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	Jan-17	Feb-17	Mar-17	Apr-17	May-17	Jun-17	Jul-17	Aug-17	Sep-17	Oct-17	Nov-17	Dec-17	Ann Avg
New Hampshire													
Labor Force	750,110	749,910	752,740	748,650	750,190	762,270	767,300	762,940	752,530	752,160	753,690	753,700	754,690
Employment	725,190	724,800	728,800	728,590	730,920	742,360	747,120	742,830	734,030	734,840	735,290	735,690	734,210
Unemployment	24,920	25,110	23,940	20,060	19,270	19,910	20,180	20,110	18,500	17,320	18,400	18,010	20,480
Rate	3.3%	3.3%	3.2%	2.7%	2.6%	2.6%	2.6%	2.6%	2.5%	2.3%	2.4%	2.4%	2.7%
Belknap County													
Labor Force	30,370	30,300	30,310	29,900	30,770	32,220	33,200	33,190	31,470	30,830	30,670	30,300	31,130
Employment	29,280	29,210	29,320	29,070	30,010	31,450	32,430	32,420	30,710	30,160	29,940	29,560	30,300
Unemployment	1,090	1,090	990	830	760	770	770	770	760	670	730	740	830
Rate	3.6%	3.6%	3.3%	2.8%	2.5%	2.4%	2.3%	2.3%	2.4%	2.2%	2.4%	2.4%	2.7%
Carroll County													
Labor Force	23,350	23,160	22,970	21,880	22,520	24,390	25,840	25,780	24,040	23,380	22,660	22,850	23,570
Employment	22,550	22,370	22,190	21,250	21,940	23,810	25,250	25,180	23,440	22,860	22,080	22,290	22,940
Unemployment	800	790	780	630	580	580	590	600	600	520	580	560	630
Rate	3.4%	3.4%	3.4%	2.9%	2.6%	2.4%	2.3%	2.3%	2.5%	2.2%	2.5%	2.4%	2.7%
Cheshire County													
Labor Force	40,970	41,240	41,160	41,170	40,880	40,950	41,010	40,980	40,700	40,860	40,950	40,980	40,990
Employment	39,670	39,890	39,870	40,130	39,860	39,890	39,930	39,940	39,740	40,000	40,010	40,060	39,920
Unemployment	1,300	1,350	1,290	1,040	1,020	1,060	1,080	1,040	960	860	940	920	1,070
Rate	3.2%	3.3%	3.1%	2.5%	2.5%	2.6%	2.6%	2.5%	2.4%	2.1%	2.3%	2.3%	2.6%
Coos County													
Labor Force	14,470	14,430	14,390	14,120	14,190	14,690	14,900	14,910	14,610	14,460	14,160	14,310	14,470
Employment	13,790	13,780	13,770	13,530	13,700	14,240	14,460	14,460	14,200	14,090	13,740	13,850	13,970
Unemployment	680	650	620	590	490	450	440	450	410	370	420	460	500
Rate	4.7%	4.5%	4.3%	4.2%	3.4%	3.1%	3.0%	3.0%	2.8%	2.5%	2.9%	3.2%	3.5%
Grafton County													
Labor Force	48,910	49,650	49,360	48,070	48,120	49,060	50,740	50,530	49,670	49,340	49,140	49,290	49,320
Employment	47,630	48,290	48,090	47,020	47,050	48,030	49,650	49,480	48,660	48,440	48,130	48,350	48,230
Unemployment	1,280	1,360	1,270	1,050	1,070	1,030	1,090	1,050	1,010	900	1,010	940	1,090
Rate	2.6%	2.7%	2.6%	2.2%	2.2%	2.1%	2.2%	2.1%	2.0%	1.8%	2.1%	1.9%	2.2%
Hillsborough County													
Labor Force	234,950	233,010	234,550	234,190	233,590	236,420	235,170	233,390	232,050	232,650	234,520	235,050	234,130
Employment	226,780	224,890	226,810	227,550	227,250	229,840	228,490	226,700	225,980	226,890	228,500	229,140	227,400
Unemployment	8,170	8,120	7,740	6,640	6,340	6,580	6,680	6,690	6,070	5,760	6,020	5,910	6,730
Rate	3.5%	3.5%	3.3%	2.8%	2.7%	2.8%	2.8%	2.9%	2.6%	2.5%	2.6%	2.5%	2.9%
Merrimack County													
Labor Force	82,210	82,100	82,260	81,430	81,320	82,460	83,240	82,680	81,640	81,730	81,960	82,080	82,090
Employment	79,770	79,590	79,890	79,600	79,480	80,580	81,280	80,760	79,850	80,110	80,220	80,440	80,130
Unemployment	2,440	2,510	2,370	1,830	1,840	1,880	1,960	1,920	1,790	1,620	1,740	1,640	1,960
Rate	3.0%	3.1%	2.9%	2.2%	2.3%	2.3%	2.3%	2.3%	2.2%	2.0%	2.1%	2.0%	2.4%
Rockingham County													
Labor Force	181,540	180,360	181,630	181,970	182,670	186,380	186,800	185,480	182,580	182,760	183,280	182,880	183,200
Employment	175,020	173,910	175,360	176,680	177,670	181,040	181,540	180,120	177,800	178,080	178,410	178,040	177,810
Unemployment	6,520	6,450	6,270	5,290	5,000	5,340	5,260	5,360	4,780	4,680	4,870	4,840	5,390
Rate	3.6%	3.6%	3.5%	2.9%	2.7%	2.9%	2.8%	2.9%	2.6%	2.6%	2.7%	2.6%	2.9%

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Strafford County													
Labor Force	70,100	72,400	72,870	72,890	73,090	72,230	72,850	72,460	72,520	73,020	73,240	72,950	72,550
Employment	68,060	70,240	70,860	71,260	71,410	70,500	71,040	70,730	70,890	71,520	71,630	71,400	70,790
Unemployment	2,040	2,160	2,010	1,630	1,680	1,730	1,810	1,730	1,630	1,500	1,610	1,550	1,760
Rate	2.9%	3.0%	2.8%	2.2%	2.3%	2.4%	2.5%	2.4%	2.2%	2.1%	2.2%	2.1%	2.4%
Sullivan County													
Labor Force	23,250	23,260	23,270	23,030	23,050	23,470	23,580	23,530	23,250	23,160	23,130	23,040	23,250
Employment	22,640	22,630	22,660	22,510	22,560	22,980	23,070	23,040	22,770	22,720	22,640	22,580	22,730
Unemployment	610	630	610	520	490	490	510	490	480	440	490	460	520
Rate	2.6%	2.7%	2.6%	2.3%	2.1%	2.1%	2.2%	2.1%	2.1%	1.9%	2.1%	2.0%	2.2%
Belmont NH Labor Market Area													
Labor Force	10,860	10,810	10,890	10,730	10,980	11,410	11,820	11,760	11,210	11,040	11,040	10,800	11,110
Employment	10,450	10,420	10,520	10,440	10,720	11,140	11,560	11,500	10,950	10,810	10,790	10,540	10,820
Unemployment	410	390	370	290	260	270	260	260	260	230	250	260	290
Rate	3.7%	3.6%	3.4%	2.7%	2.4%	2.3%	2.2%	2.2%	2.3%	2.1%	2.3%	2.4%	2.6%
