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EMPLOYMENT TRENDS

October 2020

Suffolk Labor Force[1]

	Sept 20	Aug 20	Sept 19
Civilian Labor Force (000)	754.3	791.3	776.8
Employment (000)	707.8	710.1	750.2
Unemployment (000)	46.4	81.2	26.6
Unemployment Rate (%)	6.2	10.3	3.4

Township Unemployment Rate (%)

Babylon	7.5	12.2	3.8
Brookhaven	5.8	9.8	3.5
Huntington	6.0	9.8	3.3
Islip	6.5	11.0	3.4
Lindenhurst Village	6.6	11.0	3.5
Riverhead	5.8	9.4	3.3
Smithtown	5.5	9.3	3.3
Southampton	5.0	8.0	3.1

Non-farm Employment (Long Island in thousands)[2]

Total	1,229.6	1,203.2	1,344.6
Natural Resources, Mining & Construction	79.3	80.7	85.9
Manufacturing	63.6	63.7	70.9
Wholesale Trade	64.6	64.3	67.7
Retail Trade	144.5	144.7	155.3
Transportation, Warehousing & Utilities	38.5	30.7	44.3
Information	14.5	14.6	15.4
Financial Activities	67.6	67.0	69.5
Professional & Business Services	160.9	158.9	172.5
Education & Health Services	255.2	248.5	278.8
Leisure & Hospitality	93.4	96.7	131.0
Other Services	56.0	56.6	59.8
Government	191.5	176.8	193.5

Regional Economic Trends

Unemployment Rate NY State (%)	9.7	12.5	3.9
Unemployment Rate NY City (%)	14.1	16.0	3.7
Unemployment Rate Nassau Co (%)	6.6	10.6	3.4
Consumer Price Index NY Area (1982-84:100)	284.5	283.4	279.3

National Economic Trends

Unemployment Rate (%)[3]	7.9	8.4	3.5
Consumer Price Index (1982-84:100)	260.2	259.9	256.7

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 September was 6.2%, down from 10.3% in August and up from 3.4% in September 2019. The Nassau Suffolk area unemployment rate in September was 6.4%, down from 10.4% in August. The area's unemployment rate in September 2019 was 3.4%.

Nassau/Suffolk September 2019/2020 Change in Nonfarm and Private Sector Jobs*

Nonfarm	Private Sector
-115,000/-8.6	-113,000/-9.8

*not seasonally adjusted/includes government jobs

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September 2020

Suffolk Labor Force[1]

	Aug 20	July 20	Aug 19
Civilian Labor Force (000)	791.2	810.7	785.6
Employment (000)	709.2	700.7	753.9
Unemployment (000)	82.1	110.1	31.8
Unemployment Rate (%)	10.4	13.6	4.0

Township Unemployment Rate (%)

Babylon	12.4	15.9	4.5
Brookhaven	10.0	13.1	4.2
Huntington	9.8	12.9	3.5
Islip	11.1	14.4	4.2
Lindenhurst Village	11.2	14.5	4.3
Riverhead	9.5	12.4	3.7
Smithtown	9.5	12.6	3.6
Southampton	8.1	10.9	3.3

Non-farm Employment (Long Island in thousands)[2]

Total	1,200.9	1,191.4	1,353.1
Natural Resources, Mining & Construction	80.0	80.8	86.8
Manufacturing	63.7	63.3	71.0
Wholesale Trade	64.2	64.5	67.9
Retail Trade	144.9	142.7	158.8
Transportation, Warehousing & Utilities	30.7	30.7	40.1
Information	15.0	14.8	15.7
Financial Activities	67.2	65.6	70.3
Professional & Business Services	157.8	156.8	174.4
Education & Health Services	247.5	248.6	276.4
Leisure & Hospitality	97.2	93.9	144.1
Other Services	56.3	54.9	60.0
Government	176.4	176.8	187.6

