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Florida's April Employment Figures Released

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TALLAHASSEE – Florida's seasonally adjusted unemployment rate for April 2009 is 9.6 percent. This represents 885,000 jobless out of a labor force of 9,239,000. The unemployment rate is 0.2 percentage point lower than the revised March rate of 9.8 percent and is up 4.0 percentage points from the April 2008 rate. The state's current unemployment rate is 0.7 percentage points higher than the national unemployment rate of 8.9 percent.

Last month's revised unemployment rate of 9.8 percent was the highest rate recorded under the current methodology since 1976. When comparing all time periods, the last time the unemployment rate was higher than March 2009 was December 1975 when it was 10.0 percent (calculated under a different methodology used prior to 1976).

Florida's total nonagricultural employment in April 2009 is 7,451,000, representing a job loss of 380,300, or -4.9 percent compared to April 2008. This is steeper than the national over-the-year rate of decline for April which is -3.8 percent. The April 2009 job loss continues the trend of over-the-year declines that began in August 2007. The downturn started with declines in construction jobs, but has now spread to almost all other major industries.

"Under the leadership of Governor Charlie Crist, the Agency is working diligently to assist Floridians in need," said Agency Interim Director Cynthia Lorenzo. "In addition to the Agency's wide variety of critical programs and services, we are currently administering \$1.4 billion in federal stimulus funds through Florida's unemployment compensation and workforce programs. These benefits and services are having a tremendous impact on millions of Floridians and on our economy."

According to the Washington, D.C. - based Economic Policy Institute, each dollar in unemployment compensation benefits paid by the state results in an estimated \$1.64 in positive economic benefits to residents and businesses, which helps to sustain jobs and restore consumer confidence. The \$1.4 billion in stimulus funds currently being infused into the state's unemployment compensation and workforce systems includes the following:

- An additional \$25 weekly in Federal Additional Compensation since March 19, 2009 - to date, more than \$108.5 million in Federal Additional Compensation has been paid to nearly 569,000 Floridians. It is estimated that \$345 million will be paid out by July 2010.
- Nearly \$1 billion in additional federal Emergency Unemployment Compensation (EUC) benefits – eligible claimants began qualifying last month under the new provisions of the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act. So far, more than \$37.5 million has been distributed to nearly 80,000 claimants.
- \$165 million in workforce services – these funds are being used to meet the needs of local communities for enhanced job placement and job training services, including summer youth programs, adult employment programs that match job seekers with businesses and additional services at One-Stop Career Centers.

For more information about Florida's use of federal dollars made available through the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009, please visit www.FlaRecovery.com.

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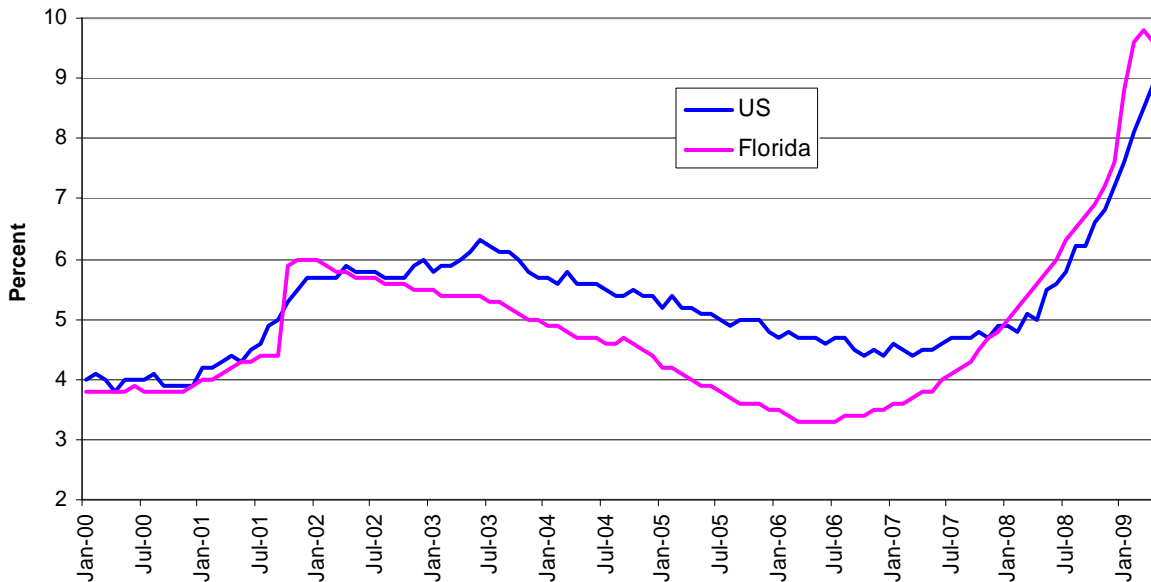
Governor Crist regularly highlights the Employ Florida Marketplace (EFM), Florida's virtual job-matching web site at www.EmployFlorida.com, for Floridians seeking employment or to grow their careers. Employers can post job openings and job seekers can post resumes at no cost. The EFM provides 24/7 access to a wide variety of local, state and national job openings. The Employ Florida Marketplace currently lists more than 120,000 job opportunities in Florida.

Florida's workforce system provides critical programs and services to job seekers and businesses alike. Such services offered throughout the state include:

- **One-Stop Career Centers** – Florida's nearly 90 One-Stop Career Centers, locally operated by Regional Workforce Boards, provide local access to job placement services, local workforce information and job training opportunities. Follow this link for a [Map of Florida One-Stop Career Centers](http://www.floridajobs.org/onestop/onestopdir/index.htm). (<http://www.floridajobs.org/onestop/onestopdir/index.htm>)
- **Mobile One-Stop Career Centers** – Florida's Mobile One-Stop Career Centers allow citizens in rural areas, at job fairs and during emergency situations to access critical workforce information and services.
- **Labor Market Information** – The Agency for Workforce Innovation's Labor Market Statistics Center produces data such as employment, unemployment and wage information that assist workforce/economic development, education, employers and job seekers. These statistics assist with economic analysis, business recruitment, career counseling and other critical business decision-making. Follow this link for information about the Agency's [Labor Market Statistics Center](http://www.labormarketinfo.com/). ([http://www.labormarketinfo.com/.](http://www.labormarketinfo.com/))
- **Work Opportunity Tax Credit** – The Work Opportunity Tax Credit offers a financial incentive to private, for-profit employers to hire individuals from certain targeted groups who experience high rates of unemployment due to a variety of employment barriers. Follow this link for information about the [Work Opportunity Tax Credit](http://www.floridajobs.org/workforce/wotc.html). (<http://www.floridajobs.org/workforce/wotc.html>)

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

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.

