

Valdez-Cordova Census Area Not Seasonally Adjusted Labor Force Data 1990 to 2019

Note: A change in the way labor force statistics are calculated for sub-state areas makes data prior to 2010 not comparable with later data.

2019

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Annual
Labor Force	4,195	4,197	4,311	4,464	4,801	5,531	6,235						
Employment	3,719	3,720	3,878	4,078	4,461	5,200	5,955						
Unemployment	476	477	433	386	340	331	280						
Unemployment Rate	11.3%	11.4%	10.0%	8.6%	7.1%	6.0%	4.5%						

2018

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Annual
Labor Force	4,172	4,221	4,381	4,541	4,878	5,599	6,325	6,148	4,937	4,444	4,326	4,218	4,849
Employment	3,726	3,744	3,930	4,155	4,541	5,290	6,050	5,886	4,669	4,103	3,914	3,845	4,488
Unemployment	446	477	451	386	337	309	275	262	268	341	412	373	361
Unemployment Rate	10.7%	11.3%	10.3%	8.5%	6.9%	5.5%	4.3%	4.3%	5.4%	7.7%	9.5%	8.8%	7.4%

2017

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Annual
Labor Force	4,116	4,190	4,319	4,545	4,868	5,568	6,434	6,302	5,125	4,481	4,321	4,239	4,876
Employment	3,666	3,703	3,852	4,132	4,532	5,232	6,125	6,017	4,842	4,122	3,938	3,841	4,500
Unemployment	450	487	467	413	336	336	309	285	283	359	383	398	376
Unemployment Rate	10.9%	11.6%	10.8%	9.1%	6.9%	6.0%	4.8%	4.5%	5.5%	8.0%	8.9%	9.4%	7.7%

2016

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Annual
Labor Force	4,192	4,249	4,365	4,666	4,885	5,665	6,119	5,896	4,767	4,486	4,224	4,202	4,810
Employment	3,704	3,744	3,857	4,206	4,492	5,300	5,788	5,588	4,429	4,077	3,802	3,766	4,396
Unemployment	488	505	508	460	393	365	331	308	338	409	422	436	414
Unemployment Rate	11.6%	11.9%	11.6%	9.9%	8.0%	6.4%	5.4%	5.2%	7.1%	9.1%	10.0%	10.4%	8.6%

2015

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Annual
Labor Force	4,335	4,336	4,387	4,582	5,001	5,623	5,974	5,871	5,137	4,617	4,368	4,356	4,882
Employment	3,816	3,793	3,859	4,123	4,610	5,246	5,641	5,569	4,816	4,194	3,928	3,916	4,459
Unemployment	519	543	528	459	391	377	333	302	321	423	440	440	423
Unemployment Rate	12.0%	12.5%	12.0%	10.0%	7.8%	6.7%	5.6%	5.1%	6.2%	9.2%	10.1%	10.1%	8.7%

2014

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Annual
Labor Force	4,295	4,342	4,497	4,640	5,093	5,697	5,853	5,802	5,246	4,551	4,323	4,264	4,884
Employment	3,710	3,730	3,913	4,134	4,658	5,275	5,460	5,442	4,868	4,106	3,863	3,792	4,413
Unemployment	585	612	584	506	435	422	393	360	378	445	460	472	471
Unemployment Rate	13.6%	14.1%	13.0%	10.9%	8.5%	7.4%	6.7%	6.2%	7.2%	9.8%	10.6%	11.1%	9.6%

2013

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Annual
Labor Force	4,360	4,375	4,504	4,633	5,087	5,748	5,859	5,898	5,378	4,634	4,390	4,336	4,934
Employment	3,781	3,798	3,954	4,127	4,609	5,305	5,458	5,523	4,971	4,131	3,863	3,808	4,444
Unemployment	579	577	550	506	478	443	401	375	407	503	527	528	490
Unemployment Rate	13.3%	13.2%	12.2%	10.9%	9.4%	7.7%	6.8%	6.4%	7.6%	10.9%	12.0%	12.2%	9.9%

2012

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Annual
Labor Force	4,464	4,325	4,471	4,583	4,971	5,686	5,879	5,860	5,248	4,561	4,362	4,320	4,894
Employment	3,904	3,743	3,933	4,097	4,515	5,257	5,496	5,507	4,856	4,078	3,857	3,786	4,419
Unemployment	560	582	538	486	456	429	383	353	392	483	505	534	475
Unemployment Rate	12.5%	13.5%	12.0%	10.6%	9.2%	7.5%	6.5%	6.0%	7.5%	10.6%	11.6%	12.4%	9.7%

