



Tennessee Labor Market Report

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The Consumer Price Index

The Consumer Price Index (CPI) is a monthly survey of a market basket of goods and services that estimates the change in prices of that market basket. While the CPI is used as a cost-of-living index, it is not a straightforward measure of cost increases. A true cost-of-living index would also measure changes in the amount that consumers would spend to maintain their standard of living. The CPI does not measure the changes in consumer spending. It only measures the cost of the market basket surveyed. The CPI is commonly used as a means for adjusting income payments. Over 2 million workers are covered by collective bargaining agreements which tie wages to the CPI. The index affects the income of almost 80 million people as a result of statutory action: 47.8 million Social Security beneficiaries, about 4.1 million military and Federal Civil Service retirees and survivors, and about 22.4 million food stamp recipients.

Changes in the CPI also affect the cost of lunches for the 26.7 million children who eat lunch at school. Some private firms and individuals use the CPI to keep rents, royalties, alimony payments, and child support payments in line with changing prices.

The Market Basket of Goods

The CPI is an ongoing survey of the spending habits of about 7,000 families from around the country. This market basket of goods and services includes products from eight major groups and over 200 broad categories of spending.

The major categories included in the CPI are: **food and beverage**, including cereal, milk, coffee, and chicken; **housing**, including monthly housing costs and bedroom furniture; **apparel**, including shirts, sweaters, dresses and jewelry; **transportation**, including new vehicles, airline fares, gas and auto insurance; **medical care**, including glasses, drugs, medical supplies, doctors and hospital services; **recreation**, including television, pets and pet products, and sports equipment; **education**

and communication, including telephone and computer services, postage, and college tuition; and **other goods and services**, including smoking products, haircuts, funeral expenses, and other personal services. Sales and excise taxes, auto registration and water and sewage costs are government user fees that are included in the costs of other goods.

Taxes (such as income or Social Security taxes) are excluded from the CPI. Also excluded are stocks, bonds, real estate, and life insurance as these are not day-to-day expenditures.

The CPI also collects the prices of 80,000 consumer goods. This allows the CPI to understand actual costs of goods and how to compare those costs with the buying habits of consumers.

July 2021 Changes

The Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U) rose 0.5 percent in July 2021 on a seasonally adjusted bases, following a 0.9 percent increase in June 2021. (See data on Page 2.) From July 2020 to July 2021, the all items index increased 5.4 percent before seasonal adjustment.

The index has risen at a 2.1-percent annual rate over the last 10 years. A sharp decline in the gasoline index, which fell 21.0 percent in 2014, was the main factor in the total rate of change decrease.

The all items index rose 5.4 percent for the 12 months ending July, the same increase as the period ending June. The index for all items less food and energy rose 4.3 percent over the last 12 months, while the energy index rose 23.8 percent. The food index increased 3.4 percent for the 12 months ending July, compared to a 2.4-percent rise for the period ending June.

The full consumer price index for July 2021 can be found on the Bureau of Labor Statistics website located here: <https://www.bls.gov/news.release/cpi.nr0.htm> and the pdf version here: https://www.bls.gov/news.release/archives/cpi_08112021.pdf

Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): U.S. city averages, by expenditure category, July 2021

Expenditure Category	Relative Importance Jun. 2021	Unadjusted Indexes			Unadjusted Percent Change		Seasonally Adjusted Percent Change		
		Jul. 2020	Jun. 2021	Jul. 2021	Jul. 2020 to Jul. 2021	Jun. 2021 to Jul. 2021	Apr. 2021 to May 2021	May 2021 to Jun. 2021	Jun. 2021 to Jul. 2021
All items	100.000	259.101	271.696	273.003	5.4	0.5	0.6	0.9	0.5
Food	13.846	268.863	276.206	278.127	3.4	0.7	0.4	0.8	0.7
Food at home	7.633	252.563	257.412	259.022	2.6	0.6	0.4	0.8	0.7
Cereals and bakery products	0.970	285.204	286.761	289.533	1.5	1.0	0.5	-0.3	1.2
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	1.781	271.028	282.993	286.994	5.9	1.4	1.3	2.5	1.5
Dairy and related products	0.754	227.114	230.152	231.233	1.8	0.5	0.4	0.2	0.6
Fruits and vegetables	1.322	306.123	315.211	312.875	2.2	-0.7	0.0	0.7	-0.9
Nonalcoholic beverages and beverage materials	0.902	178.167	179.527	180.136	1.1	0.3	-0.5	0.9	0.7
Other food at home	1.905	219.254	220.221	222.116	1.3	0.9	0.0	0.2	0.8
Food away from home ¹	6.213	294.599	305.634	308.023	4.6	0.8	0.6	0.7	0.8
Energy	7.168	197.665	240.720	244.800	23.8	1.7	0.0	1.5	1.6
Energy commodities	3.979	198.365	273.459	280.040	41.2	2.4	-0.6	2.6	2.3
Fuel oil ¹	0.098	203.084	280.786	282.484	39.1	0.6	2.1	2.9	0.6
Motor fuel	3.816	195.317	269.983	276.650	41.6	2.5	-0.7	2.5	2.4
Gasoline (all types)	3.737	194.397	268.979	275.656	41.8	2.5	-0.7	2.5	2.4
Energy services	3.190	206.388	219.425	221.196	7.2	0.8	0.7	0.2	0.8
Electricity	2.457	218.820	226.562	227.672	4.0	0.5	0.3	-0.3	0.4
Utility (piped) gas service	0.733	166.536	194.563	198.207	19.0	1.9	1.7	1.7	2.2
All items less food and energy	78.986	267.703	278.218	279.146	4.3	0.3	0.7	0.9	0.3
Commodities less food and energy commodities	20.694	143.696	155.284	155.873	8.5	0.4	1.8	2.2	0.5
Apparel	2.685	114.267	120.324	119.078	4.2	-1.0	1.2	0.7	0.0
New vehicles	3.740	147.803	154.847	157.203	6.4	1.5	1.6	2.0	1.7
Used cars and trucks	3.474	141.493	198.855	200.425	41.7	0.8	7.3	10.5	0.2
Medical care commodities ¹	1.506	384.377	375.697	376.323	-2.1	0.2	0.0	-0.4	0.2
Alcoholic beverages	1.008	256.960	262.913	263.226	2.4	0.1	0.4	0.5	0.3
Tobacco and smoking products ¹	0.606	1,178.054	1,247.577	1,253.276	6.4	0.5	0.1	0.6	0.5
Services less energy services	58.292	345.493	354.250	355.375	2.9	0.3	0.4	0.4	0.3
Shelter	32.575	326.580	334.222	335.812	2.8	0.5	0.3	0.5	0.4
Rent of primary residence	7.611	341.950	347.833	348.469	1.9	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2
Owner's equivalent rent of residences ²	23.575	335.144	342.258	343.293	2.4	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3
Medical care services	7.066	567.299	570.509	571.934	0.8	0.2	-0.1	0.0	0.3
Physicians' services ¹	1.809	392.928	406.812	408.445	3.9	0.4	0.0	0.3	0.4
Hospital services ³	2.167	353.381	361.384	363.254	2.8	0.5	0.2	0.2	0.5
Transportation services	5.285	312.938	335.548	332.917	6.4	-0.8	1.5	1.5	-1.1
Motor vehicle maintenance and repair ¹	1.071	305.573	315.209	318.031	4.1	0.9	-0.3	0.3	0.9
Motor vehicle insurance	1.600	558.276	569.656	567.463	1.6	-0.4	0.7	1.2	-2.8
Airline fare	0.756	204.785	256.684	243.613	19.0	-5.1	7.0	2.7	-0.1

[1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted]

¹Not seasonally adjusted.

²Indexes on a December 1982=100 base.

³Indexes on a December 1996=100 base.

