

34. Unemployed jobseekers by sex, reason for unemployment, and active jobsearch methods used

| Sex and reason | 2007 | | | | | | | | | |
|--|----------------------|-------------------|---|---|------------------------|----------------------|--------------------------|---------------------------|-------|--------------------------------|
| | Thousands of persons | | Methods used as a percent of total jobseekers | | | | | | | Average number of methods used |
| | Total unemployed | Total job-seekers | Employer directly | Sent out resumes or filled out applications | Placed or answered ads | Friends or relatives | Public employment agency | Private employment agency | Other | |
| Total, 16 years and over | 7,078 | 6,102 | 57.4 | 50.7 | 16.0 | 21.7 | 17.7 | 7.6 | 12.9 | 1.84 |
| Job losers and persons who completed temporary jobs ¹ | 3,515 | 2,539 | 59.4 | 49.8 | 19.3 | 26.4 | 23.6 | 10.6 | 14.4 | 2.04 |
| Job leavers | 793 | 793 | 61.8 | 51.8 | 17.3 | 20.8 | 15.8 | 7.4 | 12.2 | 1.88 |
| Reentrants | 2,142 | 2,142 | 54.6 | 50.9 | 13.2 | 18.1 | 13.6 | 5.4 | 12.7 | 1.69 |
| New entrants | 627 | 627 | 53.1 | 52.3 | 9.8 | 16.8 | 9.9 | 3.3 | 8.2 | 1.54 |
| Men, 16 years and over | 3,882 | 3,266 | 58.3 | 48.5 | 15.7 | 23.2 | 17.8 | 7.8 | 13.1 | 1.85 |
| Job losers and persons who completed temporary jobs ¹ | 2,175 | 1,559 | 60.3 | 47.5 | 18.4 | 27.7 | 22.8 | 10.3 | 14.7 | 2.02 |
| Job leavers | 408 | 408 | 62.9 | 50.9 | 15.9 | 21.0 | 14.3 | 7.1 | 12.4 | 1.85 |
| Reentrants | 956 | 956 | 55.3 | 47.5 | 13.4 | 18.8 | 13.7 | 5.4 | 12.9 | 1.67 |
| New entrants | 343 | 343 | 52.0 | 52.8 | 9.9 | 17.7 | 10.4 | 3.7 | 7.7 | 1.54 |
| Women, 16 years and over | 3,196 | 2,836 | 56.3 | 53.3 | 16.2 | 20.0 | 17.6 | 7.4 | 12.6 | 1.84 |
| Job losers and persons who completed temporary jobs ¹ | 1,340 | 980 | 58.0 | 53.4 | 20.8 | 24.2 | 25.0 | 11.0 | 13.9 | 2.07 |
| Job leavers | 385 | 385 | 60.5 | 52.7 | 18.8 | 20.7 | 17.3 | 7.7 | 12.0 | 1.91 |
| Reentrants | 1,186 | 1,186 | 54.0 | 53.7 | 13.1 | 17.4 | 13.6 | 5.4 | 12.6 | 1.70 |
| New entrants | 285 | 285 | 54.5 | 51.7 | 9.8 | 15.9 | 9.3 | 2.8 | 8.8 | 1.53 |

¹ Data on the number of jobseekers and the jobsearch methods used exclude persons on temporary layoff.

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. Updated population controls are introduced annually with the release of January data.