# **TENNESSEE ECONOMIC ANALYSIS**

# May 2022

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#### **BRIEFING PACKET SUMMARY**

#### May 2022 pre.

#### **Unemployment Rates**

Tennessee			May 2022 pre.	Change	e From:
	May 2021	May 2021 April 2022 rev.		Year Ago	Month Ago
Not Seasonally Adjusted	4.3%	3.1%	3.4%	-0.9%	0.3%
Seasonally Adjusted	4.6%	3.2%	3.3%	-1.3%	0.1%
United States					
Not Seasonally Adjusted	5.5%	3.3%	3.4%	-2.1%	0.1%
Seasonally Adjusted	5.8%	3.6%	3.6%	-2.2%	0.0%

#### Hours and Earnings of Production Workers (Manufacturing)

Tennessee	April 2022 rev.	May 2022 pre.	Change
Average Weekly Earnings	\$959.04	\$979.62	\$20.58
Average Weekly Hours	43.2	43.5	0.3
Average Hourly Earnings	\$22.20	\$22.52	\$0.32

#### **United States**

Average Weekly Earnings	\$1012.62	\$1027.12	\$14.50
Average Weekly Hours	40.7	41.2	0.5
Average Hourly Earnings	\$24.88	\$24.93	\$0.05

#### **Summary**

Tennessee's May seasonally adjusted unemployment rate increased to 3.3% from the revised April rate of 3.2%.

Over the past year, Tennessee's seasonally adjusted unemployment rate decreased from 4.6% to 3.3% while the U.S. rate declined from 5.8% to 3.6%.

Total nonfarm employment increased 3,700 jobs from April to May. The largest increases were in construction, state government, and professional, scientific, & technical services.

Over the year, nonfarm employment increased 135,000 jobs. The largest increases were in leisure & hospitality, trade, transportation, & utilities, and professional & business services.

## LABOR FORCE ESTIMATES SUMMARY

### HOUSEHOLD SURVEY

Tennessee* Not Seasonally Adjusted	May 2021	Revised April 2022	Preliminary May 2022		nge from May 1 to May 2022	Change from April 2022 to May 2022		
Civilian Labor Force	3,304,861	3,410,677	3,409,034	104,173	3.2%	-1,643	0.0%	
Labor Force Participation Rate	60.1%	61.3%	61.2%	1.1	percentage points	-0.1	percentage points	
Employment	3,164,202	3,306,042	3,293,464	129,262	4.1%	-12,578	-0.4%	
Unemployment	140,659	104,635	115,570	-25,089	-17.8%	10,935	10.5%	
Unemployment Rate	4.3%	3.1%	3.4%	-0.9	percentage points	0.3	percentage points	
Seasonally Adjusted								
Civilian Labor Force	3,324,202	3,388,428	3,405,582	81,380	2.4%	17,154	0.5%	
Labor Force Participation Rate	60.5%	60.9%	61.1%	0.6	percentage points	0.2	percentage points	
Employment	3,172,170	3,278,866	3,293,564	121,394	3.8%	14,698	0.4%	
Unemployment	mployment 152,032 109,562 112,018 -4		-40,014	-26.3%	2,456	2.2%		
Unemployment Rate	4.6%	3.2%	3.3%	-1.3	percentage points	0.1	percentage points	

United States** Not Seasonally Adjusted	May 2021	Revised April 2022	Preliminary May 2022		nge from May to May 2022		nge from April 2 to May 2022
Civilian Labor Force	160,607,000	163,449,000	164,157,000	3,550,000	2.2%	708,000	0.4%
Labor Force Participation Rate	61.5%	62.0%	62.3%	0.8	percentage points	0.3	percentage points
Employment	151,778,000	157,991,000	158,609,000	6,831,000	4.5%	618,000	0.4%
Unemployment	8,829,000	5,458,000	5,548,000	-3,281,000	-3,281,000 -37.2%		1.6%
Unemployment Rate	5.5%	3.3%	3.4%	-2.1	percentage points	0.1	percentage points
Seasonally Adjusted							
Civilian Labor Force	160,801,000	164,046,000	164,376,000	3,575,000	2.2%	330,000	0.2%
Labor Force Participation Rate	61.6%	62.2%	62.3%	0.7	percentage points	0.1	percentage points
Employment	151,550,000	158,105,000	158,426,000	6,876,000	4.5%	321,000	0.2%
Unemployment	9,251,000	5,941,000	5,950,000	-3,301,000	-35.7%	9,000	0.2%
Unemployment Rate	5.8%	3.6%	3.6%	-2.2	percentage points	0.0	percentage points

