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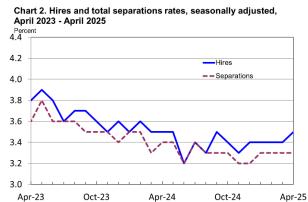
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JOB OPENINGS AND LABOR TURNOVER – APRIL 2025

The number of job openings was little changed at 7.4 million in April, the U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics reported today. Over the month, both hires and total separations were little changed at 5.6 million and 5.3 million, respectively. Within separations, quits (3.2 million) and layoffs and discharges (1.8 million) changed little.

This release includes estimates of the number and rate of job openings, hires, and separations for the total nonfarm sector, by industry, and by establishment size class. Job openings include all positions that are open on the last business day of the month. Hires and separations include all changes to the payroll during the entire month.





Job Openings

The number and rate of **job openings** were little changed at 7.4 million and 4.4 percent, in April. The number of job openings decreased in accommodation and food services (-135,000) and in state and local government, education (-51,000). The number of job openings increased in arts, entertainment, and recreation (+43,000) and in mining and logging (+10,000). (See table 1.)

Hires

In April, the number and rate of **hires** were little changed at 5.6 million and 3.5 percent, respectively. The number of hires was little changed in all industries in April. (See table 2.)

Separations

Total separations include quits, layoffs and discharges, and other separations. Quits are generally voluntary separations initiated by the employee. Therefore, the quits rate can serve as a measure of workers' willingness or ability to leave jobs. Layoffs and discharges are involuntary separations initiated

by the employer. Other separations include separations due to retirement, death, disability, and transfers to other locations of the same firm.

The number of **total separations** in April was little changed at 5.3 million. The total separations rate remained unchanged at 3.3 percent. Total separations increased in federal government (+9,000). (See table 3.)

In April, the number and rate of **quits** were little changed at 3.2 million and 2.0 percent, respectively. The number of quits was down by 220,000 over the year. (See table 4.)

In April, the number and rate of **layoffs and discharges** were little changed at 1.8 million and 1.1 percent, respectively. Layoffs and discharges increased in health care and social assistance (+52,000) but decreased in state and local government, excluding education (-14,000) and in federal government (-4,000). (See table 5.)

The number of **other separations** was little changed at 308,000 in April. (See table 6.)

Establishment Size Class

In April, establishments with 1 to 9 employees and establishments with 5,000 or more employees showed little or no change in job openings, hires, and separations rates. (See table 7.)

March 2025 Revisions

The number of job openings for March was revised up by 8,000 to 7.2 million, the number of hires was revised down by 7,000 to 5.4 million, and the number of total separations was revised up by 46,000 to 5.2 million. Within separations, the number of quits was revised up by 12,000 to 3.3 million, and the number of layoffs and discharges was revised up by 32,000 to 1.6 million. (Monthly revisions result from additional reports received from businesses and government agencies since the last published estimates and from the recalculation of seasonal factors.)

The Job Openings and Labor Turnover Survey estimates for May 2025 are scheduled to be released on Tuesday, July 1, 2025, at 10:00 a.m. (ET).

Table A. Job openings, hires, and total separations by industry, seasonally adjusted

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Category	Apr. 2024	Mar. 2025	Apr. 2025 ^p	Apr. 2024	Mar. 2025	Apr. 2025 ^p	Apr. 2024	Mar. 2025	Apr. 2025 ^p
LEVELS BY INDUSTRY (in thousands)									
Total	7,619	7,200	7,391	5,584	5,404	5,573	5,388	5,183	5,288
Total private	6,764	6,342	6,544	5,229	5,055	5,215	5,025	4,845	4,954
Mining and logging	21	13	23	14	19	21	20	22	20
Construction	326	251	248	328	306	348	347	322	339
Manufacturing	491	397	381	384	319	330	376	311	325
Durable goods	324	261	245	230	186	203	223	184	194
Nondurable goods	166	136	136	154	134	128	153	127	131
Trade, transportation, and utilities	988	1,036	1,090	1,095	1,073	1,008	1,051	1,070	938
Wholesale trade	171	213	202	153	146	129	143	145	115
Retail trade	501	538	584	657	632	579	643	652	564
Transportation, warehousing, and utilities	315	284	303	285	294	300	265	274	259
Information	95	154	181	75	83	85	72	76	75
Financial activities	445	428	426	192	244	212	213	223	222
Finance and insurance	312	305	293	126	170	139	138	151	154
Real estate and rental and leasing	133	123	133	66	75	73	75	72	68
Professional and business services	1,289	1,249	1,420	1,025	1,042	1,111	943	988	1,049
Private education and health services	1,769	1,512	1,627	937	824	854	843	742	790
Private educational services	227	144	157	98	94	92	90	86	85
Health care and social assistance	1,541	1,368	1,470	839	731	762	753	656	705
Leisure and hospitality	1,042	960	868	978	919	1,031	963	880	978
Arts, entertainment, and recreation	144	135	178	153	174	179	157	172	169
Accommodation and food services	898	825	690	825	746	852	806	708	809
Other services	299	341	281	201	226	216	196	211	217
Government	855	858	847	355	349	358	364	337	334
Federal	137	121	134	37	29	31	36	32	41
State and local	719	737	712	318	320	327	327	305	293
State and local education	253	291	240	170	160	167	172	149	154
State and local, excluding education	466	446	472	148	160	160	155	156	140
RATES BY INDUSTRY (percent)									
Total	4.6	4.3	4.4	3.5	3.4	3.5	3.4	3.3	3.3
Total private	4.8	4.5	4.6	3.9	3.7	3.8	3.7	3.6	3.6
Mining and logging	3.3	2.1	3.5	2.3	3.0	3.4	3.2	3.5	3.2
Construction	3.8	2.9	2.9	4.0	3.7	4.2	4.2	3.9	4.1
Manufacturing	3.7	3.0	2.9	3.0	2.5	2.6	2.9	2.4	2.5
Durable goods	3.9	3.2	3.0	2.9	2.4	2.6	2.8	2.3	2.5
Nondurable goods	3.3	2.7	2.7	3.2	2.7	2.6	3.2	2.6	2.7
Trade, transportation, and utilities	3.3	3.4	3.6	3.8	3.7	3.5	3.6	3.7	3.2
Wholesale trade	2.7	3.3	3.2	2.5	2.4	2.1	2.3	2.3	1.9
Retail trade	3.1	3.3	3.6	4.2	4.1	3.7	4.1	4.2	3.6
Transportation, warehousing, and utilities	4.2	3.7	3.9	3.9	4.0	4.1	3.7	3.7	3.5
Information	3.1	5.0	5.8	2.5	2.8	2.9	2.5	2.6	2.6
Financial activities	4.6	4.4	4.4	2.1	2.6	2.3	2.3	2.4	2.4
Finance and insurance	4.5	4.3	4.2	1.9	2.5	2.1	2.1	2.2	2.3
Real estate and rental and leasing	5.1	4.7	5.0	2.7	3.0	2.9	3.0	2.9	2.7
Professional and business services	5.4	5.2	5.9	4.5	4.6	4.9	4.2	4.4	4.6
Private education and health services	6.3	5.3	5.6	3.6	3.0	3.1	3.2	2.7	2.9
Private educational services	5.4	3.5	3.8	2.5	2.3	2.3	2.3	2.1	2.1
Health care and social assistance	6.4	5.6	6.0	3.8	3.2	3.3	3.4	2.8	3.0
Leisure and hospitality	5.9	5.4	4.9	5.8	5.4	6.1	5.7	5.2	5.8
Arts, entertainment, and recreation	5.2	4.8	6.2	5.9	6.5	6.6	6.0	6.4	6.3
Accommodation and food services	6.0	5.5	4.6	5.8	5.2	6.0	5.7	5.0	5.7
Other services	4.8	5.4	4.4	3.4	3.7	3.6	3.3	3.5	3.6

Table A. Job openings, hires, and total separations by industry, seasonally adjusted — Continued

	J	lob opening	S		Hires		Tot	tal separation	ons
Category	Apr. 2024	Mar. 2025	Apr. 2025 ^p	Apr. 2024	Mar. 2025	Apr. 2025 ^p	Apr. 2024	Mar. 2025	Apr. 2025 ^p
Government	3.5	3.5	3.5	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.6	1.4	1.4
Federal	4.4	3.9	4.3	1.2	1.0	1.0	1.2	1.1	1.4
State and local	3.4	3.5	3.3	1.6	1.6	1.6	1.6	1.5	1.4
State and local education	2.3	2.6	2.2	1.6	1.5	1.5	1.6	1.4	1.4
State and local, excluding education	4.6	4.4	4.6	1.5	1.6	1.6	1.6	1.6	1.4

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Technical Note

This news release presents statistics from the Job Openings and Labor Turnover Survey (JOLTS). The JOLTS program provides information on labor demand and turnover. Additional information about the JOLTS program can be found at www.bls.gov/jlt/. Estimates are published for job openings, hires, quits, layoffs and discharges, other separations, and total separations. The JOLTS program covers all private nonfarm establishments, as well as civilian federal, state, and local government entities in the 50 states and the District of Columbia. Starting with data for January 2023, industries are classified in accordance with the 2022 North American Industry Classification System.

