



#### **Del Norte County for Smart Workforce Center**

## Recovery and the Future The Economy 2021 to 2024

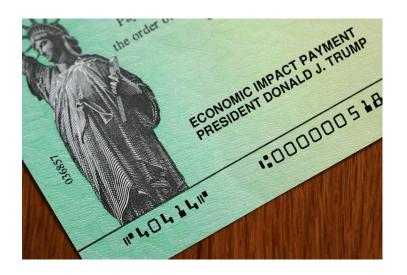
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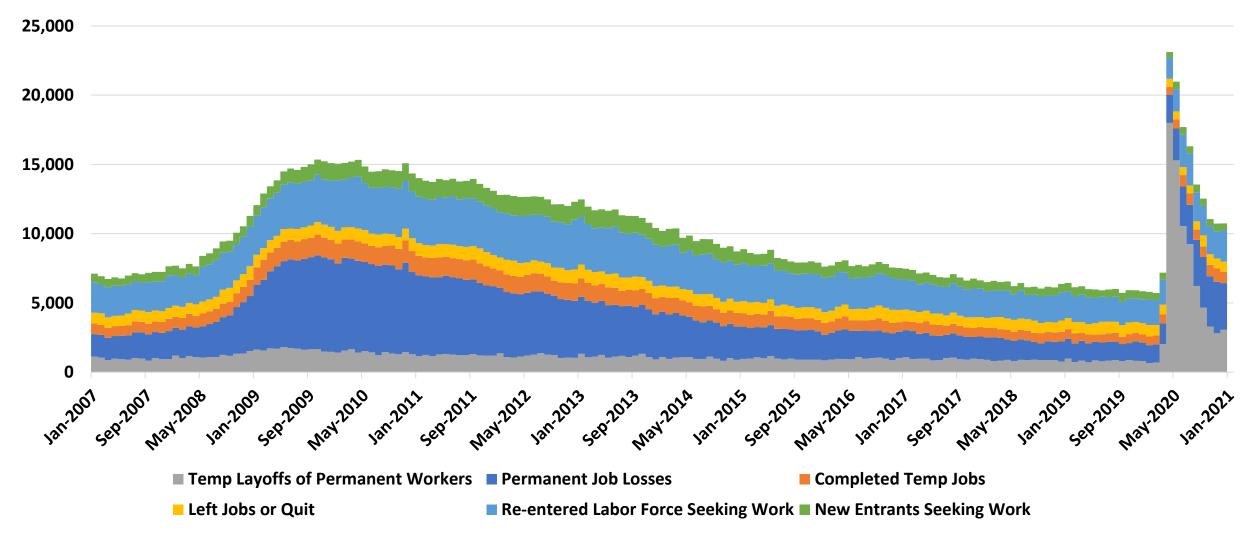


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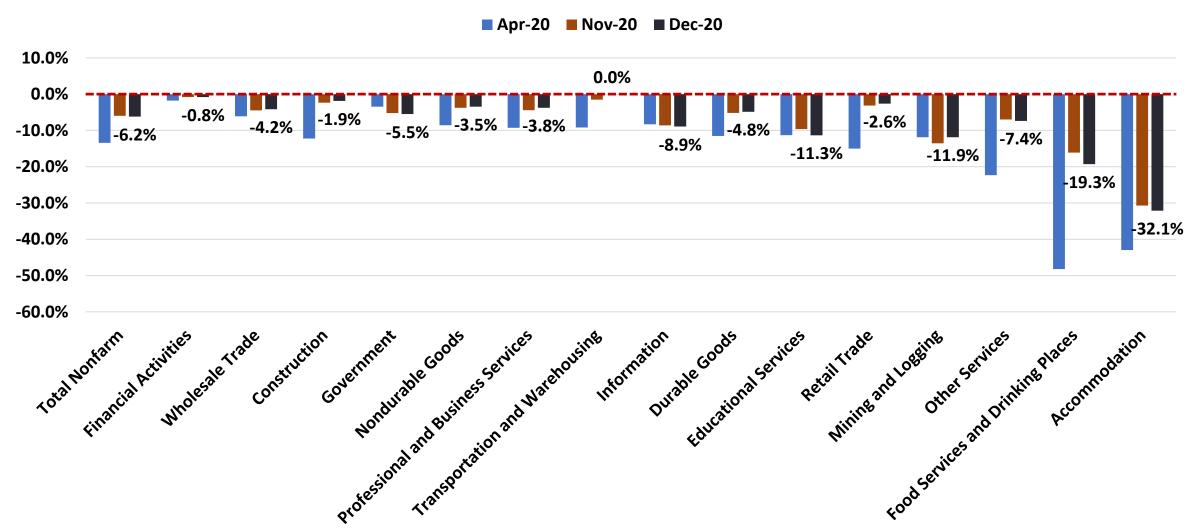
## US Labor Force Watch, Thousands of Workers Unemployed, January 2007 to December 2020





