

Labor Force Estimates - United States & Tennessee

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<i>Seasonally Adjusted*</i>	April, 2016 preliminary				Mar. '16 revised		Apr. '15	
	Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate	Rate	Change	Rate	Change
UNITED STATES	158,924,000	151,004,000	7,920,000	5.0%	5.0%	0.0%	5.4%	-0.4%
TENNESSEE	3,147,900	3,013,300	134,600	4.3%	4.5%	-0.2%	5.9%	-1.6%

* 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	158,488,000	151,075,000	7,413,000	4.7%	5.1%	-0.4%	5.1%	-0.4%
TENNESSEE	3,121,100	3,000,300	120,800	3.9%	4.1%	-0.2%	5.4%	-1.5%

Labor Force Estimates - Combined Statistical Areas (CSA)

	April, 2016 pre.				Mar. '16 rev.	
	Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate	Rate	Change
Chattanooga-Cleveland-Dalton, TN-GA-AL CSA	435,720	416,390	19,330	4.4	4.9	-0.5
Athens Micropolitan Area (McMinn Co.)	22,850	21,820	1,030	4.5	4.7	-0.2
Chattanooga, TN-GA MSA	257,920	247,280	10,640	4.1	4.4	-0.3
Cleveland, TN MSA	57,510	55,360	2,140	3.7	4.0	-0.3
Dalton, GA MSA	60,630	57,290	3,340	5.5	6.8	-1.3
Dayton Micropolitan Area (Rhea Co.)	13,290	12,490	800	6.0	6.3	-0.3
Scottsboro, AL Micropolitan Area	23,540	22,160	1,380	5.8	6.4	-0.6
Johnson City-Kingsport-Bristol, TN-VA CSA	228,440	219,030	9,410	4.1	4.6	-0.5
Johnson City, TN MSA	90,170	86,430	3,740	4.1	4.5	-0.4
Kingsport-Bristol, TN-VA MSA	138,280	132,600	5,680	4.1	4.6	-0.5
Knoxville-Morristown-Sevierville, TN CSA	530,970	511,300	19,670	3.7	4.1	-0.4
Knoxville, TN MSA	413,990	399,170	14,830	3.6	3.8	-0.2
Morristown, TN MSA	50,860	48,750	2,120	4.2	4.6	-0.4
Newport Micropolitan Area (Cocke Co.)	14,570	13,840	730	5.0	6.0	-1.0
Sevierville Micropolitan Area (Sevier Co.)	51,540	49,550	1,990	3.9	5.3	-1.4
Martin-Union City, TN-KY CSA	30,030	28,480	1,550	5.2	5.6	-0.4
Martin Micropolitan Area (Weakley Co.)	15,660	14,950	710	4.6	4.8	-0.2
Union City, TN-KY Micropolitan Area	14,370	13,530	840	5.9	6.4	-0.5
Memphis-Forrest City, TN-MS-AR CSA	627,680	599,910	27,770	4.4	4.7	-0.3
Forrest City, AR Micropolitan Area	8,860	8,460	400	4.5	5.6	-1.1
Memphis, TN-MS-AR MSA	618,800	591,440	27,360	4.4	4.7	-0.3
Nashville-Murfreesboro, TN CSA	1,013,550	981,870	31,680	3.1	3.3	-0.2
Lawrenceburg Micropolitan Area (Lawrence Co.)	17,820	16,950	870	4.9	5.1	-0.2
Lewisburg Micropolitan Area (Marshall Co.)	14,830	14,270	560	3.8	4.1	-0.3
Nashville-Murfreesboro-Franklin, TN MSA	961,220	931,750	29,470	3.1	3.2	-0.1
Shelbyville Micropolitan Area (Bedford Co.)	19,690	18,910	780	4.0	4.1	-0.1

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Labor Force Estimates - Metropolitan Statistical Areas (MSA)