Definitions

Employment. Employment includes persons on the payroll who worked or received pay for the pay period that includes the 12th day of the reference month. Full-time, part-time, permanent, short-term, seasonal, salaried, and hourly employees are included, as are employees on paid vacation or other paid leave. Proprietors or partners of unincorporated businesses, unpaid family workers, employees on strike for the entire pay period, and employees on leave without pay for the entire pay period are not counted as employed. Employees of temporary help agencies, employee leasing companies, outside contractors, and consultants are counted by their employer of record, not by the establishment where they are working. JOLTS does not publish employment estimates but uses the reported employment for validation of the other reported data elements.

Job Openings. Job openings include all positions that are open on the last business day of the reference month. A job is open only if it meets all three of these conditions:

- A specific position exists, and there is work available for that position. The position can be full-time or part-time, and it can be permanent, short-term, or seasonal.
- The job could start within 30 days, whether or not the employer can find a suitable candidate during that time.
- The employer is actively recruiting workers from outside the establishment to fill the position. Active recruiting means that the

establishment is taking steps to fill a position. It may include advertising in newspapers, on television, or on the radio; posting internet notices, posting "help wanted" signs, networking or making "word-of-mouth" announcements; accepting applications; interviewing candidates; contacting employment agencies; or soliciting employees at job fairs, state or local employment offices, or similar sources.

Excluded are positions open only to internal transfers, promotions or demotions, or recall from layoffs. Also excluded are openings for positions with start dates more than 30 days in the future; positions for which employees have been hired but have not yet reported for work; and positions to be filled by employees of temporary help agencies, employee leasing companies, outside contractors, or consultants. The job openings rate is computed by dividing the number of job openings by the sum of employment and job openings—that is, all filled and unfilled jobs—and multiplying that quotient by 100.

Hires. Hires include all additions to the payroll during the entire reference month, including newly hired and rehired employees; full-time and part-time employees; permanent, short-term, and seasonal employees; employees who were recalled to a job at the location following a layoff (formal suspension from pay status) lasting more than 7 days; on-call or intermittent employees who returned to work after having been formally separated; workers who were hired and separated during the month, and transfers from other locations. Excluded are transfers or promotions within the reporting location, employees returning from strike, employees of temporary help agencies, employee leasing companies, outside contractors, or consultants. The hires rate is computed by dividing the number of hires by employment and multiplying that quotient by 100.

Separations. Separations include all separations from the payroll during the entire reference month and is reported by type of separation: quits, layoffs and discharges, and other separations. Quits include employees who left voluntarily, with the exception of retirements or transfers to other locations. Layoffs and discharges includes involuntary separations initiated by the employer, including layoffs with no intent to rehire; layoffs (formal suspensions from pay status) lasting or expected to last more than 7 days;

discharges resulting from mergers, downsizing, or closings; firings or other discharges for cause; terminations of permanent or short-term employees; and terminations of seasonal employees (whether or not they are expected to return the next season). Other separations include retirements, transfers to other locations, separations due to employee disability, and deaths.

Excluded from separations measures are transfers within the same location; employees on strike; and employees of temporary help agencies, employee leasing companies, outside contractors, or consultants. The separations rate is computed by dividing the number of separations by employment and multiplying that quotient by 100. The quits, layoffs and discharges, and other separations rates are computed similarly.

Estimation Method

The JOLTS survey design is a stratified random sample of approximately 21,000 nonfarm business and government establishments. The sample is stratified by ownership, region, industry sector, and establishment size class.

The sampling frame is made up of establishments from two sources: the Bureau of Labor Statistics (BLS) Quarterly Census of Employment and Wages program (QCEW) and the Federal Railroad Administration (FRA). The QCEW database contains establishments that cover approximately 95 percent of nonfarm payroll jobs in the United States. This database is a compilation of administrative data from state unemployment insurance (UI) programs and federal government establishments covered by the Unemployment Compensation for Federal Employees (UCFE) program. A frame of railroad establishments is provided by the FRA. This is added to the QCEW database to complete the JOLTS sampling frame.

The JOLTS estimation method involves the following processes: unit nonresponse adjustment, item nonresponse adjustment, monthly benchmarking and estimation, automatic outlier detection, birth and death model estimation, estimates review and outlier selection, alignment, seasonal adjustment, and variance estimates. Establishment size class levels are also produced. Detailed information about the estimation method can be found in the Handbook of Methods at

https://www.bls.gov/opub/hom/jlt/home.htm.

Monthly benchmarking is the process through which the JOLTS weighted employment for each estimation cell is adjusted. JOLTS estimation cells are benchmarked monthly to the current employment level from the BLS Current Employment Statistics (CES) program. The sampled weight is benchmarked to ensure that JOLTS weighted employment is equal to CES employment.

Birth/death model. The time lag from the start up, or birth, of an establishment until its appearance on the sampling frame is approximately one year. In addition, many new establishments fail within the first year, referred to as a death. Because new and short-lived universe establishments cannot be reflected in the sampling frame immediately, the JOLTS sample cannot capture job openings, hires, and separations from these establishments during their early existence. BLS has developed a birth/death model that uses establishment birth and death activity from previous years as collected by the QCEW and projects forward to the present using over-the-year change in the CES. The birth/death model also uses historical JOLTS data to calculate the amount of churn (meaning the rates of hires and separations) that exists in establishments of various sizes. The model then combines the calculated churn with the projected employment change to estimate the number of hires and separations that take place in these establishments that cannot be measured through sampling. The estimates of job openings, hires, and separations produced by the birth/death model are added to the sample-based estimates produced from the survey to arrive at the estimates for job openings, hires, and separations.

Alignment. The JOLTS figure for hires minus separations can be used to derive a measure of net employment change. This change should be comparable to the net employment change from the much larger CES survey. However, definitional differences between the two surveys, as well as sampling and nonsampling errors, historically caused JOLTS to diverge from CES over time. To limit the divergence and improve the quality of the JOLTS hires and separations series, BLS implemented the monthly alignment method. There are four steps to this method: seasonally adjust, align, back out the seasonal adjustment factors, and seasonally adjust again.

Seasonal adjustment. After alignment, the seasonal adjustment program (X-13ARIMA-SEATS) is used to seasonally adjust the JOLTS series. Each month, a concurrent seasonal adjustment methodology uses all relevant data, up to and including the current month, to calculate new seasonal adjustment factors. Moving averages are used as seasonal filters in seasonal adjustment. JOLTS seasonal adjustment includes both additive and multiplicative models, as well as regression with autocorrelated errors (REGARIMA) modeling, to improve the seasonal adjustment factors at the beginning and end of the series and to detect and adjust for outliers in the series.

Annual estimates and benchmarking. The JOLTS estimates are revised annually with the issuance of data for January. Five years of data are subject to revision. The revised estimates incorporate: 1) benchmarks based on CES employment estimates newly benchmarked to QCEW, 2) revised seasonal adjustment factors, and 3) any needed special adjustments.

The JOLTS employment levels are ratio-adjusted to the CES employment levels, and the resulting ratios are applied to all JOLTS data elements.

The seasonally adjusted estimates are recalculated for the most recent 5 years to reflect updated seasonal adjustment factors. These annual updates result in revisions to both the seasonally adjusted and not seasonally adjusted JOLTS data series for the period since the last benchmark was established.

Annual levels for hires, quits, layoffs and discharges, other separations, and total separations are the sum of the 12 published monthly levels.

Annual average levels for job openings are calculated by dividing the sum of the 12 published monthly levels by 12.

Annual average rates for hires, quits, layoffs and discharges, other separations, and total separations are calculated by dividing the sum of the 12 monthly JOLTS published levels for each data element by the sum of the 12 monthly CES published employment levels, and multiplying that quotient by 100.

Annual average rates for job openings are calculated by dividing the sum of the 12 monthly JOLTS published levels by the sum of the 12

monthly CES published employment levels plus the sum of the 12 monthly job openings levels, and multiplying that quotient by 100.

Reliability of the estimates

JOLTS estimates are subject to two types of error: sampling error and nonsampling error.

