

**SAN DIEGO-CARLSBAD METROPOLITAN STATISTICAL AREA
(SAN DIEGO COUNTY)**

Nonfarm payrolls up 20,500 over the month; down 135,800 over the year

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Between July 2020 and August 2020, nonfarm employment increased by 20,500, from 1,350,800 to 1,371,300. Agricultural employment added 100 jobs, from 9,500 to 9,600.

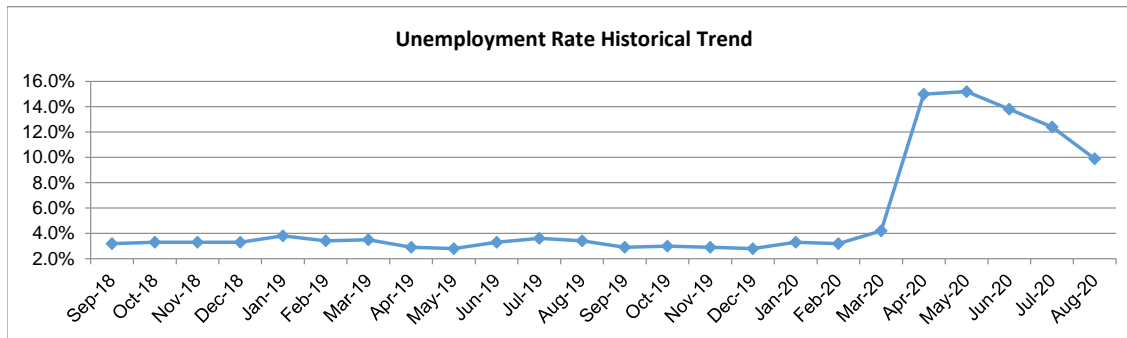
- Government led all industry sectors in month-over job gains at 6,800. Local government gained 4,600 jobs, where local government educational services (up 4,300) was the main contributor. The federal government augmented payrolls by 2,600. State government lost 400 jobs, where all of the losses were registered by state government educational services (down 400).
- Professional and business services boosted payroll levels by 5,300. Within professional and business services, administrative and support services (up 3,100) accounted for over 58 percent of the month-over payroll gains. Professional, scientific, and technical services and management of companies and enterprises also expanded employment levels by 2,100 and 100, respectively.
- The employment levels of construction (up 3,100), trade, transportation, and utilities (up 2,600), other services (1,200), educational and health services (1,000), financial activities (up 500), and manufacturing (up 500) all advanced over the month.
- Leisure and hospitality (down 400) and information (down 100) were the only two industry sectors to log job losses. Mining and logging employment remained unchanged.

Between August 2019 and August 2020, nonfarm employment fell by 135,800, from 1,507,100 to 1,371,300. Agricultural employment decreased by 400, from 10,000 to 9,600.

- Over the year, leading all industry sectors in payroll cutbacks was leisure and hospitality (down 60,100). Payroll cutbacks were most notable in accommodation and food services (down 43,900), where the job levels of food services and drinking places (down 29,100) and accommodation (down 14,800) contracted. Arts, entertainment, and recreation employment levels reduced by 16,200.
- The payroll levels of trade, transportation, and utilities (down 17,100) logged year-over job losses. The bulk of the job losses came from retail trade (down 11,700), followed by losses in wholesale trade (down 4,200) and transportation, warehousing, and utilities (down 1,200).
- Government (down 15,400), educational and health services (down 13,000), other services (down 12,000), manufacturing (down 7,200), information (down 3,800), construction (down 3,600), financial activities (down 3,300), and professional services (down 300) all reported year-over job losses. Mining and logging employment levels reported no change.

