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UNEMPLOYMENT RATES

No change for month Oklahoma: 4.5% \$\psi\$ 0.8% over year **COUNTIES** Highest rate: 8.3% (Okfuskee County)

MSAs

Lowest rate: 2.8% (Roger Mills County) Oklahoma City MSA: 4.5% Big % gain: Blaine County **û** by 1.2% to 5.5% Lawton MSA: 4.7% Tulsa MSA: 4.4% Big % loss: Woods County **₽** by 3.1% to 5.4%

AREAS OF INTEREST

With the exception of a small drop in May, Oklahoma's TOTAL STATEWIDE EMPLOYMENT NONFARM EMPLOYMENT has grown each month since January. 1 48,170 since January 2005

The June 2005 level of 1,666,010 people represents a gain of

24,400 compared to June 2004.

PROFESSIONAL & BUSINESS SVCS.

1 7,200 jobs over year

Besides GOVERNMENT, the industry reporting the largest gain since June 2004 was PROFESSIONAL & BUSINESS SERVICES. June's 7,200-job gain in this industry translates into a year-over-

year growth rate of 4.4 percent.

TULSA MSA EMPLOYMENT

1 10,200 jobs since January

Employment in the TULSA MSA has added jobs each month since January 2005, averaging a monthly gain of 2,040 jobs. Over this period, the SERVICE PROVIDING INDUSTRIES contributed

more than 80 percent of the jobs added.

IN A NUTSHELL . . .

"While well short of where it was in the 90s, Oklahoma's employment growth continues to pick up steam. Current state job growth is by far the best in five years, but it has been unbalanced in terms of both industry and geography. For example, although Tulsa has added jobs for five consecutive months, it is growing less than half as fast as Oklahoma City. In addition, manufacturing, most notably non-durable manufacturing, has seen year-over-year job losses each month since August 2000." - Lynn Gray, OESC Chief Economist

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STATE UNEMPLOYMENT RATE HOLDS STEADY IN JUNE

The June 2005 **Unemployment Rate** for the state of Oklahoma held steady over the month at 4.5 percent, a four-fifths of a percent drop compared to June 2004. Despite this fact, **Non-seasonally Adjusted Employment**, **Unemployment** and **Labor Force** all grew from May 2005 to June 2005.

Oklahoma's **Non-seasonally Adjusted Employment** and **Non-seasonally Adjusted Labor Force** reported around 1.3 percent growth over the month, as **Employment** added 21,020 people, and the **Labor Force** gained 22,440. With the exception of May, **Employment** has steadily added jobs since January. **Employment** and **Labor Force** have grown by between 0.8 and 0.9 percent over the past year.

The state's **Non-seasonally Adjusted Unemployment** managed more aggressive growth over both the month and year. In June 2005, **Unemployment** added 1,420 people (+1.8 percent); for the year, **Unemployment** has grown by 2,010 people (+2.6 percent).

U.S. and Regional	JUNE 2005			UNEMPLOYMENT RATE					
EMPLOYMENT	Employment	Unemployment	Labor Force	Jun '05	May '05	Jun '04			
OKLAHOMA	1,666,010	79,010	1,745,020	4.5%	4.5%	5.3%			
United States	142,456,000	7,870,000	150,327,000	5.2%	4.9%	5.8%			
Arkansas	1,297,098	70,785	1,367,883	5.2%	4.9%	6.2%			
Kansas	1,406,278	79,180	1,485,458	5.3%	5.0%	5.8%			
Louisiana Missouri New Mexico	2,016,795	138,337	2,155,132	6.4%	5.1%	6.5%			
Missouri	2,902,746	174,342	3,077,088	5.7%	5.4%	6.2%			
New Mexico	889,450	61,107	950,557	6.4%	5.8%	6.5%			
Texas	10,634,904	612,340	11,247,244	5.4%	5.3%	6.5%			

MSA UNEMPLOYMENT RATES DON'T ALL TAKE SAME PATH IN JUNE

June provided a mixed bag as far as MSA unemployment rates were concerned. The **Oklahoma City MSA** unemployment rate rose to 4.5 percent in June, gaining three-tenths over the month. **Tulsa MSA** dropped by one-tenth to 4.4 percent. The **Lawton MSA** held steady at 4.7 percent over the month.

•	JUNE 2005	•	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE			
EMPLOYMENT	Employment	Unemployment	Labor Force	Jun '05	May '05	Jun '04
Oklahoma City MSA	566,510	26,790	593,300	4.5%	4.2%	5.1%
Tulsa MSA	431,570	19,690	451,260	4.4%	4.5%	5.2%
Lawton MSA	45,840	2,260	48,090	4.7%	4.7%	4.8%

OKFUSKEE COUNTY SEES RATE RISE, TAKES OVER TOP SPOT IN JUNE

In June, **Okfuskee County** assumed Oklahoma's highest county unemployment rate at 8.3 percent, a gain of two-tenths of a percent over the month. **Coal County** held the second highest rate at 7.5 percent, and **Seminole County** was third for the month at 7.3 percent.

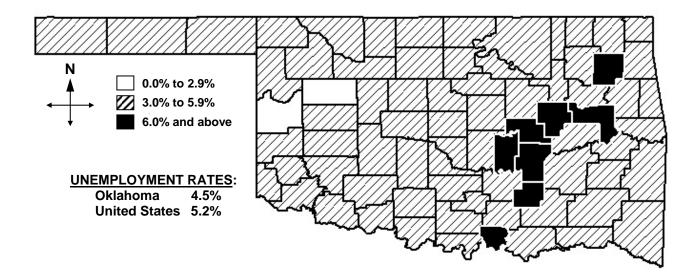
Highest County	JUNE 2005		UNEMPLOYMENT RATE			
UNEMPLOYMENT	Employment	Unemployment	Labor Force	Jun '05	May '05	Jun '04
Okfuskee County	3,950	360	4,300	8.3%	8.1%	9.5%
Coal County	1,960	160	2,120	7.5%	7.9%	11.7%
Seminole County	9,030	710	9,740	7.3%	7.6%	10.7%

ROGER MILLS COUNTY REPORTS JUNE'S LOWEST COUNTY RATE

At 2.8 percent for the month, **Roger Mills County** held the state's lowest county unemployment rate in June. **Dewey County** came in second at 2.9 percent, and **Beckham County** rounded out the three lowest rates for the month at 3.0 percent. Rates for both Dewey and Ellis counties rose over the month.

Lowest County	JUNE 2005		UNEMPLOYMENT RATE				
UNEMPLOYMENT	Employment	Unemployment	Labor Force	Jun '05	May '05	Jun '04	
Roger Mills County	1,860	50	1,920	2.8%	2.8%	2.3%	
Dewey County	2,430	70	2,500	2.9%	2.7%	3.2%	
Ellis County	2,140	70	2,210	3.0%	2.8%	2.9%	

DISTRIBUTION of UNEMPLOYMENT RATES by COUNTY Preliminary Data for June 2005



SEASONAL FACTORS FORCE MONTHLY JOB LOSSES IN JUNE

Oklahoma's **TOTAL NONFARM EMPLOYMENT** dropped by 8,100 jobs (-0.5 percent) in June, as seasonal losses in **Manufacturing** and **Government** overshadowed gains in other industries. Statewide employment for June was 25,500 jobs higher (+1.7 percent) than in June 2004.

Under the **Goods Producing Industries**, **Manufacturing** fell by 2,100 jobs (-1.5 percent) over the month. It is common to see industry employment drop at this time of year due to seasonal factors. Seasonal factors also affected **Construction**, which added 1,600 jobs (+2.5 percent) over the month. Between June 2004 and June 2005, this industry has gained 1,000 jobs (+1.6 percent).

The **Service Providing Industries** found themselves at the mercy of summer, as **Government** and **Educational & Health Services** both reported seasonal losses due to the beginning of the summer session for public schools and universities. Across the state, **Government** dropped 12,100 jobs (-3.8 percent) over the month. The effect on **Educational & Health Services** was less severe, resulting in a loss of 1,000 jobs (-0.5 percent) in June. Compared to June 2004, both of these industries have added jobs.

OKLAHOMA	NUMBER	of JOBS		CHANGE			
EMPLOYMENT	Jun '05	May '05	Jun '04	May '05 t	o Jun '05	Jun '04 to	Jun '05
TOTAL NONFARM EMPL.	1,497,000	1,505,100	1,471,500	-8,100	-0.5%	25,500	1.7%
Goods Producing Industries	237,000	236,800	236,100	200	0.1%	900	0.4%
Construction	65,100	63,500	64,100	1,600	2.5%	1,000	1.6%
Manufacturing	139,200	141,300	140,600	-2,100	-1.5%	-1,400	-1.0%
Service Providing Industries	1,260,000	1,268,300	1,235,400	-8,300	-0.7%	24,600	2.0%
Trade, Transport. & Utilities	279,000	277,100	277,700	1,900	0.7%	1,300	0.5%
Financial Activities	86,800	85,800	85,200	1,000	1.2%	1,600	1.9%
Pro. & Business Services	169,400	168,600	162,200	800	0.5%	7,200	4.4%
Education & Health Svcs.	181,000	182,000	177,100	-1,000	-0.5%	3,900	2.2%
Leisure & Hospitality	132,600	133,100	132,400	-500	-0.4%	200	0.2%
Other Services	75,900	74,300	75,000	1,600	2.2%	900	1.2%
Government	303,700	315,800	294,400	-12,100	-3.8%	9,300	3.2%
				Jobs	Pct.	Jobs	Pct.

JUNE BRINGS STATEWIDE CONSTRUCTION GROWTH

Construction grew by 1,600 jobs (+2.5 percent) in June as a result of seasonal factors. Most of this over-the-month gain was provided by the **Specialty Trade Contractors** sector. Between June 2004 and June 2005, **Construction** added 1,000 jobs (+1.6 percent).

OKLAHOMA	NUMBER	of JOBS		CHANG	Έ		
Construction	Jun '05	May '05	Jun '04	May '05 to	Jun '05	Jun '04 to	Jun '05
Construction	65,100	63,500	64,100	1,600	2.5%	1,000	1.6%
Construction of Buildings	13,600	13,300	13,400	300	2.3%	200	1.5%
Heavy & Civil Engineering	10,800	10,600	10,600	200	1.9%	200	1.9%
Specialty Trade Contractors	40,700	39,600	40,100	1,100	2.8%	600	1.5%
				Jobs	Pct.	Jobs	Pct.

