

monster® EMPLOYMENT INDEX

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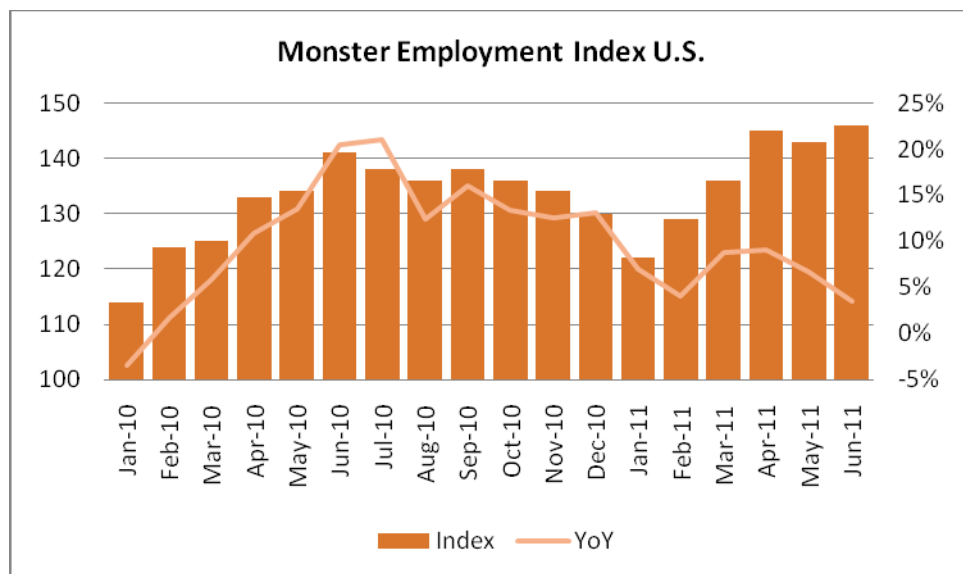
Monster Employment Index U.S. Records 4% Annual Growth in June, Edges up Month-over-Month

June 2011 Index Highlights:

- Monster Employment Index U.S. at 146, its highest level since October 2008
- Annual growth rate at 4 percent in June, marking the 17th consecutive month of year-over-year growth
- Wholesale and retail trade continue to register robust annual growth
- Opportunities in the information sector expand, driven by increased demand in media and telecommunications
- Public administration continues to register the steepest annual declines on a year-over-year basis

The Monster Employment Index U.S. is a monthly gauge of U.S. online job demand based on a real-time review of millions of employer job opportunities culled from a large representative selection of career Web sites and online job listings. The Index does not reflect the trend of any one advertiser or source, but is an aggregate measure of the change in job listings across the industry.

“It is encouraging to see that the Monster Employment Index U.S. has reached its highest level since October 2008 and has shown continued growth in the current economic cycle,” said Jesse Harriott, senior vice president and chief knowledge officer at Monster Worldwide. “Expansion in recruitment activity for the commerce sectors, like retail and wholesale trade in particular, is a positive indication of continued momentum in economic activity.”



Monster Employment Index U.S. results for the past 18 months are as follows:

Jan 10	Feb 10	Mar 10	Apr 10	May 10	Jun 10	Jul 10	Aug 10	Sep 10	Oct 10	Nov 10	Dec 10	Jan 11	Feb 11	Mar 11	Apr 11	May 11	Jun 11	Y-O-Y
114	124	125	133	134	141	138	136	138	136	134	130	122	129	136	145	143	146	4%

Industry Year-over-year Trends: 13 of the 20 industries monitored by the Index showed positive annual growth trends.

- **Mining, quarrying, oil and gas extraction** (up 60 percent), and **Utilities** (up 25 percent) continued to lead the Index on an annual basis
- **Information** (up 15 percent) was among the top growth sectors in June, with escalation in demand for workers among content creation and distribution firms including telecommunications and internet media
- **Wholesale trade** (up 17 percent) recorded strong online job demand for professional operations and procurement-related positions
- **Real Estate and Rental** (down 8 percent) and **Construction** (down 3 percent) exhibited reduced demand compared to the summer of 2010
- **Public Administration** (down 21 percent) continued to register the slowest annual growth in June

Top Growth Industries

Year-over-year Growth	Jun 10	Jun 11	% Growth Y-o-y
Mining, Quarrying and Oil and Gas Extraction	178	284	60%
Utilities	121	151	25%
Retail Trade	135	160	19%
Wholesale Trade	134	157	17%
Information	80	92	15%

Lowest Growth Industries

Year-over-year Growth	Jun 10	Jun 11	% Growth Y-o-y
Construction	200	194	-3%
Real Estate and Rental and Leasing	60	55	-8%
Management of Companies and Enterprises	122	111	-9%
Accommodation and Food Services	113	102	-10%
Public Administration	193	153	-21%

Occupation Year-over-year Trends: Annual online demand for workers rose in 15 of 23 occupational categories in June.

