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METROPOLITAN AREA EMPLOYMENT AND UNEMPLOYMENT — MARCH 2014

Unemployment rates were lower in March than a year earlier in 333 of the 372 metropolitan areas, higher in 30 areas, and unchanged in 9 areas, the U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics reported today. Twenty-five areas had jobless rates of at least 10.0 percent and 59 areas had rates of less than 5.0 percent. Two hundred ninety-nine metropolitan areas had over-the-year increases in nonfarm payroll employment, 59 areas had decreases, and 14 areas had no change. The national unemployment rate in March was 6.8 percent, not seasonally adjusted, down from 7.6 percent a year earlier.

Metropolitan Area Unemployment (Not Seasonally Adjusted)

Yuma, Ariz., and El Centro, Calif., had the highest unemployment rates in March, 22.5 percent and 21.4 percent, respectively. Midland, Texas, had the lowest unemployment rate, 2.7 percent. A total of 213 areas had March unemployment rates below the U.S. figure of 6.8 percent, 153 areas had rates above it, and 6 areas had rates equal to that of the nation. (See table 1 and the map.)

Rocky Mount, N.C., had the largest over-the-year unemployment rate decrease in March (-2.8 percentage points). Twenty-one other areas had rate declines of at least 2.0 percentage points, and an additional 139 areas had declines of at least 1.0 point. Anniston-Oxford, Ala., had the largest over-the-year jobless rate increase (+1.0 percentage point). The next largest increase was in Cape Girardeau-Jackson, Mo.-Ill. (+0.9 percentage point).

Of the 49 metropolitan areas with a Census 2000 population of 1 million or more, Providence-Fall River-Warwick, R.I.-Mass., and Riverside-San Bernardino-Ontario, Calif., had the highest unemployment rates in March, 9.4 percent each. Austin-Round Rock-San Marcos, Texas, had the lowest jobless rate among the large areas, 4.4 percent. Forty-five of the large areas had over-the-year unemployment rate decreases, while two had increases and two had no change. The largest unemployment rate declines occurred in Charlotte-Gastonia-Rock Hill, N.C.-S.C., and Indianapolis-Carmel, Ind. (-1.9 percentage points each). The two over-the-year rate increases occurred in Birmingham-Hoover, Ala. (+0.5 percentage point), and St. Louis, Mo.-Ill. (+0.2 point).

Metropolitan Division Unemployment (Not Seasonally Adjusted)

Eleven of the most populous metropolitan areas are made up of 34 metropolitan divisions, which are essentially separately identifiable employment centers. In March, Lawrence-Methuen-Salem, Mass.-N.H., had the highest jobless rate among the divisions, 10.1 percent. Bethesda-Rockville-Frederick, Md., had the lowest division rate, 4.6 percent. (See table 2.)

Thirty-three of the metropolitan divisions had over-the-year jobless rate decreases in March and one had an increase. Detroit-Livonia-Dearborn, Mich., had the largest rate decline from a year earlier (-1.7 percentage points). Fifteen other divisions had rate decreases of 1.0 percentage point or more. Seattle-Bellevue-Everett, Wash., had the only unemployment rate increase from a year earlier (+0.1 percentage point).

Metropolitan Area Nonfarm Employment (Not Seasonally Adjusted)

In March, 299 metropolitan areas had over-the-year increases in nonfarm payroll employment, 59 had decreases, and 14 had no change. The largest over-the-year employment increases occurred in Los Angeles-Long Beach-Santa Ana, Calif. (+119,000), Dallas-Fort Worth-Arlington, Texas (+92,700), and New York-Northern New Jersey-Long Island, N.Y.-N.J.-Pa. (+89,500). The largest over-the-year percentage gain in employment occurred in Ocean City, N.J. (+9.2 percent), followed by Kokomo, Ind. (+5.5 percent), and Napa, Calif., and Pascagoula, Miss. (+5.2 percent each). (See table 3.)

The largest over-the-year decrease in employment occurred in Pittsburgh, Pa. (-5,400), followed by Detroit-Warren-Livonia, Mich. (-4,400), and Atlantic City-Hammonton, N.J. (-3,600). The largest over-the-year percentage decreases in employment occurred in Anniston-Oxford, Ala. (-4.2 percent), Danville, Va. (-3.2 percent), and Atlantic City-Hammonton, N.J., Brunswick, Ga., and Warner Robins, Ga. (-2.7 percent each).

Over the year, nonfarm employment rose in 35 of the 38 metropolitan areas with annual average employment levels above 750,000 in 2013 and decreased in 3. The largest over-the-year percentage increase in employment in these large metropolitan areas occurred in San Jose-Sunnyvale-Santa Clara, Calif. (+4.3 percent), followed by Austin-Round Rock-San Marcos, Texas (+3.9 percent), and Las Vegas-Paradise, Nev. (+3.6 percent). The over-the-year percentage decreases in employment occurred in Pittsburgh, Pa. (-0.5 percent), Virginia Beach-Norfolk-Newport News, Va.-N.C. (-0.3 percent), and Detroit-Warren-Livonia, Mich. (-0.2 percent).

Metropolitan Division Nonfarm Employment (Not Seasonally Adjusted)

Nonfarm payroll employment data were available in March 2014 for 32 metropolitan divisions, which are essentially separately identifiable employment centers within a metropolitan area. Twenty-eight of the 32 metropolitan divisions had over-the-year employment gains and 4 had losses. The largest over-the-year increase in employment among the metropolitan divisions occurred in Los Angeles-Long Beach-Glendale, Calif. (+87,500), followed by New York-White Plains-Wayne, N.Y.-N.J. (+83,200), and Dallas-Plano-Irving, Texas (+72,600). The over-the-year decreases in employment occurred in Detroit-Livonia-Dearborn, Mich. (-6,200), Edison-New Brunswick, N.J. (-4,900), Camden, N.J. (-4,000), and Gary, Ind. (-2,100). (See table 4.)

The largest over-the-year percentage increase in employment among the metropolitan divisions occurred in Dallas-Plano-Irving, Texas (+3.4 percent), followed by Fort Lauderdale-Pompano Beach-Deerfield

Beach, Fla. (+3.3 percent), and Miami-Miami Beach-Kendall, Fla. (+3.1 percent). The over-the-year percentage decreases in employment occurred in Detroit-Livonia-Dearborn, Mich. (-0.9 percent), Camden, N.J., and Gary, Ind. (-0.8 percent each), and Edison-New Brunswick, N.J. (-0.5 percent).

The Regional and State Employment and Unemployment news release for April is scheduled to be released on Friday, May 16, 2014, at 10:00 a.m. (EDT). The Metropolitan Area Employment and Unemployment news release for April is scheduled to be released on Wednesday, May 28, 2014, at 10:00 a.m. (EDT).

Technical Note

This release presents labor force and unemployment data from the Local Area Unemployment Statistics (LAUS) program (tables 1 and 2) for 372 metropolitan statistical areas and metropolitan New England City and Town Areas (NECTAs), plus 8 areas in Puerto Rico. Estimates for 34 metropolitan and NECTA divisions also are presented. Nonfarm payroll employment estimates from the Current Employment Statistics (CES) program (tables 3 and 4) are provided for most of the same areas. State estimates were previously published in the news release, *Regional and State Employment and Unemployment*, and are republished in this release for ease of reference. The LAUS and CES programs are both federal-state cooperative endeavors.

Labor force and unemployment—from the LAUS program

Definitions. The labor force and unemployment data are based on the same concepts and definitions as those used for the official national estimates obtained from the Current Population Survey (CPS), a sample survey of households that is conducted for the Bureau of Labor Statistics (BLS) by the U.S. Census Bureau. The LAUS program measures employment and unemployment on a place-of-residence basis. The universe for each is the civilian noninstitutional population 16 years of age and over. *Employed* persons are those who did any work at all for pay or profit in the reference week (the week including the 12th of the month) or worked 15 hours or more without pay in a family business or farm, plus those not working who had a job from which they were temporarily absent, whether or not paid, for such reasons as labor-management dispute, illness, or vacation. *Unemployed* persons are those who were not employed during the reference week (based on the definition above), had actively looked for a job sometime in the 4-week period ending with the reference week, and were currently available for work; persons on layoff expecting recall need not be looking for work to be counted as unemployed. The *labor force* is the sum of employed and unemployed persons. The *unemployment rate* is the number of unemployed as a percent of the labor force.

Method of estimation. Estimates for states, the District of Columbia, the Los Angeles-Long Beach-Glendale metropolitan division, and New York City are produced using time-series models with real-time benchmarking to national CPS totals. Model-based estimation was extended to the following areas and their respective balances of state in 2005: the Chicago-Joliet-Naperville, IL Metropolitan Division; Cleveland-Elyria-Mentor, OH Metropolitan Statistical Area; Detroit-Warren-Livonia, MI Metropolitan Statistical Area; Miami-Miami Beach-Kendall, FL Metropolitan Division; New Orleans-Metairie-Kenner, LA Metropolitan Statistical Area; and Seattle-Bellevue-Everett, WA Metropolitan Division. (Model-based estimation of the New Orleans-Metairie-Kenner metropolitan area was suspended following Hurricane Katrina; the indirect estimation methods described

below will be used for this area until further notice.) Modeling improves the statistical basis of the estimation for these areas and provides important tools for analysis, such as measures of errors and seasonally adjusted series. For all other substate areas in this release, estimates are prepared through indirect estimation procedures using a building-block approach. Employment estimates, which are based largely on “place of work” estimates from the CES program, are adjusted to refer to place of residence as used in the CPS. Unemployment estimates are aggregates of persons previously employed in industries covered by state unemployment insurance (UI) laws and entrants to the labor force data from the CPS. The substate estimates of employment and unemployment, which geographically exhaust the entire state, are adjusted proportionally to ensure that they add to the independently estimated state or balance-of-state totals. A detailed description of the estimation procedures is available from BLS upon request.

Annual revisions. Labor force and unemployment data shown for the prior year reflect adjustments made at the end of each year, usually implemented with January estimates. The adjusted model-based estimates reflect updated population data from the U.S. Census Bureau, any revisions in the other data sources, and model reestimation. All substate estimates are reestimated and adjusted to add to the revised model-based estimates.

Employment—from the CES program

Definitions. Employment data refer to persons on establishment payrolls who receive pay for any part of the pay period that includes the 12th of the month. Persons are counted at their place of work rather than at their place of residence; those appearing on more than one payroll are counted on each payroll. Industries are classified on the basis of their principal activity in accordance with the 2012 version of the North American Industry Classification System.

Method of estimation. CES State and Area employment data are produced using several estimation procedures. Where possible these data are produced using a “weighted link relative” estimation technique in which a ratio of current-month weighted employment to that of the previous-month weighted employment is computed from a sample of establishments reporting for both months. The estimates of employment for the current month are then obtained by multiplying these ratios by the previous month’s employment estimates. The weighted link relative technique is utilized for data series where the sample size meets certain statistical criteria.

For some employment series, relatively small sample sizes limit the reliability of the weighted link-relative estimates. In these cases, BLS uses the CES small domain model (SDM) to generate employment estimates. The SDM combines the direct sample estimates (described above) and forecasts of

historical (benchmarked) data to decrease the volatility of the estimates. For more detailed information about the CES small domain model, refer to the BLS Handbook of Methods.

Annual revisions. Employment estimates are adjusted annually to a complete count of jobs, called benchmarks, derived principally from tax reports that are submitted by employers who are covered under state unemployment insurance (UI) laws. The benchmark information is used to adjust the monthly estimates between the new benchmark and the preceding one and also to establish the level of employment for the new benchmark month. Thus, the benchmarking process establishes the level of employment, and the sample is used to measure the month-to-month changes in the level for the subsequent months.

Seasonal adjustment. Payroll employment data are seasonally adjusted for states, metropolitan areas, and metropolitan divisions at the total nonfarm level. For states, data are seasonally adjusted at the supersector level as well. In some metropolitan areas deemed large enough to be subdivided into metropolitan divisions, the seasonally adjusted payroll employment totals are computed by aggregating the seasonally adjusted total nonfarm estimates for each of the component metropolitan divisions. Revisions of historical data for the most recent 5 years are made once a year, coincident with annual benchmark adjustments.

Reliability of the estimates

The estimates presented in this release are based on sample surveys, administrative data, and modeling and, thus, are subject to sampling and other types of errors. Sampling error is a measure of sampling variability—that is, variation that occurs by chance because a sample rather than the entire population is surveyed. Survey data also are subject to nonsampling errors, such as those which can be introduced into the data collection and processing operations. Estimates not directly derived from sample surveys are subject to additional errors resulting from the specific estimation processes used. The sums of individual items may not always equal the totals shown in the same tables because of rounding. Unemployment rates are computed from unrounded data and thus may differ slightly from rates computed using the rounded data displayed in the tables.

Labor force and unemployment estimates. Measures of sampling error are not available for metropolitan areas or metropolitan divisions. Model-based error measures for states are available on the BLS website at www.bls.gov/lau/lastderr.htm. Measures of nonsampling error are not available for the areas contained in this release. Information on recent data revisions for states and local areas is available online at www.bls.gov/lau/launews1.htm.

Employment estimates. Measures of sampling error are available for metropolitan areas or metropolitan divisions upon request. Measures of sampling error for states down to the supersector level are available on the BLS website at www.bls.gov/sae/790stderr.htm. Measures of nonsampling error are not available for the areas contained in this release. Information on recent benchmark revisions is available online at www.bls.gov/sae/.

Area definitions

The substate area data published in this release reflect the standards and definitions established by the U.S. Office of Management and Budget on December 1, 2009. Data reflect New England City and Town Area (NECTA) definitions, rather than county-based definitions, in the six New England States. A detailed list of the geographic definitions is available at www.bls.gov/lau/lausmsa.htm.

Additional information

More complete information on the technical procedures used to develop these estimates and additional data appear in *Employment and Earnings Online*.

Estimates of unadjusted and seasonally adjusted labor force and unemployment data for states, census regions and divisions, and seven substate areas are available in the news release, *Regional and State Employment and Unemployment*. Estimates of labor force and unemployment for all states, metropolitan areas, labor market areas, counties, cities with a population of 25,000 or more, and other areas used in the administration of various federal economic assistance programs are available on the Internet at www.bls.gov/lau/. Employment data from the CES program are available on the BLS website at www.bls.gov/sae/.

Information in this release will be made available to sensory impaired individuals upon request. Voice phone: (202) 691-5200; Federal Relay Service: (800) 877-8339.

Table 1. Civilian labor force and unemployment by state and metropolitan area

(Numbers in thousands)

