

METROPOLITAN AREAS AUGUST 2017 UNEMPLOYMENT DATA

Area	Civilian Labor Force			Employment			Unemployment			Unemployment Rate		
	Aug p 2017	Jul r 2017	Aug r 2016	Aug p 2017	Jul r 2017	Aug r 2016	Aug p 2017	Jul r 2017	Aug r 2016	Aug p 2017	Jul r 2017	Aug r 2016
Anniston-Oxford-Jacksonville MA	45,393	45,663	45,787	43,185	43,168	42,664	2,208	2,495	3,123	4.9%	5.5%	6.8%
Auburn-Opelika MA	73,784	74,011	73,352	70,931	70,838	69,334	2,853	3,173	4,018	3.9%	4.3%	5.5%
Birmingham-Hoover MA	533,084	540,050	535,382	512,161	516,384	504,061	20,923	23,666	31,321	3.9%	4.4%	5.9%
Daphne-Fairhope-Foley MA	92,291	93,777	91,338	88,808	90,008	86,386	3,483	3,769	4,952	3.8%	4.0%	5.4%
Decatur MA	68,611	69,058	68,802	65,780	65,858	64,681	2,831	3,200	4,121	4.1%	4.6%	6.0%
Dothan MA	62,329	62,557	62,852	59,679	59,642	58,975	2,650	2,915	3,877	4.3%	4.7%	6.2%
Florence-Muscle Shoals MA	65,603	66,079	66,716	62,540	62,606	62,193	3,063	3,473	4,523	4.7%	5.3%	6.8%
Gadsden MA	43,797	44,088	43,538	41,906	41,943	40,815	1,891	2,145	2,723	4.3%	4.9%	6.3%
Huntsville MA	216,081	216,336	212,978	207,999	207,177	201,447	8,082	9,159	11,531	3.7%	4.2%	5.4%
Mobile MA	181,101	183,004	183,688	171,735	172,236	170,618	9,366	10,768	13,070	5.2%	5.9%	7.1%
Montgomery MA	170,426	172,060	170,887	163,370	163,615	160,680	7,056	8,445	10,207	4.1%	4.9%	6.0%
Tuscaloosa MA	112,894	113,567	112,726	108,156	107,676	105,599	4,738	5,891	7,127	4.2%	5.2%	6.3%

Counties and Metropolitan Areas are comparable to the not seasonally adjusted labor force data.

Estimates prepared by the Alabama Department of Labor in cooperation with the Bureau of Labor Statistics, based on a 2016 benchmark.