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## OKLAHOMA EMPLOYMENT REPORT - March 2015

Metropolitan statistical area (MSA) and county information

### County jobless rates down across the state in March

**McIntosh County** (7.6 percent) provided the month's highest county unemployment rate in March. **Latimer and Pushmataha counties** tied for the second highest rate, and **Haskell County** claimed the third highest rate for the month. The state's lowest county unemployment rate of 1.7 percent was provided by **Cimarron County**. Unemployment rates dropped in 72 of Oklahoma's 77 counties, with only **Beckham County** reporting an over-the-month rate increase.

#### Highest county unemployment rates\*

| MARCH 2015        | Unemp. rate |
|-------------------|-------------|
| McIntosh County   | 7.6%        |
| Latimer County    | 6.9%        |
| Pushmataha County | 6.9%        |
| Haskell County    | 6.7%        |

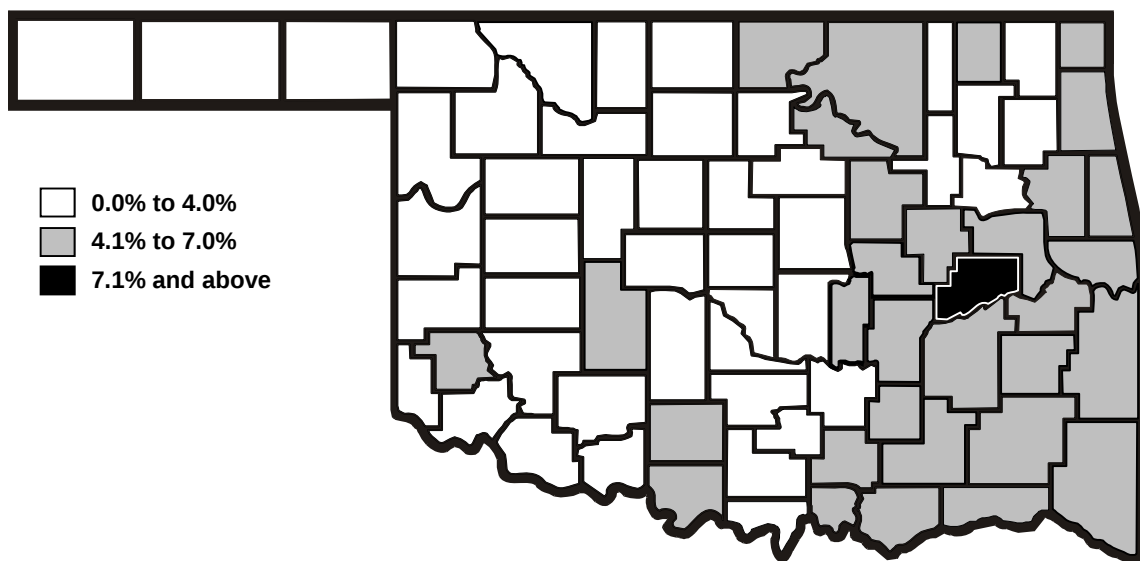
\* Non-seasonally adjusted

#### Lowest county unemployment rates\*

| MARCH 2015      | Unemp. rate |
|-----------------|-------------|
| Cimarron County | 1.7%        |
| Woods County    | 2.0%        |
| Beaver County   | 2.2%        |

\* Non-seasonally adjusted

### UNEMPLOYMENT RATES by COUNTY – March 2015



## CURRENT EMPLOYMENT STATISTICS – Oklahoma City MSA\*

|                                          | NUMBER EMPLOYED |                |                | CHANGE            |                    |               |              |
|------------------------------------------|-----------------|----------------|----------------|-------------------|--------------------|---------------|--------------|
|                                          | Mar '15         | Feb '15        | Mar '14        | Feb '15 to Mar'15 | Mar '14 to Mar '15 |               |              |
| <b>Total Non-farm Employment</b>         | <b>626,000</b>  | <b>624,400</b> | <b>613,800</b> | <b>1,600</b>      | <b>0.3%</b>        | <b>12,200</b> | <b>2.0%</b>  |
| Total Private Employment**               | 498,000         | 496,900        | 487,500        | 1,100             | 0.2%               | 10,500        | 2.2%         |
| Private Service Providers***             | 412,700         | 410,500        | 402,900        | 2,200             | 0.5%               | 9,800         | 2.4%         |
| <b>Goods Producing Industries</b>        | <b>85,300</b>   | <b>86,400</b>  | <b>84,600</b>  | <b>-1,100</b>     | <b>-1.3%</b>       | <b>700</b>    | <b>0.8%</b>  |
| Mining & Logging                         | 19,900          | 20,200         | 19,800         | -300              | -1.5%              | 100           | 0.5%         |
| Construction                             | 27,800          | 28,400         | 27,700         | -600              | -2.1%              | 100           | 0.4%         |
| Specialty Trade Contractors              | 18,900          | 18,900         | 18,400         | 0                 | 0.0%               | 500           | 2.7%         |
| <b>Manufacturing</b>                     | <b>37,600</b>   | <b>37,800</b>  | <b>37,100</b>  | <b>-200</b>       | <b>-0.5%</b>       | <b>500</b>    | <b>1.4%</b>  |
| Durable Goods Mfg.                       | 27,700          | 27,900         | 27,300         | -200              | -0.7%              | 400           | 1.5%         |
| Machinery Manufacturing                  | 9,000           | 9,000          | 8,900          | 0                 | 0.0%               | 100           | 1.1%         |
| Transportation Equip. Mfg.               | 5,000           | 5,000          | 4,700          | 0                 | 0.0%               | 300           | 6.4%         |
| Plastic & Rubber Products                | 1,200           | 1,200          | 1,200          | 0                 | 0.0%               | 0             | 0.0%         |
| <b>Service Providing Industries</b>      | <b>540,700</b>  | <b>538,000</b> | <b>529,200</b> | <b>2,700</b>      | <b>0.5%</b>        | <b>11,500</b> | <b>2.2%</b>  |
| <b>Trade, Transportation &amp; Util.</b> | <b>110,700</b>  | <b>109,800</b> | <b>107,900</b> | <b>900</b>        | <b>0.8%</b>        | <b>2,800</b>  | <b>2.6%</b>  |
| Wholesale Trade                          | 27,400          | 27,300         | 26,800         | 100               | 0.4%               | 600           | 2.2%         |
| Retail Trade                             | 67,000          | 66,300         | 64,700         | 700               | 1.1%               | 2,300         | 3.6%         |
| General Merchandise Stores               | 13,700          | 13,700         | 13,000         | 0                 | 0.0%               | 700           | 5.4%         |
| Transport, Warehouse & Utils.            | 16,300          | 16,200         | 16,400         | 100               | 0.6%               | -100          | -0.6%        |
| <b>Information</b>                       | <b>8,400</b>    | <b>8,400</b>   | <b>8,200</b>   | <b>0</b>          | <b>0.0%</b>        | <b>200</b>    | <b>2.4%</b>  |
| Telecommunications                       | 3,300           | 3,300          | 3,200          | 0                 | 0.0%               | 100           | 3.1%         |
| <b>Financial Activities</b>              | <b>33,500</b>   | <b>33,200</b>  | <b>32,800</b>  | <b>300</b>        | <b>0.9%</b>        | <b>700</b>    | <b>2.1%</b>  |
| Finance & Insurance                      | 24,600          | 24,600         | 24,100         | 0                 | 0.0%               | 500           | 2.1%         |
| Rental & Leasing Services                | 3,600           | 3,600          | 3,500          | 0                 | 0.0%               | 100           | 2.9%         |
| <b>Pro. &amp; Business Services</b>      | <b>83,300</b>   | <b>82,400</b>  | <b>77,900</b>  | <b>900</b>        | <b>1.1%</b>        | <b>5,400</b>  | <b>6.9%</b>  |
| Pro., Sci. & Technical Services          | 32,000          | 31,300         | 30,200         | 700               | 2.2%               | 1,800         | 6.0%         |
| Management of Companies                  | 9,700           | 9,700          | 9,300          | 0                 | 0.0%               | 400           | 4.3%         |
| Admin. & Support Services                | 41,600          | 41,400         | 38,400         | 200               | 0.5%               | 3,200         | 8.3%         |
| Employment Services                      | 16,900          | 16,700         | 15,100         | 200               | 1.2%               | 1,800         | 11.9%        |
| Business Support Svcs.                   | 5,700           | 5,800          | 5,800          | -100              | -1.7%              | -100          | -1.7%        |
| <b>Educational &amp; Health Svcs.</b>    | <b>90,700</b>   | <b>89,900</b>  | <b>88,600</b>  | <b>800</b>        | <b>0.9%</b>        | <b>2,100</b>  | <b>2.4%</b>  |
| Health Care & Social Asst.               | 80,600          | 79,800         | 78,900         | 800               | 1.0%               | 1,700         | 2.2%         |
| Ambulatory Health Care                   | 29,000          | 28,700         | 27,200         | 300               | 1.1%               | 1,800         | 6.6%         |
| Hospitals                                | 29,600          | 29,600         | 29,800         | 0                 | 0.0%               | -200          | -0.7%        |
| <b>Leisure &amp; Hospitality</b>         | <b>63,600</b>   | <b>64,400</b>  | <b>64,800</b>  | <b>-800</b>       | <b>-1.2%</b>       | <b>-1,200</b> | <b>-1.9%</b> |
| Food Svcs./Drinking Places               | 53,500          | 54,300         | 52,500         | -800              | -1.5%              | 1,000         | 1.9%         |
| Full-service Restaurants                 | 24,600          | 24,500         | 23,600         | 100               | 0.4%               | 1,000         | 4.2%         |
| Limited-service Eating                   | 24,400          | 24,900         | 24,800         | -500              | -2.0%              | -400          | -1.6%        |
| <b>Other Services</b>                    | <b>22,500</b>   | <b>22,400</b>  | <b>22,700</b>  | <b>100</b>        | <b>0.5%</b>        | <b>-200</b>   | <b>-0.9%</b> |
| <b>Government</b>                        | <b>128,000</b>  | <b>127,500</b> | <b>126,300</b> | <b>500</b>        | <b>0.4%</b>        | <b>1,700</b>  | <b>1.4%</b>  |
| Federal Government                       | 26,800          | 26,800         | 26,800         | 0                 | 0.0%               | 0             | 0.0%         |
| State Government                         | 46,700          | 46,000         | 45,800         | 700               | 1.5%               | 900           | 2.0%         |
| Local Government                         | 54,500          | 54,700         | 53,700         | -200              | -0.4%              | 800           | 1.5%         |

