

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

North American Industry Classification System (NAICS) Industry Group 2007	Aug 2018	Jul 2018	Aug 2017	Net Change From Jul 2018	Net Change From Aug 2017
Total Nonfarm Payroll Jobs	1,248.9	1,249.8	1,240.4	-0.9	8.5
<i>Goods Producing</i>	217.4	218.4	214.1	-1.0	3.3
Mining & Logging	5.5	5.5	5.8	0.0	-0.3
Construction	51.8	52.4	50.9	-0.6	0.9
Specialty Trade Contractors					
Manufacturing	160.1	160.5	157.4	-0.4	2.7
Durable Goods	75.4	75.9	74.7	-0.5	0.7
Nondurable Goods	84.7	84.6	82.7	0.1	2.0
<i>Service Providing</i>	1,031.5	1,031.4	1,026.3	0.1	5.2
Trade, Transportation, & Utilities	250.8	249.9	251.4	0.9	-0.6
Wholesale Trade	45.6	46.6	47.0	-1.0	-1.4
Retail Trade	141.2	139.4	140.6	1.8	0.6
Transportation & Utilities	64.0	63.9	63.8	0.1	0.2
Information	12.1	12.2	13.1	-0.1	-1.0
Financial Activities	54.2	53.9	53.2	0.3	1.0
Finance & Insurance	40.4	40.2	39.8	0.2	0.6
Real Estate & Rental & Leasing	13.8	13.7	13.4	0.1	0.4
Professional & Business Services	149.9	151.0	143.8	-1.1	6.1
Professional, Scientific, & Technical	42.4	42.4	42.8	0.0	-0.4
Management of Companies	34.9	34.9	34.7	0.0	0.2
Administrative & Support Services	72.6	73.7	66.3	-1.1	6.3
Educational & Health Services	187.7	187.9	187.8	-0.2	-0.1
Educational Services	15.7	15.4	14.3	0.3	1.4
Health Care & Social Assistance	172.0	172.5	173.5	-0.5	-1.5
Ambulatory Health Care					
Social Assistance					
Leisure & Hospitality	116.2	116.1	116.6	0.1	-0.4
Arts, Entertainment, & Recreation	10.7	10.9	11.1	-0.2	-0.4
Accommodation & Food Services	105.5	105.2	105.5	0.3	0.0
Accommodation Services					
Food Services					
Other Services	49.1	48.8	48.5	0.3	0.6
Repair and Maintenance					
Government	211.5	211.6	211.9	-0.1	-0.4
Federal Government	19.7	19.7	20.0	0.0	-0.3
State Government	77.9	77.9	78.2	0.0	-0.3
Local Government	113.9	114.0	113.7	-0.1	0.2

Source: U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics

Data compiled by the Arkansas Economic Development Institute.