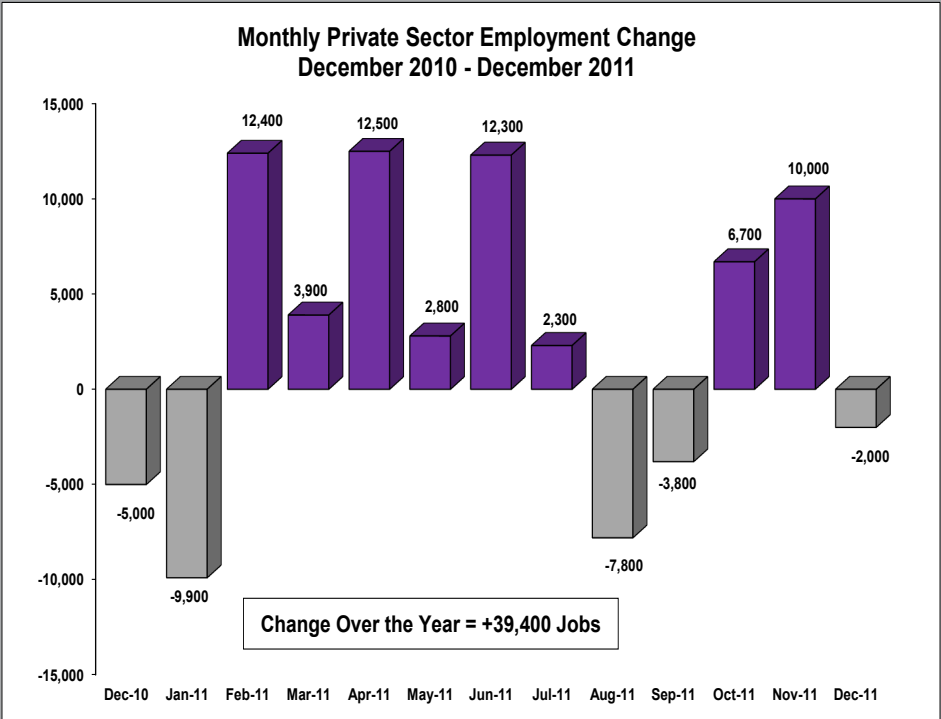
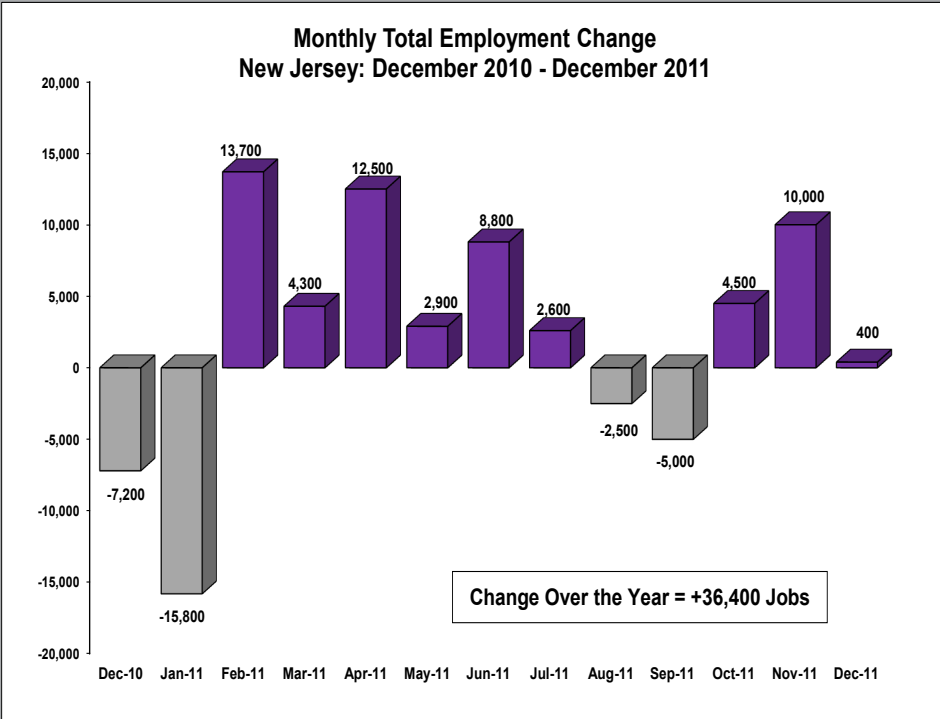
