

Table 1: Major Indicators of Labor Market Activity for New Jersey
Seasonally Adjusted (thousands)
2011 Benchmark

Labor Force Data (resident)					
	Current Month	Previous Month	One Year Ago	Net Change	Net Change
	October 12 (P)	September 12 (R)	October 11	over the Month	over the Year
Civilian Labor Force	4,592.5	4,577.2	4,569.4	15.3	23.1
Employment	4,145.2	4,128.8	4,145.6	16.4	-0.4
Unemployment	447.3	448.4	423.9	-1.1	23.4
Unemployment Rate	9.7%	9.8%	9.3%	-0.1pt	+0.4 pt
Employment Data (establishment)					
	Current Month	Previous Month	One Year Ago	Net Change	Net Change
	October 12 (P)	September 12 (R)	October 11	over the Month	over the Year
Total Nonfarm	3,892.2	3,903.9	3,865.2	-11.7	27.0
Total Private Sector	3,271.2	3,280.6	3,245.6	-9.4	25.6
Goods Producing	368.6	364.5	383.4	4.1	-14.8
Mining & Logging	1.4	1.4	1.4	0.0	0.0
Construction	122.9	118.4	130.3	4.5	-7.4
Manufacturing	244.3	244.7	251.7	-0.4	-7.4
Service-Providing	3,523.6	3,539.4	3,481.8	-15.8	41.8
Private Service-Providing	2,902.6	2,916.1	2,862.2	-13.5	40.4
Trade, Transportation & Utilities	821.7	824.4	817.2	-2.7	4.5
Information	69.7	70.3	70.5	-0.6	-0.8
Financial Activities	251.1	251.8	251.3	-0.7	-0.2
Professional and Business Services	610.7	609.5	604.5	1.2	6.2
Education and Health Services	635.6	637.7	619.0	-2.1	16.6
Leisure and Hospitality	339.6	349.3	333.9	-9.7	5.7
Other Services	174.2	173.1	165.8	1.1	8.4
Public Sector	621.0	623.3	619.6	-2.3	1.4
Weekly Hours of Work (not seasonally adjusted)*					
Manufacturing	41.3	41.3	41.4	0.0	-0.1
Durables	41.3	42.1	40.4	-0.8	0.9
Nondurables	41.3	40.6	42.2	0.7	-0.9
Information	34.4	36.6	33.7	-2.2	0.7
Hourly Earnings (not seasonally adjusted)*					
Manufacturing	\$18.94	\$19.25	\$18.82	-\$0.31	\$0.12
Durables	\$22.55	\$22.81	\$22.88	-\$0.26	-\$0.33
Nondurables	\$16.10	\$16.35	\$15.73	-\$0.25	\$0.37
Information	\$29.29	\$29.60	\$29.77	-\$0.31	-\$0.48
Weekly Earnings (not seasonally adjusted)**					
Manufacturing	\$782.22	\$795.03	\$779.15	-\$12.81	\$3.07
Durable Goods	\$931.32	\$960.30	\$924.35	-\$28.98	\$6.97
Nondurable Goods	\$664.93	\$663.81	\$663.81	\$1.12	\$1.12
Information	\$1,007.58	\$1,083.36	\$1,003.25	-\$75.78	\$4.33

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* Production workers.

** Weekly earnings are computed from not seasonally adjusted hourly earnings and hours of work data.

Source: New Jersey Department of Labor and Workforce Development, Division of Labor Market and Demographic Research.

