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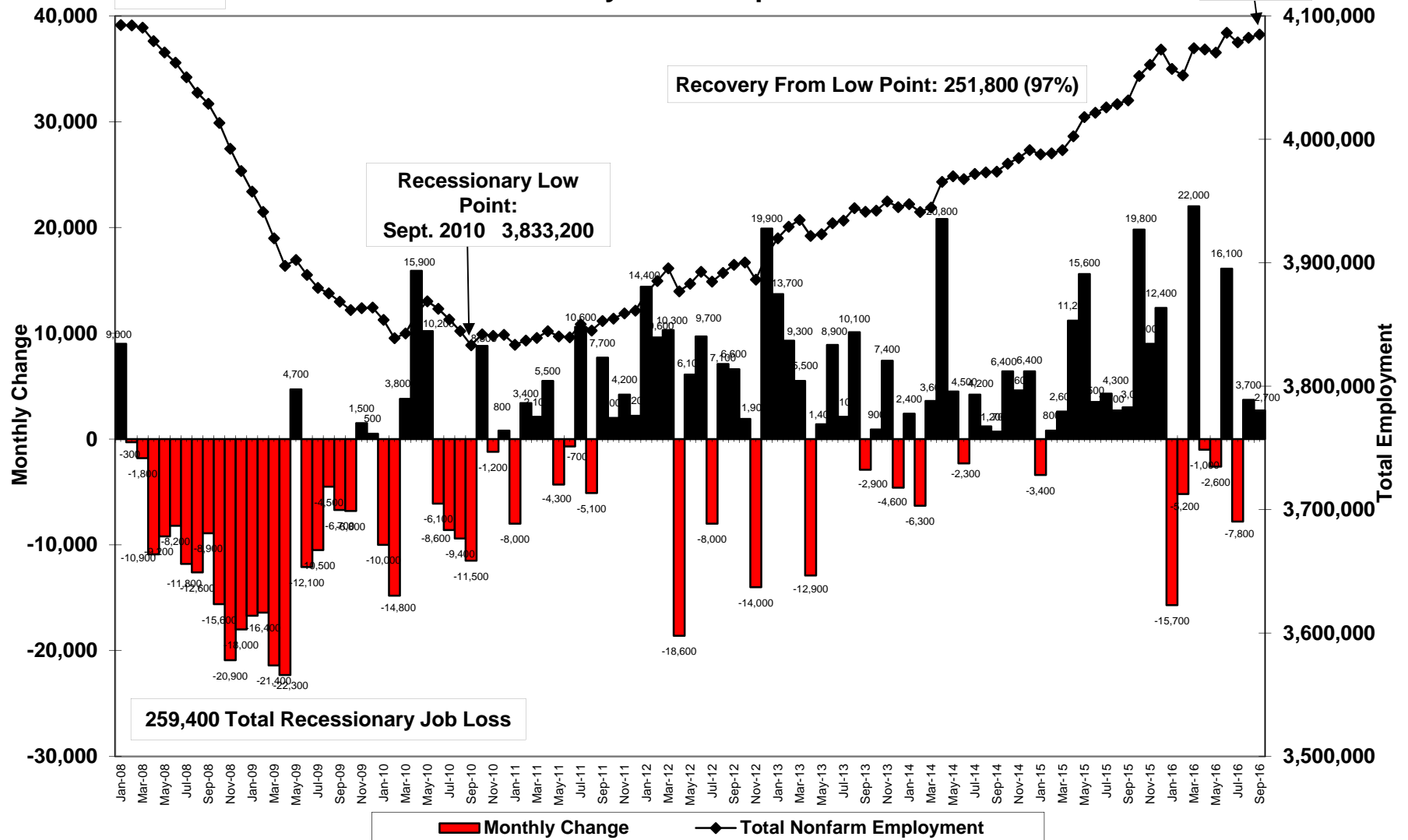
**Labor Market Information Update  
for September 2016**

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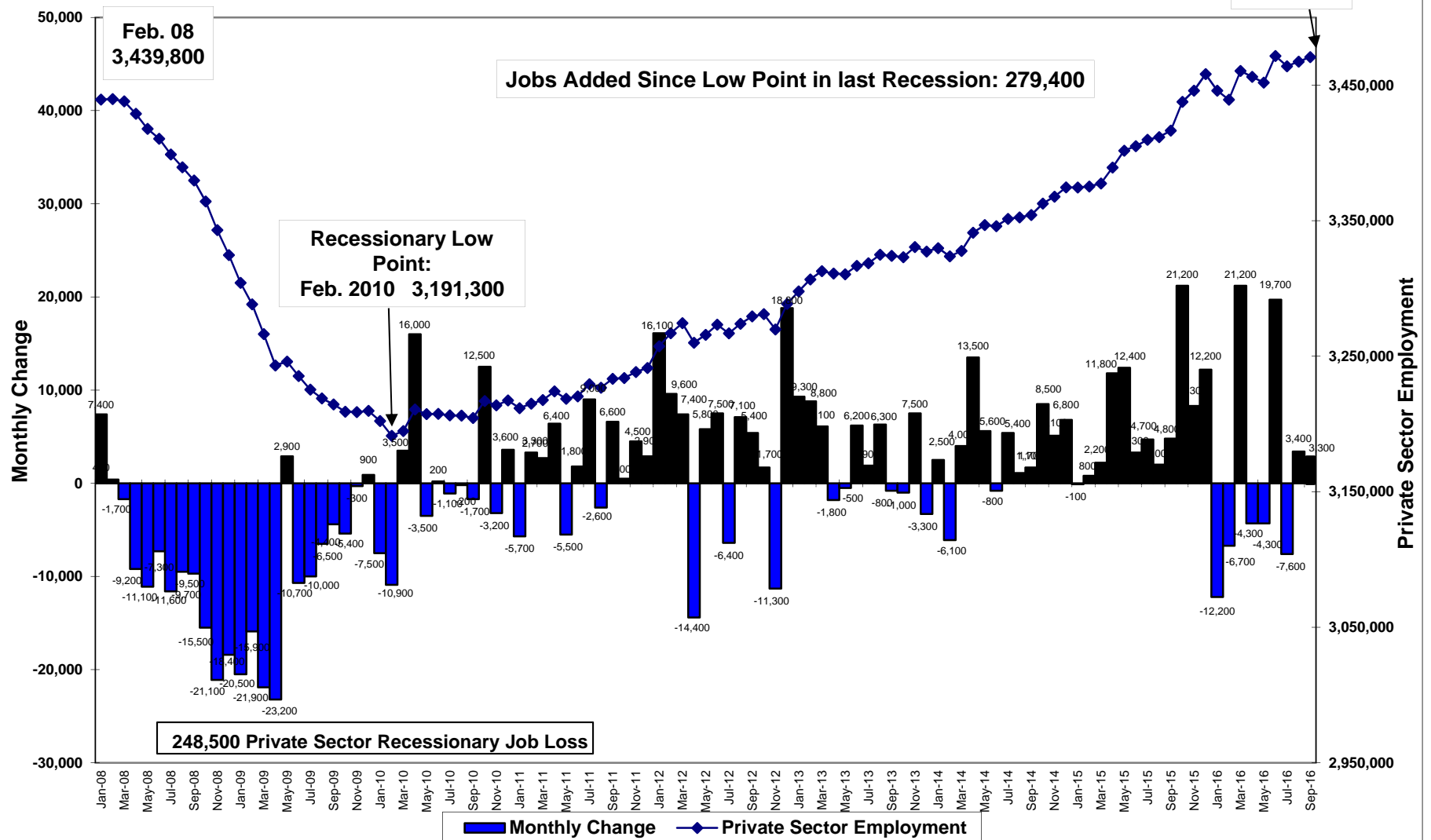
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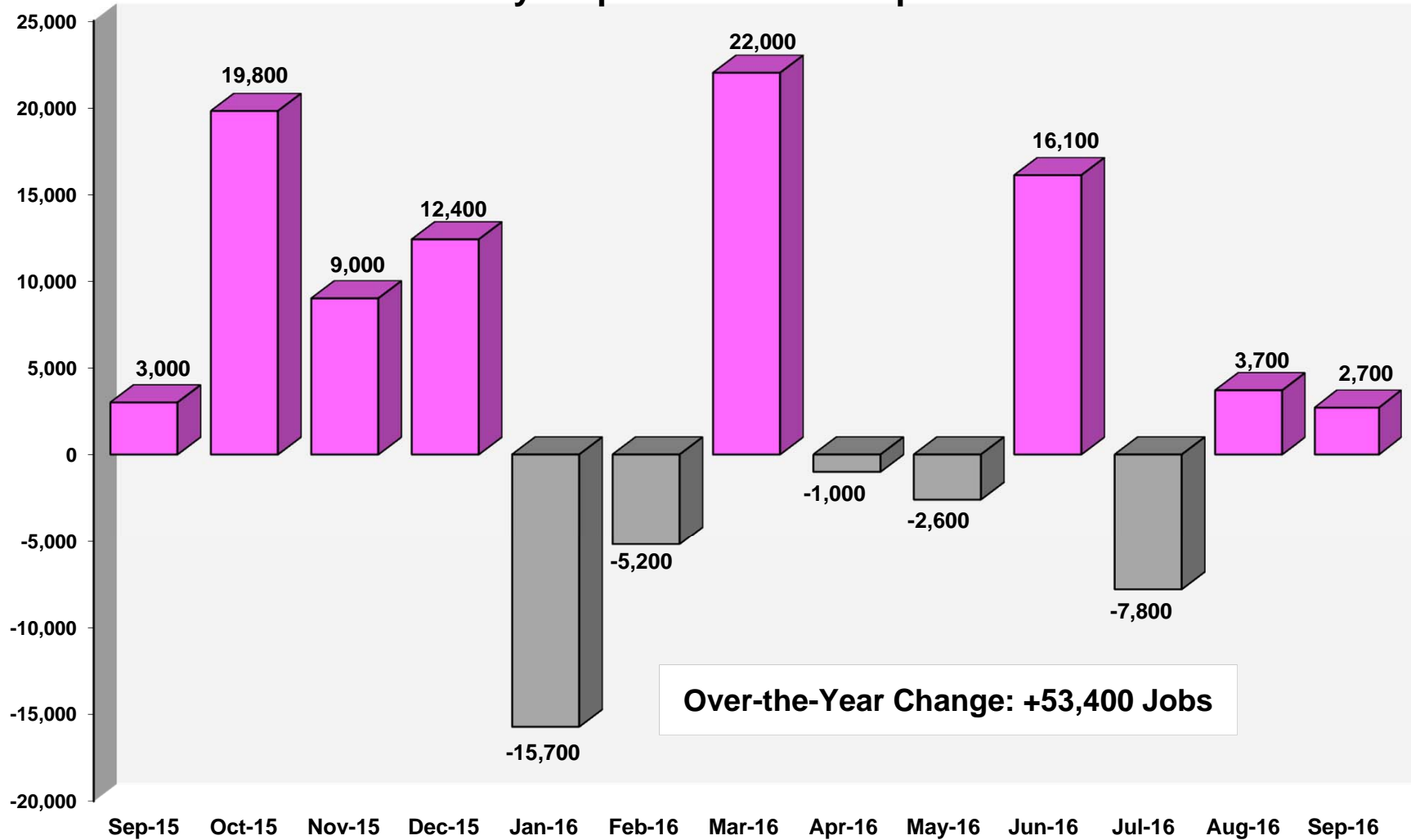
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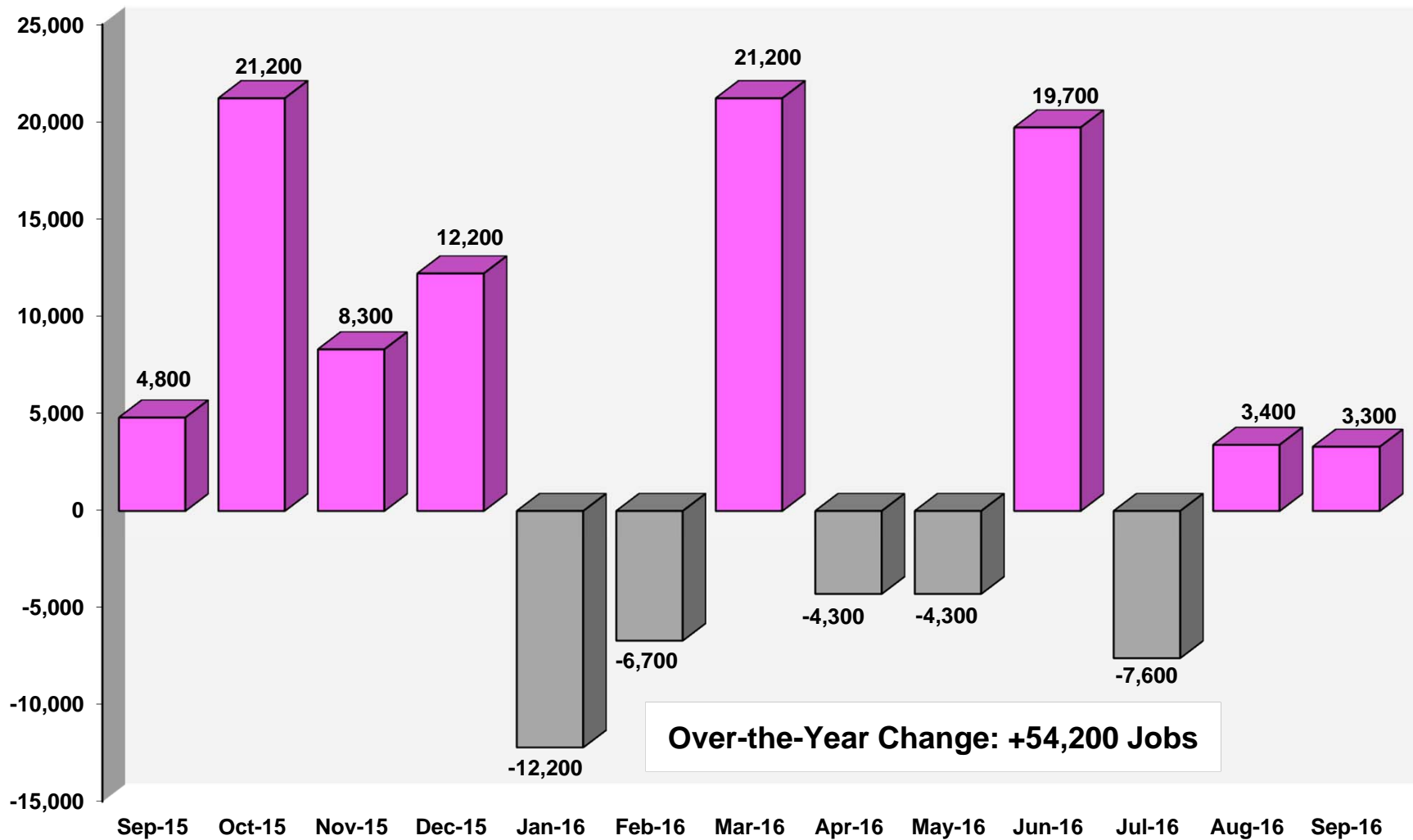
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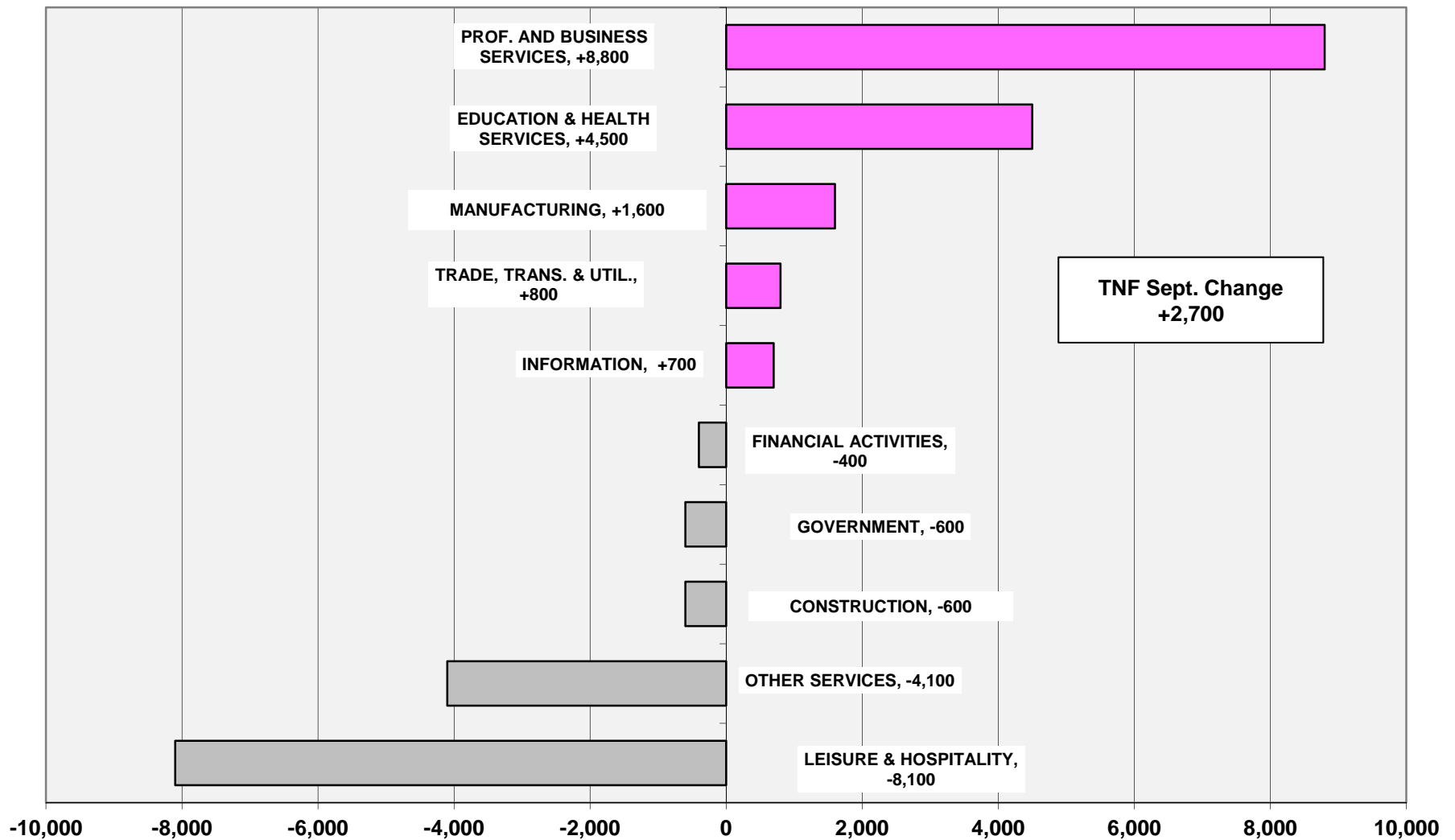
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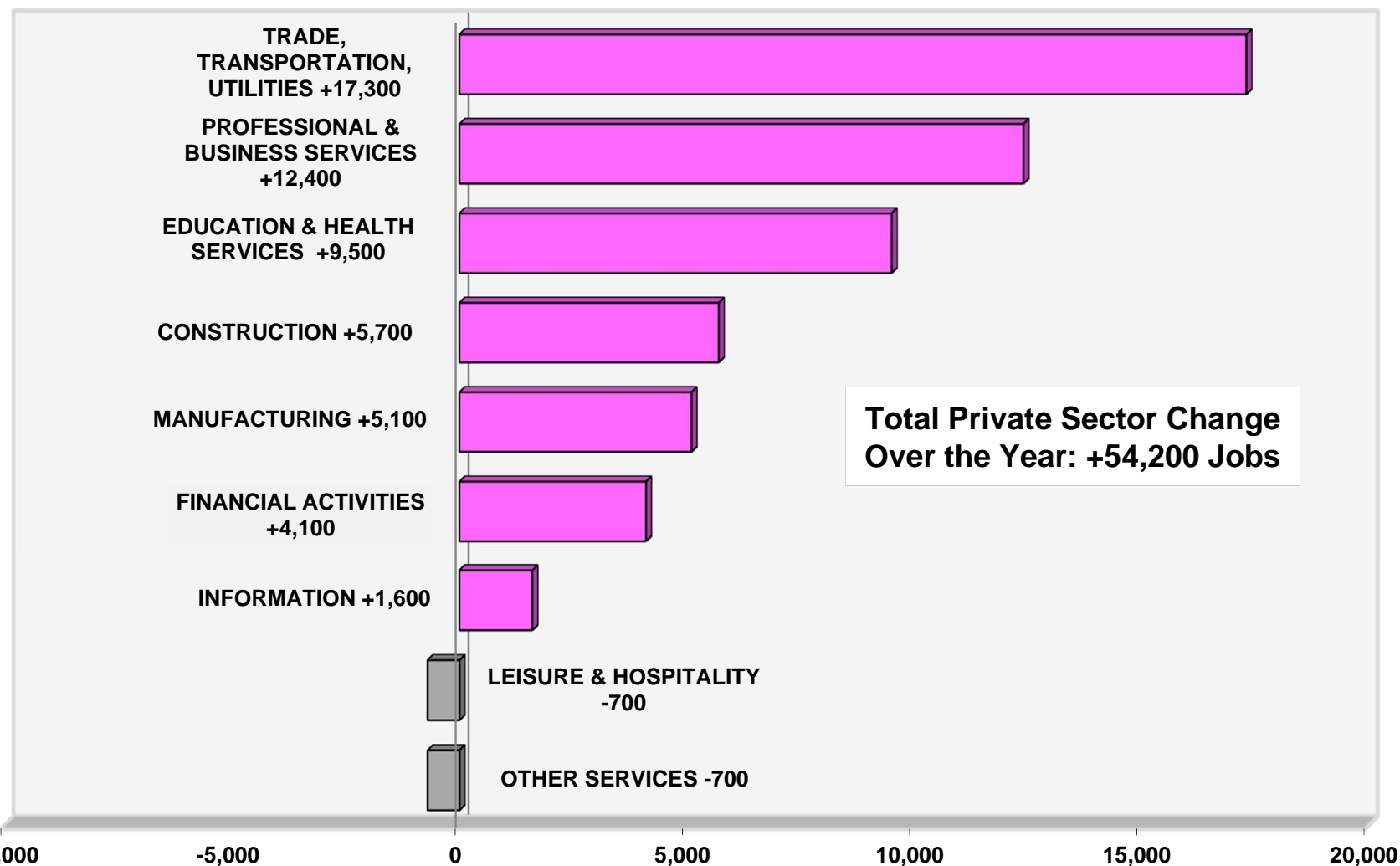
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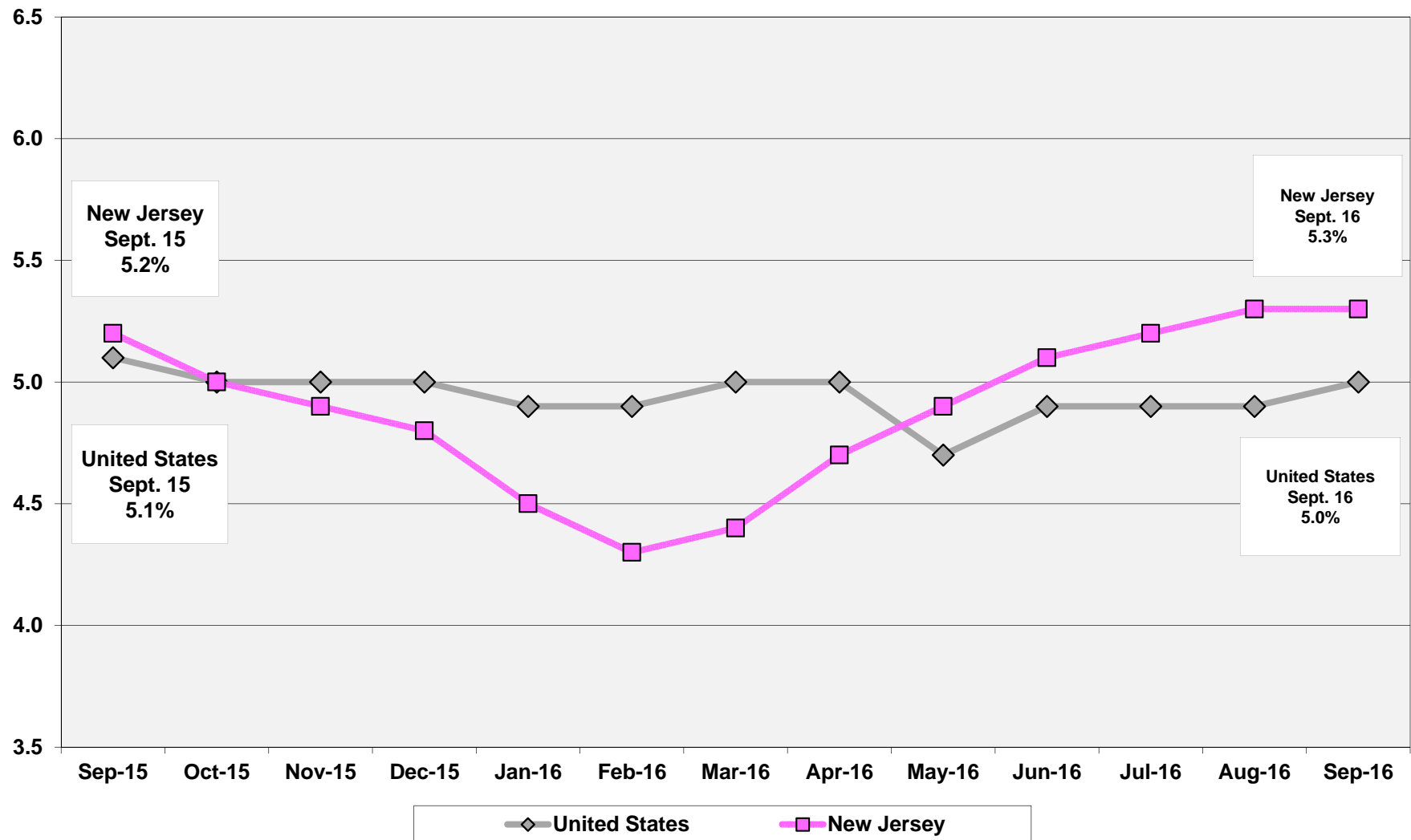
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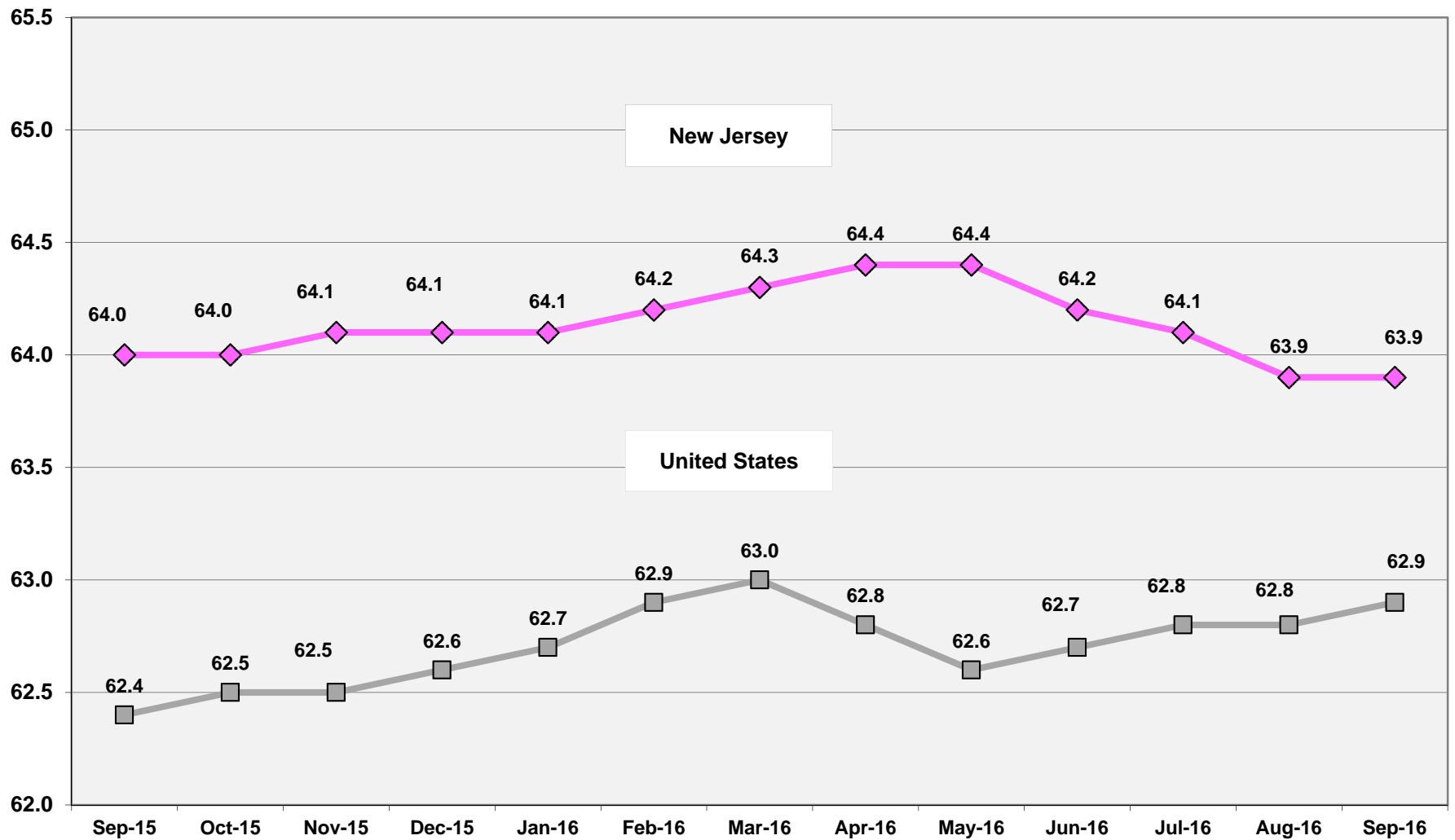


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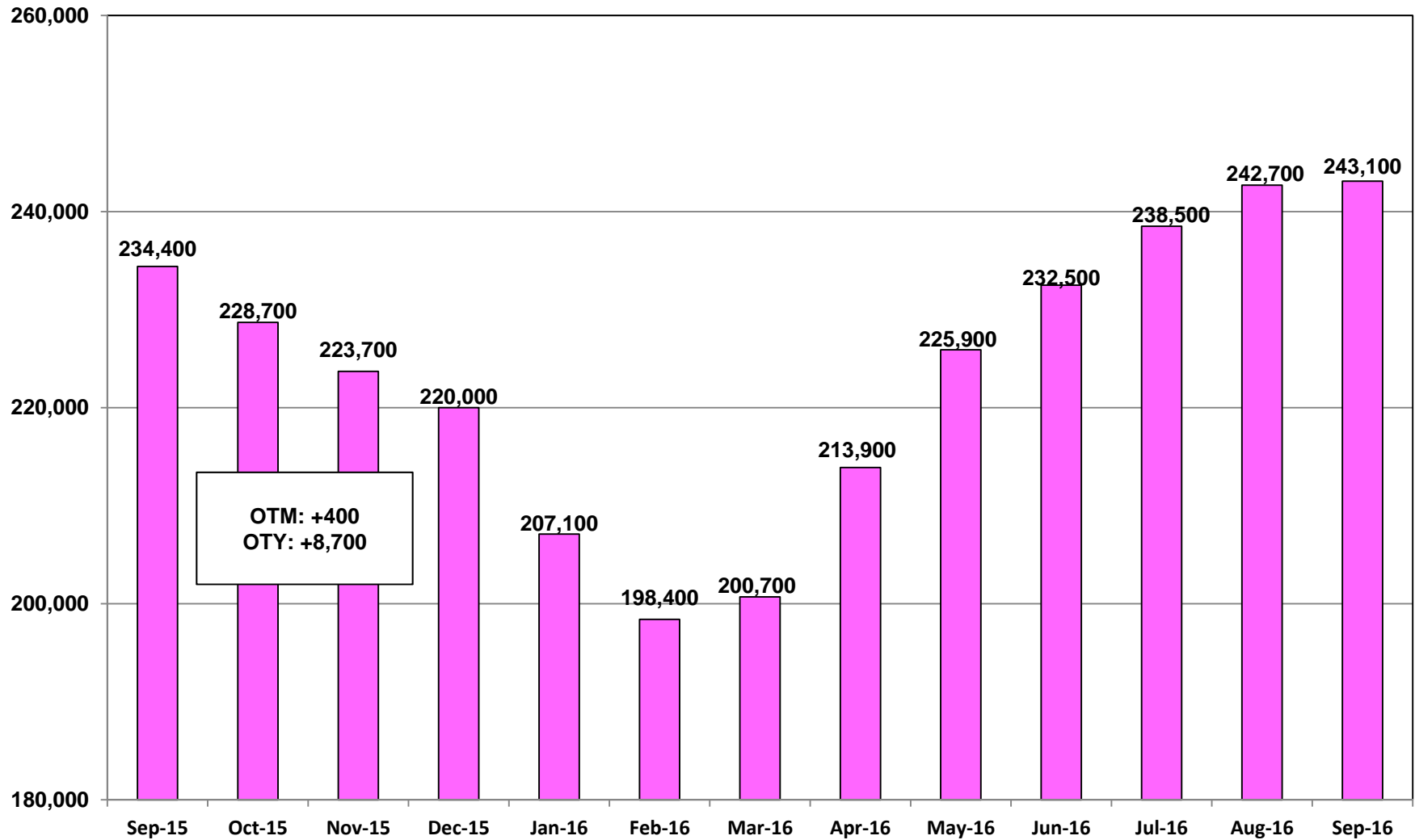
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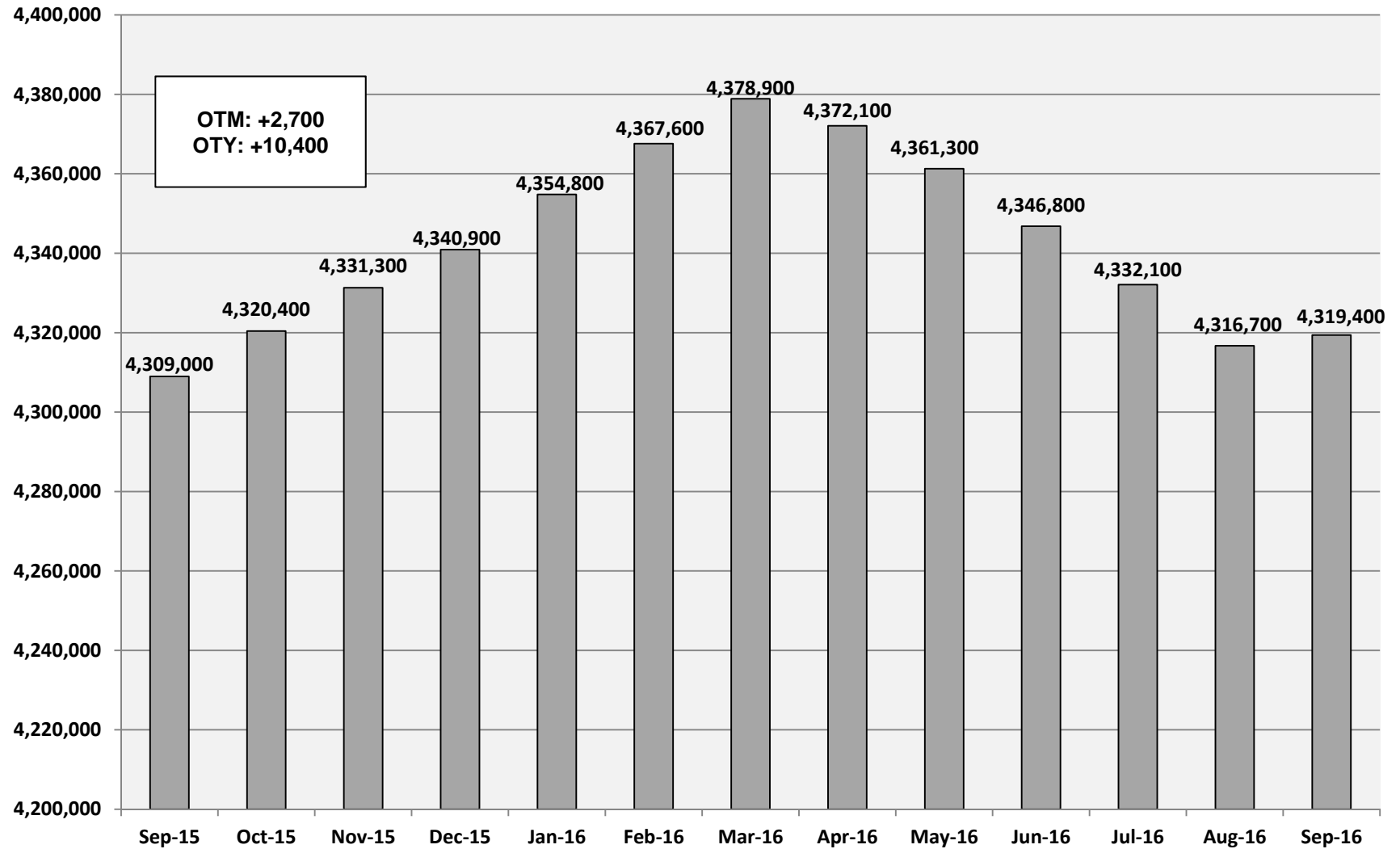
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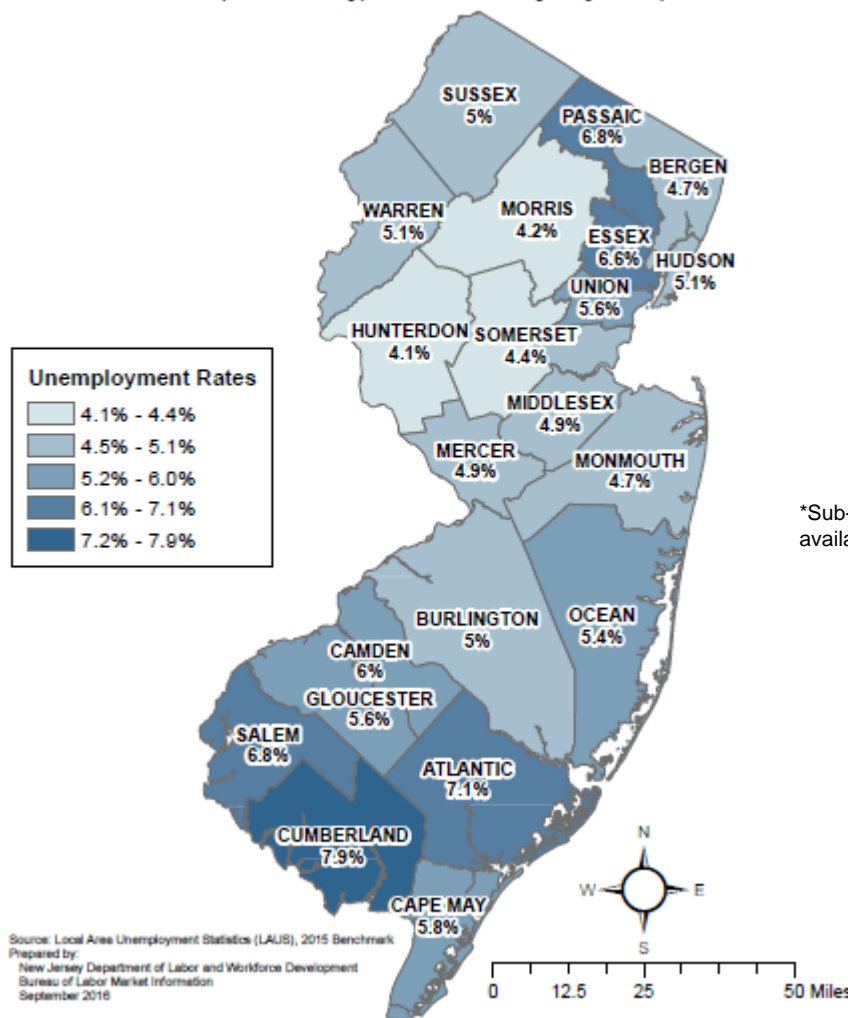
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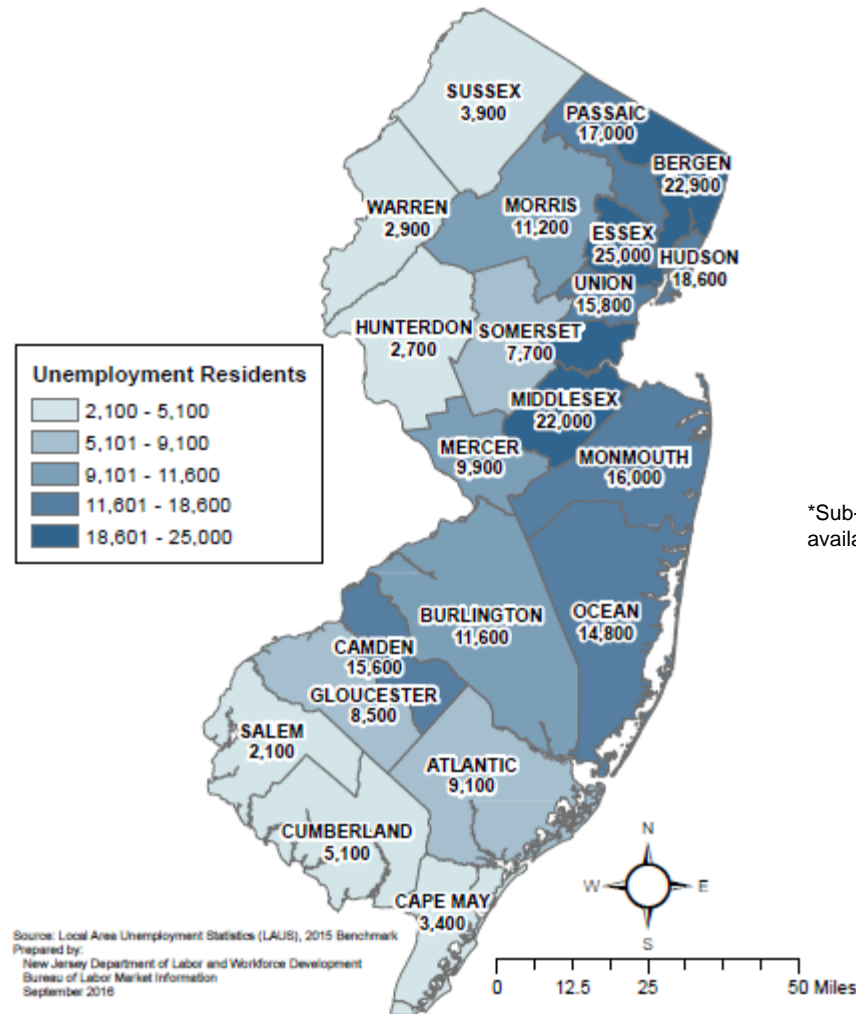
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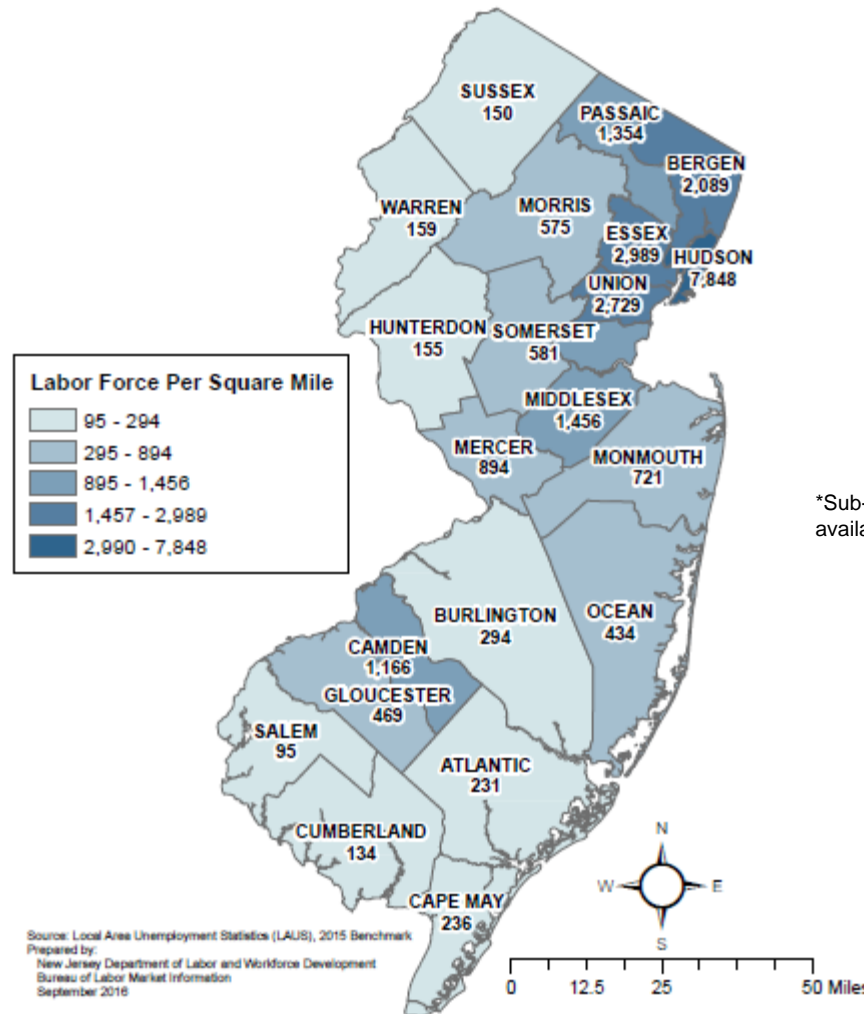
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# **New Jersey Counties** **Labor Force Per Square Mile - August 2016** *(Preliminary, Not Seasonally Adjusted)*



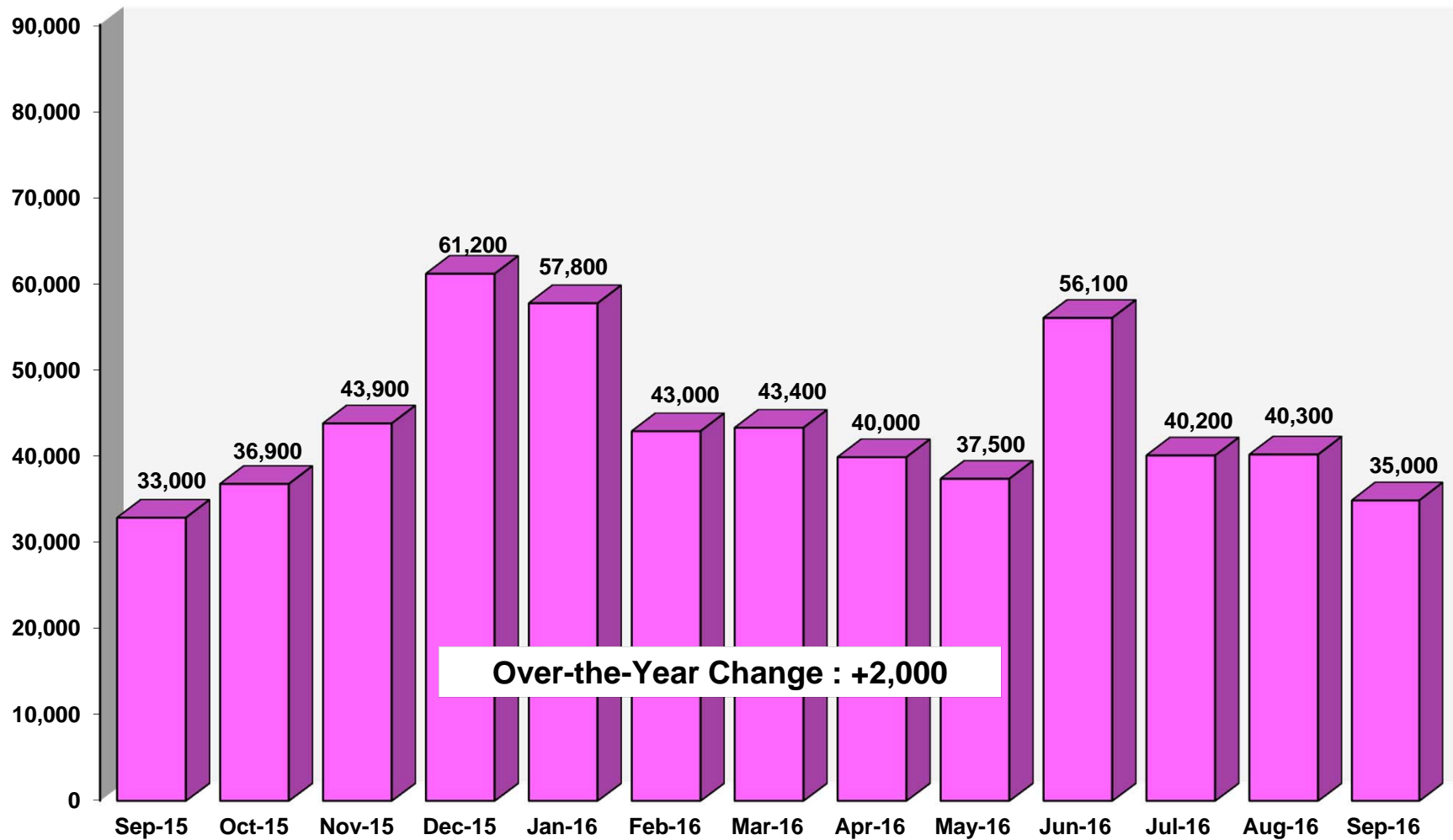
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## New Jersey Monthly Initial Unemployment Claims September 2015 - September 2016



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## Top 50 Occupational Listings – September 2016 Data

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|-------------------|--|------------------------|----------------------|----------------------------------|--|------------------------|-------------|--------------------------|---|--------------------------------|--|------------------------------|--------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| 53-3032           | Heavy and Tractor-Trailer Truck Drivers  | 5,896                  | 40,280               | -1%                              | 10.9%  | \$81,237               | \$47,460    | 100%                     | 0%  | 0%                             | 0%   | 98%                          | 65%                                  | 29%                                   | 5%                            |
| 41-2031           | Retail Salespersons  | 2,589                  | 136,370              | -1%                              | 5.9%   | \$56,223               | \$26,780    | 80%                      | 12%   | 20%                            | 3%   | 54%                          | 36%                                  | 43%                                   | 21%                           |
