

BLS County Current Employment Survey Estimates (CES)
 Portland-Vancouver-Beaverton OR-WA PMSA

(BLS) Bureau of Labor Statistics (Nonfarm Wage and Salary Employment)
Total Employment (excludes Military Employment and Self Employment)

	Clackamas	Columbia	Marion	Multnomah	Polk	Washington	Yamhill	Clark	Skamania
1970	39,653	5,830	47,468	266,181	7,832	42,046	9,610	32,610	1,633
1971	42,012	6,060	49,834	265,387	7,966	43,821	10,090	34,390	1,578
1972	46,277	6,680	53,444	277,253	8,456	49,150	10,720	37,300	1,693
1973	49,638	7,530	56,649	287,244	8,951	54,838	11,420	39,660	1,814
1974	51,766	8,130	58,763	292,830	9,037	60,814	11,620	40,570	1,828
1975	52,515	8,360	60,105	286,475	9,095	62,910	11,810	39,590	1,756
1976	46,465	7,410	65,121	310,343	8,479	61,632	12,860	42,700	1,877
1977	51,189	7,820	71,549	320,418	9,251	70,373	14,080	46,140	1,944
1978	57,358	8,130	76,853	334,628	9,747	84,154	15,240	50,520	2,181
1979	62,475	8,650	79,765	345,394	10,135	93,851	16,610	52,370	2,933
1980	63,645	8,370	78,567	343,081	9,733	96,604	16,390	52,880	3,399
1981	64,690	8,170	76,685	333,159	9,515	94,901	16,130	53,620	2,746
1982	61,955	7,560	73,170	316,074	8,730	94,011	15,370	51,090	2,333
1983	63,336	7,590	74,075	310,060	8,325	93,994	15,380	53,630	2,307
1984	66,086	7,910	76,425	324,235	8,775	100,739	15,740	57,700	2,115
1985	69,323	7,980	80,064	328,338	8,636	104,929	16,310	59,400	2,098
1986	72,540	7,980	81,826	336,527	9,174	109,034	17,150	62,250	2,222
1987	76,028	8,460	87,136	348,293	9,364	112,229	17,840	66,510	2,323
1988	80,899	8,860	91,923	361,655	9,577	120,176	18,910	71,500	2,147
1989	87,993	9,420	94,777	373,596	9,923	129,161	19,930	76,500	2,035
1990	93,843	9,630	98,038	382,181	10,462	141,506	20,340	80,900	1,900
1991	96,028	9,790	98,600	376,596	10,500	147,086	20,200	80,700	1,800
1992	98,291	9,570	101,402	381,399	10,898	150,260	21,080	83,900	1,550
1993	103,089	8,890	104,989	388,959	11,111	157,951	22,610	89,100	1,992
1994	108,451	8,830	109,268	403,320	11,632	166,229	23,770	95,500	1,883
1995	112,587	9,070	112,191	420,829	12,409	175,624	24,690	100,900	2,000
1996	116,520	9,470	114,993	433,081	13,507	192,448	26,080	105,200	1,842
1997	123,508	9,770	117,374	446,323	14,026	205,079	26,520	109,600	1,942
1998	127,252	9,880	119,557	448,228	14,943	212,039	27,300	112,600	2,033
1999	131,380	10,060	121,239	449,111	15,361	216,880	27,470	114,000	1,942
2000	134,088	10,390	123,593	456,770	15,507	225,752	27,600	116,700	1,980
2001	134,464	10,050	123,717	445,942	15,283	229,304	27,140	116,900	1,900
2002	134,674	9,930	123,269	431,216	15,631	222,729	26,960	116,700	1,890
2003	132,651	9,820	123,797	423,348	15,703	220,808	27,510	118,200	1,962
2004	135,900	10,170	126,615	429,600	16,185	225,800	28,420	123,000	2,018
2005	140,900	10,310	129,683	436,000	16,617	235,400	29,750	128,800	2,059
2006	144,900	10,670	131,905	445,700	17,495	247,600	30,810	132,900	2,127
2007	148,500	10,790	134,100	454,800	17,800	251,800	31,600	135,100	2,278
2008	148,000	10,920	135,109	458,200	17,591	249,200	31,450	134,900	2,168
2009	137,800	9,840	129,171	430,200	16,629	232,600	29,710	128,900	2,119
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source: Current Employment Surveys for Oregon and Washington
 and Metro Research Center estimates
<http://www.qualityinfo.org/olmisj/CES>
<https://fortress.wa.gov/esd/lmea/countydashboard/>

