

Massachusetts Executive Office of Labor and Workforce Development
Department of Unemployment Assistance
CURRENT EMPLOYMENT STATISTICS
Not seasonally adjusted for Massachusetts plus New England City/Town Areas and Divisions

<u>Location</u>	<u>Total Employment</u>			<u>OTM Employment Change</u>		<u>OTY Employment Change</u>	
	Nov 2018	Dec 2018	Dec 2017	Nov 2018 - Dec 2018	Percent Change	Dec 2017 - Dec 2018	Percent Change
Massachusetts	3,715,800	3,711,200	3,645,600	-4,600	-0.1%	65,600	1.8%
New England City and Town Areas							
Barnstable Town MA Metropolitan NECTA	104,600	103,400	102,400	-1,200	-1.1%	1,000	1.0%
Boston-Cambridge-Nashua MA-NH Metropolitan NECTA	2,825,000	2,820,200	2,767,700	-4,800	-0.2%	52,500	1.9%
Leominster-Gardner MA Metropolitan NECTA	54,400	54,200	53,900	-200	-0.4%	300	0.6%
New Bedford MA Metropolitan NECTA	69,600	69,400	68,100	-200	-0.3%	1,300	1.9%
Pittsfield MA Metropolitan NECTA	42,000	41,800	41,600	-200	-0.5%	200	0.5%
Springfield MA-CT Metropolitan NECTA	345,200	345,000	340,300	-200	-0.1%	4,700	1.4%
Worcester MA-CT Metropolitan NECTA	298,500	298,000	292,200	-500	-0.2%	5,800	2.0%
New England City and Town Area Divisions							
Boston-Cambridge-Newton MA NECTA Division	1,909,900	1,906,900	1,862,700	-3,000	-0.2%	44,200	2.4%
Brockton-Bridgewater-Easton MA NECTA Division	83,700	83,600	83,100	-100	-0.1%	500	0.6%
Framingham MA NECTA Division	174,100	174,200	174,800	100	0.1%	-600	-0.3%
Haverhill-Newburyport-Amesbury Town MA-NH NECTA Division	68,500	68,100	67,600	-400	-0.6%	500	0.7%
Lawrence-Methuen Town-Salem MA-NH NECTA Division	85,600	85,500	84,500	-100	-0.1%	1,000	1.2%
Lowell-Billerica-Chelmsford MA-NH NECTA Division	161,700	161,200	159,500	-500	-0.3%	1,700	1.1%
Lynn-Saugus-Marblehead MA NECTA Division	47,600	47,500	46,000	-100	-0.2%	1,500	3.3%
Peabody-Salem-Beverly MA NECTA Division	97,700	98,300	98,500	600	0.6%	-200	-0.2%
Taunton-Middleborough-Norton MA NECTA Division	63,500	62,600	60,500	-900	-1.4%	2,100	3.5%

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