

Labor Force Estimates - United States & Tennessee

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<i>Seasonally Adjusted*</i>	March, 2016 preliminary				Feb. '16 revised		Mar. '15	
	Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate	Rate	Change	Rate	Change
UNITED STATES	159,286,000	151,320,000	7,966,000	5.0%	4.9%	0.1%	5.5%	-0.5%
TENNESSEE	3,138,900	2,997,000	141,900	4.5%	4.9%	-0.4%	6.0%	-1.5%

* 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	158,854,000	150,738,000	8,116,000	5.1%	5.2%	-0.1%	5.6%	-0.5%
TENNESSEE	3,114,400	2,985,000	129,400	4.2%	4.5%	-0.3%	5.8%	-1.6%

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	436,950	415,610	21,340	4.9	5.2	-0.3
Athens Micropolitan Area (McMinn Co.)	22,980	21,890	1,100	4.8	5.0	-0.2
Chattanooga, TN-GA MSA	258,080	246,690	11,390	4.4	4.9	-0.5
Cleveland, TN MSA	57,280	55,010	2,280	4.0	4.2	-0.2
Dalton, GA MSA	61,760	57,540	4,220	6.8	6.4	0.4
Dayton Micropolitan Area (Rhea Co.)	13,330	12,490	840	6.3	6.4	-0.1
Scottsboro, AL Micropolitan Area	23,520	22,000	1,520	6.4	7.0	-0.6
Johnson City-Kingsport-Bristol, TN-VA CSA	228,300	217,800	10,500	4.6	4.9	-0.3
Johnson City, TN MSA	89,610	85,520	4,080	4.6	5.0	-0.4
Kingsport-Bristol, TN-VA MSA	138,700	132,280	6,420	4.6	4.8	-0.2
Knoxville-Morristown-Sevierville, TN CSA	529,610	507,730	21,880	4.1	4.6	-0.5
Knoxville, TN MSA	413,490	397,570	15,920	3.9	4.2	-0.3
Morristown, TN MSA	50,860	48,510	2,350	4.6	5.1	-0.5
Newport Micropolitan Area (Cocke Co.)	14,530	13,650	880	6.1	7.0	-0.9
Sevierville Micropolitan Area (Sevier Co.)	50,730	48,010	2,720	5.4	7.1	-1.7
Martin-Union City, TN-KY CSA	30,410	28,720	1,690	5.5	5.9	-0.4
Martin Micropolitan Area (Weakley Co.)	15,880	15,110	760	4.8	5.0	-0.2
Union City, TN-KY Micropolitan Area	14,530	13,610	920	6.4	6.9	-0.5
Memphis-Forrest City, TN-MS-AR CSA	626,350	596,770	29,580	4.7	5.0	-0.3
Forrest City, AR Micropolitan Area	8,950	8,450	500	5.6	6.8	-1.2
Memphis, TN-MS-AR MSA	617,400	588,320	29,080	4.7	5.0	-0.3
Nashville-Murfreesboro, TN CSA	1,009,790	976,430	33,350	3.3	3.5	-0.2
Lawrenceburg Micropolitan Area (Lawrence Co.)	17,820	16,910	910	5.1	5.5	-0.4
Lewisburg Micropolitan Area (Marshall Co.)	14,810	14,190	620	4.2	4.4	-0.2
Nashville-Murfreesboro-Franklin, TN MSA	957,410	926,410	31,010	3.2	3.4	-0.2
Shelbyville Micropolitan Area (Bedford Co.)	19,750	18,930	820	4.2	4.4	-0.2

