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UTAH'S EMPLOYMENT SUMMARY: JULY 2014

SALT LAKE CITY— Utah's nonfarm payroll employment for July 2014 grew by an estimated 3.6 percent, adding 45,900 jobs to the economy as compared to July 2013. Utah's current employment level registers 1,325,300.

July's seasonally adjusted unemployment rate registered 3.6 percent, a one-tenth percentage point increase from June. Approximately 51,800 Utahns were unemployed in the month and actively seeking work. The national unemployment rate also increased one tenth from June, measuring 6.2 percent for the month.

"July's 3.6 percent growth is the highest thus far in 2014, both in terms of rate and numerical change compared to 2013," reported Carrie Mayne, Chief Economist at the Department of Workforce Services. "While the size of the labor force has contracted slightly over the last four months, job growth is strong and job seekers are generally finding employment opportunities."

All of the ten private sector industry groups measured in the establishment survey posted net job increases in July as compared to last year. The largest employment increases were in Construction (8,200 jobs), Trade, Transportation and Utilities (7,800 jobs), and Education and Health Services (5,800 jobs). The fastest employment growth occurred in Construction (10.6 percent), Information, (7.7 percent), and Natural Resources (4.9 percent).

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

\* August employment information will be released at 9:00 a.m. on Friday, September 19, 2014.

\* County unemployment rates for July will be posted on or shortly after August 18th 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**  
**July 2014**

