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Florida's Unemployment Rate Equals National Rate *~Fastest Growth Remains in Education and Health~*

TALLAHASSEE – Florida's seasonally adjusted unemployment rate for June 2008 is 5.5 percent. This represents 508,000 jobless out of a labor force of 9,245,000. The unemployment rate is slightly down from the revised May rate of 5.6 percent and is up 1.5 percentage points over the year. Florida's May 2008 unemployment rate was the highest since October 2002, which was also 5.6 percent. The state's current unemployment rate is equal to the national unemployment rate of 5.5 percent.

Florida's annual nonagricultural employment growth rate for June 2008 is -1.0 percent. The rate represents a loss of 78,100 jobs over the year to reach a total employment level of 7,952,100. This is slower than the national job growth rate for June which is still slightly positive. The June 2008 job growth rate of -1.0 percent continues the trend of negative over-the-year growth that began in September 2007, primarily due to declines in construction.

"Governor Crist and the Florida Legislature recently reaffirmed their commitment to stimulating the economy by approving the state's budget that includes nearly \$10 billion for projects that create jobs for Floridians," said Monesia T. Brown, Director of the Agency for Workforce Innovation. "The budget includes the allocation of \$20 million to assist citizens in acquiring gainful employment and an additional \$15 million for specialized workforce development programs benefiting targeted groups."

Among the items allocated by the Governor and Legislature in the Fiscal Year 2008-09 budget are \$7 million to fund the "Ready to Work" credential program where Floridians can improve their job skills and employers can better match the skills required of a job with those of job candidates, \$1.6 million for Food Stamp Employment Training to provide assistance with employment skills, \$1.5 million for the continuation of existing Banner Centers to assist citizens in acquiring gainful employment, and \$1.25 million for retraining and employment in the space industry.

The Agency for Workforce Innovation works closely with Workforce Florida, Inc., and its Regional Workforce Board partners, the Florida Chamber of Commerce and Enterprise Florida, Inc., to develop world-class talent and sustain personal and economic growth for Florida's employers and job seekers.

In addition, the Employ Florida Marketplace, www.EmployFlorida.com, is a powerful online labor market exchange tool specifically designed for employers, job seekers, students, training providers, workforce customer service representatives and professionals, and others seeking benefits and services.

For more information on these and other Agency for Workforce Innovation programs, go to www.FloridaJobs.org

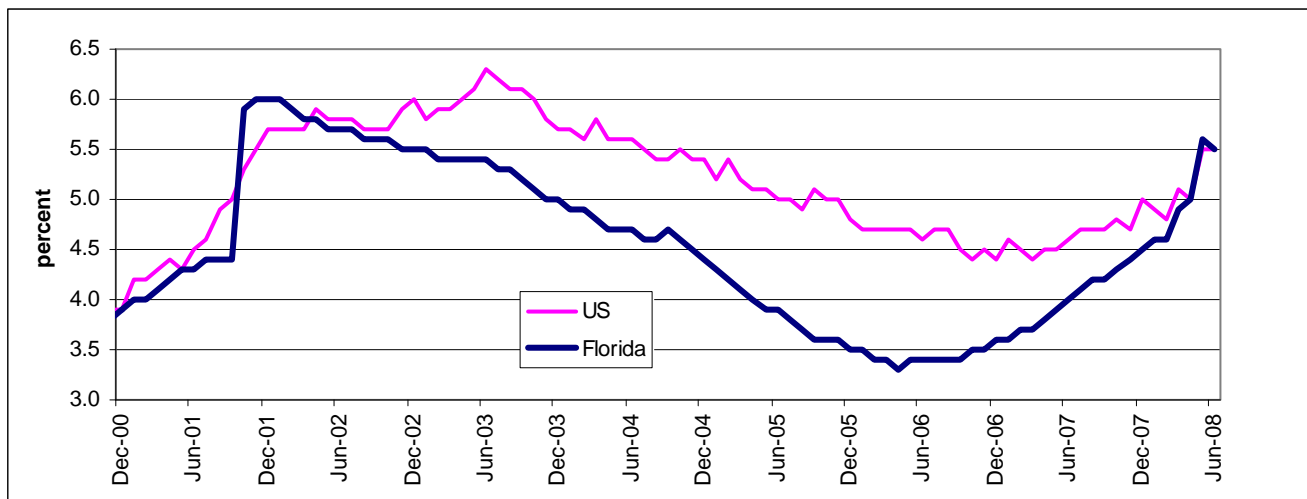
Extended Unemployment Benefits

On June 30, 2008, President Bush signed into law H.R. 2642, the supplemental appropriations bill that provides up to 13 weeks of extended unemployment compensation benefits in all states. The Agency for Workforce Innovation is already distributing the extended unemployment compensation checks. Individuals who established a regular unemployment compensation claim on or after May 7, 2006 and have exhausted their regular benefits or those whose claims have expired may be eligible.

To receive benefits:

- Individuals currently receiving benefits and who subsequently exhaust their benefits will receive the extension automatically.
- Individuals not in current claim status and who may be eligible for the extension will be mailed a notice/application advising them of the availability of extended benefits. The notice/application gives individuals the options to:
 - File their claim by internet at www.fluidnow.com
 - File by returning a completed application to:
Agency for Workforce Innovation
Special Claims
P. O. Drawer 5350
Tallahassee, FL 32314-5350

United States and Florida Unemployment Rates (seasonally adjusted)



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.

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Florida's Nonagricultural Employment by Industry (Seasonally Adjusted)

- The number of jobs in Florida is down 78,100 in June 2008 compared to a year ago. Construction, reacting to declines in the housing market, lost 81,600 jobs over the year (-13.5 percent). Construction losses account for 52 percent of job losses in the state.
- Manufacturing (-24,900 jobs, -6.4 percent); professional and business services (-24,100 jobs, -1.8 percent); trade, transportation, and utilities (-13,200 jobs, -0.8 percent); financial activities (-7,700 jobs, -1.4 percent); information (-5,300 jobs, -3.3 percent); and other services (-100 jobs) have over-the-year declines. These declines are partially due to weakness in fabricated metal product manufacturing; employment services; building material and garden supply stores; credit intermediation; and publishing.
- Total government ranks first among Florida's major industries in the number of new jobs, expanding by 31,000 jobs over the year (+2.8 percent). Much of this increase is due to shifting seasonal patterns in school employment that affect the seasonal adjustment process.
- Education and health services (+29,800 jobs, +3.0 percent) and leisure and hospitality (+18,400 jobs, +2.0 percent) account for the remainder of job gains.