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	Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate	Rate	Change	Rate	Change
Chattanooga, TN-GA MSA	257,920	247,280	10,640	4.1	4.4	-0.3	5.2	-1.1
Hamilton County	170,460	164,020	6,440	3.8	4.0	-0.2	5.0	-1.2
Marion County	11,980	11,380	600	5.0	5.2	-0.2	6.3	-1.3
Sequatchie County	5,910	5,630	290	4.9	5.3	-0.4	6.1	-1.2
Georgia Portion	69,560	66,250	3,310	4.8	5.3	-0.5	5.3	-0.5
Clarksville, TN-KY MSA	111,400	106,520	4,880	4.4	4.9	-0.5	5.5	-1.1
Montgomery County	80,160	76,960	3,210	4.0	4.2	-0.2	5.4	-1.4
Kentucky Portion	31,240	29,560	1,680	5.4	6.5	-1.1	5.9	-0.5
Cleveland, TN MSA	57,510	55,360	2,140	3.7	4.0	-0.3	5.2	-1.5
Bradley County	50,060	48,260	1,800	3.6	3.8	-0.2	5.0	-1.4
Polk County	7,450	7,100	350	4.7	4.9	-0.2	6.3	-1.6
Jackson, TN MSA	62,190	59,660	2,530	4.1	4.3	-0.2	5.6	-1.5
Chester County	8,230	7,880	350	4.2	4.3	-0.1	5.5	-1.3
Crockett County	6,830	6,530	300	4.3	5.1	-0.8	6.2	-1.9
Madison County	47,140	45,250	1,890	4.0	4.2	-0.2	5.6	-1.6
Johnson City, TN MSA	90,170	86,430	3,740	4.1	4.5	-0.4	5.6	-1.5
Carter County	24,130	23,070	1,060	4.4	5.0	-0.6	6.1	-1.7
Unicoi County	7,120	6,710	410	5.7	6.5	-0.8	7.3	-1.6
Washington County	58,920	56,650	2,270	3.9	4.1	-0.2	5.2	-1.3
Kingsport-Bristol, TN-VA MSA	138,280	132,600	5,680	4.1	4.6	-0.5	5.3	-1.2
Hawkins County	23,880	22,830	1,040	4.4	4.8	-0.4	6.0	-1.6
Sullivan County	70,370	67,430	2,940	4.2	4.5	-0.3	5.5	-1.3
Virginia Portion	44,040	42,340	1,700	3.9	4.7	-0.8	4.7	-0.8
Knoxville, TN MSA	413,990	399,170	14,830	3.6	3.8	-0.2	5.0	-1.4
Anderson County	34,080	32,740	1,340	3.9	4.1	-0.2	5.6	-1.7
Blount County	60,740	58,660	2,080	3.4	3.8	-0.4	5.0	-1.6
Campbell County	15,053	14,165	888	5.9	6.4	-0.5	7.7	-1.8
Grainger County	9,330	8,940	400	4.3	4.9	-0.6	6.4	-2.1
Knox County	234,110	226,600	7,520	3.2	3.4	-0.2	4.4	-1.2
Loudon County	22,280	21,440	840	3.8	4.0	-0.2	5.4	-1.6
Morgan County	7,910	7,500	410	5.2	5.7	-0.5	7.3	-2.1
Roane County	23,100	22,070	1,020	4.4	4.8	-0.4	6.4	-2.0
Union County	7,390	7,060	330	4.4	4.9	-0.5	6.5	-2.1
Memphis, TN-MS-AR MSA	618,810	591,440	27,360	4.4	4.7	-0.3	6.0	-1.6
Fayette County	17,860	17,110	750	4.2	4.4	-0.2	5.8	-1.6
Shelby County	433,720	414,220	19,500	4.5	4.7	-0.2	6.2	-1.7
Tipton County	27,460	26,110	1,340	4.9	5.2	-0.3	6.9	-2.0
Arkansas Portion	21,780	20,930	850	3.9	4.6	-0.7	6.4	-2.5
Mississippi Portion	117,990	113,070	4,920	4.2	4.7	-0.5	5.0	-0.8
Morristown, TN MSA	50,860	48,750	2,120	4.2	4.6	-0.4	6.0	-1.8
Hamblen County	27,120	26,010	1,110	4.1	4.4	-0.3	5.9	-1.8
Jefferson County	23,750	22,740	1,010	4.2	4.8	-0.6	6.0	-1.8
Nashville-Murfreesboro, TN MSA	961,220	931,750	29,470	3.1	3.2	-0.1	4.3	-1.2
Cannon County	6,030	5,810	220	3.7	4.0	-0.3	5.4	-1.7
Cheatham County	20,790	20,120	670	3.2	3.4	-0.2	4.6	-1.4
Davidson County	375,160	364,090	11,080	3.0	3.1	-0.1	4.2	-1.2
Dickson County	24,630	23,730	900	3.7	3.9	-0.2	5.4	-1.7
Hickman County	10,740	10,340	400	3.7	4.0	-0.3	5.5	-1.8
Macon County	10,200	9,840	360	3.5	3.7	-0.2	4.9	-1.4
Maury County	42,960	41,530	1,430	3.3	3.6	-0.3	4.9	-1.6
Robertson County	34,950	33,750	1,200	3.4	3.6	-0.2	4.6	-1.2
Rutherford County	157,250	152,490	4,760	3.0	3.1	-0.1	4.3	-1.3
Smith County	8,690	8,360	340	3.9	4.3	-0.4	5.5	-1.6
Sumner County	90,990	88,090	2,900	3.2	3.3	-0.1	4.4	-1.2
Trousdale County	3,810	3,650	160	4.1	4.5	-0.4	5.7	-1.6
Williamson County	109,370	106,400	2,970	2.7	2.8	-0.1	3.8	-1.1
Wilson County	65,650	63,560	2,090	3.2	3.3	-0.1	4.3	-1.1

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Labor Force Estimates - Micropolitan Statistical Areas

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	Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate	Rate	Change	Rate	Change
Athens (McMinn Co.)	22,850	21,820	1,030	4.5	4.7	-0.2	6.0	-1.5
Cookeville	46,730	44,750	1,980	4.2	4.5	-0.3	6.2	-2.0
Jackson Co.	4,430	4,140	280	6.4	6.2	0.2	8.0	-1.6
Overton Co.	9,100	8,700	400	4.4	4.9	-0.5	7.3	-2.9
Putnam Co.	33,200	31,900	1,300	3.9	4.2	-0.3	5.7	-1.8
Crossville (Cumberland Co.)	23,340	22,240	1,100	4.7	5.4	-0.7	7.0	-2.3
Dayton (Rhea Co.)	13,290	12,490	800	6.0	6.3	-0.3	6.6	-0.6
Dyersburg (Dyer Co.)	16,760	15,870	890	5.3	5.8	-0.5	7.0	-1.7
Greeneville (Greene Co.)	30,760	29,400	1,360	4.4	4.8	-0.4	6.0	-1.6
Lawrenceburg (Lawrence Co.)	17,810	16,950	870	4.9	5.1	-0.2	6.1	-1.2
Lewisburg (Marshall Co.)	14,830	14,270	560	3.8	4.1	-0.3	5.0	-1.2
Martin (Weakley Co.)	15,660	14,950	710	4.6	4.8	-0.2	6.4	-1.8
McMinnville (Warren Co.)	18,220	17,550	670	3.7	4.0	-0.3	5.3	-1.6
Newport (Cocke Co.)	14,570	13,840	730	5.0	6.0	-1.0	7.2	-2.2
Paris (Henry Co.)	14,000	13,340	670	4.8	5.5	-0.7	6.1	-1.3
Sevierville (Sevier Co.)	51,540	49,550	1,990	3.9	5.3	-1.4	5.5	-1.6
Shelbyville (Bedford Co.)	19,680	18,910	780	4.0	4.1	-0.1	6.1	-2.1
Tullahoma-Manchester	47,280	45,520	1,760	3.7	3.9	-0.2	5.0	-1.3
Coffee Co.	24,440	23,510	930	3.8	4.0	-0.2	5.2	-1.4
Franklin Co.	19,490	18,750	730	3.8	3.8	0.0	4.9	-1.1
Moore Co.	3,360	3,260	100	2.9	3.4	-0.5	4.3	-1.4
Union City, TN-KY	14,370	13,530	840	5.9	6.4	-0.5	8.4	-2.5
Obion Co.	12,310	11,590	720	5.8	6.2	-0.4	8.6	-2.8
Kentucky portion (Fulton Co.)	2,060	1,930	130	6.1	7.2	-1.1	7.2	-1.1

