

KPB Employment

Employment data are acquired from the Alaska Department of Labor and Workforce Development (AK DOLWD) as reported by each business.

Government employees include federal, state, borough and local government as well as public school and state university employees. Employees of both Central Peninsula General Hospital in Soldotna and South Peninsula General Hospital in Homer are included in government data rather than service data because they are owned by and receive funds from the KPB.

The AK DOLWD updates employment data regularly. Self-employed workers, fishers, domestics, unpaid family help, most individuals engaged in agriculture and some other smaller worker groups are excluded from these figures due to exemption from certain reporting requirements.

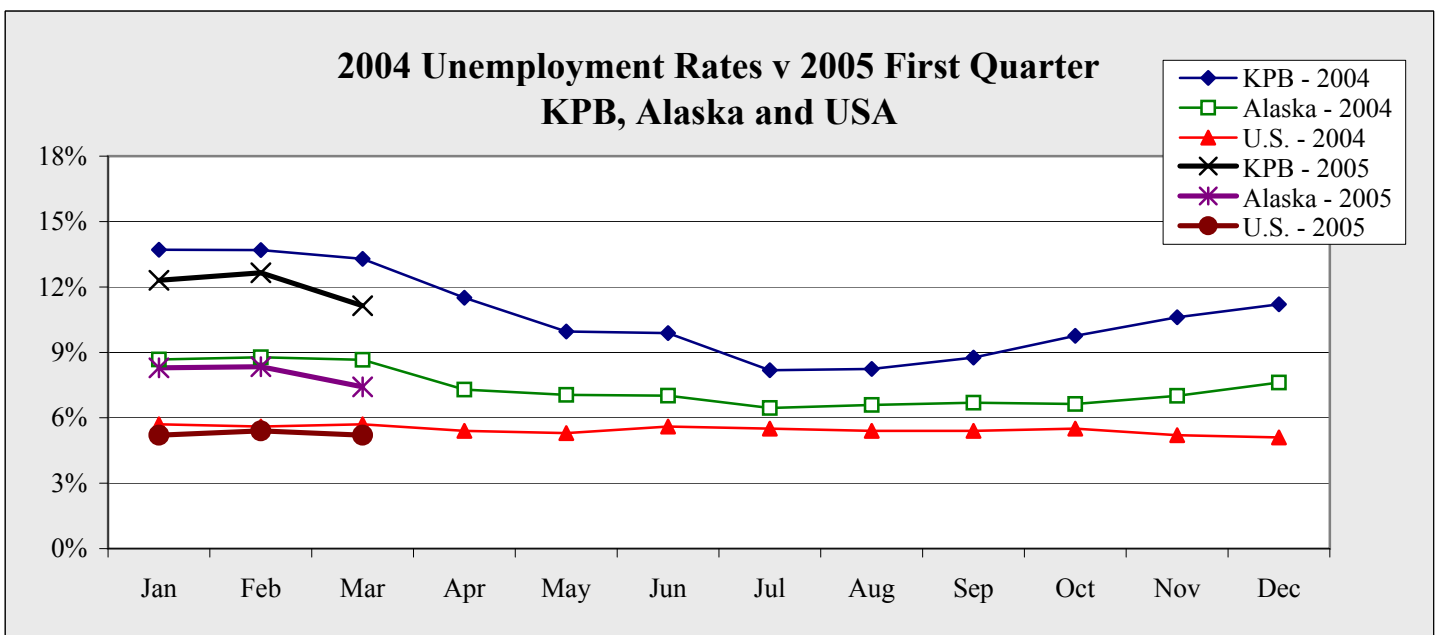


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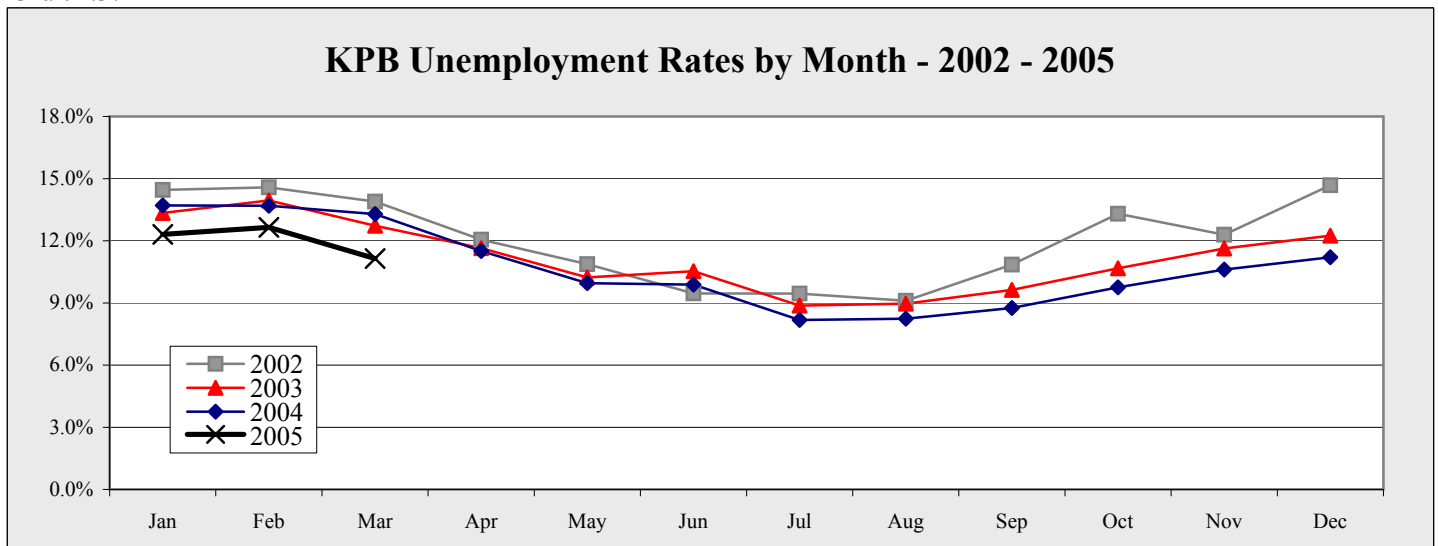


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KPB Labor Force by Month - 1990-2005

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Avg
1990	17,484	17,834	17,907	18,562	19,163	20,281	21,497	20,995	18,632	18,592	18,087	17,804	18,903
1991	18,314	18,612	18,738	19,469	19,806	20,852	22,525	21,608	19,981	19,045	18,919	18,574	19,704
