

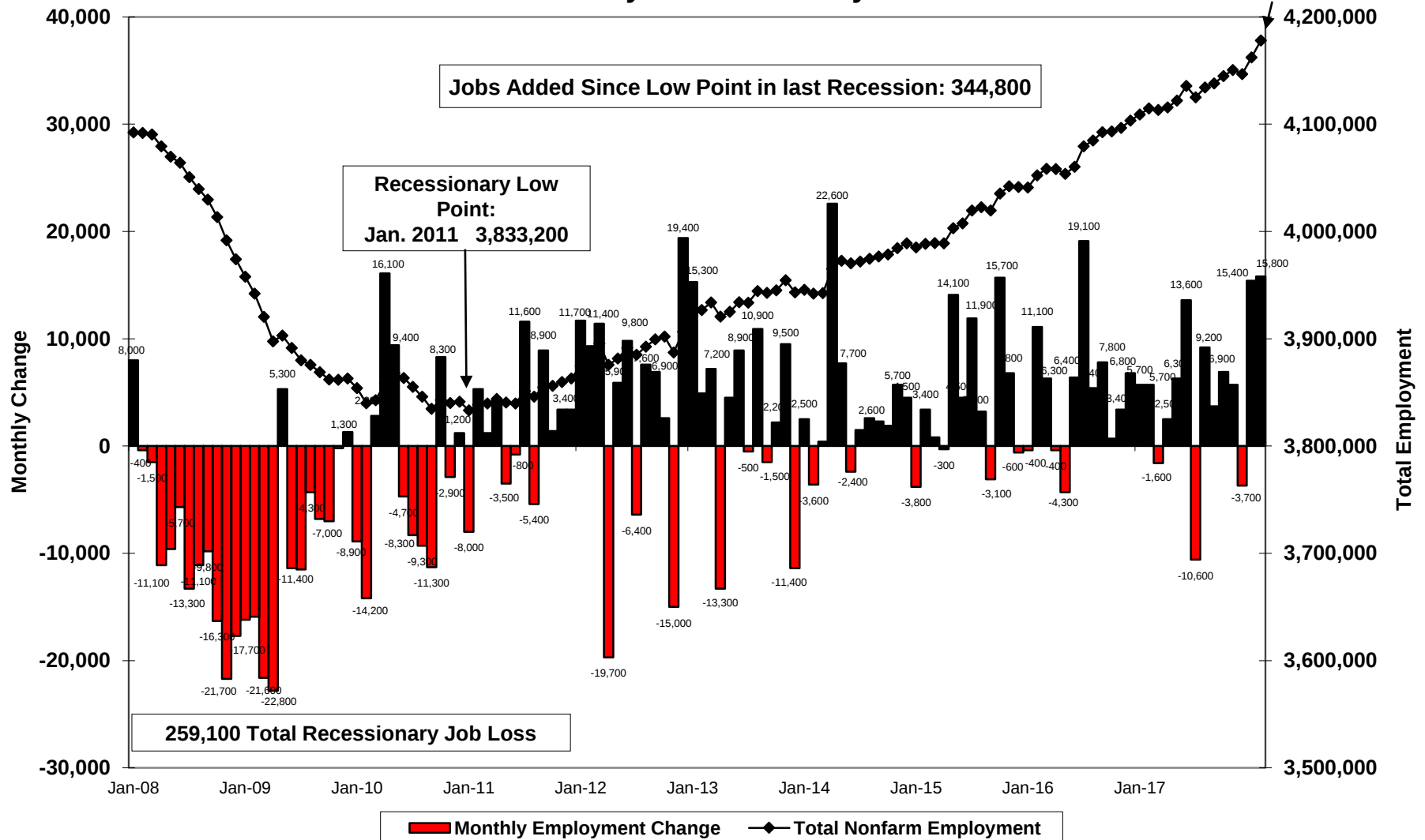
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**Labor Market Information Update
for February 2018**

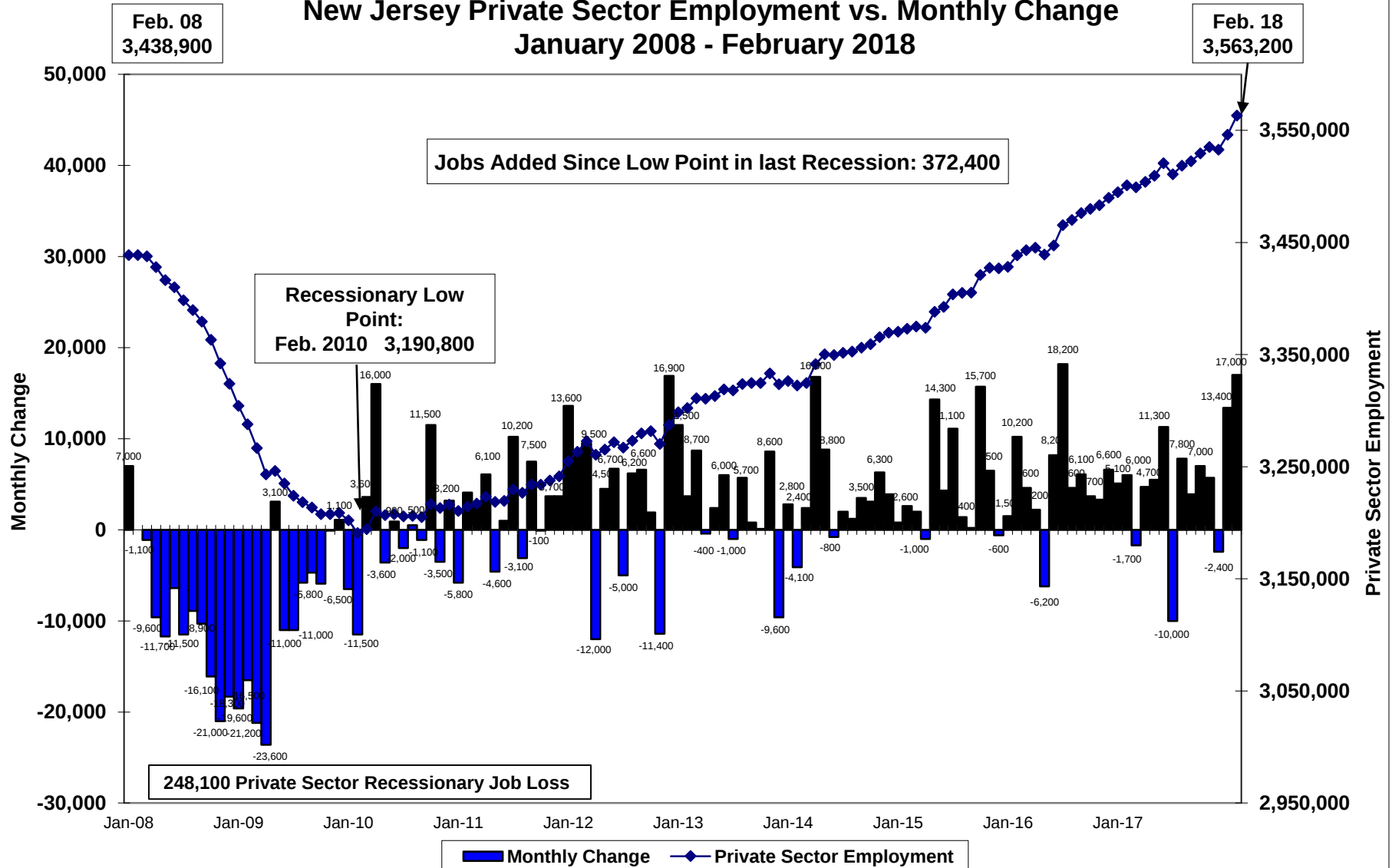
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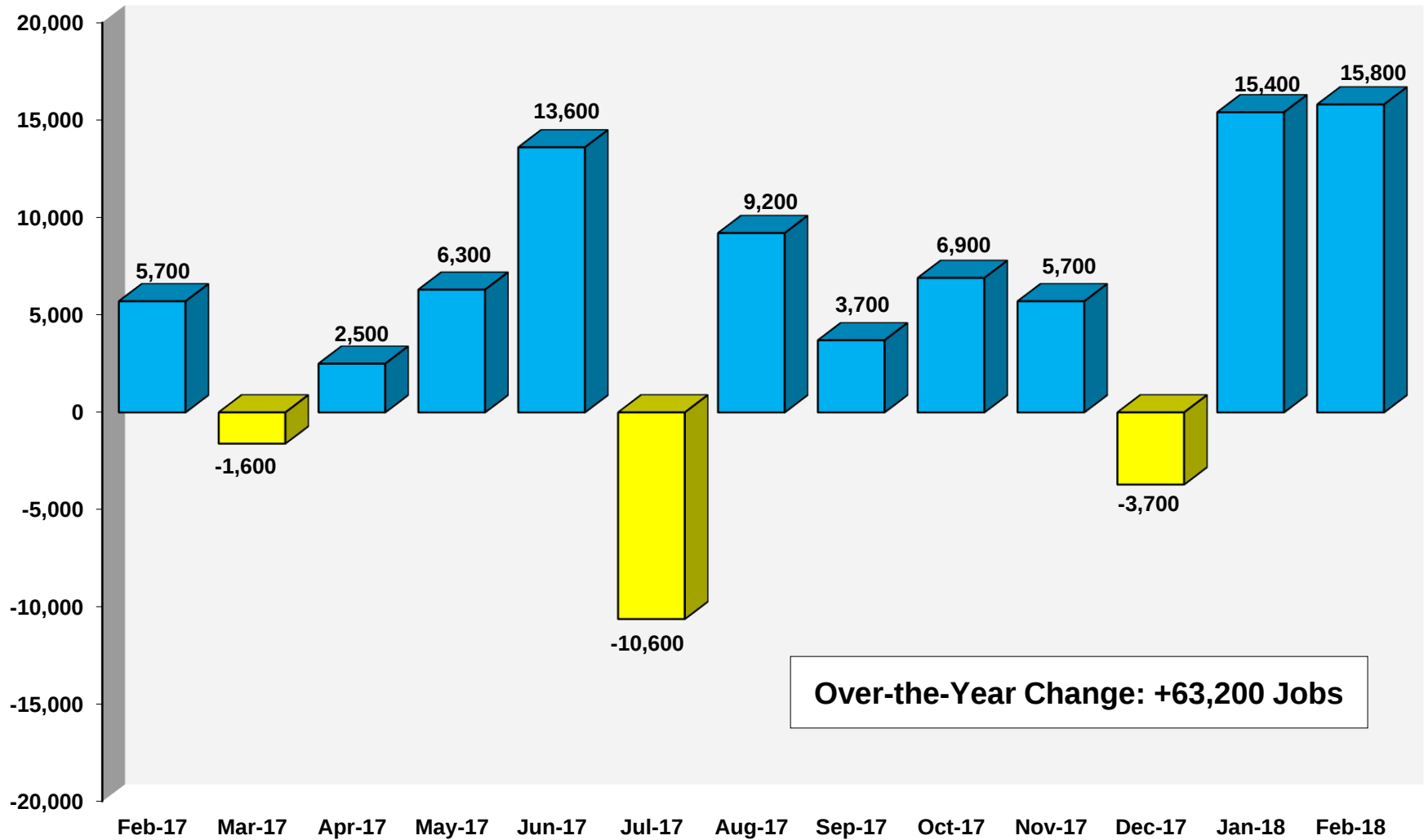
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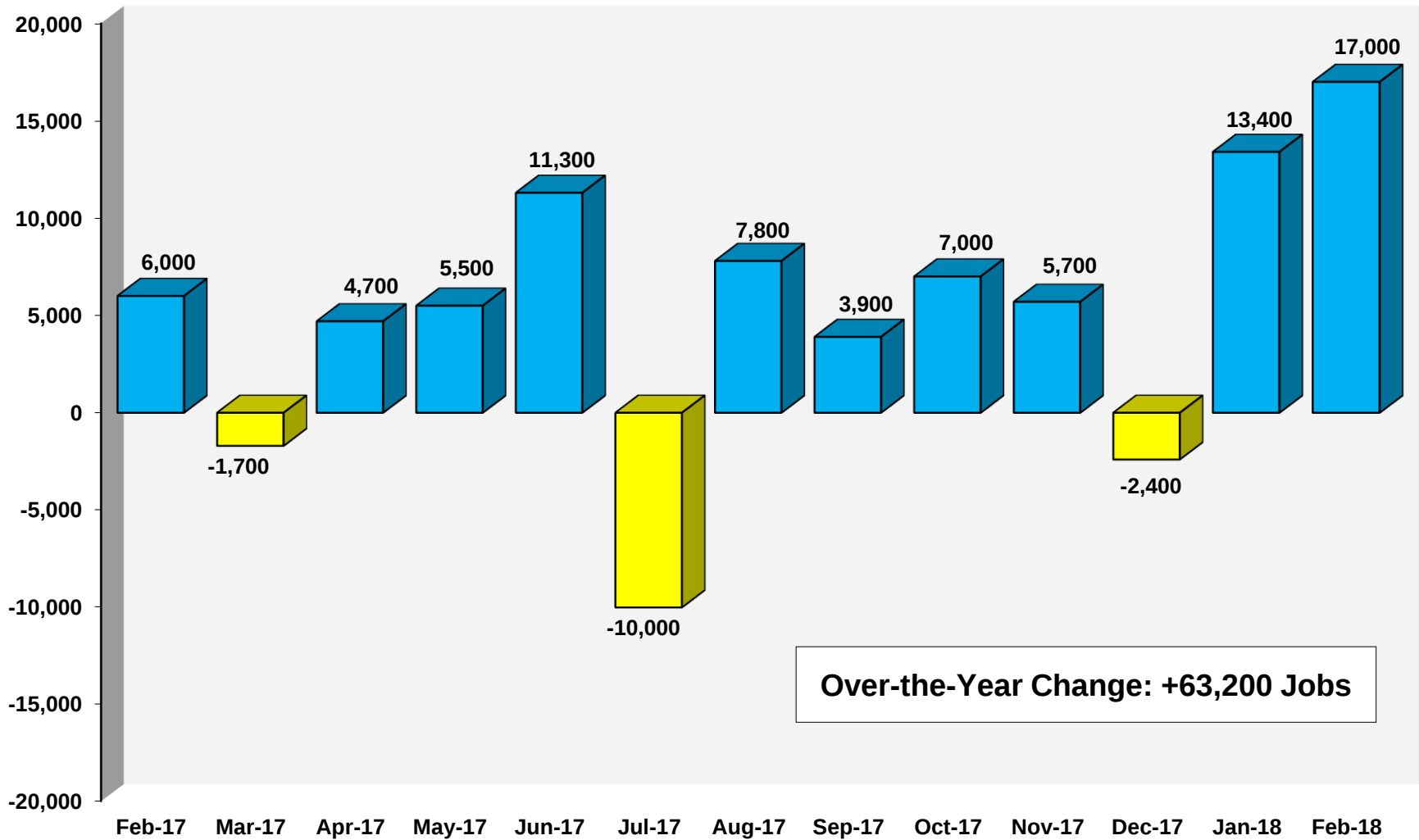
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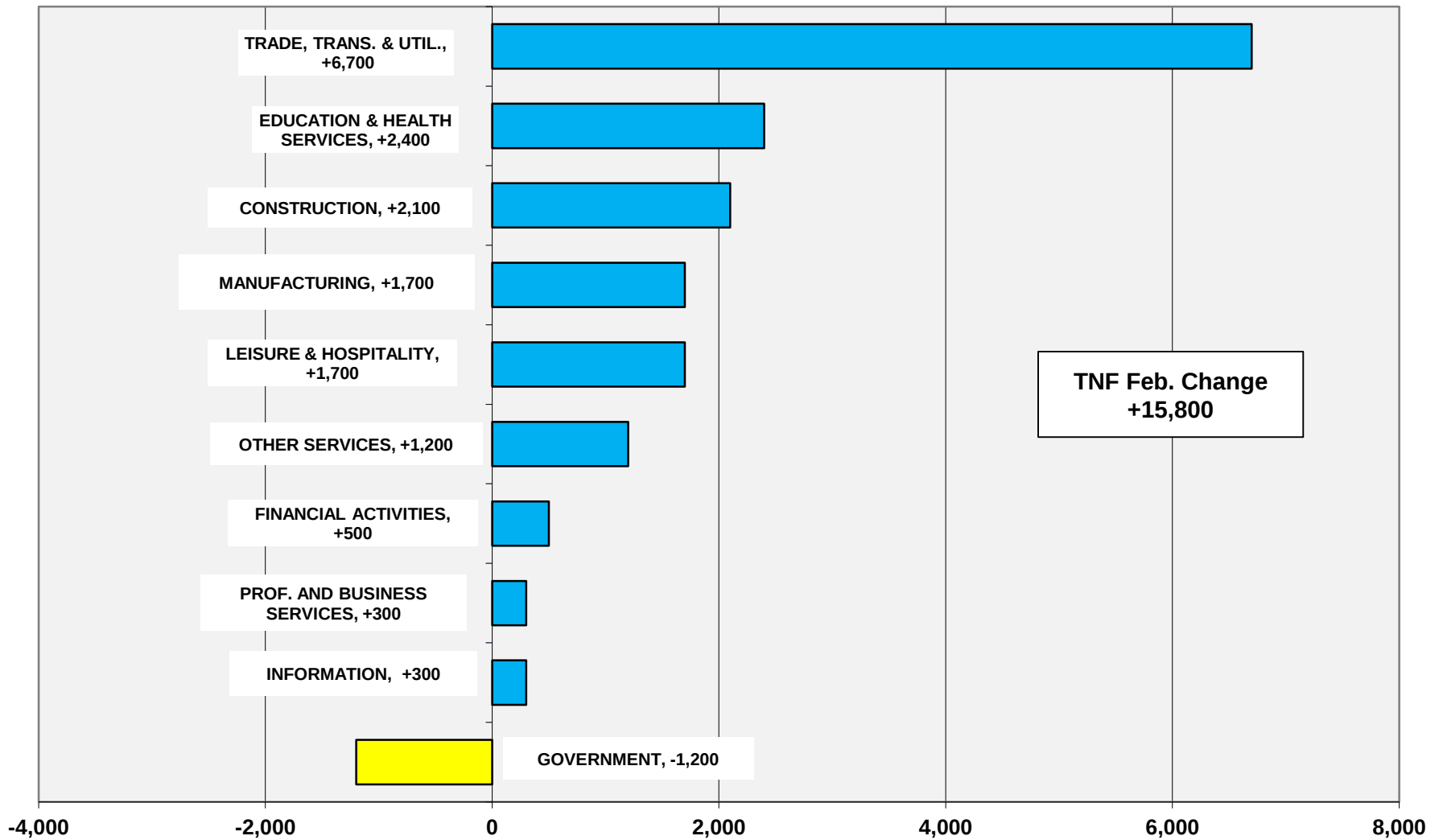
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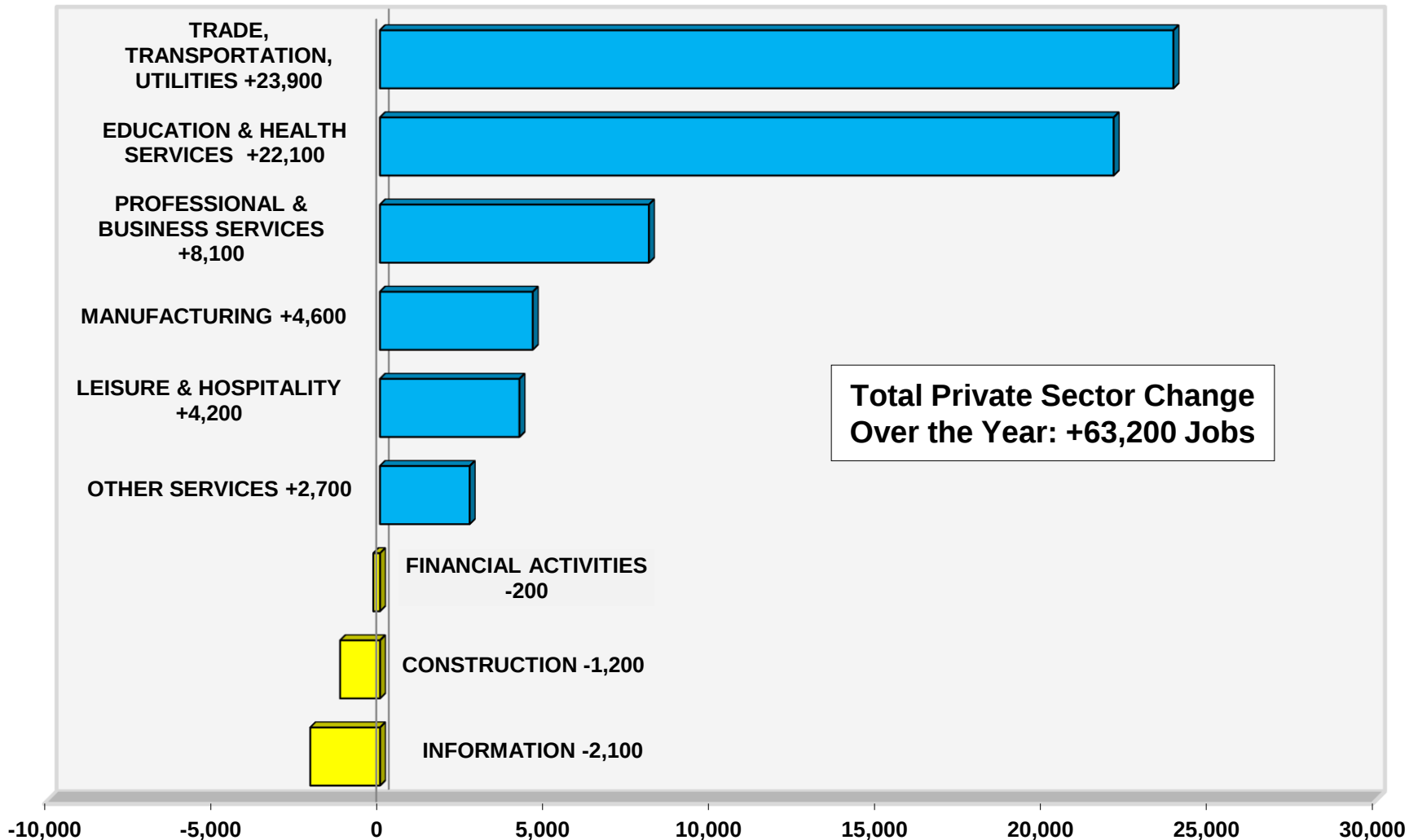
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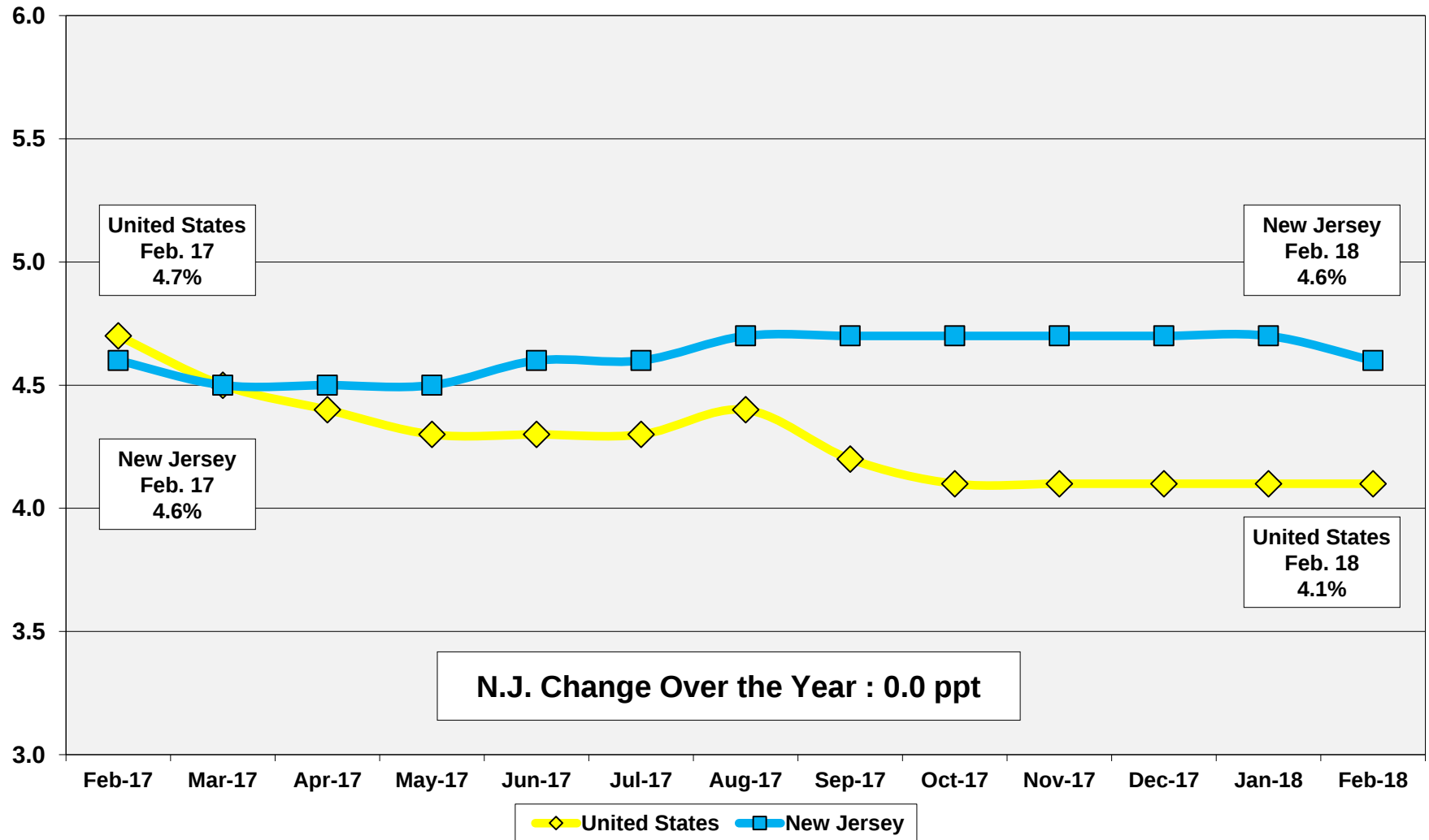
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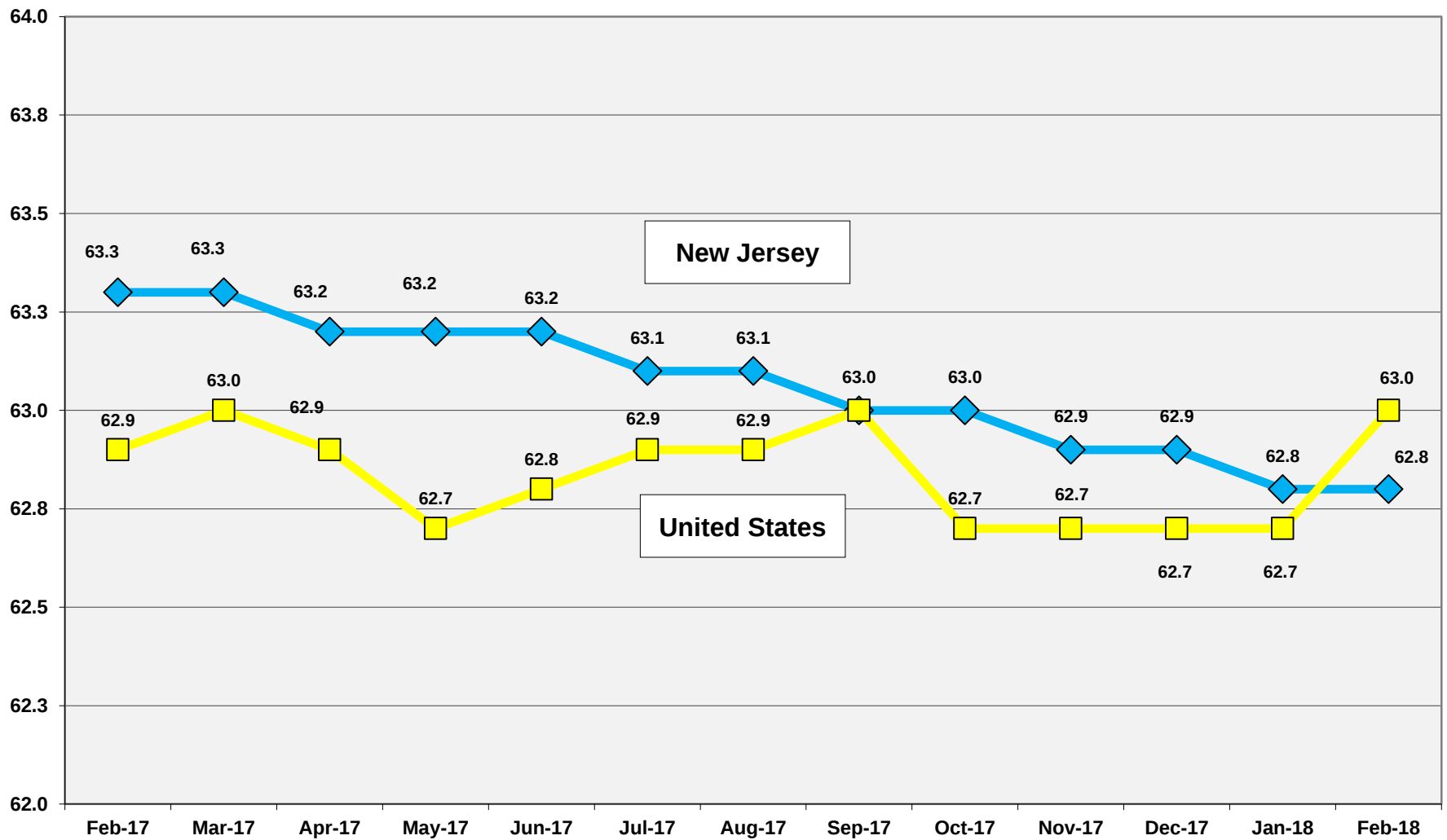
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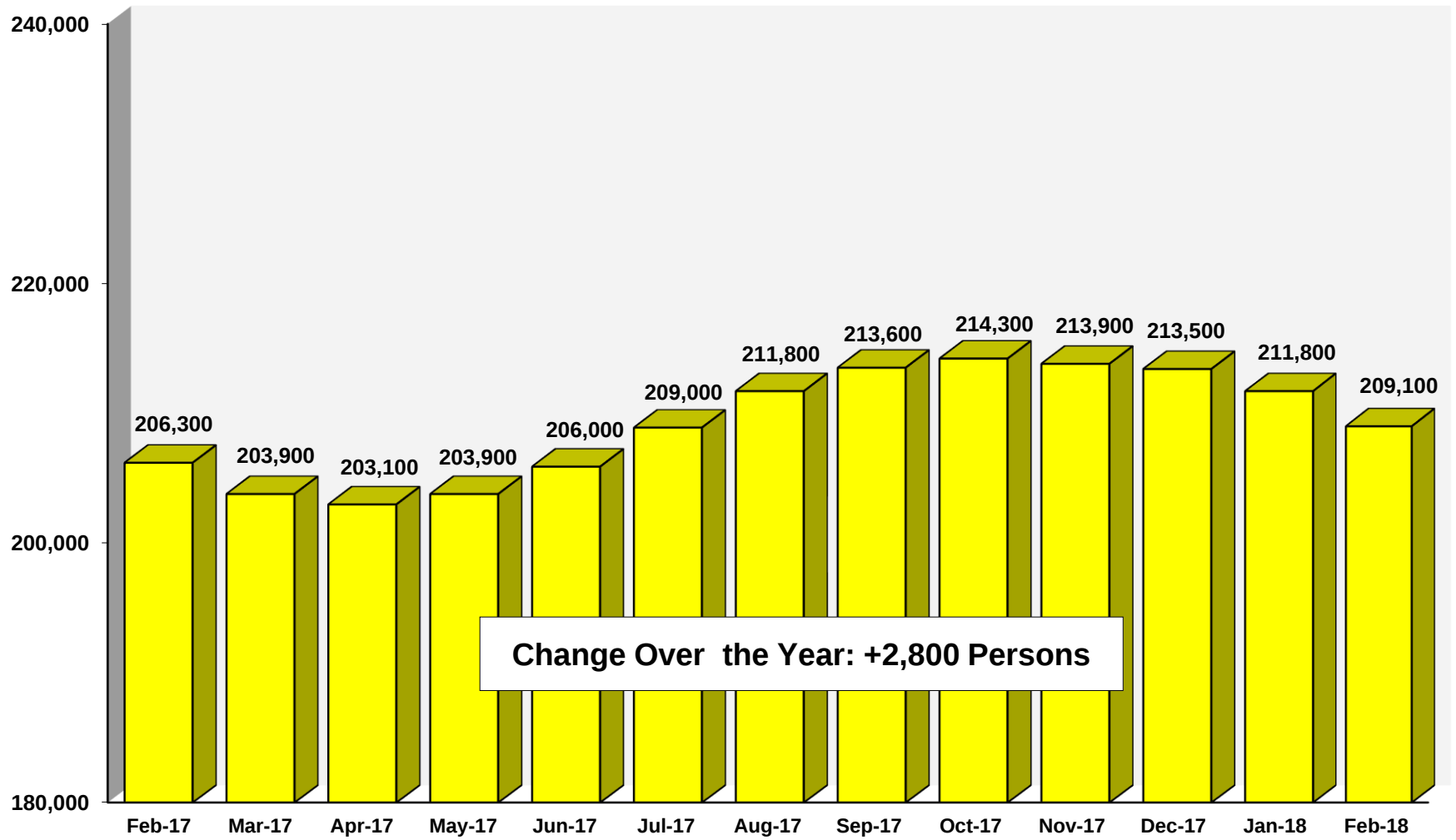
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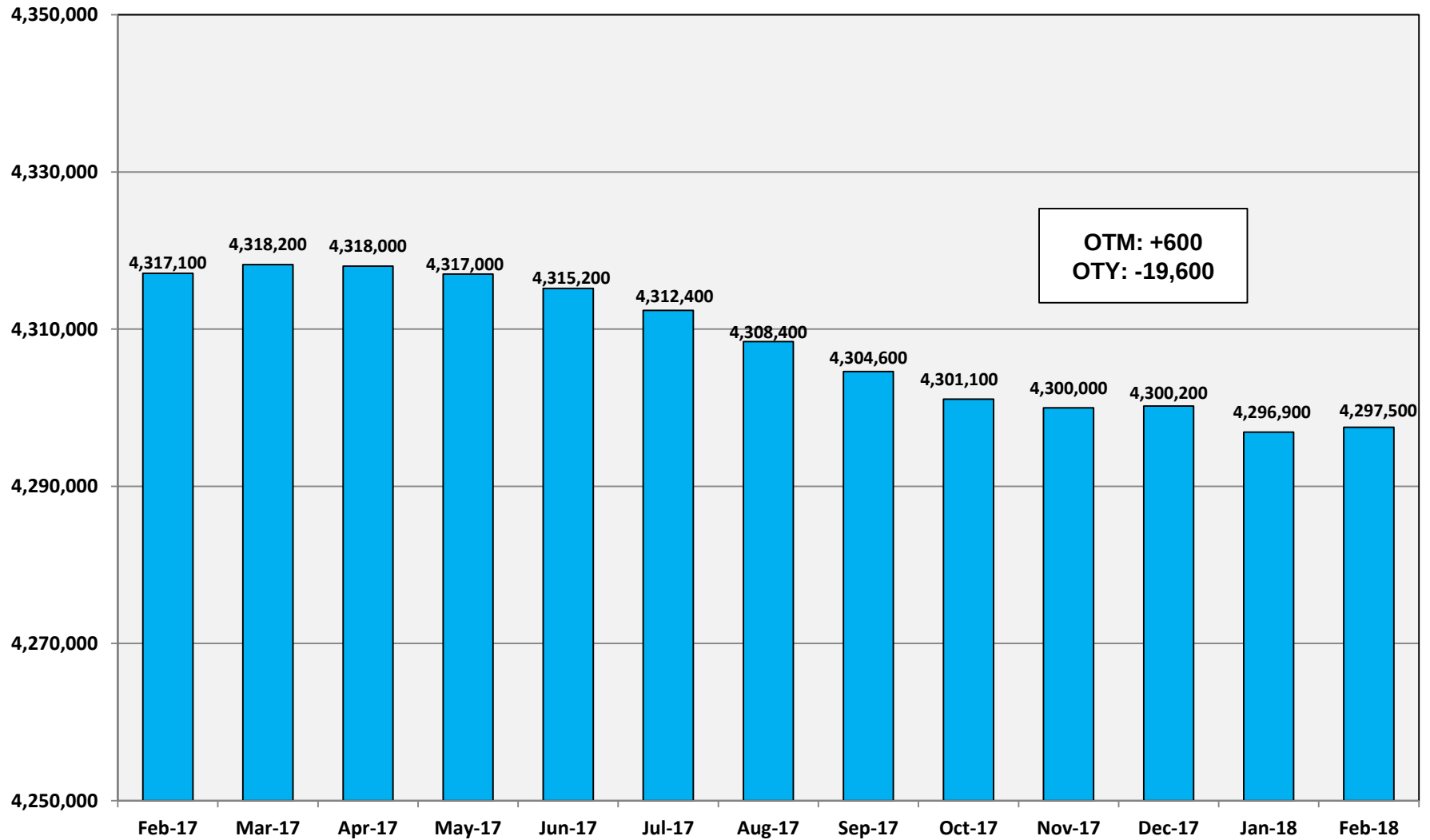