Florida's Nonagricultural Employment by Industry (Seasonally Adjusted)

- The number of jobs in Florida is down 380,300 in April 2009 compared to a year ago. Construction, reacting to continued weakness in the housing market, is losing 105,200 jobs over the year (-19.8 percent). Construction losses account for over 26 percent of total job losses in the state. This month, construction regained its position as the leader in job losses out of all major industries.
- Trade, transportation, and utilities (-79,700 jobs, -5.0 percent); professional and business services (-77,900 jobs, -6.7 percent); leisure and hospitality (-40,700 jobs, -4.3 percent); manufacturing (-39,400 jobs, -10.4 percent); financial activities (-22,600 jobs, -4.3 percent); other services (-13,400 jobs, -3.9 percent); information (-9,700 jobs, -6.1 percent); and total government (-8,500 jobs, -0.8 percent) also have over-the-year declines.
- These industry job losses are partially due to weakness in specialty trade contractors; motor vehicle and parts dealers; employment services; food services and drinking places; fabricated metal product manufacturing; credit intermediation; repair and maintenance; publishing; and local government.
- Education and health services (+17,000 jobs, +1.6 percent) is the only sector gaining jobs among Florida's major industries. Much of the increase in education and health services is due to growth in nursing and residential care facilities.

Local Area Unemployment Statistics (Not Seasonally Adjusted)

- In April 2009, Liberty County has the state's lowest unemployment rate (4.6 percent), followed by Alachua County (5.6 percent); Leon and Monroe counties (5.8 percent each); Franklin County (6.1 percent); and Lafayette County (6.2 percent).
- Flagler County, at 14.4 percent, has the highest unemployment rate in Florida in April, followed by St. Lucie County (12.7 percent); Hernando County (12.2 percent); Indian River and Lee counties (11.9 percent each); and Marion County (11.7 percent). Flagler County had the highest unemployment rate in the state for the fifth consecutive month. The area's high jobless rate is mainly due to manufacturing layoffs and continued weakness in the housing market. There were 24 Florida counties with double-digit unemployment rates in April 2009, down from 29 in March 2009.

Area Nonagricultural Employment by Industry (Not Seasonally Adjusted)

- All metro areas in the state lost jobs over the year in April 2009. Metro areas with the largest annual declines include Miami-Ft. Lauderdale-Pompano Beach (-97,700 jobs, -4.1 percent); Orlando-Kissimmee (-54,600 jobs, -5.0 percent); and Tampa-St. Petersburg-Clearwater (-53,400 jobs, -4.3 percent). Cape Coral-Ft. Myers MSA has the highest rate of job loss at -8.8 percent over the year.
- Ft. Walton Beach-Crestview-Destin MSA (-1,800 jobs, -2.2 percent) has the smallest annual decline. Gainesville MSA has the smallest rate of job decline, at -1.8 percent over the year.

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 state's 24 Regional Workforce Boards that deliver services through nearly 90 One-Stop Career Centers around the state, they compose the Employ Florida network.

The next Florida Employment and Unemployment release will be on June 19, 2009 at 10:00 A.M.

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LABOR FORCE STATUS OF THE CIVILIAN NONINSTITUTIONAL POPULATION
RELEASE DATE: MAY 22, 2009

SEASONALLY ADJUSTED

	Current Month April 2009	Month Ago March 2009	Year Ago April 2008	Over-the-Month Change		Over-the-Year Change	
				Level	Percent	Level	Percent
				STATE OF FLORIDA			
Civilian Noninstitutional Population 16+	14,539,000	14,532,000	14,426,000	7,000	**	113,000	0.8
Civilian Labor Force	9,239,000	9,218,000	9,169,000	21,000	0.2	70,000	0.8
Employment	8,354,000	8,317,000	8,655,000	37,000	0.4	-301,000	-3.5
Unemployment	885,000	901,000	514,000	-16,000	-1.8	371,000	72.2
Unemployment Rate (%)	9.6	9.8	5.6	-0.2	--	4.0	--

UNITED STATES

Civilian Noninstitutional Population 16+	235,271,000	235,086,000	233,198,000	185,000	0.1	2,073,000	0.9
Civilian Labor Force	154,731,000	154,048,000	153,932,000	683,000	0.4	799,000	0.5
Employment	141,007,000	140,887,000	146,257,000	120,000	0.1	-5,250,000	-3.6
Unemployment	13,724,000	13,161,000	7,675,000	563,000	4.3	6,049,000	78.8
Unemployment Rate (%)	8.9	8.5	5.0	0.4	--	3.9	--

NOT SEASONALLY ADJUSTED

	Current Month April 2009	Month Ago March 2009	Year Ago April 2008	Over-the-Month Change		Over-the-Year Change	
				Level	Percent	Level	Percent
				STATE OF FLORIDA			
Civilian Noninstitutional Population 16+	14,539,000	14,532,000	14,426,000	7,000	**	113,000	0.8
Civilian Labor Force	9,187,000	9,183,000	9,158,000	4,000	**	29,000	0.3
Employment	8,331,000	8,301,000	8,709,000	30,000	0.4	-378,000	-4.3
Unemployment	857,000	882,000	449,000	-25,000	-2.8	408,000	90.9
Unemployment Rate (%)	9.3	9.6	4.9	-0.3	--	4.4	--

UNITED STATES

Civilian Noninstitutional Population 16+	235,271,000	235,086,000	233,198,000	185,000	0.1	2,073,000	0.9
Civilian Labor Force	153,834,000	153,728,000	153,208,000	106,000	0.1	626,000	0.4
Employment	140,586,000	139,833,000	145,921,000	753,000	0.5	-5,335,000	-3.7
Unemployment	13,248,000	13,895,000	7,287,000	-647,000	-4.7	5,961,000	81.8
Unemployment Rate (%)	8.6	9.0	4.8	-0.4	--	3.8	--

