



# THE LABOR MARKET REPORT

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## Special Points of Interest:

- 2000 Occupational Wage Data Available on the Internet
- 2001 Labor Market Report Directory
- Tennessee Historical Civilian Labor Force Series, 1971 to Current
- County Unemployment Rates
- Civilian Labor Force Summary
- State Unemployment Insurance Activities

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## 2000 OCCUPATIONAL WAGE DATA ON THE NET

The results of the 2000 occupational wage survey are now available on the Internet. The data are based on three years of surveys, and responses were collected over the entire range of occupations, with a variety of educational and training requirements. Results are available for each occupation, including number of employees, entry wages, mean and median wage levels, and the wage of the 25th and 75th percentiles.

The data are available on the statewide level,

for the seven metropolitan statistical areas (MSAs), and for the four rural balance-of-state geographic areas.

The wage data are provided for 22 major occupational groups with many occupations in each group.

By clicking on any occupation you can view some of the new features, including comparisons of 1998, 1999, and 2000 average wages for each occupation, with year-to-year increase calculated; easier comparisons of state average wages to sub-state area wages;

and geographic areas of the state with the highest employment and best pay (done by occupation only).

As you see from the table below, some of the highest and lowest paid occupations in Tennessee are highly correlated to education and training. You can check the occupation that you are interested in and find the wage data on the Internet at <http://www.state.tn.us/labor-wfd/wages/intro.htm>

## OCCUPATIONS WITH THE HIGHEST AND LOWEST WAGES

	Employment	Hourly Wages	Yearly Wages
<b>Highest paid occupations:</b>			
Surgeons	1,430	\$66.33	\$137,980
Internists, General	1,520	\$64.03	\$133,180
Psychiatrists	230	\$60.22	\$125,260
Obstetricians/Gynecologists	410	\$57.02	\$118,600
Dentists	780	\$54.05	\$112,410
<b>Lowest paid occupations:</b>			
Cooks, Fast Food	15,580	\$ 6.40	\$ 13,310
Combined Food Preparation Workers and Serving Workers, Including Fast Food	57,750	\$ 6.45	\$ 13,410
Bus Drivers, School	8,800	\$ 6.64	\$ 13,800
Parking Lot Attendants	2,240	\$ 6.71	\$ 13,960
Counter Attendants/Cafeteria/Food Concession/Coffee Shop	6,030	\$ 6.73	\$ 14,000

# 2001 LABOR MARKET REPORT DIRECTORY

Articles of interest published in last year's issues of The Labor Market Report are listed below. Copies are available upon request by writing to the address on the back of this report or e-mailing us at [tnlmi@state.tn.us](mailto:tnlmi@state.tn.us). Issues of The Labor Market Report for last year may be found on the Internet at <http://www.state.tn.us/labor-wfd/lmr/>.

## JANUARY

- The 2000 LMR Directory. Articles published in the 2000 issues of The Labor Market Report.
- What are labor surplus areas? A list of the Tennessee counties that are eligible labor surplus areas.

## FEBRUARY

- Comparison of the 1990 and 2000 Census populations for Tennessee and the counties.

## MARCH

- Annual Average Data, 1999-2000, for Tennessee and Metropolitan Statistical Areas (MSAs). This gives annual labor force and nonagricultural employment data for the prior two years.

## APRIL

- The Source web site announced. This gives a brief description of The Source, its data and geographic breakouts, and how to access the data on the Internet.

## MAY

- Per Capita Personal Income for the United States and States, 1990 and 2000. This shows how each state ranked in the census years and how they changed.

## JUNE

- Unemployment Insurance Overview. This is a brief description of the federal/state unemployment insurance program including which employees are covered, the cost to employers, and some of the history of unemployment insurance.

## JULY

- The Dislocated Worker Coordinators and a description of how they help employers and employees in a closing/layoff situation.

## AUGUST

- A list of commonly used web sites for statistical information. Also included are America's Job Bank and Job Bank USA, which are online job referrals, as well as wage data and the consumer price index. All online publications from this division are included.

## SEPTEMBER

- Per Capita Personal Income in Tennessee, MSAs, and Counties, for 1990, 1997, 1998, and 1999. The data are one year later than the state data.

## OCTOBER

- The ACCRA Cost-of-Living Index for second Quarter 2001. This is the cost-of-living in selected U.S. cities as figured by a survey from the nation's Chambers of Commerce research divisions.

## NOVEMBER

- Census 2000 population data by state and county. Included are racial breakouts of the current population.

## DECEMBER

- Economic Report to the Governor. A brief overview of the highlights in the report prepared by the Center for Business and Economic Research at the University of Tennessee.

# STATEWIDE

## HISTORICAL CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE

## UNEMPLOYMENT RATES BY COUNTY\*\*

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS)

(ALL DATA SEASONALLY ADJUSTED)

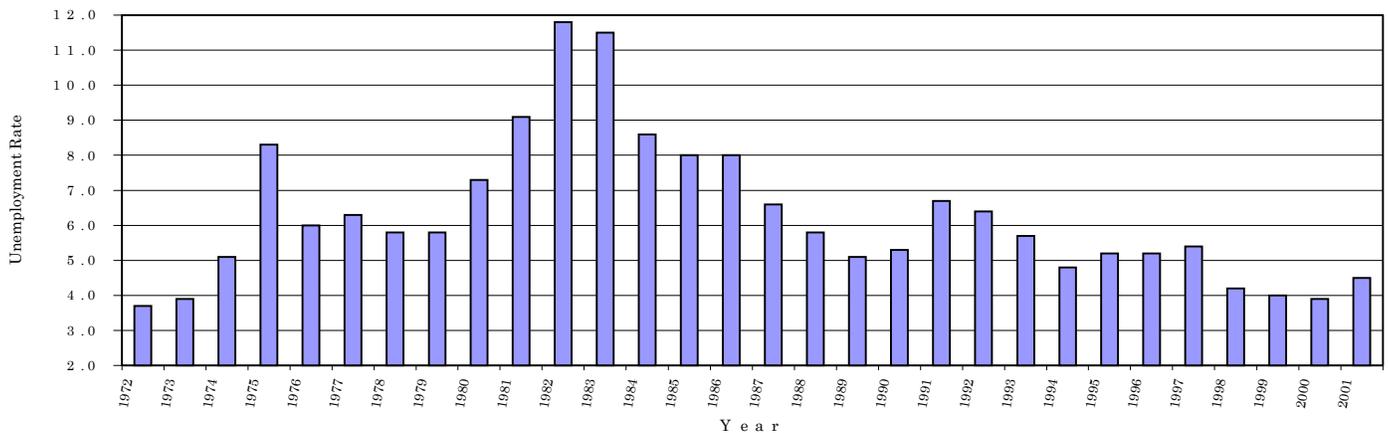
Year and Month	Civilian Labor Force							Unemployed Number	Rate (%)
	Total	Employment	Employed						
			Nonagricultural Employment			Services			
			Total	Manu- facturing	Trade				
1972	1,737.0	1,672.0	1,450.1	489.2	294.3	209.8	64.0	3.7 %	
1973	1,766.0	1,696.0	1,531.1	519.4	312.0	221.9	69.0	3.9	
1974	1,841.0	1,748.0	1,558.2	513.3	321.0	227.6	93.0	5.1	
1975	1,836.0	1,683.0	1,505.7	459.0	320.8	229.4	154.0	8.3	
1976	1,866.0	1,754.0	1,575.4	486.1	339.5	240.5	112.0	6.0	
1977	1,941.0	1,819.0	1,648.1	507.5	357.2	254.5	122.0	6.3	
1978	1,966.0	1,852.0	1,737.0	526.0	379.1	270.7	114.0	5.8	
1979	2,039.0	1,921.0	1,777.3	524.7	388.7	285.4	118.0	5.8	
1980	2,080.0	1,928.0	1,746.6	502.1	379.7	291.0	152.0	7.3	
1981	2,116.0	1,924.0	1,775.4	506.9	379.9	304.4	192.0	9.1	
1982	2,129.0	1,877.0	1,703.0	466.7	380.5	313.1	252.0	11.8	
1983	2,180.0	1,930.0	1,719.0	468.6	389.9	323.4	250.0	11.5	
1984	2,220.0	2,030.0	1,812.0	497.1	413.3	344.3	190.0	8.6	
1985	2,253.0	2,073.0	1,867.8	492.4	435.3	360.2	180.0	8.0	
1986	2,290.0	2,106.0	1,929.8	490.5	452.1	384.7	184.0	8.0	
1987	2,334.0	2,180.0	2,011.6	497.4	477.2	408.9	154.0	6.6	
1988	2,338.0	2,203.0	2,092.1	511.9	495.6	440.3	135.0	5.8	
1989	2,368.0	2,247.0	2,167.2	524.5	508.4	467.2	121.0	5.1	
1990	2,387.3	2,261.5	2,193.2	520.3	517.2	486.3	125.9	5.3	
1991	2,421.0	2,258.1	2,183.6	502.7	511.6	505.2	162.9	6.7	
1992	2,455.5	2,297.8	2,245.0	514.5	517.7	541.1	157.7	6.4	
1993	2,500.5	2,356.7	2,328.5	528.4	535.9	572.4	143.8	5.7	
1994	2,664.6	2,537.1	2,423.0	538.9	562.1	603.8	127.5	4.8	
1995	2,700.8	2,560.6	2,499.0	538.9	585.5	638.0	140.1	5.2	
1996	2,744.1	2,602.7	2,533.4	519.2	594.4	658.7	141.4	5.2	
1997	2,707.8	2,561.7	2,584.0	517.6	610.2	682.4	146.1	5.4	
1998	2,759.5	2,643.8	2,638.5	514.7	620.5	703.4	115.7	4.2	
1999	2,818.8	2,705.3	2,685.4	511.1	630.8	721.9	113.5	4.0	
2000	2,798.4	2,688.2	2,728.9	506.8	641.8	742.8	110.2	3.9	
2001	2,817.7	2,691.7	2,711.5	478.5	638.5	754.9	126.0	4.5	
December(r)2001	2,839.3	2,697.1	2,706.9	468.4	638.3	760.4	142.2	5.0 %	
2002									
January (p)	2,896.4	2,739.4	2,722.2	468.3	641.8	773.8	157.0	5.4 %	
February									
March									
April									
May									
June									
July									
August									
September									
October									
November(r)									
December(p)									