Sampling error can result when a sample, rather than an entire population, is surveyed. There is a chance that the sample estimates may differ from the true population values they represent. The exact difference, or sampling error, varies with the sample selected, and this variability is measured by the standard error of the estimate. BLS analyses are generally conducted at the 90-percent level of confidence. This means that there is a 90-percent chance that the true population mean will fall into the interval created by the sample mean plus or minus 1.65 standard errors. Estimates of median standard errors are released monthly as part of the significant change tables on the JOLTS webpage. Standard errors are updated annually with the most recent 5 years of data. Sampling error estimates are available

www.bls.gov/jlt/jolts median standard errors.htm.

Nonsampling error can occur for many reasons, including the failure to include a segment of the population, the inability to obtain data from all units in the sample, the inability or unwillingness of respondents to provide data on a timely basis, mistakes made by respondents, errors made in the collection or processing of the data, and errors from the employment benchmark data used in estimation. The JOLTS program uses quality control procedures to reduce nonsampling error in the survey's design.

Other information

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Table 1. Job openings levels and rates by industry and region, seasonally adjusted¹

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Industry and region	Apr. 2024	Jan. 2025	Feb. 2025	Mar. 2025	Apr. 2025 ^p	Change from: Mar. 2025 - Apr. 2025 ^p	Apr. 2024	Jan. 2025	Feb. 2025	Mar. 2025	Apr. 2025 ^p	Change from: Mar. 2025 - Apr. 2025 ^p
TotalINDUSTRY	7,619	7,762	7,480	7,200	7,391	191	4.6	4.7	4.5	4.3	4.4	0.1
Total private	6,764	6,860	6,588	6,342	6,544	202	4.8	4.8	4.6	4.5	4.6	0.1
Mining and logging	21	16	20	13	23	10	3.3	2.6	3.1	2.1	3.5	1.4
Construction	326	242	286	251	248	-3	3.8	2.8	3.3	2.9	2.9	0.0
Manufacturing	491	513	445	397	381	-16	3.7	3.9	3.4	3.0	2.9	-0.1
Durable goods	324	369	313	261	245	-16	3.9	4.5	3.8	3.2	3.0	-0.2
Nondurable goods	166	144	131	136	136	0	3.3	2.9	2.6	2.7	2.7	0.0
Trade, transportation, and utilities	988	1,234	1,036	1,036	1,090	54	3.3	4.1	3.4	3.4	3.6	0.2
Wholesale trade	171	226	163	213	202	-11	2.7	3.5	2.6	3.3	3.2	-0.1
Retail trade	501	656	528	538	584	46	3.1	4.0	3.3	3.3	3.6	0.3
Transportation, warehousing, and utilities	315	352	345	284	303	19	4.2	4.6	4.5	3.7	3.9	0.2
Information	95	130	131	154	181	27	3.1	4.2	4.2	5.0	5.8	0.8
Financial activities	445	516	431	428	426	-2	4.6	5.3	4.5	4.4	4.4	0.0
Finance and insurance	312	350	271	305	293	-12	4.5	4.9	3.9	4.3	4.2	-0.1
Real estate and rental and leasing	133	166	160	123	133	10	5.1	6.3	6.0	4.7	5.0	0.3
Professional and business services	1,289	1,211	1,336	1,249	1,420	171	5.4	5.1	5.6	5.2	5.9	0.7
Private education and health services	1,769	1,650	1,570	1,512	1,627	115	6.3	5.8	5.5	5.3	5.6	0.3
Private educational services	227	152	165	144	157	13	5.4	3.7	4.0	3.5	3.8	0.3
Health care and social assistance	1,541	1,498	1,405	1,368	1,470	102	6.4	6.1	5.7	5.6	6.0	0.4
Leisure and hospitality	1,042	1,057	1,030	960	868	-92	5.9	5.9	5.7	5.4	4.9	-0.5
Arts, entertainment, and recreation	144	156	130	135	178	43	5.2	5.5	4.6	4.8	6.2	1.4
Accommodation and food services	898	901	900	825	690	-135	6.0	5.9	5.9	5.5	4.6	-0.9
Other services	299	291	304	341	281	-60	4.8	4.6	4.8	5.4	4.4	-1.0
Government	855	902	892	858	847	-11	3.5	3.7	3.6	3.5	3.5	0.0
Federal	137	132	134	121	134	13	4.4	4.2	4.3	3.9	4.3	0.4
State and local	719	770	759	737	712	-25	3.4	3.6	3.6	3.5	3.3	-0.2
State and local education	253	282	279	291	240	-51	2.3	2.5	2.5	2.6	2.2	-0.4
State and local, excluding education	466	489	480	446	472	26	4.6	4.8	4.7	4.4	4.6	0.2
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Northeast	1,334	1,366	1,401	1,278	1,394	116	4.6	4.6	4.7	4.3	4.7	0.4
South	3,161	3,060	2,839	2,719	2,846	127	5.1	4.9	4.5	4.3	4.5	0.2
Midwest	1,578	1,665	1,642	1,688	1,603	-85	4.5	4.7	4.6	4.8	4.5	-0.3
West	1,547	1,670	1,599	1,514	1,547	33	4.0	4.3	4.1	3.9	4.0	0.1
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¹ The job openings level is the number of job openings on the last business day of the month.

² The job openings rate is the number of job openings on the last business day of the month as a percent of employment plus job openings.

The states (including the District of Columbia) that comprise the regions are: Northeast: Connecticut, Maine, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, New Jersey, New York, Pennsylvania, Rhode Island, and Vermont; South: Alabama, Arkansas, Delaware, District of Columbia, Florida, Georgia, Kentucky, Louisiana, Maryland, Mississippi, North Carolina, Oklahoma, South Carolina, Tennessee, Texas, Virginia, and West Virginia; Midwest: Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Kansas, Michigan, Minnesota, Missouri, Nebraska, North Dakota, Ohio, South Dakota, and Wisconsin; West: Alaska, Arizona, California, Colorado, Hawaii, Idaho, Montana, Nevada, New Mexico, Oregon, Utah, Washington, and Wyoming.

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Table 2. Hires levels and rates by industry and region, seasonally adjusted¹

		Le	evels (in		is)				Rat	tes ²		
Industry and region	Apr. 2024	Jan. 2025	Feb. 2025	Mar. 2025	Apr. 2025 ^p	Change from: Mar. 2025 - Apr. 2025 ^p	Apr. 2024	Jan. 2025	Feb. 2025	Mar. 2025	Apr. 2025 ^p	Change from: Mar. 2025 - Apr. 2025 ^p
TotalINDUSTRY	5,584	5,371	5,370	5,404	5,573	169	3.5	3.4	3.4	3.4	3.5	0.1
Total private	5,229	5,000	5,020	5,055	5,215	160	3.9	3.7	3.7	3.7	3.8	0.1
Mining and logging	14	17	23	19	21	2	2.3	2.7	3.6	3.0	3.4	0.4
Construction	328	346	347	306	348	42	4.0	4.2	4.2	3.7	4.2	0.5
Manufacturing	384	332	318	319	330	11	3.0	2.6	2.5	2.5	2.6	0.1
Durable goods	230	194	192	186	203	17	2.9	2.5	2.4	2.4	2.6	0.2
Nondurable goods	154	138	127	134	128	-6	3.2	2.8	2.6	2.7	2.6	-0.1
Trade, transportation, and utilities	1,095	1,092	1,078	1,073	1,008	-65	3.8	3.8	3.7	3.7	3.5	-0.2
Wholesale trade	153	156	169	146	129	-17	2.5	2.5	2.7	2.4	2.1	-0.3
Retail trade	657	637	601	632	579	-53	4.2	4.1	3.9	4.1	3.7	-0.4
Transportation, warehousing, and utilities	285	298	308	294	300	6	3.9	4.1	4.2	4.0	4.1	0.1
Information	75	80	79	83	85	2	2.5	2.7	2.7	2.8	2.9	0.1
Financial activities	192	201	217	244	212	-32	2.1	2.2	2.3	2.6	2.3	-0.3
Finance and insurance	126	133	147	170	139	-31	1.9	2.0	2.2	2.5	2.1	-0.4
Real estate and rental and leasing	66	68	70	75	73	-2	2.7	2.7	2.8	3.0	2.9	-0.1
Professional and business services	1,025	962	1,056	1,042	1,111	69	4.5	4.3	4.7	4.6	4.9	0.3
Private education and health services	937	833	799	824	854	30	3.6	3.1	3.0	3.0	3.1	0.1
Private educational services	98	90	90	94	92	-2	2.5	2.2	2.2	2.3	2.3	0.0
Health care and social assistance	839	743	709	731	762	31	3.8	3.2	3.1	3.2	3.3	0.1
Leisure and hospitality	978	901	888	919	1,031	112	5.8	5.3	5.2	5.4	6.1	0.7
Arts, entertainment, and recreation	153	159	177	174	179	5	5.9	5.9	6.6	6.5	6.6	0.1
Accommodation and food services	825	742	711	746	852	106	5.8	5.2	5.0	5.2	6.0	0.8
Other services	201	238	215	226	216	-10	3.4	4.0	3.6	3.7	3.6	-0.1
Government	355	371	350	349	358	9	1.5	1.6	1.5	1.5	1.5	0.0
Federal	37	34	30	29	31	2	1.2	1.1	1.0	1.0	1.0	0.0
State and local	318	337	320	320	327	7	1.6	1.6	1.6	1.6	1.6	0.0
State and local education	170	176	166	160	167	7	1.6	1.6	1.5	1.5	1.5	0.0
State and local, excluding education	148	161	154	160	160	0	1.5	1.7	1.6	1.6	1.6	0.0
REGION ³												
Northeast	784	830	848	883	818	-65	2.8	2.9	3.0	3.1	2.9	-0.2
South	2,352	2,224	2,196	2,099	2,240	141	4.0	3.7	3.7	3.5	3.7	0.2
Midwest.	1,202	1,137	1,138	1,222	1,234	12	3.6	3.4	3.4	3.6	3.7	0.1
West	1,246	1,180	1.187	1.200	1,282	82	3.4	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.4	0.2
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Table 3. Total separations levels and rates by industry and region, seasonally adjusted¹

