

**HOUSEHOLD DATA
ANNUAL AVERAGES**

5. Employment status of the civilian noninstitutional population by sex, age, and race

[Numbers in thousands]

Employment status, sex, and age	Total		White		Black or African American		Asian	
	2012	2013	2012	2013	2012	2013	2012	2013
TOTAL								
Civilian noninstitutional population.....	243,284	245,679	193,204	194,333	29,907	30,376	12,815	13,296
Civilian labor force.....	154,975	155,389	123,684	123,412	18,400	18,580	8,188	8,584
Participation rate.....	63.7	63.2	64.0	63.5	61.5	61.2	63.9	64.6
Employed.....	142,469	143,929	114,769	115,379	15,856	16,151	7,705	8,136
Employment-population ratio.....	58.6	58.6	59.4	59.4	53.0	53.2	60.1	61.2
Unemployed.....	12,506	11,460	8,915	8,033	2,544	2,429	483	448
Unemployment rate.....	8.1	7.4	7.2	6.5	13.8	13.1	5.9	5.2
Not in labor force.....	88,310	90,290	69,520	70,920	11,508	11,797	4,627	4,712
Men, 16 years and over								
Civilian noninstitutional population.....	117,343	118,555	94,266	94,865	13,508	13,747	6,000	6,225
Civilian labor force.....	82,327	82,667	66,921	66,842	8,594	8,733	4,334	4,547
Participation rate.....	70.2	69.7	71.0	70.5	63.6	63.5	72.2	73.0
Employed.....	75,555	76,353	61,990	62,322	7,302	7,497	4,085	4,294
Employment-population ratio.....	64.4	64.4	65.8	65.7	54.1	54.5	68.1	69.0
Unemployed.....	6,771	6,314	4,931	4,520	1,292	1,236	249	253
Unemployment rate.....	8.2	7.6	7.4	6.8	15.0	14.2	5.8	5.6
Not in labor force.....	35,017	35,889	27,345	28,024	4,913	5,014	1,666	1,678
Men, 20 years and over								
Civilian noninstitutional population.....	108,686	110,017	87,780	88,474	12,189	12,471	5,589	5,815
Civilian labor force.....	79,387	79,744	64,540	64,505	8,256	8,386	4,258	4,455
Participation rate.....	73.0	72.5	73.5	72.9	67.7	67.2	76.2	76.6
Employed.....	73,403	74,176	60,193	60,511	7,104	7,304	4,026	4,221
Employment-population ratio.....	67.5	67.4	68.6	68.4	58.3	58.6	72.0	72.6
Unemployed.....	5,984	5,568	4,347	3,994	1,152	1,082	232	233
Unemployment rate.....	7.5	7.0	6.7	6.2	14.0	12.9	5.4	5.2
Not in labor force.....	29,299	30,273	23,241	23,969	3,932	4,084	1,331	1,361
Women, 16 years and over								
Civilian noninstitutional population.....	125,941	127,124	98,938	99,467	16,400	16,629	6,815	7,071
Civilian labor force.....	72,648	72,722	56,763	56,571	9,805	9,846	3,853	4,037
Participation rate.....	57.7	57.2	57.4	56.9	59.8	59.2	56.5	57.1
Employed.....	66,914	67,577	52,779	53,057	8,553	8,654	3,620	3,842
Employment-population ratio.....	53.1	53.2	53.3	53.3	52.2	52.0	53.1	54.3
Unemployed.....	5,734	5,146	3,985	3,513	1,252	1,192	234	195
Unemployment rate.....	7.9	7.1	7.0	6.2	12.8	12.1	6.1	4.8
Not in labor force.....	53,293	54,401	42,175	42,897	6,595	6,783	2,962	3,034
Women, 20 years and over								
Civilian noninstitutional population.....	117,614	118,875	92,766	93,360	15,076	15,340	6,424	6,664
Civilian labor force.....	69,765	69,860	54,475	54,299	9,433	9,476	3,769	3,954
Participation rate.....	59.3	58.8	58.7	58.2	62.6	61.8	58.7	59.3
Employed.....	64,640	65,295	50,911	51,198	8,313	8,408	3,551	3,774
Employment-population ratio.....	55.0	54.9	54.9	54.8	55.1	54.8	55.3	56.6
Unemployed.....	5,125	4,565	3,564	3,102	1,119	1,069	218	180
Unemployment rate.....	7.3	6.5	6.5	5.7	11.9	11.3	5.8	4.5
Not in labor force.....	47,849	49,015	38,291	39,060	5,643	5,864	2,656	2,710
Both sexes, 16 to 19 years								
Civilian noninstitutional population.....	16,984	16,787	12,658	12,499	2,643	2,565	802	817
Civilian labor force.....	5,823	5,785	4,669	4,608	711	717	162	176
Participation rate.....	34.3	34.5	36.9	36.9	26.9	28.0	20.1	21.5
Employed.....	4,426	4,458	3,665	3,671	438	439	128	141
Employment-population ratio.....	26.1	26.6	29.0	29.4	16.6	17.1	15.9	17.2
Unemployed.....	1,397	1,327	1,004	937	272	278	34	35
Unemployment rate.....	24.0	22.9	21.5	20.3	38.3	38.8	20.8	19.7
Not in labor force.....	11,162	11,002	7,988	7,891	1,932	1,848	640	642

NOTE: Estimates for the above race groups will not sum to totals because data are not presented for all races. Updated population controls are introduced annually with the release of January data.