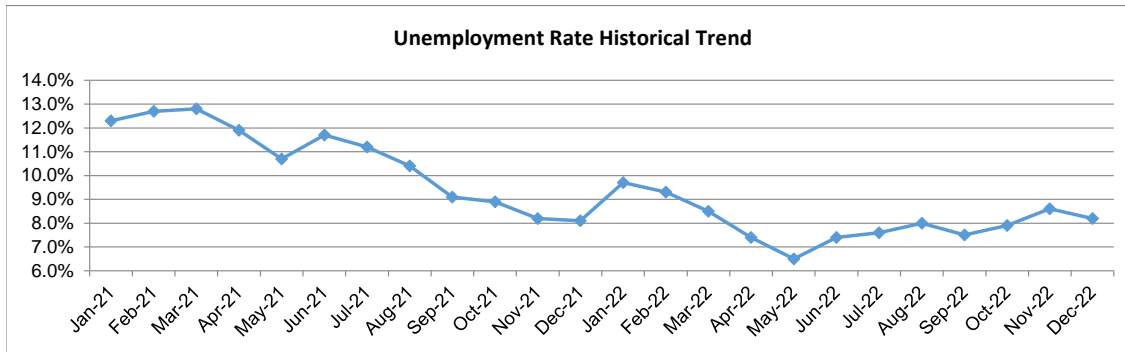


IMMEDIATE RELEASE
 VISALIA-PORTERVILLE METROPOLITAN STATISTICAL AREA (MSA)
 (Tulare County)

The unemployment rate in the Tulare County was 8.2 percent in December 2022, down from a revised 8.6 percent in November 2022, and above the year-ago estimate of 8.1 percent. This compares with an unadjusted unemployment rate of 3.7 percent for California and 3.3 percent for the nation during the same period.



Industry	Nov-2022	Dec-2022	Change		Dec-2021	Dec-2022	Change
	Revised	Prelim				Prelim	
Total, All Industries	175,200	172,100	(3,100)		168,400	172,100	3,700
Total Farm	37,000	34,600	(2,400)		34,300	34,600	300
Total Nonfarm	138,200	137,500	(700)		134,100	137,500	3,400
Mining, Logging, and Construction	7,600	7,500	(100)		7,200	7,500	300
Manufacturing	13,200	13,200	0		12,900	13,200	300
Trade, Transportation & Utilities	31,100	31,000	(100)		31,300	31,000	(300)
Information	700	700	0		700	700	0
Financial Activities	3,800	3,800	0		3,800	3,800	0
Professional & Business Services	11,100	11,100	0		10,800	11,100	300
Educational & Health Services	19,000	19,000	0		18,400	19,000	600
Leisure & Hospitality	14,300	14,200	(100)		13,100	14,200	1,100
Other Services	3,800	3,800	0		3,600	3,800	200
Government	33,600	33,200	(400)		32,300	33,200	900

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

Data Not Seasonally Adjusted

	Dec 21	Oct 22	Nov 22 Revised	Dec 22 Prelim	Percent Change	
					Month	Year
Civilian Labor Force (1)	200,900	203,600	205,500	203,900	-0.8%	1.5%
Civilian Employment	184,500	187,500	187,900	187,200	-0.4%	1.5%
Civilian Unemployment	16,400	16,100	17,600	16,700	-5.1%	1.8%
Civilian Unemployment Rate	8.1%	7.9%	8.6%	8.2%		
(CA Unemployment Rate)	4.8%	3.8%	4.0%	3.7%		
(U.S. Unemployment Rate)	3.7%	3.4%	3.4%	3.3%		
Total, All Industries (2)	168,400	173,500	175,200	172,100	-1.8%	2.2%
Total Farm	34,300	36,500	37,000	34,600	-6.5%	0.9%
Total Nonfarm	134,100	137,000	138,200	137,500	-0.5%	2.5%
Total Private	101,800	103,700	104,600	104,300	-0.3%	2.5%
Goods Producing	20,100	20,800	20,800	20,700	-0.5%	3.0%
Mining, Logging, and Construction	7,200	7,600	7,600	7,500	-1.3%	4.2%
Manufacturing	12,900	13,200	13,200	13,200	0.0%	2.3%
Durable Goods	3,100	3,200	3,200	3,200	0.0%	3.2%
Nondurable Goods	9,800	10,000	10,000	10,000	0.0%	2.0%
Food Man & Beverage & Tobacco	6,800	6,900	6,900	6,900	0.0%	1.5%
Service Providing	114,000	116,200	117,400	116,800	-0.5%	2.5%
Private Service Providing	81,700	82,900	83,800	83,600	-0.2%	2.3%
Trade, Transportation & Utilities	31,300	30,200	31,100	31,000	-0.3%	-1.0%
Wholesale Trade	4,300	4,300	4,300	4,300	0.0%	0.0%
Retail Trade	17,100	16,300	17,200	17,100	-0.6%	0.0%
General Merchandise Stores	4,800	4,400	4,600	4,600	0.0%	-4.2%
Transportation, Warehousing & Utilities	9,900	9,600	9,600	9,600	0.0%	-3.0%
Information	700	700	700	700	0.0%	0.0%
Financial Activities	3,800	3,800	3,800	3,800	0.0%	0.0%
Finance & Insurance	2,400	2,400	2,400	2,400	0.0%	0.0%
Professional & Business Services	10,800	11,100	11,100	11,100	0.0%	2.8%
Educational & Health Services	18,400	19,000	19,000	19,000	0.0%	3.3%
Leisure & Hospitality	13,100	14,300	14,300	14,200	-0.7%	8.4%
Arts, Entertainment & Recreation	800	1,000	1,000	1,000	0.0%	25.0%
Accommodation & Food Services	12,300	13,300	13,300	13,200	-0.8%	7.3%
Accommodation	900	1,000	1,000	1,000	0.0%	11.1%
Food Services & Drinking Places	11,400	12,300	12,300	12,200	-0.8%	7.0%
Other Services	3,600	3,800	3,800	3,800	0.0%	5.6%
Government	32,300	33,300	33,600	33,200	-1.2%	2.8%
Federal Government	900	900	900	900	0.0%	0.0%
State & Local Government	31,400	32,400	32,700	32,300	-1.2%	2.9%
State Government	1,600	1,700	1,700	1,600	-5.9%	0.0%
Local Government	29,800	30,700	31,000	30,700	-1.0%	3.0%
Local Government Excluding Education	13,300	14,000	13,900	13,900	0.0%	4.5%
Special Districts plus Indian Tribes	7,100	7,600	7,600	7,500	-1.3%	5.6%

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.

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March 2021 Benchmark

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	Dec 21	Oct 22	Nov 22 Revised	Dec 22 Prelim	Percent Change Month Year
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