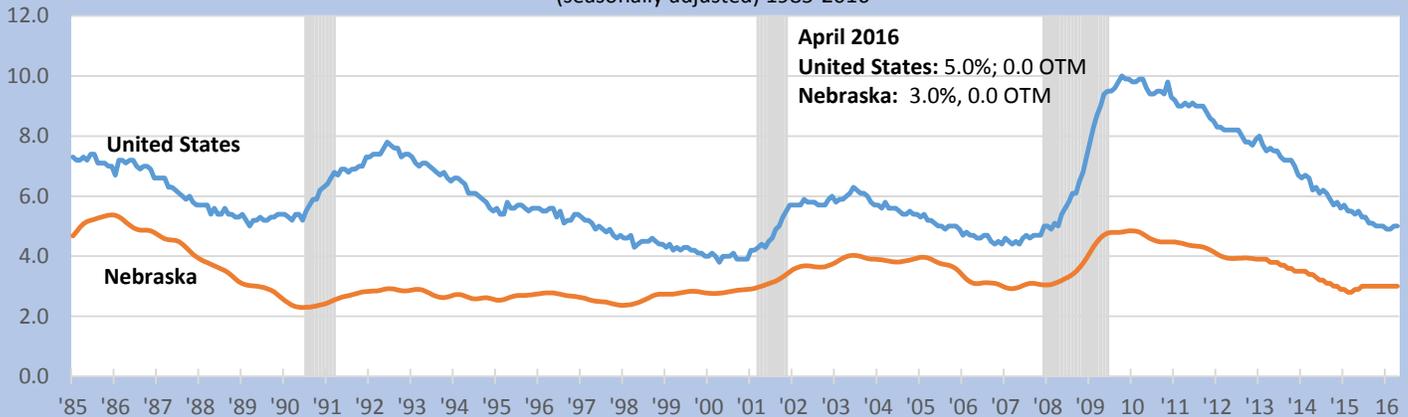


NEBRASKA

United States vs Nebraska

Unemployment Rate
(seasonally adjusted) 1985-2016



LABOR FORCE DATA¹ (SEASONALLY ADJUSTED)

	Preliminary Apr-16	Revised Mar-16	Apr-15 ³	OTM	Changes Since OTY	% Change OTM
Unemployment Rate	3.0	3.0	2.9	0.0	0.1	---
Labor Force	1,019,949	1,019,088	1,010,137	861	9,812	0.1
<i>Unemployment</i>	30,888	30,483	28,887	405	2,001	1.3
<i>Employment</i>	989,061	988,605	981,250	456	7,811	0.0

NON-FARM EMPLOYMENT² (NOT SEASONALLY ADJUSTED)

BY PLACE OF WORK

April Total Non-Farm	1,019,075	Manufacturing	97,107
<i>OTM Change</i>	11,689 (1.2%)	<i>OTM Change</i>	404 (0.4%)
<i>OTY Change</i>	14,673 (1.5%)	<i>OTY Change</i>	-380 (-0.4%)

NEBRASKA HOUR & WAGE DATA

Average Weekly Hours	42.3	Average Weekly Earnings	\$761.82
<i>OTM Change</i>	1.6 (3.9%)	<i>OTM Change</i>	\$33.70 (4.6%)
<i>OTY Change</i>	0.7 (1.7%)	<i>OTY Change</i>	\$26.75 (3.6%)
Average Hourly Earnings	\$18.01		
<i>OTM Change</i>	\$0.12 (0.7%)		
<i>OTY Change</i>	\$0.34 (1.9%)		

¹ Source: Local Unemployment Statistics Program (LAUS), Nebraska Department of Labor and US Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics

² Source: Current Employment Statistics (CES), Nebraska Department of Labor, US Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics

