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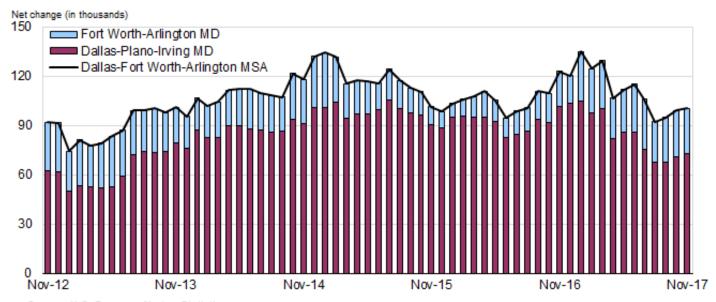
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# Dallas-Fort Worth Area Employment — November 2017

Total nonfarm employment in the Dallas-Fort Worth-Arlington Metropolitan Statistical Area stood at 3,683,700 in November 2017, up 100,400 over the year, the U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics reported today. From November 2016 to November 2017, local nonfarm employment rose 2.8 percent, twice the national rate of 1.4 percent. (See chart 1 and table 1.) Assistant Commissioner for Regional Operations Stanley W. Suchman noted that among the 12 largest metropolitan areas in the country, Dallas ranked first in both the rate of job growth and the number of jobs added. (See chart 3 and table 2; the Technical Note at the end of this release contains the metropolitan area definitions. All data in this release are not seasonally adjusted; accordingly, over-the-year analysis is used throughout.)

Chart 1. Total nonfarm employment, over-the-year net change in the Dallas metropolitan area and its divisions, November 2012–November 2017



Source: U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics.

The Dallas-Fort Worth-Arlington Metropolitan Statistical Area consists of two metropolitan divisions – separately identifiable employment centers within the larger metropolitan area. The Dallas-Plano-Irving Metropolitan Division, which accounted for 71 percent of the area's workforce, added 73,100 jobs from November a year ago, an increase of 2.9 percent. The Fort Worth-Arlington Metropolitan Division, which accounted for the remaining 29 percent of the area's workforce, added 27,300 jobs during the 12-month period, a gain of 2.7 percent.

## **Industry employment**

Professional and business services added 31,100 jobs in the local area from November 2016 to November 2017, the largest gain of any local supersector, and a 5.2-percent increase from a year ago. (See table 1 and chart 2.) The bulk of the gain was in the Dallas-Plano-Irving metropolitan division, which added 26,900 jobs, a 5.6-percent increase. Nationwide, employment in the professional and business services supersector rose at a rate of 2.7 percent over the year.

Employment in the area's leisure and hospitality supersector rose by 18,100 since November 2016, the second-largest gain among the local supersectors. The majority of the job gain was in the sector's largest industry, food services and drinking places (+12,800). The supersector's rate of job growth in the Dallas metropolitan area, 4.9 percent, was more than double the nationwide advance of 1.8 percent.

Education and health services added 11,200 jobs in the Dallas area from November 2016. The area's 2.6-percent rate of job growth in education and health services compared to the U.S. rate of 2.0 percent.

Trade, transportation, and utilities, the metropolitan area's largest supersector, added 11,000 jobs from November 2016. The 1.4-percent local rate of job growth was twice the national gain of 0.7 percent. Locally, employment rose in two of the three industry subsectors, with retail trade adding 6,600 jobs and transportation, warehousing, and utilities adding 5,300 jobs.

The manufacturing supersector added 9,300 jobs in the metropolitan area, an increase of 3.5 percent. Nationally, employment rose 1.5 percent in the sector. Locally, employment increased at a faster pace in the Fort Worth division compared to the Dallas division, 5.2 and 2.6 percent, respectively.

