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OKLAHOMA EMPLOYMENT REPORT - October 2011

Metropolitan statistical area (MSA) and county information

October's highest county unemployment rate belongs to Latimer County

Latimer County claimed Oklahoma's highest county unemployment rate of 10.2 percent in October 2011. Okmulgee County posted the state's second highest county rate, and McCurtain County recorded the third highest monthly rate. Roger Mills County again reported Oklahoma's lowest county rate. In October, 71 of Oklahoma's 77 counties reported increased unemployment rates over the month.

Highest county unemployment rates*

OCTOBER 2011	Unemp. rate
Latimer County	10.2%
Okmulgee County	9.1%
McCurtain County	9.0%

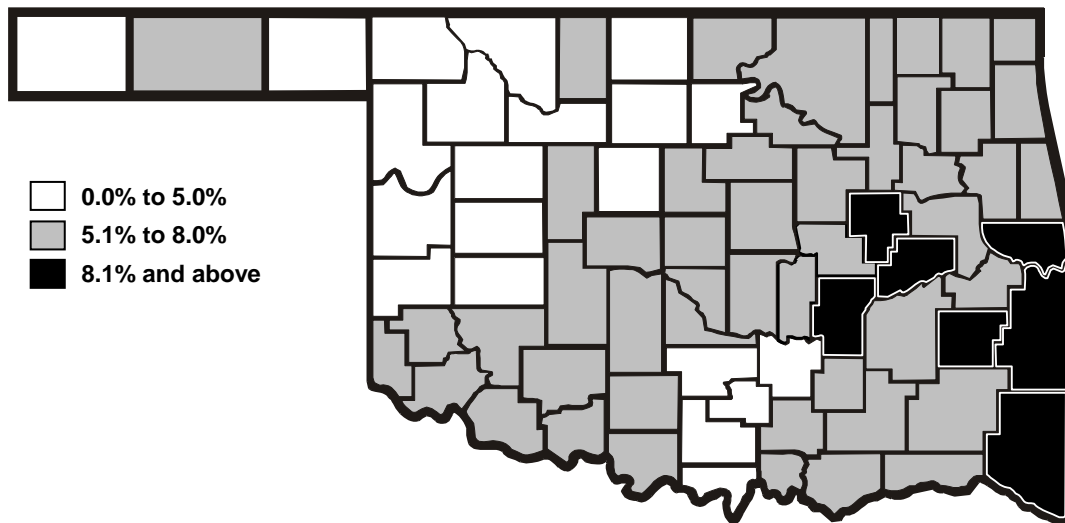
* Non-seasonally adjusted

Lowest county unemployment rates*

OCTOBER 2011	Unemp. rate
Roger Mills County	2.8%
Dewey County	2.9%
Ellis County	3.1%

* Non-seasonally adjusted

UNEMPLOYMENT RATES by COUNTY – October 2011



CURRENT EMPLOYMENT STATISTICS – Oklahoma City MSA*

	NUMBER EMPLOYED			CHANGE			
	Oct '11	Sep '11	Oct '10	Sep '11 to Oct '11	Oct '10 to Oct '11		
Total Non-farm Employment	576,600	572,100	561,300	4,500	0.8%	15,300	2.7%
Total Private Employment**	455,000	452,000	439,200	3,000	0.7%	15,800	3.6%
Private Service Providers***	379,800	377,300	367,600	2,500	0.7%	12,200	3.3%
Goods Producing Industries	75,200	74,700	71,600	500	0.7%	3,600	5.0%
Mining & Logging	16,200	16,100	15,200	100	0.6%	1,000	6.6%
Construction	26,000	25,800	25,200	200	0.8%	800	3.2%
Specialty Trade Contractors	16,200	16,300	16,100	-100	-0.6%	100	0.6%
Manufacturing	33,000	32,800	31,200	200	0.6%	1,800	5.8%
Durable Goods Mfg.	23,500	23,400	22,000	100	0.4%	1,500	6.8%
Machinery Manufacturing	7,000	6,900	6,700	100	1.5%	300	4.5%
Transportation Equip. Mfg.	3,600	3,600	3,200	0	0.0%	400	12.5%
Plastic & Rubber Products	1,400	1,400	1,300	0	0.0%	100	7.7%
Service Providing Industries	501,400	497,400	489,700	4,000	0.8%	11,700	2.4%
Trade, Transportation & Util.	99,600	98,400	96,500	1,200	1.2%	3,100	3.2%
Wholesale Trade	22,300	22,200	22,000	100	0.5%	300	1.4%
Retail Trade	62,000	61,000	59,400	1,000	1.6%	2,600	4.4%
General Merchandise Stores	13,800	13,700	13,900	100	0.7%	-100	-0.7%
Transport, Warehouse & Utils.	15,300	15,200	15,100	100	0.7%	200	1.3%
Information	10,000	10,100	10,400	-100	-1.0%	-400	-3.9%
Telecommunications	4,600	4,700	4,800	-100	-2.1%	-200	-4.2%
Financial Activities	32,700	32,700	32,500	0	0.0%	200	0.6%
Finance & Insurance	22,500	22,500	22,600	0	0.0%	-100	-0.4%
Rental & Leasing Services	4,900	4,800	4,600	100	2.1%	300	6.5%
Pro. & Business Services	77,600	76,600	71,300	1,000	1.3%	6,300	8.8%
Pro., Sci. & Technical Services	26,600	26,200	25,600	400	1.5%	1,000	3.9%
Management of Companies	6,600	6,500	6,100	100	1.5%	500	8.2%
Admin. & Support Services	44,400	43,900	39,600	500	1.1%	4,800	12.1%
Employment Services	15,400	15,900	14,600	-500	-3.1%	800	5.5%
Business Support Svcs.	5,800	5,700	6,000	100	1.8%	-200	-3.3%
Educational & Health Svcs.	78,100	77,300	76,500	800	1.0%	1,600	2.1%
Health Care & Social Asst.	69,000	67,800	67,000	1,200	1.8%	2,000	3.0%
Ambulatory Health Care	26,400	26,300	25,800	100	0.4%	600	2.3%
Hospitals	21,700	21,400	21,700	300	1.4%	0	0.0%
Leisure & Hospitality	59,600	59,800	57,600	-200	-0.3%	2,000	3.5%
Food Svcs./Drinking Places	46,700	47,200	45,900	-500	-1.1%	800	1.7%
Full-service Restaurants	21,300	21,500	21,000	-200	-0.9%	300	1.4%
Limited-service Eating	22,000	22,100	21,000	-100	-0.5%	1,000	4.8%
Other Services	22,200	22,400	22,800	-200	-0.9%	-600	-2.6%
Government	121,600	120,100	122,100	1,500	1.3%	-500	-0.4%
Federal Government	26,900	26,800	28,500	100	0.4%	-1,600	-5.6%
State Government	43,900	43,500	43,500	400	0.9%	400	0.9%
Local Government	50,800	49,800	50,100	1,000	2.0%	700	1.4%

