

Labor Force Estimates - United States & Tennessee

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<i>Seasonally Adjusted*</i>	November, 2016 preliminary				Oct. '16 revised		Nov. '15	
	Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate	Rate	Change	Rate	Change
UNITED STATES	159,486,000	152,085,000	7,400,000	4.6%	4.9%	-0.3%	5.0%	-0.4%
TENNESSEE	3,188,100	3,036,200	151,900	4.8%	4.8%	0.0%	5.6%	-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	159,451,000	152,385,000	7,066,000	4.4%	4.7%	-0.3%	4.8%	-0.4%
TENNESSEE	3,171,500	3,025,900	145,600	4.6%	4.8%	-0.2%	5.3%	-0.7%

Labor Force Estimates - Combined Statistical Areas (CSA)

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	Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate	Rate	Change
Chattanooga-Cleveland-Dalton, TN-GA-AL CSA	446,310	423,960	22,350	5.0	5.3	-0.3
Athens Micropolitan Area (McMinn Co.)	23,020	21,790	1,230	5.4	5.7	-0.3
Chattanooga, TN-GA MSA	261,860	249,410	12,450	4.8	5.1	-0.3
Cleveland, TN MSA	63,230	60,630	2,610	4.1	4.7	-0.6
Dalton, GA MSA	61,040	57,430	3,610	5.9	6.1	-0.2
Dayton Micropolitan Area (Rhea Co.)	13,310	12,270	1,040	7.8	7.5	0.3
Scottsboro, AL Micropolitan Area	23,840	22,430	1,410	5.9	6.3	-0.4
Johnson City-Kingsport-Bristol, TN-VA CSA	229,750	218,160	11,590	5.0	5.3	-0.3
Johnson City, TN MSA	91,360	86,700	4,660	5.1	5.3	-0.2
Kingsport-Bristol, TN-VA MSA	138,390	131,460	6,930	5.0	5.2	-0.2
Knoxville-Morristown-Sevierville, TN CSA	538,060	514,250	23,810	4.4	4.6	-0.2
Knoxville, TN MSA	420,630	402,290	18,340	4.4	4.6	-0.2
Morristown, TN MSA	51,790	49,280	2,510	4.9	5.1	-0.2
Newport Micropolitan Area (Cocke Co.)	14,610	13,770	840	5.7	6.3	-0.6
Sevierville Micropolitan Area (Sevier Co.)	51,040	48,920	2,120	4.2	4.2	0.0
Martin-Union City, TN-KY CSA	30,360	28,490	1,870	6.2	6.5	-0.3
Martin Micropolitan Area (Weakley Co.)	15,880	14,990	890	5.6	6.0	-0.4
Union City, TN-KY Micropolitan Area	14,480	13,500	970	6.7	7.1	-0.4
Memphis-Forrest City, TN-MS-AR CSA	637,340	605,140	32,200	5.1	5.4	-0.3
Forrest City, AR Micropolitan Area	8,840	8,430	410	4.6	4.4	0.2
Memphis, TN-MS-AR MSA	628,500	596,710	31,790	5.1	5.4	-0.3
Nashville-Murfreesboro, TN CSA	1,033,750	995,720	38,030	3.7	3.9	-0.2
Lawrenceburg Micropolitan Area (Lawrence Co.)	17,950	17,010	940	5.2	5.6	-0.4
Lewisburg Micropolitan Area (Marshall Co.)	14,930	14,260	670	4.5	4.7	-0.2
Nashville-Murfreesboro-Franklin, TN MSA	980,830	945,370	35,470	3.6	3.8	-0.2
Shelbyville Micropolitan Area (Bedford Co.)	20,040	19,080	960	4.8	5.1	-0.3

