TABLE B–36.—*Civilian employment and unemployment by sex and age, 1950–97*

[Thousands of persons 16 years of age and over; monthly data seasonally adjusted]

Year or month	Civilian employment							Unemployment						
	Total	Males			Females			Total	Males			Females		
		Total	16–19 years	20 years and over	Total	16–19 years	20 years and over		Total	16–19 years	20 years and over	Total	16–19 years	20 years and over
1950	58,918	41,578	2,186	39,394	17,340	1,517	15,824	3,288	2,239	318	1,922	1,049	195	854
1951	59,961	41,780	2,156	39,626	18,181	1,611	16,570	2,055	1,221	191	1,029	834	145	689
1952	60,250	41,682	2,107	39,578	18,568	1,612	16,958	1,883	1,185	205	980	698	140	559
1953	61,179	42,430	2,136	40,296	18,749	1,584	17,164	1,834	1,202	184	1,019	632	123	510
1954	60,109	41,619	1,985	39,634	18,490	1,490	17,000	3,532	2,344	310	2,035	1,188	191	997
1955	62,170	42,621	2,095	40,526	19,551	1,547	18,002	2,852	1,854	274	1,580	998	176	823
1956	63,799	43,379	2,164	41,216	20,419	1,654	18,767	2,750	1,711	269	1,442	1,039	209	832
1957	64,071	43,357	2,115	41,239	20,714	1,663	19,052	2,859	1,841	300	1,541	1,018	197	821
1958	63,036	42,423	2,012	40,411	20,613	1,570	19,043	4,602	3,098	416	2,681	1,504	262	1,242
1959	64,630	43,466	2,198	41,267	21,164	1,640	19,524	3,740	2,420	398	2,022	1,320	256	1,063
1960	65,778	43,904	2,361	41,543	21,874	1,768	20,105	3,852	2,486	426	2,060	1,366	286	1,080
1961	65,746	43,656	2,315	41,342	22,090	1,793	20,296	4,714	2,997	479	2,518	1,717	349	1,368
1962	66,702	44,177	2,362	41,815	22,525	1,833	20,693	3,911	2,423	408	2,016	1,488	313	1,175
1963	67,762	44,657	2,406	42,251	23,105	1,849	21,257	4,070	2,472	501	1,971	1,598	383	1,216
1964	69,305	45,474	2,587	42,886	23,831	1,929	21,903	3,786	2,205	487	1,718	1,581	385	1,195
1965	71,088	46,340	2,918	43,422	24,748	2,118	22,630	3,366	1,914	479	1,435	1,452	395	1,056
1966	72,895	46,919	3,253	43,668	25,976	2,468	23,510	2,875	1,551	432	1,120	1,324	405	921
1967	74,372	47,479	3,186	44,294	26,893	2,496	24,397	2,975	1,508	448	1,060	1,468	391	1,078
1968	75,920	48,114	3,255	44,859	27,807	2,526	25,281	2,817	1,419	426	993	1,397	412	985
1969	77,902	48,818	3,430	45,388	29,084	2,687	26,397	2,832	1,403	440	963	1,429	413	1,015
1970	78,678	48,990	3,409	45,581	29,688	2,735	26,952	4,093	2,238	599	1,638	1,855	506	1,349
1971	79,367	49,390	3,478	45,912	29,976	2,730	27,246	5,016	2,789	693	2,097	2,227	568	1,658
1972	82,153	50,896	3,765	47,130	31,257	2,980	28,276	4,882	2,659	711	1,948	2,222	598	1,625
1973	85,064	52,349	4,039	48,310	32,715	3,231	29,484	4,365	2,275	653	1,624	2,089	583	1,507
1974	86,794	53,024	4,103	48,922	33,769	3,345	30,424	5,156	2,714	757	1,957	2,441	665	1,777
1975	85,846	51,857	3,839	48,018	33,989	3,263	30,726	7,929	4,442	966	3,476	3,486	802	2,684
1976	88,752	53,138	3,947	49,190	35,615	3,389	32,226	7,406	4,036	939	3,098	3,369	780	2,588
1977	92,017	54,728	4,174	50,555	37,289	3,514	33,775	6,991	3,667	874	2,794	3,324	789	2,535
1978	96,048	56,479	4,336	52,143	39,569	3,734	35,836	6,202	3,142	813	2,328	3,061	769	2,292
1979	98,824	57,607	4,300	53,308	41,217	3,783	37,434	6,137	3,120	811	2,308	3,018	743	2,276
1980	99,303	57,186	4,085	53,101	42,117	3,625	38,492	7,637	4,267	913	3,353	3,370	755	2,615
1981	100,397	57,397	3,815	53,582	43,000	3,411	39,590	8,273	4,577	962	3,615	3,696	800	2,895
1982	99,526	56,271	3,379	52,891	43,256	3,170	40,086	10,678	6,179	1,090	5,089	4,499	886	3,613
1983	100,834	56,787	3,300	53,487	44,047	3,043	41,004	10,717	6,260	1,003	5,257	4,457	825	3,632
1984	105,005	59,091	3,322	55,769	45,915	3,122	42,793	8,539	4,744	812	3,932	3,794	687	3,107
