

**NATION, ALABAMA, COUNTIES, METROPOLITAN AREAS AND CITIES
2014 UNEMPLOYMENT DATA**

		JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	YTD AVG
ALABAMA SEASONALLY ADJUSTED	LABOR FORCE	2,167,589	2,168,122	2,167,611	2,165,472	2,162,335	2,159,591	2,157,687	2,156,791	2,156,474	2,155,862	2,154,576	2,153,458	
	EMPLOYMENT	2,010,442	2,011,318	2,011,797	2,011,409	2,010,805	2,011,006	2,012,088	2,013,967	2,016,370	2,018,798	2,020,730	2,022,147	
	UNEMPLOYMENT	157,147	156,804	155,814	154,063	151,530	148,585	145,599	142,824	140,104	137,064	133,846	131,311	
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	7.2	7.2	7.2	7.1	7.0	6.9	6.7	6.6	6.5	6.4	6.2	6.1	
ANNISTON-OXFORD MA	LABOR FORCE	47,153	47,898	47,925	47,516	47,482	47,600	47,488	47,015	46,331	47,008	46,930	46,496	47,237
	EMPLOYMENT	42,914	43,536	43,732	43,935	43,705	43,518	43,397	43,204	42,917	43,637	43,694	43,417	43,467
	UNEMPLOYMENT	4,239	4,362	4,193	3,581	3,777	4,082	4,091	3,811	3,414	3,371	3,236	3,079	3,770
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	9.0	9.1	8.7	7.5	8.0	8.6	8.6	8.1	7.4	7.2	6.9	6.6	8.0
AUBURN-OPELIKA MA	LABOR FORCE	70,808	71,285	71,417	71,098	70,961	71,477	71,003	71,067	71,108	72,130	72,158	71,641	71,346
	EMPLOYMENT	66,306	66,706	66,973	67,455	67,228	66,954	66,622	66,844	67,521	68,499	68,799	68,391	67,358
	UNEMPLOYMENT	4,502	4,579	4,444	3,643	3,733	4,523	4,381	4,223	3,587	3,631	3,359	3,250	3,988
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	6.4	6.4	6.2	5.1	5.3	6.3	6.2	5.9	5.0	5.0	4.7	4.5	5.6
BIRMINGHAM-HOOVER MA	LABOR FORCE	535,762	539,319	539,247	537,092	536,873	540,058	536,659	532,117	530,469	534,782	534,962	532,003	535,779
	EMPLOYMENT	499,874	502,349	504,772	507,796	505,965	505,249	502,081	499,112	500,823	505,280	506,987	504,953	503,770
	UNEMPLOYMENT	35,888	36,970	34,475	29,296	30,908	34,809	34,578	33,005	29,646	29,502	27,975	27,050	32,009
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	6.7	6.9	6.4	5.5	5.8	6.4	6.4	6.2	5.6	5.5	5.2	5.1	6.0
DAPHNE MA	LABOR FORCE	83,336	84,755	86,561	86,796	88,071	89,458	88,978	87,193	85,859	86,219	84,843	84,539	86,384
	EMPLOYMENT	77,073	78,353	80,806	82,080	83,146	83,877	83,506	81,882	80,950	81,297	80,219	79,808	81,083
	UNEMPLOYMENT	6,263	6,402	5,755	4,716	4,925	5,581	5,472	5,311	4,909	4,922	4,624	4,731	5,301
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	7.5	7.6	6.6	5.4	5.6	6.2	6.1	6.1	5.7	5.7	5.5	5.6	6.1
DECATUR MA	LABOR FORCE	70,483	70,684	70,751	69,947	70,328	70,780	70,347	69,407	69,122	69,667	69,631	69,516	70,056
	EMPLOYMENT	65,123	65,148	65,520	65,445	65,626	65,528	64,882	64,398	64,603	65,315	65,427	65,428	65,204
	UNEMPLOYMENT	5,360	5,536	5,231	4,502	4,702	5,252	5,465	5,009	4,519	4,352	4,204	4,088	4,852
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	7.6	7.8	7.4	6.4	6.7	7.4	7.8	7.2	6.5	6.2	6.0	5.9	6.9
DOTHAN MA	LABOR FORCE	62,187	62,564	62,802	62,310	62,375	62,751	63,048	62,571	62,889	63,599	62,999	62,423	62,710
	EMPLOYMENT	57,455	57,678	58,261	58,418	58,337	58,033	58,367	58,058	58,789	59,631	59,221	58,769	58,418
	UNEMPLOYMENT	4,732	4,886	4,541	3,892	4,038	4,718	4,681	4,513	4,100	3,968	3,778	3,654	4,292
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	7.6	7.8	7.2	6.2	6.5	7.5	7.4	7.2	6.5	6.2	6.0	5.9	6.8
FLORENCE-MUSCLE SHOALS MA	LABOR FORCE	67,015	67,313	67,934	67,586	67,702	68,127	67,851	67,191	67,381	67,601	67,385	66,921	67,501
	EMPLOYMENT	61,599	61,898	62,793	63,107	62,903	62,467	62,105	61,854	62,373	62,797	62,676	61,984	62,380
	UNEMPLOYMENT	5,416	5,415	5,141	4,479	4,799	5,660	5,746	5,337	5,008	4,804	4,709	4,937	5,121
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	8.1	8.0	7.6	6.6	7.1	8.3	8.5	7.9	7.4	7.1	7.0	7.4	7.6
GADSDEN MA	LABOR FORCE	43,481	43,872	43,926	43,732	43,969	44,065	43,833	43,839	43,529	43,720	43,471	43,190	43,719
	EMPLOYMENT	40,040	40,103	40,448	40,797	40,917	40,721	40,523	40,718	40,769	41,015	40,903	40,716	40,639
	UNEMPLOYMENT	3,441	3,769	3,478	2,935	3,052	3,344	3,310	3,121	2,760	2,705	2,568	2,474	3,080
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	7.9	8.6	7.9	6.7	6.9	7.6	7.6	7.1	6.3	6.2	5.9	5.7	7.0
HUNTSVILLE MA	LABOR FORCE	209,091	211,406	209,810	208,799	208,999	210,280	209,551	208,160	207,913	211,086	210,683	209,968	209,645
	EMPLOYMENT	194,853	196,510	195,841	196,882	196,444	196,042	195,432	194,933	196,055	199,325	199,482	199,024	196,735
	UNEMPLOYMENT	14,238	14,896	13,969	11,917	12,555	14,238	14,119	13,227	11,858	11,761	11,201	10,944	12,910
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	6.8	7.0	6.7	5.7	6.0	6.8	6.7	6.4	5.7	5.6	5.3	5.2	6.2
MOBILE MA	LABOR FORCE	184,902	186,451	187,259	186,803	186,840	187,472	185,501	183,490	182,897	184,477	184,282	183,436	185,318
	EMPLOYMENT	168,655	170,230	171,879	173,356	172,809	171,811	169,959	168,948	169,585	171,441	171,631	171,204	170,959
	UNEMPLOYMENT	16,247	16,221	15,380	13,447	14,031	15,661	15,542	14,542	13,312	13,036	12,651	12,232	14,359
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	8.8	8.7	8.2	7.2	7.5	8.4	8.4	7.9	7.3	7.1	6.9	6.7	7.7
MONTGOMERY MA	LABOR FORCE	171,711	172,970	172,783	171,731	171,753	172,911	171,003	169,508	168,494	170,016	170,168	169,097	171,012
	EMPLOYMENT	159,082	160,122	160,540	161,298	160,846	160,666	158,819	157,818	157,913	159,706	160,309	159,614	159,728
	UNEMPLOYMENT	12,629	12,848	12,243	10,433	10,907	12,245	12,184	11,690	10,581	10,310	9,859	9,483	11,284
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	7.4	7.4	7.1	6.1	6.4	7.1	7.1	6.9	6.3	6.1	5.8	5.6	6.6
TUSCALOOSA MA	LABOR FORCE	109,774	110,031	110,932	110,108	110,147	110,942	109,987	110,743	111,031	112,341	112,112	111,934	110,840
	EMPLOYMENT	101,976	102,239	103,405	103,702	103,312	102,762	102,278	103,545	104,748	106,132	106,268	106,222	103,882
	UNEMPLOYMENT	7,798	7,792	7,527	6,406	6,835	8,180	7,709	7,198	6,283	6,209	5,844	5,712	6,958
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	7.1	7.1	6.8	5.8	6.2	7.4	7.0	6.5	5.7	5.5	5.2	5.1	6.3

