Unemployment Rates, Alaska and U.S.

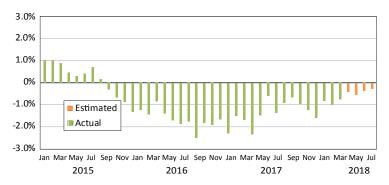
January 2012 to July 2018



Sources: Alaska Department of Labor and Workforce Development, Research and Analysis Section; and U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics

Wage and Salary Employment

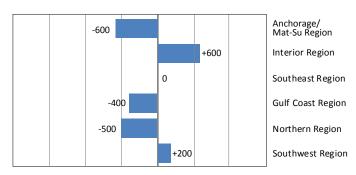
Percent change from same month the previous year



Source: Alaska Department of Labor and Workforce Development, Research and Analysis Section

Regional Employment

July 2018, change from July 2017



Source: Alaska Department of Labor and Workforce Development, Research and Analysis Section

Area Unemployment Rates

Not seasonally adjusted1

	Rate			
	7/18 [₽]	6/18	7/17	
Anchorage/Mat-Su Region Anchorage, Municipality Matanuska-Susitna Borough	5.4 5.0 6.9	6.2 5.7 8.0	6.3 5.8 8.1	
Gulf Coast Region Kenai Peninsula Borough Kodiak Island Borough Valdez-Cordova Census Area	5.8 6.2 5.5 4.2	6.6 7.1 5.6 5.7	6.5 7.3 4.9 5.0	
Interior Region Denali Borough Fairbanks North Star Borough Southeast Fairbanks Census Area Yukon-Koyukuk Census Area	5.7	6.7	6.5	
	3.0	3.7	4.0	
	5.1	6.0	5.9	
	8.6	9.5	9.2	
	15.4	16.6	18.3	
Northern Region	11.6	12.9	13.2	
Nome Census Area	12.6	13.7	14.0	
North Slope Borough	7.1	8.0	8.2	
Northwest Arctic Borough	15.7	17.5	18.0	
Southeast Region Haines Borough Hoonah-Angoon Census Area Juneau, City and Borough Ketchikan Gateway Borough Petersburg Borough Prince of Wales-Hyder CA Sitka, City and Borough Skagway, Municipality Wrangell, City and Borough Yakutat, City and Borough	4.4	5.5	5.1	
	5.5	7.2	5.5	
	7.4	9.6	7.5	
	3.7	4.4	4.5	
	4.2	5.2	4.8	
	6.2	8.2	7.7	
	8.9	9.7	9.2	
	3.3	4.3	4.0	
	3.0	3.7	3.0	
	4.8	7.1	5.8	
	7.5	9.2	8.5	
Southwest Region Aleutians East Borough Aleutians West Census Area Bethel Census Area Bristol Bay Borough Dillingham Census Area Kusilvak Census Area Lake and Peninsula Borough	8.8	11.3	9.7	
	1.7	3.3	1.7	
	2.6	4.0	2.9	
	13.4	14.8	14.8	
	1.7	3.4	1.6	
	6.0	7.8	7.1	
	22.2	22.9	23.9	
	8.1	11.5	8.6	

P = Preliminary. As more information becomes available, data are revised every month for the previous month and again at the end of every calendar year.

Note: The official definition of unemployment excludes anyone who has not made an active attempt to find work in the four-week period up to and including the week that includes the 12th of the reference month.

¹Unemployment rates that are not seasonally adjusted should not be compared with those that are.

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Employment By Industry

	Average Monthly Employment			Compared to July 2017		
	July 2018	June 2018	July 2017	Change	Percent	
Total Nonfarm Employment	352,500	347,900	353,400	-900	-0.3%	
Total Private	277,100	266,800	277,700	-600	-0.2%	
Mining and Logging	13,100	13,000	13,500	-400	-3.0%	
Oil and Gas	9,400	9,400	9,900	-500	-5.1%	
Construction	18,400	17,800	18,100	300	1.7%	
Manufacturing	24,100	16,900	24,000	100	0.4%	
Trade, Transportation and Utilities	68,700	68,000	69,500	-800	-1.2%	
Wholesale	6,400	6,400	6,500	-100	-1.5%	
Retail	37,200	37,200	38,100	-900	-2.4%	
Transportation, Warehousing and Utilities	25,100	24,400	24,900	200	0.8%	
Information	5,800	5,900	6,000	-200	-3.3%	
Financial Activities	12,400	12,300	12,600	-200	-1.6%	
Professional and Business Services	29,100	29,000	29,400	-300	-1.0%	
Education and Health	50,700	50,600	49,900	800	1.6%	
Health Care	38,600	38,400	37,700	900	2.4%	
Leisure and Hospitality	43,700	42,200	43,500	200	0.5%	
Other Services	11,100	11,100	11,200	-100	-0.9%	
Total Government	75,400	81,100	75,700	-300	-0.4%	
Federal ¹	15,900	15,900	15,700	200	1.3%	
State ²	22,300	22,700	22,600	-300	-1.3%	
Local ³	37,200	42,500	37,400	-200	-0.5%	

¹Excludes uniformed military

Source: Alaska Department of Labor and Workforce Development, Research and Analysis Section

²Includes the University of Alaska

³Includes public schools and tribal government