		Le	evels (in	thousand	ls)				Rat	tes ²		
Industry and region	Apr. 2024	Jan. 2025	Feb. 2025	Mar. 2025	Apr. 2025 ^p	Change from: Mar. 2025 - Apr. 2025 ^p	Apr. 2024	Jan. 2025	Feb. 2025	Mar. 2025	Apr. 2025 ^p	Change from: Mar. 2025 - Apr. 2025 ^p
TotalINDUSTRY	5,388	5,272	5,316	5,183	5,288	105	3.4	3.3	3.3	3.3	3.3	0.0
Total private	5,025	4,959	4,966	4,845	4,954	109	3.7	3.7	3.7	3.6	3.6	0.0
Mining and logging	20	20	19	22	20	-2	3.2	3.2	3.0	3.5	3.2	-0.3
Construction	347	333	348	322	339	17	4.2	4.0	4.2	3.9	4.1	0.2
Manufacturing	376	337	323	311	325	14	2.9	2.6	2.5	2.4	2.5	0.1
Durable goods	223	202	194	184	194	10	2.8	2.6	2.5	2.3	2.5	0.2
Nondurable goods	153	135	129	127	131	4	3.2	2.8	2.6	2.6	2.7	0.1
Trade, transportation, and utilities	1,051	1,084	1,089	1,070	938	-132	3.6	3.7	3.7	3.7	3.2	-0.5
Wholesale trade	143	165	144	145	115	-30	2.3	2.7	2.3	2.3	1.9	-0.4
Retail trade	643	597	645	652	564	-88	4.1	3.8	4.1	4.2	3.6	-0.6
Transportation, warehousing, and utilities	265	322	301	274	259	-15	3.7	4.4	4.1	3.7	3.5	-0.2
Information	72	81	85	76	75	-1	2.5	2.7	2.9	2.6	2.6	0.0
Financial activities	213	181	190	223	222	-1	2.3	2.0	2.1	2.4	2.4	0.0
Finance and insurance	138	125	124	151	154	3	2.1	1.9	1.8	2.2	2.3	0.1
Real estate and rental and leasing	75	56	66	72	68	-4	3.0	2.3	2.7	2.9	2.7	-0.2
Professional and business services	943	1,038	1,023	988	1,049	61	4.2	4.6	4.5	4.4	4.6	0.2
Private education and health services	843	747	736	742	790	48	3.2	2.8	2.7	2.7	2.9	0.2
Private educational services	90	83	82	86	85	-1	2.3	2.1	2.1	2.1	2.1	0.0
Health care and social assistance	753	664	654	656	705	49	3.4	2.9	2.8	2.8	3.0	0.2
Leisure and hospitality	963	892	939	880	978	98	5.7	5.3	5.5	5.2	5.8	0.6
Arts, entertainment, and recreation	157	147	175	172	169	-3	6.0	5.5	6.5	6.4	6.3	-0.1
Accommodation and food services	806	745	765	708	809	101	5.7	5.2	5.4	5.0	5.7	0.7
Other services	196	247	214	211	217	6	3.3	4.1	3.6	3.5	3.6	0.1
Government	364	313	350	337	334	-3	1.6	1.3	1.5	1.4	1.4	0.0
Federal	36	29	41	32	41	9	1.2	1.0	1.4	1.1	1.4	0.3
State and local	327	284	309	305	293	-12	1.6	1.4	1.5	1.5	1.4	-0.1
State and local education	172	140	176	149	154	5	1.6	1.3	1.6	1.4	1.4	0.0
State and local, excluding education	155	144	133	156	140	-16	1.6	1.5	1.4	1.6	1.4	-0.2
REGION ³												
Northeast	845	808	859	790	840	50	3.0	2.9	3.0	2.8	3.0	0.2
South	2,111	2,046	2,158	2,018	2.069	51	3.6	3.4	3.6	3.4	3.4	0.0
Midwest	1,176	1,171	1,109	1,136	1,116	-20	3.5	3.5	3.3	3.4	3.3	-0.1
West	1,256	1,247	1,191	1,237	1,262	25	3.4	3.3	3.2	3.3	3.4	0.1
	1,200	1,2-7	1,101	1,207	1,202		0.4	0.0	0.2	0.0	0.4	0.1

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Table 4. Quits levels and rates by industry and region, seasonally adjusted 1

-		Le	evels (in	thousand	ls)				Rat	tes ²		
Industry and region	Apr. 2024	Jan. 2025	Feb. 2025	Mar. 2025	Apr. 2025 ^p	Change from: Mar. 2025 - Apr. 2025 ^p	Apr. 2024	Jan. 2025	Feb. 2025	Mar. 2025	Apr. 2025 ^p	Change from: Mar. 2025 - Apr. 2025 ^p
TotalINDUSTRY	3,414	3,256	3,250	3,344	3,194	-150	2.2	2.0	2.0	2.1	2.0	-0.1
Total private	3,194	3,078	3,054	3,159	3,011	-148	2.4	2.3	2.3	2.3	2.2	-0.1
Mining and logging	13	14	11	14	13	-1	2.1	2.2	1.8	2.3	2.1	-0.2
Construction	183	164	180	166	147	-19	2.2	2.0	2.2	2.0	1.8	-0.2
Manufacturing	219	185	179	184	186	2	1.7	1.4	1.4	1.4	1.5	0.1
Durable goods	129	110	108	110	113	3	1.6	1.4	1.4	1.4	1.4	0.0
Nondurable goods	90	75	71	74	72	-2	1.9	1.6	1.5	1.5	1.5	0.0
Trade, transportation, and utilities	698	669	674	707	584	-123	2.4	2.3	2.3	2.4	2.0	-0.4
Wholesale trade	85	105	87	95	69	-26	1.4	1.7	1.4	1.5	1.1	-0.4
Retail trade	464	395	404	473	393	-80	3.0	2.5	2.6	3.0	2.5	-0.5
Transportation, warehousing, and utilities	149	169	183	139	121	-18	2.1	2.3	2.5	1.9	1.6	-0.3
Information	40	43	30	35	36	1	1.3	1.5	1.0	1.2	1.2	0.0
Financial activities	108	123	116	138	127	-11	1.2	1.3	1.3	1.5	1.4	-0.1
Finance and insurance	71	73	76	94	88	-6	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.4	1.3	-0.1
Real estate and rental and leasing	38	50	39	44	39	-5	1.5	2.0	1.6	1.8	1.6	-0.2
Professional and business services	504	589	576	558	529	-29	2.2	2.6	2.6	2.5	2.3	-0.2
Private education and health services	591	509	489	536	544	8	2.2	1.9	1.8	2.0	2.0	0.0
Private educational services	51	52	51	53	48	-5	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.2	-0.1
Health care and social assistance	539	457	438	483	497	14	2.4	2.0	1.9	2.1	2.1	0.0
Leisure and hospitality	695	607	641	673	701	28	4.1	3.6	3.8	4.0	4.1	0.1
Arts, entertainment, and recreation	84	71	77	71	68	-3	3.2	2.7	2.9	2.6	2.5	-0.1
Accommodation and food services	611	536	564	602	633	31	4.3	3.7	4.0	4.2	4.4	0.2
Other services	143	175	157	148	144	-4	2.4	2.9	2.6	2.5	2.4	-0.1
Government	220	178	197	186	183	-3	0.9	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.0
Federal	17	13	12	14	14	0	0.6	0.4	0.4	0.5	0.5	0.0
State and local	203	165	185	172	169	-3	1.0	0.8	0.9	0.8	0.8	0.0
State and local education	113	81	107	91	92	1	1.1	0.7	1.0	0.8	0.8	0.0
State and local, excluding education	90	84	77	80	77	-3	0.9	0.9	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.0
REGION ³												
Northeast	492	472	473	477	460	-17	1.8	1.7	1.7	1.7	1.6	-0.1
South	1,451	1,340	1,372	1,339	1,234	-105	2.4	2.2	2.3	2.2	2.1	-0.1
Midwest	741	702	711	755	715	-40	2.2	2.1	2.1	2.2	2.1	-0.1
West	730	741	695	773	786	13	2.0	2.0	1.9	2.1	2.1	0.0

