

**HOUSEHOLD DATA  
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED**

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

[In thousands]

Category	2016												2017
	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.
<b>CLASS OF WORKER</b>													
Agriculture and related industries.....	2,401	2,478	2,582	2,578	2,567	2,503	2,379	2,505	2,429	2,317	2,431	2,356	2,418
Wage and salary workers <sup>1</sup> .....	1,551	1,586	1,645	1,695	1,668	1,625	1,592	1,597	1,522	1,493	1,559	1,470	1,633
Self-employed workers, unincorporated.....	833	880	935	858	864	839	765	874	890	817	833	857	795
Nonagricultural industries.....	148,090	148,551	148,543	148,398	148,477	148,683	149,136	149,170	149,526	149,604	149,752	149,811	149,582
Wage and salary workers <sup>1</sup> .....	139,329	139,709	139,630	139,512	139,677	139,867	140,486	140,431	140,739	140,806	140,968	140,773	140,952
Private industries.....	118,698	119,008	119,218	119,177	119,043	119,587	119,947	119,682	119,990	120,073	120,016	119,916	120,189
Industries except private households.....	117,999	118,289	118,574	118,427	118,319	118,850	119,222	118,932	119,241	119,325	119,290	119,206	119,467
Government.....	20,661	20,673	20,520	20,350	20,615	20,202	20,508	20,701	20,809	20,698	20,938	20,865	20,796
Self-employed workers, unincorporated.....	8,697	8,739	8,848	8,860	8,807	8,755	8,659	8,631	8,599	8,731	8,716	8,991	8,552
<b>PERSONS AT WORK PART TIME<sup>2</sup></b>													
<b>All industries</b>													
Part time for economic reasons <sup>3</sup> .....	6,035	6,019	6,120	5,970	6,409	5,820	5,936	6,027	5,874	5,850	5,659	5,598	5,840
Slack work or business conditions.....	3,582	3,614	3,650	3,706	3,879	3,438	3,629	3,736	3,587	3,481	3,485	3,401	3,583
Could only find part-time work.....	2,133	2,104	2,118	1,993	2,064	2,030	1,979	1,907	1,972	2,093	1,902	1,873	1,944
Part time for noneconomic reasons <sup>4</sup> .....	20,301	20,595	20,430	20,471	20,611	20,542	20,729	20,575	20,742	20,765	21,059	21,251	20,487
<b>Nonagricultural industries</b>													
Part time for economic reasons <sup>3</sup> .....	5,902	5,927	6,023	5,882	6,343	5,727	5,842	5,903	5,770	5,748	5,550	5,476	5,769
Slack work or business conditions.....	3,511	3,559	3,607	3,650	3,828	3,376	3,563	3,599	3,510	3,415	3,424	3,310	3,535
Could only find part-time work.....	2,116	2,098	2,116	1,986	2,059	2,033	1,958	1,903	1,959	2,082	1,870	1,862	1,947
Part time for noneconomic reasons <sup>4</sup> .....	19,968	20,220	20,067	20,093	20,215	20,145	20,355	20,261	20,409	20,455	20,696	20,818	20,136

<sup>1</sup> Includes self-employed workers whose businesses are incorporated.

<sup>2</sup> 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.

<sup>3</sup> 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.

<sup>4</sup> 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.