Table 2: New Jersey Civilian Labor Force Trends (thousands)**2011 Benchmark**

	Not Seasonally Adjusted			Seasonally Adjusted		
	Oct. 12 (P)	Sept. 12 (R)	Oct. 11	Oct. 12 (P)	Sept. 12 (R)	Oct. 11
Civilian Labor Force	4,610.5	4,551.7	4,564.7	4,592.5	4,577.2	4,569.4
Resident Employment	4,177.8	4,132.9	4,156.6	4,145.2	4,128.8	4,145.6
Unemployment	432.6	418.7	408.1	447.3	448.4	423.9
Unemployment Rate	9.4%	9.2%	8.9%	9.7%	9.8%	9.3%
Labor Force Participation Rate	66.1%	65.3%	65.9%	65.9%	65.7%	66.0%
Employment/Population Ratio	59.9%	59.3%	60.0%	59.5%	59.3%	59.8%

New Jersey Civilian Labor Force Annual Averages 1990 - 2011 (thousands)

Year	Labor Force	Employment	Unemployment Volume	Unemployment Rate (%)
1990	4,072.5	3,865.0	207.5	5.1
1991	4,050.4	3,776.6	273.7	6.8
1992	4,051.9	3,709.5	342.4	8.5
1993	4,034.6	3,727.3	307.3	7.6
1994	4,067.5	3,790.0	277.5	6.8
1995	4,111.8	3,846.3	265.5	6.5
1996	4,184.1	3,925.8	258.3	6.2
1997	4,257.4	4,031.0	226.4	5.3
1998	4,242.4	4,047.1	195.3	4.6
1999	4,284.6	4,092.7	191.8	4.5
2000	4,287.8	4,130.3	157.5	3.7
2001	4,302.3	4,117.5	184.8	4.3
2002	4,370.8	4,117.3	253.5	5.8
2003	4,363.9	4,108.4	255.5	5.9
2004	4,358.9	4,144.2	214.7	4.9
2005	4,404.5	4,207.7	196.7	4.5
2006	4,465.1	4,257.9	207.2	4.6
2007	4,456.3	4,264.6	191.7	4.3
2008	4,509.1	4,262.3	246.8	5.5
2009	4,546.4	4,138.4	408.1	9.0
2010	4,554.1	4,116.6	437.4	9.6
2011	4,556.2	4,131.8	424.4	9.3

Seasonally Adjusted Civilian Labor Force Data for New Jersey (thousands) 2011-2012

Date	Labor Force	Employment	Unemployment	Unemployment Rate (%)
Jan 2011	4,546.2	4,119.7	426.5	9.4
Feb	4,548.4	4,124.4	424.1	9.3
Mar	4,549.3	4,126.9	422.4	9.3
Apr	4,548.0	4,125.7	422.3	9.3
May	4,546.0	4,121.7	424.3	9.3
Jun	4,545.6	4,118.3	427.4	9.4
Jul	4,548.4	4,118.9	429.5	9.4
Aug	4,554.5	4,124.9	429.5	9.4
Sep	4,562.1	4,134.8	427.3	9.4
Oct	4,569.4	4,145.6	423.9	9.3
Nov	4,575.2	4,155.1	420.1	9.2
Dec	4,580.3	4,164.1	416.2	9.1
Jan 2012	4,572.9	4,161.0	411.9	9.0
Feb	4,575.9	4,161.8	414.0	9.0
Mar	4,574.2	4,161.4	412.7	9.0
Apr	4,584.5	4,167.3	417.2	9.1
May	4,596.1	4,172.8	423.3	9.2
Jun	4,597.3	4,155.4	441.9	9.6
Jul	4,594.9	4,144.1	450.8	9.8
Aug	4,579.9	4,124.7	455.2	9.9
Sep (R)	4,577.2	4,128.8	448.4	9.8
Oct (P)	4,592.5	4,145.2	447.3	9.7
Nov				
Dec				

Source: New Jersey Department of Labor and Workforce Development, Division of Labor Market & Demographic Research.
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Table 3: New Jersey Nonfarm Employment by Industry for October 2012
Not Seasonally Adjusted (thousands) 2011 Benchmark