MANUFACTURING FEELS EFFECT OF SEASONAL FACTORS IN JUNE

Statewide **Manufacturing** reported a drop of 2,100 jobs (-1.5 percent) in June, as large seasonal losses in the Oklahoma City MSA overpowered gains elsewhere. The **Durable Goods** sector dropped 1,800 jobs (-1.9 percent), and **Non-durable Goods** provided the rest of the loss. For the year, **Durable Goods Manufacturing** was the only industry sector to report a gain.

OKLAHOMA	NUMBER of JOBS			CHANGE				
Manufacturing	Jun '05	May '05	Jun '04	May '05 to	o Jun '05	Jun '04 to	Jun '05	
Manufacturing	139,200	141,300	140,600	-2,100	-1.5%	-1,400	-1.0%	
Durable Goods Mfg.	91,900	93,700	91,500	-1,800	-1.9%	400	0.4%	
Non-durable Goods Mfg.	47,300	47,600	49,100	-300	-0.6%	-1,800	-3.7%	
				Jobs	Pct.	Jobs	Pct.	

WHOLESALE TRADE LEADS THE CHARGE IN JUNE

Trade, Transportation and Utilities added 1,900 jobs (+0.7 percent) in June, as the Wholesale Trade sector contributed over half of the gain. The Retail Trade and Transportation, Warehouse and Utilities sectors also gained jobs for the month. Between June 2004 and June 2005, Transportation, Warehouse and Utilities was the only sector to report job losses.

OKLAHOMA	NUMBER	of JOBS					
Trade, Transport. & Utils.	Jun '05	May '05	Jun '04	May '05 to Jun '05		Jun '04 to Jun '05	
Trade, Transport. & Utils.	279,000	277,100	277,700	1,900	0.7%	1,300	0.5%
Wholesale Trade	55,700	54,700	55,100	1,000	1.8%	600	1.1%
Retail Trade	170,300	169,500	169,400	800	0.5%	900	0.5%
Transp., Warehouse & Utils.	53,000	52,900	53,200	100	0.2%	-200	-0.4%
				Jobs	Pct.	Jobs	Pct.

FINANCIAL ACTIVITIES REPORTS STRONG GROWTH IN JUNE

The **Financial Activities** industry added 1,000 jobs (+1.2 percent) in June, bringing its over-the-year gain to 1,600 jobs (+1.9 percent). **Finance & Insurance** contributed more than half of both the monthly and annual gains.

OKLAHOMA	NUMBER of JOBS			CHANGE				
Financial Activities	Jun '05	May '05	Jun '04	May '05 to Jun '05		Jun '04 to Jun '05		
Financial Activities	86,800	85,800	85,200	1,000	1.2%	1,600	1.9%	
Finance & Insurance	62,500	61,800	61,500	700	1.1%	1,000	1.6%	
Real Estate & Rental/Leasing	24,300	24,000	23,700	300	1.3%	600	2.5%	
				Jobs	Pct.	Jobs	Pct.	

PROFESSIONAL & BUSINESS SERVICES UP FOR MONTH & YEAR

Although **Professional and Business Services** experienced marginal monthly growth of 800 jobs (+0.5 percent) in June, the industry managed much more substantial growth over the year. Of the 7,100 jobs gained since June 2004, over 5,000 were provided by the **Administrative and Support Services** sector.

OKLAHOMA	NUMBER	of JOBS	CHANGE					
Pro. & Business Services	Jun '05	May '05	Jun '04	May '05 to	Jun '05	Jun '04 to	Jun '05	
Pro. & Business Services	169,400	168,600	162,200	800	0.5%	7,200	4.4%	
Pro. & Scientific Services	58,600	58,500	56,700	100	0.2%	1,900	3.4%	
Management of Companies	12,700	12,700	12,500	0	0.0%	200	1.6%	
Admin. & Support Services	98,100	97,400	93,000	700	0.7%	5,100	5.5%	
Employment Services	49,800	49,400	47,000	400	0.8%	2,800	6.0%	
Business Support Services	12,000	11,800	11,500	200	1.7%	500	4.3%	
Services to Buildings	13,100	13,100	13,400	0	0.0%	-300	-2.2%	
	1			Jobs	Pct.	Jobs	Pct.	

EDUCATION & HEALTH SERVICES ADDS JOBS OVER YEAR

Education and Health Services felt the impact of seasonal education factors in June, dropping 1,000 jobs (-0.5 percent) over the month. In fact, the 2,300-job loss (-12.4 percent) in the **Educational Services** sector more than cancelled out the 1,300-job gain (+0.8 percent) by the **Health Care and Social Assistance** sector. Most of the year-over-year growth came from **Health Care and Social Assistance**.

OKLAHOMA	NUMBER	of JOBS					
Education & Health Svcs.	Jun '05	May '05	Jun '04	May '05 to Jun '05		Jun '04 to Jun '05	
Education & Health Svcs.	181,000	182,000	177,100	-1,000	-0.5%	3,900	2.2%
Educational Services	16,200	18,500	15,700	-2,300	-12.4%	500	3.2%
Health Care & Social Asst.	164,800	163,500	161,400	1,300	0.8%	3,400	2.1%
Ambulatory Health Care	57,100	56,900	55,600	200	0.4%	1,500	2.7%
Hospitals	48,300	47,800	47,100	500	1.0%	1,200	2.5%
Nursing & Residential Care	36,300	36,000	36,200	300	0.8%	100	0.3%
Social Assistance	23,100	22,800	22,500	300	1.3%	600	2.7%
				Jobs	Pct.	Jobs	Pct.

LEISURE & HOSPITALITY DOWN FOR MONTH AS FOOD SERVICES & DRINKING PLACES SHEDS JOBS

Leisure and Hospitality dropped by 500 jobs (-0.4 percent) in June 2005, leaving the industry with only 200 jobs more than it recorded in June 2004. All of the monthly loss came from the **Accommodation and Food Services** sector, as **Food Services & Drinking Places** shed 1,100 jobs (-1.0 percent).

OKLAHOMA	NUMBER	of JOBS		CHANGE					
Leisure & Hospitality	Jun '05	May '05	Jun '04	May '05 t	o Jun '05	5 Jun '04 to Jun '(
Leisure & Hospitality	132,600	133,100	132,400	-500	-0.4%	200	0.2%		
Art, Entertainment & Rec.	15,400	15,000	15,500	400	2.7%	-100	-0.6%		
Accommodation & Food Svcs.	117,200	118,100	116,900	-900	-0.8%	300	0.3%		
Accommodation	10,800	10,600	10,400	200	1.9%	400	3.8%		
Food Svcs./Drinking Places	106,400	107,500	106,500	-1,100	-1.0%	-100	-0.1%		
Full-service Restaurants	50,200	50,800	49,900	-600	-1.2%	300	0.6%		
Limited-service Eating	50,700	51,000	51,500	-300	-0.6%	-800	-1.6%		
				Jobs	Pct.	Jobs	Pct.		

GOVERNMENT SEES BIG SEASONAL DROP IN JUNE

Government across the state fell victim to seasonal factors in June, as employment reflected public schools and universities going on summer break. This loss was shared by **State Government** and **Local Government**. From June 2004 to June 2005, **Government** added 9,300 jobs, an increase of 3.2 percent.

OKLAHOMA	NUMBER	NUMBER of JOBS			GΕ		
Government	Jun '05	May '05	Jun '04	May '05 t	o Jun '05	Jun '04 to Jun '05	
Government	303,700	315,800	294,400	-12,100	-3.8%	9,300	3.2%
Federal Government	46,100	46,100	46,500	0	0.0%	-400	-0.9%
State Government	78,600	85,200	74,900	-6,600	-7.7%	3,700	4.9%
Local Government	179,000	184,500	173,000	-5,500	-3.0%	6,000	3.5%
				Jobs	Pct.	Jobs	Pct.

OKLAHOMA CITY MSA*

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SEASONAL LOSSES PUSH EMPLOYMENT DOWN IN OKLAHOMA CITY

Oklahoma City **TOTAL NONFARM EMPLOYMENT** lost 2,600 jobs (-0.5 percent) in June, bringing the year-over-year change to a gain of 11,200 jobs (+2.1 percent). Both the **Goods Producing Industries** and the **Service Providing Industries** contributed to the monthly loss. Many of the losses were seasonal in nature. For example, **Manufacturing** reported a loss of 1,700 jobs (-4.5 percent) over the month, reflecting a seasonal loss seen each year at this time. **Government** also got in on the seasonal act by shedding 3,100 jobs (-2.7 percent) due to public schools and universities breaking for summer vacation.

OKLAHOMA CITY	NUMBER	of JOBS		CHANG			
EMPLOYMENT	Jun '05	May '05	Jun '04	May '05 to	o Jun '05	Jun '04 to	Jun '05
TOTAL NONFARM EMPL.	552,200	554,800	541,000	-2,600	-0.5%	11,200	2.1%
Goods Producing Industries	69,900	71,000	69,700	-1,100	-1.5%	200	0.3%
Manufacturing	36,300	38,000	37,100	-1,700	-4.5%	-800	-2.2%
Service Providing Industries	482,300	483,800	471,300	-1,500	-0.3%	11,000	2.3%
Pro. & Business Services	70,200	69,500	67,300	700	1.0%	2,900	4.3%
Education & Health Svcs.	68,100	68,200	67,300	-100	-0.1%	800	1.2%
Leisure & Hospitality	55,300	55,400	54,200	-100	-0.2%	1,100	2.0%
Government	111,600	114,700	108,400	-3,100	-2.7%	3,200	3.0%
				Jobs	Pct.	Jobs	Pct.

OKC MANUFACTURING POSTS SEASONAL LOSSES IN JUNE

Oklahoma City **Manufacturing** reported a seasonal drop in June, a loss the Oklahoma City MSA sees each year at this time. **Manufacturing** was the only industry in the Oklahoma City MSA to shed jobs in June. Almost all of the 1,700 jobs lost (-4.5 percent) came from the **Durable Goods Manufacturing** sector.

