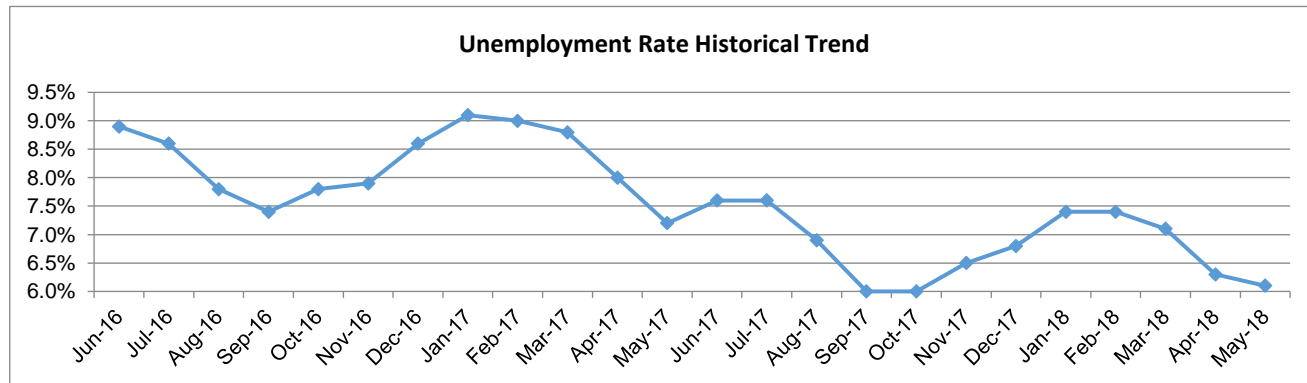


IMMEDIATE RELEASE
 MODESTO METROPOLITAN STATISTICAL AREA (MSA)
 (Stanislaus County)

The unemployment rate in the Stanislaus County was 6.1 percent in May 2018, down from a revised 6.3 percent in April 2018, and below the year-ago estimate of 7.2 percent. This compares with an unadjusted unemployment rate of 3.7 percent for California and 3.6 percent for the nation during the same period.



| Industry | Apr-2018 | May-2018 | Change | | May-2017 | May-2018 | Change |
|-----------------------------------|----------|----------|--------|--|----------|----------|--------|
| | Revised | Prelim | | | | Prelim | |
| Total, All Industries | 190,000 | 194,200 | 4,200 | | 191,000 | 194,200 | 3,200 |
| Total Farm | 13,200 | 16,400 | 3,200 | | 16,700 | 16,400 | (300) |
| Total Nonfarm | 176,800 | 177,800 | 1,000 | | 174,300 | 177,800 | 3,500 |
| Mining, Logging, and Construction | 9,900 | 10,200 | 300 | | 9,400 | 10,200 | 800 |
| Manufacturing | 20,200 | 20,400 | 200 | | 21,300 | 20,400 | (900) |
| Trade, Transportation & Utilities | 37,400 | 37,700 | 300 | | 36,600 | 37,700 | 1,100 |
| Information | 1,000 | 1,000 | 0 | | 1,000 | 1,000 | 0 |
| Financial Activities | 5,300 | 5,300 | 0 | | 5,300 | 5,300 | 0 |
| Professional & Business Services | 15,200 | 15,300 | 100 | | 14,400 | 15,300 | 900 |
| Educational & Health Services | 32,900 | 33,000 | 100 | | 32,500 | 33,000 | 500 |
| Leisure & Hospitality | 19,600 | 19,800 | 200 | | 19,700 | 19,800 | 100 |
| Other Services | 5,900 | 5,900 | 0 | | 5,800 | 5,900 | 100 |
| Government | 29,400 | 29,200 | (200) | | 28,300 | 29,200 | 900 |

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

Data Not Seasonally Adjusted

| | May 17 | Mar 18 | Apr 18 | May 18 | Percent Change | |
|----------------------------|---------|---------|---------|---------|----------------|--------|
| | | | Revised | Prelim | Month | Year |
| Civilian Labor Force (1) | 244,200 | 242,500 | 240,000 | 242,400 | 1.0% | -0.7% |
| Civilian Employment | 226,500 | 225,300 | 224,800 | 227,600 | 1.2% | 0.5% |
| Civilian Unemployment | 17,700 | 17,200 | 15,200 | 14,700 | -3.3% | -16.9% |
| Civilian Unemployment Rate | 7.2% | 7.1% | 6.3% | 6.1% | | |
| (CA Unemployment Rate) | 4.4% | 4.2% | 3.8% | 3.7% | | |
| (U.S. Unemployment Rate) | 4.1% | 4.1% | 3.7% | 3.6% | | |

