

Labor Force Estimates - United States & Tennessee

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| <i>Seasonally Adjusted*</i> | February, 2017 preliminary | | | | Jan. '17 revised | | Feb. '16 | |
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| | Labor Force | Employed | Unemployed | Rate | Rate | Change | Rate | Change |
| UNITED STATES | 160,056,000 | 152,528,000 | 7,528,000 | 4.7% | 4.8% | -0.1% | 4.9% | -0.2% |
| TENNESSEE | 3,196,200 | 3,026,500 | 169,700 | 5.3% | 5.4% | -0.1% | 4.7% | 0.6% |

* 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 | 159,482,000 | 151,594,000 | 7,887,000 | 4.9% | 5.1% | -0.2% | 5.2% | -0.3% |
| TENNESSEE | 3,168,000 | 3,011,800 | 156,200 | 4.9% | 5.7% | -0.8% | 4.6% | 0.3% |

Labor Force Estimates - Combined Statistical Areas (CSA)

| | February, 2017 pre. | | | | Jan. '17 rev. | |
|---|---------------------|-----------|------------|------------|---------------|--------|
| | Labor Force | Employed | Unemployed | Rate | Rate | Change |
| Chattanooga-Cleveland-Dalton, TN-GA-AL CSA | 446,160 | 422,570 | 23,580 | 5.3 | 6.1 | -0.8 |
| Athens Micropolitan Area (McMinn Co.) | 23,040 | 21,750 | 1,290 | 5.6 | 6.4 | -0.8 |
| Chattanooga, TN-GA MSA | 263,790 | 250,870 | 12,930 | 4.9 | 5.6 | -0.7 |
| Cleveland, TN MSA | 59,260 | 56,460 | 2,810 | 4.7 | 5.4 | -0.7 |
| Dalton, GA MSA | 63,090 | 59,220 | 3,870 | 6.1 | 7.1 | -1.0 |
| Dayton Micropolitan Area (Rhea Co.) | 13,440 | 12,250 | 1,190 | 8.8 | 10.2 | -1.4 |
| Scottsboro, AL Micropolitan Area | 23,540 | 22,030 | 1,510 | 6.4 | 7.5 | -1.1 |
| Jackson-Brownsville, TN CSA | 71,110 | 67,420 | 3,690 | 5.2 | 6.2 | -2.8 |
| Brownsville Micropolitan Area (Haywood Co.) | 7,860 | 7,330 | 530 | 6.8 | 8 | -1.2 |
| Jackson, TN MSA | 63,240 | 60,080 | 3,160 | 5.0 | 6 | -1.0 |
| Johnson City-Kingsport-Bristol, TN-VA CSA | 228,110 | 216,010 | 12,100 | 5.3 | 6.1 | -0.8 |
| Johnson City, TN MSA | 90,510 | 85,530 | 4,980 | 5.5 | 6.5 | -1.0 |
| Kingsport-Bristol, TN-VA MSA | 137,600 | 130,480 | 7,120 | 5.2 | 5.9 | -0.7 |
| Knoxville-Morristown-Sevierville, TN CSA | 530,350 | 502,600 | 27,750 | 5.2 | 6.0 | -0.8 |
| Knoxville, TN MSA | 414,750 | 395,410 | 19,340 | 4.7 | 5.4 | -0.7 |
| Morristown, TN MSA | 51,200 | 48,370 | 2,830 | 5.5 | 6.3 | -0.8 |
| Newport Micropolitan Area (Cocke Co.) | 14,460 | 13,200 | 1,260 | 8.7 | 9.9 | -1.2 |
| Sevierville Micropolitan Area (Sevier Co.) | 49,940 | 45,630 | 4,320 | 8.6 | 9.6 | -1.0 |
| Martin-Union City, TN-KY CSA | 30,540 | 28,590 | 1,950 | 6.4 | 7.6 | -1.2 |
| Martin Micropolitan Area (Weakley Co.) | 15,870 | 14,960 | 910 | 5.7 | 6.7 | -1.0 |
| Union City, TN-KY Micropolitan Area | 14,670 | 13,630 | 1,040 | 7.1 | 8.5 | -1.4 |
| Memphis-Forrest City, TN-MS-AR CSA | 635,180 | 602,420 | 32,760 | 5.2 | 6.0 | -0.8 |
| Forrest City, AR Micropolitan Area | 8,730 | 8,230 | 500 | 5.7 | 5.7 | 0.0 |
| Memphis, TN-MS-AR MSA | 626,450 | 594,200 | 32,250 | 5.1 | 6.0 | -0.9 |
| Nashville-Murfreesboro, TN CSA | 1,044,570 | 1,004,780 | 39,780 | 3.8 | 4.4 | -0.6 |
| Lawrenceburg Micropolitan Area (Lawrence Co.) | 17,780 | 16,800 | 980 | 5.5 | 6.6 | -1.1 |
| Lewisburg Micropolitan Area (Marshall Co.) | 15,670 | 14,990 | 680 | 4.3 | 4.9 | -0.6 |
| Nashville-Murfreesboro-Franklin, TN MSA | 991,150 | 954,010 | 37,140 | 3.7 | 4.3 | -0.6 |
| Shelbyville Micropolitan Area (Bedford Co.) | 19,970 | 18,980 | 990 | 5.0 | 5.8 | -0.8 |

