

**30. Unemployed total and full-time workers by duration of unemployment**

Duration of unemployment	Total				Full-time workers			
	Thousands of persons		Percent distribution		Thousands of persons		Percent distribution	
	2006	2007	2006	2007	2006	2007	2006	2007
Total, 16 years and over .....	7,001	7,078	100.0	100.0	5,675	5,789	100.0	100.0
Less than 5 weeks .....	2,614	2,542	37.3	35.9	1,950	1,896	34.4	32.8
5 to 14 weeks .....	2,121	2,232	30.3	31.5	1,719	1,843	30.3	31.8
5 to 10 weeks .....	1,460	1,529	20.9	21.6	1,157	1,236	20.4	21.4
11 to 14 weeks .....	661	703	9.4	9.9	562	606	9.9	10.5
15 weeks and over .....	2,266	2,303	32.4	32.5	2,005	2,050	35.3	35.4
15 to 26 weeks .....	1,031	1,061	14.7	15.0	907	931	16.0	16.1
27 weeks and over .....	1,235	1,243	17.6	17.6	1,098	1,119	19.3	19.3
27 to 51 weeks .....	535	539	7.6	7.6	485	486	8.6	8.4
52 weeks and over .....	700	704	10.0	9.9	613	633	10.8	10.9
Average (mean) duration, in weeks .....	16.8	16.8	—	—	18.0	18.1	—	—
Median duration, in weeks .....	8.3	8.5	—	—	9.2	9.4	—	—

NOTE: Updated population controls are introduced annually with the release of January data. Dash indicates no data or data that do not meet publication criteria.