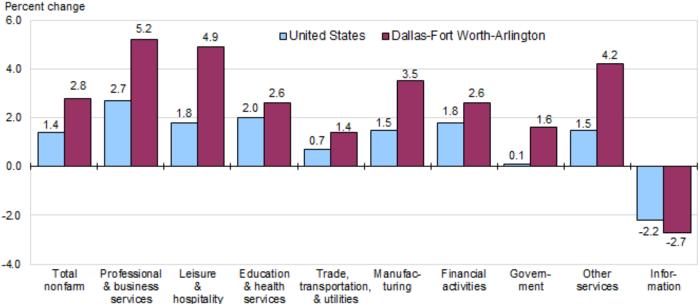


Chart 2. Total nonfarm and selected industry supersector employment, over-the-year percent change, United States and the Dallas-Fort Worth-Arlington metropolitan area, November 2017

Source: U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics.

The local financial activities supersector added 7,400 jobs from November 2016, a 2.6-percent increase; nationally, the rate of job growth was 1.8 percent. Both metropolitan divisions added jobs: 4,100 in Dallas-Plano-Irving and 3,300 in Fort Worth-Arlington. The rate of job growth in Fort Worth-Arlington, at 5.2 percent, was faster-paced than the 1.8-percent gain in Dallas-Plano-Irving.

Government employment in the metropolitan area increased by 6,900, or 1.6 percent, from November 2016 to November 2017. Local government accounted for more than 85 percent of the sector's job growth (+5,900 jobs). Nationally, government employment edged up 0.1 percent.

In the three remaining local supersectors, other services added 5,200 jobs since November 2016; mining, logging, and construction added 2,400 jobs; and information lost 2,200 jobs.

#### Employment in the 12 largest metropolitan areas

Dallas-Fort Worth-Arlington was 1 of the nation's 12 largest metropolitan statistical areas in November 2017. All 12 areas had over-the-year job growth during the period, with the rates of job growth in 8 areas exceeding the national increase of 1.4 percent. Dallas had the fastest rate of growth, 2.8 percent, followed by Boston-Cambridge-Nashua and Phoenix-Mesa-Scottsdale, both at 2.2 percent. Chicago-Naperville-Elgin and Los Angeles-Long Beach-Anaheim had the slowest rates of job growth at 0.6 and 0.8 percent, respectively. (See chart 3 and table 2.)

Percent change 3.0 2.8 2.5 2.2 2.2 2.1 2.0 2.0 1.7 1.6 1.5 1.4 1.5 1.0 0.9 1.0 8.0 0.6 0.5 Chicago United Atlanta Boston Dallas Houston Los Miami New Phila-Phoenix San Washington States Angeles York delphia Francisco Source: U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics.

Chart 3. Total nonfarm employment, over-the-year percent change, United States and 12 largest metropolitan areas, November 2017

Dallas added the largest number of jobs since November 2016, 100,400, followed by New York-Newark-Jersey City (+89,300). Chicago had the smallest employment gain over the year, adding 25,900 jobs. Annual job gains in the other nine metropolitan areas ranged from 60,300 to 30,000.

Over the year, education and health services added the most jobs in eight areas: Boston, Los Angeles, Miami-Fort Lauderdale-West Palm Beach, New York, Philadelphia-Camden-Wilmington, Phoenix, San Francisco-Oakland-Hayward, and Washington-Arlington-Alexandria. Professional and business services gained the most jobs in three areas: Atlanta-Sandy Springs-Roswell, Dallas, and Houston-The Woodlands-Sugar Land.

Information lost the most jobs over the year in three areas: Dallas, Phoenix, and Washington. Miami had no annual job losses in any supersector.

Metropolitan area employment data for December 2017 are scheduled to be released on Tuesday, January 23, 2018, at 10:00 a.m. (ET).

### **Technical Note**

This release presents nonfarm payroll employment estimates from the Current Employment Statistics (CES) program. The CES survey is a Federal-State cooperative endeavor between State employment security agencies and the Bureau of Labor Statistics.

**Definitions.** Employment data refer to persons on establishment payrolls who receive pay for any part of the pay period that includes the 12th of the month. Persons are counted at their place of work rather than at their place of residence; those appearing on more than one payroll are counted on each payroll. Industries are classified on the basis of their principal activity in accordance with the 2012 version of the North American Industry Classification System.

