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UTAH'S EMPLOYMENT SUMMARY: SEPTEMBER 2014

SALT LAKE CITY— Utah's nonfarm payroll employment for September 2014 grew by an estimated 3.7 percent, adding 47,600 jobs to the economy as compared to September 2013. Utah's current employment level registers 1,349,700.

September's seasonally adjusted unemployment rate registered 3.5 percent, which is virtually no change from the prior month's rate. Approximately 50,600 Utahns were unemployed in the month and actively seeking work. The national unemployment rate dropped two-tenths of a percentage point, finally dipping below the 6 percent level to 5.9.

"Utah continues to experience a strong economy, both in the expansion of jobs and a low unemployment rate," reported Carrie Mayne, Chief Economist at the Department of Workforce Services. "Jobs continue to be added in both the good-producing and the services-producing sides of our economy, affording Utahns a variety of job opportunities."

All of the ten private sector industry groups measured in the establishment survey posted net job increases in September as compared to last year. The largest private sector employment increases were in Trade, Transportation and Utilities (9,400 jobs), Construction (9,100 jobs), and Leisure and Hospitality Services (5,300 jobs). The fastest employment growth occurred in Construction (11.8 percent), Information, (6.5 percent), and Leisure and Hospitality Services (4.3 percent).

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

* October employment information will be released at 9:00 a.m. on Friday, November 14, 2014.

* County unemployment rates for September will be posted on or shortly after October 20th 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
September 2014

Utah

Employment Year-Over % Change: 3.7%
Employment # Change: 47,600
Unemployment Rate: 3.5%

United States

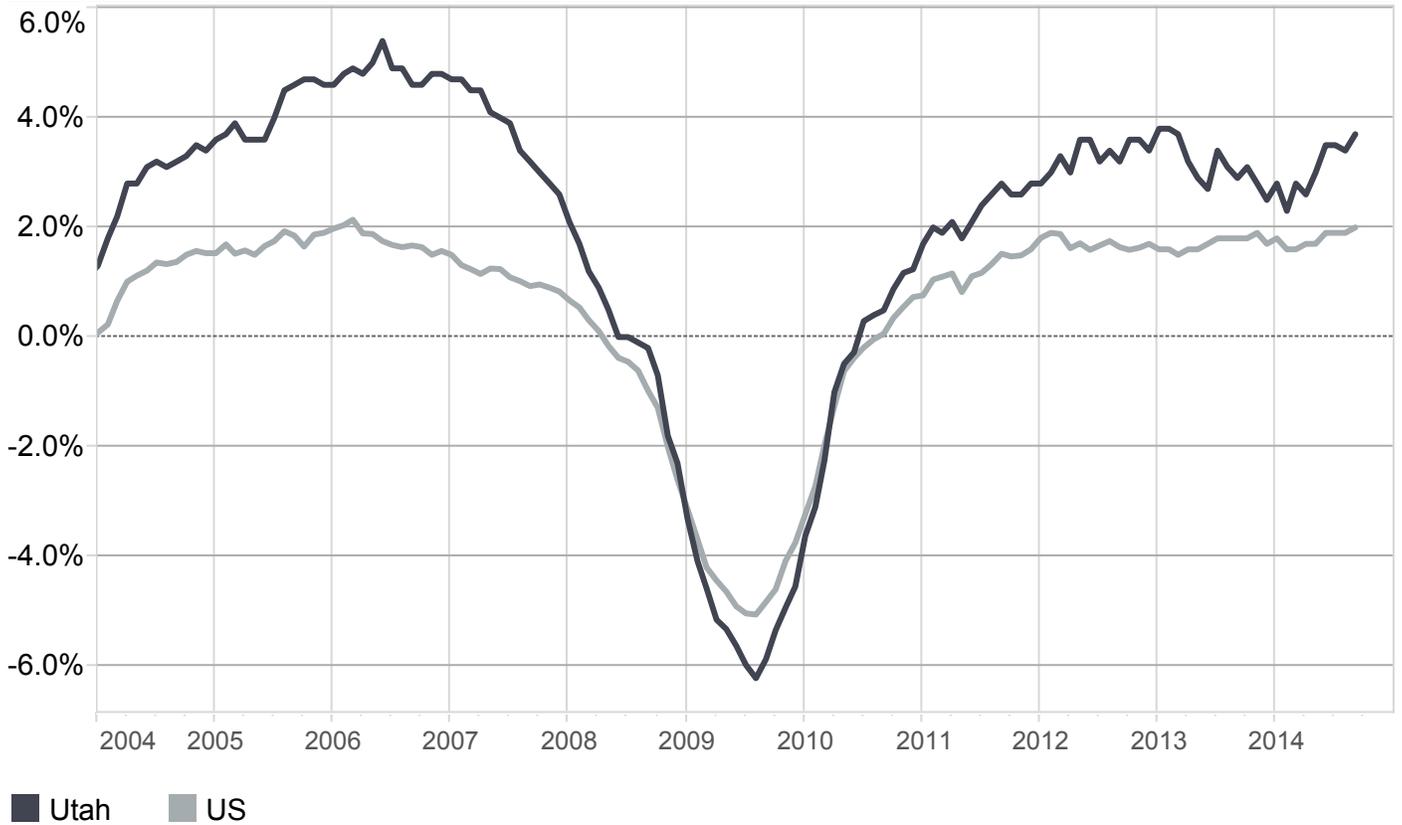
Employment Year-Over % Change: 2.0%
Unemployment Rate: 5.9%