\* Error range for Tennessee estimates cannot be computed

\*\* Error range for U.S. estimates is +/- 0.2%

#### Seasonally Adjusted Nonfarm Employment

sonally Adjusted Nonfarm Employment				Annual C	hange	Monthly Change		
(numbers in thousands)				May 2021 to	May 2022	April 2022 to	o May 2022	
	May 2021	April 2022 rev.	May 2022 pre.	Net Chg.	% chg.	Net Chg.	% chg.	
Total Non-Farm	3,080.7	3,212.0	3,215.7	135.0	4.4%	3.7	0.1%	
Mining, Logging and Construction	138.3	149.9	152.5	14.2	10.3%	2.6	1.7%	
Mining and Logging	4.3	4.3	4.3	0.0	0.0%	5 2.6	0.0% 1.8% -0.1%	
Construction	134.0	145.6	148.2	14.2	10.6%			
Manufacturing	346.9	359.0	358.7	11.8	3.4%			
Durable Goods Manufacturing	219.6	231.7	232.1	12.5	5.7%	0.4	0.2%	
Non-Durable Goods Manufacturing	127.3	127.3	126.6	-0.7	-0.5%	-0.7	-0.5%	
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	646.2	673.0	672.5	26.3	4.1%		-0.1%	
Wholesale Trade	119.3	126.2	127.0	7.7	6.5%	0.8	0.6%	
Retail Trade	331.4	343.0	340.9	9.5	2.9%	0.8 0.4 -1.5	-0.6%	
Transportation, Warehousing, and Utilities	195.5	203.8	204.6	9.1	4.7%		0.4%	
Information	45.6	49.2	49.6	4.0	8.8% 2.6% 1.2%		0.8%	
Financial Activities	171.7	177.6	176.1	4.4			-0.8%	
Finance and Insurance	130.8	133.3	132.4	1.6		-0.9	-0.7%	
Real Estate, Rental, and Leasing	40.9	44.3	43.7	2.8	6.8%	-0.6	-1.4%	
Professional and Business Services	435.9	453.0	453.0	17.1	3.9%	0.0	0.0%	
Professional, Scientific, and Technical Services	157.8	165.5	167.6	9.8	6.2%	2.1	1.3%	
Management of Companies and Enterprises	51.5	54.2	54.4	2.9	5.6%	0.2	0.4%	
Administrative, Support, and Waste Services	226.6	233.3	231.0	4.4	1.9%	-2.3	-1.0%	
Education and Health Services	438.3	444.0	446.5	8.2	1.9%	2.5	0.6%	
Educational Services	60.7	61.8	63.1	2.4	4.0%	1.3	2.1%	
Health Care and Social Assistance	377.6	382.2	383.4	5.8	1.5%	1.2	0.3%	
Leisure and Hospitality	308.4	351.7	352.1	43.7	14.2%	0.4	0.1%	
Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation	36.5	47.9	47.6	11.1	30.4%	-0.3	-0.6%	
Accommodation and Food Services	271.9	303.8	304.5	32.6	12.0%	0.7	0.2%	
Other Services	121.9	125.8	124.3	2.4	2.0%	-1.5	-1.2%	
Government	427.5	428.8	430.4	2.9	0.7%	1.6	0.4%	
Federal Government	51.3	51.9	52.0	0.7	1.4%	0.1	0.2%	
State Government	94.1	92.6	94.8	0.7	0.7%	2.2	2.4%	
Local Government	282.1	284.3	283.6	1.5	0.5%	-0.7	-0.2%	
or Changes in Seasonally Adjusted Nonfarm En onthly Change (from April 2022 rev. to May 2022 p		nt (in thous	ands)					
Major Employment Increases	0.)	April 2022 rev.	May 2	<u>022 pre.</u>	<u>Change</u>	<u>!</u>		
Construction		145.6		148.2	2.6			
State Government		92.6		94.8	2.2			
		165.5		167.6				
Professional, Scientific, and Technical Services		C.CO1		0.101	2.1			

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Change

**B.** Major Employment Decreases Administrative, Support, and Waste Services

Retail Trade

Finance and Insurance II. Yearly Change (from May 2021 to May 2022 pre.) A. Major Employment Increases Leisure and Hospitality

