

Labor Force Estimates - United States & Tennessee

<i>Seasonally Adjusted*</i>	November, 2011 preliminary				Oct. '11 revised		Nov. '10	
	Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate	Rate	Change	Rate	Change
UNITED STATES	153,883,000	140,580,000	13,303,000	8.6%	9.0%	-0.4%	9.8%	-1.2%
TENNESSEE	3,111,800	2,829,000	282,800	9.1%	9.5%	-0.4%	9.4%	-0.3%

* 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	153,683,000	141,070,000	12,613,000	8.2%	8.5%	-0.3%	9.3%	-1.1%
TENNESSEE	3,118,800	2,856,400	262,500	8.4%	8.9%	-0.4%	9.3%	-0.9%

Labor Force Estimates - Combined Statistical Areas (CSA)

	November, 2011 pre.				Oct. '11 rev.	
	Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate	Rate	Change
Chattanooga-Cleveland-Athens, TN-GA CSA	341,810	315,060	26,740	7.8	8.2	-0.4
Athens Micropolitan Area (McMinn Co.)	23,480	21,000	2,480	10.5	10.9	-0.4
Chattanooga, TN-GA MSA	263,490	243,830	19,670	7.5	7.9	-0.4
Cleveland, TN MSA	54,830	50,230	4,600	8.4	8.8	-0.4
Jackson-Humboldt, TN CSA	78,040	70,340	7,690	9.9	10.2	-0.3
Humboldt Micropolitan Area (Gibson Co.)	21,630	18,980	2,650	12.3	12.8	-0.5
Jackson, TN MSA	56,400	51,370	5,040	8.9	9.3	-0.4
Johnson City-Kingsport-Bristol, TN-VA CSA	251,660	233,260	18,400	7.3	7.7	-0.4
Johnson City, TN MSA	102,010	94,430	7,580	7.4	7.8	-0.4
Kingsport-Bristol, TN-VA MSA	149,650	138,840	10,810	7.2	7.6	-0.4
Knoxville-Sevierville-Harriman-LaFollette, TN CSA	548,770	507,640	41,140	7.5	7.8	-0.3
Harriman Micropolitan Area (Roane Co.)	28,150	26,100	2,050	7.3	7.8	-0.5
Knoxville, TN MSA	374,040	349,270	24,780	6.6	7.0	-0.4
LaFollette Micropolitan Area (Campbell Co.)	16,820	15,090	1,730	10.3	10.5	-0.2
Morristown, TN MSA	64,200	57,720	6,480	10.1	10.3	-0.2
Newport Micropolitan Area (Cocke Co.)	16,250	14,260	1,990	12.2	12.0	0.2
Sevierville Micropolitan Area (Sevier Co.)	49,320	45,190	4,120	8.4	8.4	0.0
Nashville-Murfreesboro-Columbia, TN CSA	876,360	811,900	64,460	7.4	7.8	-0.4
Columbia Micropolitan Area (Maury Co.)	35,350	31,430	3,920	11.1	12.1	-1.0
Nashville-Murfreesboro, TN MSA	841,010	780,470	60,540	7.2	7.6	-0.4
Union City-Martin, TN-KY CSA	34,280	29,540	4,750	13.8	14.5	-0.7
Martin Micropolitan Area (Weakley Co.)	16,140	14,130	2,010	12.4	13.4	-1.0
Union City Micropolitan Area, TN-KY	18,140	15,400	2,740	15.1	15.6	-0.5

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Labor Force Estimates - Metropolitan Statistical Areas (MSA)

