

**HOUSEHOLD DATA  
NOT SEASONALLY ADJUSTED  
QUARTERLY AVERAGES**

**E-18. Unemployed persons by duration of unemployment, race, and Hispanic or Latino ethnicity**  
[Numbers in thousands]

Duration	Total		White		Black or African American		Asian		Hispanic or Latino	
	1st 2020	1st 2021	1st 2020	1st 2021	1st 2020	1st 2021	1st 2020	1st 2021	1st 2020	1st 2021
<b>NUMBER OF UNEMPLOYED</b>										
Total unemployed.....	6,697	10,414	4,605	7,233	1,372	2,006	341	615	1,595	2,571
Less than 5 weeks.....	2,509	2,211	1,804	1,575	447	430	130	90	668	546
5 to 14 weeks.....	2,031	2,517	1,439	1,768	399	447	87	135	470	643
15 weeks and over.....	2,157	5,685	1,363	3,890	525	1,128	125	390	457	1,382
15 to 26 weeks.....	941	1,496	613	1,070	205	266	59	94	219	377
27 weeks and over.....	1,216	4,190	750	2,820	320	862	65	295	238	1,006
Average (mean) duration, in weeks.....	19.4	27.3	18.1	27.0	23.4	27.7	19.8	30.0	16.2	26.7
Median duration, in weeks.....	8.4	18.4	7.9	17.6	9.8	20.6	8.8	25.5	7.4	17.4
<b>PERCENT DISTRIBUTION</b>										
Total unemployed.....	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Less than 5 weeks.....	37.5	21.2	39.2	21.8	32.6	21.5	38.0	14.7	41.9	21.2
5 to 14 weeks.....	30.3	24.2	31.2	24.4	29.1	22.3	25.5	22.0	29.5	25.0
15 weeks and over.....	32.2	54.6	29.6	53.8	38.3	56.3	36.5	63.3	28.6	53.8
15 to 26 weeks.....	14.1	14.4	13.3	14.8	15.0	13.3	17.3	15.4	13.7	14.6
27 weeks and over.....	18.2	40.2	16.3	39.0	23.3	43.0	19.2	48.0	14.9	39.1

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.