Micropolitan 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

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	Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate	Rate	Change	Rate	Change
Anderson County	34,080	32,740	1,340	3.9	4.1	-0.2	5.6	-1.7
Bedford County	19,680	18,910	780	4.0	4.1	-0.1	6.1	-2.1
Benton County	6,790	6,380	410	6.0	6.4	-0.4	7.3	-1.3
Bledsoe County	4,410	4,170	240	5.5	5.9	-0.4	7.4	-1.9
Blount County	60,740	58,660	2,080	3.4	3.8	-0.4	5.0	-1.6
Bradley County	50,060	48,260	1,800	3.6	3.8	-0.2	5.0	-1.4
Campbell County	15,050	14,170	890	5.9	6.4	-0.5	7.7	-1.8
Cannon County	6,030	5,810	220	3.7	4.0	-0.3	5.4	-1.7
Carroll County	12,150	11,500	660	5.4	5.9	-0.5	8.1	-2.7
Carter County	24,130	23,070	1,060	4.4	5.0	-0.6	6.1	-1.7
Cheatham County	20,790	20,120	670	3.2	3.4	-0.2	4.6	-1.4
Chester County	8,230	7,880	350	4.2	4.3	-0.1	5.5	-1.3
Claiborne County	12,840	12,190	650	5.0	5.4	-0.4	6.8	-1.8
Clay County	2,980	2,810	180	5.9	6.7	-0.8	8.4	-2.5
Cocke County	14,570	13,840	730	5.0	6.0	-1.0	7.2	-2.2
Coffee County	24,440	23,510	930	3.8	4.0	-0.2	5.2	-1.4
Crockett County	6,830	6,530	300	4.3	5.1	-0.8	6.2	-1.9
Cumberland County	23,340	22,240	1,100	4.7	5.4	-0.7	7.0	-2.3
Davidson County	375,160	364,090	11,080	3.0	3.1	-0.1	4.2	-1.2
Decatur County	4,760	4,490	280	5.8	6.4	-0.6	7.7	-1.9
DeKalb County	7,440	7,100	340	4.6	5.0	-0.4	6.6	-2.0
Dickson County	24,630	23,730	900	3.7	3.9	-0.2	5.4	-1.7
Dyer County	16,760	15,870	890	5.3	5.8	-0.5	7.0	-1.7
Fayette County	17,860	17,110	750	4.2	4.4	-0.2	5.8	-1.6
Fentress County	7,120	6,740	370	5.2	5.7	-0.5	7.0	-1.8
Franklin County	19,490	18,750	730	3.8	3.8	0.0	4.9	-1.1
Gibson County	20,990	19,930	1,060	5.1	5.3	-0.2	7.3	-2.2
Giles County	14,930	14,440	490	3.3	3.6	-0.3	4.7	-1.4
Grainger County	9,330	8,940	400	4.3	4.9	-0.6	6.4	-2.1
Greene County	30,760	29,400	1,360	4.4	4.8	-0.4	6.0	-1.6
Grundy County	4,840	4,590	240	5.0	5.5	-0.5	7.5	-2.5
Hamblen County	27,120	26,010	1,110	4.1	4.4	-0.3	5.9	-1.8
Hamilton County	170,460	164,020	6,440	3.8	4.0	-0.2	5.0	-1.2
Hancock County	2,090	1,950	140	6.6	7.4	-0.8	8.6	-2.0
Hardeman County	9,360	8,870	490	5.2	5.6	-0.4	7.1	-1.9
Hardin County	10,200	9,700	490	4.8	5.2	-0.4	6.8	-2.0
Hawkins County	23,880	22,830	1,040	4.4	4.8	-0.4	6.0	-1.6
Haywood County	7,820	7,400	420	5.3	5.9	-0.6	8.1	-2.8
Henderson County	12,270	11,550	730	5.9	6.4	-0.5	7.9	-2.0
Henry County	14,000	13,340	670	4.8	5.5	-0.7	6.1	-1.3
Hickman County	10,740	10,340	400	3.7	4.0	-0.3	5.5	-1.8
Houston County	3,220	3,010	220	6.8	7.3	-0.5	8.1	-1.3
Humphreys County	8,620	8,170	450	5.2	5.6	-0.4	6.7	-1.5
Jackson County	4,430	4,140	280	6.4	6.2	0.2	8.0	-1.6
Jefferson County	23,750	22,740	1,010	4.2	4.8	-0.6	6.0	-1.8
Johnson County	7,440	7,170	270	3.6	4.5	-0.9	5.3	-1.7
Knox County	234,110	226,600	7,520	3.2	3.4	-0.2	4.4	-1.2
Lake County	1,890	1,780	120	6.2	6.9	-0.7	7.8	-1.6

