

Table 15. Private-sector gross job gains and losses as a percent of total employment by State, seasonally adjusted, December 2006 to December 2007

State	Gross job gains as a percent of employment (3 months ended)					Gross job losses as a percent of employment (3 months ended)				
	Dec. 2006	March 2007	June 2007	Sept. 2007	Dec. 2007	Dec. 2006	March 2007	June 2007	Sept. 2007	Dec. 2007
United States	7.0	6.6	6.7	6.4	6.8	6.5	6.2	6.5	6.6	6.5
Alabama	6.8	7.1	6.2	6.3	6.7	6.7	5.7	6.7	6.3	6.5
Alaska	11.0	10.3	11.9	9.4	10.4	11.4	9.5	10.0	11.1	11.1
Arizona	7.2	7.0	6.8	6.9	7.0	7.3	6.8	7.0	7.1	7.7
Arkansas	6.4	6.2	5.6	5.7	6.2	6.0	5.4	6.3	5.8	5.5
California	7.6	7.3	7.2	7.0	7.7	7.0	7.0	7.4	7.1	7.0
Colorado	7.9	7.6	7.8	7.7	7.5	7.3	6.8	7.0	7.4	7.3
Connecticut	6.0	5.3	6.2	5.4	5.9	5.4	5.7	5.3	5.8	5.7
Delaware	7.2	8.1	6.8	6.5	7.2	6.4	7.7	6.6	7.5	6.4
District of Columbia	5.9	6.4	6.1	6.0	6.0	6.0	5.2	5.9	6.5	5.9
Florida	7.3	6.7	7.1	7.1	7.2	7.5	6.6	7.4	7.8	8.0
Georgia	7.8	7.3	7.1	7.1	7.3	7.4	6.7	7.3	7.1	7.6
Hawaii	5.4	5.5	5.8	5.1	5.4	5.2	5.2	5.4	6.0	5.1
Idaho	8.7	8.8	8.1	7.6	8.5	7.4	7.4	8.1	8.2	7.7
Illinois	5.8	5.5	5.9	5.3	5.7	5.6	5.4	5.3	5.7	5.5
Indiana	6.1	5.8	6.1	5.7	5.8	6.0	5.6	5.8	6.1	6.0
Iowa	6.4	5.8	6.4	5.7	6.1	5.9	5.9	5.8	6.0	5.8
Kansas	7.8	7.1	6.4	6.8	6.6	6.2	6.1	6.9	6.1	6.5
Kentucky	7.2	6.8	6.4	5.7	6.5	6.1	6.4	6.2	6.3	6.1
Louisiana	8.2	8.0	7.2	7.0	7.5	7.0	6.5	7.4	6.8	6.7
Maine	8.2	7.4	8.0	7.6	8.0	7.5	7.4	7.6	7.9	7.3
Maryland	6.6	6.3	6.2	6.5	6.4	6.3	6.1	6.1	6.6	6.6
Massachusetts	6.0	5.6	6.4	5.9	5.9	5.8	5.6	5.3	6.2	6.1
Michigan	6.4	6.1	6.7	6.3	6.4	7.2	6.5	6.4	6.9	7.0
Minnesota	6.4	6.1	6.5	6.4	6.1	6.4	5.8	6.2	6.0	6.2
Mississippi	7.5	6.7	6.6	7.0	7.2	6.5	7.0	7.3	6.5	6.3
Missouri	6.6	6.5	6.2	6.3	6.0	6.3	5.8	6.3	6.3	6.2
Montana	9.4	9.0	8.4	8.1	9.0	7.7	7.4	8.6	8.2	7.9
Nebraska	6.4	6.0	6.3	6.3	6.2	6.0	5.4	5.8	5.8	6.2
Nevada	7.1	6.9	6.5	6.1	7.6	6.8	6.2	6.7	7.3	6.8
New Hampshire	7.3	6.6	7.5	6.6	7.3	6.9	6.8	6.8	7.2	7.2
New Jersey	6.8	6.0	7.2	6.4	6.8	6.6	6.4	6.3	6.8	6.5
New Mexico	7.9	7.1	6.8	7.2	7.4	7.3	6.2	7.3	7.3	6.9
New York	7.0	6.2	7.0	6.2	7.0	6.2	6.3	6.6	6.6	6.2
North Carolina	8.1	7.1	6.8	6.6	6.8	6.3	6.1	6.6	6.5	6.4
North Dakota	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.2	6.6	6.5	6.8	6.5	6.2
Ohio	6.0	5.7	6.2	5.5	6.0	6.3	5.7	5.8	6.0	6.1
Oklahoma	7.2	7.0	7.0	6.7	6.5	6.8	6.1	7.3	6.4	6.4
Oregon	7.4	7.1	6.9	6.9	7.3	6.8	6.5	7.1	6.7	7.1
Pennsylvania	5.8	5.7	6.1	5.4	5.9	5.7	5.4	5.5	5.7	5.6
Rhode Island	6.8	5.9	6.8	5.6	6.1	6.7	6.4	6.2	7.0	6.6
South Carolina	7.1	7.3	6.7	6.3	6.6	6.2	6.3	6.9	6.4	6.7
South Dakota	7.1	6.5	6.8	6.4	6.6	6.2	5.9	6.1	6.3	6.2
Tennessee	6.7	6.4	6.1	6.0	6.1	6.7	6.1	6.0	6.0	5.7
Texas	6.8	6.4	6.5	6.3	6.5	5.7	5.5	5.7	5.8	5.7
Utah	8.0	8.0	7.6	7.2	7.9	6.5	6.2	6.9	7.2	7.3
Vermont	7.6	6.8	7.6	7.5	8.1	7.3	7.6	7.7	8.0	7.4
Virginia	6.5	6.5	6.3	5.9	6.0	6.1	5.9	6.1	6.3	5.9
Washington	7.9	8.0	7.7	7.0	7.7	7.1	6.5	6.9	7.3	6.8
West Virginia	7.2	6.8	6.5	6.2	6.9	6.5	6.6	6.6	6.8	6.3
Wisconsin	6.2	6.0	6.1	5.4	5.7	6.0	5.9	5.6	6.0	5.7
Wyoming	10.7	10.2	8.8	9.8	10.5	7.8	8.4	10.0	9.1	8.2
Puerto Rico	7.5	5.8	6.4	7.0	6.8	6.4	7.4	6.9	6.9	6.7
Virgin Islands	7.1	6.4	10.6	6.4	6.6	6.0	7.6	7.2	9.8	6.6

NOTE: Totals for the United States do not include data for Puerto Rico or the Virgin Islands.