

CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE DATA FOR MISSOURI AND ITS METROPOLITAN AREAS (WITH U.S. COMPARISON)

SEASONALLY ADJUSTED			CHANGE TO NOVEMBER 2018 FROM			NOT SEASONALLY ADJUSTED			CHANGE TO NOVEMBER 2018 FROM		
CURRENT MONTH NOVEMBER 2018	PREVIOUS MONTH OCTOBER 2018	YEAR AGO NOVEMBER 2017	PREVIOUS MONTH	YEAR AGO	YEAR AGO %	CURRENT MONTH NOVEMBER 2018	PREVIOUS MONTH OCTOBER 2018	YEAR AGO NOVEMBER 2017	PREVIOUS MONTH	YEAR AGO	YEAR AGO %

U.S. (numbers in thousands)

CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE	162,770	162,637	160,533	133	2,237	1.4	162,665	162,723	160,466	-58	2,199	1.4
Total Employment	156,795	156,562	153,917	233	2,878	1.9	157,015	156,952	154,180	63	2,835	1.8
Unemployment	5,975	6,075	6,616	-100	-641	-9.7	5,650	5,771	6,286	-121	-636	-10.1
Unemployment Rate (%)	3.7	3.7	4.1	0.0	-0.4		3.5	3.5	3.9	0.0	-0.4	

Missouri

CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE	3,065,723	3,065,464	3,048,438	259	17,285	0.6	3,045,706	3,069,723	3,031,261	-24,017	14,445	0.5
Total Employment	2,972,263	2,971,103	2,937,251	1,160	35,012	1.2	2,968,995	2,998,537	2,937,063	-29,542	31,932	1.1
Unemployment	93,460	94,361	111,187	-901	-17,727	-15.9	76,711	71,186	94,198	5,525	-17,487	-18.6
Unemployment Rate (%)	3.0	3.1	3.6	-0.1	-0.6		2.5	2.3	3.1	0.2	-0.6	

Cape Girardeau MSA

CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE	48,506	48,571	47,867	-65	639	1.3	48,589	48,620	48,020	-31	569	1.2
Total Employment	47,098	47,204	46,187	-106	911	2.0	47,425	47,554	46,556	-129	869	1.9
Unemployment	1,408	1,367	1,680	41	-272	-16.2	1,164	1,066	1,464	98	-300	-20.5
Unemployment Rate (%)	2.9	2.8	3.5	0.1	-0.6		2.4	2.2	3.0	0.2	-0.6	

Columbia MSA

CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE	97,981	98,065	97,335	-84	646	0.7	99,098	99,305	98,465	-207	633	0.6
Total Employment	95,866	95,955	94,830	-89	1,036	1.1	97,352	97,744	96,245	-392	1,107	1.2
Unemployment	2,115	2,110	2,505	5	-390	-15.6	1,746	1,561	2,220	185	-474	-21.4
Unemployment Rate (%)	2.2	2.2	2.6	0.0	-0.4		1.8	1.6	2.3	0.2	-0.5	

Jefferson City MSA

CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE	74,223	74,576	74,141	-353	82	0.1	73,628	74,543	73,881	-915	-253	-0.3
Total Employment	72,315	72,699	71,877	-384	438	0.6	72,131	73,176	71,968	-1,045	163	0.2
Unemployment	1,908	1,877	2,264	31	-356	-15.7	1,497	1,367	1,913	130	-416	-21.7
Unemployment Rate (%)	2.6	2.5	3.1	0.1	-0.5		2.0	1.8	2.6	0.2	-0.6	

Joplin MSA

CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE	84,700	85,015	84,095	-315	605	0.7	84,581	85,039	84,349	-458	232	0.3
Total Employment	82,395	82,811	81,380	-416	1,015	1.2	82,657	83,274	81,957	-617	700	0.9
Unemployment	2,305	2,204	2,715	101	-410	-15.1	1,924	1,765	2,392	159	-468	-19.6
Unemployment Rate (%)	2.7	2.6	3.2	0.1	-0.5		2.3	2.1	2.8	0.2	-0.5	

Kansas City MSA

CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE	1,146,134	1,148,619	1,132,316	-2,485	13,818	1.2	1,138,342	1,147,831	1,125,441	-9,489	12,901	1.1
Total Employment	1,109,972	1,113,539	1,090,491	-3,567	19,481	1.8	1,107,362	1,116,964	1,089,858	-9,602	17,504	1.6
Unemployment	36,162	35,080	41,825	1,082	-5,663	-13.5	30,980	30,867	35,583	113	-4,603	-12.9
Unemployment Rate (%)	3.2	3.1	3.7	0.1	-0.5		2.7	2.7	3.2	0.0	-0.5	

St. Joseph MSA

CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE	66,008	66,063	64,964	-55	1,044	1.6	65,746	66,099	64,820	-353	926	1.4
Total Employment	64,204	64,310	62,873	-106	1,331	2.1	64,263	64,715	63,026	-452	1,237	2.0
Unemployment	1,804	1,753	2,091	51	-287	-13.7	1,483	1,384	1,794	99	-311	-17.3
Unemployment Rate (%)	2.7	2.7	3.2	0.0	-0.5		2.3	2.1	2.8	0.2	-0.5	

St. Louis MSA

CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE	1,469,424	1,474,008	1,454,993	-4,584	14,431	1.0	1,461,917	1,473,229	1,451,968	-11,312	9,949	0.7
Total Employment	1,420,974	1,426,945	1,402,763	-5,971	18,211	1.3	1,419,060	1,432,234	1,404,494	-13,174	14,566	1.0
Unemployment	48,450	47,063	52,230	1,387	-3,780	-7.2	42,857	40,995	47,474	1,862	-4,617	-9.7
Unemployment Rate (%)	3.3	3.2	3.6	0.1	-0.3		2.9	2.8	3.3	0.1	-0.4	

Springfield MSA

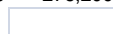
CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE	231,989	231,176	229,247	813	2,742	1.2	231,508	231,526	227,831	-18	3,677	1.6
Total Employment	226,013	225,323	222,245	690	3,768	1.7	226,556	227,016	221,629	-460	4,927	2.2
Unemployment	5,976	5,853	7,002	123	-1,026	-14.7	4,952	4,510	6,202	442	-1,250	-20.2
Unemployment Rate (%)	2.6	2.5	3.1	0.1	-0.5		2.1	1.9	2.7	0.2	-0.6	

NONFARM PAYROLL EMPLOYMENT IN MISSOURI AND ITS METROPOLITAN AREAS

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CURRENT MONTH NOVEMBER 2018	PREVIOUS MONTH OCTOBER 2018	YEAR AGO NOVEMBER 2017	PREVIOUS MONTH	YEAR AGO	YEAR AGO %

MISSOURI (Seasonally Adjusted)

TOTAL NONFARM	2,911,900	2,913,100	2,879,500	-1,200	32,400	1.1
TOTAL PRIVATE	2,477,900	2,478,900	2,446,700	-1,000	31,200	1.3
GOODS-PRODUCING	398,200	399,400	395,600	-1,200	2,600	0.7
MINING, LOGGING & CONSTRUCTION	124,100	127,200	127,400	-3,100	-3,300	-2.6
MINING & LOGGING	4,200	4,200	4,200	0	0	0.0
CONSTRUCTION	119,900	123,000	123,200	-3,100	-3,300	-2.7
MANUFACTURING	274,100	272,200	268,200	1,900	5,900	2.2
Durable Goods	165,300	165,300	160,500	0	4,800	3.0
Nondurable Goods	108,800	106,900	107,700	1,900	1,100	1.0
SERVICE-PROVIDING	2,513,700	2,513,700	2,483,900	0	29,800	1.2
PRIVATE SERVICE-PROVIDING	2,079,700	2,079,500	2,051,100	200	28,600	1.4
TRADE, TRANSPORTATION & UTILITIES	548,700	547,000	545,200	1,700	3,500	0.6
Wholesale Trade	122,400	121,700	121,700	700	700	0.6
Retail Trade	314,500	314,300	311,900	200	2,600	0.8
Transportation, Warehousing, Utilities	111,800	111,000	111,600	800	200	0.2
INFORMATION	51,100	51,300	51,300	-200	-200	-0.4
FINANCIAL ACTIVITIES	175,700	175,500	173,300	200	2,400	1.4
Real Estate & rental/leasing	36,600	36,700	37,900	-100	-1,300	-3.4
PROFESSIONAL & BUSINESS SVCS	396,900	397,200	391,200	-300	5,700	1.5
Professional, Scientific & Technical Svcs	168,100	167,400	162,800	700	5,300	3.3
Management of Companies	67,500	67,400	66,000	100	1,500	2.3
Administrative and Support Services	161,300	162,400	162,400	-1,100	-1,100	-0.7
EDUCATIONAL & HEALTH SERVICE	476,900	478,700	468,100	-1,800	8,800	1.9
Educational Services	52,900	53,300	53,400	-400	-500	-0.9
Health Care & Social Assistance	424,000	425,400	414,700	-1,400	9,300	2.2
LEISURE & HOSPITALITY	316,000	314,500	305,500	1,500	10,500	3.4
Arts, Entertainment & Recreation	43,200	45,300	42,800	-2,100	400	0.9
Accommodation & Food Services	272,800	269,200	262,700	3,600	10,100	3.8
OTHER SERVICES	114,400	115,300	116,500	-900	-2,100	-1.8
GOVERNMENT	434,000	434,200	432,800	-200	1,200	0.3
Federal	55,100	55,300	55,000	-200	100	0.2
State	102,500	102,200	101,600	300	900	0.9
Local	276,400	276,700	276,200	-300	200	0.1



