

U.S. Labor Force Statistics, civilian noninstitutional population, not seasonally adjusted													
Unemployment rate													
Year	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	ANNUAL
1994	7.3	7.1	6.8	6.2	5.9	6.2	6.2	5.9	5.6	5.4	5.3	5.1	6.1
1995	6.2	5.9	5.7	5.6	5.5	5.8	5.9	5.6	5.4	5.2	5.3	5.2	5.6
1996	6.3	6.0	5.8	5.4	5.4	5.5	5.6	5.1	5.0	4.9	5.0	5.0	5.4
1997	5.9	5.7	5.5	4.8	4.7	5.2	5.0	4.8	4.7	4.4	4.3	4.4	4.9
1998	5.2	5.0	5.0	4.1	4.2	4.7	4.7	4.5	4.4	4.2	4.1	4.0	4.5
1999	4.8	4.7	4.4	4.1	4.0	4.5	4.5	4.2	4.1	3.8	3.8	3.7	4.2
2000	4.5	4.4	4.3	3.7	3.8	4.1	4.2	4.1	3.8	3.6	3.7	3.7	4.0
2001	4.7	4.6	4.5	4.2	4.1	4.7	4.7	4.9	4.7	5.0	5.3	5.4	4.7
2002	6.3	6.1	6.1	5.7	5.5	6.0	5.9	5.7	5.4	5.3	5.6	5.7	5.8
2003	6.5	6.4	6.2	5.8	5.8	6.5	6.3	6.0	5.8	5.6	5.6	5.4	6.0
2004	6.3	6.0	6.0	5.4	5.3	5.8	5.7	5.4	5.1				
Civilian labor force (Numbers in thousands)													
Year	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	ANNUAL
1994	129393	129764	129718	129682	130602	132115	132783	132361	131155	131879	131869	131418	131056
1995	130698	131028	131423	131657	131739	133447	134440	133383	132341	132863	132622	132008	132304
1996	131396	131995	132692	132513	133558	135083	136272	135011	134230	135015	134973	134583	133943
1997	134317	134535	135524	135181	135963	137557	138331	137460	136375	136665	136912	136742	136297
1998	135951	136286	136967	136379	137240	138798	139336	138379	137903	138255	138288	138297	137673
1999	137943	138202	138418	138240	138919	140666	141119	140090	139217	139761	139895	139941	139368
2000	141228(1)	141775	142123	142138	142144	143874	143797	143171	142149	142685	142797	143110	142583
2001	142828	143100	143664	143026	143023	144553	145097	143826	143601	144060	143987	144042	143734
2002	143228	144266	144334	144158	144527	145940	146189	145565	145167	145320	144854	144807	144863
2003	145301(1)	145693	145801	145925	146067	148117	147822	146967	146166	146787	146969	146501	146510
2004	146068(1)	146154	146525	146260	146659	148478	149217	148166	147186				
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Unemployment (Numbers in thousands)													
Year	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	ANNUAL
1994	9492	9262	8874	8078	7656	8251	8281	7868	7379	7155	6973	6690	7996
1995	8101	7685	7480	7378	7185	7727	7892	7457	7167	6884	7024	6872	7404
1996	8270	7858	7700	7124	7166	7377	7693	6868	6700	6577	6816	6680	7236
1997	7933	7647	7399	6551	6398	7094	6981	6594	6403	5995	5914	5957	6739
1998	7069	6804	6816	5643	5764	6534	6567	6173	6039	5831	5711	5565	6210
1999	6604	6563	6119	5688	5507	6271	6319	5826	5661	5372	5380	5245	5880
2000	6316	6284	6069	5212	5460	5959	6028	5863	5359	5153	5336	5264	5692
2001	6647	6523	6509	6004	5901	6816	6858	7017	6766	7175	7617	7773	6801
2002	9051	8823	8776	8255	7969	8758	8693	8271	7790	7769	8170	8209	8378
2003	9395	9260	9018	8501	8500	9649	9319	8830	8436	8169	8269	7945	8774
2004	9144	8770	8834	7837	7792	8616	8518	7940	7545				
Employment (Numbers in thousands)													
Year	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	ANNUAL
1994	119901	120503	120844	121604	122946	123864	124503	124493	123775	124724	124896	124729	123060
1995	122597	123343	123943	124278	124554	125720	126548	125926	125173	125979	125599	125136	124900
1996	123126	124137	124992	125388	126391	127706	128579	128143	127529	128439	128157	127903	126708
1997	126384	126887	128125	128629	129565	130463	131350	130865	129972	130671	130999	130785	129558
1998	128882	129482	130150	130735	131476	132265	132769	132206	131864	132424	132577	132732	131463
1999	131339	131639	132299	132552	133411	134395	134800	134264	133555	134390	134515	134696	133488
2000	134912(1)	135490	136054	136927	136685	137915	137769	137308	136790	137532	137461	137846	136891
2001	136181	136577	137155	137022	137121	137737	138239	136809	136835	136885	136370	136269	136933
2002	134177	135443	135558	135903	136559	137181	137495	137295	137377	137551	136684	136599	136485
2003	135907(1)	136433	136783	137424	137567	138468	138503	138137	137731	138619	138700	138556	137736
2004	136924(1)	137384	137691	138423	138867	139861	140700	140226	139641				
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