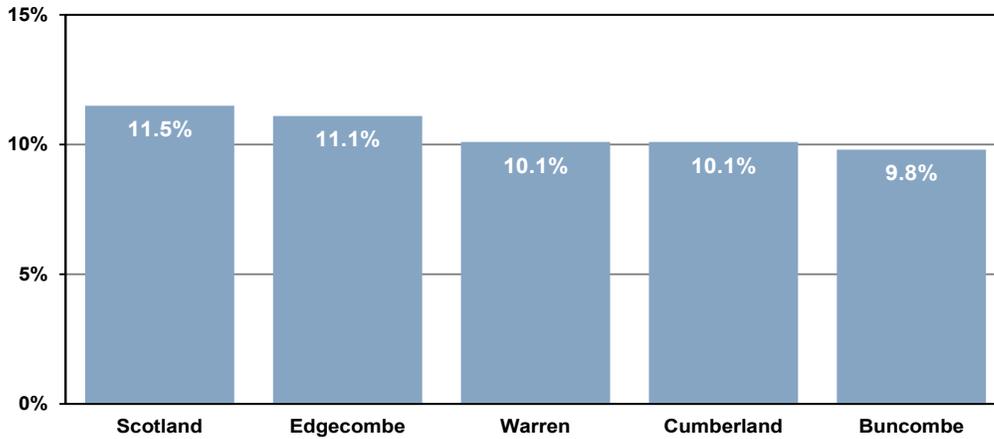


Counties With Highest Unemployment Rates June 2020* (Not Seasonally Adjusted)

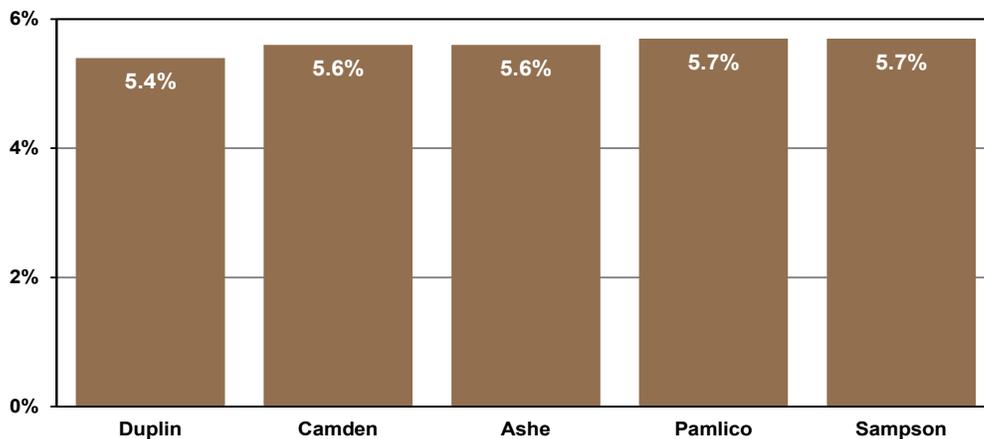


North Carolina's statewide unemployment rate (not seasonally adjusted) was 7.9 percent in June. This decreased 4.8 percentage points from May's revised rate, and grew 3.7 percentage points over the year.

Over the month, the unemployment rate decreased in all of North Carolina's 100 counties. Seventy counties had unemployment rates at or below the state's 7.9 percent rate.

