

**Employment Status for the Civilian Population
District of Columbia,
Washington Metropolitan Division and Statistical Area
November 2022/a**

	Nov/b 2022	Oct/c 2022	Nov/d 2021	Net Change From	
				Oct/c 2022	Nov/d 2021
Seasonally Unadjusted					
Washington, D.C.					
Civilian Labor Force	370,500	371,900	387,900	-1,400	-17,400
Total Employed	354,100	354,700	365,800	-600	-11,700
Total Unemployed	16,400	17,300	22,100	-900	-5,700
Unemployment Rate	4.4	4.6	5.7	-0.2	-1.3
Washington, D.C. Metropolitan Division					
Civilian Labor Force	2,672,700	2,689,800	2,689,000	-17,100	-16,300
Total Employed	2,589,200	2,603,500	2,587,300	-14,300	1,900
Total Unemployed	83,500	86,300	101,600	-2,800	-18,100
Unemployment Rate	3.1	3.2	3.8	-0.1	-0.7
Suburban Ring					
Civilian Labor Force	2,982,800	3,003,500	2,987,700	-20,700	-4,900
Total Employed	2,894,900	2,909,500	2,876,800	-14,600	18,100
Total Unemployed	87,900	93,900	110,900	-6,000	-23,000
Unemployment Rate	2.9	3.1	3.7	-0.2	-0.8
Washington, D.C. MSA					
Civilian Labor Force	3,353,300	3,375,400	3,375,600	-22,100	-22,300
Total Employed	3,249,000	3,264,200	3,242,600	-15,200	6,400
Total Unemployed	104,300	111,200	133,000	-6,900	-28,700
Unemployment Rate	3.1	3.3	3.9	-0.2	-0.8

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

b/ Preliminary.

c/ Revised.

d/ Data reflect benchmark revisions.

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, Falls Church, Fredericksburg, Manassas, and Manassas Park; the Virginia Counties of Arlington, Clarke, Fairfax, Fauquier, Loudon, Prince William, Spotsylvania, Stafford, 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 the Washington-Arlington-Alexandria, DC-VA-MD-WV Metropolitan Statistical Area excluding the District of Columbia

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