

**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	2015							
	Less than a high school diploma	High school gradu- ates, no college ¹	Some college or associate degree			Bachelor's degree and higher		
			Total	Some college, no degree	Associate degree	Total ²	Bach- elor's degree only	Advanced degree
TOTAL								
Civilian noninstitutional population.....	24,175	61,712	56,263	35,326	20,937	70,061	44,086	25,975
Civilian labor force.....	10,971	35,322	37,481	22,706	14,774	52,133	32,684	19,449
Participation rate.....	45.4	57.2	66.6	64.3	70.6	74.4	74.1	74.9
Employed.....	10,098	33,402	35,785	21,573	14,213	50,792	31,772	19,020
Employment-population ratio.....	41.8	54.1	63.6	61.1	67.9	72.5	72.1	73.2
Unemployed.....	873	1,920	1,695	1,134	562	1,341	912	429
Unemployment rate.....	8.0	5.4	4.5	5.0	3.8	2.6	2.8	2.2
Men								
Civilian noninstitutional population.....	12,137	30,388	25,664	16,644	9,020	33,471	21,048	12,423
Civilian labor force.....	7,081	20,416	18,772	11,862	6,911	26,429	16,767	9,662
Participation rate.....	58.3	67.2	73.1	71.3	76.6	79.0	79.7	77.8
Employed.....	6,573	19,302	17,953	11,293	6,660	25,776	16,323	9,453
Employment-population ratio.....	54.2	63.5	70.0	67.9	73.8	77.0	77.6	76.1
Unemployed.....	507	1,114	820	569	251	654	444	210
Unemployment rate.....	7.2	5.5	4.4	4.8	3.6	2.5	2.6	2.2
Women								
Civilian noninstitutional population.....	12,038	31,325	30,599	18,682	11,918	36,590	23,038	13,552
Civilian labor force.....	3,891	14,906	18,708	10,845	7,864	25,704	15,917	9,786
Participation rate.....	32.3	47.6	61.1	58.0	66.0	70.2	69.1	72.2
Employed.....	3,525	14,100	17,832	10,280	7,553	25,016	15,449	9,567
Employment-population ratio.....	29.3	45.0	58.3	55.0	63.4	68.4	67.1	70.6
Unemployed.....	366	806	876	565	311	687	468	219
Unemployment rate.....	9.4	5.4	4.7	5.2	4.0	2.7	2.9	2.2
White								
Civilian noninstitutional population.....	18,672	49,012	44,779	27,796	16,983	55,911	35,289	20,622
Civilian labor force.....	8,723	27,790	29,492	17,588	11,904	41,361	26,072	15,289
Participation rate.....	46.7	56.7	65.9	63.3	70.1	74.0	73.9	74.1
Employed.....	8,128	26,508	28,320	16,820	11,501	40,380	25,395	14,984
Employment-population ratio.....	43.5	54.1	63.2	60.5	67.7	72.2	72.0	72.7
Unemployed.....	595	1,282	1,171	768	404	981	677	304
Unemployment rate.....	6.8	4.6	4.0	4.4	3.4	2.4	2.6	2.0
Black or African American								
Civilian noninstitutional population.....	3,271	8,566	7,715	5,135	2,580	5,917	3,801	2,116
Civilian labor force.....	1,228	5,035	5,416	3,526	1,891	4,600	2,967	1,633
Participation rate.....	37.5	58.8	70.2	68.7	73.3	77.7	78.0	77.2
Employed.....	1,033	4,549	5,017	3,242	1,775	4,418	2,850	1,567
Employment-population ratio.....	31.6	53.1	65.0	63.1	68.8	74.7	75.0	74.1
Unemployed.....	196	486	399	284	115	182	116	66
Unemployment rate.....	15.9	9.7	7.4	8.0	6.1	4.0	3.9	4.0
Asian								
Civilian noninstitutional population.....	1,217	2,385	1,919	1,165	754	6,773	4,013	2,760
Civilian labor force.....	497	1,402	1,308	763	545	4,993	2,849	2,144
Participation rate.....	40.8	58.8	68.1	65.5	72.3	73.7	71.0	77.7
Employed.....	470	1,344	1,265	737	528	4,855	2,759	2,096
Employment-population ratio.....	38.6	56.4	65.9	63.2	70.0	71.7	68.7	75.9
Unemployed.....	27	57	43	26	17	138	90	48
Unemployment rate.....	5.4	4.1	3.3	3.4	3.1	2.8	3.2	2.3
Hispanic or Latino ethnicity								
Civilian noninstitutional population.....	10,094	9,261	6,774	4,401	2,373	5,086	3,494	1,592

See footnotes at end of table.

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Civilian labor force.....	5,986	6,444	5,112	3,295	1,817	4,076	2,798	1,278
Participation rate.....	59.3	69.6	75.5	74.9	76.6	80.1	80.1	80.3
Employed.....	5,592	6,064	4,858	3,119	1,739	3,936	2,694	1,242
Employment-population ratio.....	55.4	65.5	71.7	70.9	73.3	77.4	77.1	78.0
Unemployed.....	394	379	254	175	78	140	104	36
Unemployment rate.....	6.6	5.9	5.0	5.3	4.3	3.4	3.7	2.8

¹ Includes persons with a high school diploma or equivalent.

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

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. 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.