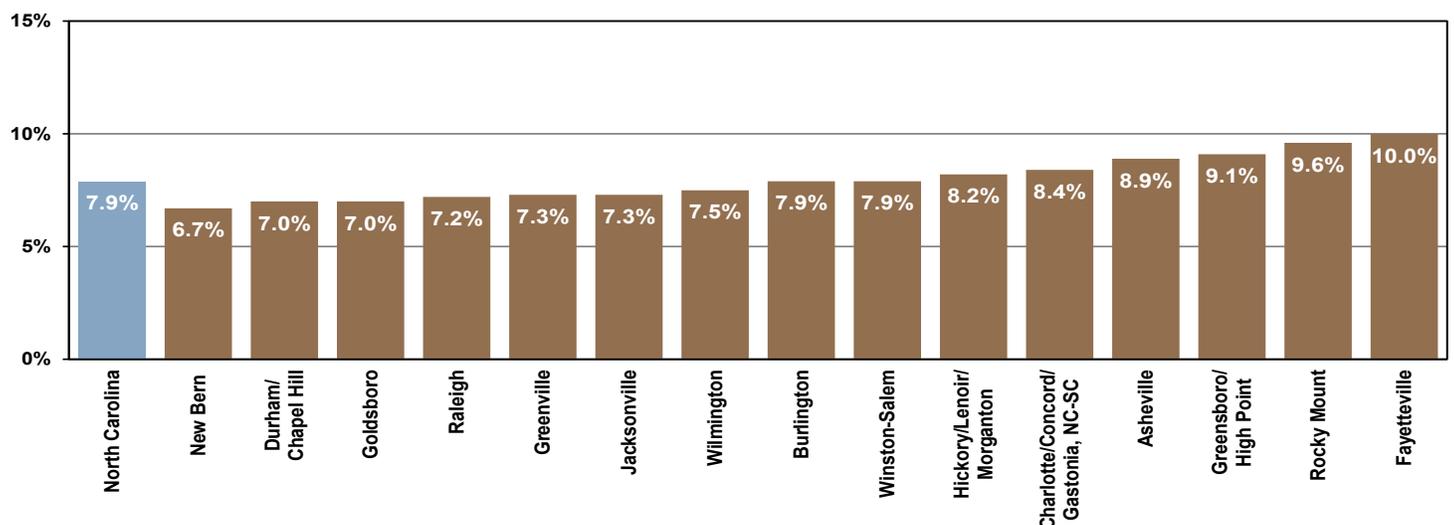
Scotland County recorded June's highest unemployment rate at 11.5 percent, followed by Edgecombe at 11.1 percent. Duplin had the lowest unemployment rate at 5.4 percent.

Counties With Lowest Unemployment Rates June 2020* (Not Seasonally Adjusted)



Unemployment rates decreased in all of the state's 15 Metropolitan Statistical Areas (MSAs) over the month. The Fayetteville MSA had the highest unemployment rate in June at 10.0 percent, followed by Rocky Mount at 9.6 percent, and Greensboro/High Point at 9.1 percent. New Bern reported the month's lowest unemployment rate at 6.7 percent, followed by Durham/Chapel Hill and Goldsboro at 7.0 percent.

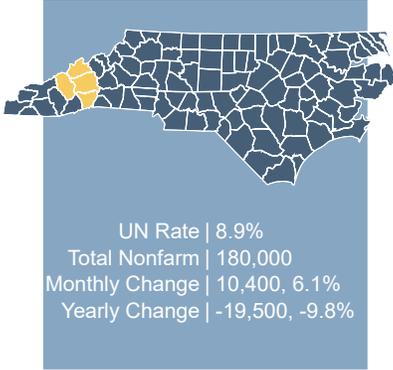
Metropolitan Statistical Areas' Unemployment Rates June 2020* (Not Seasonally Adjusted)



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North Carolina County Labor Market Conditions

Asheville MSA | Total Nonfarm Employment | June 2020



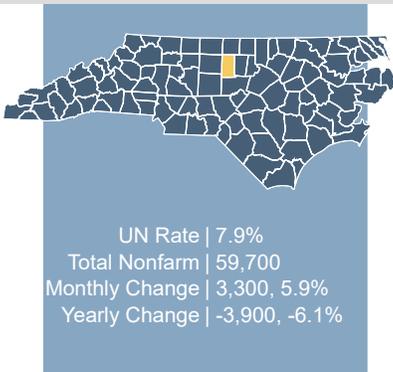
Over-the-Month Employment Change

Industry	Change
Mining, Logging & Construction	100 1.0%
Manufacturing	0 0.0%
Trade, Transportation & Utilities	500 1.5%
Information	0 0.0%
Financial Activities	100 1.5%
Professional & Business Services	1,100 6.5%
Education & Health Services	1,900 5.7%
Leisure & Hospitality	6,700 43.8%
Other Services	1,100 15.3%
Government	-1,100 -4.4%