** = Less than 0.05%

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)

	April ^P 2009	March ^r 2009	April 2008	Over-the-Month Change		Over-the-Year Change	
				Level	Percent	Level	Percent
Total Nonagricultural Employment	7,451.0	7,449.7	7,831.3	1.3	*	-380.3	-4.9
Construction	426.6	432.6	531.8	-6.0	-1.4	-105.2	-19.8
Manufacturing	339.1	343.3	378.5	-4.2	-1.2	-39.4	-10.4
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	1,518.9	1,522.1	1,598.6	-3.2	-0.2	-79.7	-5.0
Wholesale Trade	339.5	339.3	349.1	0.2	0.1	-9.6	-2.7
Retail Trade	944.0	946.5	1,001.0	-2.5	-0.3	-57.0	-5.7
Transportation, Warehousing, and Utilities	235.4	236.3	248.5	-0.9	-0.4	-13.1	-5.3
Information	148.4	146.0	158.1	2.4	1.6	-9.7	-6.1
Financial Activities	506.7	511.8	529.3	-5.1	-1.0	-22.6	-4.3
Finance and Insurance	337.7	339.2	356.7	-1.5	-0.4	-19.0	-5.3
Real Estate, Rental, and Leasing	169.0	172.6	172.6	-3.6	-2.1	-3.6	-2.1
Professional and Business Services	1,081.9	1,061.2	1,159.8	20.7	2.0	-77.9	-6.7
Professional and Technical Services	437.8	440.6	456.6	-2.8	-0.6	-18.8	-4.1
Management of Companies and Enterprises	80.9	80.3	82.1	0.6	0.7	-1.2	-1.5
Administrative and Waste Services	563.2	540.3	621.1	22.9	4.2	-57.9	-9.3
Education and Health Services	1,059.2	1,063.1	1,042.2	-3.9	-0.4	17.0	1.6
Educational Services	136.5	139.8	136.5	-3.3	-2.4	0.0	0.0
Health Care and Social Assistance	922.7	923.3	905.7	-0.6	-0.1	17.0	1.9
Leisure and Hospitality	914.0	915.2	954.7	-1.2	-0.1	-40.7	-4.3
Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation	176.7	176.8	186.2	-0.1	-0.1	-9.5	-5.1
Accommodation and Food Services	737.3	738.4	768.5	-1.1	-0.1	-31.2	-4.1
Other Services	330.4	328.4	343.8	2.0	0.6	-13.4	-3.9
Total Government	1,119.6	1,119.8	1,128.1	-0.2	*	-8.5	-0.8
Local Government	776.5	778.7	784.1	-2.2	-0.3	-7.6	-1.0

^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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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)**

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Industry Title	April 2009	March 2009	April 2008	Change from			
				Mar 2009 to Level	Apr 2009 Percent	Apr 2008 to Level	Apr 2009 Percent
Total Nonagricultural Employment	7,496,400	7,501,800	7,875,900	-5,400	-0.1%	-379,500	-4.8%
Total Private	6,355,900	6,359,500	6,729,400	-3,600	-0.1%	-373,500	-5.6%
Goods Producing	770,200	779,500	911,800	-9,300	-1.2%	-141,600	-15.5%
Mining and Logging	6,200	6,200	6,400	0	0.0%	-200	-3.1%
Mining, except Oil and Gas	3,700	3,700	4,000	0	0.0%	-300	-7.5%
Construction	425,300	430,000	526,900	-4,700	-1.1%	-101,600	-19.3%
Construction of Buildings	91,600	90,100	108,000	1,500	1.7%	-16,400	-15.2%
Heavy and Civil Engineering Construction	57,900	58,100	69,700	-200	-0.3%	-11,800	-16.9%
Specialty Trade Contractors	275,800	281,800	349,200	-6,000	-2.1%	-73,400	-21.0%
Building Equipment Contractors	119,800	122,800	146,900	-3,000	-2.4%	-27,100	-18.5%
Manufacturing	338,700	343,300	378,500	-4,600	-1.3%	-39,800	-10.5%
Durable Goods	228,800	232,600	254,000	-3,800	-1.6%	-25,200	-9.9%
Fabricated Metal Product Manufacturing	33,200	34,000	38,400	-800	-2.4%	-5,200	-13.5%
Computer and Electronic Product Manufacturing	46,500	47,100	48,300	-600	-1.3%	-1,800	-3.7%
Communications Equipment Manufacturing	8,100	8,000	8,500	100	1.3%	-400	-4.7%
Transportation Equipment Manufacturing	40,600	40,700	43,500	-100	-0.3%	-2,900	-6.7%
Aerospace Product and Parts Manufacturing	20,000	20,000	19,900	0	0.0%	100	0.5%
Miscellaneous Durable Goods Manufacturing	29,600	29,700	30,400	-100	-0.3%	-800	-2.6%
Nondurable Goods	109,900	110,700	124,500	-800	-0.7%	-14,600	-11.7%
Food Manufacturing	27,700	27,800	30,300	-100	-0.4%	-2,600	-8.6%
Beverage and Tobacco Product Manufacturing	10,800	10,800	10,900	0	0.0%	-100	-0.9%
Paper Manufacturing	9,500	9,600	10,000	-100	-1.0%	-500	-5.0%
Printing and Related Support Activities	18,900	18,900	22,900	0	0.0%	-4,000	-17.5%
Chemical Manufacturing	19,600	19,700	21,000	-100	-0.5%	-1,400	-6.7%

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).