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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	261,860	249,410	12,450	4.8	5.1	-0.3	5.1	-0.3
Hamilton County	172,780	164,840	7,950	4.6	5.0	-0.4	5.0	-0.4
Marion County	12,190	11,420	780	6.4	6.5	-0.1	6.7	-0.3
Sequatchie County	5,970	5,630	340	5.7	6.2	-0.5	6.3	-0.6
Georgia Portion	70,920	67,530	3,390	4.8	5.0	-0.2	4.8	0.0
Clarksville, TN-KY MSA	112,540	107,060	5,480	4.9	5.3	-0.4	5.8	-0.9
Montgomery County	81,060	77,020	4,040	5.0	5.3	-0.3	5.7	-0.7
Kentucky Portion	31,480	30,040	1,440	4.6	5.3	-0.7	6.0	-1.4
Cleveland, TN MSA	63,230	60,630	2,610	4.1	4.7	-0.6	4.8	-0.7
Bradley County	55,040	52,850	2,190	4.0	4.5	-0.5	4.7	-0.7
Polk County	8,190	7,770	420	5.1	5.8	-0.7	6.1	-1.0
Jackson, TN MSA	63,160	60,140	3,020	4.8	5.0	-0.2	5.7	-0.9
Chester County	8,380	7,970	400	4.8	5.0	-0.2	5.4	-0.6
Crockett County	7,000	6,650	350	5.0	5.2	-0.2	6.2	-1.2
Madison County	47,780	45,510	2,270	4.7	5.0	-0.3	5.7	-1.0
Johnson City, TN MSA	91,360	86,700	4,660	5.1	5.3	-0.2	5.7	-0.6
Carter County	24,400	23,040	1,370	5.6	5.7	-0.1	6.0	-0.4
Unicoi County	7,280	6,790	490	6.7	6.7	0.0	7.5	-0.8
Washington County	59,680	56,870	2,810	4.7	5.0	-0.3	5.3	-0.6
Kingsport-Bristol, TN-VA MSA	138,390	131,460	6,930	5.0	5.2	-0.2	5.2	-0.2
Hawkins County	23,930	22,700	1,240	5.2	5.5	-0.3	5.9	-0.7
Sullivan County	70,490	66,850	3,640	5.2	5.5	-0.3	5.5	-0.3
Virginia Portion	43,970	41,910	2,050	4.7	4.7	0.0	4.4	0.3
Knoxville, TN MSA	420,630	402,290	18,340	4.4	4.6	-0.2	4.9	-0.5
Anderson County	34,600	32,950	1,660	4.8	5.1	-0.3	5.4	-0.6
Blount County	61,710	59,090	2,620	4.3	4.4	-0.1	4.8	-0.5
Campbell County	15,232	14,253	979	6.4	6.6	-0.2	7.6	-1.2
Grainger County	9,500	9,000	500	5.3	5.6	-0.3	6.1	-0.8
Knox County	237,670	228,300	9,360	3.9	4.1	-0.2	4.4	-0.5
Loudon County	22,770	21,720	1,050	4.6	4.8	-0.2	5.2	-0.6
Morgan County	8,100	7,610	490	6.1	6.4	-0.3	7.1	-1.0
Roane County	23,560	22,300	1,260	5.4	5.5	-0.1	6.0	-0.6
Union County	7,480	7,070	410	5.5	5.8	-0.3	6.3	-0.8
Memphis, TN-MS-AR MSA	628,500	596,710	31,790	5.1	5.4	-0.3	6.0	-0.9
Fayette County	18,230	17,300	930	5.1	5.5	-0.4	6.2	-1.1
Shelby County	439,810	416,370	23,440	5.3	5.7	-0.4	6.2	-0.9
Tipton County	27,840	26,340	1,510	5.4	5.7	-0.3	6.9	-1.5
Arkansas Portion	21,730	20,820	910	4.2	4.1	0.1	4.9	-0.7
Mississippi Portion	120,900	115,890	5,000	4.1	4.6	-0.5	5.2	-1.1
Morristown, TN MSA	51,790	49,280	2,510	4.9	5.1	-0.2	5.8	-0.9
Hamblen County	27,630	26,300	1,330	4.8	5.1	-0.3	5.8	-1.0
Jefferson County	24,160	22,980	1,180	4.9	5.0	-0.1	5.9	-1.0
Nashville-Murfreesboro, TN MSA	980,830	945,370	35,470	3.6	3.8	-0.2	4.3	-0.7
Cannon County	6,180	5,910	270	4.3	4.7	-0.4	5.3	-1.0
Cheatham County	21,090	20,290	800	3.8	4.0	-0.2	4.4	-0.6
Davidson County	382,430	369,100	13,330	3.5	3.7	-0.2	4.1	-0.6
Dickson County	25,130	24,120	1,020	4.0	4.4	-0.4	4.9	-0.9
Hickman County	10,930	10,460	470	4.3	4.6	-0.3	5.4	-1.1
Macon County	10,540	10,100	450	4.2	4.4	-0.2	4.7	-0.5
Maury County	43,900	42,190	1,710	3.9	4.1	-0.2	5.3	-1.4
Robertson County	35,840	34,450	1,390	3.9	4.1	-0.2	4.7	-0.8
Rutherford County	160,860	155,070	5,790	3.6	3.8	-0.2	4.2	-0.6
Smith County	8,880	8,490	380	4.3	4.4	-0.1	5.1	-0.8
Sumner County	92,690	89,220	3,460	3.7	3.9	-0.2	4.3	-0.6
Trousdale County	3,880	3,720	160	4.2	4.5	-0.3	5.3	-1.1
Williamson County	111,360	107,610	3,750	3.4	3.5	-0.1	3.8	-0.4
Wilson County	67,120	64,640	2,480	3.7	3.9	-0.2	4.4	-0.7

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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.)	23,020	21,790	1,230	5.4	5.7	-0.3	6.2	-0.8
Cookeville	47,430	45,050	2,390	5.0	5.2	-0.2	5.7	-0.7
Jackson Co.	4,490	4,170	320	7.1	7.2	-0.1	7.3	-0.2
Overton Co.	9,230	8,770	460	5.0	5.4	-0.4	6.1	-1.1
Putnam Co.	33,720	32,110	1,610	4.8	5.0	-0.2	5.3	-0.5
Crossville (Cumberland Co.)	23,440	22,070	1,370	5.9	5.9	0.0	6.6	-0.7
Dayton (Rhea Co.)	13,310	12,270	1,040	7.8	7.5	0.3	7.2	0.6
Dyersburg (Dyer Co.)	17,010	16,050	960	5.7	6.0	-0.3	7.4	-1.7
Greeneville (Greene Co.)	30,660	29,100	1,560	5.1	5.7	-0.6	5.9	-0.8
Lawrenceburg (Lawrence Co.)	17,960	17,010	940	5.3	5.6	-0.3	6.6	-1.3
Lewisburg (Marshall Co.)	14,930	14,260	670	4.5	4.7	-0.2	6.0	-1.5
Martin (Weakley Co.)	15,880	14,990	890	5.6	6.0	-0.4	6.2	-0.6
McMinnville (Warren Co.)	18,370	17,550	820	4.4	5.1	-0.7	5.1	-0.7
Newport (Cocke Co.)	14,610	13,770	840	5.7	6.3	-0.6	7.0	-1.3
Paris (Henry Co.)	14,020	13,240	780	5.6	5.8	-0.2	6.2	-0.6
Sevierville (Sevier Co.)	51,040	48,920	2,120	4.2	4.2	0.0	5.1	-0.9
Shelbyville (Bedford Co.)	20,030	19,080	960	4.8	5.1	-0.3	5.9	-1.1
Tullahoma-Manchester	47,740	45,460	2,280	4.8	5.0	-0.2	5.1	-0.3
Coffee Co.	24,620	23,460	1,160	4.7	4.9	-0.2	5.3	-0.6
Franklin Co.	19,710	18,720	990	5.0	5.4	-0.4	4.9	0.1
Moore Co.	3,410	3,280	130	3.8	3.8	0.0	4.4	-0.6
Union City, TN-KY	14,480	13,500	970	6.7	7.1	-0.4	8.3	-1.6
Obion Co.	12,410	11,550	870	7.0	7.2	-0.2	8.4	-1.4
Kentucky portion (Fulton Co.)	2,060	1,960	110	5.2	6.3	-1.1	7.8	-2.6

