

**HOUSEHOLD DATA
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED
QUARTERLY AVERAGES**

E-2. Employment status of the civilian noninstitutional population by race, Hispanic or Latino ethnicity, sex, and age, seasonally adjusted
[Numbers in thousands]

Employment status, race, Hispanic or Latino ethnicity, sex, and age	2015	2016				2017				2018			
	4th	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	1st	2nd	3rd	4th
WHITE													
Civilian noninstitutional population ¹	197,373	197,722	198,017	198,381	198,741	198,527	198,777	199,082	199,381	199,803	200,040	200,356	200,687
Civilian labor force.....	123,773	124,587	124,532	124,784	124,773	124,739	124,766	125,181	125,067	125,607	125,710	125,560	126,371
Participation rate.....	62.7	63.0	62.9	62.9	62.8	62.8	62.8	62.9	62.7	62.9	62.8	62.7	63.0
Employed.....	118,326	119,263	119,195	119,396	119,431	119,678	120,041	120,487	120,511	121,107	121,294	121,363	122,092
Employment-population ratio.....	60.0	60.3	60.2	60.2	60.1	60.3	60.4	60.5	60.4	60.6	60.6	60.6	60.8
Unemployed.....	5,447	5,325	5,337	5,387	5,342	5,061	4,725	4,694	4,556	4,501	4,416	4,197	4,279
Unemployment rate.....	4.4	4.3	4.3	4.3	4.3	4.1	3.8	3.7	3.6	3.6	3.5	3.3	3.4
Not in labor force.....	73,600	73,135	73,485	73,597	73,968	73,788	74,012	73,902	74,314	74,196	74,330	74,796	74,315
Men, 20 years and over													
Civilian labor force.....	64,703	65,061	65,057	65,329	65,278	65,171	65,209	65,342	65,446	65,822	65,862	65,601	65,947
Participation rate.....	71.8	72.0	71.9	72.1	71.9	71.8	71.8	71.8	71.8	72.0	71.9	71.5	71.8
Employed.....	62,064	62,533	62,501	62,638	62,655	62,725	62,949	63,084	63,290	63,617	63,714	63,619	63,930
Employment-population ratio.....	68.9	69.2	69.1	69.1	69.0	69.1	69.3	69.3	69.4	69.6	69.6	69.3	69.6
Unemployed.....	2,639	2,528	2,556	2,691	2,623	2,446	2,261	2,258	2,156	2,205	2,148	1,981	2,017
Unemployment rate.....	4.1	3.9	3.9	4.1	4.0	3.8	3.5	3.5	3.3	3.4	3.3	3.0	3.1
Women, 20 years and over													
Civilian labor force.....	54,596	54,922	54,897	54,794	54,874	55,018	54,979	55,330	55,080	55,112	55,295	55,429	55,864
Participation rate.....	57.5	57.8	57.7	57.5	57.4	57.6	57.5	57.8	57.4	57.4	57.5	57.6	57.9
Employed.....	52,420	52,774	52,757	52,762	52,793	52,977	53,052	53,409	53,274	53,370	53,527	53,724	54,104
Employment-population ratio.....	55.2	55.5	55.4	55.3	55.2	55.5	55.5	55.8	55.6	55.6	55.7	55.8	56.1
Unemployed.....	2,176	2,148	2,140	2,033	2,081	2,042	1,926	1,921	1,806	1,742	1,767	1,706	1,760
Unemployment rate.....	4.0	3.9	3.9	3.7	3.8	3.7	3.5	3.5	3.3	3.2	3.2	3.1	3.2
Both sexes, 16 to 19 years													
Civilian labor force.....	4,474	4,605	4,579	4,661	4,621	4,549	4,577	4,509	4,541	4,673	4,554	4,530	4,560
Participation rate.....	36.3	37.4	37.1	37.7	37.4	36.9	37.1	36.5	36.8	37.9	37.0	36.8	37.1
