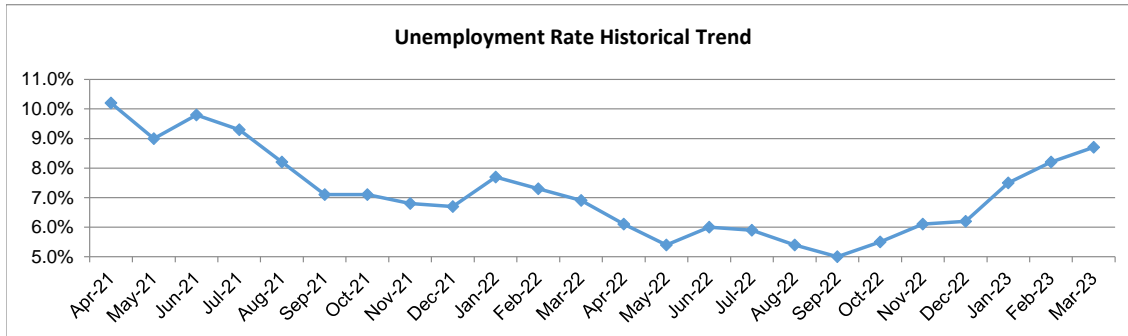


IMMEDIATE RELEASE
 MADERA METROPOLITAN STATISTICAL AREA (MSA)
 (Madera County)

The unemployment rate in the Madera County was 8.7 percent in March 2023, up from a revised 8.2 percent in February 2023, and above the year-ago estimate of 6.9 percent. This compares with an unadjusted unemployment rate of 4.8 percent for California and 3.6 percent for the nation during the same period.



Industry	Feb-2023	Mar-2023	Change		Mar-2022	Mar-2023	Change
	Revised	Prelim				Prelim	
Total, All Industries	57,100	54,900	(2,200)		52,900	54,900	2,000
Total Farm	13,800	11,800	(2,000)		10,900	11,800	900
Total Nonfarm	43,300	43,100	(200)		42,000	43,100	1,100
Mining, Logging and Construction	2,100	2,100	0		2,300	2,100	(200)
Manufacturing	3,300	3,300	0		3,400	3,300	(100)
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	6,200	6,200	0		6,200	6,200	0
Information	300	300	0		300	300	0
Financial Activities	800	800	0		800	800	0
Professional and Business Services	3,300	3,200	(100)		3,200	3,200	0
Private Education and Health Services	9,700	9,700	0		9,200	9,700	500
Leisure and Hospitality	4,400	4,400	0		4,000	4,400	400
Other Services	1,100	1,100	0		1,100	1,100	0
Government	12,100	12,000	(100)		11,500	12,000	500

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

	Mar 22	Jan 23	Feb 23	Mar 23	Percent Change	
			Revised	Prelim	Month	Year
Civilian Labor Force (1)	62,800	65,800	67,200	65,700	-2.2%	4.6%
Civilian Employment	58,400	60,800	61,700	60,000	-2.8%	2.7%
Civilian Unemployment	4,300	5,000	5,500	5,700	3.6%	32.6%
Civilian Unemployment Rate	6.9%	7.5%	8.2%	8.7%		
(CA Unemployment Rate)	4.5%	4.6%	4.8%	4.8%		
(U.S. Unemployment Rate)	3.8%	3.9%	3.9%	3.6%		

Total, All Industries (2)	52,900	56,000	57,100	54,900	-3.9%	3.8%
Total Farm	10,900	13,200	13,800	11,800	-14.5%	8.3%
Total Nonfarm	42,000	42,800	43,300	43,100	-0.5%	2.6%
Total Private	30,500	31,000	31,200	31,100	-0.3%	2.0%
Goods Producing	5,700	5,300	5,400	5,400	0.0%	-5.3%
Mining, Logging and Construction	2,300	2,100	2,100	2,100	0.0%	-8.7%
Manufacturing	3,400	3,200	3,300	3,300	0.0%	-2.9%
Service Providing	36,300	37,500	37,900	37,700	-0.5%	3.9%
Private Service Providing	24,800	25,700	25,800	25,700	-0.4%	3.6%
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	6,200	6,300	6,200	6,200	0.0%	0.0%
Retail Trade	4,300	4,400	4,400	4,300	-2.3%	0.0%
Transportation, Warehousing and Utilities	1,100	1,000	1,000	1,000	0.0%	-9.1%
Information	300	300	300	300	0.0%	0.0%
Financial Activities	800	800	800	800	0.0%	0.0%
Professional and Business Services	3,200	3,300	3,300	3,200	-3.0%	0.0%
Private Education and Health Services	9,200	9,600	9,700	9,700	0.0%	5.4%
Health Care and Social Assistance	9,100	9,500	9,600	9,600	0.0%	5.5%
Leisure and Hospitality	4,000	4,300	4,400	4,400	0.0%	10.0%
Other Services	1,100	1,100	1,100	1,100	0.0%	0.0%
Government	11,500	11,800	12,100	12,000	-0.8%	4.3%
Federal Government	200	300	300	300	0.0%	50.0%
State & Local Government	11,300	11,500	11,800	11,700	-0.8%	3.5%
State Government	2,500	2,500	2,500	2,500	0.0%	0.0%
Local Government	8,800	9,000	9,300	9,200	-1.1%	4.5%
Local Government Educational Services	5,200	5,400	5,700	5,600	-1.8%	7.7%
Local Government excluding Educational Services	3,600	3,600	3,600	3,600	0.0%	0.0%
County	1,600	1,600	1,600	1,600	0.0%	0.0%
City	400	400	400	400	0.0%	0.0%
Special Districts plus Indian Tribes	1,600	1,600	1,600	1,600	0.0%	0.0%

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 916-891-7571

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