

# 2005 New Hampshire Local Area Unemployment Statistics

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<b>New Hampshire</b>													
Labor Force	719,420	717,930	719,930	717,880	721,090	732,760	740,340	736,740	725,720	725,750	726,830	725,820	725,850
Employment	689,730	687,710	690,730	692,680	696,690	706,720	714,880	711,370	701,410	702,720	702,840	702,830	700,030
Unemployment	29,690	30,220	29,200	25,200	24,400	26,040	25,460	25,370	24,310	23,030	23,990	22,990	25,820
Rate	4.1%	4.2%	4.1%	3.5%	3.4%	3.6%	3.4%	3.4%	3.3%	3.2%	3.3%	3.2%	3.6%
<b>Belknap County</b>													
Labor Force	31,280	31,020	31,070	30,980	31,670	33,050	34,190	33,800	32,530	31,480	31,050	30,930	31,920
Employment	30,010	29,720	29,810	29,940	30,680	32,010	33,180	32,760	31,510	30,570	30,100	29,990	30,860
Unemployment	1,270	1,300	1,260	1,040	990	1,040	1,010	1,040	1,020	910	950	940	1,060
Rate	4.1%	4.2%	4.1%	3.3%	3.1%	3.2%	3.0%	3.1%	3.1%	2.9%	3.1%	3.0%	3.3%
<b>Carroll County</b>													
Labor Force	24,190	24,000	23,740	23,720	24,220	25,900	27,500	27,220	25,620	25,130	23,920	24,290	24,950
Employment	23,260	23,020	22,790	22,830	23,390	25,050	26,700	26,420	24,830	24,360	23,110	23,580	24,110
Unemployment	930	980	950	890	830	850	800	800	790	770	810	710	840
Rate	3.9%	4.1%	4.0%	3.7%	3.4%	3.3%	2.9%	2.9%	3.1%	3.1%	3.4%	2.9%	3.4%
<b>Cheshire County</b>													
Labor Force	41,570	41,560	41,690	41,760	41,640	42,030	42,660	42,160	41,660	42,160	42,020	41,860	41,900
Employment	40,110	40,070	40,230	40,500	40,400	40,670	41,250	40,770	40,380	40,970	40,780	40,670	40,570
Unemployment	1,460	1,490	1,460	1,260	1,240	1,360	1,410	1,390	1,280	1,190	1,240	1,190	1,330
Rate	3.5%	3.6%	3.5%	3.0%	3.0%	3.2%	3.3%	3.3%	3.1%	2.8%	2.9%	2.8%	3.2%
<b>Coos County</b>													
Labor Force	16,490	16,510	16,540	16,250	16,300	17,280	17,000	16,980	16,760	16,590	16,450	16,820	16,660
Employment	15,790	15,760	15,830	15,430	15,590	16,430	16,380	16,360	16,140	16,090	15,830	16,160	15,980
Unemployment	700	750	710	820	710	850	620	620	620	500	620	660	680
Rate	4.3%	4.6%	4.3%	5.0%	4.4%	4.9%	3.7%	3.7%	3.7%	3.0%	3.7%	3.9%	4.1%
<b>Grafton County</b>													
Labor Force	46,410	46,370	46,430	45,840	46,000	47,530	47,910	47,940	47,270	46,470	46,190	46,950	46,770
Employment	45,000	44,910	45,050	44,550	44,730	46,130	46,600	46,650	45,950	45,270	44,860	45,730	45,450
Unemployment	1,410	1,460	1,380	1,290	1,270	1,400	1,310	1,290	1,320	1,200	1,330	1,220	1,320
Rate	3.0%	3.2%	3.0%	2.8%	2.8%	2.9%	2.7%	2.7%	2.8%	2.6%	2.9%	2.6%	2.8%
<b>Hillsborough County</b>													
Labor Force	225,320	224,370	225,080	225,190	225,080	227,320	228,210	227,360	224,840	225,960	227,900	227,630	226,190
Employment	215,790	214,790	215,780	217,030	217,180	219,150	220,140	219,300	217,240	218,830	220,450	220,150	217,990
Unemployment	9,530	9,580	9,300	8,160	7,900	8,170	8,070	8,060	7,600	7,130	7,450	7,480	8,200
Rate	4.2%	4.3%	4.1%	3.6%	3.5%	3.6%	3.5%	3.5%	3.4%	3.2%	3.3%	3.3%	3.6%
<b>Merrimack County</b>													
Labor Force	77,560	77,730	77,760	77,210	77,410	78,290	79,630	78,800	78,200	78,180	78,480	78,300	78,130
Employment	74,740	74,780	74,990	74,910	75,160	75,830	77,160	76,330	75,800	76,010	76,270	76,090	75,670
Unemployment	2,820	2,950	2,770	2,300	2,250	2,460	2,470	2,470	2,400	2,170	2,210	2,210	2,460
Rate	3.6%	3.8%	3.6%	3.0%	2.9%	3.1%	3.1%	3.1%	3.1%	2.8%	2.8%	2.8%	3.1%

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<b>Rockingham County</b>													
Labor Force	169,010	168,820	169,520	169,200	169,880	172,440	174,410	173,760	170,360	171,020	171,760	170,350	170,880
Employment	160,780	160,480	161,370	162,500	163,370	165,480	167,540	166,940	163,910	164,460	165,030	164,180	163,840
Unemployment	8,230	8,340	8,150	6,700	6,510	6,960	6,870	6,820	6,450	6,560	6,730	6,170	7,040
Rate	4.9%	4.9%	4.8%	4.0%	3.8%	4.0%	3.9%	3.9%	3.8%	3.8%	3.9%	3.6%	4.1%
<b>Strafford County</b>													
Labor Force	65,900	65,910	66,370	66,150	66,870	66,480	66,720	66,670	66,360	66,830	67,120	66,790	66,510
Employment	63,280	63,250	63,830	64,000	64,760	64,190	64,440	64,440	64,180	64,830	65,110	64,960	64,270
Unemployment	2,620	2,660	2,540	2,150	2,110	2,290	2,280	2,230	2,180	2,000	2,010	1,830	2,240
Rate	4.0%	4.0%	3.8%	3.3%	3.1%	3.4%	3.4%	3.3%	3.3%	3.0%	3.0%	2.7%	3.4%
<b>Sullivan County</b>													
Labor Force	21,640	21,660	21,740	21,610	22,030	22,450	22,150	22,070	22,130	21,950	21,940	21,930	21,950
Employment	20,960	20,950	21,070	21,000	21,440	21,790	21,500	21,410	21,470	21,340	21,290	21,340	21,300
Unemployment	680	710	670	610	590	660	650	660	660	610	650	590	650
Rate	3.2%	3.3%	3.1%	2.8%	2.7%	2.9%	3.0%	3.0%	3.0%	2.8%	2.9%	2.7%	2.9%
<b>Belmont NH LMA</b>													
Labor Force	10,860	10,790	10,840	10,840	11,070	11,570	12,050	11,840	11,360	11,020	10,850	10,820	11,150
Employment	10,410	10,320	10,370	10,470	10,740	11,210	11,700	11,480	11,010	10,700	10,520	10,480	10,780
Unemployment	450	470	470	370	330	360	350	360	350	320	330	340	370
Rate	4.1%	4.4%	4.3%	3.4%	3.0%	3.1%	2.9%	3.1%	3.1%	2.9%	3.0%	3.1%	3.4%
<b>Berlin NH MicroNECTA</b>													
Labor Force	7,670	7,700	7,720	7,710	7,810	8,180	7,940	7,960	7,880	7,940	7,830	7,960	7,860
Employment	7,320	7,320	7,350	7,340	7,490	7,720	7,650	7,660	7,590	7,700	7,550	7,670	7,530
Unemployment	350	380	370	370	320	460	290	300	290	240	280	290	330
Rate	4.5%	4.9%	4.8%	4.8%	4.0%	5.7%	3.7%	3.8%	3.7%	3.0%	3.6%	3.6%	4.2%
<b>Charlestown NH LMA</b>													
Labor Force	6,450	6,460	6,480	6,470	6,510	6,600	6,570	6,510	6,530	6,530	6,510	6,520	6,520
Employment	6,220	6,220	6,250	6,270	6,320	6,390	6,360	6,300	6,330	6,350	6,330	6,330	6,310
Unemployment	230	240	230	200	190	210	210	210	200	180	180	190	210
Rate	3.6%	3.8%	3.5%	3.1%	2.8%	3.1%	3.2%	3.3%	3.1%	2.8%	2.8%	2.8%	3.2%
<b>Claremont-Newport NH LMA</b>													
Labor Force	12,750	12,790	12,840	12,790	13,080	13,340	13,090	13,000	13,100	13,000	12,970	12,890	12,970
Employment	12,350	12,360	12,430	12,410	12,710	12,930	12,690	12,570	12,670	12,610	12,560	12,530	12,570
Unemployment	400	430	410	380	370	410	400	430	430	390	410	360	400
Rate	3.1%	3.3%	3.2%	3.0%	2.8%	3.1%	3.1%	3.3%	3.3%	3.0%	3.2%	2.8%	3.1%
<b>Colebrook NH-VT LMA, NH Portion</b>													
Labor Force	2,920	2,930	2,920	2,710	2,690	3,010	2,920	2,930	2,930	2,850	2,860	2,890	2,880
Employment	2,810	2,800	2,800	2,490	2,490	2,830	2,800	2,820	2,820	2,760	2,720	2,730	2,740
Unemployment	110	130	120	220	200	180	120	110	110	90	140	160	140
Rate	3.8%	4.3%	4.2%	8.1%	7.5%	6.0%	4.2%	3.8%	3.7%	3.2%	4.9%	5.4%	4.9%