Industry	Current Month	Previous Month	One Year Ago	Net Change
	Oct. 12 (P)	Sept. 12 (R)	Oct. 11	over the Year
Total Nonfarm	3,915.5	3,905.5	3,889.0	26.5
Total Private Sector	3,285.6	3,300.6	3,260.4	25.2
Goods Producing	377.5	374.8	392.2	-14.7
Mining & Logging	1.4	1.4	1.4	0.0
Construction	128.8	126.6	136.2	-7.4
Manufacturing	247.3	246.8	254.6	-7.3
Durable Goods	108.6	109.1	113.0	-4.4
Fabricated Metal Products	22.7	22.9	22.9	-0.2
Machinery Manufacturing	13.9	13.9	14.2	-0.3
Computer and Electronic Products	26.2	26.4	26.5	-0.3
Miscellaneous Manufacturing	18.0	18.1	18.5	-0.5
Nondurable Goods	138.7	137.7	141.6	-2.9
Food Manufacturing	30.3	30.3	30.2	0.1
Paper Manufacturing	10.1	10.1	10.8	-0.7
Printing and Related Support	16.6	16.6	16.7	-0.1
Chemical Manufacturing	50.6	50.7	52.4	-1.8
Pharmaceutical and Medicine	28.2	28.2	29.6	-1.4
Service-Providing	3,538.0	3,530.7	3,496.8	41.2
Private Service-Providing	2,908.1	2,925.8	2,868.2	39.9
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	823.6	824.0	819.3	4.3
Wholesale Trade*	210.0	209.6	209.7	0.3
Retail Trade*	447.0	448.5	444.2	2.8
Building Material & Garden Equip. and Supplies Dealers	30.0	30.7	29.6	0.4
Food and Beverage Stores	106.4	106.4	103.0	3.4
Health and Personal Care Stores	33.9	33.8	34.3	-0.4
Clothing and Clothing Accessories Stores	54.1	55.8	55.7	-1.6
Sporting Goods, Hobby, Book and Music Stores	16.6	16.4	17.1	-0.5
General Merchandise Stores	74.2	72.1	74.6	-0.4
Transportation, Warehousing and Utilities	166.6	165.9	165.4	1.2
Utilities*	13.7	13.7	13.7	0.0
Transportation & Warehousing*	152.9	152.2	151.7	1.2
Information	69.7	70.5	70.5	-0.8
Publishing Industries (except Internet)	19.5	19.4	20.7	-1.2
Telecommunications	30.0	29.9	31.2	-1.2
Internet Service Providers, Web Portals, Data Processing Svcs.	8.2	8.1	8.0	0.2
Financial Activities	250.3	251.4	250.6	-0.3
Finance and Insurance*	193.5	193.8	195.8	-2.3
Securities, Commodity Contracts and Other Fin. Investments	44.3	44.6	46.8	-2.5
Insurance Carriers and Related Activities	80.2	80.0	80.5	-0.3
Real Estate and Rental/Leasing*	56.8	57.6	54.8	2.0
Professional and Business Services	614.8	617.2	608.9	5.9
Professional, Scientific and Technical Services*	285.0	283.6	278.8	6.2
Management of Companies and Enterprises*	73.8	74.3	76.1	-2.3
Administrative Support & Waste Management/Remediation*	256.0	259.3	254.0	2.0
Education, Health and Social Assistance Services	639.3	630.9	622.5	16.8
Educational Services*	97.1	91.7	98.4	-1.3
Health Care and Social Assistance*	542.2	539.2	524.1	18.1
Hospitals	162.6	162.0	158.4	4.2
Nursing and Residential Care Facilities	91.9	91.4	89.9	2.0
Social Assistance	77.0	76.2	75.5	1.5
Leisure and Hospitality	337.2	359.9	331.5	5.7
Arts, Entertainment and Recreation*	47.8	56.1	50.1	-2.3
Accommodation and Food Services*	289.4	303.8	281.4	8.0
Food Services and Drinking Places	230.3	240.0	224.2	6.1
Other Services	173.2	171.9	164.9	8.3
Repair and Maintenance	38.2	38.2	33.4	4.8
Personal and Laundry Services	55.7	54.9	51.7	4.0
Religious, Grantmaking, Civic, Professional and Similar Org.	79.3	78.8	79.8	-0.5
Government	629.9	604.9	628.6	1.3

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Shaded rows denote supersector series, * denote sector series.