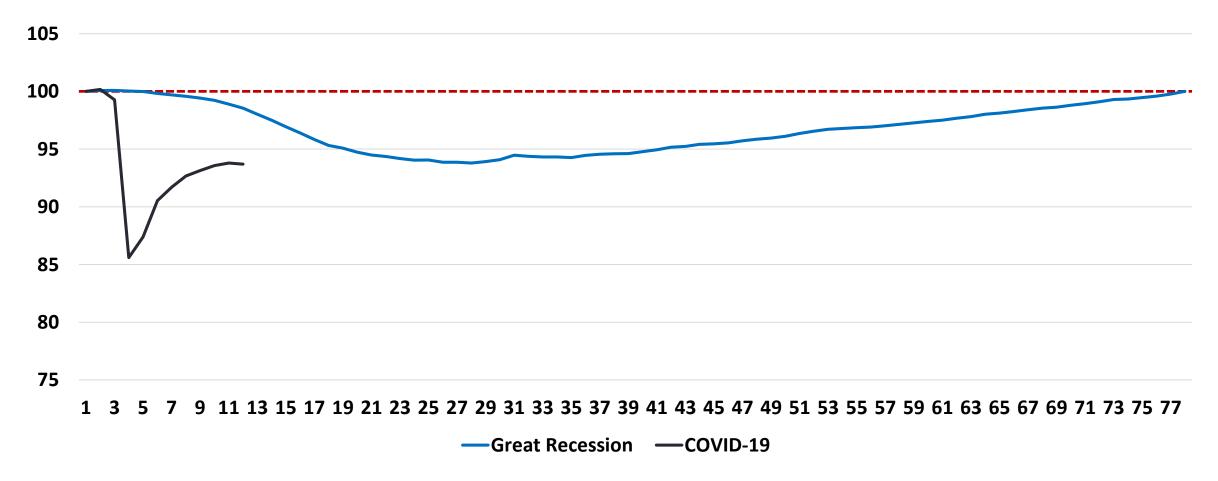
## Changes in Jobs, Selected Industries, % Change since previous year, April, November and December 2020, US





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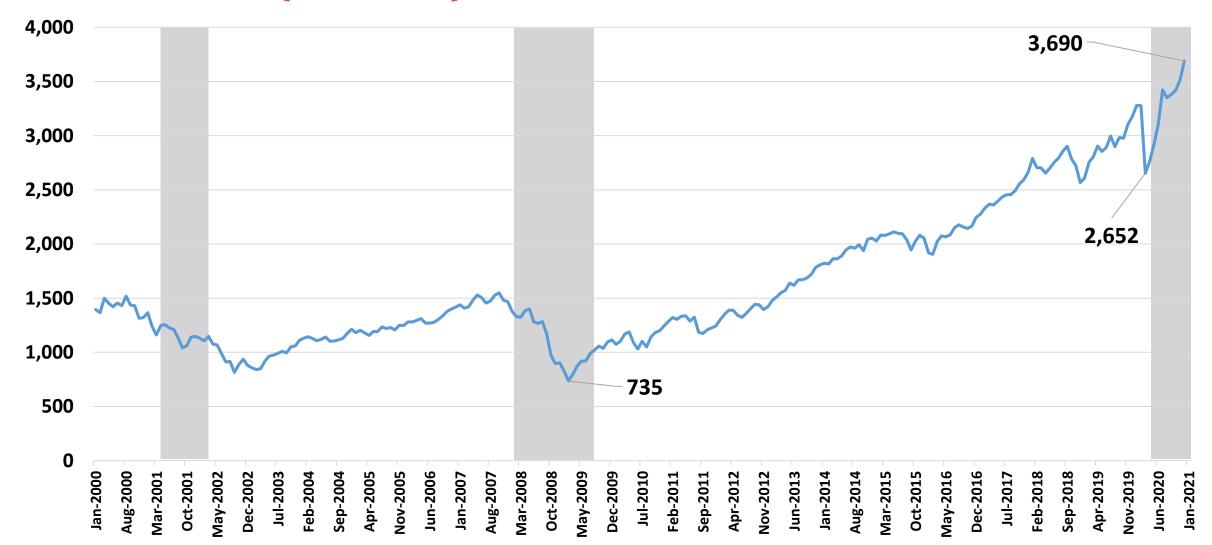




