

Table 15. States: employment status of the civilian noninstitutional population 25 years and older, by educational attainment, 2014 annual averages

(Numbers in thousands)

State and educational attainment	Civilian non-institutional population	Civilian labor force		Employment		Unemployment	
		Number	Percentage of population	Number	Percentage of population	Number	Rate
Alabama							
Less than a high school diploma	463	160	34.5	136	29.3	24	15.2
High school graduate, no college	1,060	597	56.3	556	52.4	41	6.9
Some college or associate's degree	866	536	61.8	510	58.8	26	4.8
Bachelor's degree and higher	808	572	70.8	558	69.1	14	2.5
Alaska							
Less than a high school diploma	31	15	47.6	13	41.0	2	13.9
High school graduate, no college	136	90	65.7	82	60.2	7	8.4
Some college or associate's degree	143	101	70.9	95	66.2	7	6.6
Bachelor's degree and higher	136	106	78.1	104	76.4	2	2.1
Arizona							
Less than a high school diploma	665	308	46.3	278	41.9	29	9.5
High school graduate, no college	1,120	625	55.8	584	52.1	41	6.6
Some college or associate's degree	1,279	812	63.5	775	60.6	37	4.6
Bachelor's degree and higher	1,260	893	70.8	862	68.4	31	3.5
Arkansas							
Less than a high school diploma	305	125	40.8	114	37.5	10	8.0
High school graduate, no college	656	351	53.6	334	50.9	17	4.9
Some college or associate's degree	506	312	61.6	293	57.8	19	6.1
Bachelor's degree and higher	460	314	68.4	305	66.4	9	2.9
California							
Less than a high school diploma	3,933	2,081	52.9	1,889	48.0	193	9.3
High school graduate, no college	5,740	3,424	59.7	3,168	55.2	256	7.5
Some college or associate's degree	6,678	4,329	64.8	4,022	60.2	307	7.1
Bachelor's degree and higher	8,610	6,388	74.2	6,112	71.0	276	4.3
Colorado							
Less than a high school diploma	270	152	56.1	140	51.7	12	8.0
High school graduate, no college	846	518	61.3	493	58.3	25	4.8
Some college or associate's degree	913	646	70.8	617	67.6	29	4.5
Bachelor's degree and higher	1,514	1,147	75.8	1,113	73.6	34	3.0
Connecticut							
Less than a high school diploma	219	87	39.7	77	35.4	9	10.8
High school graduate, no college	691	432	62.4	394	57.0	38	8.7
Some college or associate's degree	564	399	70.8	375	66.5	24	6.1
Bachelor's degree and higher	954	729	76.4	706	74.0	23	3.1
Delaware							
Less than a high school diploma	58	25	43.3	23	39.8	2	8.3
High school graduate, no college	210	122	57.8	115	54.5	7	5.7
Some college or associate's degree	151	98	64.9	93	61.2	6	5.8
Bachelor's degree and higher	202	145	71.8	141	70.1	3	2.3
District of Columbia							
Less than a high school diploma	41	17	42.2	14	34.8	3	17.6
High school graduate, no college	87	47	54.2	39	44.9	8	17.2
Some college or associate's degree	63	40	63.5	35	56.1	5	11.8
Bachelor's degree and higher	273	230	84.3	223	81.7	7	3.1