**Utah**  
Employment Year-Over % Change: 3.6%  
Employment # Change: 45,900  
Unemployment Rate: 3.6%

**United States**  
Employment Year-Over % Change: 1.9%  
Unemployment Rate: 6.2%

## Utah Nonagricultural Jobs by Industry and Components of the Labor Force

Numbers are in thousands	Jul (p) 2014	Jul (r) 2013	Percentage Change	Jun (r) 2014	Jun (r) 2013	Percentage Change
<b>CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE (seasonally-adjusted)</b>	<b>1,446.7</b>	<b>1,420.4</b>	<b>1.9</b>	<b>1,450.0</b>	<b>1,417.9</b>	<b>2.3</b>
Employed	1,395.0	1,356.4	2.8	1,399.0	1,353.3	3.4
Unemployed	51.8	64.0	-19.1	51.1	64.6	-20.9
Unemployment Rate	3.6	4.5		3.5	4.6	
<b>NONAGRICULTURAL EMPLOYMENT (Thousands)</b>	<b>1,325.3</b>	<b>1,279.4</b>	<b>3.6</b>	<b>1,336.4</b>	<b>1,291.3</b>	<b>3.5</b>
Not seasonally-adjusted						
<b>PRIVATE SECTOR</b>	<b>1,109.1</b>	<b>1,068.5</b>	<b>3.8</b>	<b>1,103.9</b>	<b>1,063.9</b>	<b>3.8</b>
<b>GOODS PRODUCING</b>	<b>222.5</b>	<b>208.8</b>	<b>6.6</b>	<b>218.6</b>	<b>206.9</b>	<b>5.7</b>
<b>Natural Resources and Mining</b>	<b>12.9</b>	<b>12.3</b>	<b>4.9</b>	<b>12.8</b>	<b>12.4</b>	<b>3.2</b>
<b>Construction</b>	<b>85.5</b>	<b>77.3</b>	<b>10.6</b>	<b>82.5</b>	<b>75.4</b>	<b>9.4</b>
Construction of Buildings	16.9	15.3	10.5	16.6	15.0	10.7
Heavy and Civil Engineering	10.3	9.6	7.3	9.8	9.3	5.4
Specialty Trade Contractors	58.3	52.4	11.3	56.1	51.1	9.8
<b>Manufacturing</b>	<b>124.1</b>	<b>119.2</b>	<b>4.1</b>	<b>123.3</b>	<b>119.1</b>	<b>3.5</b>
<b>Durable Goods</b>	<b>80.3</b>	<b>77.8</b>	<b>3.2</b>	<b>79.9</b>	<b>78.0</b>	<b>2.4</b>
Primary and Fabricated Metals	17.4	17.1	1.8	17.3	17.2	0.6
Computer and Electronic Products	13.4	13.9	-3.6	13.4	14.0	-4.3
Transportation and Equipment Manufacturing	11.8	11.3	4.4	11.8	11.2	5.4
<b>Non-Durable Goods</b>	<b>43.8</b>	<b>41.4</b>	<b>5.8</b>	<b>43.4</b>	<b>41.1</b>	<b>5.6</b>
<b>SERVICES PROVIDING</b>	<b>1,102.8</b>	<b>1,070.6</b>	<b>3.0</b>	<b>1,117.8</b>	<b>1,084.4</b>	<b>3.1</b>
<b>Trade, Transportation, and Utilities</b>	<b>255.1</b>	<b>247.3</b>	<b>3.2</b>	<b>254.9</b>	<b>245.9</b>	<b>3.7</b>
<b>Wholesale Trade</b>	<b>51.6</b>	<b>48.5</b>	<b>6.4</b>	<b>51.7</b>	<b>48.4</b>	<b>6.8</b>
<b>Retail Trade</b>	<b>150.0</b>	<b>148.0</b>	<b>1.4</b>	<b>150.1</b>	<b>147.2</b>	<b>2.0</b>
Motor Vehicle and Parts Dealers	19.0	18.6	2.2	19.0	18.4	3.3
Food and Beverage Stores	22.6	22.8	-0.9	22.3	22.4	-0.4
General Merchandise Stores	29.9	29.8	0.3	29.5	29.7	-0.7
<b>Transportation and Utilities</b>	<b>53.5</b>	<b>50.8</b>	<b>5.3</b>	<b>53.1</b>	<b>50.3</b>	<b>5.6</b>
Utilities	4.0	3.9	2.6	4.0	3.9	2.6
Transportation & Warehousing	49.5	46.9	5.5	49.1	46.4	5.8
Air Transportation	6.1	6.0	1.7	6.1	6.0	1.7
Truck Transportation	22.6	20.4	10.8	22.1	19.9	11.1
<b>Information</b>	<b>35.0</b>	<b>32.5</b>	<b>7.7</b>	<b>34.2</b>	<b>32.4</b>	<b>5.6</b>
Publishing Industries	10.4	10.2	2.0	10.3	10.1	2.0
Motion Picture and Sound Recording	4.4	4.2	4.8	4.6	4.4	4.5
Telecommunications	6.2	6.0	3.3	5.9	5.8	1.7
Internet Service Providers	6.9	6.3	9.5	6.8	6.3	7.9
<b>Financial Activities</b>	<b>74.3</b>	<b>73.6</b>	<b>1.0</b>	<b>73.4</b>	<b>72.9</b>	<b>0.7</b>
Finance and Insurance	55.9	55.8	0.2	55.5	55.4	0.2
Real Estate and Rental and Leasing	18.4	17.8	3.4	17.9	17.5	2.3
<b>Professional and Business Services</b>	<b>181.3</b>	<b>177.9</b>	<b>1.9</b>	<b>181.4</b>	<b>176.3</b>	<b>2.9</b>
Professional, Scientific, and Technical Services	82.1	78.2	5.0	81.8	77.8	5.1
Architectural, Engineering, and Related	13.6	13.4	1.5	13.6	13.3	2.3
Computer Systems Design and Related	19.9	19.5	2.1	20.1	19.2	4.7
Management of Companies and Enterprises	19.7	19.2	2.6	19.6	19.2	2.1
Administration & Support & Waste Management & Remediation	79.5	80.5	-1.2	80.0	79.3	0.9
Employment Services	23.4	22.8	2.6	23.7	23.3	1.7
Business Support Services	21.0	19.3	8.8	21.0	18.0	16.7
<b>Education and Health Services</b>	<b>170.1</b>	<b>164.3</b>	<b>3.5</b>	<b>172.1</b>	<b>166.5</b>	<b>3.4</b>
Educational Services	35.0	32.9	6.4	37.1	35.1	5.7
Health Services and Social Assistance	135.1	131.4	2.8	135.0	131.4	2.7
Ambulatory Health Care Services	56.1	54.4	3.1	56.2	54.9	2.4
Hospitals	34.6	34.3	0.9	34.3	33.5	2.4
Nursing and Residential Care Facilities	24.4	23.7	3.0	24.3	23.6	3.0
Social Assistance	20.0	19.0	5.3	20.2	19.4	4.1
<b>Leisure and Hospitality</b>	<b>132.2</b>	<b>127.0</b>	<b>4.1</b>	<b>131.2</b>	<b>126.4</b>	<b>3.8</b>
Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation	22.6	20.2	11.9	22.5	20.1	11.9
Accommodation and Food Services	109.6	106.8	2.6	108.7	106.3	2.3
Accommodation	19.3	19.0	1.6	18.4	18.8	-2.1
Food Services and Drinking Places	90.3	87.8	2.8	90.3	87.5	3.2
<b>Other Services</b>	<b>38.6</b>	<b>37.1</b>	<b>4.0</b>	<b>38.1</b>	<b>36.6</b>	<b>4.1</b>
<b>Government</b>	<b>216.2</b>	<b>210.9</b>	<b>2.5</b>	<b>232.5</b>	<b>227.4</b>	<b>2.2</b>
<b>Federal Government</b>	<b>34.7</b>	<b>34.9</b>	<b>-0.6</b>	<b>35.0</b>	<b>35.3</b>	<b>-0.8</b>
Federal Defense	16.0	16.0	0.0	15.9	16.1	-1.2
Other Federal Government	18.7	18.9	-1.1	19.1	19.2	-0.5
<b>State Government</b>	<b>71.7</b>	<b>68.3</b>	<b>5.0</b>	<b>72.9</b>	<b>69.4</b>	<b>5.0</b>
State Schools	41.5	39.2	5.9	42.6	40.6	4.9
Other State Government	30.2	29.1	3.8	30.3	28.8	5.2
<b>Local Government</b>	<b>109.8</b>	<b>107.7</b>	<b>1.9</b>	<b>124.6</b>	<b>122.7</b>	<b>1.5</b>
Local Education	52.4	52.6	-0.4	66.5	66.6	-0.2
Other Local Government	57.4	55.1	4.2	58.1	56.1	3.6