Local Area Unemployment Statistics (Not Seasonally Adjusted)

- In June 2008, Walton County has the state's lowest unemployment rate (3.4 percent), followed by Sumter County (3.8 percent) and Franklin County (3.9 percent). Liberty and Monroe counties follow, with unemployment rates of 4.0 percent each. Okaloosa County has the fifth lowest unemployment rate (4.1 percent).
- Hendry County, at 10.3 percent, has the highest unemployment rate in Florida in June, followed by Flagler County (8.5 percent), St. Lucie County (8.1 percent), Indian River County (8.0 percent), and Charlotte County (7.6 percent). Hendry County's high jobless rate is due mainly to seasonal declines in agriculture and related industries.

Area Nonagricultural Employment by Industry (Not Seasonally Adjusted)

- The Gainesville Metropolitan Statistical Area is the only area with over-the-year employment gains (+1,700 jobs, +1.3 percent) in June 2008. Metro areas with the largest annual declines in jobs include Tampa-St. Petersburg-Clearwater (-23,100 jobs, -1.8 percent), Miami-Ft. Lauderdale-Pompano Beach (-17,400 jobs, -0.7 percent), and Cape Coral-Ft. Myers (-11,600 jobs, -5.1 percent).

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Note:

These unemployment and job growth rates are estimates, which are primarily based on surveys created and mandated by the US Bureau of Labor Statistics in cooperation with the Florida Agency for Workforce Innovation.

The unemployment rate is derived from Florida household surveys conducted by the US Census Bureau under contract with the US Bureau of Labor Statistics. The job growth rate is derived from Florida employer surveys conducted by the US Bureau of Labor Statistics.

Both estimates are revised on a monthly basis. In addition, these estimates are benchmarked (revised) annually based on actual counts from Florida's Unemployment Compensation tax records and other data.

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The Agency for Workforce Innovation is Florida's lead workforce agency and directly administers the state's various workforce and unemployment programs and the Office of Early Learning. Workforce development policy and guidance are provided by Workforce Florida, Inc. Partnering together, along with the 24 Regional Workforce Boards that deliver services through 87 One-Stop Career Centers around the state, they compose the Employ Florida network.

The next Florida Employment and Unemployment release will be on August 15, 2008 at 10:00 A.M.

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LABOR FORCE STATUS OF THE CIVILIAN NONINSTITUTIONAL POPULATION
RELEASE DATE: JULY 18, 2008

SEASONALLY ADJUSTED

	Current Month June 2008	Month Ago May 2008	Year Ago June 2007	Over-the-Month Change		Over-the-Year Change	
				Level	Percent	Level	Percent
STATE OF FLORIDA							
Civilian Noninstitutional Population 16+	14,504,000	14,492,000	14,347,000	12,000	0.1	157,000	1.1
Civilian Labor Force	9,245,000	9,264,000	9,135,000	-19,000	-0.2	110,000	1.2
Employment	8,738,000	8,749,000	8,771,000	-11,000	-0.1	-33,000	-0.4
Unemployment	508,000	515,000	365,000	-7,000	-1.4	143,000	39.2
Unemployment Rate (%)	5.5	5.6	4.0	-0.1	--	1.5	--

UNITED STATES

Civilian Noninstitutional Population 16+	233,627,000	233,405,000	231,713,000	222,000	0.1	1,914,000	0.8
Civilian Labor Force	154,390,000	154,534,000	153,085,000	-144,000	-0.1	1,305,000	0.9
Employment	145,891,000	146,046,000	146,087,000	-155,000	-0.1	-196,000	-0.1
Unemployment	8,499,000	8,487,000	6,997,000	12,000	0.1	1,502,000	21.5
Unemployment Rate (%)	5.5	5.5	4.6	0.0	--	0.9	--

NOT SEASONALLY ADJUSTED

	Current Month June 2008	Month Ago May 2008	Year Ago June 2007	Over-the-Month Change		Over-the-Year Change	
				Level	Percent	Level	Percent
STATE OF FLORIDA							
Civilian Noninstitutional Population 16+	14,504,000	14,492,000	14,347,000	12,000	0.1	157,000	1.1
Civilian Labor Force	9,300,000	9,260,000	9,172,000	40,000	0.4	128,000	1.4
Employment	8,766,000	8,767,000	8,791,000	-1,000	**	-25,000	-0.3
Unemployment	533,000	492,000	381,000	41,000	8.3	152,000	39.9
Unemployment Rate (%)	5.7	5.3	4.2	0.4	--	1.5	--

UNITED STATES

Civilian Noninstitutional Population 16+	233,627,000	233,405,000	231,713,000	222,000	0.1	1,914,000	0.8
Civilian Labor Force	155,582,000	154,003,000	154,252,000	1,579,000	1.0	1,330,000	0.9
Employment	146,649,000	145,926,000	146,958,000	723,000	0.5	-309,000	-0.2
Unemployment	8,933,000	8,076,000	7,295,000	857,000	10.6	1,638,000	22.5
Unemployment Rate (%)	5.7	5.2	4.7	0.5	--	1.0	--