\* Data is non-seasonally adjusted and rounded to the nearest 10

\*\* Total Private Employment = (TOTAL NON-FARM EMPLOYMENT – Government)

\*\*\* Private Service Providers = (SERVICE PROVIDING INDUSTRIES – Government)

## CURRENT EMPLOYMENT STATISTICS – Tulsa MSA\*

|                                          | NUMBER EMPLOYED |                |                | CHANGE            |                    |              |              |
|------------------------------------------|-----------------|----------------|----------------|-------------------|--------------------|--------------|--------------|
|                                          | Mar '15         | Feb '15        | Mar '14        | Feb '15 to Mar'15 | Mar '14 to Mar '15 |              |              |
| <b>Total Non-farm Employment</b>         | <b>441,500</b>  | <b>441,500</b> | <b>436,000</b> | <b>0</b>          | <b>0.0%</b>        | <b>5,500</b> | <b>1.3%</b>  |
| Total Private Employment**               | 381,900         | 382,300        | 376,600        | -400              | -0.1%              | 5,300        | 1.4%         |
| Private Service Providers***             | 301,800         | 300,800        | 296,400        | 1,000             | 0.3%               | 5,400        | 1.8%         |
| <b>Goods Producing Industries</b>        | <b>80,100</b>   | <b>81,500</b>  | <b>80,200</b>  | <b>-1,400</b>     | <b>-1.7%</b>       | <b>-100</b>  | <b>-0.1%</b> |
| Mining & Logging                         | 7,100           | 7,500          | 7,800          | -400              | -5.3%              | -700         | -9.0%        |
| Construction                             | 22,600          | 22,400         | 21,600         | 200               | 0.9%               | 1,000        | 4.6%         |
| Specialty Trade Contractors              | 14,000          | 13,900         | 13,500         | 100               | 0.7%               | 500          | 3.7%         |
| <b>Manufacturing</b>                     | <b>50,400</b>   | <b>51,600</b>  | <b>50,800</b>  | <b>-1,200</b>     | <b>-2.3%</b>       | <b>-400</b>  | <b>-0.8%</b> |
| Machinery Manufacturing                  | 13,600          | 13,800         | 13,400         | -200              | -1.5%              | 200          | 1.5%         |
| Other Gen'l Purpose Mfg.                 | 6,200           | 6,200          | 5,900          | 0                 | 0.0%               | 300          | 5.1%         |
| Transportation Equip. Mfg.               | 6,700           | 6,700          | 6,200          | 0                 | 0.0%               | 500          | 8.1%         |
| <b>Service Providing Industries</b>      | <b>361,400</b>  | <b>360,000</b> | <b>355,800</b> | <b>1,400</b>      | <b>0.4%</b>        | <b>5,600</b> | <b>1.6%</b>  |
| <b>Trade, Transportation &amp; Util.</b> | <b>86,000</b>   | <b>85,900</b>  | <b>83,400</b>  | <b>100</b>        | <b>0.1%</b>        | <b>2,600</b> | <b>3.1%</b>  |
| Wholesale Trade                          | 16,000          | 16,000         | 15,700         | 0                 | 0.0%               | 300          | 1.9%         |
| Retail Trade                             | 49,100          | 49,100         | 46,900         | 0                 | 0.0%               | 2,200        | 4.7%         |
| Food & Beverage Stores                   | 7,100           | 7,000          | 6,900          | 100               | 1.4%               | 200          | 2.9%         |
| General Merchandise Stores               | 11,100          | 11,100         | 10,700         | 0                 | 0.0%               | 400          | 3.7%         |
| Department Stores                        | 2,700           | 2,800          | 2,500          | -100              | -3.6%              | 200          | 8.0%         |
| Other Gen'l Merchandise                  | 8,400           | 8,300          | 8,200          | 100               | 1.2%               | 200          | 2.4%         |
| Transport, Warehouse & Utils.            | 20,900          | 20,800         | 20,800         | 100               | 0.5%               | 100          | 0.5%         |
| Utilities                                | 4,100           | 4,100          | 3,900          | 0                 | 0.0%               | 200          | 5.1%         |
| Transportation & Warehouse               | 16,800          | 16,700         | 16,900         | 100               | 0.6%               | -100         | -0.6%        |
| Air Transportation                       | 5,400           | 5,400          | 5,800          | 0                 | 0.0%               | -400         | -6.9%        |
| <b>Information</b>                       | <b>7,500</b>    | <b>7,500</b>   | <b>7,700</b>   | <b>0</b>          | <b>0.0%</b>        | <b>-200</b>  | <b>-2.6%</b> |
| Telecommunications                       | 4,200           | 4,100          | 4,100          | 100               | 2.4%               | 100          | 2.4%         |
| <b>Financial Activities</b>              | <b>22,700</b>   | <b>22,800</b>  | <b>22,800</b>  | <b>-100</b>       | <b>-0.4%</b>       | <b>-100</b>  | <b>-0.4%</b> |
| Insurance Carriers                       | 4,200           | 4,300          | 4,300          | -100              | -2.3%              | -100         | -2.3%        |
| <b>Pro. &amp; Business Services</b>      | <b>58,500</b>   | <b>58,100</b>  | <b>57,600</b>  | <b>400</b>        | <b>0.7%</b>        | <b>900</b>   | <b>1.6%</b>  |
| Pro., Sci. & Technical Services          | 20,600          | 20,400         | 20,700         | 200               | 1.0%               | -100         | -0.5%        |
| Management of Companies                  | 6,100           | 6,100          | 5,600          | 0                 | 0.0%               | 500          | 8.9%         |
| Admin. & Support Services                | 31,800          | 31,600         | 31,300         | 200               | 0.6%               | 500          | 1.6%         |
| Employment Services                      | 14,900          | 14,700         | 13,800         | 200               | 1.4%               | 1,100        | 8.0%         |
| Business Support Svcs.                   | 6,500           | 6,600          | 7,100          | -100              | -1.5%              | -600         | -8.5%        |
| <b>Educational &amp; Health Svcs.</b>    | <b>69,700</b>   | <b>69,400</b>  | <b>68,200</b>  | <b>300</b>        | <b>0.4%</b>        | <b>1,500</b> | <b>2.2%</b>  |
| Educational Services                     | 6,500           | 6,400          | 6,200          | 100               | 1.6%               | 300          | 4.8%         |
| Health Care & Social Asst.               | 63,200          | 63,000         | 62,000         | 200               | 0.3%               | 1,200        | 1.9%         |
| Ambulatory Health Care                   | 21,100          | 21,000         | 20,500         | 100               | 0.5%               | 600          | 2.9%         |
| Hospitals                                | 24,300          | 24,500         | 24,100         | -200              | -0.8%              | 200          | 0.8%         |
| <b>Leisure &amp; Hospitality</b>         | <b>40,500</b>   | <b>40,200</b>  | <b>39,700</b>  | <b>300</b>        | <b>0.8%</b>        | <b>800</b>   | <b>2.0%</b>  |
| Food Svcs./Drinking Places               | 34,000          | 33,500         | 33,100         | 500               | 1.5%               | 900          | 2.7%         |
| Full-service Restaurants                 | 16,300          | 16,100         | 15,600         | 200               | 1.2%               | 700          | 4.5%         |
| <b>Other Services</b>                    | <b>16,900</b>   | <b>16,900</b>  | <b>17,000</b>  | <b>0</b>          | <b>0.0%</b>        | <b>-100</b>  | <b>-0.6%</b> |
| <b>Government</b>                        | <b>59,600</b>   | <b>59,200</b>  | <b>59,400</b>  | <b>400</b>        | <b>0.7%</b>        | <b>200</b>   | <b>0.3%</b>  |
| Federal Government                       | 4,600           | 4,600          | 4,500          | 0                 | 0.0%               | 100          | 2.2%         |
| State Government                         | 9,500           | 9,300          | 9,200          | 200               | 2.2%               | 300          | 3.3%         |
| Local Government                         | 45,500          | 45,300         | 45,700         | 200               | 0.4%               | -200         | -0.4%        |

