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THE EMPLOYMENT SITUATION: JULY 1989

Payroll employment continued to increase in July and unemployment was little changed, the Bureau of Labor Statistics of the U. S. Department of Labor reported today. Both the overall jobless rate and that for civilian workers were 5.2 percent.

Nonagricultural payroll employment, as measured by the survey of business establishments, rose by 170,000. Jobs in the private sector (excluding government) increased by 195,000. Total civilian employment, as measured by the survey of households, showed little change over the month.

Unemployment (Household Survey Data)

The number of unemployed persons, 6.5 million, and the civilian worker unemployment rate, 5.2 percent, were virtually unchanged in July, after seasonal adjustment. In fact, the civilian worker rate has been either 5.2 or 5.3 percent for 4 consecutive months. Jobless rates for adult men (4.3 percent), adult women (5.0 percent), and whites (4.6 percent) held steady from the previous month. There was a small decline among teenagers (to 14.7 percent). The rate for Hispanic workers (9.0 percent) rose, while that for black workers (10.9 percent) showed a decrease, largely because the quite volatile rate for black teenagers (27.4 percent) fell markedly. (See tables A-2 and A-3.)

The number of persons working part time for economic reasons--sometimes referred to as the partially unemployed--was at a seasonally adjusted level of 4.8 million in July. This series has been trending down over the past year. (See table A-4.)

Civilian Employment and the Labor Force (Household Survey Data)

Total civilian employment was essentially unchanged in July at a seasonally adjusted level of 117.5 million. The proportion of the working-age population that is employed (the employment-population ratio) was 63.0 percent, about where it has been for the past 7 months. Civilian employment has grown by 2.4 million over the past year. (See table A-2.)

Table A. Major indicators of labor market activity, seasonaldy addingued

| ; ; | Quarte averag | • | Mon | thly data | | | | | | | | | |
|-----------------------|------------------------|----------|-----------|-------------|----------|------------------------|--|--|--|--|--|--|--|
| Category | 198 | 9 | | 1989 | | June July change | | | | | | | |
| | I | 11 | May | June | July | | | | | | | | |
| HOUSEHOLD DATA | | Tho | usands of | persons | | - | | | | | | | |
| Labor force 1/ | 124,979: | 125,464: | 125,283 | 125,768 | 125,622 | -146 | | | | | | | |
| Total employment 1/.: | 118,588; | 118,964: | 118,888: | 119,207 | 119,125 | - 82 | | | | | | | |
| Civilian labor force: | 123,291: | 123,790: | 123,610 | 124,102 | 123,956 | -146 | | | | | | | |
| Civilian employment.: | 116,900: | 117,289; | | 117,541; | 117,459 | - 82 | | | | | | | |
| Unemployment | 6,391: | | 6,395 | 6,561; | | | | | | | | | |
| Not in labor force | 62,482: | | | 62,228: | | | | | | | | | |
| Discouraged workers. | 855: | 869: | N.A. | N.A. | N.A. | N.A. | | | | | | | |
| | Percent of labor force | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Unemployment rates: | | | : | · · · · · · | | <u> </u> | | | | | | | |
| All workers 1/ | 5.1 | 5.2 | 5.1 | 5.2 | 5.2 | . 0 | | | | | | | |
| All civilian workers | 5.21 | 5.31 | 5.21 | 5.31 | 5.2 | -0.1 | | | | | | | |
| Adult men | 4.5 | 4.4: | 4.3 | 4.3 | 4.3 | : 0 | | | | | | | |
| Adult women | 4.6: | 4.8 | 4.8 | 4.9 | 5.0 | | | | | | | | |
| Teenagers | 15.0: | | 15.2 | | | | | | | | | | |
| White | | | 4.4: | | | | | | | | | | |
| Black | 11.6 | | | | | -1.0 | | | | | | | |
| Hispanic origin | 7.2 | 8.1 | 7.9 | 8.1 | 9.0 | 9 | | | | | | | |
| ESTABLISHMENT DATA | | 1 | housands | of jobs | | | | | | | | | |
| Nonfarm employment | 107,680; | p108,324 | 108,310 | p108,560; | p108,729 | p169 | | | | | | | |
| Goods-producing | | p25,665 | | p25,651 | | | | | | | | | |
| Service-producing | | p82,659 | | p82,909 | | | | | | | | | |
| | | H | ours of w | ork | | | | | | | | | |
| Average weekly hours: | : | | : | | - | : | | | | | | | |
| Total private | 34.7 | p34.7 | 34.6 | p34.6 | p34.9 | p0.3 | | | | | | | |
| Manufacturing | 41.1 | | | | p41.0 | : p 0 | | | | | | | |
| Overtime | 3.9 | p3.8 | 3.8 | p3.8 | 0 | 1، q : | | | | | | | |

 $\underline{1}/$ Includes the resident Armed Forces. N.A.=not available.

p=preliminary.

The civilian labor force, at 124.0 million, and the labor force participation rate, 66.5 percent, were also about unchanged from the previous month. Over the past year, the civilian labor force has risen by 2.4 million, as the number of adult women and men in the labor force expanded by 1.6 million and 1.0 million, respectively, while the number of teenagers—a declining population group—fell by 270,000. (See table A-2.)

Industry Payroll Employment (Establishment Survey Data)

Total nonagricultural payroll employment rose by 170,000 in July to a level of 108.7 million, seasonally adjusted. Private sector employment rose by 195,000. Over the past year, payroll jobs have increased by 2.9 million. (See table B-1.)

In the goods-producing sector, job growth was confined to the construction industry, where employment rose by about 35,000 in July, after being about unchanged during the prior 2 months. Mining employment was down for the second month in a row, due to labor-management disputes.

In manufacturing, employment held steady in July, following 3 consecutive months of decline. Increases in nondurable goods, particularly in food processing, were offset by decreases in durable goods industries. The durable goods sector has lost 55,000 jobs over the past 4 months, thus reversing much of the job growth that occurred in late 1988 and early 1989. Employment in the auto industry dropped sharply for the second straight month, losing over 10,000 jobs in July, as companies continued to slow production because of large inventories and slow sales. Employment in the electrical equipment industry continued its downward trend. The machinery industry, however, showed a small increase.

In the service-producing sector, jobs in the services industry grew by a modest 75,000, following a gain of 210,000 in the prior month. The health services component rose by 30,000, while business services was about unchanged. Retail trade rose by 50,000 over the month, with the largest increases occurring in food stores and eating and drinking places. The transportation industry continued to exhibit strength, with an addition of 25,000 jobs. Employment in finance, insurance, and real estate rose by 10,000 in July. Little employment growth occurred in wholesale trade. Recent employment growth in this industry has been at a much slower pace than earlier in the year.

Weekly Hours (Establishment Survey Data)

The average workweek for production or nonsupervisory workers on private nonagricultural payrolls increased 0.3 hour to 34.9 hours, seasonally adjusted. The manufacturing workweek held at 41.0 hours, while factory overtime, at 3.9 hours, was up 0.1 hour. (See table B-2.)

Mainly reflecting the increase in the workweek, the index of aggregate weekly hours of production or nonsupervisory workers on private nonagricultural payrolls increased by 1.1 percent to 129.4 (1977=100), after seasonal adjustment. The index for manufacturing rose slightly over the month to 96.5. (See table B-5.)

Hourly and Weekly Earnings (Establishment Survey Data)

Average hourly earnings of private production or nonsupervisory workers increased 0.8 percent in July, seasonally adjusted, while average weekly earnings climbed by 1.7 percent. The large increase in hourly earnings followed 2 months of very small changes. Prior to seasonal adjustment, average hourly earnings increased by 5 cents to 59.63 and average weekly earnings jumped \$4.63 to \$338.01. Over the year, both average hourly earnings and average weekly earnings increased by 4.2 percent. (See tables B-3 and B-4.)

The Employment Situation for August 1989 will be release on Friday, September 1, at 8:30 A.M. (EDT).

Explanatory Note

This news release presents statistics from two major surveys, the Current Population Survey (household survey) and the Current Employment Statistics Survey (establishment survey). The household survey provides the information on the labor force, total employment, and unemployment that appears in the A tables, marked HOUSEHOLD DATA. It is a sample survey of about 55,800 households that is conducted by the Bureau of the Census with most of the findings analyzed and published by the Bureau of Labor Statistics (81.5).

The establishment survey provides the information on the employment, hours, and earnings of workers on nonagricultural payrolls that appears in the B tables, marked ESTABLISHMENT DATA. This information is collected from payroll records by B15 in cooperation with State agencies. The sample includes over 300,000 establishments employing over 38 million people.

For both surveys, the data for a given month are actually collected for and relate to a particular week. In the household survey, unless otherwise indicated, it is the calendar week that contains the 12th day of the month, which is called the survey week. In the establishment survey, the reference week is the pay period including the 12th, which may or may not correspond directly to the calendar week.

The data in this release are affected by a number of technical factors, including definitions, survey differences, seasonal adjustments, and the inevitable variance in results between a survey of a sample and a census of the entire population. Each of these factors is explained below.

Coverage, definitions, and differences between surveys

The sample households in the household survey are selected so as to reflect the entire civilian moninstitutional population 16 years of age and older. Each person in a household is classified as employed, unemployed, or not in the labor force. Those who hold more than one job are classified according to the job at which they worked the most hours.

People are classified as employed if they did any work at all as paid civilians; worked in their own business or profession or on their own farm; or worked 15 hours or more in an enterprise operated by a member of their family, whether they were paid or not. People are also counted as employed if they were on unpaid leave because of illness, bad weather, disputes between labor and management, or personal reasons. Members of the Armed Forces stationed in the United States are also included in the employed total.

People are classified as unemployed, regardless of their eligibility for unemployment benefits or public assistance, if they meet all of the following criteria: They had no employment during the survey week; they were available for work at

that time; and they made specific efforts to find employment sometime during the prior 4 weeks. Persons laid off from their former jobs and awaiting recall and those expecting to report to a job within 30 days need not be looking for work to be counted as unemployed.

The labor force equals the sum of the number employed and the number unemployed. The unemployment rate is the percentage of unemployed people in the labor force (civilian plus the resident Armed Forces). Table A-5 presents a special grouping of seven measures of unemployment based on varying definitions of unemployment and the labor force. The definitions are provided in the table. The most restrictive definition yields U-1 and the most comprehensive yields U-7. The overall unemployment rate is U-5a, while U-5b represents the same measure with a civilian labor force base.

Unlike the household survey, the establishment survey only counts wage and salary employees whose names appear on the payroll records of nonagricultural firms. As a result, there are many differences between the two surveys, among which are the following:

- The household survey, although based on a smaller sample, reflects a larger segment of the population; the establishment survey excludes agriculture, the self-employed, unpaid family workers, private household workers, and members of the resident Armed Forces;
- The household survey includes people on unpaid leave among the employed; the establishment survey does not;
- The household survey is limited to those 16 years of age and older; the establishment survey is not limited by age;
- The household survey has no duplication of individuals, because each individual is counted only once; in the establishment survey, employees working at more than one job or otherwise appearing on more than one payroll would be counted tentately for each appearance.

Other differences between the two surveys are described in "Comparing Employment Estimates from Household and Payroll Surveys," which may be obtained from the BLS upon request.

Seasonal adjustment

Over the course of a year, the size of the Nation's labor force and the levels of employment and unemployment undergo sharp fluctuations due to such seasonal events as changes in weather, reduced or expanded production, harvests, major holidays, and the opening and closing of schools. For example, the labor force increases by a large number each June, when schools close and many young people enter the job market. The effect of such seasonal variation can be very large; over the course of a year, for example, seasonality may account for as much as 95 percent of the month-to-month changes in unemployment.

Because these seasonal events follow a more or less regular pattern each year, their influence on statistical trends can be climinated by adjusting the statistics from month to month. These adjustments make nonseasonal developments, such as declines in economic activity or increases in the participation of women in the labor force, easier to spot. To return to the school's-out example, the large number of people entering the labor force each June is likely to obscure any other changes that have taken place since May, making it difficult to determine if the level of economic activity has risen or declined. However, because the effect of students finishing school in previous years is known, the statistics for the current year can be adjusted to allow for a comparable change. Insofar as the seasonal adjustment is made correctly, the adjusted figure provides a more useful tool with which to analyze changes in economic activity.

Measures of labor force, employment, and unemployment contain components such as age and sex. Statistics for all employees, production workers, average weekly hours, and average hourly earnings include components based on the employer's industry. All these statistics can be seasonally adjusted either by adjusting the total or by adjusting each of the components and combining them. The second procedure usually yields more accurate information and is therefore followed by BLS. For example, the seasonally adjusted figure for the labor force is the sum of eight seasonally adjusted civilian employment components, plus the resident Armed Forces total (not adjusted for seasonality), and four seasonally adjusted unemployment components; the total for unemployment is the sum of the four unemployment components; and the overall unemployment rate is derived by dividing the resulting estimate of total unemployment by the estimate of the labor force.