(r)=revised  
(p)=preliminary

County	Jan	Jan	County	Jan	Jan
	2001	2002		2001	2002
Anderson	3.9	4.5	Lauderdale	9.2	11.5
Bedford	5.9	6.5	Lawrence	10.2	10.4
Benton	9.6	9.4	Lewis	11.2	12.5
Bledsoe	4.6	7.3	Lincoln	4.5	6.2
Blount	4.8	5.4	Loudon	4.0	5.4
Bradley	3.7	6.1	Macon	6.5	7.9
Campbell	7.4	7.4	Madison	4.0	5.8
Cannon	4.8	5.3	Marion	5.1	6.9
Carroll	12.6	10.4	Marshall	5.0	8.5
Carter	5.9	7.7	Maury	4.1	5.7
Cheatham	2.8	4.0	McMinn	7.9	10.4
Chester	4.6	6.6	McNairy	6.2	8.0
Claiborne	5.5	7.6	Meigs	7.2	11.7
Clay	13.3	13.2	Monroe	7.8	10.8
Cocke	10.9	13.6	Montgomery	3.4	5.8
Coffee	5.2	5.9	Moore	2.8	3.0
Crockett	7.5	9.5	Morgan	6.2	9.0
Cumberland	9.0	9.2	Obion	5.1	5.6
Davidson	2.9	3.8	Overton	7.5	9.5
Decatur	8.6	10.6	Perry	10.9	11.1
DeKalb	5.5	5.7	Pickett	8.2	10.3
Dickson	5.3	6.2	Polk	6.5	7.8
Dyer	6.3	10.3	Putnam	4.2	6.2
Fayette	5.9	8.5	Rhea	6.6	7.9
Fentress	14.4	12.8	Roane	4.4	6.3
Franklin	4.3	5.6	Robertson	4.3	5.2
Gibson	10.3	11.4	Rutherford	3.6	4.3
Giles	5.0	8.6	Scott	6.8	16.1
Grainger	6.1	9.2	Sequatchie	3.5	7.0
Greene	9.6	9.1	Sevier	12.7	13.6
Grundy	5.9	8.9	Shelby	4.0	5.6
Hamblen	5.3	7.0	Smith	6.0	5.5
Hamilton	2.7	3.9	Stewart	9.2	14.0
Hancock	7.6	11.2	Sullivan	3.9	4.9
Hardeman	7.7	10.5	Sumner	3.9	5.1
Hardin	7.9	8.2	Tipton	5.5	7.0
Hawkins	6.5	6.6	Trousdale	6.6	11.0
Haywood	9.6	12.0	Unicoi	6.8	9.2
Henderson	7.0	8.3	Union	4.0	4.4
Henry	7.0	8.4	Van Buren	7.5	13.3
Hickman	6.0	8.0	Warren	8.5	9.7
Houston	12.7	13.8	Washington	4.4	5.8
Humphreys	8.4	9.9	Wayne	9.8	9.8
Jackson	7.2	10.4	Weakley	4.5	6.1
Jefferson	6.3	8.9	White	6.0	7.4
Johnson	10.7	12.8	Williamson	2.1	3.1
Knox	2.3	3.1	Wilson	3.7	4.6
Lake	8.2	8.9			

\*\*Data Not Seasonally Adjusted

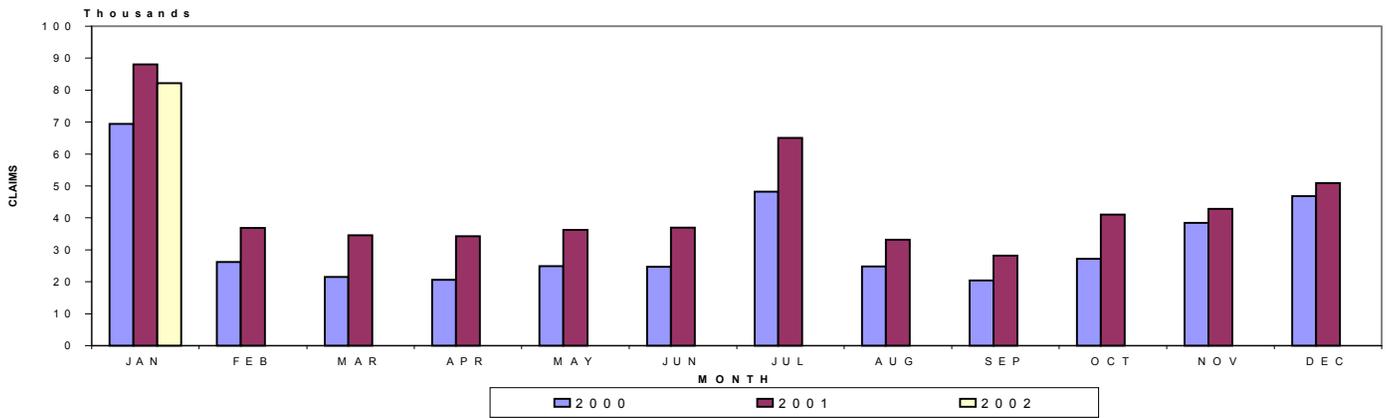
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# STATEWIDE

## UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE ACTIVITIES

### MONTHLY INITIAL CLAIMS



## BENEFIT PROGRAMS

### STATE BENEFIT PROGRAM

CLAIMS	Jan. 2001	Dec. 2001	Jan. 2002
Initial Claims	88,062	50,958	82,164
Continued Weeks Claimed	353,989	288,916	397,130
Nonmonetary Determinations	5,932	5,560	6,416
Appeals Decisions	2,709	1,685	1,812
Lower Authority	1,281	1,347	1,523
Higher Authority	248	338	289

### FEDERAL BENEFIT PROGRAMS

FORMER FEDERAL EMPLOYEES	Jan. 2001	Dec. 2001	Jan. 2002
Benefits Paid	\$732,404	\$413,192	\$431,221
Benefit Weeks Claimed	2,874	1,573	1,548
Initial Claims	300	171	219
Continued Weeks Claimed	3,055	1,671	1,633
Appeals Decisions	17	10	17

### BENEFITS

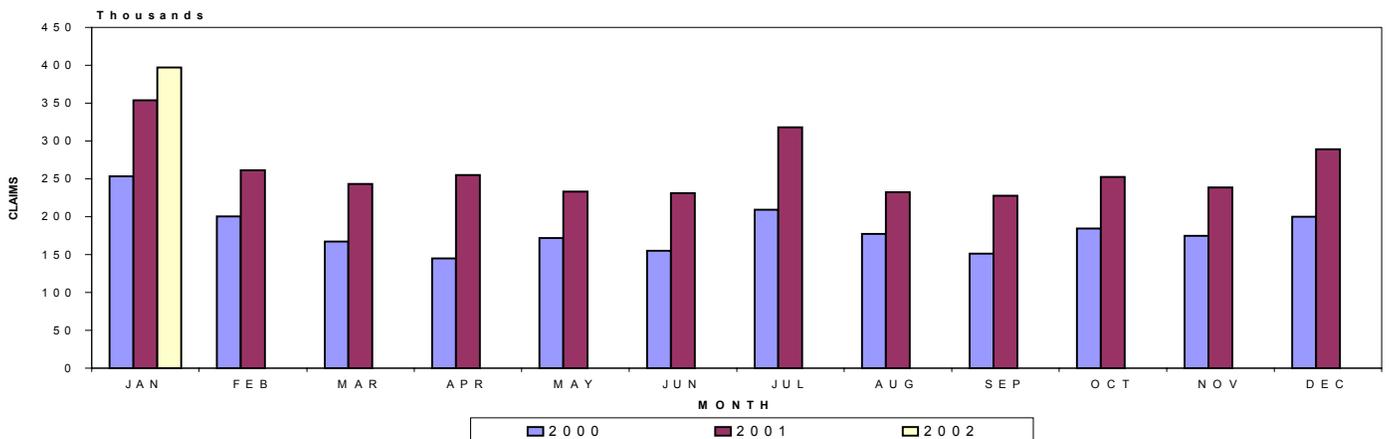
	Jan. 2001	Dec. 2001	Jan. 2002
Amount Paid	\$59,112,260	\$54,153,192	\$72,135,067
Benefit Weeks Paid	319,648	280,708	369,444
Average Weekly Benefit Amount	\$193	\$209	\$207
First Payments	43,093	30,665	41,397
Final Payments	5,786	6,528	7,591
Average Weeks Duration	11	12	13
Trust Fund Balance	\$824,354,198	\$634,291,189	\$572,686,587