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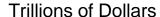
## SP 500, Jan 2000 to Dec 2020, Index, Monthly Close or Month to Date (Dec 2020), Shaded Area = Recession

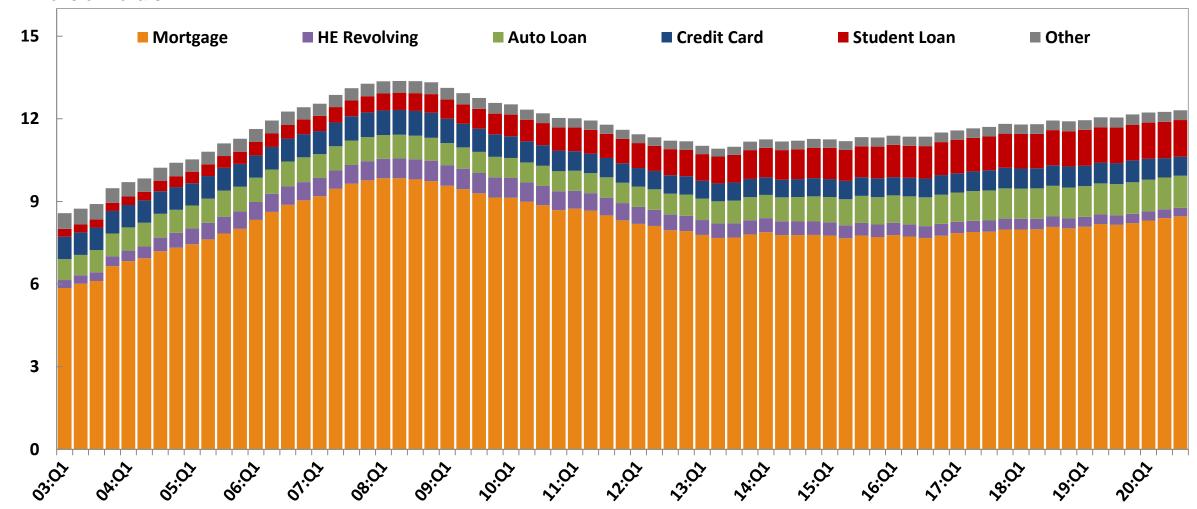




### Total Debt Balance and its Composition, US Households, 2003 Q1 to 2020 Q3, Trillions 2012\$







Source: New York Fed Consumer Credit Panel/Equifax

#### IMF Forecast to 2022



## Latest World Economic Outlook Growth Projections

	ESTIMATE	PROJECTIONS		
(real GDP, annual percent change)	2020	2021	2022	
World Output	-3.5	5.5	4.2	
Advanced Economies	-4.9	4.3	3.1	
United States	-3.4	5.1	2.5	
Euro Area	-7.2	4.2	3.6	
Germany	-5.4	3.5	3.1	
France	-9.0	5.5	4.1	
Italy	-9.2	3.0	3.6	
Spain	-11.1	5.9	4.7	
Japan	-5.1	3.1	2.4	
United Kingdom	-10.0	4.5	5.0	
Canada	-5.5	3.6	4.1	
Other Advanced Economies	-2.5	3.6	3.1	

Sources: IMF (www.imf.org)



