

**Alabama Civilian Labor Force Data
Seasonally Adjusted - 2023 Benchmark**

	Jan 2023 (B)	Feb 2023 (B)	Mar 2023 (B)	Apr 2023 (B)	May 2023 (B)	Jun 2023 (B)	Jul 2023 (B)	Aug 2023 (B)	Sep 2023 (B)	Oct 2023 (B)	Nov 2023 (B)	Dec 2023 (B)
Labor Force	2,284,000	2,288,068	2,291,783	2,295,280	2,298,857	2,303,222	2,309,186	2,315,753	2,321,880	2,326,050	2,326,130	2,325,305
Employment	2,230,113	2,235,034	2,239,451	2,243,276	2,246,516	2,249,810	2,253,603	2,257,183	2,260,222	2,262,023	2,261,726	2,261,204
Unemployment	53,887	53,034	52,332	52,004	52,341	53,412	55,583	58,570	61,658	64,027	64,404	64,101
Unemployment Rate	2.4	2.3	2.3	2.3	2.3	2.3	2.4	2.5	2.7	2.8	2.8	2.8
	Jan 2022 (B)	Feb 2022 (B)	Mar 2022 (B)	Apr 2022 (B)	May 2022 (B)	Jun 2022 (B)	Jul 2022 (B)	Aug 2022 (B)	Sep 2022 (B)	Oct 2022 (B)	Nov 2022 (B)	Dec 2022 (B)
Labor Force	2,268,404	2,272,661	2,275,831	2,278,068	2,279,482	2,279,880	2,278,994	2,277,381	2,275,824	2,275,385	2,276,701	2,279,933
Employment	2,208,370	2,213,695	2,217,678	2,220,435	2,222,097	2,222,455	2,221,323	2,219,569	2,218,308	2,218,519	2,220,791	2,225,087
Unemployment	60,034	58,966	58,153	57,633	57,385	57,425	57,671	57,812	57,516	56,866	55,910	54,846
Unemployment Rate	2.6	2.6	2.6	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.4
	Jan 2021 (B)	Feb 2021 (B)	Mar 2021 (B)	Apr 2021 (B)	May 2021 (B)	Jun 2021 (B)	Jul 2021 (B)	Aug 2021 (B)	Sep 2021 (B)	Oct 2021 (B)	Nov 2021 (B)	Dec 2021 (B)
Labor Force	2,253,279	2,248,629	2,246,935	2,247,271	2,246,731	2,246,086	2,244,635	2,244,628	2,246,602	2,251,328	2,257,124	2,263,096
Employment	2,159,660	2,160,405	2,162,572	2,164,981	2,167,046	2,168,344	2,169,979	2,173,361	2,178,757	2,186,102	2,194,274	2,201,872
Unemployment	93,619	88,224	84,363	82,290	79,685	77,742	74,656	71,267	67,845	65,226	62,850	61,224
Unemployment Rate	4.2	3.9	3.8	3.7	3.5	3.5	3.3	3.2	3.0	2.9	2.8	2.7
	Jan 2020 (B)	Feb 2020 (B)	Mar 2020 (B)	Apr 2020 (B)	May 2020 (B)	Jun 2020 (B)	Jul 2020 (B)	Aug 2020 (B)	Sep 2020 (B)	Oct 2020 (B)	Nov 2020 (B)	Dec 2020 (B)
Labor Force	2,268,471	2,261,607	2,254,534	2,184,678	2,266,246	2,268,628	2,280,092	2,277,385	2,284,478	2,277,308	2,270,444	2,262,299
Employment	2,196,110	2,187,306	2,178,684	1,883,870	2,031,144	2,074,405	2,109,223	2,133,506	2,150,107	2,158,291	2,160,643	2,160,217
Unemployment	72,361	74,301	75,850	300,808	235,102	194,223	170,869	143,879	134,371	119,017	109,801	102,082
Unemployment Rate	3.2	3.3	3.4	13.8	10.4	8.6	7.5	6.3	5.9	5.2	4.8	4.5
	Jan 2019 (B)	Feb 2019 (B)	Mar 2019 (B)	Apr 2019 (B)	May 2019 (B)	Jun 2019 (B)	Jul 2019 (B)	Aug 2019 (B)	Sep 2019 (B)	Oct 2019 (B)	Nov 2019 (B)	Dec 2019 (B)
Labor Force	2,263,589	2,266,559	2,268,168	2,269,111	2,269,962	2,270,985	2,272,417	2,274,092	2,275,671	2,276,579	2,276,238	2,273,576
Employment	2,179,833	2,185,279	2,190,085	2,194,476	2,198,510	2,201,977	2,204,800	2,206,900	2,208,390	2,208,634	2,207,169	2,203,004
Unemployment	83,756	81,280	78,083	74,635	71,452	69,008	67,617	67,192	67,281	67,945	69,069	70,572
Unemployment Rate	3.7	3.6	3.4	3.3	3.1	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.1
	Jan 2018 (B)	Feb 2018 (B)	Mar 2018 (B)	Apr 2018 (B)	May 2018 (B)	Jun 2018 (B)	Jul 2018 (B)	Aug 2018 (B)	Sep 2018 (B)	Oct 2018 (B)	Nov 2018 (B)	Dec 2018 (B)
Labor Force	2,215,203	2,221,179	2,228,062	2,234,186	2,238,566	2,241,402	2,243,084	2,244,588	2,246,778	2,250,193	2,254,719	2,259,852