EMPLOYMENT (JOBS)			CHANGE TO NOVEMBER 2018 FROM		
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MISSOURI (Not Seasonally Adjusted)

TOTAL NONFARM	2,935,100	2,938,300	2,905,100	-3,200	30,000	1.0
TOTAL PRIVATE	2,489,900	2,493,800	2,460,400	-3,900	29,500	1.2
GOODS-PRODUCING	399,900	404,000	398,100	-4,100	1,800	0.5
MINING, LOGGING & CONSTRUCTION	126,100	131,700	130,400	-5,600	-4,300	-3.3
MINING & LOGGING	4,200	4,300	4,300	-100	-100	-2.3
CONSTRUCTION	121,900	127,400	126,100	-5,500	-4,200	-3.3
Construction of Buildings	28,400	28,800	28,100	-400	300	1.1
Specialty Trade Contractors	78,900	81,200	80,300	-2,300	-1,400	-1.7
MANUFACTURING	273,800	272,300	267,700	1,500	6,100	2.3
Durable Goods	165,300	165,000	160,400	300	4,900	3.1
Fabricated Metal Products Mfg	30,800	30,900	29,700	-100	1,100	3.7
Machinery Manufacturing	26,000	25,900	25,900	100	100	0.4
Computer/Electronic Mfg	10,700	10,600	10,500	100	200	1.9
Electric Equip, Appliance Mfg	10,400	10,400	10,300	0	100	1.0
Transportation Equipment Mfg	47,600	47,500	46,000	100	1,600	3.5
Motor Vehicle Manufacturing	14,400	14,400	14,400	0	0	0.0
Furniture/Related Products Mfg	6,900	7,000	6,900	-100	0	0.0
Nondurable Goods	108,500	107,300	107,300	1,200	1,200	1.1
Food Manufacturing	41,300	41,200	41,200	100	100	0.2
SERVICE-PROVIDING	2,535,200	2,534,300	2,507,000	900	28,200	1.1
PRIVATE SERVICE-PROVIDING	2,090,000	2,089,800	2,062,300	200	27,700	1.3
TRADE, TRANSPORTATION & UTILITIES	557,900	547,600	554,600	10,300	3,300	0.6
Wholesale Trade	122,100	121,800	121,200	300	900	0.7
Merchant wholslrs durable gds	60,000	59,000	58,600	1,000	1,400	2.4
Merchant wholslrs nondur gds	35,600	35,800	36,400	-200	-800	-2.2
Wholesale electronic mkts, agents/brokers	26,500	27,000	26,200	-500	300	1.1
Retail Trade	322,300	315,000	320,300	7,300	2,000	0.6
Motor vehicle/parts dealers	43,900	45,000	42,300	-1,100	1,600	3.8
Food & beverage stores	49,500	48,800	49,600	700	-100	-0.2
Gasoline stations	29,600	29,300	28,800	300	800	2.8
General merchandise stores	71,900	68,200	71,400	3,700	500	0.7
Transportation, Warehsng, Utils	113,500	110,800	113,100	2,700	400	0.4
Utilities	11,800	11,800	11,700	0	100	0.9
Electric power gen/transmsn	8,000	8,000	7,900	0	100	1.3
Transportation & warehousing	101,700	99,000	101,400	2,700	300	0.3
Truck transportation	40,000	38,900	40,100	1,100	-100	-0.2
Warehousing & storage	15,500	15,500	15,500	0	0	0.0

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MISSOURI (Not Seasonally Adjusted) - continued

INFORMATION	51,500	51,600	51,700	-100	-200	-0.4
Telecommunications	17,400	17,400	17,800	0	-400	-2.2
FINANCIAL ACTIVITIES	174,600	175,400	172,600	-800	2,000	1.2
Finance & insurance	138,700	138,400	135,300	300	3,400	2.5
Credit intermediation & relat	62,400	62,000	59,500	400	2,900	4.9
Insurance carriers & related	56,400	56,700	57,500	-300	-1,100	-1.9
Real Estate & rental/leasing	35,900	37,000	37,300	-1,100	-1,400	-3.8
PROFESSIONAL & BUSINESS SVCS	399,900	400,900	395,400	-1,000	4,500	1.1
Professional/scientific/technl	168,800	167,300	163,000	1,500	5,800	3.6
Legal services	21,200	21,400	20,700	-200	500	2.4
Accounting/tax prep/bookkeep	19,200	18,800	18,700	400	500	2.7
Computer systems design & rel	41,800	41,600	42,700	200	-900	-2.1
Management of Companies	67,500	67,100	65,900	400	1,600	2.4
Administrative/Support/Waste	163,600	166,500	166,500	-2,900	-2,900	-1.7
Administrative & supprt svcs	156,900	160,000	159,200	-3,100	-2,300	-1.4
Employment Services	59,600	60,400	59,000	-800	600	1.0
EDUCATIONAL & HEALTH SERVICE	481,300	483,900	472,700	-2,600	8,600	1.8
Educational services	56,300	56,200	56,600	100	-300	-0.5
Colleges/univs/prof schools	29,000	28,500	28,300	500	700	2.5
Health care & social assistnc	425,000	427,700	416,100	-2,700	8,900	2.1
Offices of physicians	42,100	42,600	41,800	-500	300	0.7
Hospitals	132,900	133,300	130,200	-400	2,700	2.1
Nursing/rsidentl care facils	74,600	75,300	75,100	-700	-500	-0.7
Social assistance	96,900	98,000	94,600	-1,100	2,300	2.4
LEISURE & HOSPITALITY	311,000	315,600	299,200	-4,600	11,800	3.9
Arts, entertainment, recreatn	40,600	46,500	40,500	-5,900	100	0.2
Amusement/gambling/recreat	25,500	29,500	25,200	-4,000	300	1.2
Accommodation & food services	270,400	269,100	258,700	1,300	11,700	4.5
Accommodation	35,200	35,400	33,300	-200	1,900	5.7
Food svcs & drinking places	235,200	233,700	225,400	1,500	9,800	4.3
OTHER SERVICES	113,800	114,800	116,100	-1,000	-2,300	-2.0
Repair and maintenance	24,900	25,700	25,000	-800	-100	-0.4
Personal & laundry services	23,500	24,500	25,400	-1,000	-1,900	-7.5
GOVERNMENT	445,200	444,500	444,700	700	500	0.1
FEDERAL	54,300	54,200	54,100	100	200	0.4
STATE	106,200	105,600	105,500	600	700	0.7
LOCAL	284,700	284,700	285,100	0	-400	-0.1

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CAPE GIRARDEAU MSA (Seasonally Adjusted)

TOTAL NONFARM	45,800	45,800	44,900	0	900	2.0
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CAPE GIRARDEAU MSA (Not Seasonally Adjusted)

TOTAL NONFARM	46,300	45,900	45,500	400	800	1.8
TOTAL PRIVATE	39,500	39,200	38,800	300	700	1.8
GOODS-PRODUCING	6,500	6,500	6,200	0	300	4.8
SERVICE-PROVIDING	39,800	39,400	39,300	400	500	1.3
PRIVATE SERVICE-PROVIDING	33,000	32,700	32,600	300	400	1.2
GOVERNMENT	6,800	6,700	6,700	100	100	1.5

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COLUMBIA MSA (Seasonally Adjusted)

TOTAL NONFARM	100,500	100,100	99,500	400	1,000	1.0
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COLUMBIA MSA (Not Seasonally Adjusted)