308.4 352.1 Trade, Transportation, and Utilities 646.2 672.5 Professional and Business Services 435.9 453.0 B. Major Employment Decreases Non-Durable Goods Manufacturing 127.3 126.6 Mining and Logging 4.3 4.3

#### **BUSINESS SURVEY - Not Seasonally Adjusted**

Estimated Nonfarm Employn

Total Non-Farm Total Private

SS SURVEY - Not Seasonally Adjusted ated Nonfarm Employment by Industry*				Annual	Change	Monthly Change		
(numbere in the seconds)	May	April	Мау		to May 2022	April 2022 2022	to May	
(numbers in thousands)	2021	2022 rev.	2022 pre.	Net Chg.	% chg.	Net Chg.	% chg.	
Non-Farm	3,085.6	3,213.8	3,223.3	137.7	4.5%	9.5	0.3%	
Private	2,653.5	2,775.3	2,787.3	133.8	5.0%	12.0	0.4%	
Goods Producing	485.8	507.4	511.9	26.1	5.4%	4.5	0.9%	
Mining, Logging and Construction	138.9	148.8	153.3	14.4	10.4%	4.5	3.0%	
Manufacturing	346.9	358.6	358.6	11.7	3.4%	0.0	0.0%	
Durable Goods Manufacturing	219.9	231.4	231.6	11.7	5.3%	0.2	0.1%	
Wood Products	12.9	13.9	13.9	1.0	7.8%	0.0	0.0%	
Non-Metallic Mineral Products	13.7	14.6	14.7	1.0	7.3%	0.1	0.7%	
Primary Metal Products	11.0	11.7	11.7	0.7	6.4%	0.0	0.0%	
Fabricated Metal Products	39.1	42.0	41.9	2.8	7.2%	-0.1	-0.2%	
Machinery Manufacturing	24.1	25.1	25.1	1.0	4.1%	0.0	0.0%	
Computer and Electronic Products	6.5	6.5	6.5	0.0	0.0%	0.0	0.0%	

