

LABOR AREA SUMMARY OCTOBER 2021

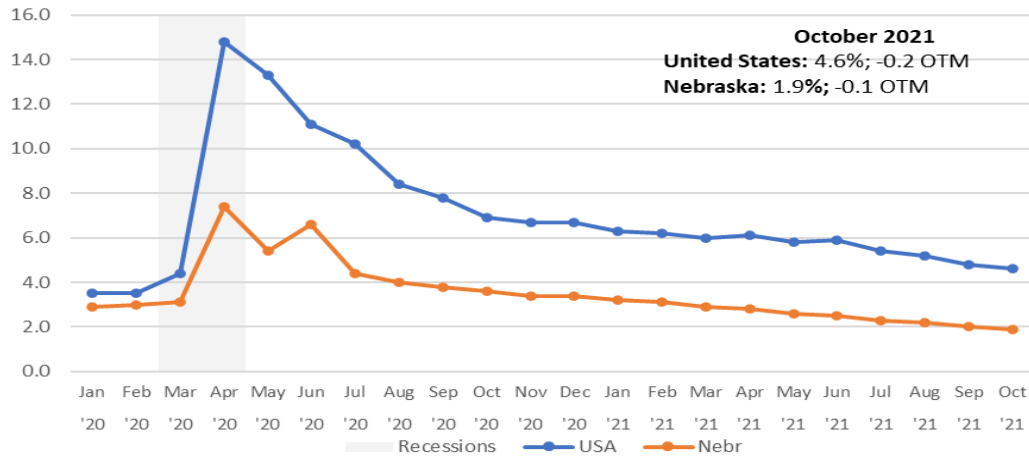
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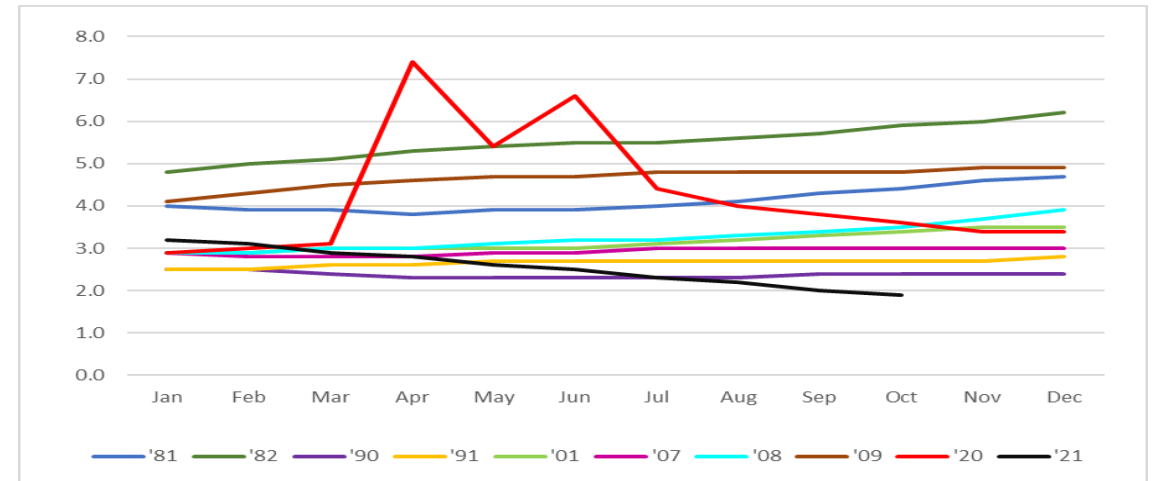


**Unemployment Rate
United States and Nebraska
2020-2021**



Grey bar represents recession period

**Unemployment Rate
Nebraska
Recession Years Vs. 2020-2021 (Pandemic)**



LABOR FORCE DATA¹ SEASONALLY ADJUSTED

	Preliminary	Revised	Changes		% Change	
	Oct-21	Sep-21	Oct-20 ²	OTM ³	OTY ³	
Unemployment Rate	1.9	2.0	3.6	-0.1	-1.7	---
Labor Force	1,023,422	1,022,963	1,026,818	459	-3,396	0.0
Unemployment	19,342	20,686	36,579	-1,344	-17,237	-6.5
Employment	1,004,080	1,002,277	990,239	1,803	13,841	0.2

¹ Sources: Local Area Unemployment Statistics Program (LAUS), Nebraska Department of Labor; Bureau of Labor Statistics, US Department of Labor
² 2020 Data has been benchmarked
³ OTM: over the month; OTY: over the year
⁴ Sources: Current Employment Statistics Program (CES), Nebraska Department of Labor; Bureau of Labor Statistics, US Department of Labor

NON-FARM EMPLOYMENT⁴ BY PLACE OF WORK

Oct Total Non-Farm	1,031,001	Manufacturing	101,036
OTM Change	10,718 (1.1%)	OTM Change	-8 (-0.0%)
OTY Change	30,566 (3.1%)	OTY Change	3,161 (3.2%)
Nebraska Hour & Wage Data			
Average Weekly Hours	40.0	Average Weekly Earnings	\$872.80
OTM Change	0.2 (0.5%)	OTM Change	\$9.94 (1.2%)
OTY Change	-2.4 (-5.7%)	OTY Change	-\$5.30 (-0.6%)
Average Hourly Earnings	\$21.82		
OTM Change	\$0.14 (0.6%)		
OTY Change	\$1.11 (5.4%)		