

**HOUSEHOLD DATA  
ANNUAL AVERAGES**

**30. Unemployed total and full-time workers by duration of unemployment**

[Numbers in thousands]

Duration of unemployment	Total				Full-time workers			
	Unemployed		Percent distribution		Unemployed		Percent distribution	
	2018	2019	2018	2019	2018	2019	2018	2019
Total unemployed.....	6,314	6,001	100.0	100.0	5,052	4,843	100.0	100.0
Less than 5 weeks.....	2,170	2,086	34.4	34.8	1,565	1,516	31.0	31.3
5 to 14 weeks.....	1,876	1,789	29.7	29.8	1,519	1,459	30.1	30.1
5 to 10 weeks.....	1,269	1,216	20.1	20.3	1,006	977	19.9	20.2
11 to 14 weeks.....	608	572	9.6	9.5	513	482	10.2	10.0
15 weeks and over.....	2,268	2,126	35.9	35.4	1,968	1,868	38.9	38.6
15 to 26 weeks.....	917	860	14.5	14.3	786	746	15.6	15.4
27 weeks and over.....	1,350	1,266	21.4	21.1	1,182	1,122	23.4	23.2
27 to 51 weeks.....	506	504	8.0	8.4	453	447	9.0	9.2
52 weeks and over.....	844	762	13.4	12.7	729	675	14.4	13.9
Average (mean) duration, in weeks.....	22.7	21.6	–	–	24.3	23.4	–	–
Median duration, in weeks.....	9.3	9.1	–	–	10.3	10.1	–	–

NOTE: Full-time workers are unemployed persons looking for full-time work (35 hours or more per week) or on layoff from full-time jobs. Updated population controls are introduced annually with the release of January data. Dash indicates no data or data that do not meet publication criteria (values not shown where base is less than 35,000).