Regional Economic Trends

Unemployment Rate NY State (%)	12.6	16.0	4.1
Unemployment Rate NY City (%)	16.3	20.1	4.2
Unemployment Rate Nassau Co (%)	10.7	14.0	3.7
Consumer Price Index NY Area (1982-84:100)	283.4	283.6	279.4

National Economic Trends

Unemployment Rate (%)[3]	8.4	10.2	3.7
Consumer Price Index (1982-84:100)	259.9	259.1	256.5

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 August was 10.4%, down from 13.6% in July and up from 4.0% in August 2019. The Nassau Suffolk area unemployment rate in August was 10.5%, down from 13.8% in July. The area's unemployment rate in August 2019 was 3.9%.

Nassau/Suffolk August 2019/2020 Change in Nonfarm and Private Sector Jobs*

Nonfarm	Private Sector
-152,200/-11.2	-141,000/-12.1

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Suffolk Labor Force[1]

	July 20	June 20	July 19
Civilian Labor Force (000)	810.9	780.7	792.4
Employment (000)	700.3	681.2	760.9
Unemployment (000)	110.6	99.4	31.5
Unemployment Rate (%)	13.6	12.7	4.0

Township Unemployment Rate (%)

Babylon	16.0	14.8	4.4
Brookhaven	13.2	12.4	4.1
Huntington	13.0	12.1	3.5
Islip	14.4	13.3	4.1
Lindenhurst Village	14.6	13.7	4.3
Riverhead	12.4	12.0	3.6
Smithtown	12.7	11.9	3.6
Southampton	10.9	10.4	3.3

Non-farm Employment (Long Island in thousands)[2]

Total	1,191.3	1,175.6	1,364.8
Natural Resources, Mining & Construction	80.8	78.1	86.8
Manufacturing	63.2	62.1	71.4
Wholesale Trade	65.0	65.0	68.1
Retail Trade	142.6	135.3	160.4
Transportation, Warehousing & Utilities	30.5	30.9	40.8
Information	14.5	14.4	15.7
Financial Activities	65.9	65.9	70.6
Professional & Business Services	156.9	155.5	175.7
Education & Health Services	249.1	246.9	277.2
Leisure & Hospitality	93.7	75.6	145.8
Other Services	55.1	54.4	60.4
Government	174.0	191.5	191.9

Regional Economic Trends

Unemployment Rate NY State (%)	16.0	15.5	4.2
Unemployment Rate NY City (%)	20.0	20.4	4.3
Unemployment Rate Nassau Co (%)	14.0	12.9	3.7
Consumer Price Index NY Area (1982-84:100)	283.6	282.3	278.8

National Economic Trends

Unemployment Rate (%)[3]	10.2	11.1	3.7
Consumer Price Index (1982-84:100)	259.1	257.7	256.5

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 July was 13.6%, up from 12.7% in June and up from 4.0% in July 2019. The Nassau Suffolk area unemployment rate in July was 13.8%, up from 12.8% in June. The area's unemployment rate in July 2019 was 3.8%.

Nassau/Suffolk July 2019/2020 Change in Nonfarm and Private Sector Jobs*

Nonfarm	Private Sector
-173,500/-12.7	-155,600/-13.3

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July 2020

Suffolk Labor Force[1]

	June 20	May 20	June 19
Civilian Labor Force (000)	780.0	764.8	787.2
Employment (000)	679.6	669.7	760.3
Unemployment (000)	100.4	95.0	26.9
Unemployment Rate (%)	12.9	12.4	3.4

Township Unemployment Rate (%)

Babylon	15.0	14.7	3.8
Brookhaven	12.5	12.1	3.5
Huntington	12.3	11.4	3.2
Islip	13.4	12.9	3.4
Lindenhurst Village	13.9	14.1	3.5
Riverhead	12.2	11.9	3.4
Smithtown	12.1	11.5	3.3
Southampton	10.5	10.6	3.1

Non-farm Employment (Long Island in thousands)[2]