## CURRENT EMPLOYMENT STATISTICS – Lawton MSA\*

|                                     | NUMBER EMPLOYED |               |               | CHANGE            |             |                    |              |
|-------------------------------------|-----------------|---------------|---------------|-------------------|-------------|--------------------|--------------|
|                                     | Mar '15         | Feb '15       | Mar '14       | Feb '15 to Mar'15 |             | Mar '14 to Mar '15 |              |
| <b>Total Non-farm Employment</b>    | <b>44,900</b>   | <b>44,900</b> | <b>45,500</b> | <b>0</b>          | <b>0.0%</b> | <b>-600</b>        | <b>-1.3%</b> |
| Total Private Employment**          | 29,500          | 29,500        | 30,000        | 0                 | 0.0%        | -500               | -1.7%        |
| Private Service Providers***        | 24,300          | 24,300        | 24,700        | 0                 | 0.0%        | -400               | -1.6%        |
| <b>Goods Producing Industries</b>   | <b>5,200</b>    | <b>5,200</b>  | <b>5,300</b>  | <b>0</b>          | <b>0.0%</b> | <b>-100</b>        | <b>-1.9%</b> |
| Mining, Logging & Construction      | 1,700           | 1,600         | 1,700         | 100               | 6.3%        | 0                  | 0.0%         |
| Manufacturing                       | 3,500           | 3,600         | 3,600         | -100              | -2.8%       | -100               | -2.8%        |
| <b>Service Providing Industries</b> | <b>39,700</b>   | <b>39,700</b> | <b>40,200</b> | <b>0</b>          | <b>0.0%</b> | <b>-500</b>        | <b>-1.2%</b> |
| Trade, Transportation & Util.       | 7,600           | 7,600         | 7,500         | 0                 | 0.0%        | 100                | 1.3%         |
| Wholesale Trade                     | 600             | 600           | 600           | 0                 | 0.0%        | 0                  | 0.0%         |
| Retail Trade                        | 5,600           | 5,600         | 5,600         | 0                 | 0.0%        | 0                  | 0.0%         |
| Transport, Warehouse & Utils.       | 1,400           | 1,400         | 1,300         | 0                 | 0.0%        | 100                | 7.7%         |
| Information                         | 500             | 500           | 500           | 0                 | 0.0%        | 0                  | 0.0%         |
| Financial Activities                | 2,200           | 2,200         | 2,300         | 0                 | 0.0%        | -100               | -4.4%        |
| Pro. & Business Services            | 3,800           | 3,800         | 3,900         | 0                 | 0.0%        | -100               | -2.6%        |
| Educational & Health Svcs.          | 4,400           | 4,400         | 4,400         | 0                 | 0.0%        | 0                  | 0.0%         |
| Leisure & Hospitality               | 4,700           | 4,700         | 5,000         | 0                 | 0.0%        | -300               | -6.0%        |
| Other Services                      | 1,100           | 1,100         | 1,100         | 0                 | 0.0%        | 0                  | 0.0%         |
| <b>Government</b>                   | <b>15,400</b>   | <b>15,400</b> | <b>15,500</b> | <b>0</b>          | <b>0.0%</b> | <b>-100</b>        | <b>-0.7%</b> |
| Federal Government                  | 4,100           | 4,100         | 4,200         | 0                 | 0.0%        | -100               | -2.4%        |
| State Government                    | 1,600           | 1,600         | 1,700         | 0                 | 0.0%        | -100               | -5.9%        |
| Local Government                    | 9,700           | 9,700         | 9,600         | 0                 | 0.0%        | 100                | 1.0%         |

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**NOTE:**

Each month, Local Area Unemployment Statistics (LAUS) data for the previous month is revised. The following data is marked in the table heading as either preliminary (not revised) or revised. All data is non-seasonally adjusted.

# **LOCAL AREA UNEMPLOYMENT STATISTICS (preliminary data)**

## **County rankings**

|                         | MARCH 2015  |        |         | UNEMPLOYMENT RATE |         |         |         |
|-------------------------|-------------|--------|---------|-------------------|---------|---------|---------|
|                         | Labor Force | Empl.  | Unempl. | Mar '15           | Feb '15 | Jan '15 | Mar '14 |
| 1. McIntosh County      | 7,104       | 6,564  | 540     | 7.6%              | 8.9%    | 9.2%    | 9.1%    |
| 2. Latimer County       | 3,919       | 3,648  | 271     | 6.9%              | 7.5%    | 7.1%    | 7.8%    |
| 3. Pushmataha County    | 5,009       | 4,664  | 345     | 6.9%              | 7.7%    | 7.6%    | 7.9%    |
| 4. Haskell County       | 4,499       | 4,199  | 300     | 6.7%              | 7.2%    | 6.7%    | 7.7%    |
| 5. Choctaw County       | 5,906       | 5,524  | 382     | 6.5%              | 8.1%    | 8.3%    | 8.5%    |
| 6. Coal County          | 2,433       | 2,276  | 157     | 6.5%              | 6.9%    | 7.0%    | 7.3%    |
| 7. Hughes County        | 6,041       | 5,651  | 390     | 6.5%              | 6.9%    | 6.7%    | 7.3%    |
| 8. Le Flore County      | 19,733      | 18,543 | 1,190   | 6.0%              | 6.5%    | 6.4%    | 7.5%    |
| 9. McCurtain County     | 14,751      | 13,873 | 878     | 6.0%              | 7.2%    | 12.4%   | 7.9%    |
| 10. Okmulgee County     | 16,584      | 15,596 | 988     | 6.0%              | 6.8%    | 6.8%    | 7.2%    |
| 11. Johnston County     | 3,796       | 3,573  | 223     | 5.9%              | 6.4%    | 7.1%    | 7.4%    |
| 12. Seminole County     | 9,790       | 9,215  | 575     | 5.9%              | 6.3%    | 6.3%    | 7.1%    |
| 13. Sequoyah County     | 16,880      | 15,922 | 958     | 5.7%              | 6.4%    | 6.5%    | 7.5%    |
| 14. Adair County        | 8,140       | 7,695  | 445     | 5.5%              | 6.4%    | 6.7%    | 8.5%    |
| 15. Atoka County        | 4,914       | 4,642  | 272     | 5.5%              | 6.0%    | 6.0%    | 6.2%    |
| 16. Pawnee County       | 7,656       | 7,251  | 405     | 5.3%              | 5.8%    | 5.6%    | 5.3%    |
| 17. Okfuskee County     | 4,630       | 4,394  | 236     | 5.1%              | 5.7%    | 5.8%    | 6.3%    |
| 18. Pittsburg County    | 17,089      | 16,231 | 858     | 5.0%              | 5.5%    | 5.6%    | 6.6%    |
| 19. Marshall County     | 7,202       | 6,857  | 345     | 4.8%              | 5.3%    | 5.2%    | 5.0%    |
| 20. Kay County          | 19,406      | 18,498 | 908     | 4.7%              | 5.3%    | 5.2%    | 6.2%    |
| 21. Nowata County       | 4,874       | 4,645  | 229     | 4.7%              | 5.4%    | 5.4%    | 6.3%    |
| 22. Ottawa County       | 13,990      | 13,334 | 656     | 4.7%              | 5.5%    | 5.7%    | 6.9%    |
| 23. Caddo County        | 11,600      | 11,068 | 532     | 4.6%              | 5.0%    | 5.0%    | 5.8%    |
| 24. Jefferson County    | 2,756       | 2,629  | 127     | 4.6%              | 4.8%    | 4.4%    | 4.9%    |
| 25. Cherokee County     | 18,884      | 18,039 | 845     | 4.5%              | 5.2%    | 5.7%    | 6.4%    |
| 26. Greer County        | 2,231       | 2,130  | 101     | 4.5%              | 5.2%    | 4.8%    | 5.2%    |
| 27. Osage County        | 21,575      | 20,607 | 968     | 4.5%              | 5.0%    | 5.0%    | 5.4%    |
| 28. Muskogee County     | 29,455      | 28,162 | 1,293   | 4.4%              | 5.1%    | 5.5%    | 6.1%    |
| 29. Stephens County     | 21,005      | 20,071 | 934     | 4.4%              | 4.5%    | 4.3%    | 5.1%    |
| 30. Delaware County     | 17,362      | 16,608 | 754     | 4.3%              | 5.2%    | 5.5%    | 6.2%    |
| 31. Bryan County        | 18,222      | 17,477 | 745     | 4.1%              | 4.6%    | 4.7%    | 5.2%    |
| 32. Creek County        | 31,560      | 30,273 | 1,287   | 4.1%              | 4.6%    | 4.7%    | 5.3%    |
| 33. Craig County        | 6,096       | 5,854  | 242     | 4.0%              | 4.7%    | 4.9%    | 5.9%    |
| 34. Lincoln County      | 16,074      | 15,437 | 637     | 4.0%              | 4.3%    | 4.3%    | 4.9%    |
| 35. Carter County       | 22,677      | 21,789 | 888     | 3.9%              | 4.3%    | 4.4%    | 4.8%    |
| 36. Comanche County     | 48,845      | 46,994 | 1,851   | 3.8%              | 4.4%    | 4.5%    | 5.0%    |
| 37. Garvin County       | 12,972      | 12,476 | 496     | 3.8%              | 4.1%    | 4.2%    | 4.4%    |
| 38. Kiowa County        | 4,267       | 4,103  | 164     | 3.8%              | 4.3%    | 4.1%    | 4.3%    |
| 39. Pottawatomie County | 33,118      | 31,857 | 1,261   | 3.8%              | 4.2%    | 4.5%    | 4.9%    |

