



**LABOR MARKET UPDATE Q3 2022**  
**ALEXANDRIA/ARLINGTON**

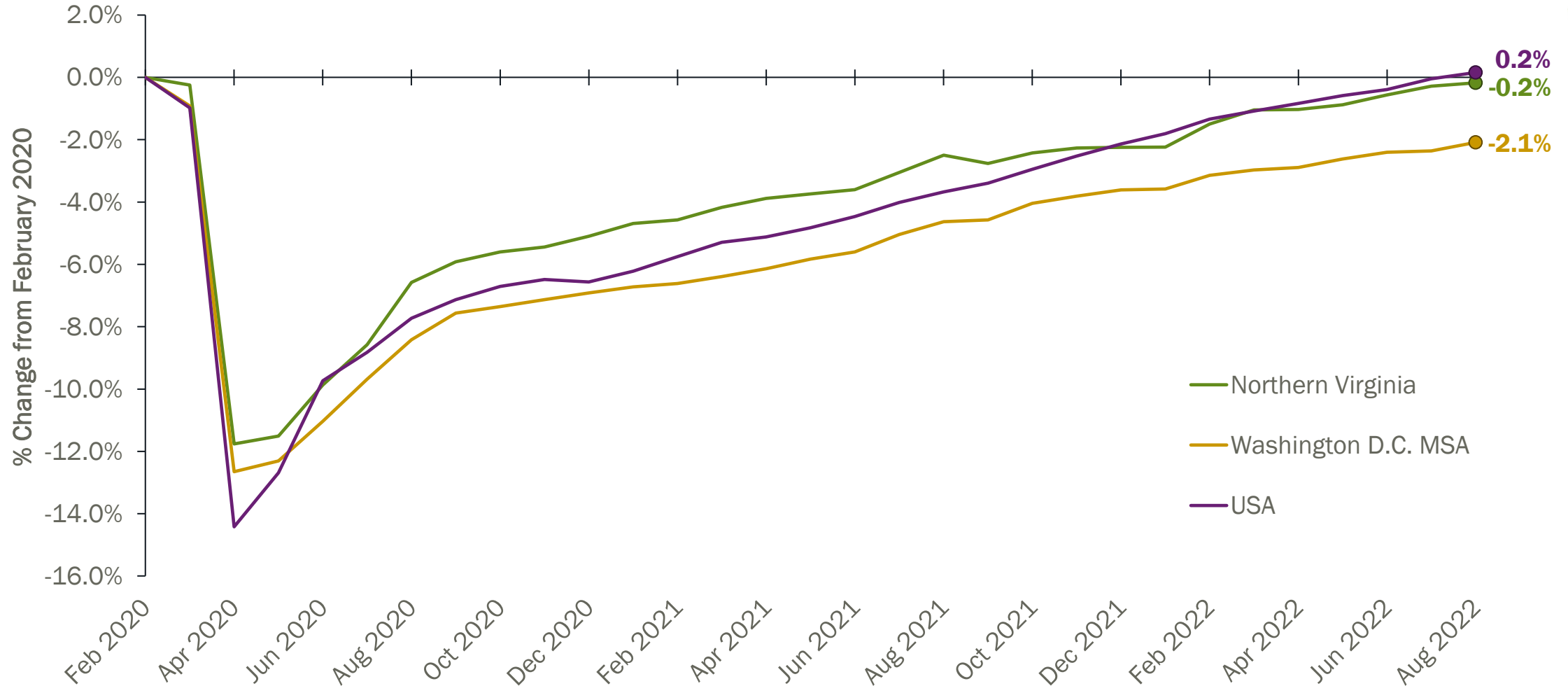
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# EMPLOYMENT

