

California Demographic Labor Force

Summary Tables - July 2018

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Employment Status of the Civilian Population by Gender	Jul-17	Jun-18	Jul-18	Over the Month Change		Over the Year Change	
				Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Total							
Civilian noninstitutional population	30,910	31,084	31,110	25	0.1%	200	0.6%
Civilian labor force	19,187	19,344	19,365	21	0.1%	178	0.9%
Employed	18,196	18,481	18,522	41	0.2%	326	1.8%
Unemployed	991	863	842	-21	-2.4%	-149	-15.0%
Unemployment rate	5.2%	4.5%	4.3%	-0.2	-	-0.9	-
Participation rate	62.1%	62.2%	62.2%	0.0	-	0.1	-
Men, 16 years and over							
Civilian noninstitutional population	15,101	15,188	15,203	15	0.1%	102	0.7%
Civilian labor force	10,499	10,586	10,600	14	0.1%	101	1.0%
Employed	9,978	10,142	10,162	20	0.2%	184	1.8%
Unemployed	521	444	437	-6	-1.4%	-84	-16.0%
Unemployment rate	5.0%	4.2%	4.1%	-0.1	-	-0.9	-
Participation rate	69.5%	69.7%	69.7%	0.0	-	0.2	-
Women, 16 years and over							
Civilian noninstitutional population	15,809	15,897	15,907	11	0.1%	98	0.6%
Civilian labor force	8,688	8,759	8,765	7	0.1%	77	0.9%
Employed	8,218	8,339	8,360	21	0.3%	142	1.7%
Unemployed	470	419	405	-14	-3.4%	-65	-13.9%
Unemployment rate	5.4%	4.8%	4.6%	-0.2	-	-0.8	-
Participation rate	55.0%	55.1%	55.1%	0.0	-	0.1	-
Men, 20 years and over							
Civilian noninstitutional population	14,050	14,188	14,213	25	0.2%	163	1.2%
Civilian labor force	10,209	10,316	10,331	16	0.2%	123	1.2%
Employed	9,751	9,916	9,939	23	0.2%	188	1.9%
Unemployed	457	400	392	-8	-1.9%	-65	-14.3%
Unemployment rate	4.5%	3.9%	3.8%	-0.1	-	-0.7	-
Participation rate	72.7%	72.7%	72.7%	0.0	-	0.0	-
Women, 20 years and over							
Civilian noninstitutional population	14,784	14,888	14,898	10	0.0%	114	0.5%
Civilian labor force	8,408	8,483	8,490	6	-0.2%	82	-1.8%
Employed	7,982	8,105	8,125	21	-0.2%	144	-2.3%
Unemployed	426	379	364	-14	-0.4%	-62	2.2%
Unemployment rate	5.1%	4.5%	4.3%	-0.2	-	-0.8	-
Participation rate	56.9%	57.0%	57.0%	0.0	-	0.1	-
Employment Status of the Civilian Population by Race/Ethnicity	Jul-17	Jun-18	Jul-18	Over the Month Change		Over the Year Change	
White				Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Civilian noninstitutional population	22,327	22,531	22,547	16	0.1%	219	1.0%
Civilian labor force	13,876	14,043	14,053	10	0.1%	177	1.3%
Employed	13,165	13,414	13,438	24	0.2%	273	2.1%
Unemployed	711	628	615	-13	-2.1%	-97	-13.6%
Unemployment rate	5.1%	4.5%	4.4%	-0.1	-	-0.7	-
Participation rate	62.1%	62.3%	62.3%	0.0	-	0.2	-
Black							
Civilian noninstitutional population	1,943	1,953	1,954	1	0.1%	11	0.6%
Civilian labor force	1,163	1,194	1,196	2	0.2%	33	2.8%
Employed	1,074	1,111	1,117	6	0.6%	43	4.0%
Unemployed	89	83	79	-4	-4.6%	-10	-11.5%
Unemployment rate	7.7%	6.9%	6.6%	-0.3	-	-1.1	-
Participation rate	59.9%	61.1%	61.2%	0.1	-	1.3	-
Hispanic							
Civilian noninstitutional population	10,806	11,095	11,113	18	0.2%	307	2.8%
Civilian labor force	7,024	7,265	7,282	16	0.2%	258	3.7%
Employed	6,589	6,872	6,896	24	0.3%	308	4.7%
Unemployed	435	393	385	-8	-1.9%	-49	-11.4%
Unemployment rate	6.2%	5.4%	5.3%	-0.1	-	-0.9	-
Participation rate	65.0%	65.5%	65.5%	0.0	-	0.5	-

