

Labor Force Estimates - United States & Tennessee

<i>Seasonally Adjusted*</i>	April, 2009 pre.				Mar. '09 rev.		Apr. '08	
	Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate	Rate	Change	Rate	Change
UNITED STATES	154,731,000	141,007,000	13,724,000	8.9%	8.5%	0.4%	5.0%	3.9%
TENNESSEE	3,040,700	2,738,900	301,800	9.9%	9.6%	0.3%	6.0%	3.9%

* Tennessee and the United States are the only seasonally adjusted data on these pages.

<i>Not Seasonally Adjusted</i>	Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate	Rate	Change	Rate	Change
UNITED STATES	153,834,000	140,586,000	13,248,000	8.6%	9.0%	-0.4%	4.8%	3.8%
TENNESSEE	3,015,000	2,721,900	293,200	9.7%	9.9%	-0.2%	5.3%	4.4%

Labor Force Estimates - Combined Statistical Areas (CSA)

	April, 2009 pre.				Mar. '09 rev.	
	Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate	Rate	Change
Chattanooga-Cleveland-Athens, TN-GA CSA	340,300	309,010	31,290	9.2	9.5	-0.3
Athens Micropolitan Area (McMinn Co.)	24,030	20,760	3,270	13.6	13.7	-0.1
Chattanooga, TN-GA MSA	262,880	240,020	22,860	8.7	9.0	-0.3
Cleveland, TN MSA	53,390	48,230	5,160	9.7	9.9	-0.2
Jackson-Humboldt, TN CSA	77,530	69,030	8,490	11.0	10.7	0.3
Humboldt Micropolitan Area (Gibson Co.)	21,440	18,510	2,930	13.7	13.2	0.5
Jackson, TN MSA	56,090	50,520	5,570	9.9	9.7	0.2
Johnson City-Kingsport-Bristol, TN-VA CSA	245,990	224,340	21,650	8.8	8.9	-0.1
Johnson City, TN MSA	99,490	90,790	8,700	8.7	9.0	-0.3
Kingsport-Bristol, TN-VA MSA	146,500	133,550	12,950	8.8	8.8	0.0
Knoxville-Sevierville-Harriman-LaFollette, TN CSA	528,760	479,750	49,010	9.3	9.6	-0.3
Harriman Micropolitan Area (Roane Co.)	27,070	24,700	2,380	8.8	8.4	0.4
Knoxville, TN MSA	353,640	324,490	29,150	8.2	8.2	0.0
LaFollette Micropolitan Area (Campbell Co.)	16,940	14,790	2,150	12.7	12.4	0.3
Morristown, TN MSA	65,710	57,600	8,100	12.3	12.7	-0.4
Newport Micropolitan Area (Cocke Co.)	17,160	14,880	2,280	13.3	15.1	-1.8
Sevierville Micropolitan Area (Sevier Co.)	48,240	43,290	4,950	10.3	13.3	-3.0
Nashville-Murfreesboro-Columbia, TN CSA	821,920	749,590	72,330	8.8	9.1	-0.3
Columbia Micropolitan Area (Maury Co.)	36,750	32,710	4,050	11.0	15.6	-4.6
Nashville-Murfreesboro, TN MSA	785,160	716,880	68,280	8.7	8.8	-0.1
Union City-Martin, TN-KY CSA	33,240	29,910	3,330	10.0	10.5	-0.5
Martin Micropolitan Area (Weakley Co.)	15,430	13,800	1,630	10.5	11.0	-0.5
Union City Micropolitan Area, TN-KY	17,810	16,110	1,700	9.6	10.0	-0.4

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Labor Force Estimates - Metropolitan Statistical Areas (MSA)