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>

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Lauderdale County	9,510	8,870	640	6.7	7.1	-0.4	8.4	-1.7
Lawrence County	17,810	16,950	870	4.9	5.1	-0.2	6.1	-1.2
Lewis County	4,870	4,620	250	5.2	5.7	-0.5	7.0	-1.8
Lincoln County	15,460	14,950	520	3.3	3.6	-0.3	4.7	-1.4
Loudon County	22,280	21,440	840	3.8	4.0	-0.2	5.4	-1.6
Macon County	10,200	9,840	360	3.5	3.7	-0.2	4.9	-1.4
Madison County	47,140	45,250	1,890	4.0	4.2	-0.2	5.6	-1.6
Marion County	11,980	11,380	600	5.0	5.2	-0.2	6.3	-1.3
Marshall County	14,830	14,270	560	3.8	4.1	-0.3	5.0	-1.2
Mauzy County	42,960	41,530	1,430	3.3	3.6	-0.3	4.9	-1.6
McMinn County	22,850	21,820	1,030	4.5	4.7	-0.2	6.0	-1.5
McNairy County	8,590	8,100	490	5.7	6.1	-0.4	8.1	-2.4
Meigs County	4,970	4,670	300	6.0	5.9	0.1	7.1	-1.1
Monroe County	19,140	18,320	820	4.3	4.6	-0.3	5.8	-1.5
Montgomery County	80,170	76,960	3,210	4.0	4.2	-0.2	5.4	-1.4
Moore County	3,360	3,260	100	2.9	3.4	-0.5	4.3	-1.4
Morgan County	7,910	7,500	410	5.2	5.7	-0.5	7.3	-2.1
Obion County	12,310	11,590	720	5.8	6.2	-0.4	8.6	-2.8
Overton County	9,100	8,700	400	4.4	4.9	-0.5	7.3	-2.9
Perry County	3,210	3,030	180	5.6	5.6	0.0	6.6	-1.0
Pickett County	2,460	2,330	130	5.2	6.5	-1.3	6.7	-1.5
Polk County	7,450	7,100	350	4.7	4.9	-0.2	6.3	-1.6
Putnam County	33,200	31,900	1,300	3.9	4.2	-0.3	5.7	-1.8
Rhea County	13,290	12,490	800	6.0	6.3	-0.3	6.6	-0.6
Roane County	23,090	22,070	1,020	4.4	4.8	-0.4	6.4	-2.0
Robertson County	34,950	33,750	1,200	3.4	3.6	-0.2	4.6	-1.2
Rutherford County	157,250	152,490	4,760	3.0	3.1	-0.1	4.3	-1.3
Scott County	8,030	7,520	500	6.3	6.7	-0.4	9.0	-2.7
Sequatchie County	5,910	5,630	290	4.9	5.3	-0.4	6.1	-1.2
Sevier County	51,540	49,550	1,990	3.9	5.3	-1.4	5.5	-1.6
Shelby County	433,720	414,220	19,500	4.5	4.7	-0.2	6.2	-1.7
Smith County	8,690	8,360	340	3.9	4.3	-0.4	5.5	-1.6
Stewart County	5,260	4,970	290	5.6	6.4	-0.8	7.4	-1.8
Sullivan County	70,370	67,430	2,940	4.2	4.5	-0.3	5.5	-1.3
Sumner County	90,990	88,090	2,900	3.2	3.3	-0.1	4.4	-1.2
Tipton County	27,460	26,110	1,340	4.9	5.2	-0.3	6.9	-2.0
Trousdale County	3,810	3,650	160	4.1	4.5	-0.4	5.7	-1.6
Unicoi County	7,120	6,710	410	5.7	6.5	-0.8	7.3	-1.6
Union County	7,390	7,060	330	4.4	4.9	-0.5	6.5	-2.1
Van Buren County	2,080	1,980	100	4.8	5.6	-0.8	7.5	-2.7
Warren County	18,220	17,550	670	3.7	4.0	-0.3	5.3	-1.6
Washington County	58,920	56,650	2,270	3.9	4.1	-0.2	5.2	-1.3
Wayne County	6,550	6,230	330	5.0	5.0	0.0	7.5	-2.5
Weakley County	15,660	14,950	710	4.6	4.8	-0.2	6.4	-1.8
White County	11,430	10,950	490	4.2	4.5	-0.3	6.0	-1.8
Williamson County	109,370	106,400	2,970	2.7	2.8	-0.1	3.8	-1.1
Wilson County	65,650	63,560	2,090	3.2	3.3	-0.1	4.3	-1.1

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County Unemployment Rate Change:

(March, 2016 to April, 2016)

Rate decreased in 90 counties
 Rate increased in 2 counties
 Rate remained the same in 3 counties

County Unemployment Rate Range:

(April, 2016)

Rate is less than 5.0% in 62 counties
 Rate is 5.0% or greater, but less than 10.0% in 33 counties
 Rate is 10.0% or greater in 0 counties
 Rate is 20.0% or greater in 0 counties

Labor Force Estimates - Tennessee Cities *

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	April, 2016 pre.				Mar. '16 rev.		Apr. '15	
	Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate	Rate	Change	Rate	Change
Bartlett	30,110	29,060	1,050	3.5	3.6	-0.1	5.0	-1.5
Brentwood	20,740	20,120	610	3.0	2.9	0.1	4.0	-1.0
Bristol	11,780	11,230	550	4.6	4.9	-0.3	5.5	-0.9
Chattanooga	80,450	77,190	3,270	4.1	4.2	-0.1	5.5	-1.4
Clarksville	59,770	57,290	2,480	4.1	4.3	-0.2	5.5	-1.4
Cleveland	20,450	19,660	800	3.9	4.2	-0.3	5.3	-1.4
Collierville	24,530	23,770	760	3.1	3.1	0.0	4.5	-1.4
Columbia	16,710	16,050	670	4.0	4.3	-0.3	5.5	-1.5
Cookeville	13,270	12,700	570	4.3	4.6	-0.3	5.9	-1.6
Franklin	39,790	38,760	1,030	2.6	2.8	-0.2	3.6	-1.0
Gallatin	17,140	16,510	620	3.6	3.9	-0.3	4.7	-1.1
Germantown	19,620	18,980	630	3.2	3.2	0.0	4.5	-1.3
Hendersonville	30,440	29,570	870	2.9	3.0	-0.1	4.1	-1.2
Jackson	31,040	29,740	1,300	4.2	4.3	-0.1	5.9	-1.7
Johnson City	31,070	29,880	1,190	3.8	4.1	-0.3	5.6	-1.8
Kingsport	22,780	21,800	990	4.3	4.5	-0.2	5.7	-1.4
Knoxville	95,180	91,710	3,470	3.6	3.7	-0.1	5.0	-1.4
LaVergne	18,130	17,540	590	3.2	3.3	-0.1	4.7	-1.5
Lebanon	13,720	13,210	520	3.8	3.9	-0.1	5.2	-1.4
Maryville	13,490	13,030	460	3.4	3.5	-0.1	4.8	-1.4
Memphis	289,520	275,340	14,180	4.9	5.1	-0.2	6.8	-1.9
Morristown	11,380	10,890	490	4.3	4.8	-0.5	6.8	-2.5
Mount Juliet	15,670	15,190	480	3.1	3.3	-0.2	4.2	-1.1
Murfreesboro	67,100	64,980	2,120	3.2	3.3	-0.1	4.3	-1.1
Nashville	375,160	364,090	11,080	3.0	3.1	-0.1	4.2	-1.2
Oak Ridge	14,250	13,720	530	3.7	3.7	0.0	5.1	-1.4
Smyrna	24,530	23,800	730	3.0	3.2	-0.2	4.5	-1.5
Spring Hill	18,380	17,900	480	2.6	2.8	-0.2	3.8	-1.2

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

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**Lowest
County Unemployment Rates**

