

18-Month Bay Area Employment Trend As Of October 31, 2020

9-County San Francisco Bay Area						
Period	Labor Force	Employment	Unempmt. Rate	Mo.-Mo. Job Growth	Cum. Job Growth	% Chg. Prior Mo.
Oct-20	4,161,600	3,876,200	6.9%	174,800	-208,300	4.72%
Sep-20	4,029,000	3,701,400	8.1%	18,100	-383,100	0.49%
Aug-20	4,029,900	3,683,300	8.6%	32,100	-401,200	0.88%
Jul-20	4,084,300	3,651,200	10.6%	59,000	-433,300	1.64%
Jun-20	4,085,400	3,592,200	12.1%	115,600	-492,300	3.33%
May-20	3,968,500	3,476,600	12.4%	4,300	-607,900	0.12%
Apr-20	3,993,700	3,472,300	13.1%	-521,900	-612,200	-13.07%
Mar-20	4,139,600	3,994,200	3.5%	-79,200	-90,300	-1.94%
Feb-20	4,187,200	4,073,400	2.7%	5,100	-11,100	0.13%
Jan-20	4,184,900	4,068,300	2.8%	-82,300	-16,200	-1.98%
Dec-19	4,248,000	4,150,600	2.3%	3,700	66,100	0.09%
Nov-19	4,247,000	4,146,900	2.4%	-6,400	62,400	-0.15%
Oct-19	4,253,100	4,153,300	2.3%	-9,400	68,800	-0.23%
Sep-19	4,256,400	4,162,700	2.2%	56,600	78,200	1.38%
Aug-19	4,222,700	4,106,100	2.8%	6,500	21,600	0.16%
Jul-19	4,224,000	4,099,600	2.9%	36,100	15,100	0.89%
Jun-19	4,178,900	4,063,500	2.8%	-21,000	-21,000	-0.51%
May-19	4,178,600	4,084,500	2.3%	N/A	N/A	N/A

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Job Growth by County			
Year to Year	Job Growth	Employed Oct-20	Employed Oct-19
Alameda	-72,200	765,400	837,600
Contra Costa	-47,400	508,900	556,300
Marin	-9,800	130,300	140,100
Napa	-4,900	68,700	73,600
San Francisco	-38,800	541,100	579,900
San Mateo	-31,100	427,600	458,700
Santa Clara	-45,100	1,001,700	1,046,800
Solano	-11,900	190,500	202,400
Sonoma	-15,900	242,000	257,900
Bay Area	-277,100	3,876,200	4,153,300
% Change	-6.7%		

Labor Force Growth by County			
Year to Year	LF Growth	Labor Force Oct-20	Labor Force Oct-19
Alameda	-29,200	830,900	860,100
Contra Costa	-19,300	552,600	571,900
Marin	-5,200	137,800	143,000
Napa	-1,900	73,500	75,400
San Francisco	-10,400	581,100	591,500
San Mateo	-12,500	454,700	467,200
Santa Clara	-6,200	1,064,600	1,070,800
Solano	-900	208,300	209,200
Sonoma	-5,900	258,100	264,000
Bay Area	-91,500	4,161,600	4,253,100
% Change	-2.2%		

Monthly Change	Chg.	Oct-20	Sep-20
Bay Area	174,800	3,876,200	3,701,400
% Change	4.72%		

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Bay Area	132,600	4,161,600	4,029,000
% Change	3.29%		

All County Subareas - Cities & Designated Places
<http://www.labormarketinfo.edd.ca.gov/data/labor-force-and-unemployment-for-cities-and-census-areas.html>
 California - US, CA LA comparison
<https://www.labormarketinfo.edd.ca.gov/geography/industry-employment-california.html>

Total current (Oct-2020) Bay Area employment of 3,876,200 is 286,500 below the recent peak figure of 4,162,700. The labor force is 94,800 below the recent peak figure of 4,256,400. Job growth (loss) over the past three months was 225,000 versus 53,700 for the same period last year. Mar-2020 represents the first month of significant job loss due to the Covid-19 virus. Recent growth reflects partial reopening of the local economy.

18-Month Trends for SF Bay Area Labor Force and Employment - Not Seasonally Adjusted