Employment	2,127,128	2,132,739	2,139,159	2,144,935	2,149,130	2,152,116	2,154,387	2,156,606	2,159,434	2,163,423	2,168,540	2,174,521
Unemployment	88,075	88,440	88,903	89,251	89,436	89,286	88,697	87,982	87,344	86,770	86,179	85,331
Unemployment Rate	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0	3.9	3.9	3.9	3.8	3.8
	Jan 2017 (B)	Feb 2017 (B)	Mar 2017 (B)	Apr 2017 (B)	May 2017 (B)	Jun 2017 (B)	Jul 2017 (B)	Aug 2017 (B)	Sep 2017 (B)	Oct 2017 (B)	Nov 2017 (B)	Dec 2017 (B)
Labor Force	2,199,177	2,199,698	2,200,069	2,200,718	2,201,642	2,202,497	2,203,232	2,203,843	2,204,575	2,205,842	2,207,993	2,211,270
Employment	2,079,074	2,084,290	2,089,481	2,094,737	2,100,033	2,104,727	2,108,489	2,111,469	2,114,006	2,116,522	2,119,284	2,122,773
Unemployment	120,103	115,408	110,588	105,981	101,609	97,770	94,743	92,374	90,569	89,320	88,709	88,497
Unemployment Rate	5.5	5.2	5.0	4.8	4.6	4.4	4.3	4.2	4.1	4.0	4.0	4.0
	Jan 2016 (B)	Feb 2016 (B)	Mar 2016 (B)	Apr 2016 (B)	May 2016 (B)	Jun 2016 (B)	Jul 2016 (B)	Aug 2016 (B)	Sep 2016 (B)	Oct 2016 (B)	Nov 2016 (B)	Dec 2016 (B)
Labor Force	2,138,981	2,143,456	2,146,821	2,149,261	2,151,573	2,154,315	2,157,474	2,160,744	2,163,777	2,166,110	2,167,734	2,168,771
Employment	2,009,234	2,014,380	2,018,777	2,022,346	2,025,350	2,028,210	2,031,143	2,034,025	2,036,649	2,039,127	2,042,073	2,045,834
Unemployment	129,747	129,076	128,044	126,915	126,223	126,105	126,331	126,719	127,128	126,983	125,661	122,937
Unemployment Rate	6.1	6.0	6.0	5.9	5.9	5.9	5.9	5.9	5.9	5.9	5.8	5.7
	Jan 2015 (B)	Feb 2015 (B)	Mar 2015 (B)	Apr 2015 (B)	May 2015 (B)	Jun 2015 (B)	Jul 2015 (B)	Aug 2015 (B)	Sep 2015 (B)	Oct 2015 (B)	Nov 2015 (B)	Dec 2015 (B)
Labor Force	2,166,771	2,170,601	2,174,960	2,170,166	2,164,519	2,157,472	2,149,701	2,142,296	2,136,055	2,135,797	2,127,937	2,133,700
Employment	2,034,786	2,038,928	2,042,936	2,037,552	2,031,470	2,024,484	2,017,218	2,010,491	2,004,972	2,005,232	1,997,567	2,003,525
Unemployment	131,985	131,673	132,024	132,614	133,049	132,988	132,483	131,805	131,083	130,565	130,370	130,175
Unemployment Rate	6.1	6.1	6.1	6.1	6.1	6.2	6.2	6.2	6.1	6.1	6.1	6.1

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Labor Force	2,165,971	2,166,876	2,167,429	2,166,887	2,165,427	2,164,102	2,163,245	2,162,943	2,162,865	2,162,682	2,162,723	2,163,996
Employment	2,010,942	2,012,653	2,014,263	2,015,052	2,015,410	2,016,249	2,017,648	2,019,514	2,021,615	2,023,989	2,026,910	2,030,603
Unemployment	155,029	154,223	153,166	151,835	150,017	147,853	145,597	143,429	141,250	138,693	135,813	133,393
Unemployment Rate	7.2	7.1	7.1	7.0	6.9	6.8	6.7	6.6	6.5	6.4	6.3	6.2
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Labor Force	2,181,651	2,178,756	2,175,993	2,174,613	2,174,482	2,174,677	2,174,320	2,172,637	2,169,847	2,167,230	2,165,715	2,165,388
Employment	2,015,043	2,013,876	2,013,323	2,014,210	2,015,808	2,016,898	2,016,720	2,015,204	2,013,022	2,011,093	2,010,028	2,009,949
Unemployment	166,608	164,880	162,670	160,403	158,674	157,779	157,600	157,433	156,825	156,137	155,687	155,439
Unemployment Rate	7.6	7.6	7.5	7.4	7.3	7.3	7.2	7.2	7.2	7.2	7.2	7.2
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Labor Force	2,179,750	2,175,635	2,173,644	2,173,494	2,174,754	2,176,818	2,178,985	2,180,942	2,182,771	2,184,006	2,184,400	2,183,700
Employment	1,993,523	1,992,089	1,991,104	1,991,037	1,992,484	1,995,546	1,999,860	2,004,716	2,009,352	2,012,918	2,015,057	2,015,725
Unemployment	186,227	183,546	182,540	182,457	182,270	181,272	179,125	176,226	173,419	171,088	169,343	167,975
