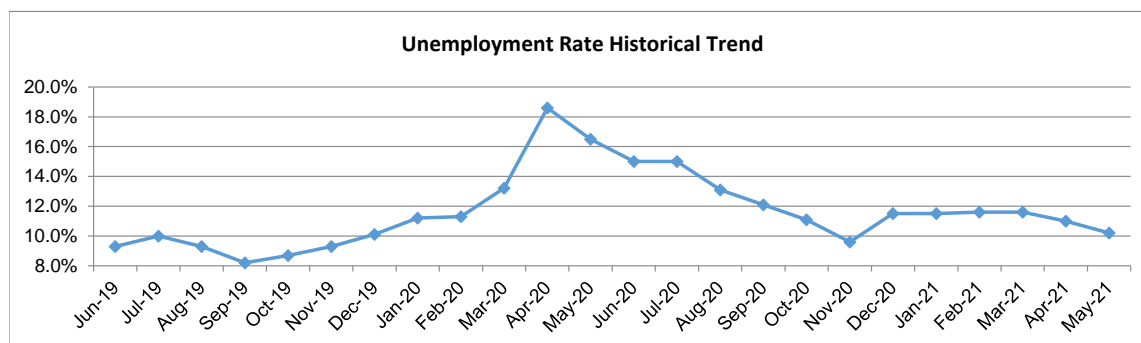


IMMEDIATE RELEASE
 VISALIA-PORTERVILLE METROPOLITAN STATISTICAL AREA (MSA)
 (Tulare County)

The unemployment rate in the Tulare County was 10.2 percent in May 2021, down from a revised 11.0 percent in April 2021, and below the year-ago estimate of 16.5 percent. This compares with an unadjusted unemployment rate of 7.5 percent for California and 5.5 percent for the nation during the same period.



Industry	Apr-2021	May-2021	Change		May-2020	May-2021	Change
	Revised	Prelim				Prelim	
Total, All Industries	161,500	167,100	5,600		161,700	167,100	5,400
Total Farm	38,900	44,000	5,100		43,400	44,000	600
Total Nonfarm	122,600	123,100	500		118,300	123,100	4,800
Mining, Logging, and Construction	6,500	6,700	200		6,700	6,700	0
Manufacturing	12,400	12,400	0		12,500	12,400	(100)
Trade, Transportation & Utilities	27,100	27,000	(100)		25,100	27,000	1,900
Information	500	600	100		500	600	100
Financial Activities	3,700	3,700	0		3,700	3,700	0
Professional & Business Services	10,300	10,400	100		10,700	10,400	(300)
Educational & Health Services	17,300	17,400	100		16,400	17,400	1,000
Leisure & Hospitality	10,500	10,700	200		9,000	10,700	1,700
Other Services	3,000	3,000	0		2,900	3,000	100
Government	31,300	31,200	(100)		30,800	31,200	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

	May 20	Mar 21	Apr 21	May 21	Percent Change	
			Revised	Prelim	Month	Year
Civilian Labor Force (1)	203,900	193,600	197,100	201,200	2.1%	-1.3%
Civilian Employment	170,200	171,200	175,500	180,600	2.9%	6.1%
Civilian Unemployment	33,600	22,500	21,600	20,600	-4.6%	-38.7%
Civilian Unemployment Rate	16.5%	11.6%	11.0%	10.2%		
(CA Unemployment Rate)	15.5%	8.2%	8.1%	7.5%		
(U.S. Unemployment Rate)	13.0%	6.2%	5.7%	5.5%		

Total, All Industries (2)	161,700	152,800	161,500	167,100	3.5%	3.3%
Total Farm	43,400	30,900	38,900	44,000	13.1%	1.4%
Total Nonfarm	118,300	121,900	122,600	123,100	0.4%	4.1%
Total Private	87,500	90,700	91,300	91,900	0.7%	5.0%
Goods Producing	19,200	18,700	18,900	19,100	1.1%	-0.5%
Mining, Logging, and Construction	6,700	6,300	6,500	6,700	3.1%	0.0%
Manufacturing	12,500	12,400	12,400	12,400	0.0%	-0.8%
Durable Goods	3,000	3,000	3,100	3,100	0.0%	3.3%
Nondurable Goods	9,500	9,400	9,300	9,300	0.0%	-2.1%
Food Man & Beverage & Tobacco	6,400	6,400	6,300	6,300	0.0%	-1.6%
Service Providing	99,100	103,200	103,700	104,000	0.3%	4.9%
Private Service Providing	68,300	72,000	72,400	72,800	0.6%	6.6%
Trade, Transportation & Utilities	25,100	27,300	27,100	27,000	-0.4%	7.6%
Wholesale Trade	4,300	4,100	4,100	4,100	0.0%	-4.7%
Retail Trade	14,000	16,100	16,000	15,900	-0.6%	13.6%
General Merchandise Stores	3,400	3,600	3,500	3,500	0.0%	2.9%
Transportation, Warehousing & Utilities	6,800	7,100	7,000	7,000	0.0%	2.9%
Information	500	500	500	600	20.0%	20.0%
Financial Activities	3,700	3,700	3,700	3,700	0.0%	0.0%
Finance & Insurance	2,600	2,500	2,400	2,400	0.0%	-7.7%
Professional & Business Services	10,700	10,300	10,300	10,400	1.0%	-2.8%
Educational & Health Services	16,400	17,300	17,300	17,400	0.6%	6.1%
Leisure & Hospitality	9,000	10,000	10,500	10,700	1.9%	18.9%
Arts, Entertainment & Recreation	400	600	700	700	0.0%	75.0%
Accommodation & Food Services	8,600	9,400	9,800	10,000	2.0%	16.3%
Accommodation	600	500	600	600	0.0%	0.0%
Food Services & Drinking Places	8,000	8,900	9,200	9,400	2.2%	17.5%
Other Services	2,900	2,900	3,000	3,000	0.0%	3.4%
Government	30,800	31,200	31,300	31,200	-0.3%	1.3%
Federal Government	1,000	800	800	1,000	25.0%	0.0%
State & Local Government	29,800	30,400	30,500	30,200	-1.0%	1.3%
State Government	1,600	1,500	1,600	1,600	0.0%	0.0%
Local Government	28,200	28,900	28,900	28,600	-1.0%	1.4%
Local Government Excluding Education	13,200	13,500	13,700	13,700	0.0%	3.8%
Special Districts plus Indian Tribes	6,800	7,300	7,400	7,400	0.0%	8.8%

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.

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Industry Employment & Labor Force
March 2020 Benchmark

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	May 20	Mar 21	Apr 21 Revised	May 21 Prelim	Percent Change Month Year
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