



EMPLOYMENT TRENDS

DECEMBER 2016



Suffolk Labor Force¹

	Nov 16	Oct 16	Nov 15
Civilian Labor Force (000)	773.4	777.3	775.5
Employment (000)	741.4	744.6	742.5
Unemployment (000)	32.0	32.7	33.0
Unemployment Rate (%)	4.1	4.2	4.3

Township Unemployment Rate (%)

Township	Nov 16	Oct 16	Nov 15
Babylon	4.4	4.7	4.6
Brookhaven	4.2	4.3	4.2
Huntington	3.7	3.8	3.6
Islip	4.1	4.2	4.2
Lindenhurst Village	4.0	4.4	4.0
Riverhead	4.3	4.2	4.9
Smithtown	3.6	3.8	3.7
Southampton	4.7	4.0	5.0

Non-farm Employment (Long Island in thousands)²

Category	Nov 16	Oct 16	Nov 15
Total	1,340.8	1,339.6	1,326.8
Natural Resources, Mining & Construction	76.8	79.4	76.0
Manufacturing	71.3	72.0	72.5
Wholesale Trade	70.7	70.5	71.2
Retail Trade	164.3	160.2	164.9
Transportation, Warehousing & Utilities	45.0	44.0	42.9
Information	19.6	19.5	20.1
Financial Activities	72.5	72.5	73.3
Professional & Business Services	176.3	174.5	174.3
Education & Health Services	265.1	263.2	254.5
Leisure & Hospitality	120.4	126.5	119.6
Other Services	59.2	58.8	57.6
Government	199.6	198.5	199.9

Regional Economic Trends

Metric	Nov 16	Oct 16	Nov 15
Unemployment Rate NY State (%)	5.1	5.2	4.9
Unemployment Rate NY City (%)	5.7	5.9	5.2
Unemployment Rate Nassau Co (%)	3.7	4.0	3.8
Consumer Price Index NY Area (1982-84:100)	265.2	264.7	261.0

National Economic Trends

Metric	Nov 16	Oct 16	Nov 15
Unemployment Rate (%) ³	4.6	4.9	5.0
Consumer Price Index (1982-84:100)	241.3	241.7	237.3

Notes: (1) By place of residence. (2) By place of business. (3) Seasonally adjusted; civilian labor force.

Sources: U.S. Department of Labor and N.Y.S. Department of Labor.

TRENDS: From www.labor.ny.gov

Unemployment in Suffolk County in November was 4.1%, down from 4.2% in October and down from 4.3% in November 2015. The Nassau Suffolk area unemployment rate in November was 4.0%, down from 4.1% in October. The area's unemployment rate in November 2015 was 4.1%.

Nassau/Suffolk November 2015/2016 Change in Nonfarm and Private Sector Jobs*

Nonfarm	Private Sector
+14,000/+1.1%	+14,300/+1.3%

*not seasonally adjusted/includes government jobs



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EMPLOYMENT TRENDS

NOVEMBER 2016



Suffolk Labor Force¹

	Oct 16	Sept 16	Oct 15
Civilian Labor Force (000)	776.6	777.7	775.6
Employment (000)	743.8	744.4	742.5
Unemployment (000)	32.8	33.3	33.1
Unemployment Rate (%)	4.2	4.3	4.3

Township Unemployment Rate (%)

Township	Oct 16	Sept 16	Oct 15
Babylon	4.7	4.7	4.7
Brookhaven	4.3	4.4	4.3
Huntington	3.8	3.9	3.8
Islip	4.2	4.3	4.3
Lindenhurst Village	4.4	4.5	4.2
Riverhead	4.1	4.5	4.6
Smithtown	3.8	4.0	3.9
Southampton	4.0	4.0	4.2

Non-farm Employment (Long Island in thousands)²

Category	Oct 16	Sept 16	Oct 15
Total	1,339.3	1,327.2	1,327.6
Natural Resources, Mining & Construction	79.4	81.6	77.5
Manufacturing	72.0	71.6	72.6
Wholesale Trade	70.8	68.8	70.3
Retail Trade	160.0	156.5	162.2
Transportation, Warehousing & Utilities	44.0	44.4	41.9
Information	19.5	19.6	20.0
Financial Activities	73.6	73.6	74.3
Professional & Business Services	174.2	173.8	176.4
Education & Health Services	262.5	258.2	251.8
Leisure & Hospitality	126.0	130.0	124.2
Other Services	58.8	58.9	57.9
Government	198.5	190.2	198.5

