

**New Jersey Department of Labor  
and Workforce Development  
Division of Economic & Demographic  
Research**

**Labor Market Information Update  
for May 2020**

**Prepared: July 2020**



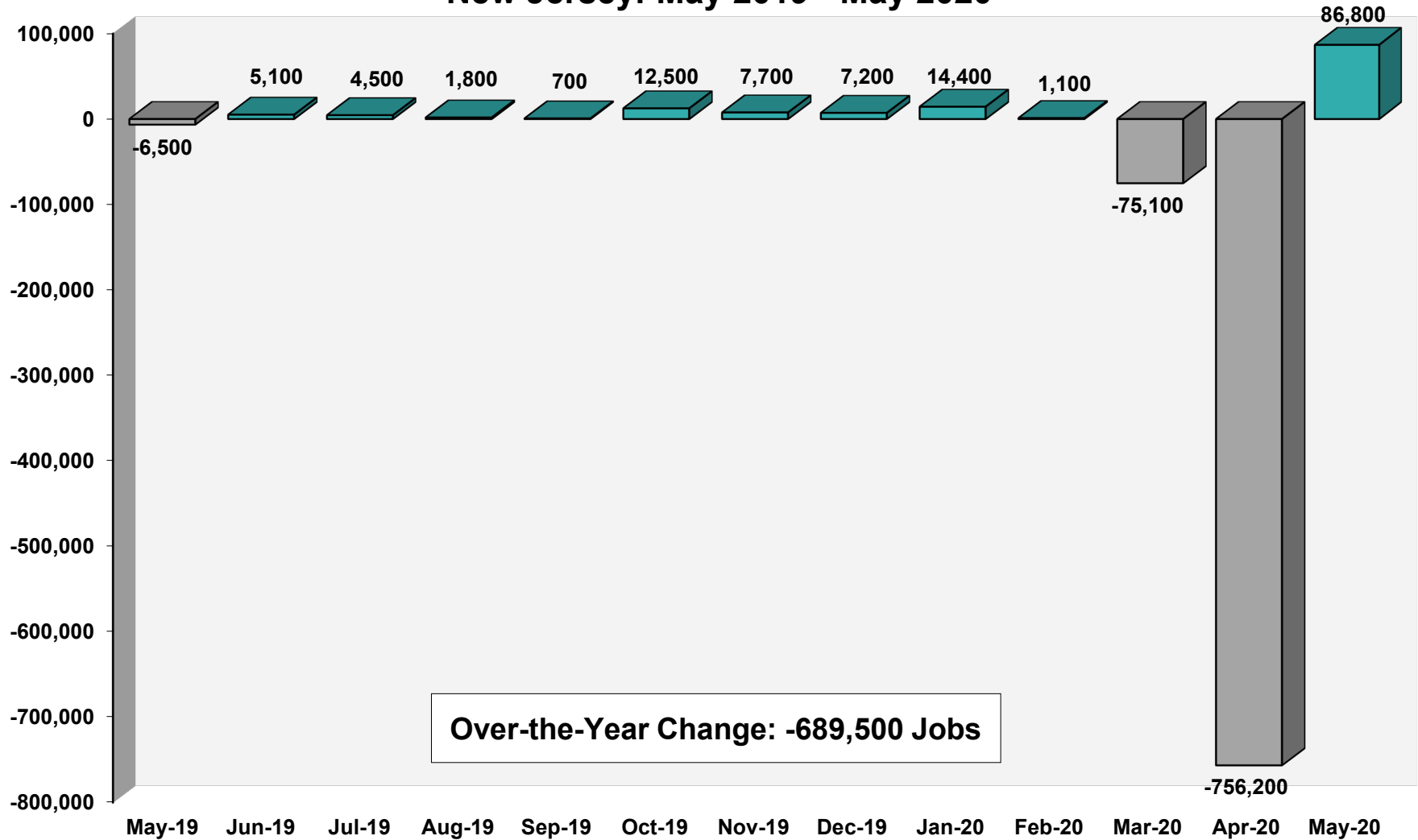
STATE OF NEW JERSEY

DEPARTMENT OF LABOR AND WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT



Office of  
Research and  
Information

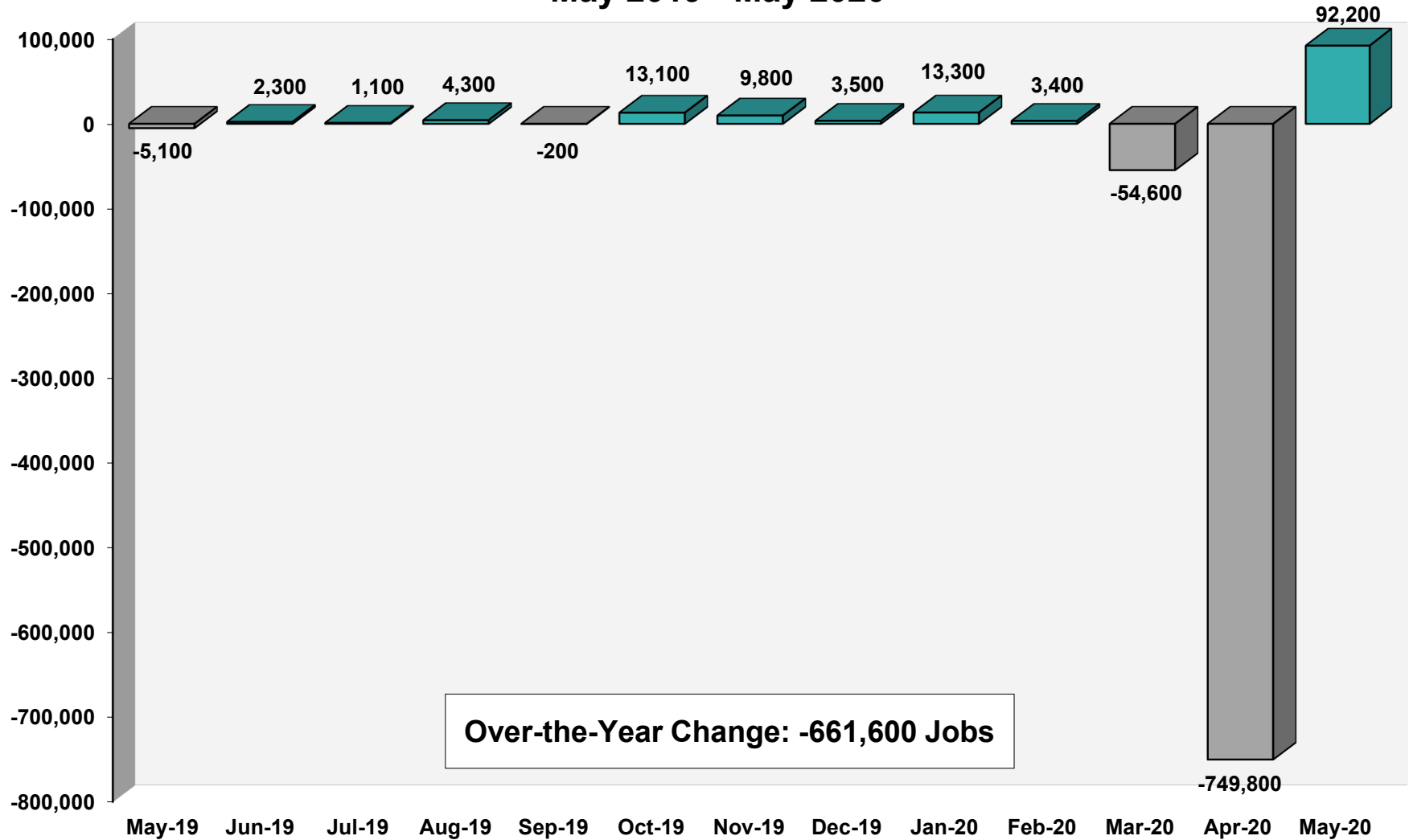
## Monthly Total Nonfarm Employment Change New Jersey: May 2019 - May 2020