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Industry	Jul-2020	Aug-2020	Change		Aug-2019	Aug-2020	Change
	Revised	Prelim				Prelim	
Total, All Industries	1,360,300	1,380,900	20,600		1,517,100	1,380,900	(136,200)
Total Farm	9,500	9,600	100		10,000	9,600	(400)
Total Nonfarm	1,350,800	1,371,300	20,500		1,507,100	1,371,300	(135,800)
Mining, Logging, and Construction	80,100	83,200	3,100		86,800	83,200	(3,600)
Mining and Logging	400	400	0		400	400	0
Construction	79,700	82,800	3,100		86,400	82,800	(3,600)
Manufacturing	108,300	108,800	500		116,000	108,800	(7,200)
Trade, Transportation & Utilities	204,000	206,600	2,600		223,700	206,600	(17,100)
Information	19,900	19,800	(100)		23,600	19,800	(3,800)
Financial Activities	73,500	74,000	500		77,300	74,000	(3,300)
Professional & Business Services	253,900	259,200	5,300		259,500	259,200	(300)
Educational & Health Services	201,700	202,700	1,000		215,700	202,700	(13,000)
Leisure & Hospitality	148,400	148,000	(400)		208,100	148,000	(60,100)
Other Services	43,500	44,700	1,200		56,700	44,700	(12,000)
Government	217,500	224,300	6,800		239,700	224,300	(15,400)

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 Revised	Aug 20 Prelim	Percent Change	
					Month	Year
Civilian Labor Force (1)	1,591,000	1,584,400	1,575,500	1,559,100	-1.0%	-2.0%
Civilian Employment	1,537,300	1,365,100	1,379,500	1,404,700	1.8%	-8.6%
Civilian Unemployment	53,700	219,300	196,100	154,300	-21.3%	187.3%
Civilian Unemployment Rate (CA Unemployment Rate)	3.4%	13.8%	12.4%	9.9%		
(U.S. Unemployment Rate)	4.2%	15.1%	13.9%	11.6%		
	3.8%	11.2%	10.5%	8.5%		
Total, All Industries (2)	1,517,100	1,371,500	1,360,300	1,380,900	1.5%	-9.0%
Total Farm	10,000	9,500	9,500	9,600	1.1%	-4.0%
Total Nonfarm	1,507,100	1,362,000	1,350,800	1,371,300	1.5%	-9.0%
Total Private	1,267,400	1,122,800	1,133,300	1,147,000	1.2%	-9.5%
Goods Producing	202,800	189,600	188,400	192,000	1.9%	-5.3%
Mining, Logging, and Construction	86,800	81,400	80,100	83,200	3.9%	-4.1%
Mining and Logging	400	400	400	400	0.0%	0.0%
Construction	86,400	81,000	79,700	82,800	3.9%	-4.2%
Construction of Buildings	19,100	19,100	19,000	19,700	3.7%	3.1%
Heavy & Civil Engineering Construction	7,800	7,400	7,200	7,500	4.2%	-3.8%
Specialty Trade Contractors	59,500	54,500	53,500	55,600	3.9%	-6.6%
Building Foundation & Exterior Contractors	11,700	10,300	10,100	10,600	5.0%	-9.4%
Building Equipment Contractors	23,800	23,100	22,600	23,200	2.7%	-2.5%