Regional Economic Trends

Metric	Oct 16	Sept 16	Oct 15
Unemployment Rate NY State (%)	5.2	5.0	4.9
Unemployment Rate NY City (%)	5.9	5.8	5.1
Unemployment Rate Nassau Co (%)	4.0	4.1	4.0
Consumer Price Index NY Area (1982-84:100)	264.7	264.6	261.5

National Economic Trends

Metric	Oct 16	Sept 16	Oct 15
Unemployment Rate (%) ³	4.9	5.0	5.0
Consumer Price Index (1982-84:100)	241.7	241.4	237.8

Notes: (1) By place of residence. (2) By place of business. (3) Seasonally adjusted; civilian labor force.

Sources: U.S. Department of Labor and N.Y.S. Department of Labor.

TRENDS: From www.labor.ny.gov

Unemployment in Suffolk County in October was 4.2%, down from 4.3% in September and down from 4.3% in October 2015. The Nassau Suffolk area unemployment rate in October was 4.1%, down from 4.2% in September. The area's unemployment rate in October 2015 was 4.1%.

Nassau/Suffolk October 2015/2016 Change in Nonfarm and Private Sector Jobs*

Nonfarm	Private Sector
+11,700/+0.9%	+11,700/+1.0%

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EMPLOYMENT TRENDS

OCTOBER 2016



Suffolk Labor Force¹

	Sept 16	Aug 16	Sept 15
Civilian Labor Force (000)	777.6	788.0	771.5
Employment (000)	744.3	754.4	737.1
Unemployment (000)	33.3	33.6	34.5
Unemployment Rate (%)	4.3	4.3	4.5

Township Unemployment Rate (%)

Township	Sept 16	Aug 16	Sept 15
Babylon	4.7	4.8	5.1
Brookhaven	4.4	4.5	4.5
Huntington	3.9	3.6	4.1
Islip	4.3	4.4	4.5
Lindenhurst Village	4.5	4.6	4.6
Riverhead	4.5	4.1	4.4
Smithtown	4.0	3.6	4.1
Southampton	4.0	3.6	3.8

Non-farm Employment (Long Island in thousands)²

Category	Sept 16	Aug 16	Sept 15
Total	1,327.1	1,330.6	1,312.5
Natural Resources, Mining & Construction	81.6	82.2	76.3
Manufacturing	71.6	71.6	71.9
Wholesale Trade	69.2	69.7	70.7
Retail Trade	156.5	158.6	161.5
Transportation, Warehousing & Utilities	44.5	40.4	42.2
Information	19.5	19.8	19.8
Financial Activities	73.5	74.0	73.4
Professional & Business Services	174.0	176.9	175.1
Education & Health Services	258.0	254.1	246.2
Leisure & Hospitality	129.6	138.7	126.6
Other Services	58.9	60.7	58.7
Government	190.2	183.9	190.1

Regional Economic Trends

Metric	Sept 16	Aug 16	Sept 15
Unemployment Rate NY State (%)	5.0	4.8	5.0
Unemployment Rate NY City (%)	5.8	5.4	5.2
Unemployment Rate Nassau Co (%)	4.1	3.8	4.2
Consumer Price Index NY Area (1982-84:100)	264.6	264.1	261.3

National Economic Trends

Metric	Sept 16	Aug 16	Sept 15
Unemployment Rate (%) ³	5.0	4.9	5.1
Consumer Price Index (1982-84:100)	241.4	240.8	237.9

Notes: (1) By place of residence. (2) By place of business. (3) Seasonally adjusted; civilian labor force.

Sources: U.S. Department of Labor and N.Y.S. Department of Labor.

TRENDS: From www.labor.ny.gov

Unemployment in Suffolk County in September was 4.3%, unchanged from 4.3% in August and down from 4.5% in September 2015. The Nassau Suffolk area unemployment rate in September was 4.2%, up from 4.1% in August. The area's unemployment rate in September 2015 was 4.3%.