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Industry Title	April 2009	March 2009	April 2008	Change from			
				Mar 2009 to Level	Apr 2009 Percent	Apr 2008 to Level	Apr 2009 Percent
Service Providing	6,726,200	6,722,300	6,964,100	3,900	0.1%	-237,900	-3.4%
Private Service Providing	5,585,700	5,580,000	5,817,600	5,700	0.1%	-231,900	-4.0%
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	1,515,500	1,520,300	1,593,500	-4,800	-0.3%	-78,000	-4.9%
Wholesale Trade	339,800	338,900	349,400	900	0.3%	-9,600	-2.8%
Merchant Wholesalers, Durable Goods	174,600	174,300	182,300	300	0.2%	-7,700	-4.2%
Commercial Equipment Wholesalers	47,700	47,800	47,600	-100	-0.2%	100	0.2%
Electronic Goods Wholesalers	23,100	23,100	23,700	0	0.0%	-600	-2.5%
Machinery and Supply Wholesalers	31,400	31,500	33,400	-100	-0.3%	-2,000	-6.0%
Merchant Wholesalers, Nondurable Goods	120,600	120,200	123,000	400	0.3%	-2,400	-2.0%
Grocery and Related Product Wholesalers	44,200	44,100	46,500	100	0.2%	-2,300	-5.0%
Wholesale Electronic Markets and Agents	44,600	44,400	44,100	200	0.5%	500	1.1%
Retail Trade	940,400	945,900	995,300	-5,500	-0.6%	-54,900	-5.5%
Motor Vehicle and Parts Dealers	113,400	114,800	130,800	-1,400	-1.2%	-17,400	-13.3%
Automobile Dealers	71,900	72,800	84,300	-900	-1.2%	-12,400	-14.7%
Furniture and Home Furnishings Stores	35,700	36,400	40,300	-700	-1.9%	-4,600	-11.4%
Electronics and Appliance Stores	34,300	34,900	36,300	-600	-1.7%	-2,000	-5.5%
Building Material and Garden Supply Stores	72,300	72,200	79,400	100	0.1%	-7,100	-8.9%
Food and Beverage Stores	190,100	190,500	195,400	-400	-0.2%	-5,300	-2.7%
Health and Personal Care Stores	69,900	69,900	71,300	0	0.0%	-1,400	-2.0%
Gasoline Stations	36,100	36,500	38,200	-400	-1.1%	-2,100	-5.5%
Clothing and Accessory Stores	103,100	103,100	106,900	0	0.0%	-3,800	-3.6%
Sporting Goods, Hobby, Book, and Music Stores	32,700	32,800	34,300	-100	-0.3%	-1,600	-4.7%
General Merchandise Stores	181,900	184,100	186,800	-2,200	-1.2%	-4,900	-2.6%
Department Stores	78,000	78,300	83,200	-300	-0.4%	-5,200	-6.3%
Other General Merchandise Stores	103,900	105,800	103,600	-1,900	-1.8%	300	0.3%
Miscellaneous Store Retailers	48,600	48,400	52,400	200	0.4%	-3,800	-7.3%
Nonstore Retailers	22,300	22,300	23,200	0	0.0%	-900	-3.9%
Electronic Shopping and Mail-Order Houses	14,700	14,700	14,700	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Transportation, Warehousing, and Utilities	235,300	235,500	248,800	-200	-0.1%	-13,500	-5.4%
Utilities	23,600	23,900	23,800	-300	-1.3%	-200	-0.8%

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Industry Title	April 2009	March 2009	April 2008	Change from			
				Mar 2009 to Apr 2009 Level	Percent	Apr 2008 to Apr 2009 Level	Percent
Transportation and Warehousing	211,700	211,600	225,000	100	0.1%	-13,300	-5.9%
Air Transportation	30,600	30,500	32,000	100	0.3%	-1,400	-4.4%
Water Transportation	12,000	11,900	12,600	100	0.8%	-600	-4.8%
Truck Transportation	42,300	42,700	47,400	-400	-0.9%	-5,100	-10.8%
Support Activities for Transportation	46,000	46,200	49,700	-200	-0.4%	-3,700	-7.4%
Couriers and Messengers	28,900	29,400	30,500	-500	-1.7%	-1,600	-5.3%
Warehousing and Storage	28,200	28,200	28,800	0	0.0%	-600	-2.1%
Information	148,100	146,200	157,800	1,900	1.3%	-9,700	-6.2%
Publishing Industries, except Internet	37,400	37,000	41,400	400	1.1%	-4,000	-9.7%
Broadcasting, except Internet	13,600	13,800	15,700	-200	-1.5%	-2,100	-13.4%
Telecommunications	62,300	62,700	65,600	-400	-0.6%	-3,300	-5.0%
Wired Telecommunications Carriers	45,100	45,200	48,400	-100	-0.2%	-3,300	-6.8%
Internet Service Providers and Data Processing	16,200	16,500	17,500	-300	-1.8%	-1,300	-7.4%
Financial Activities	507,300	510,700	529,100	-3,400	-0.7%	-21,800	-4.1%
Finance and Insurance	337,800	338,800	356,300	-1,000	-0.3%	-18,500	-5.2%
Credit Intermediation and Related Activities	161,300	161,200	174,400	100	0.1%	-13,100	-7.5%
Depository Credit Intermediation	100,300	100,800	105,400	-500	-0.5%	-5,100	-4.8%
Insurance Carriers and Related Activities	132,100	132,500	135,800	-400	-0.3%	-3,700	-2.7%
Insurance Carriers	73,300	73,600	73,500	-300	-0.4%	-200	-0.3%
Insurance Agencies, Brokerages, and Related	58,800	58,900	62,300	-100	-0.2%	-3,500	-5.6%
Real Estate, Rental, and Leasing	169,500	171,900	172,800	-2,400	-1.4%	-3,300	-1.9%
Real Estate	124,700	126,600	125,800	-1,900	-1.5%	-1,100	-0.9%
Professional and Business Services	1,084,300	1,066,600	1,166,200	17,700	1.7%	-81,900	-7.0%
Professional and Technical Services	440,600	442,800	461,400	-2,200	-0.5%	-20,800	-4.5%
Legal Services	87,800	88,000	89,800	-200	-0.2%	-2,000	-2.2%
Accounting, Tax Preparation, and Bookkeeping	56,500	57,000	63,700	-500	-0.9%	-7,200	-11.3%
Architectural, Engineering, and Related	73,000	73,500	87,100	-500	-0.7%	-14,100	-16.2%
Computer Systems Design and Related	63,500	63,000	62,400	500	0.8%	1,100	1.8%
Management, Scientific, and Technical	72,800	73,300	68,700	-500	-0.7%	4,100	6.0%
Management of Companies and Enterprises	80,500	80,000	81,800	500	0.6%	-1,300	-1.6%