Berlin NH Micropolitan New England City & Town Area													
Labor Force	6,470	6,420	6,430	6,400	6,370	6,590	6,580	6,550	6,480	6,470	6,340	6,320	6,450
Employment	6,130	6,090	6,110	6,110	6,120	6,340	6,350	6,310	6,270	6,280	6,120	6,090	6,190
Unemployment	340	330	320	290	250	250	230	240	210	190	220	230	260
Rate	5.2%	5.1%	4.9%	4.6%	4.0%	3.7%	3.5%	3.6%	3.3%	3.0%	3.4%	3.7%	4.0%
Charlestown NH Labor Market Area													
Labor Force	7,120	7,140	7,150	7,090	7,120	7,210	7,230	7,240	7,100	7,130	7,140	7,100	7,150
Employment	6,930	6,940	6,960	6,930	6,970	7,070	7,080	7,090	6,950	7,000	7,000	6,970	6,990
Unemployment	190	200	190	160	150	140	150	150	150	130	140	130	160
Rate	2.7%	2.8%	2.6%	2.2%	2.1%	2.0%	2.0%	2.0%	2.1%	1.9%	1.9%	1.9%	2.2%
Claremont, NH Micropolitan New England City & Town Area													
Labor Force	7,400	7,390	7,390	7,340	7,350	7,550	7,570	7,540	7,460	7,400	7,360	7,320	7,420
Employment	7,200	7,190	7,190	7,180	7,190	7,370	7,380	7,360	7,290	7,240	7,190	7,150	7,240
Unemployment	200	200	200	160	160	180	190	180	170	160	170	170	180
Rate	2.6%	2.7%	2.7%	2.2%	2.1%	2.4%	2.5%	2.3%	2.3%	2.1%	2.3%	2.3%	2.4%
Colebrook NH-VT Labor Market Area, NH Portion													
Labor Force	2,460	2,510	2,520	2,440	2,450	2,520	2,560	2,600	2,570	2,500	2,420	2,420	2,500
Employment	2,350	2,400	2,420	2,320	2,360	2,450	2,490	2,520	2,500	2,450	2,360	2,360	2,420
Unemployment	110	110	100	120	90	70	70	80	70	50	60	60	80
Rate	4.4%	4.3%	4.0%	5.0%	3.5%	2.9%	2.8%	3.2%	2.7%	2.2%	2.3%	2.6%	3.3%
Colebrook NH-VT Labor Market Area (NH & VT)													
Labor Force	2,990	3,050	3,050	2,960	3,010	3,080	3,120	3,170	3,120	3,060	2,970	2,950	3,040
Employment	2,860	2,920	2,930	2,820	2,900	2,990	3,030	3,070	3,030	2,990	2,890	2,870	2,940
Unemployment	130	130	120	140	110	90	90	100	90	70	80	80	100
Rate	4.4%	4.3%	3.9%	4.8%	3.5%	3.0%	2.9%	3.3%	2.8%	2.2%	2.6%	2.8%	3.4%
Concord NH Micropolitan New England City & Town Area													
Labor Force	46,860	46,830	46,960	46,840	46,750	47,360	47,850	47,490	46,980	47,050	47,110	46,930	47,080
Employment	45,580	45,480	45,710	45,840	45,740	46,310	46,780	46,420	45,990	46,140	46,140	46,030	46,010
Unemployment	1,280	1,350	1,250	1,000	1,010	1,050	1,070	1,070	990	910	970	900	1,070
Rate	2.7%	2.9%	2.7%	2.1%	2.2%	2.2%	2.2%	2.2%	2.1%	1.9%	2.1%	1.9%	2.3%

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Conway NH-ME Labor Market Area, NH Portion													
Labor Force	12,470	12,300	12,090	11,300	11,600	12,710	13,450	13,450	12,530	12,250	11,770	12,080	12,330
Employment	12,100	11,920	11,720	10,980	11,320	12,430	13,170	13,160	12,240	12,010	11,500	11,820	12,030
Unemployment	370	380	370	320	280	280	280	290	290	240	270	260	300
Rate	3.0%	3.1%	3.1%	2.9%	2.4%	2.2%	2.0%	2.1%	2.3%	2.0%	2.3%	2.2%	2.5%
Conway NH-ME Labor Market Area (NH & ME)													
Labor Force	16,260	16,060	15,850	14,990	15,410	16,850	17,850	17,830	16,520	16,140	15,560	15,910	16,270
Employment	15,760	15,550	15,340	14,540	15,000	16,440	17,450	17,440	16,150	15,810	15,180	15,560	15,850
Unemployment	500	510	510	450	410	410	400	390	370	330	380	350	420
Rate	3.1%	3.2%	3.2%	3.0%	2.6%	2.4%	2.2%	2.2%	2.2%	2.0%	2.4%	2.2%	2.6%
Dover-Durham NH-ME Metropolitan New England City & Town Area, NH Portion													
Labor Force	70,100	72,400	72,870	72,890	73,090	72,230	72,850	72,460	72,520	73,020	73,240	72,950	72,550
Employment	68,060	70,240	70,860	71,260	71,410	70,500	71,040	70,730	70,890	71,520	71,630	71,400	70,790
Unemployment	2,040	2,160	2,010	1,630	1,680	1,730	1,810	1,730	1,630	1,500	1,610	1,550	1,760
Rate	2.9%	3.0%	2.8%	2.2%	2.3%	2.4%	2.5%	2.4%	2.2%	2.1%	2.2%	2.1%	2.4%
Dover-Durham NH-ME Metropolitan New England City & Town Area (NH & ME)													
Labor Force	81,600	84,230	84,730	84,750	84,930	83,930	84,610	84,240	84,300	84,930	85,170	84,820	84,350
Employment	79,130	81,650	82,310	82,780	82,930	81,860	82,470	82,220	82,400	83,160	83,240	82,980	82,260
Unemployment	2,470	2,580	2,420	1,970	2,000	2,070	2,140	2,020	1,900	1,770	1,930	1,840	2,090
Rate	3.0%	3.1%	2.9%	2.3%	2.4%	2.5%	2.5%	2.4%	2.3%	2.1%	2.3%	2.2%	2.5%
Expanded Claremont, NH estimating area (previously known as the Claremont-Newport NH Labor Market Area)													
Labor Force	13,830	13,810	13,820	13,730	13,760	14,100	14,130	14,090	13,950	13,840	13,760	13,670	13,870
Employment	13,470	13,440	13,450	13,420	13,460	13,780	13,800	13,770	13,640	13,550	13,450	13,380	13,550
Unemployment	360	370	370	310	300	320	330	320	310	290	310	290	320
Rate	2.6%	2.7%	2.7%	2.3%	2.2%	2.3%	2.3%	2.2%	2.2%	2.1%	2.3%	2.1%	2.3%
Franklin NH Labor Market Area													
Labor Force	10,430	10,400	10,410	10,320	10,370	10,580	10,620	10,630	10,460	10,410	10,440	10,420	10,460
Employment	10,030	9,980	10,020	10,030	10,110	10,320	10,350	10,370	10,200	10,190	10,200	10,150	10,160
Unemployment	400	420	390	290	260	260	270	260	260	220	240	270	300
Rate	3.8%	4.0%	3.8%	2.8%	2.5%	2.5%	2.5%	2.4%	2.4%	2.1%	2.3%	2.6%	2.8%
Haverhill NH Labor Market Area													
Labor Force	3,490	3,520	3,520	3,450	3,460	3,490	3,520	3,530	3,510	3,500	3,460	3,430	3,490
