

A-36. Unemployed persons by age, sex, race, Hispanic or Latino ethnicity, marital status, and duration of unemployment

Sex, age, race, Hispanic or Latino ethnicity, and marital status	October 2009							Weeks of unemployment	
	Thousands of persons unemployed						Average (mean) duration		
	Total	Less than 5 weeks	5 to 14 weeks	15 weeks and over					
				Total	15 to 26 weeks	27 weeks and over			
AGE AND SEX									
Total, 16 years and over	14,547	2,956	3,183	8,408	2,883	5,526	28.1	19.3	
16 to 19 years	1,546	425	473	648	301	347	20.1	11.1	
20 to 24 years	2,243	567	581	1,094	449	645	24.0	14.0	
25 to 34 years	3,373	685	740	1,948	660	1,288	27.3	19.1	
35 to 44 years	2,893	577	590	1,726	604	1,122	28.1	20.2	
45 to 54 years	2,568	382	451	1,735	496	1,240	33.3	26.6	
55 to 64 years	1,505	242	279	985	285	699	33.0	24.8	
65 years and over	419	77	70	272	88	185	35.2	25.5	
Men, 16 years and over	8,462	1,677	1,863	4,922	1,685	3,237	28.3	19.6	
16 to 19 years	866	220	253	392	163	229	22.7	12.3	
20 to 24 years	1,403	334	364	705	306	400	24.5	14.6	
25 to 34 years	1,882	362	428	1,092	353	738	27.3	19.5	
35 to 44 years	1,713	337	364	1,012	364	647	27.7	20.0	
45 to 54 years	1,528	236	261	1,031	301	730	32.7	25.9	
55 to 64 years	839	139	159	542	152	390	33.3	25.2	
65 years and over	231	50	33	148	46	102	37.0	25.5	
Women, 16 years and over	6,085	1,278	1,320	3,487	1,198	2,289	27.7	18.9	
16 to 19 years	681	205	220	256	138	118	16.8	10.1	
20 to 24 years	839	234	217	388	143	245	23.0	13.1	
25 to 34 years	1,491	323	312	856	307	550	27.3	18.7	
35 to 44 years	1,180	240	226	714	240	474	28.7	20.6	
45 to 54 years	1,040	146	189	704	195	510	34.2	27.6	
55 to 64 years	665	103	120	443	134	309	32.6	24.3	
65 years and over	188	27	37	124	42	82	33.0	25.4	
RACE AND HISPANIC OR LATINO ETHNICITY									
White, 16 years and over	10,870	2,370	2,360	6,139	2,176	3,963	27.2	18.5	
Men	6,432	1,374	1,406	3,653	1,313	2,339	27.4	18.7	
Women	4,438	996	955	2,487	863	1,624	27.1	18.2	
Black or African American, 16 years and over	2,675	367	566	1,742	545	1,197	31.9	23.3	
Men	1,436	187	291	958	286	672	32.7	24.7	
Women	1,240	180	275	784	259	525	30.9	21.8	
Asian, 16 years and over	531	92	135	304	83	222	30.1	21.1	
Men	314	47	80	188	50	138	31.9	23.5	
Women	217	45	55	117	32	84	27.6	17.6	
Hispanic or Latino ethnicity, 16 years and over	2,792	720	585	1,488	551	937	25.5	16.5	
Men	1,754	452	371	930	357	573	24.9	16.3	
Women	1,039	267	214	557	194	364	26.5	16.9	
MARITAL STATUS									
Men, 16 years and over:									
Married, spouse present	3,028	580	638	1,811	605	1,206	28.7	20.7	
Widowed, divorced, or separated	1,298	228	233	837	271	566	29.4	22.7	
Never married	4,135	869	992	2,274	810	1,464	27.6	17.7	
Women, 16 years and over:									
Married, spouse present	2,142	435	405	1,302	407	896	30.5	22.0	
Widowed, divorced, or separated	1,427	275	288	863	262	601	29.2	21.3	
Never married	2,517	568	627	1,321	529	792	24.5	15.8	

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.