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
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Industry Title	April 2009	March 2009	April 2008	Change from			
				Mar 2009 to Apr 2009 Level	Mar 2009 to Apr 2009 Percent	Apr 2008 to Apr 2009 Level	Apr 2008 to Apr 2009 Percent
Administrative and Waste Services	563,200	543,800	623,000	19,400	3.6%	-59,800	-9.6%
Administrative and Support Services	542,700	523,300	602,800	19,400	3.7%	-60,100	-10.0%
Employment Services	194,700	186,800	228,800	7,900	4.2%	-34,100	-14.9%
Business Support Services	60,300	61,400	64,800	-1,100	-1.8%	-4,500	-6.9%
Travel Arrangement and Reservation Services	29,700	29,900	33,500	-200	-0.7%	-3,800	-11.3%
Investigation and Security Services	61,900	62,100	64,000	-200	-0.3%	-2,100	-3.3%
Services to Buildings and Dwellings	135,700	133,300	141,200	2,400	1.8%	-5,500	-3.9%
Waste Management and Remediation Services	20,500	20,500	20,200	0	0.0%	300	1.5%
Education and Health Services	1,062,000	1,065,900	1,045,900	-3,900	-0.4%	16,100	1.5%
Educational Services	139,800	143,000	138,900	-3,200	-2.2%	900	0.7%
Elementary and Secondary Schools	46,000	46,700	46,500	-700	-1.5%	-500	-1.1%
Colleges and Universities	53,600	53,500	52,100	100	0.2%	1,500	2.9%
Health Care and Social Assistance	922,200	922,900	907,000	-700	-0.1%	15,200	1.7%
Ambulatory Health Care Services	375,900	377,700	375,600	-1,800	-0.5%	300	0.1%
Offices of Physicians	171,400	171,400	171,000	0	0.0%	400	0.2%
Home Health Care Services	57,600	57,800	56,800	-200	-0.4%	800	1.4%
Hospitals	254,200	254,500	249,600	-300	-0.1%	4,600	1.8%
Nursing and Residential Care Facilities	177,300	175,000	169,200	2,300	1.3%	8,100	4.8%
Nursing Care Facilities	99,800	99,000	93,900	800	0.8%	5,900	6.3%
Community Care for the Elderly	46,300	45,600	45,000	700	1.5%	1,300	2.9%
Social Assistance	114,800	115,700	112,600	-900	-0.8%	2,200	2.0%
Leisure and Hospitality	938,100	940,900	979,800	-2,800	-0.3%	-41,700	-4.3%
Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation	182,100	181,900	192,000	200	0.1%	-9,900	-5.2%
Amusement, Gambling, and Recreation	139,400	138,100	149,900	1,300	0.9%	-10,500	-7.0%
Amusement Parks and Arcades	56,100	54,700	59,600	1,400	2.6%	-3,500	-5.9%
Accommodation and Food Services	756,000	759,000	787,800	-3,000	-0.4%	-31,800	-4.0%
Accommodation	154,800	153,500	165,400	1,300	0.9%	-10,600	-6.4%
Food Services and Drinking Places	601,200	605,500	622,400	-4,300	-0.7%	-21,200	-3.4%

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Industry Title	April 2009	March 2009	April 2008	Change from			
				Mar 2009 to Apr 2009 Level	Apr 2009 Percent	Apr 2008 to Apr 2009 Level	Apr 2008 to Apr 2009 Percent
Other Services	330,400	329,400	345,300	1,000	0.3%	-14,900	-4.3%
Repair and Maintenance	65,700	64,900	74,700	800	1.2%	-9,000	-12.1%
Automotive Repair and Maintenance	43,600	43,200	51,000	400	0.9%	-7,400	-14.5%
Personal and Laundry Services	84,500	84,500	84,600	0	0.0%	-100	-0.1%
Membership Associations and Organizations	180,200	180,000	186,000	200	0.1%	-5,800	-3.1%
Total Government	1,140,500	1,142,300	1,146,500	-1,800	-0.2%	-6,000	-0.5%
Federal	129,400	128,700	129,000	700	0.5%	400	0.3%
State	218,300	216,800	218,700	1,500	0.7%	-400	-0.2%
Local	792,800	796,800	798,800	-4,000	-0.5%	-6,000	-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.

