

ARKANSAS NONFARM PAYROLL EMPLOYMENT
(Thousands, Seasonally Adjusted)

Industry Sector based on 2022 North American Industry Classification System (NAICS)	Apr 2024	Mar 2024	Apr 2023	Change from Mar 2024	Change from Apr 2023
Total Nonfarm Payroll Jobs	1,372.1	1,367.0	1,348.5	5.1	23.6
Goods Producing	234.4	234.0	230.7	0.4	3.7
Mining, Logging, and Construction	73.5	73.3	67.8	0.2	5.7
Mining & Logging	5.3	5.3	5.3	0.0	0.0
Construction	68.2	68.0	62.5	0.2	5.7
Specialty Trade Contractors					
Manufacturing	160.9	160.7	162.9	0.2	-2.0
Durable Goods	77.1	77.2	78.8	-0.1	-1.7
Nondurable Goods	83.8	83.5	84.1	0.3	-0.3
Service Providing	1,137.7	1,133.0	1,117.8	4.7	19.9
Trade, Transportation, & Utilities	270.6	268.5	267.2	2.1	3.4
Wholesale Trade	51.7	51.7	52.2	0.0	-0.5
Retail Trade	146.3	145.2	142.8	1.1	3.5
Transportation & Utilities	72.6	71.6	72.2	1.0	0.4
Information	12.6	12.6	13.0	0.0	-0.4
Financial Activities	71.5	71.2	70.1	0.3	1.4
Finance & Insurance	56.3	55.9	55.0	0.4	1.3
Real Estate & Rental & Leasing	15.2	15.3	15.1	-0.1	0.1
Professional & Business Services	158.0	157.9	157.7	0.1	0.3
Professional, Scientific, & Technical	49.9	50.1	50.1	-0.2	-0.2
Management of Companies	38.2	37.8	37.8	0.4	0.4
Administrative & Support Services	69.9	70.0	69.8	-0.1	0.1
Educational & Health Services	213.9	212.8	206.0	1.1	7.9
Educational Services	18.9	18.8	18.3	0.1	0.6
Health Care & Social Assistance	195.0	194.0	187.7	1.0	7.3
Ambulatory Health Care					
Social Assistance					
Leisure & Hospitality	130.6	130.2	126.7	0.4	3.9
Arts, Entertainment, & Recreation	14.2	14.3	13.2	-0.1	1.0
Accommodation & Food Services	116.4	115.9	113.5	0.5	2.9
Accommodation Services					
Food Services					
Other Services	67.9	67.3	67.2	0.6	0.7
Repair and Maintenance					
Government	212.6	212.5	209.9	0.1	2.7
Federal Government	21.9	22.0	21.1	-0.1	0.8
State Government	76.4	76.4	76.4	0.0	0.0
Local Government	114.3	114.1	112.4	0.2	1.9

Source: U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics

Data compiled by the Arkansas Economic Development Institute.