Total	1,172.0	1,097.6	1,379.0
Natural Resources, Mining & Construction	78.0	65.4	85.9
Manufacturing	62.6	59.0	71.7
Wholesale Trade	65.2	60.3	68.5
Retail Trade	135.4	121.8	160.6
Transportation, Warehousing & Utilities	31.1	27.8	44.4
Information	14.6	14.4	15.8
Financial Activities	65.7	65.8	70.4
Professional & Business Services	155.6	149.3	175.3
Education & Health Services	246.3	243.8	281.5
Leisure & Hospitality	72.4	56.1	139.8
Other Services	53.6	45.0	61.4
Government	191.5	188.9	203.7

Regional Economic Trends

Unemployment Rate NY State (%)	15.6	14.2	3.8
Unemployment Rate NY City (%)	20.4	18.1	3.9
Unemployment Rate Nassau Co (%)	13.0	12.1	3.3
Consumer Price Index NY Area (1982-84:100)	282.3	282.0	278.8

National Economic Trends

Unemployment Rate (%)[3]	11.1	13.3	3.7
Consumer Price Index (1982-84:100)	257.7	256.3	256.1

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 June was 12.9%, up from 12.4% in May and up from 3.4% in June 2019. The Nassau Suffolk area unemployment rate in June was 12.9%, up from 12.3% in May. The area's unemployment rate in June 2019 was 3.3%.

Nassau/Suffolk June 2019/2020 Change in Nonfarm and Private Sector Jobs*

Nonfarm	Private Sector
-207,000/-15.0%	-194,800/-16.6%

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June 2020

Suffolk Labor Force[1]

	May 20	Apr 20	May 19
Civilian Labor Force (000)	769.6	749.5	773.2
Employment (000)	674.2	626.2	748.2
Unemployment (000)	95.4	123.3	25.0
Unemployment Rate (%)	12.4	16.5	3.2

Township Unemployment Rate (%)

Babylon	14.6	18.9	3.5
Brookhaven	12.1	16.2	3.2
Huntington	11.4	15.2	3.1
Islip	12.9	16.7	3.2
Lindenhurst Village	14.1	18.9	2.9
Riverhead	11.9	15.9	3.4
Smithtown	11.5	15.4	3.1
Southampton	10.6	15.0	3.2

Non-farm Employment (Long Island in thousands)[2]

Total	1,106.3	1,058.2	1,358.7
Natural Resources, Mining & Construction	67.6	50.3	84.9
Manufacturing	58.9	56.3	71.2
Wholesale Trade	60.0	58.4	67.9
Retail Trade	124.2	113.2	157.9
Transportation, Warehousing & Utilities	28.1	27.4	43.5
Information	14.5	14.7	15.9
Financial Activities	65.3	65.9	69.6
Professional & Business Services	150.4	146.2	172.7
Education & Health Services	247.9	245.7	283.8
Leisure & Hospitality	56.4	44.0	129.0
Other Services	45.4	45.9	60.8
Government	187.6	190.2	201.5

Regional Economic Trends

Unemployment Rate NY State (%)	14.5	15.3	4.0
Unemployment Rate NY City (%)	18.3	15.0	4.1
Unemployment Rate Nassau Co (%)	12.0	15.6	3.1
Consumer Price Index NY Area (1982-84:100)	282.0	280.6	278.0

National Economic Trends

Unemployment Rate (%)[3]	13.3	14.7	3.6
Consumer Price Index (1982-84:100)	256.3	256.3	256.0

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 12.4%, down from 16.5% in April and up from 3.2% in May 2019. The Nassau Suffolk area unemployment rate in May was 12.2%, down from 16.1% in April. The area's unemployment rate in May 2019 was 3.2%.