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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				Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Age 16-19							
Civilian noninstitutional population	2,076	2,008	1,999	-10	-0.5%	-77	-3.7%
Civilian labor force	571	545	544	-1	-0.2%	-27	-4.7%
Employed	463	460	458	-3	-0.6%	-6	-1.2%
Unemployed	107	85	86	1	1.8%	-21	-19.7%
Unemployment rate	18.8%	15.5%	15.8%	0.3	-	-3.0	-
Participation rate	27.5%	27.1%	27.2%	0.1	-	-0.3	-
Age 20-24							
Civilian noninstitutional population	2,813	2,684	2,687	4	0.1%	-126	-4.5%
Civilian labor force	1,857	1,770	1,772	2	0.1%	-85	-4.6%
Employed	1,706	1,642	1,646	4	0.3%	-60	-3.5%
Unemployed	151	128	126	-2	-1.7%	-25	-16.4%
Unemployment rate	8.1%	7.2%	7.1%	-0.1	-	-1.0	-
Participation rate	66.0%	66.0%	65.9%	0.0	-	-0.1	-
Age 25-34							
Civilian noninstitutional population	5,647	5,759	5,765	7	0.1%	119	2.1%
Civilian labor force	4,555	4,622	4,635	13	0.3%	80	1.8%
Employed	4,323	4,391	4,409	19	0.4%	87	2.0%
Unemployed	232	231	226	-6	-2.5%	-7	-2.8%
Unemployment rate	5.1%	5.0%	4.9%	-0.1	-	-0.2	-
Participation rate	80.7%	80.3%	80.4%	0.1	-	-0.3	-
Age 35-44							
Civilian noninstitutional population	5,163	5,284	5,296	12	0.2%	133	2.6%
Civilian labor force	4,122	4,257	4,276	18	0.4%	153	3.7%
Employed	3,948	4,116	4,139	23	0.6%	191	4.8%
Unemployed	174	142	137	-5	-3.5%	-37	-21.5%
Unemployment rate	4.2%	3.3%	3.2%	-0.1	-	-1.0	-
Participation rate	79.8%	80.6%	80.7%	0.2	-	0.9	-
Age 45-54							
Civilian noninstitutional population	5,092	5,092	5,077	-15	-0.3%	-15	-0.3%
Civilian labor force	4,021	4,051	4,041	-10	-0.2%	20	0.5%
Employed	3,874	3,925	3,920	-6	-0.1%	46	1.2%
Unemployed	147	126	122	-4	-3.2%	-26	-17.5%
Unemployment rate	3.7%	3.1%	3.0%	-0.1	-	-0.7	-
Participation rate	79.0%	79.6%	79.6%	0.0	-	0.6	-
Age 55-64							
Civilian noninstitutional population	4,808	4,730	4,730	0	0.0%	-79	-1.6%
Civilian labor force	3,019	3,006	3,003	-3	-0.1%	-16	-0.5%
Employed	2,887	2,896	2,896	0	0.0%	9	0.3%
Unemployed	132	110	107	-3	-2.8%	-25	-19.1%
Unemployment rate	4.4%	3.7%	3.6%	-0.1	-	-0.8	-
Participation rate	62.8%	63.5%	63.5%	-0.1	-	0.7	-
Age 65+							
Civilian noninstitutional population	5,312	5,529	5,556	28	0.5%	245	4.6%
Civilian labor force	1,042	1,093	1,095	1	0.1%	52	5.0%
Employed	995	1,052	1,055	3	0.3%	60	6.0%
Unemployed	47.1%	41.4%	39.4%	0	-4.8%	0	-16.3%
Unemployment rate	4.5%	3.8%	3.6%	-0.2	-	-0.9	-
Participation rate	19.6%	19.8%	19.7%	-0.1	-	0.1	-
Employment Status by Veteran Status age 20+	Jul-17	Jun-18	Jul-18	Over the Month Change		Over the Year Change	
Non-Veterans							
Participation rate	65.8%	65.8%	65.8%	0.0	-	0.0	-
Unemployment rate	4.7%	4.2%	4.1%	-0.1	-	-0.6	-
Veterans							
Participation rate	45.2%	45.6%	45.5%	-0.1	-	0.3	-
Unemployment rate	5.4%	2.8%	2.6%	-0.2	-	-2.8	-
Persons Not in the Labor Force	Jul-17	Jun-18	Jul-18	Over the Month Change		Over the Year Change	
Total not in the labor force							
Total not in the labor force	11,723	11,740	11,745	5	0.0%	22	0.2%
... but want a job	782	659	645	-14	-2.2%	-137	-17.5%
... and searched for work in previous year	308	247	247	0	-0.1%	-62	-20.0%
... and available to work now	224	182	182	0	0.2%	-42	-18.7%
... and discouragement over job prospects ⁽¹⁾	66	50	49	-1	-1.6%	-17	-25.5%
Percent of NILF							
Want a job	6.7%	5.6%	5.5%	-0.1	-	-1.2	-
and searched for work in previous year	2.6%	2.1%	2.1%	0.0	-	-0.5	-
and available to work now	1.9%	1.5%	1.6%	0.0	-	-0.4	-
and discouragement over job prospects	0.6%	0.4%	0.4%	0.0	-	-0.1	-

