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Florida's June Unemployment Rate Up Slightly at 3.5 Percent
~Job growth is led by education and health services in all sectors~

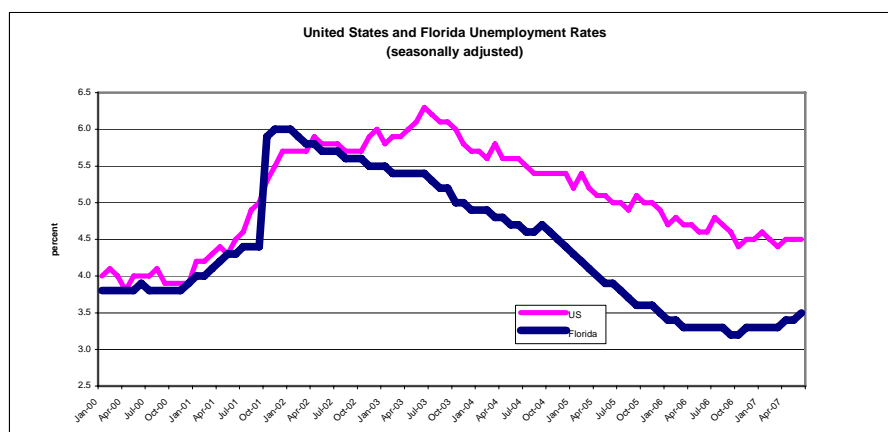
TALLAHASSEE – Florida Agency for Workforce Innovation (AWI) Director Monesia T. Brown today announced Florida's seasonally adjusted unemployment rate for June 2007 was 3.5 percent, up 0.1 percent from the previous month. In June, job growth was led by education and health services which gained 38,600 jobs, most of this growth was due to gains in health services. Based on the latest nationwide data, Florida has the lowest unemployment rate of the ten most populous states and continues to be below the national average. The comparable national unemployment rate for June was 4.5 percent.

"For the second consecutive month, health services has led the state's job growth gaining a total of 8,100 jobs in just two months," said Director Brown. "The soft housing market is certainly having an effect on our construction employment, but other industries and sectors such as professional and business services; leisure and hospitality; and the high-tech industry continue to bolster Florida's steady-paced economy."

A report released recently by the American Electronics Association highlighted Florida's national standing as a growing hub of high-tech employment. The survey, covering 2005 data, showed that Florida now ranks 4th in the nation in total high-tech employment and was the second-fastest growing high-tech job market, trailing only California. In 2005, the latest year for which data are available, Florida added 10,900 high-tech jobs. In June 2007, Florida also saw growth in professional and business services (+25,000 jobs) and leisure and hospitality (+32,800 jobs).

Florida's Labor Market at a Glance (Seasonally Adjusted)

- The Florida economy continued to slow in June, with an unemployment rate higher than a year ago and a job growth rate that slowed to match the national rate.
- Florida has recorded 58 consecutive months of job growth.
- Florida gained 117,200 nonagricultural jobs in June compared to a year ago.
- Out of the civilian labor force of 9,187,000, there were 323,000 unemployed Floridians.
- Florida's June 2007 unemployment rate of 3.5 percent was 1.0 percentage point lower than the national rate of 4.5 percent. Florida's rate has been below the national average since mid-2002.



FLORIDA'S NONAGRICULTURAL EMPLOYMENT BY INDUSTRY (Seasonally Adjusted)

- In June 2007, Florida's nonagricultural employment expanded by 1.5 percent over the year, totaling 8,135,400 jobs. Nonagricultural employment also grew nationally at a rate of 1.5 percent. Florida's job growth rate has been slowing over the past year due primarily to weakness in construction, manufacturing, and information. The current job growth rate in Florida is the slowest recorded since December 2003.
- Florida added 117,200 jobs since June 2006. Education and health services (+38,600 jobs, +4.0 percent) and leisure and hospitality (+32,800 jobs, +3.6 percent) accounted for 61 percent of the new jobs in the state.
- Professional and business services increased by 25,000 jobs over June 2006 levels (+1.9 percent). Professional and technical services accounted for the majority of the growth.
- Government ranked fourth among Florida's major industries in job growth and expanded by 20,100 jobs over the year (+1.8 percent). Local government accounted for 96 percent of the total increase in government.
- Construction employment, reacting to declines in the housing market, lost 18,000 jobs over the year (-2.8 percent). It was the first time since 1992 that the state has experienced four consecutive months of over-the-year declines in construction jobs.
- Manufacturing (-8,600 jobs, -2.1 percent) and information (-2,400 jobs, -1.4 percent) continued to have over-the-year declines, mainly due to weakness in computer and electronic product manufacturing and internet service providers.

LOCAL AREA UNEMPLOYMENT STATISTICS (Not Seasonally Adjusted)

- In June 2007, Walton County had the state's lowest unemployment rate (2.2 percent), followed by Monroe County (2.7 percent). Franklin, Liberty, and Okaloosa counties followed with unemployment rates of 2.8 percent.
- Hendry County, at 7.8 percent, had the highest unemployment rate in Florida in June, followed by Indian River County (5.7 percent); St. Lucie County (5.6 percent); and Hernando and Madison counties (5.4 percent each). Hendry County's relatively high unemployment rate was due to seasonal declines in agriculture and related industries.

AREA NONAGRICULTURAL EMPLOYMENT BY INDUSTRY (Not Seasonally Adjusted)

- The Miami-Ft. Lauderdale-Pompano Beach Metropolitan Statistical Area (MSA) led the state in over-the-year employment gains (+30,700 jobs, +1.3 percent) in June 2007, followed by the Orlando-Kissimmee MSA (+22,900 jobs, +2.1 percent) and the Jacksonville MSA (+12,400 jobs, +2.0 percent). The combined employment growth in these three MSAs accounted for 58 percent of the total job growth in the state.