| 41-4012           | Sales Representatives, Wholesale and Manufacturing, Except Technical and Scientific Products | 2,575                  | 43,790               | 3%                               | 2.7%   | \$76,099               | \$76,420    | 27%                      | 7%  | 78%                            | 15%  | 47%                          | 21%                                  | 32%                                   | 47%                           |
| 29-1141           | Registered Nurses  | 2,442                  | 78,460               | 2%                               | 13.2%  | \$77,908               | \$79,840    | 7%                       | 56%   | 47%                            | 7%   | 17%                          | 1%                                   | 42%                                   | 57%                           |
| 15-1132           | Software Developers, Applications  | 2,155                  | 40,940               | 9%                               | 17.9%  | \$109,061              | \$99,320    | 3%                       | 3%  | 94%                            | 37%  | 39%                          | 3%                                   | 14%                                   | 83%                           |
| 43-4051           | Customer Service Representatives   | 1,514                  | 64,430               | 0%                               | 8.4%   | \$34,880               | \$39,120    | 68%                      | 11%   | 37%                            | 5%   | 58%                          | 33%                                  | 46%                                   | 22%                           |
| 41-1011           | First-Line Supervisors of Retail Sales Workers   | 1,427                  | 30,320               | 0%                               | 4.5%   | \$58,427               | \$48,130    | 53%                      | 11%   | 53%                            | 5%   | 45%                          | 35%                                  | 40%                                   | 25%                           |
| 13-2011           | Accountants and Auditors   | 974                    | 37,430               | 3%                               | 10.9%  | \$73,366               | \$86,770    | 0%                       | 0%  | 94%                            | 25%  | 26%                          | 4%                                   | 17%                                   | 78%                           |
| 13-1111           | Management Analysts  | 971                    | 12,490               | -7%                              | 10.8%  | \$78,551               | \$98,690    | 0%                       | 3%  | 96%                            | 19%  | 37%                          | 6%                                   | 18%                                   | 77%                           |