State and area	Civilian labor force				Unemployed							
					Number				Percent of labor force			
	February		March		February		March		February		March	
	2013	2014	2013	2014 ^P	2013	2014	2013	2014 ^P	2013	2014	2013	2014 ^P
Alabama	2,141.7	2,133.6	2,135.7	2,147.0	154.2	156.0	137.0	149.2	7.2	7.3	6.4	6.9
Anniston-Oxford	51.3	49.2	50.9	49.5	3.9	4.0	3.4	3.9	7.7	8.1	6.8	7.8
Auburn-Opeлика	68.6	70.2	68.4	70.5	4.0	4.1	3.7	4.1	5.9	5.9	5.4	5.7
Birmingham-Hoover	527.9	528.5	525.3	531.3	33.8	34.2	29.6	32.4	6.4	6.5	5.6	6.1
Decatur	71.3	70.8	71.1	70.3	5.1	5.1	4.5	4.9	7.1	7.3	6.3	7.0
Dothan	62.8	61.2	62.5	61.8	4.5	4.5	3.9	4.3	7.2	7.4	6.3	6.9
Florence-Muscle Shoals	68.0	68.3	67.8	69.1	4.9	4.9	4.1	4.7	7.2	7.2	6.1	6.8
Gadsden	44.6	45.1	44.3	45.4	3.3	3.5	2.9	3.3	7.4	7.8	6.6	7.2
Huntsville	213.4	212.2	212.5	213.7	13.2	13.7	11.7	13.1	6.2	6.5	5.5	6.1
Mobile	183.4	182.2	183.2	183.1	15.3	14.8	14.0	14.3	8.3	8.1	7.7	7.8
Montgomery	166.9	166.2	166.7	166.7	12.1	12.3	10.9	12.0	7.2	7.4	6.5	7.2
Tuscaloosa	101.1	101.4	100.9	102.1	6.8	6.8	6.2	6.7	6.7	6.7	6.1	6.6
Alaska	360.5	362.1	359.4	363.8	26.6	27.8	25.1	27.0	7.4	7.7	7.0	7.4
Anchorage	200.6	200.3	199.3	201.1	12.1	12.7	11.6	12.5	6.0	6.3	5.8	6.2
Fairbanks	45.3	45.3	45.2	45.4	3.0	3.0	2.8	2.9	6.7	6.6	6.2	6.3
Arizona	3,015.9	2,997.6	3,005.7	3,050.1	239.5	211.9	234.0	222.9	7.9	7.1	7.8	7.3
Flagstaff	69.7	70.1	69.7	71.6	6.0	5.4	5.8	5.6	8.5	7.7	8.4	7.8
Lake Havasu City-Kingman	83.9	82.5	83.7	84.3	8.4	7.2	8.1	7.4	10.0	8.7	9.7	8.8
Phoenix-Mesa-Glendale	2,046.4	2,042.1	2,041.2	2,078.2	141.8	125.5	138.9	133.4	6.9	6.1	6.8	6.4
Prescott	89.9	90.7	89.4	91.9	7.7	6.3	7.5	6.6	8.6	6.9	8.3	7.2
Tucson	454.5	448.6	452.8	457.8	31.8	28.1	31.1	30.1	7.0	6.3	6.9	6.6
Yuma	89.0	85.2	87.4	85.4	21.2	19.5	20.6	19.2	23.9	22.9	23.6	22.5
Arkansas	1,316.6	1,321.7	1,317.5	1,322.9	107.8	99.9	99.1	92.5	8.2	7.6	7.5	7.0
Fayetteville-Springdale-Rogers	231.1	234.0	231.9	235.0	14.2	13.0	13.1	12.6	6.1	5.6	5.7	5.4
Fort Smith	130.2	128.7	129.9	128.5	11.4	9.5	10.5	8.9	8.8	7.4	8.1	6.9
Hot Springs	40.6	41.2	40.7	41.4	3.4	3.2	3.2	2.9	8.5	7.7	7.8	7.1
Jonesboro	58.7	60.0	58.5	60.0	4.5	4.2	4.2	3.9	7.6	7.1	7.1	6.6
Little Rock-North Little Rock-Conway	337.9	337.0	337.2	338.3	24.6	22.5	22.8	21.4	7.3	6.7	6.8	6.3
Pine Bluff	41.6	41.0	41.4	40.9	4.3	4.2	4.1	3.8	10.4	10.1	9.8	9.4
California	18,605.4	18,624.3	18,537.6	18,685.4	1,803.1	1,580.3	1,739.7	1,575.7	9.7	8.5	9.4	8.4
Bakersfield-Delano	391.9	390.8	384.1	386.3	53.1	49.0	52.4	50.7	13.5	12.5	13.6	13.1
Chico	103.2	104.3	102.1	103.8	11.7	10.4	11.2	10.3	11.3	10.0	11.0	9.9
El Centro	80.8	79.0	79.4	79.0	19.1	16.5	18.5	16.9	23.6	20.9	23.3	21.4
Fresno	448.5	450.6	447.2	450.8	66.7	60.9	65.0	62.2	14.9	13.5	14.5	13.8
Hanford-Corcoran	60.6	59.7	60.3	60.0	9.4	8.9	9.2	8.8	15.6	14.9	15.3	14.7
Los Angeles-Long Beach-Santa Ana	6,569.9	6,584.3	6,540.0	6,600.9	614.4	533.7	592.3	529.4	9.4	8.1	9.1	8.0
Madera-Chowchilla	71.1	68.8	68.6	67.5	9.1	8.3	9.0	8.5	12.8	12.0	13.1	12.6
Merced	112.6	113.8	110.9	113.8	19.9	18.3	19.2	18.6	17.7	16.1	17.3	16.3
Modesto	238.8	237.0	239.3	238.3	35.0	31.6	34.2	32.3	14.6	13.3	14.3	13.6
Napa	76.3	78.0	76.0	78.2	5.5	4.8	5.2	4.7	7.2	6.2	6.9	6.0
Oxnard-Thousand Oaks-Ventura	441.1	437.2	440.2	440.2	36.1	31.9	34.5	31.3	8.2	7.3	7.8	7.1
Redding	80.5	80.9	80.5	81.4	10.3	9.0	9.9	8.9	12.8	11.1	12.3	10.9
Riverside-San Bernardino-Ontario	1,825.3	1,827.2	1,820.0	1,833.0	196.9	172.6	190.4	172.3	10.8	9.4	10.5	9.4
Sacramento-Arden-Arcade-Roseville	1,056.7	1,044.8	1,052.8	1,054.7	99.5	85.8	95.4	85.8	9.4	8.2	9.1	8.1
Salinas	210.5	215.2	211.3	213.4	30.1	28.2	27.9	27.0	14.3	13.1	13.2	12.6
San Diego-Carlsbad-San Marcos	1,595.6	1,594.0	1,593.0	1,607.6	128.5	111.5	124.3	110.7	8.1	7.0	7.8	6.9
San Francisco-Oakland-Fremont	2,351.9	2,362.0	2,347.2	2,367.8	167.7	143.5	161.5	142.5	7.1	6.1	6.9	6.0
San Jose-Sunnyvale-Santa Clara	947.5	962.0	945.4	964.7	72.3	60.9	69.9	60.7	7.6	6.3	7.4	6.3
San Luis Obispo-Paso Robles	141.5	141.1	141.8	142.2	10.1	8.7	9.7	8.7	7.1	6.2	6.8	6.1
Santa Barbara-Santa Maria-Goleta	222.0	221.3	224.6	224.8	17.4	15.8	16.6	15.1	7.8	7.2	7.4	6.7
Santa Cruz-Watsonville	150.3	149.5	150.6	150.5	18.1	16.4	17.4	16.2	12.0	10.9	11.5	10.8
Santa Rosa-Petaluma	258.5	261.6	257.5	263.1	19.6	16.4	18.8	16.2	7.6	6.3	7.3	6.2
Stockton	299.6	296.8	299.1	298.7	43.3	38.9	41.6	39.1	14.4	13.1	13.9	13.1
Vallejo-Fairfield	217.6	217.2	217.7	218.0	20.1	17.4	19.3	17.3	9.3	8.0	8.9	7.9
Visalia-Porterville	209.6	207.3	205.1	205.1	32.9	31.3	32.3	32.0	15.7	15.1	15.7	15.6
Yuba City	69.5	67.5	69.8	68.6	12.1	10.8	11.6	11.0	17.3	16.1	16.7	16.1
Colorado	2,744.9	2,779.5	2,731.8	2,788.1	209.2	185.1	197.1	184.0	7.6	6.7	7.2	6.6
Boulder	180.4	183.6	178.9	184.1	10.4	9.6	9.7	9.3	5.8	5.2	5.4	5.1
Colorado Springs	313.6	312.5	311.7	313.7	27.4	25.1	26.1	25.3	8.7	8.0	8.4	8.1
Denver-Aurora-Broomfield	1,424.6	1,439.7	1,416.4	1,443.5	105.9	93.0	100.1	92.6	7.4	6.5	7.1	6.4
Fort Collins-Loveland	180.4	184.3	179.6	185.2	11.4	10.2	10.5	10.0	6.3	5.6	5.8	5.4
Grand Junction	76.6	76.6	76.4	76.9	7.1	6.2	6.7	6.1	9.3	8.1	8.8	7.9
Greeley	126.8	129.8	126.5	130.8	10.7	8.7	9.8	8.5	8.4	6.7	7.8	6.5
Pueblo	74.9	74.9	74.4	75.0	8.0	7.2	7.5	7.2	10.7	9.6	10.2	9.6
Connecticut	1,853.5	1,845.7	1,851.5	1,856.3	156.6	137.3	147.1	137.6	8.4	7.4	7.9	7.4
Bridgeport-Stamford-Norwalk	469.4	469.8	470.1	473.4	37.1	32.7	35.1	32.9	7.9	7.0	7.5	6.9
Danbury	91.0	90.9	91.3	91.5	6.3	5.5	5.9	5.6	6.9	6.1	6.5	6.1
Hartford-West Hartford-East Hartford	588.7	585.1	587.7	589.2	49.4	43.5	46.9	43.7	8.4	7.4	8.0	7.4
New Haven	311.0	310.8	309.8	311.9	27.3	23.6	25.2	23.7	8.8	7.6	8.1	7.6
Norwich-New London	145.2	141.7	144.9	142.0	12.6	11.1	11.9	11.0	8.6	7.8	8.2	7.8
Waterbury	100.2	99.8	100.0	100.0	11.4	10.0	10.5	10.0	11.4	10.1	10.5	10.0
Delaware	440.9	442.0	441.7	444.2	32.9	28.0	31.0	27.5	7.5	6.3	7.0	6.2
Dover	76.9	76.9	77.1	76.8	5.9	5.1	5.6	5.1	7.6	6.6	7.3	6.6

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 1. Civilian labor force and unemployment by state and metropolitan area—Continued

(Numbers in thousands)

State and area	Civilian labor force				Unemployed							
					Number				Percent of labor force			
	February		March		February		March		February		March	
	2013	2014	2013	2014 ^P	2013	2014	2013	2014 ^P	2013	2014	2013	2014 ^P
District of Columbia	373.6	371.9	371.3	367.6	32.5	30.3	31.1	28.1	8.7	8.1	8.4	7.6
Washington-Arlington-Alexandria	3,200.1	3,218.8	3,205.5	3,229.4	182.5	162.9	173.2	162.3	5.7	5.1	5.4	5.0
Florida	9,364.2	9,513.8	9,373.7	9,574.3	729.8	601.4	692.4	610.1	7.8	6.3	7.4	6.4
Cape Coral-Fort Myers	296.5	301.7	297.2	307.0	22.5	18.3	21.3	18.4	7.6	6.1	7.2	6.0
Crestview-Fort Walton Beach-Destin	95.7	98.7	97.9	101.6	5.7	4.9	5.2	4.9	5.9	5.0	5.3	4.8
Deltona-Daytona Beach-Ormond Beach	248.9	254.0	251.0	257.0	20.0	16.3	18.9	16.2	8.0	6.4	7.5	6.3
Gainesville	140.0	142.3	140.0	143.6	8.1	7.2	7.6	7.2	5.8	5.1	5.4	5.0
Jacksonville	689.7	710.8	692.1	716.7	51.7	44.1	49.0	44.1	7.5	6.2	7.1	6.2
Lakeland-Winter Haven	273.4	272.9	273.9	275.5	23.4	19.8	22.2	19.6	8.6	7.2	8.1	7.1
Miami-Fort Lauderdale-Pompano Beach	2,957.3	2,987.1	2,945.8	2,985.5	233.1	185.1	223.1	194.5	7.9	6.2	7.6	6.5
Naples-Marco Island	157.0	163.2	156.5	164.5	11.0	9.1	10.3	9.1	7.0	5.6	6.6	5.5
North Port-Bradenton-Sarasota	309.0	317.2	309.9	321.6	23.2	19.2	21.9	19.4	7.5	6.0	7.1	6.0
Ocala	131.6	131.9	131.7	132.6	11.8	9.9	11.2	9.9	8.9	7.5	8.5	7.5
Orlando-Kissimmee-Sanford	1,146.8	1,177.5	1,149.9	1,182.9	86.9	71.3	82.3	71.2	7.6	6.1	7.2	6.0
Palm Bay-Melbourne-Titusville	263.0	262.8	263.0	264.4	22.3	18.6	21.2	18.5	8.5	7.1	8.1	7.0
Palm Coast	34.6	35.3	34.7	35.6	3.8	3.3	3.6	3.3	11.0	9.4	10.3	9.3
Panama City-Lynn Haven-Panama City Beach	88.5	89.6	90.9	92.7	7.1	5.8	6.3	5.4	8.1	6.4	7.0	5.8
Pensacola-Ferry Pass-Brent	208.0	209.7	209.7	212.6	16.2	13.5	15.3	13.5	7.8	6.4	7.3	6.3
Port St. Lucie	191.8	195.5	192.2	197.1	17.8	15.1	16.9	14.9	9.3	7.7	8.8	7.5
Punta Gorda	71.0	72.6	71.3	73.6	5.4	4.5	5.1	4.5	7.7	6.2	7.2	6.1
Sebastian-Vero Beach	63.3	63.2	63.4	63.7	5.9	4.9	5.6	4.8	9.3	7.7	8.8	7.6
Tallahassee	189.8	193.1	188.9	194.0	12.5	10.9	11.7	10.9	6.6	5.6	6.2	5.6
Tampa-St. Petersburg-Clearwater	1,322.8	1,346.4	1,325.8	1,357.6	104.7	88.5	99.0	88.5	7.9	6.6	7.5	6.5
Georgia	4,766.6	4,735.6	4,762.1	4,759.1	412.6	338.6	389.8	335.3	8.7	7.2	8.2	7.0
Albany	73.2	71.8	72.8	72.0	6.8	5.7	6.5	5.7	9.3	7.9	8.9	8.0
Athens-Clarke County	113.5	112.9	112.8	113.0	7.1	5.7	6.7	5.8	6.2	5.1	6.0	5.1
Atlanta-Sandy Springs-Marietta	2,716.7	2,721.5	2,715.5	2,737.4	229.3	187.5	217.4	186.5	8.4	6.9	8.0	6.8
Augusta-Richmond County	265.8	259.0	265.6	259.3	22.2	17.3	20.6	17.1	8.4	6.7	7.7	6.6
Brunswick	50.3	48.6	50.5	48.8	4.8	4.1	4.5	4.0	9.6	8.5	8.9	8.2
Columbus	131.4	130.0	131.1	130.4	11.7	10.1	11.0	9.9	8.9	7.7	8.4	7.6
Dalton	59.1	57.5	58.8	57.6	6.5	5.2	6.1	5.0	11.1	9.1	10.4	8.6
Gainesville	91.0	90.7	91.2	91.1	6.3	5.0	6.2	5.0	6.9	5.5	6.8	5.5
Hinesville-Fort Stewart	33.2	32.9	33.3	33.0	2.9	2.6	2.9	2.6	8.9	8.0	8.6	8.0
Macon	112.3	110.4	111.7	110.8	10.2	8.2	9.5	8.1	9.1	7.5	8.5	7.3
Rome	47.7	47.3	47.4	47.3	4.5	3.5	4.3	3.4	9.4	7.5	9.0	7.2
Savannah	179.9	182.4	182.1	183.9	14.2	12.0	13.6	12.4	7.9	6.6	7.4	6.7
Valdosta	66.3	65.9	66.5	66.2	5.5	4.6	5.2	4.6	8.3	7.0	7.8	7.0
Warner Robins	71.2	68.5	70.8	68.7	5.2	4.4	4.9	4.4	7.3	6.4	6.9	6.4
Hawaii	646.6	654.6	644.7	660.4	31.1	29.6	30.3	28.8	4.8	4.5	4.7	4.4
Honolulu	457.3	463.1	454.5	468.0	19.5	18.9	19.0	18.6	4.3	4.1	4.2	4.0
Idaho	769.8	771.3	768.9	772.8	58.0	48.2	55.0	46.9	7.5	6.2	7.2	6.1
Boise City-Nampa	307.2	311.0	307.2	312.3	21.5	17.9	20.1	17.3	7.0	5.8	6.5	5.5
Coeur d'Alene	71.4	72.2	71.3	72.0	6.7	5.6	6.4	5.3	9.3	7.7	9.0	7.3
Idaho Falls	63.3	63.3	63.2	63.3	4.1	3.3	3.9	3.1	6.4	5.2	6.1	5.0
Lewiston	29.0	28.7	28.9	28.8	2.1	1.8	2.0	1.6	7.3	6.3	6.8	5.7
Pocatello	44.1	43.8	43.7	43.8	3.3	2.6	3.1	2.5	7.5	5.9	7.1	5.7
Illinois	6,548.5	6,543.1	6,510.3	6,534.9	654.3	613.0	604.6	545.2	10.0	9.4	9.3	8.3
Bloomington-Normal	88.9	87.9	88.0	86.9	6.9	7.1	6.1	6.1	7.7	8.0	6.9	7.1
Champaign-Urbana	113.8	115.6	113.9	116.0	10.0	10.1	8.9	8.7	8.8	8.7	7.8	7.5
Chicago-Joliet-Naperville	4,893.9	4,889.7	4,867.6	4,896.0	481.1	441.8	451.1	398.7	9.8	9.0	9.3	8.1
Danville	35.3	35.4	35.1	35.1	4.2	4.5	3.8	3.9	11.9	12.8	10.8	11.1
Davenport-Moline-Rock Island	199.0	198.4	198.5	197.7	15.7	15.7	14.3	14.1	7.9	7.9	7.2	7.1
Decatur	52.2	52.0	51.7	51.3	6.7	6.6	5.9	5.7	12.8	12.6	11.5	11.1
Kankakee-Bradley	54.8	55.0	54.4	54.9	7.0	6.7	6.4	5.9	12.8	12.1	11.8	10.7
Peoria	195.4	194.5	193.8	193.1	19.6	19.6	17.3	17.0	10.0	10.1	8.9	8.8
Rockford	162.9	162.0	161.7	161.2	21.0	19.6	19.1	17.6	12.9	12.1	11.8	10.9
Springfield	111.4	111.5	110.7	111.3	9.9	9.5	8.7	8.2	8.9	8.6	7.9	7.4
Indiana	3,147.4	3,179.2	3,148.2	3,197.4	270.7	218.6	258.5	199.8	8.6	6.9	8.2	6.3
Anderson	59.5	60.2	59.4	60.4	6.3	4.9	6.0	4.4	10.7	8.1	10.1	7.4
Bloomington	95.5	96.9	94.7	96.8	7.3	6.5	7.2	5.7	7.6	6.7	7.6	5.8
Columbus	40.6	41.7	40.4	41.9	2.8	2.2	2.7	2.0	7.0	5.2	6.7	4.7
Elkhart-Goshen	93.0	94.4	93.2	94.7	8.2	5.9	7.8	5.5	8.8	6.2	8.3	5.8
Evansville	179.5	179.5	180.4	180.7	13.6	11.5	12.9	10.4	7.6	6.4	7.2	5.8
Fort Wayne	203.5	209.2	203.6	209.0	16.8	13.0	16.1	12.0	8.2	6.2	7.9	5.7
Indianapolis-Carmel	907.7	917.8	909.0	930.7	71.3	56.7	68.4	52.3	7.9	6.2	7.5	5.6
Kokomo	42.0	43.6	42.1	43.8	3.9	3.2	3.8	2.9	9.4	7.3	9.0	6.6
Lafayette	99.9	100.9	99.8	100.3	7.3	5.9	7.3	5.5	7.4	5.9	7.3	5.5
Michigan City-La Porte	48.5	48.6	48.5	48.5	5.4	4.6	5.1	4.1	11.1	9.4	10.6	8.6
Muncie	54.6	54.3	54.4	54.2	5.2	4.2	5.1	3.9	9.5	7.8	9.3	7.1
South Bend-Mishawaka	149.0	150.1	148.7	150.3	14.4	11.5	13.8	10.8	9.7	7.7	9.3	7.2
Terre Haute	77.5	78.2	77.3	77.9	8.5	7.0	7.9	6.3	11.0	8.9	10.2	8.1