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LABOR FORCE STATUS OF THE CIVILIAN NONINSTITUTIONAL POPULATION
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SEASONALLY ADJUSTED

	Current Month June 2007	Month Ago May 2007	Year Ago June 2006	Over-the-Month Change		Over-the-Year Change	
				Level	Percent	Level	Percent
STATE OF FLORIDA							
Civilian Noninstitutional Population 16+	14,457,000	14,437,000	14,210,000	20,000	0.1	247,000	1.7
Civilian Labor Force	9,187,000	9,173,000	8,985,000	14,000	0.2	202,000	2.2
Employment	8,864,000	8,864,000	8,690,000	0	0.0	174,000	2.0
Unemployment	323,000	310,000	295,000	13,000	4.2	28,000	9.5
Unemployment Rate (%)	3.5	3.4	3.3	0.1	--	0.2	--

UNITED STATES

Civilian Noninstitutional Population 16+	231,713,000	231,480,000	228,671,000	233,000	0.1	3,042,000	1.3
Civilian Labor Force	153,072,000	152,762,000	151,370,000	310,000	0.2	1,702,000	1.1
Employment	146,140,000	145,943,000	144,386,000	197,000	0.1	1,754,000	1.2
Unemployment	6,933,000	6,819,000	6,984,000	114,000	1.7	-51,000	-0.7
Unemployment Rate (%)	4.5	4.5	4.6	0.0	--	-0.1	--

NOT SEASONALLY ADJUSTED

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STATE OF FLORIDA							
Civilian Noninstitutional Population 16+	14,457,000	14,437,000	14,210,000	20,000	0.1	247,000	1.7
Civilian Labor Force	9,241,000	9,173,000	9,009,000	68,000	0.7	232,000	2.6
Employment	8,892,000	8,884,000	8,692,000	8,000	0.1	200,000	2.3
Unemployment	349,000	289,000	317,000	60,000	20.8	32,000	10.1
Unemployment Rate (%)	3.8	3.2	3.5	0.6	--	0.3	--

UNITED STATES

Civilian Noninstitutional Population 16+	231,713,000	231,480,000	228,671,000	233,000	0.1	3,042,000	1.3
Civilian Labor Force	154,252,000	152,350,000	152,557,000	1,902,000	1.2	1,695,000	1.1
Employment	146,958,000	145,864,000	145,216,000	1,094,000	0.8	1,742,000	1.2
Unemployment	7,295,000	6,486,000	7,341,000	809,000	12.5	-46,000	-0.6
Unemployment Rate (%)	4.7	4.3	4.8	0.4	--	-0.1	--

Note: All estimates except unemployment rates are rounded to the nearest thousand. Items may not add to totals or compute to displayed percentages due to rounding. All data are subject to revision.

Source: Florida Agency for Workforce Innovation, Labor Market Statistics Center, Local Area Unemployment Statistics Program, in cooperation with the U.S Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics.

**Nonagricultural Employment in Florida
Seasonally Adjusted (in thousands)**

	June ^P 2007	May ^r 2007	June 2006	Over-the-Month Change		Over-the-Year Change	
				Level	Percent	Level	Percent
Total Nonagricultural Employment	8,135.4	8,127.3	8,018.2	8.1	0.1	117.2	1.5
Construction	626.8	626.5	644.8	0.3	*	-18.0	-2.8
Manufacturing	395.7	395.5	404.3	0.2	0.1	-8.6	-2.1
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	1,611.6	1,610.1	1,599.2	1.5	0.1	12.4	0.8
Wholesale Trade	354.5	353.3	347.2	1.2	0.3	7.3	2.1
Retail Trade	1,014.8	1,014.1	1,005.8	0.7	0.1	9.0	0.9
Transportation, Warehousing, and Utilities	242.3	242.7	246.2	-0.4	-0.2	-3.9	-1.6
Information	165.3	166.1	167.7	-0.8	-0.5	-2.4	-1.4
Financial Activities	552.3	553.3	547.2	-1.0	-0.2	5.1	0.9
Finance and Insurance	374.8	374.4	368.8	0.4	0.1	6.0	1.6
Real Estate, Rental, and Leasing	177.5	178.9	178.4	-1.4	-0.8	-0.9	-0.5
Professional and Business Services	1,369.2	1,369.8	1,344.2	-0.6	*	25.0	1.9
Education and Health Services	1,006.7	1,003.7	968.1	3.0	0.3	38.6	4.0
Educational Services	130.6	131.5	125.0	-0.9	-0.7	5.6	4.5
Health Care and Social Assistance	876.1	872.2	843.1	3.9	0.4	33.0	3.9
Leisure and Hospitality	935.4	934.3	902.6	1.1	0.1	32.8	3.6
Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation	181.7	181.2	173.1	0.5	0.3	8.6	5.0
Accommodation and Food Services	753.7	753.1	729.5	0.6	0.1	24.2	3.3
Other Services	347.7	347.0	335.4	0.7	0.2	12.3	3.7
Total Government	1,118.1	1,114.5	1,098.0	3.6	0.3	20.1	1.8
Local Government	777.8	777.0	758.5	0.8	0.1	19.3	2.5

^P = preliminary, ^r = revised

* = less than 0.1

Note: Sum of detail may not equal totals due to rounding or the exclusion of certain industries from publication. All data are subject to revision.

