

**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>	
	Apr 2017	May 2017	May 2016	Apr 2017 - May 2017	Percent Change	May 2016 - May 2017	Percent Change
Massachusetts	3,594,400	3,629,200	3,574,400	34,800	1.0%	54,800	1.5%
<b>New England City and Town Areas</b>							
Barnstable Town MA Metropolitan NECTA	102,800	108,400	105,900	5,600	5.4%	2,500	2.4%
Boston-Cambridge-Nashua MA-NH Metropolitan NECTA	2,735,100	2,757,700	2,710,400	22,600	0.8%	47,300	1.7%
Leominster-Gardner MA Metropolitan NECTA	52,200	52,500	51,900	300	0.6%	600	1.2%
New Bedford MA Metropolitan NECTA	69,700	70,700	67,700	1,000	1.4%	3,000	4.4%
Pittsfield MA Metropolitan NECTA	41,300	42,100	41,800	800	1.9%	300	0.7%
Springfield MA-CT Metropolitan NECTA	339,200	339,100	334,700	-100	0.0%	4,400	1.3%
Worcester MA-CT Metropolitan NECTA	285,200	288,200	285,300	3,000	1.1%	2,900	1.0%
<b>New England City and Town Area Divisions</b>							
Boston-Cambridge-Newton MA NECTA Division	1,842,100	1,855,300	1,818,900	13,200	0.7%	36,400	2.0%
Brockton-Bridgewater-Easton MA NECTA Division	82,300	82,000	80,500	-300	-0.4%	1,500	1.9%
Framingham MA NECTA Division	174,500	176,100	174,200	1,600	0.9%	1,900	1.1%
Haverhill-Newburyport-Amesbury Town MA-NH NECTA Division	67,500	68,700	67,500	1,200	1.8%	1,200	1.8%
Lawrence-Methuen Town-Salem MA-NH NECTA Division	83,200	84,000	84,000	800	1.0%	0	0.0%
Lowell-Billerica-Chelmsford MA-NH NECTA Division	154,500	156,100	153,700	1,600	1.0%	2,400	1.6%
Lynn-Saugus-Marblehead MA NECTA Division	45,000	46,000	46,000	1,000	2.2%	0	0.0%
Peabody-Salem-Beverly MA NECTA Division	96,900	97,800	97,300	900	0.9%	500	0.5%
Taunton-Middleborough-Norton MA NECTA Division	59,600	60,600	59,800	1,000	1.7%	800	1.3%

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