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METROPOLITAN AREA EMPLOYMENT AND UNEMPLOYMENT — MARCH 2013

Unemployment rates were lower in March than a year earlier in 306 of the 372 metropolitan areas, higher in 44 areas, and unchanged in 22 areas, the U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics reported today. Seven areas had jobless rates of at least 15.0 percent, and 33 areas had rates of less than 5.0 percent. Two hundred eighty-seven metropolitan areas had over-the-year increases in nonfarm payroll employment, 80 had decreases, and 5 had no change. The national unemployment rate in March was 7.6 percent, not seasonally adjusted, down from 8.4 percent a year earlier.

Metropolitan Area Unemployment (Not Seasonally Adjusted)

In March, 44 metropolitan areas had jobless rates of at least 10.0 percent, down from 63 areas a year earlier, while 157 areas had rates below 7.0 percent, up from 113 areas in March 2012. Yuma, Ariz., and El Centro, Calif., had the highest unemployment rates in March 2013, at 26.0 percent and 23.7 percent, respectively. Midland, Texas, had the lowest unemployment rate, 3.1 percent. A total of 202 areas had March unemployment rates below the U.S. figure of 7.6 percent, 166 areas had rates above it, and 4 areas had rates equal to that of the nation. (See table 1 and the map.)

Yuba City, Calif., had the largest over-the-year unemployment rate decrease in March (-2.9 percentage points). Twenty-six other areas had rate declines of at least 2.0 percentage points, and an additional 70 areas had declines of at least 1.0 point. Yuma, Ariz., had the largest over-the-year jobless rate increase (+3.3 percentage points). The next largest increase was in Decatur, Ill. (+1.4 percentage points).

Of the 49 metropolitan areas with a Census 2000 population of 1 million or more, Riverside-San Bernardino-Ontario, Calif., had the highest unemployment rate in March, 10.5 percent. Oklahoma City, Okla., had the lowest jobless rate among the large areas, 4.6 percent. Forty-five of the large areas had over-the-year unemployment rate decreases, while three areas had increases and one had no change. The largest unemployment rate declines occurred in three Florida areas: Tampa-St. Petersburg-Clearwater (-2.2 percentage points), Orlando-Kissimmee-Sanford (-2.1 points), and Jacksonville (-2.0 points). Chicago-Joliet-Naperville, Ill.-Ind.-Wis., had the largest over-the-year jobless rate increase in a large area (+0.5 percentage point).

Metropolitan Division Unemployment (Not Seasonally Adjusted)

Eleven of the most populous metropolitan areas are made up of 34 metropolitan divisions, which are essentially separately identifiable employment centers. In March 2013, Lawrence-Methuen-Salem, Mass.-N.H., had the highest jobless rate among the divisions, 11.2 percent. Bethesda-Rockville-Frederick, Md., had the lowest division rate, 5.1 percent. (See table 2.)

Twenty-seven of the metropolitan divisions had over-the-year jobless rate decreases in March, while six had increases and one had no change. Seattle-Bellevue-Everett, Wash., had the largest rate decline from a year earlier (-2.2 percentage points). Six other divisions had rate decreases of 1.0 percentage point or more. Gary, Ind., had the largest unemployment rate increase from a year earlier (+1.0 percentage point).

Metropolitan Area Nonfarm Employment (Not Seasonally Adjusted)

In March, 287 metropolitan areas had over-the-year increases in nonfarm payroll employment, 80 had decreases, and 5 had no change. The largest over-the-year employment increases occurred in Los Angeles-Long Beach-Santa Ana, Calif. (+116,000), New York-Northern New Jersey-Long Island, N.Y.-N.J.-Pa. (+106,800), Houston-Sugar Land-Baytown, Texas (+102,300), and Dallas-Fort Worth-Arlington, Texas (+101,000). The largest over-the-year percentage gain in employment occurred in Odessa, Texas (+7.7 percent), followed by Midland, Texas (+7.4 percent), Provo-Orem, Utah (+5.7 percent), and Cleveland, Tenn., and Santa Cruz-Watsonville, Calif. (+5.6 percent each). (See table 3.)

The largest over-the-year decrease in employment occurred in Atlantic City-Hammonton, N.J. (-4,700), followed by Springfield, Mass.-Conn. (-3,600), and Shreveport-Bossier City, La. (-2,800). The largest over-the-year percentage decreases in employment occurred in Decatur, Ill. (-4.9 percent), and Atlantic City-Hammonton, N.J. (-3.5 percent).

Over the year, nonfarm employment rose in 36 of the 37 metropolitan areas with annual average employment levels above 750,000 in 2012. The largest over-the-year percentage increase in employment in these large metropolitan areas occurred in Austin-Round Rock-San Marcos, Texas (+4.0 percent), followed by Houston-Sugar Land-Baytown, Texas (+3.8 percent), and Dallas-Fort Worth-Arlington, Texas (+3.4 percent).

Metropolitan Division Nonfarm Employment (Not Seasonally Adjusted)

Nonfarm payroll employment data were available in March 2013 for 32 metropolitan divisions, which are essentially separately identifiable employment centers within a metropolitan area. Twenty-nine of the 32 metropolitan divisions had over-the-year employment gains and 3 had losses. The largest over-the-year increase in employment within the metropolitan divisions occurred in Los Angeles-Long Beach-Glendale, Calif. (+82,600), followed by Dallas-Plano-Irving, Texas (+69,500), and New York-White Plains-Wayne, N.Y.-N.J. (+65,500). The largest over-the-year decreases in employment within the metropolitan divisions occurred in Detroit-Livonia-Dearborn, Mich. (-4,700), and Lake County-Kenosha County, Ill.-Wis. (-2,800). (See table 4.)

The largest over-the-year percentage increase in employment among the metropolitan divisions occurred in Fort Worth-Arlington, Texas (+3.6 percent), followed by San Francisco-San Mateo-Redwood City, Calif. (+3.4 percent), and Dallas-Plano-Irving, Texas (+3.3 percent). The largest over-the-year

percentage decreases in employment occurred in Detroit-Livonia-Dearborn, Mich., and Lake County-Kenosha County, Ill.-Wis. (-0.7 percent each).

The Regional and State Employment and Unemployment news release for April is scheduled to be released on Friday, May 17, 2013, at 10:00 a.m. (EDT). The Metropolitan Area Employment and Unemployment news release for April is scheduled to be released on Wednesday, May 29, 2013, at 10:00 a.m. (EDT).

Current Employment Statistics (CES) Data Corrections

This news release contains corrections to previously released employment data in tables 3 and 4. A complete list of corrections in this news release and in the CES State and Area database can be found at www.bls.gov/bls/errata/sae_errata.htm.

Technical Note

This release presents labor force and unemployment data from the Local Area Unemployment Statistics (LAUS) program (tables 1 and 2) for 372 metropolitan statistical areas and metropolitan New England City and Town Areas (NECTAs), plus 8 areas in Puerto Rico. Estimates for 34 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 most of the same areas. State estimates were previously published in the news release, *Regional and State Employment and Unemployment*, and are republished in this release for ease of reference. The LAUS and CES programs are both federal-state cooperative endeavors.

Labor force and unemployment—from the LAUS program

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

Method of estimation. Estimates for states, the District of Columbia, the Los Angeles-Long Beach-Glendale metropolitan division, and New York City are produced using time-series models with real-time benchmarking to national CPS totals. Model-based estimation was extended to the following areas and their respective balances of state in 2005: the Chicago-Joliet-Naperville, IL Metropolitan Division; Cleveland-Elyria-Mentor, OH Metropolitan Statistical Area; Detroit-Warren-Livonia, MI Metropolitan Statistical Area; Miami-Miami Beach-Kendall, FL Metropolitan Division; New Orleans-Metairie-Kenner, LA Metropolitan Statistical Area; and Seattle-Bellevue-Everett, WA Metropolitan Division. (Model-based estimation of the New Orleans-Metairie-Kenner metropolitan area was suspended following Hurricane Katrina; the indirect estimation methods described

below will be used for this area until further notice.) Modeling improves the statistical basis of the estimation for these areas and provides important tools for analysis, such as measures of errors and seasonally adjusted series. For all other substate areas in this release, estimates are prepared through indirect estimation procedures using a building-block approach. Employment estimates, which are based largely on “place of work” estimates from the CES program, are adjusted to refer to place of residence as used in the CPS. Unemployment estimates are aggregates of persons previously employed in industries covered by state unemployment insurance (UI) laws and entrants to the labor force data from the CPS. The substate estimates of employment and unemployment, which geographically exhaust the entire state, are adjusted proportionally to ensure that they add to the independently estimated state or balance-of-state totals. A detailed description of the estimation procedures is available from BLS upon request.

Annual revisions. Labor force and unemployment data shown for the prior year reflect adjustments made at the end of each year, usually implemented with January estimates. The adjusted model-based estimates reflect updated population data from the U.S. Census Bureau, any revisions in the other data sources, and model reestimation. All substate estimates are reestimated and adjusted to add to the revised model-based estimates.

Employment—from the CES program

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

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

For some employment series, relatively small sample sizes limit the reliability of the weighted link-relative estimates. In these cases, BLS uses the CES small domain model (SDM) to generate employment estimates. The SDM

combines the direct sample estimates (described above) and forecasts of historical (benchmarked) data to decrease the volatility of the estimates. With the January 2013 estimates published on March 18, 2013, BLS refined the SDM methodology to incorporate more real-time information in the model. For more detailed information about the CES small domain 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. In some metropolitan areas with metropolitan divisions, the seasonally adjusted payroll employment totals are computed by aggregating the independently adjusted total nonfarm estimates for the component metropolitan divisions. Revisions of historical data for the most recent 5 years are made once a year, coincident with annual benchmark adjustments.

Reliability of the estimates

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

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

Employment estimates. Measures of sampling error are not available for metropolitan areas or metropolitan divisions. Measures of sampling error for states down to the supersector level are available on the BLS website at www.bls.gov/sae/790stderr.htm. Measures of nonsampling error are not available for the areas contained in this release. Information on recent benchmark revisions is available online at www.bls.gov/sae/benchmark2013.pdf.

Area definitions

The substate area data published in this release reflect the standards and definitions established by the U.S. Office of Management and Budget on December 1, 2009. 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 at www.bls.gov/lau/lausmsa.htm.

Additional information

More complete information on the technical procedures used to develop these estimates and additional data appear in *Employment and Earnings Online*.

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

Information in this release will be made available to sensory impaired individuals upon request. Voice phone: (202) 691-5200; Federal Relay Service: (800) 877-8339.

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

(Numbers in thousands)

State and area	Civilian labor force				Unemployed							
	February		March		Number				Percent of labor force			
	February		March		February		March		February		March	
	2012	2013	2012	2013P	2012	2013	2012	2013P	2012	2013	2012	2013P
Alabama	2,138.9	2,156.4	2,144.0	2,159.0	163.5	168.6	154.3	148.3	7.6	7.8	7.2	6.9
Anniston-Oxford	52.4	52.7	52.4	52.5	4.1	4.3	3.9	3.7	7.8	8.2	7.4	7.1
Auburn-Opelika	67.3	68.9	67.5	69.2	4.2	4.4	4.2	4.0	6.2	6.4	6.2	5.8
Birmingham-Hoover	527.1	530.0	526.6	530.1	35.7	36.9	33.2	32.0	6.8	7.0	6.3	6.0
Decatur	71.6	71.9	71.8	72.0	5.7	5.6	5.3	4.9	7.9	7.8	7.4	6.8
Dothan	63.0	63.6	63.2	63.5	4.6	4.9	4.3	4.2	7.2	7.7	6.7	6.6
Florence-Muscle Shoals	69.2	70.0	69.4	69.9	5.3	5.4	4.7	4.5	7.7	7.7	6.8	6.4
Gadsden	45.2	45.6	45.2	45.4	3.4	3.6	3.1	3.2	7.6	7.9	6.9	6.9
Huntsville	210.7	210.7	210.3	210.8	13.9	14.4	13.1	12.6	6.6	6.8	6.2	6.0
Mobile	185.1	188.0	185.6	188.7	16.2	16.7	15.6	15.2	8.7	8.9	8.4	8.0
Montgomery	166.5	168.5	166.7	169.3	12.8	13.3	12.4	11.9	7.7	7.9	7.4	7.0
Tuscaloosa	99.8	103.6	100.1	103.8	6.8	7.5	6.8	6.7	6.8	7.2	6.8	6.4
Alaska	363.5	362.2	363.6	360.4	29.4	25.6	28.5	23.9	8.1	7.1	7.8	6.6
Anchorage	201.8	200.9	201.3	199.2	13.8	11.6	13.5	11.1	6.8	5.8	6.7	5.6
Fairbanks	46.3	46.2	46.4	46.0	3.4	2.9	3.3	2.7	7.4	6.3	7.2	5.8
Arizona	3,033.2	3,027.7	3,028.7	3,010.3	257.9	233.9	248.8	233.5	8.5	7.7	8.2	7.8
Flagstaff	70.7	71.4	70.8	70.9	6.3	5.7	6.1	5.7	8.9	8.0	8.6	8.1
Lake Havasu City-Kingman	85.3	84.2	85.3	83.7	8.8	8.1	8.5	8.0	10.3	9.6	9.9	9.6
Phoenix-Mesa-Glendale	2,040.7	2,045.8	2,037.5	2,039.1	156.1	136.6	149.8	136.7	7.7	6.7	7.3	6.7
Prescott	92.0	90.9	92.2	89.8	8.4	7.6	8.0	7.5	9.1	8.4	8.7	8.3
Tucson	468.5	461.1	466.7	456.3	35.4	30.9	34.0	30.9	7.6	6.7	7.3	6.8
Yuma	88.3	90.3	88.4	88.6	19.9	23.1	20.1	23.0	22.5	25.6	22.7	26.0
Arkansas	1,357.4	1,319.3	1,361.6	1,320.3	110.8	103.3	101.0	97.7	8.2	7.8	7.4	7.4
Fayetteville-Springdale-Rogers	232.2	234.9	233.1	234.8	14.8	13.5	13.4	12.8	6.4	5.8	5.8	5.5
Fort Smith	132.8	130.7	132.9	131.4	11.0	10.9	10.1	10.3	8.3	8.4	7.6	7.8
Hot Springs	42.3	40.9	42.5	41.0	3.6	3.3	3.3	3.2	8.5	8.2	7.7	7.7
Jonesboro	59.8	59.2	59.8	59.3	4.6	4.3	4.1	4.1	7.7	7.3	6.8	6.9
Little Rock-North Little Rock-Conway	344.6	335.6	345.6	335.3	25.0	23.6	22.9	22.5	7.2	7.0	6.6	6.7
Pine Bluff	43.8	41.6	43.8	41.6	4.4	4.2	4.0	4.1	10.0	10.1	9.2	9.8
California	18,474.8	18,648.3	18,473.1	18,557.7	2,083.8	1,812.4	2,045.4	1,740.5	11.3	9.7	11.1	9.4
Bakersfield-Delano	391.1	395.4	384.6	388.2	59.1	53.6	58.8	52.7	15.1	13.6	15.3	13.6
Chico	102.5	102.0	101.7	101.3	13.8	11.9	13.6	11.4	13.4	11.6	13.4	11.2
El Centro	78.7	77.7	77.4	75.9	20.7	19.3	20.3	18.0	26.3	24.8	26.3	23.7
Fresno	441.5	440.3	440.9	439.4	76.2	67.4	74.9	65.6	17.3	15.3	17.0	14.9
Hanford-Corcoran	61.4	61.5	61.0	60.9	10.6	9.6	10.5	9.4	17.3	15.6	17.2	15.4
Los Angeles-Long Beach-Santa Ana	6,522.7	6,561.9	6,507.4	6,526.9	698.1	613.6	677.7	589.1	10.7	9.4	10.4	9.0
Madera-Chowchilla	70.0	69.9	68.0	67.3	10.5	9.2	10.5	9.1	14.9	13.2	15.5	13.5
Merced	111.0	113.1	111.2	112.4	22.1	20.1	21.6	19.4	19.9	17.7	19.4	17.2
Modesto	239.1	237.3	239.3	236.5	40.3	35.2	39.7	34.5	16.8	14.9	16.6	14.6
Napa	76.2	78.4	76.8	77.9	6.8	5.5	6.7	5.3	8.9	7.0	8.7	6.7
Oxnard-Thousand Oaks-Ventura	443.6	446.7	446.2	446.6	42.1	36.4	41.2	34.6	9.5	8.2	9.2	7.7
Redding	81.1	80.4	81.5	79.7	12.3	10.4	12.2	10.0	15.2	13.0	15.0	12.5
Riverside-San Bernardino-Ontario	1,810.6	1,823.1	1,813.8	1,813.6	228.4	198.3	225.5	190.5	12.6	10.9	12.4	10.5
Sacramento—Arden-Arcade—Roseville	1,051.3	1,052.4	1,052.4	1,049.1	118.2	100.4	116.8	96.3	11.2	9.5	11.1	9.2
Salinas	213.6	225.7	214.0	224.2	33.9	30.4	31.4	28.1	15.9	13.4	14.7	12.5
San Diego-Carlsbad-San Marcos	1,593.5	1,614.8	1,597.5	1,611.2	149.9	129.4	148.2	124.1	9.4	8.0	9.3	7.7
San Francisco-Oakland-Fremont	2,308.7	2,348.5	2,315.6	2,338.4	199.8	168.6	198.4	161.1	8.7	7.2	8.6	6.9
San Jose-Sunnyvale-Santa Clara	934.1	954.2	937.5	951.8	85.9	72.6	85.0	69.8	9.2	7.6	9.1	7.3
San Luis Obispo-Paso Robles	140.9	145.3	141.7	144.8	12.4	10.2	12.3	9.8	8.8	7.0	8.7	6.8
Santa Barbara-Santa Maria-Goleta	225.0	231.4	227.6	232.3	20.4	17.7	19.9	16.8	9.1	7.7	8.8	7.2
Santa Cruz-Watsonville	147.8	154.4	148.3	153.3	20.7	18.2	20.2	17.5	14.0	11.8	13.6	11.4
Santa Rosa-Petaluma	254.2	259.0	253.9	257.7	23.9	19.8	23.9	18.9	9.4	7.6	9.4	7.3
Stockton	299.9	298.8	300.0	297.9	50.3	43.6	49.5	42.0	16.8	14.6	16.5	14.1
Vallejo-Fairfield	215.5	218.6	216.7	218.4	23.7	20.3	23.6	19.4	11.0	9.3	10.9	8.9
Visalia-Porterville	209.4	208.7	206.3	207.1	36.9	33.2	36.6	32.6	17.6	15.9	17.7	15.7
Yuba City	70.4	69.7	71.3	69.7	14.1	12.2	14.1	11.8	20.1	17.5	19.8	16.9
Colorado	2,729.2	2,753.2	2,727.7	2,740.0	237.6	209.3	233.5	201.0	8.7	7.6	8.6	7.3
Boulder	179.1	181.4	178.9	180.6	11.8	10.4	11.4	9.8	6.6	5.7	6.4	5.4
Colorado Springs	312.0	314.3	311.1	311.4	31.0	27.4	30.7	26.7	9.9	8.7	9.9	8.6
Denver-Aurora-Broomfield	1,407.9	1,419.5	1,404.9	1,410.4	122.0	105.7	119.6	102.0	8.7	7.4	8.5	7.2
Fort Collins-Loveland	178.6	180.6	177.6	179.1	12.9	11.5	12.5	10.7	7.2	6.4	7.0	6.0
Grand Junction	78.3	78.3	78.0	77.5	7.8	7.1	7.8	6.8	9.9	9.1	10.0	8.8
Greeley	124.0	124.0	124.6	124.0	12.0	10.7	11.8	10.0	9.6	8.6	9.5	8.1
Pueblo	76.4	75.9	76.1	75.6	8.4	8.1	8.4	7.7	11.0	10.6	11.1	10.2
Connecticut	1,871.1	1,834.7	1,873.9	1,839.7	162.7	155.0	155.9	151.3	8.7	8.4	8.3	8.2
Bridgeport-Stamford-Norwalk	474.3	463.3	476.5	466.1	38.8	36.7	37.1	36.0	8.2	7.9	7.8	7.7
Danbury	91.4	90.4	91.9	90.8	6.6	6.2	6.3	6.0	7.2	6.8	6.8	6.6
Hartford-West Hartford-East Hartford	592.9	585.7	593.6	587.1	51.4	48.9	49.5	48.2	8.7	8.4	8.3	8.2
New Haven	314.7	307.1	314.0	307.2	28.0	27.1	27.1	26.0	8.9	8.8	8.6	8.5
Norwich-New London	148.2	143.8	148.1	143.8	13.2	12.4	12.7	12.2	8.9	8.6	8.6	8.5
Waterbury	101.4	99.0	101.3	98.9	11.6	11.3	11.1	10.8	11.4	11.4	11.0	10.9
Delaware	440.7	444.3	442.6	443.8	33.7	34.0	32.0	33.1	7.6	7.7	7.2	7.4
Dover	76.1	76.1	76.1	76.1	6.1	6.1	5.7	6.0	8.0	8.0	7.5	7.9