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<b>Colebrook NH-VT LMA (NH &amp; VT)</b>													
Labor Force	3,780	3,780	3,780	3,490	3,460	3,880	3,800	3,810	3,800	3,710	3,710	3,730	3,730
Employment	3,640	3,620	3,620	3,230	3,230	3,680	3,650	3,670	3,670	3,600	3,540	3,540	3,560
Unemployment	140	160	160	260	230	200	150	140	130	110	170	190	170
Rate	3.7%	4.3%	4.2%	7.4%	6.6%	5.2%	4.0%	3.7%	3.4%	3.0%	4.7%	5.0%	4.6%
<b>Concord NH MicroNECTA</b>													
Labor Force	43,550	43,560	43,690	43,550	43,810	44,320	45,240	44,650	44,370	44,090	44,310	43,900	44,080
Employment	42,020	41,930	42,170	42,270	42,550	42,930	43,880	43,260	43,030	42,880	43,060	42,690	42,720
Unemployment	1,530	1,630	1,520	1,280	1,260	1,390	1,360	1,390	1,340	1,210	1,250	1,210	1,360
Rate	3.5%	3.7%	3.5%	2.9%	2.9%	3.1%	3.0%	3.1%	3.0%	2.7%	2.8%	2.8%	3.1%
<b>Conway NH-ME LMA, NH Portion</b>													
Labor Force	12,110	11,940	11,730	11,610	11,800	12,730	13,540	13,520	12,780	12,510	11,770	12,080	12,340
Employment	11,690	11,500	11,310	11,160	11,370	12,320	13,180	13,150	12,390	12,140	11,360	11,730	11,940
Unemployment	420	440	420	450	430	410	360	370	390	370	410	350	400
Rate	3.5%	3.7%	3.6%	3.9%	3.7%	3.2%	2.7%	2.7%	3.0%	2.9%	3.5%	2.9%	3.2%
<b>Conway NH-ME LMA (NH &amp; ME)</b>													
Labor Force	15,780	15,610	15,320	15,130	15,410	16,590	17,650	17,620	16,680	16,360	15,360	15,790	16,110
Employment	15,240	15,010	14,750	14,550	14,810	16,040	17,140	17,130	16,170	15,880	14,810	15,320	15,570
Unemployment	540	600	570	580	600	550	510	490	510	480	550	470	540
Rate	3.4%	3.8%	3.7%	3.9%	3.9%	3.3%	2.9%	2.8%	3.1%	2.9%	3.6%	3.0%	3.3%
<b>Dover-Durham NH-ME MetroNECTA, NH Portion</b>													
Labor Force	65,900	65,910	66,370	66,150	66,870	66,480	66,720	66,670	66,360	66,830	67,120	66,790	66,510
Employment	63,280	63,250	63,830	64,000	64,760	64,190	64,440	64,440	64,180	64,830	65,110	64,960	64,270
Unemployment	2,620	2,660	2,540	2,150	2,110	2,290	2,280	2,230	2,180	2,000	2,010	1,830	2,240
Rate	4.0%	4.0%	3.8%	3.3%	3.1%	3.4%	3.4%	3.3%	3.3%	3.0%	3.0%	2.7%	3.4%
<b>Dover-Durham NH-ME MetroNECTA (NH &amp; ME)</b>													
Labor Force	76,750	76,940	77,440	77,170	78,050	77,450	77,650	77,710	77,400	78,000	78,280	78,030	77,570
Employment	73,700	73,680	74,360	74,580	75,430	74,750	74,960	75,040	74,810	75,650	75,870	75,750	74,880
Unemployment	3,050	3,260	3,080	2,590	2,620	2,700	2,690	2,670	2,590	2,350	2,410	2,280	2,690
Rate	4.0%	4.2%	4.0%	3.4%	3.4%	3.5%	3.5%	3.4%	3.3%	3.0%	3.1%	2.9%	3.5%
<b>Franklin NH LMA</b>													
Labor Force	11,240	11,200	11,200	11,190	11,310	11,580	11,630	11,560	11,470	11,330	11,290	11,210	11,350
Employment	10,750	10,670	10,710	10,810	10,950	11,190	11,240	11,180	11,110	11,000	10,960	10,860	10,950
Unemployment	490	530	490	380	360	390	390	380	360	330	330	350	400
Rate	4.4%	4.7%	4.4%	3.4%	3.2%	3.3%	3.4%	3.3%	3.1%	2.9%	2.9%	3.1%	3.5%
<b>Haverhill NH LMA</b>													
Labor Force	2,920	2,910	2,950	2,990	2,970	3,060	3,000	2,990	3,020	2,980	2,950	2,960	2,980
Employment	2,770	2,770	2,820	2,880	2,880	2,960	2,900	2,880	2,920	2,890	2,860	2,860	2,870
Unemployment	150	140	130	110	90	100	100	110	100	90	90	100	110
Rate	5.0%	4.9%	4.4%	3.6%	3.0%	3.3%	3.3%	3.5%	3.3%	3.0%	3.0%	3.4%	3.6%

