

**NATION, ALABAMA, COUNTIES, METROPOLITAN AREAS AND CITIES
2013 UNEMPLOYMENT DATA**

		JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	YTD AVG
ALABAMA SEASONALLY ADJUSTED	LABOR FORCE	2,181,055	2,180,812	2,179,552	2,178,107	2,176,524	2,174,765	2,173,167	2,171,405	2,169,270	2,167,625	2,167,180	2,167,665	
	EMPLOYMENT	2,017,941	2,019,734	2,021,069	2,022,206	2,022,526	2,021,523	2,019,444	2,016,769	2,013,925	2,011,611	2,010,357	2,010,100	
	UNEMPLOYMENT	163,114	161,078	158,483	155,901	153,998	153,242	153,723	154,636	155,345	156,014	156,823	157,565	
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	7.5	7.4	7.3	7.2	7.1	7.0	7.1	7.1	7.2	7.2	7.2	7.3	
ANNISTON-OXFORD MA	LABOR FORCE	49,382	49,592	49,095	48,686	48,621	48,782	48,306	47,945	47,597	47,532	47,750	47,576	48,405
	EMPLOYMENT	44,813	45,108	45,144	44,981	44,606	44,201	43,612	43,464	43,317	43,245	43,777	43,689	44,163
	UNEMPLOYMENT	4,569	4,484	3,951	3,705	4,015	4,581	4,694	4,481	4,280	4,287	3,973	3,887	4,242
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	9.3	9.0	8.0	7.6	8.3	9.4	9.7	9.3	9.0	9.0	8.3	8.2	8.8
AUBURN-OPELIKA MA	LABOR FORCE	69,727	70,090	69,744	70,237	70,481	71,053	70,586	70,860	71,016	70,723	70,918	70,841	70,523
	EMPLOYMENT	64,822	65,507	65,552	66,643	66,737	66,440	66,138	66,604	67,153	66,872	67,131	66,946	66,379
	UNEMPLOYMENT	4,905	4,583	4,192	3,594	3,744	4,613	4,448	4,256	3,863	3,851	3,787	3,895	4,144
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	7.0	6.5	6.0	5.1	5.3	6.5	6.3	6.0	5.4	5.4	5.3	5.5	5.9
BIRMINGHAM-HOOVER MA	LABOR FORCE	541,447	544,093	539,519	540,316	541,170	544,833	541,942	539,322	538,371	535,871	541,067	538,757	540,559
	EMPLOYMENT	502,585	506,185	506,103	510,701	509,971	508,129	506,749	503,962	504,659	502,877	509,140	506,968	506,502
	UNEMPLOYMENT	38,862	37,908	33,416	29,615	31,199	36,704	35,193	35,360	33,712	32,994	31,927	31,789	34,057
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	7.2	7.0	6.2	5.5	5.8	6.7	6.5	6.6	6.3	6.2	5.9	5.9	6.3
DAPHNE MA	LABOR FORCE	82,462	83,155	84,642	85,154	86,594	88,233	87,973	86,868	85,558	84,488	84,476	83,755	85,280
	EMPLOYMENT	75,664	76,565	78,971	80,236	81,475	82,374	82,432	81,295	80,053	79,079	79,059	78,313	79,626
	UNEMPLOYMENT	6,798	6,590	5,671	4,918	5,119	5,859	5,541	5,573	5,505	5,409	5,417	5,442	5,654
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	8.2	7.9	6.7	5.8	5.9	6.6	6.3	6.4	6.4	6.4	6.4	6.5	6.6
DECATUR MA	LABOR FORCE	71,576	71,905	71,610	70,966	71,705	72,058	71,306	71,009	71,053	70,782	70,876	70,550	71,283
	EMPLOYMENT	65,782	66,169	66,525	66,513	66,920	66,596	66,021	65,864	66,048	65,905	66,090	65,764	66,183
	UNEMPLOYMENT	5,794	5,736	5,085	4,453	4,785	5,462	5,285	5,145	5,005	4,877	4,786	4,786	5,100
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	8.1	8.0	7.1	6.3	6.7	7.6	7.4	7.2	7.0	6.9	6.8	6.8	7.2
DOTHAN MA	LABOR FORCE	63,856	64,102	63,971	64,116	63,877	64,358	63,837	63,171	63,617	63,665	63,047	62,883	63,708
	EMPLOYMENT	58,673	59,084	59,608	60,242	59,754	59,583	59,297	58,631	59,184	59,406	58,839	58,692	59,249
	UNEMPLOYMENT	5,183	5,018	4,363	3,874	4,123	4,775	4,540	4,540	4,433	4,259	4,208	4,191	4,459
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	8.1	7.8	6.8	6.0	6.5	7.4	7.1	7.2	7.0	6.7	6.7	6.7	7.0
FLORENCE-MUSCLE SHOALS MA	LABOR FORCE	66,964	67,017	66,755	66,754	66,935	67,291	67,396	67,001	67,325	66,883	67,284	66,934	67,045
	EMPLOYMENT	61,180	61,459	62,013	62,584	62,257	61,895	62,097	61,797	62,264	62,037	62,538	62,111	62,019
	UNEMPLOYMENT	5,784	5,558	4,742	4,170	4,678	5,396	5,299	5,204	5,061	4,846	4,746	4,823	5,026
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	8.6	8.3	7.1	6.2	7.0	8.0	7.9	7.8	7.5	7.2	7.1	7.2	7.5
GADSDEN MA	LABOR FORCE	43,687	43,998	43,526	43,563	44,137	44,360	43,824	44,179	43,932	43,481	43,957	43,700	43,862
	EMPLOYMENT	39,888	40,297	40,242	40,637	41,034	40,808	40,410	40,735	40,612	40,314	40,851	40,624	40,538
	UNEMPLOYMENT	3,799	3,701	3,284	2,926	3,103	3,552	3,414	3,444	3,320	3,167	3,106	3,076	3,324
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	8.7	8.4	7.5	6.7	7.0	8.0	7.8	7.8	7.6	7.3	7.1	7.0	7.6
HUNTSVILLE MA	LABOR FORCE	211,397	212,919	211,363	211,268	211,440	212,477	210,822	209,685	209,227	208,524	210,571	209,871	210,797
	EMPLOYMENT	196,448	198,185	198,311	199,665	199,140	198,036	196,976	196,089	196,202	195,545	198,176	197,459	197,519
	UNEMPLOYMENT	14,949	14,734	13,052	11,603	12,300	14,441	13,846	13,596	13,025	12,979	12,395	12,412	13,278
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	7.1	6.9	6.2	5.5	5.8	6.8	6.6	6.5	6.2	6.2	5.9	5.9	6.3
MOBILE MA	LABOR FORCE	188,387	188,445	187,726	187,090	187,617	188,573	187,137	186,436	185,745	184,846	186,544	186,004	187,046
	EMPLOYMENT	170,753	171,113	171,782	172,961	172,734	171,280	170,235	170,008	169,563	169,563	171,449	171,163	171,088
	UNEMPLOYMENT	17,634	17,332	15,944	14,129	14,883	17,293	16,902	16,417	15,737	15,283	15,095	14,841	15,958
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	9.4	9.2	8.5	7.6	7.9	9.2	9.0	8.8	8.5	8.3	8.1	8.0	8.5
MONTGOMERY MA	LABOR FORCE	173,297	174,752	173,885	173,844	174,202	175,256	173,113	172,386	171,349	170,895	172,312	172,012	173,109
	EMPLOYMENT	159,760	161,566	161,962	163,294	163,106	162,148	160,226	159,708	159,054	158,903	160,747	160,553	160,919
	UNEMPLOYMENT	13,537	13,186	11,923	10,550	11,096	13,108	12,887	12,678	12,295	11,992	11,565	11,459	12,190
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	7.8	7.5	6.9	6.1	6.4	7.5	7.4	7.4	7.2	7.0	6.7	6.7	7.0
TUSCALOOSA MA	LABOR FORCE	109,794	109,738	109,482	108,922	108,747	109,014	108,906	108,881	109,057	109,535	109,697	109,896	109,306
	EMPLOYMENT	101,265	101,724	102,232	102,466	101,880	100,742	100,057	101,179	101,948	102,530	102,834	102,923	101,815
	UNEMPLOYMENT	8,529	8,014	7,250	6,456	6,867	8,272	8,849	7,702	7,109	7,005	6,863	6,973	7,491
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	7.8	7.3	6.6	5.9	6.3	7.6	8.1	7.1	6.5	6.4	6.3	6.3	6.9