See footnotes at end of table.

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

(Numbers in thousands)

State and area	Civilian labor force				Unemployed							
					Number				Percent of labor force			
	February		March		February		March		February		March	
	2012	2013	2012	2013P	2012	2013	2012	2013P	2012	2013	2012	2013P
District of Columbia	352.9	372.0	354.8	370.7	33.5	32.0	33.6	30.9	9.5	8.6	9.5	8.3
Washington-Arlington-Alexandria	3,154.9	3,180.3	3,169.3	3,197.3	187.2	173.8	178.8	165.4	5.9	5.5	5.6	5.2
Florida	9,272.0	9,359.9	9,311.1	9,353.4	837.4	708.6	811.4	654.9	9.0	7.6	8.7	7.0
Cape Coral-Fort Myers	286.6	287.9	289.0	288.2	26.7	21.4	26.0	19.6	9.3	7.4	9.0	6.8
Crestview-Fort Walton Beach-Destin	94.6	96.5	97.2	98.8	6.6	5.3	6.2	4.8	6.9	5.5	6.4	4.8
Deltona-Daytona Beach-Ormond Beach	250.4	249.9	253.1	253.0	23.8	19.1	23.0	17.5	9.5	7.7	9.1	6.9
Gainesville	140.6	142.6	140.8	142.2	9.8	8.0	9.5	7.4	7.0	5.6	6.7	5.2
Jacksonville	685.2	696.0	688.5	696.1	60.7	49.2	58.6	45.2	8.9	7.1	8.5	6.5
Lakeland-Winter Haven	269.2	268.3	269.9	269.2	27.4	22.3	26.5	20.6	10.2	8.3	9.8	7.6
Miami-Fort Lauderdale-Pompano Beach	2,919.9	2,961.1	2,918.3	2,942.3	254.2	235.5	248.2	220.7	8.7	8.0	8.5	7.5
Naples-Marco Island	152.8	151.9	153.6	152.1	12.7	10.5	12.3	9.6	8.3	6.9	8.0	6.3
North Port-Bradenton-Sarasota	302.0	302.4	305.2	302.6	27.6	22.0	26.8	20.2	9.1	7.3	8.8	6.7
Ocala	132.5	133.1	133.1	133.1	14.3	11.2	13.8	10.4	10.8	8.4	10.4	7.8
Orlando-Kissimmee-Sanford	1,130.2	1,143.2	1,136.7	1,139.8	102.1	82.3	98.5	75.5	9.0	7.2	8.7	6.6
Palm Bay-Melbourne-Titusville	266.2	265.5	267.0	265.2	26.5	21.3	25.6	19.6	10.0	8.0	9.6	7.4
Palm Coast	34.5	34.9	35.2	34.9	4.3	3.6	4.2	3.3	12.5	10.3	11.9	9.5
Panama City-Lynn Haven-Panama City Beach	88.0	85.8	90.9	88.5	8.3	6.8	7.5	5.8	9.4	7.9	8.3	6.6
Pensacola-Ferry Pass-Brent	210.8	213.4	212.7	213.6	18.4	15.3	17.8	14.2	8.7	7.2	8.3	6.6
Port St. Lucie	189.6	189.5	190.3	189.6	19.9	16.9	19.3	15.6	10.5	8.9	10.1	8.2
Punta Gorda	70.5	69.6	71.5	69.7	6.6	5.2	6.4	4.7	9.3	7.4	8.9	6.8
Sebastian-Vero Beach	64.1	63.5	64.2	63.9	6.6	5.6	6.5	5.2	10.3	8.9	10.0	8.1
Tallahassee	187.7	188.6	187.5	187.5	14.5	12.0	13.8	11.1	7.7	6.4	7.4	5.9
Tampa-St. Petersburg-Clearwater	1,311.1	1,332.5	1,316.2	1,336.3	123.7	99.9	119.9	91.7	9.4	7.5	9.1	6.9
Georgia	4,782.9	4,801.7	4,792.7	4,791.5	453.1	409.8	433.8	390.0	9.5	8.5	9.1	8.1
Albany	75.0	74.3	74.7	73.9	7.4	6.8	7.1	6.6	9.9	9.1	9.5	8.9
Athens-Clarke County	112.8	114.0	112.9	113.7	7.9	6.9	7.6	6.7	7.0	6.1	6.8	5.9
Atlanta-Sandy Springs-Marietta	2,717.4	2,743.5	2,720.3	2,741.6	253.0	226.9	242.7	216.6	9.3	8.3	8.9	7.9
Augusta-Richmond County	264.0	263.3	264.6	262.7	23.8	22.3	22.5	20.9	9.0	8.5	8.5	8.0
Brunswick	50.4	50.4	50.8	50.3	5.4	4.8	5.1	4.5	10.7	9.6	10.0	9.0
Columbus	132.5	131.7	132.8	131.2	12.0	11.6	11.6	11.0	9.1	8.8	8.7	8.4
Dalton	60.5	59.6	60.5	59.3	7.5	6.5	7.1	6.1	12.4	11.0	11.8	10.3
Gainesville	90.3	90.7	90.3	90.7	7.2	6.2	7.0	6.2	8.0	6.9	7.7	6.8
Hinesville-Fort Stewart	33.1	33.3	33.8	33.4	3.1	2.9	3.0	2.9	9.4	8.8	8.8	8.6
Macon	113.9	113.6	114.2	112.9	11.4	10.2	10.9	9.6	10.0	9.0	9.6	8.5
Rome	48.4	48.2	48.4	48.0	5.2	4.5	5.0	4.3	10.8	9.3	10.3	8.9
Savannah	179.7	181.4	181.3	181.4	15.7	14.1	15.1	13.4	8.7	7.7	8.3	7.4
Valdosta	67.3	67.9	68.2	67.7	6.0	5.5	5.8	5.2	8.9	8.0	8.6	7.7
Warner Robins	71.8	71.3	71.9	70.9	5.6	5.1	5.4	4.9	7.8	7.2	7.5	6.9
Hawaii	653.8	649.1	654.7	643.3	40.3	33.1	40.3	31.9	6.2	5.1	6.2	5.0
Honolulu	461.2	458.2	461.5	452.6	25.0	20.7	25.1	19.9	5.4	4.5	5.4	4.4
Idaho	768.8	767.3	769.3	766.2	65.2	54.7	62.6	52.0	8.5	7.1	8.1	6.8
Boise City-Nampa	305.6	307.1	306.2	306.9	24.5	20.1	23.3	18.8	8.0	6.6	7.6	6.1
Coeur d'Alene	70.7	70.4	70.9	70.3	7.5	6.3	7.3	6.0	10.6	8.9	10.3	8.6
Idaho Falls	63.4	62.8	63.3	62.4	4.7	3.8	4.4	3.6	7.4	6.1	6.9	5.8
Lewiston	29.3	29.0	29.3	29.0	2.5	2.1	2.3	1.9	8.4	7.2	7.9	6.4
Pocatello	44.2	43.4	44.3	43.3	3.7	3.1	3.5	3.0	8.4	7.2	7.8	6.8
Illinois	6,555.7	6,596.3	6,555.4	6,531.8	622.4	688.5	595.0	615.7	9.5	10.4	9.1	9.4
Bloomington-Normal	90.9	89.9	90.3	89.0	6.8	7.2	6.2	6.2	7.5	8.0	6.9	6.9
Champaign-Urbana	114.4	116.0	114.5	115.5	9.8	10.6	8.9	9.1	8.6	9.2	7.8	7.9
Chicago-Joliet-Naperville	4,854.6	4,901.3	4,856.3	4,851.7	448.3	505.2	438.8	461.3	9.2	10.3	9.0	9.5
Danville	36.3	36.2	36.1	35.9	4.0	4.5	3.5	3.9	10.9	12.3	9.7	10.8
Davenport-Moline-Rock Island	197.9	199.4	198.7	197.8	16.4	16.3	15.2	14.3	8.3	8.2	7.7	7.2
Decatur	53.5	52.1	53.4	51.3	5.8	7.1	5.5	6.1	10.9	13.6	10.4	11.8
Kankakee-Bradley	55.7	56.2	55.4	55.7	7.2	7.4	6.6	6.5	12.9	13.2	11.9	11.7
Peoria	200.0	200.1	199.5	198.0	17.9	20.7	16.1	17.6	9.0	10.3	8.0	8.9
Rockford	164.1	167.0	163.3	165.3	21.3	22.2	19.7	19.5	13.0	13.3	12.1	11.8
Springfield	114.5	114.3	113.9	113.4	9.6	10.5	8.7	8.9	8.4	9.2	7.6	7.8
Indiana	3,130.4	3,137.0	3,137.7	3,121.0	282.0	291.5	273.0	283.6	9.0	9.3	8.7	9.1
Anderson	60.1	60.2	60.2	59.9	6.3	6.9	6.1	6.6	10.5	11.4	10.0	11.0
Bloomington	96.7	95.3	96.8	94.5	7.8	7.8	7.3	7.9	8.0	8.2	7.5	8.4
Columbus	40.2	41.2	40.6	41.0	2.8	3.0	2.7	2.9	7.0	7.4	6.7	7.2
Elkhart-Goshen	89.5	90.7	90.6	90.7	9.6	8.8	9.2	8.5	10.7	9.7	10.1	9.4
Evansville	181.3	178.0	182.6	178.3	14.2	14.3	13.8	13.9	7.9	8.0	7.5	7.8
Fort Wayne	203.4	203.5	204.1	201.6	18.1	18.1	17.5	17.7	8.9	8.9	8.6	8.8
Indianapolis-Carmel	897.9	902.1	896.5	896.2	73.7	76.5	72.2	74.7	8.2	8.5	8.1	8.3
Kokomo	41.8	41.8	42.1	41.8	4.1	4.3	4.0	4.2	9.9	10.2	9.6	10.0
Lafayette	98.0	98.7	98.7	98.0	7.4	7.9	7.3	8.1	7.6	8.0	7.4	8.2
Michigan City-La Porte	49.4	48.8	49.6	48.6	5.5	5.8	5.3	5.6	11.0	11.9	10.6	11.6
Muncie	53.4	54.3	54.0	54.2	5.4	5.6	5.4	5.6	10.1	10.3	9.9	10.3
South Bend-Mishawaka	149.5	148.8	149.3	148.2	14.9	15.1	14.6	14.8	10.0	10.2	9.8	10.0
Terre Haute	78.9	78.6	79.0	78.0	8.5	9.2	8.1	8.8	10.7	11.7	10.2	11.2

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(Numbers in thousands)