Machinery Manalastaning	27.1	20.1	20.1	1.0	4.170	0.0	0.070	
Computer and Electronic Products	6.5	6.5	6.5	0.0	0.0%	0.0	0.0%	
Electrical Equipment and Appliances	18.2	19.5	19.4	1.2	6.6%	-0.1	-0.5%	
Transportation Equipment	68.6	70.8	71.1	2.5	3.6%	0.3	0.4%	
Furniture and Related Products	9.6	10.3	10.3	0.7	7.3%	0.0	0.0%	
Miscellaneous Durable Manufacturing	16.2	17.0	17.0	0.8	4.9%	0.0	0.0%	
Non-Durable Goods Manufacturing	127.0	127.2	127.0	0.0	0.0%	-0.2	-0.2%	
Food Manufacturing	37.4	37.2	37.1	-0.3	-0.8%	-0.1	-0.3%	
Beverage and Tobacco Products	8.3	8.4	8.5	0.2	2.4%	0.1	1.2%	
Paper Manufacturing	12.2	12.1	12.1	-0.1	-0.8%	0.0	0.0%	
Printing and Related Support Activities	8.0	8.0	8.0	0.0	0.0%	0.0	0.0%	
Chemical Manufacturing	25.9	25.9	25.9	0.0	0.0%	0.0	0.0%	
Plastics and Rubber Products	23.9	24.3	24.4	0.5	2.1%	0.1	0.4%	
Service Providing	2,599.8	2,706.4	2,711.4	111.6	4.3%	5.0	0.2%	
Private Service Providing (Service Providing Less	2,167.7	2,267.9	2,275.4	107.7	5.0%	7.5	0.3%	
Government) Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	640.0	660.6	660.0	07.4	4 00/	1.3	0.00/	
Wholesale Trade	642.8 119.5	668.6 126.2	669.9 127.0	27.1 7.5	4.2% 6.3%	0.8	0.2% 0.6%	
Merchant wholesalers, Durable Goods	70.6	74.6	76.0	5.4	0.3 <i>%</i> 7.6%	1.4	1.9%	
Merchant wholesalers, Non-Durable Goods	42.0	44.3	43.7	5.4 1.7	4.0%	-0.6	-1.4%	
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Wholesale Electronic Markets	6.9	7.3	7.3	0.4	5.8%	0.0	0.0%	
Retail Trade	330.8	341.0	339.9	9.1	2.8%	-1.1	-0.3%	
Motor Vehicle and Parts Dealers	46.8	47.6	48.2	1.4	3.0%	0.6	1.3%	
Furniture and Home Furnishings Stores	9.7	10.2	10.1	0.4	4.1%	-0.1	-1.0%	
Building Material and Garden Supply Stores	34.2	32.2	33.4	-0.8	-2.3%	1.2	3.7%	
Food and Beverage Stores	54.9	56.3	56.2	1.3	2.4%	-0.1	-0.2%	
Health and Personal Care Stores	24.8	26.2	26.1	1.3	5.2%	-0.1	-0.4%	
Gasoline Stations	23.8	24.3	24.7	0.9	3.8%	0.4	1.6%	
Clothing and Clothing Accessories Stores	19.6	21.2	21.3	1.7	8.7%	0.1	0.5%	
Sporting Goods, Hobby, Book, and Music Sto	ores 11.1	11.4	11.5	0.4	3.6%	0.1	0.9%	
General Merchandise Stores	70.3	75.5	73.0	2.7	3.8%	-2.5	-3.3%	
Miscellaneous Store Retailers	17.2	18.4	18.6	1.4	8.1%	0.2	1.1%	
Non-Store Retailers	8.1	8.3	8.2	0.1	1.2%	-0.1	-1.2%	
Transportation, Warehousing, and Utilities	192.5	201.4	203.0	10.5	5.5%	1.6	0.8%	
Utilities	3.8	3.9	3.9	0.1	2.6%	0.0	0.0%	
Transportation and Warehousing	188.7	197.5	199.1	10.4	5.5%	1.6	0.8%	
Information	45.6	49.3	49.4	3.8	8.3%	0.1	0.2%	
Financial Activities	45.6							
		177.6	176.5	4.8	2.8%	-1.1	-0.6%	
Finance and Insurance	130.6	133.1	132.5	1.9	1.5%	-0.6 -0.5	-0.5%	
Real Estate, Rental, and Leasing Professional and Business Services	41.1	44.5	44.0	2.9	7.1%		-1.1%	
	433.2	450.3	451.5	18.3	4.2%	1.2	0.3%	
Professional, Scientific, and Technical Services	156.8	165.8	166.8	10.0	6.4%	1.0 0.5	0.6%	
Management of Companies and Enterprises	51.3	53.7	54.2	2.9	5.7%		0.9%	
Administrative, Support, and Waste Services	225.1	230.8	230.5	5.4	2.4%	-0.3	-0.1%	
Education and Health Services	436.6	445.6	446.1	9.5	2.2%	0.5	0.1%	
Educational Services	59.7	64.1	63.4	3.7	6.2%	-0.7	-1.1%	
Health Care and Social Assistance	376.9	381.5	382.7	5.8	1.5%	1.2	0.3%	
Ambulatory Health Care Services	157.7	161.6	161.2	3.5	2.2%	-0.4	-0.2%	
Hospitals	109.4	110.3	110.4	1.0	0.9%	0.1	0.1%	
Nursing and Residential Care Facilities	57.0	56.3	56.6	-0.4	-0.7%	0.3	0.5%	
Social Assistance	52.8	53.3	54.5	1.7	3.2%	1.2	2.3%	
Leisure and Hospitality	315.4	350.4	356.7	41.3	13.1%	6.3 2.0	1.8%	
Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation	38.8	46.7	49.6	10.8	27.8%	2.9	6.2%	

Accommodation and Food Services	276.6	303.7	307.1	30.5	11.0%	3.4	1.1%
Accommodation	30.2	35.9	35.6	5.4	17.9%	-0.3	-0.8%
Food Services and Drinking Places	246.4	267.8	271.5	25.1	10.2%	3.7	1.4%
Other Services	122.4	126.1	125.3	2.9	2.4%	-0.8	-0.6%
Government	432.1	438.5	436.0	3.9	0.9%	-2.5	-0.6%
Federal Government	51.2	51.8	51.9	0.7	1.4%	0.1	0.2%
State Government	91.8	96.0	93.5	1.7	1.9%	-2.5	-2.6%
State Government Educational Services	50.9	56.5	53.9	3.0	5.9%	-2.6	-4.6%
State Government Excluding Education	40.9	39.5	39.6	-1.3	-3.2%	0.1	0.3%
Local Government	289.1	290.7	290.6	1.5	0.5%	-0.1	0.0%
Local Government Educational Services	144.1	147.0	146.9	2.8	1.9%	-0.1	-0.1%
Local Government Excluding Education	145.0	143.7	143.7	-1.3	-0.9%	0.0	0.0%

\* Estimates 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 include 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.