**Method of estimation.** CES State and Area employment data are produced using several estimation procedures. Where possible these data are produced using a "weighted link relative" estimation technique in which a ratio of current-month weighted employment to that of the previous-month weighted employment is computed from a sample of establishments reporting for both months. The estimates of employment for the current month are then obtained by multiplying these ratios by the previous month's employment estimates. The weighted link relative technique is utilized for data series where the sample size meets certain statistical criteria.

For some employment series, the sample of establishments is very small or highly variable. In these cases, a model-based approach is used in estimation. These models use the direct sample estimates (described above), combined with forecasts of historical (benchmarked) data to decrease volatility in estimation. Two different models (Fay-Herriot Model and Small Domain Model) are used depending on the industry level being estimated. For more detailed information about each model, refer to the BLS Handbook of Methods.

**Annual revisions.** Employment estimates are adjusted annually to a complete count of jobs, called benchmarks, derived principally from tax reports that are submitted by employers who are covered under state unemployment insurance (UI) laws. The benchmark information is used to adjust the monthly estimates between the new benchmark and the preceding one and also to establish the level of employment for the new benchmark month. Thus, the benchmarking process establishes the level of employment, and the sample is used to measure the month-to-month changes in the level for the subsequent months.

**Reliability of the estimates.** The estimates presented in this release are based on sample surveys, administrative data, and modeling and, thus, are subject to sampling and other types of errors. Sampling error is a measure of sampling variability—that is, variation that occurs by chance because a sample rather than the entire population is surveyed. Survey data also are subject to nonsampling errors, such as those which can be introduced into the data collection and processing operations. Estimates not directly derived from sample surveys are subject to additional errors resulting from the specific estimation processes used. The sums of individual items may not always equal the totals shown in the same tables because of rounding.

**Employment estimates.** Measures of sampling error for the total private employment series are available for metropolitan areas and metropolitan divisions at www.bls.gov/sae/790stderr.htm. Measures of sampling error for more detailed series at the area and division level are available upon request. Measures of sampling error for states down to the supersector level are available on the BLS website at www.bls.gov/sae/790stderr.htm. Measures of nonsampling error are not available for the areas contained in this release. Information on recent benchmark revisions is available online at www.bls.gov/sae/benchmark2017.pdf

**Area definitions.** The substate area data published in this release reflect the delineations issued by the U.S. Office of Management and Budget, dated July 15, 2015. A detailed list of the geographic definitions is available at www.bls.gov/lau/lausmsa.htm.

The **Dallas-Fort Worth-Arlington Metropolitan Statistical Area** includes Collin, Dallas, Denton, Ellis, Hood, Hunt, Johnson, Kaufman, Parker, Rockwall, Somervell, Tarrant, and Wise Counties in Texas.

The **Dallas-Plano-Irving Metropolitan Division** includes Collin, Dallas, Denton, Ellis, Hunt, Kaufman, and Rockwall Counties in Texas.

The **Fort Worth-Arlington Metropolitan Division** includes Hood, Johnson, Parker, Somervell, Tarrant, and Wise Counties in Texas.

#### Additional information

More complete information on the technical procedures used to develop these estimates and additional data appear in Employment and Earnings, which is available online at www.bls.gov/opub/ee/home.htm. Industry employment data for states and metropolitan areas from the CES program are also available in the above mentioned news releases and from the BLS website at www.bls.gov/sae/.

Information in this release will be made available to sensory impaired individuals upon request. Voice phone: (202) 691-5200; Federal Relay Service: (800) 877-8339.

