



Employment Facts and Statistics

Office of Economic Opportunity
 Veterans Benefits Administration
 BLS Figures (non-seasonally adjusted)

3rd Quarter 2015

Unemployment

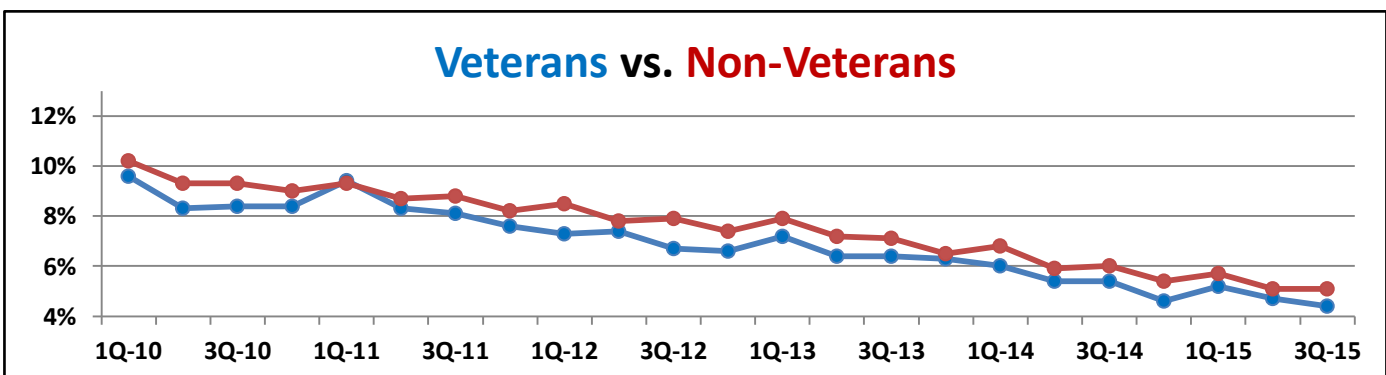
Cohort (% of total)	Rate	Change	Level	Change	Non-Vets
All Veterans (100%)	4.4%	-0.3%	473,000	-29,000	5.1%
Male	4.3%	-0.2%	408,000	-23,000	4.8%
Female	5.4%	-0.5%	65,000	-6,000	5.3%
Post-9/11 Veterans (33%)	5.4%	-0.5%	157,000	-14,000	-
Male	5.4%	-0.1%	132,000	-5,000	-
Female	5.6%	-2.5%	25,000	-9,000	-
18-24 Veterans (4%)	11.1%	-3.4%	21,000	-7,000	10.6%
Male	12.6%	-2.8%	18,000	-6,000	11.3%
Female*	5.9%	-5.5%	2,000	-3,000	9.9%
25-34 Veterans (21%)	6.8%	-0.2%	97,000	-5,000	5.2%
Male	6.6%	0.3%	80,000	2,000	4.9%
Female	7.6%	-3.5%	17,000	-7,000	5.6%
35-44 Veterans (14%)	3.2%	-1.5%	64,000	-31,000	4.0%
Male	2.6%	-1.7%	44,000	-28,000	3.5%
Female	6.5%	-0.9%	21,000	-2,000	4.6%
45-54 Veterans (19%)	3.3%	0.2%	92,000	8,000	3.7%
Male	3.4%	0.3%	85,000	10,000	3.2%
Female	2.1%	-0.5%	8,000	-1,000	4.2%
55+ Veterans (42%)	4.7%	0.2%	198,000	6,000	3.8%
Male	4.5%	-0.1%	180,000	-2,000	3.5%
Female	6.8%	3.2%	18,000	8,000	4.0%

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 - 28,000 (10.2%) of all 18-54 Veterans (274,000) are enrolled in school either part time or full time

