

Table 2. Selected labor market indicators: Cyclically sensitive conditions, annual averages, 1948-2000

Year	Producer Price Index for crude non-food materials, less energy (1982=100)	Manufacturing		Unemployed ¹		Nonagricultural workers on part-time schedules for economic reasons, slack work or business conditions (in thousands)
		Average workweek	Average overtime hours	Less than 5 weeks (in thousands)	Job losers on temporary layoff as percent of civilian labor force	
1948	-	40.0	-	1,300	-	-
1949	-	39.1	-	1,756	-	-
1950	-	40.5	-	1,450	-	-
1951	-	40.6	-	1,177	-	-
1952	-	40.7	-	1,135	-	-
1953	-	40.5	-	1,142	-	-
1954	-	39.6	-	1,605	-	-
1955	-	40.7	-	1,335	-	905
1956	-	40.4	2.8	1,412	-	1,013
1957	-	39.8	2.3	1,408	-	1,180
1958	-	39.2	2.0	1,753	-	1,695
1959	-	40.3	2.7	1,585	-	1,078
1960	-	39.7	2.5	1,719	-	1,300
1961	-	39.8	2.4	1,806	-	1,429
1962	-	40.4	2.8	1,663	-	1,077
1963	-	40.5	2.8	1,751	-	1,060
1964	-	40.7	3.1	1,697	-	972
1965	-	41.2	3.6	1,628	-	868
1966	-	41.4	3.9	1,573	-	727
1967	-	40.6	3.4	1,634	0.5	979
1968	-	40.7	3.6	1,594	.4	794
1969	-	40.6	3.6	1,629	.4	838
1970	-	39.8	3.0	2,139	.8	1,126
1971	-	39.9	2.9	2,245	.9	1,245
1972	-	40.5	3.5	2,242	.7	1,079
1973	70.8	40.7	3.8	2,224	.5	1,067
1974	83.3	40.0	3.3	2,604	.8	1,339
1975	69.3	39.5	2.6	2,940	1.8	1,925
1976	80.2	40.1	3.1	2,844	1.1	1,550
1977	79.8	40.3	3.5	2,919	.9	1,472
1978	87.8	40.4	3.6	2,865	.7	1,391
1979	106.2	40.2	3.3	2,950	.8	1,518
1980	113.1	39.7	2.8	3,295	1.4	2,093
1981	111.7	39.8	2.8	3,449	1.3	2,251
1982	100.0	38.9	2.3	3,883	1.9	3,050
1983	105.3	40.1	3.0	3,570	1.6	2,684
1984	111.7	40.7	3.4	3,350	1.0	2,291
1985	104.9	40.5	3.3	3,498	1.0	2,273
1986	103.1	40.7	3.4	3,448	.9	2,305
1987	115.7	41.0	3.7	3,246	.8	2,201
1988	133.0	41.1	3.9	3,084	.7	2,199
1989	137.9	41.0	3.8	3,174	.7	2,143
1990	136.3	40.8	3.6	3,265	.8	2,409
1991	128.2	40.7	3.6	3,480	1.0	3,059
1992	128.4	41.0	3.8	3,376	1.0	3,094
1993	140.2	41.4	4.1	3,262	.9	3,033
1994	156.2	42.0	4.7	2,728	.7	2,311
1995	173.6	41.6	4.4	2,700	.8	2,346
1996	155.8	41.6	4.5	2,633	.8	2,263
1997	156.5	42.0	4.8	2,538	.7	2,167
1998	142.1	41.7	4.6	2,622	.6	1,997
1999	135.2	41.7	4.6	2,568	.6	1,861
2000	145.2	41.6	4.6	2,543	.6	1,835

¹ The comparability of historical labor force data has been affected at various times by methodological and conceptual changes. For an explanation, see the Explanatory Notes and Estimates of Error section of *Employment and Earnings*,

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Dash indicates data not available.