STATE OF NEW JERSEY

DEPARTMENT OF LABOR AND WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT

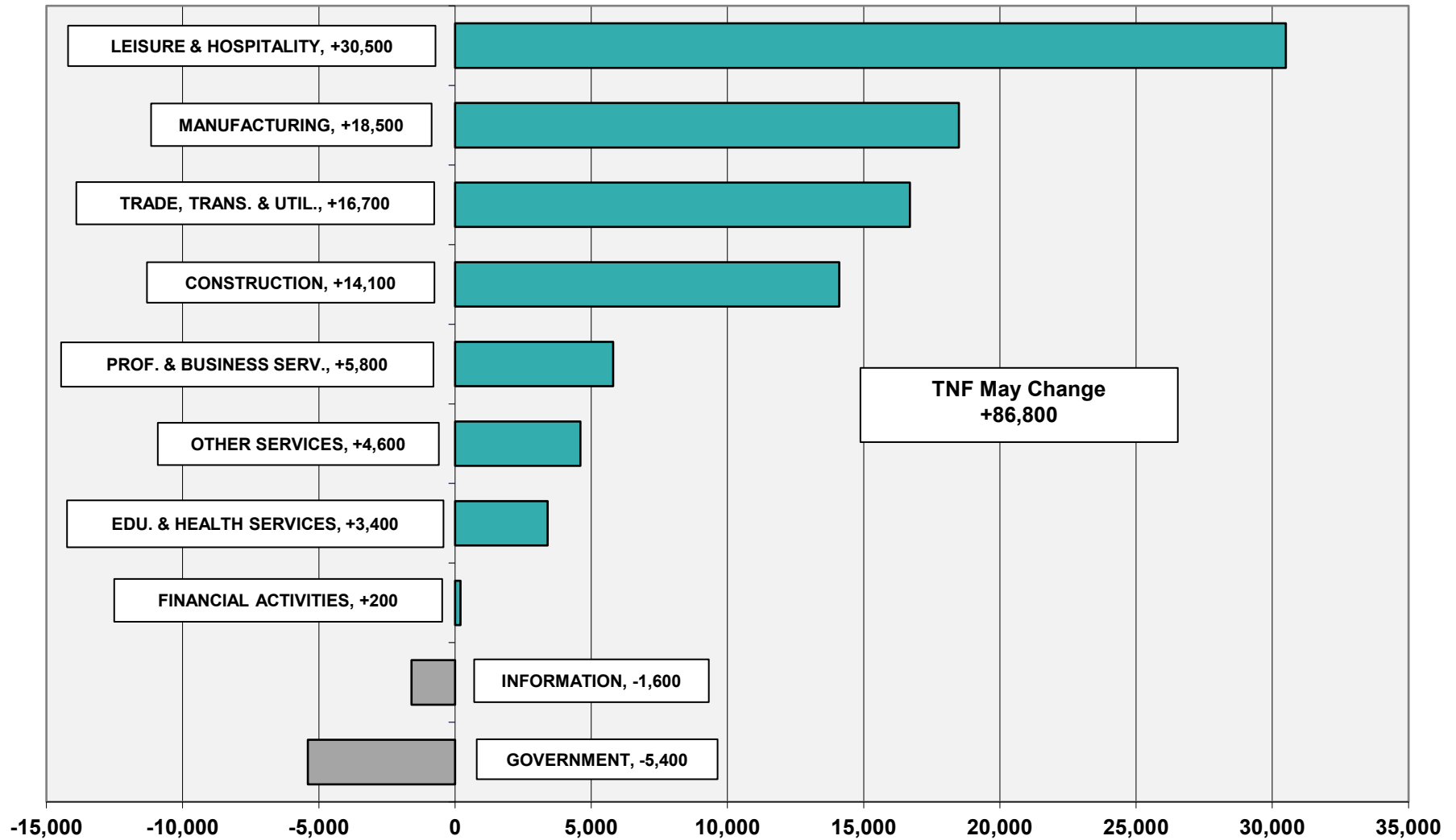
## Monthly Private Sector Employment Change May 2019 - May 2020