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**NONAGRICULTURAL EMPLOYMENT IN FLORIDA
STATEWIDE (Not Seasonally Adjusted)**

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Industry Title	June 2007	May 2007	June 2006	Change from		June 2006 to June 2007	
				May 2007 to June 2007 Level	Percent	Level	Percent
Total Nonagricultural Employment	8,063,700	8,162,200	7,950,800	-98,500	-1.2%	112,900	1.4%
Total Private	7,031,100	7,032,100	6,936,800	-1,000	0.0%	94,300	1.4%
Goods Producing	1,035,900	1,031,500	1,061,600	4,400	0.4%	-25,700	-2.4%
Natural Resources and Mining	6,600	6,500	6,700	100	1.5%	-100	-1.5%
Mining, except Oil and Gas	4,000	3,900	4,100	100	2.6%	-100	-2.4%
Construction	631,700	628,300	648,200	3,400	0.5%	-16,500	-2.5%
Construction of Buildings	133,100	131,500	139,700	1,600	1.2%	-6,600	-4.7%
Heavy and Civil Engineering Construction	77,400	78,300	77,200	-900	-1.1%	200	0.3%
Specialty Trade Contractors	421,200	418,500	431,300	2,700	0.6%	-10,100	-2.3%
Building Equipment Contractors	167,100	165,100	163,600	2,000	1.2%	3,500	2.1%
Manufacturing	397,600	396,700	406,700	900	0.2%	-9,100	-2.2%
Durable Goods	273,700	273,800	279,100	-100	0.0%	-5,400	-1.9%
Fabricated Metal Product Manufacturing	42,400	42,200	41,800	200	0.5%	600	1.4%
Computer and Electronic Product Manufacturing	48,300	48,300	50,300	0	0.0%	-2,000	-4.0%
Communications Equipment Manufacturing	10,400	10,300	10,400	100	1.0%	0	0.0%
Transportation Equipment Manufacturing	44,600	44,100	43,800	500	1.1%	800	1.8%
Aerospace Product and Parts Manufacturing	19,200	19,000	18,500	200	1.1%	700	3.8%
Miscellaneous Durable Goods Manufacturing	28,900	29,100	30,100	-200	-0.7%	-1,200	-4.0%
Nondurable Goods	123,900	122,900	127,600	1,000	0.8%	-3,700	-2.9%
Food Manufacturing	29,500	29,700	30,200	-200	-0.7%	-700	-2.3%
Beverage and Tobacco Product Manufacturing	10,900	10,800	10,900	100	0.9%	0	0.0%
Paper Manufacturing	10,100	10,100	10,400	0	0.0%	-300	-2.9%
Printing and Related Support Activities	22,800	22,800	23,300	0	0.0%	-500	-2.1%
Chemical Manufacturing	19,100	18,900	19,800	200	1.1%	-700	-3.5%

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Service Providing	7,027,800	7,130,700	6,889,200	-102,900	-1.4%	138,600	2.0%
Private Service Providing	5,995,200	6,000,600	5,875,200	-5,400	-0.1%	120,000	2.0%
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	1,603,200	1,606,600	1,591,500	-3,400	-0.2%	11,700	0.7%
Wholesale Trade	354,600	355,000	348,000	-400	-0.1%	6,600	1.9%
Merchant Wholesalers, Durable Goods	188,400	188,400	187,600	0	0.0%	800	0.4%
Commercial Equipment Wholesalers	47,700	47,500	46,300	200	0.4%	1,400	3.0%
Electronic Goods Wholesalers	23,000	23,100	22,800	-100	-0.4%	200	0.9%
Machinery and Supply Wholesalers	34,700	35,000	34,600	-300	-0.9%	100	0.3%
Merchant Wholesalers, Nondurable Goods	124,200	125,300	121,000	-1,100	-0.9%	3,200	2.6%
Grocery and Related Product Wholesalers	44,600	45,200	43,600	-600	-1.3%	1,000	2.3%
Wholesale Electronic Markets and Agents	42,000	41,300	39,400	700	1.7%	2,600	6.6%
Retail Trade	1,007,100	1,009,300	999,000	-2,200	-0.2%	8,100	0.8%
Motor Vehicle and Parts Dealers	137,200	136,700	135,900	500	0.4%	1,300	1.0%
Automobile Dealers	88,600	88,100	89,100	500	0.6%	-500	-0.6%
Furniture and Home Furnishings Stores	45,400	45,500	44,900	-100	-0.2%	500	1.1%
Electronics and Appliance Stores	37,900	37,600	36,100	300	0.8%	1,800	5.0%
Building Material and Garden Supply Stores	89,100	90,600	91,800	-1,500	-1.7%	-2,700	-2.9%
Food and Beverage Stores	196,100	195,900	194,800	200	0.1%	1,300	0.7%
Health and Personal Care Stores	68,000	68,400	67,500	-400	-0.6%	500	0.7%
Gasoline Stations	42,000	41,900	40,500	100	0.2%	1,500	3.7%
Clothing and Accessory Stores	100,800	99,700	101,200	1,100	1.1%	-400	-0.4%
Sporting Goods, Hobby, Book, and Music Stores	33,000	33,300	31,600	-300	-0.9%	1,400	4.4%
General Merchandise Stores	178,000	180,700	174,600	-2,700	-1.5%	3,400	1.9%
Department Stores	77,100	77,600	77,700	-500	-0.6%	-600	-0.8%
Other General Merchandise Stores	100,900	103,100	96,900	-2,200	-2.1%	4,000	4.1%
Miscellaneous Store Retailers	58,100	57,600	57,900	500	0.9%	200	0.3%
Nonstore Retailers	21,500	21,400	22,200	100	0.5%	-700	-3.2%
Electronic Shopping and Mail-Order Houses	13,700	13,600	14,600	100	0.7%	-900	-6.2%
Transportation, Warehousing, and Utilities	241,500	242,300	244,500	-800	-0.3%	-3,000	-1.2%
Utilities	24,700	24,500	24,400	200	0.8%	300	1.2%

