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METROPOLITAN AREA EMPLOYMENT AND UNEMPLOYMENT— APRIL 2018

Unemployment rates were lower in April than a year earlier in 305 of the 388 metropolitan areas, higher in 63 areas, and unchanged in 20 areas, the U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics reported today. Eighty-eight areas had jobless rates of less than 3.0 percent and three areas had rates of at least 10.0 percent. Nonfarm payroll employment increased over the year in 312 metropolitan areas, decreased in 70 areas, and was unchanged in 6 areas. The national unemployment rate in April was 3.7 percent, not seasonally adjusted, down from 4.1 percent a year earlier.

Metropolitan Area Unemployment (Not Seasonally Adjusted)

In April, Ames, IA, had the lowest unemployment rate, 1.5 percent. Yuma, AZ, had the highest unemployment rate, 15.7 percent. A total of 204 areas had April jobless rates below the U.S. rate of 3.7 percent, 167 areas had rates above it, and 17 areas had rates equal to that of the nation. (See table 1 and map 1.)

El Centro, CA, had the largest over-the-year unemployment rate decrease in April (-3.3 percentage points). An additional 37 areas had rate declines of at least 1.0 percentage point. The largest over-the-year rate increase occurred in Beckley, WV (+0.7 percentage point).

Of the 51 metropolitan areas with a 2010 Census population of 1 million or more, Nashville-Davidson—Murfreesboro—Franklin, TN, had the lowest unemployment rate in April, 2.2 percent. Buffalo-Cheektowaga-Niagara Falls, NY, had the highest jobless rate among the large areas, 5.1 percent. Forty-four large areas had over-the-year unemployment rate decreases, three had increases, and four had no change. The largest rate decrease occurred in Riverside-San Bernardino-Ontario, CA (-1.2 percentage points). No large area had an unemployment rate increase greater than 0.2 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 April, San Francisco-Redwood City-South San Francisco, CA, and San Rafael, CA, had the lowest unemployment rates among the divisions, 2.1 percent each. Tacoma-Lakewood, WA, had the highest division rate, 5.4 percent. (See table 2.)

In April, 31 metropolitan divisions had over-the-year unemployment rate decreases, 5 had increases, and 2 had no change. The largest rate decline occurred in Chicago-Naperville-Arlington Heights, IL (-1.0 percentage point). None of the over-the-year jobless rate increases exceeded 0.3 percentage point.

Metropolitan Area Nonfarm Employment (Not Seasonally Adjusted)

In April, 312 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 Dallas-Fort Worth-Arlington, TX (+119,900), New York-Newark-Jersey City, NY-NJ-PA (+113,500), and Los Angeles-Long Beach-Anaheim, CA (+94,100). The largest over-the-year percentage gains in employment occurred in Midland, TX (+12.2 percent), Odessa, TX (+6.1 percent), and Elkhart-Goshen, IN (+5.5 percent). (See table 3 and map 2.)

The largest over-the-year decrease in employment occurred in Naples-Immokalee-Marco Island, FL (-3,600), followed by Youngstown-Warren-Boardman, OH-PA (-2,700), and Corpus Christi, TX (-2,100). The largest over-the-year percentage decrease in employment occurred in Bismarck, ND (-2.7 percent), followed by Naples-Immokalee-Marco Island, FL, and Victoria, TX (-2.4 percent each).

Over the year, nonfarm employment rose in 50 of 51 metropolitan areas with a 2010 Census population of 1 million or more and fell in Virginia Beach-Norfolk-Newport News, VA-NC (-0.2 percent). The largest over-the-year percentage increases in employment in these large metropolitan areas occurred in Austin-Round Rock, TX, and San Jose-Sunnyvale-Santa Clara, CA (+3.5 percent each), followed by Dallas-Fort Worth-Arlington, TX, and Riverside-San Bernardino-Ontario, CA (+3.4 percent each).

Metropolitan Division Nonfarm Employment (Not Seasonally Adjusted)

In April, nonfarm payroll employment increased in 35 of the 38 metropolitan divisions over the year and fell in 3. The largest over-the-year increase in employment among the metropolitan divisions occurred in Dallas-Plano-Irving, TX (+89,100), followed by New York-Jersey City-White Plains, NY-NJ (+88,800), and Los Angeles-Long Beach-Glendale, CA (+64,700). The over-the-year decreases occurred in Peabody-Salem-Beverly, MA (-800), Gary, IN (-700), and Framingham, MA (-100). (See table 4.)

The largest over-the-year percentage increase occurred in Dallas-Plano-Irving, TX (+3.5 percent), followed by Haverhill-Newburyport-Amesbury Town, MA-NH, and Tacoma-Lakewood, WA (+3.3 percent each). The over-the-year percentage decreases occurred in Peabody-Salem-Beverly, MA (-0.8 percent), Gary, IN (-0.3 percent), and Framingham, MA (-0.1 percent).

The State Employment and Unemployment news release for May is scheduled to be released on Friday, June 15, 2018, at 10:00 a.m. (EDT). The Metropolitan Area Employment and Unemployment news release for May is scheduled to be released on Wednesday, June 27, 2018, at 10:00 a.m. (EDT).

Technical Note

This release presents civilian labor force and unemployment data from the Local Area Unemployment Statistics (LAUS) program (tables 1 and 2) for 388 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 *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.

Civilian labor force and unemployment—from the LAUS program

Definitions. The civilian 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 employed persons and unemployed persons 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 (typically 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 *civilian labor force* is the sum of employed and unemployed persons. The *unemployment rate* is the number of unemployed as a percent of the civilian 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. Estimates of employed persons, 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 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 model-based area totals. A detailed description of the estimation procedures is available from BLS upon request.

Annual revisions. Civilian 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 2017 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 to 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.

Civilian 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 for the total nonfarm employment series are available for metropolitan areas and metropolitan divisions at www.bls.gov/web/laus/790stderr.htm. Measures of sampling error for more detailed series at the area and division level are available upon request. Measures of sampling error for states down to the supersector level are available on the BLS website at www.bls.gov/web/laus/790stderr.htm. Measures of nonsampling error are not available for the areas contained in this news release. Information on recent benchmark revisions is available online at www.bls.gov/web/laus/benchmark.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 July 15, 2015. 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 civilian labor force and unemployment data for states and seven substate areas are available in the news release *State Employment and Unemployment*. Estimates of civilian 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 online 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							
	March		April		Number				Percent of labor force			
	2017	2018	2017	2018 ^P	March		April		March		April	
					2017	2018	2017	2018 ^P	2017	2018	2017	2018 ^P
Alabama	2,181,424	2,178,000	2,171,702	2,195,215	108,064	83,932	89,137	76,452	5.0	3.9	4.1	3.5
Anniston-Oxford-Jacksonville	46,217	45,998	45,804	46,217	2,547	2,079	2,126	1,933	5.5	4.5	4.6	4.2
Auburn-Opelika	74,334	74,342	73,562	74,769	3,415	2,680	2,640	2,329	4.6	3.6	3.6	3.1
Birmingham-Hoover	537,250	538,033	535,051	543,858	24,686	18,637	20,429	17,143	4.6	3.5	3.8	3.2
Daphne-Fairhope-Foley	91,416	93,054	91,865	94,513	4,119	3,291	3,341	2,918	4.5	3.5	3.6	3.1
Decatur	68,823	69,080	68,304	69,328	3,285	2,565	2,771	2,333	4.8	3.7	4.1	3.4
Dothan	62,174	61,948	61,816	62,530	3,029	2,433	2,495	2,249	4.9	3.9	4.0	3.6
Florence-Muscle Shoals	65,926	64,707	65,482	65,274	3,476	2,699	2,965	2,509	5.3	4.2	4.5	3.8
Gadsden	43,285	43,120	43,074	43,305	2,267	1,735	1,865	1,579	5.2	4.0	4.3	3.6
Huntsville	216,911	220,191	216,613	222,029	9,695	7,446	7,825	6,763	4.5	3.4	3.6	3.0
Mobile	187,808	186,454	186,653	188,745	10,847	8,651	9,118	7,976	5.8	4.6	4.9	4.2
Montgomery	173,599	172,142	172,993	172,597	8,016	6,513	6,619	5,976	4.6	3.8	3.8	3.5
Tuscaloosa	113,590	114,919	113,002	115,185	5,550	4,191	4,456	3,736	4.9	3.6	3.9	3.2
Alaska	359,544	360,043	358,437	357,700	27,664	28,340	26,236	26,865	7.7	7.9	7.3	7.5
Anchorage	202,340	201,484	201,566	200,302	14,261	14,406	13,539	13,759	7.0	7.1	6.7	6.9
Fairbanks	46,232	46,246	46,376	46,215	3,050	3,198	2,932	3,169	6.6	6.9	6.3	6.9
Arizona	3,298,757	3,393,239	3,293,061	3,372,781	161,263	155,360	153,625	147,568	4.9	4.6	4.7	4.4
Flagstaff	74,490	75,682	75,209	75,866	4,530	4,123	4,620	3,672	6.1	5.4	5.2	4.8
Lake Havasu City-Kingman	81,545	84,038	82,007	84,669	4,915	4,732	4,689	4,434	6.0	5.6	5.7	5.2
Phoenix-Mesa-Scottsdale	2,289,778	2,370,564	2,287,847	2,356,708	99,658	96,098	93,100	90,194	4.4	4.1	4.1	3.8
Prescott	100,625	103,894	101,170	103,840	4,745	4,470	4,452	4,205	4.7	4.3	4.4	4.0
Sierra Vista-Douglas	50,374	49,220	49,710	48,679	2,841	2,746	2,689	2,563	5.6	5.6	5.4	5.3
Tucson	477,443	484,557	474,254	482,822	21,953	20,759	20,471	19,592	4.6	4.3	4.3	4.1
Yuma	94,577	93,893	94,052	90,527	12,602	12,762	15,261	14,256	13.3	13.6	16.2	15.7
Arkansas	1,347,624	1,349,562	1,352,393	1,348,257	47,419	52,436	43,094	45,929	3.5	3.9	3.2	3.4
Fayetteville-Springdale-Rogers	270,707	274,306	272,196	275,933	6,872	7,750	6,362	6,956	2.5	2.8	2.3	2.5
Fort Smith	120,007	118,634	119,704	118,025	4,891	4,981	4,504	4,656	4.1	4.2	3.8	3.9
Hot Springs	40,579	40,528	41,056	40,726	1,516	1,735	1,389	1,473	3.7	4.3	3.4	3.6
Jonesboro	63,501	64,103	63,736	64,174	1,888	2,124	1,738	1,849	3.0	3.3	2.7	2.9
Little Rock-North Little Rock-Conway	352,209	355,280	353,587	353,240	11,193	12,668	10,238	11,262	3.2	3.6	2.9	3.2
Pine Bluff	35,318	35,082	35,467	34,880	1,733	1,679	1,560	1,630	4.9	5.4	4.4	4.7
California	19,281,265	19,344,494	19,240,604	19,246,752	997,908	818,548	902,414	737,834	5.2	4.2	4.7	3.8
Bakersfield	381,676	376,484	384,517	377,016	43,744	36,260	38,105	31,334	11.5	9.6	9.9	8.3
Chico	103,330	103,057	103,341	102,960	6,750	5,396	6,047	4,794	6.5	5.2	5.9	4.7
El Centro	74,548	71,621	72,817	69,961	13,721	11,067	12,885	10,076	18.4	15.5	17.7	14.4
Fresno	450,116	449,833	452,602	450,414	46,185	39,062	40,739	33,811	10.3	8.7	9.0	7.5
Hanford-Corcoran	57,534	57,526	57,632	57,327	6,440	5,296	5,555	4,574	11.2	9.2	9.6	8.0
Los Angeles-Long Beach-Anaheim	6,730,088	6,766,573	6,716,182	6,740,723	298,384	260,685	280,811	248,310	4.4	3.9	4.2	3.7
Madera	61,423	61,169	60,865	60,548	6,083	5,014	5,415	4,417	9.9	8.2	8.9	7.3
Merced	117,345	116,645	116,007	115,718	14,049	11,854	11,934	10,073	12.0	10.2	10.3	8.7
Modesto	244,362	242,496	243,336	239,029	21,575	17,235	19,482	15,275	8.8	7.1	8.0	6.4
Napa	73,748	72,733	73,685	72,566	2,963	2,302	2,622	2,055	4.0	3.2	3.6	2.8
Onnard-Thousand Oaks-Ventura	428,848	428,329	428,492	424,509	20,175	15,584	18,070	13,768	4.7	3.6	4.2	3.2
Redding	74,241	74,048	74,339	73,660	5,139	4,225	4,586	3,610	6.9	5.7	6.2	4.9
Riverside-San Bernardino-Ontario	2,022,959	2,043,354	2,008,992	2,018,565	108,351	83,848	97,991	75,433	5.4	4.1	4.9	3.7
Sacramento-Roseville-Arden-Arcade	1,079,985	1,081,515	1,074,068	1,072,275	53,870	41,667	48,541	36,920	5.0	3.9	4.5	3.4
Salinas	213,696	214,016	223,576	222,240	23,394	20,065	17,606	14,997	10.9	9.4	7.9	6.7
San Diego-Carlsbad	1,582,171	1,583,331	1,579,209	1,577,413	67,223	51,224	60,970	46,235	4.2	3.2	3.9	2.9
San Francisco-Oakland-Hayward	2,574,120	2,576,015	2,559,590	2,554,104	89,490	69,231	81,781	62,120	3.5	2.7	3.2	2.4
San Jose-Sunnyvale-Santa Clara	1,066,377	1,077,469	1,061,176	1,073,285	37,665	29,095	34,242	26,076	3.5	2.7	3.2	2.4
San Luis Obispo-Paso Robles-Arroyo Grande	143,099	143,110	143,377	142,466	5,483	4,159	4,816	3,752	3.8	2.9	3.4	2.6
Santa Cruz-Watsonville	143,623	143,671	143,504	143,654	10,994	8,986	9,276	7,725	7.7	6.3	6.5	5.4
Santa Maria-Santa Barbara	215,895	216,720	218,337	217,345	11,600	9,545	9,247	7,657	5.4	4.4	4.2	3.5
Santa Rosa	261,718	262,998	262,094	260,819	9,538	8,638	8,638	6,641	3.6	2.8	3.3	2.5
Stockton-Lodi	324,152	326,749	322,663	324,417	26,510	21,566	23,322	18,809	8.2	6.6	7.2	5.8
Vallejo-Fairfield	208,984	208,161	208,523	207,114	10,930	8,418	9,897	7,507	5.2	4.0	4.7	3.6
Visalia-Porterville	205,222	204,780	211,127	209,717	25,785	22,709	21,978	19,243	12.6	11.1	10.4	9.2
Yuba City	73,686	74,368	73,865	73,567	7,654	6,423	6,827	5,398	10.4	8.6	9.2	7.3
Colorado	2,948,935	3,060,916	2,955,181	3,058,418	82,956	89,391	76,319	79,377	2.8	2.9	2.6	2.6
Boulder	185,793	192,425	186,231	192,211	4,290	4,859	4,038	4,382	2.3	2.5	2.2	2.3
Colorado Springs	334,018	347,823	334,703	348,567	10,790	11,972	9,918	10,687	3.2	3.4	3.0	3.1
Denver-Aurora-Lakewood	1,566,152	1,625,313	1,568,352	1,623,347	42,214	45,366	39,000	40,600	2.7	2.8	2.5	2.5
Fort Collins	190,637	198,584	192,842	199,954	4,587	4,989	4,286	4,400	2.4	2.5	2.2	2.2
Grand Junction	72,706	74,917	72,811	75,093	3,117	2,982	2,701	2,487	4.3	4.0	3.7	3.3
Greeley	153,903	161,623	155,640	161,754	4,125	4,365	3,790	3,837	2.7	2.7	2.4	2.4
Pueblo	74,077	75,132	74,299	75,027	3,130	3,321	2,825	2,945	4.2	4.4	3.8	3.9
Connecticut	1,925,933	1,892,881	1,921,392	1,885,090	97,735	88,050	89,980	80,507	5.1	4.7	4.7	4.3
Bridgeport-Stamford-Norwalk	472,454	461,377	470,786	460,517	23,588	21,090	21,749	19,764	5.0	4.6	4.6	4.3
Danbury	108,654	107,101	108,579	106,622	4,781	4,158	4,315	3,682	4.4	3.9	4.0	3.5
Hartford-West Hartford-East Hartford	630,416	624,824	627,838	619,137	31,728	29,064	29,607	26,991	5.0	4.7	4.7	4.4
New Haven	330,597	322,606	331,286	323,910	16,488	14,645	15,102	13,119	5.0	4.5	4.6	4.1

See footnotes at end of table.