Nassau/Suffolk September 2015/2016 Change in Nonfarm and Private Sector Jobs*

Nonfarm	Private Sector
+14,600/+1.1%	+14,500/+1.3%

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EMPLOYMENT TRENDS

SEPTEMBER 2016



Suffolk Labor Force¹

	Aug 16	July 16	Aug 15
Civilian Labor Force (000)	788.2	795.4	787.2
Employment (000)	754.6	760.7	750.5
Unemployment (000)	33.6	34.6	36.7
Unemployment Rate (%)	4.3	4.4	4.7

Township Unemployment Rate (%)

Township	Aug 16	July 16	Aug 15
Babylon	4.8	4.9	5.2
Brookhaven	4.5	4.6	5.0
Huntington	3.6	3.7	3.9
Islip	4.4	4.5	4.8
Lindenhurst Village	4.6	4.7	4.9
Riverhead	4.1	4.1	4.1
Smithtown	3.6	3.8	4.1
Southampton	3.6	3.7	3.8

Non-farm Employment (Long Island in thousands)²

Category	Aug 16	July 16	Aug 15
Total	1331.0	1340.7	1315.9
Natural Resources, Mining & Construction	84.4	84.0	77.8
Manufacturing	71.5	72.0	72.0
Wholesale Trade	69.2	70.0	71.3
Retail Trade	157.3	160.4	164.1
Transportation, Warehousing & Utilities	40.5	39.7	37.8
Information	19.9	20.0	20.1
Financial Activities	73.6	75.3	74.3
Professional & Business Services	177.7	176.1	176.2
Education & Health Services	253.9	253.4	244.9
Leisure & Hospitality	138.4	140.8	134.9
Other Services	60.7	60.5	58.7
Government	183.9	188.5	183.8

Regional Economic Trends

Metric	Aug 16	July 16	Aug 15
Unemployment Rate NY State (%)	4.8	4.7	5.0
Unemployment Rate NY City (%)	5.4	5.2	5.2
Unemployment Rate Nassau Co (%)	3.9	4.0	4.2
Consumer Price Index NY Area (1982-84:100)	264.3	263.8	261.3

National Economic Trends

Metric	Aug 16	July 16	Aug 15
Unemployment Rate (%) ³	4.9	4.9	5.1
Consumer Price Index (1982-84:100)	240.8	240.6	238.3

Notes: (1) By place of residence. (2) By place of business. (3) Seasonally adjusted; civilian labor force.

Sources: U.S. Department of Labor and N.Y.S. Department of Labor.

TRENDS: From www.labor.ny.gov

Unemployment in Suffolk County in August was 4.3%, down from 4.4% in July and down from 4.7% in August 2015. The Nassau Suffolk area unemployment rate in August was 4.1%, down from 4.2% in July. The area's unemployment rate in August 2015 was 4.5%.

Nassau/Suffolk August 2015/2016 Change in Nonfarm and Private Sector Jobs*

Nonfarm	Private Sector
+15,100/+1.1%	+15,000/+1.3%

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EMPLOYMENT TRENDS

AUGUST 2016



Suffolk Labor Force¹

	July 16	June 16	July 15
Civilian Labor Force (000)	795.2	791.7	793.5
Employment (000)	760.6	760.9	753.6
Unemployment (000)	34.7	30.9	39.9
Unemployment Rate (%)	4.4	3.9	5.0

Township Unemployment Rate (%)

Township	July 16	June 16	July 15
Babylon	4.9	4.4	5.6
Brookhaven	4.6	4.0	5.4
Huntington	3.7	3.4	4.3
Islip	4.5	4.0	5.1
Lindenhurst Village	4.7	4.1	5.3
Riverhead	4.1	3.7	4.5
Smithtown	3.8	3.5	4.5
Southampton	3.7	3.6	4.1

Non-farm Employment (Long Island in thousands)²

Category	July 16	June 16	July 15
Total	1,339.7	1,347.0	1,323.1
Natural Resources, Mining & Construction	83.9	79.8	77.3
Manufacturing	71.9	72.1	72.0
Wholesale Trade	69.9	70.3	71.5
Retail Trade	160.3	159.7	164.4
Transportation, Warehousing & Utilities	39.6	42.1	38.3
Information	20.0	20.0	20.5
Financial Activities	75.4	74.8	74.4
Professional & Business Services	175.7	176.7	176.8
Education & Health Services	253.4	254.9	245.5
Leisure & Hospitality	140.7	134.6	136.0
Other Services	60.4	60.4	58.6
Government	188.5	201.6	187.8

