

**Employment Status for the Civilian Population
District of Columbia,
Washington Metropolitan Division and Statistical Area
July 2021/a**

				Net Change From	
	Jul/b 2021	Jun/c 2021	Jul/d 2020	Jun/c 2021	Jul/d 2020
<u>Seasonally Unadjusted</u>					
Washington, D.C.					
Civilian Labor Force	419,500	410,800	407,200	8,700	12,300
Total Employed	391,800	381,100	368,400	10,700	23,400
Total Unemployed	27,600	29,700	38,800	-2,100	-11,200
Unemployment Rate	6.6	7.2	9.5	-0.6	-2.9
Washington, D.C. Metropolitan Division					
Civilian Labor Force	2,729,500	2,702,000	2,729,000	27,500	500
Total Employed	2,592,800	2,555,600	2,498,700	37,200	94,100
Total Unemployed	136,600	146,400	230,300	-9,800	-93,700
Unemployment Rate	5.0	5.4	8.4	-0.4	-3.4
Suburban Ring					
Civilian Labor Force	3,000,700	2,971,100	3,008,500	29,600	-7,800
Total Employed	2,853,600	2,811,600	2,759,400	42,000	94,200
Total Unemployed	147,200	159,500	249,100	-12,300	-101,900
Unemployment Rate	4.9	5.4	8.3	-0.5	-3.4
Washington, D.C. MSA					
Civilian Labor Force	3,420,200	3,381,900	3,415,700	38,300	4,500
Total Employed	3,245,400	3,192,700	3,127,800	52,700	117,600
Total Unemployed	174,800	189,200	287,900	-14,400	-113,100
Unemployment Rate	5.1	5.6	8.4	-0.5	-3.3

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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