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	March		April		Number				Percent of labor force			
	2017	2018	2017	2018 ^P	March		April		March		April	
					2017	2018	2017	2018 ^P	2017	2018	2017	2018 ^P
Connecticut - Continued												
Norwich-New London-Westerly	144,129	142,297	144,028	141,944	7,141	6,575	6,479	5,839	5.0	4.6	4.5	4.1
Waterbury	112,946	110,316	112,495	109,234	7,322	6,585	6,797	5,805	6.5	6.0	6.0	5.3
Delaware												
Dover	476,551	483,552	476,851	483,500	22,624	19,880	21,618	17,939	4.7	4.1	4.5	3.7
Salisbury ¹	79,004	79,834	78,607	79,427	3,943	3,555	3,794	3,192	5.0	4.5	4.8	4.0
District of Columbia	184,652	186,492	186,701	187,929	11,731	11,329	10,169	9,491	6.4	6.1	5.4	5.1
Washington-Arlington-Alexandria	399,738	406,302	399,234	408,712	23,776	23,031	22,272	20,545	5.9	5.7	5.6	5.0
Florida	3,381,547	3,422,637	3,375,015	3,411,710	125,545	124,297	114,802	107,061	3.7	3.6	3.4	3.1
Cape Coral-Fort Myers	10,079,800	10,228,266	10,091,093	10,201,847	419,457	387,276	398,973	347,578	4.2	3.8	4.0	3.4
Crestview-Fort Walton Beach-Destin	342,564	342,485	338,237	338,188	13,345	11,708	12,536	10,663	3.9	3.4	3.7	3.2
Deltona-Daytona Beach-Ormond Beach	123,716	129,402	124,472	129,635	4,358	3,928	4,076	3,539	3.5	3.0	3.3	2.7
Gainesville	298,724	301,641	297,660	300,676	13,106	11,822	12,473	10,591	4.4	3.9	4.2	3.5
Homosassa Springs	143,554	144,536	144,051	145,427	5,282	4,873	4,987	4,442	3.7	3.4	3.5	3.1
Jacksonville	48,076	48,488	48,292	48,155	2,771	2,537	2,622	2,267	5.8	5.2	5.4	4.7
Lakeland-Winter Haven	751,818	771,871	754,801	768,338	29,811	26,867	28,543	24,334	4.0	3.5	3.8	3.2
Miami-Fort Lauderdale-West Palm Beach	294,310	299,025	292,679	297,852	13,521	12,306	12,725	11,109	4.6	4.1	4.3	3.7
Naples-Immokalee-Marco Island	3,115,502	3,151,107	3,143,080	3,157,156	136,759	130,976	131,070	115,783	4.4	4.2	4.2	3.7
North Port-Sarasota-Bradenton	178,140	176,269	176,748	174,140	6,633	5,965	6,209	5,356	3.7	3.4	3.5	3.1
Ocala	363,081	368,652	359,732	366,480	13,973	12,456	13,144	11,334	3.8	3.4	3.7	3.1
Orlando-Kissimmee-Sanford	133,573	134,983	133,971	134,980	6,735	6,010	6,338	5,469	5.0	4.5	4.7	4.1
Palm Bay-Melbourne-Titusville	1,293,402	1,332,471	1,291,254	1,323,482	48,859	44,650	46,435	40,509	3.8	3.4	3.6	3.1
Panama City	268,680	269,570	267,756	268,534	11,563	10,165	10,999	9,181	4.3	3.8	4.1	3.4
Pensacola-Ferry Pass-Brent	94,241	95,949	94,052	96,409	3,941	3,530	3,677	3,135	4.2	3.7	3.9	3.3
Port St. Lucie	221,445	224,208	222,262	223,744	8,996	8,198	8,491	7,384	4.1	3.7	3.8	3.3
Punta Gorda	211,351	213,305	210,276	212,222	9,844	9,044	9,396	8,164	4.7	4.2	4.5	3.8
Sebastian-Vero Beach	71,265	71,663	70,616	71,110	3,255	2,846	3,062	2,600	4.6	4.0	4.3	3.7
Sebring	63,868	64,331	63,391	63,728	3,041	2,792	2,887	2,521	4.8	4.3	4.6	4.0
Tallahassee	36,749	36,061	36,575	36,191	1,944	1,772	1,830	1,570	5.3	4.9	5.0	4.3
Tampa-St. Petersburg-Clearwater	190,788	193,908	192,059	193,818	7,625	6,907	7,203	6,287	4.0	3.6	3.8	3.2
The Villages	1,506,102	1,537,810	1,502,611	1,532,322	59,595	54,765	56,637	49,542	4.0	3.6	3.8	3.2
Georgia												
Albany	30,338	30,733	30,253	30,522	1,862	1,657	1,766	1,498	6.1	5.4	5.8	4.9
Athens-Clarke County	5,045,243	5,168,393	5,041,112	5,138,905	243,283	212,178	228,457	188,456	4.8	4.1	4.5	3.7
Atlanta-Sandy Springs-Roswell	69,039	68,934	67,788	68,423	3,814	3,651	3,947	2,947	5.5	4.7	5.4	4.3
Augusta-Richmond County	99,968	103,901	101,485	103,882	4,449	3,904	4,222	3,498	4.5	3.8	4.2	3.4
Brunswick	3,020,444	3,107,314	3,019,418	3,086,763	140,474	122,883	132,289	109,754	4.7	4.0	4.4	3.6
Columbus	265,916	275,113	267,234	274,773	12,833	12,090	11,918	9,901	4.8	4.4	4.5	3.6
Dalton	53,102	53,562	53,249	53,716	2,606	2,194	2,344	1,881	4.9	4.1	4.4	3.5
Gainesville	125,250	126,702	124,349	125,630	6,995	6,151	6,389	5,540	5.6	4.9	5.1	4.4
Hinesville	61,412	62,510	60,931	61,703	3,637	3,176	3,294	2,674	5.9	5.3	5.2	4.3
Macon-Bibb County	99,389	103,723	99,553	103,352	3,960	3,367	3,723	2,953	4.0	3.2	3.7	2.9
Rome	33,712	34,366	33,557	33,850	1,790	1,582	1,636	1,383	5.3	4.6	4.9	4.1
Savannah	105,890	106,992	105,136	105,975	5,470	4,801	5,188	4,259	5.2	4.5	4.9	4.0
Valdosta	44,290	45,077	44,109	44,809	2,332	1,914	2,155	1,703	5.3	4.2	4.9	3.8
Warner Robins	185,132	189,054	185,554	187,989	8,366	7,184	7,800	6,363	4.5	3.8	4.2	3.4
Hawaii												
Kahului-Wailuku-Lahaina	65,047	66,179	64,780	66,044	2,987	2,707	2,774	2,422	4.6	4.1	4.3	3.7
Urban Honolulu	85,034	86,741	84,837	86,204	4,207	3,613	3,963	3,206	4.9	4.2	4.7	3.7
Idaho												
Boise City	689,285	688,477	688,671	688,581	17,049	13,614	16,578	13,218	2.5	2.0	2.4	1.9
Coeur d'Alene	86,871	86,429	86,597	86,536	2,365	1,702	2,413	1,694	2.7	2.0	2.8	2.0
Idaho Falls	474,558	475,394	473,633	474,605	11,036	9,106	10,486	8,836	2.3	1.9	2.2	1.9
Lewiston	821,069	845,997	822,734	845,845	30,884	27,008	26,478	23,970	3.8	3.2	3.2	2.8
Pocatello	341,276	354,610	340,835	353,180	11,483	10,135	10,113	9,099	3.4	2.9	3.0	2.6
Idaho Falls	73,788	75,716	74,381	76,185	3,622	3,189	2,888	2,633	4.9	4.2	3.9	3.5
Pocatello	66,381	69,028	66,996	68,775	2,004	1,899	1,653	1,648	3.0	2.8	2.5	2.4
Lewiston	31,341	32,150	31,182	31,941	1,276	1,130	1,000	1,010	4.1	3.5	3.2	3.2
Pocatello	41,916	43,228	41,693	43,054	1,428	1,192	1,265	1,110	3.4	2.8	3.0	2.6
Illinois												
Bloomington	6,478,093	6,496,446	6,462,314	6,448,751	321,186	285,769	291,942	233,163	5.0	4.4	4.5	3.6
Carbondale-Marion	96,682	97,744	97,723	98,283	4,221	3,734	3,473	3,049	4.4	3.8	3.6	3.1
Chicago-Naperville-Elgin	60,732	59,955	60,413	60,223	2,972	2,753	2,489	2,271	4.9	4.6	4.1	3.8
Danville	121,308	123,531	121,890	124,097	5,433	4,702	4,411	4,010	4.5	3.8	3.6	3.2
Davenport-Moline-Rock Island	4,891,068	4,893,315	4,870,738	4,841,889	232,838	211,917	219,951	173,832	4.8	4.3	4.5	3.6
Decatur	34,215	34,332	34,340	34,279	2,210	1,996	1,909	1,647	6.5	5.8	5.6	4.8
Kankakee	188,892	192,285	188,103	191,657	9,235	8,094	7,661	6,682	4.9	4.2	4.1	3.5
Peoria	49,275	49,745	49,002	49,642	2,788	2,574	2,342	2,161	5.7	5.2	4.8	4.4
Rockford	55,447	57,741	55,338	57,759	3,200	2,990	2,588	2,401	5.8	5.2	4.7	4.2
Springfield	176,067	178,609	178,135	178,557	10,741	8,987	8,902	7,305	6.1	5.0	5.0	4.1
Indianapolis	163,173	165,821	165,357	165,740	13,757	8,420	10,819	6,887	8.4	5.1	6.5	4.2
Bloomington	111,216	109,596	110,353	110,242	4,989	4,449	4,179	3,576	4.5	4.1	3.8	3.2
Columbus	3,309,822	3,350,749	3,317,416	3,370,041	122,032	110,249	99,519	99,132	3.7	3.3	3.0	2.9
Bloomington	78,381	76,924	78,031	77,812	3,092	2,709	2,337	2,401	3.9	3.5	3.0	3.1
Elkhart-Goshen	44,549	45,394	44,383	45,701	1,266	1,120	985	997	2.8	2.5	2.2	2.2
Elkhart-Goshen	110,307	116,311	110,170	116,777	2,917	2,554	2,352	2,326	2.6	2.2	2.1	2.0

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	2017	2018	2017	2018 ^P	March		April		March		April	
					2017	2018	2017	2018 ^P	2017	2018	2017	2018 ^P
Indiana - Continued												
Evansville.....	159,548	163,421	159,218	164,363	5,778	4,916	4,794	4,557	3.6	3.0	3.0	2.8
Fort Wayne.....	211,019	214,354	211,762	216,022	7,298	6,275	5,773	5,705	3.5	2.9	2.7	2.6
Indianapolis-Carmel-Anderson.....	1,032,794	1,054,623	1,039,620	1,058,728	35,286	31,995	29,322	29,495	3.4	3.0	2.8	2.8
Kokomo.....	37,478	39,121	37,667	39,347	1,462	1,273	1,172	1,207	3.9	3.3	3.1	3.1
Lafayette-West Lafayette.....	109,801	111,308	108,473	112,444	3,719	3,356	2,807	3,024	3.4	3.0	2.6	2.7
Michigan City-La Porte.....	47,623	47,515	47,721	47,776	2,319	2,197	1,871	1,886	4.9	4.6	3.9	3.9
Muncie.....	55,603	55,686	54,549	56,192	2,424	2,103	1,950	1,865	4.4	3.8	3.6	3.3
South Bend-Mishawaka.....	158,729	161,887	158,474	162,218	6,147	5,813	4,975	5,133	3.9	3.6	3.1	3.2
Terre Haute.....	76,630	77,063	76,957	77,084	3,441	3,233	2,854	2,830	4.5	4.2	3.7	3.7
Iowa.....	1,675,932	1,668,306	1,679,203	1,672,596	59,836	50,669	51,050	42,405	3.6	3.0	3.0	2.5
Ames.....	57,823	58,651	58,242	59,255	1,237	995	1,007	887	2.1	1.7	1.7	1.5
Cedar Rapids.....	142,421	142,622	141,903	142,941	5,281	4,702	4,699	3,964	3.7	3.3	3.3	2.8
Des Moines-West Des Moines.....	345,552	346,441	345,413	348,443	11,360	10,048	9,967	8,135	3.3	2.9	2.9	2.3
Dubuque.....	54,923	54,439	54,488	54,447	2,015	1,676	1,513	1,353	3.7	3.1	2.8	2.5
Iowa City.....	97,791	98,042	97,721	98,063	2,651	2,101	2,332	1,871	2.7	2.1	2.4	1.9
Sioux City.....	90,298	90,507	90,109	90,286	3,224	2,800	2,756	2,356	3.6	3.1	3.1	2.6
Waterloo-Cedar Falls.....	89,179	88,087	89,126	88,309	3,694	2,839	3,158	2,382	4.1	3.2	3.5	2.7
Kansas.....	1,474,306	1,467,999	1,472,812	1,467,165	54,849	50,540	50,296	47,228	3.7	3.4	3.4	3.2
Lawrence.....	65,924	65,831	66,434	66,498	2,059	2,035	2,002	1,935	3.1	3.1	3.0	2.9
Manhattan.....	48,211	48,081	48,634	48,591	1,420	1,342	1,412	1,300	2.9	2.8	2.9	2.7
Topeka.....	119,645	118,709	118,792	118,539	4,424	4,103	4,125	3,847	3.7	3.5	3.5	3.2
Wichita.....	307,668	303,985	308,090	305,414	12,794	11,704	12,065	10,994	4.2	3.9	3.9	3.6
Kentucky.....	2,059,377	2,067,760	2,059,556	2,071,630	113,203	91,685	98,936	80,329	5.5	4.4	4.8	3.9
Bowling Green.....	82,694	84,438	83,556	84,795	3,724	3,273	3,332	2,801	4.5	3.9	4.0	3.3
Elizabethtown-Fort Knox.....	66,452	67,118	66,953	67,103	3,550	2,867	3,143	2,493	5.3	4.3	4.7	3.7
Lexington-Fayette.....	269,907	269,932	272,425	272,853	11,218	9,473	10,066	8,375	4.2	3.5	3.7	3.1
Louisville/Jefferson County.....	656,580	668,052	656,138	669,702	29,610	25,030	26,165	22,518	4.5	3.7	4.0	3.4
Owensboro.....	56,052	56,478	55,992	56,346	2,764	2,387	2,466	2,103	4.9	4.2	4.4	3.7
Louisiana.....	2,105,323	2,137,519	2,109,716	2,141,089	111,357	92,660	106,015	92,204	5.3	4.3	5.0	4.3
Alexandria.....	63,959	65,094	64,394	64,904	3,757	3,086	3,586	3,001	5.9	4.7	5.6	4.6
Baton Rouge.....	418,661	426,301	418,032	427,727	18,964	16,255	18,189	16,234	4.5	3.8	4.4	3.8
Hammond.....	54,619	56,136	54,665	56,085	3,144	2,603	3,018	2,623	5.8	4.6	5.5	4.7
Houma-Thibodaux.....	88,761	89,354	88,565	89,188	5,353	3,965	4,961	3,977	6.0	4.4	5.6	4.5
Lafayette.....	213,967	214,213	214,039	214,407	12,986	9,803	12,065	9,598	6.1	4.6	5.6	4.5
Lake Charles.....	110,219	117,010	111,108	117,080	4,408	3,876	4,207	3,909	4.0	3.3	3.8	3.3
Monroe.....	79,911	81,483	80,006	81,145	4,405	3,802	4,186	3,744	5.5	4.7	5.2	4.6
New Orleans-Metairie.....	593,023	604,645	596,780	608,160	28,433	24,450	27,328	24,576	4.8	4.0	4.6	4.0
Shreveport-Bossier City.....	188,119	189,682	187,601	189,371	10,644	8,829	10,156	8,744	5.7	4.7	5.4	4.6
Maine.....	690,824	693,556	692,797	697,360	26,494	21,674	24,305	21,499	3.8	3.1	3.5	3.1
Bangor.....	70,721	70,177	71,380	71,246	2,673	2,203	2,488	2,172	3.8	3.1	3.5	3.0
Lewiston-Auburn.....	55,835	56,014	55,941	56,386	1,966	1,627	1,799	1,602	5.5	2.9	3.2	2.8
Portland-South Portland.....	203,977	205,602	204,696	207,201	5,933	5,071	5,457	5,048	2.9	2.5	2.7	2.4
Maryland.....	3,205,933	3,228,071	3,202,113	3,208,966	133,794	145,715	122,990	124,475	4.2	4.5	3.8	3.9
Baltimore-Columbia-Towson.....	1,488,740	1,506,673	1,490,876	1,499,079	64,017	68,517	60,258	59,161	4.3	4.5	4.0	3.9
California-Lexington Park.....	55,289	55,644	55,153	55,064	2,132	2,459	1,920	2,057	3.9	4.4	3.5	3.7
Cumberland.....	44,562	44,751	44,368	44,678	2,791	2,917	2,383	2,539	6.3	6.5	5.4	5.7
Hagerstown-Martinsburg.....	129,237	130,110	129,681	130,376	5,794	6,484	5,006	5,678	4.5	5.0	3.9	4.4
Massachusetts.....	3,657,658	3,726,752	3,646,782	3,750,967	149,623	142,833	130,569	123,201	4.1	3.8	3.6	3.3
Barnstable Town.....	116,830	119,703	118,544	122,281	7,100	6,972	5,306	5,166	6.1	5.8	4.5	4.2
Boston-Cambridge-Nashua.....	2,702,627	2,752,088	2,696,477	2,772,337	96,886	92,621	87,026	82,066	3.6	3.4	3.2	3.0
Leominster-Gardner.....	78,264	79,926	77,893	80,168	3,793	3,600	3,343	3,111	4.8	4.5	4.3	3.9
New Bedford.....	85,394	86,994	84,366	86,373	5,547	5,369	4,450	4,302	6.5	6.2	5.3	5.0
Pittsfield.....	43,083	42,963	42,552	42,910	2,286	2,219	1,976	1,905	5.3	5.2	4.6	4.4
Springfield.....	371,728	377,699	370,839	378,223	18,526	17,316	16,053	15,184	5.0	4.6	4.3	4.0
Worcester.....	354,567	360,301	352,180	361,200	15,333	14,595	13,539	12,847	4.3	4.1	3.8	3.6
Michigan.....	4,864,645	4,896,710	4,829,355	4,878,476	230,931	227,139	181,556	193,784	4.7	4.6	3.8	4.0
Ann Arbor.....	193,668	196,621	193,714	196,791	6,038	6,009	5,119	5,600	3.1	3.1	2.6	2.8
Battle Creek.....	64,013	63,791	63,605	63,325	3,095	3,157	2,671	2,787	4.8	4.9	4.2	4.4
Bay City.....	51,024	51,150	50,755	50,731	3,054	3,117	2,598	2,648	6.0	6.1	5.1	5.2
Detroit-Warren-Dearborn.....	2,101,063	2,106,760	2,076,197	2,092,680	95,119	90,018	69,872	75,935	4.5	4.3	3.4	3.6
Flint.....	181,934	183,080	182,012	182,851	10,647	10,603	8,910	9,159	5.9	5.8	4.9	5.0
Grand Rapids-Wyoming.....	569,180	580,480	567,889	581,650	19,169	20,072	15,739	17,472	3.4	3.5	2.8	3.0
Jackson.....	74,281	74,937	73,967	74,809	3,452	3,429	2,925	2,991	4.6	4.6	4.0	4.0
Kalamazoo-Portage.....	168,233	169,674	167,376	168,863	7,217	7,479	6,082	6,341	4.3	4.4	3.6	3.8
Lansing-East Lansing.....	250,051	252,328	250,212	253,371	9,907	9,826	8,248	8,897	4.0	3.9	3.3	3.5
Midland.....	40,578	40,307	40,335	40,352	2,022	2,076	1,670	1,777	5.0	5.2	4.1	4.4
Monroe.....	76,638	76,558	76,131	76,550	3,418	3,245	2,908	2,839	4.5	4.2	3.8	3.7
Muskegon.....	77,361	77,806	77,351	77,476	4,027	4,240	3,467	3,674	5.2	5.4	4.5	4.7
Niles-Benton Harbor.....	73,434	73,643	72,868	73,139	3,629	3,827	2,966	3,229	4.9	5.2	4.1	4.4
Saginaw.....	87,963	87,745	87,142	87,010	5,005	5,073	4,219	4,329	5.7	5.8	4.8	5.0
Minnesota.....	3,047,901	3,100,350	3,051,011	3,100,699	126,363	117,066	104,572	96,201	4.1	3.8	3.4	3.1

