

**Table 571. Civilian Labor Force—Percent Distribution by Sex and Age: 1980 to 2007**

[106,940 represents 106,940,000. Civilian noninstitutional population 16 years old and over. Annual averages of monthly figures. Based on Current Population Survey; see text, Section 1, and Appendix III]

Year and sex	Civilian labor force (1,000)	Percent distribution						
		16 to 19 years	20 to 24 years	25 to 34 years	35 to 44 years	45 to 54 years	55 to 64 years	65 yrs. and over
Total: 1980 . . . . .	106,940	8.8	14.9	27.3	19.1	15.8	11.2	2.9
1990 <sup>1</sup> . . . . .	125,840	6.2	11.7	28.6	25.5	16.1	9.2	2.7
2000 <sup>1</sup> . . . . .	142,583	5.8	10.0	23.0	26.3	21.8	10.1	3.0
2005 <sup>1</sup> . . . . .	149,320	4.8	10.1	21.7	24.1	23.0	12.7	3.5
2007 <sup>1</sup> . . . . .	153,124	4.6	9.9	21.6	23.2	23.3	13.6	3.8
Male: 1980 . . . . .	61,453	8.1	14.0	27.6	19.3	16.1	11.8	3.1
1990 <sup>1</sup> . . . . .	69,011	5.9	11.4	28.8	25.3	16.1	9.6	2.9
2000 <sup>1</sup> . . . . .	76,280	5.6	9.9	23.4	26.3	21.3	10.2	3.3
2005 <sup>1</sup> . . . . .	80,033	4.5	10.1	22.3	24.4	22.6	12.6	3.7
2007 <sup>1</sup> . . . . .	82,136	4.3	9.9	22.3	23.5	22.9	13.3	3.9
Female: 1980 . . . . .	45,487	9.6	16.1	26.9	19.0	15.4	10.4	2.6
1990 <sup>1</sup> . . . . .	56,829	6.5	12.0	28.3	25.8	16.1	8.7	2.6
2000 <sup>1</sup> . . . . .	66,303	6.0	10.2	22.5	26.4	22.3	9.9	2.7
2005 <sup>1</sup> . . . . .	69,288	5.2	10.2	20.9	23.9	23.6	12.9	3.3
2007 <sup>1</sup> . . . . .	70,988	4.9	10.0	20.9	22.9	23.8	13.9	3.7

<sup>1</sup> See footnote 2, Table 567.

Source: U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics, "Employment and Earnings Online," January 2008 issue. See Internet site <<http://www.bls.gov/opub/ee/home.htm>> and <<http://www.bls.gov/cps/home.htm>>.