* Data is non-seasonally adjusted

** Total Private Employment = (TOTAL NON-FARM EMPLOYMENT – Government)

*** Private Service Providers = (SERVICE PROVIDING INDUSTRIES – Government)

CURRENT EMPLOYMENT STATISTICS – Tulsa MSA*

	NUMBER EMPLOYED			CHANGE			
	Oct '11	Sep '11	Oct '10	Sep '11 to Oct '11	Oct '10 to Oct '11		
Total Non-farm Employment	419,500	416,600	409,200	2,900	0.7%	10,300	2.5%
Total Private Employment**	364,700	363,700	351,900	1,000	0.3%	12,800	3.6%
Private Service Providers***	285,800	284,800	281,100	1,000	0.4%	4,700	1.7%
Goods Producing Industries	78,900	78,900	70,800	0	0.0%	8,100	11.4%
Mining & Logging	7,200	7,200	7,000	0	0.0%	200	2.9%
Construction	22,300	22,800	20,300	-500	-2.2%	2,000	9.9%
Specialty Trade Contractors	12,400	12,400	12,200	0	0.0%	200	1.6%
Manufacturing	49,400	48,900	43,500	500	1.0%	5,900	13.6%
Machinery Manufacturing	10,200	10,200	9,800	0	0.0%	400	4.1%
Other Gen'l Purpose Mfg.	4,400	4,400	4,500	0	0.0%	-100	-2.2%
Transportation Equip. Mfg.	5,500	5,500	5,300	0	0.0%	200	3.8%
Service Providing Industries	340,600	337,700	338,400	2,900	0.9%	2,200	0.7%
Trade, Transportation & Util.	80,100	79,400	80,400	700	0.9%	-300	-0.4%
Wholesale Trade	15,400	15,300	15,300	100	0.7%	100	0.7%
Retail Trade	43,900	43,200	44,800	700	1.6%	-900	-2.0%
Food & Beverage Stores	5,600	5,600	5,700	0	0.0%	-100	-1.8%
General Merchandise Stores	11,300	11,200	11,600	100	0.9%	-300	-2.6%
Department Stores	4,400	4,300	4,600	100	2.3%	-200	-4.4%
Other Gen'l Merchandise	6,900	6,900	7,000	0	0.0%	-100	-1.4%
Transport, Warehouse & Utils.	20,800	20,900	20,300	-100	-0.5%	500	2.5%
Utilities	3,700	3,900	3,700	-200	-5.1%	0	0.0%
Transportation & Warehouse	17,100	17,000	16,600	100	0.6%	500	3.0%
Air Transportation	7,200	7,300	7,000	-100	-1.4%	200	2.9%
Information	8,200	8,300	8,300	-100	-1.2%	-100	-1.2%
Telecommunications	3,900	4,000	4,200	-100	-2.5%	-300	-7.1%
Financial Activities	22,700	22,800	22,800	-100	-0.4%	-100	-0.4%
Insurance Carriers	3,100	3,100	3,800	0	0.0%	-700	-18.4%
Pro. & Business Services	59,100	58,600	56,000	500	0.9%	3,100	5.5%
Pro., Sci. & Technical Services	17,400	17,300	18,000	100	0.6%	-600	-3.3%
Management of Companies	5,900	5,900	6,000	0	0.0%	-100	-1.7%
Admin. & Support Services	35,800	35,400	32,000	400	1.1%	3,800	11.9%
Employment Services	14,400	14,500	13,400	-100	-0.7%	1,000	7.5%
Business Support Svcs.	7,300	7,300	7,400	0	0.0%	-100	-1.4%
Educational & Health Svcs.	61,400	61,800	60,100	-400	-0.7%	1,300	2.2%
Educational Services	5,900	5,800	6,300	100	1.7%	-400	-6.4%
Health Care & Social Asst.	55,500	56,000	53,800	-500	-0.9%	1,700	3.2%
Ambulatory Health Care	20,100	19,900	19,400	200	1.0%	700	3.6%
Hospitals	19,800	19,600	19,200	200	1.0%	600	3.1%
Leisure & Hospitality	37,900	37,400	36,800	500	1.3%	1,100	3.0%
Food Svcs./Drinking Places	29,800	30,000	29,800	-200	-0.7%	0	0.0%
Full-service Restaurants	14,100	14,200	14,300	-100	-0.7%	-200	-1.4%
Other Services	16,400	16,500	16,700	-100	-0.6%	-300	-1.8%
Government	54,800	52,900	57,300	1,900	3.6%	-2,500	-4.4%
Federal Government	4,800	4,700	4,800	100	2.1%	0	0.0%
State Government	8,400	7,000	9,500	1,400	20.0%	-1,100	-11.6%
Local Government	41,600	41,200	43,000	400	1.0%	-1,400	-3.3%