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| 40. Washita County     | 6,071       | 5,839   | 232     | 3.8%              | 4.0%    | 3.6%    | 3.9%    |
| 41. Grady County       | 26,578      | 25,582  | 996     | 3.7%              | 3.9%    | 3.8%    | 4.3%    |
| 42. Mayes County       | 19,372      | 18,667  | 705     | 3.6%              | 4.2%    | 4.4%    | 5.5%    |
| 43. Washington County  | 24,818      | 23,915  | 903     | 3.6%              | 4.1%    | 4.1%    | 4.6%    |
| 44. Murray County      | 6,745       | 6,508   | 237     | 3.5%              | 3.9%    | 4.1%    | 4.5%    |
| 45. Pontotoc County    | 18,212      | 17,569  | 643     | 3.5%              | 3.8%    | 3.9%    | 4.7%    |
| 46. Rogers County      | 44,240      | 42,691  | 1,549   | 3.5%              | 4.0%    | 3.9%    | 4.5%    |
| 47. Wagoner County     | 36,336      | 35,075  | 1,261   | 3.5%              | 3.9%    | 4.0%    | 4.5%    |
| 48. Woodward County    | 11,539      | 11,138  | 401     | 3.5%              | 3.5%    | 3.1%    | 3.2%    |
| 49. Oklahoma County    | 375,684     | 362,980 | 12,704  | 3.4%              | 3.8%    | 3.9%    | 4.5%    |
| 50. Tillman County     | 3,343       | 3,229   | 114     | 3.4%              | 4.0%    | 4.3%    | 5.1%    |
| 51. Tulsa County       | 313,832     | 303,052 | 10,780  | 3.4%              | 3.9%    | 4.0%    | 4.7%    |
| 52. Blaine County      | 4,704       | 4,551   | 153     | 3.3%              | 3.8%    | 3.5%    | 3.5%    |
| 53. Cotton County      | 2,914       | 2,819   | 95      | 3.3%              | 4.1%    | 4.1%    | 4.8%    |
| 54. Jackson County     | 11,024      | 10,661  | 363     | 3.3%              | 3.8%    | 4.1%    | 4.8%    |
| 55. Love County        | 5,744       | 5,557   | 187     | 3.3%              | 3.8%    | 3.4%    | 3.9%    |
| 56. Beckham County     | 13,516      | 13,079  | 437     | 3.2%              | 3.1%    | 2.9%    | 3.1%    |
| 57. Ellis County       | 2,522       | 2,442   | 80      | 3.2%              | 3.3%    | 3.0%    | 3.3%    |
| 58. Logan County       | 21,400      | 20,722  | 678     | 3.2%              | 3.6%    | 3.7%    | 4.3%    |
| 59. Custer County      | 16,527      | 16,013  | 514     | 3.1%              | 3.4%    | 3.1%    | 3.3%    |
| 60. Garfield County    | 30,355      | 29,408  | 947     | 3.1%              | 3.5%    | 3.5%    | 3.7%    |
| 61. Harmon County      | 1,374       | 1,331   | 43      | 3.1%              | 3.8%    | 3.7%    | 4.3%    |
| 62. McClain County     | 18,603      | 18,034  | 569     | 3.1%              | 3.3%    | 3.4%    | 4.0%    |
| 63. Canadian County    | 66,588      | 64,579  | 2,009   | 3.0%              | 3.3%    | 3.3%    | 3.9%    |
| 64. Cleveland County   | 139,639     | 135,562 | 4,077   | 2.9%              | 3.3%    | 3.4%    | 3.9%    |
| 65. Noble County       | 5,714       | 5,546   | 168     | 2.9%              | 3.5%    | 3.4%    | 3.9%    |
| 66. Payne County       | 39,335      | 38,177  | 1,158   | 2.9%              | 3.3%    | 3.4%    | 3.9%    |
| 67. Roger Mills County | 1,942       | 1,889   | 53      | 2.7%              | 2.7%    | 2.6%    | 3.2%    |
| 68. Texas County       | 10,104      | 9,835   | 269     | 2.7%              | 3.1%    | 3.2%    | 3.9%    |
| 69. Dewey County       | 2,700       | 2,631   | 69      | 2.6%              | 3.0%    | 2.9%    | 3.6%    |
| 70. Kingfisher County  | 8,503       | 8,288   | 215     | 2.5%              | 2.8%    | 2.9%    | 3.3%    |
| 71. Major County       | 4,666       | 4,551   | 115     | 2.5%              | 2.5%    | 2.4%    | 2.9%    |
| 72. Harper County      | 2,210       | 2,158   | 52      | 2.4%              | 2.8%    | 3.0%    | 3.1%    |
| 73. Alfalfa County     | 3,421       | 3,344   | 77      | 2.3%              | 2.5%    | 2.3%    | 2.7%    |
| 74. Grant County       | 3,170       | 3,096   | 74      | 2.3%              | 2.3%    | 2.6%    | 3.0%    |
| 75. Beaver County      | 3,391       | 3,318   | 73      | 2.2%              | 2.5%    | 2.4%    | 3.0%    |
| 76. Woods County       | 5,637       | 5,522   | 115     | 2.0%              | 2.4%    | 2.5%    | 3.0%    |
| 77. Cimarron County    | 1,489       | 1,463   | 26      | 1.7%              | 2.0%    | 2.3%    | 2.9%    |