## Percentage Change in Total Employment from February 2020

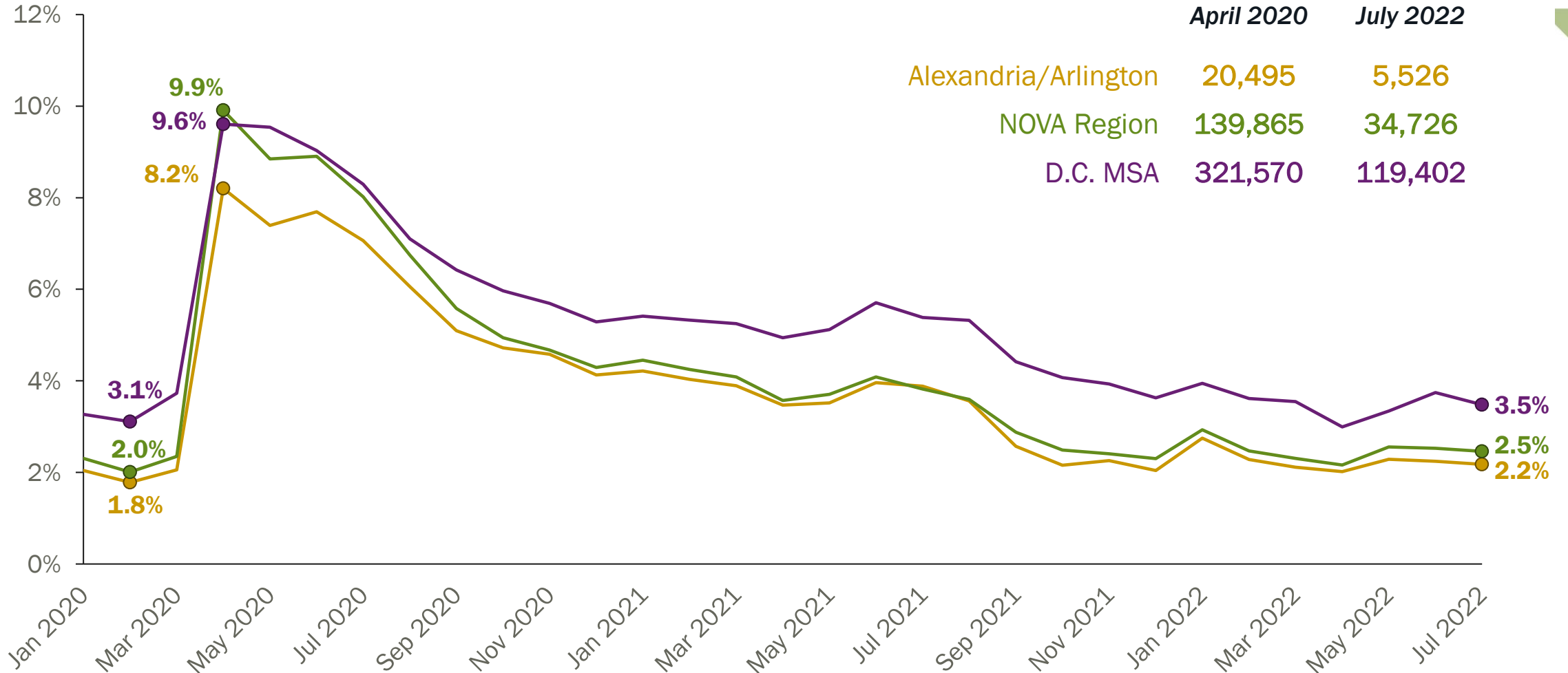


NOTE: Total nonfarm employment, seasonally adjusted.

Source: U.S. BLS, *Current Employment Statistics*, September 2, 2022, <https://www.bls.gov/ces>.

# UNEMPLOYMENT

## Trend in Unemployment Rates



### Total Unemployed

	April 2020	July 2022
Alexandria/Arlington	20,495	5,526
NOVA Region	139,865	34,726
D.C. MSA	321,570	119,402

NOTE: Data is not seasonally adjusted.

Source: U.S. BLS, Local Area Unemployment Statistics, August 31, 2022, <https://www.bls.gov/lau>.

