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METROPOLITAN AREA EMPLOYMENT AND UNEMPLOYMENT — MAY 2016

Unemployment rates were lower in May than a year earlier in 333 of the 387 metropolitan areas, higher in 49 areas, and unchanged in 5 areas, the U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics reported today. Twenty-four areas had jobless rates of less than 3.0 percent and two areas had rates of at least 10.0 percent. Nonfarm payroll employment increased over the year in 311 metropolitan areas, decreased in 70 areas, and was unchanged in 6 areas. The national unemployment rate in May was 4.5 percent, not seasonally adjusted, down from 5.3 percent a year earlier.

Metropolitan Area Unemployment (Not Seasonally Adjusted)

In May, the lowest unemployment rates were in Ames, Iowa; Burlington-South Burlington, Vt.; and Sioux Falls, S.D., 2.1 percent each. Yuma, Ariz., had the highest unemployment rate, 20.9 percent. A total of 187 areas had May jobless rates above the U.S. rate of 4.5 percent, 185 areas had rates below it, and 15 areas had rates equal to that of the nation. (See table 1 and map 1.)

El Centro, Calif., had the largest over-the-year unemployment rate decrease in May (-4.1 percentage points). Nine other areas had rate declines of at least 2.0 percentage points. The largest over-the-year rate increase occurred in Casper, Wyo. (+2.7 percentage points).

Of the 51 metropolitan areas with a 2010 Census population of 1 million or more, Austin-Round Rock, Texas, had the lowest unemployment rate in May, 2.9 percent. Las Vegas-Henderson-Paradise, Nev., had the highest rate among the large areas, 6.4 percent. Forty-six large areas had over-the-year unemployment rate decreases and five had increases. The largest rate decreases occurred in Los Angeles-Long Beach-Anaheim, Calif., and Memphis, Tenn.-Miss.-Ark. (-2.1 percentage points each). The largest over-the-year rate increase occurred in Houston-The Woodlands-Sugar Land, Texas (+0.4 percentage point).

Metropolitan Division Unemployment (Not Seasonally Adjusted)

Eleven of the most populous metropolitan areas are made up of 38 metropolitan divisions, which are essentially separately identifiable employment centers. In May, San Francisco-Redwood City-South San Francisco, Calif., and San Rafael, Calif., had the lowest unemployment rates

among the divisions, 2.8 percent each. Philadelphia, Pa., had the highest division rate, 6.5 percent. (See table 2.)

In May, 35 metropolitan divisions had over-the-year unemployment rate decreases, 2 had increases, and 1 had no change. The largest rate decline occurred in Los Angeles-Long Beach-Glendale, Calif. (-2.5 percentage points). The largest over-the-year rate increase occurred in Seattle-Bellevue-Everett, Wash. (+0.4 percentage point).

Metropolitan Area Nonfarm Employment (Not Seasonally Adjusted)

In May, 311 metropolitan areas had over-the-year increases in nonfarm payroll employment, 70 had decreases, and 6 had no change. The largest over-the-year employment increases occurred in Los Angeles-Long Beach-Anaheim, Calif. (+154,500), New York-Newark-Jersey City, N.Y.-N.J.-Pa. (+143,800), and Dallas-Fort Worth-Arlington, Texas (+125,300). The largest over-the-year percentage gain in employment occurred in St. George, Utah (+7.1 percent), followed by Madera, Calif., and State College, Pa. (+6.7 percent each). (See table 3 and map 2.)

The largest over-the-year decreases in employment occurred in Lafayette, La. (-8,100), Houma-Thibodaux, La. (-4,500), and Pittsburgh, Pa. (-4,200). The largest over-the-year percentage decreases in employment occurred in Casper, Wyo. (-6.6 percent), Houma-Thibodaux, La. (-4.6 percent), and Williamsport, Pa. (-3.9 percent).

Over the year, nonfarm employment rose in 48 of the 51 metropolitan areas with a 2010 Census population of 1 million or more and fell in Pittsburgh, Pa. (-0.4 percent), New Orleans-Metairie, La. (-0.3 percent), and Rochester, N.Y. (-0.2 percent). The largest over-the-year percentage increases in employment in these large metropolitan areas occurred in Orlando-Kissimmee-Sanford, Fla. (+4.2 percent), and Austin-Round Rock, Texas (+3.9 percent).

Metropolitan Division Nonfarm Employment (Not Seasonally Adjusted)

In May, nonfarm payroll employment increased in 37 of the 38 metropolitan divisions over the year and decreased in Lynn-Saugus-Marblehead, Mass. (-400, or -0.9 percent). The largest over-the-year increase in employment among the metropolitan divisions occurred in New York-Jersey City-White Plains, N.Y.-N.J. (+124,600), followed by Dallas-Plano-Irving, Texas (+111,100), and Los Angeles-Long Beach-Glendale, Calif. (+101,000). (See table 4.)

The largest over-the-year percentage increase in employment among the metropolitan divisions occurred in Dallas-Plano-Irving, Texas (+4.6 percent), followed by Fort Lauderdale-Pompano Beach-Deerfield Beach, Fla. (+3.8 percent), and Seattle-Bellevue-Everett, Wash. (+3.7 percent).

The Regional and State Employment and Unemployment news release for June is scheduled to be released on Friday, July 22, 2016, at 10:00 a.m. (EDT). The Metropolitan Area Employment and Unemployment news release for June is scheduled to be released on Wednesday, August 3, 2016, at 10:00 a.m. (EDT).

Technical Note

This release presents labor force and unemployment data from the Local Area Unemployment Statistics (LAUS) program (tables 1 and 2) for 387 metropolitan statistical areas and metropolitan New England City and Town Areas (NECTAs), plus 7 areas in Puerto Rico. Estimates for 38 metropolitan and NECTA divisions also are presented. Nonfarm payroll employment estimates from the Current Employment Statistics (CES) program (tables 3 and 4) are provided for the same areas. State estimates were previously published in the news release, *Regional and State Employment and Unemployment*, and are republished in this release for ease of reference. The LAUS and CES programs are both federal-state cooperative endeavors.

Labor force and unemployment—from the LAUS program

Definitions. The labor force and unemployment data are based on the same concepts and definitions as those used for the official national estimates obtained from the Current Population Survey (CPS), a sample survey of households that is conducted for the Bureau of Labor Statistics (BLS) by the U.S. Census Bureau. The LAUS program measures employment and unemployment on a place-of-residence basis. The universe for each is the civilian noninstitutional population 16 years of age and older. *Employed* persons are those who did any work at all for pay or profit in the reference week (the week including the 12th of the month) or worked 15 hours or more without pay in a family business or farm, plus those not working who had a job from which they were temporarily absent, whether or not paid, for such reasons as labor-management dispute, illness, or vacation. *Unemployed* persons are those who were not employed during the reference week (based on the definition above), had actively looked for a job sometime in the 4-week period ending with the reference week, and were currently available for work; persons on layoff expecting recall need not be looking for work to be counted as unemployed. The *labor force* is the sum of employed and unemployed persons. The *unemployment rate* is the number of unemployed as a percent of the labor force.

Method of estimation. Estimates for states, the District of Columbia, the Los Angeles-Long Beach-Glendale metropolitan division, and New York City are produced using time-series models with real-time benchmarking to national CPS totals. Model-based estimates are also produced for the following areas and their respective balances: the Chicago-Naperville-Arlington Heights, IL Metropolitan Division; Cleveland-Elyria, OH Metropolitan Statistical Area; Detroit-Warren-Dearborn, MI Metropolitan Statistical Area; Miami-Miami Beach-Kendall, FL Metropolitan Division; and Seattle-Bellevue-Everett, WA Metropolitan Division. Modeling improves the statistical basis of the estimation for these areas and provides important tools for analysis, such as measures of errors and seasonally adjusted series. For all other substate areas in this release, estimates are prepared through indirect

estimation procedures using a building-block approach. Employment estimates, which are based largely on “place of work” estimates from the CES program, are adjusted to refer to place of residence as used in the CPS. Unemployment estimates are aggregates of persons previously employed in industries covered by state unemployment insurance (UI) laws and entrants to the labor force data from the CPS. The substate estimates of employment and unemployment, which geographically exhaust the entire state, are adjusted proportionally to ensure that they add to the independently estimated state or balance-of-state totals. A detailed description of the estimation procedures is available from BLS upon request.

Annual revisions. Labor force and unemployment data shown for the prior year reflect adjustments made at the beginning of each year, usually implemented with the issuance of January estimates. The adjusted model-based estimates typically reflect updated population data from the U.S. Census Bureau, any revisions in other input data sources, and model re-estimation. All substate estimates then are re-estimated using updated inputs and adjusted to add to the revised model-based totals. In early 2015, a new generation of time-series models was implemented, resulting in the replacement of data back to the series beginnings. At the same time, enhancements were made to the substate estimation methodology, and more timely inputs from the American Community Survey were incorporated.

Employment—from the CES program

Definitions. Employment data refer to persons on establishment payrolls who receive pay for any part of the pay period that includes the 12th of the month. Persons are counted at their place of work rather than at their place of residence; those appearing on more than one payroll are counted on each payroll. Industries are classified on the basis of their principal activity in accordance with the 2012 version of the North American Industry Classification System.

Method of estimation. CES State and Area employment data are produced using several estimation procedures. Where possible these data are produced using a “weighted link relative” estimation technique in which a ratio of current-month weighted employment to that of the previous-month weighted employment is computed from a sample of establishments reporting for both months. The estimates of employment for the current month are then obtained by multiplying these ratios by the previous month’s employment estimates. The weighted link relative technique is utilized for data series where the sample size meets certain statistical criteria.

For some employment series, the sample of establishments is very small or highly variable. In these cases, a model-based approach is used in estimation. These models

use the direct sample estimates (described above), combined with forecasts of historical (benchmarked) data to decrease volatility in estimation. Two different models (Fay-Herriot Model and Small Domain Model) are used depending on the industry level being estimated. For more detailed information about each model, refer to the BLS Handbook of Methods.

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

Seasonal adjustment. Payroll employment data are seasonally adjusted for states, metropolitan areas, and metropolitan divisions at the total nonfarm level. For states, data are seasonally adjusted at the supersector level as well. Revisions of historical data for the most recent 5 years are made once a year, coincident with annual benchmark adjustments.

Reliability of the estimates

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

Labor force and unemployment estimates. Measures of sampling error are not available for metropolitan areas or metropolitan divisions. Model-based error measures for states are available on the BLS website at www.bls.gov/lau/lastderr.htm. Measures of nonsampling error are not available for the areas contained in this release. Information on recent data revisions for states and local areas is available online at www.bls.gov/lau/launews1.htm.

Employment estimates. Measures of sampling error are available for metropolitan areas or metropolitan divisions upon request. Measures of sampling error for states down to the supersector level are available on the BLS website at www.bls.gov/sae/790stderr.htm. Measures of nonsampling error are not available for the areas contained in this release. Information on recent benchmark revisions is available online at www.bls.gov/sae/benchmark2016.pdf.

Area definitions

The substate area data published in this release reflect the delineations issued by the U.S. Office of Management and Budget on February 28, 2013. Data reflect New England City and Town Area (NECTA) definitions, rather than county-based definitions, in the six New England States. A detailed list of the geographic definitions is available online at www.bls.gov/lau/lausmsa.htm.

Additional information

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

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LABOR FORCE DATA
NOT SEASONALLY ADJUSTED
Table 1. Civilian labor force and unemployment by state and metropolitan area

State and area	Civilian labor force				Unemployed							
	April		May		Number				Percent of labor force			
	2015	2016	2015	2016 ^P	April		May		April		May	
					2015	2016	2015	2016 ^P	2015	2016	2015	2016 ^P
Alabama.....	2,139,605	2,158,713	2,157,591	2,177,738	117,358	117,345	132,164	124,861	5.5	5.4	6.1	5.7
Anniston-Oxford-Jacksonville.....	46,001	45,950	46,379	46,370	2,883	2,780	3,257	2,995	6.3	6.1	7.0	6.5
Auburn-Opelika.....	71,327	72,776	71,452	73,043	3,211	3,389	3,666	3,639	4.5	4.7	5.1	5.0
Birmingham-Hoover.....	529,986	534,997	533,798	540,833	26,395	27,335	29,469	28,933	5.0	5.1	5.5	5.3
Daphne-Fairhope-Foley.....	87,198	89,423	88,912	91,067	4,215	4,310	4,744	4,633	4.8	4.8	5.3	5.1
Decatur.....	68,592	68,798	69,325	69,355	3,850	3,730	4,299	3,989	5.6	5.4	6.2	5.8
Dothan.....	62,392	62,455	62,513	62,588	3,455	3,381	3,905	3,654	5.5	5.4	6.2	5.8
Florence-Muscle Shoals.....	66,303	66,814	66,828	67,326	4,342	4,134	4,978	4,334	6.5	6.2	7.4	6.4
Gadsden.....	42,993	44,017	43,465	44,469	2,376	2,337	2,658	2,539	5.5	5.3	6.1	5.7
Huntsville.....	208,410	210,480	210,272	212,373	10,286	10,031	11,620	10,693	4.9	4.8	5.5	5.0
Mobile.....	183,045	184,778	184,116	185,394	11,312	11,409	12,864	11,998	6.2	6.2	7.0	6.5
Montgomery.....	168,210	169,335	170,180	170,762	8,980	8,759	10,036	9,283	5.3	5.2	5.9	5.4
Tuscaloosa.....	111,372	113,145	112,013	114,089	5,617	5,941	6,525	6,438	5.0	5.3	5.8	5.6
Alaska.....	359,279	355,983	364,910	360,509	23,709	24,626	22,994	23,834	6.6	6.9	6.3	6.6
Anchorage.....	201,621	200,975	202,913	202,325	11,441	12,173	11,889	11,889	5.7	6.1	5.5	5.9
Fairbanks.....	46,170	45,642	47,445	46,574	2,448	2,703	2,415	2,594	5.3	5.9	5.1	5.6
Arizona.....	3,139,578	3,227,655	3,148,508	3,228,271	184,727	173,397	188,462	176,953	5.9	5.4	6.0	5.5
Flagstaff.....	72,532	73,566	73,178	73,542	4,288	4,497	4,164	4,208	5.9	5.7	6.1	5.7
Lake Havasu City-Kingman.....	79,044	79,751	79,866	80,513	6,061	5,440	6,087	5,334	7.7	6.8	7.6	6.6
Phoenix-Mesa-Scottsdale.....	2,151,044	2,221,616	2,152,636	2,215,481	108,019	103,635	108,217	104,484	5.0	4.7	5.0	4.7
Prescott.....	97,936	101,145	98,159	101,037	5,275	4,953	5,112	4,863	5.4	4.9	5.2	4.8
Sierra Vista-Douglas.....	50,367	50,152	50,750	50,491	3,684	3,254	3,689	3,258	7.3	6.5	7.3	6.5
Tucson.....	465,254	477,987	464,508	479,107	24,578	23,642	24,832	23,795	5.3	4.9	5.3	5.0
Yuma.....	93,667	93,539	97,829	97,070	20,928	17,597	23,808	20,298	22.3	18.8	24.3	20.9
Arkansas.....	1,326,263	1,355,374	1,336,245	1,360,986	68,986	46,136	72,301	51,660	5.2	3.4	5.4	3.8
Fayetteville-Springdale-Rogers.....	250,939	263,738	252,914	263,834	9,572	6,433	10,415	7,363	3.8	2.4	4.1	2.8
Fort Smith.....	121,434	121,703	122,228	122,097	6,738	5,043	6,989	5,586	5.5	4.1	5.7	4.6
Hot Springs.....	40,197	41,344	40,373	41,120	2,224	1,470	2,329	1,670	5.5	3.6	5.8	4.1
Jonesboro.....	60,303	62,674	60,926	62,560	2,836	1,781	2,983	2,004	4.7	2.8	4.9	3.2
Little Rock-North Little Rock-Conway.....	345,654	353,147	346,483	355,380	16,090	10,699	16,911	12,040	4.7	3.0	4.9	3.4
Pine Bluff.....	36,817	36,675	36,870	36,620	2,528	1,687	2,633	1,899	6.9	4.6	7.1	5.2
California.....	18,942,424	19,016,818	19,036,611	18,983,886	1,166,325	987,164	1,164,888	898,920	6.2	5.2	6.1	4.7
Bakersfield.....	391,781	393,635	397,707	395,170	41,451	41,708	40,513	38,219	10.6	10.6	10.2	9.7
Chico.....	101,903	101,826	103,022	101,677	7,125	6,558	7,112	5,956	7.0	6.4	6.9	5.9
El Centro.....	78,160	79,156	79,858	77,485	18,834	17,501	18,793	15,045	24.1	22.1	23.5	19.4
Fresno.....	445,250	448,273	449,811	450,860	46,522	43,099	44,391	38,325	10.4	9.6	9.9	8.5
Hanford-Corcoran.....	58,224	57,705	59,413	58,225	6,300	5,755	5,927	5,021	10.8	10.0	10.0	8.6
Los Angeles-Long Beach-Anaheim.....	6,613,033	6,614,805	6,622,481	6,593,787	408,214	296,329	412,989	270,756	6.2	4.5	6.2	4.1
Madera.....	60,052	61,093	60,965	61,596	6,563	5,878	6,309	5,206	10.9	9.6	10.3	8.5
Merced.....	114,151	114,346	115,034	114,800	13,592	12,702	12,912	11,175	11.9	11.1	11.2	9.7
Modesto.....	242,260	243,013	244,060	243,782	23,998	21,645	23,282	19,448	9.9	8.9	9.5	8.0
Napa.....	74,957	75,530	75,916	75,787	3,173	2,940	3,167	2,597	4.2	3.9	4.2	3.4
Oxnard-Thousand Oaks-Ventura.....	432,597	430,119	432,614	427,002	22,609	20,384	23,126	19,013	5.2	4.7	5.3	4.5
Redding.....	74,512	73,948	75,190	73,991	5,853	5,118	5,697	4,586	7.9	6.9	7.6	6.2
Riverside-San Bernardino-Ontario.....	1,951,718	1,964,850	1,958,071	1,958,550	124,046	110,153	125,609	103,626	6.4	5.6	6.4	5.3
Sacramento-Roseville-Arden-Arcade.....	1,056,650	1,056,178	1,061,229	1,051,843	60,243	53,516	60,511	49,544	5.7	5.1	5.7	4.7
Salinas.....	221,450	222,899	226,436	226,378	17,307	16,635	15,750	13,448	7.8	7.5	7.0	5.9
San Diego-Carlsbad.....	1,555,211	1,563,939	1,565,494	1,558,428	77,738	70,629	78,949	65,390	5.0	4.5	5.0	4.2
San Francisco-Oakland-Hayward.....	2,490,894	2,514,240	2,504,339	2,507,509	102,267	92,037	103,829	84,795	4.1	3.7	4.1	3.4
San Jose-Sunnyvale-Santa Clara.....	1,040,481	1,058,813	1,046,412	1,057,428	43,091	39,239	43,550	35,978	4.1	3.7	4.2	3.4
San Luis Obispo-Paso Robles-Arroyo Grande.....	144,415	144,493	145,183	144,909	6,301	5,658	6,298	5,112	4.4	3.9	4.3	3.5
Santa Cruz-Watsonville.....	144,868	144,529	146,361	145,700	11,376	10,839	9,971	8,607	7.9	7.5	6.8	5.9
Santa Maria-Santa Barbara.....	221,388	223,555	222,600	223,426	10,737	10,010	10,512	8,835	4.8	4.5	4.7	4.0
Santa Rosa.....	260,253	259,990	262,366	259,553	11,181	9,817	11,194	8,967	4.3	3.8	4.3	3.5
Stockton-Lodi.....	314,855	318,000	321,118	323,312	28,029	25,655	27,262	22,992	8.9	8.1	8.5	7.1
Vallejo-Fairfield.....	205,721	206,657	206,632	206,262	12,385	10,896	12,383	10,012	6.0	5.3	6.0	4.9
Visalia-Porterville.....	207,085	206,578	208,748	207,247	23,553	22,272	22,470	19,709	11.4	10.8	10.8	9.5
Yuba City.....	72,860	72,843	73,678	72,776	7,787	6,993	7,433	6,197	10.7	9.6	10.1	8.5
Colorado.....	2,814,025	2,879,450	2,824,897	2,888,463	112,965	101,892	112,017	102,857	4.0	3.5	4.0	3.6
Boulder.....	176,223	179,570	177,242	180,988	5,729	5,157	5,771	5,236	3.3	2.9	3.3	2.9
Colorado Springs.....	317,632	324,196	320,488	326,501	15,073	13,170	14,691	13,061	4.7	4.1	4.6	4.0
Denver-Aurora-Lakewood.....	1,498,466	1,538,431	1,506,096	1,543,499	57,040	50,658	56,082	50,972	3.8	3.3	3.7	3.3
Fort Collins.....	178,792	184,769	181,607	187,157	6,063	5,608	6,032	5,590	3.4	3.0	3.3	3.0
Grand Junction.....	71,785	72,528	72,513	73,237	4,073	4,263	4,001	4,158	5.7	5.9	5.5	5.7
Greeley.....	147,956	150,847	148,686	152,723	5,831	5,595	5,832	5,552	3.9	3.7	3.9	3.6
Pueblo.....	72,305	73,392	72,544	73,893	4,228	3,793	4,075	3,726	5.8	5.2	5.6	5.0
Connecticut.....	1,879,963	1,883,760	1,895,146	1,895,615	106,299	104,760	105,395	101,458	5.7	5.6	5.6	5.4
Bridgeport-Stamford-Norwalk.....	462,539	466,364	466,511	468,973	25,184	25,181	25,335	24,374	5.4	5.4	5.4	5.2
Danbury.....	106,307	106,583	107,409	107,729	4,845	4,767	4,733	4,720	4.6	4.5	4.4	4.4
Hartford-West Hartford-East Hartford.....	614,515	615,457	617,445	617,366	34,866	35,111	34,351	33,347	5.7	5.7	5.6	5.4
New Haven.....	322,067	320,675	324,179	322,657	18,144	17,621	18,304	17,518	5.6	5.5	5.6	5.4