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|                   | Labor Force | Empl.   | Unempl. | Mar '15           | Feb '15 | Jan '15 | Mar '14 |
| Adair County      | 8,140       | 7,695   | 445     | 5.5%              | 6.4%    | 6.7%    | 8.5%    |
| Alfalfa County    | 3,421       | 3,344   | 77      | 2.3%              | 2.5%    | 2.3%    | 2.7%    |
| Atoka County      | 4,914       | 4,642   | 272     | 5.5%              | 6.0%    | 6.0%    | 6.2%    |
| Beaver County     | 3,391       | 3,318   | 73      | 2.2%              | 2.5%    | 2.4%    | 3.0%    |
| Beckham County    | 13,516      | 13,079  | 437     | 3.2%              | 3.1%    | 2.9%    | 3.1%    |
| Blaine County     | 4,704       | 4,551   | 153     | 3.3%              | 3.8%    | 3.5%    | 3.5%    |
| Bryan County      | 18,222      | 17,477  | 745     | 4.1%              | 4.6%    | 4.7%    | 5.2%    |
| Caddo County      | 11,600      | 11,068  | 532     | 4.6%              | 5.0%    | 5.0%    | 5.8%    |
| Canadian County   | 66,588      | 64,579  | 2,009   | 3.0%              | 3.3%    | 3.3%    | 3.9%    |
| Carter County     | 22,677      | 21,789  | 888     | 3.9%              | 4.3%    | 4.4%    | 4.8%    |
| Cherokee County   | 18,884      | 18,039  | 845     | 4.5%              | 5.2%    | 5.7%    | 6.4%    |
| Choctaw County    | 5,906       | 5,524   | 382     | 6.5%              | 8.1%    | 8.3%    | 8.5%    |
| Cimarron County   | 1,489       | 1,463   | 26      | 1.7%              | 2.0%    | 2.3%    | 2.9%    |
| Cleveland County  | 139,639     | 135,562 | 4,077   | 2.9%              | 3.3%    | 3.4%    | 3.9%    |
| Coal County       | 2,433       | 2,276   | 157     | 6.5%              | 6.9%    | 7.0%    | 7.3%    |
| Comanche County   | 48,845      | 46,994  | 1,851   | 3.8%              | 4.4%    | 4.5%    | 5.0%    |
| Cotton County     | 2,914       | 2,819   | 95      | 3.3%              | 4.1%    | 4.1%    | 4.8%    |
| Craig County      | 6,096       | 5,854   | 242     | 4.0%              | 4.7%    | 4.9%    | 5.9%    |
| Creek County      | 31,560      | 30,273  | 1,287   | 4.1%              | 4.6%    | 4.7%    | 5.3%    |
| Custer County     | 16,527      | 16,013  | 514     | 3.1%              | 3.4%    | 3.1%    | 3.3%    |
| Delaware County   | 17,362      | 16,608  | 754     | 4.3%              | 5.2%    | 5.5%    | 6.2%    |
| Dewey County      | 2,700       | 2,631   | 69      | 2.6%              | 3.0%    | 2.9%    | 3.6%    |
| Ellis County      | 2,522       | 2,442   | 80      | 3.2%              | 3.3%    | 3.0%    | 3.3%    |
| Garfield County   | 30,355      | 29,408  | 947     | 3.1%              | 3.5%    | 3.5%    | 3.7%    |
| Garvin County     | 12,972      | 12,476  | 496     | 3.8%              | 4.1%    | 4.2%    | 4.4%    |
| Grady County      | 26,578      | 25,582  | 996     | 3.7%              | 3.9%    | 3.8%    | 4.3%    |
| Grant County      | 3,170       | 3,096   | 74      | 2.3%              | 2.3%    | 2.6%    | 3.0%    |
| Greer County      | 2,231       | 2,130   | 101     | 4.5%              | 5.2%    | 4.8%    | 5.2%    |
| Harmon County     | 1,374       | 1,331   | 43      | 3.1%              | 3.8%    | 3.7%    | 4.3%    |
| Harper County     | 2,210       | 2,158   | 52      | 2.4%              | 2.8%    | 3.0%    | 3.1%    |
| Haskell County    | 4,499       | 4,199   | 300     | 6.7%              | 7.2%    | 6.7%    | 7.7%    |
| Hughes County     | 6,041       | 5,651   | 390     | 6.5%              | 6.9%    | 6.7%    | 7.3%    |
| Jackson County    | 11,024      | 10,661  | 363     | 3.3%              | 3.8%    | 4.1%    | 4.8%    |
| Jefferson County  | 2,756       | 2,629   | 127     | 4.6%              | 4.8%    | 4.4%    | 4.9%    |
| Johnston County   | 3,796       | 3,573   | 223     | 5.9%              | 6.4%    | 7.1%    | 7.4%    |
| Kay County        | 19,406      | 18,498  | 908     | 4.7%              | 5.3%    | 5.2%    | 6.2%    |
| Kingfisher County | 8,503       | 8,288   | 215     | 2.5%              | 2.8%    | 2.9%    | 3.3%    |
| Kiowa County      | 4,267       | 4,103   | 164     | 3.8%              | 4.3%    | 4.1%    | 4.3%    |
| Latimer County    | 3,919       | 3,648   | 271     | 6.9%              | 7.5%    | 7.1%    | 7.8%    |

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| Le Flore County     | 19,733      | 18,543  | 1,190   | 6.0%              | 6.5%    | 6.4%    | 7.5%    |
| Lincoln County      | 16,074      | 15,437  | 637     | 4.0%              | 4.3%    | 4.3%    | 4.9%    |
| Logan County        | 21,400      | 20,722  | 678     | 3.2%              | 3.6%    | 3.7%    | 4.3%    |
| Love County         | 5,744       | 5,557   | 187     | 3.3%              | 3.8%    | 3.4%    | 3.9%    |
| McClain County      | 18,603      | 18,034  | 569     | 3.1%              | 3.3%    | 3.4%    | 4.0%    |
| McCurtain County    | 14,751      | 13,873  | 878     | 6.0%              | 7.2%    | 12.4%   | 7.9%    |
| McIntosh County     | 7,104       | 6,564   | 540     | 7.6%              | 8.9%    | 9.2%    | 9.1%    |
| Major County        | 4,666       | 4,551   | 115     | 2.5%              | 2.5%    | 2.4%    | 2.9%    |
| Marshall County     | 7,202       | 6,857   | 345     | 4.8%              | 5.3%    | 5.2%    | 5.0%    |
| Mayes County        | 19,372      | 18,667  | 705     | 3.6%              | 4.2%    | 4.4%    | 5.5%    |
| Murray County       | 6,745       | 6,508   | 237     | 3.5%              | 3.9%    | 4.1%    | 4.5%    |
| Muskogee County     | 29,455      | 28,162  | 1,293   | 4.4%              | 5.1%    | 5.5%    | 6.1%    |
| Noble County        | 5,714       | 5,546   | 168     | 2.9%              | 3.5%    | 3.4%    | 3.9%    |
| Nowata County       | 4,874       | 4,645   | 229     | 4.7%              | 5.4%    | 5.4%    | 6.3%    |
| Okfuskee County     | 4,630       | 4,394   | 236     | 5.1%              | 5.7%    | 5.8%    | 6.3%    |
| Oklahoma County     | 375,684     | 362,980 | 12,704  | 3.4%              | 3.8%    | 3.9%    | 4.5%    |
| Okmulgee County     | 16,584      | 15,596  | 988     | 6.0%              | 6.8%    | 6.8%    | 7.2%    |
| Osage County        | 21,575      | 20,607  | 968     | 4.5%              | 5.0%    | 5.0%    | 5.4%    |
| Ottawa County       | 13,990      | 13,334  | 656     | 4.7%              | 5.5%    | 5.7%    | 6.9%    |
| Pawnee County       | 7,656       | 7,251   | 405     | 5.3%              | 5.8%    | 5.6%    | 5.3%    |
| Payne County        | 39,335      | 38,177  | 1,158   | 2.9%              | 3.3%    | 3.4%    | 3.9%    |
| Pittsburg County    | 17,089      | 16,231  | 858     | 5.0%              | 5.5%    | 5.6%    | 6.6%    |
| Pontotoc County     | 18,212      | 17,569  | 643     | 3.5%              | 3.8%    | 3.9%    | 4.7%    |
| Pottawatomie County | 33,118      | 31,857  | 1,261   | 3.8%              | 4.2%    | 4.5%    | 4.9%    |
| Pushmataha County   | 5,009       | 4,664   | 345     | 6.9%              | 7.7%    | 7.6%    | 7.9%    |
| Roger Mills County  | 1,942       | 1,889   | 53      | 2.7%              | 2.7%    | 2.6%    | 3.2%    |
| Rogers County       | 44,240      | 42,691  | 1,549   | 3.5%              | 4.0%    | 3.9%    | 4.5%    |
| Seminole County     | 9,790       | 9,215   | 575     | 5.9%              | 6.3%    | 6.3%    | 7.1%    |
| Sequoyah County     | 16,880      | 15,922  | 958     | 5.7%              | 6.4%    | 6.5%    | 7.5%    |
| Stephens County     | 21,005      | 20,071  | 934     | 4.4%              | 4.5%    | 4.3%    | 5.1%    |
| Texas County        | 10,104      | 9,835   | 269     | 2.7%              | 3.1%    | 3.2%    | 3.9%    |
| Tillman County      | 3,343       | 3,229   | 114     | 3.4%              | 4.0%    | 4.3%    | 5.1%    |
| Tulsa County        | 313,832     | 303,052 | 10,780  | 3.4%              | 3.9%    | 4.0%    | 4.7%    |
| Wagoner County      | 36,336      | 35,075  | 1,261   | 3.5%              | 3.9%    | 4.0%    | 4.5%    |
| Washington County   | 24,818      | 23,915  | 903     | 3.6%              | 4.1%    | 4.1%    | 4.6%    |
| Washita County      | 6,071       | 5,839   | 232     | 3.8%              | 4.0%    | 3.6%    | 3.9%    |
| Woods County        | 5,637       | 5,522   | 115     | 2.0%              | 2.4%    | 2.5%    | 3.0%    |
| Woodward County     | 11,539      | 11,138  | 401     | 3.5%              | 3.5%    | 3.1%    | 3.2%    |