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	March		April		Number				Percent of labor force			
	2017	2018	2017	2018 ^P	March		April		March		April	
					2017	2018	2017	2018 ^P	2017	2018	2017	2018 ^P
Minnesota - Continued												
Duluth.....	144,694	146,916	144,715	145,947	8,181	7,021	7,063	5,983	5.7	4.8	4.9	4.1
Mankato-North Mankato.....	60,985	62,866	61,166	62,613	1,981	1,888	1,609	1,528	3.2	3.0	2.6	2.4
Minneapolis-St. Paul-Bloomington.....	1,975,488	2,011,713	1,978,612	2,011,672	71,123	65,453	61,048	54,841	3.6	3.3	3.1	2.7
Rochester.....	120,696	122,235	120,716	121,388	4,237	4,147	3,417	3,332	3.5	3.4	2.8	2.7
St. Cloud.....	112,898	114,709	112,903	114,483	4,996	4,734	3,877	3,797	4.4	4.1	3.4	3.3
Mississippi	1,282,275	1,272,694	1,279,466	1,277,371	64,981	54,611	58,631	53,885	5.1	4.3	4.6	4.2
Gulfport-Biloxi-Pascagoula.....	164,554	162,504	164,463	163,497	8,719	7,229	7,895	7,126	5.3	4.4	4.8	4.4
Hattiesburg.....	68,571	68,695	68,243	68,954	3,049	2,571	2,790	2,595	4.4	3.7	4.1	3.8
Jackson.....	271,599	272,282	271,063	272,616	11,710	10,190	10,682	10,107	4.3	3.7	3.9	3.7
Missouri	3,050,596	3,037,210	3,061,521	3,050,213	126,045	114,859	108,193	101,452	4.1	3.8	3.5	3.3
Cape Girardeau.....	47,603	48,071	47,823	48,174	1,957	1,722	1,704	1,509	4.1	3.6	3.6	3.1
Columbia.....	98,372	97,518	98,578	98,091	2,680	2,494	2,362	2,239	2.7	2.6	2.4	2.3
Jefferson City.....	75,587	74,079	75,695	74,568	2,483	2,297	2,213	2,028	3.3	3.1	2.9	2.7
Joplin.....	84,951	84,319	85,204	84,371	3,077	2,679	2,861	2,472	3.6	3.2	3.4	2.9
Kansas City.....	1,122,314	1,123,325	1,120,499	1,127,277	47,311	40,952	38,443	37,490	4.2	3.6	3.4	3.3
St. Joseph.....	65,726	65,295	65,599	65,132	2,486	2,268	2,214	1,960	3.8	3.5	3.4	3.0
St. Louis ²	1,454,062	1,457,764	1,456,453	1,461,434	58,068	54,631	51,775	47,517	4.0	3.7	3.6	3.3
Springfield.....	229,079	228,647	229,448	228,999	8,148	7,431	7,166	6,396	3.6	3.2	3.1	2.8
Montana	521,103	521,189	522,610	519,753	24,208	24,485	20,324	18,905	4.6	4.7	3.9	3.6
Billings.....	86,881	86,776	87,274	86,833	3,303	3,560	2,751	2,669	3.8	4.1	3.2	3.1
Great Falls.....	37,958	37,795	37,919	37,624	1,537	1,697	1,279	1,237	4.0	4.5	3.4	3.3
Missoula.....	62,291	62,481	62,172	62,215	2,620	2,659	2,160	1,923	4.2	4.3	3.5	3.1
Nebraska	1,003,042	1,011,148	1,007,564	1,013,446	30,273	29,459	28,336	28,837	3.0	2.9	2.8	2.8
Grand Island.....	43,135	43,579	43,623	43,555	1,418	1,323	1,539	1,309	3.3	3.0	3.5	3.0
Lincoln.....	177,635	178,389	177,740	179,482	4,627	4,593	4,493	4,651	2.6	2.6	2.5	2.6
Omaha-Council Bluffs.....	476,762	481,069	476,389	483,322	15,092	14,639	13,934	14,044	3.2	3.0	2.9	2.9
Nevada	1,451,513	1,494,417	1,452,558	1,493,455	74,613	74,228	74,195	71,487	5.1	5.0	5.1	4.8
Carson City.....	25,128	26,285	25,409	26,249	1,415	1,497	1,349	1,377	5.6	5.7	5.3	5.2
Las Vegas-Henderson-Paradise.....	1,062,091	1,094,655	1,064,509	1,097,334	55,878	56,280	56,570	54,924	5.3	5.1	5.3	5.0
Reno.....	236,836	247,419	238,383	247,697	10,868	10,387	10,192	9,583	4.6	4.2	4.3	3.9
New Hampshire	745,746	752,658	740,783	751,027	22,809	22,111	19,388	20,398	3.1	2.9	2.6	2.7
Dover.....	84,587	85,624	84,611	85,853	2,281	2,248	1,890	2,026	2.7	2.6	2.2	2.4
Manchester.....	117,524	117,689	117,297	118,016	3,409	3,258	2,972	3,041	2.9	2.8	2.5	2.6
Portsmouth.....	74,616	76,299	74,877	76,461	1,982	1,952	1,685	1,823	2.7	2.6	2.3	2.4
New Jersey	4,515,753	4,471,011	4,509,912	4,436,870	206,573	209,267	191,918	180,866	4.6	4.7	4.3	4.1
Atlantic City-Hammonton.....	120,646	119,715	119,818	119,402	9,163	8,572	8,267	7,185	7.6	7.2	6.9	6.0
Ocean City.....	41,339	42,680	42,963	43,533	5,373	5,625	4,307	4,381	13.0	13.2	10.0	10.1
Trenton.....	198,140	198,837	198,148	197,729	7,995	8,007	7,281	6,889	4.0	4.0	3.7	3.5
Vineland-Bridgeton.....	66,675	66,339	65,992	65,666	4,745	5,123	4,164	4,337	7.1	7.7	6.3	6.6
New Mexico	925,719	935,709	924,811	933,947	58,140	47,387	53,916	41,405	6.3	5.1	5.8	4.4
Albuquerque.....	422,931	430,474	423,944	430,159	24,079	20,078	22,338	17,654	5.7	4.7	5.3	4.1
Farmington.....	53,151	53,251	53,719	53,053	4,172	2,914	3,789	2,550	7.8	5.5	7.1	4.8
Las Cruces.....	94,369	93,667	94,519	93,727	6,848	5,983	6,422	5,177	7.3	6.4	6.8	5.5
Santa Fe.....	72,417	73,298	71,202	73,279	3,639	3,061	3,355	2,714	5.0	4.2	4.7	3.7
New York	9,711,006	9,632,114	9,687,025	9,621,092	452,962	458,140	421,390	419,199	4.7	4.8	4.4	4.4
Albany-Schenectady-Troy.....	452,232	447,454	453,815	447,456	19,214	21,099	18,074	18,755	4.2	4.7	4.0	4.2
Binghamton.....	109,989	107,089	109,495	106,783	6,327	6,673	5,760	5,760	5.8	6.2	5.3	5.4
Buffalo-Cheektowaga-Niagara Falls.....	549,109	543,061	546,635	541,052	30,230	31,668	27,883	27,644	5.5	5.8	5.1	5.1
Elmira.....	36,070	34,779	35,854	34,797	2,098	2,105	1,937	1,846	5.8	6.1	5.4	5.3
Glens Falls.....	59,848	58,667	59,470	58,758	3,428	3,700	3,009	3,075	5.7	6.3	5.1	5.2
Ithaca.....	51,129	51,222	51,945	52,056	2,065	2,141	1,995	2,011	4.0	4.2	3.8	3.9
Kingston.....	88,482	86,944	88,602	87,664	4,078	4,224	3,864	3,705	4.6	4.9	4.4	4.2
New York-Newark-Jersey City.....	10,119,584	10,046,107	10,094,000	10,001,592	442,290	440,510	415,423	403,117	4.4	4.4	4.1	4.0
Rochester.....	524,596	517,947	526,826	521,260	26,252	27,862	24,208	24,803	5.0	5.4	4.6	4.8
Syracuse.....	308,074	301,962	308,394	304,580	16,089	16,962	14,830	14,809	5.2	5.6	4.8	4.9
Utica-Rome.....	131,096	126,540	130,684	126,781	7,194	7,639	6,582	6,708	5.5	6.0	5.0	5.3
Watertown-Fort Drum.....	44,853	44,284	45,020	44,267	3,402	3,555	2,983	2,930	7.6	8.0	6.6	6.6
North Carolina	4,933,462	4,995,214	4,924,665	4,985,299	221,850	215,419	203,092	185,478	4.5	4.3	4.1	3.7
Asheville.....	228,047	231,563	227,439	231,827	8,490	8,161	7,394	6,912	3.7	3.5	3.3	3.0
Burlington.....	80,114	80,326	79,670	79,779	3,441	3,228	3,049	2,790	4.3	4.0	3.8	3.5
Charlotte-Concord-Gastonia.....	1,305,811	1,341,393	1,304,867	1,334,098	54,962	54,311	51,171	45,741	4.2	4.0	3.9	3.4
Durham-Chapel Hill.....	294,441	299,696	294,088	298,015	11,805	11,365	10,589	9,782	4.0	3.8	3.6	3.3
Fayetteville.....	148,462	148,955	147,925	148,441	8,323	8,070	7,670	7,040	5.6	5.4	5.2	4.7
Goldensboro.....	54,328	53,436	54,351	53,141	2,731	2,564	2,565	2,221	5.0	4.8	4.7	4.2
Greensboro-High Point.....	368,547	371,789	368,745	371,085	17,359	16,732	15,995	14,463	4.7	4.5	4.3	3.9
Greenville.....	89,589	90,260	89,202	89,781	4,251	4,113	3,936	3,638	4.7	4.6	4.4	4.1
Hickory-Lenoir-Morganton.....	174,601	175,532	174,324	174,839	7,266	6,866	6,513	5,859	4.2	3.9	3.7	3.4
Jacksonville.....	64,659	65,013	64,475	64,773	3,095	3,115	2,830	2,652	4.8	4.8	4.4	4.1
New Bern.....	52,234	51,824	51,778	51,665	2,395	2,347	2,164	1,998	4.6	4.5	4.2	3.9
Raleigh.....	691,651	709,043	690,306	708,217	27,321	26,729	24,834	22,996	4.0	3.8	3.6	3.2
Rocky Mount.....	66,650	65,274	65,968	64,851	4,219	4,094	4,326	3,766	6.3	6.3	6.6	5.8

