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THE EMPLOYMENT SITUATION: OCTOBER 1994

The nation's job market continued to improve in October, the Bureau of Labor Statistics of the U.S. Department of Labor reported today. The unemployment rate was little changed over the month but, at 5.8 percent, is nearly a full percentage point below the January level. Nonfarm payroll employment--as measured by the survey of employers--rose by 194,000 in October, including a substantial gain in factory jobs. Both average earnings and the overall workweek in the private sector rose markedly over the month. Total employment--as measured by the household survey--experienced its third consecutive large increase, after rising modestly earlier in the year.

Unemployment (Household Survey Data)

Both the number of persons unemployed (7.6 million) and the unemployment rate (5.8 percent) were little changed in October, after seasonal adjustment. Since January, the unemployment level has dropped by 1.1 million and the rate by 0.9 percentage point. (See table A-1.)

The unemployment rate for adult women fell 0.3 percentage point to 5.0 percent in October, after showing little movement since May. The rates for adult men (5.1 percent), teenagers (17.3 percent), whites (5.0 percent), blacks (11.4 percent), and Hispanics (9.4 percent) all showed little or no change from the prior month. The jobless rate for each of these major labor force groups has declined since January. (See tables A-1 and A-2.) The number of persons unemployed for less than 5 weeks fell by 290,000 in October, while those unemployed for 15 weeks or longer rose by 185,000 (table A-5).

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| <p>Data from the household survey for 1994 are not directly comparable with data for 1993 and earlier years because of the implementation in January 1994 of a major redesign of the survey and the introduction of 1990 census-based population controls, adjusted for the estimated undercount. In addition, the 1994 data may be affected by the transition to the redesigned survey. For example, seasonal factors, of necessity, have been computed based on data collected in the survey prior to its revision, and these factors may not fully capture the pattern of seasonality in the current data. Hence, over-the-month comparisons of labor force estimates should be made with caution. For additional information on the redesign, see "Revisions in the Current Population Survey Effective January 1994" in the February 1994 issue of Employment and Earnings.</p> |
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Table A. Major indicators of labor market activity, seasonally adjusted
(Numbers in thousands)

| Category | Quarterly averages | | Monthly data | | | Sept. - Oct. change |
|---|--------------------|----------|--------------|----------|----------|---------------------------|
| | 1994 | | 1994 | | | |
| | II | III | Aug. | Sept. | Oct. | |
| HOUSEHOLD DATA | | | | | | |
| Labor force status | | | | | | |
| Civilian labor force.. | 130,589 | 130,996 | 131,189 | 131,343 | 131,836 | 493 |
| Employment..... | 122,547 | 123,082 | 123,166 | 123,628 | 124,236 | 608 |
| Unemployment..... | 8,043 | 7,914 | 8,023 | 7,715 | 7,600 | -115 |
| Not in labor force.... | 65,933 | 66,054 | 65,854 | 65,905 | 65,594 | -311 |
| Unemployment rates | | | | | | |
| All workers..... | 6.2 | 6.0 | 6.1 | 5.9 | 5.8 | -0.1 |
| Adult men..... | 5.4 | 5.4 | 5.4 | 5.1 | 5.1 | .0 |
| Adult women..... | 5.4 | 5.3 | 5.4 | 5.3 | 5.0 | -.3 |
| Teenagers..... | 18.4 | 17.4 | 17.5 | 17.0 | 17.3 | .3 |
| White..... | 5.4 | 5.2 | 5.3 | 5.1 | 5.0 | -.1 |
| Black..... | 11.5 | 11.1 | 11.5 | 10.7 | 11.4 | .7 |
| Hispanic origin..... | 10.2 | 10.2 | 10.2 | 10.2 | 9.4 | -.8 |
| ESTABLISHMENT DATA | | | | | | |
| Employment | | | | | | |
| Nonfarm employment.... | 112,995 | p113,900 | 113,914 | p114,162 | p114,356 | p194 |
| Goods-producing 1/.. | 23,534 | p23,632 | 23,640 | p23,665 | p23,706 | p41 |
| Construction..... | 4,909 | p4,952 | 4,942 | p4,970 | p4,975 | p5 |
| Manufacturing..... | 18,020 | p18,078 | 18,095 | p18,093 | p18,133 | p40 |
| Service-producing 1/ | 89,461 | p90,268 | 90,274 | p90,497 | p90,650 | p153 |
| Retail trade..... | 20,190 | p20,421 | 20,405 | p20,471 | p20,522 | p51 |
| Services..... | 31,620 | p32,028 | 32,036 | p32,129 | p32,225 | p96 |
| Government..... | 19,004 | p19,085 | 19,087 | p19,146 | p19,142 | p-4 |
| Hours of work 2/ | | | | | | |
| Total private..... | 34.7 | p34.5 | 34.4 | p34.6 | p34.9 | p0.3 |
| Manufacturing..... | 42.1 | p42.0 | 42.0 | p42.0 | p42.1 | p.1 |
| Overtime..... | 4.7 | p4.6 | 4.6 | p4.7 | p4.7 | p.0 |
| Earnings 2/ | | | | | | |
| Avg. hourly earnings, total private..... | \$11.07 | p\$11.13 | \$11.13 | p\$11.16 | p\$11.24 | p\$0.08 |
| Avg. weekly earnings, total private..... | 384.25 | p384.47 | 382.87 | p386.14 | p392.28 | p6.14 |

1/ Includes other industries, not shown separately.

2/ Data relate to private production or nonsupervisory workers.

p = preliminary.

NOTE: Household data for 1994 are not directly comparable with data for 1993 and earlier years. For additional information, see "Revisions in the Current Population Survey Effective January 1994" in the February 1994 issue of Employment and Earnings.

Total Employment and the Labor Force (Household Survey Data)

Total employment rose by 608,000 to 124.2 million in October, after seasonal adjustment. This was the third consecutive month of sharp gains in this measure (totaling 1.8 million) and brought the increase since January to 2.3 million. The employment-population ratio--the proportion of the working-age population with jobs--has risen from 62.2 percent in July to 62.9 percent in October. (See table A-1.)

The number of persons employed part time for economic reasons (4.4 million) and the number of voluntary part-time workers (17.7 million) were about unchanged in October. (See table A-3.) About 7.6 million persons (not seasonally adjusted) held more than one job, 6.1 percent of all employed persons (table A-8).

The civilian labor force rose by 493,000 in October to 131.8 million. Labor force growth has been strong since July, after lagging through the first half of the year. Over the month, the labor force participation rate increased 0.2 percentage point to 66.8 percent. (See table A-1.)

Persons Not in the Labor Force (Household Survey Data)

The number of persons who wanted and were available for work but were no longer actively looking after having searched sometime in the past 12 months was 1.7 million (not seasonally adjusted) in October. Of that total, the number who were not looking because they felt that there were no jobs available for them--discouraged workers--was 460,000. (See table A-8.)

Industry Payroll Employment (Establishment Survey Data)

Nonfarm payroll employment continued to increase in October, rising by 194,000 on a seasonally adjusted basis. Manufacturing, services, and retail trade accounted for nearly all of the October job growth. (See table B-1.) The number of payroll jobs has expanded by 2.6 million since January.

Manufacturing employment increased by 40,000 in October, building on the growth trend that began about a year ago. The number of factory jobs has risen by about 200,000 during the period. Over-the-month increases were widespread, as the manufacturing diffusion index of employment change, at 60.8 percent, was particularly high (table B-6). The largest gains occurred in fabricated metals (9,000), autos (10,000), and rubber and plastics (6,000). Declines appear to have moderated in such defense-dependent industries as aircraft and instruments.

The number of construction workers was little changed in October, following a large gain in September. Small over-the-month increases among general building and special trade contractors were largely offset by job losses in heavy construction. Construction employment is up 275,000 over the year and 500,000 since it began to recover in mid-1992. Mining employment continued to edge down in October, due to further job losses in oil and gas extraction. The mining industry, which has been on a long-term decline, has lost about 115,000 jobs since mid-1990.

Within the service-producing sector, the services industry added 96,000 jobs in October. Both the September and October gains in this industry were smaller than those that occurred earlier this year. A third

of the October growth took place in business services, although growth in this industry also was somewhat below average. Health services and motion pictures each expanded their payrolls, while hotels and other lodging places continued to show weakness.

Retail trade employment rose by 51,000 in October, with gains spread primarily among general merchandise stores, automotive dealers and service stations, furniture stores, and eating and drinking places. Wholesale trade added 11,000 workers, with its durable goods distribution component showing most of the gain.

Overall employment in finance, insurance, and real estate was little changed, but large losses continued among mortgage brokers (which comprise half of employment in nondepository institutions). Government employment also showed little change in October, following sizable gains in state and local governments in recent months.

Weekly Hours (Establishment Survey Data)

The average workweek for production or nonsupervisory workers on private nonfarm payrolls rose 0.3 hour to a high level of 34.9 hours in October, seasonally adjusted. The average manufacturing workweek increased by 0.1 hour to 42.1 hours, and factory overtime held steady at 4.7 hours. Both are at extremely high levels. (See table B-2.)

As a result of the increases in both employment and hours, the index of aggregate weekly hours of private production or nonsupervisory workers on nonfarm payrolls jumped 1.0 percent to 131.1 (1982=100) in October, seasonally adjusted. The manufacturing index rose by 0.6 percent to 106.4. (See table B-5.)

Hourly and Weekly Earnings (Establishment Survey Data)

Both average hourly and weekly earnings of private production or nonsupervisory workers rose sharply in October. Average hourly earnings increased 0.7 percent to \$11.24 in October, seasonally adjusted, and weekly earnings increased 1.6 percent to \$392.28. Over the year, hourly earnings increased by 2.9 percent and weekly earnings by 4.1 percent. (See table B-3.)

The Employment Situation for November 1994 will be released on Friday, December 2, at 8:30 A.M. (EST).

HOUSEHOLD DATA

Table A-1. Employment status of the civilian population by sex and age

(Numbers in thousands)

