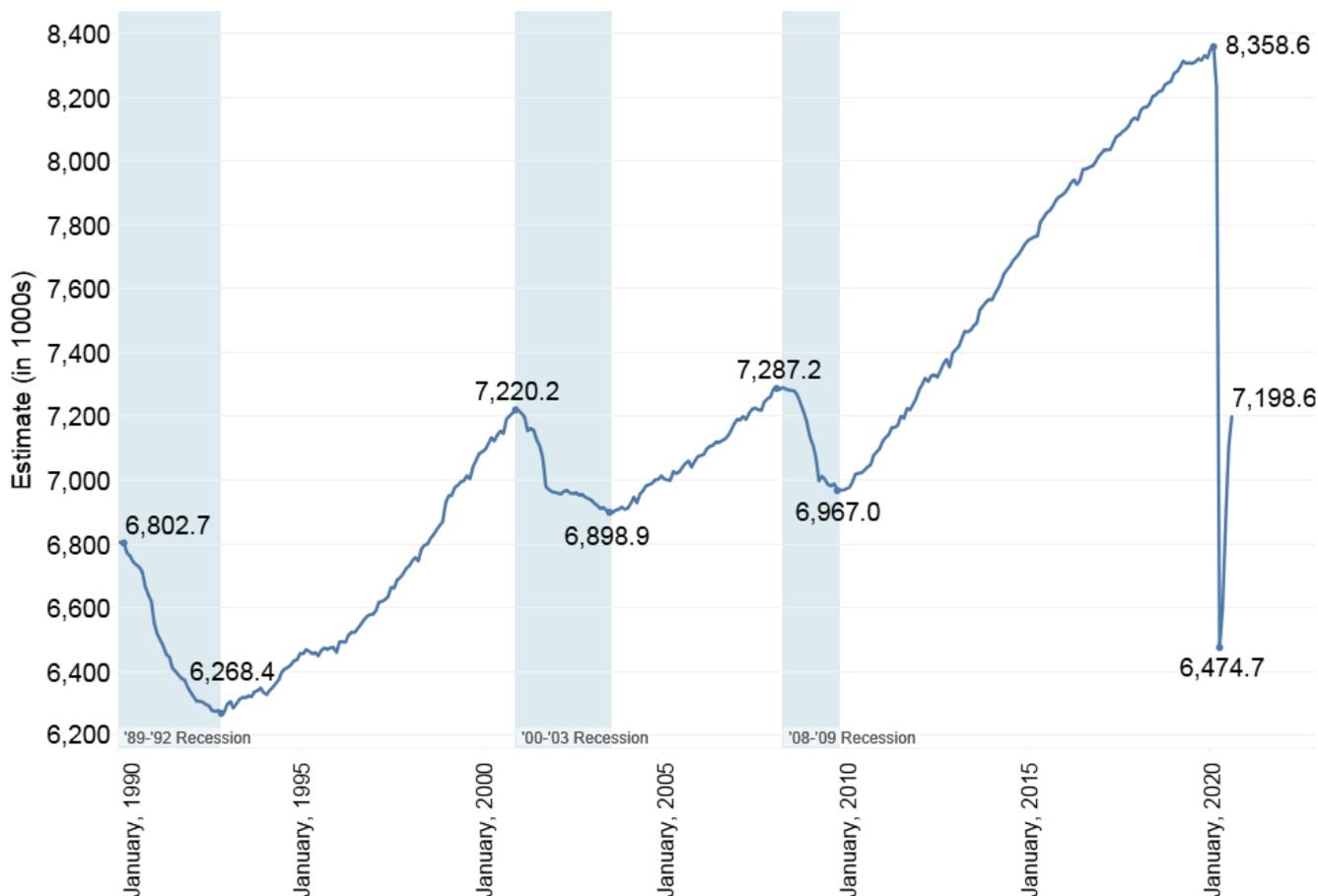


## New York State Labor Market Overview – August 2020

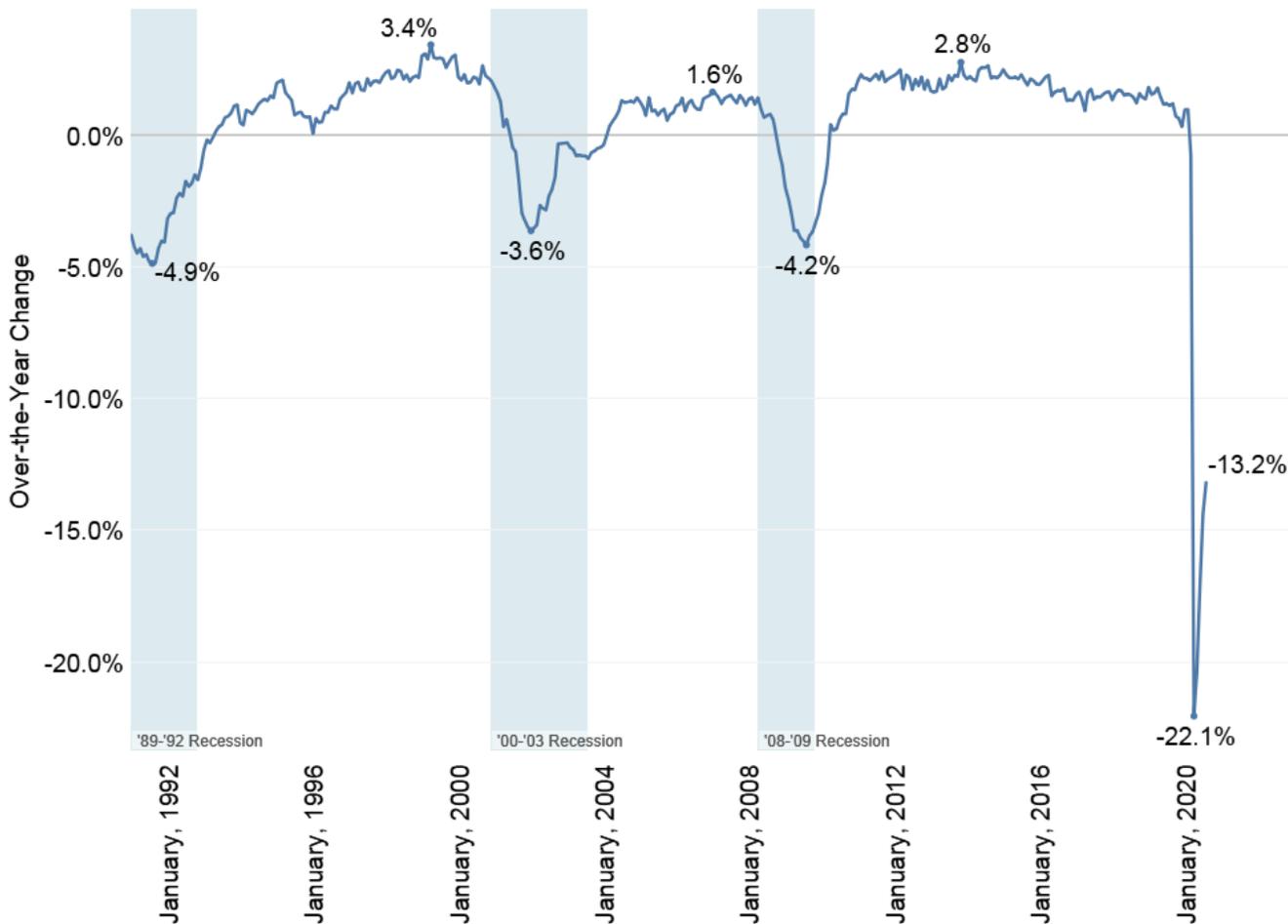
**The number of private sector jobs in New York State increased by 1.4% over the month in August 2020**