2011

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Annual
Labor Force	4,433	4,482	4,583	4,630	4,987	5,569	5,902	5,956	5,319	4,549	4,434	4,411	4,938
Employment	3,844	3,869	4,013	4,107	4,536	5,130	5,517	5,590	4,928	4,064	3,927	3,858	4,449
Unemployment	589	613	570	523	451	439	385	366	391	485	507	553	489
Unemployment Rate	13.3%	13.7%	12.4%	11.3%	9.0%	7.9%	6.5%	6.1%	7.4%	10.7%	11.4%	12.5%	9.9%

2010

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Annual
Labor Force	4,390	4,414	4,550	4,640	5,058	5,441	5,621	5,706	5,337	4,550	4,412	4,390	4,875
Employment	3,853	3,842	4,020	4,183	4,646	5,048	5,252	5,352	4,967	4,091	3,919	3,860	4,419
Unemployment	537	572	530	457	412	393	369	354	370	459	493	530	456
Unemployment Rate	12.2%	13.0%	11.6%	9.8%	8.1%	7.2%	6.6%	6.2%	6.9%	10.1%	11.2%	12.1%	9.4%

2009

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Annual
Labor Force	4,440	4,512	4,682	4,909	5,633	6,258	6,742	6,811	5,940	4,856	4,691	4,602	5,340
Employment	3,893	3,942	4,150	4,426	5,206	5,846	6,372	6,463	5,597	4,403	4,212	4,134	4,887
Unemployment	547	570	532	483	427	412	370	348	343	453	479	468	453
Unemployment Rate	12.3%	12.6%	11.4%	9.8%	7.6%	6.6%	5.5%	5.1%	5.8%	9.3%	10.2%	10.2%	8.5%

2008

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Annual
Labor Force	4,525	4,668	4,770	4,946	5,456	6,093	6,406	6,428	5,948	4,768	4,626	4,477	5,259
Employment	3,992	4,102	4,229	4,459	5,042	5,705	6,047	6,102	5,611	4,325	4,163	4,013	4,816
Unemployment	533	566	541	487	414	388	359	326	337	443	463	464	443
Unemployment Rate	11.8%	12.1%	11.3%	9.8%	7.6%	6.4%	5.6%	5.1%	5.7%	9.3%	10.0%	10.4%	8.4%

2007

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Annual
Labor Force	4,521	4,656	4,664	4,863	5,409	6,107	6,274	6,249	5,789	4,844	4,638	4,610	5,219
Employment	3,951	4,064	4,108	4,373	4,978	5,727	5,934	5,944	5,467	4,434	4,191	4,166	4,778
Unemployment	570	592	556	490	431	380	340	305	322	410	447	444	441
Unemployment Rate	12.6%	12.7%	11.9%	10.1%	8.0%	6.2%	5.4%	4.9%	5.6%	8.5%	9.6%	9.6%	8.4%

2006

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Annual
Labor Force	4,640	4,707	4,747	4,840	5,296	6,009	6,173	6,171	5,655	4,812	4,691	4,559	5,192
Employment	4,055	4,106	4,216	4,373	4,880	5,645	5,849	5,865	5,333	4,367	4,216	4,077	4,749
Unemployment	585	601	531	467	416	364	324	306	322	445	475	482	443
Unemployment Rate	12.6%	12.8%	11.2%	9.6%	7.9%	6.1%	5.2%	5.0%	5.7%	9.2%	10.1%	10.6%	8.5%

2005

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Annual
Labor Force	4,744	4,838	4,899	4,985	5,383	5,925	6,114	6,313	5,722	4,905	4,741	4,601	5,264
Employment	4,105	4,145	4,281	4,462	4,914	5,484	5,728	5,959	5,333	4,414	4,247	4,096	4,764
Unemployment	639	693	618	523	469	441	386	354	389	491	494	505	500
Unemployment Rate	13.5%	14.3%	12.6%	10.5%	8.7%	7.4%	6.3%	5.6%	6.8%	10.0%	10.4%	11.0%	9.5%

2004

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Annual
Labor Force	4,759	4,893	4,944	5,012	5,418	6,145	6,392	6,382	5,760	5,180	4,846	4,821	5,380
Employment	4,106	4,190	4,284	4,444	4,906	5,663	5,984	6,000	5,346	4,645	4,289	4,267	4,844
Unemployment	653	703	660	568	512	482	408	382	414	535	557	554	536
Unemployment Rate	13.7%	14.4%	13.3%	11.3%	9.4%	7.8%	6.4%	6.0%	7.2%	10.3%	11.5%	11.5%	10.0%

