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UTAH'S EMPLOYMENT SUMMARY: APRIL 2014

SALT LAKE CITY— Utah's nonfarm payroll employment for April 2014 grew by an estimated 2.9 percent, adding 36,800 jobs to the economy as compared to April 2013. Utah's current employment level registers 1,323,400.

April's seasonally adjusted unemployment rate registered 3.8 percent, dropping three tenths of a percentage point from March. Approximately 55,200 Utahns were unemployed in the month and actively seeking work. The national unemployment rate also experienced an over-the-month drop of three tenths to 6.3 percent.

Adding another 36,800 jobs over-the-year shows a continuing trend of steady labor market expansion for the Utah economy. Furthermore, growth in both the labor force and the proportion of individuals within the labor force who are employed signals that the state economy is vibrant and should remain that way moving into summer and the latter half of 2014.

All of the ten private sector industry groups measured in the establishment survey posted net job increases in April as compared to last year. The largest overall employment increases were in Trade, Transportation and Utilities (7,900 jobs), Leisure and Hospitality (6,800 jobs) and Construction (5,500 jobs). The fastest employment growth occurred in Construction (7.7 percent) Information (5.9 percent) and Leisure and Hospitality (5.5 percent).

* Additional analysis and tables <http://jobs.utah.gov/wi/pubs/une/index.html>

* Utah's May employment information will be released at 9:00 a.m. on Friday, June 20, 2014.

* County unemployment rates for April will be posted on or shortly after May 19th at <http://jobs.utah.gov/opencms/wi/pubs/une/season.pdf>

Statistics generated by the U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics, Washington, D.C., modeled from monthly employer (employment) and household (unemployment) surveys.

Labor Market Indicators
April 2014

Utah

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United States

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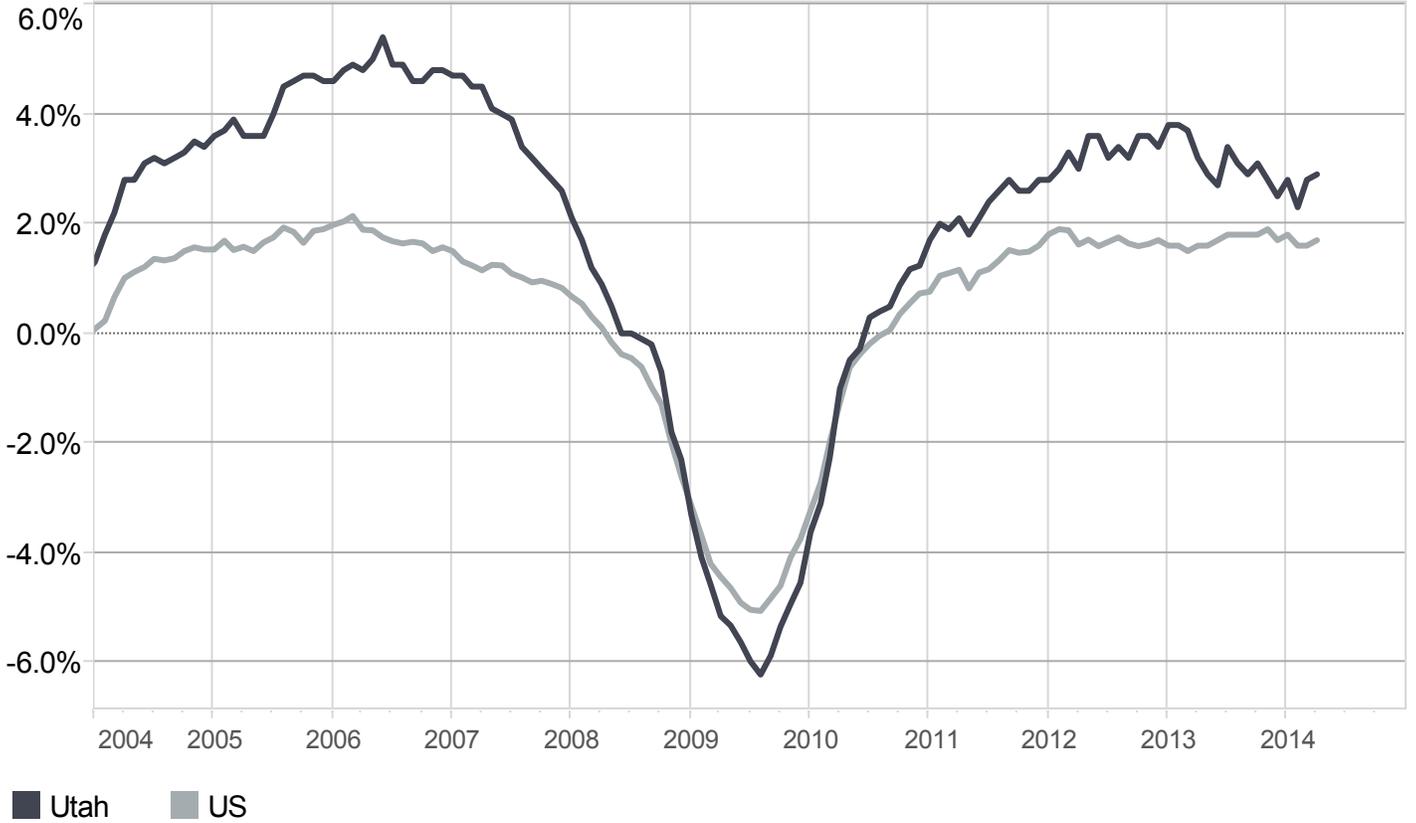
Utah Nonagricultural Jobs by Industry and Components of the Labor Force

