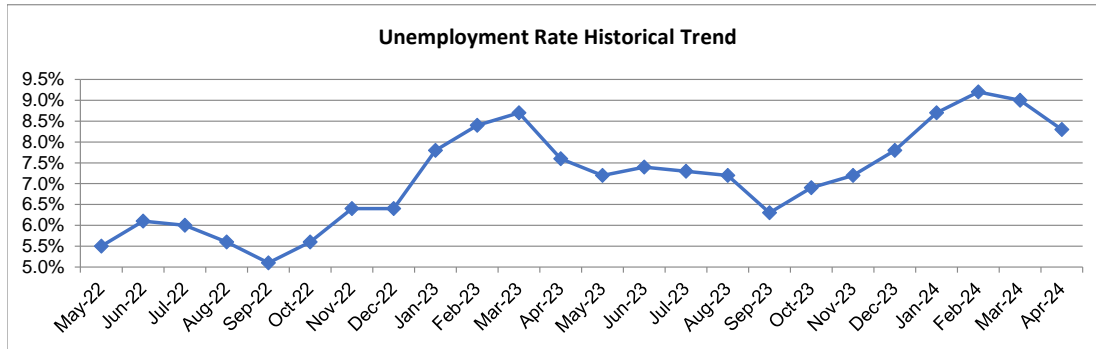


IMMEDIATE RELEASE
 MADERA METROPOLITAN STATISTICAL AREA (MSA)
 (Madera County)

The unemployment rate in the Madera County was 8.3 percent in April 2024, down from a revised 9.0 percent in March 2024, and above the year-ago estimate of 7.6 percent. This compares with an unadjusted unemployment rate of 4.8 percent for California and 3.5 percent for the nation during the same period.



Industry	Mar-2024	Apr-2024	Change		Apr-2023	Apr-2024	Change
	Revised	Prelim				Prelim	
Total, All Industries	56,400	56,300	(100)		52,200	56,300	4,100
Total Farm	12,200	11,900	(300)		10,400	11,900	1,500
Total Nonfarm	44,200	44,400	200		41,800	44,400	2,600
Mining, Logging and Construction	2,400	2,400	0		2,200	2,400	200
Manufacturing	3,300	3,400	100		3,300	3,400	100
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	6,800	6,800	0		6,500	6,800	300
Information	300	300	0		300	300	0
Financial Activities	800	800	0		700	800	100
Professional and Business Services	3,100	3,100	0		2,900	3,100	200
Private Education and Health Services	9,300	9,300	0		8,600	9,300	700
Leisure and Hospitality	4,200	4,200	0		4,100	4,200	100
Other Services	1,200	1,200	0		1,200	1,200	0
Government	12,800	12,900	100		12,000	12,900	900

Notes: Data not adjusted for seasonality. Data may not add due to rounding
 Labor force data are revised month to month
 Additional data are available on line at www.labormarketinfo.edd.ca.gov

Data Not Seasonally Adjusted

	Apr 23	Feb 24	Mar 24 Revised	Apr 24 Prelim	Percent Change	
					Month	Year
Civilian Labor Force (1)	61,900	68,000	66,400	65,100	-2.0%	5.2%
Civilian Employment	57,200	61,700	60,400	59,700	-1.2%	4.4%
Civilian Unemployment	4,700	6,200	6,000	5,400	-10.0%	14.9%
Civilian Unemployment Rate	7.6%	9.2%	9.0%	8.3%		
(CA Unemployment Rate)	4.1%	5.6%	5.4%	4.8%		
(U.S. Unemployment Rate)	3.1%	4.2%	3.9%	3.5%		

Total, All Industries (2)	52,200	58,100	56,400	56,300	-0.2%	7.9%
Total Farm	10,400	13,900	12,200	11,900	-2.5%	14.4%
Total Nonfarm	41,800	44,200	44,200	44,400	0.5%	6.2%
Total Private	29,800	31,400	31,400	31,500	0.3%	5.7%
Goods Producing	5,500	5,700	5,700	5,800	1.8%	5.5%
Mining, Logging and Construction	2,200	2,300	2,400	2,400	0.0%	9.1%
Manufacturing	3,300	3,400	3,300	3,400	3.0%	3.0%
Service Providing	36,300	38,500	38,500	38,600	0.3%	6.3%
Private Service Providing	24,300	25,700	25,700	25,700	0.0%	5.8%
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	6,500	6,800	6,800	6,800	0.0%	4.6%
Retail Trade	4,100	4,100	4,100	4,200	2.4%	2.4%
Transportation, Warehousing, and Utilities	1,200	1,300	1,300	1,300	0.0%	8.3%
Information	300	300	300	300	0.0%	0.0%
Financial Activities	700	800	800	800	0.0%	14.3%
Professional and Business Services	2,900	3,100	3,100	3,100	0.0%	6.9%
Private Education and Health Services	8,600	9,300	9,300	9,300	0.0%	8.1%
Health Care and Social Assistance	8,500	9,200	9,200	9,200	0.0%	8.2%
Leisure and Hospitality	4,100	4,200	4,200	4,200	0.0%	2.4%
Other Services	1,200	1,200	1,200	1,200	0.0%	0.0%
Government	12,000	12,800	12,800	12,900	0.8%	7.5%
Federal Government	200	300	300	300	0.0%	50.0%
Total State and Local Government	11,800	12,500	12,500	12,600	0.8%	6.8%
State Government	2,600	2,700	2,700	2,700	0.0%	3.8%
Local Government	9,200	9,800	9,800	9,900	1.0%	7.6%
Local Government Educational Services	5,600	6,000	6,000	6,100	1.7%	8.9%
Local Government excluding Educational Services	3,600	3,800	3,800	3,800	0.0%	5.6%
County Government	1,600	1,700	1,700	1,700	0.0%	6.3%
City Government	400	400	400	400	0.0%	0.0%
Special Districts plus Tribes	1,600	1,700	1,700	1,700	0.0%	6.3%

Notes:

(1) Civilian labor force data are by place of residence; include self-employed individuals, unpaid family workers, household domestic workers, & workers on strike. Data may not add due to rounding. The unemployment rate is calculated using unrounded data.

(2) Industry employment is by place of work; excludes self-employed individuals, unpaid family workers, household domestic workers, & workers on strike. Data may not add due to rounding.

These data are produced by the Labor Market Information Division of the California Employment Development Department (EDD). Questions should be directed to: Steven Gutierrez 916-907-4593 or Rosendo Flores 916-891-7571

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