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METROPOLITAN AREA EMPLOYMENT AND UNEMPLOYMENT: JULY 2005

Unemployment rates were lower in July than a year earlier in 273 of the 367 metropolitan areas, higher in 72 areas, and unchanged in 22 areas, the Bureau of Labor Statistics of the U.S. Department of Labor reported today. Ten metropolitan areas registered jobless rates below 3.0 percent, and two areas recorded rates of more than 10.0 percent. The national unemployment rate was 5.2 percent, not seasonally adjusted, down from 5.7 percent a year earlier.

Metropolitan Area Unemployment (Not Seasonally Adjusted)

In July, 67 metropolitan areas registered unemployment rates below 4.0 percent, up from 36 areas a year earlier. Jobless rates in 36 areas were at least 7.0 percent in July, down from 59 areas a year earlier. Fargo, N.D.-Minn., recorded the lowest unemployment rate, 2.5 percent. The next lowest rates were in Iowa City, Iowa, and Winchester, Va.-W.Va., 2.7 percent each. The highest unemployment rates in July again were recorded in two adjacent areas with highly seasonal agricultural employment—Yuma, Ariz., 21.3 percent, and El Centro, Calif., 17.3 percent. Overall, 211 areas registered unemployment rates below the U.S. rate, 149 areas had higher rates, and 7 areas had the same rate. (See table 1 and the map.)

The largest over-the-year jobless rate decreases for July were posted in Kokomo, Ind. (-6.7 percentage points), and El Centro, Calif. (-3.4 points). The next largest decreases were reported in two Alabama areas, Mobile (-2.4 percentage points) and Gadsden (-2.3 points). Sixty-one additional areas posted rate decreases of 1.0 percentage point or more. Janesville, Wis., experienced the largest over-the-year jobless rate increase in July (+1.8 percentage points). Three more areas had over-the-year rate increases of at least 1.0 percentage point. Overall, 184 areas—about half—recorded unemployment rate decreases that equaled or exceeded the 0.5 percentage point over-the-year decline in the national jobless rate.

Hurricane Dennis

Hurricane Dennis struck near the beginning of the July reference period, affecting parts of Alabama, Florida, and Mississippi. BLS examined survey data from the counties in the path of the storm to ensure that payroll survey responses were at normal levels. The examination suggests that there were no discernable weather-related effects on payroll employment as measured by the establishment survey. For the storm to have affected payroll employment, people would have had to have been off work for the entire pay period and not paid for the time missed.

Of the 49 metropolitan areas with a Census 2000 population of 1 million or more, Minneapolis-St. Paul-Bloomington, Minn.-Wis., and Washington-Arlington-Alexandria, D.C.-Va.-Md.-W.Va., reported the lowest jobless rates in July, 3.3 and 3.5 percent, respectively. The next lowest rates were posted in Orlando, Fla., and Richmond, Va., 3.7 percent each. The highest jobless rate among large areas again was recorded in Detroit-Warren-Livonia, Mich., 8.1 percent. The next highest rates were registered by Chicago-Naperville-Joliet, Ill.-Ind.-Wis., 6.4 percent; Portland-Vancouver-Beaverton, Ore.-Wash., 6.2 percent; Memphis, Tenn.-Miss.-Ark., 6.1 percent; and St. Louis, Mo.-Ill., 6.0 percent. Forty large areas reported lower jobless rates than in July 2004, eight registered higher rates, and one had no change. San Jose-Sunnyvale-Santa Clara, Calif., again recorded the largest over-the-year jobless rate decrease (-1.4 percentage points). Nine additional areas had rate declines of at least 1.0 percentage point. Louisville, Ky.-Ind., experienced the largest unemployment rate increase from a year earlier (+0.6 percentage point), closely followed by Atlanta-Sandy Springs-Marietta, Ga., and New Orleans-Metairie-Kenner, La. (+0.5 point each).

Metropolitan Division Unemployment (Not Seasonally Adjusted)

Eleven of the most populous metropolitan areas are composed of 34 metropolitan divisions, which are essentially separately identifiable employment centers. The two divisions in the Washington-Arlington-Alexandria, D.C.-Va.-Md.-W.Va. metropolitan area posted the lowest unemployment rates among all the divisions—Bethesda-Frederick-Gaithersburg, Md., 3.5 percent, and Washington-Arlington-Alexandria, D.C.-Va.-Md.-W.Va., 3.6 percent. Four additional divisions registered rates below 4.0 percent. The highest unemployment rates among the divisions continued to be reported in Detroit-Livonia-Dearborn, Mich., 9.9 percent, and Lawrence-Methuen-Salem, Mass.-N.H., 7.6 percent. Three other divisions had rates of 6.0 percent or higher. (See table 2.)

Over the year, jobless rates decreased in 29 of the 34 metropolitan divisions, increased in 3 divisions, and were unchanged in 2 divisions. Jobless rates were down by 1.0 percentage point or more in eight of the divisions, with the largest rate decreases occurring in Los Angeles-Long Beach-Glendale, Calif. (-1.4 percentage points), and New York-Wayne-White Plains, N.Y.-N.J. (-1.2 points). None of the divisions reported rate increases from a year earlier greater than 0.3 percentage point.

For 7 of the 11 metropolitan areas that contain divisions, the range between the highest and lowest division unemployment rates was 1.0 percentage point or more. The metropolitan areas that had the widest rate ranges between their divisions were Boston-Cambridge-Quincy, Mass.-N.H. (Lawrence-Methuen-Salem, Mass.-N.H., 7.6 percent, compared with both Framingham, Mass., and Nashua, N.H.-Mass., 3.9 percent each), and Detroit-Warren-Livonia, Mich. (Detroit-Livonia-Dearborn, 9.9 percent, compared with Warren-Farmington Hills-Troy, 6.9 percent).

Metropolitan Area Nonfarm Employment (Not Seasonally Adjusted)

In July 2005, 304 metropolitan areas recorded over-the-year increases in nonfarm payroll employment, 55 reported decreases, and 8 had no change. The largest over-the-year employment gains were posted in Washington-Arlington-Alexandria, D.C.-Va.-Md.-W.Va. (+84,600), followed by New York-Northern New Jersey-Long Island, N.Y.-N.J.-Pa. (+71,500), Phoenix-Mesa-Scottsdale, Ariz. (+71,100), Los Angeles-Long Beach-Santa Ana, Calif. (+66,600), and Las Vegas-Paradise, Nev. (+61,400). The largest percentage increases in employment were reported in Kokomo, Ind. (+10.3 percent), El Centro, Calif. (+7.8 percent), Coeur d'Alene, Idaho (+7.7 percent), Las Vegas-Paradise, Nev. (+7.6 percent), and St. George, Utah (+7.2 percent).

Detroit-Warren-Livonia, Mich., experienced the largest over-the-year employment decline (-6,800), followed by Rochester, N.Y. (-4,800), Dayton, Ohio (-4,000), Cleveland-Elyria-Mentor, Ohio (-3,200), and

Youngstown-Warren-Boardman, Ohio-Pa. (-3,100). The largest over-the-year percentage declines in employment were posted in Danville, Va. (-3.5 percent), Bay City, Mich. (-2.7 percent), Holland-Grand Haven, Mich. (-2.2 percent), and Elmira, N.Y. (-2.0 percent).

Over the year, nonfarm employment rose in 33 of the 35 metropolitan areas with annual average employment levels above 750,000 in 2004. The largest over-the-year percentage increases in employment in these large metropolitan areas occurred in Las Vegas-Paradise, Nev. (+7.6 percent), Phoenix-Scottsdale-Mesa, Ariz. (+4.3 percent), Orlando, Fla. (+4.1 percent), Charlotte-Gastonia-Concord, N.C.-S.C. (+3.7 percent), Seattle-Tacoma-Bellevue, Wash. (+3.1 percent), and Washington-Arlington-Alexandria, D.C.-Va.-Md.-W.Va. (+3.0 percent). Of the largest 35 metropolitan areas, only Cleveland-Elyria-Mentor, Ohio, and Detroit-Warren-Livonia, Mich., reported over-the-year percentage decreases in employment (-0.3 percent each).

Metropolitan Division Nonfarm Employment (Not Seasonally Adjusted)

Nonfarm payroll employment data were available in July 2005 for 32 metropolitan divisions, which are essentially separately identifiable employment centers within a metropolitan area. Twenty-eight of the 32 metropolitan divisions reported over-the-year employment increases, while 4 reported decreases. The largest increase over the year in the metropolitan divisions occurred in Washington-Arlington-Alexandria, D.C.-Va.-Md.-W.Va. (+74,500), followed by New York-Wayne-White Plains, N.Y.-N.J. (+52,300), Seattle-Bellevue-Everett, Wash. (+42,300), and Los Angeles-Long Beach-Glendale, Calif. (+40,700). Over-the-year employment losses were recorded in Detroit-Livonia-Dearborn, Mich. (-6,600), Newark-Union, N.J.-Pa. (-1,300), Gary, Ind. (-400), and Warren-Farmington Hills-Troy, Mich. (-200).

The largest over-the-year percentage increases in employment among the metropolitan divisions were reported in Washington-Arlington-Alexandria, D.C.-Va.-Md.-W.Va. (+3.3 percent), Seattle-Bellevue-Everett, Wash. (+3.2 percent), Fort Lauderdale-Pompano Beach-Deerfield Beach, Fla. (+3.0 percent), and Tacoma, Wash. (+2.7 percent). Over-the-year percentage decreases in employment among the divisions were reported in Detroit-Livonia-Dearborn, Mich. (-0.8 percent), and Gary, Ind., and Newark-Union, N.J.-Pa. (-0.1 percent each).

The Regional and State Employment and Unemployment release for August is scheduled to be issued on September 16. The Metropolitan Area Employment and Unemployment release for August is scheduled to be issued on September 28.

Correction of Nonfarm Payroll Employment Data for South Dakota

The total nonfarm and government employment data for South Dakota have been corrected for July and August 2004. In addition, the total nonfarm and government employment data for the Rapid City metropolitan area in South Dakota have been corrected for July and August 2003 and 2004. The corrections, generally small, were introduced to reflect more accurately the employment patterns of teachers in local government education during the summer months. The July 2004 data shown in table 3 of this release incorporate the corrections.

Technical Note

This release presents labor force and unemployment data from the Local Area Unemployment Statistics (LAUS) program (tables 1 and 2) for 375 metropolitan statistical areas and metropolitan New England City and Town Areas (NECTAs), including those in Puerto Rico. Estimates for over 30 metropolitan and NECTA divisions also are presented. Nonfarm payroll employment estimates from the Current Employment Statistics (CES) program (tables 3 and 4) are provided for the same areas. State estimates were previously published in the news release, *Regional and State Employment and Unemployment*, and are republished in this release for ease of reference. The LAUS and CES programs are both federal-state cooperative endeavors.

Labor force and unemployment—from the LAUS program

Definitions. The labor force and unemployment data are based on the same concepts and definitions as those used for the official national estimates obtained from the Current Population Survey (CPS), a sample survey of households that is conducted for the Bureau of Labor Statistics (BLS) by the U.S. Census Bureau. The labor force includes both the employed and the unemployed. Employed persons are those who did any work at all for pay or profit in the survey reference week (the week including the 12th of the month) or worked 15 hours or more without pay in a family business or farm, plus those not working who have a job from which they were temporarily absent, whether or not paid, for such reasons as labor-management dispute, illness, or vacation. Unemployed persons are those who did not work at all (in the reference week), have actively looked for a job (sometime in the 4-week period ending with the survey reference week), and are currently available for work; persons on layoff expecting recall need not be looking for work to be counted as unemployed.

Method of estimation. Effective January 2005, estimates for all census divisions, states, the District of Columbia, the Los Angeles-Long-Beach-Glendale metropolitan division, and New York City were produced using updated time-series models with real-time benchmarking. Model-based estimation was extended to the following areas and respective balances-of-state: Chicago-Naperville-Joliet, IL Metropolitan Division; Cleveland-Elyria-Mentor, OH Metropolitan Statistical Area; Detroit-Warren-Livonia, MI Metropolitan Statistical Area; Miami-Miami-Beach-Kendall, FL Metropolitan Division; New Orleans-Mataire-Kenner, LA Metropolitan Statistical Area; and Seattle-Bellevue-Everett, WA Metropolitan Division. This will improve the statistical basis of the estimation for these areas and provide important tools for analysis, such as measures of errors and seasonally adjusted series. For all other substate areas, estimates are prepared through indirect estimation procedures. Employment estimates, which are based largely on “place of work” estimates from the CES program, are adjusted to refer to place of residence as used in the CPS. Unemployment estimates are aggregates of persons previously employed in industries covered by state unemployment (UI) laws and entrants to the labor force data from the CPS. The substate estimates of employment and unemployment, which geographically exhaust the entire state, are adjusted proportionally to ensure that they add to the independently estimated state or balance-of-state totals. A detailed description of the estimation procedures is available from BLS upon request.

Annual revisions. Labor force and unemployment data shown for the prior year reflect adjustments made at the end of each year, usually implemented with January estimates. The adjusted estimates reflect updated population data from the U.S. Census Bureau, any revisions in the other data sources, and model reestimation at the state and selected area level. All substate estimates are adjusted to add to the revised model-based estimates.

Employment—from the CES program

Definitions. Employment data refer to persons on establishment payrolls who receive pay for any part of the pay period which includes the 12th of the month. Persons are counted at their place of work rather than at their place of residence; those appearing on more than one payroll are counted on each payroll. Industries are classified on the basis of their principal activity in accordance with the 2002 version of the North American Industry Classification System.

Method of estimation. The employment data are estimated using a “link relative” technique in which a ratio (link relative) of current-month employment to that of the previous month is computed from a sample of establishments reporting for both months. The estimates of employment for the current month are obtained by multiplying the estimates for the previous month by these ratios. Small-domain models are used as the official estimators for the approximately 10 percent of CES published series which have insufficient sample for direct sample-based estimates.

Annual revisions. Employment estimates are adjusted annually to a complete count of jobs, called benchmarks, derived principally from tax reports which are submitted by employers who are covered under state unemployment insurance (UI) laws. The benchmark information is used to adjust the monthly estimates between the new benchmark and the preceding one and also to establish the level of employment for the new benchmark month. Thus, the benchmarking process establishes the level of employment, and the sample is used to measure the month-to-month changes in the level for the subsequent months.

Reliability of the estimates

The estimates presented in this release are based on sample survey and administrative data and thus are subject to sampling and other types of errors. Sampling error is a measure of sampling variability—that is, variation that occurs by chance because a sample rather than the entire population is surveyed. Survey data are also subject to nonsampling errors, such as those which can be introduced into the data collection and processing operations. Estimates not directly derived from sample surveys are subject to additional errors resulting from the special estimation processes used. The sums of individual items may not always equal the totals shown in the same tables because of rounding. With respect to the LAUS program, unemployment rates are computed from unrounded data rather than from data that may be displayed in the tables; differences, however, are generally insignificant.

Labor force and unemployment estimates. Model-based error measures, including for over-the-month change, are available for states on the BLS Web site at <http://www.bls.gov/lau/lastderr.htm>. Measures of nonsampling error are not available, but additional information on the subject is provided in the BLS monthly periodical, *Employment and Earnings*.

Employment estimates. Measures of sampling error for state CES data at the supersector level and for metropolitan area CES data at the total nonfarm level are available on the BLS Web site at <http://www.bls.gov/sae/790stderr.htm>. Information on recent benchmark revisions for states is available at <http://www.bls.gov/sae>.

Area definitions

The substate area data published in this release reflect the standards and definitions established by the U.S. Office of Management and Budget on February 18, 2004. A detailed list of the geographic definitions is available on the Web at <http://www.bls.gov/lau/lausmsa.htm> and also is published annually in the May issue of *Employment and Earnings*.

Additional information

More complete information on the technical procedures used to develop these estimates and additional data appear in *Employment and Earnings*, which is available by subscription from the Super-

intendent of Documents, U.S. Government Printing Office, Washington, DC 20402 (telephone 202-512-1800).

Estimates of unadjusted and seasonally adjusted labor force and unemployment data for states, census regions and divisions, and eight areas are available in the news release, *Regional and State Employment and Unemployment*. Estimates of labor force and unemployment for all states, metropolitan areas, labor market areas, counties, cities with a population of 25,000 or more, and other areas used in the administration of various federal economic assistance programs are available on the BLS Web site at <http://www.bls.gov/lau>. Employment data from the CES program are available at <http://www.bls.gov/sae/>.