OKLAHOMA CITY	NUMBER	of JOBS	CHANG	ŝΕ			
Manufacturing	Jun '05	May '05	Jun '04	May '05 to	o Jun '05	05 Jun '04 to Jun	
Manufacturing	36,300	38,000	37,100	-1,700	-4.5%	-800	-2.2%
Durable Goods Mfg.	25,600	27,200	25,700	-1,600	-5.9%	-100	-0.4%
				Jobs	Pct.	Jobs	Pct.

OKC TTU INDUSTRY UP FOR MONTH & YEAR

Trade, Transportation and Utilities reported a small gain in June to go along with a more substantial over-the-year increase. While all of the industry's sectors contributed equally to the monthly gain, it was the **Transportation, Warehouse and Utilities** sector that provided the largest part of the year-over-year gain.

OKLAHOMA CITY	NUMBER of JOBS		CHANG	ĪΞ			
Trade, Transport. & Utils.	Jun '05	May '05	Jun '04	May '05 to	May '05 to Jun '05		Jun '05
Trade, Transport. & Utils.	98,000	97,700	96,500	300	0.3%	1,500	1.6%
Wholesale Trade	21,600	21,500	21,300	100	0.5%	300	1.4%
Retail Trade	60,400	60,300	59,900	100	0.2%	500	0.8%
Transport, Warehouse, Utils.	16,000	15,900	15,300	100	0.6%	700	4.6%
				Jobs	Pct.	Jobs	Pct.

PROFESSIONAL & BUSINESS SERVICES GROWS FOR MONTH & YEAR

Professional and Business Services in Oklahoma City experienced widespread but moderate growth in June 2005. When compared to June 2004, the industry has added 2,900 jobs (+4.3 percent). The **Administrative and Support Services** sector provided over half of both the monthly and annual growth. The **Employment Services** and **Business Support Services** subsectors contributed to the sector's annual gain.

OKLAHOMA CITY	NUMBER of JOBS			CHANG	Έ		
Pro. & Business Services	Jun '05	May '05	Jun '04	May '05 to	Jun '05	Jun '04 to Jun '0	
Pro. & Business Services	70,200	69,500	67,300	700	1.0%	2,900	4.3%
Pro. & Scientific Services	25,200	25,000	24,400	200	0.8%	800	3.3%
Management of Companies	5,100	5,000	4,700	100	2.0%	400	8.5%
Admin. & Support Services	39,900	39,500	38,200	400	1.0%	1,700	4.5%
Employment Services	19,500	19,300	19,000	200	1.0%	500	2.6%
Business Support Services	4,800	4,800	4,400	0	0.0%	400	9.1%
				Jobs	Pct.	Jobs	Pct.

SEASONAL FACTORS FORCE EDUCATION & HEALTH SERVICES TO SHED JOBS OVER MONTH

Following the pattern seen across the state, **Education and Health Services** was affected by seasonal factors in June, shedding 100 jobs (-0.1 percent) over the month. The seasonal effect is more easily seen when looking at the **Educational Services** sector which dropped 700 jobs (-9.2 percent) in June.

OKLAHOMA CITY	NUMBER of JOBS			CHANG	GE		
Education & Health Svcs.	Jun '05	May '05	Jun '04	May '05 to	o Jun '05	Jun '04 to	Jun '05
Education & Health Svcs.	68,100	68,200	67,300	-100	-0.1%	800	1.2%
Educational Services	6,900	7,600	6,800	-700	-9.2%	100	1.5%
Health Care & Social Asst.	61,200	60,600	60,500	600	1.0%	700	1.2%
Ambulatory Health Care	22,400	22,300	21,700	100	0.4%	700	3.2%
Hospitals	20,400	20,200	20,400	200	1.0%	0	0.0%
				Jobs	Pct.	Jobs	Pct.

OKLAHOMA CITY LEISURE & HOSPITALITY UP FOR YEAR

Despite seeing a marginal drop over the month, **Leisure and Hospitality** in Oklahoma City reported net growth of 1,100 jobs (+2.0 percent) when compared with June 2004. The **Food Services and Drinking Places** sector grew by 1,700 jobs (+4.0 percent) over the year.

OKLAHOMA CITY	NUMBER of JOBS			CHANC	GΕ		
Leisure & Hospitality	Jun '05	May '05	Jun '04	May '05 t	o Jun '05	Jun '04 to Jun '05	
Leisure & Hospitality	55,300	55,400	54,200	-100	-0.2%	1,100	2.0%
Food Svcs. & Drinking Places	44,400	44,500	42,700	-100	-0.2%	1,700	4.0%
Full-service Restaurants	21,700	21,800	20,800	-100	-0.5%	900	4.3%
Limited-service Eating	20,500	20,500	19,800	0	0.0%	700	3.5%
				Jobs	Pct.	Jobs	Pct.

SCHOOL BREAK PUSHES GOVERNMENT INTO THE RED FOR MONTH

At 111,600 jobs in June, **Government** in Oklahoma City was 3,100 jobs lower (-2.7 percent) than in June 2004. The industry's monthly loss was the result of seasonal factors, as public schools and universities went to summer schedules. **State Government** and **Local Government** provided 1,800 jobs and 1,200 jobs to the loss, respectively.

OKLAHOMA	NUMBER	of JOBS		CHANG	ĒΕ		
EMPLOYMENT	Jun '05	May '05	Jun '04	May '05 to	o Jun '05	Jun '04 to Jun '05	
Government	111,600	114,700	108,400	-3,100	-2.7%	3,200	3.0%
Federal Government	27,000	27,100	27,100	-100	-0.4%	-100	-0.4%
State Government	38,800	40,600	36,500	-1,800	-4.4%	2,300	6.3%
Local Government	45,800	47,000	44,800	-1,200	-2.6%	1,000	2.2%
				Jobs	Pct.	Jobs	Pct.

TULSA UP FOR BOTH MONTH & YEAR IN JUNE

June was the fifth consecutive month that **TOTAL NONFARM EMPLOYMENT** in the Tulsa MSA has improved, as the MSA gained 1,300 jobs (+0.3 percent) over the month and 3,500 jobs (+0.9 percent) compared to June 2004. The monthly gains were contributed by both the **Goods Producing Industries** and the **Service Providing Industries**. **Education and Health Services** and **Government** both experienced seasonal losses over the month, as schools went to their summer schedules.

TULSA	NUMBER	of JOBS		CHANG			
EMPLOYMENT	Jun '05	May '05	Jun '04	May '05 to	o Jun '05	Jun '04 to	Jun '05
TOTAL NONFARM EMPL.	403,700	402,400	400,200	1,300	0.3%	3,500	0.9%
Goods Producing Industries	71,100	70,300	71,600	800	1.1%	-500	-0.7%
Construction	20,200	19,600	19,500	600	3.1%	700	3.6%
Manufacturing	46,300	46,100	47,400	200	0.4%	-1,100	-2.3%
Service Providing Industries	332,600	332,100	328,600	500	0.2%	4,000	1.2%
Trade, Transport. & Utilities	81,400	81,300	83,000	100	0.1%	-1,600	-1.9%
Pro. & Business Services	53,000	52,600	51,600	400	0.8%	1,400	2.7%
Education & Health Svcs.	52,100	52,500	51,900	-400	-0.8%	200	0.4%
Government	50,900	51,500	48,500	-600	-1.2%	2,400	4.9%
				Jobs	Pct.	Jobs	Pct.

TULSA CONSTRUCTION GAINS JOBS IN JUNE

Tulsa **Construction** grew by 600 jobs (+3.1 percent) over the month, reflecting a gain of 700 jobs (+3.6 percent) since June 2004. The **Specialty Trade Contractors** sector provided half of the monthly gain and most of the annual gain for the industry.

TULSA	NUMBER of JOBS			CHANG	iΕ		
Construction	Jun '05	May '05	Jun '04	May '05 to	Jun '05	Jun '04 to	Jun '05
Construction	20,200	19,600	19,500	600	3.1%	700	3.6%
Specialty Trade Contractors	13,200	12,900	12,600	300	2.3%	600	4.8%
				Jobs	Pct.	Jobs	Pct.

DESPITE MONTHLY GROWTH, MANUFACTURING DOWN FOR YEAR

Manufacturing grew by 200 jobs (+0.4 percent) over the month in Tulsa. Compared to June 2004, the industry shed 1,100 jobs (-2.3 percent).

TULSA	NUMBER	CHANG	Έ				
Manufacturing	Jun '05	May '05	Jun '04	May '05 to	Jun '05	Jun '04 to	Jun '05
Manufacturing	46,300	46,100	47,400	200	0.4%	-1,100	-2.3%
	·		•	Jobs	Pct.	Jobs	Pct.

TULSA TTU DOWN NEARLY 2 PERCENT OVER YEAR

Trade, Transportation and Utilities in Tulsa managed an addition of 100 jobs (+0.1 percent) for June. At 81,400 jobs, the industry was 1,600 jobs lower (-1.9 percent) than in June 2004. **Retail Trade** added 500 jobs (+1.1 percent) for the month, and **Transportation, Warehouse and Utilities** dropped by 1,600 jobs (-7.0 percent) over the year.

TULSA	NUMBER of JOBS			CHANG	ĒΕ		
Trade, Transport. & Utils.	Jun '05	May '05	Jun '04	May '05 to Jun '05		Jun '04 to Jun '05	
Trade, Transport. & Utils	81,400	81,300	83,000	100	0.1%	-1,600	-1.9%
Wholesale Trade	16,600	16,700	16,100	-100	-0.6%	500	3.1%
Retail Trade	44,800	44,300	45,400	500	1.1%	-600	-1.3%
Transport., Warehouse, Utils.	20,000	20,300	21,500	-300	-1.5%	-1,500	-7.0%
				Jobs	Pct.	Jobs	Pct.

PROFESSIONAL & BUSINESS SERVICES UP FOR MONTH IN JUNE

Tulsa's **Professional and Business Services** industry added 400 jobs (+0.8 percent) over the month and 1,400 jobs (+2.7 percent) over the year in June. The monthly gain was spread among the industry's sectors, while the annual increase came from the **Administrative and Support Services** sector.

