

**HOUSEHOLD DATA
ANNUAL AVERAGES**

33. Unemployed jobseekers by sex, age, race, Hispanic or Latino ethnicity, and active jobsearch methods used
[Numbers in thousands]

Characteristic	2018									
	Unemployed		Percent of jobseekers using method							Average number of methods used
	Total	Job-seekers	Contacted employer directly	Sent out resumes or filled out applications	Placed or answered ads	Contacted friends or relatives	Public employment agency	Private employment agency	Other	
AGE AND SEX										
Total, 16 years and over.....	6,314	5,461	50.2	55.0	14.1	23.8	14.5	8.1	13.5	1.8
16 to 19 years.....	759	710	48.3	59.6	10.3	18.0	6.8	3.0	9.4	1.6
20 to 24 years.....	1,048	959	52.7	57.1	14.4	21.3	11.9	6.4	13.1	1.8
25 to 34 years.....	1,450	1,274	50.5	56.1	13.9	22.8	15.1	8.5	12.5	1.8
35 to 44 years.....	1,003	840	49.5	54.3	14.0	25.7	19.0	9.8	13.7	1.9
45 to 54 years.....	938	786	51.1	54.5	15.6	27.5	17.2	10.5	16.0	1.9
55 to 64 years.....	789	648	49.3	49.5	16.0	28.7	17.3	10.5	16.2	1.9
65 years and over.....	327	245	47.1	46.2	15.0	24.0	12.3	8.3	15.7	1.7
Men, 16 years and over.....	3,398	2,899	51.7	52.6	14.3	25.1	14.8	8.3	13.6	1.8
16 to 19 years.....	422	395	47.7	58.0	9.9	18.4	6.8	2.9	8.4	1.5
20 to 24 years.....	596	544	52.6	54.5	14.9	23.7	11.9	7.1	12.1	1.8
25 to 34 years.....	763	651	52.3	53.5	14.3	26.1	15.3	8.7	13.1	1.8
35 to 44 years.....	515	420	52.8	51.3	14.2	27.1	21.1	10.4	13.8	1.9
45 to 54 years.....	490	403	53.8	52.6	16.9	27.0	18.4	10.1	16.8	2.0
55 to 64 years.....	435	352	51.4	46.3	14.8	29.2	17.1	10.7	17.8	1.9
65 years and over.....	177	133	48.5	44.5	15.6	23.0	11.0	8.0	16.6	1.7
Women, 16 years and over.....	2,916	2,562	48.6	57.8	13.9	22.3	14.2	8.0	13.3	1.8
16 to 19 years.....	338	316	49.1	61.6	10.7	17.5	6.8	3.1	10.5	1.6
20 to 24 years.....	452	414	52.8	60.6	13.9	18.3	12.0	5.5	14.5	1.8
25 to 34 years.....	687	623	48.7	58.8	13.5	19.4	15.0	8.2	11.9	1.8
35 to 44 years.....	488	420	46.1	57.4	13.8	24.3	17.0	9.3	13.6	1.8
45 to 54 years.....	448	383	48.2	56.4	14.2	28.0	16.0	11.0	15.1	1.9
55 to 64 years.....	354	295	46.9	53.3	17.4	28.1	17.6	10.3	14.2	1.9
65 years and over.....	150	112	45.5	48.3	14.3	25.2	13.8	8.7	14.5	1.7
RACE AND HISPANIC OR LATINO ETHNICITY										
White.....	4,354	3,672	50.6	54.3	14.4	24.4	13.4	8.0	14.0	1.8
Men.....	2,380	1,979	52.2	52.4	14.7	26.1	14.0	8.3	14.3	1.8
Women.....	1,973	1,693	48.7	56.5	14.0	22.5	12.7	7.6	13.6	1.8
Black or African American.....	1,322	1,214	49.9	54.4	13.0	22.0	19.4	8.7	11.8	1.8
Men.....	676	616	51.8	49.1	12.8	22.4	18.9	7.9	11.0	1.7
Women.....	646	598	48.0	59.8	13.2	21.5	19.9	9.6	12.6	1.9
Asian.....	304	281	49.8	60.1	13.9	27.6	10.3	10.3	15.4	1.9
Men.....	159	145	51.4	58.4	14.0	27.3	11.0	11.2	16.0	1.9
Women.....	146	135	48.0	61.9	13.7	27.9	9.5	9.3	14.8	1.9
Hispanic or Latino ethnicity.....	1,323	1,117	49.8	52.0	11.8	29.2	13.5	7.4	10.6	1.7
Men.....	695	569	52.4	49.1	11.8	31.4	14.7	7.7	11.0	1.8
Women.....	628	547	47.0	55.1	11.9	26.9	12.2	7.2	10.2	1.7

NOTE: The jobseekers total is less than the total unemployed because it does not include persons on temporary layoff. The percent using each method will always total more than 100 because many jobseekers use more than one method. 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.