

D-8. Unemployment rates by age, sex, and marital status, seasonally adjusted

(Percent)

| Age, sex, and marital status | 2005 | | 2006 | | | | 2007 | | | | 2008 | | |
|-------------------------------------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|
| | III | IV | I | II | III | IV | I | II | III | IV | I | II | III |
| AGE AND SEX | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Total, 16 years and over | 5.0 | 4.9 | 4.7 | 4.7 | 4.7 | 4.4 | 4.5 | 4.5 | 4.7 | 4.8 | 4.9 | 5.3 | 6.0 |
| 16 to 19 years | 15.9 | 16.1 | 15.5 | 14.7 | 16.1 | 15.0 | 14.9 | 15.7 | 15.8 | 16.4 | 16.8 | 17.4 | 19.5 |
| 16 to 17 years | 18.5 | 18.9 | 17.5 | 16.2 | 18.0 | 17.1 | 16.5 | 16.8 | 18.1 | 18.7 | 19.1 | 21.4 | 22.9 |
| 18 to 19 years | 14.3 | 14.1 | 14.1 | 13.9 | 14.8 | 13.5 | 13.7 | 15.3 | 14.3 | 14.7 | 15.2 | 15.4 | 17.4 |
| 20 years and over | 4.4 | 4.4 | 4.2 | 4.2 | 4.1 | 3.9 | 4.0 | 4.0 | 4.2 | 4.2 | 4.4 | 4.7 | 5.3 |
| 20 to 24 years | 8.5 | 8.3 | 8.1 | 8.1 | 8.2 | 8.2 | 7.7 | 7.8 | 8.6 | 8.6 | 9.0 | 9.8 | 10.4 |
| 25 years and over | 4.0 | 3.9 | 3.7 | 3.7 | 3.6 | 3.4 | 3.5 | 3.5 | 3.7 | 3.7 | 3.9 | 4.1 | 4.8 |
| 25 to 54 years | 4.1 | 4.1 | 3.9 | 3.8 | 3.8 | 3.5 | 3.6 | 3.6 | 3.8 | 3.9 | 4.0 | 4.4 | 5.0 |
| 25 to 34 years | 5.2 | 5.0 | 4.8 | 4.8 | 4.6 | 4.5 | 4.6 | 4.5 | 4.7 | 4.8 | 5.0 | 5.3 | 6.0 |
| 35 to 44 years | 3.7 | 3.9 | 3.7 | 3.6 | 3.6 | 3.4 | 3.3 | 3.3 | 3.6 | 3.6 | 3.6 | 4.2 | 4.9 |
| 45 to 54 years | 3.5 | 3.5 | 3.2 | 3.2 | 3.2 | 2.8 | 3.1 | 3.1 | 3.2 | 3.4 | 3.4 | 3.7 | 4.1 |
| 55 years and over | 3.4 | 3.2 | 2.9 | 3.0 | 3.0 | 3.0 | 3.2 | 3.1 | 3.2 | 3.1 | 3.3 | 3.2 | 4.0 |
| Men, 16 years and over | 5.0 | 4.9 | 4.7 | 4.7 | 4.6 | 4.5 | 4.6 | 4.6 | 4.8 | 4.9 | 5.0 | 5.5 | 6.4 |
| 16 to 19 years | 17.8 | 17.2 | 16.8 | 16.6 | 17.4 | 16.5 | 16.3 | 17.3 | 17.7 | 19.1 | 19.5 | 19.2 | 21.7 |
| 16 to 17 years | 21.8 | 20.1 | 19.3 | 18.2 | 17.9 | 19.2 | 17.8 | 18.2 | 21.0 | 20.8 | 22.2 | 23.9 | 25.5 |
| 18 to 19 years | 15.5 | 15.1 | 15.0 | 16.0 | 17.1 | 14.4 | 15.2 | 17.4 | 15.6 | 17.7 | 17.6 | 17.1 | 19.5 |
| 20 years and over | 4.4 | 4.3 | 4.1 | 4.1 | 4.0 | 3.9 | 4.1 | 4.0 | 4.2 | 4.3 | 4.4 | 4.9 | 5.7 |