Over-the-Year Employment Change

Industry	Change
Mining, Logging & Construction	0 0.0%
Manufacturing	-1,600 -7.2%
Trade, Transportation & Utilities	-2,900 -7.9%
Information	-500 -25.0%
Financial Activities	0 0.0%
Professional & Business Services	-700 -3.8%
Education & Health Services	-2,500 -6.6%
Leisure & Hospitality	-9,700 -30.6%
Other Services	-1,100 -11.7%
Government	-500 -2.1%

Burlington MSA | Total Nonfarm Employment | June 2020



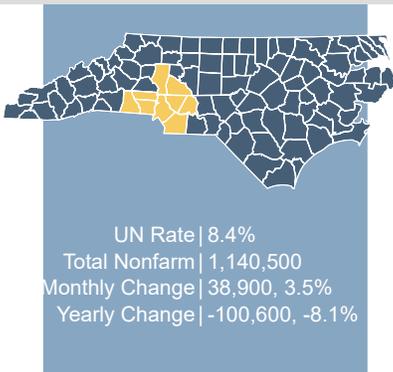
Over-the-Month Employment Change

Industry	Change
Mining, Logging & Construction	100 3.0%
Manufacturing	800 11.3%
Trade, Transportation & Utilities	400 3.4%
Information	0 0.0%
Financial Activities	0 0.0%
Professional & Business Services	100 2.1%
Education & Health Services	300 2.4%
Leisure & Hospitality	1,100 17.2%
Other Services	400 23.5%
Government	100 1.5%

Over-the-Year Employment Change

Industry	Change
Mining, Logging & Construction	0 0.0%
Manufacturing	-1,400 -15.1%
Trade, Transportation & Utilities	-1,100 -8.3%
Information	-100 -25.0%
Financial Activities	0 0.0%
Professional & Business Services	-400 -7.7%
Education & Health Services	200 1.6%
Leisure & Hospitality	-800 -9.6%
Other Services	-200 -8.7%
Government	-100 -1.4%

Charlotte/Concord/Gastonia, NC-SC MSA | Total Nonfarm Employment | June 2020



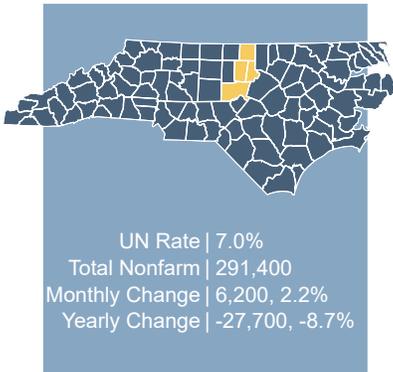
Over-the-Month Employment Change

Industry	Change
Mining, Logging & Construction	-1,300 -1.9%
Manufacturing	400 0.4%
Trade, Transportation & Utilities	9,200 4.1%
Information	200 0.9%
Financial Activities	-600 -0.6%
Professional & Business Services	4,900 2.5%
Education & Health Services	4,000 3.5%
Leisure & Hospitality	20,200 24.2%
Other Services	4,600 13.0%
Government	-2,700 -1.9%

Over-the-Year Employment Change

Industry	Change
Mining, Logging & Construction	-500 -0.7%
Manufacturing	-7,600 -6.8%
Trade, Transportation & Utilities	-13,300 -5.3%
Information	-1,300 -5.4%
Financial Activities	1,900 1.8%
Professional & Business Services	-11,300 -5.3%
Education & Health Services	-9,600 -7.5%
Leisure & Hospitality	-46,700 -31.1%
Other Services	-2,700 -6.3%
Government	-9,500 -6.3%

