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New Hampshire													
Labor Force	696,480	695,900	698,460	694,110	696,860	709,120	715,870	713,370	701,490	702,020	702,450	701,240	702,280
Employment	662,670	661,520	664,690	663,610	667,210	677,320	684,870	681,730	671,180	672,400	671,800	671,560	670,880
Unemployment	33,810	34,380	33,770	30,500	29,650	31,800	31,000	31,640	30,310	29,620	30,650	29,680	31,400
Rate	4.9%	4.9%	4.8%	4.4%	4.3%	4.5%	4.3%	4.4%	4.3%	4.2%	4.4%	4.2%	4.5%
Belknap County													
Labor Force	30,430	30,320	30,480	30,410	31,210	32,990	34,670	34,060	32,050	31,550	30,950	30,850	31,670
Employment	29,070	28,970	29,080	29,230	30,080	31,600	33,490	32,800	30,910	30,470	29,810	29,780	30,440
Unemployment	1,360	1,350	1,400	1,180	1,130	1,390	1,180	1,260	1,140	1,080	1,140	1,070	1,230
Rate	4.5%	4.5%	4.6%	3.9%	3.6%	4.2%	3.4%	3.7%	3.6%	3.4%	3.7%	3.5%	3.9%
Carroll County													
Labor Force	23,240	23,170	23,280	22,820	23,400	25,090	27,090	26,880	24,780	24,180	23,370	23,620	24,250
Employment	22,310	22,240	22,270	21,870	22,520	24,140	26,260	26,050	24,010	23,440	22,550	22,870	23,380
Unemployment	930	930	1,010	950	880	950	830	830	770	740	820	750	870
Rate	4.0%	4.0%	4.4%	4.2%	3.8%	3.8%	3.0%	3.1%	3.1%	3.0%	3.5%	3.2%	3.6%
Cheshire County													
Labor Force	39,650	39,910	40,100	39,940	39,780	40,550	40,940	41,280	40,210	40,650	40,610	40,400	40,340
Employment	38,220	38,420	38,690	38,500	38,390	39,020	39,570	39,770	38,780	39,350	39,240	39,100	38,920
Unemployment	1,430	1,490	1,410	1,440	1,390	1,530	1,370	1,510	1,430	1,300	1,370	1,300	1,420
Rate	3.6%	3.7%	3.5%	3.6%	3.5%	3.8%	3.3%	3.7%	3.6%	3.2%	3.4%	3.2%	3.5%
Coos County													
Labor Force	17,170	16,940	16,900	16,200	16,420	17,110	17,460	17,330	16,810	16,570	16,230	16,300	16,780
Employment	15,650	15,480	15,500	14,840	15,260	16,110	16,490	16,470	15,970	15,770	15,260	15,300	15,670
Unemployment	1,520	1,460	1,400	1,360	1,160	1,000	970	860	840	800	970	1,000	1,110
Rate	8.8%	8.6%	8.3%	8.4%	7.1%	5.9%	5.6%	5.0%	5.0%	4.8%	6.0%	6.2%	6.6%
Grafton County													
Labor Force	45,020	44,910	44,840	44,010	44,330	45,840	47,320	47,240	45,140	45,730	45,460	45,430	45,440
Employment	43,730	43,500	43,480	42,600	42,860	44,360	46,070	45,860	43,910	44,520	44,070	44,320	44,110
Unemployment	1,290	1,410	1,360	1,410	1,470	1,480	1,250	1,380	1,230	1,210	1,390	1,110	1,330
Rate	2.9%	3.1%	3.0%	3.2%	3.3%	3.2%	2.6%	2.9%	2.7%	2.6%	3.0%	2.4%	2.9%
Hillsborough County													
Labor Force	216,860	216,040	216,920	215,690	215,850	218,060	216,310	216,370	215,600	216,890	217,810	217,680	216,670
Employment	205,710	204,790	205,870	205,760	206,150	207,780	206,160	205,820	205,460	206,890	207,710	207,770	206,320
Unemployment	11,150	11,250	11,050	9,930	9,700	10,280	10,150	10,550	10,140	10,000	10,100	9,910	10,350
Rate	5.1%	5.2%	5.1%	4.6%	4.5%	4.7%	4.7%	4.9%	4.7%	4.6%	4.6%	4.6%	4.8%
Merrimack County													
Labor Force	76,170	76,110	76,400	76,230	76,310	77,120	79,470	79,290	77,080	76,480	76,880	76,730	77,020
Employment	73,360	73,260	73,600	73,800	73,800	74,250	76,860	76,500	74,520	74,040	74,290	74,410	74,390
Unemployment	2,810	2,850	2,800	2,430	2,510	2,870	2,610	2,790	2,560	2,440	2,590	2,320	2,630
Rate	3.7%	3.7%	3.7%	3.2%	3.3%	3.7%	3.3%	3.5%	3.3%	3.2%	3.4%	3.0%	3.4%

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Rockingham County													
Labor Force	164,150	163,830	164,390	164,190	164,720	167,090	167,250	166,080	164,880	164,720	165,300	165,180	165,150
Employment	154,320	153,820	154,740	155,610	156,590	158,420	158,170	157,220	156,030	156,020	156,530	156,070	156,130
Unemployment	9,830	10,010	9,650	8,580	8,130	8,670	9,080	8,860	8,850	8,700	8,770	9,110	9,020
Rate	6.0%	6.1%	5.9%	5.2%	4.9%	5.2%	5.4%	5.3%	5.4%	5.3%	5.3%	5.5%	5.5%
Strafford County													
Labor Force	62,340	63,340	63,790	63,430	63,600	63,470	63,360	62,970	63,540	63,870	64,490	63,860	63,500
Employment	59,550	60,390	60,820	60,880	60,970	60,600	60,470	60,140	60,880	61,180	61,700	61,360	60,740
Unemployment	2,790	2,950	2,970	2,550	2,630	2,870	2,890	2,830	2,660	2,690	2,790	2,500	2,760
Rate	4.5%	4.7%	4.7%	4.0%	4.1%	4.5%	4.6%	4.5%	4.2%	4.2%	4.3%	3.9%	4.3%
Sullivan County													
Labor Force	21,450	21,330	21,340	21,190	21,230	21,800	22,010	21,860	21,380	21,380	21,370	21,180	21,460
Employment	20,760	20,650	20,660	20,530	20,590	21,050	21,340	21,120	20,690	20,730	20,670	20,570	20,780
Unemployment	690	680	680	660	640	750	670	740	690	650	700	610	680
Rate	3.2%	3.2%	3.2%	3.1%	3.0%	3.4%	3.0%	3.4%	3.2%	3.1%	3.3%	2.9%	3.2%
Belmont NH LMA													
Labor Force	10,350	10,350	10,390	10,440	10,720	11,300	12,030	11,790	11,040	10,810	10,630	10,590	10,870
Employment	9,910	9,890	9,930	10,040	10,360	10,870	11,610	11,350	10,640	10,420	10,220	10,220	10,450
Unemployment	440	460	460	400	360	430	420	440	400	390	410	370	420
Rate	4.3%	4.4%	4.5%	3.8%	3.4%	3.8%	3.4%	3.7%	3.6%	3.6%	3.9%	3.5%	3.8%
Berlin NH MicroNECTA													
Labor Force	8,100	8,030	7,970	7,710	7,880	8,120	8,150	8,110	7,970	7,890	7,720	7,650	7,940
Employment	6,940	6,910	6,950	6,820	7,120	7,480	7,570	7,570	7,430	7,370	7,210	7,150	7,210
Unemployment	1,160	1,120	1,020	890	760	640	580	540	540	520	510	500	730
Rate	14.3%	14.0%	12.8%	11.5%	9.7%	7.9%	7.1%	6.6%	6.8%	6.6%	6.7%	6.5%	9.2%
Charlestown NH LMA													
Labor Force	6,280	6,290	6,330	6,280	6,260	6,350	6,330	6,360	6,280	6,290	6,310	6,260	6,300
Employment	6,080	6,090	6,100	6,070	6,060	6,140	6,140	6,110	6,040	6,080	6,080	6,060	6,090
Unemployment	200	200	230	210	200	210	190	250	240	210	230	200	210
Rate	3.2%	3.2%	3.6%	3.3%	3.1%	3.3%	3.0%	3.9%	3.7%	3.3%	3.6%	3.1%	3.4%
Claremont-Newport NH LMA													
Labor Force	12,990	12,930	12,910	12,830	12,900	13,280	13,380	13,280	13,000	12,970	12,910	12,760	13,010
Employment	12,570	12,510	12,510	12,430	12,480	12,790	12,940	12,810	12,560	12,550	12,470	12,360	12,580
Unemployment	420	420	400	400	420	490	440	470	440	420	440	400	430
Rate	3.2%	3.2%	3.1%	3.1%	3.3%	3.7%	3.3%	3.5%	3.4%	3.2%	3.4%	3.1%	3.3%
Colebrook NH-VT LMA, NH Portion													
Labor Force	3,140	3,070	3,070	2,790	2,800	3,040	3,080	3,060	3,010	2,930	2,770	2,860	2,970
Employment	3,030	2,960	2,960	2,600	2,690	2,930	2,990	2,960	2,910	2,830	2,590	2,630	2,840
Unemployment	110	110	110	190	110	110	90	100	100	100	180	230	130
Rate	3.4%	3.6%	3.6%	6.9%	4.0%	3.5%	2.9%	3.3%	3.2%	3.4%	6.6%	7.9%	4.3%