** = Less than 0.05 percent

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 2008	May ^r 2008	June 2007	Over-the-Month Change		Over-the-Year Change	
				Level	Percent	Level	Percent
Total Nonagricultural Employment	7,952.1	7,974.4	8,030.2	-22.3	-0.3	-78.1	-1.0
Construction	521.1	528.6	602.7	-7.5	-1.4	-81.6	-13.5
Manufacturing	365.3	368.1	390.2	-2.8	-0.8	-24.9	-6.4
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	1,598.5	1,600.4	1,611.7	-1.9	-0.1	-13.2	-0.8
Wholesale Trade	360.7	359.7	356.9	1.0	0.3	3.8	1.1
Retail Trade	994.5	996.1	1,009.1	-1.6	-0.2	-14.6	-1.4
Transportation, Warehousing, and Utilities	243.3	244.6	245.7	-1.3	-0.5	-2.4	-1.0
Information	157.0	157.8	162.3	-0.8	-0.5	-5.3	-3.3
Financial Activities	534.6	535.6	542.3	-1.0	-0.2	-7.7	-1.4
Finance and Insurance	363.4	365.4	369.3	-2.0	-0.5	-5.9	-1.6
Real Estate, Rental, and Leasing	171.2	170.2	173.0	1.0	0.6	-1.8	-1.0
Professional and Business Services	1,301.5	1,310.1	1,325.6	-8.6	-0.7	-24.1	-1.8
Education and Health Services	1,036.5	1,038.4	1,006.7	-1.9	-0.2	29.8	3.0
Educational Services	137.8	137.5	131.9	0.3	0.2	5.9	4.5
Health Care and Social Assistance	898.7	900.9	874.8	-2.2	-0.2	23.9	2.7
Leisure and Hospitality	948.3	947.2	929.9	1.1	0.1	18.4	2.0
Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation	187.2	186.6	181.4	0.6	0.3	5.8	3.2
Accommodation and Food Services	761.1	760.6	748.5	0.5	0.1	12.6	1.7
Other Services	343.8	343.2	343.9	0.6	0.2	-0.1	*
Total Government	1,139.1	1,138.6	1,108.1	0.5	*	31.0	2.8
Local Government	786.7	790.8	763.5	-4.1	-0.5	23.2	3.0

^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 2008	May 2008	June 2007	Change from			
				May 2008 to June 2008 Level	Percent	June 2007 to June 2008 Level	Percent
Total Nonagricultural Employment	7,882,100	8,006,100	7,988,200	-124,000	-1.5%	-106,100	-1.3%
Total Private	6,830,000	6,856,400	6,946,900	-26,400	-0.4%	-116,900	-1.7%
Goods Producing	898,900	904,400	1,007,600	-5,500	-0.6%	-108,700	-10.8%
Natural Resources and Mining	6,400	6,400	6,800	0	0.0%	-400	-5.9%
Mining, except Oil and Gas	3,800	3,800	4,200	0	0.0%	-400	-9.5%
Construction	525,600	529,300	607,800	-3,700	-0.7%	-82,200	-13.5%
Construction of Buildings	112,500	112,200	130,500	300	0.3%	-18,000	-13.8%
Heavy and Civil Engineering Construction	72,000	71,600	76,300	400	0.6%	-4,300	-5.6%
Specialty Trade Contractors	341,100	345,500	401,000	-4,400	-1.3%	-59,900	-14.9%
Building Equipment Contractors	149,900	151,000	158,400	-1,100	-0.7%	-8,500	-5.4%
Manufacturing	366,900	368,700	393,000	-1,800	-0.5%	-26,100	-6.6%
Durable Goods	246,600	247,900	265,800	-1,300	-0.5%	-19,200	-7.2%
Fabricated Metal Product Manufacturing	37,100	37,500	40,000	-400	-1.1%	-2,900	-7.3%
Computer and Electronic Product Manufacturing	47,600	47,400	49,000	200	0.4%	-1,400	-2.9%
Communications Equipment Manufacturing	8,400	8,400	8,900	0	0.0%	-500	-5.6%
Transportation Equipment Manufacturing	43,300	43,300	44,600	0	0.0%	-1,300	-2.9%
Aerospace Product and Parts Manufacturing	19,700	19,600	19,700	100	0.5%	0	0.0%
Miscellaneous Durable Goods Manufacturing	30,100	30,000	30,000	100	0.3%	100	0.3%
Nondurable Goods	120,300	120,800	127,200	-500	-0.4%	-6,900	-5.4%
Food Manufacturing	31,100	31,500	30,800	-400	-1.3%	300	1.0%
Beverage and Tobacco Product Manufacturing	10,900	10,900	11,400	0	0.0%	-500	-4.4%
Paper Manufacturing	9,900	9,900	10,200	0	0.0%	-300	-2.9%
Printing and Related Support Activities	22,300	22,500	23,900	-200	-0.9%	-1,600	-6.7%
Chemical Manufacturing	19,200	19,200	20,400	0	0.0%	-1,200	-5.9%