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AUTAUGA COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	25,609	25,800	25,817	25,669	25,658	25,854	25,670	25,412	25,305	25,579	25,467	25,263	25,592
	EMPLOYMENT	23,930	24,074	24,169	24,272	24,241	24,233	24,033	23,863	23,924	24,200	24,175	24,051	24,097
	UNEMPLOYMENT	1,679	1,726	1,648	1,397	1,417	1,621	1,637	1,549	1,381	1,379	1,292	1,212	1,495
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	6.6	6.7	6.4	5.4	5.5	6.3	6.4	6.1	5.5	5.4	5.1	4.8	5.8
BALDWIN COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	83,336	84,755	86,561	86,796	88,071	89,458	88,978	87,193	85,859	86,219	84,843	84,539	86,384
	EMPLOYMENT	77,073	78,353	80,806	82,080	83,146	83,877	83,506	81,882	80,950	81,297	80,219	79,808	81,083
	UNEMPLOYMENT	6,263	6,402	5,755	4,716	4,925	5,581	5,472	5,311	4,909	4,922	4,624	4,731	5,301
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	7.5	7.6	6.6	5.4	5.6	6.2	6.1	6.1	5.7	5.7	5.5	5.6	6.1
BARBOUR COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	8,910	8,953	8,918	8,823	8,815	8,922	9,024	8,916	8,839	8,801	8,661	8,555	8,845
	EMPLOYMENT	7,909	7,925	7,956	7,955	7,989	7,900	7,989	7,932	7,932	7,954	7,821	7,809	7,913
	UNEMPLOYMENT	1,001	1,028	962	868	916	1,022	1,035	1,014	907	847	840	746	932
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	11.2	11.5	10.8	9.8	10.4	11.5	11.5	11.4	10.3	9.6	9.7	8.7	10.5
BIBB COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	8,568	8,610	8,619	8,564	8,552	8,619	8,603	8,510	8,494	8,554	8,529	8,480	8,559
	EMPLOYMENT	7,874	7,898	7,961	7,986	7,986	7,962	7,925	7,874	7,916	7,986	7,990	7,963	7,942
	UNEMPLOYMENT	694	712	658	578	589	657	678	636	578	568	539	517	617
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	8.1	8.3	7.6	6.7	6.9	7.6	7.9	7.5	6.8	6.6	6.3	6.1	7.2
BLOUNT COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	24,532	24,542	24,654	24,430	24,501	24,722	24,705	24,430	24,470	24,691	24,390	24,257	24,527
	EMPLOYMENT	22,692	22,739	22,983	23,032	23,038	23,069	23,114	22,931	23,144	23,360	23,143	23,027	23,023
	UNEMPLOYMENT	1,840	1,803	1,671	1,398	1,463	1,653	1,591	1,499	1,326	1,331	1,247	1,230	1,504
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	7.5	7.3	6.8	5.7	6.0	6.7	6.4	6.1	5.4	5.4	5.1	5.1	6.1
BULLOCK COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	4,685	4,532	4,684	4,516	4,569	4,678	4,834	4,847	4,943	5,011	4,767	4,710	4,732
	EMPLOYMENT	4,211	4,113	4,290	4,174	4,230	4,285	4,415	4,376	4,500	4,554	4,310	4,305	4,314
	UNEMPLOYMENT	474	419	394	342	339	393	419	471	443	457	457	405	418
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	10.1	9.2	8.4	7.6	7.4	8.4	8.7	9.7	9.0	9.1	9.6	8.6	8.8
BUTLER COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	9,198	9,221	9,335	9,251	9,353	9,494	9,402	9,307	9,240	9,200	9,145	9,086	9,270
	EMPLOYMENT	8,258	8,305	8,483	8,515	8,586	8,665	8,559	8,475	8,508	8,499	8,462	8,407	8,477
	UNEMPLOYMENT	940	916	852	736	767	829	843	832	732	701	683	679	793
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	10.2	9.9	9.1	8.0	8.2	8.7	9.0	8.9	7.9	7.6	7.5	7.5	8.6
CALHOUN COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	47,153	47,898	47,925	47,516	47,482	47,600	47,488	47,015	46,331	47,008	46,930	46,496	47,237
	EMPLOYMENT	42,914	43,536	43,732	43,935	43,705	43,518	43,397	43,204	42,917	43,637	43,694	43,417	43,467
	UNEMPLOYMENT	4,239	4,362	4,193	3,581	3,777	4,082	4,091	3,811	3,414	3,371	3,236	3,079	3,770
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	9.0	9.1	8.7	7.5	8.0	8.6	8.6	8.1	7.4	7.2	6.9	6.6	8.0
CHAMBERS COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	15,399	15,479	15,388	15,269	15,301	15,375	15,291	15,191	15,155	15,263	15,291	15,221	15,302
	EMPLOYMENT	14,206	14,272	14,266	14,349	14,320	14,229	14,155	14,153	14,200	14,353	14,422	14,390	14,276
	UNEMPLOYMENT	1,193	1,207	1,122	920	981	1,146	1,136	1,038	955	910	869	831	1,026
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	7.7	7.8	7.3	6.0	6.4	7.5	7.4	6.8	6.3	6.0	5.7	5.5	6.7
CHEROKEE COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	11,198	11,297	11,315	11,321	11,418	11,481	11,400	11,358	11,422	11,620	11,456	11,342	11,386
	EMPLOYMENT	10,435	10,467	10,590	10,712	10,771	10,752	10,682	10,691	10,852	11,034	10,917	10,794	10,725
	UNEMPLOYMENT	763	830	725	609	647	729	718	667	570	586	539	548	661
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	6.8	7.3	6.4	5.4	5.7	6.3	6.3	5.9	5.0	5.0	4.7	4.8	5.8
CHILTON COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	19,032	19,050	19,188	18,984	19,033	19,198	19,217	19,050	19,121	19,265	19,063	18,953	19,096
	EMPLOYMENT	17,680	17,678	17,926	17,898	17,887	17,926	17,938	17,800	17,978	18,143	17,996	17,938	17,899
	UNEMPLOYMENT	1,352	1,372	1,262	1,086	1,146	1,272	1,279	1,250	1,143	1,122	1,067	1,015	1,197
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	7.1	7.2	6.6	5.7	6.0	6.6	6.7	6.6	6.0	5.8	5.6	5.4	6.3
CHOCTAW COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	4,576	4,585	4,703	4,502	4,537	4,544	4,554	4,433	4,471	4,440	4,266	4,314	4,494
	EMPLOYMENT	4,126	4,112	4,262	4,131	4,126	4,074	4,092	4,020	4,117	4,084	3,942	3,977	4,089
	UNEMPLOYMENT	450	473	441	371	411	470	462	413	354	356	324	337	405
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	9.8	10.3	9.4	8.2	9.1	10.3	10.1	9.3	7.9	8.0	7.6	7.8	9.0
CLARKE COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	8,307	8,274	8,279	8,101	8,144	8,250	8,204	8,072	8,016	8,112	8,012	8,083	8,155
	EMPLOYMENT	7,175	7,175	7,226	7,184	7,191	7,144	7,084	7,059	7,091	7,241	7,170	7,199	7,162
	UNEMPLOYMENT	1,132	1,099	1,053	917	953	1,106	1,120	1,013	925	871	842	884	993
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	13.6	13.3	12.7	11.3	11.7	13.4	13.7	12.5	11.5	10.7	10.5	10.9	12.2

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CLAY COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	5,446	5,474	5,541	5,470	5,507	5,545	5,509	5,474	5,584	5,620	5,479	5,489	5,511
