

# Labor Force Estimates - United States & Tennessee

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<i>Seasonally Adjusted*</i>	March, 2018 preliminary				Feb. '18 revised		Mar. '17	
	Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate	Rate	Change	Rate	Change
UNITED STATES	161,763,000	155,178,000	6,585,000	<b>4.1%</b>	4.1%	0.0%	4.5%	-0.4%
TENNESSEE	3,225,000	3,114,700	110,200	<b>3.4%</b>	3.4%	0.0%	4.2%	-0.8%

\* 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	161,548,000	154,877,000	6,671,000	<b>4.1%</b>	4.4%	-0.3%	4.6%	-0.5%
TENNESSEE	3,235,000	3,123,300	111,800	<b>3.5%</b>	3.6%	-0.1%	4.1%	-0.6%

## Labor Force Estimates - Combined Statistical Areas (CSA)

	March, 2018 pre.				Feb. '18 rev.	
	Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate	Rate	Change
<b>Chattanooga-Cleveland-Dalton, TN-GA-AL CSA</b>	451,170	433,590	17,580	<b>3.9</b>	4.1	-0.2
Athens Micropolitan Area (McMinn Co.)	22,800	21,860	940	<b>4.1</b>	4.4	-0.3
Chattanooga, TN-GA MSA	272,330	262,730	9,600	<b>3.5</b>	3.7	-0.2
Cleveland, TN MSA	57,280	55,230	2,050	<b>3.6</b>	3.7	-0.1
Dalton, GA MSA	62,560	59,270	3,290	<b>5.3</b>	5.5	-0.2
Dayton Micropolitan Area (Rhea Co.)	13,280	12,520	760	<b>5.7</b>	6.4	-0.7
Scottsboro, AL Micropolitan Area	22,920	21,980	940	<b>4.1</b>	4.6	-0.5
<b>Jackson-Brownsville, TN CSA</b>	72,220	69,370	2,850	<b>3.9</b>	4.2	-0.3
Brownsville Micropolitan Area (Haywood Co.)	7,910	7,490	420	<b>5.4</b>	5.6	-0.2
Jackson, TN MSA	64,300	61,880	2,420	<b>3.8</b>	4	-0.2
<b>Johnson City-Kingsport-Bristol, TN-VA CSA</b>	230,000	221,330	8,670	<b>3.8</b>	3.9	-0.1
Johnson City, TN MSA	90,620	87,200	3,420	<b>3.8</b>	4.0	-0.2
Kingsport-Bristol, TN-VA MSA	139,380	134,130	5,250	<b>3.8</b>	3.9	-0.1
<b>Knoxville-Morristown-Sevierville, TN CSA</b>	539,470	521,140	18,330	<b>3.4</b>	3.8	-0.4
Knoxville, TN MSA	421,670	407,980	13,690	<b>3.2</b>	3.4	-0.2
Morristown, TN MSA	51,870	49,940	1,930	<b>3.7</b>	4.2	-0.5
Newport Micropolitan Area (Cocke Co.)	14,490	13,770	730	<b>5.0</b>	6.5	-1.5
Sevierville Micropolitan Area (Sevier Co.)	51,430	49,460	1,980	<b>3.8</b>	6.3	-2.5
<b>Martin-Union City, TN-KY CSA</b>	30,130	28,800	1,330	<b>4.4</b>	4.6	-0.2
Martin Micropolitan Area (Weakley Co.)	15,960	15,350	620	<b>3.9</b>	4.0	-0.1
Union City, TN-KY Micropolitan Area	14,170	13,450	720	<b>5.1</b>	5.4	-0.3
<b>Memphis-Forrest City, TN-MS-AR CSA</b>	647,020	621,400	25,620	<b>4.0</b>	4.1	-0.1
Forrest City, AR Micropolitan Area	8,180	7,720	460	<b>5.6</b>	6.2	-0.6
Memphis, TN-MS-AR MSA	638,840	613,680	25,160	<b>3.9</b>	4.1	-0.2
<b>Nashville-Murfreesboro, TN CSA</b>	1,082,960	1,053,130	29,820	<b>2.8</b>	2.8	0.0
Lawrenceburg Micropolitan Area (Lawrence Co.)	17,900	17,170	730	<b>4.1</b>	4.4	-0.3
Lewisburg Micropolitan Area (Marshall Co.)	15,940	15,420	520	<b>3.3</b>	3.3	-0.0
Nashville-Murfreesboro-Franklin, TN MSA	1,028,390	1,000,540	27,850	<b>2.7</b>	2.7	0.0
Shelbyville Micropolitan Area (Bedford Co.)	20,730	20,000	730	<b>3.5</b>	3.6	-0.1

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**Labor Force Estimates - Metropolitan Statistical Areas (MSA)**