### FORMER MILITARY PERSONNEL

	Jan. 2001	Dec. 2001	Jan. 2002
Benefits Paid	\$325,737	\$384,903	\$439,449
Benefit Weeks Claimed	1,278	1,366	1,526
Initial Claims	105	107	109
Continued Weeks Claimed	1,323	1,412	1,548
Appeals Decisions	3	4	3

## CONTINUED WEEKS CLAIMED

### MONTHLY CONTINUED WEEKS CLAIMED



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## HOURS AND EARNINGS OF PRODUCTION WORKERS

	Average Weekly Earnings			Average Weekly Hours			Average Hourly Earnings		
	Jan.	Dec.	Jan.	Jan.	Dec.	Jan.	Jan.	Dec.	Jan.
	2001	2001	2002	2001	2001	2002	2001	2001	2002
All Manufacturing	\$518.08	\$545.76	\$534.48	39.1	40.1	39.3	\$13.25	\$13.61	\$13.60
Durable Goods	\$514.49	\$540.80	\$524.77	38.8	40.0	38.7	\$13.26	\$13.52	\$13.56
Lumber & Wood Products	\$398.86	\$418.00	\$422.67	38.8	38.0	38.6	\$10.28	\$11.00	\$10.95
Furniture & Fixtures	\$447.33	\$478.79	\$474.91	37.0	39.8	38.8	\$12.09	\$12.03	\$12.24
Stone, Clay, & Glass	\$564.98	\$523.39	\$528.96	41.3	37.6	38.0	\$13.68	\$13.92	\$13.92
Primary Metal Industries	\$647.79	\$718.70	\$656.64	42.9	46.1	43.2	\$15.10	\$15.59	\$15.20
Fabricated Metal Products	\$555.66	\$589.37	\$581.29	40.5	41.1	40.2	\$13.72	\$14.34	\$14.46
Industrial Machinery	\$514.32	\$504.80	\$494.21	38.7	36.5	36.1	\$13.29	\$13.83	\$13.69
Electronic Equipment	\$454.53	\$492.11	\$477.63	38.1	39.4	38.8	\$11.93	\$12.49	\$12.31
Transportation Equipment	\$549.22	\$602.93	\$557.02	36.3	42.4	38.1	\$15.13	\$14.22	\$14.62
Instruments & Related Products	\$639.86	\$696.86	\$692.23	42.8	42.7	40.6	\$14.95	\$16.32	\$17.05
Nondurable Goods	\$522.98	\$554.13	\$549.13	39.5	40.3	40.2	\$13.24	\$13.75	\$13.66
Food & Kindred Products	\$543.44	\$589.89	\$546.63	41.9	41.6	41.1	\$12.97	\$14.18	\$13.30
Textile Mill Products	\$417.20	\$428.87	\$431.03	39.1	39.6	39.8	\$10.67	\$10.83	\$10.83
Apparel & Other Fabricated Prod.	\$341.48	\$360.41	\$347.15	36.6	37.7	35.9	\$9.33	\$9.56	\$9.67
Paper & Allied Products	\$594.05	\$606.18	\$602.10	41.6	42.9	41.9	\$14.28	\$14.13	\$14.37
Printing & Publishing	\$531.87	\$527.80	\$548.78	39.9	39.3	41.2	\$13.33	\$13.43	\$13.32
Chemical & Allied Products	\$676.33	\$694.12	\$746.25	37.1	37.0	39.8	\$18.23	\$18.76	\$18.75
Rubber & Miscellaneous Plastics	\$507.05	\$556.00	\$542.40	38.5	41.4	40.0	\$13.17	\$13.43	\$13.56
Leather & Leather Products	\$381.76	\$450.02	\$434.53	38.1	40.8	36.7	\$10.02	\$11.03	\$11.84

## ESTIMATED NONAGRICULTURAL EMPLOYMENT (in thousands)

Industry	January 2001	Revised December 2001	Preliminary January 2002	Net Change	
				Jan. 2001 to Jan. 2002	Dec. 2001 to Jan. 2002
<b>TOTAL</b>	2,680.8	2,735.1	2,677.9	-2.9	-57.2
Goods-Producing	612.2	593.7	585.0	-27.2	-8.7
Manufacturing	492.7	469.8	468.0	-24.7	-1.8
Durable Goods	290.8	275.5	274.5	-16.3	-1.0
Lumber & Wood Products	22.3	22.1	21.9	-0.4	-0.2
Furniture & Fixtures	25.7	22.6	22.6	-3.1	0.0
Stone, Clay, & Glass Products	16.5	16.5	16.3	-0.2	-0.2
Primary Metal Industries	17.3	15.8	15.7	-1.6	-0.1
Fabricated Metal Products	46.6	44.1	43.8	-2.8	-0.3
Industrial Machinery & Equipment	50.7	48.0	47.9	-2.8	-0.1
Electronic & Other Electric Equipment	38.1	35.4	35.4	-2.7	0.0
Transportation Equipment	52.4	50.3	50.0	-2.4	-0.3
Instruments & Related Products	11.1	11.3	11.2	0.1	-0.1
Miscellaneous Manufacturing	10.1	9.4	9.7	-0.4	0.3
Nondurable Goods	201.9	194.3	193.5	-8.4	-0.8
Food & Kindred Products	40.2	41.3	41.2	1.0	-0.1
Tobacco	1.2	1.1	1.1	-0.1	0.0
Textile Mill Products	14.6	13.0	12.9	-1.7	-0.1
Apparel & Other Fabricated Products	20.5	17.6	17.6	-2.9	0.0
Paper & Allied Products	21.8	22.2	22.0	0.2	-0.2
Printing & Publishing	36.9	35.5	35.1	-1.8	-0.4
Chemicals & Allied Products	28.3	27.4	27.4	-0.9	0.0
Petroleum Refining, Etc.	1.1	1.2	1.2	0.1	0.0
Rubber & Miscellaneous Plastics	34.8	33.1	33.1	-1.7	0.0
Leather & Leather Products	2.5	1.9	1.9	-0.6	0.0
Mining	3.9	3.6	3.6	-0.3	0.0
Construction	115.6	120.3	113.4	-2.2	-6.9
Service-Producing	2,068.6	2,141.4	2,092.9	24.3	-48.5
Transportation & Public Utilities	180.1	180.4	174.7	-5.4	-5.7
Transportation	143.9	144.1	138.3	-5.6	-5.8
Communications & Public Utilities	36.2	36.3	36.4	0.2	0.1
Trade	629.4	657.9	629.7	0.3	-28.2
Wholesale Trade	144.6	144.4	142.1	-2.5	-2.3
Durable Goods	84.6	83.0	81.8	-2.8	-1.2
Nondurable Goods	60.0	61.4	60.3	0.3	-1.1
Retail Trade	484.8	513.5	487.6	2.8	-25.9
Building Materials & Garden Supplies	20.2	21.3	20.5	0.3	-0.8
Retail General Merchandise	70.8	77.8	68.9	-1.9	-8.9
Food Stores	66.8	67.8	68.2	1.4	0.4
Automotive Dealers & Service Stations	52.4	54.0	53.6	1.2	-0.4
Apparel & Accessory Stores	25.6	29.9	26.1	0.5	-3.8
Furniture & Home Furnishings	19.5	19.3	18.6	-0.9	-0.7
Eating & Drinking Places	167.3	177.3	170.3	3.0	-7.0
Miscellaneous Retail	62.2	66.1	61.4	-0.8	-4.7
Finance, Insurance, & Real Estate	130.2	133.2	132.4	2.2	-0.8
Finance	63.6	64.5	64.1	0.5	-0.4
Insurance	40.3	40.8	40.8	0.5	0.0
Real Estate & Investment Offices	26.3	27.9	27.5	1.2	-0.4
Services	730.7	760.8	755.2	24.5	-5.6
Hotels & Other Lodging	31.8	35.0	33.1	1.3	-1.9
Personal Services	28.2	26.6	28.4	0.2	1.8
Business Services	183.2	187.8	186.8	3.6	-1.0
Amusement & Recreation Services	20.9	25.7	23.1	2.2	-2.6
Health Services	201.9	207.8	207.8	5.9	0.0
Hospitals	82.4	84.8	84.9	2.5	0.1
Government	398.2	409.1	400.9	2.7	-8.2
Federal	51.0	50.1	49.5	-1.5	-0.6
State	90.8	97.6	91.4	0.6	-6.2
State Education	46.3	52.5	46.2	-0.1	-6.3
Other State Government	44.5	45.1	45.1	0.6	0.0
Local	256.4	261.4	260.0	3.6	-1.4
Local Education	130.8	131.4	130.2	-0.6	-1.2
Other Local Government	125.6	130.0	129.8	4.2	-0.2

# CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE

## CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE SUMMARY

	January 2001				Revised December 2001				Preliminary January 2002			
	Labor Force	Employment	Unemployed	Rate	Labor Force	Employment	Unemployed	Rate	Labor Force	Employment	Unemployed	Rate
<b>Seasonally Adjusted</b>												
U.S.	141,757,000	135,870,000	5,887,000	4.2	142,314,000	134,055,000	8,259,000	5.8	141,390,000	133,468,000	7,922,000	5.6
TENNESSEE	2,806,100	2,691,100	115,000	4.1	2,839,300	2,697,100	142,200	5.0	2,896,400	2,739,400	157,000	5.4
<b>Not Seasonally Adjusted</b>												
U.S.	141,049,000	134,462,000	6,587,000	4.7	141,913,000	134,235,000	7,678,000	5.4	141,074,000	132,139,000	8,935,000	6.3
TENNESSEE	2,762,200	2,633,200	129,000	4.7	2,826,400	2,699,200	127,200	4.5	2,852,500	2,681,500	171,000	6.0
<b>Metropolitan Statistical Area</b>												
CHATTANOOGA	228,500	221,900	6,600	2.9	234,500	226,800	7,700	3.3	235,700	226,700	9,000	3.8
TRI-CITIES	219,300	209,000	10,300	4.7	223,800	213,700	10,100	4.5	227,300	213,900	13,400	5.9
KNOXVILLE	350,500	336,300	14,200	4.1	361,900	350,400	11,500	3.2	365,600	347,900	17,700	4.8
MEMPHIS	551,600	529,200	22,400	4.1	567,900	541,900	26,000	4.6	563,300	531,700	31,600	5.6
NASHVILLE	652,200	631,300	20,900	3.2	674,300	652,300	22,000	3.3	674,800	646,800	28,000	4.1

Tennessee's seasonally adjusted estimated unemployment rate for January 2002 was 5.4 percent, up four-tenths of a percentage point from the December 2001 rate. After yearly revisions, this is the 13th consecutive month that the Tennessee unemployment rate was equal to or lower than the national rate.

The United States estimated unemployment rate was 5.6 percent in January 2002. In January 2001, the national unemployment rate was 4.2 percent, and the state unemployment rate was 4.1 percent.

Across Tennessee, the unemployment rate increased in all 95 counties. The lowest rate occurred in Moore County

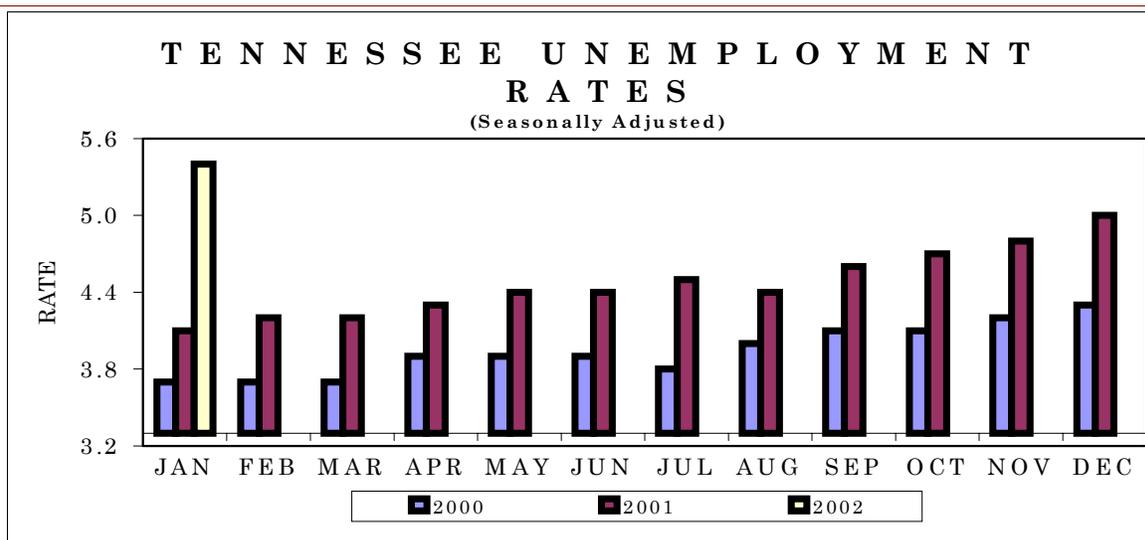
at 3.0 percent, up 0.6 percentage points from the previous month. The highest rate was Scott County's 16.1 percent, up from 10.0 percent in December.

Total nonagricultural employment decreased by 2,900 jobs from January 2001 to January 2002. During this period there was growth in services up 24,500 jobs, which included 5,900 jobs in health services, 3,600 jobs in business services, and 2,200 jobs in amusement/ recreation services; and local government (up 3,600 jobs).

Over the year, the largest job losses occurred in transportation/public utilities (down 5,400 jobs), furniture/ fixtures (down 3,100 jobs), apparel/ other fabricated products (down 2,900

jobs), fabricated metal products and industrial machinery/equipment (both down 2,800 jobs), electronic/other electric equipment (down 2,700 jobs), wholesale trade (down 2,500 jobs), transportation equipment (down 2,400 jobs), and construction (down 2,200 jobs).

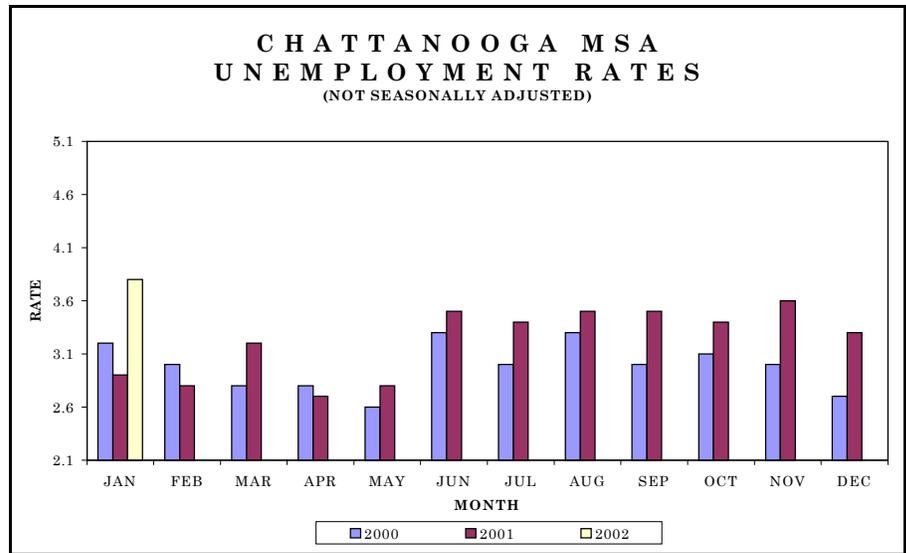
During the past month, total employment decreased by 57,200 jobs. There were huge seasonal losses in retail trade (down 25,900 jobs), which included declines in general merchandise stores (down 8,900 jobs) and eating / drinking places (down 7,000 jobs); construction (down 6,900 jobs); state government (down 6,200 jobs); transportation/public utilities (down 5,700 jobs); and services (down 5,600 jobs).



The data from all the nonagricultural employment estimates tables include all full- and part-time nonagricultural wage and salary employees who worked during, or received pay for, any part of the pay period which includes the 12th of the month. This is a count of jobs by place of work. Agricultural workers, proprietors, self-employed persons, workers in private households, and unpaid family workers are excluded. These numbers may not add due to rounding. Data are based on the 2000 benchmark.

Total nonagricultural employment decreased by 4,300 jobs from December 2001 to January 2002. There were seasonal decreases in retail trade (down 1,700 jobs), which included a decline of 900 jobs in general merchandise/apparel stores; services (down 1,000 jobs); construction/mining (down 600 jobs); state government (down 400 jobs); and transportation/public utilities (down 300 jobs).