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

COUNTY	APRIL 2009				MARCH 2009				APRIL 2008			
	LABOR FORCE	EMPLOY- MENT	UNEMPLOYMENT LEVEL	RATE (%)	LABOR FORCE	EMPLOY- MENT	UNEMPLOYMENT LEVEL	RATE (%)	LABOR FORCE	EMPLOY- MENT	UNEMPLOYMENT LEVEL	RATE (%)
ALACHUA	132540	125052	7488	5.6	130045	122086	7959	6.1	132269	128176	4093	3.1
BAKER	12127	10951	1176	9.7	11989	10923	1066	8.9	11995	11449	546	4.6
BAY	88691	81167	7524	8.5	88800	80734	8066	9.1	88452	84872	3580	4.0
BRADFORD	12726	11823	903	7.1	12735	11777	958	7.5	12402	11952	450	3.6
BREVARD	265092	239025	26067	9.8	265652	238587	27065	10.2	265292	251596	13696	5.2
BROWARD	998085	915128	82957	8.3	999607	913635	85972	8.6	999196	956877	42319	4.2
CALHOUN	6038	5578	460	7.6	6091	5590	501	8.2	5771	5530	241	4.2
CHARLOTTE	69502	61859	7643	11.0	70165	61964	8201	11.7	70605	65828	4777	6.8
CITRUS	59454	53129	6325	10.6	59803	52980	6823	11.4	55924	52375	3549	6.3
CLAY	94483	86329	8154	8.6	94691	86111	8580	9.1	94282	90259	4023	4.3
COLLIER	149548	135776	13772	9.2	151031	136841	14190	9.4	151949	144404	7545	5.0
COLUMBIA	33187	30545	2642	8.0	32937	30306	2631	8.0	31471	30139	1332	4.2
DESOTO	16178	14891	1287	8.0	16200	14885	1315	8.1	15443	14740	703	4.6
DIXIE	5638	5062	576	10.2	5639	5046	593	10.5	5466	5148	318	5.8
DUVAL	446348	403305	43043	9.6	446064	402288	43776	9.8	442932	421669	21263	4.8
ESCAMBIA	140008	127433	12575	9.0	140523	127161	13362	9.5	138939	132629	6310	4.5
FLAGLER	32360	27706	4654	14.4	32406	27735	4671	14.4	31169	28707	2462	7.9
FRANKLIN	4790	4498	292	6.1	4706	4384	322	6.8	4799	4627	172	3.6
GADSDEN	21669	19479	2190	10.1	21732	19396	2336	10.7	21034	20096	938	4.5
GILCHRIST	7886	7316	570	7.2	7758	7142	616	7.9	7815	7498	317	4.1
GLADES	5076	4647	429	8.5	5069	4665	404	8.0	4799	4589	210	4.4
GULF	6335	5830	505	8.0	6290	5753	537	8.5	6285	5992	293	4.7
HAMILTON	4843	4334	509	10.5	4938	4406	532	10.8	4649	4403	246	5.3
HARDEE	12722	11707	1015	8.0	12816	11722	1094	8.5	11995	11511	484	4.0
HENDRY	19349	17276	2073	10.7	19853	17617	2236	11.3	18704	17523	1181	6.3
HERNANDO	62877	55219	7658	12.2	63338	55163	8175	12.9	62153	57855	4298	6.9
HIGHLANDS	43764	39865	3899	8.9	44176	40037	4139	9.4	41646	39464	2182	5.2
HILLSBOROUGH	599871	542632	57239	9.5	601925	542082	59843	9.9	598490	568529	29961	5.0
HOLMES	9305	8622	683	7.3	9374	8639	735	7.8	8944	8580	364	4.1
INDIAN RIVER	61334	54063	7271	11.9	61547	54107	7440	12.1	62053	58334	3719	6.0
JACKSON	22429	20998	1431	6.4	22476	20977	1499	6.7	21807	20946	861	3.9
JEFFERSON	6899	6396	503	7.3	6871	6369	502	7.3	6859	6599	260	3.8
LAFAYETTE	3137	2942	195	6.2	3130	2910	220	7.0	3003	2908	95	3.2
LAKE	134638	120740	13898	10.3	134394	120134	14260	10.6	134056	127407	6649	5.0
LEE	278036	244895	33141	11.9	279335	245036	34299	12.3	287479	268562	18917	6.6
LEON	146167	137684	8483	5.8	146217	137093	9124	6.2	146812	142047	4765	3.2
LEVY	17338	15568	1770	10.2	17492	15653	1839	10.5	16925	16040	885	5.2
LIBERTY	3987	3804	183	4.6	4024	3813	211	5.2	3819	3699	120	3.1

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LOCAL AREA UNEMPLOYMENT STATISTICS BY COUNTY
(NOT SEASONALLY ADJUSTED)

COUNTY	APRIL 2009				MARCH 2009				APRIL 2008			
	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	6918	6217	701	10.1	6979	6275	704	10.1	6868	6486	382	5.6
MANATEE	144205	128704	15501	10.7	145529	129391	16138	11.1	146153	138549	7604	5.2
MARION	140030	123620	16410	11.7	140458	123299	17159	12.2	137576	129140	8436	6.1
MARTIN	63599	57377	6222	9.8	64032	57563	6469	10.1	64231	60833	3398	5.3
MIAMI-DADE	1208592	1111443	97149	8.0	1185830	1092844	92986	7.8	1208242	1146976	61266	5.1
MONROE	48633	45817	2816	5.8	49173	46159	3014	6.1	47261	45844	1417	3.0
NASSAU	35505	32436	3069	8.6	35455	32354	3101	8.7	35372	33913	1459	4.1
OKALOOSA	96956	90681	6275	6.5	96802	89967	6835	7.1	95965	92561	3404	3.5
OKEECHOBEE	18504	16534	1970	10.6	18621	16600	2021	10.9	17549	16580	969	5.5
ORANGE	601074	543065	58009	9.7	600742	540338	60404	10.1	599847	573050	26797	4.5
OSCEOLA	134763	120742	14021	10.4	134700	120136	14564	10.8	133887	127409	6478	4.8
PALM BEACH	624400	563657	60743	9.7	628579	565534	63045	10.0	622790	591259	31531	5.1
PASCO	196648	174572	22076	11.2	197206	174395	22811	11.6	194514	182904	11610	6.0
PINELLAS	456241	410505	45736	10.0	457254	410089	47165	10.3	452238	430096	22142	4.9
POLK	272841	244864	27977	10.3	273971	244946	29025	10.6	270087	256630	13457	5.0
PUTNAM	33676	30050	3626	10.8	33156	29562	3594	10.8	32213	30461	1752	5.4
ST. JOHNS	92616	85286	7330	7.9	92771	85070	7701	8.3	92891	89169	3722	4.0
ST. LUCIE	123623	107867	15756	12.7	124249	108218	16031	12.9	122483	114363	8120	6.6
SANTA ROSA	68813	63203	5610	8.2	68996	63067	5929	8.6	68708	65779	2929	4.3
SARASOTA	166086	149098	16988	10.2	168004	149895	18109	10.8	170696	160503	10193	6.0
SEMINOLE	240198	218318	21880	9.1	239527	217222	22305	9.3	240919	230372	10547	4.4
SUMTER	33230	30687	2543	7.7	33175	30402	2773	8.4	30698	29371	1327	4.3
SUWANNEE	17938	16397	1541	8.6	17958	16414	1544	8.6	17243	16493	750	4.3
TAYLOR	9213	8326	887	9.6	9334	8388	946	10.1	8833	8435	398	4.5
UNION	5265	4924	341	6.5	5274	4907	367	7.0	5195	4989	206	4.0
VOLUSIA	255020	228764	26256	10.3	255279	228436	26843	10.5	251916	238978	12938	5.1
WAKULLA	15361	14375	986	6.4	15367	14313	1054	6.9	15334	14830	504	3.3
WALTON	32786	30675	2111	6.4	32666	30359	2307	7.1	30902	29846	1056	3.4
WASHINGTON	10135	9213	922	9.1	10120	9158	962	9.5	9755	9285	470	4.8
FLORIDA												
NOT SEASONALLY ADJUSTED												
	9187000	8331000	857000	9.3	9183000	8301000	882000	9.6	9158000	8709000	449000	4.9
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED												
	9239000	8354000	885000	9.6	9218000	8317000	901000	9.8	9169000	8655000	514000	5.6
UNITED STATES												
NOT SEASONALLY ADJUSTED												
	153834000	140586000	13248000	8.6	153728000	139833000	13895000	9.0	153208000	145921000	7287000	4.8
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED												
	154731000	141007000	13724000	8.9	154048000	140887000	13161000	8.5	153932000	146257000	7675000	5.0