Employed.....	3,842	3,957	3,938	3,997	3,983	3,976	4,039	3,994	3,947	4,120	4,053	4,020	4,058
Employment-population ratio.....	31.2	32.1	31.9	32.4	32.2	32.2	32.7	32.4	32.0	33.4	32.9	32.7	33.0
Unemployed.....	632	649	641	663	638	573	538	515	594	553	501	510	502
Unemployment rate.....	14.1	14.1	14.0	14.2	13.8	12.6	11.8	11.4	13.1	11.8	11.0	11.3	11.0
BLACK OR AFRICAN AMERICAN													
Civilian noninstitutional population ¹	31,556	31,716	31,828	31,946	32,067	32,095	32,193	32,296	32,403	32,607	32,704	32,810	32,922
Civilian labor force.....	19,429	19,500	19,476	19,716	19,854	19,983	20,060	20,145	20,162	20,407	20,300	20,461	20,492
Participation rate.....	61.6	61.5	61.2	61.7	61.9	62.3	62.3	62.4	62.2	62.6	62.1	62.4	62.2
Employed.....	17,692	17,792	17,796	18,084	18,253	18,412	18,542	18,663	18,727	18,959	19,021	19,175	19,210
Employment-population ratio.....	56.1	56.1	55.9	56.6	56.9	57.4	57.6	57.8	57.8	58.1	58.2	58.4	58.3
Unemployed.....	1,736	1,708	1,680	1,632	1,601	1,571	1,517	1,482	1,434	1,447	1,278	1,287	1,282
Unemployment rate.....	8.9	8.8	8.6	8.3	8.1	7.9	7.6	7.4	7.1	7.1	6.3	6.3	6.3
Not in labor force.....	12,128	12,216	12,353	12,230	12,214	12,113	12,134	12,152	12,242	12,200	12,405	12,348	12,430
Men, 20 years and over													
Civilian labor force.....	8,776	8,878	8,965	8,983	9,031	9,114	9,102	9,220	9,208	9,345	9,271	9,356	9,331
Participation rate.....	66.9	67.3	67.7	67.5	67.6	68.1	67.7	68.4	68.0	68.5	67.7	68.0	67.6
Employed.....	7,980	8,120	8,202	8,261	8,330	8,395	8,487	8,554	8,563	8,738	8,681	8,795	8,765
Employment-population ratio.....	60.8	61.5	61.9	62.1	62.3	62.7	63.2	63.4	63.2	64.1	63.4	64.0	63.5
Unemployed.....	795	758	763	722	701	719	614	667	646	607	590	561	567
Unemployment rate.....	9.1	8.5	8.5	8.0	7.8	7.9	6.7	7.2	7.0	6.5	6.4	6.0	6.1
Women, 20 years and over													
Civilian labor force.....	9,936	9,891	9,782	9,987	10,110	10,133	10,184	10,142	10,230	10,269	10,295	10,401	10,330
Participation rate.....	62.3	61.7	60.9	61.9	62.5	62.6	62.7	62.2	62.6	62.4	62.4	62.8	62.1
Employed.....	9,170	9,122	9,076	9,274	9,399	9,464	9,471	9,508	9,612	9,637	9,768	9,812	9,787
Employment-population ratio.....	57.5	56.9	56.5	57.5	58.1	58.4	58.3	58.3	58.8	58.6	59.2	59.2	58.9
Unemployed.....	767	769	706	713	710	669	712	634	618	632	527	589	542
Unemployment rate.....	7.7	7.8	7.2	7.1	7.0	6.6	7.0	6.3	6.0	6.2	5.1	5.7	5.2
Both sexes, 16 to 19 years													
Civilian labor force.....	716	731	729	746	713	736	774	782	723	793	734	705	831
Participation rate.....	28.8	29.3	29.0	29.7	28.3	29.3	30.8	31.2	28.8	31.6	29.4	28.2	33.3
Employed.....	542	550	518	549	524	553	584	601	553	585	572	568	657
Employment-population ratio.....	21.8	22.0	20.7	21.8	20.8	22.0	23.2	24.0	22.0	23.3	22.9	22.8	26.4