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Table 1. Civilian labor force and unemployment by state and metropolitan area

(Numbers in thousands)

State and area	Civilian labor force				Unemployed							
					Number				Percent of labor force			
	June		July		June		July		June		July	
	2004	2005	2004	2005 ^p	2004	2005	2004	2005 ^p	2004	2005	2004	2005 ^p
Alabama	2,161.3	2,151.6	2,168.4	2,153.1	124.4	103.9	126.8	92.2	5.8	4.8	5.8	4.3
Anniston-Oxford	54.8	54.3	54.9	54.0	3.0	2.7	3.1	2.3	5.5	5.0	5.7	4.2
Auburn-Opelika	62.4	62.3	62.8	62.5	2.7	2.3	2.9	2.1	4.3	3.7	4.6	3.4
Birmingham-Hoover	533.6	530.0	537.1	531.5	27.0	23.8	27.2	20.9	5.1	4.5	5.1	3.9
Decatur	73.0	72.2	73.2	72.6	4.4	3.7	4.7	3.7	6.1	5.1	6.5	5.1
Dothan	66.2	66.9	66.1	66.9	3.2	2.7	3.2	2.4	4.9	4.1	4.9	3.6
Florence-Muscle Shoals	66.7	67.0	66.9	66.9	4.4	3.8	4.5	3.3	6.6	5.7	6.7	4.9
Gadsden	47.8	46.9	47.9	46.5	3.2	2.4	3.2	2.1	6.7	5.1	6.7	4.4
Huntsville	193.3	195.3	194.5	195.1	9.1	7.6	9.6	6.9	4.7	3.9	4.9	3.5
Mobile	181.0	182.3	181.7	182.2	12.6	9.7	12.7	8.5	6.9	5.3	7.0	4.6
Montgomery	167.9	167.9	168.3	168.2	9.7	8.1	9.7	7.0	5.8	4.8	5.8	4.1
Tuscaloosa	94.6	97.2	94.8	97.8	5.0	4.1	5.1	3.7	5.3	4.2	5.4	3.8
Alaska	339.0	347.6	341.5	351.2	26.3	22.6	22.5	20.5	7.8	6.5	6.6	5.8
Anchorage	178.4	184.4	176.1	182.2	12.0	10.3	10.5	9.6	6.7	5.6	6.0	5.3
Fairbanks	43.3	44.2	44.2	45.3	3.1	2.5	2.6	2.3	7.1	5.8	5.8	5.1
Arizona	2,778.9	2,837.1	2,781.9	2,839.4	146.0	131.2	145.7	146.3	5.3	4.6	5.2	5.2
Flagstaff	68.4	70.4	69.3	70.4	4.0	3.5	4.1	4.0	5.8	5.0	5.9	5.6
Phoenix-Mesa-Scottsdale	1,855.3	1,888.6	1,858.5	1,895.4	85.6	74.7	82.7	81.9	4.6	4.0	4.5	4.3
Prescott	87.4	90.1	87.7	89.4	3.8	3.5	3.7	3.8	4.3	3.9	4.2	4.2
Tucson	435.2	443.1	432.1	439.5	21.0	19.1	20.6	21.2	4.8	4.3	4.8	4.8
Yuma	76.1	82.2	77.0	81.9	14.3	14.5	16.5	17.5	18.9	17.7	21.4	21.3
Arkansas	1,323.7	1,367.9	1,327.4	1,379.3	81.6	70.7	80.6	71.5	6.2	5.2	6.1	5.2
Fayetteville-Springdale-Rogers	208.9	221.3	211.8	224.0	8.7	7.4	8.5	7.5	4.2	3.3	4.0	3.3
Fort Smith	133.6	136.7	134.3	137.3	7.6	6.3	7.1	6.2	5.7	4.6	5.3	4.5
Hot Springs	41.3	43.6	41.7	44.0	2.6	2.2	2.6	2.2	6.3	5.1	6.1	5.0
Jonesboro	56.5	58.3	57.0	58.8	3.4	3.0	3.4	3.0	6.0	5.1	6.0	5.1
Little Rock-North Little Rock	330.4	336.0	333.6	339.8	18.3	15.9	17.8	16.0	5.5	4.7	5.3	4.7
Pine Bluff	46.2	47.7	46.8	48.1	4.0	3.5	4.0	3.5	8.6	7.3	8.6	7.3
California	17,546.2	17,847.0	17,667.7	17,942.9	1,131.8	970.6	1,153.0	971.5	6.5	5.4	6.5	5.4
Bakersfield	320.7	321.7	327.1	329.9	32.7	26.6	30.1	25.7	10.2	8.3	9.2	7.8
Chico	98.1	98.3	96.8	98.9	7.3	6.6	7.3	6.5	7.5	6.7	7.5	6.6
El Centro	60.4	63.3	60.2	62.9	10.1	9.4	12.4	10.9	16.7	14.9	20.7	17.3
Fresno	411.7	414.8	423.8	427.7	41.5	34.8	40.3	33.8	10.1	8.4	9.5	7.9
Hanford-Corcoran	55.3	55.5	56.0	56.0	6.1	5.0	5.6	4.7	11.1	9.0	10.1	8.3
Los Angeles-Long Beach-Santa Ana	6,364.0	6,497.2	6,428.6	6,540.1	404.3	338.5	418.4	343.5	6.4	5.2	6.5	5.3
Madera	62.7	62.8	64.7	65.7	5.6	4.6	5.5	4.6	9.0	7.3	8.4	7.0
Merced	101.6	101.5	99.4	99.4	10.6	9.5	10.1	9.2	10.5	9.3	10.2	9.2
Modesto	227.5	232.9	234.0	236.3	21.4	18.9	20.0	18.2	9.4	8.1	8.5	7.7
Napa	73.3	74.4	72.9	73.5	3.3	3.0	3.4	3.0	4.4	4.0	4.6	4.0
Oxnard-Thousand Oaks-Ventura	418.0	423.4	416.6	421.9	22.4	19.6	24.4	20.7	5.4	4.6	5.8	4.9
Redding	84.3	86.6	82.8	85.0	6.2	5.6	6.2	5.6	7.3	6.5	7.4	6.6
Riverside-San Bernardino-Ontario	1,649.4	1,687.0	1,650.7	1,684.3	98.9	89.0	105.0	90.8	6.0	5.3	6.4	5.4
Sacramento—Arden-Arcade—Roseville	1,002.2	1,022.0	1,008.6	1,027.2	55.7	48.7	56.6	48.5	5.6	4.8	5.6	4.7
Salinas	218.5	218.3	219.4	218.2	14.3	12.2	14.2	11.9	6.6	5.6	6.5	5.4
San Diego-Carlsbad-San Marcos	1,489.3	1,523.3	1,496.6	1,529.6	75.4	67.6	76.0	66.5	5.1	4.4	5.1	4.4
San Francisco-Oakland-Fremont	2,169.1	2,205.1	2,184.3	2,219.3	126.9	109.6	129.0	108.6	5.9	5.0	5.9	4.9
San Jose-Sunnyvale-Santa Clara	854.5	853.8	860.0	862.1	59.2	47.9	59.0	47.4	6.9	5.6	6.9	5.5
San Luis Obispo-Paso Robles	131.7	134.5	130.5	132.7	6.1	5.5	6.3	5.4	4.6	4.1	4.8	4.1
Santa Barbara-Santa Maria-Goleta	217.0	221.6	217.1	222.7	9.9	8.9	9.9	8.8	4.5	4.0	4.6	4.0
Santa Cruz-Watsonville	149.4	149.8	148.4	149.1	9.0	7.9	9.1	7.7	6.0	5.3	6.2	5.1
Santa Rosa-Petaluma	256.5	260.5	255.3	258.0	13.2	11.6	13.4	11.5	5.1	4.5	5.2	4.5
Stockton	286.7	290.2	287.5	291.5	24.6	21.8	24.7	21.2	8.6	7.5	8.6	7.3
Vallejo-Fairfield	208.1	212.9	210.7	214.3	12.7	11.7	13.1	11.8	6.1	5.5	6.2	5.5
Visalia-Porterville	186.4	179.5	186.0	181.7	21.0	16.2	20.2	16.3	11.2	9.0	10.8	8.9
Yuba City	66.2	68.1	67.2	68.9	6.9	6.2	6.3	5.8	10.3	9.0	9.3	8.4
Colorado	2,536.6	2,572.3	2,546.9	2,564.4	145.9	134.1	137.1	132.3	5.8	5.2	5.4	5.2
Boulder	165.2	169.2	165.0	167.6	8.6	8.0	8.0	7.8	5.2	4.7	4.9	4.7
Colorado Springs	299.1	304.8	300.6	304.3	18.1	16.9	17.1	16.7	6.0	5.6	5.7	5.5
Denver-Aurora	1,295.9	1,315.0	1,305.0	1,312.0	77.6	70.3	73.2	69.6	6.0	5.3	5.6	5.3
Fort Collins-Loveland	165.2	167.7	163.9	165.4	7.8	7.4	7.3	7.3	4.7	4.4	4.4	4.4
Grand Junction	69.6	70.1	69.8	69.8	3.6	3.4	3.5	3.4	5.2	4.9	5.0	4.9
Greeley	110.0	112.0	109.4	111.8	6.0	5.7	5.7	5.6	5.5	5.1	5.2	5.1
Pueblo	68.8	69.8	69.0	69.5	5.2	4.8	4.9	4.9	7.5	6.9	7.1	7.0
Connecticut	1,821.4	1,827.5	1,836.8	1,844.0	97.2	98.5	97.2	100.1	5.3	5.4	5.3	5.4
Bridgeport-Stamford-Norwalk	463.9	465.0	469.1	471.7	23.0	23.5	23.3	24.1	5.0	5.1	5.0	5.1
Danbury	90.4	90.4	90.4	91.0	3.7	3.8	3.8	4.0	4.1	4.2	4.3	4.3
Hartford-West Hartford-East Hartford	567.3	570.8	572.5	573.9	32.0	32.3	32.0	32.9	5.6	5.7	5.6	5.7
New Haven	303.6	303.0	306.4	306.8	16.2	16.7	16.3	17.2	5.3	5.5	5.3	5.6
Norwich-New London	149.3	152.0	152.9	155.2	7.2	7.4	7.2	7.5	4.8	4.9	4.7	4.9
Waterbury	101.3	101.3	101.2	101.8	6.7	6.7	6.7	6.9	6.6	6.6	6.6	6.8

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(Numbers in thousands)

State and area	Civilian labor force				Unemployed							
					Number				Percent of labor force			
	June	July	June	July	June	July	June	July	June	July	June	July
	2004	2005	2004	2005 ^p	2004	2005	2004	2005 ^p	2004	2005	2004	2005 ^p
Delaware	425.5	435.4	427.2	439.6	19.0	19.3	18.5	19.1	4.5	4.4	4.3	4.4
Dover	69.5	71.8	69.6	72.1	2.8	2.8	2.6	2.8	4.1	3.9	3.8	3.8
District of Columbia	300.8	301.3	307.3	308.4	25.7	22.5	28.5	20.0	8.6	7.5	9.3	6.5
Washington-Arlington-Alexandria	2,821.4	2,901.4	2,852.2	2,929.2	113.4	109.6	113.3	103.5	4.0	3.8	4.0	3.5
Florida	8,429.9	8,697.8	8,466.2	8,756.1	434.2	369.2	420.7	353.9	5.2	4.2	5.0	4.0
Cape Coral-Fort Myers	247.9	259.4	248.1	261.3	10.3	9.0	9.8	8.3	4.1	3.5	3.9	3.2
Deltona-Daytona Beach-Ormond Beach	232.3	240.4	233.6	241.7	11.3	9.8	10.7	9.1	4.9	4.1	4.6	3.8
Fort Walton Beach-Crestview-Destin	95.0	100.2	95.3	100.2	3.6	3.2	3.2	2.8	3.8	3.2	3.4	2.8
Gainesville	125.2	129.9	126.4	130.5	5.1	4.5	4.7	4.1	4.1	3.5	3.7	3.1
Jacksonville	614.1	630.7	618.5	637.0	33.8	28.7	32.1	26.7	5.5	4.6	5.2	4.2
Lakeland	248.1	255.9	249.1	257.2	13.5	11.5	14.2	11.5	5.4	4.5	5.7	4.5
Miami-Fort Lauderdale-Miami Beach	2,631.9	2,700.1	2,644.3	2,725.6	146.2	120.4	143.5	121.8	5.6	4.5	5.4	4.5
Naples-Marco Island	135.3	141.2	135.3	141.3	5.9	5.2	6.5	5.3	4.4	3.7	4.8	3.7
Ocala	116.8	120.0	116.9	120.6	5.9	5.2	5.5	4.7	5.1	4.3	4.7	3.9
Orlando	967.1	1,007.7	974.8	1,018.3	47.4	40.4	45.2	37.4	4.9	4.0	4.6	3.7
Palm Bay-Melbourne-Titusville	251.5	258.7	253.5	262.0	12.0	10.6	11.0	9.8	4.8	4.1	4.4	3.7
Panama City-Lynn Haven	80.5	83.6	80.5	84.3	3.8	3.2	3.4	2.9	4.7	3.8	4.3	3.5
Pensacola-Ferry Pass-Brent	197.2	202.3	198.3	203.4	10.1	9.0	9.2	8.2	5.1	4.4	4.7	4.0
Port St. Lucie-Fort Pierce	163.7	170.3	164.8	171.0	9.7	8.4	10.2	8.2	5.9	4.9	6.2	4.8
Punta Gorda	60.2	62.6	60.1	62.7	2.9	2.6	2.8	2.4	4.9	4.2	4.7	3.8
Sarasota-Bradenton-Venice	298.0	315.2	300.5	314.8	13.1	11.2	12.8	10.3	4.4	3.6	4.2	3.3
Tallahassee	172.7	175.7	173.3	177.1	7.9	6.8	7.2	6.2	4.6	3.9	4.2	3.5
Tampa-St. Petersburg-Clearwater	1,279.9	1,314.5	1,284.7	1,326.1	63.2	55.2	60.1	50.8	4.9	4.2	4.7	3.8
Vero Beach	56.2	56.3	56.4	56.5	3.9	3.1	4.1	3.0	6.9	5.5	7.3	5.3
Georgia	4,401.6	4,501.2	4,413.2	4,537.7	226.5	253.8	221.6	253.8	5.1	5.6	5.0	5.6
Albany	72.7	74.4	73.3	74.7	4.3	4.6	4.2	4.7	5.8	6.2	5.8	6.3
Athens-Clarke County	95.2	97.9	96.3	98.5	3.8	4.5	3.6	4.3	4.0	4.6	3.8	4.4
Atlanta-Sandy Springs-Marietta	2,445.8	2,505.3	2,462.0	2,527.3	125.0	139.2	122.5	138.2	5.1	5.6	5.0	5.5
Augusta-Richmond County	249.1	252.2	248.6	254.5	15.2	16.0	15.1	16.3	6.1	6.3	6.1	6.4
Brunswick	50.9	51.9	51.1	52.5	2.6	2.6	2.3	2.5	5.0	5.1	4.4	4.8
Columbus	124.1	125.0	123.7	126.4	7.1	7.5	6.9	8.6	5.7	6.0	5.5	6.8
Dalton	64.3	65.0	64.0	65.5	2.9	3.3	2.9	3.4	4.6	5.1	4.5	5.1
Gainesville	79.5	81.2	79.0	81.5	3.4	4.0	3.3	3.9	4.3	4.9	4.2	4.8
Hinesville-Fort Stewart	27.1	27.8	27.0	27.7	1.7	1.9	1.7	1.9	6.4	7.0	6.1	6.8
Macon	107.5	109.2	107.3	109.3	5.9	6.8	5.7	6.7	5.5	6.2	5.3	6.1
Rome	48.5	49.8	48.3	49.9	2.4	2.9	2.3	2.8	4.9	5.7	4.8	5.7
Savannah	154.8	159.6	156.8	161.2	7.5	8.3	7.2	8.0	4.9	5.2	4.6	4.9
Valdosta	62.4	63.5	62.0	63.8	2.5	2.9	2.4	2.9	4.1	4.6	3.8	4.6
Warner Robins	60.1	61.3	59.8	61.7	2.6	3.2	2.5	3.1	4.4	5.2	4.2	5.1
Hawaii	617.3	634.4	620.5	642.4	23.9	20.8	21.0	19.4	3.9	3.3	3.4	3.0
Honolulu	432.9	445.4	433.0	448.2	16.2	14.4	14.1	13.1	3.7	3.2	3.3	2.9
Idaho	710.7	744.3	712.0	746.4	30.9	26.4	30.1	27.6	4.3	3.5	4.2	3.7
Boise City-Nampa	268.8	283.6	270.6	284.7	11.3	9.6	11.3	10.2	4.2	3.4	4.2	3.6
Coeur d'Alene	65.0	69.7	65.0	70.3	2.9	2.4	2.9	2.5	4.5	3.4	4.4	3.6
Idaho Falls	57.3	60.9	56.9	60.4	1.9	1.7	1.8	1.7	3.3	2.8	3.1	2.8
Lewiston	28.8	29.4	28.6	29.2	1.5	1.4	1.4	1.5	5.3	4.8	5.0	5.0
Pocatello	43.2	44.7	42.2	44.0	1.9	1.7	1.9	1.8	4.5	3.8	4.5	4.0
Illinois	6,455.6	6,530.7	6,488.6	6,529.2	410.1	407.3	414.8	400.4	6.4	6.2	6.4	6.1
Bloomington-Normal	84.6	85.3	84.2	85.5	3.8	3.6	3.8	3.5	4.5	4.2	4.5	4.1
Champaign-Urbana	113.4	114.6	113.9	115.6	5.4	4.9	5.6	5.1	4.8	4.3	4.9	4.4
Chicago-Naperville-Joliet	4,777.3	4,822.6	4,814.1	4,815.2	301.7	315.9	305.6	307.4	6.3	6.6	6.3	6.4
Danville	37.6	37.7	37.5	37.9	3.2	2.5	3.1	2.5	8.4	6.5	8.3	6.6
Davenport-Moline-Rock Island	198.6	198.9	201.5	201.6	10.8	9.5	10.2	8.9	5.4	4.8	5.1	4.4
Decatur	52.7	53.9	52.9	54.0	3.9	3.4	3.9	3.4	7.5	6.4	7.5	6.3
Kankakee-Bradley	52.9	52.8	52.6	53.1	3.9	3.2	3.8	3.2	7.4	6.1	7.3	6.0
Peoria	185.6	189.8	186.8	190.9	10.5	9.2	10.6	9.2	5.7	4.8	5.7	4.8
Rockford	165.0	166.8	166.5	168.5	12.4	10.3	13.2	10.5	7.5	6.2	7.9	6.2
Springfield	110.6	112.6	110.9	113.7	6.1	5.3	6.1	5.3	5.5	4.7	5.5	4.6
Indiana	3,207.2	3,234.5	3,218.8	3,235.5	164.8	163.9	169.9	168.3	5.1	5.1	5.3	5.2
Anderson	63.9	64.8	62.8	63.7	3.6	3.9	3.8	4.1	5.6	6.1	6.1	6.5
Bloomington	92.3	93.3	92.2	92.1	4.2	4.8	3.9	4.7	4.6	5.1	4.3	5.1
Columbus	36.7	37.3	37.1	37.6	1.5	1.8	1.6	1.8	4.1	4.8	4.2	4.7
Elkhart-Goshen	102.5	103.6	103.6	105.1	4.1	4.5	4.3	5.2	4.0	4.4	4.2	5.0
Evansville	182.6	184.6	185.1	187.0	8.7	9.2	8.5	9.3	4.8	5.0	4.6	5.0
Fort Wayne	211.9	214.3	212.4	214.8	10.8	10.3	11.2	11.0	5.1	4.8	5.3	5.1
Indianapolis	879.7	889.8	886.6	889.7	39.7	40.6	40.4	40.4	4.5	4.6	4.6	4.5
Kokomo	47.6	47.6	47.4	47.8	2.8	2.7	5.9	2.8	5.8	5.7	12.5	5.8
Lafayette	89.8	91.4	91.1	91.1	4.3	4.2	4.1	4.1	4.8	4.6	4.5	4.5
Michigan City-La Porte	53.8	53.9	53.6	53.5	3.1	2.9	3.0	2.9	5.8	5.5	5.5	5.4
Muncie	56.4	55.6	55.8	55.4	3.3	3.5	3.3	3.7	5.8	6.2	6.0	6.7