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|                                    | Labor Force    | Empl.          | Unempl.       | Mar '15           | Feb '15     | Jan '15     | Mar '14     |
| <b>Central WIA</b>                 | <b>603,311</b> | <b>583,843</b> | <b>19,468</b> | <b>3.2%</b>       | <b>3.6%</b> | <b>3.7%</b> | <b>4.3%</b> |
| Oklahoma City LLM                  | 463,672        | 448,281        | 15,391        | 3.3%              | 3.7%        | 3.8%        | 4.4%        |
| Norman LLM                         | 139,639        | 135,562        | 4,077         | 2.9%              | 3.3%        | 3.4%        | 3.9%        |
| <b>East Central WIA</b>            | <b>69,653</b>  | <b>66,554</b>  | <b>3,099</b>  | <b>4.4%</b>       | <b>4.9%</b> | <b>5.0%</b> | <b>5.5%</b> |
| Holdenville LLM                    | 10,671         | 10,045         | 626           | 5.9%              | 6.4%        | 6.3%        | 6.9%        |
| Shawnee LLM                        | 58,982         | 56,509         | 2,473         | 4.2%              | 4.6%        | 4.7%        | 5.3%        |
| <b>Eastern WIA</b>                 | <b>157,615</b> | <b>149,795</b> | <b>7,820</b>  | <b>5.0%</b>       | <b>5.6%</b> | <b>5.8%</b> | <b>6.5%</b> |
| Muskogee LLM                       | 72,895         | 69,801         | 3,094         | 4.2%              | 4.9%        | 5.1%        | 5.6%        |
| Okmulgee LLM                       | 16,584         | 15,596         | 988           | 6.0%              | 6.8%        | 6.8%        | 7.2%        |
| Tahlequah-Sallisaw LLM             | 43,904         | 41,656         | 2,248         | 5.1%              | 5.9%        | 6.2%        | 7.2%        |
| Poteau LLM                         | 24,232         | 22,742         | 1,490         | 6.1%              | 6.6%        | 6.5%        | 7.6%        |
| <b>Northwestern WIA</b>            | <b>158,866</b> | <b>153,966</b> | <b>4,900</b>  | <b>3.1%</b>       | <b>3.5%</b> | <b>3.4%</b> | <b>3.9%</b> |
| Enid LLM                           | 54,819         | 53,238         | 1,581         | 2.9%              | 3.2%        | 3.2%        | 3.5%        |
| Ponca City LLM                     | 25,120         | 24,044         | 1,076         | 4.3%              | 4.9%        | 4.8%        | 5.7%        |
| Stillwater LLM                     | 39,335         | 38,177         | 1,158         | 2.9%              | 3.3%        | 3.4%        | 3.9%        |
| Guymon LLM                         | 14,984         | 14,616         | 368           | 2.5%              | 2.9%        | 2.9%        | 3.6%        |
| Woodward LLM                       | 24,608         | 23,891         | 717           | 2.9%              | 3.1%        | 2.9%        | 3.2%        |
| <b>Northeast WIA</b>               | <b>130,752</b> | <b>125,714</b> | <b>5,038</b>  | <b>3.9%</b>       | <b>4.4%</b> | <b>4.5%</b> | <b>5.3%</b> |
| Bartlesville LLM                   | 29,692         | 28,560         | 1,132         | 3.8%              | 4.3%        | 4.3%        | 4.8%        |
| Claremore-Pryor LLM                | 80,974         | 77,966         | 3,008         | 3.7%              | 4.3%        | 4.4%        | 5.1%        |
| Miami-Vinita LLM                   | 20,086         | 19,188         | 898           | 4.5%              | 5.2%        | 5.5%        | 6.6%        |
| <b>South Central WIA</b>           | <b>135,644</b> | <b>130,426</b> | <b>5,218</b>  | <b>3.8%</b>       | <b>4.2%</b> | <b>4.2%</b> | <b>4.8%</b> |
| Chickasha LLM                      | 56,781         | 54,684         | 2,097         | 3.7%              | 3.9%        | 3.9%        | 4.5%        |
| Duncan LLM                         | 23,761         | 22,700         | 1,061         | 4.5%              | 4.5%        | 4.3%        | 5.0%        |
| Lawton LLM                         | 55,102         | 53,042         | 2,060         | 3.7%              | 4.4%        | 4.5%        | 5.0%        |
| <b>Southern WIA</b>                | <b>149,591</b> | <b>142,664</b> | <b>6,927</b>  | <b>4.6%</b>       | <b>5.2%</b> | <b>5.8%</b> | <b>5.8%</b> |
| Ada LLM                            | 31,184         | 30,045         | 1,139         | 3.7%              | 4.0%        | 4.0%        | 4.6%        |
| Ardmore LLM                        | 35,166         | 33,854         | 1,312         | 3.7%              | 4.1%        | 4.2%        | 4.6%        |
| Durant LLM                         | 36,567         | 34,825         | 1,742         | 4.8%              | 5.3%        | 5.4%        | 5.6%        |
| Broken Bow-Idabel-Antlers-Hugo LLM | 25,666         | 24,061         | 1,605         | 6.3%              | 7.5%        | 10.6%       | 8.0%        |
| McAlester LLM                      | 21,008         | 19,879         | 1,129         | 5.4%              | 5.8%        | 5.9%        | 6.9%        |
| <b>Southwest WIA</b>               | <b>56,952</b>  | <b>55,045</b>  | <b>1,907</b>  | <b>3.3%</b>       | <b>3.6%</b> | <b>3.4%</b> | <b>3.8%</b> |
| Altus LLM                          | 18,896         | 18,225         | 671           | 3.6%              | 4.1%        | 4.2%        | 4.7%        |
| Elk City-Weatherford-Clinton LLM   | 38,056         | 36,820         | 1,236         | 3.2%              | 3.3%        | 3.1%        | 3.3%        |
| <b>Tulsa WIA</b>                   | <b>374,623</b> | <b>361,183</b> | <b>13,440</b> | <b>3.6%</b>       | <b>4.1%</b> | <b>4.1%</b> | <b>4.8%</b> |
| Tulsa LLM                          | 374,623        | 361,183        | 13,440        | 3.6%              | 4.1%        | 4.1%        | 4.8%        |

|                          | MARCH 2015     |                |               | UNEMPLOYMENT RATE |             |             |             |
|--------------------------|----------------|----------------|---------------|-------------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|
|                          | Labor Force    | Empl.          | Unempl.       | Mar '15           | Feb '15     | Jan '15     | Mar '14     |
| <b>Oklahoma City MSA</b> | <b>664,566</b> | <b>642,896</b> | <b>21,670</b> | <b>3.3%</b>       | <b>3.6%</b> | <b>3.7%</b> | <b>4.3%</b> |
| <b>Tulsa MSA</b>         | <b>471,783</b> | <b>454,545</b> | <b>17,238</b> | <b>3.7%</b>       | <b>4.2%</b> | <b>4.2%</b> | <b>4.8%</b> |
| <b>Lawton MSA</b>        | <b>51,759</b>  | <b>49,813</b>  | <b>1,946</b>  | <b>3.8%</b>       | <b>4.4%</b> | <b>4.5%</b> | <b>5.0%</b> |

