

Kentucky Employment: February 2021
(Seasonally Adjusted)

| | Feb 2021 | Jan 2021 | Feb 2020 | OVER-the-MONTH Change | OVER-the-MONTH Rate | OVER-the-YEAR Change | OVER-the-YEAR Rate |
|---|------------------|------------------|------------------|----------------------------------|--------------------------------|---------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| Civilian Labor Force | 1,993,122 | 1,989,380 | 2,077,898 | 3,742 | 0.2% | -84,776 | -4.1% |
| Employment | 1,889,699 | 1,882,979 | 1,991,434 | 6,720 | 0.4% | -101,735 | -5.1% |
| Unemployment | 103,423 | 106,401 | 86,464 | -2,978 | -2.8% | 16,959 | 19.6% |
| Unemployment Rate | 5.2% | 5.3% | 4.2% | -0.1% | - | 1.0% | - |
| U.S. Unemployment Rate | 6.2% | 6.3% | 3.5% | -0.1% | - | 2.7% | - |
| Total Nonfarm Employment | 1,856,600 | 1,852,300 | 1,957,000 | 4,300 | 0.2% | -100,400 | -5.1% |
| Private Sector Employment | 1,562,300 | 1,562,200 | 1,644,900 | 100 | 0.0% | -82,600 | -5.0% |
| Goods Producing Industries | 327,400 | 326,600 | 340,700 | 800 | 0.2% | -13,300 | -3.9% |
| Mining and Logging | 7,400 | 7,400 | 8,700 | 0 | 0.0% | -1,300 | -14.9% |
| Construction | 78,400 | 79,200 | 81,300 | -800 | -1.0% | -2,900 | -3.6% |
| Manufacturing | 241,600 | 240,000 | 250,700 | 1,600 | 0.7% | -9,100 | -3.6% |
| Durable Goods | 154,100 | 152,800 | 162,400 | 1,300 | 0.9% | -8,300 | -5.1% |
| Non-durable Goods | 87,500 | 87,200 | 88,300 | 300 | 0.3% | -800 | -0.9% |
| Private Service Providing Industries | 1,234,900 | 1,235,600 | 1,304,200 | -700 | -0.1% | -69,300 | -5.3% |
| Trade, Transportation, & Utilities | 403,300 | 404,500 | 405,700 | -1,200 | -0.3% | -2,400 | -0.6% |
| Wholesale Trade | 72,000 | 72,600 | 75,600 | -600 | -0.8% | -3,600 | -4.8% |
| Retail Trade | 204,500 | 206,000 | 208,500 | -1,500 | -0.7% | -4,000 | -1.9% |
| Transp, Warehousing, & Util. | 126,800 | 125,900 | 121,600 | 900 | 0.7% | 5,200 | 4.3% |
| Information | 20,300 | 20,500 | 21,600 | -200 | -1.0% | -1,300 | -6.0% |
| Financial Activities | 95,000 | 95,400 | 94,600 | -400 | -0.4% | 400 | 0.4% |
| Finance and Insurance | 74,700 | 75,000 | 73,500 | -300 | -0.4% | 1,200 | 1.6% |
| Real Estate, Rental & Leasing | 20,300 | 20,400 | 21,100 | -100 | -0.5% | -800 | -3.8% |
| Professional and Business Services | 212,000 | 211,500 | 218,000 | 500 | 0.2% | -6,000 | -2.8% |
| Prof, Scientific, & Tech Services | 77,200 | 76,800 | 78,300 | 400 | 0.5% | -1,100 | -1.4% |
| Management of Companies | 19,600 | 19,800 | 20,500 | -200 | -1.0% | -900 | -4.4% |
| Admin & Support & Waste Mgmt | 115,200 | 114,900 | 119,200 | 300 | 0.3% | -4,000 | -3.4% |
| Educational & Health Services | 275,500 | 275,500 | 290,800 | 0 | 0.0% | -15,300 | -5.3% |
| Educational Services | 26,100 | 26,300 | 30,300 | -200 | -0.8% | -4,200 | -13.9% |
| Health Care & Social Assistance | 249,400 | 249,200 | 260,500 | 200 | 0.1% | -11,100 | -4.3% |
| Leisure and Hospitality | 167,900 | 167,100 | 204,800 | 800 | 0.5% | -36,900 | -18.0% |
| Arts, Entertainment & Recreation | 23,000 | 23,100 | 24,400 | -100 | -0.4% | -1,400 | -5.7% |
| Accommodation & Food Services | 144,900 | 144,000 | 180,400 | 900 | 0.6% | -35,500 | -19.7% |
| Other Services | 60,900 | 61,100 | 68,700 | -200 | -0.3% | -7,800 | -11.4% |
| Government | 294,300 | 290,100 | 312,100 | 4,200 | 1.4% | -17,800 | -5.7% |
| Federal | 34,900 | 34,800 | 34,500 | 100 | 0.3% | 400 | 1.2% |
| State | 89,000 | 85,500 | 93,800 | 3,500 | 4.1% | -4,800 | -5.1% |
| Local | 170,400 | 169,800 | 183,800 | 600 | 0.4% | -13,400 | -7.3% |

Sources: Kentucky Center for Statistics, Kentucky Education & Workforce Development Cabinet.
Bureau of Labor Statistics, U.S. Department of Labor.