| 43-6014           | Secretaries and Administrative Assistants, Except Legal, Medical, and Executive              | 857                    | 61,270               | 0%                               | 0.4%   | \$41,102               | \$40,730    | 60%                      | 20%   | 38%                            | 7%   | 48%                          | 31%                                  | 49%                                   | 20%                           |
| 13-1071           | Human Resources Specialists  | 814                    | 12,800               | 6%                               | 5.2%   | \$51,065               | \$70,740    | 27%                      | 11%   | 76%                            | 9%   | 34%                          | 12%                                  | 30%                                   | 58%                           |
| 11-9111           | Medical and Health Services Managers   | 764                    | 9,480                | 3%                               | 13.7%  | \$101,064              | \$117,780   | 0%                       | 12%   | 69%                            | 49%  | 37%                          | 10%                                  | 28%                                   | 62%                           |
| 53-7062           | Laborers and Freight, Stock, and Material Movers, Hand                                       | 711                    | 92,010               | 9%                               | 13.7%  | \$27,643               | \$27,880    | 99%                      | 8%  | 1%                             | 0%   | 47%                          | 66%                                  | 29%                                   | 5%                            |
| 11-2022           | Sales Managers   | 678                    | 12,870               | -3%                              | 5.6%   | \$103,298              | \$156,620   | 11%                      | 2%  | 89%                            | 27%  | 27%                          | 9%                                   | 23%                                   | 67%                           |
| 11-2021           | Marketing Managers   | 663                    | 10,840               | 1%                               | 10.9%  | \$111,273              | \$161,000   | 4%                       | 2%  | 91%                            | 54%  | 21%                          | 9%                                   | 23%                                   | 67%                           |
| 27-1026           | Merchandise Displayers and Window Trimmers   | 623                    | 3,090                | 13%                              | 3.1%   | \$30,983               | \$28,780    | 86%                      | 15%   | 16%                            | 0%   | 66%                          | 13%                                  | 31%                                   | 56%                           |
