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(Numbers in thousands)

Employment status, race, sex, age, and Hispanic or Latino ethnicity	2006				2007				2008				2009
	I	II	III	IV	I	II	III	IV	I	II	III	IV	I
WHITE													
Civilian noninstitutional population ¹	185,570	186,005	186,499	186,981	187,585	187,995	188,479	188,954	188,904	189,285	189,750	190,219	190,331
Civilian labor force	123,193	123,597	123,994	124,497	124,890	124,677	124,883	125,292	125,206	125,556	125,937	125,987	125,538
Percent of population	66.4	66.4	66.5	66.6	66.6	66.3	66.3	66.3	66.3	66.3	66.4	66.2	66.0
Employed	118,153	118,549	118,974	119,628	119,903	119,681	119,605	119,977	119,692	119,557	119,160	118,101	116,289
Employment-population ratio	63.7	63.7	63.8	64.0	63.9	63.7	63.5	63.5	63.4	63.2	62.8	62.1	61.1
Unemployed	5,040	5,048	5,020	4,870	4,987	4,996	5,278	5,315	5,514	5,999	6,777	7,885	9,250
Unemployment rate	4.1	4.1	4.0	3.9	4.0	4.0	4.2	4.2	4.4	4.8	5.4	6.3	7.4
Not in labor force	62,376	62,408	62,505	62,484	62,695	63,318	63,596	63,662	63,698	63,729	63,814	64,232	64,793
Men, 20 years and over													
Civilian labor force	64,278	64,418	64,536	64,906	65,154	65,191	65,130	65,388	65,375	65,344	65,728	65,628	65,113
Percent of population	76.4	76.4	76.3	76.5	76.6	76.4	76.1	76.2	76.3	76.1	76.3	75.9	75.3
Employed	61,977	62,088	62,284	62,676	62,806	62,876	62,634	62,903	62,779	62,466	62,362	61,611	60,285
Employment-population ratio	73.7	73.6	73.6	73.9	73.8	73.7	73.2	73.3	73.2	72.7	72.4	71.3	69.7
Unemployed	2,301	2,330	2,252	2,229	2,348	2,315	2,496	2,485	2,596	2,878	3,366	4,017	4,828
Unemployment rate	3.6	3.6	3.5	3.4	3.6	3.6	3.8	3.8	4.0	4.4	5.1	6.1	7.4
Women, 20 years and over													
Civilian labor force	52,910	53,165	53,471	53,562	53,819	53,692	54,015	54,156	54,209	54,402	54,568	54,860	54,956
Percent of population	59.7	59.8	60.1	60.0	60.1	59.9	60.1	60.1	60.1	60.3	60.3	60.5	60.5
Employed	50,951	51,225	51,523	51,715	51,963	51,818	52,042	52,146	52,102	52,205	52,172	52,013	51,581
Employment-population ratio	57.5	57.7	57.9	58.0	58.1	57.8	57.9	57.9	57.8	57.8	57.7	57.3	56.8
Unemployed	1,959	1,940	1,947	1,848	1,856	1,874	1,973	2,010	2,107	2,197	2,397	2,847	3,375
Unemployment rate	3.7	3.6	3.6	3.4	3.4	3.5	3.7	3.7	3.9	4.0	4.4	5.2	6.1
Both sexes, 16 to 19 years													
Civilian labor force	6,005	6,014	5,987	6,029	5,918	5,794	5,737	5,749	5,622	5,810	5,640	5,499	5,469
Percent of population	47.0	46.9	46.5	46.6	45.5	44.5	43.9	44.0	43.1	44.4	43.1	42.0	41.8
Employed	5,225	5,236	5,168	5,236	5,135	4,986	4,928	4,928	4,811	4,886	4,626	4,477	4,422
Employment-population ratio	40.9	40.8	40.1	40.5	39.5	38.3	37.7	37.7	36.8	37.4	35.3	34.2	33.8
Unemployed	780	778	820	793	783	807	809	821	811	924	1,015	1,021	1,047
Unemployment rate	13.0	12.9	13.7	13.1	13.2	13.9	14.1	14.3	14.4	15.9	18.0	18.6	19.1
BLACK OR AFRICAN AMERICAN													
Civilian noninstitutional population ¹	26,826	26,944	27,065	27,192	27,311	27,422	27,541	27,665	27,675	27,781	27,897	28,021	28,085
Civilian labor force	17,197	17,265	17,308	17,493	17,520	17,435	17,524	17,513	17,683	17,733	17,809	17,757	17,679
Percent of population	64.1	64.1	64.0	64.3	64.2	63.6	63.6	63.3	63.9	63.8	63.8	63.4	62.9
Employed	15,605	15,707	15,730	16,026	16,099	15,970	16,135	16,007	16,116	16,083	15,908	15,713	15,364
Employment-population ratio	58.2	58.3	58.1	58.9	58.9	58.2	58.6	57.9	58.2	57.9	57.0	56.1	54.7
Unemployed	1,592	1,558	1,578	1,467	1,421	1,466	1,389	1,506	1,566	1,650	1,901	2,044	2,314
Unemployment rate	9.3	9.0	9.1	8.4	8.1	8.4	7.9	8.6	8.9	9.3	10.7	11.5	13.1
Not in labor force	9,629	9,678	9,757	9,700	9,791	9,986	10,017	10,152	9,992	10,047	10,088	10,264	10,406
Men, 20 years and over													
Civilian labor force	7,646	7,717	7,718	7,802	7,854	7,804	7,932	7,880	7,924	7,951	8,015	7,971	7,948
Percent of population	70.9	71.2	70.9	71.3	71.5	70.8	71.6	70.8	71.3	71.2	71.5	70.7	70.4
Employed	7,013	7,054	7,054	7,198	7,225	7,156	7,356	7,245	7,267	7,226	7,138	6,979	6,770
Employment-population ratio	65.0	65.1	64.8	65.8	65.8	64.9	66.4	65.1	65.4	64.7	63.6	61.9	59.9
Unemployed	633	663	664	604	629	648	576	635	657	726	877	992	1,178
Unemployment rate	8.3	8.6	8.6	7.7	8.0	8.3	7.3	8.1	8.3	9.1	10.9	12.4	14.8
Women, 20 years and over													
Civilian labor force	8,675	8,677	8,730	8,817	8,842	8,811	8,834	8,826	8,938	9,001	8,978	9,048	8,987
Percent of population	64.2	64.0	64.2	64.6	64.5	64.0	64.0	63.6	64.3	64.5	64.1	64.4	63.8
Employed	7,991	8,021	8,082	8,184	8,279	8,245	8,241	8,200	8,298	8,303	8,202	8,239	8,118
Employment-population ratio	59.2	59.2	59.4	59.9	60.4	59.9	59.7	59.1	59.7	59.5	58.6	58.6	57.6
Unemployed	684	656	648	633	563	565	593	625	641	698	776	809	869
Unemployment rate	7.9	7.6	7.4	7.2	6.4	6.4	6.7	7.1	7.2	7.7	8.6	8.9	9.7

