	172,400	3,900	2.3
North Port-Sarasota-Bradenton MSA	346,600	340,700	5,900	1.7
Ocala MSA	121,100	119,900	1,200	1.0
Orlando-Kissimmee-Sanford MSA	1,475,900	1,449,800	26,100	1.8
Palm Bay-Melbourne-Titusville MSA	256,600	251,400	5,200	2.1
Panama City MSA	87,700	85,600	2,100	2.5
Pensacola-Ferry Pass-Brent MSA	202,800	198,400	4,400	2.2
Port St. Lucie MSA	174,100	171,300	2,800	1.6
Punta Gorda MSA	56,500	56,000	500	0.9
Sebastian-Vero Beach MSA	59,200	59,000	200	0.3
Sebring MSA	28,400	28,300	100	0.4
Tallahassee MSA	202,500	196,700	5,800	2.9
Tampa-St. Petersburg-Clearwater MSA	1,549,000	1,519,400	29,600	1.9
The Villages MSA	40,500	39,500	1,000	2.5

Source: U.S. Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics, in cooperation with FloridaCommerce, Bureau of Workforce Statistics and Economic Research.