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Industry Title	June 2008	May 2008	June 2007	Change from			
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Service Providing	6,983,200	7,101,700	6,980,600	-118,500	-1.7%	2,600	0.0%
Private Service Providing	5,931,100	5,952,000	5,939,300	-20,900	-0.4%	-8,200	-0.1%
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	1,590,700	1,596,300	1,606,200	-5,600	-0.4%	-15,500	-1.0%
Wholesale Trade	360,700	360,800	358,100	-100	0.0%	2,600	0.7%
Merchant Wholesalers, Durable Goods	187,400	186,700	189,500	700	0.4%	-2,100	-1.1%
Commercial Equipment Wholesalers	48,800	48,100	47,200	700	1.5%	1,600	3.4%
Electronic Goods Wholesalers	23,200	23,500	24,200	-300	-1.3%	-1,000	-4.1%
Machinery and Supply Wholesalers	35,100	34,800	35,100	300	0.9%	0	0.0%
Merchant Wholesalers, Nondurable Goods	123,900	125,600	123,200	-1,700	-1.4%	700	0.6%
Grocery and Related Product Wholesalers	46,000	46,400	44,900	-400	-0.9%	1,100	2.4%
Wholesale Electronic Markets and Agents	49,400	48,500	45,400	900	1.9%	4,000	8.8%
Retail Trade	988,400	992,100	1,003,100	-3,700	-0.4%	-14,700	-1.5%
Motor Vehicle and Parts Dealers	132,100	132,400	136,100	-300	-0.2%	-4,000	-2.9%
Automobile Dealers	86,600	86,100	88,300	500	0.6%	-1,700	-1.9%
Furniture and Home Furnishings Stores	42,000	42,300	42,900	-300	-0.7%	-900	-2.1%
Electronics and Appliance Stores	34,900	35,000	36,000	-100	-0.3%	-1,100	-3.1%
Building Material and Garden Supply Stores	80,600	81,000	85,200	-400	-0.5%	-4,600	-5.4%
Food and Beverage Stores	190,800	191,100	194,100	-300	-0.2%	-3,300	-1.7%
Health and Personal Care Stores	69,800	69,700	70,500	100	0.1%	-700	-1.0%
Gasoline Stations	39,700	39,800	40,800	-100	-0.3%	-1,100	-2.7%
Clothing and Accessory Stores	109,000	109,900	106,400	-900	-0.8%	2,600	2.4%
Sporting Goods, Hobby, Book, and Music Stores	34,500	35,200	34,200	-700	-2.0%	300	0.9%
General Merchandise Stores	179,400	180,600	181,400	-1,200	-0.7%	-2,000	-1.1%
Department Stores	78,100	79,000	79,400	-900	-1.1%	-1,300	-1.6%
Other General Merchandise Stores	101,300	101,600	102,000	-300	-0.3%	-700	-0.7%
Miscellaneous Store Retailers	53,800	53,200	53,400	600	1.1%	400	0.7%
Nonstore Retailers	21,800	21,900	22,100	-100	-0.5%	-300	-1.4%
Electronic Shopping and Mail-Order Houses	13,800	13,800	14,200	0	0.0%	-400	-2.8%
Transportation, Warehousing, and Utilities	241,600	243,400	245,000	-1,800	-0.7%	-3,400	-1.4%
Utilities	23,600	23,500	23,800	100	0.4%	-200	-0.8%

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Transportation and Warehousing	218,000	219,900	221,200	-1,900	-0.9%	-3,200	-1.4%
Air Transportation	30,500	30,300	31,000	200	0.7%	-500	-1.6%
Water Transportation	12,600	12,500	12,400	100	0.8%	200	1.6%
Truck Transportation	47,800	48,100	49,400	-300	-0.6%	-1,600	-3.2%
Support Activities for Transportation	46,900	47,600	47,100	-700	-1.5%	-200	-0.4%
Couriers and Messengers	28,600	28,800	30,700	-200	-0.7%	-2,100	-6.8%
Warehousing and Storage	28,000	28,300	28,300	-300	-1.1%	-300	-1.1%
Information	157,500	158,200	163,200	-700	-0.4%	-5,700	-3.5%
Publishing Industries, except Internet	41,900	42,400	43,700	-500	-1.2%	-1,800	-4.1%
Broadcasting, except Internet	15,600	15,800	15,600	-200	-1.3%	0	0.0%
Telecommunications	64,100	64,500	65,000	-400	-0.6%	-900	-1.4%
Wired Telecommunications Carriers	47,600	48,100	49,000	-500	-1.0%	-1,400	-2.9%
Internet Service Providers and Data Processing	18,600	18,700	18,800	-100	-0.5%	-200	-1.1%
Financial Activities	537,500	536,900	544,800	600	0.1%	-7,300	-1.3%
Finance and Insurance	365,000	366,200	370,100	-1,200	-0.3%	-5,100	-1.4%
Credit Intermediation and Related Activities	185,900	187,900	189,500	-2,000	-1.1%	-3,600	-1.9%
Depository Credit Intermediation	106,000	106,200	105,500	-200	-0.2%	500	0.5%
Insurance Carriers and Related Activities	136,400	136,000	136,400	400	0.3%	0	0.0%
Insurance Carriers	74,000	73,800	74,300	200	0.3%	-300	-0.4%
Insurance Agencies, Brokerages, and Related	62,400	62,200	62,100	200	0.3%	300	0.5%
Real Estate, Rental, and Leasing	172,500	170,700	174,700	1,800	1.1%	-2,200	-1.3%
Real Estate	127,400	126,200	127,000	1,200	1.0%	400	0.3%
Professional and Business Services	1,306,000	1,311,600	1,332,300	-5,600	-0.4%	-26,300	-2.0%
Professional and Technical Services	456,500	453,800	454,200	2,700	0.6%	2,300	0.5%
Legal Services	90,800	89,700	92,300	1,100	1.2%	-1,500	-1.6%
Accounting, Tax Preparation, and Bookkeeping	51,900	51,300	51,700	600	1.2%	200	0.4%
Architectural, Engineering, and Related	89,400	89,600	92,900	-200	-0.2%	-3,500	-3.8%
Computer Systems Design and Related	63,000	62,900	60,600	100	0.2%	2,400	4.0%
Management, Scientific, and Technical	65,600	66,000	65,800	-400	-0.6%	-200	-0.3%
Management of Companies and Enterprises	78,000	78,100	79,200	-100	-0.1%	-1,200	-1.5%

