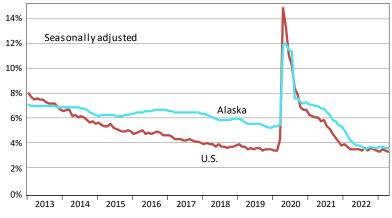
Unemployment Rates, Alaska and U.S.

Area Unemployment Rates

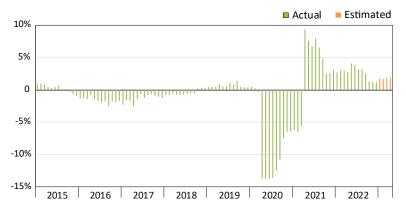
January 2013 to April 2023



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

Wage and Salary Employment

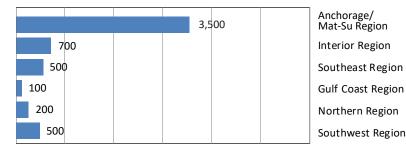
Percent change from same month the previous year



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

Regional Employment Change

April 2023 compared to April 2022



Regional totals may not sum to statewide total due to rounding and independent estimation methods.

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

Not seasonally adjusted¹

	Rate			
	4/23 ₽	3/23	4/22	
Anchorage/Mat-Su Region	3.4	3.5	3.9	
Anchorage, Municipality	3.1	3.0	3.6	
Matanuska-Susitna Borough	4.4	4.9	4.9	
Gulf Coast Region	4.5	4.9	4.7	
Kenai Peninsula Borough	4.5	5.0	4.8	
Kodiak Island Borough	3.5	3.0	3.8	
Chugach Census Area	4.7	6.1	3.0	
Copper River Census Area	8.6	9.5	10.0	
Interior Region	3.9	4.0	4.4	
Denali Borough	8.6	12.3	8.8	
Fairbanks North Star Borough	3.5	3.6	3.9	
Southeast Fairbanks Census Area	4.9	5.4	5.9	
Yukon-Koyukuk Census Area	8.9	9.2	9.2	
Northern Region	6.9	6.9	7.4	
Nome Census Area	6.8	6.9	7.7	
North Slope Borough	4.6	4.1	5.1	
Northwest Arctic Borough	9.5	9.9	9.7	
Southeast Region	3.4	4.0	3.7	
Haines Borough	6.8	8.4	6.6	
Hoonah-Angoon Census Area	5.1	10.3	5.5	
Juneau, City and Borough	2.5	2.6	2.8	
Ketchikan Gateway Borough	3.7	4.3	4.2	
Petersburg Borough	4.7	4.9	6.7	
Prince of Wales-Hyder CA	6.3	7.3	5.5	
Sitka, City and Borough	2.6	2.9	2.7	
Skagway, Municipality	5.1	9.3	6.2	
Wrangell, City and Borough	4.8	4.8	5.2	
Yakutat, City and Borough	4.9	7.0	4.6	
Southwest Region	6.6	6.1	7.0	
Aleutians East Borough	1.8	1.3	1.6	
Aleutians West Census Area	2.7	1.8	2.9	
Bethel Census Area	8.7	8.5	9.7	
Bristol Bay Borough	4.1	8.6	3.9	
Dillingham Census Area	5.7	5.6	5.8	
Kusilvak Census Area	12.8	12.8	13.0	
Lake and Peninsula Borough	5.9	5.6	6.7	

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 actively attempted 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.

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

Employment By Industry, April 2023

	Average Monthly Employment			Compared to Apr 2022	
	Apr 2023*	Mar 2023*	Apr 2022	Change	Percent
Total Nonfarm Employment	318,600	313,700	312,500	6,100	2.0%
Total Private	239,100	234,600	234,000	5,100	2.2%
Mining and Logging	11,200	11,000	10,800	400	3.7%
Oil and Gas	7,300	7,400	6,900	400	5.8%
Construction	15,100	14,200	14,900	200	1.3%
Manufacturing	11,200	11,600	11,100	100	0.9%
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	63,400	61,800	62,200	1,200	1.9%
Wholesale	6,300	6,200	6,200	100	1.6%
Retail	34,700	34,200	34,600	100	0.3%
Transportation, Warehousing, and Utilities	22,400	21,400	21,400	1,000	4.7%
Information	4,700	4,700	4,700	0	0.0%
Financial Activities	11,100	11,000	10,900	200	1.8%
Professional and Business Services	27,200	26,900	26,500	700	2.6%
Education and Health	50,700	50,500	50,400	300	0.6%
Health Care	39,400	39,200	39,100	300	0.8%
Leisure and Hospitality	33,400	31,900	31,500	1,900	6.0%
Other Services	11,100	11,000	11,000	100	0.9%
Total Government	79,500	79,100	78,500	1,000	1.3%
Federal ¹	15,300	14,800	14,800	500	3.4%
State ²	22,900	22,900	22,800	100	0.4%
Local ³	41,300	41,400	40,900	400	1.0%

*Estimate ¹Excludes uniformed military ²Includes the University of Alaska ³Includes public schools and tribal government

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