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**By county**

|                   | FEBRUARY 2015 |         |         | UNEMPLOYMENT RATE |         |         |         |
|-------------------|---------------|---------|---------|-------------------|---------|---------|---------|
|                   | Labor Force   | Empl.   | Unempl. | Feb '15           | Jan '15 | Dec '14 | Feb '14 |
| Adair County      | 8,058         | 7,542   | 516     | 6.4%              | 6.7%    | 6.5%    | 9.5%    |
| Alfalfa County    | 3,325         | 3,243   | 82      | 2.5%              | 2.3%    | 2.1%    | 3.1%    |
| Atoka County      | 4,832         | 4,540   | 292     | 6.0%              | 6.0%    | 5.4%    | 6.9%    |
| Beaver County     | 3,334         | 3,249   | 85      | 2.5%              | 2.4%    | 2.1%    | 3.2%    |
| Beckham County    | 13,316        | 12,906  | 410     | 3.1%              | 2.9%    | 2.4%    | 3.4%    |
| Blaine County     | 4,627         | 4,453   | 174     | 3.8%              | 3.5%    | 3.1%    | 3.8%    |
| Bryan County      | 18,051        | 17,217  | 834     | 4.6%              | 4.7%    | 4.3%    | 5.6%    |
| Caddo County      | 11,433        | 10,862  | 571     | 5.0%              | 5.0%    | 4.5%    | 6.3%    |
| Canadian County   | 65,804        | 63,628  | 2,176   | 3.3%              | 3.3%    | 2.9%    | 4.2%    |
| Carter County     | 22,305        | 21,348  | 957     | 4.3%              | 4.4%    | 3.8%    | 5.3%    |
| Cherokee County   | 18,601        | 17,634  | 967     | 5.2%              | 5.7%    | 5.2%    | 7.0%    |
| Choctaw County    | 5,891         | 5,415   | 476     | 8.1%              | 8.3%    | 7.8%    | 9.5%    |
| Cimarron County   | 1,451         | 1,422   | 29      | 2.0%              | 2.3%    | 2.4%    | 3.0%    |
| Cleveland County  | 138,213       | 133,659 | 4,554   | 3.3%              | 3.4%    | 3.0%    | 4.2%    |
| Coal County       | 2,408         | 2,243   | 165     | 6.9%              | 7.0%    | 6.5%    | 7.7%    |
| Comanche County   | 48,665        | 46,530  | 2,135   | 4.4%              | 4.5%    | 4.1%    | 5.6%    |
| Cotton County     | 2,901         | 2,781   | 120     | 4.1%              | 4.1%    | 3.5%    | 5.3%    |
| Craig County      | 5,997         | 5,714   | 283     | 4.7%              | 4.9%    | 4.6%    | 6.8%    |
| Creek County      | 31,379        | 29,921  | 1,458   | 4.6%              | 4.7%    | 4.3%    | 5.8%    |
| Custer County     | 16,292        | 15,742  | 550     | 3.4%              | 3.1%    | 2.6%    | 3.5%    |
| Delaware County   | 17,103        | 16,208  | 895     | 5.2%              | 5.5%    | 5.0%    | 7.0%    |
| Dewey County      | 2,657         | 2,578   | 79      | 3.0%              | 2.9%    | 2.5%    | 3.6%    |
| Ellis County      | 2,467         | 2,386   | 81      | 3.3%              | 3.0%    | 2.4%    | 3.5%    |
| Garfield County   | 29,936        | 28,883  | 1,053   | 3.5%              | 3.5%    | 3.2%    | 4.1%    |
| Garvin County     | 12,823        | 12,291  | 532     | 4.1%              | 4.2%    | 3.6%    | 4.6%    |
| Grady County      | 26,214        | 25,193  | 1,021   | 3.9%              | 3.8%    | 3.3%    | 4.7%    |
| Grant County      | 3,076         | 3,004   | 72      | 2.3%              | 2.6%    | 2.3%    | 3.2%    |
| Greer County      | 2,195         | 2,080   | 115     | 5.2%              | 4.8%    | 4.0%    | 5.7%    |
| Harmon County     | 1,346         | 1,295   | 51      | 3.8%              | 3.7%    | 3.2%    | 4.7%    |
| Harper County     | 2,170         | 2,110   | 60      | 2.8%              | 3.0%    | 2.3%    | 3.1%    |
| Haskell County    | 4,426         | 4,107   | 319     | 7.2%              | 6.7%    | 5.9%    | 8.5%    |
| Hughes County     | 6,015         | 5,598   | 417     | 6.9%              | 6.7%    | 6.4%    | 7.9%    |
| Jackson County    | 10,828        | 10,415  | 413     | 3.8%              | 4.1%    | 3.6%    | 5.2%    |
| Jefferson County  | 2,742         | 2,610   | 132     | 4.8%              | 4.4%    | 3.9%    | 4.9%    |
| Johnston County   | 3,754         | 3,515   | 239     | 6.4%              | 7.1%    | 6.3%    | 7.7%    |
| Kay County        | 19,145        | 18,126  | 1,019   | 5.3%              | 5.2%    | 4.8%    | 6.8%    |
| Kingfisher County | 8,361         | 8,124   | 237     | 2.8%              | 2.9%    | 2.6%    | 3.6%    |
| Kiowa County      | 4,201         | 4,022   | 179     | 4.3%              | 4.1%    | 3.5%    | 4.7%    |
| Latimer County    | 3,887         | 3,597   | 290     | 7.5%              | 7.1%    | 6.5%    | 8.6%    |

|                     | FEBRUARY 2015 |         |         | UNEMPLOYMENT RATE |         |         |         |
|---------------------|---------------|---------|---------|-------------------|---------|---------|---------|
|                     | Labor Force   | Empl.   | Unempl. | Feb '15           | Jan '15 | Dec '14 | Feb '14 |
| Le Flore County     | 19,673        | 18,391  | 1,282   | 6.5%              | 6.4%    | 6.0%    | 8.4%    |
| Lincoln County      | 15,893        | 15,209  | 684     | 4.3%              | 4.3%    | 3.8%    | 5.3%    |
| Logan County        | 21,167        | 20,412  | 755     | 3.6%              | 3.7%    | 3.2%    | 4.7%    |
| Love County         | 5,664         | 5,450   | 214     | 3.8%              | 3.4%    | 3.1%    | 4.7%    |
| McClain County      | 18,360        | 17,756  | 604     | 3.3%              | 3.4%    | 3.0%    | 4.4%    |
| McCurain County     | 14,517        | 13,466  | 1,051   | 7.2%              | 12.4%   | 7.7%    | 9.1%    |
| McIntosh County     | 7,050         | 6,423   | 627     | 8.9%              | 9.2%    | 8.5%    | 10.3%   |
| Major County        | 4,560         | 4,448   | 112     | 2.5%              | 2.4%    | 2.2%    | 3.2%    |
| Marshall County     | 7,043         | 6,672   | 371     | 5.3%              | 5.2%    | 4.0%    | 5.6%    |
| Mayes County        | 19,092        | 18,293  | 799     | 4.2%              | 4.4%    | 4.1%    | 6.1%    |
| Murray County       | 6,633         | 6,374   | 259     | 3.9%              | 4.1%    | 3.7%    | 5.0%    |
| Muskogee County     | 29,070        | 27,573  | 1,497   | 5.1%              | 5.5%    | 5.1%    | 6.6%    |
| Noble County        | 5,632         | 5,436   | 196     | 3.5%              | 3.4%    | 3.1%    | 4.3%    |
| Nowata County       | 4,836         | 4,577   | 259     | 5.4%              | 5.4%    | 5.4%    | 7.0%    |
| Okfuskee County     | 4,576         | 4,316   | 260     | 5.7%              | 5.8%    | 5.1%    | 6.8%    |
| Oklahoma County     | 372,043       | 357,892 | 14,151  | 3.8%              | 3.9%    | 3.5%    | 5.0%    |
| Okmulgee County     | 16,530        | 15,401  | 1,129   | 6.8%              | 6.8%    | 6.3%    | 7.6%    |
| Osage County        | 21,415        | 20,349  | 1,066   | 5.0%              | 5.0%    | 4.6%    | 5.7%    |
| Ottawa County       | 13,814        | 13,059  | 755     | 5.5%              | 5.7%    | 5.7%    | 7.8%    |
| Pawnee County       | 7,600         | 7,160   | 440     | 5.8%              | 5.6%    | 5.1%    | 5.7%    |
| Payne County        | 38,677        | 37,387  | 1,290   | 3.3%              | 3.4%    | 3.0%    | 4.1%    |
| Pittsburg County    | 16,930        | 16,007  | 923     | 5.5%              | 5.6%    | 5.0%    | 7.2%    |
| Pontotoc County     | 18,018        | 17,328  | 690     | 3.8%              | 3.9%    | 3.6%    | 5.2%    |
| Pottawatomie County | 32,641        | 31,265  | 1,376   | 4.2%              | 4.5%    | 4.0%    | 5.4%    |
| Pushmataha County   | 4,953         | 4,572   | 381     | 7.7%              | 7.6%    | 7.2%    | 8.3%    |
| Roger Mills County  | 1,901         | 1,850   | 51      | 2.7%              | 2.6%    | 2.4%    | 3.4%    |
| Rogers County       | 43,937        | 42,185  | 1,752   | 4.0%              | 3.9%    | 3.6%    | 5.0%    |
| Seminole County     | 9,654         | 9,048   | 606     | 6.3%              | 6.3%    | 5.8%    | 7.9%    |
| Sequoyah County     | 16,868        | 15,796  | 1,072   | 6.4%              | 6.5%    | 6.2%    | 8.5%    |
| Stephens County     | 20,684        | 19,751  | 933     | 4.5%              | 4.3%    | 3.7%    | 5.5%    |
| Texas County        | 9,933         | 9,623   | 310     | 3.1%              | 3.2%    | 2.9%    | 4.2%    |
| Tillman County      | 3,291         | 3,158   | 133     | 4.0%              | 4.3%    | 3.9%    | 5.3%    |
| Tulsa County        | 311,850       | 299,622 | 12,228  | 3.9%              | 4.0%    | 3.6%    | 5.1%    |
| Wagoner County      | 36,079        | 34,666  | 1,413   | 3.9%              | 4.0%    | 3.6%    | 5.0%    |
| Washington County   | 24,587        | 23,575  | 1,012   | 4.1%              | 4.1%    | 3.7%    | 5.0%    |
| Washita County      | 5,962         | 5,726   | 236     | 4.0%              | 3.6%    | 3.0%    | 4.1%    |
| Woods County        | 5,511         | 5,380   | 131     | 2.4%              | 2.5%    | 2.2%    | 3.2%    |
| Woodward County     | 11,297        | 10,904  | 393     | 3.5%              | 3.1%    | 2.5%    | 3.7%    |