State and area	Civilian labor force				Unemployed							
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	February		March		February		March		February		March	
	2012	2013	2012	2013P	2012	2013	2012	2013P	2012	2013	2012	2013P
Iowa	1,643.2	1,638.4	1,642.8	1,641.2	100.6	92.4	96.8	84.6	6.1	5.6	5.9	5.2
Ames	48.9	48.8	48.6	48.8	2.0	1.9	2.1	1.8	4.1	3.8	4.3	3.6
Cedar Rapids	145.4	144.4	145.4	144.1	8.9	8.2	8.7	7.7	6.1	5.7	6.0	5.3
Des Moines-West Des Moines	310.0	313.2	309.9	314.3	18.9	17.2	18.2	15.8	6.1	5.5	5.9	5.0
Dubuque	53.7	53.7	53.6	53.9	3.3	2.9	3.0	2.8	6.1	5.4	5.6	5.2
Iowa City	91.9	92.0	92.1	92.6	3.9	3.4	3.9	3.2	4.2	3.7	4.3	3.5
Sioux City	76.5	77.2	76.6	77.5	4.5	4.4	4.5	4.0	5.9	5.7	5.8	5.2
Waterloo-Cedar Falls	95.1	95.7	95.2	95.8	5.4	5.1	5.4	4.7	5.7	5.3	5.7	4.9
Kansas	1,489.0	1,483.3	1,486.8	1,486.5	93.4	86.6	91.8	86.9	6.3	5.8	6.2	5.8
Lawrence	62.5	62.4	62.0	62.8	3.6	3.4	3.5	3.5	5.7	5.4	5.6	5.6
Manhattan	62.4	64.5	62.5	64.9	3.4	3.4	3.4	3.5	5.5	5.3	5.4	5.4
Topeka	121.2	121.7	120.9	121.9	8.3	8.1	8.0	8.1	6.9	6.7	6.6	6.7
Wichita	303.7	302.6	301.5	302.4	22.4	19.8	22.0	20.1	7.4	6.5	7.3	6.7
Kentucky	2,050.7	2,063.1	2,057.6	2,083.5	189.9	179.1	177.2	178.2	9.3	8.7	8.6	8.6
Bowling Green	65.2	64.7	65.6	65.7	5.2	4.8	4.8	5.1	8.0	7.4	7.4	7.8
Elizabethtown	56.4	55.9	56.4	56.5	5.2	4.4	4.8	4.6	9.2	7.9	8.5	8.1
Lexington-Fayette	239.0	242.6	239.3	245.7	17.9	16.6	16.9	16.8	7.5	6.8	7.0	6.8
Louisville-Jefferson County	621.7	634.9	625.4	641.5	59.2	53.3	55.3	53.3	9.5	8.4	8.8	8.3
Owensboro	58.7	59.1	58.8	59.8	4.6	4.3	4.1	4.2	7.8	7.3	7.0	7.0
Louisiana	2,052.5	2,060.7	2,067.6	2,064.8	140.4	119.9	137.2	123.8	6.8	5.8	6.6	6.0
Alexandria	66.8	66.1	67.3	66.3	4.6	3.9	4.4	4.0	6.8	5.8	6.5	6.0
Baton Rouge	377.6	382.3	380.1	381.6	25.8	21.1	25.1	22.0	6.8	5.5	6.6	5.8
Houma-Bayou Cane-Thibodaux	101.1	103.5	102.2	103.8	4.9	4.1	4.8	4.3	4.9	4.0	4.7	4.1
Lafayette	138.2	141.1	139.2	140.8	7.1	5.9	6.8	6.1	5.1	4.2	4.9	4.3
Lake Charles	93.1	94.9	93.9	95.0	5.7	4.9	5.7	5.1	6.2	5.2	6.1	5.4
Monroe	80.1	80.6	80.8	80.8	6.0	5.1	5.8	5.3	7.4	6.4	7.2	6.5
New Orleans-Metairie-Kenner	535.8	537.4	539.1	539.0	36.6	31.5	36.0	32.3	6.8	5.9	6.7	6.0
Shreveport-Bossier City	182.2	180.0	183.2	179.9	11.8	11.3	11.8	11.6	6.5	6.3	6.4	6.5
Maine	697.4	696.0	698.6	695.9	59.2	57.3	57.2	52.7	8.5	8.2	8.2	7.6
Bangor	73.1	73.2	73.0	72.8	5.7	5.6	5.6	5.2	7.8	7.6	7.6	7.1
Lewiston-Auburn	58.4	57.9	58.2	57.8	4.9	4.5	4.7	4.2	8.3	7.7	8.1	7.2
Portland-South Portland-Biddeford	204.6	204.1	205.1	205.2	13.9	13.7	13.7	12.7	6.8	6.7	6.7	6.2
Maryland	3,089.6	3,114.6	3,105.2	3,126.3	223.5	212.6	210.1	207.6	7.2	6.8	6.8	6.6
Baltimore-Towson	1,456.4	1,477.4	1,463.8	1,481.7	109.7	104.8	103.5	103.2	7.5	7.1	7.1	7.0
Cumberland	50.1	50.4	50.0	50.3	4.4	4.2	4.0	3.9	8.8	8.4	8.1	7.7
Hagerstown-Martinsburg	123.9	124.5	123.9	124.8	10.9	10.0	10.3	9.5	8.8	8.0	8.3	7.6
Salisbury	63.4	62.0	63.6	62.8	6.4	5.9	5.9	5.7	10.1	9.4	9.3	9.0
Massachusetts	3,454.0	3,441.3	3,459.4	3,449.4	251.5	233.8	239.4	233.5	7.3	6.8	6.9	6.8
Barnstable Town	124.5	127.4	125.7	128.1	12.0	11.1	11.2	10.7	9.7	8.7	8.9	8.4
Boston-Cambridge-Quincy	2,539.8	2,538.5	2,541.4	2,543.6	163.2	152.1	153.8	150.1	6.4	6.0	6.0	5.9
Leominster-Fitchburg-Gardner	71.7	70.7	71.7	70.9	7.0	6.4	6.8	6.6	9.7	9.1	9.5	9.2
New Bedford	86.8	87.3	86.8	87.4	10.0	10.1	9.3	9.9	11.5	11.6	10.8	11.3
Pittsfield	38.6	37.5	38.4	37.3	3.0	2.7	2.9	2.7	7.8	7.2	7.5	7.3
Springfield	339.4	333.0	341.1	333.3	28.9	26.7	27.3	26.7	8.5	8.0	8.0	8.0
Worcester	293.6	290.1	293.8	291.9	22.8	21.3	21.6	21.4	7.8	7.3	7.3	7.3
Michigan	4,634.3	4,628.3	4,645.5	4,629.8	451.9	426.8	448.2	405.9	9.8	9.2	9.6	8.8
Ann Arbor	182.1	183.7	183.0	184.6	10.4	9.7	11.0	9.4	5.7	5.3	6.0	5.1
Battle Creek	63.2	63.4	63.5	63.8	5.1	4.6	5.1	4.4	8.1	7.3	8.0	6.8
Bay City	51.5	51.3	51.7	51.3	5.0	4.9	5.0	4.6	9.7	9.5	9.7	8.9
Detroit-Warren-Livonia	1,990.4	1,994.6	1,995.4	1,991.9	211.3	202.6	208.4	196.4	10.6	10.2	10.4	9.9
Flint	185.9	184.9	185.6	185.0	18.8	18.0	18.7	16.8	10.1	9.8	10.1	9.1
Grand Rapids-Wyoming	390.2	392.2	390.2	393.6	29.2	25.9	29.2	24.4	7.5	6.6	7.5	6.2
Holland-Grand Haven	129.1	130.2	129.6	130.6	9.8	8.7	9.9	8.1	7.6	6.7	7.6	6.2
Jackson	70.7	69.9	70.9	70.1	6.5	6.2	6.5	5.8	9.3	8.8	9.2	8.3
Kalamazoo-Portage	161.3	160.1	162.1	160.6	13.4	12.1	13.4	11.4	8.3	7.6	8.3	7.1
Lansing-East Lansing	235.1	234.7	235.5	234.1	17.8	17.2	18.1	15.7	7.6	7.3	7.7	6.7
Monroe	69.4	68.4	70.0	68.9	6.1	5.7	6.0	5.3	8.7	8.3	8.6	7.7
Muskegon-Norton Shores	82.1	83.4	82.5	83.5	8.0	7.6	7.9	7.0	9.7	9.2	9.6	8.4
Niles-Benton Harbor	71.1	70.3	71.8	70.6	7.3	6.7	7.1	6.2	10.3	9.6	9.9	8.8
Saginaw-Saginaw Township North	91.0	89.1	91.4	89.1	8.6	8.1	8.5	7.6	9.4	9.1	9.3	8.6
Minnesota	2,948.0	2,954.6	2,958.9	2,959.8	193.8	177.3	188.0	172.0	6.6	6.0	6.4	5.8
Duluth	145.2	144.3	144.6	144.2	11.1	10.7	10.8	10.1	7.6	7.4	7.5	7.0
Mankato-North Mankato	58.0	58.5	58.2	58.2	3.1	2.9	3.0	2.7	5.4	4.9	5.1	4.6
Minneapolis-St. Paul-Bloomington	1,846.5	1,862.6	1,845.5	1,866.5	113.4	102.6	110.2	99.4	6.1	5.5	6.0	5.3
Rochester	103.9	104.5	104.7	104.6	5.8	5.4	5.5	5.1	5.5	5.1	5.3	4.9
St. Cloud	108.3	108.4	108.9	108.0	7.4	7.1	7.0	6.6	6.8	6.6	6.4	6.1

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Mississippi	1,326.1	1,320.6	1,320.8	1,309.6	125.7	130.9	116.4	113.9	9.5	9.9	8.8	8.7
Gulfport-Biloxi	114.9	113.0	114.7	111.9	10.5	10.7	9.6	9.2	9.1	9.5	8.4	8.2
Hattiesburg	68.4	68.3	68.0	67.3	5.6	5.9	5.2	5.0	8.2	8.6	7.6	7.4
Jackson	269.6	268.3	269.2	265.9	20.5	21.2	19.1	18.4	7.6	7.9	7.1	6.9
Pascagoula	70.6	71.1	70.3	70.0	7.3	7.6	7.0	6.6	10.4	10.7	10.0	9.5
Missouri	2,984.5	2,976.5	2,988.7	2,982.1	236.9	220.3	223.3	207.0	7.9	7.4	7.5	6.9
Cape Girardeau-Jackson	46.6	46.8	46.5	47.0	3.3	3.1	3.2	3.0	7.1	6.7	6.9	6.4
Columbia	98.0	96.5	98.3	97.3	5.1	4.7	4.9	4.6	5.2	4.9	5.0	4.8
Jefferson City	76.1	75.8	76.2	76.0	4.9	4.4	4.7	4.3	6.4	5.9	6.2	5.7
Joplin	86.6	86.1	86.9	86.3	5.7	5.1	5.6	4.9	6.6	5.9	6.5	5.7
Kansas City	1,039.6	1,031.9	1,040.0	1,032.0	76.4	73.0	74.1	68.6	7.3	7.1	7.1	6.6
St. Joseph	72.2	72.1	72.3	72.5	4.7	4.3	4.4	4.2	6.5	5.9	6.1	5.7
St. Louis ¹	1,417.1	1,406.5	1,417.1	1,406.1	121.5	113.1	115.0	105.6	8.6	8.0	8.1	7.5
Springfield	219.2	222.5	219.9	223.4	15.5	13.5	14.8	12.9	7.1	6.1	6.7	5.8
Montana	500.1	503.7	502.4	504.7	35.3	32.4	34.6	31.6	7.1	6.4	6.9	6.3
Billings	87.2	90.2	88.3	90.5	4.3	4.1	4.3	4.1	4.9	4.6	4.9	4.5
Great Falls	40.1	40.2	40.6	40.6	2.5	2.4	2.4	2.3	6.2	5.8	5.9	5.8
Missoula	58.8	59.3	58.9	59.1	4.1	3.7	4.0	3.6	7.0	6.3	6.7	6.0
Nebraska	1,011.4	1,026.3	1,013.8	1,028.2	45.7	43.0	42.3	39.7	4.5	4.2	4.2	3.9
Lincoln	175.0	177.7	175.0	178.8	7.1	6.7	6.5	6.2	4.0	3.8	3.7	3.5
Omaha-Council Bluffs	460.7	466.0	459.5	465.3	23.4	21.5	21.8	19.9	5.1	4.6	4.7	4.3
Nevada	1,386.9	1,376.9	1,381.9	1,372.6	166.8	135.1	160.9	134.6	12.0	9.8	11.6	9.8
Carson City	28.4	27.5	28.1	27.4	3.6	3.0	3.4	2.9	12.6	10.7	12.2	10.6
Las Vegas-Paradise	999.5	994.5	995.1	992.5	120.8	97.1	116.7	97.1	12.1	9.8	11.7	9.8
Reno-Sparks	225.4	223.8	223.8	221.4	27.5	22.6	26.3	22.1	12.2	10.1	11.8	10.0
New Hampshire	738.9	740.2	739.7	742.1	44.0	45.6	41.8	44.5	6.0	6.2	5.7	6.0
Manchester	107.7	107.5	107.9	107.7	6.2	6.4	6.0	6.2	5.8	6.0	5.6	5.8
Portsmouth	44.1	45.2	44.3	45.4	2.3	2.5	2.2	2.4	5.3	5.6	5.1	5.3
Rochester-Dover	83.9	84.7	84.1	85.0	5.0	5.2	4.9	5.0	6.0	6.1	5.8	5.9
New Jersey	4,556.7	4,592.4	4,558.3	4,582.5	447.1	434.1	432.9	410.1	9.8	9.5	9.5	8.9
Atlantic City-Hammonton	133.5	132.0	134.1	131.3	19.2	19.7	18.3	18.1	14.3	14.9	13.6	13.8
Ocean City	51.3	52.1	51.5	52.0	9.6	9.8	9.0	8.9	18.6	18.8	17.4	17.0
Trenton-Ewing	208.9	211.4	208.8	211.2	16.8	16.0	16.1	15.2	8.1	7.6	7.7	7.2
Vineland-Millville-Bridgeton	70.2	68.7	69.7	68.5	10.5	10.2	10.0	9.5	14.9	14.8	14.4	13.9
New Mexico	932.6	941.5	928.2	935.2	68.8	68.9	64.2	64.1	7.4	7.3	6.9	6.9
Albuquerque	397.1	398.9	395.6	396.7	30.9	30.2	29.2	28.2	7.8	7.6	7.4	7.1
Farmington	55.9	56.1	56.2	56.1	4.1	4.0	3.8	3.7	7.3	7.2	6.7	6.7
Las Cruces	93.7	94.0	93.0	93.6	7.1	7.5	6.7	7.2	7.6	8.0	7.2	7.7
Santa Fe	75.3	75.6	74.5	74.6	4.5	4.6	4.1	4.0	6.0	6.0	5.5	5.4
New York	9,560.9	9,548.8	9,545.5	9,490.7	873.0	842.6	831.9	765.1	9.1	8.8	8.7	8.1
Albany-Schenectady-Troy	443.7	441.8	441.5	439.9	36.3	35.0	34.5	31.9	8.2	7.9	7.8	7.3
Binghamton	117.7	116.5	117.4	115.6	11.2	11.2	10.5	10.2	9.6	9.6	9.0	8.8
Buffalo-Niagara Falls	571.7	570.1	569.3	567.7	52.6	52.6	49.9	48.0	9.2	9.2	8.8	8.5
Elmira	39.9	39.5	39.6	39.1	3.6	4.0	3.4	3.6	9.0	10.2	8.7	9.3
Glens Falls	65.5	66.1	65.2	65.3	6.6	6.6	6.3	6.0	10.1	9.9	9.7	9.1
Ithaca	58.4	58.8	58.0	58.3	3.6	3.4	3.3	3.1	6.2	5.8	5.7	5.3
Kingston	86.5	87.0	86.8	86.6	8.1	8.2	7.8	7.4	9.4	9.4	9.0	8.5
New York-Northern New Jersey-Long Island ...	9,509.5	9,540.2	9,509.1	9,499.7	875.6	837.9	840.9	773.1	9.2	8.8	8.8	8.1
New York City	4,010.5	4,001.2	4,004.8	3,965.9	392.7	367.7	377.0	336.9	9.8	9.2	9.4	8.5
Poughkeepsie-Newburgh-Middletown	317.2	318.1	316.7	315.5	27.3	26.7	25.9	24.2	8.6	8.4	8.2	7.7
Rochester	523.3	520.7	522.2	519.2	45.6	45.5	43.4	41.3	8.7	8.7	8.3	8.0
Syracuse	321.0	319.1	319.0	316.9	30.5	29.8	28.8	26.9	9.5	9.3	9.0	8.5
Utica-Rome	136.6	135.5	135.7	133.8	13.2	13.2	12.6	12.0	9.7	9.8	9.3	9.0
North Carolina	4,673.2	4,702.8	4,683.4	4,693.2	467.0	446.4	441.8	419.5	10.0	9.5	9.4	8.9
Asheville	213.2	218.7	213.8	218.3	18.2	17.1	16.9	15.7	8.5	7.8	7.9	7.2
Burlington	73.5	73.4	73.8	73.3	7.2	6.8	6.8	6.5	9.8	9.3	9.3	8.8
Charlotte-Gastonia-Rock Hill	905.8	921.1	909.5	921.3	90.6	86.7	86.0	81.5	10.0	9.4	9.5	8.8
Durham-Chapel Hill	272.9	277.5	273.2	276.9	20.8	19.4	19.9	18.4	7.6	7.0	7.3	6.7
Fayetteville	164.2	165.3	164.5	165.0	16.5	16.6	15.8	15.8	10.0	10.0	9.6	9.6
Goldensboro	54.7	55.3	54.6	55.0	4.9	5.1	4.7	4.8	9.0	9.2	8.7	8.8
Greensboro-High Point	373.3	370.6	373.5	369.6	38.1	36.8	36.5	34.8	10.2	9.9	9.8	9.4
Greenville	97.7	100.0	97.8	99.9	9.1	9.1	8.8	8.7	9.3	9.1	9.0	8.7
Hickory-Lenoir-Morganton	168.7	168.8	168.7	168.2	19.7	18.2	18.6	17.0	11.7	10.8	11.0	10.1
Jacksonville	67.6	69.0	67.5	68.4	6.1	6.1	5.8	5.8	9.0	8.8	8.6	8.5
Raleigh-Cary	592.5	600.8	594.7	600.6	48.2	44.8	46.3	42.5	8.1	7.5	7.8	7.1
Rocky Mount	70.9	70.5	71.0	70.0	9.4	9.3	9.1	8.8	13.3	13.2	12.8	12.5
Wilmington	178.6	181.8	180.1	182.7	19.1	18.6	17.7	16.8	10.7	10.3	9.8	9.2
Winston-Salem	243.9	242.8	243.8	241.5	22.6	21.3	21.4	20.2	9.3	8.8	8.8	8.4