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	34,600	32,950	1,660	4.8	5.1	-0.3	5.4	-0.6
Bedford County	20,030	19,080	960	4.8	5.1	-0.3	5.9	-1.1
Benton County	6,750	6,330	420	6.2	6.8	-0.6	7.3	-1.1
Bledsoe County	4,450	4,150	300	6.7	6.6	0.1	7.2	-0.5
Blount County	61,710	59,090	2,620	4.3	4.4	-0.1	4.8	-0.5
Bradley County	55,040	52,850	2,190	4.0	4.5	-0.5	4.7	-0.7
Campbell County	15,230	14,250	980	6.4	6.6	-0.2	7.6	-1.2
Cannon County	6,180	5,910	270	4.3	4.7	-0.4	5.3	-1.0
Carroll County	12,260	11,510	750	6.1	6.5	-0.4	7.6	-1.5
Carter County	24,400	23,040	1,370	5.6	5.7	-0.1	6.0	-0.4
Cheatham County	21,090	20,290	800	3.8	4.0	-0.2	4.4	-0.6
Chester County	8,380	7,970	400	4.8	5.0	-0.2	5.4	-0.6
Claiborne County	12,940	12,170	770	6.0	6.2	-0.2	6.7	-0.7
Clay County	2,980	2,790	190	6.4	6.1	0.3	8.4	-2.0
Cocke County	14,610	13,770	840	5.7	6.3	-0.6	7.0	-1.3
Coffee County	24,620	23,460	1,160	4.7	4.9	-0.2	5.3	-0.6
Crockett County	7,000	6,650	350	5.0	5.2	-0.2	6.2	-1.2
Cumberland County	23,440	22,070	1,370	5.9	5.9	0.0	6.6	-0.7
Davidson County	382,430	369,100	13,330	3.5	3.7	-0.2	4.1	-0.6
Decatur County	4,760	4,460	300	6.3	6.6	-0.3	7.7	-1.4
DeKalb County	7,550	7,130	410	5.5	5.8	-0.3	6.4	-0.9
Dickson County	25,130	24,120	1,020	4.0	4.4	-0.4	4.9	-0.9
Dyer County	17,010	16,050	960	5.7	6.0	-0.3	7.4	-1.7
Fayette County	18,230	17,300	930	5.1	5.5	-0.4	6.2	-1.1
Fentress County	7,230	6,810	410	5.7	5.6	0.1	6.5	-0.8
Franklin County	19,710	18,720	990	5.0	5.4	-0.4	4.9	0.1
Gibson County	21,230	20,000	1,230	5.8	5.9	-0.1	7.1	-1.3
Giles County	15,210	14,610	610	4.0	4.2	-0.2	4.7	-0.7
Grainger County	9,500	9,000	500	5.3	5.6	-0.3	6.1	-0.8
Greene County	30,660	29,100	1,560	5.1	5.7	-0.6	5.9	-0.8
Grundy County	4,940	4,600	340	6.9	7.3	-0.4	7.1	-0.2
Hamblen County	27,630	26,300	1,330	4.8	5.1	-0.3	5.8	-1.0
Hamilton County	172,780	164,840	7,950	4.6	5.0	-0.4	5.0	-0.4
Hancock County	2,090	1,950	150	7.1	7.6	-0.5	9.7	-2.6
Hardeman County	9,500	8,940	560	5.9	6.3	-0.4	7.4	-1.5
Hardin County	10,140	9,530	610	6.0	6.2	-0.2	6.9	-0.9
Hawkins County	23,930	22,700	1,240	5.2	5.5	-0.3	5.9	-0.7
Haywood County	8,010	7,550	460	5.8	6.2	-0.4	7.9	-2.1
Henderson County	12,240	11,470	760	6.2	6.7	-0.5	7.6	-1.4
Henry County	14,020	13,240	780	5.6	5.8	-0.2	6.2	-0.6
Hickman County	10,930	10,460	470	4.3	4.6	-0.3	5.4	-1.1
Houston County	3,210	3,010	200	6.3	6.7	-0.4	7.9	-1.6
Humphreys County	8,610	8,140	470	5.4	5.7	-0.3	6.5	-1.1
Jackson County	4,490	4,170	320	7.1	7.2	-0.1	7.3	-0.2
Jefferson County	24,160	22,980	1,180	4.9	5.0	-0.1	5.9	-1.0
Johnson County	7,540	7,170	370	4.8	4.7	0.1	5.0	-0.2
Knox County	237,670	228,300	9,360	3.9	4.1	-0.2	4.4	-0.5
Lake County	1,990	1,820	160	8.3	8.0	0.3	9.1	-0.8