TOTAL NONFARM	103,000	102,300	102,000	700	1,000	1.0
TOTAL PRIVATE	72,100	71,600	71,100	500	1,000	1.4
GOODS-PRODUCING	7,800	7,500	7,700	300	100	1.3
SERVICE-PROVIDING	95,200	94,800	94,300	400	900	1.0
PRIVATE SERVICE-PROVIDING	64,300	64,100	63,400	200	900	1.4
TRADE, TRANSPORTATION & UTILITIES	15,700	15,300	15,700	400	0	0.0
Retail Trade	11,600	11,300	11,400	300	200	1.8
GOVERNMENT	30,900	30,700	30,900	200	0	0.0
FEDERAL	2,500	2,500	2,600	0	-100	-3.8
STATE	21,100	20,900	21,400	200	-300	-1.4
LOCAL	7,300	7,300	6,900	0	400	5.8

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JEFFERSON CITY MSA (Seasonally Adjusted)

TOTAL NONFARM	76,800	77,300	76,700	-500	100	0.1
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JEFFERSON CITY MSA (Not Seasonally Adjusted)

TOTAL NONFARM	77,500	78,000	77,500	-500	0	0.0
TOTAL PRIVATE	53,100	53,600	52,700	-500	400	0.8
GOODS-PRODUCING	10,400	10,900	10,600	-500	-200	-1.9
SERVICE-PROVIDING	67,100	67,100	66,900	0	200	0.3
PRIVATE SERVICE-PROVIDING	42,700	42,700	42,100	0	600	1.4
TRADE, TRANSPORTATION & UTILITIES	14,200	14,000	14,500	200	-300	-2.1
Retail Trade	9,100	8,900	9,300	200	-200	-2.2
GOVERNMENT	24,400	24,400	24,800	0	-400	-1.6
FEDERAL	800	800	800	0	0	0.0
STATE	17,800	17,800	18,200	0	-400	-2.2
LOCAL	5,800	5,800	5,800	0	0	0.0

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JOPLIN MSA (Seasonally Adjusted)

TOTAL NONFARM	81,600	81,500	80,900	100	700	0.9
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JOPLIN MSA (Not Seasonally Adjusted)

TOTAL NONFARM	82,700	82,300	82,100	400	600	0.7
TOTAL PRIVATE	72,400	72,100	71,700	300	700	1.0
GOODS-PRODUCING	16,200	16,100	16,100	100	100	0.6
MANUFACTURING	13,000	13,000	12,800	0	200	1.6
Nondurable Goods	6,100	6,100	6,100	0	0	0.0
Food Manufacturing	4,000	4,000	4,000	0	0	0.0
SERVICE-PROVIDING	66,500	66,200	66,000	300	500	0.8
PRIVATE SERVICE-PROVIDING	56,200	56,000	55,600	200	600	1.1
TRADE, TRANSPORTATION & UTILITIES	21,600	21,100	20,900	500	700	3.3
Retail Trade	11,200	11,000	10,700	200	500	4.7
General merchandise stores	3,300	3,200	3,100	100	200	6.5
EDUCATIONAL & HEALTH SERVICE	13,300	13,300	13,100	0	200	1.5
Health care & social assistnc	13,000	13,100	12,800	-100	200	1.6
GOVERNMENT	10,300	10,200	10,400	100	-100	-1.0
FEDERAL	400	400	400	0	0	0.0
STATE	1,300	1,300	1,400	0	-100	-7.1
LOCAL	8,600	8,500	8,600	100	0	0.0

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KANSAS CITY MSA (Seasonally Adjusted)

TOTAL NONFARM	1,109,200	1,109,200	1,092,800	0	16,400	1.5
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KANSAS CITY MSA (Not Seasonally Adjusted)

TOTAL NONFARM	1,115,800	1,116,700	1,099,200	-900	16,600	1.5
TOTAL PRIVATE	958,000	958,900	945,600	-900	12,400	1.3
GOODS-PRODUCING	131,700	131,600	127,500	100	4,200	3.3
MINING, LOGGING & CONSTRUCTION	54,800	55,400	50,900	-600	3,900	7.7
MANUFACTURING	76,900	76,200	76,600	700	300	0.4
SERVICE-PROVIDING	984,100	985,100	971,700	-1,000	12,400	1.3
PRIVATE SERVICE-PROVIDING	826,300	827,300	818,100	-1,000	8,200	1.0
TRADE, TRANSPORTATION & UTILITIES	223,300	219,600	220,300	3,700	3,000	1.4
Wholesale Trade	52,200	52,300	52,200	-100	0	0.0
Retail Trade	114,200	111,500	113,900	2,700	300	0.3
General merchandise stores	24,400	23,000	23,000	1,400	1,400	6.1
Transportation,Warehnsng,Utils	56,900	55,800	54,200	1,100	2,700	5.0
INFORMATION	16,500	16,500	17,500	0	-1,000	-5.7
Telecommunications	4,600	4,600	5,200	0	-600	-11.5
FINANCIAL ACTIVITIES	81,200	81,200	80,600	0	600	0.7
PROFESSIONAL & BUSINESS SVCS	200,700	201,000	198,300	-300	2,400	1.2
Professional/scientific/technl	100,400	99,400	97,400	1,000	3,000	3.1
Management of Companies	27,900	27,900	27,900	0	0	0.0
Administrative/Support/Waste	72,400	73,700	73,000	-1,300	-600	-0.8
EDUCATIONAL & HEALTH SERVICE	152,900	153,500	152,900	-600	0	0.0
Health care & social assistnc	135,000	135,400	134,200	-400	800	0.6
Hospitals	43,700	43,700	42,600	0	1,100	2.6
LEISURE & HOSPITALITY	108,100	111,700	105,000	-3,600	3,100	3.0
Accommodation & food services	92,800	92,300	91,100	500	1,700	1.9
Food svcs & drinking places	83,000	82,900	81,700	100	1,300	1.6
OTHER SERVICES	43,600	43,800	43,500	-200	100	0.2
GOVERNMENT	157,800	157,800	153,600	0	4,200	2.7
FEDERAL	26,600	26,700	26,400	-100	200	0.8
STATE	15,900	15,900	16,200	0	-300	-1.9
LOCAL	115,300	115,200	111,000	100	4,300	3.9

EMPLOYMENT (JOBS)			CHANGE TO NOVEMBER 2018 FROM		
CURRENT MONTH NOVEMBER 2018	PREVIOUS MONTH OCTOBER 2018	YEAR AGO NOVEMBER 2017	PREVIOUS MONTH	YEAR AGO	YEAR AGO %

ST. JOSEPH MSA (Seasonally Adjusted)

TOTAL NONFARM	65,700	65,700	64,600	0	1,100	1.7
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ST. JOSEPH MSA (Not Seasonally Adjusted)

TOTAL NONFARM	66,200	66,100	65,100	100	1,100	1.7
TOTAL PRIVATE	54,000	53,800	52,900	200	1,100	2.1
GOODS-PRODUCING	14,500	14,400	13,700	100	800	5.8
SERVICE-PROVIDING	51,700	51,700	51,400	0	300	0.6
PRIVATE SERVICE-PROVIDING	39,500	39,400	39,200	100	300	0.8
TRADE, TRANSPORTATION & UTILITIES	10,400	10,500	11,100	-100	-700	-6.3
GOVERNMENT	12,200	12,300	12,200	-100	0	0.0
FEDERAL	600	600	600	0	0	0.0
STATE	6,300	6,400	6,200	-100	100	1.6
LOCAL	5,300	5,300	5,400	0	-100	-1.9

EMPLOYMENT (JOBS)			CHANGE TO NOVEMBER 2018 FROM		
CURRENT MONTH NOVEMBER 2018	PREVIOUS MONTH OCTOBER 2018	YEAR AGO NOVEMBER 2017	PREVIOUS MONTH	YEAR AGO	YEAR AGO %

ST. LOUIS MSA (Seasonally Adjusted)

TOTAL NONFARM	1,388,900	1,388,900	1,380,800	0	8,100	0.6
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ST. LOUIS MSA (Not Seasonally Adjusted)