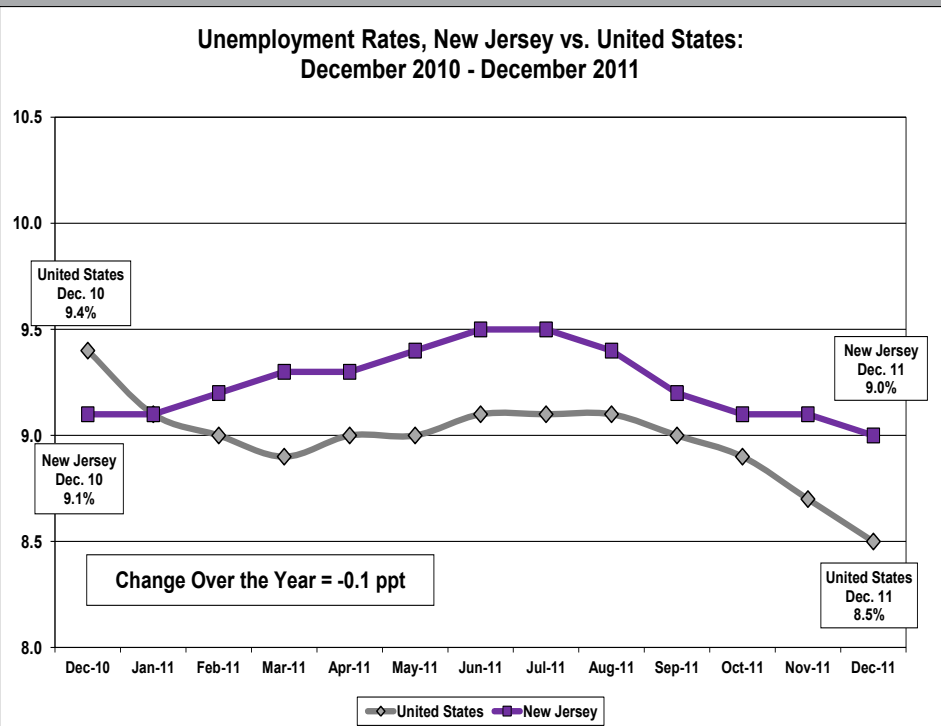
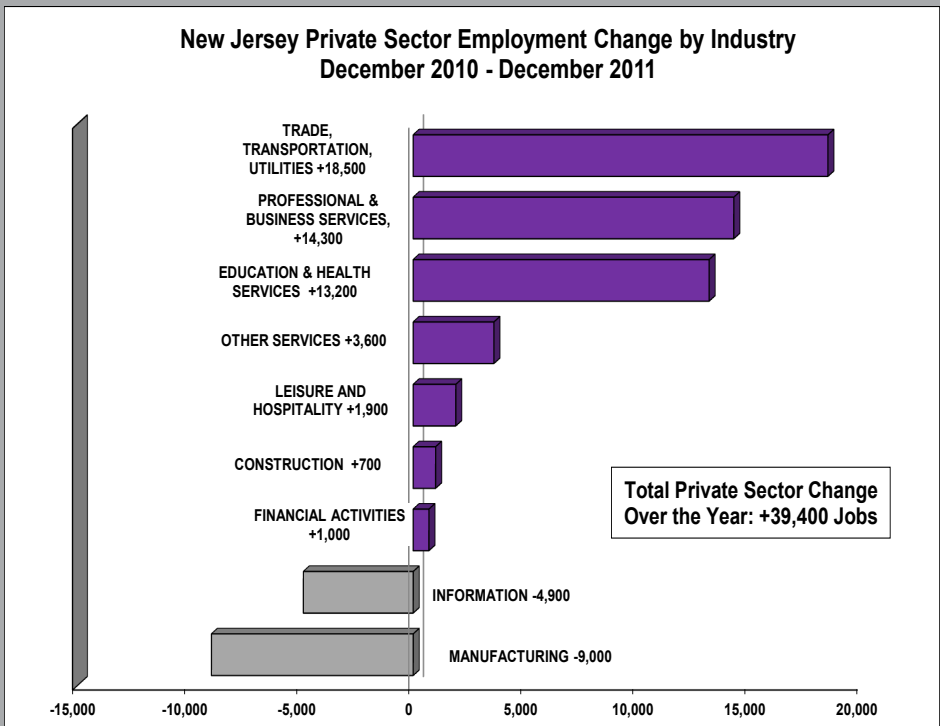