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

(Numbers in thousands)

State and area	Civilian labor force				Unemployed							
					Number				Percent of labor force			
	February		March		February		March		February		March	
	2012	2013	2012	2013P	2012	2013	2012	2013P	2012	2013	2012	2013P
North Dakota	383.5	391.6	385.1	394.4	14.6	15.3	14.4	15.3	3.8	3.9	3.7	3.9
Bismarck	60.8	59.9	60.7	60.2	2.3	2.2	2.2	2.1	3.8	3.7	3.6	3.6
Fargo	119.0	119.4	118.6	119.7	5.2	5.1	5.0	5.0	4.4	4.2	4.2	4.2
Grand Forks	55.1	53.8	54.6	53.7	2.8	2.6	2.8	2.5	5.2	4.8	5.1	4.7
Ohio	5,714.2	5,685.3	5,724.0	5,692.7	474.7	443.0	440.5	416.3	8.3	7.8	7.7	7.3
Akron	371.4	373.3	371.0	374.8	29.7	27.7	27.8	26.6	8.0	7.4	7.5	7.1
Canton-Massillon	196.7	197.7	197.3	198.7	17.1	15.9	16.1	15.3	8.7	8.1	8.2	7.7
Cincinnati-Middletown	1,081.5	1,077.9	1,085.1	1,080.1	88.3	80.4	83.1	77.7	8.2	7.5	7.7	7.2
Cleveland-Elyria-Mentor	1,046.2	1,038.2	1,046.8	1,030.6	83.2	81.9	75.0	71.7	8.0	7.9	7.2	7.0
Columbus	963.4	962.0	962.9	963.5	67.4	61.6	63.2	59.2	7.0	6.4	6.6	6.1
Dayton	405.3	400.2	405.5	401.0	34.7	31.7	32.7	30.3	8.6	7.9	8.1	7.6
Lima	48.9	48.2	48.8	48.4	4.5	4.1	4.1	3.9	9.1	8.5	8.4	8.0
Mansfield	57.7	56.5	57.8	56.3	5.7	5.1	5.3	4.8	9.8	9.0	9.1	8.6
Sandusky	38.7	37.9	39.1	38.3	3.7	3.4	3.3	3.1	9.6	8.9	8.5	8.1
Springfield	67.8	67.2	67.7	67.7	5.7	5.1	5.3	5.2	8.4	7.6	7.8	7.6
Steubenville-Weirton	55.1	54.2	55.0	54.0	6.0	5.8	5.7	5.4	10.9	10.8	10.4	10.1
Toledo	315.4	316.3	316.2	316.7	29.1	28.4	27.1	26.9	9.2	9.0	8.6	8.5
Youngstown-Warren-Boardman	263.2	263.2	264.1	263.6	23.5	23.2	22.2	22.0	8.9	8.8	8.4	8.4
Oklahoma	1,782.9	1,798.1	1,786.0	1,802.7	101.9	96.4	89.9	90.5	5.7	5.4	5.0	5.0
Lawton	47.7	47.6	47.7	47.7	3.3	3.2	3.0	2.9	7.0	6.6	6.3	6.1
Oklahoma City	587.6	598.5	589.7	600.3	30.8	29.5	27.0	27.9	5.2	4.9	4.6	4.6
Tulsa	440.1	447.9	440.1	450.3	27.5	25.3	24.4	24.0	6.3	5.7	5.6	5.3
Oregon	1,962.9	1,932.9	1,965.3	1,922.1	192.9	176.5	187.4	167.7	9.8	9.1	9.5	8.7
Bend	77.9	76.6	77.6	75.3	10.8	9.4	10.1	8.5	13.8	12.2	13.1	11.3
Corvallis	44.1	44.5	44.6	44.2	2.8	2.8	2.9	2.7	6.2	6.2	6.4	6.1
Eugene-Springfield	178.9	175.2	178.8	174.1	16.6	15.5	16.4	14.6	9.3	8.8	9.2	8.4
Medford	100.2	97.8	100.3	96.5	12.5	11.1	12.2	10.3	12.5	11.4	12.2	10.7
Portland-Vancouver-Hillsboro	1,194.7	1,175.4	1,195.5	1,170.6	107.3	99.6	105.4	91.7	9.0	8.5	8.8	7.8
Salem	192.3	190.3	192.6	189.1	20.1	18.4	19.8	17.4	10.4	9.7	10.3	9.2
Pennsylvania	6,394.4	6,447.5	6,416.6	6,416.5	528.9	542.8	510.4	497.2	8.3	8.4	8.0	7.7
Allentown-Bethlehem-Easton	427.1	435.2	428.4	433.0	38.2	38.7	36.8	35.1	8.9	8.9	8.6	8.1
Altoona	63.7	64.3	63.7	63.7	4.8	5.1	4.7	4.6	7.5	8.0	7.3	7.2
Erie	140.3	139.6	139.7	139.1	11.6	11.5	11.2	10.8	8.3	8.2	8.0	7.8
Harrisburg-Carlisle	281.9	284.8	284.2	285.1	21.2	21.4	20.5	19.6	7.5	7.5	7.2	6.9
Johnstown	67.9	68.4	68.2	67.8	6.2	6.7	6.0	6.1	9.1	9.8	8.8	9.0
Lancaster	264.7	265.0	264.8	264.2	18.5	18.8	17.7	16.8	7.0	7.1	6.7	6.4
Lebanon	73.8	74.1	73.9	74.0	4.9	5.1	4.6	4.7	6.6	6.9	6.3	6.3
Philadelphia-Camden-Wilmington	2,986.8	3,011.5	2,998.9	2,994.4	263.9	262.5	256.0	245.2	8.8	8.7	8.5	8.2
Pittsburgh	1,232.9	1,241.8	1,241.4	1,238.4	94.0	96.5	90.2	88.1	7.6	7.8	7.3	7.1
Reading	203.7	206.1	203.9	204.8	17.4	17.4	16.7	15.8	8.5	8.4	8.2	7.7
Scranton-Wilkes-Barre	281.4	284.6	282.3	281.3	27.7	29.1	26.9	26.8	9.9	10.2	9.5	9.5
State College	76.0	76.2	76.5	76.2	4.6	4.7	4.4	4.3	6.0	6.1	5.8	5.7
Williamsport	63.6	64.2	63.7	63.8	5.0	5.7	4.9	5.2	7.9	8.9	7.7	8.2
York-Hanover	225.0	226.7	226.2	226.2	18.3	18.2	17.6	16.8	8.1	8.0	7.8	7.4
Rhode Island	556.3	558.3	554.7	552.0	64.8	54.5	61.8	52.6	11.7	9.8	11.1	9.5
Providence-Fall River-Warwick	693.4	694.0	693.2	689.5	79.9	69.4	77.9	68.5	11.5	10.0	11.2	9.9
South Carolina	2,152.7	2,157.3	2,156.3	2,154.6	212.0	187.6	194.5	171.7	9.8	8.7	9.0	8.0
Anderson	85.8	84.2	85.1	83.9	8.3	6.6	7.2	6.1	9.7	7.8	8.4	7.3
Charleston-North Charleston-Summerville	332.7	330.8	333.5	330.4	26.5	22.4	24.4	21.2	8.0	6.8	7.3	6.4
Columbia	373.4	371.5	373.0	371.3	31.3	27.3	29.1	25.8	8.4	7.4	7.8	6.9
Florence	93.5	93.4	93.4	92.6	10.1	9.0	9.3	8.3	10.8	9.7	10.0	8.9
Greenville-Mauldin-Easley	314.9	313.2	315.2	313.6	25.0	21.3	23.2	20.1	7.9	6.8	7.4	6.4
Myrtle Beach-North Myrtle Beach-Conway	121.4	124.3	124.6	126.0	15.7	13.8	13.6	11.8	13.0	11.1	10.9	9.4
Spartanburg	135.9	137.0	136.0	136.5	13.0	11.4	12.0	10.6	9.5	8.3	8.9	7.7
Sumter	44.8	44.4	44.9	44.3	4.9	4.3	4.5	4.0	10.9	9.7	10.1	9.0
South Dakota	439.8	440.6	442.2	444.8	22.4	21.6	21.7	20.3	5.1	4.9	4.9	4.6
Rapid City	66.3	65.5	66.3	66.2	3.4	3.4	3.3	3.1	5.1	5.2	4.9	4.6
Sioux Falls	130.9	132.7	131.0	133.9	6.4	5.8	6.2	5.4	4.9	4.4	4.7	4.1
Tennessee	3,085.1	3,091.7	3,093.9	3,102.7	263.5	253.6	253.1	251.9	8.5	8.2	8.2	8.1
Chattanooga	260.4	258.6	260.6	259.3	19.9	19.3	18.9	19.1	7.7	7.5	7.3	7.4
Clarksville	116.2	116.7	116.8	117.6	10.4	10.0	9.9	9.9	9.0	8.6	8.5	8.4
Cleveland	56.2	57.3	56.2	57.8	4.7	4.4	4.5	4.4	8.4	7.7	7.9	7.5
Jackson	57.8	57.8	57.8	58.2	4.9	4.8	4.8	4.8	8.5	8.3	8.2	8.2
Johnson City	101.1	98.7	100.9	99.0	7.8	7.4	7.3	7.4	7.7	7.5	7.2	7.5

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					Number				Percent of labor force			
	February		March		February		March		February		March	
	2012	2013	2012	2013P	2012	2013	2012	2013P	2012	2013	2012	2013P
Tennessee—Continued												
Kingsport-Bristol-Bristol	147.0	145.4	147.0	146.1	11.5	10.8	10.8	10.4	7.8	7.4	7.3	7.1
Knoxville	363.7	364.3	364.1	366.1	24.9	24.4	23.9	24.1	6.8	6.7	6.6	6.6
Memphis	611.8	607.8	610.5	607.3	57.1	56.7	55.4	56.2	9.3	9.3	9.1	9.3
Morristown	62.4	61.8	63.0	62.2	6.5	6.3	6.3	6.1	10.4	10.1	10.1	9.8
Nashville-Davidson—Murfreesboro—Franklin	837.8	850.1	841.1	849.8	59.5	54.3	56.7	53.6	7.1	6.4	6.7	6.3
Texas												
Abilene	12,520.8	12,662.1	12,548.7	12,686.1	907.7	816.4	876.9	800.3	7.2	6.4	7.0	6.3
Amarillo	84.2	84.7	84.4	84.7	4.8	4.3	4.6	4.2	5.6	5.1	5.5	4.9
Austin-Round Rock-San Marcos	134.3	133.8	133.9	133.8	6.7	6.1	6.5	6.2	5.0	4.6	4.9	4.6
Beaumont-Port Arthur	955.2	978.6	958.2	983.7	58.9	52.6	57.4	52.0	6.2	5.4	6.0	5.3
Brownsville-Harlingen	191.4	189.3	191.0	189.1	19.1	18.7	18.6	18.4	10.0	9.9	9.7	9.7
College Station-Bryan	163.4	164.1	163.8	164.2	18.1	17.1	17.4	16.6	11.1	10.4	10.6	10.1
Corpus Christi	115.0	115.3	114.6	115.6	6.7	6.1	6.4	5.9	5.8	5.3	5.6	5.1
Dallas-Fort Worth-Arlington	215.5	218.7	216.1	220.5	14.9	12.9	14.2	12.9	6.9	5.9	6.6	5.9
El Paso	3,309.9	3,371.7	3,317.2	3,377.3	237.4	212.5	231.2	208.8	7.2	6.3	7.0	6.2
Houston-Sugar Land-Baytown	325.7	323.4	325.3	323.6	32.0	29.5	31.0	28.7	9.8	9.1	9.5	8.9
Killeen-Temple-Fort Hood	3,011.0	3,070.9	3,021.6	3,071.9	219.7	192.2	211.0	187.3	7.3	6.3	7.0	6.1
Laredo	169.4	171.0	169.5	170.8	13.3	12.1	12.8	11.9	7.9	7.1	7.6	6.9
Longview	100.0	101.1	101.1	101.1	7.6	7.0	7.2	6.7	7.6	6.9	7.1	6.6
Lubbock	115.9	115.8	116.8	116.6	6.9	6.6	6.7	6.5	6.0	5.7	5.7	5.5
McAllen-Edinburg-Mission	145.5	146.4	145.5	146.6	8.3	7.5	8.5	7.7	5.7	5.1	5.8	5.3
Midland	318.2	317.0	318.2	315.6	36.3	34.8	34.7	33.5	11.4	11.0	10.9	10.6
Odessa	87.2	93.2	87.6	93.5	3.3	3.0	3.1	2.9	3.7	3.2	3.6	3.1
San Angelo	81.3	86.3	81.8	86.4	3.7	3.3	3.6	3.2	4.6	3.8	4.4	3.7
San Antonio-New Braunfels	55.6	56.8	55.7	56.9	3.1	2.9	3.0	2.8	5.6	5.0	5.3	4.9
Sherman-Denison	1,021.2	1,017.6	1,023.7	1,023.7	70.3	62.2	67.7	61.7	6.9	6.1	6.6	6.0
Texarkana	57.5	57.3	57.7	57.4	4.5	4.0	4.3	3.9	7.8	7.0	7.5	6.8
Tyler	65.2	63.4	65.2	63.4	4.8	4.4	4.5	4.3	7.3	6.9	6.9	6.8
Victoria	102.5	101.4	102.7	101.2	7.6	6.7	7.3	6.5	7.4	6.6	7.1	6.4
Waco	60.7	61.6	60.9	61.6	3.7	3.3	3.5	3.2	6.1	5.4	5.8	5.2
Wichita Falls	115.8	116.0	116.0	116.2	8.0	7.0	7.8	7.0	6.9	6.1	6.7	6.0
Utah	72.8	71.9	72.9	71.8	4.6	4.3	4.5	4.3	6.3	6.0	6.1	5.9
Utah												
Logan	1,343.2	1,361.4	1,343.0	1,367.6	85.2	73.4	81.8	65.1	6.3	5.4	6.1	4.8
Ogden-Clearfield	66.6	66.3	66.7	66.5	3.2	2.9	3.2	2.6	4.9	4.4	4.7	3.9
Provo-Orem	259.2	260.3	259.3	261.9	16.7	14.2	16.1	12.7	6.4	5.5	6.2	4.9
St. George	226.8	234.1	226.3	234.7	14.1	12.4	13.3	10.6	6.2	5.3	5.9	4.5
Salt Lake City	56.9	57.7	57.2	58.0	4.6	3.8	4.3	3.3	8.2	6.6	7.6	5.6
Vermont	601.9	613.2	599.1	614.4	36.1	30.8	35.1	27.9	6.0	5.0	5.9	4.5
Vermont												
Burlington-South Burlington	356.3	349.3	355.4	349.7	19.7	16.5	19.0	16.1	5.5	4.7	5.3	4.6
Virginia	116.3	114.2	115.7	114.3	5.0	4.1	4.8	4.2	4.3	3.6	4.1	3.6
Virginia												
Blacksburg-Christiansburg-Radford	4,191.1	4,189.6	4,202.0	4,210.0	266.1	240.6	250.6	218.2	6.3	5.7	6.0	5.2
Charlottesville	82.7	84.9	82.2	83.5	5.4	6.0	5.2	4.7	6.5	7.0	6.3	5.6
Danville	110.2	105.9	110.2	106.9	6.0	5.2	5.7	4.8	5.5	4.9	5.2	4.5
Harrisonburg	51.3	50.9	51.2	50.9	4.6	4.0	4.4	3.7	9.0	7.9	8.6	7.3
Lynchburg	67.8	67.7	67.2	67.5	4.2	3.6	4.0	3.3	6.2	5.4	6.0	4.9
Richmond	119.9	122.1	120.4	122.1	8.5	7.8	8.2	7.1	7.1	6.4	6.8	5.8
Roanoke	659.5	664.5	662.2	664.9	45.3	40.8	42.9	37.3	6.9	6.1	6.5	5.6
Virginia Beach-Norfolk-Newport News	157.3	157.1	158.2	157.9	10.5	9.4	9.9	8.5	6.6	6.0	6.2	5.4
Winchester	818.8	822.5	821.9	827.3	58.0	51.2	54.6	46.8	7.1	6.2	6.6	5.7
Washington	66.9	68.1	67.1	69.2	4.4	3.9	4.1	3.6	6.6	5.7	6.2	5.1
Washington												
Bellingham	3,489.8	3,469.1	3,491.9	3,484.1	325.7	284.8	310.5	260.5	9.3	8.2	8.9	7.5
Bremerton-Silverdale	106.1	103.2	107.5	105.3	9.2	8.7	8.7	8.3	8.6	8.4	8.1	7.9
Kennewick-Pasco-Richland	122.5	118.3	121.8	119.6	10.3	9.6	10.0	9.2	8.4	8.1	8.2	7.7
Longview	131.9	128.8	132.0	131.5	13.6	13.7	12.7	12.7	10.3	10.6	9.6	9.7
Mount Vernon-Anacortes	43.9	42.6	43.8	43.0	5.4	5.1	5.2	4.8	12.2	12.0	11.9	11.1
Olympia	56.3	55.8	56.9	57.1	6.1	5.6	5.7	5.3	10.9	10.1	10.1	9.3
Seattle-Tacoma-Bellevue	129.1	126.6	128.9	128.3	11.3	10.6	11.0	10.2	8.8	8.3	8.5	7.9
Spokane	1,896.6	1,906.4	1,898.2	1,904.0	158.4	124.5	149.0	114.7	8.3	6.5	7.9	6.0
Wenatchee-East Wenatchee	234.7	231.9	233.3	232.8	23.7	22.6	22.7	21.2	10.1	9.8	9.7	9.1
Yakima	58.4	57.6	58.1	58.2	5.9	5.5	5.5	5.1	10.2	9.6	9.5	8.7
West Virginia	120.6	119.6	121.1	122.0	14.6	14.3	13.8	13.3	12.1	12.0	11.4	10.9
West Virginia												
Charleston	794.9	800.9	792.2	795.0	64.7	64.9	60.0	57.8	8.1	8.1	7.6	7.3
Huntington-Ashland	136.1	135.7	135.3	134.6	9.9	10.3	9.0	9.0	7.3	7.6	6.7	6.7
Morgantown	126.3	126.0	125.9	126.1	10.3	9.8	9.6	9.1	8.2	7.7	7.6	7.2
Parkersburg-Marietta-Vienna	66.1	67.7	66.2	67.4	3.8	3.8	3.4	3.3	5.8	5.6	5.2	4.8
Wheeling	74.7	74.5	74.6	74.4	6.6	6.1	5.9	5.4	8.8	8.2	7.9	7.2
West Virginia	66.8	66.4	66.7	66.4	5.7	5.7	5.2	5.1	8.5	8.5	7.8	7.7

See footnotes at end of table.

