

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

North American Industry Classification System (NAICS) Industry Group 2007	Sept 2017	Aug 2017	Sept 2016	Net Change From Aug 2017	Net Change From Sept 2016
Total Nonfarm Payroll Jobs	1,254.6	1,253.5	1,230.2	1.1	24.4
<i>Goods Producing</i>	217.2	214.8	211.0	2.4	6.2
Mining & Logging	6.0	6.0	6.1	0.0	-0.1
Construction	51.3	50.2	49.9	1.1	1.4
Specialty Trade Contractors					
Manufacturing	159.9	158.6	155.0	1.3	4.9
Durable Goods	73.3	72.8	73.8	0.5	-0.5
Nondurable Goods	86.6	85.8	81.2	0.8	5.4
<i>Service Providing</i>	1,037.4	1,038.7	1,019.2	-1.3	18.2
Trade, Transportation, & Utilities	255.6	255.6	252.6	0.0	3.0
Wholesale Trade	47.8	47.9	46.5	-0.1	1.3
Retail Trade	142.4	142.3	142.6	0.1	-0.2
Transportation & Utilities	65.4	65.4	63.5	0.0	1.9
Information	13.2	13.3	13.4	-0.1	-0.2
Financial Activities	51.3	51.2	51.5	0.1	-0.2
Finance & Insurance	38.3	38.1	38.2	0.2	0.1
Real Estate & Rental & Leasing	13.0	13.1	13.3	-0.1	-0.3
Professional & Business Services	147.9	147.6	143.3	0.3	4.6
Professional, Scientific, & Technical	44.7	44.0	43.0	0.7	1.7
Management of Companies	33.6	33.9	35.4	-0.3	-1.8
Administrative & Support Services	69.6	69.7	64.9	-0.1	4.7
Educational & Health Services	189.1	189.5	183.3	-0.4	5.8
Educational Services	17.8	17.8	15.0	0.0	2.8
Health Care & Social Assistance	171.3	171.7	168.3	-0.4	3.0
Ambulatory Health Care					
Social Assistance					
Leisure & Hospitality	119.5	121.3	116.0	-1.8	3.5
Arts, Entertainment, & Recreation	11.2	11.3	10.7	-0.1	0.5
Accommodation & Food Services	108.3	110.0	105.3	-1.7	3.0
Accommodation Services					
Food Services					
Other Services	50.1	49.0	47.4	1.1	2.7
Repair and Maintenance					
Government	210.7	211.2	211.7	-0.5	-1.0
Federal Government	20.5	20.2	20.3	0.3	0.2
State Government	77.6	78.1	77.9	-0.5	-0.3
Local Government	112.6	112.9	113.5	-0.3	-0.9

Source: U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics

Data compiled by the Arkansas Economic Development Institute.