| Employment status, sex, and age | Not seasonally adjusted | | | Seasonally adjusted ^{1/} | | | | | |
|---|-------------------------|-----------------|--------------|-----------------------------------|----------------|--------------|--------------|---------------|--------------|
| | Oct. 1993 | Sept. 19942/ | Oct. 1994 | Oct. 1993 | June 19942/ | July 1994 | Aug. 1994 | Sept. 1994 | Oct. 1994 |
| | TOTAL | | | | | | | | |
| Civilian noninstitutional population..... | 194,151 | 197,248 | 197,430 | 194,151 | 196,693 | 196,859 | 197,043 | 197,248 | 197,430 |
| Civilian labor force..... | 128,547 | 131,155 | 131,879 | 128,580 | 130,248 | 130,457 | 131,189 | 131,343 | 131,836 |
| Participation rate..... | 66.2 | 66.5 | 66.8 | 66.2 | 66.2 | 66.3 | 66.6 | 66.6 | 66.8 |
| Employed..... | 120,446 | 123,775 | 124,724 | 119,941 | 122,430 | 122,452 | 123,166 | 123,628 | 124,236 |
| Employment-population ratio..... | 62.0 | 62.8 | 63.2 | 61.8 | 62.2 | 62.2 | 62.5 | 62.7 | 62.9 |
| Agriculture..... | 3,071 | 3,575 | 3,523 | 3,021 | 3,235 | 3,278 | 3,444 | 3,409 | 3,495 |
| Nonagricultural industries..... | 117,375 | 120,201 | 121,202 | 116,920 | 119,195 | 119,173 | 119,722 | 120,219 | 120,741 |
| Unemployed..... | 8,101 | 7,379 | 7,155 | 8,639 | 7,817 | 8,005 | 8,023 | 7,715 | 7,600 |
| Unemployment rate..... | 6.3 | 5.6 | 5.4 | 6.7 | 6.0 | 6.1 | 6.1 | 5.9 | 5.8 |
| Not in labor force..... | 65,604 | 66,093 | 65,550 | 65,571 | 66,445 | 66,403 | 65,854 | 65,905 | 65,594 |
| Men, 16 years and over | | | | | | | | | |
| Civilian noninstitutional population..... | 92,941 | 94,576 | 94,671 | 92,941 | 94,294 | 94,377 | 94,469 | 94,576 | 94,671 |
| Civilian labor force..... | 69,657 | 70,721 | 71,168 | 69,820 | 70,328 | 70,513 | 70,833 | 70,695 | 71,241 |
| Participation rate..... | 74.9 | 74.8 | 75.2 | 75.1 | 74.6 | 74.7 | 75.0 | 74.7 | 75.3 |
| Employed..... | 65,318 | 66,997 | 67,424 | 64,971 | 66,135 | 66,036 | 66,452 | 66,572 | 67,086 |
| Employment-population ratio..... | 70.3 | 70.8 | 71.2 | 69.9 | 70.1 | 70.0 | 70.3 | 70.4 | 70.9 |
| Unemployed..... | 4,340 | 3,724 | 3,745 | 4,849 | 4,193 | 4,478 | 4,381 | 4,123 | 4,155 |
| Unemployment rate..... | 6.2 | 5.3 | 5.3 | 6.9 | 6.0 | 6.3 | 6.2 | 5.8 | 5.8 |
| Men, 20 years and over | | | | | | | | | |
| Civilian noninstitutional population..... | 86,156 | 87,321 | 87,439 | 86,156 | 87,095 | 87,123 | 87,248 | 87,321 | 87,439 |
| Civilian labor force..... | 66,305 | 66,996 | 67,392 | 66,306 | 66,409 | 66,596 | 66,856 | 66,839 | 67,277 |
| Participation rate..... | 77.0 | 76.7 | 77.1 | 77.0 | 76.2 | 76.4 | 76.6 | 76.5 | 76.9 |
| Employed..... | 62,617 | 63,937 | 64,294 | 62,172 | 62,916 | 62,889 | 63,216 | 63,421 | 63,831 |
| Employment-population ratio..... | 72.7 | 73.2 | 73.5 | 72.2 | 72.2 | 72.2 | 72.5 | 72.6 | 73.0 |
| Agriculture..... | 2,306 | 2,403 | 2,377 | 2,223 | 2,307 | 2,285 | 2,395 | 2,255 | 2,284 |
| Nonagricultural industries..... | 60,311 | 61,534 | 61,917 | 59,949 | 60,609 | 60,605 | 60,820 | 61,167 | 61,548 |
| Unemployed..... | 3,688 | 3,059 | 3,098 | 4,134 | 3,493 | 3,706 | 3,640 | 3,418 | 3,446 |
| Unemployment rate..... | 5.6 | 4.6 | 4.6 | 6.2 | 5.3 | 5.6 | 5.4 | 5.1 | 5.1 |
| Women, 16 years and over | | | | | | | | | |
| Civilian noninstitutional population..... | 101,210 | 102,672 | 102,758 | 101,210 | 102,399 | 102,482 | 102,575 | 102,672 | 102,758 |
| Civilian labor force..... | 58,890 | 60,434 | 60,711 | 58,760 | 59,919 | 59,943 | 60,356 | 60,647 | 60,595 |
| Participation rate..... | 58.2 | 58.9 | 59.1 | 58.1 | 58.5 | 58.5 | 58.8 | 59.1 | 59.0 |
| Employed..... | 55,128 | 56,779 | 57,301 | 54,970 | 56,295 | 56,416 | 56,714 | 57,056 | 57,150 |
| Employment-population ratio..... | 54.5 | 55.3 | 55.8 | 54.3 | 55.0 | 55.0 | 55.3 | 55.6 | 55.6 |
| Unemployed..... | 3,762 | 3,655 | 3,410 | 3,790 | 3,625 | 3,528 | 3,642 | 3,592 | 3,445 |
| Unemployment rate..... | 6.4 | 6.0 | 5.6 | 6.4 | 6.0 | 5.9 | 6.0 | 5.9 | 5.7 |
| Women, 20 years and over | | | | | | | | | |
| Civilian noninstitutional population..... | 94,656 | 95,658 | 95,729 | 94,656 | 95,407 | 95,469 | 95,544 | 95,658 | 95,729 |
| Civilian labor force..... | 55,716 | 57,175 | 57,302 | 55,462 | 56,214 | 56,367 | 56,774 | 57,217 | 57,055 |
| Participation rate..... | 58.9 | 59.8 | 59.9 | 58.6 | 58.9 | 59.0 | 59.4 | 59.8 | 59.6 |
| Employed..... | 52,526 | 54,039 | 54,473 | 52,243 | 53,181 | 53,394 | 53,711 | 54,161 | 54,198 |
| Employment-population ratio..... | 55.5 | 56.5 | 56.9 | 55.2 | 55.7 | 55.9 | 56.2 | 56.6 | 56.6 |
| Agriculture..... | 607 | 893 | 888 | 601 | 726 | 781 | 817 | 855 | 879 |
| Nonagricultural industries..... | 51,919 | 53,146 | 53,585 | 51,642 | 52,455 | 52,613 | 52,894 | 53,306 | 53,318 |
| Unemployed..... | 3,190 | 3,136 | 2,829 | 3,219 | 3,033 | 2,972 | 3,063 | 3,056 | 2,858 |
| Unemployment rate..... | 5.7 | 5.5 | 4.9 | 5.8 | 5.4 | 5.3 | 5.4 | 5.3 | 5.0 |
| Both sexes, 16 to 19 years | | | | | | | | | |
| Civilian noninstitutional population..... | 13,339 | 14,269 | 14,261 | 13,339 | 14,191 | 14,267 | 14,251 | 14,269 | 14,261 |
| Civilian labor force..... | 6,526 | 6,984 | 7,185 | 6,812 | 7,625 | 7,495 | 7,560 | 7,286 | 7,503 |
| Participation rate..... | 48.9 | 48.9 | 50.4 | 51.1 | 53.7 | 52.5 | 53.0 | 51.1 | 52.6 |
| Employed..... | 5,303 | 5,800 | 5,957 | 5,526 | 6,333 | 6,168 | 6,239 | 6,046 | 6,207 |
| Employment-population ratio..... | 39.8 | 40.6 | 41.8 | 41.4 | 44.6 | 43.2 | 43.8 | 42.4 | 43.5 |
| Agriculture..... | 158 | 279 | 257 | 197 | 203 | 212 | 231 | 300 | 332 |
| Nonagricultural industries..... | 5,145 | 5,521 | 5,700 | 5,329 | 6,130 | 5,956 | 6,008 | 5,746 | 5,875 |
| Unemployed..... | 1,223 | 1,184 | 1,228 | 1,286 | 1,292 | 1,327 | 1,320 | 1,240 | 1,296 |
| Unemployment rate..... | 18.7 | 17.0 | 17.1 | 18.9 | 16.9 | 17.7 | 17.5 | 17.0 | 17.3 |

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

2/ Data for 1994 are not directly comparable with data for 1993 and earlier years. For additional information, see "Revisions in the Current Population Survey Effective January 1994" in the February 1994 issue of Employment and Earnings.

HOUSEHOLD DATA

Table A-2. Employment status of the civilian population by race, sex, age, and Hispanic origin

(Numbers in thousands)

| Employment status, race, sex, age, and Hispanic origin | Not seasonally adjusted | | | Seasonally adjusted ^{1/} | | | | | |
|---|-------------------------|-----------------------------|--------------|-----------------------------------|----------------------------|--------------|--------------|---------------|--------------|
| | Oct. 1993 | Sept. 1994 ^{2/} | Oct. 1994 | Oct. 1993 | June 1994 ^{2/} | July 1994 | Aug. 1994 | Sept. 1994 | Oct. 1994 |
| | WHITE | | | | | | | | |
| Civilian noninstitutional population..... | 164,309 | 165,832 | 165,954 | 164,309 | 165,472 | 165,576 | 165,696 | 165,832 | 165,954 |
| Civilian labor force..... | 109,876 | 111,191 | 111,577 | 110,009 | 110,358 | 110,768 | 111,242 | 111,417 | 111,584 |
| Participation rate..... | 66.9 | 67.1 | 67.2 | 67.0 | 66.7 | 66.9 | 67.1 | 67.2 | 67.2 |
| Employed..... | 103,673 | 105,775 | 106,435 | 103,273 | 104,555 | 104,831 | 105,400 | 105,756 | 106,012 |
| Employment-population ratio..... | 63.1 | 63.8 | 64.1 | 62.9 | 63.2 | 63.3 | 63.6 | 63.8 | 63.9 |
| Unemployed..... | 6,204 | 5,416 | 5,141 | 6,736 | 5,804 | 5,936 | 5,842 | 5,661 | 5,573 |
| Unemployment rate..... | 5.6 | 4.9 | 4.6 | 6.1 | 5.3 | 5.4 | 5.3 | 5.1 | 5.0 |
| Men, 20 years and over | | | | | | | | | |
| Civilian labor force..... | 57,344 | 57,507 | 57,703 | 57,390 | 57,002 | 57,254 | 57,363 | 57,445 | 57,677 |
| Participation rate..... | 77.6 | 77.3 | 77.5 | 77.7 | 76.8 | 77.1 | 77.1 | 77.2 | 77.4 |
| Employed..... | 54,481 | 55,248 | 55,410 | 54,144 | 54,354 | 54,466 | 54,677 | 54,919 | 55,079 |
| Employment-population ratio..... | 73.7 | 74.2 | 74.4 | 73.3 | 73.2 | 73.3 | 73.5 | 73.8 | 73.9 |
| Unemployed..... | 2,863 | 2,259 | 2,294 | 3,246 | 2,648 | 2,788 | 2,686 | 2,526 | 2,598 |
| Unemployment rate..... | 5.0 | 3.9 | 4.0 | 5.7 | 4.6 | 4.9 | 4.7 | 4.4 | 4.5 |
| Women, 20 years and over | | | | | | | | | |
| Civilian labor force..... | 46,866 | 47,787 | 47,822 | 46,710 | 46,938 | 47,183 | 47,451 | 47,851 | 47,617 |
| Participation rate..... | 58.7 | 59.7 | 59.7 | 58.5 | 58.7 | 59.0 | 59.3 | 59.7 | 59.4 |
| Employed..... | 44,467 | 45,491 | 45,817 | 44,223 | 44,686 | 44,949 | 45,228 | 45,628 | 45,544 |
| Employment-population ratio..... | 55.7 | 56.8 | 57.2 | 55.4 | 55.9 | 56.2 | 56.5 | 57.0 | 56.8 |
| Unemployed..... | 2,399 | 2,296 | 2,005 | 2,487 | 2,252 | 2,234 | 2,223 | 2,223 | 2,073 |
| Unemployment rate..... | 5.1 | 4.8 | 4.2 | 5.3 | 4.8 | 4.7 | 4.7 | 4.6 | 4.4 |
| Both sexes, 16 to 19 years | | | | | | | | | |
| Civilian labor force..... | 5,666 | 5,897 | 6,052 | 5,909 | 6,418 | 6,330 | 6,427 | 6,121 | 6,291 |
| Participation rate..... | 53.3 | 52.2 | 53.5 | 55.6 | 57.0 | 56.1 | 56.9 | 54.2 | 55.6 |
| Employed..... | 4,724 | 5,036 | 5,209 | 4,906 | 5,515 | 5,416 | 5,495 | 5,210 | 5,389 |
| Employment-population ratio..... | 44.5 | 44.6 | 46.1 | 46.2 | 49.0 | 48.0 | 48.7 | 46.1 | 47.7 |
| Unemployed..... | 942 | 861 | 843 | 1,003 | 904 | 914 | 933 | 911 | 902 |
| Unemployment rate..... | 16.6 | 14.6 | 13.9 | 17.0 | 14.1 | 14.4 | 14.5 | 14.9 | 14.3 |
| Men..... | 17.1 | 15.5 | 13.9 | 17.9 | 14.7 | 16.1 | 15.1 | 16.4 | 14.8 |
| Women..... | 16.1 | 13.6 | 14.0 | 16.0 | 13.5 | 12.6 | 13.8 | 13.1 | 13.9 |
| BLACK | | | | | | | | | |
| Civilian noninstitutional population..... | 22,442 | 22,955 | 22,990 | 22,442 | 22,855 | 22,883 | 22,917 | 22,955 | 22,990 |
| Civilian labor force..... | 13,928 | 14,472 | 14,716 | 13,945 | 14,502 | 14,351 | 14,401 | 14,461 | 14,733 |
| Participation rate..... | 62.1 | 63.0 | 64.0 | 62.1 | 63.5 | 62.7 | 62.8 | 63.0 | 64.1 |
| Employed..... | 12,384 | 12,982 | 13,146 | 12,292 | 12,874 | 12,739 | 12,746 | 12,912 | 13,060 |
| Employment-population ratio..... | 55.2 | 56.6 | 57.2 | 54.8 | 56.3 | 55.7 | 55.6 | 56.2 | 56.8 |
| Unemployed..... | 1,544 | 1,490 | 1,570 | 1,653 | 1,628 | 1,612 | 1,655 | 1,549 | 1,673 |
| Unemployment rate..... | 11.1 | 10.3 | 10.7 | 11.9 | 11.2 | 11.2 | 11.5 | 10.7 | 11.4 |
| Men, 20 years and over | | | | | | | | | |
| Civilian labor force..... | 6,492 | 6,642 | 6,760 | 6,482 | 6,581 | 6,537 | 6,544 | 6,623 | 6,747 |
| Participation rate..... | 71.6 | 72.1 | 73.3 | 71.5 | 71.8 | 71.4 | 71.2 | 71.9 | 73.2 |
| Employed..... | 5,846 | 6,044 | 6,161 | 5,770 | 5,944 | 5,854 | 5,860 | 5,960 | 6,088 |
| Employment-population ratio..... | 64.4 | 65.6 | 66.8 | 63.6 | 64.9 | 64.0 | 63.8 | 64.7 | 66.0 |
| Unemployed..... | 646 | 598 | 599 | 712 | 637 | 683 | 684 | 662 | 659 |
| Unemployment rate..... | 10.0 | 9.0 | 8.9 | 11.0 | 9.7 | 10.5 | 10.5 | 10.0 | 9.8 |
| Women, 20 years and over | | | | | | | | | |
| Civilian labor force..... | 6,778 | 7,042 | 7,096 | 6,731 | 7,038 | 6,939 | 7,015 | 6,994 | 7,049 |
| Participation rate..... | 60.2 | 61.1 | 61.5 | 59.8 | 61.3 | 60.4 | 60.9 | 60.7 | 61.0 |
| Employed..... | 6,121 | 6,393 | 6,450 | 6,059 | 6,379 | 6,343 | 6,354 | 6,368 | 6,386 |
| Employment-population ratio..... | 54.4 | 55.4 | 55.9 | 53.9 | 55.5 | 55.2 | 55.2 | 55.2 | 55.3 |
| Unemployed..... | 657 | 648 | 646 | 672 | 659 | 596 | 661 | 626 | 663 |
| Unemployment rate..... | 9.7 | 9.2 | 9.1 | 10.0 | 9.4 | 8.6 | 9.4 | 8.9 | 9.4 |
| Both sexes, 16 to 19 years | | | | | | | | | |
| Civilian labor force..... | 658 | 788 | 860 | 732 | 882 | 876 | 842 | 844 | 938 |
| Participation rate..... | 31.0 | 35.5 | 38.7 | 34.5 | 40.0 | 39.2 | 38.1 | 38.1 | 42.2 |
| Employed..... | 417 | 545 | 535 | 463 | 551 | 542 | 532 | 584 | 586 |
| Employment-population ratio..... | 19.7 | 24.5 | 24.1 | 21.8 | 25.0 | 24.3 | 24.1 | 26.3 | 26.4 |
| Unemployed..... | 241 | 244 | 325 | 269 | 331 | 333 | 310 | 261 | 352 |
| Unemployment rate..... | 36.7 | 30.9 | 37.8 | 36.7 | 37.6 | 38.1 | 36.8 | 30.9 | 37.5 |
| Men..... | 40.7 | 30.3 | 35.9 | 40.6 | 40.0 | 43.0 | 42.3 | 29.1 | 35.9 |
| Women..... | 32.6 | 31.6 | 39.7 | 32.8 | 34.9 | 32.3 | 30.4 | 32.8 | 39.2 |
| HISPANIC ORIGIN | | | | | | | | | |
| Civilian noninstitutional population..... | 15,917 | 18,244 | 18,291 | 15,917 | 18,092 | 18,143 | 18,193 | 18,244 | 18,291 |
| Civilian labor force..... | 10,544 | 12,008 | 12,194 | 10,586 | 11,850 | 11,949 | 11,958 | 12,022 | 12,245 |
| Participation rate..... | 66.2 | 65.8 | 66.7 | 66.5 | 65.5 | 65.9 | 65.7 | 65.9 | 66.9 |
| Employed..... | 9,402 | 10,839 | 11,094 | 9,384 | 10,634 | 10,736 | 10,734 | 10,796 | 11,094 |
| Employment-population ratio..... | 59.1 | 59.4 | 60.7 | 59.0 | 58.8 | 59.2 | 59.0 | 59.2 | 60.7 |
| Unemployed..... | 1,142 | 1,169 | 1,100 | 1,202 | 1,217 | 1,212 | 1,224 | 1,226 | 1,151 |
| Unemployment rate..... | 10.8 | 9.7 | 9.0 | 11.4 | 10.3 | 10.1 | 10.2 | 10.2 | 9.4 |

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

2/ Data for 1994 are not directly comparable with data for 1993 and earlier years. For additional information, see "Revisions in the Current Population Survey Effective January 1994" in the February 1994 issue of Employment and Earnings.

