

**Table 12. Census regions and divisions: Unemployed persons by sex, age, race, Hispanic or Latino ethnicity, and reason for unemployment, 2003 annual averages**

(In thousands)

Population group and area	Thousands of persons					
	Total unemployed	Job loser and persons who completed temporary jobs		Job leavers	Reentrants	New entrants
		Total	On temporary layoff			
<b>TOTAL</b>						
Northeast .....	1,599	949	234	127	414	110
New England .....	409	255	63	31	98	25
Middle Atlantic .....	1,190	694	172	95	316	84
Midwest .....	2,024	1,151	335	185	563	125
East North Central .....	1,491	864	253	128	405	94
West North Central .....	533	287	82	57	158	31
South .....	2,951	1,528	282	319	866	237
South Atlantic .....	1,409	719	131	156	411	123
East South Central .....	497	266	61	55	139	38
West South Central .....	1,045	544	90	109	317	75
West .....	2,176	1,195	266	186	626	168
Mountain .....	556	280	66	69	171	36
Pacific .....	1,620	915	200	117	456	132
<b>Men</b>						
Northeast .....	893	583	148	67	189	55
New England .....	236	164	42	17	42	14
Middle Atlantic .....	657	419	106	50	148	41
Midwest .....	1,175	747	241	102	264	62
East North Central .....	875	563	183	71	193	48
West North Central .....	301	185	58	31	71	15
South .....	1,580	930	174	154	377	118
South Atlantic .....	739	414	74	77	182	65
East South Central .....	255	158	38	25	52	20
West South Central .....	586	359	62	52	143	33
West .....	1,243	754	166	98	307	84
Mountain .....	308	174	42	37	82	16
Pacific .....	935	580	124	61	225	68
<b>Women</b>						
Northeast .....	706	366	86	60	225	55
New England .....	173	91	21	14	57	11
Middle Atlantic .....	532	275	66	45	168	44
Midwest .....	849	404	93	83	299	63
East North Central .....	616	302	70	56	212	46
West North Central .....	233	102	24	26	87	17
South .....	1,371	598	109	165	489	119
South Atlantic .....	670	304	57	78	229	58
East South Central .....	242	108	23	30	86	18
West South Central .....	459	186	28	57	174	43
West .....	932	441	101	88	319	84
Mountain .....	248	107	25	32	89	20
Pacific .....	684	334	76	56	230	64

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		Total	On temporary layoff			
<b>Both sexes, 16 to 19 years</b>						
Northeast .....	194	33	15	10	87	64
New England .....	56	9	3	3	26	18
Middle Atlantic .....	138	24	11	7	61	46
Midwest .....	315	45	17	25	150	95
East North Central .....	216	29	10	16	101	70
West North Central .....	99	17	7	9	49	25
South .....	431	67	20	31	178	154
South Atlantic .....	195	31	9	14	75	75
East South Central .....	81	11	4	8	33	28
West South Central .....	155	25	7	9	70	51
West .....	308	42	16	19	136	110
Mountain .....	98	15	5	9	47	27
Pacific .....	210	27	11	11	89	83
<b>White</b>						
Northeast .....	1,186	744	202	94	279	68
New England .....	348	220	55	28	81	19
Middle Atlantic .....	838	524	147	66	198	50
Midwest .....	1,550	927	294	147	398	79
East North Central .....	1,130	692	221	101	279	58
West North Central .....	420	235	72	46	119	21
South .....	1,897	1,010	204	231	522	134
South Atlantic .....	843	448	87	109	226	61
East South Central .....	313	172	45	40	80	21
West South Central .....	741	391	71	83	216	51
West .....	1,660	921	222	145	473	121
Mountain .....	475	242	60	61	144	29
Pacific .....	1,185	679	162	85	329	92
<b>Black or African American</b>						
Northeast .....	329	162	26	22	113	31
New England .....	44	24	5	2	13	5
Middle Atlantic .....	285	138	21	20	100	26
Midwest .....	371	178	32	26	136	31
East North Central .....	299	146	27	18	112	24
West North Central .....	72	32	5	8	24	8
South .....	909	445	68	73	303	87
South Atlantic .....	501	241	41	38	168	55
East South Central .....	168	86	13	13	52	16
West South Central .....	239	118	14	21	83	16
West .....	173	88	12	11	59	15
Mountain .....	24	12	1	2	6	3
Pacific .....	149	76	10	9	53	12

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		Total	On temporary layoff			
<b>Asian</b>						
Northeast .....	59	29	4	9	12	9
New England .....	10	7	2	( <sup>1</sup> )	2	1
Middle Atlantic .....	48	22	2	9	10	8
Midwest .....	45	20	4	6	12	7
East North Central .....	30	12	1	5	7	6
West North Central .....	15	8	2	1	4	1
South .....	63	30	5	7	16	10
South Atlantic .....	32	13	2	5	8	5
East South Central .....	4	2	1	( <sup>1</sup> )	2	( <sup>1</sup> )
West South Central .....	27	15	2	1	7	4
West .....	197	115	14	14	48	20
Mountain .....	11	4	( <sup>1</sup> )	2	4	( <sup>1</sup> )
Pacific .....	187	111	13	12	43	20
<b>Hispanic or Latino ethnicity</b>						
Northeast .....	231	135	34	15	62	19
New England .....	47	27	8	4	12	4
Middle Atlantic .....	184	108	26	11	50	15
Midwest .....	140	92	30	6	30	11
East North Central .....	112	77	26	4	22	9
West North Central .....	28	15	4	2	8	3
South .....	476	251	52	44	133	48
South Atlantic .....	179	98	20	15	48	19
East South Central .....	8	3	2	1	2	2
West South Central .....	290	151	31	29	83	28
West .....	588	325	107	38	172	53
Mountain .....	153	80	27	17	45	12
Pacific .....	435	246	80	20	128	42

<sup>1</sup> Less than 500 persons.

NOTE: Items may not add to totals because of rounding. 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. In addition, persons

whose ethnicity is identified as Hispanic or Latino may be of any race and, therefore, are classified by ethnicity as well as by race. Data incorporate updated Census 2000-based population controls.