STATE OF NEW JERSEY

DEPARTMENT OF LABOR AND WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT

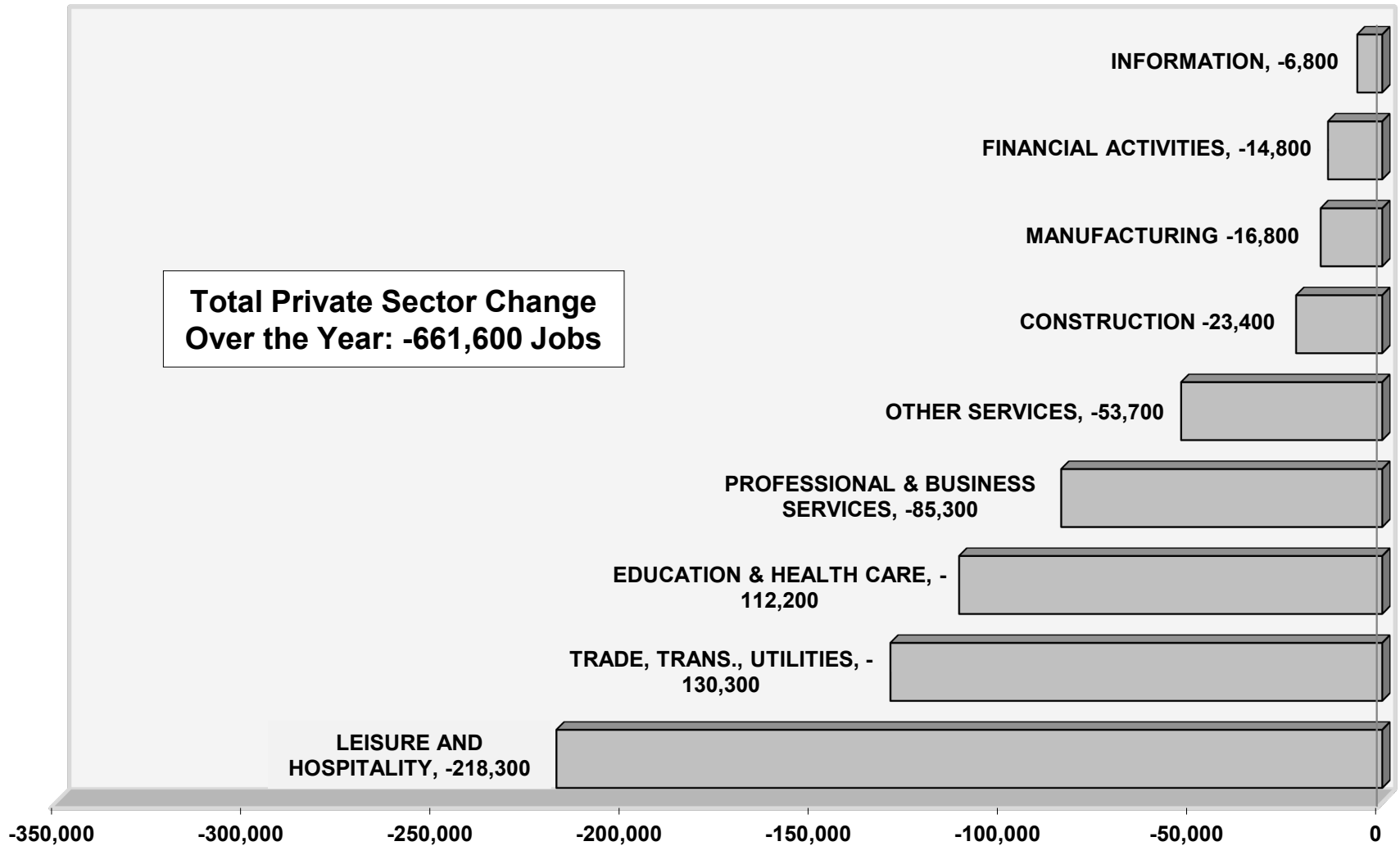
## Monthly Employment Change: May 2020



STATE OF NEW JERSEY

DEPARTMENT OF LABOR AND WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT

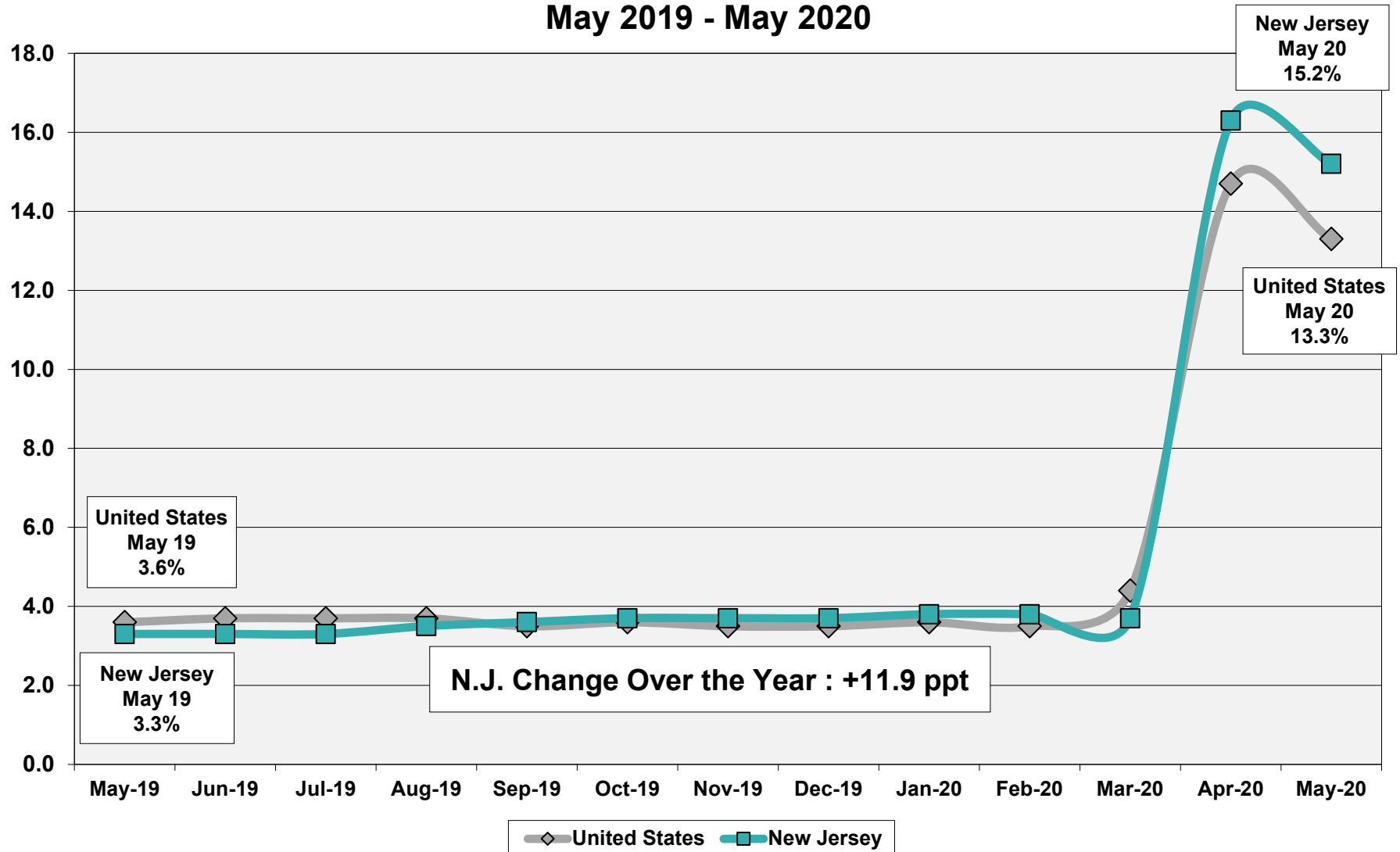
## New Jersey Private Sector Employment Change by Industry May 2019 - May 2020



