

# MONTHLY ECONOMIC UPDATE

Latest jobs statistics for New York

## Job trends over the past year, by sector of the state's economy

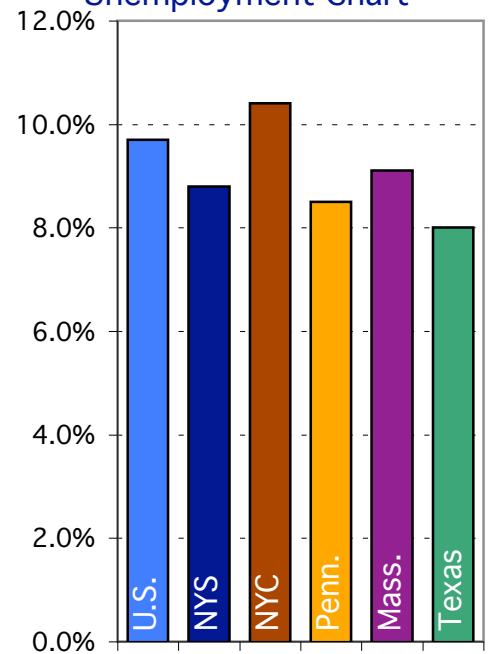
	<i>Payroll jobs Dec-09</i>	<i># change in past year</i>	<i>% change in past year</i>
Total private sector	7,131,200	- 153,100	- 2.1%
Construction	319,700	- 25,400	- 7.4%
Manufacturing	482,800	- 38,700	- 7.4%
Retail trade	913,900	- 8,500	- 0.9%
Wholesale trade	330,900	- 17,700	- 5.1%
Transportation, warehousing & utilities	266,000	- 8,400	- 3.1%
Information	249,100	- 13,800	- 5.2%
Financial activities	680,300	- 30,700	- 4.3%
Professional & business services	1,105,300	- 40,300	- 3.5%
Educational & health services	1,719,000	+ 44,800	+ 2.7%
Leisure & hospitality	690,300	- 9,800	- 1.4%
Other services	368,200	- 4,200	- 1.1%
Government	1,517,100	- 16,700	- 1.1%
U.S. private-sector jobs, last 12 months		- 4,018,000	- 3.6%

## Jobless rate by region of the state

	<i>Jobless Rate Dec-09</i>	<i>Number Unemployed</i>	<i>Jobless Rate Dec-08</i>
New York State (total)	8.8	848,800	6.8
<i>New York City</i>	<i>10.4</i>	<i>414,700</i>	<i>7.2</i>
Long Island	7.0	102,300	5.8
Northern suburbs	6.8	47,500	5.6
<i>Upstate</i>	<i>8.1</i>	<i>284,300</i>	<i>6.8</i>
Albany-Schenectady-Troy	7.0	31,400	5.9
Binghamton	8.7	10,700	7.1
Buffalo-Niagara Falls	8.5	49,000	7.1
Rochester	8.0	42,600	6.7
Syracuse	8.2	27,400	6.9
Utica-Rome	7.8	11,000	6.9
Mid-Hudson Valley	7.7	24,900	6.2
Chautauqua County	8.5	5,700	7.0
Elmira	8.8	3,500	7.4
Glens Falls	8.8	5,800	7.7
Ithaca	5.3	3,000	4.6
Kingston	7.8	7,000	6.5
North Country	9.7	18,400	8.7

All figures from USDOL and NYSDOL establishment survey data, NOT seasonally adjusted

## Comparative Unemployment Chart



Unemployment Rate, December 2009