Table 1. Employees on nonfarm payrolls by industry supersector, United States and Dallas-Fort Worth-Arlington metropolitan area and its components, not seasonally adjusted (numbers in thousands)

	·		, ,		Nov. 2016 to	
Area and Industry	Nov. 2016	Sep. 2017	Oct. 2017	Nov. 2017(p)	Nov. 2017(p)	
					Net change	Percent change
United States						
Total nonfarm	146,393	146,954	147,975	148,507	2,114	1.4
Mining and logging	673	727	731	735	62	9.2
Construction	6,869	7,122	7,126	7,060	191	2.8
Manufacturing	12,328	12,498	12,495	12,509	181	1.5
Trade, transportation, and utilities	27,819	27,295	27,489	28,018	199	0.7
Information	2,780	2,708	2,708	2,718	-62	-2.2
Financial activities	8,337	8,481	8,488	8,484	147	1.8
Professional and business services	20,564	20,881	21,070	21,115	551	2.7
Education and health services	23,074	23,138	23,432	23,535	461	2.0
Leisure and hospitality	15,466	16,079	15,955	15,738	272	1.8
Other services	5,705	5,755	5,788	5,790	85	1.5
Government	22,778	22,270	22,693	22,805	27	0.1
Dallas-Fort Worth-Arlington, TX Metropolitan Statistical Area						
Total nonfarm	3,583.3	3,625.3	3,654.8	3,683.7	100.4	2.8
Mining, logging, and construction	209.9	213.0	212.3	212.3	2.4	1.1
Manufacturing	266.4	272.9	274.2	275.7	9.3	3.5
Trade, transportation, and utilities	774.3	767.1	772.2	785.3	11.0	1.4
Information	83.0	80.8	80.6	80.8	-2.2	-2.7
Financial activities	286.4	296.0	293.7	293.8	7.4	2.6
Professional and business services	596.9	615.1	620.8	628.0	31.1	5.2
Education and health services	436.3	441.1	442.7	447.5	11.2	2.6
Leisure and hospitality	369.8	380.3	387.3	387.9	18.1	4.9
Other services	123.3	127.6	129.7	128.5	5.2	4.2
Government	437.0	431.4	441.3	443.9	6.9	1.6
Dallas-Plano-Irving, TX Metropolitan Division						
Total nonfarm	2,557.3	2,584.5	2,606.6	2,630.4	73.1	2.9
Mining, logging, and construction	138.8	140.0	141.9	142.3	3.5	2.5
Manufacturing	173.6	176.4	177.4	178.1	4.5	2.6
Trade, transportation, and utilities	522.4	515.7	519.1	526.6	4.2	0.8
Information	71.5	69.6	69.4	69.6	-1.9	-2.7
Financial activities	228.6	235.4	232.7	232.7	4.1	1.8
Professional and business services	483.5	498.1	502.1	510.4	26.9	5.6
Education and health services	303.9	305.8	308.1	312.0	8.1	2.7
Leisure and hospitality	253.4	261.7	266.7	268.6	15.2	6.0
Other services	83.7	85.8	87.5	87.1	3.4	4.1
Government	297.9	296.0	301.7	303.0	5.1	1.7
Fort Worth-Arlington, TX Metropolitan Division						
Total nonfarm	1,026.0	1,040.8	1,048.2	1,053.3	27.3	2.7
Mining, logging, and construction	71.1	73.0	70.4	70.0	-1.1	-1.5
Manufacturing	92.8	96.5	96.8	97.6	4.8	5.2
Trade, transportation, and utilities	251.9	251.4	253.1	258.7	6.8	2.7
Information	11.5	11.2	11.2	11.2	-0.3	-2.6
Financial activities	57.8	60.6	61.0	61.1	3.3	5.7
Professional and business services	113.4	117.0	118.7	117.6	4.2	3.7
Education and health services	132.4	135.3	134.6	135.5	3.1	2.3
Leisure and hospitality	116.4	118.6	120.6	119.3	2.9	2.5
Other services	39.6	41.8	42.2	41.4	1.8	4.5
Government	139.1	135.4	139.6	140.9	1.8	1.3

<sup>(</sup>p) preliminary

Table 2. Employees on nonfarm payrolls by industry supersector, 12 largest metropolitan areas, not seasonally adjusted (numbers in thousands)