### **California and Del Norte County**

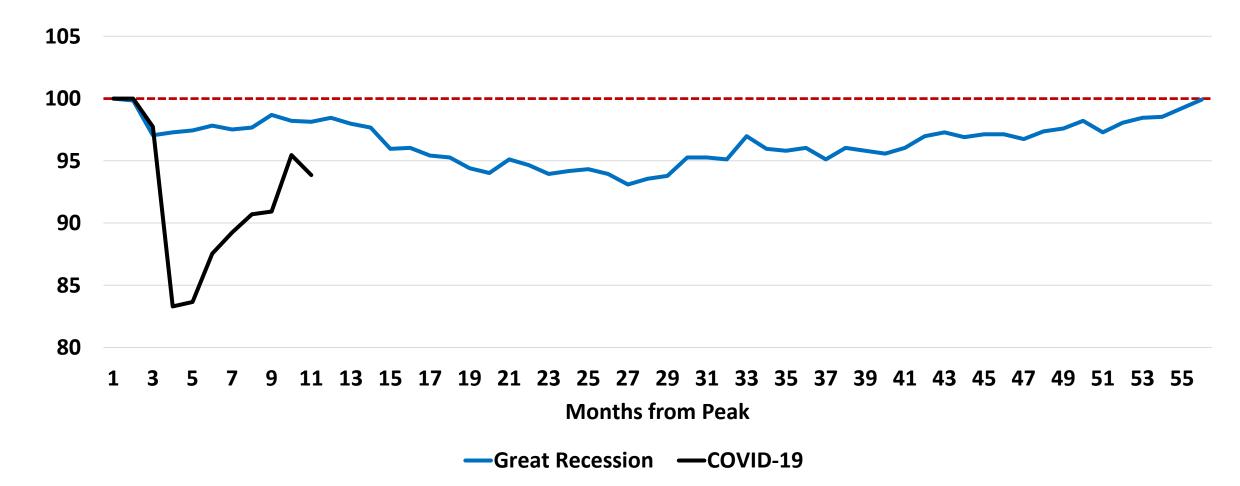
#### Employment Data, California, Del Norte County and Humboldt County, Changes from Dec 2019 and Dec 2020 Unemployment Rate

Category	Change California	% Change/ U Rate	Change Del Norte County	% Change/ U Rate	Change Humboldt	% Change/ U Rate
Civilian						
Labor Force	-553,700	-2.8%	-320	-3.4%	-1,800	-2.9%
Civilian Employment	-1,512,100	-8.1%	-620	-6.9%	-4,400	-7.3%
Unemployment Rate		8.8%		9.2%		7.5%

Source: California EDD

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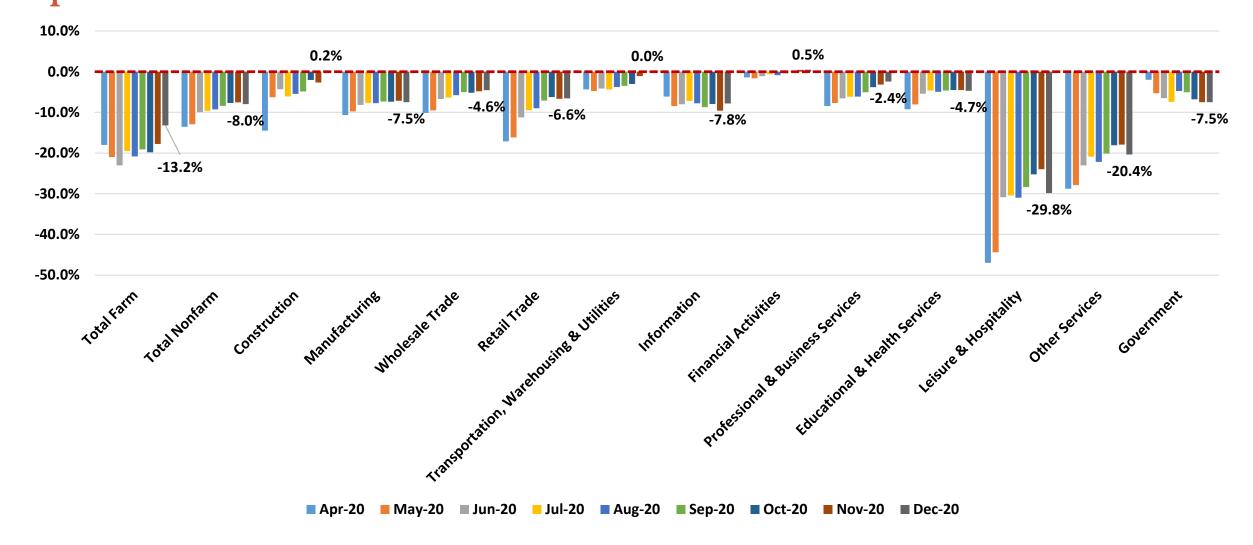