Regional Economic Trends

Metric	July 16	June 16	July 15
Unemployment Rate NY State (%)	4.7	4.7	5.1
Unemployment Rate NY City (%)	5.2	5.0	5.3
Unemployment Rate Nassau Co (%)	4.0	3.6	4.6
Consumer Price Index NY Area (1982-84:100)	263.8	264.0	261.1

National Economic Trends

Metric	July 16	June 16	July 15
Unemployment Rate (%) ³	4.9	4.9	5.3
Consumer Price Index (1982-84:100)	240.6	241.0	238.6

Notes: (1) By place of residence. (2) By place of business. (3) Seasonally adjusted; civilian labor force.

Sources: U.S. Department of Labor and N.Y.S. Department of Labor.

TRENDS: From www.labor.ny.gov

Unemployment in Suffolk County in July was 4.4%, up from 3.9% in June and down from 5.0% in July 2015. The Nassau Suffolk area unemployment rate in July was 4.2%, up from 3.8% in June. The area's unemployment rate in July 2015 was 4.8%.

Nassau/Suffolk July 2015/2016 Change in Nonfarm and Private Sector Jobs*

Nonfarm	Private Sector
+16,600/+1.3%	+15,900/+1.4%

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EMPLOYMENT TRENDS

JULY 2016



Suffolk Labor Force¹

	June 16	May 16	June 15
Civilian Labor Force (000)	791.2	782.5	791.0
Employment (000)	760.3	752.4	754.1
Unemployment (000)	30.9	30.0	36.9
Unemployment Rate (%)	3.9	3.8	4.7

Township Unemployment Rate (%)

Township	June 16	May 16	June 15
Babylon	4.4	4.2	5.1
Brookhaven	4.0	3.9	4.8
Huntington	3.4	3.4	4.2
Islip	4.0	3.9	4.7
Lindenhurst Village	4.2	3.8	4.8
Riverhead	3.7	3.9	4.3
Smithtown	3.5	3.4	4.3
Southampton	3.6	3.6	4.1

Non-farm Employment (Long Island in thousands)²

Category	June 16	May 16	June 15
Total	1,347.5	1,325.4	1,335.4
Natural Resources, Mining & Construction	79.9	76.9	76.7
Manufacturing	72.2	71.7	72.1
Wholesale Trade	70.3	70.1	71.2
Retail Trade	159.4	156.7	164.6
Transportation, Warehousing & Utilities	42.1	41.5	42.4
Information	20.1	18.1	20.3
Financial Activities	74.6	74.4	74.3
Professional & Business Services	176.6	172.8	175.9
Education & Health Services	255.2	258.4	246.9
Leisure & Hospitality	135.0	125.4	131.5
Other Services	60.5	59.1	59.4
Government	201.6	200.3	200.1

Regional Economic Trends

Metric	June 16	May 16	June 15
Unemployment Rate NY State (%)	4.7	4.7	5.2
Unemployment Rate NY City (%)	5.0	5.1	5.5
Unemployment Rate Nassau Co (%)	3.6	3.5	4.4
Consumer Price Index NY Area (1982-84:100)	264.0	263.3	261.5

National Economic Trends

Metric	June 16	May 16	June 15
Unemployment Rate (%) ³	4.9	4.7	5.3
Consumer Price Index (1982-84:100)	241.0	240.2	238.6

Notes: (1) By place of residence. (2) By place of business. (3) Seasonally adjusted; civilian labor force.

Sources: U.S. Department of Labor and N.Y.S. Department of Labor.

TRENDS: From www.labor.ny.gov

Unemployment in Suffolk County in June was 3.9%, up from 3.8% in May and down from 4.7% in June 2015. The Nassau Suffolk area unemployment rate in June was 3.8%, up from 3.7% in May. The area's unemployment rate in June 2015 was 4.5%.

