



The Labor Market Report

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Intercensal County Population Estimates

Special Points of Interest:

- Population estimates, based on the 2010 Census, for all Tennessee counties
- Tennessee Historical Civilian Labor Force Series, 1981 to Present
- County Unemployment Rates
- Civilian Labor Force Summary (All Areas)
- Hours and Earnings
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After completing a census count the Bureau of the Census releases the compiled information collected. Those data are released in a piecemeal fashion over a two-to three-year time period based on the importance of the information. State population numbers were released first for reapportionment of Congress. This was followed by population by state, county, and metro area. The current data include some of the demographic information for that population. This article is part of an ongoing series of some of the newly released Census information. Complete data files are available on

www.census.gov.

Postcensal estimates (2000-2010) are produced by updating the resident population enumerated in the 2000 census. The intercensal estimates (2000-2010), used in this article, modify these previous estimates using the 2010 Census numbers. The intercensal estimates provide a consistent time series of population estimates that reflect the most recent census results. These estimates are used to determine historical trends for birth and death rates as well as in- and out-migration. They are also used as a baseline for the American Community Survey.

County estimates were produced by demographic characteristic and for total population. State estimates were produced by summing the county estimates within each state. The national intercensal estimates were produced by demographic characteristic and summed to obtain the total U.S. population. Although not shown on page 2, this county population data are also available by demographic characteristics (age, sex, race, and Hispanic origin).

Tennessee's Numbers

During the past 10 years the population in Tennessee increased by 656,678 (11.5 percent). The counties with growth more than 20 percent were Williamson County (44.6 percent), Rutherford County (44.3 percent), Fayette County (33.4 percent), Wilson County (28.4 percent), Montgomery County (27.9 percent), Sevier County (26.2 percent), Sequatchie County (25.3 percent), Loudon County (24.2 percent), Sumner County (23.1 percent), and Robertson County (21.8 percent). It is interesting to note that only Montgomery and Sevier counties are not suburbs of a metropolitan area.

The counties with the greatest actual growth were Rutherford (80,575), Davidson (56,754), Williamson (56,533), Knox (50,342), Montgomery (37,606), Shelby (30,178), and Sumner (30,117). The three counties with the largest actual growth are all in the Nashville MSA. Their combined growth (193,862 people) was 29.5 percent of the entire growth in the state. The 13 counties that comprise the Nashville MSA had a 10-year growth of 278,064 people. This was 42.3 percent of Tennessee's growth from 2000 to 2010.

Eight counties that had population declines during the first decade of this century. Led by Haywood County (-5.1 percent) the other counties that had a decrease in population include Grundy County (-4.3 percent), Carroll County (-3.1 percent), Hardeman County (-3 percent), Obion County (-2 percent), Lake County (-1.5 percent), Clay County (-1.2 percent), and Benton County (-0.3 percent). In actual numbers, the largest decline was Haywood County's 1,003 persons. Van Buren and Hancock counties each had the smallest growth. They each increased by 43 people in the past 10 years.

Census Population Growth During 2000 Decade

Counties	April 1, 2000 ¹	July 1 Estimate			April 1, 2010 ²
		2,004	2,008	2,009	
Tennessee	5,689,427	5,910,809	6,247,411	6,306,019	6,346,105
Anderson	71,470	71,587	74,397	75,031	75,129
Bedford	37,608	40,558	44,395	44,845	45,058
Benton	16,534	16,517	16,431	16,424	16,489
Bledsoe	12,349	12,610	13,070	12,924	12,876
Blount	105,824	113,151	121,716	122,689	123,010
Bradley	87,973	91,814	97,547	98,360	98,963
Campbell	39,839	40,371	40,672	40,790	40,716
Cannon	12,836	13,114	13,822	13,823	13,801
Carroll	29,446	29,104	28,645	28,474	28,522
Carter	56,731	57,532	57,895	57,639	57,424
Cheatham	35,843	37,256	38,947	39,170	39,105
Chester	15,540	16,225	16,840	16,864	17,131
Claiborne	29,861	30,830	32,006	32,056	32,213
Clay	7,960	7,947	7,862	7,830	7,861
Cocke	33,548	34,393	35,666	35,811	35,662
Coffee	48,052	50,077	52,460	52,813	52,796
Crockett	14,529	14,434	14,541	14,573	14,586
Cumberland	46,781	50,584	55,184	55,672	56,053
Davidson	569,927	583,013	612,649	621,008	626,681
Decatur	11,711	11,655	11,769	11,779	11,757
DeKalb	17,413	18,051	18,693	18,720	18,723
Dickson	43,152	45,727	48,929	49,380	49,666
Dyer	37,284	37,520	38,149	38,254	38,335
Fayette	28,799	33,005	37,851	38,386	38,413
Fentress	16,615	16,959	17,851	17,975	17,959
Franklin	39,258	40,359	41,093	41,141	41,052
Gibson	48,092	47,834	49,209	49,575	49,683
Giles	29,433	29,382	29,705	29,695	29,485
Grainger	20,610	21,502	22,380	22,513	22,657
Greene	62,911	65,364	68,328	68,744	68,831
Grundy	14,322	14,146	13,963	13,777	13,703
Hamblen	58,136	59,114	62,101	62,330	62,544
Hamilton	308,115	315,396	328,711	332,659	336,463
Hancock	6,776	6,739	6,765	6,768	6,819
Hardeman	28,108	27,816	27,837	27,612	27,253
Hardin	25,589	25,514	26,059	26,045	26,026
Hawkins	53,582	55,029	56,698	56,856	56,833
Haywood	19,790	19,573	18,996	18,860	18,787
Henderson	25,526	26,237	27,655	27,748	27,769
Henry	31,112	31,265	32,106	32,234	32,330
Hickman	22,311	23,676	24,623	24,597	24,690
Houston	8,079	7,973	8,320	8,375	8,426
Humphreys	17,932	17,918	18,411	18,477	18,538
Jackson	10,987	11,396	11,555	11,539	11,638
Jefferson	44,308	47,200	51,014	51,288	51,407
Johnson	17,513	18,007	18,220	18,203	18,244
Knox	381,884	398,307	425,276	429,475	432,226

Counties	April 1, 2000 ¹	July 1 Estimate			April 1, 2010 ²
		2,004	2,008	2,009	
Lake	7,951	7,885	7,812	7,804	7,832
Lauderdale	27,134	27,318	27,840	27,860	27,815
Lawrence	39,910	40,596	41,272	41,487	41,869
Lewis	11,389	11,630	11,986	12,078	12,161
Lincoln	31,346	31,665	32,975	33,138	33,361
Loudon	39,086	42,679	47,342	47,940	48,556
McMinn	49,011	50,441	52,284	52,332	52,266
McNairy	24,644	24,890	25,766	25,940	26,075
Macon	20,407	21,148	22,017	22,110	22,248
Madison	91,900	94,692	97,064	97,727	98,294
Marion	27,765	27,769	28,138	28,143	28,237
Marshall	26,761	27,841	30,108	30,403	30,617
Maury	69,542	72,885	79,666	80,685	80,956
Meigs	11,052	11,218	11,606	11,753	11,753
Monroe	38,969	41,291	44,437	44,341	44,519
Montgomery	134,725	143,761	162,144	168,866	172,331
Moore	5,698	5,998	6,299	6,334	6,362
Morgan	19,754	20,759	21,734	21,832	21,987
Obion	32,470	32,346	31,971	31,791	31,807
Overton	20,124	20,791	21,756	21,988	22,083
Perry	7,608	7,595	7,794	7,851	7,915
Pickett	4,941	4,984	5,122	5,101	5,077
Polk	16,039	16,285	16,759	16,730	16,825
Putnam	62,315	65,851	70,746	71,579	72,321
Rhea	28,398	29,469	31,308	31,717	31,809
Roane	51,921	53,115	54,374	54,367	54,181
Robertson	54,430	58,618	64,780	65,791	66,283
Rutherford	182,029	211,714	252,565	259,078	262,604
Scott	21,129	21,688	22,214	22,195	22,228
Sequatchie	11,262	12,422	13,904	14,137	14,112
Sevier	71,200	78,610	87,983	89,096	89,889
Shelby	897,466	909,643	920,685	922,541	927,644
Smith	17,708	18,302	19,179	19,219	19,166
Stewart	12,369	12,644	13,199	13,253	13,324
Sullivan	153,089	152,808	156,028	156,661	156,823
Sumner	130,528	141,103	155,999	158,819	160,645
Tipton	51,309	54,581	60,128	60,866	61,081
Trousdale	7,256	7,315	7,777	7,881	7,870
Unicoi	17,666	17,936	18,291	18,367	18,313
Union	17,843	18,653	19,208	19,225	19,109
Van Buren	5,505	5,412	5,541	5,540	5,548
Warren	38,275	38,864	39,534	39,709	39,839
Washington	107,188	111,849	120,056	121,692	122,979
Wayne	16,817	17,010	17,004	17,048	17,021
Weakley	34,917	34,307	34,484	34,732	35,021
White	23,139	24,069	25,548	25,789	25,841
Williamson	126,649	147,439	175,498	180,332	183,182
Wilson	88,794	97,139	110,474	112,350	113,993

