

26. Unemployed persons by industry and sex

Industry	Thousands of persons		Unemployment rates					
	Total		Total		Men		Women	
	2002 <sup>1</sup>	2003	2002	2003	2002	2003	2002	2003
Total, 16 years and over .....	8,378	8,774	5.8	6.0	5.9	6.3	5.6	5.7
Nonagricultural private wage and salary workers .....	6,926	7,131	6.2	6.3	6.3	6.6	6.0	6.0
Mining .....	33	37	6.3	6.7	6.3	6.3	6.3	9.1
Construction .....	800	810	9.2	9.3	9.4	9.6	7.2	6.7
Manufacturing .....	1,205	1,166	6.7	6.6	5.9	6.1	8.4	7.7
Durable goods .....	789	762	6.9	6.9	6.2	6.6	8.8	7.7
Nonmetallic mineral products .....	31	31	5.4	5.7	4.6	5.4	8.8	6.8
Primary and fabricated metal products .....	144	126	6.8	6.1	6.9	5.9	6.6	7.2
Machinery manufacturing .....	97	84	7.1	6.2	6.6	6.3	8.7	5.6
Computer and electronic products .....	154	154	9.0	8.9	7.7	8.3	11.6	9.9
Electrical equipment and appliances .....	41	40	6.9	7.0	5.5	5.7	9.4	10.0
Transportation equipment .....	136	151	5.3	6.4	4.8	6.1	6.7	7.2
Wood products .....	41	43	7.9	8.0	8.6	8.0	4.2	8.0
Furniture and fixtures .....	53	52	7.3	8.2	5.6	8.2	11.3	8.0
Miscellaneous manufacturing .....	93	81	7.7	6.6	6.3	6.5	9.6	6.8
Nondurable goods .....	416	404	6.2	6.1	5.3	5.2	7.8	7.7
Food manufacturing .....	108	106	6.6	6.3	5.2	6.0	8.9	6.8
Beverage and tobacco products .....	5	11	2.0	4.4	2.2	3.6	1.4	6.7
Textile, apparel, and leather .....	110	99	9.7	9.1	8.1	7.0	11.0	10.8
Paper and printing .....	67	80	5.0	5.8	4.1	5.1	6.8	7.3
Petroleum and coal products .....	13	9	6.9	5.4	7.6	6.0	4.1	( <sup>2</sup> )
Chemicals .....	60	47	4.9	3.5	5.3	3.0	4.2	4.4
Plastic and rubber products .....	52	52	6.0	7.0	5.3	5.8	7.4	9.7
Wholesale and retail trade .....	1,202	1,237	6.1	6.0	5.5	5.6	6.7	6.5
Wholesale trade .....	205	226	5.0	5.1	4.5	4.3	6.1	6.8
Retail trade .....	997	1,011	6.4	6.3	5.9	6.1	6.8	6.4
Transportation and utilities .....	274	283	4.9	5.3	4.6	5.3	5.8	5.1
Transportation and warehousing .....	250	256	5.4	5.7	5.1	5.9	6.3	5.2
Utilities .....	24	27	2.5	3.1	2.3	2.6	3.2	4.6
Information <sup>3</sup> .....	253	246	6.9	6.8	6.8	6.6	7.1	7.1
Publishing, except Internet .....	36	40	4.2	4.7	3.7	4.4	4.6	5.1
Motion picture and sound recording industries .....	38	47	10.3	11.2	10.5	12.2	10.1	9.2
Broadcasting, except Internet .....	27	27	5.0	5.1	5.1	5.2	4.7	5.1
Telecommunications .....	122	113	7.9	7.5	7.3	6.7	8.8	8.6
Internet service providers and data processing services .....	-	13	-	6.8	-	6.5	-	7.1
Other information services .....	24	5	10.2	4.8	12.5	4.3	7.3	5.2
Financial activities .....	320	319	3.5	3.5	3.2	3.6	3.8	3.4
Finance and insurance .....	216	217	3.3	3.3	2.9	3.3	3.5	3.2
Finance .....	144	151	3.4	3.5	3.3	3.7	3.5	3.3
Insurance .....	72	67	3.0	2.9	2.0	2.6	3.6	3.0
Real estate and rental and leasing .....	104	101	4.3	4.1	4.0	4.1	4.6	4.1
Real estate .....	68	71	3.6	3.6	2.9	3.6	4.2	3.7
Rental and leasing services .....	36	30	7.0	5.9	6.8	5.4	7.2	6.9
Professional and business services .....	1,009	1,042	7.9	8.2	7.3	7.9	8.5	8.7
Professional and technical services .....	419	396	5.5	5.4	5.4	5.1	5.8	5.8
Management, administrative, and waste services <sup>3</sup> .....	589	645	11.2	12.1	10.1	11.5	12.8	12.9
Administrative and support services .....	571	626	11.7	12.6	10.6	12.2	13.1	13.2
Waste management and remediation services .....	16	17	4.9	5.2	5.4	4.9	3.1	6.5
Education and health services .....	570	640	3.4	3.6	3.1	3.8	3.4	3.6
Educational services .....	126	145	3.9	4.5	3.7	4.5	3.9	4.5
Health care and social assistance .....	444	494	3.2	3.4	2.9	3.5	3.3	3.4
Hospitals .....	92	92	1.9	1.8	2.5	2.4	1.8	1.6
Health services, except hospitals .....	240	278	3.4	3.8	2.5	3.4	3.6	3.9
Social assistance .....	112	125	5.8	6.3	5.7	7.9	5.9	5.9

See footnotes at end of table.

26. Unemployed persons by industry and sex — Continued

Industry	Thousands of persons		Unemployment rates					
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	2002 <sup>1</sup>	2003	2002	2003	2002	2003	2002	2003
Leisure and hospitality .....	961	1,006	8.4	8.7	8.1	8.6	8.6	8.8
Arts, entertainment, and recreation .....	171	155	8.2	7.8	8.7	8.2	7.6	7.4
Accommodation and food services .....	789	851	8.4	8.9	7.9	8.7	8.8	9.1
Accommodation .....	115	126	7.5	7.9	6.4	6.7	8.3	8.7
Food services and drinking places .....	674	725	8.6	9.1	8.2	9.0	8.9	9.2
Other services .....	301	347	5.1	5.7	5.6	6.4	4.7	5.1
Other services, except private households .....	239	273	4.7	5.3	5.4	6.1	3.9	4.2
Repair and maintenance .....	113	133	6.9	7.8	6.9	8.0	7.1	5.9
Personal and laundry services .....	63	69	4.2	4.5	4.8	4.8	3.9	4.3
Membership associations and organizations .....	63	71	3.3	3.7	3.2	3.5	3.3	3.8
Private households .....	62	74	7.6	8.8	10.3	17.7	7.3	8.0
Agricultural and related private wage and salary workers .....	139	140	10.1	10.2	9.4	9.3	12.6	13.0
Government workers .....	512	568	2.5	2.8	2.7	3.0	2.4	2.7
Self-employed and unpaid family workers .....	265	294	2.6	2.7	2.7	2.9	2.4	2.5
No previous work experience .....	536	641	—	—	—	—	—	—

<sup>1</sup> Industry detail will not sum to total because of minor changes in the industry classification system between 2002 and 2003.

<sup>2</sup> Data not shown where base is less than 35,000.

<sup>3</sup> Includes other industries, not shown separately.

NOTE: Industries reflect the introduction of the 2002 Census industry classification system derived from the 2002 North American Industry Classification System into the Current Population Survey. Beginning in January 2003, data reflect revised population controls used in the household survey.