Unemployment Rate	8.5	8.4	8.4	8.4	8.4	8.3	8.2	8.1	7.9	7.8	7.8	7.7
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Labor Force	2,214,624	2,212,917	2,210,958	2,208,488	2,205,934	2,203,524	2,201,393	2,199,378	2,197,051	2,194,108	2,190,069	2,185,010
Employment	1,991,574	1,991,849	1,991,840	1,990,933	1,989,359	1,987,938	1,987,565	1,988,543	1,990,625	1,992,980	1,994,495	1,994,618
Unemployment	223,050	221,068	219,118	217,555	216,575	215,586	213,828	210,835	206,426	201,128	195,574	190,392
Unemployment Rate	10.1	10.0	9.9	9.9	9.8	9.8	9.7	9.6	9.4	9.2	8.9	8.7
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Labor Force	2,143,297	2,145,780	2,146,904	2,197,720	2,211,777	2,214,822	2,215,237	2,215,825	2,216,902	2,217,869	2,217,791	2,216,409
Employment	1,906,185	1,909,481	1,912,541	1,966,202	1,983,756	1,990,063	1,992,482	1,993,456	1,993,580	1,993,177	1,992,440	1,991,718
Unemployment	237,112	236,299	234,363	231,518	228,021	224,759	222,755	222,369	223,322	224,692	225,351	224,691
Unemployment Rate	11.1	11.0	10.9	10.5	10.3	10.1	10.1	10.0	10.1	10.1	10.2	10.1
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Labor Force	2,170,615	2,169,888	2,168,962	2,167,672	2,165,514	2,162,128	2,157,556	2,152,222	2,146,808	2,142,208	2,139,947	2,140,674
Employment	1,989,308	1,978,083	1,968,035	1,959,272	1,950,906	1,942,142	1,932,774	1,923,196	1,914,421	1,907,643	1,904,011	1,903,811
Unemployment	181,307	191,805	200,927	208,400	214,608	219,986	224,782	229,026	232,387	234,565	235,936	236,863
Unemployment Rate	8.4	8.8	9.3	9.6	9.9	10.2	10.4	10.6	10.8	10.9	11.0	11.1
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Labor Force	2,182,712	2,182,002	2,181,312	2,180,544	2,179,601	2,178,622	2,177,334	2,175,532	2,173,629	2,172,322	2,171,630	2,171,169
Employment	2,083,744	2,079,970	2,075,441	2,070,085	2,063,894	2,057,140	2,049,897	2,041,980	2,033,141	2,023,364	2,012,593	2,001,037
Unemployment	98,968	102,032	105,871	110,459	115,707	121,482	127,437	133,552	140,488	148,958	159,037	170,132
Unemployment Rate	4.5	4.7	4.9	5.1	5.3	5.6	5.9	6.1	6.5	6.9	7.3	7.8
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Labor Force	2,187,339	2,185,202	2,182,257	2,179,466	2,177,514	2,176,642	2,176,801	2,177,930	2,179,782	2,181,628	2,182,775	2,183,086
Employment	2,103,550	2,101,371	2,098,155	2,094,744	2,091,810	2,089,809	2,088,783	2,088,560	2,088,878	2,088,944	2,088,237	2,086,564
Unemployment	83,789	83,831	84,102	84,722	85,704	86,833	88,018	89,370	90,904	92,684	94,538	96,522
Unemployment Rate	3.8	3.8	3.9	3.9	3.9	4.0	4.0	4.1	4.2	4.2	4.3	4.4
	Jan 2006 (B)	Feb 2006 (B)	Mar 2006 (B)	Apr 2006 (B)	May 2006 (B)	Jun 2006 (B)	Jul 2006 (B)	Aug 2006 (B)	Sep 2006 (B)	Oct 2006 (B)	Nov 2006 (B)	Dec 2006 (B)
Labor Force	2,151,174	2,153,411	2,156,335	2,159,713	2,163,359	2,167,159	2,171,367	2,176,026	2,180,689	2,184,587	2,187,215	2,188,157
Employment	2,062,219	2,065,225	2,068,505	2,071,802	2,075,386	2,079,399	2,084,065	2,089,301	2,094,591	2,099,223	2,102,582	2,104,100
Unemployment	88,955	88,186	87,830	87,911	87,973	87,760	87,302	86,725	86,098	85,364	84,633	84,057
Unemployment Rate	4.1	4.1	4.1	4.1	4.1	4.0	4.0	4.0	3.9	3.9	3.9	3.8

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Labor Force	2,131,703	2,131,888	2,132,542	2,133,797	2,135,881	2,138,558	2,141,446	2,144,070	2,146,009	2,147,374	2,148,494	2,149,633