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Colebrook NH-VT LMA (NH & VT)													
Labor Force	4,050	3,970	3,970	3,610	3,650	3,960	4,020	3,990	3,920	3,810	3,580	3,670	3,850
Employment	3,920	3,840	3,840	3,390	3,510	3,820	3,900	3,860	3,790	3,690	3,370	3,420	3,700
Unemployment	130	130	130	220	140	140	120	130	130	120	210	250	150
Rate	3.2%	3.2%	3.3%	6.0%	3.8%	3.4%	2.9%	3.2%	3.2%	3.2%	5.9%	6.8%	4.0%
Concord NH MicroNECTA													
Labor Force	43,110	43,100	43,350	43,490	43,750	44,080	45,560	45,340	44,130	43,700	44,000	43,650	43,940
Employment	41,660	41,600	41,870	42,170	42,330	42,480	44,080	43,780	42,710	42,320	42,580	42,390	42,500
Unemployment	1,450	1,500	1,480	1,320	1,420	1,600	1,480	1,560	1,420	1,380	1,420	1,260	1,440
Rate	3.4%	3.5%	3.4%	3.0%	3.2%	3.6%	3.2%	3.4%	3.2%	3.2%	3.2%	2.9%	3.3%
Conway NH-ME LMA, NH Portion													
Labor Force	11,880	11,790	11,780	11,370	11,540	12,470	13,440	13,470	12,430	12,160	11,710	11,920	12,160
Employment	11,440	11,370	11,330	10,940	11,130	12,040	13,100	13,100	12,100	11,830	11,320	11,560	11,770
Unemployment	440	420	450	430	410	430	340	370	330	330	390	360	390
Rate	3.7%	3.6%	3.8%	3.8%	3.6%	3.4%	2.6%	2.8%	2.7%	2.7%	3.3%	3.1%	3.2%
Conway NH-ME LMA (NH & ME)													
Labor Force	15,480	15,390	15,360	14,810	15,010	16,220	17,550	17,620	16,260	15,920	15,270	15,610	15,870
Employment	14,930	14,840	14,780	14,260	14,480	15,650	17,030	17,070	15,780	15,460	14,730	15,090	15,340
Unemployment	550	550	580	550	530	570	520	550	480	460	540	520	530
Rate	3.6%	3.5%	3.8%	3.7%	3.6%	3.5%	2.9%	3.1%	2.9%	2.9%	3.6%	3.3%	3.4%
Dover-Durham NH-ME MetroNECTA, NH Portion													
Labor Force	62,340	63,340	63,790	63,430	63,600	63,470	63,360	62,970	63,540	63,870	64,490	63,860	63,500
Employment	59,550	60,390	60,820	60,880	60,970	60,600	60,470	60,140	60,880	61,180	61,700	61,360	60,740
Unemployment	2,790	2,950	2,970	2,550	2,630	2,870	2,890	2,830	2,660	2,690	2,790	2,500	2,760
Rate	4.5%	4.7%	4.7%	4.0%	4.1%	4.5%	4.6%	4.5%	4.2%	4.2%	4.3%	3.9%	4.3%
Dover-Durham NH-ME MetroNECTA (NH & ME)													
Labor Force	72,370	73,490	73,990	73,670	73,800	73,630	73,720	73,320	73,880	74,350	74,960	74,350	73,790
Employment	69,090	70,110	70,600	70,640	70,720	70,240	70,080	69,790	70,660	71,080	71,540	71,220	70,480
Unemployment	3,280	3,380	3,390	3,030	3,080	3,390	3,640	3,530	3,220	3,270	3,420	3,130	3,310
Rate	4.5%	4.6%	4.6%	4.1%	4.2%	4.6%	4.9%	4.8%	4.4%	4.4%	4.6%	4.2%	4.5%
Franklin NH LMA													
Labor Force	11,110	11,120	11,130	10,970	11,000	11,410	11,750	11,560	11,180	11,190	11,100	11,170	11,220
Employment	10,540	10,500	10,520	10,530	10,580	10,900	11,320	11,100	10,760	10,800	10,670	10,710	10,740
Unemployment	570	620	610	440	420	510	430	460	420	390	430	460	480
Rate	5.2%	5.6%	5.5%	4.0%	3.8%	4.4%	3.7%	4.0%	3.7%	3.4%	3.9%	4.1%	4.3%
Haverhill NH LMA													
Labor Force	3,070	3,010	3,000	3,020	3,010	3,090	3,150	3,220	3,050	3,060	3,050	3,030	3,060
Employment	2,970	2,900	2,900	2,910	2,900	2,970	3,050	3,100	2,940	2,970	2,950	2,940	2,960
Unemployment	100	110	100	110	110	120	100	120	110	90	100	90	100
Rate	3.1%	3.7%	3.3%	3.6%	3.8%	4.0%	3.2%	3.8%	3.6%	2.8%	3.1%	2.8%	3.4%

