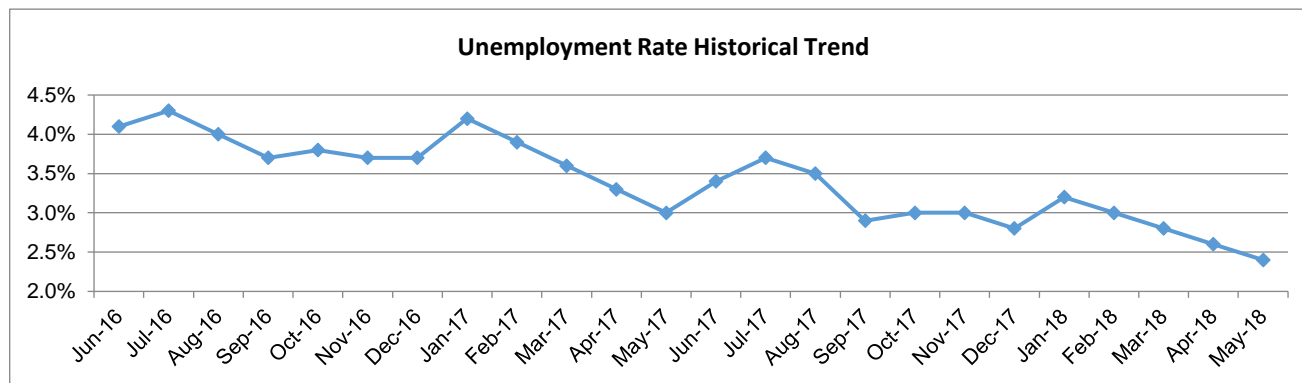


IMMEDIATE RELEASE
 SANTA ROSA METROPOLITAN STATISTICAL AREA (MSA)
(Sonoma County)

The unemployment rate in the Sonoma County was 2.4 percent in May 2018, down from a revised 2.6 percent in April 2018, and below the year-ago estimate of 3.0 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	214,300	217,100	2,800		213,700	217,100	3,400
Total Farm	5,900	6,400	500		6,700	6,400	(300)
Total Nonfarm	208,400	210,700	2,300		207,000	210,700	3,700
Mining, Logging, and Construction	13,800	14,200	400		13,300	14,200	900
Mining and Logging	200	200	0		200	200	0
Construction	13,600	14,000	400		13,100	14,000	900
Manufacturing	23,800	24,200	400		22,700	24,200	1,500
Trade, Transportation & Utilities	37,100	37,100	0		36,700	37,100	400
Information	2,700	2,700	0		2,700	2,700	0
Financial Activities	8,600	8,500	(100)		8,600	8,500	(100)
Professional & Business Services	21,000	21,100	100		21,600	21,100	(500)
Educational & Health Services	35,500	36,400	900		34,000	36,400	2,400
Leisure & Hospitality	25,400	26,100	700		26,200	26,100	(100)
Other Services	7,200	7,200	0		7,300	7,200	(100)
Government	33,300	33,200	(100)		33,900	33,200	(700)