Employment	2,025,399	2,028,403	2,032,012	2,036,225	2,040,891	2,045,463	2,049,425	2,052,511	2,054,667	2,056,388	2,058,020	2,059,843
Unemployment	106,304	103,485	100,530	97,572	94,990	93,095	92,021	91,559	91,342	90,986	90,474	89,790
Unemployment Rate	5.0	4.9	4.7	4.6	4.4	4.4	4.3	4.3	4.3	4.2	4.2	4.2
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Labor Force	2,135,079	2,136,691	2,138,605	2,140,692	2,142,378	2,143,069	2,142,414	2,140,490	2,137,912	2,135,435	2,133,332	2,132,075
Employment	2,009,233	2,011,207	2,013,596	2,016,465	2,019,286	2,021,471	2,022,549	2,022,542	2,021,961	2,021,520	2,021,719	2,023,018
Unemployment	125,846	125,484	125,009	124,227	123,092	121,598	119,865	117,948	115,951	113,915	111,613	109,057
Unemployment Rate	5.9	5.9	5.8	5.8	5.7	5.7	5.6	5.5	5.4	5.3	5.2	5.1
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Labor Force	2,121,823	2,123,538	2,125,759	2,127,689	2,128,612	2,128,804	2,128,750	2,129,017	2,129,622	2,130,528	2,131,842	2,133,454
Employment	1,997,102	1,998,284	1,999,675	2,000,568	2,000,426	1,999,701	1,999,284	1,999,855	2,001,329	2,003,261	2,005,331	2,007,337
Unemployment	124,721	125,254	126,084	127,121	128,186	129,103	129,466	129,162	128,293	127,267	126,511	126,117
Unemployment Rate	5.9	5.9	5.9	6.0	6.0	6.1	6.1	6.1	6.0	6.0	5.9	5.9
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Labor Force	2,111,713	2,109,535	2,107,910	2,107,382	2,108,221	2,110,206	2,112,596	2,114,858	2,116,974	2,118,563	2,119,803	2,120,743
Employment	1,986,380	1,983,890	1,982,330	1,981,979	1,982,996	1,985,266	1,987,969	1,990,399	1,992,438	1,993,897	1,995,132	1,996,169
Unemployment	125,333	125,645	125,580	125,403	125,225	124,940	124,627	124,459	124,536	124,666	124,671	124,574
Unemployment Rate	5.9	6.0	6.0	6.0	5.9	5.9	5.9	5.9	5.9	5.9	5.9	5.9
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Labor Force	2,141,777	2,141,500	2,139,257	2,135,072	2,130,035	2,125,294	2,122,119	2,120,291	2,119,126	2,118,136	2,116,512	2,114,191
Employment	2,040,374	2,038,930	2,035,813	2,030,986	2,025,197	2,019,160	2,013,716	2,008,675	2,003,790	1,999,094	1,994,393	1,989,957
Unemployment	101,403	102,570	103,444	104,086	104,838	106,134	108,403	111,616	115,336	119,042	122,119	124,234
Unemployment Rate	4.7	4.8	4.8	4.9	4.9	5.0	5.1	5.3	5.4	5.6	5.8	5.9
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Labor Force	2,155,396	2,155,360	2,154,461	2,152,933	2,150,985	2,148,644	2,145,873	2,143,247	2,141,123	2,139,926	2,139,965	2,140,886
Employment	2,054,501	2,055,016	2,054,647	2,053,544	2,051,877	2,049,598	2,046,851	2,044,264	2,042,203	2,041,001	2,040,616	2,040,648
Unemployment	100,895	100,344	99,814	99,389	99,108	99,046	99,022	98,983	98,920	98,925	99,349	100,238
Unemployment Rate	4.7	4.7	4.6	4.6	4.6	4.6	4.6	4.6	4.6	4.6	4.6	4.7
	Jan 1999 (B)	Feb 1999 (B)	Mar 1999 (B)	Apr 1999 (B)	May 1999 (B)	Jun 1999 (B)	Jul 1999 (B)	Aug 1999 (B)	Sep 1999 (B)	Oct 1999 (B)	Nov 1999 (B)	Dec 1999 (B)
Labor Force	2,145,883	2,146,853	2,148,065	2,149,267	2,150,068	2,150,499	2,150,635	2,150,575	2,150,783	2,151,556	2,152,910	2,154,424
Employment	2,047,925	2,048,086	2,048,175	2,048,045	2,047,678	2,047,450	2,047,462	2,047,648	2,048,264	2,049,394	2,051,106	2,053,068
Unemployment	97,958	98,767	99,890	101,222	102,390	103,049	103,173	102,927	102,519	102,162	101,804	101,356
Unemployment Rate	4.6	4.6	4.7	4.7	4.8	4.8	4.8	4.8	4.8	4.7	4.7	4.7
	Jan 1998 (B)	Feb 1998 (B)	Mar 1998 (B)	Apr 1998 (B)	May 1998 (B)	Jun 1998 (B)	Jul 1998 (B)	Aug 1998 (B)	Sep 1998 (B)	Oct 1998 (B)	Nov 1998 (B)	Dec 1998 (B)