Nassau/Suffolk June 2015/2016 Change in Nonfarm and Private Sector Jobs*

Nonfarm	Private Sector
+12,100/+0.9%	+10,600/+0.9%

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EMPLOYMENT TRENDS

JUNE 2016



Suffolk Labor Force¹

	May 16	Apr 16	May 15
Civilian Labor Force (000)	782.2	778.8	779.5
Employment (000)	752.1	746.7	742.7
Unemployment (000)	30.0	32.1	36.8
Unemployment Rate (%)	3.8	4.1	4.7

Township Unemployment Rate (%)

Township	May 16	Apr 16	May 15
Babylon	4.2	4.5	5.2
Brookhaven	3.9	4.1	4.8
Huntington	3.4	3.5	4.3
Islip	3.9	4.2	4.8
Lindenhurst Village	3.8	4.1	5.2
Riverhead	3.9	4.5	4.9
Smithtown	3.4	3.5	4.3
Southampton	3.7	4.6	4.5

Non-farm Employment (Long Island in thousands)²

Category	May 16	Apr 16	May 15
Total	1,324.4	1,313.8	1,320.0
Natural Resources, Mining & Construction	76.9	73.5	75.6
Manufacturing	71.8	71.8	71.6
Wholesale Trade	70.4	70.1	70.7
Retail Trade	155.9	154.7	161.5
Transportation, Warehousing & Utilities	41.6	41.0	42.0
Information	18.1	19.9	20.5
Financial Activities	74.2	74.3	73.2
Professional & Business Services	173.0	171.4	173.8
Education & Health Services	258.1	258.4	250.3
Leisure & Hospitality	125.1	120.3	124.1
Other Services	59.0	59.0	58.6
Government	200.3	199.4	198.1

Regional Economic Trends

Metric	May 16	Apr 16	May 15
Unemployment Rate NY State (%)	4.7	4.9	5.4
Unemployment Rate NY City (%)	5.1	5.4	5.7
Unemployment Rate Nassau Co (%)	3.5	3.7	4.4
Consumer Price Index NY Area (1982-84:100)	263.3	262.6	261.0

National Economic Trends

Metric	May 16	Apr 16	May 15
Unemployment Rate (%) ³	4.7	5.0	5.5
Consumer Price Index (1982-84:100)	240.2	239.2	237.8

Notes: (1) By place of residence. (2) By place of business. (3) Seasonally adjusted; civilian labor force.

Sources: U.S. Department of Labor and N.Y.S. Department of Labor.

TRENDS: From www.labor.ny.gov

Unemployment in Suffolk County in May was 3.8%, down from 4.1% in April and down from 4.7% in May 2015. The Nassau Suffolk area unemployment rate in May was 3.7%, down from 3.9% in April. The area's unemployment rate in May 2015 was 4.6%.

Nassau/Suffolk May 2015/2016 Change in Nonfarm and Private Sector Jobs*

Nonfarm	Private Sector
+4,400/+0.3%	+2,200/+0.2%

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EMPLOYMENT TRENDS

MAY 2016



Suffolk Labor Force¹

	Apr 16	Mar 16	Apr 15
Civilian Labor Force (000)	778.3	783.0	770.0
Employment (000)	746.2	747.9	734.1
Unemployment (000)	32.1	35.1	35.9
Unemployment Rate (%)	4.1	4.5	4.7

Township Unemployment Rate (%)

Township	Apr 16	Mar 16	Apr 15
Babylon	4.5	4.6	5.0
Brookhaven	4.1	4.3	4.6
Huntington	3.5	3.8	4.1
Islip	4.2	4.5	4.7
Lindenhurst Village	4.1	4.1	4.7
Riverhead	4.5	5.7	5.4
Smithtown	3.5	3.5	3.9
Southampton	4.7	6.0	5.2

Non-farm Employment (Long Island in thousands)²

Category	Apr 16	Mar 16	Apr 15
Total	1312.4	1,297.3	1297.7
Natural Resources, Mining & Construction	73.5	69.8	73.2
Manufacturing	71.9	72.1	71.3
Wholesale Trade	70.1	70.5	70.3
Retail Trade	154.4	154.4	158.6
Transportation, Warehousing & Utilities	40.9	40.9	40.9
Information	19.8	19.9	20.6
Financial Activities	74.2	74.3	72.8
Professional & Business Services	170.6	169.2	171.7
Education & Health Services	258.0	256.1	250.0
Leisure & Hospitality	120.6	115.6	114.5
Other Services	59.0	57.1	57.6
Government	199.4	198.5	196.2