The numerical factors used to make the seasonal adjustments are recalculated regularly. For the household survey, the factors are calculated for the January-June period and again for the July-December period. For the establishment survey, updated factors for seasonal adjustment are calculated for 6 months, along with the introduction of new benchmarks, which are discussed at the end of the next section, and again with the release of data for October. In both surveys, revisions to data published over the previous 5 years are made once a year.

Sampling variability

Statistics based on the household and establishment surveys are subject to sampling error, that is, the estimate of the number of people employed and the other estimates drawn from these surveys probably differ from the figures that would be obtained from a complete census, even if the same question-naires and procedures were used. In the household survey, the amount of the differences can be expressed in terms of standard errors. The numerical value of a standard error depends upon the size of the sample, the results of the survey, and other factors. However, the numerical value is always such that the chances are approximately 68 out of 100 that an estimate based on the sample will differ by no more than the standard error

from the results of a complete census. The chances are approximately 90 out of 100 that an estimate based on the sample will differ by no more than 1.6 times the standard error from the results of a complete census. At approximately the 90-percent level of confidence—the confidence limits used by 81 s in its analyses—the error for the monthly change in total employment is on the order of plus or minus 358,000; for total unemployment rate, it is 224,000, and, for the overall unemployment rate, it is 0.19 percentage point. These figures do not mean that the sample results are off by these magnitudes but, rather, that the chances are approximately 90 out of 100 that the "true" level or rate would not be expected to differ from the estimates by more than these amounts.

Sampling errors for monthly surveys are reduced when the data are cumulated for several months, such as quarterly or annually. Also, as a general rule, the smaller the estimate, the larger the sampling error. Therefore, relatively speaking, the estimate of the size of the labor force is subject to less error than is the estimate of the number unemployed. And, among the unemployed, the sampling error for the jobless rate of adult men, for example, is much smaller than is the error for the jobless rate of teenagers. Specifically, the error on monthly change in the jobless rate for men is .25 percentage point; for teenagers, it is 1.29 percentage points.

In the establishment survey, estimates for the 2 most current months are based on incomplete returns; for this reason, these estimates are labeled preliminary in the tables. When all the returns in the sample have been received, the estimates are revised. In other words, data for the month of September are published in preliminary form in October and November and in final form in December. To remove errors that build up over time, a comprehensive count of the employed is conducted each year. The results of this survey are used to establish new benchmarks—comprehensive counts of employment—against which month-to-month changes can be measured. The new benchmarks also incorporate changes in the classification of industries and allow for the formation of measured.

Additional statistics and other information

In order to provide a broad view of the Nation's employment situation, Bt's regularly publishes a wide variety of data in this news release. More comprehensive statistics are contained in *Employment and Earnings*, published each month by BLS. It is available for \$8.50 per issue or \$25.00 per year from the U.S. Government Printing Office, Washington, D.C., 20204. A check or money order made out to the Superintendent of Documents must accompany all orders.

Employment and Earnings also provides approximations of the standard errors for the household survey data published in this release. For unemployment and other labor force categories, the standard errors appear in tables B through J of its "Explanatory Notes." Measures of the reliability of the data drawn from the establishment survey and the actual amounts of revision due to benchmark adjustments are provided in tables M, O, P, and Q of that publication.

Table A-1. Employment status of the population, including Armed Forces in the United States, by sex

(Numbers in thousands)

| | Not se | asonally a | djusted | | s | easonally | adjusted' | | |
|--|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|-------------|--------------|--------------|
| Employment status and sex | July 1988 | June 1989 | July 1989 | July 1988 | Mar. 1989 | Apr. 1989 | May 1989 | June 1989 | July 1989 |
| TOTAL | | | | | | - | | | |
| Noninstitutional population ² | . 186,402 | 187,995 | 188,149 | 186,402 | 187,581 | 187,708 | 187,854 | 187,995 | 188,149 |
| Labor force ² | . 125,561 | 127,235 | 127,904 | 123,331 | 124,948 | 125,343 | 125,283 | 125,768 | 125,622 |
| Participation rate ³ | 67.4 | 67.7 | 68.0 | 66.2 | 66.6 | 66.8 | 66.7 | 66.9 | 66.8 |
| Total employed ² | . 118,739 | 120,385 | 121,168 | 116,707 | 118,820 | 118,797 | 118,888 | 119,207 | 119,125 |
| Employment-population ratio* | . 63.7 | 64.0 | 64.4 | 62.6 | 63.3 | 63.3 | 63.3 | 63.4 | 63.3 |
| Resident Armed Forces | . 1,673 | 1,666 | 1,666 | 1,673 | 1,684 | 1,684 | 1,673 | 1,666 | 1,666 |
| Civilian employed | . 117,066 | 118,719 | 119,502 | 115,034 | 117,136 | 117,113 | 117,215 | 117,541 | 117,459 |
| Agriculture | 3,541 | 3,494 | 3,713 | 3,060 | 3,206 | 3,104 | 3,112 | 3,096 | 3,219 |
| Nonagricultural industries | . 113,524 | 115,226 | 115,789 | 111,974 | 113,930 | 114,009 | 114,102 | 114,445 | 114,240 |
| Unemployed | | 6,850 | 6,736 | 6,624 | 6,128 | 6,546 | 6,395 | 6,561 | 6,497 |
| Unemployment rate ⁵ | . 5.4 | 5.4 | 5.3 | 5.4 | 4.9 | 5.2 | 5.1 | 5.2 | 5.2 |
| Not in labor force | | 60,760 | 60,245 | 63,071 | 62,633 | 62,365 | 62,571 | 62,228 | 62,527 |
| Men, 16 years and over | | | | | | | | | |
| Noninstitutional population ² | 89,445 | 90,237 | 90,315 | 89,445 | 90,032 | 90.094 | 90,167 | 90,237 | 90,315 |
| Labor force ² | 70,205 | 70,714 | 71,072 | 68,461 | 69,190 | 69,360 | 69,114 | 69,507 | 69,245 |
| Participation rate ³ | . 78.5 | 78.4 | 78.7 | 76.5 | 76.9 | 77.0 | 76.7 | 77.0 | 76.7 |
| Total employed ² | 66,676 | 67,230 | 67,764 | 64,941 | 65,920 | 65,767 | 65,713 | 66,110 | 65,961 |
| Employment-population ratio ⁴ | . 74.5 | 74.5 | 75.0 | 72.6 | 73.2 | 73.0 | 72.9 | 73.3 | 73.0 |
| Resident Armed Forces | . 1,512 | 1,501 | 1,499 | 1,512 | 1,521 | 1,521 | 1,511 | 1,501 | 1,499 |
| Civilian employed | . 65,164 | 65,729 | 66,265 | 63,429 | 64,399 | 64,246 | 64,202 | 64,609 | 64,462 |
| Unemployed | . 3,529 | 3,484 | 3,308 | 3,520 | 3,270 | 3,593 | 3,401 | 3,397 | 3,284 |
| Unemployment rate ⁵ | 5.0 | 4.9 | 4.7 | 5.1 | 4.7 | 5.2 | 4.9 | 4.9 | 4.7 |
| Women, 16 years and over | | | | | | | | | |
| Noninstitutional population ² | 96,957 | 97,758 | 97,834 | 96,957 | 97,550 | 97,614 | 97.687 | 97,758 | 97.834 |
| Labor force ² | | 56,521 | 56,832 | 54.870 | 55.758 | 55,983 | 56,169 | 56,261 | 56,377 |
| Participation rate ³ | 57.1 | 57.8 | 58.1 | 56.6 | 57.2 | 57.4 | .57.5 | 57.6 | 57.€ |
| Total employed ² | . 52,063 | 53,155 | 53,404 | 51.766 | 52,900 | 53.029 | 53,175 | 53.097 | 53,164 |
| Employment-population ratio ⁴ | . 53.7 | 54.4 | 54.6 | 53.4 | 54.2 | 54.3 | 54.4 | 54.3 | 54.3 |
| Resident Armed Forces | | 165 | 167 | 161 | 163 | 163 | 162 | 165 | 167 |
| Civilian employed | 51,902 | 52,990 | 53,237 | 51,605 | 52,737 | 52,866 | 53,013 | 52,932 | 52,997 |
| Unemployed | 3,294 | 3,365 | 3,428 | 3,104 | 2,858 | 2.953 | 2,994 | 3.164 | 3,213 |
| Unemployment rate ⁵ | 6.0 | 6.0 | 6.0 | 5.7 | 5.1 | 5.3 | 5.3 | 5.6 | 5.7 |

¹ The population and Armed Forces figures are not adjusted for seasonal variation; therefore, identical numbers appear in the unadjusted and seasonally adjusted columns.

and seasonally adjusted columns.

2 Includes members of the Armed Forces stationed in the United States.

^a Labor force as a percent of the noninstitutional population.

Total employment as a percent of the noninstitutional population.

Unemployment as a percent of the labor force (including the resident

Armed Forces).

Table A-2. Employment status of the civilian population by sex and age

(Numbers in thousands)

| | Not se | asonally a | djusted | : | | ieasonally | adjusted | | |
|--|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|-------------|--------------|--------------|
| Employment status, sex, and age | July 1988 | June 1989 | July 1989 | July 1988 | Mar. 1989 | Apr. 1989 | May 1989 | June 1989 | July 1989 |
| TOTAL | | | | | | | | | |
| Civilian noninstitutional population | 184,729 | 186,329 | 186.483 | 184,729 | 185.897 | 186,024 | 186,181 | 186,329 | 186,483 |
| Civilian labor force | | 125,569 | 126,238 | 121.658 | 123,264 | 123,659 | 123,610 | 124,102 | 123,956 |
| Participation rate | | 67.4 | 67.7 | 65.9 | 66.3 | 66.5 | 66.4 | 66.6 | 66.5 |
| Employed | | 118,719 | 119,502 | 115,034 | 117,136 | 117,113 | 117,215 | 117,541 | 117,459 |
| Employment-population ratio ² | | 63.7 | 64.1 | 62.3 | 63.0 | 63.0 | 63.0 | 63.1 | 63.0 |
| Unemployed | | 6.850 | 6.736 | 6.624 | 6.128 | 6.546 | 6.395 | 6,561 | 6.497 |
| Unemployment rate | | 5.5 | 5.3 | 5.4 | 5.0 | 5.3 | 5.2 | 5.3 | 5.2 |
| Men, 20 years and over | | | | } | | -1.5 | | | |
| men, to years and over | | , | İ | Ì | | | 1 | İ | 1 |
| Civilian noninstitutional population | 80,608 | 81,592 | 81,679 | 80,608 | 81,333 | 81,413 | 81,524 | 81,592 | 81,679 |
| Civilian labor force | | 64,325 | 64,325 | 62,729 | 63,557 | 63,709 | 63,503 | 63,831 | 63,656 |
| Participation rate | 78.6 | 78.8 | 78.8 | 77.8 | 78.1 | 78.3 | 77.9 | 78.2 | 77.9 |
| Employed | 60,622 | 61,688 | 61,710 | 59.897 | 60,869 | 60,757 | 60,798 | 61,093 | 60,921 |
| Employment-population ratio ² | | 75.6 | 75.6 | 74.3 | 74.8 | 74.6 | 74.6 | 74.9 | 74.6 |
| Agriculture | | 2.439 | 2.546 | 2.252 | 2,317 | 2.252 | 2.284 | 2,256 | 2,342 |
| Nonagricultural industries | | 59,249 | 59.165 | 57,645 | 58.552 | 58.505 | 58,514 | 58,837 | 58,579 |
| Unemployed | | 2,636 | 2.614 | 2.832 | 2,688 | 2.952 | 2.705 | 2,737 | 2,734 |
| Unemployment rate | | 4.1 | 4.1 | 4.5 | 4.2 | 4.6 | 4.3 | 4.3 | 4.3 |
| Women, 20 years and over | | | | | | | | | |
| Civilian noninstitutional population | 89,588 | 90.526 | 90.607 | 89.588 | 90,242 | 90.318 | 90,432 | 90.526 | 90,607 |
| Civilian labor force | | 51,918 | 52,038 | 50,807 | 51,851 | 51,992 | 52,171 | 52,231 | 52,463 |
| Participation rate | | 57.4 | 57.4 | 56.7 | 57.5 | 57.6 | 57.7 | 57.7 | 57.9 |
| Employed | | 49,392 | 49,326 | 48.242 | 49,484 | 49.544 | 49,690 | 49.661 | 49,850 |
| Employment-population ratio ² | | 54.6 | 54.4 | 53.8 | 54.8 | 54.9 | 54.9 | 54.9 | 55.0 |
| Agriculture | | 684 | 743 | 549 | 664 | 615 | 628 | 610 | 62 |
| Nonagricultural industries | | 48,708 | 48.583 | 47.693 | 48.819 | 48.929 | 49.062 | 49,051 | 49,223 |
| Unemployed | | 2.526 | 2,712 | 2,565 | 2,367 | 2,448 | 2,480 | 2,570 | 2.613 |
| Unemployment rate | | 4.9 | 5.2 | 5.0 | 4.6 | 4.7 | 4.6 | 4.9 | 5.0 |
| Both sexes, 16 to 19 years | | | | | | | | | |
| Civilian noninstitutional population | 14,533 | 14,211 | 14,196 | 14,533 | 14,323 | 14,293 | 14,224 | 14,211 | 14,196 |
| Civilian labor force | | 9,326 | 9,875 | 8,122 | 7.856 | 7,958 | 7,936 | 8,040 | 7,83 |
| Participation rate | | 65.6 | 69.6 | 55.9 | 54.9 | 55.7 | 55.8 | 56.6 | 55. |
| Employed | | 7.639 | 8.465 | 6,895 | 6,783 | 6,812 | 6,726 | 6,786 | 6,68 |
| Employment-population ratio ² | | 53.8 | 59.6 | 47.4 | 47.4 | 47.7 | 47.3 | 47.8 | 47. |
| Agriculture | | 371 | 425 | 259 | 224 | 237 | 200 | 230 | 249 |
| | | 7,268 | 8.041 | 6.636 | 6.559 | 6,575 | 6.526 | 6.556 | 6.43 |
| Nonagricultural industries | 1,482 | 1,687 | 1,410 | 1,227 | 1,073 | 1,146 | 1,210 | 1,254 | 1.150 |
| | | 1 7 | , | 15.1 | 13.7 | 1,146 | 15.2 | 15.6 | 14.7 |
| Unemployment rate | 14.6 | 18.1 | 14.3 | 15.1 | 13./ | 14.4 | 15.2 | 15.6 | 14. |