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Table 5. Layoffs and discharges levels and rates by industry and region, seasonally adjusted¹

•		Le	evels (in	thousand		<u> </u>		Ť	Ra	tes ²		
Industry and region	Apr. 2024	Jan. 2025	Feb. 2025	Mar. 2025	Apr. 2025 ^p	Change from: Mar. 2025 - Apr. 2025 ^p	Apr. 2024	Jan. 2025	Feb. 2025	Mar. 2025	Apr. 2025 ^p	Change from: Mar. 2025 - Apr. 2025 ^p
TotalINDUSTRY	1,587	1,674	1,780	1,590	1,786	196	1.0	1.1	1.1	1.0	1.1	0.1
Total private	1,505	1,596	1,680	1,490	1,709	219	1.1	1.2	1.2	1.1	1.3	0.2
Mining and logging	5	4	6	7	6	-1	0.8	0.6	0.9	1.2	1.0	-0.2
Construction	153	149	149	150	176	26	1.9	1.8	1.8	1.8	2.1	0.3
Manufacturing	130	132	121	106	120	14	1.0	1.0	0.9	0.8	0.9	0.1
Durable goods	76	80	72	60	69	9	1.0	1.0	0.9	0.8	0.9	0.1
Nondurable goods	53	52	49	47	51	4	1.1	1.1	1.0	1.0	1.0	0.0
Trade, transportation, and utilities	290	361	379	324	305	-19	1.0	1.2	1.3	1.1	1.0	-0.1
Wholesale trade	48	48	47	43	38	-5	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.7	0.6	-0.1
Retail trade	141	171	229	162	140	-22	0.9	1.1	1.5	1.0	0.9	-0.1
Transportation, warehousing, and utilities	101	143	103	119	126	7	1.4	1.9	1.4	1.6	1.7	0.1
Information	28	30	47	33	29	-4	0.9	1.0	1.6	1.1	1.0	-0.1
Financial activities	76	35	54	65	74	9	0.8	0.4	0.6	0.7	0.8	0.1
Finance and insurance	47	32	31	41	50	9	0.7	0.5	0.5	0.6	0.7	0.1
Real estate and rental and leasing	29	4	23	24	24	0	1.2	0.2	0.9	1.0	1.0	0.0
Professional and business services	334	379	412	394	476	82	1.5	1.7	1.8	1.7	2.1	0.4
Private education and health services	210	189	192	152	205	53	0.8	0.7	0.7	0.6	0.8	0.2
Private educational services	35	26	28	27	27	0	0.9	0.6	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.0
Health care and social assistance	175	163	164	125	177	52	0.8	0.7	0.7	0.5	0.8	0.3
Leisure and hospitality	242	246	266	196	253	57	1.4	1.4	1.6	1.2	1.5	0.3
Arts, entertainment, and recreation	70	71	94	96	97	1	2.7	2.7	3.5	3.6	3.6	0.0
Accommodation and food services	172	175	172	99	156	57	1.2	1.2	1.2	0.7	1.1	0.4
Other services	36	71	54	62	65	3	0.6	1.2	0.9	1.0	1.1	0.1
Government	82	78	100	100	76	-24	0.4	0.3	0.4	0.4	0.3	-0.1
Federal	7	4	19	8	4	-4	0.2	0.1	0.6	0.3	0.1	-0.2
State and local	75	73	81	92	73	-19	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.0
State and local education	37	39	43	42	37	-5	0.3	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.3	-0.1
State and local, excluding education	38	34	38	50	36	-14	0.4	0.3	0.4	0.5	0.4	-0.1
REGION ³												
Northeast	300	280	338	256	324	68	1.1	1.0	1.2	0.9	1.1	0.2
South	513	595	671	599	724	125	0.9	1.0	1.1	1.0	1.2	0.2
Midwest	367	404	350	324	340	16	1.1	1.2	1.0	1.0	1.0	0.0
West	407	394	421	411	399	-12	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.1	0.0
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Table 6. Other separations levels and rates by industry and region, seasonally adjusted 1

•		Le	evels (in	thousand	ls)				Rat	tes ²		
Industry and region	Apr. 2024	Jan. 2025	Feb. 2025	Mar. 2025	Apr. 2025 ^p	Change from: Mar. 2025 - Apr. 2025 ^p	Apr. 2024	Jan. 2025	Feb. 2025	Mar. 2025	Apr. 2025 ^p	Change from: Mar. 2025 - Apr. 2025 ^p
TotalINDUSTRY	386	342	286	248	308	60	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.0
Total private	325	285	232	197	233	36	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.1
Mining and logging	2	2	1	1	1	0	0.3	0.4	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.0
Construction	11	19	18	5	15	10	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.1
Manufacturing	28	20	23	21	19	-2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.0
Durable goods	18	13	15	15	12	-3	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.1	-0.1
Nondurable goods	10	7	9	7	8	1	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.1
Trade, transportation, and utilities	63	54	36	40	49	9	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.1
Wholesale trade	10	13	9	6	8	2	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.0
Retail trade	38	31	12	17	30	13	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.1
Transportation, warehousing, and utilities	14	10	15	16	11	-5	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.0
Information	5	8	7	8	10	2	0.2	0.3	0.2	0.3	0.4	0.1
Financial activities	28	22	21	19	21	2	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.0
Finance and insurance	21	20	16	15	16	1	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.0
Real estate and rental and leasing	8	3	4	4	5	1	0.3	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.0
Professional and business services	105	70	35	36	44	8	0.5	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.0
Private education and health services	42	49	55	53	41	-12	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.1	-0.1
Private educational services	3	5	4	5	10	5	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.1
Health care and social assistance	38	44	51	48	31	-17	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.1	-0.1
Leisure and hospitality	26	39	33	12	24	12	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.0
Arts, entertainment, and recreation	3	5	4	5	4	-1	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.0
Accommodation and food services	23	35	29	7	20	13	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.0	0.1	0.1
Other services	17	0	3	2	9	7	0.3	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.2	0.2
Government	61	57	53	51	75	24	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.1
Federal	12	12	10	10	23	13	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.3	0.8	0.5
State and local	49	45	43	41	52	11	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.1
State and local education	21	19	25	16	25	9	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.1
State and local, excluding education	27	26	18	25	27	2	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.0
REGION ³												
Northeast	54	55	47	58	57	-1	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.0
South	146	111	115	81	112	31	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.1
Midwest	68	64	48	57	61	4	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.0
West	119	112	75	53	77	24	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.1

¹ The other separations level is the number of other separations during the entire month.

NOTE: Levels are rounded to the nearest thousand and rates are rounded to the nearest tenth. Levels and rates may round down to zero. NOTE: Data are revised with the release of January data to incorporate the annual updates to the Current Employment Statistics employment estimates and the JOLTS seasonal adjustment factors.

² The other separations rate is the number of other separations during the entire month as a percent of employment.