Numbers are in thousands	Apr (p) 2014	Apr (r) 2013	Percentage Change	Mar (r) 2014	Mar (r) 2013	Percentage Change
CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE (seasonally-adjusted)	1,457.4	1,409.1	3.4	1,458.6	1,405.7	3.8
Employed	1,402.2	1,346.3	4.2	1,399.3	1,341.7	4.3
Unemployed	55.2	62.8	-12.1	59.3	63.9	-7.2
Unemployment Rate	3.8	4.5		4.0	4.5	
NONAGRICULTURAL EMPLOYMENT (Thousands)	1,323.4	1,286.6	2.9	1,310.2	1,274.4	2.8
Not seasonally-adjusted						
PRIVATE SECTOR	1,089.8	1,057.9	3.0	1,079.1	1,047.8	3.0
GOODS PRODUCING	210.4	201.7	4.3	206.9	198.7	4.1
Natural Resources and Mining	12.4	12.2	1.6	12.2	12.1	0.8
Construction	76.7	71.2	7.7	73.4	68.8	6.7
Construction of Buildings	15.0	14.3	4.9	14.5	14.2	2.1
Heavy and Civil Engineering	8.7	8.6	1.2	7.8	7.8	0.0
Specialty Trade Contractors	53.0	48.3	9.7	51.1	46.8	9.2
Manufacturing	121.3	118.3	2.5	121.3	117.8	3.0
Durable Goods	78.2	77.7	0.6	78.2	77.5	0.9
Primary and Fabricated Metals	17.0	17.1	-0.6	16.9	17.1	-1.2
Computer and Electronic Products	13.5	14.0	-3.6	13.6	13.9	-2.2
Transportation and Equipment Manufacturing	11.6	11.3	2.7	11.6	11.3	2.7
Non-Durable Goods	43.1	40.6	6.2	43.1	40.3	6.9
SERVICES PROVIDING	1,113.0	1,084.9	2.6	1,103.3	1,075.7	2.6
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	251.0	243.1	3.2	250.0	241.6	3.5
Wholesale Trade	51.2	48.1	6.4	50.5	47.7	5.9
Retail Trade	148.2	145.1	2.1	147.1	143.2	2.7
Motor Vehicle and Parts Dealers	18.8	18.0	4.4	18.5	17.7	4.5
Food and Beverage Stores	22.2	22.1	0.5	22.1	21.8	1.4
General Merchandise Stores	29.3	29.6	-1.0	29.1	29.4	-1.0
Transportation and Utilities	51.6	49.9	3.4	52.4	50.7	3.4
Utilities	3.8	3.9	-2.6	3.9	3.9	0.0
Transportation & Warehousing	47.8	46.0	3.9	48.5	46.8	3.6
Air Transportation	6.0	6.1	-1.6	6.0	6.2	-3.2
Truck Transportation	20.9	19.7	6.1	20.8	19.6	6.1
Information	33.9	32.0	5.9	33.7	33.3	1.2
Publishing Industries	10.2	10.0	2.0	10.2	10.2	0.0
Motion Picture and Sound Recording	4.3	4.1	4.9	4.2	4.2	0.0
Telecommunications	5.9	5.8	1.7	5.9	5.6	5.4