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)	262,400	263,000	260,300	262,400	0.8%	0.0%
Civilian Employment	254,400	255,600	253,700	256,200	1.0%	0.7%
Civilian Unemployment	8,000	7,400	6,600	6,200	-6.1%	-22.5%
Civilian Unemployment Rate	3.0%	2.8%	2.6%	2.4%		
(CA Unemployment Rate)	4.4%	4.2%	3.8%	3.7%		
(U.S. Unemployment Rate)	4.1%	4.1%	3.7%	3.6%		
Total, All Industries (2)	213,700	213,700	214,300	217,100	1.3%	1.6%
Total Farm	6,700	5,900	5,900	6,400	8.5%	-4.5%
Total Nonfarm	207,000	207,800	208,400	210,700	1.1%	1.8%
Total Private	173,100	174,400	175,100	177,500	1.4%	2.5%
Goods Producing	36,000	37,000	37,600	38,400	2.1%	6.7%
Mining, Logging, and Construction	13,300	13,500	13,800	14,200	2.9%	6.8%
Mining and Logging	200	200	200	200	0.0%	0.0%
Construction	13,100	13,300	13,600	14,000	2.9%	6.9%
Specialty Trade Contractors	8,700	8,600	8,800	9,000	2.3%	3.4%
Manufacturing	22,700	23,500	23,800	24,200	1.7%	6.6%
Durable Goods	8,600	8,700	8,700	8,700	0.0%	1.2%
Nondurable Goods	14,100	14,800	15,100	15,500	2.6%	9.9%
Service Providing	171,000	170,800	170,800	172,300	0.9%	0.8%
Private Service Providing	137,100	137,400	137,500	139,100	1.2%	1.5%
Trade, Transportation & Utilities	36,700	37,300	37,100	37,100	0.0%	1.1%
Wholesale Trade	7,700	7,600	7,700	7,700	0.0%	0.0%
Retail Trade	25,000	25,700	25,400	25,300	-0.4%	1.2%
Food & Beverage Stores	7,700	7,800	7,800	7,900	1.3%	2.6%
General Merchandise Stores	3,100	3,300	3,300	3,300	0.0%	6.5%
Transportation, Warehousing & Utilities	4,000	4,000	4,000	4,100	2.5%	2.5%
Information	2,700	2,700	2,700	2,700	0.0%	0.0%
Financial Activities	8,600	8,400	8,600	8,500	-1.2%	-1.2%
Finance & Insurance	5,200	5,100	5,100	5,100	0.0%	-1.9%
Professional & Business Services	21,600	20,900	21,000	21,100	0.5%	-2.3%
Professional, Scientific & Technical Services	8,600	8,400	8,400	8,400	0.0%	-2.3%
Management of Companies & Enterprises	2,300	2,200	2,200	2,200	0.0%	-4.3%
Administrative & Support & Waste Services	10,700	10,300	10,400	10,500	1.0%	-1.9%
Administrative & Support Services	9,900	9,400	9,500	9,600	1.1%	-3.0%
Educational & Health Services	34,000	35,800	35,500	36,400	2.5%	7.1%
Health Care & Social Assistance	31,900	33,600	33,500	34,200	2.1%	7.2%
Leisure & Hospitality	26,200	25,200	25,400	26,100	2.8%	-0.4%
Accommodation & Food Services	22,200	21,600	21,700	22,100	1.8%	-0.5%
Food Services & Drinking Places	18,100	17,900	18,000	18,200	1.1%	0.6%
Other Services	7,300	7,100	7,200	7,200	0.0%	-1.4%
Government	33,900	33,400	33,300	33,200	-0.3%	-2.1%
Federal Government	1,400	1,300	1,300	1,300	0.0%	-7.1%
State & Local Government	32,500	32,100	32,000	31,900	-0.3%	-1.8%
State Government	5,200	4,700	4,700	4,700	0.0%	-9.6%
State Government Education	2,700	2,600	2,600	2,600	0.0%	-3.7%
State Government Excluding Education	2,500	2,100	2,100	2,100	0.0%	-16.0%
Local Government	27,300	27,400	27,300	27,200	-0.4%	-0.4%
Local Government Education	16,200	16,200	16,000	15,900	-0.6%	-1.9%
Local Government Excluding Education	11,100	11,200	11,300	11,300	0.0%	1.8%
County	4,900	4,800	4,900	5,100	4.1%	4.1%
City	2,600	2,500	2,600	2,600	0.0%	0.0%
Special Districts plus Indian Tribes	3,600	3,900	3,800	3,600	-5.3%	0.0%

Notes:

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Santa Rosa MSA
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Industry Employment & Labor Force
March 2017 Benchmark

Data Not Seasonally Adjusted

	May 17	Mar 18	Apr 18 Revised	May 18 Prelim	Percent Change Month Year
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(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: Jorge Villalobos 707-566-3882 or Randy Weaver 707-441-5706

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