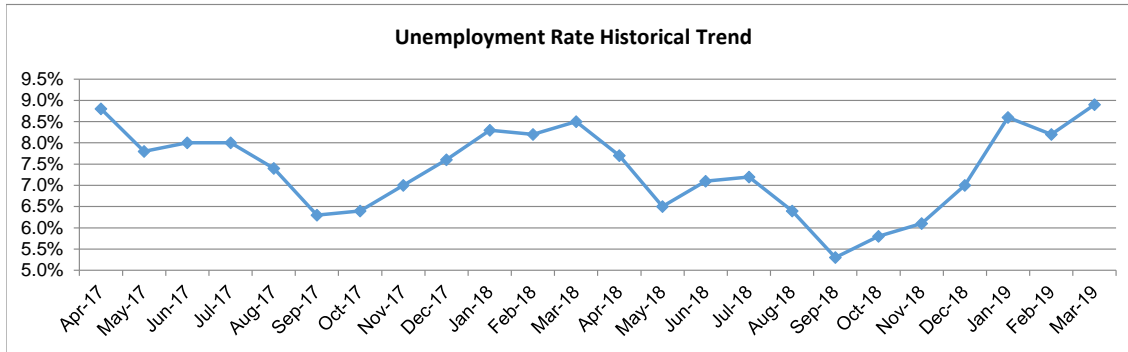


IMMEDIATE RELEASE  
 MADERA METROPOLITAN STATISTICAL AREA (MSA)  
 (Madera County)

The unemployment rate in the Madera County was 8.9 percent in March 2019, up from a revised 8.2 percent in February 2019, and above the year-ago estimate of 8.5 percent. This compares with an unadjusted unemployment rate of 4.6 percent for California and 3.9 percent for the nation during the same period.



Industry	Feb-2019	Mar-2019	Change		Mar-2018	Mar-2019	Change
	Revised	Prelim				Prelim	
Total, All Industries	52,100	50,000	(2,100)		49,200	50,000	800
Total Farm	13,300	11,200	(2,100)		11,100	11,200	100
Total Nonfarm	38,800	38,800	0		38,100	38,800	700
Mining, Logging, and Construction	1,900	1,900	0		1,900	1,900	0
Manufacturing	3,300	3,300	0		3,200	3,300	100
Trade, Transportation & Utilities	5,900	5,900	0		5,900	5,900	0
Information	300	300	0		300	300	0
Financial Activities	700	700	0		700	700	0
Professional & Business Services	2,300	2,300	0		2,200	2,300	100
Educational & Health Services	8,900	8,900	0		8,600	8,900	300
Leisure & Hospitality	3,400	3,500	100		3,400	3,500	100
Other Services	900	900	0		900	900	0
Government	11,200	11,100	(100)		11,000	11,100	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](http://www.labormarketinfo.edd.ca.gov)

Data Not Seasonally Adjusted

	Mar 18	Jan 19	Feb 19 Revised	Mar 19 Prelim	Percent Change	
					Month	Year
Civilian Labor Force (1)	61,600	63,700	64,800	62,700	-3.2%	1.8%
Civilian Employment	56,400	58,200	59,500	57,100	-4.0%	1.2%
Civilian Unemployment	5,200	5,500	5,300	5,600	5.7%	7.7%
Civilian Unemployment Rate	8.5%	8.6%	8.2%	8.9%		
(CA Unemployment Rate)	4.4%	4.8%	4.4%	4.6%		
(U.S. Unemployment Rate)	4.1%	4.4%	4.1%	3.9%		
<b>Total, All Industries (2)</b>	<b>49,200</b>	<b>50,600</b>	<b>52,100</b>	<b>50,000</b>	<b>-4.0%</b>	<b>1.6%</b>
Total Farm	11,100	12,100	13,300	11,200	-15.8%	0.9%
Total Nonfarm	38,100	38,500	38,800	38,800	0.0%	1.8%
Total Private	27,100	27,500	27,600	27,700	0.4%	2.2%
Goods Producing	5,100	5,200	5,200	5,200	0.0%	2.0%
Mining, Logging, and Construction	1,900	1,900	1,900	1,900	0.0%	0.0%
Manufacturing	3,200	3,300	3,300	3,300	0.0%	3.1%
Service Providing	33,000	33,300	33,600	33,600	0.0%	1.8%
Private Service Providing	22,000	22,300	22,400	22,500	0.4%	2.3%
Trade, Transportation & Utilities	5,900	5,900	5,900	5,900	0.0%	0.0%
Wholesale Trade	900	1,000	1,100	1,100	0.0%	22.2%
Retail Trade	3,900	3,900	3,800	3,800	0.0%	-2.6%
Transportation, Warehousing & Utilities	1,100	1,000	1,000	1,000	0.0%	-9.1%
Information	300	300	300	300	0.0%	0.0%
Financial Activities	700	700	700	700	0.0%	0.0%
Professional & Business Services	2,200	2,200	2,300	2,300	0.0%	4.5%
Educational & Health Services	8,600	8,900	8,900	8,900	0.0%	3.5%
Health Care & Social Assistance	8,500	8,800	8,800	8,800	0.0%	3.5%
Leisure & Hospitality	3,400	3,400	3,400	3,500	2.9%	2.9%
Other Services	900	900	900	900	0.0%	0.0%
Government	11,000	11,000	11,200	11,100	-0.9%	0.9%
Federal Government	200	300	300	200	-33.3%	0.0%
State & Local Government	10,800	10,700	10,900	10,900	0.0%	0.9%
State Government	2,500	2,500	2,500	2,500	0.0%	0.0%
Local Government	8,300	8,200	8,400	8,400	0.0%	1.2%
Local Government Education	5,000	4,900	5,100	5,100	0.0%	2.0%
Local Government Excluding Education	3,300	3,300	3,300	3,300	0.0%	0.0%
County	1,500	1,600	1,600	1,600	0.0%	6.7%
City	400	400	400	400	0.0%	0.0%
Special Districts plus Indian Tribes	1,400	1,300	1,300	1,300	0.0%	-7.1%

**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 559-230-4102 or Rosendo Flores 559-230-4104

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