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|---|---------|---------|---------|---------|-------|--------|
| Total, All Industries (2) | 191,000 | 188,400 | 190,000 | 194,200 | 2.2% | 1.7% |
| Total Farm | 16,700 | 12,800 | 13,200 | 16,400 | 24.2% | -1.8% |
| Total Nonfarm | 174,300 | 175,600 | 176,800 | 177,800 | 0.6% | 2.0% |
| Total Private | 146,000 | 146,800 | 147,400 | 148,600 | 0.8% | 1.8% |
| Goods Producing | 30,700 | 30,000 | 30,100 | 30,600 | 1.7% | -0.3% |
| Mining, Logging, and Construction | 9,400 | 9,700 | 9,900 | 10,200 | 3.0% | 8.5% |
| Manufacturing | 21,300 | 20,300 | 20,200 | 20,400 | 1.0% | -4.2% |
| Durable Goods | 6,100 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 0.0% | -1.6% |
| Nondurable Goods | 15,200 | 14,300 | 14,200 | 14,400 | 1.4% | -5.3% |
| Food Manufacturing | 9,000 | 8,100 | 8,000 | 8,000 | 0.0% | -11.1% |
| Service Providing | 143,600 | 145,600 | 146,700 | 147,200 | 0.3% | 2.5% |
| Private Service Providing | 115,300 | 116,800 | 117,300 | 118,000 | 0.6% | 2.3% |
| Trade, Transportation & Utilities | 36,600 | 37,500 | 37,400 | 37,700 | 0.8% | 3.0% |
| Wholesale Trade | 6,200 | 6,400 | 6,400 | 6,400 | 0.0% | 3.2% |
| Retail Trade | 22,800 | 23,400 | 23,300 | 23,500 | 0.9% | 3.1% |
| Food & Beverage Stores | 4,300 | 4,400 | 4,400 | 4,400 | 0.0% | 2.3% |
| Clothing & Clothing Accessories Stores | 2,200 | 2,200 | 2,200 | 2,200 | 0.0% | 0.0% |
| General Merchandise Stores | 4,700 | 5,000 | 5,000 | 5,100 | 2.0% | 8.5% |
| Transportation, Warehousing & Utilities | 7,600 | 7,700 | 7,700 | 7,800 | 1.3% | 2.6% |
| Information | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 0.0% | 0.0% |
| Financial Activities | 5,300 | 5,300 | 5,300 | 5,300 | 0.0% | 0.0% |
| Professional & Business Services | 14,400 | 15,200 | 15,200 | 15,300 | 0.7% | 6.3% |
| Administrative & Support & Waste Services | 7,300 | 8,100 | 8,100 | 8,200 | 1.2% | 12.3% |
| Educational & Health Services | 32,500 | 32,700 | 32,900 | 33,000 | 0.3% | 1.5% |
| Educational Services | 1,700 | 1,600 | 1,600 | 1,600 | 0.0% | -5.9% |
| Health Care & Social Assistance | 30,800 | 31,100 | 31,300 | 31,400 | 0.3% | 1.9% |
| Leisure & Hospitality | 19,700 | 19,300 | 19,600 | 19,800 | 1.0% | 0.5% |
| Other Services | 5,800 | 5,800 | 5,900 | 5,900 | 0.0% | 1.7% |
| Government | 28,300 | 28,800 | 29,400 | 29,200 | -0.7% | 3.2% |
| Federal Government | 800 | 800 | 800 | 800 | 0.0% | 0.0% |
| State & Local Government | 27,500 | 28,000 | 28,600 | 28,400 | -0.7% | 3.3% |
| State Government | 2,100 | 2,300 | 2,300 | 2,300 | 0.0% | 9.5% |
| State Government Education | 1,800 | 2,000 | 2,000 | 2,000 | 0.0% | 11.1% |
| State Government Excluding Education | 300 | 300 | 300 | 300 | 0.0% | 0.0% |
| Local Government | 25,400 | 25,700 | 26,300 | 26,100 | -0.8% | 2.8% |
| Local Government Education | 16,200 | 16,400 | 17,000 | 16,600 | -2.4% | 2.5% |
| Local Government Excluding Education | 9,200 | 9,300 | 9,300 | 9,500 | 2.2% | 3.3% |
| County | 4,800 | 4,900 | 4,900 | 4,900 | 0.0% | 2.1% |
| City | 2,500 | 2,500 | 2,500 | 2,600 | 4.0% | 4.0% |
| Special Districts plus Indian Tribes | 1,900 | 1,900 | 1,900 | 2,000 | 5.3% | 5.3% |

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.

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March 2017 Benchmark

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| | May 17 | Mar 18 | Apr 18 Revised | May 18 Prelim | Percent Change Month Year |
|--|--------|--------|-------------------|------------------|-----------------------------------|
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