STATE OF NEW JERSEY

DEPARTMENT OF LABOR AND WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT

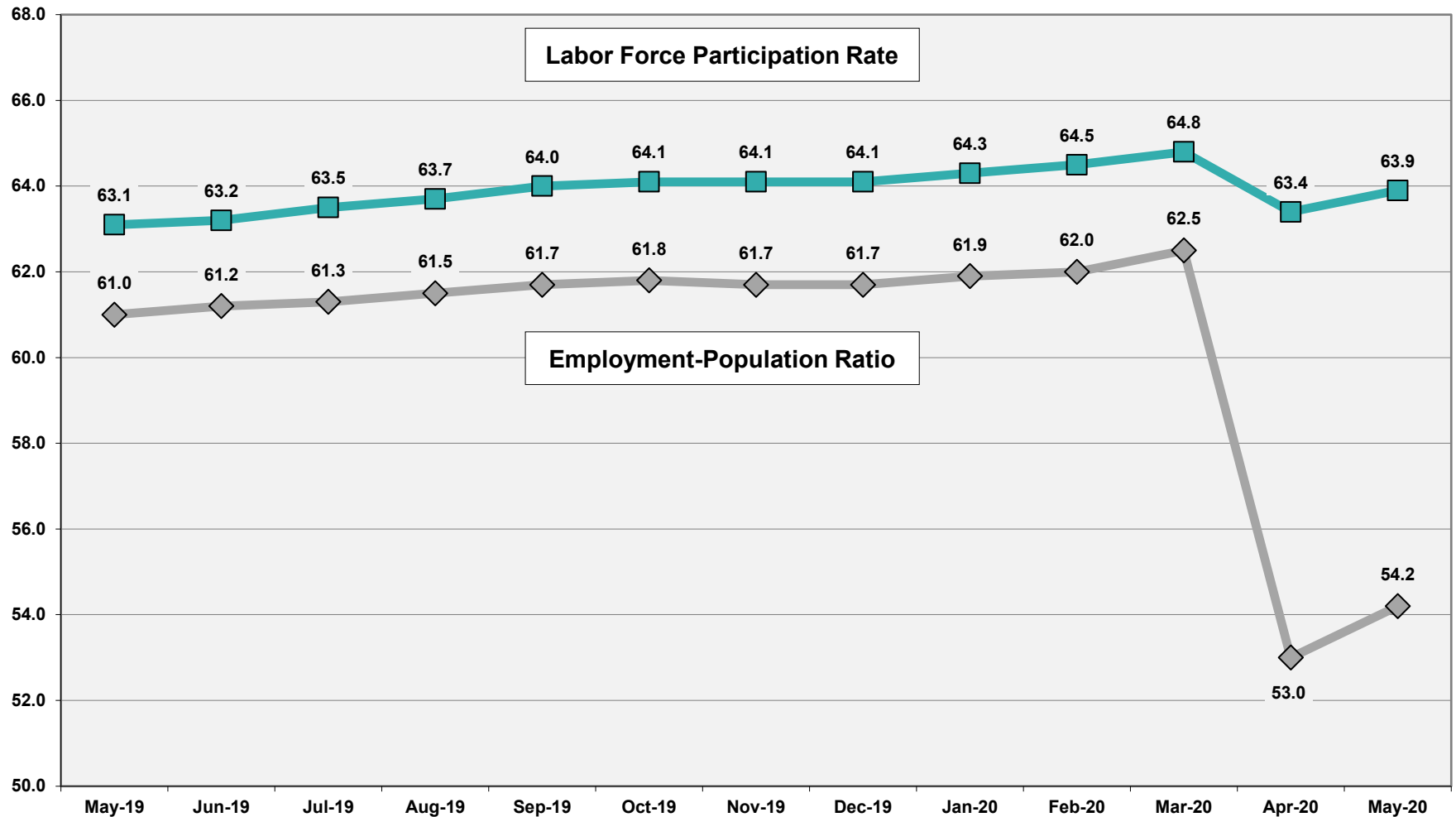
## Unemployment Rates, New Jersey vs. United States May 2019 - May 2020



STATE OF NEW JERSEY

DEPARTMENT OF LABOR AND WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT

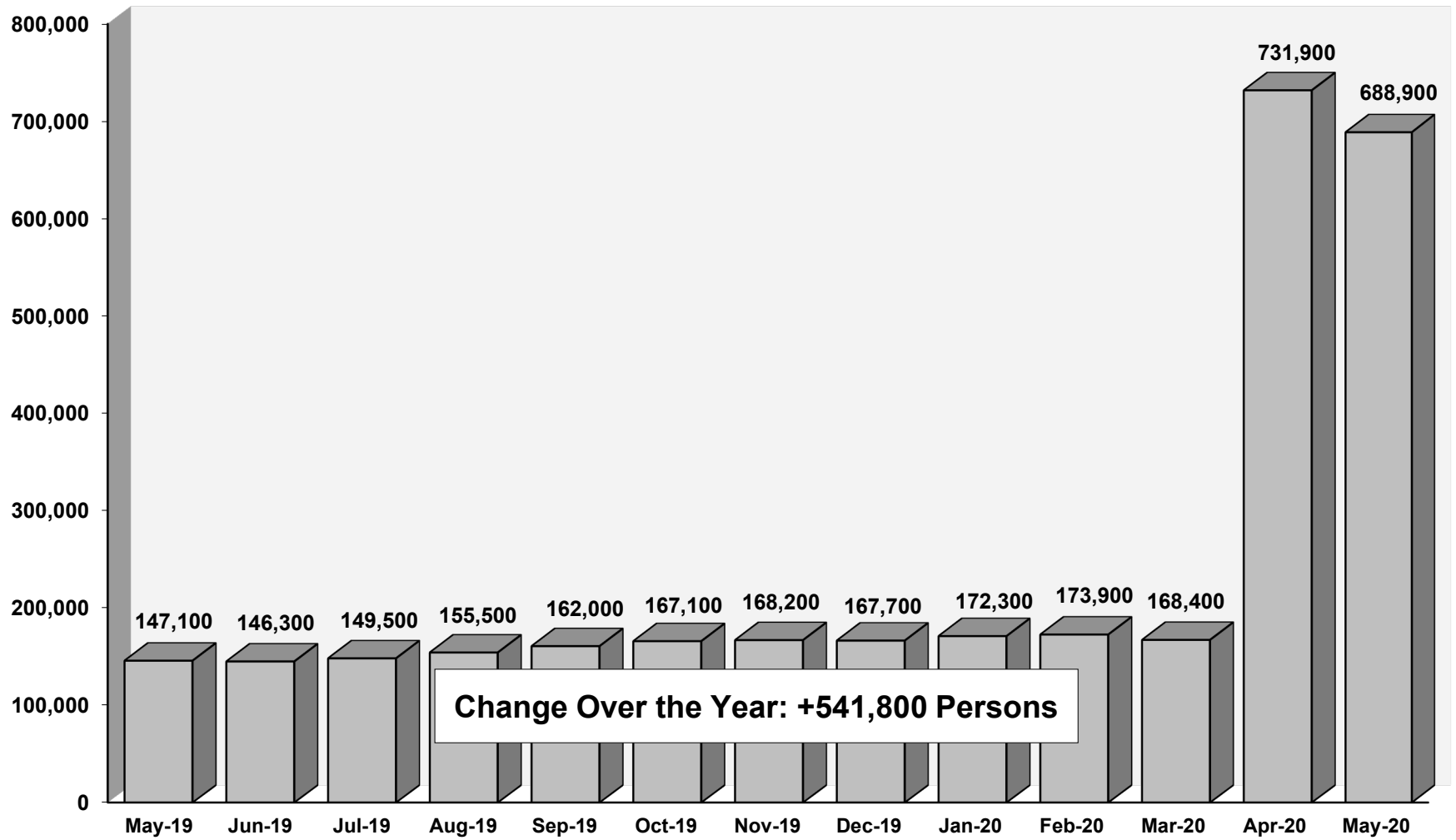
## New Jersey Labor Force Participation Rate and Employment-Population Ratio: May 2019 - May 2020



