

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

North American Industry Classification System (NAICS) Industry Group 2007	Feb 2018	Jan 2018	Feb 2017	Net Change From Jan 2018	Net Change From Feb 2017
Total Nonfarm Payroll Jobs	1,239.4	1,239.9	1,236.9	-0.5	2.5
<i>Goods Producing</i>	214.4	214.8	213.8	-0.4	0.6
Mining & Logging	5.6	5.7	6.0	-0.1	-0.4
Construction	51.1	51.0	51.3	0.1	-0.2
Specialty Trade Contractors					
Manufacturing	157.7	158.1	156.5	-0.4	1.2
Durable Goods	75.0	74.9	74.7	0.1	0.3
Nondurable Goods	82.7	83.2	81.8	-0.5	0.9
<i>Service Providing</i>	1,025.0	1,025.1	1,023.1	-0.1	1.9
Trade, Transportation, & Utilities	250.0	250.2	251.4	-0.2	-1.4
Wholesale Trade	47.0	47.2	46.6	-0.2	0.4
Retail Trade	140.0	139.9	141.5	0.1	-1.5
Transportation & Utilities	63.0	63.1	63.3	-0.1	-0.3
Information	12.5	12.6	13.4	-0.1	-0.9
Financial Activities	53.6	53.5	52.7	0.1	0.9
Finance & Insurance	40.1	40.0	39.4	0.1	0.7
Real Estate & Rental & Leasing	13.5	13.5	13.3	0.0	0.2
Professional & Business Services	144.3	145.0	143.7	-0.7	0.6
Professional, Scientific, & Technical	42.5	42.8	42.6	-0.3	-0.1
Management of Companies	34.8	34.8	36.1	0.0	-1.3
Administrative & Support Services	67.0	67.4	65.0	-0.4	2.0
Educational & Health Services	187.8	187.7	186.2	0.1	1.6
Educational Services	14.7	14.6	14.6	0.1	0.1
Health Care & Social Assistance	173.1	173.1	171.6	0.0	1.5
Ambulatory Health Care					
Social Assistance					
Leisure & Hospitality	116.4	116.0	116.3	0.4	0.1
Arts, Entertainment, & Recreation	11.5	11.4	11.1	0.1	0.4
Accommodation & Food Services	104.9	104.6	105.2	0.3	-0.3
Accommodation Services					
Food Services					
Other Services	49.1	48.8	48.7	0.3	0.4
Repair and Maintenance					
Government	211.3	211.3	210.7	0.0	0.6
Federal Government	19.7	19.8	20.2	-0.1	-0.5
State Government	77.9	77.8	77.8	0.1	0.1
Local Government	113.7	113.7	112.7	0.0	1.0

Source: U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics

Data compiled by the Arkansas Economic Development Institute.