





EMPLOYMENT TRENDS

February

Unemployment Rate

4.3%

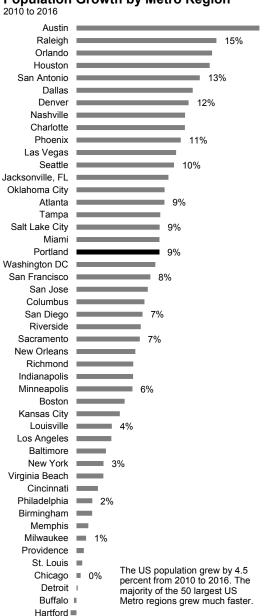
2016

3.5%

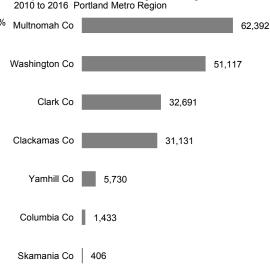
2017

5.2%

Population Growth by Metro Region

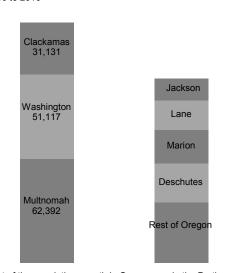


Population Growth by County



The Portland metro region added 192,412 people over the last six years. The vast majority of that growth was in Multnomah, Washington, Clackamas and Clark counties.

Population Growth by Oregon County 2010 to 2016



Most of the population growth in Oregon was in the Portland area. The majority of growth in the rest of Oregon was in just 4 counties: Deschutes, Marion, Lane and Jackson.

Portland Metro - Seasonally adjusted 2014

Employment Growth

Portland Metro

Feb 2017	1,149,700
Growth	+21,600 (+1.9%)

Year-over-year

2015

Industry Growth

Portland Metro - February Year-over-year growth (percentage)

Construction	+5,700 (+9.8%)
Financial Activities	+3,800 (+5.7%)
Information	+1,200 (+4.9%)
Healthcare & Social Assistance	+4,800 (+3.5%)
Transportation & Warehousing	+1,200 (+3.4%)
Leisure & Hospitality	+2,100 (+1.8%)
Professional & Business Services	+2,500 (+1.4%)
Manufacturing	- 3,100 (-2.5%)

Unemployment Rate - Portland Metro 1990 to 2017 - January

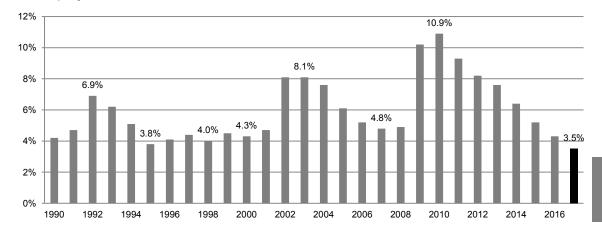
Salt Lake City and Miami.

The Portland region grew by

about 9 percent. Largely tied with

Pittsburgh ■

Cleveland



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