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Florida							
Less than a high school diploma	1,354	588	43.4	522	38.6	66	11.2
High school graduate, no college	4,295	2,439	56.8	2,301	53.6	138	5.7
Some college or associate's degree	3,915	2,471	63.1	2,333	59.6	138	5.6
Bachelor's degree and higher	4,360	3,118	71.5	3,003	68.9	115	3.7
Georgia							
Less than a high school diploma	763	309	40.5	282	37.0	27	8.7
High school graduate, no college	1,957	1,125	57.5	1,040	53.1	85	7.6
Some college or associate's degree	1,735	1,178	67.9	1,095	63.1	83	7.0
Bachelor's degree and higher	2,032	1,533	75.4	1,483	73.0	50	3.3
Hawaii							
Less than a high school diploma	66	25	37.2	23	34.8	2	6.4
High school graduate, no college	285	171	60.2	165	57.8	7	4.0
Some college or associate's degree	266	172	64.9	167	62.7	6	3.4
Bachelor's degree and higher	289	208	71.9	203	70.3	5	2.2
Idaho							
Less than a high school diploma	99	56	56.6	52	52.3	4	7.6
High school graduate, no college	288	173	60.3	167	57.9	7	4.0
Some college or associate's degree	330	214	64.8	207	62.7	7	3.2
Bachelor's degree and higher	297	208	70.2	204	68.6	5	2.3
Illinois							
Less than a high school diploma	822	389	47.3	345	41.9	44	11.3
High school graduate, no college	2,355	1,361	57.8	1,259	53.5	102	7.5
Some college or associate's degree	2,236	1,531	68.5	1,440	64.4	92	6.0
Bachelor's degree and higher	2,971	2,280	76.8	2,202	74.1	78	3.4
Indiana							
Less than a high school diploma	438	188	43.1	169	38.5	20	10.5
High school graduate, no college	1,610	937	58.2	883	54.9	54	5.8
Some college or associate's degree	1,182	836	70.8	796	67.3	40	4.8
Bachelor's degree and higher	1,095	847	77.4	823	75.2	24	2.8
Iowa							
Less than a high school diploma	145	59	40.7	53	36.2	6	10.9
High school graduate, no college	663	411	62.0	391	59.0	20	4.9
Some college or associate's degree	648	487	75.2	466	71.9	21	4.4
Bachelor's degree and higher	583	476	81.6	466	79.9	10	2.1
Kansas							
Less than a high school diploma	173	96	55.3	91	52.8	4	4.6
High school graduate, no college	480	287	59.8	272	56.6	16	5.4
Some college or associate's degree	551	377	68.5	363	66.0	14	3.7
Bachelor's degree and higher	620	495	79.8	483	77.8	12	2.5
Kentucky							
Less than a high school diploma	416	115	27.6	104	25.0	11	9.5
High school graduate, no college	1,032	565	54.7	534	51.8	30	5.3
Some college or associate's degree	760	488	64.2	458	60.3	29	6.0
Bachelor's degree and higher	683	524	76.6	511	74.8	12	2.4

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Louisiana							
Less than a high school diploma	396	156	39.3	132	33.3	24	15.2
High school graduate, no college	1,026	596	58.1	563	54.9	33	5.5
Some college or associate's degree	751	479	63.8	457	60.8	22	4.6
Bachelor's degree and higher	774	583	75.2	570	73.6	13	2.1
Maine							
Less than a high school diploma	81	24	29.5	20	24.9	4	15.4
High school graduate, no college	318	190	59.7	178	55.8	12	6.4
Some college or associate's degree	259	174	67.5	167	64.5	8	4.3
Bachelor's degree and higher	287	214	74.7	210	73.2	4	2.1
Maryland							
Less than a high school diploma	355	165	46.6	147	41.5	18	10.9
High school graduate, no college	1,026	618	60.2	583	56.8	35	5.6
Some college or associate's degree	921	633	68.7	594	64.5	39	6.2
Bachelor's degree and higher	1,673	1,299	77.6	1,265	75.6	34	2.6
Massachusetts							
Less than a high school diploma	408	177	43.3	160	39.2	17	9.4
High school graduate, no college	1,245	707	56.8	670	53.8	37	5.2
Some college or associate's degree	959	672	70.0	635	66.3	36	5.4
Bachelor's degree and higher	1,962	1,526	77.8	1,474	75.1	51	3.4
Michigan							
Less than a high school diploma	544	178	32.7	161	29.5	17	9.8
High school graduate, no college	2,153	1,133	52.6	1,061	49.3	72	6.4
Some college or associate's degree	1,983	1,287	64.9	1,195	60.3	92	7.1
Bachelor's degree and higher	1,971	1,422	72.1	1,374	69.7	48	3.4
Minnesota							
Less than a high school diploma	236	99	42.1	90	38.0	10	9.6
High school graduate, no college	897	549	61.2	524	58.4	25	4.5
Some college or associate's degree	1,165	860	73.8	831	71.3	29	3.4
Bachelor's degree and higher	1,295	1,022	78.9	1,003	77.4	19	1.9
Mississippi							
Less than a high school diploma	283	103	36.5	91	32.2	12	11.7
High school graduate, no college	615	324	52.7	300	48.7	24	7.5
Some college or associate's degree	541	334	61.8	315	58.2	19	5.8
Bachelor's degree and higher	437	300	68.7	293	67.1	7	2.4
Missouri							
Less than a high school diploma	351	132	37.5	119	34.0	12	9.4
High school graduate, no college	1,372	816	59.4	768	56.0	48	5.8
Some college or associate's degree	1,152	792	68.7	734	63.7	58	7.3
Bachelor's degree and higher	1,154	880	76.3	856	74.2	23	2.7
Montana							
Less than a high school diploma	39	16	40.5	13	33.6	3	17.0
High school graduate, no college	225	137	60.8	131	58.1	6	4.4
Some college or associate's degree	215	143	66.5	138	64.3	5	3.4
Bachelor's degree and higher	208	150	72.3	146	70.0	5	3.2