STATE OF NEW JERSEY

DEPARTMENT OF LABOR AND WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT

## Unemployed New Jersey Residents May 2019 - May 2020

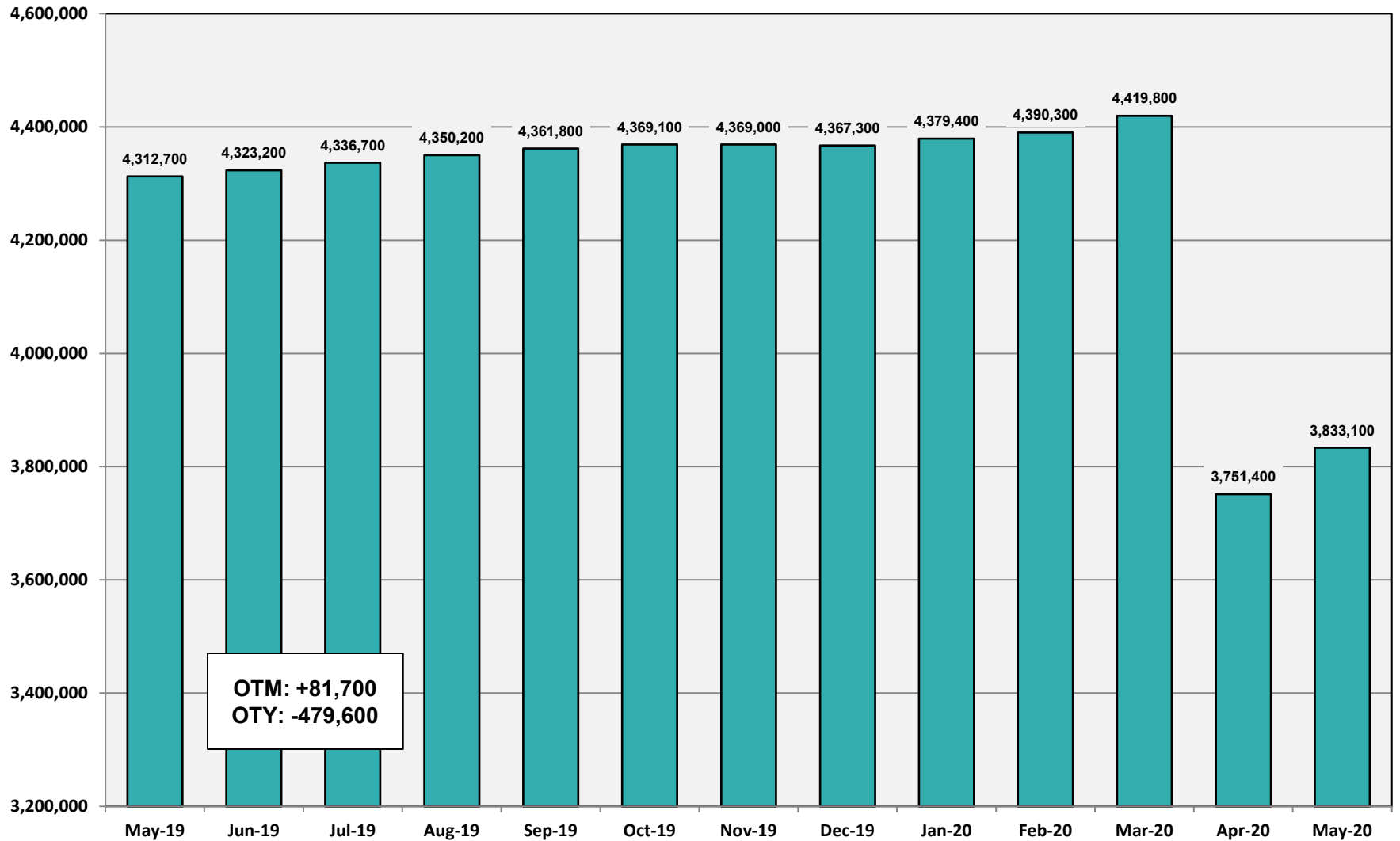


STATE OF NEW JERSEY

DEPARTMENT OF LABOR AND WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT



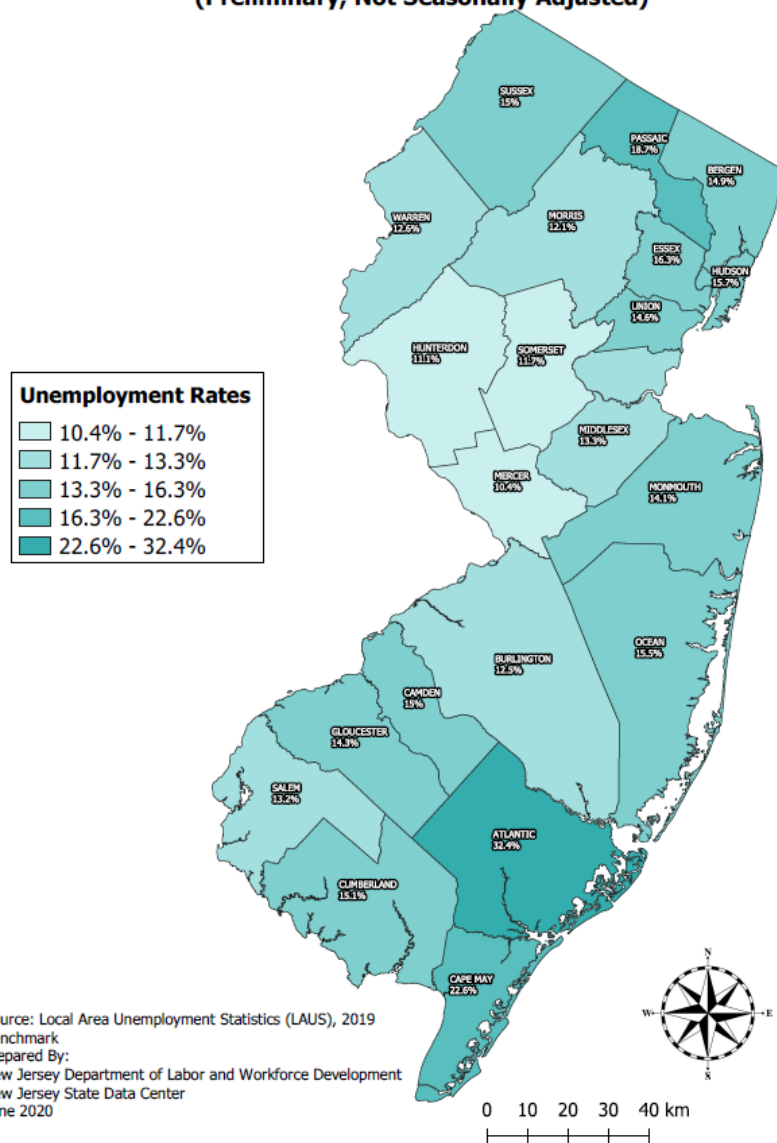
## New Jersey Employed Residents: May 2019 - May 2020