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<b>Chattanooga, TN-GA MSA</b>	272,330	262,730	9,600	<b>3.5</b>	3.7	-0.2	4.2	-0.7
Hamilton County	179,600	173,580	6,020	<b>3.4</b>	3.5	-0.1	3.9	-0.5
Marion County	12,390	11,830	560	<b>4.6</b>	5.0	-0.4	5.1	-0.5
Sequatchie County	6,180	5,900	270	<b>4.4</b>	4.4	0.0	5.1	-0.7
Georgia Portion	74,160	71,420	2,750	<b>3.7</b>	4.2	-0.5	4.5	-0.8
<b>Clarksville, TN-KY MSA</b>	113,230	108,600	4,630	<b>4.1</b>	4.3	-0.2	5.1	-1.0
Montgomery County	82,030	79,000	3,030	<b>3.7</b>	3.8	-0.1	4.4	-0.7
Kentucky Portion	31,200	29,600	1,610	<b>5.2</b>	5.4	-0.2	6.9	-1.7
<b>Cleveland, TN MSA</b>	57,280	55,230	2,050	<b>3.6</b>	3.7	-0.1	4.2	-0.6
Bradley County	49,960	48,220	1,740	<b>3.5</b>	3.6	-0.1	4.1	-0.6
Polk County	7,320	7,010	310	<b>4.2</b>	4.6	-0.4	5.0	-0.8
<b>Jackson, TN MSA</b>	64,300	61,880	2,420	<b>3.8</b>	4.0	-0.2	4.3	-0.5
Chester County	8,580	8,260	320	<b>3.7</b>	3.8	-0.1	4.0	-0.3
Crockett County	6,980	6,690	290	<b>4.1</b>	4.2	-0.1	5.0	-0.9
Madison County	48,750	46,930	1,820	<b>3.7</b>	4.0	-0.3	4.2	-0.5
<b>Johnson City, TN MSA</b>	90,620	87,200	3,420	<b>3.8</b>	4.0	-0.2	4.4	-0.6
Carter County	24,000	23,010	990	<b>4.1</b>	4.5	-0.4	4.9	-0.8
Unicoi County	7,010	6,670	340	<b>4.9</b>	5.4	-0.5	5.6	-0.7
Washington County	59,610	57,520	2,090	<b>3.5</b>	3.7	-0.2	4.0	-0.5
<b>Kingsport-Bristol, TN-VA MSA</b>	139,380	134,130	5,250	<b>3.8</b>	3.9	-0.1	4.5	-0.7
Hawkins County	24,100	23,140	960	<b>4.0</b>	4.2	-0.2	4.6	-0.6
Sullivan County	70,960	68,320	2,640	<b>3.7</b>	3.9	-0.2	4.5	-0.8
Virginia Portion	44,330	42,680	1,650	<b>3.7</b>	3.7	0.0	4.4	-0.7
<b>Knoxville, TN MSA</b>	421,670	407,980	13,690	<b>3.2</b>	3.4	-0.2	3.9	-0.7
Anderson County	34,470	33,180	1,290	<b>3.7</b>	3.8	-0.1	4.4	-0.7
Blount County	62,250	60,240	2,020	<b>3.2</b>	3.5	-0.3	3.9	-0.7
Campbell County	14,920	14,210	710	<b>4.8</b>	5.1	-0.3	6.2	-1.4
Grainger County	9,450	9,090	370	<b>3.9</b>	4.2	-0.3	4.7	-0.8
Knox County	239,290	232,340	6,950	<b>2.9</b>	2.9	0.0	3.4	-0.5
Loudon County	22,730	21,940	790	<b>3.5</b>	3.5	0.0	4.0	-0.5
Morgan County	7,880	7,540	340	<b>4.3</b>	4.7	-0.4	5.3	-1.0
Roane County	23,270	22,330	930	<b>4.0</b>	4.5	-0.5	4.9	-0.9
Union County	7,420	7,120	300	<b>4.0</b>	4.1	-0.1	4.7	-0.7
<b>Memphis, TN-MS-AR MSA</b>	638,850	613,680	25,160	<b>3.9</b>	4.1	-0.2	4.6	-0.7
Fayette County	18,760	18,060	700	<b>3.7</b>	3.8	-0.1	4.4	-0.7
Shelby County	447,000	429,070	17,920	<b>4.0</b>	4.2	-0.2	4.7	-0.7
Tipton County	28,220	27,040	1,180	<b>4.2</b>	4.4	-0.2	4.7	-0.5
Arkansas Portion	21,800	20,880	930	<b>4.2</b>	4.7	-0.5	4.2	0.0
Mississippi Portion	123,070	118,630	4,440	<b>3.6</b>	3.7	-0.1	4.2	-0.6
<b>Morristown, TN MSA</b>	51,870	49,940	1,930	<b>3.7</b>	4.2	-0.5	4.3	-0.6
Hamblen County	27,660	26,590	1,060	<b>3.8</b>	4.1	-0.3	4.3	-0.5
Jefferson County	24,220	23,350	870	<b>3.6</b>	4.4	-0.8	4.4	-0.8
<b>Nashville-Murfreesboro, TN MSA</b>	1,028,390	1,000,540	27,850	<b>2.7</b>	2.7	0.0	3.1	-0.4
Cannon County	6,310	6,110	200	<b>3.1</b>	2.9	0.2	3.8	-0.7
Cheatham County	21,350	20,770	590	<b>2.7</b>	2.7	0.0	3.4	-0.7
Davidson County	394,980	384,740	10,240	<b>2.6</b>	2.6	0.0	3.0	-0.4
Dickson County	26,060	25,270	790	<b>3.0</b>	3.2	-0.2	3.7	-0.7
Hickman County	10,960	10,610	350	<b>3.2</b>	3.3	-0.1	3.8	-0.6
Macon County	10,700	10,360	340	<b>3.1</b>	3.2	-0.1	3.6	-0.5
Maury County	46,730	45,110	1,620	<b>3.5</b>	3.7	-0.2	3.4	0.1
Robertson County	36,580	35,430	1,140	<b>3.1</b>	3.2	-0.1	3.4	-0.3
Rutherford County	172,640	168,100	4,540	<b>2.6</b>	2.7	-0.1	3.1	-0.5
Smith County	9,110	8,820	290	<b>3.2</b>	3.4	-0.2	4.1	-0.9
Sumner County	97,440	94,720	2,720	<b>2.8</b>	2.8	0.0	3.2	-0.4
Trousdale County	4,030	3,900	130	<b>3.3</b>	3.8	-0.5	3.7	-0.4
Williamson County	120,020	117,070	2,960	<b>2.5</b>	2.4	0.1	2.9	-0.4
Wilson County	71,470	69,520	1,950	<b>2.7</b>	2.8	-0.1	3.2	-0.5

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**Labor Force Estimates - Micropolitan Statistical Areas**

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Athens (McMinn Co.)	22,800	21,860	940	<b>4.1</b>	4.4	-0.3	5.1	-1.0
Brownsville (Haywood Co.)	7,910	7,490	420	<b>5.4</b>	5.6	-0.2	5.5	-0.1
Cookeville	48,910	47,110	1,810	<b>3.7</b>	3.9	-0.2	4.5	-0.8
Jackson Co.	4,630	4,410	220	<b>4.7</b>	5.4	-0.7	6.2	-1.5
Overton Co.	9,720	9,340	380	<b>3.9</b>	4.5	-0.6	4.6	-0.7
Putnam Co.	34,570	33,360	1,210	<b>3.5</b>	3.6	-0.1	4.2	-0.7
Crossville (Cumberland Co.)	23,810	22,790	1,020	<b>4.3</b>	5.1	-0.8	5.3	-1.0
Dayton (Rhea Co.)	13,280	12,520	760	<b>5.7</b>	6.4	-0.7	7.3	-1.6
Dyersburg (Dyer Co.)	16,110	15,360	750	<b>4.7</b>	4.9	-0.2	5.5	-0.8
Greeneville (Greene Co.)	30,910	29,600	1,310	<b>4.2</b>	4.6	-0.4	4.7	-0.5
Lawrenceburg (Lawrence Co.)	17,900	17,170	730	<b>4.1</b>	4.4	-0.3	4.6	-0.5
Lewisburg (Marshall Co.)	15,940	15,420	520	<b>3.3</b>	3.3	0.0	3.5	-0.2
Martin (Weakley Co.)	15,960	15,350	620	<b>3.9</b>	4.0	-0.1	4.5	-0.6
McMinnville (Warren Co.)	16,710	16,070	640	<b>3.8</b>	3.9	-0.1	4.1	-0.3
Newport (Cocke Co.)	14,490	13,770	730	<b>5.0</b>	6.5	-1.5	6.2	-1.2
Paris (Henry Co.)	13,990	13,390	600	<b>4.3</b>	4.8	-0.5	4.9	-0.6
Sevierville (Sevier Co.)	51,430	49,460	1,980	<b>3.8</b>	6.3	-2.5	5.1	-1.3
Shelbyville (Bedford Co.)	20,730	20,000	730	<b>3.5</b>	3.6	-0.1	4.0	-0.5
Tullahoma-Manchester	48,860	47,170	1,690	<b>3.5</b>	3.5	0.0	4.0	-0.5
Coffee Co.	25,340	24,460	880	<b>3.5</b>	3.5	0.0	4.0	-0.5
Franklin Co.	19,980	19,280	700	<b>3.5</b>	3.5	0.0	4.2	-0.7
Moore Co.	3,540	3,430	110	<b>3.1</b>	2.9	0.2	3.1	0.0
Union City, TN-KY	14,170	13,450	720	<b>5.1</b>	5.4	-0.3	6.1	-1.0
Obion Co.	12,120	11,530	590	<b>4.9</b>	5.3	-0.4	5.8	-0.9
Kentucky portion (Fulton Co.)	2,050	1,920	120	<b>6.0</b>	6.3	-0.3	7.9	-1.9