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#### Jobs Lost (% Change from Previous Year), California April to Dec 2020

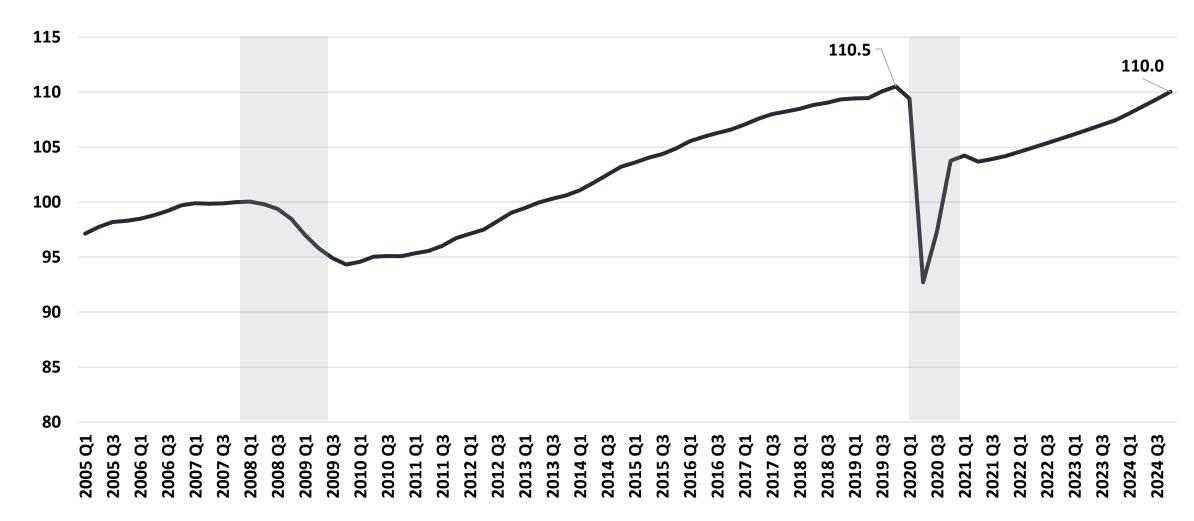




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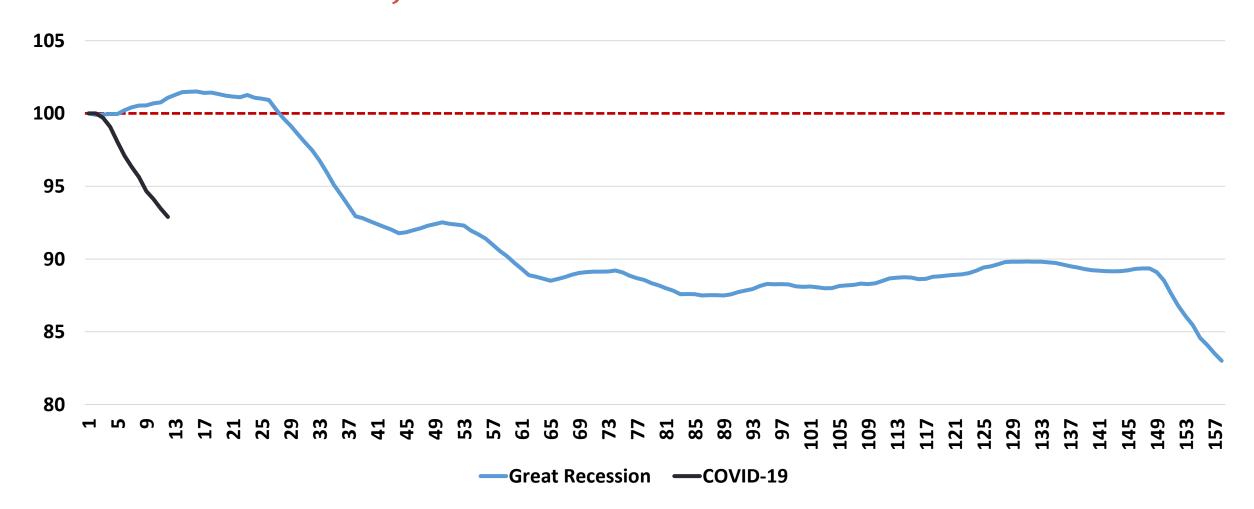
## Employment in California, Index November 2007 = 100, Q1 2005 to Q4 2024 (Forecast)