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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	258,080	246,690	11,390	4.4	4.9	-0.5	5.5	-1.1
Hamilton County	170,250	163,470	6,790	4.0	4.2	-0.2	5.3	-1.3
Marion County	11,950	11,330	620	5.2	5.9	-0.7	6.9	-1.7
Sequatchie County	5,910	5,590	310	5.3	5.1	0.2	6.5	-1.2
Georgia Portion	69,970	66,300	3,670	5.2	6.3	-1.1	5.5	-0.3
Clarksville, TN-KY MSA	111,100	105,690	5,410	4.9	5.2	-0.3	5.9	-1.0
Montgomery County	79,730	76,330	3,400	4.3	4.5	-0.2	5.7	-1.4
Kentucky Portion	31,370	29,360	2,010	6.4	6.8	-0.4	6.4	0.0
Cleveland, TN MSA	57,280	55,010	2,280	4.0	4.2	-0.2	5.5	-1.5
Bradley County	49,850	47,950	1,910	3.8	4.0	-0.2	5.3	-1.5
Polk County	7,430	7,060	370	5.0	5.5	-0.5	7.0	-2.0
Jackson, TN MSA	62,160	59,450	2,710	4.4	4.7	-0.3	6.0	-1.6
Chester County	8,230	7,870	360	4.3	4.6	-0.3	5.8	-1.5
Crockett County	6,910	6,560	350	5.1	5.6	-0.5	7.0	-1.9
Madison County	47,020	45,020	2,000	4.3	4.6	-0.3	5.9	-1.6
Johnson City, TN MSA	89,610	85,520	4,080	4.6	5.0	-0.4	6.0	-1.4
Carter County	23,980	22,770	1,210	5.0	5.5	-0.5	6.7	-1.7
Unicoi County	7,150	6,690	470	6.5	7.5	-1.0	8.5	-2.0
Washington County	58,480	56,070	2,410	4.1	4.4	-0.3	5.5	-1.4
Kingsport-Bristol, TN-VA MSA	138,700	132,280	6,420	4.6	4.8	-0.2	5.8	-1.2
Hawkins County	23,930	22,770	1,160	4.8	5.1	-0.3	6.5	-1.7
Sullivan County	70,300	67,140	3,150	4.5	4.7	-0.2	5.8	-1.3
Virginia Portion	44,470	42,360	2,110	4.7	4.8	-0.1	5.3	-0.6
Knoxville, TN MSA	413,490	397,570	15,920	3.9	4.2	-0.3	5.3	-1.4
Anderson County	33,990	32,580	1,420	4.2	4.5	-0.3	5.9	-1.7
Blount County	60,750	58,410	2,340	3.8	4.2	-0.4	5.4	-1.6
Campbell County	15,066	14,098	968	6.4	7.1	-0.7	8.0	-1.6
Grainger County	9,370	8,900	460	4.9	5.4	-0.5	7.0	-2.1
Knox County	233,510	225,620	7,890	3.4	3.6	-0.2	4.6	-1.2
Loudon County	22,340	21,430	910	4.1	4.3	-0.2	5.7	-1.6
Morgan County	7,960	7,500	460	5.7	6.1	-0.4	7.9	-2.2
Roane County	23,140	22,020	1,120	4.9	5.3	-0.4	6.8	-1.9
Union County	7,370	7,010	370	5.0	5.4	-0.4	7.1	-2.1
Memphis, TN-MS-AR MSA	617,400	588,320	29,080	4.7	5.0	-0.3	6.4	-1.7
Fayette County	17,870	17,090	780	4.4	4.7	-0.3	6.3	-1.9
Shelby County	432,110	411,810	20,310	4.7	4.9	-0.2	6.6	-1.9
Tipton County	27,460	26,020	1,440	5.2	5.5	-0.3	7.4	-2.2
Arkansas Portion	21,800	20,800	1,000	4.6	5.3	-0.7	7.1	-2.5
Mississippi Portion	118,150	112,600	5,550	4.7	5.1	-0.4	5.4	-0.7
Morristown, TN MSA	50,860	48,510	2,350	4.6	5.1	-0.5	6.5	-1.9
Hamblen County	27,080	25,880	1,200	4.4	4.8	-0.4	6.3	-1.9
Jefferson County	23,780	22,630	1,150	4.8	5.4	-0.6	6.7	-1.9
Nashville-Murfreesboro, TN MSA	957,410	926,410	31,010	3.2	3.4	-0.2	4.5	-1.3
Cannon County	6,030	5,790	240	4.0	4.3	-0.3	6.4	-2.4
Cheatham County	20,650	19,950	710	3.4	3.7	-0.3	4.9	-1.5
Davidson County	373,440	361,770	11,670	3.1	3.3	-0.2	4.4	-1.3
Dickson County	24,580	23,620	970	3.9	4.3	-0.4	5.7	-1.8
Hickman County	10,700	10,270	430	4.0	4.4	-0.4	5.9	-1.9
Macon County	10,260	9,870	390	3.8	4.1	-0.3	5.4	-1.6
Maury County	42,860	41,320	1,540	3.6	3.9	-0.3	5.1	-1.5
Robertson County	34,960	33,690	1,260	3.6	3.8	-0.2	4.8	-1.2
Rutherford County	156,700	151,780	4,920	3.1	3.3	-0.2	4.5	-1.4
Smith County	8,700	8,320	380	4.3	4.6	-0.3	6.5	-2.2
Sumner County	90,530	87,500	3,030	3.4	3.7	-0.3	4.6	-1.2
Trousdale County	3,820	3,640	180	4.6	4.9	-0.3	6.5	-1.9
Williamson County	108,700	105,620	3,080	2.8	3.0	-0.2	3.8	-1.0
Wilson County	65,490	63,290	2,200	3.4	3.6	-0.2	4.5	-1.1

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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.)	22,980	21,890	1,100	4.8	5.0	-0.2	6.4	-1.6
Cookeville	46,700	44,580	2,120	4.5	4.9	-0.4	6.9	-2.4
Jackson Co.	4,490	4,210	280	6.2	6.7	-0.5	9.3	-3.1
Overton Co.	9,050	8,610	440	4.9	5.6	-0.7	8.9	-4.0
Putnam Co.	33,160	31,770	1,390	4.2	4.5	-0.3	6.0	-1.8
Crossville (Cumberland Co.)	23,220	21,950	1,270	5.5	6.3	-0.8	7.7	-2.2
Dayton (Rhea Co.)	13,330	12,490	840	6.3	6.4	-0.1	7.3	-1.0
Dyersburg (Dyer Co.)	16,950	15,960	980	5.8	6.0	-0.2	7.7	-1.9
Greeneville (Greene Co.)	30,710	29,240	1,470	4.8	5.5	-0.7	6.7	-1.9
Lawrenceburg (Lawrence Co.)	17,820	16,910	910	5.1	5.5	-0.4	6.9	-1.8
Lewisburg (Marshall Co.)	14,810	14,190	620	4.2	4.4	-0.2	5.3	-1.1
Martin (Weakley Co.)	15,880	15,110	760	4.8	5.0	-0.2	7.1	-2.3
McMinnville (Warren Co.)	18,300	17,570	730	4.0	4.3	-0.3	5.8	-1.8
Newport (Cocke Co.)	14,530	13,650	880	6.1	7.0	-0.9	8.8	-2.7
Paris (Henry Co.)	14,120	13,350	770	5.4	5.8	-0.4	6.9	-1.5
Sevierville (Sevier Co.)	50,730	48,010	2,720	5.4	7.1	-1.7	7.5	-2.1
Shelbyville (Bedford Co.)	19,750	18,930	820	4.1	4.4	-0.3	6.8	-2.7
Tullahoma-Manchester	47,650	45,780	1,860	3.9	4.1	-0.2	5.4	-1.5
Coffee Co.	24,550	23,560	990	4.0	4.2	-0.2	5.7	-1.7
Franklin Co.	19,690	18,930	760	3.9	4.2	-0.3	5.2	-1.3
Moore Co.	3,410	3,290	120	3.4	3.4	0.0	4.5	-1.1
Union City, TN-KY	14,530	13,610	920	6.4	6.9	-0.5	9.0	-2.6
Obion Co.	12,450	11,680	770	6.2	6.7	-0.5	9.3	-3.1
Kentucky portion (Fulton Co.)	2,090	1,940	150	7.2	8.0	-0.8	7.5	-0.3