	EMPLOYMENT	5,005	5,022	5,122	5,116	5,139	5,121	5,068	5,063	5,211	5,263	5,133	5,143	5,117
	UNEMPLOYMENT	441	452	419	354	368	424	441	411	373	357	346	346	394
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	8.1	8.3	7.6	6.5	6.7	7.6	8.0	7.5	6.7	6.4	6.3	6.3	7.1
CLEBURNE COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	5,790	5,760	5,812	5,729	5,783	5,845	6,075	5,893	5,946	6,003	5,835	5,768	5,853
	EMPLOYMENT	5,340	5,292	5,405	5,391	5,419	5,448	5,609	5,506	5,571	5,655	5,518	5,448	5,467
	UNEMPLOYMENT	450	468	407	338	364	397	466	387	375	348	317	320	386
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	7.8	8.1	7.0	5.9	6.3	6.8	7.7	6.6	6.3	5.8	5.4	5.5	6.6
COFFEE COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	20,316	20,289	20,318	20,059	20,255	20,423	20,458	20,313	20,177	20,251	19,995	19,881	20,228
	EMPLOYMENT	18,745	18,664	18,803	18,788	18,971	18,973	19,022	18,945	18,971	19,053	18,872	18,801	18,884
	UNEMPLOYMENT	1,571	1,625	1,515	1,271	1,284	1,450	1,436	1,368	1,206	1,198	1,123	1,080	1,344
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	7.7	8.0	7.5	6.3	6.3	7.1	7.0	6.7	6.0	5.9	5.6	5.4	6.6
COLBERT COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	23,906	23,986	24,229	24,066	24,088	24,232	24,155	23,890	23,958	23,996	23,975	23,840	24,027
	EMPLOYMENT	21,798	21,886	22,228	22,305	22,213	22,061	21,897	21,818	21,995	22,141	22,142	21,922	22,034
	UNEMPLOYMENT	2,108	2,100	2,001	1,761	1,875	2,171	2,258	2,072	1,963	1,855	1,833	1,918	1,993
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	8.8	8.8	8.3	7.3	7.8	9.0	9.3	8.7	8.2	7.7	7.6	8.0	8.3
CONECUH COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	4,670	4,707	4,730	4,625	4,714	4,738	4,788	4,711	4,715	4,809	4,674	4,716	4,716
	EMPLOYMENT	4,105	4,117	4,202	4,172	4,239	4,234	4,260	4,240	4,281	4,356	4,234	4,310	4,229
	UNEMPLOYMENT	565	590	528	453	475	504	528	471	434	453	440	406	487
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	12.1	12.5	11.2	9.8	10.1	10.6	11.0	10.0	9.2	9.4	9.4	8.6	10.3
COOSA COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	4,466	4,486	4,488	4,430	4,483	4,498	4,485	4,454	4,474	4,495	4,432	4,412	4,467
	EMPLOYMENT	4,015	4,031	4,069	4,061	4,080	4,070	4,040	4,050	4,118	4,152	4,100	4,096	4,074
	UNEMPLOYMENT	451	455	419	369	403	428	445	404	356	343	332	316	393
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	10.1	10.1	9.3	8.3	9.0	9.5	9.9	9.1	8.0	7.6	7.5	7.2	8.8
COVINGTON COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	15,920	15,890	16,044	15,740	15,956	16,051	16,113	15,866	16,016	16,144	15,691	15,492	15,911
	EMPLOYMENT	14,450	14,453	14,717	14,631	14,752	14,722	14,820	14,620	14,917	15,021	14,606	14,373	14,674
	UNEMPLOYMENT	1,470	1,437	1,327	1,109	1,204	1,329	1,293	1,246	1,099	1,123	1,085	1,119	1,237
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	9.2	9.0	8.3	7.0	7.5	8.3	8.0	7.9	6.9	7.0	6.9	7.2	7.8
CRENSHAW COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	6,175	6,181	6,360	6,135	6,213	6,342	6,462	6,383	6,434	6,489	6,223	6,185	6,298
	EMPLOYMENT	5,662	5,622	5,873	5,724	5,805	5,880	5,980	5,946	6,055	6,106	5,863	5,829	5,862
	UNEMPLOYMENT	513	559	487	411	408	462	482	437	379	383	360	356	436
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	8.3	9.0	7.7	6.7	6.6	7.3	7.5	6.8	5.9	5.9	5.8	5.8	6.9
CULLMAN COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	35,573	35,690	36,066	35,683	35,831	35,990	36,075	35,758	35,991	36,355	36,146	35,866	35,919
	EMPLOYMENT	33,072	33,042	33,665	33,680	33,722	33,649	33,694	33,521	33,990	34,410	34,313	34,096	33,738
	UNEMPLOYMENT	2,501	2,648	2,401	2,003	2,109	2,341	2,381	2,237	2,001	1,945	1,833	1,770	2,181
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	7.0	7.4	6.7	5.6	5.9	6.5	6.6	6.3	5.6	5.4	5.1	4.9	6.1
DALE COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	20,591	20,658	20,704	20,324	20,434	20,495	20,419	20,177	20,060	20,289	19,891	19,749	20,316
	EMPLOYMENT	19,003	19,002	19,133	18,996	19,006	18,896	18,863	18,725	18,736	18,980	18,656	18,537	18,878
	UNEMPLOYMENT	1,588	1,656	1,571	1,328	1,428	1,599	1,556	1,452	1,324	1,309	1,235	1,212	1,438
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	7.7	8.0	7.6	6.5	7.0	7.8	7.6	7.2	6.6	6.5	6.2	6.1	7.1
DALLAS COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	16,187	16,190	16,232	15,968	16,104	16,073	16,101	15,887	16,052	16,032	15,728	15,479	16,003
	EMPLOYMENT	14,239	14,258	14,407	14,360	14,333	14,012	13,915	13,946	14,366	14,441	14,145	14,020	14,204
	UNEMPLOYMENT	1,948	1,932	1,825	1,608	1,771	2,061	2,186	1,941	1,686	1,591	1,583	1,459	1,799
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	12.0	11.9	11.2	10.1	11.0	12.8	13.6	12.2	10.5	9.9	10.1	9.4	11.2
DEKALB COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	28,693	28,675	28,889	28,495	28,791	29,199	29,815	28,949	29,185	29,390	28,601	28,637	28,943
	EMPLOYMENT	26,450	26,325	26,667	26,641	26,874	27,063	27,553	26,929	27,376	27,624	26,935	27,011	26,954
	UNEMPLOYMENT	2,243	2,350	2,222	1,854	1,917	2,136	2,262	2,020	1,809	1,766	1,666	1,626	1,989
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	7.8	8.2	7.7	6.5	6.7	7.3	7.6	7.0	6.2	6.0	5.8	5.7	6.9

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ELMORE COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	36,657	36,985	36,871	36,716	36,709	36,915	36,512	36,243	36,052	36,385	36,346	36,124	36,543
	EMPLOYMENT	34,260	34,510	34,565	34,778	34,706	34,662	34,312	34,085	34,114	34,505	34,575	34,390	34,455
	UNEMPLOYMENT	2,397	2,475	2,306	1,938	2,003	2,253	2,200	2,158	1,938	1,880	1,771	1,734	2,088
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	6.5	6.7	6.3	5.3	5.5	6.1	6.0	6.0	5.4	5.2	4.9	4.8	5.7
ESCAMBIA COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	14,219	14,284	14,317	14,319	14,395	14,614	14,518	14,301	14,345	14,473	14,367	14,225	14,365
