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D-17. Unemployed persons by reason for unemployment, race, and Hispanic or Latino ethnicity

(Numbers in thousands)

Reasons	Total		White		Black or African American		Asian		Hispanic or Latino	
	III 2008	III 2009	III 2008	III 2009	III 2008	III 2009	III 2008	III 2009	III 2008	III 2009
NUMBER OF UNEMPLOYED										
Total unemployed	9,370	14,854	6,743	11,047	1,960	2,728	298	561	1,718	2,828
Job losers and persons who completed temporary jobs	4,665	9,311	3,421	7,172	947	1,538	124	320	916	1,827
On temporary layoff	1,055	1,538	866	1,278	139	167	15	38	219	298
Not on temporary layoff	3,610	7,773	2,555	5,894	809	1,371	109	283	697	1,529
Permanent job losers	2,661	6,400	1,901	4,909	567	1,074	90	237	438	1,205
Persons who completed temporary jobs	950	1,374	655	985	242	297	19	46	259	323
Job leavers	1,028	927	765	689	175	146	44	53	146	130
Reentrants	2,726	3,378	1,904	2,324	619	769	94	128	485	594
New entrants	951	1,237	653	862	219	275	37	60	171	277
PERCENT DISTRIBUTION										
Job losers and persons who completed temporary jobs	49.8	62.7	50.7	64.9	48.3	56.4	41.6	57.1	53.3	64.6
On temporary layoff	11.3	10.4	12.8	11.6	7.1	6.1	4.9	6.7	12.8	10.5
Not on temporary layoff	38.5	52.3	37.9	53.3	41.3	50.3	36.6	50.4	40.6	54.1
Job leavers	11.0	6.2	11.3	6.2	8.9	5.4	14.7	9.4	8.5	4.6
Reentrants	29.1	22.7	28.2	21.0	31.6	28.2	31.5	22.8	28.2	21.0
New entrants	10.1	8.3	9.7	7.8	11.2	10.1	12.2	10.7	10.0	9.8
UNEMPLOYED AS A PERCENT OF THE CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE										
Job losers and persons who completed temporary jobs	3.0	6.0	2.7	5.7	5.3	8.7	1.7	4.4	4.1	8.1
Job leavers7	.6	.6	.5	1.0	.8	.6	.7	.7	.6
Reentrants	1.8	2.2	1.5	1.8	3.4	4.3	1.3	1.8	2.2	2.6
New entrants6	.8	.5	.7	1.2	1.6	.5	.8	.8	1.2

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.