Nassau/Suffolk May 2019/2020 Change in Nonfarm and Private Sector Jobs*

Nonfarm	Private Sector
-252,400/-18.6%	-238,500/-20.6%

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EMPLOYMENT TRENDS

May 2020

Suffolk Labor Force[1]

	Apr 20	Mar 20	Apr 19
Civilian Labor Force (000)	749.3	777.5	768.9
Employment (000)	626.7	745.9	744.4
Unemployment (000)	122.7	31.6	24.5
Unemployment Rate (%)	16.4	4.1	3.2
Township Unemployment Rate (%)			
Babylon	18.8	4.0	3.3
Brookhaven	16.1	3.9	3.1
Huntington	15.2	3.6	2.9
Islip	16.5	3.8	3.1
Lindenhurst Village	19.0	3.5	2.9
Riverhead	15.6	5.3	3.8
Smithtown	15.5	3.4	2.8
Southampton	14.9	5.9	4.0
Non-farm Employment (Long Island in thousands)[2]			
Total	1,056.6	1,332.6	1,348.8
Natural Resources, Mining & Construction	53.7	83.8	83.9
Manufacturing	57.9	71.5	71.3
Wholesale Trade	57.4	65.5	67.9
Retail Trade	116.3	154.8	156.7
Transportation, Warehousing & Utilities	28.8	44.0	43.0
Information	15.0	15.2	15.7
Financial Activities	65.4	69.2	69.2
Professional & Business Services	142.0	166.7	171.8
Education & Health Services	241.6	284.0	284.5
Leisure & Hospitality	42.9	119.4	123.8
Other Services	45.4	59.7	60.5
Government	190.2	198.8	200.5
Regional Economic Trends			
Unemployment Rate NY State (%)	15.0	4.2	3.6
Unemployment Rate NY City (%)	14.6	4.0	3.7
Unemployment Rate Nassau Co (%)	15.6	3.6	3.0
Consumer Price Index NY Area (1982-84:100)	280.6	281.9	277.4
National Economic Trends			
Unemployment Rate (%)[3]	14.7	4.4	3.6
Consumer Price Index (1982-84:100)	256.3	258.1	255.5

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 16.4%, up from 4.1% in March and 3.2% from April 2019. The Nassau Suffolk area unemployment rate in April was 16.0%, up from 3.8% in March. The area's unemployment rate in April 2019 was 3.1%.

Nassau/Suffolk April 2019/2020 Change in Nonfarm and Private Sector Jobs*

Nonfarm	Private Sector
-292,200/-21.7%	-281,900/-24.5%

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EMPLOYMENT TRENDS

April 2020

Suffolk Labor Force[1]

	Mar 20	Feb 20	Mar 19
Civilian Labor Force (000)	781.1	783.9	774.3
Employment (000)	748.4	752.5	744.8
Unemployment (000)	32.7	31.5	29.5`
Unemployment Rate (%)	4.2	4.0	3.8

Township Unemployment Rate (%)

Babylon	4.1	3.9	3.7
Brookhaven	4.1	3.9	3.6
Huntington	3.7	3.6	3.4
Islip	4.0	3.8	3.7
Lindenhurst Village	3.6	3.5	3.4
Riverhead	5.4	5.3	5.1
Smithtown	3.5	3.2	3.1
Southampton	6.1	5.9	5.4

Non-farm Employment (Long Island in thousands)[2]

Total	1,332.6	1,326.2	1,330.1
Natural Resources, Mining & Construction	83.8	79.0	81.1
Manufacturing	71.5	70.7	71.2
Wholesale Trade	65.5	65.8	67.9
Retail Trade	154.8	154.0	155.6
Transportation, Warehousing & Utilities	44.0	44.0	42.7
Information	15.2	15.2	15.8
Financial Activities	69.2	69.4	69.0
Professional & Business Services	166.7	164.5	165.8
Education & Health Services	284.0	283.9	282.9
Leisure & Hospitality	119.4	120.6	119.0
Other Services	59.7	60.7	59.7
Government	198.8	198.4	199.4

Regional Economic Trends

Unemployment Rate NY State (%)	4.4	3.9	4.2
Unemployment Rate NY City (%)	4.2	3.4	4.3
Unemployment Rate Nassau Co (%)	3.7	3.5	3.4
Consumer Price Index NY Area (1982-84:100)	281.9	282.5	276.5

National Economic Trends

Unemployment Rate (%)[3]	4.4	3.5	3.8
Consumer Price Index (1982-84:100)	258.1	258.6	254.2

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 4.2%, up from 4.0% in February and 3.8% from March 2019. The Nassau Suffolk area unemployment rate in March was 4.0%, up from 3.8% in February. The area's unemployment rate in March 2019 was 3.6%.