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Transportation and Warehousing	216,800	217,800	220,100	-1,000	-0.5%	-3,300	-1.5%
Air Transportation	28,100	28,300	30,000	-200	-0.7%	-1,900	-6.3%
Water Transportation	12,300	12,300	12,300	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Truck Transportation	49,600	49,000	50,100	600	1.2%	-500	-1.0%
Support Activities for Transportation	47,500	47,200	47,300	300	0.6%	200	0.4%
Couriers and Messengers	30,600	30,600	30,800	0	0.0%	-200	-0.6%
Warehousing and Storage	27,600	27,900	27,700	-300	-1.1%	-100	-0.4%
Information	165,700	166,500	168,500	-800	-0.5%	-2,800	-1.7%
Publishing Industries, except Internet	43,000	43,300	42,900	-300	-0.7%	100	0.2%
Broadcasting, except Internet	18,500	18,500	18,800	0	0.0%	-300	-1.6%
Telecommunications	63,200	63,000	63,300	200	0.3%	-100	-0.2%
Wired Telecommunications Carriers	32,800	32,800	33,200	0	0.0%	-400	-1.2%
Internet Service Providers and Data Processing	24,800	25,000	25,700	-200	-0.8%	-900	-3.5%
Financial Activities	556,400	554,600	549,400	1,800	0.3%	7,000	1.3%
Finance and Insurance	377,200	375,100	369,200	2,100	0.6%	8,000	2.2%
Credit Intermediation and Related Activities	197,100	195,400	191,100	1,700	0.9%	6,000	3.1%
Depository Credit Intermediation	107,200	106,300	103,400	900	0.8%	3,800	3.7%
Insurance Carriers and Related Activities	135,700	135,900	136,500	-200	-0.1%	-800	-0.6%
Insurance Carriers	74,100	74,300	75,400	-200	-0.3%	-1,300	-1.7%
Insurance Agencies, Brokerages, and Related	61,600	61,600	61,100	0	0.0%	500	0.8%
Real Estate, Rental, and Leasing	179,200	179,500	180,200	-300	-0.2%	-1,000	-0.6%
Real Estate	132,400	132,000	131,700	400	0.3%	700	0.5%
Professional and Business Services	1,372,200	1,371,300	1,350,500	900	0.1%	21,700	1.6%
Professional and Technical Services	463,700	459,100	450,200	4,600	1.0%	13,500	3.0%
Legal Services	90,500	89,000	93,400	1,500	1.7%	-2,900	-3.1%
Accounting, Tax Preparation, and Bookkeeping	52,400	52,700	50,500	-300	-0.6%	1,900	3.8%
Architectural, Engineering, and Related	97,000	96,300	94,100	700	0.7%	2,900	3.1%
Computer Systems Design and Related	58,400	57,900	56,400	500	0.9%	2,000	3.5%
Management, Scientific, and Technical	68,900	68,500	65,200	400	0.6%	3,700	5.7%

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Management of Companies and Enterprises	72,900	72,800	73,400	100	0.1%	-500	-0.7%
Administrative and Waste Services	835,600	839,400	826,900	-3,800	-0.5%	8,700	1.1%
Administrative and Support Services	815,000	819,200	807,300	-4,200	-0.5%	7,700	1.0%
Employment Services	451,800	456,100	455,000	-4,300	-0.9%	-3,200	-0.7%
Business Support Services	60,300	60,800	59,500	-500	-0.8%	800	1.3%
Travel Arrangement and Reservation Services	30,400	30,200	30,400	200	0.7%	0	0.0%
Investigation and Security Services	57,600	57,200	58,000	400	0.7%	-400	-0.7%
Services to Buildings and Dwellings	142,500	140,700	139,200	1,800	1.3%	3,300	2.4%
Waste Management and Remediation Services	20,600	20,200	19,600	400	2.0%	1,000	5.1%
Education and Health Services	1,003,500	1,005,600	965,500	-2,100	-0.2%	38,000	3.9%
Educational Services	127,200	132,900	121,500	-5,700	-4.3%	5,700	4.7%
Elementary and Secondary Schools	42,100	44,500	41,200	-2,400	-5.4%	900	2.2%
Colleges and Universities	47,500	49,500	45,000	-2,000	-4.0%	2,500	5.6%
Health Care and Social Assistance	876,300	872,700	844,000	3,600	0.4%	32,300	3.8%
Ambulatory Health Care Services	360,100	359,600	349,000	500	0.1%	11,100	3.2%
Offices of Physicians	165,700	164,600	157,800	1,100	0.7%	7,900	5.0%
Home Health Care Services	53,900	53,300	51,900	600	1.1%	2,000	3.9%
Hospitals	250,200	248,700	236,500	1,500	0.6%	13,700	5.8%
Nursing and Residential Care Facilities	161,000	158,800	154,200	2,200	1.4%	6,800	4.4%
Nursing Care Facilities	88,100	86,900	84,700	1,200	1.4%	3,400	4.0%
Community Care for the Elderly	42,700	42,400	40,900	300	0.7%	1,800	4.4%
Social Assistance	105,000	105,600	104,300	-600	-0.6%	700	0.7%
Leisure and Hospitality	943,700	947,600	911,300	-3,900	-0.4%	32,400	3.6%
Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation	183,800	182,900	174,600	900	0.5%	9,200	5.3%
Amusement, Gambling, and Recreation	143,200	141,700	139,000	1,500	1.1%	4,200	3.0%
Amusement Parks and Arcades	56,400	55,300	54,600	1,100	2.0%	1,800	3.3%
Accommodation and Food Services	759,900	764,700	736,700	-4,800	-0.6%	23,200	3.1%
Accommodation	159,800	159,300	157,200	500	0.3%	2,600	1.7%
Food Services and Drinking Places	600,100	605,400	579,500	-5,300	-0.9%	20,600	3.6%