	April, 2009 pre.				Mar. '09 rev.		Apr. '08	
	Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate	Rate	Change	Rate	Change
Chattanooga, TN-GA MSA	262,880	240,020	22,860	8.7	9.0	-0.3	4.6	4.1
Hamilton County	166,410	152,640	13,770	8.3	8.0	0.3	4.5	3.8
Marion County	13,090	11,650	1,440	11.0	10.7	0.3	6.1	4.9
Sequatchie County	6,260	5,540	720	11.4	11.2	0.2	7.3	4.1
Georgia Portion	77,120	70,190	6,930	9.0	10.9	-1.9	4.4	4.6
Clarksville, TN-KY MSA	107,460	97,390	10,070	9.4	9.8	-0.4	6.0	3.4
Montgomery County	65,710	60,500	5,210	7.9	8.2	-0.3	5.1	2.8
Stewart County	5,740	5,100	630	11.0	11.6	-0.6	7.0	4.0
Kentucky Portion	36,020	31,790	4,230	11.8	12.3	-0.5	7.6	4.2
Cleveland, TN MSA	53,390	48,230	5,160	9.7	9.9	-0.2	5.5	4.2
Bradley County	46,330	42,040	4,290	9.3	9.4	-0.1	5.4	3.9
Polk County	7,060	6,180	870	12.4	13.5	-1.1	6.2	6.2
Jackson, TN MSA	56,090	50,520	5,570	9.9	9.7	0.2	5.4	4.5
Chester County	7,770	7,010	760	9.8	10.2	-0.4	5.8	4.0
Madison County	48,320	43,520	4,810	9.9	9.6	0.3	5.4	4.5
Johnson City, TN MSA	99,490	90,790	8,700	8.7	9.0	-0.3	5.0	3.7
Carter County	29,780	26,920	2,860	9.6	10.1	-0.5	5.2	4.4
Unicoi County	8,620	7,600	1,020	11.8	11.3	0.5	6.3	5.5
Washington County	61,090	56,270	4,820	7.9	8.1	-0.2	4.7	3.2
Kingsport-Bristol, TN-VA MSA	146,500	133,550	12,950	8.8	8.8	0.0	4.4	4.4
Hawkins County	27,240	23,980	3,260	12.0	11.0	1.0	5.4	6.6
Sullivan County	73,650	67,670	5,990	8.1	8.0	0.1	4.4	3.7
Virginia Portion	45,610	41,900	3,710	8.1	8.9	-0.8	3.8	4.3
Knoxville, TN MSA	353,640	324,490	29,150	8.2	8.2	0.0	4.2	4.0
Anderson County	35,510	32,080	3,430	9.6	9.4	0.2	4.8	4.8
Blount County	62,520	56,410	6,110	9.8	10.0	-0.2	4.9	4.9
Knox County	223,720	207,210	16,510	7.4	7.3	0.1	3.9	3.5
Loudon County	23,110	20,910	2,200	9.5	9.3	0.2	4.5	5.0
Union County	8,780	7,880	900	10.3	10.4	-0.1	4.8	5.5
Memphis, TN-MS-AR MSA	610,510	555,560	54,940	9.0	9.1	-0.1	5.6	3.4
Fayette County	17,730	15,840	1,880	10.6	10.5	0.1	6.1	4.5
Shelby County	436,210	397,390	38,820	8.9	8.9	0.0	5.7	3.2
Tipton County	28,810	25,140	3,670	12.7	12.3	0.4	6.7	6.0
Arkansas Portion	21,890	19,960	1,940	8.8	9.5	-0.7	5.8	3.0
Mississippi Portion	105,870	97,230	8,640	8.2	9.0	-0.8	4.9	3.3
Morristown, TN MSA	65,710	57,600	8,100	12.3	12.7	-0.4	5.6	6.7
Grainger County	10,420	9,010	1,410	13.5	13.9	-0.4	6.0	7.5
Hamblen County	30,660	26,950	3,710	12.1	12.1	0.0	5.5	6.6
Jefferson County	24,630	21,640	2,990	12.1	12.9	-0.8	5.5	6.6
Nashville-Murfreesboro, TN MSA	785,160	716,880	68,280	8.7	8.8	-0.1	4.5	4.2
Cannon County	6,470	5,730	730	11.3	11.2	0.1	5.6	5.7
Cheatham County	20,240	18,470	1,770	8.8	8.8	0.0	4.1	4.7
Davidson County	318,160	292,590	25,570	8.0	7.9	0.1	4.3	3.7
Dickson County	23,610	20,950	2,660	11.2	12.0	-0.8	5.4	5.8
Hickman County	10,170	8,940	1,240	12.1	12.5	-0.4	6.9	5.2
Macon County	10,650	9,290	1,360	12.8	12.1	0.7	5.9	6.9
Robertson County	32,980	29,600	3,380	10.3	10.6	-0.3	4.9	5.4
Rutherford County	129,560	117,610	11,940	9.2	9.2	0.0	4.7	4.5
Smith County	9,300	8,100	1,210	13.0	14.5	-1.5	6.1	6.9
Sumner County	78,930	71,310	7,620	9.7	9.5	0.2	4.7	5.0
Trousdale County	3,690	3,250	440	12.0	12.7	-0.7	8.3	3.7
Williamson County	84,820	79,460	5,360	6.3	7.2	-0.9	3.6	2.7
Wilson County	56,570	51,580	4,990	8.8	8.8	0.0	4.7	4.1

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Labor Force Estimates - Micropolitan Statistical Areas