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	2004	2005	2004	2005 ^p	2004	2005	2004	2005 ^p	2004	2005	2004	2005 ^p
Indiana—Continued												
South Bend-Mishawaka	162.0	165.9	163.5	166.8	7.9	8.1	8.8	8.9	4.9	4.9	5.4	5.4
Terre Haute	81.0	81.2	81.6	81.9	5.7	5.2	5.4	5.2	7.0	6.4	6.6	6.3
Iowa	1,632.3	1,652.7	1,639.8	1,671.5	76.9	73.1	73.5	67.9	4.7	4.4	4.5	4.1
Ames	44.8	45.4	45.1	46.0	1.6	1.6	1.5	1.4	3.6	3.6	3.3	3.0
Cedar Rapids	137.1	137.2	137.6	138.1	6.8	6.3	6.4	5.6	4.9	4.6	4.7	4.1
Des Moines	290.0	297.3	295.8	299.7	13.3	12.3	12.4	11.0	4.6	4.1	4.2	3.7
Dubuque	49.3	50.1	49.5	50.4	2.2	2.4	2.1	2.0	4.5	4.8	4.2	4.0
Iowa City	98.2	100.0	97.7	100.9	3.2	2.9	3.2	2.7	3.3	2.9	3.3	2.7
Sioux City	74.5	74.7	75.2	75.1	3.8	3.8	3.7	3.5	5.2	5.1	4.9	4.7
Waterloo-Cedar Falls	89.8	90.9	90.5	92.1	4.3	4.2	4.0	3.6	4.8	4.6	4.5	3.9
Kansas	1,482.2	1,485.5	1,488.4	1,494.0	85.4	79.2	87.3	80.9	5.8	5.3	5.9	5.4
Lawrence	63.6	63.4	62.3	63.0	2.8	2.7	2.9	2.7	4.4	4.2	4.7	4.3
Topeka	126.3	125.4	126.5	126.5	7.7	7.0	8.1	7.1	6.1	5.6	6.4	5.6
Wichita	304.6	303.1	311.0	308.0	19.6	17.4	20.1	18.8	6.4	5.7	6.5	6.1
Kentucky	2,009.9	2,027.9	2,000.3	2,024.4	111.0	121.1	105.0	119.2	5.5	6.0	5.2	5.9
Bowling Green	57.3	59.1	57.2	59.0	2.8	3.2	2.5	3.2	4.9	5.4	4.4	5.4
Elizabethtown	53.4	53.9	53.9	54.1	2.9	3.4	3.4	3.4	5.5	6.3	6.3	6.2
Lexington-Fayette	229.8	232.8	224.3	230.6	10.2	11.1	8.8	10.6	4.4	4.8	3.9	4.6
Louisville	616.5	621.1	608.6	619.1	32.7	35.6	31.0	35.4	5.3	5.7	5.1	5.7
Owensboro	55.5	56.5	54.9	56.4	3.1	3.5	2.9	3.3	5.7	6.2	5.3	5.9
Louisiana	2,092.6	2,155.2	2,094.3	2,146.1	143.6	138.5	132.5	132.0	6.9	6.4	6.3	6.1
Alexandria	66.6	67.4	65.7	67.1	4.7	4.7	4.3	4.3	7.0	6.9	6.6	6.5
Baton Rouge	357.2	362.0	358.0	361.1	26.4	24.3	24.2	22.5	7.4	6.7	6.8	6.2
Houma-Bayou Cane-Thibodaux	93.8	96.7	95.9	97.1	5.8	5.5	5.5	4.9	6.1	5.7	5.7	5.1
Lafayette	123.2	126.1	123.8	125.4	6.9	6.9	6.5	6.2	5.6	5.5	5.2	5.0
Lake Charles	92.2	96.8	92.7	96.2	6.4	6.1	5.7	5.7	6.9	6.3	6.1	5.9
Monroe	84.3	86.5	85.5	86.3	5.6	5.9	5.3	5.4	6.7	6.8	6.2	6.2
New Orleans-Metairie-Kenner	627.0	640.3	622.1	642.3	35.2	35.6	31.9	36.1	5.6	5.6	5.1	5.6
Shreveport-Bossier City	178.0	183.1	180.5	185.0	12.7	12.4	11.9	12.2	7.1	6.7	6.6	6.6
Maine	710.2	719.0	717.3	730.3	31.3	31.7	30.1	33.2	4.4	4.4	4.2	4.5
Bangor	71.3	70.8	71.0	71.2	3.2	3.1	3.1	3.3	4.5	4.3	4.4	4.6
Lewiston-Auburn	56.3	57.0	56.3	57.3	2.4	2.6	2.4	2.7	4.3	4.6	4.2	4.8
Portland-South Portland-Biddeford	205.7	210.5	211.7	215.4	7.1	7.3	6.8	7.6	3.5	3.5	3.2	3.5
Maryland	2,908.1	2,967.0	2,935.7	2,993.2	128.8	128.4	130.7	133.5	4.4	4.3	4.5	4.5
Baltimore-Towson	1,355.5	1,381.0	1,368.5	1,390.3	64.9	64.0	66.5	67.8	4.8	4.6	4.9	4.9
Cumberland	45.9	45.9	45.0	45.9	2.9	2.8	2.8	2.8	6.4	6.1	6.2	6.2
Hagerstown-Martinsburg	117.6	118.7	117.3	119.1	5.3	4.9	5.1	5.1	4.5	4.2	4.4	4.2
Salisbury	62.0	63.1	62.9	63.9	2.8	2.8	2.8	2.9	4.5	4.4	4.5	4.5
Massachusetts	3,436.5	3,413.0	3,439.7	3,430.2	186.4	163.6	183.7	166.6	5.4	4.8	5.3	4.9
Barnstable Town	144.6	144.5	151.7	151.6	6.3	5.7	6.0	5.6	4.3	3.9	3.9	3.7
Boston-Cambridge-Quincy	2,476.4	2,463.3	2,475.5	2,475.3	131.5	114.3	127.8	114.5	5.3	4.6	5.2	4.6
Leominster-Fitchburg-Gardner	74.7	74.1	74.2	74.0	4.9	4.5	5.1	4.9	6.6	6.1	6.9	6.7
New Bedford	84.9	84.2	84.9	84.5	5.6	5.1	5.7	5.2	6.6	6.0	6.7	6.1
Pittsfield	39.7	39.2	40.5	40.2	1.9	1.7	1.8	1.7	4.7	4.3	4.4	4.2
Springfield	347.9	344.9	344.0	342.9	20.4	18.4	20.2	18.9	5.9	5.3	5.9	5.5
Worcester	293.7	291.2	291.7	290.2	16.7	14.5	16.5	14.8	5.7	5.0	5.6	5.1
Michigan	5,129.0	5,151.2	5,157.4	5,188.1	372.8	357.0	405.3	393.6	7.3	6.9	7.9	7.6
Ann Arbor	189.0	191.8	186.3	190.5	9.4	8.5	9.3	9.2	5.0	4.4	5.0	4.8
Battle Creek	74.2	74.7	73.9	74.4	5.4	4.9	5.9	5.5	7.3	6.5	8.0	7.4
Bay City	57.9	57.0	58.5	57.9	4.6	3.9	4.8	4.2	8.0	6.8	8.1	7.3
Detroit-Warren-Livonia	2,217.3	2,218.4	2,233.5	2,232.6	161.9	170.1	175.6	181.5	7.3	7.7	7.9	8.1
Flint	215.5	215.9	216.0	217.3	18.2	16.8	21.7	20.6	8.5	7.8	10.0	9.5
Grand Rapids-Wyoming	406.4	407.6	407.2	411.4	29.9	25.1	32.7	28.1	7.4	6.2	8.0	6.8
Holland-Grand Haven	134.6	134.5	135.1	135.3	8.1	7.2	8.6	7.9	6.0	5.3	6.4	5.9
Jackson	80.2	80.4	80.2	81.1	6.3	5.3	6.8	6.0	7.9	6.6	8.5	7.4
Kalamazoo-Portage	172.7	175.8	172.2	174.7	11.5	10.0	12.1	11.0	6.7	5.7	7.0	6.3
Lansing-East Lansing	249.9	252.6	252.8	256.8	15.7	15.9	17.8	17.9	6.3	6.3	7.1	7.0
Monroe	79.1	80.0	77.7	78.6	5.4	4.7	6.0	6.0	6.9	5.9	7.7	7.7
Muskegon-Norton Shores	91.4	92.1	91.5	93.7	7.4	6.3	8.2	7.5	8.1	6.9	8.9	8.0
Niles-Benton Harbor	79.8	79.9	79.0	79.8	6.5	5.6	6.9	6.2	8.1	7.0	8.8	7.8
Saginaw-Saginaw Township North	102.1	101.7	103.8	93.3	8.0	10.3	9.0	9.2	7.9	9.9	8.6	8.6
Minnesota	2,985.6	2,990.2	2,992.8	2,987.3	146.5	116.0	135.2	101.1	4.9	3.9	4.5	3.4
Duluth	146.2	146.0	147.0	145.9	9.0	7.1	8.1	6.1	6.2	4.9	5.5	4.2
Minneapolis-St. Paul-Bloomington	1,862.1	1,863.4	1,871.1	1,875.5	89.7	70.5	83.7	62.3	4.8	3.8	4.5	3.3
Rochester	105.0	106.6	106.2	107.3	4.5	3.6	4.1	3.1	4.2	3.4	3.9	2.9
St. Cloud	103.8	103.0	104.5	103.8	5.0	4.0	4.5	3.5	4.8	3.9	4.3	3.3

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(Numbers in thousands)

