

Puerto Rico Employment Situation Summary

National Employment Data

- The U.S. economy added 209,000 jobs in June, and the United States has seen 29 consecutive months of job growth under President Biden.
- Since President Biden came into office, the United States has added 13.2 million jobs, and at 3.6%, the unemployment rate remains near historic lows.
- In June, the unemployment rate was 6.0% for Black workers, 4.3% for Hispanic workers, 3.2% for Asian workers, 3.1% for white workers, and 6.6% (not seasonally adjusted) for American Indian and Alaska Native workers.

State Employment Data

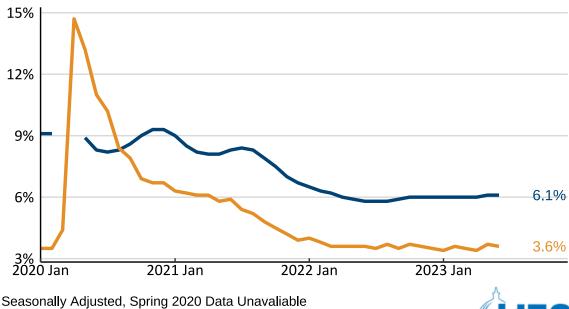
- Since President Biden took office, 91,400 jobs have been created in Puerto Rico.
- In the month of June, 8,200 jobs were lost in Puerto Rico.

Sector	Change in Total Jobs in June	Jobs Recovered	Change in Total Jobs Since January 2021
Total Nonfarm	-8,200	153%	91,400
Leisure and Hospitality	300	140%	22,900
Construction	200	222%	8,500
Education and Health Services	0	148%	12,700
Manufacturing	-200	196%	7,600
Retail Trade	-500	120%	7,900
Professional and Business Services	-2,500	212%	19,100
Government	-5,700	0%	-3,500

Source: Bureau of Labor Statistics

Note: Positive change reflects net job creation. "Recovered" refers to the share of jobs recovered since the pandemic low point as a share of jobs lost during the pandemic. Jobs lost during the pandemic are measured as the difference between the number of jobs in the industry in February 2020 and the number at the "low point" of the pandemic—the month with the fewest people employed in a given industry. The month of the low point varies by industry.

Puerto Rico Unemployment Rate

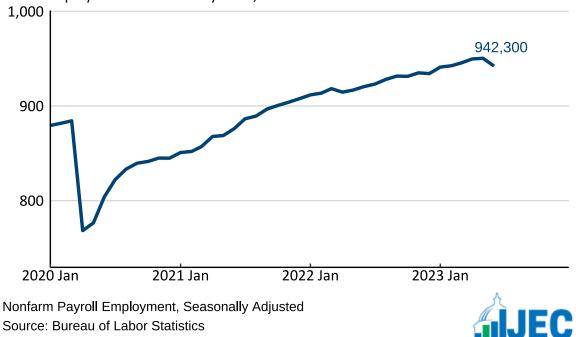


State and national unemployment rates, since January 2020

Source: Bureau of Labor Statistics

Puerto Rico Jobs Recovery

Total employment since January 2020, in thousands



Source: Bureau of Labor Statistics

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