| 11-3031           | Financial Managers   | 611                    | 20,780               | -4%                              | 4.4%   | \$117,978              | \$159,310   | 7%                       | 3%  | 83%                            | 37%  | 30%                          | 12%                                  | 27%                                   | 61%                           |
| 35-1012           | First-Line Supervisors of Food Preparation and Serving Workers                               | 610                    | 19,730               | -2%                              | 15.5%  | \$54,129               | \$40,080    | 65%                      | 19%   | 37%                            | 6%   | 64%                          | 47%                                  | 40%                                   | 12%                           |
| 49-9071           | Maintenance and Repair Workers, General  | 574                    | 33,020               | -1%                              | 5.3%   | \$45,237               | \$43,680    | 90%                      | 23%   | 0%                             | 0%   | 52%                          | 56%                                  | 38%                                   | 7%                            |
| 15-1121           | Computer Systems Analysts  | 572                    | 14,270               | -2%                              | 17%  | \$83,802               | \$98,640    | 6%                       | 5%  | 91%                            | 22%  | 42%                          | 5%                                   | 23%                                   | 72%                           |
| 11-1021           | General and Operations Managers  | 517                    | 46,410               | 0%                               | 8%   | \$101,187              | \$163,680   | 17%                      | 5%  | 81%                            | 28%  | 25%                          | 18%                                  | 33%                                   | 49%                           |
| 43-3031           | Bookkeeping, Accounting, and Auditing Clerks   | 496                    | 45,650               | 0%                               | -7.7%  | \$37,557               | \$43,900    | 52%                      | 21%   | 46%                            | 3%   | 53%                          | 32%                                  | 50%                                   | 19%                           |
| 43-5081           | Stock Clerks and Order Fillers   | 460                    | 65,560               | 3%                               | 7%   | \$28,468               | \$26,540    | 91%                      | 6%  | 10%                            | 0%   | 56%                          | 56%                                  | 36%                                   | 8%                            |
