

ARKANSAS NONFARM PAYROLL EMPLOYMENT
(Thousands, Seasonally Adjusted)

Industry Sector based on 2022 North American Industry Classification System (NAICS)	May 2023	April 2023	May 2022	Change from April 2023	Change from May 2022
Total Nonfarm Payroll Jobs	1,362.7	1,356.8	1,326.4	5.9	36.3
Goods Producing	232.3	230.5	224.4	1.8	7.9
Mining, Logging, and Construction	67.5	66.8	61.9	0.7	5.6
Mining & Logging	4.9	4.9	5.1	0.0	-0.2
Construction	62.6	61.9	56.8	0.7	5.8
Specialty Trade Contractors					
Manufacturing	164.8	163.7	162.5	1.1	2.3
Durable Goods	80.1	79.9	78.5	0.2	1.6
Nondurable Goods	84.7	83.8	84.0	0.9	0.7
Service Providing	1,130.4	1,126.3	1,102.0	4.1	28.4
Trade, Transportation, & Utilities	273.8	274.8	268.5	-1.0	5.3
Wholesale Trade	53.4	53.8	50.2	-0.4	3.2
Retail Trade	143.5	143.6	143.9	-0.1	-0.4
Transportation & Utilities	76.9	77.4	74.4	-0.5	2.5
Information	12.5	12.7	12.6	-0.2	-0.1
Financial Activities	71.1	70.5	70.4	0.6	0.7
Finance & Insurance	56.4	56.0	55.8	0.4	0.6
Real Estate & Rental & Leasing	14.7	14.5	14.6	0.2	0.1
Professional & Business Services	153.7	152.1	152.2	1.6	1.5
Professional, Scientific, & Technical	49.8	48.8	47.2	1.0	2.6
Management of Companies	40.5	40.3	37.2	0.2	3.3
Administrative & Support Services	63.4	63.0	67.8	0.4	-4.4
Educational & Health Services	204.2	203.2	198.3	1.0	5.9
Educational Services	18.2	18.3	17.5	-0.1	0.7
Health Care & Social Assistance	186.0	184.9	180.8	1.1	5.2
Ambulatory Health Care					
Social Assistance					
Leisure & Hospitality	131.7	130.2	120.9	1.5	10.8
Arts, Entertainment, & Recreation	14.9	14.4	12.8	0.5	2.1
Accommodation & Food Services	116.8	115.8	108.1	1.0	8.7
Accommodation Services					
Food Services					
Other Services	74.3	73.6	71.2	0.7	3.1
Repair and Maintenance					
Government	209.1	209.2	207.9	-0.1	1.2
Federal Government	21.0	21.1	20.5	-0.1	0.5
State Government	76.6	76.5	76.5	0.1	0.1
Local Government	111.5	111.6	110.9	-0.1	0.6

Source: U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics

Data compiled by the Arkansas Economic Development Institute.