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AUTAUGA COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	25,794	25,998	25,886	25,916	25,986	26,130	25,858	25,722	25,590	25,584	25,651	25,612	25,810
	EMPLOYMENT	23,972	24,210	24,313	24,526	24,532	24,404	24,191	24,060	24,008	24,001	24,151	24,095	24,205
	UNEMPLOYMENT	1,822	1,788	1,573	1,390	1,454	1,726	1,667	1,662	1,582	1,583	1,500	1,517	1,605
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	7.1	6.9	6.1	5.4	5.6	6.6	6.4	6.5	6.2	6.2	5.8	5.9	6.2
BALDWIN COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	82,462	83,155	84,642	85,154	86,594	88,233	87,973	86,868	85,558	84,488	84,476	83,755	85,280
	EMPLOYMENT	75,664	76,565	78,971	80,236	81,475	82,374	82,432	81,295	80,053	79,079	79,059	78,313	79,626
	UNEMPLOYMENT	6,798	6,590	5,671	4,918	5,119	5,859	5,541	5,573	5,505	5,409	5,417	5,442	5,654
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	8.2	7.9	6.7	5.8	5.9	6.6	6.3	6.4	6.4	6.4	6.4	6.5	6.6
BARBOUR COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	9,097	8,958	8,951	8,909	9,063	9,177	9,364	9,209	9,204	9,190	9,077	8,993	9,099
	EMPLOYMENT	8,053	7,910	8,008	8,075	8,206	8,185	8,374	8,231	8,302	8,331	8,213	8,131	8,168
	UNEMPLOYMENT	1,044	1,048	943	834	857	992	990	978	902	859	864	862	931
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	11.5	11.7	10.5	9.4	9.5	10.8	10.6	10.6	9.8	9.3	9.5	9.6	10.2
BIBB COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	8,720	8,757	8,687	8,686	8,715	8,763	8,788	8,699	8,681	8,642	8,674	8,656	8,705
	EMPLOYMENT	7,957	7,994	8,016	8,070	8,064	8,030	8,028	7,973	8,008	7,991	8,044	8,021	8,016
	UNEMPLOYMENT	763	763	671	616	651	733	760	726	673	651	630	635	689
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	8.8	8.7	7.7	7.1	7.5	8.4	8.6	8.3	7.8	7.5	7.3	7.3	7.9
BLOUNT COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	24,783	24,777	24,714	24,723	24,822	25,111	25,151	24,922	25,044	24,994	24,857	24,745	24,887
	EMPLOYMENT	23,039	23,086	23,239	23,408	23,465	23,392	23,531	23,267	23,457	23,443	23,348	23,230	23,325
	UNEMPLOYMENT	1,744	1,691	1,475	1,315	1,357	1,719	1,620	1,655	1,587	1,551	1,509	1,515	1,562
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	7.0	6.8	6.0	5.3	5.5	6.8	6.4	6.6	6.3	6.2	6.1	6.1	6.3
BULLOCK COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	4,747	4,570	4,685	4,554	4,680	4,703	4,961	4,845	5,012	5,098	4,732	4,748	4,778
	EMPLOYMENT	4,253	4,138	4,293	4,204	4,320	4,271	4,480	4,328	4,528	4,611	4,258	4,283	4,331
	UNEMPLOYMENT	494	432	392	350	360	432	481	517	484	487	474	465	447
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	10.4	9.5	8.4	7.7	7.7	9.2	9.7	10.7	9.7	9.6	10.0	9.8	9.4
BUTLER COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	9,206	9,151	9,145	9,050	9,107	9,249	9,249	9,184	9,219	9,120	9,044	9,039	9,147
	EMPLOYMENT	8,135	8,099	8,203	8,216	8,219	8,231	8,212	8,226	8,303	8,242	8,181	8,199	8,206
	UNEMPLOYMENT	1,071	1,052	942	834	888	1,018	1,037	958	916	878	863	840	941
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	11.6	11.5	10.3	9.2	9.8	11.0	11.2	10.4	9.9	9.6	9.5	9.3	10.3
CALHOUN COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	49,382	49,592	49,095	48,686	48,621	48,782	48,306	47,945	47,597	47,532	47,750	47,576	48,405
	EMPLOYMENT	44,813	45,108	45,144	44,981	44,606	44,201	43,612	43,464	43,317	43,245	43,777	43,689	44,163
	UNEMPLOYMENT	4,569	4,484	3,951	3,705	4,015	4,581	4,694	4,481	4,280	4,287	3,973	3,887	4,242
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	9.3	9.0	8.0	7.6	8.3	9.4	9.7	9.3	9.0	9.0	8.3	8.2	8.8
CHAMBERS COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	15,352	15,375	15,260	15,229	15,300	15,364	15,362	15,211	15,154	15,205	15,220	15,269	15,275
	EMPLOYMENT	13,923	14,040	14,055	14,165	14,191	14,081	13,919	13,973	13,990	14,087	14,124	14,147	14,058
	UNEMPLOYMENT	1,429	1,335	1,205	1,064	1,109	1,283	1,443	1,238	1,164	1,118	1,096	1,122	1,217
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	9.3	8.7	7.9	7.0	7.2	8.4	9.4	8.1	7.7	7.4	7.2	7.3	8.0
CHEROKEE COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	11,383	11,378	11,366	11,380	11,524	11,613	11,495	11,326	11,341	11,428	11,327	11,280	11,403
	EMPLOYMENT	10,444	10,484	10,604	10,726	10,816	10,821	10,722	10,575	10,625	10,742	10,660	10,572	10,649
	UNEMPLOYMENT	939	894	762	654	708	792	773	751	716	686	667	708	754
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	8.2	7.9	6.7	5.7	6.1	6.8	6.7	6.6	6.3	6.0	5.9	6.3	6.6
CHILTON COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	19,415	19,368	19,324	19,227	19,346	19,481	19,482	19,312	19,429	19,418	19,258	19,242	19,359
	EMPLOYMENT	17,932	17,926	18,090	18,136	18,173	18,083	18,196	17,999	18,189	18,208	18,089	18,057	18,090
	UNEMPLOYMENT	1,483	1,442	1,234	1,091	1,173	1,398	1,286	1,313	1,240	1,210	1,169	1,185	1,269
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	7.6	7.4	6.4	5.7	6.1	7.2	6.6	6.8	6.4	6.2	6.1	6.2	6.6
CHOCTAW COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	4,798	4,719	4,812	4,638	4,705	4,683	4,742	4,667	4,757	4,721	4,584	4,613	4,703
	EMPLOYMENT	4,292	4,237	4,402	4,265	4,309	4,231	4,286	4,211	4,325	4,303	4,180	4,197	4,270
	UNEMPLOYMENT	506	482	410	373	396	452	456	456	432	418	404	416	433
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	10.5	10.2	8.5	8.0	8.4	9.7	9.6	9.8	9.1	8.9	8.8	9.0	9.2
CLARKE COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	8,437	8,455	8,356	8,170	8,204	8,347	8,369	8,280	8,277	8,188	8,147	8,191	8,285
	EMPLOYMENT	7,150	7,189	7,210	7,177	7,194	7,122	7,110	7,057	7,118	7,137	7,111	7,163	7,145
	UNEMPLOYMENT	1,287	1,266	1,146	993	1,010	1,225	1,259	1,223	1,159	1,051	1,036	1,028	1,140
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	15.3	15.0	13.7	12.2	12.3	14.7	15.0	14.8	14.0	12.8	12.7	12.6	13.8

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CLAY COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	5,408	5,308	5,376	5,327	5,395	5,421	5,467	5,385	5,460	5,499	5,324	5,347	5,393