TULSA	NUMBER of JOBS			CHANGE				
Pro. & Business Services	Jun '05	May '05	Jun '04	May '05 to	Jun '05	Jun '04 to	Jun '05	
Pro. & Business Services	53,000	52,600	51,600	400	0.8%	1,400	2.7%	
Pro. & Scientific Services	18,100	18,000	18,000	100	0.6%	100	0.6%	
Management of Companies	5,800	5,700	6,000	100	1.8%	-200	-3.3%	
Admin. & Support Services	29,100	28,900	27,600	200	0.7%	1,500	5.4%	
				Jobs	Pct.	Jobs	Pct.	

SEASONAL FACTORS SLOW EDUCATION & HEALTH SERVICES IN JUNE

Following the trend seen across the state, Tulsa **Education and Health Services** dropped 400 jobs (-0.8 percent) over the month due to seasonal education factors. During the June-to-June period, the industry gained 200 jobs (+0.4 percent). The **Hospitals** subsector grew by 1,000 jobs (+6.6 percent) between June 2004 and June 2005.

TULSA	NUMBER of JOBS		CHANGE				
Education & Health Svcs.	Jun '05	May '05	Jun '04	May '05 to	o Jun '05	Jun '04 to	Jun '05
Education & Health Svcs.	52,100	52,500	51,900	-400	-0.8%	200	0.4%
Education Services	5,900	6,500	5,400	-600	-9.2%	500	9.3%
Health Care & Social Asst.	46,200	46,000	46,500	200	0.4%	-300	-0.6%
Ambulatory Health Care	17,100	17,000	17,100	100	0.6%	0	0.0%
Hospitals	16,200	16,000	15,200	200	1.3%	1,000	6.6%
				Jobs	Pct.	Jobs	Pct.

TULSA GOVERNMENT DROPS 600 JOBS OVER MONTH

Seasonal education factors were also the cause of the 600-job drop (-1.2 percent) in **Government** for June. The industry's over-the-month loss was provided equally by **State Government** and **Local Government**. This industry has added 2,400 jobs (+4.9 percent) since June 2004.

TULSA	NUMBER	NUMBER of JOBS			CHANGE				
Government	Jun '05	May '05	Jun '04	May '05 t	o Jun '05	Jun '04 to	Jun '05		
Government	50,900	51,500	48,500	-600	-1.2%	2,400	4.9%		
Federal Government	4,800	4,800	4,800	0	0.0%	0	0.0%		
State Government	7,200	7,500	6,700	-300	-4.0%	500	7.5%		
Local Government	38,900	39,200	37,000	-300	-0.8%	1,900	5.1%		
				Jobs	Pct.	Jobs	Pct.		

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LAWTON REPORTS JOB GAINS OVER YEAR IN JUNE

TOTAL NONFARM EMPLOYMENT in the Lawton MSA gained 100 jobs (+0.2 percent) over the month and 500 jobs (+1.2 percent) over the year. All of the annual gains were contributed by the **Service Providing Industries**. **Government** was the only industry to report over-the-month losses; this month's particular losses were caused by seasonal education factors.

LAWTON	NUMBER	of JOBS		CHANGE				
EMPLOYMENT	Jun '05	May '05	Jun '04	May '05 to	o Jun '05	5 Jun '04 to Jun '		
TOTAL NONFARM EMPL.	41,300	41,200	40,800	100	0.2%	500	1.2%	
Goods Producing Industries	5,300	5,300	5,400	0	0.0%	-100	-1.9%	
Service Providing Industries	36,000	35,900	35,400	100	0.3%	600	1.7%	
Trade, Transport. & Utilities	1,200	1,200	1,200	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	
Pro. & Business Services	3,900	3,900	3,800	0	0.0%	100	2.6%	
Education & Health Svcs.	4,000	3,900	3,900	100	2.6%	100	2.6%	
Leisure & Hospitality	4,000	4,000	4,100	0	0.0%	-100	-2.4%	
Government	12,400	12,600	12,000	-200	-1.6%	400	3.3%	
				Jobs	Pct.	Jobs	Pct.	

SEASONAL FACTORS FORCE GOVERNMENT TO DROP JOBS IN JUNE

Government in Lawton shed 200 jobs (-1.6 percent) in June, as local schools went to summer personnel. The **State Government** and **Local Government** sectors were the providers of the seasonal loss. Over the year, **Government** has grown by 400 jobs (+3.3 percent).

LAWTON	NUMBER of JOBS			CHANGE				
EMPLOYMENT	Jun '05	May '05	Jun '04	May '05 to	o Jun '05	Jun '04 to	o Jun '05	
Government	12,400	12,600	12,000	-200	-1.6%	400	3.3%	
Federal Government	3,600	3,400	3,300	200	5.9%	300	9.1%	
State Government	1,800	1,900	1,600	-100	-5.3%	200	12.5%	
Local Government	7,000	7,300	7,100	-300	-4.1%	-100	-1.4%	
				Jobs	Pct.	Jobs	Pct.	

Current Empl. Statistics	NUM	BER EMPLO	OYED	May '05 t	o Jun '05	Jun '04 t	o Jun '05
Oklahoma - June 2005	Jun '05	May '05	Jun '04	Change	% Chg.	Change	% Chg.
TOTAL NONFARM EMP.	1,497,000	1,505,100	1,471,500	-8,100	-0.5%	25,500	1.7%
Total Private Employment*	1,193,300	1,189,300	1,177,100	4,000	0.3%	16,200	1.4%
Private Service Providers**	956,300	952,500	941,000	3,800	0.4%	15,300	1.6%
GOODS PRODUCING	237,000	236,800	236,100	200	0.1%	900	0.4%
Natural Resources & Mining	32,700	32,000	31,400	700	2.2%	1,300	4.1%
Support for Mining	16,100	15,600	15,900	500	3.2%	200	1.3%
Construction	65,100	63,500	64,100	1,600	2.5%	1,000	1.6%
Construction of Buildings	13,600	13,300	13,400	300	2.3%	200	1.5%
Residential Buildings	6,100	5,900	6,100	200	3.4%	0	0.0%
Non-residential Buildings	7,500	7,400	7,300	100	1.4%	200	2.7%
Heavy & Civil Engineering	10,800	10,600	10,600	200	1.9%	200	1.9%
Specialty Trade Contractor	40,700	39,600	40,100	1,100	2.8%	600	1.5%
Bldg. Equip. Contractors	18,700	18,300	19,200	400	2.2%	-500	-2.6%
Manufacturing	139,200	141,300	140,600	-2,100	-1.5%	-1,400	-1.0%
Durable Goods Mfg.	91,900	93,700	91,500	-1,800	-1.9%	400	0.4%
Wood Product Mfg.	4,200	4,200	4,100	0	0.0%	100	2.4%
Primary Metal Mfg.	4,100	4,100	4,000	0	0.0%	100	2.5%
Fabricated Metal Mfg.	21,800	21,800	22,400	0	0.0%	-600	-2.7%
Other Fabricated Metal	5,500	5,400	5,300	100	1.9%	200	3.8%
Machinery Manufacturing	23,400	23,300	22,500	100	0.4%	900	4.0%
Computer/Electronics Mfg.	5,000	4,900	4,800	100	2.0%	200	4.2%
Electrical Equipment Mfg.	3,000	3,000	2,900	0	0.0%	100	3.4%
Transportation Equip. Mfg.	14,000	15,800	14,400	-1,800	-11.4%	-400	-2.8%
Motor Vehicle Mfg.	1,400	3,200	1,600	-1,800	-56.3%	-200	-12.5%
Motor Vehicle Body/Part	4,300	4,300	4,400	0	0.0%	-100	-2.3%
Aerospace Products	3,000	2,900	2,800	100	3.4%	200	7.1%
Non-durable Goods Mfg.	47,300	47,600	49,100	-300	-0.6%	-1,800	-3.7%
Food Manufacturing	18,800	19,000	19,400	-200	-1.1%	-600	-3.1%
Paper Manufacturing	3,400	3,300	3,300	100	3.0%	100	3.0%
Plastic & Rubber Products	12,900	12,900	12,800	0	0.0%	100	0.8%
SERVICE PROVIDING	1,260,000	1,268,300	1,235,400	-8,300	-0.7%	24,600	2.0%
Trade, Transportation & Util.	279,000	277,100	277,700	1,900	0.7%	1,300	0.5%
Wholesale Trade	55,700	54,700	55,100	1,000	1.8%	600	1.1%
Retail Trade	170,300	169,500	169,400	800	0.5%	900	0.5%
Motor Vehicle & Parts	23,300	23,100	24,200	200	0.9%	-900	-3.7%
Auto Dealers	14,600	14,600	15,300	0	0.0%	-700	-4.6%
Food & Beverage Stores	23,900	23,500	23,800	400	1.7%	100	0.4%
Gasoline Stations	12,800	12,500	12,900	300	2.4%	-100	-0.8%
Gen'l Merchandise Stores	43,000	43,100	42,300	-100	-0.2%	700	1.7%
Transp., Warehouse & Util.	53,000	52,900	53,200	100	0.2%	-200	-0.4%
Utilities	10,800	10,700	10,800	100	0.9%	0	0.0%
Transport. & Warehouse	42,200	42,200	42,400	0	0.0%	-200	-0.5%
Air Transportation	8,900	8,900	9,400	0	0.0%	-500	-5.3%
Truck Transportation	17,100	17,100	17,300	0	0.0%	-200	-1.2%