Source: U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics

Percent Changes in CPI for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): U.S. City Averages

Expenditure Category	Seasonally Adjusted Changes from Preceding Month							Unadjusted 12-Months Ended Jul. 2021
	Jan. 2021	Feb. 2021	Mar. 2021	Apr. 2021	May 2021	Jun. 2021	Jul. 2021	
All items	0.3	0.4	0.6	0.8	0.6	0.9	0.5	5.4
Food	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.4	0.4	0.8	0.7	3.4
Food at home	-0.1	0.3	0.1	0.4	0.4	0.8	0.7	2.6
Food away from home ¹	0.3	0.1	0.1	0.3	0.6	0.7	0.8	4.6
Energy	3.5	3.9	5.0	-0.1	0.0	1.5	1.6	23.8
Energy commodities	7.3	6.6	8.9	-1.4	-0.6	2.6	2.3	41.2
Gasoline (all types)	7.4	6.4	9.1	-1.4	-0.7	2.5	2.4	41.8
Fuel oil ¹	5.4	9.9	3.2	-3.2	2.1	2.9	0.6	39.1
Energy services	-0.3	0.9	0.6	1.5	0.7	0.2	0.8	7.2
Electricity	-0.2	0.7	0.0	1.2	0.3	-0.3	0.4	4.0
Utility (piped) gas service	-0.4	1.6	2.5	2.4	1.7	1.7	2.2	19.0
All items less food and energy	0.0	0.1	0.3	0.9	0.7	0.9	0.3	4.3
Commodities less food and energy commodities	0.1	-0.2	0.1	2.0	1.8	2.2	0.5	8.5
New vehicles	-0.5	0.0	0.0	0.5	1.6	2.0	1.7	6.4
Used cars and trucks	-0.9	-0.9	0.5	10.0	7.3	10.5	0.2	41.7
Apparel	2.2	-0.7	-0.3	0.3	1.2	0.7	0.0	4.2
Medical care commodities ¹	-0.1	-0.7	0.1	0.6	0.0	-0.4	0.2	-2.1
Services less energy services	0.0	0.2	0.4	0.5	0.4	0.4	0.3	2.9
Shelter	0.1	0.2	0.3	0.4	0.3	0.5	0.4	2.8
Transportation services	-0.3	-0.1	1.8	2.9	1.5	1.5	-1.1	6.4
Medical care services	0.5	0.5	0.1	0.0	-0.1	0.0	0.3	0.8

¹Not seasonally adjusted.

Source: U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics

Coronavirus (COVID-19) Pandemic Impact on July 2021 Consumer Price Index Data

Data collection by personal visit for the Consumer Price Index (CPI) program has been suspended since March 16, 2020. When possible, data normally collected by personal visit were collected either online or by phone. Additionally, data collection in July was affected by the temporary closing or limited operations of certain types of establishments. These factors resulted in an increase in the number of prices considered temporarily unavailable and imputed.

While the CPI program attempted to collect as much data as possible, many indexes are based on smaller amounts of collected prices than usual, and a small number of indexes that are normally published were not published this month. Additional information is available at

www.bls.gov/covid19/effects-of-covid-19-pandemic-on-consumer-price-index.htm.

Tennessee Civilian Labor Workforce 1991-Present

County Unemployment Rates*

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS)

MONTHLY DATA NOT SEASONALLY ADJUSTED

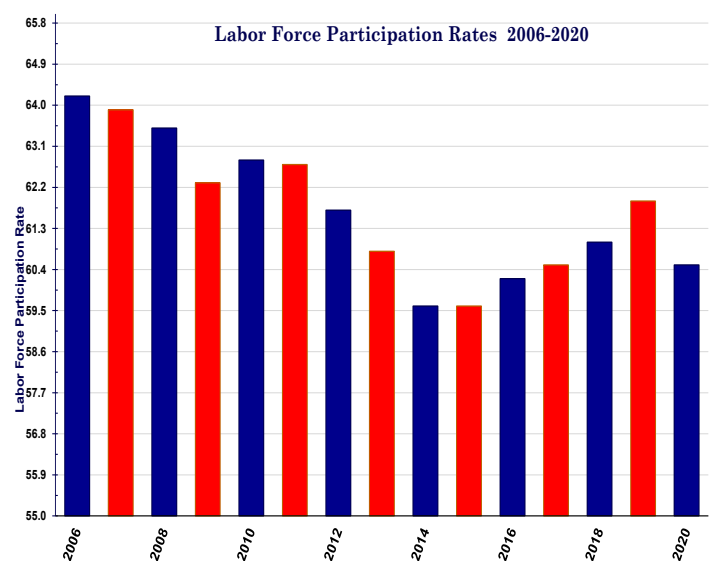
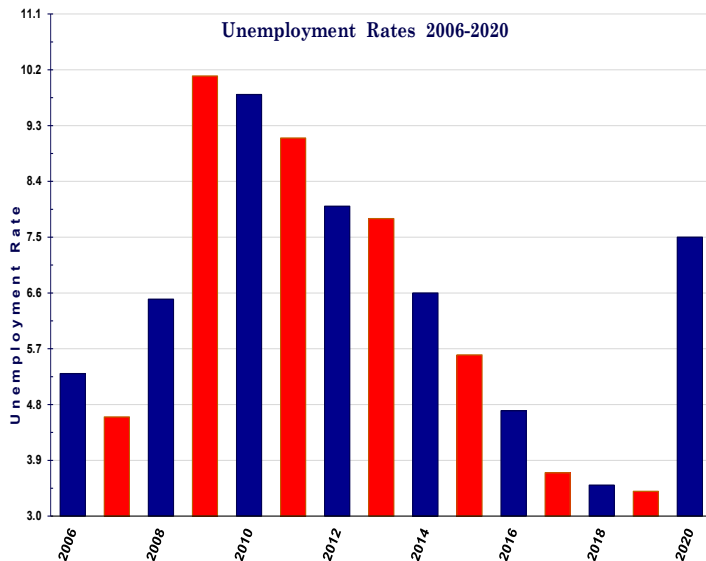
Year and Month	Civilian noninstitutional population	Civilian Labor Force					
		Total	Participation Rate (%)	Employed		Unemployed	
				Total	Rate (%)	Total	Rate (%)
1991	3,822.5	2,418.5	63.3%	2,258.8	59.1%	159.8	6.6%
1992	3,875.8	2,469.2	63.7	2,309.7	59.6	159.6	6.5
1993	3,936.5	2,534.5	64.4	2,386.9	60.6	147.6	5.8
1994	4,003.3	2,657.2	66.4	2,529.6	63.2	127.6	4.8
1995	4,075.6	2,723.1	66.8	2,582.9	63.4	140.3	5.2
1996	4,150.1	2,763.2	66.6	2,620.2	63.1	143.0	5.2
1997	4,218.9	2,780.6	65.9	2,634.2	62.4	146.4	5.3
1998	4,272.7	2,810.1	65.8	2,688.5	62.9	121.6	4.3
1999	4,317.6	2,843.0	65.8	2,730.1	63.2	112.9	4.0
2000	4,358.4	2,849.0	65.4	2,738.8	62.8	110.2	3.9
2001	4,401.2	2,857.7	64.9	2,728.6	62.0	129.0	4.5
2002	4,444.9	2,898.9	65.2	2,750.4	61.9	148.5	5.1
2003	4,492.3	2,904.6	64.7	2,744.4	61.1	160.2	5.5
2004	4,541.6	2,897.8	63.8	2,742.9	60.4	154.9	5.3
2005	4,610.1	2,898.5	62.9	2,738.2	59.4	160.3	5.5
2006	4,692.4	3,014.7	64.2	2,856.1	60.9	158.7	5.3
2007	4,760.1	3,043.3	63.9	2,901.9	61.0	141.3	4.6
2008	4,821.7	3,060.8	63.5	2,862.1	59.4	198.7	6.5
2009	4,868.4	3,032.7	62.3	2,725.1	56.0	307.5	10.1
2010	4,925.4	3,093.1	62.8	2,789.1	56.6	304.1	9.8
2011	4,973.5	3,117.5	62.7	2,833.3	57.0	284.2	9.1
2012	5,020.4	3,096.3	61.7	2,849.7	56.8	246.6	8.0
2013	5,064.6	3,078.9	60.8	2,840.1	56.1	238.8	7.8
2014	5,109.9	3,043.6	59.6	2,842.5	55.6	201.0	6.6
2015	5,159.2	3,074.2	59.6	2,902.7	56.3	171.5	5.6
2016	5,213.9	3,136.4	60.2	2,987.7	57.3	148.7	4.7
2017	5,272.1	3,187.4	60.5	3,068.6	58.2	118.9	3.7
2018	5,328.2	3,250.7	61.0	3,137.7	58.9	113.0	3.5
2019	5,381.1	3,329.3	61.9	3,216.9	59.8	112.4	3.4
2020	5,437.9	3,289.4	60.5	3,043.9	56.0	245.5	7.5
2021							
January	5,469.2	3,306.2	60.5%	3,129.2	57.2%	177.1	5.4%
February	5,473.1	3,298.5	60.3	3,138.1	57.3	160.4	4.9
March	5,477.5	3,299.5	60.2	3,130.8	57.2	168.6	5.1
April	5,482.2	3,327.7	60.7	3,172.2	57.9	155.5	4.7
May	5,487.1	3,335.7	60.8	3,184.8	58.0	151.4	4.5
June (r)	5,492.4	3,346.7	60.9	3,159.0	57.5	187.7	5.6
July (p)	5,497.8	3,354.3	61.0	3,197.7	58.2	156.6	4.7
August							
September							
October							
November							
December							

