

**NONFARM PAYROLL JOBS
STATE OF ARKANSAS
(Thousands, Seasonally Adjusted)**

North American Industry Classification System (NAICS) Industry Group 2007	May 2012	April 2012	May 2011	Net Change From April 2012	Net Change From May 2011
Total Nonfarm Payroll Jobs	1,170.5	1,171.5	1,164.0	-1.0	6.5
Goods Producing*	214.0	213.3	217.5	0.7	-3.5
Mining & Logging	11.2	11.1	10.8	0.1	0.4
Construction	45.3	45.8	46.7	-0.5	-1.4
Specialty Trade Contractors					
Manufacturing	157.5	156.4	160.0	1.1	-2.5
Durable Goods	81.3	80.9	78.6	0.4	2.7
Nondurable Goods	76.2	75.5	81.4	0.7	-5.2
Service Providing*	956.5	958.2	946.5	-1.7	10.0
Trade, Transportation, & Utilities	235.5	238.6	236.4	-3.1	-0.9
Wholesale Trade	46.1	46.5	45.9	-0.4	0.2
Retail Trade	128.5	131.2	130.4	-2.7	-1.9
Transportation & Utilities	60.9	60.9	60.1	0.0	0.8
Information	14.3	14.2	14.7	0.1	-0.4
Financial Activities	47.0	46.9	48.4	0.1	-1.4
Finance & Insurance	34.6	34.5	35.4	0.1	-0.8
Real Estate & Rental & Leasing	12.4	12.4	13.0	0.0	-0.6
Professional & Business Services	117.7	116.3	119.2	1.4	-1.5
Professional, Scientific, & Technical	37.0	36.1	38.5	0.9	-1.5
Management of Companies	27.0	26.9	25.9	0.1	1.1
Administrative & Support Services	53.7	53.3	54.8	0.4	-1.1
Educational & Health Services	171.1	171.1	166.6	0.0	4.5
Health Care & Social Assistance	156.0	156.3	152.2	-0.3	3.8
Ambulatory Health Care					
Social Assistance					
Leisure & Hospitality	104.2	104.9	99.3	-0.7	4.9
Arts, Entertainment, & Recreation	10.2	9.9	9.3	0.3	0.9
Accommodation & Food Services	94.0	95.0	90.0	-1.0	4.0
Accommodation Services					
Food Services					
Other Services	44.2	44.6	43.0	-0.4	1.2
Repair and Maintenance					
Government	222.5	221.6	218.9	0.9	3.6
Federal Government	20.1	20.2	21.1	-0.1	-1.0
State Government	76.9	76.8	77.0	0.1	-0.1
Local Government	125.5	124.6	120.8	0.9	4.7

* Totals for Goods-producing and Service-providing categories are calculated as the sums of their respective supersector components.
Source: U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics Data compiled by the Institute for Economic Advancement.