Utah Nonagricultural Jobs by Industry and Components of the Labor Force

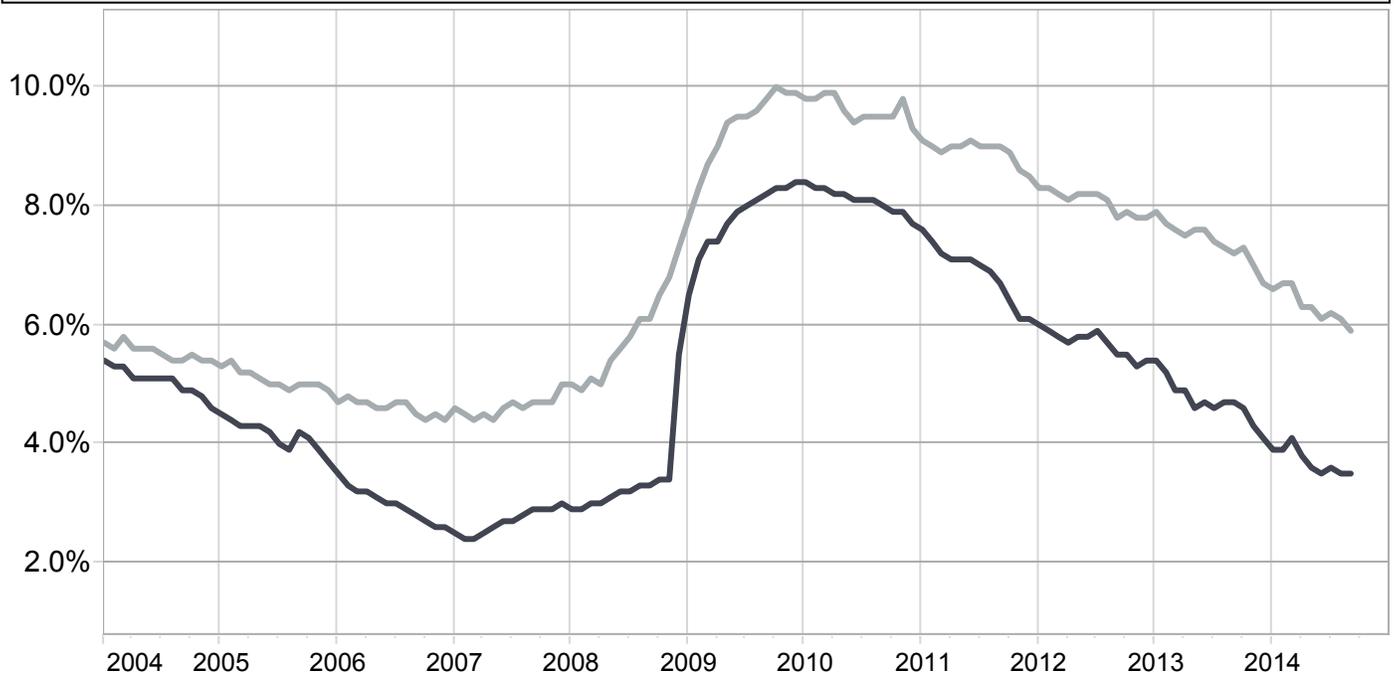
Numbers are in thousands	Sept (p) 2014	Sept (r) 2013	Percentage Change	Aug (r) 2014	Aug (r) 2013	Percentage Change
CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE (seasonally-adjusted)	1,435.5	1,425.8	0.7	1,438.9	1,423.2	1.1
Employed	1,384.9	1,365.0	1.5	1,387.8	1,360.3	2.0
Unemployed	50.6	60.8	-16.8	51.1	62.8	-18.6
Unemployment Rate	3.5	4.3		3.5	4.4	
NONAGRICULTURAL EMPLOYMENT (Thousands)	1,349.7	1,302.1	3.7	1,332.5	1,288.2	3.4
Not seasonally-adjusted						
PRIVATE SECTOR	1,113.8	1,073.7	3.7	1,113.8	1,075.7	3.5
GOODS PRODUCING	220.8	208.5	5.9	222.3	209.9	5.9
Natural Resources and Mining	12.7	12.3	3.3	12.8	12.3	4.1
Construction	86.1	77.0	11.8	86.3	78.0	10.6
Construction of Buildings	17.0	15.6	9.0	16.8	15.5	8.4
Heavy and Civil Engineering	10.2	9.6	6.3	10.3	9.8	5.1
Specialty Trade Contractors	58.9	51.8	13.7	59.2	52.7	12.3
Manufacturing	122.0	119.2	2.3	123.2	119.6	3.0
Durable Goods	79.6	77.7	2.4	79.8	78.0	2.3
Primary and Fabricated Metals	17.3	17.1	1.2	17.3	17.1	1.2
Computer and Electronic Products	13.2	13.8	-4.3	13.3	13.9	-4.3
Transportation and Equipment Manufacturing	11.7	11.2	4.5	11.8	11.2	5.4
Non-Durable Goods	42.4	41.5	2.2	43.4	41.6	4.3
SERVICES PROVIDING	1,128.9	1,093.6	3.2	1,110.2	1,078.3	3.0
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	256.6	247.2	3.8	255.5	248.4	2.9
Wholesale Trade	51.6	48.5	6.4	51.6	48.6	6.2
Retail Trade	151.0	147.9	2.1	150.0	148.9	0.7
Motor Vehicle and Parts Dealers	19.0	18.6	2.2	19.0	18.7	1.6
Food and Beverage Stores	22.7	22.5	0.9	22.6	22.8	-0.9
General Merchandise Stores	29.7	29.4	1.0	29.9	29.9	0.0
Transportation and Utilities	54.0	50.8	6.3	53.9	50.9	5.9
Utilities	4.0	3.9	2.6	4.0	3.9	2.6
Transportation & Warehousing	50.0	46.9	6.6	49.9	47.0	6.2
Air Transportation	6.2	6.0	3.3	6.1	6.0	1.7
Truck Transportation	22.8	20.2	12.9	22.6	20.5	10.2
Information	34.3	32.2	6.5	35.0	32.8	6.7
Publishing Industries	10.4	10.2	2.0	10.5	10.2	2.9
Motion Picture and Sound Recording	4.4	3.9	12.8	4.6	4.4	4.5
