

**Six Year Labor Force & Employment Trends  
New Mexico, MSAs and Counties 2001-2006**

Geography	2006				2005				2004			
	Civilian Labor				Civilian Labor				Civilian Labor			
	Force	Employed	# Unemployed	%	Force	Employed	# Unemployed	%	Force	Employed	# Unemployed	%
New Mexico	935,350	895,623	39,727	4.2	915,489	867,317	48,172	5.3	902,080	850,164	51,916	5.8
Albuquerque MSA	403,978	387,797	16,181	4	391,885	372,371	19,514	5.0	386,052	365,387	20,665	5.4
Farmington MSA	55,935	53,506	2,429	4.3	54,211	51,236	2,975	5.5	52,951	49,699	3,252	6.1
Las Cruces MSA	86,225	82,124	4,101	4.8	84,552	79,634	4,918	5.8	82,317	77,028	5,289	6.4
Santa Fe MSA	76,972	74,267	2,705	3.5	76,327	73,100	3,227	4.2	74,841	71,508	3,333	4.5
Bernalillo	313,406	301,179	12,227	3.9	303,920	289,198	14,722	4.8	300,146	284,470	15,676	5.2
Catron	1,523	1,441	82	5.4	1,483	1,384	99	6.7	1,500	1,388	112	7.5
Chaves	26,960	25,740	1,220	4.5	26,221	24,674	1,547	5.9	25,815	24,030	1,785	6.9
Cibola	11,734	11,165	569	4.8	12,022	11,328	694	5.8	12,126	11,389	737	6.1
Colfax	6,617	6,321	296	4.5	6,881	6,511	370	5.4	7,089	6,666	423	6
Curry	21,105	20,359	746	3.5	20,630	19,747	883	4.3	20,286	19,387	899	4.4
De Baca	895	859	36	4	885	835	50	5.6	967	900	67	6.9
Dona Ana	see Las Cruces MSA				see Las Cruces MSA				see Las Cruces MSA			
Eddy	25,361	24,439	922	3.6	24,499	23,335	1,164	4.8	24,174	22,786	1,388	5.7
Grant	12,450	11,904	546	4.4	12,007	11,272	735	6.1	11,936	10,898	1,038	8.7
Guadalupe	1,892	1,787	105	5.5	1,732	1,600	132	7.6	1,715	1,592	123	7.2
Harding	383	366	17	4.4	393	377	16	4.1	422	400	22	5.2
Hidalgo	2,770	2,674	96	3.5	2,561	2,435	126	4.9	2,433	2,287	146	6
Lea	26,796	25,938	858	3.2	25,728	24,640	1,088	4.2	24,524	23,307	1,217	5
Lincoln	10,601	10,178	423	4	10,838	10,343	495	4.6	11,112	10,627	485	4.4
Los Alamos	11,325	11,047	278	2.5	11,440	11,121	319	2.8	11,397	11,075	322	2.8
Luna	12,979	11,591	1,388	10.7	12,845	11,166	1,679	13.1	12,385	10,426	1,959	15.8
McKinley	26,903	25,388	1,515	5.6	26,833	24,996	1,837	6.8	26,790	24,868	1,922	7.2
Mora	2,035	1,856	179	8.8	2,077	1,838	239	11.5	2,146	1,905	241	11.2
Otero	26,328	25,179	1,149	4.4	26,764	25,410	1,354	5.1	26,682	25,265	1,417	5.3
Quay	4,100	3,908	192	4.7	4,081	3,864	217	5.3	4,108	3,855	253	6.2
Rio Arriba	21,946	20,870	1,076	4.9	21,768	20,474	1,294	5.9	21,738	20,323	1,415	6.5
Roosevelt	9,422	9,119	303	3.2	9,462	9,093	369	3.9	9,527	9,162	365	3.8
Sandoval	51,402	49,147	2,255	4.4	49,880	47,192	2,688	5.4	47,973	45,200	2,773	5.8
San Juan	see Farmington MSA				see Farmington MSA				see Farmington MSA			
San Miguel	13,524	12,863	661	4.9	13,365	12,517	848	6.3	13,658	12,738	920	6.7
Santa Fe	see Santa Fe MSA				see Santa Fe MSA				see Santa Fe MSA			
Sierra	5,522	5,271	251	4.5	5,436	5,136	300	5.5	5,345	5,031	314	5.9
Socorro	9,400	9,046	354	3.8	9,342	8,915	427	4.6	8,957	8,509	448	5
Taos	17,620	16,630	990	5.6	17,147	15,962	1,185	6.9	16,996	15,710	1,286	7.6
Torrance	7,767	7,430	337	4.3	7,562	7,134	428	5.7	7,614	7,165	449	5.9
Union	2,052	1,991	61	3	2,077	2,005	72	3.5	2,094	2,019	75	3.6
Valencia	31,405	30,043	1,362	4.3	30,522	28,847	1,675	5.5	30,319	28,552	1,767	5.8