	November, 2011 pre.				Oct. '11 rev.		Nov. '10	
	Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate	Rate	Change	Rate	Change
Chattanooga, TN-GA MSA	263,490	243,830	19,670	7.5	7.9	-0.4	8.4	-0.9
Hamilton County	168,670	156,130	12,540	7.4	7.8	-0.4	8.0	-0.6
Marion County	12,900	11,650	1,260	9.7	9.6	0.1	9.7	0.0
Sequatchie County	6,350	5,780	570	9.0	8.1	0.9	9.1	-0.1
Georgia Portion	75,570	70,270	5,300	7.0	7.7	-0.7	8.9	-1.9
Clarksville, TN-KY MSA	116,050	105,590	10,460	9.0	9.4	-0.4	9.9	-0.9
Montgomery County	73,850	67,200	6,650	9.0	9.3	-0.3	9.6	-0.6
Stewart County	6,170	5,540	620	10.1	9.7	0.4	11.5	-1.4
Kentucky Portion	36,030	32,850	3,180	8.8	9.7	-0.9	10.1	-1.3
Cleveland, TN MSA	54,830	50,230	4,600	8.4	8.8	-0.4	9.2	-0.8
Bradley County	47,620	43,930	3,680	7.7	8.3	-0.6	8.8	-1.1
Polk County	7,220	6,300	920	12.7	11.6	1.1	12.1	0.6
Jackson, TN MSA	56,400	51,370	5,040	8.9	9.3	-0.4	9.5	-0.6
Chester County	7,820	7,140	680	8.7	8.8	-0.1	9.8	-1.1
Madison County	48,590	44,230	4,360	9.0	9.3	-0.3	9.4	-0.4
Johnson City, TN MSA	102,010	94,430	7,580	7.4	7.8	-0.4	8.5	-1.1
Carter County	29,810	27,370	2,440	8.2	8.4	-0.2	9.9	-1.7
Unicoi County	8,490	7,770	730	8.5	8.6	-0.1	9.7	-1.2
Washington County	63,710	59,290	4,420	6.9	7.4	-0.5	7.7	-0.8
Kingsport-Bristol, TN-VA MSA	149,650	138,840	10,810	7.2	7.6	-0.4	8.2	-1.0
Hawkins County	27,320	25,280	2,040	7.5	7.7	-0.2	8.8	-1.3
Sullivan County	76,310	70,900	5,400	7.1	7.4	-0.3	7.7	-0.6
Virginia Portion	46,030	42,660	3,370	7.3	7.9	-0.6	8.8	-1.5
Knoxville, TN MSA	374,040	349,270	24,780	6.6	7.0	-0.4	7.4	-0.8
Anderson County	37,160	34,290	2,870	7.7	8.1	-0.4	8.5	-0.8
Blount County	64,940	60,620	4,320	6.7	7.0	-0.3	7.7	-1.0
Knox County	238,430	223,430	15,000	6.3	6.7	-0.4	7.1	-0.8
Loudon County	24,290	22,550	1,750	7.2	7.7	-0.5	8.1	-0.9
Union County	9,220	8,390	840	9.1	8.5	0.6	9.1	-0.0
Memphis, TN-MS-AR MSA	628,630	570,630	58,010	9.2	10.0	-0.8	9.7	-0.5
Fayette County	18,480	16,590	1,890	10.2	14.0	-3.8	10.9	-0.7
Shelby County	445,290	403,460	41,820	9.4	10.0	-0.6	9.9	-0.5
Tipton County	28,720	26,040	2,680	9.3	10.1	-0.8	10.7	-1.4
Arkansas Portion	22,310	19,760	2,540	11.4	10.4	1.0	11.4	0.0
Mississippi Portion	113,840	104,770	9,070	8.0	8.9	-0.9	8.4	-0.4
Morristown, TN MSA	64,200	57,720	6,480	10.1	10.3	-0.2	10.8	-0.7
Grainger County	9,940	8,950	990	9.9	10.9	-1.0	11.0	-1.1
Hamblen County	29,790	26,930	2,870	9.6	9.7	-0.1	10.5	-0.9
Jefferson County	24,470	21,840	2,620	10.7	10.7	0.0	11.1	-0.4
Nashville-Murfreesboro, TN MSA	841,010	780,470	60,540	7.2	7.6	-0.4	8.2	-1.0
Cannon County	6,700	6,190	510	7.6	8.0	-0.4	9.9	-2.3
Cheatham County	21,330	19,710	1,620	7.6	8.2	-0.6	8.9	-1.3
Davidson County	338,870	314,130	24,740	7.3	7.8	-0.5	8.4	-1.1
Dickson County	24,530	22,330	2,200	9.0	9.2	-0.2	9.7	-0.7
Hickman County	10,370	9,370	1,000	9.6	9.4	0.2	10.3	-0.7
Macon County	10,860	9,950	920	8.4	8.2	0.2	9.4	-1.0
Robertson County	35,160	32,560	2,600	7.4	7.9	-0.5	8.2	-0.8
Rutherford County	141,090	131,020	10,080	7.1	7.6	-0.5	8.1	-1.0
Smith County	9,370	8,630	740	7.9	8.6	-0.7	7.9	-0.0
Sumner County	83,640	77,570	6,070	7.3	7.5	-0.2	8.2	-0.9
Trousdale County	3,840	3,490	350	9.0	9.3	-0.3	9.6	-0.6
Williamson County	93,920	88,510	5,410	5.8	6.3	-0.5	6.5	-0.7
Wilson County	61,340	57,030	4,310	7.0	7.3	-0.3	7.8	-0.8

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Labor Force Estimates - Metropolitan Statistical Areas