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Hillsborough NH LMA													
Labor Force	7,320	7,420	7,360	7,060	7,010	7,030	7,110	7,130	7,000	7,030	7,180	7,320	7,170
Employment	7,080	7,170	7,110	6,820	6,790	6,760	6,860	6,870	6,760	6,800	6,890	7,090	6,920
Unemployment	240	250	250	240	220	270	250	260	240	230	290	230	250
Rate	3.3%	3.3%	3.3%	3.3%	3.2%	3.9%	3.5%	3.7%	3.4%	3.3%	4.0%	3.2%	3.4%
Hinsdale Town, NH Portion, Brattleboro VT-NH LMA													
Labor Force	2,460	2,420	2,430	2,350	2,340	2,390	2,450	2,380	2,380	2,450	2,410	2,430	2,410
Employment	2,370	2,350	2,350	2,270	2,260	2,290	2,360	2,300	2,310	2,360	2,330	2,360	2,330
Unemployment	90	70	80	80	80	100	90	80	70	90	80	70	80
Rate	3.5%	2.8%	3.3%	3.5%	3.5%	4.2%	3.7%	3.3%	2.8%	3.5%	3.3%	2.8%	3.4%
Keene NH MicroNECTA													
Labor Force	26,220	26,480	26,570	26,560	26,420	26,840	27,110	27,400	26,640	26,910	26,920	26,750	26,730
Employment	25,320	25,520	25,700	25,620	25,520	25,870	26,250	26,460	25,720	26,100	26,060	25,930	25,840
Unemployment	900	960	870	940	900	970	860	940	920	810	860	820	890
Rate	3.4%	3.6%	3.3%	3.5%	3.4%	3.6%	3.2%	3.4%	3.4%	3.0%	3.2%	3.0%	3.3%
Laconia NH MicroNECTA													
Labor Force	11,680	11,590	11,650	11,660	12,000	12,760	13,330	13,080	12,310	12,070	11,810	11,770	12,140
Employment	11,120	11,060	11,110	11,210	11,570	12,190	12,900	12,610	11,880	11,660	11,390	11,360	11,670
Unemployment	560	530	540	450	430	570	430	470	430	410	420	410	470
Rate	4.8%	4.6%	4.6%	3.8%	3.5%	4.4%	3.3%	3.6%	3.5%	3.4%	3.6%	3.5%	3.9%
Lebanon NH-VT MicroNECTA, NH Portion													
Labor Force	24,320	24,150	24,240	24,240	24,260	24,900	25,770	25,570	24,580	24,840	24,950	24,900	24,730
Employment	23,750	23,590	23,670	23,650	23,700	24,230	25,190	24,950	24,010	24,270	24,340	24,420	24,150
Unemployment	570	560	570	590	560	670	580	620	570	570	610	480	580
Rate	2.3%	2.3%	2.3%	2.4%	2.3%	2.7%	2.2%	2.4%	2.3%	2.3%	2.4%	1.9%	2.3%
Lebanon NH-VT MicroNECTA (NH & VT)													
Labor Force	44,730	44,630	44,850	44,970	45,190	46,370	47,940	47,720	45,810	46,150	46,280	46,250	45,910
Employment	43,610	43,520	43,710	43,860	44,190	45,150	46,860	46,580	44,740	45,140	45,170	45,290	44,820
Unemployment	1,120	1,110	1,140	1,110	1,000	1,220	1,080	1,140	1,070	1,010	1,110	960	1,090
Rate	2.5%	2.5%	2.5%	2.5%	2.2%	2.6%	2.3%	2.4%	2.3%	2.2%	2.4%	2.1%	2.4%
Littleton NH-VT LMA, NH Portion													
Labor Force	13,110	12,980	12,970	12,630	12,730	13,160	13,730	13,670	12,930	12,770	12,680	12,760	13,020
Employment	12,660	12,480	12,440	12,040	12,130	12,680	13,210	13,220	12,540	12,380	12,140	12,270	12,520
Unemployment	450	500	530	590	600	480	520	450	390	390	540	490	500
Rate	3.4%	3.9%	4.1%	4.7%	4.7%	3.7%	3.8%	3.3%	3.0%	3.1%	4.3%	3.8%	3.8%
Littleton NH-VT LMA (NH & VT)													
Labor Force	14,000	13,850	13,830	13,480	13,610	14,090	14,690	14,630	13,840	13,660	13,540	13,620	13,910
Employment	13,490	13,310	13,270	12,860	12,960	13,550	14,120	14,130	13,400	13,230	12,960	13,100	13,370
Unemployment	510	540	560	620	650	540	570	500	440	430	580	520	540
Rate	3.6%	3.9%	4.1%	4.6%	4.8%	3.8%	3.8%	3.4%	3.2%	3.2%	4.3%	3.8%	3.9%

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Manchester NH MetroNECTA													
Labor Force	107,380	107,030	107,690	107,220	107,090	108,310	108,120	108,640	107,140	107,810	108,560	108,040	107,750
Employment	102,570	102,260	102,940	102,970	102,840	103,670	103,700	103,980	102,720	103,520	104,120	103,850	103,260
Unemployment	4,810	4,770	4,750	4,250	4,250	4,640	4,420	4,660	4,420	4,290	4,440	4,190	4,490
Rate	4.5%	4.5%	4.4%	4.0%	4.0%	4.3%	4.1%	4.3%	4.1%	4.0%	4.1%	3.9%	4.2%
Meredith NH LMA													
Labor Force	7,160	7,120	7,200	7,180	7,500	7,980	8,480	8,420	7,720	7,580	7,350	7,290	7,580
Employment	6,880	6,840	6,910	6,910	7,240	7,680	8,240	8,160	7,490	7,360	7,110	7,070	7,320
Unemployment	280	280	290	270	260	300	240	260	230	220	240	220	260
Rate	3.9%	3.9%	4.0%	3.8%	3.5%	3.7%	2.8%	3.1%	3.0%	2.9%	3.3%	3.0%	3.4%
Nashua NH-MA NECTA Division, NH Portion													
Labor Force	153,780	152,920	153,320	152,680	153,010	154,330	152,310	151,810	152,810	153,330	153,770	154,130	153,190
Employment	144,960	144,040	144,690	144,790	145,480	146,400	144,260	143,430	144,690	145,380	145,870	146,200	145,020
Unemployment	8,820	8,880	8,630	7,890	7,530	7,930	8,050	8,380	8,120	7,950	7,900	7,930	8,170
Rate	5.7%	5.8%	5.6%	5.2%	4.9%	5.1%	5.3%	5.5%	5.3%	5.2%	5.1%	5.1%	5.3%
Nashua NH-MA NECTA Division (NH & MA)													
Labor Force	161,860	161,000	161,390	160,680	161,070	162,510	160,390	160,010	160,970	161,580	162,010	162,330	161,320
Employment	152,600	151,710	152,350	152,440	153,150	154,130	151,870	151,060	152,340	153,100	153,580	153,930	152,690
Unemployment	9,260	9,290	9,040	8,240	7,920	8,380	8,520	8,950	8,630	8,480	8,430	8,400	8,630
Rate	5.7%	5.8%	5.6%	5.1%	4.9%	5.2%	5.3%	5.6%	5.4%	5.2%	5.2%	5.2%	5.3%
New London NH LMA													
Labor Force	7,880	7,880	7,820	7,720	7,570	7,650	8,100	8,230	7,800	7,680	7,620	7,850	7,820
Employment	7,640	7,640	7,610	7,510	7,330	7,370	7,850	7,960	7,540	7,450	7,370	7,640	7,580
Unemployment	240	240	210	210	240	280	250	270	260	230	250	210	240
Rate	3.1%	3.1%	2.7%	2.7%	3.1%	3.6%	3.1%	3.3%	3.3%	3.0%	3.2%	2.6%	3.1%
Pelham Town, NH Portion, Lowell-Billerica-Chelmsford MA-NH NECTA Division													
Labor Force	6,830	6,840	6,860	6,790	6,750	6,760	6,810	6,730	6,690	6,760	6,740	6,740	6,770
Employment	6,280	6,270	6,290	6,320	6,310	6,340	6,360	6,300	6,220	6,270	6,260	6,200	6,280
Unemployment	550	570	570	470	440	420	450	430	470	490	480	540	490
Rate	8.1%	8.4%	8.3%	7.0%	6.5%	6.3%	6.7%	6.4%	7.1%	7.2%	7.1%	7.9%	7.2%
Peterborough NH LMA													
Labor Force	16,310	16,310	16,450	16,330	16,380	16,910	16,990	17,100	16,670	16,850	16,790	16,720	16,650
Employment	15,640	15,590	15,730	15,680	15,750	16,200	16,310	16,350	16,000	16,200	16,110	16,080	15,970
Unemployment	670	720	720	650	630	710	680	750	670	650	680	640	680
Rate	4.1%	4.4%	4.4%	4.0%	3.9%	4.2%	4.0%	4.4%	4.0%	3.9%	4.1%	3.9%	4.1%
Plymouth NH LMA													
Labor Force	14,560	14,660	14,570	13,900	14,130	14,820	15,250	15,250	14,550	14,980	14,710	14,730	14,680
Employment	14,020	14,100	14,030	13,380	13,560	14,250	14,790	14,730	14,080	14,530	14,170	14,290	14,160
Unemployment	540	560	540	520	570	570	460	520	470	450	540	440	520
Rate	3.7%	3.8%	3.7%	3.7%	4.1%	3.8%	3.0%	3.4%	3.2%	3.0%	3.6%	3.0%	3.5%