1992	18,749	19,468	19,366	19,734	20,218	22,206	22,766	21,409	20,614	20,300	19,409	19,138	20,281
1993	18,526	19,509	19,827	20,175	20,457	22,835	24,085	23,031	20,626	20,550	19,792	19,293	20,726
1994	19,602	21,104	21,193	20,557	21,046	23,263	24,611	23,372	21,078	20,922	20,057	19,392	21,350
1995	20,603	21,179	20,971	20,505	21,100	22,740	24,340	23,498	21,559	21,432	20,441	19,915	21,524
1996	20,902	21,795	21,739	21,609	22,651	24,000	25,583	24,841	23,228	21,906	21,335	20,561	22,513
1997	21,742	22,421	21,898	21,993	22,076	24,208	25,480	24,414	22,467	21,325	20,589	19,953	22,381
1998	20,677	20,713	20,426	20,395	21,346	23,475	24,773	24,319	22,567	21,208	20,112	19,520	21,628
1999	20,429	21,171	20,932	21,048	21,466	23,076	24,114	23,381	22,244	21,096	20,202	19,727	21,574
2000	20,787	21,091	21,041	21,077	22,115	23,940	23,783	23,616	22,627	21,686	21,670	21,769	21,736
2001	20,807	20,784	20,821	20,865	21,789	23,496	24,134	23,057	22,045	21,353	21,307	21,454	21,676
2002	20,596	20,969	21,108	21,305	21,893	22,863	24,201	23,601	22,099	20,554	21,261	20,446	21,741
2003	21,974	21,827	21,925	22,025	22,923	24,172	24,489	23,759	22,176	21,684	21,660	21,565	22,515
2004	21,566	21,684	21,798	21,795	22,825	24,468	24,850	23,746	22,504	21,821	21,756	21,679	22,541
2005	21,856	21,841	21,980										