Internet Service Providers	6.7	6.3	6.3	6.7	6.5	3.1
Financial Activities	73.0	71.8	1.7	72.6	71.3	1.8
Finance and Insurance	55.4	54.5	1.7	55.1	54.3	1.5
Real Estate and Rental and Leasing	17.6	17.3	1.7	17.5	17.0	2.9
Professional and Business Services	176.2	175.6	0.3	173.7	172.2	0.9
Professional, Scientific, and Technical Services	79.1	80.0	-1.1	78.8	76.9	2.5
Architectural, Engineering, and Related	13.0	13.0	0.0	13.2	12.7	3.9
Computer Systems Design and Related	19.9	18.8	5.9	19.9	18.5	7.6
Management of Companies and Enterprises	19.4	19.0	2.1	19.4	19.2	1.0
Administration & Support						
& Waste Management & Remediation	77.7	76.6	1.4	75.5	76.1	-0.8
Employment Services	22.4	22.4	0.0	22.2	23.9	-7.1
Business Support Services	21.1	17.9	17.9	21.0	17.9	17.3
Education and Health Services	176.6	173.0	2.1	175.3	171.5	2.2
Educational Services	42.8	41.7	2.6	42.4	40.9	3.7
Health Services and Social Assistance	133.8	131.3	1.9	132.9	130.6	1.8
Ambulatory Health Care Services	55.2	54.8	0.7	54.4	53.7	1.3
Hospitals	34.1	33.4	2.1	34.1	33.6	1.5
Nursing and Residential Care Facilities	24.2	23.3	3.9	24.1	23.3	3.4
Social Assistance	20.3	19.8	2.5	20.3	20.0	1.5
Leisure and Hospitality	130.9	124.1	5.5	129.1	123.1	4.9
Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation	22.5	20.3	10.8	21.8	20.0	9.0
Accommodation and Food Services	108.4	103.8	4.4	107.3	103.1	4.1
Accommodation	20.7	18.9	9.5	21.7	19.5	11.3
Food Services and Drinking Places	87.7	84.9	3.3	85.6	83.6	2.4
Other Services	37.8	36.6	3.3	37.8	36.1	4.7
Government	233.6	228.7	2.1	231.1	226.6	2.0
Federal Government	34.3	34.9	-1.7	34.1	34.7	-1.7
Federal Defense	16.0	16.2	-1.2	16.0	16.3	-1.8
Other Federal Government	18.3	18.7	-2.1	18.1	18.4	-1.6
State Government	74.9	71.4	4.9	74.2	70.6	5.1
State Schools	45.5	42.9	6.1	45.3	42.5	6.6
Other State Government	29.4	28.5	3.2	28.9	28.1	2.8
Local Government	124.4	122.4	1.6	122.8	121.3	1.2
Local Education	69.9	69.9	0.0	69.6	70.1	-0.7
Other Local Government	54.5	52.5	3.8	53.2	51.2	3.9