See footnotes at end of table.

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NOT SEASONALLY ADJUSTED**

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

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	April		May		Number				Percent of labor force			
	2015	2016	2015	2016 ^P	April		May		April		May	
					2015	2016	2015	2016 ^P	2015	2016	2015	2016 ^P
Connecticut - Continued												
Norwich-New London-Westerly	140,196	140,745	142,607	141,744	8,793	7,681	8,492	7,760	6.3	5.5	6.0	5.5
Waterbury	110,473	110,048	111,674	111,295	7,884	7,473	7,904	7,235	7.1	6.8	7.1	6.5
Delaware	463,717	481,406	464,051	479,822	22,429	19,090	21,514	18,810	4.8	4.0	4.6	3.9
Dover	76,614	79,003	76,130	78,145	4,118	3,389	4,047	3,441	5.4	4.3	5.3	4.4
Salisbury ¹	178,268	185,470	184,894	188,694	11,473	10,133	10,564	8,893	6.4	5.5	5.7	4.7
District of Columbia	384,502	395,998	384,242	393,184	24,937	21,767	25,361	20,413	6.5	5.5	6.6	5.2
Washington-Arlington-Alexandria	3,277,033	3,284,963	3,296,795	3,283,169	138,714	115,851	149,907	116,860	4.2	3.5	4.5	3.6
Florida	9,646,945	9,708,395	9,756,834	9,746,739	501,676	441,291	538,880	424,095	5.2	4.5	5.5	4.4
Cape Coral-Fort Myers	321,272	329,036	322,277	326,278	15,241	13,461	16,623	13,024	4.7	4.1	5.2	4.0
Crestview-Fort Walton Beach-Destin	119,943	119,225	123,015	121,191	5,134	4,595	5,586	4,346	4.3	3.9	4.5	3.6
Deltona-Daytona Beach-Ormond Beach	282,289	285,680	286,057	288,148	15,917	13,635	17,190	13,174	5.6	4.8	6.0	4.6
Gainesville	137,729	139,012	138,090	137,682	5,908	5,412	6,527	5,233	4.3	3.9	4.7	3.8
Homosassa Springs	47,931	47,259	48,577	47,305	3,441	3,006	3,717	2,861	7.2	6.4	7.7	6.0
Jacksonville	719,210	727,824	730,389	735,607	36,519	31,314	39,304	30,060	5.1	4.3	5.4	4.1
Lakeland-Winter Haven	279,206	280,639	282,400	280,769	16,234	14,091	17,578	13,582	5.8	5.0	6.2	4.8
Miami-Fort Lauderdale-West Palm Beach	3,010,181	3,011,350	3,040,504	3,013,773	162,530	144,519	172,099	139,716	5.4	4.8	5.7	4.6
Naples-Immokalee-Marco Island	163,876	163,898	163,046	162,040	7,466	6,800	8,204	6,529	4.6	4.1	5.0	4.0
North Port-Sarasota-Bradenton	343,459	344,154	347,530	346,618	16,248	14,567	17,482	13,831	4.7	4.2	5.0	4.0
Ocala	131,178	130,645	132,543	130,931	8,038	7,033	8,717	6,806	6.1	5.4	6.6	5.2
Orlando-Kissimmee-Sanford	1,212,781	1,238,046	1,231,921	1,248,784	59,154	51,640	63,496	49,334	4.9	4.2	5.2	4.0
Palm Bay-Melbourne-Titusville	256,235	253,237	260,096	255,011	14,634	12,683	15,761	12,060	5.7	5.0	6.1	4.7
Panama City	94,016	93,004	95,491	94,048	4,803	4,232	5,170	3,988	5.1	4.6	5.4	4.2
Pensacola-Ferry Pass-Brent	212,934	211,504	216,263	212,470	10,723	9,592	11,652	9,093	5.0	4.5	5.4	4.3
Port St. Lucie	200,974	201,577	202,975	201,920	11,114	9,838	12,163	9,513	5.5	4.9	6.0	4.7
Punta Gorda	67,862	67,942	68,288	67,767	3,825	3,379	4,058	3,201	5.6	5.0	5.9	4.7
Sebastian-Vero Beach	61,102	61,234	61,796	61,121	3,765	3,388	4,269	3,359	6.2	5.5	6.9	5.5
Sebring	36,180	36,448	36,243	36,134	2,448	2,108	2,645	2,012	6.8	5.8	7.3	5.6
Tallahassee	186,950	186,503	185,510	185,181	9,088	8,078	9,949	7,744	4.9	4.3	5.4	4.2
Tampa-St. Petersburg-Clearwater	1,439,881	1,457,461	1,458,089	1,470,252	71,467	62,421	77,203	59,877	5.0	4.3	5.3	4.1
The Villages	28,492	28,776	28,891	28,840	2,066	1,898	2,247	1,816	7.3	6.6	7.8	6.3
Georgia	4,757,923	4,828,104	4,798,766	4,849,941	270,502	240,956	292,266	230,319	5.7	5.0	6.1	4.7
Albany	65,243	66,050	65,308	66,237	4,361	3,957	4,729	3,718	6.7	6.0	7.2	5.6
Athens-Clarke County	92,701	95,707	93,084	95,731	4,887	4,350	5,389	4,191	5.3	4.5	5.8	4.4
Atlanta-Sandy Springs-Roswell	2,826,960	2,876,560	2,851,166	2,889,707	153,899	137,347	165,971	131,515	5.4	4.8	5.8	4.6
Augusta-Richmond County	258,947	259,936	257,113	256,601	15,303	14,177	16,597	13,623	5.9	5.5	6.5	5.3
Brunswick	50,046	51,194	50,660	51,416	3,012	2,640	3,298	2,535	6.0	5.2	6.5	4.9
Columbus	124,617	124,165	125,399	124,752	8,196	7,408	8,846	7,111	6.6	6.0	7.1	5.7
Dalton	60,375	60,662	60,663	60,847	3,978	3,322	3,999	3,221	6.6	5.5	6.6	5.3
Gainesville	91,387	94,174	92,828	94,886	4,187	3,940	4,638	3,641	4.6	4.2	5.0	3.8
Hinesville	32,085	31,940	32,350	32,006	1,925	1,689	2,081	1,619	6.0	5.3	6.4	5.1
Macon	102,657	103,730	103,628	104,285	6,321	5,553	6,855	5,320	6.2	5.4	6.6	5.1
Rome	42,908	42,912	43,082	42,890	2,718	2,396	2,915	2,276	6.3	5.6	6.8	5.3
Savannah	175,619	179,427	177,206	180,104	9,426	8,396	10,249	8,088	5.4	4.7	5.8	4.5
Valdosta	62,705	63,294	63,216	63,648	3,597	3,070	3,886	3,015	5.7	4.9	6.1	4.7
Warner Robins	80,716	80,877	81,328	81,307	4,716	4,228	5,150	4,011	5.8	5.2	6.3	4.9
Hawaii	675,845	685,465	675,441	682,266	24,591	21,484	24,355	21,333	3.6	3.1	3.6	3.1
Kahului-Wailuku-Lahaina	83,636	85,771	83,572	85,512	3,246	2,760	3,035	2,768	3.9	3.2	3.6	3.2
Urban Honolulu	468,977	472,548	468,530	469,432	15,890	13,748	16,020	13,752	3.4	2.9	3.4	2.9
Idaho	790,441	806,594	797,300	813,380	34,004	29,389	29,932	26,738	4.3	3.6	3.8	3.3
Boise City	321,213	330,308	323,150	330,427	13,352	11,379	12,144	10,572	4.2	3.4	3.8	3.2
Coeur d'Alene	71,193	72,755	71,926	73,853	3,565	3,302	3,025	2,893	5.0	4.5	4.2	3.9
Idaho Falls	64,175	65,686	65,016	66,827	2,272	1,950	2,059	1,873	3.5	3.0	3.2	2.8
Lewiston	30,473	31,206	30,734	31,471	1,221	1,161	1,164	1,087	4.0	3.7	3.8	3.5
Pocatello	42,105	42,874	42,409	43,302	1,744	1,360	1,559	1,281	4.1	3.2	3.7	3.0
Illinois	6,461,911	6,607,497	6,520,791	6,592,749	352,068	410,252	373,226	368,590	5.4	6.2	5.7	5.6
Bloomington	99,557	97,886	99,827	97,600	3,925	5,293	4,452	5,110	3.9	5.4	4.5	5.2
Carbondale-Marion	61,330	60,733	60,075	59,167	3,088	3,839	3,358	3,614	5.0	6.3	5.6	6.1
Champaign-Urbana	120,311	121,968	120,481	120,870	5,056	6,413	5,725	6,222	4.2	5.3	4.8	5.1
Chicago-Naperville-Elgin	4,851,770	4,982,567	4,896,443	4,968,356	271,704	307,619	284,763	269,204	5.6	6.2	5.8	5.4
Danville	35,275	35,644	35,660	35,496	2,106	2,685	2,316	2,576	6.0	7.5	6.5	7.3
Davenport-Moline-Rock Island ¹	191,727	189,565	193,273	189,430	9,549	10,990	10,137	10,261	5.0	5.8	5.2	5.4
Decatur	49,670	49,854	50,395	50,060	2,941	3,537	3,281	3,383	5.9	7.1	6.5	6.8
Kankakee	54,623	55,025	54,952	54,684	3,222	3,725	3,439	3,531	5.9	6.8	6.3	6.5
Peoria	184,146	185,097	186,265	184,984	9,801	12,825	10,762	12,052	5.3	6.9	5.8	6.5
Rockford	165,347	169,295	168,434	170,139	9,880	11,688	10,659	11,167	6.0	6.9	6.3	6.6
Springfield	109,791	111,346	111,251	111,503	4,814	5,720	5,295	5,379	4.4	5.1	4.8	4.8
Indiana	3,243,563	3,349,782	3,286,281	3,368,037	145,075	161,437	159,838	145,849	4.5	4.8	4.9	4.3
Bloomington	77,490	79,443	75,496	75,963	3,336	4,099	3,916	3,554	4.3	5.2	5.2	4.7
Columbus	42,926	45,293	43,477	45,368	1,405	1,602	1,558	1,486	3.3	3.5	3.6	3.3
Elkhart-Goshen	103,492	104,790	105,426	106,179	3,567	4,099	4,073	3,733	3.4	3.9	3.9	3.5