2003

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Annual
Labor Force	4,900	4,983	5,120	5,188	5,542	6,232	6,216	6,264	5,484	4,898	4,838	4,836	5,375
Employment	4,217	4,259	4,476	4,596	5,031	5,736	5,799	5,859	5,052	4,366	4,282	4,273	4,829
Unemployment	683	724	644	592	511	496	417	405	432	532	556	563	546
Unemployment Rate	13.9%	14.5%	12.6%	11.4%	9.2%	8.0%	6.7%	6.5%	7.9%	10.9%	11.5%	11.6%	10.2%

2002

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Annual
Labor Force	4,652	4,769	4,814	5,002	5,418	5,872	6,139	6,006	5,453	4,887	4,668	4,677	5,196
Employment	4,092	4,179	4,246	4,468	4,962	5,428	5,711	5,601	5,004	4,331	4,084	4,070	4,681
Unemployment	560	590	568	534	456	444	428	405	449	556	584	607	515
Unemployment Rate	12.0%	12.4%	11.8%	10.7%	8.4%	7.6%	7.0%	6.7%	8.2%	11.4%	12.5%	13.0%	9.9%

2001

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Annual
Labor Force	4,523	4,734	4,638	4,777	5,075	5,551	6,068	5,960	5,426	4,793	4,706	4,708	5,080
Employment	3,988	4,142	4,130	4,257	4,627	5,163	5,735	5,671	5,099	4,358	4,240	4,206	4,635
Unemployment	535	592	508	520	448	388	333	289	327	435	466	502	445
Unemployment Rate	11.8%	12.5%	11.0%	10.9%	8.8%	7.0%	5.5%	4.8%	6.0%	9.1%	9.9%	10.7%	8.8%

2000

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Annual
Labor Force	4,696	4,816	4,845	5,001	5,299	6,010	6,075	6,043	5,492	5,146	4,656	4,602	5,224
Employment	4,174	4,336	4,385	4,562	4,906	5,656	5,785	5,770	5,204	4,741	4,217	4,149	4,824
Unemployment	522	480	460	439	393	354	290	273	288	405	439	453	400
Unemployment Rate	11.1%	10.0%	9.5%	8.8%	7.4%	5.9%	4.8%	4.5%	5.2%	7.9%	9.4%	9.8%	7.7%

1999

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Annual
Labor Force	4,886	4,854	4,893	4,969	5,087	5,469	5,568	5,412	5,154	5,050	4,859	4,740	5,079
Employment	4,239	4,292	4,376	4,479	4,677	5,015	5,280	5,150	4,834	4,546	4,328	4,198	4,618
Unemployment	647	562	517	490	410	454	288	262	320	504	531	542	461
Unemployment Rate	13.2%	11.6%	10.6%	9.9%	8.1%	8.3%	5.2%	4.8%	6.2%	10.0%	10.9%	11.4%	9.1%

1998

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Annual
Labor Force	4,980	4,992	4,937	4,973	5,110	5,498	5,639	5,514	5,219	4,936	4,797	4,752	5,113
Employment	4,338	4,378	4,383	4,431	4,698	5,088	5,324	5,223	4,889	4,503	4,311	4,241	4,651
Unemployment	642	614	554	542	412	410	315	291	330	433	486	511	462
Unemployment Rate	12.9%	12.3%	11.2%	10.9%	8.1%	7.5%	5.6%	5.3%	6.3%	8.8%	10.1%	10.8%	9.0%

1997

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Annual
Labor Force	5,011	5,188	5,200	5,289	5,292	5,817	6,175	5,903	5,454	5,153	4,978	4,857	5,360
Employment	4,331	4,505	4,522	4,665	4,837	5,322	5,727	5,530	5,043	4,627	4,433	4,317	4,822
Unemployment	680	683	678	624	455	495	448	373	411	526	545	540	538
Unemployment Rate	13.6%	13.2%	13.0%	11.8%	8.6%	8.5%	7.3%	6.3%	7.5%	10.2%	10.9%	11.1%	10.0%

1996

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Annual
Labor Force	5,023	5,077	5,225	5,194	5,390	5,702	6,049	5,895	5,436	5,099	4,983	4,902	5,331
Employment	4,276	4,427	4,535	4,538	4,860	5,192	5,608	5,518	5,017	4,565	4,371	4,213	4,760
Unemployment	747	650	690	656	530	510	441	377	419	534	612	689	571
Unemployment Rate	14.9%	12.8%	13.2%	12.6%	9.8%	8.9%	7.3%	6.4%	7.7%	10.5%	12.3%	14.1%	10.7%

