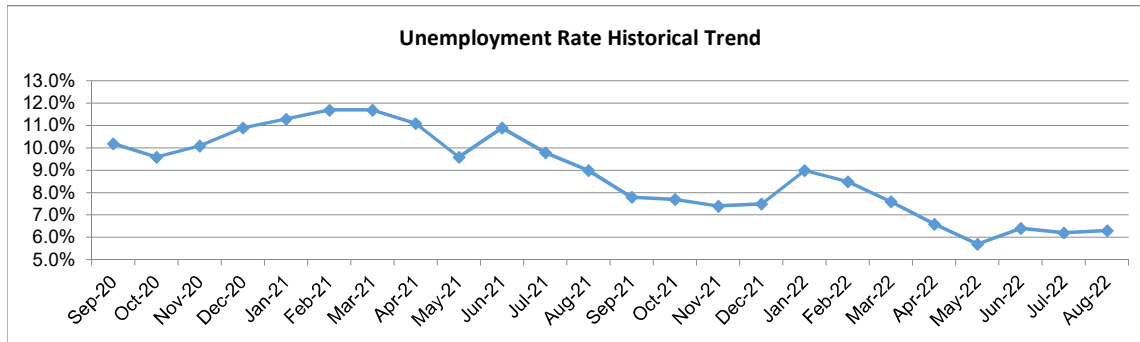


IMMEDIATE RELEASE  
 HANFORD-CORCORAN METROPOLITAN STATISTICAL AREA (MSA)  
 (Kings County)

The unemployment rate in the Kings County was 6.3 percent in August 2022, up from a revised 6.2 percent in July 2022, and below the year-ago estimate of 9.0 percent. This compares with an unadjusted unemployment rate of 4.1 percent for California and 3.8 percent for the nation during the same period.



Industry	Jul-2022	Aug-2022	Change		Aug-2021	Aug-2022	Change
	Revised	Prelim				Prelim	
Total All Industries	48,800	48,900	100		47,800	48,900	1,100
Total Farm	7,800	7,700	(100)		7,300	7,700	400
Total Nonfarm	41,000	41,200	200		40,500	41,200	700
Mining, Logging, and Construction	1,100	1,000	(100)		1,000	1,000	0
Manufacturing	4,600	4,600	0		4,900	4,600	(300)
Trade, Transportation & Utilities	7,000	6,900	(100)		7,100	6,900	(200)
Information	100	100	0		100	100	0
Financial Activities	900	900	0		900	900	0
Professional & Business Services	1,300	1,300	0		1,300	1,300	0
Educational & Health Services	6,700	6,700	0		6,600	6,700	100
Leisure & Hospitality	4,500	4,500	0		4,100	4,500	400
Other Services	800	800	0		800	800	0
Government	14,000	14,400	400		13,700	14,400	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](http://www.labormarketinfo.edd.ca.gov)

Data Not Seasonally Adjusted

	Aug 21	Jun 22	Jul 22 Revised	Aug 22 Prelim	Percent Change	
					Month	Year
Civilian Labor Force (1)	55,700	55,600	56,200	56,300	0.2%	1.1%
Civilian Employment	50,700	52,000	52,700	52,800	0.2%	4.1%
Civilian Unemployment	5,000	3,600	3,500	3,500	0.0%	-30.0%
Civilian Unemployment Rate	9.0%	6.4%	6.2%	6.3%		
(CA Unemployment Rate)	7.2%	4.0%	3.9%	4.1%		
(U.S. Unemployment Rate)	5.3%	3.8%	3.8%	3.8%		
<b>Total All Industries (2)</b>	<b>47,800</b>	<b>48,500</b>	<b>48,800</b>	<b>48,900</b>	<b>0.2%</b>	<b>2.3%</b>
Total Farm	7,300	7,600	7,800	7,700	-1.3%	5.5%
Total Nonfarm	40,500	40,900	41,000	41,200	0.5%	1.7%
Total Private	26,800	26,600	27,000	26,800	-0.7%	0.0%
Goods Producing	5,900	5,500	5,700	5,600	-1.8%	-5.1%
Mining, Logging, and Construction	1,000	1,000	1,100	1,000	-9.1%	0.0%
Manufacturing	4,900	4,500	4,600	4,600	0.0%	-6.1%
Service Providing	34,600	35,400	35,300	35,600	0.8%	2.9%
Private Service Providing	20,900	21,100	21,300	21,200	-0.5%	1.4%
Trade, Transportation & Utilities	7,100	6,900	7,000	6,900	-1.4%	-2.8%
Wholesale Trade	600	600	600	600	0.0%	0.0%
Retail Trade	4,300	4,200	4,300	4,200	-2.3%	-2.3%
Transportation, Warehousing & Utilities	2,200	2,100	2,100	2,100	0.0%	-4.5%
Information	100	100	100	100	0.0%	0.0%
Financial Activities	900	900	900	900	0.0%	0.0%
Professional & Business Services	1,300	1,300	1,300	1,300	0.0%	0.0%
Educational & Health Services	6,600	6,700	6,700	6,700	0.0%	1.5%
Leisure & Hospitality	4,100	4,400	4,500	4,500	0.0%	9.8%
Other Services	800	800	800	800	0.0%	0.0%
Government	13,700	14,300	14,000	14,400	2.9%	5.1%
Federal Government	1,200	1,300	1,300	1,300	0.0%	8.3%
State & Local Government	12,500	13,000	12,700	13,100	3.1%	4.8%
State Government	5,200	5,100	5,100	5,200	2.0%	0.0%
Local Government	7,300	7,900	7,600	7,900	3.9%	8.2%
Local Government Excluding Education	3,600	3,700	3,700	3,700	0.0%	2.8%
Special Districts plus Indian Tribes	1,500	1,500	1,500	1,500	0.0%	0.0%

**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: Rosendo Flores 559-230-4104 or Steven Gutierrez 559-230-4102

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