

HOUSEHOLD DATA
NOT SEASONALLY ADJUSTED
A-31. Unemployed persons by industry, class of worker, and sex
[Numbers in thousands]

Industry and class of worker	Total unemployed		Unemployment rates					
	Apr. 2023	Apr. 2024	Total		Men		Women	
			Apr. 2023	Apr. 2024	Apr. 2023	Apr. 2024	Apr. 2023	Apr. 2024
Total, 16 years and over ¹	5,146	5,894	3.1	3.5	3.3	3.7	2.9	3.3
Nonagricultural private wage and salary workers ² ...	4,062	4,795	3.1	3.6	3.2	3.7	2.9	3.4
Mining, quarrying, and oil and gas extraction.....	11	8	1.8	1.3	1.2	1.2	5.5	2.5
Construction.....	424	555	4.1	5.2	4.2	5.6	3.1	2.1
Manufacturing.....	429	416	2.8	2.7	2.8	2.4	2.6	3.5
Durable goods.....	240	281	2.4	2.9	2.2	2.5	2.9	3.9
Nonmetallic mineral products.....	4	17	1.1	4.9	1.4	4.4	0.0	–
Primary and fabricated metal products.....	33	27	1.9	1.8	1.7	1.4	2.9	3.5
Machinery manufacturing.....	38	27	2.6	2.0	2.9	1.0	1.2	5.7
Computer and electronic products.....	10	7	0.9	0.7	0.5	0.9	1.9	0.0
Electrical equipment and appliances.....	15	7	4.2	1.8	1.9	2.3	10.8	–
Transportation equipment.....	63	95	2.3	3.6	2.5	3.5	1.7	4.0
Wood products.....	8	24	2.2	5.2	2.7	2.5	–	14.3
Furniture and related products.....	2	11	0.5	3.4	0.0	3.9	2.2	2.1
Miscellaneous manufacturing.....	67	64	4.2	4.0	3.8	4.2	4.9	3.7
Nondurable goods.....	190	134	3.4	2.4	4.0	2.1	2.4	3.0
Food manufacturing.....	66	48	3.9	2.8	4.0	1.9	3.8	4.1
Beverage and tobacco products.....	24	11	6.1	3.9	7.9	2.9	0.0	6.5
Textile, apparel, and leather.....	30	20	7.9	3.8	16.0	4.4	0.5	3.2
Paper and printing.....	25	11	3.1	1.3	3.7	1.8	1.6	0.0
Petroleum and coal products.....	0	0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	–	–
Chemicals.....	44	36	2.7	2.4	2.7	2.4	2.8	2.3
Plastics and rubber products.....	0	8	0.1	1.9	0.1	1.2	0.0	3.3
Wholesale and retail trade.....	644	725	3.3	3.8	3.6	3.6	3.0	3.9
Wholesale trade.....	52	102	1.6	3.0	0.9	2.6	3.3	3.9
Retail trade.....	593	624	3.7	3.9	4.3	3.9	3.0	3.9
Transportation and utilities.....	298	358	3.6	4.4	2.6	4.0	6.8	5.7
Transportation and warehousing.....	268	320	3.8	4.7	2.6	4.2	7.2	6.1
Utilities.....	30	38	2.5	3.1	2.1	3.2	3.8	2.8
Information ³	38	128	1.4	5.0	1.1	3.8	1.7	6.8
Publishing, except Internet.....	18	35	2.7	5.7	0.0	3.0	6.1	9.0
Motion picture and sound recording industries..	3	28	0.7	7.7	1.0	4.7	0.0	13.9
Broadcasting (except internet).....	1	1	0.3	0.4	0.4	0.8	0.0	0.0
Telecommunications.....	10	39	1.1	4.7	1.7	4.1	0.0	6.0
Financial activities.....	214	280	2.1	2.7	2.3	2.7	1.8	2.7
Finance and insurance.....	141	201	1.8	2.6	1.9	2.6	1.8	2.7
Finance.....	97	135	2.0	2.8	1.7	2.9	2.3	2.7
Insurance.....	44	66	1.6	2.4	2.4	1.8	1.1	2.7
Real estate and rental and leasing.....	73	79	2.7	2.9	3.5	2.9	1.8	2.9
Real estate.....	64	58	2.7	2.5	3.6	2.5	1.9	2.5
Rental and leasing services.....	9	21	2.4	5.3	3.2	4.6	0.0	7.4
Professional and business services.....	684	746	3.7	4.0	3.7	3.9	3.7	4.0
Professional and technical services.....	350	371	2.8	3.0	2.5	3.2	3.2	2.8
Management, administrative, and waste services ³	334	375	5.5	5.8	6.2	5.3	4.6	6.7
Administrative and support services.....	321	357	5.9	6.1	6.7	5.6	4.9	6.8
Waste management and remediation services.....	13	18	2.9	3.9	3.3	2.8	1.3	9.5
Education and health services.....	494	559	1.9	2.1	2.0	2.4	1.9	2.0
Educational services.....	93	127	1.8	2.3	1.7	2.0	1.8	2.4
Health care and social assistance.....	401	432	2.0	2.0	2.1	2.6	1.9	1.9
Hospitals.....	71	107	1.1	1.6	1.1	2.8	1.1	1.2
Health services, except hospitals.....	237	220	2.2	1.9	2.2	2.1	2.2	1.9

See footnotes at end of table.

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Social assistance.....	93	105	3.1	3.5	5.3	4.2	2.7	3.4
Leisure and hospitality.....	686	784	5.0	5.7	4.8	5.3	5.2	6.1
Arts, entertainment, and recreation.....	75	183	2.8	6.7	1.5	7.2	4.4	6.1
Accommodation and food services.....	612	601	5.5	5.5	5.7	4.8	5.3	6.1
Accommodation.....	97	76	7.1	6.8	5.4	4.3	8.4	8.3
Food services and drinking places.....	514	525	5.3	5.3	5.8	4.8	4.8	5.8
Other services.....	139	235	2.1	3.5	2.2	3.6	2.0	3.4
Other services, except private households.....	122	193	2.1	3.2	2.3	3.4	1.8	2.9
Repair and maintenance.....	30	62	1.6	3.0	1.5	3.5	2.4	0.4
Personal and laundry services.....	53	47	2.5	2.5	5.1	0.9	1.5	3.0
Membership associations and organizations..	39	84	2.0	3.9	1.8	4.8	2.2	3.3
Private households.....	17	42	2.7	6.3	—	—	2.8	6.0
Agricultural and related private wage and salary workers ²	68	83	4.6	5.4	4.7	5.8	4.2	4.5
Government wage and salary workers.....	343	267	1.5	1.2	1.5	1.2	1.6	1.2
Self-employed workers, unincorporated, and unpaid family workers.....	244	296	2.4	2.9	2.5	2.9	2.3	2.8
No previous work experience.....	428	453	—	—	—	—	—	—

¹ Includes a small number of persons whose last job was in the Armed Forces.

² Includes self-employed workers whose businesses are incorporated.

³ Includes other industries, not shown separately.

NOTE: Updated population controls are introduced annually with the release of January data. Dash indicates no data or data that do not meet publication criteria (values not shown where base is less than 75,000). Effective with January 2020 data, industries reflect the introduction of the 2017 Census industry classification system, derived from the 2017 North American Industry Classification System (NAICS). No historical data have been revised.