| 43-1011           | First-Line Supervisors of Office and Administrative Support Workers                          | 425                    | 41,240               | -1%                              | 7.2%   | \$58,492               | \$60,440    | 22%                      | 13%   | 79%                            | 8%   | 28%                          | 26%                                  | 41%                                   | 33%                           |
| 15-1122           | Information Security Analysts  | 422                    | 1,870                | -10%                             | 2.4%   | \$104,060              | \$109,940   | 5%                       | 3%  | 92%                            | 19%  | 37%                          | 7%                                   | 31%                                   | 62%                           |



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| 29-1123           | Physical Therapists  | 415                    | 7,590                | 8%                               | 29.4%  | \$85,685               | \$95,150    | 0%                       | 4%  | 0%                             | 96%  | 87%                          | 2%                                   | 7%                                    | 91%                           |
| 33-9032           | Security Guards  | 411                    | 37,090               | 0%                               | 7.1%   | \$28,655               | \$29,380    | 98%                      | 1%  | 6%                             | 1%   | 18%                          | 41%                                  | 44%                                   | 15%                           |
| 13-2051           | Financial Analysts   | 405                    | 8,250                | -4%                              | 1.8%   | \$70,985               | \$94,340    | 0%                       | 0%  | 96%                            | 34%  | 20%                          | 3%                                   | 10%                                   | 87%                           |
| 41-2011           | Cashiers   | 404                    | 96,810               | 0%                               | 4.1%   | N/A                    | \$21,620    | 100%                     | 0%  | 0%                             | 0%   | 80%                          | 55%                                  | 38%                                   | 8%                            |
| 29-2061           | Licensed Practical and Licensed Vocational Nurses                  | 399                    | 15,310               | -2%                              | 14.6%  | \$49,391               | \$53,300    | 88%                      | 12%   | 0%                             | 0%   | 68%                          | 21%                                  | 74%                                   | 5%                            |