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State and area	Civilian labor force				Unemployed							
	April		May		Number				Percent of labor force			
	2015	2016	2015	2016 ^P	April		May		April		May	
					2015	2016	2015	2016 ^P	2015	2016	2015	2016 ^P
Indiana - Continued												
Evansville.....	157,390	160,023	159,361	159,714	6,124	7,040	6,855	6,749	3.9	4.4	4.3	4.2
Fort Wayne.....	208,033	217,865	211,525	218,562	8,494	9,857	9,423	8,845	4.1	4.5	4.5	4.0
Indianapolis-Carmel-Anderson.....	999,481	1,035,625	1,014,465	1,039,246	42,761	46,113	46,942	41,884	4.3	4.5	4.6	4.0
Kokomo.....	36,398	37,836	37,047	38,171	1,701	1,938	1,897	1,771	4.7	5.1	5.1	4.6
Lafayette-West Lafayette.....	107,761	112,578	107,340	111,491	3,879	4,649	4,574	4,258	3.6	4.1	4.3	3.8
Michigan City-La Porte.....	48,041	48,782	49,034	49,191	2,806	3,178	3,006	2,828	5.8	6.5	6.1	5.7
Muncie.....	54,524	56,073	54,133	54,925	2,865	3,149	3,169	2,858	5.3	5.6	5.9	5.2
South Bend-Mishawaka.....	153,841	158,801	156,776	159,533	7,237	7,433	7,990	6,841	4.7	4.7	5.1	4.3
Terre Haute.....	77,229	78,622	77,665	78,787	4,426	4,647	4,749	4,340	5.7	5.9	6.1	5.5
Iowa.....	1,697,847	1,707,135	1,699,388	1,703,523	59,771	60,898	58,649	58,226	3.5	3.6	3.5	3.4
Ames.....	58,451	58,881	57,515	57,514	1,264	1,180	1,325	1,212	2.2	2.0	2.3	2.1
Cedar Rapids.....	143,890	144,608	143,648	143,637	5,185	5,349	5,066	5,225	3.6	3.7	3.5	3.6
Des Moines-West Des Moines.....	336,836	339,429	339,540	339,748	11,528	11,353	11,325	10,996	3.4	3.3	3.3	3.2
Dubuque.....	55,804	55,682	55,940	55,524	1,850	1,910	1,804	1,824	3.3	3.4	3.2	3.3
Iowa City.....	96,645	96,982	95,445	95,516	2,386	2,357	2,401	2,375	2.5	2.4	2.5	2.5
Sioux City.....	91,947	92,894	92,409	92,773	3,010	2,935	3,008	2,814	3.3	3.2	3.3	3.0
Waterloo-Cedar Falls.....	91,999	91,151	91,336	90,019	4,028	3,975	3,780	3,779	4.4	4.4	4.1	4.2
Kansas.....	1,491,323	1,494,120	1,491,922	1,490,225	64,074	50,435	64,431	54,431	4.3	3.4	4.3	3.7
Lawrence.....	66,005	66,288	65,193	64,814	2,441	1,892	2,505	2,082	3.7	2.9	3.8	3.2
Manhattan.....	50,577	52,126	49,144	50,727	1,737	1,346	1,775	1,461	3.4	2.6	3.6	2.9
Topeka.....	120,172	119,639	121,018	118,964	5,156	4,028	5,248	4,346	4.3	3.4	4.3	3.7
Wichita.....	311,162	313,495	311,820	313,601	14,853	11,855	14,834	12,724	4.8	3.8	4.8	4.1
Kentucky.....	1,952,036	1,968,567	1,967,090	1,982,988	95,575	92,168	106,942	98,065	4.9	4.7	5.4	4.9
Bowling Green.....	76,545	76,993	77,020	77,471	3,376	3,024	3,798	3,217	4.4	3.9	4.9	4.2
Elizabethtown-Fort Knox.....	63,366	64,510	63,844	65,272	3,080	2,721	3,437	2,926	4.9	4.2	5.4	4.5
Lexington-Fayette.....	254,598	258,883	255,153	258,265	9,598	8,874	10,880	9,590	3.8	3.4	4.3	3.7
Louisville/Jefferson County.....	618,840	632,965	626,724	637,352	27,402	26,286	30,383	26,957	4.4	4.2	4.8	4.2
Owensboro.....	52,575	53,566	52,835	54,119	2,207	2,261	2,520	2,437	4.2	4.2	4.8	4.5
Louisiana.....	2,172,166	2,149,589	2,179,116	2,154,642	131,433	125,147	140,130	131,950	6.1	5.8	6.4	6.1
Alexandria.....	67,455	67,071	67,583	67,145	4,241	3,831	4,523	4,210	6.3	5.7	6.7	6.3
Baton Rouge.....	421,813	428,167	424,046	425,521	22,087	20,583	23,536	22,073	5.2	4.8	5.6	5.2
Hammond.....	54,301	53,693	54,518	54,018	3,750	3,491	4,027	3,699	6.9	6.5	7.4	6.8
Houma-Thibodaux.....	100,813	96,729	101,103	97,528	5,577	6,096	5,902	6,476	5.5	6.3	5.8	6.6
Lafayette.....	230,241	223,451	231,195	223,984	13,846	15,436	15,125	16,206	6.0	6.9	6.5	7.2
Lake Charles.....	102,108	103,713	101,773	103,589	5,323	4,887	5,639	5,042	5.2	4.7	5.5	4.9
Monroe.....	82,212	81,953	82,639	82,216	5,247	4,830	5,639	5,073	6.4	5.9	6.8	6.2
New Orleans-Metairie.....	609,490	600,591	610,696	602,261	34,895	31,746	37,002	33,300	5.7	5.3	6.1	5.5
Shreveport-Bossier City.....	197,377	192,148	197,315	193,232	13,036	11,968	13,844	12,471	6.6	6.2	7.0	6.5
Maine.....	674,781	667,451	678,525	677,542	32,093	25,381	30,191	24,395	4.8	3.8	4.4	3.6
Bangor.....	70,326	69,027	69,422	68,913	3,116	2,587	2,929	2,490	4.4	3.7	4.2	3.6
Lewiston-Auburn.....	55,104	54,702	54,932	55,050	2,411	1,921	2,282	1,857	4.4	3.5	4.2	3.4
Portland-South Portland.....	195,235	193,467	197,278	196,893	7,232	5,474	7,079	5,550	3.7	2.8	3.6	2.8
Maryland.....	3,128,513	3,150,361	3,155,474	3,147,322	153,386	137,117	164,343	130,685	4.9	4.4	5.2	4.2
Baltimore-Columbia-Towson.....	1,462,657	1,472,399	1,475,289	1,475,227	74,850	66,271	80,060	63,244	5.1	4.5	5.4	4.3
California-Lexington Park.....	54,202	54,347	54,506	53,979	2,442	2,238	2,686	2,146	4.5	4.1	4.9	4.0
Cumberland.....	44,644	43,684	44,837	43,513	2,977	2,699	3,073	2,461	6.7	6.2	6.9	5.7
Hagerstown-Martinsburg.....	128,939	128,065	129,662	128,066	7,056	5,846	7,186	5,518	5.5	4.6	5.5	4.3
Massachusetts.....	3,550,470	3,581,833	3,560,302	3,573,205	167,345	137,898	174,161	135,396	4.7	3.8	4.9	3.8
Barnstable Town.....	117,334	119,283	122,751	122,825	6,888	5,696	6,569	5,034	5.9	4.8	5.4	4.1
Boston-Cambridge-Nashua.....	2,614,352	2,644,922	2,616,257	2,632,941	110,771	91,249	116,887	91,266	4.2	3.4	4.5	3.5
Leominster-Gardner.....	75,919	76,411	75,965	76,124	4,375	3,574	4,401	3,389	5.8	4.7	5.8	4.5
New Bedford.....	83,631	83,826	83,765	83,209	5,885	4,705	5,775	4,361	7.0	5.6	6.9	5.2
Pittsfield.....	42,569	42,959	43,051	43,449	2,431	2,041	2,319	1,902	5.7	4.8	5.4	4.4
Springfield.....	365,246	365,153	364,909	363,300	20,304	17,476	20,993	17,266	5.6	4.8	5.8	4.8
Worcester.....	344,677	345,865	345,272	346,670	17,690	14,575	18,096	14,299	5.1	4.2	5.2	4.1
Michigan.....	4,699,774	4,810,970	4,803,409	4,860,674	238,400	205,805	284,564	218,019	5.1	4.3	5.9	4.5
Ann Arbor.....	190,682	199,404	192,223	199,064	6,253	5,450	8,109	6,312	3.3	2.7	4.2	3.2
Battle Creek.....	64,536	65,267	65,819	65,790	3,040	2,679	3,600	2,785	4.7	4.1	5.5	4.2
Bay City.....	52,418	52,890	53,090	52,719	2,956	2,571	3,282	2,462	5.6	4.9	6.2	4.7
Detroit-Warren-Dearborn.....	1,964,019	2,023,968	2,009,816	2,055,151	107,385	91,243	133,795	99,791	5.5	4.5	6.7	4.9
Flint.....	182,814	184,308	186,279	185,600	10,371	8,967	11,975	9,323	5.7	4.9	6.4	5.0
Grand Rapids-Wyoming.....	551,068	566,039	561,420	570,404	19,310	16,673	23,770	18,155	3.5	2.9	4.2	3.2
Jackson.....	73,472	73,010	74,634	73,259	3,589	3,190	4,204	3,276	4.9	4.4	5.6	4.5
Kalamazoo-Portage.....	165,614	169,662	167,214	168,798	7,181	6,196	8,634	6,583	4.3	3.7	5.2	3.9
Lansing-East Lansing.....	244,690	249,007	247,861	247,045	9,940	8,232	12,067	11,347	4.1	3.3	4.9	4.6
Midland.....	41,695	41,881	42,552	42,099	1,898	1,674	2,198	1,698	4.6	4.0	5.2	4.0
Monroe.....	76,461	78,647	77,637	79,026	3,238	2,862	3,814	2,911	4.2	3.6	4.9	3.7
Muskegon.....	77,368	78,983	79,360	79,896	4,191	3,650	4,910	3,733	5.4	4.6	6.2	4.7
Niles-Benton Harbor.....	73,299	74,880	75,547	75,714	3,513	3,078	4,229	3,268	4.8	4.1	5.6	4.3
Saginaw.....	88,176	90,451	89,285	90,350	4,760	4,149	5,496	4,222	5.4	4.6	6.2	4.7
Minnesota.....	2,997,380	3,041,894	3,019,576	3,042,881	108,445	115,011	106,734	101,126	3.6	3.8	3.5	3.3

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					2015	2016	2015	2016 ^P	2015	2016	2015	2016 ^P
Minnesota - Continued												
Duluth	143,024	143,465	143,701	142,824	6,917	8,965	6,624	7,353	4.8	6.2	4.6	5.1
Mankato-North Mankato	59,330	60,293	58,882	59,481	1,619	1,739	1,680	1,608	2.7	2.9	2.9	2.7
Minneapolis-St. Paul-Bloomington	1,931,998	1,966,261	1,951,015	1,969,822	64,397	66,559	65,744	60,831	3.3	3.4	3.4	3.1
Rochester	117,533	119,801	118,128	119,374	3,799	3,656	3,693	3,261	3.2	3.1	3.1	2.7
St. Cloud	110,210	112,335	109,936	111,643	4,026	4,122	3,870	3,737	3.7	3.7	3.5	3.3
Mississippi	1,255,374	1,268,377	1,278,144	1,284,363	71,785	63,706	86,965	77,441	5.7	5.0	6.8	6.0
Gulfport-Biloxi-Pascagoula	161,818	162,314	164,673	164,425	9,365	8,535	11,167	10,299	5.8	5.3	6.8	6.3
Hattiesburg	65,711	67,301	66,197	67,834	3,374	3,076	4,047	3,720	5.1	4.6	6.1	5.5
Jackson	263,277	267,492	268,827	270,868	12,346	11,286	15,091	13,854	4.7	4.2	5.6	5.1
Missouri	3,117,600	3,140,967	3,140,540	3,149,511	160,464	132,020	166,493	127,144	5.1	4.2	5.3	4.0
Cape Girardeau	49,517	49,976	49,817	49,738	2,308	2,138	2,516	2,055	4.7	4.3	5.1	4.1
Columbia	100,810	103,249	101,555	103,626	3,509	2,938	3,881	2,836	3.5	2.8	3.8	2.7
Jefferson City	76,557	77,245	77,168	77,057	3,347	2,685	3,549	2,606	4.4	3.5	4.6	3.4
Joplin	87,830	87,549	88,230	87,186	4,026	3,435	4,255	3,234	4.6	3.9	4.8	3.7
Kansas City	1,116,539	1,121,198	1,124,838	1,129,796	54,827	42,905	55,688	45,988	4.9	3.8	5.0	4.1
St. Joseph	66,508	66,223	66,811	66,133	3,072	2,513	2,377	2,377	4.6	3.8	4.8	3.6
St. Louis ²	1,479,788	1,494,782	1,492,826	1,500,964	73,832	66,995	77,788	62,789	5.0	4.5	5.2	4.2
Springfield	233,866	238,127	234,818	237,127	10,510	8,774	11,073	8,132	4.5	3.7	4.7	3.4
Montana	521,095	520,541	523,271	521,314	20,794	20,382	18,810	18,692	4.0	3.9	3.6	3.6
Billings	87,633	88,617	86,993	88,192	2,722	2,835	2,478	2,676	3.1	3.2	2.8	3.0
Great Falls	39,189	38,457	38,943	38,257	1,413	1,383	1,321	1,299	3.6	3.6	3.4	3.4
Missoula	61,401	61,402	61,367	61,550	2,341	2,109	2,046	1,918	3.8	3.4	3.3	3.1
Nebraska	1,011,345	1,021,267	1,015,079	1,022,121	28,650	30,658	29,549	28,547	2.8	3.0	2.9	2.8
Grand Island	43,401	44,080	43,620	44,159	1,353	1,466	1,381	1,332	3.1	3.3	3.2	3.0
Lincoln	177,669	179,850	176,940	178,386	4,461	4,888	4,596	4,525	2.5	2.7	2.6	2.5
Omaha-Council Bluffs	477,530	481,841	477,879	481,033	14,692	15,371	15,085	14,258	3.1	3.2	3.2	3.0
Nevada	1,422,176	1,430,240	1,425,995	1,435,625	98,157	86,769	94,018	89,376	6.9	6.1	6.6	6.2
Carson City	25,156	24,840	25,110	24,964	1,880	1,669	1,754	1,631	7.5	6.7	7.0	6.5
Las Vegas-Henderson-Paradise	1,046,471	1,051,790	1,047,448	1,054,169	72,015	64,638	69,496	67,056	6.9	6.1	6.6	6.4
Reno	228,955	232,227	229,858	233,117	15,124	12,634	14,233	12,793	6.6	5.4	6.2	5.5
New Hampshire	734,390	743,260	737,911	743,619	25,785	19,661	24,688	19,326	3.5	2.6	3.3	2.6
Dover-Durham	82,083	83,430	82,510	83,811	2,567	1,884	2,601	1,979	3.1	2.3	3.2	2.4
Manchester	114,452	116,702	113,953	115,914	3,885	2,955	3,736	2,947	3.4	2.5	3.3	2.5
Portsmouth	72,098	74,225	73,373	75,112	2,224	1,712	2,134	1,700	3.1	2.3	2.9	2.3
New Jersey	4,528,655	4,560,080	4,552,979	4,562,162	260,113	222,030	262,655	225,534	5.7	4.9	5.8	4.9
Atlantic City-Hammonton	127,889	124,073	129,046	124,513	12,858	9,138	12,337	8,989	10.1	7.4	9.6	7.2
Ocean City	45,556	46,660	49,800	50,779	5,791	5,089	4,874	4,219	12.7	10.9	9.8	8.3
Trenton	197,151	200,760	198,130	201,073	9,598	8,294	9,964	8,696	4.9	4.1	5.0	4.3
Vineland-Bridgeton	68,342	67,163	67,984	67,354	6,103	5,094	5,812	4,872	8.9	7.6	8.5	7.2
New Mexico	918,110	917,299	916,941	915,803	57,116	53,086	58,686	55,075	6.2	5.8	6.4	6.0
Albuquerque	412,732	415,472	411,440	414,546	23,742	21,319	24,576	22,326	5.8	5.1	6.0	5.4
Farmington	55,423	56,199	55,159	55,917	3,543	4,347	3,712	4,529	6.4	7.7	6.7	8.1
Las Cruces	93,236	93,368	94,032	93,510	6,731	6,211	6,901	6,279	7.2	6.7	7.3	6.7
Santa Fe	71,303	71,403	71,720	71,286	3,583	3,192	3,634	3,292	5.0	4.5	5.1	4.6
New York	9,651,340	9,654,837	9,709,479	9,641,256	515,375	442,929	517,567	406,577	5.3	4.6	5.3	4.2
Albany-Schenectady-Troy	448,897	447,255	451,830	447,752	19,841	18,042	20,300	16,723	4.4	4.0	4.5	3.7
Binghamton	110,781	109,668	111,779	109,873	6,678	5,829	6,539	5,201	6.0	5.3	5.8	4.7
Buffalo-Cheektowaga-Niagara Falls	546,861	547,969	552,678	552,966	30,539	27,328	30,352	24,343	5.6	5.0	5.5	4.4
Elmira	37,902	37,425	38,273	37,352	2,248	2,093	2,306	1,945	5.9	5.6	6.0	5.2
Glens Falls	59,228	59,923	61,470	60,931	3,376	3,136	3,060	2,588	5.7	5.2	5.0	4.2
Ithaca	57,738	56,974	56,620	56,410	2,208	2,048	2,334	1,934	3.8	3.6	4.1	3.4
Kingston	88,043	89,302	89,238	89,494	4,273	3,801	4,348	3,524	4.9	4.3	4.9	3.9
New York-Newark-Jersey City	10,040,280	10,072,856	10,091,848	10,048,575	535,873	457,514	543,913	440,424	5.3	4.5	5.4	4.4
Rochester	526,281	522,796	529,576	525,011	27,717	24,373	27,808	22,235	5.3	4.7	5.3	4.2
Syracuse	312,901	313,156	313,771	311,089	17,109	14,752	17,226	13,456	5.5	4.7	5.5	4.3
Utica-Rome	131,161	131,417	132,086	131,425	7,690	6,639	7,304	5,790	5.9	5.1	5.5	4.4
Watertown-Fort Drum	45,641	46,340	47,072	47,426	3,326	3,002	2,974	2,445	7.3	6.5	6.3	5.2
North Carolina	4,768,208	4,855,686	4,827,901	4,856,521	260,213	242,365	289,984	229,979	5.5	5.0	6.0	4.7
Asheville	219,182	224,064	222,312	224,453	9,481	8,721	10,736	8,398	4.3	3.9	4.8	3.7
Burlington	77,138	78,742	77,846	78,716	3,826	3,669	4,355	3,497	5.0	4.7	5.6	4.4
Charlotte-Concord-Gastonia	1,231,362	1,265,237	1,249,076	1,263,108	64,824	60,599	71,266	57,431	5.3	4.8	5.7	4.5
Durham-Chapel Hill	281,861	287,558	284,695	288,334	12,987	12,477	15,004	12,098	4.6	4.3	5.3	4.2
Fayetteville	146,509	148,629	148,106	147,717	10,490	9,368	11,518	8,823	7.2	6.3	7.8	6.0
Goldsboro	54,020	55,031	54,427	54,965	3,181	3,011	3,473	2,841	5.9	5.5	6.4	5.2
Greensboro-High Point	366,752	371,676	369,629	369,724	20,537	18,808	22,919	18,026	5.6	5.1	6.2	4.9
Greenville	87,990	87,762	88,854	87,873	4,992	4,733	5,900	4,770	5.7	5.4	6.6	5.4
Hickory-Lenoir-Morganton	167,446	168,913	169,372	167,924	9,145	8,166	10,227	7,784	5.5	4.8	6.0	4.6
Jacksonville	64,687	64,702	65,165	64,798	3,609	3,544	4,027	3,287	5.6	5.5	6.2	5.1
New Bern	51,277	52,090	51,718	52,184	3,009	2,682	3,295	2,531	5.9	5.1	6.4	4.9
Raleigh	653,163	674,954	660,100	675,990	29,324	28,542	33,299	27,423	4.5	4.2	5.0	4.1
Rocky Mount	66,725	66,359	67,432	65,963	5,424	5,052	5,854	4,569	8.1	7.6	8.7	6.9

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**LABOR FORCE DATA
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Table 1. Civilian labor force and unemployment by state and metropolitan area — Continued