Labor Force	2,143,042	2,143,140	2,142,936	2,142,385	2,141,884	2,141,637	2,141,431	2,141,496	2,142,100	2,143,068	2,144,105	2,145,047
Employment	2,047,388	2,048,758	2,049,134	2,048,713	2,047,919	2,046,918	2,045,672	2,044,872	2,044,910	2,045,738	2,046,835	2,047,579
Unemployment	95,654	94,382	93,802	93,672	93,965	94,719	95,759	96,624	97,190	97,330	97,270	97,468
Unemployment Rate	4.5	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.5	4.5	4.5	4.5	4.5	4.5
	Jan 1997 (B)	Feb 1997 (B)	Mar 1997 (B)	Apr 1997 (B)	May 1997 (B)	Jun 1997 (B)	Jul 1997 (B)	Aug 1997 (B)	Sep 1997 (B)	Oct 1997 (B)	Nov 1997 (B)	Dec 1997 (B)
Labor Force	2,118,833	2,121,101	2,123,294	2,126,031	2,129,081	2,132,077	2,135,036	2,137,759	2,139,990	2,141,619	2,142,520	2,142,893
Employment	2,009,942	2,012,414	2,015,220	2,018,538	2,021,980	2,025,352	2,028,916	2,032,565	2,036,259	2,039,774	2,042,801	2,045,347
Unemployment	108,891	108,687	108,074	107,493	107,101	106,725	106,120	105,194	103,731	101,845	99,719	97,546
Unemployment Rate	5.1	5.1	5.1	5.1	5.0	5.0	5.0	4.9	4.8	4.8	4.7	4.6

	Jan 1996 (B)	Feb 1996 (B)	Mar 1996 (B)	Apr 1996 (B)	May 1996 (B)	Jun 1996 (B)	Jul 1996 (B)	Aug 1996 (B)	Sep 1996 (B)	Oct 1996 (B)	Nov 1996 (B)	Dec 1996 (B)
Labor Force	2,068,045	2,069,647	2,072,789	2,077,361	2,082,905	2,088,801	2,094,676	2,100,380	2,105,533	2,109,820	2,113,270	2,116,205
Employment	1,955,199	1,957,709	1,961,434	1,966,726	1,973,363	1,980,603	1,987,805	1,994,400	1,999,611	2,003,211	2,005,595	2,007,664
Unemployment	112,846	111,938	111,355	110,635	109,542	108,198	106,871	105,980	105,922	106,609	107,675	108,541
Unemployment Rate	5.5	5.4	5.4	5.3	5.3	5.2	5.1	5.0	5.0	5.1	5.1	5.1
	Jan 1995 (B)	Feb 1995 (B)	Mar 1995 (B)	Apr 1995 (B)	May 1995 (B)	Jun 1995 (B)	Jul 1995 (B)	Aug 1995 (B)	Sep 1995 (B)	Oct 1995 (B)	Nov 1995 (B)	Dec 1995 (B)
Labor Force	2,063,222	2,064,034	2,064,578	2,064,899	2,065,176	2,065,524	2,066,181	2,066,920	2,067,404	2,067,660	2,067,700	2,067,617
Employment	1,942,035	1,942,492	1,942,434	1,942,123	1,941,947	1,942,300	1,943,377	1,945,059	1,947,133	1,949,307	1,951,431	1,953,285
Unemployment	121,187	121,542	122,144	122,776	123,229	123,224	122,804	121,861	120,271	118,353	116,269	114,332
Unemployment Rate	5.9	5.9	5.9	5.9	6.0	6.0	5.9	5.9	5.8	5.7	5.6	5.5
	Jan 1994 (B)	Feb 1994 (B)	Mar 1994 (B)	Apr 1994 (B)	May 1994 (B)	Jun 1994 (B)	Jul 1994 (B)	Aug 1994 (B)	Sep 1994 (B)	Oct 1994 (B)	Nov 1994 (B)	Dec 1994 (B)
Labor Force	2,009,497	2,012,659	2,015,266	2,017,666	2,020,873	2,025,757	2,032,389	2,039,982	2,047,405	2,053,700	2,058,507	2,061,653
Employment	1,875,035	1,880,447	1,885,645	1,890,547	1,895,841	1,902,131	1,909,474	1,917,265	1,924,730	1,931,317	1,936,715	1,940,381
Unemployment	134,462	132,212	129,621	127,119	125,032	123,626	122,915	122,717	122,675	122,383	121,792	121,272
Unemployment Rate	6.7	6.6	6.4	6.3	6.2	6.1	6.0	6.0	6.0	6.0	5.9	5.9
	Jan 1993 (B)	Feb 1993 (B)	Mar 1993 (B)	Apr 1993 (B)	May 1993 (B)	Jun 1993 (B)	Jul 1993 (B)	Aug 1993 (B)	Sep 1993 (B)	Oct 1993 (B)	Nov 1993 (B)	Dec 1993 (B)
Labor Force	1,982,813	1,986,436	1,990,369	1,994,118	1,997,263	1,999,503	2,000,343	2,000,375	2,000,625	2,001,456	2,003,156	2,006,031
Employment	1,834,554	1,838,024	1,842,086	1,846,262	1,850,022	1,852,992	1,854,984	1,856,654	1,858,865	1,861,721	1,865,241	1,869,779
Unemployment	148,259	148,412	148,283	147,856	147,241	146,511	145,359	143,721	141,760	139,735	137,915	136,252