| 35-3021           | Combined Food Preparation and Serving Workers, Including Fast Food | 378                    | 53,070               | -8%                              | 16.3%  | \$50,185               | \$21,730    | 100%                     | 0%  | 0%                             | 0%   | 71%                          | 62%                                  | 33%                                   | 4%                            |
| 31-1014           | Nursing Assistants   | 377                    | 52,810               | 2%                               | 15.2%  | \$55,076               | \$28,310    | 100%                     | 0%  | 0%                             | 0%   | 51%                          | 47%                                  | 44%                                   | 9%                            |
| 15-1134           | Web Developers   | 374                    | 2,400                | 1%                               | 20.3%  | \$96,950               | \$70,070    | 17%                      | 3%  | 82%                            | 16%  | 45%                          | 6%                                   | 28%                                   | 66%                           |
| 15-1151           | Computer User Support Specialists                                  | 367                    | 13,580               | -5%                              | 12.6%  | \$54,532               | \$58,070    | 28%                      | 34%   | 65%                            | 6%   | 43%                          | 13%                                  | 47%                                   | 41%                           |
| 13-1161           | Market Research Analysts and Marketing Specialists                 | 366                    | 15,310               | 4%                               | 17.1%  | \$55,992               | \$75,010    | 0%                       | 4%  | 93%                            | 21%  | 41%                          | 5%                                   | 17%                                   | 78%                           |
| 49-3031           | Bus and Truck Mechanics and Diesel Engine Specialists              | 362                    | 7,830                | 14%                              | 14.1%  | \$66,229               | \$54,340    | 100%                     | 0%  | 0%                             | 0%   | 57%                          | 61%                                  | 36%                                   | 3%                            |