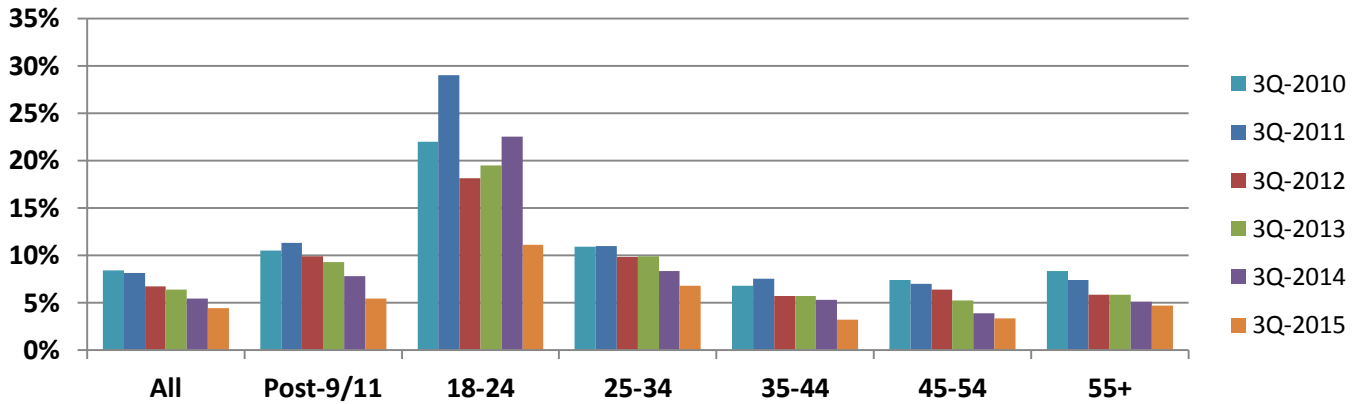
Unemployment by State

Highest Levels (42% of total)	Level	Highest Rates	Rate
California	61,000	Nevada	8.0%
Florida	49,000	Washington, DC	*8.0%
Texas	42,000	Oregon	7.7%
Pennsylvania	23,000	California	6.9%
Michigan	22,000	Michigan	6.9%

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Year-Over-Year Comparison Veteran Unemployment

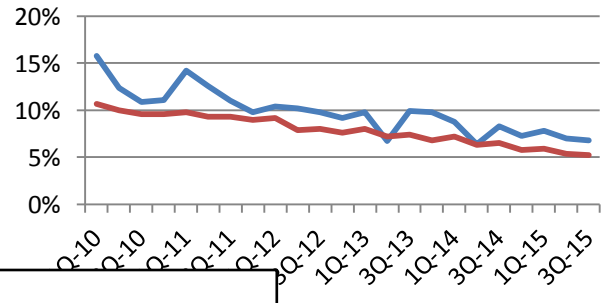
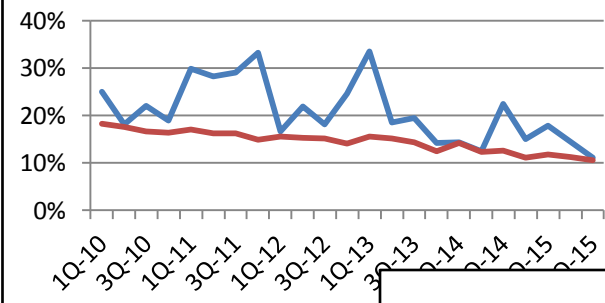


Vets/Non-Vets

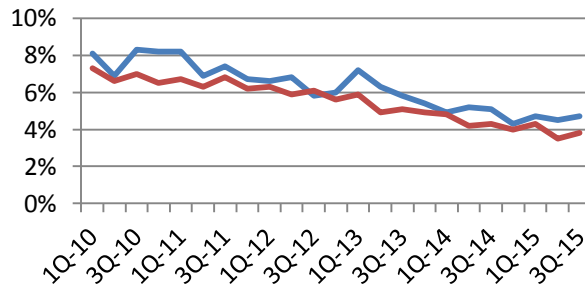
Vets/Non-Vets

18-24 yrs old

25-34



55+



35-44

45-54

