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Employment Development Department
 Labor Market Information Division
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Bakersfield MSA

(Kern County)

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Civilian Labor Force (1)	384,900	381,100	386,900	384,000	-0.7%	-0.2%
Civilian Employment	349,200	351,600	353,200	352,500	-0.2%	0.9%
Civilian Unemployment	35,700	29,500	33,700	31,500	-6.5%	-11.8%
Civilian Unemployment Rate	9.3%	7.7%	8.7%	8.2%		
(CA Unemployment Rate)	5.1%	3.7%	4.5%	4.4%		
(U.S. Unemployment Rate)	4.6%	3.6%	4.2%	4.1%		

Total, All Industries (2)	320,800	326,700	330,800	325,800	-1.5%	1.6%
Total Farm	67,800	65,300	67,900	68,800	1.3%	1.5%
Total Nonfarm	253,000	261,400	262,900	257,000	-2.2%	1.6%
Total Private	194,800	197,000	198,700	198,900	0.1%	2.1%
Goods Producing	37,400	36,900	37,300	37,600	0.8%	0.5%
Mining, Logging, and Construction	23,900	23,300	23,600	23,800	0.8%	-0.4%
Mining and Logging	8,800	8,600	8,700	8,900	2.3%	1.1%
Construction	15,100	14,700	14,900	14,900	0.0%	-1.3%
Manufacturing	13,500	13,600	13,700	13,800	0.7%	2.2%
Durable Goods	4,800	4,800	4,800	4,800	0.0%	0.0%
Nondurable Goods	8,700	8,800	8,900	9,000	1.1%	3.4%
Food Manufacturing	5,900	5,700	5,800	5,900	1.7%	0.0%
Service Providing	215,600	224,500	225,600	219,400	-2.7%	1.8%
Private Service Providing	157,400	160,100	161,400	161,300	-0.1%	2.5%
Trade, Transportation & Utilities	51,500	51,800	52,000	51,700	-0.6%	0.4%
Wholesale Trade	8,800	8,800	8,800	8,800	0.0%	0.0%
Retail Trade	32,400	32,400	32,500	32,100	-1.2%	-0.9%
Food & Beverage Stores	6,500	6,400	6,400	6,400	0.0%	-1.5%
Clothing & Clothing Accessories Stores	3,800	3,700	3,700	3,800	2.7%	0.0%
General Merchandise Stores	6,600	6,900	6,800	6,900	1.5%	4.5%
Department Stores	1,900	2,100	2,000	2,100	5.0%	10.5%
Transportation, Warehousing & Utilities	10,300	10,600	10,700	10,800	0.9%	4.9%
Information	2,000	1,900	1,900	1,900	0.0%	-5.0%
Financial Activities	8,200	8,100	8,100	8,100	0.0%	-1.2%
Finance & Insurance	5,200	5,100	5,100	5,100	0.0%	-1.9%
Real Estate & Rental & Leasing	3,000	3,000	3,000	3,000	0.0%	0.0%
Professional & Business Services	25,700	27,100	27,500	27,600	0.4%	7.4%
Professional, Scientific & Technical Services	9,300	9,600	9,800	9,900	1.0%	6.5%
Management of Companies & Enterprises	3,300	3,300	3,300	3,400	3.0%	3.0%
Administrative & Support & Waste Services	13,100	14,200	14,400	14,300	-0.7%	9.2%
Educational & Health Services	36,400	37,100	37,500	37,300	-0.5%	2.5%
Educational Services	1,500	1,500	1,500	1,500	0.0%	0.0%
Health Care & Social Assistance	34,900	35,600	36,000	35,800	-0.6%	2.6%
Ambulatory Health Care Services	13,300	13,600	13,600	13,600	0.0%	2.3%
Hospitals	8,200	8,400	8,500	8,400	-1.2%	2.4%
Leisure & Hospitality	26,100	26,100	26,400	26,700	1.1%	2.3%
Arts, Entertainment & Recreation	2,500	2,600	2,600	2,700	3.8%	8.0%
Accommodation & Food Services	23,600	23,500	23,800	24,000	0.8%	1.7%
Food Services & Drinking Places	21,600	21,700	21,900	22,100	0.9%	2.3%
Restaurants	20,800	20,800	21,000	21,300	1.4%	2.4%
Other Services	7,500	8,000	8,000	8,000	0.0%	6.7%
Government	58,200	64,400	64,200	58,100	-9.5%	-0.2%
Federal Government	10,500	10,400	10,500	10,500	0.0%	0.0%
Department of Defense	7,900	7,900	7,900	7,900	0.0%	0.0%
Federal Government excluding Department of Defense	2,600	2,500	2,600	2,600	0.0%	0.0%
State & Local Government	47,700	54,000	53,700	47,600	-11.4%	-0.2%
State Government	10,000	10,400	10,200	10,000	-2.0%	0.0%
State Government Education	1,600	1,900	1,800	1,600	-11.1%	0.0%
State Government Excluding Education	8,400	8,500	8,400	8,400	0.0%	0.0%
Local Government	37,700	43,600	43,500	37,600	-13.6%	-0.3%

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Local Government Education	24,600	30,600	30,200	24,300	-19.5%	-1.2%
Local Government Excluding Education	13,100	13,000	13,300	13,300	0.0%	1.5%
County	7,900	8,000	8,000	8,000	0.0%	1.3%
City	2,800	2,800	2,900	2,900	0.0%	3.6%
Special Districts plus Indian Tribes	2,400	2,200	2,400	2,400	0.0%	0.0%

Notes:

(1) Civilian labor force data are by place of residence; include self-employed individuals, unpaid family workers, household domestic workers, & workers on strike. Data may not add due to rounding. The unemployment rate is calculated using unrounded data.

(2) Industry employment is by place of work; excludes self-employed individuals, unpaid family workers, household domestic workers, & workers on strike. Data may not add due to rounding.

These data are produced by the Labor Market Information Division of the California Employment Development Department (EDD). Questions should be directed to: Rosendo Flores 559-230-4104 or Frances Gines 951-955-3204

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