

**HOUSEHOLD DATA
ANNUAL AVERAGES**

25. Unemployed persons by occupation and sex

[Numbers in thousands]

Occupation	Total unemployed		Unemployment rates					
	2019	2020	Total		Men		Women	
			2019	2020	2019	2020	2019	2020
Total, 16 years and over ¹	6,001	12,947	3.7	8.1	3.7	7.8	3.6	8.3
Management, professional, and related occupations.....	1,310	3,029	2.0	4.5	1.8	4.2	2.1	4.9
Management, business, and financial operations occupations.....	499	1,149	1.8	4.1	1.7	3.8	2.0	4.4
Management occupations.....	314	752	1.6	3.9	1.5	3.6	1.8	4.3
Business and financial operations occupations.....	185	397	2.3	4.4	2.0	4.3	2.5	4.6
Professional and related occupations.....	811	1,880	2.1	4.9	2.0	4.6	2.2	5.1
Computer and mathematical occupations.....	107	199	2.0	3.4	1.8	3.5	2.4	3.3
Architecture and engineering occupations.....	58	117	1.7	3.6	1.6	3.4	2.2	4.3
Life, physical, and social science occupations.....	27	72	1.8	4.3	2.4	4.8	1.2	3.7
Community and social service occupations.....	56	87	2.0	3.1	1.9	2.9	2.1	3.2
Legal occupations.....	27	53	1.4	2.7	1.0	2.9	1.6	2.6
Education, training, and library occupations.....	279	678	2.9	7.1	2.9	5.8	2.9	7.5
Arts, design, entertainment, sports, and media occupations.....	121	372	3.5	10.9	3.6	12.3	3.5	9.5
Healthcare practitioners and technical occupations.....	136	303	1.4	3.1	1.0	2.5	1.5	3.3
Service occupations.....	1,255	3,407	4.4	13.0	4.8	12.6	4.2	13.3
Healthcare support occupations.....	122	380	3.1	7.3	2.8	7.5	3.2	7.3
Protective service occupations.....	93	162	2.9	5.1	2.3	3.9	4.8	8.7
Food preparation and serving related occupations.....	491	1,595	5.5	19.6	6.1	20.8	5.0	18.5
Building and grounds cleaning and maintenance occupations.....	310	623	5.1	10.9	5.6	9.4	4.4	13.1
Personal care and service occupations.....	239	648	3.9	16.0	4.4	17.5	3.7	15.5
Sales and office occupations.....	1,274	2,591	3.7	8.0	3.5	7.2	3.8	8.5
Sales and related occupations.....	614	1,367	3.8	8.8	2.9	6.9	4.7	10.8
Office and administrative support occupations.....	659	1,224	3.6	7.3	4.3	7.9	3.3	7.1
Natural resources, construction, and maintenance occupations.....	703	1,298	4.7	8.9	4.4	8.6	9.0	12.5
Farming, fishing, and forestry occupations.....	123	120	9.6	10.3	7.7	8.4	14.8	15.7
Construction and extraction occupations.....	452	862	5.2	10.1	5.1	10.0	6.1	10.6
Installation, maintenance, and repair occupations.....	129	316	2.6	6.4	2.5	6.2	3.7	10.9
Production, transportation, and material moving occupations.....	847	2,076	4.3	10.2	4.2	9.8	4.9	11.6
Production occupations.....	350	747	3.9	9.0	3.7	8.5	4.5	10.0
Transportation and material moving occupations.....	497	1,329	4.7	11.1	4.5	10.6	5.4	13.2
No previous work experience.....	591	526	-	-	-	-	-	-
16 to 19 years.....	323	275	-	-	-	-	-	-
20 to 24 years.....	146	144	-	-	-	-	-	-
25 years and over.....	121	107	-	-	-	-	-	-

¹ Includes a small number of persons whose last job was in the Armed Forces.

NOTE: Updated population controls are introduced annually with the release of January data. Effective with January 2020 data, occupations reflect the introduction of the 2018 Census occupational classification system, derived from the 2018 Standard Occupational Classification (SOC). No historical data have been revised. Data for 2020 are not strictly comparable with earlier years. Dash indicates no data or data that do not meet publication criteria (values not shown where base is less than 50,000).