¹ The population figures are not adjusted for seasonal variation; therefore, identical numbers appear in the unadjusted and seasonally adjusted columns.

 $^{^{2}}$ Civilian employment as a percent of the civilian noninstitutional population.

Table A-3. Employment status of the civilian population by race, sex, age, and Hispanic origin

(Numbers in thousands)

| Smalleyment status | Not se | asonaliy a | djusted | <u>!</u> | Seasonally adjusted | | | | | |
|---|--------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------------|---------------|-----------------------|---------------|---------------|--|
| Employment status, race, sex, ag e, a nd Hispanic origin | July 1988 | June 1989 | July 1989 | July 1988 | Mar. 1989 | Apr. 1989 | May 1989 | June 1989 | July 1989 | |
| WHITE | | | | | | | | | •= | |
| Civilian noninstitutional population | 158,279 | 159,297 | 159,400 | 158,279 | 159,020 | 159.098 | 159,200 | 159,297 | 159,400 | |
| Civilian labor force | | 107,762 | 108,113 | 104,651 | 105,988 | 106,312 | 106,164 | 106,455 | 106,424 | |
| Participation rate | 67.2 | 67.6 | 67.8 | 66.1 | 66.7 | 66.8 | 66.7 | 66.8 | 66.8 | |
| Employed | | 102,869 | 103,215 | 99,761 | 101,554 | 101,458 | 101,465 | 101,693 | 101,581 | |
| Employment-population ratio ² | | 64.6 | 64.8 | 63.0 | 63.9 | 63.8 | 63.7 | 63.8 | 63.7 | |
| Unemployed Unemployment rate | | 4,893 4.5 | 4,898 4.5 | 4,890 4.7 | 4,434 | 4,854 4.6 | 4,699 4.4 | 4,762 4.5 | 4,843 4.6 | |
| Men, 20 years and over | | | | | | | | | | |
| Civilian labor force | | 55,985 | 55,922 | 54,712 | 55,382 | 55,448 | 55,249 | 55,557 | 55,437 | |
| Participation rate | | 79.3 | 79.1 | 78.2 | 78.6 | 78.7 | 78.3 | 78.7 | 78.4 | |
| Employed | | 54,035 | 53,983 | 52,557 | 53,387 | 53,246 | 53,248 | 53,500 | 53,343 | |
| Employment-population ratio ² | | 76.5 | 76.4 | 75.2 | 75.8 | 75.5 | 75.5 | 75.8 | 75.5 | |
| Unemployed Unemployment rate | | 1,950 3.5 | 1,939 3.5 | 2,155 3.9 | 1,995 3.6 | 2,202 4.0 | 2,001 3.6 | 2,057 3.7 | 2,094 | |
| Women, 20 years and over | | | | | | | | | | |
| Civilian labor force | | 43,847 | 43,869 | 42,958 | 43,780 | 44,016 | 44,084 | 44,050 | 44,302 | |
| Participation rate | | 56.9 | 56.8 | 56.2 | 56.9 | 57.2 | 57.2 | 57.1 | 57.4 | |
| Employed | | 42,067 | 41,902 | 41,124 | 42,115 | 42,207 | 42,282 | 42,236 | 42,411 | |
| Employment-population ratio ² | | 54.6 | 54.3 | 53.8 | 54.7 | 54.8 | 54.9 | 54.8 | 55.0 | |
| Unemployed Unemployment rate | | 1,780 4.1 | 1,967 4.5 | 1,834 4.3 | 1,665 3.8 | 1,810 4.1 | 1,803 | 1,814 4.1 | 1,891 | |
| Both sexes, 16 to 19 years | | | | | | | | | | |
| Civilian labor force | | 7,931 | 8,322 | 6,981 | 6,826 | 6.848 | 6,831 | 6,848 | 6,685 | |
| Participation rate | | 68.6 | 72.1 | 58.9 | 58.7 | 59.0 | 59.0 | 59.2 | 57.9 | |
| Employed | 7,579 | 6,768 | 7,330 | 6,080 | 6,052 | 6,005 | 5,936 | 5,957 | 5,827 | |
| Employment-population ratio ² | 63.9 | 58.5 | 63.5 | 51.3 | 52.1 | 51.8 | 51.3 | 51.5 | 50.5 | |
| Unemployment rate | | 1,163 | 992 | 901 | 774 | 843 | 895 | 891 | 858 | |
| Unemployment rate Men | | 14.7 | 11.9 | 12.9 | 11.3 | 12.3 | 13.1 | 13.0 | 12.8 | |
| Women | | 14.4 | 11.3 12.6 | 14.3 11.4 | 12.3 10.2 | 13.1 11.5 | 14.8 11.2 | 13.4 | 12.4 | |
| BLACK | | | Ì | | | | | | | |
| Civilian noninstitutional population | 20,715 | 21,012 | 21,038 | 20,715 | 20,930 | 20,956 | 20,986 | 21,012 | 21,038 | |
| Civilian labor force | 13,700 | 13,751 | 13,978 | 13,283 | 13,425 | 13,287 | 13,444 | 13,600 | 13,555 | |
| Participation rate | | 65.4 | 66.4 | 64.1 | 64.1 | 63.4 | 64.1 | 64.7 | 64.4 | |
| Employed | | 12,023 | 12,364 | 11,761 | 11,961 | 11,846 | 11,968 | 11,982 | 12,082 | |
| Employment-population ratio ² | | 57.2 | 58.8 | 56.8 | 57.1 | 56.5 | 57.0 | 57.0 | 57.4 | |
| Unemployed | 1,669 | 1,728 | 1,614 | 1,522 | 1,464 | 1,442 | 1,476 | 1,618 | 1,473 | |
| Unemployment rate | 12.2 | 12.6 | 11.5 | 11.5 | 10.9 | 10.8 | 11.0 | 11.9 | 10.9 | |
| Men, 20 years and over Civilian labor force | 6,161 | 6,240 | 6,286 | 6.000 | | | | | | |
| Participation rate | | 74.6 | 75.1 | 6,080 73.9 | 6,230 | 6,171 | 6,207 | 6,200 | 6,205 | |
| Employed | 5,569 | 5,653 | 5,708 | 5,495 | 74.8 5,620 | 74.0 5,554 | 74.3 | 74.1 | 74.1 | |
| Employment-population ratio ² | 67.7 | 67.6 | 68.2 | 66.8 | 67.5 | 66.6 | 5,622 67.3 | 5,619 67.2 | 5,629 | |
| Unemployed Unemployment rate | 592 | 588 | 578 | 585 | 611 | 617 | 586 | 581 | 576 | |
| | 9.6 | 9.4 | 9.2 | 9.6 | 9.8 | 10.0 | 9.4 | 9.4 | 9.3 | |
| Women, 20 years and over Civilian labor force | 6,284 | 6,343 | 6 400 | 0.000 | 0.00 | | | | 1 | |
| Participation rate | | 60.6 | 6,400 | 6,286 | 6,315 | 6,227 | 6,340 | 6,405 | 6,394 | |
| Employed | | 5,680 | 61.0 5,742 | 61.0 5,640 | 60.5 | 59.6 | 60.6 | 61.2 | 61.0 | |
| Employment-population ratio ² | | 54.2 | 54.7 | 54.7 | 5,739 55.0 | 5,677 54.3 | 5,740 | 5,732 | 5,759 54.9 | |
| Unemployed | 668 | 663 | 658 | 646 | 576 | 550 | 54.9 600 | 54.7 674 | 635 | |
| Unemployment rate | 10.6 | 10.5 | 10.3 | 10.3 | 9.1 | 8.8 | 9.5 | 10.5 | 9.9 | |
| Both sexes, 16 to 19 years Civilian labor force | 1051 | 4 466 | 1.004 | | | | 1 | | | |
| Participation rate | | 1,168 53.7 | 1,291 | 917 | 880 | 889 | 897 | 994 | 956 | |
| Employed | | 690 | 59.4 913 | 42.0 626 | 40.5 | 40.9 | 41.3 | 45.7 | 44.0 | |
| Employment-population ratio ² | | 31.7 | 42.0 | 28.7 | 602 27.7 | 615 | 606 | 631 | 694 | |
| Unemployed | | 478 | 378 | 291 | 27.7 | 28.3 274 | 27.9 291 | 29.0 363 | 31.9 262 | |
| Unemployment rate | 32.6 | 40.9 | 29.3 | 31.7 | | 30.8 | 32.4 | 36.5 | 27.4 | |
| Men | 32.3 | 36.4 | 25.5 | 31.2 | 28.6 | 35.5 | 36.9 | 33.5 | . 22.1 | |
| Women | 32.9 | 46.4 | 33.6 | 32.4 | 34.8 | | 28.4 | 40.2 | 33.1 | |

See footnotes at end of table.

Table A-3. Employment status of the civilian population by race, sex, age, and Hispanic origin-Continued

(Numbers in thousands)

| Employment status, race, sex, age, and | Not sea | sonally a | justed | Seasonally adjusted | | | | | | | |
|---|--------------|--------------|--------------|---------------------|--------------|--------------|-------------|--------------|--------------|--|--|
| Employment status, race, sex, age, and Hispanic origin | July 1988 | June 1989 | July 1989 | July 1988 | Mar. 1989 | Apr. 1989 | May 1989 | June 1989 | July 1989 | | |
| HISPANIC ORIGIN | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Civilian noninstitutional population | 13,344 | 13,772 | 13,813 | 13,344 | 13,649 | 13,690 | 13,731 | 13,772 | 13,813 | | |
| Civilian labor force | 9,133 | 9,404 | 9,558 | 8,997 | 9,210 | 9,262 | 9,428 | 9,272 | 9,433 | | |
| Participation rate | 68.4 | 68.3 | 69.2 | 67.4 | · 67.5 | 67.7 | 68.7 | 67.3 | 68.3 | | |
| Employed | 8,396 | 8,643 | 8,707 | 8,265 | 8,607 | 8,495 | 8,686 | 8,524 | 8,587 | | |
| Employment-population ratio ² | 62.9 | 62.8 | 63.0 | 61.9 | 63.1 | 62.1 | 63.3 | 61.9 | 62.2 | | |
| Unemployed | 737 | 761 | 851 | 732 | 603 | 767 | 742 | 748 | 846 | | |
| Unemployment rate | 8.1 | 8.1 | 8.9 | 8.1 | 6.5 | 8.3 | 7.9 | 8.1 | 9.0 | | |

^{&#}x27; The population figures are not adjusted for seasonal variation; therefore, identical numbers appear in the unadjusted and seasonally adjusted columns.

² Civilian employment as a percent of the civilian noninstitutional

population.