¹ The April 1, 2000 Population Estimates base reflects changes to the Census 2000 population from the Count Question Resolution program, legal boundary updates, and other geographic program revisions.

² The data source for April 1, 2010 is the 2010 Census count.

Statewide

HISTORICAL CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE

UNEMPLOYMENT RATES BY COUNTY*

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS)

MONTHLY DATA NOT SEASONALLY ADJUSTED

Year and Month	Civilian Labor Force							Unemployed Number	Rate (%)
	Total	Employment	Employed						
			Nonfarm Employment						
			Total	**Manu- facturing	**Trade	**Services			
1981	2,123.1	1,927.6	1,775.4	506.9	379.9	304.4	195.5	9.2 %	
1982	2,141.2	1,891.5	1,703.0	466.7	380.5	313.1	249.7	11.7	
1983	2,188.2	1,932.4	1,719.0	468.6	389.9	323.4	255.8	11.7	
1984	2,233.5	2,026.4	1,812.0	497.1	413.3	344.3	207.1	9.3	
1985	2,255.7	2,070.0	1,867.8	492.4	435.3	360.2	185.7	8.2	
1986	2,291.3	2,110.7	1,929.8	490.5	452.1	384.7	180.6	7.9	
1987	2,324.1	2,166.5	2,011.6	497.4	477.2	408.9	157.6	6.8	
1988	2,333.6	2,197.2	2,092.1	511.9	495.6	440.3	136.4	5.8	
1989	2,364.9	2,241.3	2,167.2	524.5	508.4	467.2	123.6	5.2	
1990	2,401.1	2,269.0	2,193.2	493.4	379.1	611.0	132.1	5.5	
1991	2,425.4	2,266.0	2,183.6	480.3	373.0	626.7	159.4	6.6	
1992	2,479.5	2,316.7	2,245.0	492.8	374.1	664.8	162.8	6.6	
1993	2,543.3	2,391.6	2,328.5	502.8	382.5	709.8	151.7	6.0	
1994	2,645.7	2,511.1	2,423.0	513.8	398.4	751.4	134.6	5.1	
1995	2,718.0	2,574.0	2,498.9	518.0	412.6	795.0	144.0	5.3	
1996	2,758.4	2,611.0	2,533.3	501.5	420.9	814.3	147.4	5.3	
1997	2,788.3	2,640.0	2,584.0	498.0	430.5	849.7	148.3	5.3	
1998	2,811.7	2,685.2	2,638.4	498.6	437.1	875.7	126.5	4.5	
1999	2,838.7	2,722.1	2,685.3	494.7	443.6	900.8	116.6	4.1	
2000	2,871.5	2,756.5	2,728.9	488.1	447.5	930.9	115.0	4.0	
2001	2,863.5	2,728.5	2,688.3	454.2	446.6	921.5	135.0	4.7	
2002	2,867.1	2,715.0	2,664.4	428.5	438.7	938.0	152.1	5.3	
2003	2,896.1	2,731.4	2,667.5	414.1	440.8	950.3	164.8	5.7	
2004	2,906.9	2,748.6	2,706.1	411.8	447.5	978.7	158.3	5.4	
2005	2,938.9	2,775.6	2,743.1	408.8	454.6	1,005.6	163.3	5.6	
2006	3,008.9	2,852.5	2,783.1	400.1	460.6	1,030.4	156.4	5.2	
2007	3,021.5	2,874.2	2,797.4	380.0	463.5	1,052.8	147.3	4.9	
2008	3,056.1	2,854.5	2,774.8	361.0	457.0	1,058.2	201.6	6.6	
2009	3,020.0	2,703.0	2,619.9	309.2	427.8	1,025.3	317.0	10.5	
2010	3,056.7	2,759.2	2,612.5	297.8	423.9	1,039.9	297.5	9.7	
2011									
January	3,053.5	2,742.7	2,581.6	293.8	418.8	1,021.9	310.8	10.2 %	
February	3,075.7	2,764.2	2,597.5	294.6	416.5	1,032.6	311.6	10.1	
March	3,092.5	2,798.8	2,613.3	296.1	419.8	1,040.5	293.7	9.5	
April	3,113.4	2,815.5	2,632.6	298.5	423.1	1,053.6	297.9	9.6	
May	3,133.8	2,837.2	2,642.1	300.6	422.9	1,060.2	296.5	9.5	
June	3,165.8	2,843.3	2,621.1	301.7	424.0	1,065.4	322.5	10.2	
July	3,143.8	2,841.8	2,619.3	302.6	422.8	1,062.6	302.0	9.6	
August (r)	3,129.8	2,829.1	2,640.1	300.8	420.0	1,069.4	300.7	9.6	
September (p)	3,130.0	2,826.2	2,658.6	302.2	419.0	1,068.0	303.8	9.7	
October									
November									
December									

(r)=revised

**These industries not comparable to industry employment data before

(p)=preliminary

1990 because of changes to NAICS coding system.

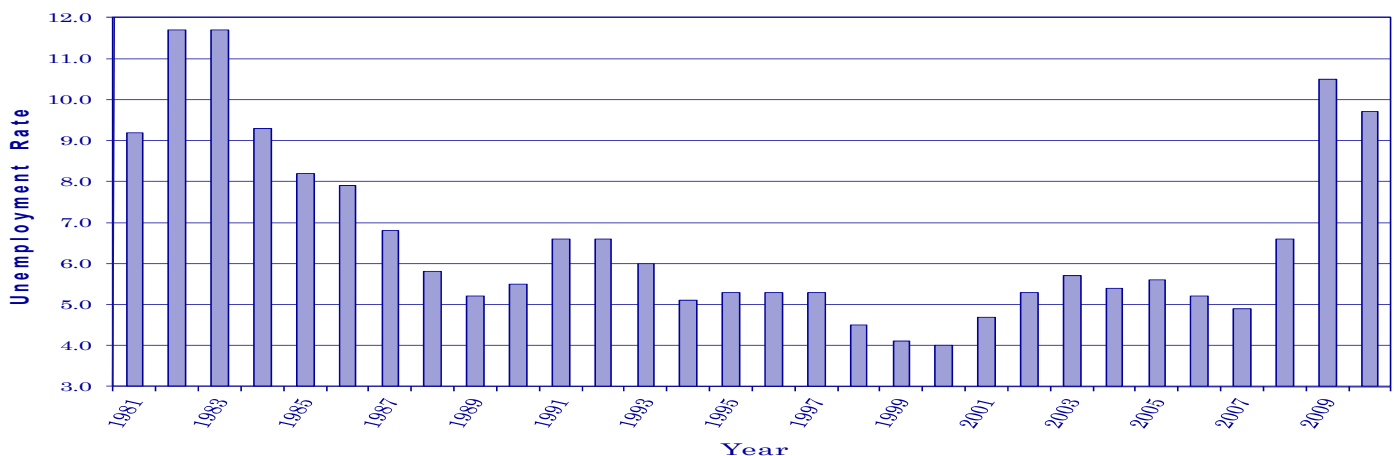
Trade = Wholesale and Retail Trade

Services = Professional/Business Services, Educational/Health Services, Leisure/Hospitality, and Other Services.