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Table 4: New Jersey Nonfarm Employment (in thousands) 2011 Benchmark

Annual Averages						
	Total	Private Sector			Public	
Year		Total	Manufacturing	Construction	Service-Providing	
1990	3,635.1	3,058.4	529.5	147.7	2,378.1	576.7
1991	3,498.7	2,927.1	498.3	122.6	2,303.7	571.6
1992	3,457.9	2,886.0	474.1	112.1	2,297.6	571.9
1993	3,493.0	2,922.3	462.9	116.3	2,340.8	570.7
1994	3,552.8	2,979.4	456.0	121.7	2,399.4	573.4
1995	3,600.6	3,027.2	448.6	123.3	2,453.0	573.4
1996	3,638.9	3,068.3	437.4	125.0	2,503.8	570.6
1997	3,724.5	3,154.3	435.4	131.8	2,584.9	570.3
1998	3,801.3	3,229.6	429.4	136.1	2,661.8	571.7
1999	3,901.1	3,323.5	422.5	143.6	2,755.3	577.6
2000	3,994.5	3,405.7	421.6	149.6	2,832.6	588.9
2001	3,997.2	3,394.6	401.2	158.8	2,832.8	602.6
2002	3,983.9	3,370.4	367.5	162.6	2,838.8	613.5
2003	3,978.8	3,356.9	350.4	160.5	2,844.5	621.9
2004	3,999.1	3,365.7	338.2	165.9	2,860.0	633.4
2005	4,039.1	3,397.5	330.4	169.1	2,896.3	641.6
2006	4,071.0	3,423.7	323.8	174.9	2,923.3	647.3
2007	4,078.9	3,431.2	311.3	172.3	2,946.0	647.7
2008	4,050.9	3,401.7	298.8	164.5	2,936.7	649.2
2009	3,894.9	3,242.5	266.3	138.6	2,836.1	652.4
2010	3,850.6	3,210.7	257.2	129.5	2,822.7	640.0
2011	3,856.2	3,236.3	254.1	129.7	2,851.2	619.9
Seasonally Adjusted Monthly Data						
2011						
Jan	3,837.5	3,217.2	255.4	126.8	2,833.7	620.3
Feb	3,841.5	3,219.9	255.4	127.3	2,835.9	621.6
Mar	3,843.5	3,223.0	255.2	127.8	2,838.7	620.5
Apr	3,849.7	3,228.8	254.6	129.2	2,843.7	620.9
May	3,847.7	3,227.4	254.0	128.5	2,843.6	620.3
Jun	3,849.2	3,228.2	253.8	128.8	2,844.2	621.0
Jul	3,859.4	3,240.3	254.3	131.0	2,853.6	619.1
Aug	3,858.2	3,236.7	254.1	130.8	2,850.4	621.5
Sep	3,861.4	3,240.9	251.6	131.1	2,856.8	620.5
Oct	3,865.2	3,245.6	251.7	130.3	2,862.2	619.6
Nov	3,871.9	3,252.2	250.9	129.8	2,870.1	619.7
Dec	3,874.6	3,254.7	251.1	128.9	2,873.3	619.9
2012						
Jan	3,883.4	3,262.4	255.2	129.2	2,876.7	621.0
Feb	3,890.4	3,269.8	254.5	130.6	2,883.4	620.6
Mar	3,886.7	3,262.5	254.1	127.5	2,879.6	624.2
Apr	3,889.9	3,269.3	253.1	127.7	2,887.2	620.6
May	3,904.3	3,279.7	251.9	125.5	2,901.0	624.6
Jun	3,911.6	3,283.7	249.5	125.5	2,907.3	627.9
Jul	3,904.3	3,282.0	246.9	123.7	2,910.0	622.3
Aug	3,906.6	3,281.4	244.1	121.9	2,914.0	625.2
Sep (R)	3,903.9	3,280.6	244.7	118.4	2,916.1	623.3
Oct (R)	3,892.2	3,271.2	244.3	122.9	2,902.6	621.0
Nov						
Dec						

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Key Economic Indicators: October 2012 (Seasonally Adjusted)