| 31-1011           | Home Health Aides  | 341                    | 35,250               | 5%                               | 45%  | \$28,124               | \$23,020    | 100%                     | 0%  | 0%                             | 0%   | 49%                          | 47%                                  | 44%                                   | 9%                            |
| 41-3031           | Securities, Commodities, and Financial Services Sales Agents       | 315                    | 10,230               | 2%                               | -9%  | N/A                    | \$111,500   | 73%                      | 21%   | 67%                            | 1%   | 29%                          | 9%                                   | 22%                                   | 69%                           |
| 43-3071           | Tellers  | 310                    | 15,390               | -4%                              | -12.3%   | N/A                    | \$28,990    | 58%                      | 5%  | 40%                            | 2%   | 24%                          | 33%                                  | 51%                                   | 16%                           |
| 15-1141           | Database Administrators  | 302                    | 3,060                | -3%                              | 8.3%   | \$101,728              | \$105,450   | 9%                       | 8%  | 85%                            | 24%  | 40%                          | 6%                                   | 24%                                   | 70%                           |
| 49-1011           | First-Line Supervisors of Mechanics, Installers, and Repairers     | 302                    | 12,530               | -4%                              | 5.8%   | \$103,373              | \$74,870    | 43%                      | 8%  | 59%                            | 4%   | 17%                          | 42%                                  | 44%                                   | 15%                           |
| 15-1143           | Computer Network Architects  | 301                    | 6,210                | 12%                              | 5.5%   | \$94,763               | \$117,770   | 10%                      | 28%   | 79%                            | 21%  | 53%                          | 6%                                   | 36%                                   | 58%                           |
| 29-2071           | Medical Records and Health Information Technicians                 | 276                    | 1,630                | -18%                             | 8.1%   | \$40,863               | \$60,310    | 45%                      | 44%   | 32%                            | 0%   | 58%                          | 26%                                  | 54%                                   | 19%                           |
