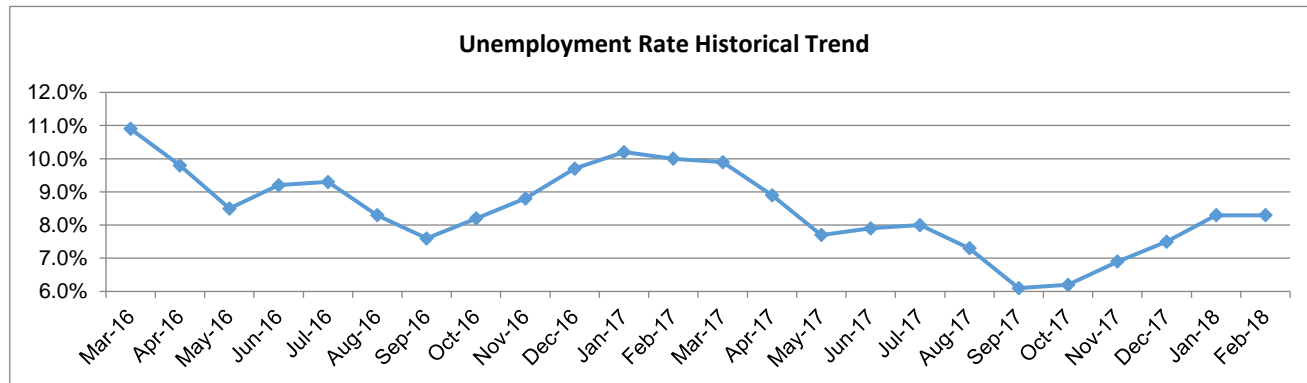


IMMEDIATE RELEASE  
 MADERA METROPOLITAN STATISTICAL AREA (MSA)  
 (Madera County)

The unemployment rate in the Madera County was 8.3 percent in February 2018, unchanged from a revised 8.3 percent in January 2018, and below the year-ago estimate of 10.0 percent. This compares with an unadjusted unemployment rate of 4.5 percent for California and 4.4 percent for the nation during the same period.



Industry	Jan-2018	Feb-2018	Change		Feb-2017	Feb-2018	Change
	Revised	Prelim				Prelim	
Total, All Industries	49,800	49,800	0		48,800	49,800	1,000
Total Farm	11,800	11,600	(200)		11,700	11,600	(100)
Total Nonfarm	38,000	38,200	200		37,100	38,200	1,100
Mining, Logging, and Construction	1,800	1,900	100		1,700	1,900	200
Manufacturing	3,400	3,400	0		3,300	3,400	100
Trade, Transportation & Utilities	5,700	5,800	100		5,600	5,800	200
Information	300	300	0		300	300	0
Financial Activities	900	900	0		900	900	0
Professional & Business Services	2,300	2,300	0		2,400	2,300	(100)
Educational & Health Services	8,500	8,500	0		8,200	8,500	300
Leisure & Hospitality	3,200	3,200	0		3,100	3,200	100
Other Services	900	900	0		900	900	0
Government	11,000	11,000	0		10,700	11,000	300

Notes: Data not adjusted for seasonality. Data may not add due to rounding  
 Labor force data are revised month to month  
 Additional data are available on line at [www.labormarketinfo.edd.ca.gov](http://www.labormarketinfo.edd.ca.gov)

Data Not Seasonally Adjusted

	Feb 17	Dec 17	Jan 18	Feb 18	Percent Change	
			Revised	Prelim	Month	Year
Civilian Labor Force (1)	62,500	61,300	62,600	62,800	0.3%	0.5%
Civilian Employment	56,300	56,700	57,400	57,600	0.3%	2.3%
Civilian Unemployment	6,300	4,600	5,200	5,200	0.0%	-17.5%
Civilian Unemployment Rate	10.0%	7.5%	8.3%	8.3%		
(CA Unemployment Rate)	5.4%	4.2%	4.6%	4.5%		
(U.S. Unemployment Rate)	4.9%	3.9%	4.5%	4.4%		

Total, All Industries (2)	48,800	49,800	49,800	49,800	0.0%	2.0%
Total Farm	11,700	11,600	11,800	11,600	-1.7%	-0.9%
Total Nonfarm	37,100	38,200	38,000	38,200	0.5%	3.0%
Total Private	26,400	27,300	27,000	27,200	0.7%	3.0%
Goods Producing	5,000	5,400	5,200	5,300	1.9%	6.0%
Mining, Logging, and Construction	1,700	1,900	1,800	1,900	5.6%	11.8%
Manufacturing	3,300	3,500	3,400	3,400	0.0%	3.0%
Service Providing	32,100	32,800	32,800	32,900	0.3%	2.5%
Private Service Providing	21,400	21,900	21,800	21,900	0.5%	2.3%
Trade, Transportation & Utilities	5,600	5,700	5,700	5,800	1.8%	3.6%
Wholesale Trade	800	800	900	1,000	11.1%	25.0%
Retail Trade	3,800	3,800	3,700	3,700	0.0%	-2.6%
Transportation, Warehousing & Utilities	1,000	1,100	1,100	1,100	0.0%	10.0%
Information	300	300	300	300	0.0%	0.0%
Financial Activities	900	900	900	900	0.0%	0.0%
Professional & Business Services	2,400	2,300	2,300	2,300	0.0%	-4.2%
Educational & Health Services	8,200	8,500	8,500	8,500	0.0%	3.7%
Health Care & Social Assistance	8,100	8,400	8,400	8,400	0.0%	3.7%
Leisure & Hospitality	3,100	3,300	3,200	3,200	0.0%	3.2%
Other Services	900	900	900	900	0.0%	0.0%
Government	10,700	10,900	11,000	11,000	0.0%	2.8%
Federal Government	200	300	300	300	0.0%	50.0%
State & Local Government	10,500	10,600	10,700	10,700	0.0%	1.9%
State Government	2,500	2,400	2,500	2,400	-4.0%	-4.0%
Local Government	8,000	8,200	8,200	8,300	1.2%	3.8%
Local Government Education	4,800	4,800	4,800	4,900	2.1%	2.1%
Local Government Excluding Education	3,200	3,400	3,400	3,400	0.0%	6.3%
County	1,500	1,500	1,500	1,500	0.0%	0.0%
City	400	500	500	500	0.0%	25.0%
Special Districts plus Indian Tribes	1,300	1,400	1,400	1,400	0.0%	7.7%

**Notes:**

(1) Civilian labor force data are by place of residence; include self-employed individuals, unpaid family workers, household domestic workers, & workers on strike. Data may not add due to rounding. The unemployment rate is calculated using unrounded data.

(2) Industry employment is by place of work; excludes self-employed individuals, unpaid family workers, household domestic workers, & workers on strike. Data may not add due to rounding.

These data are produced by the Labor Market Information Division of the California Employment Development Department (EDD). Questions should be directed to: Steven Gutierrez 559-445-6580 or Rosendo Flores 559-445-5708

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