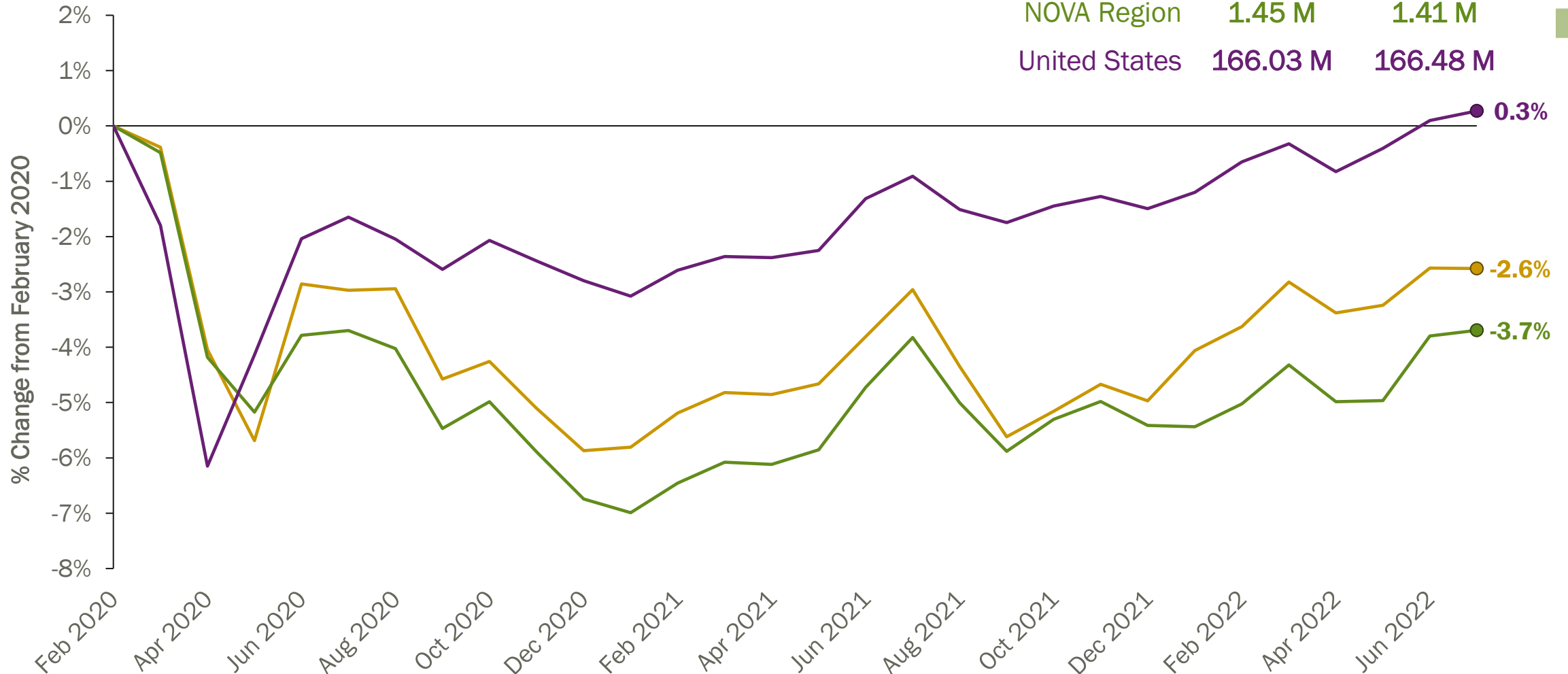
# LABOR FORCE

## Total Labor Force

February 2020      July 2022

Alexandria/Arlington	260.4 K	253.7 K
NOVA Region	1.45 M	1.41 M
United States	166.03 M	166.48 M

