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(Numbers in thousands)

Employment status, race, sex, age, and Hispanic or Latino ethnicity	2006		2007				2008				2009		
	III	IV	I	II	III	IV	I	II	III	IV	I	II	III
WHITE													
Civilian noninstitutional population ¹ ...	186,499	186,981	187,585	187,995	188,479	188,954	188,904	189,285	189,750	190,219	190,331	190,673	191,092
Civilian labor force	123,994	124,497	124,890	124,677	124,883	125,292	125,206	125,556	125,937	125,987	125,538	126,244	125,905
Percent of population	66.5	66.6	66.6	66.3	66.3	66.3	66.3	66.3	66.4	66.2	66.0	66.2	65.9
Employed	118,974	119,628	119,903	119,681	119,605	119,977	119,692	119,557	119,160	118,101	116,289	115,580	114,765
Employment-population ratio	63.8	64.0	63.9	63.7	63.5	63.5	63.4	63.2	62.8	62.1	61.1	60.6	60.1
Unemployed	5,020	4,870	4,987	4,996	5,278	5,315	5,514	5,999	6,777	7,885	9,250	10,664	11,140
Unemployment rate	4.0	3.9	4.0	4.0	4.2	4.2	4.4	4.8	5.4	6.3	7.4	8.4	8.8
Not in labor force	62,505	62,484	62,695	63,318	63,596	63,662	63,698	63,729	63,814	64,232	64,793	64,429	65,187
Men, 20 years and over													
Civilian labor force	64,536	64,906	65,154	65,191	65,130	65,388	65,375	65,344	65,728	65,628	65,113	65,669	65,642
Percent of population	76.3	76.5	76.6	76.4	76.1	76.2	76.3	76.1	76.3	75.9	75.3	75.8	75.5
Employed	62,284	62,676	62,806	62,876	62,634	62,903	62,779	62,466	62,362	61,611	60,285	59,814	59,535
Employment-population ratio	73.6	73.9	73.8	73.7	73.2	73.3	73.2	72.7	72.4	71.3	69.7	69.0	68.5
Unemployed	2,252	2,229	2,348	2,315	2,496	2,485	2,596	2,878	3,366	4,017	4,828	5,855	6,107
Unemployment rate	3.5	3.4	3.6	3.6	3.8	3.8	4.0	4.4	5.1	6.1	7.4	8.9	9.3
Women, 20 years and over													
Civilian labor force	53,471	53,562	53,819	53,692	54,015	54,156	54,209	54,402	54,568	54,860	54,956	55,163	54,934
Percent of population	60.1	60.0	60.1	59.9	60.1	60.1	60.1	60.3	60.3	60.5	60.5	60.6	60.3
Employed	51,523	51,715	51,963	51,818	52,042	52,146	52,102	52,205	52,172	52,013	51,581	51,461	51,136
Employment-population ratio	57.9	58.0	58.1	57.8	57.9	57.9	57.8	57.8	57.7	57.3	56.8	56.6	56.1
Unemployed	1,947	1,848	1,856	1,874	1,973	2,010	2,107	2,197	2,397	2,847	3,375	3,702	3,798
Unemployment rate	3.6	3.4	3.4	3.5	3.7	3.7	3.9	4.0	4.4	5.2	6.1	6.7	6.9
Both sexes, 16 to 19 years													
Civilian labor force	5,987	6,029	5,918	5,794	5,737	5,749	5,622	5,810	5,640	5,499	5,469	5,413	5,329
Percent of population	46.5	46.6	45.5	44.5	43.9	44.0	43.1	44.4	43.1	42.0	41.8	41.5	40.9
Employed	5,168	5,236	5,135	4,986	4,928	4,928	4,811	4,886	4,626	4,477	4,422	4,305	4,093
Employment-population ratio	40.1	40.5	39.5	38.3	37.7	37.7	36.8	37.4	35.3	34.2	33.8	33.0	31.4
Unemployed	820	793	783	807	809	821	811	924	1,015	1,021	1,047	1,108	1,235
Unemployment rate	13.7	13.1	13.2	13.9	14.1	14.3	14.4	15.9	18.0	18.6	19.1	20.5	23.2
BLACK OR AFRICAN AMERICAN													
Civilian noninstitutional population ¹ ...	27,065	27,192	27,311	27,422	27,541	27,665	27,675	27,781	27,897	28,021	28,085	28,184	28,291
Civilian labor force	17,308	17,493	17,520	17,435	17,524	17,513	17,683	17,733	17,809	17,757	17,679	17,751	17,570
Percent of population	64.0	64.3	64.2	63.6	63.6	63.3	63.9	63.8	63.8	63.4	62.9	63.0	62.1
Employed	15,730	16,026	16,099	15,970	16,135	16,007	16,116	16,083	15,908	15,713	15,364	15,114	14,932
Employment-population ratio	58.1	58.9	58.9	58.2	58.6	57.9	58.2	57.9	57.0	56.1	54.7	53.6	52.8
Unemployed	1,578	1,467	1,421	1,466	1,389	1,506	1,566	1,650	1,901	2,044	2,314	2,637	2,638
Unemployment rate	9.1	8.4	8.1	8.4	7.9	8.6	8.9	9.3	10.7	11.5	13.1	14.9	15.0
Not in labor force	9,757	9,700	9,791	9,986	10,017	10,152	9,992	10,047	10,088	10,264	10,406	10,433	10,721
Men, 20 years and over													
Civilian labor force	7,718	7,802	7,854	7,804	7,932	7,880	7,924	7,951	8,015	7,971	7,948	7,973	7,875
Percent of population	70.9	71.3	71.5	70.8	71.6	70.8	71.3	71.2	71.5	70.7	70.4	70.3	69.1
Employed	7,054	7,198	7,225	7,156	7,356	7,245	7,267	7,226	7,138	6,979	6,770	6,636	6,580
Employment-population ratio	64.8	65.8	65.8	64.9	66.4	65.1	65.4	64.7	63.6	61.9	59.9	58.5	57.7
Unemployed	664	604	629	648	576	635	657	726	877	992	1,178	1,337	1,295
Unemployment rate	8.6	7.7	8.0	8.3	7.3	8.1	8.3	9.1	10.9	12.4	14.8	16.8	16.4
Women, 20 years and over													
Civilian labor force	8,730	8,817	8,842	8,811	8,834	8,826	8,938	9,001	8,978	9,048	8,987	9,035	8,981
Percent of population	64.2	64.6	64.5	64.0	64.0	63.6	64.3	64.5	64.1	64.4	63.8	63.9	63.2
Employed	8,082	8,184	8,279	8,245	8,241	8,200	8,298	8,303	8,202	8,239	8,118	8,012	7,902
Employment-population ratio	59.4	59.9	60.4	59.9	59.7	59.1	59.7	59.5	58.6	58.6	57.6	56.6	55.6
Unemployed	648	633	563	565	593	625	641	698	776	809	869	1,023	1,079
Unemployment rate	7.4	7.2	6.4	6.4	6.7	7.1	7.2	7.7	8.6	8.9	9.7	11.3	12.0