	November, 2011 pre.				Oct. '11 rev.		Nov. '10	
	Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate	Rate	Change	Rate	Change
Athens (McMinn Co.)	23,480	21,000	2,480	10.5	10.9	-0.4	12.0	-1.5
Brownsville (Haywood Co.)	8,980	7,880	1,100	12.2	12.7	-0.5	14.2	-2.0
Columbia (Maury Co.)	35,350	31,430	3,920	11.1	12.1	-1.0	13.9	-2.8
Cookeville	52,160	47,940	4,220	8.1	8.5	-0.4	8.9	-0.8
Jackson Co.	5,090	4,540	550	10.7	10.8	-0.1	10.2	0.5
Overton Co.	10,050	9,200	850	8.4	8.8	-0.4	9.7	-1.3
Putnam Co.	37,020	34,190	2,830	7.6	8.2	-0.6	8.5	-0.9
Crossville (Cumberland Co.)	23,390	21,240	2,150	9.2	9.2	0.0	10.1	-0.9
Dyersburg (Dyer Co.)	17,230	15,110	2,130	12.3	12.8	-0.5	13.0	-0.7
Greeneville (Greene Co.)	29,820	26,730	3,090	10.4	11.0	-0.6	11.8	-1.4
Harriman (Roane Co.)	28,150	26,100	2,050	7.3	7.8	-0.5	7.5	-0.2
Humboldt (Gibson Co.)	21,630	18,980	2,650	12.3	12.8	-0.5	12.3	-0.0
LaFollette (Campbell Co.)	16,820	15,090	1,730	10.3	10.5	-0.2	11.7	-1.4
Lawrenceburg (Lawrence Co.)	16,530	14,650	1,870	11.3	12.0	-0.7	13.2	-1.9
Lewisburg (Marshall Co.)	12,120	10,580	1,550	12.8	13.1	-0.3	15.7	-2.9
Martin (Weakley Co.)	16,140	14,130	2,010	12.4	13.4	-1.0	10.9	1.5
McMinnville (Warren Co.)	17,310	15,570	1,740	10.0	10.4	-0.4	10.7	-0.7
Newport (Cocke Co.)	16,250	14,260	1,990	12.2	12.0	0.2	12.6	-0.4
Paris (Henry Co.)	14,010	12,540	1,470	10.5	10.9	-0.4	11.7	-1.2
Sevierville (Sevier Co.)	49,320	45,190	4,120	8.4	8.4	0.0	9.2	-0.8
Shelbyville (Bedford Co.)	23,110	20,970	2,140	9.2	9.8	-0.6	11.1	-1.9
Tullahoma	48,670	44,430	4,240	8.7	9.0	-0.3	9.9	-1.2
Coffee Co.	25,890	23,530	2,370	9.1	9.1	0.0	9.9	-0.8
Franklin Co.	19,710	18,050	1,650	8.4	9.2	-0.8	10.0	-1.6
Moore Co.	3,070	2,850	220	7.2	7.8	-0.6	8.4	-1.2
Union City, TN-KY	18,140	15,400	2,740	15.1	15.6	-0.5	10.0	5.1
Obion Co.	15,540	13,170	2,370	15.2	15.6	-0.4	9.5	5.7
Kentucky portion (Fulton Co.)	2,610	2,240	370	14.2	15.5	-1.3	12.6	1.6

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

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Labor Force Estimates - Tennessee Counties

	November, 2011 pre.				Oct. '11 rev.		Nov. '10	
	Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate	Rate	Change	Rate	Change
Anderson County	37,160	34,290	2,870	7.7	8.1	-0.4	8.5	-0.8
Bedford County	23,110	20,970	2,140	9.2	9.8	-0.6	11.1	-1.9
Benton County	7,120	6,430	690	9.7	10.3	-0.6	11.3	-1.6
Bledsoe County	4,980	4,490	490	9.9	10.5	-0.6	11.4	-1.5
Blount County	64,940	60,620	4,320	6.7	7.0	-0.3	7.7	-1.0
Bradley County	47,620	43,930	3,680	7.7	8.3	-0.6	8.8	-1.1
Campbell County	16,820	15,090	1,730	10.3	10.5	-0.2	11.7	-1.4
Cannon County	6,700	6,190	510	7.6	8.0	-0.4	9.9	-2.3
Carroll County	13,420	11,830	1,580	11.8	12.1	-0.3	13.2	-1.4
Carter County	29,810	27,370	2,440	8.2	8.4	-0.2	9.9	-1.7
Cheatham County	21,330	19,710	1,620	7.6	8.2	-0.6	8.9	-1.3
Chester County	7,820	7,140	680	8.7	8.8	-0.1	9.8	-1.1
Claiborne County	12,990	11,620	1,370	10.5	10.8	-0.3	10.5	0.0
Clay County	3,390	3,030	360	10.6	10.3	0.3	11.9	-1.3
Cocke County	16,250	14,260	1,990	12.2	12.0	0.2	12.6	-0.4
Coffee County	25,890	23,530	2,370	9.1	9.1	0.0	9.9	-0.8
Crockett County	6,970	6,280	700	10.0	10.5	-0.5	12.1	-2.1
Cumberland County	23,390	21,240	2,150	9.2	9.2	0.0	10.1	-0.9
Davidson County	338,870	314,130	24,740	7.3	7.8	-0.5	8.4	-1.1
Decatur County	5,690	5,100	590	10.4	10.7	-0.3	11.2	-0.8
DeKalb County	10,090	9,260	830	8.3	8.7	-0.4	9.0	-0.7
Dickson County	24,530	22,330	2,200	9.0	9.2	-0.2	9.7	-0.7
Dyer County	17,230	15,110	2,130	12.3	12.8	-0.5	13.0	-0.7
Fayette County	18,480	16,590	1,890	10.2	14.0	-3.8	10.9	-0.7
Fentress County	8,000	7,240	760	9.5	10.0	-0.5	10.9	-1.4
Franklin County	19,710	18,050	1,650	8.4	9.2	-0.8	10.0	-1.6
Gibson County	21,630	18,980	2,650	12.3	12.8	-0.5	12.3	-0.0
Giles County	13,470	12,170	1,300	9.7	10.1	-0.4	11.7	-2.0
Grainger County	9,940	8,950	990	9.9	10.9	-1.0	11.0	-1.1
Greene County	29,820	26,730	3,090	10.4	11.0	-0.6	11.8	-1.4
Grundy County	6,060	5,420	640	10.6	10.9	-0.3	11.5	-0.9
Hamblen County	29,790	26,930	2,870	9.6	9.7	-0.1	10.5	-0.9
Hamilton County	168,670	156,130	12,540	7.4	7.8	-0.4	8.0	-0.6
Hancock County	2,530	2,230	300	11.7	11.9	-0.2	14.4	-2.7
Hardeman County	11,050	9,740	1,300	11.8	12.4	-0.6	12.9	-1.1
Hardin County	12,090	10,910	1,180	9.8	9.9	-0.1	11.0	-1.2
Hawkins County	27,320	25,280	2,040	7.5	7.7	-0.2	8.8	-1.3
Haywood County	8,980	7,880	1,100	12.2	12.7	-0.5	14.2	-2.0
Henderson County	11,550	10,200	1,360	11.7	12.2	-0.5	13.8	-2.1
Henry County	14,010	12,540	1,470	10.5	10.9	-0.4	11.7	-1.2
Hickman County	10,370	9,370	1,000	9.6	9.4	0.2	10.3	-0.7
Houston County	4,080	3,740	340	8.4	8.6	-0.2	10.0	-1.6
Humphreys County	9,460	8,610	840	8.9	9.4	-0.5	10.3	-1.4
Jackson County	5,090	4,540	550	10.7	10.8	-0.1	10.2	0.5
Jefferson County	24,470	21,840	2,620	10.7	10.7	0.0	11.1	-0.4
Johnson County	7,400	6,630	770	10.5	11.4	-0.9	12.1	-1.6
Knox County	238,430	223,430	15,000	6.3	6.7	-0.4	7.1	-0.8
Lake County	2,820	2,510	310	11.0	11.2	-0.2	10.8	0.2