(r)=revised

(p)=preliminary

County	Jul	Jul	County	Jul	Jul
	2020	2021		2020	2021
Anderson	7.6	4.2	Lauderdale	11.4	7.0
Bedford	8.6	4.8	Lawrence	8.7	4.7
Benton	8.4	5.1	Lewis	7.6	5.1
Bledsoe	8.8	5.9	Lincoln	8.6	4.4
Blount	7.5	3.8	Loudon	7.1	3.9
Bradley	7.9	4.6	Macon	7.8	4.3
Campbell	8.0	5.3	Madison	9.6	4.9
Cannon	6.8	3.7	Marion	8.8	5.1
Carroll	8.0	5.0	Marshall	9.5	4.4
Carter	8.4	4.7	Maury	9.3	4.2
Cheatam	7.2	3.2	McMinn	8.9	4.8
Chester	6.6	3.9	McNairy	11.1	6.1
Claiborne	7.2	5.0	Meigs	9.8	5.2
Clay	8.1	5.8	Monroe	8.4	4.3
Coke	10.8	5.4	Montgomery	9.2	5.0
Coffee	8.1	4.4	Moore	5.8	3.0
Crockett	6.4	4.0	Morgan	7.3	4.8
Cumberland	8.2	4.9	Obion	8.0	5.8
Davidson	11.6	4.2	Overton	6.3	3.9
Decatur	9.4	6.1	Perry	9.5	10.4
DeKalb	9.3	5.2	Pickett	5.8	4.7
Dickson	6.9	3.5	Polk	7.4	4.5
Dyer	9.1	5.2	Putnam	7.5	4.3
Fayette	8.2	4.8	Rhea	10.6	5.9
Fentress	7.2	4.4	Roane	7.2	4.4
Franklin	7.6	4.4	Robertson	7.7	3.6
Gibson	8.1	4.7	Rutherford	8.5	3.7
Giles	9.1	5.0	Scott	9.3	5.3
Grainger	8.3	4.8	Sequatchie	8.6	4.9
Greene	9.5	4.9	Sevier	9.8	3.5
Grundy	10.0	6.6	Shelby	13.9	7.5
Hamblen	8.3	4.5	Smith	6.6	3.7
Hamilton	8.8	4.5	Stewart	7.5	4.9
Hancock	11.5	6.0	Sullivan	8.6	4.7
Hardeman	10.3	6.6	Sumner	8.2	3.6
Hardin	8.1	5.4	Tipton	8.6	4.9
Hawkins	9.0	4.8	Trousdale	7.6	4.0
Haywood	12.0	6.9	Unicoi	9.3	5.3
Henderson	9.1	4.5	Union	8.5	4.6
Henry	7.6	4.6	Van Buren	9.2	5.7
Hickman	6.5	3.7	Warren	9.0	5.4
Houston	9.0	6.1	Washington	7.6	4.0
Humphreys	7.2	4.0	Wayne	8.0	4.8
Jackson	8.8	4.9	Weakley	7.3	5.5
Jefferson	8.3	4.5	White	7.8	4.3
Johnson	6.4	4.0	Williamson	5.9	2.7
Knox	7.2	3.6	Wilson	8.2	3.3
Lake	9.6	6.7			

*Data Not Seasonally Adjusted



Statewide

Estimated Nonfarm Employment (in thousands)

