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January 2025 USA  
**Employment Trends**

# DECEMBER 2024 JOB REPORT

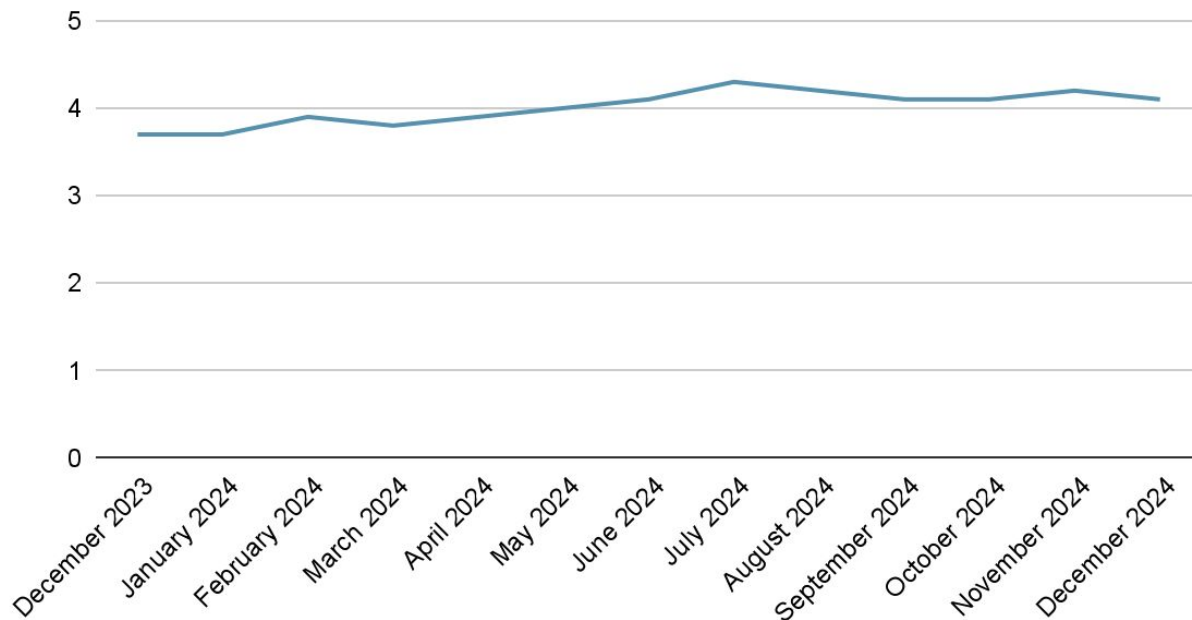
**+256,000**  
**JOBS ADDED**

**\$35.69**  
**HOURLY EARNING**

**6.9 million**  
**# UNEMPLOYED**

**4.1%**  
**UNEMPLOYMENT**

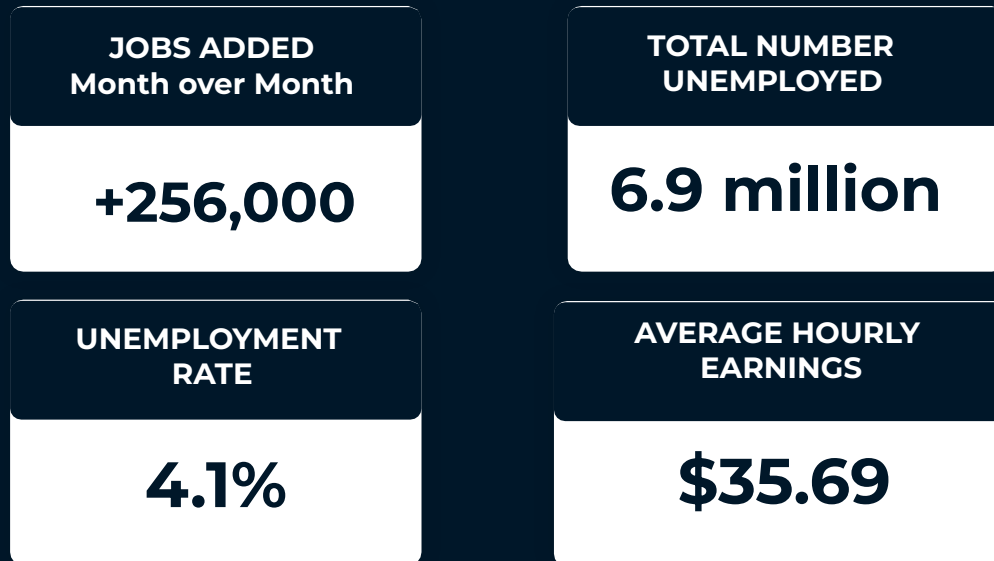
Unemployment rate December 2023–December 2024



## Industries to Watch:

- **Healthcare (+46,000)**
- **Government (+33,000)**
- **Social Assistance (+32,000)**
- **Retail Trade (+23,000)**
- **Leisure and Hospitality (+43,000)**

# US Jobs Market – December 2024



The forecast was modest job gains for December, anticipating hiring slowdowns due to economic uncertainty and seasonal adjustments. Instead, the labor market delivered **256,000 new positions**, building on November's revised total of 212,000.

The unexpected strength in job growth points to demand across sectors, especially in industries like **healthcare, professional services, and manufacturing**. December's figures contribute to an annual total of approximately **2.2 million jobs added in 2024**, aligning with pre-pandemic averages seen between 2017 and 2019.

# Contact Us

At Talent Traction, we are passionate about connecting employees and employers to create thriving workplaces.

Our platform serves as a gateway for both employees and employer.



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For Your Attention