

Table A-7. States — Labor Force and Private Business Establishments and Employment

State	Civilian labor force, 2000				Private nonfarm businesses									
	Total	Percent change, 1999-2000	Unemployment		Establishments				Employment ²				Annual payroll per employee, 1998	
			Total	Rate ¹	1998	Percent change, 1990-1998	1995	1990	1998	Percent change, 1990-1998	1995	1990	Amount (dollars)	Percent of national average
UNITED STATES	140 863 000	1.1	5 655 000	4.0	6 941 822	12.4	6 613 218	6 175 563	108 117 731	15.7	100 334 745	93 476 087	30 609	100.0
Alabama	2 154 273	.6	99 092	4.6	100 316	15.9	96 053	86 537	1 604 110	19.4	1 553 309	1 342 993	25 142	82.1
Alaska	321 964	1.0	21 296	6.6	18 212	23.3	17 264	14 773	196 135	24.3	181 975	157 798	35 098	114.7
Arizona	2 346 997	-5	91 223	3.9	110 245	27.5	99 583	86 489	1 763 508	42.6	1 507 132	1 236 401	27 815	90.9
Arkansas	1 238 151	.7	54 930	4.4	62 353	16.7	60 231	53 409	944 935	25.8	891 175	750 877	23 033	75.2
California	17 090 815	3.0	845 192	4.9	773 925	3.8	740 583	745 686	12 026 989	6.3	10 959 318	11 318 516	33 797	110.4
Colorado	2 275 545	.5	62 501	2.7	130 354	34.6	118 192	96 828	1 757 628	40.8	1 558 141	1 248 022	30 604	100.0
Connecticut	1 746 489	2.2	39 345	2.3	92 362	-5	91 189	92 816	1 493 964	.8	1 415 400	1 482 023	38 974	127.3
Delaware	409 058	5.0	16 247	4.0	22 871	21.9	20 991	18 761	354 643	14.0	324 498	311 017	33 361	109.0
District of Columbia	278 875	-7	16 112	5.8	19 571	-1	19 451	19 587	402 070	-5.8	413 757	426 959	43 172	141.0
Florida	7 490 307	1.8	268 808	3.6	420 638	16.4	398 232	361 330	5 756 353	24.9	5 208 285	4 607 247	26 047	85.1
Georgia	4 173 274	2.3	154 398	3.7	194 213	23.2	179 006	157 667	3 198 950	28.0	2 920 361	2 498 877	29 599	96.7
Hawaii	595 432	.4	25 517	4.3	29 603	1.0	29 942	29 313	416 571	-3.7	423 822	432 663	27 107	88.6
Idaho	657 712	1.0	31 914	4.9	35 961	35.6	32 972	26 513	423 615	41.1	379 161	300 163	25 012	81.7
Illinois	6 419 316	.6	279 433	4.4	304 533	11.7	293 694	272 738	5 221 782	12.4	4 950 462	4 647 094	33 648	109.9
Indiana	3 084 135	.3	100 203	3.2	146 197	13.9	141 253	128 311	2 540 866	18.2	2 403 189	2 150 168	28 115	91.9
Iowa	1 563 063	-6	40 922	2.6	80 838	10.5	78 464	73 130	1 213 285	20.4	1 138 402	1 007 900	25 064	81.9
Kansas	1 411 024	-1.6	52 323	3.7	74 019	12.4	70 894	65 858	1 081 941	21.0	982 066	893 830	26 570	86.8
Kentucky	1 981 868	.8	81 752	4.1	89 593	13.4	85 123	79 006	1 443 015	21.7	1 347 087	1 186 001	25 564	83.5
Louisiana	2 029 566	-1.1	112 475	5.5	100 667	14.0	96 063	88 290	1 577 220	24.1	1 452 355	1 271 219	25 870	84.5
Maine	688 754	2.8	24 153	3.5	38 334	10.0	36 298	34 840	456 715	7.7	432 290	424 027	25 309	82.7
Maryland	2 804 827	1.1	108 284	3.9	126 577	10.2	122 350	114 874	1 938 727	7.1	1 820 731	1 810 796	30 854	100.8
Massachusetts	3 236 597	-1.4	85 610	2.6	167 929	6.1	160 350	158 329	2 924 913	5.5	2 735 963	2 772 444	36 196	118.3
Michigan	5 201 404	1.1	185 356	3.6	235 403	11.9	226 973	210 303	3 919 567	14.9	3 704 315	3 411 784	32 822	107.2
Minnesota	2 738 685	1.3	89 540	3.3	134 981	20.3	125 927	112 187	2 271 671	24.0	2 072 503	1 832 156	30 856	100.8
Mississippi	1 326 349	4.6	75 285	5.7	59 771	13.0	57 095	52 888	937 023	29.6	871 814	723 174	22 483	73.5
Missouri	2 929 827	3.1	101 447	3.5	143 912	10.5	139 980	130 287	2 310 122	14.7	2 169 026	2 013 560	27 994	91.5