Covered County Employment Estimates (QCEW)
Portland-Vancouver-Beaverton OR-WA PMSA

(ES-202) Covered Employment (Nonfarm Wage and Salary Employment)

Total Employment (excludes Military Employment and Self Employment)

	Clackamas	Columbia	Marion	Multnomah	Polk	Washington	Yamhill	Clark	Skamania
1970								32,610	1,633
1971								34,390	1,578
1972								37,300	1,693
1973								39,660	1,814
1974								40,570	1,828
1975								39,590	1,756
1976	44,155	6,751	62,032	294,917	8,077	58,569	12,168	42,700	1,877
1977	48,686	7,165	68,282	304,750	8,829	66,932	13,327	46,140	1,944
1978	55,456	7,734	76,568	323,531	9,711	81,363	15,059	50,520	2,181
1979	60,621	8,208	79,883	335,147	10,150	91,067	16,128	52,370	2,933
1980	62,102	7,917	78,400	334,766	9,712	94,263	16,230	52,880	3,399
1981	63,151	7,675	76,506	325,235	9,493	92,644	15,734	53,620	2,746
1982	59,979	6,999	73,037	305,993	8,714	91,013	14,854	51,090	2,333
1983	61,524	7,207	74,248	301,187	8,345	91,304	14,935	53,630	2,307
1984	64,119	7,376	77,041	314,584	8,846	97,740	15,423	57,700	2,115
1985	67,475	7,738	80,724	319,583	8,707	102,131	15,886	59,400	2,098
1986	70,424	7,844	82,852	326,712	9,289	105,854	16,611	62,250	2,222
1987	73,805	8,035	88,162	338,111	9,474	108,948	17,878	66,510	2,323
1988	79,410	8,537	93,377	354,999	9,728	117,964	19,170	71,500	2,147
1989	86,915	9,081	97,369	369,019	10,194	127,579	20,211	76,500	2,035
1990	92,268	9,417	101,068	375,768	10,786	139,131	21,035	80,900	1,900
1991	94,180	9,712	101,962	369,348	10,858	144,255	21,224	80,700	1,800
1992	96,142	9,363	105,090	373,059	11,294	146,974	22,116	83,900	1,550
1993	101,203	8,740	109,233	381,842	11,561	155,061	23,348	89,100	1,992
1994	106,817	8,665	114,042	397,244	12,140	163,724	24,824	95,500	1,883
1995	111,058	8,913	116,830	415,113	12,922	173,238	25,573	100,900	2,000
1996	114,505	9,264	119,626	425,591	14,051	189,120	27,016	105,200	1,842
1997	121,779	9,496	122,508	440,077	14,639	202,209	27,791	109,600	1,942
1998	125,740	9,793	123,542	442,901	15,442	209,519	28,284	112,600	2,033
1999	130,123	9,850	125,196	444,815	15,863	214,805	28,229	114,000	1,942
2000	133,056	10,115	127,535	453,254	16,002	224,015	28,635	116,700	1,980
2001	133,998	9,991	127,001	444,397	15,689	228,509	28,081	116,900	1,900
2002	133,957	9,873	127,320	428,919	16,145	221,543	28,051	116,700	1,890
2003	131,512	9,683	127,964	419,713	16,232	218,912	28,656	118,200	1,962
2004	137,774	9,969	129,894	420,129	16,605	223,997	29,525	123,000	2,018
2005	143,621	10,313	134,865	428,305	17,281	235,192	31,102	128,800	2,059
2006	147,012	10,680	137,771	439,302	18,273	246,050	32,226	132,900	2,127
2007	150,258	10,742	140,248	447,909	18,616	250,678	32,650	135,100	2,278
2008	149,761	10,799	140,899	449,568	18,344	247,743	32,465	134,900	2,168
2009	139,384	9,736	133,989	424,027	17,250	231,961	30,532	128,900	2,119
2010									

source: Oregon Employment Department, Quarterly Covered Employment and Wages and Washington State Employment Department, Labor Market Information
<http://www.qualityinfo.org/olmisi/CEP>