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Industry Title	June 2008	May 2008	June 2007	Change from			
				May 2008 to June 2008 Level	Percent	June 2007 to June 2008 Level	Percent
Administrative and Waste Services	771,500	779,700	798,900	-8,200	-1.1%	-27,400	-3.4%
Administrative and Support Services	750,900	758,900	778,600	-8,000	-1.1%	-27,700	-3.6%
Employment Services	378,400	385,800	407,700	-7,400	-1.9%	-29,300	-7.2%
Business Support Services	59,800	59,900	64,900	-100	-0.2%	-5,100	-7.9%
Travel Arrangement and Reservation Services	32,000	31,700	31,500	300	0.9%	500	1.6%
Investigation and Security Services	64,000	64,300	63,200	-300	-0.5%	800	1.3%
Services to Buildings and Dwellings	139,300	139,300	142,200	0	0.0%	-2,900	-2.0%
Waste Management and Remediation Services	20,600	20,800	20,300	-200	-1.0%	300	1.5%
Education and Health Services	1,034,600	1,042,200	1,005,600	-7,600	-0.7%	29,000	2.9%
Educational Services	134,600	139,200	128,700	-4,600	-3.3%	5,900	4.6%
Elementary and Secondary Schools	46,100	49,200	43,200	-3,100	-6.3%	2,900	6.7%
Colleges and Universities	49,400	51,300	47,800	-1,900	-3.7%	1,600	3.3%
Health Care and Social Assistance	900,000	903,000	876,900	-3,000	-0.3%	23,100	2.6%
Ambulatory Health Care Services	366,100	367,200	359,200	-1,100	-0.3%	6,900	1.9%
Offices of Physicians	167,000	166,300	162,200	700	0.4%	4,800	3.0%
Home Health Care Services	54,300	54,500	53,600	-200	-0.4%	700	1.3%
Hospitals	252,000	253,100	242,800	-1,100	-0.4%	9,200	3.8%
Nursing and Residential Care Facilities	167,700	168,000	164,000	-300	-0.2%	3,700	2.3%
Nursing Care Facilities	93,900	93,800	91,000	100	0.1%	2,900	3.2%
Community Care for the Elderly	44,300	44,000	43,200	300	0.7%	1,100	2.5%
Social Assistance	114,200	114,700	110,900	-500	-0.4%	3,300	3.0%
Leisure and Hospitality	957,900	961,900	939,300	-4,000	-0.4%	18,600	2.0%
Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation	190,000	188,600	183,200	1,400	0.7%	6,800	3.7%
Amusement, Gambling, and Recreation	150,100	148,400	143,500	1,700	1.1%	6,600	4.6%
Amusement Parks and Arcades	62,600	60,300	57,000	2,300	3.8%	5,600	9.8%
Accommodation and Food Services	767,900	773,300	756,100	-5,400	-0.7%	11,800	1.6%
Accommodation	167,300	166,300	161,300	1,000	0.6%	6,000	3.7%
Food Services and Drinking Places	600,600	607,000	594,800	-6,400	-1.1%	5,800	1.0%

Source: Florida Agency for Workforce Innovation, Labor Market Statistics Center, Current Employment Statistics Program (in cooperation with the U.S. Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics).

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

Released July 18, 2008

Industry Title	June 2008	May 2008	June 2007	Change from			
				May 2008 to June 2008 Level	Percent	June 2007 to June 2008 Level	Percent
Other Services	346,900	344,900	347,900	2,000	0.6%	-1,000	-0.3%
Repair and Maintenance	73,900	73,800	76,600	100	0.1%	-2,700	-3.5%
Automotive Repair and Maintenance	52,600	52,600	52,800	0	0.0%	-200	-0.4%
Personal and Laundry Services	81,500	81,100	82,800	400	0.5%	-1,300	-1.6%
Membership Associations and Organizations	191,500	190,000	188,500	1,500	0.8%	3,000	1.6%
Total Government	1,052,100	1,149,700	1,041,300	-97,600	-8.5%	10,800	1.0%
Federal	130,100	131,400	127,600	-1,300	-1.0%	2,500	2.0%
State	206,800	211,600	207,300	-4,800	-2.3%	-500	-0.2%
Local	715,200	806,700	706,400	-91,500	-11.3%	8,800	1.2%

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 2008				MAY 2008				JUNE 2007			
	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	128071	122564	5507	4.3	129666	124809	4857	3.7	124411	120279	4132	3.3
BAKER	12055	11414	641	5.3	11975	11353	622	5.2	11831	11374	457	3.9
BAY	87760	83619	4141	4.7	86691	82828	3863	4.5	88393	85297	3096	3.5
BRADFORD	12573	12000	573	4.6	12640	12120	520	4.1	12277	11825	452	3.7
BREVARD	267983	252027	15956	6.0	265116	250072	15044	5.7	263332	251418	11914	4.5
BROWARD	1008833	957322	51511	5.1	1002076	953788	48288	4.8	998569	961757	36812	3.7
CALHOUN	5559	5244	315	5.7	5520	5241	279	5.1	5454	5235	219	4.0
CHARLOTTE	68154	62967	5187	7.6	68385	63317	5068	7.4	68048	64511	3537	5.2
CITRUS	60038	55728	4310	7.2	59777	55852	3925	6.6	56112	53257	2855	5.1
CLAY	95147	90428	4719	5.0	94525	89941	4584	4.8	93444	90113	3331	3.6
COLLIER	149306	139666	9640	6.5	150322	141662	8660	5.8	151131	144324	6807	4.5
COLUMBIA	32741	31082	1659	5.1	32573	31027	1546	4.7	30775	29621	1154	3.7
DESOTO	14218	13333	885	6.2	14718	13885	833	5.7	14040	13333	707	5.0
DIXIE	5726	5353	373	6.5	5824	5476	348	6.0	5453	5210	243	4.5
DUVAL	451111	424164	26947	6.0	445517	421879	23638	5.3	442769	422687	20082	4.5
ESCAMBIA	142599	134877	7722	5.4	141461	134359	7102	5.0	140020	134402	5618	4.0
FLAGLER	31395	28718	2677	8.5	31629	28977	2652	8.4	30486	28489	1997	6.6
FRANKLIN	5128	4928	200	3.9	5006	4813	193	3.9	5141	4975	166	3.2
GADSDEN	21280	20152	1128	5.3	21176	20111	1065	5.0	21051	20165	886	4.2
GILCHRIST	7904	7511	393	5.0	8016	7649	367	4.6	7675	7371	304	4.0
GLADES	4647	4313	334	7.2	4731	4477	254	5.4	4595	4331	264	5.7
GULF	6628	6290	338	5.1	6573	6247	326	5.0	6456	6224	232	3.6
HAMILTON	4640	4340	300	6.5	4616	4344	272	5.9	4582	4358	224	4.9
HARDEE	12744	12030	714	5.6	13015	12465	550	4.2	12106	11537	569	4.7
HENDRY	18397	16496	1901	10.3	18711	17225	1486	7.9	17840	16306	1534	8.6
HERNANDO	63693	58925	4768	7.5	63316	58652	4664	7.4	63318	59654	3664	5.8
HIGHLANDS	41469	38812	2657	6.4	42546	40115	2431	5.7	40353	38395	1958	4.9
HILLSBOROUGH	618637	583304	35333	5.7	614178	580605	33573	5.5	615317	590520	24797	4.0
HOLMES	9190	8760	430	4.7	9189	8792	397	4.3	8801	8465	336	3.8
INDIAN RIVER	61219	56322	4897	8.0	61107	56677	4430	7.2	60608	56821	3787	6.2
JACKSON	21160	20009	1151	5.4	21250	20249	1001	4.7	21137	20247	890	4.2
JEFFERSON	7145	6812	333	4.7	7099	6798	301	4.2	7068	6816	252	3.6
LAFAYETTE	2959	2829	130	4.4	2996	2881	115	3.8	2879	2785	94	3.3
LAKE	133862	126005	7857	5.9	133233	125881	7352	5.5	130834	125214	5620	4.3
LEE	282652	261448	21204	7.5	283219	262913	20306	7.2	287256	273743	13513	4.7
LEON	141991	135705	6286	4.4	141084	135427	5657	4.0	140552	135793	4759	3.4
LEVY	17324	16213	1111	6.4	17433	16381	1052	6.0	16596	15852	744	4.5
LIBERTY	3853	3700	153	4.0	3850	3706	144	3.7	3641	3530	111	3.0