*Private sector jobs (seasonally adjusted) January 1990-August 2020*



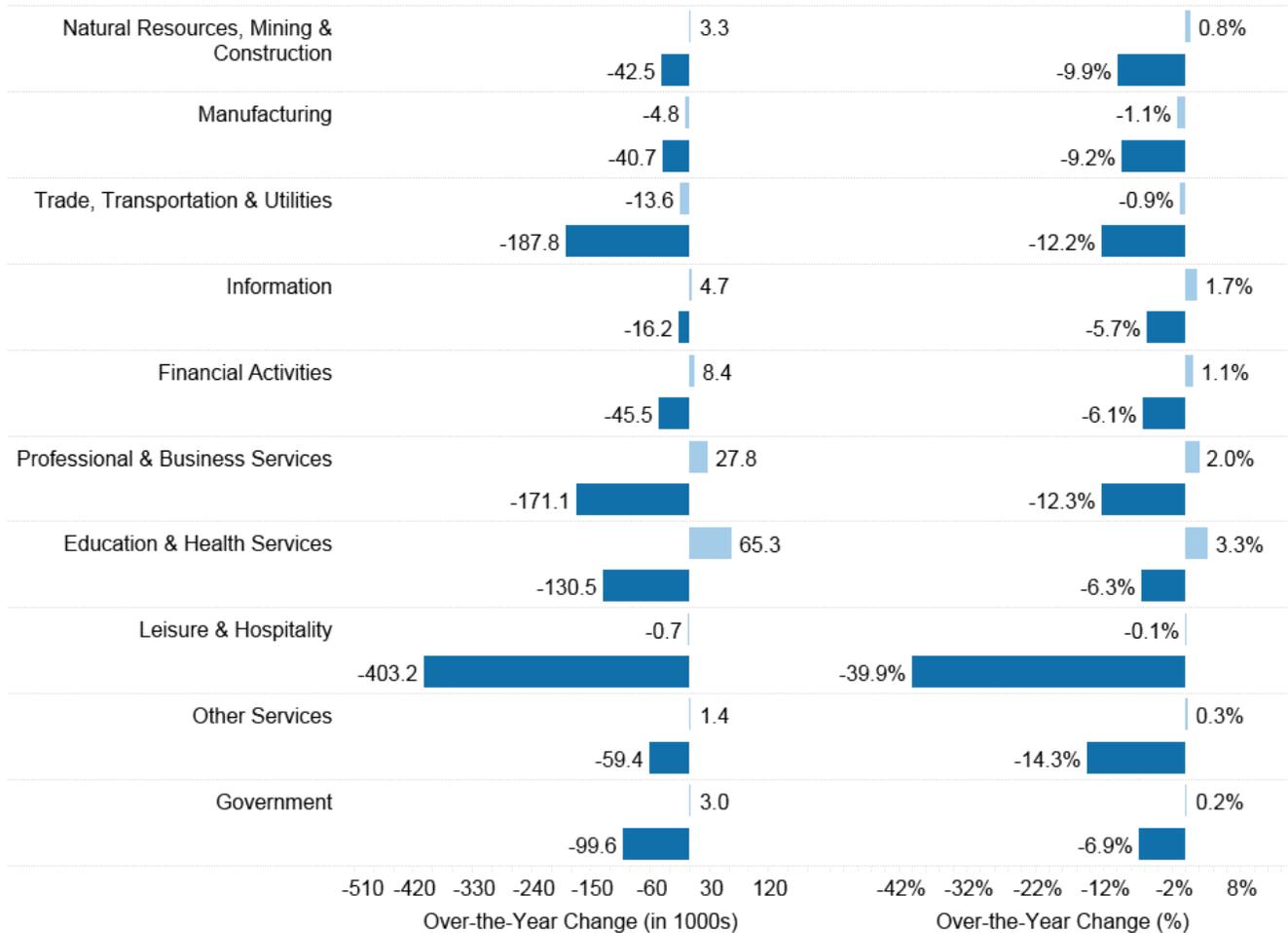
**Private sector jobs declined by 13.2% over the year in August 2020**

*Over-the-year percent change in private sector jobs (not seasonally adjusted) January 1991-August 2020*