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	February		March		February		March		February		March	
	2013	2014	2013	2014 ^P	2013	2014	2013	2014 ^P	2013	2014	2013	2014 ^P
Iowa	1,658.2	1,682.1	1,657.4	1,690.7	92.0	88.2	86.3	84.0	5.5	5.2	5.2	5.0
Ames	50.5	51.8	50.5	51.9	1.9	1.8	1.8	1.7	3.7	3.5	3.6	3.3
Cedar Rapids	146.5	146.4	146.4	147.8	8.2	8.0	7.9	7.6	5.6	5.5	5.4	5.2
Des Moines-West Des Moines	319.9	330.2	319.5	332.9	17.2	16.5	16.3	15.7	5.4	5.0	5.1	4.7
Dubuque	54.7	55.2	55.0	55.5	2.9	3.0	2.9	2.9	5.3	5.5	5.2	5.2
Iowa City	94.4	97.2	95.0	98.0	3.4	3.5	3.3	3.3	3.6	3.6	3.5	3.4
Sioux City	77.3	78.7	77.6	79.2	4.4	4.0	4.2	3.8	5.7	5.1	5.4	4.9
Waterloo-Cedar Falls	96.5	96.7	96.8	97.4	5.1	4.9	4.7	4.7	5.3	5.1	4.9	4.9
Kansas	1,479.1	1,484.8	1,477.7	1,488.9	87.4	81.4	85.7	75.6	5.9	5.5	5.8	5.1
Lawrence	62.0	62.8	61.9	62.9	3.4	3.1	3.4	2.9	5.4	4.9	5.5	4.7
Manhattan	64.0	64.2	64.0	64.9	3.5	3.4	3.5	3.2	5.5	5.3	5.4	4.9
Topeka	120.9	120.1	120.7	120.3	8.2	7.4	8.0	6.7	6.8	6.2	6.6	5.6
Wichita	302.7	299.9	301.0	300.4	20.1	18.9	20.0	17.7	6.7	6.3	6.6	5.9
Kentucky	2,059.5	2,047.2	2,065.7	2,068.1	188.1	184.7	178.7	173.7	9.1	9.0	8.7	8.4
Bowling Green	65.7	66.9	66.3	67.8	5.1	5.2	5.2	4.9	7.7	7.8	7.8	7.3
Elizabethtown	56.9	57.0	57.3	57.6	4.6	4.8	4.5	4.6	8.1	8.4	7.9	8.0
Lexington-Fayette	241.0	239.3	241.8	244.1	17.5	17.8	16.8	17.5	7.3	7.4	7.0	7.2
Louisville-Jefferson County	637.4	640.2	640.1	646.7	54.8	51.9	52.7	49.7	8.6	8.1	8.2	7.7
Owensboro	58.4	58.3	58.5	59.1	4.5	4.6	4.2	4.3	7.8	7.8	7.2	7.3
Louisiana	2,067.6	2,064.3	2,076.7	2,081.4	127.4	87.0	125.8	94.6	6.2	4.2	6.1	4.5
Alexandria	66.4	65.1	66.9	65.5	4.1	2.8	4.0	3.1	6.2	4.3	6.0	4.7
Baton Rouge	382.6	386.6	385.3	390.3	22.5	15.2	22.4	16.6	5.9	3.9	5.8	4.2
Houma-Bayou Cane-Thibodaux	105.5	107.4	106.4	108.3	4.4	3.0	4.3	3.4	4.2	2.8	4.1	3.1
Lafayette	140.8	142.8	141.6	143.9	6.3	4.5	6.2	5.0	4.5	3.1	4.4	3.5
Lake Charles	94.3	96.3	94.5	96.8	5.2	3.6	5.2	4.0	5.5	3.8	5.5	4.1
Monroe	81.0	80.5	81.4	81.5	5.4	3.7	5.3	4.0	6.7	4.6	6.5	4.8
New Orleans-Metairie-Kenner	550.7	550.5	549.0	554.6	33.6	23.2	33.0	25.1	6.1	4.2	6.0	4.5
Shreveport-Bossier City	176.5	173.1	177.2	174.6	12.0	8.0	11.8	8.7	6.8	4.6	6.7	5.0
Maine	698.2	702.9	697.8	706.2	55.8	48.9	52.2	46.4	8.0	7.0	7.5	6.6
Bangor	73.3	74.3	72.9	74.0	5.5	4.8	5.1	4.5	7.4	6.4	7.0	6.1
Lewiston-Auburn	58.4	58.6	58.4	58.8	4.4	3.7	4.2	3.5	7.5	6.2	7.1	6.0
Portland-South Portland-Biddeford	206.0	208.0	206.8	209.6	13.4	11.4	12.6	10.9	6.5	5.5	6.1	5.2
Maryland	3,116.3	3,082.0	3,122.2	3,096.8	221.2	183.3	209.4	181.5	7.1	5.9	6.7	5.9
Baltimore-Towson	1,471.6	1,456.8	1,475.5	1,465.7	108.0	88.5	102.7	88.4	7.3	6.1	7.0	6.0
Cumberland	49.7	49.3	49.5	49.4	4.2	3.7	3.9	3.5	8.5	7.5	7.8	7.0
Hagerstown-Martinsburg	125.7	122.9	125.4	123.1	10.2	8.9	9.6	8.6	8.1	7.2	7.6	7.0
Salisbury	62.7	61.1	63.0	61.7	6.1	5.1	5.7	4.9	9.7	8.4	9.0	7.9
Massachusetts	3,453.3	3,481.7	3,456.0	3,499.1	254.7	237.9	245.7	231.0	7.4	6.8	7.1	6.6
Barnstable Town	124.2	126.4	125.0	127.3	12.1	11.5	11.3	10.8	9.7	9.1	9.0	8.5
Boston-Cambridge-Quincy	2,539.2	2,565.8	2,540.9	2,578.0	163.6	152.1	156.3	146.6	6.4	5.9	6.2	5.7
Leominster-Fitchburg-Gardner	71.3	71.5	71.4	71.9	7.0	6.4	6.9	6.3	9.8	9.0	9.7	8.8
New Bedford	88.5	88.7	88.4	89.2	11.0	10.0	10.4	9.6	12.4	11.3	11.8	10.8
Pittsfield	38.1	37.9	37.9	37.7	2.9	3.0	2.9	2.9	7.7	7.9	7.6	7.6
Springfield	341.7	342.8	341.5	344.4	28.7	27.1	27.8	26.4	8.4	7.9	8.1	7.7
Worcester	292.7	293.4	292.8	294.6	23.0	21.4	22.4	20.7	7.9	7.3	7.7	7.0
Michigan	4,671.1	4,707.9	4,668.3	4,699.1	441.2	399.8	427.8	377.0	9.4	8.5	9.2	8.0
Ann Arbor	184.0	185.1	184.1	185.8	10.4	9.9	10.4	9.7	5.6	5.3	5.7	5.2
Battle Creek	64.2	65.1	64.2	65.2	5.2	4.8	5.1	4.5	8.1	7.4	7.9	7.0
Bay City	51.8	51.5	51.8	51.6	5.3	4.8	5.1	4.7	10.2	9.4	9.9	9.1
Detroit-Warren-Livonia	2,015.5	2,029.9	2,017.1	2,009.4	201.7	181.9	196.5	166.5	10.0	9.0	9.7	8.3
Flint	186.8	184.4	186.8	185.4	19.0	17.3	18.3	16.7	10.2	9.4	9.8	9.0
Grand Rapids-Wyoming	400.3	408.4	400.4	411.3	28.5	25.2	27.6	24.6	7.1	6.2	6.9	6.0
Holland-Grand Haven	130.4	133.4	130.3	134.1	9.3	8.2	9.0	8.0	7.2	6.2	6.9	6.0
Jackson	70.1	70.4	70.3	70.6	6.5	6.0	6.4	5.8	9.3	8.5	9.1	8.2
Kalamazoo-Portage	159.5	160.0	159.1	161.2	12.9	11.7	12.5	11.3	8.1	7.3	7.8	7.0
Lansing-East Lansing	234.8	236.6	234.2	237.5	18.3	15.6	17.2	15.1	7.8	6.6	7.3	6.4
Monroe	69.6	71.0	69.8	71.3	6.1	5.4	5.8	5.1	8.7	7.6	8.3	7.2
Muskegon-Norton Shores	82.2	83.0	82.1	83.2	8.1	6.9	7.7	6.6	9.8	8.3	9.4	7.9
Niles-Benton Harbor	69.9	70.7	69.9	71.0	7.0	6.2	6.6	5.9	10.0	8.8	9.5	8.3
Saginaw-Saginaw Township North	90.3	90.5	90.5	91.0	8.8	8.0	8.5	7.9	9.8	8.9	9.4	8.7
Minnesota	2,953.8	2,973.4	2,952.8	2,986.3	174.5	165.3	168.9	161.7	5.9	5.6	5.7	5.4
Duluth	145.4	146.5	145.4	146.3	10.4	10.2	9.9	9.8	7.2	6.9	6.8	6.7
Mankato-North Mankato	58.4	59.4	58.2	59.4	2.8	2.6	2.6	2.5	4.8	4.4	4.5	4.2
Minneapolis-St. Paul-Bloomington	1,857.1	1,869.9	1,856.7	1,875.1	101.2	94.2	98.0	91.6	5.4	5.0	5.3	4.9
Rochester	105.7	105.5	105.9	106.1	5.3	5.1	5.0	5.0	5.0	4.9	4.7	4.7
St. Cloud	108.1	109.5	107.6	110.5	7.0	6.5	6.5	6.8	6.4	5.9	6.0	6.1

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Mississippi	1,297.1	1,259.6	1,285.7	1,264.4	122.1	100.2	109.1	100.2	9.4	8.0	8.5	7.9
Gulfport-Biloxi	112.4	110.3	111.5	110.6	10.0	8.1	8.8	8.0	8.9	7.4	7.9	7.3
Hattiesburg	66.8	64.8	66.1	65.1	5.5	4.2	4.8	4.2	8.2	6.4	7.2	6.4
Jackson	264.8	255.1	262.7	256.6	19.8	15.9	17.7	16.1	7.5	6.2	6.7	6.3
Pascagoula	69.9	69.8	68.9	70.2	7.1	5.7	6.3	5.7	10.1	8.2	9.2	8.1
Missouri	2,988.4	3,014.0	2,994.9	3,035.5	221.1	229.4	207.0	223.4	7.4	7.6	6.9	7.4
Cape Girardeau-Jackson	47.3	47.3	47.4	47.3	3.1	3.6	3.0	3.4	6.6	7.6	6.3	7.2
Columbia	97.1	99.7	97.5	100.3	4.8	5.2	4.7	5.0	4.9	5.2	4.8	5.0
Jefferson City	75.6	76.0	76.0	75.9	4.4	5.2	4.3	4.8	5.9	6.9	5.7	6.4
Joplin	85.6	86.4	86.0	86.8	5.1	5.3	4.9	5.4	6.0	6.1	5.7	6.2
Kansas City	1,029.9	1,029.5	1,028.4	1,037.1	73.7	71.2	68.5	69.8	7.2	6.9	6.7	6.7
St. Joseph	72.0	72.0	72.2	72.2	4.3	4.6	4.1	4.5	5.9	6.4	5.7	6.2
St. Louis ¹	1,403.2	1,408.0	1,403.3	1,420.0	111.8	115.8	105.5	109.6	8.0	8.2	7.5	7.7
Springfield	217.7	221.6	218.5	224.3	13.6	13.7	12.9	13.7	6.2	6.2	5.9	6.1
Montana	508.8	514.3	509.7	517.6	33.4	30.0	32.4	30.9	6.6	5.8	6.4	6.0
Billings	89.9	89.4	90.3	90.7	4.2	3.8	4.2	4.0	4.7	4.2	4.6	4.4
Great Falls	40.8	41.1	41.0	41.8	2.4	2.1	2.4	2.2	5.9	5.1	5.8	5.2
Missoula	60.0	60.8	60.4	61.4	3.8	3.4	3.7	3.5	6.4	5.6	6.1	5.7
Nebraska	1,022.7	1,022.3	1,022.6	1,023.2	44.7	42.2	41.3	42.5	4.4	4.1	4.0	4.2
Lincoln	175.9	177.3	175.8	178.5	7.0	6.5	6.4	6.3	4.0	3.6	3.6	3.5
Omaha-Council Bluffs	461.6	465.3	460.7	466.1	22.2	21.1	20.8	20.9	4.8	4.5	4.5	4.5
Nevada	1,379.1	1,380.7	1,371.5	1,383.4	145.0	119.9	138.7	120.9	10.5	8.7	10.1	8.7
Carson City	27.5	27.0	27.3	26.9	3.1	2.7	3.0	2.6	11.4	9.9	10.8	9.8
Las Vegas-Paradise	996.5	996.7	991.2	1,000.1	104.2	85.9	100.1	87.2	10.5	8.6	10.1	8.7
Reno-Sparks	223.8	226.7	221.9	225.3	24.2	19.9	22.8	19.6	10.8	8.8	10.3	8.7
New Hampshire	740.0	742.5	739.7	744.3	44.0	38.3	41.5	36.3	5.9	5.2	5.6	4.9
Manchester	108.0	108.8	108.1	109.4	6.2	5.4	5.8	5.1	5.8	4.9	5.4	4.7
Portsmouth	45.0	45.6	45.0	45.6	2.4	2.1	2.3	1.9	5.4	4.5	5.1	4.2
Rochester-Dover	84.7	84.7	84.6	84.8	5.0	4.2	4.7	4.0	5.9	5.0	5.6	4.7
New Jersey	4,553.6	4,466.0	4,538.9	4,477.4	424.4	350.2	398.7	340.3	9.3	7.8	8.8	7.6
Atlantic City-Hammonton	133.3	126.7	132.2	126.8	19.2	16.6	17.6	15.7	14.4	13.1	13.3	12.4
Ocean City	51.0	51.9	50.6	52.3	9.6	8.3	8.6	7.8	18.8	16.0	17.0	15.0
Trenton-Ewing	209.1	207.8	208.2	208.8	15.6	12.6	14.8	12.4	7.5	6.1	7.1	5.9
Vineland-Millville-Bridgeton	69.1	66.4	68.7	67.1	9.9	8.4	9.2	8.1	14.4	12.7	13.4	12.1
New Mexico	925.8	935.3	919.1	934.8	67.6	68.3	62.3	68.6	7.3	7.3	6.8	7.3
Albuquerque	393.5	394.5	390.7	394.4	29.6	29.7	27.5	29.8	7.5	7.5	7.0	7.6
Farmington	55.2	55.4	55.1	55.3	4.0	4.0	3.6	4.0	7.2	7.2	6.6	7.2
Las Cruces	92.4	94.5	92.1	94.6	7.4	7.6	7.0	7.7	8.0	8.1	7.6	8.2
Santa Fe	74.1	75.4	73.3	75.2	4.5	4.5	3.9	4.4	6.0	5.9	5.4	5.9
New York	9,614.1	9,591.7	9,572.6	9,613.7	828.5	737.0	762.7	697.4	8.6	7.7	8.0	7.3
Albany-Schenectady-Troy	447.5	440.1	444.9	439.9	33.7	28.4	30.9	26.1	7.5	6.4	7.0	5.9
Binghamton	116.0	113.5	115.3	113.6	10.7	9.4	9.8	8.7	9.2	8.3	8.5	7.6
Buffalo-Niagara Falls	572.0	566.3	569.1	565.2	50.5	43.2	46.5	40.1	8.8	7.6	8.2	7.1
Elmira	39.6	38.1	39.2	38.0	3.9	3.2	3.5	2.9	9.8	8.3	9.0	7.6
Glens Falls	65.2	63.7	64.4	63.5	6.3	5.3	5.8	5.0	9.6	8.3	9.0	7.9
Ithaca	59.9	58.8	59.6	58.5	3.3	2.9	3.0	2.6	5.5	4.9	5.0	4.4
Kingston	85.2	85.1	84.9	85.3	7.9	6.6	7.1	6.0	9.2	7.8	8.4	7.0
New York-Northern New Jersey-Long Island ...	9,560.2	9,535.1	9,533.5	9,567.4	829.7	730.7	772.2	703.8	8.7	7.7	8.1	7.4
New York City	4,050.0	4,094.0	4,033.3	4,108.8	372.0	350.3	347.6	341.0	9.2	8.6	8.6	8.3
Poughkeepsie-Newburgh-Middletown	317.3	316.4	316.4	316.6	25.7	21.9	23.4	19.7	8.1	6.9	7.4	6.2
Rochester	524.9	516.8	521.7	518.3	43.7	37.1	40.0	34.7	8.3	7.2	7.7	6.7
Syracuse	321.5	315.5	319.0	313.7	28.6	23.9	26.1	22.2	8.9	7.6	8.2	7.1
Utica-Rome	134.9	132.6	133.6	132.2	12.7	10.8	11.6	10.0	9.4	8.1	8.7	7.6
North Carolina	4,690.1	4,614.3	4,679.9	4,661.8	425.6	306.6	392.9	306.4	9.1	6.6	8.4	6.6
Asheville	215.3	215.0	215.0	216.4	16.3	11.2	14.7	11.2	7.6	5.2	6.8	5.2
Burlington	73.3	71.5	73.1	72.2	6.5	4.5	6.0	4.6	8.8	6.4	8.3	6.4
Charlotte-Gastonia-Rock Hill	923.9	914.0	923.8	924.9	83.5	59.3	77.1	59.3	9.0	6.5	8.3	6.4
Durham-Chapel Hill	272.4	271.0	272.3	274.6	18.6	13.6	17.3	14.0	6.8	5.0	6.4	5.1
Fayetteville	166.9	162.7	166.5	163.8	15.7	12.3	14.7	12.3	9.4	7.5	8.8	7.5
Goldsboro	54.5	53.8	54.0	54.3	4.9	3.5	4.5	3.6	8.9	6.6	8.4	6.6
Greensboro-High Point	372.5	361.0	371.2	364.6	35.1	24.9	32.5	24.9	9.4	6.9	8.8	6.8
Greenville	97.5	96.4	97.1	96.9	8.6	6.1	8.0	6.3	8.8	6.4	8.3	6.5
Hickory-Lenoir-Morgantown	168.4	163.5	167.6	164.8	17.2	11.6	15.8	11.6	10.2	7.1	9.4	7.0
Jacksonville	68.6	66.7	68.5	67.3	5.8	4.4	5.4	4.6	8.4	6.7	7.9	6.8
Raleigh-Cary	605.2	610.7	605.4	616.8	43.1	31.6	40.1	32.3	7.1	5.2	6.6	5.2
Rocky Mount	67.8	64.9	67.0	65.2	8.8	6.3	8.2	6.1	13.0	9.6	12.2	9.4
Wilmington	181.6	182.5	182.1	184.0	17.8	13.0	15.8	12.4	9.8	7.1	8.7	6.7
Winston-Salem	243.7	237.2	242.7	238.8	20.2	14.5	18.8	14.6	8.3	6.1	7.8	6.1