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<b>Hillsborough NH LMA</b>													
Labor Force	7,450	7,500	7,440	7,200	7,200	7,140	7,180	7,110	7,090	7,190	7,260	7,400	7,260
Employment	7,180	7,220	7,190	6,970	6,980	6,900	6,880	6,860	6,860	6,970	7,040	7,200	7,020
Unemployment	270	280	250	230	220	240	300	250	230	220	220	200	240
Rate	3.6%	3.7%	3.4%	3.1%	3.0%	3.4%	4.2%	3.5%	3.3%	3.0%	3.0%	2.7%	3.3%
<b>Hinsdale Town, NH Portion, Brattleboro VT-NH LMA</b>													
Labor Force	2,480	2,460	2,480	2,400	2,420	2,480	2,500	2,450	2,420	2,460	2,450	2,460	2,460
Employment	2,410	2,410	2,420	2,350	2,340	2,390	2,420	2,390	2,370	2,390	2,380	2,410	2,390
Unemployment	70	50	60	50	80	90	80	60	50	70	70	50	70
Rate	2.9%	2.1%	2.5%	2.2%	3.1%	3.6%	3.2%	2.6%	2.2%	2.9%	2.8%	2.2%	2.7%
<b>Keene NH MicroNECTA</b>													
Labor Force	27,530	27,530	27,590	27,780	27,650	27,800	28,260	27,960	27,680	28,030	27,920	27,740	27,790
Employment	26,620	26,610	26,690	26,990	26,890	26,960	27,380	27,090	26,870	27,280	27,150	27,000	26,960
Unemployment	910	920	900	790	760	840	880	870	810	750	770	740	830
Rate	3.3%	3.4%	3.3%	2.8%	2.8%	3.0%	3.1%	3.1%	2.9%	2.7%	2.8%	2.7%	3.0%
<b>Laconia NH MicroNECTA</b>													
Labor Force	11,690	11,510	11,550	11,520	11,840	12,350	12,780	12,680	12,150	11,690	11,550	11,470	11,900
Employment	11,190	11,030	11,080	11,110	11,450	11,960	12,400	12,280	11,760	11,330	11,170	11,100	11,490
Unemployment	500	480	470	410	390	390	380	400	390	360	380	370	410
Rate	4.2%	4.2%	4.0%	3.5%	3.3%	3.2%	3.0%	3.1%	3.2%	3.1%	3.3%	3.3%	3.4%
<b>Lebanon NH-VT MicroNECTA, NH Portion</b>													
Labor Force	25,460	25,280	25,430	25,300	25,700	26,230	26,310	26,600	26,180	25,890	25,860	26,170	25,870
Employment	24,840	24,660	24,830	24,760	25,120	25,510	25,670	26,000	25,510	25,260	25,230	25,590	25,250
Unemployment	620	620	600	540	580	720	640	600	670	630	630	580	620
Rate	2.4%	2.5%	2.4%	2.1%	2.3%	2.7%	2.4%	2.2%	2.6%	2.4%	2.4%	2.2%	2.4%
<b>Lebanon NH-VT MicroNECTA (NH &amp; VT)</b>													
Labor Force	46,520	46,270	46,480	46,390	47,110	48,150	48,290	48,950	48,090	47,550	47,490	47,950	47,440
Employment	45,340	45,030	45,300	45,310	46,100	46,950	47,160	47,850	46,950	46,520	46,430	46,970	46,330
Unemployment	1,180	1,240	1,180	1,080	1,010	1,200	1,130	1,100	1,140	1,030	1,060	980	1,110
Rate	2.5%	2.7%	2.5%	2.3%	2.1%	2.5%	2.3%	2.2%	2.4%	2.2%	2.2%	2.0%	2.3%
<b>Littleton NH-VT LMA, NH Portion</b>													
Labor Force	13,280	13,260	13,300	13,110	13,090	13,710	13,780	13,680	13,360	13,040	12,970	13,440	13,330
Employment	12,790	12,750	12,840	12,630	12,670	13,290	13,370	13,270	12,940	12,700	12,540	13,010	12,900
Unemployment	490	510	460	480	420	420	410	410	420	340	430	430	430
Rate	3.7%	3.8%	3.5%	3.6%	3.2%	3.1%	3.0%	3.0%	3.1%	2.6%	3.3%	3.2%	3.2%
<b>Littleton NH-VT LMA (NH &amp; VT)</b>													
Labor Force	14,130	14,110	14,160	13,960	13,930	14,600	14,680	14,580	14,220	13,880	13,820	14,310	14,200
Employment	13,610	13,570	13,670	13,450	13,500	14,160	14,250	14,150	13,790	13,530	13,370	13,860	13,740
Unemployment	520	540	490	510	430	440	430	430	430	350	450	450	460
Rate	3.7%	3.8%	3.4%	3.6%	3.1%	3.0%	2.9%	3.0%	3.1%	2.5%	3.2%	3.2%	3.2%

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<b>Manchester NH MetroNECTA</b>													
Labor Force	111,980	111,390	111,680	111,680	111,260	112,540	113,340	112,830	111,600	112,190	113,300	113,180	112,250
Employment	107,470	106,790	107,240	107,860	107,600	108,640	109,460	109,010	107,920	108,820	109,810	109,590	108,350
Unemployment	4,510	4,600	4,440	3,820	3,660	3,900	3,880	3,820	3,680	3,370	3,490	3,590	3,900
Rate	4.0%	4.1%	4.0%	3.4%	3.3%	3.5%	3.4%	3.4%	3.3%	3.0%	3.1%	3.2%	3.5%
<b>Meredith NH LMA</b>													
Labor Force	7,610	7,560	7,520	7,570	7,820	8,260	8,680	8,600	8,070	7,800	7,640	7,600	7,890
Employment	7,360	7,300	7,270	7,360	7,600	8,020	8,440	8,350	7,830	7,600	7,420	7,400	7,660
Unemployment	250	260	250	210	220	240	240	250	240	200	220	200	230
Rate	3.3%	3.4%	3.3%	2.8%	2.8%	2.9%	2.8%	2.9%	2.9%	2.6%	2.8%	2.6%	2.9%
<b>Nashua NH-MA NECTA Division, NH Portion</b>													
Labor Force	159,580	158,890	159,530	159,840	160,090	161,600	161,910	161,550	160,000	160,470	161,760	161,310	160,550
Employment	152,590	151,960	152,730	153,880	154,370	155,690	156,030	155,590	154,350	155,140	156,180	155,840	154,530
Unemployment	6,990	6,930	6,800	5,960	5,720	5,910	5,880	5,960	5,650	5,330	5,580	5,470	6,020
Rate	4.4%	4.4%	4.3%	3.7%	3.6%	3.7%	3.6%	3.7%	3.5%	3.3%	3.4%	3.4%	3.7%
<b>Nashua NH-MA NECTA Division (NH &amp; MA)</b>													
Labor Force	167,870	167,150	167,790	168,070	168,330	169,960	170,220	169,890	168,260	168,750	170,050	169,640	168,840
Employment	160,480	159,820	160,620	161,820	162,320	163,730	163,990	163,590	162,270	163,130	164,190	163,860	162,490
Unemployment	7,390	7,330	7,170	6,250	6,010	6,230	6,230	6,300	5,990	5,620	5,860	5,780	6,350
Rate	4.4%	4.4%	4.3%	3.7%	3.6%	3.7%	3.7%	3.7%	3.6%	3.3%	3.4%	3.4%	3.8%
<b>New London NH LMA</b>													
Labor Force	8,230	8,510	8,380	8,060	7,890	7,970	8,150	8,130	7,970	8,260	8,220	8,510	8,190
Employment	7,980	8,230	8,120	7,830	7,660	7,720	7,900	7,870	7,720	8,040	7,990	8,300	7,950
Unemployment	250	280	260	230	230	250	250	260	250	220	230	210	240
Rate	3.1%	3.2%	3.1%	2.9%	3.0%	3.1%	3.1%	3.2%	3.1%	2.7%	2.8%	2.4%	3.0%
<b>Pelham Town, NH Portion, Lowell-Billerica-Chelmsford MA-NH NECTA Division</b>													
Labor Force	7,020	7,070	7,090	7,060	7,080	7,110	7,180	7,120	6,910	7,010	7,080	7,020	7,060
Employment	6,580	6,610	6,640	6,670	6,680	6,720	6,820	6,770	6,640	6,710	6,740	6,700	6,690
Unemployment	440	460	450	390	400	390	360	350	270	300	340	320	370
Rate	6.3%	6.5%	6.3%	5.5%	5.6%	5.4%	5.0%	4.9%	3.9%	4.3%	4.7%	4.5%	5.3%
<b>Peterborough NH LMA</b>													
Labor Force	16,980	16,910	17,030	16,910	16,970	17,320	17,550	17,260	16,930	17,080	17,070	17,110	17,100
Employment	16,260	16,190	16,320	16,320	16,390	16,690	16,860	16,580	16,320	16,530	16,490	16,540	16,460
Unemployment	720	720	710	590	580	630	690	680	610	550	580	570	640
Rate	4.2%	4.2%	4.2%	3.5%	3.4%	3.6%	3.9%	4.0%	3.6%	3.2%	3.4%	3.3%	3.7%
<b>Plymouth NH LMA</b>													
Labor Force	15,080	15,200	15,070	14,670	14,490	15,160	15,490	15,360	15,190	14,840	14,640	14,880	15,010
Employment	14,570	14,650	14,550	14,180	14,030	14,680	15,030	14,880	14,740	14,430	14,160	14,460	14,530
Unemployment	510	550	520	490	460	480	460	480	450	410	480	420	480
Rate	3.4%	3.6%	3.4%	3.3%	3.2%	3.1%	3.0%	3.1%	3.0%	2.8%	3.3%	2.8%	3.2%