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|                                    | FEBRUARY 2015  |                |               | UNEMPLOYMENT RATE |             |             |             |
|------------------------------------|----------------|----------------|---------------|-------------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|
|                                    | Labor Force    | Empl.          | Unempl.       | Feb '15           | Jan '15     | Dec '14     | Feb '14     |
| <b>Central WIA</b>                 | <b>597,227</b> | <b>575,591</b> | <b>21,636</b> | <b>3.6%</b>       | <b>3.7%</b> | <b>3.3%</b> | <b>4.7%</b> |
| Oklahoma City LLM                  | 459,014        | 441,932        | 17,082        | 3.7%              | 3.8%        | 3.4%        | 4.8%        |
| Norman LLM                         | 138,213        | 133,659        | 4,554         | 3.3%              | 3.4%        | 3.0%        | 4.2%        |
| <b>East Central WIA</b>            | <b>68,779</b>  | <b>65,436</b>  | <b>3,343</b>  | <b>4.9%</b>       | <b>5.0%</b> | <b>4.5%</b> | <b>6.1%</b> |
| Holdenville LLM                    | 10,591         | 9,914          | 677           | 6.4%              | 6.3%        | 5.9%        | 7.4%        |
| Shawnee LLM                        | 58,188         | 55,522         | 2,666         | 4.6%              | 4.7%        | 4.3%        | 5.8%        |
| <b>Eastern WIA</b>                 | <b>156,355</b> | <b>147,533</b> | <b>8,822</b>  | <b>5.6%</b>       | <b>5.8%</b> | <b>5.4%</b> | <b>7.2%</b> |
| Muskogee LLM                       | 72,199         | 68,662         | 3,537         | 4.9%              | 5.1%        | 4.7%        | 6.2%        |
| Okmulgee LLM                       | 16,530         | 15,401         | 1,129         | 6.8%              | 6.8%        | 6.3%        | 7.6%        |
| Tahlequah-Sallisaw LLM             | 43,527         | 40,972         | 2,555         | 5.9%              | 6.2%        | 5.8%        | 8.0%        |
| Poteau LLM                         | 24,099         | 22,498         | 1,601         | 6.6%              | 6.5%        | 6.0%        | 8.4%        |
| <b>Northwestern WIA</b>            | <b>156,159</b> | <b>150,756</b> | <b>5,403</b>  | <b>3.5%</b>       | <b>3.4%</b> | <b>3.1%</b> | <b>4.3%</b> |
| Enid LLM                           | 53,885         | 52,155         | 1,730         | 3.2%              | 3.2%        | 2.9%        | 3.8%        |
| Ponca City LLM                     | 24,777         | 23,562         | 1,215         | 4.9%              | 4.8%        | 4.4%        | 6.3%        |
| Stillwater LLM                     | 38,677         | 37,387         | 1,290         | 3.3%              | 3.4%        | 3.0%        | 4.1%        |
| Guymon LLM                         | 14,718         | 14,294         | 424           | 2.9%              | 2.9%        | 2.7%        | 3.9%        |
| Woodward LLM                       | 24,102         | 23,358         | 744           | 3.1%              | 2.9%        | 2.4%        | 3.5%        |
| <b>Northeast WIA</b>               | <b>129,366</b> | <b>123,611</b> | <b>5,755</b>  | <b>4.4%</b>       | <b>4.5%</b> | <b>4.2%</b> | <b>5.9%</b> |
| Bartlesville LLM                   | 29,423         | 28,152         | 1,271         | 4.3%              | 4.3%        | 4.0%        | 5.3%        |
| Claremore-Pryor LLM                | 80,132         | 76,686         | 3,446         | 4.3%              | 4.4%        | 4.0%        | 5.7%        |
| Miami-Vinita LLM                   | 19,811         | 18,773         | 1,038         | 5.2%              | 5.5%        | 5.4%        | 7.5%        |
| <b>South Central WIA</b>           | <b>134,290</b> | <b>128,641</b> | <b>5,649</b>  | <b>4.2%</b>       | <b>4.2%</b> | <b>3.8%</b> | <b>5.3%</b> |
| Chickasha LLM                      | 56,007         | 53,811         | 2,196         | 3.9%              | 3.9%        | 3.5%        | 4.9%        |
| Duncan LLM                         | 23,426         | 22,361         | 1,065         | 4.5%              | 4.3%        | 3.8%        | 5.4%        |
| Lawton LLM                         | 54,857         | 52,469         | 2,388         | 4.4%              | 4.5%        | 4.1%        | 5.5%        |
| <b>Southern WIA</b>                | <b>147,709</b> | <b>140,035</b> | <b>7,674</b>  | <b>5.2%</b>       | <b>5.8%</b> | <b>4.8%</b> | <b>6.3%</b> |
| Ada LLM                            | 30,841         | 29,619         | 1,222         | 4.0%              | 4.0%        | 3.6%        | 4.9%        |
| Ardmore LLM                        | 34,602         | 33,172         | 1,430         | 4.1%              | 4.2%        | 3.7%        | 5.1%        |
| Durant LLM                         | 36,088         | 34,187         | 1,901         | 5.3%              | 5.4%        | 4.7%        | 6.1%        |
| Broken Bow-Idabel-Antlers-Hugo LLM | 25,361         | 23,453         | 1,908         | 7.5%              | 10.6%       | 7.6%        | 9.1%        |
| McAlester LLM                      | 20,817         | 19,604         | 1,213         | 5.8%              | 5.9%        | 5.3%        | 7.5%        |
| <b>Southwest WIA</b>               | <b>56,041</b>  | <b>54,036</b>  | <b>2,005</b>  | <b>3.6%</b>       | <b>3.4%</b> | <b>2.9%</b> | <b>4.1%</b> |
| Altus LLM                          | 18,570         | 17,812         | 758           | 4.1%              | 4.2%        | 3.6%        | 5.1%        |
| Elk City-Weatherford-Clinton LLM   | 37,471         | 36,224         | 1,247         | 3.3%              | 3.1%        | 2.6%        | 3.6%        |
| <b>Tulsa WIA</b>                   | <b>372,244</b> | <b>357,052</b> | <b>15,192</b> | <b>4.1%</b>       | <b>4.1%</b> | <b>3.8%</b> | <b>5.2%</b> |
| Tulsa LLM                          | 372,244        | 357,052        | 15,192        | 4.1%              | 4.1%        | 3.8%        | 5.2%        |

|                          | FEBRUARY 2015  |                |               | UNEMPLOYMENT RATE |             |             |             |
|--------------------------|----------------|----------------|---------------|-------------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|
|                          | Labor Force    | Empl.          | Unempl.       | Feb '15           | Jan '15     | Dec '14     | Feb '14     |
| <b>Oklahoma City MSA</b> | <b>657,694</b> | <b>633,749</b> | <b>23,945</b> | <b>3.6%</b>       | <b>3.7%</b> | <b>3.3%</b> | <b>4.7%</b> |
| <b>Tulsa MSA</b>         | <b>468,790</b> | <b>449,304</b> | <b>19,486</b> | <b>4.2%</b>       | <b>4.2%</b> | <b>3.8%</b> | <b>5.2%</b> |
| <b>Lawton MSA</b>        | <b>51,566</b>  | <b>49,311</b>  | <b>2,255</b>  | <b>4.4%</b>       | <b>4.5%</b> | <b>4.1%</b> | <b>5.5%</b> |