State and area	Civilian labor force				Unemployed							
	April		May		Number				Percent of labor force			
	2015	2016	2015	2016 ^P	April		May		April		May	
					2015	2016	2015	2016 ^P	2015	2016	2015	2016 ^P
North Carolina - Continued												
Wilmington.....	138,820	140,759	142,034	141,357	7,052	6,669	7,862	6,277	5.1	4.7	5.5	4.4
Winston-Salem.....	319,152	321,320	322,414	321,269	16,283	15,179	18,514	14,573	5.1	4.7	5.7	4.5
North Dakota.....	413,193	415,295	416,074	419,575	11,622	13,425	10,432	11,853	2.8	3.2	2.5	2.8
Bismarck.....	66,893	69,397	67,511	70,240	1,793	1,866	1,542	1,722	2.7	2.7	2.3	2.5
Fargo.....	129,942	135,863	131,085	136,424	3,148	3,338	2,951	3,011	2.4	2.5	2.3	2.2
Grand Forks.....	54,769	55,887	54,786	56,040	1,704	1,750	1,667	1,506	3.1	3.1	3.0	2.7
Ohio.....	5,678,773	5,780,320	5,736,717	5,815,205	263,032	275,325	277,383	267,896	4.6	4.8	4.8	4.6
Akron.....	358,663	364,778	361,285	367,183	16,714	17,952	17,078	16,806	4.7	4.9	4.7	4.6
Canton-Massillon.....	199,891	203,163	201,666	203,774	10,066	11,291	10,370	10,599	5.0	5.6	5.1	5.2
Cincinnati.....	1,068,915	1,079,787	1,081,204	1,093,927	44,773	45,018	48,422	44,492	4.2	4.2	4.5	4.1
Cleveland-Elyria.....	1,028,213	1,039,409	1,032,645	1,037,125	49,575	50,345	54,239	52,889	4.8	4.8	5.3	5.1
Columbus.....	1,030,606	1,051,599	1,041,961	1,062,714	39,894	41,465	42,858	40,767	3.9	3.9	4.1	3.8
Dayton.....	379,783	386,863	382,221	388,636	17,230	17,357	18,204	16,925	4.5	4.5	4.8	4.4
Lima.....	47,653	49,270	48,228	49,892	2,197	2,171	2,300	2,210	4.6	4.4	4.8	4.4
Mansfield.....	53,218	53,387	53,696	53,530	2,845	2,901	2,904	2,681	5.3	5.4	5.4	5.0
Springfield.....	63,780	65,035	64,497	65,504	2,950	3,187	3,116	3,031	4.6	4.9	4.8	4.6
Toledo.....	300,243	306,260	304,858	311,423	14,383	14,070	15,045	13,575	4.8	4.6	4.9	4.4
Weirton-Steubenville ¹	52,821	53,273	53,207	53,209	3,901	4,343	3,963	4,037	7.4	8.2	7.4	7.6
Youngstown-Warren-Boardman.....	251,049	252,266	253,973	253,869	14,285	15,739	14,902	15,262	5.7	6.2	5.9	6.0
Oklahoma.....	1,835,463	1,852,841	1,846,721	1,841,888	72,223	78,637	82,705	88,216	3.9	4.2	4.5	4.8
Lawton.....	53,102	53,413	53,305	52,692	2,031	2,247	2,350	2,453	3.8	4.2	4.4	4.7
Oklahoma City.....	662,583	673,802	666,643	667,564	22,927	24,696	26,241	27,807	3.5	3.7	3.9	4.2
Tulsa.....	473,043	476,329	476,240	474,809	18,205	20,697	21,070	23,227	3.8	4.3	4.4	4.9
Oregon.....	1,942,784	2,026,858	1,955,649	2,028,876	108,639	91,070	108,954	86,993	5.6	4.5	5.6	4.3
Albany.....	54,177	55,756	54,454	55,918	3,693	3,086	3,635	2,929	6.8	5.5	6.7	5.2
Bend-Redmond.....	82,292	88,143	83,449	88,430	4,873	3,943	4,752	3,694	5.9	4.5	5.7	4.2
Corvallis.....	45,049	46,557	45,416	46,870	1,734	1,523	1,834	1,576	3.8	3.3	4.0	3.4
Eugene.....	170,125	175,585	171,237	176,389	9,793	8,163	9,838	7,896	5.8	4.6	5.7	4.5
Grants Pass.....	32,675	34,028	33,177	34,149	2,529	2,145	2,473	1,964	7.7	6.3	7.5	5.8
Medford.....	95,838	99,555	97,018	99,993	6,819	5,615	6,642	5,305	7.1	5.6	6.8	5.3
Portland-Vancouver-Hillsboro.....	1,209,406	1,265,092	1,214,772	1,260,446	62,398	55,094	64,200	53,213	5.2	4.4	5.3	4.2
Salem.....	185,037	193,280	186,734	194,627	10,952	9,021	11,042	8,728	5.9	4.7	5.9	4.5
Pennsylvania.....	6,386,413	6,480,027	6,462,242	6,536,435	309,175	337,996	354,304	357,228	4.8	5.2	5.5	5.5
Allentown-Bethlehem-Easton.....	427,345	429,082	433,798	434,148	21,541	22,022	24,098	22,919	5.0	5.1	5.6	5.3
Altoona.....	60,367	61,582	61,669	62,627	2,800	3,150	3,191	3,187	4.6	5.1	5.2	5.1
Bloomsburg-Berwick.....	43,034	43,666	43,378	43,974	2,081	2,159	2,397	2,393	4.8	4.9	5.5	5.4
Chambersburg-Waynesboro.....	76,440	79,181	78,080	80,033	3,300	3,799	3,849	4,033	4.3	4.8	4.9	5.0
East Stroudsburg.....	79,058	80,314	80,908	81,715	4,850	4,943	5,509	5,286	6.1	6.2	6.8	6.5
Erie.....	134,003	134,537	135,555	135,954	6,749	8,802	7,582	8,993	5.0	6.5	5.6	6.6
Gettysburg.....	54,557	55,952	55,491	56,323	2,123	2,037	2,397	2,192	3.9	3.6	4.3	3.9
Harrisburg-Carlisle.....	290,573	296,358	295,065	298,711	11,524	12,565	13,330	13,783	4.0	4.2	4.5	4.6
Johnstown.....	62,353	62,143	63,079	62,365	3,752	4,060	4,190	4,189	6.0	6.5	6.6	6.7
Lancaster.....	272,558	277,826	277,401	279,747	9,962	10,744	11,827	11,489	3.7	3.9	4.3	4.1
Lebanon.....	69,570	70,729	70,737	71,375	2,833	2,983	3,319	3,195	4.1	4.2	4.7	4.5
Philadelphia-Camden-Wilmington.....	3,048,729	3,108,139	3,066,201	3,120,719	155,790	151,103	172,000	159,333	5.1	4.9	5.6	5.1
Pittsburgh.....	1,205,691	1,216,630	1,221,209	1,227,113	56,931	66,311	65,481	70,174	4.7	5.5	5.4	5.7
Reading.....	211,597	215,489	214,435	217,345	9,533	10,400	11,110	11,030	4.5	4.8	5.2	5.1
Scranton--Wilkes-Barre--Hazleton.....	278,192	280,292	280,870	282,130	16,376	17,005	18,049	17,386	5.9	6.1	6.4	6.2
State College.....	79,492	80,295	75,413	80,317	2,606	3,034	3,242	3,390	3.3	3.8	4.3	4.2
Williamsport.....	61,160	60,476	61,795	60,308	3,464	4,082	3,834	4,214	5.7	6.7	6.2	7.0
York-Hanover.....	230,559	235,740	233,989	238,692	10,067	10,328	11,625	11,089	4.4	4.4	5.0	4.6
Rhode Island.....	550,084	547,158	552,912	548,195	32,442	26,634	33,082	28,789	5.9	4.9	6.0	5.3
Providence-Warwick.....	676,043	673,258	678,924	673,950	39,538	32,401	40,030	34,017	5.8	4.8	5.9	5.0
South Carolina.....	2,252,170	2,306,248	2,274,821	2,302,012	129,919	119,926	137,424	111,320	5.8	5.2	6.0	4.8
Charleston-North Charleston.....	361,654	369,324	365,348	370,051	17,953	16,718	19,258	15,561	5.0	4.5	5.3	4.2
Columbia.....	393,818	404,430	397,014	403,667	20,647	19,610	22,036	18,358	5.2	4.8	5.6	4.5
Florence.....	95,506	96,613	96,549	96,485	6,331	5,694	6,613	5,271	6.6	5.9	6.8	5.5
Greenville-Anderson-Mauldin.....	413,778	423,842	417,769	423,531	21,503	19,791	22,786	18,351	5.2	4.7	5.5	4.3
Hilton Head Island-Bluffton-Beaufort.....	82,895	85,799	84,202	86,297	4,446	4,309	4,665	3,730	5.4	5.0	5.5	4.3
Myrtle Beach-Conway-North Myrtle Beach.....	186,497	190,426	190,901	192,528	12,255	11,060	12,910	10,174	6.6	5.8	6.8	5.3
Spartanburg.....	150,276	154,184	151,312	152,799	8,723	7,803	9,166	7,263	5.8	5.1	6.1	4.8
Sumter.....	44,423	45,629	44,676	44,903	2,908	2,860	3,103	2,591	6.5	6.3	6.9	5.8
South Dakota.....	450,319	452,555	453,787	454,717	14,101	11,728	14,280	11,651	3.1	2.6	3.1	2.6
Rapid City.....	70,520	70,126	71,730	71,146	2,393	2,002	2,433	1,984	3.4	2.9	3.4	2.8
Sioux Falls.....	142,728	146,287	142,687	146,030	3,729	3,157	3,831	3,133	2.6	2.2	2.7	2.1
Tennessee.....	3,052,320	3,120,465	3,079,575	3,131,525	164,030	120,423	179,684	119,148	5.4	3.9	5.8	3.8
Chattanooga.....	252,786	257,595	254,058	257,564	13,098	10,609	14,548	10,256	5.2	4.1	5.7	4.0
Clarksville.....	108,903	111,394	109,627	111,854	6,043	4,910	6,742	5,033	5.5	4.4	6.1	4.5
Cleveland.....	55,189	57,484	56,137	58,165	2,866	2,135	3,185	2,162	5.2	3.7	5.7	3.7
Jackson.....	61,303	62,148	61,989	62,255	3,452	2,521	3,863	2,509	5.6	4.1	6.2	4.0
Johnson City.....	88,833	89,996	88,723	90,007	4,974	3,717	5,551	3,781	5.6	4.1	6.3	4.2

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

State and area	Civilian labor force				Unemployed							
	April		May		Number				Percent of labor force			
	2015	2016	2015	2016 ^P	April		May		April		May	
					2015	2016	2015	2016 ^P	2015	2016	2015	2016 ^P
Tennessee - Continued												
Kingsport-Bristol-Bristol.....	137,286	137,931	138,197	138,630	7,288	5,653	7,977	5,832	5.3	4.1	5.8	4.2
Knoxville.....	403,404	414,068	406,826	416,653	20,313	14,767	22,211	14,736	5.0	3.6	5.5	3.5
Memphis.....	608,392	618,499	614,585	620,753	36,539	27,314	40,702	28,208	6.0	4.4	6.6	4.5
Morristown.....	49,762	50,901	50,243	51,259	2,973	2,109	3,246	2,106	6.0	4.1	6.5	4.1
Nashville-Davidson--Murfreesboro--Franklin.....	930,174	961,122	938,946	963,686	40,226	29,385	44,512	29,321	4.3	3.1	4.7	3.0
Texas.....												
Amarillo.....	130,256	131,956	130,700	132,396	3,565	3,608	4,010	3,695	2.7	2.7	3.1	2.8
Austin-Round Rock.....	1,064,106	1,095,491	1,069,356	1,099,515	32,364	31,417	35,011	31,715	3.0	2.9	3.3	2.9
Beaumont-Port Arthur.....	175,983	176,172	177,400	176,053	10,810	10,752	11,288	10,699	6.1	6.1	6.4	6.1
Brownsville-Harlingen.....	164,727	167,831	165,390	167,825	11,172	11,201	11,378	11,045	6.8	6.7	6.9	6.6
College Station-Bryan.....	121,797	125,498	122,703	126,422	3,830	3,995	4,248	4,133	3.1	3.2	3.5	3.3
Corpus Christi.....	207,708	212,998	207,971	212,181	9,750	11,393	10,417	11,252	4.7	5.3	5.0	5.3
Dallas-Fort Worth-Arlington.....	3,561,537	3,664,236	3,578,828	3,674,674	133,664	128,832	141,375	128,193	3.8	3.5	4.0	3.5
El Paso.....	343,820	350,567	345,872	351,698	16,603	15,893	17,658	15,929	4.8	4.5	5.1	4.5
Houston-The Woodlands-Sugar Land.....	3,249,183	3,269,143	3,254,887	3,264,908	132,984	157,255	142,382	157,241	4.1	4.8	4.4	4.8
Killeen-Temple.....	168,686	172,429	169,709	172,755	7,214	7,103	7,707	7,085	4.3	4.1	4.5	4.1
Laredo.....	112,037	114,132	112,457	114,318	4,932	5,268	5,246	5,211	4.4	4.6	4.7	4.6
Longview.....	101,020	101,285	100,858	100,962	4,536	5,500	4,972	5,527	4.5	5.4	4.9	5.5
Lubbock.....	153,861	157,341	154,305	157,711	4,686	4,759	5,170	4,845	3.0	3.0	3.4	3.1
McAllen-Edinburg-Mission.....	332,647	338,764	335,617	339,132	24,529	24,378	25,495	23,731	7.4	7.2	7.6	7.0
Midland.....	92,138	90,358	91,531	90,197	2,846	3,857	3,173	3,839	3.1	4.3	3.5	4.3
Odessa.....	80,703	78,901	79,896	78,474	3,293	4,908	3,621	4,803	4.1	6.2	4.5	6.1
San Angelo.....	55,669	56,421	55,877	56,606	2,136	2,421	2,422	2,366	3.8	4.3	4.2	4.2
San Antonio-New Braunfels.....	1,097,065	1,117,484	1,102,652	1,124,904	37,749	37,915	41,132	38,282	3.4	3.4	3.7	3.4
Sherman-Denison.....	60,291	61,265	60,762	61,444	2,182	2,143	2,332	2,136	3.6	3.5	3.8	3.5
Texarkana.....	64,574	65,234	64,811	65,123	3,067	2,494	3,207	2,571	4.7	3.8	4.9	3.9
Tyler.....	102,315	104,140	102,746	104,269	4,202	4,261	4,523	4,291	4.1	4.1	4.4	4.1
Victoria.....	49,690	50,279	49,768	50,299	1,821	2,428	2,015	2,429	3.7	4.8	4.0	4.8
Waco.....	118,236	120,271	118,706	120,743	4,345	4,363	4,788	4,454	3.7	3.6	4.0	3.7
Wichita Falls.....	64,898	64,620	65,136	65,037	2,544	2,637	2,749	2,643	3.9	4.1	4.2	4.1
Utah.....												
Logan.....	66,715	68,050	67,627	68,913	2,187	1,854	2,187	1,935	2.8	3.2	2.9	3.3
Ogden-Clearfield.....	303,259	312,930	308,323	316,495	10,174	11,408	10,962	11,673	3.4	3.6	3.6	3.7
Provo-Orem.....	268,862	278,989	268,731	277,471	8,143	9,062	8,788	9,736	3.0	3.2	3.3	3.5
St. George.....	63,144	66,390	64,116	67,334	2,303	2,645	2,449	2,641	3.6	4.0	3.8	3.9
Salt Lake City.....	608,167	620,466	614,010	625,649	19,640	22,149	20,833	22,231	3.2	3.6	3.4	3.6
Vermont.....												
Burlington-South Burlington.....	123,480	124,862	123,905	124,564	3,314	2,607	3,295	2,609	2.7	2.1	2.7	2.1
Virginia.....												
Blacksburg-Christiansburg-Radford.....	93,164	91,312	93,145	89,407	3,962	3,272	4,595	3,622	4.3	3.6	4.9	4.1
Charlottesville.....	118,044	117,514	117,680	117,442	4,322	3,205	4,940	3,635	3.7	2.7	4.2	3.1
Harrisonburg.....	65,824	63,341	65,128	62,143	2,739	1,998	2,375	2,375	4.2	3.2	5.0	3.8
Lynchburg.....	123,187	120,837	124,293	120,893	5,708	4,467	6,459	4,889	4.6	3.7	5.2	4.0
Richmond.....	657,891	662,305	664,041	667,484	29,556	23,323	32,342	24,555	4.5	3.5	4.9	3.7
Roanoke.....	159,311	157,224	160,474	157,279	6,869	5,195	7,408	5,556	4.3	3.3	4.6	3.5
Staunton-Waynesboro.....	59,418	57,190	59,672	57,286	2,434	1,842	2,651	1,962	4.1	3.2	4.4	3.4
Virginia Beach-Norfolk-Newport News.....	841,078	826,861	847,125	829,202	39,945	34,036	43,157	34,587	4.7	4.1	5.1	4.2
Winchester.....	68,888	69,465	69,400	69,626	2,922	2,191	3,126	2,269	4.2	3.2	4.5	3.3
Washington.....												
Bellingham.....	102,259	105,511	103,237	104,869	5,616	6,395	6,216	6,060	5.5	6.1	6.0	5.8
Bremerton-Silverdale.....	113,354	117,499	114,832	117,400	6,106	6,811	6,667	6,647	5.4	5.8	5.8	5.7
Kennewick-Richland.....	128,149	133,132	131,521	133,917	8,378	9,145	9,005	8,494	6.5	6.9	6.8	6.3
Longview.....	43,747	45,561	44,311	45,304	3,286	3,320	3,511	3,215	7.5	7.3	7.9	7.1
Mount Vernon-Anacortes.....	56,167	57,984	56,771	57,801	3,524	3,886	3,860	3,698	6.3	6.7	6.8	6.4
Olympia-Tumwater.....	124,322	129,230	125,408	128,942	7,066	7,615	7,693	7,304	5.7	5.9	6.1	5.7
Seattle-Tacoma-Bellevue.....	1,971,701	2,012,872	1,973,203	2,011,390	84,064	95,558	91,294	97,502	4.3	4.7	4.6	4.8
Spokane-Spokane Valley.....	248,407	255,655	250,185	254,686	15,638	16,471	16,648	15,516	6.3	6.4	6.7	6.1
Walla Walla.....	29,481	30,035	30,349	30,389	1,659	1,696	1,786	1,574	5.6	5.6	5.9	5.2
Wenatchee.....	59,363	61,147	60,545	62,302	3,466	4,240	3,706	4,029	5.8	6.9	6.1	6.5
Yakima.....	117,157	121,679	119,270	121,525	9,011	9,946	9,744	9,297	7.7	8.2	8.2	7.7
West Virginia.....												
Beckley.....	46,970	45,837	47,348	46,373	3,815	3,588	3,692	3,235	8.1	7.8	7.8	7.0
Charleston.....	99,893	97,132	99,918	97,043	6,754	5,918	6,706	5,427	6.8	6.1	6.7	5.6
Huntington-Ashland.....	148,943	148,001	149,242	148,890	9,246	8,901	9,461	8,687	6.2	6.0	6.3	5.8
Morgantown.....	66,516	66,664	66,672	66,766	3,464	3,112	3,531	2,928	5.2	4.7	5.3	4.4
Parkersburg-Vienna.....	40,003	39,374	40,174	39,470	2,621	2,184	2,609	2,170	6.6	5.5	6.5	5.5
Wheeling.....	66,495	66,744	67,153	66,697	4,343	5,013	4,425	4,541	6.5	7.5	6.6	6.8
Wisconsin.....												
Appleton.....	127,922	129,782	128,738	129,978	4,954	4,954	5,156	4,354	3.9	3.8	4.0	3.3
Eau Claire.....	91,224	92,226	92,105	92,177	3,677	3,750	3,723	3,138	4.0	4.1	4.0	3.4