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 12/20/11 and with metro/county data on 1/4/12.

Labor Force Estimates - Tennessee Counties (continued)

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	Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate	Rate	Change	Rate	Change
Lauderdale County	9,920	8,660	1,260	12.7	13.2	-0.5	14.8	-2.1
Lawrence County	16,530	14,650	1,870	11.3	12.0	-0.7	13.2	-1.9
Lewis County	5,490	4,890	600	10.9	11.1	-0.2	13.6	-2.7
Lincoln County	17,810	16,810	1,000	5.6	5.8	-0.2	6.0	-0.4
Loudon County	24,290	22,550	1,750	7.2	7.7	-0.5	8.1	-0.9
Macon County	10,860	9,950	920	8.4	8.2	0.2	9.4	-1.0
Madison County	48,590	44,230	4,360	9.0	9.3	-0.3	9.4	-0.4
Marion County	12,900	11,650	1,260	9.7	9.6	0.1	9.7	0.0
Marshall County	12,120	10,580	1,550	12.8	13.1	-0.3	15.7	-2.9
Mauzy County	35,350	31,430	3,920	11.1	12.1	-1.0	13.9	-2.8
McMinn County	23,480	21,000	2,480	10.5	10.9	-0.4	12.0	-1.5
McNairy County	10,840	9,810	1,040	9.6	9.8	-0.2	11.5	-1.9
Meigs County	5,240	4,650	590	11.3	11.1	0.2	12.2	-0.9
Monroe County	18,570	16,380	2,190	11.8	12.1	-0.3	13.0	-1.2
Montgomery County	73,850	67,200	6,650	9.0	9.3	-0.3	9.6	-0.6
Moore County	3,070	2,850	220	7.2	7.8	-0.6	8.4	-1.2
Morgan County	8,930	8,090	840	9.4	10.1	-0.7	9.9	-0.5
Obion County	15,540	13,170	2,370	15.2	15.6	-0.4	9.5	5.7
Overton County	10,050	9,200	850	8.4	8.8	-0.4	9.7	-1.3
Perry County	2,730	2,400	340	12.3	12.7	-0.4	14.2	-1.9
Pickett County	1,900	1,620	270	14.5	13.7	0.8	14.8	-0.3
Polk County	7,220	6,300	920	12.7	11.6	1.1	12.1	0.6
Putnam County	37,020	34,190	2,830	7.6	8.2	-0.6	8.5	-0.9
Rhea County	13,360	11,750	1,610	12.1	11.6	0.5	11.9	0.2
Roane County	28,150	26,100	2,050	7.3	7.8	-0.5	7.5	-0.2
Robertson County	35,160	32,560	2,600	7.4	7.9	-0.5	8.2	-0.8
Rutherford County	141,090	131,020	10,080	7.1	7.6	-0.5	8.1	-1.0
Scott County	8,070	6,650	1,420	17.6	18.1	-0.5	19.0	-1.4
Sequatchie County	6,350	5,780	570	9.0	8.1	0.9	9.1	-0.1
Sevier County	49,320	45,190	4,120	8.4	8.4	0.0	9.2	-0.8
Shelby County	445,290	403,460	41,820	9.4	10.0	-0.6	9.9	-0.5
Smith County	9,370	8,630	740	7.9	8.6	-0.7	7.9	-0.0
Stewart County	6,170	5,540	620	10.1	9.7	0.4	11.5	-1.4
Sullivan County	76,310	70,900	5,400	7.1	7.4	-0.3	7.7	-0.6
Sumner County	83,640	77,570	6,070	7.3	7.5	-0.2	8.2	-0.9
Tipton County	28,720	26,040	2,680	9.3	10.1	-0.8	10.7	-1.4
Trousdale County	3,840	3,490	350	9.0	9.3	-0.3	9.6	-0.6
Unicoi County	8,490	7,770	730	8.5	8.6	-0.1	9.7	-1.2
Union County	9,220	8,390	840	9.1	8.5	0.6	9.1	-0.0
Van Buren County	2,410	2,170	240	10.0	10.6	-0.6	11.7	-1.7
Warren County	17,310	15,570	1,740	10.0	10.4	-0.4	10.7	-0.7
Washington County	63,710	59,290	4,420	6.9	7.4	-0.5	7.7	-0.8
Wayne County	6,710	6,010	700	10.5	10.7	-0.2	11.7	-1.2
Weakley County	16,140	14,130	2,010	12.4	13.4	-1.0	10.9	1.5
White County	11,140	10,010	1,130	10.1	10.7	-0.6	11.3	-1.2
Williamson County	93,920	88,510	5,410	5.8	6.3	-0.5	6.5	-0.7
Wilson County	61,340	57,030	4,310	7.0	7.3	-0.3	7.8	-0.8