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Table 1. Civilian labor force and unemployment by state and metropolitan area—Continued

(Numbers in thousands)

State and area	Civilian labor force				Unemployed							
					Number				Percent of labor force			
	February		March		February		March		February		March	
	2013	2014	2013	2014 ^P	2013	2014	2013	2014 ^P	2013	2014	2013	2014 ^P
North Dakota	392.8	400.2	394.0	403.1	14.6	13.8	14.4	13.1	3.7	3.4	3.7	3.3
Bismarck	61.5	62.3	61.7	62.7	2.1	2.2	2.0	2.0	3.4	3.5	3.3	3.1
Fargo	120.5	121.3	120.6	122.5	4.8	4.4	4.8	4.1	4.0	3.6	3.9	3.3
Grand Forks	54.4	54.3	54.2	54.3	2.5	2.3	2.4	2.3	4.6	4.2	4.5	4.2
Ohio	5,702.7	5,700.0	5,705.4	5,687.3	462.7	398.6	429.7	354.7	8.1	7.0	7.5	6.2
Akron	367.9	371.3	367.3	371.5	29.0	24.7	27.5	22.3	7.9	6.7	7.5	6.0
Canton-Massillon	199.3	197.5	199.3	197.5	16.6	14.0	15.8	12.6	8.3	7.1	7.9	6.4
Cincinnati-Middletown	1,083.3	1,090.1	1,086.5	1,095.6	83.8	71.1	79.1	63.6	7.7	6.5	7.3	5.8
Cleveland-Elyria-Mentor	1,036.9	1,045.4	1,034.3	1,032.8	84.7	85.0	75.4	74.7	8.2	8.1	7.3	7.2
Columbus	973.9	975.5	974.9	976.7	64.7	53.9	61.4	48.8	6.6	5.5	6.3	5.0
Dayton	398.3	390.2	398.5	392.7	33.1	26.8	31.0	24.0	8.3	6.9	7.8	6.1
Lima	48.4	48.0	48.6	47.9	4.3	3.4	4.0	3.0	8.8	7.0	8.2	6.3
Mansfield	56.6	55.8	56.5	55.4	5.3	4.3	4.9	3.8	9.4	7.6	8.7	6.8
Sandusky	38.3	38.1	38.5	38.2	3.5	2.9	3.2	2.6	9.2	7.7	8.3	6.7
Springfield	68.3	68.8	68.5	68.8	5.3	4.3	5.3	3.9	7.8	6.2	7.8	5.6
Steubenville-Weirton	53.7	53.8	53.4	53.5	5.8	4.9	5.3	4.4	10.8	9.1	10.0	8.2
Toledo	315.9	315.0	316.3	312.7	29.7	23.4	27.6	21.0	9.4	7.4	8.7	6.7
Youngstown-Warren-Boardman	262.1	260.9	262.4	261.1	23.8	20.1	22.3	18.0	9.1	7.7	8.5	6.9
Oklahoma	1,794.3	1,809.1	1,798.7	1,811.6	101.5	96.9	93.5	91.5	5.7	5.4	5.2	5.0
Lawton	48.1	47.6	47.8	47.5	3.3	3.0	3.0	2.8	6.9	6.2	6.3	5.9
Oklahoma City	596.0	607.4	598.1	609.3	31.3	30.9	28.9	29.4	5.2	5.1	4.8	4.8
Tulsa	446.6	448.5	447.7	449.4	26.7	25.0	24.7	23.6	6.0	5.6	5.5	5.3
Oregon	1,918.1	1,915.2	1,913.6	1,922.3	172.7	148.1	163.6	152.1	9.0	7.7	8.5	7.9
Bend	76.6	76.7	76.2	76.6	9.2	7.6	8.4	7.5	12.0	9.9	11.0	9.8
Corvallis	43.3	43.1	43.5	43.6	2.7	2.4	2.6	2.6	6.3	5.5	6.0	6.0
Eugene-Springfield	173.6	172.6	173.1	173.3	15.1	12.8	14.3	13.3	8.7	7.4	8.3	7.7
Medford	97.8	96.3	97.1	95.9	10.9	9.3	10.2	9.6	11.1	9.7	10.5	10.0
Portland-Vancouver-Hillsboro	1,170.3	1,172.4	1,166.8	1,175.3	97.7	82.0	92.3	82.4	8.3	7.0	7.9	7.0
Salem	186.9	186.3	187.2	187.3	18.0	14.8	17.2	15.2	9.6	8.0	9.2	8.1
Pennsylvania	6,426.3	6,393.5	6,410.4	6,398.7	529.4	426.7	498.5	408.9	8.2	6.7	7.8	6.4
Allentown-Bethlehem-Easton	432.1	426.4	430.5	428.7	38.0	30.0	35.4	29.1	8.8	7.0	8.2	6.8
Altoona	64.4	64.1	64.2	64.2	5.0	4.1	4.5	4.0	7.7	6.4	7.0	6.2
Erie	138.8	139.1	138.5	140.0	11.2	10.0	10.8	9.7	8.1	7.2	7.8	6.9
Harrisburg-Carlisle	284.4	286.5	285.3	286.9	20.9	16.1	19.6	15.7	7.3	5.6	6.9	5.5
Johnstown	67.6	66.2	66.8	66.1	6.5	5.2	6.0	5.0	9.6	7.8	9.0	7.5
Lancaster	264.1	263.0	265.1	265.1	18.4	14.0	16.9	13.5	7.0	5.3	6.4	5.1
Lebanon	73.3	73.4	73.2	74.0	5.0	3.8	4.7	3.8	6.8	5.1	6.4	5.1
Philadelphia-Camden-Wilmington	3,005.3	2,980.1	2,998.1	2,982.1	256.5	206.6	243.0	199.4	8.5	6.9	8.1	6.7
Pittsburgh	1,240.8	1,234.6	1,236.4	1,234.9	94.0	78.4	88.1	75.1	7.6	6.4	7.1	6.1
Reading	204.2	202.0	203.8	201.6	17.0	13.1	16.0	12.8	8.3	6.5	7.9	6.3
Scranton-Wilkes-Barre	282.6	278.5	282.2	277.9	28.4	23.3	26.9	22.2	10.1	8.3	9.5	8.0
State College	76.6	77.3	75.7	77.1	4.5	3.6	4.3	3.5	5.9	4.7	5.6	4.6
Williamsport	62.8	63.5	62.2	63.2	5.6	4.7	5.3	4.4	8.9	7.4	8.5	6.9
York-Hanover	225.8	224.4	225.4	224.9	17.8	14.1	16.8	13.4	7.9	6.3	7.4	5.9
Rhode Island	557.0	553.1	552.0	550.5	56.7	51.9	54.4	49.9	10.2	9.4	9.9	9.1
Providence-Fall River-Warwick	694.1	690.4	690.1	689.4	73.0	66.4	71.1	65.1	10.5	9.6	10.3	9.4
South Carolina	2,170.3	2,137.1	2,166.7	2,157.6	185.1	115.2	165.8	117.5	8.5	5.4	7.7	5.4
Anderson	85.5	86.3	85.8	87.2	6.5	3.9	5.9	4.1	7.6	4.5	6.9	4.7
Charleston-North Charleston-Summerville	333.6	328.8	333.8	331.9	22.3	14.6	20.6	15.3	6.7	4.4	6.2	4.6
Columbia	374.9	368.4	373.9	371.6	27.0	17.2	24.9	18.2	7.2	4.7	6.7	4.9
Florence	93.8	91.4	93.4	91.8	8.9	5.7	7.9	5.8	9.5	6.2	8.5	6.3
Greenville-Mauldin-Easley	314.6	314.9	314.5	317.3	21.1	13.4	19.5	14.2	6.7	4.2	6.2	4.5
Myrtle Beach-North Myrtle Beach-Conway	123.6	121.6	126.0	124.9	13.7	8.7	11.5	8.1	11.1	7.2	9.1	6.5
Spartanburg	139.1	138.1	138.6	138.5	11.2	6.7	10.2	7.0	8.1	4.8	7.4	5.0
Sumter	44.6	43.7	44.6	44.1	4.2	2.6	3.8	2.7	9.5	5.9	8.6	6.2
South Dakota	441.5	446.6	443.5	450.5	20.4	19.3	19.1	19.5	4.6	4.3	4.3	4.3
Rapid City	66.5	66.8	66.5	67.7	3.2	2.8	2.9	2.9	4.8	4.3	4.4	4.2
Sioux Falls	132.9	134.4	133.3	135.9	5.5	5.2	5.1	5.3	4.1	3.8	3.9	3.9
Tennessee	3,073.1	3,016.8	3,069.3	3,031.2	264.3	221.3	256.5	213.2	8.6	7.3	8.4	7.0
Chattanooga	258.3	251.7	257.6	253.3	19.9	17.0	19.2	16.3	7.7	6.8	7.5	6.4
Clarksville	117.0	114.3	116.7	115.1	10.6	9.5	10.2	9.2	9.1	8.3	8.7	8.0
Cleveland	56.0	55.9	56.5	56.5	4.6	3.9	4.4	3.6	8.3	6.9	7.9	6.4
Jackson	56.8	55.1	56.6	55.3	5.0	4.0	4.8	3.9	8.7	7.3	8.5	7.0
Johnson City	97.4	94.5	97.0	94.9	7.8	6.7	7.6	6.4	8.0	7.0	7.8	6.7

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					Number				Percent of labor force			
	February		March		February		March		February		March	
	2013	2014	2013	2014 ^P	2013	2014	2013	2014 ^P	2013	2014	2013	2014 ^P
Tennessee—Continued												
Kingsport-Bristol-Bristol	144.5	143.0	145.6	144.1	11.4	9.8	10.8	9.5	7.9	6.9	7.4	6.6
Knoxville	359.2	354.3	358.0	355.7	25.4	21.7	24.5	20.7	7.1	6.1	6.8	5.8
Memphis	608.4	590.1	605.1	591.9	57.9	49.5	56.7	48.7	9.5	8.4	9.4	8.2
Morristown	61.4	60.5	61.7	60.7	6.5	5.2	6.2	4.9	10.6	8.6	10.0	8.0
Nashville-Davidson—Murfreesboro—Franklin	844.2	840.9	841.7	847.4	56.9	46.9	54.8	45.5	6.7	5.6	6.5	5.4
Texas												
Abilene	84.0	84.2	83.6	84.6	4.4	3.9	4.2	3.6	5.2	4.6	5.0	4.2
Amarillo	134.1	133.4	133.7	133.4	6.2	5.6	6.2	5.1	4.6	4.2	4.6	3.8
Austin-Round Rock-San Marcos	991.7	1,015.1	995.2	1,021.5	54.5	48.4	52.9	44.8	5.5	4.8	5.3	4.4
Beaumont-Port Arthur	187.2	183.8	186.6	183.5	19.1	16.7	18.4	15.0	10.2	9.1	9.9	8.2
Brownsville-Harlingen	163.6	165.6	164.0	165.3	17.5	16.2	16.6	14.6	10.7	9.8	10.1	8.8
College Station-Bryan	118.1	122.2	118.3	123.1	6.1	5.5	5.8	4.9	5.2	4.5	4.9	4.0
Corpus Christi	217.5	219.0	218.6	221.3	13.3	12.3	13.0	11.3	6.1	5.6	6.0	5.1
Dallas-Fort Worth-Arlington	3,360.6	3,415.9	3,365.8	3,433.0	218.7	197.7	210.8	182.9	6.5	5.8	6.3	5.3
El Paso	326.3	324.0	325.4	323.0	30.2	26.4	28.9	23.8	9.3	8.1	8.9	7.4
Houston-Sugar Land-Baytown	3,087.1	3,143.3	3,090.5	3,157.8	197.8	178.8	189.1	163.7	6.4	5.7	6.1	5.2
Killeen-Temple-Fort Hood	171.0	172.7	171.0	173.2	12.5	11.5	12.0	10.5	7.3	6.7	7.0	6.1
Laredo	101.1	102.1	100.5	102.1	7.1	6.6	6.8	5.9	7.1	6.4	6.7	5.8
Longview	115.1	115.6	115.4	116.1	6.7	6.1	6.4	5.6	5.8	5.3	5.6	4.8
Lubbock	147.3	150.5	147.2	150.0	7.5	6.6	7.7	6.0	5.1	4.4	5.2	4.0
McAllen-Edinburg-Mission	319.1	323.6	318.4	322.7	35.7	33.4	33.7	30.4	11.2	10.3	10.6	9.4
Midland	93.2	96.2	93.0	96.5	3.1	2.9	3.0	2.6	3.3	3.0	3.2	2.7
Odessa	84.4	86.0	83.9	86.6	3.4	3.2	3.3	2.9	4.0	3.7	3.9	3.3
San Angelo	56.7	57.3	56.9	57.5	2.9	2.6	2.8	2.4	5.2	4.6	4.9	4.2
San Antonio-New Braunfels	1,039.4	1,052.6	1,041.7	1,054.8	64.0	57.7	62.3	52.5	6.2	5.5	6.0	5.0
Sherman-Denison	57.8	58.3	57.9	58.7	4.1	3.4	3.9	3.1	7.1	5.9	6.8	5.3
Texarkana	62.8	62.3	62.6	62.7	4.6	4.5	4.4	4.1	7.3	7.3	7.0	6.5
Tyler	101.6	103.4	102.1	103.5	6.8	6.3	6.5	5.6	6.7	6.1	6.4	5.4
Victoria	62.7	63.7	62.6	64.0	3.4	3.0	3.2	2.7	5.4	4.7	5.2	4.3
Waco	113.9	115.0	113.9	115.0	7.1	6.4	6.9	5.9	6.2	5.6	6.1	5.1
Wichita Falls	70.9	70.3	70.8	70.7	4.4	3.9	4.3	3.5	6.2	5.5	6.0	5.0
Utah												
Logan	1,394.6	1,444.9	1,393.7	1,455.3	70.3	63.7	65.0	64.4	5.0	4.4	4.7	4.4
Provo-Orem	240.5	253.4	239.8	254.6	11.8	10.7	10.6	10.7	4.9	4.2	4.4	4.2
St. George	59.5	62.7	59.8	63.5	3.7	3.2	3.3	3.1	6.2	5.0	5.5	4.9
Salt Lake City	626.9	644.8	625.0	648.0	29.5	27.1	27.9	28.0	4.7	4.2	4.5	4.3
Vermont												
Burlington-South Burlington	349.9	349.1	349.9	349.7	16.8	14.1	16.4	14.2	4.8	4.0	4.7	4.1
.....	114.6	112.5	114.6	112.0	4.3	3.7	4.2	3.7	3.7	3.3	3.7	3.3
Virginia												
Blacksburg-Christiansburg-Radford	4,208.4	4,275.9	4,223.2	4,316.3	251.2	223.5	233.9	227.8	6.0	5.2	5.5	5.3
Charlottesville	84.5	85.5	83.7	86.0	6.2	4.5	4.9	4.8	7.3	5.3	5.9	5.6
Danville	110.2	111.8	109.9	112.6	5.4	4.8	5.1	5.0	4.9	4.3	4.6	4.4
Harrisonburg	50.9	51.0	50.5	50.5	4.2	3.6	4.0	3.6	8.3	7.2	7.8	7.1
Lynchburg	67.3	68.3	66.8	69.0	3.8	3.3	3.6	3.6	5.6	4.9	5.3	5.2
Richmond	120.3	120.2	120.2	121.2	8.1	7.0	7.6	7.3	6.7	5.8	6.3	6.0
Roanoke	666.6	686.5	670.2	694.3	42.6	37.5	39.9	38.3	6.4	5.5	6.0	5.5
Virginia Beach-Norfolk-Newport News	157.3	159.1	157.8	160.5	9.8	8.7	9.1	8.7	6.3	5.5	5.7	5.4
Winchester	823.4	832.0	828.9	841.3	53.4	47.4	50.0	48.1	6.5	5.7	6.0	5.7
.....	67.8	69.2	68.0	70.0	4.1	3.6	3.8	3.6	6.0	5.3	5.6	5.2
Washington												
Bellingham	3,461.5	3,468.3	3,461.5	3,475.2	278.2	251.8	258.0	239.5	8.0	7.3	7.5	6.9
Spokane	104.4	103.8	104.9	103.9	8.5	7.8	7.9	7.4	8.1	7.5	7.5	7.1
Yakima	118.1	116.5	117.8	116.2	9.3	8.1	8.8	7.8	7.9	7.0	7.5	6.7
.....	128.1	127.1	128.7	128.0	13.4	12.1	12.3	11.2	10.5	9.5	9.5	8.7
.....	42.1	41.6	42.1	41.4	5.0	4.2	4.7	3.9	11.8	10.2	11.1	9.4
.....	55.5	55.0	56.0	55.2	5.5	4.8	5.1	4.5	9.9	8.7	9.1	8.1
.....	127.3	126.4	127.5	126.4	10.3	9.2	9.7	8.8	8.1	7.3	7.6	6.9
.....	1,909.5	1,935.5	1,907.3	1,942.0	122.0	115.6	114.1	114.1	6.4	6.0	6.0	5.9
.....	229.4	224.4	229.7	224.1	22.0	19.2	20.3	17.8	9.6	8.6	8.8	7.9
.....	56.5	56.2	56.9	56.2	5.4	4.9	4.8	4.5	9.5	8.7	8.5	8.0
.....	120.9	118.7	120.9	118.4	13.9	13.3	12.6	12.0	11.5	11.2	10.4	10.1
West Virginia												
Charleston	795.0	795.3	789.0	795.7	62.6	57.4	56.2	54.9	7.9	7.2	7.1	6.9
Huntington-Ashland	135.1	133.1	134.1	134.0	9.9	9.1	8.7	8.5	7.3	6.8	6.5	6.4
Morgantown	126.0	126.5	125.8	126.8	9.8	9.2	8.9	8.3	7.7	7.3	7.1	6.5
Parkersburg-Marietta-Vienna	67.4	68.4	66.9	68.5	3.7	3.4	3.2	3.1	5.4	5.0	4.7	4.5
Wheeling	75.0	74.5	74.3	74.4	6.1	5.3	5.3	4.5	8.1	7.1	7.1	6.1
.....	67.0	68.0	66.7	67.9	5.6	5.4	5.0	4.7	8.3	7.9	7.5	6.9