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

State and area	Civilian labor force				Unemployed							
	March		April		Number				Percent of labor force			
	2017	2018	2017	2018 ^P	March		April		March		April	
					2017	2018	2017	2018 ^P	2017	2018	2017	2018 ^P
North Carolina - Continued												
Wilmington.....	144,541	146,703	145,463	146,917	6,112	6,010	5,533	5,142	4.2	4.1	3.8	3.5
Winston-Salem.....	325,168	328,193	323,649	328,110	13,966	13,511	12,729	11,571	4.3	4.1	3.9	3.5
North Dakota.....	411,605	408,592	413,430	406,678	13,708	13,093	10,998	11,699	3.3	3.2	2.7	2.9
Bismarck.....	69,905	69,481	70,276	69,252	2,304	2,442	1,749	2,146	3.3	3.5	2.5	3.1
Fargo.....	137,720	139,587	138,159	138,733	4,170	4,292	3,207	3,743	3.0	3.1	2.3	2.7
Grand Forks.....	56,850	56,701	56,357	56,286	1,920	1,868	1,588	1,624	3.4	3.3	2.8	2.9
Ohio.....	5,759,230	5,789,549	5,761,735	5,788,888	304,017	249,716	266,262	234,293	5.3	4.3	4.6	4.0
Akron.....	359,715	365,461	360,441	362,653	19,661	16,524	16,892	15,205	5.5	4.5	4.7	4.2
Canton-Massillon.....	200,646	201,738	200,610	200,970	11,475	10,207	9,914	9,438	5.7	5.1	4.9	4.7
Cincinnati.....	1,098,995	1,111,441	1,100,326	1,110,342	47,606	41,411	43,036	38,887	4.3	3.7	3.9	3.5
Cleveland-Elyria.....	1,024,726	1,019,318	1,039,267	1,035,699	62,593	48,405	55,746	46,142	6.1	4.7	5.4	4.5
Columbus.....	1,065,083	1,086,710	1,065,881	1,084,172	43,746	37,785	39,267	36,337	4.1	3.5	3.7	3.4
Dayton.....	385,438	395,903	385,100	394,550	18,140	15,334	16,314	14,736	4.7	3.9	4.2	3.7
Lima.....	48,713	48,736	48,604	48,288	2,503	2,041	2,296	1,938	5.1	4.2	4.7	4.0
Mansfield.....	53,299	53,450	52,729	53,072	3,103	2,578	2,738	2,381	5.8	4.8	5.2	4.5
Springfield.....	63,886	64,042	63,702	63,807	3,132	2,584	2,761	2,494	4.9	4.0	4.3	3.9
Toledo.....	305,829	302,344	303,130	302,022	16,311	13,610	15,637	12,770	5.3	4.5	5.2	4.2
Weirton-Steubenville ¹	50,480	50,284	50,989	50,375	3,694	3,312	3,374	3,021	7.3	6.6	6.6	6.0
Youngstown-Warren-Boardman.....	250,026	240,815	245,385	240,123	21,181	13,738	15,218	12,352	8.5	5.7	6.2	5.1
Oklahoma.....	1,826,509	1,856,568	1,822,182	1,850,574	79,598	71,566	72,604	69,698	4.4	3.9	4.0	3.8
Enid.....	28,118	27,598	28,023	27,359	1,144	980	1,036	945	4.1	3.6	3.7	3.5
Lawton.....	52,321	52,533	52,223	52,466	2,246	2,185	2,096	2,197	4.3	4.2	4.0	4.2
Oklahoma City.....	667,210	684,933	666,231	683,473	26,219	24,343	23,778	23,668	3.9	3.6	3.6	3.5
Tulsa.....	475,139	483,675	472,791	484,701	21,551	19,044	19,911	18,630	4.5	3.9	4.2	3.8
Oregon.....	2,075,186	2,116,790	2,085,262	2,101,298	88,471	91,448	79,461	80,904	4.3	4.3	3.8	3.9
Albany.....	57,457	58,957	57,705	58,387	2,831	2,874	2,560	2,561	4.9	4.9	4.4	4.4
Bend-Redmond.....	91,268	94,853	92,319	94,099	4,118	4,351	3,536	3,680	4.5	4.6	3.8	3.9
Corvallis.....	48,260	49,029	48,290	48,545	1,602	1,525	1,320	1,285	3.3	3.1	2.7	2.6
Eugene.....	181,713	185,619	181,524	183,638	8,198	8,472	7,506	7,543	4.5	4.6	4.1	4.1
Grants Pass.....	34,859	35,854	35,122	35,593	1,958	2,159	1,776	1,849	5.6	6.0	5.1	5.2
Medford.....	102,266	105,536	102,655	105,039	5,265	5,436	4,773	4,738	5.1	5.2	4.6	4.5
Portland-Vancouver-Hillsboro.....	1,297,537	1,319,690	1,300,730	1,308,873	51,675	53,278	47,165	48,349	4.0	4.0	3.6	3.7
Salem.....	198,612	200,271	199,496	198,797	8,900	8,966	7,917	7,983	4.5	4.5	4.0	4.0
Pennsylvania.....	6,433,347	6,313,950	6,431,950	6,322,630	333,171	290,570	290,893	251,900	5.2	4.6	4.5	4.0
Allentown-Bethlehem-Easton.....	436,557	429,142	434,791	430,482	22,699	20,830	19,751	18,208	5.2	4.9	4.5	4.2
Altoona.....	60,164	58,558	60,403	58,838	3,104	2,561	2,718	2,251	5.2	4.4	4.5	3.8
Bloomsburg-Berwick.....	43,407	42,416	43,429	42,272	2,369	2,153	1,981	1,718	5.5	5.1	4.6	4.1
Chambersburg-Waynesboro.....	76,658	75,697	76,615	74,842	3,670	3,001	3,136	2,570	4.8	4.0	4.1	3.4
East Stroudsburg.....	82,332	80,658	81,419	79,973	5,127	4,731	4,516	4,081	6.2	5.9	5.5	5.1
Erie.....	131,540	127,686	131,207	127,404	8,328	6,896	7,272	5,862	6.3	5.4	5.5	4.6
Gettysburg.....	55,244	55,059	55,727	54,792	2,106	1,821	1,815	1,574	3.8	3.3	3.3	2.9
Harrisburg-Carlisle.....	294,587	289,405	296,422	290,209	12,570	10,978	11,316	9,811	4.3	3.8	3.8	3.4
Johnstown.....	60,409	58,488	60,158	58,615	3,964	3,183	3,275	2,690	6.6	5.4	5.4	4.6
Lancaster.....	280,042	274,442	281,361	275,099	10,690	9,392	9,456	8,361	3.8	3.4	3.4	3.0
Lebanon.....	70,434	68,995	70,676	68,944	3,003	2,697	2,553	2,382	4.3	3.9	3.6	3.5
Philadelphia-Camden-Wilmington.....	3,093,815	3,066,165	3,092,587	3,068,626	145,883	135,935	134,892	120,972	4.7	4.4	4.4	3.9
Pittsburgh.....	1,207,214	1,185,075	1,205,978	1,188,389	66,147	55,388	56,054	46,963	5.5	4.7	4.6	4.0
Reading.....	212,545	208,896	212,578	208,953	10,282	9,088	9,018	7,976	4.8	4.4	4.2	3.8
Scranton-Wilkes-Barre-Hazleton.....	277,866	274,811	277,466	275,222	17,186	14,920	14,550	12,751	6.2	5.4	5.2	4.6
State College.....	80,462	78,580	80,969	79,219	2,981	2,493	2,627	2,316	3.7	3.2	3.2	2.9
Williamsport.....	58,071	56,191	57,720	55,553	3,736	3,190	3,051	2,597	6.4	5.7	5.3	4.7
York-Hanover.....	234,453	230,476	234,244	230,065	10,369	9,080	9,118	7,992	4.4	3.9	3.9	3.5
Rhode Island.....	549,211	555,469	548,149	555,718	26,644	26,672	22,997	22,366	4.9	4.8	4.1	4.0
Providence-Warwick.....	679,679	688,596	677,236	688,928	34,134	33,358	27,977	27,813	5.0	4.8	4.1	4.0
South Carolina.....	2,299,337	2,322,555	2,304,377	2,296,251	91,254	94,327	84,561	64,108	4.0	4.1	3.7	2.8
Charleston-North Charleston.....	375,970	378,700	376,756	373,268	12,891	13,066	12,036	8,693	3.4	3.5	3.2	2.3
Columbia.....	403,158	401,002	403,029	395,959	15,033	15,759	13,974	10,795	3.7	3.9	3.5	2.7
Florence.....	95,531	95,683	94,947	94,110	4,197	4,272	4,026	2,993	4.4	4.5	4.2	3.2
Greenville-Anderson-Mauldin.....	422,675	428,202	421,790	421,441	15,181	15,660	13,837	10,472	3.6	3.7	3.3	2.5
Hilton Head Island-Bluffton-Beaufort.....	85,273	86,406	86,383	86,564	3,212	3,319	2,950	2,174	3.8	3.8	3.4	2.5
Myrtle Beach-Conway-North Myrtle Beach.....	190,187	193,926	195,567	196,228	9,535	10,088	8,555	7,267	5.0	5.2	4.4	3.7
Spartanburg.....	156,881	159,289	156,833	157,822	5,923	5,991	5,416	4,053	3.8	3.8	3.5	2.6
Sumter.....	44,071	44,074	43,999	43,483	2,099	2,187	2,098	1,513	4.8	5.0	4.8	3.5
South Dakota.....	451,562	457,681	452,900	457,791	16,418	16,333	14,570	15,741	3.6	3.6	3.2	3.4
Rapid City.....	71,697	73,544	72,377	74,149	2,720	2,726	2,448	2,627	3.8	3.7	3.4	3.5
Sioux Falls.....	148,868	150,909	148,245	151,325	4,558	4,674	3,929	4,397	3.1	3.1	2.7	2.9
Tennessee.....	3,184,423	3,234,655	3,182,553	3,250,358	129,301	111,204	107,501	92,804	4.1	3.4	3.4	2.9
Chattanooga.....	265,315	272,245	264,921	274,346	11,022	9,565	9,471	8,157	4.2	3.5	3.6	3.0
Clarksville.....	112,508	113,243	112,426	113,947	5,711	4,648	4,935	3,945	5.1	4.1	4.4	3.5
Cleveland.....	56,473	57,272	56,183	57,788	2,393	2,039	1,967	1,716	4.2	3.6	3.5	3.0
Jackson.....	63,925	64,309	62,950	64,801	2,720	2,411	2,260	2,069	4.3	3.7	3.6	3.2

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

State and area	Civilian labor force				Unemployed							
	March		April		Number				Percent of labor force			
	2017	2018	2017	2018 ^P	March		April		March		April	
					2017	2018	2017	2018 ^P	2017	2018	2017	2018 ^P
Tennessee - Continued												
Johnson City.....	91,063	90,651	91,220	91,109	3,976	3,404	3,286	2,773	4.4	3.8	3.6	3.0
Kingsport-Bristol-Bristol.....	138,400	138,974	138,125	139,609	6,186	5,233	5,156	4,300	4.5	3.8	3.7	3.1
Knoxville.....	417,077	421,836	417,441	421,561	16,113	13,625	13,234	11,170	3.9	3.2	3.2	2.6
Memphis.....	626,796	637,690	625,627	637,301	28,790	25,054	25,004	22,433	4.6	3.9	4.0	3.5
Morristown.....	51,443	51,847	51,266	51,743	2,232	1,923	1,863	1,571	4.3	3.7	3.6	3.0
Nashville-Davidson--Murfreesboro--Franklin.....	1,002,165	1,028,663	1,003,380	1,035,091	31,437	27,699	26,452	23,026	3.1	2.7	2.6	2.2
Texas.....												
Abilene.....	75,665	77,253	75,714	77,344	2,834	2,741	2,596	2,490	3.7	3.5	3.4	3.2
Amarillo.....	131,744	133,355	132,044	133,992	4,236	3,965	3,692	3,461	3.2	3.0	2.8	2.6
Austin-Round Rock.....	1,145,987	1,190,395	1,149,292	1,191,164	37,896	36,803	33,406	32,772	3.3	3.1	2.9	2.8
Beaumont-Port Arthur.....	176,781	176,260	175,907	174,815	12,456	11,738	11,739	10,771	7.0	6.7	6.7	6.2
Brownsville-Harlingen.....	167,576	168,356	167,672	168,206	11,983	10,961	11,427	10,462	7.2	6.5	6.8	6.2
College Station-Bryan.....	130,178	135,660	129,321	134,156	4,283	4,106	3,733	3,658	3.3	3.0	2.9	2.7
Corpus Christi.....	211,751	209,759	210,686	208,637	12,474	11,500	11,728	10,658	5.9	5.5	5.6	5.1
Dallas-Fort Worth-Arlington.....	3,765,100	3,887,962	3,773,905	3,903,466	147,123	143,934	132,899	131,077	3.9	3.7	3.5	3.4
El Paso.....	355,669	361,619	356,314	361,383	17,270	16,253	15,769	15,007	4.9	4.5	4.4	4.2
Houston-The Woodlands-Sugar Land.....	3,322,928	3,395,174	3,323,912	3,407,683	172,978	156,241	161,143	144,796	5.2	4.6	4.8	4.2
Killeen-Temple.....	174,911	177,972	175,388	178,354	7,774	7,344	7,056	6,830	4.4	4.1	4.0	3.8
Laredo.....	115,061	116,324	114,546	116,292	5,260	4,622	4,786	4,192	4.6	4.0	4.2	3.6
Longview.....	97,858	97,766	97,589	97,533	5,580	4,364	5,073	3,994	5.7	4.5	5.2	4.1
Lubbock.....	161,353	165,236	161,626	164,654	5,763	5,784	4,662	4,656	3.6	3.5	2.9	2.8
McAllen-Edinburg-Mission.....	343,954	350,257	344,548	349,027	26,572	24,196	25,111	22,561	7.7	6.9	7.3	6.5
Midland.....	89,284	97,257	90,316	99,812	3,128	2,377	2,752	2,086	3.5	2.4	3.0	2.1
Odessa.....	76,564	80,613	77,224	81,328	3,767	2,538	3,337	2,251	4.9	3.1	4.3	2.8
San Angelo.....	54,902	55,559	54,788	55,379	2,219	1,870	1,954	1,675	4.0	3.4	3.6	3.0
San Antonio-New Braunfels.....	1,160,544	1,187,707	1,161,247	1,188,324	42,781	41,123	38,208	37,220	3.7	3.5	3.3	3.1
Sherman-Denison.....	62,161	63,487	62,038	63,432	2,329	2,105	2,205	1,979	3.7	3.5	3.4	3.1
Texarkana.....	65,063	65,332	65,026	65,185	2,933	3,086	2,712	2,742	4.5	4.7	4.2	4.2
Tyler.....	105,248	107,846	105,647	108,175	4,524	4,040	4,048	3,723	4.3	3.7	3.8	3.4
Victoria.....	46,504	45,770	46,551	45,595	2,381	1,973	1,790	1,790	5.1	4.3	4.7	3.9
Waco.....	124,764	125,785	124,467	125,928	4,831	4,721	4,325	4,342	3.9	3.8	3.5	3.4
Wichita Falls.....	65,194	65,724	65,180	65,594	2,610	2,447	2,260	2,092	4.0	3.7	3.5	3.2
Utah.....												
Logan.....	69,948	71,161	70,308	71,490	2,063	1,976	1,846	1,806	2.9	2.8	2.6	2.5
Ogden-Clearfield.....	321,413	328,191	322,613	328,281	11,176	11,037	10,258	10,175	3.5	3.4	3.2	3.1
Provo-Orem.....	294,866	306,538	295,319	305,992	9,207	9,095	8,393	8,248	3.1	3.0	2.8	2.7
St. George.....	69,763	72,974	70,310	73,328	2,540	2,633	2,397	2,419	3.6	3.6	3.4	3.3
Salt Lake City.....	644,649	663,495	644,920	663,356	21,607	21,529	20,363	19,998	3.4	3.2	3.2	3.0
Vermont.....												
Burlington-South Burlington.....	344,221	349,467	340,810	346,356	12,023	10,637	10,986	10,313	3.5	3.0	3.2	3.0
Virginia.....	124,176	125,878	124,728	126,756	3,330	2,924	2,889	2,731	2.7	2.3	2.3	2.2
Virginia.....												
Blacksburg-Christiansburg-Radford.....	4,307,443	4,348,178	4,312,146	4,350,956	167,999	144,124	150,014	122,773	3.9	3.3	3.5	2.8
Charlottesville.....	92,572	91,071	92,080	91,532	4,748	3,135	3,406	2,617	5.1	3.4	3.7	2.9
Harrisonburg.....	118,911	122,441	119,531	123,537	4,029	3,587	3,575	2,999	3.4	2.9	3.0	2.4
Lynchburg.....	65,776	66,203	66,522	67,009	2,469	2,157	2,175	1,811	3.8	3.3	3.3	2.7
Richmond.....	122,426	123,920	122,309	124,351	5,391	4,738	4,792	3,972	4.4	3.8	3.9	3.2
Roanoke.....	676,210	682,068	675,899	682,082	27,137	23,736	24,913	20,581	4.0	3.5	3.7	3.0
Staunton-Waynesboro.....	157,748	157,742	157,213	157,845	6,151	5,319	5,448	4,501	3.9	3.4	3.5	2.9
Virginia Beach-Norfolk-Newport News.....	59,118	59,704	59,485	59,965	2,207	1,871	1,930	1,597	3.7	3.1	3.2	2.7
Winchester.....	847,712	849,021	850,610	849,180	35,862	30,597	32,741	26,189	4.2	3.6	3.8	3.1
Washington.....	70,336	72,424	71,113	72,860	2,535	2,321	2,234	1,955	3.6	3.2	3.1	2.7
Washington.....												
Bellingham.....	3,696,726	3,765,160	3,693,551	3,742,729	182,054	184,326	162,273	166,044	4.9	4.9	4.4	4.4
Bremerton-Silverdale.....	109,419	110,865	109,016	109,766	5,665	5,769	5,165	5,303	5.2	5.2	4.7	4.8
Kennewick-Richland.....	120,066	121,734	119,542	120,125	6,014	6,343	5,708	5,969	5.0	5.2	4.8	5.0
Longview.....	134,480	137,491	136,240	137,312	8,613	8,894	7,393	7,785	6.4	6.5	5.4	5.7
Mount Vernon-Anacortes.....	46,177	46,220	45,742	45,789	2,892	3,078	2,708	2,856	6.3	6.7	5.9	6.2
Olympia-Tumwater.....	59,148	58,712	58,813	58,511	3,457	3,406	3,159	3,168	5.8	5.8	5.4	5.4
Seattle-Tacoma-Bellevue.....	134,911	136,386	133,321	135,166	6,918	7,211	6,377	6,692	5.1	5.3	4.8	5.0
Spokane-Spokane Valley.....	2,060,106	2,116,587	2,059,684	2,103,154	82,373	82,858	74,400	75,082	4.0	3.9	3.6	3.6
Walla Walla.....	263,127	261,090	261,550	258,607	16,431	16,821	14,109	14,569	6.2	6.4	5.4	5.6
Wenatchee.....	30,332	31,408	30,263	31,165	1,642	1,672	1,376	1,479	5.4	5.3	4.5	4.7
Yakima.....	62,675	62,571	62,657	62,309	3,936	3,930	3,222	3,294	6.3	6.3	5.1	5.3
West Virginia.....	123,417	126,329	124,311	127,191	9,939	9,484	8,343	8,134	8.1	7.5	6.7	6.4
West Virginia.....												
Beckley.....	771,485	778,759	778,528	783,660	43,322	46,504	38,533	42,229	5.6	6.0	4.9	5.4
Charleston.....	44,530	44,738	45,073	45,190	2,783	3,036	2,451	2,737	6.2	6.8	5.4	6.1
Huntington-Ashland.....	94,127	95,200	94,865	95,320	5,091	5,788	4,764	5,174	5.4	6.1	5.0	5.4
Morgantown.....	146,946	146,246	147,069	146,556	8,893	8,527	7,975	7,727	6.1	5.8	5.4	5.3
Parkersburg-Vienna.....	67,295	68,894	67,619	69,304	2,801	3,144	2,461	2,889	4.2	4.6	3.6	4.2
Wheeling.....	38,249	38,132	38,351	38,282	2,325	2,343	2,033	2,141	6.1	6.1	5.3	5.6
Wisconsin.....	65,162	64,955	65,124	64,897	4,374	3,968	3,686	3,545	6.7	6.1	5.7	5.5
Wisconsin.....												
Appleton.....	3,125,799	3,178,131	3,129,780	3,171,174	114,387	101,548	97,378	85,232	3.7	3.2	3.1	2.7
Wausau.....	131,586	134,000	132,067	133,278	4,165	3,836	3,639	3,285	3.2	2.9	2.8	2.5