### Unemployment Rates, 2011-2022

### U.S. & Tennessee, Seasonally Adjusted & Not Seasonally Adjusted

		20	11			20	12			20	13			20	14	
	U.	S.	Т	N	U.	U.S. TN		U.S. TN		U.S.		TN				
	Seas. Adj.	Not Seas. Adj.	Seas. Adj.	Not. Seas. Adj.	Seas. Adj.	Not Seas. Adj.										
Jan	9.1	9.8	9.6 *	10.2 *	8.3	8.8	8.2	8.6	8.0	8.5	8.0 -	8.7 *	6.6	7.0	6.9 *	7.1 *
Feb	9.0	9.5	9.5 *	9.8 *	8.3	8.7	8.1	8.4	7.7	8.1	8.0 *	8.2 *	6.7	7.0	6.8 *	7.1 *
Mar	9.0	9.2	9.4 *	9.5 *	8.2	8.4	8.0	8.1	7.5	7.6	8.0 *	7.9 *	6.7	6.8	6.8 *	6.9 *
Apr	9.1	8.7	9.3 *	8.9 *	8.2	7.7	8.0	7.5	7.6	7.1	8.0 *	7.4 *	6.2	5.9	6.7 *	6.0 *
May	9.0	8.7	9.3 *	8.9 *	8.2	7.9	8.0	7.7	7.5	7.3	7.9 *	7.6 *	6.3	6.1	6.7 *	6.3 *
Jun	9.1	9.3	9.2 *	9.8 *	8.2	8.4	8.0	8.6 *	7.5	7.8	7.9 *	8.5 *	6.1	6.3	6.7 *	7.1 *
Jul	9.0	9.3	9.2 *	9.4 *	8.2	8.6	8.0	8.6 -	7.3	7.7	7.8 *	8.2 *	6.2	6.5	6.6 *	7.3 *
Aug	9.0	9.1	9.1 *	9.2 *	8.1	8.2	7.9	8.0	7.2	7.3	7.7 *	7.7 *	6.1	6.3	6.6 *	6.9 *
Sep	9.0	8.8	8.9	8.9 *	7.8	7.6	7.8 -	7.5	7.2	7.0	7.6 *	7.5 *	5.9	5.7	6.5 *	6.4 *
Oct	8.8	8.5	8.8 -	8.5 -	7.8	7.5	7.8 -	7.6 *	7.2	7.0	7.4 *	7.5 *	5.7	5.5	6.4 *	6.1 *
Nov	8.6	8.2	8.6 -	8.1	7.7	7.4	7.8 *	7.3	6.9	6.6	7.3 *	6.9 *	5.8	5.5	6.3 *	6.1 *
Dec	8.5	8.3	8.4	8.1	7.9	7.6	7.9 -	7.7 *	6.7	6.5	7.1 *	6.8 *	5.6	5.4	6.2 *	5.9 *
Avg		8.9		9.1*		8.1		8.0		7.4		7.8 *		6.2		6.6 *

