

**HOUSEHOLD DATA  
ANNUAL AVERAGES**

**29. Unemployed persons by reason for unemployment, sex, age, and duration of unemployment**

[Percent distribution]

Reason, sex, and age	2018						
	Total unemployed		Duration of unemployment				
	Thousands of persons	Percent	Less than 5 weeks	5 to 14 weeks	15 weeks and over		
					Total	15 to 26 weeks	27 weeks and over
Total, 16 years and over.....	6,314	100.0	34.4	29.7	35.9	14.5	21.4
Job losers and persons who completed temporary jobs.....	2,990	100.0	36.6	30.0	33.5	14.8	18.7
On temporary layoff.....	852	100.0	56.9	30.5	12.6	9.0	3.6
Not on temporary layoff.....	2,138	100.0	28.4	29.7	41.8	17.1	24.7
Permanent job losers.....	1,455	100.0	26.4	29.7	43.9	17.5	26.4
Persons who completed temporary jobs.....	683	100.0	32.8	29.8	37.4	16.3	21.0
Job leavers.....	794	100.0	37.9	32.7	29.4	13.4	16.0
Reentrants.....	1,928	100.0	29.7	27.7	42.6	14.7	27.9
New entrants.....	602	100.0	33.8	31.2	35.1	14.1	21.0
Men, 20 years and over.....	2,976	100.0	31.7	29.0	39.4	15.9	23.5
Job losers and persons who completed temporary jobs.....	1,706	100.0	34.3	29.9	35.8	16.2	19.6
On temporary layoff.....	472	100.0	54.0	30.9	15.1	10.6	4.4
Not on temporary layoff.....	1,234	100.0	26.8	29.5	43.7	18.3	25.4
Permanent job losers.....	826	100.0	24.5	29.3	46.2	18.8	27.4
Persons who completed temporary jobs.....	408	100.0	31.4	29.9	38.7	17.4	21.4
Job leavers.....	381	100.0	37.9	31.1	31.1	13.0	18.0
Reentrants.....	759	100.0	23.7	26.7	49.7	16.7	32.9
New entrants.....	130	100.0	25.2	24.5	50.3	14.4	35.9
Women, 20 years and over.....	2,578	100.0	33.7	29.7	36.5	14.0	22.5
Job losers and persons who completed temporary jobs.....	1,173	100.0	37.8	30.2	32.0	13.1	18.9
On temporary layoff.....	332	100.0	59.6	30.8	9.6	6.7	3.0
Not on temporary layoff.....	841	100.0	29.2	30.0	40.8	15.7	25.1
Permanent job losers.....	595	100.0	27.4	30.2	42.4	16.0	26.4
Persons who completed temporary jobs.....	246	100.0	33.6	29.4	37.0	15.0	22.0
Job leavers.....	361	100.0	35.2	34.5	30.3	14.3	15.9
Reentrants.....	912	100.0	29.2	26.9	44.0	14.8	29.2
New entrants.....	132	100.0	25.2	32.6	42.2	15.5	26.7
Both sexes, 16 to 19 years.....	759	100.0	47.2	32.5	20.4	11.1	9.3
Job losers and persons who completed temporary jobs.....	111	100.0	57.7	28.3	14.0	10.8	3.2
On temporary layoff.....	49	100.0	67.1	24.4	8.5	8.5	0.0
Not on temporary layoff.....	62	100.0	50.4	31.4	18.2	12.6	5.6
Permanent job losers.....	34	100.0	—	—	—	—	—
Persons who completed temporary jobs.....	28	100.0	—	—	—	—	—
Job leavers.....	52	100.0	57.3	32.2	10.5	9.2	1.2
Reentrants.....	256	100.0	49.6	33.4	17.0	8.4	8.6
New entrants.....	340	100.0	40.4	33.2	26.5	13.5	13.0

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 35,000).