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Portsmouth NH-ME MetroNECTA, NH Portion													
Labor Force	50,930	51,020	51,450	51,650	52,160	53,180	53,720	53,200	52,250	52,030	52,130	51,880	52,140
Employment	48,610	48,660	49,020	49,580	50,100	50,980	51,350	51,050	50,160	49,940	50,020	49,750	49,940
Unemployment	2,320	2,360	2,430	2,070	2,060	2,200	2,370	2,150	2,090	2,090	2,110	2,130	2,200
Rate	4.6%	4.6%	4.7%	4.0%	3.9%	4.1%	4.4%	4.0%	4.0%	4.0%	4.0%	4.1%	4.2%
Portsmouth NH-ME MetroNECTA (NH & ME)													
Labor Force	65,940	66,050	66,680	67,280	68,280	70,000	71,250	70,660	68,960	68,570	68,010	67,580	68,270
Employment	63,070	63,180	63,720	64,730	65,740	67,250	68,210	67,870	66,270	65,830	65,280	64,870	65,500
Unemployment	2,870	2,870	2,960	2,550	2,540	2,750	3,040	2,790	2,690	2,740	2,730	2,710	2,770
Rate	4.4%	4.3%	4.4%	3.8%	3.7%	3.9%	4.3%	3.9%	3.9%	4.0%	4.0%	4.0%	4.1%
Raymond NH LMA													
Labor Force	12,330	12,360	12,400	12,340	12,370	12,430	12,510	12,460	12,380	12,410	12,480	12,500	12,420
Employment	11,690	11,680	11,750	11,780	11,830	11,860	11,940	11,860	11,830	11,830	11,890	11,870	11,820
Unemployment	640	680	650	560	540	570	570	600	550	580	590	630	600
Rate	5.2%	5.5%	5.3%	4.6%	4.3%	4.6%	4.6%	4.8%	4.4%	4.7%	4.7%	5.0%	4.8%
Salem Town, NH Portion, Lawrence-Methuen-Salem MA-NH NECTA Division													
Labor Force	17,130	17,020	16,970	16,920	16,880	17,240	17,230	17,100	17,030	17,030	17,120	17,140	17,070
Employment	15,740	15,620	15,690	15,780	15,850	16,120	16,070	15,990	15,850	15,820	15,900	15,830	15,860
Unemployment	1,390	1,400	1,280	1,140	1,030	1,120	1,160	1,110	1,180	1,210	1,220	1,310	1,210
Rate	8.1%	8.2%	7.5%	6.7%	6.1%	6.5%	6.7%	6.5%	6.9%	7.1%	7.1%	7.6%	7.1%
Seabrook-Hampstead Area, NH Portion, Haverhill-Newburyport-Amesbury MA-NH NECTA Division													
Labor Force	35,620	35,550	35,570	35,440	35,430	35,860	35,950	35,580	35,190	35,100	35,220	35,240	35,480
Employment	32,990	32,840	33,050	33,220	33,370	33,710	33,690	33,410	32,980	32,980	33,100	32,920	33,190
Unemployment	2,630	2,710	2,520	2,220	2,060	2,150	2,260	2,170	2,210	2,120	2,120	2,320	2,290
Rate	7.4%	7.6%	7.1%	6.3%	5.8%	6.0%	6.3%	6.1%	6.3%	6.0%	6.0%	6.6%	6.5%
Wolfeboro NH LMA													
Labor Force	9,100	9,140	9,220	9,160	9,390	9,970	10,730	10,500	9,790	9,530	9,310	9,360	9,600
Employment	8,680	8,710	8,740	8,710	8,990	9,530	10,320	10,120	9,410	9,190	8,940	9,040	9,200
Unemployment	420	430	480	450	400	440	410	380	380	340	370	320	400
Rate	4.6%	4.7%	5.2%	4.9%	4.3%	4.4%	3.8%	3.6%	3.8%	3.6%	4.0%	3.4%	4.2%
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Amherst Town													
Labor Force	5,850	5,820	5,860	5,850	5,850	5,890	5,810	5,810	5,880	5,900	5,900	5,870	5,860
Employment	5,600	5,560	5,590	5,590	5,620	5,650	5,570	5,540	5,590	5,610	5,630	5,640	5,600
Unemployment	250	260	270	260	230	240	240	270	290	290	270	230	260
Rate	4.3%	4.5%	4.5%	4.4%	4.0%	4.1%	4.2%	4.6%	4.9%	4.8%	4.5%	3.9%	4.4%
Atkinson Town													
Labor Force	3,890	3,880	3,880	3,870	3,880	3,930	3,930	3,910	3,890	3,860	3,860	3,870	3,890
Employment	3,600	3,580	3,610	3,620	3,640	3,680	3,670	3,640	3,600	3,600	3,610	3,590	3,620
Unemployment	290	300	270	250	240	250	260	270	290	260	250	280	270
Rate	7.6%	7.7%	6.9%	6.4%	6.1%	6.3%	6.7%	6.8%	7.3%	6.8%	6.4%	7.3%	6.8%

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Barrington Town													
Labor Force	4,490	4,550	4,600	4,590	4,590	4,600	4,600	4,550	4,600	4,640	4,690	4,630	4,590
Employment	4,320	4,380	4,410	4,410	4,420	4,390	4,380	4,360	4,410	4,430	4,470	4,450	4,400
Unemployment	170	170	190	180	170	210	220	190	190	210	220	180	190
Rate	3.8%	3.8%	4.1%	3.9%	3.7%	4.5%	4.9%	4.1%	4.1%	4.5%	4.7%	3.9%	4.2%
Bedford Town													
Labor Force	10,370	10,320	10,390	10,370	10,370	10,500	10,450	10,510	10,390	10,490	10,550	10,490	10,430
Employment	9,970	9,940	10,010	10,000	9,990	10,070	10,050	10,080	9,970	10,060	10,120	10,090	10,030
Unemployment	400	380	380	370	380	430	400	430	420	430	430	400	400
Rate	3.9%	3.6%	3.6%	3.5%	3.7%	4.1%	3.8%	4.1%	4.1%	4.1%	4.1%	3.8%	3.9%
Belmont Town													
Labor Force	3,990	3,990	3,990	3,990	4,100	4,370	4,580	4,500	4,230	4,140	4,060	4,030	4,160
Employment	3,820	3,800	3,820	3,850	3,970	4,190	4,430	4,330	4,080	4,010	3,910	3,900	4,010
Unemployment	170	190	170	140	130	180	150	170	150	130	150	130	150
Rate	4.1%	4.7%	4.4%	3.5%	3.2%	4.1%	3.2%	3.8%	3.4%	3.2%	3.7%	3.2%	3.7%
Berlin City													
Labor Force	4,920	4,890	4,840	4,630	4,740	4,910	4,920	4,870	4,790	4,750	4,620	4,580	4,780
Employment	4,140	4,130	4,150	4,070	4,250	4,460	4,520	4,520	4,430	4,400	4,300	4,270	4,300
Unemployment	780	760	690	560	490	450	400	350	360	350	320	310	480
Rate	15.9%	15.5%	14.3%	12.1%	10.3%	9.1%	8.1%	7.1%	7.5%	7.4%	6.9%	6.8%	10.1%
Bow Town													
Labor Force	3,950	3,940	3,960	4,000	4,020	4,060	4,190	4,160	4,040	4,010	4,020	4,010	4,030
Employment	3,830	3,820	3,850	3,880	3,890	3,900	4,050	4,020	3,930	3,890	3,910	3,900	3,910
Unemployment	120	120	110	120	130	160	140	140	110	120	110	110	120
Rate	2.9%	3.1%	2.9%	3.0%	3.2%	3.8%	3.3%	3.3%	2.8%	2.9%	2.8%	2.7%	3.1%
Charlestown Town													
Labor Force	2,530	2,500	2,530	2,500	2,470	2,520	2,480	2,460	2,460	2,440	2,440	2,430	2,480
Employment	2,430	2,410	2,410	2,390	2,390	2,430	2,390	2,350	2,360	2,360	2,360	2,360	2,390
Unemployment	100	90	120	110	80	90	90	110	100	80	80	70	90
Rate	4.0%	3.8%	4.6%	4.4%	3.3%	3.4%	3.5%	4.4%	3.9%	3.4%	3.1%	2.9%	3.7%
Claremont City													
Labor Force	6,690	6,660	6,630	6,590	6,590	6,720	6,610	6,510	6,520	6,510	6,520	6,510	6,580
Employment	6,480	6,440	6,430	6,380	6,370	6,470	6,380	6,270	6,290	6,290	6,300	6,290	6,360
Unemployment	210	220	200	210	220	250	230	240	230	220	220	220	220
Rate	3.2%	3.2%	3.0%	3.2%	3.3%	3.7%	3.4%	3.7%	3.5%	3.4%	3.4%	3.3%	3.4%
Colebrook Town													
Labor Force	1,340	1,320	1,320	1,210	1,210	1,310	1,320	1,310	1,290	1,260	1,210	1,250	1,280
Employment	1,300	1,270	1,270	1,120	1,160	1,260	1,290	1,270	1,250	1,220	1,110	1,130	1,220
Unemployment	40	50	50	90	50	50	30	40	40	40	100	120	60
Rate	3.0%	3.8%	3.8%	7.3%	4.0%	3.6%	2.4%	3.2%	2.7%	2.9%	8.1%	9.9%	4.5%