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<b>Portsmouth NH-ME MetroNECTA, NH Portion</b>													
Labor Force	53,720	53,710	53,990	54,010	54,450	55,590	56,500	56,320	54,810	54,660	54,650	54,060	54,700
Employment	51,490	51,460	51,840	52,210	52,690	53,650	54,670	54,510	53,060	52,920	52,910	52,490	52,820
Unemployment	2,230	2,250	2,150	1,800	1,760	1,940	1,830	1,810	1,750	1,740	1,740	1,570	1,880
Rate	4.2%	4.2%	4.0%	3.3%	3.2%	3.5%	3.2%	3.2%	3.2%	3.2%	3.2%	2.9%	3.4%
<b>Portsmouth NH-ME MetroNECTA (NH &amp; ME)</b>													
Labor Force	69,600	69,770	70,160	70,590	71,490	73,370	75,000	74,760	72,430	72,020	71,530	70,750	71,790
Employment	66,820	66,840	67,360	68,250	69,170	70,860	72,590	72,410	70,140	69,720	69,180	68,580	69,330
Unemployment	2,780	2,930	2,800	2,340	2,320	2,510	2,410	2,350	2,290	2,300	2,350	2,170	2,460
Rate	4.0%	4.2%	4.0%	3.3%	3.2%	3.4%	3.2%	3.1%	3.2%	3.2%	3.3%	3.1%	3.4%
<b>Raymond NH LMA</b>													
Labor Force	13,110	13,050	13,120	13,010	13,120	13,200	13,320	13,250	13,150	13,130	13,250	13,190	13,160
Employment	12,480	12,440	12,520	12,580	12,660	12,720	12,830	12,760	12,680	12,720	12,790	12,730	12,660
Unemployment	630	610	600	430	460	480	490	490	470	410	460	460	500
Rate	4.8%	4.7%	4.6%	3.3%	3.5%	3.6%	3.6%	3.7%	3.6%	3.1%	3.5%	3.5%	3.8%
<b>Salem Town, NH Portion, Lawrence-Methuen-Salem MA-NH NECTA Division</b>													
Labor Force	17,320	17,280	17,280	17,170	17,260	17,520	17,820	17,740	17,310	17,540	17,620	17,490	17,440
Employment	16,250	16,180	16,210	16,290	16,390	16,600	16,900	16,840	16,450	16,550	16,650	16,600	16,490
Unemployment	1,070	1,100	1,070	880	870	920	920	900	860	990	970	890	950
Rate	6.2%	6.3%	6.2%	5.1%	5.1%	5.3%	5.2%	5.0%	5.0%	5.6%	5.5%	5.1%	5.5%
<b>Seabrook-Hampstead Area, NH Portion, Haverhill-Newburyport-Amesbury MA-NH NECTA Division</b>													
Labor Force	34,920	35,020	35,150	35,000	35,060	35,570	36,000	35,830	34,950	35,420	35,550	35,140	35,300
Employment	32,890	32,920	33,090	33,370	33,460	33,920	34,420	34,250	33,530	33,820	33,890	33,670	33,600
Unemployment	2,030	2,100	2,060	1,630	1,600	1,650	1,580	1,580	1,420	1,600	1,660	1,470	1,700
Rate	5.8%	6.0%	5.9%	4.7%	4.6%	4.6%	4.4%	4.4%	4.1%	4.5%	4.7%	4.2%	4.8%
<b>Wolfeboro NH LMA</b>													
Labor Force	9,620	9,610	9,590	9,610	9,800	10,370	10,940	10,710	10,160	10,000	9,640	9,710	9,980
Employment	9,200	9,150	9,140	9,250	9,470	10,000	10,580	10,360	9,830	9,670	9,300	9,410	9,610
Unemployment	420	460	450	360	330	370	360	350	330	330	340	300	370
Rate	4.4%	4.8%	4.7%	3.8%	3.4%	3.6%	3.3%	3.2%	3.2%	3.3%	3.5%	3.1%	3.7%
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<b>Amherst Town</b>													
Labor Force	6,130	6,130	6,140	6,180	6,200	6,250	6,270	6,250	6,180	6,210	6,260	6,230	6,210
Employment	5,940	5,920	5,950	5,990	6,010	6,060	6,080	6,060	6,010	6,040	6,080	6,070	6,020
Unemployment	190	210	190	190	190	190	190	190	170	170	180	160	190
Rate	3.1%	3.4%	3.1%	3.1%	3.1%	3.1%	3.0%	3.0%	2.8%	2.7%	2.9%	2.6%	3.0%
<b>Atkinson Town</b>													
Labor Force	3,710	3,690	3,730	3,720	3,720	3,800	3,830	3,810	3,730	3,750	3,760	3,700	3,740
Employment	3,490	3,490	3,510	3,540	3,550	3,600	3,650	3,630	3,560	3,590	3,590	3,570	3,560
Unemployment	220	200	220	180	170	200	180	180	170	160	170	130	180
Rate	5.9%	5.4%	6.0%	4.8%	4.7%	5.2%	4.7%	4.6%	4.5%	4.2%	4.4%	3.6%	4.8%

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<b>Barrington Town</b>													
Labor Force	4,800	4,810	4,840	4,820	4,880	4,840	4,850	4,850	4,850	4,880	4,900	4,880	4,850
Employment	4,620	4,620	4,660	4,670	4,730	4,690	4,700	4,700	4,680	4,730	4,750	4,740	4,690
Unemployment	180	190	180	150	150	150	150	150	170	150	150	140	160
Rate	3.8%	4.0%	3.7%	3.0%	3.0%	3.2%	3.2%	3.0%	3.5%	3.1%	3.0%	2.9%	3.3%
<b>Bedford Town</b>													
Labor Force	11,000	10,920	10,970	11,010	10,980	11,120	11,190	11,160	11,040	11,110	11,210	11,160	11,070
Employment	10,660	10,590	10,640	10,700	10,670	10,770	10,840	10,800	10,690	10,790	10,890	10,880	10,740
Unemployment	340	330	330	310	310	350	350	360	350	320	320	280	330
Rate	3.1%	3.0%	3.0%	2.8%	2.8%	3.2%	3.1%	3.2%	3.2%	2.8%	2.8%	2.5%	3.0%
<b>Belmont Town</b>													
Labor Force	4,070	4,020	4,050	4,020	4,120	4,310	4,470	4,440	4,250	4,080	4,020	4,020	4,150
Employment	3,920	3,860	3,880	3,890	4,010	4,190	4,340	4,300	4,120	3,970	3,910	3,890	4,020
Unemployment	150	160	170	130	110	120	130	140	130	110	110	130	130
Rate	3.6%	3.9%	4.2%	3.2%	2.6%	2.9%	3.0%	3.2%	3.0%	2.8%	2.8%	3.2%	3.2%
<b>Berlin City</b>													
Labor Force	4,550	4,580	4,580	4,550	4,630	4,870	4,710	4,730	4,680	4,710	4,640	4,720	4,660
Employment	4,330	4,330	4,340	4,340	4,430	4,560	4,530	4,530	4,490	4,550	4,470	4,540	4,450
Unemployment	220	250	240	210	200	310	180	200	190	160	170	180	210
Rate	4.8%	5.4%	5.1%	4.7%	4.3%	6.4%	3.9%	4.2%	4.0%	3.3%	3.6%	3.8%	4.4%
<b>Bow Town</b>													
Labor Force	4,140	4,150	4,150	4,150	4,190	4,230	4,320	4,260	4,240	4,210	4,220	4,180	4,200
Employment	4,030	4,030	4,050	4,060	4,090	4,120	4,210	4,150	4,130	4,120	4,130	4,100	4,100
Unemployment	110	120	100	90	100	110	110	110	110	90	90	80	100
Rate	2.6%	2.9%	2.4%	2.2%	2.4%	2.7%	2.6%	2.7%	2.6%	2.2%	2.1%	1.8%	2.4%
<b>Charlestown Town</b>													
Labor Force	2,520	2,510	2,500	2,480	2,530	2,580	2,530	2,500	2,540	2,510	2,520	2,510	2,520
Employment	2,400	2,400	2,410	2,400	2,450	2,490	2,440	2,420	2,460	2,440	2,440	2,440	2,430
Unemployment	120	110	90	80	80	90	90	80	80	70	80	70	90
Rate	4.6%	4.3%	3.7%	3.4%	3.0%	3.3%	3.4%	3.4%	3.3%	2.9%	3.0%	2.9%	3.4%
<b>Claremont City</b>													
Labor Force	6,500	6,530	6,550	6,510	6,620	6,770	6,610	6,570	6,690	6,620	6,620	6,600	6,600
Employment	6,300	6,300	6,340	6,310	6,430	6,550	6,400	6,350	6,460	6,400	6,400	6,420	6,390
Unemployment	200	230	210	200	190	220	210	220	230	220	220	180	210
Rate	3.1%	3.5%	3.3%	3.1%	2.8%	3.2%	3.2%	3.3%	3.4%	3.3%	3.4%	2.7%	3.2%
<b>Colebrook Town</b>													
Labor Force	1,280	1,270	1,270	1,190	1,180	1,300	1,280	1,270	1,270	1,230	1,250	1,250	1,250
Employment	1,220	1,210	1,210	1,080	1,080	1,230	1,220	1,220	1,230	1,200	1,180	1,180	1,190
Unemployment	60	60	60	110	100	70	60	50	40	30	70	70	60
Rate	4.4%	4.3%	4.7%	9.1%	8.8%	5.5%	4.3%	3.6%	3.2%	2.7%	5.2%	5.6%	5.1%