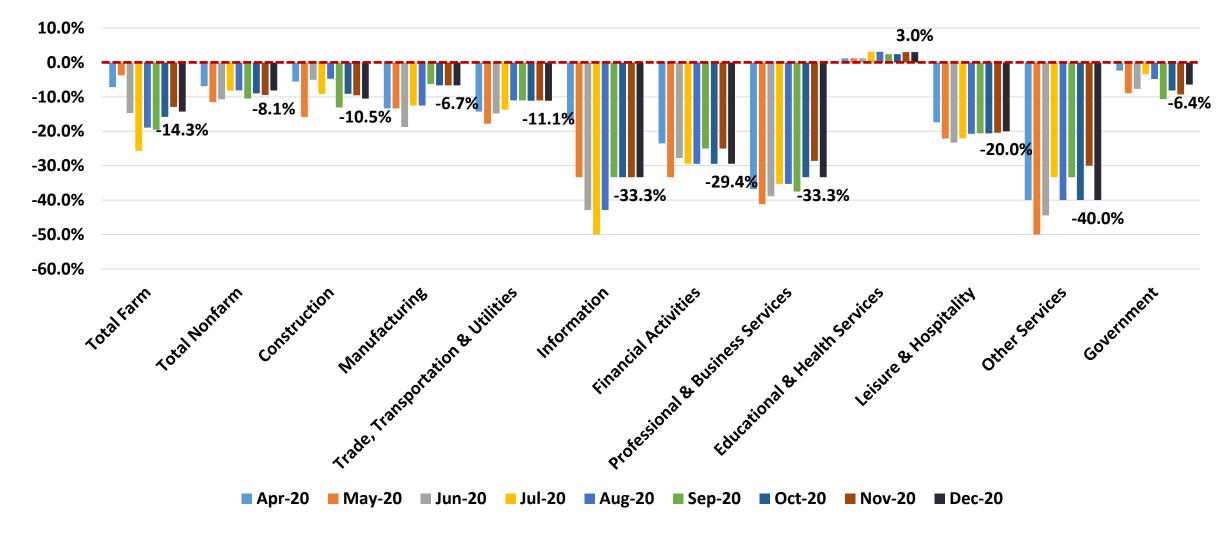
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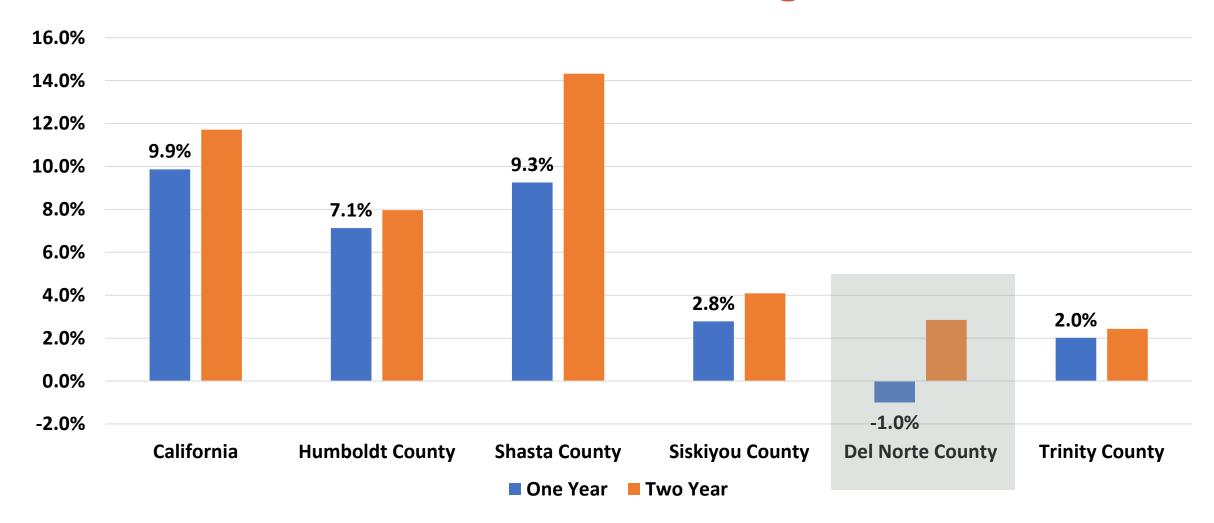