(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-17	Jun-18	Jul-18	Over the Month Change		Over the Year Change	
				Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Total unemployed	991	863	842	-21	-2.4%	-149	-15.0%
Job losers and persons who completed temporary jobs	487	445	438	-8	-1.7%	-49	-10.1%
Job leavers	96	84	87	3	3.4%	-9	-9.8%
Reentrants	286	239	225	-13	-5.6%	-60	-21.0%
New entrants	123	95	93	-2	-2.3%	-30	-24.6%
Unemployed Person by Duration of Unemployment	Jul-17	Jun-18	Jul-18	Over the Month Change		Over the Year Change	
Total number unemployed	991	863	842	-21	-2.4%	-149	-15.0%
Less than 5 weeks	318	284	275	-8	-2.9%	-43	-13.5%
5 to 14 weeks	273	259	254	-5	-1.8%	-19	-7.0%
15 to 26 weeks	148	115	117	1	1.0%	-32	-21.4%
27 to 51 weeks	89	77	75	-2	-2.6%	-14	-15.3%
52 weeks and over	162	128	121	-7	-5.2%	-41	-25.4%
Percent of unemployed (%)							
Less than 5 weeks	32.1%	32.9%	32.7%	-0.2	-	0.6	-
5 to 14 weeks	27.6%	30.0%	30.1%	0.2	-	2.6	-
15 to 26 weeks	15.0%	13.4%	13.8%	0.5	-	-1.1	-
27 to 51 weeks	9.0%	9.0%	8.9%	0.0	-	0.0	-
52 weeks and over	16.4%	14.8%	14.4%	-0.4	-	-2.0	-
Employment by Work Week Schedule	Jul-17	Jun-18	Jul-18	Over the Month Change		Over the Year Change	
Full time worker ⁽¹⁾	14,735	15,115	15,170	54	0.4%	434	2.9%
Part time worker ⁽²⁾	3,461	3,366	3,353	-13	-0.4%	-108	-3.1%
Not at work	671	625	626	1	0.1%	-45	-6.7%
Percent of employment by work week schedule							
Full time worker	81.0%	81.8%	81.9%	0.1	-	0.9	-
Part time worker	19.0%	18.2%	18.1%	-0.1	-	-0.9	-
Not at work	3.7%	3.4%	3.4%	0.0	-	-0.3	-
At work part time for economic reasons ⁽³⁾	844	746	734	-12	-1.6%	-109	-13.0%
Usually full time, at work part time for economic reasons	192	167	164	-4	-2.2%	-28	-14.8%
Usually part time, at work part time for economic reasons	652	579	571	-8.2	-1.4%	-81	-12.4%
Percent of at work part time for economic reasons	4.6%	4.0%	4.0%	-0.1	-	-0.7	-
Usually full time, at work part time for economic reasons	1.1%	0.9%	0.9%	0.0	-	-0.2	-
Usually part time, at work part time for economic reasons	3.6%	3.1%	3.1%	-0.1	-	-0.5	-
<p>(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.</p>							
Alternative Measures of Labor Underutilization	Jul-17	Jun-18	Jul-18	Over the Month Change		Over the Year Change	
U-1 Persons unemployed 15 weeks or longer, as a percent of the civilian labor force	2.1%	1.7%	1.6%	0.0	-	-0.5	-
U-2 Job losers and persons who completed temporary jobs, as a percent of the civilian labor force	2.5%	2.3%	2.3%	0.0	-	-0.3	-
U-3 Total unemployed, as a percent of the civilian labor force (official unemployment rate)	5.2%	4.5%	4.3%	-0.1	-	-0.8	-
U-4 Total unemployed plus discouraged workers, as a percent of the civilian labor force plus discouraged workers	5.5%	4.7%	4.6%	-0.1	-	-0.9	-
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	6.3%	5.4%	5.2%	-0.1	-	-1.0	-
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	10.6%	9.2%	9.0%	-0.2	-	-1.6	-
<p>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.</p>							
<p>Note: Data may not add due to rounding Source: Source: Bureau of Labor Statistics, Current Population Survey, Employment Summary Tables</p>							