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	34,470	33,180	1,290	<b>3.7</b>	3.8	-0.1	4.4	-0.7
Bedford County	20,730	20,000	730	<b>3.5</b>	3.6	-0.1	4.0	-0.5
Benton County	6,850	6,520	330	<b>4.9</b>	5.6	-0.7	5.7	-0.8
Bledsoe County	4,340	4,090	250	<b>5.8</b>	6.1	-0.3	6.4	-0.6
Blount County	62,250	60,240	2,020	<b>3.2</b>	3.5	-0.3	3.9	-0.7
Bradley County	49,960	48,220	1,740	<b>3.5</b>	3.6	-0.1	4.1	-0.6
Campbell County	14,920	14,210	710	<b>4.8</b>	5.1	-0.3	6.2	-1.4
Cannon County	6,310	6,110	200	<b>3.1</b>	2.9	0.2	3.8	-0.7
Carroll County	11,970	11,410	560	<b>4.7</b>	5.2	-0.5	5.5	-0.8
Carter County	24,000	23,010	990	<b>4.1</b>	4.5	-0.4	4.9	-0.8
Cheatham County	21,350	20,770	590	<b>2.7</b>	2.7	0.0	3.4	-0.7
Chester County	8,580	8,260	320	<b>3.7</b>	3.8	-0.1	4.0	-0.3
Claiborne County	12,840	12,270	570	<b>4.4</b>	4.6	-0.2	5.4	-1.0
Clay County	3,080	2,940	150	<b>4.7</b>	5.3	-0.6	5.7	-1.0
Cocke County	14,490	13,770	730	<b>5.0</b>	6.5	-1.5	6.2	-1.2
Coffee County	25,340	24,460	880	<b>3.5</b>	3.5	0.0	4.0	-0.5
Crockett County	6,980	6,690	290	<b>4.1</b>	4.2	-0.1	5.0	-0.9
Cumberland County	23,810	22,790	1,020	<b>4.3</b>	5.1	-0.8	5.3	-1.0
Davidson County	394,980	384,740	10,240	<b>2.6</b>	2.6	0.0	3.0	-0.4
Decatur County	4,690	4,440	250	<b>5.3</b>	6.0	-0.7	6.1	-0.8
DeKalb County	7,740	7,410	330	<b>4.3</b>	4.6	-0.3	5.3	-1.0
Dickson County	26,060	25,270	790	<b>3.0</b>	3.2	-0.2	3.7	-0.7
Dyer County	16,110	15,360	750	<b>4.7</b>	4.9	-0.2	5.5	-0.8
Fayette County	18,760	18,060	700	<b>3.7</b>	3.8	-0.1	4.4	-0.7
Fentress County	7,040	6,750	300	<b>4.2</b>	4.3	-0.1	4.7	-0.5
Franklin County	19,980	19,280	700	<b>3.5</b>	3.5	0.0	4.2	-0.7
Gibson County	21,520	20,590	930	<b>4.3</b>	4.4	-0.1	5.1	-0.8
Giles County	15,830	15,260	570	<b>3.6</b>	3.8	-0.2	3.4	0.2
Grainger County	9,450	9,090	370	<b>3.9</b>	4.2	-0.3	4.7	-0.8
Greene County	30,910	29,600	1,310	<b>4.2</b>	4.6	-0.4	4.7	-0.5
Grundy County	4,830	4,620	210	<b>4.2</b>	4.4	-0.2	5.3	-1.1
Hamblen County	27,660	26,590	1,060	<b>3.8</b>	4.1	-0.3	4.3	-0.5
Hamilton County	179,600	173,580	6,020	<b>3.4</b>	3.5	-0.1	3.9	-0.5
Hancock County	2,060	1,970	100	<b>4.7</b>	4.9	-0.2	6.3	-1.6
Hardeman County	9,250	8,790	460	<b>5.0</b>	5.2	-0.2	5.6	-0.6
Hardin County	10,530	10,080	450	<b>4.3</b>	4.4	-0.1	5.3	-1.0
Hawkins County	24,100	23,140	960	<b>4.0</b>	4.2	-0.2	4.6	-0.6
Haywood County	7,910	7,490	420	<b>5.4</b>	5.6	-0.2	5.5	-0.1
Henderson County	11,980	11,400	580	<b>4.9</b>	5.5	-0.6	5.8	-0.9
Henry County	13,990	13,390	600	<b>4.3</b>	4.8	-0.5	4.9	-0.6
Hickman County	10,960	10,610	350	<b>3.2</b>	3.3	-0.1	3.8	-0.6
Houston County	3,200	3,020	190	<b>5.8</b>	6.8	-1.0	6.1	-0.3
Humphreys County	8,950	8,570	390	<b>4.3</b>	4.9	-0.6	4.6	-0.3
Jackson County	4,630	4,410	220	<b>4.7</b>	5.4	-0.7	6.2	-1.5
Jefferson County	24,220	23,350	870	<b>3.6</b>	4.4	-0.8	4.4	-0.8
Johnson County	7,560	7,280	280	<b>3.7</b>	4.3	-0.6	4.3	-0.6
Knox County	239,290	232,340	6,950	<b>2.9</b>	2.9	0.0	3.4	-0.5
Lake County	1,830	1,740	100	<b>5.2</b>	5.8	-0.6	6.3	-1.1

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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**Labor Force Estimates - Tennessee Counties (cont.)**

