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 Information for the State of
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Arkansas Labor Market

Information

State Capital: Little Rock



Unemployment Rate (July 2010)	7.4%
Civilian Labor Force (July 2010)	1,345,200
Civilian Employment (July 2010)	1,246,100
Average Covered Employment (2009 4th Qtr)	
Average Weekly Earnings (2009 4th Qtr)	
Nonfarm Payroll Jobs (July 2010)	1,158,200
Occupational Employment & Wages (OES)	
Employment Projections (2006-2016 % Growth)	15.1%
Income (Per Capita Personal Income/2009)	\$31,946
Population (2009)	2,889,450
U.S. Consumer Price Index (CPI-U/June 2010)	217.965
Poverty Guidelines (2009)	
Poverty Rates (2008)	

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What's New

Arkansas' Unemployment Rate Declines to 7.4 Percent in July.

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 Press Release ([Word Format](#)) ([pdf](#)) ([2010 Dates](#))

[Unemployment Rates for Minority and Youth](#)

[The Geography of a Recession](#) - A Graphical representation of changing unemployment rates by county from January 2007.
 7/15/2010

[2009 Arkansas Labor Market and Economic Report](#) ([non-pdf format](#))
 9/30/2009

[Health Care Occupations \(Draft\)](#) identified for Arkansas

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[Federal Minimum Wage](#) now \$7.25 per hour

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