Telecommunications	6.2	6.0	3.3	6.2	6.0	3.3
Internet Service Providers	7.0	6.2	12.9	6.9	6.3	9.5
Financial Activities	74.8	73.6	1.6	74.6	74.2	0.5
Finance and Insurance	57.1	56.0	2.0	56.5	56.3	0.4
Real Estate and Rental and Leasing	17.7	17.6	0.6	18.1	17.9	1.1
Professional and Business Services	183.1	179.8	1.8	182.3	179.4	1.6
Professional, Scientific, and Technical Services	81.2	78.3	3.7	82.0	78.3	4.7
Architectural, Engineering, and Related	13.3	13.3	0.0	13.6	13.4	1.5
Computer Systems Design and Related	19.9	19.6	1.5	19.9	19.6	1.5
Management of Companies and Enterprises	19.7	19.2	2.6	19.7	19.3	2.1
Administration & Support						
& Waste Management & Remediation	82.2	82.3	-0.1	80.6	81.8	-1.5
Employment Services	25.7	24.1	6.6	24.6	23.7	3.8
Business Support Services	21.3	20.6	3.4	20.9	19.7	6.1
Education and Health Services	176.8	171.7	3.0	171.4	166.5	2.9
Educational Services	41.6	39.7	4.8	36.1	34.4	4.9
Health Services and Social Assistance	135.2	132.0	2.4	135.3	132.1	2.4
Ambulatory Health Care Services	55.9	54.7	2.2	56.2	54.6	2.9
Hospitals	34.6	34.0	1.8	34.5	34.2	0.9
Nursing and Residential Care Facilities	24.3	23.7	2.5	24.4	23.8	2.5
Social Assistance	20.4	19.6	4.1	20.2	19.5	3.6
Leisure and Hospitality	129.7	124.4	4.3	133.7	127.4	4.9
Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation	21.5	18.8	14.4	23.9	19.9	20.1
Accommodation and Food Services	108.2	105.6	2.5	109.8	107.5	2.1
Accommodation	19.0	18.5	2.7	19.4	19.1	1.6
Food Services and Drinking Places	89.2	87.1	2.4	90.4	88.4	2.3
Other Services	37.7	36.3	3.9	39.0	37.1	5.1
Government	235.9	228.4	3.3	218.7	212.5	2.9
Federal Government	34.6	34.5	0.3	35.0	34.7	0.9
Federal Defense	16.2	16.0	1.3	16.1	16.0	0.6
Other Federal Government	18.4	18.5	-0.5	18.9	18.7	1.1
State Government	75.7	72.3	4.7	72.3	69.0	4.8
State Schools	45.6	43.2	5.6	42.2	39.9	5.8
Other State Government	30.1	29.1	3.4	30.1	29.1	3.4
Local Government	125.6	121.6	3.3	111.4	108.8	2.4
Local Education	67.2	66.7	0.7	54.3	53.6	1.3
Other Local Government	58.4	54.9	6.4	57.1	55.2	3.4