STATE OF NEW JERSEY

DEPARTMENT OF LABOR AND WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT

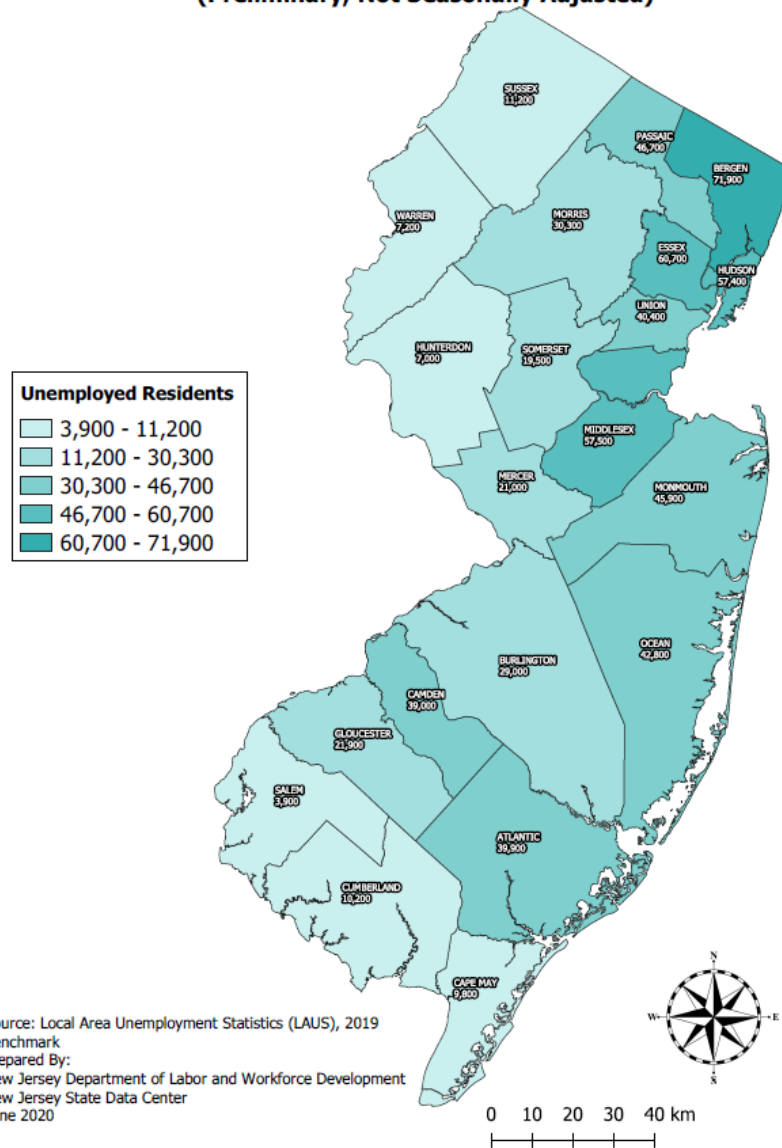
# **New Jersey Counties Unemployment Rates - May 2020 (Preliminary, Not Seasonally Adjusted)**



STATE OF NEW JERSEY

DEPARTMENT OF LABOR AND WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT

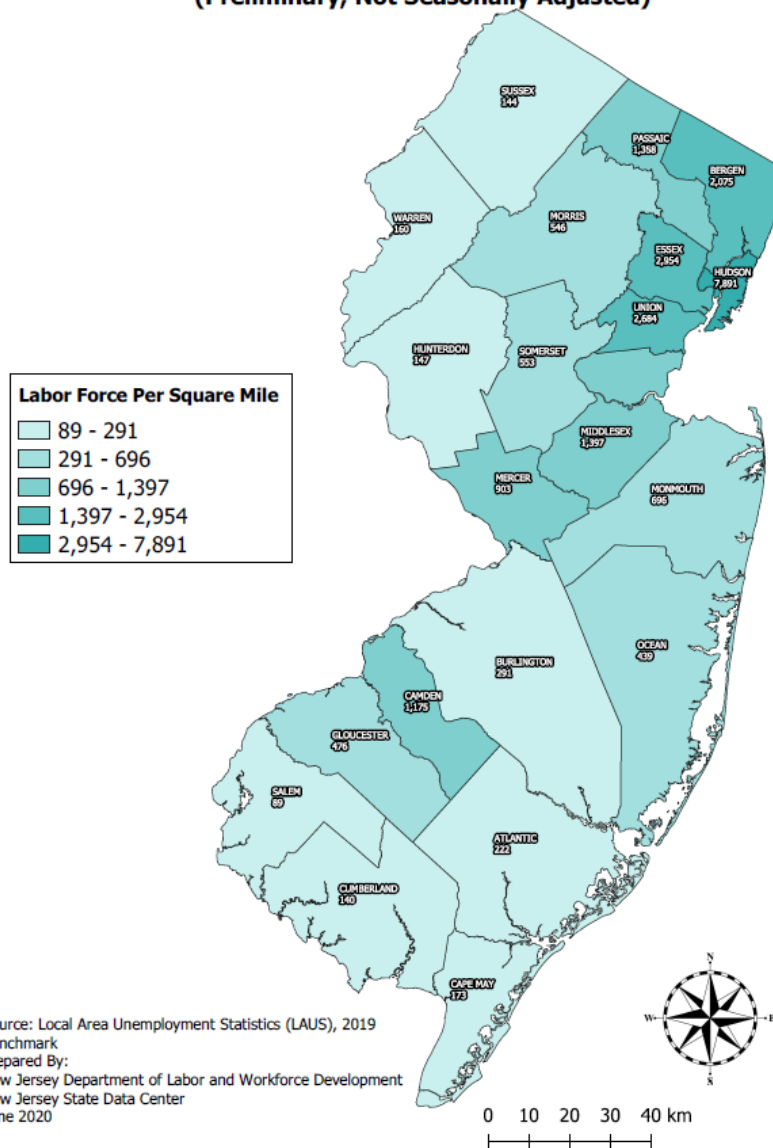
**New Jersey Counties  
Unemployed Residents - May 2020  
(Preliminary, Not Seasonally Adjusted)**



