

California Demographic Labor Force

Summary Tables - July 2017

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Employment Status of the Civilian Population by Gender	Jul-16	Jun-17	Jul-17	Over the Month Change		Over the Year Change	
				Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Total							
Civilian noninstitutional population	30,705	30,904	30,910	6	0.0%	205	0.7%
Civilian labor force	19,025	19,204	19,187	-17	-0.1%	162	0.9%
Employed	17,964	18,213	18,196	-17	-0.1%	233	1.3%
Unemployed	1,062	991	991	0	0.0%	-71	-6.6%
Unemployment rate	5.6%	5.2%	5.2%	0.0	-	-0.4	-
Participation rate	62.0%	62.1%	62.1%	0.0	-	0.1	-
Men, 16 years and over							
Civilian noninstitutional population	14,997	15,098	15,101	3	0.0%	104	0.7%
Civilian labor force	10,424	10,521	10,499	-22	-0.2%	75	0.7%
Employed	9,867	9,995	9,978	-17	-0.2%	111	1.1%
Unemployed	557	525	521	-5	-0.9%	-36	-6.5%
Unemployment rate	5.3%	5.0%	5.0%	0.0	-	-0.3	-
Participation rate	69.5%	69.7%	69.5%	-0.2	-	0.0	-
Women, 16 years and over							
Civilian noninstitutional population	15,709	15,806	15,809	3	0.0%	100	0.6%
Civilian labor force	8,601	8,683	8,688	5	0.1%	87	1.0%
Employed	8,096	8,218	8,218	0	0.0%	122	1.5%
Unemployed	505	466	470	5	1.0%	-34	-6.8%
Unemployment rate	5.9%	5.4%	5.4%	0.0	-	-0.5	-
Participation rate	54.8%	54.9%	55.0%	0.1	-	0.2	-
Men, 20 years and over							
Civilian noninstitutional population	13,911	14,048	14,050	2	0.0%	139	1.0%
Civilian labor force	10,129	10,226	10,209	-18	-0.2%	79	0.8%
Employed	9,631	9,767	9,751	-16	-0.2%	120	1.2%
Unemployed	498	459	457	-2	-0.4%	-41	-8.2%
Unemployment rate	4.9%	4.5%	4.5%	0.0	-	-0.4	-
Participation rate	72.8%	72.8%	72.7%	-0.1	-	-0.1	-
Women, 20 years and over							
Civilian noninstitutional population	14,696	14,778	14,784	6	0.0%	88	0.5%
Civilian labor force	8,315	8,404	8,408	4	-0.2%	93	-1.8%
Employed	7,859	7,982	7,982	0	-0.2%	123	-2.3%
Unemployed	456	422	426	5	-0.4%	-30	2.2%
Unemployment rate	5.5%	5.0%	5.1%	0.1	-	-0.4	-
Participation rate	56.6%	56.9%	56.9%	0.0	-	0.3	-
Employment Status of the Civilian Population by Race/Ethnicity	Jul-16	Jun-17	Jul-17	Over the Month Change		Over the Year Change	
White				Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Civilian noninstitutional population	22,253	22,305	22,327	22	0.1%	74	0.3%
Civilian labor force	13,835	13,870	13,876	6	0.0%	41	0.3%
Employed	13,074	13,158	13,165	7	0.1%	90	0.7%
Unemployed	760	712	711	0	-0.1%	-49	-6.5%
Unemployment rate	5.5%	5.1%	5.1%	0.0	-	-0.4	-
Participation rate	62.2%	62.2%	62.1%	-0.1	-	-0.1	-
Black							
Civilian noninstitutional population	1,938	1,942	1,943	1	0.0%	4	0.2%
Civilian labor force	1,162	1,167	1,163	-4	-0.4%	1	0.1%
Employed	1,050	1,078	1,074	-4	-0.4%	23	2.2%
Unemployed	112	90	89	0	-0.4%	-22	-20.1%
Unemployment rate	9.6%	7.7%	7.7%	0.0	-	-1.9	-
Participation rate	60.0%	60.1%	59.9%	-0.2	-	-0.1	-
Hispanic							
Civilian noninstitutional population	10,586	10,782	10,806	24	0.2%	220	2.1%
Civilian labor force	6,780	7,004	7,024	20	0.3%	243	3.6%
Employed	6,317	6,574	6,589	14	0.2%	272	4.3%
Unemployed	464	429	435	6	1.3%	-29	-6.2%
Unemployment rate	6.8%	6.1%	6.2%	0.1	-	-0.6	-
Participation rate	64.1%	65.0%	65.0%	0.0	-	0.9	-

NOTE: Persons whose ethnicity is identified as Hispanic or Latino may be of any race.

NOTE: Estimates for the above race groups will not sum to totals shown because data are not presented for all races.