Industry	Revised Preliminary			Net Change	
	Jul. 2020	Jun. 2021	Jul. 2021	Jul. 2020 Jul. 2021	Jun. 2021 Jul. 2021
Total Nonfarm	2,918.1	3,080.6	3,069.7	151.6	-10.9
Total Private	2,528.1	2,654.0	2,666.9	138.8	12.9
Goods Producing	469.3	482.0	481.6	12.3	-0.4
Mining, Logging & Construction	134.2	133.5	133.9	-0.3	0.4
Natural Resources & Mining	4.1	4.3	4.2	0.1	-0.1
Construction	130.1	129.2	129.7	-0.4	0.5
Construction of Buildings	26.8	25.8	25.5	-1.3	-0.3
Heavy and Civil Engineering	16.8	16.6	16.8	0.0	0.2
Specialty Trade Contractors	86.5	86.8	87.4	0.9	0.6
Manufacturing	335.1	348.5	347.7	12.6	-0.8
Durable Goods Manufacturing	211.8	223.8	223.9	12.1	0.1
Wood Product Manufacturing	12.4	13.1	13.0	0.6	-0.1
Nonmetallic Mineral Product Manufacturing	13.3	14.3	14.2	0.9	-0.1
Primary Metal Manufacturing	10.2	11.0	10.9	0.7	-0.1
Fabricated Metal Product Manufacturing	35.7	38.9	38.6	2.9	-0.3
Machinery Manufacturing	23.1	24.7	24.2	1.1	-0.5
Computer & Electronic Product Manufacturing	6.0	6.3	6.3	0.3	0.0
Electrical Equipment & Appliance Manufacturing	16.9	17.8	17.8	0.9	0.0
Transportation Equipment Manufacturing	68.9	71.2	72.6	3.7	1.4
Furniture & Related Product Manufacturing	9.3	10.0	9.9	0.6	-0.1
Miscellaneous Manufacturing Durable Goods	16.0	16.5	16.4	0.4	-0.1
Nondurable Goods Manufacturing	123.3	124.7	123.8	0.5	-0.9
Food Manufacturing	35.7	36.0	35.8	0.1	-0.2
Beverage & Tobacco Product Manufacturing	7.3	7.8	7.9	0.6	0.1
Paper Manufacturing	12.3	12.8	12.8	0.5	0.0
Printing & Related Support Activities	7.8	7.9	7.7	-0.1	-0.2
Chemical Manufacturing	25.4	25.6	25.7	0.3	0.1
Plastics & Rubber Products Manufacturing	23.6	23.1	23.0	-0.6	-0.1
Service Providing	2,448.8	2,598.6	2,588.1	139.3	-10.5
Trade, Transportation, & Utilities	619.3	646.0	644.2	24.9	-1.8
Wholesale Trade	116.3	120.4	119.0	2.7	-1.4
Merchant Wholesalers, Durable Goods	68.3	71.2	70.4	2.1	-0.8
Merchant Wholesalers, Nondurable Goods	41.2	42.4	41.8	0.6	-0.6
Wholesale Electronic Markets	6.8	6.8	6.8	0.0	0.0
Retail Trade	320.0	331.1	329.2	9.2	-1.9
Motor Vehicle & Parts Dealers	44.9	46.8	46.5	1.6	-0.3
Furniture & Home Furnishings Stores	8.8	9.2	9.2	0.4	0.0
Building Material, Garden Equipment, & Supplies	32.4	33.5	32.3	-0.1	-1.2
Food & Beverage Stores	56.8	56.8	57.2	0.4	0.4
Health & Personal Care Stores	22.2	23.1	22.9	0.7	-0.2
Gasoline Stations	23.8	24.6	24.6	0.8	0.0
Clothing & Clothing Accessories Stores	18.7	19.8	19.7	1.0	-0.1
Sporting Goods, Hobby, Book, & Music Stores	10.1	11.3	11.2	1.1	-0.1
General Merchandise Stores	68.9	68.4	67.9	-1.0	-0.5
Miscellaneous Store Retailers	16.2	18.2	18.6	2.4	0.4
Nonstore Retailers	7.6	7.7	7.6	0.0	-0.1
Transportation, Warehousing, & Utilities	183.0	194.5	196.0	13.0	1.5
Utilities	3.7	3.7	3.7	0.0	0.0
Transportation & Warehousing	179.3	190.8	192.3	13.0	1.5
Truck Transportation	59.0	57.3	57.2	-1.8	-0.1
Information	42.1	44.7	44.1	2.0	-0.6
Financial Activities	170.0	173.5	174.4	4.4	0.9
Finance & Insurance	131.0	132.2	131.7	0.7	-0.5
Real Estate, Rental, & Leasing	39.0	41.3	42.7	3.7	1.4
Professional & Business Services	402.3	438.9	443.6	41.3	4.7
Professional, Scientific, & Technical Services	145.7	160.1	161.4	15.7	1.3
Management of Companies & Enterprises	49.6	50.2	50.5	0.9	0.3
Administrative, Support, & Waste Management	207.0	228.6	231.7	24.7	3.1
Educational & Health Services	420.6	423.4	427.1	6.5	3.7
Educational Services	50.6	53.5	53.5	2.9	0.0
Health Care & Social Assistance	370.0	369.9	373.6	3.6	3.7
Ambulatory Health Care Services	150.9	153.7	156.6	5.7	2.9
Hospitals	108.3	109.2	110.2	1.9	1.0
Nursing & Residential Care Facilities	59.5	55.4	56.0	-3.5	0.6
Social Assistance	51.3	51.6	50.8	-0.5	-0.8
Leisure & Hospitality	288.8	321.5	326.9	38.1	5.4
Arts, Entertainment, & Recreation	36.4	42.7	43.6	7.2	0.9
Accommodation & Food Services	252.4	278.8	283.3	30.9	4.5
Accommodation	27.0	32.8	34.0	7.0	1.2
Food Services & Drinking Places	225.4	246.0	249.3	23.9	3.3
Other Services	115.7	124.0	125.0	9.3	1.0
Government	390.0	426.6	402.8	12.8	-23.8
Federal Government	51.4	51.1	51.4	0.0	0.3
State Government	87.0	90.2	89.5	2.5	-0.7
State Government Educational Services	45.3	49.6	48.9	3.6	-0.7
Local Government	251.6	285.3	261.9	10.3	-23.4
Local Government Educational Services	107.2	140.2	116.8	9.6	-23.4

Nonfarm Employment & Labor Workforce Narrative

Total nonfarm employment increased by 151,600 jobs from July 2020 to July 2021. There were increases in professional & business services (up 41,300 jobs), which includes increases of 24,700 jobs in administrative/support/waste management; leisure & hospitality (up 38,100 jobs), which includes increases of 23,900 jobs in food services & drinking places; trade/transportation/utilities (up 24,900), which includes increases of 13,000 jobs in transportation & warehousing; government (up 12,800 jobs), which includes increases of 10,300 jobs in local government; durable goods manufacturing (up 12,100 jobs).

These increases were partially offset by decreases in nursing & residential care facilities (down 3,500 jobs); truck transportation (down 1,800 jobs); construction of buildings (down 1,300 jobs); general merchandise stores (down 1,000 jobs); plastic & rubber products manufacturing (down 600 jobs).

During the past month, nonfarm employment decreased by 10,900 jobs. There were decreases in government (down 23,800 jobs), which include decreases of 23,400 jobs in local government educational services; retail trade (down 1,900 jobs), which includes decreases of 1,200 jobs in building material/garden equipment/supplies; wholesale trade (down 1,400 jobs).

These decreases were partially offset by increases in leisure & hospitality (up 5,400 jobs), which includes increases of 3,300 jobs in food services & drinking places; professional & business services (up 4,700 jobs).

Tennessee's seasonally adjusted estimated unemployment rate for July 2021 was 4.7 percent, down from the revised June 2021 rate of 4.9 percent. The United States unemployment rate for July 2021 was 5.4 percent, down from the revised June 2021 rate of 5.9 percent. In July 2020, the U.S. seasonally adjusted rate was 10.2 percent while the state rate was 8.9 percent.

The not seasonally adjusted unemployment rate decreased in 95 counties and increased in 1 county. Williamson County had the lowest rate at 2.7 percent, down from the revised June rate of 3.4 percent. The highest rate was Perry County at 10.4 percent, down from the revised unemployment rate of 13.0 percent in June.

The data from all the nonfarm employment estimates tables include all full- and part-time nonfarm wage and salary employees who worked during or received pay for any part of the pay period that includes the 12th of the month. This is a count of jobs by place of work. Agricultural workers, proprietors, self-employed persons, workers in private households, and unpaid family workers are excluded. These numbers may not add due to rounding. Data are based on the 2020 benchmark.