## Labor Force Change from February 2020

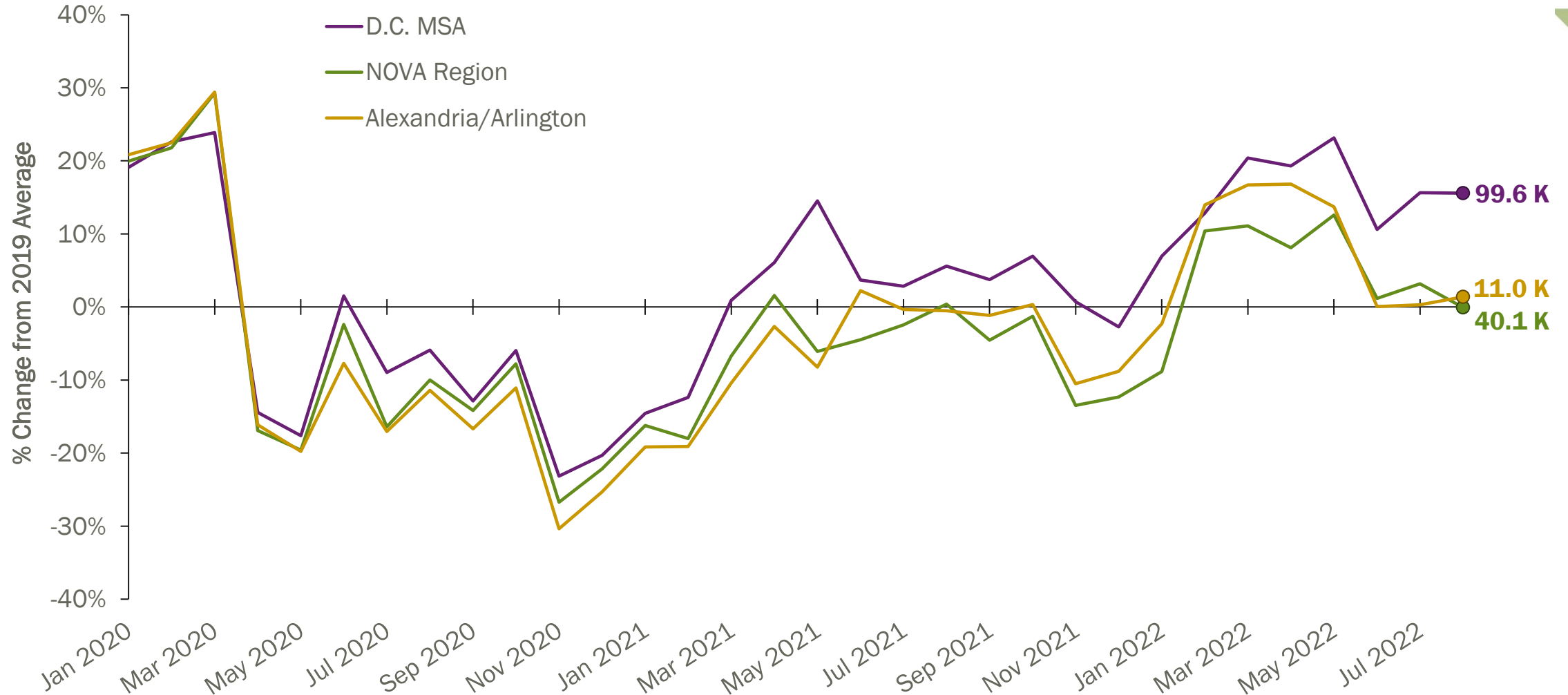


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# JOB POSTINGS

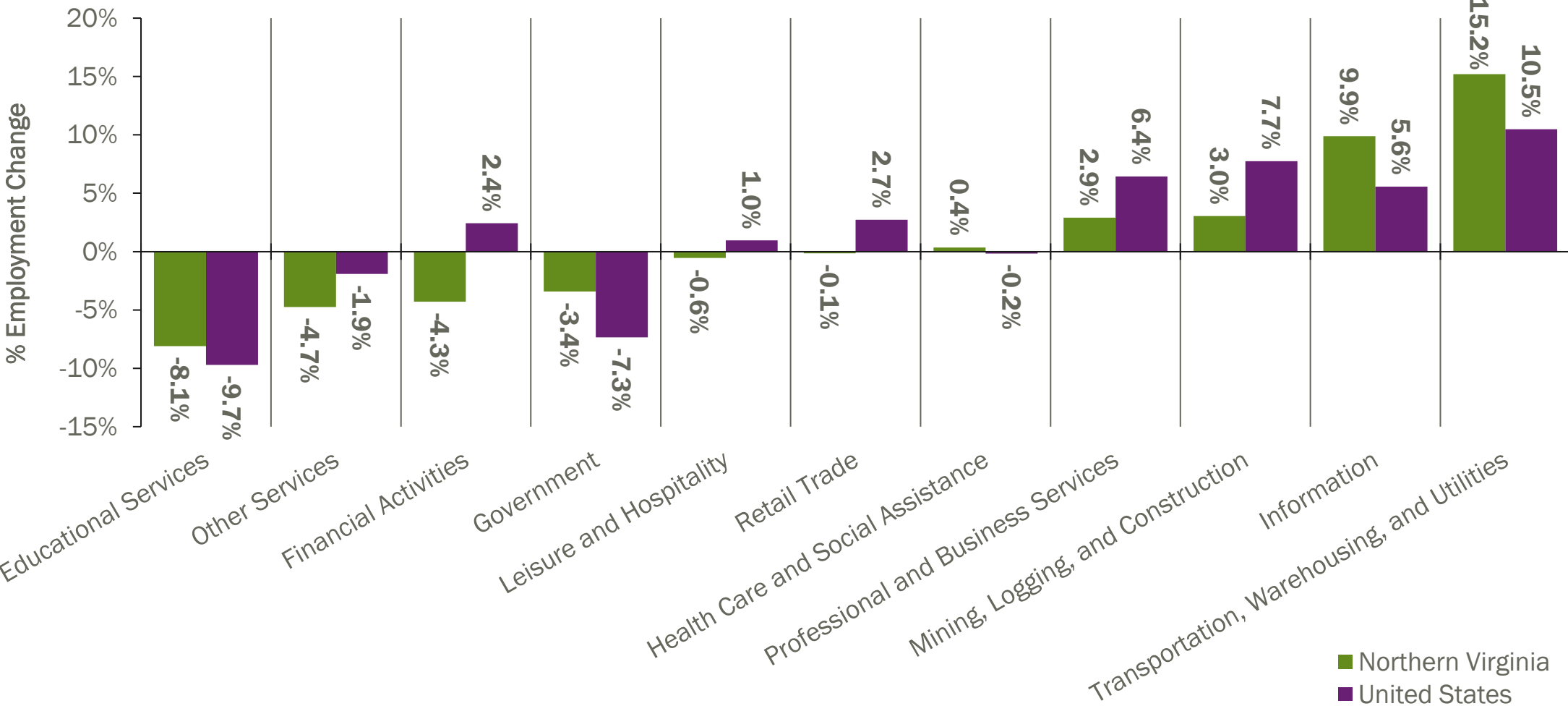
## Percentage Change in Total Postings from 2019 Average



Source: Burning Glass Technologies, Labor Insight, *Monthly Job Postings Trends Report*, September 20, 2022, <https://www.burning-glass.com/>.