	EMPLOYMENT	4,885	4,819	4,946	4,913	4,973	4,934	4,974	4,917	5,018	5,064	4,936	4,934	4,943
	UNEMPLOYMENT	523	489	430	414	422	487	493	468	442	435	388	413	450
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	9.7	9.2	8.0	7.8	7.8	9.0	9.0	8.7	8.1	7.9	7.3	7.7	8.3
CLEBURNE COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	5,917	5,763	5,787	5,793	5,868	5,886	6,047	5,773	5,826	5,849	5,703	5,752	5,830
	EMPLOYMENT	5,351	5,254	5,380	5,431	5,455	5,439	5,505	5,313	5,399	5,433	5,320	5,321	5,383
	UNEMPLOYMENT	566	509	407	362	413	447	542	460	427	416	383	431	447
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	9.6	8.8	7.0	6.2	7.0	7.6	9.0	8.0	7.3	7.1	6.7	7.5	7.7
COFFEE COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	20,812	20,616	20,547	20,426	20,540	20,476	20,695	20,577	20,699	20,538	20,119	20,140	20,516
	EMPLOYMENT	19,237	19,036	19,199	19,183	19,235	18,973	19,251	19,145	19,290	19,147	18,766	18,795	19,105
	UNEMPLOYMENT	1,575	1,580	1,348	1,243	1,305	1,503	1,444	1,432	1,409	1,391	1,353	1,345	1,411
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	7.6	7.7	6.6	6.1	6.4	7.3	7.0	7.0	6.8	6.8	6.7	6.7	6.9
COLBERT COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	23,911	23,928	23,828	23,756	23,852	23,946	23,971	23,855	24,018	23,838	23,972	23,871	23,896
	EMPLOYMENT	21,690	21,776	21,984	22,137	22,007	21,855	21,910	21,824	22,000	21,930	22,120	22,007	21,937
	UNEMPLOYMENT	2,221	2,152	1,844	1,619	1,845	2,091	2,061	2,031	2,018	1,908	1,852	1,864	1,959
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	9.3	9.0	7.7	6.8	7.7	8.7	8.6	8.5	8.4	8.0	7.7	7.8	8.2
CONECUH COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	4,648	4,643	4,684	4,635	4,742	4,828	4,788	4,701	4,742	4,715	4,634	4,585	4,695
	EMPLOYMENT	4,093	4,095	4,198	4,204	4,279	4,300	4,250	4,198	4,239	4,214	4,136	4,088	4,191
	UNEMPLOYMENT	555	548	486	431	463	528	538	503	503	501	498	497	504
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	11.9	11.8	10.4	9.3	9.8	10.9	11.2	10.7	10.6	10.6	10.7	10.8	10.7
COOSA COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	4,419	4,394	4,425	4,457	4,426	4,451	4,519	4,480	4,501	4,475	4,439	4,434	4,452
	EMPLOYMENT	3,987	3,979	4,048	4,111	4,044	4,031	4,063	4,059	4,093	4,068	4,026	4,020	4,044
	UNEMPLOYMENT	432	415	377	346	382	420	456	421	408	407	413	414	408
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	9.8	9.4	8.5	7.8	8.6	9.4	10.1	9.4	9.1	9.1	9.3	9.3	9.2
COVINGTON COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	16,153	15,912	15,952	15,800	15,993	16,219	16,442	16,100	16,349	16,253	15,886	15,724	16,066
	EMPLOYMENT	14,721	14,529	14,789	14,677	14,775	14,838	15,072	14,690	14,999	15,004	14,644	14,474	14,768
	UNEMPLOYMENT	1,432	1,383	1,163	1,123	1,218	1,381	1,370	1,410	1,350	1,249	1,242	1,250	1,298
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	8.9	8.7	7.3	7.1	7.6	8.5	8.3	8.8	8.3	7.7	7.8	7.9	8.1
CRENSHAW COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	6,202	6,105	6,244	6,206	6,282	6,394	6,523	6,347	6,537	6,544	6,184	6,163	6,311
	EMPLOYMENT	5,655	5,557	5,777	5,795	5,838	5,881	5,998	5,844	6,063	6,084	5,734	5,713	5,828
	UNEMPLOYMENT	547	548	467	411	444	513	525	503	474	460	450	450	483
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	8.8	9.0	7.5	6.6	7.1	8.0	8.0	7.9	7.3	7.0	7.3	7.3	7.7
CULLMAN COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	35,613	35,691	35,710	35,593	35,812	36,063	36,059	35,729	36,125	36,002	35,564	35,432	35,783
	EMPLOYMENT	32,853	32,957	33,347	33,487	33,604	33,525	33,608	33,330	33,797	33,710	33,390	33,217	33,402
	UNEMPLOYMENT	2,760	2,734	2,363	2,106	2,208	2,538	2,451	2,399	2,328	2,292	2,174	2,215	2,381
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	7.7	7.7	6.6	5.9	6.2	7.0	6.8	6.7	6.4	6.4	6.1	6.3	6.7
DALE COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	20,986	20,895	20,818	20,873	20,905	20,836	20,907	20,738	20,769	20,677	20,344	20,256	20,750
	EMPLOYMENT	19,243	19,179	19,288	19,524	19,468	19,196	19,347	19,176	19,250	19,197	18,921	18,850	19,220
	UNEMPLOYMENT	1,743	1,716	1,530	1,349	1,437	1,640	1,560	1,562	1,519	1,480	1,423	1,406	1,530
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	8.3	8.2	7.3	6.5	6.9	7.9	7.5	7.5	7.3	7.2	7.0	6.9	7.4
DALLAS COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	16,584	16,474	16,449	16,205	16,467	16,521	16,545	16,133	16,109	16,202	15,950	15,883	16,293
	EMPLOYMENT	14,491	14,482	14,599	14,522	14,613	14,355	14,178	13,936	14,009	14,250	14,115	14,063	14,301
	UNEMPLOYMENT	2,093	1,992	1,850	1,683	1,854	2,166	2,367	2,197	2,100	1,952	1,835	1,820	1,992
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	12.6	12.1	11.2	10.4	11.3	13.1	14.3	13.6	13.0	12.0	11.5	11.5	12.2
DEKALB COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	28,829	28,741	28,913	28,632	28,851	29,211	29,853	28,948	29,422	29,319	28,749	28,932	29,033
	EMPLOYMENT	26,215	26,205	26,638	26,607	26,800	26,880	27,514	26,736	27,306	27,288	26,756	26,933	26,823
	UNEMPLOYMENT	2,614	2,536	2,275	2,025	2,051	2,331	2,339	2,212	2,116	2,031	1,993	1,999	2,210
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	9.1	8.8	7.9	7.1	7.1	8.0	7.8	7.6	7.2	6.9	6.9	6.9	7.6

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ELMORE COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	36,940	37,280	37,039	37,142	37,211	37,387	36,903	36,798	36,526	36,460	36,783	36,685	36,930
	EMPLOYMENT	34,336	34,744	34,811	35,169	35,146	34,974	34,584	34,447	34,290	34,240	34,626	34,526	34,658
	UNEMPLOYMENT	2,604	2,536	2,228	1,973	2,065	2,413	2,319	2,351	2,236	2,220	2,157	2,159	2,272
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	7.0	6.8	6.0	5.3	5.5	6.5	6.3	6.4	6.1	6.1	5.9	5.9	6.2
ESCAMBIA COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	14,332	14,394	14,271	14,267	14,432	14,556	14,351	14,233	14,273	14,223	14,176	13,996	14,292