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

State and area	Civilian labor force				Unemployed							
	April		May		Number				Percent of labor force			
	2015	2016	2015	2016 ^P	April		May		April		May	
					2015	2016	2015	2016 ^P	2015	2016	2015	2016 ^P
Wisconsin - Continued												
Fond du Lac.....	56,732	57,493	56,967	57,594	2,265	2,093	2,378	1,923	4.0	3.6	4.2	3.3
Green Bay.....	168,437	170,376	169,893	170,239	6,946	6,805	7,301	6,143	4.1	4.0	4.3	3.6
Janesville-Beloit.....	82,783	86,261	82,877	86,270	4,302	3,967	4,364	3,536	5.2	4.6	5.3	4.1
La Crosse-Onalaska.....	77,389	78,477	77,411	78,122	2,691	2,891	2,994	2,682	3.5	3.7	3.9	3.4
Madison.....	373,499	380,867	373,425	380,339	12,085	11,569	13,210	11,136	3.2	3.0	3.5	2.9
Milwaukee-Waukesha-West Allis.....	814,813	824,604	820,879	823,829	39,174	37,973	41,454	34,622	4.8	4.6	5.0	4.2
Oshkosh-Neenah.....	90,717	91,879	91,115	91,702	3,802	3,602	4,054	3,299	4.2	3.9	4.4	3.6
Racine.....	98,601	98,741	99,166	98,670	5,471	5,336	5,531	4,633	5.5	5.4	5.6	4.7
Sheboygan.....	60,223	61,109	61,131	61,435	2,201	2,242	2,438	2,067	3.7	3.7	4.0	3.4
Wausau.....	72,757	73,537	73,312	73,906	2,924	2,870	3,029	2,542	4.0	3.9	4.1	3.4
Wyoming.....	305,074	298,500	305,957	298,657	12,609	17,172	12,417	16,240	4.1	5.8	4.1	5.4
Casper.....	43,671	41,358	42,753	40,415	2,008	3,121	2,048	3,021	4.6	7.5	4.8	7.5
Cheyenne.....	49,123	48,236	48,666	47,330	1,726	1,941	1,738	1,885	3.5	4.0	3.6	4.0
Puerto Rico.....	1,125,808	1,136,779	1,117,784	1,138,642	141,951	129,061	138,011	128,233	12.6	11.4	12.3	11.3
Aguadilla-Isabela.....	88,812	90,314	87,436	90,732	14,611	13,440	13,913	13,085	16.5	14.9	15.9	14.4
Arecibo.....	52,621	53,159	51,896	53,234	8,304	7,393	7,832	7,224	15.8	13.9	15.1	13.6
Guayama.....	22,615	22,657	22,297	22,764	4,455	3,857	4,389	3,951	19.7	17.0	19.7	17.4
Mayaguez.....	29,302	29,733	28,929	29,789	4,015	3,793	3,867	3,756	13.7	12.8	13.4	12.6
Ponce.....	99,522	99,579	98,531	99,739	16,595	15,054	16,188	15,161	16.7	15.1	16.4	15.2
San German.....	36,514	36,705	36,064	36,900	5,375	5,152	5,227	5,231	14.7	14.0	14.5	14.2
San Juan-Carolina-Caguas.....	750,516	758,768	747,680	758,996	79,868	73,170	77,803	72,360	10.6	9.6	10.4	9.5

¹ For operational reasons, these interstate areas are listed under the state that accounts for the larger share of the population, which is different from the state that contains the first principal city.

² The area boundary does not reflect the Office of Management and Budget delineation.

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NOTE: Data refer to place of residence. Data for Puerto Rico are derived from a monthly household survey similar to the Current Population Survey. Area delineations are based on Office of Management and Budget Bulletin No. 13-01, dated February 28, 2013, and are available on the BLS website at www.bls.gov/lau/lausmsa.htm. Areas in the six New England states are Metropolitan New England City and Town Areas (NECTAs), while areas in other states are county-based. Some metropolitan areas lie in two or more states. They are listed under the state containing the first principal city, unless otherwise footnoted. Estimates for the latest month are subject to revision the following month.

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

State, area, and division	Civilian labor force				Unemployed							
	April		May		Number				Percent of labor force			
	2015	2016	2015	2016 ^p	April		May		April		May	
					2015	2016	2015	2016 ^p	2015	2016	2015	2016 ^p
California.....	18,942,424	19,016,818	19,036,611	18,983,886	1,166,325	987,164	1,164,888	898,920	6.2	5.2	6.1	4.7
Los Angeles-Long Beach-Anaheim.....	6,613,033	6,614,805	6,622,481	6,593,787	408,214	296,329	412,989	270,756	6.2	4.5	6.2	4.1
Anaheim-Santa Ana-Irvine.....	1,590,764	1,602,786	1,594,399	1,602,978	68,001	61,745	69,098	57,143	4.3	3.9	4.3	3.6
Los Angeles-Long Beach-Glendale.....	5,022,269	5,012,019	5,028,082	4,990,809	340,213	234,584	343,891	213,613	6.8	4.7	6.8	4.3
San Francisco-Oakland-Hayward.....	2,490,894	2,514,240	2,504,339	2,507,509	102,267	92,037	103,829	84,795	4.1	3.7	4.1	3.4
Oakland-Hayward-Berkeley.....	1,369,128	1,374,746	1,376,344	1,372,806	63,996	57,535	65,054	53,196	4.7	4.2	4.7	3.9
San Francisco-Redwood City-South San Francisco.....	981,325	997,811	986,604	993,003	33,508	30,143	33,980	27,629	3.4	3.0	3.4	2.8
San Rafael.....	140,441	141,683	141,391	141,700	4,763	4,359	4,795	3,970	3.4	3.1	3.4	2.8
District of Columbia.....	384,502	395,998	384,242	393,184	24,937	21,767	25,361	20,413	6.5	5.5	6.6	5.2
Washington-Arlington-Alexandria ²	3,277,033	3,284,963	3,296,795	3,283,169	138,714	115,851	149,907	116,860	4.2	3.5	4.5	3.6
Silver Spring-Frederick-Rockville ³	674,093	673,990	677,664	670,989	25,745	22,728	28,640	22,451	3.8	3.4	4.2	3.3
Washington-Arlington-Alexandria ²	2,602,940	2,610,973	2,619,131	2,612,180	112,969	93,123	121,267	94,409	4.3	3.6	4.6	3.6
Florida.....	9,646,945	9,708,395	9,756,834	9,746,739	501,676	441,291	538,880	424,095	5.2	4.5	5.5	4.4
Miami-Fort Lauderdale-West Palm Beach.....	3,010,181	3,011,350	3,040,504	3,013,773	162,530	144,519	172,099	139,716	5.4	4.8	5.7	4.6
Fort Lauderdale-Pompano Beach-Deerfield Beach.....	983,971	999,998	998,658	1,005,374	48,144	42,614	51,857	40,843	4.9	4.3	5.2	4.1
Miami-Miami Beach-Kendall.....	1,335,425	1,317,021	1,343,860	1,311,975	82,299	71,721	84,825	69,772	6.2	5.4	6.3	5.3
West Palm Beach-Boca Raton-Delray Beach.....	690,785	694,331	697,986	696,424	32,087	30,184	35,417	29,101	4.6	4.3	5.1	4.2
Illinois.....	6,461,911	6,607,497	6,520,791	6,592,749	352,068	410,252	373,226	368,590	5.4	6.2	5.7	5.6
Chicago-Naperville-Elgin ²	4,851,770	4,982,567	4,896,443	4,968,356	271,704	307,619	284,763	269,204	5.6	6.2	5.8	5.4
Chicago-Naperville-Arlington Heights.....	3,753,389	3,856,099	3,779,951	3,836,125	214,887	241,682	223,585	209,219	5.7	6.3	5.9	5.5
Elgin.....	317,440	322,772	321,746	324,156	15,526	16,715	17,321	16,515	4.9	5.8	5.7	5.3
Gary ³	335,511	345,700	340,368	347,178	20,426	22,498	22,234	19,982	6.1	6.5	6.5	5.8
Lake County-Kenosha County ²	445,430	457,996	454,378	460,897	20,865	24,723	22,229	22,682	4.7	5.4	4.9	4.9
Massachusetts.....	3,550,470	3,581,833	3,560,302	3,573,205	167,345	137,898	174,161	135,396	4.7	3.8	4.9	3.8
Boston-Cambridge-Nashua ²	2,614,352	2,644,922	2,616,257	2,632,941	110,771	91,249	116,887	91,266	4.2	3.4	4.5	3.5
Boston-Cambridge-Newton.....	1,547,824	1,565,322	1,547,614	1,556,894	61,495	50,776	66,267	51,531	4.0	3.2	4.3	3.3
Brockton-Bridgewater-Easton.....	104,687	106,726	104,446	105,601	5,487	4,643	5,733	4,556	5.2	4.4	5.5	4.3
Framingham.....	154,101	155,285	154,292	154,749	5,805	4,820	6,128	4,773	3.8	3.1	4.0	3.1
Haverhill-Newburyport-Amesbury Town ²	111,254	113,960	112,477	114,178	4,977	3,907	4,873	3,820	4.5	3.4	4.3	3.3
Lawrence-Methuen Town-Salem ²	94,257	95,452	94,707	94,851	5,975	4,914	6,151	4,739	6.3	5.1	6.5	5.0
Lowell-Billerica-Chelmsford ²	181,578	183,475	182,026	183,420	8,737	7,233	9,075	7,152	4.8	3.9	5.0	3.9
Lynn-Saugus-Marblehead.....	82,480	82,813	82,688	82,682	3,828	3,199	4,086	3,212	4.6	3.9	4.9	3.9
Nashua ²	166,888	168,833	166,863	168,333	6,388	4,974	6,161	4,900	3.8	2.9	3.7	2.9
Peabody-Salem-Beverly.....	89,807	90,245	89,534	89,924	3,880	3,250	4,100	3,232	4.3	3.6	4.6	3.6
Taunton-Middleborough-Norton.....	81,476	82,811	81,610	82,309	4,199	3,541	4,313	3,351	5.2	4.3	5.3	4.1
Michigan.....	4,699,774	4,810,970	4,803,409	4,860,674	238,400	205,805	284,564	218,019	5.1	4.3	5.9	4.5
Detroit-Warren-Dearborn.....	1,964,019	2,023,968	2,009,816	2,055,151	107,385	91,243	133,795	99,791	5.5	4.5	6.7	4.9
Detroit-Dearborn-Livonia.....	738,120	758,192	753,353	767,689	47,193	40,000	58,452	43,801	6.4	5.3	7.8	5.7
Warren-Troy-Farmington Hills.....	1,225,899	1,265,777	1,256,463	1,287,462	60,192	51,243	75,343	55,990	4.9	4.0	6.0	4.3
New York.....	9,651,340	9,654,837	9,709,479	9,641,256	515,375	442,929	517,567	406,577	5.3	4.6	5.3	4.2
New York-Newark-Jersey City ²	10,040,280	10,072,856	10,091,848	10,048,575	535,873	457,514	543,913	440,424	5.3	4.5	5.4	4.4
Dutchess County-Putnam County.....	193,105	196,104	194,856	196,675	8,517	7,671	8,955	7,345	4.4	3.9	4.6	3.7
Nassau County-Suffolk County.....	1,460,101	1,477,139	1,479,397	1,484,406	64,868	57,981	67,493	54,898	4.4	3.9	4.6	3.7
Newark ³	1,260,501	1,266,768	1,264,949	1,264,166	69,817	61,050	71,214	62,176	5.5	4.8	5.6	4.9
New York-Jersey City-White Plains ²	7,126,573	7,132,845	7,152,646	7,103,328	392,671	330,812	396,251	316,005	5.5	4.6	5.5	4.4
Pennsylvania.....	6,386,413	6,480,027	6,462,242	6,536,435	309,175	237,996	354,304	357,228	4.8	5.2	5.5	5.0
Philadelphia-Camden-Wilmington ²	3,048,729	3,108,139	3,066,201	3,120,719	155,790	151,103	172,000	159,333	5.1	4.9	5.6	5.1
Camden ³	637,508	643,490	638,800	644,228	37,549	31,098	38,146	32,052	5.9	4.8	6.0	5.0
Montgomery County-Bucks County-Chester County.....	1,048,585	1,072,995	1,060,919	1,081,808	40,342	43,151	46,971	46,114	3.8	4.0	4.4	4.3
Philadelphia.....	986,493	1,003,085	992,208	1,009,444	59,327	60,672	68,444	65,141	6.0	6.0	6.9	6.5
Wilmington ³	376,143	388,569	374,274	385,239	18,572	16,182	18,439	16,026	4.9	4.2	4.9	4.2
Texas.....	13,054,103	13,256,609	13,104,878	13,281,151	529,352	560,506	565,656	559,100	4.1	4.2	4.3	4.2
Dallas-Fort Worth-Arlington.....	3,561,537	3,664,236	3,578,828	3,674,674	133,664	128,832	141,375	128,193	3.8	3.5	4.0	3.5
Dallas-Plano-Irving.....	2,381,141	2,465,715	2,391,745	2,473,867	88,211	84,247	93,173	84,164	3.7	3.4	3.9	3.4
Fort Worth-Arlington.....	1,180,396	1,198,521	1,187,083	1,200,807	45,453	44,585	48,202	44,029	3.9	3.7	4.1	3.7
Washington.....	3,519,350	3,609,438	3,545,995	3,607,404	182,479	201,300	197,117	197,704	5.2	5.6	5.6	5.5
Seattle-Tacoma-Bellevue.....	1,971,701	2,012,872	1,973,203	2,011,390	84,064	95,558	91,294	97,502	4.3	4.7	4.6	4.8
Seattle-Bellevue-Everett.....	1,585,299	1,610,045	1,582,295	1,610,185	59,866	70,216	65,129	73,157	3.8	4.4	4.1	4.5
Tacoma-Lakewood.....	386,402	402,827	390,908	401,205	24,198	25,342	26,165	24,345	6.3	6.3	6.7	6.1

¹ These 11 areas contain all of the 38 metropolitan divisions.

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

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

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NOTE: Data refer to place of residence. Area delineations are based on Office of Management and Budget Bulletin No. 13-01, dated February 28, 2013, and are available on the BLS website at www.bls.gov/lau/lausmsa.htm. Areas in the six New England states are Metropolitan New England City and Town Areas (NECTAs), while areas in other states are county-based. Some metropolitan areas lie in two or more states. They are listed under the state containing the first principal city. Metropolitan divisions are listed under their metropolitan areas. Some divisions lie in more than one state, and some, like Camden, N.J., are totally outside the states under which their metropolitan areas are listed. For Washington-Arlington-Alexandria, D.C.-Va.-Md.-W.Va., the metropolitan area and division titles are identical. Estimates for the latest month are subject to revision the following month.

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Table 3. Employees on nonfarm payrolls by state and metropolitan area
[In thousands]

State and area	April		May		Change from May 2015 to May 2016 ^P	
	2015	2016	2015	2016 ^P	Number	Percent
Alabama.....	1,945.9	1,972.1	1,956.3	1,976.3	20.0	1.0
Anniston-Oxford-Jacksonville.....	46.3	46.4	46.7	46.2	-0.5	-1.1
Auburn-Opelika.....	61.0	62.7	60.9	62.3	1.4	2.3
Birmingham-Hoover.....	514.2	519.8	517.5	522.8	5.3	1.0
Daphne-Fairhope-Foley.....	70.2	72.6	71.7	73.8	2.1	2.9
Decatur.....	53.7	53.9	54.1	54.1	0.0	0.0
Dothan.....	57.7	57.8	57.5	57.7	0.2	0.3
Florence-Muscle Shoals.....	56.4	57.1	56.6	57.4	0.8	1.4
Gadsden.....	37.3	38.5	37.6	38.6	1.0	2.7
Huntsville.....	219.1	222.5	220.5	223.2	2.7	1.2
Mobile.....	177.6	179.6	177.6	179.4	1.8	1.0
Montgomery.....	169.5	171.3	171.2	172.0	0.8	0.5
Tuscaloosa.....	104.7	106.2	104.8	106.3	1.5	1.4
Alaska.....	333.2	331.4	345.4	343.4	-2.0	-0.6
Anchorage.....	179.5	178.9	183.8	184.2	0.4	0.2
Fairbanks.....	38.3	37.7	40.0	39.2	-0.8	-2.0
Arizona.....	2,637.1	2,717.8	2,627.7	2,698.4	70.7	2.7
Flagstaff.....	65.6	66.6	65.8	66.0	0.2	0.3
Lake Havasu City-Kingman.....	47.5	48.0	47.9	48.6	0.7	1.5
Phoenix-Mesa-Scottsdale.....	1,909.3	1,977.5	1,902.1	1,960.8	58.7	3.1
Prescott.....	61.6	64.0	61.4	63.4	2.0	3.3
Sierra Vista-Douglas.....	34.7	34.3	34.6	34.2	-0.4	-1.2
Tucson.....	370.4	382.1	368.0	380.7	12.7	3.5
Yuma.....	53.4	54.3	52.7	53.4	0.7	1.3
Arkansas.....	1,206.7	1,232.7	1,213.5	1,235.4	21.9	1.8
Fayetteville-Springdale-Rogers.....	233.7	243.8	235.3	244.7	9.4	4.0
Fort Smith.....	113.6	113.6	114.6	114.6	0.0	0.0
Hot Springs.....	37.9	38.9	38.0	38.8	0.8	2.1
Jonesboro.....	53.9	55.8	54.2	55.8	1.6	3.0
Little Rock-North Little Rock-Conway.....	349.8	355.1	351.3	358.2	6.9	2.0
Pine Bluff.....	34.1	33.9	34.1	33.7	-0.4	-1.2
California.....	15,938.4	16,401.2	16,017.8	16,461.7	443.9	2.8
Bakersfield.....	257.8	263.5	259.2	263.2	4.0	1.5
Chico.....	77.8	79.6	78.7	80.0	1.3	1.7
El Centro.....	51.2	53.7	51.8	53.9	2.1	4.1
Fresno.....	322.1	334.1	324.3	335.1	10.8	3.3
Hanford-Corcoran.....	37.8	38.4	38.5	39.0	0.5	1.3
Los Angeles-Long Beach-Anaheim.....	5,787.7	5,940.2	5,802.3	5,956.8	154.5	2.7
Madera.....	34.9	37.5	35.6	38.0	2.4	6.7
Merced.....	62.6	64.8	63.0	65.1	2.1	3.3
Modesto.....	164.7	170.6	165.1	171.5	6.4	3.9
Napa.....	69.9	72.2	70.7	73.1	2.4	3.4
Oxnard-Thousand Oaks-Ventura.....	294.3	298.3	295.7	299.4	3.7	1.3
Redding.....	63.0	64.1	63.9	65.0	1.1	1.7
Riverside-San Bernardino-Ontario.....	1,337.1	1,380.5	1,340.9	1,384.5	43.6	3.3
Sacramento--Roseville--Arden-Arcade.....	909.9	930.3	914.7	932.7	18.0	2.0
Salinas.....	131.7	136.2	133.1	136.7	3.6	2.7
San Diego-Carlsbad.....	1,375.1	1,412.3	1,384.9	1,417.1	32.2	2.3
San Francisco-Oakland-Hayward.....	2,238.9	2,308.4	2,251.0	2,315.8	64.8	2.9
San Jose-Sunnyvale-Santa Clara.....	1,031.4	1,072.1	1,038.8	1,077.7	38.9	3.7
San Luis Obispo-Paso Robles-Arroyo Grande.....	115.2	117.7	115.6	118.8	3.2	2.8
Santa Cruz-Watsonville.....	98.8	100.6	99.5	102.2	2.7	2.7
Santa Maria-Santa Barbara.....	180.5	185.0	181.2	185.8	4.6	2.5
Santa Rosa.....	196.2	201.0	197.6	201.2	3.6	1.8
Stockton-Lodi.....	214.6	224.2	216.2	226.3	10.1	4.7
Vallejo-Fairfield.....	131.0	135.2	131.7	135.8	4.1	3.1
Visalia-Porterville.....	117.8	120.3	118.5	122.0	3.5	3.0
Yuba City.....	40.5	41.8	41.0	42.3	1.3	3.2
Colorado.....	2,521.8	2,585.3	2,530.3	2,592.8	62.5	2.5