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Nebraska							
Less than a high school diploma	103	59	57.0	56	54.2	3	4.8
High school graduate, no college	344	217	63.1	209	60.7	8	3.7
Some college or associate's degree	372	271	72.9	263	70.8	8	3.0
Bachelor's degree and higher	386	310	80.2	306	79.3	4	1.1
Nevada							
Less than a high school diploma	211	122	57.8	113	53.3	10	7.9
High school graduate, no college	629	391	62.2	360	57.3	31	8.0
Some college or associate's degree	560	361	64.4	335	59.8	26	7.2
Bachelor's degree and higher	476	330	69.3	317	66.5	13	4.0
New Hampshire							
Less than a high school diploma	59	24	40.5	22	37.5	2	7.4
High school graduate, no college	286	183	64.1	176	61.6	7	3.8
Some college or associate's degree	238	169	71.1	162	68.1	7	4.2
Bachelor's degree and higher	340	261	76.9	255	75.2	6	2.3
New Jersey							
Less than a high school diploma	551	256	46.5	237	43.1	19	7.3
High school graduate, no college	1,858	1,087	58.5	1,008	54.2	80	7.3
Some college or associate's degree	1,251	870	69.5	813	65.0	57	6.6
Bachelor's degree and higher	2,321	1,751	75.4	1,681	72.4	70	4.0
New Mexico							
Less than a high school diploma	174	71	40.5	64	36.5	7	9.7
High school graduate, no college	372	208	56.0	195	52.3	14	6.5
Some college or associate's degree	386	239	61.7	222	57.5	16	6.9
Bachelor's degree and higher	416	276	66.5	268	64.6	8	2.9
New York							
Less than a high school diploma	1,614	659	40.8	578	35.8	81	12.3
High school graduate, no college	3,825	2,080	54.4	1,944	50.8	136	6.5
Some college or associate's degree	2,914	1,948	66.9	1,846	63.3	103	5.3
Bachelor's degree and higher	4,947	3,715	75.1	3,579	72.3	136	3.7
North Carolina							
Less than a high school diploma	905	388	42.9	357	39.5	31	8.0
High school graduate, no college	1,898	1,074	56.6	1,008	53.1	66	6.1
Some college or associate's degree	1,754	1,145	65.3	1,093	62.3	52	4.6
Bachelor's degree and higher	1,909	1,397	73.2	1,361	71.3	37	2.6
North Dakota							
Less than a high school diploma	32	13	39.2	12	37.3	1	4.9
High school graduate, no college	132	88	67.0	85	64.8	3	3.3
Some college or associate's degree	168	129	76.7	127	75.5	2	1.5
Bachelor's degree and higher	147	121	82.7	119	81.2	2	1.8
Ohio							
Less than a high school diploma	741	228	30.8	206	27.7	23	10.0
High school graduate, no college	2,962	1,695	57.2	1,611	54.4	84	4.9
Some college or associate's degree	1,980	1,352	68.3	1,285	64.9	67	5.0
Bachelor's degree and higher	2,053	1,600	77.9	1,555	75.7	45	2.8