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Industry Title	June 2007	May 2007	June 2006	Change from			
				May 2007 to June 2007 Level	Percent	June 2006 to June 2007 Level	Percent
Other Services	350,500	348,400	338,500	2,100	0.6%	12,000	3.5%
Repair and Maintenance	78,900	79,600	77,300	-700	-0.9%	1,600	2.1%
Automotive Repair and Maintenance	54,900	55,200	53,800	-300	-0.5%	1,100	2.0%
Personal and Laundry Services	78,100	78,600	79,400	-500	-0.6%	-1,300	-1.6%
Membership Associations and Organizations	193,500	190,200	181,800	3,300	1.7%	11,700	6.4%
Total Government	1,032,600	1,130,100	1,014,000	-97,500	-8.6%	18,600	1.8%
Federal	125,000	125,900	127,800	-900	-0.7%	-2,800	-2.2%
State	204,900	212,000	201,000	-7,100	-3.3%	3,900	1.9%
Local	702,700	792,200	685,200	-89,500	-11.3%	17,500	2.6%

Note: Employment estimates have been rounded to the nearest hundred. Sum of detail may not equal totals due to rounding or the exclusion of certain industries from publication. All data are subject to revision.

STATE OF FLORIDA
LOCAL AREA UNEMPLOYMENT STATISTICS BY COUNTY
(NOT SEASONALLY ADJUSTED)

COUNTY	JUNE 2007				MAY 2007				JUNE 2006			
	LABOR FORCE	EMPLOY- MENT	UNEMPLOYMENT LEVEL	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE (%)	LABOR FORCE	EMPLOY- MENT	UNEMPLOYMENT LEVEL	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE (%)	LABOR FORCE	EMPLOY- MENT	UNEMPLOYMENT LEVEL	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE (%)
ALACHUA	124769	120968	3801	3.0	127163	124120	3043	2.4	121599	117845	3754	3.1
BAKER	11767	11339	428	3.6	11608	11246	362	3.1	11374	11021	353	3.1
BAY	87944	85058	2886	3.3	86574	84132	2442	2.8	86119	83432	2687	3.1
BRADFORD	12241	11817	424	3.5	12291	11940	351	2.9	11941	11556	385	3.2
BREVARD	265839	254819	11020	4.1	263339	253959	9380	3.6	263718	254645	9073	3.4
BROWARD	997014	962945	34069	3.4	985598	957333	28265	2.9	980111	947757	32354	3.3
CALHOUN	5507	5301	206	3.7	5468	5298	170	3.1	5394	5212	182	3.4
CHARLOTTE	70685	67346	3339	4.7	70185	67409	2776	4.0	67857	65358	2499	3.7
CITRUS	57531	54906	2625	4.6	56860	54734	2126	3.7	54049	51832	2217	4.1
CLAY	91268	88238	3030	3.3	90118	87517	2601	2.9	88615	85761	2854	3.2
COLLIER	156855	150618	6237	4.0	158162	153536	4626	2.9	151787	146750	5037	3.3
COLUMBIA	30929	29874	1055	3.4	30642	29773	869	2.8	29501	28508	993	3.4
DESOTO	15511	14849	662	4.3	15685	15200	485	3.1	14279	13797	482	3.4
DIXIE	5804	5577	227	3.9	5886	5705	181	3.1	5739	5527	212	3.7
DUVAL	445239	426822	18417	4.1	437487	423332	14155	3.2	432133	414839	17294	4.0
ESCAMBIA	138656	133389	5267	3.8	136938	132486	4452	3.3	136777	132019	4758	3.5
FLAGLER	34417	32628	1789	5.2	33973	32444	1529	4.5	31293	29936	1357	4.3
FRANKLIN	5515	5359	156	2.8	5271	5146	125	2.4	5358	5195	163	3.0
GADSDEN	21044	20219	825	3.9	21124	20429	695	3.3	20494	19757	737	3.6
GILCHRIST	7593	7315	278	3.7	7731	7505	226	2.9	7375	7126	249	3.4
GLADES	4599	4353	246	5.3	4806	4616	190	4.0	4550	4345	205	4.5
GULF	7019	6806	213	3.0	6857	6667	190	2.8	6729	6534	195	2.9
HAMILTON	4784	4573	211	4.4	4729	4552	177	3.7	4662	4485	177	3.8
HARDEE	12887	12356	531	4.1	13048	12706	342	2.6	11860	11405	455	3.8
HENDRY	17994	16584	1410	7.8	18335	17404	931	5.1	17657	16350	1307	7.4
HERNANDO	62107	58757	3350	5.4	61349	58546	2803	4.6	60699	57963	2736	4.5
HIGHLANDS	43551	41752	1799	4.1	44178	42844	1334	3.0	41785	40199	1586	3.8
HILLSBOROUGH	616615	593917	22698	3.7	610746	591788	18958	3.1	606243	585889	20354	3.4
HOLMES	9206	8878	328	3.6	9099	8842	257	2.8	8668	8386	282	3.3
INDIAN RIVER	61180	57689	3491	5.7	60621	57963	2658	4.4	59864	57104	2760	4.6
JACKSON	21968	21126	842	3.8	21971	21275	696	3.2	21360	20585	775	3.6
JEFFERSON	7011	6775	236	3.4	7038	6846	192	2.7	6841	6621	220	3.2
LAFAYETTE	2887	2799	88	3.0	2936	2864	72	2.5	2820	2738	82	2.9
LAKE	127393	122246	5147	4.0	126083	121896	4187	3.3	123455	119097	4358	3.5
LEE	294219	281969	12250	4.2	293140	283138	10002	3.4	282311	273668	8643	3.1
LEON	141406	136937	4469	3.2	141987	138361	3626	2.6	138100	133807	4293	3.1
LEVY	17324	16640	684	3.9	17410	16855	555	3.2	16655	16023	632	3.8
LIBERTY	3765	3660	105	2.8	3718	3635	83	2.2	3544	3437	107	3.0