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<b>Concord City</b>													
Labor Force	21,190	21,190	21,250	21,210	21,350	21,590	22,040	21,740	21,610	21,470	21,600	21,370	21,470
Employment	20,440	20,400	20,510	20,560	20,700	20,880	21,340	21,040	20,930	20,860	20,940	20,770	20,780
Unemployment	750	790	740	650	650	710	700	700	680	610	660	600	690
Rate	3.5%	3.7%	3.5%	3.1%	3.1%	3.3%	3.2%	3.2%	3.1%	2.9%	3.0%	2.8%	3.2%
<b>Conway Town</b>													
Labor Force	5,210	5,130	5,040	4,980	5,040	5,440	5,780	5,770	5,470	5,350	5,040	5,190	5,290
Employment	5,010	4,930	4,850	4,770	4,850	5,260	5,630	5,620	5,300	5,200	4,860	5,030	5,110
Unemployment	200	200	190	210	190	180	150	150	170	150	180	160	180
Rate	3.8%	3.9%	3.8%	4.2%	3.7%	3.3%	2.6%	2.7%	3.1%	2.8%	3.6%	3.1%	3.4%
<b>Derry Town</b>													
Labor Force	20,140	20,040	20,160	20,130	20,110	20,350	20,410	20,340	20,170	20,240	20,400	20,310	20,230
Employment	19,060	18,980	19,080	19,220	19,280	19,450	19,490	19,430	19,280	19,380	19,510	19,470	19,300
Unemployment	1,080	1,060	1,080	910	830	900	920	910	890	860	890	840	930
Rate	5.3%	5.3%	5.3%	4.5%	4.1%	4.4%	4.5%	4.5%	4.4%	4.2%	4.4%	4.1%	4.6%
<b>Dover City</b>													
Labor Force	16,810	16,750	16,880	16,880	17,070	16,970	17,040	17,020	16,970	17,100	17,170	17,080	16,980
Employment	16,210	16,200	16,350	16,390	16,580	16,440	16,500	16,500	16,440	16,600	16,670	16,630	16,460
Unemployment	600	550	530	490	490	530	540	520	530	500	500	450	520
Rate	3.5%	3.3%	3.1%	2.9%	2.9%	3.1%	3.1%	3.1%	3.1%	2.9%	2.9%	2.6%	3.1%
<b>Durham Town</b>													
Labor Force	6,550	6,580	6,600	6,620	6,720	6,700	6,730	6,730	6,710	6,740	6,760	6,700	6,680
Employment	6,370	6,370	6,420	6,440	6,520	6,460	6,480	6,480	6,460	6,520	6,550	6,540	6,470
Unemployment	180	210	180	180	200	240	250	250	250	220	210	160	210
Rate	2.7%	3.1%	2.8%	2.7%	2.9%	3.6%	3.7%	3.7%	3.8%	3.3%	3.1%	2.3%	3.1%
<b>Epping Town</b>													
Labor Force	3,440	3,460	3,470	3,450	3,460	3,520	3,570	3,540	3,460	3,510	3,510	3,480	3,490
Employment	3,290	3,290	3,310	3,340	3,350	3,390	3,450	3,430	3,360	3,390	3,390	3,370	3,360
Unemployment	150	170	160	110	110	130	120	110	100	120	120	110	130
Rate	4.4%	5.0%	4.6%	3.3%	3.1%	3.7%	3.2%	3.2%	2.9%	3.4%	3.4%	3.2%	3.6%
<b>Exeter Town</b>													
Labor Force	7,650	7,650	7,660	7,670	7,710	7,820	7,900	7,870	7,700	7,760	7,790	7,700	7,740
Employment	7,300	7,300	7,340	7,400	7,420	7,520	7,640	7,600	7,440	7,500	7,520	7,470	7,450
Unemployment	350	350	320	270	290	300	260	270	260	260	270	230	290
Rate	4.6%	4.5%	4.1%	3.5%	3.8%	3.8%	3.3%	3.4%	3.4%	3.4%	3.5%	2.9%	3.7%
<b>Farmington Town</b>													
Labor Force	3,300	3,280	3,310	3,290	3,310	3,310	3,320	3,310	3,290	3,310	3,310	3,300	3,300
Employment	3,120	3,120	3,150	3,160	3,190	3,170	3,180	3,180	3,170	3,200	3,210	3,200	3,170
Unemployment	180	160	160	130	120	140	140	130	120	110	100	100	130
Rate	5.5%	5.0%	4.8%	3.9%	3.7%	4.2%	4.1%	4.0%	3.6%	3.4%	3.0%	3.1%	4.0%



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<b>Franklin City</b>													
Labor Force	4,220	4,210	4,220	4,270	4,340	4,400	4,410	4,370	4,340	4,310	4,300	4,250	4,300
Employment	4,040	4,000	4,020	4,100	4,180	4,240	4,240	4,220	4,200	4,170	4,170	4,100	4,140
Unemployment	180	210	200	170	160	160	170	150	140	140	130	150	160
Rate	4.2%	4.9%	4.7%	3.9%	3.6%	3.6%	3.8%	3.5%	3.2%	3.1%	3.1%	3.6%	3.8%
<b>Gilford Town</b>													
Labor Force	3,590	3,540	3,540	3,540	3,650	3,800	3,930	3,900	3,750	3,600	3,560	3,540	3,660
Employment	3,450	3,410	3,420	3,430	3,540	3,700	3,830	3,790	3,630	3,500	3,450	3,430	3,550
Unemployment	140	130	120	110	110	100	100	110	120	100	110	110	110
Rate	3.8%	3.6%	3.3%	3.2%	3.1%	2.6%	2.6%	2.9%	3.1%	2.9%	3.0%	3.0%	3.1%
<b>Goffstown Town</b>													
Labor Force	10,080	10,040	10,070	10,100	10,080	10,180	10,240	10,210	10,100	10,160	10,280	10,210	10,140
Employment	9,780	9,710	9,750	9,810	9,780	9,880	9,940	9,910	9,810	9,890	9,990	9,970	9,850
Unemployment	300	330	320	290	300	300	300	300	290	270	290	240	290
Rate	3.0%	3.3%	3.2%	2.9%	3.0%	2.9%	3.0%	3.0%	2.9%	2.6%	2.8%	2.4%	2.9%
<b>Hampstead Town</b>													
Labor Force	4,620	4,620	4,630	4,660	4,660	4,740	4,770	4,770	4,650	4,700	4,720	4,660	4,690
Employment	4,380	4,390	4,410	4,450	4,460	4,520	4,580	4,560	4,470	4,510	4,510	4,490	4,480
Unemployment	240	230	220	210	200	220	190	210	180	190	210	170	210
Rate	5.2%	4.9%	4.8%	4.4%	4.3%	4.6%	4.0%	4.4%	3.9%	4.0%	4.5%	3.7%	4.4%
<b>Hampton Town</b>													
Labor Force	9,130	9,110	9,140	9,150	9,230	9,470	9,670	9,630	9,330	9,240	9,230	9,130	9,280
Employment	8,650	8,640	8,700	8,770	8,870	9,090	9,310	9,280	8,980	8,890	8,870	8,790	8,900
Unemployment	480	470	440	380	360	380	360	350	350	350	360	340	380
Rate	5.2%	5.2%	4.8%	4.1%	3.9%	4.0%	3.7%	3.6%	3.8%	3.8%	3.9%	3.7%	4.1%
<b>Hanover Town</b>													
Labor Force	5,290	5,260	5,290	5,260	5,370	5,500	5,510	5,560	5,490	5,410	5,400	5,450	5,400
Employment	5,170	5,130	5,170	5,150	5,230	5,310	5,340	5,420	5,310	5,260	5,250	5,330	5,260
Unemployment	120	130	120	110	140	190	170	140	180	150	150	120	140
Rate	2.2%	2.4%	2.2%	2.1%	2.6%	3.4%	3.0%	2.6%	3.2%	2.8%	2.7%	2.3%	2.6%
<b>Haverhill Town</b>													
Labor Force	1,910	1,900	1,940	1,980	1,960	2,020	1,970	1,960	1,990	1,970	1,950	1,950	1,960
Employment	1,810	1,810	1,850	1,900	1,900	1,950	1,900	1,890	1,920	1,910	1,890	1,880	1,880
Unemployment	100	90	90	80	60	70	70	70	70	60	60	70	80
Rate	5.2%	4.8%	4.5%	4.0%	3.2%	3.4%	3.6%	3.7%	3.4%	3.1%	3.2%	3.6%	3.8%
<b>Hillsborough Town</b>													
Labor Force	2,670	2,700	2,670	2,570	2,560	2,540	2,570	2,540	2,530	2,560	2,590	2,650	2,600
Employment	2,550	2,570	2,550	2,470	2,470	2,440	2,430	2,420	2,430	2,470	2,500	2,560	2,490
Unemployment	120	130	120	100	90	100	140	120	100	90	90	90	110
Rate	4.6%	4.7%	4.3%	3.8%	3.5%	3.9%	5.4%	4.6%	3.8%	3.4%	3.5%	3.3%	4.0%