County	Sep 2010	Sep 2011	County	Sep 2010	Sep 2011
Anderson	8.1	8.8	Lauderdale	14.3	14.2
Bedford	11.0	10.6	Lawrence	13.2	12.8
Benton	11.1	11.5	Lewis	13.2	12.0
Bledsoe	11.8	11.3	Lincoln	5.7	6.6
Blount	7.1	8.0	Loudon	7.5	8.4
Bradley	8.5	9.5	Macon	8.2	9.5
Campbell	11.2	11.7	Madison	9.3	10.2
Cannon	9.5	9.0	Marion	9.8	10.7
Carroll	13.2	12.7	Marshall	15.2	13.9
Carter	9.3	9.3	Maury	13.6	12.7
Cheatham	8.3	8.8	McMinn	11.6	11.8
Chester	9.3	10.1	McNairy	11.2	10.9
Claiborne	10.0	12.2	Meigs	11.8	12.3
Clay	10.7	11.1	Monroe	12.4	13.1
Coke	11.9	13.0	Montgomery	8.7	9.7
Coffee	9.5	9.9	Moore	8.5	7.9
Crockett	11.3	11.7	Morgan	10.2	10.5
Cumberland	9.3	10.5	Obion	9.3	17.0
Davidson	8.9	8.7	Overton	9.0	10.1
Decatur	10.7	11.5	Perry	13.4	14.1
DeKalb	8.9	9.6	Pickett	12.4	13.8
Dickson	8.8	9.8	Polk	11.5	12.0
Dyer	11.6	13.7	Putnam	8.2	9.0
Fayette	10.0	11.2	Rhea	11.7	12.2
Fentress	10.9	11.2	Roane	7.3	8.5
Franklin	9.9	9.9	Robertson	7.9	8.7
Gibson	12.1	13.7	Rutherford	8.0	8.5
Giles	11.3	11.0	Scott	19.0	19.5
Grainger	10.5	12.4	Sequatchie	9.0	9.3
Greene	12.2	12.4	Sevier	8.4	9.1
Grundy	10.8	12.2	Shelby	9.8	10.8
Hamblen	10.6	11.4	Smith	8.4	9.2
Hamilton	7.7	8.6	Stewart	10.0	10.8
Hancock	14.2	13.2	Sullivan	7.6	8.1
Hardeman	11.7	13.0	Sumner	8.1	8.5
Hardin	10.5	11.0	Tipton	10.3	10.1
Hawkins	8.5	9.1	Trousdale	8.9	10.7
Haywood	13.8	13.5	Unicoi	8.3	9.3
Henderson	13.9	13.1	Union	7.9	9.5
Henry	10.9	12.0	Van Buren	11.5	11.4
Hickman	9.9	10.8	Warren	10.4	11.4
Houston	9.5	9.9	Washington	7.8	8.3
Humphreys	9.7	10.5	Wayne	11.3	12.2
Jackson	10.0	11.4	Weakley	11.9	15.2
Jefferson	10.7	10.7	White	10.9	12.0
Johnson	12.0	12.0	Williamson	6.3	6.9
Knox	7.1	7.7	Wilson	6.8	8.2
Lake	9.5	12.2			

*Data Not Seasonally Adjusted

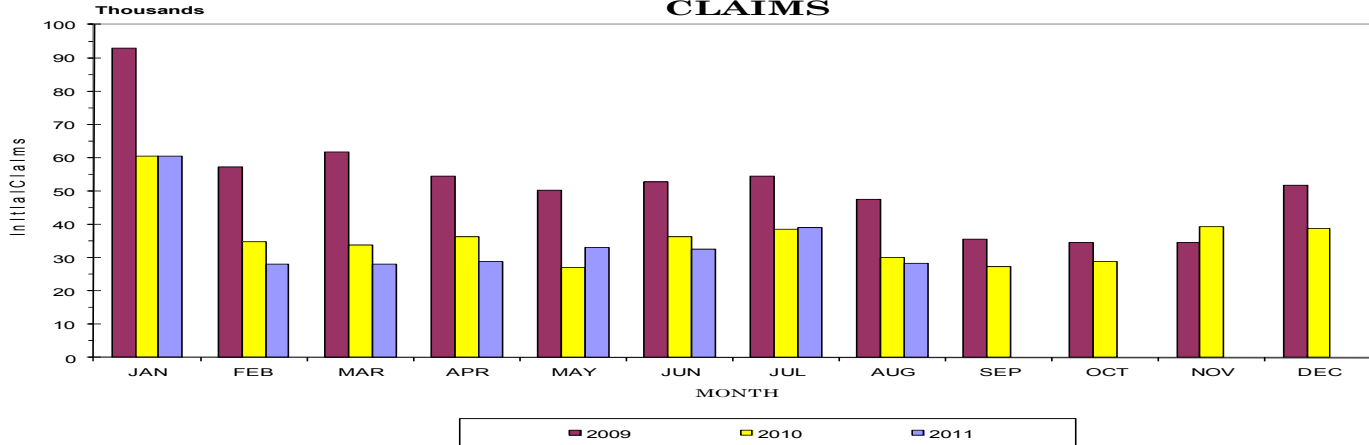
Unemployment Rates 1981-2010



Statewide

UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE ACTIVITIES (MOST RECENT AVAILABLE)