Employment	3,360	3,400	3,410	3,370	3,380	3,410	3,430	3,450	3,430	3,430	3,390	3,350	3,400
Unemployment	130	120	110	80	80	80	90	80	80	70	70	80	90
Rate	3.8%	3.4%	3.1%	2.2%	2.2%	2.2%	2.6%	2.3%	2.2%	1.9%	2.0%	2.2%	2.5%
Hillsborough NH Labor Market Area													
Labor Force	8,170	8,270	8,200	7,940	7,970	7,960	8,030	8,020	8,020	7,990	8,070	8,290	8,080
Employment	7,920	8,020	7,960	7,750	7,780	7,780	7,840	7,830	7,840	7,820	7,890	8,120	7,880
Unemployment	250	250	240	190	190	180	190	190	180	170	180	170	200
Rate	3.0%	3.0%	2.9%	2.4%	2.4%	2.3%	2.4%	2.3%	2.3%	2.1%	2.2%	2.1%	2.5%
Hinsdale Town, NH Portion, Brattleboro VT-NH Labor Market Area													
Labor Force	2,110	2,110	2,110	2,070	2,030	2,080	2,080	2,070	2,040	2,030	2,050	2,080	2,070
Employment	2,020	2,010	2,020	2,000	1,970	2,020	2,020	2,010	1,980	1,980	1,990	2,010	2,000
Unemployment	90	100	90	70	60	60	60	60	60	50	60	70	70
Rate	4.4%	4.6%	4.1%	3.2%	3.0%	2.7%	2.8%	2.9%	2.7%	2.6%	2.9%	3.1%	3.2%

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Keene NH Micropolitan New England City & Town Area													
Labor Force	26,700	26,940	26,910	27,070	26,810	26,690	26,690	26,630	26,610	26,720	26,780	26,780	26,780
Employment	25,900	26,090	26,100	26,410	26,150	25,990	25,970	25,940	25,990	26,170	26,160	26,180	26,090
Unemployment	800	850	810	660	660	700	720	690	620	550	620	600	690
Rate	3.0%	3.2%	3.0%	2.4%	2.5%	2.6%	2.7%	2.6%	2.3%	2.0%	2.3%	2.2%	2.6%
Laconia NH Micropolitan New England City & Town Area													
Labor Force	11,230	11,190	11,160	10,940	11,290	11,830	12,100	12,120	11,540	11,230	11,190	11,100	11,410
Employment	10,800	10,770	10,790	10,630	10,990	11,530	11,790	11,820	11,250	10,970	10,900	10,820	11,090
Unemployment	430	420	370	310	300	300	310	300	290	260	290	280	320
Rate	3.8%	3.8%	3.3%	2.8%	2.7%	2.5%	2.6%	2.5%	2.5%	2.3%	2.6%	2.5%	2.8%
Lebanon NH-VT Micropolitan New England City & Town Area, NH Portion													
Labor Force	25,210	25,290	25,380	25,000	24,970	25,100	25,340	25,310	25,090	25,100	25,240	25,130	25,180
Employment	24,650	24,680	24,780	24,500	24,450	24,600	24,800	24,800	24,580	24,660	24,750	24,670	24,660
Unemployment	560	610	600	500	520	500	540	510	510	440	490	460	520
Rate	2.2%	2.4%	2.4%	2.0%	2.1%	2.0%	2.1%	2.0%	2.0%	1.8%	1.9%	1.8%	2.1%
Lebanon NH-VT Micropolitan New England City & Town Area (NH & VT)													
Labor Force	44,640	44,910	45,040	44,440	44,690	45,140	45,420	45,610	44,920	44,780	44,990	44,700	44,940
Employment	43,550	43,780	43,930	43,470	43,740	44,190	44,420	44,630	43,970	44,000	44,110	43,870	43,970
Unemployment	1,090	1,130	1,110	970	950	950	1,000	980	950	780	880	830	970
Rate	2.4%	2.5%	2.5%	2.2%	2.1%	2.1%	2.2%	2.2%	2.1%	1.7%	2.0%	1.9%	2.2%
Littleton NH-VT Labor Market Area, NH Portion													
Labor Force	12,450	12,420	12,270	11,930	12,160	12,650	13,070	13,060	12,580	12,390	12,250	12,550	12,480
Employment	12,030	11,980	11,870	11,570	11,850	12,360	12,770	12,770	12,300	12,140	11,940	12,250	12,150
Unemployment	420	440	400	360	310	290	300	290	280	250	310	300	330
Rate	3.4%	3.5%	3.3%	3.0%	2.6%	2.3%	2.3%	2.3%	2.2%	2.0%	2.5%	2.4%	2.7%
Littleton NH-VT Labor Market Area (NH & VT)													
Labor Force	13,270	13,230	13,080	12,730	12,970	13,500	13,910	13,910	13,410	13,240	13,080	13,360	13,310
Employment	12,810	12,750	12,640	12,330	12,630	13,180	13,580	13,590	13,100	12,960	12,750	13,040	12,950
Unemployment	460	480	440	400	340	320	330	320	310	280	330	320	360
Rate	3.5%	3.6%	3.4%	3.1%	2.6%	2.3%	2.3%	2.3%	2.3%	2.1%	2.5%	2.4%	2.7%
Manchester NH Metropolitan New England City & Town Area													
Labor Force	119,160	118,300	119,140	119,060	118,650	119,990	119,520	118,370	117,770	118,000	118,940	119,210	118,840
Employment	115,350	114,520	115,560	115,990	115,620	116,800	116,380	115,220	114,880	115,290	116,140	116,540	115,690
Unemployment	3,810	3,780	3,580	3,070	3,030	3,190	3,140	3,150	2,890	2,710	2,800	2,670	3,150
Rate	3.2%	3.2%	3.0%	2.6%	2.6%	2.7%	2.6%	2.7%	2.5%	2.3%	2.4%	2.2%	2.7%
Meredith NH Labor Market Area													
Labor Force	6,930	6,940	6,890	6,840	7,200	7,780	8,220	8,230	7,480	7,260	7,080	7,040	7,330
Employment	6,690	6,710	6,670	6,650	7,030	7,610	8,050	8,050	7,300	7,110	6,920	6,870	7,140
Unemployment	240	230	220	190	170	170	170	180	180	150	160	170	190
Rate	3.4%	3.3%	3.2%	2.8%	2.3%	2.2%	2.0%	2.2%	2.3%	2.1%	2.3%	2.4%	2.5%
Nashua NH-MA New England City & Town Area Division, NH Portion													
Labor Force	163,200	161,400	162,720	162,520	162,260	164,400	162,890	161,690	160,910	161,430	162,850	163,120	162,450
Employment	157,190	155,430	156,960	157,610	157,650	159,590	157,970	156,760	156,530	157,150	158,380	158,700	157,490
Unemployment	6,010	5,970	5,760	4,910	4,610	4,810	4,920	4,930	4,380	4,280	4,470	4,420	4,960
Rate	3.7%	3.7%	3.5%	3.0%	2.8%	2.9%	3.0%	3.0%	2.7%	2.7%	2.7%	2.7%	3.1%

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Nashua NH-MA New England City & Town Area Division (NH & MA)													