Current Empl. Statistics	NUM	BER EMPLO	OYED	May '05 t	o Jun '05	Jun '04 t	Jun '04 to Jun '05	
Oklahoma - June 2005	Jun '05	May '05	Jun '04	Change	% Chg.	Change	% Chg.	
Information	31,600	31,600	31,400	0	0.0%	200	0.6%	
Publishing Industries	6,500	6,500	6,500	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	
Telecommunications	15,100	15,100	14,800	0	0.0%	300	2.0%	
Financial Activities	86,800	85,800	85,200	1,000	1.2%	1,600	1.9%	
Finance & Insurance	62,500	61,800	61,500	700	1.1%	1,000	1.6%	
Credit Intermediation	31,800	31,400	30,900	400	1.3%	900	2.9%	
Depository Credit	24,200	23,900	23,500	300	1.3%	700	3.0%	
Insurance Carriers & Rltd.	26,700	26,500	26,500	200	0.8%	200	0.8%	
Real Estate, Rental/Leasing	24,300	24,000	23,700	300	1.3%	600	2.5%	
Real Estate	11,500	11,300	11,500	200	1.8%	0	0.0%	
Pro. & Business Services	169,400	168,600	162,200	800	0.5%	7,200	4.4%	
Pro. & Scientific Services	58,600	58,500	56,700	100	0.2%	1,900	3.4%	
Legal Services	12,900	12,700	12,900	200	1.6%	0	0.0%	
Accounting & Tax Prep.	10,100	10,300	9,900	-200	-1.9%	200	2.0%	
Architecture & Engineering	10,900	10,800	10,300	100	0.9%	600	5.8%	
Mgt. of Companies	12,700	12,700	12,500	0	0.0%	200	1.6%	
Admin. & Support Svcs.	98,100	97,400	93,000	700	0.7%	5,100	5.5%	
Employment Services	49,800	49,400	47,000	400	0.8%	2,800	6.0%	
Business Support Svcs.	12,000	11,800	11,500	200	1.7%	500	4.3%	
Building Services	13,100	13,100	13,400	0	0.0%	-300	-2.2%	
Education & Health Svcs.	181,000	182,000	177,100	-1,000	-0.5%	3,900	2.2%	
Education Services	16,200	18,500	15,700	-2,300	-12.4%	500	3.2%	
Health Care & Social Asst.	164,800	163,500	161,400	1,300	0.8%	3,400	2.1%	
Ambulatory Health Care	57,100	56,900	55,600	200	0.4%	1,500	2.7%	
Hospitals	48,300	47,800	47,100	500	1.0%	1,200	2.5%	
Nursing/Residential Care	36,300	36,000	36,200	300	0.8%	100	0.3%	
Social Assistance	23,100	22,800	22,500	300	1.3%	600	2.7%	
Leisure & Hospitality	132,600	133,100	132,400	-500	-0.4%	200	0.2%	
Arts & Entertainment	15,400	15,000	15,500	400	2.7%	-100	-0.6%	
Accommodation/Food Svc.	117,200	118,100	116,900	-900	-0.8%	300	0.3%	
Accommodation	10,800	10,600	10,400	200	1.9%	400	3.8%	
Food Svc./Drinking Places	106,400	107,500	106,500	-1,100	-1.0%	-100	-0.1%	
Full-service Restaurants	50,200	50,800	49,900	-600	-1.2%	300	0.6%	
Limited-service Eating	50,700	51,000	51,500	-300	-0.6%	-800	-1.6%	
Other Services	75,900	74,300	75,000	1,600	2.2%	900	1.2%	
Repair & Maintenance	12,700	12,600	12,600	100	0.8%	100	0.8%	
Personal & Laundry Svcs.	12,900	12,600	12,800	300	2.4%	100	0.8%	
Government	303,700	315,800	294,400	-12,100	-3.8%	9,300	3.2%	
Federal Government	46,100	46,100	46,500	0	0.0%	-400	-0.9%	
State Government	78,600	85,200	74,900	-6,600	-7.7%	3,700	4.9%	
Local Government	179,000	184,500	173,000	-5,500	-3.0%	6,000	3.5%	

^{*} Total Private Employment = (TOTAL NONFARM EMPLOYMENT – Government)

^{**} Private Service Providers = (SERVICE PROVIDING INDUSTRIES – Government)

Current Empl. Statistics	NUM	BER EMPL	OYED	May '05 t	o Jun '05	Jun '04 to	o Jun '05
OKC MSA - June 2005	Jun '05	May '05	Jun '04	Change	% Chg.	Change	% Chg.
TOTAL NONFARM EMP.	552,200	554,800	541,000	-2,600	-0.5%	11,200	2.1%
Total Private Employment*	440,600	440,100	432,600	500	0.1%	8,000	1.8%
Private Service Providers**	370,700	369,100	362,900	1,600	0.4%	7,800	2.1%
GOODS PRODUCING	69,900	71,000	69,700	-1,100	-1.5%	200	0.3%
Natural Resources & Mining	8,700	8,600	8,300	100	1.2%	400	4.8%
Construction	24,900	24,400	24,300	500	2.0%	600	2.5%
Specialty Trade Contractor	16,000	15,500	15,900	500	3.2%	100	0.6%
Manufacturing	36,300	38,000	37,100	-1,700	-4.5%	-800	-2.2%
Durable Goods Mfg.	25,600	27,200	25,700	-1,600	-5.9%	-100	-0.4%
Machinery Manufacturing	5,600	5,700	5,600	-100	-1.8%	0	0.0%
Transportation Equip. Mfg.	6,600	8,500	6,600	-1,900	-22.4%	0	0.0%
Plastic & Rubber Products	3,000	3,000	3,000	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
SERVICE PROVIDING	482,300	483,800	471,300	-1,500	-0.3%	11,000	2.3%
Trade, Transportation & Util.	98,000	97,700	96,500	300	0.3%	1,500	1.6%
Wholesale Trade	21,600	21,500	21,300	100	0.5%	300	1.4%
Retail Trade	60,400	60,300	59,900	100	0.2%	500	0.8%
Gen'l Merchandise Stores	13,500	13,400	12,900	100	0.7%	600	4.7%
Transp., Warehouse & Util.	16,000	15,900	15,300	100	0.6%	700	4.6%
Information	14,000	13,900	13,400	100	0.7%	600	4.5%
Telecommunications	6,200	6,200	6,000	0	0.0%	200	3.3%
Financial Activities	36,200	35,900	35,600	300	0.8%	600	1.7%
Finance & Insurance	24,500	24,400	24,400	100	0.4%	100	0.4%
Rental & Leasing Services	6,100	6,000	5,800	100	1.7%	300	5.2%
Pro. & Business Services	70,200	69,500	67,300	700	1.0%	2,900	4.3%
Pro. & Scientific Services	25,200	25,000	24,400	200	0.8%	800	3.3%
Mgt. of Companies	5,100	5,000	4,700	100	2.0%	400	8.5%
Admin. & Support Svcs.	39,900	39,500	38,200	400	1.0%	1,700	4.5%
Employment Services	19,500	19,300	19,000	200	1.0%	500	2.6%
Business Support Svcs.	4,800	4,800	4,400	0	0.0%	400	9.1%
Education & Health Svcs.	68,100	68,200	67,300	-100	-0.1%	800	1.2%
Education Services	6,900	7,600	6,800	-700	-9.2%	100	1.5%
Health Care & Social Asst.	61,200	60,600	60,500	600	1.0%	700	1.2%
Ambulatory Health Care	22,400	22,300	21,700	100	0.4%	700	3.2%
Hospitals	20,400	20,200	20,400	200	1.0%	0	0.0%
Leisure & Hospitality	55,300	55,400	54,200	-100	-0.2%	1,100	2.0%
Food Svc./Drinking Places	44,400	44,500	42,700	-100	-0.2%	1,700	4.0%
Full-service Restaurants	21,700	21,800	20,800	-100	-0.5%	900	4.3%
Limited-service Eating	20,500	20,500	19,800	0	0.0%	700	3.5%
Other Services	28,900	28,500	28,600	400	1.4%	300	1.0%
Government	111,600	114,700	108,400	-3,100	-2.7%	3,200	3.0%
Federal Government	27,000	27,100	27,100	-100	-0.4%	-100	-0.4%
State Government	38,800	40,600	36,500	-1,800	-4.4%	2,300	6.3%
Local Government	45,800	47,000	44,800	-1,200	-2.6%	1,000	2.2%

^{*} Total Private Employment = (TOTAL NONFARM EMPLOYMENT – Government)

Current Empl. Statistics	NUM	BER EMPL	OYED	May '05 t	o Jun '05	Jun '04 t	o Jun '05
Tulsa MSA - June 2005	Jun '05	May '05	Jun '04	Change	% Chg.	Change	% Chg.
TOTAL NONFARM EMP.	403,700	402,400	400,200	1,300	0.3%	3,500	0.9%
Total Private Employment*	352,800	350,900	351,700	1,900	0.5%	1,100	0.3%
Private Service Providers**	281,700	280,600	280,100	1,100	0.4%	1,600	0.6%
GOODS PRODUCING	71,100	70,300	71,600	800	1.1%	-500	-0.7%
Natural Resources & Mining	4,600	4,600	4,700	0	0.0%	-100	-2.1%
Construction	20,200	19,600	19,500	600	3.1%	700	3.6%
Specialty Trade Contractor	13,200	12,900	12,600	300	2.3%	600	4.8%
Manufacturing	46,300	46,100	47,400	200	0.4%	-1,100	-2.3%
Other Gen'l Purpose	4,800	4,800	4,600	0	0.0%	200	4.3%
Transportation Equip. Mfg.	3,600	3,600	3,600	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
SERVICE PROVIDING	332,600	332,100	328,600	500	0.2%	4,000	1.2%
Trade, Transportation & Util.	81,400	81,300	83,000	100	0.1%	-1,600	-1.9%
Wholesale Trade	16,600	16,700	16,100	-100	-0.6%	500	3.1%
Retail Trade	44,800	44,300	45,400	500	1.1%	-600	-1.3%
Food & Beverage Stores	6,600	6,600	6,300	0	0.0%	300	4.8%
Gen'l Merchandise Stores	11,000	11,000	10,800	0	0.0%	200	1.9%
Department Stores	4,200	4,300	4,200	-100	-2.3%	0	0.0%
Other Gen'l Merchandise	6,800	6,700	6,600	100	1.5%	200	3.0%
Transp., Warehouse & Util. Utilities	20,000 3,900	20,300 3,900	21,500 4,200	-300 0	-1.5% 0.0%	-1,500 -300	-7.0% -7.1%
Transport. & Warehouse	16,100	16,400	17,300	-300	-1.8%	-1,200	-6.9%
Air Transportation	7,700	7,700	8,000	-300	0.0%	-1,200	-3.8%
Information	12,200	12,000	11,500	200	1.7%	700	6.1%
Telecommunications	6,000	6,000	6,100	0	0.0%	-100	-1.6%
Financial Activities	25,400	25,200	25,200	200	0.8%	200	0.8%
Insurance Carriers & Rltd.	5,900	5,800	6,100	100	1.7%	-200	-3.3%
Pro. & Business Services	53,000	52,600	51,600	400	0.8%	1,400	2.7%
Pro. & Scientific Services	18,100	18,000	18,000	100	0.6%	100	0.6%
Mgt. of Companies	5,800	5,700	6,000	100	1.8%	-200	-3.3%
Admin. & Support Svcs.	29,100	28,900	27,600	200	0.7%	1,500	5.4%
Employment Services	14,800	14,400	13,000	400	2.8%	1,800	13.8%
Business Support Svcs.	6,400	6,300	5,200	100	1.6%	1,200	23.1%
Education & Health Svcs.	52,100	52,500	51,900	-400	-0.8%	200	0.4%
Education Services	5,900	6,500	5,400	-600	-9.2%	500	9.3%
Health Care & Social Asst.	46,200	46,000	46,500	200	0.4%	-300	-0.6%
Ambulatory Health Care	17,100	17,000	17,100	100	0.6%	0	0.0%
Hospitals	16,200	16,000	15,200	200	1.3%	1,000	6.6%
Leisure & Hospitality	35,800	35,600	35,100	200	0.6%	700	2.0%
Food Svc./Drinking Places	29,100	29,100	28,700	0	0.0%	400	1.4%
Full-service Restaurants	14,500	14,400	14,200	100	0.7%	300	2.1%
Other Services	21,800	21,400	21,800	400	1.9%	0	0.0%
Government	50,900	51,500	48,500	-600	-1.2%	2,400	4.9%
Federal Government	4,800	4,800	4,800	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
State Government	7,200	7,500	6,700	-300	-4.0%	500	7.5%
Local Government	38,900	39,200	37,000	-300	-0.8%	1,900	5.1%