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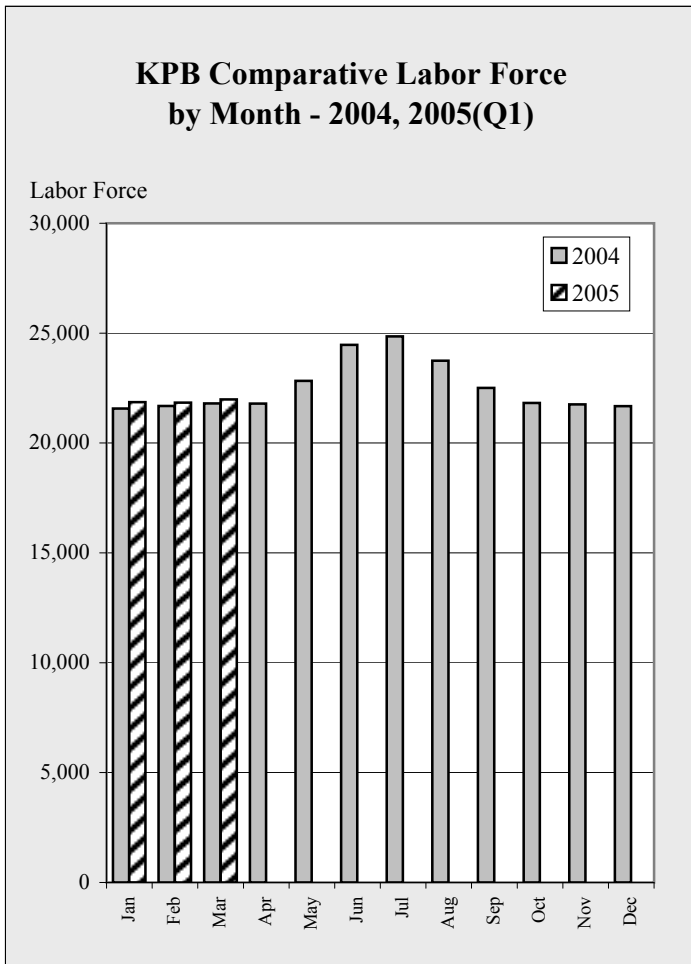


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KPB Unemployment by Month - 1990-2005

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Avg
1990	2,684	2,671	2,451	2,321	2,117	1,969	1,651	1,733	1,925	2,384	2,331	2,311	2,212
1991	2,894	2,960	2,769	2,635	2,383	2,381	2,179	2,045	2,203	2,900	3,398	3,523	2,689
1992	4,173	4,388	3,776	3,435	3,081	3,050	2,510	2,004	2,233	2,971	2,983	3,056	3,138
1993	3,644	3,816	3,341	3,084	2,594	2,483	1,949	1,695	1,724	2,507	2,641	2,686	2,680
1994	3,397	3,634	3,282	2,933	2,617	2,516	2,390	1,920	1,819	2,688	2,546	2,753	2,708
1995	3,589	3,623	3,143	2,650	2,238	2,238	2,137	1,863	1,864	2,717	2,807	2,966	2,653
1996	3,749	3,987	3,409	3,163	2,939	2,768	2,555	2,145	2,651	3,293	3,578	3,524	3,147
1997	4,456	4,487	3,849	3,369	2,778	2,814	2,390	1,984	2,093	2,706	2,775	2,667	3,031
1998	3,009	2,973	2,531	2,141	1,855	2,075	1,657	1,371	1,630	2,062	1,994	2,092	2,116
1999	2,921	3,445	2,897	2,519	2,229	2,256	1,994	1,742	1,885	2,198	2,252	2,197	2,378
2000	2,530	2,575	2,445	2,138	1,943	1,843	1,546	1,556	1,496	1,671	1,871	2,019	1,969
2001	2,326	2,378	2,276	2,044	1,767	1,810	1,545	1,561	1,561	1,756	1,965	2,180	1,931
2002	2,978	3,057	2,932	2,568	2,380	2,162	2,288	2,148	2,397	2,735	2,614	3,001	2,605
2003	2,932	3,044	2,790	2,564	2,346	2,546	2,172	2,130	2,135	2,314	2,519	2,641	2,511
2004	2,956	2,969	2,897	2,508	2,272	2,419	2,033	1,956	1,971	2,129	2,309	2,429	2,404
2005	2,690	2,763	2,449										