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County Unemployment Rate Change:

(October, 2011 to November, 2011)

Rate decreased in 79 counties

Rate increased in 12 counties

Rate remained the same in 4 counties

County Unemployment Rate Range:

(November, 2011)

Rate is less than 5.0% in 0 counties

Rate is 5.0% or greater, but less than 10.0% in 54 counties

Rate is 10.0% or greater in 41 counties

Rate is 20.0% or greater in 0 counties

Labor Force Estimates - Tennessee Cities *

	November, 2011 pre.				Oct. '11 rev.		Nov. '10	
	Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate	Rate	Change	Rate	Change
Bartlett	26,360	24,430	1,930	7.3	7.8	-0.5	8.1	-0.8
Brentwood	18,340	17,350	990	5.4	5.7	-0.3	5.8	-0.4
Bristol	13,150	12,070	1,090	8.3	9.1	-0.8	7.8	0.5
Chattanooga	80,940	74,260	6,680	8.2	8.6	-0.4	8.7	-0.5
Clarksville	55,300	50,140	5,160	9.3	9.6	-0.3	9.6	-0.3
Cleveland	19,060	17,440	1,630	8.5	9.2	-0.7	9.5	-1.0
Collierville	20,410	19,030	1,380	6.8	8.4	-1.6	6.7	0.1
Columbia	14,290	12,540	1,740	12.2	13.2	-1.0	15.3	-3.1
Cookeville	15,520	14,360	1,160	7.4	7.8	-0.4	8.8	-1.4
Franklin	33,230	31,310	1,920	5.8	6.5	-0.7	6.8	-1.0
Gallatin	14,400	13,150	1,250	8.7	9.3	-0.6	9.2	-0.5
Germantown	21,300	20,160	1,140	5.4	5.8	-0.4	6.2	-0.8
Hendersonville	26,690	24,870	1,830	6.8	7.2	-0.4	8.3	-1.5
Jackson	30,450	27,420	3,030	10.0	10.5	-0.5	10.3	-0.3
Johnson City	33,240	30,930	2,320	7.0	7.6	-0.6	7.9	-0.9
Kingsport	19,650	18,100	1,550	7.9	8.0	-0.1	8.6	-0.7
Knoxville	96,430	89,130	7,300	7.6	7.9	-0.3	8.2	-0.6
LaVergne	18,140	16,690	1,450	8.0	8.4	-0.4	8.9	-0.9
Lebanon	12,800	11,660	1,150	9.0	9.2	-0.2	9.2	-0.2
Maryville	13,340	12,430	900	6.8	7.0	-0.2	8.2	-1.4
Memphis	313,650	281,800	31,850	10.2	10.8	-0.6	10.7	-0.5
Morristown	12,750	11,300	1,440	11.3	11.3	0.0	11.4	-0.1
Murfreesboro	57,330	53,090	4,240	7.4	7.9	-0.5	8.4	-1.0
Nashville	338,870	314,130	24,740	7.3	7.8	-0.5	8.4	-1.1
Oak Ridge	13,910	12,870	1,050	7.5	7.7	-0.2	7.8	-0.3
Smyrna	22,390	20,660	1,740	7.8	8.3	-0.5	9.0	-1.2
Spring Hill	13,940	12,820	1,120	8.0	8.7	-0.7	8.6	-0.6

*Cities have a population of more than 25,000.