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

COUNTY	JUNE 2008				MAY 2008				JUNE 2007			
	LABOR FORCE	EMPLOY- MENT	UNEMPLOYMENT LEVEL	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE (%)	LABOR FORCE	EMPLOY- MENT	UNEMPLOYMENT LEVEL	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE (%)	LABOR FORCE	EMPLOY- MENT	UNEMPLOYMENT LEVEL	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE (%)
MADISON	6816	6315	501	7.4	6733	6305	428	6.4	6772	6350	422	6.2
MANATEE	153185	143948	9237	6.0	152872	144136	8736	5.7	154318	147982	6336	4.1
MARION	138316	128392	9924	7.2	137893	128662	9231	6.7	135111	128668	6443	4.8
MARTIN	66351	62237	4114	6.2	66501	62731	3770	5.7	64978	62094	2884	4.4
MIAMI-DADE	1209054	1142461	66593	5.5	1207433	1149815	57618	4.8	1186460	1141122	45338	3.8
MONROE	43248	41527	1721	4.0	43255	41651	1604	3.7	43581	42336	1245	2.9
NASSAU	35509	33688	1821	5.1	35182	33507	1675	4.8	34800	33571	1229	3.5
OKALOOSA	100735	96628	4107	4.1	98946	95139	3807	3.8	99800	96728	3072	3.1
OKEECHOBEE	17933	16615	1318	7.3	18018	16873	1145	6.4	17211	16262	949	5.5
ORANGE	607066	575018	32048	5.3	604391	574451	29940	5.0	594421	571410	23011	3.9
OSCEOLA	132176	124607	7569	5.7	131672	124484	7188	5.5	129491	123825	5666	4.4
PALM BEACH	650559	611740	38819	6.0	647598	612058	35540	5.5	640338	611812	28526	4.5
PASCO	198790	185248	13542	6.8	197313	184391	12922	6.5	197217	187540	9677	4.9
PINELLAS	477368	451154	26214	5.5	473705	449066	24639	5.2	475702	456735	18967	4.0
POLK	269985	253450	16535	6.1	269613	254394	15219	5.6	270789	258291	12498	4.6
PUTNAM	32634	30442	2192	6.7	32742	30699	2043	6.2	31735	30202	1533	4.8
ST. JOHNS	91961	87672	4289	4.7	91365	87199	4166	4.6	90416	87366	3050	3.4
ST. LUCIE	123061	113150	9911	8.1	123435	114047	9388	7.6	120300	112890	7410	6.2
SANTA ROSA	72072	68209	3863	5.4	71215	67947	3268	4.6	70903	67969	2934	4.1
SARASOTA	177552	166577	10975	6.2	177328	166794	10534	5.9	178902	171245	7657	4.3
SEMINOLE	247075	234654	12421	5.0	246207	234422	11785	4.8	242090	233181	8909	3.7
SUMTER	39631	38123	1508	3.8	39294	37858	1436	3.7	33711	32614	1097	3.3
SUWANNEE	18463	17520	943	5.1	18181	17299	882	4.9	17039	16386	653	3.8
TAYLOR	8901	8356	545	6.1	8801	8300	501	5.7	8564	8183	381	4.4
UNION	5244	4987	257	4.9	5242	5005	237	4.5	5080	4913	167	3.3
VOLUSIA	253755	238249	15506	6.1	253181	238477	14704	5.8	249103	238408	10695	4.3
WAKULLA	15622	14955	667	4.3	15519	14924	595	3.8	15448	14964	484	3.1
WALTON	36881	35632	1249	3.4	35592	34416	1176	3.3	33485	32608	877	2.6
WASHINGTON	9774	9206	568	5.8	9766	9243	523	5.4	9614	9203	411	4.3
FLORIDA												
NOT SEASONALLY ADJUSTED												
	9300000	8766000	533000	5.7	9260000	8767000	492000	5.3	9172000	8791000	381000	4.2
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED												
	9245000	8738000	508000	5.5	9264000	8749000	515000	5.6	9135000	8771000	365000	4.0
UNITED STATES												
NOT SEASONALLY ADJUSTED												
	155582000	146649000	8933000	5.7	154003000	145926000	8076000	5.2	154252000	146958000	7295000	4.7
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED												
	154390000	145891000	8499000	5.5	154534000	146046000	8487000	5.5	153085000	146087000	6997000	4.6