Source: U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics: Local Area Unemployment Statistics (LAUS); Current Employment Statistics (CES). October 17, 2014.
p = preliminary r = revised

Year-Over Percent Change In Nonfarm Jobs

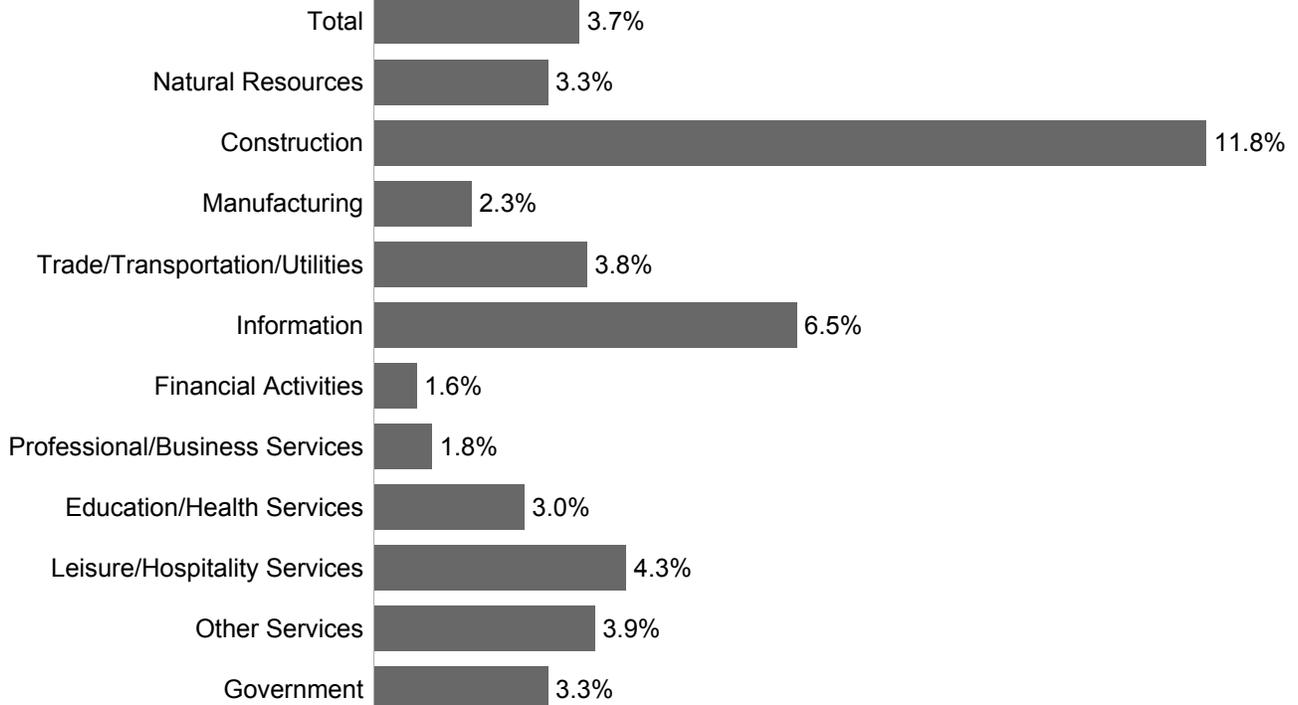


Seasonally Adjusted Unemployment Rates

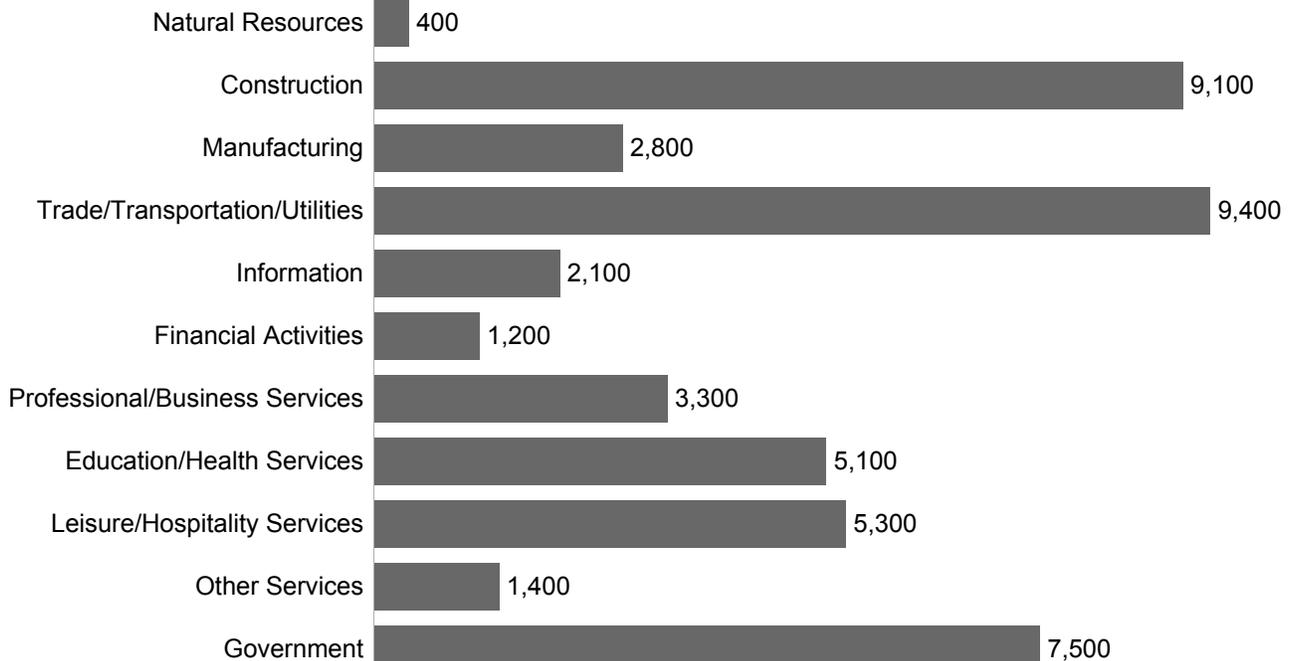


Utah Nonfarm Industry Profiles September 2013 - 2014

Percentage Change



Numeric Change



NONFARM EMPLOYMENT IN UTAH'S COUNTIES

	September 2014 <i>Estimate</i>	September 2013 <i>Actual</i>	Percent Change	August 2014 <i>Estimate</i>	July 2014 <i>Estimate</i>
BEAVER	2,294	2,495	-8.1	2,243	2,214
BOX ELDER	17,961	17,271	4.0	17,597	17,534
CACHE	54,270	52,874	2.6	51,344	50,548
CARBON	8,727	8,840	-1.3	8,589	8,562
DAGGETT	438	465	-5.7	444	450
DAVIS	115,275	112,090	2.8	114,474	114,391
DUCHESNE	9,844	9,363	5.1	9,876	9,810
EMERY	3,492	3,484	0.2	3,470	3,485
GARFIELD	2,678	2,622	2.1	2,721	2,695