Labor Force	172,170	170,320	171,710	171,450	171,200	173,500	171,910	170,710	169,890	170,380	171,860	172,190	171,440
Employment	165,840	164,040	165,650	166,280	166,310	168,380	166,660	165,470	165,220	165,860	167,150	167,520	166,200
Unemployment	6,330	6,280	6,060	5,170	4,890	5,120	5,250	5,240	4,670	4,520	4,710	4,670	5,240
Rate	3.7%	3.7%	3.5%	3.0%	2.9%	3.0%	3.1%	3.1%	2.7%	2.7%	2.7%	2.7%	3.1%
New London NH Labor Market Area													
Labor Force	8,930	8,990	8,890	8,380	8,360	8,580	8,860	8,850	8,520	8,550	8,520	8,760	8,680
Employment	8,690	8,740	8,640	8,190	8,150	8,390	8,660	8,660	8,320	8,380	8,330	8,590	8,480
Unemployment	240	250	250	190	210	190	200	190	200	170	190	170	200
Rate	2.7%	2.7%	2.8%	2.2%	2.5%	2.2%	2.2%	2.2%	2.3%	1.9%	2.2%	2.0%	2.3%
Newport, NH Labor Market Area													
Labor Force	6,430	6,430	6,430	6,400	6,400	6,550	6,560	6,550	6,490	6,440	6,410	6,360	6,460
Employment	6,270	6,260	6,260	6,250	6,260	6,410	6,420	6,410	6,350	6,310	6,260	6,230	6,310
Unemployment	160	170	170	150	140	140	140	140	140	130	150	130	150
Rate	2.5%	2.6%	2.6%	2.4%	2.2%	2.2%	2.2%	2.1%	2.1%	2.0%	2.3%	2.0%	2.3%
Pelham Town, NH Portion, Lowell-Billerica-Chelmsford MA-NH New England City & Town Area Division													
Labor Force	7,700	7,670	7,700	7,690	7,660	7,790	7,850	7,790	7,680	7,730	7,760	7,730	7,730
Employment	7,340	7,320	7,370	7,410	7,400	7,510	7,550	7,500	7,420	7,480	7,500	7,460	7,440
Unemployment	360	350	330	280	260	280	300	290	260	250	260	270	290
Rate	4.7%	4.5%	4.3%	3.6%	3.4%	3.6%	3.8%	3.7%	3.3%	3.3%	3.4%	3.5%	3.8%
Peterborough NH Labor Market Area													
Labor Force	18,790	18,820	18,770	18,620	18,550	18,810	18,960	19,080	18,670	18,800	18,790	18,810	18,790
Employment	18,180	18,200	18,160	18,140	18,100	18,340	18,460	18,580	18,210	18,370	18,350	18,380	18,290
Unemployment	610	620	610	480	450	470	500	500	460	430	440	430	500
Rate	3.2%	3.3%	3.2%	2.6%	2.4%	2.5%	2.6%	2.6%	2.5%	2.3%	2.3%	2.3%	2.7%
Plymouth NH Labor Market Area													
Labor Force	17,750	18,400	18,110	17,410	17,320	17,830	19,060	18,850	18,470	18,240	18,050	18,180	18,140
Employment	17,260	17,890	17,650	17,020	16,930	17,460	18,670	18,480	18,120	17,920	17,690	17,840	17,740
Unemployment	490	510	460	390	390	370	390	370	350	320	360	340	400
Rate	2.8%	2.8%	2.6%	2.2%	2.3%	2.1%	2.0%	2.0%	1.9%	1.7%	2.0%	1.9%	2.2%
Portsmouth NH-ME Metropolitan New England City & Town Area, NH Portion													
Labor Force	57,710	57,580	57,860	58,110	58,800	60,390	61,160	60,690	59,310	59,040	58,830	58,600	59,010
Employment	56,000	55,900	56,230	56,770	57,460	58,990	59,740	59,250	57,930	57,760	57,510	57,300	57,570
Unemployment	1,710	1,680	1,630	1,340	1,340	1,400	1,420	1,440	1,380	1,280	1,320	1,300	1,440
Rate	3.0%	2.9%	2.8%	2.3%	2.3%	2.3%	2.3%	2.4%	2.3%	2.2%	2.3%	2.2%	2.4%
Portsmouth NH-ME Metropolitan New England City & Town Area (NH & ME)													
Labor Force	74,690	74,510	74,780	75,140	76,010	77,990	78,930	78,420	76,650	76,370	76,090	75,830	76,290
Employment	72,450	72,320	72,670	73,380	74,240	76,160	77,090	76,610	74,900	74,730	74,350	74,120	74,420
Unemployment	2,240	2,190	2,110	1,760	1,770	1,830	1,840	1,810	1,750	1,640	1,740	1,710	1,870
Rate	3.0%	2.9%	2.8%	2.3%	2.3%	2.4%	2.3%	2.3%	2.3%	2.1%	2.3%	2.3%	2.4%
Raymond NH Labor Market Area													
Labor Force	14,440	14,380	14,440	14,460	14,550	14,850	14,910	14,910	14,620	14,620	14,570	14,510	14,610
Employment	13,970	13,920	14,000	14,090	14,210	14,480	14,530	14,520	14,270	14,300	14,240	14,190	14,230
Unemployment	470	460	440	370	340	370	380	390	350	320	330	320	380
Rate	3.2%	3.2%	3.0%	2.6%	2.4%	2.5%	2.5%	2.6%	2.4%	2.2%	2.3%	2.2%	2.6%

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Salem Town, NH Portion, Lawrence-Methuen-Salem MA-NH New England City & Town Area Division													
Labor Force	17,770	17,630	17,770	17,780	17,710	17,980	18,120	17,970	17,640	17,780	17,930	17,910	17,840
Employment	17,000	16,870	17,030	17,130	17,100	17,320	17,480	17,320	17,080	17,220	17,350	17,330	17,190
Unemployment	770	760	740	650	610	660	640	650	560	560	580	580	650
Rate	4.4%	4.3%	4.2%	3.7%	3.4%	3.7%	3.5%	3.6%	3.2%	3.1%	3.2%	3.2%	3.6%
Seabrook-Hampstead Area, NH Portion, Haverhill-Newburyport-Amesbury MA-NH New England City & Town Area Division													
Labor Force	38,990	38,670	39,020	39,100	39,200	40,010	39,980	39,650	39,040	39,110	39,310	39,120	39,270
Employment	37,280	36,980	37,390	37,750	37,980	38,730	38,750	38,400	37,960	38,040	38,150	37,950	37,950
Unemployment	1,710	1,690	1,630	1,350	1,220	1,280	1,230	1,250	1,080	1,070	1,160	1,170	1,320
Rate	4.4%	4.4%	4.2%	3.4%	3.1%	3.2%	3.1%	3.2%	2.8%	2.7%	2.9%	3.0%	3.4%
Wolfeboro NH Labor Market Area													
Labor Force	8,820	8,800	8,810	8,550	8,770	9,370	9,930	9,880	9,280	8,970	8,790	8,670	9,050
Employment	8,470	8,460	8,480	8,290	8,520	9,120	9,680	9,620	9,030	8,740	8,530	8,420	8,780
Unemployment	350	340	330	260	250	250	250	260	250	230	260	250	270
Rate	3.9%	3.9%	3.8%	3.0%	2.8%	2.7%	2.6%	2.6%	2.7%	2.6%	2.9%	2.9%	3.0%