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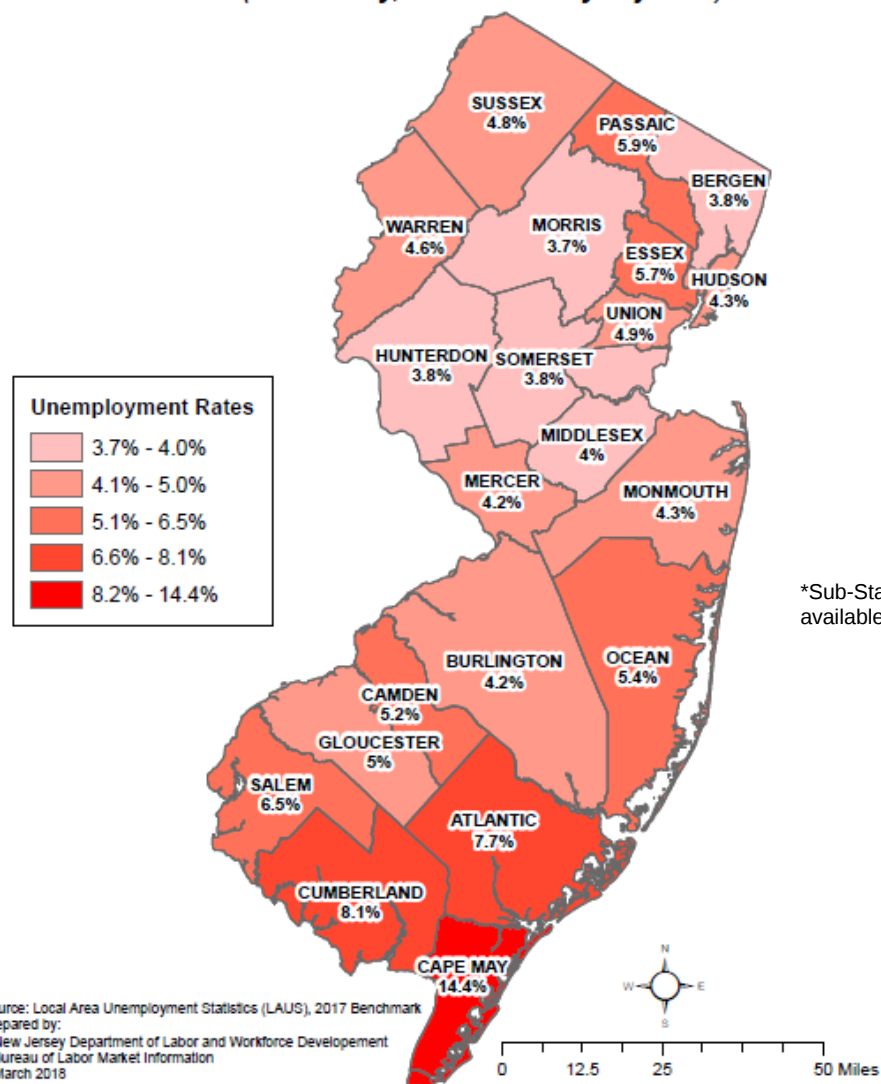
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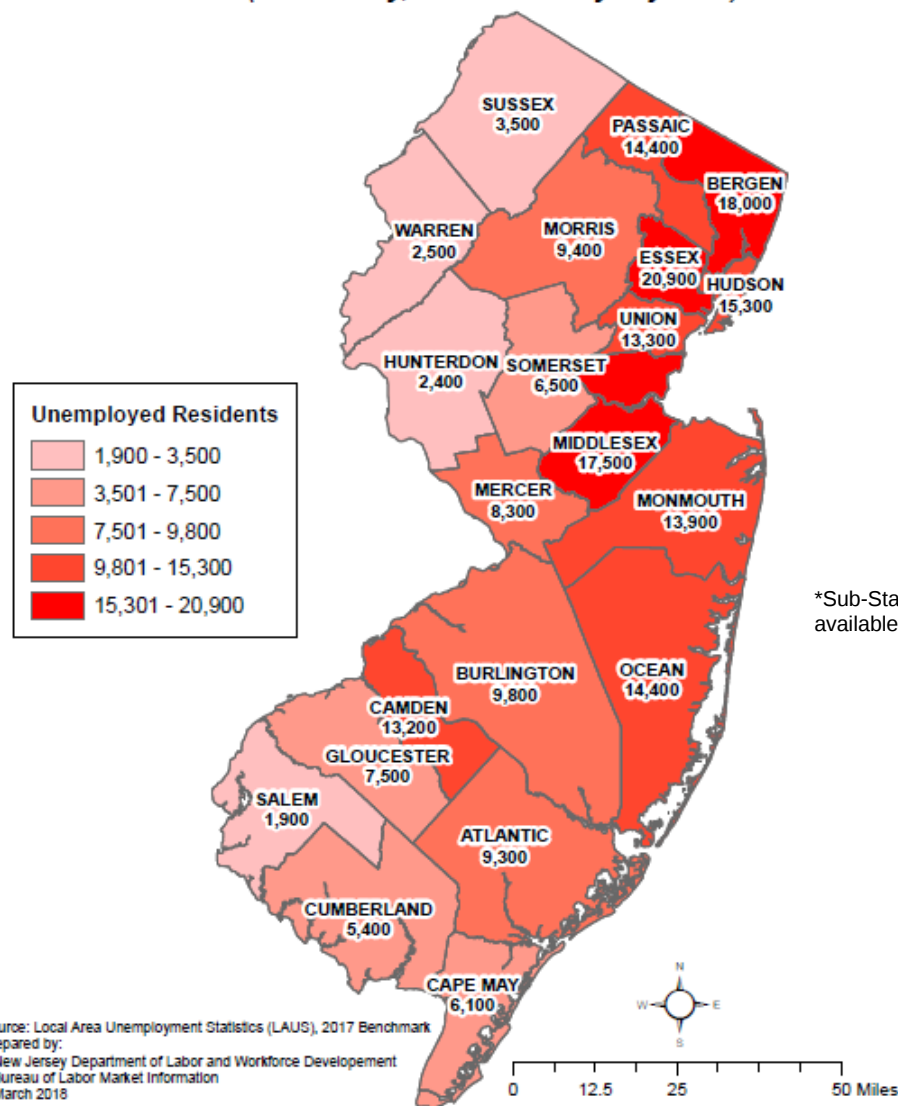
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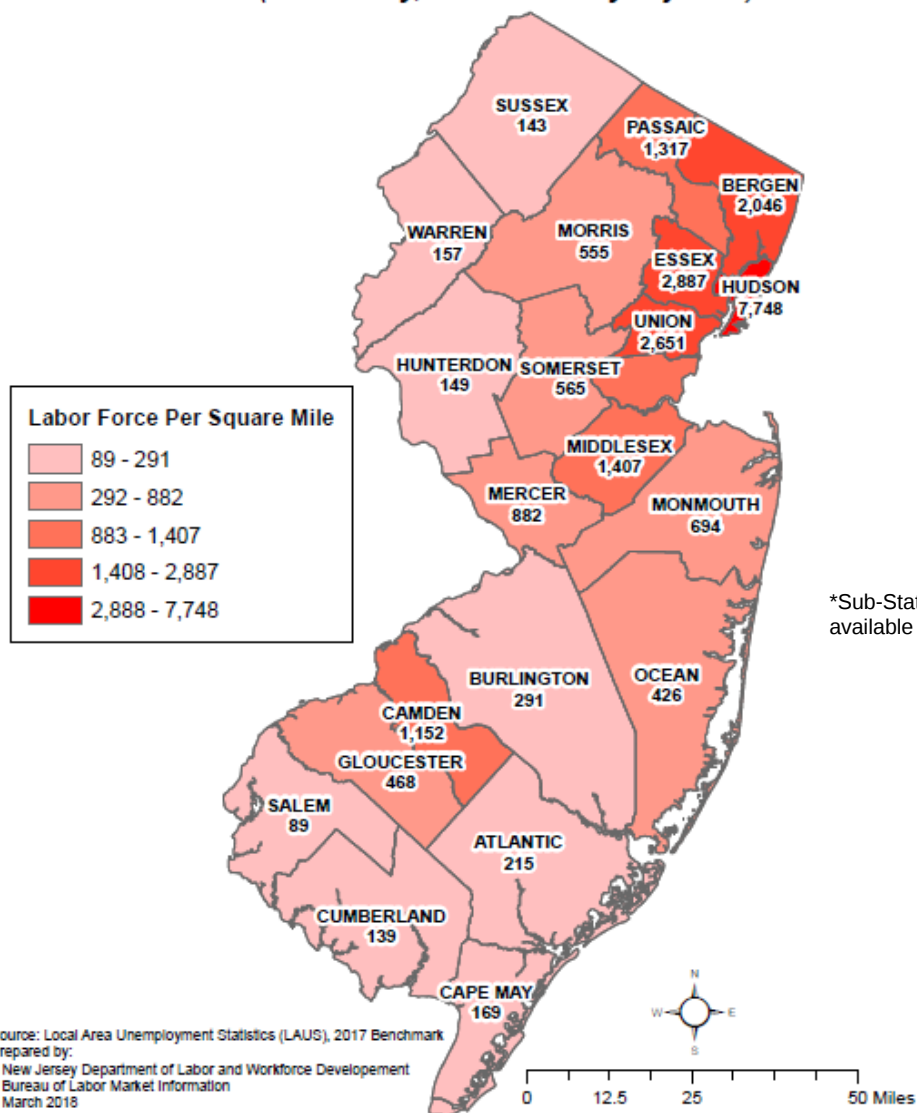
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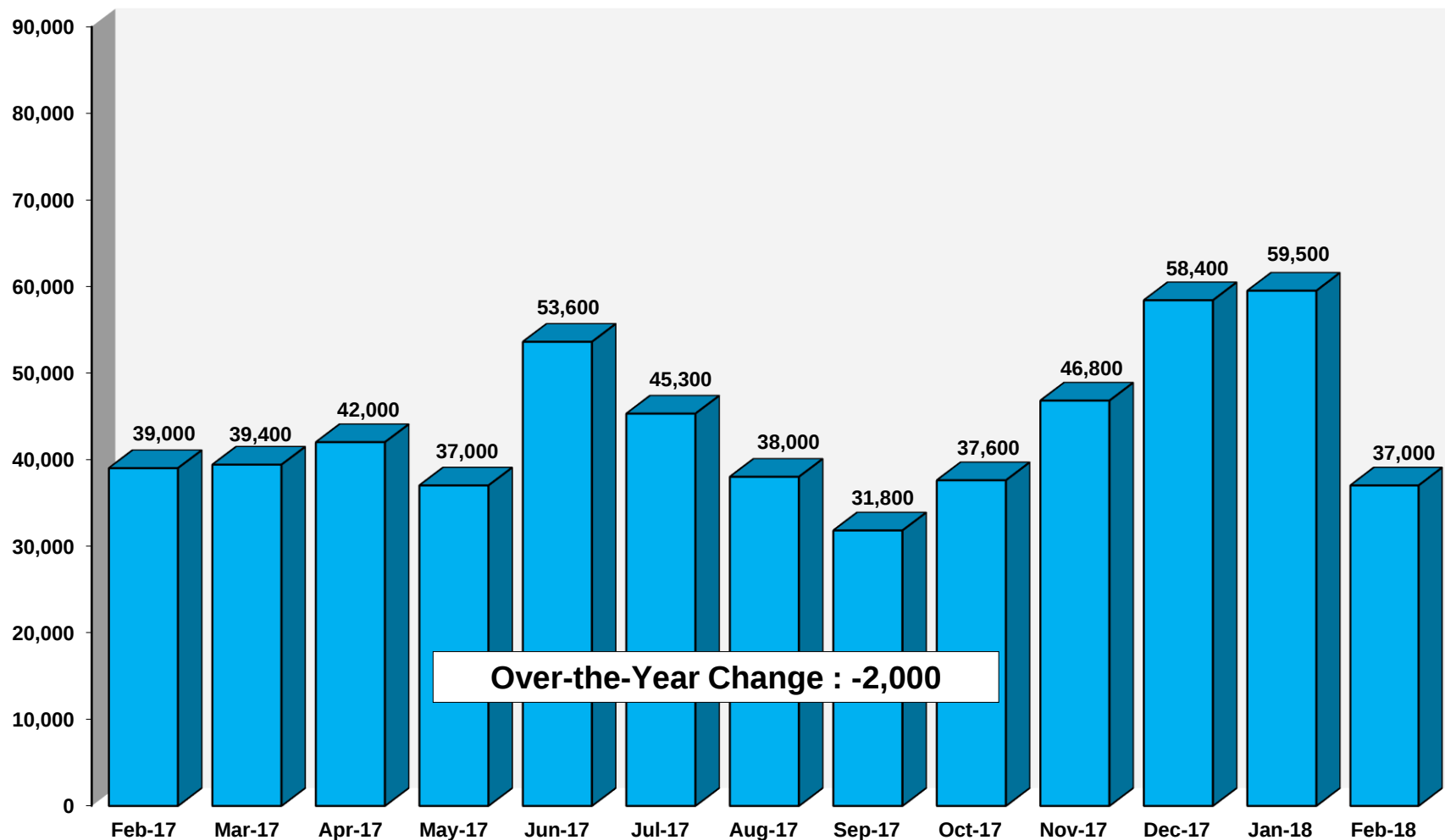
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New Jersey Monthly Initial Unemployment Claims February 2017 - February 2018



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Top 50 Occupational Listings – February 2018 Data

SOC Code (ONET-6)	Occupation Title	Number of Job Posting	Number Employed 2016	% Change In Employment 2015-2016	Projected Statewide Change in Employment 2016-2026	Mean Advertised Salary	Mean Salary	% Requiring High School	% Requiring Post-Secondary or Associate's Degree	% Requiring Bachelor's Degree	% Requiring Graduate or Professional Degree	% Requiring Doctoral Degree	% with Unspecified Education	% with a high school diploma or Less	% with Some College or an Associate's	% with a Bachelor's or higher
