

**HOUSEHOLD DATA
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED**

Table A-8b. Persons in the labor force and labor force participation rates by age and sex, seasonally adjusted

Age and sex	Number of persons in the labor force (in thousands)			Labor force participation rates					
	Mar. 2024	Feb. 2025	Mar. 2025	Mar. 2024	Nov. 2024	Dec. 2024	Jan. 2025	Feb. 2025	Mar. 2025
Total, 16 years and over.....	167,922	170,359	170,591	62.7	62.5	62.5	62.6	62.4	62.5
16 to 19 years.....	6,704	6,650	6,707	38.2	36.3	37.5	36.3	37.2	37.6
16 to 17 years.....	2,506	2,374	2,474	27.3	24.1	24.7	23.8	24.9	26.1
18 to 19 years.....	4,230	4,275	4,251	50.6	49.8	52.0	50.9	51.3	50.7
20 years and over.....	161,218	163,709	163,884	64.4	64.3	64.3	64.5	64.2	64.2
20 to 24 years.....	15,367	15,626	15,796	72.0	71.5	71.9	72.4	71.3	72.1
25 years and over.....	145,920	148,193	148,158	63.7	63.6	63.5	63.7	63.6	63.5
25 to 54 years.....	107,089	109,212	109,081	83.4	83.5	83.4	83.5	83.5	83.3
25 to 34 years.....	37,172	37,952	37,849	83.6	83.7	83.9	83.8	83.7	83.5
35 to 44 years.....	37,057	38,023	38,075	84.2	84.8	84.6	84.3	84.2	84.2
45 to 54 years.....	32,860	33,237	33,157	82.2	81.9	81.6	82.3	82.4	82.2
55 years and over.....	38,825	38,950	39,078	38.6	38.4	38.3	38.4	38.1	38.2
Men, 16 years and over.....	88,864	89,987	90,244	68.0	67.9	67.9	68.0	67.6	67.8
16 to 19 years.....	3,415	3,393	3,357	38.3	35.3	37.3	36.6	37.3	36.9
16 to 17 years.....	1,194	1,193	1,213	26.2	22.8	23.9	22.6	24.7	25.3
18 to 19 years.....	2,238	2,218	2,158	51.4	49.5	52.5	53.0	52.1	50.3
20 years and over.....	85,449	86,594	86,887	70.2	70.2	70.2	70.3	69.8	70.0
20 to 24 years.....	7,771	7,999	8,054	72.8	73.4	74.3	74.0	72.8	73.3
25 years and over.....	77,745	78,737	78,926	70.0	70.0	69.8	70.0	69.7	69.8
25 to 54 years.....	56,894	57,940	57,974	89.1	89.3	89.0	89.4	89.1	89.1
25 to 34 years.....	19,762	20,039	20,197	89.3	89.3	89.1	89.0	88.7	89.4
35 to 44 years.....	19,711	20,368	20,395	89.9	90.9	90.6	90.8	90.5	90.5
45 to 54 years.....	17,421	17,533	17,382	87.9	87.6	87.2	88.2	88.0	87.3
55 years and over.....	20,851	20,796	20,953	44.2	43.9	43.9	43.8	43.3	43.6
Women, 16 years and over.....	79,057	80,372	80,348	57.6	57.3	57.4	57.5	57.5	57.5
16 to 19 years.....	3,289	3,257	3,351	38.2	37.3	37.6	35.9	37.2	38.2
16 to 17 years.....	1,311	1,181	1,260	28.4	25.5	25.6	25.1	25.2	26.9
18 to 19 years.....	1,991	2,058	2,093	49.7	50.1	51.6	48.6	50.4	51.2
20 years and over.....	75,769	77,115	76,997	58.9	58.7	58.7	59.0	58.9	58.7
20 to 24 years.....	7,596	7,627	7,742	71.3	69.7	69.5	70.9	69.9	70.9
25 years and over.....	68,174	69,456	69,232	57.8	57.6	57.7	57.8	57.8	57.6
25 to 54 years.....	50,195	51,272	51,107	77.7	77.7	77.9	77.7	77.9	77.6
25 to 34 years.....	17,411	17,914	17,652	78.0	78.0	78.7	78.7	78.7	77.5
35 to 44 years.....	17,345	17,654	17,680	78.5	78.8	78.6	77.8	77.9	77.9
45 to 54 years.....	15,439	15,704	15,775	76.5	76.3	76.2	76.5	76.9	77.2
55 years and over.....	17,968	18,167	18,120	33.7	33.5	33.4	33.7	33.5	33.4

NOTE: Detail for the data shown in this table will not necessarily add to totals because of the independent seasonal adjustment of the various series. Updated population controls are introduced annually with the release of January data.