

**HOUSEHOLD DATA
ANNUAL AVERAGES**

20. Persons at work 1 to 34 hours in all and in nonagricultural industries by reason for working less than 35 hours and usual full- or part-time status
[Numbers in thousands]

Reason for working less than 35 hours	2013					
	All industries			Nonagricultural industries		
	Total	Usually work full time	Usually work part time	Total	Usually work full time	Usually work part time
Total, at work 1 to 34 hours.....	33,813	8,756	25,057	33,284	8,604	24,679
Economic reasons.....	7,935	1,781	6,154	7,823	1,726	6,097
Slack work or business conditions.....	5,002	1,550	3,451	4,930	1,513	3,417
Could only find part-time work.....	2,600	–	2,600	2,586	–	2,586
Seasonal work.....	234	132	102	210	116	94
Job started or ended during week.....	99	99	–	98	98	–
Noneconomic reasons.....	25,878	6,975	18,903	25,461	6,879	18,582
Child-care problems.....	859	61	798	849	60	789
Other family or personal obligations.....	4,603	621	3,982	4,531	611	3,919
Health or medical limitations.....	824	–	824	805	–	805
In school or training.....	5,648	72	5,575	5,596	71	5,525
Retired or Social Security limit on earnings.....	2,356	–	2,356	2,253	–	2,253
Vacation or personal day.....	3,306	3,306	–	3,271	3,271	–
Holiday, legal or religious.....	272	272	–	269	269	–
Weather-related curtailment.....	395	395	–	377	377	–
All other reasons.....	7,615	2,247	5,368	7,511	2,219	5,292
Average hours, economic reasons.....	22.9	24.1	22.6	22.9	24.2	22.6
Average hours, noneconomic reasons.....	21.3	24.6	20.1	21.3	24.6	20.1

NOTE: Full time is 35 hours or more per week; part time is less than 35 hours. Updated population controls are introduced annually with the release of January data. Dash indicates no data or data that do not meet publication criteria (value not shown where base is less than 35,000).