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.

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Table A-3. Selected employment indicators

(In thousands)

| Category | Not seasonally adjusted | | | Seasonally adjusted | | | | | |
|--|-------------------------|----------------|--------------|---------------------|---------------|--------------|--------------|---------------|--------------|
| | Oct. 1993 | Sept. 1994/ | Oct. 1994 | Oct. 1993 | June 1994/ | July 1994 | Aug. 1994 | Sept. 1994 | Oct. 1994 |
| CHARACTERISTIC | | | | | | | | | |
| Total employed, 16 years and over..... | 120,446 | 123,775 | 124,724 | 119,941 | 122,430 | 122,452 | 123,166 | 123,628 | 124,236 |
| Married men, spouse present..... | 41,156 | 41,785 | 41,772 | 40,816 | 41,287 | 41,224 | 41,475 | 41,577 | 41,441 |
| Married women, spouse present..... | 30,864 | 31,871 | 31,968 | 30,641 | 31,054 | 31,379 | 31,567 | 31,967 | 31,746 |
| Women who maintain families..... | 6,861 | 7,107 | 7,169 | 6,784 | 6,978 | 7,013 | 6,932 | 7,016 | 7,126 |
| OCCUPATION | | | | | | | | | |
| Managerial and professional specialty..... | 32,809 | 34,197 | 34,462 | 32,635 | 33,901 | 33,859 | 33,931 | 34,303 | 34,284 |
| Technical, sales, and administrative support.... | 36,776 | 37,296 | 37,508 | 36,965 | 36,811 | 37,194 | 37,358 | 37,711 | 37,697 |
| Service occupations..... | 16,409 | 16,535 | 16,848 | 16,599 | 17,006 | 16,899 | 16,794 | 16,685 | 17,053 |
| Precision production, craft, and repair..... | 13,720 | 13,626 | 13,692 | 13,430 | 13,305 | 13,330 | 13,468 | 13,438 | 13,398 |
| Operators, fabricators, and laborers..... | 17,372 | 18,239 | 18,503 | 16,996 | 17,934 | 17,762 | 17,964 | 18,019 | 18,167 |
| Farming, forestry, and fishing..... | 3,360 | 3,881 | 3,711 | 3,287 | 3,419 | 3,487 | 3,660 | 3,647 | 3,663 |
| CLASS OF WORKER | | | | | | | | | |
| Agriculture: | | | | | | | | | |
| Wage and salary workers..... | 1,678 | 1,824 | 1,813 | 1,657 | 1,629 | 1,637 | 1,737 | 1,702 | 1,793 |
| Self-employed workers..... | 1,297 | 1,694 | 1,668 | 1,274 | 1,582 | 1,606 | 1,667 | 1,616 | 1,636 |
| Unpaid family workers..... | 96 | 57 | 41 | 97 | 46 | 50 | 47 | 64 | 41 |
| Nonagricultural industries: | | | | | | | | | |
| Wage and salary workers..... | 108,028 | 111,072 | 112,154 | 107,727 | 110,052 | 110,082 | 110,393 | 111,159 | 111,786 |
| Government..... | 18,836 | 18,362 | 18,480 | 18,476 | 18,322 | 18,256 | 18,188 | 18,325 | 18,136 |
| Private industries..... | 89,192 | 92,710 | 93,674 | 89,251 | 91,729 | 91,825 | 92,205 | 92,834 | 93,650 |
| Private households..... | 1,208 | 890 | 930 | 1,179 | 964 | 934 | 843 | 871 | 910 |
| Other industries..... | 87,984 | 91,820 | 92,744 | 88,072 | 90,765 | 90,891 | 91,362 | 91,963 | 92,740 |
| Self-employed workers..... | 9,120 | 8,998 | 8,915 | 8,961 | 8,946 | 8,970 | 9,055 | 8,971 | 8,792 |
| Unpaid family workers..... | 227 | 130 | 133 | 229 | 154 | 138 | 141 | 134 | 133 |
| PERSONS AT WORK PART TIME | | | | | | | | | |
| All industries: | | | | | | | | | |
| Part time for economic reasons..... | 5,817 | 4,017 | 4,132 | 6,202 | 4,785 | 4,425 | 4,284 | 4,260 | 4,405 |
| Slack work or business conditions..... | 2,885 | 2,187 | 2,217 | 3,072 | 2,535 | 2,430 | 2,393 | 2,403 | 2,363 |
| Could only find part-time work..... | 2,674 | 1,588 | 1,660 | 2,872 | 1,981 | 1,664 | 1,569 | 1,643 | 1,780 |
| Part time for noneconomic reasons..... | 16,093 | 17,969 | 18,684 | 15,201 | 17,339 | 18,059 | 18,171 | 17,599 | 17,660 |
| Nonagricultural industries: | | | | | | | | | |
| Part time for economic reasons..... | 5,575 | 3,831 | 3,919 | 5,957 | 4,590 | 4,224 | 4,092 | 4,075 | 4,186 |
| Slack work or business conditions..... | 2,724 | 2,070 | 2,060 | 2,927 | 2,430 | 2,315 | 2,271 | 2,290 | 2,212 |
| Could only find part-time work..... | 2,591 | 1,538 | 1,624 | 2,773 | 1,935 | 1,627 | 1,539 | 1,592 | 1,744 |
| Part time for noneconomic reasons..... | 15,681 | 17,251 | 17,988 | 14,788 | 16,842 | 17,443 | 17,559 | 16,946 | 16,969 |

1/ Data for 1994 are not directly comparable with data for 1993 and earlier years. For additional information, see "Revisions in the Current Population Survey Effective January 1994" in the February 1994 issue of Employment and Earnings.

NOTE: Persons at work excludes employed persons who were absent from their jobs during the entire reference week for reasons such as vacation, illness, or industrial dispute. Part time for noneconomic reasons excludes persons who usually work full time but worked only 1 to 34 hours during the reference week for reasons such as holidays, illness, and bad weather.

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Table A-4. Selected unemployment indicators, seasonally adjusted

| Category | Number of unemployed persons (in thousands) | | | Unemployment rates ^{1/} | | | | | |
|---|---|--------------------------|-----------|----------------------------------|-------------------------|-----------|-----------|------------|-----------|
| | Oct. 1993 | Sept. 1994 ^{2/} | Oct. 1994 | Oct. 1993 | June 1994 ^{2/} | July 1994 | Aug. 1994 | Sept. 1994 | Oct. 1994 |
| CHARACTERISTIC | | | | | | | | | |
| Total, 16 years and over..... | 8,639 | 7,715 | 7,600 | 6.7 | 6.0 | 6.1 | 6.1 | 5.9 | 5.8 |
| Men, 20 years and over..... | 4,134 | 3,418 | 3,446 | 6.2 | 5.3 | 5.6 | 5.4 | 5.1 | 5.1 |
| Women, 20 years and over..... | 3,219 | 3,056 | 2,858 | 5.8 | 5.4 | 5.3 | 5.4 | 5.3 | 5.0 |
| Both sexes, 16 to 19 years..... | 1,286 | 1,240 | 1,296 | 18.9 | 16.9 | 17.7 | 17.5 | 17.0 | 17.3 |
| Married men, spouse present..... | 1,861 | 1,446 | 1,432 | 4.4 | 3.5 | 3.7 | 3.5 | 3.4 | 3.3 |
| Married women, spouse present..... | 1,529 | 1,352 | 1,333 | 4.8 | 4.3 | 4.0 | 4.2 | 4.1 | 4.0 |
| Women who maintain families..... | 696 | 691 | 695 | 9.3 | 8.7 | 7.8 | 8.9 | 9.0 | 8.9 |
| Full-time workers..... | 7,044 | 6,332 | 6,309 | 6.6 | 6.1 | 6.2 | 6.1 | 5.9 | 5.9 |
| Part-time workers..... | 1,623 | 1,389 | 1,376 | 7.2 | 5.8 | 6.0 | 6.4 | 5.7 | 5.6 |
| 3/ OCCUPATION | | | | | | | | | |
| Managerial and professional specialty..... | 949 | 897 | 892 | 2.8 | 3.0 | 2.6 | 2.5 | 2.5 | 2.5 |
| Technical, sales, and administrative support... | 2,067 | 1,861 | 1,766 | 5.3 | 5.2 | 4.7 | 5.0 | 4.7 | 4.5 |
| Precision production, craft, and repair..... | 1,158 | 866 | 816 | 7.9 | 6.1 | 5.7 | 6.2 | 6.1 | 5.7 |
| Operators, fabricators, and laborers..... | 1,852 | 1,666 | 1,723 | 9.8 | 8.4 | 9.6 | 8.9 | 8.5 | 8.7 |
| Farming, forestry, and fishing..... | 290 | 321 | 344 | 8.1 | 6.9 | 9.7 | 8.6 | 8.1 | 8.6 |
| INDUSTRY | | | | | | | | | |
| Nonagricultural private wage and salary workers | 6,652 | 5,940 | 5,896 | 6.9 | 6.2 | 6.4 | 6.2 | 6.0 | 5.9 |
| Goods-producing industries..... | 2,300 | 1,826 | 1,767 | 8.4 | 6.8 | 6.9 | 6.5 | 6.6 | 6.3 |
| Mining..... | 47 | 38 | 30 | 6.5 | 6.2 | 6.1 | 5.1 | 5.5 | 4.4 |
| Construction..... | 850 | 668 | 675 | 13.7 | 11.8 | 10.9 | 10.5 | 10.7 | 10.5 |
| Manufacturing..... | 1,403 | 1,120 | 1,062 | 6.9 | 5.3 | 5.8 | 5.4 | 5.4 | 5.1 |
| Durable goods..... | 814 | 657 | 570 | 6.9 | 5.0 | 5.7 | 5.5 | 5.4 | 4.7 |
| Nondurable goods..... | 589 | 463 | 492 | 6.9 | 5.6 | 5.9 | 5.2 | 5.4 | 5.6 |
| Service-producing industries..... | 4,352 | 4,114 | 4,129 | 6.3 | 6.0 | 6.2 | 6.1 | 5.8 | 5.8 |
| Transportation and public utilities..... | 385 | 319 | 301 | 5.5 | 4.7 | 5.3 | 4.9 | 4.5 | 4.3 |
| Wholesale and retail trade..... | 1,922 | 1,746 | 1,907 | 7.9 | 7.1 | 7.5 | 7.5 | 6.9 | 7.4 |
| Finance, insurance, and real estate..... | 276 | 347 | 252 | 3.7 | 4.1 | 3.7 | 3.8 | 4.5 | 3.4 |
| Services..... | 1,769 | 1,702 | 1,668 | 5.9 | 5.9 | 5.9 | 5.8 | 5.5 | 5.3 |
| Government workers..... | 595 | 594 | 577 | 3.1 | 3.9 | 3.4 | 3.7 | 3.1 | 3.1 |
| Agricultural wage and salary workers..... | 222 | 208 | 195 | 11.8 | 8.4 | 12.6 | 11.1 | 10.9 | 9.8 |

1/ Unemployment as a percent of the civilian labor force.

2/ Data for 1994 are not directly comparable with data for 1993 and earlier years. For additional information, see "Revisions in the Current Population Survey Effective January 1994" in the February 1994 issue of Employment and Earnings.

3/ Seasonally adjusted unemployment data for service occupations are not available because the seasonal components are small relative to the trend-cycle and/or irregular components and consequently cannot be separated with sufficient precision.