15-1132	Software Developers, Applications	2,175	42,050	2%	17.9%	\$116,043	\$101,450	6%	2%	91%	23%	4%	53%	3%	15%	82%
29-1141	Registered Nurses	2,154	79,400	1%	13.2%	\$78,051	\$80,580	7%	50%	50%	5%	1%	11%	2%	41%	57%
41-2031	Retail Salespersons	1,739	131,080	-3%	5.9%	\$51,891	\$27,570	75%	28%	14%	1%	0%	56%	37%	44%	19%
53-3032	Heavy and Tractor-Trailer Truck Drivers	1,732	42,990	6%	10.9%	\$81,235	\$47,990	100%	0%	0%	0%	0%	81%	64%	30%	6%
41-4012	Sales Representatives, Wholesale and Manufacturing, Except	1,597	44,070	0%	2.7%	\$75,758	\$77,130	34%	8%	74%	7%	1%	46%	22%	33%	46%
43-4051	Customer Service Representatives	1,180	66,470	3%	8.4%	\$37,291	\$39,570	72%	14%	31%	2%	0%	49%	34%	46%	21%
41-1011	First-Line Supervisors of Retail Sales Workers	1,038	31,440	3%	4.5%	\$60,039	\$49,560	53%	16%	54%	5%	0%	52%	35%	40%	25%