| 20 to 24 years | 9.5 | 9.1 | 8.8 | 8.7 | 8.7 | 8.6 | 8.3 | 8.9 | 9.2 | 9.3 | 9.8 | 10.7 | 11.5 |
| 25 years and over | 3.8 | 3.7 | 3.5 | 3.6 | 3.5 | 3.3 | 3.6 | 3.5 | 3.6 | 3.7 | 3.8 | 4.2 | 5.0 |
| 25 to 54 years | 3.9 | 3.8 | 3.7 | 3.7 | 3.6 | 3.4 | 3.7 | 3.5 | 3.7 | 3.8 | 4.0 | 4.4 | 5.3 |
| 25 to 34 years | 4.8 | 4.5 | 4.5 | 4.6 | 4.4 | 4.4 | 4.7 | 4.4 | 4.7 | 4.9 | 5.1 | 5.3 | 6.4 |
| 35 to 44 years | 3.5 | 3.6 | 3.3 | 3.4 | 3.4 | 3.2 | 3.3 | 3.1 | 3.4 | 3.4 | 3.5 | 4.2 | 5.1 |
| 45 to 54 years | 3.5 | 3.5 | 3.3 | 3.2 | 3.1 | 2.7 | 3.1 | 3.1 | 3.1 | 3.2 | 3.4 | 3.8 | 4.3 |
| 55 years and over | 3.2 | 3.2 | 2.9 | 3.1 | 2.9 | 3.1 | 3.3 | 3.2 | 3.3 | 3.1 | 3.2 | 3.2 | 4.1 |
| Women, 16 years and over | 5.0 | 5.0 | 4.8 | 4.6 | 4.7 | 4.4 | 4.4 | 4.4 | 4.6 | 4.7 | 4.8 | 5.1 | 5.5 |
| 16 to 19 years | 14.1 | 14.9 | 14.2 | 12.7 | 14.7 | 13.6 | 13.4 | 14.1 | 13.9 | 13.7 | 14.1 | 15.6 | 17.1 |
| 16 to 17 years | 15.5 | 17.9 | 15.7 | 14.2 | 18.2 | 15.1 | 15.1 | 15.4 | 15.3 | 16.8 | 16.3 | 18.9 | 20.3 |
| 18 to 19 years | 13.0 | 12.9 | 13.2 | 11.6 | 12.3 | 12.6 | 12.2 | 13.1 | 12.9 | 11.5 | 12.6 | 13.6 | 15.0 |
| 20 years and over | 4.5 | 4.5 | 4.3 | 4.2 | 4.1 | 3.9 | 3.9 | 3.9 | 4.1 | 4.2 | 4.3 | 4.6 | 4.9 |
| 20 to 24 years | 7.5 | 7.4 | 7.3 | 7.5 | 7.7 | 7.8 | 6.9 | 6.6 | 7.8 | 8.0 | 7.9 | 8.7 | 9.2 |
| 25 years and over | 4.2 | 4.2 | 3.9 | 3.8 | 3.8 | 3.5 | 3.5 | 3.6 | 3.7 | 3.8 | 3.9 | 4.1 | 4.5 |
| 25 to 54 years | 4.3 | 4.4 | 4.1 | 4.0 | 3.9 | 3.7 | 3.6 | 3.7 | 3.9 | 4.0 | 4.0 | 4.3 | 4.6 |
| 25 to 34 years | 5.7 | 5.6 | 5.2 | 5.0 | 4.8 | 4.5 | 4.6 | 4.6 | 4.8 | 4.6 | 4.9 | 5.2 | 5.4 |
| 35 to 44 years | 4.0 | 4.2 | 4.1 | 3.9 | 3.9 | 3.6 | 3.2 | 3.7 | 3.8 | 3.8 | 3.8 | 4.1 | 4.6 |
| 45 to 54 years | 3.4 | 3.5 | 3.1 | 3.3 | 3.2 | 3.0 | 3.1 | 3.0 | 3.2 | 3.6 | 3.4 | 3.6 | 3.9 |
| MARITAL STATUS | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Married men, spouse present | 2.8 | 2.6 | 2.4 | 2.5 | 2.5 | 2.4 | 2.5 | 2.5 | 2.5 | 2.6 | 2.7 | 2.9 | 3.5 |
| Married women, spouse present | 3.3 | 3.2 | 2.9 | 2.9 | 3.0 | 2.7 | 2.7 | 2.7 | 2.9 | 3.0 | 3.2 | 3.2 | 3.5 |

NOTE: Updated population controls are introduced annually with the release of January data.