

Kentucky Employment: 2012

	2012	2011	2002	From 2011 to 2012		From 2002 to 2012	
				Change	Rate	Change	Rate
Civilian Labor Force	2,074,806	2,071,683	1,950,470	3,123	0.2%	124,336	6.4%
Employment	1,903,880	1,875,447	1,838,495	28,433	1.5%	65,385	3.6%
Unemployment	170,926	196,236	111,975	-25,310	-12.9%	58,951	52.6%
Unemployment Rate	8.2%	9.5%	5.7%	-1.3%	-	2.5%	-
U.S. Unemployment Rate	8.1%	8.9%	5.8%	-0.8%	-	2.3%	-
Total Nonfarm Employment	1,824,400	1,795,600	1,788,800	28,800	1.6%	35,600	2.0%
Private Sector Employment	1,487,300	1,461,100	1,474,100	26,200	1.8%	13,200	0.9%
Goods Producing Industries	311,200	303,200	378,700	8,000	2.6%	-67,500	-17.8%
Mining and Logging	20,700	22,900	20,400	-2,200	-9.6%	300	1.5%
Coal Mining	14,700	16,600	15,100	-1,900	-11.4%	-400	-2.6%
Construction	67,300	67,600	83,300	-300	-0.4%	-16,000	-19.2%
Construction of Buildings	13,600	13,500	18,000	100	0.7%	-4,400	-24.4%
Heavy and Civil Engineering	12,300	12,200	13,700	100	0.8%	-1,400	-10.2%
Specialty Trade Contractors	41,400	42,000	51,600	-600	-1.4%	-10,200	-19.8%
Manufacturing	223,300	212,700	275,100	10,600	5.0%	-51,800	-18.8%
Durable Goods	139,000	128,600	173,000	10,400	8.1%	-34,000	-19.7%
Wood Product Manufacturing	9,300	9,300	12,600	0	0.0%	-3,300	-26.2%
Machinery and Electrical Equipment	27,700	25,800	34,500	1,900	7.4%	-6,800	-19.7%
Primary Metal Manufacturing	11,500	11,400	15,800	100	0.9%	-4,300	-27.2%
Fabricated Metal Product Mfg	19,300	18,300	21,600	1,000	5.5%	-2,300	-10.6%
Computer & Electronic Product Manufac	6,100	5,900	9,200	200	3.4%	-3,100	-33.7%
Transportation Equipment Mfg	49,400	42,300	57,000	7,100	16.8%	-7,600	-13.3%
Motor Vehicle Manufacturing	14,400	11,200	19,800	3,200	28.6%	-5,400	-27.3%
Motor Vehicle Parts Manufacturing	29,000	25,400	31,200	3,600	14.2%	-2,200	-7.1%
Non-Durable Goods	84,300	84,100	102,100	200	0.2%	-17,800	-17.4%
Food Manufacturing	26,400	26,200	23,500	200	0.8%	2,900	12.3%
Paper Mfg, and Printing and Related Sup	19,200	19,200	24,800	0	0.0%	-5,600	-22.6%
Petroleum and Coal Products Mfg	15,600	15,100	19,000	500	3.3%	-3,400	-17.9%
Private Service Providing Industries	1,176,100	1,157,900	1,095,400	18,200	1.6%	80,700	7.4%
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	370,600	365,500	372,300	5,100	1.4%	-1,700	-0.5%
Wholesale Trade	73,000	72,000	72,200	1,000	1.4%	800	1.1%
Retail Trade	202,700	201,200	212,400	1,500	0.7%	-9,700	-4.6%
Transportation, Warehousing, and Utilities	95,000	92,300	87,800	2,700	2.9%	7,200	8.2%
Utilities	6,600	6,500	6,700	100	1.5%	-100	-1.5%
Transportation and Warehousing	88,400	85,700	81,100	2,700	3.2%	7,300	9.0%
Truck Transportation	21,700	21,300	21,800	400	1.9%	-100	-0.5%
Warehousing and Storage	20,900	18,700	13,000	2,200	11.8%	7,900	60.8%
Information	26,300	26,800	31,400	-500	-1.9%	-5,100	-16.2%
Financial Activities	86,700	84,900	82,700	1,800	2.1%	4,000	4.8%
Professional and Business Services	191,200	186,400	157,200	4,800	2.6%	34,000	21.6%
Professional, Scientific, and Technical Serv	67,700	68,400	56,500	-700	-1.0%	11,200	19.8%
Management of Companies and Enterprises	20,200	19,700	15,700	500	2.5%	4,500	28.7%
Administrative and Support and Waste Mgmt	103,300	98,300	85,000	5,000	5.1%	18,300	21.5%
Employment Services	52,100	46,900	38,600	5,200	11.1%	13,500	35.0%
Services to Buildings and Dwellings	20,400	20,000	18,400	400	2.0%	2,000	10.9%
Education and Health Services	257,200	254,300	222,600	2,900	1.1%	34,600	15.5%
Educational Services	29,600	30,500	30,100	-900	-3.0%	-500	-1.7%
Health Care and Social Assistance	227,600	223,800	192,500	3,800	1.7%	35,100	18.2%
Ambulatory Health Care Services	79,400	77,200	65,300	2,200	2.8%	14,100	21.6%
Hospitals	73,500	72,800	65,100	700	1.0%	8,400	12.9%
Nursing and Residential Care Facilities	43,300	43,400	37,000	-100	-0.2%	6,300	17.0%
Social Assistance	31,400	30,500	25,100	900	3.0%	6,300	25.1%
Leisure and Hospitality	174,600	170,100	153,500	4,500	2.6%	21,100	13.7%
Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation	19,300	18,900	17,900	400	2.1%	1,400	7.8%
Accommodation and Food Services	155,300	151,200	135,600	4,100	2.7%	19,700	14.5%
Food Services and Drinking Places	141,600	137,600	120,200	4,000	2.9%	21,400	17.8%
Other Services	69,500	69,900	75,700	-400	-0.6%	-6,200	-8.2%
Government	337,100	334,500	314,800	2,600	0.8%	22,300	7.1%
Federal	39,700	40,900	37,900	-1,200	-2.9%	1,800	4.7%
National Security	7,100	7,600	10,500	-500	-6.6%	-3,400	-32.4%
U.S. Postal Service	7,900	8,200	99,500	-300	-3.7%	-91,600	-92.1%
State Government	108,500	104,200	177,400	4,300	4.1%	-68,900	-38.8%
State Government Educational Services	65,800	62,700	111,600	3,100	4.9%	-45,800	-41.0%
Local Government	188,800	189,400	276,900	-600	-0.3%	-88,100	-31.8%

Note: Totals may not add up due to rounding.

Sources: Office of Employment & Training, Kentucky Education & Workforce Development Cabinet.
Bureau of Labor Statistics, U.S. Department of Labor.