1995

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Annual
Labor Force	5,077	5,155	5,228	5,175	5,376	5,733	6,090	6,000	5,400	5,319	5,118	4,936	5,384
Employment	4,423	4,570	4,617	4,611	4,878	5,270	5,663	5,518	5,047	4,806	4,526	4,351	4,857
Unemployment	654	585	611	564	498	463	427	482	353	513	592	585	527
Unemployment Rate	12.9%	11.3%	11.7%	10.9%	9.3%	8.1%	7.0%	8.0%	6.5%	9.6%	11.6%	11.9%	9.8%

1994

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Annual
Labor Force	4,866	5,232	5,217	5,109	5,256	5,744	6,109	5,877	5,313	5,209	5,025	4,785	5,312
Employment	4,213	4,546	4,625	4,529	4,748	5,306	5,655	5,466	4,945	4,701	4,521	4,320	4,798
Unemployment	653	686	592	580	508	438	454	411	368	508	504	465	514
Unemployment Rate	13.4%	13.1%	11.3%	11.4%	9.7%	7.6%	7.4%	7.0%	6.9%	9.8%	10.0%	9.7%	9.7%

1993

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Annual
Labor Force	4,550	4,769	4,909	4,998	5,151	5,788	6,182	5,887	5,259	5,247	5,052	4,967	5,230
Employment	3,979	4,177	4,351	4,474	4,707	5,322	5,771	5,544	4,928	4,752	4,509	4,406	4,743
Unemployment	571	592	558	524	444	466	411	343	331	495	543	561	487
Unemployment Rate	12.5%	12.4%	11.4%	10.5%	8.6%	8.1%	6.6%	5.8%	6.3%	9.4%	10.7%	11.3%	9.3%

1992

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Annual
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Labor Force	4,683	4,849	4,889	4,958	5,126	5,613	5,778	5,427	5,193	5,006	4,783	4,726	5,086
Employment	3,975	4,097	4,187	4,345	4,599	5,088	5,349	5,106	4,844	4,590	4,340	4,290	4,568
Unemployment	708	752	702	613	527	525	429	321	349	416	443	436	518
Unemployment Rate	15.1%	15.5%	14.4%	12.4%	10.3%	9.4%	7.4%	5.9%	6.7%	8.3%	9.3%	9.2%	10.2%

1991

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Annual
Labor Force	4,850	4,917	5,009	5,154	5,190	5,439	5,813	5,608	5,069	4,772	4,731	4,608	5,096
Employment	4,224	4,275	4,327	4,544	4,747	5,015	5,477	5,245	4,784	4,382	4,210	4,106	4,611
Unemployment	626	642	682	610	443	424	336	363	285	390	521	502	485
Unemployment Rate	12.9%	13.1%	13.6%	11.8%	8.5%	7.8%	5.8%	6.5%	5.6%	8.2%	11.0%	10.9%	9.5%

1990

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Annual
Labor Force	4,669	4,889	5,013	5,214	5,526	5,649	5,881	5,669	4,958	4,872	4,857	4,842	5,170
Employment	3,999	4,121	4,198	4,435	4,720	5,061	5,452	5,284	4,604	4,475	4,349	4,317	4,585
Unemployment	670	768	815	779	806	588	429	385	354	397	508	525	585
Unemployment Rate	14.3%	15.7%	16.3%	14.9%	14.6%	10.4%	7.3%	6.8%	7.1%	8.1%	10.5%	10.8%	11.3%

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Definitions:

- **Labor Force:** Includes all persons in the civilian noninstitutional population classified as either employed or unemployed. (See the definitions below).
- **Employment:** These are all persons who, during the reference week (the week including the 12th day of the month), (a) did any work as paid employees, worked in their own business or profession or on their own farm, or worked 15 hours or more as unpaid workers in an enterprise operated by a member of their family, or (b) were not working but who had jobs from which they were temporarily absent because of vacation, illness, bad weather, childcare problems, maternity or paternity leave, labor-management dispute job training, or other family or personal reasons, whether or not they were paid for the time off or were seeking other jobs. Each employed person is counted only once, even if he or she holds more than one job.
- **Unemployment:** Includes all persons who had no employment during the reference week, were available for work, except for temporary illness, and had made specific efforts to find employment some time during the 4 week-period ending with the reference week. Persons who were waiting to be recalled to a job from which they had been laid off need not have been looking for work to be classified as unemployed.
- **Unemployment Rate:** The ratio of unemployed to the civilian labor force expressed as a percent [i.e., 100 times (unemployed/labor force)].

Source: Department of Labor and Workforce Development, Research and Analysis Section
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