Durham/Chapel Hill MSA | Total Nonfarm Employment | June 2020



Over-the-Month Employment Change

Industry	Change
Mining, Logging & Construction	300 3.3%
Manufacturing	700 3.4%
Trade, Transportation & Utilities	1,000 2.7%
Information	0 0.0%
Financial Activities	200 1.3%
Professional & Business Services	100 0.2%
Education & Health Services	300 0.4%
Leisure & Hospitality	2,500 16.9%
Other Services	1,500 15.6%
Government	-400 -0.6%

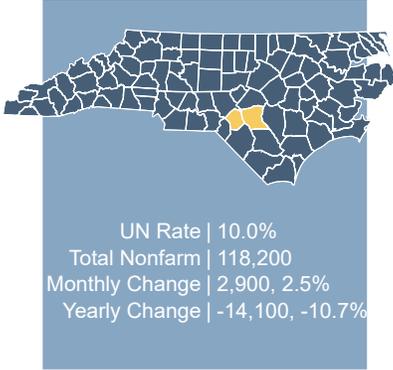
Over-the-Year Employment Change

Industry	Change
Mining, Logging & Construction	200 2.2%
Manufacturing	-6,800 -24.2%
Trade, Transportation & Utilities	-2,000 -5.0%
Information	-200 -4.2%
Financial Activities	-600 -3.8%
Professional & Business Services	-3,700 -8.2%
Education & Health Services	-4,300 -5.9%
Leisure & Hospitality	-11,600 -40.1%
Other Services	-500 -4.3%
Government	1,800 2.9%

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North Carolina County Labor Market Conditions

Fayetteville MSA | Total Nonfarm Employment | June 2020



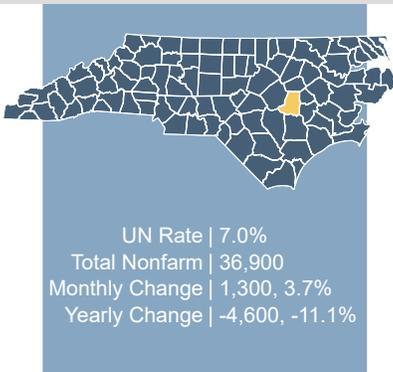
Over-the-Month Employment Change

Industry	Change
Mining, Logging & Construction	0 0.0%
Manufacturing	100 1.3%
Trade, Transportation & Utilities	600 2.8%
Information	0 0.0%
Financial Activities	100 2.8%
Professional & Business Services	500 5.0%
Education & Health Services	100 0.7%
Leisure & Hospitality	1,900 18.6%
Other Services	400 12.5%
Government	-800 -2.1%

Over-the-Year Employment Change

Industry	Change
Mining, Logging & Construction	-800 -13.1%
Manufacturing	-700 -8.0%
Trade, Transportation & Utilities	-1,300 -5.5%
Information	-100 -9.1%
Financial Activities	-200 -5.1%
Professional & Business Services	-800 -7.0%
Education & Health Services	-1,300 -8.6%
Leisure & Hospitality	-5,300 -30.5%
Other Services	-1,100 -23.4%
Government	-2,500 -6.2%

Goldsboro MSA | Total Nonfarm Employment | June 2020



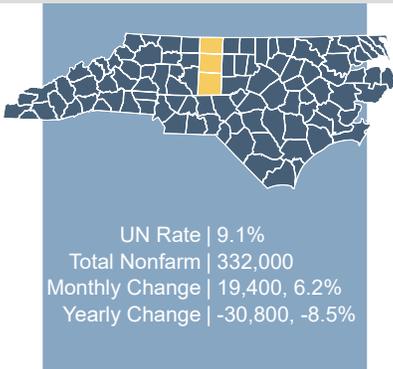
Over-the-Month Employment Change

Industry	Change
Mining, Logging & Construction	*
Manufacturing	*
Trade, Transportation & Utilities	*
Information	*
Financial Activities	*
Professional & Business Services	*
Education & Health Services	*
Leisure & Hospitality	*
Other Services	*
Government	100 1.1%

