

# Nevada Employment & Unemployment

**Estimates for January 2008** 

Unemployment Rates:	
Nevada Statewide (Seasonally Adjusted)	5.5%
Las Vegas-Paradise MSA	5.7%
Reno-Sparks MSA	6.6%
Carson City MSA	7.5%
Elko Micropolitan Area	4.6%
United States (Seasonally Adjusted)	4.9%
California (December) (Seasonally Adjusted)	5.9%

Employment estimates are produced by the Current Employment Statistics program.

Labor Force estimates are produced by the Local Area Unemployment Statistics program

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## Nevada Statewide (Estimates In Thousands)

LABOR FORCE SUMMARY	JAN 2008	JAN 2007	CHANGE	% CHANGE	<b>DEC 2007</b>
TOTAL LABOR FORCE	1371.3	1326.3	45.0	3.4%	1365.6
UNEMPLOYMENT	82.2	65.2	17.0	26.1%	77.3
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	6.0%	4.9%			5.7%
RATE (Seasonally Adjusted)	5.5%	4.5%			5.8%
TOTAL EMPLOYMENT 1/	1289.1	1261.1	28.0	2.2%	1288.3

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ESTABLISHMENT BASED INDUSTRIAL	<b>EMPLOYMENT</b>	2/			
Total All Industries	1277.9	1268.2	9.7	0.8%	1301.0
Goods Producing	186.5	191.9	-5.4	-2.8%	191.2
Natural Resources & Mining	12.2	11.8	0.4	3.4%	12.3
Metal Ore Mining	9.4	9.2	0.2	2.2%	9.5
Construction	123.7	130.3	-6.6	-5.1%	128.3
Specialty Trade Contractors	87.6	91.8	-4.2	-4.6%	91.0
Manufacturing	50.6	49.8	0.8	1.6%	50.6
Durable Goods	34.4	34.2	0.2	0.6%	34.4
Computer & Electronic Products	12.4	12.5	-0.1	-0.8%	12.4
Other Miscellaneous (Includes Slot Mfg.)	8.5	8.5	0.0	0.0%	8.4
Non-durable Goods	16.2	15.6	0.6	3.8%	16.2
Services Producing	1091.4	1076.3	15.1	1.4%	1109.8
Private Service Providing	935.4	924.9	10.5	1.1%	947.0
Trade, Transportation & Utilities	235.8	228.6	7.2	3.1%	241.4
Wholesale	39.7	38.9	0.8	2.1%	39.8
Retail	142.3	137.5	4.8	3.5%	147.0
General Merchandise & Clothing	46.9	43.7	3.2	7.3%	49.8
Food & Beverage Stores	21.3	20.7	0.6	2.9%	21.6
Health and Personal Care Stores	7.6	20.7 7.4	0.8	2.9% 2.7%	7.8