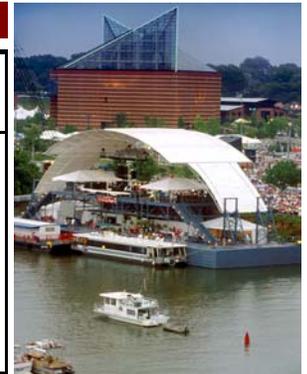
During the past 12 months total employment increased by 500 jobs. During that time goods-producing jobs decreased by 2,000 jobs while service-producing jobs increased by 2,500 jobs.



## HOURS AND EARNINGS OF PRODUCTION WORKERS

## CHATTANOOGA MSA

	Average Weekly Earnings			Average Weekly Hours			Average Hourly Earnings		
	Jan. 2001	Dec. 2001	Jan. 2002	Jan. 2001	Dec. 2001	Jan. 2002	Jan. 2001	Dec. 2001	Jan. 2002
	All Manufacturing	\$490.72	\$516.72	\$521.70	38.7	40.4	40.1	\$12.68	\$12.79
Durable Goods	\$548.23	\$605.14	\$584.22	40.7	44.3	42.0	\$13.47	\$13.66	\$13.91
Stone, Clay, & Glass Products	\$527.12	\$532.97	\$611.36	43.6	41.9	43.7	\$12.09	\$12.72	\$13.99
Primary Metal Industries	\$599.79	\$763.49	\$651.90	39.8	52.8	46.3	\$15.07	\$14.46	\$14.08
Fabricated Metal Products	\$668.50	\$629.86	\$615.72	45.6	43.2	42.0	\$14.66	\$14.58	\$14.66
Machinery, Except Electrical	\$576.50	\$601.93	\$606.29	40.8	42.3	41.9	\$14.13	\$14.23	\$14.47
Nondurable Goods	\$450.58	\$463.68	\$483.99	37.3	38.1	39.0	\$12.08	\$12.17	\$12.41
Textile Mill Products	\$379.91	\$373.45	\$373.76	36.6	38.5	38.1	\$10.38	\$9.70	\$9.81
Paper and Allied Products	\$596.99	\$572.17	\$573.73	43.8	47.8	43.3	\$13.63	\$11.97	\$13.25
Chemicals & Allied Products	\$558.58	\$511.82	\$764.86	32.4	31.4	45.8	\$17.24	\$16.30	\$16.70

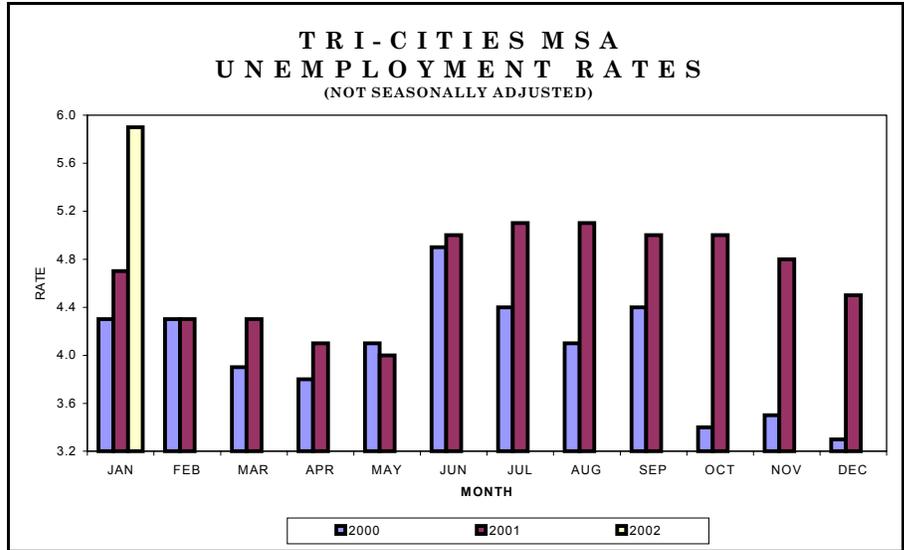


## ESTIMATED NONAGRICULTURAL EMPLOYMENT (in thousands)

Industry	January 2001	Revised December 2001	Preliminary January 2002	Net Change	
				Jan. 2001 to Jan. 2002	Dec. 2001 to Jan. 2002
TOTAL	233.5	238.3	234.0	0.5	-4.3
Goods-Producing	53.6	52.3	51.6	-2.0	-0.7
Manufacturing	44.3	42.5	42.4	-1.9	-0.1
Durable Goods	18.7	17.4	17.5	-1.2	0.1
Stone, Clay, & Glass Products	1.2	1.0	1.1	-0.1	0.1
Primary Metal Industries	3.7	3.1	3.1	-0.6	0.0
Fabricated Metal Products	3.8	3.6	3.6	-0.2	0.0
Industrial Machinery & Equipment	3.5	3.3	3.3	-0.2	0.0
All Other Durable Goods	6.5	6.4	6.4	-0.1	0.0
Nondurable Goods	25.6	25.1	24.9	-0.7	-0.2
Food & Kindred Products	7.1	7.4	7.4	0.3	0.0
Textile Mill Products	9.8	9.2	9.2	-0.6	0.0
Paper & Allied Products	1.6	1.6	1.5	-0.1	-0.1
Printing & Publishing	2.2	2.1	2.1	-0.1	0.0
Chemicals & Allied Products	3.0	2.9	2.8	-0.2	-0.1
All Other Nondurable Goods	1.9	1.9	1.9	0.0	0.0
Construction & Mining	9.3	9.8	9.2	-0.1	-0.6
Service-Producing	179.9	186.0	182.4	2.5	-3.6
Transportation & Public Utilities	20.0	20.3	20.0	0.0	-0.3
Trade	49.9	52.3	50.6	0.7	-1.7
Wholesale Trade	10.3	10.1	10.1	-0.2	0.0
Wholesale Durable Goods	6.6	6.5	6.5	-0.1	0.0
Wholesale Nondurable Goods	3.7	3.6	3.6	-0.1	0.0
Retail Trade	39.6	42.2	40.5	0.9	-1.7
General Merchandise & Apparel Stores	7.3	8.2	7.3	0.0	-0.9
Eating & Drinking Places	13.7	14.8	14.6	0.9	-0.2
Finance, Insurance, & Real Estate	16.6	17.0	17.0	0.4	0.0
Services	59.6	61.5	60.5	0.9	-1.0
Health Services	17.3	17.5	17.4	0.1	-0.1
Government	33.8	34.9	34.3	0.5	-0.6
Federal	6.7	6.9	6.8	0.1	-0.1
State & Local	27.1	28.0	27.5	0.4	-0.5
State	5.9	6.5	6.1	0.2	-0.4
Local	21.2	21.5	21.4	0.2	-0.1

Total nonagricultural employment decreased by 3,100 jobs from December 2001 to January 2002. There were declines in state government (down 1,000 jobs); services (down 600 jobs); and paper/allied products/printing & publishing, local government, and retail trade (all down 300 jobs). There were further drops in mining/construction and transportation/public utilities (both down 200 jobs).

During the past 12 months, jobs decreased by 400, with goods-producing jobs decreasing by 1,200 jobs and service-producing jobs increasing by 800.



## HOURS AND EARNINGS OF PRODUCTION WORKERS

## TRI-CITIES MSA

	Average Weekly Earnings			Average Weekly Hours			Average Hourly Earnings		
	Jan. 2001	Dec. 2001	Jan. 2002	Jan. 2001	Dec. 2001	Jan. 2002	Jan. 2001	Dec. 2001	Jan. 2002
	All Manufacturing	\$501.47	\$482.85	\$481.71	39.3	37.9	37.4	\$12.76	\$12.74
Durable Goods	\$489.23	\$491.64	\$494.08	40.6	39.3	39.4	\$12.05	\$12.51	\$12.54
Primary & Fabricated Metal Prod.	\$525.95	\$537.81	\$515.23	44.8	45.5	42.9	\$11.74	\$11.82	\$12.01
Mach. & Elec. / Electronic Equip.	\$471.55	\$474.51	\$460.16	40.2	37.6	37.2	\$11.73	\$12.62	\$12.37
Nondurable Goods	\$521.08	\$468.98	\$465.33	37.3	35.8	34.7	\$13.97	\$13.10	\$13.41
Food & Kindred Products	\$435.11	\$372.36	\$398.21	39.7	34.8	36.6	\$10.96	\$10.70	\$10.88
Textile Mill Products	\$379.48	\$394.46	\$372.68	35.8	36.9	35.8	\$10.60	\$10.69	\$10.41
Apparel & Other Fabricated Prod.	\$193.38	\$246.72	\$236.21	21.9	26.5	25.9	\$8.83	\$9.31	\$9.12
Paper, Printing, & Publishing	\$494.60	\$525.01	\$535.00	39.6	41.8	42.8	\$12.49	\$12.56	\$12.50