13-1111	Management Analysts	791	12,720	1%	10.8%	\$99,932	\$98,630	0%	2%	95%	21%	2%	43%	6%	18%	76%
43-6014	Secretaries and Administrative Assistants, Except Legal, Medical, and Executive	675	60,300	-1%	0.4%	\$38,618	\$41,500	64%	18%	41%	4%	2%	50%	31%	48%	21%
11-2021	Marketing Managers	619	11,260	3%	10.9%	\$87,948	\$167,860	8%	3%	89%	47%	4%	25%	9%	24%	67%
11-9111	Medical and Health Services Managers	597	9,960	5%	13.7%	\$100,353	\$119,410	0%	10%	71%	38%	24%	34%	10%	28%	63%
11-2022	Sales Managers	587	12,840	0%	5.6%	\$96,782	\$157,580	12%	4%	91%	24%	3%	22%	9%	24%	67%
15-1121	Computer Systems Analysts	581	14,130	0%	17.0%	\$105,665	\$102,310	4%	3%	91%	23%	4%	44%	5%	23%	72%
13-2011	Accountants and Auditors	569	36,640	-2%	10.9%	\$71,351	\$88,940	0%	0%	99%	21%	1%	30%	5%	18%	77%
53-7062	Laborers and Freight, Stock, and Material Movers, Hand	565	107,840	17%	13.7%	\$31,726	\$28,980	95%	6%	6%	1%	0%	60%	65%	30%	5%
43-3031	Bookkeeping, Accounting, and Auditing Clerks	564	45,120	-1%	-7.7%	\$44,461	\$44,960	32%	19%	60%	2%	0%	46%	32%	49%	19%