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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 | 263,790 | 250,870 | 12,930 | 4.9 | 5.6 | -0.7 | 4.9 | 0.0 |
| Hamilton County | 173,990 | 165,680 | 8,320 | 4.8 | 5.5 | -0.7 | 4.3 | 0.5 |
| Marion County | 12,180 | 11,420 | 760 | 6.3 | 7.8 | -1.5 | 6.1 | 0.2 |
| Sequatchie County | 6,050 | 5,660 | 390 | 6.4 | 6.9 | -0.5 | 5.3 | 1.1 |
| Georgia Portion | 71,570 | 68,110 | 3,460 | 4.8 | 5.2 | -0.4 | 6.1 | -1.3 |
| Clarksville, TN-KY MSA | 110,900 | 104,700 | 6,200 | 5.6 | 6.3 | -0.7 | 5.2 | 0.4 |
| Montgomery County | 79,670 | 75,490 | 4,180 | 5.2 | 6.2 | -1.0 | 4.7 | 0.5 |
| Kentucky Portion | 31,230 | 29,210 | 2,020 | 6.5 | 6.8 | -0.3 | 6.5 | 0.0 |
| Cleveland, TN MSA | 59,260 | 56,460 | 2,810 | 4.7 | 5.4 | -0.7 | 4.3 | 0.4 |
| Bradley County | 51,620 | 49,260 | 2,360 | 4.6 | 5.2 | -0.6 | 4.1 | 0.5 |
| Polk County | 7,650 | 7,200 | 450 | 5.8 | 6.8 | -1.0 | 5.6 | 0.2 |
| Jackson, TN MSA | 63,250 | 60,080 | 3,160 | 5.0 | 6.0 | -1.0 | 4.8 | 0.2 |
| Chester County | 8,460 | 8,050 | 410 | 4.8 | 6.1 | -1.3 | 4.6 | 0.2 |
| Crockett County | 7,090 | 6,670 | 420 | 5.9 | 7.0 | -1.1 | 5.7 | 0.2 |
| Madison County | 47,700 | 45,370 | 2,330 | 4.9 | 5.8 | -0.9 | 4.7 | 0.2 |
| Johnson City, TN MSA | 90,510 | 85,530 | 4,980 | 5.5 | 6.5 | -1.0 | 5.1 | 0.4 |
| Carter County | 24,160 | 22,630 | 1,530 | 6.3 | 7.6 | -1.3 | 5.6 | 0.7 |
| Unicoi County | 7,230 | 6,690 | 540 | 7.4 | 8.7 | -1.3 | 7.7 | -0.3 |
| Washington County | 59,120 | 56,210 | 2,910 | 4.9 | 5.8 | -0.9 | 4.5 | 0.4 |
| Kingsport-Bristol, TN-VA MSA | 137,600 | 130,480 | 7,120 | 5.2 | 5.9 | -0.7 | 4.9 | 0.3 |
| Hawkins County | 23,710 | 22,370 | 1,340 | 5.6 | 6.5 | -0.9 | 5.3 | 0.3 |
| Sullivan County | 69,910 | 66,130 | 3,790 | 5.4 | 6.3 | -0.9 | 4.9 | 0.5 |
| Virginia Portion | 43,980 | 41,990 | 1,990 | 4.5 | 4.9 | -0.4 | 4.7 | -0.2 |
| Knoxville, TN MSA | 414,750 | 395,410 | 19,340 | 4.7 | 5.4 | -0.7 | 4.3 | 0.4 |
| Anderson County | 34,030 | 32,320 | 1,720 | 5.1 | 5.8 | -0.7 | 4.7 | 0.4 |
| Blount County | 61,200 | 58,250 | 2,960 | 4.8 | 5.6 | -0.8 | 4.4 | 0.4 |
| Campbell County | 15,000 | 13,900 | 1,100 | 7.3 | 8.5 | -1.2 | 7.4 | -0.1 |
| Grainger County | 9,370 | 8,820 | 550 | 5.8 | 6.6 | -0.8 | 5.6 | 0.2 |
| Knox County | 234,200 | 224,560 | 9,640 | 4.1 | 4.7 | -0.6 | 3.7 | 0.4 |
| Loudon County | 22,500 | 21,430 | 1,070 | 4.8 | 5.6 | -0.8 | 4.5 | 0.3 |
| Morgan County | 7,890 | 7,390 | 500 | 6.4 | 8.1 | -1.7 | 6.4 | 0.0 |
| Roane County | 23,190 | 21,810 | 1,380 | 6.0 | 7.0 | -1.0 | 5.5 | 0.5 |
| Union County | 7,360 | 6,940 | 430 | 5.8 | 7.0 | -1.2 | 5.7 | 0.1 |
| Memphis, TN-MS-AR MSA | 626,450 | 594,200 | 32,250 | 5.1 | 6.0 | -0.9 | 5.0 | 0.1 |
| Fayette County | 18,270 | 17,280 | 990 | 5.4 | 6.3 | -0.9 | 4.8 | 0.6 |
| Shelby County | 436,930 | 412,890 | 24,040 | 5.5 | 6.3 | -0.8 | 5.0 | 0.5 |
| Tipton County | 27,820 | 26,260 | 1,560 | 5.6 | 6.6 | -1.0 | 5.6 | 0.0 |
| Arkansas Portion | 21,390 | 20,300 | 1,090 | 5.1 | 4.7 | 0.4 | 5.1 | 0.0 |
| Mississippi Portion | 122,050 | 117,470 | 4,580 | 3.8 | 5.0 | -1.2 | 4.9 | -1.1 |
| Morristown, TN MSA | 51,200 | 48,370 | 2,830 | 5.5 | 6.3 | -0.8 | 5.3 | 0.2 |
| Hamblen County | 27,180 | 25,750 | 1,430 | 5.3 | 6.0 | -0.7 | 5.0 | 0.3 |
| Jefferson County | 24,020 | 22,620 | 1,400 | 5.8 | 6.7 | -0.9 | 5.6 | 0.2 |
| Nashville-Murfreesboro, TN MSA | 991,150 | 954,010 | 37,140 | 3.7 | 4.3 | -0.6 | 3.5 | 0.2 |
| Cannon County | 6,150 | 5,880 | 270 | 4.4 | 5.1 | -0.7 | 4.5 | -0.1 |
| Cheatham County | 20,960 | 20,080 | 880 | 4.2 | 4.8 | -0.6 | 3.8 | 0.4 |
| Davidson County | 384,110 | 370,400 | 13,710 | 3.6 | 4.1 | -0.5 | 3.4 | 0.2 |
| Dickson County | 25,390 | 24,260 | 1,130 | 4.5 | 5.1 | -0.6 | 4.4 | 0.1 |
| Hickman County | 10,850 | 10,350 | 490 | 4.6 | 5.3 | -0.7 | 4.6 | 0.0 |
| Macon County | 10,550 | 10,100 | 460 | 4.3 | 5.2 | -0.9 | 4.3 | 0.0 |
| Maury County | 44,590 | 42,790 | 1,800 | 4.0 | 4.7 | -0.7 | 4.0 | 0.0 |
| Robertson County | 35,800 | 34,320 | 1,480 | 4.1 | 4.8 | -0.7 | 4.0 | 0.1 |
| Rutherford County | 164,330 | 158,250 | 6,070 | 3.7 | 4.3 | -0.6 | 3.4 | 0.3 |
| Smith County | 8,990 | 8,530 | 460 | 5.1 | 6.0 | -0.9 | 4.7 | 0.4 |
| Sumner County | 93,510 | 89,880 | 3,640 | 3.9 | 4.5 | -0.6 | 3.8 | 0.1 |
| Trousdale County | 3,880 | 3,690 | 180 | 4.7 | 5.9 | -1.2 | 5.1 | -0.4 |
| Williamson County | 113,720 | 109,790 | 3,930 | 3.5 | 3.9 | -0.4 | 3.1 | 0.4 |
| Wilson County | 68,320 | 65,680 | 2,640 | 3.9 | 4.4 | -0.5 | 3.7 | 0.2 |

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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.) | 23,040 | 21,750 | 1,290 | 5.6 | 6.4 | -0.8 | 5.2 | 0.4 |
| Brownsville (Haywood Co.) | 7,860 | 7,330 | 530 | 6.8 | 8 | -1.2 | 6.7 | 0.1 |
| Cookeville | 47,770 | 45,170 | 2,600 | 5.4 | 6.4 | -1.0 | 5.0 | 0.4 |
| Jackson Co. | 4,560 | 4,200 | 360 | 7.9 | 9.1 | -1.2 | 6.9 | 1.0 |
| Overton Co. | 9,460 | 8,880 | 580 | 6.1 | 7.2 | -1.1 | 5.6 | 0.5 |
| Putnam Co. | 33,760 | 32,090 | 1,670 | 4.9 | 5.9 | -1.0 | 4.6 | 0.3 |
| Crossville (Cumberland Co.) | 23,740 | 22,110 | 1,630 | 6.9 | 8.1 | -1.2 | 6.5 | 0.4 |
| Dayton (Rhea Co.) | 13,440 | 12,250 | 1,190 | 8.8 | 10.2 | -1.4 | 6.5 | 2.3 |
| Dyersburg (Dyer Co.) | 16,800 | 15,730 | 1,070 | 6.4 | 7.5 | -1.1 | 6.3 | 0.1 |
| Greeneville (Greene Co.) | 31,710 | 29,820 | 1,890 | 6.0 | 7.1 | -1.1 | 5.6 | 0.4 |
| Lawrenceburg (Lawrence Co.) | 17,780 | 16,800 | 980 | 5.5 | 6.6 | -1.1 | 5.6 | -0.1 |
| Lewisburg (Marshall Co.) | 15,670 | 14,990 | 680 | 4.3 | 4.9 | -0.6 | 4.5 | -0.2 |
| Martin (Weakley Co.) | 15,870 | 14,960 | 910 | 5.7 | 6.7 | -1.0 | 5.0 | 0.7 |
| McMinnville (Warren Co.) | 17,720 | 16,850 | 870 | 4.9 | 5.6 | -0.7 | 4.5 | 0.4 |
| Newport (Cocke Co.) | 14,460 | 13,200 | 1,260 | 8.7 | 9.9 | -1.2 | 7.3 | 1.4 |
| Paris (Henry Co.) | 14,050 | 13,180 | 870 | 6.2 | 7.8 | -1.6 | 6.0 | 0.2 |
| Sevierville (Sevier Co.) | 49,940 | 45,630 | 4,320 | 8.6 | 9.6 | -1.0 | 7.5 | 1.1 |
| Shelbyville (Bedford Co.) | 19,970 | 18,980 | 990 | 4.9 | 5.8 | -0.9 | 4.6 | 0.3 |
| Tullahoma-Manchester | 48,350 | 45,990 | 2,360 | 4.9 | 5.7 | -0.8 | 4.3 | 0.6 |
| Coffee Co. | 24,730 | 23,530 | 1,200 | 4.8 | 5.6 | -0.8 | 4.4 | 0.4 |
| Franklin Co. | 20,200 | 19,180 | 1,020 | 5.1 | 6.0 | -0.9 | 4.2 | 0.9 |
| Moore Co. | 3,420 | 3,290 | 130 | 3.9 | 4.9 | -1.0 | 3.4 | 0.5 |
| Union City, TN-KY | 14,670 | 13,630 | 1,040 | 7.1 | 8.5 | -1.4 | 6.9 | 0.2 |
| Obion Co. | 12,560 | 11,690 | 880 | 7.0 | 8.5 | -1.5 | 6.7 | 0.3 |
| Kentucky portion (Fulton Co.) | 2,110 | 1,950 | 160 | 7.6 | 8.4 | -0.8 | 7.8 | -0.2 |