Regional Economic Trends

Metric	Apr 16	Mar 16	Apr 15
Unemployment Rate NY State (%)	4.9	4.8	5.5
Unemployment Rate NY City (%)	5.4	5.5	5.9
Unemployment Rate Nassau Co (%)	3.7	3.9	4.2
Consumer Price Index NY Area (1982-84:100)	262.6	261.5	259.9

National Economic Trends

Metric	Apr 16	Mar 16	Apr 15
Unemployment Rate (%) ³	5.0	5.0	5.4
Consumer Price Index (1982-84:100)	239.2	238.1	236.5

Notes: (1) By place of residence. (2) By place of business. (3) Seasonally adjusted; civilian labor force.

Sources: U.S. Department of Labor and N.Y.S. Department of Labor.

TRENDS: From www.labor.ny.gov

Unemployment in Suffolk County in April was 4.1%, down from 4.5% in March and down from 4.7% in April 2015. The Nassau Suffolk area unemployment rate in April was 3.9%, down from 4.2% in March. The area's unemployment rate in April 2015 was 4.4%.

Nassau/Suffolk April 2015/2016 Change in Nonfarm and Private Sector Jobs*

Nonfarm	Private Sector
+14,700/+1.1%	+11,500/+1.0%

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EMPLOYMENT TRENDS

APRIL 2016



Suffolk Labor Force¹

	Mar 16	Feb 16	Mar 15
Civilian Labor Force (000)	783.5	775.6	766.7
Employment (000)	748.4	738.7	726.4
Unemployment (000)	35.1	37.0	40.3
Unemployment Rate (%)	4.5	4.8	5.3

Township Unemployment Rate (%)

Township	Mar 16	Feb 16	Mar 15
Babylon	4.6	4.9	5.3
Brookhaven	4.3	4.6	5.1
Huntington	3.8	4.1	4.5
Islip	4.5	4.8	5.3
Lindenhurst Village	4.1	4.4	5.0
Riverhead	5.7	6.0	7.0
Smithtown	3.5	3.7	4.1
Southampton	6.0	6.4	7.0

Non-farm Employment (Long Island in thousands)²

Category	Mar 16	Feb 16	Mar 15
Total	1,298.4	1,276.1	1,273.4
Natural Resources, Mining & Construction	69.2	64.8	67.1
Manufacturing	72.2	71.1	71.0
Wholesale Trade	70.6	70.5	70.0
Retail Trade	153.1	151.1	157.0
Transportation, Warehousing & Utilities	41.3	40.5	41.0
Information	20.0	19.9	20.5
Financial Activities	74.4	73.0	72.8
Professional & Business Services	169.8	165.7	164.3
Education & Health Services	256.2	252.9	248.2
Leisure & Hospitality	116.1	111.1	109.8
Other Services	57.0	57.7	56.7
Government	198.5	197.8	195.0

Regional Economic Trends

Metric	Mar 16	Feb 16	Mar 15
Unemployment Rate NY State (%)	4.8	4.8	5.6
Unemployment Rate NY City (%)	5.5	5.4	6.1
Unemployment Rate Nassau Co (%)	3.9	4.1	4.5
Consumer Price Index NY Area (1982-84:100)	261.5	260.8	259.6

National Economic Trends

Metric	Mar 16	Feb 16	Mar 15
Unemployment Rate (%) ³	5.0	4.9	5.5
Consumer Price Index (1982-84:100)	238.1	237.1	236.1

Notes: (1) By place of residence. (2) By place of business. (3) Seasonally adjusted; civilian labor force.

Sources: U.S. Department of Labor and N.Y.S. Department of Labor.

TRENDS: From www.labor.ny.gov

Unemployment in Suffolk County in March was 4.5%, down from 4.8% in February and down from 5.3% in March 2015. The Nassau Suffolk area unemployment rate in March was 4.2%, down from 4.5% in February. The area's unemployment rate in March 2015 was 4.9%.