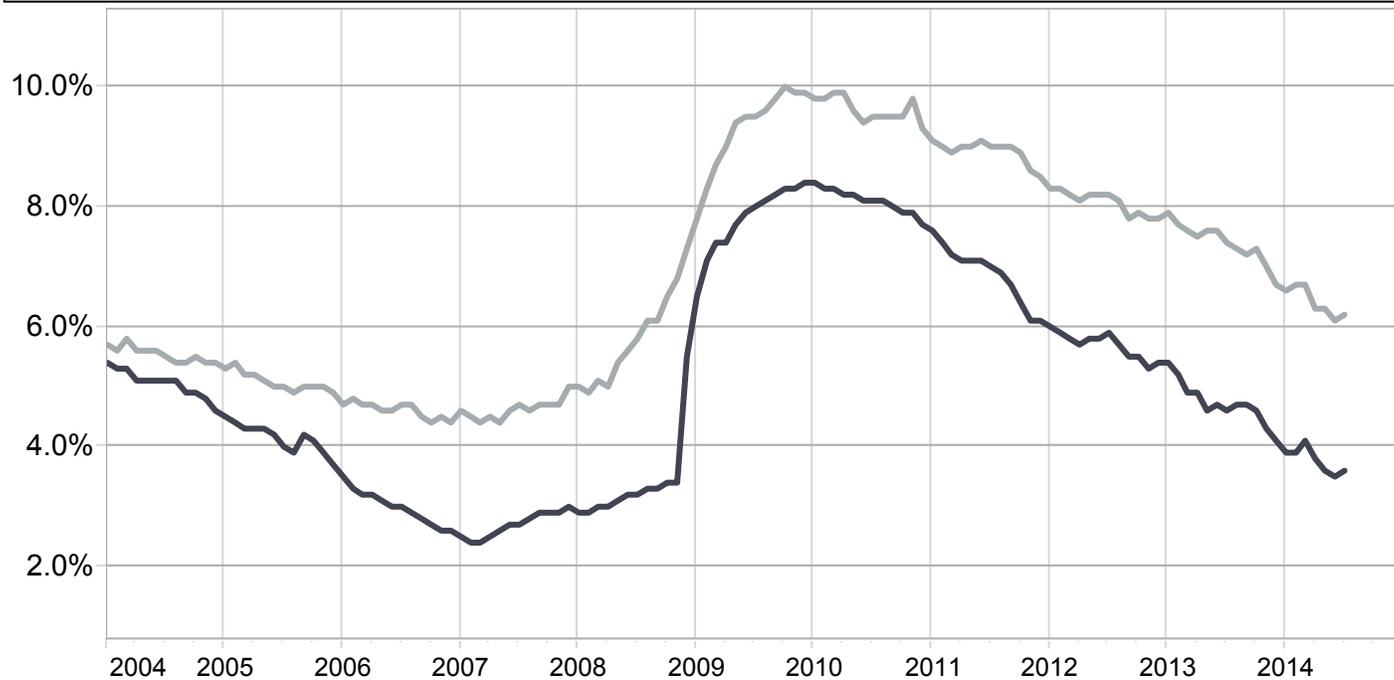
Source: U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics: Local Area Unemployment Statistics (LAUS); Current Employment Statistics (CES). August 15, 2014.  
p = preliminary r = revised

