

**SACRAMENTO—ROSEVILLE—ARDEN-ARCADE METROPOLITAN STATISTICAL AREA
(MSA)
(EL DORADO, PLACER, SACRAMENTO, AND YOLO COUNTIES)
Construction lead month-over job gains**

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Between March 2017 and April 2017, combined employment in the counties of El Dorado, Placer, Sacramento, and Yolo increased by 2,500 to total 965,900 jobs.

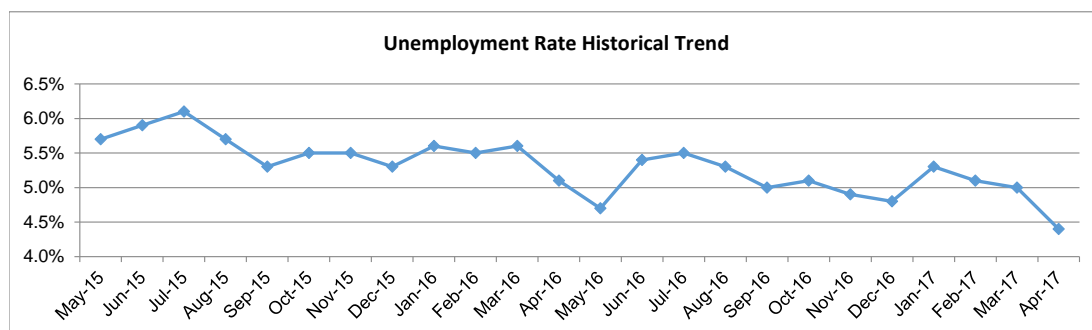
- Construction (up 1,100 jobs) led the region with a normal seasonal job gain from March to April. Specialty trade contractors added 400 jobs. Construction of buildings increased by 100 jobs.
- Leisure and hospitality gained 1,000 jobs over the month. Accommodation and food services accounted for 90.0 percent of the job additions, picking up 900 jobs. Arts, entertainment, and recreation added 100 jobs.
- Farm employment experienced a gain of 800 jobs.
- Meanwhile, three major industries experienced month-over declines: trade, transportation, and utilities (down 700 jobs), manufacturing (down 300 jobs), and information (down 100 jobs).

Between April 2016 and April 2017, total jobs in the region increased by 10,300, or 1.1 percent.

- Educational and health services (up 6,400 jobs) continued to lead year-over growth for the seventh consecutive month. Health care and social assistance was responsible for the expansion with 6,500 jobs. These gains offset a slight loss in education services (down 100 jobs).
- Leisure and hospitality gained 3,500 jobs, with the majority of the increase in accommodation and food services (up 2,400 jobs). Arts, entertainment, and recreation contributed 1,100 jobs over the year.
- Professional and business services added 1,600 jobs from last April. Administrative and support and waste services grew by 1,600 jobs. Professional, scientific, and technical services gained 700 jobs. These gains offset a decline in management of companies and enterprises, which dipped by 700 jobs.
- Five major industries experienced job reductions from last April, led by construction (down 2,300 jobs), manufacturing (down 1,100 jobs), other services (down 900 jobs), information (down 600 jobs), and farm (down 200 jobs).

IMMEDIATE RELEASE
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Industry	Mar-2017	Apr-2017	Change		Apr-2016	Apr-2017	Change
	Revised	Prelim				Prelim	

Total, All Industries	963,400	965,900	2,500		955,600	965,900	10,300
Total Farm	8,700	9,500	800		9,700	9,500	(200)
Total Nonfarm	954,700	956,400	1,700		945,900	956,400	10,500
Mining, Logging, and Construction	50,800	51,900	1,100		54,100	51,900	(2,200)
Mining and Logging	500	500	0		400	500	100
Construction	50,300	51,400	1,100		53,700	51,400	(2,300)
Manufacturing	35,100	34,800	(300)		35,900	34,800	(1,100)
Trade, Transportation & Utilities	151,700	151,000	(700)		149,800	151,000	1,200
Information	13,400	13,300	(100)		13,900	13,300	(600)
Financial Activities	52,600	52,900	300		51,300	52,900	1,600
Professional & Business Services	129,300	129,300	0		127,700	129,300	1,600
Educational & Health Services	151,500	151,600	100		145,200	151,600	6,400
Leisure & Hospitality	102,500	103,500	1,000		100,000	103,500	3,500
Other Services	30,100	30,400	300		31,300	30,400	(900)
Government	237,700	237,700	0		236,700	237,700	1,000

