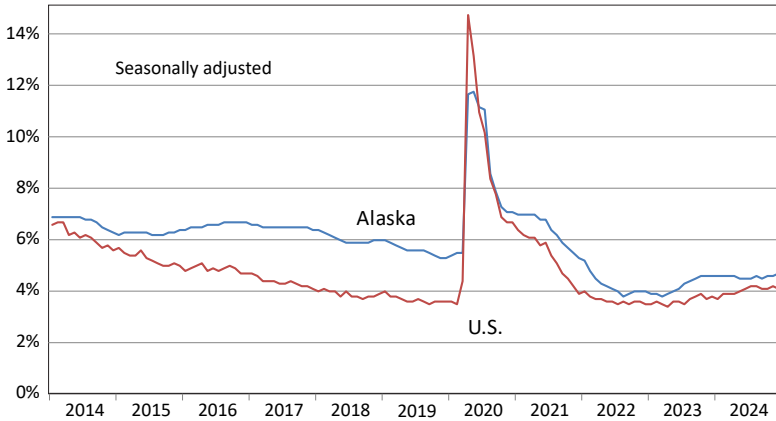


Unemployment Rates, Alaska and U.S.

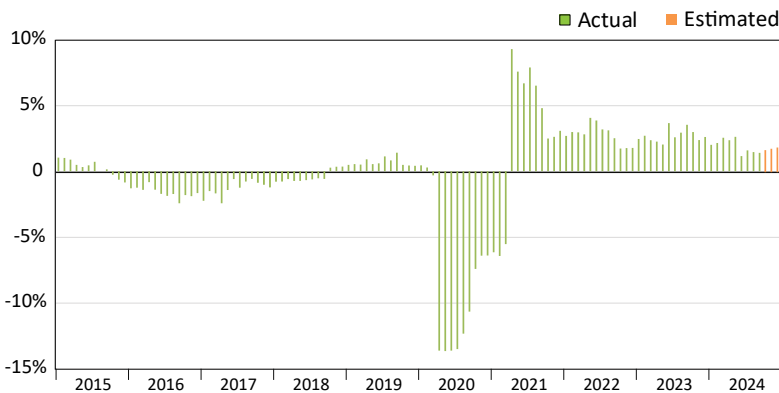
December 2014 to December 2024



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

Wage and Salary Employment

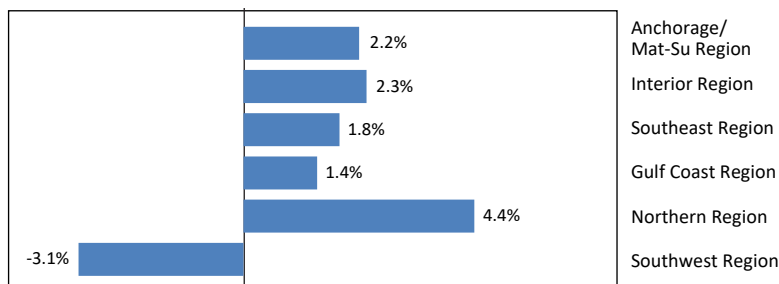
Percent change from same month the previous year



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

Regional Employment Change

December 2024 compared to December 2023



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

Area Unemployment Rates

Not seasonally adjusted¹

	Rate		
	12/24 ^P	11/24	12/23
Anchorage/Mat-Su Region	4.0	4.2	4.0
Anchorage, Municipality	3.7	3.9	3.6
Matanuska-Susitna Borough	4.9	5.2	5.1
Gulf Coast Region	5.6	5.8	6.0
Kenai Peninsula Borough	5.2	5.4	5.3
Kodiak Island Borough	7.2	6.1	8.6
Chugach Census Area	6.3	7.6	6.6
Copper River Census Area	7.7	8.8	9.5
Interior Region	4.6	4.8	4.5
Denali Borough	14.7	12.2	12.2
Fairbanks North Star Borough	4.1	4.4	4.2
Southeast Fairbanks Census Area	5.5	5.5	5.6
Yukon-Koyukuk Census Area	10.7	10.0	8.8
Northern Region	7.5	7.8	7.1
Nome Census Area	8.1	7.8	7.3
North Slope Borough	5.6	5.9	4.6
Northwest Arctic Borough	8.9	9.7	9.6
Southeast Region	4.7	4.8	4.5
Haines Borough	9.5	8.6	9.8
Hoonah-Angoon Census Area	6.3	7.6	8.2
Juneau, City and Borough	3.6	3.8	3.6
Ketchikan Gateway Borough	4.6	5.2	4.2
Petersburg Borough	9.4	8.1	6.2
Prince of Wales-Hyder CA	7.0	7.3	6.2
Sitka, City and Borough	3.1	3.1	3.5
Skagway, Municipality	15.8	13.7	12.9
Wrangell, City and Borough	4.4	5.3	5.8
Yakutat, City and Borough	6.4	7.4	5.9
Southwest Region	9.5	9.5	8.8
Aleutians East Borough	5.8	4.9	5.9
Aleutians West Census Area	4.8	5.2	5.1
Bethel Census Area	9.9	10.2	9.6
Bristol Bay Borough	6.8	8.6	5.6
Dillingham Census Area	9.0	8.8	6.5
Kusilvak Census Area	15.4	15.6	13.9
Lake and Peninsula Borough	8.8	8.4	7.2

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, December 2024

	Average Monthly Employment			Compared to Dec 2023	
	Dec 2024*	Nov 2024*	Dec 2023	Change	Percent
Total Nonfarm Employment	322,800	323,000	316,800	6,000	1.9%
Total Private	241,300	241,400	236,400	4,900	2.1%
Mining and Logging	12,600	12,300	11,900	700	5.9%
Oil and Gas	8,400	8,300	7,800	600	7.7%
Construction	17,200	17,600	16,100	1,100	6.8%
Manufacturing	6,200	7,100	6,600	-400	-6.1%
Trade, Transportation and Utilities	64,200	64,000	63,500	700	1.1%
Wholesale	6,500	6,500	6,400	100	1.6%
Retail	34,500	34,300	34,900	-400	-1.1%
Transportation, Warehousing and Utilities	23,200	23,200	22,200	1,000	4.5%
Information	4,400	4,400	4,400	0	0.0%
Financial Activities	10,700	10,700	10,700	0	0.0%
Professional and Business Services	28,400	28,700	27,800	600	2.2%
Education and Health	53,500	53,400	52,100	1,400	2.7%
Health Care	42,400	42,300	41,000	1,400	3.4%
Leisure and Hospitality	32,000	31,100	31,600	400	1.3%
Other Services	12,100	12,100	11,700	400	3.4%
Total Government	81,500	81,600	80,400	1,100	1.4%
Federal ¹	15,300	15,100	15,100	200	1.3%
State ²	24,100	24,400	23,500	600	2.6%
Local ³	42,100	42,100	41,800	300	0.7%

*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