Building Finishing Contractors	17,000	14,400	14,100	14,900	5.7%	-12.4%
Residual-Other Specialty Trade Contractors	7,000	6,700	6,700	6,900	3.0%	-1.4%
Manufacturing	116,000	108,200	108,300	108,800	0.5%	-6.2%
Durable Goods	86,500	81,500	81,500	81,700	0.2%	-5.5%
Computer & Electronic Product Manufacturing	29,800	29,900	30,100	30,100	0.0%	1.0%
Transportation Equipment Manufacturing	22,300	21,900	21,900	22,200	1.4%	-0.4%
Aerospace Product & Parts Manufacturing	13,400	13,400	13,400	13,500	0.7%	0.7%
Ship & Boat Building	7,600	7,100	7,100	7,200	1.4%	-5.3%
Nondurable Goods	29,500	26,700	26,800	27,100	1.1%	-8.1%
Service Providing	1,304,300	1,172,400	1,162,400	1,179,300	1.5%	-9.6%
Private Service Providing	1,064,600	933,200	944,900	955,000	1.1%	-10.3%
Trade, Transportation & Utilities	223,700	198,400	204,000	206,600	1.3%	-7.6%
Wholesale Trade	44,300	39,600	39,800	40,100	0.8%	-9.5%
Merchant Wholesalers, Durable Goods	24,000	21,500	21,900	22,000	0.5%	-8.3%
Merchant Wholesalers, Nondurable Goods	17,100	15,700	15,800	15,800	0.0%	-7.6%
Retail Trade	144,700	127,000	130,700	133,000	1.8%	-8.1%
Motor Vehicle & Parts Dealer	17,400	13,300	13,500	14,000	3.7%	-19.5%
Building Material & Garden Equipment Stores	9,800	9,700	9,700	10,200	5.2%	4.1%
Food & Beverage Stores	31,600	31,300	31,300	31,600	1.0%	0.0%
Grocery Stores	27,400	28,200	28,200	28,200	0.0%	2.9%
Health & Personal Care Stores	8,700	7,700	7,800	7,900	1.3%	-9.2%
Clothing & Clothing Accessories Stores	16,600	14,000	15,900	15,100	-5.0%	-9.0%
Clothing Stores	12,700	8,700	9,800	9,300	-5.1%	-26.8%
Sporting Goods, Hobby, Book & Music Stores	5,900	4,400	4,400	4,600	4.5%	-22.0%
General Merchandise Stores	25,300	21,600	21,700	22,200	2.3%	-12.3%
Department Stores	10,400	6,800	6,800	7,300	7.4%	-29.8%
General Merchandise Stores	14,900	14,800	14,900	14,900	0.0%	0.0%
Miscellaneous Store Retailers	9,000	6,100	6,900	7,200	4.3%	-20.0%
Transportation, Warehousing & Utilities	34,700	31,800	33,500	33,500	0.0%	-3.5%
Utilities	4,600	4,600	4,600	4,600	0.0%	0.0%
Transportation & Warehousing	30,100	27,200	28,900	28,900	0.0%	-4.0%
Warehousing & Storage	2,400	2,200	2,200	2,300	4.5%	-4.2%
Information	23,600	19,800	19,900	19,800	-0.5%	-16.1%
Publishing Industries (except Internet)	7,100	5,600	5,700	5,700	0.0%	-19.7%
Software Publishers	5,300	4,400	4,400	4,400	0.0%	-17.0%
Broadcasting (except Internet)	2,800	2,500	2,500	2,500	0.0%	-10.7%
Telecommunications	6,700	6,100	6,100	6,000	-1.6%	-10.4%