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<b>Hollis Town</b>													
Labor Force	4,040	4,030	4,050	4,060	4,100	4,130	4,140	4,130	4,100	4,110	4,140	4,120	4,090
Employment	3,910	3,900	3,920	3,940	3,960	3,990	4,000	3,990	3,960	3,980	4,000	4,000	3,960
Unemployment	130	130	130	120	140	140	140	140	140	130	140	120	130
Rate	3.2%	3.3%	3.1%	3.0%	3.5%	3.4%	3.3%	3.4%	3.3%	3.1%	3.3%	2.9%	3.2%
<b>Hooksett Town</b>													
Labor Force	7,730	7,690	7,700	7,690	7,660	7,760	7,810	7,760	7,710	7,730	7,800	7,810	7,740
Employment	7,440	7,400	7,430	7,470	7,450	7,520	7,570	7,540	7,470	7,530	7,600	7,590	7,500
Unemployment	290	290	270	220	210	240	240	220	240	200	200	220	240
Rate	3.7%	3.7%	3.5%	2.8%	2.8%	3.1%	3.1%	2.9%	3.1%	2.6%	2.5%	2.8%	3.0%
<b>Hudson Town</b>													
Labor Force	14,740	14,660	14,750	14,690	14,690	14,820	14,820	14,800	14,650	14,700	14,860	14,810	14,750
Employment	13,970	13,910	13,980	14,090	14,130	14,250	14,280	14,250	14,130	14,200	14,300	14,270	14,150
Unemployment	770	750	770	600	560	570	540	550	520	500	560	540	600
Rate	5.2%	5.1%	5.2%	4.1%	3.8%	3.8%	3.7%	3.7%	3.5%	3.4%	3.8%	3.7%	4.1%
<b>Keene City</b>													
Labor Force	12,130	12,150	12,180	12,270	12,240	12,300	12,520	12,380	12,240	12,390	12,350	12,250	12,280
Employment	11,770	11,770	11,800	11,930	11,890	11,920	12,110	11,980	11,880	12,060	12,000	11,940	11,920
Unemployment	360	380	380	340	350	380	410	400	360	330	350	310	360
Rate	3.0%	3.1%	3.1%	2.7%	2.9%	3.1%	3.3%	3.2%	3.0%	2.7%	2.8%	2.5%	2.9%
<b>Kingston Town</b>													
Labor Force	3,450	3,450	3,450	3,420	3,430	3,480	3,530	3,510	3,400	3,460	3,480	3,450	3,450
Employment	3,220	3,220	3,230	3,260	3,270	3,310	3,360	3,350	3,280	3,310	3,310	3,290	3,280
Unemployment	230	230	220	160	160	170	170	160	120	150	170	160	170
Rate	6.6%	6.8%	6.3%	4.8%	4.7%	4.8%	4.7%	4.5%	3.4%	4.3%	4.7%	4.6%	5.0%
<b>Laconia City</b>													
Labor Force	8,090	7,990	8,010	7,970	8,190	8,560	8,850	8,770	8,410	8,090	8,000	7,940	8,240
Employment	7,730	7,630	7,660	7,680	7,910	8,270	8,570	8,490	8,130	7,830	7,720	7,670	7,940
Unemployment	360	360	350	290	280	290	280	280	280	260	280	270	300
Rate	4.4%	4.4%	4.4%	3.7%	3.4%	3.4%	3.1%	3.2%	3.3%	3.2%	3.5%	3.4%	3.6%
<b>Lebanon City</b>													
Labor Force	7,540	7,470	7,520	7,500	7,620	7,770	7,770	7,880	7,760	7,650	7,660	7,750	7,660
Employment	7,370	7,310	7,360	7,340	7,450	7,570	7,610	7,720	7,570	7,490	7,480	7,590	7,490
Unemployment	170	160	160	160	170	200	160	160	190	160	180	160	170
Rate	2.3%	2.2%	2.2%	2.1%	2.2%	2.6%	2.1%	2.0%	2.4%	2.1%	2.4%	2.1%	2.2%
<b>Litchfield Town</b>													
Labor Force	4,970	4,940	4,930	4,930	4,930	4,970	4,980	4,980	4,940	4,950	5,010	5,010	4,960
Employment	4,740	4,720	4,740	4,780	4,790	4,830	4,840	4,830	4,790	4,820	4,850	4,840	4,800
Unemployment	230	220	190	150	140	140	140	150	150	130	160	170	160
Rate	4.6%	4.4%	3.9%	3.0%	2.9%	2.7%	2.9%	2.9%	3.0%	2.5%	3.1%	3.3%	3.3%

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<b>Littleton Town</b>													
Labor Force	3,450	3,440	3,460	3,400	3,390	3,560	3,580	3,560	3,460	3,390	3,370	3,490	3,460
Employment	3,330	3,320	3,350	3,290	3,300	3,460	3,490	3,460	3,370	3,310	3,270	3,390	3,360
Unemployment	120	120	110	110	90	100	90	100	90	80	100	100	100
Rate	3.4%	3.6%	3.1%	3.2%	2.7%	2.7%	2.6%	2.7%	2.6%	2.3%	2.9%	2.8%	2.9%
<b>Londonderry Town</b>													
Labor Force	14,360	14,320	14,370	14,400	14,450	14,620	14,650	14,630	14,480	14,500	14,600	14,540	14,490
Employment	13,790	13,730	13,800	13,900	13,950	14,070	14,090	14,060	13,950	14,020	14,110	14,080	13,960
Unemployment	570	590	570	500	500	550	560	570	530	480	490	460	530
Rate	4.0%	4.1%	3.9%	3.5%	3.5%	3.8%	3.8%	3.9%	3.6%	3.3%	3.3%	3.1%	3.7%
<b>Manchester City</b>													
Labor Force	61,090	60,760	60,910	60,870	60,590	61,300	61,640	61,380	60,690	61,050	61,680	61,760	61,140
Employment	58,360	57,980	58,220	58,560	58,390	58,960	59,350	59,140	58,540	59,070	59,630	59,530	58,810
Unemployment	2,730	2,780	2,690	2,310	2,200	2,340	2,290	2,240	2,150	1,980	2,050	2,230	2,330
Rate	4.5%	4.6%	4.4%	3.8%	3.6%	3.8%	3.7%	3.6%	3.5%	3.2%	3.3%	3.6%	3.8%
<b>Meredith Town</b>													
Labor Force	3,270	3,260	3,260	3,260	3,360	3,510	3,630	3,590	3,450	3,310	3,270	3,240	3,370
Employment	3,180	3,140	3,150	3,160	3,260	3,400	3,530	3,490	3,350	3,220	3,180	3,160	3,270
Unemployment	90	120	110	100	100	110	100	100	100	90	90	80	100
Rate	2.9%	3.5%	3.4%	2.9%	3.0%	3.2%	2.9%	2.9%	3.0%	2.6%	2.8%	2.5%	3.0%
<b>Merrimack Town</b>													
Labor Force	16,400	16,310	16,380	16,450	16,480	16,620	16,660	16,650	16,500	16,530	16,660	16,590	16,520
Employment	15,820	15,750	15,830	15,950	16,000	16,140	16,170	16,130	16,000	16,080	16,190	16,160	16,020
Unemployment	580	560	550	500	480	480	490	520	500	450	470	430	500
Rate	3.5%	3.5%	3.3%	3.1%	2.9%	2.9%	2.9%	3.1%	3.0%	2.7%	2.8%	2.6%	3.0%
<b>Milford Town</b>													
Labor Force	8,930	8,870	8,910	8,960	8,970	9,050	9,070	9,030	8,970	8,970	9,020	9,010	8,980
Employment	8,600	8,560	8,600	8,670	8,700	8,770	8,790	8,760	8,690	8,740	8,800	8,780	8,700
Unemployment	330	310	310	290	270	280	280	270	280	230	220	230	280
Rate	3.7%	3.5%	3.5%	3.2%	3.0%	3.1%	3.1%	3.0%	3.1%	2.6%	2.5%	2.5%	3.1%
<b>Nashua City</b>													
Labor Force	49,190	48,960	49,150	49,300	49,360	49,780	49,800	49,730	49,260	49,440	49,810	49,760	49,460
Employment	46,900	46,700	46,940	47,300	47,440	47,850	47,950	47,820	47,440	47,680	48,000	47,890	47,490
Unemployment	2,290	2,260	2,210	2,000	1,920	1,930	1,850	1,910	1,820	1,760	1,810	1,870	1,970
Rate	4.6%	4.6%	4.5%	4.1%	3.9%	3.9%	3.7%	3.8%	3.7%	3.6%	3.6%	3.8%	4.0%
<b>New London Town</b>													
Labor Force	1,900	1,970	1,940	1,860	1,820	1,830	1,870	1,870	1,840	1,920	1,910	1,980	1,890
Employment	1,840	1,910	1,880	1,800	1,760	1,760	1,810	1,800	1,760	1,860	1,850	1,930	1,830
Unemployment	60	60	60	60	60	70	60	70	80	60	60	50	60
Rate	2.9%	3.1%	3.1%	3.3%	3.2%	3.6%	3.4%	3.6%	4.1%	3.3%	3.3%	2.7%	3.3%

