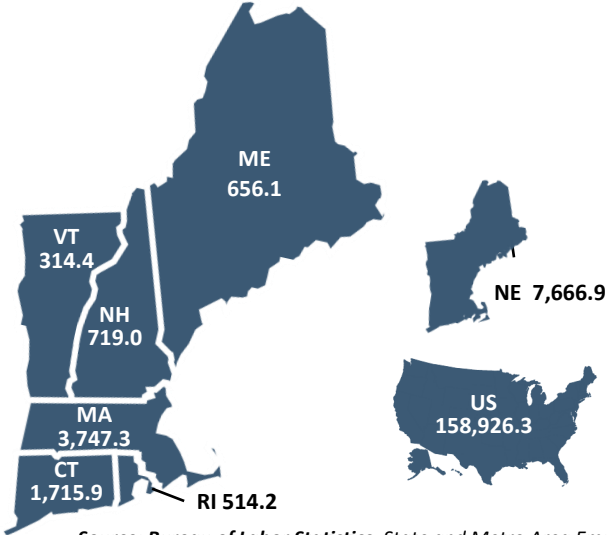


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Total Number of Jobs (in thousands)



Source: Bureau of Labor Statistics, State and Metro Area Employment, Current Employment Statistics (CES)

Job Change from Nov 2024 Ranked by Percent Change

	Percent Change	Numeric Change*
1) CT	+0.3%	+5.1
1) NH	+0.3%	+2.2
3) MA	+0.2%	+6.0
4) ME	0.0%	+0.2
5) RI	-0.1%	-0.4
6) VT	-0.2%	-0.6
NE	+0.2%	+12.5
US	+0.1%	+228.7

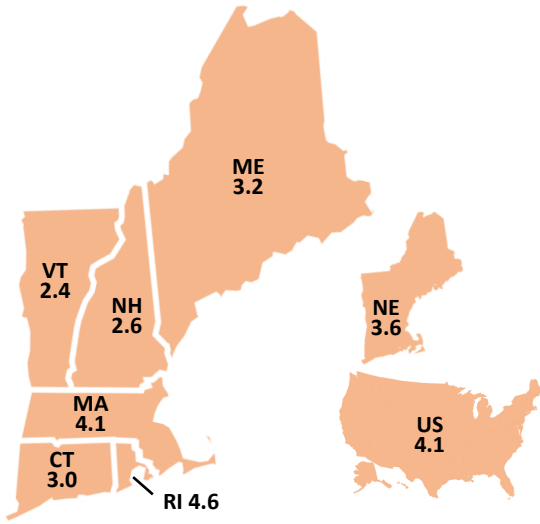
Job Change from Dec 2023 Ranked by Percent Change

	Percent Change	Numeric Change*
1) NH	+2.0%	+14.3
2) VT	+1.6%	+4.8
3) CT	+1.2%	+20.1
4) RI	+1.0%	+5.1
5) MA	+0.7%	+26.2
6) ME	+0.3%	+2.0
NE	+1.0%	+72.5
US	+1.4%	+2,222.7

Three Month Average Job Change Ranked by Percent Change

	Percent Change	Numeric Change*
1) NH	+0.2%	+1.6
2) CT	+0.1%	+2.2
2) RI	+0.1%	+0.4
4) MA	0.0%	+0.9
5) ME	-0.1%	-0.4
6) VT	-0.2%	-0.5
NE	+0.1%	+4.2
US	+0.1%	+138.6

Unemployment Rate



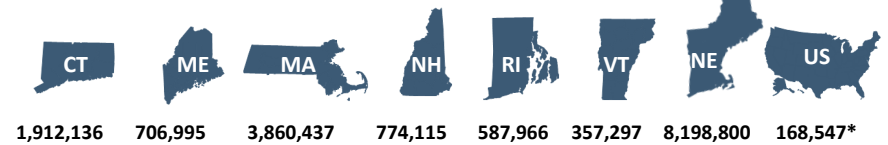
Source: Labor Market Information Unit, Local Area Unemployment Statistics (LAUS)

Unemployment Rate— Lowest to Highest

	Dec'24 Rate	U.S. Rank	OTM CHG	OTY CHG
VT	2.4	2	0.0	+0.1
NH	2.6	4	+0.1	0.0
CT	3.0	6	0.0	-1.2
ME	3.2	12	+0.1	-0.2
MA	4.1	31	+0.1	+0.9
RI	4.6	42	0.0	+1.2
NE	3.6	n/a	+0.1	+0.3
US	4.1	n/a	-0.1	+0.3

OTM—Over-the-Month
OTY—Over-the-Year

Civilian Labor Force



Labor Force Change from Nov 2024 Ranked by Percent Change

	Percent Change	Numeric Change
1) CT	+0.5%	+9,061
2) MA	+0.2%	+6,502
3) NH	+0.1%	+973
3) ME	+0.1%	+636
5) VT	0.0%	-104
6) RI	-0.1%	-728
NE	+0.2%	+15,382
US	+0.1%	+243.0*

Labor Force Change from Dec 2023 Ranked by Percent Change

	Percent Change	Numeric Change
1) MA	+2.9%	+110,567
2) ME	+2.2%	+15,315
3) RI	+2.0%	+11,797
4) NH	+1.6%	+12,134
5) VT	+1.1%	+3,885
6) CT	+0.7%	+13,000
NE	+2.1%	+172,178
US	+0.7%	+1,108.0*

* in thousands