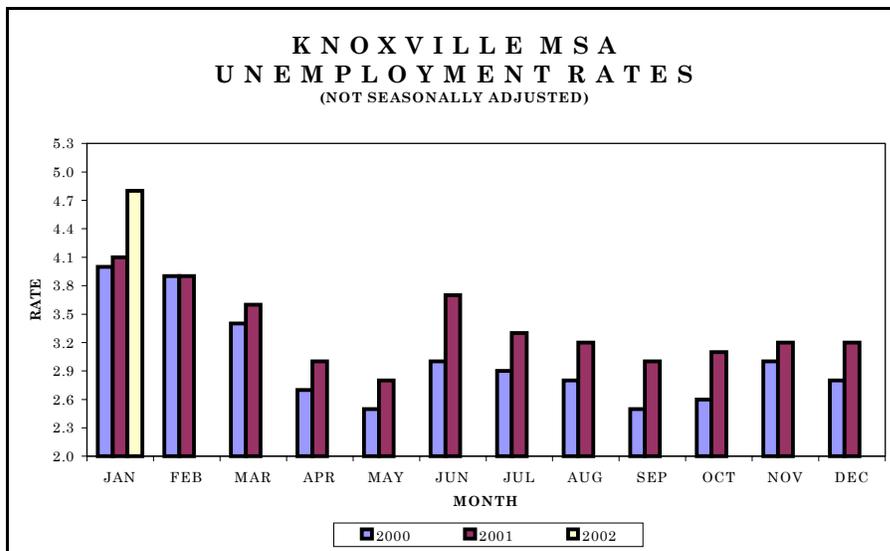
## ESTIMATED NONAGRICULTURAL EMPLOYMENT (in thousands)

Industry	January 2001	Revised December 2001	Preliminary January 2002	Net Change	
				Jan. 2001 to Jan. 2002	Dec. 2001 to Jan. 2002
TOTAL	195.8	198.5	195.4	-0.4	-3.1
Goods-Producing	56.1	55.5	54.9	-1.2	-0.6
Manufacturing	45.4	43.9	43.5	-1.9	-0.4
Durable Goods	23.4	22.7	22.6	-0.8	-0.1
Lumber & Wood Products, including Furniture	2.3	2.1	2.1	-0.2	0.0
Stone, Clay, & Glass Products	2.3	2.2	2.2	-0.1	0.0
Primary Metal Industries and Fabricated Metal Products	4.3	4.1	4.0	-0.3	-0.1
Machinery and Electronic & Electric Equipment	9.9	9.9	9.9	0.0	0.0
All Other Durable Goods	4.6	4.4	4.4	-0.2	0.0
Nondurable Goods	22.0	21.2	20.9	-1.1	-0.3
Food & Kindred Products	1.0	1.0	1.0	0.0	0.0
Textile Mill Products	1.5	1.1	1.1	-0.4	0.0
Apparel & Other Fabricated Products	0.7	0.6	0.6	-0.1	0.0
Paper & Allied Products and Printing & Publishing	6.0	6.0	5.7	-0.3	-0.3
All Other Nondurable Goods	12.8	12.5	12.5	-0.3	0.0
Mining & Construction	10.7	11.6	11.4	0.7	-0.2
Service-Producing	139.7	143.0	140.5	0.8	-2.5
Transportation & Public Utilities	8.0	8.1	7.9	-0.1	-0.2
Trade	46.3	47.1	46.8	0.5	-0.3
Wholesale Trade	8.4	8.6	8.6	0.2	0.0
Wholesale Durable Goods	4.1	4.2	4.2	0.1	0.0
Wholesale Nondurable Goods	4.3	4.4	4.4	0.1	0.0
Retail Trade	37.9	38.5	38.2	0.3	-0.3
Eating & Drinking Places	14.3	14.3	14.3	0.0	0.0
Finance, Insurance, & Real Estate	7.8	8.1	8.0	0.2	-0.1
Services	48.0	48.6	48.0	0.0	-0.6
Health Services	19.9	20.0	20.1	0.2	0.1
Government	29.6	31.1	29.8	0.2	-1.3
Federal	3.4	3.4	3.4	0.0	0.0
State & Local	26.2	27.7	26.4	0.2	-1.3
State	6.9	7.9	6.9	0.0	-1.0
Local	19.3	19.8	19.5	0.2	-0.3



Total nonagricultural employment decreased by 8,000 jobs from December 2001 to January 2002. Seasonal decreases occurred in services (down 2,500 jobs), which included a decline in hotel/other lodging places (down 900 jobs); retail trade (down 2,400 jobs); construction (down 1,000 jobs); and state government (down 800 jobs). There was a decline of 600 jobs (200 jobs per sector) in transportation/public utilities, finance/insurance/real estate, and wholesale trade durable goods.

During the past 12 months, jobs increased by 6,200, with goods-producing industries down by 1,400 jobs combined with service-producing industries up by 7,600.



**HOURS AND EARNINGS OF PRODUCTION WORKERS**

**KNOXVILLE MSA**

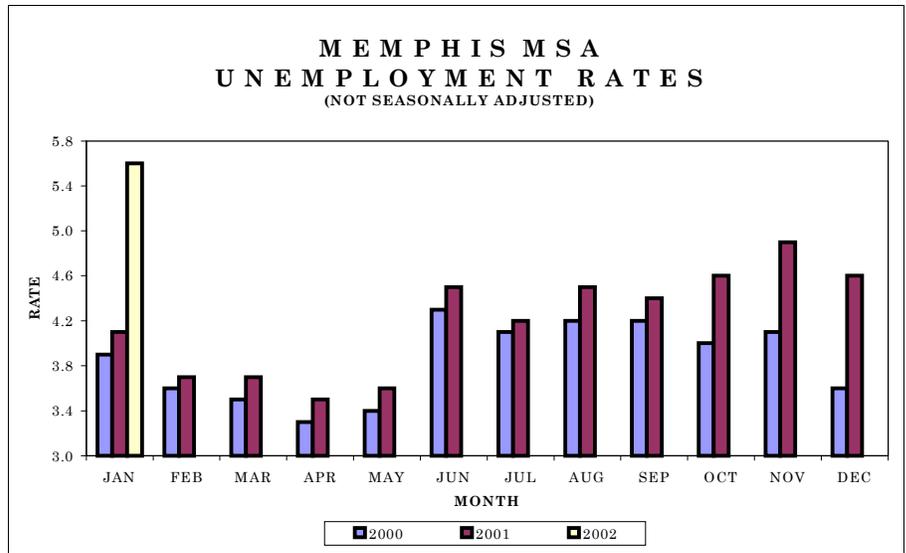
	Average Weekly Earnings			Average Weekly Hours			Average Hourly Earnings		
	Jan. 2001	Dec. 2001	Jan. 2002	Jan. 2001	Dec. 2001	Jan. 2002	Jan. 2001	Dec. 2001	Jan. 2002
	All Manufacturing	\$527.20	\$573.67	\$548.55	40.0	42.4	41.4	\$13.18	\$13.53
Durable Goods	\$558.58	\$617.76	\$579.10	39.7	42.9	41.1	\$14.07	\$14.40	\$14.09
Lumber, Wood, & Furniture	\$409.48	\$476.25	\$465.70	35.7	38.5	37.8	\$11.47	\$12.37	\$12.32
Stone, Clay, & Glass Products	\$569.93	\$567.34	\$610.81	44.7	47.2	49.7	\$12.75	\$12.02	\$12.29
Machinery, Except Electrical	\$571.77	\$616.97	\$543.35	39.9	39.6	38.7	\$14.33	\$15.58	\$14.04
Nondurable Goods	\$471.83	\$488.04	\$485.20	40.5	41.5	41.9	\$11.65	\$11.76	\$11.58
Food and Kindred Products	\$437.47	\$527.34	\$501.50	43.1	51.0	49.9	\$10.15	\$10.34	\$10.05
Textile Mill Products	\$583.65	\$555.96	\$567.88	41.6	40.7	41.3	\$14.03	\$13.66	\$13.75
Apparel & Other Fabr. Products	\$322.24	\$323.10	\$318.94	38.0	35.9	38.8	\$8.48	\$9.00	\$8.22
Paper, Printing, & Publishing	\$490.53	\$551.20	\$546.56	38.9	41.6	41.5	\$12.61	\$13.25	\$13.17