Unemployment Rate	7.5	7.5	7.5	7.4	7.4	7.3	7.3	7.2	7.1	7.0	6.9	6.8
	Jan 1992 (B)	Feb 1992 (B)	Mar 1992 (B)	Apr 1992 (B)	May 1992 (B)	Jun 1992 (B)	Jul 1992 (B)	Aug 1992 (B)	Sep 1992 (B)	Oct 1992 (B)	Nov 1992 (B)	Dec 1992 (B)
Labor Force	1,934,181	1,938,121	1,943,590	1,950,784	1,958,510	1,965,499	1,971,012	1,974,481	1,975,981	1,976,841	1,978,029	1,979,921
Employment	1,789,192	1,791,892	1,796,132	1,802,202	1,809,171	1,815,979	1,821,865	1,826,061	1,828,276	1,829,571	1,830,691	1,832,107
Unemployment	144,989	146,229	147,458	148,582	149,339	149,520	149,147	148,420	147,705	147,270	147,338	147,814
Unemployment Rate	7.5	7.5	7.6	7.6	7.6	7.6	7.6	7.5	7.5	7.4	7.4	7.5
	Jan 1991 (B)	Feb 1991 (B)	Mar 1991 (B)	Apr 1991 (B)	May 1991 (B)	Jun 1991 (B)	Jul 1991 (B)	Aug 1991 (B)	Sep 1991 (B)	Oct 1991 (B)	Nov 1991 (B)	Dec 1991 (B)
Labor Force	1,917,535	1,920,462	1,923,032	1,924,595	1,925,021	1,924,639	1,923,943	1,923,588	1,924,313	1,925,981	1,928,281	1,931,005
Employment	1,779,517	1,780,932	1,782,147	1,782,930	1,783,310	1,783,477	1,783,529	1,783,691	1,784,311	1,785,187	1,786,147	1,787,353
Unemployment	138,018	139,530	140,885	141,665	141,711	141,162	140,414	139,897	140,002	140,794	142,134	143,652
Unemployment Rate	7.2	7.3	7.3	7.4	7.4	7.3	7.3	7.3	7.3	7.3	7.4	7.4
	Jan 1990 (B)	Feb 1990 (B)	Mar 1990 (B)	Apr 1990 (B)	May 1990 (B)	Jun 1990 (B)	Jul 1990 (B)	Aug 1990 (B)	Sep 1990 (B)	Oct 1990 (B)	Nov 1990 (B)	Dec 1990 (B)
Labor Force	1,909,599	1,911,140	1,911,528	1,910,872	1,909,814	1,908,682	1,908,004	1,908,217	1,909,249	1,910,838	1,912,839	1,915,065
Employment	1,781,120	1,782,802	1,783,545	1,783,238	1,782,230	1,780,728	1,779,120	1,777,844	1,777,113	1,776,913	1,777,357	1,778,346
Unemployment	128,479	128,338	127,983	127,634	127,584	127,954	128,884	130,373	132,136	133,925	135,482	136,719
Unemployment Rate	6.7	6.7	6.7	6.7	6.7	6.7	6.8	6.8	6.9	7.0	7.1	7.1
	Jan 1989 (B)	Feb 1989 (B)	Mar 1989 (B)	Apr 1989 (B)	May 1989 (B)	Jun 1989 (B)	Jul 1989 (B)	Aug 1989 (B)	Sep 1989 (B)	Oct 1989 (B)	Nov 1989 (B)	Dec 1989 (B)
Labor Force	1,891,022	1,892,378	1,893,970	1,895,717	1,897,363	1,898,894	1,900,380	1,901,655	1,902,626	1,903,733	1,905,242	1,907,341
Employment	1,755,003	1,757,381	1,759,554	1,761,463	1,762,934	1,764,236	1,765,871	1,768,107	1,770,729	1,773,474	1,776,188	1,778,818
Unemployment	136,019	134,997	134,416	134,254	134,429	134,658	134,509	133,548	131,897	130,259	129,054	128,523
Unemployment Rate	7.2	7.1	7.1	7.1	7.1	7.1	7.1	7.0	6.9	6.8	6.8	6.7
	Jan 1988 (B)	Feb 1988 (B)	Mar 1988 (B)	Apr 1988 (B)	May 1988 (B)	Jun 1988 (B)	Jul 1988 (B)	Aug 1988 (B)	Sep 1988 (B)	Oct 1988 (B)	Nov 1988 (B)	Dec 1988 (B)
Labor Force	1,872,638	1,870,796	1,868,482	1,866,560	1,866,008	1,867,290	1,870,241	1,874,400	1,879,024	1,883,380	1,886,984	1,889,429
Employment	1,733,412	1,733,404	1,732,653	1,731,673	1,731,433	1,732,527	1,734,921	1,738,124	1,741,612	1,745,275	1,748,902	1,752,163
Unemployment	139,226	137,392	135,829	134,887	134,575	134,763	135,320	136,276	137,412	138,105	138,082	137,266
Unemployment Rate	7.4	7.3	7.3	7.2	7.2	7.2	7.2	7.3	7.3	7.3	7.3	7.3

	Jan 1987 (B)	Feb 1987 (B)	Mar 1987 (B)	Apr 1987 (B)	May 1987 (B)	Jun 1987 (B)	Jul 1987 (B)	Aug 1987 (B)	Sep 1987 (B)	Oct 1987 (B)	Nov 1987 (B)	Dec 1987 (B)
Labor Force	1,861,861	1,862,425	1,863,312	1,864,450	1,865,599	1,866,710	1,867,798	1,869,136	1,870,854	1,872,460	1,873,514	1,873,624
Employment	1,690,980	1,695,213	1,700,251	1,705,678	1,710,928	1,715,585	1,719,387	1,722,541	1,725,552	1,728,348	1,730,817	1,732,573