		20	15			20	16			20	17			20	18	
	U.	S.	Т	N	U.S. TN		U.S. TN			U.S.		TN				
	Seas. Adj.	Not Seas. Adj.														
Jan	5.7	6.1	6.1 *	6.6 *	4.8	5.3	4.8 -	5.0	4.7	5.1	4.6	5.0	4.0	4.5	3.5	3.8
Feb	5.5	5.8	6.1 *	6.2 *	4.9	5.2	4.7	4.8	4.6	4.9	4.4	4.6	4.1	4.4	3.5	3.7
Mar	5.4	5.6	6.0 *	5.9 *	5.0	5.1	4.7	4.7	4.4	4.6	4.2	4.1	4.0	4.1	3.5	3.5
Apr	5.4	5.1	5.9 *	5.3 *	5.1	4.7	4.6	4.3	4.4	4.1	3.9	3.4	4.0	3.7	3.5	3.0
May	5.6	5.3	5.8 *	5.6 *	4.8	4.5	4.7	4.2	4.4	4.1	3.7	3.2	3.8	3.6	3.5	3.1
Jun	5.3	5.5	5.7 *	6.2 *	4.9	5.1	4.7	5.2 *	4.3	4.5	3.6	4.1	4.0	4.2	3.5	4.1
Jul	5.2	5.6	5.5 *	6.0 *	4.8	5.1	4.8 -	5.2 *	4.3	4.6	3.5	3.9	3.8	4.1	3.5	3.9
Aug	5.1	5.2	5.4 *	5.5 *	4.9	5.0	4.8	5.0 -	4.4	4.5	3.4	3.6	3.8	3.9	3.5	3.6
Sep	5.0	4.9	5.3 *	5.2 *	5.0	4.8	4.9	4.9 *	4.3	4.1	3.4	3.2	3.7	3.6	3.5	3.4
Oct	5.0	4.8	5.1 *	5.0 *	4.9	4.7	4.9 -	4.7 -	4.2	3.9	3.4	3.3	3.8	3.5	3.5	3.4
Nov	5.1	4.8	5.0	4.9 *	4.7	4.4	4.8	4.5 *	4.2	3.9	3.4	3.2	3.8	3.5	3.5	3.1
Dec	5.0	4.8	4.9	4.7	4.7	4.5	4.7 -	4.5 -	4.1	3.9	3.5	3.2	3.9	3.7	3.5	3.2
Avg		5.3		5.6 *		4.9		4.7		4.4		3.7		3.9		3.5

	2019			2020			2021				2022						
	U.S.		Т	TN		U.S.		TN		U.S.		TN		U.S.		TN	
	Seas. Adj.	Not Seas. Adj.															
Jan	4.0	4.4	3.5	3.9	3.5	4.0	3.6	3.8	6.4	6.8	5.2	5.6	4.0	4.4	3.5	3.7	
Feb	3.8	4.1	3.4	3.5	3.5	3.8	3.6	3.6	6.2	6.6	5.0	5.2	3.8	4.1	3.4	3.3	
Mar	3.8	3.9	3.4	3.5	4.4	4.5	3.6	4.0	6.0	6.2	4.9	4.9	3.6	3.8	3.2	3.0	
Apr	3.6	3.3	3.4	2.9	14.7	14.4	15.9	15.3	6.0	5.7	4.8	4.4	3.6	3.3	3.2	3.1	
May	3.6	3.4	3.3	3.1	13.2	13.0	12.1	11.8	5.8	5.5	4.6	4.3	3.6	3.4	3.3	3.4	
Jun	3.6	3.8	3.3	3.9	11.0	11.2	10.1	10.6	5.9	6.1	4.4	5.3					
Jul	3.7	4.0	3.3	3.7	10.2	10.5	8.8	9.8	5.4	5.7	4.2	4.6					
Aug	3.7	3.8	3.3	3.3	8.4	8.5	7.5	7.5	5.2	5.3	4.0	4.1					
Sep	3.5	3.3	3.4	3.1	7.9	7.7	6.9	6.6	4.7	4.6	3.8	3.6					
Oct	3.6	3.3	3.4	3.3	6.9	6.6	6.1	5.8	4.6	4.3	3.7	3.3					
Nov	3.6	3.3	3.5	3.2	6.7	6.4	5.7	5.2	4.2	3.9	3.6	3.1					
Dec	3.6	3.4	3.6	3.3	6.7	6.5	5.5	5.2	3.9	3.7	3.6	3.1					
Avg		3.7		3.4		8.1		7.4		5.3		4.3					

\* Designates when Tennessee's unemployment rate is greater than the U.S. rate

- Designates when Tennessee's unemployment rate is equal to the U.S. rate

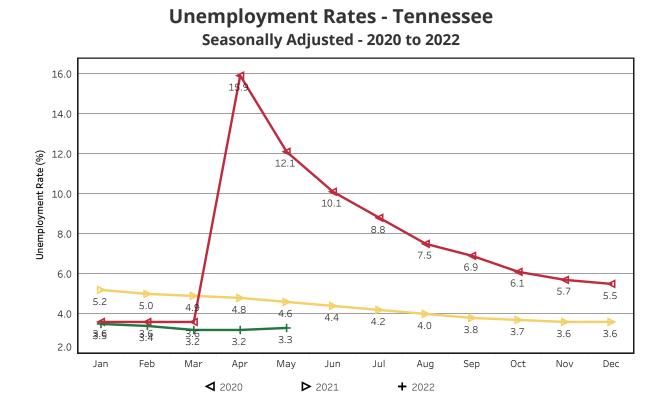
HOURS AND EARNINGS OF PRODUCTION WORKERS