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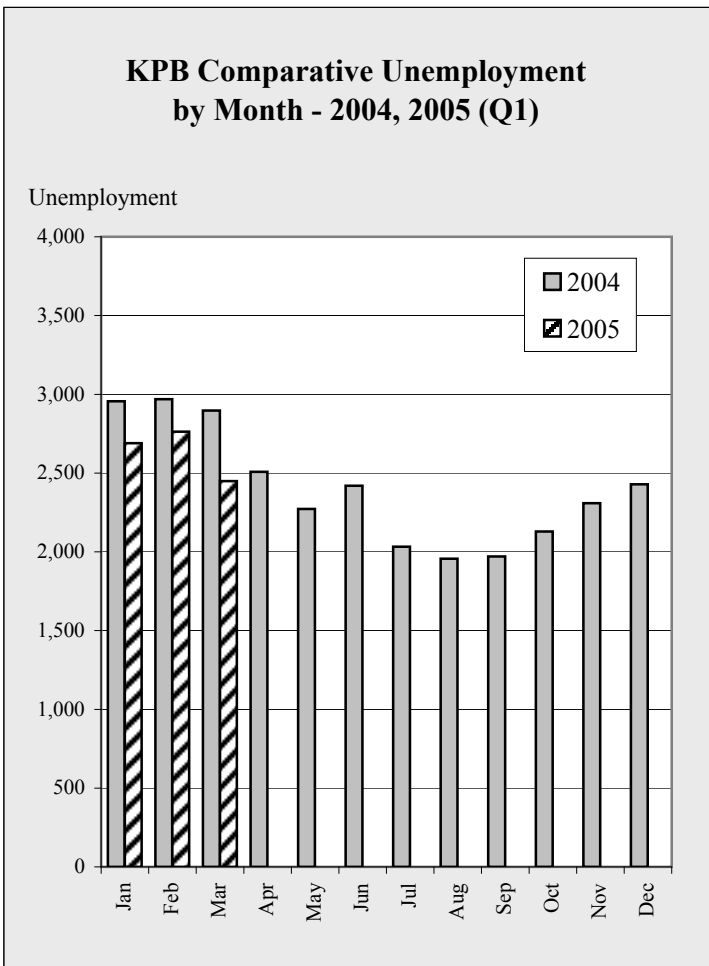