49-9071	Maintenance and Repair Workers, General	552	31,180	-5%	5.3%	\$48,081	\$44,530	95%	17%	0%	0%	0%	56%	54%	39%	7%
29-2061	Licensed Practical and Licensed Vocational Nurses	521	16,360	6%	14.6%	\$62,216	\$53,740	85%	25%	0%	0%	0%	77%	23%	72%	5%
11-1021	General and Operations Managers	512	44,800	-3%	8%	\$74,293	\$168,510	21%	3%	82%	22%	3%	27%	18%	34%	47%
35-1012	First-Line Supervisors of Food Preparation and Serving Workers	482	18,710	-5%	16%	\$43,656	\$41,770	82%	4%	21%	0%	0%	56%	46%	41%	12%
15-1134	Web Developers	477	2,570	7%	20.3%	\$93,712	\$73,610	7%	1%	92%	14%	1%	66%	7%	28%	64%
35-3021	Combined Food Preparation and Serving Workers, Including Fast Food	470	52,720	0%	16%	\$53,661	\$21,990	100%	0%	0%	0%	0%	79%	61%	34%	4%
13-1071	Human Resources Specialists	449	14,550	13%	5.2%	\$61,553	\$71,870	21%	12%	80%	12%	2%	32%	12%	30%	58%
11-3031	Financial Managers	414	20,180	-2%	4.4%	\$110,878	\$165,560	10%	1%	83%	38%	3%	30%	12%	27%	60%