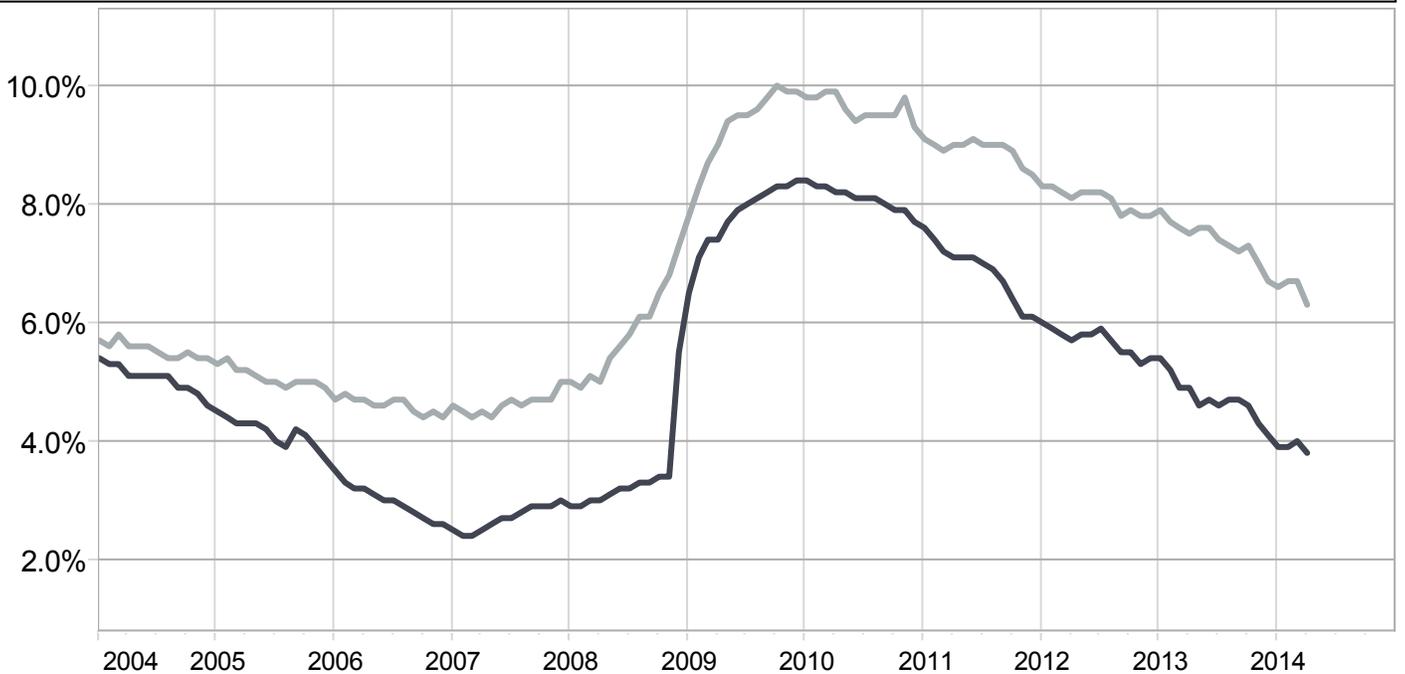
Source: U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics: Local Area Unemployment Statistics (LAUS); Current Employment Statistics (CES). May 16, 2014.