Transportation, Warehousing & Utilities	53.8	52.2	1.6	3.1%	54.6
Utilities	4.5	4.5	0.0	0.0%	4.5
Transportation & Warehousing	49.3	47.7	1.6	3.4%	50.1
Trucking, Couriers/Messengers, and	21.7	21.7	0.0	0.0%	22.7
Air	5.7	5.2	0.5	9.6%	5.7
Transit and Ground Passenger	13.8	13.4	0.4	3.0%	13.7
Taxi and Limousine Service	10.2	10.0	0.2	2.0%	10.1
Information	15.4	15.3	0.1	0.7%	15.4
Telecommunications	5.7	5.5	0.2	3.6%	5.7
Financial Activities	63.3	65.0	-1.7	-2.6%	64.5
Finance and Insurance	36.0	38.2	-2.2	-5.8%	36.8
Credit Intermediation & Related	22.8	24.6	-1.8	-7.3%	23.2
Real Estate & Rental Leasing	27.3	26.8	0.5	1.9%	27.7
Professional & Business Services	154.0	158.4	-4.4	-2.8%	154.9
Professional, Scientific and Technical	54.5	54.7	-0.2	-0.4%	54.9
Management of Companies	17.5	16.0	1.5	9.4%	17.2
Administrative & Support and Waste Mgt.	82.0	87.7	-5.7	-6.5%	82.8
Administrative & Support Services	78.7	84.5	-5.8	-6.9%	79.5
Employment Services	22.9	27.4	-4.5	-16.4%	25.3
Education and Health Services	94.1	89.7	4.4	4.9%	94.5
Educational Services	7.3	6.7	0.6	9.0%	7.4
Health Care and Social Assistance	86.8	83.0	3.8	4.6%	87.1
Ambulatory Health Care Services	40.6	38.8	1.8	4.6%	40.8
Hospitals	21.7	20.6	1.1	5.3%	21.6
Leisure and Hospitality	336.8	332.7	4.1	1.2%	339.6
Arts, Entertainment and Recreation	29.9	29.6	0.3	1.0%	30.2
Accommodation and Food Service	306.9	303.1	3.8	1.3%	309.4
Accommodation	211.9	211.4	0.5	0.2%	213.3
Casino Hotels and Gaming	211.0	211.8	-0.8	-0.4%	212.7
Casino Hotels	197.8	198.6	-0.8	-0.4%	199.3
Gaming Industries	13.2	13.2	0.0	0.0%	13.4
Food Services and Drinking Places	95.0	91.7	3.3	3.6%	96.1
Full-Service Restaurants	45.4	44.6	0.8	1.8%	45.7
Limited-Service Restaurants	37.1	35.3	1.8	5.1%	37.5
Other Services	36.0	35.2	0.8	2.3%	36.7
Government	156.0	151.4	4.6	3.0%	162.8
Federal	16.7	17.0	-0.3	-1.8%	17.0
State	33.2	32.8	0.4	1.2%	38.8
Local	106.1	101.6	4.5	4.4%	107.0