Rank	County	Apr. pre. Rate (%)
1	Williamson Co.	2.7
2	Moore Co.	2.9
3	Davidson Co.	3.0
4	Rutherford Co.	3.0
5	Wilson Co.	3.2
6	Sumner Co.	3.2
7	Knox Co.	3.2
8	Cheatham Co.	3.2
9	Giles Co.	3.3
10	Lincoln Co.	3.3

**Highest
County Unemployment Rates**

Rank	County	Apr. pre. Rate (%)
95	Houston Co.	6.8
94	Lauderdale Co.	6.7
93	Hancock Co.	6.6
92	Jackson Co.	6.4
91	Scott Co.	6.3
90	Lake Co.	6.2
89	Meigs Co.	6.0
88	Benton Co.	6.0
87	Henderson Co.	5.9
86	Campbell Co.	5.9

Labor Force Estimates -- March 2016 (revised)

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(seasonally adjusted)	Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Unemp. Rate (%)
United States	159,286,000	151,320,000	7,966,000	5.0
Tennessee	3,138,700	2,997,100	141,700	4.5

(not seasonally adjusted)	Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Unemp. Rate (%)
United States	158,854,000	150,738,000	8,116,000	5.1
Tennessee	3,114,000	2,985,200	128,800	4.1

Metropolitan Statistical Areas

Counties	Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Unemp. Rate (%)
Chattanooga	257,850	246,490	11,360	4.4
Clarksville	111,140	105,720	5,420	4.9
Cleveland	57,360	55,100	2,270	4.0
Jackson	62,230	59,530	2,700	4.3
Johnson City	89,590	85,540	4,050	4.5
Kingsport-Bristol	138,660	132,270	6,390	4.6
Knoxville	413,470	397,660	15,820	3.8
Memphis	616,830	587,820	29,000	4.7
Morristown	50,910	48,570	2,340	4.6
Nashville-Murfreesboro	957,290	926,420	30,870	3.2

Counties

Counties	Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Unemp. Rate (%)
Anderson County	33,990	32,580	1,400	4.1
Bedford County	19,730	18,920	810	4.1
Benton County	6,840	6,400	440	6.4
Bledsoe County	4,420	4,160	260	5.9
Blount County	60,740	58,420	2,320	3.8
Bradley County	49,920	48,020	1,900	3.8
Campbell County	15,070	14,100	970	6.4
Cannon County	6,030	5,790	240	4.0
Carroll County	12,180	11,460	720	5.9
Carter County	23,970	22,770	1,200	5.0
Cheatham County	20,650	19,950	700	3.4
Chester County	8,240	7,880	360	4.3
Claiborne County	12,850	12,150	700	5.4
Clay County	2,970	2,770	200	6.7
Coke County	14,520	13,650	880	6.0
Coffee County	24,570	23,580	990	4.0
Crockett County	6,920	6,570	350	5.1
Cumberland County	23,220	21,960	1,260	5.4
Davidson County	373,390	361,770	11,620	3.1
Decatur County	4,790	4,480	310	6.4
DeKalb County	7,420	7,050	370	5.0
Dickson County	24,570	23,620	960	3.9
Dyer County	16,940	15,960	970	5.8
Fayette County	17,850	17,070	780	4.4
Fentress County	7,170	6,760	410	5.7
Franklin County	19,690	18,940	750	3.8
Gibson County	21,140	20,010	1,130	5.3
Giles County	14,930	14,390	540	3.6
Grainger County	9,360	8,910	460	4.9
Greene County	30,720	29,260	1,460	4.8
Grundy County	4,870	4,600	270	5.5
Hamblen County	27,110	25,910	1,200	4.4
Hamilton County	170,120	163,370	6,750	4.0
Hancock County	2,080	1,930	150	7.4
Hardeman County	9,390	8,870	530	5.6
Hardin County	10,340	9,800	540	5.2
Hawkins County	23,920	22,770	1,150	4.8
Haywood County	7,810	7,350	460	5.9

Counties	Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Unemp. Rate (%)
Henderson County	12,350	11,560	800	6.4
Henry County	14,130	13,360	770	5.5
Hickman County	10,700	10,270	430	4.0
Houston County	3,250	3,010	240	7.3
Humphreys County	8,630	8,150	480	5.6
Jackson County	4,490	4,210	280	6.2
Jefferson County	23,790	22,650	1,140	4.8
Johnson County	7,500	7,170	340	4.5
Knox County	233,510	225,680	7,840	3.4
Lake County	1,940	1,810	130	6.9
Lauderdale County	9,580	8,900	680	7.1
Lawrence County	17,820	16,910	910	5.1
Lewis County	4,850	4,570	270	5.7
Lincoln County	15,370	14,820	550	3.6
Loudon County	22,340	21,430	900	4.0
Macon County	10,250	9,870	380	3.7
Madison County	47,070	45,080	1,990	4.2
Marion County	11,950	11,320	620	5.2
Marshall County	14,810	14,190	610	4.1
Maury County	42,860	41,320	1,540	3.6
McMinn County	22,980	21,900	1,090	4.7
McNairy County	8,780	8,240	530	6.1
Meigs County	4,940	4,650	290	5.9
Monroe County	19,240	18,350	890	4.6
Montgomery County	79,760	76,370	3,390	4.2
Moore County	3,410	3,290	120	3.4
Morgan County	7,960	7,500	450	5.7
Obion County	12,450	11,680	780	6.2
Overton County	9,040	8,600	440	4.9
Perry County	3,190	3,010	180	5.6
Pickett County	2,380	2,230	160	6.5
Polk County	7,440	7,070	370	4.9
Putnam County	33,080	31,700	1,380	4.2
Rhea County	13,370	12,530	840	6.3
Roane County	23,130	22,020	1,110	4.8
Robertson County	34,950	33,690	1,260	3.6
Rutherford County	156,690	151,780	4,910	3.1
Scott County	8,040	7,500	540	6.7
Sequatchie County	5,900	5,590	310	5.3
Sevier County	50,640	47,940	2,700	5.3
Shelby County	431,680	411,450	20,230	4.7
Smith County	8,700	8,320	380	4.3
Stewart County	5,260	4,920	340	6.4
Sullivan County	70,270	67,140	3,130	4.5
Sumner County	90,530	87,500	3,030	3.3
Tipton County	27,440	26,000	1,440	5.2
Trousdale County	3,810	3,640	170	4.5
Unicoi County	7,150	6,690	460	6.5
Union County	7,370	7,010	360	4.9
Van Buren County	2,070	1,960	120	5.6
Warren County	18,330	17,600	730	4.0
Washington County	58,470	56,080	2,390	4.1
Wayne County	6,540	6,210	330	5.0
Weakley County	15,850	15,090	770	4.8
White County	11,390	10,880	520	4.5
Williamson County	108,690	105,620	3,070	2.8
Wilson County	65,480	63,290	2,190	3.3