STATE OF FLORIDA
LOCAL AREA UNEMPLOYMENT STATISTICS BY COUNTY
(NOT SEASONALLY ADJUSTED)

COUNTY	JUNE 2007				MAY 2007				JUNE 2006			
	LABOR FORCE	EMPLOY- MENT	UNEMPLOYMENT LEVEL	RATE (%)	LABOR FORCE	EMPLOY- MENT	UNEMPLOYMENT LEVEL	RATE (%)	LABOR FORCE	EMPLOY- MENT	UNEMPLOYMENT LEVEL	RATE (%)
MADISON	7261	6867	394	5.4	7126	6782	344	4.8	7493	7165	328	4.4
MANATEE	158571	152730	5841	3.7	157395	152628	4767	3.0	154989	150315	4674	3.0
MARION	135600	129730	5870	4.3	135092	130337	4755	3.5	131216	126412	4804	3.7
MARTIN	67018	64297	2721	4.1	66641	64434	2207	3.3	65635	63202	2433	3.7
MIAMI-DADE	1183259	1142661	40598	3.4	1184433	1146878	37555	3.2	1156254	1110747	45507	3.9
MONROE	44440	43262	1178	2.7	44623	43642	981	2.2	44920	43748	1172	2.6
NASSAU	34492	33362	1130	3.3	34019	33089	930	2.7	33476	32425	1051	3.1
OKALOOSA	103432	100531	2901	2.8	100322	97944	2378	2.4	101449	98853	2596	2.6
OKEECHOBEE	18043	17171	872	4.8	18103	17443	660	3.6	17265	16552	713	4.1
ORANGE	594338	573367	20971	3.5	589300	571729	17571	3.0	577594	558599	18995	3.3
OSCEOLA	125332	120262	5070	4.0	124268	119919	4349	3.5	121409	117165	4244	3.5
PALM BEACH	650595	624137	26458	4.1	645511	624079	21432	3.3	631427	607041	24386	3.9
PASCO	192600	183839	8761	4.5	190603	183179	7424	3.9	188715	181354	7361	3.9
PINELLAS	489246	471582	17664	3.6	484455	469891	14564	3.0	481541	465208	16333	3.4
POLK	276299	264895	11404	4.1	274459	265540	8919	3.2	269976	260363	9613	3.6
PUTNAM	32052	30617	1435	4.5	32233	31032	1201	3.7	31557	30316	1241	3.9
ST. JOHNS	88157	85381	2776	3.1	87028	84683	2345	2.7	85484	82984	2500	2.9
ST. LUCIE	118002	111344	6658	5.6	116730	111581	5149	4.4	114582	109449	5133	4.5
SANTA ROSA	69243	66474	2769	4.0	68009	66025	1984	2.9	68257	65792	2465	3.6
SARASOTA	186018	178893	7125	3.8	184552	178775	5777	3.1	181751	176065	5686	3.1
SEMINOLE	243813	235580	8233	3.4	241677	234907	6770	2.8	236872	229513	7359	3.1
SUMTER	33635	32651	984	2.9	32899	32079	820	2.5	28787	27970	817	2.8
SUWANNEE	17586	16978	608	3.5	17492	17014	478	2.7	17162	16582	580	3.4
TAYLOR	9209	8854	355	3.9	9068	8774	294	3.2	8712	8371	341	3.9
UNION	5233	5075	158	3.0	5224	5095	129	2.5	5088	4933	155	3.0
VOLUSIA	253671	243811	9860	3.9	251991	243779	8212	3.3	247862	239322	8540	3.4
WAKULLA	14821	14372	449	3.0	14903	14522	381	2.6	14456	14044	412	2.9
WALTON	36977	36181	796	2.2	35028	34376	652	1.9	32628	31927	701	2.1
WASHINGTON	10052	9669	383	3.8	9936	9625	311	3.1	9594	9250	344	3.6
FLORIDA												
NOT SEASONALLY ADJUSTED												
	9241000	8892000	349000	3.8	9173000	8884000	289000	3.2	9009000	8692000	317000	3.5
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED												
	9187000	8864000	323000	3.5	9173000	8864000	310000	3.4	8985000	8690000	295000	3.3
UNITED STATES												
NOT SEASONALLY ADJUSTED												
	154252000	146958000	7295000	4.7	152350000	145864000	6486000	4.3	152557000	145216000	7341000	4.8
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED												
	153072000	146140000	6933000	4.5	152762000	145943000	6819000	4.5	151370000	144386000	6984000	4.6

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STATE OF FLORIDA
LOCAL AREA UNEMPLOYMENT STATISTICS BY METROPOLITAN STATISTICAL AREA (MSA)
(NOT SEASONALLY ADJUSTED)