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	33,990	32,580	1,420	4.2	4.5	-0.3	5.9	-1.7
Bedford County	19,750	18,930	820	4.1	4.4	-0.3	6.8	-2.7
Benton County	6,860	6,420	440	6.4	7.1	-0.7	8.0	-1.6
Bledsoe County	4,420	4,150	260	5.9	6.2	-0.3	8.0	-2.1
Blount County	60,750	58,410	2,340	3.8	4.2	-0.4	5.4	-1.6
Bradley County	49,850	47,950	1,910	3.8	4.0	-0.2	5.3	-1.5
Campbell County	15,070	14,100	970	6.4	7.1	-0.7	8.0	-1.6
Cannon County	6,030	5,790	240	4.0	4.3	-0.3	6.4	-2.4
Carroll County	12,170	11,450	720	5.9	6.2	-0.3	9.1	-3.2
Carter County	23,980	22,770	1,210	5.0	5.5	-0.5	6.7	-1.7
Cheatham County	20,650	19,950	710	3.4	3.7	-0.3	4.9	-1.5
Chester County	8,230	7,870	360	4.3	4.6	-0.3	5.8	-1.5
Claiborne County	12,830	12,140	700	5.4	5.8	-0.4	7.6	-2.2
Clay County	2,970	2,770	200	6.6	6.9	-0.3	10.5	-3.9
Cocke County	14,530	13,650	880	6.1	7.0	-0.9	8.8	-2.7
Coffee County	24,550	23,560	990	4.0	4.2	-0.2	5.7	-1.7
Crockett County	6,910	6,560	350	5.1	5.6	-0.5	7.0	-1.9
Cumberland County	23,220	21,950	1,270	5.5	6.3	-0.8	7.7	-2.2
Davidson County	373,440	361,770	11,670	3.1	3.3	-0.2	4.4	-1.3
Decatur County	4,830	4,520	310	6.4	6.8	-0.4	8.7	-2.3
DeKalb County	7,420	7,040	370	5.0	5.3	-0.3	7.2	-2.2
Dickson County	24,580	23,620	970	3.9	4.3	-0.4	5.7	-1.8
Dyer County	16,950	15,960	980	5.8	6.0	-0.2	7.7	-1.9
Fayette County	17,870	17,090	780	4.4	4.7	-0.3	6.3	-1.9
Fentress County	7,170	6,760	410	5.7	6.4	-0.7	8.4	-2.7
Franklin County	19,690	18,930	760	3.9	4.2	-0.3	5.2	-1.3
Gibson County	21,060	19,930	1,130	5.4	5.8	-0.4	8.0	-2.6
Giles County	14,920	14,380	540	3.6	3.8	-0.2	5.2	-1.6
Grainger County	9,370	8,900	460	4.9	5.4	-0.5	7.0	-2.1
Greene County	30,710	29,240	1,470	4.8	5.5	-0.7	6.7	-1.9
Grundy County	4,870	4,600	270	5.6	6.0	-0.4	8.5	-2.9
Hamblen County	27,080	25,880	1,200	4.4	4.8	-0.4	6.3	-1.9
Hamilton County	170,250	163,470	6,790	4.0	4.2	-0.2	5.3	-1.3
Hancock County	2,080	1,920	160	7.5	7.8	-0.3	8.5	-1.0
Hardeman County	9,380	8,850	530	5.6	6.0	-0.4	8.1	-2.5
Hardin County	10,290	9,740	550	5.3	5.7	-0.4	7.6	-2.3
Hawkins County	23,930	22,770	1,160	4.8	5.1	-0.3	6.5	-1.7
Haywood County	7,770	7,300	470	6.0	6.5	-0.5	9.0	-3.0
Henderson County	12,330	11,530	800	6.5	6.7	-0.2	8.4	-1.9
Henry County	14,120	13,350	770	5.4	5.8	-0.4	6.9	-1.5
Hickman County	10,700	10,270	430	4.0	4.4	-0.4	5.9	-1.9
Houston County	3,250	3,010	240	7.4	8.2	-0.8	9.7	-2.3
Humphreys County	8,630	8,150	480	5.6	6.4	-0.8	7.2	-1.6
Jackson County	4,490	4,210	280	6.2	6.7	-0.5	9.3	-3.1
Jefferson County	23,780	22,630	1,150	4.8	5.4	-0.6	6.7	-1.9
Johnson County	7,510	7,170	340	4.5	5.3	-0.8	6.4	-1.9
Knox County	233,510	225,620	7,890	3.4	3.6	-0.2	4.6	-1.2
Lake County	1,940	1,810	130	6.9	7.3	-0.4	8.7	-1.8