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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Lauderdale County	9,700	9,020	680	7.0	7.7	-0.7	9.2	-2.2
Lawrence County	17,960	17,010	940	5.3	5.6	-0.3	6.6	-1.3
Lewis County	4,870	4,600	270	5.5	6.2	-0.7	7.1	-1.6
Lincoln County	15,670	14,990	680	4.3	4.5	-0.2	4.3	0.0
Loudon County	22,770	21,720	1,050	4.6	4.8	-0.2	5.2	-0.6
Macon County	10,540	10,100	450	4.2	4.4	-0.2	4.7	-0.5
Madison County	47,780	45,510	2,270	4.7	5.0	-0.3	5.7	-1.0
Marion County	12,190	11,420	780	6.4	6.5	-0.1	6.7	-0.3
Marshall County	14,930	14,260	670	4.5	4.7	-0.2	6.0	-1.5
Maurry County	43,900	42,190	1,710	3.9	4.1	-0.2	5.3	-1.4
McMinn County	23,020	21,790	1,230	5.4	5.7	-0.3	6.2	-0.8
McNairy County	8,750	8,130	620	7.1	7.2	-0.1	7.9	-0.8
Meigs County	5,030	4,710	320	6.3	6.5	-0.2	7.1	-0.8
Monroe County	19,500	18,480	1,020	5.2	5.4	-0.2	5.9	-0.7
Montgomery County	81,060	77,020	4,040	5.0	5.3	-0.3	5.7	-0.7
Moore County	3,410	3,280	130	3.8	3.8	0.0	4.4	-0.6
Morgan County	8,100	7,610	490	6.1	6.4	-0.3	7.1	-1.0
Obion County	12,410	11,550	870	7.0	7.2	-0.2	8.4	-1.4
Overton County	9,230	8,770	460	5.0	5.4	-0.4	6.1	-1.1
Perry County	3,250	3,050	200	6.1	5.7	0.4	6.5	-0.4
Pickett County	2,420	2,280	140	5.9	5.8	0.1	7.8	-1.9
Polk County	8,190	7,770	420	5.1	5.8	-0.7	6.1	-1.0
Putnam County	33,720	32,110	1,610	4.8	5.0	-0.2	5.3	-0.5
Rhea County	13,310	12,270	1,040	7.8	7.5	0.3	7.2	0.6
Roane County	23,560	22,300	1,260	5.4	5.5	-0.1	6.0	-0.6
Robertson County	35,840	34,450	1,390	3.9	4.1	-0.2	4.7	-0.8
Rutherford County	160,860	155,070	5,790	3.6	3.8	-0.2	4.2	-0.6
Scott County	7,870	7,280	590	7.5	7.2	0.3	9.1	-1.6
Sequatchie County	5,970	5,630	340	5.7	6.2	-0.5	6.3	-0.6
Sevier County	51,040	48,920	2,120	4.2	4.2	0.0	5.1	-0.9
Shelby County	439,810	416,370	23,440	5.3	5.7	-0.4	6.2	-0.9
Smith County	8,880	8,490	380	4.3	4.4	-0.1	5.1	-0.8
Stewart County	5,300	4,990	320	6.0	6.6	-0.6	7.0	-1.0
Sullivan County	70,490	66,850	3,640	5.2	5.5	-0.3	5.5	-0.3
Sumner County	92,690	89,220	3,460	3.7	3.9	-0.2	4.3	-0.6
Tipton County	27,840	26,340	1,510	5.4	5.7	-0.3	6.9	-1.5
Trousdale County	3,880	3,720	160	4.2	4.5	-0.3	5.3	-1.1
Unicoi County	7,280	6,790	490	6.7	6.7	0.0	7.5	-0.8
Union County	7,480	7,070	410	5.5	5.8	-0.3	6.3	-0.8
Van Buren County	2,110	1,990	120	5.7	6.0	-0.3	7.0	-1.3
Warren County	18,370	17,550	820	4.4	5.1	-0.7	5.1	-0.7
Washington County	59,680	56,870	2,810	4.7	5.0	-0.3	5.3	-0.6
Wayne County	6,760	6,380	390	5.7	5.8	-0.1	6.5	-0.8
Weakley County	15,880	14,990	890	5.6	6.0	-0.4	6.2	-0.6
White County	11,520	10,910	610	5.3	5.2	0.1	5.7	-0.4
Williamson County	111,360	107,610	3,750	3.4	3.5	-0.1	3.8	-0.4
Wilson County	67,120	64,640	2,480	3.7	3.9	-0.2	4.4	-0.7

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County Unemployment Rate Change:

(October, 2016 to November, 2016)

Rate decreased in 81 counties
 Rate increased in 10 counties
 Rate remained the same in 4 counties

County Unemployment Rate Range:

(November, 2016)

Rate is less than 5.0% in 35 counties
 Rate is 5.0% or greater, but less than 10.0% in 60 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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	November, 2016 pre.				Oct. '16 rev.		Nov. '15	
	Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate	Rate	Change	Rate	Change
Bartlett	30,450	29,220	1,240	4.1	4.4	-0.3	5.0	-0.9
Brentwood	21,100	20,350	750	3.5	3.7	-0.2	3.8	-0.3
Bristol	11,750	11,140	610	5.2	5.8	-0.6	5.7	-0.5
Chattanooga	81,710	77,570	4,140	5.1	5.6	-0.5	5.5	-0.4
Clarksville	60,450	57,340	3,110	5.1	5.4	-0.3	5.8	-0.7
Cleveland	22,460	21,530	940	4.2	4.6	-0.4	5.0	-0.8
Collierville	24,820	23,890	930	3.7	4.0	-0.3	4.4	-0.7
Columbia	17,030	16,300	730	4.3	4.5	-0.2	6.0	-1.7
Cookeville	13,480	12,790	700	5.2	5.5	-0.3	5.4	-0.2
Franklin	40,500	39,200	1,300	3.2	3.4	-0.2	3.6	-0.4
Gallatin	17,400	16,730	670	3.9	4.1	-0.2	4.9	-1.0
Germantown	19,780	19,080	700	3.5	3.9	-0.4	4.1	-0.6
Hendersonville	31,080	29,950	1,130	3.6	3.8	-0.2	4.1	-0.5
Jackson	31,490	29,910	1,570	5.0	5.3	-0.3	6.1	-1.1
Johnson City	31,480	29,990	1,490	4.7	4.9	-0.2	5.4	-0.7
Kingsport	22,860	21,610	1,250	5.5	5.5	0.0	5.5	0.0
Knoxville	96,590	92,400	4,190	4.3	4.5	-0.2	4.9	-0.6
LaVergne	18,510	17,840	670	3.6	3.9	-0.3	4.6	-1.0
Lebanon	14,070	13,430	640	4.5	4.8	-0.3	5.0	-0.5
Maryville	13,690	13,120	570	4.2	4.4	-0.2	4.9	-0.7
Memphis	293,930	276,770	17,160	5.8	6.2	-0.4	6.8	-1.0
Morristown	11,640	11,020	630	5.4	5.8	-0.4	6.4	-1.0
Mount Juliet	16,010	15,450	560	3.5	3.6	-0.1	4.6	-1.1
Murfreesboro	68,670	66,080	2,590	3.8	3.9	-0.1	4.3	-0.5
Nashville	382,430	369,100	13,330	3.5	3.7	-0.2	4.1	-0.6
Oak Ridge	14,430	13,810	620	4.3	4.7	-0.4	4.9	-0.6
Smyrna	25,080	24,200	880	3.5	3.7	-0.2	4.2	-0.7
Spring Hill	18,780	18,130	650	3.5	3.7	-0.2	4.4	-0.9

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

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**Lowest
County Unemployment Rates**

Rank	County	Nov. pre. Rate (%)
1	Williamson Co.	3.4
2	Davidson Co.	3.5
3	Rutherford Co.	3.6
4	Wilson Co.	3.7
5	Sumner Co.	3.7
6	Moore Co.	3.8
7	Cheatham Co.	3.8
8	Robertson Co.	3.9
9	Maury Co.	3.9
10	Knox Co.	3.9