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 1. Civilian labor force and unemployment by state and metropolitan area—Continued

(Numbers in thousands)

State and area	Civilian labor force				Unemployed							
					Number				Percent of labor force			
	February		March		February		March		February		March	
	2013	2014	2013	2014 ^P	2013	2014	2013	2014 ^P	2013	2014	2013	2014 ^P
Wisconsin	3,059.6	3,065.0	3,050.3	3,060.5	241.7	215.8	229.0	206.5	7.9	7.0	7.5	6.7
Appleton	123.4	123.3	123.1	123.2	8.8	7.8	8.5	7.4	7.2	6.3	6.9	6.0
Eau Claire	92.1	91.7	91.6	91.4	6.8	5.9	6.4	5.6	7.3	6.4	7.0	6.1
Fond du Lac	55.7	56.3	55.6	56.3	4.2	4.0	3.9	3.7	7.5	7.1	7.0	6.5
Green Bay	172.3	172.9	171.8	172.8	12.7	11.2	11.9	10.8	7.4	6.5	6.9	6.2
Janesville	79.9	81.1	79.8	81.1	7.5	6.6	7.1	6.3	9.4	8.1	8.8	7.8
La Crosse	78.0	79.2	77.8	79.1	4.9	4.5	4.5	4.3	6.3	5.7	5.8	5.5
Madison	351.1	354.0	350.5	353.1	19.9	17.5	18.4	16.7	5.7	4.9	5.2	4.7
Milwaukee-Waukesha-West Allis	794.5	794.2	793.2	793.0	63.9	57.2	60.8	55.0	8.0	7.2	7.7	6.9
Oshkosh-Neenah	95.2	95.3	94.7	95.1	6.7	6.0	6.4	5.7	7.0	6.3	6.8	6.0
Racine	97.6	97.4	97.2	97.5	9.5	8.5	9.3	8.5	9.7	8.7	9.6	8.7
Sheboygan	61.0	61.3	60.8	61.4	4.5	3.7	4.2	3.6	7.3	6.0	6.8	5.8
Wausau	72.5	72.3	72.3	72.3	5.8	5.0	5.5	4.8	8.0	6.9	7.6	6.6
Wyoming	303.0	307.7	304.0	309.2	16.6	14.9	16.0	13.7	5.5	4.8	5.3	4.4
Casper	45.2	45.2	45.5	45.9	2.1	2.0	2.1	1.9	4.7	4.5	4.5	4.1
Cheyenne	45.8	46.6	45.9	47.0	2.7	2.5	2.6	2.2	6.0	5.3	5.6	4.7
Puerto Rico	1,195.7	1,171.9	1,181.6	1,164.5	165.5	170.4	159.6	164.4	13.8	14.5	13.5	14.1
Aguadilla-Isabela-San Sebastian	99.8	98.3	99.0	98.0	15.7	16.0	15.2	15.3	15.7	16.3	15.3	15.6
Fajardo	24.2	24.3	24.0	24.0	3.7	4.0	3.6	3.8	15.4	16.4	14.9	15.8
Guayama	23.5	21.7	23.1	21.5	5.1	4.9	4.9	4.6	21.9	22.4	21.4	21.6
Mayaguez	32.1	31.1	31.6	30.9	5.4	5.3	5.2	5.1	16.8	17.0	16.4	16.5
Ponce	82.2	80.1	81.1	79.6	11.5	12.1	11.1	11.7	14.0	15.1	13.7	14.6
San German-Cabo Rojo	43.8	42.5	43.5	42.4	7.6	7.5	7.3	7.2	17.4	17.6	16.8	17.0
San Juan-Caguas-Guaynabo	803.5	789.5	793.3	783.0	100.5	104.0	97.0	100.5	12.5	13.2	12.2	12.8
Yauco	33.7	33.2	33.2	33.1	5.9	6.1	5.6	5.9	17.4	18.3	16.8	17.8

¹ Area boundaries do not reflect official OMB definitions.

^P = preliminary.

NOTE: Data refer to place of residence. Data for Puerto Rico are derived from a monthly household survey similar to the Current Population Survey. Area definitions are based on Office of Management and Budget Bulletin No. 10-02, dated December 1, 2009, and are available on the BLS website at

www.bls.gov/lau/lausmsa.htm. Areas in the six New England states are Metropolitan New England City and Town Areas (NECTAs), while areas in other states are county-based. Some metropolitan areas lie in two or more states. They are listed under the state that appears first in their titles. Davenport-Moline-Rock Island, Iowa-Ill., is the exception in that it is listed under Illinois for operational reasons. Estimates for the latest month are subject to revision the following month.

Table 2. Civilian labor force and unemployment by state, selected metropolitan area, and metropolitan division ¹

(Numbers in thousands)

State, area, and division	Civilian labor force				Unemployed							
					Number				Percent of labor force			
	February		March		February		March		February		March	
	2013	2014	2013	2014P	2013	2014	2013	2014P	2013	2014	2013	2014P
California	18,605.4	18,624.3	18,537.6	18,685.4	1,803.1	1,580.3	1,739.7	1,575.7	9.7	8.5	9.4	8.4
Los Angeles-Long Beach-Santa Ana	6,569.9	6,584.3	6,540.0	6,600.9	614.4	533.7	592.3	529.4	9.4	8.1	9.1	8.0
Los Angeles-Long Beach-Glendale	4,953.0	4,963.4	4,929.9	4,976.2	507.5	438.9	489.0	435.0	10.2	8.8	9.9	8.7
Santa Ana-Anaheim-Irvine	1,617.0	1,620.9	1,610.0	1,624.7	106.9	94.8	103.2	94.4	6.6	5.9	6.4	5.8
San Francisco-Oakland-Fremont	2,351.9	2,362.0	2,347.2	2,367.8	167.7	143.5	161.5	142.5	7.1	6.1	6.9	6.0
Oakland-Fremont-Hayward	1,322.9	1,321.7	1,320.7	1,326.8	106.2	90.5	102.4	89.9	8.0	6.8	7.8	6.8
San Francisco-San Mateo-Redwood City	1,029.0	1,040.4	1,026.6	1,041.1	61.5	53.1	59.1	52.6	6.0	5.1	5.8	5.1
District of Columbia	373.6	371.9	371.3	367.6	32.5	30.3	31.1	28.1	8.7	8.1	8.4	7.6
Washington-Arlington-Alexandria ²	3,200.1	3,218.8	3,205.5	3,229.4	182.5	162.9	173.2	162.3	5.7	5.1	5.4	5.0
Bethesda-Rockville-Frederick ³	661.3	654.6	662.2	657.3	36.0	29.8	34.6	30.0	5.5	4.5	5.2	4.6
Washington-Arlington-Alexandria ²	2,538.8	2,564.2	2,543.3	2,572.1	146.4	133.1	138.6	132.4	5.8	5.2	5.4	5.1
Florida	9,364.2	9,513.8	9,373.7	9,574.3	729.8	601.4	692.4	610.1	7.8	6.3	7.4	6.4
Miami-Fort Lauderdale-Pompano Beach	2,957.3	2,987.1	2,945.8	2,985.5	233.1	185.1	223.1	194.5	7.9	6.2	7.6	6.5
Fort Lauderdale-Pompano Beach-Deerfield Beach	1,023.0	1,052.8	1,025.3	1,061.2	67.0	57.7	63.6	58.0	6.5	5.5	6.2	5.5
Miami-Miami Beach-Kendall	1,289.8	1,274.6	1,274.9	1,258.6	116.0	85.4	112.1	94.5	9.0	6.7	8.8	7.5
West Palm Beach-Boca Raton-Boynton Beach	644.4	659.7	645.6	665.7	50.1	42.0	47.4	42.0	7.8	6.4	7.3	6.3
Illinois	6,548.5	6,543.1	6,510.3	6,534.9	654.3	613.0	604.6	545.2	10.0	9.4	9.3	8.3
Chicago-Joliet-Naperville ²	4,893.9	4,889.7	4,867.6	4,896.0	481.1	441.8	451.1	398.7	9.8	9.0	9.3	8.1
Chicago-Joliet-Naperville	4,127.6	4,113.7	4,102.6	4,122.4	404.8	370.5	380.1	334.2	9.8	9.0	9.3	8.1
Gary ³	325.1	326.4	324.3	326.3	31.7	28.4	30.0	26.0	9.8	8.7	9.2	8.0
Lake County-Kenosha County ²	441.2	449.7	440.7	447.3	44.6	42.9	41.0	38.4	10.1	9.5	9.3	8.6
Massachusetts	3,453.3	3,481.7	3,456.0	3,499.1	254.7	237.9	245.7	231.0	7.4	6.8	7.1	6.6
Boston-Cambridge-Quincy ²	2,539.2	2,565.8	2,540.9	2,578.0	163.6	152.1	156.3	146.6	6.4	5.9	6.2	5.7
Boston-Cambridge-Quincy	1,537.6	1,556.3	1,538.2	1,563.5	90.9	85.7	86.2	82.1	5.9	5.5	5.6	5.3
Brockton-Bridgewater-Easton	128.2	129.1	128.5	129.9	10.3	9.6	10.0	9.3	8.0	7.4	7.8	7.2
Framingham	148.4	149.8	148.3	150.3	8.6	8.0	8.2	7.7	5.8	5.4	5.5	5.1
Haverhill-North Andover-Amesbury ²	124.8	126.2	124.7	127.1	8.8	8.1	8.3	7.8	7.0	6.4	6.6	6.1
Lawrence-Methuen-Salem ²	74.8	74.5	74.9	74.9	8.7	7.6	8.7	7.6	11.7	10.2	11.6	10.1
Lowell-Billerica-Chelmsford ²	155.2	156.0	155.1	156.7	11.5	10.4	11.0	10.1	7.4	6.6	7.1	6.4
Nashua ²	178.8	180.7	179.4	181.7	11.0	9.8	10.5	9.4	6.2	5.4	5.9	5.1
Peabody	129.2	130.0	129.2	130.7	9.0	8.4	8.7	8.2	7.0	6.5	6.7	6.3
Taunton-Norton-Raynham	62.1	63.1	62.3	63.3	4.8	4.5	4.7	4.4	7.8	7.2	7.5	6.9
Michigan	4,671.1	4,707.9	4,668.3	4,699.1	441.2	399.8	427.8	377.0	9.4	8.5	9.2	8.0
Detroit-Warren-Livonia	2,015.5	2,029.9	2,017.1	2,009.4	201.7	181.9	196.5	166.5	10.0	9.0	9.7	8.3
Detroit-Livonia-Dearborn	815.1	816.2	814.7	805.9	89.8	80.3	87.6	73.1	11.0	9.8	10.8	9.1
Warren-Troy-Farmington Hills	1,200.4	1,213.7	1,202.4	1,203.4	111.9	101.6	108.9	93.4	9.3	8.4	9.1	7.8
New York	9,614.1	9,591.7	9,572.6	9,613.7	828.5	737.0	762.7	697.4	8.6	7.7	8.0	7.3
New York-Northern New Jersey-Long Island ²	9,560.2	9,535.1	9,533.5	9,567.4	829.7	730.7	772.2	703.8	8.7	7.7	8.1	7.4
Edison-New Brunswick ³	1,221.0	1,195.7	1,219.7	1,199.9	104.7	86.4	98.2	83.4	8.6	7.2	8.1	7.0
Nassau-Suffolk	1,469.7	1,462.5	1,469.6	1,470.2	107.9	90.8	96.5	83.2	7.3	6.2	6.6	5.7
New York-White Plains-Wayne ²	5,767.6	5,792.3	5,746.3	5,812.8	517.9	471.2	483.4	456.7	9.0	8.1	8.4	7.9
Newark-Union ³	1,101.9	1,084.7	1,098.0	1,084.5	99.2	82.3	94.0	80.5	9.0	7.6	8.6	7.4
Pennsylvania	6,426.3	6,393.5	6,410.4	6,398.7	529.4	426.7	498.5	408.9	8.2	6.7	7.8	6.4
Philadelphia-Camden-Wilmington ²	3,005.3	2,980.1	2,998.1	2,982.1	256.5	206.6	243.0	199.4	8.5	6.9	8.1	6.7
Camden ³	665.5	645.7	662.9	647.9	63.7	51.7	59.6	50.1	9.6	8.0	9.0	7.7
Philadelphia	1,981.1	1,977.3	1,976.9	1,975.4	164.9	131.8	157.2	126.6	8.3	6.7	8.0	6.4
Wilmington ³	358.6	357.1	358.4	358.9	27.9	23.2	26.2	22.7	7.8	6.5	7.3	6.3
Texas	12,713.0	12,906.3	12,723.2	12,955.6	837.9	755.9	805.9	692.5	6.6	5.9	6.3	5.3
Dallas-Fort Worth-Arlington	3,360.6	3,415.9	3,365.8	3,433.0	218.7	197.7	210.8	182.9	6.5	5.8	6.3	5.3
Dallas-Plano-Irving	2,239.9	2,277.7	2,243.3	2,290.5	147.4	133.1	141.7	123.0	6.6	5.8	6.3	5.4
Fort Worth-Arlington	1,120.6	1,138.2	1,122.5	1,142.4	71.3	64.6	69.1	59.9	6.4	5.7	6.2	5.2
Washington	3,461.5	3,468.3	3,461.5	3,475.2	278.2	251.8	258.0	239.5	8.0	7.3	7.5	6.9
Seattle-Tacoma-Bellevue	1,909.5	1,935.5	1,907.3	1,942.0	122.0	115.6	114.1	114.1	6.4	6.0	6.0	5.9
Seattle-Bellevue-Everett	1,524.9	1,558.7	1,522.5	1,565.1	86.6	84.6	80.3	84.7	5.7	5.4	5.3	5.4
Tacoma	384.7	376.8	384.8	376.9	35.4	31.0	33.8	29.4	9.2	8.2	8.8	7.8

¹ These 11 areas contain all of the 34 metropolitan divisions.

