

Oregon Employment Situation Summary

National Employment Data

- The U.S. economy added 339,000 jobs in May, and the United States has seen 28 consecutive months of job growth under President Biden.
- Since President Biden came into office, the United States has added 13.1 million jobs, and at 3.7%, the unemployment remains near historic lows.
- In May, the unemployment rate was 5.6% for Black workers, 4.0% for Hispanic workers, 3.3% for white workers, 2.9% for Asian workers, and 5.1% (not seasonally adjusted) for American Indian and Alaska Native workers.

State Employment Data

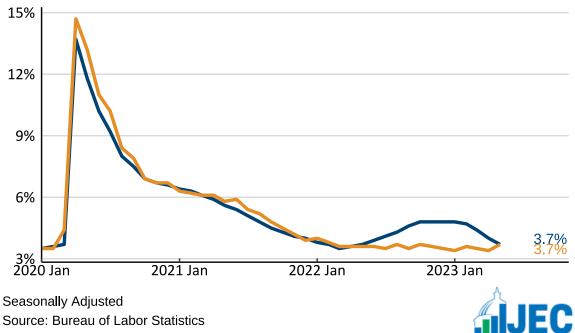
- Since President Biden took office, 175,200 jobs have been created in Oregon.
- In the month of May, 3,600 jobs were created in Oregon.

Sector	Change in Total Jobs in May	Jobs Recovered	Change in Total Jobs Since January 2021
Total Nonfarm	3,600	107%	175,200
Leisure and Hospitality	1,100	90%	65,300
Education and Health Services	400	92%	16,200
Professional and Business Services	200	156%	23,900
Construction	200	195%	12,200
Manufacturing	0	96%	10,600
Government	-300	102%	25,100
Retail Trade	-500	95%	-300

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.

Oregon Unemployment Rate

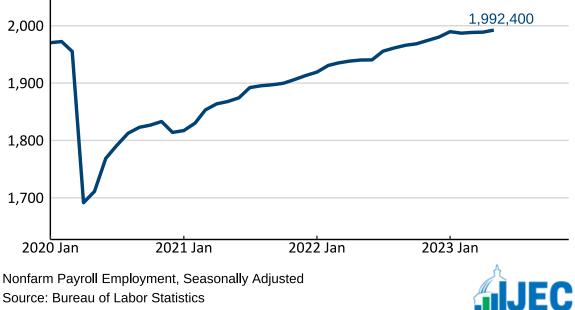


State and national unemployment rates, since January 2020

Source: Bureau of Labor Statistics

Oregon Jobs Recovery

Total employment since January 2020, in thousands



Source: Bureau of Labor Statistics