

**HOUSEHOLD DATA
ANNUAL AVERAGES**

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

[Percent distribution]

Reason, sex, and age	2020						
	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.....	12,947	100.0	28.6	36.5	34.8	19.4	15.4
Job losers and persons who completed temporary jobs.....	9,770	100.0	28.1	39.0	32.9	20.2	12.7
On temporary layoff.....	6,371	100.0	31.2	43.6	25.2	18.3	6.9
Not on temporary layoff.....	3,399	100.0	22.3	30.4	47.4	23.8	23.6
Permanent job losers.....	2,655	100.0	21.0	29.8	49.2	24.9	24.3
Persons who completed temporary jobs.....	744	100.0	26.8	32.2	41.1	20.0	21.1
Job leavers.....	683	100.0	34.0	28.6	37.3	16.0	21.3
Reentrants.....	1,969	100.0	28.8	28.4	42.8	17.9	25.0
New entrants.....	526	100.0	30.7	31.6	37.7	15.3	22.4
Men, 20 years and over.....	6,118	100.0	27.6	35.4	37.1	19.8	17.2
Job losers and persons who completed temporary jobs.....	4,837	100.0	27.9	37.3	34.8	20.4	14.4
On temporary layoff.....	2,917	100.0	32.2	42.4	25.4	18.2	7.3
Not on temporary layoff.....	1,920	100.0	21.3	29.7	49.0	23.8	25.2
Permanent job losers.....	1,480	100.0	20.0	29.2	50.8	25.5	25.4
Persons who completed temporary jobs.....	440	100.0	25.6	31.6	42.8	18.1	24.7
Job leavers.....	343	100.0	31.2	29.2	39.5	17.6	21.9
Reentrants.....	817	100.0	25.6	27.8	46.6	17.9	28.7
New entrants.....	121	100.0	17.3	25.7	56.9	17.7	39.2
Women, 20 years and over.....	5,804	100.0	27.5	37.7	34.7	20.1	14.7
Job losers and persons who completed temporary jobs.....	4,507	100.0	27.3	40.3	32.4	20.7	11.6
On temporary layoff.....	3,121	100.0	29.4	44.5	26.0	19.1	6.9
Not on temporary layoff.....	1,386	100.0	22.5	30.9	46.6	24.3	22.3
Permanent job losers.....	1,107	100.0	21.4	30.3	48.3	24.6	23.7
Persons who completed temporary jobs.....	279	100.0	26.9	33.3	39.9	23.1	16.7
Job leavers.....	296	100.0	34.8	27.6	37.7	15.5	22.2
Reentrants.....	872	100.0	27.0	28.6	44.5	18.8	25.7
New entrants.....	130	100.0	22.0	32.2	45.8	16.7	29.0
Both sexes, 16 to 19 years.....	1,025	100.0	41.4	36.4	22.2	13.3	8.8
Job losers and persons who completed temporary jobs.....	426	100.0	39.2	43.3	17.5	12.8	4.7
On temporary layoff.....	333	100.0	39.6	45.3	15.1	11.7	3.5
Not on temporary layoff.....	92	100.0	37.8	36.0	26.1	16.8	9.3
Permanent job losers.....	68	100.0	35.1	37.9	27.0	16.7	10.3
Persons who completed temporary jobs.....	25	100.0	—	—	—	—	—
Job leavers.....	44	100.0	51.3	30.8	17.9	7.0	10.8
Reentrants.....	281	100.0	43.9	29.4	26.7	14.9	11.8
New entrants.....	275	100.0	40.7	33.9	25.4	13.6	11.8

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).