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Current Empl. Statistics	NUME	BER EMPL	OYED	May '05 t	o Jun '05	Jun '04 t	o Jun '05
Lawton MSA – Jun '05	Jun '05	May '05	Jun '04	Change	% Chg.	Change	% Chg.
TOTAL NONFARM EMP.	41,300	41,200	40,800	100	0.2%	500	1.2%
Total Private Employment*	28,900	28,600	28,800	300	1.0%	100	0.3%
Private Service Providers**	23,600	23,300	23,400	300	1.3%	200	0.9%
GOODS PRODUCING	5,300	5,300	5,400	0	0.0%	-100	-1.9%
N. Resources/Construction	1,400	1,400	1,500	0	0.0%	-100	-6.7%
Manufacturing	3,900	3,900	3,900	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
SERVICE PROVIDING	36,000	35,900	35,400	100	0.3%	600	1.7%
Trade, Transport. & Utils.	7,000	6,900	6,900	100	1.4%	100	1.4%
Wholesale Trade	600	600	600	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Retail Trade	5,200	5,100	5,100	100	2.0%	100	2.0%
Transp., Warehouse & Util.	1,200	1,200	1,200	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Information	500	500	500	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Financial Activities	2,300	2,300	2,300	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Pro. & Business Services	3,900	3,900	3,800	0	0.0%	100	2.6%
Education & Health Svcs.	4,000	3,900	3,900	100	2.6%	100	2.6%
Leisure & Hospitality	4,000	4,000	4,100	0	0.0%	-100	-2.4%
Other Services	1,900	1,800	1,900	100	5.6%	0	0.0%
Government	12,400	12,600	12,000	-200	-1.6%	400	3.3%
Federal Government	3,600	3,400	3,300	200	5.9%	300	9.1%
State Government	1,800	1,900	1,600	-100	-5.3%	200	12.5%
Local Government	7,000	7,300	7,100	-300	-4.1%	-100	-1.4%

^{*} Total Private Employment = (TOTAL NONFARM EMPLOYMENT – Government)

LAUS				Unemployment Rate				
MSAs	Empl.	Unempl.	Labor Force	Jun '05	May '05	Apr '05	Jun '04	
Oklahoma City MSA	566,510	26,790	593,300	4.5%	4.2%	3.9%	5.1%	
Tulsa MSA	431,570	19,690	451,260	4.4%	4.5%	4.2%	5.2%	
Lawton MSA	45,840	2,260	48,090	4.7%	4.7%	4.1%	4.8%	

LAUS - Workforce				Unemployment Rate			
Investment Areas	Empl.	Unempl.	Labor Force	Jun '05	May '05	Apr '05	Jun '04
Central WIA	397,530	19,430	416,960	4.7%	4.4%	4.1%	5.3%
Cleveland Co. WIA	117,350	4,880	122,230	4.0%	3.6%	3.3%	4.4%
East Central WIA	62,190	3,920	66,110	5.9%	5.8%	5.5%	7.3%
Holdenville LLM	8,900	740	9,640	7.7%	7.5%	6.9%	9.3%
Shawnee LLM	53,290	3,180	56,470	5.6%	5.5%	5.2%	6.9%
Eastern WIA	129,200	7,000	136,200	5.1%	5.3%	5.0%	6.2%
Muskogee LLM	64,670	3,440	68,100	5.0%	5.3%	5.0%	6.2%
Okmulgee LLM	16,170	1,130	17,310	6.6%	6.3%	6.5%	7.2%
Tahlequah-Sallisaw LLM	48,360	2,430	50,790	4.8%	4.9%	4.5%	5.8%
North Central WIA	107,440	4,600	112,040	4.1%	4.1%	3.7%	4.4%
Enid LLM	49,540	1,880	51,420	3.7%	3.6%	3.3%	3.9%
Ponca City LLM	25,800	1,420	27,220	5.2%	5.5%	5.1%	5.9%
Stillwater LLM	32,110	1,300	33,410	3.9%	3.7%	3.4%	4.0%
Northeast WIA	121,290	5,410	126,700	4.3%	4.4%	4.1%	5.2%
Bartlesville LLM	28,530	1,270	29,800	4.3%	4.4%	4.1%	5.4%
Claremore-Pryor LLM	70,780	3,050	73,830	4.1%	4.3%	4.0%	5.0%
Miami-Vinita LLM	21,980	1,090	23,070	4.7%	4.8%	4.6%	5.4%
Northwest WIA	34,720	1,320	36,040	3.7%	4.1%	3.5%	4.1%
Guymon LLM	14,450	520	14,970	3.5%	3.6%	3.1%	3.7%
Woodward LLM	20,280	800	21,070	3.8%	4.4%	3.7%	4.5%
South Central WIA	122,890	5,990	128,880	4.6%	4.5%	4.1%	5.0%
Chickasha LLM	48,660	2,480	51,130	4.8%	4.6%	4.1%	5.4%
Duncan LLM	21,470	940	22,410	4.2%	4.3%	3.9%	5.0%
Lawton LLM	52,770	2,570	55,340	4.6%	4.6%	4.1%	4.8%
Southeast WIA	74,060	4,160	78,220	5.3%	5.4%	5.0%	6.5%
Broken Bow-Idabel- Antlers-Hugo LLM	24,800	1,570	26,370	6.0%	5.8%	5.6%	7.7%
McAlester LLM	23,460	1,170	24,630	4.7%	5.0%	4.6%	5.7%
Poteau LLM	25,800	1,420	27,220	5.2%	5.3%	4.9%	6.2%
Southern WIA	100,710	4,520	105,220	4.3%	4.3%	4.1%	5.5%
Ada LLM	30,280	1,380	31,660	4.4%	4.4%	4.0%	6.0%
Ardmore LLM	34,410	1,450	35,860	4.0%	4.2%	4.0%	5.0%
Durant LLM	36,020	1,690	37,710	4.5%	4.4%	4.2%	5.4%
Southwest WIA	51,230	1,920	53,150	3.6%	3.6%	3.3%	4.0%
Altus LLM	20,660	890	21,550	4.1%	4.3%	3.8%	4.6%
Elk City-Weatherford- Clinton LLM	30,570	1,030	31,600	3.3%	3.2%	2.8%	3.6%
Tulsa WIA	347,400	15,870	363,270	4.4%	4.6%	4.2%	5.2%