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

(Numbers in thousands)

State and area	Civilian labor force				Unemployed							
					Number				Percent of labor force			
	February		March		February		March		February		March	
	2012	2013	2012	2013 ^P	2012	2013	2012	2013 ^P	2012	2013	2012	2013 ^P
Wisconsin	3,043.5	3,047.5	3,038.9	3,044.7	244.6	249.6	234.0	232.9	8.0	8.2	7.7	7.6
Appleton	123.1	123.6	122.9	123.5	8.9	9.1	8.6	8.6	7.3	7.4	7.0	7.0
Eau Claire	91.8	92.7	91.3	92.0	6.6	7.0	6.3	6.5	7.2	7.5	6.9	7.0
Fond du Lac	54.4	55.0	54.5	55.0	4.2	4.3	4.0	4.0	7.7	7.9	7.4	7.2
Green Bay	172.4	173.4	171.9	172.8	13.0	13.1	12.5	12.1	7.6	7.5	7.3	7.0
Janesville	78.5	79.1	78.5	79.0	7.6	7.7	7.3	7.2	9.7	9.8	9.3	9.1
La Crosse	76.9	77.7	77.0	77.7	5.0	5.1	4.8	4.6	6.5	6.5	6.2	5.9
Madison	343.9	344.8	345.9	345.1	19.5	20.5	18.7	18.7	5.7	5.9	5.4	5.4
Milwaukee-Waukesha-West Allis	796.7	794.3	792.6	795.2	64.6	66.0	62.4	61.9	8.1	8.3	7.9	7.8
Oshkosh-Neenah	94.5	95.1	94.1	95.2	6.7	6.9	6.4	6.5	7.0	7.2	6.8	6.9
Racine	97.4	96.8	96.5	97.1	9.3	9.8	8.8	9.5	9.5	10.1	9.2	9.8
Sheboygan	60.8	60.6	60.7	60.6	4.8	4.6	4.6	4.2	7.9	7.6	7.5	7.0
Wausau	72.1	71.0	72.0	70.8	6.0	6.0	5.8	5.6	8.3	8.4	8.0	7.8
Wyoming	302.8	304.9	304.7	305.6	18.9	16.8	18.7	16.4	6.3	5.5	6.1	5.4
Casper	43.5	44.4	43.9	44.6	2.5	2.1	2.4	2.1	5.6	4.8	5.4	4.7
Cheyenne	45.1	46.5	45.2	46.4	3.2	2.8	3.1	2.6	7.2	5.9	6.9	5.6
Puerto Rico	1,229.6	1,195.7	1,219.6	1,181.6	186.2	165.5	186.1	159.6	15.1	13.8	15.3	13.5
Aguadilla-Isabela-San Sebastian	102.6	101.8	102.0	100.1	16.9	15.7	16.8	15.2	16.5	15.4	16.5	15.2
Fajardo	25.4	24.9	25.1	24.5	4.5	3.7	4.5	3.6	17.5	15.0	17.7	14.5
Guayama	24.2	24.0	24.0	24.1	5.4	5.1	5.3	4.9	22.2	21.3	22.2	20.5
Mayaguez	32.8	31.9	32.6	31.2	5.4	5.4	5.4	5.2	16.6	17.0	16.6	16.7
Ponce	82.7	80.7	82.0	80.3	13.0	11.6	12.9	11.2	15.7	14.3	15.7	13.9
San German-Cabo Rojo	46.6	44.3	45.9	43.9	7.3	7.6	7.3	7.3	15.8	17.2	15.8	16.7
San Juan-Caguas-Guaynabo	822.4	801.0	817.2	791.0	116.5	100.4	116.8	96.8	14.2	12.5	14.3	12.2
Yauco	34.7	33.4	34.2	33.0	6.2	5.9	6.1	5.6	17.8	17.6	17.9	16.9

¹ Area boundaries do not reflect official OMB definitions.
P = preliminary.

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 definitions are based on Office of Management and Budget Bulletin No. 10-02, dated December 1, 2009, and are available on the BLS website at

www.bls.gov/lau/lausmsa.htm. Areas in the six New England states are Metropolitan New England City and Town Areas (NECTAs), while areas in other states are county-based. Some metropolitan areas lie in two or more states. They are listed under the state that appear first in their titles. Davenport-Moline-Rock Island, Iowa-Ill., is the exception in that it is listed under Illinois for operational reasons. Estimates for the latest month are subject to revision the following month.

Table 2. Civilian labor force and unemployment by state, selected metropolitan area, and metropolitan division ¹

(Numbers in thousands)

State, area, and division	Civilian labor force				Unemployed							
					Number				Percent of labor force			
	February		March		February		March		February		March	
	2012	2013	2012	2013 ^P	2012	2013	2012	2013 ^P	2012	2013	2012	2013 ^P
California	18,474.8	18,648.3	18,473.1	18,557.7	2,083.8	1,812.4	2,045.4	1,740.5	11.3	9.7	11.1	9.4
Los Angeles-Long Beach-Santa Ana	6,522.7	6,561.9	6,507.4	6,526.9	698.1	613.6	677.7	589.1	10.7	9.4	10.4	9.0
Los Angeles-Long Beach-Glendale	4,907.2	4,924.0	4,886.4	4,895.1	568.1	506.0	548.9	485.9	11.6	10.3	11.2	9.9
Santa Ana-Anaheim-Irvine	1,615.5	1,637.9	1,620.9	1,631.8	130.1	107.6	128.8	103.3	8.1	6.6	7.9	6.3
San Francisco-Oakland-Fremont	2,308.7	2,348.5	2,315.6	2,338.4	199.8	168.6	198.4	161.1	8.7	7.2	8.6	6.9
Oakland-Fremont-Hayward	1,305.4	1,323.8	1,309.4	1,317.8	124.6	106.8	124.0	102.3	9.5	8.1	9.5	7.8
San Francisco-San Mateo-Redwood City	1,003.3	1,024.7	1,006.2	1,020.6	75.2	61.9	74.4	58.8	7.5	6.0	7.4	5.8
District of Columbia	352.9	372.0	354.8	370.7	33.5	32.0	33.6	30.9	9.5	8.6	9.5	8.3
Washington-Arlington-Alexandria ²	3,154.9	3,180.3	3,169.3	3,197.3	187.2	173.8	178.8	165.4	5.9	5.5	5.6	5.2
Bethesda-Rockville-Frederick ³	656.1	662.6	660.1	666.2	36.3	34.4	34.6	33.9	5.5	5.2	5.2	5.1
Washington-Arlington-Alexandria ²	2,498.8	2,517.7	2,509.2	2,531.2	150.9	139.5	144.2	131.6	6.0	5.5	5.7	5.2
Florida	9,272.0	9,359.9	9,311.1	9,353.4	837.4	708.6	811.4	654.9	9.0	7.6	8.7	7.0
Miami-Fort Lauderdale-Pompano Beach	2,919.9	2,961.1	2,918.3	2,942.3	254.2	235.5	248.2	220.7	8.7	8.0	8.5	7.5
Fort Lauderdale-Pompano Beach-Deerfield Beach	1,002.2	1,015.8	1,005.5	1,016.4	78.6	63.5	76.4	58.3	7.8	6.2	7.6	5.7
Miami-Miami Beach-Kendall	1,288.0	1,312.8	1,280.3	1,293.4	118.2	124.7	116.0	118.9	9.2	9.5	9.1	9.2
West Palm Beach-Boca Raton-Boynton Beach	629.7	632.5	632.5	632.5	57.4	47.3	55.8	43.5	9.1	7.5	8.8	6.9
Illinois	6,555.7	6,596.3	6,555.4	6,531.8	622.4	688.5	595.0	615.7	9.5	10.4	9.1	9.4
Chicago-Joliet-Naperville ²	4,854.6	4,901.3	4,856.3	4,851.7	448.3	505.2	438.8	461.3	9.2	10.3	9.0	9.5
Chicago-Joliet-Naperville	4,090.6	4,136.5	4,095.4	4,091.3	372.9	424.0	367.6	386.7	9.1	10.3	9.0	9.5
Gary ³	321.8	323.0	321.7	321.1	30.5	34.2	29.8	32.9	9.5	10.6	9.3	10.3
Lake County-Kenosha County ²	442.2	441.8	439.3	439.3	44.8	47.0	41.4	41.7	10.1	10.6	9.4	9.5
Massachusetts	3,454.0	3,441.3	3,459.4	3,449.4	251.5	233.8	239.4	233.5	7.3	6.8	6.9	6.8
Boston-Cambridge-Quincy ²	2,539.8	2,538.5	2,541.4	2,543.6	163.2	152.1	153.8	150.1	6.4	6.0	6.0	5.9
Boston-Cambridge-Quincy	1,539.9	1,538.3	1,539.2	1,540.0	90.5	83.4	84.4	81.7	5.9	5.4	5.5	5.3
Brockton-Bridgewater-Easton	127.2	127.1	127.8	127.3	10.5	9.5	10.1	9.5	8.2	7.4	7.9	7.5
Framingham	148.1	148.1	148.2	148.3	8.1	7.9	7.6	7.8	5.5	5.3	5.1	5.3
Haverhill-North Andover-Amesbury ²	124.8	125.5	125.3	126.0	8.9	8.5	8.4	8.2	7.2	6.8	6.7	6.5
Lawrence-Methuen-Salem ²	73.8	74.6	74.0	75.3	8.6	8.2	8.3	8.4	11.7	11.0	11.3	11.2
Lowell-Billerica-Chelmsford ²	156.3	155.1	156.5	155.5	11.6	10.6	11.1	10.6	7.4	6.8	7.1	6.8
Nashua ²	177.2	177.8	177.8	179.0	10.8	11.3	10.4	11.2	6.1	6.4	5.8	6.2
Peabody	129.7	129.8	129.9	129.9	9.2	8.3	8.8	8.3	7.1	6.4	6.8	6.4
Taunton-Norton-Raynham	62.8	62.2	62.9	62.2	4.9	4.4	4.7	4.4	7.9	7.1	7.5	7.1
Michigan	4,634.3	4,628.3	4,645.5	4,629.8	451.9	426.8	448.2	405.9	9.8	9.2	9.6	8.8
Detroit-Warren-Livonia	1,990.4	1,994.6	1,995.4	1,991.9	211.3	202.6	208.4	196.4	10.6	10.2	10.4	9.9
Detroit-Livonia-Dearborn	810.7	812.7	811.5	809.4	93.4	91.1	92.3	88.4	11.5	11.2	11.4	10.9
Warren-Troy-Farmington Hills	1,179.7	1,181.9	1,183.9	1,182.5	117.9	111.6	116.1	108.0	10.0	9.4	9.8	9.1
New York	9,560.9	9,548.8	9,545.5	9,490.7	873.0	842.6	831.9	765.1	9.1	8.8	8.7	8.1
New York-Northern New Jersey-Long Island ²	9,509.5	9,540.2	9,509.1	9,499.7	875.6	837.9	840.9	773.1	9.2	8.8	8.8	8.1
Edison-New Brunswick ³	1,217.5	1,232.2	1,218.2	1,232.1	112.0	107.1	108.0	101.1	9.2	8.7	8.9	8.2
Nassau-Suffolk	1,460.7	1,468.7	1,463.8	1,469.9	115.2	112.0	108.6	99.3	7.9	7.6	7.4	6.8
New York-White Plains-Wayne ²	5,727.4	5,730.1	5,723.9	5,691.5	543.7	517.4	522.3	476.3	9.5	9.0	9.1	8.4
Newark-Union ³	1,103.9	1,109.2	1,103.1	1,106.3	104.8	101.4	101.9	96.4	9.5	9.1	9.2	8.7
Pennsylvania	6,394.4	6,447.5	6,416.6	6,416.5	528.9	542.8	510.4	497.2	8.3	8.4	8.0	7.7
Philadelphia-Camden-Wilmington ²	2,986.8	3,011.5	2,998.9	2,994.4	263.9	265.0	256.0	245.2	8.8	8.7	8.5	8.2
Camden ³	666.4	668.6	666.5	665.9	67.8	65.2	65.8	61.4	10.2	9.7	9.9	9.2
Philadelphia	1,961.7	1,981.8	1,972.8	1,969.0	167.4	168.7	163.0	156.3	8.5	8.5	8.3	7.9
Wilmington ³	358.7	361.2	359.6	359.5	28.8	28.7	27.2	27.5	8.0	7.9	7.6	7.6
Texas	12,520.8	12,662.1	12,548.7	12,686.1	907.7	816.4	876.9	800.3	7.2	6.4	7.0	6.3
Dallas-Fort Worth-Arlington	3,309.9	3,371.7	3,317.2	3,377.3	237.4	212.5	231.2	208.8	7.2	6.3	7.0	6.2
Dallas-Plano-Irving	2,203.8	2,246.7	2,207.9	2,251.7	159.6	143.1	155.3	140.2	7.2	6.4	7.0	6.2
Fort Worth-Arlington	1,106.2	1,125.1	1,109.3	1,125.6	77.7	69.4	75.9	68.5	7.0	6.2	6.8	6.1
Washington	3,489.8	3,469.1	3,491.9	3,484.1	325.7	284.8	310.5	260.5	9.3	8.2	8.9	7.5
Seattle-Tacoma-Bellevue	1,896.6	1,906.4	1,898.2	1,904.0	158.4	124.5	149.0	114.7	8.3	6.5	7.9	6.0
Seattle-Bellevue-Everett	1,504.5	1,521.2	1,507.9	1,513.5	119.4	88.1	111.1	79.2	7.9	5.8	7.4	5.2
Tacoma	392.1	385.2	390.3	390.4	38.9	36.4	37.9	35.4	9.9	9.5	9.7	9.1

¹ These 11 areas contain all of the 34 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.

^P = preliminary.

NOTE: Data refer to place of residence. Area definitions are based on Office of Management and Budget Bulletin No. 10-02, dated December 1, 2009, available at www.bls.gov/lau/lausmsa.htm. Areas in the six New England states are Metropolitan New England City and Town Areas (NECTAs), while areas in other states are county-based. Some metropolitan areas lie in two or more states. They are listed under the state that corresponds to the first city in their title. Metropolitan divisions

are listed under their metropolitan areas. Some divisions lie in more than one state, and some, like Camden, N.J., are totally outside the states under which their metropolitan areas are listed. Three sets of metropolitan areas and divisions have similar or identical titles. For Washington-Arlington-Alexandria, D.C.-Va.-Md.-W.Va., the metropolitan area and division titles are identical. For the Boston-Cambridge-Quincy, Mass.-N.H., and Chicago-Joliet-Naperville, Ill.-Ind.-Wis., metropolitan areas, the division titles are similar but include only Massachusetts and Illinois, respectively. Estimates for the latest month are subject to revision the following month.