² Part of the area (or division) is in one or more adjacent states.

³ All of the division is in one or more adjacent states.

P = preliminary.

NOTE: Data refer to place of residence. Area definitions are based on Office of Management and Budget Bulletin No. 10-02, dated December 1, 2009, available at www.bls.gov/lau/lausmsa.htm. Areas in the six New England states are Metropolitan New England City and Town Areas (NECTAs), while areas in other states are county-based. Some metropolitan areas lie in two or more states. They are listed under the state that corresponds to the first city in their title. Metropolitan divisions

are listed under their metropolitan areas. Some divisions lie in more than one state, and some, like Camden, N.J., are totally outside the states under which their metropolitan areas are listed. Three sets of metropolitan areas and divisions have similar or identical titles. For Washington-Arlington-Alexandria, D.C.-Va.-Md.-W.Va., the metropolitan area and division titles are identical. For the Boston-Cambridge-Quincy, Mass.-N.H., and Chicago-Joliet-Naperville, Ill.-Ind.-Wis., metropolitan areas, the division titles are similar but include only Massachusetts and Illinois, respectively. Estimates for the latest month are subject to revision the following month.

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Table 3. Employees on nonfarm payrolls by state and metropolitan area

[In thousands]

State and area	February		March		Change from March 2013 to March 2014 ^P	
	2013	2014	2013	2014 ^P	Number	Percent
Alabama.....	1,881.4	1,898.8	1,896.5	1,911.2	14.7	0.8
Anniston-Oxford.....	46.8	44.9	47.1	45.1	-2.0	-4.2
Auburn-Opelika.....	56.0	58.2	56.3	58.5	2.2	3.9
Birmingham-Hoover.....	501.5	506.9	503.7	511.1	7.4	1.5
Decatur.....	53.6	53.9	54.2	53.2	-1.0	-1.8
Dothan.....	56.4	55.9	57.1	56.7	-0.4	-0.7
Florence-Muscle Shoals.....	54.5	55.3	54.8	56.2	1.4	2.6
Gadsden.....	36.0	36.7	36.0	37.1	1.1	3.1
Huntsville.....	212.5	212.9	213.6	215.0	1.4	0.7
Mobile.....	171.4	172.1	172.5	173.1	0.6	0.3
Montgomery.....	166.4	167.8	167.8	168.1	0.3	0.2
Tuscaloosa.....	95.6	97.5	96.1	98.1	2.0	2.1
Alaska.....	321.8	322.3	324.2	324.8	0.6	0.2
Anchorage.....	175.1	174.1	175.4	174.7	-0.7	-0.4
Fairbanks.....	37.6	37.5	37.8	37.8	0.0	0.0
Arizona.....	2,505.5	2,550.1	2,518.3	2,565.7	47.4	1.9
Flagstaff.....	60.9	62.4	61.4	63.1	1.7	2.8
Lake Havasu City-Kingman.....	44.8	45.1	45.0	45.7	0.7	1.6
Phoenix-Mesa-Glendale.....	1,801.4	1,840.7	1,810.8	1,850.7	39.9	2.2
Prescott.....	55.6	57.8	56.1	57.8	1.7	3.0
Tucson.....	363.3	365.2	364.6	367.7	3.1	0.9
Yuma.....	53.4	52.8	53.7	52.9	-0.8	-1.5
Arkansas.....	1,169.3	1,176.7	1,176.6	1,189.6	13.0	1.1
Fayetteville-Springdale-Rogers.....	212.0	215.5	213.6	217.4	3.8	1.8
Fort Smith.....	115.5	115.7	116.0	116.6	0.6	0.5
Hot Springs.....	37.1	37.7	37.6	38.2	0.6	1.6
Jonesboro.....	51.4	52.7	51.4	53.2	1.8	3.5
Little Rock-North Little Rock-Conway.....	342.8	342.5	344.9	346.1	1.2	0.3
Pine Bluff.....	35.7	35.1	35.8	35.4	-0.4	-1.1
California.....	14,928.4	15,277.3	15,005.8	15,354.0	348.2	2.3
Bakersfield-Delano.....	246.9	251.9	248.3	253.0	4.7	1.9
Chico.....	72.0	74.7	71.9	74.4	2.5	3.5
El Centro.....	50.9	52.4	50.9	52.4	1.5	2.9
Fresno.....	299.1	312.5	301.9	313.5	11.6	3.8
Hanford-Corcoran.....	36.1	36.4	36.1	36.6	0.5	1.4
Los Angeles-Long Beach-Santa Ana.....	5,506.1	5,623.3	5,526.7	5,645.7	119.0	2.2
Madera-Chowchilla.....	34.5	34.8	34.8	35.3	0.5	1.4
Merced.....	59.2	60.1	59.1	60.1	1.0	1.7
Modesto.....	152.8	156.0	154.5	156.5	2.0	1.3
Napa.....	63.2	66.5	63.5	66.8	3.3	5.2
Oxnard-Thousand Oaks-Ventura.....	285.3	288.4	285.7	290.0	4.3	1.5
Redding.....	58.2	60.3	58.8	60.8	2.0	3.4
Riverside-San Bernardino-Ontario.....	1,208.8	1,244.0	1,214.6	1,247.0	32.4	2.7
Sacramento--Arden-Arcade--Roseville.....	856.3	867.7	860.0	876.7	16.7	1.9
Salinas.....	124.2	126.0	123.8	125.8	2.0	1.6
San Diego-Carlsbad-San Marcos.....	1,294.6	1,322.5	1,302.6	1,335.2	32.6	2.5
San Francisco-Oakland-Fremont.....	2,065.9	2,119.1	2,078.1	2,125.2	47.1	2.3
San Jose-Sunnyvale-Santa Clara.....	941.5	983.5	945.7	986.4	40.7	4.3
San Luis Obispo-Paso Robles.....	104.4	106.3	105.1	107.0	1.9	1.8
Santa Barbara-Santa Maria-Goleta.....	171.0	172.3	172.4	174.6	2.2	1.3
Santa Cruz-Watsonville.....	90.6	92.7	91.9	93.5	1.6	1.7
Santa Rosa-Petaluma.....	177.4	184.4	178.3	185.9	7.6	4.3
Stockton.....	195.8	201.5	197.1	202.2	5.1	2.6
Vallejo-Fairfield.....	122.7	125.7	124.0	126.1	2.1	1.7
Visalia-Porterville.....	112.0	114.2	112.3	113.8	1.5	1.3
Yuba City.....	37.9	37.9	38.5	38.4	-0.1	-0.3
Colorado.....	2,332.3	2,400.9	2,349.9	2,410.7	60.8	2.6
Boulder.....	169.7	174.9	170.4	176.0	5.6	3.3
Colorado Springs.....	251.9	256.0	253.8	257.5	3.7	1.5

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Table 3. Employees on nonfarm payrolls by state and metropolitan area — Continued

[In thousands]

State and area	February		March		Change from March 2013 to March 2014 ^P	
	2013	2014	2013	2014 ^P	Number	Percent
Colorado - Continued						
Denver-Aurora-Broomfield.....	1,259.7	1,297.4	1,269.9	1,303.5	33.6	2.6
Fort Collins-Loveland.....	140.3	145.1	141.6	146.1	4.5	3.2
Grand Junction.....	58.5	59.8	59.0	60.0	1.0	1.7
Greeley.....	87.4	91.8	88.2	92.7	4.5	5.1
Pueblo.....	57.7	58.8	58.3	59.0	0.7	1.2
Connecticut.....	1,618.8	1,630.5	1,629.6	1,640.5	10.9	0.7
Bridgeport-Stamford-Norwalk.....	399.3	404.2	403.0	408.3	5.3	1.3
Danbury.....	67.3	68.1	68.1	68.5	0.4	0.6
Hartford-West Hartford-East Hartford.....	540.7	544.0	543.4	548.3	4.9	0.9
New Haven.....	268.7	273.3	269.9	274.3	4.4	1.6
Norwich-New London.....	124.8	123.1	125.7	123.2	-2.5	-2.0
Waterbury.....	62.4	63.4	63.2	63.7	0.5	0.8
Delaware.....	414.9	423.6	419.4	427.4	8.0	1.9
Dover.....	64.8	66.1	65.6	66.0	0.4	0.6
District of Columbia.....	738.4	742.2	741.5	745.2	3.7	0.5
Washington-Arlington-Alexandria.....	3,043.8	3,049.0	3,059.2	3,064.7	5.5	0.2
Florida.....	7,519.6	7,744.0	7,573.4	7,799.2	225.8	3.0
Cape Coral-Fort Myers.....	218.0	223.8	219.9	227.9	8.0	3.6
Crestview-Fort Walton Beach-Destin.....	77.6	79.3	79.4	81.3	1.9	2.4
Deltona-Daytona Beach-Ormond Beach.....	155.8	159.7	158.4	161.6	3.2	2.0
Gainesville.....	129.8	131.6	130.0	132.0	2.0	1.5
Jacksonville.....	599.3	619.2	603.8	623.0	19.2	3.2
Lakeland-Winter Haven.....	197.7	198.8	198.7	200.2	1.5	0.8
Miami-Fort Lauderdale-Pompano Beach.....	2,333.2	2,403.8	2,344.9	2,417.7	72.8	3.1
Naples-Marco Island.....	124.8	130.7	124.9	131.1	6.2	5.0
North Port-Bradenton-Sarasota.....	254.4	261.7	256.1	264.8	8.7	3.4
Ocala.....	92.2	92.4	92.5	92.8	0.3	0.3
Orlando-Kissimmee-Sanford.....	1,051.2	1,089.2	1,058.9	1,092.2	33.3	3.1
Palm Bay-Melbourne-Titusville.....	194.1	194.2	194.8	195.1	0.3	0.2
Palm Coast.....	19.9	20.5	20.1	20.7	0.6	3.0
Panama City-Lynn Haven-Panama City Beach.....	71.6	73.0	74.6	75.8	1.2	1.6
Pensacola-Ferry Pass-Brent.....	158.2	159.9	160.5	161.7	1.2	0.7
Port St. Lucie.....	125.8	129.0	127.0	129.8	2.8	2.2
Punta Gorda.....	43.2	44.1	43.7	44.5	0.8	1.8
Sebastian-Vero Beach.....	45.7	46.4	46.1	46.7	0.6	1.3
Tallahassee.....	167.8	170.6	167.5	170.8	3.3	2.0
Tampa-St. Petersburg-Clearwater.....	1,165.5	1,195.1	1,173.8	1,203.8	30.0	2.6
Georgia.....	3,979.7	4,036.8	3,995.2	4,064.2	69.0	1.7
Albany.....	60.6	60.7	60.6	60.7	0.1	0.2
Athens-Clarke County.....	88.7	89.7	88.5	89.8	1.3	1.5
Atlanta-Sandy Springs-Marietta.....	2,366.4	2,409.6	2,375.6	2,427.1	51.5	2.2
Augusta-Richmond County.....	217.7	216.0	219.3	216.7	-2.6	-1.2
Brunswick.....	40.5	39.7	41.0	39.9	-1.1	-2.7
Columbus.....	120.3	120.7	120.5	121.1	0.6	0.5
Dalton.....	62.9	63.0	63.0	63.4	0.4	0.6
Gainesville.....	75.8	77.1	76.0	77.3	1.3	1.7
Hinesville-Fort Stewart.....	19.9	19.8	19.9	19.9	0.0	0.0
Macon.....	97.8	97.9	97.7	98.5	0.8	0.8
Rome.....	38.4	39.1	38.4	39.2	0.8	2.1
Savannah.....	157.6	161.9	160.5	162.9	2.4	1.5
Valdosta.....	52.9	53.9	53.3	54.0	0.7	1.3
Warner Robins.....	59.8	58.1	59.7	58.1	-1.6	-2.7
Hawaii.....	615.8	620.2	618.7	623.6	4.9	0.8
Honolulu.....	455.4	457.7	457.4	460.5	3.1	0.7
Idaho.....	620.1	626.3	626.1	630.6	4.5	0.7
Boise City-Nampa.....	266.4	272.2	269.9	275.7	5.8	2.1
Coeur d'Alene.....	52.4	54.0	53.0	54.6	1.6	3.0
Idaho Falls.....	49.7	49.9	50.2	50.3	0.1	0.2

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Table 3. Employees on nonfarm payrolls by state and metropolitan area — Continued

[In thousands]

State and area	February		March		Change from March 2013 to March 2014 ^P	
	2013	2014	2013	2014 ^P	Number	Percent
Idaho - Continued						
Lewiston.....	26.0	26.2	26.3	26.6	0.3	1.1
Pocatello.....	36.3	36.5	36.3	36.8	0.5	1.4
Illinois.....	5,684.3	5,714.3	5,718.0	5,744.2	26.2	0.5
Bloomington-Normal.....	90.3	88.2	89.9	88.1	-1.8	-2.0
Champaign-Urbana.....	105.3	106.6	106.7	108.6	1.9	1.8
Chicago-Joliet-Naperville.....	4,334.4	4,369.9	4,363.2	4,392.5	29.3	0.7
Danville.....	28.8	28.0	28.8	28.4	-0.4	-1.4
Davenport-Moline-Rock Island.....	180.4	178.7	181.4	179.3	-2.1	-1.2
Decatur.....	50.9	50.3	51.4	50.6	-0.8	-1.6
Kankakee-Bradley.....	42.8	42.8	43.0	43.4	0.4	0.9
Peoria.....	178.7	175.8	179.3	177.0	-2.3	-1.3
Rockford.....	145.2	144.4	145.8	145.4	-0.4	-0.3
Springfield.....	108.8	108.8	109.4	109.8	0.4	0.4
Indiana.....	2,882.6	2,915.5	2,901.9	2,944.3	42.4	1.5
Anderson.....	39.0	39.9	39.3	40.4	1.1	2.8
Bloomington.....	82.2	82.4	81.5	83.0	1.5	1.8
Columbus.....	48.0	49.2	48.0	49.6	1.6	3.3
Elkhart-Goshen.....	115.6	118.7	116.7	119.6	2.9	2.5
Evansville.....	174.7	174.0	176.5	176.4	-0.1	-0.1
Fort Wayne.....	205.1	211.3	206.1	212.4	6.3	3.1
Indianapolis-Carmel.....	912.4	922.0	919.2	939.4	20.2	2.2
Kokomo.....	41.7	43.7	42.0	44.3	2.3	5.5
Lafayette.....	98.4	98.9	98.6	98.6	0.0	0.0
Michigan City-La Porte.....	40.9	40.6	41.2	41.2	0.0	0.0
Muncie.....	51.4	50.8	51.4	51.1	-0.3	-0.6
South Bend-Mishawaka.....	131.8	132.8	132.1	133.4	1.3	1.0
Terre Haute.....	69.1	70.2	69.9	70.6	0.7	1.0
Iowa.....	1,493.3	1,516.7	1,501.6	1,522.5	20.9	1.4
Ames.....	49.8	50.9	49.9	50.8	0.9	1.8
Cedar Rapids.....	138.7	138.1	139.3	139.5	0.2	0.1
Des Moines-West Des Moines.....	325.8	336.5	327.1	338.6	11.5	3.5
Dubuque.....	58.0	58.2	58.4	58.6	0.2	0.3
Iowa City.....	94.5	97.3	95.2	97.8	2.6	2.7
Sioux City.....	73.4	75.4	74.2	75.7	1.5	2.0
Waterloo-Cedar Falls.....	91.1	91.1	91.9	91.6	-0.3	-0.3
Kansas.....	1,352.9	1,365.6	1,358.9	1,375.7	16.8	1.2
Lawrence.....	51.3	52.7	51.3	52.8	1.5	2.9
Manhattan.....	57.6	58.2	57.9	59.0	1.1	1.9
Topeka.....	109.1	109.2	109.4	110.2	0.8	0.7
Wichita.....	287.1	286.7	286.9	288.0	1.1	0.4
Kentucky.....	1,804.9	1,805.7	1,819.6	1,819.9	0.3	0.0
Bowling Green.....	62.6	63.7	63.1	64.5	1.4	2.2
Elizabethtown.....	49.0	49.0	49.5	49.4	-0.1	-0.2
Lexington-Fayette.....	253.0	252.3	254.4	256.1	1.7	0.7
Louisville-Jefferson County.....	613.7	620.2	618.8	624.5	5.7	0.9
Owensboro.....	52.0	52.3	52.3	52.5	0.2	0.4
Louisiana.....	1,935.7	1,950.0	1,944.5	1,958.9	14.4	0.7
Alexandria.....	62.6	62.3	62.9	62.5	-0.4	-0.6
Baton Rouge.....	380.4	388.9	383.2	391.2	8.0	2.1
Houma-Bayou Cane-Thibodaux.....	97.2	100.0	97.9	100.5	2.6	2.7
Lafayette.....	157.1	161.0	158.4	161.6	3.2	2.0
Lake Charles.....	91.3	94.2	91.6	94.4	2.8	3.1
Monroe.....	77.1	78.1	77.8	78.8	1.0	1.3
New Orleans-Metairie-Kenner.....	543.7	549.4	542.6	551.1	8.5	1.6
Shreveport-Bossier City.....	170.1	169.8	170.9	170.6	-0.3	-0.2
Maine.....	578.1	586.6	579.8	587.7	7.9	1.4
Bangor.....	64.6	65.3	64.5	64.7	0.2	0.3
Lewiston-Auburn.....	47.6	47.8	47.4	47.6	0.2	0.4