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Table 7. Job openings, hires, and separations levels and rates by establishment size class, seasonally adjusted

			Levels (in thousa	ands)					Rates		
Establishment size class	Apr. 2024	Jan. 2025	Feb. 2025	Mar. 2025	Apr. 2025 ^p	Change from: Mar. 2025 - Apr. 2025 ^p	Apr. 2024	Jan. 2025	Feb. 2025	Mar. 2025	Apr. 2025 ^p	Change from: Mar. 2025 Apr. 2025
JOB OPENINGS												
Total private	6,764	6,860	6,588	6,342	6,544	202	4.8	4.8	4.6	4.5	4.6	0.1
1 to 9 employees	1,194	1,233	1,160	1,089	1,273	184	5.5	5.3	5.5	5.1	5.1	0.0
10 to 49 employees	2,107	2,150	2,069	2,013	1,941	-72	4.6	5.1	4.9	4.6	4.4	-0.2
50 to 249 employees	1,881	2,005	1,867	1,720	1,931	211	4.5	4.7	4.4	4.1	4.5	0.4
250 to 999 employees	858	815	808	812	770	-42	4.5	4.0	3.9	4.0	4.4	0.4
1,000 to 4,999 employees	480	443	472	484	452	-32	5.8	4.9	4.8	5.1	5.6	0.5
5,000 or more employees	245	213	212	225	177	-48	5.0	4.1	4.1	4.3	4.1	-0.2
HIRES	F 000	F 000	F 000	- 055	F 045	400		0.7	0.7	0.7		0.4
Total private	5,229	5,000	5,020	5,055	5,215	160	3.9	3.7	3.7	3.7	3.8	0.1
1 to 9 employees	736	828	743	777	816	39	3.6	3.8	3.7	3.8	3.5	-0.3
10 to 49 employees	1,754	1,551	1,619	1,796	1,691	-105	4.0	3.8	4.0	4.3	4.0	-0.3
50 to 249 employees	1,611	1,611	1,618	1,433	1,743	310	4.1	4.0	3.9	3.6	4.2	0.6
250 to 999 employees	709	670	673	680	628	-52	3.9	3.5	3.4	3.5	3.7	0.2
1,000 to 4,999 employees	323	261	276	282	267	-15	4.2	3.0	3.0	3.1	3.5	0.4
5,000 or more employees TOTAL SEPARATIONS	95	80	90	87	69	-18	2.0	1.6	1.8	1.7	1.7	0.0
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Total private	5,025	4,959 744	4,966	4,845 689	4,954 816	109	3.7	3.7	3.7 3.4	3.6	3.6	0.0
1 to 9 employees	702		687			127	3.4	3.4	_	3.4	3.5	
10 to 49 employees	1,697	1,574	1,581	1,750	1,594	-156	3.9	3.9	3.9	4.2 3.4	3.8	-0.4 0.4
250 to 999 employees	1,583 676	1,607	1,637 690	1,379 672	1,568 634	189 -38	4.0 3.7	4.0 3.4	4.0 3.5	3.4	3.8	0.4
1,000 to 4,999 employees	282	662 293	290	276	278	2	3.6	3.4	3.1	3.4	3.6	0.4
	85	79	81	80	64	-16	1.8	1.6	1.6	1.6	1.5	-0.1
5,000 or more employees QUITS	00	79	01	60	04	-10	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.6	1.5	-0.1
Total private	3,194	3,078	3,054	3,159	3,011	-148	2.4	2.3	2.3	2.3	2.2	-0.1
1 to 9 employees	363	528	348	437	457	20	1.8	2.4	1.7	2.1	1.9	-0.2
10 to 49 employees	1,175	954	1,059	1,194	978	-216	2.7	2.4	2.6	2.9	2.3	-0.6
50 to 249 employees	1,036	1,005	1,058	939	1,023	84	2.6	2.5	2.6	2.3	2.5	0.2
250 to 999 employees	408	394	390	389	361	-28	2.3	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.2	0.2
1,000 to 4,999 employees	162	153	159	152	158	6	2.1	1.8	1.7	1.7	2.1	0.4
5,000 or more employees	50	44	40	46	35	-11	1.1	0.9	0.8	0.9	0.8	-0.1
LAYOFFS AND DISCHARGES												
Total private	1,505	1,596	1,680	1,490	1,709	219	1.1	1.2	1.2	1.1	1.3	0.2
1 to 9 employees	234	155	328	234	319	85	1.1	0.7	1.6	1.1	1.4	0.3
10 to 49 employees	425	533	444	491	543	52	1.0	1.3	1.1	1.2	1.3	0.1
50 to 249 employees	480	533	506	385	482	97	1.2	1.3	1.2	1.0	1.2	0.2
250 to 999 employees	238	238	268	255	248	-7	1.3	1.2	1.4	1.3	1.5	0.2
1,000 to 4,999 employees	102	110	103	99	97	-2	1.3	1.3	1.1	1.1	1.3	0.2
5,000 or more employees OTHER SEPARATIONS	26	26	30	25	19	-6	0.6	0.5	0.6	0.5	0.5	0.0
Total private	325	285	232	197	233	36	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.1
1 to 9 employees	105	61	11	17	40	23	0.5	0.3	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.1
10 to 49 employees	96	86	78	65	73	8	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.0
50 to 249 employees	67	69	73	55	63	8	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.1
250 to 999 employees	30	29	32	28	25	-3	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.0
1,000 to 4,999 employees	18	29	28	24	23	-1	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.0
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NOTE: Establishment size class data are produced for the total private sector only.

NOTE: The job openings level is the number of job openings on the last business day of the month. The levels for hires, total separations, quits, layoffs and discharges, and other separations are the number of each during the entire month. The job openings rate is the number of job openings on the last business day of the month as a percent of employment plus job openings. The rates for hires, total separations, quits, layoffs and discharges, and other separations are the number of each during the entire month as percent of employment.

Table 8. Job openings levels and rates by industry and region, not seasonally adjusted¹

	Lev	vels (in thousa	nds)		Rates ²	
Industry and region	Apr. 2024	Mar. 2025	Apr. 2025 ^p	Apr. 2024	Mar. 2025	Apr. 2025 ^p
Total	8,170	6,986	7,964	4.9	4.2	4.8
INDUSTRY	,,,,,	,,,,,,	,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,			
Total private	7,326	6,136	7,131	5.2	4.4	5.0
Mining and logging	22	14	24	3.4	2.2	3.7
Construction	349	258	272	4.1	3.1	3.2
Manufacturing	483	402	369	3.6	3.1	2.8
Durable goods	320	263	235	3.9	3.2	2.9
Nondurable goods	163	139	134	3.3	2.8	2.7
Trade, transportation, and utilities	1,003	918	1,111	3.4	3.1	3.7
Wholesale trade	188	222	221	3.0	3.5	3.5
Retail trade	487	430	584	3.1	2.7	3.6
Transportation, warehousing, and utilities	328	266	307	4.4	3.5	4.0
Information	102	160	206	3.4	5.2	6.6
Financial activities.	490	402	466	5.1	4.2	4.8
Finance and insurance.	341	291	320	4.9	4.2	4.5
Real estate and rental and leasing	149	111	147	5.8	4.3	5.6
Professional and business services	1,352	1,195	1,500	5.6	5.1	6.2
Private education and health services	1,941	1,438	1,800	6.8	5.0	6.2
Private educational services	236	137	163	5.4	3.2	3.8
Health care and social assistance	1,705	1,302	1,637	7.1	5.3	6.6
Leisure and hospitality	1,260	1,008	1,086	7.0	5.7	6.1
Arts, entertainment, and recreation	185	188	232	6.8	6.9	8.1
Accommodation and food services	1,075	821	854	7.1	5.5	5.7
Other services	324	340	297	5.2	5.4	4.7
Government	845	850	833	3.5	3.4	3.4
Federal	143	123	139	4.6	3.9	4.4
State and local	702	728	695	3.3	3.4	3.2
State and local education	236	274	225	2.1	2.4	2.0
State and local, excluding education	465	454	470	4.7	4.5	4.6
REGION ³						
Northeast	1,365	1,270	1,448	4.7	4.3	4.9
South	3,416	2,619	3,120	5.4	4.2	4.9
Midwest	1,759	1,674	1,778	5.0	4.8	5.0
West	1,631	1,423	1,618	4.2	3.7	4.2

¹ The job openings level is the number of job openings on the last business day of the month.

² The job openings rate is the number of job openings on the last business day of the month as a percent of employment plus job openings.

³ The states (including the District of Columbia) that comprise the regions are: Northeast: Connecticut, Maine, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, New Jersey, New York, Pennsylvania, Rhode Island, and Vermont; South: Alabama, Arkansas, Delaware, District of Columbia, Florida, Georgia, Kentucky, Louisiana, Maryland, Mississippi, North Carolina, Oklahoma, South Carolina, Tennessee, Texas, Virginia, and West Virginia; Midwest: Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Kansas, Michigan, Minnesota, Missouri, Nebraska, North Dakota, Ohio, South Dakota, and Wisconsin; West: Alaska, Arizona, California, Colorado, Hawaii, Idaho, Montana, Nevada, New Mexico, Oregon, Utah, Washington, and Wyoming.