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

State and area	Civilian labor force				Unemployed							
	March		April		Number				Percent of labor force			
	2017	2018	2017	2018 ^p	March		April		March		April	
					2017	2018	2017	2018 ^p	2017	2018	2017	2018 ^p
Wisconsin - Continued												
Eau Claire.....	93,187	94,164	93,440	93,958	3,321	3,030	2,675	2,490	3.6	3.2	2.9	2.7
Fond du Lac.....	57,030	58,332	57,092	58,094	1,719	1,588	1,443	1,324	3.0	2.7	2.5	2.3
Green Bay.....	173,450	176,596	174,037	176,323	5,951	5,372	4,932	4,553	3.4	3.0	2.8	2.6
Janesville-Beloit.....	85,290	86,293	85,343	85,930	3,776	2,981	3,175	2,365	4.4	3.5	3.7	2.8
La Crosse-Onalaska.....	79,148	79,538	79,162	80,263	2,662	2,355	2,173	1,865	3.4	3.0	2.7	2.3
Madison.....	387,524	396,516	387,446	394,406	10,192	9,348	8,751	7,580	2.6	2.4	2.3	1.9
Milwaukee-Waukesha-West Allis.....	829,768	840,749	825,342	835,127	29,994	26,345	27,168	22,490	3.6	3.1	3.3	2.7
Oshkosh-Neenah.....	93,684	95,148	94,042	94,603	2,890	2,570	2,554	2,226	3.1	2.7	2.7	2.4
Racine.....	99,787	100,414	99,329	99,441	4,392	3,774	3,863	3,192	4.4	3.8	3.9	3.2
Sheboygan.....	61,802	63,562	62,242	63,133	1,817	1,642	1,637	1,382	2.9	2.6	2.6	2.2
Wausau.....	73,695	76,126	73,407	75,708	2,425	2,219	1,983	1,863	3.3	2.9	2.7	2.5
Wyoming.....	293,214	288,761	291,377	285,942	14,259	12,073	12,295	11,257	4.9	4.2	4.2	3.9
Casper.....	40,234	39,507	39,730	39,100	2,421	1,862	2,089	1,689	6.0	4.7	5.3	4.3
Cheyenne.....	49,020	47,934	48,571	47,761	1,998	1,820	1,653	1,630	4.1	3.8	3.4	3.4
Puerto Rico.....	1,122,929	1,087,412	1,115,404	1,090,577	123,154	106,537	128,146	101,870	11.0	9.8	11.5	9.3
Aguadilla-Isabela.....	90,938	88,011	89,807	87,872	14,079	11,822	14,381	11,087	15.5	13.4	16.0	12.6
Arecibo.....	53,073	51,815	52,690	52,057	7,091	6,377	7,264	6,096	13.4	12.3	13.8	11.7
Guayama.....	22,129	21,074	21,861	21,001	3,876	3,187	3,933	2,955	17.5	15.1	18.0	14.1
Mayaguez.....	29,031	26,650	28,973	26,750	3,957	2,986	4,171	2,924	13.6	11.2	14.4	10.9
Ponce.....	96,472	92,230	95,710	92,506	13,979	11,447	14,379	10,897	14.5	12.4	15.0	11.8
San German.....	37,039	34,251	36,479	34,276	5,699	4,618	6,001	4,357	15.4	13.5	16.5	12.7
San Juan-Carolina-Caguas.....	747,284	728,330	744,703	731,690	67,157	59,815	70,534	57,726	9.0	8.2	9.5	7.9

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. 15-01, dated July 15, 2015, and are available on the BLS website at <https://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							
	March		April		Number				Percent of labor force			
	2017	2018	2017	2018 ^p	March		April		March		April	
					2017	2018	2017	2018 ^p	2017	2018	2017	2018 ^p
California.....	19,281,265	19,344,494	19,240,604	19,246,752	997,908	818,548	902,414	737,834	5.2	4.2	4.7	3.8
Los Angeles-Long Beach-Anaheim.....	6,730,088	6,766,573	6,716,182	6,740,723	298,384	260,685	280,811	248,310	4.4	3.9	4.2	3.7
Anaheim-Santa Ana-Irvine.....	1,614,880	1,614,614	1,609,645	1,604,425	59,222	46,009	54,063	41,844	3.7	2.8	3.4	2.6
Los Angeles-Long Beach-Glendale.....	5,115,208	5,151,959	5,106,537	5,136,298	239,162	214,676	226,748	206,466	4.7	4.2	4.4	4.0
San Francisco-Oakland-Hayward.....	2,574,120	2,576,015	2,559,590	2,554,104	89,490	69,231	81,781	62,120	3.5	2.7	3.2	2.4
Oakland-Hayward-Berkeley.....	1,412,948	1,413,205	1,404,275	1,401,352	55,450	42,585	50,553	38,357	3.9	3.0	3.6	2.7
San Francisco-Redwood City-South San Francisco.....	1,020,134	1,021,925	1,014,891	1,013,522	29,801	23,376	27,333	20,781	2.9	2.3	2.7	2.1
San Rafael.....	141,038	140,885	140,424	139,230	4,239	3,270	3,895	2,982	3.0	2.3	2.8	2.1
District of Columbia.....	399,738	406,302	399,234	408,712	23,776	23,031	22,272	20,545	5.9	5.7	5.6	5.0
Washington-Arlington-Alexandria ²	3,381,547	3,422,637	3,375,015	3,411,710	125,545	124,297	114,802	107,061	3.7	3.6	3.4	3.1
Silver Spring-Frederick-Rockville ³	686,869	693,711	681,419	687,347	22,356	25,556	20,158	21,276	3.3	3.7	3.0	3.1
Washington-Arlington-Alexandria ²	2,694,678	2,728,926	2,693,596	2,724,363	103,189	98,741	94,644	85,785	3.8	3.6	3.5	3.1
Florida.....	10,079,800	10,228,266	10,091,093	10,201,847	419,457	387,276	398,973	347,578	4.2	3.8	4.0	3.4
Miami-Fort Lauderdale-West Palm Beach.....	3,115,502	3,151,107	3,143,080	3,157,156	136,759	130,976	131,070	115,783	4.4	4.2	4.2	3.7
Fort Lauderdale-Pompano Beach-Deerfield Beach.....	1,024,016	1,036,812	1,020,659	1,032,334	39,757	36,188	37,909	32,804	3.9	3.5	3.7	3.2
Miami-Miami Beach-Kendall.....	1,361,315	1,379,957	1,396,688	1,401,126	68,030	68,472	65,840	59,412	5.0	5.0	4.7	4.2
West Palm Beach-Boca Raton-Delray Beach.....	730,171	734,338	725,733	723,696	28,972	26,316	27,321	23,567	4.0	3.6	3.8	3.3
Illinois.....	6,478,093	6,496,446	6,462,314	6,448,751	321,186	285,769	291,942	233,163	5.0	4.4	4.5	3.6
Chicago-Naperville-Elgin ²	4,891,068	4,893,315	4,870,738	4,841,889	232,838	211,917	219,951	173,832	4.8	4.3	4.5	3.6
Chicago-Naperville-Arlington Heights.....	3,776,577	3,759,867	3,755,838	3,706,969	175,628	159,593	174,070	131,958	4.7	4.2	4.6	3.6
Elgin.....	321,952	328,672	320,052	326,215	17,370	15,638	13,502	12,044	5.4	4.8	4.2	3.7
Gary ³	337,320	338,327	338,997	341,059	17,048	16,022	14,476	13,891	5.1	4.7	4.3	4.1
Lake County-Kenosha County ²	455,219	466,449	455,851	467,646	22,792	20,664	17,903	15,939	5.0	4.4	3.9	3.4
Massachusetts.....	3,657,658	3,726,752	3,646,782	3,750,967	149,623	142,833	130,569	123,201	4.1	3.8	3.6	3.3
Boston-Cambridge-Nashua ²	2,702,627	2,752,088	2,696,477	2,772,337	96,886	92,621	87,026	82,066	3.6	3.4	3.2	3.0
Boston-Cambridge-Newton.....	1,606,115	1,636,965	1,603,267	1,651,403	53,025	51,022	48,359	45,365	3.3	3.1	3.0	2.7
Brockton-Bridgewater-Easton.....	107,288	109,600	107,145	110,391	4,845	4,519	4,337	3,939	4.5	4.1	4.0	3.6
Framingham.....	157,555	159,403	156,599	160,235	5,332	5,112	4,695	4,372	3.4	3.2	3.0	2.7
Haverhill-Newburyport-Amesbury Town ²	113,841	116,873	113,939	117,868	4,457	4,106	3,857	3,656	3.9	3.5	3.4	3.1
Lawrence-Methuen Town-Salem ²	97,000	98,680	96,718	99,063	5,365	5,033	4,766	4,513	5.5	5.1	4.9	4.6
Lowell-Billerica-Chelmsford ²	189,753	194,029	189,352	195,158	7,684	7,267	6,832	6,378	4.0	3.7	3.6	3.3
Lynn-Saugus-Marblehead.....	84,684	86,141	84,307	86,676	3,261	3,057	2,874	2,696	3.9	3.5	3.4	3.1
Nashua ²	170,004	171,712	169,712	172,048	5,796	5,616	5,016	5,224	3.4	3.3	3.0	3.0
Peabody-Salem-Beverly.....	92,466	93,234	92,000	93,634	3,259	3,226	2,965	2,869	3.5	3.5	3.2	3.1
Taunton-Middleborough-Norton.....	83,921	85,451	83,438	85,861	3,862	3,663	3,325	3,054	4.6	4.3	4.0	3.6
Michigan.....	4,864,645	4,896,710	4,829,355	4,878,476	230,931	227,139	181,556	193,784	4.7	4.6	3.8	4.0
Detroit-Warren-Dearborn.....	2,101,063	2,106,760	2,076,197	2,092,680	95,119	90,018	69,782	75,935	4.5	4.3	3.4	3.6
Detroit-Dearborn-Livonia.....	787,079	790,080	775,431	783,281	42,512	39,720	31,750	33,530	5.4	5.0	4.1	4.2
Warren-Troy-Farmington Hills.....	1,313,985	1,316,678	1,300,766	1,309,399	52,608	50,297	38,032	42,404	4.0	3.8	2.9	3.2
New York.....	9,711,006	9,632,114	9,687,025	9,621,092	452,962	458,140	421,390	419,199	4.7	4.8	4.4	4.4
New York-Newark-Jersey City ²	10,119,584	10,046,107	10,094,000	10,001,592	442,290	440,510	415,423	403,117	4.4	4.4	4.1	4.0
Dutchess County-Putnam County.....	195,108	193,589	195,589	194,348	8,095	8,645	7,800	7,854	4.1	4.5	4.0	4.0
Nassau County-Suffolk County.....	1,482,557	1,464,661	1,484,141	1,474,986	62,885	66,788	58,583	58,933	4.2	4.6	3.9	4.0
Newark ³	1,248,951	1,229,534	1,248,161	1,217,361	56,310	57,512	52,502	50,008	4.5	4.7	4.2	4.1
New York-Jersey City-White Plains ²	7,192,968	7,158,323	7,166,109	7,114,897	315,000	307,565	296,538	286,322	4.4	4.3	4.1	4.0
Pennsylvania.....	6,433,347	6,313,950	6,431,950	6,322,630	333,171	290,570	290,893	251,900	5.2	4.6	4.5	4.0
Philadelphia-Camden-Wilmington ²	3,093,815	3,066,165	3,092,587	3,068,626	145,883	135,935	134,892	120,972	4.7	4.4	4.4	3.9
Camden ³	643,451	641,773	641,748	638,679	28,847	29,388	26,451	25,628	4.5	4.6	4.1	4.0
Montgomery County-Bucks County-Chester County.....	1,069,079	1,051,509	1,071,534	1,055,709	42,296	37,789	38,404	33,668	4.0	3.6	3.6	3.2
Philadelphia.....	1,000,005	987,721	999,099	989,980	56,709	52,393	52,989	47,021	5.7	5.3	5.3	4.7
Wilmington ³	381,280	385,162	380,206	384,258	18,031	16,365	17,048	14,655	4.7	4.2	4.5	3.8
Texas.....	13,517,746	13,836,504	13,527,232	13,860,323	613,327	569,424	559,386	520,158	4.5	4.1	4.1	3.8
Dallas-Fort Worth-Arlington.....	3,765,100	3,887,962	3,773,905	3,903,466	147,123	143,934	132,899	131,077	3.9	3.7	3.5	3.4
Dallas-Plano-Irving.....	2,540,338	2,630,334	2,547,672	2,639,162	98,272	97,289	98,460	88,881	3.9	3.7	3.5	3.4
Fort Worth-Arlington.....	1,224,762	1,257,628	1,226,233	1,264,304	48,851	46,645	43,439	42,196	4.0	3.7	3.5	3.3
Washington.....	3,696,726	3,765,160	3,693,551	3,742,729	182,054	184,326	162,273	166,044	4.9	4.9	4.4	4.4
Seattle-Tacoma-Bellevue.....	2,060,106	2,116,587	2,059,684	2,103,154	82,373	82,858	74,040	75,082	4.0	3.9	3.6	3.6
Seattle-Bellevue-Everett.....	1,644,403	1,695,994	1,647,507	1,684,534	59,205	58,648	52,465	52,282	3.6	3.5	3.2	3.1
Tacoma-Lakewood.....	415,703	420,593	412,177	418,620	23,168	24,210	21,575	22,800	5.6	5.8	5.2	5.4

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. 15-01, dated July 15, 2015, and are available on the BLS website at <https://www.bls.gov/lau/lau/msa.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, NJ, are totally outside the states under which their metropolitan areas are listed. For Washington-Arlington-Alexandria, DC-VA-MD-WV, the metropolitan area and division titles are identical. Estimates for the latest month are subject to revision the following month.

**ESTABLISHMENT DATA
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Table 3. Employees on nonfarm payrolls by state and metropolitan area, not seasonally adjusted
[In thousands]

State and area	March		April		Change from April 2017 to April 2018 ^P	
	2017	2018	2017	2018 ^P	Number	Percent
Alabama.....	2,008.0	2,025.3	2,014.6	2,039.2	24.6	1.2
Anniston-Oxford-Jacksonville.....	46.8	47.3	47.0	47.5	0.5	1.1
Auburn-Opelika.....	64.8	65.5	64.6	65.9	1.3	2.0
Birmingham-Hoover.....	526.7	533.2	527.6	537.6	10.0	1.9
Daphne-Fairhope-Foley.....	74.4	77.1	75.6	78.3	2.7	3.6
Decatur.....	54.0	54.5	53.7	54.5	0.8	1.5
Dothan.....	57.9	58.2	58.0	58.5	0.5	0.9
Florence-Muscle Shoals.....	57.1	56.6	57.0	57.1	0.1	0.2
Gadsden.....	37.9	38.1	37.8	38.3	0.5	1.3
Huntsville.....	230.6	236.8	231.7	238.3	6.6	2.8
Mobile.....	183.9	184.6	184.2	186.6	2.4	1.3
Montgomery.....	177.5	177.3	177.8	177.3	-0.5	-0.3
Tuscaloosa.....	107.1	109.9	107.6	109.9	2.3	2.1
Alaska.....	318.3	317.3	322.2	320.5	-1.7	-0.5
Anchorage.....	172.6	170.5	174.5	173.6	-0.9	-0.5
Fairbanks.....	36.7	36.5	37.3	36.9	-0.4	-1.1
Arizona.....	2,769.5	2,837.9	2,780.1	2,843.2	63.1	2.3
Flagstaff.....	66.1	67.3	67.8	68.4	0.6	0.9
Lake Havasu City-Kingman.....	49.4	50.5	50.2	51.6	1.4	2.8
Phoenix-Mesa-Scottsdale.....	2,027.0	2,090.8	2,036.3	2,092.7	56.4	2.8
Prescott.....	63.0	65.1	63.9	65.7	1.8	2.8
Sierra Vista-Douglas.....	34.2	33.3	33.9	33.5	-0.4	-1.2
Tucson.....	380.4	383.8	379.6	384.9	5.3	1.4
Yuma.....	56.2	55.9	54.7	54.5	-0.2	-0.4
Arkansas.....	1,238.4	1,243.5	1,244.3	1,250.4	6.1	0.5
Fayetteville-Springdale-Rogers.....	252.7	258.3	253.9	260.5	6.6	2.6
Fort Smith.....	113.1	112.0	113.0	112.2	-0.8	-0.7
Hot Springs.....	38.3	38.3	38.9	38.9	0.0	0.0
Jonesboro.....	57.1	58.3	57.3	58.5	1.2	2.1
Little Rock-North Little Rock-Conway.....	356.6	361.3	358.5	360.7	2.2	0.6
Pine Bluff.....	32.9	32.9	33.2	32.9	-0.3	-0.9
California.....	16,665.1	17,016.3	16,725.4	17,087.2	361.8	2.2
Bakersfield.....	256.3	260.2	257.1	260.3	3.2	1.2
Chico.....	81.1	82.6	81.9	83.6	1.7	2.1
El Centro.....	54.3	54.4	53.5	54.4	0.9	1.7
Fresno.....	340.3	349.9	342.9	352.6	9.7	2.8
Hanford-Corcoran.....	38.3	39.2	38.8	39.3	0.5	1.3
Los Angeles-Long Beach-Anaheim.....	6,011.0	6,101.8	6,023.7	6,117.8	94.1	1.6
Madera.....	36.9	38.1	37.3	38.3	1.0	2.7
Merced.....	66.7	68.6	67.1	69.3	2.2	3.3
Modesto.....	172.0	175.6	173.4	176.1	2.7	1.6
Napa.....	71.5	71.1	71.6	71.8	0.2	0.3
Oxnard-Thousand Oaks-Ventura.....	301.9	307.6	303.8	308.0	4.2	1.4
Redding.....	65.0	65.9	65.8	66.9	1.1	1.7
Riverside-San Bernardino-Ontario.....	1,438.2	1,487.1	1,439.6	1,488.6	49.0	3.4
Sacramento--Roseville--Arden-Arcade.....	957.3	977.4	959.5	982.1	22.6	2.4
Salinas.....	135.2	140.9	137.3	142.3	5.0	3.6
San Diego-Carlsbad.....	1,439.7	1,466.4	1,448.4	1,480.5	32.1	2.2
San Francisco-Oakland-Hayward.....	2,379.7	2,417.9	2,382.0	2,426.8	44.8	1.9
San Jose-Sunnyvale-Santa Clara.....	1,085.6	1,115.6	1,086.5	1,125.0	38.5	3.5
San Luis Obispo-Paso Robles-Arroyo Grande.....	116.7	118.6	118.2	120.1	1.9	1.6
Santa Cruz-Watsonville.....	101.2	104.1	101.9	104.8	2.9	2.8
Santa Maria-Santa Barbara.....	180.7	184.5	182.5	185.4	2.9	1.6
Santa Rosa.....	203.4	207.8	205.3	208.4	3.1	1.5
Stockton-Lodi.....	229.5	238.7	231.4	240.6	9.2	4.0
Vallejo-Fairfield.....	136.5	138.9	137.6	140.1	2.5	1.8
Visalia-Porterville.....	124.4	127.8	125.0	128.2	3.2	2.6
Yuba City.....	42.4	44.1	43.3	44.3	1.0	2.3
Colorado.....	2,631.5	2,700.6	2,640.6	2,709.8	69.2	2.6