MSA (COUNTIES)	JUNE 2007				MAY 2007				JUNE 2006			
	LABOR FORCE	EMPLOY- MENT	UNEMPLOYMENT LEVEL	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE (%)	LABOR FORCE	EMPLOY- MENT	UNEMPLOYMENT LEVEL	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE (%)	LABOR FORCE	EMPLOY- MENT	UNEMPLOYMENT LEVEL	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE (%)
CAPE CORAL-FT. MYERS (Lee)	294219	281969	12250	4.2	293140	283138	10002	3.4	282311	273668	8643	3.1
DELTONA-DAYTONA BEACH-ORMOND BEACH (Volusia)	253671	243811	9860	3.9	251991	243779	8212	3.3	247862	239322	8540	3.4
FT. WALTON BEACH-CRESTVIEW-DESTIN (Okaloosa)	103432	100531	2901	2.8	100322	97944	2378	2.4	101449	98853	2596	2.6
GAINESVILLE (Alachua and Gilchrist)	132362	128283	4079	3.1	134894	131625	3269	2.4	128974	124971	4003	3.1
JACKSONVILLE (Baker, Clay, Duval, Nassau, and St. Johns)	670924	645143	25781	3.8	660260	639868	20392	3.1	651083	627031	24052	3.7
LAKELAND (Polk)	276299	264895	11404	4.1	274459	265540	8919	3.2	269976	260363	9613	3.6
MIAMI-FT. LAUDERDALE-POMPANO BEACH (Broward, Miami-Dade, and Palm Beach)	2830868	2729743	101125	3.6	2815542	2728290	87252	3.1	2767792	2665545	102247	3.7
Ft. Lauderdale-Pompano Beach-Deerfield Beach Metropolitan Division (Broward)	997014	962945	34069	3.4	985598	957333	28265	2.9	980111	947757	32354	3.3
Miami-Miami Beach-Kendall Metropolitan Division (Miami-Dade)	1183259	1142661	40598	3.4	1184433	1146878	37555	3.2	1156254	1110747	45507	3.9
West Palm Beach-Boca Raton-Boynton Beach Metropolitan Division (Palm Beach)	650595	624137	26458	4.1	645511	624079	21432	3.3	631427	607041	24386	3.9
NAPLES-MARCO ISLAND (Collier)	156855	150618	6237	4.0	158162	153536	4626	2.9	151787	146750	5037	3.3
OCALA (Marion)	135600	129730	5870	4.3	135092	130337	4755	3.5	131216	126412	4804	3.7
ORLANDO-KISSIMMEE (Lake, Orange, Osceola, and Seminole)	1090875	1051455	39420	3.6	1081328	1048451	32877	3.0	1059329	1024374	34955	3.3
PALM BAY-MELBOURNE-TITUSVILLE (Brevard)	265839	254819	11020	4.1	263339	253959	9380	3.6	263718	254645	9073	3.4
PALM COAST (Flagler)	34417	32628	1789	5.2	33973	32444	1529	4.5	31293	29936	1357	4.3
PANAMA CITY-LYNN HAVEN (Bay)	87944	85058	2886	3.3	86574	84132	2442	2.8	86119	83432	2687	3.1
PENSACOLA-FERRY PASS-BRENT (Escambia and Santa Rosa)	207899	199863	8036	3.9	204947	198511	6436	3.1	205034	197811	7223	3.5
PORT ST. LUCIE (Martin and St. Lucie)	185020	175641	9379	5.1	183371	176015	7356	4.0	180217	172651	7566	4.2
PUNTA GORDA (Charlotte)	70685	67346	3339	4.7	70185	67409	2776	4.0	67857	65358	2499	3.7
SARASOTA-BRADENTON-VENICE (Manatee and Sarasota)	344589	331623	12966	3.8	341947	331403	10544	3.1	336740	326380	10360	3.1
SEBASTIAN-VERO BEACH (Indian River)	61180	57689	3491	5.7	60621	57963	2658	4.4	59864	57104	2760	4.6
TALLAHASSEE (Gadsden, Jefferson, Leon, and Wakulla)	184283	178304	5979	3.2	185051	180158	4893	2.6	179889	174228	5661	3.1
TAMPA-ST. PETERSBURG-CLEARWATER (Hernando, Hillsborough, Pasco, and Pinellas)	1360567	1308095	52472	3.9	1347153	1303404	43749	3.2	1337197	1290413	46784	3.5
FLORIDA												
NOT SEASONALLY ADJUSTED	9241000	8892000	349000	3.8	9173000	8884000	289000	3.2	9009000	8692000	317000	3.5
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED	9187000	8864000	323000	3.5	9173000	8864000	310000	3.4	8985000	8690000	295000	3.3
UNITED STATES												
NOT SEASONALLY ADJUSTED	154252000	146958000	7295000	4.7	152350000	145864000	6486000	4.3	152557000	145216000	7341000	4.8
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED	153072000	146140000	6933000	4.5	152762000	145943000	6819000	4.5	151370000	144386000	6984000	4.6

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STATE OF FLORIDA
COUNTIES RANKED BY UNEMPLOYMENT RATE
(NOT SEASONALLY ADJUSTED)

JUNE 2007

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UNEMPLOYMENT			UNEMPLOYMENT		
RANK	COUNTY	RATE (%)	RANK	COUNTY	RATE (%)
1	HENDRY	7.8	35	WASHINGTON	3.8
2	INDIAN RIVER	5.7	36	ESCAMBIA	3.8
3	ST. LUCIE	5.6		FLORIDA	3.8
4	MADISON	5.4	37	CALHOUN	3.7
5	HERNANDO	5.4	38	MANATEE	3.7
6	GLADES	5.3	39	HILLSBOROUGH	3.7
7	FLAGLER	5.2	40	GILCHRIST	3.7
8	OKEECHOBEE	4.8	41	BAKER	3.6
9	CHARLOTTE	4.7	42	PINELLAS	3.6
	UNITED STATES	4.7	43	HOLMES	3.6
10	CITRUS	4.6	44	ORANGE	3.5
11	PASCO	4.5	45	BRADFORD	3.5
12	PUTNAM	4.5	46	SUWANNEE	3.5
13	HAMILTON	4.4	47	MIAMI-DADE	3.4
14	MARION	4.3	48	BROWARD	3.4
15	DESOTO	4.3	49	COLUMBIA	3.4
16	LEE	4.2	50	SEMINOLE	3.4
17	BREVARD	4.1	51	JEFFERSON	3.4
18	DUVAL	4.1	52	CLAY	3.3
19	HIGHLANDS	4.1	53	BAY	3.3
20	POLK	4.1	54	NASSAU	3.3
21	HARDEE	4.1	55	LEON	3.2
22	PALM BEACH	4.1	56	ST. JOHNS	3.1
23	MARTIN	4.1	57	LAFAYETTE	3.0
24	OSCEOLA	4.0	58	ALACHUA	3.0
25	LAKE	4.0	59	GULF	3.0
26	SANTA ROSA	4.0	60	WAKULLA	3.0
27	COLLIER	4.0	61	UNION	3.0
28	LEVY	3.9	62	SUMTER	2.9
29	GADSDEN	3.9	63	FRANKLIN	2.8
30	DIXIE	3.9	64	OKALOOSA	2.8
31	VOLUSIA	3.9	65	LIBERTY	2.8
32	TAYLOR	3.9	66	MONROE	2.7
33	JACKSON	3.8	67	WALTON	2.2
34	SARASOTA	3.8			