MONTHLY INITIAL CLAIMS

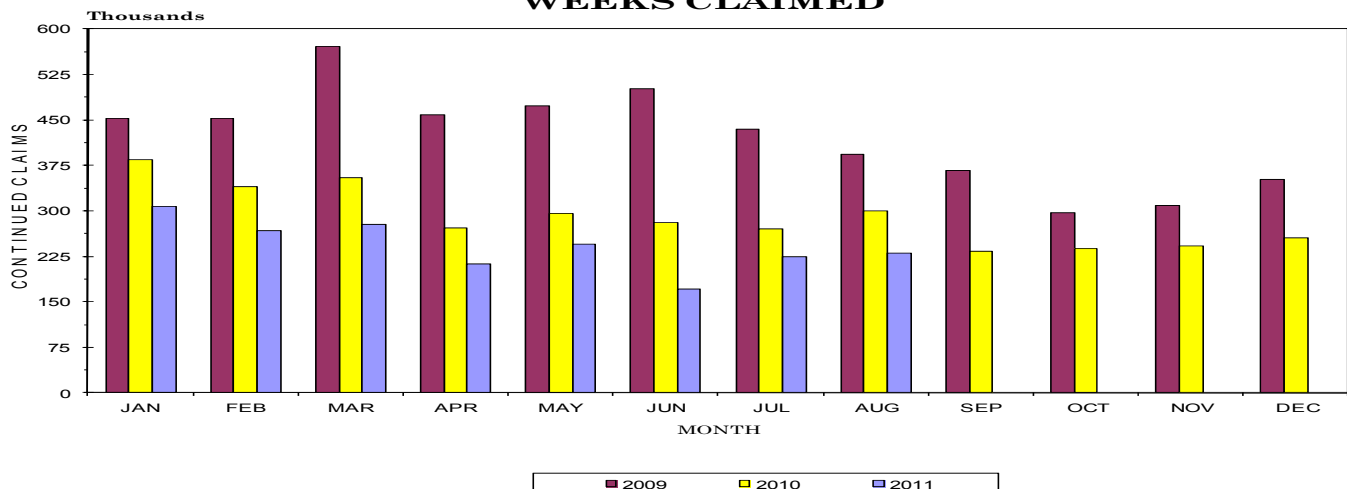


BENEFIT PROGRAMS — AUGUST 2011

STATE BENEFIT PROGRAM				FEDERAL BENEFIT PROGRAMS			
CLAIMS	Aug. 2010	July 2011	Aug. 2011	FORMER FEDERAL EMPLOYEES	Aug. 2010	July 2011	Aug. 2011
Initial Claims	29,941	39,053	28,406	Benefits Paid	\$400,349	\$368,311	\$449,528
Continued Weeks Claimed	300,515	224,590	230,026	Benefit Weeks Claimed	1,417	1,141	1,541
Nonmonetary Determinations	7,863	7,714	9,678	Initial Claims	170	157	143
Appeals Decisions	3,694	2,379	3,049	Continued Weeks Claimed	1,542	1,253	1,458
Lower Authority	2,875	1,932	2,488	Appeals Decisions	8	8	22
Higher Authority	819	447	561				
BENEFITS				FORMER MILITARY PERSONNEL			
Amount Paid	\$60,679,855	\$46,162,108	\$51,610,949	Benefits Paid	\$967,142	\$746,540	\$737,214
Benefit Weeks Paid	271,361	211,023	249,234	Benefit Weeks Claimed	2,840	2,276	2,583
Average Weekly Benefit Amount	\$226	\$230	\$235	Initial Claims	392	184	229
First Payments	12,871	17,597	13,835	Continued Weeks Claimed	3,557	2,429	2,478
Final Payments	9,599	6,951	8,164	Appeals Decisions	6	9	13
Average Weeks Duration	18	16	15				
Trust Fund Balance	\$242,471,511	\$337,878,555	\$389,318,076				

CONTINUED WEEKS CLAIMED — AUGUST 2011

MONTHLY CONTINUED WEEKS CLAIMED



Statewide

ESTIMATED NONFARM EMPLOYMENT (in thousands)

Industry	September 2010	Revised August 2011	Preliminary September 2011	Net Change	
				Sep. 2010 Sep. 2011	Aug. 2011 Sep. 2011
Total Nonfarm	2,633.3	2,640.1	2,658.6	25.3	18.5
Total Private	2,196.7	2,221.8	2,220.8	24.1	-1.0
Goods-Producing	408.9	414.9	416.3	7.4	1.4
Mining, Logging, & Construction	109.0	114.1	114.1	5.1	0.0
Manufacturing	299.9	300.8	302.2	2.3	1.4
Durable Goods Manufacturing	176.7	179.4	180.8	4.1	1.4
Wood Product Manufacturing	10.9	10.7	10.7	-0.2	0.0
Nonmetallic Mineral Product Manufacturing	11.5	10.6	10.6	-0.9	0.0
Primary Metal Manufacturing	9.0	9.1	9.2	0.2	0.1
Fabricated Metal Product Manufacturing	33.2	34.1	34.6	1.4	0.5
Machinery Manufacturing	24.6	26.4	26.5	1.9	0.1
Computer & Electronic Product Manufacturing	5.6	5.2	5.3	-0.3	0.1
Electrical Equipment & Appliance Manufacturing	17.1	16.5	16.5	-0.6	0.0
Transportation Equipment Manufacturing	40.2	43.2	43.6	3.4	0.4
Furniture & Related Product Manufacturing	9.7	9.0	9.1	-0.6	0.1
Miscellaneous Manufacturing	14.9	14.6	14.7	-0.2	0.1
Nondurable Goods Manufacturing	123.2	121.4	121.4	-1.8	0.0
Textile Mills, Products, & Apparel	11.4	10.8	10.9	-0.5	0.1
Food Manufacturing	32.2	33.0	33.0	0.8	0.0
Beverage & Tobacco Product Manufacturing	5.1	5.2	5.1	0.0	-0.1
Paper Manufacturing	16.0	15.7	15.6	-0.4	-0.1
Printing & Related Support Activities	11.5	10.8	10.8	-0.7	0.0
Chemical Manufacturing	25.4	25.1	25.1	-0.3	0.0
Plastics & Rubber Products Manufacturing	19.9	19.1	18.9	-1.0	-0.2
Plastics Product Manufacturing	10.8	11.1	11.0	0.2	-0.1
Rubber Product Manufacturing	9.1	8.0	7.9	-1.2	-0.1
Service-Providing	2,224.4	2,225.2	2,242.3	17.9	17.1
Trade, Transportation, & Utilities	555.5	554.1	553.5	-2.0	-0.6
Wholesale Trade	117.1	118.6	117.9	0.8	-0.7
Merchant Wholesalers, Durable Goods	58.3	60.4	60.5	2.2	0.1
Merchant Wholesalers, Nondurable Goods	41.8	41.6	40.9	-0.9	-0.7
Wholesale Electronic Markets	17.0	16.6	16.5	-0.5	-0.1
Retail Trade	305.5	301.4	301.1	-4.4	-0.3
Motor Vehicle & Parts Dealers	38.1	37.8	37.9	-0.2	0.1
Furniture & Home Furnishings Stores	8.2	7.6	7.7	-0.5	0.1
Building Material, Garden Equipment, & Supplies	24.8	24.6	24.4	-0.4	-0.2
Food & Beverage Stores	49.4	50.8	51.2	1.8	0.4
Health & Personal Care Stores	22.6	22.2	22.1	-0.5	-0.1
Gasoline Stations	21.4	19.8	19.9	-1.5	0.1
Clothing & Clothing Accessories Stores	24.4	24.9	25.1	0.7	0.2
Sporting Goods, Hobby, Book, & Music Stores	11.1	10.5	10.5	-0.6	0.0
General Merchandise Stores	70.3	69.8	69.4	-0.9	-0.4
Miscellaneous Store Retailers	15.7	15.1	15.1	-0.6	0.0
Nonstore Retailers	8.1	7.5	7.5	-0.6	0.0
Transportation, Warehousing, & Utilities	132.9	134.1	134.5	1.6	0.4
Utilities	3.4	3.3	3.3	-0.1	0.0
Transportation & Warehousing	129.5	130.8	131.2	1.7	0.4
Truck Transportation	54.4	53.5	53.2	-1.2	-0.3
Information	44.2	43.9	43.6	-0.6	-0.3
Financial Activities	137.4	139.5	139.4	2.0	-0.1
Finance & Insurance	105.5	107.0	106.7	1.2	-0.3
Real Estate, Rental, & Leasing	31.9	32.5	32.7	0.8	0.2
Professional & Business Services	308.0	316.1	315.9	7.9	-0.2
Professional, Scientific, & Technical Services	105.8	108.5	109.1	3.3	0.6
Management of Companies & Enterprises	27.2	28.4	28.6	1.4	0.2
Administrative, Support, & Waste Management	175.0	179.2	178.2	3.2	-1.0
Educational & Health Services	375.8	378.4	381.8	6.0	3.4
Educational Services	47.2	44.8	48.0	0.8	3.2
Health Care & Social Assistance	328.6	333.6	333.8	5.2	0.2
Ambulatory Health Care Services	126.3	128.1	127.9	1.6	-0.2
Hospitals	103.9	104.3	104.9	1.0	0.6
Nursing & Residential Care Facilities	55.9	59.4	59.3	3.4	-0.1
Social Assistance	42.5	41.8	41.7	-0.8	-0.1
Leisure & Hospitality	266.1	274.0	268.5	2.4	-5.5
Arts, Entertainment, & Recreation	31.6	33.5	31.0	-0.6	-2.5
Accommodation & Food Services	234.5	240.5	237.5	3.0	-3.0
Accommodation	30.1	32.4	30.6	0.5	-1.8
Food Services & Drinking Places	204.4	208.1	206.9	2.5	-1.2
Other Services	100.8	100.9	101.8	1.0	0.9
Government	436.6	418.3	437.8	1.2	19.5
Federal Government	50.3	49.0	49.1	-1.2	0.1
State Government	99.9	91.7	99.9	0.0	8.2
State Government Educational Services	50.9	44.8	50.2	-0.7	5.4
Local Government	286.4	277.6	288.8	2.4	11.2
Local Government Educational Services	148.5	143.0	154.9	6.4	11.9