15-1151	Computer User Support Specialists	395	13,360	-1%	12.6%	\$58,022	\$59,150	29%	24%	65%	5%	3%	51%	13%	46%	41%



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13-1161	Market Research Analysts and Marketing Specialists	384	16,100	5%	17.1%	\$45,401	\$76,400	0%	6%	91%	18%	3%	47%	6%	17%	77%
33-9032	Security Guards	368	39,110	5%	7.1%	\$37,110	\$30,460	96%	5%	7%	0%	0%	14%	42%	44%	14%
31-1014	Nursing Assistants	367	53,640	1%	15%	\$37,036	\$28,980	100%	0%	0%	0%	0%	43%	47%	44%	10%
29-1123	Physical Therapists	354	6,920	-8%	29.4%	\$81,108	\$96,890	0%	0%	0%	79%	32%	90%	2%	7%	92%
27-1026	Merchandise Displayers and Window Trimmers	353	3,230	4%	3.1%	\$30,538	\$31,230	79%	12%	20%	1%	0%	67%	14%	32%	54%
15-1131	Computer Programmers	349	13,080	-13%	15.1%	N/A	\$85,100	14%	4%	78%	35%	4%	61%	6%	25%	69%
53-3033	Light Truck or Delivery Services Drivers	340	26,810	-1%	12%	\$42,570	\$37,100	100%	0%	0%	0%	0%	66%	64%	30%	6%