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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Lauderdale County	9,580	8,900	680	7.1	7.4	-0.3	9.2	-2.1
Lawrence County	17,820	16,910	910	5.1	5.5	-0.4	6.9	-1.8
Lewis County	4,830	4,550	280	5.8	5.8	0.0	8.1	-2.3
Lincoln County	15,370	14,820	550	3.6	4.0	-0.4	5.3	-1.7
Loudon County	22,340	21,430	910	4.1	4.3	-0.2	5.7	-1.6
Macon County	10,260	9,870	390	3.8	4.1	-0.3	5.4	-1.6
Madison County	47,020	45,020	2,000	4.3	4.6	-0.3	5.9	-1.6
Marion County	11,950	11,330	620	5.2	5.9	-0.7	6.9	-1.7
Marshall County	14,810	14,190	620	4.2	4.4	-0.2	5.3	-1.1
Mauzy County	42,860	41,320	1,540	3.6	3.9	-0.3	5.1	-1.5
McMinn County	22,980	21,890	1,100	4.8	5.0	-0.2	6.4	-1.6
McNairy County	8,760	8,220	540	6.1	6.5	-0.4	9.3	-3.2
Meigs County	4,930	4,640	290	6.0	6.2	-0.2	7.9	-1.9
Monroe County	19,250	18,350	900	4.7	5.2	-0.5	6.5	-1.8
Montgomery County	79,730	76,330	3,400	4.3	4.5	-0.2	5.7	-1.4
Moore County	3,410	3,290	120	3.4	3.4	0.0	4.5	-1.1
Morgan County	7,960	7,500	460	5.7	6.1	-0.4	7.9	-2.2
Obion County	12,450	11,680	770	6.2	6.7	-0.5	9.3	-3.1
Overton County	9,050	8,610	440	4.9	5.6	-0.7	8.9	-4.0
Perry County	3,170	2,980	180	5.8	6.0	-0.2	6.5	-0.7
Pickett County	2,380	2,230	160	6.6	7.3	-0.7	8.7	-2.1
Polk County	7,430	7,060	370	5.0	5.5	-0.5	7.0	-2.0
Putnam County	33,160	31,770	1,390	4.2	4.5	-0.3	6.0	-1.8
Rhea County	13,330	12,490	840	6.3	6.4	-0.1	7.3	-1.0
Roane County	23,140	22,020	1,120	4.9	5.3	-0.4	6.8	-1.9
Robertson County	34,960	33,690	1,260	3.6	3.8	-0.2	4.8	-1.2
Rutherford County	156,700	151,780	4,920	3.1	3.3	-0.2	4.5	-1.4
Scott County	8,040	7,500	550	6.8	7.3	-0.5	10.1	-3.3
Sequatchie County	5,910	5,590	310	5.3	5.1	0.2	6.5	-1.2
Sevier County	50,730	48,010	2,720	5.4	7.1	-1.7	7.5	-2.1
Shelby County	432,110	411,810	20,310	4.7	4.9	-0.2	6.6	-1.9
Smith County	8,700	8,320	380	4.3	4.6	-0.3	6.5	-2.2
Stewart County	5,190	4,850	340	6.5	6.9	-0.4	8.4	-1.9
Sullivan County	70,300	67,140	3,150	4.5	4.7	-0.2	5.8	-1.3
Sumner County	90,530	87,500	3,030	3.4	3.7	-0.3	4.6	-1.2
Tipton County	27,460	26,020	1,440	5.2	5.5	-0.3	7.4	-2.2
Trousdale County	3,820	3,640	180	4.6	4.9	-0.3	6.5	-1.9
Unicoi County	7,150	6,690	470	6.5	7.5	-1.0	8.5	-2.0
Union County	7,370	7,010	370	5.0	5.4	-0.4	7.1	-2.1
Van Buren County	2,070	1,960	120	5.6	6.7	-1.1	8.8	-3.2
Warren County	18,300	17,570	730	4.0	4.3	-0.3	5.8	-1.8
Washington County	58,480	56,070	2,410	4.1	4.4	-0.3	5.5	-1.4
Wayne County	6,530	6,200	330	5.1	6.4	-1.3	8.4	-3.3
Weakley County	15,880	15,110	760	4.8	5.0	-0.2	7.1	-2.3
White County	11,400	10,880	520	4.5	4.7	-0.2	6.7	-2.2
Williamson County	108,700	105,620	3,080	2.8	3.0	-0.2	3.8	-1.0
Wilson County	65,490	63,290	2,200	3.4	3.6	-0.2	4.5	-1.1

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County Unemployment Rate Change:

(February, 2016 to March, 2016)

Rate decreased in 92 counties

Rate increased in 1 county

Rate remained the same in 2 counties

County Unemployment Rate Range:

(March, 2016)

Rate is less than 5.0% in 49 counties

Rate is 5.0% or greater, but less than 10.0% in 46 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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	March, 2016 pre.				Feb. '16 rev.		Mar. '15	
	Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate	Rate	Change	Rate	Change
Bartlett	29,980	28,900	1,080	3.6	3.9	-0.3	5.0	-1.4
Brentwood	20,560	19,970	580	2.8	3.0	-0.2	3.9	-1.1
Bristol	11,760	11,190	580	4.9	4.8	0.1	5.5	-0.6
Chattanooga	80,350	76,930	3,420	4.3	4.5	-0.2	5.9	-1.6
Clarksville	59,400	56,820	2,580	4.3	4.6	-0.3	5.7	-1.4
Cleveland	20,390	19,530	860	4.2	4.5	-0.3	5.5	-1.3
Collierville	24,390	23,630	760	3.1	3.2	-0.1	4.6	-1.5
Columbia	16,690	15,970	730	4.3	4.5	-0.2	5.9	-1.6
Cookeville	13,260	12,650	610	4.6	4.7	-0.1	6.0	-1.4
Franklin	39,580	38,470	1,110	2.8	2.9	-0.1	3.7	-0.9
Gallatin	17,080	16,400	680	4.0	4.1	-0.1	5.0	-1.0
Germantown	19,500	18,870	630	3.2	3.4	-0.2	4.4	-1.2
Hendersonville	30,280	29,370	900	3.0	3.2	-0.2	4.1	-1.1
Jackson	30,940	29,590	1,350	4.4	4.8	-0.4	6.2	-1.8
Johnson City	30,840	29,580	1,260	4.1	4.2	-0.1	5.8	-1.7
Kingsport	22,730	21,710	1,020	4.5	5.0	-0.5	5.9	-1.4
Knoxville	94,880	91,310	3,570	3.8	4.0	-0.2	5.2	-1.4
LaVergne	18,060	17,460	600	3.3	3.4	-0.1	4.8	-1.5
Lebanon	13,690	13,150	540	3.9	4.2	-0.3	5.6	-1.7
Maryville	13,450	12,970	470	3.5	3.9	-0.4	4.9	-1.4
Memphis	288,620	273,730	14,880	5.2	5.3	-0.1	7.3	-2.1
Morristown	11,390	10,840	550	4.8	5.4	-0.6	7.4	-2.6
Mount Juliet	15,650	15,130	520	3.3	3.4	-0.1	4.2	-0.9
Murfreesboro	66,850	64,670	2,180	3.3	3.4	-0.1	4.6	-1.3
Nashville	373,440	361,770	11,670	3.1	3.3	-0.2	4.4	-1.3
Oak Ridge	14,190	13,650	540	3.8	4.0	-0.2	5.1	-1.3
Smyrna	24,480	23,690	800	3.3	3.4	-0.1	4.5	-1.2
Spring Hill	18,300	17,780	520	2.8	3.1	-0.3	3.7	-0.9

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

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**Lowest
County Unemployment Rates**

Rank	County	Mar. pre. Rate (%)
1	Williamson Co.	2.8
2	Davidson Co.	3.1
3	Rutherford Co.	3.1
4	Sumner Co.	3.4
5	Wilson Co.	3.4
6	Knox Co.	3.4
7	Moore Co.	3.4
8	Cheatham Co.	3.4
9	Lincoln Co.	3.6
10	Maury Co.	3.6