- **Installation, maintenance and repair** (up 27 percent) was the top growth occupation on an annual basis
- **Computer and mathematical** (up 15 percent) and **arts, entertainment, sports and media** (up 3 percent) exhibited positive year-over-year growth, as exhibited by the broader information sector

Top Growth Occupations

Year-over-year Growth	Jun 10	Jun 11	% Growth Y-o-y
Installation, Maintenance, and Repair	134	170	27%
Architecture and Engineering	89	109	22%
Personal Care and Service	59	69	17%
Computer and Mathematical	102	117	15%
Production	117	134	15%

Lowest Growth Occupations

Year-over-year Growth	Jun 10	Jun 11	% Growth Y-o-y
Business and Financial Operations	151	147	-3%
Management	152	146	-4%
Building/Grounds Cleaning/Maintenance	122	116	-5%
Food Preparation and Serving	119	109	-8%
Protective Service	85	68	-20%

Geographic year-over-year Trends: 26 of the 28 metro markets recorded positive annual growth in June.

- **Minneapolis** (up 24 percent) claimed the top growth position among the major metropolitan markets by measure of annual gains
- **Washington, DC** (down 7 percent) continued to be the only market to decline on an annual basis, possibly driven by weakness in public sector hiring

Top Growth Metro Markets

Year-over-year Growth	Jun 10	Jun 11	% Growth Y-o-y
Minneapolis	91	113	24%
Detroit	91	111	22%
Cleveland	100	118	18%
Cincinnati	84	99	18%
Chicago	78	91	17%

Lowest Growth Metro Markets

Year-over-year Growth	Jun 10	Jun 11	% Growth Y-o-y
Los Angeles	69	71	3%
Miami	78	80	3%
New York City	84	86	2%
Boston	81	81	0%
Washington, DC	58	54	-7%

International Trends:

- **Monster Employment Index Europe** registered a 23 percent annual growth rate in June. Germany continues to lead all countries in annual growth and industrial production sectors like production, manufacturing, maintenance, and repair; and transport, post and logistics continue to grow.
- **Monster Employment Index India** recorded a 12 percent increase year-over-year in May, with strong annual growth for the retail; automotive; and IT sectors

To obtain a full copy of the Monster Employment Index U.S. report for June 2011, and to access current individual data charts for each of the 28 metro markets tracked, please visit <http://about-monster.com/employment-index>. Data for the month of July 2011 will be released on August 4, 2011.

By Industry

	2010							2011					
	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun
Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing and Hunting	195	196	188	177	178	165	168	177	182	191	190	190	201
Mining, Quarrying and Oil and Gas Extraction	178	182	189	191	197	199	204	211	234	251	274	285	284
Utilities	121	121	132	141	137	131	136	122	129	146	146	163	151
Construction	200	195	193	194	191	194	174	165	173	179	189	189	194
Manufacturing	91	93	93	93	92	91	88	85	88	96	100	100	103
Wholesale Trade	134	134	136	137	139	142	139	138	143	159	164	157	157
Retail Trade	135	135	143	141	145	152	138	132	133	142	159	161	160
Transportation and Warehousing	157	160	155	154	162	161	158	143	148	159	172	172	179
Information	80	81	80	80	82	81	79	76	79	82	83	84	92
Finance and Insurance	52	52	53	52	53	50	47	46	47	50	53	54	53
Real Estate and Rental and Leasing	60	57	55	55	60	59	56	47	49	51	54	55	55
Professional, Scientific, and Technical Services	59	59	58	59	59	58	56	56	59	61	64	64	66
Management of Companies and Enterprises	122	122	118	117	106	109	103	96	101	105	110	110	111
Administrative, Support, Waste Management, Remediation Services	55	56	55	55	55	54	50	48	50	54	60	60	60
Educational Services	91	94	92	87	90	90	86	77	80	89	94	94	93
Healthcare and Social Assistance	108	107	107	110	107	104	99	92	94	100	106	108	105
Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation	42	42	41	41	41	39	37	35	35	38	41	43	42
Accommodation and Food Services	113	108	111	105	99	102	99	79	83	94	98	97	102
Other Services	188	183	183	188	187	178	166	166	186	199	211	208	212
Public Administration	193	198	190	204	213	189	166	142	142	159	168	153	153