# INDUSTRY EMPLOYMENT

## Employment Change from February 2020 in Selected Sectors

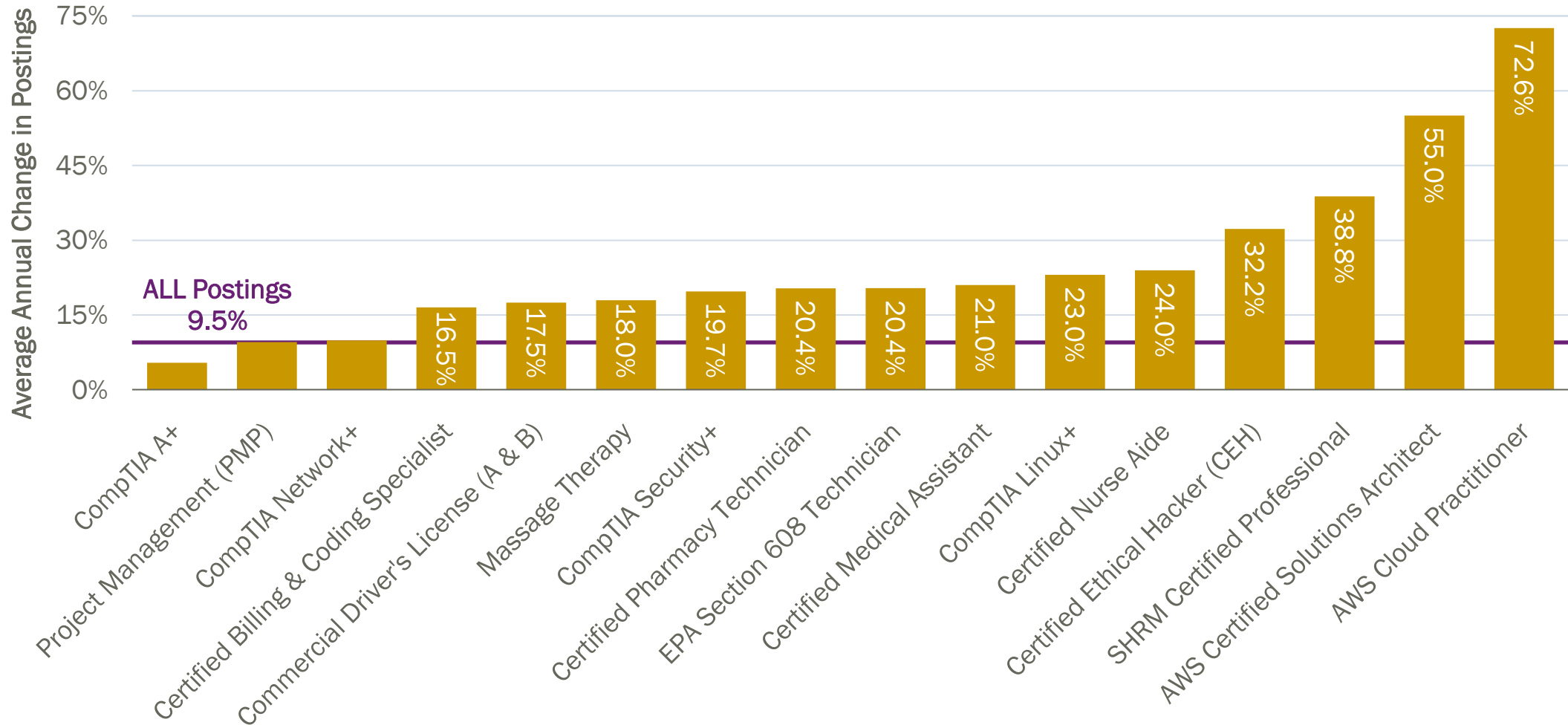


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# NOVA CERTIFICATIONS - POSTINGS

## Average Annual Change in Related Postings (2010 - 2020)



# QUESTIONS?

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