Area and Industry	Nov. 2016	Sep. 2017	Oct. 2017	Nov. 2017(p)	Nov. 2016 to Nov. 2017(p)	
					Net change	Percent change
Atlanta-Sandy Springs-Roswell, GA						
Total nonfarm	2,729.1	2,754.3	2,772.0	2,785.1	56.0	2.
Mining and logging	1.8	1.8	1.8	1.8	0.0	0.
Construction	119.9	120.5	123.2	124.6	4.7	3.
Manufacturing	163.6	161.0	161.4	161.3	-2.3	-1.
Trade, transportation, and utilities	606.2	596.5	601.3	612.2	6.0	1.
Information	96.6	99.2	98.8	100.2	3.6	3.
Financial activities	170.0	172.9	172.7	173.5	3.5	2.
Professional and business services	506.9	525.4	526.4	523.8	16.9	3.
Education and health services	341.9	346.4	351.1	352.0	10.1	3.
Leisure and hospitality	289.3	296.0	295.4	295.3	6.0	2.
Other services	99.0	100.0	100.8	99.1	0.1	0.
Government	333.9	334.6	339.1	341.3	7.4	2.
Boston-Cambridge-Nashua, MA-NH						
Total nonfarm	2,739.5	2,775.0	2,796.8	2,799.8	60.3	2.
Mining, logging, and construction	109.8	116.0	117.2	116.4	6.6	6.
Manufacturing	187.2	186.8	186.9	186.9	-0.3	-0.
Trade, transportation, and utilities	428.4	425.7	428.2	432.1	3.7	0.
Information	77.7	78.5	78.0	77.6	-0.1	-0.
Financial activities	187.4	190.7	191.1	190.1	2.7	1
Professional and business services	477.1	486.3	490.7	492.1	15.0	3
Education and health services	584.5	590.6	597.3	603.1	18.6	3
Leisure and hospitality	262.6	275.3	275.0	266.6	4.0	1
Other services	101.7	107.5	109.7	109.8	8.1	8
Government	323.1	317.6	322.7	325.1	2.0	0
Chicago-Naperville-Elgin, IL-IN-WI						
Total nonfarm	4,705.6	4,705.1	4,733.8	4,731.5	25.9	0.
Mining and logging	1.6	1.6	1.6	1.6	0.0	0
Construction	176.6	182.6	182.2	178.5	1.9	1
Manufacturing	414.1	412.1	412.6	415.0	0.9	0
Trade, transportation, and utilities	959.8	935.0	943.8	956.7	-3.1	-0
Information	80.5	81.7	81.8	81.7	1.2	1
Financial activities	298.4	309.8	310.2	308.6	10.2	3
Professional and business services	833.7	838.6	845.4	842.7	9.0	1
Education and health services	727.6	718.7	730.9	731.5	3.9	0
Leisure and hospitality	460.8	474.7	468.6	458.9	-1.9	-0
Other services	191.9	196.4	196.0	194.9	3.0	1
Government	560.6	553.9	560.7	561.4	0.8	0
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Total nonfarm	3,583.3	3,625.3	3,654.8	3,683.7	100.4	2
Mining, logging, and construction	209.9	213.0	212.3	212.3	2.4	1
Manufacturing	266.4	272.9	274.2	275.7	9.3	3
Trade, transportation, and utilities	774.3	767.1	772.2	785.3	11.0	1
Information	83.0	80.8	80.6	80.8	-2.2	-2
Financial activities	286.4	296.0	293.7	293.8	7.4	2
Professional and business services	596.9	615.1	620.8	628.0	31.1	5
Education and health services	436.3	441.1	442.7	447.5	11.2	2
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Leisure and hospitality	369.8	380.3	387.3	387.9	18.1	4
Other services	123.3	127.6	129.7	128.5	5.2	4
Government	437.0	431.4	441.3	443.9	6.9	1
Houston-The Woodlands-Sugar Land, TX	2 004 0	2.040.4	2.054.4	0.070.4	40.5	
Total nonfarm	3,021.6	3,018.4	3,054.4	3,070.1	48.5	1
Mining and logging	85.7	86.7	86.3	86.6	0.9	1

Note: See footnotes at end of table.

