

**California**  
**All Data ARE Adjusted for Seasonality**  
Industry Employment & Labor Force  
March 2008 Benchmark

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	May 08	Mar 09	Apr 09	May 09	Percent Change	
			Revised	Prelim	Month	Year
Civilian Labor Force (1)	18,350,600	18,614,900	18,629,500	18,524,700	-0.6%	0.9%
Civilian Employment	17,097,400	16,523,100	16,564,000	16,386,700	-1.1%	-4.2%
Civilian Unemployment	1,253,300	2,091,800	2,065,500	2,138,000	3.5%	70.6%
Civilian Unemployment Rate	6.8%	11.2%	11.1%	11.5%		
(U.S. Unemployment Rate)	5.5%	8.5%	8.9%	9.4%		

Total Farm (2)	403,300	393,800	373,000	393,700	5.5%	-2.4%
Total Nonfarm	15,087,400	14,475,100	14,412,300	14,343,400	-0.5%	-4.9%
Goods Producing	2,268,500	2,040,900	2,016,900	1,995,700	-1.1%	-12.0%
Mining and Logging	28,600	27,900	27,500	27,200	-1.1%	-4.9%
Construction	803,300	674,800	665,400	654,100	-1.7%	-18.6%
Manufacturing	1,436,600	1,338,200	1,324,000	1,314,400	-0.7%	-8.5%
Durable Goods	908,600	841,900	832,300	821,800	-1.3%	-9.6%
Nondurable Goods	528,000	496,300	491,700	492,600	0.2%	-6.7%
Service Providing	12,818,900	12,434,200	12,395,400	12,347,700	-0.4%	-3.7%
Trade, Transportation & Utilities	2,883,000	2,719,900	2,700,200	2,691,900	-0.3%	-6.6%
Wholesale Trade	712,000	673,000	667,300	665,200	-0.3%	-6.6%
Retail Trade	1,661,500	1,559,900	1,548,900	1,543,800	-0.3%	-7.1%
Transportation, Warehousing & Utilities	509,500	487,000	484,000	482,900	-0.2%	-5.2%
Information	480,700	461,900	455,100	447,000	-1.8%	-7.0%
Financial Activities	855,400	813,700	807,300	803,800	-0.4%	-6.0%
Finance & Insurance	578,200	545,900	540,400	537,900	-0.5%	-7.0%
Real Estate & Rental & Leasing	277,200	267,800	266,900	265,900	-0.4%	-4.1%
Professional & Business Services	2,257,000	2,151,700	2,141,800	2,130,900	-0.5%	-5.6%
Professional, Scientific & Technical Services	1,085,800	1,063,300	1,054,800	1,048,700	-0.6%	-3.4%
Administrative & Support & Waste Services	965,700	892,600	891,900	889,800	-0.2%	-7.9%
Educational & Health Services	1,723,600	1,750,000	1,744,800	1,746,900	0.1%	1.4%
Educational Services	301,200	308,000	306,300	305,400	-0.3%	1.4%
Health Care & Social Assistance	1,422,400	1,442,000	1,438,500	1,441,500	0.2%	1.3%
Leisure & Hospitality	1,577,900	1,522,000	1,518,300	1,515,600	-0.2%	-3.9%
Arts, Entertainment & Recreation	257,600	249,000	247,600	245,800	-0.7%	-4.6%
Accommodation & Food Services	1,320,300	1,273,000	1,270,700	1,269,800	-0.1%	-3.8%
Other Services	517,500	503,600	504,100	502,000	-0.4%	-3.0%
Government	2,523,800	2,511,400	2,523,800	2,509,600	-0.6%	-0.6%
Federal Government	248,900	250,200	263,000	251,600	-4.3%	1.1%
State Government	493,800	495,100	496,400	496,300	0.0%	0.5%
Local Government	1,781,100	1,766,100	1,764,400	1,761,700	-0.2%	-1.1%

**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: Information Desk 916/262-2162

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