1985	107,150	59,891	3,328	56,562	47,259	3,105	44,154	8,312	4,521	806	3,715	3,791	661	3,129
1986	109,597	60,892	3,323	57,569	48,706	3,149	45,556	8,237	4,530	779	3,751	3,707	675	3,032
1987	112,440	62,107	3,381	58,726	50,334	3,260	47,074	7,425	4,101	732	3,369	3,324	616	2,709
1988	114,968	63,273	3,492	59,781	51,696	3,313	48,383	6,701	3,655	667	2,987	3,046	558	2,487
1989	117,342	64,315	3,477	60,837	53,027	3,282	49,745	6,528	3,525	658	2,867	3,003	536	2,467
1990	118,793	65,104	3,427	61,678	53,689	3,154	50,535	7,047	3,906	667	3,239	3,140	544	2,596
1991	117,718	64,223	3,044	61,178	53,496	2,862	50,634	8,628	4,946	751	4,195	3,683	608	3,074
1992	118,492	64,440	2,944	61,496	54,052	2,724	51,328	9,613	5,523	806	4,717	4,090	621	3,469
1993	120,259	65,349	2,994	62,355	54,910	2,811	52,099	8,940	5,055	768	4,287	3,885	597	3,288
1994	123,060	66,450	3,156	63,294	56,610	3,005	53,606	7,996	4,367	740	3,627	3,629	580	3,049
1995	124,900	67,377	3,292	64,085	57,523	3,127	54,396	7,404	3,983	744	3,239	3,421	602	2,819
1996	126,708	68,207	3,310	64,897	58,501	3,190	55,311	7,236	3,880	733	3,146	3,356	573	2,783
1997	129,558	69,685	3,401	66,284	59,873	3,260	56,613	6,739	3,577	694	2,882	3,162	577	2,585
1996: Jan	125,246	67,538	3,270	64,268	57,708	3,101	54,607	7,522	3,972	757	3,215	3,550	615	2,935
Feb	125,771	67,765	3,309	64,456	58,006	3,121	54,885	7,345	4,004	727	3,277	3,341	581	2,760
Mar	125,951	67,817	3,268	64,549	58,134	3,118	55,016	7,355	4,054	755	3,299	3,301	573	2,728
Apr	126,057	67,888	3,345	64,543	58,169	3,109	55,060	7,348	4,002	741	3,261	3,346	570	2,776
May	126,321	68,079	3,359	64,720	58,242	3,182	55,060	7,359	3,976	733	3,243	3,383	570	2,813
June	126,591	68,266	3,340	64,926	58,325	3,156	55,169	7,095	3,827	673	3,154	3,268	559	2,709
July	126,867	68,362	3,323	65,039	58,505	3,192	55,313	7,347	3,990	796	3,194	3,357	491	2,866
Aug	126,995	68,374	3,259	65,115	58,621	3,128	55,493	6,916	3,608	709	2,899	3,308	590	2,718
Sept	127,338	68,373	3,376	64,997	58,965	3,320	55,645	7,003	3,801	702	3,099	3,202	550	2,652
Oct	127,715	68,686	3,346	65,340	59,029	3,308	55,721	7,079	3,739	746	2,993	3,340	578	2,762
Nov	127,746	68,590	3,212	65,378	59,156	3,297	55,859	7,231	3,809	739	3,070	3,422	597	2,825
Dec	127,899	68,773	3,318	65,455	59,126	3,256	55,870	7,161	3,691	722	2,969	3,470	609	2,861
1997: Jan	128,541	69,209	3,353	65,856	59,332	3,254	56,078	7,188	3,843	750	3,093	3,345	591	2,754
Feb	128,515	69,248	3,388	65,860	59,267	3,246	56,021	7,174	3,753	741	3,012	3,421	651	2,770
Mar	129,035	69,415	3,384	66,031	59,620	3,298	56,322	7,080	3,749	740	3,009	3,331	583	2,748
Apr	129,275	69,565	3,367	66,198	59,710	3,353	56,357	6,768	3,619	710	2,909	3,149	531	2,618
May	129,494	69,765	3,456	66,309	59,729	3,241	56,488	6,566	3,324	643	2,681	3,242	601	2,641
June	129,392	69,586	3,328	66,258	59,806	3,231	56,575	6,814	3,639	740	2,899	3,175	555	2,620
July	129,661	69,711	3,350	66,361	59,950	3,257	56,693	6,633	3,507	697	2,810	3,126	587	2,539
Aug	129,747	69,748	3,362	66,386	59,999	3,210	56,789	6,657	3,517	705	2,812	3,140	567	2,573
Sept	129,761	69,656	3,358	66,298	60,105	3,222	56,883	6,678	3,536	698	2,838	3,142	593	2,549
Oct	129,910	69,785	3,448	66,337	60,125	3,206	56,919	6,496	3,526	670	2,856	2,970	551	2,419
Nov	130,575	70,352	3,528	66,824	60,223	3,270	56,953	6,289	3,330	654	2,676	2,959	564	2,395
Dec	130,777	70,195	3,519	66,676	60,582	3,327	57,255	6,392	3,467	582	2,885	2,925	556	2,369

Note.—See footnote 5 and Note, Table B–35.

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