CURRENT EMPLOYMENT STATISTICS – Lawton MSA*

	NUMBER EMPLOYED			CHANGE			
	Oct '11	Sep '11	Oct '10	Sep '11 to Oct '11		Oct '10 to Oct '11	
Total Non-farm Employment	43,000	43,000	43,700	0	0.0%	-700	-1.6%
Total Private Employment**	28,900	29,000	29,100	-100	-0.3%	-200	-0.7%
Private Service Providers***	22,900	23,100	23,700	-200	-0.9%	-800	-3.4%
Goods Producing Industries	6,000	5,900	5,400	100	1.7%	600	11.1%
Mining, Logging & Construction	2,000	2,000	1,900	0	0.0%	100	5.3%
Manufacturing	4,000	3,900	3,500	100	2.6%	500	14.3%
Service Providing Industries	37,000	37,100	38,300	-100	-0.3%	-1,300	-3.4%
Trade, Transportation & Util.	6,600	6,600	6,900	0	0.0%	-300	-4.4%
Wholesale Trade	500	500	500	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Retail Trade	4,800	4,800	5,000	0	0.0%	-200	-4.0%
Transport, Warehouse & Utils.	1,300	1,300	1,400	0	0.0%	-100	-7.1%
Information	500	500	500	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Financial Activities	2,400	2,500	2,600	-100	-4.0%	-200	-7.7%
Pro. & Business Services	3,400	3,400	3,300	0	0.0%	100	3.0%
Educational & Health Svcs.	3,900	3,900	4,100	0	0.0%	-200	-4.9%
Leisure & Hospitality	4,900	5,000	5,000	-100	-2.0%	-100	-2.0%
Other Services	1,200	1,200	1,300	0	0.0%	-100	-7.7%
Government	14,100	14,000	14,600	100	0.7%	-500	-3.4%
Federal Government	4,500	4,600	4,500	-100	-2.2%	0	0.0%
State Government	1,700	1,500	1,900	200	13.3%	-200	-10.5%
Local Government	7,900	7,900	8,200	0	0.0%	-300	-3.7%

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NOTE:

Each month, Local Area Unemployment Statistics (LAUS) data for the previous month is revised. The following data is marked in the table heading as either preliminary (not revised) or revised. All data is non-seasonally adjusted.

LOCAL AREA UNEMPLOYMENT STATISTICS (preliminary data)
County rankings

	OCTOBER 2011			UNEMPLOYMENT RATE			
	Labor Force	Empl.	Unempl.	Oct '11	Sep '11	Aug '11	Oct '10
1. Latimer County	4,191	3,765	426	10.2%	9.9%	9.4%	9.8%
2. Okmulgee County	15,695	14,269	1,426	9.1%	9.1%	8.2%	9.7%
3. McCurtain County	15,592	14,193	1,399	9.0%	9.1%	8.9%	9.9%
4. Hughes County	5,660	5,170	490	8.7%	8.4%	8.1%	9.9%
5. Sequoyah County	16,668	15,270	1,398	8.4%	9.2%	9.4%	9.5%
6. McIntosh County	8,767	8,038	729	8.3%	8.1%	7.5%	8.8%
7. LeFlore County	19,582	17,998	1,584	8.1%	9.3%	9.5%	9.5%
8. Okfuskee County	4,712	4,358	354	7.5%	7.4%	7.0%	8.7%
9. Greer County	1,970	1,825	145	7.4%	6.7%	6.1%	8.4%
10. Mayes County	17,855	16,537	1,318	7.4%	7.2%	6.7%	8.6%
11. Seminole County	11,071	10,248	823	7.4%	7.3%	6.8%	8.1%
12. Osage County	19,382	17,970	1,412	7.3%	6.9%	6.8%	8.1%
13. Blaine County	4,363	4,047	316	7.2%	6.7%	6.2%	8.2%
14. Muskogee County	31,763	29,465	2,298	7.2%	6.9%	6.4%	7.8%
15. Nowata County	5,011	4,648	363	7.2%	7.1%	6.9%	8.4%
16. Coal County	2,668	2,479	189	7.1%	6.9%	6.6%	7.3%
17. Pawnee County	7,116	6,611	505	7.1%	7.4%	7.2%	8.6%
18. Atoka County	6,071	5,645	426	7.0%	6.9%	6.4%	8.0%
19. Choctaw County	7,310	6,809	501	6.9%	6.8%	6.4%	7.5%
20. Adair County	10,795	10,066	729	6.8%	6.5%	6.0%	7.5%
21. Caddo County	12,769	11,903	866	6.8%	6.5%	6.0%	6.6%
22. Comanche County	46,547	43,394	3,153	6.8%	6.3%	5.6%	6.6%
23. Creek County	30,402	28,329	2,073	6.8%	6.4%	6.3%	7.9%
24. Kay County	22,675	21,140	1,535	6.8%	6.7%	6.1%	7.8%
25. Pushmataha County	5,536	5,158	378	6.8%	6.9%	6.4%	7.9%
26. Haskell County	5,820	5,437	383	6.6%	6.4%	5.9%	7.0%
27. Jefferson County	2,376	2,218	158	6.6%	6.4%	5.7%	7.6%
28. Tulsa County	290,128	271,263	18,865	6.5%	6.3%	5.8%	7.3%
29. Wagoner County	32,983	30,838	2,145	6.5%	6.3%	5.8%	7.4%
30. Delaware County	19,071	17,857	1,214	6.4%	5.9%	5.4%	7.0%
31. Rogers County	39,661	37,170	2,491	6.3%	6.0%	5.5%	7.1%
32. Craig County	6,964	6,531	433	6.2%	5.8%	5.2%	6.3%
33. Johnston County	4,769	4,475	294	6.2%	5.7%	5.4%	6.9%
34. Marshall County	6,539	6,132	407	6.2%	6.0%	5.5%	6.9%
35. Grady County	23,021	21,637	1,384	6.0%	5.8%	5.3%	6.5%
36. Oklahoma County	327,203	307,420	19,783	6.0%	5.8%	5.3%	6.6%
37. Pittsburg County	23,844	22,424	1,420	6.0%	5.6%	5.2%	6.6%
38. Tillman County	3,400	3,195	205	6.0%	5.9%	5.0%	6.2%
39. Lincoln County	13,762	12,949	813	5.9%	5.4%	5.2%	6.4%