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Lowest County Unemployment Rates

Rank	County	Nov. pre. Rate (%)
1	Lincoln Co.	5.6
2	Williamson Co.	5.8
3	Knox Co.	6.3
4	Blount Co.	6.7
5	Washington Co.	6.9
6	Wilson Co.	7.0
7	Sullivan Co.	7.1
8	Rutherford Co.	7.1
9	Loudon Co.	7.2
10	Moore Co.	7.2

Highest County Unemployment Rates

Rank	County	Nov. pre. Rate (%)
95	Scott Co.	17.6
94	Obion Co.	15.2
93	Pickett Co.	14.5
92	Marshall Co.	12.8
91	Lauderdale Co.	12.7
90	Polk Co.	12.7
89	Weakley Co.	12.4
88	Dyer Co.	12.3
87	Perry Co.	12.3
86	Gibson Co.	12.3

Labor Force Estimates - Local Workforce Investment Areas (LWIA)

November, 2011 preliminary

	Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Unemp. Rate (%)		Rate Change	Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Unemp. Rate (%)		Rate Change	
				Nov.	Oct.					Nov.	Oct.		
LWIA 1	185720	171960	13760	7.4	7.8	-0.3	LWIA 8	352,140	325,770	26,350	7.5	7.9	-0.4
Carter	29,810	27,370	2,440	8.2	8.4	-0.2	Cheatham	21,330	19,710	1,620	7.6	8.2	-0.6
Johnson	7,400	6,630	770	10.5	11.4	-0.9	Dickson	24,530	22,330	2,200	9.0	9.2	-0.2
Sullivan	76,310	70,900	5,400	7.1	7.4	-0.3	Houston	4,080	3,740	340	8.4	8.6	-0.2
Unicoi	8,490	7,770	730	8.5	8.6	-0.1	Humphreys	9,460	8,610	840	8.9	9.4	-0.5
Washington	63,710	59,290	4,420	6.9	7.4	-0.5	Montgomery	73,850	67,200	6,650	9.0	9.3	-0.3
							Robertson	35,160	32,560	2,600	7.4	7.9	-0.5
LWIA 2	211,650	191,420	20,230	9.6	9.7	-0.2	Stewart	6,170	5,540	620	10.1	9.7	0.4
Claiborne	12,990	11,620	1,370	10.5	10.8	-0.3	Summer	83,640	77,570	6,070	7.3	7.5	-0.2
Cocke	16,250	14,260	1,990	12.2	12.0	0.2	Williamson	93,920	88,510	5,410	5.8	6.3	-0.5
Grainger	9,940	8,950	990	9.9	10.9	-1.0							
Greene	29,820	26,730	3,090	10.4	11.0	-0.6	LWIA 9	545,140	505,670	39,480	7.2	7.7	-0.5
Hamblen	29,790	26,930	2,870	9.6	9.7	-0.1	Davidson	338,870	314,130	24,740	7.3	7.8	-0.5
Hancock	2,530	2,230	300	11.7	11.9	-0.2	Rutherford	141,090	131,020	10,080	7.1	7.6	-0.5
Hawkins	27,320	25,280	2,040	7.5	7.7	-0.2	Trousdale	3,840	3,490	350	9.0	9.3	-0.3
Jefferson	24,470	21,840	2,620	10.7	10.7	0.0	Wilson	61,340	57,030	4,310	7.0	7.3	-0.3
Sevier	49,320	45,190	4,120	8.4	8.4	0.0							
Union	9,220	8,390	840	9.1	8.5	0.6	LWIA 10	102,770	91,500	11,280	11.0	11.5	-0.6
							Giles	13,470	12,170	1,300	9.7	10.1	-0.4
LWIA 3	238,430	223,430	15,000	6.3	6.7	-0.4	Hickman	10,370	9,370	1,000	9.6	9.4	0.2
Knox	238,430	223,430	15,000	6.3	6.7	-0.4	Lawrence	16,530	14,650	1,870	11.3	12.0	-0.7
							Lewis	5,490	4,890	600	10.9	11.1	-0.2
LWIA 4	230,320	211,010	19,320	8.4	8.8	-0.4	Marshall	12,120	10,580	1,550	12.8	13.1	-0.3
Anderson	37,160	34,290	2,870	7.7	8.1	-0.4	Mauzy	35,350	31,430	3,920	11.1	12.1	-1.0
Blount	64,940	60,620	4,320	6.7	7.0	-0.3	Perry	2,730	2,400	340	12.3	12.7	-0.4
