

State Employment Statistics – October 2004

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	<u>New Jobs in the Last Month</u>	<u>New Jobs in 2004</u>	<u>New Jobs in the Last Year</u>	<u>Unemployment Rate</u>
Alabama	4,200	15,700	14,300	5.5%
Alaska	(200)	2,000	3,600	7.2%
Arizona	6,400	46,400	57,600	4.8%
Arkansas	(2,900)	7,500	6,600	5.7%
California	43,500	160,100	126,600	5.7%
Colorado	5,500	38,500	31,300	5.0%
Connecticut	(100)	4,100	5,400	4.6%
Delaware	500	8,100	7,700	4.0%
District of Columbia	1,500	5,400	6,200	8.5%
Florida	27,900	119,000	144,700	4.5%
Georgia	11,100	36,300	31,800	4.2%
Hawaii	1,500	15,400	17,300	3.3%
Idaho	(200)	18,100	19,800	5.2%
Illinois	2,100	3,900	6,100	6.1%
Indiana	(5,600)	12,600	9,900	5.4%
Iowa	3,300	10,400	8,200	4.8%
Kansas	2,100	22,500	25,300	4.8%
Kentucky	6,100	12,400	12,900	4.7%
Louisiana	(700)	2,200	(3,000)	5.6%
Maine	900	4,100	6,000	4.6%
Maryland	200	48,900	48,600	3.9%
Massachusetts	3,900	10,700	2,900	4.6%
Michigan	14,800	(19,000)	(31,900)	6.6%
Minnesota	7,700	26,400	24,700	4.3%
Mississippi	200	8,000	8,400	6.3%
Missouri	(3,300)	32,800	33,800	5.6%
Montana	(4,400)	2,300	5,900	4.8%
Nebraska	3,500	10,100	6,400	3.5%
Nevada	9,200	47,500	54,300	3.6%
New Hampshire	(1,200)	7,500	8,800	3.4%
New Jersey	6,000	66,800	67,700	4.7%
New Mexico	400	11,700	16,000	5.2%
New York	12,400	46,300	57,700	5.2%
North Carolina	5,300	66,700	52,500	4.8%
North Dakota	(200)	2,300	1,400	3.7%
Ohio	(6,600)	8,600	(13,700)	6.3%
Oklahoma	(5,800)	15,900	13,600	4.4%
Oregon	(3,200)	30,700	33,900	7.2%
Pennsylvania	6,100	67,700	61,300	5.5%
Rhode Island	(500)	3,400	4,300	4.5%
South Carolina	4,600	26,000	21,600	6.5%
South Dakota	(1,400)	1,900	2,600	3.3%
Tennessee	(2,800)	8,000	15,500	5.1%
Texas	23,600	109,200	121,000	5.6%
Utah	2,700	30,200	33,800	4.8%
Vermont	(500)	2,400	2,600	3.1%
Virginia	0	70,900	80,200	3.3%
Washington	10,500	63,200	61,600	5.6%
West Virginia	(4,600)	13,500	11,200	5.1%
Wisconsin	3,300	65,900	57,700	5.0%
Wyoming	600	3,300	4,900	3.8%