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	Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate	Rate	Change	Rate	Change
Lauderdale County	9,500	8,980	520	<b>5.5</b>	5.9	-0.4	6.2	-0.7
Lawrence County	17,900	17,170	730	<b>4.1</b>	4.4	-0.3	4.6	-0.5
Lewis County	4,970	4,750	230	<b>4.5</b>	5.3	-0.8	5.2	-0.7
Lincoln County	16,330	15,830	510	<b>3.1</b>	3.2	-0.1	3.7	-0.6
Loudon County	22,730	21,940	790	<b>3.5</b>	3.5	0.0	4.0	-0.5
Macon County	10,700	10,360	340	<b>3.1</b>	3.2	-0.1	3.6	-0.5
Madison County	48,750	46,930	1,820	<b>3.7</b>	4.0	-0.3	4.2	-0.5
Marion County	12,390	11,830	560	<b>4.6</b>	5.0	-0.4	5.1	-0.5
Marshall County	15,940	15,420	520	<b>3.3</b>	3.3	0.0	3.5	-0.2
Maury County	46,730	45,110	1,620	<b>3.5</b>	3.7	-0.2	3.4	0.1
McMinn County	22,800	21,860	940	<b>4.1</b>	4.4	-0.3	5.1	-1.0
McNairy County	8,430	7,960	470	<b>5.5</b>	5.8	-0.3	5.7	-0.2
Meigs County	5,080	4,850	230	<b>4.5</b>	4.8	-0.3	7.1	-2.6
Monroe County	19,900	19,180	730	<b>3.6</b>	3.9	-0.3	4.3	-0.7
Montgomery County	82,030	79,000	3,030	<b>3.7</b>	3.8	-0.1	4.4	-0.7
Moore County	3,540	3,430	110	<b>3.1</b>	2.9	0.2	3.1	0.0
Morgan County	7,880	7,540	340	<b>4.3</b>	4.7	-0.4	5.3	-1.0
Obion County	12,120	11,530	590	<b>4.9</b>	5.3	-0.4	5.8	-0.9
Overton County	9,720	9,340	380	<b>3.9</b>	4.5	-0.6	4.6	-0.7
Perry County	3,290	3,150	130	<b>4.1</b>	4.5	-0.4	6.0	-1.9
Pickett County	2,440	2,360	90	<b>3.5</b>	4.1	-0.6	5.3	-1.8
Polk County	7,320	7,010	310	<b>4.2</b>	4.6	-0.4	5.0	-0.8
Putnam County	34,570	33,360	1,210	<b>3.5</b>	3.6	-0.1	4.2	-0.7
Rhea County	13,280	12,520	760	<b>5.7</b>	6.4	-0.7	7.3	-1.6
Roane County	23,260	22,330	930	<b>4.0</b>	4.5	-0.5	4.9	-0.9
Robertson County	36,580	35,430	1,140	<b>3.1</b>	3.2	-0.1	3.4	-0.3
Rutherford County	172,640	168,100	4,540	<b>2.6</b>	2.7	-0.1	3.1	-0.5
Scott County	8,300	7,930	370	<b>4.4</b>	4.7	-0.3	5.7	-1.3
Sequatchie County	6,180	5,900	270	<b>4.4</b>	4.4	0.0	5.1	-0.7
Sevier County	51,430	49,460	1,980	<b>3.8</b>	6.3	-2.5	5.1	-1.3
Shelby County	447,000	429,070	17,920	<b>4.0</b>	4.2	-0.2	4.7	-0.7
Smith County	9,110	8,820	290	<b>3.2</b>	3.4	-0.2	4.1	-0.9
Stewart County	5,220	4,960	260	<b>5.1</b>	5.4	-0.3	5.6	-0.5
Sullivan County	70,960	68,320	2,640	<b>3.7</b>	3.9	-0.2	4.5	-0.8
Sumner County	97,440	94,720	2,720	<b>2.8</b>	2.8	0.0	3.2	-0.4
Tipton County	28,220	27,040	1,180	<b>4.2</b>	4.4	-0.2	4.7	-0.5
Trousdale County	4,030	3,900	130	<b>3.3</b>	3.8	-0.5	3.7	-0.4
Unicoi County	7,010	6,670	340	<b>4.9</b>	5.4	-0.5	5.6	-0.7
Union County	7,420	7,120	300	<b>4.0</b>	4.1	-0.1	4.7	-0.7
Van Buren County	2,090	2,000	90	<b>4.3</b>	4.2	0.1	4.9	-0.6
Warren County	16,710	16,070	640	<b>3.8</b>	3.9	-0.1	4.1	-0.3
Washington County	59,610	57,520	2,090	<b>3.5</b>	3.7	-0.2	4.0	-0.5
Wayne County	6,110	5,830	270	<b>4.5</b>	5.5	-1.0	5.4	-0.9
Weakley County	15,960	15,350	620	<b>3.9</b>	4.0	-0.1	4.5	-0.6
White County	12,060	11,640	430	<b>3.5</b>	3.7	-0.2	4.3	-0.8
Williamson County	120,020	117,070	2,960	<b>2.5</b>	2.4	0.1	2.9	-0.4
Wilson County	71,470	69,520	1,950	<b>2.7</b>	2.8	-0.1	3.2	-0.5

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**County Unemployment Rate Change:**

**(February, 2018 to March, 2018)**

Rate decreased in 82 counties

Rate increased in 4 counties

Rate remained the same in 9 counties

**County Unemployment Rate Range:**

**(March, 2018)**

Rate is less than 5.0% in 84 counties

Rate is 5.0% or greater, but less than 10.0% in 11 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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	<b>March, 2018 pre.</b>				<b>Feb. '18 rev.</b>		<b>Mar. '17</b>	
	Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate	Rate	Change	Rate	Change
Bartlett	31,350	30,430	920	<b>2.9</b>	3.0	-0.1	3.5	-0.6
Brentwood	22,060	21,510	540	<b>2.5</b>	2.3	0.2	3.2	-0.7
Bristol	12,020	11,570	450	<b>3.7</b>	3.5	0.2	4.6	-0.9
Chattanooga	85,040	81,950	3,090	<b>3.6</b>	3.8	-0.2	4.2	-0.6
Clarksville	60,820	58,430	2,390	<b>3.9</b>	4.0	-0.1	4.6	-0.7
Cleveland	20,590	19,840	750	<b>3.6</b>	3.6	0.0	4.2	-0.6
Collierville	25,680	25,000	680	<b>2.6</b>	2.7	-0.1	3.4	-0.8
Columbia	17,950	17,240	710	<b>3.9</b>	4.3	-0.4	3.6	0.3
Cookeville	14,020	13,510	520	<b>3.7</b>	3.8	-0.1	4.3	-0.6
Franklin	43,330	42,310	1,020	<b>2.4</b>	2.4	0.0	2.7	-0.3
Gallatin	18,840	18,250	590	<b>3.1</b>	3.2	-0.1	3.4	-0.3
Germantown	20,160	19,650	520	<b>2.6</b>	2.6	0.0	3.0	-0.4
Hendersonville	32,420	31,550	870	<b>2.7</b>	2.7	0.0	3.0	-0.3
Jackson	32,140	30,860	1,270	<b>4.0</b>	4.3	-0.3	4.5	-0.5
Johnson City	31,530	30,460	1,080	<b>3.4</b>	3.5	-0.1	3.8	-0.4
Kingsport	22,950	22,050	910	<b>4.0</b>	4.1	-0.1	4.6	-0.6
Knoxville	96,390	93,470	2,920	<b>3.0</b>	3.1	-0.1	3.6	-0.6
LaVergne	19,100	18,550	550	<b>2.9</b>	2.8	0.1	3.4	-0.5
Lebanon	14,990	14,520	480	<b>3.2</b>	3.4	-0.2	3.8	-0.6
Maryville	13,710	13,310	400	<b>2.9</b>	3.0	-0.1	3.5	-0.6
Memphis	297,930	284,680	13,250	<b>4.4</b>	4.6	-0.2	5.2	-0.8
Morristown	11,630	11,140	490	<b>4.2</b>	4.2	0.0	4.5	-0.3
Mount Juliet	18,240	17,760	480	<b>2.6</b>	2.6	0.0	3.1	-0.5
Murfreesboro	75,210	73,240	1,980	<b>2.6</b>	2.6	0.0	3.2	-0.6
Nashville	394,980	384,740	10,240	<b>2.6</b>	2.6	0.0	3.0	-0.4
Oak Ridge	14,360	13,860	500	<b>3.5</b>	3.6	-0.1	4.2	-0.7
Smyrna	27,100	26,390	710	<b>2.6</b>	2.7	-0.1	3.1	-0.5
Spring Hill	20,940	20,340	590	<b>2.8</b>	3.0	-0.2	2.9	-0.1

