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**D-17. Unemployed persons by reason for unemployment, race, and Hispanic or Latino ethnicity**

(Numbers in thousands)

Reasons	Total		White		Black or African American		Asian		Hispanic or Latino	
	I 2008	I 2009	I 2008	I 2009	I 2008	I 2009	I 2008	I 2009	I 2008	I 2009
<b>NUMBER OF UNEMPLOYED</b>										
Total unemployed .....	8,067	13,534	5,964	10,242	1,567	2,379	235	460	1,540	2,591
Job losers and persons who completed temporary jobs .....	4,545	9,015	3,487	6,966	794	1,473	108	310	877	1,778
On temporary layoff .....	1,436	2,097	1,231	1,819	135	190	22	43	311	427
Not on temporary layoff .....	3,109	6,918	2,256	5,147	659	1,283	87	267	565	1,351
Permanent job losers .....	2,197	5,423	1,613	4,063	452	969	66	222	331	946
Persons who completed temporary jobs .....	912	1,495	643	1,083	208	314	20	45	235	405
Job leavers .....	802	870	620	653	116	140	28	30	144	126
Reentrants .....	2,146	2,901	1,486	2,107	507	596	76	85	380	513
New entrants .....	574	747	370	515	150	169	23	34	138	174
<b>PERCENT DISTRIBUTION</b>										
Job losers and persons who completed temporary jobs .....	56.3	66.6	58.5	68.0	50.7	61.9	46.2	67.5	56.9	68.6
On temporary layoff .....	17.8	15.5	20.6	17.8	8.6	8.0	9.3	9.3	20.2	16.5
Not on temporary layoff .....	38.5	51.1	37.8	50.3	42.1	54.0	36.9	58.2	36.7	52.1
Job leavers .....	9.9	6.4	10.4	6.4	7.4	5.9	11.9	6.5	9.4	4.9
Reentrants .....	26.6	21.4	24.9	20.6	32.3	25.1	32.3	18.6	24.7	19.8
New entrants .....	7.1	5.5	6.2	5.0	9.6	7.1	9.6	7.5	9.0	6.7
<b>UNEMPLOYED AS A PERCENT OF THE CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE</b>										
Job losers and persons who completed temporary jobs .....	3.0	5.9	2.8	5.6	4.5	8.4	1.5	4.4	4.1	8.1
Job leavers .....	.5	.6	.5	.5	.7	.8	.4	.4	.7	.6
Reentrants .....	1.4	1.9	1.2	1.7	2.9	3.4	1.1	1.2	1.8	2.3
New entrants .....	.4	.5	.3	.4	.9	1.0	.3	.5	.6	.8

NOTE: 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. 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.