Over-the-Year Employment Change

Industry	Change
Mining, Logging & Construction	*
Manufacturing	*
Trade, Transportation & Utilities	*
Information	*
Financial Activities	*
Professional & Business Services	*
Education & Health Services	*
Leisure & Hospitality	*
Other Services	*
Government	-300 -3.3%

Greensboro/High Point MSA | Total Nonfarm Employment | June 2020



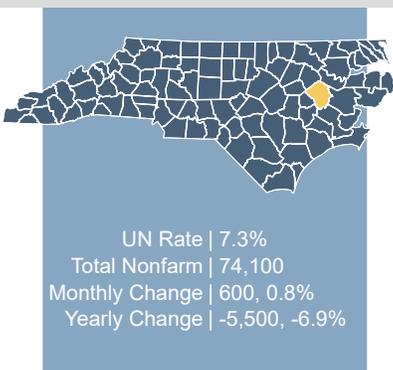
Over-the-Month Employment Change

Industry	Change
Mining, Logging & Construction	500 3.3%
Manufacturing	6,500 16.0%
Trade, Transportation & Utilities	2,500 3.4%
Information	0 0.0%
Financial Activities	200 1.1%
Professional & Business Services	1,600 3.9%
Education & Health Services	1,100 2.4%
Leisure & Hospitality	7,500 34.6%
Other Services	1,700 15.9%
Government	-2,200 -5.5%

Over-the-Year Employment Change

Industry	Change
Mining, Logging & Construction	-300 -1.9%
Manufacturing	-6,700 -12.5%
Trade, Transportation & Utilities	-1,700 -2.2%
Information	-400 -8.5%
Financial Activities	100 0.5%
Professional & Business Services	-5,200 -10.9%
Education & Health Services	-4,700 -9.0%
Leisure & Hospitality	-10,000 -25.5%
Other Services	-300 -2.4%
Government	-1,600 -4.0%

Greenville MSA | Total Nonfarm Employment | June 2020



Over-the-Month Employment Change

Industry	Change
Mining, Logging & Construction	200 5.4%
Manufacturing	200 3.3%
Trade, Transportation & Utilities	1,000 8.5%
Information	0 0.0%
Financial Activities	0 0.0%
Professional & Business Services	400 7.3%
Education & Health Services	400 4.2%
Leisure & Hospitality	900 15.0%
Other Services	200 11.1%
Government	-2,700 -10.3%

Over-the-Year Employment Change

Industry	Change
Mining, Logging & Construction	100 2.6%
Manufacturing	-400 -6.1%
Trade, Transportation & Utilities	1,100 9.5%
Information	-100 -14.3%
Financial Activities	-100 -4.0%
Professional & Business Services	-700 -10.6%
Education & Health Services	600 6.4%
Leisure & Hospitality	-2,600 -27.4%
Other Services	-200 -9.1%
Government	-3,200 -12.0%

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North Carolina County Labor Market Conditions

Hickory/Lenoir/Morganton MSA | Total Nonfarm Employment | June 2020



UN Rate | 8.2%
 Total Nonfarm | 137,500
 Monthly Change | 5,200, 3.9%
 Yearly Change | -18,900, -12.1%

Over-the-Month Employment Change

Industry	Change
Mining, Logging & Construction	-100 -2.2%
Manufacturing	900 2.7%
Trade, Transportation & Utilities	600 2.2%
Information	0 0.0%
Financial Activities	100 3.2%
Professional & Business Services	500 4.1%
Education & Health Services	200 1.2%
Leisure & Hospitality	3,100 38.3%
Other Services	500 13.5%
Government	-600 -2.8%

Over-the-Year Employment Change

Industry	Change
Mining, Logging & Construction	-200 -4.3%
Manufacturing	-7,600 -18.1%
Trade, Transportation & Utilities	-1,900 -6.3%
Information	0 0.0%
Financial Activities	-100 -3.0%
Professional & Business Services	-1,800 -12.4%
Education & Health Services	-2,200 -11.4%
Leisure & Hospitality	-3,600 -24.3%
Other Services	-500 -10.6%
Government	-1,000 -4.5%