TOTAL NONFARM	1,400,800	1,401,100	1,393,000	-300	7,800	0.6
TOTAL PRIVATE	1,245,900	1,246,500	1,237,000	-600	8,900	0.7
GOODS-PRODUCING	182,600	185,900	183,500	-3,300	-900	-0.5
MINING, LOGGING & CONSTRUCTION	63,700	67,000	68,200	-3,300	-4,500	-6.6
MANUFACTURING	118,900	118,900	115,300	0	3,600	3.1
Durable Goods	75,700	75,300	69,800	400	5,900	8.5
Primary Metal Mfg	5,500	5,500	5,500	0	0	0.0
Transportation Equipment Mfg	24,200	24,000	22,400	200	1,800	8.0
Nondurable Goods	43,200	43,600	45,500	-400	-2,300	-5.1
SERVICE-PROVIDING	1,218,200	1,215,200	1,209,500	3,000	8,700	0.7
PRIVATE SERVICE-PROVIDING	1,063,300	1,060,600	1,053,500	2,700	9,800	0.9
TRADE, TRANSPORTATION & UTILITIES	266,300	259,700	264,200	6,600	2,100	0.8
Wholesale Trade	68,600	67,400	65,300	1,200	3,300	5.1
Merchant wholslrs durable gds	37,300	36,500	34,500	800	2,800	8.1
Merchant wholslrs nondur gds	17,600	17,600	17,800	0	-200	-1.1
Retail Trade	144,300	140,100	146,400	4,200	-2,100	-1.4
Food & beverage stores	22,500	22,300	22,900	200	-400	-1.7
Health & personal care stores	10,600	10,400	10,600	200	0	0.0
Clothing & accessories store	9,800	9,500	11,100	300	-1,300	-11.7
General merchandise stores	32,000	30,100	30,900	1,900	1,100	3.6
Transportation,Warehnsng,Utils	53,400	52,200	52,500	1,200	900	1.7
INFORMATION	27,500	27,500	27,800	0	-300	-1.1
Telecommunications	9,900	9,900	10,300	0	-400	-3.9
FINANCIAL ACTIVITIES	89,700	89,700	88,600	0	1,100	1.2
Credit intermediation & relat	31,100	30,800	29,000	300	2,100	7.2
Depository credit intermedia	20,700	20,600	20,500	100	200	1.0
Insurance carriers & related	26,200	26,300	27,000	-100	-800	-3.0
PROFESSIONAL & BUSINESS SVCS	216,600	218,000	216,600	-1,400	0	0.0
Professional/scientific/technl	87,800	87,600	85,200	200	2,600	3.1
Scientific R&D	5,500	5,500	5,600	0	-100	-1.8
Management of Companies	43,100	42,700	41,600	400	1,500	3.6
Administrative/Support/Waste	85,700	87,700	89,800	-2,000	-4,100	-4.6
Employment Services	31,200	31,900	31,400	-700	-200	-0.6
Travel arrangement/reserva	2,000	2,000	2,000	0	0	0.0
Svcs to bldgs & dwellings	21,400	22,200	21,600	-800	-200	-0.9
EDUCATIONAL & HEALTH SERVICE	262,700	263,200	256,700	-500	6,000	2.3
Educational services	39,000	38,800	38,900	200	100	0.3
Health care & social assistnc	223,700	224,400	217,800	-700	5,900	2.7
Hospitals	78,700	78,800	76,200	-100	2,500	3.3
Nursing/rsidentl care facils	34,100	34,000	33,800	100	300	0.9
Social assistance	49,200	49,300	46,500	-100	2,700	5.8
LEISURE & HOSPITALITY	147,800	149,400	147,400	-1,600	400	0.3
Arts, Entertainment & Recreation	17,700	20,200	19,700	-2,500	-2,000	-10.2
Amusement/gambling/recreation	12,600	14,400	13,300	-1,800	-700	-5.3
Accommodation & food services	130,100	129,200	127,700	900	2,400	1.9
Food svcs & drinking places	116,600	114,800	114,300	1,800	2,300	2.0
OTHER SERVICES	52,700	53,100	52,200	-400	500	1.0
GOVERNMENT	154,900	154,600	156,000	300	-1,100	-0.7
FEDERAL	25,300	25,200	25,400	100	-100	-0.4
STATE	11,800	11,800	12,700	0	-900	-7.1
LOCAL	117,800	117,600	117,900	200	-100	-0.1

EMPLOYMENT (JOBS)			CHANGE TO NOVEMBER 2018 FROM		
CURRENT MONTH NOVEMBER 2018	PREVIOUS MONTH OCTOBER 2018	YEAR AGO NOVEMBER 2017	PREVIOUS MONTH	YEAR AGO	YEAR AGO %

SPRINGFIELD MSA (Seasonally Adjusted)

TOTAL NONFARM	216,300	215,700	211,900	600	4,400	2.1
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SPRINGFIELD MSA (Not Seasonally Adjusted)

TOTAL NONFARM	219,400	217,400	214,600	2,000	4,800	2.2
TOTAL PRIVATE	188,100	186,200	183,600	1,900	4,500	2.5
GOODS-PRODUCING	25,300	25,500	24,700	-200	600	2.4
MINING, LOGGING & CONSTRUCTION	9,400	9,400	9,000	0	400	4.4
MANUFACTURING	15,900	16,100	15,700	-200	200	1.3
SERVICE-PROVIDING	194,100	191,900	189,900	2,200	4,200	2.2
PRIVATE SERVICE-PROVIDING	162,800	160,700	158,900	2,100	3,900	2.5
TRADE, TRANSPORTATION & UTILITIES	50,200	49,300	48,500	900	1,700	3.5
Wholesale Trade	11,200	11,200	11,200	0	0	0.0
Retail Trade	26,600	25,800	25,100	800	1,500	6.0
General merchandise stores	6,500	6,200	6,300	300	200	3.2
Transportation, Warehsng, Utils	12,400	12,300	12,200	100	200	1.6
INFORMATION	4,300	4,100	4,100	200	200	4.9
FINANCIAL ACTIVITIES	11,900	12,000	11,800	-100	100	0.8
PROFESSIONAL & BUSINESS SVCS	28,200	27,100	25,600	1,100	2,600	10.2
EDUCATIONAL & HEALTH SERVICE	38,600	38,600	38,500	0	100	0.3
Health care & social assistnc	35,900	35,900	35,300	0	600	1.7
LEISURE & HOSPITALITY	20,700	20,600	21,500	100	-800	-3.7
Accommodation & food services	19,300	19,100	19,500	200	-200	-1.0
OTHER SERVICES	8,900	9,000	8,900	-100	0	0.0
GOVERNMENT	31,300	31,200	31,000	100	300	1.0
FEDERAL	2,400	2,400	2,400	0	0	0.0
STATE	8,600	8,500	8,400	100	200	2.4
LOCAL	20,300	20,300	20,200	0	100	0.5

EMPLOYMENT (JOBS)			CHANGE TO NOVEMBER 2018 FROM		
CURRENT MONTH NOVEMBER 2018	PREVIOUS MONTH OCTOBER 2018	YEAR AGO NOVEMBER 2017	PREVIOUS MONTH	YEAR AGO	YEAR AGO %

KANSAS CITY MSA - MO PART (Seasonally Adjusted)

TOTAL NONFARM	621,700	622,000	613,100	-300	8,600	1.4
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KANSAS CITY MSA - MO PART (Not Seasonally Adjusted)

TOTAL NONFARM	623,700	626,000	615,500	-2,300	8,200	1.3
TOTAL PRIVATE	525,500	527,600	520,300	-2,100	5,200	1.0
GOODS-PRODUCING	78,400	79,000	75,100	-600	3,300	4.4
MINING, LOGGING & CONSTRUCTION	33,300	34,100	29,500	-800	3,800	12.9
MANUFACTURING	45,100	44,900	45,600	200	-500	-1.1
SERVICE-PROVIDING	545,300	547,000	540,400	-1,700	4,900	0.9
PRIVATE SERVICE-PROVIDING	447,100	448,600	445,200	-1,500	1,900	0.4
TRADE, TRANSPORTATION & UTILITIES	112,300	110,900	112,900	1,400	-600	-0.5
Wholesale Trade	26,200	26,200	26,100	0	100	0.4
Retail Trade	63,000	62,000	63,800	1,000	-800	-1.3
General merchandise stores	13,600	12,900	13,100	700	500	3.8
Transportation,Warehshng,Utills	23,100	22,700	23,000	400	100	0.4
INFORMATION	10,000	10,000	10,400	0	-400	-3.8
Telecommunications	2,400	2,400	2,700	0	-300	-11.1
FINANCIAL ACTIVITIES	44,000	43,900	44,200	100	-200	-0.5
Credit intermediation & relat	12,200	12,300	12,000	-100	200	1.7
PROFESSIONAL & BUSINESS SVCS	102,100	102,100	100,900	0	1,200	1.2
Professional/scientific/technl	58,400	57,600	55,000	800	3,400	6.2
Management of Companies	10,900	10,900	11,200	0	-300	-2.7
Administrative/Support/Waste	32,800	33,600	34,700	-800	-1,900	-5.5
EDUCATIONAL & HEALTH SERVICE	84,400	85,000	84,800	-600	-400	-0.5
Health care & social assistnc	73,400	74,000	73,200	-600	200	0.3
Hospitals	21,800	21,800	21,400	0	400	1.9
LEISURE & HOSPITALITY	67,900	70,200	65,600	-2,300	2,300	3.5
Amusement/gambling/recreat	6,500	7,800	6,000	-1,300	500	8.3
Accommodation & food services	56,400	55,100	56,600	1,300	-200	-0.4
Food svcs & drinking places	49,200	48,500	49,800	700	-600	-1.2
OTHER SERVICES	26,400	26,500	26,400	-100	0	0.0
GOVERNMENT	98,200	98,400	95,200	-200	3,000	3.2
FEDERAL	18,600	18,800	18,400	-200	200	1.1
STATE	8,400	8,400	8,500	0	-100	-1.2
LOCAL	71,200	71,200	68,300	0	2,900	4.2