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

[In thousands]

State and area	February		March		Change from March 2012 to March 2013 ^P	
	2012	2013	2012	2013 ^P	Number	Percent
Alabama.....	1,862.1	1,873.7	1,880.5	1,887.4	6.9	0.4
Anniston-Oxford.....	47.8	47.7	48.3	48.1	-0.2	-0.4
Auburn-Opelika.....	54.1	55.7	54.3	56.0	1.7	3.1
Birmingham-Hoover.....	495.5	497.7	499.9	500.6	0.7	0.1
Decatur.....	53.2	53.8	53.9	54.4	0.5	0.9
Dothan.....	56.5	56.4	57.3	56.6	-0.7	-1.2
Florence-Muscle Shoals.....	54.8	55.5	55.6	55.9	0.3	0.5
Gadsden.....	36.0	36.2	36.6	36.4	-0.2	-0.5
Huntsville.....	207.5	207.2	208.9	208.3	-0.6	-0.3
Mobile.....	171.3	173.8	172.6	175.4	2.8	1.6
Montgomery.....	164.2	166.2	165.4	167.8	2.4	1.5
Tuscaloosa.....	94.2	97.2	94.8	97.7	2.9	3.1
Alaska.....	319.4	321.4	322.2	323.9	1.7	0.5
Anchorage.....	173.0	175.4	173.8	175.9	2.1	1.2
Fairbanks.....	37.8	38.3	38.3	38.7	0.4	1.0
Arizona.....	2,448.3	2,494.5	2,466.0	2,511.1	45.1	1.8
Flagstaff.....	59.5	61.8	60.4	62.2	1.8	3.0
Lake Havasu City-Kingman.....	44.7	44.7	45.3	45.0	-0.3	-0.7
Phoenix-Mesa-Glendale.....	1,746.2	1,785.4	1,759.2	1,800.3	41.1	2.3
Prescott.....	55.1	55.7	55.5	55.9	0.4	0.7
Tucson.....	362.2	365.7	363.8	365.7	1.9	0.5
Yuma.....	52.7	52.4	52.9	52.2	-0.7	-1.3
Arkansas.....	1,166.8	1,171.0	1,178.6	1,181.8	3.2	0.3
Fayetteville-Springdale-Rogers.....	206.0	215.3	208.2	217.0	8.8	4.2
Fort Smith.....	115.7	116.0	116.8	117.5	0.7	0.6
Hot Springs.....	37.1	37.4	37.7	38.0	0.3	0.8
Jonesboro.....	50.7	51.8	51.0	52.3	1.3	2.5
Little Rock-North Little Rock-Conway.....	339.2	339.9	342.2	343.3	1.1	0.3
Pine Bluff.....	36.7	35.8	37.0	36.1	-0.9	-2.4
California.....	14,180.9	14,488.9	14,273.8	14,576.6	302.8	2.1
Bakersfield-Delano.....	236.9	242.4	239.8	244.5	4.7	2.0
Chico.....	67.6	68.5	67.3	68.8	1.5	2.2
El Centro.....	46.1	46.7	45.7	46.7	1.0	2.2
Fresno.....	278.1	281.7	281.0	285.7	4.7	1.7
Hanford-Corcoran.....	35.2	35.4	34.8	35.4	0.6	1.7
Los Angeles-Long Beach-Santa Ana.....	5,191.4	5,315.3	5,228.1	5,344.1	116.0	2.2
Madera-Chowchilla.....	32.9	33.1	33.0	33.1	0.1	0.3
Merced.....	55.8	57.7	56.7	58.1	1.4	2.5
Modesto.....	145.1	146.5	146.1	147.4	1.3	0.9
Napa.....	60.1	63.5	61.1	64.0	2.9	4.7
Oxnard-Thousand Oaks-Ventura.....	276.6	281.5	277.5	282.7	5.2	1.9
Redding.....	55.4	56.0	55.8	56.2	0.4	0.7
Riverside-San Bernardino-Ontario.....	1,138.8	1,163.9	1,143.9	1,167.4	23.5	2.1
Sacramento--Arden-Arcade--Roseville.....	810.3	823.0	813.8	827.8	14.0	1.7
Salinas.....	119.6	123.0	119.4	123.2	3.8	3.2
San Diego-Carlsbad-San Marcos.....	1,235.6	1,266.8	1,242.5	1,275.1	32.6	2.6
San Francisco-Oakland-Fremont.....	1,934.6	1,991.2	1,945.3	1,999.3	54.0	2.8
San Jose-Sunnyvale-Santa Clara.....	887.2	917.6	893.8	922.7	28.9	3.2
San Luis Obispo-Paso Robles.....	98.4	103.4	99.4	104.2	4.8	4.8
Santa Barbara-Santa Maria-Goleta.....	166.4	170.8	167.4	172.1	4.7	2.8
Santa Cruz-Watsonville.....	85.6	91.0	86.2	91.0	4.8	5.6
Santa Rosa-Petaluma.....	165.9	172.3	165.9	173.0	7.1	4.3
Stockton.....	187.3	190.2	188.0	191.2	3.2	1.7
Vallejo-Fairfield.....	116.1	119.4	117.4	120.7	3.3	2.8
Visalia-Porterville.....	106.6	109.4	107.6	110.1	2.5	2.3
Yuba City.....	36.3	36.6	36.9	37.1	0.2	0.5
Colorado.....	2,261.8	2,328.7	2,281.1	2,341.6	60.5	2.7
Boulder.....	165.0	170.2	166.8	171.8	5.0	3.0
Colorado Springs.....	246.2	251.2	248.0	251.5	3.5	1.4

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

[In thousands]

State and area	February		March		Change from March 2012 to March 2013 ^P	
	2012	2013	2012	2013 ^P	Number	Percent
Colorado - Continued						
Denver-Aurora-Broomfield.....	1,212.4	1,247.3	1,224.0	1,253.5	29.5	2.4
Fort Collins-Loveland.....	135.6	139.8	136.2	140.5	4.3	3.2
Grand Junction.....	58.9	59.5	59.1	59.5	0.4	0.7
Greeley.....	83.1	84.2	83.8	85.2	1.4	1.7
Pueblo.....	58.2	58.3	58.2	58.8	0.6	1.0
Connecticut.....	1,615.4	1,619.8	1,623.1	1,625.7	2.6	0.2
Bridgeport-Stamford-Norwalk.....	397.6	396.5	401.0	399.3	-1.7	-0.4
Danbury.....	66.3	67.5	66.8	67.8	1.0	1.5
Hartford-West Hartford-East Hartford.....	536.3	542.8	538.9	544.1	5.2	1.0
New Haven.....	268.5	266.7	267.9	267.1	-0.8	-0.3
Norwich-New London.....	126.0	124.3	126.2	124.5	-1.7	-1.3
Waterbury.....	62.4	61.9	62.9	62.0	-0.9	-1.4
Delaware.....	407.8	416.1	412.6	417.9	5.3	1.3
Dover.....	62.8	62.9	63.2	63.3	0.1	0.2
District of Columbia.....	725.1	729.0	729.9	731.9	2.0	0.3
Washington-Arlington-Alexandria.....	2,993.4	3,032.7	3,020.2	3,056.3	36.1	1.2
Florida.....	7,359.4	7,493.6	7,419.5	7,559.7	140.2	1.9
Cape Coral-Fort Myers.....	209.7	212.0	211.9	214.0	2.1	1.0
Crestview-Fort Walton Beach-Destin.....	76.5	78.2	78.5	80.7	2.2	2.8
Deltona-Daytona Beach-Ormond Beach.....	155.2	157.1	157.8	161.1	3.3	2.1
Gainesville.....	129.4	132.3	129.6	132.1	2.5	1.9
Jacksonville.....	589.4	606.8	593.7	610.4	16.7	2.8
Lakeland-Winter Haven.....	191.8	193.5	193.4	195.5	2.1	1.1
Miami-Fort Lauderdale-Pompano Beach.....	2,269.4	2,303.7	2,281.9	2,316.2	34.3	1.5
Naples-Marco Island.....	119.6	120.5	120.3	121.5	1.2	1.0
North Port-Bradenton-Sarasota.....	244.5	248.7	247.8	250.7	2.9	1.2
Ocala.....	90.9	94.0	91.6	94.6	3.0	3.3
Orlando-Kissimmee-Sanford.....	1,030.9	1,050.9	1,040.7	1,054.4	13.7	1.3
Palm Bay-Melbourne-Titusville.....	194.4	197.0	195.4	198.0	2.6	1.3
Palm Coast.....	19.8	20.1	20.3	20.2	-0.1	-0.5
Panama City-Lynn Haven-Panama City Beach.....	70.8	69.5	74.0	72.8	-1.2	-1.6
Pensacola-Ferry Pass-Brent.....	159.9	163.6	161.6	164.4	2.8	1.7
Port St. Lucie.....	122.8	124.8	123.6	125.8	2.2	1.8
Punta Gorda.....	42.4	42.4	43.1	43.0	-0.1	-0.2
Sebastian-Vero Beach.....	46.0	46.1	46.3	47.0	0.7	1.5
Tallahassee.....	164.8	166.8	165.0	166.6	1.6	1.0
Tampa-St. Petersburg-Clearwater.....	1,147.1	1,179.0	1,154.8	1,190.7	35.9	3.1
Georgia.....	3,898.3	3,973.4	3,921.6	3,997.1	75.5	1.9
Albany.....	60.8	61.0	60.6	61.0	0.4	0.7
Athens-Clarke County.....	86.9	88.3	87.2	88.4	1.2	1.4
Atlanta-Sandy Springs-Marietta.....	2,311.2	2,368.1	2,326.0	2,381.2	55.2	2.4
Augusta-Richmond County.....	212.5	213.9	214.4	215.0	0.6	0.3
Brunswick.....	39.5	40.0	40.0	40.5	0.5	1.3
Columbus.....	119.7	119.4	120.5	119.7	-0.8	-0.7
Dalton.....	63.0	62.9	63.5	63.1	-0.4	-0.6
Gainesville.....	73.7	74.3	74.0	74.6	0.6	0.8
Hinesville-Fort Stewart.....	19.4	19.7	19.9	19.8	-0.1	-0.5
Macon.....	96.6	97.9	97.3	97.9	0.6	0.6
Rome.....	38.1	38.6	38.3	38.6	0.3	0.8
Savannah.....	153.5	157.5	156.0	158.0	2.0	1.3
Valdosta.....	53.0	53.8	53.6	53.9	0.3	0.6
Warner Robins.....	59.6	59.2	59.9	59.2	-0.7	-1.2
Hawaii.....	600.2	609.9	602.9	612.2	9.3	1.5
Honolulu.....	444.8	450.9	446.8	452.0	5.2	1.2
Idaho.....	602.9	621.2	608.3	625.0	16.7	2.7
Boise City-Nampa.....	259.1	266.5	262.0	268.2	6.2	2.4
Coeur d'Alene.....	50.9	51.8	51.5	52.1	0.6	1.2
Idaho Falls.....	48.3	49.0	48.6	49.0	0.4	0.8

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

[In thousands]

State and area	February		March		Change from March 2012 to March 2013 ^P	
	2012	2013	2012	2013 ^P	Number	Percent
Idaho - Continued						
Lewiston.....	25.3	25.8	25.6	26.0	0.4	1.6
Pocatello.....	35.4	35.7	35.7	35.9	0.2	0.6
Illinois.....	5,617.1	5,683.6	5,670.0	5,708.9	38.9	0.7
Bloomington-Normal.....	90.8	89.7	91.1	89.8	-1.3	-1.4
Champaign-Urbana.....	104.2	106.0	105.9	107.0	1.1	1.0
Chicago-Joliet-Naperville.....	4,261.1	4,321.6	4,295.6	4,341.5	45.9	1.1
Danville.....	29.3	29.1	29.7	29.3	-0.4	-1.3
Davenport-Moline-Rock Island.....	178.3	180.9	181.0	181.1	0.1	0.1
Decatur.....	52.3	50.0	52.7	50.1	-2.6	-4.9
Kankakee-Bradley.....	42.9	43.3	43.3	43.8	0.5	1.2
Peoria.....	180.9	180.6	183.0	181.3	-1.7	-0.9
Rockford.....	143.6	146.8	145.1	147.7	2.6	1.8
Springfield.....	110.6	110.2	111.5	110.7	-0.8	-0.7
Indiana.....	2,842.9	2,895.7	2,871.8	2,907.2	35.4	1.2
Anderson.....	39.5	39.9	40.3	40.6	0.3	0.7
Bloomington.....	82.3	82.4	83.1	82.4	-0.7	-0.8
Columbus.....	46.9	49.2	47.8	49.7	1.9	4.0
Elkhart-Goshen.....	108.1	112.6	110.5	114.2	3.7	3.3
Evansville.....	175.7	174.3	178.3	176.0	-2.3	-1.3
Fort Wayne.....	203.0	206.2	205.3	206.0	0.7	0.3
Indianapolis-Carmel.....	896.6	911.6	901.4	914.8	13.4	1.5
Kokomo.....	41.1	41.6	41.7	42.1	0.4	1.0
Lafayette.....	95.7	97.7	97.0	97.5	0.5	0.5
Michigan City-La Porte.....	41.6	41.4	42.3	41.8	-0.5	-1.2
Muncie.....	49.6	51.2	50.7	51.5	0.8	1.6
South Bend-Mishawaka.....	131.7	132.5	132.0	132.9	0.9	0.7
Terre Haute.....	70.8	70.6	71.7	71.1	-0.6	-0.8
Iowa.....	1,474.5	1,499.0	1,488.8	1,503.3	14.5	1.0
Ames.....	48.6	48.8	48.5	48.8	0.3	0.6
Cedar Rapids.....	138.4	139.5	139.8	139.8	0.0	0.0
Des Moines-West Des Moines.....	319.0	325.6	321.5	327.2	5.7	1.8
Dubuque.....	57.1	58.1	57.6	58.0	0.4	0.7
Iowa City.....	92.5	93.8	93.4	94.4	1.0	1.1
Sioux City.....	72.3	73.8	73.1	74.4	1.3	1.8
Waterloo-Cedar Falls.....	90.5	92.0	91.4	92.5	1.1	1.2
Kansas.....	1,339.8	1,358.2	1,351.3	1,361.5	10.2	0.8
Lawrence.....	51.0	51.6	51.1	51.9	0.8	1.6
Manhattan.....	55.7	57.9	56.3	58.4	2.1	3.7
Topeka.....	108.3	109.6	109.7	110.0	0.3	0.3
Wichita.....	282.6	286.0	284.2	286.2	2.0	0.7
Kentucky.....	1,790.0	1,817.2	1,807.6	1,827.5	19.9	1.1
Bowling Green.....	61.5	61.7	62.3	62.1	-0.2	-0.3
Elizabethtown.....	47.9	48.1	48.0	48.3	0.3	0.6
Lexington-Fayette.....	249.1	255.6	250.5	257.7	7.2	2.9
Louisville-Jefferson County.....	593.5	614.4	601.6	620.3	18.7	3.1
Owensboro.....	52.0	52.7	52.8	53.2	0.4	0.8
Louisiana.....	1,907.9	1,934.8	1,919.2	1,948.1	28.9	1.5
Alexandria.....	62.9	62.3	63.3	62.6	-0.7	-1.1
Baton Rouge.....	371.8	380.7	374.2	381.7	7.5	2.0
Houma-Bayou Cane-Thibodaux.....	92.8	95.3	93.7	95.8	2.1	2.2
Lafayette.....	153.9	157.4	154.9	157.8	2.9	1.9
Lake Charles.....	89.8	92.1	90.1	92.7	2.6	2.9
Monroe.....	76.3	76.9	76.8	77.5	0.7	0.9
New Orleans-Metairie-Kenner.....	525.3	530.3	527.6	535.2	7.6	1.4
Shreveport-Bossier City.....	177.6	174.4	178.1	175.3	-2.8	-1.6
Maine.....	577.2	578.4	578.7	579.3	0.6	0.1
Bangor.....	64.3	64.5	64.5	64.0	-0.5	-0.8
Lewiston-Auburn.....	47.8	47.1	47.4	47.0	-0.4	-0.8

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

[In thousands]