Civilian Labor Force

Civilian Labor Force Summary

	July 2020				June 2021				July 2021			
	Labor Force	Employment	Unemployed	Rate	Labor Force	Employment	Unemployed	Rate	Labor Force	Employment	Unemployed	Rate
Seasonally Adjusted												
U.S.	160,085,000	143,777,000	16,308,000	10.2	161,086,000	151,602,000	9,484,000	5.9	161,347,000	152,645,000	8,702,000	5.4
TENNESSEE	3,167,388	2,884,231	283,157	8.9	3,334,155	3,169,492	164,663	4.9	3,333,595	3,175,483	158,112	4.7
Not Seasonally Adjusted												
U.S.	161,374,000	144,492,000	16,882,000	10.5	162,166,000	152,283,000	9,883,000	6.1	162,817,000	153,596,000	9,221,000	5.7
TENNESSEE	3,184,398	2,885,677	298,721	9.4	3,346,722	3,158,981	187,741	5.6	3,354,320	3,197,749	156,571	4.7
Metropolitan Statistical Areas												
Chattanooga	264,418	243,700	20,718	7.8	278,841	263,912	14,929	5.4	277,653	266,723	10,930	3.9
Clarksville	112,510	102,777	9,733	8.7	120,422	113,094	7,328	6.1	117,805	111,764	6,041	5.1
Cleveland	59,274	54,615	4,659	7.9	60,649	57,244	3,405	5.6	60,122	57,374	2,748	4.6
Jackson	62,364	56,829	5,535	8.9	65,652	61,993	3,659	5.6	65,705	62,628	3,077	4.7
Johnson City	86,497	79,649	6,848	7.9	91,170	86,297	4,873	5.3	90,811	86,904	3,907	4.3
Kingsport	131,840	120,956	10,884	8.3	135,732	128,452	7,280	5.4	135,475	129,401	6,074	4.5
Knoxville	411,414	381,163	30,251	7.4	437,169	416,180	20,989	4.8	439,026	422,084	16,942	3.9
Memphis	629,946	552,342	77,604	12.3	659,573	609,763	49,810	7.6	659,385	613,779	45,606	6.9
Morristown	50,807	46,586	4,221	8.3	53,258	50,364	2,894	5.4	53,353	50,951	2,402	4.5
Nashville	1,037,299	941,874	95,425	9.2	1,091,205	1,040,686	50,519	4.6	1,102,445	1,061,205	41,240	3.7
Micropolitan Statistical Areas												
Athens	22,240	20,262	1,978	8.9	23,388	21,881	1,507	6.4	23,132	22,013	1,119	4.8
*Brownsville	7,527	6,626	901	12.0	7,768	7,143	625	8.0	7,624	7,097	527	6.9
Cookeville	47,101	43,618	3,483	7.4	49,277	46,624	2,653	5.4	49,213	47,106	2,107	4.3
Crossville	21,647	19,871	1,776	8.2	22,502	21,046	1,456	6.5	22,615	21,496	1,119	4.9
*Dayton	12,121	10,831	1,290	10.6	13,123	12,214	909	6.9	12,887	12,126	761	5.9
Dyersburg	15,247	13,853	1,394	9.1	15,526	14,567	959	6.2	15,446	14,645	801	5.2
Greeneville	27,445	24,827	2,618	9.5	28,266	26,570	1,696	6.0	28,267	26,878	1,389	4.9
Lawrenceburg	18,303	16,707	1,596	8.7	19,005	17,945	1,060	5.6	18,980	18,093	887	4.7
Lewisburg	14,670	13,277	1,393	9.5	15,055	14,243	812	5.4	15,129	14,463	666	4.4
Martin	14,532	13,478	1,054	7.3	15,058	14,274	784	5.2	14,993	14,171	822	5.5
McMinnville	16,291	14,831	1,460	9.0	16,727	15,681	1,046	6.3	16,692	15,796	896	5.4
Newport	14,199	12,669	1,530	10.8	14,724	13,733	991	6.7	14,729	13,930	799	5.4
Paris	13,263	12,252	1,011	7.6	13,426	12,710	716	5.3	13,555	12,926	629	4.6
Sevierville	53,262	48,036	5,226	9.8	56,852	54,379	2,473	4.3	57,677	55,673	2,004	3.5
Shelbyville	20,243	18,503	1,740	8.6	20,776	19,605	1,171	5.6	20,745	19,748	997	4.8
Tullahoma	46,924	43,297	3,627	7.7	48,785	46,220	2,565	5.3	48,810	46,701	2,109	4.3
Cities												
Bartlett	29,379	27,251	2,128	7.2	31,659	30,318	1,341	4.2	31,581	30,467	1,114	3.5
Brentwood	20,573	19,452	1,121	5.4	22,213	21,475	738	3.3	22,562	21,964	598	2.7
Bristol	11,131	10,227	904	8.1	11,708	11,054	654	5.6	11,693	11,147	546	4.7
Chattanooga	85,737	76,373	9,364	10.9	89,645	82,887	6,758	7.5	88,749	83,844	4,905	5.5
Clarksville	61,203	54,765	6,438	10.5	65,606	61,312	4,294	6.5	64,051	60,452	3,599	5.6
Cleveland	21,553	19,567	1,986	9.2	21,871	20,506	1,365	6.2	21,645	20,551	1,094	5.1
Collierville	24,270	22,916	1,354	5.6	26,473	25,495	978	3.7	26,401	25,620	781	3.0
Columbia	18,872	16,608	2,264	12.0	19,584	18,359	1,225	6.3	19,758	18,701	1,057	5.3
Cookeville	13,804	12,614	1,190	8.6	14,256	13,406	850	6.0	14,236	13,580	656	4.6
Franklin	44,942	42,239	2,703	6.0	48,264	46,631	1,633	3.4	49,000	47,694	1,306	2.7
Gallatin	21,835	19,671	2,164	9.9	22,981	21,723	1,258	5.5	23,204	22,185	1,019	4.4
Germantown	18,451	17,427	1,024	5.5	20,127	19,389	738	3.7	20,047	19,484	563	2.8
Hendersonville	31,481	28,839	2,642	8.4	33,271	31,847	1,424	4.3	33,667	32,525	1,142	3.4
Jackson	31,944	28,410	3,534	11.1	33,116	30,959	2,157	6.5	33,174	31,317	1,857	5.6
Johnson City	29,926	27,600	2,326	7.8	31,473	29,899	1,574	5.0	31,348	30,079	1,269	4.0
Kingsport	22,310	20,063	2,247	10.1	23,071	21,686	1,385	6.0	23,000	21,866	1,134	4.9
Knoxville	93,894	85,519	8,375	8.9	98,473	93,347	5,126	5.2	98,831	94,673	4,158	4.2
LaVergne	19,011	16,907	2,104	11.1	19,710	18,690	1,020	5.2	19,924	19,016	908	4.6
Lebanon	16,839	15,154	1,685	10.0	17,677	16,757	920	5.2	17,782	17,055	727	4.1
Maryville	13,439	12,539	900	6.7	14,304	13,692	612	4.3	14,421	13,895	526	3.6
Memphis	300,050	250,824	49,226	16.4	308,637	279,057	29,580	9.6	308,250	280,420	27,830	9.0
Morristown	11,438	10,396	1,042	9.1	11,952	11,239	713	6.0	11,985	11,368	617	5.1
*Mount Juliet	19,482	17,717	1,765	9.1	20,486	19,591	895	4.4	20,598	19,938	660	3.2
Murfreesboro	80,002	72,978	7,024	8.8	84,657	80,673	3,984	4.7	85,347	82,079	3,268	3.8
Nashville	395,498	349,799	45,699	11.6	407,348	386,328	21,020	5.2	411,627	394,168	17,459	4.2
Oak Ridge	13,600	12,508	1,092	8.0	14,392	13,652	740	5.1	14,436	13,852	584	4.0
Smyrna	27,612	25,074	2,538	9.2	29,100	27,718	1,382	4.7	29,316	28,201	1,115	3.8
Spring Hill	22,938	21,220	1,718	7.5	24,371	23,436	935	3.8	24,669	23,941	728	3.0

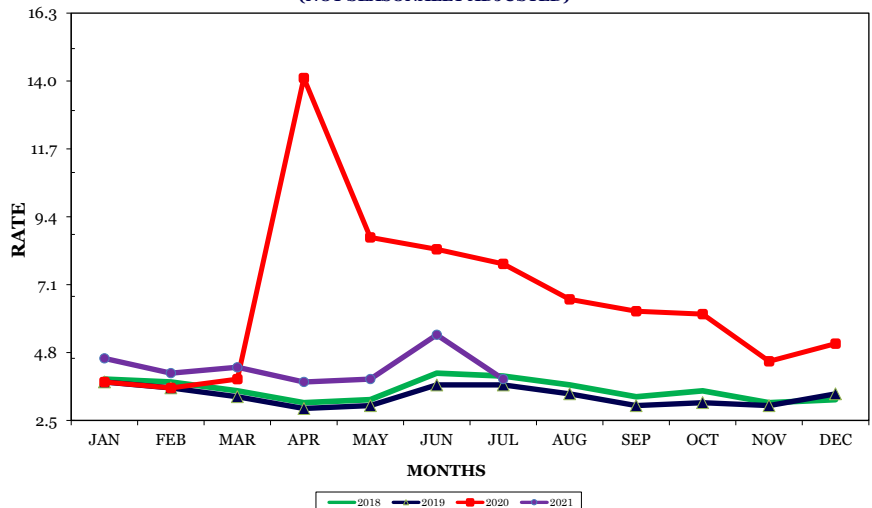
*2016 Census changes: **Micropolitan Areas**-Dayton and Brownsville added, Columbia, Harriman, Humboldt, LaFollette deleted. **Cities**: Mount Juliet added and Union City deleted.