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 | 34,030 | 32,320 | 1,720 | 5.1 | 5.8 | -0.7 | 4.7 | 0.4 |
| Bedford County | 19,970 | 18,980 | 990 | 4.9 | 5.8 | -0.9 | 4.6 | 0.3 |
| Benton County | 6,740 | 6,270 | 470 | 7.0 | 8.5 | -1.5 | 7.4 | -0.4 |
| Bledsoe County | 4,430 | 4,100 | 330 | 7.5 | 8.8 | -1.3 | 6.7 | 0.8 |
| Blount County | 61,200 | 58,250 | 2,960 | 4.8 | 5.6 | -0.8 | 4.4 | 0.4 |
| Bradley County | 51,620 | 49,260 | 2,360 | 4.6 | 5.2 | -0.6 | 4.1 | 0.5 |
| Campbell County | 15,000 | 13,900 | 1,100 | 7.3 | 8.5 | -1.2 | 7.4 | -0.1 |
| Cannon County | 6,150 | 5,880 | 270 | 4.4 | 5.1 | -0.7 | 4.5 | -0.1 |
| Carroll County | 11,960 | 11,150 | 810 | 6.8 | 8.3 | -1.5 | 6.3 | 0.5 |
| Carter County | 24,160 | 22,630 | 1,530 | 6.3 | 7.6 | -1.3 | 5.6 | 0.7 |
| Cheatham County | 20,960 | 20,080 | 880 | 4.2 | 4.8 | -0.6 | 3.8 | 0.4 |
| Chester County | 8,460 | 8,050 | 410 | 4.8 | 6.1 | -1.3 | 4.6 | 0.2 |
| Claiborne County | 12,730 | 11,900 | 830 | 6.6 | 7.8 | -1.2 | 6.0 | 0.6 |
| Clay County | 3,050 | 2,830 | 230 | 7.4 | 8.9 | -1.5 | 6.9 | 0.5 |
| Cocke County | 14,460 | 13,200 | 1,260 | 8.7 | 9.9 | -1.2 | 7.3 | 1.4 |
| Coffee County | 24,730 | 23,530 | 1,200 | 4.8 | 5.6 | -0.8 | 4.4 | 0.4 |
| Crockett County | 7,090 | 6,670 | 420 | 5.9 | 7.0 | -1.1 | 5.7 | 0.2 |
| Cumberland County | 23,740 | 22,110 | 1,630 | 6.9 | 8.1 | -1.2 | 6.5 | 0.4 |
| Davidson County | 384,110 | 370,400 | 13,710 | 3.6 | 4.1 | -0.5 | 3.4 | 0.2 |
| Decatur County | 4,640 | 4,300 | 340 | 7.3 | 8.8 | -1.5 | 7.0 | 0.3 |
| DeKalb County | 7,630 | 7,140 | 490 | 6.4 | 7.2 | -0.8 | 5.5 | 0.9 |
| Dickson County | 25,390 | 24,260 | 1,130 | 4.5 | 5.1 | -0.6 | 4.4 | 0.1 |
| Dyer County | 16,800 | 15,730 | 1,070 | 6.4 | 7.5 | -1.1 | 6.3 | 0.1 |
| Fayette County | 18,270 | 17,280 | 990 | 5.4 | 6.3 | -0.9 | 4.8 | 0.6 |
| Fentress County | 7,100 | 6,670 | 430 | 6.0 | 6.8 | -0.8 | 6.8 | -0.8 |
| Franklin County | 20,200 | 19,180 | 1,020 | 5.1 | 6.0 | -0.9 | 4.2 | 0.9 |
| Gibson County | 21,370 | 20,040 | 1,330 | 6.2 | 7.1 | -0.9 | 5.9 | 0.3 |
| Giles County | 15,640 | 14,980 | 660 | 4.2 | 4.8 | -0.6 | 3.8 | 0.4 |
| Grainger County | 9,370 | 8,820 | 550 | 5.8 | 6.6 | -0.8 | 5.6 | 0.2 |
| Greene County | 31,710 | 29,820 | 1,890 | 6.0 | 7.1 | -1.1 | 5.6 | 0.4 |
| Grundy County | 4,880 | 4,570 | 310 | 6.4 | 7.6 | -1.2 | 6.2 | 0.2 |
| Hamblen County | 27,180 | 25,750 | 1,430 | 5.3 | 6.0 | -0.7 | 5.0 | 0.3 |
| Hamilton County | 173,990 | 165,680 | 8,320 | 4.8 | 5.5 | -0.7 | 4.3 | 0.5 |
| Hancock County | 2,090 | 1,930 | 160 | 7.7 | 9.1 | -1.4 | 8.1 | -0.4 |
| Hardeman County | 9,280 | 8,620 | 660 | 7.1 | 8.0 | -0.9 | 6.2 | 0.9 |
| Hardin County | 10,350 | 9,680 | 670 | 6.5 | 7.4 | -0.9 | 5.9 | 0.6 |
| Hawkins County | 23,710 | 22,370 | 1,340 | 5.6 | 6.5 | -0.9 | 5.3 | 0.3 |
| Haywood County | 7,860 | 7,330 | 530 | 6.8 | 8.0 | -1.2 | 6.7 | 0.1 |
| Henderson County | 12,170 | 11,310 | 860 | 7.1 | 8.9 | -1.8 | 7.0 | 0.1 |
| Henry County | 14,050 | 13,180 | 870 | 6.2 | 7.8 | -1.6 | 6.0 | 0.2 |
| Hickman County | 10,850 | 10,350 | 490 | 4.6 | 5.3 | -0.7 | 4.6 | 0.0 |
| Houston County | 3,250 | 3,000 | 250 | 7.8 | 9.1 | -1.3 | 8.4 | -0.6 |
| Humphreys County | 8,720 | 8,190 | 530 | 6.1 | 7.2 | -1.1 | 6.7 | -0.6 |
| Jackson County | 4,560 | 4,200 | 360 | 7.9 | 9.1 | -1.2 | 6.9 | 1.0 |
| Jefferson County | 24,020 | 22,620 | 1,400 | 5.8 | 6.7 | -0.9 | 5.6 | 0.2 |
| Johnson County | 7,840 | 7,400 | 440 | 5.7 | 7.1 | -1.4 | 5.6 | 0.1 |
| Knox County | 234,200 | 224,560 | 9,640 | 4.1 | 4.7 | -0.6 | 3.7 | 0.4 |
| Lake County | 1,980 | 1,810 | 170 | 8.5 | 11.2 | -2.7 | 7.6 | 0.9 |

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 3/24/2017, and with metro/county data on 3/31/2017.

Labor Force Estimates - Tennessee Counties (cont.)