State and area	Civilian labor force				Unemployed							
					Number				Percent of labor force			
	June		July		June		July		June		July	
	2004	2005	2004	2005 ^p	2004	2005	2004	2005 ^p	2004	2005	2004	2005 ^p
Mississippi	1,345.1	1,363.9	1,351.1	1,361.7	92.2	108.2	90.2	91.8	6.9	7.9	6.7	6.7
Gulfport-Biloxi	122.4	121.5	122.7	120.6	7.0	8.5	6.6	7.0	5.7	7.0	5.3	5.8
Hattiesburg	62.9	63.6	63.0	63.5	3.7	4.4	3.5	3.7	5.9	6.9	5.5	5.8
Jackson	266.0	265.0	265.2	265.4	15.4	18.2	14.6	15.3	5.8	6.9	5.5	5.7
Pascagoula	70.9	72.2	71.0	72.2	4.9	5.5	4.7	4.6	6.9	7.7	6.7	6.4
Missouri	3,084.1	3,076.7	3,075.2	3,071.1	190.1	174.2	189.4	173.5	6.2	5.7	6.2	5.6
Columbia	90.9	91.4	90.5	91.0	4.0	3.8	3.8	3.5	4.4	4.1	4.2	3.9
Jefferson City	81.3	80.5	81.0	81.1	4.0	4.0	3.9	3.9	4.9	4.9	4.8	4.8
Joplin	85.0	84.9	85.7	85.3	5.1	4.7	4.8	4.4	6.0	5.5	5.6	5.1
Kansas City	1,047.7	1,050.4	1,054.0	1,055.3	67.5	61.6	66.7	60.8	6.4	5.9	6.3	5.8
St. Joseph	67.8	66.6	66.5	66.3	4.3	4.0	4.2	3.8	6.4	5.9	6.3	5.7
St. Louis ¹	1,471.9	1,477.5	1,473.4	1,476.3	94.8	86.2	96.7	88.8	6.4	5.8	6.6	6.0
Springfield	213.7	215.0	216.2	217.8	11.2	10.2	10.4	9.4	5.2	4.7	4.8	4.3
Montana	489.6	500.0	494.3	501.7	21.7	22.1	19.0	19.0	4.4	4.4	3.8	3.8
Billings	82.4	83.9	83.4	85.3	3.2	3.3	2.8	2.8	3.9	3.9	3.4	3.3
Great Falls	39.5	40.5	39.5	41.1	1.8	1.9	1.5	1.6	4.4	4.6	3.8	3.9
Missoula	57.0	58.2	57.5	59.3	2.3	2.4	2.0	2.2	4.1	4.0	3.5	3.7
Nebraska	996.4	994.2	1,002.6	1,002.7	39.7	39.0	40.0	41.7	4.0	3.9	4.0	4.2
Lincoln	165.9	167.6	167.4	171.1	5.8	5.9	6.0	6.4	3.5	3.5	3.6	3.8
Omaha-Council Bluffs	442.1	447.2	448.2	455.5	19.9	20.1	19.8	20.7	4.5	4.5	4.4	4.5
Nevada	1,178.5	1,220.8	1,183.9	1,221.9	53.1	49.7	52.3	52.2	4.5	4.1	4.4	4.3
Carson City	27.4	27.4	27.5	27.3	1.4	1.2	1.3	1.2	5.0	4.3	4.7	4.5
Las Vegas-Paradise	825.5	864.7	829.9	865.6	37.7	35.3	37.3	37.3	4.6	4.1	4.5	4.3
Reno-Sparks	209.0	212.4	210.2	212.9	8.6	8.0	8.4	8.2	4.1	3.8	4.0	3.9
New Hampshire	728.7	740.4	735.9	748.1	28.9	26.1	27.5	25.9	4.0	3.5	3.7	3.5
Manchester	105.5	107.0	105.8	108.6	4.0	3.7	3.9	3.7	3.8	3.5	3.6	3.4
Portsmouth	44.3	45.2	44.6	46.3	1.7	1.5	1.6	1.5	3.7	3.3	3.5	3.2
Rochester-Dover	80.1	81.3	79.8	82.8	2.9	2.8	2.9	2.8	3.6	3.4	3.6	3.3
New Jersey	4,419.7	4,465.4	4,460.9	4,512.1	220.5	181.2	237.4	202.8	5.0	4.1	5.3	4.5
Atlantic City	137.2	136.9	141.3	141.5	7.5	6.3	8.1	7.2	5.5	4.6	5.7	5.1
Ocean City	63.7	64.3	70.8	71.2	3.2	2.7	3.1	2.8	5.0	4.2	4.4	3.9
Trenton-Ewing	191.4	194.6	193.0	196.7	8.4	7.0	9.1	7.9	4.4	3.6	4.7	4.0
Vineland-Millville-Bridgeton	69.7	70.5	69.3	69.8	4.5	3.8	4.9	4.3	6.5	5.4	7.0	6.2
New Mexico	919.6	950.7	922.3	952.0	59.5	61.1	55.5	59.8	6.5	6.4	6.0	6.3
Albuquerque	394.2	410.3	395.9	410.9	23.4	24.5	22.0	24.2	5.9	6.0	5.6	5.9
Farmington	54.0	56.8	53.8	56.1	3.9	3.9	3.7	3.8	7.2	6.9	6.9	6.7
Las Cruces	82.5	85.6	82.5	85.9	5.9	6.0	5.6	5.9	7.2	7.0	6.8	6.9
Santa Fe	76.5	80.1	77.6	80.5	3.8	4.0	3.5	3.9	4.9	5.0	4.5	4.9
New York	9,402.3	9,443.0	9,528.9	9,586.1	551.7	447.2	559.4	495.4	5.9	4.7	5.9	5.2
Albany-Schenectady-Troy	456.2	464.4	462.1	470.3	19.5	17.9	19.1	19.1	4.3	3.9	4.1	4.1
Binghamton	124.4	123.7	123.0	123.1	6.6	5.8	6.3	6.1	5.3	4.7	5.1	5.0
Buffalo-Niagara Falls	590.6	591.8	594.0	597.5	33.7	31.2	34.5	33.7	5.7	5.3	5.8	5.6
Elmira	41.0	40.2	41.1	40.3	2.5	2.1	2.4	2.1	6.1	5.2	5.9	5.2
Glens Falls	70.0	71.5	71.9	73.1	2.9	2.8	2.8	2.8	4.2	3.9	4.0	3.9
Ithaca	52.2	52.9	53.3	54.0	2.1	1.8	2.0	1.8	4.1	3.3	3.8	3.4
Kingston	92.4	94.3	92.8	94.5	4.5	3.8	4.5	4.1	4.9	4.0	4.9	4.3
New York-Northern New Jersey-Long Island	9,118.2	9,165.9	9,237.3	9,298.2	531.1	418.4	553.7	471.9	5.8	4.6	6.0	5.1
New York City	3,705.4	3,697.6	3,764.2	3,766.4	270.0	196.0	278.3	224.6	7.3	5.3	7.4	6.0
Poughkeepsie-Newburgh-Middletown	324.1	329.3	328.2	332.7	14.8	13.0	14.5	14.0	4.6	4.0	4.4	4.2
Rochester	537.6	531.3	541.3	535.8	28.4	24.9	28.5	26.8	5.3	4.7	5.3	5.0
Syracuse	331.5	334.8	332.0	338.4	18.4	16.3	18.2	17.1	5.6	4.9	5.5	5.1
Utica-Rome	143.8	144.1	146.4	146.9	7.3	6.8	7.1	7.2	5.1	4.8	4.9	4.9
North Carolina	4,283.1	4,348.6	4,305.1	4,397.6	251.6	240.6	242.1	258.5	5.9	5.5	5.6	5.9
Asheville	197.3	200.7	198.6	200.9	8.9	9.1	8.4	9.6	4.5	4.6	4.2	4.8
Burlington	69.6	70.0	69.4	71.1	4.6	4.3	4.4	4.6	6.7	6.2	6.3	6.5
Charlotte-Gastonia-Concord	780.1	804.5	784.4	814.9	46.5	43.0	44.5	44.7	6.0	5.3	5.7	5.5
Durham	244.3	246.9	245.7	250.1	11.7	11.4	11.1	12.3	4.8	4.6	4.5	4.9
Fayetteville	141.4	143.0	139.6	142.2	8.7	9.2	8.2	9.7	6.1	6.4	5.9	6.8
Goldsboro	51.6	52.0	52.2	52.9	3.0	2.9	3.4	3.4	5.9	5.7	6.4	6.5
Greensboro-High Point	361.0	366.0	362.5	370.5	21.8	20.3	21.2	22.2	6.0	5.6	5.9	6.0
Greenville	81.1	83.5	81.3	83.2	5.1	5.4	5.0	5.7	6.3	6.4	6.2	6.8
Hickory-Lenoir-Morganton	179.4	180.4	181.8	186.4	12.3	12.2	12.5	15.5	6.9	6.7	6.9	8.3
Jacksonville	55.2	56.6	55.6	57.1	3.4	3.4	3.1	3.5	6.1	6.0	5.6	6.1
Raleigh-Cary	489.0	499.0	493.0	504.5	23.2	22.1	21.9	23.1	4.7	4.4	4.4	4.6
Rocky Mount	68.8	68.4	69.6	69.5	5.3	5.1	5.2	5.5	7.7	7.5	7.5	7.9
Wilmington	155.8	160.2	157.1	160.9	7.7	7.5	7.2	7.7	5.0	4.7	4.6	4.8
Winston-Salem	229.7	236.4	230.2	237.9	12.6	11.8	11.8	12.3	5.5	5.0	5.1	5.2

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	2004	2005	2004	2005 ^p	2004	2005	2004	2005 ^p	2004	2005	2004	2005 ^p
North Dakota	364.4	365.5	364.9	366.6	13.9	13.9	12.0	12.1	3.8	3.8	3.3	3.3
Bismarck	60.1	61.7	61.0	62.2	1.9	2.0	1.6	1.7	3.2	3.2	2.7	2.8
Fargo	113.4	114.6	115.5	116.0	3.7	3.5	3.2	2.9	3.3	3.0	2.7	2.5
Grand Forks	54.8	55.0	54.6	54.9	2.4	2.2	2.1	1.8	4.4	4.1	3.8	3.3
Ohio	5,939.9	5,962.7	5,981.3	5,979.1	378.5	371.8	378.1	339.7	6.4	6.2	6.3	5.7
Akron	373.9	374.1	375.8	377.1	23.0	22.5	22.7	20.3	6.2	6.0	6.0	5.4
Canton-Massillon	205.8	208.2	207.3	208.5	14.0	13.5	13.5	12.0	6.8	6.5	6.5	5.7
Cincinnati-Middletown	1,098.2	1,103.7	1,101.8	1,106.7	61.5	63.1	58.9	56.3	5.6	5.7	5.3	5.1
Cleveland-Elyria-Mentor	1,117.7	1,115.8	1,126.3	1,115.6	69.4	70.6	67.4	64.4	6.2	6.3	6.0	5.8
Columbus	923.4	931.1	930.1	935.2	52.7	52.2	51.4	45.5	5.7	5.6	5.5	4.9
Dayton	429.9	427.5	433.1	429.1	27.8	27.4	28.7	25.6	6.5	6.4	6.6	6.0
Lima	53.0	53.0	53.4	53.3	3.6	3.3	3.9	3.2	6.8	6.3	7.3	5.9
Mansfield	64.1	63.8	63.8	63.3	4.7	4.4	4.6	4.0	7.4	6.8	7.3	6.3
Sandusky	46.8	46.2	47.2	46.9	2.7	2.6	2.8	2.5	5.8	5.7	6.0	5.2
Springfield	71.6	70.9	71.7	71.1	5.0	4.8	5.0	4.3	7.0	6.7	7.0	6.0
Toledo	337.4	338.1	341.1	340.6	24.7	23.0	25.9	23.0	7.3	6.8	7.6	6.7
Weirton-Steubenville	58.6	58.6	58.3	58.2	4.9	4.1	4.6	4.5	8.4	7.0	7.8	7.8
Youngstown-Warren-Boardman	282.0	279.2	286.7	282.0	20.5	19.4	23.0	19.6	7.3	7.0	8.0	7.0
Oklahoma	1,733.0	1,745.6	1,722.2	1,742.2	91.4	79.3	78.3	72.9	5.3	4.5	4.5	4.2
Lawton	47.1	47.6	46.6	48.2	2.2	2.3	1.9	2.1	4.8	4.8	4.1	4.4
Oklahoma City	581.1	593.5	578.6	593.4	29.6	26.8	24.2	23.7	5.1	4.5	4.2	4.0
Tulsa	449.2	451.4	448.2	454.9	23.2	19.7	20.4	18.7	5.2	4.4	4.5	4.1
Oregon	1,872.7	1,881.5	1,874.9	1,889.8	142.6	122.2	135.0	120.5	7.6	6.5	7.2	6.4
Bend	71.5	73.7	72.0	74.7	4.6	4.1	4.3	4.1	6.5	5.5	6.0	5.5
Corvallis	43.1	42.8	41.8	42.2	2.4	2.3	2.3	2.2	5.6	5.3	5.4	5.3
Eugene-Springfield	173.6	175.1	170.4	172.8	13.2	11.6	12.5	11.3	7.6	6.6	7.4	6.5
Medford	98.4	99.4	97.0	98.8	7.3	6.4	7.0	6.4	7.4	6.5	7.2	6.5
Portland-Vancouver-Beaverton	1,092.8	1,102.4	1,093.6	1,109.5	81.2	69.2	76.9	68.7	7.4	6.3	7.0	6.2
Salem	188.6	189.1	194.3	193.6	14.2	12.6	13.4	12.5	7.6	6.7	6.9	6.4
Pennsylvania	6,307.6	6,357.2	6,380.2	6,426.3	369.8	329.4	360.7	334.6	5.9	5.2	5.7	5.2
Allentown-Bethlehem-Easton	409.8	413.5	409.9	417.4	22.6	20.2	22.6	20.9	5.5	4.9	5.5	5.0
Altoona	66.2	66.8	67.3	67.3	3.6	3.6	3.5	3.5	5.5	5.4	5.2	5.3
Erie	141.1	142.5	144.0	145.6	9.2	8.0	9.0	8.4	6.5	5.6	6.3	5.8
Harrisburg-Carlisle	282.0	284.9	287.3	289.6	13.8	12.2	13.2	12.3	4.9	4.3	4.6	4.3
Johnstown	67.9	68.9	68.4	69.3	5.0	4.5	4.8	4.6	7.4	6.5	7.1	6.6
Lancaster	269.8	272.3	272.9	274.3	11.6	10.8	11.1	11.0	4.3	4.0	4.1	4.0
Lebanon	70.4	71.2	71.2	71.5	3.0	2.7	2.9	2.7	4.2	3.8	4.1	3.8
Philadelphia-Camden-Wilmington	2,922.5	2,962.2	2,954.8	2,992.6	162.7	143.9	163.3	149.1	5.6	4.9	5.5	5.0
Pittsburgh	1,229.7	1,230.1	1,240.4	1,246.4	74.6	67.0	72.9	68.1	6.1	5.4	5.9	5.5
Reading	198.6	201.8	199.7	203.1	11.2	10.3	10.6	10.4	5.6	5.1	5.3	5.1
Scranton-Wilkes-Barre	279.1	279.7	283.3	283.3	19.2	16.5	18.7	16.6	6.9	5.9	6.6	5.9
State College	69.7	70.2	70.8	71.1	3.3	2.9	3.2	3.0	4.8	4.2	4.6	4.2
Williamsport	60.6	61.0	61.4	61.6	4.0	3.4	3.7	3.4	6.5	5.6	6.1	5.5
York-Hanover	216.1	221.2	220.0	223.1	10.7	10.0	10.5	10.1	4.9	4.5	4.8	4.5
Rhode Island	566.1	573.7	569.4	578.1	30.6	28.4	30.5	31.0	5.4	5.0	5.4	5.4
Providence-Fall River-Warwick	703.0	708.8	704.4	712.3	39.1	36.0	39.6	39.4	5.6	5.1	5.6	5.5
South Carolina	2,082.2	2,099.8	2,080.4	2,106.4	151.4	137.6	147.1	132.5	7.3	6.6	7.1	6.3
Anderson	84.0	85.1	84.5	85.5	6.3	6.2	6.2	5.9	7.5	7.3	7.3	6.9
Charleston-North Charleston	293.9	303.2	298.4	307.6	17.5	16.1	17.1	15.5	6.0	5.3	5.7	5.0
Columbia	354.0	354.6	356.0	357.9	21.7	20.0	21.1	19.2	6.1	5.7	5.9	5.4
Florence	96.8	99.6	95.4	98.6	8.3	8.2	8.1	7.8	8.6	8.2	8.5	7.9
Greenville	298.1	302.3	298.8	305.4	19.7	16.9	19.2	16.6	6.6	5.6	6.4	5.4
Myrtle Beach-Conway-North Myrtle Beach	125.1	126.3	123.5	126.0	6.4	5.7	6.0	5.4	5.1	4.5	4.9	4.3
Spartanburg	132.9	133.4	131.0	132.8	11.3	10.0	10.8	9.6	8.5	7.5	8.2	7.2
Sumter	46.1	46.6	45.9	46.0	3.8	4.1	3.9	3.9	8.3	8.7	8.5	8.5
South Dakota	435.8	438.5	438.2	441.7	15.5	16.5	15.0	16.6	3.5	3.8	3.4	3.8
Rapid City	67.1	68.6	68.1	70.2	2.2	2.4	2.1	2.4	3.3	3.5	3.1	3.4
Sioux Falls	119.6	123.7	120.4	123.7	3.9	3.9	3.7	3.9	3.3	3.2	3.1	3.1
Tennessee	2,939.2	2,915.9	2,943.7	2,914.9	162.5	185.0	161.9	162.6	5.5	6.3	5.5	5.6
Chattanooga	250.0	249.6	250.2	251.0	11.7	13.6	11.2	12.3	4.7	5.5	4.5	4.9
Clarksville	105.1	105.3	104.6	105.7	5.8	6.7	6.0	6.5	5.5	6.4	5.8	6.1
Cleveland	53.8	53.0	53.7	52.6	2.9	3.4	2.8	2.8	5.3	6.3	5.2	5.3
Jackson	54.9	53.9	55.3	54.3	3.1	3.5	3.1	3.0	5.7	6.4	5.6	5.5
Johnson City	94.0	93.7	95.1	94.0	5.2	5.6	5.4	4.7	5.6	6.0	5.7	4.9
Kingsport-Bristol-Bristol	141.9	141.2	142.4	140.9	8.6	8.4	8.6	7.7	6.0	5.9	6.1	5.4
Knoxville	342.5	339.9	342.7	339.5	14.4	16.9	13.9	13.9	4.2	5.0	4.1	4.1
Memphis	604.9	603.3	604.7	601.1	37.3	43.4	36.2	36.7	6.2	7.2	6.0	6.1
Morristown	63.6	64.0	62.6	63.0	3.8	4.1	3.8	3.5	6.0	6.4	6.1	5.6
Nashville-Davidson—Murfreesboro	739.8	734.5	742.4	738.0	32.8	37.7	30.9	31.5	4.4	5.1	4.2	4.3

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(Numbers in thousands)