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Table 3. Employees on nonfarm payrolls by state and metropolitan area — Continued

[In thousands]

State and area	February		March		Change from March 2013 to March 2014 ^P	
	2013	2014	2013	2014 ^P	Number	Percent
Maine - Continued						
Portland-South Portland-Biddeford.....	187.0	187.9	187.6	188.7	1.1	0.6
Maryland.....						
Baltimore-Towson.....	1,310.3	1,323.3	1,322.5	1,335.5	13.0	1.0
Cumberland.....	38.8	39.1	39.0	39.5	0.5	1.3
Hagerstown-Martinsburg.....	102.6	102.0	103.3	102.5	-0.8	-0.8
Salisbury.....	51.9	52.2	52.3	52.7	0.4	0.8
Massachusetts.....						
Barnstable Town.....	89.2	91.3	91.3	92.6	1.3	1.4
Boston-Cambridge-Quincy.....	2,501.3	2,533.0	2,518.8	2,545.6	26.8	1.1
Leominster-Fitchburg-Gardner.....	47.5	48.1	47.8	48.5	0.7	1.5
New Bedford.....	67.8	68.8	68.7	69.8	1.1	1.6
Pittsfield.....	35.3	35.1	35.4	35.0	-0.4	-1.1
Springfield.....	287.3	290.4	289.0	292.0	3.0	1.0
Worcester.....	244.3	245.9	246.1	247.6	1.5	0.6
Michigan.....						
Ann Arbor.....	206.0	207.4	206.6	207.7	1.1	0.5
Battle Creek.....	56.4	57.5	56.7	57.6	0.9	1.6
Bay City.....	36.3	36.0	36.5	36.3	-0.2	-0.5
Detroit-Warren-Livonia.....	1,834.7	1,829.8	1,845.3	1,840.9	-4.4	-0.2
Flint.....	136.2	134.8	137.4	135.6	-1.8	-1.3
Grand Rapids-Wyoming.....	396.1	407.7	398.4	410.6	12.2	3.1
Holland-Grand Haven.....	111.5	115.1	112.0	115.3	3.3	2.9
Jackson.....	53.4	53.6	53.9	53.9	0.0	0.0
Kalamazoo-Portage.....	135.3	135.7	135.8	136.6	0.8	0.6
Lansing-East Lansing.....	218.0	221.4	219.0	222.0	3.0	1.4
Monroe.....	39.1	41.1	39.7	41.4	1.7	4.3
Muskegon-Norton Shores.....	59.8	60.8	60.2	61.1	0.9	1.5
Niles-Benton Harbor.....	57.3	58.4	58.0	58.7	0.7	1.2
Saginaw-Saginaw Township North.....	85.1	85.9	86.1	86.3	0.2	0.2
Minnesota.....						
Duluth.....	130.3	131.2	130.9	131.2	0.3	0.2
Mankato-North Mankato.....	53.7	54.9	53.7	54.7	1.0	1.9
Minneapolis-St. Paul-Bloomington.....	1,762.0	1,784.1	1,764.4	1,788.5	24.1	1.4
Rochester.....	106.0	106.1	106.7	106.4	-0.3	-0.3
St. Cloud.....	101.0	103.4	101.5	103.7	2.2	2.2
Mississippi.....						
Gulfport-Biloxi.....	105.4	106.6	106.5	107.1	0.6	0.6
Hattiesburg.....	59.8	59.8	60.1	60.2	0.1	0.2
Jackson.....	258.8	256.1	260.6	257.8	-2.8	-1.1
Pascagoula.....	55.6	57.9	55.6	58.5	2.9	5.2
Missouri.....						
Cape Girardeau-Jackson.....	44.3	43.9	44.5	44.3	-0.2	-0.4
Columbia.....	97.1	99.8	97.7	100.8	3.1	3.2
Jefferson City.....	75.4	75.4	76.1	76.0	-0.1	-0.1
Joplin.....	79.9	81.2	80.6	81.7	1.1	1.4
Kansas City.....	987.6	992.0	994.3	1,001.9	7.6	0.8
St. Joseph.....	62.2	62.4	62.5	62.8	0.3	0.5
St. Louis ¹	1,294.5	1,296.4	1,301.3	1,315.3	14.0	1.1
Springfield.....	194.3	199.4	195.6	202.4	6.8	3.5
Montana.....						
Billings.....	80.2	80.2	80.9	80.8	-0.1	-0.1
Great Falls.....	34.7	35.4	35.1	35.8	0.7	2.0
Missoula.....	55.7	57.0	56.3	57.3	1.0	1.8
Nebraska.....						
Lincoln.....	177.5	181.4	178.9	182.8	3.9	2.2
Omaha-Council Bluffs.....	465.9	475.3	468.0	475.2	7.2	1.5
Nevada.....						
	1,148.9	1,194.7	1,158.3	1,205.5	47.2	4.1

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Table 3. Employees on nonfarm payrolls by state and metropolitan area — Continued

[In thousands]

State and area	February		March		Change from March 2013 to March 2014 ^P	
	2013	2014	2013	2014 ^P	Number	Percent
Nevada - Continued						
Carson City.....	27.3	27.2	27.6	27.4	-0.2	-0.7
Las Vegas-Paradise.....	832.0	861.5	839.4	870.0	30.6	3.6
Reno-Sparks.....	189.9	199.7	191.5	200.0	8.5	4.4
New Hampshire.....						
Manchester.....	98.6	100.1	99.0	100.8	1.8	1.8
Portsmouth.....	54.5	55.2	54.5	55.1	0.6	1.1
Rochester-Dover.....	56.5	56.2	56.2	56.2	0.0	0.0
New Jersey.....						
Atlantic City-Hammonton.....	130.9	127.2	132.1	128.5	-3.6	-2.7
Ocean City.....	31.7	34.7	32.5	35.5	3.0	9.2
Trenton-Ewing.....	243.0	248.2	244.1	250.1	6.0	2.5
Vineland-Millville-Bridgeton.....	56.9	56.6	57.3	57.5	0.2	0.3
New Mexico.....						
Albuquerque.....	369.0	364.2	369.3	366.2	-3.1	-0.8
Farmington.....	49.3	48.6	49.7	48.8	-0.9	-1.8
Las Cruces.....	70.2	70.6	70.6	71.1	0.5	0.7
Santa Fe.....	60.7	60.9	60.6	61.0	0.4	0.7
New York.....						
Albany-Schenectady-Troy.....	442.5	442.5	443.8	443.9	0.1	0.0
Binghamton.....	105.3	104.4	105.5	105.1	-0.4	-0.4
Buffalo-Niagara Falls.....	538.3	543.4	540.8	544.0	3.2	0.6
Elmira.....	38.6	37.7	38.7	37.9	-0.8	-2.1
Glens Falls.....	51.5	51.3	51.4	51.4	0.0	0.0
Ithaca.....	70.5	70.0	70.9	69.9	-1.0	-1.4
Kingston.....	57.9	59.0	58.4	59.5	1.1	1.9
New York-Northern New Jersey-Long Island.....	8,504.0	8,612.3	8,577.5	8,667.0	89.5	1.0
Poughkeepsie-Newburgh-Middletown.....	247.5	251.9	249.3	253.1	3.8	1.5
Rochester.....	508.9	510.2	510.4	512.6	2.2	0.4
Syracuse.....	313.0	313.4	313.8	312.3	-1.5	-0.5
Utica-Rome.....	125.1	125.4	125.1	125.4	0.3	0.2
North Carolina.....						
Asheville.....	170.1	174.3	171.4	175.2	3.8	2.2
Burlington.....	58.5	58.7	58.6	58.9	0.3	0.5
Charlotte-Gastonia-Rock Hill.....	860.4	876.8	867.1	887.8	20.7	2.4
Durham-Chapel Hill.....	281.3	285.8	282.9	289.3	6.4	2.3
Fayetteville.....	131.9	131.4	132.4	132.3	-0.1	-0.1
Goldsboro.....	42.3	43.3	42.5	43.5	1.0	2.4
Greensboro-High Point.....	343.1	342.4	344.4	345.6	1.2	0.3
Greenville.....	79.8	81.2	80.1	81.3	1.2	1.5
Hickory-Lenoir-Morganton.....	143.2	144.2	143.6	145.1	1.5	1.0
Jacksonville.....	48.5	48.2	48.8	48.3	-0.5	-1.0
Raleigh-Cary.....	530.3	549.1	533.6	553.3	19.7	3.7
Rocky Mount.....	54.1	54.1	54.2	54.2	0.0	0.0
Wilmington.....	136.3	141.4	138.5	143.0	4.5	3.2
Winston-Salem.....	206.7	206.7	207.3	207.3	0.0	0.0
North Dakota.....						
Bismarck.....	67.4	68.8	67.7	69.2	1.5	2.2
Fargo.....	129.9	132.6	130.3	133.8	3.5	2.7
Grand Forks.....	55.9	56.4	55.8	56.4	0.6	1.1
Ohio.....						
Akron.....	319.1	326.2	319.7	328.1	8.4	2.6
Canton-Massillon.....	167.6	166.9	168.2	168.2	0.0	0.0
Cincinnati-Middletown.....	999.0	1,015.1	1,006.0	1,024.7	18.7	1.9
Cleveland-Elyria-Mentor.....	1,004.3	1,012.6	1,009.4	1,015.2	5.8	0.6
Columbus.....	958.7	967.7	961.9	973.4	11.5	1.2
Dayton.....	372.7	368.3	374.6	373.6	-1.0	-0.3
Lima.....	51.2	51.7	51.7	52.0	0.3	0.6
Mansfield.....	51.4	51.4	51.6	51.3	-0.3	-0.6

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**ESTABLISHMENT DATA
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Table 3. Employees on nonfarm payrolls by state and metropolitan area — Continued

[In thousands]

State and area	February		March		Change from March 2013 to March 2014 ^P	
	2013	2014	2013	2014 ^P	Number	Percent
Ohio - Continued						
Sandusky.....	33.6	33.8	34.1	34.3	0.2	0.6
Springfield.....	50.4	52.3	50.5	52.5	2.0	4.0
Steubenville-Weirton.....	42.7	43.6	43.1	43.8	0.7	1.6
Toledo.....	301.0	305.0	303.1	305.0	1.9	0.6
Youngstown-Warren-Boardman.....	221.2	222.0	222.9	224.4	1.5	0.7
Oklahoma.....	1,614.5	1,633.0	1,626.3	1,649.3	23.0	1.4
Lawton.....	44.1	44.2	44.0	44.3	0.3	0.7
Oklahoma City.....	599.5	612.5	603.9	618.9	15.0	2.5
Tulsa.....	425.1	431.4	428.0	436.2	8.2	1.9
Oregon.....	1,639.7	1,682.8	1,648.4	1,694.8	46.4	2.8
Bend.....	61.5	63.4	62.2	63.5	1.3	2.1
Corvallis.....	38.7	39.2	38.9	39.3	0.4	1.0
Eugene-Springfield.....	142.3	144.4	142.8	145.1	2.3	1.6
Medford.....	75.7	76.3	76.1	76.0	-0.1	-0.1
Portland-Vancouver-Hillsboro.....	1,017.5	1,043.0	1,021.8	1,049.7	27.9	2.7
Salem.....	141.1	144.6	142.1	145.3	3.2	2.3
Pennsylvania.....	5,664.0	5,680.1	5,702.0	5,712.7	10.7	0.2
Allentown-Bethlehem-Easton.....	341.4	341.1	344.1	345.5	1.4	0.4
Altoona.....	59.9	59.9	60.4	60.2	-0.2	-0.3
Erie.....	127.4	128.1	128.0	129.6	1.6	1.3
Harrisburg-Carlisle.....	320.5	325.9	324.6	327.6	3.0	0.9
Johnstown.....	58.2	57.3	58.1	57.6	-0.5	-0.9
Lancaster.....	226.2	228.1	228.9	230.5	1.6	0.7
Lebanon.....	50.2	50.8	50.3	51.3	1.0	2.0
Philadelphia-Camden-Wilmington.....	2,713.9	2,721.5	2,734.1	2,738.1	4.0	0.1
Pittsburgh.....	1,140.8	1,135.3	1,148.1	1,142.7	-5.4	-0.5
Reading.....	168.4	168.6	169.4	168.4	-1.0	-0.6
Scranton--Wilkes-Barre.....	251.1	248.9	253.5	250.1	-3.4	-1.3
State College.....	75.6	76.5	75.1	76.5	1.4	1.9
Williamsport.....	54.9	55.9	54.7	56.0	1.3	2.4
York-Hanover.....	175.4	174.6	176.5	176.1	-0.4	-0.2
Rhode Island.....	457.4	464.8	461.3	467.5	6.2	1.3
Providence-Fall River-Warwick.....	541.5	548.2	545.8	551.8	6.0	1.1
South Carolina.....	1,857.3	1,891.1	1,877.7	1,917.1	39.4	2.1
Anderson.....	62.2	65.3	63.2	66.3	3.1	4.9
Charleston-North Charleston-Summerville.....	304.8	306.9	307.2	310.6	3.4	1.1
Columbia.....	357.1	360.0	358.6	363.7	5.1	1.4
Florence.....	83.7	84.9	84.2	85.4	1.2	1.4
Greenville-Mauldin-Easley.....	307.2	314.8	309.0	317.8	8.8	2.8
Myrtle Beach-North Myrtle Beach-Conway.....	108.9	112.1	114.0	116.7	2.7	2.4
Spartanburg.....	126.6	129.9	127.2	130.5	3.3	2.6
Sumter.....	37.4	38.0	37.9	38.4	0.5	1.3
South Dakota.....	405.7	409.2	408.6	410.2	1.6	0.4
Rapid City.....	60.8	61.2	61.4	61.7	0.3	0.5
Sioux Falls.....	139.9	141.5	140.9	141.8	0.9	0.6
Tennessee.....	2,708.4	2,752.7	2,730.4	2,774.9	44.5	1.6
Chattanooga.....	236.4	235.8	237.5	238.2	0.7	0.3
Clarksville.....	87.5	87.7	88.0	88.2	0.2	0.2
Cleveland.....	41.9	43.7	42.9	44.5	1.6	3.7
Jackson.....	60.4	60.9	60.6	61.4	0.8	1.3
Johnson City.....	77.4	77.4	77.8	77.9	0.1	0.1
Kingsport-Bristol-Bristol.....	117.9	118.6	120.0	120.0	0.0	0.0
Knoxville.....	328.4	334.3	330.4	336.5	6.1	1.8
Memphis.....	602.2	603.0	604.5	605.6	1.1	0.2
Morristown.....	44.8	46.0	45.3	46.3	1.0	2.2
Nashville-Davidson--Murfreesboro--Franklin.....	792.4	816.4	798.5	824.2	25.7	3.2
Texas.....	11,028.6	11,331.6	11,095.7	11,400.5	304.8	2.7
Abilene.....	66.2	66.9	66.2	67.4	1.2	1.8

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Table 3. Employees on nonfarm payrolls by state and metropolitan area — Continued

[In thousands]

