

**HOUSEHOLD DATA
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED**

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

[In thousands]

Category	2014		2015										
	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.
CLASS OF WORKER													
Agriculture and related industries.....	2,392	2,358	2,419	2,430	2,559	2,435	2,405	2,544	2,375	2,345	2,357	2,390	2,423
Wage and salary workers ¹	1,621	1,506	1,566	1,572	1,628	1,610	1,536	1,590	1,490	1,437	1,506	1,566	1,556
Self-employed workers, unincorporated.....	749	815	835	833	893	794	828	905	853	886	820	803	823
Nonagricultural industries.....	144,939	145,101	145,743	145,880	145,699	146,111	146,417	146,192	146,439	146,679	146,464	146,795	147,048
Wage and salary workers ¹	136,093	136,415	136,949	137,447	136,830	137,148	137,175	137,458	137,628	137,988	137,966	138,106	138,387
Private industries.....	116,144	116,469	116,664	116,890	116,654	116,707	116,572	116,678	117,059	117,331	117,516	117,469	117,313
Industries except private households.....	115,361	115,676	115,724	116,042	115,839	115,899	115,821	115,857	116,257	116,509	116,747	116,659	116,568
Government.....	19,956	19,956	20,330	20,582	20,246	20,455	20,613	20,744	20,547	20,620	20,526	20,565	21,094
Self-employed workers, unincorporated.....	8,794	8,660	8,725	8,386	8,685	8,826	9,142	8,645	8,741	8,682	8,357	8,640	8,601
PERSONS AT WORK PART TIME²													
All industries													
Part time for economic reasons ³	6,851	6,790	6,810	6,635	6,705	6,580	6,652	6,505	6,325	6,483	6,036	5,767	6,086
Slack work or business conditions.....	4,068	4,061	4,012	3,847	4,069	3,885	3,891	3,915	3,828	3,841	3,569	3,279	3,535
Could only find part-time work.....	2,447	2,432	2,460	2,426	2,337	2,374	2,390	2,216	2,213	2,242	2,134	2,182	2,226
Part time for noneconomic reasons ⁴	19,971	19,730	19,822	19,837	19,733	20,056	19,961	20,480	19,891	19,760	19,971	20,169	20,157
Nonagricultural industries													
Part time for economic reasons ³	6,731	6,699	6,690	6,539	6,620	6,501	6,541	6,384	6,223	6,380	5,946	5,711	5,972
Slack work or business conditions.....	3,997	3,983	3,951	3,791	4,028	3,835	3,830	3,828	3,752	3,779	3,521	3,251	3,466
Could only find part-time work.....	2,412	2,411	2,432	2,415	2,302	2,352	2,419	2,195	2,199	2,239	2,104	2,173	2,215
Part time for noneconomic reasons ⁴	19,594	19,416	19,446	19,505	19,374	19,705	19,603	19,996	19,504	19,445	19,656	19,801	19,755

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.