	EMPLOYMENT	12,931	13,039	13,066	13,194	13,312	13,254	13,077	12,959	13,025	13,047	13,022	12,850	13,065
	UNEMPLOYMENT	1,401	1,355	1,205	1,073	1,120	1,302	1,274	1,274	1,248	1,176	1,154	1,146	1,227
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	9.8	9.4	8.4	7.5	7.8	8.9	8.9	9.0	8.7	8.3	8.1	8.2	8.6
ETOWAH COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	43,687	43,998	43,526	43,563	44,137	44,360	43,824	44,179	43,932	43,481	43,957	43,700	43,862
	EMPLOYMENT	39,888	40,297	40,242	40,637	41,034	40,808	40,410	40,735	40,612	40,314	40,851	40,624	40,538
	UNEMPLOYMENT	3,799	3,701	3,284	2,926	3,103	3,552	3,414	3,444	3,320	3,167	3,106	3,076	3,324
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	8.7	8.4	7.5	6.7	7.0	8.0	7.8	7.8	7.6	7.3	7.1	7.0	7.6
FAYETTE COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	6,496	6,514	6,502	6,439	6,455	6,468	6,460	6,340	6,395	6,286	6,267	6,252	6,406
	EMPLOYMENT	5,913	5,924	6,000	5,989	5,946	5,886	5,858	5,787	5,871	5,782	5,776	5,765	5,875
	UNEMPLOYMENT	583	590	502	450	509	582	602	553	524	504	491	487	531
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	9.0	9.1	7.7	7.0	7.9	9.0	9.3	8.7	8.2	8.0	7.8	7.8	8.3
FRANKLIN COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	13,867	13,764	13,823	13,675	13,687	13,752	13,635	13,560	13,675	13,537	13,613	13,550	13,678
	EMPLOYMENT	12,638	12,583	12,721	12,724	12,685	12,593	12,486	12,386	12,542	12,482	12,592	12,509	12,578
	UNEMPLOYMENT	1,229	1,181	1,102	951	1,002	1,159	1,149	1,174	1,133	1,055	1,021	1,041	1,100
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	8.9	8.6	8.0	7.0	7.3	8.4	8.4	8.7	8.3	7.8	7.5	7.7	8.0
GENEVA COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	11,000	10,914	11,041	11,001	11,052	11,124	11,203	10,977	11,239	11,310	10,839	10,831	11,044
	EMPLOYMENT	10,113	10,055	10,307	10,335	10,332	10,296	10,433	10,202	10,458	10,570	10,112	10,100	10,276
	UNEMPLOYMENT	887	859	734	666	720	828	770	775	781	740	727	731	768
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	8.1	7.9	6.6	6.1	6.5	7.4	6.9	7.1	6.9	6.5	6.7	6.7	7.0
GREENE COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	3,026	3,029	3,016	2,962	2,960	2,992	3,035	3,003	3,031	2,994	2,958	2,950	2,997
	EMPLOYMENT	2,590	2,597	2,618	2,608	2,610	2,575	2,622	2,615	2,664	2,647	2,606	2,612	2,614
	UNEMPLOYMENT	436	432	398	354	350	417	413	388	367	347	352	338	383
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	14.4	14.3	13.2	12.0	11.8	13.9	13.6	12.9	12.1	11.6	11.9	11.5	12.8
HALE COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	6,242	6,081	6,220	6,047	6,137	6,176	6,369	6,201	6,349	6,428	6,101	6,141	6,208
	EMPLOYMENT	5,432	5,325	5,516	5,418	5,454	5,372	5,503	5,456	5,659	5,769	5,441	5,489	5,486
	UNEMPLOYMENT	810	756	704	629	683	804	866	745	690	659	660	652	722
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	13.0	12.4	11.3	10.4	11.1	13.0	13.6	12.0	10.9	10.3	10.8	10.6	11.6
HENRY COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	6,923	6,941	6,941	6,977	6,969	7,059	7,037	6,922	6,976	6,992	6,866	6,839	6,954
	EMPLOYMENT	6,324	6,354	6,430	6,508	6,476	6,468	6,476	6,377	6,455	6,486	6,362	6,330	6,421
	UNEMPLOYMENT	599	587	511	469	493	591	561	545	521	506	504	509	533
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	8.7	8.5	7.4	6.7	7.1	8.4	8.0	7.9	7.5	7.2	7.3	7.4	7.7
HOUSTON COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	45,933	46,247	45,989	46,138	45,856	46,175	45,597	45,272	45,402	45,363	45,342	45,213	45,711
	EMPLOYMENT	42,236	42,675	42,871	43,399	42,946	42,819	42,388	42,052	42,271	42,350	42,365	42,262	42,553
	UNEMPLOYMENT	3,697	3,572	3,118	2,739	2,910	3,356	3,209	3,220	3,131	3,013	2,977	2,951	3,158
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	8.0	7.7	6.8	5.9	6.3	7.3	7.0	7.1	6.9	6.6	6.6	6.5	6.9
JACKSON COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	23,650	23,628	23,620	23,586	23,805	23,916	23,928	23,666	23,819	23,697	23,452	23,471	23,687
	EMPLOYMENT	21,521	21,529	21,790	21,949	22,015	21,913	21,913	21,748	22,021	21,973	21,737	21,749	21,822
	UNEMPLOYMENT	2,129	2,099	1,830	1,637	1,790	2,003	2,015	1,918	1,798	1,724	1,715	1,722	1,865
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	9.0	8.9	7.7	6.9	7.5	8.4	8.4	8.1	7.5	7.3	7.3	7.3	7.9
JEFFERSON COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	316,279	317,862	315,020	315,371	315,695	317,909	315,909	314,675	313,739	312,070	315,863	314,466	315,405
	EMPLOYMENT	292,408	294,725	294,378	297,083	296,470	295,350	294,135	292,798	292,904	291,743	296,154	294,965	294,426
	UNEMPLOYMENT	23,871	23,137	20,642	18,288	19,225	22,559	21,774	21,877	20,835	20,327	19,709	19,501	20,979
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	7.5	7.3	6.6	5.8	6.1	7.1	6.9	7.0	6.6	6.5	6.2	6.2	6.7

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LAMAR COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	5,825	5,896	5,868	5,801	5,864	5,918	5,831	5,774	5,813	5,746	5,659	5,630	5,802
	EMPLOYMENT	5,365	5,405	5,477	5,450	5,491	5,466	5,391	5,336	5,407	5,372	5,307	5,262	5,394
	UNEMPLOYMENT	460	491	391	351	373	452	440	438	406	374	352	368	408
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	7.9	8.3	6.7	6.1	6.4	7.6	7.5	7.6	7.0	6.5	6.2	6.5	7.0
LAUDERDALE COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	43,053	43,089	42,927	42,998	43,083	43,345	43,425	43,146	43,307	43,045	43,312	43,063	43,150
	EMPLOYMENT	39,490	39,683	40,029	40,447	40,250	40,040	40,187	39,973	40,264	40,107	40,418	40,104	40,083
	UNEMPLOYMENT	3,563	3,406	2,898	2,551	2,833	3,305	3,238	3,173	3,043	2,938	2,894	2,959	3,067
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	8.3	7.9	6.8	5.9	6.6	7.6	7.5	7.4	7.0	6.8	6.7	6.9	7.1
LAWRENCE COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	14,327	14,360	14,311	14,154	14,356	14,418	14,364	14,236	14,336	14,283	14,156	14,083	14,282
	EMPLOYMENT	12,972	13,004	13,131	13,118	13,230	13,173	13,135	13,053	13,147	13,144	13,039	12,967	13,093