AVERAGE WEEKLY HOURS AND EARNINGS* OF ALL EMPLOYEES ON PRIVATE NONFARM PAYROLLS (NOT SEASONALLY ADJUSTED)

AREA	INDUSTRY	CURRENT MONTH - OCTOBER 2018				PREVIOUS MONTH - SEPTEMBER 2018				YEAR AGO - OCTOBER 2017			
		All Employees	Average Weekly Hours	Average Hourly Earnings (\$)	Average Weekly Earnings (\$)	All Employees	Average Weekly Hours	Average Hourly Earnings (\$)	Average Weekly Earnings (\$)	All Employees	Average Weekly Hours	Average Hourly Earnings (\$)	Average Weekly Earnings (\$)
MISSOURI	TOTAL PRIVATE	2,489,900	33.5	24.76	829.46	2,493,800	33.9	24.88	843.43	2,460,400	33.2	24.35	808.42
	GOODS-PRODUCING	399,900	39.3	28.49	1,119.66	404,000	40.3	28.18	1,135.65	398,100	39.6	28.01	1,109.20
	CONSTRUCTION	121,900	33.6	30.52	1,025.47	127,400	35.6	30.49	1,085.44	126,100	35.7	29.27	1,044.94
	MANUFACTURING	273,800	41.2	27.77	1,144.12	272,300	41.8	27.29	1,140.72	267,700	41.6	27.58	1,147.33
	PRIVATE SERVICE-PROVIDING	2,090,000	32.4	23.90	774.36	2,089,800	32.7	24.09	787.74	2,062,300	32.0	23.48	751.36
	TRADE, TRANSPORTATION & UTILS	557,900	33.2	22.40	743.68	547,600	33.3	22.84	760.57	554,600	32.8	21.79	714.71
	FINANCIAL ACTIVITIES	174,600	36.6	30.02	1,098.73	175,400	37.1	30.43	1,128.95	172,600	35.5	30.84	1,094.82
	PROFESSIONAL & BUSINESS SVCS	399,900	34.0	29.68	1,009.12	400,900	34.5	29.66	1,023.27	395,400	34.3	28.87	990.24
	EDUCATIONAL & HEALTH SERVICES	481,300	32.5	20.37	662.03	483,900	32.7	20.20	660.54	472,700	32.7	19.41	634.71
	LEISURE & HOSPITALITY	311,000	24.7	14.55	359.39	315,600	24.6	14.67	360.88	299,200	24.5	14.39	352.56
CAPE GIRARDEAU MSA	TOTAL PRIVATE	39,500	32.4	21.93	710.53	39,200	33.1	21.12	699.07	38,800	32.7	21.96	718.09
COLUMBIA MSA	TOTAL PRIVATE	72,100	32.7	20.86	682.12	71,600	33.6	23.11	776.50	71,100	33.1	21.97	727.21
JEFFERSON CITY MSA	TOTAL PRIVATE	53,100	35.2	21.25	748.00	53,600	35.4	21.32	754.73	52,700	31.8	22.15	704.37
JOPLIN MSA	TOTAL PRIVATE	72,400	33.6	19.74	663.26	72,100	33.9	18.99	643.76	71,700	33.8	18.99	641.86
KANSAS CITY MSA	TOTAL PRIVATE	958,000	34.8	27.06	941.69	958,900	35.0	27.21	952.4	945,600	34.4	27.33	940.15
ST. JOSEPH MSA	TOTAL PRIVATE	54,000	36.3	22.20	805.86	53,800	36.6	22.18	811.79	52,900	36.3	21.10	765.93
ST. LOUIS MSA	TOTAL PRIVATE	1,245,900	33.7	27.76	935.51	1,246,500	34.2	27.67	946.31	1,237,000	33.8	26.06	880.83
SPRINGFIELD MSA	TOTAL PRIVATE	188,100	33.7	21.76	733.31	186,200	34.4	21.70	746.48	183,600	33.0	21.34	704.22
KANSAS CITY MSA (Missouri part)	TOTAL PRIVATE	525,500	34.8	25.75	896.10	527,600	35.0	26.03	911.05	520,300	33.7	27.27	919.00

* Hours and earnings estimates are produced for all employees in the private sector, for production employees in Manufacturing and Mining and logging, for construction workers in Construction, and for nonsupervisory workers in private, service-providing industries. The estimates are derived from reports of gross payrolls and corresponding paid hours. The payroll for employees covered by the CES survey is reported before deductions of any kind, such as unemployment insurance, withholding and social security taxes, health plans, union dues, or retirement plans. Included in the payroll reports is pay for overtime, vacations, holidays and sick leave paid directly by the firm. Bonuses, commissions, and other types of non-wage cash payments are excluded unless they are earned and paid regularly (at least once a month). Employee benefits paid by the employer, as well as payments in kind, are excluded.

Total hours during the pay period include all hours worked (including overtime hours), and hours paid for holidays, vacations, and sick leave. Total hours differ from the concept of scheduled hours worked. Estimates of average weekly hours reflect effects of numerous factors such as unpaid absenteeism, labor turnover, part-time work, strikes, and fluctuations in work schedules for economic reasons. Overtime hours in Manufacturing are collected where overtime premiums were paid if hours were in excess of the number of straight time hours in a workday or workweek.

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† Some Metropolitan Area hours and earnings data have been suppressed due to a processing error in the calculation of the estimates that was discovered.

It is anticipated that the estimates will be corrected and released as part of the annual benchmark release.

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AVERAGE WEEKLY HOURS AND EARNINGS OF PRODUCTION AND NONSUPERVISORY EMPLOYEES ON PRIVATE NONFARM PAYROLLS (NOT SEASONALLY ADJUSTED)