	OCTOBER 2011			UNEMPLOYMENT RATE			
	Labor Force	Empl.	Unempl.	Oct '11	Sep '11	Aug '11	Oct '10
40. Pottawatomie County	33,924	31,928	1,996	5.9%	5.6%	5.2%	6.4%
41. Kiowa County	3,989	3,763	226	5.7%	5.0%	4.8%	6.1%
42. Cherokee County	24,855	23,465	1,390	5.6%	5.3%	4.7%	5.8%
43. Harmon County	1,360	1,284	76	5.6%	4.8%	4.2%	5.9%
44. Ottawa County	18,706	17,658	1,048	5.6%	5.5%	5.1%	6.2%
45. Payne County	35,192	33,230	1,962	5.6%	5.3%	5.0%	5.9%
46. Texas County	7,530	7,110	420	5.6%	4.9%	4.4%	5.6%
47. Bryan County	19,541	18,477	1,064	5.4%	5.2%	4.7%	5.3%
48. Cotton County	3,468	3,279	189	5.4%	5.2%	4.6%	5.7%
49. Logan County	18,138	17,163	975	5.4%	5.1%	4.6%	6.2%
50. Alfalfa County	2,354	2,230	124	5.3%	4.8%	4.5%	5.3%
51. Cleveland County	120,693	114,338	6,355	5.3%	5.0%	4.6%	5.7%
52. Stephens County	22,520	21,321	1,199	5.3%	5.0%	4.6%	6.5%
53. Canadian County	53,413	50,614	2,799	5.2%	4.9%	4.4%	5.6%
54. Jackson County	12,666	12,009	657	5.2%	4.8%	4.3%	5.4%
55. McClain County	15,158	14,376	782	5.2%	5.0%	4.7%	5.6%
56. Washington County	27,848	26,413	1,435	5.2%	4.9%	4.4%	5.9%
57. Carter County	28,217	26,813	1,404	5.0%	4.9%	4.5%	5.4%
58. Garvin County	14,790	14,068	722	4.9%	4.6%	4.3%	5.9%
59. Pontotoc County	20,762	19,756	1,006	4.8%	4.6%	4.3%	5.3%
60. Noble County	5,767	5,494	273	4.7%	4.5%	4.3%	5.7%
61. Love County	5,535	5,280	255	4.6%	4.3%	3.8%	5.0%
62. Washita County	6,185	5,915	270	4.4%	3.9%	3.5%	4.7%
63. Garfield County	32,461	31,107	1,354	4.2%	3.9%	3.4%	4.8%
64. Cimarron County	1,191	1,142	49	4.1%	3.9%	3.5%	3.8%
65. Woods County	4,402	4,223	179	4.1%	3.7%	3.3%	4.2%
66. Custer County	16,047	15,413	634	4.0%	3.7%	3.4%	4.6%
67. Major County	4,261	4,090	171	4.0%	3.5%	3.0%	4.6%
68. Woodward County	11,915	11,436	479	4.0%	3.8%	3.4%	5.4%
69. Grant County	2,635	2,531	104	3.9%	3.7%	3.1%	4.0%
70. Kingfisher County	7,900	7,595	305	3.9%	3.5%	3.1%	4.6%
71. Beaver County	3,293	3,174	119	3.6%	3.1%	2.9%	3.4%
72. Beckham County	12,638	12,181	457	3.6%	3.3%	2.9%	4.7%
73. Harper County	1,949	1,881	68	3.5%	3.0%	2.6%	3.8%
74. Murray County	9,266	8,940	326	3.5%	3.4%	3.1%	4.0%
75. Ellis County	2,468	2,391	77	3.1%	2.8%	2.5%	3.9%
76. Dewey County	3,024	2,935	89	2.9%	2.8%	2.6%	4.0%
77. Roger Mills County	2,186	2,124	62	2.8%	2.5%	2.1%	3.7%

