



## Employment in the Branson Area Including comparisons to the Missouri and US Average Unemployment Rate

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### Branson, MSA and Springfield-Branson CMSA during 2014

Month	Labor Force <sup>1</sup>	Employment <sup>1</sup>	Unemployment <sup>1</sup>	BRANSON <sup>1</sup>	SPRINGFIELD <sup>2</sup>	MISSOURI	U.S.
Jan-14	43,852	37,050	6,802	15.5%	7.2%	6.8%	7.0%
Feb-14	42,491	35,588	6,903	16.2%	7.8%	7.6%	7.0%
Mar-14	44,402	39,540	4,862	10.9%	6.9%	7.4%	6.8%
Apr-14	44,436	41,108	3,328	7.5%	5.3%	5.9%	5.9%
May-14	45,719	42,640	3,079	6.7%	5.3%	6.1%	6.1%
Jun-14	47,600	44,475	3,125	6.6%	5.9%	6.6%	6.3%
Jul-14	47,344	44,345	2,999	6.3%	5.7%	6.8%	6.5%
Aug-14	46,003	43,231	2,772	6.0%	5.3%	6.1%	6.3%
Sep-14	45,398	42,694	2,704	6.0%	5.2%	6.0%	5.7%
Oct-14	44,601	42,417	2,184	4.9%	4.1%	4.8%	5.5%
Nov-14	45,238	42,834	2,404	5.3%	4.5%	5.1%	5.5%
Dec-14	44,427	41,518	2,909	6.5%	4.7%	5.3%	5.4%

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Jan-13	41,490	34,561	6,929	16.7%	8.1%	7.4%	8.5%
Feb-13	40,436	33,617	6,819	16.9%	7.9%	7.4%	8.1%
Mar-13	42,157	37,428	4,729	11.2%	6.7%	7.0%	7.6%
Apr-13	42,608	38,916	3,692	8.7%	5.9%	6.3%	7.1%
May-13	43,924	40,463	3,461	7.9%	6.0%	6.7%	7.3%
Jun-13	46,097	42,662	3,435	7.5%	6.3%	7.1%	7.8%
Jul-13	47,045	43,770	3,275	7.0%	6.2%	7.4%	7.7%
Aug-13	46,315	43,191	3,124	6.7%	6.0%	7.1%	7.3%
Sep-13	44,440	41,580	2,860	6.4%	5.3%	6.0%	7.0%
Oct-13	44,810	41,981	2,829	6.3%	5.2%	5.7%	7.0%
Nov-13	45,360	42,512	2,848	6.3%	5.0%	5.5%	6.6%
Dec-13	44,474	41,408	3,066	6.9%	5.1%	5.8%	6.5%

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Jan-12	40,096	32,631	7,465	18.6%	8.5%	7.6%	8.8%
Feb-12	39,060	31,596	7,464	19.1%	8.9%	7.9%	8.7%
Mar-12	40,228	34,693	5,535	13.8%	7.8%	7.5%	8.4%
Apr-12	40,479	36,398	4,081	10.1%	6.5%	6.5%	7.7%
May-12	40,956	37,220	3,736	9.1%	6.5%	6.7%	7.9%
Jun-12	43,024	39,539	3,485	8.1%	6.6%	7.1%	8.4%
Jul-12	43,732	40,193	3,538	8.1%	6.9%	7.4%	8.6%
Aug-12	42,965	39,660	3,305	7.7%	6.5%	7.1%	8.2%
Sep-12	41,546	38,500	3,046	7.3%	5.7%	6.3%	7.6%
Oct-12	42,231	39,075	3,156	7.5%	5.9%	6.4%	7.5%
Nov-12	41,879	38,791	3,088	7.4%	5.7%	6.2%	7.4%
Dec-12	41,208	37,791	3,417	8.3%	5.9%	6.5%	7.6%

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