NOTE: Detail for the above race and Hispanic-origin groups will not sum to totals because data for the "other races" group are not presented and Hispanics are included in both the white and black population groups.

Table A-4. Selected employment indicators

(In thousands)

| | Not se | asonaliy a | djusted | Seasonally adjusted | | | | | | | |
|--------------------------------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|---------------------|--------------|--------------|-------------|--------------|--------------|--|--|
| Category | July 1988 | June 1989 | July 1989 | July 1988 | Mar. 1989 | Apr. 1989 | May 1989 | June 1989 | July 1989 | | |
| CHARACTERISTIC | | | | | | | <u> </u> | | i | | |
| Civilian employed, 16 years and over | 117,066 | 118,719 | 119,502 | 115,034 | 117,136 | 117,113 | 117,215 | 117,541 | 117,459 | | |
| Married men, spouse present | | 41,225 | 41,253 | 40,518 | 41,083 | 40,890 | 40,902 | 41,102 | 41,089 | | |
| Married women, spouse present | 28,138 | 29,245 | 26,961 | 28,669 | 29,569 | 29,656 | 29,739 | 29,481 | 29,552 | | |
| Women who maintain families | 6,127 | 6,320 | 6,404 | 6,170 | 6,256 | 6,243 | 6,331 | 6,403 | 6,456 | | |
| MAJOR INDUSTRY AND CLASS OF WORKER | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Agriculture: | | | | | | | | | l | | |
| Wage and salary workers | 1,853 | 1,818 | 1,982 | 1,572 | 1,656 | 1,554 | 1,610 | 1,550 | 1,695 | | |
| Self-employed workers | 1,482 | 1,504 | 1,556 | 1,362 | 1,403 | 1,419 | 1,358 | 1,412 | 1,434 | | |
| Unpaid family workers | 207 | 172 | 175 | 149 | 138 | 124 | 127 | 126 | 126 | | |
| Nonagricultural industries: | • | ĺ | | ! ! | | • | [| 1 | 1 | | |
| Wage and salary workers | 104,659 | 106,357 | 106,868 | 103,189 | 104,982 | 104,985 | 105,245 | 105,519 | 105,321 | | |
| Government | 16,433 | 16,881 | 16,888 | 17,031 | 17,382 | 17,180 | 17,230 | 17,261 | 17,519 | | |
| Private industries | 88,226 | 89,476 | 89,981 | 86,158 | 87,600 | 87,806 | 88,015 | 88,259 | 87,603 | | |
| Private households | 1,251 | 1,220 | 1,207 | 1,132 | 1,163 | 1,117 | 1,128 | 1,140 | 1,093 | | |
| Other industries | 66,975 | 88,256 | 88,774 | 85,026 | 86,437 | 86,689 | 86,887 | 87,118 | 86,710 | | |
| Self-employed workers | 8,605 | 8,613 | 8,675 | 8,531 | 8,645 | 8,671 | 8,516 | 8,570 | 8,606 | | |
| Unpaid family workers | 259 | 255 | 245 | 251 | 332 | 281 | 322 | 241 | 239 | | |
| PERSONS AT WORK PART TIME | | | | | | | | | | | |
| All industries: | | | | | | ! ! | l | İ | 1 | | |
| Part time for economic reasons | 6,141 | 5,413 | 5,500 | 5,341 | 4,968 | 5,143 | 4,837 | 4,957 | 4,750 | | |
| Slack work | 2,450 | 2,223 | 2.299 | 2,471 | 2,232 | 2,373 | 2,296 | 2.318 | 2,311 | | |
| Could only find part-time work | 3,309 | 2,713 | 2,788 | 2,538 | 2,393 | 2,425 | 2,343 | 2,289 | 2,138 | | |
| Voluntary part time | 12,357 | 13,736 | 12,882 | 15,026 | 15,561 | 15,498 | 15,316 | 15,416 | 15,652 | | |
| Nonagricultural industries: | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Part time for economic reasons | 5,869 | 5,199 | 5,199 | 5,102 | 4,709 | 4,930 | 4,609 | 4,801 | 4,505 | | |
| Slack work | 2,292 | 2,105 | 2,161 | 2,334 | 2,048 | 2,243 | 2,102 | 2,190 | 2,185 | | |
| Could only find part-time work | 3,214 | 2,625 | 2,647 | 2,493 | 2,317 | 2,369 | 2,301 | 2,236 | 2,057 | | |
| Voluntary part time | 11,911 | 13,240 | 12,419 | 14,606 | 15.127 | 15,060 | 14,976 | 14,977 | 15,219 | | |

^{&#}x27; Excludes persons "with a job but not at work" during the survey

period for such reasons as vacation, illness, or industrial dispute.

Table A-5. Range of unemployment measures based on varying definitions of unemployment and the labor force, seasonally adjusted

(Percent)

| | | Quart | erly aver | ages | | Мо | onthiy da | ta |
|--|----------|-------|-----------|------|-----|------|-----------|------|
| Measure | | 1988 | 1989 | | | 1989 | | |
| | <u> </u> | 101 | ΙV | | _1 | May | June | July |
| U-1 Persons unemployed 15 weeks or longer as a percent of the civilian labor force | 1.3 | 1.3 | 1.2 | 1.1 | 1.1 | 1.1 | 1.0 | 1.2 |
| U-2 Job losers as a percent of the civilian labor force | 2.5 | · 2.5 | 2.5 | 2.4 | 2.3 | 2.2 | 2.2 | 2.4 |
| U-3 Unemployed persons 25 years and over as a percent of the civilian labor force | 4.2 | 4.2 | 4.1 | 4.0 | 4.0 | 4.0 | 4.0 | 4.0 |
| U-4 Unemployed full-time jobseekers as a percent of the full-time civilian labor force | 5.1 | 5.1 | 5.0 | 4.9 | 4.9 | 4.8 | 4.8 | 4.9 |
| U-5a Total unemployed as a percent of the labor force, including the resident Armed Forces | . 5.4 | 5.4 | 5.3 | 5.1 | 5.2 | 5.1 | 5.2 | 5.2 |
| U-5b Total unemployed as a percent of the civillan labor force | 5.5 | 5.5 | 5.3 | 5.2 | 5.3 | 5.2 | 5.3 | 5.2 |
| U-6 Total full-time jobseekers plus 1/2 part-time jobseekers plus 1/2 total on part time for economic reasons as a percent of the civilian labor force less 1/2 of the part-time labor force | . 7.6 | 7.6 | 7.5 | 7.2 | 7.2 | 7.1 | 7.2 | 7.2 |
| U-7 Total full-time jobseekers plus 1/2 part-time jobseekers plus 1/2 total on part time for economic reasons plus discouraged workers as a percent of the civilian labor force plus discouraged workers less 1/2 of the part-time labor force | . 8.3 | 8.4 | 8.2 | 7.9 | 7.9 | N.A. | N.A. | N.A. |

N.A. = not available.

Table A-6. Selected unemployment indicators, seasonally adjusted

| Category | unem | Number of ployed per thousands | | Unemployment rates¹ | | | | | | | |
|---|--------------|--------------------------------------|--------------|---------------------|--------------|--------------|-------------|--------------|--------------|--|--|
| | July 1988 | June 1989 | July 1989 | July 1988 | Mar. 1989 | Apr. 1989 | May 1989 | June 1989 | July 1989 | | |
| CHARACTERISTIC | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Total, 16 years and over | 6.624 | 6.561 | 6,497 | 5.4 | 5.0 | 5.3 | 5.2 | 5.3 | 5.2 | | |
| Men, 16 years and over | 3,520 | 3,397 | 3,284 | 5.3 | 4.8 | 5.3 | 5.0 | 5.0 | 4.8 | | |
| Men, 20 years and over | 2.832 | 2.737 | 2,734 | 4.5 | 4.2 | 4.6 | 4.3 | 4.3 | 4.3 | | |
| Women, 16 years and over | 3,104 | 3,164 | 3,213 | 5.7 | 5.1 | 5.3 | 5.3 | 5.6 | 5.7 | | |
| Women, 20 years and over | 2,565 | 2,570 | 2,613 | 5.0 | 4.6 | 4.7 | 4.8 | 4.9 | 5.0 | | |
| Both sexes, 16 to 19 years | 1,227 | 1,254 | 1,150 | 15.1 | 13.7 | 14.4 | 15.2 | 15.6 | 14.7 | | |
| Married men, spouse present | 1,280 | 1,196 | 1,207 | 3.1 | 2.9 | 3.2 | 2.9 | 2.8 | 2.9 | | |
| Married women, spouse present | | 1,177 | 1,163 | 4.0 | 3.5 | 4.0 | 3.8 | 3.8 | 3.8 | | |
| Women who maintain families | 571 | 549 | 617 | 8.5 | 7.9 | 7.6 | 8.3 | 7.9 | 8.7 | | |
| Full-time workers | 5,215 | 5,131 | 5,218 | 5.0 | 4.8 | 5.0 | 4.8 | 4.8 | 4.9 | | |
| Part-time workers | 1,419 | 1,413 | 1,320 | 8.0 6.4 | 6.2 5.8 | 7.2 6.0 | 6.9 5.9 | 7.7 6.1 | 7.2 6.0 | | |
| INDUSTRY | , | | | | | | İ | | | | |
| Nonagricultural private wage and salary workers | 4,961 | 4,971 | 5,028 | 5.4 | 5.0 | 5.4 | 5.2 | 5.3 | 5.4 | | |
| Goods-producing industries | 1,841 | 1,827 | 1,817 | 6.3 | 5.8 | 6.0 | 5.8 | 6.2 | 6.2 | | |
| Mining | 42 | 27 | 39 | 5.4 | 7.0 | 5.6 | 4.5 | 3.7 | 5.5 | | |
| Construction | 649 | 647 | 670 | 10.4 | 9.4 | 9.7 | 9.3 | 10.0 | 10.5 | | |
| Manufacturing | 1,150 | 1,154 | 1,108 | 5.2 | 4.8 | 4.9 | 4.9 | 5.2 | 5.0 | | |
| Durable goods | 641 | 600 | 609 | 4.9 | 4.7 | 4.7 | 4.5 | 4.6 | 4.7 | | |
| Nondurable goods | 509 | 554 | 499 | 5.6 | 4.9 | 5.2 | 5.5 | 6.1 | 5.5 | | |
| Service-producing industries | 3,120 | 3,145 | 3,211 | 5.0 | 4.6 | 5.1 | 4.9 | 4.9 | 5.0 | | |
| Transportation and public utitities | 231 | 284 | 273 | 3.6 | 3.9 | 4.0 | 4.0 | 4.4 | 4.2 | | |
| Wholesale and retail trade | 1,419 | 1,423 | 1,460 | 6.2 | 5.6 | 5.9 | 5.5 | 6.0 | 6.2 | | |
| Finance and service industries | 1,470 | 1,438 | 1,477 | 4.5 | 4.1 | 4.8 | 4.7 | 4.3 | 4.4 | | |
| Government workers | 523 | 528 | 511 | 3.0 | 2.6 | 2.7 | 2.9 | 3.0 | . 2.8 | | |
| Agricultural wage and salary workers | 194 | 192 | 157 | 11.0 | 8.9 | 10.5 | 10.3 | 11.0 | 8. | | |

economic reasons as a percent of potentially available labor force hours

Unemployment as a percent of the civilian labor force.
 Aggregate hours lost by the unemployed and persons on part time for

Table A-7. Duration of unemployment

(Numbers in thousands)

| | Not sea | sonally ac | ljusted | | S | | | | |
|-----------------------------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|-------------|--------------|--------------|
| Weeks of unemployment | July 1988 | June 1989 | July 1989 | July 1988 | Mar. 1989 | Apr. 1989 | May 1989 | June 1989 | July 1989 |
| DURATION | | | | | | - | | | |
| Less than 5 weeks | 3,164 | 3,905 | 5,338 | 2,985 | 3.055 | 3,090 | 3,041 | 3,309 | 3,149 |
| 5 to 14 weeks | 2,186 | 1,701 | 2.070 | 2.041 | 1,821 | 2.034 | 2.017 | 1,999 | 1.927 |
| 15 weeks and over | 1,473 | 1,243 | 1.328 | 1,619 | 1.310 | 1,426 | 1,313 | 1,258 | 1,472 |
| 15 to 26 weeks | 685 | 644 | 712 | 826 | 648 | 689 | 702 | 659 | 846 |
| 27 weeks and over | 788 | 599 | 616 | 793 | 663 | 737 | 611 | 599 | 626 |
| Average (mean) duration, in weeks | 12.7 | 10.5 | 11.2 | 13.5 | 12 4 | 12.7 | 11.8 | 11.1 | 12.0 |
| Median duration, in weeks | 5.6 | 4.4 | 5.1 | 6.2 | 5.4 | 5.4 | 5.3 | 5.5 | 5.6 |
| PERCENT DISTRIBUTION | | | 1 | | | | | | |
| Total unemployed | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 |
| Less than 5 weeks | 46.4 | 57.0 | 49.5 | 44.9 | 49.4 | 47.2 | 47.7 | 50.4 | 48.1 |
| 5 to 14 weeks | 32.0 | 24.8 | 30.7 | 30.7 | 29.4 | 31.1 | 31.7 | 30.4 | 29.4 |
| 15 weeks and over | 21.6 | 18.2 | 19.7 | 24.4 | 21.2 | 21.8 | 20.6 | 19.2 | 22.5 |
| 15 to 26 weeks | 10.0 | 9.4 | 10.6 | 12.4 | 10.5 | 10.5 | 11.0 | 10.0 | 12.9 |
| 27 weeks and over | 11.5 | 8.7 | 9.1 | 11.9 | 10.7 | 11.3 | 9.6 | 9.1 | 9.6 |