	UNEMPLOYMENT	1,355	1,356	1,180	1,036	1,126	1,245	1,229	1,183	1,189	1,139	1,117	1,116	1,189
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	9.5	9.4	8.2	7.3	7.8	8.6	8.6	8.3	8.3	8.0	7.9	7.9	8.3
LEE COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	69,727	70,090	69,744	70,237	70,481	71,053	70,586	70,860	71,016	70,723	70,918	70,841	70,523
	EMPLOYMENT	64,822	65,507	65,552	66,643	66,737	66,440	66,138	66,604	67,153	66,872	67,131	66,946	66,379
	UNEMPLOYMENT	4,905	4,583	4,192	3,594	3,744	4,613	4,448	4,256	3,863	3,851	3,787	3,895	4,144
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	7.0	6.5	6.0	5.1	5.3	6.5	6.3	6.0	5.4	5.4	5.3	5.5	5.9
LIMESTONE COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	39,586	39,779	39,521	39,434	39,546	39,663	39,492	39,217	39,251	39,163	39,353	39,211	39,435
	EMPLOYMENT	36,742	36,982	37,113	37,301	37,249	37,032	36,946	36,710	36,838	36,768	37,028	36,916	36,969
	UNEMPLOYMENT	2,844	2,797	2,408	2,133	2,297	2,631	2,546	2,507	2,413	2,395	2,325	2,295	2,466
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	7.2	7.0	6.1	5.4	5.8	6.6	6.4	6.4	6.1	6.1	5.9	5.9	6.3
LOWNDES COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	4,055	4,041	4,053	3,966	3,991	4,046	4,075	4,004	4,021	3,994	3,929	3,925	4,009
	EMPLOYMENT	3,421	3,429	3,474	3,471	3,479	3,450	3,442	3,412	3,436	3,452	3,418	3,430	3,443
	UNEMPLOYMENT	634	612	579	495	512	596	633	592	585	542	511	495	566
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	15.6	15.1	14.3	12.5	12.8	14.7	15.5	14.8	14.5	13.6	13.0	12.6	14.1
MACON COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	8,519	8,489	8,457	8,332	8,368	8,410	8,418	8,482	8,433	8,373	8,365	8,331	8,414
	EMPLOYMENT	7,624	7,671	7,638	7,635	7,615	7,502	7,501	7,618	7,667	7,601	7,602	7,566	7,603
	UNEMPLOYMENT	895	818	819	697	753	908	917	864	766	772	763	765	811
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	10.5	9.6	9.7	8.4	9.0	10.8	10.9	10.2	9.1	9.2	9.1	9.2	9.6
MADISON COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	171,811	173,140	171,842	171,834	171,894	172,814	171,330	170,468	169,976	169,361	171,218	170,660	171,363
	EMPLOYMENT	159,706	161,203	161,198	162,364	161,891	161,004	160,030	159,379	159,364	158,777	161,148	160,543	160,551
	UNEMPLOYMENT	12,105	11,937	10,644	9,470	10,003	11,810	11,300	11,089	10,612	10,584	10,070	10,117	10,812
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	7.0	6.9	6.2	5.5	5.8	6.8	6.6	6.5	6.2	6.2	5.9	5.9	6.3
MARENGO COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	7,713	7,662	7,663	7,608	7,583	7,650	7,731	7,569	7,644	7,698	7,526	7,553	7,634
	EMPLOYMENT	6,878	6,880	6,974	7,005	6,958	6,935	7,027	6,886	7,015	7,073	6,896	6,930	6,955
	UNEMPLOYMENT	835	782	689	603	625	715	704	683	629	625	630	623	679
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	10.8	10.2	9.0	7.9	8.2	9.3	9.1	9.0	8.2	8.1	8.4	8.2	8.9
MARION COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	12,414	12,531	12,556	12,337	12,434	12,591	12,536	12,414	12,740	12,579	12,405	12,305	12,487
	EMPLOYMENT	11,306	11,375	11,602	11,504	11,542	11,576	11,537	11,392	11,655	11,613	11,483	11,401	11,499
	UNEMPLOYMENT	1,108	1,156	954	833	892	1,015	999	1,022	1,085	966	922	904	988
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	8.9	9.2	7.6	6.8	7.2	8.1	8.0	8.2	8.5	7.7	7.4	7.3	7.9
MARSHALL COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	40,653	40,699	40,618	40,487	40,719	41,053	41,118	40,619	40,922	40,509	40,093	39,871	40,614
	EMPLOYMENT	37,353	37,534	37,813	38,014	38,152	38,067	38,278	37,825	38,235	37,899	37,596	37,324	37,841
	UNEMPLOYMENT	3,300	3,165	2,805	2,473	2,567	2,986	2,840	2,794	2,687	2,610	2,497	2,547	2,773
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	8.1	7.8	6.9	6.1	6.3	7.3	6.9	6.9	6.6	6.4	6.2	6.4	6.8
MOBILE COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	188,387	188,445	187,726	187,090	187,617	188,573	187,137	186,436	185,745	184,846	186,544	186,004	187,046
	EMPLOYMENT	170,753	171,113	171,782	172,961	172,734	171,280	170,235	170,008	170,008	169,563	171,449	171,163	171,088
	UNEMPLOYMENT	17,634	17,332	15,944	14,129	14,883	17,293	16,902	16,417	15,737	15,283	15,095	14,841	15,958
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	9.4	9.2	8.5	7.6	7.9	9.2	9.0	8.8	8.5	8.3	8.1	8.0	8.5

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MONROE COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	7,937	7,904	7,857	7,726	7,810	7,912	7,861	7,736	7,710	7,641	7,559	7,541	7,766
	EMPLOYMENT	6,927	6,913	6,971	6,941	7,022	6,978	6,818	6,722	6,784	6,759	6,647	6,637	6,843
	UNEMPLOYMENT	1,010	991	886	785	788	934	1,043	926	926	882	912	904	923
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	12.7	12.5	11.3	10.2	10.1	11.8	13.3	13.1	12.0	11.5	12.1	12.0	11.9
MONTGOMERY COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	106,508	107,433	106,907	106,820	107,014	107,693	106,277	105,862	105,212	104,857	105,949	105,790	106,360
	EMPLOYMENT	98,031	99,183	99,364	100,128	99,949	99,320	98,009	97,789	97,320	97,210	98,552	98,502	98,613
	UNEMPLOYMENT	8,477	8,250	7,543	6,692	7,065	8,373	8,268	8,073	7,892	7,647	7,397	7,288	7,747
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	8.0	7.7	7.1	6.3	6.6	7.8	7.8	7.6	7.5	7.3	7.0	6.9	7.3
MORGAN COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	57,249	57,545	57,299	56,812	57,349	57,640	56,942	56,773	56,717	56,499	56,720	56,467	57,001
	EMPLOYMENT	52,810	53,165	53,394	53,395	53,690	53,423	52,886	52,811	52,901	52,761	53,051	52,797	53,090
	UNEMPLOYMENT	4,439	4,380	3,905	3,417	3,659	4,217	4,056	3,962	3,816	3,738	3,669	3,670	3,911
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	7.8	7.6	6.8	6.0	6.4	7.3	7.1	7.0	6.7	6.6	6.5	6.5	6.9
PERRY COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	3,671	3,568	3,625	3,488	3,531	3,572	3,635	3,538	3,607	3,634	3,456	3,464	3,566
	EMPLOYMENT	3,159	3,109	3,180	3,073	3,084	3,015	3,039	3,004	3,125	3,187	3,006	3,018	3,083
	UNEMPLOYMENT	512	459	445	415	447	557	596	534	482	447	450	446	483