State and area	Civilian labor force				Unemployed							
					Number				Percent of labor force			
	June		July		June		July		June		July	
	2004	2005	2004	2005 ^p	2004	2005	2004	2005 ^p	2004	2005	2004	2005 ^p
Texas	11,090.0	11,246.7	11,111.2	11,289.8	725.0	612.0	702.4	590.4	6.5	5.4	6.3	5.2
Abilene	81.1	83.1	79.6	83.5	4.3	3.6	4.0	3.5	5.3	4.4	5.0	4.2
Amarillo	129.8	131.1	129.5	131.8	6.2	5.3	5.9	5.1	4.7	4.1	4.6	3.9
Austin-Round Rock	780.2	799.9	784.4	805.5	41.9	35.5	40.6	34.4	5.4	4.4	5.2	4.3
Beaumont-Port Arthur	179.8	180.7	180.1	180.8	16.2	13.3	16.0	12.8	9.0	7.4	8.9	7.1
Brownsville-Harlingen	144.4	146.7	143.5	146.8	13.3	11.2	12.6	10.6	9.2	7.7	8.8	7.2
College Station-Bryan	98.0	100.1	99.4	102.1	5.0	4.2	4.8	4.0	5.1	4.2	4.8	4.0
Corpus Christi	198.6	199.7	198.2	198.5	14.7	12.4	14.1	11.7	7.4	6.2	7.1	5.9
Dallas-Fort Worth-Arlington	2,973.2	3,019.6	2,992.4	3,033.1	186.8	157.5	181.0	152.6	6.3	5.2	6.1	5.0
El Paso	288.2	294.0	289.8	294.8	23.9	21.6	23.0	20.5	8.3	7.3	7.9	7.0
Houston-Baytown-Sugar Land	2,581.1	2,616.1	2,588.5	2,619.1	175.9	145.2	170.9	139.2	6.8	5.5	6.6	5.3
Killeen-Temple-Fort Hood	146.3	149.9	147.5	151.0	9.2	8.2	8.6	7.8	6.3	5.5	5.8	5.2
Laredo	83.4	85.8	83.1	85.2	6.4	5.6	6.1	5.3	7.6	6.5	7.3	6.2
Longview	99.8	102.5	101.2	103.5	6.4	5.3	6.5	5.3	6.4	5.1	6.4	5.2
Lubbock	141.0	142.2	141.4	143.4	7.5	6.4	7.2	6.2	5.3	4.5	5.1	4.3
McAllen-Edinburg-Pharr	254.9	263.5	249.6	259.0	24.1	21.2	23.5	20.1	9.4	8.0	9.4	7.7
Midland	65.2	65.6	64.9	66.5	3.3	2.7	3.1	2.6	5.0	4.1	4.7	3.8
Odessa	62.0	61.6	61.8	61.8	4.1	3.2	3.9	3.0	6.6	5.1	6.3	4.8
San Angelo	53.6	54.6	53.7	55.3	2.9	2.4	2.7	2.4	5.4	4.4	5.1	4.2
San Antonio	889.1	904.3	889.9	906.8	54.5	46.0	52.8	44.8	6.1	5.1	5.9	4.9
Sherman-Denison	57.0	58.7	57.1	59.1	3.7	3.1	3.5	2.9	6.5	5.3	6.1	5.0
Texarkana	61.7	63.1	61.2	63.3	3.9	3.3	3.7	3.2	6.4	5.2	6.1	5.1
Tyler	94.5	96.3	95.3	97.6	5.2	4.8	5.6	5.2	5.5	5.0	5.9	5.3
Victoria	56.9	57.5	56.5	57.7	3.5	2.9	3.4	2.8	6.2	5.1	6.1	4.9
Waco	109.5	112.9	110.4	113.9	6.4	5.9	6.3	5.7	5.9	5.3	5.7	5.0
Wichita Falls	75.0	76.0	74.7	76.6	4.2	3.7	4.0	3.5	5.6	4.9	5.4	4.6
Utah	1,208.6	1,244.7	1,210.7	1,249.7	67.5	60.8	64.1	58.5	5.6	4.9	5.3	4.7
Logan	61.5	63.3	59.2	61.5	2.6	2.5	2.5	2.5	4.2	4.0	4.2	4.0
Ogden-Clearfield	238.8	245.2	240.3	246.4	13.3	12.2	12.9	11.8	5.6	5.0	5.4	4.8
Provo-Orem	194.7	202.3	193.8	201.5	10.3	9.4	9.8	9.1	5.3	4.7	5.0	4.5
St. George	50.9	54.9	50.9	54.7	2.4	2.2	2.3	2.1	4.7	4.1	4.5	3.9
Salt Lake City	532.3	550.6	538.8	556.7	30.9	27.2	29.2	26.3	5.8	4.9	5.4	4.7
Vermont	356.6	356.1	358.0	357.5	12.5	11.8	11.7	11.8	3.5	3.3	3.3	3.3
Burlington-South Burlington	114.3	113.6	115.5	114.1	3.7	3.6	3.5	3.6	3.3	3.2	3.0	3.1
Virginia	3,847.3	3,954.1	3,871.2	3,981.9	153.0	150.8	146.9	139.3	4.0	3.8	3.8	3.5
Blacksburg-Christiansburg-Radford	75.7	76.4	76.4	77.0	3.5	3.2	3.3	3.0	4.6	4.1	4.3	3.9
Charlottesville	94.5	96.1	94.9	96.9	3.4	3.4	3.1	2.9	3.6	3.5	3.2	2.9
Danville	52.9	53.1	52.4	51.6	4.0	4.2	4.6	4.4	7.6	7.9	8.8	8.5
Harrisonburg	62.1	64.4	62.7	65.5	2.0	2.2	1.9	1.9	3.2	3.4	3.1	2.8
Lynchburg	113.7	115.7	113.9	116.5	5.4	5.1	5.0	4.7	4.7	4.4	4.4	4.0
Richmond	606.1	626.1	606.8	629.9	25.5	25.0	24.3	23.2	4.2	4.0	4.0	3.7
Roanoke	148.6	152.6	149.2	153.6	5.9	5.6	5.6	5.4	4.0	3.7	3.7	3.5
Virginia Beach-Norfolk-Newport News	786.6	804.0	793.8	810.2	34.5	35.5	33.9	33.3	4.4	4.4	4.3	4.1
Winchester	61.4	63.0	61.1	64.2	2.1	2.0	2.1	1.8	3.4	3.2	3.4	2.7
Washington	3,245.1	3,299.0	3,255.7	3,322.5	203.6	179.5	187.3	177.1	6.3	5.4	5.8	5.3
Bellingham	100.7	105.0	101.6	106.3	6.1	5.3	5.6	5.1	6.0	5.0	5.5	4.8
Bremerton-Silverdale	119.6	123.0	120.4	124.3	7.7	6.7	7.0	6.4	6.5	5.5	5.8	5.2
Kennewick-Richland-Pasco	122.1	125.7	118.2	121.1	7.2	6.7	6.5	6.8	5.9	5.3	5.5	5.6
Longview	43.7	44.6	43.4	44.5	3.8	3.3	3.5	3.1	8.7	7.3	8.0	6.9
Mount Vernon-Anacortes	56.4	58.2	58.4	60.2	3.9	3.3	3.6	3.2	6.9	5.7	6.1	5.4
Olympia	120.1	123.6	119.6	124.1	7.3	6.3	6.7	6.2	6.0	5.1	5.6	5.0
Seattle-Tacoma-Bellevue	1,690.0	1,717.1	1,694.4	1,734.6	98.4	87.2	90.5	86.0	5.8	5.1	5.3	5.0
Spokane	223.2	225.1	218.7	223.9	14.7	12.6	13.5	12.3	6.6	5.6	6.2	5.5
Wenatchee	65.5	66.5	71.1	68.6	3.6	3.0	3.4	2.9	5.5	4.5	4.7	4.2
Yakima	130.2	128.3	128.6	125.7	10.0	7.9	9.3	8.4	7.7	6.1	7.2	6.7
West Virginia	804.1	805.1	803.4	810.6	45.8	40.2	40.6	42.4	5.7	5.0	5.0	5.2
Charleston	142.0	142.4	142.1	143.6	7.7	7.1	6.6	7.4	5.4	5.0	4.6	5.1
Huntington-Ashland	131.8	131.3	131.1	131.2	8.0	7.5	7.1	7.0	6.1	5.7	5.4	5.3
Morgantown	57.1	58.0	57.7	58.4	2.4	2.2	2.1	4.2	3.8	3.6	3.6	3.6
Parkersburg-Marietta	81.3	81.0	80.9	81.6	5.1	4.8	4.6	4.6	6.3	5.9	5.7	5.6
Wheeling	68.7	69.5	69.1	70.2	4.3	3.9	3.7	6.3	5.6	5.6	5.6	5.2
Wisconsin	3,117.2	3,093.0	3,115.6	3,081.7	161.2	148.3	150.6	140.8	5.2	4.8	4.8	4.6
Appleton	123.8	123.5	123.7	123.5	5.9	5.7	5.3	5.1	4.8	4.6	4.3	4.1
Eau Claire	87.5	85.6	87.4	85.8	4.4	4.0	3.8	3.5	5.0	4.7	4.3	4.1
Fond du Lac	58.0	58.7	58.6	58.6	2.9	2.8	2.6	2.6	4.9	4.7	4.5	4.4
Green Bay	174.2	171.8	174.7	170.5	8.7	8.0	7.8	7.2	5.0	4.7	4.5	4.2
Janesville	85.6	85.9	86.8	88.2	5.0	4.5	5.8	7.5	5.9	5.2	6.7	8.5
La Crosse	75.5	74.8	75.4	74.4	3.3	3.0	3.0	2.7	4.4	4.1	3.9	3.7
Madison	335.5	334.0	336.8	334.6	12.4	11.9	11.1	10.8	3.7	3.6	3.3	3.2
Milwaukee-Waukesha-West Allis	811.2	807.8	805.2	799.1	47.5	43.0	44.4	40.1	5.8	5.3	5.5	5.0
Oshkosh-Neenah	93.8	94.0	93.6	94.1	4.6	4.4	4.1	3.9	4.9	4.7	4.3	4.2

See footnotes at end of table.

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Table 1. Civilian labor force and unemployment by state and metropolitan area—Continued

(Numbers in thousands)

State and area	Civilian labor force				Unemployed							
					Number				Percent of labor force			
	June		July		June		July		June		July	
	2004	2005	2004	2005 ^p	2004	2005	2004	2005 ^p	2004	2005	2004	2005 ^p
Wisconsin—Continued												
Racine	101.6	100.8	102.6	100.8	6.3	6.2	6.4	5.9	6.2	6.2	6.3	5.9
Sheboygan	66.3	65.6	66.4	65.5	3.1	2.8	3.3	2.8	4.7	4.3	4.9	4.2
Wausau	75.6	75.4	76.0	75.0	3.5	3.2	3.1	2.9	4.6	4.3	4.0	3.8
Wyoming	286.5	291.7	287.3	292.6	10.7	10.3	9.7	10.3	3.7	3.5	3.4	3.5
Casper	39.7	40.8	40.3	41.2	1.5	1.4	1.4	1.4	3.7	3.5	3.4	3.5
Cheyenne	42.4	43.0	43.0	44.0	1.9	1.8	1.8	1.8	4.4	4.1	4.2	4.0
Puerto Rico	1,382.1	1,446.7	1,361.5	1,421.3	142.1	170.5	136.7	169.6	10.3	11.8	10.0	11.9
Aguadilla-Isabela-San Sebastian	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Fajardo	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Guayama	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Mayaguez	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Ponce	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
San German-Cabo Rojo	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
San Juan-Caguas-Guayanabo	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Yauco	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

^p = preliminary.

- Data not available.

¹ Area boundaries do not reflect official OMB definitions.

NOTE: Data refer to place of residence. Data for Puerto Rico are derived from a monthly household survey similar to the Current Population Survey. Area definitions are based on Office of Management and Budget Bulletin No. 04-03, dated February 18, 2004, and are available at <http://www.bls.gov/lau/lausmsa.htm> and in the May issue of *Employment and Earnings*. Areas in the six New England states are

Metropolitan New England City and Town Areas (NECTAs), while areas in other states are county-based. Some metropolitan areas lie in two or more states. They are listed under the state that appears first in their titles. Davenport-Moline-Rock Island, Iowa-Ill., and Weirton-Steubenville, W.Va-OHio, are the exceptions in that they are listed under Illinois and Ohio, respectively, for operational reasons. Estimates for the latest month are revised the following month, and at least 3 years of estimates are subject to revision at the end of the year, to incorporate updated inputs and reestimation.

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Table 2. Civilian labor force and unemployment by state, selected metropolitan area, and metropolitan division¹

(Numbers in thousands)