State and area	February		March		Change from March 2012 to March 2013 ^P	
	2012	2013	2012	2013 ^P	Number	Percent
Maine - Continued						
Portland-South Portland-Biddeford.....	185.6	184.8	186.0	185.8	-0.2	-0.1
Maryland.....						
Baltimore-Towson.....	2,523.2	2,560.0	2,553.6	2,584.4	30.8	1.2
Cumberland.....	1,292.1	1,322.3	1,305.6	1,333.0	27.4	2.1
Hagerstown-Martinsburg.....	39.2	39.4	39.6	39.8	0.2	0.5
Salisbury.....	100.5	101.5	101.9	102.5	0.6	0.6
Salisbury.....	52.0	51.5	52.9	52.3	-0.6	-1.1
Massachusetts.....						
Barnstable Town.....	3,197.6	3,245.1	3,225.0	3,257.4	32.4	1.0
Boston-Cambridge-Quincy.....	87.0	91.9	89.1	93.4	4.3	4.8
Leominster-Fitchburg-Gardner.....	2,447.1	2,488.0	2,466.2	2,501.5	35.3	1.4
New Bedford.....	46.9	47.1	47.1	47.0	-0.1	-0.2
Pittsfield.....	65.1	66.2	65.9	66.8	0.9	1.4
Springfield.....	35.0	34.4	34.7	34.5	-0.2	-0.6
Worcester.....	278.0	277.4	282.1	278.5	-3.6	-1.3
Worcester.....	239.9	240.4	242.0	243.3	1.3	0.5
Michigan.....						
Ann Arbor.....	3,948.4	3,996.1	3,976.4	4,012.5	36.1	0.9
Battle Creek.....	200.4	205.5	201.9	205.9	4.0	2.0
Bay City.....	54.5	55.8	55.0	56.2	1.2	2.2
Detroit-Warren-Livonia.....	35.5	36.2	35.8	36.1	0.3	0.8
Flint.....	1,798.1	1,806.2	1,812.5	1,811.3	-1.2	-0.1
Grand Rapids-Wyoming.....	134.4	135.1	134.6	135.3	0.7	0.5
Holland-Grand Haven.....	381.0	387.7	382.1	389.0	6.9	1.8
Jackson.....	109.2	112.2	110.3	112.6	2.3	2.1
Kalamazoo-Portage.....	53.3	53.2	53.7	53.5	-0.2	-0.4
Lansing-East Lansing.....	134.6	136.2	135.7	136.5	0.8	0.6
Monroe.....	215.8	218.0	216.7	218.0	1.3	0.6
Muskegon-Norton Shores.....	38.3	38.0	39.0	38.6	-0.4	-1.0
Niles-Benton Harbor.....	59.2	60.9	59.7	61.2	1.5	2.5
Saginaw-Saginaw Township North.....	57.0	57.8	58.1	58.2	0.1	0.2
Saginaw-Saginaw Township North.....	85.3	83.9	85.9	84.3	-1.6	-1.9
Minnesota.....						
Duluth.....	2,658.6	2,716.6	2,674.2	2,720.7	46.5	1.7
Mankato-North Mankato.....	127.7	128.8	127.7	128.8	1.1	0.9
Minneapolis-St. Paul-Bloomington.....	52.6	53.6	52.8	53.6	0.8	1.5
Rochester.....	1,725.0	1,763.9	1,734.2	1,765.6	31.4	1.8
St. Cloud.....	102.9	104.6	103.9	104.7	0.8	0.8
St. Cloud.....	99.3	101.0	100.2	101.0	0.8	0.8
Mississippi.....						
Gulfport-Biloxi.....	1,095.1	1,110.8	1,103.5	1,118.0	14.5	1.3
Hattiesburg.....	104.3	103.9	105.4	104.8	-0.6	-0.6
Jackson.....	59.1	60.0	59.4	60.1	0.7	1.2
Pascagoula.....	254.9	257.7	257.1	259.3	2.2	0.9
Pascagoula.....	53.9	55.6	54.1	55.6	1.5	2.8
Missouri.....						
Cape Girardeau-Jackson.....	2,624.0	2,646.6	2,654.2	2,668.8	14.6	0.6
Columbia.....	42.9	43.4	43.1	43.7	0.6	1.4
Jefferson City.....	96.3	95.8	97.2	96.9	-0.3	-0.3
Joplin.....	74.8	75.1	75.3	75.4	0.1	0.1
Kansas City.....	79.5	79.7	80.3	80.1	-0.2	-0.2
St. Joseph.....	979.0	984.8	989.3	991.1	1.8	0.2
St. Louis ¹	61.1	61.8	61.8	62.3	0.5	0.8
Springfield.....	1,279.6	1,286.2	1,291.9	1,294.2	2.3	0.2
Springfield.....	192.3	197.9	194.3	199.3	5.0	2.6
Montana.....						
Billings.....	423.9	433.2	427.8	436.4	8.6	2.0
Great Falls.....	78.4	80.8	79.7	81.4	1.7	2.1
Missoula.....	34.4	34.4	35.0	34.9	-0.1	-0.3
Missoula.....	54.9	55.3	55.2	55.4	0.2	0.4
Nebraska.....						
Lincoln.....	941.2	947.3	951.2	953.7	2.5	0.3
Omaha-Council Bluffs.....	173.2	174.6	175.2	176.8	1.6	0.9
Omaha-Council Bluffs.....	457.3	461.7	461.4	463.2	1.8	0.4
Nevada.....						
Nevada.....	1,122.0	1,148.1	1,129.5	1,152.5	23.0	2.0

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

[In thousands]

State and area	February		March		Change from March 2012 to March 2013 ^P	
	2012	2013	2012	2013 ^P	Number	Percent
Nevada - Continued						
Carson City.....	27.5	27.4	27.5	27.6	0.1	0.4
Las Vegas-Paradise.....	810.5	827.5	815.5	831.8	16.3	2.0
Reno-Sparks.....	186.3	189.4	186.9	189.1	2.2	1.2
New Hampshire.....						
Manchester.....	97.4	97.9	98.1	98.1	0.0	0.0
Portsmouth.....	52.6	54.5	52.9	54.9	2.0	3.8
Rochester-Dover.....	55.4	55.8	55.6	55.9	0.3	0.5
New Jersey.....						
Atlantic City-Hammonton.....	131.0	128.0	133.9	129.2	-4.7	-3.5
Ocean City.....	31.6	32.7	32.6	33.6	1.0	3.1
Trenton-Ewing.....	240.1	244.9	242.3	246.2	3.9	1.6
Vineland-Millville-Bridgeton.....	56.6	56.1	57.2	56.5	-0.7	-1.2
New Mexico.....						
Albuquerque.....	364.4	363.3	367.2	365.8	-1.4	-0.4
Farmington.....	49.0	48.7	49.8	49.1	-0.7	-1.4
Las Cruces.....	69.7	69.1	70.3	69.7	-0.6	-0.9
Santa Fe.....	60.2	60.2	60.1	60.2	0.1	0.2
New York.....						
Albany-Schenectady-Troy.....	437.2	438.8	438.4	440.3	1.9	0.4
Binghamton.....	106.8	106.2	107.5	106.4	-1.1	-1.0
Buffalo-Niagara Falls.....	538.5	539.9	540.4	541.8	1.4	0.3
Elmira.....	39.3	38.5	39.2	38.5	-0.7	-1.8
Glens Falls.....	52.1	52.9	52.1	52.7	0.6	1.2
Ithaca.....	68.3	69.7	68.4	69.5	1.1	1.6
Kingston.....	59.2	60.2	60.0	60.8	0.8	1.3
New York-Northern New Jersey-Long Island.....	8,399.0	8,510.5	8,472.0	8,578.8	106.8	1.3
Poughkeepsie-Newburgh-Middletown.....	247.5	250.3	248.7	249.8	1.1	0.4
Rochester.....	507.3	507.4	509.7	510.8	1.1	0.2
Syracuse.....	311.6	312.1	312.1	313.0	0.9	0.3
Utica-Rome.....	126.8	126.6	126.9	126.0	-0.9	-0.7
North Carolina.....						
Asheville.....	165.9	172.2	167.6	173.7	6.1	3.6
Burlington.....	58.1	58.2	58.7	58.4	-0.3	-0.5
Charlotte-Gastonia-Rock Hill.....	834.2	854.9	842.5	861.5	19.0	2.3
Durham-Chapel Hill.....	280.2	287.7	281.5	288.7	7.2	2.6
Fayetteville.....	128.9	129.8	129.6	130.2	0.6	0.5
Goldsboro.....	42.6	42.9	42.7	43.1	0.4	0.9
Greensboro-High Point.....	340.8	339.4	342.5	341.0	-1.5	-0.4
Greenville.....	79.1	81.7	79.6	82.0	2.4	3.0
Hickory-Lenoir-Morganton.....	140.8	142.6	141.9	143.3	1.4	1.0
Jacksonville.....	47.3	48.4	47.4	48.5	1.1	2.3
Raleigh-Cary.....	511.9	523.2	515.6	525.9	10.3	2.0
Rocky Mount.....	57.5	56.8	58.0	57.0	-1.0	-1.7
Wilmington.....	132.5	136.0	135.0	138.6	3.6	2.7
Winston-Salem.....	204.6	205.3	205.5	205.2	-0.3	-0.1
North Dakota.....						
Bismarck.....	64.6	66.8	65.2	67.3	2.1	3.2
Fargo.....	125.3	130.3	126.1	130.4	4.3	3.4
Grand Forks.....	55.0	55.8	55.0	55.8	0.8	1.5
Ohio.....						
Akron.....	318.8	324.1	320.4	325.4	5.0	1.6
Canton-Massillon.....	161.9	164.8	163.3	165.7	2.4	1.5
Cincinnati-Middletown.....	983.2	991.4	992.6	993.2	0.6	0.1
Cleveland-Elyria-Mentor.....	994.4	1,005.1	1,003.1	1,009.0	5.9	0.6
Columbus.....	933.3	941.9	938.3	943.0	4.7	0.5
Dayton.....	374.7	373.7	377.0	374.6	-2.4	-0.6
Lima.....	51.4	50.9	51.6	51.2	-0.4	-0.8
Mansfield.....	51.7	51.2	52.2	51.1	-1.1	-2.1

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

[In thousands]

State and area	February		March		Change from March 2012 to March 2013 ^P	
	2012	2013	2012	2013 ^P	Number	Percent
Ohio - Continued						
Sandusky.....	33.5	32.9	34.1	33.6	-0.5	-1.5
Springfield.....	49.3	49.2	49.4	49.4	0.0	0.0
Steubenville-Weirton.....	44.0	43.2	44.3	43.3	-1.0	-2.3
Toledo.....	297.7	300.5	300.6	301.9	1.3	0.4
Youngstown-Warren-Boardman.....	220.7	221.4	222.7	222.5	-0.2	-0.1
Oklahoma.....	1,589.1	1,607.9	1,601.8	1,618.8	17.0	1.1
Lawton.....	43.5	43.5	43.7	43.9	0.2	0.5
Oklahoma City.....	586.1	599.3	592.0	603.1	11.1	1.9
Tulsa.....	417.7	424.5	420.4	428.8	8.4	2.0
Oregon.....	1,613.1	1,635.6	1,620.8	1,645.1	24.3	1.5
Bend.....	58.9	60.4	59.4	60.3	0.9	1.5
Corvallis.....	39.0	39.0	39.4	39.4	0.0	0.0
Eugene-Springfield.....	140.6	141.2	140.8	141.8	1.0	0.7
Medford.....	73.6	74.1	73.9	74.2	0.3	0.4
Portland-Vancouver-Hillsboro.....	993.6	1,003.8	998.0	1,009.2	11.2	1.1
Salem.....	139.3	140.8	139.6	141.3	1.7	1.2
Pennsylvania.....	5,648.9	5,668.1	5,703.0	5,701.2	-1.8	0.0
Allentown-Bethlehem-Easton.....	339.8	344.5	343.0	347.6	4.6	1.3
Altoona.....	59.3	59.8	59.6	60.0	0.4	0.7
Erie.....	129.5	128.4	129.7	129.1	-0.6	-0.5
Harrisburg-Carlisle.....	317.3	321.3	322.2	325.4	3.2	1.0
Johnstown.....	58.9	59.0	59.7	59.3	-0.4	-0.7
Lancaster.....	225.3	227.8	227.7	229.4	1.7	0.7
Lebanon.....	50.7	51.1	51.3	51.5	0.2	0.4
Philadelphia-Camden-Wilmington.....	2,687.1	2,713.6	2,713.8	2,726.3	12.5	0.5
Pittsburgh.....	1,137.4	1,142.3	1,151.0	1,153.4	2.4	0.2
Reading.....	167.5	170.8	168.9	171.5	2.6	1.5
Scranton--Wilkes-Barre.....	251.4	253.1	253.6	253.4	-0.2	-0.1
State College.....	74.8	75.2	75.7	75.8	0.1	0.1
Williamsport.....	56.3	56.4	56.7	56.6	-0.1	-0.2
York-Hanover.....	175.1	176.5	177.3	178.1	0.8	0.5
Rhode Island.....	454.7	455.5	458.0	459.1	1.1	0.2
Providence-Fall River-Warwick.....	536.9	538.5	540.5	542.0	1.5	0.3
South Carolina.....	1,827.5	1,857.0	1,850.5	1,875.2	24.7	1.3
Anderson.....	60.9	61.0	61.3	61.2	-0.1	-0.2
Charleston-North Charleston-Summerville.....	299.4	303.0	302.9	304.6	1.7	0.6
Columbia.....	351.0	354.7	353.3	356.7	3.4	1.0
Florence.....	82.7	83.5	83.5	83.7	0.2	0.2
Greenville-Mauldin-Easley.....	303.7	306.7	306.3	309.0	2.7	0.9
Myrtle Beach-North Myrtle Beach-Conway.....	105.4	109.7	111.1	114.0	2.9	2.6
Spartanburg.....	120.9	124.7	122.5	125.1	2.6	2.1
Sumter.....	36.9	37.2	37.3	37.6	0.3	0.8
South Dakota.....	400.6	406.3	404.6	409.4	4.8	1.2
Rapid City.....	59.9	59.9	60.3	60.5	0.2	0.3
Sioux Falls.....	135.3	139.3	136.6	140.4	3.8	2.8
Tennessee.....	2,666.5	2,720.5	2,697.7	2,736.4	38.7	1.4
Chattanooga.....	233.7	235.6	236.0	236.7	0.7	0.3
Clarksville.....	86.3	87.3	87.2	88.1	0.9	1.0
Cleveland.....	41.0	43.1	41.4	43.7	2.3	5.6
Jackson.....	60.5	61.4	61.0	62.1	1.1	1.8
Johnson City.....	79.3	78.9	80.4	79.3	-1.1	-1.4
Kingsport-Bristol-Bristol.....	118.1	119.1	118.8	119.7	0.9	0.8
Knoxville.....	326.4	333.0	329.5	335.5	6.0	1.8
Memphis.....	593.4	599.6	597.0	600.8	3.8	0.6
Morristown.....	44.6	44.6	45.3	45.2	-0.1	-0.2
Nashville-Davidson--Murfreesboro--Franklin.....	767.5	798.6	777.9	799.4	21.5	2.8
Texas.....	10,688.1	11,042.6	10,774.0	11,096.6	322.6	3.0
Abilene.....	65.8	67.2	66.3	67.3	1.0	1.5

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

[In thousands]