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	13.9	12.9	12.3	11.9	12.7	15.6	16.4	15.1	13.4	12.3	13.0	12.9	13.5
PICKENS COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	7,404	7,362	7,418	7,310	7,359	7,410	7,527	7,441	7,487	7,560	7,378	7,382	7,420
	EMPLOYMENT	6,670	6,637	6,749	6,718	6,715	6,634	6,674	6,693	6,823	6,898	6,745	6,764	6,727
	UNEMPLOYMENT	734	725	669	592	644	776	853	748	664	662	633	618	693
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	9.9	9.8	9.0	8.1	8.8	10.5	11.3	10.1	8.9	8.8	8.6	8.4	9.3
PIKE COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	14,948	14,896	15,159	14,987	14,857	14,796	14,909	14,684	14,900	15,235	14,798	14,913	14,924
	EMPLOYMENT	13,684	13,706	14,058	14,024	13,834	13,533	13,699	13,497	13,764	14,113	13,687	13,817	13,785
	UNEMPLOYMENT	1,264	1,190	1,101	963	1,023	1,263	1,210	1,187	1,136	1,122	1,111	1,096	1,139
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	8.5	8.0	7.3	6.4	6.9	8.5	8.1	8.1	7.6	7.4	7.5	7.3	7.6
RANDOLPH COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	9,034	8,953	9,010	9,112	9,176	9,293	9,485	9,302	9,435	9,417	9,218	9,101	9,212
	EMPLOYMENT	8,180	8,171	8,330	8,514	8,551	8,535	8,638	8,551	8,745	8,735	8,574	8,449	8,498
	UNEMPLOYMENT	854	782	680	598	625	758	847	751	690	682	644	652	714
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	9.5	8.7	7.5	6.6	6.8	8.2	8.9	8.1	7.3	7.2	7.0	7.2	7.8
RUSSELL COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	25,246	25,287	25,099	25,028	25,044	25,047	24,987	24,814	24,794	24,848	25,077	24,949	25,018
	EMPLOYMENT	23,088	23,238	23,223	23,421	23,367	23,142	23,084	23,031	23,093	23,187	23,368	23,259	23,208
	UNEMPLOYMENT	2,158	2,049	1,876	1,607	1,677	1,905	1,903	1,783	1,701	1,661	1,709	1,690	1,810
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	8.5	8.1	7.5	6.4	6.7	7.6	7.6	7.2	6.9	6.7	6.8	6.8	7.2
ST. CLAIR COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	38,860	39,060	38,728	38,817	38,912	39,164	39,010	38,731	38,707	38,538	38,838	38,651	38,835
	EMPLOYMENT	36,126	36,372	36,387	36,737	36,707	36,590	36,535	36,301	36,373	36,252	36,627	36,447	36,455
	UNEMPLOYMENT	2,734	2,688	2,341	2,080	2,205	2,574	2,475	2,430	2,334	2,286	2,211	2,204	2,380
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	7.0	6.9	6.0	5.4	5.7	6.6	6.3	6.3	6.0	5.9	5.7	5.7	6.1
SHELBY COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	107,079	107,785	106,839	107,230	107,286	107,770	107,068	106,618	106,439	105,947	107,202	106,789	107,004
	EMPLOYMENT	101,277	102,076	101,968	102,958	102,775	102,416	102,046	101,541	101,589	101,185	102,639	102,177	102,054
	UNEMPLOYMENT	5,802	5,709	4,871	4,272	4,511	5,354	5,022	5,077	4,850	4,762	4,563	4,612	4,950
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	5.4	5.3	4.6	4.0	4.2	5.0	4.7	4.8	4.6	4.5	4.3	4.3	4.6
SUMTER COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	5,538	5,464	5,479	5,385	5,394	5,511	5,577	5,499	5,520	5,462	5,355	5,371	5,463
	EMPLOYMENT	4,998	4,953	5,012	4,964	4,954	4,896	4,981	4,992	5,050	4,996	4,911	4,924	4,969
	UNEMPLOYMENT	540	511	467	421	440	615	596	507	470	466	444	447	494
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	9.8	9.4	8.5	7.8	8.2	11.2	10.7	9.2	8.5	8.5	8.3	8.3	9.0
TALLADEGA COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	35,873	35,978	35,808	35,769	35,890	36,097	36,066	35,749	35,730	35,522	35,485	35,285	35,771
	EMPLOYMENT	32,585	32,767	32,885	33,050	32,991	32,827	32,605	32,523	32,616	32,516	32,587	32,451	32,700
	UNEMPLOYMENT	3,288	3,211	2,923	2,719	2,899	3,270	3,461	3,226	3,114	3,006	2,898	2,834	3,071
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	9.2	8.9	8.2	7.6	8.1	9.1	9.6	9.0	8.7	8.5	8.2	8.0	8.6

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TALLAPOOSA COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	18,187	18,145	18,294	18,304	18,570	18,883	18,885	18,641	18,500	18,187	18,108	18,078	18,399
	EMPLOYMENT	16,592	16,590	16,880	17,014	17,193	17,301	17,058	17,144	17,054	16,738	16,708	16,633	16,909
	UNEMPLOYMENT	1,595	1,555	1,414	1,290	1,377	1,582	1,827	1,497	1,446	1,449	1,400	1,445	1,490
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	8.8	8.6	7.7	7.0	7.4	8.4	9.7	8.0	7.8	8.0	7.7	8.0	8.1
TUSCALOOSA COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	96,148	96,295	95,844	95,565	95,251	95,428	95,010	95,239	95,221	95,547	96,218	96,373	95,678
	EMPLOYMENT	89,163	89,762	89,967	90,330	89,711	88,736	87,880	89,030	89,466	89,863	90,648	90,670	89,602
	UNEMPLOYMENT	6,985	6,533	5,877	5,235	5,540	6,692	7,130	6,209	5,755	5,684	5,570	5,703	6,076
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	7.3	6.8	6.1	5.5	5.8	7.0	7.5	6.5	6.0	5.9	5.8	5.9	6.4
WALKER COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	26,311	26,484	26,207	26,262	26,394	26,635	26,534	26,365	26,332	26,262	26,375	26,208	26,364
	EMPLOYMENT	23,846	24,006	24,025	24,309	24,317	24,268	24,278	24,083	24,139	24,055	24,239	24,071	24,136
	UNEMPLOYMENT	2,465	2,478	2,182	1,953	2,077	2,367	2,256	2,282	2,193	2,207	2,136	2,137	2,228
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	9.4	9.4	8.3	7.4	7.9	8.9	8.5	8.7	8.3	8.4	8.1	8.2	8.5
WASHINGTON COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	6,899	6,839	6,819	6,666	6,711	6,764	6,680	6,565	6,712	6,692	6,585	6,631	6,714
	EMPLOYMENT	6,022	5,993	6,053	6,014	6,025	5,959	5,904	5,835	6,024	6,040	5,949	5,998	5,985
	UNEMPLOYMENT	877	846	766	652	686	805	776	730	688	652	636	633	729
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	12.7	12.4	11.2	9.8	10.2	11.9	11.6	11.1	10.3	9.7	9.7	9.5	10.9
WILCOX COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	2,883	2,828	2,805	2,718	2,711	2,817	2,859	2,763	2,803	2,762	2,680	2,727	2,780
	EMPLOYMENT	2,279	2,246	2,273	2,239	2,237	2,245	2,258	2,206	2,279	2,255	2,186	2,223	2,244
	UNEMPLOYMENT	604	582	532	479	474	572	601	557	524	507	494	504	536
