

**Kentucky Employment: March 2024**  
(Seasonally Adjusted)

	<b>Mar 2024</b>	<b>Feb 2024</b>	<b>Mar 2023</b>	<b>OVER-the-MONTH Change</b>	<b>OVER-the-MONTH Rate Change</b>	<b>OVER-the-YEAR Change</b>	<b>OVER-the-YEAR Rate Change</b>
Civilian Labor Force	2,027,717	2,024,570	2,027,214	3,147	0.2%	503	0.0%
Employment	1,937,129	1,935,984	1,945,839	1,145	0.1%	-8,710	-0.4%
Unemployment	90,588	88,586	81,375	2,002	2.3%	9,213	11.3%
Unemployment Rate	4.5%	4.4%	4.0%	0.1%	-	0.5%	-
U.S. Unemployment Rate	3.8%	3.9%	3.5%	-0.1%	-	0.3%	-
<b>Total Nonfarm Employment</b>	<b>2,036,900</b>	<b>2,027,500</b>	<b>2,011,900</b>	<b>9,400</b>	<b>0.5%</b>	<b>25,000</b>	<b>1.2%</b>
<b>Private Sector Employment</b>	<b>1,724,000</b>	<b>1,714,900</b>	<b>1,706,500</b>	<b>9,100</b>	<b>0.5%</b>	<b>17,500</b>	<b>1.0%</b>
<b>Goods Producing Industries</b>	<b>357,300</b>	<b>355,600</b>	<b>353,900</b>	<b>1,700</b>	<b>0.5%</b>	<b>3,400</b>	<b>1.0%</b>
Mining and Logging	9,000	9,000	8,800	0	0.0%	200	2.3%
Construction	92,300	91,100	88,400	1,200	1.3%	3,900	4.4%
Manufacturing	256,000	255,500	256,700	500	0.2%	-700	-0.3%
Durable Goods	167,000	166,800	166,700	200	0.1%	300	0.2%
Non-durable Goods	89,000	88,700	90,000	300	0.3%	-1,000	-1.1%
<b>Private Service Providing Industries</b>	<b>1,366,700</b>	<b>1,359,300</b>	<b>1,352,600</b>	<b>7,400</b>	<b>0.5%</b>	<b>14,100</b>	<b>1.0%</b>
Trade, Transportation, & Utilities	425,700	425,100	426,900	600	0.1%	-1,200	-0.3%
Wholesale Trade	78,700	78,800	80,200	-100	-0.1%	-1,500	-1.9%
Retail Trade	207,900	206,500	208,200	1,400	0.7%	-300	-0.1%
Transp, Warehousing, & Util.	139,100	139,800	138,500	-700	-0.5%	600	0.4%
Information	22,400	22,700	23,100	-300	-1.3%	-700	-3.0%
Financial Activities	95,900	95,200	97,200	700	0.7%	-1,300	-1.3%
Finance and Insurance	73,700	73,300	75,100	400	0.5%	-1,400	-1.9%
Real Estate, Rental & Leasing	22,200	21,900	22,100	300	1.4%	100	0.5%
Professional and Business Services	229,600	227,000	229,700	2,600	1.1%	-100	0.0%
Prof, Scientific, & Tech Services	88,600	88,000	85,900	600	0.7%	2,700	3.1%
Management of Companies	23,500	23,400	22,900	100	0.4%	600	2.6%
Admin & Support & Waste Mgmt	117,500	115,600	120,900	1,900	1.6%	-3,400	-2.8%
Educational & Health Services	313,000	311,200	300,700	1,800	0.6%	12,300	4.1%
Educational Services	30,400	30,100	29,400	300	1.0%	1,000	3.4%
Health Care & Social Assistance	282,600	281,100	271,300	1,500	0.5%	11,300	4.2%
Leisure and Hospitality	207,400	205,600	203,600	1,800	0.9%	3,800	1.9%
Arts, Entertainment & Recreation	25,800	25,200	25,500	600	2.4%	300	1.2%
Accommodation & Food Services	181,600	180,400	178,100	1,200	0.7%	3,500	2.0%
Other Services	72,700	72,500	71,400	200	0.3%	1,300	1.8%
<b>Government</b>	<b>312,900</b>	<b>312,600</b>	<b>305,400</b>	<b>300</b>	<b>0.1%</b>	<b>7,500</b>	<b>2.5%</b>
Federal	36,500	36,300	34,900	200	0.6%	1,600	4.6%
State	95,100	95,100	92,300	0	0.0%	2,800	3.0%
Local	181,300	181,200	178,200	100	0.1%	3,100	1.7%

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