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<b>Newmarket Town</b>													
Labor Force	5,950	5,930	5,990	5,950	6,020	6,000	6,040	6,030	5,980	6,040	6,050	6,030	6,000
Employment	5,730	5,720	5,780	5,790	5,860	5,810	5,830	5,830	5,810	5,870	5,890	5,880	5,820
Unemployment	220	210	210	160	160	190	210	200	170	170	160	150	180
Rate	3.7%	3.5%	3.5%	2.7%	2.6%	3.2%	3.5%	3.2%	2.9%	2.8%	2.7%	2.4%	3.1%
<b>Newport Town</b>													
Labor Force	2,880	2,890	2,910	2,900	2,990	3,040	3,000	2,970	2,960	2,950	2,920	2,900	2,940
Employment	2,790	2,790	2,810	2,810	2,900	2,940	2,900	2,870	2,860	2,860	2,830	2,810	2,850
Unemployment	90	100	100	90	90	100	100	100	100	90	90	90	90
Rate	3.1%	3.4%	3.3%	2.9%	2.9%	3.2%	3.2%	3.5%	3.3%	3.0%	3.1%	3.0%	3.2%
<b>Pelham Town</b>													
Labor Force	7,020	7,070	7,090	7,060	7,080	7,110	7,180	7,120	6,910	7,010	7,080	7,020	7,060
Employment	6,580	6,610	6,640	6,670	6,680	6,720	6,820	6,770	6,640	6,710	6,740	6,700	6,690
Unemployment	440	460	450	390	400	390	360	350	270	300	340	320	370
Rate	6.3%	6.5%	6.3%	5.5%	5.6%	5.4%	5.0%	4.9%	3.9%	4.3%	4.7%	4.5%	5.3%
<b>Pembroke Town</b>													
Labor Force	4,210	4,200	4,230	4,200	4,220	4,270	4,370	4,310	4,280	4,270	4,280	4,260	4,260
Employment	4,050	4,040	4,060	4,070	4,100	4,140	4,230	4,170	4,150	4,130	4,150	4,120	4,120
Unemployment	160	160	170	130	120	130	140	140	130	140	130	140	140
Rate	3.8%	3.8%	4.0%	3.0%	2.8%	3.0%	3.2%	3.3%	3.1%	3.3%	3.0%	3.2%	3.3%
<b>Peterborough Town</b>													
Labor Force	2,780	2,770	2,780	2,770	2,780	2,850	2,890	2,840	2,770	2,800	2,800	2,790	2,800
Employment	2,670	2,660	2,680	2,680	2,690	2,750	2,770	2,730	2,680	2,710	2,710	2,720	2,700
Unemployment	110	110	100	90	90	100	120	110	90	90	90	70	100
Rate	4.1%	3.9%	3.6%	3.2%	3.2%	3.6%	4.1%	4.0%	3.4%	3.2%	3.2%	2.6%	3.5%
<b>Plaistow Town</b>													
Labor Force	4,220	4,250	4,270	4,270	4,270	4,320	4,370	4,360	4,260	4,350	4,360	4,290	4,300
Employment	3,990	4,000	4,020	4,050	4,060	4,120	4,180	4,160	4,070	4,110	4,120	4,090	4,080
Unemployment	230	250	250	220	210	200	190	200	190	240	240	200	220
Rate	5.5%	5.8%	5.8%	5.1%	4.9%	4.6%	4.3%	4.5%	4.5%	5.5%	5.5%	4.6%	5.0%
<b>Plymouth Town</b>													
Labor Force	3,200	3,230	3,190	3,110	3,070	3,240	3,320	3,280	3,250	3,180	3,120	3,170	3,200
Employment	3,110	3,130	3,100	3,020	2,990	3,130	3,210	3,170	3,140	3,080	3,020	3,080	3,100
Unemployment	90	100	90	90	80	110	110	110	110	100	100	90	100
Rate	2.8%	3.1%	2.9%	2.9%	2.7%	3.3%	3.3%	3.5%	3.3%	3.1%	3.1%	2.7%	3.0%
<b>Portsmouth City</b>													
Labor Force	12,920	12,910	13,000	13,040	13,150	13,530	13,780	13,750	13,320	13,180	13,170	13,010	13,230
Employment	12,440	12,430	12,530	12,620	12,760	13,090	13,390	13,350	12,920	12,790	12,770	12,640	12,810
Unemployment	480	480	470	420	390	440	390	400	400	390	400	370	420
Rate	3.7%	3.7%	3.6%	3.2%	3.0%	3.2%	2.8%	2.9%	3.0%	2.9%	3.1%	2.8%	3.2%

