

**HOUSEHOLD DATA  
ANNUAL AVERAGES**

**33. Unemployed jobseekers by sex, age, race, Hispanic or Latino ethnicity, and active jobsearch methods used**  
[Numbers in thousands]

Characteristic	2021									
	Unemployed		Percent of jobseekers using method							Average number of methods used
	Total	Job-seekers	Contacted employer directly	Sent out resumes or filled out applications	Placed or answered ads	Contacted friends or relatives	Public employment agency	Private employment agency	Other	
<b>AGE AND SEX</b>										
Total, 16 years and over.....	8,623	7,041	50.3	53.3	14.0	24.8	12.9	7.3	14.5	1.8
16 to 19 years.....	696	630	49.7	55.4	10.4	19.0	6.9	4.0	11.1	1.6
20 to 24 years.....	1,317	1,171	49.5	55.7	12.1	22.5	10.8	6.1	13.2	1.7
25 to 34 years.....	2,092	1,753	50.8	55.3	15.0	22.4	13.6	6.5	14.2	1.8
35 to 44 years.....	1,586	1,266	49.8	52.9	14.1	26.9	14.5	8.3	15.8	1.8
45 to 54 years.....	1,323	1,024	51.7	50.5	15.2	29.1	14.9	8.9	15.5	1.9
55 to 64 years.....	1,138	855	51.1	51.5	15.0	28.8	14.8	9.4	14.8	1.9
65 years and over.....	472	341	47.4	45.6	15.2	25.7	10.8	8.5	17.9	1.7
Men, 16 years and over.....	4,676	3,807	51.5	50.7	13.7	26.2	13.2	7.7	14.5	1.8
16 to 19 years.....	373	342	50.5	51.5	10.3	20.3	7.7	4.8	10.0	1.6
20 to 24 years.....	739	662	50.9	55.1	11.5	24.5	10.6	5.7	12.4	1.7
25 to 34 years.....	1,167	965	52.8	50.7	14.1	22.5	13.9	6.9	14.2	1.8
35 to 44 years.....	852	675	51.6	49.1	13.9	29.0	15.5	8.9	17.0	1.9
45 to 54 years.....	685	523	50.6	49.7	15.3	30.3	15.6	8.9	15.4	1.9
55 to 64 years.....	603	455	52.1	50.1	15.1	30.2	14.6	10.6	15.6	1.9
65 years and over.....	257	186	48.9	43.2	16.3	31.2	11.2	9.4	17.4	1.8
Women, 16 years and over.....	3,948	3,233	49.0	56.4	14.3	23.2	12.5	6.9	14.5	1.8
16 to 19 years.....	323	288	48.8	60.0	10.5	17.5	6.1	3.0	12.4	1.6
20 to 24 years.....	578	509	47.8	56.5	12.7	20.0	11.1	6.6	14.2	1.7
25 to 34 years.....	925	788	48.4	60.9	16.1	22.3	13.1	6.1	14.1	1.8
35 to 44 years.....	733	592	47.8	57.3	14.4	24.5	13.3	7.7	14.5	1.8
45 to 54 years.....	638	501	52.7	51.3	15.0	27.9	14.1	9.0	15.6	1.9
55 to 64 years.....	535	401	49.8	53.0	15.0	27.2	15.0	8.0	13.9	1.8
65 years and over.....	216	155	45.7	48.6	13.9	19.1	10.2	7.4	18.6	1.6
<b>RACE AND HISPANIC OR LATINO ETHNICITY</b>										
White.....	5,854	4,678	50.7	53.4	14.3	25.4	12.1	7.0	14.5	1.8
Men.....	3,222	2,572	51.7	51.2	14.0	26.8	12.7	7.4	14.5	1.8
Women.....	2,632	2,107	49.5	56.1	14.7	23.7	11.4	6.5	14.5	1.8
Black or African American.....	1,756	1,534	50.2	52.8	12.8	22.4	15.5	7.3	13.7	1.8
Men.....	900	782	50.4	48.6	12.5	23.0	14.9	7.2	14.4	1.7
Women.....	857	753	49.9	57.3	13.1	21.8	16.1	7.4	13.1	1.8
Asian.....	529	425	49.2	50.6	16.4	28.8	12.1	11.3	16.2	1.9
Men.....	275	223	52.1	47.6	16.2	30.1	13.3	12.7	15.7	1.9
Women.....	254	202	45.9	54.0	16.6	27.4	10.8	9.8	16.7	1.8
Hispanic or Latino ethnicity.....	1,995	1,584	50.6	50.4	11.1	30.8	12.7	7.0	11.6	1.7
Men.....	1,090	857	53.4	47.1	11.0	32.5	13.1	7.0	10.3	1.7
Women.....	904	727	47.2	54.2	11.2	28.9	12.3	7.1	13.0	1.7

NOTE: The jobseekers total is less than the total unemployed because it does not include persons on temporary layoff. The percent using each method will always total more than 100 because many jobseekers use more than one method. 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.