NONFARM EMPLOYMENT AND LABOR FORCE IN TENNESSEE

Total nonfarm employment increased by 25,300 jobs from September 2010 to September 2011. This includes seasonal increases in professional/business services (up 7,900 jobs), which includes increases of 3,300 jobs in professional/scientific/technical services and 3,200 jobs in administrative/support/waste management; local government educational services (up 6,400 jobs); health care/social assistance (up 5,200 jobs), which includes increases of 3,400 jobs in nursing/residential care facilities and 1,600 jobs in ambulatory health care services; mining/logging/construction (up 5,100 jobs); transportation equipment manufacturing (up 3,400 jobs); accommodation/food services (up 3,000 jobs), which includes an increase of 2,500 jobs in food services/drinking places; durable goods wholesalers (up 2,200 jobs); financial activities (up 2,000 jobs), which includes an increase of 1,200 jobs in finance/insurance; machinery manufacturing (up 1,900 jobs); and food/beverage stores (up 1,800 jobs). This was partially offset by decreases in retail trade (down 4,400 jobs), which includes a drop of 1,500 jobs in gasoline stations; federal government (down 1,200 jobs); plastics/rubber products (down 1,000 jobs).

During September, nonfarm employment increased by 18,500 jobs. This included seasonal increases in local government educational services (up 11,900 jobs); state government (up 8,200 jobs), which includes an increase of 5,400 jobs in state government educational services; and educational services (up 3,200 jobs). This was offset by decreases in accommodation/food services (down 3,000 jobs), which includes decreases of 1,800 jobs in accommodation and 1,200 jobs in food services/drinking places; arts/entertainment/recreation (down 2,500 jobs); and administrative/support/waste services (down 1,000 jobs).

Tennessee's seasonally adjusted estimated unemployment rate for September 2011 was 9.8 percent, up 0.1 percent from the revised August 2011 rate.

The United States' unemployment rate was 9.1 percent in September 2011. In September 2010, the national unemployment rate was 9.6 percent, and the state's unemployment rate was 9.4 percent.

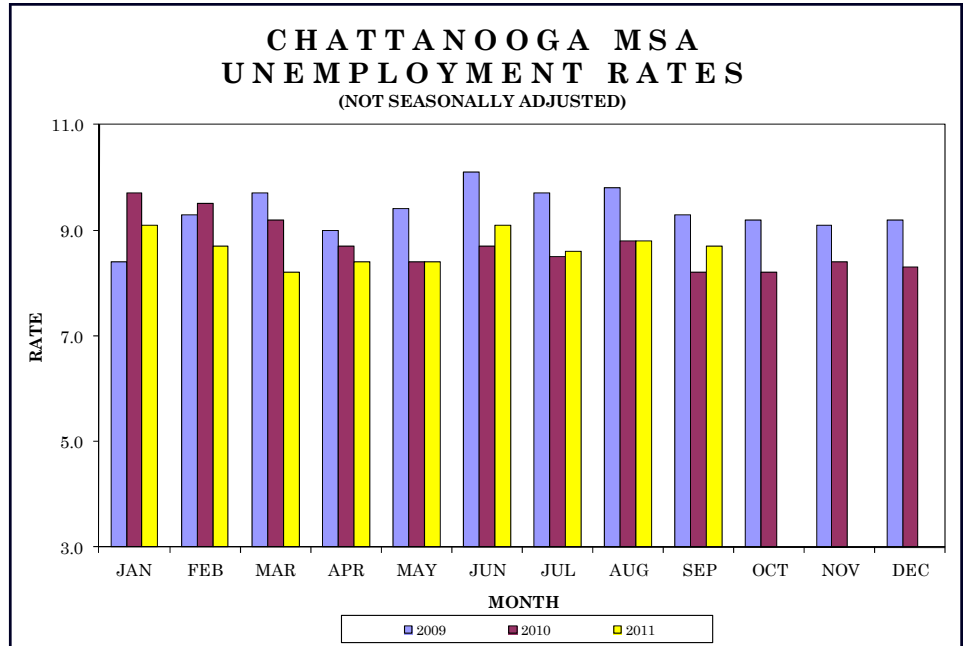
Across Tennessee, the unemployment rate increased in 51 counties, decreased in 32 counties, and remained the same in 12 counties. There were 34 counties with an unemployment rate less than 10 percent, and three counties had a rate at or above 15 percent. In September, the lowest rate occurred in Lincoln County at 6.6 percent, up 0.2 percent from the previous month. The highest rate was Scott County's 19.5 percent, down from 19.7 percent in August 2011.

Over the past 12 months, Obion County had the greatest increase in its unemployment rate (up 7.7 percent), while the largest unemployment rate decline was in Marshall County (down 1.3 percent).

The data from all the nonfarm employment estimates tables include all full- and part-time nonfarm wage and salary employees who worked during or received pay for any part of the pay period that includes the 12th of the month. This is a count of jobs by place of work. Agricultural workers, proprietors, self-employed persons, workers in private households, and unpaid family workers are excluded. These numbers may not add due to rounding. Data is based on the 2010 benchmark.

Total nonfarm employment increased by 900 jobs from August 2011 to September 2011. There were seasonal increases in state government (up 800 jobs) and local government (up 600 jobs). This was partially offset by a decline in trade/transportation/utilities (down 200 jobs).

During the past 12 months, nonfarm employment increased by 700 jobs. During that time, goods-producing jobs decreased by 500, while service-providing jobs increased by 1,200.



ESTIMATED NONFARM EMPLOYMENT (in thousands)

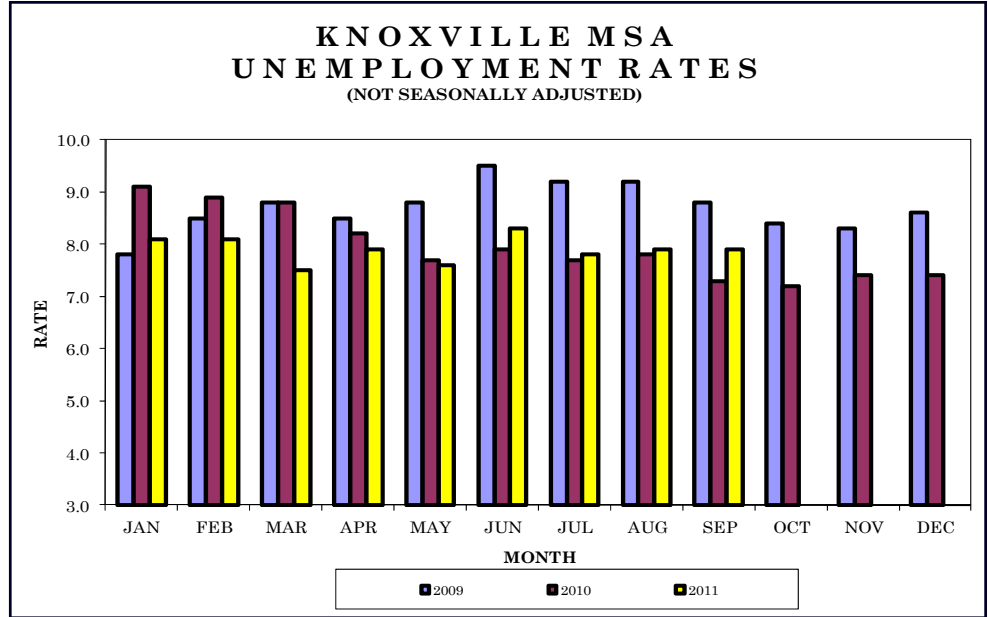
Industry	September 2010	Revised August 2011	Preliminary September 2011	Sept. 2010 Sept. 2011	Net Change Aug. 2011 Sept. 2011
Total Nonfarm	231.4	231.2	232.1	0.7	0.9
Total Private	195.2	195.7	195.2	0.0	-0.5
Goods-Producing	37.5	37.1	37.0	-0.5	-0.1
Mining, Logging, & Construction	9.1	9.1	9.0	-0.1	-0.1
Manufacturing	28.4	28.0	28.0	-0.4	0.0
Durable Goods Manufacturing	13.3	13.5	13.6	0.3	0.1
Nondurable Goods Manufacturing	15.1	14.5	14.4	-0.7	-0.1
Service-Providing	193.9	194.1	195.1	1.2	1.0
Trade, Transportation, & Utilities	49.0	49.0	48.8	-0.2	-0.2
Wholesale Trade	8.3	8.4	8.3	0.0	-0.1
Retail Trade	23.9	23.6	23.5	-0.4	-0.1
Transportation, Warehousing, & Utilities	16.8	17.0	17.0	0.2	0.0
Information	3.6	3.6	3.6	0.0	0.0
Financial Activities	17.5	17.4	17.4	-0.1	0.0
Professional & Business Services	21.6	21.6	21.5	-0.1	-0.1
Educational & Health Services	31.4	31.4	31.4	0.0	0.0
Leisure & Hospitality	23.6	24.6	24.6	1.0	0.0
Other Services	11.0	11.0	10.9	-0.1	-0.1
Government	36.2	35.5	36.9	0.7	1.4
Federal Government	6.2	6.3	6.3	0.1	0.0
State Government	6.4	5.8	6.6	0.2	0.8
Local Government	23.6	23.4	24.0	0.4	0.6