Notes: Data not adjusted for seasonality. Data may not add due to rounding
 Labor force data are revised month to month
 Additional data are available on line at www.labormarketinfo.edd.ca.gov

Sacramento--Roseville--Arden-Arcade MSA
(El Dorado, Placer, Sacramento, and Yolo Counties)
Industry Employment & Labor Force
March 2016 Benchmark

Data Not Seasonally Adjusted

	Apr 16	Feb 17	Mar 17	Apr 17	Percent Change	
			Revised	Prelim	Month	Year
Civilian Labor Force (1)	1,066,600	1,069,800	1,070,200	1,061,900	-0.8%	-0.4%
Civilian Employment	1,011,700	1,015,500	1,016,700	1,014,800	-0.2%	0.3%
Civilian Unemployment	54,900	54,400	53,500	47,100	-12.0%	-14.2%
Civilian Unemployment Rate	5.1%	5.1%	5.0%	4.4%		
(CA Unemployment Rate)	5.4%	5.2%	5.1%	4.5%		
(U.S. Unemployment Rate)	4.7%	4.9%	4.6%	4.1%		

Total, All Industries (2)	955,600	959,400	963,400	965,900	0.3%	1.1%
Total Farm	9,700	8,400	8,700	9,500	9.2%	-2.1%
Total Nonfarm	945,900	951,000	954,700	956,400	0.2%	1.1%
Total Private	709,200	715,200	717,000	718,700	0.2%	1.3%
Goods Producing	90,000	85,700	85,900	86,700	0.9%	-3.7%
Mining, Logging, and Construction	54,100	50,100	50,800	51,900	2.2%	-4.1%
Mining and Logging	400	500	500	500	0.0%	25.0%
Construction	53,700	49,600	50,300	51,400	2.2%	-4.3%
Construction of Buildings	10,900	10,200	10,200	10,300	1.0%	-5.5%
Specialty Trade Contractors	37,700	36,500	37,400	37,800	1.1%	0.3%
Building Foundation & Exterior Contractors	10,200	9,900	10,200	10,500	2.9%	2.9%
Building Equipment Contractors	15,800	16,300	16,400	16,600	1.2%	5.1%
Building Finishing Contractors	7,900	7,800	8,000	8,100	1.3%	2.5%
Manufacturing	35,900	35,600	35,100	34,800	-0.9%	-3.1%
Durable Goods	24,300	24,000	23,700	23,500	-0.8%	-3.3%
Computer & Electronic Product Manufacturing	6,000	5,900	5,800	5,800	0.0%	-3.3%
Nondurable Goods	11,600	11,600	11,400	11,300	-0.9%	-2.6%
Food Manufacturing	3,800	3,700	3,700	3,600	-2.7%	-5.3%
Service Providing	855,900	865,300	868,800	869,700	0.1%	1.6%
Private Service Providing	619,200	629,500	631,100	632,000	0.1%	2.1%
Trade, Transportation & Utilities	149,800	151,800	151,700	151,000	-0.5%	0.8%
Wholesale Trade	25,300	26,100	25,900	25,700	-0.8%	1.6%
Merchant Wholesalers, Durable Goods	13,800	14,000	14,000	13,900	-0.7%	0.7%
Merchant Wholesalers, Nondurable Goods	9,000	9,100	9,100	9,100	0.0%	1.1%
Retail Trade	99,100	99,800	100,000	99,600	-0.4%	0.5%
Motor Vehicle & Parts Dealer	14,200	14,400	14,500	14,500	0.0%	2.1%
Building Material & Garden Equipment Stores	8,600	8,100	8,300	8,500	2.4%	-1.2%
Grocery Stores	18,600	18,900	18,800	18,800	0.0%	1.1%
Health & Personal Care Stores	5,600	5,600	5,600	5,600	0.0%	0.0%
Clothing & Clothing Accessories Stores	7,100	7,000	6,900	6,900	0.0%	-2.8%
Sporting Goods, Hobby, Book & Music Stores	4,100	3,800	3,700	3,700	0.0%	-9.8%
General Merchandise Stores	20,600	21,300	21,300	21,200	-0.5%	2.9%
Transportation, Warehousing & Utilities	25,400	25,900	25,800	25,700	-0.4%	1.2%
Information	13,900	13,500	13,400	13,300	-0.7%	-4.3%
Publishing Industries (except Internet)	2,500	2,600	2,600	2,600	0.0%	4.0%
Telecommunications	5,500	5,200	5,200	5,100	-1.9%	-7.3%
Financial Activities	51,300	52,200	52,600	52,900	0.6%	3.1%
Finance & Insurance	37,100	37,800	38,300	38,400	0.3%	3.5%
Credit Intermediation & Related Activities	11,700	11,700	11,600	11,600	0.0%	-0.9%
Depository Credit Intermediation	6,600	6,500	6,500	6,500	0.0%	-1.5%
Nondepository Credit Intermediation	2,500	2,400	2,400	2,400	0.0%	-4.0%
Insurance Carriers & Related	21,400	21,800	22,000	22,200	0.9%	3.7%
Real Estate & Rental & Leasing	14,200	14,400	14,300	14,500	1.4%	2.1%
Real Estate	11,000	11,200	11,100	11,300	1.8%	2.7%
Professional & Business Services	127,700	130,100	129,300	129,300	0.0%	1.3%
Professional, Scientific & Technical Services	55,000	56,300	56,100	55,700	-0.7%	1.3%
Architectural, Engineering & Related Services	9,100	9,600	9,500	9,600	1.1%	5.5%
Management of Companies & Enterprises	11,200	10,300	10,300	10,500	1.9%	-6.3%
Administrative & Support & Waste Services	61,500	63,500	62,900	63,100	0.3%	2.6%
Administrative & Support Services	58,700	60,000	59,800	59,900	0.2%	2.0%

