

**HOUSEHOLD DATA
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED**

A-7. Employed persons by class of worker and part-time status, seasonally adjusted

[In thousands]

Category	2011												2012
	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.
CLASS OF WORKER													
Agriculture and related industries.....	2,252	2,247	2,244	2,090	2,244	2,224	2,250	2,373	2,268	2,257	2,262	2,349	2,208
Wage and salary workers ¹	1,378	1,337	1,431	1,241	1,389	1,390	1,415	1,484	1,379	1,317	1,359	1,429	1,376
Self-employed workers, unincorporated.....	846	901	838	825	827	832	816	848	843	864	849	874	800
Nonagricultural industries.....	137,156	137,388	137,619	137,505	137,508	137,125	136,993	137,290	137,932	138,167	138,304	138,411	139,491
Wage and salary workers ¹	128,197	128,610	128,706	128,756	128,773	128,529	128,554	128,700	129,595	129,531	129,604	129,662	130,569
Private industries.....	107,485	107,731	107,963	108,167	108,531	108,259	108,217	108,416	108,774	108,977	109,159	109,064	109,966
Industries except private households.....	106,845	107,003	107,252	107,466	107,722	107,548	107,478	107,678	108,026	108,177	108,485	108,407	109,353
Government.....	20,719	20,874	20,791	20,629	20,348	20,320	20,306	20,309	20,568	20,516	20,434	20,616	20,583
Self-employed workers, unincorporated.....	8,818	8,666	8,754	8,645	8,648	8,550	8,532	8,530	8,336	8,553	8,628	8,587	8,769
PERSONS AT WORK PART TIME²													
All industries													
Part time for economic reasons ³	8,449	8,383	8,459	8,571	8,541	8,545	8,437	8,787	9,270	8,790	8,469	8,098	8,230
Slack work or business conditions.....	5,772	5,661	5,634	5,714	5,836	5,807	5,695	5,815	5,900	5,839	5,578	5,305	5,372
Could only find part-time work.....	2,472	2,410	2,355	2,444	2,475	2,474	2,538	2,707	2,844	2,538	2,496	2,419	2,551
Part time for noneconomic reasons ⁴	17,923	18,280	18,425	18,326	18,481	18,461	18,280	18,276	18,329	18,401	18,363	18,372	18,636
Nonagricultural industries													
Part time for economic reasons ³	8,315	8,293	8,297	8,453	8,396	8,400	8,264	8,640	9,115	8,664	8,358	7,952	8,083
Slack work or business conditions.....	5,685	5,595	5,542	5,602	5,729	5,704	5,586	5,714	5,803	5,762	5,502	5,199	5,278
Could only find part-time work.....	2,488	2,376	2,326	2,448	2,452	2,308	2,510	2,702	2,869	2,566	2,518	2,423	2,563
Part time for noneconomic reasons ⁴	17,588	17,930	18,035	18,004	18,113	18,093	17,883	17,867	17,915	18,003	17,941	17,969	18,298

1 Includes self-employed workers whose businesses are incorporated.

2 Refers to those who worked 1 to 34 hours during the survey reference week and excludes employed persons who were absent from their jobs for the entire week.

3 Refers to those who worked 1 to 34 hours during the reference week for an economic reason such as slack work or unfavorable business conditions, inability to find full-time work, or seasonal declines in demand.

4 Refers to persons who usually work part time for noneconomic reasons such as childcare problems, family or personal obligations, school or training, retirement or Social Security limits on earnings, and other reasons. This excludes persons who usually work full time but worked only 1 to 34 hours during the reference week for reasons such as vacations, holidays, illness, and bad weather.

NOTE: Detail for the data shown in this table will not necessarily add to totals because of the independent seasonal adjustment of the various series. Updated population controls are introduced annually with the release of January data.