**Highest
County Unemployment Rates**

Rank	County	Nov. pre. Rate (%)
95	Lake Co.	8.3
94	Rhea Co.	7.8
93	Scott Co.	7.5
92	Hancock Co.	7.1
91	McNairy Co.	7.1
90	Jackson Co.	7.1
89	Lauderdale Co.	7.0
88	Obion Co.	7.0
87	Grundy Co.	6.9
86	Bledsoe Co.	6.7

Labor Force Estimates -- October 2016 (revised)

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(seasonally adjusted)	Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Unemp. Rate (%)
United States	159,712,000	151,925,000	7,787,000	4.9
Tennessee	3,174,300	3,023,300	151,000	4.8

(not seasonally adjusted)	Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Unemp. Rate (%)
United States	159,783,000	152,335,000	7,447,000	4.7
Tennessee	3,174,400	3,020,700	153,700	4.8

Metropolitan Statistical Areas

Chattanooga	262,820	249,480	13,340	5.1
Clarksville	112,660	106,710	5,950	5.3
Cleveland	58,930	56,190	2,750	4.7
Jackson	63,100	59,940	3,160	5.0
Johnson City	91,490	86,640	4,860	5.3
Kingsport-Bristol	138,700	131,420	7,280	5.2
Knoxville	422,620	403,340	19,280	4.6
Memphis	629,240	595,250	33,990	5.4
Morristown	52,110	49,470	2,640	5.1
Nashville-Murfreesboro	981,300	943,950	37,350	3.8

Counties

Anderson County	34,820	33,040	1,780	5.1
Bedford County	20,110	19,080	1,020	5.1
Benton County	6,800	6,340	460	6.8
Bledsoe County	4,460	4,170	290	6.6
Blount County	62,010	59,250	2,760	4.4
Bradley County	51,280	48,970	2,310	4.5
Campbell County	15,310	14,300	1,010	6.6
Cannon County	6,190	5,900	290	4.7
Carroll County	12,310	11,510	800	6.5
Carter County	24,440	23,040	1,400	5.7
Cheatham County	21,130	20,280	840	4.0
Chester County	8,360	7,940	420	5.0
Claiborne County	13,000	12,190	810	6.2
Clay County	3,000	2,810	180	6.1
Coke County	14,770	13,840	920	6.3
Coffee County	24,700	23,480	1,220	4.9
Crockett County	6,980	6,620	360	5.2
Cumberland County	23,590	22,180	1,400	5.9
Davidson County	382,670	368,590	14,080	3.7
Decatur County	4,790	4,470	320	6.6
DeKalb County	7,580	7,150	440	5.8
Dickson County	25,180	24,070	1,100	4.4
Dyer County	17,090	16,070	1,020	6.0
Fayette County	18,250	17,250	1,000	5.5
Fentress County	7,240	6,830	410	5.6
Franklin County	19,750	18,690	1,060	5.4
Gibson County	21,190	19,930	1,260	5.9
Giles County	15,180	14,540	640	4.2
Grainger County	9,560	9,020	540	5.6
Greene County	30,920	29,150	1,780	5.7
Grundy County	4,960	4,600	360	7.3
Hamblen County	27,810	26,400	1,410	5.1
Hamilton County	173,480	164,880	8,600	5.0
Hancock County	2,120	1,960	160	7.6
Hardeman County	9,540	8,930	600	6.3
Hardin County	10,180	9,550	640	6.2
Hawkins County	24,000	22,690	1,310	5.5
Haywood County	8,010	7,510	500	6.2

Counties	Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Unemp. Rate (%)
Henderson County	12,260	11,450	820	6.7
Henry County	14,080	13,260	820	5.8
Hickman County	10,950	10,450	500	4.6
Houston County	3,230	3,010	220	6.7
Humphreys County	8,650	8,150	500	5.7
Jackson County	4,500	4,180	320	7.2
Jefferson County	24,300	23,070	1,230	5.0
Johnson County	7,570	7,220	360	4.7
Knox County	238,730	228,910	9,820	4.1
Lake County	1,980	1,830	160	8.0
Lauderdale County	9,730	8,980	750	7.7
Lawrence County	17,980	16,960	1,010	5.6
Lewis County	4,900	4,600	300	6.2
Lincoln County	15,700	14,990	710	4.5
Loudon County	22,860	21,760	1,110	4.8
Macon County	10,530	10,070	460	4.4
Madison County	47,750	45,370	2,380	5.0
Marion County	12,220	11,420	790	6.5
Marshall County	14,970	14,260	710	4.7
Maury County	43,910	42,120	1,790	4.1
McMinn County	23,070	21,760	1,300	5.7
McNairy County	8,800	8,170	630	7.2
Meigs County	4,960	4,640	320	6.5
Monroe County	19,560	18,500	1,060	5.4
Montgomery County	81,170	76,890	4,280	5.3
Moore County	3,420	3,290	130	3.8
Morgan County	8,140	7,620	530	6.4
Obion County	12,470	11,580	900	7.2
Overton County	9,220	8,720	490	5.4
Perry County	3,230	3,040	180	5.7
Pickett County	2,440	2,290	140	5.8
Polk County	7,650	7,210	440	5.8
Putnam County	33,740	32,070	1,680	5.0
Rhea County	13,410	12,410	1,000	7.5
Roane County	23,660	22,350	1,310	5.5
Robertson County	35,850	34,360	1,480	4.1
Rutherford County	160,850	154,770	6,080	3.8
Scott County	7,920	7,350	570	7.2
Sequatchie County	6,010	5,630	370	6.2
Sevier County	51,430	49,260	2,170	4.2
Shelby County	440,490	415,590	24,900	5.7
Smith County	8,870	8,480	390	4.4
Stewart County	5,340	4,990	350	6.6
Sullivan County	70,760	66,860	3,900	5.5
Sumner County	92,750	89,120	3,630	3.9
Tipton County	27,850	26,270	1,580	5.7
Trousdale County	3,880	3,710	170	4.5
Unicoi County	7,270	6,780	490	6.7
Union County	7,530	7,100	440	5.8
Van Buren County	2,120	2,000	130	6.0
Warren County	18,430	17,500	930	5.1
Washington County	59,790	56,820	2,980	5.0
Wayne County	6,770	6,380	390	5.8
Weakley County	15,930	14,970	960	6.0
White County	11,560	10,950	600	5.2
Williamson County	111,440	107,520	3,920	3.5
Wilson County	67,120	64,520	2,600	3.9