³ 2015 data has been benchmarked

⁴ OTM: over the month; OTY: over the year

UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE CLAIMS⁵

WEEK ENDING APRIL 23RD, 2015

	Month			Change From Previous Month		Change From Previous Year	
	Apr-16	Mar-16	Apr-15	Count	%	Count	%
Total	4,120	6,822	5,726	-2,702	-39.61%	-1,606	-28.05%
<i>Agriculture, Forestry, Hunting</i>	32	53	49	-21	-39.62%	-17	-34.69%
<i>Mining</i>	45	148	31	-103	-69.59%	14	45.16%
<i>Utilities</i>	7	15	11	-8	-53.33%	-4	-36.36%
<i>Construction</i>	719	1,683	768	-964	-57.28%	-49	-6.38%
<i>Manufacturing</i>	655	1,232	852	-577	-46.83%	-197	-23.12%
<i>Wholesale Trade</i>	169	205	237	-36	-17.56%	-68	-28.69%
<i>Retail Trade</i>	324	385	540	-61	-15.84%	-216	-40.00%
<i>Transportation & Warehouse</i>	156	361	201	-205	-56.79%	-45	-22.39%
<i>Information</i>	76	78	117	-2	-2.56%	-41	-35.04%
<i>Finance & Insurance</i>	194	188	239	6	3.19%	-45	-18.83%
<i>Real Estate</i>	51	75	83	-24	-32.00%	-32	-38.55%
<i>Professional & Technical</i>	160	161	226	-1	-0.62%	-66	-29.20%
<i>Management</i>	34	43	46	-9	-20.93%	-12	-26.09%
<i>Administration & Support</i>	437	723	571	-286	-39.56%	-134	-23.47%
<i>Educational Services</i>	52	54	110	-2	-3.70%	-58	-52.73%
<i>Health Care & Social Assist.</i>	293	324	606	-31	-9.57%	-313	-51.65%
<i>Arts & Entertainment</i>	33	77	61	-44	-57.14%	-28	-45.90%
<i>Accommodation & Food</i>	159	233	291	-74	-31.76%	-132	-45.36%
<i>Other Services</i>	75	92	119	-17	-18.48%	-44	-36.97%
<i>Public Administration</i>	97	191	174	-94	-49.21%	-77	-44.25%
<i>Unclassified</i>	352	501	394	-149	-29.74%	-42	-10.66%

Week Ending Date - Continued Claims filed during the week containing the 19th of the month, which represents unemployment experienced during the week containing the 12th

Month - ETA 203 claims are pulled for the week containing the 19th and are representative of the claims activity for the entire month

⁵ Continued Weeks Claimed – weeks of intrastate continued weeks claims for which a waiting period credit/ payment of compensation is requested.

INDUSTRY EXAMPLES

AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY, HUNTING

- Crops & Livestock
- Nursery & Tree Production
- Fishing & Hunting

MINING

- Sand and gravel

UTILITIES

- Electric & Gas

CONSTRUCTION

- New home construction
- Remodeling
- Highway construction

MANUFACTURING

- Machine Shops
- Rubber Product Manufacturing
- Food Manufacturing

WHOLESALE TRADE

- Grain Elevators
- Wholesale Grocers
- Commercial Equipment
- Wholesalers

RETAIL TRADE

- Stores in Shopping Malls
- Grocery Stores
- Gas Stations

TRANSPORTATION & WAREHOUSING

- Trucking
- Railroads

INFORMATION

- Television and Radio Stations
- Internet Service Providers
- Telephone Companies

FINANCIAL & INSURANCE

- Insurance
- Banking
- Stock Brokers

REAL ESTATE

- Real Estate Agencies

PROFESSIONAL & TECHNICAL

- Law Offices
- Accounting
- Engineering
- Advertising Firms

EDUCATIONAL SERVICES

- Private Colleges and Universities

HEALTH CARE & SOCIAL ASSISTANCE

- Hospitals
- Physicians Offices
- Childcare Centers
- Charities

ARTS & ENTERTAINMENT

- Artists
- Sporting Events
- Museums

ACCOMMODATION & FOOD

- Hotels
- Restaurants

OTHER SERVICES

- Appliance and Auto Repair
- Civic Groups
- Religious Organizations

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION

- Public Schools
- Community Colleges
- Public Colleges and Universities
- Post Offices

UNCLASSIFIED