

A-36. Unemployed persons by age, sex, race, Hispanic or Latino ethnicity, marital status, and duration of unemployment

Sex, age, race, Hispanic or Latino ethnicity, and marital status	March 2009							Weeks of unemployment	
	Thousands of persons unemployed						Average (mean) duration		
	Total	Less than 5 weeks	5 to 14 weeks	15 weeks and over					
				Total	15 to 26 weeks	27 weeks and over			
AGE AND SEX									
Total, 16 years and over	13,895	3,067	4,523	6,305	2,971	3,334	21.2	13.1	
16 to 19 years	1,293	401	407	485	221	264	16.7	9.8	
20 to 24 years	2,078	529	649	900	443	457	19.2	12.4	
25 to 34 years	3,321	777	1,184	1,359	712	648	18.7	12.1	
35 to 44 years	2,686	552	869	1,264	585	679	21.7	13.7	
45 to 54 years	2,621	437	834	1,351	608	743	24.8	15.3	
55 to 64 years	1,495	270	470	756	337	419	24.9	14.8	
65 years and over	401	102	110	190	64	125	26.5	13.4	
Men, 16 years and over	8,644	1,900	2,798	3,945	1,920	2,025	21.1	13.2	
16 to 19 years	801	254	238	310	157	152	15.8	9.8	
20 to 24 years	1,325	312	404	608	320	288	19.3	13.0	
25 to 34 years	2,152	538	752	862	457	406	18.5	11.9	
35 to 44 years	1,672	338	571	763	364	399	20.8	13.3	
45 to 54 years	1,586	255	495	835	375	461	25.6	15.7	
55 to 64 years	866	149	281	437	198	239	25.8	14.7	
65 years and over	241	55	57	130	50	80	28.1	16.3	
Women, 16 years and over	5,251	1,167	1,724	2,360	1,050	1,310	21.3	13.0	
16 to 19 years	492	147	169	175	64	112	18.1	9.8	
20 to 24 years	753	216	245	292	123	169	19.1	11.7	
25 to 34 years	1,169	240	433	497	255	242	19.2	12.5	
35 to 44 years	1,013	215	298	501	221	279	23.2	14.3	
45 to 54 years	1,036	182	338	516	234	282	23.4	14.4	
55 to 64 years	629	121	189	319	139	180	23.6	14.9	
65 years and over	160	47	53	60	15	46	24.0	10.5	
RACE AND HISPANIC OR LATINO ETHNICITY									
White, 16 years and over	10,602	2,481	3,541	4,580	2,274	2,306	19.9	12.5	
Men	6,677	1,542	2,231	2,904	1,497	1,407	19.7	12.6	
Women	3,925	939	1,310	1,676	777	898	20.2	12.3	
Black or African American, 16 years and over	2,355	359	711	1,285	523	762	26.6	16.7	
Men	1,410	221	415	775	312	463	27.2	17.0	
Women	945	138	297	510	211	299	25.7	16.3	
Asian, 16 years and over	455	107	124	224	82	142	22.6	14.2	
Men	284	68	71	146	49	96	24.3	15.2	
Women	171	40	53	79	33	46	19.7	11.9	
Hispanic or Latino ethnicity, 16 years and over	2,703	705	925	1,073	515	558	19.1	11.4	
Men	1,694	455	622	618	316	302	17.8	10.6	
Women	1,008	250	303	455	200	255	21.3	12.9	
MARITAL STATUS									
Men, 16 years and over:									
Married, spouse present	3,277	709	1,141	1,427	755	672	20.2	12.7	
Widowed, divorced, or separated	1,380	266	407	708	314	394	24.4	15.1	
Never married	3,986	925	1,251	1,810	851	959	20.8	13.0	
Women, 16 years and over:									
Married, spouse present	1,964	456	680	828	386	443	20.2	12.2	
Widowed, divorced, or separated	1,293	234	399	660	297	363	23.7	15.0	
Never married	1,994	477	645	872	368	504	20.9	12.5	

NOTE: Estimates for the above race groups (white, black or African American, and Asian) do not sum to totals because data are not presented for all races. Persons whose ethnicity is identified as Hispanic or Latino may be of any race. Updated population controls are introduced annually with the release of January data.