BEA County Employment Estimates
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(BEA) Bureau of Economic Analysis (Nonfarm Wage and Salary + Self Employed)

Total Employment (includes Military Employment)

	Clackamas	Columbia	Marion	Multnomah	Polk	Washington	Yamhill	Clark	Skamania
1970	48,979	7,926	66,039	328,783	10,896	51,935	14,335	43,049	2,084
1971	52,118	8,218	68,097	329,230	10,886	54,363	15,014	45,353	2,014
1972	57,016	9,098	71,656	341,594	11,337	60,556	15,849	49,020	2,161
1973	61,269	10,015	76,056	354,550	12,018	67,688	16,848	51,395	2,316
1974	63,825	10,345	78,989	361,048	12,147	74,981	17,829	52,640	2,333
1975	65,645	10,842	81,393	358,101	12,317	78,639	19,043	52,563	2,241
1976	70,090	10,109	86,603	366,143	12,629	84,124	20,152	56,827	2,396
1977	75,425	10,460	93,477	376,204	13,341	93,397	21,732	60,733	2,481
1978	81,175	10,917	99,215	393,863	14,054	106,058	23,150	65,360	2,784
1979	87,755	11,494	103,814	406,672	14,480	117,692	24,774	67,964	3,710
1980	91,203	11,300	103,612	406,771	13,945	122,558	25,499	68,857	4,025
1981	92,283	11,117	101,779	395,823	13,837	122,069	25,085	70,126	3,031
1982	89,852	10,293	98,487	378,670	13,008	122,661	24,438	68,919	2,484
1983	94,145	10,536	101,238	376,002	12,992	124,998	24,828	72,704	2,517
1984	97,722	11,010	103,775	391,658	14,055	132,178	25,366	77,257	2,526
1985	102,409	11,330	107,810	399,248	14,582	137,741	25,566	79,926	2,580
1986	106,368	11,666	110,080	407,492	15,793	141,976	26,341	83,474	2,668
1987	111,397	12,160	116,047	419,758	16,736	146,961	27,197	88,441	2,821
1988	116,535	12,792	121,112	436,399	16,855	158,537	28,401	96,360	2,659
1989	124,474	13,157	124,814	449,361	17,230	169,152	29,422	102,030	2,524
1990	131,409	13,513	129,479	459,073	17,578	180,302	30,602	107,586	2,595
1991	135,490	13,922	130,235	456,946	17,858	187,232	30,427	109,546	2,632
1992	137,406	13,590	132,338	458,824	17,927	190,897	31,721	112,876	2,403
1993	143,142	13,112	137,129	467,906	18,353	198,860	32,799	117,731	2,672
1994	151,801	13,421	142,963	487,181	19,487	210,089	34,662	128,906	2,795
1995	156,718	13,801	146,169	507,639	20,737	222,002	36,250	133,557	2,706
1996	163,523	14,437	151,128	520,032	22,383	240,796	38,544	139,652	2,765
1997	172,848	14,978	154,377	534,821	23,233	255,987	39,314	147,026	2,856
1998	179,450	15,115	156,597	542,104	23,108	265,353	39,130	152,142	2,896
1999	186,857	15,261	159,098	541,880	23,293	269,287	38,986	156,349	2,864
2000	190,727	15,635	161,697	553,704	23,594	279,055	39,299	158,922	2,890
2001	197,197	15,326	158,506	551,191	23,204	269,092	38,929	159,702	2,714
2002	196,912	15,330	159,226	536,631	23,373	261,321	39,040	159,850	2,730
2003	197,840	15,209	162,117	534,967	24,508	261,534	40,189	162,352	2,826
2004	206,010	15,551	165,431	541,175	25,359	270,199	41,702	168,673	2,868
2005	214,583	15,904	170,005	551,424	26,140	281,916	43,027	176,064	3,035
2006	221,452	16,395	174,383	567,476	26,882	294,151	44,651	182,414	3,125
2007	228,804	16,775	179,219	584,077	27,310	301,474	46,121	189,021	3,274
2008	233,329	17,199	181,459	593,904	27,431	301,839	46,458	192,117	3,214
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source: Bureau of Economic Analysis, Regional Economic Information Service (REIS)
includes estimates of self-employed workers
<http://www.bea.gov/regional/reis/default.cfm?selTable=CA25>