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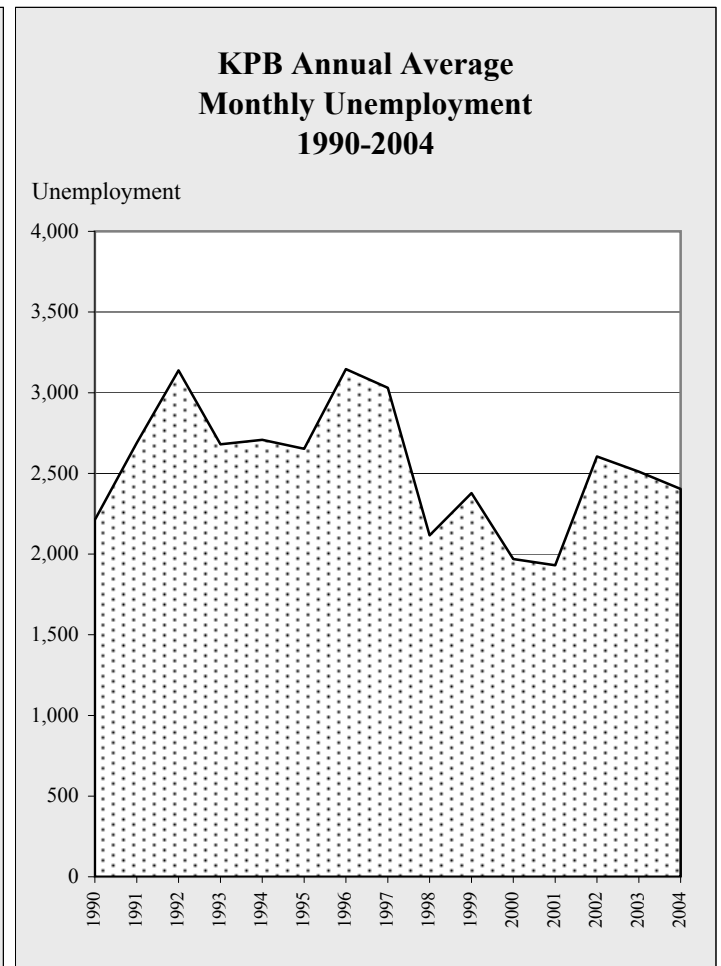


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KPB Unemployment Rates by Month - 1990-2005

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Avg
1990	15.4%	15.0%	13.7%	12.5%	11.0%	9.7%	7.7%	8.3%	10.3%	12.8%	12.9%	13.0%	11.9%
1991	15.8%	15.9%	14.8%	13.5%	12.0%	11.4%	9.7%	9.5%	11.0%	15.2%	18.0%	19.0%	13.8%
1992	22.3%	22.5%	19.5%	17.4%	15.2%	13.7%	11.0%	9.4%	10.8%	14.6%	15.4%	16.0%	15.7%
1993	19.7%	19.6%	16.9%	15.3%	12.7%	10.9%	8.1%	7.4%	8.4%	12.2%	13.3%	13.9%	13.2%
1994	17.3%	17.2%	15.5%	14.3%	12.4%	10.8%	9.7%	8.2%	8.6%	12.8%	12.7%	14.2%	12.8%
1995	17.4%	17.1%	15.0%	12.9%	10.6%	9.8%	8.8%	7.9%	8.6%	12.7%	13.7%	14.9%	12.5%
1996	17.9%	18.3%	15.7%	14.6%	13.0%	11.5%	10.0%	8.6%	11.4%	15.0%	16.8%	17.1%	14.2%
1997	20.5%	20.0%	17.6%	15.3%	12.6%	11.6%	9.4%	8.1%	9.3%	12.7%	13.5%	13.4%	13.7%
1998	14.6%	14.4%	12.4%	10.5%	8.7%	8.8%	6.7%	5.6%	7.2%	9.7%	9.9%	10.7%	9.9%
1999	14.3%	16.3%	13.8%	12.0%	10.4%	9.8%	8.3%	7.5%	8.5%	10.4%	11.1%	11.1%	11.1%
2000	12.2%	12.2%	11.6%	10.1%	8.8%	7.7%	6.5%	6.6%	6.6%	7.7%	8.6%	9.3%	9.0%
2001	11.2%	11.4%	10.9%	9.8%	8.1%	7.7%	6.4%	6.8%	7.1%	8.2%	9.2%	10.2%	8.9%
2002	14.5%	14.6%	13.9%	12.1%	10.9%	9.5%	9.5%	9.1%	10.8%	13.3%	12.3%	14.7%	12.1%
2003	13.3%	13.9%	12.7%	11.6%	10.2%	10.5%	8.9%	9.0%	9.6%	10.7%	11.6%	12.2%	11.2%
2004	13.7%	13.7%	13.3%	11.5%	10.0%	9.9%	8.2%	8.2%	8.8%	9.8%	10.6%	11.2%	10.7%
2005	12.3%	12.7%	11.1%										