Knoxville MSA – Anderson, Blount, Knox, Loudon, Union

Total nonfarm employment increased by 300 jobs from August 2011 to September 2011. There were seasonal increases in state government (up 1,300 jobs), local government (up 600 jobs), and mining/logging/construction (up 700 jobs). This was partially offset by declines in educational/health services (down 800 jobs), leisure/hospitality (down 600 jobs), professional/business services (down 500 jobs), and durable goods manufacturing (down 300 jobs).

Over the past 12 months, nonfarm employment increased by 800 jobs. During that time, goods-producing jobs increased by 200, while service-providing jobs increased by 600.



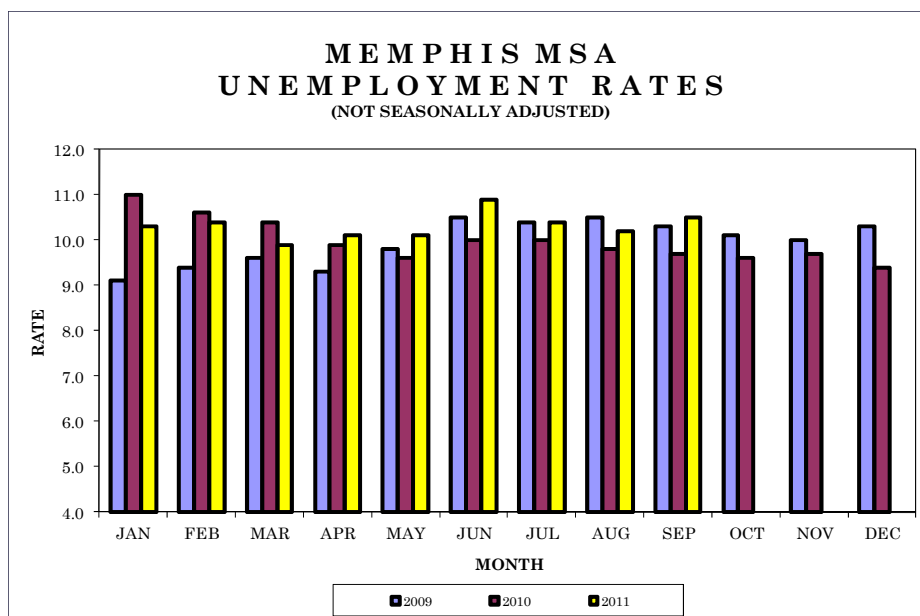
ESTIMATED NONFARM EMPLOYMENT (in thousands)

Industry	September 2010	Revised August 2011	Preliminary September 2011	Net Change Sept. 2010 Sept. 2011	Net Change Aug. 2011 Sept. 2011
Total Nonfarm	326.7	327.2	327.5	0.8	0.3
Total Private	274.6	280.1	278.5	3.9	-1.6
Goods-Producing	46.4	46.2	46.6	0.2	0.4
Mining, Logging, & Construction	16.5	17.0	17.7	1.2	0.7
Manufacturing	29.9	29.2	28.9	-1.0	-0.3
Durable Goods Manufacturing	22.2	21.9	21.6	-0.6	-0.3
Nondurable Goods Manufacturing	7.7	7.3	7.3	-0.4	0.0
Service-Providing	280.3	281.0	280.9	0.6	-0.1
Trade, Transportation, & Utilities	67.0	68.5	68.3	1.3	-0.2
Wholesale Trade	15.8	15.9	15.8	0.0	-0.1
Retail Trade	40.3	41.5	41.4	1.1	-0.1
Transportation, Warehousing, & Utilities	10.9	11.1	11.1	0.2	0.0
Information	5.4	5.3	5.4	0.0	0.1
Financial Activities	16.6	16.6	16.6	0.0	0.0
Professional & Business Services	44.8	46.9	46.4	1.6	-0.5
Educational & Health Services	44.8	47.0	46.2	1.4	-0.8
Leisure & Hospitality	35.3	35.1	34.5	-0.8	-0.6
Other Services	14.3	14.5	14.5	0.2	0.0
Government	52.1	47.1	49.0	-3.1	1.9
Federal Government	5.2	5.1	5.1	-0.1	0.0
State Government	18.0	15.4	16.7	-1.3	1.3
Local Government	28.9	26.6	27.2	-1.7	0.6



Total nonfarm employment increased by 600 jobs from August 2011 to September 2011. There were seasonal increases in state government (up 1,500 jobs), educational/health services (up 1,300 jobs), local government (up 1,000 jobs), and transportation/warehousing/utilities (up 300 jobs). This was partially offset by seasonal declines in leisure/hospitality (down 1,400 jobs); administrative/support/waste management (down 1,300 jobs); retail trade and mining/logging/construction (both down 400 jobs); and durable goods manufacturing (down 300 jobs).

During the past 12 months, nonfarm employment increased by 7,800 jobs. During that time, goods-producing jobs increased by 2,000, while service-providing jobs increased by 5,800.



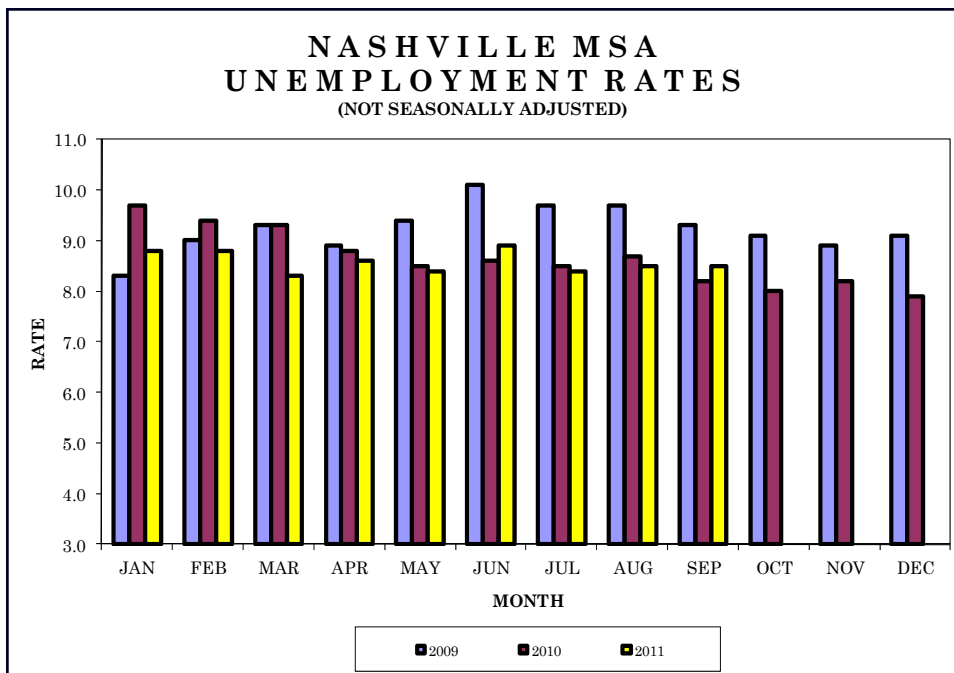
ESTIMATED NONFARM EMPLOYMENT (in thousands)