AREA	INDUSTRY	CURRENT MONTH - NOVEMBER 2018				PREVIOUS MONTH - OCTOBER 2018				YEAR AGO - NOVEMBER 2017			
		All Production/ Nonsupervisory Employees	Average Weekly Hours	Average Hourly Earnings (\$)	Average Weekly Earnings (\$)	All Production/ Nonsupervisory Employees	Average Weekly Hours	Average Hourly Earnings (\$)	Average Weekly Earnings (\$)	All Production/ Nonsupervisory Employees	Average Weekly Hours	Average Hourly Earnings (\$)	Average Weekly Earnings (\$)
MISSOURI	CONSTRUCTION	89,400	34.4	28.57	982.81	95,100	37.1	28.93	1,073.30	96,700	36.7	28.24	1,036.41
	Construction of Buildings	20,000	32.7	30.41	994.41	20,500	37.6	31.70	1,191.92	20,200	37.9	29.13	1,104.03
	Specialty Trade Contractors	58,300	35.1	28.17	988.77	61,000	37.7	28.21	1,063.52	62,600	36.7	28.63	1,050.72
	MANUFACTURING	190,600	40.7	22.04	897.03	190,600	41.3	21.62	892.91	186,000	42.5	23.11	982.18
	Durable Goods	105,100	42.6	23.54	1,002.80	106,600	42.2	22.80	962.16	102,600	43.3	22.52	975.12
	Nondurable Goods	85,500	38.4	19.99	767.62	84,000	40.2	20.04	805.61	83,400	41.5	23.86	990.19
	TRADE, TRANSPORTATION & UTILITIES												
	Wholesale Trade	98,800	37.2	23.74	883.13	98,000	36.6	24.60	900.36	97,800	38.4	23.46	900.86
	Merchant wholesalers durable goods	49,000	38.7	24.97	966.34	48,100	37.8	25.40	960.12	49,300	40.2	23.35	938.67
	Retail Trade	282,700	30.4	14.77	449.01	275,400	30.5	14.72	448.96	280,100	29.2	14.98	437.42
	INFORMATION	41,500	34.3	23.94	821.14	41,900	34.8	23.70	824.76	41,100	37.7	23.07	869.74
	FINANCIAL ACTIVITIES	140,000				140,100				139,400			
	ST. LOUIS MSA	MINING, LOGGING, & CONSTRUCTION	47,400	31.3	33.10	1,036.03	50,400	36.7	33.17	1,217.34	53,000	36.7	29.77
MANUFACTURING		74,600	40.8	23.88	974.30	75,400	41.0	23.21	951.61	70,900	42.0	24.96	1,048.32
Durable Goods		44,400	42.5	25.16	1,069.30	45,100	42.1	24.13	1,015.87	39,700	44.7	25.53	1,141.19
Nondurable Goods		30,200	38.2	21.78	832.00	30,300	39.2	21.73	851.82	31,200	38.6	24.12	931.03
TRADE, TRANSPORTATION & UTILITIES		226,100	33.5	20.74	694.79	219,700	33.8	20.44	690.87	224,400	33.0	19.02	627.66
Wholesale Trade		55,200	38.1	26.49	1,009.27	53,800	37.7	26.64	1,004.33	52,100	38.1	23.56	897.64
Merchant wholesalers durable goods		30,200	37.5	25.49	955.88	29,700	36.3	25.17	913.67	28,700	37.5	23.69	888.38
Retail Trade		126,200	29.9	15.44	461.66	122,200	30.2	15.12	456.62	126,600	29.2	14.78	431.58
Transportation, Warehousing, Utilities		44,700	38.1	25.37	966.60	43,700	39.3	24.56	965.21	45,700	37.5	22.92	859.50
FINANCIAL ACTIVITIES		70,400	37.1	23.17	859.61	70,700	37.7	22.73	856.92	70,900	37.3	24.75	923.18
SPRINGFIELD MSA	Retail Trade	24,000	31.9	14.47	461.59	23,300	31.5	14.04	442.26	22,500	31.5	15.05	474.08
KANSAS CITY MSA (Missouri part)	TRADE, TRANSPORTATION & UTILITIES	97,100	31.1	19.45	604.90	95,600	31.2	19.21	599.35	98,200	31.3	20.37	637.58
	Wholesale Trade	19,900	37.9	23.30	883.07	20,100	39.0	23.19	904.41	21,000	36.8	23.76	874.37
	Retail Trade	56,000	29.0	15.82	458.78	55,100	28.8	15.42	444.10	57,000	29.5	15.42	454.89

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† Some Metropolitan Area hours and earnings data have been suppressed due to a processing error in the calculation of the estimates that was discovered.

It is anticipated that the estimates will be corrected and released as part of the annual benchmark release.

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U.S. (000 - not seasonally adjusted)	162,665	157,015	5,650	3.5	162,723	156,952	5,771	3.5	160,466	154,180	6,286	3.9
MISSOURI (not seasonally adjusted)	3,045,706	2,968,995	76,711	2.5	3,069,723	2,998,537	71,186	2.3	3,031,261	2,937,063	94,198	3.1
<u>METROPOLITAN AREAS</u>												
CAPE GIRARDEAU	48,589	47,425	1,164	2.4	48,620	47,554	1,066	2.2	48,020	46,556	1,464	3.0
CAPE GIRARDEAU (MO PT)	46,349	45,339	1,010	2.2	46,394	45,472	922	2.0	45,830	44,531	1,299	2.8
Bollinger	5,455	5,302	153	2.8	5,455	5,320	135	2.5	5,403	5,212	191	3.5
Cape Girardeau	40,894	40,037	857	2.1	40,939	40,152	787	1.9	40,427	39,319	1,108	2.7
COLUMBIA MSA (Boone Co.)	99,098	97,352	1,746	1.8	99,305	97,744	1,561	1.6	98,465	96,245	2,220	2.3
JEFFERSON CITY MSA	73,628	72,131	1,497	2.0	74,543	73,176	1,367	1.8	73,881	71,968	1,913	2.6
Callaway	21,122	20,657	465	2.2	21,370	20,956	414	1.9	21,200	20,611	589	2.8
Cole	38,250	37,496	754	2.0	38,754	38,060	694	1.8	38,357	37,418	939	2.4
Moniteau	7,242	7,078	164	2.3	7,315	7,164	151	2.1	7,271	7,058	213	2.9
Osage	7,014	6,900	114	1.6	7,104	6,996	108	1.5	7,053	6,881	172	2.4
JOPLIN MSA	84,581	82,657	1,924	2.3	85,039	83,274	1,765	2.1	84,349	81,957	2,392	2.8
Jasper	56,831	55,551	1,280	2.3	57,139	55,972	1,167	2.0	56,663	55,080	1,583	2.8
Newton	27,750	27,106	644	2.3	27,900	27,302	598	2.1	27,686	26,877	809	2.9
KANSAS CITY MSA	1,138,342	1,107,362	30,980	2.7	1,147,831	1,116,964	30,867	2.7	1,125,441	1,089,858	35,583	3.2
KANSAS CITY MSA (MO PT)	663,063	645,678	17,385	2.6	670,649	653,980	16,669	2.5	656,803	635,584	21,219	3.2
Bates	8,108	7,888	220	2.7	8,199	7,982	217	2.6	8,056	7,770	286	3.6
Caldwell	4,455	4,356	99	2.2	4,491	4,407	84	1.9	4,421	4,292	129	2.9
Cass	54,733	53,462	1,271	2.3	55,383	54,149	1,234	2.2	54,192	52,632	1,560	2.9
Clay	134,803	131,859	2,944	2.2	136,334	133,535	2,799	2.1	133,442	129,790	3,652	2.7
Clinton	11,023	10,797	226	2.1	11,139	10,923	216	1.9	10,959	10,631	328	3.0
Jackson	364,438	353,655	10,783	3.0	368,666	358,292	10,374	2.8	361,069	348,112	12,957	3.6
Lafayette	17,254	16,844	410	2.4	17,417	17,036	381	2.2	17,097	16,586	511	3.0
Platte	57,116	55,969	1,147	2.0	57,786	56,674	1,112	1.9	56,524	55,091	1,433	2.5
Ray	11,133	10,848	285	2.6	11,234	10,982	252	2.2	11,043	10,680	363	3.3
ST. JOSEPH MSA	65,746	64,263	1,483	2.3	66,099	64,715	1,384	2.1	64,820	63,026	1,794	2.8
ST. JOSEPH MSA (MO PT)	61,422	60,060	1,362	2.2	61,766	60,506	1,260	2.0	60,566	58,903	1,663	2.7
Andrew	9,963	9,773	190	1.9	10,036	9,851	185	1.8	9,834	9,589	245	2.5
Buchanan	46,420	45,360	1,060	2.3	46,671	45,698	973	2.1	45,748	44,478	1,270	2.8
DeKalb	5,039	4,927	112	2.2	5,059	4,957	102	2.0	4,984	4,836	148	3.0
ST. LOUIS MSA	1,461,917	1,419,060	42,857	2.9	1,473,229	1,432,234	40,995	2.8	1,451,968	1,404,494	47,474	3.3
ST. LOUIS MSA (MO PT)	1,112,384	1,085,106	27,278	2.5	1,121,929	1,096,334	25,595	2.3	1,109,807	1,076,839	32,968	3.0
Franklin	52,023	50,746	1,277	2.5	52,388	51,266	1,122	2.1	52,005	50,357	1,648	3.2
Jefferson	116,169	113,340	2,829	2.4	117,143	114,569	2,574	2.2	115,884	112,478	3,406	2.9
Lincoln	26,921	26,207	714	2.7	27,105	26,466	639	2.4	26,832	26,006	826	3.1
St. Charles	219,600	215,064	4,536	2.1	221,408	217,179	4,229	1.9	218,866	213,425	5,441	2.5
St. Louis Co.	525,802	512,938	12,864	2.4	530,500	518,326	12,174	2.3	524,432	509,031	15,401	2.9
Warren	17,275	16,893	382	2.2	17,399	17,063	336	1.9	17,235	16,764	471	2.7
St. Louis City	154,594	149,918	4,676	3.0	155,986	151,465	4,521	2.9	154,553	148,778	5,775	3.7
SPRINGFIELD MSA	231,508	226,556	4,952	2.1	231,526	227,016	4,510	1.9	227,831	221,629	6,202	2.7
Christian	43,570	42,717	853	2.0	43,606	42,831	775	1.8	42,881	41,789	1,092	2.5
Dallas	6,955	6,741	214	3.1	6,939	6,752	187	2.7	6,888	6,601	287	4.2
Greene	149,823	146,780	3,043	2.0	149,849	147,029	2,820	1.9	147,329	143,552	3,777	2.6
Polk	14,240	13,840	400	2.8	14,261	13,893	368	2.6	14,043	13,556	487	3.5
Webster	16,920	16,478	442	2.6	16,871	16,511	360	2.1	16,690	16,131	559	3.3
FAYETTEVILLE MSA (MO PT - McDonald Co)	10,701	10,465	236	2.2	10,775	10,547	228	2.1	10,588	10,262	326	3.1