State and area	February		March		Change from March 2012 to March 2013 ^P	
	2012	2013	2012	2013 ^P	Number	Percent
Texas - Continued						
Amarillo.....	111.8	112.7	112.0	112.9	0.9	0.8
Austin-Round Rock-San Marcos.....	807.9	840.1	814.4	846.8	32.4	4.0
Beaumont-Port Arthur.....	161.2	161.4	161.4	161.8	0.4	0.2
Brownsville-Harlingen.....	130.3	132.7	131.6	133.8	2.2	1.7
College Station-Bryan.....	96.2	98.7	96.5	99.4	2.9	3.0
Corpus Christi.....	181.0	188.5	182.5	190.4	7.9	4.3
Dallas-Fort Worth-Arlington.....	2,955.4	3,064.7	2,977.9	3,078.9	101.0	3.4
El Paso.....	280.5	284.7	281.6	286.0	4.4	1.6
Houston-Sugar Land-Baytown.....	2,633.4	2,752.7	2,660.2	2,762.5	102.3	3.8
Killeen-Temple-Fort Hood.....	127.2	130.6	128.2	130.8	2.6	2.0
Laredo.....	91.9	95.3	92.7	95.6	2.9	3.1
Longview.....	99.8	102.0	101.4	103.0	1.6	1.6
Lubbock.....	127.6	130.4	127.8	130.4	2.6	2.0
McAllen-Edinburg-Mission.....	227.8	232.4	229.7	233.0	3.3	1.4
Midland.....	77.7	83.8	78.6	84.4	5.8	7.4
Odessa.....	69.0	74.8	69.7	75.1	5.4	7.7
San Angelo.....	45.3	46.9	45.7	47.3	1.6	3.5
San Antonio-New Braunfels.....	863.8	880.1	870.7	887.4	16.7	1.9
Sherman-Denison.....	42.1	43.1	42.4	43.0	0.6	1.4
Texarkana.....	56.4	56.2	56.6	56.5	-0.1	-0.2
Tyler.....	92.7	93.9	93.2	94.0	0.8	0.9
Victoria.....	50.9	52.5	51.2	52.5	1.3	2.5
Waco.....	104.8	107.7	105.5	108.0	2.5	2.4
Wichita Falls.....	58.5	58.4	58.6	58.6	0.0	0.0
Utah.....	1,218.7	1,266.5	1,229.2	1,277.9	48.7	4.0
Logan.....	53.5	54.3	53.6	54.6	1.0	1.9
Ogden-Clearfield.....	196.3	202.5	198.3	204.6	6.3	3.2
Provo-Orem.....	186.7	197.2	188.4	199.2	10.8	5.7
St. George.....	46.8	48.7	47.7	49.4	1.7	3.6
Salt Lake City.....	629.7	655.9	632.8	659.7	26.9	4.3
Vermont.....	302.0	306.9	302.4	305.0	2.6	0.9
Burlington-South Burlington.....	115.0	117.4	114.9	116.0	1.1	1.0
Virginia.....	3,670.3	3,707.8	3,697.7	3,731.7	34.0	0.9
Blacksburg-Christiansburg-Radford.....	72.0	73.7	71.8	73.2	1.4	1.9
Charlottesville.....	101.4	98.6	101.9	99.5	-2.4	-2.4
Danville.....	39.8	40.3	40.0	40.4	0.4	1.0
Harrisonburg.....	63.7	64.8	63.3	64.8	1.5	2.4
Lynchburg.....	100.2	103.2	101.0	103.2	2.2	2.2
Richmond.....	610.3	624.2	616.1	624.8	8.7	1.4
Roanoke.....	155.5	157.4	157.1	158.6	1.5	1.0
Virginia Beach-Norfolk-Newport News.....	728.8	743.0	735.2	747.7	12.5	1.7
Winchester.....	56.4	58.2	56.9	59.6	2.7	4.7
Washington.....	2,808.8	2,875.3	2,830.8	2,883.7	52.9	1.9
Bellingham.....	79.5	80.1	81.6	81.0	-0.6	-0.7
Bremerton-Silverdale.....	81.0	80.8	81.3	80.8	-0.5	-0.6
Kennewick-Pasco-Richland.....	97.4	97.9	98.5	99.0	0.5	0.5
Longview.....	35.4	35.4	35.7	35.6	-0.1	-0.3
Mount Vernon-Anacortes.....	42.8	44.0	43.6	44.3	0.7	1.6
Olympia.....	96.7	98.6	97.7	98.8	1.1	1.1
Seattle-Tacoma-Bellevue.....	1,675.7	1,722.6	1,686.6	1,725.6	39.0	2.3
Spokane.....	203.6	208.9	204.7	207.8	3.1	1.5
Wenatchee-East Wenatchee.....	36.8	38.0	37.2	38.4	1.2	3.2
Yakima.....	74.1	75.9	74.7	76.5	1.8	2.4
West Virginia.....	754.5	757.5	762.6	764.3	1.7	0.2
Charleston.....	146.8	145.4	148.0	146.6	-1.4	-0.9
Huntington-Ashland.....	111.9	112.1	112.6	112.9	0.3	0.3
Morgantown.....	66.2	67.8	67.2	68.5	1.3	1.9
Parkersburg-Marietta-Vienna.....	67.5	67.7	68.3	68.5	0.2	0.3
Wheeling.....	65.2	64.7	65.8	65.4	-0.4	-0.6

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

[In thousands]

State and area	February		March		Change from March 2012 to March 2013 ^P	
	2012	2013	2012	2013 ^P	Number	Percent
Wisconsin.....	2,713.2	2,746.0	2,741.7	2,751.0	9.3	0.3
Appleton.....	114.3	115.4	115.3	115.7	0.4	0.3
Eau Claire.....	81.3	82.4	81.3	81.9	0.6	0.7
Fond du Lac.....	43.9	44.7	44.3	45.1	0.8	1.8
Green Bay.....	164.4	166.8	165.4	166.5	1.1	0.7
Janesville.....	60.3	61.3	60.9	61.5	0.6	1.0
La Crosse.....	73.3	74.7	74.3	75.2	0.9	1.2
Madison.....	342.2	344.9	348.2	346.7	-1.5	-0.4
Milwaukee-Waukesha-West Allis.....	804.7	811.2	811.2	814.5	3.3	0.4
Oshkosh-Neenah.....	90.8	92.1	91.6	92.4	0.8	0.9
Racine.....	73.0	72.6	73.4	73.0	-0.4	-0.5
Sheboygan.....	55.9	56.3	56.2	56.6	0.4	0.7
Wausau.....	65.5	65.0	65.9	65.2	-0.7	-1.1
Wyoming.....	281.2	280.4	283.2	282.5	-0.7	-0.2
Casper.....	40.2	40.3	40.7	40.8	0.1	0.2
Cheyenne.....	43.9	45.3	43.9	45.3	1.4	3.2
Puerto Rico.....	927.1	914.9	932.9	912.1	-20.8	-2.2
Aguadilla-Isabela-San Sebastian.....	47.7	48.5	48.4	48.1	-0.3	-0.6
Fajardo.....	15.5	15.6	15.5	15.6	0.1	0.6
Guayama.....	16.2	16.3	16.2	16.6	0.4	2.5
Mayaguez.....	35.9	34.8	36.3	34.2	-2.1	-5.8
Ponce.....	60.7	60.2	61.0	60.6	-0.4	-0.7
San German-Cabo Rojo.....	20.9	19.3	20.8	19.3	-1.5	-7.2
San Juan-Caguas-Guaynabo.....	691.5	685.1	695.7	683.6	-12.1	-1.7
Yauco.....	13.7	13.2	13.9	13.2	-0.7	-5.0
Virgin Islands.....	42.6	39.5	42.7	39.1	-3.6	-8.4

1 Area boundaries do not reflect official OMB definitions.

p Preliminary

NOTE: Data are counts of jobs by place of work. Estimates subsequent to the current benchmark are preliminary and will be revised when new information becomes available. Area definitions are based on Office of Management and Budget Bulletin No. 10-02, dated December 1, 2009, and available at www.bls.gov/lau/lausmsa.htm. Areas in the six New England states are Metropolitan New England City and Town Areas (NECTAs), while areas in other states are county-based. Some metropolitan areas lie in two or more states. They are listed under the state that appears first in their titles. Davenport-Moline-Rock Island, Iowa-Ill. is the exception since it is listed under Illinois for operational reasons.

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

State, area, and division	February		March		Change from March 2012 to March 2013 ^p	
	2012	2013	2012	2013 ^p	Number	Percent
California.....	14,180.9	14,488.9	14,273.8	14,576.6	302.8	2.1
Los Angeles-Long Beach-Santa Ana.....	5,191.4	5,315.3	5,228.1	5,344.1	116.0	2.2
Los Angeles-Long Beach-Glendale.....	3,815.4	3,902.6	3,843.7	3,926.3	82.6	2.1
Santa Ana-Anaheim-Irvine.....	1,376.0	1,412.7	1,384.4	1,417.8	33.4	2.4
San Francisco-Oakland-Fremont.....	1,934.6	1,991.2	1,945.3	1,999.3	54.0	2.8
Oakland-Fremont-Hayward.....	960.7	983.5	966.0	987.0	21.0	2.2
San Francisco-San Mateo-Redwood City.....	973.9	1,007.7	979.3	1,012.3	33.0	3.4
District of Columbia.....	725.1	729.0	729.9	731.9	2.0	0.3
Washington-Arlington-Alexandria ¹	2,993.4	3,032.7	3,020.2	3,056.3	36.1	1.2
Bethesda-Rockville-Frederick ²	557.5	569.8	563.0	577.7	14.7	2.6
Washington-Arlington-Alexandria ¹	2,435.9	2,462.9	2,457.2	2,478.6	21.4	0.9
Florida.....	7,359.4	7,493.6	7,419.5	7,559.7	140.2	1.9
Miami-Fort Lauderdale-Pompano Beach.....	2,269.4	2,303.7	2,281.9	2,316.2	34.3	1.5
Fort Lauderdale-Pompano Beach-Deerfield Beach.....	727.9	741.4	731.6	746.1	14.5	2.0
Miami-Miami Beach-Kendall.....	1,021.3	1,033.0	1,026.9	1,037.4	10.5	1.0
West Palm Beach-Boca Raton-Boynton Beach.....	520.2	529.3	523.4	532.7	9.3	1.8
Illinois.....	5,617.1	5,683.6	5,670.0	5,708.9	38.9	0.7
Chicago-Joliet-Naperville ¹	4,261.1	4,321.6	4,295.6	4,341.5	45.9	1.1
Chicago-Joliet-Naperville.....	3,619.2	3,679.2	3,648.8	3,694.6	45.8	1.3
Gary ²	266.2	269.2	268.0	270.9	2.9	1.1
Lake County-Kenosha County ¹	375.7	373.2	378.8	376.0	-2.8	-0.7
Massachusetts.....	3,197.6	3,245.1	3,225.0	3,257.4	32.4	1.0
Boston-Cambridge-Quincy ¹	2,447.1	2,488.0	2,466.2	2,501.5	35.3	1.4
Boston-Cambridge-Quincy.....	1,694.2	1,722.9	1,705.6	1,733.2	27.6	1.6
Brockton-Bridgewater-Easton.....	85.9	88.0	87.3	88.3	1.0	1.1
Framingham.....	153.7	155.7	154.8	156.7	1.9	1.2
Haverhill-North Andover-Amesbury ¹	77.3	79.0	78.2	79.9	1.7	2.2
Lowell-Billerica-Chelmsford ¹	117.2	117.5	118.3	118.1	-0.2	-0.2
Nashua ¹	122.7	123.8	124.0	124.5	0.5	0.4
Peabody.....	99.0	101.4	99.7	101.5	1.8	1.8
Michigan.....	3,948.4	3,996.1	3,976.4	4,012.5	36.1	0.9
Detroit-Warren-Livonia.....	1,798.1	1,806.2	1,812.5	1,811.3	-1.2	-0.1
Detroit-Livonia-Dearborn.....	709.3	710.0	713.1	708.4	-4.7	-0.7
Warren-Troy-Farmington Hills.....	1,088.8	1,096.2	1,099.4	1,102.9	3.5	0.3
New York.....	8,656.6	8,724.1	8,711.4	8,791.3	79.9	0.9
New York-Northern New Jersey-Long Island ¹	8,399.0	8,510.5	8,472.0	8,578.8	106.8	1.3
Edison-New Brunswick ²	972.6	993.2	983.4	1,002.2	18.8	1.9
Nassau-Suffolk.....	1,229.2	1,247.6	1,243.1	1,261.0	17.9	1.4
New York-White Plains-Wayne ¹	5,235.8	5,301.5	5,277.5	5,343.0	65.5	1.2
Newark-Union ²	961.4	968.2	968.0	972.6	4.6	0.5
Pennsylvania.....	5,648.9	5,668.1	5,703.0	5,701.2	-1.8	0.0
Philadelphia-Camden-Wilmington ¹	2,687.1	2,713.6	2,713.8	2,726.3	12.5	0.5
Camden ²	496.6	501.5	501.4	503.7	2.3	0.5
Philadelphia.....	1,863.1	1,879.5	1,881.3	1,889.2	7.9	0.4
Wilmington ²	327.4	332.6	331.1	333.4	2.3	0.7
Texas.....	10,688.1	11,042.6	10,774.0	11,096.6	322.6	3.0
Dallas-Fort Worth-Arlington.....	2,955.4	3,064.7	2,977.9	3,078.9	101.0	3.4
Dallas-Plano-Irving.....	2,076.4	2,149.4	2,092.0	2,161.5	69.5	3.3
Fort Worth-Arlington.....	879.0	915.3	885.9	917.4	31.5	3.6
Washington.....	2,808.8	2,875.3	2,830.8	2,883.7	52.9	1.9
Seattle-Tacoma-Bellevue.....	1,675.7	1,722.6	1,686.6	1,725.6	39.0	2.3
Seattle-Bellevue-Everett.....	1,411.5	1,453.6	1,420.5	1,456.1	35.6	2.5
Tacoma.....	264.2	269.0	266.1	269.5	3.4	1.3

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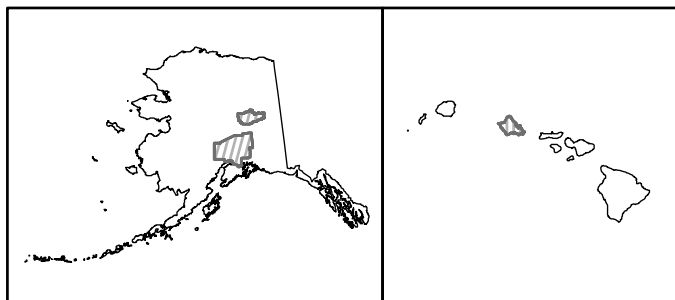
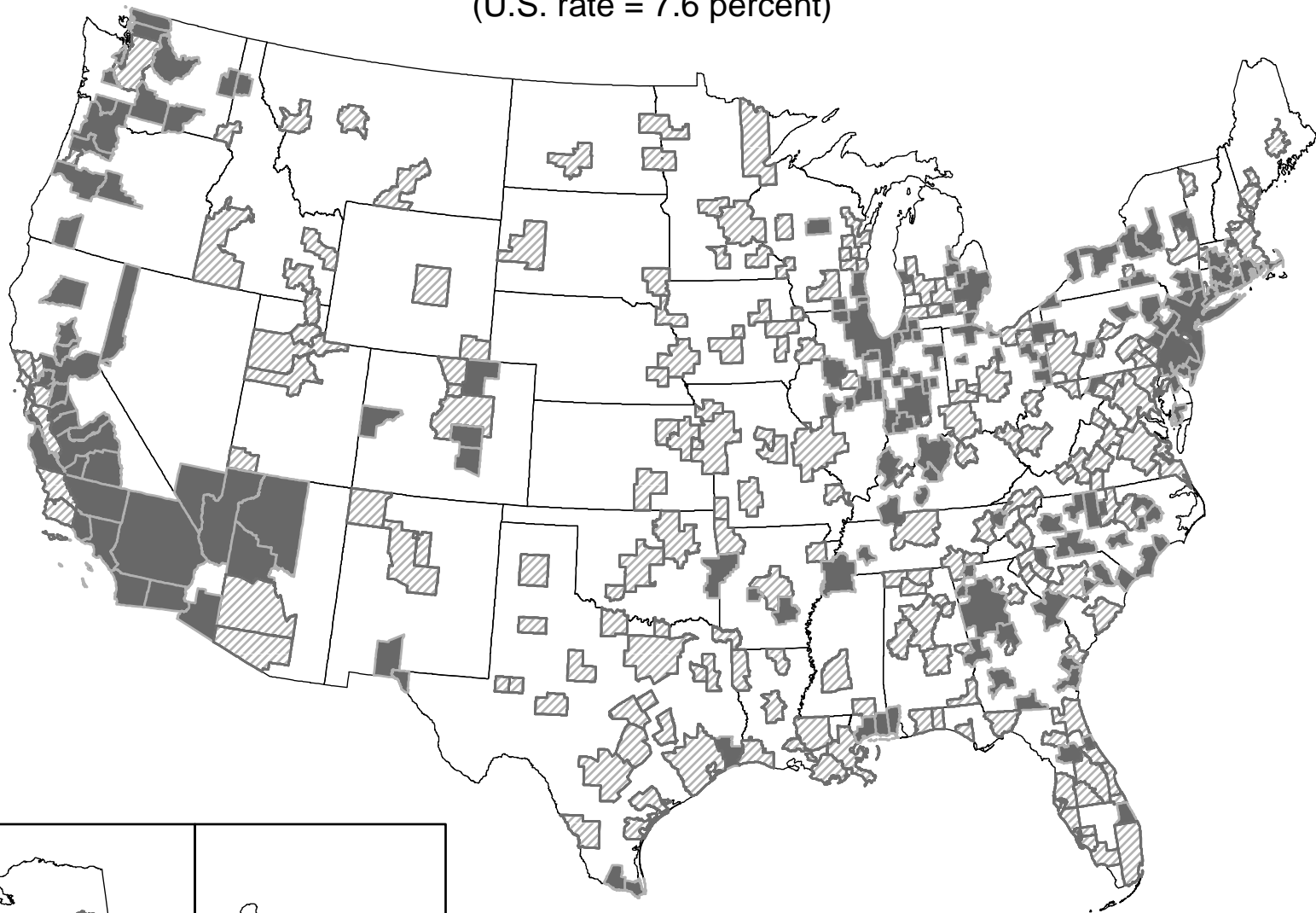
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Unemployment rates for metropolitan areas, not seasonally adjusted, March 2013

(U.S. rate = 7.6 percent)



NOTE: Map includes data for 372 metropolitan areas based on Office of Management and Budget Bulletin No. 10-02. Areas in the six New England states are Metropolitan New England City and Town areas (NECTAs), while areas in other states are county-based.

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