<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>													
Amherst Town													
Labor Force	6,160	6,100	6,150	6,180	6,170	6,250	6,190	6,140	6,140	6,140	6,190	6,200	6,160
Employment	6,000	5,930	5,990	6,020	6,020	6,090	6,030	5,980	5,980	6,000	6,050	6,060	6,010
Unemployment	160	170	160	160	150	160	160	160	160	140	140	140	150
Rate	2.6%	2.7%	2.6%	2.5%	2.4%	2.5%	2.6%	2.5%	2.7%	2.3%	2.3%	2.3%	2.5%
Atkinson Town													
Labor Force	3,870	3,830	3,860	3,890	3,910	4,010	3,990	3,970	3,910	3,920	3,930	3,910	3,920
Employment	3,720	3,690	3,730	3,770	3,790	3,870	3,870	3,830	3,790	3,800	3,810	3,790	3,790
Unemployment	150	140	130	120	120	140	120	140	120	120	120	120	130
Rate	3.8%	3.6%	3.4%	3.0%	3.1%	3.6%	3.0%	3.4%	3.0%	3.0%	3.1%	3.0%	3.2%
Barrington Town													
Labor Force	5,120	5,280	5,330	5,320	5,330	5,270	5,310	5,280	5,290	5,330	5,340	5,330	5,290
Employment	4,960	5,120	5,170	5,200	5,210	5,140	5,180	5,160	5,170	5,220	5,220	5,210	5,160
Unemployment	160	160	160	120	120	130	130	120	120	110	120	120	130
Rate	3.1%	3.0%	3.0%	2.2%	2.3%	2.5%	2.4%	2.2%	2.3%	2.0%	2.2%	2.2%	2.5%
Bedford Town													
Labor Force	11,960	11,900	11,990	12,010	11,960	12,130	12,070	11,950	11,910	11,930	12,010	12,000	11,990
Employment	11,660	11,580	11,680	11,730	11,690	11,810	11,770	11,650	11,620	11,660	11,740	11,780	11,700
Unemployment	300	320	310	280	270	320	300	300	290	270	270	220	290
Rate	2.5%	2.7%	2.6%	2.3%	2.3%	2.6%	2.5%	2.5%	2.4%	2.3%	2.2%	1.8%	2.4%
Belmont Town													
Labor Force	3,540	3,530	3,550	3,490	3,570	3,700	3,840	3,820	3,630	3,580	3,590	3,510	3,610
Employment	3,390	3,380	3,410	3,390	3,480	3,610	3,750	3,730	3,550	3,500	3,500	3,420	3,510
Unemployment	150	150	140	100	90	90	90	90	80	80	90	90	100
Rate	4.3%	4.4%	3.9%	3.0%	2.5%	2.5%	2.2%	2.2%	2.3%	2.3%	2.5%	2.6%	2.9%
Berlin City													
Labor Force	3,900	3,890	3,890	3,880	3,850	3,980	3,980	3,950	3,920	3,910	3,830	3,830	3,900
Employment	3,700	3,680	3,690	3,690	3,690	3,830	3,830	3,810	3,790	3,790	3,690	3,680	3,740
Unemployment	200	210	200	190	160	150	150	140	130	120	140	150	160
Rate	5.2%	5.4%	5.2%	4.9%	4.1%	3.7%	3.6%	3.6%	3.3%	3.0%	3.7%	3.9%	4.2%

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Bow Town													
Labor Force	4,390	4,390	4,400	4,390	4,400	4,460	4,500	4,470	4,420	4,410	4,420	4,400	4,420
Employment	4,290	4,280	4,300	4,310	4,310	4,360	4,400	4,370	4,330	4,340	4,340	4,330	4,330
Unemployment	100	110	100	80	90	100	100	100	90	70	80	70	90
Rate	2.3%	2.5%	2.3%	1.8%	2.0%	2.1%	2.2%	2.2%	2.0%	1.7%	1.8%	1.6%	2.0%
Charlestown Town													
Labor Force	2,860	2,870	2,860	2,840	2,850	2,880	2,880	2,890	2,830	2,850	2,850	2,840	2,860
Employment	2,770	2,780	2,780	2,770	2,790	2,830	2,830	2,840	2,780	2,800	2,800	2,790	2,800
Unemployment	90	90	80	70	60	50	50	50	50	50	50	50	60
Rate	3.0%	3.2%	2.9%	2.4%	2.2%	1.8%	1.9%	1.7%	1.9%	1.6%	1.9%	1.8%	2.2%
Claremont City													
Labor Force	6,520	6,510	6,510	6,460	6,480	6,660	6,670	6,640	6,580	6,530	6,480	6,450	6,540
Employment	6,340	6,330	6,330	6,320	6,340	6,490	6,500	6,480	6,420	6,380	6,330	6,300	6,380
Unemployment	180	180	180	140	140	170	170	160	160	150	150	150	160
Rate	2.7%	2.8%	2.7%	2.2%	2.2%	2.5%	2.6%	2.4%	2.4%	2.2%	2.4%	2.4%	2.4%
Colebrook Town													
Labor Force	1,120	1,140	1,140	1,090	1,100	1,150	1,160	1,190	1,160	1,140	1,090	1,100	1,130
Employment	1,070	1,090	1,100	1,050	1,070	1,120	1,130	1,150	1,130	1,110	1,070	1,070	1,100
Unemployment	50	50	40	40	30	30	30	40	30	30	20	30	30
Rate	4.6%	4.3%	3.3%	3.6%	2.5%	2.2%	2.8%	3.1%	2.2%	2.4%	2.0%	2.3%	2.9%
Concord City													
Labor Force	22,450	22,450	22,530	22,480	22,430	22,730	22,960	22,800	22,560	22,590	22,630	22,530	22,590
Employment	21,850	21,800	21,920	21,980	21,930	22,200	22,430	22,260	22,050	22,120	22,120	22,070	22,060
Unemployment	600	650	610	500	500	530	530	540	510	470	510	460	530
Rate	2.7%	2.9%	2.7%	2.2%	2.2%	2.3%	2.3%	2.4%	2.3%	2.1%	2.2%	2.0%	2.4%
Conway Town													
Labor Force	5,470	5,400	5,310	4,950	5,100	5,590	5,900	5,900	5,510	5,370	5,170	5,290	5,420
Employment	5,310	5,240	5,150	4,820	4,980	5,460	5,780	5,780	5,380	5,270	5,050	5,190	5,290
Unemployment	160	160	160	130	120	130	120	120	130	100	120	100	130
Rate	2.9%	2.9%	3.0%	2.7%	2.3%	2.3%	2.0%	2.1%	2.3%	1.9%	2.3%	1.9%	2.4%
Derry Town													
Labor Force	20,260	19,990	20,150	20,090	20,080	20,360	20,150	20,020	19,920	20,000	20,180	20,220	20,110
Employment	19,380	19,160	19,350	19,430	19,430	19,670	19,470	19,320	19,300	19,370	19,520	19,560	19,410
Unemployment	880	830	800	660	650	690	680	700	620	630	660	660	700
Rate	4.3%	4.1%	4.0%	3.3%	3.2%	3.4%	3.4%	3.5%	3.1%	3.1%	3.3%	3.2%	3.5%
Dover City													
Labor Force	17,560	18,150	18,260	18,310	18,370	18,150	18,300	18,230	18,220	18,340	18,390	18,330	18,220
Employment	17,120	17,670	17,820	17,920	17,960	17,730	17,870	17,790	17,830	17,990	18,020	17,960	17,810
Unemployment	440	480	440	390	410	420	430	440	390	350	370	370	410
Rate	2.5%	2.6%	2.4%	2.1%	2.2%	2.3%	2.4%	2.4%	2.2%	1.9%	2.0%	2.0%	2.3%
