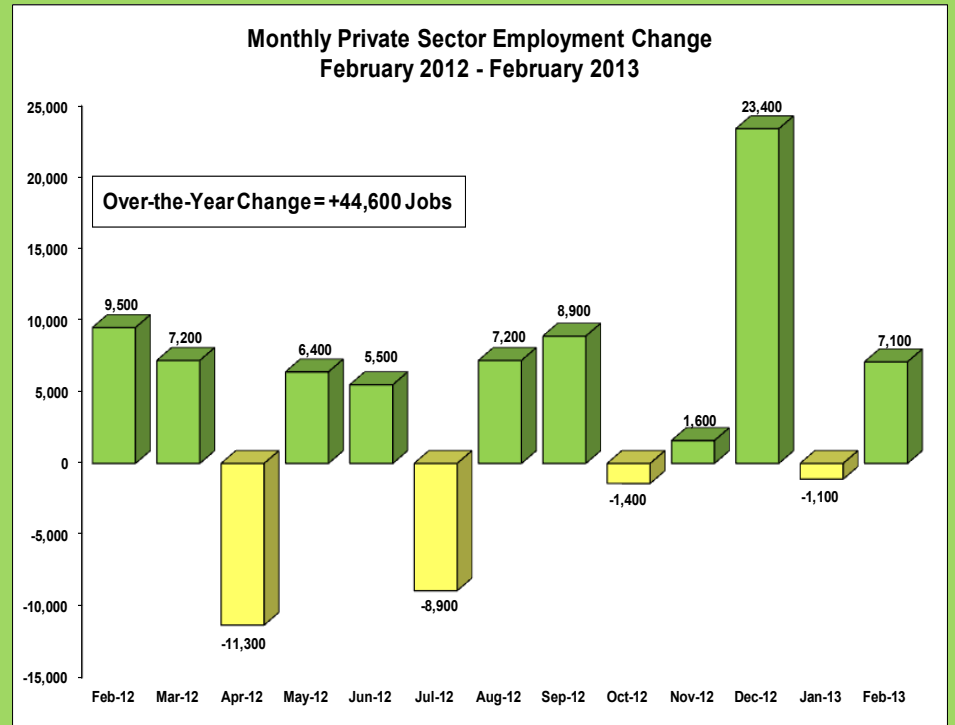
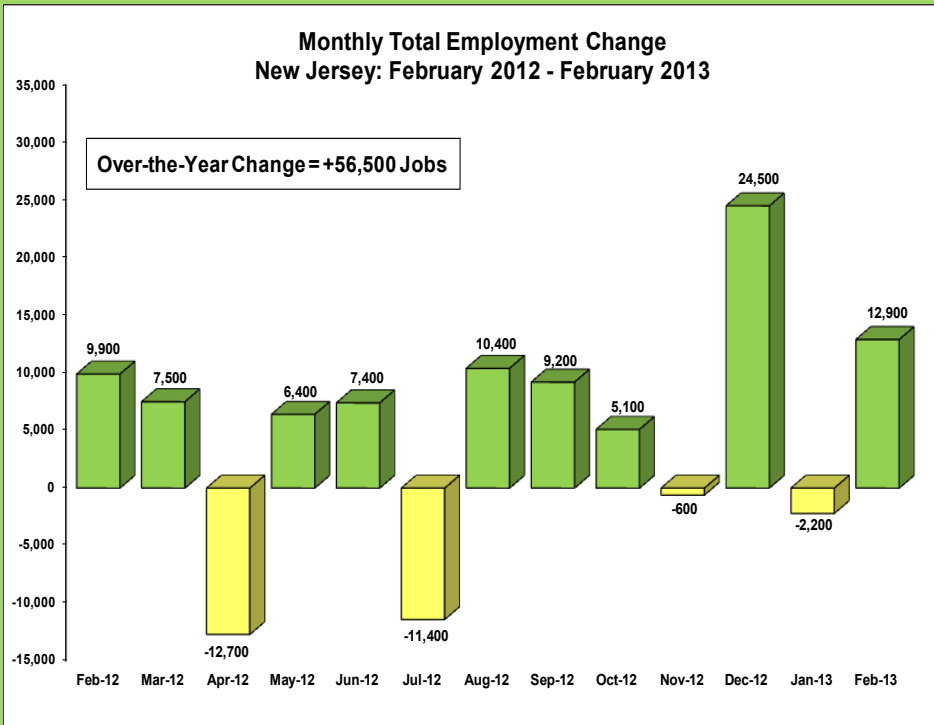