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

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**Lowest  
County Unemployment Rates**

<u>Rank</u>	<u>County</u>	<u>Mar. pre. Rate (%)</u>
1	Williamson Co.	2.5
2	Davidson Co.	2.6
3	Rutherford Co.	2.6
4	Wilson Co.	2.7
5	Cheatham Co.	2.7
6	Sumner Co.	2.8
7	Knox Co.	2.9
8	Dickson Co.	3.0
9	Moore Co.	3.1
10	Lincoln Co.	3.1

**Highest  
County Unemployment Rates**

<u>Rank</u>	<u>County</u>	<u>Mar. pre. Rate (%)</u>
95	Houston Co.	5.8
94	Bledsoe Co.	5.8
93	Rhea Co.	5.7
92	McNairy Co.	5.5
91	Lauderdale Co.	5.5
90	Haywood Co.	5.4
89	Decatur Co.	5.3
88	Lake Co.	5.2
87	Stewart Co.	5.1
86	Hardeman Co.	5.0

## Labor Force Estimates -- February 2018 (revised)

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(seasonally adjusted)	Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Unemp. Rate (%)
United States	161,921,000	155,215,000	6,706,000	4.1
Tennessee	3,222,000	3,113,500	108,500	3.4

(not seasonally adjusted)	Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Unemp. Rate (%)
United States	161,494,000	154,403,000	7,091,000	4.4
Tennessee	3,231,400	3,113,800	117,600	3.6

### Metropolitan Statistical Areas

Metropolitan Statistical Area	Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Unemp. Rate (%)
Chattanooga	271,820	261,630	10,190	3.7
Clarksville	113,060	108,250	4,810	4.3
Cleveland	57,540	55,410	2,130	3.7
Jackson	64,370	61,800	2,580	4.0
Johnson City	90,690	87,030	3,660	4.0
Kingsport-Bristol	138,560	133,190	5,360	3.9
Knoxville	422,480	408,260	14,220	3.4
Memphis	635,940	609,920	26,020	4.1
Morristown	51,820	49,630	2,190	4.2
Nashville-Murfreesboro	1,025,520	997,440	28,080	2.7

### Counties

County	Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Unemp. Rate (%)
Anderson County	34,490	33,180	1,310	3.8
Bedford County	20,690	19,940	750	3.6
Benton County	6,850	6,460	390	5.6
Bledsoe County	4,370	4,100	270	6.1
Blount County	62,490	60,290	2,200	3.5
Bradley County	50,160	48,370	1,790	3.6
Campbell County	14,980	14,220	760	5.1
Cannon County	6,290	6,110	190	2.9
Carroll County	12,070	11,440	630	5.2
Carter County	24,030	22,950	1,090	4.5
Cheatham County	21,280	20,700	580	2.7
Chester County	8,590	8,260	330	3.8
Claiborne County	12,810	12,210	590	4.6
Clay County	3,110	2,950	160	5.3
Cocke County	14,480	13,540	940	6.5
Coffee County	25,340	24,440	900	3.5
Crockett County	7,040	6,740	300	4.2
Cumberland County	23,860	22,650	1,210	5.1
Davidson County	393,470	383,290	10,180	2.6
Decatur County	4,700	4,420	280	6.0
DeKalb County	7,780	7,430	360	4.6
Dickson County	26,040	25,210	840	3.2
Dyer County	16,160	15,380	790	4.9
Fayette County	18,760	18,040	720	3.8
Fentress County	7,100	6,790	300	4.3
Franklin County	20,030	19,330	710	3.5
Gibson County	21,570	20,610	960	4.4
Giles County	15,850	15,250	600	3.8
Grainger County	9,510	9,120	400	4.2
Greene County	31,070	29,640	1,430	4.6
Grundy County	4,900	4,680	220	4.4
Hamblen County	27,560	26,430	1,130	4.1
Hamilton County	179,160	172,950	6,220	3.5
Hancock County	2,070	1,970	100	4.9
Hardeman County	9,330	8,840	480	5.2
Hardin County	10,470	10,010	460	4.4
Hawkins County	24,010	23,010	1,000	4.2
Haywood County	8,000	7,550	450	5.6

Counties	Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Unemp. Rate (%)
Henderson County	12,050	11,390	660	5.5
Henry County	14,070	13,390	680	4.8
Hickman County	10,960	10,590	370	3.3
Houston County	3,240	3,020	220	6.8
Humphreys County	8,980	8,540	440	4.9
Jackson County	4,670	4,420	250	5.4
Jefferson County	24,260	23,200	1,060	4.4
Johnson County	7,610	7,280	330	4.3
Knox County	239,420	232,390	7,030	2.9
Lake County	1,870	1,760	110	5.8
Lauderdale County	9,550	8,990	570	5.9
Lawrence County	18,010	17,220	800	4.4
Lewis County	5,020	4,760	270	5.3
Lincoln County	16,350	15,820	530	3.2
Loudon County	22,830	22,030	810	3.5
Macon County	10,770	10,420	350	3.2
Madison County	48,750	46,800	1,950	4.0
Marion County	12,400	11,780	620	5.0
Marshall County	15,910	15,380	530	3.3
Mauzy County	46,720	44,990	1,730	3.7
McMinn County	22,850	21,850	1,010	4.4
McNairy County	8,500	8,010	490	5.8
Meigs County	5,060	4,820	240	4.8
Monroe County	19,980	19,210	770	3.9
Montgomery County	82,010	78,890	3,120	3.8
Moore County	3,550	3,450	100	2.9
Morgan County	7,930	7,560	370	4.7
Obion County	12,140	11,500	640	5.3
Overton County	9,780	9,340	440	4.5
Perry County	3,320	3,170	150	4.5
Pickett County	2,430	2,330	100	4.1
Polk County	7,380	7,040	340	4.6
Putnam County	34,560	33,330	1,230	3.6
Rhea County	13,360	12,510	850	6.4
Roane County	23,410	22,360	1,050	4.5
Robertson County	36,600	35,430	1,170	3.2
Rutherford County	172,120	167,550	4,580	2.7
Scott County	8,320	7,930	390	4.7
Sequatchie County	6,160	5,890	270	4.4
Sevier County	50,580	47,380	3,200	6.3
Shelby County	444,830	426,370	18,460	4.2
Smith County	9,130	8,810	310	3.4
Stewart County	5,250	4,960	290	5.4
Sullivan County	70,610	67,890	2,720	3.9
Sumner County	97,140	94,400	2,750	2.8
Tipton County	28,160	26,930	1,230	4.4
Trousdale County	4,050	3,890	150	3.8
Unicoi County	7,080	6,700	380	5.4
Union County	7,420	7,120	300	4.1
Van Buren County	2,110	2,020	90	4.2
Warren County	16,850	16,180	660	3.9
Washington County	59,570	57,390	2,190	3.7
Wayne County	6,220	5,870	340	5.5
Weakley County	16,090	15,450	640	4.0
White County	12,070	11,620	450	3.7
Williamson County	119,600	116,690	2,910	2.4
Wilson County	71,350	69,360	1,990	2.8