**Highest
County Unemployment Rates**

Rank	County	Mar. pre. Rate (%)
95	Hancock Co.	7.5
94	Houston Co.	7.4
93	Lauderdale Co.	7.1
92	Lake Co.	6.9
91	Scott Co.	6.8
90	Clay Co.	6.6
89	Pickett Co.	6.6
88	Unicoi Co.	6.5
87	Henderson Co.	6.5
86	Stewart Co.	6.5

Labor Force Estimates -- February 2016 (revised)

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(seasonally adjusted)	Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Unemp. Rate (%)
United States	158,890,000	151,074,000	7,815,000	4.9
Tennessee	3,121,400	2,967,600	153,800	4.9

(not seasonally adjusted)	Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Unemp. Rate (%)
United States	158,279,000	150,060,000	8,219,000	5.2
Tennessee	3,111,700	2,973,000	138,700	4.5

Metropolitan Statistical Areas

Chattanooga	258,800	246,210	12,590	4.9
Clarksville	110,250	104,540	5,710	5.2
Cleveland	57,260	54,840	2,410	4.2
Jackson	61,970	59,040	2,930	4.7
Johnson City	89,640	85,180	4,470	5.0
Kingsport-Bristol	138,400	131,740	6,660	4.8
Knoxville	413,370	396,190	17,180	4.2
Memphis	620,340	589,450	30,890	5.0
Morristown	50,680	48,100	2,580	5.1
Nashville-Murfreesboro	954,550	921,680	32,860	3.4

Counties

Anderson County	33,990	32,460	1,530	4.5
Bedford County	19,590	18,720	870	4.4
Benton County	6,890	6,400	490	7.1
Bledsoe County	4,420	4,140	280	6.2
Blount County	60,780	58,200	2,570	4.2
Bradley County	49,810	47,800	2,000	4.0
Campbell County	15,120	14,050	1,070	7.1
Cannon County	6,020	5,760	260	4.3
Carroll County	12,260	11,500	760	6.2
Carter County	23,990	22,660	1,330	5.5
Cheatham County	20,580	19,830	760	3.7
Chester County	8,200	7,820	380	4.6
Claiborne County	12,870	12,130	750	5.8
Clay County	2,950	2,740	200	6.9
Cocke County	14,510	13,490	1,020	7.0
Coffee County	24,550	23,510	1,040	4.2
Crockett County	6,910	6,520	390	5.6
Cumberland County	23,250	21,790	1,460	6.3
Davidson County	372,200	359,910	12,280	3.3
Decatur County	4,800	4,470	330	6.8
DeKalb County	7,450	7,050	400	5.3
Dickson County	24,540	23,500	1,050	4.3
Dyer County	16,960	15,940	1,010	6.0
Fayette County	17,920	17,080	850	4.7
Fentress County	7,250	6,790	470	6.4
Franklin County	19,720	18,900	820	4.2
Gibson County	21,100	19,880	1,220	5.8
Giles County	14,930	14,360	570	3.8
Grainger County	9,380	8,870	510	5.4
Greene County	31,130	29,410	1,720	5.5
Grundy County	4,900	4,610	290	6.0
Hamblen County	26,960	25,660	1,290	4.8
Hamilton County	170,460	163,290	7,170	4.2
Hancock County	2,080	1,920	160	7.8
Hardeman County	9,370	8,800	560	6.0
Hardin County	10,340	9,750	590	5.7
Hawkins County	23,900	22,670	1,230	5.1
Haywood County	7,820	7,310	510	6.5

Counties	Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Unemp. Rate (%)
Henderson County	12,410	11,580	830	6.7
Henry County	14,090	13,280	810	5.8
Hickman County	10,690	10,210	480	4.4
Houston County	3,270	3,000	270	8.2
Humphreys County	8,670	8,120	550	6.4
Jackson County	4,490	4,190	300	6.7
Jefferson County	23,730	22,430	1,290	5.4
Johnson County	7,600	7,190	410	5.3
Knox County	233,270	224,860	8,420	3.6
Lake County	1,950	1,810	140	7.3
Lauderdale County	9,600	8,880	710	7.4
Lawrence County	17,790	16,810	980	5.5
Lewis County	4,820	4,540	280	5.8
Lincoln County	15,290	14,680	610	4.0
Loudon County	22,330	21,360	970	4.3
Macon County	10,240	9,820	420	4.1
Madison County	46,870	44,710	2,160	4.6
Marion County	12,020	11,310	710	5.9
Marshall County	14,800	14,140	650	4.4
Maury County	42,780	41,120	1,660	3.9
McMinn County	22,970	21,820	1,160	5.0
McNairy County	8,810	8,240	570	6.5
Meigs County	4,940	4,630	310	6.2
Monroe County	19,340	18,340	1,000	5.2
Montgomery County	79,180	75,600	3,580	4.5
Moore County	3,390	3,280	120	3.4
Morgan County	7,960	7,480	490	6.1
Obion County	12,500	11,660	840	6.7
Overton County	9,100	8,590	510	5.6
Perry County	3,170	2,980	190	6.0
Pickett County	2,370	2,200	170	7.3
Polk County	7,450	7,040	410	5.5
Putnam County	32,950	31,480	1,470	4.5
Rhea County	13,370	12,520	850	6.4
Roane County	23,170	21,950	1,220	5.3
Robertson County	34,870	33,530	1,340	3.8
Rutherford County	156,220	151,050	5,160	3.3
Scott County	8,030	7,450	590	7.3
Sequatchie County	5,880	5,580	300	5.1
Sevier County	49,810	46,270	3,550	7.1
Shelby County	432,990	411,760	21,230	4.9
Smith County	8,670	8,280	400	4.6
Stewart County	5,210	4,850	360	6.9
Sullivan County	70,160	66,840	3,320	4.7
Sumner County	90,350	87,040	3,310	3.7
Tipton County	27,540	26,020	1,530	5.5
Trousdale County	3,810	3,620	190	4.9
Unicoi County	7,200	6,660	540	7.5
Union County	7,380	6,980	400	5.4
Van Buren County	2,110	1,970	140	6.7
Warren County	18,450	17,660	790	4.3
Washington County	58,450	55,850	2,600	4.4
Wayne County	6,530	6,110	420	6.4
Weakley County	15,900	15,100	790	5.0
White County	11,350	10,820	530	4.7
Williamson County	108,260	105,040	3,230	3.0
Wilson County	65,320	62,980	2,350	3.6