Table 2. Employees on nonfarm payrolls by industry supersector, 12 largest metropolitan areas, not seasonally adjusted (numbers in thousands) - Continued

Area and Industry	Nov. 2016	Sep. 2017	Oct. 2017	Nov. 2017(p)	Nov. 2016 to Nov. 2017(p)	
					Net change	Percent change
Manufacturing	217.9	232.1	229.2	230.9	13.0	6.0
Trade, transportation, and utilities	618.3	598.6	608.1	618.1	-0.2	0.0
Information	33.1	31.7	31.4	32.0	-1.1	-3.3
Financial activities	155.9	158.9	160.3	160.6	4.7	3.0
Professional and business services	473.0	479.8	483.2	486.6	13.6	2.9
Education and health services	385.7	393.0	397.0	395.5	9.8	2.5
Leisure and hospitality	314.4	310.6	317.6	315.7	1.3	0.4
Other services	107.2	109.1	108.6	107.9	0.7	0.7
Government	415.0	410.2	420.3	422.8	7.8	1.9
Los Angeles-Long Beach-Anaheim, CA						
Total nonfarm	6,074.9	6,043.1	6,096.2	6,125.6	50.7	8.0
Mining and logging	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0	0.0	0.0
Construction	232.1	248.2	247.9	246.2	14.1	6.1
Manufacturing	514.3	506.2	504.7	505.7	-8.6	-1.7
Trade, transportation, and utilities	1,121.7	1,089.9	1,099.7	1,121.8	0.1	0.0
Information	262.7	257.0	263.8	262.9	0.2	0.1
Financial activities	338.3	340.3	342.1	343.1	4.8	1.4
Professional and business services	919.8	922.7	923.1	924.8	5.0	0.5
Education and health services	990.0	1,004.3	1,015.8	1,019.0	29.0	2.9
Leisure and hospitality	731.1	739.4	744.1	743.7	12.6	1.7
Other services	207.6	215.0	215.1	215.4	7.8	3.8
Government	753.3	716.1	735.9	739.0	-14.3	-1.9
Miami-Fort Lauderdale-West Palm Beach, FL						
Total nonfarm	2,643.4	2,614.7	2,667.5	2,695.4	52.0	2.0
Mining and logging	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.0	0.0
Construction	124.8	128.8	133.9	132.8	8.0	6.4
Manufacturing	88.7	88.0	89.7	91.4	2.7	3.0
Trade, transportation, and utilities	607.9	593.2	599.2	617.1	9.2	1.5
Information	49.5	48.8	49.4	49.9	0.4	8.0
Financial activities	175.4	176.0	174.8	177.2	1.8	1.0
Professional and business services	436.6	427.1	440.3	440.6	4.0	0.9
Education and health services	388.7	395.8	402.6	399.4	10.7	2.8
Leisure and hospitality	329.1	312.6	324.4	332.4	3.3	1.0
Other services	127.5	128.0	133.1	133.6	6.1	4.8
Government	314.5	315.7	319.4	320.3	5.8	1.8
New York-Newark-Jersey City, NY-NJ-PA						
Total nonfarm	9,678.4	9,631.7	9,720.7	9,767.7	89.3	0.9
Mining, logging, and construction	388.8	400.5	401.1	398.9	10.1	2.6
Manufacturing	364.5	367.3	367.8	367.5	3.0	0.0
Trade, transportation, and utilities	1,776.4	1,716.5	1,731.2	1,764.8	-11.6	-0.7
Information	290.9	285.6	283.7	283.6	-7.3	-2.5
Financial activities	767.2	779.0	782.2	779.0	11.8	1.5
Professional and business services	1,550.2	1,552.4	1,554.7	1,558.2	8.0	0.5
Education and health services	1,915.5	1,897.9	1,945.5	1,961.2	45.7	2.4
Leisure and hospitality	883.4	931.5	915.4	903.8	20.4	2.3
Other services	417.2	423.7	424.4	426.0	8.8	2.1
Government	1,324.3	1,277.3	1,314.7	1,324.7	0.4	0.0
Philadelphia-Camden-Wilmington, PA-NJ-DE-		·	·			
Total nonfarm	2,931.5	2,926.3	2,953.4	2,961.5	30.0	1.0
Mining, logging, and construction	116.7	119.4	118.8	116.8	0.1	0.1
Manufacturing	177.7	178.6	178.9	178.8	1.1	0.6
Trade, transportation, and utilities	538.8	523.9	527.3	537.6	-1.2	-0.2
Information	46.3	46.0	45.7	45.8	-0.5	-1.1

Note: See footnotes at end of table.