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

MSA (COUNTIES)	JUNE 2008				MAY 2008				JUNE 2007			
	LABOR FORCE	EMPLOY- MENT	UNEMPLOYMENT LEVEL	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE (%)	LABOR FORCE	EMPLOY- MENT	UNEMPLOYMENT LEVEL	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE (%)	LABOR FORCE	EMPLOY- MENT	UNEMPLOYMENT LEVEL	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE (%)
BRADENTON-SARASOTA-VENICE (Manatee and Sarasota)	330737	310525	20212	6.1	330200	310930	19270	5.8	333220	319227	13993	4.2
CAPE CORAL-FT. MYERS (Lee)	282652	261448	21204	7.5	283219	262913	20306	7.2	287256	273743	13513	4.7
DELTONA-DAYTONA BEACH-ORMOND BEACH (Volusia)	253755	238249	15506	6.1	253181	238477	14704	5.8	249103	238408	10695	4.3
FT. WALTON BEACH-CRESTVIEW-DESTIN (Okaloosa)	100735	96628	4107	4.1	98946	95139	3807	3.8	99800	96728	3072	3.1
GAINESVILLE (Alachua and Gilchrist)	135975	130075	5900	4.3	137682	132458	5224	3.8	132086	127650	4436	3.4
JACKSONVILLE (Baker, Clay, Duval, Nassau, and St. Johns)	685783	647366	38417	5.6	678563	643879	34684	5.1	673261	645112	28149	4.2
LAKELAND-WINTER HAVEN (Polk)	269985	253450	16535	6.1	269613	254394	15219	5.6	270789	258291	12498	4.6
MIAMI-FT. LAUDERDALE-POMPANO BEACH (Broward, Miami-Dade, and Palm Beach)	2868446	2711523	156923	5.5	2857107	2715661	141446	5.0	2825367	2714691	110676	3.9
Ft. Lauderdale-Pompano Beach-Deerfield Beach Metropolitan Division (Broward)	1008833	957322	51511	5.1	1002076	953788	48288	4.8	998569	961757	36812	3.7
Miami-Miami Beach-Kendall Metropolitan Division (Miami-Dade)	1209054	1142461	66593	5.5	1207433	1149815	57618	4.8	1186460	1141122	45338	3.8
West Palm Beach-Boca Raton-Boynton Beach Metropolitan Division (Palm Beach)	650559	611740	38819	6.0	647598	612058	35540	5.5	640338	611812	28526	4.5
NAPLES-MARCO ISLAND (Collier)	149306	139666	9640	6.5	150322	141662	8660	5.8	151131	144324	6807	4.5
OCALA (Marion)	138316	128392	9924	7.2	137893	128662	9231	6.7	135111	128668	6443	4.8
ORLANDO-KISSIMMEE (Lake, Orange, Osceola, and Seminole)	1120179	1060284	59895	5.3	1115503	1059238	56265	5.0	1096837	1053630	43207	3.9
PALM BAY-MELBOURNE-TITUSVILLE (Brevard)	267983	252027	15956	6.0	265116	250072	15044	5.7	263332	251418	11914	4.5
PALM COAST (Flagler)	31395	28718	2677	8.5	31629	28977	2652	8.4	30486	28489	1997	6.6
PANAMA CITY-LYNN HAVEN (Bay)	87760	83619	4141	4.7	86691	82828	3863	4.5	88393	85297	3096	3.5
PENSACOLA-FERRY PASS-BRENT (Escambia and Santa Rosa)	214671	203086	11585	5.4	212676	202306	10370	4.9	210923	202371	8552	4.1
PORT ST. LUCIE (Martin and St. Lucie)	189412	175387	14025	7.4	189936	176778	13158	6.9	185278	174984	10294	5.6
PUNTA GORDA (Charlotte)	68154	62967	5187	7.6	68385	63317	5068	7.4	68048	64511	3537	5.2
SEBASTIAN-VERO BEACH (Indian River)	61219	56322	4897	8.0	61107	56677	4430	7.2	60608	56821	3787	6.2
TALLAHASSEE (Gadsden, Jefferson, Leon, and Wakulla)	186038	177624	8414	4.5	184877	177260	7617	4.1	184120	177739	6381	3.5
TAMPA-ST. PETERSBURG-CLEARWATER (Hernando, Hillsborough, Pasco, and Pinellas)	1358488	1278630	79858	5.9	1348513	1272715	75798	5.6	1351553	1294448	57105	4.2
FLORIDA												
NOT SEASONALLY ADJUSTED	9300000	8766000	533000	5.7	9260000	8767000	492000	5.3	9172000	8791000	381000	4.2
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED	9245000	8738000	508000	5.5	9264000	8749000	515000	5.6	9135000	8771000	365000	4.0
UNITED STATES												
NOT SEASONALLY ADJUSTED	155582000	146649000	8933000	5.7	154003000	145926000	8076000	5.2	154252000	146958000	7295000	4.7
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED	154390000	145891000	8499000	5.5	154534000	146046000	8487000	5.5	153085000	146087000	6997000	4.6

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

JUNE 2008
(PRELIMINARY)

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UNEMPLOYMENT			UNEMPLOYMENT		
RANK	COUNTY	RATE (%)	RANK	COUNTY	RATE (%)
1	HENDRY	10.3		UNITED STATES	5.7
2	FLAGLER	8.5	35	HARDEE	5.6
3	ST. LUCIE	8.1	36	MIAMI-DADE	5.5
4	INDIAN RIVER	8.0	37	PINELLAS	5.5
5	CHARLOTTE	7.6	38	JACKSON	5.4
6	LEE	7.5	39	ESCAMBIA	5.4
7	HERNANDO	7.5	40	SANTA ROSA	5.4
8	MADISON	7.4	41	BAKER	5.3
9	OKEECHOBEE	7.3	42	GADSDEN	5.3
10	GLADES	7.2	43	ORANGE	5.3
11	CITRUS	7.2	44	NASSAU	5.1
12	MARION	7.2	45	SUWANNEE	5.1
13	PASCO	6.8	46	BROWARD	5.1
14	PUTNAM	6.7	47	GULF	5.1
15	DIXIE	6.5	48	COLUMBIA	5.1
16	HAMILTON	6.5	49	SEMINOLE	5.0
17	COLLIER	6.5	50	GILCHRIST	5.0
18	LEVY	6.4	51	CLAY	5.0
19	HIGHLANDS	6.4	52	UNION	4.9
20	DESOTO	6.2	53	BAY	4.7
21	MARTIN	6.2	54	HOLMES	4.7
22	SARASOTA	6.2	55	ST. JOHNS	4.7
23	POLK	6.1	56	JEFFERSON	4.7
24	TAYLOR	6.1	57	BRADFORD	4.6
25	VOLUSIA	6.1	58	LEON	4.4
26	MANATEE	6.0	59	LAFAYETTE	4.4
27	DUVAL	6.0	60	ALACHUA	4.3
28	PALM BEACH	6.0	61	WAKULLA	4.3
29	BREVARD	6.0	62	OKALOOSA	4.1
30	LAKE	5.9	63	MONROE	4.0
31	WASHINGTON	5.8	64	LIBERTY	4.0
32	OSCEOLA	5.7	65	FRANKLIN	3.9
33	HILLSBOROUGH	5.7	66	SUMTER	3.8
34	CALHOUN	5.7	67	WALTON	3.4
	FLORIDA	5.7			