By Occupation

	2010							2011					
	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun
Management	152	148	144	144	136	137	130	123	131	138	144	144	146
Business and Financial Operations	151	146	145	148	147	148	153	140	149	153	157	155	147
Computer and Mathematical	102	101	101	102	103	103	99	98	103	106	109	110	117
Architecture and Engineering	89	90	88	88	86	85	82	87	92	97	102	105	109
Life, Physical, and Social Science	130	132	123	119	116	113	111	107	111	118	121	127	129
Community and Social Services	191	187	188	196	188	182	183	176	190	198	210	211	212
Legal	111	111	116	115	117	113	97	87	96	104	110	110	118
Education, Training, and Library	132	134	130	123	126	125	120	108	113	125	131	131	130
Arts, Design, Entertainment, Sports, and Media	96	96	95	95	93	92	86	89	92	89	97	99	99
Healthcare Practitioners and Technical	159	159	161	161	163	159	151	139	142	149	159	161	160
Healthcare Support	201	205	195	209	205	202	198	192	198	217	230	227	223
Protective Service	85	77	83	90	89	83	60	55	58	61	67	67	68
Food Preparation and Serving Related	119	118	115	110	101	94	94	79	88	104	107	108	109
Building, Grounds Cleaning, Maintenance	122	118	115	110	116	114	96	94	105	115	118	117	116
Personal Care and Service	59	57	53	48	45	43	39	51	63	69	75	72	69
Sales and Related	93	91	91	90	91	94	90	85	91	90	97	98	98
Office and Administrative Support	104	106	103	105	104	101	92	90	93	101	109	109	110
Farming, Fishing, and Forestry	176	175	169	162	162	151	149	162	171	176	186	179	173
Construction and Extraction	116	115	115	116	114	115	105	100	106	110	117	119	120
Installation, Maintenance, and Repair	134	135	140	144	146	138	135	138	153	163	169	167	170
Production	117	121	121	122	121	120	113	113	117	125	133	133	134
Transportation and Material Moving	100	103	100	99	105	104	102	91	96	101	108	108	112
Military Specific	155	150	149	160	154	146	140	137	141	155	160	160	163

By Local Market

	2010							2011					
	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun
Atlanta	93	90	91	92	89	92	88	77	91	94	99	101	101
Baltimore	54	51	50	53	51	50	48	40	45	49	53	55	57
Boston	81	77	78	81	82	79	74	64	75	80	83	83	81
Chicago	78	76	78	82	82	81	78	71	82	88	90	92	91
Cincinnati	84	77	78	83	83	78	75	67	81	88	94	95	99
Cleveland	100	95	99	99	103	103	100	89	102	108	116	116	118
Dallas	105	100	104	106	105	104	101	94	103	107	112	114	111
Denver	100	100	103	102	103	101	95	91	100	102	107	107	107
Detroit	91	89	93	97	99	101	91	86	102	109	115	109	111
Houston	118	115	117	120	117	116	112	106	121	126	129	130	132
Indianapolis	92	87	90	89	91	89	86	79	90	92	100	99	101
Kansas City	97	88	94	97	94	92	84	74	84	90	97	101	103
Los Angeles	69	66	67	69	69	69	64	59	68	69	71	72	71
Miami	78	73	73	74	76	76	74	68	78	79	85	83	80
Minneapolis	91	86	90	95	96	98	98	89	99	99	107	109	113
New York City	84	83	83	84	85	83	79	71	80	83	85	85	86
Orlando	60	54	54	56	55	58	54	46	56	59	65	65	63
Philadelphia	57	58	59	63	63	65	59	50	58	63	69	66	64
Phoenix	71	69	71	72	74	75	71	66	74	75	78	77	75
Pittsburgh	152	142	144	151	149	148	141	126	146	149	157	160	166
Portland	97	90	93	89	95	92	83	74	89	90	97	100	108
Sacramento	78	74	75	75	76	74	71	68	77	77	80	80	81
San Diego	74	71	71	72	73	70	67	65	77	78	81	81	81
San Francisco	76	75	76	76	77	76	73	68	76	78	79	80	81
Seattle	111	108	107	108	108	106	102	100	108	112	117	117	118
St. Louis	116	109	111	114	113	116	110	98	111	119	125	123	133
Tampa	87	78	80	82	82	82	80	75	83	87	95	93	90
Washington, D.C.	58	51	53	54	53	52	49	41	48	50	53	53	54

By Region

	2010							2011					
	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun
New England	130	126	122	125	123	123	117	110	117	121	126	124	126
Mid-Atlantic	133	132	130	130	128	122	117	110	115	120	128	125	126
East North Central	127	125	124	125	124	125	122	117	122	130	139	137	140
West North Central	141	138	137	139	141	142	140	128	136	140	149	146	151
South Atlantic	134	130	128	128	125	126	121	115	121	129	140	139	141
East South Central	142	140	136	140	138	136	134	125	134	142	151	147	155
West South Central	216	210	211	214	205	201	194	182	195	204	223	223	226
Mountain	137	136	134	142	142	141	135	120	128	129	136	135	138
Pacific	119	117	115	114	112	111	106	106	111	112	119	118	119

About the Monster Employment Index U.S.

Launched in April 2004 with data collected since October 2003, the Monster Employment Index U.S. is a broad and comprehensive monthly analysis of U.S. online job demand conducted by Monster Worldwide, Inc. Based on a real-time review of millions of employer job opportunities culled from a large, representative selection of corporate career sites and job boards, including Monster, the Monster Employment Index presents a snapshot of employer online recruitment activity nationwide. All of the data and findings in the Monster Employment Index have been validated for their accuracy through independent, third party auditing conducted periodically by Research America, Inc. The audit validates the accuracy of the national online job recruitment activity measured within a margin of error of +/- 1.05%.

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