



Economic News Release



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[Numbers in thousands]

| State | Civilian noninstitutional population | Civilian labor force | | | | | | Not in labor force |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|----------------------|-----------------------|----------|-----------------------|------------|------------------------|--------------------|
| | | Total | Percent of population | Employed | | Unemployed | | |
| | | | | Total | Percent of population | Total | Percent of labor force | |
| TOTAL VETERANS | | | | | | | | |
| Total, 18 years and over | 18,466 | 8,918 | 48.3 | 8,338 | 45.2 | 581 | 6.5 | 9,548 |
| Alabama | 327 | 165 | 50.6 | 155 | 47.4 | 10 | 6.3 | 161 |
| Alaska | 62 | 35 | 56.0 | 33 | 53.7 | 1 | 4.0 | 27 |
| Arizona | 507 | 233 | 46.0 | 210 | 41.5 | 22 | 9.6 | 274 |
| Arkansas | 198 | 83 | 41.7 | 79 | 40.0 | 3 | 4.0 | 115 |
| California | 1,463 | 664 | 45.4 | 605 | 41.3 | 60 | 9.0 | 799 |
| Colorado | 372 | 192 | 51.5 | 185 | 49.7 | 7 | 3.5 | 181 |
| Connecticut | 149 | 72 | 48.0 | 68 | 45.3 | 4 | 5.5 | 78 |
| Delaware | 75 | 35 | 46.1 | 32 | 42.8 | 2 | 7.2 | 41 |
| District of Columbia | 25 | 13 | 51.4 | 12 | 47.9 | 1 | 6.9 | 12 |
| Florida | 1,361 | 585 | 43.0 | 555 | 40.8 | 29 | 5.0 | 776 |
| Georgia | 680 | 342 | 50.4 | 329 | 48.4 | 13 | 3.8 | 338 |
| Hawaii | 97 | 50 | 51.7 | 47 | 48.4 | 3 | 6.5 | 47 |
| Idaho | 111 | 51 | 46.5 | 49 | 44.2 | 3 | 5.0 | 59 |
| Illinois | 559 | 249 | 44.6 | 230 | 41.1 | 19 | 7.8 | 310 |
| Indiana | 413 | 219 | 52.9 | 202 | 48.9 | 17 | 7.6 | 195 |
| Iowa | 210 | 115 | 54.5 | 106 | 50.4 | 9 | 7.6 | 96 |
| Kansas | 169 | 93 | 55.2 | 88 | 52.3 | 5 | 5.2 | 76 |
| Kentucky | 257 | 118 | 45.9 | 111 | 43.3 | 7 | 5.7 | 139 |
| Louisiana | 272 | 136 | 50.1 | 128 | 47.0 | 9 | 6.4 | 135 |
| Maine | 109 | 48 | 44.5 | 45 | 41.7 | 3 | 6.2 | 60 |
| Maryland | 375 | 232 | 61.8 | 219 | 58.3 | 13 | 5.8 | 143 |
| Massachusetts | 303 | 142 | 46.8 | 132 | 43.6 | 10 | 6.9 | 161 |
| Michigan | 512 | 210 | 41.0 | 186 | 36.4 | 24 | 11.3 | 302 |
| Minnesota | 305 | 147 | 48.3 | 135 | 44.3 | 12 | 8.3 | 157 |
| Mississippi | 172 | 82 | 47.9 | 78 | 45.1 | 5 | 5.7 | 89 |
| Missouri | 393 | 168 | 42.9 | 159 | 40.4 | 10 | 5.7 | 225 |
| Montana | 90 | 43 | 47.5 | 41 | 45.4 | 2 | 4.4 | 47 |
| Nebraska | 130 | 76 | 58.2 | 74 | 56.6 | 2 | 2.7 | 54 |
| Nevada | 218 | 115 | 52.7 | 104 | 47.7 | 11 | 9.4 | 103 |
| New Hampshire | 95 | 47 | 49.0 | 44 | 46.4 | 3 | 5.4 | 48 |
| New Jersey | 337 | 141 | 41.9 | 130 | 38.5 | 11 | 8.1 | 196 |
| New Mexico | 167 | 78 | 46.6 | 72 | 43.4 | 5 | 6.8 | 89 |
| New York | 690 | 276 | 40.0 | 256 | 37.2 | 20 | 7.1 | 414 |
| North Carolina | 708 | 320 | 45.1 | 302 | 42.6 | 18 | 5.6 | 389 |
| North Dakota | 44 | 23 | 51.7 | 21 | 47.3 | 2 | 8.4 | 21 |
| Ohio | 715 | 348 | 48.7 | 316 | 44.1 | 32 | 9.3 | 367 |
| Oklahoma | 277 | 129 | 46.7 | 123 | 44.5 | 6 | 4.8 | 147 |
| Oregon | 313 | 142 | 45.5 | 133 | 42.6 | 9 | 6.3 | 170 |

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|----------------|--------------------------------------|----------------------|-----------------------|----------|-----------------------|------------|------------------------|--------------------|
| | | Total | Percent of population | Employed | | Unemployed | | |
| | | | | Total | Percent of population | Total | Percent of labor force | |
| Pennsylvania | 757 | 314 | 41.5 | 290 | 38.4 | 24 | 7.6 | 443 |
| Rhode Island | 53 | 24 | 46.0 | 22 | 42.5 | 2 | 7.7 | 29 |
| South Carolina | 417 | 220 | 52.8 | 210 | 50.3 | 10 | 4.7 | 197 |
| South Dakota | 56 | 31 | 55.7 | 30 | 54.4 | 1 | - | 25 |
| Tennessee | 469 | 222 | 47.5 | 207 | 44.2 | 15 | 6.8 | 246 |
| Texas | 1,574 | 875 | 55.6 | 828 | 52.6 | 47 | 5.4 | 699 |
| Utah | 136 | 70 | 51.7 | 66 | 48.8 | 4 | 5.6 | 65 |
| Vermont | 39 | 18 | 46.6 | 17 | 43.7 | 1 | 6.3 | 21 |
| Virginia | 679 | 411 | 60.5 | 394 | 58.1 | 16 | 4.0 | 268 |
| Washington | 512 | 262 | 51.1 | 239 | 46.8 | 22 | 8.5 | 250 |
| West Virginia | 124 | 54 | 43.6 | 51 | 40.6 | 4 | 6.7 | 70 |
| Wisconsin | 339 | 172 | 50.7 | 162 | 47.7 | 10 | 6.0 | 167 |
| Wyoming | 49 | 26 | 53.1 | 25 | 49.6 | 2 | 6.5 | 23 |

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