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Labor Force Estimates - Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act (WIOA) Areas Release: 1:30 PM CT on 04/21/2016

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	Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Unemp. Rate (%) Rate			Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Unemp. Rate (%) Rate			
				Mar.	Feb.	Change				Mar.	Feb.	Change	
WIOA 1	167,420	159,840	7,580	4.5	4.9	-0.4	WIOA 8	376,220	362,720	13,510	3.6	3.9	-0.3
Carter	23,980	22,770	1,210	5.0	5.5	-0.5	Cheatham	20,650	19,950	710	3.4	3.7	-0.3
Johnson	7,510	7,170	340	4.5	5.3	-0.8	Dickson	24,580	23,620	970	3.9	4.3	-0.4
Sullivan	70,300	67,140	3,150	4.5	4.7	-0.2	Houston	3,250	3,010	240	7.4	8.2	-0.8
Unicoi	7,150	6,690	470	6.5	7.5	-1.0	Humphreys	8,630	8,150	480	5.6	6.4	-0.8
Washington	58,480	56,070	2,410	4.1	4.4	-0.3	Montgomery	79,730	76,330	3,400	4.3	4.5	-0.2
							Robertson	34,960	33,690	1,260	3.6	3.8	-0.2
WIOA 2	202,410	192,150	10,270	5.1	5.9	-0.8	Stewart	5,190	4,850	340	6.5	6.9	-0.4
Claiborne	12,830	12,140	700	5.4	5.8	-0.4	Sumner	90,530	87,500	3,030	3.4	3.7	-0.3
Cocke	14,530	13,650	880	6.1	7.0	-0.9	Williamson	108,700	105,620	3,080	2.8	3.0	-0.2
Grainger	9,370	8,900	460	4.9	5.4	-0.5							
Greene	30,710	29,240	1,470	4.8	5.5	-0.7	WIOA 9	599,450	580,480	18,970	3.2	3.3	-0.2
Hamblen	27,080	25,880	1,200	4.4	4.8	-0.4	Davidson	373,440	361,770	11,670	3.1	3.3	-0.2
Hancock	2,080	1,920	160	7.5	7.8	-0.3	Rutherford	156,700	151,780	4,920	3.1	3.3	-0.2
Hawkins	23,930	22,770	1,160	4.8	5.1	-0.3	Trousdale	3,820	3,640	180	4.6	4.9	-0.3
Jefferson	23,780	22,630	1,150	4.8	5.4	-0.6	Wilson	65,490	63,290	2,200	3.4	3.6	-0.2
Sevier	50,730	48,010	2,720	5.4	7.1	-1.7							
Union	7,370	7,010	370	5.0	5.4	-0.4	WIOA 10	115,640	110,800	4,830	4.2	4.5	-0.3
							Giles	14,920	14,380	540	3.6	3.8	-0.2
WIOA 3	233,510	225,620	7,890	3.4	3.6	-0.2	Hickman	10,700	10,270	430	4.0	4.4	-0.4
Knox	233,510	225,620	7,890	3.4	3.6	-0.2	Lawrence	17,820	16,910	910	5.1	5.5	-0.4
							Lewis	4,830	4,550	280	5.8	5.8	0.0
WIOA 4	213,760	203,840	9,940	4.7	5.1	-0.4	Marshall	14,810	14,190	620	4.2	4.4	-0.2
Anderson	33,990	32,580	1,420	4.2	4.5	-0.3	Mauzy	42,860	41,320	1,540	3.6	3.9	-0.3
Blount	60,750	58,410	2,340	3.8	4.2	-0.4	Perry	3,170	2,980	180	5.8	6.0	-0.2
Campbell	15,070	14,100	970	6.4	7.1	-0.7	Wayne	6,530	6,200	330	5.1	6.4	-1.3
Cumberland	23,220	21,950	1,270	5.5	6.3	-0.8							
Loudon	22,340	21,430	910	4.1	4.3	-0.2	WIOA 11	108,610	103,050	5,560	5.1	5.5	-0.3
Monroe	19,250	18,350	900	4.7	5.2	-0.5	Chester	8,230	7,870	360	4.3	4.6	-0.3
Morgan	7,960	7,500	460	5.7	6.1	-0.4	Decatur	4,830	4,520	310	6.4	6.8	-0.4
Roane	23,140	22,020	1,120	4.9	5.3	-0.4	Hardeman	9,380	8,850	530	5.6	6.0	-0.4
Scott	8,040	7,500	550	6.8	7.3	-0.5	Hardin	10,290	9,740	550	5.3	5.7	-0.4
							Haywood	7,770	7,300	470	6.0	6.5	-0.5
WIOA 5	291,050	278,570	12,490	4.3	4.5	-0.2	Henderson	12,330	11,530	800	6.5	6.7	-0.2
Bledsoe	4,420	4,150	260	5.9	6.2	-0.3	Madison	47,020	45,020	2,000	4.3	4.6	-0.3
Bradley	49,850	47,950	1,910	3.8	4.0	-0.2	McNairy	8,760	8,220	540	6.1	6.5	-0.4
Hamilton	170,250	163,470	6,790	4.0	4.2	-0.2							
Marion	11,950	11,330	620	5.2	5.9	-0.7	WIOA 12	145,380	137,190	8,170	5.6	6.0	-0.3
McMinn	22,980	21,890	1,100	4.8	5.0	-0.2	Benton	6,860	6,420	440	6.4	7.1	-0.7
Meigs	4,930	4,640	290	6.0	6.2	-0.2	Carroll	12,170	11,450	720	5.9	6.2	-0.3
Polk	7,430	7,060	370	5.0	5.5	-0.5	Crockett	6,910	6,560	350	5.1	5.6	-0.5
Rhea	13,330	12,490	840	6.3	6.4	-0.1	Dyer	16,950	15,960	980	5.8	6.0	-0.2
Sequatchie	5,910	5,590	310	5.3	5.1	0.2	Gibson	21,060	19,930	1,130	5.4	5.8	-0.4
							Henry	14,120	13,350	770	5.4	5.8	-0.4
WIOA 6	105,940	101,700	4,240	4.0	4.3	-0.3	Lake	1,940	1,810	130	6.9	7.3	-0.4
Bedford	19,750	18,930	820	4.1	4.4	-0.3	Lauderdale	9,580	8,900	680	7.1	7.4	-0.3
Coffee	24,550	23,560	990	4.0	4.2	-0.2	Obion	12,450	11,680	770	6.2	6.7	-0.5
Franklin	19,690	18,930	760	3.9	4.2	-0.3	Tipton	27,460	26,020	1,440	5.2	5.5	-0.3
Grundy	4,870	4,600	270	5.6	6.0	-0.4	Weakley	15,880	15,110	760	4.8	5.0	-0.2
Lincoln	15,370	14,820	550	3.6	4.0	-0.4							
Moore	3,410	3,290	120	3.4	3.4	0.0	WIOA 13	449,980	428,900	21,090	4.7	4.9	-0.2
Warren	18,300	17,570	730	4.0	4.3	-0.3	Fayette	17,870	17,090	780	4.4	4.7	-0.3
							Shelby	432,110	411,810	20,310	4.7	4.9	-0.2
WIOA 7	105,100	100,210	4,900	4.7	5.0	-0.3	WIOA Total	3,114,470	2,985,070	129,440	4.2	4.5	-0.3
Cannon	6,030	5,790	240	4.0	4.3	-0.3							
Clay	2,970	2,770	200	6.6	6.9	-0.3							
DeKalb	7,420	7,040	370	5.0	5.3	-0.3							
Fentress	7,170	6,760	410	5.7	6.4	-0.7							
Jackson	4,490	4,210	280	6.2	6.7	-0.5							
Macon	10,260	9,870	390	3.8	4.1	-0.3							
Overton	9,050	8,610	440	4.9	5.6	-0.7							
Pickett	2,380	2,230	160	6.6	7.3	-0.7							
Putnam	33,160	31,770	1,390	4.2	4.5	-0.3							
Smith	8,700	8,320	380	4.3	4.6	-0.3							
Van Buren	2,070	1,960	120	5.6	6.7	-1.1							
White	11,400	10,880	520	4.5	4.7	-0.2							