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Labor Force Estimates - Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act (WIOA) Areas Release: 1:30 PM CT on 12/22/2016

November, 2016 preliminary

	Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Unemp. Rate (%)		Rate Change	Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Unemp. Rate (%)		Rate Change	
				Nov.	Oct.					Nov.	Oct.		
WIOA 1	169,390	160,720	8,680	5.1	5.4	-0.2	WIOA 8	384,290	368,850	15,450	4.0	4.2	-0.2
Carter	24,400	23,040	1,370	5.6	5.7	-0.1	Cheatham	21,090	20,290	800	3.8	4.0	-0.2
Johnson	7,540	7,170	370	4.8	4.7	0.1	Dickson	25,130	24,120	1,020	4.0	4.4	-0.4
Sullivan	70,490	66,850	3,640	5.2	5.5	-0.3	Houston	3,210	3,010	200	6.3	6.7	-0.4
Unicoi	7,280	6,790	490	6.7	6.7	0.0	Humphreys	8,610	8,140	470	5.4	5.7	-0.3
Washington	59,680	56,870	2,810	4.7	5.0	-0.3	Montgomery	81,060	77,020	4,040	5.0	5.3	-0.3
							Robertson	35,840	34,450	1,390	3.9	4.1	-0.2
WIOA 2	204,040	193,960	10,100	5.0	5.2	-0.3	Stewart	5,300	4,990	320	6.0	6.6	-0.6
Claiborne	12,940	12,170	770	6.0	6.2	-0.2	Sumner	92,690	89,220	3,460	3.7	3.9	-0.2
Cocke	14,610	13,770	840	5.7	6.3	-0.6	Williamson	111,360	107,610	3,750	3.4	3.5	-0.1
Grainger	9,500	9,000	500	5.3	5.6	-0.3							
Greene	30,660	29,100	1,560	5.1	5.7	-0.6	WIOA 9	614,290	592,530	21,760	3.5	3.7	-0.2
Hamblen	27,630	26,300	1,330	4.8	5.1	-0.3	Davidson	382,430	369,100	13,330	3.5	3.7	-0.2
Hancock	2,090	1,950	150	7.1	7.6	-0.5	Rutherford	160,860	155,070	5,790	3.6	3.8	-0.2
Hawkins	23,930	22,700	1,240	5.2	5.5	-0.3	Trousdale	3,880	3,720	160	4.2	4.5	-0.3
Jefferson	24,160	22,980	1,180	4.9	5.0	-0.1	Wilson	67,120	64,640	2,480	3.7	3.9	-0.2
Sevier	51,040	48,920	2,120	4.2	4.2	0.0							
Union	7,480	7,070	410	5.5	5.8	-0.3	WIOA 10	117,810	112,560	5,260	4.5	4.7	-0.2
							Giles	15,210	14,610	610	4.0	4.2	-0.2
WIOA 3	237,670	228,300	9,360	3.9	4.1	-0.2	Hickman	10,930	10,460	470	4.3	4.6	-0.3
Knox	237,670	228,300	9,360	3.9	4.1	-0.2	Lawrence	17,960	17,010	940	5.3	5.6	-0.3
							Lewis	4,870	4,600	270	5.5	6.2	-0.7
WIOA 4	216,780	205,750	11,040	5.1	5.3	-0.2	Marshall	14,930	14,260	670	4.5	4.7	-0.2
Anderson	34,600	32,950	1,660	4.8	5.1	-0.3	Mauzy	43,900	42,190	1,710	3.9	4.1	-0.2
Blount	61,710	59,090	2,620	4.3	4.4	-0.1	Perry	3,250	3,050	200	6.1	5.7	0.4
Campbell	15,230	14,250	980	6.4	6.6	-0.2	Wayne	6,760	6,380	390	5.7	5.8	-0.1
Cumberland	23,440	22,070	1,370	5.9	5.9	0.0							
Loudon	22,770	21,720	1,050	4.6	4.8	-0.2	WIOA 11	109,560	103,560	5,980	5.5	5.8	-0.3
Monroe	19,500	18,480	1,020	5.2	5.4	-0.2	Chester	8,380	7,970	400	4.8	5.0	-0.2
Morgan	8,100	7,610	490	6.1	6.4	-0.3	Decatur	4,760	4,460	300	6.3	6.6	-0.3
Roane	23,560	22,300	1,260	5.4	5.5	-0.1	Hardeman	9,500	8,940	560	5.9	6.3	-0.4
Scott	7,870	7,280	590	7.5	7.2	0.3	Hardin	10,140	9,530	610	6.0	6.2	-0.2
							Haywood	8,010	7,550	460	5.8	6.2	-0.4
WIOA 5	299,980	285,430	14,570	4.9	5.1	-0.3	Henderson	12,240	11,470	760	6.2	6.7	-0.5
Bledsoe	4,450	4,150	300	6.7	6.6	0.1	Madison	47,780	45,510	2,270	4.7	5.0	-0.3
Bradley	55,040	52,850	2,190	4.0	4.5	-0.5	McNairy	8,750	8,130	620	7.1	7.2	-0.1
Hamilton	172,780	164,840	7,950	4.6	5.0	-0.4							
Marion	12,190	11,420	780	6.4	6.5	-0.1	WIOA 12	146,090	137,500	8,600	5.9	6.2	-0.3
McMinn	23,020	21,790	1,230	5.4	5.7	-0.3	Benton	6,750	6,330	420	6.2	6.8	-0.6
Meigs	5,030	4,710	320	6.3	6.5	-0.2	Carroll	12,260	11,510	750	6.1	6.5	-0.4
Polk	8,190	7,770	420	5.1	5.8	-0.7	Crockett	7,000	6,650	350	5.0	5.2	-0.2
Rhea	13,310	12,270	1,040	7.8	7.5	0.3	Dyer	17,010	16,050	960	5.7	6.0	-0.3
Sequatchie	5,970	5,630	340	5.7	6.2	-0.5	Gibson	21,230	20,000	1,230	5.8	5.9	-0.1
							Henry	14,020	13,240	780	5.6	5.8	-0.2
WIOA 6	106,750	101,680	5,080	4.8	5.1	-0.3	Lake	1,990	1,820	160	8.3	8.0	0.3
Bedford	20,030	19,080	960	4.8	5.1	-0.3	Lauderdale	9,700	9,020	680	7.0	7.7	-0.7
Coffee	24,620	23,460	1,160	4.7	4.9	-0.2	Obion	12,410	11,550	870	7.0	7.2	-0.2
Franklin	19,710	18,720	990	5.0	5.4	-0.4	Tipton	27,840	26,340	1,510	5.4	5.7	-0.3
Grundy	4,940	4,600	340	6.9	7.3	-0.4	Weakley	15,880	14,990	890	5.6	6.0	-0.4
Lincoln	15,670	14,990	680	4.3	4.5	-0.2							
Moore	3,410	3,280	130	3.8	3.8	0.0	WIOA 13	458,040	433,670	24,370	5.3	5.6	-0.3
Warren	18,370	17,550	820	4.4	5.1	-0.7	Fayette	18,230	17,300	930	5.1	5.5	-0.4
							Shelby	439,810	416,370	23,440	5.3	5.7	-0.4
WIOA 7	106,850	101,460	5,370	5.0	5.2	-0.1	WIOA Total	3,171,540	3,025,970	145,620	4.6	4.8	-0.2
Cannon	6,180	5,910	270	4.3	4.7	-0.4							
Clay	2,980	2,790	190	6.4	6.1	0.3							
DeKalb	7,550	7,130	410	5.5	5.8	-0.3							
Fentress	7,230	6,810	410	5.7	5.6	0.1							
Jackson	4,490	4,170	320	7.1	7.2	-0.1							
Macon	10,540	10,100	450	4.2	4.4	-0.2							
Overton	9,230	8,770	460	5.0	5.4	-0.4							
Pickett	2,420	2,280	140	5.9	5.8	0.1							
Putnam	33,720	32,110	1,610	4.8	5.0	-0.2							
Smith	8,880	8,490	380	4.3	4.4	-0.1							
Van Buren	2,110	1,990	120	5.7	6.0	-0.3							
White	11,520	10,910	610	5.3	5.2	0.1							