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Table 9. Hires levels and rates by industry and region, not seasonally adjusted¹

	Lev	els (in thousa	nds)		Rates ²	
Industry and region	Apr. 2024	Mar. 2025	Apr. 2025 ^p	Apr. 2024	Mar. 2025	Apr. 2025 ^p
Fotal	5,857	4,902	5,914	3.7	3.1	3.7
INDUSTRY		,				
Total private	5,587	4,649	5,641	4.2	3.5	4.2
Mining and logging	15	20	23	2.5	3.2	3.8
Construction	397	324	413	4.9	4.0	5.0
Manufacturing	386	289	339	3.0	2.3	2.7
Durable goods	230	176	210	2.9	2.2	2.7
Nondurable goods	156	114	128	3.2	2.4	2.7
Trade, transportation, and utilities	1,054	920	948	3.7	3.2	3.3
Wholesale trade	178	137	149	2.9	2.2	2.4
Retail trade	655	595	568	4.3	3.9	3.7
Transportation, warehousing, and utilities	221	189	230	3.1	2.6	3.2
Information	71	75	81	2.4	2.6	2.8
Financial activities	226	204	251	2.5	2.2	2.7
Finance and insurance	146	141	160	2.2	2.1	2.4
Real estate and rental and leasing	81	62	91	3.3	2.5	3.7
Professional and business services	1,130	1,036	1,268	5.0	4.6	5.6
Private education and health services	954	700	886	3.6	2.6	3.2
Private educational services	73	56	64	1.8	1.4	1.5
Health care and social assistance	882	643	821	4.0	2.8	3.5
Leisure and hospitality	1,139	889	1,208	6.8	5.4	7.2
Arts, entertainment, and recreation	220	178	259	8.6	7.0	9.9
Accommodation and food services	919	712	949	6.5	5.1	6.7
Other services	214	192	224	3.6	3.2	3.7
Government	270	252	273	1.1	1.1	1.1
Federal	35	25	30	1.2	0.8	1.0
State and local	234	228	243	1.1	1.1	1.2
State and local education	88	88	86	0.8	0.8	0.8
State and local, excluding education	147	140	158	1.5	1.5	1.6
REGION ³						
Northeast	853	829	862	3.1	2.9	3.0
South	2,420	1,887	2,329	4.1	3.2	3.9
Midwest	1,251	1,125	1,319	3.8	3.4	3.9
West	1,333	1,060	1,404	3.6	2.9	3.8

¹ The hires level is the number of hires during the entire month.

² The hires rate is the number of hires during the entire month as a percent of employment.

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Table 10. Total separations levels and rates by industry and region, not seasonally adjusted¹

	Lev	els (in thousa	nds)		Rates ²	
Industry and region	Apr. 2024	Mar. 2025	Apr. 2025 ^p	Apr. 2024	Mar. 2025	Apr. 2025 ^p
Total	5,295	4,578	5,217	3.4	2.9	3.3
INDUSTRY	-,	,				
Total private	5,022	4,329	4,966	3.8	3.2	3.7
Mining and logging	20	21	20	3.2	3.4	3.2
Construction	313	274	315	3.9	3.4	3.8
Manufacturing	418	309	367	3.3	2.4	2.9
Durable goods	257	192	230	3.2	2.4	2.9
Nondurable goods	160	117	137	3.3	2.4	2.8
Trade, transportation, and utilities	1,061	919	921	3.7	3.2	3.2
Wholesale trade	175	143	141	2.9	2.3	2.3
Retail trade	654	552	559	4.2	3.6	3.6
Transportation, warehousing, and utilities	232	225	220	3.3	3.1	3.0
Information	75	71	75	2.6	2.4	2.6
Financial activities	219	210	238	2.4	2.3	2.6
Finance and insurance	142	148	167	2.1	2.2	2.5
Real estate and rental and leasing	77	62	71	3.2	2.5	2.9
Professional and business services	973	927	1,058	4.3	4.1	4.7
Private education and health services	844	658	815	3.2	2.4	3.0
Private educational services	68	57	63	1.7	1.4	1.5
Health care and social assistance	776	601	752	3.5	2.6	3.2
Leisure and hospitality	911	740	944	5.5	4.5	5.6
Arts, entertainment, and recreation	120	120	133	4.7	4.8	5.1
Accommodation and food services	791	620	811	5.6	4.4	5.7
Other services	189	201	214	3.2	3.4	3.6
Government	273	249	251	1.2	1.0	1.0
Federal	35	29	40	1.2	1.0	1.3
State and local	238	220	211	1.2	1.1	1.0
State and local education	104	91	92	0.9	0.8	0.8
State and local, excluding education	134	129	119	1.4	1.3	1.2
REGION ³						
Northeast	813	645	824	2.9	2.3	2.9
South	2,088	1,880	2,037	3.5	3.2	3.4
Midwest	1,126	995	1,073	3.4	3.0	3.2
West	1,269	1,058	1,283	3.4	2.9	3.4

¹ The total separations level is the number of total separations during the entire month.

² The total separations rate is the number of total separations during the entire month as a percent of employment.

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Table 11. Quits levels and rates by industry and region, not seasonally adjusted¹

Industry and region	Levels (in thousands)			Rates ²			
	Apr. 2024	Mar. 2025	Apr. 2025 ^p	Apr. 2024	Mar. 2025	Apr. 2025 ^p	
-otal	3,496	3,064	3,265	2.2	1.9	2.0	
INDUSTRY	2,100	,,,,,,,	,				
Total private	3,325	2,916	3,123	2.5	2.2	2.3	
Mining and logging	14	14	14	2.2	2.2	2.3	
Construction	186	152	146	2.3	1.9	1.8	
Manufacturing	243	185	208	1.9	1.5	1.6	
Durable goods	151	114	135	1.9	1.4	1.7	
Nondurable goods	92	71	73	1.9	1.5	1.5	
Trade, transportation, and utilities	756	642	622	2.6	2.2	2.2	
Wholesale trade	119	98	98	1.9	1.6	1.6	
Retail trade	484	416	403	3.1	2.7	2.6	
Transportation, warehousing, and utilities	153	128	121	2.1	1.8	1.7	
Information	41	29	36	1.4	1.0	1.2	
Financial activities.	120	130	142	1.3	1.4	1.5	
Finance and insurance.	78	92	99	1.2	1.4	1.5	
Real estate and rental and leasing	42	38	43	1.7	1.5	1.7	
Professional and business services	544	535	548	2.4	2.4	2.4	
Private education and health services	605	502	566	2.3	1.8	2.1	
Private educational services	45	39	39	1.1	0.9	0.9	
Health care and social assistance	560	463	527	2.5	2.0	2.3	
Leisure and hospitality	674	577	700	4.0	3.5	4.2	
Arts, entertainment, and recreation	66	48	50	2.6	1.9	1.9	
Accommodation and food services	608	529	649	4.3	3.8	4.6	
Other services	143	149	140	2.4	2.5	2.3	
Government	172	149	142	0.7	0.6	0.6	
Federal	17	13	14	0.6	0.4	0.5	
State and local	154	136	128	0.7	0.7	0.6	
State and local education	70	61	57	0.6	0.5	0.5	
State and local, excluding education	84	75	70	0.9	0.8	0.7	
REGION ³							
Northeast	509	429	474	1.8	1.5	1.7	
South	1,496	1,271	1,264	2.5	2.1	2.1	
Midwest	743	675	716	2.2	2.0	2.1	
West.	749	689	811	2.0	1.9	2.2	

¹ The quits level is the number of quits during the entire month.

² The quits rate is the number of quits during the entire month as a percent of employment.

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Table 12. Layoffs and discharges levels and rates by industry and region, not seasonally adjusted¹

	Levels (in thousands)			Rates ²			
Industry and region	Apr. 2024	Mar. 2025	Apr. 2025 ^p	Apr. 2024	Mar. 2025	Apr. 2025 ^p	
FotalINDUSTRY	1,419	1,294	1,653	0.9	0.8	1.0	
Total private	1,366	1,235	1,605	1.0	0.9	1.2	
Mining and logging	4	7	5	0.7	1.1	0.8	
Construction	117	116	155	1.4	1.4	1.9	
Manufacturing	143	103	137	1.1	0.8	1.1	
Durable goods	87	64	82	1.1	0.8	1.0	
Nondurable goods	56	39	54	1.2	0.8	1.1	
Trade, transportation, and utilities	243	236	250	0.8	0.8	0.9	
Wholesale trade	47	39	37	0.8	0.6	0.6	
Retail trade	132	119	125	0.9	0.8	0.8	
Transportation, warehousing, and utilities	64	78	88	0.9	1.1	1.2	
Information	29	34	28	1.0	1.2	1.0	
Financial activities	71	65	73	0.8	0.7	0.8	
Finance and insurance.	45	44	52	0.7	0.7	0.8	
Real estate and rental and leasing	27	21	22	1.1	0.9	0.9	
Professional and business services	320	359	464	1.4	1.6	2.1	
Private education and health services	195	113	208	0.7	0.4	0.8	
Private educational services	21	15	17	0.5	0.4	0.4	
Health care and social assistance	174	98	191	0.8	0.4	0.8	
Leisure and hospitality	215	151	221	1.3	0.9	1.3	
Arts, entertainment, and recreation	51	69	79	2.0	2.7	3.0	
Accommodation and food services	163	82	142	1.2	0.6	1.0	
Other services	29	51	64	0.5	0.8	1.1	
Government	53	59	48	0.2	0.2	0.2	
Federal	6	7	3	0.2	0.2	0.1	
State and local	47	52	45	0.2	0.2	0.2	
State and local education	22	22	21	0.2	0.2	0.2	
State and local, excluding education	26	29	24	0.3	0.3	0.3	
REGION ³							
Northeast	255	167	298	0.9	0.6	1.1	
South	451	543	664	0.8	0.9	1.1	
Midwest	316	267	298	0.9	0.8	0.9	
West	397	317	394	1.1	0.9	1.1	

¹ The layoffs and discharges level is the number of layoffs and discharges during the entire month.