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Taney	26,018	25,266	752	2.9	26,251	25,555	696	2.7	26,464	25,491	973	3.7
FARMINGTON (St. Francois Co.)	25,886	25,115	771	3.0	26,026	25,345	681	2.6	25,991	25,047	944	3.6
FT. LEONARD WOOD (Pulaski Co.)	14,171	13,734	437	3.1	14,242	13,835	407	2.9	14,142	13,594	548	3.9
HANNIBAL	19,829	19,373	456	2.3	19,732	19,296	436	2.2	20,026	19,462	564	2.8
Marion	14,285	13,964	321	2.2	14,224	13,908	316	2.2	14,448	14,031	417	2.9
Ralls	5,544	5,409	135	2.4	5,508	5,388	120	2.2	5,578	5,431	147	2.6
KENNETT (Dunklin Co.)	11,999	11,506	493	4.1	12,035	11,564	471	3.9	12,029	11,424	605	5.0
KIRKSVILLE	12,721	12,388	333	2.6	12,740	12,442	298	2.3	12,036	11,611	425	3.5
Adair	10,762	10,493	269	2.5	10,790	10,540	250	2.3	10,181	9,820	361	3.5
Schuyler	1,959	1,895	64	3.3	1,950	1,902	48	2.5	1,855	1,791	64	3.5
LEBANON (Laclede Co.)	16,240	15,768	472	2.9	16,343	15,926	417	2.6	16,096	15,268	828	5.1
MARSHALL (Saline Co.)	10,491	10,243	248	2.4	10,537	10,311	226	2.1	10,397	10,092	305	2.9
MARYVILLE (Nodaway Co.)	10,457	10,234	223	2.1	10,520	10,318	202	1.9	10,394	10,099	295	2.8
MEXICO (Audrain Co.)	10,753	10,489	264	2.5	10,722	10,494	228	2.1	10,985	10,640	345	3.1
MOBERLY (Randolph Co.)	10,085	9,760	325	3.2	10,090	9,830	260	2.6	10,014	9,649	365	3.6
POPLAR BLUFF (Butler Co.)	17,575	16,958	617	3.5	17,695	17,108	587	3.3	17,733	17,068	665	3.8
ROLLA (Phelps Co.)	19,331	18,852	479	2.5	19,439	19,019	420	2.2	19,158	18,536	622	3.2
SEDALIA (Pettis Co.)	20,042	19,531	511	2.5	20,287	19,780	507	2.5	20,297	19,556	741	3.7
SIKESTON (Scott Co.)	19,784	19,222	562	2.8	19,871	19,387	484	2.4	19,544	18,836	708	3.6
WARRENSBURG (Johnson Co.)	22,659	22,009	650	2.9	22,869	22,290	579	2.5	23,221	22,326	895	3.9
WEST PLAINS (Howell Co.)	15,664	15,191	473	3.0	15,928	15,361	567	3.6	15,143	14,557	586	3.9
FT MADISON-KEOKUK IA-MO(MO PT - Clark Co.)	3,125	3,035	90	2.9	3,138	3,061	77	2.5	3,098	2,963	135	4.4
QUINCY IL-MO (MO PT - Lewis Co.)	5,066	4,946	120	2.4	5,105	4,991	114	2.2	5,045	4,906	139	2.8
COMBINED STATISTICAL AREAS (CSAs)												
Cape Girardeau-Sikeston CSA ¹	68,373	66,647	1,726	2.5	68,491	66,941	1,550	2.3	67,564	65,392	2,172	3.2
Columbia-Moberly-Mexico CSA ²	119,936	117,601	2,335	1.9	120,117	118,068	2,049	1.7	119,464	116,534	2,930	2.5
Joplin-Miami CSA ³	98,927	96,574	2,353	2.4	99,534	97,309	2,225	2.2	98,797	95,822	2,975	3.0
Kansas City-Overland Park- KC KS CSA ⁴	1,315,463	1,279,906	35,557	2.7	1,325,592	1,290,300	35,292	2.7	1,301,212	1,260,363	40,849	3.1
St. Louis-St. Charles-Farmington CSA ⁵	1,505,699	1,461,232	44,467	3.0	1,517,277	1,474,777	42,500	2.8	1,495,598	1,446,383	49,215	3.3
Springfield-Branson CSA ⁶	270,850	264,729	6,121	2.3	271,217	265,641	5,576	2.1	267,801	260,132	7,669	2.9
SINGLE COUNTY LMAs												
Atchison	2,726	2,676	50	1.8	2,752	2,702	50	1.8	2,784	2,711	73	2.6
Barry	15,330	14,958	372	2.4	15,395	15,071	324	2.1	14,991	14,559	432	2.9
Barton	5,101	4,970	131	2.6	5,165	5,037	128	2.5	4,984	4,824	160	3.2
Benton	6,996	6,750	246	3.5	7,078	6,857	221	3.1	7,052	6,736	316	4.5
Camden	17,529	16,890	639	3.6	18,033	17,530	503	2.8	17,771	17,007	764	4.3
Carroll	4,700	4,595	105	2.2	4,721	4,626	95	2.0	4,637	4,483	154	3.3
Carter	2,375	2,285	90	3.8	2,399	2,321	78	3.3	2,376	2,254	122	5.1
Cedar	5,540	5,393	147	2.7	5,590	5,462	128	2.3	5,572	5,386	186	3.3
Chariton	3,752	3,668	84	2.2	3,774	3,690	84	2.2	3,795	3,682	113	3.0
Cooper	7,395	7,203	192	2.6	7,443	7,273	170	2.3	7,330	7,108	222	3.0
Crawford	10,548	10,195	353	3.3	10,621	10,340	281	2.6	10,409	10,006	403	3.9
Dade	3,567	3,481	86	2.4	3,553	3,479	74	2.1	3,561	3,466	95	2.7
Daviess	4,050	3,959	91	2.2	4,073	3,994	79	1.9	4,014	3,922	92	2.3
Dent	6,069	5,896	173	2.9	6,147	5,997	150	2.4	5,971	5,757	214	3.6