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**Labor Force Estimates - Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act (WIOA) Areas** Release: 1:30 PM CT on 04/26/2018

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	Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Unemp. Rate (%)		Rate Change	Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Unemp. Rate (%)		Rate Change	
				Mar.	Feb.					Mar.	Feb.		
<b>WIOA 1</b>	<b>169,140</b>	<b>162,800</b>	<b>6,340</b>	<b>3.7</b>	<b>4.0</b>	<b>-0.2</b>	<b>WIOA 8</b>	<b>400,850</b>	<b>388,810</b>	<b>12,070</b>	<b>3.0</b>	<b>3.1</b>	<b>-0.1</b>
Carter	24,000	23,010	990	4.1	4.5	-0.4	Cheatham	21,350	20,770	590	2.7	2.7	0.0
Johnson	7,560	7,280	280	3.7	4.3	-0.6	Dickson	26,060	25,270	790	3.0	3.2	-0.2
Sullivan	70,960	68,320	2,640	3.7	3.9	-0.2	Houston	3,200	3,020	190	5.8	6.8	-1.0
Unicoi	7,010	6,670	340	4.9	5.4	-0.5	Humphreys	8,950	8,570	390	4.3	4.9	-0.6
Washington	59,610	57,520	2,090	3.5	3.7	-0.2	Montgomery	82,030	79,000	3,030	3.7	3.8	-0.1
							Robertson	36,580	35,430	1,140	3.1	3.2	-0.1
<b>WIOA 2</b>	<b>204,580</b>	<b>196,360</b>	<b>8,250</b>	<b>4.0</b>	<b>5.0</b>	<b>-1.0</b>	Stewart	5,220	4,960	260	5.1	5.4	-0.3
Claiborne	12,840	12,270	570	4.4	4.6	-0.2	Sumner	97,440	94,720	2,720	2.8	2.8	0.0
Coker	14,490	13,770	730	5.0	6.5	-1.5	Williamson	120,020	117,070	2,960	2.5	2.4	0.1
Grainger	9,450	9,090	370	3.9	4.2	-0.3							
Greene	30,910	29,600	1,310	4.2	4.6	-0.4	<b>WIOA 9</b>	<b>643,120</b>	<b>626,260</b>	<b>16,860</b>	<b>2.6</b>	<b>2.6</b>	<b>-0.0</b>
Hamblen	27,660	26,590	1,060	3.8	4.1	-0.3	Davidson	394,980	384,740	10,240	2.6	2.6	0.0
Hancock	2,060	1,970	100	4.7	4.9	-0.2	Rutherford	172,640	168,100	4,540	2.6	2.7	-0.1
Hawkins	24,100	23,140	960	4.0	4.2	-0.2	Trousdale	4,030	3,900	130	3.3	3.8	-0.5
Jefferson	24,220	23,350	870	3.6	4.4	-0.8	Wilson	71,470	69,520	1,950	2.7	2.8	-0.1
Sevier	51,430	49,460	1,980	3.8	6.3	-2.5							
Union	7,420	7,120	300	4.0	4.1	-0.1	<b>WIOA 10</b>	<b>121,730</b>	<b>117,300</b>	<b>4,420</b>	<b>3.6</b>	<b>3.9</b>	<b>-0.3</b>
							Giles	15,830	15,260	570	3.6	3.8	-0.2
<b>WIOA 3</b>	<b>239,290</b>	<b>232,340</b>	<b>6,950</b>	<b>2.9</b>	<b>2.9</b>	<b>-0.0</b>	Hickman	10,960	10,610	350	3.2	3.3	-0.1
Knox	239,290	232,340	6,950	2.9	2.9	0.0	Lawrence	17,900	17,170	730	4.1	4.4	-0.3
							Lewis	4,970	4,750	230	4.5	5.3	-0.8
<b>WIOA 4</b>	<b>217,520</b>	<b>209,340</b>	<b>8,200</b>	<b>3.8</b>	<b>4.1</b>	<b>-0.3</b>	Marshall	15,940	15,420	520	3.3	3.3	0.0
Anderson	34,470	33,180	1,290	3.7	3.8	-0.1	Mauzy	46,730	45,110	1,620	3.5	3.7	-0.2
Blount	62,250	60,240	2,020	3.2	3.5	-0.3	Perry	3,290	3,150	130	4.1	4.5	-0.4
Campbell	14,920	14,210	710	4.8	5.1	-0.3	Wayne	6,110	5,830	270	4.5	5.5	-1.0
Cumberland	23,810	22,790	1,020	4.3	5.1	-0.8							
Loudon	22,730	21,940	790	3.5	3.5	0.0	<b>WIOA 11</b>	<b>110,120</b>	<b>105,350</b>	<b>4,770</b>	<b>4.3</b>	<b>4.6</b>	<b>-0.3</b>
Monroe	19,900	19,180	730	3.6	3.9	-0.3	Chester	8,580	8,260	320	3.7	3.8	-0.1
Morgan	7,880	7,540	340	4.3	4.7	-0.4	Decatur	4,690	4,440	250	5.3	6.0	-0.7
Roane	23,260	22,330	930	4.0	4.5	-0.5	Hardeman	9,250	8,790	460	5.0	5.2	-0.2
Scott	8,300	7,930	370	4.4	4.7	-0.3	Hardin	10,530	10,080	450	4.3	4.4	-0.1
							Haywood	7,910	7,490	420	5.4	5.6	-0.2
<b>WIOA 5</b>	<b>300,950</b>	<b>289,860</b>	<b>11,080</b>	<b>3.7</b>	<b>3.8</b>	<b>-0.1</b>	Henderson	11,980	11,400	580	4.9	5.5	-0.6
Bledsoe	4,340	4,090	250	5.8	6.1	-0.3	Madison	48,750	46,930	1,820	3.7	4.0	-0.3
Bradley	49,960	48,220	1,740	3.5	3.6	-0.1	McNairy	8,430	7,960	470	5.5	5.8	-0.3
Hamilton	179,600	173,580	6,020	3.4	3.5	-0.1							
Marion	12,390	11,830	560	4.6	5.0	-0.4	<b>WIOA 12</b>	<b>145,050</b>	<b>138,600</b>	<b>6,470</b>	<b>4.5</b>	<b>4.8</b>	<b>-0.3</b>
McMinn	22,800	21,860	940	4.1	4.4	-0.3	Benton	6,850	6,520	330	4.9	5.6	-0.7
Meigs	5,080	4,850	230	4.5	4.8	-0.3	Carroll	11,970	11,410	560	4.7	5.2	-0.5
Polk	7,320	7,010	310	4.2	4.6	-0.4	Crockett	6,980	6,690	290	4.1	4.2	-0.1
Rhea	13,280	12,520	760	5.7	6.4	-0.7	Dyer	16,110	15,360	750	4.7	4.9	-0.2
Sequatchie	6,180	5,900	270	4.4	4.4	0.0	Gibson	21,520	20,590	930	4.3	4.4	-0.1
							Henry	13,990	13,390	600	4.3	4.8	-0.5
<b>WIOA 6</b>	<b>107,460</b>	<b>103,690</b>	<b>3,780</b>	<b>3.5</b>	<b>3.6</b>	<b>-0.1</b>	Lake	1,830	1,740	100	5.2	5.8	-0.6
Bedford	20,730	20,000	730	3.5	3.6	-0.1	Lauderdale	9,500	8,980	520	5.5	5.9	-0.4
Coffee	25,340	24,460	880	3.5	3.5	0.0	Obion	12,120	11,530	590	4.9	5.3	-0.4
Franklin	19,980	19,280	700	3.5	3.5	0.0	Tipton	28,220	27,040	1,180	4.2	4.4	-0.2
Grundy	4,830	4,620	210	4.2	4.4	-0.2	Weakley	15,960	15,350	620	3.9	4.0	-0.1
Lincoln	16,330	15,830	510	3.1	3.2	-0.1							
Moore	3,540	3,430	110	3.1	2.9	0.2	<b>WIOA 13</b>	<b>465,760</b>	<b>447,130</b>	<b>18,620</b>	<b>4.0</b>	<b>4.1</b>	<b>-0.1</b>
Warren	16,710	16,070	640	3.8	3.9	-0.1	Fayette	18,760	18,060	700	3.7	3.8	-0.1
							Shelby	447,000	429,070	17,920	4.0	4.2	-0.2
<b>WIOA 7</b>	<b>109,490</b>	<b>105,500</b>	<b>4,030</b>	<b>3.7</b>	<b>3.9</b>	<b>-0.2</b>	<b>WIOA Total</b>	<b>3,235,060</b>	<b>3,123,340</b>	<b>111,840</b>	<b>3.5</b>	<b>3.6</b>	<b>-0.2</b>
Cannon	6,310	6,110	200	3.1	2.9	0.2							
Clay	3,080	2,940	150	4.7	5.3	-0.6							
DeKalb	7,740	7,410	330	4.3	4.6	-0.3							
Fentress	7,040	6,750	300	4.2	4.3	-0.1							
Jackson	4,630	4,410	220	4.7	5.4	-0.7							
Macon	10,700	10,360	340	3.1	3.2	-0.1							
Overton	9,720	9,340	380	3.9	4.5	-0.6							
Pickett	2,440	2,360	90	3.5	4.1	-0.6							
Putnam	34,570	33,360	1,210	3.5	3.6	-0.1							
Smith	9,110	8,820	290	3.2	3.4	-0.2							
Van Buren	2,090	2,000	90	4.3	4.2	0.1							
White	12,060	11,640	430	3.5	3.7	-0.2							