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LAUS				Unemployment Rate			
County Rankings	Empl.	Unempl.	Labor Force	Jun '05	May '05	Apr '05	Jun '04
Okfuskee County	3,950	360	4,300	8.3%	8.1%	7.3%	9.5%
Coal County	1,960	160	2,120	7.5%	7.9%	8.0%	11.7%
Seminole County	9,030	710	9,740	7.3%	7.6%	7.2%	10.7%
Hughes County	4,950	390	5,340	7.2%	7.1%	6.6%	9.2%
Okmulgee County	16,170	1,130	17,310	6.6%	6.3%	6.5%	7.2%
McCurtain County	13,830	960	14,790	6.5%	6.2%	6.0%	8.2%
McIntosh County	7,500	480	7,970	6.0%	6.5%	6.0%	7.6%
Muskogee County	26,780	1,720	28,500	6.0%	6.3%	6.0%	7.4%
Caddo County	11,830	730	12,560	5.8%	5.4%	5.1%	6.0%
Creek County	31,140	1,910	33,050	5.8%	6.2%	6.0%	5.9%
Sequoyah County	17,530	1,030	18,560	5.6%	5.8%	5.3%	6.7%
Pottawatomie Co.	29,460	1,740	31,190	5.6%	5.2%	4.9%	6.4%
Kay County	20,870	1,210	22,080	5.5%	5.8%	5.3%	6.3%
Latimer County	3,950	230	4,180	5.5%	5.5%	5.3%	6.1%
Blaine County	4,780	280	5,060	5.5%	4.3%	3.9%	5.9%
Woods County	4,210	240	4,450	5.4%	8.5%	6.5%	7.9%
Choctaw County	6,160	350	6,510	5.4%	5.3%	5.3%	7.4%
Leflore County	20,970	1,190	22,160	5.4%	5.4%	5.1%	6.3%
Atoka County	5,170	290	5,460	5.3%	5.4%	5.1%	6.5%
Pushmataha Co.	4,810	260	5,070	5.1%	5.1%	4.7%	6.6%
Greer County	2,130	110	2,240	5.0%	5.4%	5.1%	6.5%
Adair County	9,560	490	10,050	4.9%	4.9%	4.6%	6.3%
Mayes County	16,040	830	16,860	4.9%	5.1%	4.8%	6.3%
Johnston County	4,360	220	4,580	4.9%	5.0%	4.8%	6.2%
Pawnee County	7,590	390	7,980	4.9%	5.3%	4.9%	5.8%
Ottawa County	15,490	790	16,290	4.9%	5.0%	4.8%	5.6%
Oklahoma County	330,940	16,890	347,830	4.9%	4.5%	4.2%	5.5%
Jefferson County	2,320	120	2,440	4.8%	5.2%	4.5%	6.1%
Osage County	20,260	1,020	21,270	4.8%	5.2%	4.6%	5.7%
Tillman County	3,510	180	3,680	4.8%	4.9%	4.5%	5.1%
Lincoln County	14,810	730	15,540	4.7%	4.8%	4.6%	5.4%
Comanche County	45,840	2,260	48,090	4.7%	4.7%	4.1%	4.8%
Pontotoc County	17,000	830	17,830	4.6%	4.7%	4.3%	7.2%
Nowata County	4,800	230	5,030	4.6%	5.1%	4.9%	6.1%
Pittsburg County	19,520	940	20,460	4.6%	4.9%	4.5%	5.7%
McClain County	14,140	680	14,830	4.6%	4.2%	3.9%	5.5%
Haskell County	4,830	230	5,060	4.5%	4.6%	3.9%	5.5%
Grady County	22,680	1,060	23,740	4.5%	4.4%	3.8%	4.9%
Marshall County	6,080	280	6,360	4.4%	4.2%	4.0%	5.1%
Craig County	6,490	300	6,790	4.4%	4.3%	4.1%	5.0%
Kiowa County	4,160	190	4,350	4.4%	4.5%	4.1%	4.6%
Delaware County	17,150	780	17,920	4.3%	4.5%	4.1%	5.0%
Washington County	23,730	1,040	24,770	4.2%	4.3%	4.0%	5.3%
Tulsa County	288,430	12,550	300,970	4.2%	4.3%	4.0%	5.1%

LAUS				Unemployment Rate			
County Rankings	Empl.	Unempl.	Labor Force	Jun '05	May '05	Apr '05	Jun '04
Carter County	23,070	1,010	24,080	4.2%	4.4%	4.2%	4.7%
Cherokee County	21,280	910	22,180	4.1%	4.1%	3.9%	4.8%
Stephens County	19,140	820	19,970	4.1%	4.2%	3.8%	4.8%
Noble County	4,930	210	5,140	4.1%	4.3%	3.9%	4.3%
Cleveland County	117,350	4,880	122,230	4.0%	3.6%	3.3%	4.4%
Garvin County	13,280	550	13,830	4.0%	3.9%	3.6%	4.4%
Love County	4,620	190	4,810	3.9%	4.1%	3.7%	7.5%
Wagoner County	30,400	1,240	31,630	3.9%	4.1%	3.9%	4.8%
Jackson County	12,900	530	13,430	3.9%	4.1%	3.6%	4.4%
Payne County	32,110	1,300	33,410	3.9%	3.7%	3.4%	4.0%
Bryan County	18,450	740	19,180	3.8%	3.7%	3.4%	4.2%
Logan County	17,650	700	18,350	3.8%	4.0%	3.5%	4.1%
Murray County	6,720	260	6,980	3.7%	3.8%	3.6%	4.4%
Rogers County	37,600	1,450	39,050	3.7%	3.9%	3.6%	4.4%
Alfalfa County	2,550	100	2,650	3.7%	3.7%	3.2%	3.8%
Canadian County	48,930	1,850	50,780	3.6%	3.6%	3.3%	4.4%
Cotton County	3,430	130	3,560	3.6%	3.6%	3.2%	4.3%
Harmon County	1,470	50	1,520	3.6%	3.9%	3.2%	3.6%
Texas County	10,130	370	10,500	3.6%	3.6%	3.1%	3.6%
Garfield County	28,490	1,040	29,530	3.5%	3.6%	3.4%	3.8%
Woodward County	9,790	360	10,150	3.5%	3.5%	3.1%	3.8%
Beaver County	2,900	100	3,000	3.4%	3.5%	3.3%	4.1%
Custer County	13,080	460	13,540	3.4%	3.3%	2.9%	3.8%
Kingfisher County	7,270	250	7,520	3.4%	3.5%	3.1%	3.6%
Harper County	1,700	60	1,760	3.3%	3.1%	2.6%	3.4%
Cimarron County	1,420	50	1,470	3.3%	3.6%	2.9%	3.0%
Beckham County	9,740	320	10,060	3.2%	3.3%	2.8%	3.6%
Grant County	2,580	90	2,660	3.2%	3.5%	3.0%	3.5%
Washita County	5,890	200	6,080	3.2%	3.1%	2.9%	3.2%
Major County	3,870	130	4,000	3.2%	3.2%	2.6%	3.0%
Ellis County	2,140	70	2,210	3.0%	2.8%	2.4%	2.9%
Dewey County	2,430	70	2,500	2.9%	2.7%	2.3%	3.2%
Roger Mills County	1,860	50	1,920	2.8%	2.8%	2.3%	2.9%

ALIC by County				Unemployment Rate			
LAUS by County	Empl.	Unempl.	Labor Force	Jun '05	May '05	Apr '05	Jun '04
Adair County	9,560	490	10,050	4.9%	4.9%	4.6%	6.3%
Alfalfa County	2,550	100	2,650	3.7%	3.7%	3.2%	3.8%
Atoka County	5,170	290	5,460	5.3%	5.4%	5.1%	6.5%
Beaver County	2,900	100	3,000	3.4%	3.5%	3.3%	4.1%
Beckham County	9,740	320	10,060	3.2%	3.3%	2.8%	3.6%
Blaine County	4,780	280	5,060	5.5%	4.3%	3.9%	5.9%
Bryan County	18,450	740	19,180	3.8%	3.7%	3.4%	4.2%
Caddo County	11,830	730	12,560	5.8%	5.4%	5.1%	6.0%
Canadian County	48,930	1,850	50,780	3.6%	3.6%	3.3%	4.4%
Carter County	23,070	1,010	24,080	4.2%	4.4%	4.2%	4.7%
Cherokee County	21,280	910	22,180	4.1%	4.1%	3.9%	4.8%
Choctaw County	6,160	350	6,510	5.4%	5.3%	5.3%	7.4%
Cimarron County	1,420	50	1,470	3.3%	3.6%	2.9%	3.0%
Cleveland County	117,350	4,880	122,230	4.0%	3.6%	3.3%	4.4%
Coal County	1,960	160	2,120	7.5%	7.9%	8.0%	11.7%
Comanche County	45,840	2,260	48,090	4.7%	4.7%	4.1%	4.8%
Cotton County	3,430	130	3,560	3.6%	3.6%	3.2%	4.3%
Craig County	6,490	300	6,790	4.4%	4.3%	4.1%	5.0%
Creek County	31,140	1,910	33,050	5.8%	6.2%	6.0%	5.9%
Custer County	13,080	460	13,540	3.4%	3.3%	2.9%	3.8%
Delaware County	17,150	780	17,920	4.3%	4.5%	4.1%	5.0%
Dewey County	2,430	70	2,500	2.9%	2.7%	2.3%	3.2%
Ellis County	2,140	70	2,210	3.0%	2.8%	2.4%	2.9%
Garfield County	28,490	1,040	29,530	3.5%	3.6%	3.4%	3.8%
Garvin County	13,280	550	13,830	4.0%	3.9%	3.6%	4.4%
Grady County	22,680	1,060	23,740	4.5%	4.4%	3.8%	4.9%
Grant County	2,580	90	2,660	3.2%	3.5%	3.0%	3.5%
Greer County	2,130	110	2,240	5.0%	5.4%	5.1%	6.5%
Harmon County	1,470	50	1,520	3.6%	3.9%	3.2%	3.6%
Harper County	1,700	60	1,760	3.3%	3.1%	2.6%	3.4%
Haskell County	4,830	230	5,060	4.5%	4.6%	3.9%	5.5%
Hughes County	4,950	390	5,340	7.2%	7.1%	6.6%	9.2%
Jackson County	12,900	530	13,430	3.9%	4.1%	3.6%	4.4%
Jefferson County	2,320	120	2,440	4.8%	5.2%	4.5%	6.1%
Johnston County	4,360	220	4,580	4.9%	5.0%	4.8%	6.2%
Kay County	20,870	1,210	22,080	5.5%	5.8%	5.3%	6.3%
Kingfisher County	7,270	250	7,520	3.4%	3.5%	3.1%	3.6%
Kiowa County	4,160	190	4,350	4.4%	4.5%	4.1%	4.6%
Latimer County	3,950	230	4,180	5.5%	5.5%	5.3%	6.1%
Le Flore County	20,970	1,190	22,160	5.4%	5.4%	5.1%	6.3%
Lincoln County	14,810	730	15,540	4.7%	4.8%	4.6%	5.4%
Logan County	17,650	700	18,350	3.8%	4.0%	3.5%	4.1%
Love County	4,620	190	4,810	3.9%	4.1%	3.7%	7.5%
Major County	3,870	130	4,000	3.2%	3.2%	2.6%	3.0%