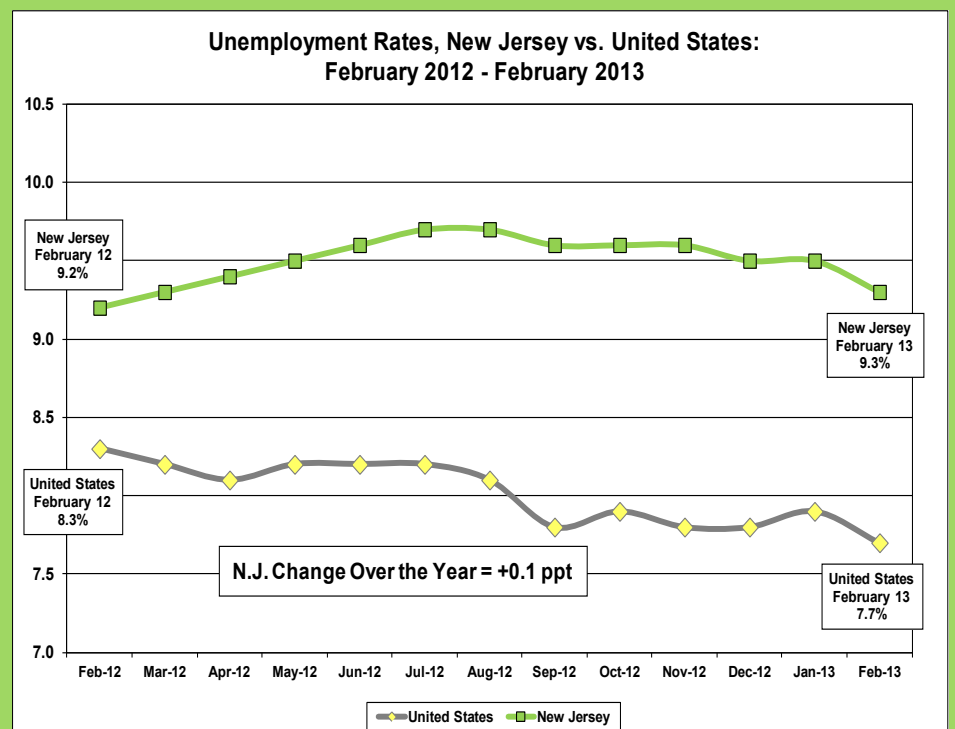
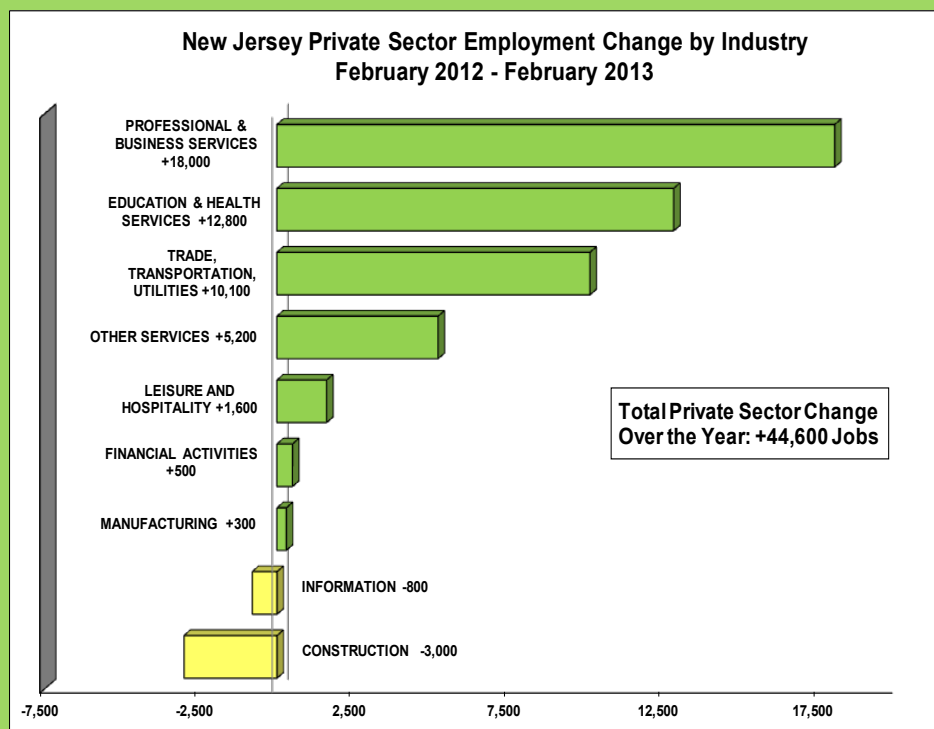


