

METROPOLITAN AREAS May 2018 UNEMPLOYMENT DATA

Area	Civilian Labor Force			Employment			Unemployment			Unemployment Rate		
	May p 2018	Apr r 2018	May r 2017	May p 2018	Apr r 2018	May r 2017	May p 2018	Apr r 2018	May r 2017	May p 2018	Apr r 2018	May r 2017
Anniston-Oxford-Jacksonville MA	46,203	46,226	45,431	44,126	44,301	43,374	2,077	1,925	2,057	4.5%	4.2%	4.5%
Auburn-Opelika MA	74,565	74,832	72,762	72,028	72,513	70,149	2,537	2,319	2,613	3.4%	3.1%	3.6%
Birmingham-Hoover MA	542,295	541,806	534,010	524,066	524,731	514,282	18,229	17,075	19,728	3.4%	3.2%	3.7%
Daphne-Fairhope-Foley MA	95,471	94,607	92,153	92,384	91,701	88,937	3,087	2,906	3,216	3.2%	3.1%	3.5%
Decatur MA	69,713	69,311	68,437	67,237	66,988	65,782	2,476	2,323	2,655	3.6%	3.4%	3.9%
Dothan MA	62,391	62,401	61,658	59,993	60,161	59,207	2,398	2,240	2,451	3.8%	3.6%	4.0%
Florence-Muscle Shoals MA	65,522	65,342	65,025	62,876	62,844	62,220	2,646	2,498	2,805	4.0%	3.8%	4.3%
Gadsden MA	43,530	43,349	43,026	41,851	41,777	41,234	1,679	1,572	1,792	3.9%	3.6%	4.2%
Huntsville MA	220,353	221,779	215,730	213,167	215,043	208,070	7,186	6,736	7,660	3.3%	3.0%	3.6%
Mobile MA	188,320	188,708	185,607	180,039	180,761	176,814	8,281	7,947	8,793	4.4%	4.2%	4.7%
Montgomery MA	172,806	172,700	172,609	166,507	166,748	166,200	6,299	5,952	6,409	3.6%	3.4%	3.7%
Tuscaloosa MA	115,528	115,286	111,959	110,973	111,565	107,530	4,555	3,721	4,429	3.9%	3.2%	4.0%

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 2017 benchmark.