

LABOR AREA SUMMARY

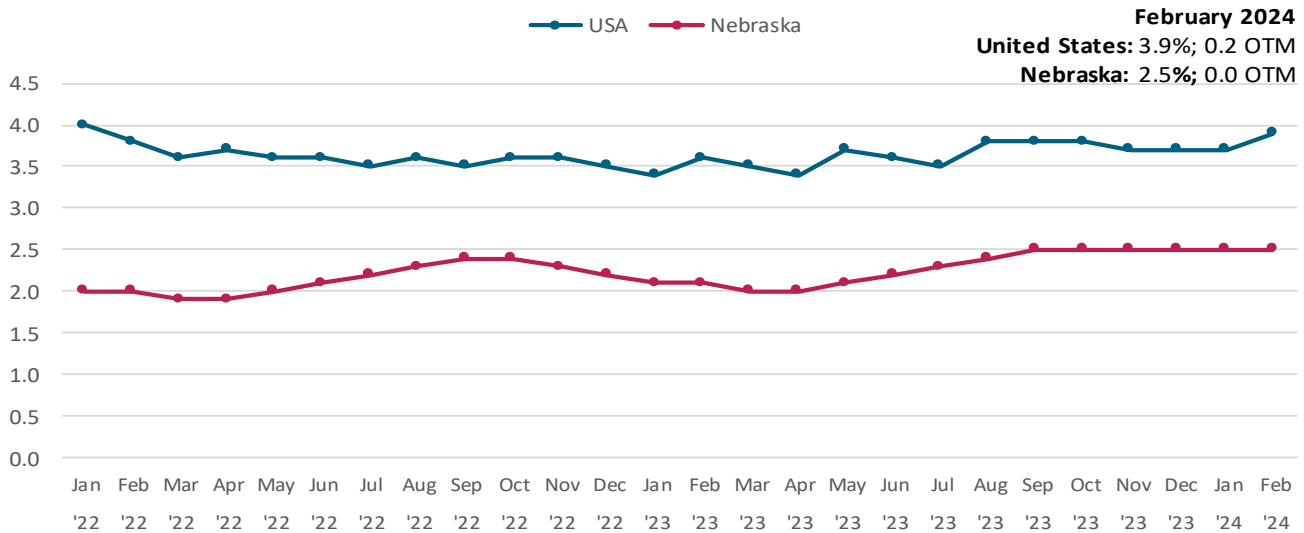
February 2024

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NEBRASKA

DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

NEBRASKA (SEASONALLY ADJUSTED)



LABOR FORCE DATA¹ SEASONALLY ADJUSTED

| | Preliminary | Revised | Changes | | % Change | |
|-------------------|-------------|-----------|---------------------|------------------|------------------|------|
| | Feb-24 | Jan-24 | Feb-23 ² | OTM ³ | OTY ³ | OTM |
| Unemployment Rate | 2.5 | 2.5 | 2.1 | 0.0 | 0.4 | — |
| Labor Force | 1,054,940 | 1,055,595 | 1,051,706 | -655 | 3,234 | -0.1 |
| Unemployed | 26,529 | 26,336 | 21,619 | 193 | 4,910 | 0.7 |
| Employed | 1,028,411 | 1,029,259 | 1,030,087 | -848 | -1,676 | -0.1 |

NON-FARM EMPLOYMENT⁴ BY PLACE OF WORK

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|------------------------|---------------|---------------|--------------|
| February Non-Farm Jobs | 1,048,697 | Manufacturing | 106,474 |
| OTM Change | 11,322 (1.1%) | OTM Change | 315 (0.3%) |
| OTY Change | 19,645 (1.9%) | OTM Change | 1,780 (1.7%) |

NEBRASKA HOUR & WAGE DATA⁴

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|-------------------------|---------------|-------------------------|------------------|
| Average Weekly Hours | 41.5 | Average Weekly Earnings | \$1,039.99 |
| OTM Change | 4.6 (12.5%) | OTM Change | \$132.62 (14.6%) |
| OTY Change | 2.7 (7.0%) | OTY Change | \$88.61 (9.3%) |
| Average Hourly Earnings | \$25.06 | | |
| OTM Change | \$0.47 (1.9%) | | |
| OTY Change | \$0.54 (2.2%) | | |

¹ Sources: Local Area Unemployment Statistics Program (LAUS), Nebraska Department of Labor; Bureau of Labor Statistics, US Department of Labor

² 2023 data has been benchmarked

³ OTM: over the month; OTY: over the year

⁴ Current Employment Statistics Program (CES), Nebraska Department of Labor; Bureau of Labor Statistics, US Department of Labor