Industry	Revised		Preliminary	Net Change	
	September 2010	August 2011	September 2011	Sept. 2010	Aug. 2011
Total Nonfarm	583.7	590.9	591.5	7.8	0.6
Total Private	496.7	507.4	505.5	8.8	-1.9
Goods-Producing	64.0	66.8	66.0	2.0	-0.8
Mining, Logging, & Construction	19.6	22.3	21.9	2.3	-0.4
Manufacturing	44.4	44.5	44.1	-0.3	-0.4
Durable Goods Manufacturing	22.8	23.9	23.6	0.8	-0.3
Nondurable Goods Manufacturing	21.6	20.6	20.5	-1.1	-0.1
Service-Providing	519.7	524.1	525.5	5.8	1.4
Trade, Transportation, & Utilities	155.7	157.2	157.0	1.3	-0.2
Wholesale Trade	32.2	32.7	32.6	0.4	-0.1
Retail Trade	63.0	62.9	62.5	-0.5	-0.4
Transportation, Warehousing, & Utilities	60.5	61.6	61.9	1.4	0.3
Information	6.3	6.2	6.2	-0.1	0.0
Financial Activities	29.4	29.6	29.7	0.3	0.1
Professional & Business Services	74.9	79.1	78.1	3.2	-1.0
Professional, Scientific, & Technical Services	17.6	18.2	18.4	0.8	0.2
Management of Companies & Enterprises	5.1	5.1	5.2	0.1	0.1
Administrative, Support, & Waste Management	52.2	55.8	54.5	2.3	-1.3
Educational & Health Services	80.7	82.7	84.0	3.3	1.3
Leisure & Hospitality	61.3	61.7	60.3	-1.0	-1.4
Other Services	24.4	24.1	24.2	-0.2	0.1
Government	87.0	83.5	86.0	-1.0	2.5
Federal Government	14.3	13.6	13.6	-0.7	0.0
State Government	14.0	12.1	13.6	-0.4	1.5
Local Government	58.7	57.8	58.8	0.1	1.0



Total nonfarm employment increased by 6,600 jobs from August 2011 to September 2011. There were seasonal increases in educational/health services (up 1,800 jobs), which includes an increase of 1,000 jobs in educational services; local government (up 1,600 jobs); professional/business services (up 1,500 jobs), which includes an increase of 1,300 jobs in administrative/support/waste management; state government (up 1,300 jobs); financial activities (up 800 jobs); other services (up 500 jobs); wholesale trade (up 300 jobs); and mining/logging/construction (up 200 jobs). This was partially offset by decreases in leisure/hospitality (down 700 jobs), retail trade (down 600 jobs), and information (down 200 jobs).

During the past 12 months, nonfarm employment increased by 9,100 jobs. During that time, goods-producing jobs increased by 1,200, while service-providing jobs increased by 7,900.



ESTIMATED NONFARM EMPLOYMENT (in thousands)

Industry	September 2010	Revised	Preliminary	Net Change	
		August 2011	September 2011	Sept. 2010 Sept. 2011	Aug. 2011 Sept. 2011
Total Nonfarm	741.3	743.8	750.4	9.1	6.6
Total Private	631.4	639.3	643.1	11.7	3.8
Goods-Producing	92.8	93.7	94.0	1.2	0.3
Mining, Logging, & Construction	32.5	33.1	33.3	0.8	0.2
Manufacturing	60.3	60.6	60.7	0.4	0.1
Durable Goods Manufacturing	38.6	39.3	39.3	0.7	0.0
Nondurable Goods Manufacturing	21.7	21.3	21.4	-0.3	0.1
Service-Providing	648.5	650.1	656.4	7.9	6.3
Trade, Transportation, & Utilities	146.4	146.8	146.6	0.2	-0.2
Wholesale Trade	35.3	34.9	35.2	-0.1	0.3
Retail Trade	82.2	83.9	83.3	1.1	-0.6
Transportation, Warehousing, & Utilities	28.9	28.0	28.1	-0.8	0.1
Information	19.3	18.5	18.3	-1.0	-0.2
Financial Activities	45.9	47.3	48.1	2.2	0.8
Professional & Business Services	101.1	104.2	105.7	4.6	1.5
Professional, Scientific, & Technical Services	38.1	40.0	40.0	1.9	0.0
Management of Companies & Enterprises	10.9	11.8	12.0	1.1	0.2
Administrative, Support, & Waste Management	52.1	52.4	53.7	1.6	1.3
Educational & Health Services	120.1	119.3	121.1	1.0	1.8
Educational Services	22.4	21.2	22.2	-0.2	1.0
Health Care & Social Assistance	97.7	98.1	98.9	1.2	0.8
Leisure & Hospitality	75.9	78.6	77.9	2.0	-0.7
Other Services	29.9	30.9	31.4	1.5	0.5
Government	109.9	104.5	107.3	-2.6	2.8
Federal Government	12.6	12.1	12.0	-0.6	-0.1
State Government	29.0	28.7	30.0	1.0	1.3
Local Government	68.3	63.7	65.3	-3.0	1.6

Nonfarm Employment (Smaller MSAs)

	Clarksville, TN-KY MSA		Cleveland, TN MSA		Jackson, TN MSA	
	August 2011 Revised	Sept. 2011 Prelim.	August 2011 Revised	Sept. 2011 Prelim.	August 2011 Revised	Sept. 2011 Prelim.
Total Nonfarm	83,500	84,100	38,800	39,100	57,000	57,300
Total Private	63,800	63,400	33,400	33,600	45,500	45,200
Goods-Producing	13,500	13,500	9,300	9,300	11,600	11,600
Mining, Logging, & Construction	3,400	3,400	1,300	1,300	2,700	2,700
Manufacturing	10,100	10,100	8,000	8,000	8,900	8,900
Service-Providing	70,000	70,600	29,500	29,800	45,400	45,700
Trade, Transportation, & Utilities	15,100	15,000	6,300	6,400	11,400	11,200
Wholesale Trade	2,200	2,200	800	800	2,800	2,700
Retail Trade	10,700	10,600	4,400	4,500	7,000	6,900
Transportation, Warehousing, & Utilities	2,200	2,200	1,100	1,100	1,600	1,600
Information	900	900	300	300	500	500
Financial Activities	2,700	2,700	1,500	1,500	1,600	1,600
Professional & Business Services	8,300	8,300	3,400	3,400	4,300	4,300
Educational & Health Services	10,600	10,600	5,900	6,100	8,600	8,700
Leisure & Hospitality	9,400	9,100	4,400	4,300	5,600	5,400
Other Services	3,300	3,300	2,300	2,300	1,900	1,900
Government	19,700	20,700	5,400	5,500	11,500	12,100
Federal Government	6,900	6,900	300	300	500	500
State Government	2,900	3,300	600	600	1,700	1,900
Local Government	9,900	10,500	4,500	4,600	9,300	9,700