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Labor Force Estimates - Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act (WIOA) Areas Release: 1:30 PM CT on 05/26/2016

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	Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Unemp. Rate (%)			Rate Change	Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Unemp. Rate (%)			Rate Change
				Apr.	Mar.						Apr.	Mar.		
WIOA 1	167,980	161,030	6,950	4.1	4.5	-0.4	WIOA 8	378,000	365,200	12,810	3.4	3.6	-0.2	
Carter	24,130	23,070	1,060	4.4	5.0	-0.6	Cheatham	20,790	20,120	670	3.2	3.4	-0.2	
Johnson	7,440	7,170	270	3.6	4.5	-0.9	Dickson	24,630	23,730	900	3.7	3.9	-0.2	
Sullivan	70,370	67,430	2,940	4.2	4.5	-0.3	Houston	3,220	3,010	220	6.8	7.3	-0.5	
Unicoi	7,120	6,710	410	5.7	6.5	-0.8	Humphreys	8,620	8,170	450	5.2	5.6	-0.4	
Washington	58,920	56,650	2,270	3.9	4.1	-0.2	Montgomery	80,170	76,960	3,210	4.0	4.2	-0.2	
							Robertson	34,950	33,750	1,200	3.4	3.6	-0.2	
WIOA 2	203,270	194,510	8,760	4.3	5.0	-0.7	Stewart	5,260	4,970	290	5.6	6.4	-0.8	
Claiborne	12,840	12,190	650	5.0	5.4	-0.4	Sumner	90,990	88,090	2,900	3.2	3.3	-0.1	
Cocke	14,570	13,840	730	5.0	6.0	-1.0	Williamson	109,370	106,400	2,970	2.7	2.8	-0.1	
Grainger	9,330	8,940	400	4.3	4.9	-0.6								
Greene	30,760	29,400	1,360	4.4	4.8	-0.4	WIOA 9	601,870	583,790	18,090	3.0	3.2	-0.1	
Hamblen	27,120	26,010	1,110	4.1	4.4	-0.3	Davidson	375,160	364,090	11,080	3.0	3.1	-0.1	
Hancock	2,090	1,950	140	6.6	7.4	-0.8	Rutherford	157,250	152,490	4,760	3.0	3.1	-0.1	
Hawkins	23,880	22,830	1,040	4.4	4.8	-0.4	Trousdale	3,810	3,650	160	4.1	4.5	-0.4	
Jefferson	23,750	22,740	1,010	4.2	4.8	-0.6	Wilson	65,650	63,560	2,090	3.2	3.3	-0.1	
Sevier	51,540	49,550	1,990	3.9	5.3	-1.4								
Union	7,390	7,060	330	4.4	4.9	-0.5	WIOA 10	115,900	111,410	4,510	3.9	4.2	-0.3	
							Giles	14,930	14,440	490	3.3	3.6	-0.3	
WIOA 3	234,110	226,600	7,520	3.2	3.4	-0.1	Hickman	10,740	10,340	400	3.7	4.0	-0.3	
Knox	234,110	226,600	7,520	3.2	3.4	-0.2	Lawrence	17,810	16,950	870	4.9	5.1	-0.2	
							Lewis	4,870	4,620	250	5.2	5.7	-0.5	
WIOA 4	213,660	204,660	9,000	4.2	4.6	-0.4	Marshall	14,830	14,270	560	3.8	4.1	-0.3	
Anderson	34,080	32,740	1,340	3.9	4.1	-0.2	Mauzy	42,960	41,530	1,430	3.3	3.6	-0.3	
Blount	60,740	58,660	2,080	3.4	3.8	-0.4	Perry	3,210	3,030	180	5.6	5.6	0.0	
Campbell	15,050	14,170	890	5.9	6.4	-0.5	Wayne	6,550	6,230	330	5.0	5.0	0.0	
Cumberland	23,340	22,240	1,100	4.7	5.4	-0.7								
Loudon	22,280	21,440	840	3.8	4.0	-0.2	WIOA 11	108,370	103,240	5,140	4.7	5.1	-0.3	
Monroe	19,140	18,320	820	4.3	4.6	-0.3	Chester	8,230	7,880	350	4.2	4.3	-0.1	
Morgan	7,910	7,500	410	5.2	5.7	-0.5	Decatur	4,760	4,490	280	5.8	6.4	-0.6	
Roane	23,090	22,070	1,020	4.4	4.8	-0.4	Hardeman	9,360	8,870	490	5.2	5.6	-0.4	
Scott	8,030	7,520	500	6.3	6.7	-0.4	Hardin	10,200	9,700	490	4.8	5.2	-0.4	
							Haywood	7,820	7,400	420	5.3	5.9	-0.6	
WIOA 5	291,380	279,540	11,850	4.1	4.2	-0.2	Henderson	12,270	11,550	730	5.9	6.4	-0.5	
Bledsoe	4,410	4,170	240	5.5	5.9	-0.4	Madison	47,140	45,250	1,890	4.0	4.2	-0.2	
Bradley	50,060	48,260	1,800	3.6	3.8	-0.2	McNairy	8,590	8,100	490	5.7	6.1	-0.4	
Hamilton	170,460	164,020	6,440	3.8	4.0	-0.2								
Marion	11,980	11,380	600	5.0	5.2	-0.2	WIOA 12	144,350	136,850	7,520	5.2	5.6	-0.4	
McMinn	22,850	21,820	1,030	4.5	4.7	-0.2	Benton	6,790	6,380	410	6.0	6.4	-0.4	
Meigs	4,970	4,670	300	6.0	5.9	0.1	Carroll	12,150	11,500	660	5.4	5.9	-0.5	
Polk	7,450	7,100	350	4.7	4.9	-0.2	Crockett	6,830	6,530	300	4.3	5.1	-0.8	
Rhea	13,290	12,490	800	6.0	6.3	-0.3	Dyer	16,760	15,870	890	5.3	5.8	-0.5	
Sequatchie	5,910	5,630	290	4.9	5.3	-0.4	Gibson	20,990	19,930	1,060	5.1	5.3	-0.2	
							Henry	14,000	13,340	670	4.8	5.5	-0.7	
WIOA 6	105,490	101,520	3,970	3.8	4.0	-0.2	Lake	1,890	1,780	120	6.2	6.9	-0.7	
Bedford	19,680	18,910	780	4.0	4.1	-0.1	Lauderdale	9,510	8,870	640	6.7	7.1	-0.4	
Coffee	24,440	23,510	930	3.8	4.0	-0.2	Obion	12,310	11,590	720	5.8	6.2	-0.4	
Franklin	19,490	18,750	730	3.8	3.8	0.0	Tipton	27,460	26,110	1,340	4.9	5.2	-0.3	
Grundy	4,840	4,590	240	5.0	5.5	-0.5	Weakley	15,660	14,950	710	4.6	4.8	-0.2	
Lincoln	15,460	14,950	520	3.3	3.6	-0.3								
Moore	3,360	3,260	100	2.9	3.4	-0.5	WIOA 13	451,580	431,330	20,250	4.5	4.7	-0.2	
Warren	18,220	17,550	670	3.7	4.0	-0.3	Fayette	17,860	17,110	750	4.2	4.4	-0.2	
							Shelby	433,720	414,220	19,500	4.5	4.7	-0.2	
WIOA 7	105,160	100,660	4,510	4.3	4.6	-0.3	WIOA Total	3,121,120	3,000,340	120,880	3.9	4.1	-0.3	
Cannon	6,030	5,810	220	3.7	4.0	-0.3								
Clay	2,980	2,810	180	5.9	6.7	-0.8								
DeKalb	7,440	7,100	340	4.6	5.0	-0.4								
Fentress	7,120	6,740	370	5.2	5.7	-0.5								
Jackson	4,430	4,140	280	6.4	6.2	0.2								
Macon	10,200	9,840	360	3.5	3.7	-0.2								
Overton	9,100	8,700	400	4.4	4.9	-0.5								
Pickett	2,460	2,330	130	5.2	6.5	-1.3								
Putnam	33,200	31,900	1,300	3.9	4.2	-0.3								
Smith	8,690	8,360	340	3.9	4.3	-0.4								
Van Buren	2,080	1,980	100	4.8	5.6	-0.8								
White	11,430	10,950	490	4.2	4.5	-0.3								

