

**HOUSEHOLD DATA
ANNUAL AVERAGES**

7. Employment status of the civilian noninstitutional population 25 years and over by educational attainment, sex, race, and Hispanic or Latino ethnicity

(Numbers in thousands)

Employment status, sex, race, and Hispanic or Latino ethnicity	Less than a high school diploma		High school graduates, no college ¹		Some college or associate degree						Bachelor's degree and higher ²	
	2004	2005	2004	2005	Total		Some college, no degree		Associate degree		2004	2005
					2004	2005	2004	2005	2004	2005		
TOTAL												
Civilian noninstitutional population ...	27,669	27,871	59,860	60,408	47,556	48,269	31,713	31,763	15,843	16,506	51,852	52,860
Civilian labor force	12,470	12,679	37,834	38,196	34,438	34,974	22,298	22,312	12,141	12,662	40,390	41,180
Percent of population	45.1	45.5	63.2	63.2	72.4	72.5	70.3	70.2	76.6	76.7	77.9	77.9
Employed	11,408	11,712	35,944	36,398	32,977	33,625	21,284	21,380	11,693	12,245	39,293	40,225
Employment-population ratio	41.2	42.0	60.0	60.3	69.3	69.7	67.1	67.3	73.8	74.2	75.8	76.1
Unemployed	1,062	967	1,890	1,798	1,462	1,349	1,014	932	447	417	1,098	955
Unemployment rate	8.5	7.6	5.0	4.7	4.2	3.9	4.5	4.2	3.7	3.3	2.7	2.3
Men												
Civilian noninstitutional population ...	13,523	13,660	27,991	28,652	21,530	21,898	14,757	14,748	6,773	7,149	26,308	26,445
Civilian labor force	7,878	8,000	20,585	21,100	17,054	17,368	11,401	11,434	5,653	5,933	21,789	21,921
Percent of population	58.3	58.6	73.5	73.6	79.2	79.3	77.3	77.5	83.5	83.0	82.8	82.9
Employed	7,276	7,487	19,535	20,127	16,322	16,731	10,896	10,993	5,426	5,739	21,192	21,427
Employment-population ratio	53.8	54.8	69.8	70.2	75.8	76.4	73.8	74.5	80.1	80.3	80.6	81.0
Unemployed	602	514	1,049	973	732	636	505	442	227	195	597	494
Unemployment rate	7.6	6.4	5.1	4.6	4.3	3.7	4.4	3.9	4.0	3.3	2.7	2.3
Women												
Civilian noninstitutional population ...	14,147	14,211	31,869	31,757	26,026	26,371	16,957	17,015	9,069	9,357	25,545	26,416
Civilian labor force	4,591	4,679	17,250	17,096	17,384	17,607	10,896	10,878	6,488	6,729	18,601	19,259
Percent of population	32.5	32.9	54.1	53.8	66.8	66.8	64.3	63.9	71.5	71.9	72.8	72.9
Employed	4,132	4,226	16,409	16,271	16,654	16,894	10,387	10,388	6,267	6,506	18,101	18,798
Employment-population ratio	29.2	29.7	51.5	51.2	64.0	64.1	61.3	61.1	69.1	69.5	70.9	71.2
Unemployed	460	453	841	826	730	713	509	490	221	222	500	461
Unemployment rate	10.0	9.7	4.9	4.8	4.2	4.0	4.7	4.5	3.4	3.3	2.7	2.4
White												
Civilian noninstitutional population ...	21,935	22,072	49,581	49,899	39,306	39,936	26,039	26,108	13,267	13,829	43,405	43,978
Civilian labor force	10,086	10,247	30,925	31,168	28,300	28,744	18,144	18,163	10,157	10,581	33,653	34,080
Percent of population	46.0	46.4	62.4	62.5	72.0	72.0	69.7	69.6	76.6	76.5	77.5	77.5
Employed	9,335	9,579	29,571	29,911	27,262	27,771	17,445	17,515	9,817	10,256	32,799	33,352
Employment-population ratio	42.6	43.4	59.6	59.9	69.4	69.5	67.0	67.1	74.0	74.2	75.6	75.8
Unemployed	752	669	1,354	1,257	1,038	973	698	648	340	324	854	729
Unemployment rate	7.5	6.5	4.4	4.0	3.7	3.4	3.8	3.6	3.3	3.1	2.5	2.1
Black or African American												
Civilian noninstitutional population ...	3,965	4,018	7,460	7,633	5,649	5,689	4,009	3,968	1,639	1,721	3,748	3,861
Civilian labor force	1,568	1,600	5,044	5,182	4,232	4,303	2,964	2,946	1,268	1,357	3,106	3,167
Percent of population	39.6	39.8	67.6	67.9	74.9	75.6	73.9	74.2	77.4	78.9	82.9	82.0
Employed	1,326	1,369	4,606	4,742	3,911	4,008	2,717	2,720	1,195	1,288	2,973	3,057
Employment-population ratio	33.4	34.1	61.7	62.1	69.2	70.4	67.8	68.6	72.9	74.8	79.3	79.2
Unemployed	243	231	438	440	321	295	247	225	74	70	133	110
Unemployment rate	15.5	14.4	8.7	8.5	7.6	6.9	8.3	7.7	5.8	5.1	4.3	3.5
Asian												
Civilian noninstitutional population ...	1,031	1,029	1,630	1,660	1,387	1,402	829	856	558	546	3,989	4,267
Civilian labor force	456	466	1,052	1,027	1,004	1,005	587	600	417	404	3,049	3,307
Percent of population	44.2	45.3	64.5	61.8	72.4	71.6	70.8	70.1	74.7	74.0	76.4	77.5
Employed	429	440	1,005	980	956	972	559	579	397	393	2,960	3,208
Employment-population ratio	41.6	42.8	61.6	59.0	68.9	69.3	67.4	67.6	71.1	72.1	74.2	75.2
Unemployed	27	26	47	47	48	32	28	22	20	11	89	99
Unemployment rate	5.9	5.5	4.5	4.6	4.8	3.2	4.7	3.6	4.9	2.6	2.9	3.0
Hispanic or Latino ethnicity												
Civilian noninstitutional population ...	8,914	9,325	6,172	6,389	4,064	4,269	2,847	2,963	1,217	1,306	2,686	2,813
Civilian labor force	5,553	5,721	4,566	4,750	3,222	3,365	2,251	2,326	971	1,039	2,204	2,298
Percent of population	62.3	61.4	74.0	74.3	79.3	78.8	79.1	78.5	79.8	79.6	82.1	81.7
Employed	5,135	5,367	4,330	4,535	3,068	3,228	2,137	2,230	931	997	2,127	2,232
Employment-population ratio	57.6	57.6	70.2	71.0	75.5	75.6	75.1	75.3	76.5	76.4	79.2	79.4
Unemployed	417	354	236	216	154	138	114	96	41	42	77	66
Unemployment rate	7.5	6.2	5.2	4.5	4.8	4.1	5.0	4.1	4.2	4.0	3.5	2.9

¹ Includes persons with a high school diploma or equivalent.

² Includes persons with a bachelor's, master's, professional, and doctoral degree.

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. In addition, persons whose ethnicity is identified as Hispanic or Latino may be of any race and, therefore, are classified by ethnicity as well as by race. Beginning in January 2005, data reflect revised population controls used in the household survey.