Unemployment	170,881	167,212	163,061	158,772	154,671	151,125	148,411	146,595	145,302	144,112	142,697	141,051
Unemployment Rate	9.2	9.0	8.8	8.5	8.3	8.1	7.9	7.8	7.8	7.7	7.6	7.5
	Jan 1986 (B)	Feb 1986 (B)	Mar 1986 (B)	Apr 1986 (B)	May 1986 (B)	Jun 1986 (B)	Jul 1986 (B)	Aug 1986 (B)	Sep 1986 (B)	Oct 1986 (B)	Nov 1986 (B)	Dec 1986 (B)
Labor Force	1,827,550	1,834,254	1,841,290	1,848,011	1,853,587	1,857,645	1,860,219	1,861,412	1,861,591	1,861,374	1,861,124	1,861,334
Employment	1,656,221	1,659,603	1,663,497	1,667,939	1,672,576	1,676,854	1,680,422	1,682,856	1,684,084	1,684,820	1,685,756	1,687,738
Unemployment	171,329	174,651	177,793	180,072	181,011	180,791	179,797	178,556	177,507	176,554	175,368	173,596
Unemployment Rate	9.4	9.5	9.7	9.7	9.8	9.7	9.7	9.6	9.5	9.5	9.4	9.3
	Jan 1985 (B)	Feb 1985 (B)	Mar 1985 (B)	Apr 1985 (B)	May 1985 (B)	Jun 1985 (B)	Jul 1985 (B)	Aug 1985 (B)	Sep 1985 (B)	Oct 1985 (B)	Nov 1985 (B)	Dec 1985 (B)
Labor Force	1,799,624	1,801,567	1,801,810	1,800,578	1,798,990	1,798,404	1,799,526	1,802,236	1,806,241	1,811,150	1,816,377	1,821,688
Employment	1,617,064	1,621,366	1,623,864	1,625,007	1,625,773	1,627,270	1,629,958	1,634,061	1,639,287	1,644,727	1,649,453	1,653,092
Unemployment	182,560	180,201	177,946	175,571	173,217	171,134	169,568	168,175	166,954	166,423	166,924	168,596
Unemployment Rate	10.1	10.0	9.9	9.8	9.6	9.5	9.4	9.3	9.2	9.2	9.2	9.3
	Jan 1984 (B)	Feb 1984 (B)	Mar 1984 (B)	Apr 1984 (B)	May 1984 (B)	Jun 1984 (B)	Jul 1984 (B)	Aug 1984 (B)	Sep 1984 (B)	Oct 1984 (B)	Nov 1984 (B)	Dec 1984 (B)
Labor Force	1,775,460	1,776,943	1,779,442	1,782,498	1,785,534	1,787,806	1,788,839	1,789,158	1,789,576	1,790,785	1,793,233	1,796,526
Employment	1,557,955	1,563,259	1,568,978	1,574,780	1,580,120	1,584,542	1,587,926	1,590,801	1,594,044	1,598,410	1,604,282	1,611,019
Unemployment	217,505	213,684	210,464	207,718	205,414	203,264	200,913	198,357	195,532	192,375	188,951	185,507
Unemployment Rate	12.3	12.0	11.8	11.7	11.5	11.4	11.2	11.1	10.9	10.7	10.5	10.3
	Jan 1983 (B)	Feb 1983 (B)	Mar 1983 (B)	Apr 1983 (B)	May 1983 (B)	Jun 1983 (B)	Jul 1983 (B)	Aug 1983 (B)	Sep 1983 (B)	Oct 1983 (B)	Nov 1983 (B)	Dec 1983 (B)
Labor Force	1,738,100	1,737,094	1,737,472	1,740,441	1,746,093	1,753,368	1,760,993	1,767,730	1,772,535	1,774,869	1,775,186	1,774,964
Employment	1,478,740	1,479,636	1,482,980	1,489,054	1,497,406	1,507,143	1,517,530	1,527,681	1,536,684	1,543,891	1,549,141	1,553,354
Unemployment	259,360	257,458	254,492	251,387	248,687	246,225	243,463	240,049	235,851	230,978	226,045	221,610
Unemployment Rate	14.9	14.8	14.6	14.4	14.2	14.0	13.8	13.6	13.3	13.0	12.7	12.5
	Jan 1982 (B)	Feb 1982 (B)	Mar 1982 (B)	Apr 1982 (B)	May 1982 (B)	Jun 1982 (B)	Jul 1982 (B)	Aug 1982 (B)	Sep 1982 (B)	Oct 1982 (B)	Nov 1982 (B)	Dec 1982 (B)
Labor Force	1,696,066	1,701,014	1,705,264	1,709,179	1,713,158	1,717,506	1,722,420	1,727,495	1,732,062	1,735,656	1,738,155	1,738,941
Employment	1,480,163	1,479,948	1,479,530	1,478,975	1,478,707	1,478,887	1,479,496	1,480,152	1,480,336	1,479,997	1,479,607	1,479,174
Unemployment	215,903	221,066	225,734	230,204	234,451	238,619	242,924	247,343	251,726	255,659	258,548	259,767
Unemployment Rate	12.7	13.0	13.2	13.5	13.7	13.9	14.1	14.3	14.5	14.7	14.9	14.9
	Jan 1981 (B)	Feb 1981 (B)	Mar 1981 (B)	Apr 1981 (B)	May 1981 (B)	Jun 1981 (B)	Jul 1981 (B)	Aug 1981 (B)	Sep 1981 (B)	Oct 1981 (B)	Nov 1981 (B)	Dec 1981 (B)