Chattanooga MSA

Total nonfarm employment in the Chattanooga MSA decreased by 500 jobs from June 2021 to July 2021. There was a decrease in local government (down 800 jobs); financial activities and educational & health services (both down 200 jobs); retail trade and wholesale trade (both down 100 jobs). These decreases were partially offset by an increase in professional & business services (up 300 jobs).

During the past 12 months, nonfarm employment increased by 11,000 jobs. During the year, goods-producing jobs increased by 2,800 jobs while service-providing jobs increased by 8,200 jobs.

CHATTANOOGA MSA UNEMPLOYMENT RATES (NOT SEASONALLY ADJUSTED)

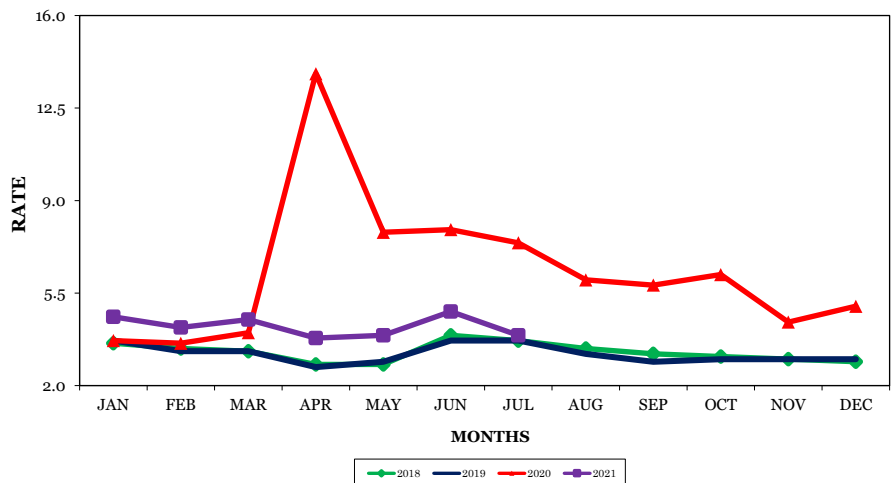


Estimated Nonfarm Employment (in thousands)

Industry	July 2020	Revised June 2021	Preliminary July 2021	Net Change	
				Jul. 2020 Jul. 2021	Jun. 2021 Jul. 2021
Total Nonfarm	251.4	262.9	262.4	11.0	-0.5
Total Private	216.6	227.5	227.7	11.1	0.2
Goods-Producing	43.8	46.3	46.6	2.8	0.3
Mining, Logging, & Construction	11.2	11.5	11.7	0.5	0.2
Manufacturing	32.6	34.8	34.9	2.3	0.1
Durable Goods Manufacturing	19.3	20.6	20.8	1.5	0.2
Nondurable Goods Manufacturing	13.3	14.2	14.1	0.8	-0.1
Service-Providing	207.6	216.6	215.8	8.2	-0.8
Trade, Transportation, & Utilities	52.4	53.8	53.7	1.3	-0.1
Wholesale Trade	8.2	8.3	8.2	0.0	-0.1
Retail Trade	26.5	26.8	26.7	0.2	-0.1
Transportation, Warehousing, & Utilities	17.7	18.7	18.8	1.1	0.1
Information	2.3	2.6	2.6	0.3	0.0
Financial Activities	22.4	22.7	22.5	0.1	-0.2
Professional & Business Services	27.0	28.3	28.6	1.6	0.3
Educational & Health Services	32.2	33.4	33.2	1.0	-0.2
Leisure & Hospitality	24.7	27.9	28.0	3.3	0.1
Other Services	11.8	12.5	12.5	0.7	0.0
Government	34.8	35.4	34.7	-0.1	-0.7
Federal Government	5.5	5.5	5.6	0.1	0.1
State Government	5.7	5.1	5.1	-0.6	0.0
Local Government	23.6	24.8	24.0	0.4	-0.8

Knoxville MSA

KNOXVILLE MSA UNEMPLOYMENT RATES (NOT SEASONALLY ADJUSTED)



Total nonfarm employment in the Knoxville MSA increased by 700 jobs from June 2021 to July 2021. There were increases in professional & business services (up 1,400 jobs); financial activities and educational & health services (both up 400 jobs); mining/ logging/construction and leisure & hospitality (both up 100 jobs).

These increases were partially offset by decreases in local government (down 1,400 jobs); retail trade (down 300 jobs).

During the past 12 months, nonfarm employment increased by 20,800 jobs. During the year, goods-producing jobs increased by 1,500 jobs while service-providing jobs increased by 19,300 jobs.

Estimated Nonfarm Employment (in thousands)

Industry	July 2020	Revised	Preliminary	Net Change	
		June 2021	July 2021	Jul. 2020	June 2021
		2021	2021	Jul. 2021	Jul. 2021
Total Nonfarm	386.0	406.1	406.8	20.8	0.7
Total Private	333.5	348.6	350.7	17.2	2.1
Goods-Producing	59.4	60.9	60.9	1.5	0.0
Mining, Logging, & Construction	18.8	17.6	17.7	-1.1	0.1
Manufacturing	40.6	43.3	43.2	2.6	-0.1
Durable Goods Manufacturing	30.1	32.3	32.3	2.2	0.0
Nondurable Goods Manufacturing	10.5	11.0	10.9	0.4	-0.1
Service-Providing	326.6	345.2	345.9	19.3	0.7
Trade, Transportation, & Utilities	76.8	80.0	79.7	2.9	-0.3
Wholesale Trade	15.7	16.1	16.0	0.3	-0.1
Retail Trade	46.7	48.7	48.4	1.7	-0.3
Transportation, Warehousing, & Utilities	14.4	15.2	15.3	0.9	0.1
Information	5.5	5.8	5.9	0.4	0.1
Financial Activities	19.3	19.1	19.5	0.2	0.4
Professional & Business Services	63.8	67.9	69.3	5.5	1.4
Educational & Health Services	54.3	54.8	55.2	0.9	0.4
Leisure & Hospitality	38.7	43.2	43.3	4.6	0.1
Other Services	15.7	16.9	16.9	1.2	0.0
Government	52.5	57.5	56.1	3.6	-1.4
Federal Government	5.5	5.4	5.5	0.0	0.1
State Government	16.6	17.4	17.3	0.7	-0.1
Local Government	30.4	34.7	33.3	2.9	-1.4

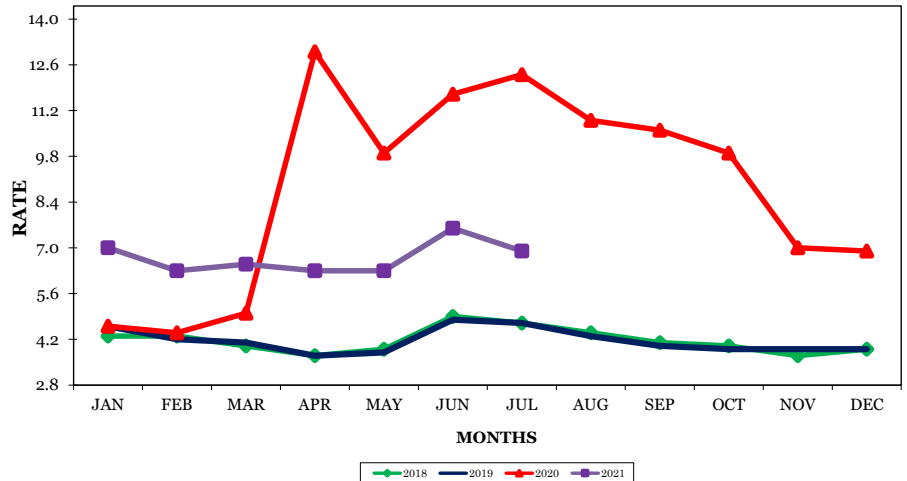
Memphis MSA

Total nonfarm employment in the Memphis MSA decreased by 4,900 jobs from June 2021 to July 2021. There were decreases in government (down 4,600 jobs), which includes decreases of 4,400 jobs in local government; retail trade (down 1,000 jobs); wholesale trade (down 700 jobs); manufacturing and educational & health services (both down 500 jobs).