State, area, and division	Civilian labor force				Unemployed							
					Number				Percent of labor force			
	June		July		June		July		June		July	
	2004	2005	2004	2005P	2004	2005	2004	2005P	2004	2005	2004	2005P
California	17,546.2	17,847.0	17,667.7	17,942.9	1,131.8	970.6	1,153.0	971.5	6.5	5.4	6.5	5.4
Los Angeles-Long Beach-Santa Ana	6,364.0	6,497.2	6,428.6	6,540.1	404.3	338.5	418.4	343.5	6.4	5.2	6.5	5.3
Los Angeles-Long Beach-Glendale	4,782.8	4,877.6	4,833.7	4,907.4	332.0	275.2	345.0	280.3	6.9	5.6	7.1	5.7
Santa Ana-Anaheim-Irvine	1,581.2	1,619.6	1,594.9	1,632.6	72.3	63.3	73.4	63.2	4.6	3.9	4.6	3.9
San Francisco-Oakland-Fremont	2,169.1	2,205.1	2,184.3	2,219.3	126.9	109.6	129.0	108.6	5.9	5.0	5.9	4.9
Oakland-Fremont-Hayward	1,256.2	1,278.1	1,263.0	1,285.9	76.1	65.8	77.4	65.5	6.1	5.1	6.1	5.1
San Francisco-San Mateo-Redwood City	912.9	927.1	921.4	933.4	50.9	43.8	51.6	43.1	5.6	4.7	5.6	4.6
District of Columbia	300.8	301.3	307.3	308.4	25.7	22.5	28.5	20.0	8.6	7.5	9.3	6.5
Washington-Arlington-Alexandria ²	2,821.4	2,901.4	2,852.2	2,929.2	113.4	109.6	113.3	103.5	4.0	3.8	4.0	3.5
Bethesda-Frederick-Gaithersburg ³	617.5	631.5	624.2	636.4	21.4	21.3	21.8	22.1	3.5	3.4	3.5	3.5
Washington-Arlington-Alexandria ²	2,203.9	2,269.9	2,228.1	2,292.8	92.0	88.3	91.5	81.5	4.2	3.9	4.1	3.6
Florida	8,429.9	8,697.8	8,466.2	8,756.1	434.2	369.2	420.7	353.9	5.2	4.2	5.0	4.0
Miami-Fort Lauderdale-Miami Beach	2,631.9	2,700.1	2,644.3	2,725.6	146.2	120.4	143.5	121.8	5.6	4.5	5.4	4.5
Fort Lauderdale-Pompano Beach-Deerfield Beach	930.8	949.1	926.4	955.0	47.3	39.7	45.1	36.7	5.1	4.2	4.9	3.8
Miami-Miami Beach-Kendall	1,105.3	1,137.3	1,118.6	1,154.7	65.8	52.5	65.0	57.5	6.0	4.6	5.8	5.0
West Palm Beach-Boca Raton-Boynton Beach	595.8	613.7	599.2	615.9	33.1	28.2	33.5	27.6	5.6	4.6	5.6	4.5
Illinois	6,455.6	6,530.7	6,488.6	6,529.2	410.1	407.3	414.8	400.4	6.4	6.2	6.4	6.1
Chicago-Naperville-Joliet ²	4,777.3	4,822.6	4,814.1	4,815.2	301.7	315.9	305.6	307.4	6.3	6.6	6.3	6.4
Chicago-Naperville-Joliet	4,013.7	4,047.9	4,048.5	4,039.5	258.7	277.2	263.9	268.8	6.4	6.8	6.5	6.7
Gary ³	327.8	330.3	328.0	327.8	19.5	18.0	18.1	17.9	5.9	5.5	5.5	5.4
Lake County-Kenosha County ²	435.8	444.4	437.6	447.9	23.5	20.7	23.6	20.7	5.4	4.7	5.4	4.6
Massachusetts	3,436.5	3,413.0	3,439.7	3,430.2	186.4	163.6	183.7	166.6	5.4	4.8	5.3	4.9
Boston-Cambridge-Quincy ²	2,476.4	2,463.3	2,475.5	2,475.3	131.5	114.3	127.8	114.5	5.3	4.6	5.2	4.6
Boston-Cambridge-Quincy	1,493.0	1,484.8	1,494.0	1,491.8	76.8	67.1	73.9	66.3	5.1	4.5	4.9	4.4
Brockton-Bridgewater-Easton	125.5	124.3	125.2	124.8	7.5	6.6	7.5	6.9	6.0	5.3	6.0	5.5
Framingham	144.3	143.9	144.8	144.8	6.5	5.7	6.3	5.7	4.5	4.0	4.4	3.9
Haverhill-North Andover-Amesbury ²	120.9	120.2	121.0	121.1	6.6	5.5	6.5	5.6	5.4	4.6	5.4	4.6
Lawrence-Methuen-Salem ²	71.0	70.0	71.1	70.8	6.2	5.2	6.2	5.4	8.8	7.4	8.7	7.6
Lowell-Billerica-Chelmsford ²	153.2	152.4	153.5	153.5	9.1	7.9	9.1	8.1	6.0	5.2	5.9	5.3
Lynn-Peabody-Salem	129.1	128.3	129.0	128.4	7.5	6.5	7.3	6.6	5.8	5.1	5.7	5.1
Nashua ²	177.4	178.1	175.5	179.0	7.9	6.8	7.7	6.9	4.5	3.8	4.4	3.9
Taunton-Norton-Raynham	62.1	61.5	61.5	61.2	3.3	2.9	3.4	3.1	5.4	4.7	5.5	5.0
Michigan	5,129.0	5,151.2	5,157.4	5,188.1	372.8	357.0	405.3	393.6	7.3	6.9	7.9	7.6
Detroit-Warren-Livonia	2,217.3	2,218.4	2,233.5	2,232.6	161.9	170.1	175.6	181.5	7.3	7.7	7.9	8.1
Detroit-Livonia-Dearborn	921.7	919.8	928.5	926.0	82.8	83.9	89.1	91.4	9.0	9.1	9.6	9.9
Warren-Farmington Hills-Troy	1,295.5	1,298.7	1,304.9	1,306.7	79.1	86.3	86.5	90.1	6.1	6.6	6.6	6.9
New York	9,402.3	9,443.0	9,528.9	9,586.1	551.7	447.2	559.4	495.4	5.9	4.7	5.9	5.2
New York-Northern New Jersey-Long Island ²	9,118.2	9,165.9	9,237.3	9,298.2	531.1	418.4	553.7	471.9	5.8	4.6	6.0	5.1
Edison ³	1,168.3	1,185.2	1,182.0	1,197.0	53.0	44.4	57.7	49.7	4.5	3.7	4.9	4.2
Nassau-Suffolk	1,479.4	1,494.7	1,497.0	1,511.7	68.0	61.1	69.8	67.7	4.6	4.1	4.7	4.5
New York-Wayne-White Plains ²	5,388.9	5,403.6	5,471.4	5,496.0	356.1	267.5	367.6	303.9	6.6	4.9	6.7	5.5
Newark-Union ³	1,081.6	1,082.4	1,086.9	1,093.4	54.0	45.5	58.7	50.6	5.0	4.2	5.4	4.6
Pennsylvania	6,307.6	6,357.2	6,380.2	6,426.3	369.8	329.4	360.7	334.6	5.9	5.2	5.7	5.2
Philadelphia-Camden-Wilmington ²	2,922.5	2,962.2	2,954.8	2,992.6	162.7	143.9	163.3	149.1	5.6	4.9	5.5	5.0
Camden ³	649.2	662.8	652.5	666.6	32.5	26.0	34.8	29.2	5.0	3.9	5.3	4.4
Philadelphia	1,927.8	1,945.9	1,957.3	1,971.2	113.7	100.5	111.7	102.5	5.9	5.2	5.7	5.2
Wilmington ³	345.5	353.4	344.9	354.8	16.5	17.4	16.8	17.5	4.8	4.9	4.9	4.9
Texas	11,090.0	11,246.7	11,111.2	11,288.9	725.0	612.0	702.4	590.4	6.5	5.4	6.3	5.2
Dallas-Fort Worth-Arlington	2,973.2	3,019.6	2,992.4	3,033.1	186.8	157.5	181.0	152.6	6.3	5.2	6.1	5.0
Dallas-Plano-Irving	1,993.1	2,022.0	2,009.0	2,032.3	127.6	106.3	123.5	102.7	6.4	5.3	6.1	5.1
Fort Worth-Arlington	980.1	997.7	983.4	1,000.7	59.3	51.2	57.6	49.9	6.0	5.1	5.9	5.0
Washington	3,245.1	3,299.0	3,255.7	3,322.5	203.6	179.5	187.3	177.1	6.3	5.4	5.8	5.3
Seattle-Tacoma-Bellevue	1,690.0	1,717.1	1,694.4	1,734.6	98.4	87.2	90.5	86.0	5.8	5.1	5.3	5.0
Seattle-Bellevue-Everett	1,326.6	1,348.0	1,331.4	1,362.8	70.8	64.3	65.5	63.8	5.3	4.8	4.9	4.7
Tacoma	363.4	369.1	363.0	371.9	27.6	22.9	25.0	22.2	7.6	6.2	6.9	6.0

P = preliminary.

¹ These 11 areas contain all of the 34 metropolitan divisions.

² Part of the area (or division) is in one or more adjacent states.

³ All of the division is in one or more adjacent states.

NOTE: Data refer to place of residence. Area definitions are based on Office of Management and Budget Bulletin No. 04-03, dated February 18, 2004, and are available at <http://www.bls.gov/lau/lausma.htm> and in the May issue of *Employment and Earnings*. Areas in the six New England states are Metropolitan New England City and Town Areas (NECTAs), while areas in other states are county-based. Some metropolitan areas lie in two or more states. They are listed

under the state that corresponds to the first city in their title. Metropolitan divisions are listed under their metropolitan areas. Some divisions lie in more than one state, and some, like Camden, N.J., are totally outside the states under which their metropolitan areas are listed. Estimates for the latest month are revised the following month, and at least 3 years of estimates are subject to revision at the end of the year, to incorporate updated inputs and reestimation. Two sets of metropolitan areas and divisions have similar or identical titles. For Washington-Arlington-Alexandria, D.C.-Va.-Md.-W.Va., the titles are identical. For the Chicago-Naperville-Joliet, Ill.-Ind.-Wis. metropolitan area, the division title includes only Illinois.

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(Numbers in thousands)

State and area	June		July		Change from July 2004 to July 2005 p	
	2004	2005	2004	2005 ^b	Number	Percent
Alabama	1,907.3	1,936.3	1,903.7	1,924.0	20.3	1.1
Anniston-Oxford	51.3	51.4	51.1	50.8	-.3	-.6
Auburn-Opelika	49.9	50.1	49.5	49.9	.4	.8
Birmingham-Hoover	511.0	512.9	511.7	510.7	-1.0	-.2
Decatur	56.8	57.0	56.2	56.5	.3	.5
Dothan	60.2	62.4	60.0	61.8	1.8	3.0
Florence-Muscle Shoals	53.0	54.0	52.7	53.8	1.1	2.1
Gadsden	38.4	38.5	38.3	37.7	-.6	-.6
Huntsville	193.2	198.1	192.9	196.1	3.2	1.7
Mobile	170.3	175.7	169.9	174.5	4.6	2.7
Montgomery	168.4	171.4	167.8	170.7	2.9	1.7
Tuscaloosa	89.4	93.8	88.7	93.5	4.8	5.4
Alaska	319.0	323.5	326.7	331.6	4.9	1.5
Anchorage	165.5	169.1	165.3	168.7	3.4	2.1
Fairbanks	38.1	38.9	39.1	39.5	.4	1.0
Arizona	2,348.4	2,437.3	2,321.4	2,419.9	98.5	4.2
Flagstaff	60.8	63.5	60.8	63.1	2.3	3.8
Phoenix-Mesa-Scottsdale	1,660.5	1,722.7	1,643.6	1,714.7	71.1	4.3
Prescott	55.8	58.2	55.2	57.6	2.4	4.3
Tucson	353.7	365.8	346.2	360.1	13.9	4.0
Yuma	46.5	50.8	45.9	49.1	3.2	7.0
Arkansas	1,162.2	1,174.7	1,149.9	1,161.0	11.1	1.0
Fayetteville-Springdale-Rogers	187.5	194.4	186.1	192.8	6.7	3.6
Fort Smith	117.1	117.7	115.7	116.4	.7	.6
Hot Springs	37.1	38.9	37.0	38.5	1.5	4.1
Jonesboro	48.2	48.4	47.3	47.7	.4	.8
Little Rock-North Little Rock	328.7	329.7	327.0	327.8	.8	.2
Pine Bluff	39.8	40.0	39.5	40.0	.5	1.3
California	14,600.9	14,836.4	14,515.4	14,727.4	212.0	1.5
Bakersfield	215.0	218.5	209.5	214.1	4.6	2.2
Chico	72.5	72.0	70.3	71.7	1.4	2.0
El Centro	41.6	44.1	39.5	42.6	3.1	7.8
Fresno	286.6	293.0	286.1	292.2	6.1	2.1
Hanford-Corcoran	33.1	34.3	33.7	34.6	.9	2.7
Los Angeles-Long Beach-Santa Ana	5,471.1	5,528.5	5,424.0	5,490.6	66.6	1.2
Madera	33.9	34.1	33.3	34.1	.8	2.4
Merced	58.6	59.1	55.5	55.9	.4	.7
Modesto	154.5	158.9	160.2	161.1	.9	.6
Napa	61.9	61.8	61.0	60.9	-.1	-.2
Oxnard-Thousand Oaks-Ventura	288.1	288.9	284.6	286.4	1.8	.6
Redding	65.7	67.0	63.6	65.0	1.4	2.2
Riverside-San Bernardino-Ontario	1,156.1	1,173.4	1,144.5	1,163.6	19.1	1.7
Sacramento—Arden-Arcade—Roseville	862.8	872.5	856.5	867.4	10.9	1.3
Salinas	128.1	128.3	127.1	126.9	-.2	-.2
San Diego-Carlsbad-San Marcos	1,268.8	1,284.8	1,258.4	1,277.3	18.9	1.5
San Francisco-Oakland-Fremont	1,969.2	1,988.1	1,956.2	1,980.3	24.1	1.2
San Jose-Sunnyvale-Santa Clara	866.5	862.8	862.9	863.6	.7	.1
San Luis Obispo-Paso Robles	100.5	101.6	98.4	99.5	1.1	1.1
Santa Barbara-Santa Maria-Goleta	171.5	174.0	168.3	172.4	4.1	2.4
Santa Cruz-Watsonville	95.8	97.3	92.6	94.2	1.6	1.7
Santa Rosa-Petaluma	186.7	187.8	182.7	183.5	.8	.4
Stockton	203.0	206.8	202.2	206.4	4.2	2.1
Vallejo-Fairfield	125.2	127.3	125.9	127.0	1.1	.9
Visalia-Porterville	105.2	105.1	102.6	103.9	1.3	1.3
Yuba City	39.0	41.3	38.1	40.3	2.2	5.8
Colorado	2,200.0	2,246.9	2,188.7	2,234.6	45.9	2.1
Boulder	158.1	162.6	155.6	160.4	4.8	3.1
Colorado Springs	251.2	257.3	249.3	255.3	6.0	2.4
Denver-Aurora	1,179.9	1,201.8	1,174.9	1,196.0	21.1	1.8
Fort Collins-Loveland	131.9	134.0	129.0	131.6	2.6	2.0
Grand Junction	55.4	56.3	55.0	55.6	.6	1.1
Greeley	74.4	77.4	73.7	77.2	3.5	4.7
Pueblo	55.1	56.3	54.7	55.8	1.1	2.0
Connecticut	1,666.6	1,687.3	1,644.4	1,665.8	21.4	1.3
Bridgeport-Stamford-Norwalk	415.1	415.5	409.4	412.6	3.2	.8
Danbury	69.7	69.2	67.2	67.9	.7	1.0
Hartford-West Hartford-East Hartford	540.9	545.2	533.6	536.4	2.8	.5
New Haven	274.2	272.3	270.1	270.1	.0	.0
Norwich-New London	136.0	138.3	136.4	139.0	2.6	1.9
Waterbury	70.3	70.5	68.3	68.9	.6	.9
Delaware	430.4	439.1	427.8	436.9	9.1	2.1
Dover	62.4	64.7	61.6	64.0	2.4	3.9
District of Columbia	676.9	682.0	678.0	689.1	11.1	1.6
Washington-Arlington-Alexandria	2,876.7	2,951.9	2,853.2	2,937.8	84.6	3.0

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(Numbers in thousands)

State and area	June		July		Change from July 2004 to July 2005 p	
	2004	2005	2004	2005 ^b	Number	Percent
Florida	7,458.0	7,671.4	7,409.9	7,650.0	240.1	3.2
Cape Coral-Fort Myers	200.3	209.0	198.4	207.8	9.4	4.7
Deltona-Daytona Beach-Ormond Beach	162.9	167.6	162.0	166.7	4.7	2.9
Fort Walton Beach-Crestview-Destin	85.0	89.1	84.5	88.1	3.6	4.3
Gainesville	125.3	129.2	125.3	128.4	3.1	2.5
Jacksonville	578.4	593.2	576.8	593.2	16.4	2.8
Lakeland	196.6	202.9	195.3	201.2	5.9	3.0
Miami-Fort Lauderdale-Miami Beach	2,290.7	2,325.1	2,254.3	2,306.1	51.8	2.3
Naples-Marco Island	119.2	124.2	117.4	122.7	5.3	4.5
Ocala	91.2	93.1	90.2	92.5	2.3	2.5
Orlando	965.0	1,006.2	963.1	1,002.9	39.8	4.1
Palm Bay-Melbourne-Titusville	203.7	208.8	203.4	208.7	5.3	2.6
Panama City-Lynn Haven	72.0	74.6	71.2	74.2	3.0	4.2
Pensacola-Ferry Pass-Brent	163.7	167.1	163.1	166.0	2.9	1.8
Port St. Lucie-Fort Pierce	115.7	120.9	115.1	120.2	5.1	4.4
Punta Gorda	39.7	40.8	39.1	40.7	1.6	4.1
Sarasota-Bradenton-Venice	297.0	313.6	296.3	310.1	13.8	4.7
Tallahassee	164.8	166.9	164.5	167.1	2.6	1.6
Tampa-St. Petersburg-Clearwater	1,267.0	1,299.2	1,259.3	1,294.0	34.7	2.8
Vero Beach	44.4	44.4	43.8	44.0	.2	.5
Georgia	3,894.2	3,918.0	3,882.7	3,905.7	23.0	.6
Albany	63.6	64.4	63.8	63.9	.1	.2
Athens-Clarke County	76.4	77.3	77.1	77.0	-.1	-1
Atlanta-Sandy Springs-Marietta	2,262.6	2,277.1	2,264.2	2,273.1	8.9	.4
Augusta-Richmond County	213.3	213.4	210.5	211.6	1.1	.5
Brunswick	42.8	43.0	42.9	43.1	.2	.5
Columbus	120.7	120.1	119.9	119.1	-.8	-.7
Dalton	76.5	76.2	75.7	75.7	.0	.0
Gainesville	69.1	69.2	67.8	68.5	.7	1.0
Hinesville-Fort Stewart	16.7	16.7	16.6	16.5	-.1	-.6
Macon	101.4	101.0	100.8	99.9	-.9	-.9
Rome	42.5	42.9	42.3	42.5	.2	.5
Savannah	143.4	145.4	144.5	145.8	1.3	.9
Valdosta	52.5	52.9	52.1	52.5	.4	.8
Warner Robins	51.4	51.2	50.8	50.9	.1	.2
Hawaii	583.3	599.7	577.7	594.7	17.0	2.9
Honolulu	429.8	442.2	424.1	436.5	12.4	2.9
Idaho	597.3	619.8	593.8	616.5	22.7	3.8
Boise City-Nampa	243.5	253.2	242.7	251.7	9.0	3.7
Coeur d'Alene	51.0	54.4	50.6	54.5	3.9	7.7
Idaho Falls	50.7	52.8	50.2	52.4	2.2	4.4
Lewiston	26.9	27.3	26.5	26.5	.0	.0
Pocatello	37.8	38.4	36.4	37.5	1.1	3.0
Illinois	5,872.8	5,911.0	5,847.2	5,885.7	38.5	.7
Bloomington-Normal	88.1	87.0	87.0	86.6	-.4	-.5
Champaign-Urbana	109.5	108.5	108.8	107.9	-.9	-.8
Chicago-Naperville-Joliet	4,461.5	4,493.9	4,444.8	4,472.8	28.0	.6
Danville	32.1	31.9	31.7	32.0	.3	.9
Davenport-Moline-Rock Island	185.8	184.9	185.7	184.7	-1.0	-.5
Decatur	54.6	55.2	54.5	54.8	.3	.6
Kankakee-Bradley	43.5	42.7	43.0	42.5	-.5	-1.2
Peoria	177.2	178.2	176.8	177.8	1.0	.6
Rockford	155.6	156.0	155.4	155.9	.5	.3
Springfield	111.6	111.7	110.8	111.8	1.0	.9
Indiana	2,936.2	2,969.3	2,910.1	2,934.4	24.3	.8
Anderson	45.3	45.6	43.2	43.6	.4	.9
Bloomington	78.7	78.9	77.5	76.6	-.9	-1.2
Columbus	42.3	42.5	41.8	42.6	.8	1.9
Elkhart-Goshen	130.5	131.2	129.7	130.3	.6	.5
Evansville	177.9	179.3	178.0	179.2	1.2	.7
Fort Wayne	212.3	215.2	209.2	211.8	2.6	1.2
Indianapolis	884.9	894.1	879.0	880.8	1.8	2
Kokomo	48.6	48.5	43.5	48.0	4.5	10.3
Lafayette	86.9	88.3	87.0	86.9	-.1	-.1
Michigan City-La Porte	47.3	47.2	46.6	46.4	-.2	-4
Muncie	53.6	52.0	51.8	51.0	-.8	-1.5
South Bend-Mishawaka	144.4	147.4	142.9	145.7	2.8	2.0
Terre Haute	73.5	73.9	73.1	73.5	.4	.5
Iowa	1,476.6	1,493.3	1,450.0	1,466.2	16.2	1.1
Ames	44.6	44.7	43.5	44.3	.8	1.8
Cedar Rapids	130.8	131.6	128.6	129.1	.5	.4
Des Moines	302.9	311.0	301.0	306.2	5.2	1.7
Dubuque	53.3	53.7	52.1	52.9	.8	1.5
Iowa City	85.4	87.5	81.6	85.6	4.0	4.9
Sioux City	71.8	71.5	70.6	70.3	-.3	-.4
Waterloo-Cedar Falls	86.2	87.1	84.7	86.4	1.7	2.0

