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**Table A-2. Employment status of the civilian population by race, sex, and age**
**HOUSEHOLD DATA**
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[Numbers in thousands]

Employment status, race, sex, and age	Not seasonally adjusted			Seasonally adjusted <sup>(1)</sup>					
	Apr. 2010	Mar. 2011	Apr. 2011	Apr. 2010	Dec. 2010	Jan. 2011	Feb. 2011	Mar. 2011	Apr. 2011
<b>WHITE</b>									
Civilian noninstitutional population	191,749	192,688	192,771	191,749	192,749	192,516	192,601	192,688	192,771
Civilian labor force	125,062	124,156	124,140	125,739	124,700	124,192	124,237	124,497	124,650
Participation rate	65.2	64.4	64.4	65.6	64.7	64.5	64.5	64.6	64.7
Employed	114,302	113,877	114,597	114,465	114,079	114,197	114,330	114,706	114,652
Employment-population ratio	59.6	59.1	59.4	59.7	59.2	59.3	59.4	59.5	59.5
Unemployed	10,760	10,279	9,542	11,275	10,620	9,995	9,907	9,791	9,998
Unemployment rate	8.6	8.3	7.7	9.0	8.5	8.0	8.0	7.9	8.0
Not in labor force	66,687	68,532	68,632	66,009	68,049	68,325	68,364	68,191	68,122
<b>Men, 20 years and over</b>									
Civilian labor force	65,392	64,890	64,904	65,600	65,041	64,673	64,919	64,864	65,032
Participation rate	74.9	73.8	73.7	75.1	74.0	73.6	73.9	73.7	73.9
Employed	59,460	59,254	59,869	59,528	59,484	59,586	59,860	59,850	59,903
Employment-population ratio	68.1	67.4	68.0	68.2	67.7	67.8	68.1	68.0	68.1
Unemployed	5,932	5,635	5,035	6,072	5,557	5,086	5,059	5,014	5,129
Unemployment rate	9.1	8.7	7.8	9.3	8.5	7.9	7.8	7.7	7.9
<b>Women, 20 years and over</b>									
Civilian labor force	54,971	54,900	54,882	55,116	54,914	54,686	54,677	54,950	54,971
Participation rate	60.1	59.8	59.7	60.2	59.7	59.6	59.5	59.8	59.8
Employed	51,174	51,169	51,275	51,091	50,920	50,878	50,816	51,184	51,138
Employment-population ratio	55.9	55.7	55.8	55.8	55.3	55.4	55.3	55.7	55.6
Unemployed	3,797	3,730	3,606	4,025	3,994	3,808	3,860	3,766	3,833
Unemployment rate	6.9	6.8	6.6	7.3	7.3	7.0	7.1	6.9	7.0
<b>Both sexes, 16 to 19 years</b>									
Civilian labor force	4,699	4,367	4,354	5,024	4,746	4,833	4,641	4,683	4,646
Participation rate	36.3	34.0	33.9	38.8	37.1	37.5	36.1	36.4	36.2
Employed	3,668	3,454	3,453	3,846	3,676	3,732	3,654	3,672	3,610
Employment-population ratio	28.3	26.9	26.9	29.7	28.7	29.0	28.4	28.6	28.1
Unemployed	1,031	913	901	1,178	1,070	1,100	987	1,011	1,036
Unemployment rate	21.9	20.9	20.7	23.4	22.5	22.8	21.3	21.6	22.3
<b>BLACK OR AFRICAN AMERICAN</b>									
Civilian noninstitutional population	28,624	29,005	29,035	28,624	28,896	28,947	28,976	29,005	29,035
Civilian labor force	17,868	17,705	17,765	17,967	17,958	17,857	17,865	17,836	17,849
Participation rate	62.4	61.0	61.2	62.8	62.1	61.7	61.7	61.5	61.5
Employed	15,020	14,965	14,966	14,996	15,119	15,048	15,124	15,067	14,966
Employment-population ratio	52.5	51.6	51.5	52.4	52.3	52.0	52.2	51.9	51.5
Unemployed	2,848	2,740	2,799	2,971	2,839	2,809	2,741	2,769	2,882

<b>Unemployment rate</b>	15.9	15.5	15.8	16.5	15.8	15.7	15.3	15.5	16.1
<b>Not in labor force</b>	10,756	11,300	11,270	10,657	10,939	11,090	11,112	11,169	11,186
<b>Men, 20 years and over</b>									
<b>Civilian labor force</b>	8,081	8,093	8,091	8,112	8,106	8,054	8,053	8,119	8,113
<b>Participation rate</b>	69.8	68.5	68.4	70.1	69.1	68.3	68.2	68.7	68.6
<b>Employed</b>	6,635	6,635	6,688	6,672	6,764	6,723	6,745	6,758	6,731
<b>Employment-population ratio</b>	57.3	56.1	56.5	57.6	57.6	57.1	57.2	57.2	56.9
<b>Unemployed</b>	1,446	1,458	1,403	1,440	1,341	1,331	1,309	1,361	1,382
<b>Unemployment rate</b>	17.9	18.0	17.3	17.7	16.5	16.5	16.2	16.8	17.0
<b>Women, 20 years and over</b>									
<b>Civilian labor force</b>	9,151	8,990	9,032	9,175	9,204	9,146	9,185	9,050	9,054
<b>Participation rate</b>	63.7	61.7	61.9	63.8	63.3	62.9	63.1	62.1	62.0
<b>Employed</b>	7,971	7,953	7,877	7,904	7,993	7,966	7,993	7,923	7,836
<b>Employment-population ratio</b>	55.4	54.6	54.0	55.0	55.0	54.8	54.9	54.4	53.7
<b>Unemployed</b>	1,181	1,037	1,155	1,270	1,211	1,179	1,192	1,127	1,217
<b>Unemployment rate</b>	12.9	11.5	12.8	13.8	13.2	12.9	13.0	12.5	13.4
<b>Both sexes, 16 to 19 years</b>									
<b>Civilian labor force</b>	635	623	642	681	648	658	627	668	682
<b>Participation rate</b>	23.8	23.8	24.6	25.5	24.6	25.1	23.9	25.6	26.2
<b>Employed</b>	414	378	402	420	361	359	386	387	398
<b>Employment-population ratio</b>	15.5	14.5	15.4	15.7	13.7	13.7	14.7	14.8	15.3
<b>Unemployed</b>	221	245	241	261	287	299	241	281	284
<b>Unemployment rate</b>	34.8	39.3	37.5	38.3	44.2	45.4	38.4	42.1	41.6
<b>ASIAN</b>									
<b>Civilian noninstitutional population</b>	11,138	11,301	11,378	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Civilian labor force</b>	7,300	7,410	7,295	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Participation rate</b>	65.5	65.6	64.1	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Employed</b>	6,806	6,881	6,832	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Employment-population ratio</b>	61.1	60.9	60.0	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Unemployed</b>	494	529	463	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Unemployment rate</b>	6.8	7.1	6.4	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Not in labor force</b>	3,838	3,892	4,083	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Footnotes</b>									
(1) The population figures are not adjusted for seasonal variation; therefore, identical numbers appear in the unadjusted and seasonally adjusted columns.									
- Data not available.									
NOTE: Estimates for the above race groups will not sum to totals shown in table A-1 because data are not presented for all races. Updated population controls are introduced annually with the release of January data.									

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