GRAND	5,502	5,268	4.4	5,658	5,716
IRON	16,058	15,575	3.1	14,896	14,806
JUAB	3,378	3,359	0.6	3,263	3,226
KANE	3,471	3,342	3.9	3,587	3,593
MILLARD	3,985	3,961	0.6	4,048	4,081
MORGAN	1,975	1,905	3.7	1,968	1,920
PIUTE	250	288	-13.3	222	222
RICH	779	759	2.6	900	925
SALT LAKE	642,724	626,898	2.5	639,751	636,076
SAN JUAN	4,324	4,316	0.2	4,284	4,123
SANPETE	7,482	7,283	2.7	6,724	6,676
SEVIER	8,278	8,105	2.1	8,232	8,187
SUMMIT	22,907	21,574	6.2	23,645	23,449
TOOELE	14,972	15,433	-3.0	14,846	14,671
UINTAH	15,001	14,714	2.0	14,889	14,657
UTAH	212,423	204,836	3.7	207,020	203,460
WASATCH	7,367	6,987	5.4	7,077	7,015
WASHINGTON	54,565	52,238	4.5	54,393	53,722
WAYNE	1,006	1,041	-3.4	1,042	1,050
WEBER	97,104	94,934	2.3	96,734	96,625

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 employment levels in September are usually higher than in August, as school employment resumes.

Source: Utah Department of Workforce Services, Workforce Research and Analysis, 10/17/2014