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Concord City													
Labor Force	21,200	21,180	21,340	21,420	21,570	21,740	22,440	22,360	21,750	21,550	21,680	21,500	21,650
Employment	20,530	20,500	20,640	20,790	20,870	20,940	21,720	21,580	21,050	20,860	20,990	20,900	20,950
Unemployment	670	680	700	630	700	800	720	780	700	690	690	600	700
Rate	3.1%	3.2%	3.3%	3.0%	3.2%	3.7%	3.2%	3.5%	3.2%	3.2%	3.2%	2.8%	3.2%
Conway Town													
Labor Force	5,110	5,070	5,050	4,870	4,930	5,330	5,750	5,750	5,330	5,220	5,020	5,140	5,220
Employment	4,920	4,890	4,870	4,690	4,750	5,150	5,600	5,600	5,190	5,070	4,850	4,970	5,050
Unemployment	190	180	180	180	180	180	150	150	140	150	170	170	170
Rate	3.7%	3.6%	3.6%	3.8%	3.7%	3.4%	2.5%	2.5%	2.7%	2.9%	3.5%	3.4%	3.2%
Derry Town													
Labor Force	19,950	19,770	19,830	19,750	19,750	19,960	19,740	19,660	19,820	19,940	20,000	20,050	19,850
Employment	18,590	18,470	18,550	18,570	18,650	18,770	18,490	18,390	18,550	18,640	18,700	18,750	18,590
Unemployment	1,360	1,300	1,280	1,180	1,100	1,190	1,250	1,270	1,270	1,300	1,300	1,300	1,260
Rate	6.8%	6.6%	6.4%	6.0%	5.5%	5.9%	6.3%	6.5%	6.4%	6.5%	6.5%	6.5%	6.3%
Dover City													
Labor Force	15,860	16,100	16,200	16,150	16,220	16,210	16,170	16,090	16,240	16,360	16,470	16,320	16,200
Employment	15,290	15,510	15,620	15,630	15,650	15,560	15,530	15,440	15,630	15,710	15,840	15,750	15,600
Unemployment	570	590	580	520	570	650	640	650	610	650	630	570	600
Rate	3.6%	3.7%	3.6%	3.2%	3.5%	4.0%	3.9%	4.0%	3.7%	4.0%	3.8%	3.5%	3.7%
Durham Town													
Labor Force	6,220	6,330	6,380	6,410	6,440	6,420	6,370	6,340	6,400	6,440	6,500	6,440	6,390
Employment	6,070	6,160	6,200	6,210	6,220	6,180	6,170	6,130	6,210	6,240	6,290	6,260	6,190
Unemployment	150	170	180	200	220	240	200	210	190	200	210	180	200
Rate	2.4%	2.7%	2.8%	3.2%	3.5%	3.8%	3.1%	3.3%	3.0%	3.1%	3.3%	2.8%	3.1%
Epping Town													
Labor Force	3,470	3,460	3,500	3,480	3,480	3,520	3,560	3,490	3,450	3,440	3,450	3,440	3,480
Employment	3,300	3,290	3,310	3,320	3,340	3,370	3,370	3,340	3,300	3,300	3,310	3,290	3,320
Unemployment	170	170	190	160	140	150	190	150	150	140	140	150	160
Rate	4.8%	5.0%	5.4%	4.6%	4.1%	4.3%	5.2%	4.3%	4.3%	4.0%	3.9%	4.3%	4.5%
Exeter Town													
Labor Force	7,700	7,690	7,740	7,710	7,720	7,840	7,910	7,750	7,650	7,650	7,680	7,670	7,730
Employment	7,340	7,310	7,350	7,390	7,420	7,500	7,500	7,430	7,340	7,340	7,370	7,330	7,390
Unemployment	360	380	390	320	300	340	410	320	310	310	310	340	340
Rate	4.7%	4.9%	5.0%	4.1%	3.9%	4.4%	5.1%	4.1%	4.0%	4.1%	4.1%	4.5%	4.4%
Farmington Town													
Labor Force	3,030	3,080	3,120	3,060	3,060	3,060	3,060	3,040	3,050	3,070	3,090	3,080	3,070
Employment	2,820	2,860	2,880	2,880	2,890	2,870	2,860	2,850	2,880	2,900	2,920	2,910	2,880
Unemployment	210	220	240	180	170	190	200	190	170	170	170	170	190
Rate	6.8%	7.2%	7.7%	6.0%	5.6%	6.2%	6.5%	6.2%	5.7%	5.5%	5.5%	5.7%	6.2%

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Franklin City													
Labor Force	4,280	4,260	4,270	4,260	4,260	4,390	4,530	4,420	4,300	4,280	4,280	4,290	4,320
Employment	4,030	4,000	4,020	4,070	4,080	4,180	4,350	4,240	4,130	4,110	4,080	4,090	4,120
Unemployment	250	260	250	190	180	210	180	180	170	170	200	200	200
Rate	5.8%	6.0%	5.7%	4.4%	4.1%	4.7%	3.9%	4.2%	4.0%	3.9%	4.7%	4.7%	4.7%
Gilford Town													
Labor Force	3,490	3,470	3,480	3,480	3,590	3,800	3,990	3,920	3,710	3,630	3,560	3,540	3,640
Employment	3,350	3,330	3,340	3,370	3,480	3,670	3,880	3,790	3,580	3,510	3,430	3,420	3,510
Unemployment	140	140	140	110	110	130	110	130	130	120	130	120	130
Rate	4.0%	4.0%	4.0%	3.2%	3.1%	3.5%	2.7%	3.3%	3.4%	3.4%	3.7%	3.3%	3.5%
Goffstown Town													
Labor Force	9,560	9,550	9,630	9,610	9,600	9,730	9,690	9,770	9,610	9,670	9,740	9,700	9,660
Employment	9,280	9,250	9,320	9,310	9,300	9,380	9,350	9,390	9,280	9,360	9,420	9,400	9,340
Unemployment	280	300	310	300	300	350	340	380	330	310	320	300	320
Rate	2.9%	3.1%	3.2%	3.1%	3.1%	3.6%	3.5%	3.9%	3.5%	3.2%	3.3%	3.0%	3.3%
Hampstead Town													
Labor Force	4,740	4,700	4,710	4,710	4,690	4,730	4,770	4,720	4,690	4,680	4,690	4,700	4,720
Employment	4,380	4,360	4,390	4,410	4,430	4,470	4,470	4,430	4,380	4,380	4,390	4,370	4,410
Unemployment	360	340	320	300	260	260	300	290	310	300	300	330	310
Rate	7.6%	7.2%	6.8%	6.4%	5.5%	5.5%	6.2%	6.2%	6.5%	6.5%	6.5%	7.1%	6.5%
Hampton Town													
Labor Force	8,470	8,470	8,510	8,590	8,700	8,920	9,020	8,980	8,790	8,710	8,710	8,700	8,710
Employment	7,980	7,990	8,050	8,180	8,310	8,510	8,610	8,570	8,360	8,300	8,290	8,250	8,280
Unemployment	490	480	460	410	390	410	410	410	430	410	420	450	430
Rate	5.8%	5.6%	5.4%	4.7%	4.5%	4.6%	4.6%	4.6%	4.9%	4.7%	4.8%	5.1%	5.0%
Hanover Town													
Labor Force	4,950	4,920	4,930	4,960	4,960	5,100	5,260	5,220	5,020	5,080	5,110	5,080	5,050
Employment	4,850	4,820	4,840	4,840	4,850	4,950	5,150	5,100	4,910	4,960	4,980	5,000	4,940
Unemployment	100	100	90	120	110	150	110	120	110	120	130	80	110
Rate	2.1%	2.0%	1.8%	2.3%	2.2%	2.9%	2.1%	2.3%	2.2%	2.3%	2.5%	1.6%	2.2%
Haverhill Town													
Labor Force	2,050	2,010	2,000	2,020	2,020	2,070	2,100	2,140	2,040	2,050	2,050	2,030	2,040
Employment	1,980	1,930	1,930	1,950	1,940	1,980	2,030	2,060	1,960	1,990	1,980	1,960	1,970
Unemployment	70	80	70	70	80	90	70	80	80	60	70	70	70
Rate	3.3%	3.9%	3.5%	3.2%	3.9%	4.1%	3.4%	3.9%	3.9%	3.1%	3.3%	3.2%	3.6%
Hillsborough Town													
Labor Force	2,600	2,640	2,600	2,500	2,470	2,470	2,500	2,510	2,460	2,460	2,520	2,580	2,530
Employment	2,480	2,520	2,490	2,390	2,370	2,360	2,390	2,400	2,360	2,370	2,410	2,490	2,420
Unemployment	120	120	110	110	100	110	110	110	100	90	110	90	110
Rate	4.4%	4.4%	4.2%	4.3%	4.0%	4.6%	4.2%	4.3%	4.1%	3.7%	4.4%	3.3%	4.2%