Numbers may not add due to rounding.

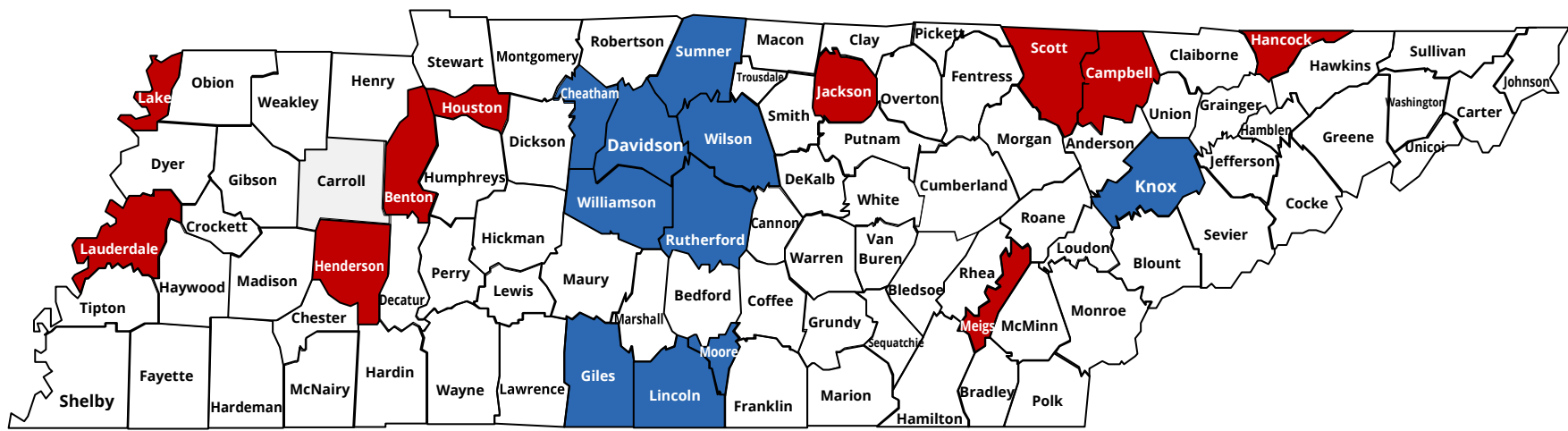
Labor Force Estimates - Economic & Community Development Regions