Campbell	16,820	15,090	1,730	10.3	10.5	-0.2	Wayne	6,710	6,010	700	10.5	10.7	-0.2
Cumberland	23,390	21,240	2,150	9.2	9.2	0.0							
Loudon	24,290	22,550	1,750	7.2	7.7	-0.5	LWIA 11	116,610	105,010	11,610	10.0	10.3	-0.4
Monroe	18,570	16,380	2,190	11.8	12.1	-0.3	Chester	7,820	7,140	680	8.7	8.8	-0.1
Morgan	8,930	8,090	840	9.4	10.1	-0.7	Decatur	5,690	5,100	590	10.4	10.7	-0.3
Roane	28,150	26,100	2,050	7.3	7.8	-0.5	Hardeman	11,050	9,740	1,300	11.8	12.4	-0.6
Scott	8,070	6,650	1,420	17.6	18.1	-0.5	Hardin	12,090	10,910	1,180	9.8	9.9	-0.1
							Haywood	8,980	7,880	1,100	12.2	12.7	-0.5
LWIA 5	289,820	265,680	24,140	8.3	8.6	-0.3	Henderson	11,550	10,200	1,360	11.7	12.2	-0.5
Bledsoe	4,980	4,490	490	9.9	10.5	-0.6	Madison	48,590	44,230	4,360	9.0	9.3	-0.3
Bradley	47,620	43,930	3,680	7.7	8.3	-0.6	McNairy	10,840	9,810	1,040	9.6	9.8	-0.2
Hamilton	168,670	156,130	12,540	7.4	7.8	-0.4							
Marion	12,900	11,650	1,260	9.7	9.6	0.1	LWIA 12	153,520	135,680	17,850	11.6	12.2	-0.6
McMinn	23,480	21,000	2,480	10.5	10.9	-0.4	Benton	7,120	6,430	690	9.7	10.3	-0.6
Meigs	5,240	4,650	590	11.3	11.1	0.2	Carroll	13,420	11,830	1,580	11.8	12.1	-0.3
Polk	7,220	6,300	920	12.7	11.6	1.1	Crockett	6,970	6,280	700	10.0	10.5	-0.5
Rhea	13,360	11,750	1,610	12.1	11.6	0.5	Dyer	17,230	15,110	2,130	12.3	12.8	-0.5
Sequatchie	6,350	5,780	570	9.0	8.1	0.9	Gibson	21,630	18,980	2,650	12.3	12.8	-0.5
							Henry	14,010	12,540	1,470	10.5	10.9	-0.4
LWIA 6	112,960	103,200	9,760	8.6	9.0	-0.4	Lake	2,820	2,510	310	11.0	11.2	-0.2
Bedford	23,110	20,970	2,140	9.2	9.8	-0.6	Lauderdale	9,920	8,660	1,260	12.7	13.2	-0.5
Coffee	25,890	23,530	2,370	9.1	9.1	0.0	Obion	15,540	13,170	2,370	15.2	15.6	-0.4
Franklin	19,710	18,050	1,650	8.4	9.2	-0.8	Tipton	28,720	26,040	2,680	9.3	10.1	-0.8
Grundy	6,060	5,420	640	10.6	10.9	-0.3	Weakley	16,140	14,130	2,010	12.4	13.4	-1.0
Lincoln	17,810	16,810	1,000	5.6	5.8	-0.2							
Moore	3,070	2,850	220	7.2	7.8	-0.6	LWIA 13	463,770	420,050	43,710	9.4	10.2	-0.8
Warren	17,310	15,570	1,740	10.0	10.4	-0.4	Fayette	18,480	16,590	1,890	10.2	14.0	-3.8
							Shelby	445,290	403,460	41,820	9.4	10.0	-0.6
LWIA 7	116,020	106,030	9,990	8.6	9.0	-0.4	LWIA Total	3,118,870	2,856,410	262,480	8.4	8.9	-0.4
Cannon	6,700	6,190	510	7.6	8.0	-0.4							
Clay	3,390	3,030	360	10.6	10.3	0.3							
DeKalb	10,090	9,260	830	8.3	8.7	-0.4							
Fentress	8,000	7,240	760	9.5	10.0	-0.5							
Jackson	5,090	4,540	550	10.7	10.8	-0.1							
Macon	10,860	9,950	920	8.4	8.2	0.2							
Overton	10,050	9,200	850	8.4	8.8	-0.4							
Pickett	1,900	1,620	270	14.5	13.7	0.8							
Putnam	37,020	34,190	2,830	7.6	8.2	-0.6							
Smith	9,370	8,630	740	7.9	8.6	-0.7							
Van Buren	2,410	2,170	240	10.0	10.6	-0.6							
White	11,140	10,010	1,130	10.1	10.7	-0.6							