| 53-3033           | Light Truck or Delivery Services Drivers                           | 276                    | 27,320               | 9%                               | 11.6%  | \$42,824               | \$36,050    | 100%                     | 0%  | 0%                             | 0%   | 71%                          | 65%                                  | 29%                                   | 5%                            |
| 43-4171           | Receptionists and Information Clerks                               | 259                    | 50,290               | 0%                               | 11.6%  | \$26,128               | \$30,360    | 90%                      | 10%   | 14%                            | 0%   | 47%                          | 37%                                  | 49%                                   | 14%                           |
| 15-1142           | Network and Computer Systems Administrators                        | 254                    | 10,210               | 4%                               | 6.1%   | \$86,746               | \$93,780    | 13%                      | 10%   | 88%                            | 13%  | 39%                          | 8%                                   | 41%                                   | 51%                           |
| 35-2014           | Cooks, Restaurant  | 254                    | 18,630               | N/A                              | 19.6%  | N/A                    | \$30,060    | 93%                      | 7%  | 0%                             | 0%   | 71%                          | 70%                                  | 26%                                   | 4%                            |
| 11-3011           | Administrative Services Managers                                   | 253                    | 8,400                | 2%                               | 5.2%   | \$93,450               | \$121,320   | 8%                       | 14%   | 78%                            | 49%  | 13%                          | 19%                                  | 41%                                   | 40%                           |
| 51-1011           | First-Line Supervisors of Production and Operating Workers         | 246                    | 12,750               | -6%                              | -3.1%  | \$82,620               | \$65,160    | 47%                      | 18%   | 62%                            | 5%   | 48%                          | 49%                                  | 35%                                   | 16%                           |
| 43-9061           | Office Clerks, General   | 241                    | 75,730               | 0%                               | 1%   | \$31,719               | \$34,110    | 86%                      | 23%   | 16%                            | 3%   | 50%                          | 33%                                  | 48%                                   | 19%                           |



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