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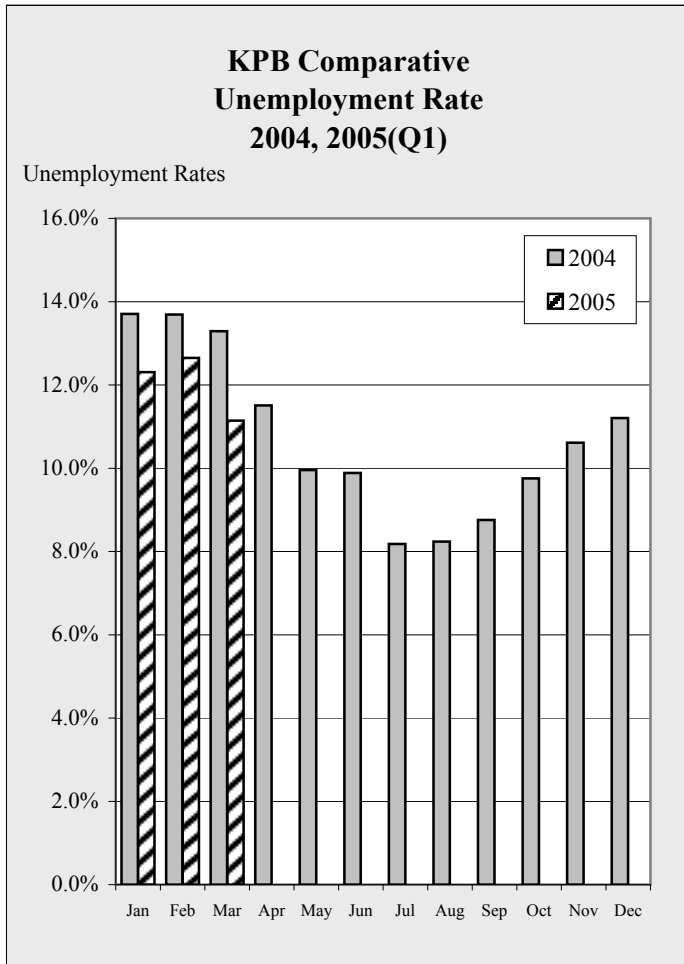


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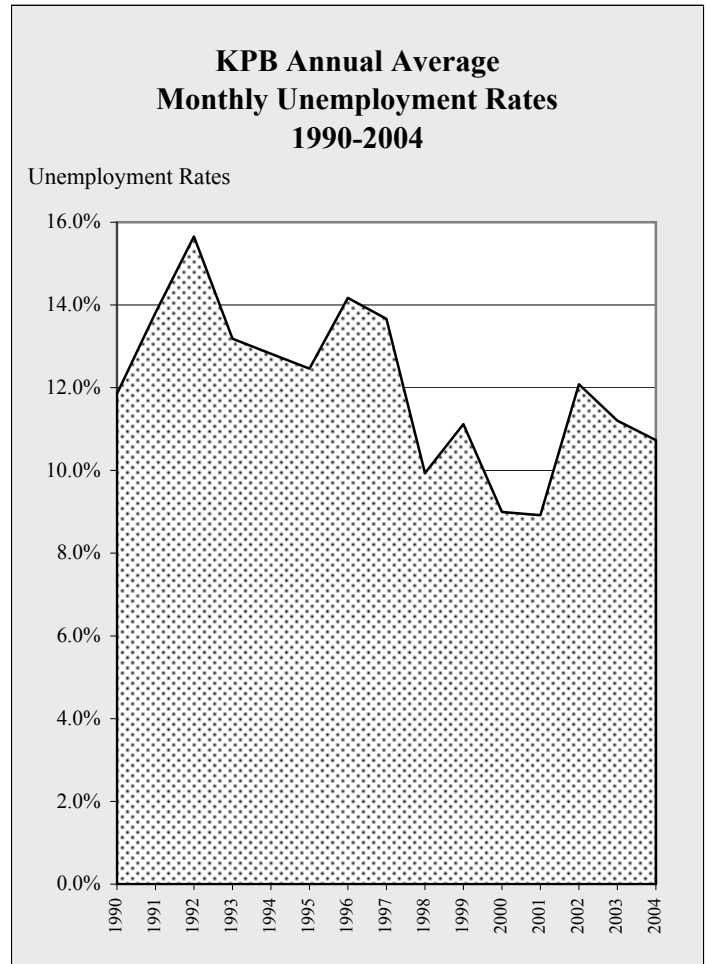