² The layoffs and discharges rate is the number of layoffs and discharges during the entire month as a percent of employment.

³ The states (including the District of Columbia) that comprise the regions are: Northeast: Connecticut, Maine, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, New Jersey, New York, Pennsylvania, Rhode Island, and Vermont; South: Alabama, Arkansas, Delaware, District of Columbia, Florida, Georgia, Kentucky, Louisiana, Maryland, Mississippi, North Carolina, Oklahoma, South Carolina, Tennessee, Texas, Virginia, and West Virginia; Midwest: Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Kansas, Michigan, Minnesota, Missouri, Nebraska, North Dakota, Ohio, South Dakota, and Wisconsin; West: Alaska, Arizona, California, Colorado, Hawaii, Idaho, Montana, Nevada, New Mexico, Oregon, Utah, Washington, and Wyoming.

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Table 13. Other separations levels and rates by industry and region, not seasonally adjusted¹

Industry and region	Levels (in thousands)			Rates ²			
	Apr. 2024	Mar. 2025	Apr. 2025 ^p	Apr. 2024	Mar. 2025	Apr. 2025 ^p	
TotalINDUSTRY	380	220	299	0.2	0.1	0.2	
Total private	332	179	238	0.2	0.1	0.2	
Mining and logging		1	0	0.2	0.1	0.1	
Construction		6	13	0.1	0.1	0.2	
Manufacturing.		20	22	0.2	0.2	0.2	
Durable goods	_	14	12	0.2	0.2	0.2	
Nondurable goods	_	6	10	0.3	0.1	0.2	
Trade, transportation, and utilities	_	41	49	0.2	0.1	0.2	
Wholesale trade.	9	6	6	0.2	0.1	0.1	
Retail trade	37	17	31	0.2	0.1	0.2	
Transportation, warehousing, and utilities	1	18	12	0.2	0.2	0.2	
Information	1	7	11	0.2	0.2	0.4	
Financial activities		15	22	0.3	0.2	0.2	
Finance and insurance		12	15	0.3	0.2	0.2	
Real estate and rental and leasing	8	3	7	0.3	0.1	0.3	
Professional and business services	110	32	46	0.5	0.1	0.2	
Private education and health services	45	44	41	0.2	0.2	0.1	
Private educational services	2	3	7	0.1	0.1	0.2	
Health care and social assistance	42	41	34	0.2	0.2	0.1	
Leisure and hospitality	23	12	23	0.1	0.1	0.1	
Arts, entertainment, and recreation		3	3	0.1	0.1	0.1	
Accommodation and food services	20	8	20	0.1	0.1	0.1	
Other services	17	1	10	0.3	0.0	0.2	
Government	48	42	62	0.2	0.2	0.3	
Federal	12	9	23	0.4	0.3	0.8	
State and local	36	32	39	0.2	0.2	0.2	
State and local education	12	8	14	0.1	0.1	0.1	
State and local, excluding education	25	25	24	0.3	0.3	0.2	
REGION ³							
Northeast	49	50	51	0.2	0.2	0.2	
South	140	66	109	0.2	0.1	0.2	
Midwest	67	53	60	0.2	0.2	0.2	
West	123	52	79	0.3	0.1	0.2	

¹ The other separations level is the number of other separations during the entire month.

NOTE: Levels are rounded to the nearest thousand and rates are rounded to the nearest tenth. Levels and rates may round down to zero.

NOTE: Data are revised with the release of January data to incorporate the annual updates to the Current Employment Statistics employment estimates.

² The other separations rate is the number of other separations during the entire month as a percent of employment.

³ The states (including the District of Columbia) that comprise the regions are: Northeast: Connecticut, Maine, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, New Jersey, New York, Pennsylvania, Rhode Island, and Vermont; South: Alabama, Arkansas, Delaware, District of Columbia, Florida, Georgia, Kentucky, Louisiana, Maryland, Mississippi, North Carolina, Oklahoma, South Carolina, Tennessee, Texas, Virginia, and West Virginia; Midwest: Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Kansas, Michigan, Minnesota, Missouri, Nebraska, North Dakota, Ohio, South Dakota, and Wisconsin; West: Alaska, Arizona, California, Colorado, Hawaii, Idaho, Montana, Nevada, New Mexico, Oregon, Utah, Washington, and Wyoming.

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Table 14. Job openings, hires, and separations levels and rates by establishment size class, not seasonally adjusted

JOB OPENINGS otal private	Apr. 2024	Mar.	Apr.	Apr.	Mar.	Apr.
		2025	2025 ^p	2024	2025	2025 ^p
otal private						
	7,326	6,136	7,131	5.2	4.4	5.0
1 to 9 employees	1,363	941	1,478	6.3	4.4	5.9
10 to 49 employees	2,377	1,942	2,162	5.2	4.5	4.9
50 to 249 employees	2,030	1,683	2,113	4.9	4.1	4.9
250 to 999 employees	869	821	778	4.6	4.1	4.4
1,000 to 4,999 employees	449	521	425	5.5	5.5	5.3
5,000 or more employees	238	229	174	4.8	4.4	4.0
HIRES						
otal private	5,587	4,649	5,641	4.2	3.5	4.2
1 to 9 employees	916	696	1,026	4.5	3.4	4.4
10 to 49 employees	2,043	1,651	1,985	4.7	4.0	4.7
50 to 249 employees	1,637	1,363	1,810	4.1	3.4	4.4
250 to 999 employees	645	611	558	3.6	3.1	3.3
1,000 to 4,999 employees	265	250	210	3.4	2.8	2.7
5,000 or more employees	81	79	53	1.7	1.6	1.3
TOTAL SEPARATIONS						
otal private	5,022	4,329	4,966	3.8	3.2	3.7
1 to 9 employees	718	604	873	3.5	3.0	3.7
10 to 49 employees	1,815	1,492	1,678	4.2	3.6	4.0
50 to 249 employees.	1,554	1,250	1,558	3.9	3.1	3.8
250 to 999 employees	631	647	585	3.5	3.3	3.5
1,000 to 4,999 employees	230	261	220	3.0	2.9	2.9
5,000 or more employees.	75	75	52	1.6	1.5	1.3
QUITS						
Total private	3,325	2,916	3,123	2.5	2.2	2.3
1 to 9 employees	370	405	483	1.8	2.0	2.1
10 to 49 employees	1,335	1,053	1,098	3.1	2.6	2.6
50 to 249 employees	1,045	888	1,044	2.6	2.2	2.5
250 to 999 employees	387	369	333	2.1	1.9	2.0
1,000 to 4,999 employees	140	156	136	1.8	1.8	1.8
5,000 or more employees	48	45	30	1.0	0.9	0.7
LAYOFFS AND DISCHARGES						
Total private	1,366	1,235	1,605	1.0	0.9	1.2
1 to 9 employees	228	186	333	1.1	0.9	1.4
10 to 49 employees	379	381	502	0.9	0.9	1.2
50 to 249 employees	445	314	454	1.1	0.8	1.1
250 to 999 employees	218	249	231	1.2	1.3	1.4
1,000 to 4,999 employees	77	84	71	1.0	0.9	0.9
5,000 or more employees	18	21	14	0.4	0.4	0.3
OTHER SEPARATIONS						
Total private	332	179	238	0.2	0.1	0.2
1 to 9 employees	120	13	57	0.6	0.1	0.2
10 to 49 employees	101	58	78	0.2	0.1	0.2
50 to 249 employees	64	49	60	0.2	0.1	0.1
250 to 999 employees	26	29	20	0.1	0.2	0.1
1,000 to 4,999 employees	12	22	14	0.2	0.2	0.2
5,000 or more employees.	8	8	8	0.2	0.2	0.2

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NOTE: Establishment size class data are produced for the total private sector only.

NOTE: The job openings level is the number of job openings on the last business day of the month. The levels for hires, total separations, quits, layoffs and discharges, and other separations are the number of each during the entire month. The job openings rate is the number of job openings on the last business day of the month as a percent of employment plus job openings. The rates for hires, total separations, quits, layoffs and discharges, and other separations are the number of each during the entire month as percent of employment.