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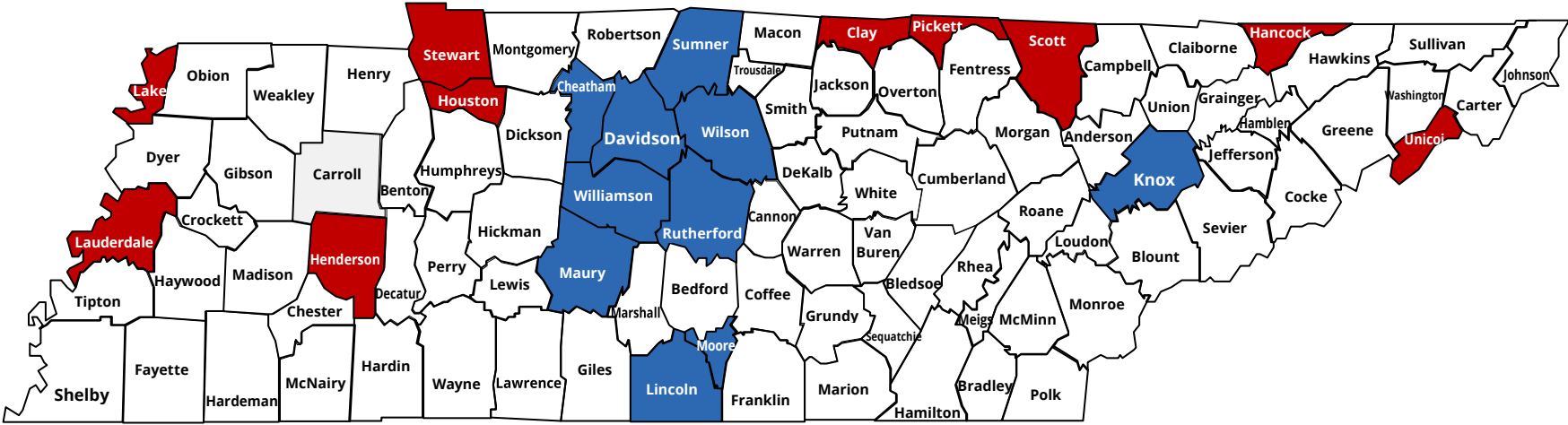
Labor Force Estimates - Economic & Community Development Regions