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| Lauderdale County | 9,550 | 8,830 | 720 | 7.5 | 9.1 | -1.6 | 7.7 | -0.2 |
| Lawrence County | 17,780 | 16,800 | 980 | 5.5 | 6.6 | -1.1 | 5.6 | -0.1 |
| Lewis County | 4,950 | 4,640 | 310 | 6.2 | 7.5 | -1.3 | 6.0 | 0.2 |
| Lincoln County | 16,000 | 15,280 | 720 | 4.5 | 5.1 | -0.6 | 4.0 | 0.5 |
| Loudon County | 22,500 | 21,430 | 1,070 | 4.8 | 5.6 | -0.8 | 4.5 | 0.3 |
| Macon County | 10,550 | 10,100 | 460 | 4.3 | 5.2 | -0.9 | 4.3 | 0.0 |
| Madison County | 47,700 | 45,370 | 2,330 | 4.9 | 5.8 | -0.9 | 4.7 | 0.2 |
| Marion County | 12,180 | 11,420 | 760 | 6.3 | 7.8 | -1.5 | 6.1 | 0.2 |
| Marshall County | 15,670 | 14,990 | 680 | 4.3 | 4.9 | -0.6 | 4.5 | -0.2 |
| Maury County | 44,590 | 42,790 | 1,800 | 4.0 | 4.7 | -0.7 | 4.0 | 0.0 |
| McMinn County | 23,040 | 21,750 | 1,290 | 5.6 | 6.4 | -0.8 | 5.2 | 0.4 |
| McNairy County | 8,880 | 8,240 | 640 | 7.2 | 8.7 | -1.5 | 6.6 | 0.6 |
| Meigs County | 5,080 | 4,730 | 340 | 6.8 | 7.7 | -0.9 | 6.4 | 0.4 |
| Monroe County | 19,550 | 18,530 | 1,020 | 5.2 | 6.3 | -1.1 | 5.4 | -0.2 |
| Montgomery County | 79,670 | 75,490 | 4,180 | 5.2 | 6.2 | -1.0 | 4.7 | 0.5 |
| Moore County | 3,420 | 3,290 | 130 | 3.9 | 4.9 | -1.0 | 3.4 | 0.5 |
| Morgan County | 7,890 | 7,390 | 500 | 6.4 | 8.1 | -1.7 | 6.4 | 0.0 |
| Obion County | 12,560 | 11,690 | 880 | 7.0 | 8.5 | -1.5 | 6.7 | 0.3 |
| Overton County | 9,460 | 8,880 | 580 | 6.1 | 7.2 | -1.1 | 5.6 | 0.5 |
| Perry County | 3,280 | 3,050 | 230 | 7.0 | 8.2 | -1.2 | 6.0 | 1.0 |
| Pickett County | 2,300 | 2,140 | 160 | 7.1 | 8.2 | -1.1 | 7.6 | -0.5 |
| Polk County | 7,650 | 7,200 | 450 | 5.8 | 6.8 | -1.0 | 5.6 | 0.2 |
| Putnam County | 33,760 | 32,090 | 1,670 | 4.9 | 5.9 | -1.0 | 4.6 | 0.3 |
| Rhea County | 13,440 | 12,250 | 1,190 | 8.8 | 10.2 | -1.4 | 6.5 | 2.3 |
| Roane County | 23,190 | 21,810 | 1,380 | 6.0 | 7.0 | -1.0 | 5.5 | 0.5 |
| Robertson County | 35,800 | 34,320 | 1,480 | 4.1 | 4.8 | -0.7 | 4.0 | 0.1 |
| Rutherford County | 164,330 | 158,250 | 6,070 | 3.7 | 4.3 | -0.6 | 3.4 | 0.3 |
| Scott County | 7,880 | 7,300 | 580 | 7.4 | 9.5 | -2.1 | 7.5 | -0.1 |
| Sequatchie County | 6,050 | 5,660 | 390 | 6.4 | 6.9 | -0.5 | 5.3 | 1.1 |
| Sevier County | 49,940 | 45,630 | 4,320 | 8.6 | 9.6 | -1.0 | 7.5 | 1.1 |
| Shelby County | 436,930 | 412,890 | 24,040 | 5.5 | 6.3 | -0.8 | 5.0 | 0.5 |
| Smith County | 8,990 | 8,530 | 460 | 5.1 | 6.0 | -0.9 | 4.7 | 0.4 |
| Stewart County | 5,310 | 4,910 | 400 | 7.5 | 8.9 | -1.4 | 7.3 | 0.2 |
| Sullivan County | 69,910 | 66,130 | 3,790 | 5.4 | 6.3 | -0.9 | 4.9 | 0.5 |
| Sumner County | 93,510 | 89,880 | 3,640 | 3.9 | 4.5 | -0.6 | 3.8 | 0.1 |
| Tipton County | 27,820 | 26,260 | 1,560 | 5.6 | 6.6 | -1.0 | 5.6 | 0.0 |
| Trousdale County | 3,880 | 3,690 | 180 | 4.7 | 5.9 | -1.2 | 5.1 | -0.4 |
| Unicoi County | 7,230 | 6,690 | 540 | 7.4 | 8.7 | -1.3 | 7.7 | -0.3 |
| Union County | 7,360 | 6,940 | 430 | 5.8 | 7.0 | -1.2 | 5.7 | 0.1 |
| Van Buren County | 2,040 | 1,920 | 130 | 6.2 | 7.2 | -1.0 | 7.0 | -0.8 |
| Warren County | 17,720 | 16,850 | 870 | 4.9 | 5.6 | -0.7 | 4.5 | 0.4 |
| Washington County | 59,120 | 56,210 | 2,910 | 4.9 | 5.8 | -0.9 | 4.5 | 0.4 |
| Wayne County | 6,160 | 5,740 | 420 | 6.8 | 9.2 | -2.4 | 7.0 | -0.2 |
| Weakley County | 15,870 | 14,960 | 910 | 5.7 | 6.7 | -1.0 | 5.0 | 0.7 |
| White County | 11,790 | 11,170 | 620 | 5.2 | 6.1 | -0.9 | 4.7 | 0.5 |
| Williamson County | 113,720 | 109,790 | 3,930 | 3.5 | 3.9 | -0.4 | 3.1 | 0.4 |
| Wilson County | 68,320 | 65,680 | 2,640 | 3.9 | 4.4 | -0.5 | 3.7 | 0.2 |

Numbers may not add due to rounding; unemployment rates use unrounded data.

County Unemployment Rate Change:
(January, 2017 to February, 2017)

Rate decreased in 95 counties
Rate increased in 0 counties
Rate remained the same in 0 counties

County Unemployment Rate Range:
(February, 2017)

Rate is less than 5.0% in 29 counties
Rate is 5.0% or greater, but less than 10.0% in 66 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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| | February, 2017 pre. | | | | Jan. '17 rev. | | Feb. '16 | |
|----------------|----------------------------|----------|------------|------------|----------------------|--------|-----------------|--------|
| | Labor Force | Employed | Unemployed | Rate | Rate | Change | Rate | Change |
| Bartlett | 30,410 | 29,150 | 1,260 | 4.2 | 4.7 | -0.5 | 3.9 | 0.3 |
| Brentwood | 21,290 | 20,510 | 780 | 3.6 | 4.0 | -0.4 | 3.1 | 0.5 |
| Bristol | 11,590 | 11,010 | 590 | 5.1 | 6.2 | -1.1 | 4.9 | 0.2 |
| Chattanooga | 82,790 | 78,580 | 4,210 | 5.1 | 5.8 | -0.7 | 4.6 | 0.5 |
| Clarksville | 59,260 | 56,070 | 3,190 | 5.4 | 6.4 | -1.0 | 4.7 | 0.7 |
| Cleveland | 21,180 | 20,180 | 1,000 | 4.7 | 5.2 | -0.5 | 4.6 | 0.1 |
| Collierville | 24,790 | 23,810 | 980 | 3.9 | 4.6 | -0.7 | 3.3 | 0.6 |
| Columbia | 17,160 | 16,440 | 720 | 4.2 | 5.0 | -0.8 | 4.7 | -0.5 |
| Cookeville | 13,730 | 13,030 | 710 | 5.1 | 6.1 | -1.0 | 4.8 | 0.3 |
| Franklin | 41,260 | 39,890 | 1,370 | 3.3 | 3.7 | -0.4 | 3.0 | 0.3 |
| Gallatin | 17,750 | 17,020 | 730 | 4.1 | 4.6 | -0.5 | 4.2 | -0.1 |
| Germantown | 19,640 | 18,920 | 720 | 3.7 | 4.2 | -0.5 | 3.4 | 0.3 |
| Hendersonville | 31,260 | 30,070 | 1,180 | 3.8 | 4.3 | -0.5 | 3.4 | 0.4 |
| Jackson | 31,480 | 29,840 | 1,640 | 5.2 | 6.1 | -0.9 | 4.8 | 0.4 |
| Johnson City | 31,190 | 29,730 | 1,460 | 4.7 | 5.5 | -0.8 | 4.3 | 0.4 |
| Kingsport | 22,690 | 21,410 | 1,290 | 5.7 | 6.5 | -0.8 | 5.2 | 0.5 |
| Knoxville | 94,920 | 90,840 | 4,090 | 4.3 | 4.9 | -0.6 | 4.2 | 0.1 |
| LaVergne | 18,570 | 17,880 | 690 | 3.7 | 4.3 | -0.6 | 3.5 | 0.2 |
| Lebanon | 14,270 | 13,650 | 620 | 4.3 | 5.0 | -0.7 | 4.3 | 0.0 |
| Maryville | 13,500 | 12,900 | 590 | 4.4 | 4.9 | -0.5 | 4.1 | 0.3 |
| Memphis | 291,820 | 274,210 | 17,610 | 6.0 | 6.9 | -0.9 | 5.4 | 0.6 |
| Morristown | 11,420 | 10,790 | 630 | 5.5 | 6.3 | -0.8 | 5.6 | -0.1 |
| Mount Juliet | 17,000 | 16,390 | 610 | 3.6 | 3.9 | -0.3 | 3.4 | 0.2 |
| Murfreesboro | 70,700 | 68,030 | 2,670 | 3.8 | 4.3 | -0.5 | 3.4 | 0.4 |
| Nashville | 384,110 | 370,400 | 13,710 | 3.6 | 4.1 | -0.5 | 3.4 | 0.2 |
| Oak Ridge | 14,170 | 13,510 | 670 | 4.7 | 5.2 | -0.5 | 4.1 | 0.6 |
| Smyrna | 25,520 | 24,600 | 930 | 3.6 | 4.2 | -0.6 | 3.5 | 0.1 |
| Spring Hill | 19,550 | 18,870 | 680 | 3.5 | 4.0 | -0.5 | 3.2 | 0.3 |

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

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**Lowest
County Unemployment Rates**

| <u>Rank</u> | <u>County</u> | <u>Feb. pre. Rate (%)</u> |
|-------------|----------------|-------------------------------|
| 1 | Williamson Co. | 3.5 |
| 2 | Davidson Co. | 3.6 |
| 3 | Rutherford Co. | 3.7 |
| 4 | Wilson Co. | 3.9 |
| 5 | Sumner Co. | 3.9 |
| 6 | Moore Co. | 3.9 |
| 7 | Maury Co. | 4.0 |
| 8 | Knox Co. | 4.1 |
| 9 | Robertson Co. | 4.1 |
| 10 | Cheatham Co. | 4.2 |

