

**HOUSEHOLD DATA
ANNUAL AVERAGES**

33. Unemployed jobseekers by sex, age, race, and active jobsearch methods used

(Numbers in thousands)

Sex, age, and race	1999									
	Thousands of persons		Methods used as a percent of total jobseekers							Average number of methods used
	Total unemployed	Total job-seekers	Employer directly	Sent out resumes or filled out applications	Placed or answered ads	Friends or relatives	Public employment agency	Private employment agency	Other	
Total, 16 years and over	5,880	5,032	65.4	49.4	14.5	14.0	17.6	7.0	9.7	1.78
16 to 19 years	1,162	1,099	64.2	53.3	8.7	9.3	8.0	2.5	5.4	1.51
20 to 24 years	1,042	948	67.5	49.3	14.1	12.0	16.9	7.0	8.6	1.76
25 to 34 years	1,278	1,082	65.3	50.5	16.4	15.8	21.3	8.0	10.6	1.88
35 to 44 years	1,154	939	66.5	47.5	17.1	16.7	22.1	9.1	10.6	1.90
45 to 54 years	753	590	65.2	48.0	17.7	16.0	22.4	10.3	14.6	1.95
55 to 64 years	367	284	62.3	44.3	16.9	18.4	18.8	7.0	12.0	1.80
65 years and over	124	89	59.6	33.0	10.1	13.2	14.2	5.8	11.9	1.49
Men, 16 years and over	3,066	2,553	66.7	48.2	14.6	15.1	17.6	7.0	10.3	1.80
16 to 19 years	633	595	64.0	52.8	8.7	9.5	7.9	2.3	5.1	1.50
20 to 24 years	562	495	67.5	47.6	14.4	12.9	16.2	6.3	9.5	1.75
25 to 34 years	624	497	68.6	48.9	17.2	19.1	22.0	8.8	11.2	1.96
35 to 44 years	571	449	69.5	46.1	16.4	18.7	22.2	9.3	11.7	1.94
45 to 54 years	403	304	67.1	47.0	18.6	16.0	25.0	10.9	16.4	2.02
55 to 64 years	203	159	62.5	44.0	17.7	19.3	18.4	7.2	13.3	1.83
65 years and over	70	53	56.6	31.6	8.1	14.2	15.8	6.0	14.1	1.48
Women, 16 years and over	2,814	2,479	64.1	50.6	14.4	12.8	17.5	7.0	9.0	1.76
16 to 19 years	529	504	64.4	53.9	8.6	9.1	8.0	2.7	5.7	1.53
20 to 24 years	480	452	67.4	51.1	13.8	11.0	17.6	7.8	7.6	1.77
25 to 34 years	654	586	62.6	51.9	15.7	13.0	20.7	7.4	10.2	1.82
35 to 44 years	584	490	63.8	48.7	17.7	14.8	22.0	9.0	9.6	1.86
45 to 54 years	350	286	63.1	49.1	16.7	16.1	19.5	9.7	12.7	1.87
55 to 64 years	163	125	62.0	44.6	15.8	17.2	19.4	6.7	10.5	1.76
65 years and over	54	36	64.1	35.1	13.1	11.9	11.8	5.5	8.6	1.50
White, 16 years and over	4,273	3,571	65.7	49.8	15.0	13.9	16.6	7.0	10.4	1.79
Men	2,274	1,843	67.0	48.9	15.1	15.1	17.0	7.1	11.3	1.82
Women	1,999	1,728	64.4	50.7	15.0	12.6	16.3	6.8	9.4	1.76
Black, 16 years and over	1,309	1,199	64.8	48.7	13.1	13.6	20.9	7.0	7.3	1.76
Men	626	566	66.6	46.8	13.3	14.6	20.3	6.2	6.9	1.75
Women	684	632	63.1	50.5	13.0	12.7	21.6	7.8	7.6	1.76

NOTE: The jobseekers total is less than the total unemployed because it does not include persons on temporary layoff. The percent using each method will always total more than 100 because many jobseekers use more than one

method. Beginning in January 1999, data reflect revised population controls used in the household survey