Jacksonville MSA | Total Nonfarm Employment | June 2020



UN Rate | 7.3%
 Total Nonfarm | 46,600
 Monthly Change | 400, 0.9%
 Yearly Change | -3,400, -6.8%

Over-the-Month Employment Change

Industry	Change
Mining, Logging & Construction	*
Manufacturing	*
Trade, Transportation & Utilities	*
Information	*
Financial Activities	*
Professional & Business Services	*
Education & Health Services	*
Leisure & Hospitality	*
Other Services	*
Government	-700 -4.9%

Over-the-Year Employment Change

Industry	Change
Mining, Logging & Construction	*
Manufacturing	*
Trade, Transportation & Utilities	*
Information	*
Financial Activities	*
Professional & Business Services	*
Education & Health Services	*
Leisure & Hospitality	*
Other Services	*
Government	-400 -2.9%

New Bern MSA | Total Nonfarm Employment | June 2020



UN Rate | 6.7%
 Total Nonfarm | 41,300
 Monthly Change | 900, 2.2%
 Yearly Change | -4,600, -10.0%

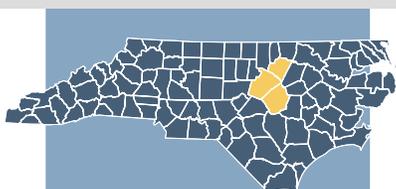
Over-the-Month Employment Change

Industry	Change
Mining, Logging & Construction	*
Manufacturing	*
Trade, Transportation & Utilities	*
Information	*
Financial Activities	*
Professional & Business Services	*
Education & Health Services	*
Leisure & Hospitality	*
Other Services	*
Government	-200 -1.5%

Over-the-Year Employment Change

Industry	Change
Mining, Logging & Construction	*
Manufacturing	*
Trade, Transportation & Utilities	*
Information	*
Financial Activities	*
Professional & Business Services	*
Education & Health Services	*
Leisure & Hospitality	*
Other Services	*
Government	-800 -5.6%

Raleigh MSA | Total Nonfarm Employment | June 2020



UN Rate | 7.2%
 Total Nonfarm | 590,700
 Monthly Change | 25,100, 4.4%
 Yearly Change | -60,300, -9.3%

Over-the-Month Employment Change

Industry	Change
Mining, Logging & Construction	1,000 2.5%
Manufacturing	0 0.0%
Trade, Transportation & Utilities	3,600 3.5%
Information	200 0.9%
Financial Activities	400 1.2%
Professional & Business Services	3,000 2.5%
Education & Health Services	2,900 4.4%
Leisure & Hospitality	9,100 22.4%
Other Services	5,100 25.8%
Government	-200 -0.2%

Over-the-Year Employment Change

Industry	Change
Mining, Logging & Construction	-300 -0.7%
Manufacturing	-4,400 -11.9%
Trade, Transportation & Utilities	-5,900 -5.3%
Information	-1,000 -4.4%
Financial Activities	0 0.0%
Professional & Business Services	-4,100 -3.3%
Education & Health Services	-13,200 -16.2%
Leisure & Hospitality	-26,600 -34.9%
Other Services	-1,100 -4.2%
Government	-3,700 -3.9%

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North Carolina County Labor Market Conditions

Rocky Mount MSA | Total Nonfarm Employment | June 2020



UN Rate | 9.6%
 Total Nonfarm | 51,400
 Monthly Change | 900, 1.8%
 Yearly Change | -4,300, -7.7%