Nassau/Suffolk March 2015/2016 Change in Nonfarm and Private Sector Jobs*

Nonfarm	Private Sector
+25,000/+2.0%	+21,500/+2.0%

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EMPLOYMENT TRENDS

MARCH 2016



Suffolk Labor Force¹

	Feb 16	Jan 16	Feb 15
Civilian Labor Force (000)	775.2	778.8	763.1
Employment (000)	738.3	741.4	719.8
Unemployment (000)	37.0	37.4	43.2
Unemployment Rate (%)	4.8	4.8	5.7

Township Unemployment Rate (%)

Township	Feb 16	Jan 16	Feb 15
Babylon	4.9	5.0	5.7
Brookhaven	4.6	4.7	5.5
Huntington	4.1	4.1	4.8
Islip	4.8	4.8	5.7
Lindenhurst Village	4.4	4.3	5.4
Riverhead	6.0	6.1	7.2
Smithtown	3.8	3.8	4.5
Southampton	6.4	6.4	7.5

Non-farm Employment (Long Island in thousands)²

Category	Feb 16	Jan 16	Feb 15
Total	1,276.1	1,277.8	1,260.8
Natural Resources, Mining & Construction	64.8	67.3	65.0
Manufacturing	71.1	71.8	70.7
Wholesale Trade	70.5	71.7	69.6
Retail Trade	151.1	156.1	156.7
Transportation, Warehousing & Utilities	40.5	41.7	40.6
Information	19.9	19.9	20.6
Financial Activities	73.0	73.6	72.5
Professional & Business Services	165.7	165.1	162.5
Education & Health Services	252.9	247.9	245.2
Leisure & Hospitality	111.1	111.5	107.2
Other Services	57.7	57.6	56.1
Government	197.8	193.6	194.1

Regional Economic Trends

Metric	Feb 16	Jan 16	Feb 15
Unemployment Rate NY State (%)	5.4	5.4	6.3
Unemployment Rate NY City (%)	5.9	5.9	6.7
Unemployment Rate Nassau Co (%)	4.1	4.2	4.9
Consumer Price Index NY Area (1982-84:100)	260.8	260.3	259.2

National Economic Trends

Metric	Feb 16	Jan 16	Feb 15
Unemployment Rate (%) ³	4.9	4.9	5.5
Consumer Price Index (1982-84:100)	237.1	236.9	234.7

Notes: (1) By place of residence. (2) By place of business. (3) Seasonally adjusted; civilian labor force.

Sources: U.S. Department of Labor and N.Y.S. Department of Labor.

TRENDS: From www.labor.ny.gov

Unemployment in Suffolk County in February was 4.8%, unchanged from 4.8% in January and down from 5.7% in February 2015. The Nassau Suffolk area unemployment rate in February was 4.5%, unchanged from 4.5% in January. The area's unemployment rate in February 2015 was 5.3%.

Nassau/Suffolk February 2015/2016 Change in Nonfarm and Private Sector Jobs*

Nonfarm	Private Sector
+18,700/+1.5%	+14,700/+1.4%

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EMPLOYMENT TRENDS

FEBRUARY 2016



Suffolk Labor Force¹

	Jan 16	Dec 15	Jan 15
Civilian Labor Force (000)	779.2	777.1	765.5
Employment (000)	741.6	744.1	722.3
Unemployment (000)	37.6	33.0	43.2
Unemployment Rate (%)	4.8	4.2	5.6

Township Unemployment Rate (%)

Township	Jan 16	Dec 15	Jan 15
Babylon	5.0	4.6	5.6
Brookhaven	4.7	4.2	5.5
Huntington	4.1	3.5	4.9
Islip	4.8	4.2	5.7
Lindenhurst Village	4.4	4.1	5.1
Riverhead	6.1	5.1	7.0
Smithtown	3.8	3.5	4.5
Southampton	6.4	5.3	7.4

Non-farm Employment (Long Island in thousands)²

Category	Jan 16	Dec 15	Jan 15
Total	1,277.8	1,324.8	1,259.1
Natural Resources, Mining & Construction	67.3	73.0	66.5
Manufacturing	71.8	72.1	70.5
Wholesale Trade	71.7	70.6	69.7
Retail Trade	156.1	165.1	160.8
Transportation, Warehousing & Utilities	41.7	43.9	41.1
Information	19.9	20.2	21.1
Financial Activities	73.6	73.8	72.4
Professional & Business Services	165.1	173.5	162.1
Education & Health Services	247.9	256.1	242.2
Leisure & Hospitality	111.5	116.5	107.0
Other Services	57.6	58.9	56.1
Government	193.6	201.1	189.6