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### Las Vegas-Paradise MSA

Includes Clark County
(Estimates In Thousands)

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LABOR FORCE SUMMARY	JAN 2008	JAN 2007	CHANGE 9	% CHANGE	<b>DEC 2007</b>			
TOTAL LABOR FORCE	979.6	950.5	29.1	3.1%	977.5			
UNEMPLOYMENT	55.7	44.7	11.0	24.6%	55.2			
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	5.7%	4.7%			5.6%			
TOTAL EMPLOYMENT 1/	923.9	905.8	18.1	2.0%	922.3			

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ESTABLISHMENT BASED INDUSTRIAL	EMPLOYMEN	IT 2/			
Total All Industries	921.4	913.2	8.2	0.9%	932.9
Goods Producing	122.7	128.1	-5.4	-4.2%	125.1
Natural Resources & Mining	0.5	0.5	0.0	0.0%	0.5
Construction	95.5	100.9	-5.4	-5.4%	97.9
Construction of Buildings	18.9	18.3	0.6	3.3%	19.2
Specialty Trade Contractors	68.5	72.4	-3.9	-5.4%	70.4
Building Foundation & Exterior Contractors	18.6	23.2	-4.6	-19.8%	18.9
Building Finishing Contractors	19.2	18.8	0.4	2.1%	19.8
Manufacturing	26.7	26.7	0.0	0.0%	26.7
Durable Goods	17.3	17.4	-0.1	-0.6%	17.3
Other Miscellaneous Manufacturing	4.9	4.9	0.0	0.0%	4.8
Non-durable Goods	9.4	9.3	0.0	1.1%	9.4
Services Producing	798.7	785.1	13.6	1.7%	807.8
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Private Service Providing	700.5	691.3	9.2	1.3%	705.7
Trade, Transportion & Utilites	163.3	158.4	4.9	3.1%	167.8
Wholesale	24.4	23.8	0.6	2.5%	24.5
Retail	101.8	98.7	3.1	3.1%	105.7
General Merchandise & Clothing	35.7	33.1	2.6	7.9%	38.1
Food & Beverage Stores	15.3	14.6	0.7	4.8%	15.6
Health and Personal Care Stores	6.1	6.0	0.1	1.7%	6.4
Trans, Warehousing & Utilities	37.1	35.9	1.2	3.3%	37.6
Utilities	3.1	3.1	0.0	0.0%	3.1
Transportation & Warehousing	34.0	32.8	1.2	3.7%	34.5
Air	4.9	4.4	0.5	11.4%	4.9
Transit and Ground Passenger	12.8	12.5	0.3	2.4%	12.8
Taxi and Limousine Service	9.9	9.7	0.2	2.1%	9.9
Information	11.1	11.3	-0.2	-1.8%	11.1
Telecomunications	4.4	4.2	0.2	4.8%	4.3
Financial Activites	49.3	50.4	-1.1	-2.2%	50.0
Finance and Insurance	27.4	29.1	-1.7	-5.8%	27.9
Credit Intermediation & Related	18.0	19.5	-1.5	-7.7%	18.2
Real Estate and Rental and Leasing	21.9	21.3	0.6	2.8%	22.1
Professional & Business Services	114.6	116.9	-2.3	-2.0%	112.0
Professional, Scientific and Technical	38.5	38.6	-0.1	-0.3%	38.7
Management of Companies	13.3	12.2	1.1	9.0%	13.1
Administrative & Support and Waste Mgt.	62.8	66.1	-3.3	-5.0%	60.2
Administrative and Support Services	60.3	63.8	-3.5	-5.5%	57.9
Employment Services	15.2	18.1	-2.9	-16.0%	15.9
Other Support Services	9.7	11.3	-1.6	-14.2%	7.1
Education and Health Services	65.2	61.5	3.7	6.0%	65.4
Health Care and Social Assistance	59.7	56.7	3.0	5.3%	59.8
Ambulatory Health Care Services	28.5	27.2	1.3	4.8%	28.7
Hospitals	14.7	13.7	1.0	7.3%	14.6
Leisure and Hospitality	271.7	268.3	3.4	1.3%	<b>273.7</b>
Arts, Entertainment and Recreation	18.8	18.4	0.4	2.2%	19.0
Accommodation and Food Service	252.9	249.9	3.0	1.2%	254.7
Accommodation	178.5	178.1	0.4	0.2%	179.7
Casino Hotels and Gaming	173.3	174.0	-0.7	-0.4%	174.6
Casino Hotels	167.3	167.9	-0.6	-0.4%	168.5
Gaming Industries	6.0	6.1	-0.1	-1.6%	6.1
Food Services and Drinking Places	74.4	71.8	2.6	3.6%	75.0
Full-Service Restaurants	36.4	35.7	0.7	2.0%	36.6
Limited-Service Restaurants	27.6	26.2	1.4	5.3%	27.8
Other Services	25.3	24.5	0.8	3.3%	25.7
Government	98.2	93.8	4.4	4.7%	102.1
Federal	11.2	11.3	-0.1	-0.9%	11.3
State	14.6	14.1	0.5	3.5%	18.0
Local	72.4	68.4	4.0	5.8%	72.8

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### Reno-Sparks MSA

Includes Washoe and Storey Counties (Estimates In Thousands)

LABOR FORCE SUMMARY	JAN 2008	JAN 2007	CHANGE	% CHANGE	<b>DEC 2007</b>
TOTAL LABOR FORCE	231.4	225.0	6.4	2.8%	232.3
UNEMPLOYMENT	15.2	11.3	3.9	34.5%	12.5
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	6.6%	5.0%			5.4%
TOTAL EMPLOYMENT 1/	216.2	213.7	2.5	1.2%	219.8

