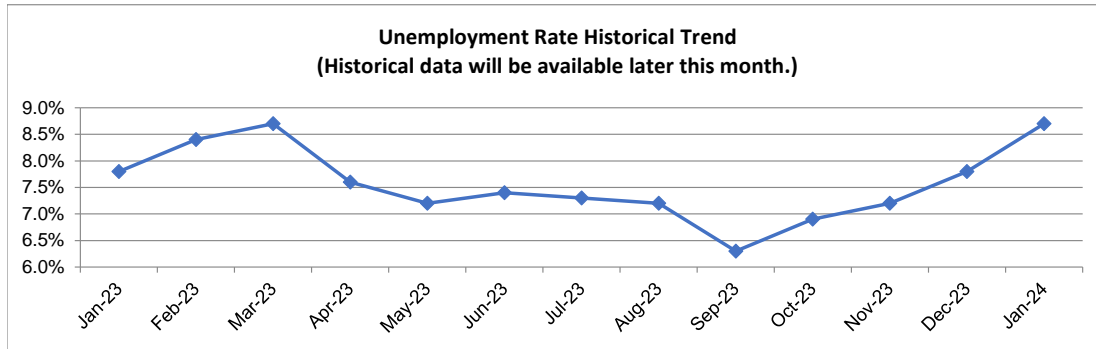


IMMEDIATE RELEASE
 MADERA METROPOLITAN STATISTICAL AREA (MSA)
 (Madera County)

The unemployment rate in the Madera County was 8.7 percent in January 2024, up from a revised 7.8 percent in December 2023, and above the year-ago estimate of 7.8 percent. This compares with an unadjusted unemployment rate of 5.7 percent for California and 4.1 percent for the nation during the same period.



Industry	Dec-2023	Jan-2024	Change		Jan-2023	Jan-2024	Change
	Revised	Prelim			Prelim		
Total, All Industries	57,700	57,300	(400)		52,800	57,300	4,500
Total Farm	13,400	13,400	0		11,600	13,400	1,800
Total Nonfarm	44,300	43,900	(400)		41,200	43,900	2,700
Mining, Logging and Construction	2,300	2,300	0		2,000	2,300	300
Manufacturing	3,400	3,400	0		3,200	3,400	200
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	7,000	6,800	(200)		6,400	6,800	400
Information	300	300	0		300	300	0
Financial Activities	800	800	0		700	800	100
Professional and Business Services	3,100	3,100	0		2,900	3,100	200
Private Education and Health Services	9,200	9,200	0		9,100	9,200	100
Leisure and Hospitality	4,200	4,100	(100)		3,900	4,100	200
Other Services	1,200	1,200	0		1,100	1,200	100
Government	12,800	12,700	(100)		11,600	12,700	1,100

Notes: Data not adjusted for seasonality. Data may not add due to rounding
 Labor force data are revised month to month
 Additional data are available on line at www.labormarketinfo.edd.ca.gov

Data Not Seasonally Adjusted

	Jan 23	Nov 23	Dec 23 Revised	Jan 24 Prelim	Percent Change	
					Month	Year
Civilian Labor Force (1)	63,300	64,700	65,700	67,100	2.1%	6.0%
Civilian Employment	58,400	60,000	60,600	61,300	1.2%	5.0%
Civilian Unemployment	4,900	4,700	5,100	5,900	15.7%	20.4%
Civilian Unemployment Rate	7.8%	7.2%	7.8%	8.7%		
(CA Unemployment Rate)	4.7%	4.9%	5.1%	5.7%		
(U.S. Unemployment Rate)	3.9%	3.5%	3.5%	4.1%		

Total, All Industries (2)	52,800	56,600	57,700	57,300	-0.7%	8.5%
Total Farm	11,600	12,100	13,400	13,400	0.0%	15.5%
Total Nonfarm	41,200	44,500	44,300	43,900	-0.9%	6.6%
Total Private	29,600	31,700	31,500	31,200	-1.0%	5.4%
Goods Producing	5,200	5,800	5,700	5,700	0.0%	9.6%
Mining, Logging and Construction	2,000	2,400	2,300	2,300	0.0%	15.0%
Manufacturing	3,200	3,400	3,400	3,400	0.0%	6.3%
Service Providing	36,000	38,700	38,600	38,200	-1.0%	6.1%
Private Service Providing	24,400	25,900	25,800	25,500	-1.2%	4.5%
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	6,400	6,900	7,000	6,800	-2.9%	6.3%
Retail Trade	4,200	4,200	4,300	4,200	-2.3%	0.0%
Transportation, Warehousing, and Utilities	1,100	1,400	1,400	1,300	-7.1%	18.2%
Information	300	300	300	300	0.0%	0.0%
Financial Activities	700	800	800	800	0.0%	14.3%
Professional and Business Services	2,900	3,200	3,100	3,100	0.0%	6.9%
Private Education and Health Services	9,100	9,200	9,200	9,200	0.0%	1.1%
Health Care and Social Assistance	9,100	9,100	9,100	9,100	0.0%	0.0%
Leisure and Hospitality	3,900	4,300	4,200	4,100	-2.4%	5.1%
Other Services	1,100	1,200	1,200	1,200	0.0%	9.1%
Government	11,600	12,800	12,800	12,700	-0.8%	9.5%
Federal Government	200	300	300	300	0.0%	50.0%
Total State and Local Government	11,400	12,500	12,500	12,400	-0.8%	8.8%
State Government	2,500	2,700	2,700	2,700	0.0%	8.0%
Local Government	8,900	9,800	9,800	9,700	-1.0%	9.0%
Local Government Educational Services	5,500	6,000	6,000	5,900	-1.7%	7.3%
Local Government excluding Educational Services	3,400	3,800	3,800	3,800	0.0%	11.8%
County Government	1,600	1,700	1,700	1,700	0.0%	6.3%
City Government	200	400	400	400	0.0%	100.0%
Special Districts plus Tribes	1,600	1,700	1,700	1,700	0.0%	6.3%

Notes:

(1) Civilian labor force data are by place of residence; include self-employed individuals, unpaid family workers, household domestic workers, & workers on strike. Data may not add due to rounding. The unemployment rate is calculated using unrounded data.

(2) Industry employment is by place of work; excludes self-employed individuals, unpaid family workers, household domestic workers, & workers on strike. Data may not add due to rounding.

These data are produced by the Labor Market Information Division of the California Employment Development Department (EDD). Questions should be directed to: Steven Gutierrez 916-907-4593 or Rosendo Flores 916-891-7571

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