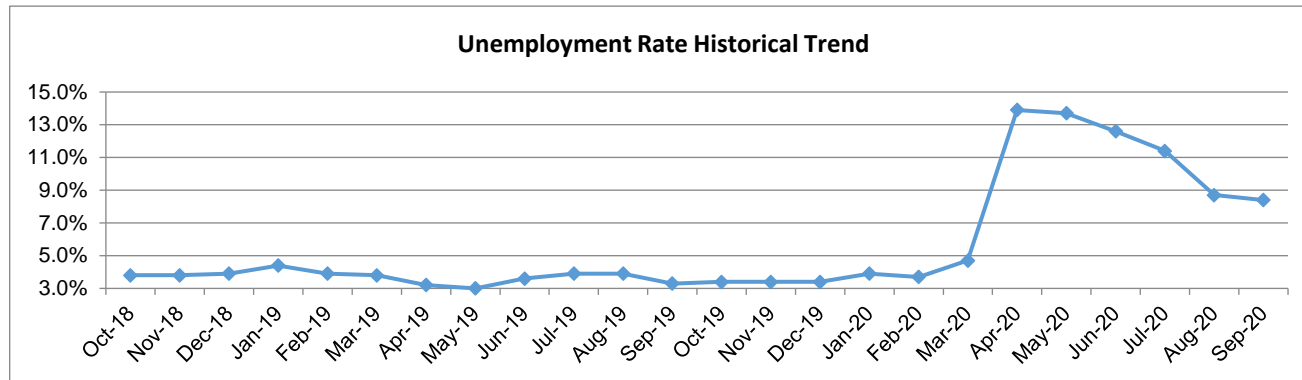


IMMEDIATE RELEASE
 OXNARD-THOUSAND OAKS-VENTURA METROPOLITAN STATISTICAL AREA (MSA)
 (Ventura County)

The unemployment rate in the Ventura County was 8.4 percent in September 2020, down from a revised 8.7 percent in August 2020, and above the year-ago estimate of 3.3 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	305,600	308,200	2,600		333,600	308,200	(25,400)
Total Farm	20,600	20,800	200		23,600	20,800	(2,800)
Total Nonfarm	285,000	287,400	2,400		310,000	287,400	(22,600)
Mining, Logging, and Construction	18,200	18,000	(200)		18,400	18,000	(400)
Mining and Logging	900	900	0		1,000	900	(100)
Construction	17,300	17,100	(200)		17,400	17,100	(300)
Manufacturing	24,800	24,900	100		26,600	24,900	(1,700)
Trade, Transportation & Utilities	50,800	50,900	100		57,300	50,900	(6,400)
Information	4,000	4,000	0		4,700	4,000	(700)
Financial Activities	15,900	15,700	(200)		15,700	15,700	0
Professional & Business Services	44,100	44,300	200		44,500	44,300	(200)
Educational & Health Services	46,700	47,700	1,000		48,400	47,700	(700)
Leisure & Hospitality	31,400	31,600	200		38,800	31,600	(7,200)
Other Services	7,700	7,700	0		9,700	7,700	(2,000)
Government	41,400	42,600	1,200		45,900	42,600	(3,300)

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

Oxnard Thousand Oaks Ventura MSA
(Ventura County)
Industry Employment & Labor Force
March 2019 Benchmark

Data Not Seasonally Adjusted

	Sep 19	Jul 20	Aug 20 Revised	Sep 20 Prelim	Percent Change	
					Month	Year
Civilian Labor Force (1)	421,400	412,700	404,600	407,300	0.7%	-3.3%
Civilian Employment	407,400	365,700	369,300	373,100	1.0%	-8.4%
Civilian Unemployment	14,100	47,000	35,300	34,100	-3.4%	141.8%
Civilian Unemployment Rate (CA Unemployment Rate)	3.3%	11.4%	8.7%	8.4%		
(U.S. Unemployment Rate)	3.3%	10.5%	8.5%	7.7%		