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Oklahoma							
Less than a high school diploma	306	137	44.7	130	42.5	7	4.9
High school graduate, no college	862	497	57.7	475	55.2	22	4.3
Some college or associate's degree	678	437	64.4	419	61.8	18	4.0
Bachelor's degree and higher	618	450	72.9	442	71.5	8	1.9
Oregon							
Less than a high school diploma	246	116	47.2	107	43.5	9	7.8
High school graduate, no college	713	407	57.1	380	53.3	28	6.8
Some college or associate's degree	874	538	61.6	504	57.7	34	6.3
Bachelor's degree and higher	900	639	71.0	613	68.1	25	4.0
Pennsylvania							
Less than a high school diploma	801	292	36.4	267	33.3	25	8.5
High school graduate, no college	3,346	1,890	56.5	1,784	53.3	106	5.6
Some college or associate's degree	1,900	1,318	69.4	1,254	66.0	63	4.8
Bachelor's degree and higher	2,651	1,998	75.4	1,943	73.3	55	2.7
Rhode Island							
Less than a high school diploma	92	40	42.9	33	35.9	6	16.2
High school graduate, no college	195	117	59.9	107	54.9	10	8.3
Some college or associate's degree	169	117	69.2	110	65.1	7	5.9
Bachelor's degree and higher	258	197	76.5	190	73.7	7	3.7
South Carolina							
Less than a high school diploma	436	161	37.0	147	33.6	14	8.9
High school graduate, no college	1,059	556	52.5	521	49.1	36	6.4
Some college or associate's degree	847	554	65.4	524	61.9	30	5.3
Bachelor's degree and higher	873	638	73.1	622	71.2	16	2.6
South Dakota							
Less than a high school diploma	46	19	41.8	17	37.4	2	10.6
High school graduate, no college	169	110	65.4	107	63.6	3	2.7
Some college or associate's degree	171	129	75.3	125	73.1	4	2.9
Bachelor's degree and higher	162	125	77.5	124	76.5	2	1.3
Tennessee							
Less than a high school diploma	562	186	33.1	169	30.1	17	9.2
High school graduate, no college	1,442	811	56.3	763	52.9	49	6.0
Some college or associate's degree	1,168	762	65.2	721	61.7	41	5.4
Bachelor's degree and higher	1,153	836	72.5	807	70.0	29	3.5
Texas							
Less than a high school diploma	2,792	1,532	54.9	1,458	52.2	74	4.8
High school graduate, no college	4,538	2,853	62.9	2,712	59.7	141	5.0
Some college or associate's degree	4,480	3,163	70.6	3,031	67.7	132	4.2
Bachelor's degree and higher	4,891	3,679	75.2	3,576	73.1	103	2.8
Utah							
Less than a high school diploma	121	76	63.0	73	59.9	4	5.0
High school graduate, no college	443	281	63.4	269	60.8	12	4.1
Some college or associate's degree	611	425	69.6	411	67.2	14	3.3
Bachelor's degree and higher	563	410	72.9	403	71.6	7	1.8

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Vermont							
Less than a high school diploma	29	10	35.4	9	32.1	1	9.2
High school graduate, no college	147	94	64.2	90	61.4	4	4.4
Some college or associate's degree	101	73	72.2	71	70.2	2	2.7
Bachelor's degree and higher	166	128	77.2	125	75.6	3	2.1
Virginia							
Less than a high school diploma	544	253	46.4	227	41.6	26	10.4
High school graduate, no college	1,443	898	62.2	856	59.3	42	4.6
Some college or associate's degree	1,387	958	69.0	912	65.7	46	4.8
Bachelor's degree and higher	2,138	1,665	77.9	1,623	75.9	42	2.5
Washington							
Less than a high school diploma	395	208	52.6	189	47.8	19	9.1
High school graduate, no college	1,168	668	57.2	633	54.2	35	5.3
Some college or associate's degree	1,509	938	62.1	886	58.7	52	5.5
Bachelor's degree and higher	1,641	1,210	73.7	1,174	71.6	35	2.9
West Virginia							
Less than a high school diploma	185	40	21.5	36	19.2	4	10.7
High school graduate, no college	552	273	49.4	253	45.8	20	7.2
Some college or associate's degree	262	162	61.6	153	58.4	8	5.2
Bachelor's degree and higher	275	211	76.6	206	74.9	5	2.2
Wisconsin							
Less than a high school diploma	271	112	41.2	103	38.1	8	7.4
High school graduate, no college	1,259	785	62.3	742	58.9	43	5.4
Some college or associate's degree	1,158	839	72.5	803	69.3	37	4.4
Bachelor's degree and higher	1,182	913	77.2	885	74.9	28	3.0
Wyoming							
Less than a high school diploma	25	13	53.1	13	50.1	1	5.6
High school graduate, no college	130	83	64.0	80	61.4	3	4.1
Some college or associate's degree	136	96	70.7	93	68.3	3	3.3
Bachelor's degree and higher	95	72	75.5	70	74.0	1	2.0

NOTE: Data incorporate updated 2010 census-based population controls.