Chart 5-5. Women continue to be more likely than men to work part time


NOTE: Shaded areas represent recessions. Data are seasonally adjusted. Beginning in 1994, data reflect the introduction of a major redesign of the Current Population Survey that included changes affecting the measurement of part-time workers.

SOURCE: Bureau of Labor Statistics

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- Women are more than twice as likely as men to work part time-that is, fewer than 35 hours per week. In 2005, about 25 percent of employed women were part-time workers, compared with 11 percent of employed men.
- The pronounced upward shift in part-time employment in January 1994 was due to definitional and measurement changes associated with the redesign of the Current Population Survey.