Regional Economic Trends

Metric	Jan 16	Dec 15	Jan 15
Unemployment Rate NY State (%)	5.5	4.7	6.4
Unemployment Rate NY City (%)	5.9	5.0	6.9
Unemployment Rate Nassau Co (%)	4.2	3.7	4.9
Consumer Price Index NY Area (1982-84:100)	260.3	259.9	258.3

National Economic Trends

Metric	Jan 16	Dec 15	Jan 15
Unemployment Rate (%) ³	4.9	5.0	5.7
Consumer Price Index (1982-84:100)	236.9	236.5	233.7

Notes: (1) By place of residence. (2) By place of business. (3) Seasonally adjusted; civilian labor force.

Sources: U.S. Department of Labor and N.Y.S. Department of Labor.

TRENDS: From www.labor.ny.gov

Unemployment in Suffolk County in January was 4.8%, up from 4.2% in December and down from 5.6% in January 2015. The Nassau Suffolk area unemployment rate in January was 4.5%, up from 4.0% in December. The area's unemployment rate in January 2015 was 5.3%.

Nassau/Suffolk January 2015/2016 Change in Nonfarm and Private Sector Jobs*

Nonfarm	Private Sector
+18,700/+1.5%	+14,700/+1.4%

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EMPLOYMENT TRENDS

JANUARY 2016



Suffolk Labor Force¹

	Dec 15	Nov 15	Dec 14
Civilian Labor Force (000)	782.4	777.4	755.0
Employment (000)	749.9	744.4	719.8
Unemployment (000)	32.5	33.0	35.3
Unemployment Rate (%)	4.2	4.2	4.7

Township Unemployment Rate (%)

Township	Dec 15	Nov 15	Dec 14
Babylon	4.5	4.6	4.9
Brookhaven	4.1	4.2	4.6
Huntington	3.5	3.6	3.9
Islip	4.1	4.2	4.7
Lindenhurst Village	4.0	4.0	4.6
Riverhead	5.0	4.9	5.3
Smithtown	3.5	3.7	3.8
Southampton	5.2	5.0	6.0

Non-farm Employment (Long Island in thousands)²

Category	Dec 15	Nov 15	Dec 14
Total	1,328.1	1,328.7	1,308.2
Natural Resources, Mining & Construction	76.1	79.1	70.2
Manufacturing	71.6	71.9	71.9
Wholesale Trade	69.8	70.4	69.7
Retail Trade	168.3	167.3	169.2
Transportation, Warehousing & Utilities	42.8	41.8	44.9
Information	21.7	21.5	21.6
Financial Activities	71.1	70.9	71.4
Professional & Business Services	173.5	174.2	168.8
Education & Health Services	261.0	259.5	248.5
Leisure & Hospitality	116.1	119.0	114.9
Other Services	58.8	57.4	58.1
Government	197.3	195.7	199.0

Regional Economic Trends

Metric	Dec 15	Nov 15	Dec 14
Unemployment Rate NY State (%)	4.7	4.8	5.3
Unemployment Rate NY City (%)	4.8	4.8	5.8
Unemployment Rate Nassau Co (%)	3.7	3.8	4.1
Consumer Price Index NY Area (1982-84:100)	259.9	261.0	258.0

National Economic Trends

Metric	Dec 15	Nov 15	Dec 14
Unemployment Rate (%) ³	5.0	5.0	5.6
Consumer Price Index (1982-84:100)	236.5	237.3	234.8

Notes: (1) By place of residence. (2) By place of business. (3) Seasonally adjusted; civilian labor force.

Sources: U.S. Department of Labor and N.Y.S. Department of Labor.

TRENDS: From www.labor.ny.gov

Unemployment in Suffolk County in December was 4.2%, unchanged from November and down from 4.7% in December 2014. The Nassau Suffolk area unemployment rate in December was 3.9%, down from 4.1% in November. The area's unemployment rate in December 2014 was 4.4%.

Nassau/Suffolk December 2014/2015 Change in Nonfarm and Private Sector Jobs*

Nonfarm	Private Sector
+19,900/+1.5%	+21,600/+1.9%

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