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27. Unemployed persons by reason for unemployment, sex, and age

(Numbers in thousands)

Reason	Total, 16 years and over		Men, 20 years and over		Women, 20 years and over		Both sexes, 16 to 19 years	
	2008	2009	2008	2009	2008	2009	2008	2009
NUMBER OF UNEMPLOYED								
Total unemployed	8,924	14,265	4,297	7,555	3,342	5,157	1,285	1,552
Job losers and persons who completed temporary jobs	4,789	9,160	2,918	5,796	1,668	3,093	203	271
On temporary layoff	1,176	1,630	751	1,103	352	450	72	77
Not on temporary layoff	3,614	7,530	2,167	4,694	1,316	2,642	131	194
Permanent job losers	2,670	6,129	1,574	3,794	1,013	2,202	83	133
Persons who completed temporary jobs	943	1,401	593	899	302	440	48	61
Job leavers	896	882	410	407	406	419	80	56
Reentrants	2,472	3,187	856	1,190	1,126	1,449	490	548
New entrants	766	1,035	113	162	143	196	511	677
PERCENT DISTRIBUTION								
Total unemployed	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Job losers and persons who completed temporary jobs	53.7	64.2	67.9	76.7	49.9	60.0	15.8	17.5
On temporary layoff	13.2	11.4	17.5	14.6	10.5	8.7	5.6	5.0
Not on temporary layoff	40.5	52.8	50.4	62.1	39.4	51.2	10.2	12.5
Job leavers	10.0	6.2	9.5	5.4	12.1	8.1	6.3	3.6
Reentrants	27.7	22.3	19.9	15.8	33.7	28.1	38.1	35.3
New entrants	8.6	7.3	2.6	2.1	4.3	3.8	39.8	43.6
UNEMPLOYED AS A PERCENT OF THE CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE								
Job losers and persons who completed temporary jobs	3.1	5.9	3.7	7.3	2.4	4.5	3.0	4.2
Job leavers6	.6	.5	.5	.6	.6	1.2	.9
Reentrants	1.6	2.1	1.1	1.5	1.6	2.1	7.1	8.6
New entrants5	.7	.1	.2	.2	.3	7.5	10.6

NOTE: Updated population controls are introduced annually with the release of January data.