Total, All Industries (2)	333,600	303,100	305,600	308,200	0.9%	-7.6%
Total Farm	23,600	21,700	20,600	20,800	1.0%	-11.9%
Total Nonfarm	310,000	281,400	285,000	287,400	0.8%	-7.3%
Total Private	264,100	242,900	243,600	244,800	0.5%	-7.3%
Goods Producing	45,000	42,900	43,000	42,900	-0.2%	-4.7%
Mining, Logging, and Construction	18,400	17,900	18,200	18,000	-1.1%	-2.2%
Mining and Logging	1,000	900	900	900	0.0%	-10.0%
Construction	17,400	17,000	17,300	17,100	-1.2%	-1.7%
Specialty Trade Contractors	11,300	10,800	10,900	11,000	0.9%	-2.7%
Manufacturing	26,600	25,000	24,800	24,900	0.4%	-6.4%
Durable Goods	19,300	18,100	17,900	18,000	0.6%	-6.7%
Computer & Electronic Product Manufacturing	5,400	5,400	5,400	5,400	0.0%	0.0%
Nondurable Goods	7,300	6,900	6,900	6,900	0.0%	-5.5%
Chemical Manufacturing	2,700	2,500	2,500	2,500	0.0%	-7.4%
Service Providing	265,000	238,500	242,000	244,500	1.0%	-7.7%
Private Service Providing	219,100	200,000	200,600	201,900	0.6%	-7.9%
Trade, Transportation & Utilities	57,300	50,200	50,800	50,900	0.2%	-11.2%
Wholesale Trade	13,200	11,800	12,100	12,000	-0.8%	-9.1%
Retail Trade	37,800	32,400	32,600	32,800	0.6%	-13.2%
Food & Beverage Stores	8,500	8,500	8,500	8,500	0.0%	0.0%
Clothing & Clothing Accessories Stores	4,200	3,500	3,300	3,600	9.1%	-14.3%
General Merchandise Stores	5,500	5,000	5,100	5,100	0.0%	-7.3%
Transportation, Warehousing & Utilities	6,300	6,000	6,100	6,100	0.0%	-3.2%
Transportation & Warehousing	5,300	5,100	5,200	5,200	0.0%	-1.9%
Information	4,700	4,000	4,000	4,000	0.0%	-14.9%
Financial Activities	15,700	15,800	15,900	15,700	-1.3%	0.0%
Finance & Insurance	11,400	11,100	11,200	11,000	-1.8%	-3.5%
Credit Intermediation & Related Activities	7,000	7,000	7,000	6,900	-1.4%	-1.4%
Insurance Carriers & Related	3,400	3,200	3,200	3,200	0.0%	-5.9%
Real Estate & Rental & Leasing	4,300	4,700	4,700	4,700	0.0%	9.3%
Professional & Business Services	44,500	43,300	44,100	44,300	0.5%	-0.4%
Professional, Scientific & Technical Services	17,500	18,200	18,700	18,800	0.5%	7.4%
Management of Companies & Enterprises	7,800	7,900	7,900	7,900	0.0%	1.3%
Administrative & Support & Waste Services	19,200	17,200	17,500	17,600	0.6%	-8.3%
Administrative & Support Services	18,200	16,300	16,500	16,600	0.6%	-8.8%
Employment Services	8,400	6,900	7,200	7,200	0.0%	-14.3%
Educational & Health Services	48,400	47,300	46,700	47,700	2.1%	-1.4%
Leisure & Hospitality	38,800	31,700	31,400	31,600	0.6%	-18.6%
Accommodation & Food Services	33,100	26,800	26,800	26,900	0.4%	-18.7%
Other Services	9,700	7,700	7,700	7,700	0.0%	-20.6%
Government	45,900	38,500	41,400	42,600	2.9%	-7.2%
Federal Government	7,400	7,600	8,200	7,800	-4.9%	5.4%
Federal Government excluding Department of Defense	1,800	1,800	2,400	2,000	-16.7%	11.1%
Department of Defense	5,600	5,800	5,800	5,800	0.0%	3.6%
State & Local Government	38,500	30,900	33,200	34,800	4.8%	-9.6%
State Government	3,000	2,700	2,700	2,800	3.7%	-6.7%
State Government Education	1,400	1,100	1,100	1,200	9.1%	-14.3%
State Government Excluding Education	1,600	1,600	1,600	1,600	0.0%	0.0%
Local Government	35,500	28,200	30,500	32,000	4.9%	-9.9%
Local Government Education	20,100	13,400	15,700	17,300	10.2%	-13.9%

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Local Government Excluding Education	15,400	14,800	14,800	14,700	-0.7%	-4.5%
County	9,000	9,000	9,100	9,000	-1.1%	0.0%
City	4,100	3,600	3,600	3,600	0.0%	-12.2%
Special Districts plus Indian Tribes	2,300	2,200	2,100	2,100	0.0%	-8.7%

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: Andriy Moskalyk 805-568-1314 or Robert Lee 626-934-5738

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