Durham Town													
Labor Force	8,770	9,130	9,170	9,140	9,200	9,070	9,150	9,070	9,090	9,150	9,200	9,140	9,110
Employment	8,520	8,790	8,870	8,920	8,930	8,820	8,890	8,850	8,870	8,950	8,960	8,930	8,860
Unemployment	250	340	300	220	270	250	260	220	220	200	240	210	250
Rate	2.8%	3.7%	3.2%	2.4%	3.0%	2.7%	2.8%	2.4%	2.4%	2.2%	2.6%	2.3%	2.7%

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Epping Town													
Labor Force	4,120	4,090	4,100	4,100	4,160	4,270	4,310	4,280	4,180	4,180	4,150	4,150	4,180
Employment	3,970	3,960	3,980	4,020	4,070	4,180	4,230	4,200	4,100	4,090	4,070	4,060	4,080
Unemployment	150	130	120	80	90	90	80	80	80	90	80	90	100
Rate	3.7%	3.2%	3.0%	2.0%	2.1%	2.0%	1.9%	1.9%	2.0%	2.1%	2.0%	2.2%	2.3%
Exeter Town													
Labor Force	8,430	8,410	8,440	8,480	8,580	8,850	8,950	8,880	8,660	8,600	8,580	8,550	8,620
Employment	8,160	8,140	8,190	8,270	8,370	8,590	8,700	8,630	8,440	8,410	8,380	8,350	8,390
Unemployment	270	270	250	210	210	260	250	250	220	190	200	200	230
Rate	3.2%	3.2%	3.0%	2.5%	2.5%	2.9%	2.7%	2.8%	2.5%	2.2%	2.3%	2.3%	2.7%
Farmington Town													
Labor Force	3,510	3,620	3,650	3,640	3,640	3,590	3,640	3,600	3,600	3,620	3,640	3,640	3,620
Employment	3,380	3,490	3,520	3,540	3,550	3,500	3,530	3,510	3,520	3,550	3,560	3,550	3,520
Unemployment	130	130	130	100	90	90	110	90	80	70	80	90	100
Rate	3.6%	3.5%	3.5%	2.6%	2.5%	2.6%	3.0%	2.6%	2.2%	1.9%	2.3%	2.5%	2.7%
Franklin City													
Labor Force	3,980	3,950	3,970	3,920	3,930	4,010	4,030	4,040	3,950	3,940	3,950	3,950	3,970
Employment	3,800	3,780	3,800	3,800	3,830	3,910	3,920	3,930	3,860	3,860	3,860	3,840	3,850
Unemployment	180	170	170	120	100	100	110	110	90	80	90	110	120
Rate	4.4%	4.4%	4.2%	3.0%	2.4%	2.4%	2.7%	2.8%	2.4%	2.1%	2.3%	2.7%	3.0%
Gilford Town													
Labor Force	3,590	3,560	3,550	3,480	3,590	3,780	3,860	3,860	3,690	3,580	3,560	3,540	3,630
Employment	3,440	3,430	3,440	3,390	3,500	3,680	3,760	3,770	3,590	3,500	3,470	3,450	3,530
Unemployment	150	130	110	90	90	100	100	90	100	80	90	90	100
Rate	4.0%	3.6%	3.0%	2.7%	2.6%	2.5%	2.5%	2.4%	2.6%	2.1%	2.5%	2.5%	2.8%
Goffstown Town													
Labor Force	10,530	10,440	10,510	10,530	10,490	10,610	10,570	10,470	10,420	10,430	10,540	10,560	10,510
Employment	10,220	10,150	10,240	10,280	10,240	10,350	10,310	10,210	10,180	10,210	10,290	10,320	10,250
Unemployment	310	290	270	250	250	260	260	260	240	220	250	240	260
Rate	2.9%	2.8%	2.6%	2.3%	2.3%	2.4%	2.4%	2.4%	2.3%	2.1%	2.4%	2.3%	2.4%
Hampstead Town													
Labor Force	5,000	4,970	5,000	5,020	5,020	5,140	5,140	5,080	5,010	5,010	5,030	5,010	5,030
Employment	4,780	4,740	4,790	4,840	4,870	4,960	4,970	4,920	4,870	4,880	4,890	4,870	4,860
Unemployment	220	230	210	180	150	180	170	160	140	130	140	140	170
Rate	4.4%	4.5%	4.2%	3.6%	3.0%	3.5%	3.3%	3.2%	2.8%	2.5%	2.8%	2.8%	3.4%
Hampton Town													
Labor Force	8,840	8,820	8,860	8,880	8,970	9,220	9,350	9,260	9,050	9,030	9,000	8,980	9,020
Employment	8,490	8,480	8,530	8,610	8,710	8,940	9,060	8,980	8,780	8,760	8,720	8,690	8,730
Unemployment	350	340	330	270	260	280	290	280	270	270	280	290	290
Rate	3.9%	3.8%	3.7%	3.1%	2.9%	3.0%	3.1%	3.0%	3.0%	3.0%	3.1%	3.2%	3.2%
Hanover Town													
Labor Force	4,970	5,020	5,020	4,930	4,950	4,960	5,020	5,000	4,970	4,960	4,990	4,960	4,980
Employment	4,840	4,850	4,870	4,810	4,800	4,830	4,870	4,870	4,830	4,840	4,860	4,840	4,840
Unemployment	130	170	150	120	150	130	150	130	140	120	130	120	140
Rate	2.7%	3.4%	3.0%	2.5%	2.9%	2.6%	2.9%	2.6%	2.7%	2.4%	2.7%	2.3%	2.7%

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Haverhill Town													
Labor Force	2,400	2,410	2,410	2,370	2,370	2,390	2,420	2,420	2,410	2,410	2,380	2,350	2,400
Employment	2,310	2,330	2,340	2,320	2,320	2,340	2,360	2,370	2,360	2,360	2,330	2,300	2,340
Unemployment	90	80	70	50	50	50	60	50	50	50	50	50	60
Rate	3.6%	3.2%	2.8%	2.2%	2.1%	2.3%	2.3%	2.2%	2.1%	1.9%	2.0%	2.1%	2.4%
Hillsborough Town													
Labor Force	2,910	2,950	2,920	2,840	2,830	2,840	2,860	2,850	2,860	2,850	2,880	2,960	2,880
Employment	2,820	2,850	2,830	2,760	2,760	2,770	2,790	2,780	2,790	2,780	2,800	2,890	2,800
Unemployment	90	100	90	80	70	70	70	70	70	70	80	70	80
Rate	3.1%	3.4%	3.2%	2.8%	2.4%	2.4%	2.5%	2.6%	2.5%	2.6%	2.6%	2.5%	2.7%
Hollis Town													
Labor Force	4,150	4,110	4,150	4,150	4,160	4,210	4,180	4,150	4,150	4,140	4,200	4,200	4,160
Employment	4,020	3,980	4,020	4,040	4,040	4,090	4,040	4,010	4,010	4,020	4,060	4,060	4,030
Unemployment	130	130	130	110	120	120	140	140	140	120	140	140	130
Rate	3.0%	3.2%	3.1%	2.7%	2.8%	2.9%	3.4%	3.4%	3.3%	2.9%	3.3%	3.2%	3.1%
Hooksett Town													
Labor Force	8,900	8,850	8,920	8,900	8,860	8,960	8,950	8,850	8,780	8,810	8,890	8,890	8,880
Employment	8,630	8,570	8,650	8,680	8,650	8,740	8,710	8,620	8,600	8,630	8,690	8,720	8,660
Unemployment	270	280	270	220	210	220	240	230	180	180	200	170	220
Rate	3.0%	3.2%	3.0%	2.5%	2.4%	2.5%	2.7%	2.5%	2.1%	2.1%	2.2%	1.9%	2.5%
Hudson Town													