STATE OF NEW JERSEY

DEPARTMENT OF LABOR AND WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT

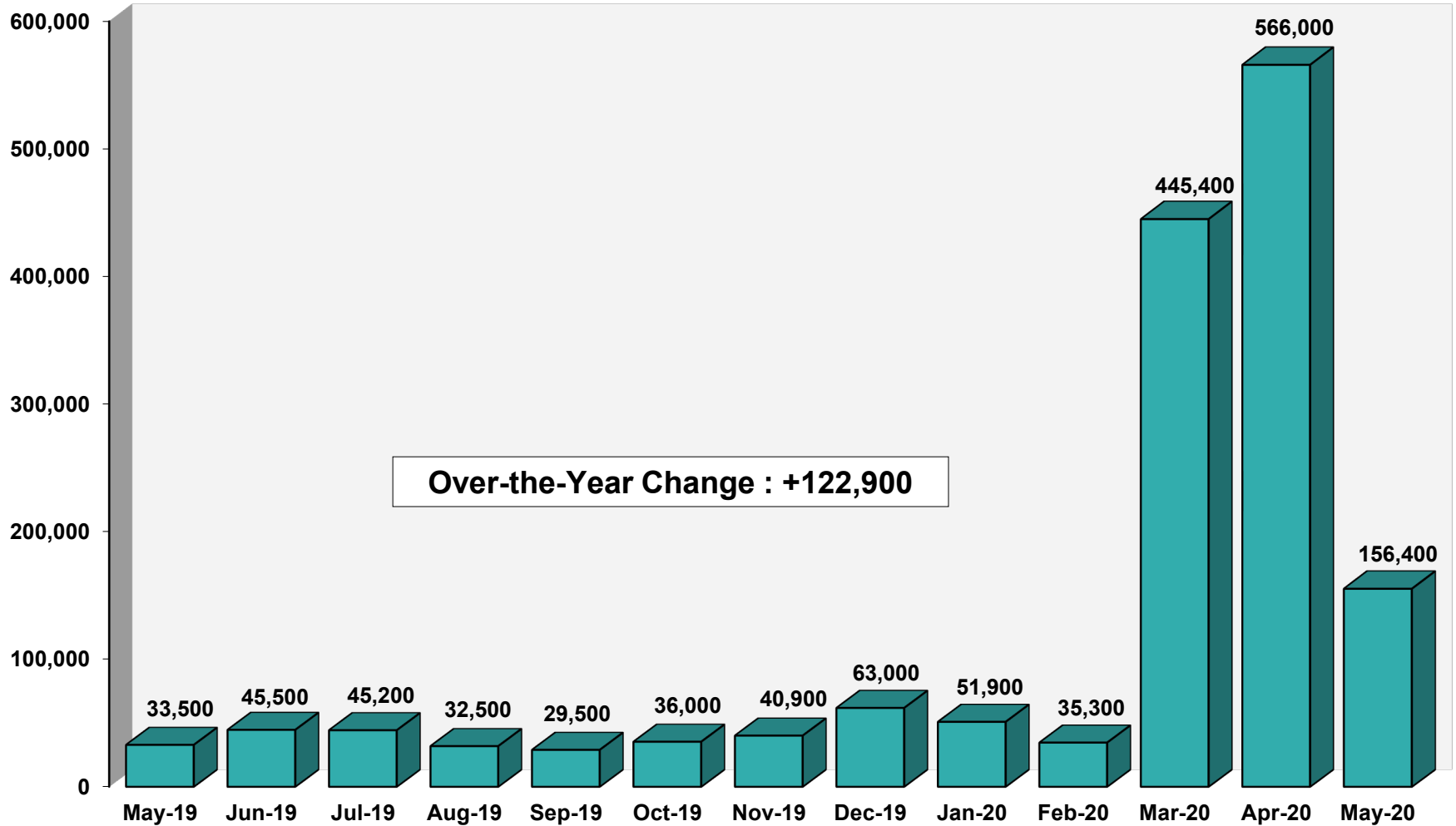
# **New Jersey Counties** **Labor Force Per Square Mile - May 2020** **(Preliminary, Not Seasonally Adjusted)**



