HOUSEHOLD DATA SEASONALLY ADJUSTED

A-7. Employed persons by class of worker and part-time status, seasonally adjusted

[In thousands]

Category	2023					2024							
	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.
CLASS OF WORKER													
Agriculture and related industries	2,279	2,286	2,201	2,262	2,205	2,184	2,201	2,217	2,246	2,221	2,379	2,273	2,327
Wage and salary workers ¹	1,553	1,563	1,468	1,549	1,520	1,489	1,524	1,507	1,555	1,504	1,666	1,595	1,659
Self-employed workers,													
unincorporated	694	694	707	701	680	687	649	654	657	657	655	641	630
Nonagricultural industries	159,275	159,306	159,166	159,578	158,993	158,735	158,601	158,970	159,161	158,919	158,984	159,100	159,108
Wage and salary workers ¹	150,262	150,134	150,170	150,505	149,702	149,741	149,321	149,513	149,831	149,413	149,846	149,789	149,476
Private industries	128,893	128,558	128,454	128,612	128,086	128,407	128,256	128,092	128,170	127,746	128,300	128,166	127,962
Industries except private													
households	128,254	127,958	· '	127,889	127,414	127,521	127,392	127,331	127,493	127,072	127,646	127,515	127,371
Government	21,249	21,618	21,664	21,878	21,700	21,490	21,142	21,436	21,616	21,613	21,560	21,607	21,431
Self-employed workers, unincorporated	8,827	9,043	8,957	9,014	9,335	9,087	9,377	9,522	9,295	9,408	9,025	9,191	9,475
PERSONS AT WORK PART TIME ²													
All industries													
Part time for economic reasons ³	4,221	4,069	4,284	3,994	4,211	4,422	4,376	4,308	4,469	4,419	4,220	4,566	4,830
Slack work or business conditions	2,821	2,799	2,985	2,790	2,960	2,994	2,863	2,972	3,058	3,086	2,832	2,985	3,303
Could only find part-time work	1,017	940	1,000	934	964	1,026	1,104	999	1,134	1,042	1,144	1,195	1,144
Part time for noneconomic reasons ⁴	22,030	22,177	21,576	21,879	22,458	22,156	22,309	22,902	22,253	22,662	22,341	22,036	22,561
Nonagricultural industries													
Part time for economic reasons ³	4,149	3,988	4,205	3,931	4,138	4,371	4,300	4,255	4,404	4,340	4,138	4,491	4,737
Slack work or business conditions	2,779	2,753	2,941	2,735	2,913	2,959	2,803	2,949	3,010	3,036	2,778	2,937	3,261
Could only find part-time work	1,016	930	992	923	953	1,018	1,098	980	1,132	1,028	1,134	1,188	1,124
Part time for noneconomic reasons ⁴	21,582	21,752	21,214	21,444	22,060	21,793	21,951	22,523	21,906	22,285	21,947	21,681	22,170

¹ Includes self-employed workers whose businesses are incorporated.

NOTE: Detail for the data shown in this table will not necessarily add to totals because of the independent seasonal adjustment of the various series. Updated population controls are introduced annually with the release of January data.

² Refers to those who worked 1 to 34 hours during the survey reference week and excludes employed persons who were absent from their jobs for the entire week.

³ Refers to those who worked 1 to 34 hours during the reference week for an economic reason such as slack work or unfavorable business conditions, inability to find full-time work, or seasonal declines in demand.

⁴ Refers to persons who usually work part time for noneconomic reasons such as childcare problems, family or personal obligations, school or training, retirement or Social Security limits on earnings, and other reasons. This excludes persons who usually work full time but worked only 1 to 34 hours during the reference week for reasons such as vacations, holidays, illness, and bad weather.