	EMPLOYMENT	12,930	12,965	13,089	13,257	13,235	13,366	13,293	13,139	13,280	13,430	13,356	13,242	13,215
	UNEMPLOYMENT	1,289	1,319	1,228	1,062	1,160	1,248	1,225	1,162	1,065	1,043	1,011	983	1,150
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	9.1	9.2	8.6	7.4	8.1	8.5	8.4	8.1	7.4	7.2	7.0	6.9	8.0
ETOWAH COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	43,481	43,872	43,926	43,732	43,969	44,065	43,833	43,839	43,529	43,720	43,471	43,190	43,719
	EMPLOYMENT	40,040	40,103	40,448	40,797	40,917	40,721	40,523	40,718	40,769	41,015	40,903	40,716	40,639
	UNEMPLOYMENT	3,441	3,769	3,478	2,935	3,052	3,344	3,310	3,121	2,760	2,705	2,568	2,474	3,080
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	7.9	8.6	7.9	6.7	6.9	7.6	7.6	7.1	6.3	6.2	5.9	5.7	7.0
FAYETTE COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	6,379	6,367	6,465	6,339	6,304	6,374	6,333	6,341	6,338	6,345	6,303	6,295	6,349
	EMPLOYMENT	5,795	5,755	5,900	5,854	5,821	5,820	5,791	5,831	5,901	5,915	5,909	5,916	5,851
	UNEMPLOYMENT	584	612	565	485	483	554	542	510	437	430	394	379	498
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	9.2	9.6	8.7	7.7	7.7	8.7	8.6	8.0	6.9	6.8	6.3	6.0	7.8
FRANKLIN COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	13,805	13,805	13,811	13,690	13,680	13,818	13,788	13,644	13,726	13,690	13,616	13,494	13,714
	EMPLOYMENT	12,459	12,505	12,674	12,727	12,685	12,691	12,642	12,607	12,780	12,752	12,705	12,613	12,653
	UNEMPLOYMENT	1,346	1,300	1,137	963	995	1,127	1,146	1,037	946	938	911	881	1,061
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	9.8	9.4	8.2	7.0	7.3	8.2	8.3	7.6	6.9	6.9	6.7	6.5	7.7
GENEVA COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	10,605	10,607	10,793	10,579	10,656	10,762	10,980	10,851	11,023	11,156	10,788	10,711	10,793
	EMPLOYMENT	9,790	9,750	9,998	9,913	9,970	9,986	10,198	10,103	10,353	10,504	10,184	10,102	10,071
	UNEMPLOYMENT	815	857	795	666	686	776	782	748	670	652	604	609	722
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	7.7	8.1	7.4	6.3	6.4	7.2	7.1	6.9	6.1	5.8	5.6	5.7	6.7
GREENE COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	3,000	3,060	3,054	2,968	2,972	2,994	2,995	2,983	2,981	2,960	2,950	2,906	2,985
	EMPLOYMENT	2,632	2,653	2,674	2,590	2,593	2,566	2,582	2,612	2,640	2,618	2,608	2,589	2,613
	UNEMPLOYMENT	368	407	380	378	379	428	413	371	341	342	342	317	372
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	12.3	13.3	12.4	12.7	12.8	14.3	13.8	12.4	11.4	11.6	11.6	10.9	12.5
HALE COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	5,961	5,871	6,058	5,874	5,924	6,041	6,101	6,080	6,186	6,238	6,020	6,029	6,032
	EMPLOYMENT	5,256	5,184	5,401	5,286	5,321	5,358	5,459	5,485	5,661	5,739	5,538	5,546	5,436
	UNEMPLOYMENT	705	687	657	588	603	683	642	595	525	499	482	483	596
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	11.8	11.7	10.8	10.0	10.2	11.3	10.5	9.8	8.5	8.0	8.0	8.0	9.9
HENRY COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	6,719	6,752	6,771	6,700	6,733	6,770	6,844	6,774	6,840	6,906	6,776	6,720	6,775
	EMPLOYMENT	6,128	6,147	6,221	6,236	6,248	6,225	6,302	6,258	6,358	6,452	6,345	6,287	6,267
	UNEMPLOYMENT	591	605	550	464	485	545	542	516	482	454	431	433	508
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	8.8	9.0	8.1	6.9	7.2	8.1	7.9	7.6	7.0	6.6	6.4	6.4	7.5
HOUSTON COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	44,863	45,205	45,238	45,031	44,986	45,219	45,224	44,946	45,026	45,537	45,435	44,992	45,142
	EMPLOYMENT	41,537	41,781	42,042	42,269	42,119	41,822	41,867	41,697	42,078	42,675	42,692	42,380	42,080
	UNEMPLOYMENT	3,326	3,424	3,196	2,762	2,867	3,397	3,357	3,249	2,948	2,862	2,743	2,612	3,062
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	7.4	7.6	7.1	6.1	6.4	7.5	7.4	7.2	6.5	6.3	6.0	5.8	6.8
JACKSON COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	23,419	23,421	23,504	23,290	23,404	23,609	23,723	23,480	23,481	23,653	23,320	23,047	23,446
	EMPLOYMENT	21,507	21,450	21,714	21,743	21,723	21,792	21,812	21,699	21,937	22,121	21,838	21,585	21,743
	UNEMPLOYMENT	1,912	1,971	1,790	1,547	1,681	1,817	1,911	1,781	1,544	1,532	1,482	1,462	1,703
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	8.2	8.4	7.6	6.6	7.2	7.7	8.1	7.6	6.6	6.5	6.4	6.3	7.3
JEFFERSON COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	312,379	314,536	314,337	313,236	312,935	314,701	312,403	309,768	308,547	310,944	311,732	310,056	312,131
	EMPLOYMENT	290,585	292,133	293,302	295,199	293,940	293,401	291,153	289,533	290,255	292,814	294,428	293,321	292,505
	UNEMPLOYMENT	21,794	22,403	21,035	18,037	18,995	21,300	21,250	20,235	18,292	18,130	17,304	16,735	19,626
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	7.0	7.1	6.7	5.8	6.1	6.8	6.8	6.5	5.9	5.8	5.6	5.4	6.3

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LAMAR COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	5,616	5,639	5,660	5,541	5,564	5,641	5,678	5,597	5,617	5,708	5,635	5,602	5,625
	EMPLOYMENT	5,203	5,200	5,230	5,195	5,176	5,184	5,216	5,199	5,266	5,352	5,292	5,275	5,232
	UNEMPLOYMENT	413	439	430	346	388	457	462	398	351	356	343	327	393
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	7.4	7.8	7.6	6.2	7.0	8.1	8.1	7.1	6.2	6.2	6.1	5.8	7.0
LAUDERDALE COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	43,109	43,327	43,705	43,520	43,614	43,895	43,696	43,301	43,423	43,605	43,410	43,081	43,474
	EMPLOYMENT	39,801	40,012	40,565	40,802	40,690	40,406	40,208	40,036	40,378	40,656	40,534	40,062	40,346
	UNEMPLOYMENT	3,308	3,315	3,140	2,718	2,924	3,489	3,488	3,265	3,045	2,949	2,876	3,019	3,128
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	7.7	7.7	7.2	6.2	6.7	7.9	8.0	7.5	7.0	6.8	6.6	7.0	7.2
LAWRENCE COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	14,038	14,032	14,130	13,916	14,037	14,161	14,194	13,972	13,929	14,036	13,931	13,875	14,021
	EMPLOYMENT	12,791	12,774	12,896	12,851	12,919	12,923	12,869	12,756	12,847	12,991	12,903	12,891	12,868