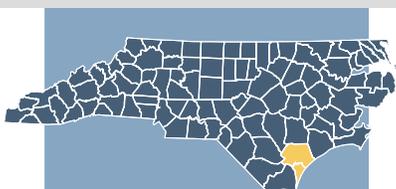
Over-the-Month Employment Change

Industry	Change
Mining, Logging & Construction	100 3.7%
Manufacturing	200 2.6%
Trade, Transportation & Utilities	400 3.5%
Information	*
Financial Activities	*
Professional & Business Services	0 0.0%
Education & Health Services	100 1.8%
Leisure & Hospitality	400 12.5%
Other Services	*
Government	-600 -6.5%

Over-the-Year Employment Change

Industry	Change
Mining, Logging & Construction	0 0.0%
Manufacturing	-1,800 -18.8%
Trade, Transportation & Utilities	0 0.0%
Information	*
Financial Activities	*
Professional & Business Services	400 8.3%
Education & Health Services	-1,100 -16.2%
Leisure & Hospitality	-2,200 -37.9%
Other Services	*
Government	-1,300 -13.0%

Wilmington MSA | Total Nonfarm Employment | June 2020



UN Rate | 7.5%
 Total Nonfarm | 121,100
 Monthly Change | 6,800, 5.9%
 Yearly Change | -13,000, -9.7%

Over-the-Month Employment Change

Industry	Change
Mining, Logging & Construction	200 2.2%
Manufacturing	100 1.6%
Trade, Transportation & Utilities	1,400 5.8%
Information	0 0.0%
Financial Activities	100 1.8%
Professional & Business Services	900 5.8%
Education & Health Services	200 1.4%
Leisure & Hospitality	4,200 42.9%
Other Services	600 12.5%
Government	-900 -4.0%

Over-the-Year Employment Change

Industry	Change
Mining, Logging & Construction	-200 -2.1%
Manufacturing	200 3.3%
Trade, Transportation & Utilities	-900 -3.4%
Information	-300 -9.4%
Financial Activities	-700 -10.9%
Professional & Business Services	-300 -1.8%
Education & Health Services	-1,700 -10.8%
Leisure & Hospitality	-7,800 -35.8%
Other Services	-300 -5.3%
Government	-1,000 -4.4%

Winston-Salem MSA | Total Nonfarm Employment | June 2020



UN Rate | 7.9%
 Total Nonfarm | 246,300
 Monthly Change | 8,900, 3.7%
 Yearly Change | -25,600, -9.4%

Over-the-Month Employment Change

Industry	Change
Mining, Logging & Construction	300 3.0%
Manufacturing	1,700 5.7%
Trade, Transportation & Utilities	1,400 3.2%
Information	0 0.0%
Financial Activities	100 0.7%
Professional & Business Services	1,100 3.5%
Education & Health Services	500 1.0%
Leisure & Hospitality	2,900 15.1%
Other Services	1,200 16.4%
Government	-300 -1.0%

Over-the-Year Employment Change

Industry	Change
Mining, Logging & Construction	-1,300 -11.2%
Manufacturing	-1,600 -4.8%
Trade, Transportation & Utilities	-3,000 -6.2%
Information	-100 -5.3%
Financial Activities	-100 -0.7%
Professional & Business Services	-5,400 -14.3%
Education & Health Services	-5,000 -9.0%
Leisure & Hospitality	-7,800 -26.1%
Other Services	-700 -7.6%
Government	-600 -2.0%