**ESTIMATED NONAGRICULTURAL EMPLOYMENT (in thousands)**

Industry	January 2001	Revised December 2001	Preliminary January 2002	Net Change	
				Jan. 2001 to Jan. 2002	Dec. 2001 to Jan. 2002
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>334.1</b>	<b>348.3</b>	<b>340.3</b>	<b>6.2</b>	<b>-8.0</b>
Goods-Producing	63.0	63.1	61.6	-1.4	-1.5
Manufacturing	46.5	46.0	45.5	-1.0	-0.5
Durable Goods	31.3	31.5	31.3	0.0	-0.2
Lumber & Wood Products, including Furniture	2.2	2.3	2.3	0.1	0.0
Stone, Clay, & Glass Products	1.6	1.6	1.5	-0.1	-0.1
Industrial Machinery & Equipment	2.7	2.7	2.6	-0.1	-0.1
All Other Durable Goods	24.8	24.9	24.9	0.1	0.0
Nondurable Goods	15.2	14.5	14.2	-1.0	-0.3
Food & Kindred Products	2.8	2.8	2.8	0.0	0.0
Textile Mill Products	1.0	1.0	0.9	-0.1	-0.1
Apparel & Other Fabricated Products	3.2	3.0	2.9	-0.3	-0.1
Paper, and Printing & Publishing	3.6	3.6	3.5	-0.1	-0.1
All Other Nondurable Goods	4.6	4.1	4.1	-0.5	0.0
Mining	0.6	0.5	0.5	-0.1	0.0
Construction	15.9	16.6	15.6	-0.3	-1.0
Service-Producing	271.1	285.2	278.7	7.6	-6.5
Transportation & Public Utilities	15.8	16.2	16.0	0.2	-0.2
Trade	90.3	95.9	93.3	3.0	-2.6
Wholesale Trade	16.7	17.1	16.9	0.2	-0.2
Wholesale Durable Goods	10.6	11.0	10.8	0.2	-0.2
Wholesale Nondurable Goods	6.1	6.1	6.1	0.0	0.0
Retail Trade	73.6	78.8	76.4	2.8	-2.4
Eating & Drinking Places	27.9	30.3	30.5	2.6	0.2
Finance, Insurance, & Real Estate	15.1	15.5	15.3	0.2	-0.2
Services	93.8	100.1	97.6	3.8	-2.5
Hotels & Other Lodging Places	6.6	7.8	6.9	0.3	-0.9
Health Services	27.6	28.4	28.5	0.9	0.1
Government	56.1	57.5	56.5	0.4	-1.0
Federal	5.6	5.8	5.7	0.1	-0.1
State & Local	50.5	51.7	50.8	0.3	-0.9
State	19.1	20.2	19.4	0.3	-0.8
Local	31.4	31.5	31.4	0.0	-0.1

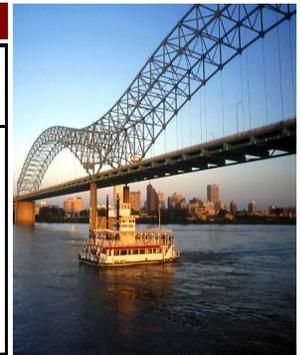
Total nonagricultural employment decreased by 18,600 jobs from December 2001 to January 2002. There were seasonal decreases in services (down 6,000 jobs), which included a drop of 1,000 jobs in health services; retail trade (down 5,700 jobs), which included decreases of 2,700 jobs in general merchandise/apparel stores and 1,000 jobs in eating/drinking places; state government (down 2,400 jobs); transportation/public utilities (down 2,200 jobs); and mining/construction (down 800 jobs). There were job losses in local government and wholesale trade durable goods (both down 400 jobs) and printing/publishing and finance/insurance/real estate (both down 200 jobs).



**HOURS AND EARNINGS OF PRODUCTION WORKERS**

**MEMPHIS MSA**

	Average Weekly Earnings			Average Weekly Hours			Average Hourly Earnings		
	Jan. 2001	Dec. 2001	Jan. 2002	Jan. 2001	Dec. 2001	Jan. 2002	Jan. 2001	Dec. 2001	Jan. 2002
	All Manufacturing	\$559.63	\$555.88	\$573.43	40.7	38.1	40.1	\$13.75	\$14.59
Durable Goods	\$489.68	\$449.03	\$453.33	39.3	36.3	36.5	\$12.46	\$12.37	\$12.42
Lumber and Wood Products	\$393.71	\$346.24	\$370.60	43.6	38.6	39.3	\$9.03	\$8.97	\$9.43
Furniture and Fixtures	\$308.88	\$385.90	\$364.82	29.7	34.0	34.0	\$10.40	\$11.35	\$10.73
Fabricated Metal Products	\$492.69	\$447.43	\$443.16	37.1	36.2	36.0	\$13.28	\$12.36	\$12.31
Machinery, Except Electrical	\$505.88	\$478.61	\$492.90	40.6	41.8	42.2	\$12.46	\$11.45	\$11.68
Electronic Equipment	\$361.67	\$383.17	\$389.67	39.7	38.9	39.4	\$9.11	\$9.85	\$9.89
Nondurable Goods	\$615.30	\$627.62	\$664.95	41.8	39.3	42.9	\$14.72	\$15.97	\$15.50
Food and Kindred Products	\$690.00	\$817.96	\$782.77	46.0	48.4	48.2	\$15.00	\$16.90	\$16.24
Paper and Allied Products	\$640.77	\$675.80	\$643.17	44.1	43.6	41.9	\$14.53	\$15.50	\$15.35
Chemicals and Allied Products	\$835.71	\$917.63	\$924.62	43.1	42.9	43.8	\$19.39	\$21.39	\$21.11

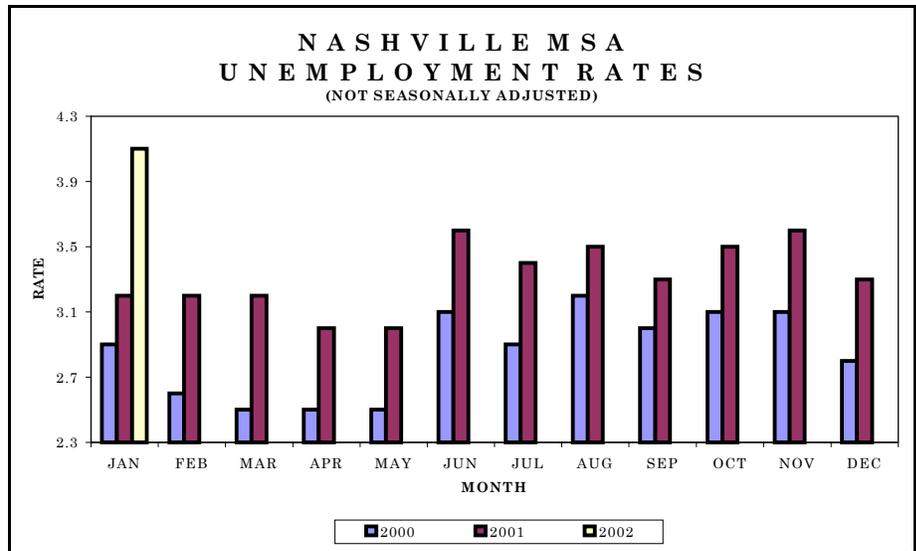


**ESTIMATED NONAGRICULTURAL EMPLOYMENT (in thousands)**

Industry	January 2001	Revised December 2001	Preliminary January 2002	Net Change	
				Jan. 2001 to Jan. 2002	Dec. 2001 to Jan. 2002
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>585.9</b>	<b>599.1</b>	<b>580.5</b>	<b>-5.4</b>	<b>-18.6</b>
Goods-Producing	84.7	82.0	80.6	-4.1	-1.4
Manufacturing	59.9	56.5	55.9	-4.0	-0.6
Durable Goods	26.3	23.9	23.8	-2.5	-0.1
Lumber & Wood Products	1.6	1.6	1.6	0.0	0.0
Furniture & Fixtures	0.8	0.6	0.6	-0.2	0.0
Fabricated Metal Products	5.8	5.0	4.9	-0.9	-0.1
Industrial Machinery & Equipment	5.7	4.7	4.8	-0.9	0.1
Electronic & Electric Equipment	4.3	3.7	3.7	-0.6	0.0
All Other Durable Goods	8.1	8.3	8.2	0.1	-0.1
Nondurable Goods	33.6	32.6	32.1	-1.5	-0.5
Food & Kindred Products	7.5	7.2	7.1	-0.4	-0.1
Apparel & Other Fabricated Products	1.7	1.6	1.5	-0.2	-0.1
Paper & Allied Products	8.2	8.0	7.9	-0.3	-0.1
Printing & Publishing	6.5	6.4	6.2	-0.3	-0.2
Chemicals & Allied Products	6.2	6.1	6.1	-0.1	0.0
All Other Nondurable Goods	3.5	3.3	3.3	-0.2	0.0
Mining & Construction	24.8	25.5	24.7	-0.1	-0.8
Service-Producing	501.2	517.1	499.9	-1.3	-17.2
Transportation & Public Utilities	70.7	68.7	66.5	-4.2	-2.2
Trade	146.4	153.3	147.3	0.9	-6.0
Wholesale Trade	40.7	41.1	40.8	0.1	-0.3
Wholesale Durable Goods	24.7	24.4	24.0	-0.7	-0.4
Wholesale Nondurable Goods	16.0	16.7	16.8	0.8	0.1
Retail Trade	105.7	112.2	106.5	0.8	-5.7
General Merchandise /Apparel Stores	24.1	27.2	24.5	0.4	-2.7
Eating & Drinking Places	34.2	36.3	35.3	1.1	-1.0
Finance, Insurance, & Real Estate	29.9	30.0	29.8	-0.1	-0.2
Services	172.2	178.8	172.8	0.6	-6.0
Health Services	44.2	45.7	44.7	0.5	-1.0
Government	82.0	86.3	83.5	1.5	-2.8
Federal	16.1	16.0	16.0	-0.1	0.0
State & Local	65.9	70.3	67.5	1.6	-2.8
State	14.4	16.8	14.4	0.0	-2.4
Local	51.5	53.5	53.1	1.6	-0.4



Total nonagricultural employment decreased by 16,700 jobs from December 2001 to January 2002. There were seasonal decreases in retail trade (down 6,800 jobs), which included declines of 2,400 jobs in general merchandise stores, 1,700 jobs in eating/drinking places, and 200 jobs in food stores; services (down 5,000 jobs), which included a drop of 200 jobs in both hotel/other lodging places and educational services; mining/construction (down 1,500 jobs); and state government (down 1,100 jobs). There were job losses in transportation/public utilities and wholesale trade (both down 600 jobs); local government (down 400 jobs); and federal government (down 200 jobs).