	UNEMPLOYMENT	1,247	1,258	1,234	1,065	1,118	1,238	1,325	1,216	1,082	1,045	1,028	984	1,153
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	8.9	9.0	8.7	7.7	8.0	8.7	9.3	8.7	7.8	7.4	7.4	7.1	8.2
LEE COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	70,808	71,285	71,417	71,098	70,961	71,477	71,003	71,067	71,108	72,130	72,158	71,641	71,346
	EMPLOYMENT	66,306	66,706	66,973	67,455	67,228	66,954	66,622	66,844	67,521	68,499	68,799	68,391	67,358
	UNEMPLOYMENT	4,502	4,579	4,444	3,643	3,733	4,523	4,381	4,223	3,587	3,631	3,359	3,250	3,988
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	6.4	6.4	6.2	5.1	5.3	6.3	6.2	5.9	5.0	5.0	4.7	4.5	5.6
LIMESTONE COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	39,401	39,856	39,590	39,314	39,400	39,654	39,640	39,375	39,381	39,963	39,721	39,614	39,576
	EMPLOYMENT	36,744	36,999	36,979	37,091	37,049	37,017	36,993	36,873	37,165	37,787	37,666	37,583	37,162
	UNEMPLOYMENT	2,657	2,857	2,611	2,223	2,351	2,637	2,647	2,502	2,216	2,176	2,055	2,031	2,414
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	6.7	7.2	6.6	5.7	6.0	6.7	6.7	6.4	5.6	5.4	5.2	5.1	6.1
LOWNDES COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	3,901	3,910	3,921	3,832	3,886	3,901	3,886	3,841	3,855	3,883	3,860	3,794	3,872
	EMPLOYMENT	3,350	3,351	3,398	3,380	3,380	3,391	3,373	3,345	3,372	3,411	3,385	3,378	3,376
	UNEMPLOYMENT	551	559	523	452	506	510	513	496	483	472	475	416	496
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	14.1	14.3	13.3	11.8	13.0	13.1	13.2	12.9	12.5	12.2	12.3	11.0	12.8
MACON COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	8,317	8,338	8,370	8,276	8,213	8,234	8,172	8,190	8,164	8,253	8,230	8,091	8,237
	EMPLOYMENT	7,491	7,501	7,513	7,575	7,484	7,388	7,336	7,405	7,479	7,579	7,583	7,498	7,486
	UNEMPLOYMENT	826	837	857	701	729	846	836	785	685	674	647	593	751
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	9.9	10.0	10.2	8.5	8.9	10.3	10.2	9.6	8.4	8.2	7.9	7.3	9.1
MADISON COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	169,690	171,550	170,220	169,485	169,599	170,626	169,911	168,785	168,532	171,123	170,962	170,354	170,070
	EMPLOYMENT	158,109	159,511	158,862	159,791	159,395	159,025	158,439	158,060	158,890	161,538	161,816	161,441	159,573
	UNEMPLOYMENT	11,581	12,039	11,358	9,694	10,204	11,601	11,472	10,725	9,642	9,585	9,146	8,913	10,497
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	6.8	7.0	6.7	5.7	6.0	6.8	6.8	6.4	5.7	5.6	5.3	5.2	6.2
MARENGO COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	7,671	7,686	7,718	7,576	7,640	7,707	7,732	7,607	7,618	7,722	7,516	7,284	7,623
	EMPLOYMENT	6,976	6,966	7,061	7,025	7,052	7,047	7,053	6,977	7,057	7,186	7,005	6,779	7,015
	UNEMPLOYMENT	695	720	657	551	588	660	679	630	561	536	511	505	608
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	9.1	9.4	8.5	7.3	7.7	8.6	8.8	8.3	7.4	6.9	6.8	6.9	8.0
MARION COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	12,287	12,445	12,502	12,218	12,253	12,372	12,227	12,114	12,327	12,347	12,245	12,124	12,288
	EMPLOYMENT	11,141	11,359	11,450	11,327	11,344	11,326	11,145	11,123	11,426	11,457	11,394	11,317	11,317
	UNEMPLOYMENT	1,146	1,086	1,052	891	909	1,046	1,082	991	901	890	851	807	971
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	9.3	8.7	8.4	7.3	7.4	8.5	8.8	8.2	7.3	7.2	6.9	6.7	7.9
MARSHALL COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	39,843	39,751	39,870	39,523	39,738	40,014	39,994	39,659	39,896	40,652	40,095	39,797	39,903
	EMPLOYMENT	36,920	36,512	36,912	37,064	37,212	37,181	37,214	36,961	37,437	38,199	37,765	37,492	37,239
	UNEMPLOYMENT	2,923	3,239	2,958	2,459	2,526	2,833	2,780	2,698	2,459	2,453	2,330	2,305	2,664
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	7.3	8.1	7.4	6.2	6.4	7.1	7.0	6.8	6.2	6.0	5.8	5.8	6.7
MOBILE COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	184,902	186,451	187,259	186,803	186,840	187,472	185,501	183,490	182,897	184,477	184,282	183,436	185,318
	EMPLOYMENT	168,655	170,230	171,879	173,356	172,809	171,811	169,959	168,948	169,585	171,441	171,631	171,204	170,959
	UNEMPLOYMENT	16,247	16,221	15,380	13,447	14,031	15,661	15,542	14,542	13,312	13,036	12,651	12,232	14,359
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	8.8	8.7	8.2	7.2	7.5	8.4	8.4	7.9	7.3	7.1	6.9	6.7	7.7

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MONROE COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	7,666	7,599	7,738	7,638	7,715	7,721	7,740	7,598	7,544	7,605	7,397	7,412	7,615
	EMPLOYMENT	6,670	6,643	6,810	6,822	6,895	6,829	6,852	6,749	6,813	6,843	6,644	6,701	6,773
	UNEMPLOYMENT	996	956	928	816	820	892	888	849	731	762	753	711	842
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	13.0	12.6	12.0	10.7	10.6	11.6	11.5	11.2	9.7	10.0	10.2	9.6	11.1
MONTGOMERY COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	105,544	106,275	106,174	105,514	105,500	106,241	104,935	104,012	103,282	104,169	104,495	103,916	105,004
	EMPLOYMENT	97,542	98,187	98,408	98,868	98,519	98,380	97,101	96,525	96,503	97,590	98,174	97,795	97,799
	UNEMPLOYMENT	8,002	8,088	7,766	6,646	6,981	7,861	7,834	7,487	6,779	6,579	6,321	6,121	7,205
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	7.6	7.6	7.3	6.3	6.6	7.4	7.5	7.2	6.6	6.3	6.0	5.9	6.9
MORGAN COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	56,445	56,652	56,621	56,031	56,291	56,619	56,153	55,435	55,193	55,631	55,700	55,641	56,034
	EMPLOYMENT	52,332	52,374	52,624	52,594	52,707	52,605	52,013	51,642	51,756	52,324	52,524	52,537	52,336
	UNEMPLOYMENT	4,113	4,278	3,997	3,437	3,584	4,014	4,140	3,793	3,437	3,307	3,176	3,104	3,698
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	7.3	7.6	7.1	6.1	6.4	7.1	7.4	6.8	6.2	5.9	5.7	5.6	6.6
PERRY COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	3,483	3,422	3,525	3,399	3,405	3,556	3,566	3,526	3,567	3,551	3,457	3,411	3,489
	EMPLOYMENT	3,000	2,968	3,073	3,012	3,012	3,045	3,063	3,055	3,180	3,190	3,107	3,086	3,066