Table A-8. Reason for unemployment

(Numbers in thousands)

| | Not sea | sonally ac | justed | | \$ | easonally | Seasonally adjusted | | | | | |
|--|---|--|---|---|---|---|---|--|---|--|--|--|
| Reasons | July 1988 | June 1989 | July 1989 | July 1988 | Mar. 1989 | Apr. 1989 | May 1989 | June 1989 | July 1989 | | | |
| NUMBER OF UNEMPLOYED | | | | | | | an agent and a finding | | | | | |
| Job losers On layoff Other job losers Job leavers Reentrants New entrants | 2,957 781 2,176 975 1,880 1,011 | 2,563 679 1,884 947 2,197 1,143 | 2,797 755 2,042 1,064 1,946 930 | 3,085 853 2,232 923 1,883 799 | 2,831 808 2,023 885 1,730 713 | 2,984 847 2,137 978 1,894 671 | 2,724 790 1,934 1,114 1,852 683 | 2,765 806 1,958 1,023 2,051 742 | 2,920 822 2,097 1,010 1,934 724 | | | |
| PERCENT DISTRIBUTION | | | | | | : | , | | | | | |
| Total unemployed Job losers On layoff Other job losers Job leavers Reentrants New entrants | 100.0 43.3 11.4 31.9 14.3 27.5 14.8 | 100.0 37.4 9.9 27.5 13.8 32.1 16.7 | 100.0 41.5 11.2 30.3 15.8 28.9 13.8 | 100.0 46.1 12.8 33.4 13.8 28.1 11.9 | 100.0 46.0 13.1 32.8 14.4 28.1 11.6 | 100.0 45.7 13.0 32.7 15.0 29.0 | 100.0 42.7 12.4 30.3 17.5 29.1 10.7 | 100.0 42.0 12.3 29.8 15.5 31.2- 11.3 | 100.0 44.3 12.5 31.8 15.3 29.4 11.0 | | | |
| UNEMPLOYED AS A PERCENT OF THE CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE | | 3 | | | | | | | | | | |
| Job losers | 2.4 .8 1.5 .8 | 2.0 .8 1.7 | 2.2 .8 1.5 | 2.5 .8 1.5 .7 | 2.3 .7 1.4 .6 | 2 4 .8 1.5 .5 | 2.2 .9 1.5 .6 | 2.2 .8 1.7 6 | 2.4 .8 1.6 | | | |

*Table A-9. Unemployed persons by sex and age, seasonally adjusted

| Sex and age | unem | Number of ployed per- thousands | | Unemployment rates' | | | | | | |
|--------------------------|--------------|---------------------------------------|--------------|---------------------|--------------|--------------|-------------|--------------|--------------|--|
| - | July 1988 | June 1989 | July 1989 | July 1988 | Mar. 1989 | Apr. 1989 | May 1989 | June 1989 | July 1989 | |
| Total, 16 years and over | 6.624 | 6,561 | 6,497 | 5.4 | 5.0 | 5.3 | 5.2 | 5.3 | 5.2 | |
| 16 to 24 years | 2,465 | 2,544 | 2,381 | 10.9 | 9.8 | 10.5 | 10.4 | 11.3 | 10.7 | |
| 16 to 19 years | 1,227 | 1,254 | 1,150 | 15.1 | 13.7 | 14.4 | 15.2 | 15.6 | 14.7 | |
| 16 to 17 years | 571 | 535 | 529 | 17.5 | 15.3 | 14.9 | 16.2 | 17.5 | 17.8 | |
| 18 to 19 years | 628 | 737 | 603 | 13.1 | 12.5 | 13.8 | 14.5 | 14.9 | 12.4 | |
| 20 to 24 years | 1.238 | 1,290 | 1,231 | 8.5 | 7.7 | 8.4 | 7.7 | 8.9 | 8.6 | |
| 25 years and over | 4,143 | 4,036 | 4,099 | 4.2 | 3.9 | 4.1 | 4.0 | 4.0 | 4.0 | |
| 25 to 54 years | 3,702 | 3,503 | 3,641 | 4.4 | 4.1 | 4.4 | 4.2 | 4.1 | 4.2 | |
| 55 years and over | 457 | 515 | 485 | 3.1 | 2.6 | 2.9 | 2.9 | 3.3 | 3.1 | |
| Men, 16 years and over | 3,520 | 3,397 | 3,284 | 5.3 | 4.8 | 5.3 | 5.0 | 5.0 | 4.8 | |
| 16 to 24 years | 1,331 | 1,358 | 1,196 | 11.3 | 9.7 | 10.7 | 11.0 | 11.5 | 10.4 | |
| 16 to 19 years | 688 | 660 | 550 | 16.3 | 14.2 | 15.5 | 17.0 | 15.8 | 13.4 | |
| 16 to 17 years | 307 | 323 | 268 | 18.1 | 15.8 | 17.0 | 18.8 | 20.0 | 17.4 | |
| 18 to 19 years | 359 | 347 | 270 | 14.4 | 13.2 | 14.6 | 15.7 | 13.6 | 10.7 | |
| 20 to 24 years | 643 | 698 | 646 | 8.5 | 7.2 | 8.0 | 7.7 | 9.2 | 8.7 | |
| 25 years and over | 2,191 | 2,057 | 2,095 | 4.0 | 3.8 | 4.2 | 3.7 | 3.7 | 3.7 | |
| 25 to 54 years | 1,936 | 1,768 | 1,840 | 4.2 | 4.0 | 4.4 | 3.9 | 3.7 | 3.9 | |
| 55 years and over | 278 | 270 | 274 | 3.2 | 2.8 | 3.2 | 2.9 | 3.0 | 3.1 | |
| Women, 16 years and over | 3,104 | 3,164 | 3,213 | 5.7 | 5.1 | 5.3 | 5.3 | 5.6 | 5.7 | |
| 16 to 24 years | 1,134 | 1,186 | 1,185 | 10.5 | 10.0 | 10.4 | 9.8 | 11.0 | 11.1 | |
| 16 to 19 years | 539 | 594 | 600 | 13.8 | 13.1 | 13.2 | 13.4 | 15.4 | 16.0 | |
| 16 to 17 years | 264 | 212 | 261 | 16.8 | 14.8 | 12.7 | 13.4 | 14.7 | 18.3 | |
| 18 to 19 years | 269 | 390 | 333 | 11.6 | 11.7 | 12.8 | 13.3 | 16.2 | 14.4 | |
| 20 to 24 years | 595 | 592 | 585 | 8.6 | 8.3 | 8.9 | 7.7 | 8.6 | 8.4 | |
| 25 years and over | 1,952 | 1,979 | 2,004 | 4.4 | 4.0 | 4.1 | 4.4 | 4.4 | 4.4 | |
| 25 to 54 years | 1,766 | 1,735 | 1,801 | 4.7 | 4.3 | 4.4 | 4.6 | 4.5 | 4.6 | |
| 55 years and over | 179 | 245 | 211 | 2.9 | 2.3 | 2.6 | 3.0 | 3.8 | 3.2 | |

¹ Unemployment as a percent of the civilian labor force.

Table A-10. Employment status of black and other workers

(Numbers in thousands)

| Employment status | Not sea | asonally a | djusted | Seasonally adjusted | | | | | | | |
|---|---------|------------|---------|---------------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--|--|
| Employment status | July | June | July | July | Mar. | Apr. | May | June | July | | |
| | 1988 | 1989 | 1989 | 1988 | 1989 | 1989 | 1989 | 1989 | 1989 | | |
| Civilian noninstitutional population Civilian labor force Participation rate Employed Employment-population ratio ² Unemployed Unemployed Unemployment rate Not in labor force | 26,451 | 27,031 | 27,082 | 26,451 | 26,877 | 26,926 | 26,981 | 27,031 | 27,082 | | |
| | 17,508 | 17,806 | 18,125 | 17,015 | 17,347 | 17,319 | 17,364 | 17,607 | 17,618 | | |
| | 66.2 | 65.9 | 66.9 | 64.3 | 64.5 | 64.3 | 64.4 | 65.1 | 65.1 | | |
| | 15,633 | 15,850 | 16,287 | 15,301 | 15,651 | 15,656 | 15,707 | 15,795 | 15,934 | | |
| | 59.1 | 58.6 | 60.1 | 57.8 | 58.2 | 58.1 | 58.2 | 58.4 | 58.8 | | |
| | 1,874 | 1,956 | 1,838 | 1,714 | 1,696 | 1,664 | 1,657 | 1,812 | 1,684 | | |
| | 10.7 | 11.0 | 10.1 | 10.1 | 9.8 | 9.6 | 9.5 | 10.3 | 9.6 | | |
| | 8,943 | 9,225 | 8,957 | 9,436 | 9,530 | 9,607 | 9,617 | 9,424 | 9,464 | | |

^{&#}x27; The population figures are not adjusted for seasonal variation; therefore, identical numbers appear in the unadjusted and seasonally adjusted columns.

² Civilian employment as a percent of the civilian noninstitutional population.

Table A-11. Occupational status of the employed and unemployed, not seasonally adjusted

(Numbers in thousands)

| | Civilian | employed | Unemp | loyed | Unemploy | ment rate |
|---|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| Occupation | July 1988 | July 1989 | July 1988 | July 1989 | July 1988 | July 1989 |
| Total, 16 years and over¹ | 117,066 | 119,502 | 6,823 | 6,736 | 5.5 | 5.3 |
| Managerial and professional specialty | 29,006 | 30,088 | 677 | 666 | 2.3 | 2.2 |
| Executive, administrative, and managerial | 14,541 | 15,163 | 316 | 336 | 2.1 | 2.2 |
| Professional specialty | | 14,906 | 361 | 330 | 2.4 | 2.2 |
| Technical, sales, and administrative support | 35,880 | 36,552 | 1,537 | 1,556 | 4.1 | 4.1 |
| Technicians and related support | 3,659 | 3,797 | 89 | 79 | 2.4 | 2.0 |
| Sales occupations | 13,926 | 14,181 | 626 | 659 | 4.3 | 4.4 |
| Administrative support, including clerical | 18,295 | 18,574 | 822 | 818 | 4.3 | 4.2 |
| Service occupations | 15,635 | 16,195 | 1,173 | 1,135 | 7.0 | 6.5 |
| Private household | 992 | 942 | 60 | 59 | 5.7 | 5.9 |
| Protective service | 2,028 | 2,013 | 79 | 76 | 3.7 | 3.6 |
| Service, except private household and protective | 12,615 | 13,239 | 1,034 | 1,001 | 7.6 | 7.0 |
| Precision production, craft, and repair | 14,134 | 14,059 | 676 | 583 | 4.6 | 4.0 |
| Mechanics and repairers | 4,623 | 4,452 | 141 | 108 | 3.0 | 2.4 |
| Construction trades | 5,364 | 5,500 | 338 | 347 | 5.9 | 5.9 |
| Other precision production, craft, and repair | 4,146 | 4,108 | 198 | 128 | 4.6 | 3.0 |
| Operators, fabricators, and laborers | 18,432 | 18,488 | 1,445 | 1,620 | 7.3 | B.1 |
| Machine operators, assemblers, and inspectors | | 8,266 | 640 | 704 | 7.2 | 7.8 |
| Transportation and material moving occupations | | 5,028 | 277 | 320 | 5.4 | 6.0 |
| Handlers, equipment cleaners, helpers, and laborers | | 5,194 | 527 | 597 | 9.0 | 10.3 |
| Construction laborers | | 866 | 124 | 147 | 11.4 | 14.5 |
| Other handlers, equipment cleaners, helpers, and laborers | 4,350 | 4,328 | 403 | 450 | 8.5 | 9.4 |
| Farming, forestry, and fishing | 3,979 | 4,139 | 255 | 203 | 6.0 | 4.7 |

¹ Persons with no previous work experience and those whose last job was in the Armed Forces are included in the unemployed total.