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Table A-5. Duration of unemployment

(Numbers in thousands)

| Duration | Not seasonally adjusted | | | Seasonally adjusted | | | | | |
|--|-------------------------|-----------------------------|--------------|---------------------|----------------------------|--------------|--------------|---------------|--------------|
| | Oct. 1993 | Sept. 1994 ^{1/} | Oct. 1994 | Oct. 1993 | June 1994 ^{1/} | July 1994 | Aug. 1994 | Sept. 1994 | Oct. 1994 |
| NUMBER OF UNEMPLOYED | | | | | | | | | |
| Less than 5 weeks..... | 3,016 | 2,727 | 2,274 | 3,156 | 2,850 | 2,871 | 2,618 | 2,668 | 2,378 |
| 5 to 14 weeks..... | 2,368 | 2,098 | 2,179 | 2,491 | 2,483 | 2,361 | 2,632 | 2,306 | 2,306 |
| 15 weeks and over..... | 2,717 | 2,554 | 2,703 | 3,030 | 2,683 | 2,855 | 2,793 | 2,841 | 3,026 |
| 15 to 26 weeks..... | 1,106 | 1,075 | 1,225 | 1,284 | 1,151 | 1,269 | 1,219 | 1,249 | 1,403 |
| 27 weeks and over..... | 1,611 | 1,480 | 1,477 | 1,746 | 1,532 | 1,586 | 1,575 | 1,593 | 1,623 |
| Average (mean) duration, in weeks..... | 18.1 | 18.6 | 19.3 | 18.4 | 18.3 | 19.2 | 19.2 | 19.2 | 19.6 |
| Median duration, in weeks..... | 7.7 | 9.0 | 9.6 | 8.3 | 8.9 | 9.3 | 9.0 | 10.0 | 10.4 |
| PERCENT DISTRIBUTION | | | | | | | | | |
| Total unemployed..... | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 |
| Less than 5 weeks..... | 37.2 | 37.0 | 31.8 | 36.4 | 35.6 | 35.5 | 32.5 | 34.1 | 30.8 |
| 5 to 14 weeks..... | 29.2 | 28.4 | 30.5 | 28.7 | 31.0 | 29.2 | 32.7 | 29.5 | 29.9 |
| 15 weeks and over..... | 33.5 | 34.6 | 37.8 | 34.9 | 33.5 | 35.3 | 34.7 | 36.4 | 39.3 |
| 15 to 26 weeks..... | 13.7 | 14.6 | 17.1 | 14.8 | 14.4 | 15.7 | 15.2 | 16.0 | 18.2 |
| 27 weeks and over..... | 19.9 | 20.1 | 20.6 | 20.1 | 19.1 | 19.6 | 19.6 | 20.4 | 21.1 |

1/ Data for 1994 are not directly comparable with data for 1993 and earlier years. For additional information, see "Revisions in the Current Population Survey Effective January 1994" in the February 1994 issue of Employment and Earnings.

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Table A-6. Reason for unemployment

(Numbers in thousands)

| Reason | Not seasonally adjusted | | | Seasonally adjusted | | | | | |
|--|-------------------------|--------|-------|---------------------|--------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| | Oct. | Sept. | Oct. | Oct. | June | July | Aug. | Sept. | Oct. |
| | 1993 | 19941/ | 1994 | 1993 | 19941/ | 1994 | 1994 | 1994 | 1994 |
| NUMBER OF UNEMPLOYED | | | | | | | | | |
| Job losers and persons who completed temporary jobs..... | 4,225 | 3,206 | 3,168 | 4,779 | 3,664 | 3,904 | 3,813 | 3,570 | 3,528 |
| On temporary layoff..... | 935 | 614 | 637 | 1,216 | 911 | 1,053 | 1,022 | 791 | 808 |
| Not on temporary layoff..... | 3,290 | 2,592 | 2,531 | 3,563 | 2,753 | 2,851 | 2,791 | 2,779 | 2,720 |
| Permanent job losers..... | (2) | (2) | 1,820 | (2) | (2) | (2) | (2) | (2) | (2) |
| Persons who completed temporary jobs..... | (2) | (2) | 712 | (2) | (2) | (2) | (2) | (2) | (2) |
| Job leavers..... | 1,016 | 935 | 811 | 957 | 782 | 755 | 751 | 892 | 767 |
| Reentrants..... | 2,079 | 2,692 | 2,611 | 2,084 | 2,798 | 2,781 | 2,779 | 2,579 | 2,614 |
| New entrants..... | 782 | 546 | 565 | 839 | 462 | 587 | 650 | 611 | 616 |
| PERCENT DISTRIBUTION | | | | | | | | | |
| Total unemployed..... | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 |
| Job losers and persons who completed temporary jobs..... | 52.1 | 43.4 | 44.3 | 55.2 | 47.5 | 48.6 | 47.7 | 46.7 | 46.9 |
| On temporary layoff..... | 11.5 | 8.3 | 8.9 | 14.0 | 11.8 | 13.1 | 12.8 | 10.3 | 10.7 |
| Not on temporary layoff..... | 40.6 | 35.1 | 35.4 | 41.1 | 35.7 | 35.5 | 34.9 | 36.3 | 36.1 |
| Job leavers..... | 12.5 | 12.7 | 11.3 | 11.1 | 10.2 | 9.4 | 9.4 | 11.7 | 10.2 |
| Reentrants..... | 25.7 | 36.5 | 36.5 | 24.1 | 36.3 | 34.7 | 34.8 | 33.7 | 34.7 |
| New entrants..... | 9.6 | 7.4 | 7.9 | 9.7 | 6.0 | 7.3 | 8.1 | 8.0 | 8.2 |
| UNEMPLOYED AS A PERCENT OF THE CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE | | | | | | | | | |
| Job losers and persons who completed temporary jobs..... | 3.3 | 2.4 | 2.4 | 3.7 | 2.8 | 3.0 | 2.9 | 2.7 | 2.7 |
| Job leavers..... | .8 | .7 | .6 | .7 | .6 | .6 | .6 | .7 | .6 |
| Reentrants..... | 1.6 | 2.1 | 2.0 | 1.6 | 2.1 | 2.1 | 2.1 | 2.0 | 2.0 |
| New entrants..... | .6 | .4 | .4 | .7 | .4 | .4 | .5 | .5 | .5 |

1/ Data for 1994 are not directly comparable with data for 1993 and earlier years. For additional information, see "Revisions in the Current Population Survey Effective January 1994" in the February 1994 issue of Employment and Earnings.

2/ Not available.

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Table A-7. Unemployed persons by age and sex, seasonally adjusted

| Age and sex | Number of unemployed persons (in thousands) | | | Unemployment rates ^{1/} | | | | | |
|-------------------------------|--|-----------------------------|--------------|----------------------------------|----------------------------|--------------|--------------|---------------|--------------|
| | Oct. 1993 | Sept. 1994 ^{2/} | Oct. 1994 | Oct. 1993 | June 1994 ^{2/} | July 1994 | Aug. 1994 | Sept. 1994 | Oct. 1994 |
| Total, 16 years and over..... | 8,639 | 7,715 | 7,600 | 6.7 | 6.0 | 6.1 | 6.1 | 5.9 | 5.8 |
| 16 to 24 years..... | 2,616 | 2,578 | 2,557 | 12.9 | 12.0 | 12.6 | 12.7 | 12.1 | 11.8 |
| 16 to 19 years..... | 1,286 | 1,240 | 1,296 | 18.9 | 16.9 | 17.7 | 17.5 | 17.0 | 17.3 |
| 16 to 17 years..... | 566 | 586 | 553 | 20.7 | 20.1 | 20.6 | 20.0 | 18.7 | 17.2 |
| 18 to 19 years..... | 724 | 656 | 747 | 17.7 | 15.1 | 15.4 | 15.5 | 15.8 | 17.5 |
| 20 to 24 years..... | 1,330 | 1,338 | 1,261 | 9.9 | 9.4 | 9.9 | 10.2 | 9.5 | 8.9 |
| 25 years and over..... | 6,016 | 5,153 | 5,079 | 5.6 | 4.8 | 4.9 | 4.8 | 4.7 | 4.6 |
| 25 to 54 years..... | 5,369 | 4,553 | 4,463 | 5.8 | 4.9 | 5.0 | 4.9 | 4.8 | 4.7 |
| 55 years and over..... | 699 | 579 | 622 | 4.5 | 3.9 | 4.2 | 4.3 | 3.7 | 4.0 |
| Men, 16 years and over..... | 4,849 | 4,123 | 4,155 | 6.9 | 6.0 | 6.3 | 6.2 | 5.8 | 5.8 |
| 16 to 24 years..... | 1,475 | 1,419 | 1,423 | 13.8 | 12.5 | 13.7 | 13.5 | 12.5 | 12.3 |
| 16 to 19 years..... | 715 | 705 | 709 | 20.3 | 17.9 | 19.7 | 18.6 | 18.3 | 17.9 |
| 16 to 17 years..... | 312 | 323 | 297 | 22.0 | 22.1 | 20.9 | 21.0 | 19.3 | 17.4 |
| 18 to 19 years..... | 404 | 381 | 419 | 19.2 | 15.7 | 18.5 | 16.9 | 17.4 | 18.7 |
| 20 to 24 years..... | 760 | 714 | 714 | 10.6 | 9.7 | 10.6 | 10.8 | 9.5 | 9.4 |
| 25 years and over..... | 3,365 | 2,727 | 2,762 | 5.7 | 4.7 | 4.9 | 4.8 | 4.6 | 4.6 |
| 25 to 54 years..... | 2,961 | 2,364 | 2,362 | 5.9 | 4.8 | 5.0 | 4.8 | 4.7 | 4.6 |
| 55 years and over..... | 417 | 341 | 371 | 4.8 | 4.0 | 4.6 | 4.3 | 4.0 | 4.3 |
| Women, 16 years and over..... | 3,790 | 3,592 | 3,445 | 6.4 | 6.0 | 5.9 | 6.0 | 5.9 | 5.7 |
| 16 to 24 years..... | 1,141 | 1,159 | 1,134 | 11.9 | 11.4 | 11.3 | 11.8 | 11.6 | 11.2 |
| 16 to 19 years..... | 571 | 535 | 587 | 17.3 | 16.0 | 15.5 | 16.2 | 15.6 | 16.6 |
| 16 to 17 years..... | 254 | 263 | 256 | 19.4 | 18.1 | 20.3 | 19.0 | 18.0 | 17.0 |
| 18 to 19 years..... | 320 | 275 | 327 | 16.0 | 14.4 | 12.0 | 13.8 | 14.0 | 16.1 |
| 20 to 24 years..... | 570 | 624 | 547 | 9.0 | 8.9 | 9.1 | 9.4 | 9.5 | 8.3 |
| 25 years and over..... | 2,651 | 2,427 | 2,316 | 5.4 | 4.9 | 4.8 | 4.9 | 4.8 | 4.6 |
| 25 to 54 years..... | 2,408 | 2,188 | 2,102 | 5.7 | 5.1 | 5.0 | 4.9 | 5.0 | 4.8 |
| 55 years and over..... | 282 | 238 | 250 | 4.2 | 3.8 | 3.6 | 4.2 | 3.4 | 3.6 |

1/ Unemployment as a percent of the civilian labor force.

2/ Data for 1994 are not directly comparable with data for 1993 and earlier years. For additional information, see "Revisions in the Current Population Survey Effective January 1994" in the February 1994 issue of Employment and Earnings.

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Table A-8. Persons not in the labor force and multiple jobholders by sex, not seasonally adjusted

(Numbers in thousands)

| Category | October 1994 | | |
|---|--------------|--------|--------|
| | Total | Men | Women |
| NOT IN THE LABOR FORCE | | | |
| Total not in the labor force..... | 65,550 | 23,503 | 42,047 |
| Persons who currently want a job..... | 5,510 | 2,204 | 3,306 |
| Searched for work and available to work now ¹ /..... | 1,663 | 753 | 910 |
| Reason not currently looking: | | | |
| Discouragement over job prospects ² /..... | 460 | 291 | 169 |
| Reasons other than discouragement ³ /..... | 1,202 | 461 | 741 |
| MULTIPLE JOBHOLDERS | | | |
| Total multiple jobholders ⁴ /..... | 7,648 | 4,160 | 3,488 |
| Percent of total employed..... | 6.1 | 6.2 | 6.1 |
| Primary job full time, secondary job part time..... | 4,388 | 2,665 | 1,722 |
| Primary and secondary jobs both part time..... | 1,776 | 609 | 1,167 |
| Primary and secondary jobs both full time..... | 209 | 152 | 57 |
| Hours vary on primary or secondary job..... | 1,236 | 720 | 516 |

1/ Data refer to persons who have searched for work during the prior 12 months and were available to take a job during the reference week.

2/ Includes those who think no work available, could not find work, lacks schooling or training, employer thinks too young or old, and other types of discrimination.

3/ Includes those who did not actively look for work in the prior 4 weeks for such reasons as child-care and transportation problems, as well as a small number for which reason for nonparticipation was not determined.

4/ Includes persons who work part time on their primary job and full time on their secondary job(s), not shown separately.