	UNEMPLOYMENT	483	454	452	387	393	511	503	471	387	361	350	325	423
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	13.9	13.3	12.8	11.4	11.5	14.4	14.1	13.4	10.8	10.2	10.1	9.5	12.1
PICKENS COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	7,647	7,647	7,762	7,606	7,699	7,806	7,805	7,804	7,844	7,928	7,794	7,776	7,760
	EMPLOYMENT	6,944	6,918	7,079	7,035	7,041	7,038	7,077	7,141	7,284	7,382	7,273	7,271	7,124
	UNEMPLOYMENT	703	729	683	571	658	768	728	663	560	546	521	505	636
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	9.2	9.5	8.8	7.5	8.5	9.8	9.3	8.5	7.1	6.9	6.7	6.5	8.2
PIKE COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	15,066	14,999	15,195	14,922	14,711	14,919	14,782	14,853	14,762	15,136	15,144	14,887	14,948
	EMPLOYMENT	13,838	13,813	14,018	13,948	13,714	13,720	13,609	13,680	13,723	14,075	14,118	13,900	13,846
	UNEMPLOYMENT	1,228	1,186	1,177	974	997	1,199	1,173	1,173	1,039	1,061	1,026	987	1,102
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	8.2	7.9	7.7	6.5	6.8	8.0	7.9	7.9	7.0	7.0	6.8	6.6	7.4
RANDOLPH COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	9,105	9,073	9,277	9,116	9,194	9,290	9,395	9,278	9,382	9,538	9,345	9,297	9,274
	EMPLOYMENT	8,387	8,380	8,615	8,559	8,613	8,610	8,685	8,642	8,787	8,965	8,799	8,757	8,650
	UNEMPLOYMENT	718	693	662	557	581	680	710	636	595	573	546	540	624
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	7.9	7.6	7.1	6.1	6.3	7.3	7.6	6.9	6.3	6.0	5.8	5.8	6.7
RUSSELL COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	24,938	25,111	25,093	24,944	24,840	24,917	24,684	24,491	24,407	24,665	24,608	24,500	24,767
	EMPLOYMENT	23,107	23,243	23,325	23,470	23,320	23,169	22,927	22,831	22,885	23,152	23,208	23,125	23,147
	UNEMPLOYMENT	1,831	1,868	1,768	1,474	1,520	1,748	1,757	1,660	1,522	1,513	1,400	1,375	1,620
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	7.3	7.4	7.0	5.9	6.1	7.0	7.1	6.8	6.2	6.1	5.7	5.6	6.5
ST. CLAIR COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	38,466	38,790	38,745	38,559	38,572	38,820	38,637	38,264	38,170	38,486	38,411	38,157	38,507
	EMPLOYMENT	35,957	36,134	36,320	36,540	36,435	36,392	36,217	35,990	36,141	36,466	36,513	36,348	36,288
	UNEMPLOYMENT	2,509	2,656	2,425	2,019	2,137	2,428	2,420	2,274	2,029	2,020	1,898	1,809	2,219
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	6.5	6.8	6.3	5.2	5.5	6.3	6.3	5.9	5.3	5.2	4.9	4.7	5.8
SHELBY COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	107,000	107,827	107,813	107,609	107,461	108,020	107,195	106,465	106,121	107,085	107,219	106,677	107,208
	EMPLOYMENT	101,654	102,208	102,609	103,299	102,896	102,715	102,000	101,415	101,696	102,598	103,064	102,643	102,400
	UNEMPLOYMENT	5,346	5,619	5,204	4,310	4,565	5,305	5,195	5,050	4,425	4,487	4,155	4,034	4,808
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	5.0	5.2	4.8	4.0	4.2	4.9	4.8	4.7	4.2	4.2	3.9	3.8	4.5
SUMTER COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	5,447	5,635	5,678	5,470	5,386	5,427	5,218	5,170	5,301	5,335	5,213	5,187	5,373
	EMPLOYMENT	4,959	5,147	5,197	5,046	4,961	4,854	4,675	4,677	4,897	4,929	4,837	4,820	4,917
	UNEMPLOYMENT	488	488	481	424	425	573	543	493	404	406	376	367	456
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	9.0	8.7	8.5	7.8	7.9	10.6	10.4	9.5	7.6	7.6	7.2	7.1	8.5
TALLADEGA COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	35,519	35,808	35,862	35,273	35,367	35,655	35,451	35,086	35,282	35,280	35,119	34,924	35,386
	EMPLOYMENT	32,384	32,590	32,821	32,668	32,654	32,634	32,316	32,352	32,840	32,884	32,819	32,700	32,639
	UNEMPLOYMENT	3,135	3,218	3,041	2,605	2,713	3,021	3,135	2,734	2,442	2,396	2,300	2,224	2,747
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	8.8	9.0	8.5	7.4	7.7	8.5	8.8	7.8	6.9	6.8	6.5	6.4	7.8

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TALLAPOOSA COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	18,160	18,201	18,288	18,193	18,492	18,608	18,610	18,504	18,507	18,650	18,532	18,253	18,416
	EMPLOYMENT	16,539	16,537	16,714	16,856	17,103	17,120	17,066	17,156	17,280	17,466	17,402	17,170	17,034
	UNEMPLOYMENT	1,621	1,664	1,574	1,337	1,389	1,488	1,544	1,348	1,227	1,184	1,130	1,083	1,382
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	8.9	9.1	8.6	7.3	7.5	8.0	8.3	7.3	6.6	6.3	6.1	5.9	7.5
TUSCALOOSA COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	96,166	96,513	97,112	96,628	96,524	97,095	96,081	96,859	97,001	98,175	98,298	98,129	97,049
	EMPLOYMENT	89,776	90,137	90,925	91,381	90,950	90,366	89,742	90,919	91,803	93,011	93,457	93,405	91,323
	UNEMPLOYMENT	6,390	6,376	6,187	5,247	5,574	6,729	6,339	5,940	5,198	5,164	4,841	4,724	5,726
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	6.6	6.6	6.4	5.4	5.8	6.9	6.6	6.1	5.4	5.3	4.9	4.8	5.9
WALKER COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	25,785	25,964	25,891	25,710	25,819	25,978	25,899	25,630	25,546	25,757	25,618	25,423	25,752
	EMPLOYMENT	23,432	23,559	23,671	23,842	23,806	23,784	23,734	23,569	23,693	23,913	23,853	23,713	23,714
	UNEMPLOYMENT	2,353	2,405	2,220	1,868	2,013	2,194	2,165	2,061	1,853	1,844	1,765	1,710	2,038
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	9.1	9.3	8.6	7.3	7.8	8.4	8.4	8.0	7.3	7.2	6.9	6.7	7.9
WASHINGTON COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	6,671	6,696	6,774	6,595	6,610	6,691	6,627	6,513	6,610	6,722	6,639	6,693	6,654
	EMPLOYMENT	5,970	5,973	6,082	5,974	5,960	5,969	5,904	5,867	6,027	6,194	6,132	6,123	6,015
	UNEMPLOYMENT	701	723	692	621	650	722	723	646	583	528	507	570	639
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	10.5	10.8	10.2	9.4	9.8	10.8	10.9	9.9	8.8	7.9	7.6	8.5	9.6
WILCOX COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	2,883	2,876	2,901	2,788	2,877	2,966	2,962	2,842	2,836	2,855	2,789	2,800	2,864
	EMPLOYMENT	2,326	2,329	2,384	2,329	2,377	2,419	2,415	2,354	2,396	2,445	2,383	2,394	2,379
	UNEMPLOYMENT	557	547	517	459	500	547	547	488	440	410	406	406	485