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LAUS by County	Empl.	Unempl.	Labor Force	Jun '05	May '05	Apr '05	Jun '04	
Marshall County	6,080	280	6,360	4.4%	4.2%	4.0%	5.1%	
Mayes County	16,040	830	16,860	4.9%	5.1%	4.8%	6.3%	
McClain County	14,140	680	14,830	4.6%	4.2%	3.9%	5.5%	
McCurtain County	13,830	960	14,790	6.5%	6.2%	6.0%	8.2%	
McIntosh County	7,500	480	7,970	6.0%	6.5%	6.0%	7.6%	
Murray County	6,720	260	6,980	3.7%	3.8%	3.6%	4.4%	
Muskogee County	26,780	1,720	28,500	6.0%	6.3%	6.0%	7.4%	
Noble County	4,930	210	5,140	4.1%	4.3%	3.9%	4.3%	
Nowata County	4,800	230	5,030	4.6%	5.1%	4.9%	6.1%	
Okfuskee County	3,950	360	4,300	8.3%	8.1%	7.3%	9.5%	
Oklahoma County	330,940	16,890	347,830	4.9%	4.5%	4.2%	5.5%	
Okmulgee County	16,170	1,130	17,310	6.6%	6.3%	6.5%	7.2%	
Osage County	20,260	1,020	21,270	4.8%	5.2%	4.6%	5.7%	
Ottawa County	15,490	790	16,290	4.9%	5.0%	4.8%	5.6%	
Pawnee County	7,590	390	7,980	4.9%	5.3%	4.9%	5.8%	
Payne County	32,110	1,300	33,410	3.9%	3.7%	3.4%	4.0%	
Pittsburg County	19,520	940	20,460	4.6%	4.9%	4.5%	5.7%	
Pontotoc County	17,000	830	17,830	4.6%	4.7%	4.3%	7.2%	
Pottawatomie Co.	29,460	1,740	31,190	5.6%	5.2%	4.9%	6.4%	
Pushmataha County	4,810	260	5,070	5.1%	5.1%	4.7%	6.6%	
Roger Mills County	1,860	50	1,920	2.8%	2.8%	2.3%	2.9%	
Rogers County	37,600	1,450	39,050	3.7%	3.9%	3.6%	4.4%	
Seminole County	9,030	710	9,740	7.3%	7.6%	7.2%	10.7%	
Sequoyah County	17,530	1,030	18,560	5.6%	5.8%	5.3%	6.7%	
Stephens County	19,140	820	19,970	4.1%	4.2%	3.8%	4.8%	
Texas County	10,130	370	10,500	3.6%	3.6%	3.1%	3.6%	
Tillman County	3,510	180	3,680	4.8%	4.9%	4.5%	5.1%	
Tulsa County	288,430	12,550	300,970	4.2%	4.3%	4.0%	5.1%	
Wagoner County	30,400	1,240	31,630	3.9%	4.1%	3.9%	4.8%	
Washington County	23,730	1,040	24,770	4.2%	4.3%	4.0%	5.3%	
Washita County	5,890	200	6,080	3.2%	3.1%	2.9%	3.2%	
Woods County	4,210	240	4,450	5.4%	8.5%	6.5%	7.9%	
Woodward County	9,790	360	10,150	3.5%	3.5%	3.1%	3.8%	

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May 2005	Empl.	Unempl.	Labor Force	May '05	Apr '05	Mar '05	May '04
Adair County	9,390	490	9,870	4.9%	4.6%	5.0%	6.6%
Alfalfa County	2,470	90	2,570	3.7%	3.2%	3.6%	3.4%
Atoka County	5,190	300	5,490	5.4%	5.1%	5.3%	6.3%
Beaver County	2,900	110	3,000	3.5%	3.3%	3.4%	3.6%
Beckham County	9,540	320	9,860	3.3%	2.8%	3.1%	3.4%
Blaine County	4,680	210	4,890	4.3%	3.9%	5.4%	4.0%
Bryan County	18,420	710	19,120	3.7%	3.4%	3.9%	3.8%
Caddo County	11,600	660	12,260	5.4%	5.1%	5.5%	5.7%
Canadian County	48,330	1,780	50,110	3.6%	3.3%	3.6%	4.0%
Carter County	22,570	1,040	23,610	4.4%	4.2%	4.5%	4.5%
Cherokee County	21,210	910	22,120	4.1%	3.9%	4.1%	4.3%
Choctaw County	6,110	340	6,450	5.3%	5.3%	5.7%	6.7%
Cimarron County	1,310	50	1,360	3.6%	2.9%	3.5%	2.7%
Cleveland County	115,910	4,390	120,300	3.6%	3.3%	3.9%	3.5%
Coal County	1,970	170	2,140	7.9%	8.0%	8.2%	11.4%
Comanche County	44,940	2,210	47,160	4.7%	4.1%	4.4%	4.4%
Cotton County	3,330	130	3,460	3.6%	3.2%	3.4%	4.2%
Craig County	6,430	290	6,720	4.3%	4.1%	4.5%	4.6%
Creek County	30,520	2,020	32,540	6.2%	6.0%	5.8%	5.5%
Custer County	13,610	460	14,070	3.3%	2.9%	3.1%	3.2%
Delaware County	16,830	800	17,630	4.5%	4.1%	4.5%	4.6%
Dewey County	2,420	70	2,490	2.7%	2.3%	3.0%	2.8%
Ellis County	2,130	60	2,190	2.8%	2.4%	2.4%	2.6%
Garfield County	27,810	1,050	28,860	3.6%	3.4%	3.7%	3.5%
Garvin County	13,110	540	13,650	3.9%	3.6%	3.9%	4.0%
Grady County	22,400	1,020	23,420	4.4%	3.8%	4.2%	4.2%
Grant County	2,460	90	2,550	3.5%	3.0%	3.7%	3.4%
Greer County	2,080	120	2,200	5.4%	5.1%	5.7%	6.1%
Harmon County	1,410	60	1,460	3.9%	3.2%	4.1%	3.3%
Harper County	1,800	60	1,850	3.1%	2.6%	2.8%	3.0%
Haskell County	4,810	230	5,040	4.6%	3.9%	4.3%	5.1%
Hughes County	4,880	370	5,250	7.1%	6.6%	7.1%	8.9%
Jackson County	12,730	540	13,280	4.1%	3.6%	4.1%	3.9%
Jefferson County	2,240	120	2,370	5.2%	4.5%	4.8%	6.0%
Johnston County	4,360	230	4,590	5.0%	4.8%	4.8%	6.3%
Kay County	20,710	1,270	21,980	5.8%	5.3%	5.8%	6.1%
Kingfisher County	7,200	260	7,460	3.5%	3.1%	3.3%	3.3%
Kiowa County	4,160	200	4,360	4.5%	4.1%	4.4%	4.3%
Latimer County	3,890	230	4,120	5.5%	5.3%	5.5%	5.5%
Leflore County	20,630	1,190	21,820	5.4%	5.1%	5.3%	5.8%
Lincoln County	14,630	730	15,360	4.8%	4.6%	4.9%	5.1%
Logan County	17,440	720	18,160	4.0%	3.5%	3.5%	4.0%
Love County	4,520	190	4,710	4.1%	3.7%	4.4%	7.4%
McClain County	13,970	610	14,580	4.2%	3.9%	4.7%	4.3%

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May 2005	Empl.	Unempl.	Labor Force	May '05	Apr '05	Mar '05	May '04
McCurtain County	6,130	270	6,400	4.2%	4.0%	4.1%	4.7%
McIntosh County	15,610	830	16,440	5.1%	4.8%	5.1%	6.1%
Major County	6,550	260	6,810	3.8%	3.6%	4.1%	4.4%
Marshall County	26,610	1,800	28,410	6.3%	6.0%	6.5%	6.7%
Mayes County	4,910	220	5,130	4.3%	3.9%	4.6%	3.7%
Murray County	4,730	260	4,980	5.1%	4.9%	5.5%	5.6%
Muskogee County	3,870	340	4,210	8.1%	7.3%	8.1%	9.3%
Noble County	326,890	15,550	342,450	4.5%	4.2%	4.9%	4.7%
Nowata County	15,850	1,070	16,920	6.3%	6.5%	7.1%	6.9%
Okfuskee County	19,850	1,080	20,940	5.2%	4.6%	5.0%	5.2%
Oklahoma County	15,160	810	15,970	5.0%	4.8%	5.3%	5.5%
Okmulgee County	7,440	420	7,860	5.3%	4.9%	5.3%	5.4%
Osage County	34,080	1,330	35,400	3.7%	3.4%	3.7%	3.6%
Ottawa County	19,180	990	20,170	4.9%	4.5%	5.1%	5.4%
Pawnee County	16,970	840	17,800	4.7%	4.3%	4.8%	6.3%
Payne County	29,390	1,610	31,000	5.2%	4.9%	5.7%	5.3%
Pittsburg County	4,890	270	5,160	5.1%	4.7%	5.1%	6.3%
Pontotoc County	1,860	50	1,920	2.8%	2.3%	2.4%	2.5%
Pottawatomie County	36,850	1,500	38,350	3.9%	3.6%	4.0%	4.2%
Pushmataha County	8,890	730	9,630	7.6%	7.2%	8.0%	10.2%
Roger Mills County	17,240	1,060	18,300	5.8%	5.3%	5.8%	6.0%
Rogers County	18,930	820	19,750	4.2%	3.8%	3.9%	4.4%
Seminole County	8,890	730	9,630	7.6%	7.2%	8.0%	10.2%
Sequoyah County	17,240	1,060	18,300	5.8%	5.3%	5.8%	6.0%
Stephens County	18,930	820	19,750	4.2%	3.8%	3.9%	4.4%
Texas County	9,880	370	10,250	3.6%	3.1%	3.5%	3.3%
Tillman County	3,430	180	3,600	4.9%	4.5%	5.0%	4.1%
Tulsa County	282,710	12,720	295,430	4.3%	4.0%	4.2%	4.9%
Wagoner County	29,790	1,280	31,070	4.1%	3.9%	4.3%	4.7%
Washington County	23,340	1,040	24,370	4.3%	4.0%	4.3%	5.1%
Washita County	5,820	190	6,000	3.1%	2.9%	3.2%	3.0%
Woods County	4,360	400	4,760	8.5%	6.5%	5.8%	7.2%
Woodward County	9,650	350	10,000	3.5%	3.1%	3.4%	3.5%

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May 2005	Empl.	Unempl.	Labor Force	May '05	Apr '05	Mar '05	May '04
Oklahoma City MSA	559,570	24,810	584,380	4.2%	3.9%	4.5%	4.4%
Tulsa MSA	423,010	20,090	443,100	4.5%	4.2%	4.5%	4.9%
Lawton MSA	44,940	2,210	47,160	4.7%	4.1%	4.4%	4.4%