Table A-12. Employment status of male Vietnam-èra veterans and nonveterans by age, not seasonally adjusted

(Numbers in thousands)

| | Cívi | lian | | | | Civilian lal | bor force | | | | | |
|--------------------------|-------------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|----------------|----------------|--|--|
| Veteran status | noninsti popul | tutional | | | | | | Unemp | loyed | | | |
| and age | | | Total | | Employed | | Number | | Perce labor | ent of | | |
| | July 1988 | July 1989 | July 1988 | July 1989 | July 1988 | July 1989 | July 1988 | July 1989 | July 1988_ | , July 1989 | | |
| VIETNAM-ERA VETERANS | į | | • | | | ļ | | | | | | |
| Total, 30 years and over | 7,905 | 7,927 | 7,281 | 7,257 | 7,044 | 6,989 | 237 | 268 | 3.3 | 3.7 | | |
| 30 to 44 years | 5,910 | 5,489 | 5,653 | 5,232 | 5,455 | 5,034 | 198 | 198 | 3.5 | 3.8 | | |
| 30 to 34 years | 685 | 472 | 646 | 447 | 621 | 418 | 25 | 29 | 3.9 | 6.5 | | |
| 35 to 39 years | 2,142 | 1,731 | 2,034 | 1,621 | 1,957 | 1,551 | 77 | 70 | 3.8 | 4.3 | | |
| 40 to 44 years | 3,083 | 3,286 | 2,973 | 3,164 | 2,877 | 3,065 | 96 | 99 | 3.2 | 3.1 | | |
| 45 years and over | 1,995 | 2,438 | 1,628 | 2,025 | 1,589 | 1,955 | 39 | 70 | 2.4 | 3.5 | | |
| NONVETERANS | : | | | | | | | | | <u> </u> | | |
| Total, 30 to 44 years | 20,450 | 21,512 | 19,358 | 20,404 | 18,630 | 19,684 | 728 | 720 | 3.8 | 3.5 | | |
| 30 to 34 years | 9,159 | 9,384 | 8,735 | 8,981 | 8,385 | 8,635 | 350 | 346 | 4.0 | 3.9 | | |
| 35 to 39 years | 6,810 | 7,451 | 6,451 | 7,065 | 6,210 | 6,841 | 241 | 224 | 3.7 | 3.2 | | |
| 40 to 44 years | 4,481 | 4,677 | 4,172 | 4,358 | 4,035 | 4,208 | 137 | 150 | 3.3 | 3.4 | | |

NOTE: Male Vietnam-era veterans are men who served in the Armed Forces between August 5, 1964 and May 7, 1975. Nonveterans are men who have never served in the Armed Forces; published data are limited to

those 30 to 44 years of age, the group that most closely corresponds to the bulk of the Vietnam-era veteran population.

Table A-13. Employment status of the civilian population for eleven large States

(Numbers in thousands)

| | Not sea | sonally adj | usted' | | | Seasonally | adjusted ² | | |
|--------------------------------------|--------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|--|-----------------------|----------------|------------------|
| State and employment status | July 1988 | June 1989 | July 1989 | , July 1988 | Mar. 1989 | Apr. 1989 | May. 1989 | June - 1989 | July 1989 |
| California | 1 | | | : | | The same of the sa | | | |
| Civilian noninstitutional population | 20,854 | 21,122 | 21,147 | 20,854 | 21,037 | 21,059 | 21,085 | 21,122 | 21,147 |
| Civilian labor force | | 14,356 | 14,603 | 14,028 | 14,120 | 14,096 | 14,331 | 14.286 | 14,443 |
| Employed | | 13,570 | 13,751 | 13,269 | 13,480 | 13,339 | 13,546 | 13,489 | 13,674 |
| Unemployed | | 786 5.5 | 851 5.8 | 759 5.4 | . 640 4.5 | 757 5.4 | 785 5.5 | 797 5.6 | 769 5.3 |
| Florida | | | | | | | | | |
| Civilian noninstitutional population | | 9,942 | 9,965 | 9,710 | 9,881 | 9,902 | 9,924 | 9,942 | 9,965 |
| Civilian labor force | | 6,380 5,994 | 6,383 5,997 | 6,121 5,838 | 6,179 5,880 | 6,245 5,922 | 6,227 5,827 | 6,344 5,960 | 6,286 5,930 |
| Unemployed | | 3,354 | 386 | 283 | 299 | 323 | 400 | 384 | 356 |
| Unemployment rate | | 6.1 | 6.0 | 4.6 | 4.8 | 5.2 | 6.4 | 6.1 | 5.7 |
| Illinois | | | | | | | , | | |
| Civilian noninstitutional population | | 8,701 6,004 | 8,699 5,964 | 8,724 5,727 | 8,702 5,002 | 8,699 | 8,698 | 8,701 | 8,699 5,860 |
| Civilian labor force Employed | | 6,004 5,658 | 5,964 | 5,727 5,356 | 5,983 5,648 | 5,960 5,640 | 5,899 5,563 | 5,934 5,609 | 5,533 |
| Unemployed | | 346 | 315 | 371 | 3,048 | 3,040 | 3,303 | 325 | 3,333 |
| Unemployment rate | | 5.8 | 5.3 | 6.5 | 5.6 | 5.4 | 5.7 | 5.5 | 5.6 |
| Massachusetts | | | | | | | | | |
| Civilian noninstitutional population | 4,597 | 4,600 | 4,601 | 4,597 | 4,598 | 4,598 | 4,598 | 4,600 | 4,601 |
| Civilian labor force | | 3,223 | 3,245 | 3,133 | 3,160 | 3,197 | 3,196 | 3,166 | 3,183 |
| Employed | | 3,097 | 3,097 | 3,023 | 3,051 | 3,077 | 3,080 | 3,040 | 3,041 |
| Unemployed | | 127 | 148 | 110 | 109 | 120 | 116 | 126 | 142 |
| Unemployment rate | | 3.9 | 4.6 | 3.5 | 3.4 | 3.8 | 3.6 | 4.0 | 4.5 |
| Michigan | | | | | | | | | |
| Civilian noninstitutional population | | 7,097 | 7,104 | 7,029 | 7,081 | 7,087 | 7,095 | 7,097 | 7,104 |
| Civilian labor force | | 4,678 4,327 | 4,728 4,383 | 4,597 4,259 | 4,620 | 4,573 4,296 | 4,581 | 4,630 | 4,646 |
| Unemployed | 1 | 351 | 345 | 338 | 4,316 304 | 277 | 4,273 308 | 4,291 339 | 4,331 315 |
| Unemployment rate | | 7.5 | 7.3 | 7.4 | 6.6 | 6.1 | 6.7 | 7.3 | 6.8 |
| New Jersey | | | | | | | | | 1 1 2 7 |
| Civilian noninstitutional population | | 6,062 | 6,064 | 6,039 | 6,055 | 6,057 | 6,059 | 6,062 | 6,064 |
| Civilian labor force | | 4,038 | 4,045 | 3,969 | 4,010 | 3,977 | 3,952 | 3,971 | 3,976 |
| Employed | | 3,872 | 3,864 | 3,823 | 3,890 | 3,816 | 3,834 | 3,806 | 3,814 |
| Unemployed Unemployment rate | | 166 4.1 | 182 4.5 | 146 3.7 | 120 3.0 | 161 4.0 | 118 3.0 | 165 4.2 | 162 4.1 |
| New York | i | | | | | | : | | |
| Civilian noninstitutional population | | 13,812 | 13,814 | 13,799 | 13,806 | 13,807 | 13,809 | 13,812 | 13,814 |
| Civilian labor force | | 8,771 8,360 | 8,864 | 8,543 | 8,540 | 8.841 | 8,770 | 8,705 | 8,674 |
| Employed | | 411 | 8,453 410 | 8,180 363 | 8,173 367 | 8,328 513 | 8,307 463 | 8,266 439 | 8,269 405 |
| Unemployment rate | | 4.7 | 4.6 | 4.2 | 4.3 | 5.8 | 5.3 | 5.0 | 4.7 |
| North Carolina | : | | | | | | : | | |
| Civilian noninstitutional population | | 5,006 | 5,014 | 4,917 | 4,983 | 4,991 | 5,000 | 5,006 | 5,014 |
| Civilian labor force | | 3,489 | 3,528 | 3,346 | 3,415 | 3,478 | 3,467 | 3,463 | 3,444 |
| Employed | | 3,358 131 | 3,409 119 | 3,240 106 | 3,311 | 3,330 | 3,340 | 3,339 | 3,327 |
| Unemployment rate | | 3.7 | 3.4 | 3.2 | 104 3.0 | 148 4.3 | 127 3.7 | 124 3.6 | 117 3.4 |
| Ohio | | | | | | | | | |
| Civilian noninstitutional population | | 8,313 | 8,320 | 8.249 | 8,298 | 8,303 | 8,310 | 8,313 | 8,320 |
| Civilian labor force | | 5,537 | 5,526 | 5,294 | 5,428 | 5,381 | 5,434 | 5,490 | 5,450 |
| Employed | | 5,216 | 5,248 | 5,004 | 5,144 | 5,093 | 5,138 | 5,183 | 5,157 |
| Unemployed | | 321 | 277 5.0 | 290 | 284 | 288 | 296 | 307 | 290 |
| Unemployment rate | 5.1 | 5.8 | 5.0 | 5.5 | 5.2 | 5.4 | 5.4 | 5.6 | 5. |

See footnotes at end of table.

Table A-13. Employment status of the civilian population for eleven large States—Continued

(Numbers in thousands)

| L | Not sea | sonally adj | usted' | | | Seasonally | adjusted ² | | |
|--------------------------------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|----------------|--------------|--------------|-----------------------|--------------|--------------|
| State and employment status | July 1988 | June 1989 | July 1989 | July 1988 - | Mar. 1989 | Apr. 1989 | May. 1989 | June 1989 | July 1989 |
| Pennsylvania | | | | | ļ | | | | |
| Civilian noninstitutional population | 9,373 | 9,427 | 9,433 | 9,373 | 9,413 | 9,418 | 9,424 | 9,427 | 9,433 |
| Civilian labor force | 5,912 | 5,981 | 5,961 | 5,770 | 6,012 | 5,940 | 5,920 | 5,917 | 5,823 |
| Employed | 5,596 | 5,709 | 5,684 | 5,469 | 5,778 | 5,677 | 5,649 | 5,678 | 5,562 |
| Unemployed | 316 | 272 | 277 | 301 | 234 | 263 | 271 | 239 | 261 |
| Unemployment rate | 5.3 | 4.6 | 4.6 | 5.2 | 3.9 | 4.4 | 4.6 | 4.0 | 4.5 |
| Texas | | | | | | | | | |
| Civilian noninstitutional population | 12,010 | 11,990 | 11,989 | 12,010 | 11,991 | 11,988 | 11,987 | 11,990 | 11,989 |
| Civilian labor force | 8,448 | 8,333 | 8,428 | 8,262 | 8,283 | 8,350 | 8,250 | 8,223 | 8,241 |
| Employed | 7,889 | 7,745 | 7,813 | 7,719 | 7,788 | 7,729 | 7,762 | 7,721 | 7,645 |
| Unemployed | 559 | 588 | 614 | 543 | 495 | 621 | 488 | 502 | 590 |
| Unemployment rate | 6.6 | 7.1 | 7.3 | 6.6 | 6.0 | 7.4 | 5.9 | 6.1 j | 7.2 |

¹ These are the official Bureau of Labor Statistics' estimates used in the administration of Federal fund allocation programs.