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Employment Services	23,800	23,700	23,100	23,200	0.4%	-2.5%
Services to Buildings & Dwellings	12,000	12,300	12,400	12,600	1.6%	5.0%
Educational & Health Services	145,200	150,500	151,500	151,600	0.1%	4.4%
Education Services	12,200	12,100	12,200	12,100	-0.8%	-0.8%
Health Care & Social Assistance	133,000	138,400	139,300	139,500	0.1%	4.9%
Ambulatory Health Care Services	47,100	49,500	49,800	49,500	-0.6%	5.1%
Hospitals	23,000	23,700	23,900	23,900	0.0%	3.9%
Nursing & Residential Care Facilities	16,800	17,500	17,500	17,500	0.0%	4.2%
Leisure & Hospitality	100,000	101,900	102,500	103,500	1.0%	3.5%
Arts, Entertainment & Recreation	15,700	16,600	16,700	16,800	0.6%	7.0%
Accommodation & Food Services	84,300	85,300	85,800	86,700	1.0%	2.8%
Accommodation	9,000	8,800	8,900	8,900	0.0%	-1.1%
Food Services & Drinking Places	75,300	76,500	76,900	77,800	1.2%	3.3%
Restaurants	70,500	72,400	72,900	73,300	0.5%	4.0%
Full-Service Restaurants	33,500	34,200	34,200	34,000	-0.6%	1.5%
Limited-Service Eating Places	37,000	38,200	38,700	39,300	1.6%	6.2%
Other Services	31,300	29,500	30,100	30,400	1.0%	-2.9%
Repair & Maintenance	9,200	9,200	9,300	9,400	1.1%	2.2%
Government	236,700	235,800	237,700	237,700	0.0%	0.4%
Federal Government	13,800	14,100	14,100	14,100	0.0%	2.2%
Department of Defense	1,700	1,700	1,700	1,700	0.0%	0.0%
State & Local Government	222,900	221,700	223,600	223,600	0.0%	0.3%
State Government	117,000	117,900	118,600	118,700	0.1%	1.5%
State Government Education	30,100	30,800	31,200	31,200	0.0%	3.7%
State Government Excluding Education	86,900	87,100	87,400	87,500	0.1%	0.7%
Local Government	105,900	103,800	105,000	104,900	-0.1%	-0.9%
Local Government Education	60,300	57,500	58,700	58,300	-0.7%	-3.3%
Local Government Excluding Education	45,600	46,300	46,300	46,600	0.6%	2.2%
County	18,600	19,000	19,000	19,000	0.0%	2.2%
City	10,100	10,100	10,300	10,400	1.0%	3.0%
Special Districts plus Indian Tribes	16,900	17,200	17,000	17,200	1.2%	1.8%

Notes:

(1) Civilian labor force data are by place of residence; include self-employed individuals, unpaid family workers, household domestic workers, & workers on strike. Data may not add due to rounding. The unemployment rate is calculated using unrounded data.

(2) Industry employment is by place of work; excludes self-employed individuals, unpaid family workers, household domestic workers, & workers on strike. Data may not add due to rounding.

These data are produced by the Labor Market Information Division of the California Employment Development Department (EDD). Questions should be directed to: Cara Welch 916/227-0298 or Elizabeth Bosley 530/741-5191

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