Geography	2003				2002				2001			
	Civilian Labor Force	Employed	# Unemployed	%	Civilian Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	%	Civilian Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	%
New Mexico	885,298	832,639	52,659	5.9	871,512	823,191	48,321	5.5	863,682	821,003	42,679	4.9
Albuquerque MSA	379,169	358,340	20,829	5.5	376,325	357,059	19,266	5.1	376,382	360,240	16,142	4.3
Farmington MSA	51,452	47,938	3,514	6.8	51,009	47,863	3,146	6.2	50,842	48,116	2,726	5.4
Las Cruces MSA	81,088	75,733	5,355	6.6	78,856	73,911	4,945	6.3	76,930	72,233	4,697	6.1
Santa Fe MSA	73,529	70,314	3,215	4.4	71,671	68,857	2,814	3.9	71,362	68,784	2,578	3.6
Bernalillo	294,782	279,085	15,697	5.3	292,886	278,412	14,474	4.9	293,676	281,365	12,311	4.2
Catron	1,474	1,361	113	7.7	1,432	1,343	89	6.2	1,485	1,393	92	6.2
Chaves	25,723	23,809	1,914	7.4	25,687	24,012	1,675	6.5	25,853	24,399	1,454	5.6
Cibola	11,751	11,006	745	6.3	10,820	10,123	697	6.4	10,209	9,582	627	6.1
Colfax	7,171	6,718	453	6.3	6,995	6,618	377	5.4	6,998	6,637	361	5.2
Curry	19,758	18,859	899	4.6	19,253	18,333	920	4.8	18,876	18,060	816	4.3
De Baca	916	843	73	8	900	855	45	5	962	914	48	5
Dona Ana	see Las Cruces MSA				see Las Cruces MSA				see Las Cruces MSA			
Eddy	24,013	22,561	1,452	6	23,831	22,430	1,401	5.9	23,497	22,323	1,174	5
Grant	11,897	10,667	1,230	10.3	12,716	11,455	1,261	9.9	13,100	12,276	824	6.3
Guadalupe	1,667	1,536	131	7.9	1,712	1,580	132	7.7	1,679	1,547	132	7.9
Harding	446	422	24	5.4	438	421	17	3.9	394	377	17	4.3
Hidalgo	2,425	2,301	124	5.1	2,436	2,329	107	4.4	2,582	2,426	156	6
Lea	23,803	22,535	1,268	5.3	23,241	21,983	1,258	5.4	23,702	22,684	1,018	4.3
Lincoln	10,826	10,355	471	4.4	10,306	9,889	417	4	9,788	9,374	414	4.2
Los Alamos	11,265	10,958	307	2.7	10,871	10,614	257	2.4	10,449	10,180	269	2.6
Luna	12,276	10,313	1,963	16	11,381	9,704	1,677	14.7	10,844	9,059	1,785	16.5
McKinley	26,326	24,489	1,837	7	25,365	23,799	1,566	6.2	24,919	23,385	1,534	6.2
Mora	2,089	1,860	229	11	2,065	1,853	212	10.3	1,991	1,795	196	9.8
Otero	25,278	23,719	1,559	6.2	24,700	23,289	1,411	5.7	24,448	23,133	1,315	5.4
Quay	4,003	3,738	265	6.6	4,072	3,851	221	5.4	4,172	3,947	225	5.4
Rio Arriba	21,236	19,866	1,370	6.5	20,469	19,173	1,296	6.3	19,736	18,564	1,172	5.9
Roosevelt	9,255	8,879	376	4.1	9,028	8,651	377	4.2	8,385	8,052	333	4
Sandoval	46,593	43,727	2,866	6.2	45,708	42,979	2,729	6	44,544	42,509	2,035	4.6
San Juan	see Farmington MSA				see Farmington MSA				see Farmington MSA			
San Miguel	13,565	12,697	868	6.4	13,364	12,534	830	6.2	12,800	12,030	770	6
Santa Fe	see Santa Fe MSA				see Santa Fe MSA				see Santa Fe MSA			
Sierra	5,232	4,935	297	5.7	5,318	5,030	288	5.4	5,282	5,030	252	4.8
Socorro	8,710	8,265	445	5.1	8,530	8,099	431	5.1	8,202	7,771	431	5.3
Taos	16,914	15,656	1,258	7.4	16,678	15,561	1,117	6.7	15,790	14,739	1,051	6.7
Torrance	7,448	7,025	423	5.7	7,277	6,916	361	5	7,468	7,132	336	4.5
Union	2,044	1,965	79	3.9	2,044	1,971	73	3.6	2,025	1,954	71	3.5
Valencia	30,346	28,504	1,842	6.1	30,453	28,751	1,702	5.6	30,695	29,234	1,461	4.8

Source: New Mexico Department of Workforce Solutions, Economic Research and Analysis Bureau, Table A