

Employment Status for the Civilian Population
District of Columbia, Washington Metropolitan Division and the Statistical Area
2015/a

	Jan/c	Feb/c	Mar/c	Apr/c	May/c	Jun/c	Jul/c	Aug/c	Sept/c	Oct/c	Nov/c	Dec/b
<u>Seasonally Adjusted</u>												
Washington, D.C.												
Civilian Labor Force	385,300	385,400	384,200	385,200	384,700	384,400	385,100	386,600	386,800	388,000	389,100	389,400
Total Employed	355,700	355,300	354,700	356,200	356,500	357,500	358,900	360,500	360,800	362,400	363,400	363,800
Total Unemployed	29,600	30,100	29,500	29,000	28,100	26,900	26,200	26,200	25,900	25,500	25,700	25,600
Unemployment Rate	7.7	7.8	7.7	7.5	7.3	7.0	6.8	6.8	6.7	6.6	6.6	6.6
<u>Seasonally Unadjusted</u>												
Washington, D.C.												
Civilian Labor Force	384,500	387,000	381,500	384,000	380,200	386,300	391,900	385,900	384,300	389,900	390,900	388,700
Total Employed	353,600	355,400	353,900	358,200	354,700	359,700	364,500	358,700	357,800	363,900	364,600	364,100
Total Unemployed	30,900	31,500	27,600	25,800	25,400	26,600	27,400	27,200	26,600	26,000	26,300	24,600
Unemployment Rate	8.0	8.1	7.2	6.7	6.7	6.9	7.0	7.1	6.9	6.7	6.7	6.3
Washington, D.C. Metropolitan Division												
Civilian Labor Force	2,591,300	2,599,400	2,595,400	2,606,100	2,621,400	2,634,000	2,642,100	2,610,700	2,588,900	2,611,500	2,615,100	2,610,600
Total Employed	2,462,400	2,469,100	2,471,200	2,490,900	2,497,300	2,506,000	2,518,900	2,495,400	2,477,000	2,499,200	2,506,600	2,507,900
Total Unemployed	128,900	130,300	124,200	115,200	124,100	128,000	123,300	115,300	111,900	112,200	108,500	102,700
Unemployment Rate	5.0	5.0	4.8	4.4	4.7	4.9	4.7	4.4	4.3	4.3	4.2	3.9
Suburban Ring												
Civilian Labor Force	2,876,500	2,879,500	2,885,000	2,894,300	2,913,300	2,929,900	2,934,100	2,903,100	2,877,800	2,903,700	2,907,900	2,902,400
Total Employed	2,748,500	2,752,900	2,760,800	2,779,500	2,786,000	2,797,600	2,809,600	2,788,500	2,764,800	2,789,000	2,798,400	2,800,900
Total Unemployed	128,000	126,800	124,200	114,900	127,400	132,400	124,500	114,600	112,900	114,700	109,400	101,500
Unemployment Rate	4.4	4.4	4.3	4.0	4.4	4.5	4.2	3.9	3.9	4.0	3.8	3.5
Washington, D.C. MSA												
Civilian Labor Force	3,261,000	3,266,500	3,266,500	3,278,300	3,293,500	3,316,200	3,326,000	3,289,000	3,262,100	3,293,600	3,298,800	3,291,100
Total Employed	3,102,100	3,108,300	3,114,700	3,137,700	3,140,700	3,157,300	3,174,100	3,147,200	3,122,600	3,152,900	3,163,000	3,165,000
Total Unemployed	158,900	158,300	151,800	140,700	152,800	159,000	151,900	141,800	139,500	140,700	135,700	126,100
Unemployment Rate	4.9	4.8	4.6	4.3	4.6	4.8	4.6	4.3	4.3	4.3	4.1	3.8

a/ Data may not add to the totals due to independent rounding.

b/ Preliminary.

c/ Revised.

Estimated Labor Force and Employment for the Washington-Arlington-Alexandria, DC-VA-MD-WV Metropolitan Division includes The District of Columbia, Virginia Cities of Alexandria, Fairfax, Fauquier, Falls Church, Fredericksburg, Manassas, and Manassas Park; the Virginia Counties of Arlington, Clarke, Fairfax, Loudon, Prince William, Spotsylvania, Stafford, and Warren, Rappahannock and Culpeper; the Maryland Counties of Calvert, Charles, and Prince Georges; and the West Virginia County of Jefferson.

Estimated Labor Force and Employment for the Washington-Arlington-Alexandria, DC-VA-MD-WV Metropolitan Statistical Area includes the Washington-Arlington-Alexandria Metropolitan Division and the Bethesda-Frederick-Gaithersburg Metropolitan Division which includes the Counties of Frederick and Montgomery in Maryland.

Estimated Labor Force and Employment for the Suburban Ring includes Washington-Arlington-Alexandria, DC-VA-MD-WV Metropolitan Statistical Area excluding the District of Columbia

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