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	19.3	19.0	17.8	16.5	17.4	18.4	18.5	17.2	15.5	14.4	14.6	14.5	16.9
WINSTON COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	9,604	9,684	9,687	9,537	9,580	9,688	9,687	9,579	9,600	9,801	9,642	9,471	9,630
	EMPLOYMENT	8,660	8,674	8,814	8,734	8,766	8,803	8,792	8,763	8,854	9,058	8,930	8,776	8,802
	UNEMPLOYMENT	944	1,010	873	803	814	885	895	816	746	743	712	695	828
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	9.8	10.4	9.0	8.4	8.5	9.1	9.2	8.5	7.8	7.6	7.4	7.3	8.6
UNITED STATES SEASONALLY ADJUSTED	LABOR FORCE	155,352,000	155,483,000	156,028,000	155,369,000	155,684,000	155,707,000	156,007,000	156,130,000	156,040,000	156,417,000	156,494,000	156,332,000	
	EMPLOYMENT	145,150,000	145,134,000	145,648,000	145,667,000	145,825,000	146,247,000	146,399,000	146,530,000	146,778,000	147,427,000	147,404,000	147,615,000	
	UNEMPLOYMENT	10,202,000	10,349,000	10,380,000	9,702,000	9,859,000	9,460,000	9,608,000	9,599,000	9,262,000	8,990,000	9,090,000	8,717,000	
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	6.6	6.7	6.7	6.2	6.3	6.1	6.2	6.1	5.9	5.7	5.8	5.6	

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UNADJUSTED ALABAMA	LABOR FORCE	2,154,902	2,168,787	2,174,442	2,159,568	2,164,050	2,178,677	2,168,139	2,149,651	2,146,036	2,165,915	2,156,080	2,143,851	2,160,842
	EMPLOYMENT	1,990,255	2,000,233	2,016,175	2,024,618	2,022,401	2,018,276	2,008,159	1,999,165	2,010,722	2,032,669	2,028,871	2,019,932	2,014,290
	UNEMPLOYMENT	164,647	168,554	158,267	134,950	141,649	160,401	159,980	150,486	135,314	133,246	127,209	123,919	146,552
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	7.6	7.8	7.3	6.2	6.5	7.4	7.4	7.0	6.3	6.2	5.9	5.8	6.8
UNADJUSTED UNITED STATES	LABOR FORCE	154,381,000	155,027,000	155,627,000	154,845,000	155,841,000	156,997,000	157,573,000	156,434,000	155,903,000	156,616,000	156,297,000	155,521,000	155,922,000
	EMPLOYMENT	143,526,000	144,134,000	145,090,000	145,767,000	146,398,000	147,104,000	147,265,000	146,647,000	146,941,000	147,936,000	147,666,000	147,190,000	146,305,000
	UNEMPLOYMENT	10,855,000	10,893,000	10,537,000	9,079,000	9,443,000	9,893,000	10,307,000	9,787,000	8,962,000	8,680,000	8,630,000	8,331,000	9,616,000
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	7.0	7.0	6.8	5.9	6.1	6.3	6.5	6.3	5.7	5.5	5.5	5.4	6.2

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ALABASTER CITY	LABOR FORCE	16,768	16,864	16,874	16,837	16,802	16,905	16,766	16,634	16,612	16,761	16,785	16,710	16,777
	EMPLOYMENT	15,937	16,024	16,087	16,195	16,131	16,103	15,991	15,899	15,943	16,085	16,158	16,092	16,054
	UNEMPLOYMENT	831	840	787	642	671	802	775	735	669	676	627	618	723
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	5.0	5.0	4.7	3.8	4.0	4.7	4.6	4.4	4.0	4.0	3.7	3.7	4.3
ANNISTON CITY	LABOR FORCE	8,601	8,729	8,761	8,582	8,606	8,610	8,638	8,559	8,411	8,600	8,587	8,488	8,597
	EMPLOYMENT	7,709	7,821	7,856	7,892	7,851	7,817	7,796	7,761	7,709	7,839	7,849	7,799	7,808
	UNEMPLOYMENT	892	908	905	690	755	793	842	798	702	761	738	689	789
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	10.4	10.4	10.3	8.0	8.8	9.2	9.7	9.3	8.3	8.8	8.6	8.1	9.2
AUBURN CITY	LABOR FORCE	27,785	27,887	28,078	27,907	27,828	28,151	27,897	27,917	27,906	28,340	28,336	28,159	28,016
	EMPLOYMENT	26,020	26,177	26,282	26,471	26,382	26,275	26,144	26,232	26,497	26,881	26,999	26,839	26,433
	UNEMPLOYMENT	1,765	1,710	1,796	1,436	1,446	1,876	1,753	1,685	1,409	1,459	1,337	1,320	1,583
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	6.4	6.1	6.4	5.1	5.2	6.7	6.3	6.0	5.0	5.1	4.7	4.7	5.7
BESSEMER CITY	LABOR FORCE	10,089	10,168	10,121	10,073	10,058	10,080	10,040	9,930	9,854	9,925	9,948	9,874	10,013
	EMPLOYMENT	9,045	9,094	9,130	9,189	9,150	9,133	9,063	9,035	9,035	9,115	9,165	9,103	9,105
	UNEMPLOYMENT	1,044	1,074	991	884	908	947	977	917	819	810	783	744	908
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	10.3	10.6	9.8	8.8	9.0	9.4	9.7	9.2	8.3	8.2	7.9	7.5	9.1
BIRMINGHAM CITY	LABOR FORCE	93,287	93,809	93,715	93,357	93,196	93,889	93,187	92,265	91,833	92,479	92,694	92,198	92,992
	EMPLOYMENT	85,137	85,590	85,933	86,489	86,121	85,962	85,305	84,830	85,042	85,792	86,263	85,938	85,700
	UNEMPLOYMENT	8,150	8,219	7,782	6,868	7,075	7,927	7,882	7,435	6,791	6,687	6,431	6,260	7,292
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	8.7	8.8	8.3	7.4	7.6	8.4	8.5	8.1	7.4	7.2	6.9	6.8	7.8
DECATUR CITY	LABOR FORCE	26,920	26,993	27,014	26,766	26,862	27,018	26,888	26,400	26,292	26,503	26,532	26,481	26,723
	EMPLOYMENT	24,912	24,932	25,051	25,036	25,090	25,042	24,760	24,584	24,638	24,908	25,003	25,009	24,914
	UNEMPLOYMENT	2,008	2,061	1,963	1,730	1,772	1,976	2,128	1,816	1,654	1,595	1,529	1,472	1,809
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	7.5	7.6	7.3	6.5	6.6	7.3	7.9	6.9	6.3	6.0	5.8	5.6	6.8
DOTHAN CITY	LABOR FORCE	29,304	29,510	29,568	29,514	29,408	29,630	29,626	29,450	29,511	29,845	29,761	29,422	29,546
	EMPLOYMENT	27,205	27,362	27,533	27,674	27,578	27,384	27,412	27,299	27,543	27,933	27,934	27,730	27,549
	UNEMPLOYMENT	2,099	2,148	2,035	1,840	1,830	2,246	2,214	2,151	1,968	1,912	1,827	1,692	1,997
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	7.2	7.3	6.9	6.2	6.2	7.6	7.5	7.3	6.7	6.4	6.1	5.8	6.8
ENTERPRISE CITY	LABOR FORCE	10,592	10,583	10,586	10,507	10,555	10,657	10,677	10,622	10,515	10,544	10,404	10,356	10,550
	EMPLOYMENT	9,817	9,775	9,848	9,839	9,933	9,933	9,957	9,917	9,930	9,974	9,879	9,842	9,887
	UNEMPLOYMENT	775	808	738	668	622	724	720	705	585	570	525	514	663
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	7.3	7.6	7.0	6.4	5.9	6.8	6.7	6.6	5.6	5.4	5.0	5.0	6.3
FLORENCE CITY	LABOR FORCE	18,552	18,649	18,796	18,673	18,715	18,915	18,848	18,704	18,732	18,858	18,775	18,539	18,729
	EMPLOYMENT	17,164	17,255	17,494	17,596	17,548	17,425	17,340	17,266	17,413	17,533	17,480	17,277	17,399
	UNEMPLOYMENT	1,388	1,394	1,302	1,077	1,167	1,490	1,508	1,438	1,319	1,325	1,295	1,262	1,330