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	21.0	20.6	19.0	17.6	17.5	20.3	21.0	20.2	18.7	18.4	18.4	18.5	19.3
WINSTON COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	9,546	9,559	9,563	9,505	9,608	9,712	9,590	9,562	9,814	9,854	9,777	9,644	9,644
	EMPLOYMENT	8,519	8,588	8,723	8,747	8,731	8,744	8,648	8,637	8,883	8,973	8,872	8,784	8,737
	UNEMPLOYMENT	1,027	971	840	758	877	968	942	925	931	881	905	860	907
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	10.8	10.2	8.8	8.0	9.1	10.0	9.8	9.7	9.5	8.9	9.3	8.9	9.4
UNITED STATES SEASONALLY ADJUSTED	LABOR FORCE	155,763,000	155,312,000	155,005,000	155,394,000	155,536,000	155,749,000	155,599,000	155,605,000	155,687,000	154,673,000	155,265,000	155,182,000	
	EMPLOYMENT	143,292,000	143,362,000	143,316,000	143,635,000	143,882,000	143,999,000	144,264,000	144,326,000	144,418,000	143,537,000	144,479,000	144,778,000	
	UNEMPLOYMENT	12,471,000	11,950,000	11,689,000	11,760,000	11,654,000	11,751,000	11,335,000	11,279,000	11,270,000	11,136,000	10,787,000	10,404,000	
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	8.0	7.7	7.5	7.6	7.5	7.5	7.3	7.2	7.2	7.2	6.9	6.7	

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UNADJUSTED ALABAMA	LABOR FORCE	2,176,822	2,182,979	2,174,709	2,170,976	2,178,994	2,193,440	2,184,111	2,169,887	2,169,620	2,161,146	2,166,144	2,159,172	2,174,000
	EMPLOYMENT	1,998,763	2,009,964	2,020,714	2,034,284	2,034,267	2,024,467	2,017,537	2,007,985	2,014,676	2,010,180	2,019,217	2,012,465	2,017,043
	UNEMPLOYMENT	178,059	173,015	153,995	136,692	144,727	168,973	166,574	161,902	154,944	150,966	146,927	146,707	156,957
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	8.2	7.9	7.1	6.3	6.6	7.7	7.6	7.5	7.1	7.0	6.8	6.8	7.2
UNADJUSTED UNITED STATES	LABOR FORCE	154,794,000	154,727,000	154,512,000	154,739,000	155,734,000	157,089,000	157,196,000	155,971,000	155,536,000	154,918,000	155,046,000	154,408,000	155,389,000
	EMPLOYMENT	141,614,000	142,228,000	142,698,000	143,724,000	144,432,000	144,841,000	145,113,000	144,509,000	144,651,000	144,144,000	144,775,000	144,423,000	143,929,000
	UNEMPLOYMENT	13,181,000	12,500,000	11,815,000	11,014,000	11,302,000	12,248,000	12,083,000	11,462,000	10,885,000	10,773,000	10,271,000	9,984,000	11,460,000
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	8.5	8.1	7.6	7.1	7.3	7.8	7.7	7.3	7.0	7.0	6.6	6.5	7.4

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ALABASTER CITY	LABOR FORCE	16,828	16,928	16,798	16,866	16,884	16,956	16,835	16,775	16,724	16,675	16,865	16,818	16,830
	EMPLOYMENT	15,967	16,093	16,076	16,232	16,203	16,147	16,088	16,009	16,016	15,953	16,182	16,109	16,090
	UNEMPLOYMENT	861	835	722	634	681	809	747	766	708	722	683	709	740
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	5.1	4.9	4.3	3.8	4.0	4.8	4.4	4.6	4.2	4.3	4.0	4.2	4.4
ANNISTON CITY	LABOR FORCE	9,079	9,055	8,967	8,910	8,911	8,938	8,901	8,847	8,728	8,718	8,737	8,706	8,875
	EMPLOYMENT	8,068	8,121	8,127	8,098	8,030	7,957	7,851	7,825	7,798	7,785	7,881	7,865	7,951
	UNEMPLOYMENT	1,011	934	840	812	881	981	1,050	1,022	930	933	856	841	924
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	11.1	10.3	9.4	9.1	9.9	11.0	11.8	11.6	10.7	10.7	9.8	9.7	10.4
AUBURN CITY	LABOR FORCE	27,261	27,283	27,208	27,415	27,499	27,806	27,592	27,667	27,654	27,612	27,653	27,639	27,525
	EMPLOYMENT	25,275	25,542	25,559	25,985	26,021	25,905	25,788	25,969	26,183	26,074	26,175	26,103	25,882
	UNEMPLOYMENT	1,986	1,741	1,649	1,430	1,478	1,901	1,804	1,698	1,471	1,538	1,478	1,536	1,643
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	7.3	6.4	6.1	5.2	5.4	6.8	6.5	6.1	5.3	5.6	5.3	5.6	6.0
BESSEMER CITY	LABOR FORCE	10,253	10,288	10,172	10,152	10,126	10,279	10,225	10,160	10,198	10,129	10,225	10,175	10,198
	EMPLOYMENT	9,155	9,228	9,217	9,302	9,282	9,247	9,209	9,168	9,171	9,134	9,273	9,235	9,218
	UNEMPLOYMENT	1,098	1,060	955	850	844	1,032	1,016	992	1,027	995	952	940	980
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	10.7	10.3	9.4	8.4	8.3	10.0	9.9	9.8	10.1	9.8	9.3	9.2	9.6
BIRMINGHAM CITY	LABOR FORCE	94,491	94,859	94,008	93,956	94,079	95,084	94,557	94,122	93,691	93,128	94,356	93,856	94,182
	EMPLOYMENT	85,783	86,462	86,360	87,154	86,975	86,647	86,291	85,898	85,930	85,589	86,882	86,532	86,375
	UNEMPLOYMENT	8,708	8,397	7,648	6,802	7,104	8,437	8,266	8,224	7,761	7,539	7,474	7,324	7,807
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	9.2	8.9	8.1	7.2	7.6	8.9	8.7	8.7	8.3	8.1	7.9	7.8	8.3
DECATUR CITY	LABOR FORCE	27,219	27,087	27,265	27,107	27,403	27,549	27,220	27,122	27,149	26,995	27,100	26,982	27,183
	EMPLOYMENT	25,230	25,399	25,509	25,510	25,650	25,523	25,266	25,230	25,273	25,206	25,346	25,223	25,364
	UNEMPLOYMENT	1,989	1,688	1,756	1,597	1,753	2,026	1,954	1,892	1,876	1,789	1,754	1,759	1,819
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	7.3	6.2	6.4	5.9	6.4	7.4	7.2	7.0	6.9	6.6	6.5	6.5	6.7
DOTHAN CITY	LABOR FORCE	29,956	30,128	29,952	30,090	29,876	30,086	29,730	29,519	29,642	29,585	29,544	29,452	29,797
	EMPLOYMENT	27,627	27,905	28,035	28,379	28,089	27,998	27,728	27,507	27,650	27,698	27,699	27,631	27,829
	UNEMPLOYMENT	2,329	2,223	1,917	1,711	1,787	2,088	2,002	2,012	1,992	1,887	1,845	1,821	1,968
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	7.8	7.4	6.4	5.7	6.0	6.9	6.7	6.8	6.7	6.4	6.2	6.2	6.6
ENTERPRISE CITY	LABOR FORCE	10,857	10,723	10,689	10,612	10,681	10,657	10,744	10,720	10,791	10,737	10,507	10,510	10,686
	EMPLOYMENT	10,065	9,961	10,046	10,040	10,066	9,929	10,073	10,017	10,092	10,018	9,820	9,834	9,997
	UNEMPLOYMENT	792	762	643	572	615	728	671	703	699	719	687	676	689
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	7.3	7.1	6.0	5.4	5.8	6.8	6.2	6.6	6.5	6.7	6.5	6.4	6.4
FLORENCE CITY	LABOR FORCE	18,514	18,590	18,566	18,567	18,559	18,686	18,645	18,529	18,530	18,436	18,576	18,495	18,558
	EMPLOYMENT	17,019	17,102	17,251	17,431	17,346	17,256	17,319	17,227	17,352	17,284	17,419	17,283	17,274
	UNEMPLOYMENT	1,495	1,488	1,315	1,136	1,213	1,430	1,326	1,302	1,178	1,152	1,157	1,212	1,284