LOCAL AREA UNEMPLOYMENT STATISTICS (preliminary data)
By county

	OCTOBER 2011			UNEMPLOYMENT RATE			
	Labor Force	Empl.	Unempl.	Oct '11	Sep '11	Aug '11	Oct '10
Adair County	10,795	10,066	729	6.8%	6.5%	6.0%	7.5%
Alfalfa County	2,354	2,230	124	5.3%	4.8%	4.5%	5.3%
Atoka County	6,071	5,645	426	7.0%	6.9%	6.4%	8.0%
Beaver County	3,293	3,174	119	3.6%	3.1%	2.9%	3.4%
Beckham County	12,638	12,181	457	3.6%	3.3%	2.9%	4.7%
Blaine County	4,363	4,047	316	7.2%	6.7%	6.2%	8.2%
Bryan County	19,541	18,477	1,064	5.4%	5.2%	4.7%	5.3%
Caddo County	12,769	11,903	866	6.8%	6.5%	6.0%	6.6%
Canadian County	53,413	50,614	2,799	5.2%	4.9%	4.4%	5.6%
Carter County	28,217	26,813	1,404	5.0%	4.9%	4.5%	5.4%
Cherokee County	24,855	23,465	1,390	5.6%	5.3%	4.7%	5.8%
Choctaw County	7,310	6,809	501	6.9%	6.8%	6.4%	7.5%
Cimarron County	1,191	1,142	49	4.1%	3.9%	3.5%	3.8%
Cleveland County	120,693	114,338	6,355	5.3%	5.0%	4.6%	5.7%
Coal County	2,668	2,479	189	7.1%	6.9%	6.6%	7.3%
Comanche County	46,547	43,394	3,153	6.8%	6.3%	5.6%	6.6%
Cotton County	3,468	3,279	189	5.4%	5.2%	4.6%	5.7%
Craig County	6,964	6,531	433	6.2%	5.8%	5.2%	6.3%
Creek County	30,402	28,329	2,073	6.8%	6.4%	6.3%	7.9%
Custer County	16,047	15,413	634	4.0%	3.7%	3.4%	4.6%
Delaware County	19,071	17,857	1,214	6.4%	5.9%	5.4%	7.0%
Dewey County	3,024	2,935	89	2.9%	2.8%	2.6%	4.0%
Ellis County	2,468	2,391	77	3.1%	2.8%	2.5%	3.9%
Garfield County	32,461	31,107	1,354	4.2%	3.9%	3.4%	4.8%
Garvin County	14,790	14,068	722	4.9%	4.6%	4.3%	5.9%
Grady County	23,021	21,637	1,384	6.0%	5.8%	5.3%	6.5%
Grant County	2,635	2,531	104	3.9%	3.7%	3.1%	4.0%
Greer County	1,970	1,825	145	7.4%	6.7%	6.1%	8.4%
Harmon County	1,360	1,284	76	5.6%	4.8%	4.2%	5.9%
Harper County	1,949	1,881	68	3.5%	3.0%	2.6%	3.8%
Haskell County	5,820	5,437	383	6.6%	6.4%	5.9%	7.0%
Hughes County	5,660	5,170	490	8.7%	8.4%	8.1%	9.9%
Jackson County	12,666	12,009	657	5.2%	4.8%	4.3%	5.4%
Jefferson County	2,376	2,218	158	6.6%	6.4%	5.7%	7.6%
Johnston County	4,769	4,475	294	6.2%	5.7%	5.4%	6.9%
Kay County	22,675	21,140	1,535	6.8%	6.7%	6.1%	7.8%
Kingfisher County	7,900	7,595	305	3.9%	3.5%	3.1%	4.6%
Kiowa County	3,989	3,763	226	5.7%	5.0%	4.8%	6.1%
Latimer County	4,191	3,765	426	10.2%	9.9%	9.4%	9.8%

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	Labor Force	Empl.	Unempl.	Oct '11	Sep '11	Aug '11	Oct '10
LeFlore County	19,582	17,998	1,584	8.1%	9.3%	9.5%	9.5%
Lincoln County	13,762	12,949	813	5.9%	5.4%	5.2%	6.4%
Logan County	18,138	17,163	975	5.4%	5.1%	4.6%	6.2%
Love County	5,535	5,280	255	4.6%	4.3%	3.8%	5.0%
McClain County	15,158	14,376	782	5.2%	5.0%	4.7%	5.6%
McCurtain County	15,592	14,193	1,399	9.0%	9.1%	8.9%	9.9%
McIntosh County	8,767	8,038	729	8.3%	8.1%	7.5%	8.8%
Major County	4,261	4,090	171	4.0%	3.5%	3.0%	4.6%
Marshall County	6,539	6,132	407	6.2%	6.0%	5.5%	6.9%
Mayes County	17,855	16,537	1,318	7.4%	7.2%	6.7%	8.6%
Murray County	9,266	8,940	326	3.5%	3.4%	3.1%	4.0%
Muskogee County	31,763	29,465	2,298	7.2%	6.9%	6.4%	7.8%
Noble County	5,767	5,494	273	4.7%	4.5%	4.3%	5.7%
Nowata County	5,011	4,648	363	7.2%	7.1%	6.9%	8.4%
Okfuskee County	4,712	4,358	354	7.5%	7.4%	7.0%	8.7%
Oklahoma County	327,203	307,420	19,783	6.0%	5.8%	5.3%	6.6%
Okmulgee County	15,695	14,269	1,426	9.1%	9.1%	8.2%	9.7%
Osage County	19,382	17,970	1,412	7.3%	6.9%	6.8%	8.1%
Ottawa County	18,706	17,658	1,048	5.6%	5.5%	5.1%	6.2%
Pawnee County	7,116	6,611	505	7.1%	7.4%	7.2%	8.6%
Payne County	35,192	33,230	1,962	5.6%	5.3%	5.0%	5.9%
Pittsburg County	23,844	22,424	1,420	6.0%	5.6%	5.2%	6.6%
Pontotoc County	20,762	19,756	1,006	4.8%	4.6%	4.3%	5.3%
Pottawatomie County	33,924	31,928	1,996	5.9%	5.6%	5.2%	6.4%
Pushmataha County	5,536	5,158	378	6.8%	6.9%	6.4%	7.9%
Roger Mills County	2,186	2,124	62	2.8%	2.5%	2.1%	3.7%
Rogers County	39,661	37,170	2,491	6.3%	6.0%	5.5%	7.1%
Seminole County	11,071	10,248	823	7.4%	7.3%	6.8%	8.1%
Sequoyah County	16,668	15,270	1,398	8.4%	9.2%	9.4%	9.5%
Stephens County	22,520	21,321	1,199	5.3%	5.0%	4.6%	6.5%
Texas County	7,530	7,110	420	5.6%	4.9%	4.4%	5.6%
Tillman County	3,400	3,195	205	6.0%	5.9%	5.0%	6.2%
Tulsa County	290,128	271,263	18,865	6.5%	6.3%	5.8%	7.3%
Wagoner County	32,983	30,838	2,145	6.5%	6.3%	5.8%	7.4%
Washington County	27,848	26,413	1,435	5.2%	4.9%	4.4%	5.9%
Washita County	6,185	5,915	270	4.4%	3.9%	3.5%	4.7%
Woods County	4,402	4,223	179	4.1%	3.7%	3.3%	4.2%
Woodward County	11,915	11,436	479	4.0%	3.8%	3.4%	5.4%