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Employment Status by Age	Jul-16	Jun-17	Jul-17	Over the Month Change		Over the Year Change	
				Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Age 16-19							
Civilian noninstitutional population	2,098	2,078	2,076	-3	-0.1%	-23	-1.1%
Civilian labor force	581	574	571	-3	-0.5%	-11	-1.8%
Employed	474	464	463	0	-0.1%	-10	-2.2%
Unemployed	108	110	107	-3	-2.4%	0	-0.2%
Unemployment rate	18.5%	19.2%	18.8%	-0.4	-	0.3	-
Participation rate	27.7%	27.6%	27.5%	-0.1	-	-0.2	-
Age 20-24							
Civilian noninstitutional population	2,921	2,816	2,813	-3	-0.1%	-108	-3.7%
Civilian labor force	1,909	1,863	1,857	-6	-0.3%	-52	-2.7%
Employed	1,733	1,713	1,706	-6	-0.4%	-27	-1.5%
Unemployed	176	150	151	1	0.4%	-26	-14.5%
Unemployment rate	9.2%	8.1%	8.1%	0.1	-	-1.1	-
Participation rate	65.4%	66.2%	66.0%	-0.1	-	0.6	-
Age 25-34							
Civilian noninstitutional population	5,483	5,642	5,647	4	0.1%	163	3.0%
Civilian labor force	4,326	4,555	4,555	0	0.0%	229	5.3%
Employed	4,067	4,321	4,323	2	0.0%	256	6.3%
Unemployed	259	234	232	-2	-0.8%	-27	-10.4%
Unemployment rate	6.0%	5.1%	5.1%	0.0	-	-0.9	-
Participation rate	78.9%	80.7%	80.7%	-0.1	-	1.8	-
Age 35-44							
Civilian noninstitutional population	5,179	5,166	5,163	-3	-0.1%	-16	-0.3%
Civilian labor force	4,123	4,123	4,122	-1	0.0%	-1	0.0%
Employed	3,945	3,950	3,948	-2	-0.1%	3	0.1%
Unemployed	178	173	174	1	0.6%	-4	-2.1%
Unemployment rate	4.3%	4.2%	4.2%	0.0	-	-0.1	-
Participation rate	79.6%	79.8%	79.8%	0.0	-	0.2	-
Age 45-54							
Civilian noninstitutional population	5,216	5,094	5,092	-2	0.0%	-124	-2.4%
Civilian labor force	4,091	4,021	4,021	0	0.0%	-70	-1.7%
Employed	3,921	3,874	3,874	0	0.0%	-47	-1.2%
Unemployed	170	147	147	0	0.1%	-23	-13.5%
Unemployment rate	4.2%	3.7%	3.7%	0.0	-	-0.5	-
Participation rate	78.4%	78.9%	79.0%	0.0	-	0.5	-
Age 55-64							
Civilian noninstitutional population	4,701	4,816	4,808	-8	-0.2%	108	2.3%
Civilian labor force	2,987	3,025	3,019	-6	-0.2%	32	1.1%
Employed	2,859	2,896	2,887	-9	-0.3%	28	1.0%
Unemployed	128	129	132	3	2.3%	4	3.4%
Unemployment rate	4.3%	4.3%	4.4%	0.1	-	0.1	-
Participation rate	63.5%	62.8%	62.8%	0.0	-	-0.8	-
Age 65+							
Civilian noninstitutional population	5,108	5,292	5,312	20	0.4%	204	4.0%
Civilian labor force	1,007	1,043	1,042	-1	-0.1%	35	3.5%
Employed	965	996	995	-1	-0.1%	30	3.2%
Unemployed	42.6%	47.2%	47.1%	0	-0.2%	0	10.6%
Unemployment rate	4.2%	4.5%	4.5%	0.0	-	0.3	-
Participation rate	19.7%	19.7%	19.6%	-0.1	-	-0.1	-
Employment Status by Veteran Status age 20+							
Non-Veterans							
Participation rate	65.5%	65.8%	65.8%	0.0	-	0.3	-
Unemployment rate	5.2%	4.7%	4.7%	0.0	-	-0.5	-
Veterans							
Participation rate	46.7%	45.6%	45.2%	-0.4	-	-1.5	-
Unemployment rate	5.5%	5.5%	5.4%	-0.1	-	-0.1	-
Persons Not in the Labor Force							
Total not in the labor force							
Total not in the labor force	11,680	11,700	11,723	23	0.2%	43	0.4%
... but want a job	813	784	782	-2	-0.3%	-31	-3.8%
... and searched for work in previous year	326	313	308	-5	-1.6%	-18	-5.5%
... and available to work now	238	231	224	-6	-2.8%	-14	-5.8%
... and discouragement over job prospects ⁽¹⁾	67	67	66	0	-0.6%	-1	-1.7%
Percent of NILF							
Want a job	7.0%	6.7%	6.7%	0.0	-	-0.3	-
and searched for work in previous year	2.8%	2.7%	2.6%	0.0	-	-0.2	-
and available to work now	2.0%	2.0%	1.9%	-0.1	-	-0.1	-
and discouragement over job prospects	0.6%	0.6%	0.6%	0.0	-	0.0	-

(1) Includes those who did not actively look for work in the prior 4 weeks for reasons such as thinks no work available, could not find work, lacks schooling or training, employer thinks too young or old, and other types of discrimination.