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Table A-9. Employment status of the civilian population for eleven large States
(Numbers in thousands)

| State and employment status | 1/ Not seasonally adjusted | | | 2/ Seasonally adjusted | | | | | |
|---|-------------------------------|----------------|--------------|---------------------------|---------------|--------------|--------------|---------------|--------------|
| | Oct. 1993 | Sept. 1994/ | Oct. 1994 | Oct. 1993 | June 1994/ | July 1994 | Aug. 1994 | Sept. 1994 | Oct. 1994 |
| | California | | | | | | | | |
| Civilian noninstitutional population..... | 23,339 | 23,484 | 23,500 | 23,339 | 23,437 | 23,451 | 23,467 | 23,484 | 23,500 |
| Civilian labor force..... | 15,329 | 15,465 | 15,585 | 15,315 | 15,200 | 15,334 | 15,390 | 15,463 | 15,608 |
| Employed..... | 13,894 | 14,204 | 14,429 | 13,837 | 13,931 | 13,950 | 14,023 | 14,172 | 14,411 |
| Unemployed..... | 1,435 | 1,261 | 1,156 | 1,478 | 1,269 | 1,383 | 1,367 | 1,290 | 1,197 |
| Unemployment rate..... | 9.4 | 8.2 | 7.4 | 9.7 | 8.3 | 9.0 | 8.9 | 8.3 | 7.7 |
| Florida | | | | | | | | | |
| Civilian noninstitutional population..... | 10,732 | 10,861 | 10,873 | 10,732 | 10,822 | 10,834 | 10,847 | 10,861 | 10,873 |
| Civilian labor force..... | 6,610 | 6,834 | 6,844 | 6,575 | 6,744 | 6,709 | 6,718 | 6,843 | 6,829 |
| Employed..... | 6,175 | 6,365 | 6,429 | 6,120 | 6,328 | 6,296 | 6,344 | 6,386 | 6,384 |
| Unemployed..... | 435 | 469 | 415 | 455 | 416 | 413 | 374 | 457 | 445 |
| Unemployment rate..... | 6.6 | 6.9 | 6.1 | 6.9 | 6.2 | 6.2 | 5.6 | 6.7 | 6.5 |
| Illinois | | | | | | | | | |
| Civilian noninstitutional population..... | 8,847 | 8,895 | 8,901 | 8,847 | 8,879 | 8,884 | 8,889 | 8,895 | 8,901 |
| Civilian labor force..... | 5,940 | 5,947 | 6,028 | 5,964 | 6,036 | 5,976 | 5,986 | 5,952 | 6,050 |
| Employed..... | 5,523 | 5,648 | 5,683 | 5,518 | 5,745 | 5,601 | 5,646 | 5,612 | 5,672 |
| Unemployed..... | 417 | 299 | 346 | 445 | 291 | 374 | 340 | 340 | 378 |
| Unemployment rate..... | 7.0 | 5.0 | 5.7 | 7.5 | 4.8 | 6.3 | 5.7 | 5.7 | 6.3 |
| Massachusetts | | | | | | | | | |
| Civilian noninstitutional population..... | 4,665 | 4,667 | 4,667 | 4,665 | 4,665 | 4,665 | 4,665 | 4,667 | 4,667 |
| Civilian labor force..... | 3,173 | 3,165 | 3,170 | 3,191 | 3,158 | 3,219 | 3,172 | 3,181 | 3,183 |
| Employed..... | 2,977 | 2,995 | 2,983 | 2,976 | 2,969 | 3,028 | 2,984 | 3,014 | 2,979 |
| Unemployed..... | 196 | 170 | 187 | 215 | 189 | 191 | 188 | 167 | 205 |
| Unemployment rate..... | 6.2 | 5.4 | 5.9 | 6.7 | 6.0 | 5.9 | 5.9 | 5.2 | 6.4 |
| Michigan | | | | | | | | | |
| Civilian noninstitutional population..... | 7,144 | 7,176 | 7,180 | 7,144 | 7,165 | 7,168 | 7,172 | 7,176 | 7,180 |
| Civilian labor force..... | 4,737 | 4,797 | 4,816 | 4,737 | 4,736 | 4,745 | 4,744 | 4,810 | 4,817 |
| Employed..... | 4,431 | 4,544 | 4,589 | 4,410 | 4,480 | 4,462 | 4,447 | 4,545 | 4,570 |
| Unemployed..... | 306 | 253 | 227 | 327 | 256 | 283 | 297 | 265 | 247 |
| Unemployment rate..... | 6.5 | 5.3 | 4.7 | 6.9 | 5.4 | 6.0 | 6.3 | 5.5 | 5.1 |
| New Jersey | | | | | | | | | |
| Civilian noninstitutional population..... | 6,116 | 6,142 | 6,144 | 6,116 | 6,133 | 6,135 | 6,138 | 6,142 | 6,144 |
| Civilian labor force..... | 3,986 | 4,085 | 4,098 | 3,992 | 4,008 | 4,061 | 4,099 | 4,098 | 4,107 |
| Employed..... | 3,734 | 3,825 | 3,841 | 3,723 | 3,724 | 3,799 | 3,852 | 3,824 | 3,830 |
| Unemployed..... | 252 | 260 | 257 | 269 | 284 | 261 | 246 | 274 | 277 |
| Unemployment rate..... | 6.3 | 6.4 | 6.3 | 6.7 | 7.1 | 6.4 | 6.0 | 6.7 | 6.7 |
| New York | | | | | | | | | |
| Civilian noninstitutional population..... | 14,046 | 14,073 | 14,077 | 14,046 | 14,061 | 14,064 | 14,067 | 14,073 | 14,077 |
| Civilian labor force..... | 8,605 | 8,498 | 8,583 | 8,625 | 8,601 | 8,730 | 8,633 | 8,591 | 8,609 |
| Employed..... | 7,962 | 7,992 | 8,051 | 7,954 | 8,000 | 8,110 | 8,035 | 8,058 | 8,048 |
| Unemployed..... | 643 | 506 | 533 | 671 | 601 | 620 | 598 | 533 | 561 |
| Unemployment rate..... | 7.5 | 6.0 | 6.2 | 7.8 | 7.0 | 7.1 | 6.9 | 6.2 | 6.5 |
| North Carolina | | | | | | | | | |
| Civilian noninstitutional population..... | 5,314 | 5,387 | 5,394 | 5,314 | 5,366 | 5,372 | 5,379 | 5,387 | 5,394 |
| Civilian labor force..... | 3,580 | 3,640 | 3,655 | 3,548 | 3,560 | 3,567 | 3,613 | 3,638 | 3,624 |
| Employed..... | 3,427 | 3,476 | 3,486 | 3,384 | 3,429 | 3,401 | 3,424 | 3,452 | 3,443 |
| Unemployed..... | 153 | 164 | 169 | 164 | 131 | 166 | 189 | 186 | 180 |
| Unemployment rate..... | 4.3 | 4.5 | 4.6 | 4.6 | 3.7 | 4.7 | 5.2 | 5.1 | 5.0 |
| Ohio | | | | | | | | | |
| Civilian noninstitutional population..... | 8,409 | 8,443 | 8,446 | 8,409 | 8,431 | 8,434 | 8,438 | 8,443 | 8,446 |
| Civilian labor force..... | 5,462 | 5,514 | 5,537 | 5,475 | 5,546 | 5,472 | 5,437 | 5,520 | 5,557 |
| Employed..... | 5,133 | 5,244 | 5,290 | 5,118 | 5,240 | 5,153 | 5,143 | 5,217 | 5,282 |
| Unemployed..... | 329 | 271 | 248 | 357 | 306 | 319 | 294 | 303 | 274 |
| Unemployment rate..... | 6.0 | 4.9 | 4.5 | 6.5 | 5.5 | 5.8 | 5.4 | 5.5 | 4.9 |
| Pennsylvania | | | | | | | | | |
| Civilian noninstitutional population..... | 9,292 | 9,313 | 9,316 | 9,292 | 9,304 | 9,306 | 9,309 | 9,313 | 9,316 |
| Civilian labor force..... | 5,926 | 5,799 | 5,822 | 5,889 | 5,970 | 5,912 | 5,867 | 5,797 | 5,772 |
| Employed..... | 5,532 | 5,443 | 5,491 | 5,478 | 5,615 | 5,528 | 5,499 | 5,408 | 5,428 |
| Unemployed..... | 394 | 356 | 330 | 411 | 354 | 385 | 369 | 389 | 344 |
| Unemployment rate..... | 6.6 | 6.1 | 5.7 | 7.0 | 5.9 | 6.5 | 6.3 | 6.7 | 6.0 |
| Texas | | | | | | | | | |
| Civilian noninstitutional population..... | 13,378 | 13,608 | 13,631 | 13,378 | 13,541 | 13,562 | 13,585 | 13,608 | 13,631 |
| Civilian labor force..... | 9,335 | 9,321 | 9,405 | 9,339 | 9,415 | 9,500 | 9,416 | 9,334 | 9,398 |
| Employed..... | 8,693 | 8,763 | 8,875 | 8,665 | 8,781 | 8,854 | 8,791 | 8,751 | 8,842 |
| Unemployed..... | 642 | 558 | 529 | 674 | 634 | 646 | 626 | 583 | 555 |
| Unemployment rate..... | 6.9 | 6.0 | 5.6 | 7.2 | 6.7 | 6.8 | 6.6 | 6.2 | 5.9 |

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 columns.

3/ Data for 1994 are not directly comparable with data for 1993 and earlier years. For additional information, see "Revisions in the Current Population Survey Effective January 1994" in the February 1994 issue of Employment and Earnings.

Table B-1. Employees on nonfarm payrolls by industry

(In thousands)

| Industry | Not seasonally adjusted | | | | Seasonally adjusted | | | | | |
|--|-------------------------|--------------|-----------------|----------------|---------------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|-----------------|----------------|
| | Oct. 1993 | Aug. 1994 | Sept. 1994p/ | Oct. 1994p/ | Oct. 1993 | June 1994 | July 1994 | Aug. 1994 | Sept. 1994p/ | Oct. 1994p/ |
| Total..... | 111,977 | 113,696 | 114,668 | 115,272 | 111,112 | 113,334 | 113,624 | 113,914 | 114,162 | 114,356 |
| Total private..... | 92,844 | 95,814 | 95,793 | 95,865 | 92,239 | 94,316 | 94,601 | 94,827 | 95,016 | 95,214 |
| Goods-producing industries..... | 23,600 | 24,122 | 24,118 | 24,079 | 23,245 | 23,576 | 23,590 | 23,640 | 23,665 | 23,706 |
| Mining..... | 612 | 613 | 610 | 606 | 605 | 605 | 601 | 603 | 602 | 598 |
| Metal mining..... | 50.6 | 52.0 | 51.5 | 51.5 | 50 | 50 | 51 | 52 | 51 | 51 |
| Coal mining..... | 97.8 | 114.6 | 112.8 | 112.6 | (1) | (1) | (1) | (1) | (1) | (1) |
| Oil and gas extraction..... | 359.6 | 341.0 | 340.7 | 337.4 | 356 | 339 | 335 | 336 | 338 | 334 |
| Nonmetallic minerals, except fuels..... | 104.1 | 105.3 | 104.6 | 104.0 | 101 | 101 | 101 | 101 | 101 | 101 |
| Construction..... | 4,947 | 5,291 | 5,262 | 5,238 | 4,700 | 4,927 | 4,944 | 4,942 | 4,970 | 4,975 |
| General building contractors..... | 1,159.8 | 1,235.9 | 1,223.7 | 1,226.1 | 1,120 | 1,165 | 1,161 | 1,166 | 1,173 | 1,183 |
| Heavy construction, except building..... | 785.8 | 794.1 | 802.8 | 794.1 | 709 | 725 | 733 | 725 | 727 | 716 |
| Special trade contractors..... | 3,001.0 | 3,261.2 | 3,235.4 | 3,217.8 | 2,871 | 3,037 | 3,050 | 3,051 | 3,070 | 3,076 |
| Manufacturing..... | 18,041 | 18,218 | 18,246 | 18,235 | 17,940 | 18,044 | 18,045 | 18,095 | 18,093 | 18,133 |
| Production workers..... | 12,358 | 12,585 | 12,626 | 12,617 | 12,261 | 12,429 | 12,431 | 12,478 | 12,483 | 12,522 |
| Durable goods..... | 10,171 | 10,305 | 10,356 | 10,373 | 10,135 | 10,253 | 10,249 | 10,290 | 10,306 | 10,336 |
| Production workers..... | 6,839 | 7,013 | 7,068 | 7,087 | 6,806 | 6,966 | 6,969 | 7,007 | 7,022 | 7,054 |
| Lumber and wood products..... | 717.1 | 749.9 | 747.1 | 745.6 | 709 | 730 | 732 | 734 | 735 | 737 |
| Furniture and fixtures..... | 490.3 | 497.9 | 500.0 | 502.2 | 485 | 496 | 500 | 496 | 496 | 497 |
| Stone, clay, and glass products..... | 526.1 | 543.4 | 542.6 | 542.2 | 517 | 529 | 530 | 531 | 530 | 533 |
| Primary metal industries..... | 676.5 | 687.6 | 693.6 | 695.8 | 675 | 684 | 686 | 686 | 689 | 694 |
| Blast furnaces and basic steel products..... | 236.5 | 233.6 | 234.1 | 234.0 | 237 | 234 | 234 | 232 | 233 | 234 |
| Fabricated metal products..... | 1,340.2 | 1,374.3 | 1,384.3 | 1,392.1 | 1,332 | 1,365 | 1,368 | 1,373 | 1,375 | 1,384 |
| Industrial machinery and equipment..... | 1,907.6 | 1,942.1 | 1,951.3 | 1,950.9 | 1,914 | 1,947 | 1,942 | 1,952 | 1,955 | 1,957 |
| Electronic and other electrical equipment..... | 1,521.2 | 1,560.8 | 1,568.5 | 1,570.1 | 1,518 | 1,550 | 1,551 | 1,561 | 1,567 | 1,567 |
| Transportation equipment..... | 1,729.7 | 1,716.7 | 1,735.3 | 1,739.6 | 1,731 | 1,724 | 1,712 | 1,727 | 1,732 | 1,741 |
| Motor vehicles and equipment..... | 839.6 | 885.6 | 903.5 | 906.7 | 840 | 876 | 875 | 893 | 898 | 908 |
| Aircraft and parts..... | 522.7 | 469.8 | 468.4 | 467.9 | 522 | 480 | 475 | 472 | 468 | 467 |
| Instruments and related products..... | 880.9 | 850.6 | 848.8 | 846.6 | 880 | 853 | 849 | 850 | 848 | 846 |
| Miscellaneous manufacturing..... | 381.7 | 381.7 | 384.4 | 387.7 | 374 | 375 | 379 | 380 | 379 | 380 |
| Nondurable goods..... | 7,870 | 7,913 | 7,890 | 7,862 | 7,805 | 7,791 | 7,796 | 7,805 | 7,787 | 7,797 |
| Production workers..... | 5,519 | 5,572 | 5,558 | 5,530 | 5,455 | 5,463 | 5,462 | 5,471 | 5,461 | 5,468 |
| Food and kindred products..... | 1,723.5 | 1,751.0 | 1,738.4 | 1,701.9 | 1,678 | 1,666 | 1,668 | 1,666 | 1,660 | 1,657 |
| Tobacco products..... | 44.0 | 40.0 | 40.6 | 41.0 | 42 | 39 | 38 | 40 | 38 | 39 |
| Textile mill products..... | 674.7 | 675.6 | 673.9 | 673.9 | 672 | 671 | 672 | 672 | 669 | 671 |
| Apparel and other textile products..... | 978.6 | 960.5 | 962.9 | 960.8 | 970 | 957 | 954 | 958 | 956 | 952 |
| Paper and allied products..... | 686.4 | 687.3 | 683.4 | 684.1 | 686 | 683 | 684 | 683 | 680 | 683 |
| Printing and publishing..... | 1,512.3 | 1,532.0 | 1,529.5 | 1,534.9 | 1,514 | 1,528 | 1,531 | 1,535 | 1,533 | 1,536 |
| Chemicals and allied products..... | 1,072.0 | 1,056.9 | 1,050.3 | 1,048.7 | 1,073 | 1,054 | 1,053 | 1,050 | 1,048 | 1,050 |
| Petroleum and coal products..... | 151.7 | 152.9 | 151.2 | 150.8 | 150 | 147 | 147 | 149 | 149 | 149 |
| Rubber and misc. plastics products..... | 908.1 | 940.5 | 944.2 | 951.9 | 903 | 932 | 935 | 938 | 941 | 947 |
| Leather and leather products..... | 118.4 | 115.9 | 115.3 | 114.3 | 117 | 114 | 114 | 114 | 113 | 113 |
| Service-producing industries..... | 88,377 | 89,574 | 90,550 | 91,193 | 87,867 | 89,758 | 90,034 | 90,274 | 90,497 | 90,650 |
| Transportation and public utilities..... | 5,855 | 5,855 | 5,918 | 5,928 | 5,798 | 5,849 | 5,857 | 5,866 | 5,868 | 5,869 |
| Transportation..... | 3,662 | 3,664 | 3,742 | 3,755 | 3,606 | 3,677 | 3,687 | 3,691 | 3,695 | 3,697 |
| Railroad transportation..... | 248.5 | 243.5 | 248.0 | 248.0 | 246 | 246 | 245 | 241 | 245 | 246 |
| Local and interurban passenger transit..... | 392.2 | 332.0 | 403.2 | 411.3 | 373 | 389 | 391 | 397 | 391 | 391 |
| Trucking and warehousing..... | 1,742.1 | 1,793.4 | 1,799.7 | 1,805.4 | 1,712 | 1,764 | 1,768 | 1,772 | 1,775 | 1,773 |
| Water transportation..... | 166.7 | 171.0 | 171.2 | 168.9 | 166 | 166 | 169 | 165 | 168 | 168 |
| Transportation by air..... | 735.7 | 736.4 | 732.6 | 730.1 | 734 | 729 | 728 | 729 | 730 | 729 |
| Pipelines, except natural gas..... | 18.1 | 18.0 | 17.5 | 17.9 | 18 | 18 | 17 | 18 | 17 | 18 |
| Transportation services..... | 358.4 | 369.8 | 369.4 | 373.6 | 357 | 365 | 369 | 369 | 369 | 372 |
| Communications and public utilities..... | 2,193 | 2,191 | 2,176 | 2,173 | 2,192 | 2,172 | 2,170 | 2,175 | 2,173 | 2,172 |
| Communications..... | 1,254.6 | 1,266.2 | 1,261.3 | 1,261.2 | 1,252 | 1,253 | 1,254 | 1,261 | 1,259 | 1,259 |
| Electric, gas, and sanitary services..... | 938.5 | 924.6 | 914.8 | 911.9 | 940 | 919 | 916 | 914 | 914 | 913 |
| Wholesale trade..... | 5,985 | 6,111 | 6,110 | 6,126 | 5,965 | 6,049 | 6,053 | 6,079 | 6,094 | 6,105 |
| Durable goods..... | 3,411 | 3,485 | 3,473 | 3,482 | 3,410 | 3,457 | 3,461 | 3,471 | 3,473 | 3,482 |
| Nondurable goods..... | 2,574 | 2,626 | 2,637 | 2,644 | 2,555 | 2,592 | 2,592 | 2,608 | 2,621 | 2,623 |
| Retail trade..... | 19,849 | 20,598 | 20,570 | 20,551 | 19,822 | 20,279 | 20,386 | 20,405 | 20,471 | 20,522 |
| Building materials and garden supplies..... | 797.1 | 866.4 | 853.9 | 854.1 | 794 | 838 | 842 | 844 | 847 | 851 |
| General merchandise stores..... | 2,479.7 | 2,438.5 | 2,463.9 | 2,518.3 | 2,454 | 2,443 | 2,457 | 2,476 | 2,481 | 2,491 |
| Food stores..... | 3,229.2 | 3,264.0 | 3,248.6 | 3,262.3 | 3,220 | 3,234 | 3,247 | 3,254 | 3,249 | 3,253 |
| Automotive dealers and service stations..... | 2,057.6 | 2,191.0 | 2,188.1 | 2,192.3 | 2,048 | 2,143 | 2,145 | 2,159 | 2,171 | 2,184 |
| Apparel and accessory stores..... | 1,140.1 | 1,148.7 | 1,138.1 | 1,148.8 | 1,148 | 1,145 | 1,149 | 1,148 | 1,155 | 1,157 |
| Furniture and home furnishings stores..... | 842.5 | 896.0 | 903.8 | 923.0 | 844 | 885 | 897 | 905 | 913 | 925 |
| Eating and drinking places..... | 6,827.0 | 7,311.5 | 7,264.6 | 7,105.5 | 6,850 | 7,084 | 7,129 | 7,105 | 7,115 | 7,127 |

