

LABOR

Job Service ND and MN Department of Employment and Economic Development

MEASURE		MONTH	MOST RECENT	YEAR EARLIER	% CHANGE
Unemployment Rate	F-M MSA	Apr-13	3.9%	3.3%	
	ND	Apr -13	3.5%	3.0%	
	MN	Apr -13	5.4%	5.3%	
	US	Apr -13	7.1%	7.7%	
Labor Force	F-M MSA	Apr -13	120,407	119,615	0.7%
	ND	Apr -13	399,104	388,803	2.6%
	MN	Apr -13	2,978,412	2,955,970	0.8%
	US	Apr -13	154,739,000	153,905,000	0.5%
Employed	F-M MSA	Apr -13	115,736	115,648	0.1%
	ND	Apr -13	384,979	377,029	2.1%
	MN	Apr -13	2,818,639	2,797,863	0.7%
	US	Apr -13	143,724,000	141,995,000	1.2%
Wage Growth - Total Wages; Average Annual Salary	Cass	2012 Annual	\$4,612,125,057 \$43,264	\$4,243,611,584 \$41,444	8.7% 4.4%
	Clay	2012 Annual	\$608,336,402 \$34,008	\$580,861,295 \$32,916	4.7% 3.3%

Notes: Unemployment Rate, Labor Force, & Employed data are not seasonally adjusted. Most recent labor statistics are estimates generated monthly through the LAUS program with frequent revisions as updated data becomes available.

PROPERTY

Nat'l Association of Home Builders - MSA Housing Units Authorized by Building Permits



YEAR TO DATE	APR 2013	APR 2012	% CHANGE
Total Units	457	446	2%
Single Family	183	195	-6%
Multi-Family*	274	251	9%

*Twinhomes are included in multi-family numbers

TRANSPORTATION

Hector International Airport – Total Passengers

APR 2013	APR 2012	% CHANGE	YTD 2013	YTD 2012	% CHANGE
58,996	57,277	3.0%	273,332	256,219	6.7%

CONSUMERS

Taxable Sales and Purchases (Cass County) — ND Office of State Tax Commissioner

4TH QTR 2012	4TH QTR 2011	% CHANGE	YTD 2012	YTD 2011	% CHANGE
\$835,105,906	\$800,093,755	4.4%	\$3,055,069,906	\$2,776,411,892	10.0%

For more information on N.D. state and local sales & use tax, visit www.nd.gov/tax/salesanduse.

These economic indicators have been compiled by the Greater Fargo Moorhead Economic Development Corporation. For additional information, call 701-364-1900.