Montana	479 132	1.1	23 524	4.9	30 957	23.7	29 109	25 028	277 144	24.9	260 973	212 851	21 508	70.3
Nebraska	324 298	1.4	27 537	3.0	48 655	11.2	47 128	43 749	720 252	22.7	674 779	587 044	25 239	82.5
Nevada	986 052	4.7	39 978	4.1	44 613	48.0	37 219	29 932	800 861	49.2	672 260	536 607	27 280	89.1
New Hampshire	685 511	2.6	19 191	2.8	36 842	10.8	34 647	33 249	518 526	17.9	464 122	439 636	28 666	93.7
New Jersey	4 187 899	-4	157 410	3.8	230 860	7.8	220 991	214 076	3 368 365	4.6	3 184 458	3 220 178	37 344	122.0
New Mexico	832 835	2.9	40 400	4.9	42 608	19.4	40 631	35 700	540 186	29.2	506 634	417 986	24 313	79.4
New York	8 941 082	-7	407 769	4.6	481 962	3.3	467 262	466 762	6 993 814	-1.2	6 782 174	7 075 441	39 268	128.3
North Carolina	3 958 354	2.3	144 079	3.6	198 690	20.4	181 972	165 076	3 223 178	20.3	2 992 175	2 678 669	26 924	88.0
North Dakota	338 822	.6	10 106	3.0	20 288	6.9	20 269	18 979	249 476	26.8	230 090	196 675	22 182	72.5
Ohio	5 782 649	.5	236 536	4.1	270 343	8.7	263 739	248 694	4 806 046	13.2	4 550 590	4 245 977	29 185	95.3
Oklahoma	1 648 017	-4	50 048	3.0	84 881	13.7	81 395	74 663	1 167 709	24.1	1 055 227	940 800	24 550	80.2
Oregon	1 802 889	2.4	87 486	4.9	99 183	22.3	93 468	81 077	1 310 750	28.9	1 185 415	1 017 239	28 780	94.0
Pennsylvania	5 971 913	-1	249 922	4.2	292 659	4.7	283 998	279 595	4 906 190	6.7	4 702 892	4 598 441	29 670	96.9
Rhode Island	504 800	.1	20 586	4.1	28 245	1.9	27 766	27 726	402 485	2.3	379 595	393 456	27 618	90.2
South Carolina	1 985 249	1.1	76 504	3.9	94 985	19.1	87 990	79 743	1 526 106	20.5	1 395 070	1 266 320	25 266	82.5
South Dakota	401 151	.4	9 145	2.3	23 521	14.8	22 708	20 492	289 422	34.5	268 483	215 104	22 125	72.3
Tennessee	2 798 336	-6	110 174	3.9	131 110	15.7	124 814	113 292	2 299 348	23.0	2 153 264	1 969 268	27 156	88.7
Texas	10 324 527	1.0	437 488	4.2	462 875	17.3	438 262	394 482	7 570 820	29.1	6 786 893	5 864 637	30 272	98.9
Utah	1 104 208	1.7	35 837	3.2	52 025	42.2	45 882	36 586	866 146	51.7	744 430	570 830	25 631	83.7
Vermont	331 574	-1.3	9 657	2.9	21 261	7.2	20 542	19 839	239 034	11.1	224 327	215 222	24 716	80.7
Virginia	3 609 703	2.3	79 801	2.2	172 182	15.0	162 378	149 695	2 700 589	16.3	2 481 306	2 321 517	30 090	98.3
Washington	3 045 244	-1.0	157 714	5.2	161 473	22.4	151 925	131 919	2 134 598	21.1	1 948 923	1 762 046	34 324	112.1
West Virginia	824 578	1.0	45 626	5.5	41 703	10.7	40 599	37 687	547 234	13.4	530 596	482 517	24 265	79.3
Wisconsin	2 934 931	1.6	103 769	3.5	138 635	13.5	133 238	122 142	2 319 343	19.0	2 186 060	1 948 856	27 987	91.4
Wyoming	266 945	1.9	10 377	3.9	17 888	22.3	17 133	14 630	163 791	24.0	157 472	132 061	24 300	79.4

¹ Civilian unemployed as a percent of total civilian labor force. ² For pay period including March 12 of the year shown.

Sources: Civilian Labor Force—U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics; Local Area Unemployment Statistics; 2000 data published 2 May 2001, 1999 data published 30 May 2001; <<http://ftp.bls.gov/pub/time.series/la/>> (related Internet site <<http://www.bls.gov/la/home.htm>>). Private Business Establishments and Employment—U.S. Census Bureau; County Business Patterns on CD-ROM; annual (related Internet site <<http://www.census.gov/epcd/cbpview/cbpview.html>>).