	April, 2009 pre.				Mar. '09 rev.		Apr. '08	
	Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate	Rate	Change	Rate	Change
Athens (McMinn Co.)	24,030	20,760	3,270	13.6	13.7	-0.1	7.1	6.5
Brownsville (Haywood Co.)	9,190	7,850	1,340	14.6	13.8	0.8	7.8	6.8
Columbia (Maury Co.)	36,750	32,710	4,050	11.0	15.6	-4.6	7.1	3.9
Cookeville	49,000	43,850	5,150	10.5	10.9	-0.4	5.7	4.8
Jackson Co.	4,910	4,240	670	13.7	15.7	-2.0	6.9	6.8
Overton Co.	9,920	8,610	1,310	13.2	14.1	-0.9	6.8	6.4
Putnam Co.	34,170	31,000	3,170	9.3	9.3	0.0	5.3	4.0
Crossville (Cumberland Co.)	21,720	19,390	2,330	10.7	11.5	-0.8	6.5	4.2
Dyersburg (Dyer Co.)	17,810	15,490	2,330	13.1	12.5	0.6	5.5	7.6
Greeneville (Greene Co.)	31,130	26,370	4,760	15.3	15.2	0.1	7.4	7.9
Harriman (Roane Co.)	27,070	24,700	2,380	8.8	8.4	0.4	4.8	4.0
Humboldt (Gibson Co.)	21,440	18,510	2,930	13.7	13.2	0.5	8.0	5.7
LaFollette (Campbell Co.)	16,940	14,790	2,150	12.7	12.4	0.3	5.8	6.9
Lawrenceburg (Lawrence Co.)	17,030	14,630	2,400	14.1	14.8	-0.7	8.1	6.0
Lewisburg (Marshall Co.)	12,650	10,800	1,850	14.6	16.9	-2.3	8.2	6.4
Martin (Weakley Co.)	15,430	13,800	1,630	10.5	11.0	-0.5	5.7	4.8
McMinnville (Warren Co.)	17,900	15,560	2,350	13.1	13.9	-0.8	6.7	6.4
Newport (Cocke Co.)	17,160	14,880	2,280	13.3	15.1	-1.8	6.9	6.4
Paris (Henry Co.)	13,570	11,900	1,670	12.3	13.0	-0.7	7.2	5.1
Sevierville (Sevier Co.)	48,240	43,290	4,950	10.3	13.3	-3.0	5.7	4.6
Shelbyville (Bedford Co.)	22,720	20,280	2,440	10.7	11.2	-0.5	5.3	5.4
Tullahoma	48,990	44,230	4,760	9.7	10.0	-0.3	5.3	4.4
Coffee Co.	25,860	23,270	2,590	10.0	10.2	-0.2	5.3	4.7
Franklin Co.	20,030	18,080	1,950	9.7	10.1	-0.4	5.4	4.3
Moore Co.	3,100	2,870	220	7.2	8.0	-0.8	4.7	2.5
Union City, TN-KY	17,810	16,110	1,700	9.6	10.0	-0.4	5.6	4.0
Obion Co.	15,100	13,730	1,370	9.1	9.8	-0.7	5.5	3.6
Kentucky portion (Fulton Co.)	2,710	2,380	330	12.2	11.0	1.2	6.3	5.9

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Micropolitan Statistical Areas are a county or counties with an urbanized area of 10,000 to 50,000 population.

Labor Force Estimates - Tennessee Counties

	April, 2009 pre.				Mar. '09 rev.		Apr. '08	
	Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate	Rate	Change	Rate	Change
Anderson County	35,510	32,080	3,430	9.6	9.4	0.2	4.8	4.8
Bedford County	22,720	20,280	2,440	10.7	11.2	-0.5	5.3	5.4
Benton County	7,250	6,280	970	13.4	13.0	0.4	6.7	6.7
Bledsoe County	5,010	4,380	630	12.5	12.9	-0.4	6.8	5.7
Blount County	62,520	56,410	6,110	9.8	10.0	-0.2	4.9	4.9
Bradley County	46,330	42,040	4,290	9.3	9.4	-0.1	5.4	3.9
Campbell County	16,940	14,790	2,150	12.7	12.4	0.3	5.8	6.9
Cannon County	6,470	5,730	730	11.3	11.2	0.1	5.6	5.7
Carroll County	13,820	11,970	1,850	13.4	14.1	-0.7	7.4	6.0
Carter County	29,780	26,920	2,860	9.6	10.1	-0.5	5.2	4.4
Cheatham County	20,240	18,470	1,770	8.8	8.8	0.0	4.1	4.7
Chester County	7,770	7,010	760	9.8	10.2	-0.4	5.8	4.0
Claiborne County	13,140	11,650	1,500	11.4	12.2	-0.8	5.9	5.5
Clay County	3,370	2,910	460	13.7	15.6	-1.9	8.9	4.8
Cocke County	17,160	14,880	2,280	13.3	15.1	-1.8	6.9	6.4
Coffee County	25,860	23,270	2,590	10.0	10.2	-0.2	5.3	4.7
Crockett County	6,450	5,650	800	12.4	12.7	-0.3	7.5	4.9
Cumberland County	21,720	19,390	2,330	10.7	11.5	-0.8	6.5	4.2
Davidson County	318,160	292,590	25,570	8.0	7.9	0.1	4.3	3.7
Decatur County	5,590	4,940	650	11.7	11.6	0.1	7.3	4.4
DeKalb County	9,830	8,780	1,050	10.7	11.0	-0.3	5.1	5.6
Dickson County	23,610	20,950	2,660	11.2	12.0	-0.8	5.4	5.8
Dyer County	17,810	15,490	2,330	13.1	12.5	0.6	5.5	7.6
Fayette County	17,730	15,840	1,880	10.6	10.5	0.1	6.1	4.5
Fentress County	7,750	6,760	990	12.7	13.7	-1.0	8.1	4.6
Franklin County	20,030	18,080	1,950	9.7	10.1	-0.4	5.4	4.3
Gibson County	21,440	18,510	2,930	13.7	13.2	0.5	8.0	5.7
Giles County	13,580	11,700	1,880	13.8	15.0	-1.2	6.5	7.3
Grainger County	10,420	9,010	1,410	13.5	13.9	-0.4	6.0	7.5
Greene County	31,130	26,370	4,760	15.3	15.2	0.1	7.4	7.9
Grundy County	6,060	5,250	810	13.4	13.7	-0.3	6.5	6.9
Hamblen County	30,660	26,950	3,710	12.1	12.1	0.0	5.5	6.6
Hamilton County	166,410	152,640	13,770	8.3	8.0	0.3	4.5	3.8
Hancock County	2,610	2,270	340	13.1	13.6	-0.5	6.1	7.0
Hardeman County	11,540	10,230	1,300	11.3	11.4	-0.1	7.2	4.1
Hardin County	12,110	10,700	1,410	11.6	12.4	-0.8	6.5	5.1
Hawkins County	27,240	23,980	3,260	12.0	11.0	1.0	5.4	6.6
Haywood County	9,190	7,850	1,340	14.6	13.8	0.8	7.8	6.8
Henderson County	12,630	10,720	1,910	15.1	15.5	-0.4	8.3	6.8
Henry County	13,570	11,900	1,670	12.3	13.0	-0.7	7.2	5.1
Hickman County	10,170	8,940	1,240	12.1	12.5	-0.4	6.9	5.2
Houston County	3,910	3,440	470	12.0	11.2	0.8	6.3	5.7
Humphreys County	9,150	8,040	1,110	12.1	13.1	-1.0	6.9	5.2
Jackson County	4,910	4,240	670	13.7	15.7	-2.0	6.9	6.8
Jefferson County	24,630	21,640	2,990	12.1	12.9	-0.8	5.5	6.6
Johnson County	7,380	6,550	830	11.2	12.1	-0.9	6.3	4.9
Knox County	223,720	207,210	16,510	7.4	7.3	0.1	3.9	3.5
Lake County	2,690	2,450	240	9.1	9.7	-0.6	5.9	3.2