Nassau/Suffolk March 2019/2020 Change in Nonfarm and Private Sector Jobs*

Nonfarm	Private Sector
+7,600/+0.6%	+8,400/+0.8%

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EMPLOYMENT TRENDS

March 2020

Suffolk Labor Force[1]

	Feb 20	Jan 20	Feb 19
Civilian Labor Force (000)	783.8	787.7	769.8
Employment (000)	752.3	754.7	737.4
Unemployment (000)	31.5	33.0	32.4
Unemployment Rate (%)	4.0	4.2	4.2
Township Unemployment Rate (%)			
Babylon	3.9	4.1	4.2
Brookhaven	3.9	4.1	4.0
Huntington	3.6	3.6	3.8
Islip	3.9	4.0	4.1
Lindenhurst Village	3.5	3.6	3.8
Riverhead	5.4	5.5	6.0
Smithtown	3.4	3.4	3.3
Southampton	5.9	6.0	6.0
Non-farm Employment (Long Island in thousands)[2]			
Total	1,325.9	1,322.3	1,318.3
Natural Resources, Mining & Construction	78.9	78.4	79.9
Manufacturing	70.9	70.6	71.0
Wholesale Trade	65.8	66.5	67.9
Retail Trade	154.6	158.9	155.1
Transportation, Warehousing & Utilities	44.0	44.8	42.7
Information	15.3	15.2	15.8
Financial Activities	69.5	69.1	68.9
Professional & Business Services	164.4	163.0	163.3
Education & Health Services	283.8	280.4	279.2
Leisure & Hospitality	120.1	120.2	116.0
Other Services	60.2	60.8	59.3
Government	198.4	194.4	199.2
Regional Economic Trends			
Unemployment Rate NY State (%)	3.7	3.8	4.0
Unemployment Rate NY City (%)	3.4	3.5	4.3
Unemployment Rate Nassau Co (%)	3.5	3.6	3.7
Consumer Price Index NY Area (1982-84:100)	282.5	282.0	275.8
National Economic Trends			
Unemployment Rate (%)[3]	3.5	3.6	3.8
Consumer Price Index (1982-84:100)	258.6	257.9	252.7

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 4.0%, down from 4.2% in January and 4.2% in February 2019. The Nassau Suffolk area unemployment rate in February was 3.8, down from 3.9% in January. The area's unemployment rate in February 2019 was 4.0%.

Nassau/Suffolk February 2019/2020 Change in Nonfarm and Private Sector Jobs*

Nonfarm	Private Sector
+7,600/+0.6%	+8,400/+0.8%

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EMPLOYMENT TRENDS

February 2020

Suffolk Labor Force[1]

	Jan 20	Dec 19	Jan 19
Civilian Labor Force (000)	787.8	778.2	771.4
Employment (000)	754.7	748.7	737.6
Unemployment (000)	33.1	29.5	33.8
Unemployment Rate (%)	4.2	3.8	4.4

Township Unemployment Rate (%)

Babylon	4.1	3.9	4.1
Brookhaven	4.1	3.7	4.5
Huntington	3.7	3.3	3.7
Islip	4.0	3.6	4.2
Lindenhurst Village	3.6	3.6	3.8
Riverhead	5.6	4.5	6.2
Smithtown	3.4	3.3	3.3
Southampton	6.0	4.8	6.0

Non-farm Employment (Long Island in thousands)[2]

