

**Table 606. Unemployed Persons by Sex and Reason: 1980 to 2006**

[In thousands (4,267 represents 4,267,000). 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]

Sex and reason	1980	1985	1990 <sup>1</sup>	1995	1999 <sup>1</sup>	2000 <sup>1</sup>	2001	2002	2003 <sup>1</sup>	2004 <sup>1</sup>	2005 <sup>1</sup>	2006 <sup>1</sup>
Male, total . . . . .	4,267	4,521	3,906	3,983	3,066	2,975	3,690	4,597	4,906	4,456	4,059	3,753
Job losers <sup>2</sup> . . . . .	2,649	2,749	2,257	2,190	1,563	1,516	2,119	2,820	3,024	2,603	2,188	2,021
Job leavers . . . . .	438	409	528	407	389	387	422	434	422	437	445	406
Reentrants . . . . .	776	876	806	1,113	895	854	925	1,068	1,141	1,070	1,067	1,015
New entrants . . . . .	405	487	315	273	219	217	223	274	320	346	359	312
Female, total . . . . .	3,370	3,791	3,140	3,421	2,814	2,717	3,111	3,781	3,868	3,694	3,531	3,247
Job losers <sup>2</sup> . . . . .	1,297	1,390	1,130	1,286	1,059	1,001	1,356	1,787	1,814	1,595	1,479	1,300
Job leavers . . . . .	453	468	513	417	394	393	413	432	397	421	427	421
Reentrants . . . . .	1,152	1,380	1,124	1,412	1,111	1,107	1,105	1,300	1,336	1,338	1,319	1,223
New entrants . . . . .	468	552	373	306	250	217	237	262	321	340	306	304

<sup>1</sup> See footnote 2, Table 569. <sup>2</sup> Beginning 1995, persons who completed temporary jobs are identified separately and are included as job losers.

Source: U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics, *Employment and Earnings*, monthly, January issues; Bulletin 2307; and unpublished data. See Internet site <<http://www.bls.gov/cps/home.htm>>.