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

MSA (COUNTIES)	APRIL 2009				MARCH 2009				APRIL 2008			
	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)	310291	277802	32489	10.5	313533	279286	34247	10.9	316849	299052	17797	5.6
CAPE CORAL-FT. MYERS (Lee)	278036	244895	33141	11.9	279335	245036	34299	12.3	287479	268562	18917	6.6
DELTONA-DAYTONA BEACH-ORMOND BEACH (Volusia)	255020	228764	26256	10.3	255279	228436	26843	10.5	251916	238978	12938	5.1
FT. WALTON BEACH-CRESTVIEW-DESTIN (Okaloosa)	96956	90681	6275	6.5	96802	89967	6835	7.1	95965	92561	3404	3.5
GAINESVILLE (Alachua and Gilchrist)	140426	132368	8058	5.7	137803	129228	8575	6.2	140084	135674	4410	3.1
JACKSONVILLE (Baker, Clay, Duval, Nassau, and St. Johns)	681078	618306	62772	9.2	680971	616746	64225	9.4	677471	646459	31012	4.6
LAKELAND-WINTER HAVEN (Polk)	272841	244864	27977	10.3	273971	244946	29025	10.6	270087	256630	13457	5.0
MIAMI-FT. LAUDERDALE-POMPANO BEACH (Broward, Miami-Dade, and Palm Beach)	2831077	2590228	240849	8.5	2814016	2572013	242003	8.6	2830228	2695112	135116	4.8
Ft. Lauderdale-Pompano Beach-Deerfield Beach Metropolitan Division (Broward)	998085	915128	82957	8.3	999607	913635	85972	8.6	999196	956877	42319	4.2
Miami-Miami Beach-Kendall Metropolitan Division (Miami-Dade)	1208592	1111443	97149	8.0	1185830	1092844	92986	7.8	1208242	1146976	61266	5.1
West Palm Beach-Boca Raton-Boynton Beach Metropolitan Division (Palm Beach)	624400	563657	60743	9.7	628579	565534	63045	10.0	622790	591259	31531	5.1
NAPLES-MARCO ISLAND (Collier)	149548	135776	13772	9.2	151031	136841	14190	9.4	151949	144404	7545	5.0
OCALA (Marion)	140030	123620	16410	11.7	140458	123299	17159	12.2	137576	129140	8436	6.1
ORLANDO-KISSIMMEE (Lake, Orange, Osceola, and Seminole)	1110673	1002865	107808	9.7	1109363	997830	111533	10.1	1108709	1058238	50471	4.6
PALM BAY-MELBOURNE-TITUSVILLE (Brevard)	265092	239025	26067	9.8	265652	238587	27065	10.2	265292	251596	13696	5.2
PALM COAST (Flagler)	32360	27706	4654	14.4	32406	27735	4671	14.4	31169	28707	2462	7.9
PANAMA CITY-LYNN HAVEN-PANAMA CITY BEACH (Bay)	88691	81167	7524	8.5	88800	80734	8066	9.1	88452	84872	3580	4.0
PENSACOLA-FERRY PASS-BRENT (Escambia and Santa Rosa)	208821	190636	18185	8.7	209519	190228	19291	9.2	207647	198408	9239	4.4
PORT ST. LUCIE (Martin and St. Lucie)	187222	165244	21978	11.7	188281	165781	22500	12.0	186714	175196	11518	6.2
PUNTA GORDA (Charlotte)	69502	61859	7643	11.0	70165	61964	8201	11.7	70605	65828	4777	6.8
SEBASTIAN-VERO BEACH (Indian River)	61334	54063	7271	11.9	61547	54107	7440	12.1	62053	58334	3719	6.0
TALLAHASSEE (Gadsden, Jefferson, Leon, and Wakulla)	190097	177934	12163	6.4	190186	177171	13015	6.8	190039	183572	6467	3.4
TAMPA-ST. PETERSBURG-CLEARWATER (Hernando, Hillsborough, Pasco, and Pinellas)	1315637	1182928	132709	10.1	1319722	1181729	137993	10.5	1307394	1239383	68011	5.2
FLORIDA												
NOT SEASONALLY ADJUSTED	9187000	8331000	857000	9.3	9183000	8301000	882000	9.6	9158000	8709000	449000	4.9
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED	9239000	8354000	885000	9.6	9218000	8317000	901000	9.8	9169000	8655000	514000	5.6
UNITED STATES												
NOT SEASONALLY ADJUSTED	153834000	140586000	13248000	8.6	153728000	139833000	13895000	9.0	153208000	145921000	7287000	4.8
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED	154731000	141007000	13724000	8.9	154048000	140887000	13161000	8.5	153932000	146257000	7675000	5.0

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

APRIL 2009
(PRELIMINARY)