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

State and area	March		April		Change from April 2017 to April 2018 ^P	
	2017	2018	2017	2018 ^P	Number	Percent
Colorado - Continued						
Boulder.....	188.3	192.7	189.3	193.0	3.7	2.0
Colorado Springs.....	283.0	291.1	284.9	294.0	9.1	3.2
Denver-Aurora-Lakewood.....	1,441.1	1,479.2	1,449.3	1,487.6	38.3	2.6
Fort Collins.....	162.5	167.2	164.6	169.2	4.6	2.8
Grand Junction.....	61.9	63.1	62.2	63.8	1.6	2.6
Greeley.....	103.1	107.8	104.0	107.9	3.9	3.8
Pueblo.....	62.2	62.0	62.9	62.7	-0.2	-0.3
Connecticut.....	1,661.9	1,670.0	1,676.3	1,686.4	10.1	0.6
Bridgeport-Stamford-Norwalk.....	401.2	399.4	404.2	403.5	-0.7	-0.2
Danbury.....	76.9	78.2	78.1	78.9	0.8	1.0
Hartford-West Hartford-East Hartford.....	567.7	574.7	570.9	576.4	5.5	1.0
New Haven.....	281.0	279.2	286.0	286.5	0.5	0.2
Norwich-New London-Westerly.....	127.8	128.3	129.4	130.0	0.6	0.5
Waterbury.....	66.2	65.7	66.6	65.8	-0.8	-1.2
Delaware.....	450.1	453.1	453.8	458.2	4.4	1.0
Dover.....	69.5	69.3	69.9	70.1	0.2	0.3
Salisbury ¹	151.9	152.8	156.1	157.6	1.5	1.0
District of Columbia.....	789.6	792.1	790.9	797.0	6.1	0.8
Washington-Arlington-Alexandria.....	3,250.6	3,288.3	3,269.2	3,307.9	38.7	1.2
Florida.....	8,590.8	8,774.8	8,598.7	8,776.8	178.1	2.1
Cape Coral-Fort Myers.....	268.6	269.0	267.0	267.9	0.9	0.3
Crestview-Fort Walton Beach-Destin.....	112.3	117.8	113.4	118.7	5.3	4.7
Deltona-Daytona Beach-Ormond Beach.....	202.7	204.1	202.7	205.2	2.5	1.2
Gainesville.....	143.7	145.0	144.0	146.1	2.1	1.5
Homosassa Springs.....	33.4	33.7	33.7	33.7	0.0	0.0
Jacksonville.....	683.1	704.6	688.1	705.4	17.3	2.5
Lakeland-Winter Haven.....	221.8	226.0	220.4	225.9	5.5	2.5
Miami-Fort Lauderdale-West Palm Beach.....	2,642.0	2,671.0	2,640.7	2,666.2	25.5	1.0
Naples-Immokalee-Marco Island.....	149.7	146.6	149.3	145.7	-3.6	-2.4
North Port-Sarasota-Bradenton.....	304.2	309.5	302.1	309.2	7.1	2.4
Ocala.....	102.0	103.6	102.5	104.3	1.8	1.8
Orlando-Kissimmee-Sanford.....	1,243.1	1,286.7	1,244.7	1,284.7	40.0	3.2
Palm Bay-Melbourne-Titusville.....	214.6	216.1	215.3	217.2	1.9	0.9
Panama City.....	84.0	85.7	84.0	86.9	2.9	3.5
Pensacola-Ferry Pass-Brent.....	176.8	179.2	178.2	180.0	1.8	1.0
Port St. Lucie.....	146.7	148.3	146.6	148.8	2.2	1.5
Punta Gorda.....	48.9	49.2	48.7	49.2	0.5	1.0
Sebastian-Vero Beach.....	52.0	52.4	52.0	52.6	0.6	1.2
Sebring.....	26.6	25.8	26.4	26.0	-0.4	-1.5
Tallahassee.....	180.4	183.7	182.6	185.1	2.5	1.4
Tampa-St. Petersburg-Clearwater.....	1,320.4	1,352.2	1,323.4	1,357.6	34.2	2.6
The Villages.....	28.5	28.8	28.4	28.8	0.4	1.4
Georgia.....	4,418.9	4,489.5	4,442.0	4,511.6	69.6	1.6
Albany.....	63.5	62.9	62.7	63.1	0.4	0.6
Athens-Clarke County.....	95.5	98.5	97.6	99.5	1.9	1.9
Atlanta-Sandy Springs-Roswell.....	2,698.1	2,744.6	2,711.4	2,752.7	41.3	1.5
Augusta-Richmond County.....	235.4	242.4	238.1	245.4	7.3	3.1
Brunswick.....	43.6	43.7	44.2	44.3	0.1	0.2
Columbus.....	121.0	121.5	120.9	121.4	0.5	0.4
Dalton.....	67.0	67.5	67.3	67.7	0.4	0.6
Gainesville.....	88.4	92.1	89.1	92.8	3.7	4.2
Hinesville.....	20.4	20.5	20.5	20.4	-0.1	-0.5
Macon-Bibb County.....	102.7	102.7	102.7	102.8	0.1	0.1
Rome.....	41.0	41.3	41.1	41.5	0.4	1.0
Savannah.....	177.1	179.0	178.6	179.6	1.0	0.6
Valdosta.....	56.0	56.5	56.2	57.0	0.8	1.4
Warner Robins.....	73.5	74.4	73.7	74.8	1.1	1.5
Hawaii.....	655.6	664.1	652.0	661.4	9.4	1.4

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[In thousands]

State and area	March		April		Change from April 2017 to April 2018 ^P	
	2017	2018	2017	2018 ^P	Number	Percent
Hawaii - Continued						
Kahului-Wailuku-Lahaina.....	76.5	77.8	75.8	77.1	1.3	1.7
Urban Honolulu.....	479.6	485.5	476.6	483.2	6.6	1.4
Idaho.....	703.5	725.4	708.4	730.7	22.3	3.1
Boise City.....	311.9	322.0	313.9	325.0	11.1	3.5
Coeur d'Alene.....	61.3	62.3	62.7	64.3	1.6	2.6
Idaho Falls.....	63.9	66.1	64.9	66.4	1.5	2.3
Lewiston.....	28.5	29.1	28.8	29.5	0.7	2.4
Pocatello.....	36.6	37.8	36.7	38.0	1.3	3.5
Illinois.....	5,979.9	6,023.7	6,034.6	6,082.9	48.3	0.8
Bloomington.....	93.0	93.3	95.4	94.8	-0.6	-0.6
Carbondale-Marion.....	58.2	56.7	58.6	57.6	-1.0	-1.7
Champaign-Urbana.....	110.9	112.4	112.8	113.7	0.9	0.8
Chicago-Naperville-Elgin.....	4,631.8	4,656.2	4,664.2	4,698.9	34.7	0.7
Danville.....	28.2	27.9	28.4	28.1	-0.3	-1.1
Davenport-Moline-Rock Island ¹	181.3	184.8	183.4	186.1	2.7	1.5
Decatur.....	50.8	51.0	51.0	51.2	0.2	0.4
Kankakee.....	45.5	47.4	46.3	48.1	1.8	3.9
Peoria.....	168.4	170.4	172.9	172.4	-0.5	-0.3
Rockford.....	142.9	149.4	149.3	150.9	1.6	1.1
Springfield.....	113.7	110.5	113.9	112.5	-1.4	-1.2
Indiana.....	3,080.6	3,101.2	3,099.9	3,123.8	23.9	0.8
Bloomington.....	77.2	75.4	77.3	76.5	-0.8	-1.0
Columbus.....	52.9	53.5	52.6	53.9	1.3	2.5
Elkhart-Goshen.....	135.3	142.8	135.8	143.3	7.5	5.5
Evansville.....	157.9	161.8	158.1	162.7	4.6	2.9
Fort Wayne.....	219.1	222.2	220.6	223.8	3.2	1.5
Indianapolis-Carmel-Anderson.....	1,045.1	1,063.8	1,054.3	1,066.5	12.2	1.2
Kokomo.....	41.1	42.9	41.5	43.2	1.7	4.1
Lafayette-West Lafayette.....	103.4	104.5	102.7	105.9	3.2	3.1
Michigan City-La Porte.....	41.2	40.8	41.7	41.1	-0.6	-1.4
Muncie.....	52.7	52.6	51.7	53.2	1.5	2.9
South Bend-Mishawaka.....	142.4	143.7	142.7	144.3	1.6	1.1
Terre Haute.....	70.5	70.6	71.1	70.9	-0.2	-0.3
Iowa.....	1,554.9	1,566.5	1,577.6	1,585.8	8.2	0.5
Ames.....	53.6	54.8	54.6	55.9	1.3	2.4
Cedar Rapids.....	142.6	143.1	144.2	145.3	1.1	0.8
Des Moines-West Des Moines.....	358.8	361.3	364.5	367.8	3.3	0.9
Dubuque.....	59.4	59.3	60.2	60.0	-0.2	-0.3
Iowa City.....	101.2	102.1	102.6	103.1	0.5	0.5
Sioux City.....	86.2	87.0	86.9	87.7	0.8	0.9
Waterloo-Cedar Falls.....	90.1	90.0	91.4	91.2	-0.2	-0.2
Kansas.....	1,401.0	1,410.9	1,402.1	1,422.2	20.1	1.4
Lawrence.....	54.1	54.0	54.6	54.9	0.3	0.5
Manhattan.....	43.2	43.3	43.6	44.0	0.4	0.9
Topeka.....	111.6	111.3	110.8	111.8	1.0	0.9
Wichita.....	295.3	293.9	296.3	296.4	0.1	0.0
Kentucky.....	1,905.5	1,911.4	1,919.4	1,928.9	9.5	0.5
Bowling Green.....	75.8	77.1	77.1	78.3	1.2	1.6
Elizabethtown-Fort Knox.....	55.8	56.3	56.9	56.7	-0.2	-0.4
Lexington-Fayette.....	274.9	274.9	277.9	279.8	1.9	0.7
Louisville/Jefferson County.....	658.0	665.6	662.3	671.1	8.8	1.3
Owensboro.....	54.0	54.3	53.9	54.6	0.7	1.3
Louisiana.....	1,970.3	1,979.3	1,974.3	1,997.1	22.8	1.2
Alexandria.....	61.7	62.2	62.2	62.4	0.2	0.3
Baton Rouge.....	408.1	409.3	407.5	412.7	5.2	1.3
Hammond.....	45.8	46.8	45.8	46.9	1.1	2.4
Houma-Thibodaux.....	85.8	85.7	85.6	85.9	0.3	0.4
Lafayette.....	202.1	200.4	202.1	201.6	-0.5	-0.2

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

State and area	March		April		Change from April 2017 to April 2018 ^P	
	2017	2018	2017	2018 ^P	Number	Percent
Louisiana - Continued						
Lake Charles.....	113.2	118.7	114.5	119.2	4.7	4.1
Monroe.....	78.4	78.9	78.6	78.8	0.2	0.3
New Orleans-Metairie.....	574.4	577.0	577.7	582.5	4.8	0.8
Shreveport-Bossier City.....	180.3	179.4	179.8	180.0	0.2	0.1
Maine.....	604.8	608.3	611.0	615.2	4.2	0.7
Bangor.....	65.8	65.2	67.1	66.3	-0.8	-1.2
Lewiston-Auburn.....	50.3	50.1	50.5	50.6	0.1	0.2
Portland-South Portland.....	200.8	201.7	203.0	204.1	1.1	0.5
Maryland.....	2,696.2	2,711.5	2,719.0	2,728.9	9.9	0.4
Baltimore-Columbia-Towson.....	1,380.4	1,404.5	1,392.9	1,413.8	20.9	1.5
California-Lexington Park.....	44.6	45.1	44.8	45.1	0.3	0.7
Cumberland.....	39.0	39.1	39.2	39.6	0.4	1.0
Hagerstown-Martinsburg.....	103.8	104.1	104.3	104.9	0.6	0.6
Massachusetts.....	3,540.1	3,578.2	3,590.4	3,636.5	46.1	1.3
Barnstable Town.....	96.0	98.0	101.3	102.7	1.4	1.4
Boston-Cambridge-Nashua.....	2,695.7	2,719.1	2,728.2	2,765.1	36.9	1.4
Leominster-Gardner.....	51.9	52.6	52.6	53.4	0.8	1.5
New Bedford.....	66.7	67.3	67.6	68.2	0.6	0.9
Pittsfield.....	40.4	40.3	40.9	40.9	0.0	0.0
Springfield.....	330.7	334.8	336.4	339.9	3.5	1.0
Worcester.....	283.4	287.0	285.7	291.0	5.3	1.9
Michigan.....	4,317.0	4,380.0	4,349.2	4,393.9	44.7	1.0
Ann Arbor.....	220.8	224.7	222.2	225.3	3.1	1.4
Battle Creek.....	58.6	58.2	58.6	58.1	-0.5	-0.9
Bay City.....	35.2	35.3	35.5	35.3	-0.2	-0.6
Detroit-Warren-Dearborn.....	1,977.8	2,001.8	1,993.1	2,010.2	17.1	0.9
Flint.....	138.8	139.6	140.6	141.1	0.5	0.4
Grand Rapids-Wyoming.....	548.0	559.5	551.1	563.9	12.8	2.3
Jackson.....	57.8	58.3	57.9	58.6	0.7	1.2
Kalamazoo-Portage.....	147.2	148.7	147.7	149.0	1.3	0.9
Lansing-East Lansing.....	235.2	237.8	237.5	239.9	2.4	1.0
Midland.....	37.2	36.7	37.3	37.1	-0.2	-0.5
Monroe.....	42.2	42.2	42.3	42.5	0.2	0.5
Muskegon.....	63.6	63.5	64.4	63.6	-0.8	-1.2
Niles-Benton Harbor.....	61.7	61.5	61.7	61.5	-0.2	-0.3
Saginaw.....	87.5	87.1	87.5	87.3	-0.2	-0.2
Minnesota.....	2,880.4	2,901.5	2,913.4	2,924.9	11.5	0.4
Duluth.....	135.0	136.8	136.6	137.3	0.7	0.5
Mankato-North Mankato.....	57.2	58.5	57.8	58.9	1.1	1.9
Minneapolis-St. Paul-Bloomington.....	1,956.3	1,971.6	1,976.4	1,990.2	13.8	0.7
Rochester.....	117.9	117.8	119.1	118.3	-0.8	-0.7
St. Cloud.....	108.9	109.5	110.3	110.5	0.2	0.2
Mississippi.....	1,150.7	1,165.1	1,154.9	1,168.6	13.7	1.2
Gulfport-Biloxi-Pascagoula.....	154.5	154.7	155.5	155.4	-0.1	-0.1
Hattiesburg.....	64.7	65.7	64.7	65.8	1.1	1.7
Jackson.....	279.9	284.0	280.8	283.8	3.0	1.1
Missouri.....	2,843.3	2,877.5	2,877.2	2,907.7	30.5	1.1
Cape Girardeau.....	43.9	45.0	44.4	45.4	1.0	2.3
Columbia.....	100.0	100.3	101.0	101.3	0.3	0.3
Jefferson City.....	77.9	77.0	78.0	77.7	-0.3	-0.4
Joplin.....	81.0	81.3	81.5	81.6	0.1	0.1
Kansas City.....	1,070.7	1,085.6	1,080.0	1,094.8	14.8	1.4
St. Joseph.....	64.4	64.8	64.5	64.9	0.4	0.6
St. Louis ²	1,364.6	1,377.1	1,380.5	1,390.9	10.4	0.8
Springfield.....	211.3	213.3	213.2	214.9	1.7	0.8
Montana.....	463.5	467.1	469.2	472.4	3.2	0.7
Billings.....	84.0	84.1	85.3	85.2	-0.1	-0.1
Great Falls.....	35.7	35.5	36.0	35.8	-0.2	-0.6