**Highest
County Unemployment Rates**

| <u>Rank</u> | <u>County</u> | <u>Feb. pre. Rate (%)</u> |
|-------------|----------------|-------------------------------|
| 95 | Rhea Co. | 8.8 |
| 94 | Cocke Co. | 8.7 |
| 93 | Sevier Co. | 8.6 |
| 92 | Lake Co. | 8.5 |
| 91 | Jackson Co. | 7.9 |
| 90 | Houston Co. | 7.8 |
| 89 | Hancock Co. | 7.7 |
| 88 | Bledsoe Co. | 7.5 |
| 87 | Lauderdale Co. | 7.5 |
| 86 | Stewart Co. | 7.5 |

Labor Force Estimates -- January 2017 (revised)

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| (seasonally adjusted) | Labor Force | Employed | Unemployed | Unemp. Rate (%) |
|-----------------------|-------------|-------------|------------|-----------------|
| United States | 159,716,000 | 152,081,000 | 7,635,000 | 4.8 |
| Tennessee | 3,184,700 | 3,013,200 | 171,400 | 5.4 |

| (not seasonally adjusted) | Labor Force | Employed | Unemployed | Unemp. Rate (%) |
|---------------------------|-------------|-------------|------------|-----------------|
| United States | 158,676,000 | 150,527,000 | 8,149,000 | 5.1 |
| Tennessee | 3,163,800 | 2,982,400 | 181,400 | 5.7 |

Metropolitan Statistical Areas

| Metropolitan Statistical Area | Labor Force | Employed | Unemployed | Unemp. Rate (%) |
|-------------------------------|-------------|----------|------------|-----------------|
| Chattanooga | 263,130 | 248,470 | 14,660 | 5.6 |
| Clarksville | 110,970 | 103,950 | 7,020 | 6.3 |
| Cleveland | 59,690 | 56,440 | 3,250 | 5.4 |
| Jackson | 63,280 | 59,490 | 3,780 | 6.0 |
| Johnson City | 89,700 | 83,850 | 5,850 | 6.5 |
| Kingsport-Bristol | 137,030 | 128,980 | 8,040 | 5.9 |
| Knoxville | 413,520 | 391,180 | 22,340 | 5.4 |
| Memphis | 626,800 | 589,040 | 37,750 | 6.0 |
| Morristown | 51,030 | 47,810 | 3,220 | 6.3 |
| Nashville-Murfreesboro | 984,880 | 942,310 | 42,570 | 4.3 |

Counties

| County | Labor Force | Employed | Unemployed | Unemp. Rate (%) |
|-------------------|-------------|----------|------------|-----------------|
| Anderson County | 33,930 | 31,970 | 1,960 | 5.8 |
| Bedford County | 19,990 | 18,840 | 1,160 | 5.8 |
| Benton County | 6,810 | 6,230 | 580 | 8.5 |
| Bledsoe County | 4,450 | 4,060 | 390 | 8.8 |
| Blount County | 61,020 | 57,610 | 3,410 | 5.6 |
| Bradley County | 51,970 | 49,250 | 2,720 | 5.2 |
| Campbell County | 15,010 | 13,740 | 1,270 | 8.5 |
| Cannon County | 6,120 | 5,810 | 310 | 5.1 |
| Carroll County | 11,970 | 10,970 | 1,000 | 8.3 |
| Carter County | 23,980 | 22,170 | 1,810 | 7.6 |
| Cheatham County | 20,790 | 19,800 | 990 | 4.8 |
| Chester County | 8,480 | 7,970 | 520 | 6.1 |
| Claiborne County | 12,830 | 11,830 | 1,000 | 7.8 |
| Clay County | 3,070 | 2,800 | 270 | 8.9 |
| Cocke County | 14,610 | 13,160 | 1,450 | 9.9 |
| Coffee County | 24,850 | 23,460 | 1,390 | 5.6 |
| Crockett County | 7,080 | 6,590 | 500 | 7.0 |
| Cumberland County | 23,840 | 21,920 | 1,920 | 8.1 |
| Davidson County | 381,660 | 365,900 | 15,760 | 4.1 |
| Decatur County | 4,690 | 4,280 | 410 | 8.8 |
| DeKalb County | 7,660 | 7,110 | 550 | 7.2 |
| Dickson County | 25,270 | 23,970 | 1,300 | 5.1 |
| Dyer County | 16,920 | 15,650 | 1,270 | 7.5 |
| Fayette County | 18,260 | 17,110 | 1,150 | 6.3 |
| Fentress County | 7,100 | 6,610 | 480 | 6.8 |
| Franklin County | 20,020 | 18,830 | 1,190 | 6.0 |
| Gibson County | 21,450 | 19,930 | 1,520 | 7.1 |
| Giles County | 15,580 | 14,830 | 750 | 4.8 |
| Grainger County | 9,330 | 8,720 | 620 | 6.6 |
| Greene County | 32,060 | 29,770 | 2,290 | 7.1 |
| Grundy County | 4,900 | 4,530 | 370 | 7.6 |
| Hamblen County | 27,070 | 25,460 | 1,610 | 6.0 |
| Hamilton County | 173,780 | 164,210 | 9,580 | 5.5 |
| Hancock County | 2,100 | 1,910 | 190 | 9.1 |
| Hardeman County | 9,270 | 8,530 | 740 | 8.0 |
| Hardin County | 10,380 | 9,620 | 770 | 7.4 |
| Hawkins County | 23,640 | 22,110 | 1,530 | 6.5 |
| Haywood County | 7,920 | 7,290 | 630 | 8.0 |

| Counties | Labor Force | Employed | Unemployed | Unemp. Rate (%) |
|-------------------|-------------|----------|------------|-----------------|
| Henderson County | 12,320 | 11,220 | 1,100 | 8.9 |
| Henry County | 14,100 | 13,000 | 1,100 | 7.8 |
| Hickman County | 10,780 | 10,210 | 570 | 5.3 |
| Houston County | 3,260 | 2,970 | 300 | 9.1 |
| Humphreys County | 8,770 | 8,140 | 630 | 7.2 |
| Jackson County | 4,580 | 4,170 | 420 | 9.1 |
| Jefferson County | 23,960 | 22,360 | 1,610 | 6.7 |
| Johnson County | 7,910 | 7,360 | 560 | 7.1 |
| Knox County | 233,230 | 222,210 | 11,030 | 4.7 |
| Lake County | 2,020 | 1,790 | 230 | 11.2 |
| Lauderdale County | 9,660 | 8,780 | 880 | 9.1 |
| Lawrence County | 17,820 | 16,650 | 1,170 | 6.6 |
| Lewis County | 4,940 | 4,570 | 370 | 7.5 |
| Lincoln County | 16,030 | 15,200 | 820 | 5.1 |
| Loudon County | 22,460 | 21,190 | 1,270 | 5.6 |
| Macon County | 10,500 | 9,960 | 540 | 5.2 |
| Madison County | 47,710 | 44,940 | 2,770 | 5.8 |
| Marion County | 12,270 | 11,310 | 960 | 7.8 |
| Marshall County | 15,590 | 14,820 | 770 | 4.9 |
| Maury County | 44,340 | 42,270 | 2,070 | 4.7 |
| McMinn County | 23,150 | 21,660 | 1,490 | 6.4 |
| McNairy County | 8,960 | 8,180 | 780 | 8.7 |
| Meigs County | 5,090 | 4,700 | 390 | 7.7 |
| Monroe County | 19,630 | 18,390 | 1,240 | 6.3 |
| Montgomery County | 79,960 | 75,030 | 4,930 | 6.2 |
| Moore County | 3,340 | 3,180 | 160 | 4.9 |
| Morgan County | 7,950 | 7,310 | 640 | 8.1 |
| Obion County | 12,730 | 11,640 | 1,080 | 8.5 |
| Overton County | 9,430 | 8,750 | 680 | 7.2 |
| Perry County | 3,310 | 3,040 | 270 | 8.2 |
| Pickett County | 2,290 | 2,100 | 190 | 8.2 |
| Polk County | 7,720 | 7,190 | 530 | 6.8 |
| Putnam County | 33,680 | 31,710 | 1,970 | 5.9 |
| Rhea County | 13,560 | 12,170 | 1,390 | 10.2 |
| Roane County | 23,210 | 21,590 | 1,630 | 7.0 |
| Robertson County | 35,610 | 33,900 | 1,710 | 4.8 |
| Rutherford County | 163,400 | 156,420 | 6,980 | 4.3 |
| Scott County | 8,040 | 7,280 | 760 | 9.5 |
| Sequatchie County | 6,010 | 5,600 | 410 | 6.9 |
| Sevier County | 51,230 | 46,290 | 4,930 | 9.6 |
| Shelby County | 437,010 | 409,370 | 27,640 | 6.3 |
| Smith County | 8,960 | 8,420 | 540 | 6.0 |
| Stewart County | 5,360 | 4,880 | 480 | 8.9 |
| Sullivan County | 69,710 | 65,330 | 4,370 | 6.3 |
| Sumner County | 92,910 | 88,750 | 4,160 | 4.5 |
| Tipton County | 27,860 | 26,030 | 1,830 | 6.6 |
| Trousdale County | 3,880 | 3,650 | 230 | 5.9 |
| Unicoi County | 7,190 | 6,560 | 630 | 8.7 |
| Union County | 7,360 | 6,850 | 520 | 7.0 |
| Van Buren County | 2,060 | 1,920 | 150 | 7.2 |
| Warren County | 17,860 | 16,860 | 1,000 | 5.6 |
| Washington County | 58,540 | 55,120 | 3,410 | 5.8 |
| Wayne County | 6,270 | 5,700 | 570 | 9.2 |
| Weakley County | 15,960 | 14,890 | 1,070 | 6.7 |
| White County | 11,810 | 11,090 | 720 | 6.1 |
| Williamson County | 112,750 | 108,360 | 4,390 | 3.9 |
| Wilson County | 67,900 | 64,890 | 3,020 | 4.4 |