Note: "NILF" is "not in the labor force."

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Unemployed Persons by Reason for Unemployment	Jul-16	Jun-17	Jul-17	Over the Month Change		Over the Year Change	
				Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Total unemployed	1,062	991	991	0	0.0%	-71	-6.6%
Job losers and persons who completed temporary jobs	516	487	487	0	0.0%	-29	-5.7%
Job leavers	87	96	96	0	0.5%	9	10.2%
Reentrants	326	284	286	1	0.5%	-40	-12.4%
New entrants	133	125	123	-2	-1.5%	-10	-7.4%
Unemployed Person by Duration of Unemployment	Jul-16	Jun-17	Jul-17	Over the Month Change		Over the Year Change	
Total number unemployed	1,062	991	991	0	0.0%	-71	-6.6%
Less than 5 weeks	313	314	318	5	1.5%	6	1.8%
5 to 14 weeks	294	278	273	-5	-1.6%	-21	-7.1%
15 to 26 weeks	169	151	148	-2	-1.5%	-21	-12.2%
27 to 51 weeks	96	88	89	1	0.9%	-7	-7.0%
52 weeks and over	190	161	162	1	0.9%	-28	-14.8%
Percent of unemployed (%)							
Less than 5 weeks	29.4%	31.6%	32.1%	0.5	-	2.7	-
5 to 14 weeks	27.7%	28.0%	27.6%	-0.5	-	-0.1	-
15 to 26 weeks	15.9%	15.2%	15.0%	-0.2	-	-0.9	-
27 to 51 weeks	9.0%	8.9%	9.0%	0.1	-	0.0	-
52 weeks and over	17.9%	16.2%	16.4%	0.1	-	-1.6	-
Employment by Work Week Schedule	Jul-16	Jun-17	Jul-17	Over the Month Change		Over the Year Change	
Full time worker ⁽¹⁾	14,466	14,746	14,735	-11	-0.1%	270	1.9%
Part time worker ⁽²⁾	3,498	3,467	3,461	-6	-0.2%	-37	-1.1%
Not at work	634	669	671	2	0.3%	37	5.9%
Percent of employment by work week schedule							
Full time worker	80.5%	81.0%	81.0%	0.0	-	0.5	-
Part time worker	19.5%	19.0%	19.0%	0.0	-	-0.5	-
Not at work	3.5%	3.7%	3.7%	0.0	-	0.2	-
At work part time for economic reasons ⁽³⁾	952	863	844	-20	-2.3%	-108	-11.4%
Usually full time, at work part time for economic reasons	197	197	192	-5	-2.3%	-5	-2.4%
Usually part time, at work part time for economic reasons	755	667	652	-15.3	-2.3%	-103	-13.7%
Percent of at work part time for economic reasons	5.3%	4.7%	4.6%	-0.1	-	-0.7	-
Usually full time, at work part time for economic reasons	1.1%	1.1%	1.1%	0.0	-	0.0	-
Usually part time, at work part time for economic reasons	4.2%	3.7%	3.6%	-0.1	-	-0.6	-
(1) Employed full time workers are persons who usually work 35 hours or more per week. (2) Employed part time workers are persons who usually work less than 35 hours per week. (3) At work part time for economic reasons 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.							
Alternative Measures of Labor Underutilization	Jul-16	Jun-17	Jul-17	Over the Month Change		Over the Year Change	
U-1 Persons unemployed 15 weeks or longer, as a percent of the civilian labor force	2.4%	2.1%	2.1%	0.0	-	-0.3	-
U-2 Job losers and persons who completed temporary jobs, as a percent of the civilian labor force	2.7%	2.5%	2.5%	0.0	-	-0.2	-
U-3 Total unemployed, as a percent of the civilian labor force (official unemployment rate)	5.6%	5.2%	5.2%	0.0	-	-0.4	-
U-4 Total unemployed plus discouraged workers, as a percent of the civilian labor force plus discouraged workers	5.9%	5.5%	5.5%	0.0	-	-0.4	-
U-5 Total unemployed, plus discouraged workers, plus all other persons marginally attached to the labor force, as a percent of the civilian labor force plus all persons marginally attached to the labor force	6.7%	6.3%	6.3%	0.0	-	-0.5	-
U-6 Total unemployed, plus all persons marginally attached to the labor force, plus total employed part time for economic reasons, as a percent of the civilian labor force plus all persons marginally attached to the labor force	11.7%	10.7%	10.6%	-0.1	-	-1.1	-
NOTE: Persons marginally attached to the labor force are those who currently are neither working nor looking for work but indicate that they want and are available for a job and have looked for work sometime in the past 12 months. Discouraged workers, a subset of the marginally attached, have given a job-market related reason for not currently looking for work. Persons employed part time for economic reasons are those who want and are available for full time work but have had to settle for a part time schedule. Updated population controls are introduced annually with the release of January data.							
Note: Data may not add due to rounding Source: Source: Bureau of Labor Statistics, Current Population Survey, Employment Summary Tables							