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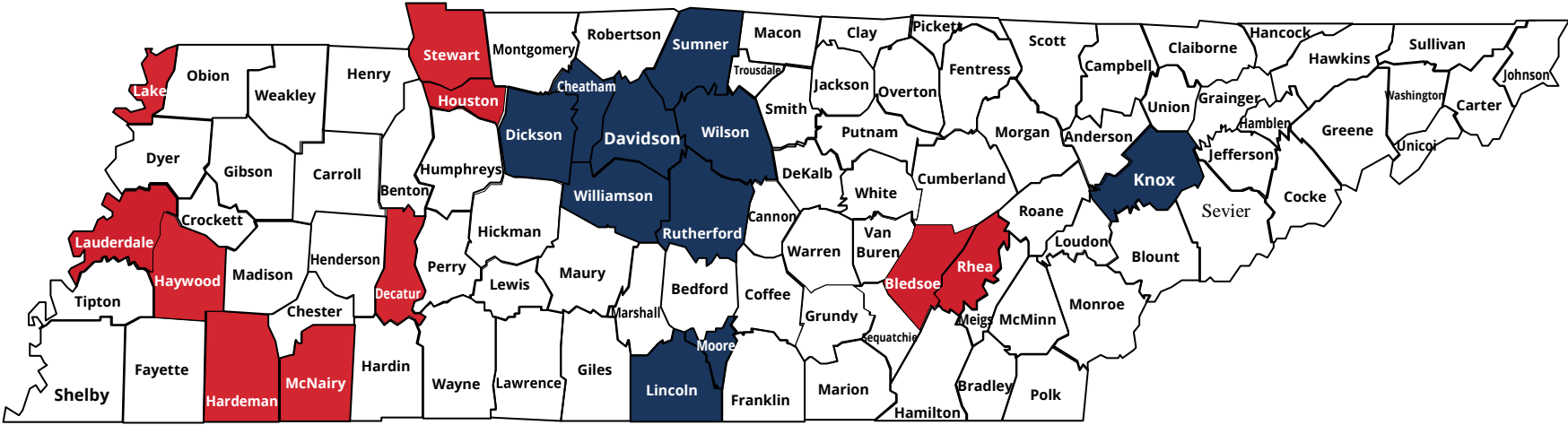
# Labor Force Estimates - Economic & Community Development Regions