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Area and Industry	Nov. 2016	Sep. 2017	Oct. 2017	Nov. 2017(p)	Nov. 2016 to Nov. 2017(p)	
					Net change	Percent change
Financial activities	212.5	217.3	216.9	217.2	4.7	2.2
Professional and business services	470.9	474.4	479.8	481.1	10.2	2.2
Education and health services	645.3	638.3	654.0	656.1	10.8	1.7
Leisure and hospitality	258.4	275.2	272.7	265.9	7.5	2.9
Other services	120.1	117.7	118.3	118.9	-1.2	-1.0
Government	344.8	335.5	341.0	343.3	-1.5	-0.4
Phoenix-Mesa-Scottsdale, AZ						
Total nonfarm	2,023.4	2,025.8	2,042.6	2,068.6	45.2	2.2
Mining and logging	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.2	0.0	0.0
Construction	104.2	111.2	111.1	112.8	8.6	8.3
Manufacturing	120.9	123.7	124.1	124.7	3.8	3.1
Trade, transportation, and utilities	402.8	388.1	392.9	405.2	2.4	0.6
Information	36.0	33.6	33.8	33.7	-2.3	-6.4
Financial activities	179.2	181.8	182.3	183.3	4.1	2.3
Professional and business services	349.9	346.7	352.1	356.6	6.7	1.9
Education and health services	297.0	305.7	308.2	309.4	12.4	4.2
Leisure and hospitality	220.8	223.7	226.1	229.5	8.7	3.9
Other services	61.9	61.6	61.1	61.2	-0.7	-1.1
Government	247.5	246.5	247.7	249.0	1.5	0.6
San Francisco-Oakland-Hayward, CA						
Total nonfarm	2,385.2	2,392.6	2,407.2	2,425.4	40.2	1.7
Mining and logging	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	0.0	0.0
Construction	116.8	123.9	123.8	125.0	8.2	7.0
Manufacturing	131.8	133.9	134.0	134.3	2.5	1.9
Trade, transportation, and utilities	388.9	378.5	380.7	389.6	0.7	0.2
Information	101.1	102.8	103.3	103.6	2.5	2.5
Financial activities	144.4	145.7	146.1	145.7	1.3	0.9
Professional and business services	478.4	471.2	473.4	477.7	-0.7	-0.1
Education and health services	344.1	350.0	356.5	358.5	14.4	4.2
Leisure and hospitality	267.1	277.5	275.0	273.7	6.6	2.5
Other services	86.4	89.5	88.8	88.1	1.7	2.0
Government	325.2	318.6	324.6	328.2	3.0	0.9
Washington-Arlington-Alexandria, DC-VA-MD-WV						
Total nonfarm	3,267.8	3,293.4	3,307.3	3,316.7	48.9	1.5
Mining, logging, and construction	156.1	163.4	163.4	160.1	4.0	2.6
Manufacturing	54.4	54.3	54.3	54.1	-0.3	-0.6
Trade, transportation, and utilities	414.6	409.6	411.9	419.7	5.1	1.2
Information	72.8	71.5	70.8	70.5	-2.3	-3.2
Financial activities	157.7	158.5	158.8	158.5	0.8	0.5
Professional and business services	746.9	756.7	759.4	760.5	13.6	1.8
Education and health services	441.4	446.6	454.4	457.3	15.9	3.6
Leisure and hospitality	321.6	336.0	334.7	331.1	9.5	3.0
Other services	196.0	197.6	198.0	200.0	4.0	2.0
Government	706.3	699.2	701.6	704.9	-1.4	-0.2

<sup>(</sup>p) preliminary