April, 2016 preliminary

	Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Unemp. Rate (%)		Rate Change		Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Unemp. Rate (%)		Rate Change
				Apr.	Mar.						Apr.	Mar.	
Northeast TN							Upper Cumberland						
	224,710	215,210	9,490	4.2	4.6	-0.4		146,720	140,450	6,280	4.3	4.7	-0.4
Carter	24,130	23,070	1,060	4.4	5.0	-0.6	Cannon	6,030	5,810	220	3.7	4.0	-0.3
Greene	30,760	29,400	1,360	4.4	4.8	-0.4	Clay	2,980	2,810	180	5.9	6.7	-0.8
Hancock	2,090	1,950	140	6.6	7.4	-0.8	Cumberland	23,340	22,240	1,100	4.7	5.4	-0.7
Hawkins	23,880	22,830	1,040	4.4	4.8	-0.4	DeKalb	7,440	7,100	340	4.6	5.0	-0.4
Johnson	7,440	7,170	270	3.6	4.5	-0.9	Fentress	7,120	6,740	370	5.2	5.7	-0.5
Sullivan	70,370	67,430	2,940	4.2	4.5	-0.3	Jackson	4,430	4,140	280	6.4	6.2	0.2
Unicoi	7,120	6,710	410	5.7	6.5	-0.8	Macon	10,200	9,840	360	3.5	3.7	-0.2
Washington	58,920	56,650	2,270	3.9	4.1	-0.2	Overton	9,100	8,700	400	4.4	4.9	-0.5
							Pickett	2,460	2,330	130	5.2	6.5	-1.3
East TN							Northern Middle TN						
	570,970	549,350	21,640	3.8	4.2	-0.4		979,870	948,990	30,900	3.2	3.3	-0.2
Anderson	34,080	32,740	1,340	3.9	4.1	-0.2	Cheatham	20,790	20,120	670	3.2	3.4	-0.2
Blount	60,740	58,660	2,080	3.4	3.8	-0.4	Davidson	375,160	364,090	11,080	3.0	3.1	-0.1
Campbell	15,050	14,170	890	5.9	6.4	-0.5	Dickson	24,630	23,730	900	3.7	3.9	-0.2
Claiborne	12,840	12,190	650	5.0	5.4	-0.4	Houston	3,220	3,010	220	6.8	7.3	-0.5
Cocke	14,570	13,840	730	5.0	6.0	-1.0	Humphreys	8,620	8,170	450	5.2	5.6	-0.4
Grainger	9,330	8,940	400	4.3	4.9	-0.6	Montgomery	80,170	76,960	3,210	4.0	4.2	-0.2
Hamblen	27,120	26,010	1,110	4.1	4.4	-0.3	Robertson	34,950	33,750	1,200	3.4	3.6	-0.2
Jefferson	23,750	22,740	1,010	4.2	4.8	-0.6	Rutherford	157,250	152,490	4,760	3.0	3.1	-0.1
Knox	234,110	226,600	7,520	3.2	3.4	-0.2	Stewart	5,260	4,970	290	5.6	6.4	-0.8
Loudon	22,280	21,440	840	3.8	4.0	-0.2	Sumner	90,990	88,090	2,900	3.2	3.3	-0.1
Monroe	19,140	18,320	820	4.3	4.6	-0.3	Trousdale	3,810	3,650	160	4.1	4.5	-0.4
Morgan	7,910	7,500	410	5.2	5.7	-0.5	Williamson	109,370	106,400	2,970	2.7	2.8	-0.1
Roane	23,090	22,070	1,020	4.4	4.8	-0.4	Wilson	65,650	63,560	2,090	3.2	3.3	-0.1
Scott	8,030	7,520	500	6.3	6.7	-0.4							
Sevier	51,540	49,550	1,990	3.9	5.3	-1.4	Northwest TN						
Union	7,390	7,060	330	4.4	4.9	-0.5		107,380	101,870	5,540	5.2	5.6	-0.4
							Benton	6,790	6,380	410	6.0	6.4	-0.4
Southeast TN							Southwest TN						
	296,220	284,130	12,090	4.1	4.2	-0.2		108,370	103,240	5,140	4.7	5.1	-0.3
Bledsoe	4,410	4,170	240	5.5	5.9	-0.4	Chester	8,230	7,880	350	4.2	4.3	-0.1
Bradley	50,060	48,260	1,800	3.6	3.8	-0.2	Decatur	4,760	4,490	280	5.8	6.4	-0.6
Grundy	4,840	4,590	240	5.0	5.5	-0.5	Hardeman	9,360	8,870	490	5.2	5.6	-0.4
Hamilton	170,460	164,020	6,440	3.8	4.0	-0.2	Hardin	10,200	9,700	490	4.8	5.2	-0.4
Marion	11,980	11,380	600	5.0	5.2	-0.2	Haywood	7,820	7,400	420	5.3	5.9	-0.6
McMinn	22,850	21,820	1,030	4.5	4.7	-0.2	Henderson	12,270	11,550	730	5.9	6.4	-0.5
Meigs	4,970	4,670	300	6.0	5.9	0.1	Madison	47,140	45,250	1,890	4.0	4.2	-0.2
Polk	7,450	7,100	350	4.7	4.9	-0.2	McNairy	8,590	8,100	490	5.7	6.1	-0.4
Rhea	13,290	12,490	800	6.0	6.3	-0.3							
Sequatchie	5,910	5,630	290	4.9	5.3	-0.4	Greater Memphis						
								488,550	466,310	22,230	4.6	4.8	-0.2
Southern Middle TN							Greater Memphis						
	198,330	190,790	7,570	3.8	4.0	-0.2	Fayette	17,860	17,110	750	4.2	4.4	-0.2
Bedford	19,680	18,910	780	4.0	4.1	-0.1	Lauderdale	9,510	8,870	640	6.7	7.1	-0.4
Coffee	24,440	23,510	930	3.8	4.0	-0.2	Shelby	433,720	414,220	19,500	4.5	4.7	-0.2
Franklin	19,490	18,750	730	3.8	3.8	0.0	Tipton	27,460	26,110	1,340	4.9	5.2	-0.3
Giles	14,930	14,440	490	3.3	3.6	-0.3							
Hickman	10,740	10,340	400	3.7	4.0	-0.3	Total	3,121,120	3,000,340	120,880	3.9	4.1	-0.3
Lawrence	17,810	16,950	870	4.9	5.1	-0.2							
Lewis	4,870	4,620	250	5.2	5.7	-0.5							
Lincoln	15,460	14,950	520	3.3	3.6	-0.3							
Marshall	14,830	14,270	560	3.8	4.1	-0.3							
Mauzy	42,960	41,530	1,430	3.3	3.6	-0.3							
Moore	3,360	3,260	100	2.9	3.4	-0.5							
Perry	3,210	3,030	180	5.6	5.6	0.0							
Wayne	6,550	6,230	330	5.0	5.0	0.0							

Numbers may not add due to rounding.

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Lowest County Unemployment Rates

Rank	County	April, 2016 Pre. Rate (%)
1	Williamson	2.7
2	Moore	2.9
3	Davidson	3.0
4	Rutherford	3.0
5	Wilson	3.2
6	Sumner	3.2
7	Knox	3.2
8	Cheatham	3.2
9	Giles	3.3
10	Lincoln	3.3

Highest County Unemployment Rates

Rank	County	April, 2016 Pre. Rate (%)
95	Houston	6.8
94	Lauderdale	6.7
93	Hancock	6.6
92	Jackson	6.4
91	Scott	6.3
90	Lake	6.2
89	Meigs	6.0
88	Benton	6.0
87	Henderson	5.9
86	Campbell	5.9