See footnotes at end of table.

Table B-1. Employees on nonfarm payrolls by industry

(In thousands)

| Industry | Not seasonally adjusted | | | | Seasonally adjusted | | | | | |
|--|-------------------------|--------------|-----------------|----------------|---------------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|-----------------|----------------|
| | Oct. 1993 | Aug. 1994 | Sept. 1994p/ | Oct. 1994p/ | Oct. 1993 | June 1994 | July 1994 | Aug. 1994 | Sept. 1994p/ | Oct. 1994p/ |
| Miscellaneous retail establishments..... | 2,475.6 | 2,481.5 | 2,509.3 | 2,546.7 | 2,464 | 2,507 | 2,520 | 2,514 | 2,540 | 2,534 |
| Finance, insurance, and real estate..... | 6,730 | 6,875 | 6,801 | 6,770 | 6,748 | 6,798 | 6,797 | 6,801 | 6,789 | 6,787 |
| Finance..... | 3,228 | 3,277 | 3,245 | 3,235 | 3,240 | 3,263 | 3,261 | 3,259 | 3,248 | 3,246 |
| Depository institutions..... | 2,063.4 | 2,054.4 | 2,034.1 | 2,031.9 | 2,072 | 2,041 | 2,042 | 2,040 | 2,036 | 2,040 |
| Nondepository institutions..... | 460.9 | 475.2 | 470.0 | 461.7 | 463 | 484 | 480 | 476 | 471 | 464 |
| Security and commodity brokers..... | 478.3 | 511.8 | 507.8 | 507.6 | 479 | 505 | 506 | 508 | 507 | 508 |
| Holding and other investment offices.... | 225.7 | 235.3 | 233.5 | 233.5 | 226 | 233 | 233 | 235 | 234 | 234 |
| Insurance..... | 2,181 | 2,185 | 2,172 | 2,170 | 2,187 | 2,184 | 2,182 | 2,180 | 2,178 | 2,176 |
| Insurance carriers..... | 1,520.3 | 1,517.9 | 1,507.3 | 1,504.5 | 1,525 | 1,521 | 1,517 | 1,515 | 1,512 | 1,509 |
| Insurance agents, brokers, and service.. | 660.9 | 667.4 | 664.8 | 665.8 | 662 | 663 | 665 | 665 | 666 | 667 |
| Real estate..... | 1,321 | 1,413 | 1,384 | 1,365 | 1,321 | 1,351 | 1,354 | 1,362 | 1,363 | 1,365 |
| Services2/..... | 30,825 | 32,253 | 32,276 | 32,411 | 30,661 | 31,765 | 31,918 | 32,036 | 32,129 | 32,225 |
| Agricultural services..... | 544.0 | 610.8 | 592.1 | 583.9 | 526 | 551 | 554 | 559 | 561 | 565 |
| Hotels and other lodging places..... | 1,598.2 | 1,738.9 | 1,661.8 | 1,591.2 | 1,602 | 1,626 | 1,627 | 1,619 | 1,609 | 1,594 |
| Personal services..... | 1,110.5 | 1,098.2 | 1,112.2 | 1,112.6 | 1,134 | 1,133 | 1,134 | 1,139 | 1,137 | 1,136 |
| Business services..... | 6,083.1 | 6,616.5 | 6,671.6 | 6,769.9 | 5,950 | 6,416 | 6,488 | 6,538 | 6,586 | 6,618 |
| Personnel supply services..... | 2,149.9 | 2,462.2 | 2,496.2 | 2,569.6 | 2,033 | 2,334 | 2,375 | 2,388 | 2,414 | 2,429 |
| Auto repair, services, and parking..... | 966.6 | 1,064.7 | 1,070.1 | 1,078.2 | 965 | 1,041 | 1,045 | 1,058 | 1,065 | 1,076 |
| Miscellaneous repair services..... | 370.1 | 386.9 | 385.1 | 388.3 | 366 | 380 | 381 | 382 | 382 | 384 |
| Motion pictures..... | 415.4 | 506.0 | 493.8 | 505.6 | 423 | 474 | 482 | 493 | 503 | 514 |
| Amusement and recreation services..... | 1,183.4 | 1,460.6 | 1,330.3 | 1,195.3 | 1,249 | 1,287 | 1,278 | 1,266 | 1,253 | 1,262 |
| Health services..... | 8,854.4 | 9,093.9 | 9,083.1 | 9,109.9 | 8,852 | 9,025 | 9,043 | 9,076 | 9,083 | 9,110 |
| Hospitals..... | 3,788.4 | 3,797.8 | 3,787.6 | 3,789.3 | 3,790 | 3,787 | 3,787 | 3,790 | 3,791 | 3,793 |
| Legal services..... | 930.5 | 950.6 | 938.9 | 943.9 | 934 | 938 | 941 | 942 | 946 | 947 |
| Educational services..... | 1,811.6 | 1,494.0 | 1,725.1 | 1,879.6 | 1,696 | 1,741 | 1,747 | 1,747 | 1,759 | 1,760 |
| Social services..... | 2,127.2 | 2,253.5 | 2,283.0 | 2,306.7 | 2,121 | 2,242 | 2,267 | 2,285 | 2,294 | 2,300 |
| Museums and botanical and zoological gardens..... | 78.3 | 85.7 | 81.8 | 80.7 | 77 | 79 | 80 | 80 | 80 | 79 |
| Membership organizations..... | 2,026.6 | 2,088.5 | 2,047.8 | 2,057.1 | 2,036 | 2,055 | 2,056 | 2,056 | 2,064 | 2,067 |
| Engineering and management services..... | 2,550.9 | 2,628.8 | 2,624.7 | 2,633.2 | 2,556 | 2,603 | 2,620 | 2,621 | 2,633 | 2,638 |
| Services, nec..... | 40.6 | 41.0 | 40.8 | 40.8 | (1) | (1) | (1) | (1) | (1) | (1) |
| Government..... | 19,133 | 17,882 | 18,875 | 19,407 | 18,873 | 19,018 | 19,023 | 19,087 | 19,146 | 19,142 |
| Federal..... | 2,886 | 2,875 | 2,859 | 2,845 | 2,901 | 2,859 | 2,859 | 2,858 | 2,859 | 2,859 |
| State..... | 4,616 | 4,332 | 4,541 | 4,716 | 4,504 | 4,539 | 4,568 | 4,585 | 4,605 | 4,601 |
| Education..... | 1,965.1 | 1,592.2 | 1,828.3 | 2,020.2 | 1,840 | 1,850 | 1,876 | 1,886 | 1,901 | 1,892 |
| Other State government..... | 2,650.5 | 2,739.4 | 2,712.3 | 2,695.4 | 2,664 | 2,689 | 2,692 | 2,699 | 2,704 | 2,709 |
| Local..... | 11,631 | 10,675 | 11,475 | 11,846 | 11,468 | 11,620 | 11,596 | 11,644 | 11,682 | 11,682 |
| Education..... | 6,616.1 | 5,326.8 | 6,328.5 | 6,767.2 | 6,378 | 6,461 | 6,478 | 6,536 | 6,531 | 6,526 |
| Other local government..... | 5,014.9 | 5,348.2 | 5,146.2 | 5,078.4 | 5,090 | 5,159 | 5,118 | 5,108 | 5,151 | 5,156 |

1/ 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 sufficient precision.

2/ Includes other industries, not shown separately.
p = preliminary.

