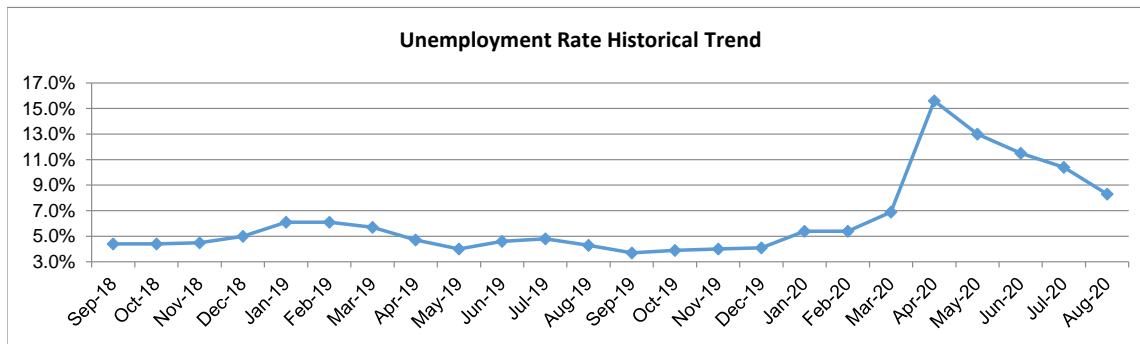


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 REDDING METROPOLITAN STATISTICAL AREA (MSA)
 (Shasta County)

The unemployment rate in the Shasta County was 8.3 percent in August 2020, down from a revised 10.4 percent in July 2020, and above the year-ago estimate of 4.3 percent. This compares with an unadjusted unemployment rate of 11.6 percent for California and 8.5 percent for the nation during the same period.



Industry	Jul-2020	Aug-2020	Change		Aug-2019	Aug-2020	Change
	Revised	Prelim				Prelim	
Total, All Industries	63,800	65,300	1,500		70,300	65,300	(5,000)
Total Farm	800	800	0		1,000	800	(200)
Total Nonfarm	63,000	64,500	1,500		69,300	64,500	(4,800)
Mining, Logging, and Construction	4,100	4,100	0		4,300	4,100	(200)
Manufacturing	2,300	2,300	0		2,500	2,300	(200)
Trade, Transportation & Utilities	12,200	12,400	200		13,100	12,400	(700)
Information	500	400	(100)		500	400	(100)
Financial Activities	2,700	2,700	0		2,800	2,700	(100)
Professional & Business Services	7,200	7,300	100		8,000	7,300	(700)
Educational & Health Services	15,500	15,300	(200)		15,300	15,300	0
Leisure & Hospitality	5,700	5,500	(200)		7,100	5,500	(1,600)
Other Services	1,800	1,800	0		2,500	1,800	(700)
Government	11,000	12,700	1,700		13,200	12,700	(500)

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

	Aug 19	Jun 20	Jul 20	Aug 20	Percent Change	
			Revised	Prelim	Month	Year
Civilian Labor Force (1)	74,700	72,700	72,300	72,700	0.6%	-2.7%
Civilian Employment	71,500	64,400	64,800	66,700	2.9%	-6.7%
Civilian Unemployment	3,200	8,300	7,500	6,000	-20.0%	87.5%
Civilian Unemployment Rate	4.3%	11.5%	10.4%	8.3%		
(CA Unemployment Rate)	4.2%	15.1%	13.9%	11.6%		
(U.S. Unemployment Rate)	3.8%	11.2%	10.5%	8.5%		

Total, All Industries (2)	70,300	64,400	63,800	65,300	2.4%	-7.1%
Total Farm	1,000	800	800	800	0.0%	-20.0%
Total Nonfarm	69,300	63,600	63,000	64,500	2.4%	-6.9%
Total Private	56,100	51,000	52,000	51,800	-0.4%	-7.7%
Goods Producing	6,800	6,300	6,400	6,400	0.0%	-5.9%
Mining, Logging, and Construction	4,300	4,000	4,100	4,100	0.0%	-4.7%
Manufacturing	2,500	2,300	2,300	2,300	0.0%	-8.0%
Service Providing	62,500	57,300	56,600	58,100	2.7%	-7.0%
Private Service Providing	49,300	44,700	45,600	45,400	-0.4%	-7.9%
Trade, Transportation & Utilities	13,100	11,900	12,200	12,400	1.6%	-5.3%
Wholesale Trade	2,000	1,600	1,800	1,800	0.0%	-10.0%
Retail Trade	9,000	8,300	8,400	8,500	1.2%	-5.6%
Transportation, Warehousing & Utilities	2,100	2,000	2,000	2,100	5.0%	0.0%
Information	500	500	500	400	-20.0%	-20.0%
Financial Activities	2,800	2,700	2,700	2,700	0.0%	-3.6%
Professional & Business Services	8,000	7,200	7,200	7,300	1.4%	-8.8%
Educational & Health Services	15,300	15,300	15,500	15,300	-1.3%	0.0%
Leisure & Hospitality	7,100	5,400	5,700	5,500	-3.5%	-22.5%
Accommodation & Food Services	5,900	4,600	4,700	4,700	0.0%	-20.3%
Other Services	2,500	1,700	1,800	1,800	0.0%	-28.0%
Government	13,200	12,600	11,000	12,700	15.5%	-3.8%
Federal Government	1,400	1,400	1,400	1,500	7.1%	7.1%
State & Local Government	11,800	11,200	9,600	11,200	16.7%	-5.1%
State Government	2,000	2,000	2,100	2,000	-4.8%	0.0%
Local Government	9,800	9,200	7,500	9,200	22.7%	-6.1%
Local Government Education	5,300	5,000	3,200	4,800	50.0%	-9.4%
Local Government Excluding Education	4,500	4,200	4,300	4,400	2.3%	-2.2%
Special Districts plus Indian Tribes	1,300	900	1,100	1,200	9.1%	-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: Sheila Stock 916-651-5914 or Randy Weaver 707-441-5706

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