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	7.5	7.5	6.9	5.8	6.2	7.9	8.0	7.7	7.0	7.0	6.9	6.8	7.1
GADSDEN CITY	LABOR FORCE	13,894	14,145	14,123	14,101	14,113	14,130	14,089	13,985	13,849	13,959	13,887	13,817	14,008
	EMPLOYMENT	12,618	12,638	12,747	12,857	12,895	12,833	12,771	12,832	12,848	12,926	12,890	12,831	12,807
	UNEMPLOYMENT	1,276	1,507	1,376	1,244	1,218	1,297	1,318	1,153	1,001	1,033	997	986	1,201
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	9.2	10.7	9.7	8.8	8.6	9.2	9.4	8.2	7.2	7.4	7.2	7.1	8.6
HOMEWOOD CITY	LABOR FORCE	14,006	14,094	14,142	14,077	14,007	14,092	13,985	13,897	13,845	14,008	14,038	13,967	14,013
	EMPLOYMENT	13,345	13,416	13,470	13,557	13,499	13,474	13,371	13,297	13,330	13,448	13,522	13,471	13,433
	UNEMPLOYMENT	661	678	672	520	508	618	614	600	515	560	516	496	580
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	4.7	4.8	4.8	3.7	3.6	4.4	4.4	4.3	3.7	4.0	3.7	3.6	4.1
HOOVER CITY	LABOR FORCE	43,723	44,093	44,048	44,004	43,964	44,106	43,802	43,507	43,432	43,803	43,896	43,609	43,833
	EMPLOYMENT	41,676	41,899	42,066	42,341	42,165	42,088	41,774	41,540	41,647	42,014	42,234	42,072	41,960
	UNEMPLOYMENT	2,047	2,194	1,982	1,663	1,799	2,018	2,028	1,967	1,785	1,789	1,662	1,537	1,873
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	4.7	5.0	4.5	3.8	4.1	4.6	4.6	4.5	4.1	4.1	3.8	3.5	4.3
HUNTSVILLE CITY	LABOR FORCE	90,346	91,388	90,689	90,235	90,325	91,002	90,665	89,864	89,800	91,231	91,122	90,788	90,622
	EMPLOYMENT	84,244	84,989	84,646	85,139	84,929	84,733	84,424	84,221	84,665	86,076	86,220	86,020	85,026
	UNEMPLOYMENT	6,102	6,399	6,043	5,096	5,396	6,269	6,241	5,643	5,135	5,155	4,902	4,768	5,596
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	6.8	7.0	6.7	5.6	6.0	6.9	6.9	6.3	5.7	5.7	5.4	5.3	6.2

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MADISON CITY	LABOR FORCE	23,130	23,398	23,253	23,212	23,220	23,328	23,200	23,108	23,050	23,456	23,426	23,291	23,256
	EMPLOYMENT	21,908	22,099	22,014	22,139	22,086	22,037	21,960	21,906	22,026	22,392	22,424	22,372	22,114
	UNEMPLOYMENT	1,222	1,299	1,239	1,073	1,134	1,291	1,240	1,202	1,024	1,064	1,002	919	1,142
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	5.3	5.6	5.3	4.6	4.9	5.5	5.3	5.2	4.4	4.5	4.3	3.9	4.9
MOBILE CITY	LABOR FORCE	86,435	87,144	87,529	87,403	87,325	87,578	86,665	85,724	85,489	86,221	86,139	85,621	86,606
	EMPLOYMENT	78,536	79,270	80,038	80,726	80,471	80,006	79,144	78,673	78,969	79,834	79,922	79,723	79,609
	UNEMPLOYMENT	7,899	7,874	7,491	6,677	6,854	7,572	7,521	7,051	6,520	6,387	6,217	5,898	6,997
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	9.1	9.0	8.6	7.6	7.8	8.6	8.7	8.2	7.6	7.4	7.2	6.9	8.1
MONTGOMERY CITY	LABOR FORCE	92,722	93,337	93,265	92,623	92,668	93,366	92,187	91,387	90,762	91,513	91,793	91,278	92,242
	EMPLOYMENT	85,678	86,245	86,439	86,843	86,536	86,414	85,291	84,785	84,765	85,720	86,233	85,900	85,904
	UNEMPLOYMENT	7,044	7,092	6,826	5,780	6,132	6,952	6,896	6,602	5,997	5,793	5,560	5,378	6,338
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	7.6	7.6	7.3	6.2	6.6	7.4	7.5	7.2	6.6	6.3	6.1	5.9	6.9
OPELIKA CITY	LABOR FORCE	13,539	13,631	13,603	13,503	13,542	13,613	13,582	13,586	13,597	13,756	13,772	13,640	13,614
	EMPLOYMENT	12,624	12,700	12,751	12,843	12,800	12,748	12,684	12,727	12,856	13,042	13,099	13,021	12,825
	UNEMPLOYMENT	915	931	852	660	742	865	898	859	741	714	673	619	789
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	6.8	6.8	6.3	4.9	5.5	6.4	6.6	6.3	5.4	5.2	4.9	4.5	5.8
PHENIX CITY	LABOR FORCE	15,714	15,830	15,799	15,763	15,696	15,755	15,552	15,513	15,495	15,692	15,662	15,568	15,670
	EMPLOYMENT	14,720	14,807	14,860	14,954	14,865	14,775	14,631	14,586	14,636	14,813	14,853	14,795	14,775
	UNEMPLOYMENT	994	1,023	939	809	831	980	921	927	859	879	809	773	895
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	6.3	6.5	5.9	5.1	5.3	6.2	5.9	6.0	5.5	5.6	5.2	5.0	5.7
PRATVILLE CITY	LABOR FORCE	16,561	16,736	16,756	16,698	16,667	16,780	16,654	16,523	16,453	16,638	16,563	16,440	16,623
	EMPLOYMENT	15,670	15,766	15,825	15,894	15,873	15,867	15,734	15,623	15,661	15,841	15,829	15,748	15,778
	UNEMPLOYMENT	891	970	931	804	794	913	920	900	792	797	734	692	845
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	5.4	5.8	5.6	4.8	4.8	5.4	5.5	5.4	4.8	4.8	4.4	4.2	5.1
PRICHARD CITY	LABOR FORCE	8,265	8,292	8,352	8,317	8,328	8,438	8,301	8,155	8,107	8,127	8,124	8,059	8,239
	EMPLOYMENT	7,179	7,246	7,316	7,379	7,355	7,313	7,234	7,191	7,218	7,297	7,305	7,287	7,277
	UNEMPLOYMENT	1,086	1,046	1,036	938	973	1,125	1,067	964	889	830	819	772	962
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	13.1	12.6	12.4	11.3	11.7	13.3	12.9	11.8	11.0	10.2	10.1	9.6	11.7
SELMA CITY	LABOR FORCE	6,858	6,870	6,866	6,662	6,808	6,784	6,785	6,712	6,770	6,781	6,655	6,538	6,758
	EMPLOYMENT	5,960	5,968	6,030	6,010	5,999	5,865	5,824	5,837	6,013	6,044	5,920	5,868	5,945
	UNEMPLOYMENT	898	902	836	652	809	919	961	875	757	737	735	670	813
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	13.1	13.1	12.2	9.8	11.9	13.5	14.2	13.0	11.2	10.9	11.0	10.2	12.0
TUSCALOOSA CITY	LABOR FORCE	43,487	43,539	43,979	43,522	43,587	44,090	43,511	43,822	43,779	44,301	44,326	44,302	43,854
	EMPLOYMENT	40,311	40,473	40,827	41,032	40,838	40,576	40,296	40,824	41,221	41,764	41,964	41,941	41,006
	UNEMPLOYMENT	3,176	3,066	3,152	2,490	2,749	3,514	3,215	2,998	2,558	2,537	2,362	2,361	2,848
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	7.3	7.0	7.2	5.7	6.3	8.0	7.4	6.8	5.8	5.7	5.3	5.3	6.5
VESTAVIA HILLS CITY	LABOR FORCE	17,217	17,407	17,401	17,377	17,365	17,434	17,295	17,174	17,126	17,268	17,300	17,215	17,298
	EMPLOYMENT	16,541	16,629	16,696	16,804	16,732	16,701	16,573	16,481	16,522	16,668	16,760	16,697	16,650
	UNEMPLOYMENT	676	778	705	573	633	733	722	693	604	600	540	518	648
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	3.9	4.5	4.1	3.3	3.6	4.2	4.2	4.0	3.5	3.5	3.1	3.0	3.7