Table B-2. Average weekly hours of production or nonsupervisory workers on private nonfarm payrolls by industry

| Industry | Not seasonally adjusted | | | | Seasonally adjusted | | | | | |
|---|-------------------------|--------------|-----------------|----------------|---------------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|-----------------|----------------|
| | Oct. 1993 | Aug. 1994 | Sept. 1994p/ | Oct. 1994p/ | Oct. 1993 | June 1994 | July 1994 | Aug. 1994 | Sept. 1994p/ | Oct. 1994p/ |
| Total private..... | 34.6 | 34.9 | 34.8 | 35.0 | 34.5 | 34.6 | 34.6 | 34.4 | 34.6 | 34.9 |
| Mining..... | 45.5 | 45.1 | 45.5 | 45.7 | 45.1 | 44.8 | 45.4 | 44.7 | 45.0 | 45.2 |
| Construction..... | 39.3 | 39.7 | 39.9 | 39.4 | (2) | (2) | (2) | (2) | (2) | (2) |
| Manufacturing..... | 41.8 | 42.0 | 42.4 | 42.3 | 41.6 | 42.0 | 42.0 | 42.0 | 42.0 | 42.1 |
| Overtime hours..... | 4.5 | 4.8 | 5.1 | 5.0 | 4.3 | 4.7 | 4.6 | 4.6 | 4.7 | 4.7 |
| Durable goods..... | 42.5 | 42.7 | 43.1 | 43.1 | 42.4 | 42.8 | 42.6 | 42.8 | 42.8 | 42.9 |
| Overtime hours..... | 4.7 | 5.1 | 5.4 | 5.3 | 4.5 | 5.0 | 4.9 | 5.0 | 5.0 | 5.1 |
| Lumber and wood products..... | 41.4 | 41.6 | 41.5 | 41.6 | 41.2 | 41.3 | 41.1 | 41.2 | 40.9 | 41.4 |
| Furniture and fixtures..... | 40.7 | 40.7 | 41.1 | 41.1 | 40.4 | 40.8 | 40.5 | 40.4 | 40.6 | 40.7 |
| Stone, clay, and glass products..... | 43.5 | 44.0 | 44.2 | 44.1 | 42.8 | 43.6 | 43.5 | 43.4 | 43.6 | 43.4 |
| Primary metal industries..... | 43.7 | 44.5 | 44.9 | 44.8 | 43.8 | 44.3 | 44.4 | 44.7 | 44.8 | 45.0 |
| Blast furnaces and basic steel products.. | 43.6 | 45.1 | 45.6 | 45.6 | 43.8 | 44.4 | 44.8 | 45.0 | 45.1 | 45.8 |
| Fabricated metal products..... | 42.6 | 42.8 | 43.2 | 43.2 | 42.3 | 42.6 | 42.6 | 42.8 | 43.0 | 42.9 |
| Industrial machinery and equipment..... | 43.2 | 43.1 | 43.7 | 43.8 | 43.2 | 43.8 | 43.6 | 43.4 | 43.7 | 43.8 |
| Electronic and other electrical equipment.. | 42.1 | 42.0 | 42.2 | 42.4 | 42.1 | 42.2 | 42.2 | 42.3 | 42.0 | 42.4 |
| Transportation equipment..... | 43.8 | 44.0 | 44.8 | 44.4 | 43.5 | 44.0 | 43.3 | 44.4 | 44.2 | 44.1 |
| Motor vehicles and equipment..... | 45.4 | 45.6 | 46.5 | 45.8 | 45.1 | 45.2 | 44.1 | 45.9 | 45.8 | 45.5 |
| Instruments and related products..... | 41.0 | 41.5 | 41.8 | 41.8 | 41.1 | 41.6 | 42.1 | 41.8 | 41.7 | 41.9 |
| Miscellaneous manufacturing..... | 40.2 | 39.9 | 40.1 | 40.5 | 39.7 | 40.2 | 40.3 | 39.9 | 39.9 | 39.9 |
| Nondurable goods..... | 40.9 | 41.1 | 41.4 | 41.3 | 40.6 | 41.0 | 41.1 | 40.9 | 41.0 | 41.1 |
| Overtime hours..... | 4.3 | 4.5 | 4.8 | 4.6 | 4.0 | 4.3 | 4.3 | 4.2 | 4.3 | 4.3 |
| Food and kindred products..... | 41.4 | 41.8 | 42.3 | 41.7 | 40.9 | 41.3 | 41.7 | 41.3 | 41.3 | 41.2 |
| Tobacco products..... | 38.7 | 39.4 | 41.2 | 42.3 | (2) | (2) | (2) | (2) | (2) | (2) |
| Textile mill products..... | 41.7 | 41.9 | 42.1 | 41.8 | 41.5 | 41.9 | 41.6 | 41.5 | 41.5 | 41.7 |
| Apparel and other textile products..... | 37.2 | 37.9 | 37.8 | 38.0 | 36.9 | 37.8 | 37.6 | 37.7 | 37.6 | 37.7 |
| Paper and allied products..... | 44.0 | 43.9 | 44.4 | 44.5 | 43.8 | 44.0 | 44.3 | 44.1 | 43.9 | 44.3 |
| Printing and publishing..... | 38.6 | 38.7 | 39.1 | 39.1 | 38.4 | 38.8 | 38.6 | 38.5 | 38.7 | 38.9 |
| Chemicals and allied products..... | 43.1 | 42.9 | 43.0 | 43.4 | 43.2 | 43.3 | 43.5 | 43.2 | 43.0 | 43.5 |
| Petroleum and coal products..... | 45.8 | 43.5 | 46.4 | 46.8 | (2) | (2) | (2) | (2) | (2) | (2) |
| Rubber and misc. plastics products..... | 41.9 | 42.1 | 42.3 | 42.3 | 41.8 | 42.2 | 42.2 | 42.2 | 42.4 | 42.3 |
| Leather and leather products..... | 38.7 | 38.6 | 38.8 | 38.9 | 38.7 | 38.3 | 37.9 | 38.6 | 38.7 | 38.9 |
| Transportation and public utilities..... | 39.9 | 40.2 | 40.1 | 40.3 | 39.8 | 39.9 | 39.9 | 39.6 | 39.9 | 40.2 |
| Wholesale trade..... | 38.3 | 38.3 | 38.4 | 38.8 | 38.2 | 38.4 | 38.3 | 38.1 | 38.2 | 38.7 |
| Retail trade..... | 28.8 | 29.7 | 29.0 | 29.1 | 28.9 | 29.0 | 29.0 | 28.9 | 28.9 | 29.2 |
| Finance, insurance, and real estate..... | 35.7 | 35.5 | 35.4 | 36.3 | (2) | (2) | (2) | (2) | (2) | (2) |
| Services..... | 32.4 | 32.7 | 32.4 | 32.8 | 32.4 | 32.4 | 32.5 | 32.2 | 32.5 | 32.8 |

1/ 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 nonfarm 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 sufficient precision.

p = preliminary.

Table B-3. Average hourly and weekly earnings of production or nonsupervisory workers on private nonfarm payrolls by industry

| Industry | Average hourly earnings | | | | Average weekly earnings | | | |
|---|-------------------------|---------|---------|---------|-------------------------|----------|----------|----------|
| | Oct. | Aug. | Sept. | Oct. | Oct. | Aug. | Sept. | Oct. |
| | 1993 | 1994 | 1994p/ | 1994p/ | 1993 | 1994 | 1994p/ | 1994p/ |
| Total private..... | \$10.94 | \$11.04 | \$11.21 | \$11.26 | \$378.52 | \$385.30 | \$390.11 | \$394.10 |
| Seasonally adjusted..... | 10.92 | 11.13 | 11.16 | 11.24 | 376.74 | 382.87 | 386.14 | 392.28 |
| Mining..... | 14.47 | 14.69 | 14.91 | 14.89 | 658.39 | 662.52 | 678.41 | 680.47 |
| Construction..... | 14.55 | 14.76 | 14.94 | 15.00 | 571.82 | 585.97 | 596.11 | 591.00 |
| Manufacturing..... | 11.80 | 12.01 | 12.14 | 12.11 | 493.24 | 504.42 | 514.74 | 512.25 |
| Durable goods..... | 12.40 | 12.62 | 12.76 | 12.71 | 527.00 | 538.87 | 549.96 | 547.80 |
| Lumber and wood products..... | 9.71 | 9.86 | 9.93 | 9.98 | 401.99 | 410.18 | 412.10 | 415.17 |
| Furniture and fixtures..... | 9.40 | 9.57 | 9.70 | 9.71 | 382.58 | 389.50 | 398.67 | 399.08 |
| Stone, clay, and glass products..... | 11.92 | 12.17 | 12.26 | 12.23 | 518.52 | 535.48 | 541.89 | 539.34 |
| Primary metal industries..... | 14.00 | 14.33 | 14.33 | 14.27 | 611.80 | 637.69 | 643.42 | 639.30 |
| Blast furnaces and basic steel products.. | 16.42 | 16.96 | 16.86 | 16.84 | 715.91 | 764.90 | 768.82 | 767.90 |
| Fabricated metal products..... | 11.74 | 11.87 | 12.00 | 11.92 | 500.12 | 508.04 | 518.40 | 514.94 |
| Industrial machinery and equipment..... | 12.82 | 12.91 | 13.02 | 13.00 | 553.82 | 556.42 | 568.97 | 569.40 |
| Electronic and other electrical equipment.. | 11.29 | 11.53 | 11.59 | 11.55 | 475.31 | 484.26 | 489.10 | 489.72 |
| Transportation equipment..... | 15.99 | 16.45 | 16.72 | 16.57 | 700.36 | 723.80 | 749.06 | 735.71 |
| Motor vehicles and equipment..... | 16.33 | 16.91 | 17.26 | 17.01 | 741.38 | 771.10 | 802.59 | 779.06 |
| Instruments and related products..... | 12.32 | 12.47 | 12.54 | 12.54 | 505.12 | 517.51 | 524.17 | 524.17 |
| Miscellaneous manufacturing..... | 9.41 | 9.62 | 9.70 | 9.72 | 378.28 | 383.84 | 388.97 | 393.66 |
| Nondurable goods..... | 11.02 | 11.20 | 11.31 | 11.31 | 450.72 | 460.32 | 468.23 | 467.10 |
| Food and kindred products..... | 10.38 | 10.60 | 10.64 | 10.65 | 429.73 | 443.08 | 450.07 | 444.11 |
| Tobacco products..... | 15.84 | 18.54 | 18.49 | 18.49 | 613.01 | 730.48 | 761.79 | 782.13 |
| Textile mill products..... | 8.95 | 9.13 | 9.21 | 9.21 | 373.22 | 382.55 | 387.74 | 384.98 |
| Apparel and other textile products..... | 7.14 | 7.35 | 7.43 | 7.41 | 265.61 | 278.57 | 280.85 | 281.58 |
| Paper and allied products..... | 13.55 | 13.79 | 13.96 | 13.87 | 596.20 | 605.38 | 619.82 | 617.22 |
| Printing and publishing..... | 12.04 | 12.12 | 12.27 | 12.22 | 464.74 | 469.04 | 479.76 | 477.80 |
| Chemicals and allied products..... | 14.89 | 15.12 | 15.30 | 15.32 | 641.76 | 648.65 | 657.90 | 664.89 |
| Petroleum and coal products..... | 18.57 | 18.79 | 19.46 | 19.57 | 850.51 | 817.37 | 902.94 | 915.88 |
| Rubber and misc. plastics products..... | 10.60 | 10.65 | 10.66 | 10.63 | 444.14 | 448.37 | 450.92 | 449.65 |
| Leather and leather products..... | 7.67 | 7.95 | 7.95 | 8.03 | 296.83 | 306.87 | 308.46 | 312.37 |
| Transportation and public utilities..... | 13.66 | 13.86 | 13.93 | 14.00 | 545.03 | 557.17 | 558.59 | 564.20 |
| Wholesale trade..... | 11.81 | 11.96 | 12.05 | 12.16 | 452.32 | 458.07 | 462.72 | 471.81 |
| Retail trade..... | 7.36 | 7.43 | 7.53 | 7.57 | 211.97 | 220.67 | 218.37 | 220.29 |
| Finance, insurance, and real estate..... | 11.52 | 11.73 | 11.86 | 12.04 | 411.26 | 416.42 | 419.84 | 437.05 |
| Services..... | 10.87 | 10.92 | 11.12 | 11.21 | 352.19 | 357.08 | 360.29 | 367.69 |

1/ See footnote 1, table B-2.

p = preliminary.

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Table B-4. Average hourly earnings of production or nonsupervisory workers on private nonfarm

payrolls by industry, seasonally adjusted

| Industry | Oct. 1993 | June 1994 | July 1994 | Aug. 1994 | Sept. 1994p/ | Oct. 1994p/ | Percent change from: Sept. 1994- Oct. 1994 |
|---|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|-----------------|----------------|--|
| Total private: | | | | | | | |
| Current dollars..... | \$10.92 | \$11.08 | \$11.11 | \$11.13 | \$11.16 | \$11.24 | 0.7 |
| Constant (1982) dollars ^{2/} | 7.39 | 7.39 | 7.38 | 7.36 | 7.37 | N.A. | (3) |
| Mining..... | 14.62 | 14.73 | 14.80 | 14.82 | 14.92 | 15.04 | .8 |
| Construction..... | 14.43 | 14.67 | 14.75 | 14.72 | 14.82 | 14.88 | .4 |
| Manufacturing..... | 11.84 | 12.03 | 12.05 | 12.08 | 12.12 | 12.15 | .2 |
| Excluding overtime ^{4/} | 11.25 | 11.40 | 11.42 | 11.43 | 11.46 | 11.51 | .4 |
| Transportation and public utilities | 13.66 | 13.78 | 13.84 | 13.87 | 13.89 | 14.00 | .8 |
| Wholesale trade..... | 11.84 | 11.99 | 12.02 | 12.01 | 12.04 | 12.20 | 1.3 |
| Retail trade..... | 7.35 | 7.47 | 7.48 | 7.50 | 7.51 | 7.56 | .7 |
| Finance, insurance, and real estate | 11.56 | 11.74 | 11.80 | 11.80 | 11.90 | 12.08 | 1.5 |
| Services..... | 10.87 | 11.03 | 11.06 | 11.08 | 11.11 | 11.21 | .9 |

1/ See footnote 1, table B-2.

2/ The Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W) is used to deflate this series.

3/ Change was .1 percent from August 1994 to September 1994, the latest month available.

4/ Derived by assuming that overtime hours are paid at the rate of time and one-half.

N.A. = not available.

p/ = preliminary.