March, 2016 preliminary

	Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Unemp. Rate (%)		Rate Change		Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Unemp. Rate (%)		Rate Change
				Mar.	Feb.						Mar.	Feb.	
Northeast TN							Upper Cumberland						
	224,140	213,770	10,370	4.6	5.0	-0.4		146,620	139,730	6,900	4.7	5.1	-0.4
Carter	23,980	22,770	1,210	5.0	5.5	-0.5	Cannon	6,030	5,790	240	4.0	4.3	-0.3
Greene	30,710	29,240	1,470	4.8	5.5	-0.7	Clay	2,970	2,770	200	6.6	6.9	-0.3
Hancock	2,080	1,920	160	7.5	7.8	-0.3	Cumberland	23,220	21,950	1,270	5.5	6.3	-0.8
Hawkins	23,930	22,770	1,160	4.8	5.1	-0.3	DeKalb	7,420	7,040	370	5.0	5.3	-0.3
Johnson	7,510	7,170	340	4.5	5.3	-0.8	Fentress	7,170	6,760	410	5.7	6.4	-0.7
Sullivan	70,300	67,140	3,150	4.5	4.7	-0.2	Jackson	4,490	4,210	280	6.2	6.7	-0.5
Unicoi	7,150	6,690	470	6.5	7.5	-1.0	Macon	10,260	9,870	390	3.8	4.1	-0.3
Washington	58,480	56,070	2,410	4.1	4.4	-0.3	Overton	9,050	8,610	440	4.9	5.6	-0.7
							Pickett	2,380	2,230	160	6.6	7.3	-0.7
East TN							Northern Middle TN						
	569,740	545,730	24,040	4.2	4.7	-0.5		975,670	943,200	32,480	3.3	3.5	-0.2
Anderson	33,990	32,580	1,420	4.2	4.5	-0.3	Cheatham	20,650	19,950	710	3.4	3.7	-0.3
Blount	60,750	58,410	2,340	3.8	4.2	-0.4	Davidson	373,440	361,770	11,670	3.1	3.3	-0.2
Campbell	15,070	14,100	970	6.4	7.1	-0.7	Dickson	24,580	23,620	970	3.9	4.3	-0.4
Claiborne	12,830	12,140	700	5.4	5.8	-0.4	Houston	3,250	3,010	240	7.4	8.2	-0.8
Cocke	14,530	13,650	880	6.1	7.0	-0.9	Humphreys	8,630	8,150	480	5.6	6.4	-0.8
Grainger	9,370	8,900	460	4.9	5.4	-0.5	Montgomery	79,730	76,330	3,400	4.3	4.5	-0.2
Hamblen	27,080	25,880	1,200	4.4	4.8	-0.4	Robertson	34,960	33,690	1,260	3.6	3.8	-0.2
Jefferson	23,780	22,630	1,150	4.8	5.4	-0.6	Rutherford	156,700	151,780	4,920	3.1	3.3	-0.2
Knox	233,510	225,620	7,890	3.4	3.6	-0.2	Stewart	5,190	4,850	340	6.5	6.9	-0.4
Loudon	22,340	21,430	910	4.1	4.3	-0.2	Sumner	90,530	87,500	3,030	3.4	3.7	-0.3
Monroe	19,250	18,350	900	4.7	5.2	-0.5	Trousdale	3,820	3,640	180	4.6	4.9	-0.3
Morgan	7,960	7,500	460	5.7	6.1	-0.4	Williamson	108,700	105,620	3,080	2.8	3.0	-0.2
Roane	23,140	22,020	1,120	4.9	5.3	-0.4	Wilson	65,490	63,290	2,200	3.4	3.6	-0.2
Scott	8,040	7,500	550	6.8	7.3	-0.5							
Sevier	50,730	48,010	2,720	5.4	7.1	-1.7	Northwest TN						
Union	7,370	7,010	370	5.0	5.4	-0.4		108,340	102,270	6,050	5.6	5.9	-0.4
							Benton	6,860	6,420	440	6.4	7.1	-0.7
Southeast TN							Southwest TN						
	295,920	283,170	12,760	4.3	4.5	-0.2		108,610	103,050	5,560	5.1	5.5	-0.3
Bledsoe	4,420	4,150	260	5.9	6.2	-0.3	Chester	8,230	7,870	360	4.3	4.6	-0.3
Bradley	49,850	47,950	1,910	3.8	4.0	-0.2	Decatur	4,830	4,520	310	6.4	6.8	-0.4
Grundy	4,870	4,600	270	5.6	6.0	-0.4	Hardeman	9,380	8,850	530	5.6	6.0	-0.4
Hamilton	170,250	163,470	6,790	4.0	4.2	-0.2	Hardin	10,290	9,740	550	5.3	5.7	-0.4
Marion	11,950	11,330	620	5.2	5.9	-0.7	Haywood	7,770	7,300	470	6.0	6.5	-0.5
McMinn	22,980	21,890	1,100	4.8	5.0	-0.2	Henderson	12,330	11,530	800	6.5	6.7	-0.2
Meigs	4,930	4,640	290	6.0	6.2	-0.2	Madison	47,020	45,020	2,000	4.3	4.6	-0.3
Polk	7,430	7,060	370	5.0	5.5	-0.5	McNairy	8,760	8,220	540	6.1	6.5	-0.4
Rhea	13,330	12,490	840	6.3	6.4	-0.1							
Sequatchie	5,910	5,590	310	5.3	5.1	0.2	Greater Memphis						
								487,020	463,820	23,210	4.8	5.0	-0.2
Southern Middle TN							Greater Memphis						
	198,410	190,330	8,070	4.1	4.4	-0.3	Fayette	17,870	17,090	780	4.4	4.7	-0.3
Bedford	19,750	18,930	820	4.1	4.4	-0.3	Lauderdale	9,580	8,900	680	7.1	7.4	-0.3
Coffee	24,550	23,560	990	4.0	4.2	-0.2	Shelby	432,110	411,810	20,310	4.7	4.9	-0.2
Franklin	19,690	18,930	760	3.9	4.2	-0.3	Tipton	27,460	26,020	1,440	5.2	5.5	-0.3
Giles	14,920	14,380	540	3.6	3.8	-0.2							
Hickman	10,700	10,270	430	4.0	4.4	-0.4	Total	3,114,470	2,985,070	129,440	4.2	4.5	-0.3
Lawrence	17,820	16,910	910	5.1	5.5	-0.4							
Lewis	4,830	4,550	280	5.8	5.8	0.0							
Lincoln	15,370	14,820	550	3.6	4.0	-0.4							
Marshall	14,810	14,190	620	4.2	4.4	-0.2							
Mauzy	42,860	41,320	1,540	3.6	3.9	-0.3							
Moore	3,410	3,290	120	3.4	3.4	0.0							
Perry	3,170	2,980	180	5.8	6.0	-0.2							
Wayne	6,530	6,200	330	5.1	6.4	-1.3							

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Lowest
County Unemployment Rates

<u>Rank</u>	<u>County</u>	<u>March, 2016</u> <u>Pre. Rate (%)</u>
1	Williamson	2.8
2	Davidson	3.1
3	Rutherford	3.1
4	Sumner	3.4
5	Wilson	3.4
6	Knox	3.4
7	Moore	3.4
8	Cheatham	3.4
9	Lincoln	3.6
10	Maury	3.6

Highest
County Unemployment Rates

<u>Rank</u>	<u>County</u>	<u>March, 2016</u> <u>Pre. Rate (%)</u>
95	Hancock	7.5
94	Houston	7.4
93	Lauderdale	7.1
92	Lake	6.9
91	Scott	6.8
90	Clay	6.6
89	Pickett	6.6
88	Unicoi	6.5
87	Henderson	6.5
86	Stewart	6.5