

**HOUSEHOLD DATA
ANNUAL AVERAGES**

7. Employment status of the civilian noninstitutional population 25 years and over by educational attainment, sex, race, and Hispanic origin

(Numbers in thousands)

Educational attainment	Total		Men		Women		White		Black		Hispanic origin	
	2001	2002	2001	2002	2001	2002	2001	2002	2001	2002	2001	2002
TOTAL												
Civilian noninstitutional population ...	180,287	182,228	85,813	86,813	94,474	95,415	150,554	151,827	20,065	20,382	19,018	19,948
Civilian labor force	121,275	122,497	65,176	65,861	56,099	56,636	100,854	101,711	13,646	13,787	13,536	14,162
Percent of population	67.3	67.2	76.0	75.9	59.4	59.4	67.0	67.0	68.0	67.6	71.2	71.0
Employed	116,846	116,802	62,824	62,756	54,021	54,046	97,560	97,476	12,797	12,719	12,817	13,294
Employment-population ratio	64.8	64.1	73.2	72.3	57.2	56.6	64.8	64.2	63.8	62.4	67.4	66.6
Unemployed	4,429	5,695	2,351	3,105	2,078	2,590	3,295	4,235	849	1,068	718	868
Unemployment rate	3.7	4.6	3.6	4.7	3.7	4.6	3.3	4.2	6.2	7.7	5.3	6.1
Less than a high school diploma												
Civilian noninstitutional population ...	28,602	28,382	13,618	13,700	14,984	14,682	22,908	22,610	4,211	4,238	8,119	8,386
Civilian labor force	12,581	12,599	7,680	7,833	4,901	4,766	10,217	10,162	1,691	1,728	4,971	5,141
Percent of population	44.0	44.4	56.4	57.2	32.5	32.5	44.6	44.9	40.2	40.8	61.2	61.3
Employed	11,669	11,535	7,188	7,220	4,480	4,315	9,550	9,394	1,492	1,498	4,601	4,744
Employment-population ratio	40.8	40.6	52.8	52.7	29.9	29.4	41.7	41.5	35.4	35.3	56.7	56.6
Unemployed	912	1,064	491	613	421	451	668	769	200	231	370	397
Unemployment rate	7.2	8.4	6.4	7.8	8.6	9.5	6.5	7.6	11.8	13.3	7.4	7.7
High school graduates, no college												
Civilian noninstitutional population ...	58,621	58,861	27,018	27,156	31,603	31,704	49,299	49,360	7,034	7,141	5,285	5,622
Civilian labor force	37,644	37,764	20,132	20,241	17,512	17,523	31,257	31,290	4,850	4,883	3,974	4,167
Percent of population	64.2	64.2	74.5	74.5	55.4	55.3	63.4	63.4	68.9	68.4	75.2	74.1
Employed	36,078	35,779	19,274	19,154	16,804	16,624	30,126	29,836	4,492	4,453	3,796	3,921
Employment-population ratio	61.5	60.8	71.3	70.5	53.2	52.4	61.1	60.4	63.9	62.4	71.8	69.7
Unemployed	1,566	1,985	858	1,087	708	898	1,131	1,454	358	430	178	247
Unemployment rate	4.2	5.3	4.3	5.4	4.0	5.1	3.6	4.6	7.4	8.8	4.5	5.9
Less than a bachelor's degree¹												
Civilian noninstitutional population ...	45,709	45,968	20,858	20,963	24,851	25,005	38,264	38,349	5,466	5,582	3,452	3,569
Civilian labor force	33,696	33,616	16,857	16,802	16,839	16,814	27,893	27,786	4,302	4,342	2,804	2,880
Percent of population	73.7	73.1	80.8	80.2	67.8	67.2	72.9	72.5	78.7	77.8	81.2	80.7
Employed	32,586	32,094	16,302	16,032	16,284	16,062	27,063	26,650	4,086	4,053	2,697	2,723
Employment-population ratio	71.3	69.8	78.2	76.5	65.5	64.2	70.7	69.5	74.8	72.6	78.1	76.3
Unemployed	1,110	1,523	555	770	555	752	829	1,136	215	289	107	157
Unemployment rate	3.3	4.5	3.3	4.6	3.3	4.5	3.0	4.1	5.0	6.7	3.8	5.4
Some college, no degree												
Civilian noninstitutional population ...	30,955	30,890	14,531	14,493	16,424	16,397	25,809	25,648	3,880	3,954	2,462	2,498
Civilian labor force	22,238	21,990	11,466	11,346	10,772	10,644	18,257	17,995	3,023	3,055	1,992	2,014
Percent of population	71.8	71.2	78.9	78.3	65.6	64.9	70.7	70.2	77.9	77.2	80.9	80.6
Employed	21,459	20,928	11,076	10,811	10,383	10,117	17,671	17,209	2,871	2,843	1,916	1,900
Employment-population ratio	69.3	67.7	76.2	74.6	63.2	61.7	68.5	67.1	74.0	71.9	77.8	76.1
Unemployed	779	1,062	390	536	390	527	586	786	153	212	76	114
Unemployment rate	3.5	4.8	3.4	4.7	3.6	4.9	3.2	4.4	5.1	6.9	3.8	5.7
Associate degree												
Civilian noninstitutional population ...	14,755	15,078	6,328	6,470	8,427	8,608	12,454	12,701	1,587	1,628	990	1,072
Civilian labor force	11,458	11,626	5,391	5,456	6,067	6,171	9,636	9,790	1,278	1,288	812	866
Percent of population	77.7	77.1	85.2	84.3	72.0	71.7	77.4	77.1	80.6	79.1	82.0	80.8
Employed	11,127	11,166	5,226	5,221	5,901	5,945	9,393	9,440	1,216	1,210	781	823
Employment-population ratio	75.4	74.1	82.6	80.7	70.0	69.1	75.4	74.3	76.6	74.4	78.9	76.8
Unemployed	331	460	165	235	166	226	243	350	62	77	31	43
Unemployment rate	2.9	4.0	3.1	4.3	2.7	3.7	2.5	3.6	4.9	6.0	3.8	4.9
College graduates												
Civilian noninstitutional population ...	47,354	49,017	24,318	24,994	23,036	24,024	40,083	41,508	3,353	3,421	2,162	2,371
Civilian labor force	37,354	38,518	20,508	20,985	16,847	17,533	31,487	32,473	2,803	2,833	1,787	1,973
Percent of population	78.9	78.6	84.3	84.0	73.1	73.0	78.6	78.2	83.6	82.8	82.7	83.2
Employed	36,514	37,395	20,060	20,350	16,453	17,045	30,821	31,597	2,727	2,715	1,723	1,906
Employment-population ratio	77.1	76.3	82.5	81.4	71.4	71.0	76.9	76.1	81.3	79.4	79.7	80.4
Unemployed	841	1,123	447	635	394	488	667	876	76	118	64	67
Unemployment rate	2.3	2.9	2.2	3.0	2.3	2.8	2.1	2.7	2.7	4.2	3.6	3.4

¹ Includes the categories, some college, no degree, and associate degree.
NOTE: Detail for the above race and Hispanic-origin groups will not sum to totals

because data for the "other races" group are not presented and Hispanics are included in both the white and black population groups.