To see maps of state, metropolitan area, and county unemployment rates, go to the Bureau of Labor Statistics web site:

<http://data.bls.gov/map/servlet/map.servlet.MapToolServlet?survey=la>

This site will be updated with state data on 5/22/09 and with county/metro data on 6/3/09.

Labor Force Estimates - Tennessee Counties (continued)

	April, 2009 pre.				Mar. '09 rev.		Apr. '08	
	Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate	Rate	Change	Rate	Change
Lauderdale County	10,300	8,430	1,870	18.2	18.2	0.0	9.8	8.4
Lawrence County	17,030	14,630	2,400	14.1	14.8	-0.7	8.1	6.0
Lewis County	5,430	4,630	800	14.8	16.7	-1.9	8.5	6.3
Lincoln County	16,900	15,840	1,070	6.3	6.8	-0.5	4.1	2.2
Loudon County	23,110	20,910	2,200	9.5	9.3	0.2	4.5	5.0
Macon County	10,650	9,290	1,360	12.8	12.1	0.7	5.9	6.9
Madison County	48,320	43,520	4,810	9.9	9.6	0.3	5.4	4.5
Marion County	13,090	11,650	1,440	11.0	10.7	0.3	6.1	4.9
Marshall County	12,650	10,800	1,850	14.6	16.9	-2.3	8.2	6.4
Maurry County	36,750	32,710	4,050	11.0	15.6	-4.6	7.1	3.9
McMinn County	24,030	20,760	3,270	13.6	13.7	-0.1	7.1	6.5
McNairy County	11,510	10,020	1,490	12.9	14.5	-1.6	7.7	5.2
Meigs County	5,210	4,470	730	14.1	14.3	-0.2	7.4	6.7
Monroe County	19,460	15,980	3,470	17.9	17.5	0.4	7.1	10.8
Montgomery County	65,710	60,500	5,210	7.9	8.2	-0.3	5.1	2.8
Moore County	3,100	2,870	220	7.2	8.0	-0.8	4.7	2.5
Morgan County	8,540	7,570	970	11.4	11.2	0.2	6.6	4.8
Obion County	15,100	13,730	1,370	9.1	9.8	-0.7	5.5	3.6
Overton County	9,920	8,610	1,310	13.2	14.1	-0.9	6.8	6.4
Perry County	2,950	2,250	710	23.9	25.6	-1.7	12.7	11.2
Pickett County	1,780	1,530	240	13.7	16.9	-3.2	8.5	5.2
Polk County	7,060	6,180	870	12.4	13.5	-1.1	6.2	6.2
Putnam County	34,170	31,000	3,170	9.3	9.3	0.0	5.3	4.0
Rhea County	13,290	11,610	1,680	12.6	13.2	-0.6	6.4	6.2
Roane County	27,070	24,700	2,380	8.8	8.4	0.4	4.8	4.0
Robertson County	32,980	29,600	3,380	10.3	10.6	-0.3	4.9	5.4
Rutherford County	129,560	117,610	11,940	9.2	9.2	0.0	4.7	4.5
Scott County	8,350	6,820	1,530	18.3	18.8	-0.5	8.8	9.5
Sequatchie County	6,260	5,540	720	11.4	11.2	0.2	7.3	4.1
Sevier County	48,240	43,290	4,950	10.3	13.3	-3.0	5.7	4.6
Shelby County	436,210	397,390	38,820	8.9	8.9	0.0	5.7	3.2
Smith County	9,300	8,100	1,210	13.0	14.5	-1.5	6.1	6.9
Stewart County	5,740	5,100	630	11.0	11.6	-0.6	7.0	4.0
Sullivan County	73,650	67,670	5,990	8.1	8.0	0.1	4.4	3.7
Sumner County	78,930	71,310	7,620	9.7	9.5	0.2	4.7	5.0
Tipton County	28,810	25,140	3,670	12.7	12.3	0.4	6.7	6.0
Trousdale County	3,690	3,250	440	12.0	12.7	-0.7	8.3	3.7
Unicoi County	8,620	7,600	1,020	11.8	11.3	0.5	6.3	5.5
Union County	8,780	7,880	900	10.3	10.4	-0.1	4.8	5.5
Van Buren County	2,490	2,120	380	15.2	14.2	1.0	6.8	8.4
Warren County	17,900	15,560	2,350	13.1	13.9	-0.8	6.7	6.4
Washington County	61,090	56,270	4,820	7.9	8.1	-0.2	4.7	3.2
Wayne County	6,550	5,770	780	11.8	12.8	-1.0	8.4	3.4
Weakley County	15,430	13,800	1,630	10.5	11.0	-0.5	5.7	4.8
White County	10,270	8,710	1,560	15.2	14.6	0.6	6.5	8.7
Williamson County	84,820	79,460	5,360	6.3	7.2	-0.9	3.6	2.7
Wilson County	56,570	51,580	4,990	8.8	8.8	0.0	4.7	4.1