² The population figures are not adjusted for seasonal variation; therefore,

identical numbers appear in the unadjusted and the seasonally adjusted

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Table B-1. Employees on nonagricultural payrolls by industry

(In thousands)

| | 105,560 108,745 109,484 108,507 105,768 107,888 108,101 108,310 108,560 89,120 90,715 91,724 91,779 88,418 90,291 90,475 90,623 90,860 25,547 25,663 25,972 25,915 25,323 25,646 25,671 25,672 25,655 732 719 719 712 725 714 720 722 71 411.4 395.9 400.6 404.0 410 397 400 401 400 5,451 5,325 5,492 5,626 5,150 5,252 5,279 5,283 5,28 1,443.6 1,383.9 1,431.0 1,465.5 1,372 1,380 1,377 1,388 1,38 19,364 19,619 19,761 19,577 19,448 19,680 19,672 19,667 19,65 13,179 13,390 13,492 13,316 13,295 13,442 13,430 13,426 13,400 11,415 11,587 11,629 11,490 11,475 11,604 11,601 11,594 11,567 7,751 7,751 7,738 7,760 7,624 7,672 7,749 7,744 7,735 7,70 782.4 769.1 786.3 787.0 762 777 772 771 772 771 76 519.0 531.3 531.4 522.9 531 535 537 534 632 17,415 11,567 11,569 11,490 11,475 11,604 11,600 11,594 11,560 17,701 786.9 790.9 778.9 780 788 788 788 788 787 787 782 11,421,11,451.0 11,456.3 11,454.4 1,438 1,457 1,454 1,452 1,452 1,452 1,451.0 11,456.3 1,436.4 1,438 1,457 1,454 2,150 2,152 2,059 32,039.6 2,041.6 2,019.5 2,072 2,060 2,088 2,050 2,046 2,059 32,039.6 2,041.6 2,019.5 2,072 2,060 2,088 2,050 2,046 2,059 32,039.6 2,041.6 2,019.5 2,072 2,060 2,088 2,050 2,046 2,059 32,039.6 2,041.6 2,019.5 2,072 2,060 2,088 2,050 2,076 2,066 879.4 868.1 852.9 862 869 875 876 877 778 877 778 377 778 377 6.6 782.4 782.1 751 776 777 778 777 778 777 778 777 778 777 778 380.5 391.4 394.4 379.3 389 390 391 392 39 | | | | | ed . | | | | |
|--|--|--|---|---|--|--|--|--|--|--|
| Industry | | | | | | | | | | July 1989g/ |
| Total | 105,560 | 108,745 | 109,484 | 108,507 | 105,768 | 107,888 | 108,101 | 108,310 | 108,560 | 108,729 |
| Total private | 89,120 | 90,715 | 91,724 | 91,779 | 88,418 | 90,291 | 90,475 | 90,623 | 90,868 | 91,062 |
| Goods_producing industries | 25,547 | 25,663 | 25,972 | 25,915 | 25,323 | 25,646 | 25,671 | 25,672 | 25,651 | 25,680 |
| Mining Oil and gas extraction | | | | | | | | | | |
| ConstructionGeneral building contractors | | | | | | | | | | 5,318 1,393 |
| Manufacturing Production workers | 19,364 13,179 | 19,619 13,390 | | | | | | | 19,655 13,405 | 19,658 13,427 |
| Durable goods Production workers | 11,415 7,591 | 11,587 7,738 | | | | | | | | 11,549 7,702 |
| Lumber and wood products Furniture and fixtures. Stone, clay, and glass products Primary metal industries Blast furnaces and basic steel products. Fabricated metal products Machinery, except electrical Electrical and electronic equipment Transportation equipment Motor vehicles and equipment Instruments and related products Miscellaneous manufacturing | 519.0 612.4 770.1 279.2 1,422.1 12,082.9 12,059.3 12,035.0 751.3 | 531.3 609.2 786.9 275.5 1,451.0 12,153.9 12,039.6 12,078.0 776.6 | 531.4 616.0 790.9 277.9 1,456.3 12,161.7 12,041.6 12,068.1 868.1 782.4 | 522.9 611.2 778.9 275.3 1,434.4 12,147.3 12,019.5 12,027.8 832.9 782.1 | 531 602 780 278 1,438 2,072 2,072 2,058 862 751 | 535 607 788 276 1,457 2,143 2,060 2,071 869 776 | 537 606 788 275 1,454 2,158 2,058 2,073 875 777 | 534 604 787 276 1,452 2,150 2,050 2,076 876 778 | 603 788 277 1,449 2,151 2,062 860 779 | 535 601 788 274 1,450 2,152 2,032 2,030 848 782 |
| Nondurable goodsProduction workers | | | | | | | | | | |
| Food and kindred products. Tobacco manufactures. Textile mill products. Apparel and other textile products. Paper and allied products. Printing and publishing. Chemicals and allied products. Petroleum and coal products. Rubber and misc. plastics products. Leather and leather products. | 51.7 717.3 1,057.8 696.4 1,560.7 11,074.6 165.3 825.9 | 49.2 728.5 1,099.5 694.6 1,601.8 1,092.2 162.9 844.3 | 49.5 733.1 1,104.1 703.9 11,612.6 11,103.4 165.6 847.4 | 49.7 717.8 1,064.6 700.2 1,607.9 1,101.9 166.2 833.8 | 730 730 1,091 695 1,564 1,068 162 | 56 729 1,101 697 1,600 1,088 161 | 54 728 728 1,098 696 1,601 1,090 162 | 53 728 1,095 697 1,603 1,094 1,62 1,843 | 53 729 1,093 697 1,609 1,096 163 1842 | 53 730 1,098 699 1,611 1,094 1 163 |
| Service-producing industries | 80,013 | 83,082 | 83,512 | 82,592 | 80,445 | 82,242 | 82,430 | 82,638 | 82,909 | 83,049 |
| Transportation and public utilities Transportation | 3,322 | 5,699 3,487 2,212 | 5,754 3,525 2,229 | 5,740 3,503 2,237 | 3,340 | | 3,467 | 3,484 | 3,500 | 3,524 |
| Mholesale trade Durable goods Nondurable goods | 3,590 | 6,217 3,685 2,532 | 3,711 | 6,276 3,718 2,558 | 3,569 | 3,676 | | | 3,693 | 3,696 |
| Retail trade | 3,118.9 2,123.4 | 3,228.5 2,162.9 | 3,271.6 2,175.5 | 3,291.0 2,184.6 | 19,139 2,457 3,105 2,096 6,284 | 2,490 3,223 2,155 | 2,492 | 2,491 3,245 2,159 | 2,490 3,262 2,154 | 2.488 3,275 2.157 |
| Finance, insurance, and real estate Finance | 6,773 3,317 2,094 1,362 | 6,790 3,313 2,123 1,354 | 2,134 | 3,355 | 3,284 | 3,316 2,117 | 3,312 2,119 | 3,320 2,123 | 3,318 | 3,322 |
| Services | 5,635.51 | 26,818 5,758.5 7,555.0 | 5,827.5 | 5,843.0 | 5.595 | 5.736 | 26,651 5,760 7,528 | 5.776 | 5,799 | 5,802 |
| Government | 2,9921 3,853 | 18,030 3,005 4,181 10,844 | 17,760 3,024 4,014 10,722 | 16,728 3,009 3,915 9,804 | 17,350 2,958 4,071 10,321 | 2,982 4,102 | 4,111 | 17,687 1 2,999 1 4,119 | 17.692 | 17,667 2,976 4,138 |

p = preliminary.

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Table B-2. Average weekly hours of production or nonsupervisory werkers1/ on private nonagricultural payrolls by industry

| | i Not | seasona | sonally adjusted Seasonally ad | | | | | | | |
|---|--|--|--|--|--|--|--|--|--|---|
| Industry | July 1988 | May 1989 | June 1989 <u>e</u> / | July 1989g/ | July 1988 | Mar. 1989 | Apr. 1989 | May 1989 | June 1989 <u>p</u> / | July 1989 <u>e</u> / |
| Total private | 35.1 | 34.5 | 34.8 | 35.1 | 34.8 | 34.7 | 34.9 | 34.6 | 34.6 | 34.9 |
| Mining | 42.4 | 42.0 | 42.8 | 43.4 | (2) | (2) | (2) | (2) | (2) | (2) |
| Construction | 38.6 | 37.7 | 38.0 | 39.0 | (2) | (2) | (2) | (2) | (2) | (2) |
| Manufacturing | 40.7 3.7 | 40.9 3.6 | 41.1 | 40.5 | 41.1 3.9 | 41.0 4.0 | 41.3 3.9 | 41.0 3.8 | 41.0 3.8 | 41.0 3.9 |
| Durable goods | 41.2 3.8 | 41.5 3.8 | 41.7 3.9 | 40.9 3.7 | 41.8 4.1 | 41.7 4.1 | 41.9 4.1 | 41.5 3.9 | 41.5 | 41.5 |
| Lumber and wood products | 38.9 42.4 43.1 44.0 41.1 42.3 40.4 41.7 41.7 | 40.1 39.0 42.4 43.1 43.5 40.5 40.4 42.3 40.4 42.3 40.8 39.4 | 40.4 39.6 42.6 43.8 41.7 42.6 40.8 42.6 43.3 41.3 | 39.3 38.3 42.5 42.7 40.7 41.8 40.1 41.3 41.0 38.2 | 40.4 39.6 42.2 43.5 44.0 41.9 42.8 41.7 42.7 42.9 41.7 39.3 | 40.0 39.8 42.2 43.5 44.1 41.8 42.5 40.6 43.1 43.9 41.1 39.5 | 40.5 39.9 42.5 43.3 43.3 41.9 42.7 41.0 42.8 41.5 39.8 | 39.7 39.4 41.9 43.2 43.6 41.7 42.5 40.7 42.5 41.1 39.6 | 39.8 39.3 42.2 43.3 43.6 41.5 42.5 40.7 42.5 42.7 42.7 | 39.4 39.0 42.3 43.1 43.25 42.3 40.7 42.7 42.7 42.7 41.6 |
| Nondurable goods | 39.9 3.6 | 40.0 3.5 | 40.3 3.6 | 40.0 | 40.2 3.7 | 40.1 3.8 | 40.4 3.8 | 40.2 3.7 | 40.2 3.6 | 40.3 |
| Food and kindred products Tobacco manufactures Textile mill products Apparel and other textile products Paper and allied products Printing and publishing Chemicals and allied products Petroleum and coal products Rubber and misc. plastics products Leather and leather products | 39.3 40.4 36.7 42.9 37.8 42.0 45.3 41.1 | 40.4 39.5 41.2 37.0 43.1 42.1 43.9 41.5 37.6 | 40.6 38.9 41.6 37.3 43.3 42.5 44.9 41.5 38.7 | 41.2 34.6 40.8 36.8 42.9 37.4 46.2 46.2 57.6 | 40.4 (2) 41.0 37.0 43.0 43.2 38.0 42.3 (2) 41.7 37.2 | 40.4 (2) 41.1 36.9 43.3 42.3 (2) 41.6 38.0 | 40.7 (2) 41.7 37.6 43.4 37.9 42.6 (2) 41.6 38.3 | 40.5 (2) 41.4 37.1 43.3 47.7 42.1 (2) 41.5 37.4 | 40.6 (2) 41.4 37.0 43.4 37.8 42.5 (2) 41.4 37.9 | 41.3 41.4 41.4 37.1 43.2 37.6 42.5 (2) 41.3 37.5 |
| Transportation and public utilities | 39.8 | 39.3 | 39.6 | 40.3 | 39.4 | 39.4 | 40.1 | 39.5 | 39.4 | 39.9 |
| Wholesale trade | 38.3 | 37.9 | 38.1 | 38.3 | 38.1 | 38.1 | 38.3 | 37.9 | 38.0 | 38.1 |
| Retail trade | 30.0 | 28.8 | 29.2 | 29.9 | 29.3 | 28.9 | 29.1 | 28.9 | 28.9 | 29.2 |
| Finance, insurance, and real estate | 36.1 | 35.6 | 35.8 | 36.4 | (2) | (2) | (2) | (2) | (2) | (2) |
| Services | 33.0 | 32.4 | 32.7 | 33.1 | 32.7 | 32.6 | 32.8 | 32.5 | 32.5 | 32.8 |

Data relate to production workers in mining and manufacturing; construction workers in construction; and nonsupervisory workers in transportation and public utilities; wholesale and retail trade; finance; insurance, and real estate; and services. These groups account for approximately four-fifths of the total employees on private nonagricultural payrolls.

^{2/} These series are not published seasonally adjusted since the seasonal component is small relative to the trend-cycle and/or irregular components and consequently cannot be separated with sufficent precision.
p = preliminary.