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Table 3. Employees on nonfarm payrolls by state and metropolitan area — Continued

[In thousands]

State and area	April		May		Change from May 2015 to May 2016 ^P	
	2015	2016	2015	2016 ^P	Number	Percent
Colorado - Continued						
Boulder.....	179.7	182.9	180.4	185.7	5.3	2.9
Colorado Springs.....	268.6	276.1	272.2	279.4	7.2	2.6
Denver-Aurora-Lakewood.....	1,383.7	1,426.6	1,395.0	1,437.8	42.8	3.1
Fort Collins.....	153.6	158.7	156.3	161.1	4.8	3.1
Grand Junction.....	61.3	61.3	61.9	62.2	0.3	0.5
Greeley.....	101.3	102.0	101.0	102.8	1.8	1.8
Pueblo.....	60.9	61.8	61.5	62.5	1.0	1.6
Connecticut.....						
Bridgeport-Stamford-Norwalk.....	406.0	411.4	411.4	414.9	3.5	0.9
Danbury.....	78.4	78.6	79.4	79.3	-0.1	-0.1
Hartford-West Hartford-East Hartford.....	568.4	574.9	570.8	576.3	5.5	1.0
New Haven.....	280.6	281.8	282.1	282.2	0.1	0.0
Norwich-New London-Westerly.....	125.8	129.0	128.8	129.7	0.9	0.7
Waterbury.....	66.1	66.7	67.0	67.8	0.8	1.2
Delaware.....						
Dover.....	442.5	458.5	451.0	462.5	11.5	2.5
Salisbury ¹	67.8	69.8	68.6	69.8	1.2	1.7
Salisbury ¹	148.9	155.5	158.1	162.1	4.0	2.5
District of Columbia.....						
Washington-Arlington-Alexandria.....	767.3	779.3	770.0	781.0	11.0	1.4
Washington-Arlington-Alexandria.....	3,160.6	3,231.7	3,185.4	3,247.3	61.9	1.9
Florida.....						
Cape Coral-Fort Myers.....	8,088.6	8,357.4	8,093.5	8,354.1	260.6	3.2
Cape Coral-Fort Myers.....	247.3	259.1	244.6	254.7	10.1	4.1
Crestview-Fort Walton Beach-Destin.....	107.7	108.6	109.2	110.0	0.8	0.7
Deltona-Daytona Beach-Ormond Beach.....	189.1	195.6	189.0	196.0	7.0	3.7
Gainesville.....	134.8	138.7	133.7	136.0	2.3	1.7
Homosassa Springs.....	32.9	33.2	32.9	33.1	0.2	0.6
Jacksonville.....	645.4	668.1	647.7	670.9	23.2	3.6
Lakeland-Winter Haven.....	207.5	213.8	208.1	213.2	5.1	2.5
Miami-Fort Lauderdale-West Palm Beach.....	2,502.1	2,570.1	2,505.0	2,569.5	64.5	2.6
Naples-Immokalee-Marco Island.....	137.3	140.3	135.5	138.6	3.1	2.3
North Port-Sarasota-Bradenton.....	284.3	290.8	284.4	291.2	6.8	2.4
Ocala.....	97.4	99.4	97.4	99.4	2.0	2.1
Orlando-Kissimmee-Sanford.....	1,150.1	1,201.2	1,155.8	1,204.0	48.2	4.2
Palm Bay-Melbourne-Titusville.....	201.6	203.4	202.2	203.6	1.4	0.7
Panama City.....	83.0	83.3	83.2	84.0	0.8	1.0
Pensacola-Ferry Pass-Brent.....	168.1	169.7	168.5	169.6	1.1	0.7
Port St. Lucie.....	138.2	141.8	137.6	141.0	3.4	2.5
Punta Gorda.....	46.3	47.2	46.0	46.8	0.8	1.7
Sebastian-Vero Beach.....	48.7	50.2	48.6	49.8	1.2	2.5
Sebring.....	24.8	25.8	24.8	25.7	0.9	3.6
Tallahassee.....	174.7	177.5	170.9	175.1	4.2	2.5
Tampa-St. Petersburg-Clearwater.....	1,247.7	1,291.2	1,248.8	1,294.9	46.1	3.7
The Villages.....	26.3	27.1	26.2	26.9	0.7	2.7
Georgia.....						
Albany.....	4,241.8	4,379.5	4,267.2	4,391.8	124.6	2.9
Albany.....	61.1	62.3	60.6	62.3	1.7	2.8
Athens-Clarke County.....	90.4	94.5	90.2	94.2	4.0	4.4
Atlanta-Sandy Springs-Roswell.....	2,563.4	2,645.0	2,585.2	2,661.8	76.6	3.0
Augusta-Richmond County.....	231.1	232.9	227.9	229.8	1.9	0.8
Brunswick.....	41.9	43.3	42.2	43.5	1.3	3.1
Columbus.....	121.6	122.4	122.0	123.2	1.2	1.0
Dalton.....	67.3	68.8	67.8	69.0	1.2	1.8
Gainesville.....	82.7	86.3	83.9	86.8	2.9	3.5
Hinesville.....	19.8	19.8	19.9	19.8	-0.1	-0.5
Macon.....	101.2	103.8	101.9	104.3	2.4	2.4
Rome.....	40.2	40.7	40.2	40.8	0.6	1.5
Savannah.....	170.6	177.0	172.1	177.8	5.7	3.3
Valdosta.....	55.3	56.4	55.5	56.4	0.9	1.6
Warner Robins.....	70.8	71.3	71.0	71.8	0.8	1.1
Hawaii.....						
Hawaii.....	634.9	647.7	637.0	649.8	12.8	2.0

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Table 3. Employees on nonfarm payrolls by state and metropolitan area — Continued

[In thousands]

State and area	April		May		Change from May 2015 to May 2016 ^P	
	2015	2016	2015	2016 ^P	Number	Percent
Hawaii - Continued						
Kahului-Wailuku-Lahaina.....	72.6	75.2	73.1	75.3	2.2	3.0
Urban Honolulu.....	467.2	474.0	468.9	475.6	6.7	1.4
Idaho.....	666.9	690.6	675.9	697.4	21.5	3.2
Boise City.....	290.2	301.5	293.3	301.5	8.2	2.8
Coeur d'Alene.....	58.9	60.8	60.2	62.0	1.8	3.0
Idaho Falls.....	61.2	63.3	62.2	64.3	2.1	3.4
Lewiston.....	27.5	28.5	28.0	28.7	0.7	2.5
Pocatello.....	35.4	36.2	35.9	36.8	0.9	2.5
Illinois.....	5,935.4	5,987.3	6,001.9	6,035.4	33.5	0.6
Bloomington.....	96.9	94.2	97.0	94.2	-2.8	-2.9
Carbondale-Marion.....	59.0	57.9	57.3	56.4	-0.9	-1.6
Champaign-Urbana.....	110.8	111.7	110.5	110.7	0.2	0.2
Chicago-Naperville-Elgin.....	4,550.1	4,620.9	4,611.2	4,672.7	61.5	1.3
Danville.....	29.4	29.6	29.7	29.3	-0.4	-1.3
Davenport-Moline-Rock Island ¹	183.5	181.0	185.5	182.8	-2.7	-1.5
Decatur.....	51.2	50.8	51.7	51.4	-0.3	-0.6
Kankakee.....	44.9	44.8	45.1	44.6	-0.5	-1.1
Peoria.....	178.5	177.4	180.4	178.3	-2.1	-1.2
Rockford.....	150.7	153.9	153.4	155.8	2.4	1.6
Springfield.....	112.7	114.3	113.7	114.7	1.0	0.9
Indiana.....	3,030.4	3,077.9	3,057.5	3,091.6	34.1	1.1
Bloomington.....	76.5	76.5	73.8	73.4	-0.4	-0.5
Columbus.....	51.0	53.0	51.6	53.0	1.4	2.7
Elkhart-Goshen.....	126.9	125.7	128.8	127.7	-1.1	-0.9
Evansville.....	157.6	157.2	159.0	156.8	-2.2	-1.4
Fort Wayne.....	216.7	222.5	219.3	224.1	4.8	2.2
Indianapolis-Carmel-Anderson.....	1,011.5	1,029.8	1,023.2	1,038.0	14.8	1.4
Kokomo.....	39.8	40.7	40.5	41.1	0.6	1.5
Lafayette-West Lafayette.....	102.5	104.7	100.9	103.1	2.2	2.2
Michigan City-La Porte.....	41.6	41.1	42.5	41.6	-0.9	-2.1
Muncie.....	51.7	52.0	50.8	50.9	0.1	0.2
South Bend-Mishawaka.....	138.0	141.3	140.1	142.3	2.2	1.6
Terre Haute.....	70.9	70.8	71.1	70.8	-0.3	-0.4
Iowa.....	1,564.4	1,586.8	1,578.9	1,597.5	18.6	1.2
Ames.....	54.0	54.7	53.2	53.7	0.5	0.9
Cedar Rapids.....	142.9	144.4	143.8	145.4	1.6	1.1
Des Moines-West Des Moines.....	346.2	352.2	352.8	357.6	4.8	1.4
Dubuque.....	60.1	60.3	60.9	61.1	0.2	0.3
Iowa City.....	99.3	100.4	98.8	99.9	1.1	1.1
Sioux City.....	87.3	88.4	88.5	89.2	0.7	0.8
Waterloo-Cedar Falls.....	92.0	91.5	92.3	91.5	-0.8	-0.9
Kansas.....	1,403.9	1,400.9	1,411.4	1,406.4	-5.0	-0.4
Lawrence.....	54.2	54.2	53.0	52.9	-0.1	-0.2
Manhattan.....	45.1	46.6	43.7	45.5	1.8	4.1
Topeka.....	111.4	110.7	112.2	111.0	-1.2	-1.1
Wichita.....	297.1	299.5	297.8	301.5	3.7	1.2
Kentucky.....	1,875.6	1,910.2	1,892.7	1,917.0	24.3	1.3
Bowling Green.....	72.5	74.0	73.1	74.2	1.1	1.5
Elizabethtown-Fort Knox.....	55.3	57.4	55.7	57.9	2.2	3.9
Lexington-Fayette.....	269.5	276.1	270.9	275.4	4.5	1.7
Louisville/Jefferson County.....	635.9	657.3	645.6	659.2	13.6	2.1
Owensboro.....	52.7	53.9	53.2	54.3	1.1	2.1
Louisiana.....	1,995.0	1,980.4	1,999.4	1,979.8	-19.6	-1.0
Alexandria.....	64.2	64.5	64.2	64.3	0.1	0.2
Baton Rouge.....	402.4	413.8	405.4	411.0	5.6	1.4
Hammond.....	43.8	43.8	44.0	44.0	0.0	0.0
Houma-Thibodaux.....	97.8	93.2	98.0	93.5	-4.5	-4.6
Lafayette.....	216.0	208.1	216.1	208.0	-8.1	-3.7

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[In thousands]

State and area	April		May		Change from May 2015 to May 2016 ^P	
	2015	2016	2015	2016 ^P	Number	Percent
Louisiana - Continued						
Lake Charles.....	101.7	104.9	101.7	105.0	3.3	3.2
Monroe.....	78.9	79.5	79.3	79.9	0.6	0.8
New Orleans-Metairie.....	577.1	574.9	578.2	576.6	-1.6	-0.3
Shreveport-Bossier City.....	185.0	181.9	184.6	182.7	-1.9	-1.0
Maine.....						
Bangor.....	597.7	598.3	613.5	612.6	-0.9	-0.1
Lewiston-Auburn.....	66.1	65.7	66.1	66.0	-0.1	-0.2
Portland-South Portland.....	50.1	50.7	50.6	51.3	0.7	1.4
Portland-South Portland.....	193.4	194.9	199.0	199.3	0.3	0.2
Maryland.....						
Baltimore-Columbia-Towson.....	2,651.1	2,708.9	2,681.6	2,729.0	47.4	1.8
Baltimore-Columbia-Towson.....	1,362.1	1,393.5	1,375.8	1,405.2	29.4	2.1
California-Lexington Park.....	44.7	45.0	45.0	45.2	0.2	0.4
Cumberland.....	39.7	39.2	40.0	39.5	-0.5	-1.3
Hagerstown-Martinsburg.....	104.3	105.1	105.3	106.2	0.9	0.9
Massachusetts.....						
Barnstable Town.....	3,475.2	3,542.3	3,519.6	3,567.5	47.9	1.4
Barnstable Town.....	98.5	102.1	105.3	107.1	1.8	1.7
Boston-Cambridge-Nashua.....	2,638.9	2,684.7	2,665.8	2,697.6	31.8	1.2
Leominster-Gardner.....	50.8	51.5	51.5	51.9	0.4	0.8
New Bedford.....	66.6	67.5	67.6	67.8	0.2	0.3
Pittsfield.....	41.0	41.8	42.0	42.9	0.9	2.1
Springfield.....	330.0	332.2	332.3	332.8	0.5	0.2
Worcester.....	278.9	282.2	281.6	285.1	3.5	1.2
Michigan.....						
Ann Arbor.....	4,208.7	4,307.4	4,279.0	4,361.8	82.8	1.9
Ann Arbor.....	214.0	225.2	214.2	224.9	10.7	5.0
Battle Creek.....	58.5	59.1	59.5	60.0	0.5	0.8
Bay City.....	36.2	36.4	36.4	36.5	0.1	0.3
Detroit-Warren-Dearborn.....	1,919.7	1,960.3	1,952.4	1,987.7	35.3	1.8
Flint.....	138.5	139.6	140.9	141.5	0.6	0.4
Grand Rapids-Wyoming.....	522.5	536.7	529.8	543.9	14.1	2.7
Jackson.....	56.0	55.0	57.1	55.8	-1.3	-2.3
Kalamazoo-Portage.....	142.8	146.5	142.7	146.2	3.5	2.5
Lansing-East Lansing.....	226.8	231.1	228.5	227.6	-0.9	-0.4
Midland.....	37.9	37.9	38.8	38.4	-0.4	-1.0
Monroe.....	42.0	43.5	42.6	44.0	1.4	3.3
Muskegon.....	63.3	64.8	64.8	66.2	1.4	2.2
Niles-Benton Harbor.....	60.8	62.2	62.4	63.3	0.9	1.4
Saginaw.....	86.5	89.3	87.1	89.7	2.6	3.0
Minnesota.....						
Duluth.....	2,843.6	2,873.6	2,881.0	2,908.9	27.9	1.0
Duluth.....	135.1	132.8	136.6	134.8	-1.8	-1.3
Mankato-North Mankato.....	56.0	56.7	55.9	56.5	0.6	1.1
Minneapolis-St. Paul-Bloomington.....	1,921.1	1,949.2	1,944.6	1,973.0	28.4	1.5
Rochester.....	115.0	117.2	116.5	118.3	1.8	1.5
St. Cloud.....	107.3	109.0	107.9	109.3	1.4	1.3
Mississippi.....						
Gulfport-Biloxi-Pascagoula.....	1,135.6	1,148.1	1,139.9	1,146.9	7.0	0.6
Gulfport-Biloxi-Pascagoula.....	154.1	154.1	154.7	154.5	-0.2	-0.1
Hattiesburg.....	62.6	64.0	62.2	63.9	1.7	2.7
Jackson.....	275.1	278.6	277.5	279.6	2.1	0.8
Missouri.....						
Cape Girardeau.....	2,797.0	2,824.5	2,817.2	2,837.5	20.3	0.7
Cape Girardeau.....	44.4	44.8	44.6	44.9	0.3	0.7
Columbia.....	98.9	102.3	99.6	102.8	3.2	3.2
Jefferson City.....	76.1	77.0	76.7	77.3	0.6	0.8
Joplin.....	80.9	80.9	81.3	80.9	-0.4	-0.5
Kansas City.....	1,040.0	1,052.5	1,048.9	1,063.3	14.4	1.4
St. Joseph.....	62.9	62.9	63.5	63.2	-0.3	-0.5
St. Louis ²	1,344.7	1,369.9	1,356.6	1,382.1	25.5	1.9
Springfield.....	207.8	213.5	208.6	213.5	4.9	2.3
Montana.....						
Billings.....	458.5	461.5	464.4	467.0	2.6	0.6
Billings.....	84.0	85.7	84.7	86.5	1.8	2.1
Great Falls.....	36.4	36.0	36.7	36.3	-0.4	-1.1