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	Labor Force	Empl.	Unempl.	Oct '11	Sep '11	Aug '11	Oct '10
Central WIA	519,447	489,535	29,912	5.8%	5.5%	5.0%	6.3%
Oklahoma City LLM	398,754	375,197	23,557	5.9%	5.7%	5.1%	6.5%
Norman LLM	120,693	114,338	6,355	5.3%	5.0%	4.6%	5.7%
East Central WIA	69,129	64,653	4,476	6.5%	6.2%	5.8%	7.1%
Holdenville LLM	10,372	9,528	844	8.1%	8.0%	7.6%	9.3%
Shawnee LLM	58,757	55,125	3,632	6.2%	5.9%	5.5%	6.7%
Eastern WIA	141,526	131,411	10,115	7.1%	7.0%	6.6%	7.8%
Muskogee LLM	73,513	68,341	5,172	7.0%	6.8%	6.3%	7.8%
Okmulgee LLM	15,695	14,269	1,426	9.1%	9.1%	8.2%	9.7%
Tahlequah-Sallisaw LLM	52,318	48,801	3,517	6.7%	6.8%	6.5%	7.4%
North Central WIA	117,608	111,464	6,144	5.2%	4.9%	4.5%	5.9%
Enid LLM	53,974	51,600	2,374	4.4%	4.1%	3.6%	5.0%
Ponca City LLM	28,442	26,634	1,808	6.4%	6.2%	5.7%	7.4%
Stillwater LLM	35,192	33,230	1,962	5.6%	5.3%	5.0%	5.9%
Northeast WIA	135,116	126,814	8,302	6.1%	5.9%	5.4%	6.9%
Bartlesville LLM	32,859	31,061	1,798	5.5%	5.2%	4.8%	6.3%
Claremore-Pryor LLM	76,587	71,564	5,023	6.6%	6.3%	5.8%	7.4%
Miami-Vinita LLM	25,670	24,189	1,481	5.8%	5.6%	5.1%	6.2%
Northwest WIA	35,772	34,292	1,480	4.1%	3.8%	3.4%	4.7%
Guymon LLM	12,014	11,426	588	4.9%	4.3%	3.9%	4.8%
Woodward LLM	23,758	22,866	892	3.8%	3.5%	3.1%	4.7%
South Central WIA	129,259	121,323	7,936	6.1%	5.8%	5.3%	6.4%
Chickasha LLM	50,948	47,916	3,032	6.0%	5.7%	5.3%	6.3%
Duncan LLM	24,896	23,539	1,357	5.5%	5.2%	4.7%	6.6%
Lawton LLM	53,415	49,868	3,547	6.6%	6.2%	5.5%	6.5%
Southeast WIA	81,875	75,784	6,091	7.4%	7.6%	7.4%	8.3%
Broken Bow-Idabel- Antlers-Hugo LLM	28,438	26,160	2,278	8.0%	8.1%	7.8%	8.9%
McAlester LLM	28,035	26,189	1,846	6.6%	6.3%	5.8%	7.1%
Poteau LLM	25,402	23,435	1,967	7.7%	8.6%	8.7%	9.0%
Southern WIA	118,158	112,065	6,093	5.2%	5.0%	4.6%	5.6%
Ada LLM	35,552	33,824	1,728	4.9%	4.6%	4.3%	5.5%
Ardmore LLM	43,018	41,033	1,985	4.6%	4.5%	4.1%	5.1%
Durant LLM	39,588	37,208	2,380	6.0%	5.8%	5.3%	6.3%
Southwest WIA	57,041	54,514	2,527	4.4%	4.1%	3.7%	5.1%
Altus LLM	19,985	18,881	1,104	5.5%	5.0%	4.6%	5.9%
Elk City-Weatherford- Clinton LLM	37,056	35,633	1,423	3.8%	3.5%	3.1%	4.6%
Tulsa WIA	347,028	324,173	22,855	6.6%	6.3%	6.0%	7.4%
Tulsa LLM	347,028	324,173	22,855	6.6%	6.3%	6.0%	7.4%

	OCTOBER 2011			UNEMPLOYMENT RATE			
	Labor Force	Empl.	Unempl.	Oct '11	Sep '11	Aug '11	Oct '10
Oklahoma City MSA	571,388	538,497	32,891	5.8%	5.5%	5.0%	6.3%
Tulsa MSA	435,365	406,449	28,916	6.6%	6.4%	6.0%	7.5%
Lawton MSA	46,547	43,394	3,153	6.8%	6.3%	5.6%	6.6%