These decreases were partially offset by increases in transportation/warehousing/utilities (up 700 jobs); financial activities (up 600 jobs); other services (up 300 jobs).

During the past 12 months, nonfarm employment increased by 39,600 jobs. During that time, goods-producing jobs increased by 2,800 jobs, while service-providing jobs increased by 36,800 jobs.

MEMPHIS MSA UNEMPLOYMENT RATES (NOT SEASONALLY ADJUSTED)



Estimated Nonfarm Employment (in thousands)

Industry	July 2020	Revised June 2021	Preliminary July 2021	Net Change Jul. 2020 Jul. 2021	Net Change Jun. 2021 Jul. 2021
Total Nonfarm	603.4	647.9	643.0	39.6	-4.9
Total Private	530.9	566.9	566.6	35.7	-0.3
Goods-Producing	66.7	69.8	69.5	2.8	-0.3
Mining, Logging, & Construction	23.8	23.9	24.1	0.3	0.2
Manufacturing	42.9	45.9	45.4	2.5	-0.5
Durable Goods Manufacturing	25.4	27.5	27.2	1.8	-0.3
Nondurable Goods Manufacturing	17.5	18.4	18.2	0.7	-0.2
Service-Providing	536.7	578.1	573.5	36.8	-4.6
Trade, Transportation, & Utilities	171.0	178.1	177.1	6.1	-1.0
Wholesale Trade	33.5	35.1	34.4	0.9	-0.7
Retail Trade	61.3	63.3	62.3	1.0	-1.0
Transportation, Warehousing, & Utilities	76.2	79.7	80.4	4.2	0.7
Information	4.9	5.1	5.1	0.2	0.0
Financial Activities	28.6	29.5	30.1	1.5	0.6
Professional & Business Services	87.3	101.4	101.7	14.4	0.3
Professional, Scientific, & Technical Services	22.2	25.7	25.7	3.5	0.0
Management of Companies & Enterprises	9.7	9.8	9.8	0.1	0.0
Administrative, Support, & Waste Management	55.4	65.9	66.2	10.8	0.3
Educational & Health Services	92.0	92.4	91.9	-0.1	-0.5
Leisure & Hospitality	54.1	63.7	64.0	9.9	0.3
Other Services	26.3	26.9	27.2	0.9	0.3
Government	72.5	81.0	76.4	3.9	-4.6
Federal Government	13.9	13.9	14.0	0.1	0.1
State Government	14.1	13.7	13.4	-0.7	-0.3
Local Government	44.5	53.4	49.0	4.5	-4.4

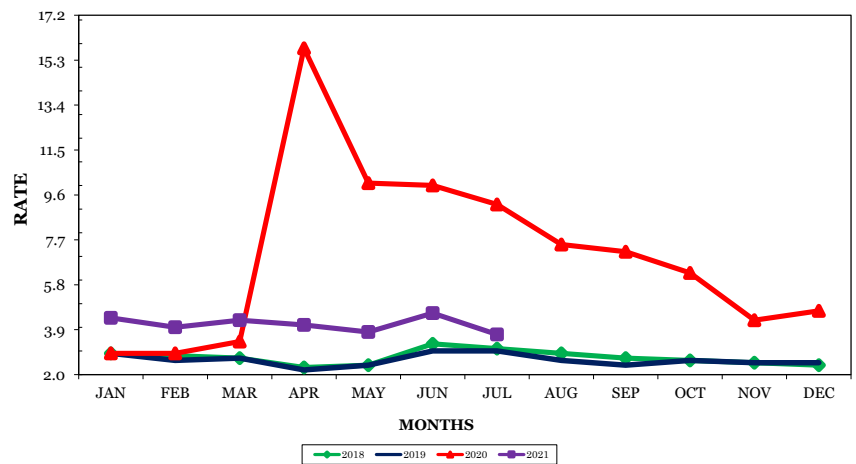
Nashville MSA

Total nonfarm employment in the Nashville MSA increased by 5,800 jobs from June 2021 to July 2021. There were increases in leisure & hospitality (up 3,600 jobs); professional & business services and educational & health services (both up 2,500 jobs); transportation/warehousing/utilities (up 1,400 jobs); other services (up 900 jobs); financial activities (up 500 jobs).

These increases were partially offset by decreases in local government (down 4,600 jobs); manufacturing (down 600 jobs); wholesale trade (down 300 jobs).

During the past 12 months, nonfarm employment increased by 70,000 jobs. During that time, goods-producing jobs increased by 2,400 jobs, while service-providing jobs increased by 67,600 jobs.

**NASHVILLE MSA
UNEMPLOYMENT RATES
(NOT SEASONALLY ADJUSTED)**



Estimated Nonfarm Employment (in thousands)

Industry	July	Revised	Preliminary	Net Change	
	2020	June 2021	July 2021	Jul. 2020	Jun. 2021
				Jul. 2021	Jul. 2021
Total Nonfarm	969.1	1,033.3	1,039.1	70.0	5.8
Total Private	861.1	915.5	925.9	64.8	10.4
Goods-Producing	129.1	132.0	131.5	2.4	-0.5
Mining, Logging, & Construction	49.3	50.0	50.1	0.8	0.1
Manufacturing	79.8	82.0	81.4	1.6	-0.6
Durable Goods Manufacturing	56.6	58.6	58.2	1.6	-0.4
Nondurable Goods Manufacturing	23.2	23.4	23.2	0.0	-0.2
Service-Providing	840.0	901.3	907.6	67.6	6.3
Trade, Transportation, & Utilities	195.4	206.4	207.3	11.9	0.9
Wholesale Trade	40.4	42.2	41.9	1.5	-0.3
Retail Trade	95.6	100.2	100.0	4.4	-0.2
Transportation, Warehousing, & Utilities	59.4	64.0	65.4	6.0	1.4
Information	23.3	25.4	25.4	2.1	0.0
Financial Activities	69.7	73.9	74.4	4.7	0.5
Professional & Business Services	164.1	179.0	181.5	17.4	2.5
Professional, Scientific, & Technical Services	69.6	77.0	77.1	7.5	0.1
Management of Companies & Enterprises	24.2	24.9	25.0	0.8	0.1
Administrative, Support, & Waste Management	70.3	77.1	79.4	9.1	2.3
Educational & Health Services	147.2	151.4	153.9	6.7	2.5
Educational Services	23.2	24.6	24.7	1.5	0.1
Health Care & Social Assistance	124.0	126.8	129.2	5.2	2.4
Leisure & Hospitality	92.2	105.9	109.5	17.3	3.6
Other Services	40.1	41.5	42.4	2.3	0.9
Government	108.0	117.8	113.2	5.2	-4.6
Federal Government	14.7	14.7	14.7	0.0	0.0
State Government	28.0	29.0	29.0	1.0	0.0
Local Government	65.3	74.1	69.5	4.2	-4.6



Nonfarm Employment (Smaller MSAs)