Table B-5. Indexes of aggregate weekly hours of production or nonsupervisory workers on private nonfarm payrolls

by industry

(1982=100)

| Industry | Not seasonally adjusted | | | | Seasonally adjusted | | | | | |
|---|-------------------------|--------------|-----------------|----------------|---------------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|-----------------|----------------|
| | Oct. 1993 | Aug. 1994 | Sept. 1994p/ | Oct. 1994p/ | Oct. 1993 | June 1994 | July 1994 | Aug. 1994 | Sept. 1994p/ | Oct. 1994p/ |
| Total private..... | 126.6 | 132.3 | 131.5 | 132.4 | 125.3 | 128.8 | 129.3 | 128.9 | 129.8 | 131.1 |
| Goods-producing industries..... | 107.3 | 111.3 | 112.3 | 111.6 | 104.3 | 107.5 | 107.6 | 107.8 | 108.2 | 108.5 |
| Mining..... | 56.2 | 56.4 | 56.8 | 56.8 | 55.2 | 55.1 | 55.7 | 55.2 | 55.5 | 55.6 |
| Construction..... | 138.0 | 149.9 | 149.7 | 146.7 | 126.3 | 134.0 | 135.2 | 134.2 | 136.0 | 134.7 |
| Manufacturing..... | 104.2 | 106.6 | 107.9 | 107.7 | 102.9 | 105.3 | 105.2 | 105.7 | 105.8 | 106.4 |
| Durable goods..... | 101.5 | 104.5 | 106.3 | 106.6 | 100.6 | 104.0 | 103.7 | 104.7 | 104.9 | 105.7 |
| Lumber and wood products..... | 129.7 | 136.6 | 135.8 | 135.6 | 127.2 | 131.7 | 131.3 | 132.0 | 131.0 | 133.1 |
| Furniture and fixtures..... | 124.2 | 126.2 | 128.1 | 128.4 | 121.9 | 126.0 | 125.7 | 125.1 | 125.7 | 125.7 |
| Stone, clay, and glass products..... | 107.0 | 112.1 | 112.4 | 111.8 | 103.2 | 107.8 | 107.8 | 107.6 | 107.8 | 107.8 |
| Primary metal industries..... | 85.5 | 89.2 | 91.2 | 91.3 | 85.7 | 88.3 | 88.9 | 89.6 | 90.3 | 91.6 |
| Blast furnaces and basic steel products.. | 70.7 | 72.0 | 73.1 | 72.9 | 71.1 | 70.5 | 71.6 | 71.5 | 72.1 | 73.2 |
| Fabricated metal products..... | 105.0 | 109.3 | 111.2 | 112.1 | 103.4 | 107.9 | 108.0 | 109.1 | 109.7 | 110.4 |
| Industrial machinery and equipment..... | 92.3 | 95.8 | 98.2 | 98.6 | 92.8 | 97.5 | 97.2 | 97.3 | 98.4 | 99.0 |
| Electronic and other electrical equipment.. | 101.6 | 104.6 | 105.9 | 106.6 | 101.4 | 104.3 | 104.2 | 105.5 | 105.3 | 106.3 |
| Transportation equipment..... | 111.6 | 114.2 | 118.1 | 117.7 | 111.2 | 114.5 | 111.9 | 116.3 | 116.2 | 117.1 |
| Motor vehicles and equipment..... | 140.5 | 150.6 | 157.2 | 155.5 | 139.7 | 147.7 | 143.7 | 153.5 | 154.1 | 154.6 |
| Instruments and related products..... | 75.4 | 73.7 | 74.1 | 74.0 | 75.6 | 74.3 | 75.1 | 74.2 | 74.0 | 74.2 |
| Miscellaneous manufacturing..... | 104.0 | 102.4 | 103.6 | 105.7 | 100.1 | 101.4 | 102.8 | 102.1 | 101.4 | 101.4 |
| Nondurable goods..... | 107.8 | 109.4 | 110.0 | 109.2 | 105.9 | 107.1 | 107.2 | 107.0 | 107.0 | 107.4 |
| Food and kindred products..... | 118.6 | 122.8 | 123.1 | 117.9 | 113.1 | 113.5 | 114.7 | 113.6 | 113.2 | 112.4 |
| Tobacco products..... | 64.4 | 61.3 | 65.5 | 68.5 | 57.4 | 58.7 | 55.7 | 60.0 | 59.9 | 60.8 |
| Textile mill products..... | 99.5 | 99.8 | 100.0 | 99.4 | 98.5 | 99.4 | 98.3 | 98.3 | 97.8 | 98.6 |
| Apparel and other textile products..... | 89.5 | 89.2 | 89.6 | 89.8 | 88.1 | 88.8 | 88.0 | 88.5 | 88.3 | 88.4 |
| Paper and allied products..... | 111.0 | 111.8 | 112.2 | 112.4 | 110.4 | 111.1 | 111.9 | 111.4 | 110.2 | 111.9 |
| Printing and publishing..... | 124.1 | 125.7 | 126.5 | 126.6 | 123.8 | 125.7 | 125.3 | 125.3 | 125.8 | 126.4 |
| Chemicals and allied products..... | 101.0 | 100.9 | 100.6 | 101.8 | 101.3 | 101.6 | 101.9 | 100.6 | 100.5 | 102.4 |
| Petroleum and coal products..... | 86.2 | 82.5 | 86.8 | 87.1 | 83.7 | 80.1 | 80.5 | 81.0 | 84.1 | 84.5 |
| Rubber and misc. plastics products..... | 133.3 | 139.5 | 140.9 | 142.4 | 132.0 | 138.6 | 139.2 | 139.5 | 140.8 | 141.4 |
| Leather and leather products..... | 56.4 | 54.8 | 54.5 | 54.4 | 55.3 | 53.5 | 52.4 | 54.0 | 53.5 | 53.2 |
| Service-producing industries..... | 135.3 | 141.8 | 140.2 | 141.8 | 134.8 | 138.4 | 139.0 | 138.3 | 139.5 | 141.2 |
| Transportation and public utilities..... | 119.8 | 120.6 | 121.7 | 122.4 | 118.3 | 119.6 | 119.6 | 118.8 | 119.8 | 120.7 |
| Wholesale trade..... | 113.5 | 116.0 | 116.2 | 117.6 | 112.7 | 114.9 | 114.6 | 114.7 | 115.2 | 116.7 |
| Retail trade..... | 123.9 | 132.3 | 128.9 | 129.3 | 124.1 | 127.3 | 128.0 | 127.6 | 128.0 | 129.6 |
| Finance, insurance, and real estate..... | 120.7 | 123.2 | 121.2 | 123.0 | 121.4 | 121.8 | 122.4 | 120.4 | 120.9 | 123.9 |
| Services..... | 158.6 | 167.5 | 166.1 | 168.8 | 157.6 | 163.5 | 164.6 | 163.8 | 165.8 | 167.8 |

1/ See footnote 1, table B-2.

p = preliminary.

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

(Percent)

| TIME SPAN | Jan. | Feb. | Mar. | Apr. | May | June | July | Aug. | Sept. | Oct. | Nov. | Dec. |
|--|------|------|--------|--------|------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|------|------|
| Private nonfarm payrolls, 356 industries ^{1/} | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Over 1-month span: | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1990..... | 58.8 | 57.3 | 50.8 | 47.9 | 49.7 | 51.8 | 43.8 | 46.2 | 42.7 | 41.6 | 41.3 | 41.3 |
| 1991..... | 39.6 | 39.6 | 38.5 | 38.2 | 48.5 | 45.4 | 48.3 | 52.0 | 48.9 | 46.8 | 46.5 | 46.1 |
| 1992..... | 42.1 | 46.1 | 48.3 | 57.7 | 53.1 | 50.4 | 52.8 | 46.5 | 53.4 | 56.9 | 52.5 | 57.3 |
| 1993..... | 57.9 | 61.7 | 49.0 | 56.0 | 57.0 | 51.1 | 58.8 | 50.0 | 56.7 | 57.4 | 61.0 | 57.4 |
| 1994..... | 56.6 | 58.3 | 62.9 | 62.5 | 56.3 | 63.2 | 59.3 | 59.8 | p/56.0 | p/59.6 | | |
| Over 3-month span: | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1990..... | 59.0 | 59.1 | 52.5 | 48.9 | 49.0 | 47.3 | 45.9 | 40.6 | 38.3 | 36.2 | 35.7 | 35.4 |
| 1991..... | 34.3 | 32.0 | 31.6 | 38.2 | 39.3 | 44.2 | 49.4 | 50.7 | 50.8 | 44.9 | 43.7 | 40.9 |
| 1992..... | 39.7 | 42.3 | 51.0 | 56.2 | 57.6 | 54.1 | 50.4 | 49.9 | 51.7 | 56.2 | 58.6 | 59.8 |
| 1993..... | 64.0 | 61.4 | 59.7 | 55.8 | 54.9 | 57.7 | 54.6 | 55.9 | 55.8 | 62.4 | 61.5 | 60.8 |
| 1994..... | 62.1 | 64.5 | 65.2 | 65.0 | 65.4 | 64.6 | 66.7 | p/63.9 | p/63.6 | | | |
| Over 6-month span: | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1990..... | 57.2 | 54.9 | 55.8 | 50.4 | 46.8 | 44.0 | 41.3 | 38.9 | 35.8 | 33.6 | 32.0 | 30.2 |
| 1991..... | 30.2 | 32.4 | 31.2 | 33.7 | 39.2 | 44.7 | 46.5 | 45.6 | 47.8 | 44.5 | 41.4 | 39.9 |
| 1992..... | 43.5 | 46.3 | 47.2 | 52.0 | 54.2 | 56.6 | 52.8 | 53.1 | 55.8 | 56.3 | 64.2 | 62.2 |
| 1993..... | 61.4 | 60.8 | 59.0 | 59.8 | 54.4 | 54.5 | 57.9 | 58.8 | 59.7 | 60.8 | 62.8 | 63.6 |
| 1994..... | 67.0 | 65.9 | 68.8 | 66.0 | 67.8 | p/65.9 | p/67.6 | | | | | |
| Over 12-month span: | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1990..... | 55.5 | 52.7 | 51.7 | 48.5 | 45.4 | 42.6 | 39.3 | 36.1 | 35.8 | 33.0 | 33.0 | 30.6 |
| 1991..... | 31.0 | 31.0 | 31.7 | 31.9 | 31.7 | 33.8 | 35.8 | 37.5 | 40.0 | 45.2 | 45.6 | 45.4 |
| 1992..... | 47.2 | 42.3 | 42.7 | 44.1 | 48.0 | 52.5 | 55.8 | 60.7 | 59.7 | 60.4 | 60.1 | 60.7 |
| 1993..... | 60.0 | 61.1 | 60.7 | 62.2 | 63.2 | 62.1 | 62.4 | 60.8 | 63.5 | 62.8 | 63.1 | 63.5 |
| 1994..... | 64.2 | 65.7 | p/65.7 | p/66.9 | | | | | | | | |
| Manufacturing payrolls, 139 industries ^{1/} | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Over 1-month span: | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1990..... | 48.9 | 47.5 | 43.9 | 46.8 | 40.3 | 46.8 | 38.8 | 42.4 | 35.6 | 38.5 | 29.1 | 34.2 |
| 1991..... | 32.7 | 35.6 | 31.3 | 37.4 | 45.7 | 43.5 | 46.4 | 49.3 | 42.8 | 47.8 | 41.4 | 39.6 |
| 1992..... | 38.1 | 40.6 | 45.0 | 57.9 | 47.8 | 50.0 | 53.2 | 41.7 | 49.3 | 47.8 | 52.5 | 51.8 |
| 1993..... | 52.5 | 57.6 | 47.8 | 41.7 | 46.0 | 40.3 | 49.3 | 42.8 | 46.8 | 50.0 | 55.4 | 51.1 |
| 1994..... | 54.3 | 53.6 | 51.1 | 56.1 | 50.0 | 58.6 | 52.9 | 56.8 | p/49.6 | p/60.8 | | |
| Over 3-month span: | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1990..... | 44.6 | 45.3 | 45.0 | 38.8 | 41.7 | 38.8 | 38.1 | 28.8 | 30.9 | 23.0 | 23.0 | 21.6 |
| 1991..... | 24.5 | 21.9 | 20.5 | 32.7 | 36.3 | 39.6 | 47.1 | 46.0 | 48.2 | 39.9 | 36.7 | 33.5 |
| 1992..... | 30.9 | 36.3 | 45.3 | 50.7 | 55.4 | 53.6 | 47.1 | 47.1 | 42.4 | 50.0 | 51.1 | 55.0 |
| 1993..... | 60.1 | 58.3 | 51.4 | 40.6 | 37.1 | 43.5 | 40.3 | 41.0 | 43.2 | 52.9 | 54.7 | 56.1 |
| 1994..... | 56.1 | 57.6 | 56.5 | 53.2 | 57.2 | 55.8 | 61.5 | p/55.0 | p/59.4 | | | |
| Over 6-month span: | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1990..... | 43.5 | 39.9 | 42.8 | 41.0 | 36.3 | 34.2 | 29.1 | 25.2 | 22.3 | 21.2 | 18.0 | 16.9 |
| 1991..... | 15.8 | 20.9 | 21.2 | 26.3 | 34.9 | 39.2 | 42.1 | 40.3 | 40.3 | 37.1 | 32.4 | 32.7 |
| 1992..... | 34.2 | 37.1 | 41.0 | 48.6 | 52.2 | 54.7 | 46.4 | 49.3 | 50.4 | 48.9 | 57.9 | 56.8 |
| 1993..... | 54.0 | 51.8 | 48.6 | 47.1 | 37.1 | 34.2 | 39.6 | 45.7 | 47.8 | 50.4 | 54.3 | 55.8 |
| 1994..... | 58.3 | 56.1 | 59.4 | 54.3 | 58.3 | p/56.1 | p/60.4 | | | | | |
| Over 12-month span: | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1990..... | 37.8 | 35.3 | 33.5 | 33.1 | 28.1 | 26.3 | 23.7 | 20.5 | 19.4 | 16.5 | 16.2 | 15.8 |
| 1991..... | 16.5 | 16.2 | 17.3 | 18.0 | 20.9 | 24.1 | 26.3 | 30.6 | 32.7 | 38.1 | 38.8 | 37.4 |
| 1992..... | 42.4 | 36.7 | 36.3 | 36.0 | 39.6 | 45.7 | 50.0 | 55.8 | 57.9 | 55.4 | 52.9 | 52.9 |
| 1993..... | 50.0 | 52.5 | 48.6 | 49.3 | 50.7 | 48.9 | 50.0 | 48.9 | 50.0 | 50.7 | 51.4 | 51.4 |
| 1994..... | 50.7 | 54.3 | p/54.0 | p/57.9 | | | | | | | | |

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.

NOTE: 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.