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	Labor Force	Empl.	Unempl.	Sep '11	Aug '11	Jul '11	Sep '10
Adair County	10,812	10,112	700	6.5%	6.0%	6.8%	7.6%
Alfalfa County	2,421	2,304	117	4.8%	4.5%	5.1%	5.2%
Atoka County	6,053	5,633	420	6.9%	6.4%	7.0%	8.4%
Beaver County	3,353	3,248	105	3.1%	2.9%	3.1%	3.0%
Beckham County	12,668	12,248	420	3.3%	2.9%	3.3%	4.4%
Blaine County	4,401	4,106	295	6.7%	6.2%	7.0%	8.8%
Bryan County	19,658	18,630	1,028	5.2%	4.7%	4.9%	5.1%
Caddo County	12,776	11,943	833	6.5%	6.0%	7.0%	6.4%
Canadian County	52,911	50,313	2,598	4.9%	4.4%	4.9%	5.4%
Carter County	27,950	26,582	1,368	4.9%	4.5%	4.7%	5.2%
Cherokee County	24,702	23,387	1,315	5.3%	4.7%	5.2%	5.9%
Choctaw County	7,304	6,806	498	6.8%	6.4%	6.9%	7.6%
Cimarron County	1,270	1,220	50	3.9%	3.5%	3.7%	3.4%
Cleveland County	119,580	113,657	5,923	5.0%	4.6%	5.0%	5.4%
Coal County	2,677	2,493	184	6.9%	6.6%	7.5%	7.4%
Comanche County	46,464	43,537	2,927	6.3%	5.6%	6.1%	6.3%
Cotton County	3,476	3,296	180	5.2%	4.6%	4.8%	5.5%
Craig County	7,034	6,629	405	5.8%	5.2%	5.4%	6.3%
Creek County	30,255	28,310	1,945	6.4%	6.3%	6.8%	8.2%
Custer County	15,984	15,396	588	3.7%	3.4%	3.9%	4.4%
Delaware County	19,204	18,073	1,131	5.9%	5.4%	5.9%	6.7%
Dewey County	3,039	2,953	86	2.8%	2.6%	3.1%	3.8%
Ellis County	2,504	2,433	71	2.8%	2.5%	3.0%	3.8%
Garfield County	32,424	31,156	1,268	3.9%	3.4%	3.7%	4.7%
Garvin County	14,710	14,028	682	4.6%	4.3%	4.7%	5.7%
Grady County	22,823	21,508	1,315	5.8%	5.3%	5.9%	6.4%
Grant County	2,699	2,598	101	3.7%	3.1%	3.6%	3.9%
Greer County	1,999	1,865	134	6.7%	6.1%	7.2%	8.3%
Harmon County	1,382	1,315	67	4.8%	4.2%	4.7%	5.4%
Harper County	2,004	1,943	61	3.0%	2.6%	3.1%	3.5%
Haskell County	5,836	5,460	376	6.4%	5.9%	6.4%	7.2%
Hughes County	5,668	5,190	478	8.4%	8.1%	9.3%	9.9%
Jackson County	12,619	12,015	604	4.8%	4.3%	4.9%	5.2%
Jefferson County	2,423	2,269	154	6.4%	5.7%	6.6%	7.8%
Johnston County	4,799	4,526	273	5.7%	5.4%	5.9%	7.2%
Kay County	22,299	20,808	1,491	6.7%	6.1%	6.5%	7.9%
Kingfisher County	7,950	7,669	281	3.5%	3.1%	3.7%	4.5%
Kiowa County	4,079	3,874	205	5.0%	4.8%	5.2%	5.9%
Latimer County	4,214	3,795	419	9.9%	9.4%	9.7%	9.6%

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LeFlore County	19,841	18,004	1,837	9.3%	9.5%	9.5%	9.6%
Lincoln County	13,610	12,872	738	5.4%	5.2%	5.8%	6.2%
Logan County	17,976	17,061	915	5.1%	4.6%	5.1%	5.9%
Love County	5,472	5,235	237	4.3%	3.8%	4.6%	4.6%
McClain County	15,041	14,291	750	5.0%	4.7%	5.4%	5.5%
McCurtain County	15,667	14,249	1,418	9.1%	8.9%	9.6%	10.7%
McIntosh County	8,826	8,114	712	8.1%	7.5%	8.2%	8.5%
Major County	4,341	4,187	154	3.5%	3.0%	3.6%	4.5%
Marshall County	6,545	6,154	391	6.0%	5.5%	5.8%	7.2%
Mayes County	17,976	16,689	1,287	7.2%	6.7%	7.2%	8.7%
Murray County	9,215	8,902	313	3.4%	3.1%	3.3%	4.0%
Muskogee County	31,676	29,476	2,200	6.9%	6.4%	6.9%	7.5%
Noble County	5,817	5,558	259	4.5%	4.3%	4.4%	5.7%
Nowata County	5,037	4,679	358	7.1%	6.9%	7.8%	8.6%
Okfuskee County	4,701	4,353	348	7.4%	7.0%	8.1%	9.0%
Oklahoma County	324,423	305,590	18,833	5.8%	5.3%	5.7%	6.5%
Okmulgee County	15,678	14,259	1,419	9.1%	8.2%	8.8%	9.6%
Osage County	19,291	17,957	1,334	6.9%	6.8%	7.2%	8.1%
Ottawa County	18,685	17,658	1,027	5.5%	5.1%	5.3%	6.3%
Pawnee County	7,134	6,606	528	7.4%	7.2%	7.3%	8.7%
Payne County	34,849	33,014	1,835	5.3%	5.0%	5.3%	5.7%
Pittsburg County	23,823	22,479	1,344	5.6%	5.2%	5.5%	6.7%
Pontotoc County	20,542	19,593	949	4.6%	4.3%	5.1%	5.1%
Pottawatomie County	33,620	31,733	1,887	5.6%	5.2%	5.5%	6.2%
Pushmataha County	5,576	5,190	386	6.9%	6.4%	7.4%	8.3%
Roger Mills County	2,193	2,139	54	2.5%	2.1%	2.7%	3.4%
Rogers County	39,534	37,145	2,389	6.0%	5.5%	5.9%	7.2%
Seminole County	11,063	10,253	810	7.3%	6.8%	7.3%	8.5%
Sequoyah County	16,819	15,276	1,543	9.2%	9.4%	9.1%	9.6%
Stephens County	22,427	21,301	1,126	5.0%	4.6%	5.0%	6.5%
Texas County	7,678	7,300	378	4.9%	4.4%	5.2%	5.1%
Tillman County	3,463	3,259	204	5.9%	5.0%	6.6%	5.9%
Tulsa County	289,223	271,081	18,142	6.3%	5.8%	6.2%	7.3%
Wagoner County	32,884	30,817	2,067	6.3%	5.8%	6.0%	7.3%
Washington County	27,729	26,372	1,357	4.9%	4.4%	4.6%	5.8%
Washita County	6,300	6,054	246	3.9%	3.5%	4.2%	4.8%
Woods County	4,348	4,188	160	3.7%	3.3%	3.8%	3.9%
Woodward County	11,827	11,382	445	3.8%	3.4%	3.8%	5.3%