## Year-Over Percent Change In Nonfarm Jobs



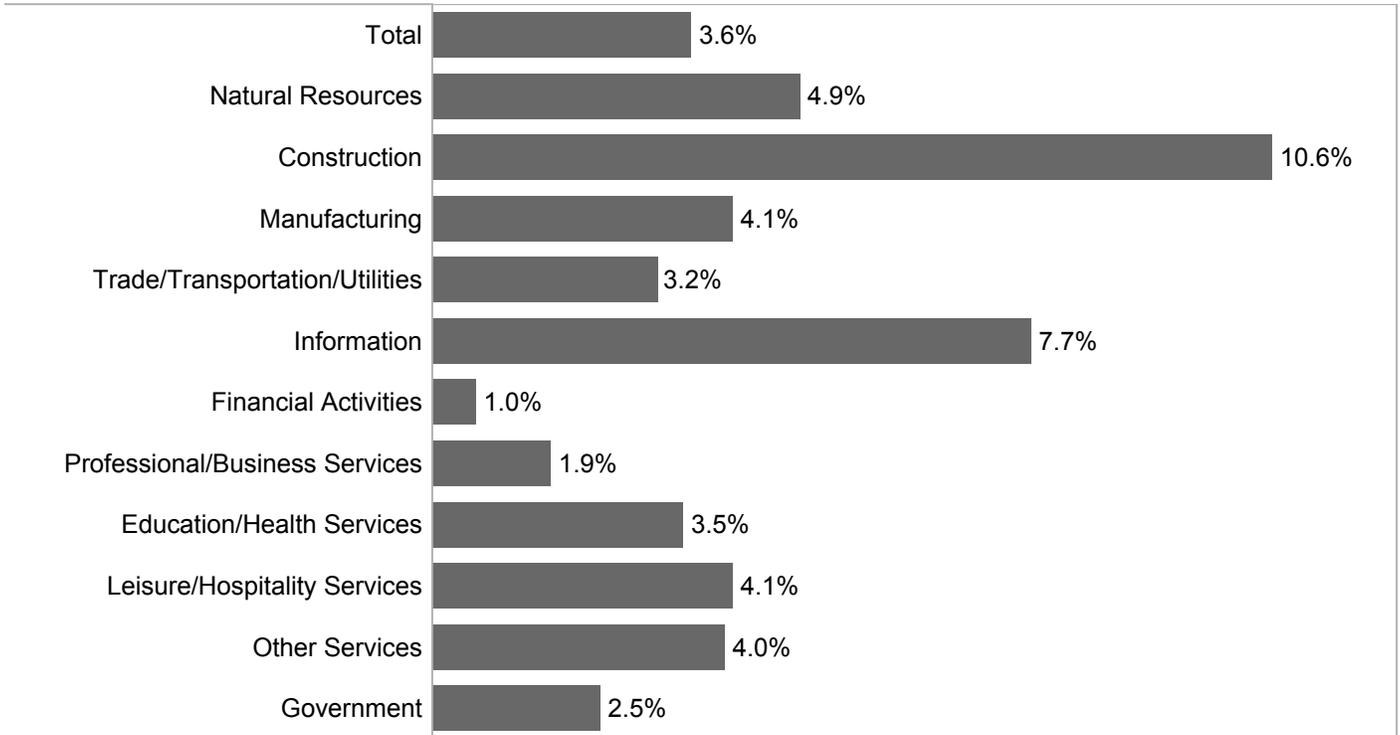
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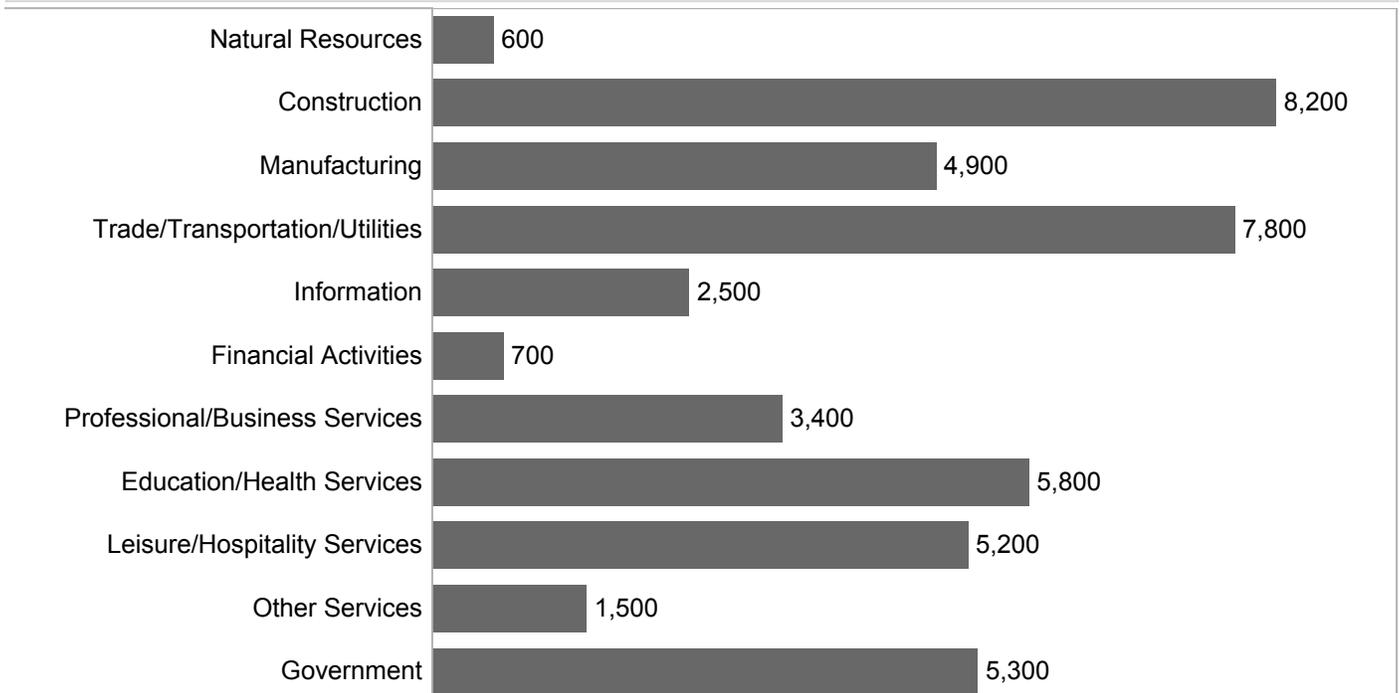