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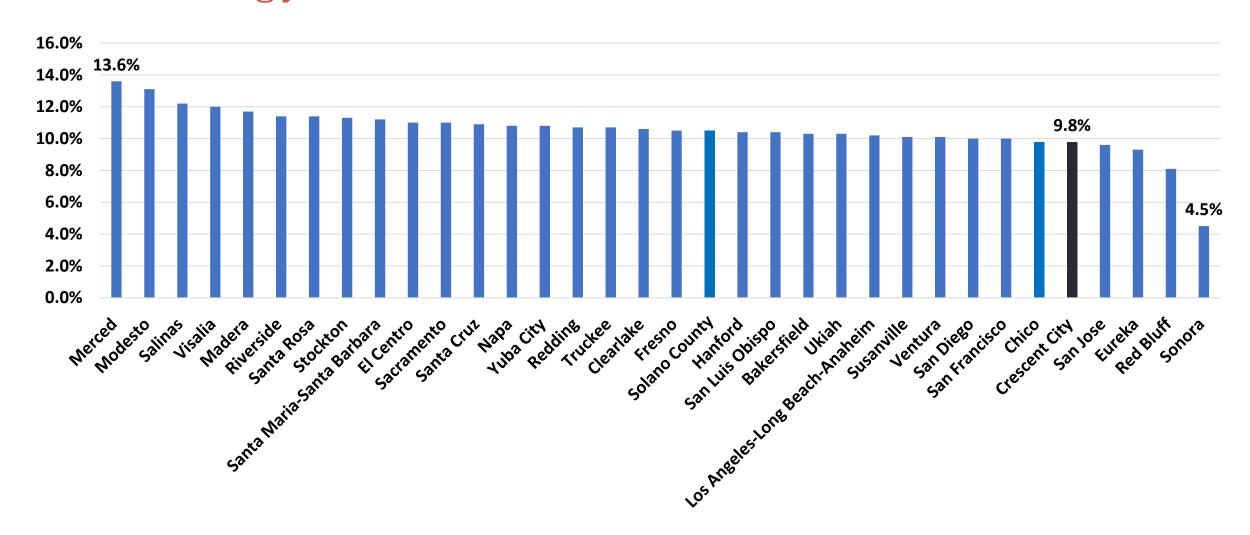
## Median Housing Price Growth, Dec 2020 as compared to Dec 2018 and Dec 2019, Percent Change





### Housing Forecast, Dec 2020, Zillow<sup>TM</sup> Research, % Change for the coming year to Dec 2021, Median Home Price Growth





## K-Shaped Recovery: Different Outcomes for Different Workers, California

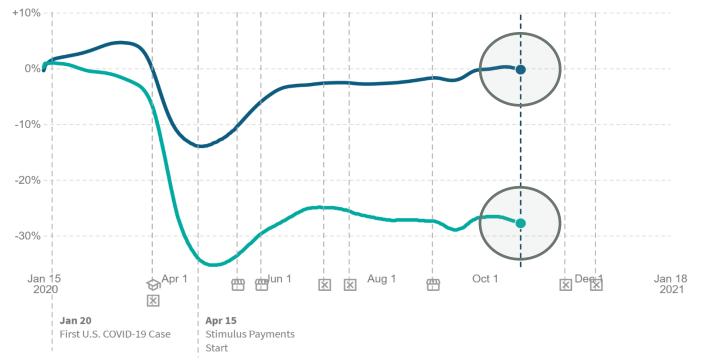


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#### Percent Change in Employment\*

In **California**, as of **October 22 2020**, employment rates among workers in the top wage quartile **decreased** by **0.2%** compared to January 2020 (not seasonally adjusted).



Oct 22, 2020

-0.2% High Wage (>\$60K)

-27.8% Low Wage (<\$27K)

#### Pressures on:

- Local government (rising social services demand);
- 2. Non-profits;
- 3. Apartments and other rental units; and
- 4. Ability of local businesses to hire back once cycle turns.

\*Change in employment rates (not seasonally adjusted), indexed to January 4-31, 2020. This series is based on payroll data from Paychex and Intuit, worker-level data on employment and earnings from Earnin, and timesheet data from Kronos. The dotted line in the low-wage series is a prediction of employment rates based on Kronos data.