Labor Force	14,840	14,650	14,810	14,730	14,670	14,860	14,750	14,620	14,550	14,580	14,720	14,740	14,710
Employment	14,190	14,030	14,170	14,220	14,230	14,400	14,260	14,150	14,130	14,180	14,290	14,320	14,210
Unemployment	650	620	640	510	440	460	490	470	420	400	430	420	500
Rate	4.4%	4.2%	4.3%	3.5%	3.0%	3.1%	3.3%	3.2%	2.9%	2.7%	2.9%	2.9%	3.4%
Keene City													
Labor Force	11,910	12,010	12,000	12,060	11,990	11,920	11,930	11,880	11,880	11,950	11,960	11,950	11,950
Employment	11,540	11,630	11,630	11,770	11,660	11,590	11,580	11,560	11,590	11,670	11,660	11,670	11,630
Unemployment	370	380	370	290	330	330	350	320	290	280	300	280	320
Rate	3.1%	3.2%	3.1%	2.4%	2.8%	2.8%	2.9%	2.7%	2.4%	2.3%	2.5%	2.3%	2.7%
Kingston Town													
Labor Force	3,640	3,590	3,640	3,640	3,640	3,730	3,730	3,690	3,620	3,620	3,640	3,630	3,650
Employment	3,460	3,430	3,470	3,500	3,520	3,590	3,600	3,560	3,520	3,530	3,540	3,520	3,520
Unemployment	180	160	170	140	120	140	130	130	100	90	100	110	130
Rate	5.0%	4.6%	4.6%	3.8%	3.4%	3.8%	3.4%	3.6%	2.9%	2.5%	2.7%	2.9%	3.6%
Laconia City													
Labor Force	7,650	7,640	7,610	7,460	7,700	8,070	8,250	8,270	7,850	7,650	7,630	7,560	7,770
Employment	7,360	7,340	7,350	7,240	7,490	7,860	8,030	8,060	7,660	7,470	7,430	7,370	7,550
Unemployment	290	300	260	220	210	210	220	210	190	180	200	190	220
Rate	3.8%	3.9%	3.4%	2.9%	2.7%	2.5%	2.6%	2.5%	2.4%	2.4%	2.6%	2.5%	2.8%
Lebanon City													
Labor Force	7,610	7,620	7,650	7,540	7,520	7,570	7,650	7,630	7,570	7,570	7,610	7,580	7,590
Employment	7,450	7,460	7,490	7,400	7,390	7,440	7,500	7,500	7,430	7,450	7,480	7,460	7,450
Unemployment	160	160	160	140	130	130	150	130	140	120	130	120	140
Rate	2.1%	2.1%	2.1%	1.8%	1.8%	1.8%	1.9%	1.7%	1.8%	1.6%	1.8%	1.5%	1.8%

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Litchfield Town													
Labor Force	4,710	4,680	4,690	4,660	4,660	4,730	4,680	4,650	4,620	4,620	4,670	4,700	4,670
Employment	4,520	4,470	4,510	4,530	4,530	4,590	4,540	4,510	4,500	4,520	4,550	4,560	4,530
Unemployment	190	210	180	130	130	140	140	140	120	100	120	140	140
Rate	4.1%	4.5%	3.8%	2.7%	2.7%	2.9%	2.9%	2.9%	2.6%	2.2%	2.5%	2.9%	3.1%
Littleton Town													
Labor Force	3,070	3,080	3,040	2,950	3,020	3,140	3,250	3,240	3,120	3,080	3,040	3,100	3,090
Employment	2,990	2,980	2,950	2,870	2,940	3,070	3,170	3,170	3,060	3,020	2,970	3,040	3,020
Unemployment	80	100	90	80	80	70	80	70	60	60	70	60	70
Rate	2.5%	3.4%	2.8%	2.7%	2.5%	2.4%	2.3%	2.2%	1.9%	2.0%	2.2%	2.0%	2.4%
Londonderry Town													
Labor Force	15,640	15,500	15,640	15,640	15,610	15,810	15,670	15,550	15,480	15,540	15,650	15,660	15,610
Employment	15,150	14,980	15,130	15,190	15,200	15,380	15,230	15,110	15,090	15,150	15,270	15,300	15,180
Unemployment	490	520	510	450	410	430	440	440	390	390	380	360	430
Rate	3.1%	3.3%	3.3%	2.9%	2.6%	2.7%	2.8%	2.8%	2.5%	2.5%	2.4%	2.3%	2.8%
Manchester City													
Labor Force	63,760	63,280	63,710	63,660	63,480	64,140	63,840	63,250	62,930	63,060	63,530	63,720	63,530
Employment	61,530	61,080	61,640	61,870	61,670	62,300	62,080	61,460	61,270	61,490	61,950	62,160	61,710
Unemployment	2,230	2,200	2,070	1,790	1,810	1,840	1,760	1,790	1,660	1,570	1,580	1,560	1,820
Rate	3.5%	3.5%	3.3%	2.8%	2.9%	2.9%	2.8%	2.8%	2.6%	2.5%	2.5%	2.4%	2.9%
Meredith Town													
Labor Force	2,960	2,960	2,950	2,930	3,070	3,320	3,510	3,520	3,200	3,110	3,020	3,010	3,130
Employment	2,860	2,860	2,850	2,840	3,000	3,250	3,440	3,440	3,120	3,040	2,950	2,930	3,050
Unemployment	100	100	100	90	70	70	70	80	80	70	70	80	80
Rate	3.5%	3.5%	3.3%	2.9%	2.4%	2.2%	2.1%	2.3%	2.5%	2.1%	2.4%	2.8%	2.6%
Merrimack Town													
Labor Force	15,860	15,660	15,780	15,790	15,790	15,980	15,830	15,700	15,660	15,720	15,880	15,890	15,790
Employment	15,350	15,180	15,330	15,390	15,400	15,590	15,430	15,310	15,290	15,350	15,470	15,500	15,380
Unemployment	510	480	450	400	390	390	400	390	370	370	410	390	410
Rate	3.2%	3.0%	2.9%	2.5%	2.5%	2.4%	2.6%	2.5%	2.4%	2.3%	2.6%	2.5%	2.6%
Milford Town													
Labor Force	9,060	9,000	9,080	9,060	9,080	9,190	9,120	9,050	9,010	9,050	9,130	9,160	9,080
Employment	8,830	8,730	8,820	8,850	8,860	8,970	8,880	8,810	8,790	8,830	8,900	8,920	8,850
Unemployment	230	270	260	210	220	220	240	240	220	220	230	240	230
Rate	2.5%	3.0%	2.9%	2.3%	2.4%	2.4%	2.6%	2.6%	2.4%	2.5%	2.5%	2.6%	2.6%
Nashua City													
Labor Force	50,010	49,430	49,800	49,750	49,600	50,270	49,810	49,450	49,170	49,320	49,740	49,810	49,680
Employment	47,970	47,430	47,900	48,100	48,110	48,700	48,210	47,840	47,770	47,960	48,330	48,430	48,060
Unemployment	2,040	2,000	1,900	1,650	1,490	1,570	1,600	1,610	1,400	1,360	1,410	1,380	1,620
Rate	4.1%	4.0%	3.8%	3.3%	3.0%	3.1%	3.2%	3.3%	2.8%	2.7%	2.8%	2.8%	3.3%
New London Town													
Labor Force	1,920	1,950	1,920	1,810	1,820	1,850	1,910	1,920	1,830	1,840	1,830	1,880	1,880
Employment	1,860	1,870	1,850	1,750	1,750	1,800	1,850	1,860	1,780	1,790	1,780	1,840	1,820
Unemployment	60	80	70	60	70	50	60	60	50	50	50	40	60
Rate	3.0%	3.9%	3.8%	3.0%	3.7%	2.9%	3.3%	2.9%	2.8%	2.6%	2.6%	2.1%	3.0%