Labor Force	1,685,498	1,688,377	1,691,098	1,692,219	1,690,978	1,687,704	1,683,638	1,680,501	1,679,619	1,681,576	1,685,624	1,690,724
Employment	1,522,218	1,522,734	1,523,245	1,522,540	1,519,595	1,514,252	1,506,961	1,498,987	1,491,854	1,486,599	1,483,079	1,480,970
Unemployment	163,280	165,643	167,853	169,679	171,383	173,452	176,677	181,514	187,765	194,977	202,545	209,754
Unemployment Rate	9.7	9.8	9.9	10.0	10.1	10.3	10.5	10.8	11.2	11.6	12.0	12.4
	Jan 1980 (B)	Feb 1980 (B)	Mar 1980 (B)	Apr 1980 (B)	May 1980 (B)	Jun 1980 (B)	Jul 1980 (B)	Aug 1980 (B)	Sep 1980 (B)	Oct 1980 (B)	Nov 1980 (B)	Dec 1980 (B)
Labor Force	1,672,687	1,673,059	1,673,967	1,675,653	1,677,891	1,680,474	1,682,886	1,684,284	1,684,447	1,683,774	1,683,165	1,683,630
Employment	1,546,209	1,543,743	1,540,076	1,536,048	1,532,322	1,529,535	1,527,894	1,526,925	1,525,980	1,524,552	1,523,039	1,522,224
Unemployment	126,478	129,316	133,891	139,605	145,569	150,939	154,992	157,359	158,467	159,222	160,126	161,406
Unemployment Rate	7.6	7.7	8.0	8.3	8.7	9.0	9.2	9.3	9.4	9.5	9.5	9.6
	Jan 1979 (B)	Feb 1979 (B)	Mar 1979 (B)	Apr 1979 (B)	May 1979 (B)	Jun 1979 (B)	Jul 1979 (B)	Aug 1979 (B)	Sep 1979 (B)	Oct 1979 (B)	Nov 1979 (B)	Dec 1979 (B)
Labor Force	1,647,083	1,649,483	1,651,916	1,654,464	1,657,348	1,660,470	1,663,440	1,666,328	1,669,055	1,671,084	1,672,076	1,672,440
Employment	1,533,846	1,534,802	1,535,922	1,537,206	1,538,757	1,540,401	1,542,100	1,543,883	1,545,533	1,546,854	1,547,532	1,547,367
Unemployment	113,237	114,681	115,994	117,258	118,591	120,069	121,340	122,445	123,522	124,230	124,544	125,073
Unemployment Rate	6.9	7.0	7.0	7.1	7.2	7.2	7.3	7.3	7.4	7.4	7.4	7.5

	Jan 1978 (B)	Feb 1978 (B)	Mar 1978 (B)	Apr 1978 (B)	May 1978 (B)	Jun 1978 (B)	Jul 1978 (B)	Aug 1978 (B)	Sep 1978 (B)	Oct 1978 (B)	Nov 1978 (B)	Dec 1978 (B)
Labor Force	1,598,628	1,603,342	1,607,107	1,610,270	1,613,550	1,617,496	1,622,316	1,627,501	1,632,310	1,636,636	1,640,650	1,644,203
Employment	1,495,923	1,501,651	1,506,400	1,510,271	1,513,699	1,517,187	1,520,668	1,523,802	1,526,379	1,528,574	1,530,696	1,532,571
Unemployment	102,705	101,691	100,707	99,999	99,851	100,309	101,648	103,699	105,931	108,062	109,954	111,632
Unemployment Rate	6.4	6.3	6.3	6.2	6.2	6.2	6.3	6.4	6.5	6.6	6.7	6.8
	Jan 1977 (B)	Feb 1977 (B)	Mar 1977 (B)	Apr 1977 (B)	May 1977 (B)	Jun 1977 (B)	Jul 1977 (B)	Aug 1977 (B)	Sep 1977 (B)	Oct 1977 (B)	Nov 1977 (B)	Dec 1977 (B)
Labor Force	1,532,500	1,539,540	1,546,469	1,553,113	1,559,061	1,564,005	1,568,040	1,571,784	1,576,145	1,581,419	1,587,306	1,593,178
Employment	1,420,756	1,425,519	1,430,705	1,436,379	1,442,398	1,448,414	1,454,342	1,460,345	1,467,013	1,474,464	1,482,145	1,489,366
Unemployment	111,744	114,021	115,764	116,734	116,663	115,591	113,698	111,439	109,132	106,955	105,161	103,812
Unemployment Rate	7.3	7.4	7.5	7.5	7.5	7.4	7.3	7.1	6.9	6.8	6.6	6.5
	Jan 1976 (B)	Feb 1976 (B)	Mar 1976 (B)	Apr 1976 (B)	May 1976 (B)	Jun 1976 (B)	Jul 1976 (B)	Aug 1976 (B)	Sep 1976 (B)	Oct 1976 (B)	Nov 1976 (B)	Dec 1976 (B)
Labor Force	1,484,555	1,483,950	1,484,241	1,487,233	1,491,392	1,496,160	1,500,730	1,505,121	1,509,649	1,514,447	1,519,811	1,525,827
Employment	1,386,023	1,385,675	1,386,793	1,390,787	1,395,320	1,399,430	1,402,364	1,404,636	1,407,083	1,409,795	1,412,921	1,416,558
Unemployment	98,532	98,275	97,448	96,446	96,072	96,730	98,366	100,485	102,566	104,652	106,890	109,269
Unemployment Rate	6.6	6.6	6.6	6.5	6.4	6.5	6.6	6.7	6.8	6.9	7.0	7.2