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	2004	2005	2004	2005 ^b	Number	Percent
Kansas	1,340.0	1,356.1	1,315.7	1,327.1	11.4	0.9
Lawrence	52.2	52.3	49.2	50.1	.9	1.8
Topeka	113.1	113.5	109.8	110.9	1.1	1.0
Wichita	283.7	285.3	281.4	280.5	-.9	-.3
Kentucky	1,809.8	1,828.0	1,782.1	1,803.5	21.4	1.2
Bowling Green	55.1	56.8	54.4	55.9	1.5	2.8
Elizabethtown	46.6	46.4	45.8	46.1	.3	.7
Lexington-Fayette	245.5	246.2	237.1	241.6	4.5	1.9
Louisville	605.7	611.4	591.2	598.5	7.3	1.2
Owensboro	49.7	50.3	48.7	49.7	1.0	2.1
Louisiana	1,929.5	1,934.7	1,909.9	1,924.6	14.7	.8
Alexandria	61.6	60.0	59.4	59.3	-.1	-.2
Baton Rouge	347.0	344.0	342.0	341.7	-.3	-.1
Houma-Bayou Cane-Thibodaux	82.7	82.7	82.8	82.7	-.1	-.1
Lafayette	133.6	133.1	131.9	132.0	.1	.1
Lake Charles	87.6	90.0	86.9	89.1	2.2	2.5
Monroe	79.9	79.5	79.7	79.0	-.7	-.9
New Orleans-Metairie-Kenner	619.9	623.0	613.0	617.3	4.3	.7
Shreveport-Bossier City	170.4	171.5	169.6	171.5	1.9	1.1
Maine	628.3	631.9	624.6	628.3	3.7	.6
Bangor	65.8	65.0	64.5	63.9	-.6	-.9
Lewiston-Auburn	48.2	48.6	47.2	47.9	.7	1.5
Portland-South Portland-Biddeford	196.9	200.1	199.9	202.6	2.7	1.4
Maryland	2,546.4	2,605.2	2,538.7	2,597.8	59.1	2.3
Baltimore-Towson	1,276.4	1,294.1	1,270.2	1,286.9	16.7	1.3
Cumberland	39.8	39.8	38.9	39.1	.2	.5
Hagerstown-Martinsburg	98.7	100.2	98.1	99.3	1.2	1.2
Salisbury	53.3	54.0	52.9	53.9	1.0	1.9
Massachusetts	3,223.1	3,243.4	3,194.1	3,214.1	20.0	.6
Barnstable Town	108.9	110.1	113.4	114.2	.8	.7
Boston-Cambridge-Quincy	2,421.2	2,439.1	2,394.9	2,415.5	20.6	.9
Leominster-Fitchburg-Gardner	52.4	52.7	51.3	51.8	.5	1.0
New Bedford	64.0	64.4	63.4	63.7	.3	.5
Pittsfield	37.1	37.1	37.6	37.6	.0	.0
Springfield	298.1	299.0	291.8	293.1	1.3	.4
Worcester	246.3	247.6	242.1	243.1	1.0	.4
Michigan	4,445.2	4,416.6	4,330.9	4,305.5	-25.4	-.6
Ann Arbor	201.4	201.0	195.0	196.1	1.1	.6
Battle Creek	64.6	64.1	62.7	62.0	-.7	-1.1
Bay City	41.0	39.8	40.7	39.6	-.1	-2.7
Detroit-Warren-Livonia	2,080.5	2,072.4	2,017.1	2,010.3	-6.8	-3.3
Flint	161.9	159.3	156.7	155.0	-.7	-1.1
Grand Rapids-Wyoming	387.4	386.1	378.4	380.1	1.7	.4
Holland-Grand Haven	113.9	111.9	112.0	109.5	-2.5	-2.2
Jackson	62.9	62.5	61.5	61.6	.1	.2
Kalamazoo-Portage	143.9	145.3	140.6	140.8	.2	.1
Lansing-East Lansing	228.9	226.1	225.7	225.1	-.6	-.3
Monroe	45.4	45.3	42.4	41.7	-.7	-1.7
Muskegon-Norton Shores	67.3	67.6	65.6	67.1	1.5	2.3
Niles-Benton Harbor	65.1	64.5	62.5	62.7	.2	.3
Saginaw-Saginaw Township North	94.6	93.8	93.9	93.6	-.3	-.3
Minnesota	2,727.8	2,760.7	2,687.4	2,729.1	41.7	1.6
Duluth	131.1	132.3	130.1	131.0	.9	.7
Minneapolis-St. Paul-Bloomington	1,765.7	1,781.8	1,738.5	1,761.9	23.4	1.3
Rochester	103.9	106.0	103.0	104.7	1.7	1.7
St. Cloud	96.2	96.4	95.1	95.8	.7	.7
Mississippi	1,125.5	1,138.3	1,114.0	1,129.9	15.9	1.4
Gulfport-Biloxi	114.5	114.6	114.0	112.9	-1.1	-1.0
Hattiesburg	54.6	55.8	54.2	55.1	.9	1.7
Jackson	257.8	259.5	255.2	259.2	4.0	1.6
Pascagoula	53.5	56.5	53.1	56.0	2.9	5.5
Missouri	2,727.6	2,749.5	2,669.3	2,700.6	31.3	1.2
Columbia	86.5	87.9	84.4	86.1	1.7	2.0
Jefferson City	79.4	79.2	77.6	78.0	.4	.5
Joplin	75.9	76.8	75.2	75.6	.4	.5
Kansas City	980.6	989.9	963.6	977.1	13.5	1.4
St. Joseph	55.1	54.5	52.7	53.1	.4	.8
St. Louis ¹	1,337.1	1,351.5	1,312.8	1,325.9	13.1	1.0
Springfield	183.8	187.6	182.8	186.6	3.8	2.1

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Table 3. Employees on nonfarm payrolls by state and metropolitan area, not seasonally adjusted—Continued

(Numbers in thousands)

State and area	June		July		Change from July 2004 to July 2005 p	
	2004	2005	2004	2005 ^b	Number	Percent
Montana	421.2	428.7	419.0	425.4	6.4	1.5
Billings	74.2	75.5	73.7	75.0	.3	1.8
Great Falls	34.3	35.2	33.7	34.6	.9	2.7
Missoula	54.1	55.4	53.8	54.6	.8	1.5
Nebraska	935.6	943.9	925.1	934.5	9.4	1.0
Lincoln	168.2	171.3	166.2	170.1	3.9	2.3
Omaha-Council Bluffs	450.2	457.5	447.2	454.3	7.1	1.6
Nevada	1,153.9	1,228.7	1,154.3	1,227.8	73.5	6.4
Carson City	32.2	33.2	32.2	33.0	.8	2.5
Las Vegas-Paradise	810.7	873.7	810.9	872.3	61.4	7.6
Reno-Sparks	209.3	218.7	209.5	218.9	9.4	4.5
New Hampshire	634.6	647.5	630.8	643.2	12.4	2.0
Manchester	99.4	100.9	97.9	99.8	1.9	1.9
Portsmouth	56.0	57.3	55.6	57.7	2.1	3.8
Rochester-Dover	53.6	54.3	52.2	53.4	1.2	2.3
New Jersey	4,065.2	4,114.4	4,026.0	4,075.1	49.1	1.2
Atlantic City	153.0	152.2	155.1	154.0	-1.1	-.7
Ocean City	51.7	52.0	58.4	58.4	.0	.0
Trenton-Ewing	233.6	237.0	231.4	235.1	3.7	1.6
Vineland-Millville-Bridgeton	63.4	64.3	61.4	62.0	.6	1.0
New Mexico	792.5	810.3	788.0	803.6	15.6	2.0
Albuquerque	372.3	379.5	370.7	377.0	6.3	1.7
Farmington	47.6	49.2	47.0	48.2	1.2	2.6
Las Cruces	61.1	62.7	60.1	61.9	1.8	3.0
Santa Fe	61.1	62.8	61.5	62.7	1.2	2.0
New York	8,532.6	8,610.2	8,444.2	8,528.5	84.3	1.0
Albany-Schenectady-Troy	447.7	454.8	442.4	449.8	7.4	1.7
Binghamton	114.3	113.8	110.3	110.2	-.1	-.1
Buffalo-Niagara Falls	552.9	553.2	541.7	545.1	3.4	.6
Elmira	40.4	39.6	39.6	38.8	-.8	-2.0
Glens Falls	56.9	58.0	57.4	58.3	.9	1.6
Ithaca	58.9	59.9	59.0	59.9	.9	1.5
Kingston	64.6	66.4	63.0	64.8	1.8	2.9
New York-Northern New Jersey-Long Island	8,363.6	8,435.9	8,291.8	8,363.3	71.5	-.9
Poughkeepsie-Newburgh-Middletown	253.1	257.2	249.8	253.1	3.3	1.3
Rochester	515.9	510.1	506.8	502.0	-4.8	-.9
Syracuse	320.7	324.4	313.2	320.5	7.3	2.3
Utica-Rome	134.2	133.9	133.6	133.7	.1	.1
North Carolina	3,843.4	3,893.8	3,793.0	3,834.7	41.7	1.1
Asheville	164.7	166.4	162.7	163.0	.3	.2
Burlington	59.0	59.4	58.2	59.1	.9	1.5
Charlotte-Gastonia-Concord	772.3	798.6	764.3	792.8	28.5	3.7
Durham	268.1	269.7	265.2	267.4	2.2	.8
Fayetteville	119.0	119.5	115.3	116.0	.7	.6
Goldsboro	42.8	43.0	42.3	42.3	.0	.0
Greensboro-High Point	356.5	361.7	352.0	358.0	6.0	1.7
Greenville	68.7	70.4	67.4	68.4	1.0	1.5
Hickory-Lenoir-Morganton	165.1	165.5	164.2	165.1	.9	.5
Jacksonville	40.4	41.2	40.3	40.7	.4	1.0
Raleigh-Cary	446.2	456.0	442.9	452.0	9.1	2.1
Rocky Mount	62.3	61.8	61.9	61.3	-.6	-1.0
Wilmington	126.4	129.6	125.3	127.6	2.3	1.8
Winston-Salem	205.5	212.4	202.8	209.4	6.6	3.3
North Dakota	341.2	345.7	334.1	338.5	4.4	1.3
Bismarck	56.4	57.9	55.5	56.9	1.4	2.5
Fargo	109.4	111.2	108.9	110.3	1.4	1.3
Grand Forks	50.2	50.8	48.8	49.8	1.0	2.0
Ohio	5,454.6	5,462.2	5,413.6	5,425.0	11.4	2
Akron	329.7	328.3	326.7	328.3	1.6	.5
Canton-Massillon	177.3	179.2	176.6	178.0	1.4	.8
Cincinnati-Middletown	1,034.1	1,035.9	1,025.3	1,029.0	3.7	.4
Cleveland-Elyria-Mentor	1,083.0	1,081.1	1,079.6	1,076.4	-3.2	-.3
Columbus	921.4	924.5	916.2	921.6	5.4	.6
Dayton	414.5	409.6	410.9	406.9	-4.0	-1.0
Lima	58.0	58.1	57.2	57.7	.5	.9
Mansfield	60.3	59.8	59.1	58.8	-.3	-.5
Sandusky	44.3	43.4	44.0	43.6	-.4	-.9
Springfield	53.5	52.8	52.7	52.4	-.3	-.6
Toledo	330.8	331.3	328.9	329.3	.4	.1
Weirton-Steubenville	48.3	49.1	47.6	47.4	-.2	-.4
Youngstown-Warren-Boardman	245.3	241.6	242.8	239.7	-3.1	-1.3

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Table 3. Employees on nonfarm payrolls by state and metropolitan area, not seasonally adjusted—Continued

(Numbers in thousands)