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County Unemployment Rate Change: Rate increased in 29 counties
 March, 2009 to April, 2009 Rate decreased in 59 counties
 Rate remained the same in 7 counties

Labor Force Estimates - Tennessee Cities

	April, 2009 pre.				Mar. '09 rev.		Apr. '08	
	Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate	Rate	Change	Rate	Change
Bartlett	25,760	24,110	1,650	6.4	6.5	-0.1	4.2	2.2
Brentwood	16,520	15,650	870	5.2	5.5	-0.3	3.5	1.7
Bristol	12,560	11,440	1,130	9.0	8.4	0.6	4.3	4.7
Chattanooga	79,980	73,570	6,420	8.0	7.7	0.3	4.6	3.4
Clarksville	49,460	45,040	4,430	8.9	9.3	-0.4	5.8	3.1
Cleveland	19,380	16,630	2,750	14.2	14.4	-0.2	7.7	6.5
Collierville	20,050	18,730	1,320	6.6	5.9	0.7	3.9	2.7
Columbia	14,990	13,360	1,630	10.9	14.8	-3.9	7.2	3.7
Cookeville	15,050	13,050	2,000	13.3	13.4	-0.1	6.9	6.4
Franklin	30,720	28,340	2,380	7.7	8.9	-1.2	4.1	3.6
Gallatin	13,660	11,830	1,830	13.4	13.3	0.1	6.5	6.9
Germantown	19,340	18,250	1,100	5.7	5.4	0.3	3.5	2.2
Hendersonville	25,270	23,110	2,160	8.6	8.5	0.1	4.4	4.2
Jackson	30,820	26,970	3,850	12.5	12.1	0.4	6.6	5.9
Johnson City	31,770	29,320	2,450	7.7	8.0	-0.3	4.9	2.8
Kingsport	19,540	17,270	2,270	11.6	11.6	0.0	6.4	5.2
Knoxville	96,180	84,330	11,850	12.3	12.1	0.2	6.0	6.3
LaVergne	16,630	15,010	1,620	9.7	9.5	0.2	4.5	5.2
Maryville	14,430	11,640	2,790	19.3	19.1	0.2	8.6	10.7
Memphis	310,550	279,830	30,710	9.9	9.9	0.0	6.4	3.5
Morristown	13,720	11,280	2,440	17.8	18.1	-0.3	7.9	9.9
Murfreesboro	53,470	47,460	6,010	11.2	11.3	-0.1	5.7	5.5
Nashville	318,160	292,590	25,570	8.0	7.9	0.1	4.3	3.7
Oak Ridge	13,170	12,150	1,020	7.8	7.6	0.2	4.6	3.2
Smyrna	20,480	18,180	2,290	11.2	10.9	0.3	5.3	5.9

Cities have a population of more than 25,000.