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STATE OF FLORIDA
 METROPOLITAN STATISTICAL AREAS (MSAs) AND METROPOLITAN DIVISIONS (MDs)
 RANKED BY UNEMPLOYMENT RATE
 (NOT SEASONALLY ADJUSTED)
 JUNE 2008 (Preliminary)

1. Palm Coast MSA	8.5 %
2. Sebastian-Vero Beach MSA	8.0
3. Punta Gorda MSA	7.6
4. Cape Coral-Ft. Myers MSA	7.5
5. Port St. Lucie MSA	7.4
6. Ocala MSA	7.2
7. Naples-Marco Island MSA	6.5
8. Lakeland-Winter Haven MSA	6.1
9. Bradenton-Sarasota-Venice MSA	6.1
10. Deltona-Daytona Beach-Ormond Beach MSA	6.1
11. West Palm Beach-Boca Raton-Boynton Beach MD	6.0
12. Palm Bay-Melbourne-Titusville MSA	6.0
13. Tampa-St. Petersburg-Clearwater MSA	5.9
Florida	5.7
United States	5.7
14. Jacksonville MSA	5.6
15. Miami-Miami Beach-Kendall MD	5.5
16. Miami-Ft. Lauderdale-Pompano Beach MSA	5.5
17. Pensacola-Ferry Pass-Brent MSA	5.4
18. Orlando-Kissimmee MSA	5.3
19. Ft. Lauderdale-Pompano Beach-Deerfield Beach MD	5.1
20. Panama City-Lynn Haven MSA	4.7
21. Tallahassee MSA	4.5
22. Gainesville MSA	4.3
23. Ft. Walton Beach-Crestview-Destin MSA	4.1

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TOTAL NONAGRICULTURAL EMPLOYMENT
FLORIDA (Not Seasonally Adjusted)

Area	June 2008	May 2008	June 2007	Over-the-Month Change		Over-the-Year Change	
				Level	Percent	Level	Percent
Statewide	7,882,100	8,006,100	7,988,200	-124,000	-1.5%	-106,100	-1.3%
Bradenton-Sarasota-Venice MSA	285,700	290,300	296,400	-4,600	-1.6%	-10,700	-3.6%
Cape Coral-Ft. Myers MSA	216,500	220,700	228,100	-4,200	-1.9%	-11,600	-5.1%
Deltona-Daytona Beach-Ormond Beach MSA	168,800	171,800	170,800	-3,000	-1.7%	-2,000	-1.2%
Ft. Lauderdale-Pompano Beach-Deerfield Beach MD	778,000	786,900	787,600	-8,900	-1.1%	-9,600	-1.2%
Ft. Walton Beach-Crestview-Destin MSA	85,300	85,500	86,700	-200	-0.2%	-1,400	-1.6%
Gainesville MSA	132,100	135,700	130,400	-3,600	-2.7%	+1,700	+1.3%
Jacksonville MSA	628,000	634,400	631,800	-6,400	-1.0%	-3,800	-0.6%
Lakeland-Winter Haven MSA	209,000	213,000	215,000	-4,000	-1.9%	-6,000	-2.8%
Miami-Ft. Lauderdale-Pompano Beach MSA	2,399,500	2,431,100	2,416,900	-31,600	-1.3%	-17,400	-0.7%
Miami-Miami Beach-Kendall MD	1,047,000	1,060,800	1,049,900	-13,800	-1.3%	-2,900	-0.3%
Naples-Marco Island MSA	124,200	127,800	129,700	-3,600	-2.8%	-5,500	-4.2%
Ocala MSA	102,900	104,800	105,000	-1,900	-1.8%	-2,100	-2.0%
Orlando-Kissimmee MSA	1,093,500	1,109,600	1,093,500	-16,100	-1.5%	+0	+0.0%
Palm Bay-Melbourne-Titusville MSA	210,300	212,100	211,800	-1,800	-0.8%	-1,500	-0.7%
Panama City-Lynn Haven MSA	76,000	76,500	78,300	-500	-0.7%	-2,300	-2.9%
Pensacola-Ferry Pass-Brent MSA	173,100	175,500	173,900	-2,400	-1.4%	-800	-0.5%
Port St. Lucie MSA	131,000	134,100	132,300	-3,100	-2.3%	-1,300	-1.0%
Punta Gorda MSA	41,600	42,500	43,200	-900	-2.1%	-1,600	-3.7%
Sebastian-Vero Beach MSA	47,300	48,300	47,800	-1,000	-2.1%	-500	-1.0%
Tallahassee MSA	173,600	176,300	175,100	-2,700	-1.5%	-1,500	-0.9%
Tampa-St. Petersburg-Clearwater MSA	1,277,800	1,291,100	1,300,900	-13,300	-1.0%	-23,100	-1.8%
West Palm Beach-Boca Raton-Boynton Beach MD	574,500	583,400	579,400	-8,900	-1.5%	-4,900	-0.8%

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 18, 2008.

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