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Hollis Town													
Labor Force	3,790	3,770	3,780	3,760	3,790	3,830	3,780	3,770	3,830	3,850	3,850	3,850	3,810
Employment	3,620	3,600	3,620	3,620	3,640	3,660	3,610	3,580	3,620	3,640	3,650	3,660	3,630
Unemployment	170	170	160	140	150	170	170	190	210	210	200	190	180
Rate	4.6%	4.4%	4.1%	3.8%	4.0%	4.4%	4.4%	5.1%	5.4%	5.5%	5.2%	5.0%	4.7%
Hooksett Town													
Labor Force	7,090	7,060	7,120	7,110	7,090	7,180	7,140	7,190	7,090	7,110	7,170	7,110	7,120
Employment	6,820	6,800	6,850	6,850	6,830	6,890	6,870	6,900	6,820	6,880	6,920	6,900	6,860
Unemployment	270	260	270	260	260	290	270	290	270	230	250	210	260
Rate	3.8%	3.6%	3.8%	3.7%	3.7%	4.0%	3.8%	4.0%	3.8%	3.3%	3.4%	3.0%	3.7%
Hudson Town													
Labor Force	13,760	13,690	13,700	13,560	13,610	13,730	13,570	13,510	13,610	13,660	13,700	13,740	13,660
Employment	12,910	12,830	12,890	12,900	12,960	13,040	12,850	12,770	12,890	12,950	12,990	13,020	12,920
Unemployment	850	860	810	660	650	690	720	740	720	710	710	720	740
Rate	6.2%	6.3%	5.9%	4.9%	4.8%	5.0%	5.3%	5.5%	5.3%	5.2%	5.2%	5.2%	5.4%
Keene City													
Labor Force	11,750	11,900	11,950	11,950	11,890	12,090	12,210	12,350	12,000	12,130	12,120	12,050	12,030
Employment	11,410	11,500	11,580	11,550	11,500	11,660	11,830	11,920	11,590	11,760	11,740	11,680	11,640
Unemployment	340	400	370	400	390	430	380	430	410	370	380	370	390
Rate	2.9%	3.4%	3.1%	3.3%	3.3%	3.6%	3.1%	3.5%	3.4%	3.1%	3.2%	3.1%	3.2%
Kingston Town													
Labor Force	3,510	3,530	3,550	3,510	3,490	3,560	3,530	3,500	3,470	3,480	3,490	3,470	3,510
Employment	3,260	3,240	3,260	3,280	3,290	3,330	3,330	3,300	3,260	3,260	3,270	3,250	3,280
Unemployment	250	290	290	230	200	230	200	200	210	220	220	220	230
Rate	7.1%	8.3%	8.2%	6.6%	5.7%	6.6%	5.7%	5.6%	6.1%	6.2%	6.4%	6.3%	6.6%
Laconia City													
Labor Force	8,190	8,120	8,150	8,180	8,400	8,950	9,350	9,150	8,610	8,440	8,260	8,230	8,500
Employment	7,770	7,730	7,760	7,840	8,090	8,520	9,020	8,810	8,310	8,150	7,970	7,940	8,160
Unemployment	420	390	390	340	310	430	330	340	300	290	290	290	340
Rate	5.2%	4.8%	4.8%	4.1%	3.7%	4.8%	3.5%	3.7%	3.5%	3.4%	3.5%	3.6%	4.0%
Lebanon City													
Labor Force	7,420	7,380	7,410	7,400	7,430	7,610	7,870	7,820	7,510	7,590	7,610	7,590	7,550
Employment	7,260	7,210	7,240	7,230	7,250	7,410	7,700	7,620	7,340	7,420	7,440	7,470	7,380
Unemployment	160	170	170	170	180	200	170	200	170	170	170	120	170
Rate	2.2%	2.3%	2.3%	2.2%	2.4%	2.6%	2.1%	2.5%	2.2%	2.3%	2.2%	1.6%	2.3%
Litchfield Town													
Labor Force	4,600	4,560	4,580	4,550	4,540	4,560	4,510	4,530	4,550	4,570	4,590	4,630	4,560
Employment	4,340	4,310	4,330	4,340	4,360	4,380	4,320	4,290	4,330	4,350	4,370	4,380	4,340
Unemployment	260	250	250	210	180	180	190	240	220	220	220	250	220
Rate	5.7%	5.5%	5.4%	4.6%	4.0%	4.0%	4.3%	5.2%	4.7%	4.8%	4.8%	5.3%	4.9%

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Littleton Town													
Labor Force	3,370	3,350	3,330	3,230	3,280	3,380	3,510	3,510	3,320	3,310	3,250	3,260	3,340
Employment	3,270	3,220	3,210	3,110	3,130	3,270	3,410	3,410	3,230	3,200	3,130	3,170	3,230
Unemployment	100	130	120	120	150	110	100	100	90	110	120	90	110
Rate	2.8%	3.7%	3.7%	3.8%	4.5%	3.2%	2.8%	2.8%	2.8%	3.3%	3.7%	2.7%	3.3%
Londonderry Town													
Labor Force	13,740	13,680	13,710	13,680	13,730	13,860	13,650	13,660	13,760	13,720	13,780	13,830	13,730
Employment	13,020	12,930	12,990	13,000	13,060	13,140	12,950	12,880	12,990	13,050	13,100	13,130	13,020
Unemployment	720	750	720	680	670	720	700	780	770	670	680	700	710
Rate	5.3%	5.5%	5.2%	5.0%	4.8%	5.2%	5.2%	5.7%	5.6%	4.9%	4.9%	5.1%	5.2%
Manchester City													
Labor Force	59,310	59,130	59,450	59,080	58,970	59,660	59,390	59,670	58,890	59,350	59,760	59,540	59,350
Employment	56,290	56,110	56,480	56,470	56,380	56,850	56,720	56,920	56,270	56,780	57,110	56,970	56,610
Unemployment	3,020	3,020	2,970	2,610	2,590	2,810	2,670	2,750	2,620	2,570	2,650	2,570	2,740
Rate	5.1%	5.1%	5.0%	4.4%	4.4%	4.7%	4.5%	4.6%	4.4%	4.3%	4.4%	4.3%	4.6%
Meredith Town													
Labor Force	3,200	3,180	3,190	3,220	3,310	3,490	3,660	3,580	3,380	3,310	3,250	3,220	3,340
Employment	3,060	3,040	3,050	3,080	3,180	3,350	3,540	3,460	3,270	3,200	3,130	3,120	3,210
Unemployment	140	140	140	140	130	140	120	120	110	110	120	100	130
Rate	4.3%	4.4%	4.3%	4.2%	3.9%	4.0%	3.2%	3.4%	3.3%	3.2%	3.7%	3.1%	3.8%
Merrimack Town													
Labor Force	15,920	15,850	15,870	15,830	15,920	16,080	15,840	15,750	15,870	15,890	15,960	15,990	15,890
Employment	15,160	15,060	15,130	15,140	15,210	15,310	15,080	14,990	15,130	15,200	15,250	15,290	15,160
Unemployment	760	790	740	690	710	770	760	760	740	690	710	700	730
Rate	4.8%	5.0%	4.7%	4.4%	4.4%	4.8%	4.8%	4.8%	4.7%	4.4%	4.4%	4.4%	4.6%
Milford Town													
Labor Force	8,190	8,150	8,190	8,170	8,180	8,250	8,150	8,100	8,150	8,210	8,210	8,220	8,180
Employment	7,840	7,790	7,820	7,830	7,860	7,910	7,800	7,750	7,820	7,860	7,880	7,900	7,840
Unemployment	350	360	370	340	320	340	350	350	330	350	330	320	340
Rate	4.3%	4.5%	4.5%	4.2%	3.9%	4.1%	4.3%	4.3%	4.0%	4.2%	4.0%	3.8%	4.2%
Nashua City													
Labor Force	48,670	48,370	48,520	48,280	48,380	48,720	48,040	47,840	48,110	48,290	48,410	48,550	48,350
Employment	45,600	45,310	45,510	45,540	45,760	46,040	45,370	45,100	45,510	45,720	45,880	45,990	45,610
Unemployment	3,070	3,060	3,010	2,740	2,620	2,680	2,670	2,740	2,600	2,570	2,530	2,560	2,740
Rate	6.3%	6.3%	6.2%	5.7%	5.4%	5.5%	5.6%	5.7%	5.4%	5.3%	5.2%	5.3%	5.7%
New London Town													
Labor Force	1,870	1,870	1,860	1,850	1,800	1,820	1,920	1,960	1,860	1,820	1,800	1,850	1,860
Employment	1,820	1,820	1,810	1,790	1,740	1,740	1,860	1,890	1,790	1,760	1,740	1,810	1,800
Unemployment	50	50	50	60	60	80	60	70	70	60	60	40	60
Rate	2.8%	2.9%	2.7%	3.0%	3.4%	4.3%	3.2%	3.7%	3.8%	3.5%	3.5%	2.3%	3.3%