Numbers may not add due to rounding.

Labor Force Estimates -- October 2011 (revised)

(seasonally adjusted)	Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Unemp. Rate (%)
United States	154,198,000	140,302,000	13,897,000	9.0
Tennessee	3,112,400	2,815,500	296,900	9.5

(not seasonally adjusted)	Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Unemp. Rate (%)
United States	154,088,000	140,987,000	13,102,000	8.5
Tennessee	3,124,800	2,847,900	276,900	8.9

Metropolitan Statistical Areas

Metropolitan Statistical Area	Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Unemp. Rate (%)
Chattanooga	264,970	244,110	20,870	7.9
Clarksville	115,480	104,580	10,900	9.4
Cleveland	55,420	50,570	4,850	8.8
Jackson	56,630	51,380	5,250	9.3
Johnson City	101,920	94,000	7,920	7.8
Kingsport-Bristol	150,240	138,830	11,410	7.6
Knoxville	375,000	348,730	26,270	7.0
Memphis	628,450	565,780	62,670	10.0
Morristown	64,450	57,830	6,630	10.3
Nashville-Murfreesboro	840,320	776,040	64,280	7.6

Counties

County	Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Unemp. Rate (%)
Anderson County	37,250	34,230	3,020	8.1
Bedford County	23,220	20,950	2,270	9.8
Benton County	7,160	6,420	730	10.3
Bledsoe County	5,000	4,480	520	10.5
Blount County	65,090	60,530	4,570	7.0
Bradley County	48,250	44,230	4,020	8.3
Campbell County	16,970	15,190	1,780	10.5
Cannon County	6,690	6,160	530	8.0
Carroll County	13,450	11,830	1,620	12.1
Carter County	29,720	27,240	2,480	8.4
Cheatham County	21,350	19,590	1,760	8.2
Chester County	7,830	7,140	690	8.8
Claiborne County	13,150	11,740	1,420	10.8
Clay County	3,380	3,030	350	10.3
Cocke County	16,290	14,330	1,960	12.0
Coffee County	25,910	23,570	2,350	9.1
Crockett County	6,950	6,220	730	10.5
Cumberland County	23,560	21,390	2,170	9.2
Davidson County	338,790	312,340	26,450	7.8
Decatur County	5,650	5,040	610	10.7
DeKalb County	10,070	9,190	880	8.7
Dickson County	24,440	22,200	2,240	9.2
Dyer County	17,450	15,210	2,240	12.8
Fayette County	19,110	16,440	2,670	14.0
Fentress County	8,000	7,200	800	10.0
Franklin County	19,920	18,080	1,840	9.2
Gibson County	21,840	19,050	2,790	12.8
Giles County	13,550	12,180	1,370	10.1
Grainger County	10,060	8,970	1,090	10.9
Greene County	30,210	26,880	3,330	11.0
Grundy County	6,070	5,410	660	10.9
Hamblen County	29,890	26,980	2,910	9.7
Hamilton County	170,080	156,830	13,260	7.8
Hancock County	2,610	2,300	310	11.9
Hardeman County	11,140	9,760	1,380	12.4
Hardin County	12,050	10,850	1,190	9.9
Hawkins County	27,430	25,320	2,110	7.7
Haywood County	9,010	7,870	1,140	12.7

Counties	Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Unemp. Rate (%)
Henderson County	11,770	10,340	1,430	12.2
Henry County	13,920	12,400	1,520	10.9
Hickman County	10,280	9,320	970	9.4
Houston County	4,070	3,720	350	8.6
Humphreys County	9,400	8,520	880	9.4
Jackson County	5,080	4,530	550	10.8
Jefferson County	24,500	21,880	2,620	10.7
Johnson County	7,560	6,700	860	11.4
Knox County	239,120	223,080	16,040	6.7
Lake County	2,850	2,530	320	11.2
Lauderdale County	10,030	8,700	1,330	13.2
Lawrence County	16,640	14,650	1,990	12.0
Lewis County	5,530	4,920	620	11.1
Lincoln County	17,840	16,800	1,040	5.8
Loudon County	24,380	22,510	1,870	7.7
Macon County	10,780	9,890	890	8.2
Madison County	48,810	44,250	4,560	9.3
Marion County	12,940	11,700	1,250	9.6
Marshall County	12,230	10,630	1,610	13.1
Mauzy County	35,680	31,380	4,300	12.1
McMinn County	23,600	21,030	2,570	10.9
McNairy County	10,860	9,790	1,070	9.8
Meigs County	5,250	4,670	580	11.1
Monroe County	18,690	16,420	2,270	12.1
Montgomery County	73,490	66,650	6,840	9.3
Moore County	3,100	2,860	240	7.8
Morgan County	9,000	8,090	910	10.1
Obion County	15,540	13,120	2,420	15.6
Overton County	10,050	9,170	880	8.8
Perry County	2,700	2,360	340	12.7
Pickett County	1,900	1,640	260	13.7
Polk County	7,170	6,340	830	11.6
Putnam County	37,100	34,080	3,020	8.2
Rhea County	13,400	11,850	1,550	11.6
Roane County	28,240	26,050	2,190	7.8
Robertson County	35,170	32,380	2,800	7.9
Rutherford County	141,060	130,280	10,780	7.6
Scott County	8,130	6,660	1,470	18.1
Sequatchie County	6,320	5,800	510	8.1
Sevier County	48,870	44,770	4,100	8.4
Shelby County	444,410	399,780	44,630	10.0
Smith County	9,390	8,580	810	8.6
Stewart County	6,090	5,500	590	9.7
Sullivan County	76,660	71,020	5,650	7.4
Sumner County	83,410	77,130	6,290	7.5
Tipton County	28,700	25,800	2,900	10.1
Trousdale County	3,820	3,470	360	9.3
Unicoi County	8,460	7,730	720	8.6
Union County	9,150	8,370	780	8.5
Van Buren County	2,430	2,180	260	10.6
Warren County	17,540	15,710	1,830	10.4
Washington County	63,740	59,020	4,720	7.4
Wayne County	6,740	6,020	720	10.7
Weakley County	16,380	14,190	2,190	13.4
White County	11,120	9,930	1,190	10.7
Williamson County	93,950	88,010	5,940	6.3
Wilson County	61,190	56,710	4,480	7.3

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