	Clarksville, TN-KY MSA		Cleveland, TN MSA		Jackson, TN MSA	
	Jun. 2021 Revised	Jul. 2021 Prelim.	Jun. 2021 Revised	Jul. 2021 Prelim.	Jun. 2021 Revised	Jul. 2021 Prelim.
Total Nonfarm	94,700	91,800	48,400	47,900	69,200	68,900
Total Private	75,900	75,200	43,200	43,100	55,200	55,100
Goods Producing	14,400	14,300	10,900	10,900	14,500	14,600
Mining, Logging & Construction	3,700	3,700	2,200	2,200	3,300	3,300
Manufacturing	10,700	10,600	8,700	8,700	11,200	11,300
Service Providing	80,300	77,500	37,500	37,000	54,700	54,300
Trade, Transportation, & Utilities	19,000	18,700	13,100	13,000	12,400	12,300
Wholesale Trade	N.A.	N.A.	800	800	3,000	3,000
Retail Trade	13,300	13,100	5,500	5,400	7,700	7,600
Transportation, Warehousing, & Utilities	2,900	2,900	6,800	6,800	1,700	1,700
Information	1,000	1,000	200	200	500	500
Financial Activities	3,100	3,100	1,300	1,300	2,100	2,100
Professional & Business Services	9,900	10,000	4,600	4,700	6,900	6,700
Educational & Health Services	12,100	12,100	5,700	5,700	10,700	10,700
Leisure & Hospitality	13,000	12,700	5,100	5,000	5,800	5,900
Other Services	3,400	3,300	2,300	2,300	2,300	2,300
Government	18,800	16,600	5,200	4,800	14,000	13,800
Federal Government	4,900	4,800	300	300	500	500
State Government	2,700	2,700	600	600	1,900	1,900
Local Government	11,200	9,100	4,300	3,900	11,600	11,400

	Johnson City, TN MSA		Kingsport-Bristol, TN-VA MSA		Morristown, TN MSA	
	Jun. 2021 Revised	Jul. 2021 Prelim.	Jun. 2021 Revised	Jul. 2021 Prelim.	Jun. 2021 Revised	Jul. 2021 Prelim.
Total Nonfarm	79,300	78,400	117,700	116,700	46,900	46,900
Total Private	64,500	64,500	102,600	102,500	40,500	40,300
Goods Producing	10,800	10,900	25,500	25,700	14,000	14,100
Mining, Logging & Construction	2,600	2,600	5,200	5,200	1,800	1,800
Manufacturing	8,200	8,300	20,300	20,500	12,200	12,300
Service Providing	68,500	67,500	92,200	91,000	32,900	32,800
Trade, Transportation, & Utilities	14,000	13,900	23,400	23,300	9,800	9,600
Wholesale Trade	2,600	2,600	3,300	3,300	1,400	1,400
Retail Trade	10,400	10,300	15,400	15,300	5,900	5,800
Transportation, Warehousing, & Utilities	1,000	1,000	4,700	4,700	2,500	2,400
Information	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	300	300
Financial Activities	4,600	4,600	3,600	3,600	900	900
Professional & Business Services	8,600	8,600	14,100	14,100	4,500	4,600
Educational & Health Services	13,500	13,500	17,000	16,900	5,300	5,100
Leisure & Hospitality	9,100	9,100	12,400	12,300	4,400	4,400
Other Services	2,900	2,900	5,600	5,600	1,300	1,300
Government	14,800	13,900	15,100	14,200	6,400	6,600
Federal Government	3,100	3,100	900	900	300	300
State Government	4,300	4,200	2,000	2,000	900	1,000
Local Government	7,400	6,600	12,200	11,300	5,200	5,300

Clarksville MSA is Montgomery County, Christian County, KY, & Trigg County, KY. **Cleveland MSA** is Bradley & Polk counties. **Jackson MSA** is Chester, Crockett, & Madison counties. **Johnson City MSA** is Carter, Unicoi, & Washington counties. **Kingsport-Bristol MSA** is Hawkins County, Sullivan County, Scott County, VA, Washington County, VA, & Bristol City, VA. **Morristown MSA** is Hamblen & Jefferson counties.

U.S. Consumer Price Index — July 2021

Group	All Urban Consumers			Wage & Clerical Earners		
	Index	Percent Change		Index	Percent Change	
		Yearly	Monthly		Yearly	Monthly
U.S. City Average						
All Items (1982-84=100)	273.003	5.4	0.5	267.789	6.0	0.5
Food and beverages	277.187	3.4	0.7	276.724	3.4	0.7
Housing	281.604	3.4	0.4	277.424	3.3	0.4
Apparel	119.078	4.2	-1.0	118.543	4.0	-1.1
Transportation	239.722	19.4	0.9	243.716	21.7	1.1
Medical care	524.219	0.3	0.2	531.631	0.1	0.3
South						
All Items (1982-84=100)	263.013	5.8	0.5	259.259	6.2	0.5
Food and beverages	272.177	3.0	0.5	271.328	2.9	0.6
Housing	258.418	3.5	0.5	258.206	3.3	0.5
Apparel	127.285	4.1	-1.2	126.096	3.7	-1.0
Transportation	239.749	20.1	0.9	240.434	22.1	1.0
Medical care	497.884	1.4	0.4	509.568	1.2	0.5

Hours And Earnings Of Production Workers

	Average Weekly Earnings			Average Hourly Earnings			Average Weekly Hours		
	Jul.	Jun.	Jul.	Jul.	Jun.	Jul.	Jul.	Jun.	Jul.
	2020	2021	2021	2020	2021	2021	2020	2021	2021
Manufacturing	\$765.38	\$943.95	\$956.57	\$20.41	\$21.75	\$21.99	37.5	43.4	43.5
Durable Goods Manufacturing	\$818.75	\$1,025.20	\$1,016.69	\$21.66	\$23.09	\$22.95	37.8	44.4	44.3
Non-Durable Goods Manufacturing	\$674.88	\$803.56	\$847.98	\$18.24	\$19.27	\$20.19	37.0	41.7	42.0

All Employee Hours And Earnings

	Average Weekly Earnings			Average Hourly Earnings			Average Weekly Hours		
	Jul.	Jun.	Jul.	Jul.	Jun.	Jul.	Jul.	Jun.	Jul.
	2020	2021	2021	2020	2021	2021	2020	2021	2021
Total Private	\$874.72	\$933.66	\$935.57	\$24.85	\$26.08	\$26.28	35.2	35.8	35.6
Goods-Producing	\$991.63	\$1,117.51	\$1,115.69	\$25.69	\$27.19	\$27.48	38.6	41.1	40.6
Mining, Logging & Construction	\$1,048.80	\$1,059.74	\$1,076.40	\$26.22	\$26.56	\$26.91	40.0	39.9	40.0
Manufacturing	\$970.41	\$1,140.67	\$1,132.93	\$25.47	\$27.42	\$27.70	38.1	41.6	40.9
Private Service-Providing	\$847.27	\$892.33	\$895.97	\$24.63	\$25.79	\$25.97	34.4	34.6	34.5
Trade, Transportation, & Utilities	\$812.58	\$850.38	\$862.06	\$23.35	\$24.09	\$24.56	34.8	35.3	35.1
Information	\$1,140.21	\$1,147.23	\$1,154.75	\$30.90	\$30.27	\$30.63	36.9	37.9	37.7
Financial Activities	\$1,324.55	\$1,395.01	\$1,363.48	\$36.19	\$38.43	\$37.98	36.6	36.3	35.9
Professional & Business Services	\$1,039.92	\$1,084.84	\$1,080.43	\$27.88	\$29.32	\$29.28	37.3	37.0	36.9
Education & Health Services	\$823.99	\$875.78	\$888.38	\$23.61	\$24.88	\$25.31	34.9	35.2	35.1
Leisure & Hospitality	\$394.48	\$457.71	\$463.39	\$14.19	\$16.06	\$16.09	27.8	28.5	28.8
Other Services	\$765.05	\$828.16	\$817.51	\$23.54	\$25.02	\$25.31	32.5	33.1	32.3

TENNESSEE & UNITED STATES UNEMPLOYMENT RATES (Seasonally Adjusted/ TN Solid Line)

