

**HOUSEHOLD DATA
NOT SEASONALLY ADJUSTED
QUARTERLY AVERAGES**

E-17. Unemployed persons by reason for unemployment, race, and Hispanic or Latino ethnicity
[Numbers in thousands]

Reason	Total		White		Black or African American		Asian		Hispanic or Latino	
	3rd 2011	3rd 2012	3rd 2011	3rd 2012	3rd 2011	3rd 2012	3rd 2011	3rd 2012	3rd 2011	3rd 2012
NUMBER OF UNEMPLOYED										
Total unemployed.....	13,986	12,613	9,911	8,940	2,981	2,643	554	464	2,549	2,430
Job losers and persons who completed temporary jobs. . . .	7,880	6,711	5,744	4,913	1,573	1,305	288	240	1,459	1,277
On temporary layoff.....	1,081	1,153	867	924	159	169	24	25	203	220
Not on temporary layoff.....	6,799	5,558	4,877	3,989	1,414	1,135	263	215	1,255	1,057
Permanent job losers.....	5,430	4,373	3,939	3,191	1,077	839	228	188	952	761
Persons who completed temporary jobs.....	1,369	1,185	938	798	337	296	35	27	303	297
Job leavers.....	1,031	985	771	733	186	184	43	26	137	161
Reentrants.....	3,582	3,454	2,427	2,347	864	806	137	121	661	658
New entrants.....	1,492	1,462	968	947	358	348	86	76	291	334
PERCENT DISTRIBUTION										
Total unemployed.....	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Job losers and persons who completed temporary jobs. . . .	56.3	53.2	58.0	55.0	52.8	49.4	51.9	51.7	57.2	52.6
On temporary layoff.....	7.7	9.1	8.7	10.3	5.3	6.4	4.4	5.4	8.0	9.0
Not on temporary layoff.....	48.6	44.1	49.2	44.6	47.4	43.0	47.5	46.3	49.3	43.5
Job leavers.....	7.4	7.8	7.8	8.2	6.2	7.0	7.8	5.7	5.4	6.6
Reentrants.....	25.6	27.4	24.5	26.3	29.0	30.5	24.8	26.2	25.9	27.1
New entrants.....	10.7	11.6	9.8	10.6	12.0	13.2	15.5	16.4	11.4	13.7
UNEMPLOYED AS A PERCENT OF THE CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE										
Job losers and persons who completed temporary jobs.....	5.1	4.3	4.6	4.0	8.7	7.1	3.9	2.9	6.3	5.2
Job leavers.....	0.7	0.6	0.6	0.6	1.0	1.0	0.6	0.3	0.6	0.7
Reentrants.....	2.3	2.2	1.9	1.9	4.8	4.4	1.9	1.5	2.9	2.7
New entrants.....	1.0	0.9	0.8	0.8	2.0	1.9	1.2	0.9	1.3	1.4

NOTE: Estimates for the above race groups (white, black or African American, and Asian) do not sum to totals because data are not presented for all races. Persons whose ethnicity is identified as Hispanic or Latino may be of any race. Updated population controls are introduced annually with the release of January data.