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Tri-County Local Area Unemployment Statistics

Data Seasonally Adjusted

	Mar-17	Jan-18	Feb-18	Mar-18	Percent Change	
			Revised	Prelim	Month	Year
Oxnard-Thousand Oaks-Ventura MSA						
Civilian Labor Force	425,697	425,686	427,093	425,341	-0.4%	-0.1%
Civilian Employment	404,997	409,165	410,244	409,523	-0.2%	1.1%
Civilian Unemployment	20,512	16,640	16,557	15,768	-4.8%	-23.1%
Civilian Unemployment Rate	4.8%	4.0%	3.9%	3.7%		
San Luis Obispo-Paso Robles-Arroyo Grande MSA						
Civilian Labor Force	142,120	142,642	142,871	141,983	-0.6%	-0.1%
Civilian Employment	136,716	138,199	138,583	137,754	-0.6%	0.8%
Civilian Unemployment	5,392	4,364	4,242	4,008	-5.5%	-25.7%
Civilian Unemployment Rate	3.8%	3.1%	3.0%	2.9%		
Santa Barbara - Santa Maria - Goleta MSA						
Civilian Labor Force	216,000	212,800	215,800	216,500	0.3%	0.2%
Civilian Employment	204,400	201,800	205,300	207,000	0.8%	1.3%
Civilian Unemployment	11,600	11,000	10,500	9,500	-9.5%	-18.1%
Civilian Unemployment Rate	5.4%	5.2%	4.9%	4.4%		
(CA Unemployment Rate)	5.0%	4.2%	4.2%	4.0%		
(U.S. Unemployment Rate)	4.5%	4.1%	4.1%	4.0%		