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UNEMPLOYMENT			UNEMPLOYMENT		
RANK	COUNTY	RATE (%)	RANK	COUNTY	RATE (%)
1	FLAGLER	14.4	35	WASHINGTON	9.1
2	ST. LUCIE	12.7	36	ESCAMBIA	9.0
3	HERNANDO	12.2	37	HIGHLANDS	8.9
4	LEE	11.9	38	NASSAU	8.6
5	INDIAN RIVER	11.9	39	CLAY	8.6
6	MARION	11.7	40	SUWANNEE	8.6
7	PASCO	11.2		UNITED STATES	8.6
8	CHARLOTTE	11.0	41	BAY	8.5
9	PUTNAM	10.8	42	GLADES	8.5
10	MANATEE	10.7	43	BROWARD	8.3
11	HENDRY	10.7	44	SANTA ROSA	8.2
12	OKEECHOBEE	10.6	45	MIAMI-DADE	8.0
13	CITRUS	10.6	46	HARDEE	8.0
14	HAMILTON	10.5	47	GULF	8.0
15	OSCEOLA	10.4	48	COLUMBIA	8.0
16	LAKE	10.3	49	DESOTO	8.0
17	VOLUSIA	10.3	50	ST. JOHNS	7.9
18	POLK	10.3	51	SUMTER	7.7
19	SARASOTA	10.2	52	CALHOUN	7.6
20	DIXIE	10.2	53	HOLMES	7.3
21	LEVY	10.2	54	JEFFERSON	7.3
22	MADISON	10.1	55	GILCHRIST	7.2
23	GADSDEN	10.1	56	BRADFORD	7.1
24	PINELLAS	10.0	57	UNION	6.5
25	BREVARD	9.8	58	OKALOOSA	6.5
26	MARTIN	9.8	59	WALTON	6.4
27	PALM BEACH	9.7	60	WAKULLA	6.4
28	BAKER	9.7	61	JACKSON	6.4
29	ORANGE	9.7	62	LAFAYETTE	6.2
30	DUVAL	9.6	63	FRANKLIN	6.1
31	TAYLOR	9.6	64	LEON	5.8
32	HILLSBOROUGH	9.5	65	MONROE	5.8
	FLORIDA	9.3	66	ALACHUA	5.6
33	COLLIER	9.2	67	LIBERTY	4.6
34	SEMINOLE	9.1			

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STATE OF FLORIDA
 METROPOLITAN STATISTICAL AREAS (MSAs) AND METROPOLITAN DIVISIONS (MDs)
 RANKED BY UNEMPLOYMENT RATE
 (NOT SEASONALLY ADJUSTED)
 APRIL 2009 (Preliminary)

1. Palm Coast MSA	14.4 %
2. Cape Coral-Ft. Myers MSA	11.9
3. Sebastian-Vero Beach MSA	11.9
4. Port St. Lucie MSA	11.7
5. Ocala MSA	11.7
6. Punta Gorda MSA	11.0
7. Bradenton-Sarasota-Venice MSA	10.5
8. Deltona-Daytona Beach-Ormond Beach MSA	10.3
9. Lakeland-Winter Haven MSA	10.3
10. Tampa-St. Petersburg-Clearwater MSA	10.1
11. Palm Bay-Melbourne-Titusville MSA	9.8
12. West Palm Beach-Boca Raton-Boynton Beach MD	9.7
13. Orlando-Kissimmee MSA	9.7
Florida	9.3
14. Jacksonville MSA	9.2
15. Naples-Marco Island MSA	9.2
16. Pensacola-Ferry Pass-Brent MSA	8.7
United States	8.6
17. Miami-Ft. Lauderdale-Pompano Beach MSA	8.5
18. Panama City-Lynn Haven-Panama City Beach MSA	8.5
19. Ft. Lauderdale-Pompano Beach-Deerfield Beach MD	8.3
20. Miami-Miami Beach-Kendall MD	8.0
21. Ft. Walton Beach-Crestview-Destin MSA	6.5
22. Tallahassee MSA	6.4
23. Gainesville MSA	5.7

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TOTAL NONAGRICULTURAL EMPLOYMENT
FLORIDA (Not Seasonally Adjusted)

Area	April 2009	March 2009	April 2008	Over-the-Month Change		Over-the-Year Change	
				Level	Percent	Level	Percent
Statewide	7,496,400	7,501,800	7,875,900	-5,400	-0.1%	-379,500	-4.8%
Bradenton-Sarasota-Venice MSA	256,000	258,800	275,300	-2,800	-1.1%	-19,300	-7.0%
Cape Coral-Ft. Myers MSA	203,100	204,500	222,600	-1,400	-0.7%	-19,500	-8.8%
Deltona-Daytona Beach-Ormond Beach MSA	163,600	164,000	169,900	-400	-0.2%	-6,300	-3.7%
Ft. Lauderdale-Pompano Beach-Deerfield Beach MD	748,000	751,100	780,700	-3,100	-0.4%	-32,700	-4.2%
Ft. Walton Beach-Crestview-Destin MSA	81,100	80,500	82,900	+600	+0.7%	-1,800	-2.2%
Gainesville MSA	134,000	132,300	136,500	+1,700	+1.3%	-2,500	-1.8%
Jacksonville MSA	603,400	604,400	629,000	-1,000	-0.2%	-25,600	-4.1%
Lakeland-Winter Haven MSA	202,500	204,200	212,200	-1,700	-0.8%	-9,700	-4.6%
Miami-Ft. Lauderdale-Pompano Beach MSA	2,296,200	2,305,200	2,393,900	-9,000	-0.4%	-97,700	-4.1%
Miami-Miami Beach-Kendall MD	1,018,700	1,021,100	1,060,000	-2,400	-0.2%	-41,300	-3.9%
Naples-Marco Island MSA	120,900	122,200	127,800	-1,300	-1.1%	-6,900	-5.4%
Ocala MSA	100,100	100,300	104,600	-200	-0.2%	-4,500	-4.3%
Orlando-Kissimmee MSA	1,039,100	1,039,800	1,093,700	-700	-0.1%	-54,600	-5.0%
Palm Bay-Melbourne-Titusville MSA	201,100	201,300	210,500	-200	-0.1%	-9,400	-4.5%
Panama City-Lynn Haven-Panama City Beach MSA	74,300	74,300	77,700	+0	+0.0%	-3,400	-4.4%
Pensacola-Ferry Pass-Brent MSA	163,300	163,500	169,600	-200	-0.1%	-6,300	-3.7%
Port St. Lucie MSA	123,900	124,400	130,900	-500	-0.4%	-7,000	-5.3%
Punta Gorda MSA	42,000	42,200	44,500	-200	-0.5%	-2,500	-5.6%
Sebastian-Vero Beach MSA	45,200	45,600	49,100	-400	-0.9%	-3,900	-7.9%
Tallahassee MSA	175,100	175,400	180,300	-300	-0.2%	-5,200	-2.9%
Tampa-St. Petersburg-Clearwater MSA	1,185,900	1,190,800	1,239,300	-4,900	-0.4%	-53,400	-4.3%
West Palm Beach-Boca Raton-Boynton Beach MD	529,500	533,000	553,200	-3,500	-0.7%	-23,700	-4.3%

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 May 22, 2009.

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