Nation
According to The Conference Board Help Wanted OnLine® (HWOL) Data Series, the nation saw a
increase in online job advertisements for December 2019, in comparison to November 2019. Nationally, there were 5,311,634 seasonally adjusted advertised jobs for December 2019, an
increase of 73,760 from November 2019.

California
California had a total of 577,576 job advertisements in December 2019. The Conference Board
reports that the state lost 733 job advertisements from November 2019 to December 2019. Figure 1 shows December labor supply versus demand seasonally-adjusted data in California.

![Graph showing labor supply vs demand](image)


California’s supply/demand rate was 1.31 for December 2019. Figure 2 displays month-over
supply/demand rates in the top five Regional Planning Units for December 2019 and November
2019.
Supply/Demand rate is the number of unemployed divided by the number of advertised jobs.

The table below contains detailed figures of online job advertisement data for each of the 14 Regional Planning Units. The data is not seasonally adjusted.

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>California Regional Planning Units</th>
<th>Year Ago Dec-18</th>
<th>Month Ago Nov-19</th>
<th>Current Dec-19</th>
<th>Month-Over Change Number</th>
<th>Percent</th>
<th>Year-Over Change Number</th>
<th>Percent</th>
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<tr>
<td>Bay-Peninsula</td>
<td>134,514</td>
<td>130,268</td>
<td>119,759</td>
<td>-10,509</td>
<td>-8.1%</td>
<td>-14,755</td>
<td>-11.0%</td>
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<td>Los Angeles Basin</td>
<td>112,969</td>
<td>126,139</td>
<td>114,363</td>
<td>-11,776</td>
<td>-9.3%</td>
<td>1,394</td>
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<td>Southern Border</td>
<td>47,533</td>
<td>53,804</td>
<td>49,387</td>
<td>-4,417</td>
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<td>1,854</td>
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<td>Orange</td>
<td>46,707</td>
<td>49,747</td>
<td>45,914</td>
<td>-3,833</td>
<td>-7.7%</td>
<td>793</td>
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<td>East Bay</td>
<td>42,209</td>
<td>44,667</td>
<td>41,697</td>
<td>-2,970</td>
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<td>512</td>
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<td>Inland Empire</td>
<td>33,931</td>
<td>37,324</td>
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<td>97</td>
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<td>San Joaquin Valley and Associated Counties</td>
<td>32,791</td>
<td>34,483</td>
<td>30,904</td>
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<td>-10.4%</td>
<td>-1,887</td>
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<td>Capital</td>
<td>27,977</td>
<td>30,318</td>
<td>28,021</td>
<td>-2,297</td>
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<td>North Bay</td>
<td>19,934</td>
<td>21,297</td>
<td>19,775</td>
<td>-1,522</td>
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<td>159</td>
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<td>Coastal</td>
<td>18,177</td>
<td>18,779</td>
<td>16,758</td>
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<td>Ventura</td>
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<td>North State</td>
<td>7,501</td>
<td>7,014</td>
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<td>North Coast</td>
<td>1,361</td>
<td>1,529</td>
<td>1,351</td>
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<td>Middle Sierra</td>
<td>1,076</td>
<td>1,145</td>
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<td>-55</td>
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Regional Planning Units represent regions defined by the Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act (WIOA) of 2014.

North State Regional Planning Unit Counties: Butte, Del Norte, Lassen, Modoc, Nevada, Plumas, Tehama, Trinity, Shasta, Sierrap, and Siskiyou
North Coast County Regional Planning Unit County: Humboldt

North Bay Regional Planning Unit Counties: Lake, Marin, Mendocino, Napa, Solano, and Sonoma

Capital Regional Planning Unit Counties: Alpine, Colusa, El Dorado, Glenn, Placer, Sacramento, Sutter, Yolo, and Yuba

East Bay Regional Planning Unit Counties: Alameda and Contra Costa

Bay-Peninsula Regional Planning Unit Counties: San Benito, San Francisco, San Mateo, and Santa Clara

Middle Sierra Regional Planning Unit Counties: Amador, Calaveras, Mariposa, and Tuolumne

San Joaquin Valley Regional Planning Unit Counties: Inyo, Fresno, Kern, Kings, Madera, Merced, Mono, San Joaquin, Stanislaus, and Tulare

Coastal Regional Planning Unit Counties: Monterey, San Luis Obispo, Santa Barbara, and Santa Cruz

Ventura Regional Planning Unit County: Ventura

Los Angeles Regional Planning Unit County: Los Angeles

Orange Regional Planning Unit County: Orange

Inland Empire Regional Planning Unit Counties: Riverside and San Bernardino

Southern Border Regional Planning Unit Counties: Imperial and San Diego

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