

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

North American Industry Classification System (NAICS) Industry Group 2007	Oct 2018	Sep 2018	Oct 2017	Net Change From Sep 2018	Net Change From Oct 2017
Total Nonfarm Payroll Jobs	1,252.3	1,253.5	1,243.9	-1.2	8.4
<i>Goods Producing</i>	217.7	218.1	214.8	-0.4	2.9
Mining & Logging	5.4	5.5	5.7	-0.1	-0.3
Construction	52.2	52.1	51.2	0.1	1.0
Specialty Trade Contractors					
Manufacturing	160.1	160.5	157.9	-0.4	2.2
Durable Goods	75.8	75.8	75.0	0.0	0.8
Nondurable Goods	84.3	84.7	82.9	-0.4	1.4
<i>Service Providing</i>	1,034.6	1,035.4	1,029.1	-0.8	5.5
Trade, Transportation, & Utilities	251.6	252.3	251.7	-0.7	-0.1
Wholesale Trade	47.3	47.1	47.2	0.2	0.1
Retail Trade	139.9	140.7	140.7	-0.8	-0.8
Transportation & Utilities	64.4	64.5	63.8	-0.1	0.6
Information	12.0	12.0	13.0	0.0	-1.0
Financial Activities	54.1	54.3	52.7	-0.2	1.4
Finance & Insurance	40.3	40.6	39.3	-0.3	1.0
Real Estate & Rental & Leasing	13.8	13.7	13.4	0.1	0.4
Professional & Business Services	150.6	150.6	145.2	0.0	5.4
Professional, Scientific, & Technical	44.0	43.5	43.2	0.5	0.8
Management of Companies	35.7	35.6	34.9	0.1	0.8
Administrative & Support Services	70.9	71.5	67.1	-0.6	3.8
Educational & Health Services	190.0	189.8	187.3	0.2	2.7
Educational Services	15.6	15.7	14.4	-0.1	1.2
Health Care & Social Assistance	174.4	174.1	172.9	0.3	1.5
Ambulatory Health Care					
Social Assistance					
Leisure & Hospitality	116.9	116.7	118.8	0.2	-1.9
Arts, Entertainment, & Recreation	10.9	10.8	11.3	0.1	-0.4
Accommodation & Food Services	106.0	105.9	107.5	0.1	-1.5
Accommodation Services					
Food Services					
Other Services	47.9	48.3	48.9	-0.4	-1.0
Repair and Maintenance					
Government	211.5	211.4	211.5	0.1	0.0
Federal Government	19.7	19.7	20.0	0.0	-0.3
State Government	78.0	77.7	77.6	0.3	0.4
Local Government	113.8	114.0	113.9	-0.2	-0.1

Source: U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics

Data compiled by the Arkansas Economic Development Institute.