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BLACK OR AFRICAN AMERICAN—Continued													
Both sexes, 16 to 19 years													
Civilian labor force	877	870	860	873	824	821	758	807	820	781	815	737	744
Percent of population	34.6	34.1	33.4	33.6	31.5	31.2	28.6	30.3	30.8	29.2	30.4	27.4	27.6
Employed	601	632	594	643	595	569	538	562	552	555	568	494	476
Employment-population ratio	23.7	24.7	23.1	24.8	22.7	21.6	20.3	21.1	20.7	20.8	21.2	18.4	17.7
Unemployed	276	239	266	230	228	253	220	245	269	226	248	243	268
Unemployment rate	31.5	27.4	30.9	26.4	27.7	30.8	29.0	30.4	32.7	29.0	30.4	33.0	36.0
HISPANIC OR LATINO ETHNICITY													
Civilian noninstitutional population ¹ ...	29,707	29,966	30,232	30,506	30,966	31,238	31,520	31,809	31,732	31,999	32,274	32,557	32,501
Civilian labor force	20,468	20,634	20,667	20,993	21,386	21,447	21,747	21,829	21,761	22,049	22,174	22,132	22,069
Percent of population	68.9	68.9	68.4	68.8	69.1	68.7	69.0	68.6	68.6	68.9	68.7	68.0	67.9
Employed	19,343	19,569	19,562	19,971	20,236	20,236	20,501	20,554	20,333	20,450	20,436	20,165	19,708
Employment-population ratio	65.1	65.3	64.7	65.5	65.3	64.8	65.0	64.6	64.1	63.9	63.3	61.9	60.6
Unemployed	1,125	1,065	1,105	1,022	1,151	1,210	1,246	1,274	1,428	1,599	1,738	1,967	2,361
Unemployment rate	5.5	5.2	5.3	4.9	5.4	5.6	5.7	5.8	6.6	7.3	7.8	8.9	10.7
Not in labor force	9,239	9,332	9,565	9,514	9,579	9,791	9,773	9,980	9,972	9,950	10,100	10,426	10,432

¹ The population figures are not adjusted for seasonal variation.

NOTE: Estimates for the above race groups (white and black or African American) 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.