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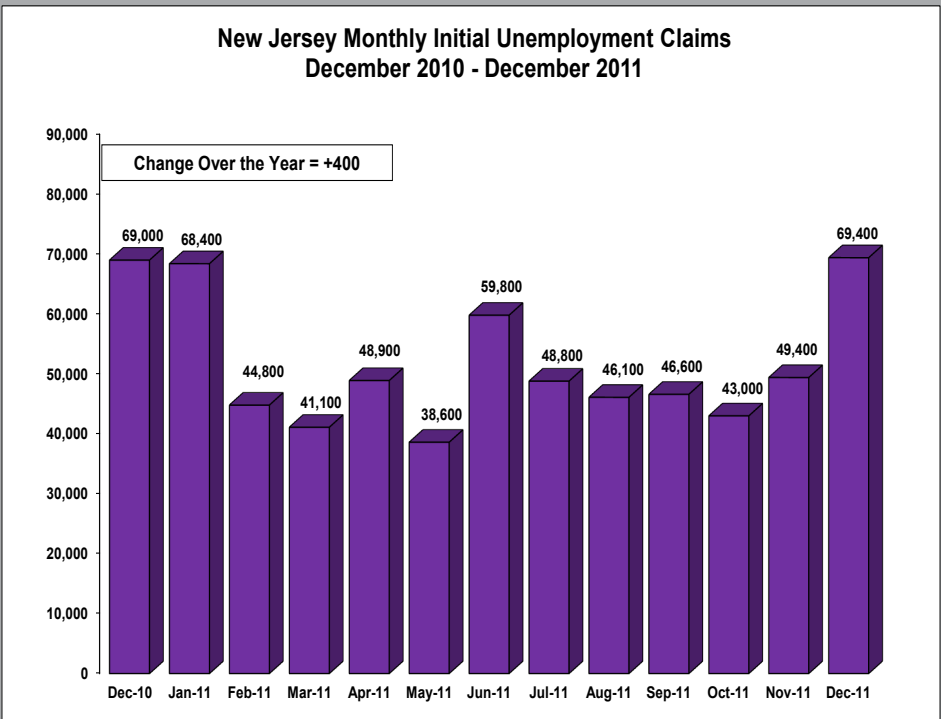
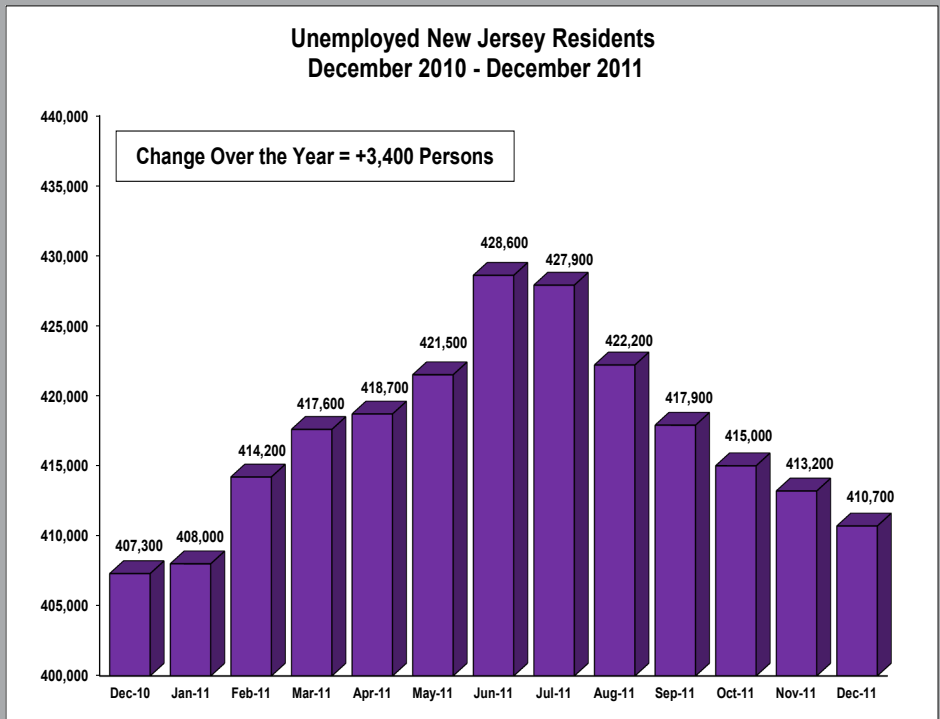
↑ Total Employment Up
by 36,400 Over the Year

↓ Private Sector Jobs Down
by 2,000 in December



↑ 39,400 Private Sector
Job Gain Over the Year

↓ Unemployment Rate Down
Slightly in December



↓ Unemployed Residents
Lower by 2,500 in December

↔ Initial UI Claims Little
Changed Over the Year