ESTABLISHMENT BASED INDUSTRIA	ESTABLISHMENT BASED INDUSTRIAL EMPLOYMENT 2/						
Total All Industries	219.6	218.2	1.4	0.6%	227.3		
Goods Producing	33.3	34.9	-1.6	-4.6%	35.3		
Natural Resources & Mining	0.4	0.4	0.0	0.0%	0.4		
Construction	18.3	20.1	-1.8	-9.0%	20.1		
Manufacturing	14.6	14.4	0.2	1.4%	14.8		
Miscellaneous Manufacturing	3.7	3.7	0.0	0.0%	3.7		
Services Producing	186.3	183.3	3.0	1.6%	192.0		
Private Service Producing	157.8	155.2	2.6	1.7%	161.6		
Trade, Transportion & Utilites	49.3	47.4	1.9	4.0%	50.4		
Wholesale	10.8	10.7	0.1	0.9%	10.8		
Retail	24.9	23.8	1.1	4.6%	25.7		
General Merchandise & Clothing	7.7	7.2	0.5	6.9%	8.1		
Food & Beverage Stores	3.5	3.4	0.1	2.9%	3.5		
Trans, Warehousing & Utilities	13.6	12.9	0.7	5.4%	13.9		
Information	2.8	2.7	0.1	3.7%	2.8		
Financial Activites	9.8	10.2	-0.4	-3.9%	10.0		
Finance and Insurance	5.8	6.3	-0.5	-7.9%	6.0		
Professional & Business Services	28.0	28.4	-0.4	-1.4%	29.9		
Administrative & Support and Waste Mgt.	14.1	15.0	-0.9	-6.0%	15.9		
Education and Health Services	20.9	20.3	0.6	3.0%	21.1		
Leisure and Hospitality	39.8	39.0	0.8	2.1%	40.1		
Accommodation and Food Service	33.7	32.8	0.9	2.7%	34.1		
Accommodation	20.1	19.6	0.5	2.6%	20.2		
Casino Hotels	19.0	18.6	0.4	2.2%	19.1		
Food Services and Drinking Places	13.6	13.2	0.4	3.0%	13.9		
Other Services	7.2	7.2	0.0	0.0%	7.3		
Government	28.5	28.1	0.4	1.4%	30.4		
Federal	3.4	3.4	0.0	0.0%	3.4		
State	8.7	8.5	0.2	2.4%	10.3		
Local	16.4	16.2	0.2	1.2%	16.7		

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#### **Carson City MSA\***

Includes Carson City (Estimates In Thousands)

LABOR FORCE SUMMARY	JAN 2008	JAN 2007	CHANGE	% CHANGE	<b>DEC 2007</b>
TOTAL LABOR FORCE	29.0	28.2	0.8	2.8%	28.7
UNEMPLOYMENT	2.2	1.8	0.4	22.2%	1.8
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	7.5%	6.2%			6.1%
TOTAL EMPLOYMENT 1/	26.8	26.4	0.4	1.5%	26.9

ESTABLISHMENT BASED INDUSTRIAL EMPLOYMENT 2/							
Total All Industries	31.9	32.2	-0.3	-0.9%	33.1		
Goods Producing	5.1	5.0	0.1	2.0%	5.1		
Manufacturing	3.0	3.1	-0.1	-3.2%	3.0		
Services Producing	26.8	27.2	-0.4	-1.5%	28.0		
Private Service Producing	15.7	16.0	-0.3	-1.9%	16.5		
Trade, Transportion & Utilites	4.6	4.6	0.0	0.0%	4.7		
Retail	3.5	3.5	0.0	0.0%	3.6		
Professional & Business Services	2.5	2.4	0.1	4.2%	2.5		
Leisure and Hospitality	4.0	3.8	0.2	5.3%	4.0		
Government	11.1	11.2	-0.1	-0.9%	11.5		
Federal	0.5	0.5	0.0	0.0%	0.5		
State	7.5	7.6	-0.1	-1.3%	7.8		
Local	3.1	3.1	0.0	0.0%	3.2		

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<sup>\*</sup> Due to federal budget constraints, estimates for the Carson City MSA will no longer be sponsored by the Bureau of Labor Statistics. Methods used to provide the estimates will differ from previous years and results may not be comparable.

## Elko Micropolitan Area

(Includes Elko and Eureka Counties)

LABOR FORCE SUMMARY	JAN 2008	JAN 2007	CHANGE	% CHANGE	DEC 2007
TOTAL LABOR FORCE	28.2	25.6	2.6	10.2%	26.9
UNEMPLOYMENT	1.3	1.1	0.2	18.2%	1.1
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	4.6%	4.3%			4.2%
TOTAL EMPLOYMENT 1/	26.9	24.5	2.4	9.8%	25.8

UNEMPLOYMENT RATES BASED ON UNROUNDED DATA

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