STATE OF NEW JERSEY

DEPARTMENT OF LABOR AND WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT

## New Jersey Monthly Initial Unemployment Claims May 2019 - May 2020



STATE OF NEW JERSEY

DEPARTMENT OF LABOR AND WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT

# Real Time Jobs in Demand

## Top 50 Occupational Listings – May 2020 Data

SOC CODE (ONET-6)	OCCUPATION TITLE	DEMAND AND EMPLOYMENT			SALARY		EDUCATION LEVEL OF EMPLOYED INDIVIDUALS (ACS)		
		# of Job Postings	# Employed 2018 (BLS/OES)	Projected Statewide Change 2016-2026	Mean Advertised (Burning Glass)	Mean (BLS/OES)	% with a HS diploma or Less	% with Some Coll or AA/AS	% with a BA/BS or higher
53-7062	Laborers and Freight, Stock, and Material Movers, Hand	3,437	141,660	10.7%	\$26,752	\$30,280	66%	27%	7%
29-1141	Registered Nurses	3,295	79,530	15.9%	\$72,670	\$82,750	2%	38%	60%
15-1132	Software Developers, Applications	2,352	46,930	32.6%	\$100,876	\$107,640	3%	13%	84%
41-2031	Retail Salespersons	1,598	131,210	5.0%	\$31,284	\$29,180	37%	38%	25%
43-5081	Stock Clerks and Order Fillers	1,496	68,040	7.9%	\$28,819	\$28,900	56%	33%	11%
41-4012	Sales Representatives, Wholesale and Manufacturing, Except Technical and Scientific	1,398	42,800	7.9%	\$53,925	\$79,290	21%	31%	48%
43-4051	Customer Service Representatives	1,356	68,260	7.5%	\$33,533	\$40,330	31%	43%	26%
53-3032	Heavy and Tractor-Trailer Truck Drivers	1,011	48,760	9.5%	\$71,531	\$49,080	64%	30%	7%
11-9111	Medical and Health Services Managers	995	11,260	19.4%	\$84,308	\$116,750	10%	28%	62%
41-1011	First-Line Supervisors of Retail Sales Workers	938	30,250	6.3%	\$39,176	\$52,570	35%	39%	26%
33-9032	Security Guards	791	39,000	8.0%	\$30,733	\$32,250	42%	42%	16%
31-1014	Nursing Assistants	722	56,500	12.5%	\$30,126	\$30,380	47%	43%	9%
11-2021	Marketing Managers	707	11,380	14.0%	\$83,977	\$177,330	6%	20%	74%
53-3031	Driver/Sales Workers	692	8,680	1.9%	\$32,586	\$33,410	64%	30%	7%
13-1111	Management Analysts	666	14,340	15.8%	\$87,073	\$105,680	6%	17%	78%
27-1026	Merchandise Displayers and Window Trimmers	659	3,040	6.3%	\$32,404	\$33,780	31%	30%	39%
35-3021	Combined Food Preparation and Serving Workers, Including Fast Food	659	45,320	19.8%	\$23,769	\$23,150	62%	30%	8%
43-6014	Secretaries and Administrative Assistants, Except Legal, Medical, and Executive	654	62,790	-4.1%	\$36,235	\$42,600	32%	46%	22%
31-1011	Home Health Aides	641	41,040	36%	\$25,561	\$24,450	59%	32%	9%
11-1021	General and Operations Managers	611	43,070	11%	\$81,548	\$167,600	20%	35%	45%
15-1121	Computer Systems Analysts	598	13,710	11.4%	\$93,315	\$107,540	5%	22%	73%
37-2011	Janitors and Cleaners, Except Maids and Housekeeping Cleaners	561	67,380	11%	\$26,530	\$31,700	69%	25%	6%
49-9071	Maintenance and Repair Workers, General	559	31,190	10.2%	\$40,265	\$45,540	54%	38%	8%
43-6013	Medical Secretaries	542	11,120	19.7%	\$32,119	\$42,670	29%	49%	22%
13-1071	Human Resources Specialists	508	17,510	9.2%	\$55,806	\$75,360	12%	28%	60%



STATE OF NEW JERSEY

DEPARTMENT OF LABOR AND WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT

Source: Burning Glass Technologies, Labor Insight

# Real Time Jobs in Demand

## Top 50 Occupational Listings – May 2020 Data (Continued)

SOC CODE (ONET-6)	OCCUPATION TITLE	DEMAND AND EMPLOYMENT			SALARY		EDUCATION LEVEL OF EMPLOYED INDIVIDUALS (ACS)		
		# of Job Postings	# Employed 2018 (BLS/OES)	Projected Statewide Change 2016-2026	Mean Advertised (Burning Glass)	Mean (BLS/OES)	% with a HS diploma or Less	% with Some Coll or AA/AS	% with a BA/BS or higher
29-2061	Licensed Practical and Licensed Vocational Nurses	486	17,490	10.4%	\$46,378	\$56,290	26%	70%	5%
11-2022	Sales Managers	458	13,890	10.3%	\$84,085	\$168,950	12%	25%	63%
43-3031	Bookkeeping, Accounting, and Auditing Clerks	457	43,380	1%	\$39,294	\$46,860	32%	48%	20%
35-1012	First-Line Supervisors of Food Preparation and Serving Workers	440	20,170	12.2%	\$34,464	\$44,120	47%	39%	14%
15-1151	Computer User Support Specialists	431	13,910	14.0%	\$58,982	\$65,260	11%	42%	47%
13-2011	Accountants and Auditors	414	37,370	12.0%	\$65,282	\$90,400	4%	17%	79%
15-1141	Database Administrators	402	4,140	14%	\$95,765	\$110,160	6%	23%	71%
11-3031	Financial Managers	397	21,340	20.3%	\$95,270	\$175,880	11%	26%	63%
29-2071	Medical Records and Health Information Technicians	371	2,640	14.0%	\$51,062	\$54,020	18%	47%	35%
41-3021	Insurance Sales Agents	366	10,350	11.0%	\$50,396	\$76,160	17%	37%	47%
29-2012	Medical and Clinical Laboratory Technicians*	356	2,946	14.1%	\$38,584	\$63,720	12%	39%	49%
41-2011	Cashiers	353	99,360	1.4%	\$25,837	\$23,390	56%	33%	11%
53-7064	Packers and Packagers, Hand	348	30,180	4.4%	\$25,280	\$25,160	75%	20%	5%
49-3023	Automotive Service Technicians and Mechanics	341	14,810	6.0%	\$43,697	\$48,620	62%	34%	4%
37-2012	Maids and Housekeeping Cleaners	318	20,110	10.2%	\$26,995	\$26,190	77%	18%	5%
29-2052	Pharmacy Technicians	316	9,570	13%	\$33,247	\$33,070	27%	52%	21%
15-1134	Web Developers	301	3,320	16.6%	\$92,673	\$84,500	6%	26%	68%
11-9051	Food Service Managers	285	3,400	11.5%	\$43,941	\$82,340	38%	37%	25%
15-1122	Information Security Analysts	275	3,480	29.7%	\$100,531	\$121,600	6%	27%	67%
31-9092	Medical Assistants	273	19,110	25.3%	\$32,319	\$35,840	23%	64%	13%
13-1161	Market Research Analysts and Marketing Specialists	270	19,330	24.8%	\$53,925	\$87,210	5%	15%	79%
15-2031	Operations Research Analysts	263	3,000	29.0%	\$68,158	\$106,820	7%	21%	72%
43-9061	Office Clerks, General	261	67,480	0.9%	\$31,543	\$35,450	33%	44%	22%
15-1131	Computer Programmers	260	9,930	-4.2%	\$93,890	\$85,750	5%	22%	73%
53-7051	Industrial Truck and Tractor Operators	257	17,990	10.7%	\$28,805	\$36,490	72%	25%	3%



STATE OF NEW JERSEY

DEPARTMENT OF LABOR AND WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT

Source: Burning Glass Technologies, Labor Insight

# NJ Department of Labor & Workforce Development Offers Empowering Labor Market Information

- Population and Demographic Trends
  - [Census Data](#)
  - [Population and Household Estimates](#)
- Economic Data
  - [Labor Force Estimates](#)
  - [Unemployment Rates](#)
  - [Employment Data](#)
  - [Industry and Occupational Employment Projections](#)
  - [Population and Labor Force Projections](#)
  - [Occupational Wage Rates](#)
  - [Building Permits](#)





# NJLWD Resources

***NJ Career Connections***  
**for Job Seekers –**  
**Matching Skills of Job Seekers to**  
**Skills Sought by NJ Region**  
**Employers**

<http://careerconnections.nj.gov/>

***Labor Market Information***  
<http://lwd.dol.state.nj.us/labor/>