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Newmarket Town													
Labor Force	5,280	5,360	5,430	5,390	5,420	5,400	5,440	5,360	5,390	5,440	5,480	5,450	5,410
Employment	5,090	5,160	5,190	5,200	5,210	5,180	5,160	5,140	5,200	5,230	5,270	5,240	5,190
Unemployment	190	200	240	190	210	220	280	220	190	210	210	210	220
Rate	3.6%	3.8%	4.4%	3.6%	3.9%	4.1%	5.1%	4.2%	3.5%	3.9%	3.8%	3.9%	4.0%
Newport Town													
Labor Force	2,950	2,940	2,940	2,930	2,950	3,080	3,200	3,220	3,080	3,050	3,010	2,930	3,020
Employment	2,850	2,840	2,840	2,840	2,860	2,970	3,100	3,100	2,960	2,950	2,900	2,850	2,920
Unemployment	100	100	100	90	90	110	100	120	120	100	110	80	100
Rate	3.3%	3.2%	3.4%	3.0%	3.2%	3.6%	3.1%	3.6%	3.8%	3.4%	3.6%	2.7%	3.3%
Pelham Town													
Labor Force	6,830	6,840	6,860	6,790	6,750	6,760	6,810	6,730	6,690	6,760	6,740	6,740	6,770
Employment	6,280	6,270	6,290	6,320	6,310	6,340	6,360	6,300	6,220	6,270	6,260	6,200	6,280
Unemployment	550	570	570	470	440	420	450	430	470	490	480	540	490
Rate	8.1%	8.4%	8.3%	7.0%	6.5%	6.3%	6.7%	6.4%	7.1%	7.2%	7.1%	7.9%	7.2%
Pembroke Town													
Labor Force	4,220	4,180	4,230	4,220	4,220	4,260	4,400	4,380	4,260	4,210	4,250	4,210	4,250
Employment	4,030	4,020	4,050	4,080	4,090	4,110	4,260	4,230	4,130	4,090	4,120	4,100	4,110
Unemployment	190	160	180	140	130	150	140	150	130	120	130	110	140
Rate	4.4%	3.9%	4.1%	3.3%	3.2%	3.5%	3.2%	3.4%	3.0%	2.8%	3.1%	2.7%	3.4%
Peterborough Town													
Labor Force	2,700	2,710	2,720	2,720	2,740	2,830	2,840	2,870	2,800	2,830	2,810	2,800	2,780
Employment	2,620	2,610	2,630	2,620	2,640	2,720	2,730	2,740	2,680	2,710	2,700	2,690	2,670
Unemployment	80	100	90	100	100	110	110	130	120	120	110	110	110
Rate	3.0%	3.5%	3.4%	3.7%	3.7%	3.9%	3.8%	4.4%	4.3%	4.2%	4.0%	3.8%	3.8%
Plaistow Town													
Labor Force	4,590	4,590	4,540	4,530	4,520	4,580	4,580	4,530	4,520	4,470	4,480	4,470	4,530
Employment	4,170	4,150	4,170	4,190	4,210	4,260	4,250	4,220	4,170	4,170	4,180	4,160	4,190
Unemployment	420	440	370	340	310	320	330	310	350	300	300	310	340
Rate	9.1%	9.6%	8.1%	7.6%	6.9%	7.0%	7.2%	6.9%	7.7%	6.7%	6.7%	7.0%	7.5%
Plymouth Town													
Labor Force	3,110	3,130	3,130	2,990	3,040	3,200	3,290	3,300	3,150	3,250	3,180	3,190	3,170
Employment	3,030	3,050	3,040	2,890	2,930	3,090	3,200	3,190	3,050	3,150	3,070	3,100	3,070
Unemployment	80	80	90	100	110	110	90	110	100	100	110	90	100
Rate	2.6%	2.6%	2.7%	3.2%	3.5%	3.6%	2.9%	3.4%	3.1%	3.1%	3.3%	2.9%	3.1%
Portsmouth City													
Labor Force	12,400	12,410	12,520	12,630	12,830	13,160	13,330	13,250	12,940	12,830	12,800	12,750	12,820
Employment	11,850	11,860	11,950	12,140	12,320	12,630	12,780	12,720	12,410	12,310	12,300	12,240	12,290
Unemployment	550	550	570	490	510	530	550	530	530	520	500	510	530
Rate	4.4%	4.4%	4.5%	3.8%	3.9%	4.0%	4.2%	4.0%	4.1%	4.1%	3.9%	4.0%	4.1%