	Johnson City, TN MSA		Kingsport/Bristol, TN-VA MSA		Morristown, TN MSA	
	August 2011 Revised	Sept. 2011 Prelim.	August 2011 Revised	Sept. 2011 Prelim.	August 2011 Revised	Sept. 2011 Prelim.
Total Nonfarm	77,200	78,300	118,000	118,700	44,200	44,800
Total Private	62,000	61,800	102,600	102,600	38,000	38,400
Goods-Producing	10,000	10,000	27,800	27,900	12,300	12,300
Mining, Logging, & Construction	2,400	2,400	7,000	7,000	2,100	2,100
Manufacturing	7,600	7,600	20,800	20,900	10,200	10,200
Service-Providing	67,200	68,300	90,200	90,800	31,900	32,500
Trade, Transportation, & Utilities	12,800	12,700	23,900	24,000	10,200	10,300
Wholesale Trade	2,200	2,200	5,100	5,100	1,900	1,900
Retail Trade	9,400	9,300	14,600	14,700	5,800	5,900
Transportation, Warehousing, & Utilities	1,200	1,200	4,200	4,200	2,500	2,500
Information	1,900	1,900	2,300	2,300	400	500
Financial Activities	4,300	4,300	4,500	4,500	1,200	1,200
Professional & Business Services	8,500	8,500	8,700	8,700	3,300	3,400
Educational & Health Services	13,500	13,600	19,000	19,100	5,400	5,500
Leisure & Hospitality	8,400	8,200	12,200	11,900	3,300	3,300
Other Services	2,600	2,600	4,200	4,200	1,900	1,900
Government	15,200	16,500	15,400	16,100	6,200	6,400
Federal Government	2,500	2,500	1,100	1,100	300	300
State Government	5,900	7,000	2,300	2,400	1,200	1,100
Local Government	6,800	7,000	12,000	12,600	4,700	5,000

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

U.S. Consumer Price Index — September 2011

Group	All Urban Consumers			Wage & Clerical Earners		
	Index	Percent Change		Index	Percent Change	
		Yearly	Monthly		Yearly	Monthly
U.S. City Average						
All Items (1982-84=100)	226.889	3.9	0.2	223.688	4.4	0.2
Food and beverages	230.448	4.5	0.4	229.965	4.6	0.4
Housing	220.540	1.8	0.0	217.371	1.9	0.1
Apparel	125.272	3.5	3.1	124.716	4.0	3.4
Transportation	215.198	11.8	-0.4	216.474	13.0	-0.5
Medical care	401.605	2.8	0.2	403.433	2.9	0.2
South						
All Items (1982-84=100)	220.371	4.1	0.0	218.787	4.6	-0.1
Food and beverages	228.473	4.3	0.3	227.557	4.5	0.3
Housing	205.067	1.7	0.0	205.064	1.9	0.0
Apparel	133.593	2.0	1.6	133.805	1.9	2.2
Transportation	214.303	13.4	-1.1	214.460	14.7	-1.2
Medical care	381.856	2.5	0.2	386.991	2.7	0.1

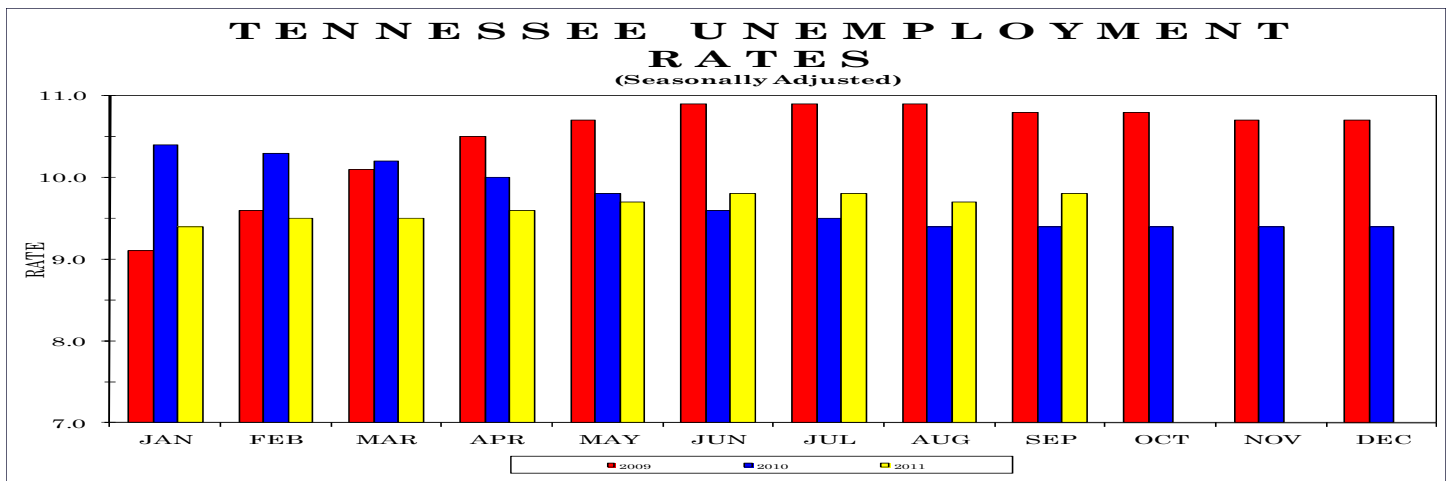
HOURS AND EARNINGS OF PRODUCTION WORKERS

	AVERAGE WEEKLY EARNINGS			AVG. HOURLY EARNINGS			AVERAGE WEEKLY HOURS		
	Sept. 2010	Aug. 2011	Sept. 2011	Sept. 2010	Aug. 2011	Sept. 2011	Sept. 2010	Aug. 2011	Sept. 2011
Manufacturing	\$623.70	\$694.07	\$694.54	\$15.75	\$16.97	\$16.94	39.6	40.9	41.0
Durable Goods	\$649.49	\$751.30	\$746.44	\$16.36	\$18.06	\$18.03	39.7	41.6	41.4
Non-Durable Goods	\$590.13	\$614.06	\$618.20	\$14.94	\$15.39	\$15.34	39.5	39.9	40.3

**ALL EMPLOYEE HOURS AND EARNINGS

	AVERAGE WEEKLY EARNINGS			AVG. HOURLY EARNINGS			AVERAGE WEEKLY HOURS		
	August 2010	July 2011	August 2011	Aug. 2010	July 2011	Aug. 2011	Aug. 2010	July 2011	Aug. 2011
Total Private	\$714.14	\$705.86	\$707.77	\$20.06	\$20.11	\$20.05	35.6	35.1	35.3
Goods-Producing	\$898.22	\$851.94	\$871.02	\$21.54	\$21.14	\$21.09	41.7	40.3	41.3
Mining, Logging, and Construction	\$769.62	\$801.79	\$808.00	\$19.99	\$20.35	\$20.20	38.5	39.4	40.0
Manufacturing	\$943.31	\$870.06	\$894.94	\$22.04	\$21.43	\$21.41	42.8	40.6	41.8
Private Service-Providing	\$672.03	\$672.24	\$671.84	\$19.65	\$19.83	\$19.76	34.2	33.9	34.0
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	\$669.66	\$658.60	\$653.31	\$18.55	\$18.50	\$18.30	36.1	35.6	35.7
Information	\$898.93	\$890.20	\$871.13	\$24.10	\$23.93	\$23.23	37.3	37.2	37.5
Financial Activities	\$874.29	\$862.35	\$873.71	\$22.65	\$23.37	\$23.55	38.6	36.9	37.1
Professional and Business Services	\$849.81	\$869.86	\$867.12	\$23.03	\$24.23	\$24.02	36.9	35.9	36.1
Education and Health Services	\$725.12	\$741.41	\$728.38	\$22.04	\$21.49	\$21.36	32.9	34.5	34.1
Leisure and Hospitality	\$311.06	\$301.98	\$307.45	\$11.65	\$11.57	\$11.69	26.7	26.1	26.3
Other Services	\$547.14	\$552.42	\$560.15	\$16.53	\$17.05	\$17.45	33.1	32.4	32.1

** Data reflects a one-month lag.





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