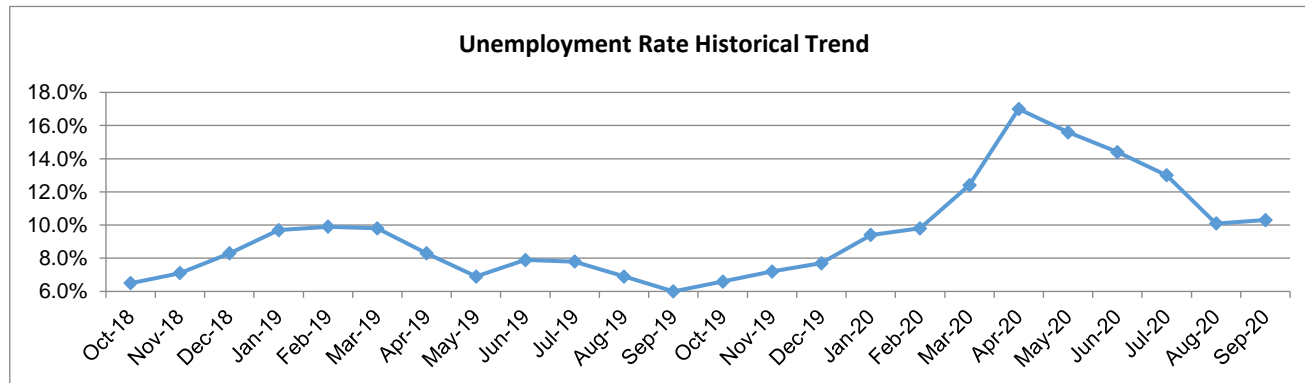


IMMEDIATE RELEASE  
 HANFORD-CORCORAN METROPOLITAN STATISTICAL AREA (MSA)  
 (Kings County)

The unemployment rate in the Kings County was 10.3 percent in September 2020, up from a revised 10.1 percent in August 2020, and above the year-ago estimate of 6.0 percent. This compares with an unadjusted unemployment rate of 10.8 percent for California and 7.7 percent for the nation during the same period.



Industry	Aug-2020	Sep-2020	Change		Sep-2019	Sep-2020	Change
	Revised	Prelim				Prelim	
Total All Industries	45,400	45,500	100		49,500	45,500	(4,000)
Total Farm	7,000	6,900	(100)		7,900	6,900	(1,000)
Total Nonfarm	38,400	38,600	200		41,600	38,600	(3,000)
Mining, Logging, and Construction	1,000	1,000	0		1,000	1,000	0
Manufacturing	5,100	5,100	0		5,600	5,100	(500)
Trade, Transportation & Utilities	6,600	6,700	100		7,000	6,700	(300)
Information	100	100	0		100	100	0
Financial Activities	900	900	0		900	900	0
Professional & Business Services	1,100	1,100	0		1,200	1,100	(100)
Educational & Health Services	6,200	6,300	100		6,400	6,300	(100)
Leisure & Hospitality	2,800	2,800	0		3,600	2,800	(800)
Other Services	600	600	0		700	600	(100)
Government	14,000	14,000	0		15,100	14,000	(1,100)

Notes: Data not adjusted for seasonality. Data may not add due to rounding  
 Labor force data are revised month to month  
 Additional data are available on line at [www.labormarketinfo.edd.ca.gov](http://www.labormarketinfo.edd.ca.gov)

Data Not Seasonally Adjusted

	Sep 19	Jul 20	Aug 20	Sep 20	Percent Change	
			Revised	Prelim	Month	Year
Civilian Labor Force (1)	57,500	56,800	55,000	55,200	0.4%	-4.0%
Civilian Employment	54,100	49,400	49,400	49,500	0.2%	-8.5%
Civilian Unemployment	3,400	7,400	5,600	5,700	1.8%	67.6%
Civilian Unemployment Rate	6.0%	13.0%	10.1%	10.3%		
(CA Unemployment Rate)	3.6%	13.9%	11.3%	10.8%		
(U.S. Unemployment Rate)	3.3%	10.5%	8.5%	7.7%		

Total All Industries (2)	49,500	45,600	45,400	45,500	0.2%	-8.1%
Total Farm	7,900	7,200	7,000	6,900	-1.4%	-12.7%
Total Nonfarm	41,600	38,400	38,400	38,600	0.5%	-7.2%
Total Private	26,500	24,700	24,400	24,600	0.8%	-7.2%
Goods Producing	6,600	6,000	6,100	6,100	0.0%	-7.6%
Mining, Logging, and Construction	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	0.0%	0.0%
Manufacturing	5,600	5,000	5,100	5,100	0.0%	-8.9%
Service Providing	35,000	32,400	32,300	32,500	0.6%	-7.1%
Private Service Providing	19,900	18,700	18,300	18,500	1.1%	-7.0%
Trade, Transportation & Utilities	7,000	7,100	6,600	6,700	1.5%	-4.3%
Wholesale Trade	600	600	600	600	0.0%	0.0%
Retail Trade	4,100	4,200	3,700	3,800	2.7%	-7.3%
Transportation, Warehousing & Utilities	2,300	2,300	2,300	2,300	0.0%	0.0%
Information	100	100	100	100	0.0%	0.0%
Financial Activities	900	900	900	900	0.0%	0.0%
Professional & Business Services	1,200	1,100	1,100	1,100	0.0%	-8.3%
Educational & Health Services	6,400	6,200	6,200	6,300	1.6%	-1.6%
Leisure & Hospitality	3,600	2,700	2,800	2,800	0.0%	-22.2%
Other Services	700	600	600	600	0.0%	-14.3%
Government	15,100	13,700	14,000	14,000	0.0%	-7.3%
Federal Government	1,200	1,200	1,400	1,400	0.0%	16.7%
State & Local Government	13,900	12,500	12,600	12,600	0.0%	-9.4%
State Government	5,500	5,400	5,400	5,400	0.0%	-1.8%
Local Government	8,400	7,100	7,200	7,200	0.0%	-14.3%
Local Government Excluding Education	4,100	3,800	3,800	3,700	-2.6%	-9.8%
Special Districts plus Indian Tribes	1,900	1,800	1,700	1,600	-5.9%	-15.8%

**Notes:**

(1) Civilian labor force data are by place of residence; include self-employed individuals, unpaid family workers, household domestic workers, & workers on strike. Data may not add due to rounding. The unemployment rate is calculated using unrounded data.

(2) Industry employment is by place of work; excludes self-employed individuals, unpaid family workers, household domestic workers, & workers on strike. Data may not add due to rounding.

These data are produced by the Labor Market Information Division of the California Employment Development Department (EDD). Questions should be directed to: Rosendo Flores 559-230-4104 or Steven Gutierrez 559-230-4102

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