## Utah Nonfarm Industry Profiles July 2013 - 2014

### Percentage Change



### Numeric Change



## NONFARM EMPLOYMENT IN UTAH'S COUNTIES

	July 2014 <i>Estimate</i>	July 2013 <i>Actual</i>	Percent Change	June 2014 <i>Estimate</i>	May 2014 <i>Estimate</i>
<b>BEAVER</b>	2,301	2,260	1.8	2,384	2,411
<b>BOX ELDER</b>	17,487	16,796	4.1	17,878	17,730
<b>CACHE</b>	50,779	49,253	3.1	53,071	53,719
<b>CARBON</b>	8,564	8,740	-2.0	8,811	8,868
<b>DAGGETT</b>	500	473	5.6	506	481
<b>DAVIS</b>	115,098	111,912	2.8	115,902	114,576
<b>DUCHESNE</b>	9,769	9,329	4.7	9,838	9,735
<b>EMERY</b>	3,466	3,484	-0.5	3,496	3,496
<b>GARFIELD</b>	2,608	2,673	-2.4	2,620	2,432
<b>GRAND</b>	5,626	5,483	2.6	5,704	5,568
<b>IRON</b>	15,011	14,338	4.7	15,644	16,082
<b>JUAB</b>	3,140	3,214	-2.3	3,195	3,208
<b>KANE</b>	3,516	3,465	1.5	3,592	3,378
<b>MILLARD</b>	4,139	4,085	1.3	4,211	4,175
<b>MORGAN</b>	1,879	1,828	2.8	1,927	1,955
<b>PIUTE</b>	230	262	-12.2	248	245
<b>RICH</b>	914	903	1.2	830	699
<b>SALT LAKE</b>	640,975	620,607	3.3	644,411	640,891
<b>SAN JUAN</b>	4,183	4,123	1.5	4,336	4,299
<b>SANPETE</b>	6,556	6,542	0.2	7,304	7,372
<b>SEVIER</b>	8,241	8,041	2.5	8,328	8,238
<b>SUMMIT</b>	23,123	22,159	4.3	22,556	21,082
<b>TOOELE</b>	14,950	15,204	-1.7	15,299	15,331
<b>UINTAH</b>	14,567	14,306	1.8	15,268	15,041
<b>UTAH</b>	204,509	196,854	3.9	208,270	207,693
<b>WASATCH</b>	7,051	6,665	5.8	7,464	7,174
<b>WASHINGTON</b>	54,553	51,337	6.3	55,423	55,342
<b>WAYNE</b>	1,145	1,058	8.2	1,157	1,086
<b>WEBER</b>	96,102	94,368	1.8	96,407	96,772

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, 8/15/2014