

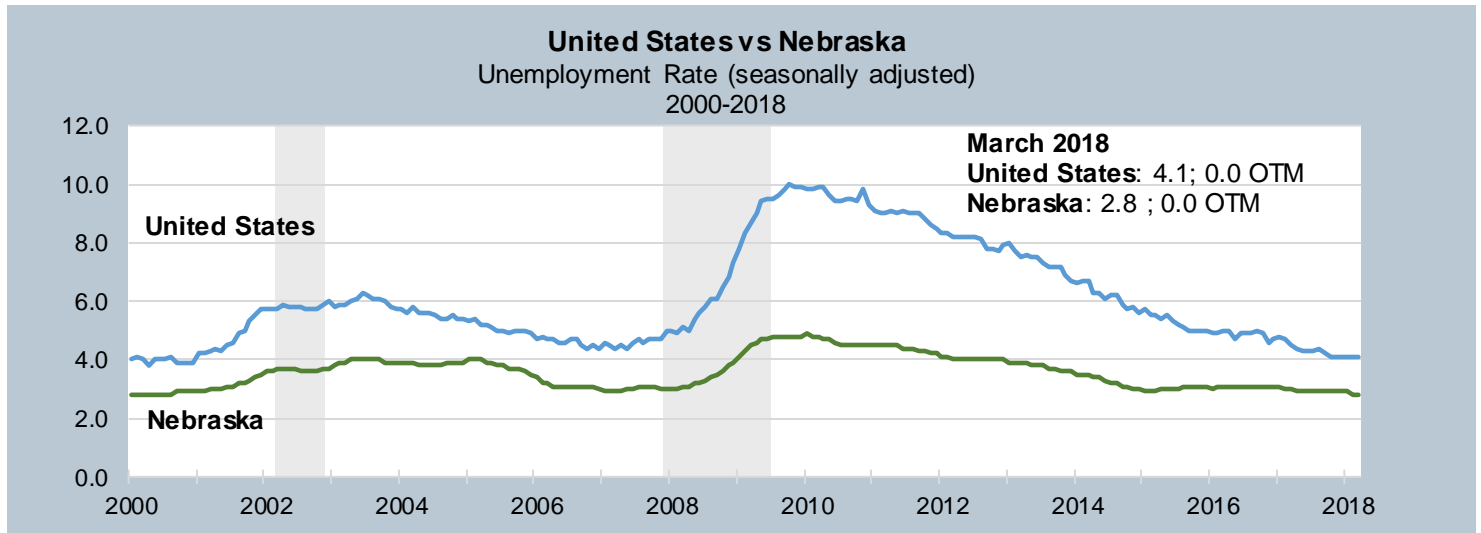
# LABOR AREA SUMMARY

March 2018

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# NEBRASKA

DEPARTMENT OF LABOR



## LABOR FORCE DATA<sup>1</sup>

SEASONALLY ADJUSTED

	Preliminary	Revised	Mar-17 <sup>2</sup>	Changes		% Change
	Mar-18	Feb-18		OTM <sup>3</sup>	OTY <sup>3</sup>	OTM
<b>Unemployment Rate</b>	2.8	2.8	3.0	0.0	-0.2	---
<b>Labor Force</b>	1,010,967	1,009,377	1,006,881	1,590	4,086	0.2
Unemployment	28,206	28,393	29,904	-187	-1,698	-0.7
Employment	982,761	980,984	976,977	1,777	5,784	0.2

## NON-FARM EMPLOYMENT<sup>4</sup>

BY PLACE OF WORK  
NOT SEASONALLY ADJUSTED

<b>March Total Non-Farm</b>	<b>1,016,336</b>	<b>Manufacturing</b>	<b>100,633</b>
OTM Change	9,115 (0.9%)	OTM Change	407 (0.4%)
OTY Change	5,315 (0.5%)	OTY Change	3,180 (3.3%)

### NEBRASKA HOUR & WAGE DATA

<b>Average Weekly Hours</b>	<b>39.8</b>	<b>Average Weekly Earnings</b>	<b>\$770.93</b>
OTM Change	-0.6 (-1.5%)	OTM Change	-\$15.66 (-2.0%)
OTY Change	-3.2 (-7.4%)	OTY Change	-\$23.28 (-2.9%)
<b>Average Hourly Earnings</b>	<b>\$19.37</b>		
OTM Change	-\$0.10 (-0.5%)		
OTY Change	\$0.90 (4.9%)		

<sup>1</sup> Sources: Local Unemployment Statistics Program (LAUS), Nebraska Department of Labor; Bureau of Labor Statistics, US Department of Labor

<sup>2</sup> 2017 data has been benchmarked

<sup>3</sup> OTM: over the month; OTY: over the year

<sup>4</sup> Sources: Current Employment Statistics (CES), Nebraska Department of Labor; Bureau of Labor Statistics, US Department of Labor