43-3071	Tellers	335	15,240	0%	-12.3%	N/A	\$30,280	78%	4%	25%	0%	0%	8%	33%	51%	16%
15-1141	Database Administrators	331	3,310	8%	8.3%	\$109,153	\$107,340	5%	3%	94%	20%	3%	57%	7%	23%	70%
43-5081	Stock Clerks and Order Fillers	323	67,850	3%	7.0%	\$31,274	\$27,040	88%	6%	16%	1%	0%	64%	57%	36%	8%
43-1011	First-Line Supervisors of Office and Administrative Support Workers	317	41,110	0%	7.2%	\$57,928	\$61,780	34%	11%	73%	11%	0%	32%	26%	41%	33%
53-3031	Driver/Sales Workers	316	7,360	8%	11.6%	\$41,808	\$32,490	100%	0%	0%	0%	0%	71%	64%	30%	6%
13-2051	Financial Analysts	310	7,960	-3%	1.8%	\$80,685	\$100,430	0%	0%	97%	29%	0%	26%	3%	10%	86%
53-6031	Automotive and Watercraft Service Attendants	290	9,210	-10%	7.6%	\$54,078	\$20,970	97%	7%	4%	1%	0%	46%	61%	33%	6%
15-1122	Information Security Analysts	271	2,180	16%	2.4%	N/A	\$113,990	9%	8%	86%	19%	2%	33%	6%	29%	65%
15-1142	Network and Computer Systems Administrators	268	11,620	13%	6%	\$85,186	\$94,870	13%	12%	81%	13%	1%	54%	8%	41%	51%