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| | Labor Force | Employed | Unemployed | Unemp. Rate (%) | | | Rate Change | Labor Force | Employed | Unemployed | Unemp. Rate (%) | | |
|---------------|----------------|----------------|---------------|-----------------|------------|-------------|--------------------------------------|------------------|------------------|----------------|-----------------|------------|-------------|
| | | | | Feb. | Jan. | | | | | | Feb. | Jan. | |
| WIOA 1 | 168,260 | 159,060 | 9,210 | 5.5 | 6.4 | -1.0 | WIOA 8 | 386,330 | 369,920 | 16,420 | 4.3 | 4.9 | -0.7 |
| Carter | 24,160 | 22,630 | 1,530 | 6.3 | 7.6 | -1.3 | Cheatham | 20,960 | 20,080 | 880 | 4.2 | 4.8 | -0.6 |
| Johnson | 7,840 | 7,400 | 440 | 5.7 | 7.1 | -1.4 | Dickson | 25,390 | 24,260 | 1,130 | 4.5 | 5.1 | -0.6 |
| Sullivan | 69,910 | 66,130 | 3,790 | 5.4 | 6.3 | -0.9 | Houston | 3,250 | 3,000 | 250 | 7.8 | 9.1 | -1.3 |
| Unicoi | 7,230 | 6,690 | 540 | 7.4 | 8.7 | -1.3 | Humphreys | 8,720 | 8,190 | 530 | 6.1 | 7.2 | -1.1 |
| Washington | 59,120 | 56,210 | 2,910 | 4.9 | 5.8 | -0.9 | Montgomery | 79,670 | 75,490 | 4,180 | 5.2 | 6.2 | -1.0 |
| | | | | | | | Robertson | 35,800 | 34,320 | 1,480 | 4.1 | 4.8 | -0.7 |
| WIOA 2 | 202,570 | 188,980 | 13,610 | 6.7 | 7.7 | -1.0 | Stewart | 5,310 | 4,910 | 400 | 7.5 | 8.9 | -1.4 |
| Claiborne | 12,730 | 11,900 | 830 | 6.6 | 7.8 | -1.2 | Sumner | 93,510 | 89,880 | 3,640 | 3.9 | 4.5 | -0.6 |
| Coke | 14,460 | 13,200 | 1,260 | 8.7 | 9.9 | -1.2 | Williamson | 113,720 | 109,790 | 3,930 | 3.5 | 3.9 | -0.4 |
| Grainger | 9,370 | 8,820 | 550 | 5.8 | 6.6 | -0.8 | | | | | | | |
| Greene | 31,710 | 29,820 | 1,890 | 6.0 | 7.1 | -1.1 | WIOA 9 | 620,640 | 598,020 | 22,600 | 3.6 | 4.2 | -0.6 |
| Hamblen | 27,180 | 25,750 | 1,430 | 5.3 | 6.0 | -0.7 | Davidson | 384,110 | 370,400 | 13,710 | 3.6 | 4.1 | -0.5 |
| Hancock | 2,090 | 1,930 | 160 | 7.7 | 9.1 | -1.4 | Rutherford | 164,330 | 158,250 | 6,070 | 3.7 | 4.3 | -0.6 |
| Hawkins | 23,710 | 22,370 | 1,340 | 5.6 | 6.5 | -0.9 | Trousdale | 3,880 | 3,690 | 180 | 4.7 | 5.9 | -1.2 |
| Jefferson | 24,020 | 22,620 | 1,400 | 5.8 | 6.7 | -0.9 | Wilson | 68,320 | 65,680 | 2,640 | 3.9 | 4.4 | -0.5 |
| Sevier | 49,940 | 45,630 | 4,320 | 8.6 | 9.6 | -1.0 | | | | | | | |
| Union | 7,360 | 6,940 | 430 | 5.8 | 7.0 | -1.2 | WIOA 10 | 118,920 | 113,340 | 5,570 | 4.7 | 5.5 | -0.8 |
| | | | | | | | Giles | 15,640 | 14,980 | 660 | 4.2 | 4.8 | -0.6 |
| WIOA 3 | 234,200 | 224,560 | 9,640 | 4.1 | 4.7 | -0.6 | Hickman | 10,850 | 10,350 | 490 | 4.6 | 5.3 | -0.7 |
| Knox | 234,200 | 224,560 | 9,640 | 4.1 | 4.7 | -0.6 | Lawrence | 17,780 | 16,800 | 980 | 5.5 | 6.6 | -1.1 |
| | | | | | | | Lewis | 4,950 | 4,640 | 310 | 6.2 | 7.5 | -1.3 |
| WIOA 4 | 214,980 | 203,040 | 11,960 | 5.6 | 6.6 | -1.0 | Marshall | 15,670 | 14,990 | 680 | 4.3 | 4.9 | -0.6 |
| Anderson | 34,030 | 32,320 | 1,720 | 5.1 | 5.8 | -0.7 | Maurry | 44,590 | 42,790 | 1,800 | 4.0 | 4.7 | -0.7 |
| Blount | 61,200 | 58,250 | 2,960 | 4.8 | 5.6 | -0.8 | Perry | 3,280 | 3,050 | 230 | 7.0 | 8.2 | -1.2 |
| Campbell | 15,000 | 13,900 | 1,100 | 7.3 | 8.5 | -1.2 | Wayne | 6,160 | 5,740 | 420 | 6.8 | 9.2 | -2.4 |
| Cumberland | 23,740 | 22,110 | 1,630 | 6.9 | 8.1 | -1.2 | | | | | | | |
| Loudon | 22,500 | 21,430 | 1,070 | 4.8 | 5.6 | -0.8 | WIOA 11 | 109,340 | 102,900 | 6,440 | 5.9 | 7.0 | -1.1 |
| Monroe | 19,550 | 18,530 | 1,020 | 5.2 | 6.3 | -1.1 | Chester | 8,460 | 8,050 | 410 | 4.8 | 6.1 | -1.3 |
| Morgan | 7,890 | 7,390 | 500 | 6.4 | 8.1 | -1.7 | Decatur | 4,640 | 4,300 | 340 | 7.3 | 8.8 | -1.5 |
| Roane | 23,190 | 21,810 | 1,380 | 6.0 | 7.0 | -1.0 | Hardeman | 9,280 | 8,620 | 660 | 7.1 | 8.0 | -0.9 |
| Scott | 7,880 | 7,300 | 580 | 7.4 | 9.5 | -2.1 | Hardin | 10,350 | 9,680 | 670 | 6.5 | 7.4 | -0.9 |
| | | | | | | | Haywood | 7,860 | 7,330 | 530 | 6.8 | 8.0 | -1.2 |
| WIOA 5 | 297,480 | 282,050 | 15,430 | 5.2 | 5.9 | -0.7 | Henderson | 12,170 | 11,310 | 860 | 7.1 | 8.9 | -1.8 |
| Bledsoe | 4,430 | 4,100 | 330 | 7.5 | 8.8 | -1.3 | Madison | 47,700 | 45,370 | 2,330 | 4.9 | 5.8 | -0.9 |
| Bradley | 51,620 | 49,260 | 2,360 | 4.6 | 5.2 | -0.6 | McNairy | 8,880 | 8,240 | 640 | 7.2 | 8.7 | -1.5 |
| Hamilton | 173,990 | 165,680 | 8,320 | 4.8 | 5.5 | -0.7 | | | | | | | |
| Marion | 12,180 | 11,420 | 760 | 6.3 | 7.8 | -1.5 | WIOA 12 | 145,790 | 136,590 | 9,210 | 6.3 | 7.5 | -1.2 |
| McMinn | 23,040 | 21,750 | 1,290 | 5.6 | 6.4 | -0.8 | Benton | 6,740 | 6,270 | 470 | 7.0 | 8.5 | -1.5 |
| Meigs | 5,080 | 4,730 | 340 | 6.8 | 7.7 | -0.9 | Carroll | 11,960 | 11,150 | 810 | 6.8 | 8.3 | -1.5 |
| Polk | 7,650 | 7,200 | 450 | 5.8 | 6.8 | -1.0 | Crockett | 7,090 | 6,670 | 420 | 5.9 | 7.0 | -1.1 |
| Rhea | 13,440 | 12,250 | 1,190 | 8.8 | 10.2 | -1.4 | Dyer | 16,800 | 15,730 | 1,070 | 6.4 | 7.5 | -1.1 |
| Sequatchie | 6,050 | 5,660 | 390 | 6.4 | 6.9 | -0.5 | Gibson | 21,370 | 20,040 | 1,330 | 6.2 | 7.1 | -0.9 |
| | | | | | | | Henry | 14,050 | 13,180 | 870 | 6.2 | 7.8 | -1.6 |
| WIOA 6 | 106,920 | 101,680 | 5,240 | 4.9 | 5.7 | -0.8 | Lake | 1,980 | 1,810 | 170 | 8.5 | 11.2 | -2.7 |
| Bedford | 19,970 | 18,980 | 990 | 4.9 | 5.8 | -0.9 | Lauderdale | 9,550 | 8,830 | 720 | 7.5 | 9.1 | -1.6 |
| Coffee | 24,730 | 23,530 | 1,200 | 4.8 | 5.6 | -0.8 | Obion | 12,560 | 11,690 | 880 | 7.0 | 8.5 | -1.5 |
| Franklin | 20,200 | 19,180 | 1,020 | 5.1 | 6.0 | -0.9 | Tipton | 27,820 | 26,260 | 1,560 | 5.6 | 6.6 | -1.0 |
| Grundy | 4,880 | 4,570 | 310 | 6.4 | 7.6 | -1.2 | Weakley | 15,870 | 14,960 | 910 | 5.7 | 6.7 | -1.0 |
| Lincoln | 16,000 | 15,280 | 720 | 4.5 | 5.1 | -0.6 | | | | | | | |
| Moore | 3,420 | 3,290 | 130 | 3.9 | 4.9 | -1.0 | WIOA 13 | 455,200 | 430,170 | 25,030 | 5.5 | 6.3 | -0.8 |
| Warren | 17,720 | 16,850 | 870 | 4.9 | 5.6 | -0.7 | Fayette | 18,270 | 17,280 | 990 | 5.4 | 6.3 | -0.9 |
| | | | | | | | Shelby | 436,930 | 412,890 | 24,040 | 5.5 | 6.3 | -0.8 |
| WIOA 7 | 107,380 | 101,550 | 5,860 | 5.5 | 6.4 | -0.9 | WIOA Total | 3,168,010 | 3,011,860 | 156,220 | 4.9 | 5.7 | -0.8 |
| Cannon | 6,150 | 5,880 | 270 | 4.4 | 5.1 | -0.7 | Numbers may not add due to rounding. | | | | | | |
| Clay | 3,050 | 2,830 | 230 | 7.4 | 8.9 | -1.5 | | | | | | | |
| DeKalb | 7,630 | 7,140 | 490 | 6.4 | 7.2 | -0.8 | | | | | | | |
| Fentress | 7,100 | 6,670 | 430 | 6.0 | 6.8 | -0.8 | | | | | | | |
| Jackson | 4,560 | 4,200 | 360 | 7.9 | 9.1 | -1.2 | | | | | | | |
| Macon | 10,550 | 10,100 | 460 | 4.3 | 5.2 | -0.9 | | | | | | | |
| Overton | 9,460 | 8,880 | 580 | 6.1 | 7.2 | -1.1 | | | | | | | |
| Pickett | 2,300 | 2,140 | 160 | 7.1 | 8.2 | -1.1 | | | | | | | |
| Putnam | 33,760 | 32,090 | 1,670 | 4.9 | 5.9 | -1.0 | | | | | | | |
| Smith | 8,990 | 8,530 | 460 | 5.1 | 6.0 | -0.9 | | | | | | | |
| Van Buren | 2,040 | 1,920 | 130 | 6.2 | 7.2 | -1.0 | | | | | | | |
| White | 11,790 | 11,170 | 620 | 5.2 | 6.1 | -0.9 | | | | | | | |