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STATE OF FLORIDA
 METROPOLITAN STATISTICAL AREAS (MSAs) AND METROPOLITAN DIVISIONS (MDs)
 RANKED BY UNEMPLOYMENT RATE
 (NOT SEASONALLY ADJUSTED)
 JUNE 2007

1. Sebastian-Vero Beach MSA	5.7 %
2. Palm Coast MSA	5.2
3. Port St. Lucie MSA	5.1
4. Punta Gorda MSA	4.7
United States	4.7
5. Ocala MSA	4.3
6. Cape Coral-Ft. Myers MSA	4.2
7. Palm Bay-Melbourne-Titusville MSA	4.1
8. Lakeland MSA	4.1
9. West Palm Beach-Boca Raton-Boynton Beach MD	4.1
10. Naples-Marco Island MSA	4.0
11. Deltona-Daytona Beach-Ormond Beach MSA	3.9
12. Pensacola-Ferry Pass-Brent MSA	3.9
13. Tampa-St. Petersburg-Clearwater MSA	3.9
14. Jacksonville MSA	3.8
15. Sarasota-Bradenton-Venice MSA	3.8
Florida	3.8
16. Orlando-Kissimmee MSA	3.6
17. Miami-Ft. Lauderdale-Pompano Beach MSA	3.6
18. Miami-Miami Beach-Kendall MD	3.4
19. Ft. Lauderdale-Pompano Beach-Deerfield Beach MD	3.4
20. Panama City-Lynn Haven MSA	3.3
21. Tallahassee MSA	3.2
22. Gainesville MSA	3.1
23. Ft. Walton Beach-Crestview-Destin MSA	2.8

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TOTAL NONAGRICULTURAL EMPLOYMENT
FLORIDA (Not Seasonally Adjusted)

Area	June 2007	May 2007	June 2006	Over-the-Month Change		Over-the-Year Change	
				Level	Percent	Level	Percent
Statewide	8,063,700	8,162,200	7,950,800	-98,500	-1.2%	+112,900	+1.4%
Cape Coral-Ft. Myers MSA	234,900	237,900	229,200	-3,000	-1.3%	+5,700	+2.5%
Deltona-Daytona Beach-Ormond Beach MSA	175,200	178,000	174,200	-2,800	-1.6%	+1,000	+0.6%
Ft. Lauderdale-Pompano Beach-Deerfield Beach MD	789,300	796,400	781,300	-7,100	-0.9%	+8,000	+1.0%
Ft. Walton Beach-Crestview-Destin MSA	89,900	90,000	90,100	-100	-0.1%	-200	-0.2%
Gainesville MSA	131,300	135,000	128,700	-3,700	-2.7%	+2,600	+2.0%
Jacksonville MSA	632,800	639,000	620,400	-6,200	-1.0%	+12,400	+2.0%
Lakeland MSA	221,400	224,900	218,700	-3,500	-1.6%	+2,700	+1.2%
Miami-Ft. Lauderdale-Pompano Beach MSA	2,430,600	2,462,800	2,399,900	-32,200	-1.3%	+30,700	+1.3%
Miami-Miami Beach-Kendall MD	1,047,700	1,066,400	1,036,600	-18,700	-1.8%	+11,100	+1.1%
Naples-Marco Island MSA	135,700	138,100	133,200	-2,400	-1.7%	+2,500	+1.9%
Ocala MSA	105,600	107,300	104,500	-1,700	-1.6%	+1,100	+1.1%
Orlando-Kissimmee MSA	1,092,200	1,104,300	1,069,300	-12,100	-1.1%	+22,900	+2.1%
Palm Bay-Melbourne-Titusville MSA	215,400	217,400	217,400	-2,000	-0.9%	-2,000	-0.9%
Panama City-Lynn Haven MSA	78,100	78,300	77,400	-200	-0.3%	+700	+0.9%
Pensacola-Ferry Pass-Brent MSA	172,000	173,600	171,600	-1,600	-0.9%	+400	+0.2%
Port St. Lucie MSA	132,400	134,300	131,500	-1,900	-1.4%	+900	+0.7%
Punta Gorda MSA	45,000	45,800	44,200	-800	-1.7%	+800	+1.8%
Sarasota-Bradenton-Venice MSA	309,100	312,600	307,000	-3,500	-1.1%	+2,100	+0.7%
Sebastian-Vero Beach MSA	48,500	49,400	48,300	-900	-1.8%	+200	+0.4%
Tallahassee MSA	176,000	179,100	173,500	-3,100	-1.7%	+2,500	+1.4%
Tampa-St. Petersburg-Clearwater MSA	1,316,100	1,325,900	1,304,900	-9,800	-0.7%	+11,200	+0.9%
West Palm Beach-Boca Raton-Boynton Beach MD	593,600	600,000	582,000	-6,400	-1.1%	+11,600	+2.0%

Note: Employment estimates have been rounded to the nearest hundred. Sum of detail may not equal totals due to rounding or the exclusion of certain industries from publication. All data are subject to revision. Released July 20, 2007.

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