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Table B-3. Average hourly and weekly earnings of production or nonsupervisory workers $\underline{l}\prime$ on private nonagricultural payrolls by industry

| | Ave | rage hou | rly earn | ings | Ave | rage weel | kly earn | ings |
|--|--|--|--|--|--|--|--|--|
| Industry | July 1988 | May 1989 | June 1989g/ | July 1989 _P / | July 1988 | May 1989 | June 1989ը/ | July 1989g/ |
| Total private | \$9.24 9.31 | \$9.59 9.60 | \$9.58 9.62 | \$9.63 | | | \$333.38 332.85 | |
| Mining | 12.72 | 13.13 | 13.04 | 13.07 | 539.33 | 551.46 | 558.11 | 567.24 |
| Construction | 12.96 | 13.28 | 13.23 | 13.32 | 500.26 | 500.66 | 502.74 | 519.48 |
| Manufacturing | 10.17 | 10.42 | 10.44 | 10.47 | 413.92 | 426.18 | 429.08 | 424.04 |
| Durable goods Lumber and wood products. Furniture and fixtures Stone, clay, and glass products Primary metal industries Blast furnaces and basic steel products. Fabricated metal products Machinery, except electrical Electrical and electronic equipment. Transportation equipment Motor vehicles and equipment. Instruments and related products. Miscellaneous manufacturing. | 8.66 7.99 10.53 12.22 14.09 10.20 10.98 10.13 13.19 13.79 | 10.94 8.79 8.16 10.69 12.25 14.06 10.49 11.29 10.33 13.58 14.17 10.17 8.24 | 10.98 8.86 8.22 10.74 12.32 14.15 10.50 11.32 10.38 13.65 14.22 10.25 8.23 | 10.99 8.92 8.26 10.78 12.35 14.17 10.54 11.34 11.34 11.34 11.44 13.57 14.02 16.32 | 439.60 349.00 310.81 446.47 526.68 619.96 419.22 464.45 409.25 555.02 575.04 409.36 | 352.48 318.24 453.26 527.98 613.02 435.34 477.57 417.33 579.87 613.86 | 357.94 323.05 457.52 457.54 619.77 437.85 482.23 423.50 581.49 611.46 423.33 | 350.56 316.36 458.15 527.35 1 612.16 428.98 474.01 418.66 565.87 1 565.87 |
| Nondurable goods | 15.78 7.31 6.03 11.72 10.48 12.70 | 9.68 9.34 16.13 7.62 6.32 11.89 10.76 12.98 15.40 6.58 | 9.69 9.37 16.48 7.65 6.33 11.90 10.74 12.97 15.24 9.40 6.58 | 9.77 9.35 16.24 6.31 12.08 10.80 13.11 15.47 6.55 | 377.45 367.54 620.15 295.32 221.30 502.79 396.14 533.40 676.33 376.07 230.89 | 377.34 637.14 313.94 233.84 512.46 402.42 546.46 673.43 390.10 | 380.42 641.07 318.24 236.11 515.27 401.68 551.23 684.28 390.10 | 385.22 561.90 311.71 232.21 518.23 403.92 553.26 709.17 |
| Transportation and public utilities | 12.32 | 12.49 | 12.47 | 12.60 | 490.34 | 490.86 | 493.81 | 507.78 |
| Wholesale trade | 9.95 | 10.28 | 10.30 | 10.41 | 381.09 | 389.61 | 392.43 | 398.70 |
| Retail trade | 6.28 | 6.49 | 6.48 | 6.48 | 188.40 | 186.91 | 189.22 | 193.75 |
| Finance, insurance, and real estate | 9.03 | 9.48 | 9.47 | 9.58 | 325.98 | 337.49 | 339.03 | 348.71 |
| Services | 8.80 | 9.30 | 9.26 | 9.33 | 290.40 | 301.32 | 302.80 | 308.82 |

^{1/} See footnote 1, table B-2.

p = preliminary.

Table B-4. Average hourly earnings of production or nonsupervisory workers \underline{l} / on private nonagricultural payrolls by industry, seasonally adjusted

| Industry | July 1988 | Mar. 1989 | Apr. 1989 | May 1989 | June 1989p/ | July 1989e/ | Percent change from: June 1989- July 1989 |
|----------------------------------|--------------|------------------------|--------------------------------|--|--|---|---|
| Total private2/: Current dollars | 9.98 6.32 | 13.26 10.40 9.92 | 4.80 13.33 10.40 9.92 | 13.32 10.42 9.97 12.54 10.28 6.49 9.45 | 4.77 13.31 10.45 9.99 12.53 10.32 6.51 9.52 | N.A. \$13.41 10.48 10.01 12.63 10.45 6.53 9.67 | (4) 1 .8 1 .2 1 .3 1 .3 1 .3 1 .3 |

^{1/} See footnote 1, table B-2.

^{2/} Includes mining, not shown separately, because its seasonal component is too small to be separated out with sufficient precision.
3/ The Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W) is used to deflate this series.

^{4/} Real earnings were unchanged from May to June 1989, the latest month available.

^{5/} Derived by assuming that overtime hours are paid at the rate of time and one-half.

N.A. = not available.

p = preliminary.

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Table B-5. Indexes of aggregate weekly hours of production or nonsupervisory workers \underline{l} / on private nonagricultural payrolls by industry

(1977=100)

| | Not | seaso | nally ad | justed | | S | easona. | lly ad | justed | |
|-------------------------------------|--|---|--|--|---|--|--|---|---|---|
| Industry | July 1988 | | June 1989 <u>e</u> / | July 1989g/ | July 1988 | | Apr. 1989 | | June 1989 <u>p</u> / | July 1989 <u>p</u> / |
| Total private | 127.6 | 127.5 | 130.2 | 131.5 | 125.6 | 127.6 | 128.7 | 127.6 | 128.0 | 129.4 |
| Goods-producing industries | 102.4 | 102.6 | 104.6 | 103.8 | 102.0 | 102.9 | 103.5 | 102.4 | 102.5 | 103.2 |
| Mining | 83.5 | 81.2 | 82.0 | 81.8 | 83.5 | 81.1 | 83.4 | 81.8 | 81.4 | 81.7 |
| Construction | 150.7 | 141.8 | 148.2 | 156.4 | 137.9 | 140.3 | 141.0 | 138.2 | 139.2 | 143.0 |
| Manufacturing | 94.0 | 96.0 | 97.2 | 94.7 | 95.9 | 96.7 | 97.2 | 96.4 | 96.3 | 96.5 |
| Durable goods | 107.3 107.5 92.5 54.5 88.4 98.0 95.5 841.0 81.9 | 104.4 1110.9 91.5 68.1 52.9 91.2 93.5 97.1 101.4 91.8 115.0 | 107.7 111.8 93.1 68.9 53.7 91.8 94.5 97.9 100.2 89.7 116.6 | 91.5 104.7 106.7 91.8 66.4 52.0 81.7 94.9 94.7 81.6 80.0 | 104.5 112.9 90.0 68.5 91.4 100.8 100.2 89.1 113.1 85.7 | 105.3 114.3 90.5 68.9 53.6 92.5 93.4 98.8 101.5 91.7 115.0 86.1 | 52.4 92.2 93.9 99.7 101.2 91.1 116.4 87.1 | 103.7 1112.9 89.3 68.2 52.3 91.7 93.7 98.4 100.5 90.2 115.8 86.6 | 103.4 112.3 90.0 68.5 52.5 90.9 93.8 97.8 97.4 88.0 115.8 86.2 | 93.8 102.1 1111.7 89.8 68.2 51.3 91.1 93.6 97.6 97.6 99.4 86.3 118.3 118.3 |
| Nondurable goods | 102.9 68.6 78.5 80.8 101.8 134.7 98.1 87.3 114.9 52.4 | 99.7 64.5 81.2 85.5 101.5 136.9 100.4 83.3 119.7 | 104.4 63.3 82.6 86.6 103.3 137.4 102.9 87.6 120.0 57.1 | 109.1 56.7 79.0 81.9 | 100.7 77.0 81.3 84.5 102.3 136.2 98.4 84.5 | 102.9 69.6 81.0 85.4 102.3 138.5 100.4 82.2 119.9 | 100.1 103.8 73.0 82.1 86.8 102.4 138.2 100.9 82.9 119.9 | 103.3 69.6 81.5 85.4 102.3 137.8 100.5 83.5 119.6 | 104.2 66.9 81.7 84.9 102.4 138.6 102.0 84.9 118.8 | 100.5 107.0 107.7 81.8 85.5 102.7 138.2 101.8 87.6 119.0 54.9 |
| Service-producing industries | 141.5 | 141.4 | 144.4 | 146.8 | 138.7 | 141.2 | 142.6 | 141.5 | 142.2 | 143.9 |
| Transportation and public utilities | | | | 120.4 | 113.7 | 116.2 | 118.6 | 117.3 | 117.4 | 119.3 |
| Wholesale trade | 1 | | | 128.6 | 123.3 | 126.4 | 127.2 | 126.1 | 126.6 | 127.1 |
| Retail trade | 1 | | | 132.8 | 126.5 | 126.9 | 127.7 | 127.2 | 127.4 | 128.9 |
| Finance, insurance, and real estate | 144.2 | 141.4 | 144.4 | 147.9 | 141.5 | 141.8 | 143.8 | 141.9 | 142.5 | 145.3 |
| Services | 165.7 | 167.8 | 171.3 | 173.9 | 162.4 | 167.3 | 168.9 | 167.5 | 168.9 | 170.8 |

^{1/} See footnote 1, table B-2.

p = preliminary.

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Table B-6. Diffusion indexes of employment change, seasonally adjusted

| | Time span | Jan. | Feb. | Mar. | Apr. | May | June | July | Aug. | Sept | Oct. | Nov. | Dec. |
|------|--|----------------------|----------------------|-------------------------|--------------------------------|--------------------------------|--------------------------------|------------------------|--------------|------------------|--------------|--------------|----------------|
| | | | | Р | rivate n | onagricu | ltural p | ayrolls, | 349 ind | ustries <u>l</u> | / | | |
| 0ver | 1-month span: 1987 1988 | 55.6 60.7 68.3 | 59.3 63.5 60.5 | 61.0 63.0 61.0 | 61.9 62.8 58.2 | 58.6 61.3 55.6 | 59.7 67.2 2/57.7 | 65.3 63.6 2/57.4 | 60.6 58.0 | 63.0 55.4 | 67.8 63.9 | 64.5 68.2 | 60.7 64.6 |
| Over | 3-month span: 1987 1988 | 60.7 64.8 71.6 | 62.0 65.6 70.1 | 66.6 69.5 64.5 | 65.2 70.2 61.9 | 65.8 71.1 <u>P</u> /61.3 | 65.9 71.9 2/59.9 | 67.8 71.2 | 71.1 64.2 | 71.2 65.3 | 72.3 70.1 | 70.9 73.4 | 65.9 74.6 |
| Over | 6-month span: 1987 1988 1989 | 67.3 69.9 75.1 | 65.8 70.2 69.5 | 64.8 71.5 12/68.2 | 66.8 73.9 2/63.3 | 67.6 73.9 | 69.5 69.1 | 71.3 70.2 | 73.5 74.6 | 73.2 73.5 | 71.5 73.9 | 71.8 74.5 | 72.2 75.8 |
| Over | 12-month span: 1987 1988 | 76.2 | 68.2 76.1 | 68.2 74.8 | 71.8 74.6 | 71.9 75.8 | 72.5 74.9 | 72.2 78.1 | 74.1 75.5 | 75.4 75.5 | 72.5 74.8 | 73.8 74.9 | 76.9 E/74.2 |
| | | | | | Manu | facturin | g payrol | ls, 143 | industri | es <u>l</u> / | | | |
| 0ver | 1-month span: 1987 1988 | 44.3 58.5 62.4 | 53.9 56.0 53.5 | 54.3 55.0 53.2 | 55.7 59.9 49.6 | 55.3 58.5 46.8 | 54.3 61.7 P/48.2 | 62.8 59.6 p/50.7 | 59.9 51.1 | 63.8 49.3 | 59.9 62.8 | 65.6 | 56.4 58.5 |
| Over | 3-month span: 1987 1988 1989 | 52.1 63.1 67.4 | 51.4 61.0 63.8 | 59.6 62.4 55.7 | 61.3 64.9 51.8 | 58.5 67.4 <u>p</u> /48.6 | 62.8 67.0 <u>e</u> /47.5 | 67.0 64.5 | 71.6 58.2 | 68.4 62.1 | 70.6 66.7 | 67.7 | 64.5 70.9 |
| Over | 6-month span: 1987 1988 1989 | 57.4 66.3 69.5 | 56.7 66.3 58.5 | 55.3 67.7 2/55.7 | 62.4 69.5 <u>p</u> /49.6 | 64.9 66.7 | 67.0 64.2 | 67.4 | 70.6 70.9 | 71.3 68.8 | 69.5 | 69.5 | 68.1 74.1 |
| 0ver | 12-month span: 1987 1988 1989 | 73.8 | 58.5 70.2 | 58.5 70.9 | 63.5 71.6 | 66.3 72.0 | 67.4 69.9 | 71.6 70.9 | 72.7 69.1 | 71.6 | 69.1 70.2 | 68.4 69.9 | 72.3 g/67.4 |

^{1/} Based on seasonally adjusted data for 1-, 3-, and 6-month spans and unadjusted data for the 12-month span. Data are centered within the span. p=preliminary. MOTE: Figures are the percent of industries with

employment increasing plus one- half of the industries with unchanged employment, where 50 percent indicates an equal balance between industries with increasing and decreasing employment.