March, 2018 preliminary

Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Unemp. Rate (%)		Rate Change	Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Unemp. Rate (%)		Rate Change		
			Mar.	Feb.					Mar.	Feb.			
<b>Northeast TN</b>						<b>Upper Cumberland</b>							
<b>226,210</b>	<b>217,510</b>	<b>8,710</b>	<b>3.9</b>	<b>4.1</b>	<b>-0.2</b>	<b>150,010</b>	<b>144,360</b>	<b>5,690</b>	<b>3.8</b>	<b>4.1</b>	<b>-0.3</b>		
Carter	24,000	23,010	990	4.1	4.5	-0.4	Cannon	6,310	6,110	200	3.1	2.9	0.2
Greene	30,910	29,600	1,310	4.2	4.6	-0.4	Clay	3,080	2,940	150	4.7	5.3	-0.6
Hancock	2,060	1,970	100	4.7	4.9	-0.2	Cumberland	23,810	22,790	1,020	4.3	5.1	-0.8
Hawkins	24,100	23,140	960	4.0	4.2	-0.2	DeKalb	7,740	7,410	330	4.3	4.6	-0.3
Johnson	7,560	7,280	280	3.7	4.3	-0.6	Fentress	7,040	6,750	300	4.2	4.3	-0.1
Sullivan	70,960	68,320	2,640	3.7	3.9	-0.2	Jackson	4,630	4,410	220	4.7	5.4	-0.7
Unicoi	7,010	6,670	340	4.9	5.4	-0.5	Macon	10,700	10,360	340	3.1	3.2	-0.1
Washington	59,610	57,520	2,090	3.5	3.7	-0.2	Overton	9,720	9,340	380	3.9	4.5	-0.6
<b>East TN</b>						<b>Northern Middle TN</b>							
<b>580,510</b>	<b>560,540</b>	<b>20,010</b>	<b>3.4</b>	<b>3.8</b>	<b>-0.4</b>	<b>1,043,970</b>	<b>1,015,070</b>	<b>28,930</b>	<b>2.8</b>	<b>2.8</b>	<b>-0.0</b>		
Anderson	34,470	33,180	1,290	3.7	3.8	-0.1	Cheatham	21,350	20,770	590	2.7	2.7	0.0
Blount	62,250	60,240	2,020	3.2	3.5	-0.3	Davidson	394,980	384,740	10,240	2.6	2.6	0.0
Campbell	14,920	14,210	710	4.8	5.1	-0.3	Dickson	26,060	25,270	790	3.0	3.2	-0.2
Claiborne	12,840	12,270	570	4.4	4.6	-0.2	Houston	3,200	3,020	190	5.8	6.8	-1.0
Cocke	14,490	13,770	730	5.0	6.5	-1.5	Humphreys	8,950	8,570	390	4.3	4.9	-0.6
Grainger	9,450	9,090	370	3.9	4.2	-0.3	Montgomery	82,030	79,000	3,030	3.7	3.8	-0.1
Hamblen	27,660	26,590	1,060	3.8	4.1	-0.3	Robertson	36,580	35,430	1,140	3.1	3.2	-0.1
Jefferson	24,220	23,350	870	3.6	4.4	-0.8	Rutherford	172,640	168,100	4,540	2.6	2.7	-0.1
Knox	239,290	232,340	6,950	2.9	2.9	0.0	Stewart	5,220	4,960	260	5.1	5.4	-0.3
Loudon	22,730	21,940	790	3.5	3.5	0.0	Sumner	97,440	94,720	2,720	2.8	2.8	0.0
Monroe	19,900	19,180	730	3.6	3.9	-0.3	Trousdale	4,030	3,900	130	3.3	3.8	-0.5
Morgan	7,880	7,540	340	4.3	4.7	-0.4	Williamson	120,020	117,070	2,960	2.5	2.4	0.1
Roane	23,260	22,330	930	4.0	4.5	-0.5	Wilson	71,470	69,520	1,950	2.7	2.8	-0.1
Scott	8,300	7,930	370	4.4	4.7	-0.3	<b>Northwest TN</b>						
Sevier	51,430	49,460	1,980	3.8	6.3	-2.5	<b>107,330</b>	<b>102,580</b>	<b>4,770</b>	<b>4.4</b>	<b>4.7</b>	<b>-0.3</b>	
Union	7,420	7,120	300	4.0	4.1	-0.1	Benton	6,850	6,520	330	4.9	5.6	-0.7
<b>Southeast TN</b>						<b>Southwest TN</b>							
<b>305,780</b>	<b>294,480</b>	<b>11,290</b>	<b>3.7</b>	<b>3.8</b>	<b>-0.1</b>	<b>110,120</b>	<b>105,350</b>	<b>4,770</b>	<b>4.3</b>	<b>4.6</b>	<b>-0.3</b>		
Bledsoe	4,340	4,090	250	5.8	6.1	-0.3	Chester	8,580	8,260	320	3.7	3.8	-0.1
Bradley	49,960	48,220	1,740	3.5	3.6	-0.1	Decatur	4,690	4,440	250	5.3	6.0	-0.7
Grundy	4,830	4,620	210	4.2	4.4	-0.2	Hardeman	9,250	8,790	460	5.0	5.2	-0.2
Hamilton	179,600	173,580	6,020	3.4	3.5	-0.1	Hardin	10,530	10,080	450	4.3	4.4	-0.1
Marion	12,390	11,830	560	4.6	5.0	-0.4	Haywood	7,910	7,490	420	5.4	5.6	-0.2
McMinn	22,800	21,860	940	4.1	4.4	-0.3	Henderson	11,980	11,400	580	4.9	5.5	-0.6
Meigs	5,080	4,850	230	4.5	4.8	-0.3	Madison	48,750	46,930	1,820	3.7	4.0	-0.3
Polk	7,320	7,010	310	4.2	4.6	-0.4	McNairy	8,430	7,960	470	5.5	5.8	-0.3
Rhea	13,280	12,520	760	5.7	6.4	-0.7	<b>Greater Memphis</b>						
Sequatchie	6,180	5,900	270	4.4	4.4	0.0	<b>503,480</b>	<b>483,150</b>	<b>20,320</b>	<b>4.0</b>	<b>4.2</b>	<b>-0.1</b>	
<b>Southern Middle TN</b>						<b>Greater Memphis</b>							
<b>207,650</b>	<b>200,300</b>	<b>7,350</b>	<b>3.5</b>	<b>3.7</b>	<b>-0.2</b>	Fayette	18,760	18,060	700	3.7	3.8	-0.1	
Bedford	20,730	20,000	730	3.5	3.6	-0.1	Lauderdale	9,500	8,980	520	5.5	5.9	-0.4
Coffee	25,340	24,460	880	3.5	3.5	0.0	Shelby	447,000	429,070	17,920	4.0	4.2	-0.2
Franklin	19,980	19,280	700	3.5	3.5	0.0	Tipton	28,220	27,040	1,180	4.2	4.4	-0.2
Giles	15,830	15,260	570	3.6	3.8	-0.2	<b>Total</b>	<b>3,235,060</b>	<b>3,123,340</b>	<b>111,840</b>	<b>3.5</b>	<b>3.6</b>	<b>-0.2</b>
Hickman	10,960	10,610	350	3.2	3.3	-0.1	Numbers may not add due to rounding.						
Lawrence	17,900	17,170	730	4.1	4.4	-0.3							
Lewis	4,970	4,750	230	4.5	5.3	-0.8							
Lincoln	16,330	15,830	510	3.1	3.2	-0.1							
Marshall	15,940	15,420	520	3.3	3.3	0.0							
Mauzy	46,730	45,110	1,620	3.5	3.7	-0.2							
Moore	3,540	3,430	110	3.1	2.9	0.2							
Perry	3,290	3,150	130	4.1	4.5	-0.4							
Wayne	6,110	5,830	270	4.5	5.5	-1.0							

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**Lowest**  
**County Unemployment Rates**

		Mar, 2018	
Rank	County	Pre. Rate (%)	
1	Williamson	2.5	
2	Davidson	2.6	
3	Rutherford	2.6	
4	Wilson	2.7	
5	Cheatham	2.7	
6	Sumner	2.8	
7	Knox	2.9	
8	Dickson	3.0	
9	Moore	3.1	
10	Lincoln	3.1	

**Highest**  
**County Unemployment Rates**

		Mar, 2018	
Rank	County	Pre. Rate (%)	
95	Houston	5.8	
94	Bledsoe	5.8	
93	Rhea	5.7	
92	McNairy	5.5	
91	Lauderdale	5.5	
90	Haywood	5.4	
89	Decatur	5.3	
88	Lake	5.2	
87	Stewart	5.1	
86	Hardeman	5.0	