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Table 3. Employees on nonfarm payrolls by state and metropolitan area — Continued

[In thousands]

State and area	April		May		Change from May 2015 to May 2016 ^P	
	2015	2016	2015	2016 ^P	Number	Percent
Montana - Continued						
Missoula.....	58.9	59.8	59.9	60.8	0.9	1.5
Nebraska.....	1,004.0	1,018.6	1,013.2	1,027.8	14.6	1.4
Grand Island.....	41.8	42.3	42.1	42.8	0.7	1.7
Lincoln.....	185.7	188.0	186.1	188.8	2.7	1.5
Omaha-Council Bluffs.....	490.9	495.8	494.8	501.8	7.0	1.4
Nevada.....	1,253.6	1,283.0	1,260.4	1,285.8	25.4	2.0
Carson City.....	28.2	28.1	28.2	28.3	0.1	0.4
Las Vegas-Henderson-Paradise.....	915.5	936.4	919.1	938.7	19.6	2.1
Reno.....	208.6	216.5	210.1	217.3	7.2	3.4
New Hampshire.....	649.2	659.3	660.0	665.7	5.7	0.9
Dover-Durham.....	52.8	53.5	53.2	54.0	0.8	1.5
Manchester.....	107.8	110.5	108.5	111.0	2.5	2.3
Portsmouth.....	86.2	89.4	89.4	91.8	2.4	2.7
New Jersey.....	3,993.8	4,053.9	4,049.5	4,095.3	45.8	1.1
Atlantic City-Hammonton.....	128.0	128.2	130.9	130.1	-0.8	-0.6
Ocean City.....	38.0	40.5	44.6	46.9	2.3	5.2
Trenton.....	256.5	264.4	259.2	266.6	7.4	2.9
Vineland-Bridgeton.....	57.4	57.9	58.1	58.2	0.1	0.2
New Mexico.....	829.1	830.9	830.9	833.8	2.9	0.3
Albuquerque.....	380.8	384.9	381.6	387.1	5.5	1.4
Farmington.....	51.8	51.7	51.9	51.8	-0.1	-0.2
Las Cruces.....	71.6	71.9	71.5	72.1	0.6	0.8
Santa Fe.....	62.4	63.0	63.2	63.3	0.1	0.2
New York.....	9,206.8	9,331.9	9,300.8	9,382.6	81.8	0.9
Albany-Schenectady-Troy.....	458.2	457.1	462.4	459.1	-3.3	-0.7
Binghamton.....	103.8	103.1	105.1	104.1	-1.0	-1.0
Buffalo-Cheektowaga-Niagara Falls.....	552.1	555.4	560.1	563.5	3.4	0.6
Elmira.....	38.6	38.1	39.0	38.2	-0.8	-2.1
Glens Falls.....	52.7	53.8	56.1	56.1	0.0	0.0
Ithaca.....	73.8	72.5	72.4	72.1	-0.3	-0.4
Kingston.....	60.6	61.7	61.6	62.0	0.4	0.6
New York-Newark-Jersey City.....	9,285.8	9,470.4	9,377.2	9,521.0	143.8	1.5
Rochester.....	527.0	524.5	532.3	531.1	-1.2	-0.2
Syracuse.....	317.3	318.9	318.8	318.4	-0.4	-0.1
Utica-Rome.....	125.7	126.6	127.4	128.1	0.7	0.5
Watertown-Fort Drum.....	41.2	42.2	43.4	44.0	0.6	1.4
North Carolina.....	4,227.7	4,322.9	4,266.8	4,340.2	73.4	1.7
Asheville.....	181.9	185.5	183.7	186.6	2.9	1.6
Burlington.....	59.2	60.3	59.4	60.8	1.4	2.4
Charlotte-Concord-Gastonia.....	1,097.5	1,129.6	1,109.9	1,132.1	22.2	2.0
Durham-Chapel Hill.....	296.8	301.6	297.9	303.1	5.2	1.7
Fayetteville.....	127.8	130.1	128.7	130.0	1.3	1.0
Goldsboro.....	42.1	42.8	42.6	42.9	0.3	0.7
Greensboro-High Point.....	356.4	361.7	357.5	361.0	3.5	1.0
Greenville.....	78.4	78.1	78.5	78.3	-0.2	-0.3
Hickory-Lenoir-Morganton.....	146.4	148.0	147.4	147.3	-0.1	-0.1
Jacksonville.....	49.6	49.4	49.9	49.9	0.0	0.0
New Bern.....	43.9	44.8	44.2	45.1	0.9	2.0
Raleigh.....	576.5	596.4	580.1	599.2	19.1	3.3
Rocky Mount.....	56.4	55.8	57.0	56.1	-0.9	-1.6
Wilmington.....	119.1	120.5	121.6	121.5	-0.1	-0.1
Winston-Salem.....	257.8	258.9	259.1	259.9	0.8	0.3
North Dakota.....	455.3	437.7	459.6	443.0	-16.6	-3.6
Bismarck.....	74.5	74.1	75.3	75.3	0.0	0.0
Fargo.....	138.6	140.9	140.2	142.0	1.8	1.3
Grand Forks.....	56.9	56.5	57.2	57.0	-0.2	-0.3
Ohio.....	5,402.8	5,469.5	5,472.1	5,539.1	67.0	1.2

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Table 3. Employees on nonfarm payrolls by state and metropolitan area — Continued

[In thousands]

State and area	April		May		Change from May 2015 to May 2016 ^P	
	2015	2016	2015	2016 ^P	Number	Percent
Ohio - Continued						
Akron.....	338.7	343.5	341.3	346.5	5.2	1.5
Canton-Massillon.....	172.2	173.0	174.1	174.5	0.4	0.2
Cincinnati.....	1,057.6	1,070.5	1,070.5	1,084.7	14.2	1.3
Cleveland-Elyria.....	1,040.5	1,049.7	1,055.5	1,066.2	10.7	1.0
Columbus.....	1,034.0	1,052.2	1,045.1	1,065.1	20.0	1.9
Dayton.....	377.9	384.7	380.5	387.0	6.5	1.7
Lima.....	52.1	53.8	52.8	54.6	1.8	3.4
Mansfield.....	52.1	52.0	52.8	52.4	-0.4	-0.8
Springfield.....	50.6	51.1	51.3	52.0	0.7	1.4
Toledo.....	304.4	310.4	309.6	316.9	7.3	2.4
Weirton-Steubenville ¹	43.5	43.7	43.9	44.0	0.1	0.2
Youngstown-Warren-Boardman.....	225.9	225.1	228.8	227.3	-1.5	-0.7
Oklahoma.....	1,671.4	1,671.4	1,675.3	1,674.8	-0.5	0.0
Lawton.....	46.6	46.8	46.7	46.4	-0.3	-0.6
Oklahoma City.....	629.4	636.3	631.0	638.0	7.0	1.1
Tulsa.....	447.0	445.5	447.5	449.3	1.8	0.4
Oregon.....	1,766.9	1,826.3	1,780.6	1,840.2	59.6	3.3
Albany.....	41.5	42.3	42.3	42.9	0.6	1.4
Bend-Redmond.....	72.7	77.0	74.0	77.9	3.9	5.3
Corvallis.....	41.2	41.9	41.9	42.2	0.3	0.7
Eugene.....	151.8	153.9	153.1	155.8	2.7	1.8
Grants Pass.....	24.7	25.4	25.0	25.6	0.6	2.4
Medford.....	80.7	82.6	81.7	83.5	1.8	2.2
Portland-Vancouver-Hillsboro.....	1,104.9	1,138.7	1,110.2	1,140.6	30.4	2.7
Salem.....	154.6	159.7	155.8	161.3	5.5	3.5
Pennsylvania.....	5,834.6	5,895.8	5,878.8	5,916.8	38.0	0.6
Allentown-Bethlehem-Easton.....	355.9	357.8	361.2	361.1	-0.1	0.0
Altoona.....	60.9	61.9	62.0	62.8	0.8	1.3
Bloomsburg-Berwick.....	42.4	43.0	42.4	42.9	0.5	1.2
Chambersburg-Waynesboro.....	59.6	61.6	60.4	61.9	1.5	2.5
East Stroudsburg.....	54.8	56.0	56.3	56.9	0.6	1.1
Erie.....	130.3	128.8	131.4	129.8	-1.6	-1.2
Gettysburg.....	34.1	35.0	34.4	34.9	0.5	1.5
Harrisburg-Carlisle.....	332.3	338.7	336.3	338.9	2.6	0.8
Johnstown.....	57.2	56.6	57.6	56.4	-1.2	-2.1
Lancaster.....	243.7	247.3	246.1	247.7	1.6	0.7
Lebanon.....	51.1	51.6	51.4	51.8	0.4	0.8
Philadelphia-Camden-Wilmington.....	2,818.6	2,885.4	2,838.3	2,896.9	58.6	2.1
Pittsburgh.....	1,162.0	1,166.8	1,173.9	1,169.7	-4.2	-0.4
Reading.....	176.2	178.5	177.1	179.0	1.9	1.1
Scranton--Wilkes-Barre--Hazleton.....	258.2	260.4	260.2	261.2	1.0	0.4
State College.....	78.5	78.9	73.4	78.3	4.9	6.7
Williamsport.....	56.0	54.7	56.4	54.2	-2.2	-3.9
York-Hanover.....	180.3	185.1	182.4	186.6	4.2	2.3
Rhode Island.....	482.8	486.7	492.0	492.1	0.1	0.0
Providence-Warwick.....	573.5	578.5	583.2	585.1	1.9	0.3
South Carolina.....	1,996.8	2,050.1	2,015.1	2,060.5	45.4	2.3
Charleston-North Charleston.....	332.1	339.2	335.3	342.8	7.5	2.2
Columbia.....	382.3	392.2	384.6	394.2	9.6	2.5
Florence.....	86.5	87.6	87.1	88.0	0.9	1.0
Greenville-Anderson-Mauldin.....	397.7	407.8	401.4	411.0	9.6	2.4
Hilton Head Island-Bluffton-Beaufort.....	74.3	76.9	75.5	78.1	2.6	3.4
Myrtle Beach-Conway-North Myrtle Beach.....	157.1	161.1	161.0	164.4	3.4	2.1
Spartanburg.....	141.4	145.7	142.2	145.2	3.0	2.1
Sumter.....	38.8	39.9	39.0	39.5	0.5	1.3
South Dakota.....	425.4	428.5	433.4	438.6	5.2	1.2
Rapid City.....	65.2	65.0	67.4	67.3	-0.1	-0.1
Sioux Falls.....	148.8	153.0	151.0	156.2	5.2	3.4

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Table 3. Employees on nonfarm payrolls by state and metropolitan area — Continued

[In thousands]

State and area	April		May		Change from May 2015 to May 2016 ^P	
	2015	2016	2015	2016 ^P	Number	Percent
Tennessee.....	2,878.5	2,958.3	2,889.1	2,954.6	65.5	2.3
Chattanooga.....	245.1	250.0	245.2	249.9	4.7	1.9
Clarksville.....	88.8	91.0	89.0	91.1	2.1	2.4
Cleveland.....	45.7	47.6	46.3	48.2	1.9	4.1
Jackson.....	66.2	67.2	66.3	66.8	0.5	0.8
Johnson City.....	79.0	80.1	78.2	79.7	1.5	1.9
Kingsport-Bristol-Bristol.....	120.8	122.8	121.1	123.0	1.9	1.6
Knoxville.....	384.2	394.6	386.0	396.1	10.1	2.6
Memphis.....	622.1	633.9	624.0	634.2	10.2	1.6
Morristown.....	44.9	46.3	45.0	46.3	1.3	2.9
Nashville-Davidson--Murfreesboro--Franklin.....	905.5	935.1	911.4	936.0	24.6	2.7
Texas.....	11,794.4	11,985.5	11,840.4	12,009.8	169.4	1.4
Abilene.....	68.5	69.3	68.8	69.0	0.2	0.3
Amarillo.....	118.2	120.7	118.4	120.9	2.5	2.1
Austin-Round Rock.....	951.0	988.7	956.7	994.0	37.3	3.9
Beaumont-Port Arthur.....	166.2	167.6	167.7	167.4	-0.3	-0.2
Brownsville-Harlingen.....	139.1	143.1	140.0	143.2	3.2	2.3
College Station-Bryan.....	109.5	113.9	110.5	114.6	4.1	3.7
Corpus Christi.....	193.5	198.7	193.8	197.9	4.1	2.1
Dallas-Fort Worth-Arlington.....	3,367.6	3,498.3	3,389.8	3,515.1	125.3	3.7
El Paso.....	301.1	310.0	303.0	311.3	8.3	2.7
Houston-The Woodlands-Sugar Land.....	2,983.5	2,995.1	2,990.0	2,995.1	5.1	0.2
Killeen-Temple.....	137.5	141.9	138.7	142.4	3.7	2.7
Laredo.....	100.5	102.8	101.2	103.4	2.2	2.2
Longview.....	100.6	100.3	100.2	100.0	-0.2	-0.2
Lubbock.....	140.1	144.5	140.1	144.7	4.6	3.3
McAllen-Edinburg-Mission.....	248.4	255.7	250.2	256.3	6.1	2.4
Midland.....	93.5	90.9	92.7	90.8	-1.9	-2.0
Odessa.....	76.5	72.9	75.3	72.9	-2.4	-3.2
San Angelo.....	49.3	50.3	49.5	50.2	0.7	1.4
San Antonio-New Braunfels.....	976.3	1,001.9	981.8	1,010.2	28.4	2.9
Sherman-Denison.....	45.8	46.8	46.1	46.8	0.7	1.5
Texarkana.....	59.9	60.8	60.2	60.8	0.6	1.0
Tyler.....	100.7	103.1	100.9	103.2	2.3	2.3
Victoria.....	45.0	45.1	45.0	45.3	0.3	0.7
Waco.....	114.3	117.0	114.7	117.5	2.8	2.4
Wichita Falls.....	58.4	58.5	58.5	58.9	0.4	0.7
Utah.....	1,369.3	1,417.2	1,373.4	1,417.8	44.4	3.2
Logan.....	58.7	60.6	59.3	61.0	1.7	2.9
Ogden-Clearfield.....	238.5	250.3	241.4	251.8	10.4	4.3
Provo-Orem.....	223.9	236.7	222.3	233.0	10.7	4.8
St. George.....	56.9	60.7	57.4	61.5	4.1	7.1
Salt Lake City.....	670.5	691.9	674.2	694.2	20.0	3.0
Vermont.....	308.2	313.1	310.8	314.5	3.7	1.2
Burlington-South Burlington.....	123.6	125.6	123.9	125.9	2.0	1.6
Virginia.....	3,832.7	3,914.0	3,852.2	3,925.4	73.2	1.9
Blacksburg-Christiansburg-Radford.....	78.5	78.9	77.8	76.7	-1.1	-1.4
Charlottesville.....	113.8	117.7	113.3	117.6	4.3	3.8
Harrisonburg.....	65.6	65.9	63.9	63.8	-0.1	-0.2
Lynchburg.....	103.3	104.5	103.7	104.1	0.4	0.4
Richmond.....	643.9	667.7	648.6	672.7	24.1	3.7
Roanoke.....	160.5	163.2	161.3	163.0	1.7	1.1
Staunton-Waynesboro.....	49.3	48.9	49.6	49.2	-0.4	-0.8
Virginia Beach-Norfolk-Newport News.....	763.4	768.1	767.6	771.6	4.0	0.5
Winchester.....	60.6	63.4	60.8	63.5	2.7	4.4
Washington.....	3,130.4	3,227.5	3,156.6	3,256.4	99.8	3.2
Bellingham.....	87.9	89.5	88.4	89.7	1.3	1.5
Bremerton-Silverdale.....	87.2	88.7	87.8	89.4	1.6	1.8
Kennewick-Richland.....	106.5	110.1	108.3	111.0	2.7	2.5
Longview.....	38.8	40.0	39.2	40.2	1.0	2.6

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Table 3. Employees on nonfarm payrolls by state and metropolitan area — Continued

[In thousands]

State and area	April		May		Change from May 2015 to May 2016 ^P	
	2015	2016	2015	2016 ^P	Number	Percent
Washington - Continued						
Mount Vernon-Anacortes.....	48.5	49.5	48.7	49.6	0.9	1.8
Olympia-Tumwater.....	109.2	111.6	109.3	112.5	3.2	2.9
Seattle-Tacoma-Bellevue.....	1,872.4	1,932.6	1,886.4	1,953.7	67.3	3.6
Spokane-Spokane Valley.....	235.2	239.5	236.1	241.0	4.9	2.1
Walla Walla.....	27.3	27.6	27.4	27.8	0.4	1.5
Wenatchee.....	42.4	42.8	43.0	43.4	0.4	0.9
Yakima.....	81.4	83.2	82.0	83.7	1.7	2.1
West Virginia.....	767.6	763.1	773.2	777.3	4.1	0.5
Beckley.....	47.0	46.3	47.6	47.5	-0.1	-0.2
Charleston.....	123.6	122.2	124.0	123.3	-0.7	-0.6
Huntington-Ashland.....	141.7	142.5	142.0	143.8	1.8	1.3
Morgantown.....	71.9	72.8	72.1	73.4	1.3	1.8
Parkersburg-Vienna.....	42.4	42.7	42.6	42.9	0.3	0.7
Wheeling.....	68.3	68.0	69.2	68.7	-0.5	-0.7
Wisconsin.....	2,872.9	2,907.9	2,899.8	2,943.5	43.7	1.5
Appleton.....	121.8	123.1	123.1	124.4	1.3	1.1
Eau Claire.....	85.5	85.6	86.5	86.7	0.2	0.2
Fond du Lac.....	47.8	48.4	48.1	48.9	0.8	1.7
Green Bay.....	172.3	173.2	173.9	174.4	0.5	0.3
Janesville-Beloit.....	66.4	69.7	66.7	70.4	3.7	5.5
La Crosse-Onalaska.....	78.3	78.5	78.2	78.8	0.6	0.8
Madison.....	388.1	394.0	387.5	394.9	7.4	1.9
Milwaukee-Waukesha-West Allis.....	850.1	855.0	857.1	862.3	5.2	0.6
Oshkosh-Neenah.....	94.5	94.9	94.7	95.3	0.6	0.6
Racine.....	76.8	76.1	77.4	77.1	-0.3	-0.4
Sheboygan.....	60.2	60.9	61.0	61.4	0.4	0.7
Wausau.....	71.4	71.9	72.0	72.8	0.8	1.1
Wyoming.....	286.7	275.5	292.2	282.7	-9.5	-3.3
Casper.....	42.5	39.5	42.4	39.6	-2.8	-6.6
Cheyenne.....	46.7	46.8	47.3	46.9	-0.4	-0.8
Puerto Rico.....	906.4	894.6	904.4	893.2	-11.2	-1.2
Aguadilla-Isabela.....	51.4	51.5	51.1	51.7	0.6	1.2
Arecibo.....	33.4	33.3	33.2	33.3	0.1	0.3
Guayama.....	15.3	15.4	15.0	15.5	0.5	3.3
Mayaguez.....	34.7	34.4	34.3	34.5	0.2	0.6
Ponce.....	72.8	71.3	72.2	71.2	-1.0	-1.4
San German.....	20.8	20.1	20.6	20.0	-0.6	-2.9
San Juan-Carolina-Caguas.....	656.8	646.9	655.6	646.4	-9.2	-1.4
Virgin Islands.....	38.0	37.8	37.7	37.9	0.2	0.5

¹ For operational reasons, these interstate areas are listed under the state that accounts for the larger share of the population, which is different from the state that contains the first principal city.