13-2082	Tax Preparers	262	1,320	-8%	2.5%	N/A	\$47,880	95%	0%	55%	0%	0%	3%	16%	36%	47%
43-4171	Receptionists and Information Clerks	246	52,470	4%	11.6%	\$34,621	\$31,440	97%	6%	6%	0%	0%	37%	37%	49%	15%
11-3011	Administrative Services Managers	240	8,510	1%	5.2%	\$74,335	\$130,400	11%	9%	77%	41%	16%	24%	20%	41%	40%
43-9061	Office Clerks, General	237	73,320	-3%	1.0%	\$34,156	\$34,890	76%	15%	31%	1%	1%	60%	33%	48%	19%
41-2011	Cashiers	232	95,550	-1%	4.1%	N/A	\$22,210	100%	0%	0%	0%	0%	82%	55%	38%	7%
35-2014	Cooks, Restaurant	224	20,480	9%	19.6%	N/A	\$31,810	95%	10%	0%	0%	0%	61%	68%	28%	4%
31-1011	Home Health Aides	216	38,510	9	45.0%	\$46,416	\$23,230	100%	0%	0%	0%	0%	44%	47%	44%	10%
37-2011	Janitors and Cleaners, Except Maids and Housekeeping Cleaners	209	64,260	0%	5.0%	\$32,898	\$30,920	100%	0%	0%	0%	0%	54%	69%	26%	5%
15-1143	Computer Network Architects	203	6,550	5%	5.5%	N/A	\$120,150	6%	19%	83%	17%	2%	50%	7%	37%	57%



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