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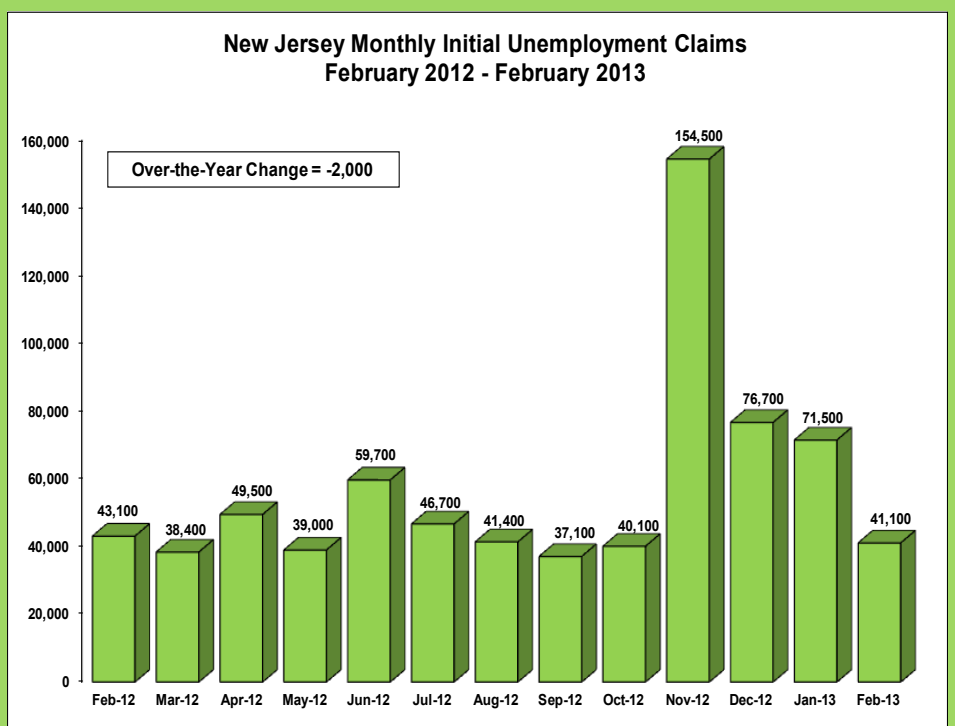
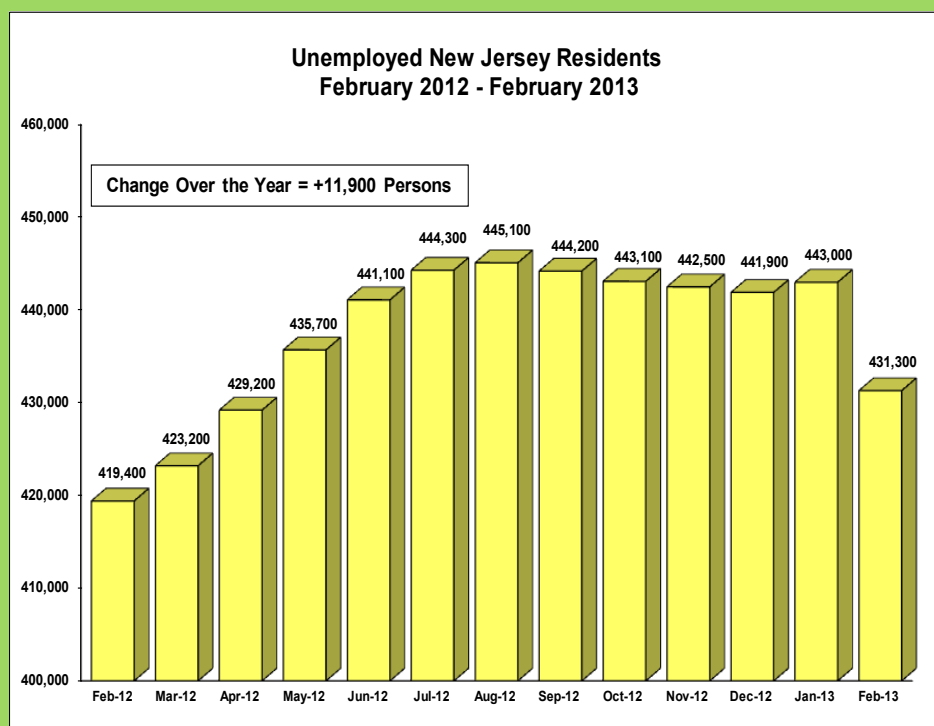
↑ Total Employment Up By 12,900 in February

↑ Private Sector Payrolls Higher in February



↑ Private Sector Job Gain Over the Year

↓ February Unemployment Drops to 9.3%



↓ Less Unemployed Residents in February

↓ Initial UI Claims Lower Over the Year