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	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Avg
1990	14,800	15,163	15,456	16,241	17,046	18,312	19,846	19,262	16,707	16,208	15,756	15,496	16,691
1991	15,420	15,652	15,969	16,834	17,423	18,471	20,346	19,563	17,778	16,145	15,521	15,051	17,014
1992	14,576	15,080	15,590	16,299	17,137	19,156	20,256	19,405	18,381	17,329	16,426	16,082	17,143
1993	14,882	15,693	16,486	17,091	17,863	20,352	22,136	21,336	18,902	18,043	17,151	16,607	18,045
1994	16,205	17,470	17,911	17,624	18,429	20,747	22,221	21,452	19,259	18,234	17,511	16,639	18,642
1995	17,014	17,556	17,828	17,855	18,862	20,502	22,203	21,635	19,695	28,715	17,634	16,949	19,704
1996	17,153	17,808	18,330	18,446	19,712	21,232	23,028	22,696	20,577	18,613	17,757	17,037	19,366
1997	17,286	17,934	18,049	18,624	19,298	21,394	23,090	22,430	20,374	18,619	17,814	17,286	19,350
1998	17,668	17,740	17,895	18,254	19,491	21,400	23,116	22,948	20,937	19,146	18,118	17,428	19,512
1999	17,508	17,726	18,035	18,529	19,237	20,820	22,120	21,639	20,359	18,898	17,950	17,530	19,196
2000	18,257	18,516	18,596	18,939	20,172	22,097	22,237	22,060	21,131	20,015	19,799	19,750	20,131
2001	18,481	18,406	18,545	18,821	20,022	21,686	22,589	21,496	20,484	19,597	19,342	19,274	19,895
2002	17,618	17,912	18,176	18,737	19,513	20,701	21,913	21,453	19,702	17,819	18,647	17,445	19,136
2003	19,042	18,783	19,135	19,461	20,577	21,626	22,317	21,629	20,041	19,370	19,141	18,924	20,004
2004	18,610	18,715	18,901	19,287	20,553	22,049	22,817	21,790	20,533	19,692	19,447	19,250	20,137
2005	19,166	19,078	19,531										