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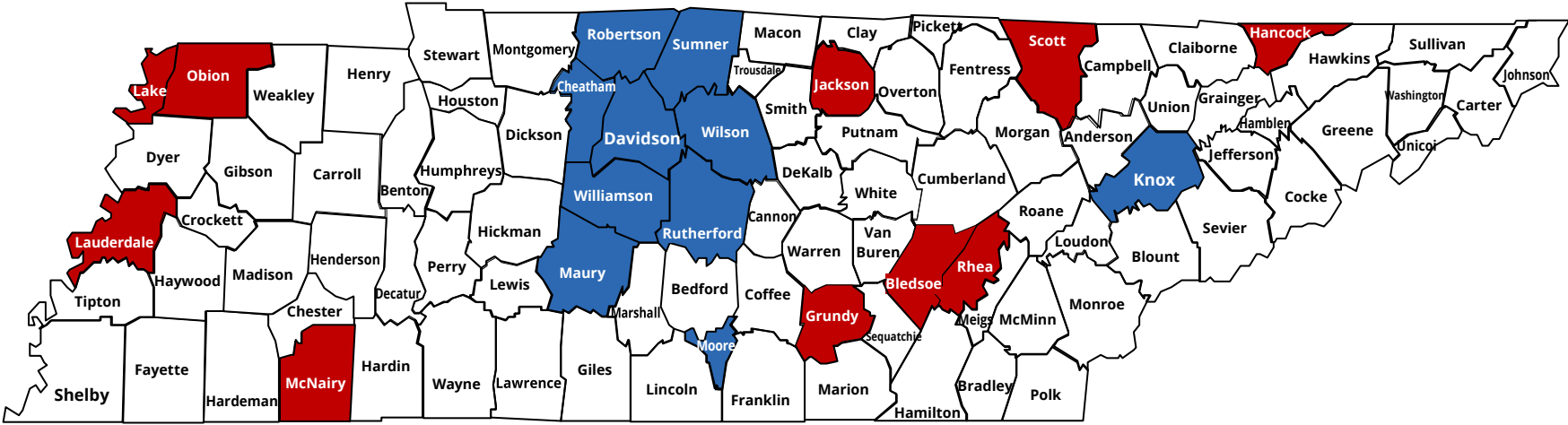
Labor Force Estimates - Economic & Community Development Regions