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

State and area	March		April		Change from April 2017 to April 2018 ^P	
	2017	2018	2017	2018 ^P	Number	Percent
Montana - Continued						
Missoula.....	60.5	61.1	61.1	61.7	0.6	1.0
Nebraska.....	1,010.8	1,016.8	1,019.4	1,026.7	7.3	0.7
Grand Island.....	42.0	42.4	42.4	42.4	0.0	0.0
Lincoln.....	188.1	187.8	189.0	189.6	0.6	0.3
Omaha-Council Bluffs.....	495.6	498.6	499.6	504.3	4.7	0.9
Nevada.....	1,329.5	1,363.7	1,330.4	1,373.4	43.0	3.2
Carson City.....	29.4	30.5	29.9	30.7	0.8	2.7
Las Vegas-Henderson-Paradise.....	973.1	993.9	970.7	1,000.0	29.3	3.0
Reno.....	226.1	235.7	228.4	238.1	9.7	4.2
New Hampshire.....	664.6	672.2	668.5	677.6	9.1	1.4
Dover-Durham.....	54.2	54.5	54.9	55.3	0.4	0.7
Manchester.....	112.0	111.3	112.5	112.6	0.1	0.1
Portsmouth.....	90.0	91.7	91.5	92.4	0.9	1.0
New Jersey.....	4,059.3	4,125.4	4,095.2	4,151.5	56.3	1.4
Atlantic City-Hamilton.....	125.5	128.0	126.0	130.3	4.3	3.4
Ocean City.....	34.0	36.5	37.7	39.3	1.6	4.2
Trenton.....	262.5	270.3	265.5	272.5	7.0	2.6
Vineland-Bridgeton.....	58.0	59.1	58.9	59.3	0.4	0.7
New Mexico.....	827.9	837.2	833.0	843.1	10.1	1.2
Albuquerque.....	386.8	392.2	389.9	394.8	4.9	1.3
Farmington.....	48.6	49.1	49.3	49.2	-0.1	-0.2
Las Cruces.....	71.9	70.4	72.3	70.9	-1.4	-1.9
Santa Fe.....	62.9	63.3	62.5	63.2	0.7	1.1
New York.....	9,398.5	9,501.2	9,470.2	9,577.8	107.6	1.1
Albany-Schenectady-Troy.....	463.2	469.7	469.3	472.4	3.1	0.7
Binghamton.....	103.5	103.1	104.4	103.4	-1.0	-1.0
Buffalo-Cheektowaga-Niagara Falls.....	555.6	563.6	558.6	565.7	7.1	1.3
Elmira.....	36.5	36.0	36.6	36.2	-0.4	-1.1
Glens Falls.....	53.6	53.6	53.9	54.3	0.4	0.7
Ithaca.....	64.5	66.7	66.2	67.9	1.7	2.6
Kingston.....	60.8	61.3	61.5	62.2	0.7	1.1
New York-Newark-Jersey City.....	9,549.8	9,667.9	9,613.9	9,727.4	113.5	1.2
Rochester.....	527.5	534.3	535.9	541.0	5.1	1.0
Syracuse.....	313.3	314.7	317.1	320.1	3.0	0.9
Utica-Rome.....	126.3	124.6	127.5	125.6	-1.9	-1.5
Watertown-Fort Drum.....	40.6	41.0	41.4	41.5	0.1	0.2
North Carolina.....	4,376.8	4,459.3	4,402.3	4,485.5	83.2	1.9
Asheville.....	188.6	191.5	189.8	193.3	3.5	1.8
Burlington.....	61.4	61.4	61.5	61.4	-0.1	-0.2
Charlotte-Concord-Gastonia.....	1,167.6	1,201.0	1,172.8	1,205.3	32.5	2.8
Durham-Chapel Hill.....	308.4	313.3	310.2	313.8	3.6	1.2
Fayetteville.....	130.1	130.6	130.5	131.3	0.8	0.6
Goldsboro.....	41.8	41.6	42.4	41.6	-0.8	-1.9
Greensboro-High Point.....	357.5	360.5	360.4	363.1	2.7	0.7
Greenville.....	79.6	80.4	79.7	80.4	0.7	0.9
Hickory-Lenoir-Morganton.....	153.5	154.3	154.5	155.1	0.6	0.4
Jacksonville.....	49.5	49.6	49.7	49.9	0.2	0.4
New Bern.....	45.0	44.6	44.9	44.8	-0.1	-0.2
Raleigh.....	607.9	624.1	610.4	628.6	18.2	3.0
Rocky Mount.....	56.5	55.5	55.9	55.5	-0.4	-0.7
Wilmington.....	124.1	125.8	125.9	127.0	1.1	0.9
Winston-Salem.....	262.7	265.1	262.9	267.5	4.6	1.7
North Dakota.....	424.2	420.3	431.3	423.0	-8.3	-1.9
Bismarck.....	72.6	71.5	74.2	72.2	-2.0	-2.7
Fargo.....	139.5	140.2	141.8	140.9	-0.9	-0.6
Grand Forks.....	56.7	56.2	56.8	56.3	-0.5	-0.9
Ohio.....	5,455.5	5,519.7	5,517.6	5,568.6	51.0	0.9

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

State and area	March		April		Change from April 2017 to April 2018 ^P	
	2017	2018	2017	2018 ^P	Number	Percent
Ohio - Continued						
Akron.....	337.2	342.0	342.8	343.3	0.5	0.1
Canton-Massillon.....	171.8	171.7	174.1	173.6	-0.5	-0.3
Cincinnati.....	1,082.8	1,087.2	1,093.6	1,096.9	3.3	0.3
Cleveland-Elyria.....	1,042.6	1,052.6	1,055.2	1,061.6	6.4	0.6
Columbus.....	1,067.9	1,084.9	1,079.4	1,094.5	15.1	1.4
Dayton.....	383.9	393.1	387.6	396.0	8.4	2.2
Lima.....	52.9	52.9	53.4	53.1	-0.3	-0.6
Mansfield.....	52.0	52.1	52.1	52.5	0.4	0.8
Springfield.....	50.0	49.7	50.6	50.2	-0.4	-0.8
Toledo.....	308.6	304.1	308.1	307.8	-0.3	-0.1
Weirton-Steubenville ¹	40.8	40.3	41.5	40.8	-0.7	-1.7
Youngstown-Warren-Boardman.....	218.6	215.6	221.1	218.4	-2.7	-1.2
Oklahoma.....	1,650.6	1,678.6	1,657.9	1,690.4	32.5	2.0
Enid.....	26.0	25.4	26.0	25.4	-0.6	-2.3
Lawton.....	46.0	45.8	46.1	46.1	0.0	0.0
Oklahoma City.....	629.7	643.9	633.4	648.6	15.2	2.4
Tulsa.....	445.0	451.6	445.9	457.1	11.2	2.5
Oregon.....	1,853.9	1,894.2	1,869.6	1,901.7	32.1	1.7
Albany.....	44.1	45.8	44.2	45.8	1.6	3.6
Bend-Redmond.....	79.2	82.2	80.8	82.7	1.9	2.4
Corvallis.....	43.3	43.9	43.4	43.9	0.5	1.2
Eugene.....	159.0	162.0	159.2	162.4	3.2	2.0
Grants Pass.....	25.8	26.5	26.1	26.7	0.6	2.3
Medford.....	85.1	88.0	85.9	88.8	2.9	3.4
Portland-Vancouver-Hillsboro.....	1,163.0	1,184.0	1,171.4	1,189.8	18.4	1.6
Salem.....	163.1	165.3	164.0	166.4	2.4	1.5
Pennsylvania.....	5,871.8	5,947.4	5,945.6	6,021.7	76.1	1.3
Allentown-Bethlehem-Easton.....	365.3	369.0	368.7	374.3	5.6	1.5
Altoona.....	60.5	60.8	61.4	61.7	0.3	0.5
Bloomsburg-Berwick.....	42.5	42.8	43.2	43.3	0.1	0.2
Chambersburg-Waynesboro.....	59.4	61.3	60.1	61.1	1.0	1.7
East Stroudsburg.....	57.8	58.1	57.8	58.0	0.2	0.3
Erie.....	126.1	126.7	127.8	127.9	0.1	0.1
Gettysburg.....	34.4	35.9	35.2	36.1	0.9	2.6
Harrisburg-Carlisle.....	336.5	340.2	342.1	343.9	1.8	0.5
Johnstown.....	54.9	55.1	55.7	55.9	0.2	0.4
Lancaster.....	250.2	253.4	254.0	256.4	2.4	0.9
Lebanon.....	51.5	52.1	52.2	52.6	0.4	0.8
Philadelphia-Camden-Wilmington.....	2,880.6	2,917.3	2,908.6	2,948.0	39.4	1.4
Pittsburgh.....	1,157.9	1,172.2	1,174.0	1,187.8	13.8	1.2
Reading.....	175.7	178.5	177.6	180.4	2.8	1.6
Scranton--Wilkes-Barre--Hazleton.....	258.0	263.1	261.5	266.5	5.0	1.9
State College.....	79.2	79.7	80.6	80.9	0.3	0.4
Williamsport.....	52.8	52.6	53.4	52.7	-0.7	-1.3
York-Hanover.....	184.2	186.1	185.9	187.1	1.2	0.6
Rhode Island.....	482.9	489.6	491.0	498.0	7.0	1.4
Providence-Warwick.....	576.8	584.8	585.5	594.3	8.8	1.5
South Carolina.....	2,079.7	2,113.2	2,089.4	2,122.4	33.0	1.6
Charleston-North Charleston.....	350.7	356.4	352.7	356.5	3.8	1.1
Columbia.....	397.2	397.4	398.2	398.4	0.2	0.1
Florence.....	88.7	89.4	88.1	89.4	1.3	1.5
Greenville-Anderson-Mauldin.....	412.8	421.7	414.0	421.6	7.6	1.8
Hilton Head Island-Bluffton-Beaufort.....	78.0	79.4	79.2	81.0	1.8	2.3
Myrtle Beach-Conway-North Myrtle Beach.....	162.0	165.9	168.4	171.3	2.9	1.7
Spartanburg.....	151.4	155.6	152.5	156.8	4.3	2.8
Sumter.....	39.3	39.4	39.2	39.8	0.6	1.5
South Dakota.....	425.6	430.7	431.7	434.3	2.6	0.6
Rapid City.....	65.7	67.3	67.2	68.1	0.9	1.3

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[In thousands]

State and area	March		April		Change from April 2017 to April 2018 ^P	
	2017	2018	2017	2018 ^P	Number	Percent
South Dakota - Continued						
Sioux Falls.....	153.4	154.7	154.9	155.4	0.5	0.3
Tennessee.....	2,987.0	3,039.1	3,009.0	3,055.6	46.6	1.5
Chattanooga.....	254.4	260.2	255.8	263.4	7.6	3.0
Clarksville.....	89.9	90.5	90.3	91.5	1.2	1.3
Cleveland.....	45.6	46.4	45.8	46.9	1.1	2.4
Jackson.....	68.6	68.9	67.9	69.1	1.2	1.8
Johnson City.....	80.7	79.7	81.2	80.2	-1.0	-1.2
Kingsport-Bristol-Bristol.....	121.7	122.2	122.3	122.9	0.6	0.5
Knoxville.....	392.7	397.2	396.3	397.0	0.7	0.2
Memphis.....	637.0	650.1	640.1	649.4	9.3	1.5
Morristown.....	46.0	46.4	46.1	46.6	0.5	1.1
Nashville-Davidson--Murfreesboro--Franklin.....	968.6	991.7	975.1	997.4	22.3	2.3
Texas.....	12,142.4	12,433.7	12,170.9	12,519.3	348.4	2.9
Abilene.....	68.3	69.8	68.7	70.3	1.6	2.3
Amarillo.....	119.4	120.4	120.0	121.9	1.9	1.6
Austin-Round Rock.....	1,023.4	1,060.3	1,028.1	1,064.4	36.3	3.5
Beaumont-Port Arthur.....	165.1	164.4	164.5	163.7	-0.8	-0.5
Brownsville-Harlingen.....	142.0	142.1	141.9	143.0	1.1	0.8
College Station-Bryan.....	117.3	122.5	116.8	121.3	4.5	3.9
Corpus Christi.....	195.1	192.4	194.1	192.0	-2.1	-1.1
Dallas-Fort Worth-Arlington.....	3,555.6	3,660.1	3,568.0	3,687.9	119.9	3.4
El Paso.....	312.0	316.4	313.2	317.5	4.3	1.4
Houston-The Woodlands-Sugar Land.....	3,009.5	3,074.9	3,013.0	3,097.5	84.5	2.8
Killeen-Temple.....	142.4	144.8	143.0	145.3	2.3	1.6
Laredo.....	103.4	104.6	103.1	104.9	1.8	1.7
Longview.....	96.0	96.4	95.8	96.7	0.9	0.9
Lubbock.....	146.7	149.6	148.0	150.4	2.4	1.6
McAllen-Edinburg-Mission.....	257.7	262.5	259.0	263.5	4.5	1.7
Midland.....	89.8	98.9	91.2	102.3	11.1	12.2
Odessa.....	71.2	75.6	72.0	76.4	4.4	6.1
San Angelo.....	48.6	49.4	48.6	49.3	0.7	1.4
San Antonio-New Braunfels.....	1,031.4	1,052.0	1,033.3	1,056.4	23.1	2.2
Sherman-Denison.....	46.8	47.6	46.8	47.7	0.9	1.9
Texarkana.....	60.2	60.3	60.2	60.5	0.3	0.5
Tyler.....	103.4	105.8	104.0	106.6	2.6	2.5
Victoria.....	41.3	40.5	41.4	40.4	-1.0	-2.4
Waco.....	120.6	121.2	120.6	121.8	1.2	1.0
Wichita Falls.....	58.9	59.1	59.1	59.2	0.1	0.2
Utah.....	1,453.8	1,502.2	1,461.4	1,510.8	49.4	3.4
Logan.....	61.0	62.4	61.7	63.2	1.5	2.4
Ogden-Clearfield.....	251.2	255.9	253.9	258.3	4.4	1.7
Provo-Orem.....	246.3	256.9	248.1	258.1	10.0	4.0
St. George.....	62.8	65.9	63.8	66.6	2.8	4.4
Salt Lake City.....	708.8	728.7	711.7	732.1	20.4	2.9
Vermont.....	312.5	314.0	310.5	310.9	0.4	0.1
Burlington-South Burlington.....	123.8	123.0	125.4	124.3	-1.1	-0.9
Virginia.....	3,917.6	3,961.1	3,951.3	3,993.6	42.3	1.1
Blacksburg-Christiansburg-Radford.....	77.5	77.1	78.4	78.0	-0.4	-0.5
Charlottesville.....	116.2	119.6	117.6	121.6	4.0	3.4
Harrisonburg.....	67.7	68.5	68.5	69.3	0.8	1.2
Lynchburg.....	103.5	104.8	103.9	105.7	1.8	1.7
Richmond.....	666.2	670.8	670.0	675.5	5.5	0.8
Roanoke.....	159.8	159.7	160.2	160.8	0.6	0.4
Staunton-Waynesboro.....	49.7	50.3	50.2	50.6	0.4	0.8
Virginia Beach-Norfolk-Newport News.....	772.9	773.7	781.3	780.0	-1.3	-0.2
Winchester.....	62.7	64.7	63.4	65.4	2.0	3.2
Washington.....	3,277.5	3,371.6	3,300.1	3,391.3	91.2	2.8
Bellingham.....	91.9	94.7	92.7	94.8	2.1	2.3

See footnotes at end of table.