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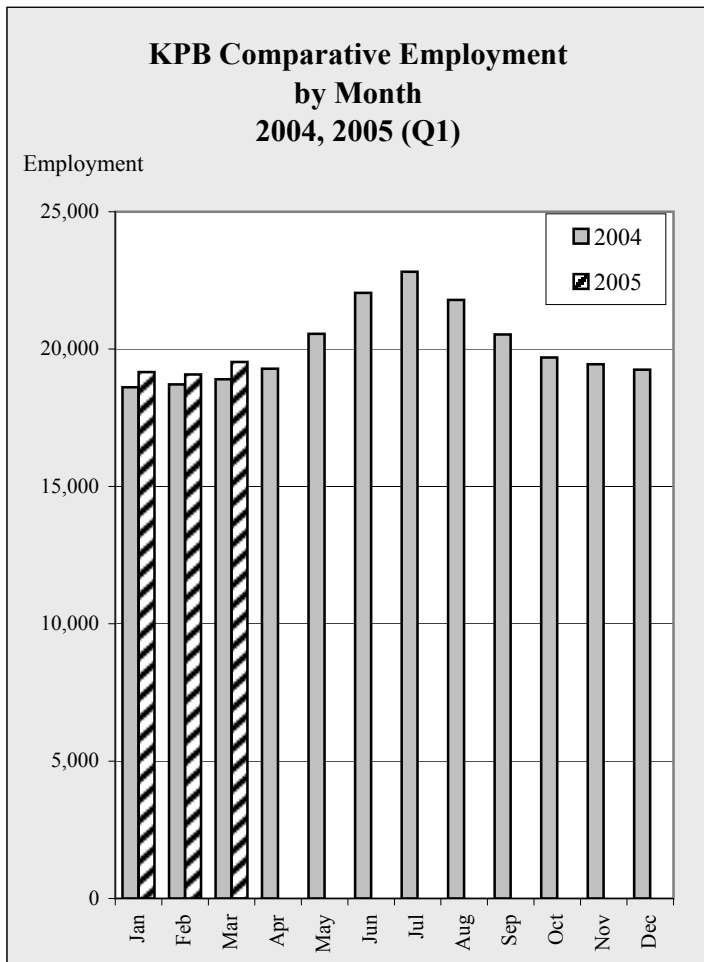


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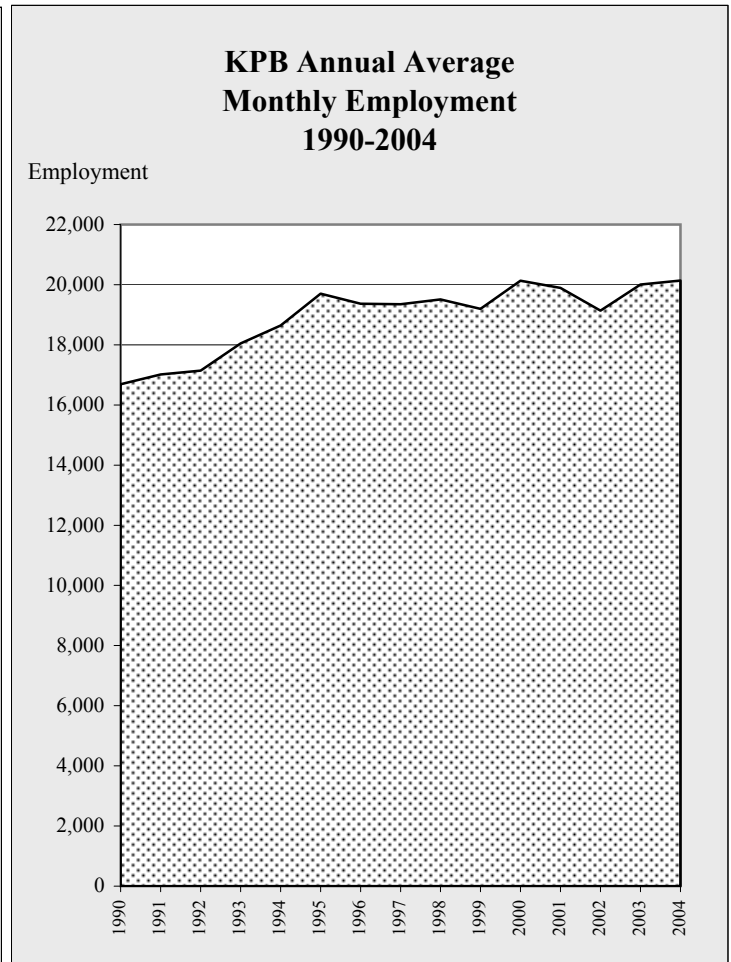


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