Total	1,322.2	1,362.5	1,314.3
Natural Resources, Mining & Construction	78.3	79.7	79.5
Manufacturing	70.6	70.8	70.8
Wholesale Trade	66.8	66.1	67.7
Retail Trade	159.2	166.2	159.3
Transportation, Warehousing & Utilities	44.5	46.4	43.3
Information	15.2	15.5	15.3
Financial Activities	69.0	69.6	69.0
Professional & Business Services	163.3	175.3	162.2
Education & Health Services	280.4	287.1	275.0
Leisure & Hospitality	120.6	124.5	117.2
Other Services	60.7	60.7	59.4
Government	194.4	200.6	195.6

Regional Economic Trends

Unemployment Rate NY State (%)	3.8	3.9	4.0
Unemployment Rate NY City (%)	3.5	3.6	4.3
Unemployment Rate Nassau Co (%)	3.6	3.4	3.7
Consumer Price Index NY Area (1982-84:100)	282.0	279.8	275.1

National Economic Trends

Unemployment Rate (%)[3]	3.6	3.5	4.0
Consumer Price Index (1982-84:100)	257.9	256.9	251.7

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 2020 was 4.2%, up from 3.8% in December 2019 and down from 4.4% in January 2019. The Nassau Suffolk area unemployment rate in January 2020 was 3.9, up from 3.6% in December 2019. The area's unemployment rate in January 2019 was 4.1%.

Nassau/Suffolk January 2019/2020 Change in Nonfarm and Private Sector Jobs*

Nonfarm	Private Sector
+7,900/+0.6%	+9,100/+0.8%

*not seasonally adjusted/includes government jobs

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EMPLOYMENT TRENDS

January 2020

Suffolk Labor Force[1]

	Dec 19	Nov 19	Dec 18
Civilian Labor Force (000)	776.3	776.2	776.5
Employment (000)	747.0	750.3	749.9
Unemployment (000)	29.3	25.9	26.6
Unemployment Rate (%)	3.8	3.3	3.4

Township Unemployment Rate (%)

Babylon	3.9	3.6	3.5
Brookhaven	3.7	3.4	3.3
Huntington	3.3	3.0	3.1
Islip	3.6	3.2	3.2
Lindenhurst Village	3.6	3.4	3.1
Riverhead	4.5	3.6	4.4
Smithtown	3.2	3.0	2.9
Southampton	4.8	3.7	4.5

Non-farm Employment (Long Island in thousands)[2]

Total	1,365.7	1,367.3	1,358.1
Natural Resources, Mining & Construction	86.1	90.2	84.0
Manufacturing	71.9	72.3	71.5
Wholesale Trade	68.3	68.8	67.8
Retail Trade	167.0	164.1	166.9
Transportation, Warehousing & Utilities	45.1	44.2	45.8
Information	16.6	16.6	17.0
Financial Activities	67.9	67.5	68.7
Professional & Business Services	169.7	168.7	170.1
Education & Health Services	285.5	287.0	282.6
Leisure & Hospitality	126.5	126.9	121.6
Other Services	60.3	60.2	61.2
Government	200.8	200.8	200.9

Regional Economic Trends

Unemployment Rate NY State (%)	3.7	3.6	3.9
Unemployment Rate NY City (%)	3.2	3.7	4.0
Unemployment Rate Nassau Co (%)	3.4	3.2	3.2
Consumer Price Index NY Area (1982-84:100)	279.8	279.4	273.8

National Economic Trends

Unemployment Rate (%)[3]	3.5	3.5	3.9
Consumer Price Index (1982-84:100)	256.9	257.2	251.2

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 3.8%, up from 3.3% in November and 3.4% in December 2018. The Nassau Suffolk area unemployment rate in December was 3.6, up from 3.3% in November. The area's unemployment rate in December 2018 was 3.3%.

Nassau/Suffolk December 2018/2019 Change in Nonfarm and Private Sector Jobs*

Nonfarm	Private Sector
+7,600/+0.6%	+7,700/+0.7%

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