

A-32. Unemployed persons by reason for unemployment, sex, and age

(Numbers in thousands)

Reason	Total, 16 years and over		Men, 20 years and over		Women, 20 years and over		Both sexes, 16 to 19 years	
	Oct. 2008	Oct. 2009	Oct. 2008	Oct. 2009	Oct. 2008	Oct. 2009	Oct. 2008	Oct. 2009
NUMBER OF UNEMPLOYED								
Total unemployed	9,469	14,547	4,598	7,596	3,620	5,404	1,251	1,546
Job losers and persons who completed temporary jobs	5,138	9,176	3,154	5,718	1,766	3,180	218	278
On temporary layoff	938	1,177	609	791	281	302	48	84
Not on temporary layoff	4,199	7,999	2,546	4,928	1,484	2,877	169	194
Permanent job losers	3,243	6,564	1,928	3,996	1,218	2,442	97	126
Persons who completed temporary jobs	956	1,435	617	932	267	435	72	68
Job leavers	965	938	440	427	438	463	88	48
Reentrants	2,582	3,376	878	1,246	1,250	1,557	454	573
New entrants	783	1,058	126	205	166	204	492	648
PERCENT DISTRIBUTION								
Total unemployed	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Job losers and persons who completed temporary jobs	54.3	63.1	68.6	75.3	48.8	58.8	17.4	18.0
On temporary layoff	9.9	8.1	13.2	10.4	7.8	5.6	3.9	5.4
Not on temporary layoff	44.3	55.0	55.4	64.9	41.0	53.2	13.5	12.5
Job leavers	10.2	6.4	9.6	5.6	12.1	8.6	7.0	3.1
Reentrants	27.3	23.2	19.1	16.4	34.5	28.8	36.3	37.0
New entrants	8.3	7.3	2.7	2.7	4.6	3.8	39.3	41.9
UNEMPLOYED AS A PERCENT OF THE CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE								
Job losers and persons who completed temporary jobs	3.3	6.0	4.0	7.3	2.6	4.6	3.4	4.8
Job leavers6	.6	.6	.5	.6	.7	1.3	.8
Reentrants	1.7	2.2	1.1	1.6	1.8	2.3	7.0	9.8
New entrants5	.7	.2	.3	.2	.3	7.6	11.1

NOTE: Updated population controls are introduced annually with the release of January data.