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Douglas	4,897	4,711	186	3.8	4,886	4,747	139	2.8	4,922	4,733	189	3.8
Gasconade	7,637	7,463	174	2.3	7,781	7,600	181	2.3	7,708	7,411	297	3.9
Gentry	3,547	3,489	58	1.6	3,570	3,514	56	1.6	3,538	3,455	83	2.3
Grundy	4,584	4,459	125	2.7	4,610	4,500	110	2.4	4,745	4,607	138	2.9
Harrison	3,811	3,731	80	2.1	3,832	3,748	84	2.2	3,864	3,759	105	2.7
Henry	9,524	9,248	276	2.9	9,633	9,353	280	2.9	9,510	9,204	306	3.2
Hickory	3,707	3,582	125	3.4	3,771	3,651	120	3.2	3,593	3,445	148	4.1
Holt	2,672	2,629	43	1.6	2,693	2,655	38	1.4	2,645	2,593	52	2.0
Howard	4,964	4,861	103	2.1	4,975	4,888	87	1.7	5,000	4,850	150	3.0
Iron	3,440	3,275	165	4.8	3,426	3,298	128	3.7	3,419	3,237	182	5.3
Knox	1,948	1,909	39	2.0	1,961	1,925	36	1.8	1,935	1,889	46	2.4
Lawrence	17,835	17,403	432	2.4	17,920	17,553	367	2.0	17,509	16,978	531	3.0
Linn	5,104	4,929	175	3.4	5,170	4,999	171	3.3	5,186	4,904	282	5.4
Livingston	7,354	7,203	151	2.1	7,382	7,246	136	1.8	7,164	6,985	179	2.5
Macon	7,480	7,306	174	2.3	7,540	7,384	156	2.1	7,388	7,175	213	2.9
Madison	5,303	5,138	165	3.1	5,336	5,200	136	2.5	5,265	5,065	200	3.8
Maries	3,839	3,739	100	2.6	3,872	3,774	98	2.5	3,834	3,690	144	3.8
Mercer	1,949	1,904	45	2.3	1,956	1,916	40	2.0	1,951	1,895	56	2.9
Miller	11,667	11,336	331	2.8	11,838	11,570	268	2.3	11,680	11,236	444	3.8
Mississippi	5,849	5,677	172	2.9	5,891	5,727	164	2.8	5,858	5,636	222	3.8
Monroe	3,861	3,762	99	2.6	3,890	3,799	91	2.3	3,909	3,774	135	3.5
Montgomery	5,561	5,425	136	2.4	5,620	5,500	120	2.1	5,489	5,329	160	2.9
Morgan	7,672	7,404	268	3.5	7,783	7,559	224	2.9	7,617	7,302	315	4.1
New Madrid	7,681	7,370	311	4.0	7,699	7,420	279	3.6	7,732	7,357	375	4.8
Oregon	3,920	3,817	103	2.6	3,976	3,851	125	3.1	3,942	3,803	139	3.5
Ozark	3,417	3,256	161	4.7	3,463	3,310	153	4.4	3,458	3,308	150	4.3
Pemiscot	6,110	5,855	255	4.2	6,139	5,901	238	3.9	6,276	5,895	381	6.1
Perry	9,997	9,795	202	2.0	10,056	9,887	169	1.7	9,924	9,693	231	2.3
Pike	7,648	7,428	220	2.9	7,669	7,473	196	2.6	7,838	7,613	225	2.9
Putnam	2,450	2,373	77	3.1	2,433	2,378	55	2.3	2,354	2,283	71	3.0
Reynolds	2,941	2,852	89	3.0	3,010	2,944	66	2.2	2,971	2,871	100	3.4
Ripley	4,976	4,763	213	4.3	5,020	4,833	187	3.7	5,036	4,816	220	4.4
St. Clair	3,635	3,517	118	3.2	3,657	3,535	122	3.3	3,703	3,556	147	4.0
Ste. Genevieve	8,918	8,731	187	2.1	9,018	8,842	176	2.0	8,876	8,628	248	2.8
Scotland	2,338	2,288	50	2.1	2,371	2,324	47	2.0	2,372	2,311	61	2.6
Shannon	3,113	2,977	136	4.4	3,181	3,057	124	3.9	3,074	2,916	158	5.1
Shelby	2,995	2,934	61	2.0	3,013	2,956	57	1.9	3,015	2,939	76	2.5
Stoddard	12,769	12,298	471	3.7	12,825	12,416	409	3.2	12,856	12,319	537	4.2
Sullivan	2,733	2,665	68	2.5	2,758	2,687	71	2.6	2,691	2,604	87	3.2
Texas	8,822	8,494	328	3.7	8,920	8,651	269	3.0	9,184	8,793	391	4.3
Vernon	9,478	9,221	257	2.7	9,533	9,314	219	2.3	9,450	9,158	292	3.1
Washington	9,943	9,577	366	3.7	10,018	9,710	308	3.1	10,002	9,587	415	4.1
Wayne	5,378	5,169	209	3.9	5,442	5,244	198	3.6	5,362	5,148	214	4.0
Worth	1,177	1,158	19	1.6	1,184	1,164	20	1.7	1,150	1,126	24	2.1
Wright	7,427	7,085	342	4.6	7,317	7,121	196	2.7	7,582	7,232	350	4.6

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PLACES OF 20,000 OR MORE												
Arnold	11,555	11,288	267	2.3	11,643	11,411	232	2.0	11,523	11,202	321	2.8
Ballwin	16,891	16,581	310	1.8	17,037	16,755	282	1.7	16,845	16,455	390	2.3
Belton	11,616	11,308	308	2.7	11,749	11,453	296	2.5	11,505	11,132	373	3.2
Blue Springs	30,871	30,092	779	2.5	31,231	30,487	744	2.4	30,540	29,620	920	3.0
Cape Girardeau	20,096	19,657	439	2.2	20,113	19,714	399	2.0	19,907	19,305	602	3.0
Chesterfield	24,811	24,322	489	2.0	25,039	24,577	462	1.8	24,725	24,136	589	2.4
Columbia	67,717	66,524	1,193	1.8	67,842	66,792	1,050	1.5	67,311	65,767	1,544	2.3
Ferguson	9,705	9,331	374	3.9	9,797	9,429	368	3.8	9,671	9,260	411	4.2
Florissant	27,921	27,153	768	2.8	28,193	27,438	755	2.7	27,841	26,946	895	3.2
Gladstone	14,861	14,494	367	2.5	15,023	14,678	345	2.3	14,721	14,266	455	3.1
Grandview	13,448	13,002	446	3.3	13,605	13,173	432	3.2	13,308	12,799	509	3.8
Hazelwood	13,681	13,305	376	2.7	13,822	13,445	377	2.7	13,648	13,204	444	3.3
Independence	58,275	56,517	1,758	3.0	58,967	57,258	1,709	2.9	57,825	55,631	2,194	3.8
Jefferson City	20,354	19,930	424	2.1	20,631	20,230	401	1.9	20,451	19,889	562	2.7
Joplin	25,685	25,096	589	2.3	25,848	25,285	563	2.2	25,600	24,884	716	2.8
Kansas City	259,092	251,669	7,423	2.9	262,015	254,925	7,090	2.7	256,622	247,722	8,900	3.5
Kirkwood	15,750	15,457	293	1.9	15,898	15,620	278	1.7	15,683	15,339	344	2.2
Lee's Summit	55,231	54,051	1,180	2.1	55,932	54,760	1,172	2.1	54,583	53,204	1,379	2.5
Liberty	16,228	15,912	316	1.9	16,443	16,114	329	2.0	16,090	15,662	428	2.7
Maryland Heights	16,058	15,713	345	2.1	16,210	15,878	332	2.0	15,984	15,593	391	2.4
Nixa	11,212	10,986	226	2.0	11,231	11,016	215	1.9	11,001	10,748	253	2.3
O'Fallon	48,362	47,397	965	2.0	48,768	47,863	905	1.9	48,187	47,036	1,151	2.4
Raymore	11,383	11,109	274	2.4	11,505	11,252	253	2.2	11,220	10,937	283	2.5
Raytown	15,420	14,891	529	3.4	15,573	15,087	486	3.1	15,326	14,658	668	4.4
Rolla	8,163	7,960	203	2.5	8,214	8,030	184	2.2	8,102	7,826	276	3.4
St. Charles	38,308	37,425	883	2.3	38,627	37,793	834	2.2	38,204	37,140	1,064	2.8
St. Joseph	39,127	38,200	927	2.4	39,337	38,485	852	2.2	38,521	37,457	1,064	2.8
St. Peters	34,031	33,342	689	2.0	34,310	33,670	640	1.9	33,900	33,088	812	2.4
Sedalia	9,988	9,699	289	2.9	10,103	9,822	281	2.8	10,130	9,711	419	4.1
Springfield	86,754	84,919	1,835	2.1	86,780	85,064	1,716	2.0	85,286	83,052	2,234	2.6
University City	18,633	18,162	471	2.5	18,815	18,353	462	2.5	18,559	18,024	535	2.9
Warrensburg	8,990	8,756	234	2.6	9,088	8,867	221	2.4	9,238	8,882	356	3.9
Webster Groves	12,616	12,398	218	1.7	12,742	12,528	214	1.7	12,592	12,303	289	2.3
Wentzville	20,163	19,749	414	2.1	20,329	19,943	386	1.9	20,076	19,598	478	2.4
Wildwood	19,012	18,651	361	1.9	19,172	18,847	325	1.7	18,966	18,509	457	2.4

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3 The Joplin-Miami CSA consists of the Joplin MSA plus the Miami OK Micropolitan Area

4 The Kansas City-Overland Park-Kansas City CSA consists of the Kansas City MSA plus the St. Joseph (MO) and Lawrence (KS) MSA's plus the Warrensburg (MO), Atchison (KS) and Ottawa (KS) Micropolitan Areas

5 The St. Louis-St. Charles-Farmington CSA consists of the St. Louis MSA plus the Farmington (MO) and Centralia (IL) Micropolitan Areas.

6 The Springfield-Branson CSA consists of the Springfield MSA plus the Branson Micropolitan Area

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