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Year-Over Percent Change In Nonfarm Jobs

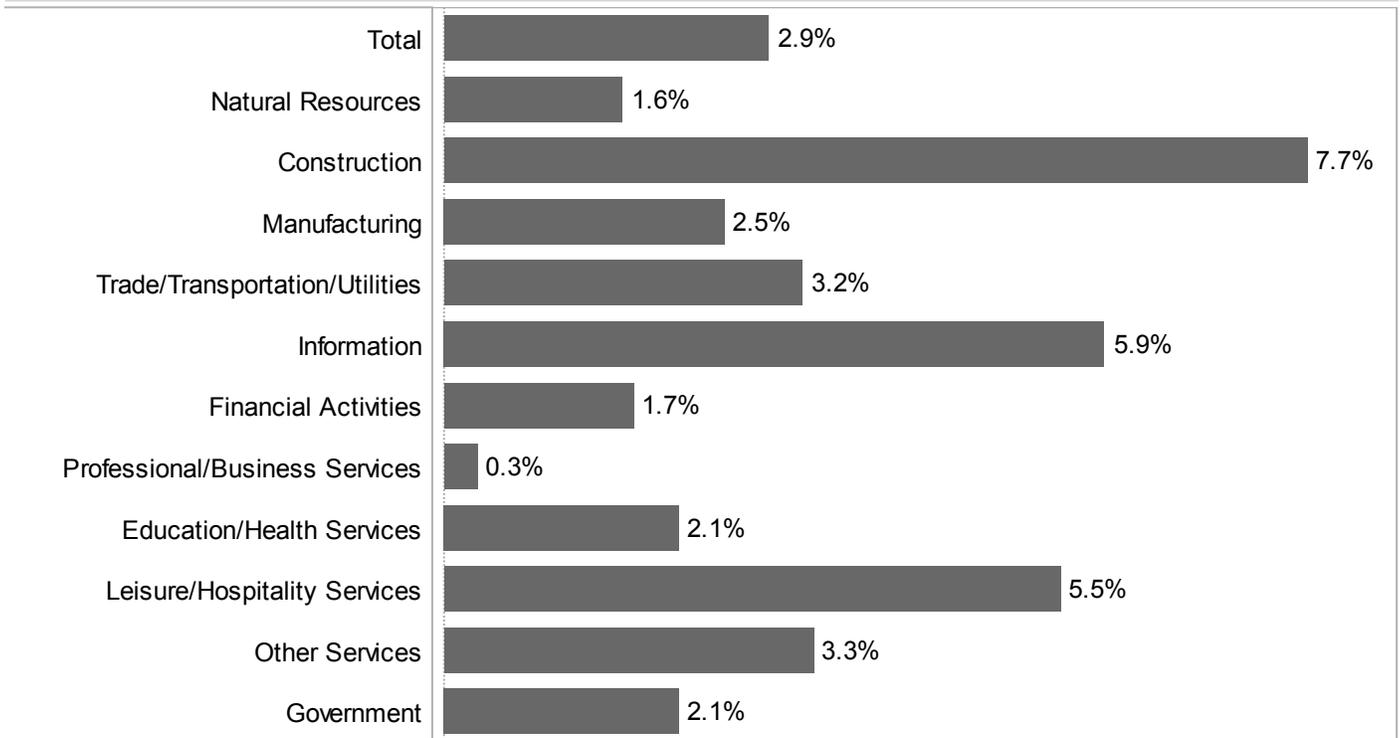


Seasonally Adjusted Unemployment Rates

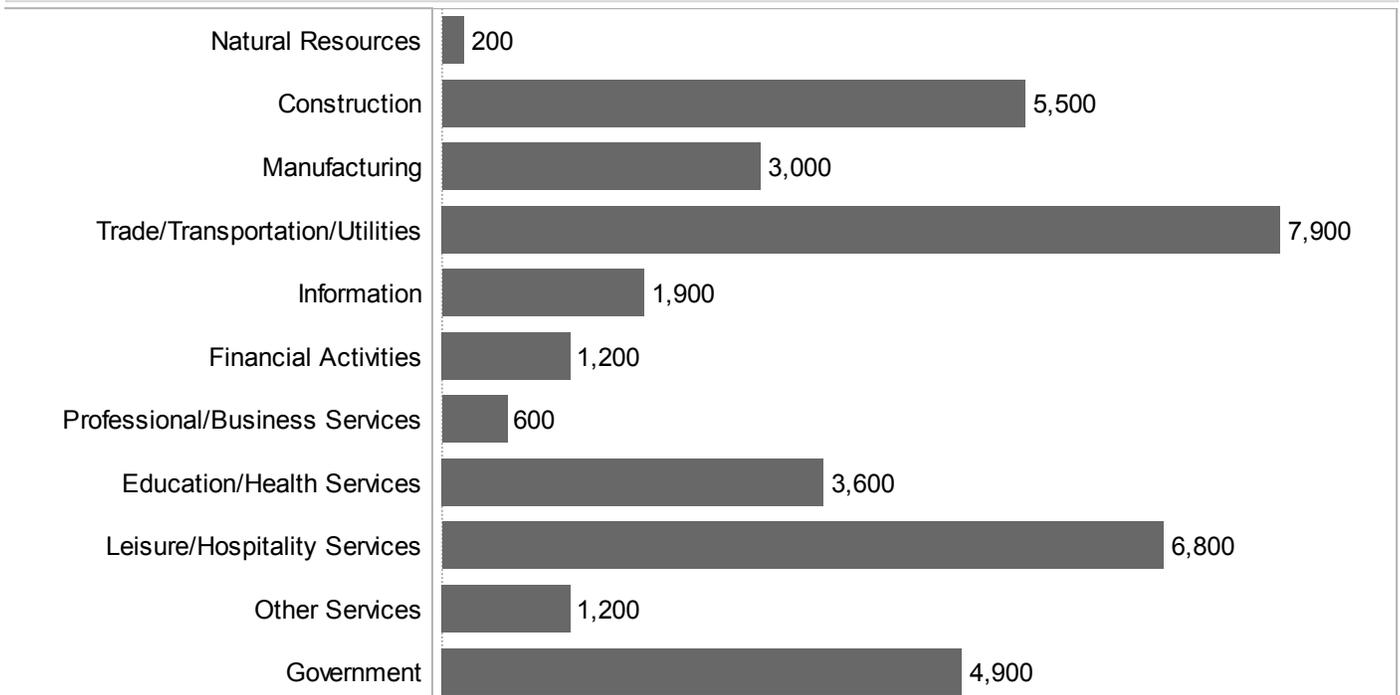


Utah Nonfarm Industry Profiles April 2013 - 2014

Percentage Change



Numeric Change



NONFARM EMPLOYMENT IN UTAH'S COUNTIES

	April 2014 <i>Estimate</i>	April 2013 <i>Actual</i>	Percent Change	March 2014 <i>Estimate</i>	February 2014 <i>Estimate</i>
BEAVER	2,365	2,282	3.6	2,349	2,276
BOX ELDER	17,659	16,845	4.8	17,444	17,035
CACHE	53,083	52,307	1.5	52,620	52,431
CARBON	9,055	9,032	0.3	8,905	8,805
DAGGETT	383	371	3.1	327	314
DAVIS	112,628	109,356	3.0	110,939	110,100
DUCHESNE	9,456	9,124	3.6	9,307	9,229
EMERY	3,404	3,452	-1.4	3,348	3,263
GARFIELD	2,261	2,220	1.9	1,913	1,724
GRAND	5,237	5,108	2.5	4,807	4,139
IRON	15,796	15,338	3.0	15,644	15,515
JUAB	3,336	3,269	2.1	3,302	3,236
KANE	3,090	3,036	1.8	2,779	2,645
MILLARD	4,018	3,920	2.5	3,959	3,880
MORGAN	1,886	1,848	2.0	1,812	1,793