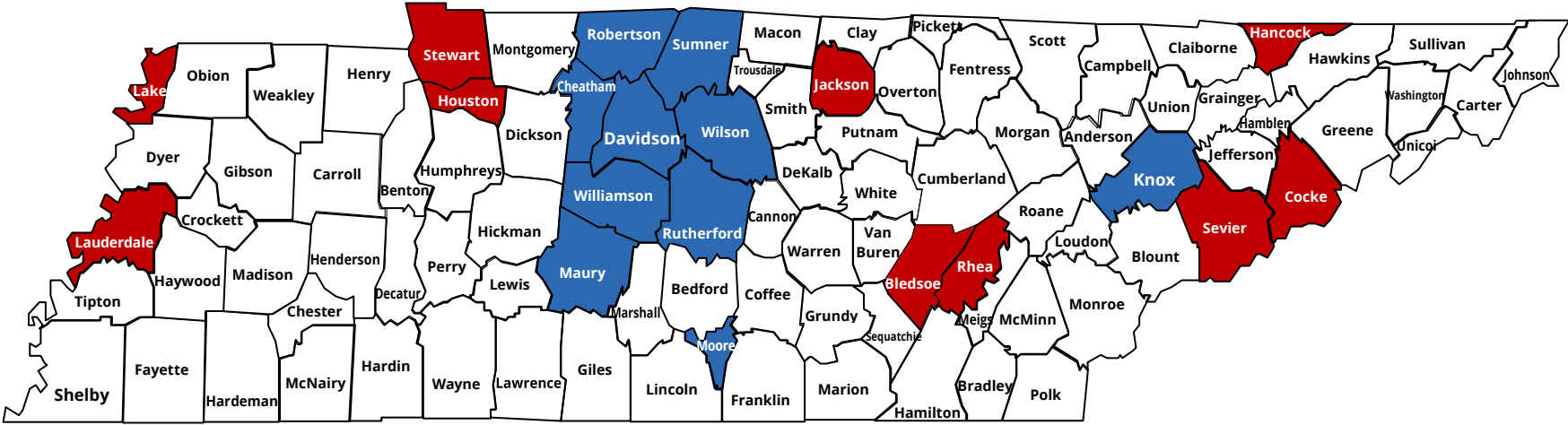
Labor Force Estimates - Economic & Community Development Regions