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Lowest County Unemployment Rates

Rank	County	Apr. pre. Rate (%)
1	Lincoln Co.	6.3
2	Williamson Co.	6.3
3	Moore Co.	7.2
4	Knox Co.	7.4
5	Washington Co.	7.9
6	Montgomery Co.	7.9
7	Davidson Co.	8.0
8	Sullivan Co.	8.1
9	Hamilton Co.	8.3
10	Cheatham Co.	8.8

Highest County Unemployment Rates

Rank	County	Apr. pre. Rate (%)
95	Perry Co.	23.9
94	Scott Co.	18.3
93	Lauderdale Co.	18.2
92	Monroe Co.	17.9
91	Greene Co.	15.3
90	White Co.	15.2
89	Van Buren Co.	15.2
88	Henderson Co.	15.1
87	Lewis Co.	14.8
86	Marshall Co.	14.6

Labor Force Estimates - Local Workforce Investment Areas (LWIA)

April, 2009 pre.

	Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Unemp. Rate (%)		Rate Change		Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Unemp. Rate (%)		Rate Change
				Apr.	Mar.						Apr.	Mar.	
LWIA 1	180520	165010	15520	8.6	8.7	-0.1	LWIA 8	325,090	296,870	28,210	8.7	9.0	-0.4
Carter	29,780	26,920	2,860	9.6	10.1	-0.5	Cheatham	20,240	18,470	1,770	8.8	8.8	0.0
Johnson	7,380	6,550	830	11.2	12.1	-0.9	Dickson	23,610	20,950	2,660	11.2	12.0	-0.8
Sullivan	73,650	67,670	5,990	8.1	8.0	0.1	Houston	3,910	3,440	470	12.0	11.2	0.8
Unicoi	8,620	7,600	1,020	11.8	11.3	0.5	Humphreys	9,150	8,040	1,110	12.1	13.1	-1.0
Washington	61,090	56,270	4,820	7.9	8.1	-0.2	Montgomery	65,710	60,500	5,210	7.9	8.2	-0.3
							Robertson	32,980	29,600	3,380	10.3	10.6	-0.3
LWIA 2	214,010	187,920	26,100	12.2	13.1	-0.9	Stewart	5,740	5,100	630	11.0	11.6	-0.6
Claiborne	13,140	11,650	1,500	11.4	12.2	-0.8	Sumner	78,930	71,310	7,620	9.7	9.5	0.2
Cocke	17,160	14,880	2,280	13.3	15.1	-1.8	Williamson	84,820	79,460	5,360	6.3	7.2	-0.9
Grainger	10,420	9,010	1,410	13.5	13.9	-0.4							
Greene	31,130	26,370	4,760	15.3	15.2	0.1	LWIA 9	507,980	465,030	42,940	8.5	8.3	0.1
Hamblen	30,660	26,950	3,710	12.1	12.1	0.0	Davidson	318,160	292,590	25,570	8.0	7.9	0.1
Hancock	2,610	2,270	340	13.1	13.6	-0.5	Rutherford	129,560	117,610	11,940	9.2	9.2	0.0
Hawkins	27,240	23,980	3,260	12.0	11.0	1.0	Trousdale	3,690	3,250	440	12.0	12.7	-0.7
Jefferson	24,630	21,640	2,990	12.1	12.9	-0.8	Wilson	56,570	51,580	4,990	8.8	8.8	0.0
Sevier	48,240	43,290	4,950	10.3	13.3	-3.0							
Union	8,780	7,880	900	10.3	10.4	-0.1	LWIA 10	105,110	91,430	13,710	13.0	15.4	-2.4
							Giles	13,580	11,700	1,880	13.8	15.0	-1.2
LWIA 3	223,720	207,210	16,510	7.4	7.3	0.1	Hickman	10,170	8,940	1,240	12.1	12.5	-0.4
Knox	223,720	207,210	16,510	7.4	7.3	0.1	Lawrence	17,030	14,630	2,400	14.1	14.8	-0.7
							Lewis	5,430	4,630	800	14.8	16.7	-1.9
LWIA 4	223,220	198,650	24,570	11.0	11.0	0.0	Marshall	12,650	10,800	1,850	14.6	16.9	-2.3
Anderson	35,510	32,080	3,430	9.6	9.4	0.2	Mauzy	36,750	32,710	4,050	11.0	15.6	-4.6
Blount	62,520	56,410	6,110	9.8	10.0	-0.2	Perry	2,950	2,250	710	23.9	25.6	-1.7