PIUTE	238	249	-4.4	224	219
RICH	638	556	14.8	598	572
SALT LAKE	642,300	621,766	3.3	634,571	630,863
SAN JUAN	4,314	4,109	5.0	4,114	4,063
SANPETE	7,286	7,334	-0.7	7,187	7,067
SEVIER	8,011	7,949	0.8	7,856	7,782
SUMMIT	24,327	23,774	2.3	26,467	26,877
TOOELE	15,487	15,625	-0.9	15,302	15,202
UINTAH	14,532	14,600	-0.5	14,411	14,259
UTAH	208,982	199,744	4.6	205,283	204,052
WASATCH	6,813	6,504	4.7	6,770	6,761
WASHINGTON	53,456	51,308	4.2	52,381	51,328
WAYNE	1,011	907	11.5	800	723
WEBER	96,145	94,848	1.4	95,774	95,247

Note: Numbers have been left unrounded for convenience rather than to denote accuracy.

Note: Employment numbers are not seasonally adjusted. Therefore, comparisons of employment levels from one month to the next should not be used as job creation/loss estimates between those months. Seasonal factors could be the reason. For example, employment levels in September are usually higher than in August, as school employment resumes.

Source: Utah Department of Workforce Services, Workforce Research and Analysis, 5/16/2014