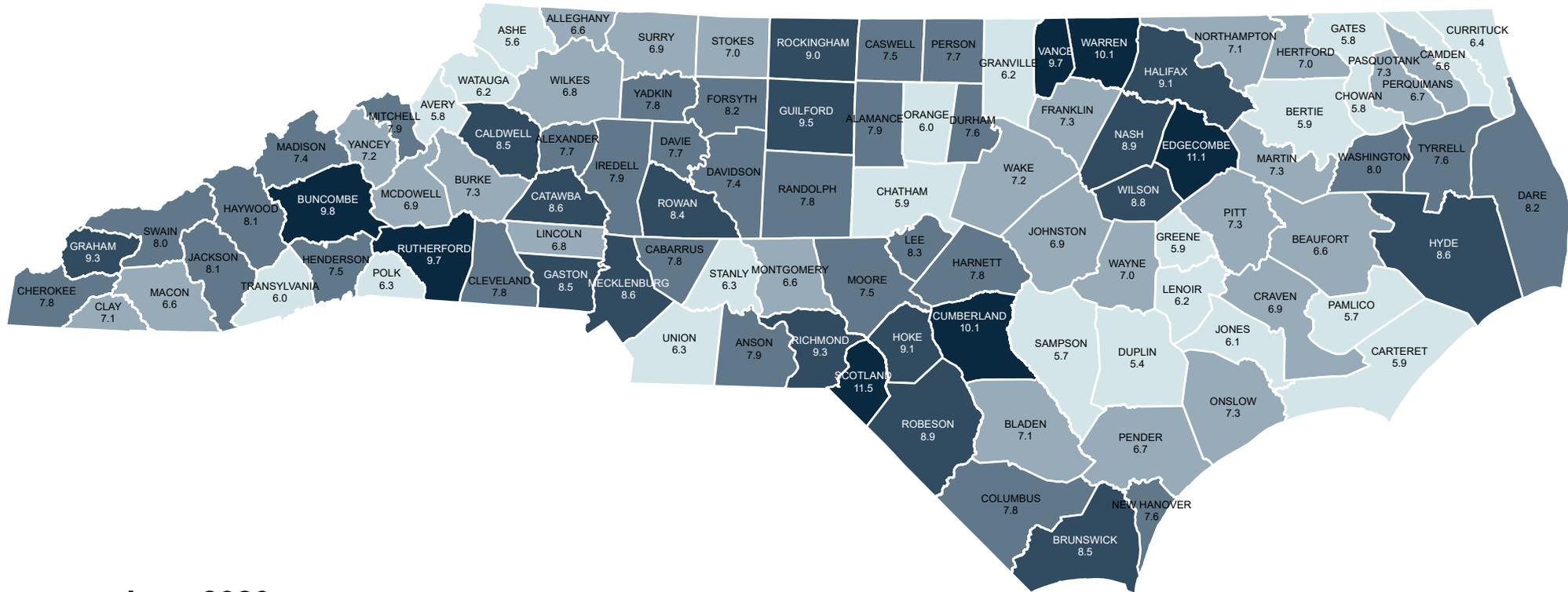
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Over the month, all of North Carolina's 15 MSAs experienced net job growth. Charlotte/Concord/Gastonia, NC-SC had the largest net employment increase with 38,900, followed by Raleigh, 25,100; Greensboro/High Point, 19,400; Asheville, 10,400; Winston-Salem, 8,900; Wilmington, 6,800; Durham/Chapel Hill, 6,200; Hickory/Lenoir/Morgantown, 5,200; and Burlington, 3,300. Greensboro/High Point had the greatest percentage increase at 6.2 percent, followed by Asheville, 6.1%, Wilmington, 5.9%, and Burlington, 5.9%. It is important to note that employment estimates are subject to large seasonal patterns; therefore, it is advisable to focus on over-the-year changes in the not seasonally adjusted series.

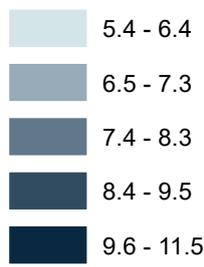
Over the year, employment decreased in all 15 MSAs. Charlotte/Concord/Gastonia, NC-SC had the largest net employment decrease at 100,600, followed by Raleigh, 60,300; Greensboro/High Point, 30,800; and Durham/Chapel Hill, 27,700. Hickory/Lenoir/Morgantown had the greatest percentage decrease at 12.1 percent, followed by Goldsboro, 11.1 percent; Fayetteville, 10.7 percent; and New Bern, 10.0 percent.

North Carolina Unemployment Rates by County

June 2020



June 2020



- ^ 0 Counties Higher Than Previous Month
- v 100 Counties Lower Than Previous Month
- = 0 Counties Same as Previous Month

North Carolina Rate 7.9%
Not Seasonally Adjusted

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