Campbell	16,940	14,790	2,150	12.7	12.4	0.3	Wayne	6,550	5,770	780	11.8	12.8	-1.0
Cumberland	21,720	19,390	2,330	10.7	11.5	-0.8							
Loudon	23,110	20,910	2,200	9.5	9.3	0.2	LWIA 11	168,730	148,940	19,790	11.7	12.0	-0.2
Monroe	19,460	15,980	3,470	17.9	17.5	0.4	Benton	7,250	6,280	970	13.4	13.0	0.4
Morgan	8,540	7,570	970	11.4	11.2	0.2	Carroll	13,820	11,970	1,850	13.4	14.1	-0.7
Roane	27,070	24,700	2,380	8.8	8.4	0.4	Chester	7,770	7,010	760	9.8	10.2	-0.4
Scott	8,350	6,820	1,530	18.3	18.8	-0.5	Decatur	5,590	4,940	650	11.7	11.6	0.1
							Hardeman	11,540	10,230	1,300	11.3	11.4	-0.1
LWIA 5	286,690	259,270	27,400	9.6	9.5	0.1	Hardin	12,110	10,700	1,410	11.6	12.4	-0.8
Bledsoe	5,010	4,380	630	12.5	12.9	-0.4	Haywood	9,190	7,850	1,340	14.6	13.8	0.8
Bradley	46,330	42,040	4,290	9.3	9.4	-0.1	Henderson	12,630	10,720	1,910	15.1	15.5	-0.4
Hamilton	166,410	152,640	13,770	8.3	8.0	0.3	Henry	13,570	11,900	1,670	12.3	13.0	-0.7
Marion	13,090	11,650	1,440	11.0	10.7	0.3	Madison	48,320	43,520	4,810	9.9	9.6	0.3
McMinn	24,030	20,760	3,270	13.6	13.7	-0.1	McNairy	11,510	10,020	1,490	12.9	14.5	-1.6
Meigs	5,210	4,470	730	14.1	14.3	-0.2	Weakley	15,430	13,800	1,630	10.5	11.0	-0.5
Polk	7,060	6,180	870	12.4	13.5	-1.1							
Rhea	13,290	11,610	1,680	12.6	13.2	-0.6	LWIA 12	102,600	89,400	13,210	12.9	12.7	0.2
Sequatchie	6,260	5,540	720	11.4	11.2	0.2	Crockett	6,450	5,650	800	12.4	12.7	-0.3
							Dyer	17,810	15,490	2,330	13.1	12.5	0.6
LWIA 6	112,570	101,150	11,430	10.2	10.6	-0.4	Gibson	21,440	18,510	2,930	13.7	13.2	0.5
Bedford	22,720	20,280	2,440	10.7	11.2	-0.5	Lake	2,690	2,450	240	9.1	9.7	-0.6
Coffee	25,860	23,270	2,590	10.0	10.2	-0.2	Lauderdale	10,300	8,430	1,870	18.2	18.2	0.0
Franklin	20,030	18,080	1,950	9.7	10.1	-0.4	Obion	15,100	13,730	1,370	9.1	9.8	-0.7
Grundy	6,060	5,250	810	13.4	13.7	-0.3	Tipton	28,810	25,140	3,670	12.7	12.3	0.4
Lincoln	16,900	15,840	1,070	6.3	6.8	-0.5							
Moore	3,100	2,870	220	7.2	8.0	-0.8	LWIA 13	453,940	413,230	40,700	9.0	9.0	0.0
Warren	17,900	15,560	2,350	13.1	13.9	-0.8	Fayette	17,730	15,840	1,880	10.6	10.5	0.1
							Shelby	436,210	397,390	38,820	8.9	8.9	0.0
LWIA 7	110,910	97,780	13,130	11.8	12.2	-0.4	LWIA Total	3,015,090	2,721,890	293,220	9.7	9.9	-0.2
Cannon	6,470	5,730	730	11.3	11.2	0.1							
Clay	3,370	2,910	460	13.7	15.6	-1.9							
DeKalb	9,830	8,780	1,050	10.7	11.0	-0.3							
Fentress	7,750	6,760	990	12.7	13.7	-1.0							
Jackson	4,910	4,240	670	13.7	15.7	-2.0							
Macon	10,650	9,290	1,360	12.8	12.1	0.7							
Overton	9,920	8,610	1,310	13.2	14.1	-0.9							
Pickett	1,780	1,530	240	13.7	16.9	-3.2							
Putnam	34,170	31,000	3,170	9.3	9.3	0.0							
Smith	9,300	8,100	1,210	13.0	14.5	-1.5							
Van Buren	2,490	2,120	380	15.2	14.2	1.0							
White	10,270	8,710	1,560	15.2	14.6	0.6							