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<b>Raymond Town</b>													
Labor Force	6,030	5,990	6,020	5,960	6,000	6,050	6,070	6,070	6,000	6,020	6,070	6,070	6,030
Employment	5,710	5,680	5,710	5,750	5,770	5,820	5,830	5,820	5,770	5,800	5,840	5,830	5,780
Unemployment	320	310	310	210	230	230	240	250	230	220	230	240	250
Rate	5.3%	5.2%	5.2%	3.5%	3.8%	3.8%	4.0%	4.2%	3.9%	3.6%	3.8%	3.9%	4.2%
<b>Rochester City</b>													
Labor Force	16,260	16,290	16,410	16,300	16,460	16,340	16,390	16,370	16,260	16,370	16,460	16,400	16,360
Employment	15,500	15,490	15,630	15,670	15,860	15,720	15,780	15,780	15,720	15,880	15,950	15,910	15,740
Unemployment	760	800	780	630	600	620	610	590	540	490	510	490	620
Rate	4.7%	4.9%	4.7%	3.9%	3.7%	3.8%	3.7%	3.6%	3.3%	3.0%	3.1%	3.0%	3.8%
<b>Salem Town</b>													
Labor Force	17,320	17,280	17,280	17,170	17,260	17,520	17,820	17,740	17,310	17,540	17,620	17,490	17,440
Employment	16,250	16,180	16,210	16,290	16,390	16,600	16,900	16,840	16,450	16,550	16,650	16,600	16,490
Unemployment	1,070	1,100	1,070	880	870	920	920	900	860	990	970	890	950
Rate	6.2%	6.3%	6.2%	5.1%	5.1%	5.3%	5.2%	5.0%	5.0%	5.6%	5.5%	5.1%	5.5%
<b>Sandown Town</b>													
Labor Force	3,050	3,080	3,080	3,080	3,090	3,130	3,200	3,170	3,090	3,140	3,140	3,090	3,120
Employment	2,910	2,920	2,930	2,960	2,960	3,000	3,050	3,030	2,970	2,990	3,000	2,980	2,980
Unemployment	140	160	150	120	130	130	150	140	120	150	140	110	140
Rate	4.6%	5.2%	4.9%	3.9%	4.1%	4.1%	4.7%	4.4%	3.9%	4.8%	4.6%	3.7%	4.4%
<b>Seabrook Town</b>													
Labor Force	4,760	4,800	4,810	4,730	4,730	4,780	4,860	4,820	4,710	4,760	4,770	4,720	4,770
Employment	4,380	4,390	4,410	4,450	4,460	4,520	4,590	4,560	4,470	4,510	4,520	4,490	4,480
Unemployment	380	410	400	280	270	260	270	260	240	250	250	230	290
Rate	7.9%	8.5%	8.3%	5.9%	5.6%	5.5%	5.5%	5.3%	5.0%	5.2%	5.2%	4.9%	6.1%
<b>Somersworth City</b>													
Labor Force	6,230	6,230	6,290	6,270	6,330	6,310	6,330	6,330	6,290	6,350	6,370	6,330	6,300
Employment	5,990	5,990	6,040	6,060	6,130	6,080	6,100	6,100	6,080	6,140	6,160	6,150	6,080
Unemployment	240	240	250	210	200	230	230	230	210	210	210	180	220
Rate	3.8%	3.8%	4.0%	3.3%	3.2%	3.6%	3.7%	3.6%	3.3%	3.2%	3.2%	2.8%	3.5%
<b>Stratham Town</b>													
Labor Force	3,850	3,870	3,880	3,890	3,950	4,040	4,130	4,130	3,990	3,950	3,940	3,890	3,960
Employment	3,730	3,730	3,750	3,780	3,830	3,920	4,010	4,000	3,870	3,840	3,830	3,790	3,840
Unemployment	120	140	130	110	120	120	120	130	120	110	110	100	120
Rate	3.1%	3.6%	3.4%	2.9%	3.1%	3.0%	3.0%	3.2%	3.1%	2.9%	2.7%	2.6%	3.1%
<b>Swansey Town</b>													
Labor Force	4,000	4,000	4,010	4,030	4,000	4,030	4,090	4,040	4,010	4,050	4,030	4,020	4,020
Employment	3,870	3,860	3,880	3,920	3,900	3,920	3,980	3,930	3,900	3,960	3,940	3,920	3,910
Unemployment	130	140	130	110	100	110	110	110	110	90	90	100	110
Rate	3.3%	3.6%	3.2%	2.6%	2.6%	2.8%	2.8%	2.8%	2.8%	2.2%	2.3%	2.6%	2.8%

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<b>Weare Town</b>													
Labor Force	4,970	4,940	4,940	4,960	4,920	4,990	5,020	5,000	4,930	4,960	5,020	5,000	4,970
Employment	4,780	4,750	4,770	4,800	4,780	4,830	4,860	4,850	4,800	4,840	4,890	4,880	4,820
Unemployment	190	190	170	160	140	160	160	150	130	120	130	120	150
Rate	3.8%	3.8%	3.5%	3.2%	2.9%	3.2%	3.1%	3.0%	2.7%	2.5%	2.6%	2.5%	3.1%
<b>Windham Town</b>													
Labor Force	7,130	7,100	7,130	7,130	7,150	7,230	7,270	7,240	7,180	7,180	7,250	7,220	7,180
Employment	6,820	6,790	6,820	6,870	6,900	6,960	6,970	6,950	6,900	6,930	6,980	6,960	6,900
Unemployment	310	310	310	260	250	270	300	290	280	250	270	260	280
Rate	4.4%	4.4%	4.3%	3.7%	3.4%	3.8%	4.1%	4.0%	3.8%	3.4%	3.7%	3.5%	3.9%
<b>Wolfboro Town</b>													
Labor Force	2,880	2,890	2,900	2,970	3,070	3,310	3,550	3,390	3,160	3,070	2,940	2,950	3,090
Employment	2,770	2,770	2,780	2,870	2,970	3,190	3,440	3,290	3,060	2,980	2,850	2,870	2,990
Unemployment	110	120	120	100	100	120	110	100	100	90	90	80	100
Rate	3.8%	4.2%	4.2%	3.3%	3.1%	3.5%	3.1%	3.1%	3.1%	3.0%	3.2%	2.6%	3.3%

### 2005 Unemployment Rates\*

UNITED STATES	5.7%	5.8%	5.4%	4.9%	4.9%	5.2%	5.2%	4.9%	4.8%	4.6%	4.8%	4.6%	5.1%
NEW ENGLAND	5.3%	5.3%	5.1%	4.6%	4.5%	4.8%	4.8%	4.4%	4.6%	4.2%	4.4%	4.3%	4.7%
CONNECTICUT	5.4%	5.4%	5.1%	4.8%	5.0%	5.1%	5.2%	5.0%	4.7%	4.4%	4.5%	4.0%	4.9%
MAINE	5.6%	5.8%	5.7%	5.2%	4.9%	4.7%	4.7%	4.2%	4.4%	4.3%	4.6%	4.5%	4.9%
MASSACHUSETTS	5.6%	5.4%	5.1%	4.7%	4.6%	5.0%	4.9%	4.5%	4.9%	4.4%	4.7%	4.6%	4.8%
NEW HAMPSHIRE	4.1%	4.2%	4.1%	3.5%	3.4%	3.6%	3.4%	3.4%	3.3%	3.2%	3.3%	3.2%	3.6%
RHODE ISLAND	6.0%	5.7%	5.5%	4.8%	4.8%	4.9%	5.4%	5.2%	4.6%	4.5%	4.6%	4.7%	5.0%
VERMONT	4.2%	4.1%	4.1%	3.8%	3.1%	3.4%	3.3%	3.2%	3.2%	2.9%	3.2%	3.2%	3.5%

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<b>Seasonally Adjusted**</b>													
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NEW HAMPSHIRE													
Labor Force	721,470	722,380	723,200	723,960	724,720	725,490	726,360	727,220	727,900	728,320	728,460	728,420	
Employment	695,520	696,400	697,270	698,110	698,910	699,650	700,390	701,120	701,760	702,320	702,850	703,370	
Unemployment	25,950	25,980	25,930	25,850	25,810	25,840	25,970	26,100	26,140	26,000	25,610	25,050	
Rate	3.6%	3.6%	3.6%	3.6%	3.6%	3.6%	3.6%	3.6%	3.6%	3.6%	3.5%	3.4%	

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UNITED STATES	5.3%	5.4%	5.2%	5.2%	5.1%	5.0%	5.0%	4.9%	5.0%	5.0%	5.0%	4.9%	
NEW ENGLAND	4.7%	4.7%	4.7%	4.7%	4.7%	4.7%	4.7%	4.7%	4.7%	4.7%	4.7%	4.6%	
CONNECTICUT	4.9%	4.9%	5.0%	5.0%	5.0%	5.0%	4.9%	4.9%	4.8%	4.8%	4.7%	4.6%	
MAINE	4.9%	4.9%	5.0%	5.0%	5.0%	5.0%	4.9%	4.9%	4.9%	4.8%	4.7%	4.6%	
MASSACHUSETTS	4.9%	4.9%	4.9%	4.8%	4.8%	4.8%	4.8%	4.8%	4.9%	4.9%	4.9%	4.9%	
NEW HAMPSHIRE	3.6%	3.6%	3.6%	3.6%	3.6%	3.6%	3.6%	3.6%	3.6%	3.6%	3.5%	3.4%	
RHODE ISLAND	5.0%	5.0%	5.0%	5.0%	5.0%	5.0%	5.0%	5.1%	5.1%	5.2%	5.2%	5.1%	
VERMONT	3.5%	3.5%	3.4%	3.4%	3.4%	3.4%	3.5%	3.5%	3.5%	3.6%	3.6%	3.6%	

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