**ESTABLISHMENT DATA
NOT SEASONALLY ADJUSTED**

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

State and area	March		April		Change from April 2017 to April 2018 ^p	
	2017	2018	2017	2018 ^p	Number	Percent
Washington - Continued						
Bremerton-Silverdale.....	89.4	91.8	90.0	91.8	1.8	2.0
Kennewick-Richland.....	110.3	114.2	112.4	114.9	2.5	2.2
Longview.....	39.9	40.4	39.9	40.5	0.6	1.5
Mount Vernon-Anacortes.....	49.7	49.8	50.1	50.5	0.4	0.8
Olympia-Tumwater.....	115.4	118.6	115.4	119.0	3.6	3.1
Seattle-Tacoma-Bellevue.....	1,974.3	2,035.6	1,981.3	2,045.0	63.7	3.2
Spokane-Spokane Valley.....	241.4	242.4	244.1	244.8	0.7	0.3
Walla Walla.....	27.6	29.1	27.7	29.2	1.5	5.4
Wenatchee.....	43.0	44.6	44.1	45.1	1.0	2.3
Yakima.....	84.2	88.8	85.9	90.0	4.1	4.8
West Virginia.....	741.2	745.1	743.2	751.0	7.8	1.0
Beckley.....	44.7	44.0	45.0	44.8	-0.2	-0.4
Charleston.....	116.9	115.8	116.6	116.7	0.1	0.1
Huntington-Ashland.....	138.3	136.1	138.8	137.5	-1.3	-0.9
Morgantown.....	72.3	73.0	72.0	73.4	1.4	1.9
Parkersburg-Vienna.....	40.1	39.5	39.8	39.7	-0.1	-0.3
Wheeling.....	66.4	66.0	66.9	66.5	-0.4	-0.6
Wisconsin.....	2,903.0	2,930.4	2,934.8	2,958.7	23.9	0.8
Appleton.....	123.2	124.4	124.6	125.5	0.9	0.7
Eau Claire.....	86.0	86.2	87.3	87.0	-0.3	-0.3
Fond du Lac.....	47.5	48.0	47.8	48.3	0.5	1.0
Green Bay.....	174.8	176.4	177.2	178.5	1.3	0.7
Janesville-Beloit.....	67.4	68.2	68.3	69.3	1.0	1.5
La Crosse-Onalaska.....	78.7	78.5	79.6	80.6	1.0	1.3
Madison.....	397.1	402.5	400.1	405.5	5.4	1.3
Milwaukee-Waukesha-West Allis.....	860.1	867.1	863.4	873.6	10.2	1.2
Oshkosh-Neenah.....	96.6	97.6	98.4	98.4	0.0	0.0
Racine.....	76.7	77.0	77.3	77.0	-0.3	-0.4
Sheboygan.....	61.0	62.1	62.0	62.8	0.8	1.3
Wausau.....	71.4	72.8	71.5	73.3	1.8	2.5
Wyoming.....	274.9	278.5	275.2	280.4	5.2	1.9
Casper.....	38.0	38.5	38.1	38.7	0.6	1.6
Cheyenne.....	46.2	45.9	46.2	46.4	0.2	0.4
Puerto Rico.....	887.0	850.9	880.2	849.4	-30.8	-3.5
Aguadilla-Isabela.....	51.9	51.3	51.5	51.0	-0.5	-1.0
Arecibo.....	33.7	33.1	33.8	33.1	-0.7	-2.1
Guayama.....	14.9	14.2	14.6	14.1	-0.5	-3.4
Mayaguez.....	33.0	30.2	32.8	30.1	-2.7	-8.2
Ponce.....	69.5	67.2	69.0	67.2	-1.8	-2.6
San German.....	20.2	18.6	19.7	18.7	-1.0	-5.1
San Juan-Carolina-Caguas.....	643.5	621.5	640.3	620.0	-20.3	-3.2
Virgin Islands.....	38.9	35.8	38.7	36.0	-2.7	-7.0

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 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 division, not seasonally adjusted¹
[In thousands]

State, area, and division	March		April		Change from April 2017 to April 2018 ^P	
	2017	2018	2017	2018 ^P	Number	Percent
California.....	16,665.1	17,016.3	16,725.4	17,087.2	361.8	2.2
Los Angeles-Long Beach-Anaheim.....	6,011.0	6,101.8	6,023.7	6,117.8	94.1	1.6
Anaheim-Santa Ana-Irvine.....	1,600.5	1,625.0	1,606.7	1,636.1	29.4	1.8
Los Angeles-Long Beach-Glendale.....	4,410.5	4,476.8	4,417.0	4,481.7	64.7	1.5
San Francisco-Oakland-Hayward.....	2,379.7	2,417.9	2,382.0	2,426.8	44.8	1.9
Oakland-Hayward-Berkeley.....	1,155.8	1,175.9	1,156.5	1,180.5	24.0	2.1
San Francisco-Redwood City-South San Francisco.....	1,109.3	1,126.4	1,110.4	1,130.8	20.4	1.8
San Rafael.....	114.6	115.6	115.1	115.5	0.4	0.3
District of Columbia.....	789.6	792.1	790.9	797.0	6.1	0.8
Washington-Arlington-Alexandria ²	3,250.6	3,288.3	3,269.2	3,307.9	38.7	1.2
Silver Spring-Frederick-Rockville ³	587.0	591.5	590.3	595.5	5.2	0.9
Washington-Arlington-Alexandria ²	2,663.6	2,696.8	2,678.9	2,712.4	33.5	1.3
Florida.....	8,590.8	8,774.8	8,598.7	8,776.8	178.1	2.1
Miami-Fort Lauderdale-West Palm Beach.....	2,642.0	2,671.0	2,640.7	2,666.2	25.5	1.0
Fort Lauderdale-Pompano Beach-Deerfield Beach.....	837.6	848.4	837.6	850.4	12.8	1.5
Miami-Miami Beach-Kendall.....	1,178.2	1,191.7	1,177.8	1,190.0	12.2	1.0
West Palm Beach-Boca Raton-Delray Beach.....	626.2	630.9	625.3	625.8	0.5	0.1
Illinois.....	5,979.9	6,023.7	6,034.6	6,082.9	48.3	0.8
Chicago-Naperville-Elgin ²	4,631.8	4,656.2	4,664.2	4,698.9	34.7	0.7
Chicago-Naperville-Arlington Heights.....	3,701.2	3,712.8	3,717.4	3,742.7	25.3	0.7
Elgin.....	253.0	258.2	256.7	259.0	2.3	0.9
Gary.....	275.1	274.1	278.1	277.4	-0.7	-0.3
Lake County-Kenosha County ²	402.5	411.1	412.0	419.8	7.8	1.9
Massachusetts.....	3,540.1	3,578.2	3,590.4	3,636.5	46.1	1.3
Boston-Cambridge-Nashua ²	2,695.7	2,719.1	2,728.2	2,765.1	36.9	1.4
Boston-Cambridge-Newton.....	1,816.5	1,833.0	1,838.9	1,865.9	27.0	1.5
Brockton-Bridgewater-Easton.....	79.6	81.3	80.9	82.9	2.0	2.5
Frammingham.....	171.0	170.2	172.4	172.3	-0.1	-0.1
Haverhill-Newburyport-Amesbury Town ²	64.9	67.0	66.3	68.5	2.2	3.3
Lawrence-Methuen Town-Salem ²	81.5	82.5	82.7	83.7	1.0	1.2
Lowell-Billerica-Chelmsford ²	153.9	156.9	156.2	159.2	3.0	1.9
Lynn-Saugus-Marblehead.....	44.7	45.4	45.2	46.1	0.9	2.0
Nashua ²	126.9	127.5	127.9	128.7	0.8	0.6
Peabody-Salem-Beverly.....	97.3	95.8	97.9	97.1	-0.8	-0.8
Taunton-Middleborough-Norton.....	59.4	59.5	59.8	60.7	0.9	1.5
Michigan.....	4,317.0	4,380.0	4,349.2	4,393.9	44.7	1.0
Detroit-Warren-Dearborn.....	1,977.8	2,001.8	1,993.1	2,010.2	17.1	0.9
Detroit-Dearborn-Livonia.....	749.7	762.2	754.0	764.7	10.7	1.4
Warren-Troy-Farmington Hills.....	1,228.1	1,239.6	1,239.1	1,245.5	6.4	0.5
New York.....	9,398.5	9,501.2	9,470.2	9,577.8	107.6	1.1
New York-Newark-Jersey City ²	9,549.8	9,667.9	9,613.9	9,727.4	113.5	1.2
Dutchess County-Putnam County.....	145.4	149.1	147.2	149.9	2.7	1.8
Nassau County-Suffolk County.....	1,313.2	1,331.0	1,331.2	1,352.2	21.0	1.6
Newark ³	1,195.5	1,202.2	1,206.1	1,207.1	1.0	0.1
New York-Jersey City-White Plains ²	6,895.7	6,985.6	6,929.4	7,018.2	88.8	1.3
Pennsylvania.....	5,871.8	5,947.4	5,945.6	6,021.7	76.1	1.3
Philadelphia-Camden-Wilmington ²	2,880.6	2,917.3	2,908.6	2,948.0	39.4	1.4
Camden ³	535.8	547.2	539.9	552.0	12.1	2.2
Montgomery County-Bucks County-Chester County.....	1,051.2	1,062.3	1,064.2	1,074.3	10.1	0.9
Philadelphia.....	938.0	951.1	946.2	961.3	15.1	1.6
Wilmington ³	355.6	356.7	358.3	360.4	2.1	0.6
Texas.....	12,142.4	12,433.7	12,170.9	12,519.3	348.4	2.9
Dallas-Fort Worth-Arlington.....	3,555.6	3,660.1	3,568.0	3,687.9	119.9	3.4
Dallas-Plano-Irving.....	2,536.2	2,617.5	2,545.9	2,635.0	89.1	3.5
Fort Worth-Arlington.....	1,019.4	1,042.6	1,022.1	1,052.9	30.8	3.0
Washington.....	3,277.5	3,371.6	3,300.1	3,391.3	91.2	2.8
Seattle-Tacoma-Bellevue.....	1,974.3	2,035.6	1,981.3	2,045.0	63.7	3.2
Seattle-Bellevue-Everett.....	1,664.9	1,718.6	1,670.8	1,724.2	53.4	3.2
Tacoma-Lakewood.....	309.4	317.0	310.5	320.8	10.3	3.3

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.

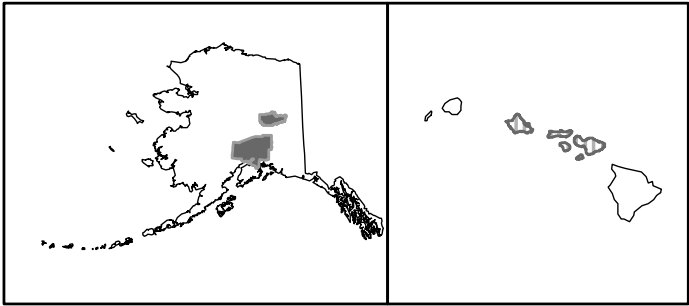
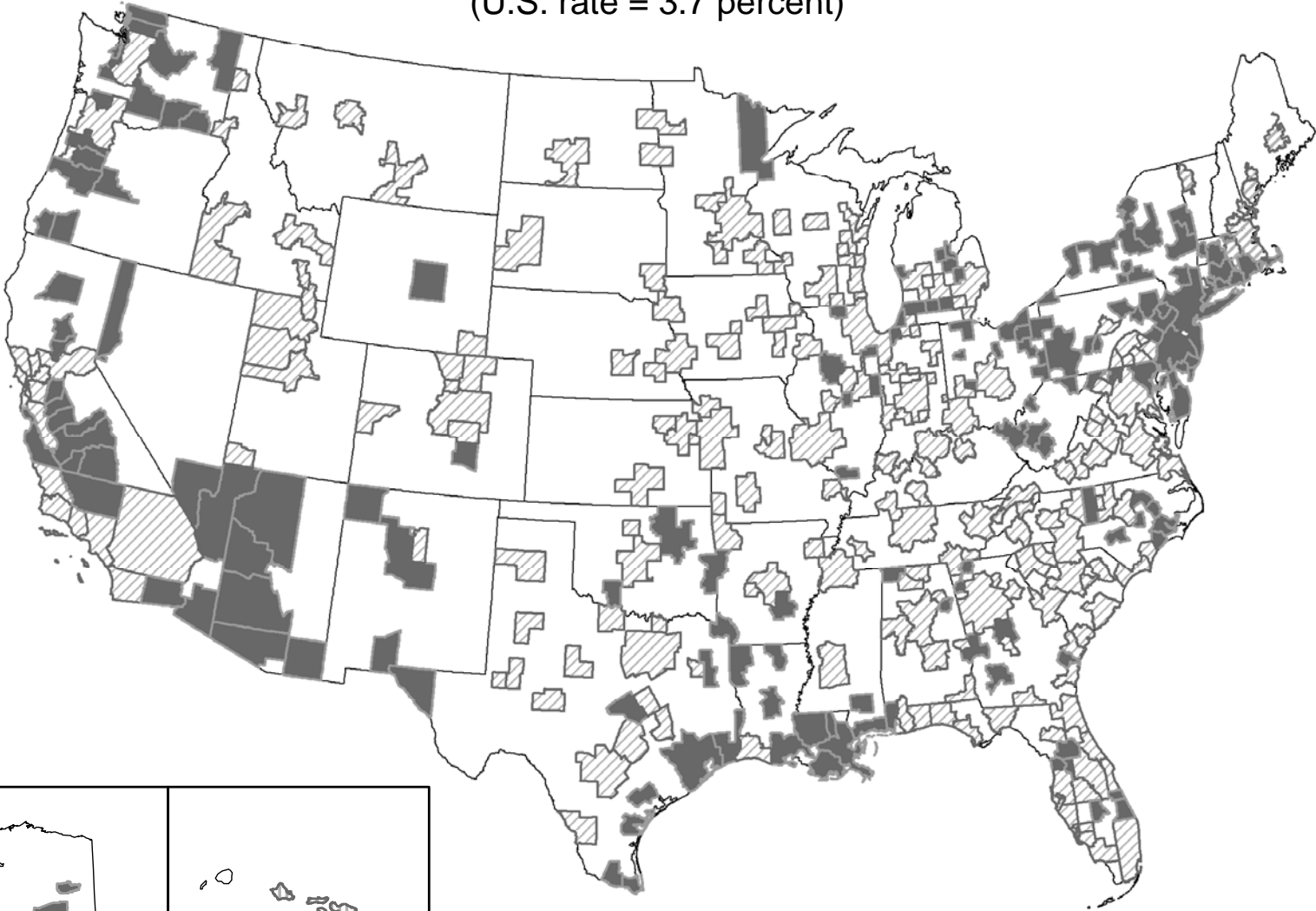
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Map 1. Unemployment rates for metropolitan areas, not seasonally adjusted, April 2018

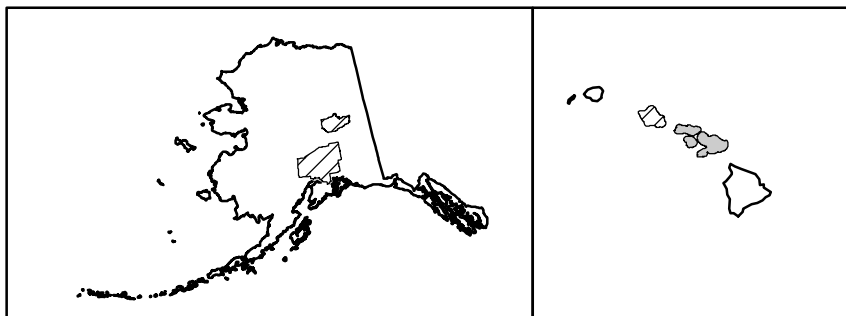
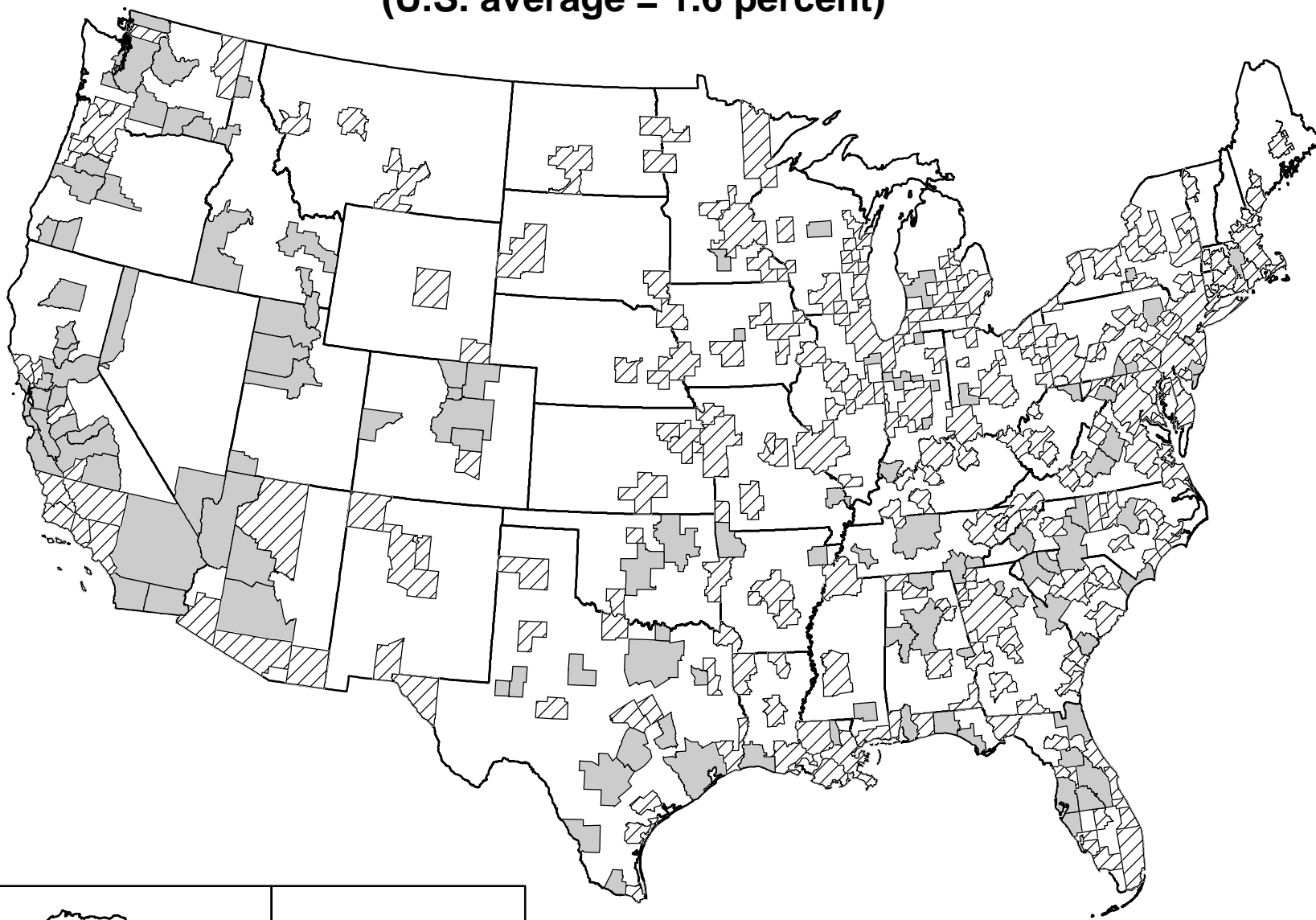
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NOTE: Map includes data for 388 metropolitan areas based on Office of Management and Budget Bulletin No. 15-01. Areas in the six New England states are Metropolitan New England City and Town areas (NECTAs), while areas in other states are county-based.

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

Map 2. Over-the-year percentage change in employment, by metropolitan area, not seasonally adjusted, April 2018 (U.S. average = 1.6 percent)



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