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Source: tracktherecovery.org

### Small Business Recovery? Tourism Concerns

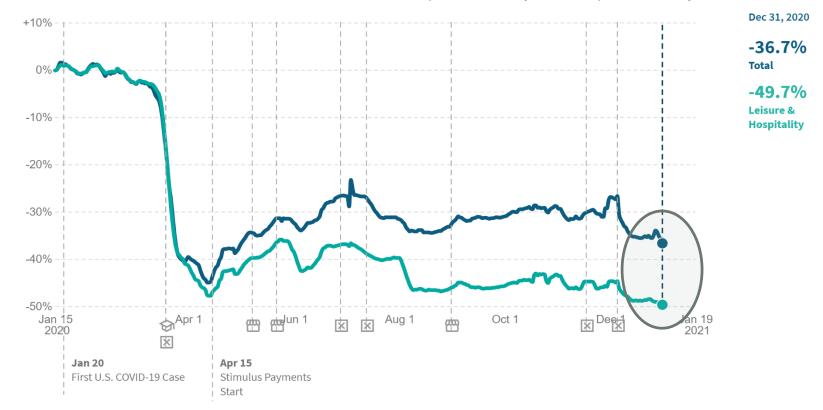


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#### Percent Change in Number of Small Businesses Open\*

In California, as of December 31 2020, the number of small businesses open decreased by 36.7% compared to January 2020.



\*Change in small businesses open (defined as having financial transaction activity), indexed to January 4-31 2020 and seasonally adjusted. This series is based on data from Womply.

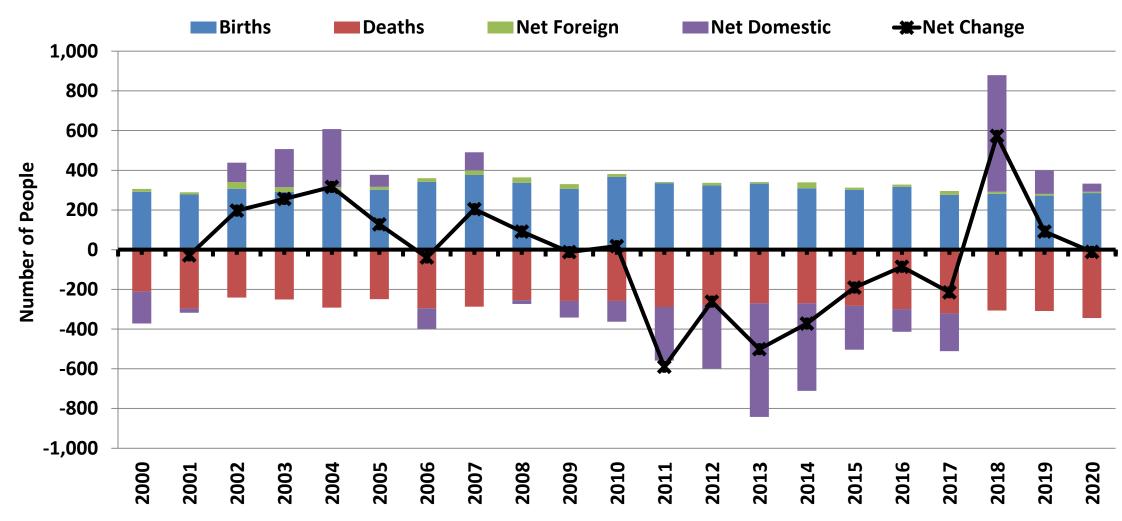
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So what? Why this split needs to fade:

- Loss of regional restaurants, hotels;
- Prices will rise initially when demand comes back if fewer players; and
- Suggests costs of operation (explicit and implicit) too much in leisure and hospitality

## Population Components, Fiscal Years 1999-2000 to 2019-20, Del Norte County







#### What to Watch

- Low interest rates to continue
  - New presidential regime should not affect rate path by edict
  - Economic growth the main sign of change
- Home prices watch: Urban to suburban and CA to else?
- K-Shaped vs. V-Shaped: low-wage workers remain threatened
  - Lower-wage and entry level industries not at same capacity
  - Hurts urban areas primarily, rural maybe less
- Public sector in CA avoiding issues at state level for now
  - Cities and counties still waiting, but property tax stability helps
- Key challenge: managing debt as recovery slows



Thanks!
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