**HOURS AND EARNINGS OF PRODUCTION WORKERS**

**NASHVILLE MSA**

	Average Weekly Earnings			Average Weekly Hours			Average Hourly Earnings		
	Jan. 2001	Dec. 2001	Jan. 2002	Jan. 2001	Dec. 2001	Jan. 2002	Jan. 2001	Dec. 2001	Jan. 2002
	All Manufacturing	\$568.26	\$583.99	\$595.31	39.6	39.7	39.9	\$14.35	\$14.71
Durable Goods	\$595.90	\$604.40	\$620.08	39.7	39.4	39.8	\$15.01	\$15.34	\$15.58
Lumber & Wood Products	\$501.59	\$378.16	\$454.99	42.4	28.2	31.4	\$11.83	\$13.41	\$14.49
Fabricated Metal Products	\$480.38	\$561.19	\$557.57	37.5	40.2	40.2	\$12.81	\$13.96	\$13.87
Machinery, Excl. Electrical	\$687.38	\$647.51	\$643.66	42.3	39.7	39.2	\$16.25	\$16.31	\$16.42
Electronic Equipment	\$432.90	\$489.60	\$500.98	37.0	40.8	42.6	\$11.70	\$12.00	\$11.76
Transportation Equipment	\$678.02	\$632.45	\$654.38	40.6	38.4	37.5	\$16.70	\$16.47	\$17.45
Nondurable Goods	\$516.38	\$547.42	\$544.56	39.6	40.4	40.1	\$13.04	\$13.55	\$13.58
Food and Kindred Products	\$530.04	\$527.39	\$550.29	41.9	40.6	42.2	\$12.65	\$12.99	\$13.04
Apparel & Other Fabr. Products	\$359.66	\$321.26	\$318.60	35.4	27.6	27.0	\$10.16	\$11.64	\$11.80
Printing and Publishing	\$535.05	\$554.71	\$566.75	38.3	38.9	39.8	\$13.97	\$14.26	\$14.24
Petroleum, Coal, & Plastic	\$432.26	\$461.18	\$452.71	37.2	38.4	38.3	\$11.62	\$12.01	\$11.82



**ESTIMATED NONAGRICULTURAL EMPLOYMENT (in thousands)**

Industry	January 2001	Revised December 2001	Preliminary January 2002	Net Change	
				Jan. 2001 to Jan. 2002	Dec. 2001 to Jan. 2002
<b>TOTAL</b>	671.3	692.3	675.6	4.3	-16.7
Goods-Producing	125.5	125.0	123.0	-2.5	-2.0
Manufacturing	93.8	91.9	91.4	-2.4	-0.5
Durable Goods	58.5	56.9	56.5	-2.0	-0.4
Lumber & Wood Products	3.3	3.3	3.2	-0.1	-0.1
Furniture & Fixtures	3.3	3.0	2.9	-0.4	-0.1
Fabricated Metal Products	9.1	8.3	8.3	-0.8	0.0
Industrial Machinery & Equipment	9.7	9.2	9.2	-0.5	0.0
Electronic & Other Electric Equipment	10.3	10.2	10.2	-0.1	0.0
Transportation Equipment	13.6	13.4	13.2	-0.4	-0.2
All Other Durable Goods	9.2	9.5	9.5	0.3	0.0
Nondurable Goods	35.3	35.0	34.9	-0.4	-0.1
Food & Kindred Products	5.3	6.4	6.4	1.1	0.0
Textile Mill Products	1.7	1.5	1.5	-0.2	0.0
Apparel & Other Fabricated Products	2.3	2.0	2.0	-0.3	0.0
Printing & Publishing	13.0	12.6	12.5	-0.5	-0.1
Petroleum, Coal, & Rubber Products	5.7	5.6	5.6	-0.1	0.0
Leather & Leather Products	1.1	1.0	0.9	-0.2	-0.1
All Other Nondurable Goods	6.2	5.9	6.0	-0.2	0.1
Mining & Construction	31.7	33.1	31.6	-0.1	-1.5
Service-Producing	545.8	567.3	552.6	6.8	-14.7
Transportation & Public Utilities	38.0	38.9	38.3	0.3	-0.6
Trade	161.4	170.6	163.2	1.8	-7.4
Wholesale Trade	36.8	38.0	37.4	0.6	-0.6
Wholesale Durable Goods	23.7	24.2	24.0	0.3	-0.2
Wholesale Nondurable Goods	13.1	13.8	13.4	0.3	-0.4
Retail Trade	124.6	132.6	125.8	1.2	-6.8
General Merchandise Stores	17.9	20.6	18.2	0.3	-2.4
Food Stores	13.0	13.4	13.2	0.2	-0.2
Eating and Drinking Places	44.9	46.9	45.2	0.3	-1.7
Finance, Insurance, & Real Estate	41.0	41.7	41.7	0.7	0.0
Services	219.4	227.6	222.6	3.2	-5.0
Hotels & Other Lodging Places	10.9	11.1	10.9	0.0	-0.2
Health Services	53.5	55.2	55.2	1.7	0.0
Educational Services	16.4	16.6	16.4	0.0	-0.2
Government	86.0	88.5	86.8	0.8	-1.7
Federal	11.2	11.4	11.2	0.0	-0.2
State	25.8	27.1	26.0	0.2	-1.1
Local	49.0	50.0	49.6	0.6	-0.4

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## U.S. CONSUMER PRICE INDEX JANUARY 2002

Group	All urban consumers			Wage earners & clerical		
	Index	Percent change		Index	Percent change	
		Jan 2001 Jan 2002	Dec 2001 Jan 2002		Jan 2001 Jan 2002	Dec 2001 Jan 2002
<b>U.S. City Average</b>						
All items (1982-84=100)	177.1	1.1	0.2	173.2	0.9	0.2
All items (1967=100)	530.6	-	-	515.9	-	-
Food and beverages	176.2	2.8	0.6	175.7	2.9	0.6
Housing	177.6	2.0	0.4	173.4	1.9	0.3
Shelter	204.5	4.1	0.6	198.7	4.2	0.5
Rent of primary residence	197.0	4.7	0.3	196.3	4.6	0.3
Apparel	120.4	-4.0	-2.7	119.6	-3.6	-2.8
Transportation	148.6	-3.8	0.1	147.5	-4.2	0.1
Medical care	279.6	4.7	0.8	278.5	4.6	0.8
Recreation 1/	105.7	1.5	0.4	104.2	1.2	0.4
Education & communication 1/	107.2	3.2	0.3	107.1	3.0	0.2
Other goods and services	287.2	4.1	0.3	294.0	4.4	0.2
<b>South Region</b>						
All Items (1982-84=100)	170.6	0.8	0.2	168.3	0.5	0.1
All Items (Dec 1977=100)	276.8	-	-	272.6	-	-
Food and beverages	173.5	2.7	0.5	172.5	2.7	0.5
Housing	162.8	1.2	0.2	161.3	1.2	0.1
Apparel	132.3	-3.9	-3.4	131.4	-3.7	-3.1
Transportation	145.3	-4.0	0.4	144.7	-4.7	0.3
Medical care	270.8	3.6	0.4	270.8	3.5	0.4
Recreation 1/	105.7	2.0	0.5	104.1	1.8	0.5
Education & communication 1/	107.2	4.0	0.5	106.8	3.8	0.6
Other goods and services	282.0	4.8	0.1	289.1	5.0	0.1

1/ Indexes on a December 1997=100 base. - Data not available.

Users should be aware that CPI data were revised to correct an error in the residential rent and owners' equivalent rent components. Indexes were revised for both the CPI-U and CPI-W for the period January 2000 through August 2000. For more information, call (404) 331-3415.