State and area	June		July		Change from July 2004 to July 2005 p	
	2004	2005	2004	2005 ^b	Number	Percent
Oklahoma	1,471.5	1,498.9	1,457.9	1,483.8	25.9	1.8
Lawton	40.8	40.9	39.9	40.9	1.0	2.5
Oklahoma City	541.0	552.1	535.7	546.6	10.9	2.0
Tulsa	400.2	403.5	395.6	400.5	4.9	1.2
Oregon	1,610.9	1,658.6	1,594.0	1,644.9	50.9	3.2
Bend	61.1	63.5	60.8	63.7	2.9	4.8
Corvallis	38.8	38.4	36.7	36.8	.1	.3
Eugene-Springfield	145.9	148.6	141.2	144.6	3.4	2.4
Medford	79.4	80.8	77.2	79.2	2.0	2.6
Portland-Vancouver-Beaverton	953.2	973.5	944.8	966.8	22.0	2.3
Salem	141.9	144.0	143.1	143.3	.2	.1
Pennsylvania	5,690.2	5,746.4	5,625.1	5,687.3	62.2	1.1
Allentown-Bethlehem-Easton	334.5	337.6	325.6	331.2	5.6	1.7
Altoona	63.2	63.2	62.8	62.4	-.4	-.6
Erie	131.6	133.3	131.3	132.6	1.3	1.0
Harrisburg-Carlisle	326.7	329.2	325.4	327.5	2.1	.6
Johnstown	59.8	60.8	58.8	59.7	.9	1.5
Lancaster	235.3	236.1	232.9	234.0	1.1	.5
Lebanon	47.9	48.2	47.3	47.5	.2	.4
Philadelphia-Camden-Wilmington	2,766.1	2,798.4	2,734.2	2,764.1	29.9	1.1
Pittsburgh	1,153.2	1,150.0	1,133.8	1,136.5	2.7	.2
Reading	167.4	170.0	164.6	167.7	3.1	1.9
Scranton—Wilkes-Barre	258.0	258.4	255.6	255.6	.0	0
State College	68.7	69.0	68.2	68.5	.3	.4
Williamsport	54.0	54.4	53.6	53.9	.3	.6
York-Hanover	172.4	176.0	171.1	173.1	2.0	1.2
Rhode Island	494.7	500.5	487.3	492.9	5.6	1.1
Providence-Fall River-Warwick	590.1	592.1	576.8	580.6	3.8	.7
South Carolina	1,849.2	1,847.7	1,816.3	1,812.4	-3.9	-.2
Anderson	62.8	63.3	62.2	62.1	-.1	-.2
Charleston-North Charleston	274.3	282.9	273.6	280.9	7.3	2.7
Columbia	345.6	346.7	341.4	342.5	1.1	.3
Florence	88.4	88.9	85.4	85.8	.4	.5
Greenville	294.5	294.9	290.3	291.3	1.0	.3
Myrtle Beach-Conway-North Myrtle Beach	119.2	120.5	115.7	117.1	1.4	1.2
Spartanburg	122.1	122.7	117.8	119.3	1.5	1.3
Sumter	39.8	40.0	38.7	38.6	-.1	-.3
South Dakota	393.4	400.4	c 387.7	394.3	6.6	1.7
Rapid City	61.4	62.6	c 61.6	62.7	1.1	1.8
Sioux Falls	125.1	129.5	122.8	126.6	3.8	3.1
Tennessee	2,708.7	2,728.9	2,688.2	2,709.8	21.6	.8
Chattanooga	236.1	238.3	235.5	238.0	2.5	1.1
Clarksville	81.4	82.4	80.0	81.4	1.4	1.8
Cleveland	41.0	40.7	40.5	40.4	-.1	-.2
Jackson	59.7	60.2	60.0	60.4	.4	.7
Johnson City	75.9	77.8	76.7	78.1	1.4	1.8
Kingsport-Bristol-Bristol	119.7	120.5	118.8	119.2	.4	.3
Knoxville	322.6	328.1	321.2	325.5	4.3	1.3
Memphis	614.4	624.0	612.2	620.3	8.1	1.3
Morristown	49.8	51.3	48.6	50.3	1.7	3.5
Nashville-Davidson—Murfreesboro	709.5	721.4	709.6	721.4	11.8	1.7
Texas	9,503.6	9,621.6	9,437.1	9,543.0	105.9	1.1
Abilene	63.2	64.8	61.5	64.3	2.8	4.6
Amarillo	108.2	108.8	106.5	107.9	1.4	1.3
Austin-Round Rock	666.6	682.3	663.5	677.7	14.2	2.1
Beaumont-Port Arthur	154.7	155.8	153.3	154.7	1.4	.9
Brownsville-Harlingen	116.9	119.6	115.2	118.0	2.8	2.4
College Station-Bryan	83.2	84.6	83.6	85.5	1.9	2.3
Corpus Christi	167.2	168.1	165.3	165.5	.2	.1
Dallas-Fort Worth-Arlington	2,700.0	2,737.4	2,692.0	2,718.9	26.9	1.0
El Paso	255.4	259.2	254.7	258.3	3.6	1.4
Houston-Baytown-Sugar Land	2,295.5	2,323.4	2,279.6	2,306.4	26.8	1.2
Killeen-Temple-Fort Hood	111.8	114.4	112.0	113.7	1.7	1.5
Laredo	77.4	79.2	76.4	77.9	1.5	2.0
Longview	85.5	88.1	85.7	87.6	1.9	2.2
Lubbock	123.6	124.5	122.7	123.8	1.1	.9
McAllen-Edinburg-Pharr	184.6	192.0	177.9	186.0	8.1	4.6
Midland	57.1	57.5	56.3	57.6	1.3	2.3
Odessa	52.3	51.9	51.4	51.6	.2	.4
San Angelo	43.3	44.4	43.1	43.9	.8	1.9
San Antonio	765.9	776.2	758.7	770.5	11.8	1.6
Sherman-Denison	43.6	45.1	43.2	45.0	1.8	4.2
Texarkana	53.3	54.4	52.5	54.1	1.6	3.0
Tyler	88.0	89.0	87.4	88.7	1.3	1.5
Victoria	47.4	48.1	46.5	47.4	.9	1.9
Waco	101.4	103.7	101.1	103.6	2.5	2.5
Wichita Falls	60.7	61.3	59.7	61.0	1.3	2.2

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Table 3. Employees on nonfarm payrolls by state and metropolitan area, not seasonally adjusted—Continued

(Numbers in thousands)

State and area	June		July		Change from July 2004 to July 2005 ^p	
	2004	2005	2004	2005 ^b	Number	Percent
Utah	1,109.7	1,147.4	1,097.6	1,137.3	39.7	3.6
Logan	48.8	50.0	46.0	47.7	1.7	3.7
Ogden-Clearfield	186.8	190.6	185.3	189.2	3.9	2.1
Provo-Orem	162.5	168.1	159.3	164.9	5.6	3.5
St. George	43.6	46.8	42.8	45.9	3.1	7.2
Salt Lake City	564.6	583.1	564.1	581.9	17.8	3.2
Vermont	304.9	310.0	298.4	303.3	4.9	1.6
Burlington-South Burlington	114.0	114.6	113.4	113.3	-.1	-.1
Virginia	3,624.3	3,674.2	3,591.0	3,638.7	47.7	1.3
Blacksburg-Christiansburg-Radford	70.4	70.5	70.2	69.9	-.3	-.4
Charlottesville	92.9	93.2	91.9	92.8	.9	1.0
Danville	44.4	43.5	42.4	40.9	-1.5	-3.5
Harrisonburg	60.5	61.5	59.9	61.9	2.0	3.3
Lynchburg	102.3	103.2	100.9	102.2	1.3	1.3
Richmond	609.3	623.4	600.5	617.8	17.3	2.9
Roanoke	159.2	161.9	157.5	160.3	2.8	1.8
Virginia Beach-Norfolk-Newport News	760.2	767.4	754.7	761.8	7.1	.9
Winchester	55.6	56.4	54.0	56.8	2.8	5.2
Washington	2,729.3	2,787.6	2,709.4	2,776.7	67.3	2.5
Bellingham	78.1	82.0	76.3	80.9	4.6	6.0
Bremerton-Silverdale	83.2	86.0	83.7	86.2	2.5	3.0
Kennewick-Richland-Pasco	86.6	90.8	86.3	90.4	4.1	4.8
Longview	37.0	37.9	36.9	37.9	1.0	2.7
Mount Vernon-Anacortes	44.3	46.6	44.4	46.7	2.3	5.2
Olympia	94.0	97.1	92.8	96.1	3.3	3.6
Seattle-Tacoma-Bellevue	1,601.8	1,646.2	1,595.8	1,645.0	49.2	3.1
Spokane	202.7	205.2	197.2	202.2	5.0	2.5
Wenatchee	38.1	39.5	38.0	39.4	1.4	3.7
Yakima	77.6	78.0	75.9	77.0	1.1	1.4
West Virginia	741.1	750.3	738.5	745.8	7.3	1.0
Charleston	149.8	151.3	149.2	150.6	1.4	.9
Huntington-Ashland	117.0	116.2	115.7	116.0	-.3	-.3
Morgantown	54.9	56.1	55.1	56.0	.9	1.6
Parkersburg-Marietta	74.1	73.8	73.3	73.8	.5	.7
Wheeling	67.4	68.5	67.5	68.8	1.3	1.9
Wisconsin	2,848.0	2,869.3	2,824.2	2,844.1	19.9	.7
Appleton	117.7	119.3	117.0	118.8	1.8	1.5
Eau Claire	78.2	77.7	77.7	77.5	-.2	-.3
Fond du Lac	48.6	50.1	48.8	50.1	1.3	2.7
Green Bay	169.6	169.6	168.8	167.3	-1.5	-.9
Janesville	69.3	71.3	68.8	69.8	1.0	1.5
La Crosse	73.6	73.7	72.6	72.6	-.0	0.0
Madison	338.0	340.9	336.9	339.7	2.8	.8
Milwaukee-Waukesha-West Allis	843.6	853.9	832.2	841.2	9.0	1.1
Oshkosh-Neenah	91.5	93.3	90.8	92.8	2.0	2.2
Racine	80.3	80.4	80.5	80.2	-.3	-.4
Sheboygan	63.0	63.6	62.6	62.9	.3	.5
Wausau	71.3	72.4	71.1	71.6	-.5	.7
Wyoming	265.9	272.2	263.1	269.7	6.6	2.5
Casper	36.7	38.0	36.4	37.3	.9	2.5
Cheyenne	41.7	42.3	41.5	42.6	1.1	2.7
Puerto Rico	1,051.4	1,032.3	1,039.4	1,020.8	-18.6	-1.8
Aguadilla-Isabela-San Sebastian	49.0	51.2	49.2	48.0	-1.2	-2.4
Fajardo	16.7	17.4	17.3	16.6	-.7	-4.0
Guayama	17.4	16.9	16.9	17.0	.1	.6
Mayaguez	43.4	41.0	42.2	37.1	-5.1	-12.1
Ponce	66.2	63.3	64.3	62.6	-1.7	-2.6
San German-Cabo Rojo	21.9	21.4	21.7	21.1	-.6	-2.8
San Juan-Caguas-Guayanabo	793.2	781.0	786.2	774.9	-11.3	-1.4
Yauco	14.1	14.6	14.1	14.5	.4	2.8
Virgin Islands	42.6	42.7	43.4	43.7	.3	.7

¹ Area boundaries do not reflect official OMB definitions.

^p = preliminary.

c = corrected.

NOTE: Data are counts of jobs by place of work. Estimates subsequent to the current benchmark are provisional and will be revised when new information becomes available. Area definitions are based on Office of Management and Budget Bulletin No. 04-03, dated February 18, 2004, and are available at <http://www.bls.gov/lau/lausmsa.htm> and

in the May issue of *Employment and Earnings*. Areas in the six New England states are Metropolitan New England City and Town Areas (NECTAs), while areas in other states are county-based. Some metropolitan areas lie in two or more states. They are listed under the state that appears first in their titles. Davenport-Moline-Rock Island, Iowa-Ill., and Weirton-Steubenville, W. Va.-Ohio, are the exceptions in that they are listed under Illinois and Ohio, respectively, for operational reasons.

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Table 4. Employees on nonfarm payrolls by state, selected metropolitan area, and metropolitan division

(Numbers in thousands)

State, area, and division	June		July		Change from July 2004 to July 2005 p	
	2004	2005	2004	2005 ^b	Number	Percent
California	14,600.9	14,836.4	14,515.4	14,727.4	212.0	1.5
Los Angeles-Long Beach-Santa Ana	5,471.1	5,528.5	5,424.0	5,490.6	66.6	1.2
Los Angeles-Long Beach-Glendale	4,002.8	4,038.4	3,961.0	4,001.7	40.7	1.0
Santa Ana-Anaheim-Irvine	1,468.3	1,490.1	1,464.0	1,488.9	24.9	1.7
San Francisco-Oakland-Fremont	1,969.2	1,988.1	1,956.2	1,980.3	24.1	1.2
Oakland-Fremont-Hayward	1,028.3	1,039.9	1,019.2	1,035.1	15.9	1.6
San Francisco-San Mateo-Redwood City	940.9	948.2	937.0	945.2	8.2	.9
District of Columbia	676.9	682.0	678.0	689.1	11.1	1.6
Washington-Arlington-Alexandria ¹	2,876.7	2,951.9	2,853.2	2,937.8	84.6	3.0
Bethesda-Frederick-Gaithersburg ²	563.7	573.8	564.0	571.1	7.1	1.3
Washington-Arlington-Alexandria ¹	2,313.0	2,378.1	2,292.2	2,366.7	74.5	3.3
Florida	7,458.0	7,671.4	7,409.9	7,650.0	240.1	3.2
Miami-Fort Lauderdale-Miami Beach	2,290.7	2,325.1	2,254.3	2,306.1	51.8	2.3
Fort Lauderdale-Pompano Beach-Deerfield Beach	724.1	739.8	712.5	733.9	21.4	3.0
Miami-Miami Beach-Kendall	1,026.4	1,029.5	1,005.6	1,021.8	16.2	1.6
West Palm Beach-Boca Raton-Boynton Beach	540.2	555.8	536.2	550.4	14.2	2.6
Illinois	5,872.8	5,911.0	5,847.2	5,885.7	38.5	.7
Chicago-Naperville-Joliet ¹	4,461.5	4,493.9	4,444.8	4,472.8	28.0	.6
Chicago-Naperville-Joliet	3,793.1	3,816.6	3,779.9	3,802.8	22.9	.6
Gary ²	275.7	278.7	272.6	272.2	-.4	-.1
Lake County-Kenosha County ¹	393.0	398.6	392.4	397.8	5.4	1.4
Massachusetts	3,223.1	3,243.4	3,194.1	3,214.1	20.0	.6
Boston-Cambridge-Quincy ¹	2,421.2	2,439.1	2,394.9	2,415.5	20.6	.9
Boston-Cambridge-Quincy	1,650.5	1,664.3	1,639.1	1,654.5	15.4	.9
Brockton-Bridgewater-Easton	90.5	90.7	89.3	89.7	-.4	.4
Framingham	152.1	154.0	151.7	153.4	1.7	1.1
Haverhill-North Andover-Amesbury ¹	77.3	77.7	75.9	76.3	.4	.5
Lowell-Billerica-Chelmsford ¹	117.9	119.5	117.1	118.9	1.8	1.5
Lynn-Peabody-Salem	102.7	103.7	101.5	102.3	.8	.8
Nashua ¹	131.5	132.4	126.6	127.9	1.3	1.0
Michigan	4,445.2	4,416.6	4,330.9	4,305.5	-25.4	-.6
Detroit-Warren-Livonia	2,080.5	2,072.4	2,017.1	2,010.3	-6.8	-.3
Detroit-Livonia-Dearborn	842.7	839.6	817.1	810.5	-6.6	-.8
Warren-Farmington Hills-Troy	1,237.8	1,232.8	1,200.0	1,199.8	-.2	.0
New York	8,532.6	8,610.2	8,444.2	8,528.5	84.3	1.0
New York-Northern New Jersey-Long Island ¹	8,363.6	8,435.9	8,291.8	8,363.3	71.5	.9
Edison ²	1,026.9	1,039.9	1,022.9	1,030.7	7.8	.8
Nassau-Suffolk	1,256.3	1,268.3	1,235.8	1,248.6	12.8	1.0
New York-Wayne-White Plains ¹	5,039.1	5,095.1	5,008.0	5,060.3	52.3	1.0
Newark-Union ²	1,041.4	1,032.6	1,025.0	1,023.7	-1.3	-.1
Pennsylvania	5,690.2	5,746.4	5,625.1	5,687.3	62.2	1.1
Philadelphia-Camden-Wilmington ¹	2,766.1	2,798.4	2,734.2	2,764.1	29.9	1.1
Camden ²	538.1	551.2	531.2	543.2	12.0	2.3
Philadelphia	1,878.8	1,892.1	1,860.1	1,868.6	8.5	.5
Wilmington ²	349.4	355.1	343.3	352.3	9.0	2.6
Texas	9,503.6	9,621.6	9,437.1	9,543.0	105.9	1.1
Dallas-Fort Worth-Arlington	2,700.0	2,737.4	2,692.0	2,718.9	26.9	1.0
Dallas-Plano-Irving	1,906.2	1,933.8	1,904.4	1,920.0	15.6	.8
Fort Worth-Arlington	793.8	803.6	787.6	798.9	11.3	1.4
Washington	2,729.3	2,787.6	2,709.4	2,776.7	67.3	2.5
Seattle-Tacoma-Bellevue	1,601.8	1,646.2	1,595.8	1,645.0	49.2	3.1
Seattle-Bellevue-Everett	1,345.5	1,384.0	1,340.6	1,382.9	42.3	3.2
Tacoma	256.3	262.2	255.2	262.1	6.9	2.7

¹ Part of the area is in one or more adjacent states.

² All of the area is in one or more adjacent states.

p = preliminary.

NOTE: Data are counts of jobs by place of work. Estimates subsequent to the current benchmark are provisional and will be revised when new information becomes available. Area definitions are based on Office of Management and Budget Bulletin No. 04-03, dated February 18, 2004, and are available at <http://www.bls.gov/lau/lausmsa.htm> and

in the May issue of *Employment and Earnings*. Areas in the six New England states are Metropolitan New England City and Town Areas (NECTAs), while areas in other states are county-based. Some metropolitan areas lie in two or more states. They are listed under the state that appears first in their titles. Some divisions lie in more than one state, and some, like Camden, N.J., are totally outside the states under which their metropolitan areas are listed.

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