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	8.1	8.0	7.1	6.1	6.5	7.7	7.1	7.0	6.4	6.2	6.2	6.6	6.9
GADSDEN CITY	LABOR FORCE	14,009	14,104	13,922	13,988	14,176	14,296	14,122	14,250	14,148	13,940	14,086	13,995	14,087
	EMPLOYMENT	12,608	12,737	12,719	12,844	12,970	12,898	12,773	12,875	12,836	12,742	12,912	12,840	12,813
	UNEMPLOYMENT	1,401	1,367	1,203	1,144	1,206	1,398	1,349	1,375	1,312	1,198	1,174	1,155	1,274
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	10.0	9.7	8.6	8.2	8.5	9.8	9.6	9.6	9.3	8.6	8.3	8.3	9.0
HOMEWOOD CITY	LABOR FORCE	14,149	14,211	14,129	14,195	14,182	14,244	14,163	14,104	14,096	14,027	14,168	14,158	14,152
	EMPLOYMENT	13,429	13,535	13,519	13,643	13,615	13,564	13,508	13,446	13,451	13,398	13,601	13,546	13,521
	UNEMPLOYMENT	720	676	610	552	567	680	655	658	645	629	567	612	631
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	5.1	4.8	4.3	3.9	4.0	4.8	4.6	4.7	4.6	4.5	4.0	4.3	4.5
HOOVER CITY	LABOR FORCE	44,084	44,434	44,077	44,253	44,260	44,393	44,120	43,929	43,900	43,722	44,216	44,048	44,120
	EMPLOYMENT	41,910	42,241	42,193	42,587	42,502	42,345	42,176	41,981	41,997	41,830	42,454	42,277	42,208
	UNEMPLOYMENT	2,174	2,193	1,884	1,666	1,758	2,048	1,944	1,948	1,903	1,892	1,762	1,771	1,912
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	4.9	4.9	4.3	3.8	4.0	4.6	4.4	4.4	4.3	4.3	4.0	4.0	4.3
HUNTSVILLE CITY	LABOR FORCE	91,553	92,222	91,482	91,485	91,634	92,170	91,477	90,850	90,443	90,104	91,185	90,821	91,286
	EMPLOYMENT	85,029	85,824	85,825	86,443	86,193	85,720	85,205	84,857	84,851	84,540	85,796	85,474	85,480
	UNEMPLOYMENT	6,524	6,398	5,657	5,042	5,441	6,450	6,272	5,993	5,592	5,564	5,389	5,347	5,806
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	7.1	6.9	6.2	5.5	5.9	7.0	6.9	6.6	6.2	6.2	5.9	5.9	6.4

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MADISON CITY	LABOR FORCE	23,349	23,512	23,406	23,431	23,410	23,449	23,245	23,194	23,142	23,075	23,327	23,250	23,316
	EMPLOYMENT	22,045	22,247	22,252	22,410	22,347	22,223	22,094	22,002	22,005	21,926	22,242	22,160	22,163
	UNEMPLOYMENT	1,304	1,265	1,154	1,021	1,063	1,226	1,151	1,192	1,137	1,149	1,085	1,090	1,153
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	5.6	5.4	4.9	4.4	4.5	5.2	5.0	5.1	4.9	5.0	4.7	4.7	4.9
MOBILE CITY	LABOR FORCE	88,202	88,215	87,917	87,595	87,983	88,482	87,886	87,482	87,154	86,747	87,555	87,239	87,705
	EMPLOYMENT	79,806	79,975	80,287	80,838	80,732	80,053	79,564	79,463	79,458	79,250	80,132	79,998	79,963
	UNEMPLOYMENT	8,396	8,240	7,630	6,757	7,251	8,429	8,322	8,019	7,696	7,497	7,423	7,241	7,742
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	9.5	9.3	8.7	7.7	8.2	9.5	9.5	9.2	8.8	8.6	8.5	8.3	8.8
MONTGOMERY CITY	LABOR FORCE	93,775	94,515	94,081	94,030	94,186	94,766	93,537	93,128	92,591	92,285	93,266	93,133	93,608
	EMPLOYMENT	86,293	87,307	87,467	88,139	87,982	87,428	86,274	86,080	85,667	85,571	86,752	86,708	86,806
	UNEMPLOYMENT	7,482	7,208	6,614	5,891	6,204	7,338	7,263	7,048	6,924	6,714	6,514	6,425	6,802
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	8.0	7.6	7.0	6.3	6.6	7.7	7.8	7.6	7.5	7.3	7.0	6.9	7.3
OPELIKA CITY	LABOR FORCE	13,367	13,470	13,402	13,487	13,560	13,626	13,533	13,603	13,640	13,542	13,563	13,563	13,529
	EMPLOYMENT	12,382	12,513	12,521	12,730	12,748	12,691	12,633	12,722	12,827	12,773	12,823	12,788	12,679
	UNEMPLOYMENT	985	957	881	757	812	935	900	881	813	769	740	775	850
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	7.4	7.1	6.6	5.6	6.0	6.9	6.7	6.5	6.0	5.7	5.5	5.7	6.3
PHENIX CITY	LABOR FORCE	15,851	15,925	15,780	15,839	15,856	15,836	15,759	15,681	15,750	15,737	15,844	15,762	15,802
	EMPLOYMENT	14,693	14,797	14,790	14,932	14,906	14,773	14,732	14,717	14,768	14,811	14,919	14,853	14,808
	UNEMPLOYMENT	1,158	1,128	990	907	950	1,063	1,027	964	982	926	925	909	994
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	7.3	7.1	6.3	5.7	6.0	6.7	6.5	6.1	6.2	5.9	5.8	5.8	6.3
PRATVILLE CITY	LABOR FORCE	16,739	16,895	16,815	16,868	16,908	16,981	16,794	16,691	16,619	16,601	16,630	16,580	16,761
	EMPLOYMENT	15,699	15,857	15,922	16,064	16,066	15,982	15,841	15,757	15,720	15,714	15,817	15,780	15,852
	UNEMPLOYMENT	1,040	1,038	893	804	842	999	953	934	899	887	813	800	909
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	6.2	6.1	5.3	4.8	5.0	5.9	5.7	5.6	5.4	5.3	4.9	4.8	5.4
PRICHARD CITY	LABOR FORCE	8,474	8,483	8,423	8,340	8,361	8,551	8,488	8,389	8,350	8,271	8,357	8,345	8,403
	EMPLOYMENT	7,314	7,330	7,358	7,409	7,399	7,337	7,292	7,283	7,282	7,263	7,344	7,332	7,329
	UNEMPLOYMENT	1,160	1,153	1,065	931	962	1,214	1,196	1,106	1,068	1,008	1,013	1,013	1,074
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	13.7	13.6	12.6	11.2	11.5	14.2	14.1	13.2	12.8	12.2	12.1	12.1	12.8
SELMA CITY	LABOR FORCE	6,939	6,950	6,959	6,819	6,938	7,012	6,992	6,795	6,773	6,839	6,725	6,687	6,870
	EMPLOYMENT	6,054	6,050	6,099	6,067	6,105	5,997	5,923	5,822	5,852	5,953	5,897	5,875	5,975
	UNEMPLOYMENT	885	900	860	752	833	1,015	1,069	973	921	886	828	812	895
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	12.8	12.9	12.4	11.0	12.0	14.5	15.3	14.3	13.6	13.0	12.3	12.1	13.0
TUSCALOOSA CITY	LABOR FORCE	43,481	43,338	43,146	43,073	42,919	43,195	42,807	42,993	42,878	43,093	43,370	43,494	43,149
	EMPLOYMENT	39,983	40,251	40,343	40,506	40,228	39,791	39,407	39,923	40,118	40,296	40,648	40,658	40,179
	UNEMPLOYMENT	3,498	3,087	2,803	2,567	2,691	3,404	3,400	3,070	2,760	2,797	2,722	2,836	2,970
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	8.0	7.1	6.5	6.0	6.3	7.9	7.9	7.1	6.4	6.5	6.3	6.5	6.9
VESTAVIA HILLS CITY	LABOR FORCE	17,408	17,541	17,379	17,454	17,454	17,482	17,348	17,304	17,270	17,204	17,419	17,354	17,385
	EMPLOYMENT	16,626	16,758	16,738	16,892	16,857	16,793	16,724	16,648	16,654	16,588	16,839	16,771	16,741
	UNEMPLOYMENT	782	783	641	562	597	689	624	656	616	616	580	583	644
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	4.5	4.5	3.7	3.2	3.4	3.9	3.6	3.8	3.6	3.6	3.3	3.4	3.7