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Financial Activities	77,300	73,300	73,500	74,000	0.7%	-4.3%
Finance & Insurance	46,500	45,100	44,800	45,100	0.7%	-3.0%
Credit Intermediation & Related Activities	19,400	19,200	19,100	19,000	-0.5%	-2.1%
Securities, Commodity Contracts & Investments	9,500	9,100	9,200	9,200	0.0%	-3.2%
Insurance Carriers & Related	17,600	16,800	16,500	16,900	2.4%	-4.0%
Real Estate & Rental & Leasing	30,800	28,200	28,700	28,900	0.7%	-6.2%
Real Estate	24,300	22,600	23,000	23,100	0.4%	-4.9%
Professional & Business Services	259,500	252,700	253,900	259,200	2.1%	-0.1%
Professional, Scientific & Technical Services	148,100	145,100	146,500	148,600	1.4%	0.3%
Legal Services	13,100	12,700	12,900	13,100	1.6%	0.0%
Architectural, Engineering & Related Services	24,400	23,700	23,500	23,600	0.4%	-3.3%
Scientific Research & Development Services	36,600	37,200	37,500	37,600	0.3%	2.7%
Management of Companies & Enterprises	23,900	22,500	22,400	22,500	0.4%	-5.9%
Administrative & Support & Waste Services	87,500	85,100	85,000	88,100	3.6%	0.7%
Administrative & Support Services	83,500	81,100	81,000	84,100	3.8%	0.7%
Employment Services	30,500	27,400	27,400	29,000	5.8%	-4.9%
Services to Buildings & Dwellings	24,400	22,200	22,300	22,600	1.3%	-7.4%
Waste Management & Remediation Services	4,000	4,000	4,000	4,000	0.0%	0.0%
Educational & Health Services	215,700	199,400	201,700	202,700	0.5%	-6.0%
Educational Services	28,500	25,500	24,000	24,400	1.7%	-14.4%
Colleges, Universities & Professional Schools	10,800	9,300	8,300	8,200	-1.2%	-24.1%
Health Care & Social Assistance	187,200	173,900	177,700	178,300	0.3%	-4.8%
Ambulatory Health Care Services	82,300	77,100	77,800	77,800	0.0%	-5.5%
Hospitals	22,500	21,400	24,400	24,200	-0.8%	7.6%
Nursing & Residential Care Facilities	29,100	27,800	27,700	27,900	0.7%	-4.1%
Social Assistance	53,300	47,600	47,800	48,400	1.3%	-9.2%
Leisure & Hospitality	208,100	148,000	148,400	148,000	-0.3%	-28.9%
Arts, Entertainment & Recreation	33,600	18,100	18,300	17,400	-4.9%	-48.2%
Amusement, Gambling, & Recreation	23,300	10,400	10,400	9,800	-5.8%	-57.9%
Accommodation & Food Services	174,500	129,900	130,100	130,600	0.4%	-25.2%
Accommodation	32,900	17,700	17,800	18,100	1.7%	-45.0%
Food Services & Drinking Places	141,600	112,200	112,300	112,500	0.2%	-20.6%
Restaurants	130,300	103,200	103,600	104,300	0.7%	-20.0%
Other Services	56,700	41,600	43,500	44,700	2.8%	-21.2%
Repair & Maintenance	12,800	11,400	11,700	12,000	2.6%	-6.3%
Personal & Laundry Services	21,900	11,600	12,900	12,400	-3.9%	-43.4%
Religious, Grants, Civic, Professional & Like Org	22,000	18,600	18,900	20,300	7.4%	-7.7%
Government	239,700	239,200	217,500	224,300	3.1%	-6.4%
Federal Government	47,600	48,500	48,900	51,500	5.3%	8.2%
Federal Government excluding Department of Defense	23,800	24,300	24,500	27,100	10.6%	13.9%
Department of Defense	23,800	24,200	24,400	24,400	0.0%	2.5%
State & Local Government	192,100	190,700	168,600	172,800	2.5%	-10.0%
State Government	49,200	50,000	44,300	43,900	-0.9%	-10.8%
State Government Education	31,300	31,600	25,900	25,500	-1.5%	-18.5%
State Government Excluding Education	17,900	18,400	18,400	18,400	0.0%	2.8%
Local Government	142,900	140,700	124,300	128,900	3.7%	-9.8%
Local Government Education	72,400	73,300	56,700	61,000	7.6%	-15.7%
Local Government Excluding Education	70,500	67,400	67,600	67,900	0.4%	-3.7%
County	19,900	20,500	20,500	20,800	1.5%	4.5%
City	19,800	18,600	18,800	18,800	0.0%	-5.1%
Special Districts plus Indian Tribes	30,800	28,300	28,300	28,300	0.0%	-8.1%

Notes:

(1) Civilian labor force data are by place of residence; include self-employed individuals, unpaid family workers, household domestic workers, & workers on strike.

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San Diego Carlsbad MSA
(San Diego County)
 Industry Employment & Labor Force
 March 2019 Benchmark

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	Aug 19	Jun 20	Jul 20 Revised	Aug 20 Prelim	Percent Change Month Year
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These data are produced by the Labor Market Information Division of the California Employment Development Department (EDD). Questions should be directed to: Angel Cordero 760-414-3564 or Emerson Figueroa 909-948-6657

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