² Area boundary does not reflect the official OMB delineation.

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**ESTABLISHMENT DATA
NOT SEASONALLY ADJUSTED**

Table 4. Employees on nonfarm payrolls by state, selected metropolitan area, and metropolitan division¹
[In thousands]

State, area, and division	April		May		Change from May 2015 to May 2016 ^p	
	2015	2016	2015	2016 ^p	Number	Percent
California.....	15,938.4	16,401.2	16,017.8	16,461.7	443.9	2.8
Los Angeles-Long Beach-Anaheim.....	5,787.7	5,940.2	5,802.3	5,956.8	154.5	2.7
Anaheim-Santa Ana-Irvine.....	1,532.0	1,577.2	1,535.4	1,588.9	53.5	3.5
Los Angeles-Long Beach-Glendale.....	4,255.7	4,363.0	4,266.9	4,367.9	101.0	2.4
San Francisco-Oakland-Hayward.....	2,238.9	2,308.4	2,251.0	2,315.8	64.8	2.9
Oakland-Hayward-Berkeley.....	1,089.0	1,114.4	1,094.9	1,120.6	25.7	2.3
San Francisco-Redwood City-South San Francisco.....	1,037.8	1,078.4	1,043.7	1,078.8	35.1	3.4
San Rafael.....	112.1	115.6	112.4	116.4	4.0	3.6
District of Columbia.....	767.3	779.3	770.0	781.0	11.0	1.4
Washington-Arlington-Alexandria ²	3,160.6	3,231.7	3,185.4	3,247.3	61.9	1.9
Silver Spring-Frederick-Rockville ³	584.0	594.0	588.5	594.6	6.1	1.0
Washington-Arlington-Alexandria ²	2,576.6	2,637.7	2,596.9	2,652.7	55.8	2.1
Florida.....	8,088.6	8,357.4	8,093.5	8,354.1	260.6	3.2
Miami-Fort Lauderdale-West Palm Beach.....	2,502.1	2,570.1	2,505.0	2,569.5	64.5	2.6
Fort Lauderdale-Pompano Beach-Deerfield Beach.....	793.8	827.7	796.4	827.0	30.6	3.8
Miami-Miami Beach-Kendall.....	1,121.9	1,142.1	1,123.4	1,143.5	20.1	1.8
West Palm Beach-Boca Raton-Delray Beach.....	586.4	600.3	585.2	599.0	13.8	2.4
Illinois.....	5,935.4	5,987.3	6,001.9	6,035.4	33.5	0.6
Chicago-Naperville-Elgin ²	4,550.1	4,620.9	4,611.2	4,672.7	61.5	1.3
Chicago-Naperville-Arlington Heights.....	3,622.8	3,676.2	3,669.6	3,715.5	45.9	1.3
Elgin.....	254.9	257.7	257.7	260.7	3.0	1.2
Gary ³	272.9	276.5	276.0	279.6	3.6	1.3
Lake County-Kenosha County ²	399.5	410.5	407.9	416.9	9.0	2.2
Massachusetts.....	3,475.2	3,542.3	3,519.6	3,567.5	47.9	1.4
Boston-Cambridge-Nashua ²	2,638.9	2,684.7	2,665.8	2,697.6	31.8	1.2
Boston-Cambridge-Newton.....	1,769.4	1,800.4	1,783.7	1,806.3	22.6	1.3
Brockton-Bridgewater-Easton.....	80.5	83.3	80.9	82.7	1.8	2.2
Framingham.....	171.7	173.5	174.1	175.0	0.9	0.5
Haverhill-Newburyport-Amesbury Town ²	64.2	66.9	66.4	68.5	2.1	3.2
Lawrence-Methuen Town-Salem ²	80.6	82.5	82.2	83.0	0.8	1.0
Lowell-Billerica-Chelmsford ²	147.9	150.3	150.3	151.8	1.5	1.0
Lynn-Saugus-Marblehead.....	44.9	44.8	45.6	45.2	-0.4	-0.9
Nashua ²	125.5	126.4	127.1	127.8	0.7	0.6
Peabody-Salem-Beverly.....	95.9	96.5	96.4	97.1	0.7	0.7
Taunton-Middleborough-Norton.....	58.3	60.1	59.1	60.2	1.1	1.9
Michigan.....	4,208.7	4,307.4	4,279.0	4,361.8	82.8	1.9
Detroit-Warren-Dearborn.....	1,919.7	1,960.3	1,952.4	1,987.7	35.3	1.8
Detroit-Dearborn-Livonia.....	731.4	744.8	739.1	751.0	11.9	1.6
Warren-Troy-Farmington Hills.....	1,188.3	1,215.5	1,213.3	1,236.7	23.4	1.9
New York.....	9,206.8	9,331.9	9,300.8	9,382.6	81.8	0.9
New York-Newark-Jersey City ²	9,285.8	9,470.4	9,377.2	9,521.0	143.8	1.5
Dutchess County-Putnam County.....	143.5	146.1	145.0	147.2	2.2	1.5
Nassau County-Suffolk County.....	1,297.7	1,313.8	1,320.0	1,324.4	4.4	0.3
Newark ³	1,183.9	1,200.0	1,194.3	1,206.9	12.6	1.1
New York-Jersey City-White Plains ²	6,660.7	6,810.5	6,717.9	6,842.5	124.6	1.9
Pennsylvania.....	5,834.6	5,895.8	5,878.8	5,916.8	38.0	0.6
Philadelphia-Camden-Wilmington ²	2,818.6	2,885.4	2,838.3	2,896.9	58.6	2.1
Camden ³	516.9	529.3	523.7	537.3	13.6	2.6
Montgomery County-Bucks County-Chester County.....	1,028.5	1,053.5	1,039.5	1,058.4	18.9	1.8
Philadelphia.....	918.8	936.8	917.4	934.2	16.8	1.8
Wilmington ³	354.4	365.8	357.7	367.0	9.3	2.6
Texas.....	11,794.4	11,985.5	11,840.4	12,009.8	169.4	1.4
Dallas-Fort Worth-Arlington.....	3,367.6	3,498.3	3,389.8	3,515.1	125.3	3.7
Dallas-Plano-Irving.....	2,376.5	2,489.3	2,391.2	2,502.3	111.1	4.6
Fort Worth-Arlington.....	991.1	1,009.0	998.6	1,012.8	14.2	1.4
Washington.....	3,130.4	3,227.5	3,156.6	3,256.4	99.8	3.2
Seattle-Tacoma-Bellevue.....	1,872.4	1,932.6	1,886.4	1,953.7	67.3	3.6
Seattle-Bellevue-Everett.....	1,577.6	1,628.3	1,589.8	1,648.6	58.8	3.7
Tacoma-Lakewood.....	294.8	304.3	296.6	305.1	8.5	2.9

¹ These 11 areas contain all of the 38 metropolitan divisions.

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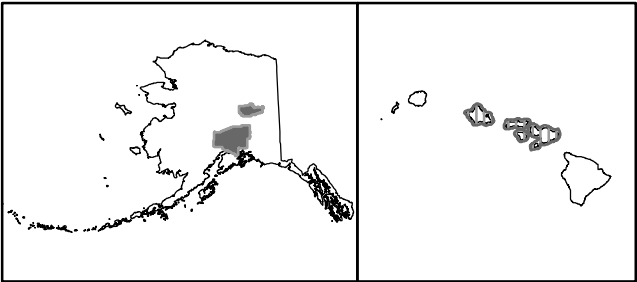
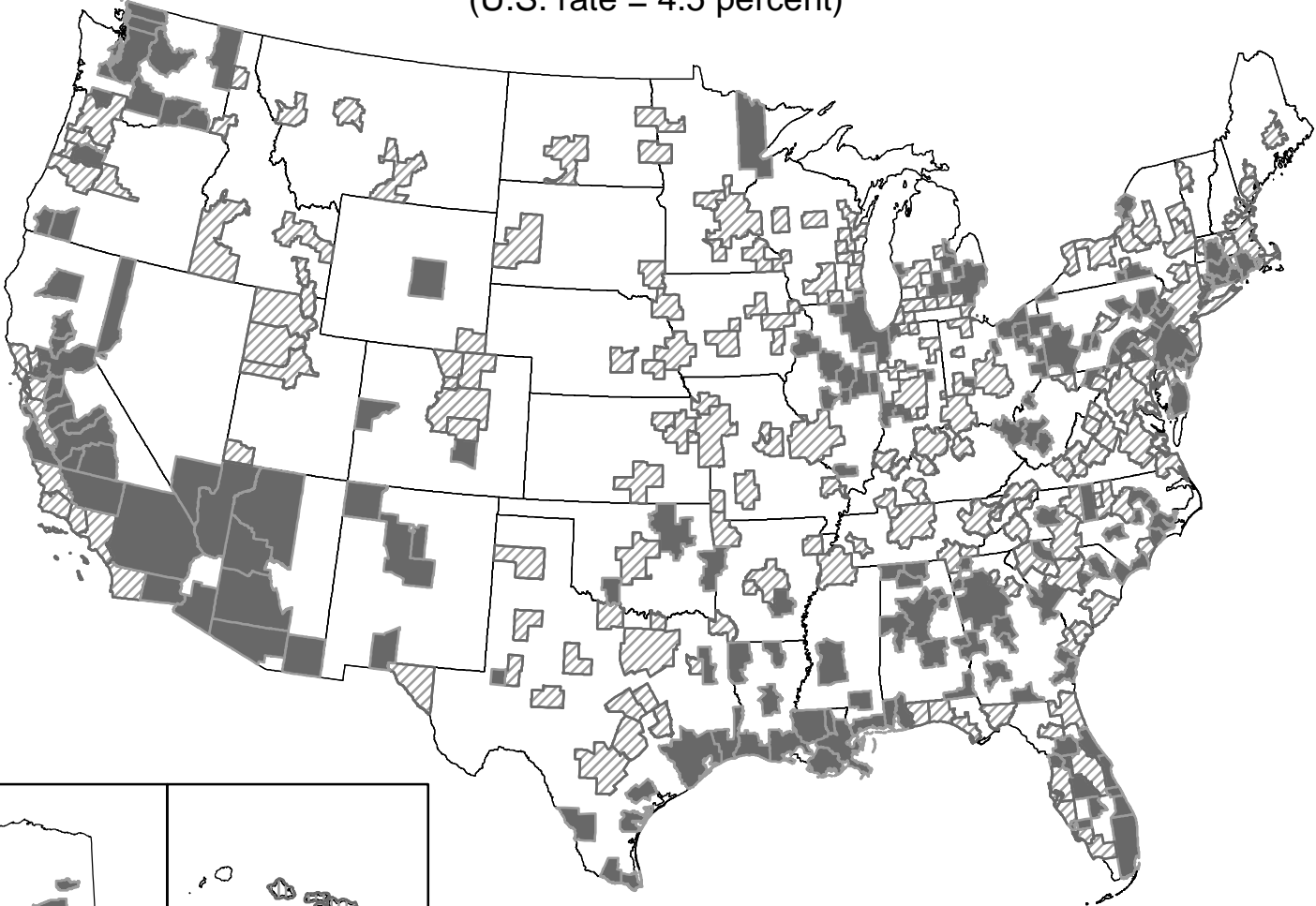
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Map 1. Unemployment rates for metropolitan areas, not seasonally adjusted, May 2016

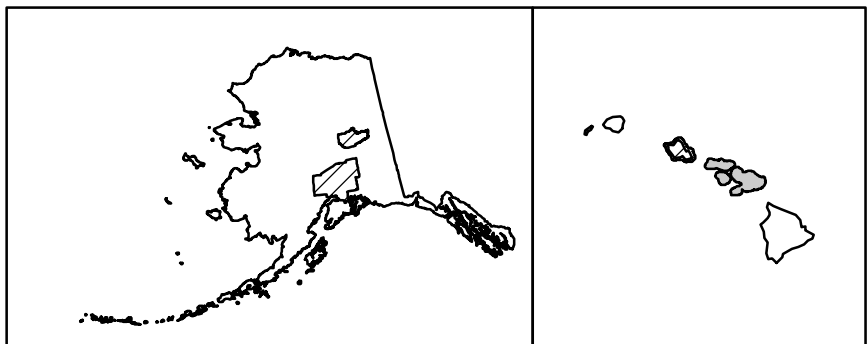
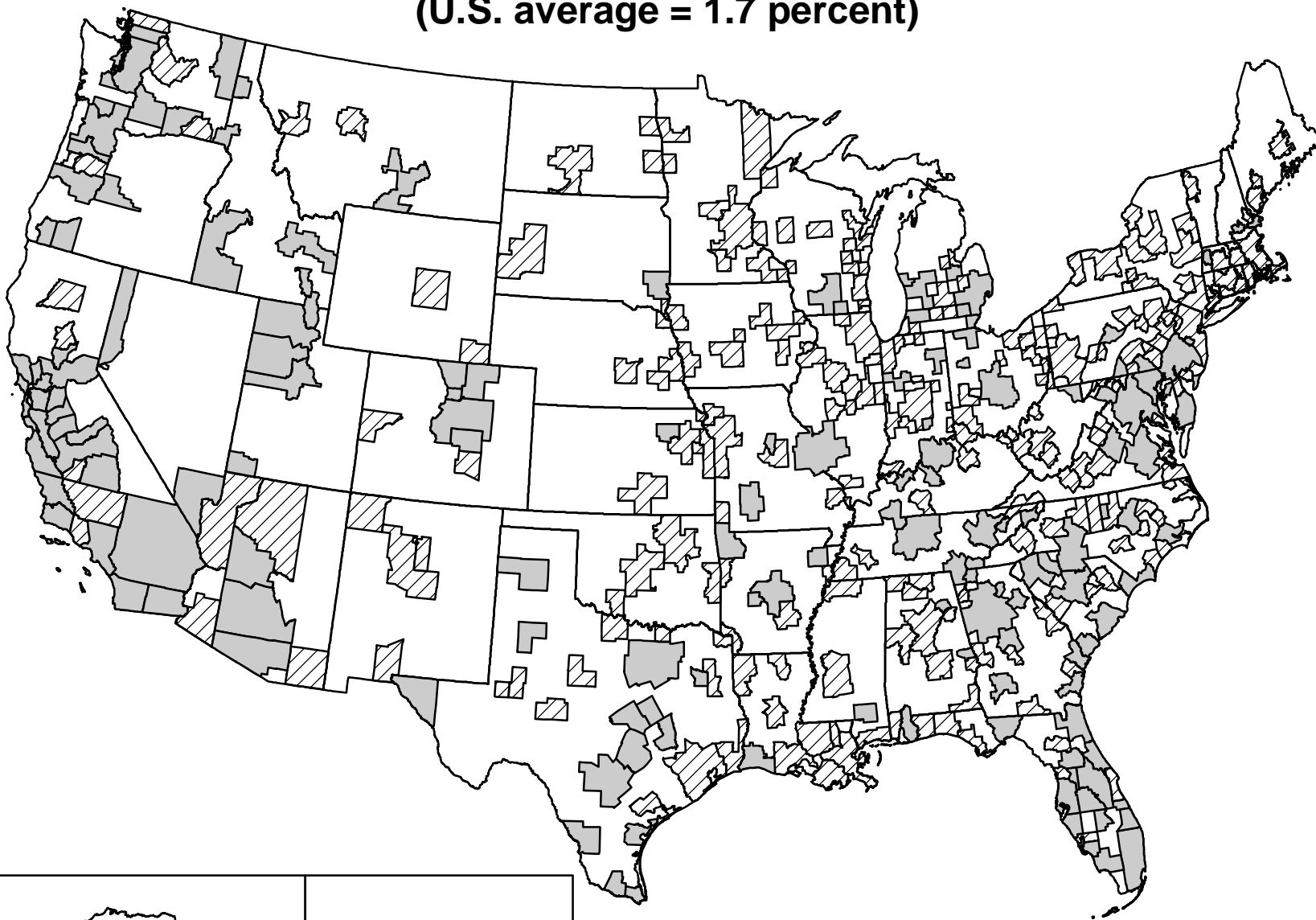
(U.S. rate = 4.5 percent)



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- Above U.S. average
- ▨ U.S. average or below

**Map 2. Over-the-year percentage change in employment, by metropolitan area,
not seasonally adjusted, May 2016
(U.S. average = 1.7 percent)**



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