

**HOUSEHOLD DATA
ANNUAL AVERAGES**

28. Unemployed persons by reason for unemployment, race, and Hispanic or Latino ethnicity

(Numbers in thousands)

Reason	White		Black or African American		Asian		Hispanic or Latino ethnicity	
	2005	2006	2005	2006	2005	2006	2005	2006
NUMBER OF UNEMPLOYED								
Total unemployed	5,350	5,002	1,700	1,549	259	205	1,191	1,081
Job losers and persons who completed temporary jobs	2,681	2,479	770	660	104	83	585	522
On temporary layoff	755	764	137	115	14	13	151	159
Not on temporary layoff	1,926	1,715	634	545	90	70	434	363
Permanent job losers	1,405	1,236	422	351	70	54	273	216
Persons who completed temporary jobs	521	479	212	194	20	16	161	147
Job leavers	654	608	147	161	35	22	113	107
Reentrants	1,589	1,514	596	564	92	75	355	331
New entrants	425	401	186	164	28	25	139	121
PERCENT DISTRIBUTION								
Total unemployed	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Job losers and persons who completed temporary jobs	50.1	49.6	45.3	42.6	40.2	40.4	49.1	48.3
On temporary layoff	14.1	15.3	8.0	7.4	5.4	6.4	12.7	14.7
Not on temporary layoff	36.0	34.3	37.3	35.2	34.7	34.1	36.5	33.6
Job leavers	12.2	12.2	8.7	10.4	13.6	10.9	9.5	9.9
Reentrants	29.7	30.3	35.1	36.4	35.6	36.6	29.8	30.7
New entrants	8.0	8.0	11.0	10.6	10.7	12.1	11.6	11.2
UNEMPLOYED AS A PERCENT OF THE CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE								
Job losers and persons who completed temporary jobs	2.2	2.0	4.5	3.8	1.6	1.2	3.0	2.5
Job leavers5	.5	.9	.9	.5	.3	.6	.5
Reentrants	1.3	1.2	3.5	3.3	1.4	1.1	1.8	1.6
New entrants3	.3	1.1	.9	.4	.4	.7	.6

NOTE: Estimates for the above race groups (white, black or African American, and Asian) do not sum to totals because data are not presented for all races. In addition, persons whose ethnicity is identified as Hispanic or Latino may be of any race and, therefore, are classified by ethnicity as well as by race. Beginning in January 2006, data reflect revised population controls used in the household survey.