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Labor Force Estimates -- March 2009 (revised)

(seasonally adjusted)	Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Unemp. Rate (%)
United States	154,048,000	140,887,000	13,161,000	8.5
Tennessee	3,039,500	2,748,000	291,500	9.6

(not seasonally adjusted)	Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Unemp. Rate (%)
United States	153,728,000	139,833,000	13,895,000	9.0
Tennessee	3,017,500	2,718,300	299,300	9.9

Metropolitan Statistical Areas

Metropolitan Statistical Area	Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Unemp. Rate (%)
Chattanooga	264,380	240,470	23,910	9.0
Clarksville	107,460	96,970	10,490	9.8
Cleveland	53,630	48,300	5,330	9.9
Jackson	56,070	50,620	5,450	9.7
Johnson City	99,530	90,620	8,910	9.0
Kingsport-Bristol	146,310	133,390	12,920	8.8
Knoxville	353,150	324,190	28,950	8.2
Memphis	612,090	556,170	55,920	9.1
Morristown	65,780	57,430	8,360	12.7
Nashville-Murfreesboro	786,100	717,260	68,840	8.8

Counties

County	Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Unemp. Rate (%)
Anderson County	35,370	32,060	3,310	9.4
Bedford County	22,670	20,120	2,540	11.2
Benton County	7,230	6,290	940	13.0
Bledsoe County	5,000	4,350	650	12.9
Blount County	62,590	56,360	6,230	10.0
Bradley County	46,470	42,110	4,360	9.4
Campbell County	16,950	14,850	2,110	12.4
Cannon County	6,460	5,740	730	11.2
Carroll County	13,920	11,960	1,970	14.1
Carter County	29,870	26,870	3,010	10.1
Cheatham County	20,260	18,480	1,780	8.8
Chester County	7,820	7,020	800	10.2
Claiborne County	13,210	11,590	1,620	12.2
Clay County	3,400	2,870	530	15.6
Cocke County	17,370	14,750	2,620	15.1
Coffee County	25,950	23,310	2,640	10.2
Crockett County	6,320	5,520	800	12.7
Cumberland County	21,810	19,290	2,520	11.5
Davidson County	317,710	292,750	24,970	7.9
Decatur County	5,600	4,960	650	11.6
DeKalb County	9,860	8,780	1,080	11.0
Dickson County	23,820	20,960	2,860	12.0
Dyer County	17,760	15,550	2,220	12.5
Fayette County	17,710	15,860	1,850	10.5
Fentress County	7,790	6,730	1,070	13.7
Franklin County	20,140	18,110	2,040	10.1
Gibson County	21,320	18,500	2,820	13.2
Giles County	13,680	11,630	2,050	15.0
Grainger County	10,430	8,980	1,450	13.9
Greene County	31,350	26,590	4,760	15.2
Grundy County	6,080	5,240	830	13.7
Hamblen County	30,580	26,870	3,720	12.1
Hamilton County	166,150	152,920	13,230	8.0
Hancock County	2,590	2,240	350	13.6
Hardeman County	11,580	10,260	1,320	11.4
Hardin County	12,240	10,730	1,520	12.4
Hawkins County	26,970	23,990	2,980	11.0
Haywood County	9,050	7,800	1,250	13.8

Counties	Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Unemp. Rate (%)
Henderson County	12,640	10,670	1,960	15.5
Henry County	13,570	11,800	1,770	13.0
Hickman County	10,220	8,940	1,280	12.5
Houston County	3,860	3,430	430	11.2
Humphreys County	9,200	8,000	1,210	13.1
Jackson County	5,020	4,230	790	15.7
Jefferson County	24,770	21,580	3,190	12.9
Johnson County	7,440	6,540	900	12.1
Knox County	223,370	207,020	16,350	7.3
Lake County	2,680	2,420	260	9.7
Lauderdale County	10,280	8,410	1,870	18.2
Lawrence County	16,980	14,460	2,520	14.8
Lewis County	5,500	4,580	920	16.7
Lincoln County	16,970	15,820	1,160	6.8
Loudon County	23,030	20,890	2,140	9.3
Macon County	10,580	9,300	1,290	12.1
Madison County	48,250	43,600	4,650	9.6
Marion County	13,080	11,680	1,410	10.7
Marshall County	12,910	10,740	2,180	16.9
Mauri County	37,040	31,280	5,760	15.6
McMinn County	24,150	20,830	3,320	13.7
McNairy County	11,780	10,070	1,700	14.5
Meigs County	5,200	4,460	750	14.3
Monroe County	19,340	15,950	3,390	17.5
Montgomery County	65,680	60,290	5,400	8.2
Moore County	3,130	2,880	250	8.0
Morgan County	8,470	7,520	950	11.2
Obion County	15,180	13,690	1,490	9.8
Overton County	10,020	8,610	1,420	14.1
Perry County	3,000	2,230	770	25.6
Pickett County	1,780	1,480	300	16.9
Polk County	7,160	6,190	970	13.5
Putnam County	34,170	30,990	3,170	9.3
Rhea County	13,320	11,560	1,760	13.2
Roane County	26,860	24,600	2,260	8.4
Robertson County	33,130	29,610	3,510	10.6
Rutherford County	129,630	117,680	11,960	9.2
Scott County	8,350	6,780	1,570	18.8
Sequatchie County	6,250	5,550	700	11.2
Sevier County	48,460	42,020	6,440	13.3
Shelby County	436,530	397,720	38,820	8.9
Smith County	9,480	8,100	1,380	14.5
Stewart County	5,750	5,090	670	11.6
Sullivan County	73,540	67,690	5,850	8.0
Sumner County	78,860	71,340	7,520	9.5
Tipton County	28,700	25,170	3,530	12.3
Trousdale County	3,730	3,250	470	12.7
Unicoi County	8,560	7,590	970	11.3
Union County	8,780	7,870	920	10.4
Van Buren County	2,480	2,130	350	14.2
Warren County	17,890	15,410	2,480	13.9
Washington County	61,100	56,160	4,940	8.1
Wayne County	6,620	5,780	850	12.8
Weakley County	15,540	13,830	1,710	11.0
White County	10,250	8,760	1,500	14.6
Williamson County	85,630	79,500	6,130	7.2
Wilson County	56,600	51,610	4,990	8.8

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