February, 2017 preliminary

| Labor Force | Employed | Unemployed | Unemp. Rate(%) | | | Rate Change | Labor Force | Employed | Unemployed | Unemp. Rate(%) | | | Rate Change |
|---------------------------|----------------|---------------|----------------|------------|-------------|------------------|--------------------------------------|------------------|----------------|----------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|
| | | | Feb. | Jan. | Change | | | | | Feb. | Jan. | Change | |
| Northeast TN | | | | | | | Upper Cumberland | | | | | | |
| 225,770 | 213,180 | 12,600 | 5.6 | 6.6 | -1.0 | 148,840 | 140,510 | 8,360 | 5.6 | 6.5 | -0.9 | | |
| Carter | 24,160 | 22,630 | 1,530 | 6.3 | 7.6 | -1.3 | Cannon | 6,150 | 5,880 | 270 | 4.4 | 5.1 | -0.7 |
| Greene | 31,710 | 29,820 | 1,890 | 6.0 | 7.1 | -1.1 | Clay | 3,050 | 2,830 | 230 | 7.4 | 8.9 | -1.5 |
| Hancock | 2,090 | 1,930 | 160 | 7.7 | 9.1 | -1.4 | Cumberland | 23,740 | 22,110 | 1,630 | 6.9 | 8.1 | -1.2 |
| Hawkins | 23,710 | 22,370 | 1,340 | 5.6 | 6.5 | -0.9 | DeKalb | 7,630 | 7,140 | 490 | 6.4 | 7.2 | -0.8 |
| Johnson | 7,840 | 7,400 | 440 | 5.7 | 7.1 | -1.4 | Fentress | 7,100 | 6,670 | 430 | 6.0 | 6.8 | -0.8 |
| Sullivan | 69,910 | 66,130 | 3,790 | 5.4 | 6.3 | -0.9 | Jackson | 4,560 | 4,200 | 360 | 7.9 | 9.1 | -1.2 |
| Unicoi | 7,230 | 6,690 | 540 | 7.4 | 8.7 | -1.3 | Macon | 10,550 | 10,100 | 460 | 4.3 | 5.2 | -0.9 |
| Washington | 59,120 | 56,210 | 2,910 | 4.9 | 5.8 | -0.9 | Overton | 9,460 | 8,880 | 580 | 6.1 | 7.2 | -1.1 |
| East TN | | | | | | | Northern Middle TN | | | | | | |
| 570,500 | 540,350 | 30,190 | 5.3 | 6.1 | -0.8 | 1,006,970 | 967,940 | 39,020 | 3.9 | 4.5 | -0.6 | | |
| Anderson | 34,030 | 32,320 | 1,720 | 5.1 | 5.8 | -0.7 | Cheatham | 20,960 | 20,080 | 880 | 4.2 | 4.8 | -0.6 |
| Blount | 61,200 | 58,250 | 2,960 | 4.8 | 5.6 | -0.8 | Davidson | 384,110 | 370,400 | 13,710 | 3.6 | 4.1 | -0.5 |
| Campbell | 15,000 | 13,900 | 1,100 | 7.3 | 8.5 | -1.2 | Dickson | 25,390 | 24,260 | 1,130 | 4.5 | 5.1 | -0.6 |
| Claiborne | 12,730 | 11,900 | 830 | 6.6 | 7.8 | -1.2 | Houston | 3,250 | 3,000 | 250 | 7.8 | 9.1 | -1.3 |
| Cocke | 14,460 | 13,200 | 1,260 | 8.7 | 9.9 | -1.2 | Humphreys | 8,720 | 8,190 | 530 | 6.1 | 7.2 | -1.1 |
| Grainger | 9,370 | 8,820 | 550 | 5.8 | 6.6 | -0.8 | Montgomery | 79,670 | 75,490 | 4,180 | 5.2 | 6.2 | -1.0 |
| Hamblen | 27,180 | 25,750 | 1,430 | 5.3 | 6.0 | -0.7 | Robertson | 35,800 | 34,320 | 1,480 | 4.1 | 4.8 | -0.7 |
| Jefferson | 24,020 | 22,620 | 1,400 | 5.8 | 6.7 | -0.9 | Rutherford | 164,330 | 158,250 | 6,070 | 3.7 | 4.3 | -0.6 |
| Knox | 234,200 | 224,560 | 9,640 | 4.1 | 4.7 | -0.6 | Stewart | 5,310 | 4,910 | 400 | 7.5 | 8.9 | -1.4 |
| Loudon | 22,500 | 21,430 | 1,070 | 4.8 | 5.6 | -0.8 | Sumner | 93,510 | 89,880 | 3,640 | 3.9 | 4.5 | -0.6 |
| Monroe | 19,550 | 18,530 | 1,020 | 5.2 | 6.3 | -1.1 | Trousdale | 3,880 | 3,690 | 180 | 4.7 | 5.9 | -1.2 |
| Morgan | 7,890 | 7,390 | 500 | 6.4 | 8.1 | -1.7 | Williamson | 113,720 | 109,790 | 3,930 | 3.5 | 3.9 | -0.4 |
| Roane | 23,190 | 21,810 | 1,380 | 6.0 | 7.0 | -1.0 | Wilson | 68,320 | 65,680 | 2,640 | 3.9 | 4.4 | -0.5 |
| Scott | 7,880 | 7,300 | 580 | 7.4 | 9.5 | -2.1 | Northwest TN | | | | | | |
| Sevier | 49,940 | 45,630 | 4,320 | 8.6 | 9.6 | -1.0 | 108,420 | 101,500 | 6,930 | 6.4 | 7.7 | -1.3 | |
| Union | 7,360 | 6,940 | 430 | 5.8 | 7.0 | -1.2 | Benton | 6,740 | 6,270 | 470 | 7.0 | 8.5 | -1.5 |
| Southeast TN | | | | | | | Southwest TN | | | | | | |
| 302,360 | 286,620 | 15,740 | 5.2 | 5.9 | -0.7 | 109,340 | 102,900 | 6,440 | 5.9 | 7.0 | -1.1 | | |
| Bledsoe | 4,430 | 4,100 | 330 | 7.5 | 8.8 | -1.3 | Chester | 8,460 | 8,050 | 410 | 4.8 | 6.1 | -1.3 |
| Bradley | 51,620 | 49,260 | 2,360 | 4.6 | 5.2 | -0.6 | Decatur | 4,640 | 4,300 | 340 | 7.3 | 8.8 | -1.5 |
| Grundy | 4,880 | 4,570 | 310 | 6.4 | 7.6 | -1.2 | Hardeman | 9,280 | 8,620 | 660 | 7.1 | 8.0 | -0.9 |
| Hamilton | 173,990 | 165,680 | 8,320 | 4.8 | 5.5 | -0.7 | Hardin | 10,350 | 9,680 | 670 | 6.5 | 7.4 | -0.9 |
| Marion | 12,180 | 11,420 | 760 | 6.3 | 7.8 | -1.5 | Haywood | 7,860 | 7,330 | 530 | 6.8 | 8.0 | -1.2 |
| McMinn | 23,040 | 21,750 | 1,290 | 5.6 | 6.4 | -0.8 | Henderson | 12,170 | 11,310 | 860 | 7.1 | 8.9 | -1.8 |
| Meigs | 5,080 | 4,730 | 340 | 6.8 | 7.7 | -0.9 | Madison | 47,700 | 45,370 | 2,330 | 4.9 | 5.8 | -0.9 |
| Polk | 7,650 | 7,200 | 450 | 5.8 | 6.8 | -1.0 | McNairy | 8,880 | 8,240 | 640 | 7.2 | 8.7 | -1.5 |
| Rhea | 13,440 | 12,250 | 1,190 | 8.8 | 10.2 | -1.4 | Greater Memphis | | | | | | |
| Sequatchie | 6,050 | 5,660 | 390 | 6.4 | 6.9 | -0.5 | 492,570 | 465,260 | 27,310 | 5.5 | 6.4 | -0.8 | |
| Southern Middle TN | | | | | | | Greater Memphis | | | | | | |
| 203,240 | 193,600 | 9,630 | 4.7 | 5.6 | -0.8 | 109,340 | 102,900 | 6,440 | 5.9 | 7.0 | -1.1 | | |
| Bedford | 19,970 | 18,980 | 990 | 4.9 | 5.8 | -0.9 | Fayette | 18,270 | 17,280 | 990 | 5.4 | 6.3 | -0.9 |
| Coffee | 24,730 | 23,530 | 1,200 | 4.8 | 5.6 | -0.8 | Lauderdale | 9,550 | 8,830 | 720 | 7.5 | 9.1 | -1.6 |
| Franklin | 20,200 | 19,180 | 1,020 | 5.1 | 6.0 | -0.9 | Shelby | 436,930 | 412,890 | 24,040 | 5.5 | 6.3 | -0.8 |
| Giles | 15,640 | 14,980 | 660 | 4.2 | 4.8 | -0.6 | Tipton | 27,820 | 26,260 | 1,560 | 5.6 | 6.6 | -1.0 |
| Hickman | 10,850 | 10,350 | 490 | 4.6 | 5.3 | -0.7 | Total | | | | | | |
| Lawrence | 17,780 | 16,800 | 980 | 5.5 | 6.6 | -1.1 | 3,168,010 | 3,011,860 | 156,220 | 4.9 | 5.7 | -0.8 | |
| Lewis | 4,950 | 4,640 | 310 | 6.2 | 7.5 | -1.3 | Numbers may not add due to rounding. | | | | | | |
| Lincoln | 16,000 | 15,280 | 720 | 4.5 | 5.1 | -0.6 | | | | | | | |
| Marshall | 15,670 | 14,990 | 680 | 4.3 | 4.9 | -0.6 | | | | | | | |
| Mauzy | 44,590 | 42,790 | 1,800 | 4.0 | 4.7 | -0.7 | | | | | | | |
| Moore | 3,420 | 3,290 | 130 | 3.9 | 4.9 | -1.0 | | | | | | | |
| Perry | 3,280 | 3,050 | 230 | 7.0 | 8.2 | -1.2 | | | | | | | |
| Wayne | 6,160 | 5,740 | 420 | 6.8 | 9.2 | -2.4 | | | | | | | |

Numbers may not add due to rounding.

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**Lowest
County Unemployment Rates**

| <u>Rank</u> | <u>County</u> | <u>February, 2017 Pre. Rate (%)</u> |
|-------------|---------------|---|
| 1 | Williamson | 3.5 |
| 2 | Davidson | 3.6 |
| 3 | Rutherford | 3.7 |
| 4 | Wilson | 3.9 |
| 5 | Sumner | 3.9 |
| 6 | Moore | 3.9 |
| 7 | Maury | 4.0 |
| 8 | Knox | 4.1 |
| 9 | Robertson | 4.1 |
| 10 | Cheatham | 4.2 |

**Highest
County Unemployment Rates**

| <u>Rank</u> | <u>County</u> | <u>February, 2017 Pre. Rate (%)</u> |
|-------------|---------------|---|
| 95 | Rhea | 8.8 |
| 94 | Cocke | 8.7 |
| 93 | Sevier | 8.6 |
| 92 | Lake | 8.5 |
| 91 | Jackson | 7.9 |
| 90 | Houston | 7.8 |
| 89 | Hancock | 7.7 |
| 88 | Bledsoe | 7.5 |
| 87 | Lauderdale | 7.5 |
| 86 | Stewart | 7.5 |