## Leisure and Hospitality lost the most jobs over the year

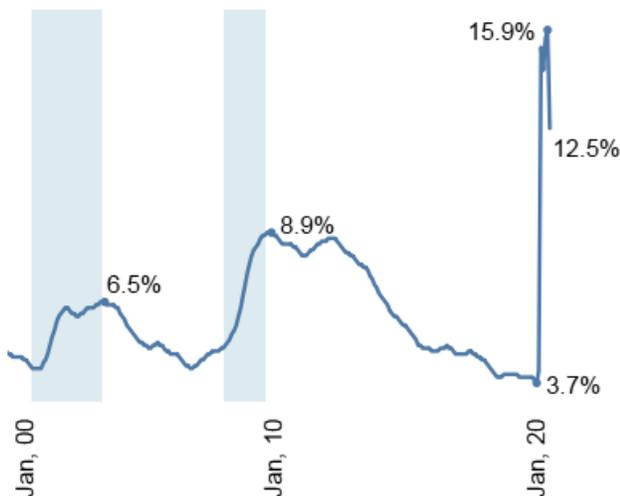
Over-the-year change in jobs by industry (not seasonally adjusted) 2019 2020



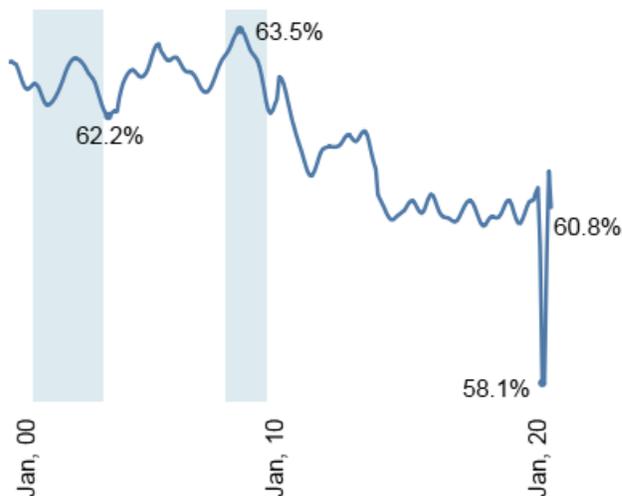
## New York State Labor Force Statistics

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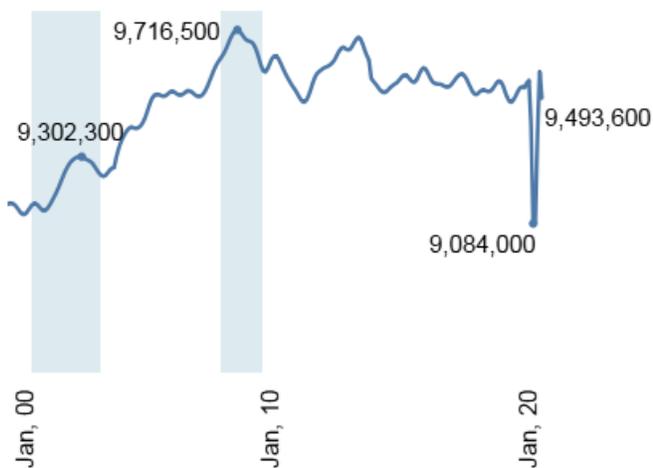
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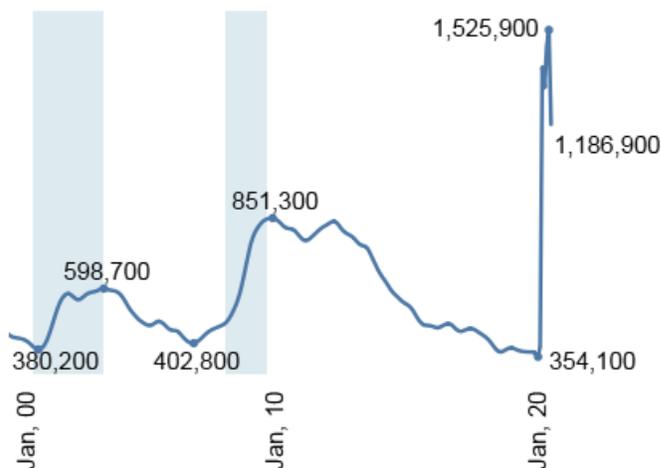
the labor force participation rate decreased.



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Note: shaded areas represent New York State recessions.