

26. Unemployed persons by industry, class of worker, and sex

Industry and class of worker	Thousands of persons		Unemployment rates					
	Total		Total		Men		Women	
	2004	2005	2004	2005	2004	2005	2004	2005
Total, 16 years and over .....	8,149	7,591	5.5	5.1	5.6	5.1	5.4	5.1
Nonagricultural private wage and salary workers .....	6,484	5,989	5.7	5.2	5.7	5.1	5.6	5.3
Mining .....	21	20	3.9	3.1	3.9	3.4	4.4	1.5
Construction .....	769	712	8.4	7.4	8.5	7.6	7.1	6.0
Manufacturing .....	966	812	5.7	4.9	5.2	4.4	6.8	6.0
Durable goods .....	590	485	5.5	4.6	5.2	4.3	6.6	5.4
Nonmetallic mineral products .....	26	25	5.0	4.9	4.9	4.6	5.5	6.1
Primary and fabricated metal products .....	108	86	5.5	4.4	5.3	4.1	6.1	5.8
Machinery manufacturing .....	80	52	6.3	4.2	6.0	4.4	7.2	3.5
Computer and electronic products .....	99	71	6.0	4.5	5.4	4.0	7.1	5.5
Electrical equipment and appliances .....	33	26	6.4	5.1	5.9	4.7	7.4	6.0
Transportation equipment .....	113	108	4.8	4.6	4.2	4.1	6.4	6.1
Wood products .....	27	33	5.3	6.0	5.4	5.7	5.0	7.2
Furniture and fixtures .....	31	34	4.8	5.2	4.8	4.6	4.9	6.6
Miscellaneous manufacturing .....	74	52	6.1	4.4	5.5	4.5	7.0	4.2
Nondurable goods .....	375	326	5.9	5.3	5.2	4.6	7.0	6.6
Food manufacturing .....	110	95	6.7	6.1	6.3	5.5	7.4	7.1
Beverage and tobacco products .....	15	11	5.7	3.7	6.0	3.1	5.0	5.4
Textile, apparel, and leather .....	85	70	8.6	7.8	7.1	6.0	9.9	9.4
Paper and printing .....	67	55	4.9	4.4	4.5	3.7	5.8	5.9
Petroleum and coal products .....	9	7	5.2	4.6	2.9	4.8	12.3	( <sup>1</sup> )
Chemicals .....	43	50	3.5	4.0	3.4	3.9	3.5	4.1
Plastic and rubber products .....	47	37	6.3	5.4	5.5	4.8	7.9	6.5
Wholesale and retail trade .....	1,197	1,137	5.8	5.4	5.2	4.8	6.5	6.1
Wholesale trade .....	210	182	4.6	4.0	4.0	3.6	5.9	5.1
Retail trade .....	987	954	6.1	5.7	5.6	5.2	6.6	6.3
Transportation and utilities .....	236	232	4.4	4.1	4.3	4.0	5.0	4.8
Transportation and warehousing .....	219	216	4.9	4.5	4.8	4.3	5.4	5.4
Utilities .....	17	16	1.9	1.9	1.6	1.9	3.0	1.7
Information <sup>2</sup> .....	189	163	5.7	5.0	5.4	4.8	6.0	5.3
Publishing, except Internet .....	38	35	4.6	4.2	4.4	3.7	4.8	4.7
Motion picture and sound recording industries .....	35	29	8.7	8.5	9.1	8.7	8.1	8.1
Broadcasting, except Internet .....	22	26	4.2	4.6	3.7	5.0	5.0	4.1
Telecommunications .....	80	62	6.0	5.2	5.5	4.6	6.8	6.2
Internet service providers and data processing services .....	8	8	5.2	4.6	4.4	4.5	6.1	4.9
Other information services .....	5	3	5.5	2.2	( <sup>1</sup> )	2.5	5.3	2.0
Financial activities .....	332	272	3.6	2.9	3.6	2.5	3.5	3.1
Finance and insurance .....	228	183	3.4	2.7	3.3	2.2	3.5	3.0
Finance .....	156	127	3.6	2.9	3.5	2.2	3.6	3.4
Insurance .....	73	56	3.1	2.4	2.7	2.3	3.3	2.5
Real estate and rental and leasing .....	104	89	4.1	3.3	4.4	3.2	3.7	3.4
Real estate .....	72	65	3.5	3.0	3.9	2.7	3.1	3.2
Rental and leasing services .....	32	23	6.1	4.7	5.6	4.5	7.2	5.2
Professional and business services .....	861	792	6.8	6.2	6.6	5.8	7.1	6.8
Professional and technical services .....	298	259	4.1	3.5	3.8	2.9	4.4	4.2
Management, administrative, and waste services <sup>2</sup> .....	563	533	10.6	10.2	10.1	9.5	11.3	11.0
Administrative and support services .....	534	520	10.8	10.7	10.5	10.2	11.4	11.3
Waste management and remediation services .....	26	10	7.6	3.2	7.5	3.3	8.3	2.9
Education and health services .....	617	627	3.4	3.4	3.1	2.9	3.5	3.6
Educational services .....	128	129	3.7	3.7	3.4	3.1	3.9	4.0
Health care and social assistance .....	489	498	3.4	3.3	3.0	2.8	3.4	3.5
Hospitals .....	90	94	1.8	1.9	2.3	2.1	1.7	1.8
Health services, except hospitals .....	279	285	3.7	3.7	2.4	2.5	4.0	3.9
Social assistance .....	120	118	6.1	5.9	8.8	7.0	5.5	5.6

See footnotes at end of table.

26. Unemployed persons by industry, class of worker, and sex—Continued

Industry and class of worker	Thousands of persons		Unemployment rates					
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	2004	2005	2004	2005	2004	2005	2004	2005
Leisure and hospitality .....	972	921	8.3	7.8	8.0	7.3	8.6	8.2
Arts, entertainment, and recreation .....	149	145	7.2	6.9	7.5	7.3	6.9	6.5
Accommodation and food services .....	823	776	8.6	8.0	8.2	7.3	8.9	8.5
Accommodation .....	114	117	7.2	7.3	6.6	5.8	7.6	8.3
Food services and drinking places .....	709	659	8.8	8.1	8.4	7.5	9.2	8.6
Other services .....	324	301	5.3	4.8	5.3	4.9	5.3	4.8
Other services, except private households .....	256	230	4.8	4.3	5.0	4.7	4.6	3.8
Repair and maintenance .....	105	90	6.1	5.1	6.2	5.3	5.6	3.2
Personal and laundry services .....	77	65	4.8	4.1	4.3	4.9	5.0	3.7
Membership associations and organizations .....	74	75	3.7	3.7	3.3	3.4	4.0	4.0
Private households .....	69	71	8.1	8.1	16.7	12.2	7.3	7.7
Agricultural and related private wage and salary workers .....	129	104	9.9	8.3	9.5	7.4	11.2	11.4
Government workers .....	548	534	2.7	2.6	2.9	2.6	2.5	2.5
Self-employed and unpaid family workers .....	303	298	2.8	2.7	2.9	2.9	2.6	2.5
No previous work experience .....	686	666	—	—	—	—	—	—

<sup>1</sup> Data not shown where base is less than 35,000.

<sup>2</sup> Includes other industries, not shown separately.

NOTE: Beginning in January 2005, data reflect revised population controls used

in the household survey. Dash indicates no data or data that do not meet publication criteria.