

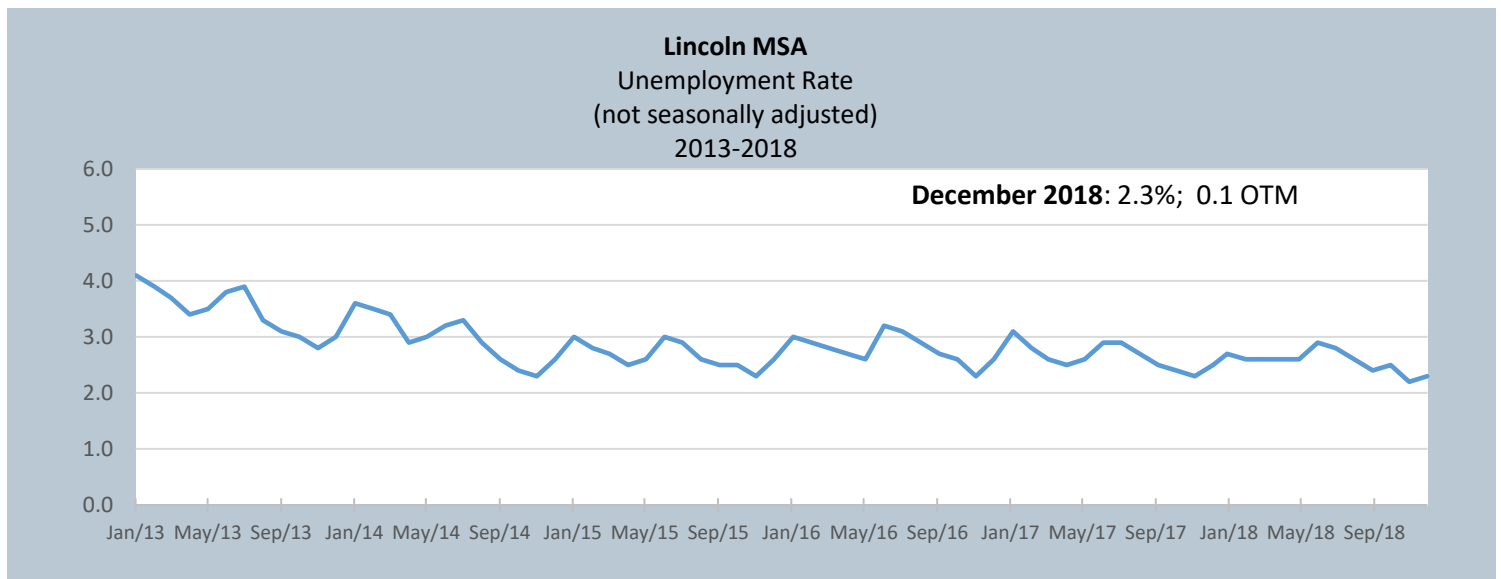
LABOR AREA SUMMARY

December 2018

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LINCOLN MSA¹ (NOT SEASONALLY ADJUSTED)



LABOR FORCE DATA²

	Preliminary	Revised	Dec-17 ³	Changes		% Change
	Dec-18	Nov-18		OTM ⁴	OTY ⁴	OTM
Unemployment Rate	2.3	2.2	2.5	0.1	-0.2	---
Labor Force	181,619	182,093	177,836	-474	3,783	-0.3
Unemployment	4,164	3,998	4,390	166	-226	4.2
Employment	177,455	178,095	173,446	-640	4,009	-0.4

NON-FARM EMPLOYMENT⁵ BY PLACE OF WORK

December Total Non-Farm	191,843	Manufacturing	13,246
OTM Change	-1,887 (-1.0%)	OTM Change	-66 (-0.5%)
OTY Change	1,395 (0.7%)	OTY Change	157 (1.2%)
Largest OTM Increase (private)		Largest OTY Increase (private)	
Financial Activities	80 (0.5%)	Education & Health Services	647 (2.3%)
Information	8 (0.3%)	Mining & Construction	633 (6.8%)

¹ Lincoln MSA (Metropolitan Statistical Area) includes Lancaster and Seward Counties in Nebraska

² Sources: Local Unemployment Statistics Program (LAUS), Nebraska Department of Labor; Bureau of Labor Statistics, US Department of Labor

³ 2017 data has been benchmarked

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

⁵ Sources: Current Employment Statistics (CES), Nebraska Department of Labor; Bureau of Labor Statistics, US Department of Labor