See footnotes at end of table.

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	4th	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	1st	2nd	3rd	4th
Unemployed.....	174	181	210	197	189	183	191	181	171	208	162	137	173
Unemployment rate.....	24.3	24.8	28.9	26.4	26.6	24.9	24.7	23.1	23.6	26.3	22.0	19.4	20.9
ASIAN													
Civilian noninstitutional population ¹	14,490	14,900	14,941	15,275	15,367	15,223	15,396	15,371	15,482	15,835	15,914	16,009	16,088
Civilian labor force.....	9,095	9,377	9,472	9,694	9,704	9,666	9,792	9,884	9,778	9,970	10,042	10,240	10,292
Participation rate.....	62.8	62.9	63.4	63.5	63.1	63.5	63.6	64.3	63.2	63.0	63.1	64.0	64.0
Employed.....	8,744	9,020	9,113	9,313	9,407	9,328	9,452	9,511	9,501	9,668	9,770	9,912	9,978
Employment-population ratio.....	60.3	60.5	61.0	61.0	61.2	61.3	61.4	61.9	61.4	61.1	61.4	61.9	62.0
Unemployed.....	351	357	359	381	297	338	340	374	277	302	272	328	314
Unemployment rate.....	3.9	3.8	3.8	3.9	3.1	3.5	3.5	3.8	2.8	3.0	2.7	3.2	3.0
Not in labor force.....	5,395	5,523	5,469	5,582	5,663	5,557	5,604	5,487	5,704	5,865	5,871	5,769	5,796
HISPANIC OR LATINO ETHNICITY													
Civilian noninstitutional population ¹	40,004	40,301	40,559	40,826	41,101	41,002	41,242	41,492	41,749	42,334	42,593	42,863	43,145
Civilian labor force.....	26,256	26,595	26,605	26,959	27,029	27,204	27,226	27,497	27,426	27,931	28,265	28,381	28,765
Participation rate.....	65.6	66.0	65.6	66.0	65.8	66.3	66.0	66.3	65.7	66.0	66.4	66.2	66.7
Employed.....	24,603	25,108	25,038	25,385	25,465	25,718	25,854	26,083	26,094	26,539	26,925	27,087	27,497
Employment-population ratio.....	61.5	62.3	61.7	62.2	62.0	62.7	62.7	62.9	62.5	62.7	63.2	63.2	63.7
Unemployed.....	1,653	1,487	1,567	1,574	1,564	1,486	1,372	1,414	1,333	1,392	1,340	1,294	1,268
Unemployment rate.....	6.3	5.6	5.9	5.8	5.8	5.5	5.0	5.1	4.9	5.0	4.7	4.6	4.4
Not in labor force.....	13,748	13,706	13,954	13,867	14,072	13,798	14,016	13,994	14,323	14,403	14,328	14,482	14,379
Men, 20 years and over													
Civilian labor force.....	14,462	14,673	14,677	14,863	14,889	14,910	14,927	15,083	15,029	15,337	15,500	15,454	15,565
Participation rate.....	80.2	80.8	80.3	80.8	80.4	80.8	80.4	80.7	79.9	80.3	80.6	79.9	79.9
Employed.....	13,702	13,977	13,986	14,120	14,140	14,235	14,322	14,415	14,450	14,693	14,895	14,896	15,008
Employment-population ratio.....	76.0	76.9	76.5	76.7	76.3	77.1	77.1	77.2	76.9	76.9	77.5	77.0	77.0
Unemployed.....	761	696	691	743	749	675	605	668	580	644	605	558	557
Unemployment rate.....	5.3	4.7	4.7	5.0	5.0	4.5	4.1	4.4	3.9	4.2	3.9	3.6	3.6
Women, 20 years and over													
Civilian labor force.....	10,670	10,736	10,732	10,927	10,979	11,093	11,048	11,183	11,185	11,307	11,520	11,662	11,876
Participation rate.....	58.5	58.4	58.0	58.6	58.5	59.2	58.6	59.0	58.6	58.5	59.3	59.6	60.3
Employed.....	9,978	10,134	10,068	10,290	10,373	10,479	10,459	10,606	10,624	10,751	10,957	11,117	11,354
Employment-population ratio.....	54.7	55.1	54.4	55.2	55.3	56.0	55.5	55.9	55.7	55.7	56.4	56.8	57.6
Unemployed.....	692	601	663	637	606	613	590	576	561	556	563	545	522
Unemployment rate.....	6.5	5.6	6.2	5.8	5.5	5.5	5.3	5.2	5.0	4.9	4.9	4.7	4.4
Both sexes, 16 to 19 years													
Civilian labor force.....	1,123	1,187	1,197	1,169	1,161	1,201	1,250	1,232	1,212	1,287	1,244	1,265	1,325
Participation rate.....	30.2	31.7	31.8	30.9	30.5	31.5	32.6	32.0	31.3	32.9	31.7	32.1	33.4
Employed.....	923	997	984	975	952	1,004	1,074	1,061	1,020	1,096	1,073	1,074	1,135
Employment-population ratio.....	24.8	26.6	26.1	25.7	25.0	26.3	28.0	27.5	26.4	28.0	27.3	27.2	28.6
Unemployed.....	201	190	213	194	209	197	177	170	192	191	171	191	190
Unemployment rate.....	17.9	16.0	17.8	16.6	18.0	16.4	14.1	13.8	15.8	14.9	13.7	15.1	14.3

¹ The population figures are not adjusted for seasonal variation.

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.