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Raymond Town													
Labor Force	5,700	5,670	5,670	5,630	5,650	5,700	5,660	5,620	5,620	5,690	5,720	5,780	5,680
Employment	5,360	5,320	5,340	5,350	5,370	5,410	5,330	5,300	5,340	5,370	5,390	5,400	5,360
Unemployment	340	350	330	280	280	290	330	320	280	320	330	380	320
Rate	5.9%	6.2%	5.8%	5.0%	4.9%	5.1%	5.7%	5.7%	4.9%	5.6%	5.8%	6.5%	5.6%
Rochester City													
Labor Force	15,460	15,740	15,800	15,630	15,670	15,610	15,650	15,530	15,660	15,700	15,880	15,720	15,670
Employment	14,580	14,780	14,890	14,900	14,930	14,830	14,800	14,720	14,910	14,980	15,100	15,020	14,870
Unemployment	880	960	910	730	740	780	850	810	750	720	780	700	800
Rate	5.7%	6.1%	5.8%	4.7%	4.7%	5.0%	5.4%	5.2%	4.8%	4.6%	4.9%	4.4%	5.1%
Salem Town													
Labor Force	17,130	17,020	16,970	16,920	16,880	17,240	17,230	17,100	17,030	17,030	17,120	17,140	17,070
Employment	15,740	15,620	15,690	15,780	15,850	16,120	16,070	15,990	15,850	15,820	15,900	15,830	15,860
Unemployment	1,390	1,400	1,280	1,140	1,030	1,120	1,160	1,110	1,180	1,210	1,220	1,310	1,210
Rate	8.1%	8.2%	7.5%	6.7%	6.1%	6.5%	6.7%	6.5%	6.9%	7.1%	7.1%	7.6%	7.1%
Sandown Town													
Labor Force	3,090	3,050	3,100	3,040	3,080	3,100	3,100	3,080	3,020	3,050	3,050	3,050	3,070
Employment	2,850	2,830	2,850	2,860	2,880	2,910	2,910	2,880	2,840	2,840	2,850	2,840	2,860
Unemployment	240	220	250	180	200	190	190	200	180	210	200	210	210
Rate	7.7%	7.3%	7.9%	6.0%	6.4%	6.0%	6.0%	6.4%	6.0%	7.0%	6.6%	6.7%	6.7%
Seabrook Town													
Labor Force	4,900	4,900	4,880	4,810	4,810	4,880	4,890	4,840	4,800	4,750	4,770	4,800	4,830
Employment	4,450	4,430	4,460	4,480	4,500	4,550	4,540	4,500	4,450	4,450	4,460	4,440	4,470
Unemployment	450	470	420	330	310	330	350	340	350	300	310	360	360
Rate	9.1%	9.7%	8.5%	6.8%	6.4%	6.7%	7.2%	7.0%	7.2%	6.4%	6.5%	7.6%	7.4%
Somersworth City													
Labor Force	6,140	6,220	6,280	6,200	6,210	6,200	6,190	6,160	6,230	6,240	6,360	6,290	6,220
Employment	5,790	5,870	5,910	5,910	5,920	5,890	5,880	5,840	5,920	5,940	5,990	5,960	5,900
Unemployment	350	350	370	290	290	310	310	320	310	300	370	330	320
Rate	5.7%	5.7%	5.8%	4.6%	4.7%	4.9%	5.0%	5.2%	4.9%	4.9%	5.8%	5.2%	5.2%
Stratham Town													
Labor Force	3,430	3,430	3,450	3,480	3,540	3,620	3,670	3,640	3,540	3,530	3,530	3,520	3,530
Employment	3,270	3,270	3,300	3,350	3,400	3,480	3,530	3,510	3,420	3,400	3,390	3,380	3,390
Unemployment	160	160	150	130	140	140	140	130	120	130	140	140	140
Rate	4.7%	4.7%	4.3%	3.8%	4.1%	3.8%	3.7%	3.5%	3.4%	3.8%	4.0%	3.9%	4.0%
Swansey Town													
Labor Force	3,700	3,710	3,720	3,710	3,700	3,770	3,810	3,830	3,730	3,770	3,760	3,740	3,750
Employment	3,550	3,580	3,600	3,590	3,570	3,620	3,680	3,710	3,600	3,660	3,650	3,630	3,620
Unemployment	150	130	120	120	130	150	130	120	130	110	110	110	130
Rate	4.0%	3.6%	3.3%	3.3%	3.5%	3.9%	3.4%	3.2%	3.6%	2.9%	2.8%	2.9%	3.4%

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<i>Note: All city and town unemployment rates are available on our web site at www.nhes.nh.gov/elmi/statistics/candt-arch.htm</i>													
Weare Town													
Labor Force	4,540	4,510	4,540	4,540	4,530	4,570	4,570	4,640	4,570	4,600	4,640	4,600	4,570
Employment	4,390	4,370	4,400	4,400	4,400	4,430	4,420	4,440	4,390	4,430	4,450	4,440	4,410
Unemployment	150	140	140	140	130	140	150	200	180	170	190	160	160
Rate	3.3%	3.2%	3.2%	3.0%	2.9%	3.1%	3.3%	4.2%	3.9%	3.7%	4.1%	3.5%	3.5%
Windham Town													
Labor Force	6,560	6,550	6,530	6,520	6,510	6,590	6,540	6,540	6,570	6,570	6,570	6,570	6,560
Employment	6,140	6,110	6,130	6,140	6,170	6,200	6,110	6,080	6,130	6,160	6,180	6,200	6,150
Unemployment	420	440	400	380	340	390	430	460	440	410	390	370	410
Rate	6.4%	6.7%	6.2%	5.8%	5.3%	5.9%	6.6%	7.1%	6.6%	6.2%	5.9%	5.6%	6.2%
Wolfboro Town													
Labor Force	2,740	2,750	2,770	2,790	2,970	3,200	3,540	3,410	3,080	2,970	2,880	2,890	3,000
Employment	2,630	2,640	2,650	2,690	2,860	3,080	3,440	3,310	2,980	2,870	2,770	2,800	2,890
Unemployment	110	110	120	100	110	120	100	100	100	100	110	90	110
Rate	4.0%	3.9%	4.2%	3.4%	3.5%	3.8%	2.9%	3.0%	3.2%	3.3%	3.7%	3.2%	3.5%

2002 Unemployment Rates*

UNITED STATES	6.3%	6.1%	6.1%	5.7%	5.5%	6.0%	5.9%	5.7%	5.4%	5.3%	5.6%	5.7%	5.8%
NEW ENGLAND	5.0%	4.9%	4.8%	4.6%	4.5%	4.9%	5.0%	4.8%	4.8%	4.6%	4.9%	4.9%	4.8%
CONNECTICUT	3.9%	3.9%	3.8%	3.8%	4.1%	4.4%	4.7%	4.7%	4.5%	4.6%	4.9%	4.7%	4.3%
MAINE	5.0%	4.9%	4.9%	4.5%	4.2%	4.2%	4.1%	3.6%	3.8%	3.9%	4.5%	4.6%	4.3%
MASSACHUSETTS	5.5%	5.3%	5.3%	5.0%	5.0%	5.5%	5.5%	5.3%	5.4%	5.0%	5.2%	5.2%	5.3%
NEW HAMPSHIRE	4.9%	4.9%	4.8%	4.4%	4.3%	4.5%	4.3%	4.4%	4.3%	4.2%	4.4%	4.2%	4.5%
RHODE ISLAND	5.9%	5.5%	5.3%	4.7%	4.7%	4.8%	5.2%	5.1%	4.6%	4.5%	4.6%	4.8%	5.0%
VERMONT	4.4%	4.4%	4.5%	4.2%	3.6%	3.9%	3.8%	3.8%	3.8%	3.4%	4.1%	4.0%	4.0%

*All estimates are by place of residence and are not seasonally adjusted.

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Seasonally Adjusted**													
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED													
NEW HAMPSHIRE													
Labor Force	699,530	700,110	700,660	701,180	701,680	702,230	702,850	703,500	704,050	704,380	704,420	704,260	
Employment	669,380	669,360	669,500	669,790	670,210	670,710	671,250	671,760	672,190	672,510	672,680	672,750	
Unemployment	30,150	30,750	31,160	31,390	31,470	31,520	31,600	31,740	31,860	31,870	31,740	31,510	
Rate	4.3%	4.4%	4.4%	4.5%	4.5%	4.5%	4.5%	4.5%	4.5%	4.5%	4.5%	4.5%	

Seasonally Adjusted Unemployment Rates:

UNITED STATES	5.7%	5.7%	5.7%	5.9%	5.8%	5.8%	5.8%	5.7%	5.7%	5.7%	5.9%	6.0%	
NEW ENGLAND	4.3%	4.4%	4.5%	4.6%	4.7%	4.8%	4.9%	5.0%	5.0%	5.1%	5.2%	5.2%	
CONNECTICUT	3.4%	3.6%	3.7%	3.9%	4.1%	4.3%	4.4%	4.6%	4.8%	5.0%	5.1%	5.3%	
MAINE	4.1%	4.2%	4.2%	4.3%	4.3%	4.3%	4.3%	4.4%	4.4%	4.5%	4.6%	4.7%	
MASSACHUSETTS	4.8%	5.0%	5.1%	5.2%	5.3%	5.3%	5.4%	5.4%	5.5%	5.5%	5.5%	5.6%	
NEW HAMPSHIRE	4.3%	4.4%	4.4%	4.5%	4.5%	4.5%	4.5%	4.5%	4.5%	4.5%	4.5%	4.5%	
RHODE ISLAND	4.8%	4.9%	4.9%	4.9%	4.9%	5.0%	5.0%	5.0%	5.1%	5.1%	5.2%	5.3%	
VERMONT	3.8%	3.8%	3.9%	3.9%	3.9%	4.0%	4.0%	4.0%	4.1%	4.2%	4.2%	4.3%	

**Seasonally adjusted rates are not available for substate areas.