State and area	February		March		Change from March 2013 to March 2014 ^P	
	2013	2014	2013	2014 ^P	Number	Percent
Texas - Continued						
Amarillo.....	112.4	112.9	112.5	112.7	0.2	0.2
Austin-Round Rock-San Marcos.....	846.4	879.1	853.0	885.9	32.9	3.9
Beaumont-Port Arthur.....	158.3	157.2	158.6	158.2	-0.4	-0.3
Brownsville-Harlingen.....	131.6	134.7	133.0	135.7	2.7	2.0
College Station-Bryan.....	101.1	105.3	101.5	106.3	4.8	4.7
Corpus Christi.....	186.4	188.4	188.1	190.9	2.8	1.5
Dallas-Fort Worth-Arlington.....	3,033.7	3,123.8	3,053.0	3,145.7	92.7	3.0
El Paso.....	285.5	287.4	286.1	287.9	1.8	0.6
Houston-Sugar Land-Baytown.....	2,749.9	2,828.3	2,767.1	2,847.2	80.1	2.9
Killeen-Temple-Fort Hood.....	129.8	132.4	130.3	133.1	2.8	2.1
Laredo.....	94.4	96.2	94.4	96.3	1.9	2.0
Longview.....	100.5	101.1	101.1	101.8	0.7	0.7
Lubbock.....	130.6	134.8	130.6	134.8	4.2	3.2
McAllen-Edinburg-Mission.....	232.9	237.2	234.5	238.2	3.7	1.6
Midland.....	83.5	87.5	83.8	87.7	3.9	4.7
Odessa.....	72.6	73.9	72.4	74.5	2.1	2.9
San Angelo.....	47.0	47.6	47.2	47.9	0.7	1.5
San Antonio-New Braunfels.....	894.4	913.3	900.0	917.0	17.0	1.9
Sherman-Denison.....	43.2	43.9	43.7	44.5	0.8	1.8
Texarkana.....	55.5	54.5	55.4	55.4	0.0	0.0
Tyler.....	93.7	95.9	94.6	96.5	1.9	2.0
Victoria.....	53.4	54.8	53.6	55.1	1.5	2.8
Waco.....	104.9	106.7	105.2	106.9	1.7	1.6
Wichita Falls.....	57.2	57.1	57.4	57.8	0.4	0.7
Utah.....	1,265.1	1,297.7	1,274.4	1,310.2	35.8	2.8
Logan.....	54.8	55.5	54.9	55.5	0.6	1.1
Ogden-Clearfield.....	202.8	205.0	204.2	207.1	2.9	1.4
Provo-Orem.....	198.4	207.0	200.0	209.0	9.0	4.5
St. George.....	49.3	51.5	50.0	52.3	2.3	4.6
Salt Lake City.....	655.9	664.6	658.9	669.7	10.8	1.6
Vermont.....	304.9	309.4	305.6	307.4	1.8	0.6
Burlington-South Burlington.....	116.6	117.5	116.4	116.1	-0.3	-0.3
Virginia.....	3,719.4	3,717.4	3,740.0	3,741.1	1.1	0.0
Blacksburg-Christiansburg-Radford.....	73.0	74.1	73.2	74.1	0.9	1.2
Charlottesville.....	102.9	102.5	102.5	102.7	0.2	0.2
Danville.....	40.1	38.9	40.4	39.1	-1.3	-3.2
Harrisonburg.....	64.2	64.2	64.0	64.3	0.3	0.5
Lynchburg.....	100.9	99.8	101.0	100.2	-0.8	-0.8
Richmond.....	623.4	633.7	627.7	639.2	11.5	1.8
Roanoke.....	156.9	156.1	158.0	157.6	-0.4	-0.3
Virginia Beach-Norfolk-Newport News.....	740.5	737.2	746.4	744.3	-2.1	-0.3
Winchester.....	57.6	58.3	58.1	59.1	1.0	1.7
Washington.....	2,929.9	2,987.5	2,944.7	3,004.1	59.4	2.0
Bellingham.....	83.0	84.4	83.6	84.8	1.2	1.4
Bremerton-Silverdale.....	82.5	83.4	82.5	83.6	1.1	1.3
Kennewick-Pasco-Richland.....	99.0	101.5	99.9	102.5	2.6	2.6
Longview.....	35.8	36.7	36.1	36.7	0.6	1.7
Mount Vernon-Anacortes.....	44.8	45.9	45.3	46.3	1.0	2.2
Olympia.....	101.6	103.7	102.4	104.2	1.8	1.8
Seattle-Tacoma-Bellevue.....	1,751.4	1,788.9	1,758.2	1,801.6	43.4	2.5
Spokane.....	210.7	212.3	212.5	213.9	1.4	0.7
Wenatchee-East Wenatchee.....	38.2	39.1	38.7	39.3	0.6	1.6
Yakima.....	78.0	79.1	78.5	79.7	1.2	1.5
West Virginia.....	752.8	754.9	758.9	761.4	2.5	0.3
Charleston.....	144.8	142.4	146.2	144.7	-1.5	-1.0
Huntington-Ashland.....	112.2	112.8	113.2	113.8	0.6	0.5
Morgantown.....	67.4	68.3	68.0	69.0	1.0	1.5
Parkersburg-Marietta-Vienna.....	68.4	68.3	68.7	69.0	0.3	0.4
Wheeling.....	65.7	66.7	66.3	67.4	1.1	1.7

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Table 3. Employees on nonfarm payrolls by state and metropolitan area — Continued

[In thousands]

State and area	February		March		Change from March 2013 to March 2014 ^p	
	2013	2014	2013	2014 ^p	Number	Percent
Wisconsin.....	2,755.2	2,782.7	2,769.3	2,796.6	27.3	1.0
Appleton.....	115.2	115.4	115.9	116.0	0.1	0.1
Eau Claire.....	81.4	81.4	81.5	81.6	0.1	0.1
Fond du Lac.....	45.7	46.1	46.1	46.5	0.4	0.9
Green Bay.....	165.3	166.7	166.1	167.9	1.8	1.1
Janesville.....	62.0	63.8	62.6	64.3	1.7	2.7
La Crosse.....	75.0	76.6	75.5	76.8	1.3	1.7
Madison.....	351.7	355.8	353.5	356.9	3.4	1.0
Milwaukee-Waukesha-West Allis.....	811.9	814.9	815.6	818.4	2.8	0.3
Oshkosh-Neenah.....	92.2	92.9	91.9	93.4	1.5	1.6
Racine.....	73.6	73.7	73.2	74.2	1.0	1.4
Sheboygan.....	56.7	57.7	56.9	58.0	1.1	1.9
Wausau.....	66.6	66.9	67.0	67.0	0.0	0.0
Wyoming.....	281.0	283.9	283.4	286.8	3.4	1.2
Casper.....	41.3	40.9	41.5	41.5	0.0	0.0
Cheyenne.....	44.4	44.4	44.7	45.3	0.6	1.3
Puerto Rico.....	928.2	928.3	932.4	928.2	-4.2	-0.5
Aguadilla-Isabela-San Sebastian.....	47.7	47.3	48.2	47.5	-0.7	-1.5
Fajardo.....	15.1	15.4	15.3	15.4	0.1	0.7
Guayama.....	15.8	14.7	15.8	14.8	-1.0	-6.3
Mayaguez.....	35.5	35.1	35.5	35.2	-0.3	-0.8
Ponce.....	62.3	61.0	62.5	61.2	-1.3	-2.1
San German-Cabo Rojo.....	18.9	18.6	19.2	18.8	-0.4	-2.1
San Juan-Caguas-Guaynabo.....	695.0	691.0	697.7	690.6	-7.1	-1.0
Yauco.....	13.5	13.6	13.5	13.6	0.1	0.7
Virgin Islands.....	39.5	38.3	39.8	38.4	-1.4	-3.5

¹ Area boundaries do not reflect official OMB definitions.

^p Preliminary

NOTE: Data are counts of jobs by place of work. Estimates subsequent to the current benchmark are preliminary and will be revised when new information becomes available. Area definitions are based on Office of Management and Budget Bulletin No. 10-02, dated December 1, 2009, and available at www.bls.gov/la/lausmsa.htm. Areas in the six New England states are Metropolitan New England City and Town Areas (NECTAs), while areas in other states are county-based. Some metropolitan areas lie in two or more states. They are listed under the state that appears first in their titles. Davenport-Moline-Rock Island, Iowa-Ill. is the exception since it is listed under Illinois for operational reasons.

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**Table 4. Employees on nonfarm payrolls by state, selected metropolitan area, and metropolitan division
[In thousands]**

State, area, and division	February		March		Change from March 2013 to March 2014 ^P	
	2013	2014	2013	2014 ^P	Number	Percent
California.....	14,928.4	15,277.3	15,005.8	15,354.0	348.2	2.3
Los Angeles-Long Beach-Santa Ana.....	5,506.1	5,623.3	5,526.7	5,645.7	119.0	2.2
Los Angeles-Long Beach-Glendale.....	4,069.2	4,154.8	4,086.2	4,173.7	87.5	2.1
Santa Ana-Anaheim-Irvine.....	1,436.9	1,468.5	1,440.5	1,472.0	31.5	2.2
San Francisco-Oakland-Fremont.....	2,065.9	2,119.1	2,078.1	2,125.2	47.1	2.3
Oakland-Fremont-Hayward.....	1,016.9	1,037.7	1,023.3	1,043.2	19.9	1.9
San Francisco-San Mateo-Redwood City.....	1,049.0	1,081.4	1,054.8	1,082.0	27.2	2.6
District of Columbia.....	738.4	742.2	741.5	745.2	3.7	0.5
Washington-Arlington-Alexandria ¹	3,043.8	3,049.0	3,059.2	3,064.7	5.5	0.2
Bethesda-Rockville-Frederick ²	562.6	564.9	566.3	568.5	2.2	0.4
Washington-Arlington-Alexandria ¹	2,481.2	2,484.1	2,492.9	2,496.2	3.3	0.1
Florida.....	7,519.6	7,744.0	7,573.4	7,799.2	225.8	3.0
Miami-Fort Lauderdale-Pompano Beach.....	2,333.2	2,403.8	2,344.9	2,417.7	72.8	3.1
Fort Lauderdale-Pompano Beach-Deerfield Beach.....	742.8	767.5	747.5	772.5	25.0	3.3
Miami-Miami Beach-Kendall.....	1,051.2	1,082.7	1,054.8	1,087.7	32.9	3.1
West Palm Beach-Boca Raton-Boynton Beach.....	539.2	553.6	542.6	557.5	14.9	2.7
Illinois.....	5,684.3	5,714.3	5,718.0	5,744.2	26.2	0.5
Chicago-Joliet-Naperville ¹	4,334.4	4,369.9	4,363.2	4,392.5	29.3	0.7
Chicago-Joliet-Naperville.....	3,684.3	3,712.1	3,707.9	3,731.9	24.0	0.6
Gary ²	270.1	267.9	271.7	269.6	-2.1	-0.8
Lake County-Kenosha County ¹	380.0	389.9	383.6	391.0	7.4	1.9
Massachusetts.....	3,273.7	3,321.2	3,299.0	3,341.0	42.0	1.3
Boston-Cambridge-Quincy ¹	2,501.3	2,533.0	2,518.8	2,545.6	26.8	1.1
Boston-Cambridge-Quincy.....	1,732.8	1,761.6	1,746.1	1,772.1	26.0	1.5
Brockton-Bridgewater-Easton.....	90.3	91.1	91.1	92.2	1.1	1.2
Framingham.....	157.7	159.6	158.2	159.9	1.7	1.1
Haverhill-North Andover-Amesbury ¹	78.3	80.0	78.9	80.9	2.0	2.5
Lowell-Billerica-Chelmsford ¹	118.2	119.3	118.5	120.1	1.6	1.4
Nashua ¹	125.4	127.6	125.8	128.2	2.4	1.9
Peabody.....	100.9	101.7	101.3	102.4	1.1	1.1
Michigan.....	4,029.3	4,054.0	4,051.0	4,070.2	19.2	0.5
Detroit-Warren-Livonia.....	1,834.7	1,829.8	1,845.3	1,840.9	-4.4	-0.2
Detroit-Livonia-Dearborn.....	713.0	706.5	715.4	709.2	-6.2	-0.9
Warren-Troy-Farmington Hills.....	1,121.7	1,123.3	1,129.9	1,131.7	1.8	0.2
New York.....	8,736.6	8,844.7	8,794.4	8,898.0	103.6	1.2
New York-Northern New Jersey-Long Island ¹	8,504.0	8,612.3	8,577.5	8,667.0	89.5	1.0
Edison-New Brunswick ²	988.4	986.6	1,000.1	995.2	-4.9	-0.5
Nassau-Suffolk.....	1,235.8	1,248.4	1,250.0	1,260.6	10.6	0.8
New York-White Plains-Wayne ¹	5,311.3	5,403.3	5,352.4	5,435.6	83.2	1.6
Newark-Union ²	968.5	974.0	975.0	975.6	0.6	0.1
Pennsylvania.....	5,664.0	5,680.1	5,702.0	5,712.7	10.7	0.2
Philadelphia-Camden-Wilmington ¹	2,713.9	2,721.5	2,734.1	2,738.1	4.0	0.1
Camden ²	502.5	498.8	506.7	502.7	-4.0	-0.8
Philadelphia.....	1,877.8	1,883.2	1,890.8	1,892.7	1.9	0.1
Wilmington ²	333.6	339.5	336.6	342.7	6.1	1.8
Texas.....	11,028.6	11,331.6	11,095.7	11,400.5	304.8	2.7
Dallas-Fort Worth-Arlington.....	3,033.7	3,123.8	3,053.0	3,145.7	92.7	3.0
Dallas-Plano-Irving.....	2,128.3	2,196.9	2,142.4	2,215.0	72.6	3.4
Fort Worth-Arlington.....	905.4	926.9	910.6	930.7	20.1	2.2
Washington.....	2,929.9	2,987.5	2,944.7	3,004.1	59.4	2.0
Seattle-Tacoma-Bellevue.....	1,751.4	1,788.9	1,758.2	1,801.6	43.4	2.5
Seattle-Bellevue-Everett.....	1,476.5	1,513.5	1,481.9	1,524.1	42.2	2.8
Tacoma.....	274.9	275.4	276.3	277.5	1.2	0.4

¹ Part of the area is in one or more adjacent states.

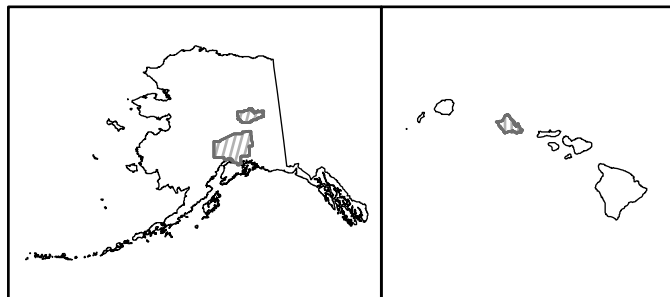
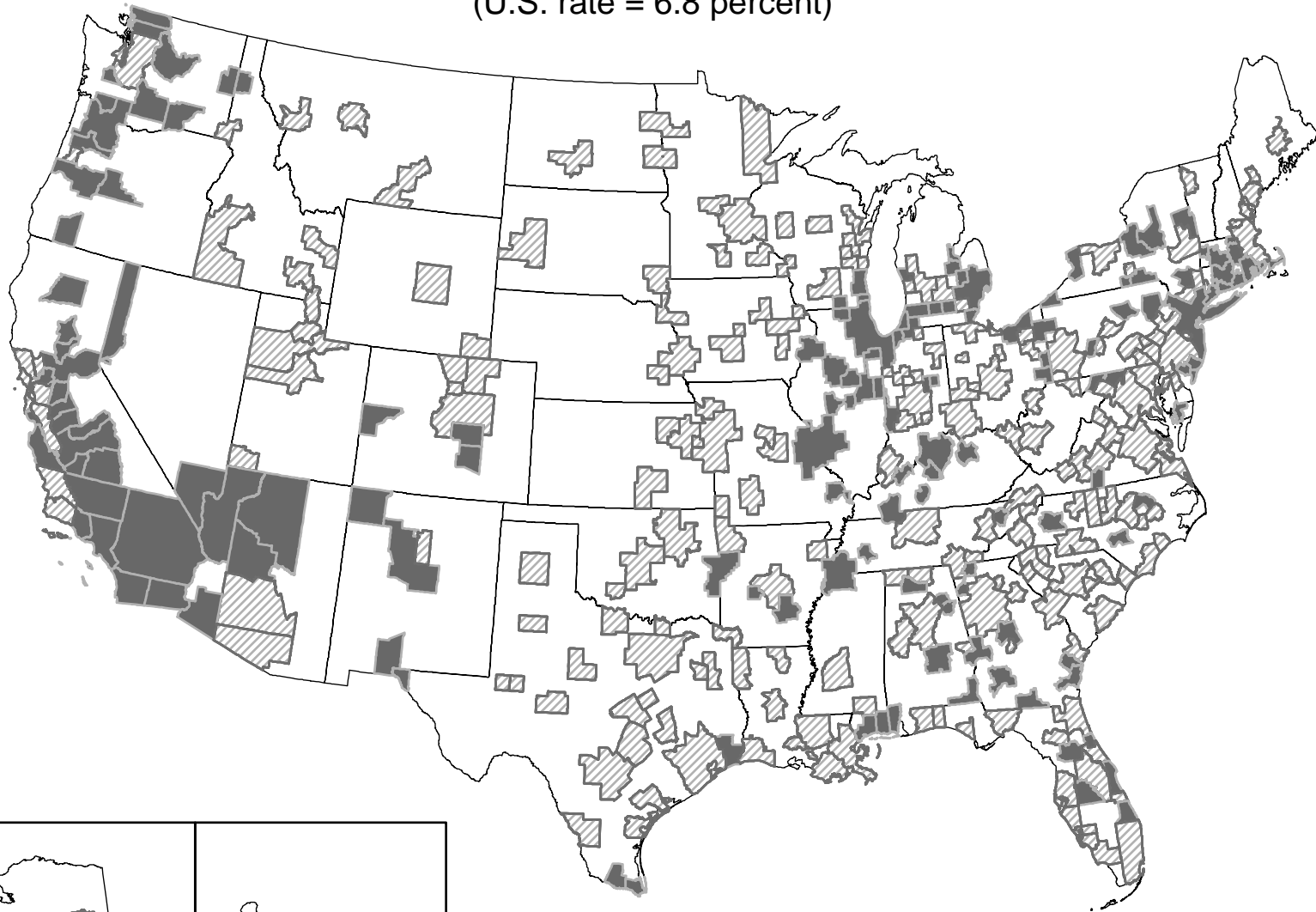
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NOTE: Data are counts of jobs by place of work. Estimates subsequent to the current benchmark are preliminary and will be revised when new information becomes available. Area definitions are based on Office of Management and Budget Bulletin No. 10-02, dated December 1, 2009, and available at www.bls.gov/lau/lausmsa.htm. Areas in the six New England states are Metropolitan New England City and Town Areas (NECTAs), while areas in other states are county-based. Some metropolitan areas lie in two or more states. They are listed under the state that appears first in their titles. Some divisions lie in more than one state, and some, like Camden, N.J., are totally outside the states under which their metropolitan areas are listed.

Unemployment rates for metropolitan areas, not seasonally adjusted, March 2014

(U.S. rate = 6.8 percent)



NOTE: Map includes data for 372 metropolitan areas based on Office of Management and Budget Bulletin No. 10-02. Areas in the six New England states are Metropolitan New England City and Town areas (NECTAs), while areas in other states are county-based.

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