November, 2016 preliminary

	Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Unemp. Rate (%)		Rate Change		Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Unemp. Rate (%)		Rate Change
				Nov.	Oct.						Nov.	Oct.	
Northeast TN							Upper Cumberland						
	226,070	214,470	11,630	5.1	5.4	-0.3		148,660	141,080	7,560	5.1	5.3	-0.2
Carter	24,400	23,040	1,370	5.6	5.7	-0.1	Cannon	6,180	5,910	270	4.3	4.7	-0.4
Greene	30,660	29,100	1,560	5.1	5.7	-0.6	Clay	2,980	2,790	190	6.4	6.1	0.3
Hancock	2,090	1,950	150	7.1	7.6	-0.5	Cumberland	23,440	22,070	1,370	5.9	5.9	0.0
Hawkins	23,930	22,700	1,240	5.2	5.5	-0.3	DeKalb	7,550	7,130	410	5.5	5.8	-0.3
Johnson	7,540	7,170	370	4.8	4.7	0.1	Fentress	7,230	6,810	410	5.7	5.6	0.1
Sullivan	70,490	66,850	3,640	5.2	5.5	-0.3	Jackson	4,490	4,170	320	7.1	7.2	-0.1
Unicoi	7,280	6,790	490	6.7	6.7	0.0	Macon	10,540	10,100	450	4.2	4.4	-0.2
Washington	59,680	56,870	2,810	4.7	5.0	-0.3	Overton	9,230	8,770	460	5.0	5.4	-0.4
							Pickett	2,420	2,280	140	5.9	5.8	0.1
East TN							Northern Middle TN						
	578,370	552,190	26,180	4.5	4.7	-0.2		998,580	961,380	37,210	3.7	3.9	-0.2
Anderson	34,600	32,950	1,660	4.8	5.1	-0.3	Cheatham	21,090	20,290	800	3.8	4.0	-0.2
Blount	61,710	59,090	2,620	4.3	4.4	-0.1	Davidson	382,430	369,100	13,330	3.5	3.7	-0.2
Campbell	15,230	14,250	980	6.4	6.6	-0.2	Dickson	25,130	24,120	1,020	4.0	4.4	-0.4
Claiborne	12,940	12,170	770	6.0	6.2	-0.2	Houston	3,210	3,010	200	6.3	6.7	-0.4
Cocke	14,610	13,770	840	5.7	6.3	-0.6	Humphreys	8,610	8,140	470	5.4	5.7	-0.3
Grainger	9,500	9,000	500	5.3	5.6	-0.3	Montgomery	81,060	77,020	4,040	5.0	5.3	-0.3
Hamblen	27,630	26,300	1,330	4.8	5.1	-0.3	Robertson	35,840	34,450	1,390	3.9	4.1	-0.2
Jefferson	24,160	22,980	1,180	4.9	5.0	-0.1	Rutherford	160,860	155,070	5,790	3.6	3.8	-0.2
Knox	237,670	228,300	9,360	3.9	4.1	-0.2	Stewart	5,300	4,990	320	6.0	6.6	-0.6
Loudon	22,770	21,720	1,050	4.6	4.8	-0.2	Sumner	92,690	89,220	3,460	3.7	3.9	-0.2
Monroe	19,500	18,480	1,020	5.2	5.4	-0.2	Trousdale	3,880	3,720	160	4.2	4.5	-0.3
Morgan	8,100	7,610	490	6.1	6.4	-0.3	Williamson	111,360	107,610	3,750	3.4	3.5	-0.1
Roane	23,560	22,300	1,260	5.4	5.5	-0.1	Wilson	67,120	64,640	2,480	3.7	3.9	-0.2
Scott	7,870	7,280	590	7.5	7.2	0.3							
Sevier	51,040	48,920	2,120	4.2	4.2	0.0	Northwest TN						
Union	7,480	7,070	410	5.5	5.8	-0.3		108,550	102,140	6,410	5.9	6.2	-0.3
							Benton	6,750	6,330	420	6.2	6.8	-0.6
Southeast TN							Southwest TN						
	304,920	290,030	14,910	4.9	5.2	-0.3		109,560	103,560	5,980	5.5	5.8	-0.3
Bledsoe	4,450	4,150	300	6.7	6.6	0.1	Chester	8,380	7,970	400	4.8	5.0	-0.2
Bradley	55,040	52,850	2,190	4.0	4.5	-0.5	Decatur	4,760	4,460	300	6.3	6.6	-0.3
Grundy	4,940	4,600	340	6.9	7.3	-0.4	Hardeman	9,500	8,940	560	5.9	6.3	-0.4
Hamilton	172,780	164,840	7,950	4.6	5.0	-0.4	Hardin	10,140	9,530	610	6.0	6.2	-0.2
Marion	12,190	11,420	780	6.4	6.5	-0.1	Haywood	8,010	7,550	460	5.8	6.2	-0.4
McMinn	23,020	21,790	1,230	5.4	5.7	-0.3	Henderson	12,240	11,470	760	6.2	6.7	-0.5
Meigs	5,030	4,710	320	6.3	6.5	-0.2	Madison	47,780	45,510	2,270	4.7	5.0	-0.3
Polk	8,190	7,770	420	5.1	5.8	-0.7	McNairy	8,750	8,130	620	7.1	7.2	-0.1
Rhea	13,310	12,270	1,040	7.8	7.5	0.3							
Sequatchie	5,970	5,630	340	5.7	6.2	-0.5	Greater Memphis						
								495,580	469,030	26,560	5.4	5.7	-0.3
Southern Middle TN							Greater Memphis						
	201,250	192,090	9,180	4.6	4.8	-0.2	Fayette	18,230	17,300	930	5.1	5.5	-0.4
Bedford	20,030	19,080	960	4.8	5.1	-0.3	Lauderdale	9,700	9,020	680	7.0	7.7	-0.7
Coffee	24,620	23,460	1,160	4.7	4.9	-0.2	Shelby	439,810	416,370	23,440	5.3	5.7	-0.4
Franklin	19,710	18,720	990	5.0	5.4	-0.4	Tipton	27,840	26,340	1,510	5.4	5.7	-0.3
Giles	15,210	14,610	610	4.0	4.2	-0.2							
Hickman	10,930	10,460	470	4.3	4.6	-0.3	Total	3,171,540	3,025,970	145,620	4.6	4.8	-0.2
Lawrence	17,960	17,010	940	5.3	5.6	-0.3							
Lewis	4,870	4,600	270	5.5	6.2	-0.7							
Lincoln	15,670	14,990	680	4.3	4.5	-0.2							
Marshall	14,930	14,260	670	4.5	4.7	-0.2							
Mauzy	43,900	42,190	1,710	3.9	4.1	-0.2							
Moore	3,410	3,280	130	3.8	3.8	0.0							
Perry	3,250	3,050	200	6.1	5.7	0.4							
Wayne	6,760	6,380	390	5.7	5.8	-0.1							

Numbers may not add due to rounding.

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Lowest
County Unemployment Rates

November, 2016		
<u>Rank</u>	<u>County</u>	<u>Pre. Rate (%)</u>
1	Williamson	3.4
2	Davidson	3.5
3	Rutherford	3.6
4	Wilson	3.7
5	Sumner	3.7
6	Moore	3.8
7	Cheatham	3.8
8	Robertson	3.9
9	Maury	3.9
10	Knox	3.9

Highest
County Unemployment Rates

November, 2016		
<u>Rank</u>	<u>County</u>	<u>Pre. Rate (%)</u>
95	Lake	8.3
94	Rhea	7.8
93	Scott	7.5
92	Hancock	7.1
91	McNairy	7.1
90	Jackson	7.1
89	Lauderdale	7.0
88	Obion	7.0
87	Grundy	6.9
86	Bledsoe	6.7