

**HOUSEHOLD DATA
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED**

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

[In thousands]

Category	2011	2012											
	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
CLASS OF WORKER													
Agriculture and related industries.....	2,380	2,205	2,188	2,217	2,166	2,274	2,200	2,224	2,146	2,198	2,195	2,121	2,088
Wage and salary workers ¹	1,458	1,382	1,363	1,396	1,355	1,421	1,398	1,397	1,388	1,402	1,394	1,320	1,295
Self-employed workers, unincorporated.....	898	809	813	808	789	809	781	786	734	759	751	776	747
Nonagricultural industries.....	138,508	139,446	139,856	139,871	139,734	140,033	140,218	140,013	139,918	140,767	141,245	141,149	141,190
Wage and salary workers ¹	129,811	130,589	131,312	131,221	131,104	131,321	131,342	131,154	131,215	131,743	132,326	132,038	132,113
Private industries.....	109,281	110,093	110,730	111,031	111,166	111,288	111,403	110,990	110,749	111,080	111,784	111,429	111,406
Industries except private households.....	108,599	109,449	110,064	110,353	110,427	110,486	110,638	110,255	109,987	110,289	111,058	110,659	110,632
Government.....	20,523	20,506	20,557	20,226	19,957	20,079	19,995	20,100	20,411	20,647	20,555	20,598	20,686
Self-employed workers, unincorporated.....	8,550	8,756	8,483	8,547	8,557	8,640	8,818	8,845	8,754	8,863	8,819	8,959	8,935
PERSONS AT WORK PART TIME²													
All industries													
Part time for economic reasons ³	8,168	8,220	8,127	7,664	7,896	8,116	8,210	8,245	8,043	8,607	8,286	8,138	7,918
Slack work or business conditions.....	5,377	5,413	5,440	5,060	5,210	5,174	5,471	5,319	5,195	5,567	5,177	5,084	4,928
Could only find part-time work.....	2,406	2,558	2,397	2,360	2,393	2,693	2,514	2,568	2,524	2,587	2,618	2,648	2,616
Part time for noneconomic reasons ⁴	18,489	18,700	18,868	18,530	18,868	19,356	18,825	18,846	18,954	18,728	18,896	18,594	18,763
Nonagricultural industries													
Part time for economic reasons ³	8,024	8,072	7,989	7,587	7,770	7,991	8,072	8,104	7,910	8,552	8,162	8,029	7,812
Slack work or business conditions.....	5,288	5,312	5,353	5,003	5,116	5,106	5,363	5,258	5,118	5,468	5,105	5,025	4,887
Could only find part-time work.....	2,394	2,556	2,351	2,307	2,347	2,646	2,501	2,558	2,527	2,604	2,631	2,650	2,583
Part time for noneconomic reasons ⁴	18,123	18,330	18,456	18,106	18,475	18,893	18,470	18,519	18,596	18,399	18,527	18,310	18,469

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.