	Average	Weekly Ea	Irning	Averag	e Weekly ⊢	lours	Average Hourly Earning		
	May 2021	April 2022	May 2022	May 2021	April 2022	May 2022	May 2021	April 2022	May 2022
Manufacturing	\$898.03	\$959.04	\$979.62	42.4	43.2	43.5	\$21.18	\$22.20	\$22.52
Durable Goods	950.79	1002.51	1024.33	43.1	43.1	43.7	22.06	23.26	23.44
Non-Durable Goods	810.31	884.06	904.10	41.3	43.4	43.3	19.62	20.37	20.88

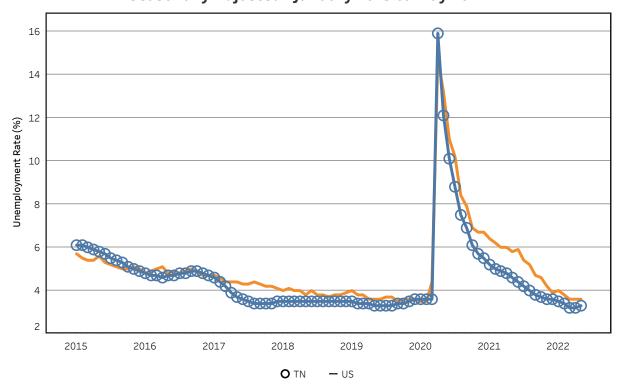
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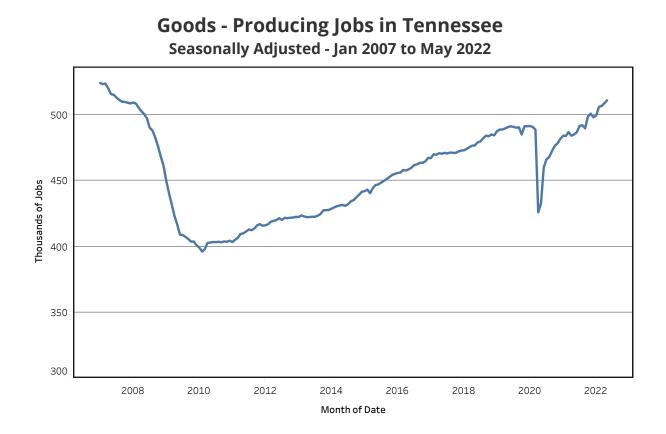
(ranked April 2022 preliminary average weekly earnings; May 2022 will be available later this month)

	Avera	ge Weekly	Farning	Avera	ge Weekly	Hours	Average Hourly Earning			
	April 2021		Percent Change	April 2021	April 2022	Percent Change	April 2021	April 2022	Percent Change	
FLORIDA	\$997.56	\$1084.13	8.7%	40.70	41.30	1.5%	\$24.51	\$26.25	7.1%	
KENTUCKY	\$929.38	\$978.48	5.3%	39.70	40.30	1.5%	\$23.41	\$24.28	3.7%	
SOUTH CAROLINA	\$954.10	\$964.83	1.1%	41.70	40.90	-1.9%	\$22.88	\$23.59	3.1%	
TENNESSEE	\$885.78	\$947.94	7.0%	42.00	42.70	1.7%	\$21.09	\$22.20	5.3%	
GEORGIA	\$937.79	\$946.17	0.9%	42.90	40.40	-5.8%	\$21.86	\$23.42	7.1%	
ALABAMA	\$856.08	\$945.71	10.5%	40.40	41.10	1.7%	\$21.19	\$23.01	8.6%	
NORTH CAROLINA	\$840.16	\$879.38	4.7%	42.80	42.40	-0.9%	\$19.63	\$20.74	5.7%	
VIRGINIA	\$870.69	\$846.72	-2.8%	41.80	39.20	-6.2%	\$20.83	\$21.60	3.7%	
ARKANSAS	\$779.20	\$819.32	5.1%	40.00	40.50	1.3%	\$19.48	\$20.23	3.9%	
MISSISSIPPI	\$812.40	\$816.51	0.5%	40.00	38.90	-2.8%	\$20.31	\$20.99	3.3%	



## Unemployment Rates - US & Tennessee Seasonally Adjusted - January 2015 to May 2022





Service - Providing Jobs in Tennessee Seasonally Adjusted - Jan 2007 to May 2022