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BLACK OR AFRICAN AMERICAN—Continued													
Both sexes, 16 to 19 years													
Civilian labor force	860	873	824	821	758	807	820	781	815	737	744	743	714
Percent of population	33.4	33.6	31.5	31.2	28.6	30.3	30.8	29.2	30.4	27.4	27.6	27.6	26.6
Employed	594	643	595	569	538	562	552	555	568	494	476	465	450
Employment-population ratio	23.1	24.8	22.7	21.6	20.3	21.1	20.7	20.8	21.2	18.4	17.7	17.3	16.8
Unemployed	266	230	228	253	220	245	269	226	248	243	268	277	264
Unemployment rate	30.9	26.4	27.7	30.8	29.0	30.4	32.7	29.0	30.4	33.0	36.0	37.3	37.0
HISPANIC OR LATINO ETHNICITY													
Civilian noninstitutional population ¹ ...	30,232	30,506	30,966	31,238	31,520	31,809	31,732	31,999	32,274	32,557	32,501	32,754	33,018
Civilian labor force	20,667	20,993	21,386	21,447	21,747	21,829	21,761	22,049	22,174	22,132	22,069	22,387	22,445
Percent of population	68.4	68.8	69.1	68.7	69.0	68.6	68.6	68.9	68.7	68.0	67.9	68.3	68.0
Employed	19,562	19,971	20,236	20,236	20,501	20,554	20,333	20,450	20,436	20,165	19,708	19,691	19,601
Employment-population ratio	64.7	65.5	65.3	64.8	65.0	64.6	64.1	63.9	63.3	61.9	60.6	60.1	59.4
Unemployed	1,105	1,022	1,151	1,210	1,246	1,274	1,428	1,599	1,738	1,967	2,361	2,696	2,844
Unemployment rate	5.3	4.9	5.4	5.6	5.7	5.8	6.6	7.3	7.8	8.9	10.7	12.0	12.7
Not in labor force	9,565	9,514	9,579	9,791	9,773	9,980	9,972	9,950	10,100	10,426	10,432	10,367	10,572

¹ The population figures are not adjusted for seasonal variation.

NOTE: Estimates for the above race groups (white and black or African American) 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.