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Central WIA	514,890	486,621	28,269	5.5%	5.0%	5.5%	6.1%
Oklahoma City LLM	395,310	372,964	22,346	5.7%	5.1%	5.6%	6.3%
Norman LLM	119,580	113,657	5,923	5.0%	4.6%	5.0%	5.4%
East Central WIA	68,662	64,401	4,261	6.2%	5.8%	6.3%	7.1%
Holdenville LLM	10,369	9,543	826	8.0%	7.6%	8.8%	9.5%
Shawnee LLM	58,293	54,858	3,435	5.9%	5.5%	5.9%	6.7%
Eastern WIA	141,397	131,441	9,956	7.0%	6.6%	7.0%	7.8%
Muskogee LLM	73,386	68,407	4,979	6.8%	6.3%	6.7%	7.5%
Okmulgee LLM	15,678	14,259	1,419	9.1%	8.2%	8.8%	9.6%
Tahlequah-Sallisaw LLM	52,333	48,775	3,558	6.8%	6.5%	6.8%	7.5%
North Central WIA	117,201	111,400	5,801	4.9%	4.5%	4.9%	5.8%
Enid LLM	54,236	52,020	2,216	4.1%	3.6%	4.0%	5.0%
Ponca City LLM	28,116	26,366	1,750	6.2%	5.7%	6.1%	7.5%
Stillwater LLM	34,849	33,014	1,835	5.3%	5.0%	5.3%	5.7%
Northeast WIA	135,199	127,245	7,954	5.9%	5.4%	5.8%	6.9%
Bartlesville LLM	32,766	31,051	1,715	5.2%	4.8%	5.1%	6.2%
Claremore-Pryor LLM	76,714	71,907	4,807	6.3%	5.8%	6.2%	7.4%
Miami-Vinita LLM	25,719	24,287	1,432	5.6%	5.1%	5.4%	6.3%
Northwest WIA	36,023	34,667	1,356	3.8%	3.4%	3.9%	4.5%
Guymon LLM	12,301	11,768	533	4.3%	3.9%	4.5%	4.4%
Woodward LLM	23,722	22,899	823	3.5%	3.1%	3.6%	4.5%
South Central WIA	128,893	121,404	7,489	5.8%	5.3%	5.9%	6.3%
Chickasha LLM	50,640	47,742	2,898	5.7%	5.3%	6.0%	6.1%
Duncan LLM	24,850	23,570	1,280	5.2%	4.7%	5.2%	6.7%
Lawton LLM	53,403	50,092	3,311	6.2%	5.5%	6.1%	6.2%
Southeast WIA	82,261	75,983	6,278	7.6%	7.4%	7.8%	8.5%
Broken Bow-Idabel- Antlers-Hugo LLM	28,547	26,245	2,302	8.1%	7.8%	8.5%	9.4%
McAlester LLM	28,037	26,274	1,763	6.3%	5.8%	6.2%	7.2%
Poteau LLM	25,677	23,464	2,213	8.6%	8.7%	8.8%	9.1%
Southern WIA	117,621	111,776	5,845	5.0%	4.6%	5.0%	5.5%
Ada LLM	35,252	33,621	1,631	4.6%	4.3%	4.9%	5.4%
Ardmore LLM	42,637	40,719	1,918	4.5%	4.1%	4.4%	4.8%
Durant LLM	39,732	37,436	2,296	5.8%	5.3%	5.6%	6.3%
Southwest WIA	57,224	54,906	2,318	4.1%	3.7%	4.2%	4.9%
Altus LLM	20,079	19,069	1,010	5.0%	4.6%	5.2%	5.7%
Elk City-Weatherford- Clinton LLM	37,145	35,837	1,308	3.5%	3.1%	3.7%	4.4%
Tulsa WIA	345,903	323,954	21,949	6.3%	6.0%	6.4%	7.4%
Tulsa LLM	345,903	323,954	21,949	6.3%	6.0%	6.4%	7.4%

	SEPTEMBER 2011			UNEMPLOYMENT RATE			
	Labor Force	Empl.	Unempl.	Sep '11	Aug '11	Jul '11	Sep '10
Oklahoma City MSA	566,362	535,291	31,071	5.5%	5.0%	5.5%	6.1%
Tulsa MSA	434,000	406,176	27,824	6.4%	6.0%	6.4%	7.5%
Lawton MSA	46,464	43,537	2,927	6.3%	5.6%	6.1%	6.3%