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Newmarket Town													
Labor Force	5,570	5,570	5,590	5,610	5,670	5,830	5,890	5,850	5,720	5,690	5,680	5,660	5,690
Employment	5,420	5,410	5,440	5,500	5,560	5,710	5,780	5,740	5,610	5,590	5,570	5,550	5,570
Unemployment	150	160	150	110	110	120	110	110	110	100	110	110	120
Rate	2.6%	2.8%	2.6%	1.9%	2.0%	2.0%	1.9%	1.8%	2.0%	1.8%	2.0%	2.0%	2.1%
Newport Town													
Labor Force	3,650	3,640	3,630	3,630	3,620	3,720	3,720	3,720	3,670	3,650	3,630	3,600	3,660
Employment	3,550	3,540	3,540	3,540	3,540	3,630	3,630	3,630	3,590	3,570	3,540	3,520	3,570
Unemployment	100	100	90	90	80	90	90	90	80	80	90	80	90
Rate	2.7%	2.7%	2.6%	2.6%	2.3%	2.3%	2.4%	2.3%	2.2%	2.1%	2.4%	2.1%	2.4%
Pelham Town													
Labor Force	7,700	7,670	7,700	7,690	7,660	7,790	7,850	7,790	7,680	7,730	7,760	7,730	7,730
Employment	7,340	7,320	7,370	7,410	7,400	7,510	7,550	7,500	7,420	7,480	7,500	7,460	7,440
Unemployment	360	350	330	280	260	280	300	290	260	250	260	270	290
Rate	4.7%	4.5%	4.3%	3.6%	3.4%	3.6%	3.8%	3.7%	3.3%	3.3%	3.4%	3.5%	3.8%
Pembroke Town													
Labor Force	4,400	4,360	4,380	4,370	4,350	4,390	4,390	4,340	4,340	4,330	4,360	4,390	4,370
Employment	4,250	4,220	4,260	4,280	4,260	4,310	4,290	4,250	4,240	4,250	4,280	4,300	4,270
Unemployment	150	140	120	90	90	80	100	90	100	80	80	90	100
Rate	3.3%	3.2%	2.7%	2.0%	2.0%	1.9%	2.3%	2.1%	2.3%	1.8%	1.9%	2.0%	2.3%
Peterborough Town													
Labor Force	3,670	3,680	3,680	3,660	3,650	3,680	3,720	3,740	3,670	3,690	3,690	3,700	3,690
Employment	3,580	3,590	3,580	3,580	3,570	3,620	3,640	3,660	3,590	3,620	3,620	3,620	3,610
Unemployment	90	90	100	80	80	60	80	80	80	70	70	80	80
Rate	2.3%	2.4%	2.6%	2.1%	2.1%	1.7%	2.1%	2.1%	2.2%	2.0%	2.0%	2.0%	2.1%
Plaistow Town													
Labor Force	4,140	4,100	4,150	4,170	4,160	4,240	4,240	4,210	4,150	4,170	4,190	4,180	4,180
Employment	3,950	3,910	3,960	4,000	4,020	4,100	4,100	4,060	4,020	4,030	4,040	4,020	4,020
Unemployment	190	190	190	170	140	140	140	150	130	140	150	160	160
Rate	4.6%	4.7%	4.6%	4.0%	3.5%	3.3%	3.3%	3.7%	3.1%	3.4%	3.5%	3.8%	3.8%
Plymouth Town													
Labor Force	3,710	3,860	3,800	3,640	3,630	3,730	4,000	3,940	3,860	3,830	3,790	3,800	3,800
Employment	3,600	3,730	3,680	3,550	3,530	3,640	3,900	3,860	3,780	3,740	3,690	3,720	3,700
Unemployment	110	130	120	90	100	90	100	80	80	90	100	80	100
Rate	2.8%	3.5%	3.1%	2.3%	2.7%	2.5%	2.5%	2.0%	2.1%	2.3%	2.6%	2.1%	2.6%
Portsmouth City													
Labor Force	13,540	13,510	13,590	13,650	13,840	14,190	14,400	14,290	13,950	13,890	13,850	13,770	13,870
Employment	13,200	13,180	13,260	13,390	13,550	13,910	14,090	13,970	13,660	13,620	13,560	13,510	13,570
Unemployment	340	330	330	260	290	280	310	320	290	270	290	260	300
Rate	2.5%	2.5%	2.4%	1.9%	2.1%	2.0%	2.1%	2.3%	2.1%	1.9%	2.1%	1.9%	2.1%
Raymond Town													
Labor Force	6,070	6,050	6,070	6,070	6,110	6,230	6,250	6,250	6,120	6,120	6,110	6,090	6,130
Employment	5,840	5,820	5,850	5,890	5,940	6,050	6,070	6,070	5,960	5,980	5,950	5,930	5,950
Unemployment	230	230	220	180	170	180	180	180	160	140	160	160	180
Rate	3.8%	3.8%	3.6%	3.0%	2.8%	2.8%	2.8%	2.9%	2.6%	2.3%	2.6%	2.6%	3.0%

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Rochester City													
Labor Force	16,790	17,310	17,420	17,440	17,450	17,280	17,440	17,350	17,370	17,490	17,510	17,450	17,350
Employment	16,290	16,810	16,960	17,060	17,090	16,870	17,000	16,930	16,970	17,120	17,140	17,090	16,940
Unemployment	500	500	460	380	360	410	440	420	400	370	370	360	410
Rate	3.0%	2.9%	2.7%	2.2%	2.1%	2.4%	2.5%	2.4%	2.3%	2.1%	2.1%	2.0%	2.4%
Salem Town													
Labor Force	17,770	17,630	17,770	17,780	17,710	17,980	18,120	17,970	17,640	17,780	17,930	17,910	17,840
Employment	17,000	16,870	17,030	17,130	17,100	17,320	17,480	17,320	17,080	17,220	17,350	17,330	17,190
Unemployment	770	760	740	650	610	660	640	650	560	560	580	580	650
Rate	4.4%	4.3%	4.2%	3.7%	3.4%	3.7%	3.5%	3.6%	3.2%	3.1%	3.2%	3.2%	3.6%
Sandown Town													
Labor Force	4,100	4,090	4,120	4,140	4,150	4,230	4,230	4,190	4,120	4,130	4,150	4,120	4,150
Employment	3,950	3,920	3,960	4,000	4,020	4,100	4,110	4,070	4,020	4,030	4,040	4,020	4,020
Unemployment	150	170	160	140	130	130	120	120	100	100	110	100	130
Rate	3.7%	4.3%	3.8%	3.3%	3.1%	3.1%	2.9%	2.8%	2.5%	2.4%	2.6%	2.5%	3.1%
Seabrook Town													
Labor Force	5,020	4,980	5,030	5,040	5,030	5,110	5,110	5,070	5,000	5,010	5,030	5,020	5,030
Employment	4,740	4,700	4,750	4,800	4,830	4,920	4,930	4,880	4,830	4,840	4,850	4,820	4,820
Unemployment	280	280	280	240	200	190	180	190	170	170	180	200	210
Rate	5.6%	5.7%	5.5%	4.7%	3.9%	3.7%	3.6%	3.7%	3.4%	3.4%	3.6%	3.9%	4.2%
Somersworth City													
Labor Force	6,460	6,660	6,710	6,700	6,700	6,620	6,690	6,660	6,670	6,710	6,730	6,700	6,670
Employment	6,260	6,460	6,510	6,550	6,560	6,480	6,530	6,500	6,520	6,570	6,580	6,560	6,510
Unemployment	200	200	200	150	140	140	160	160	150	140	150	140	160
Rate	3.1%	3.0%	2.9%	2.3%	2.1%	2.1%	2.4%	2.4%	2.3%	2.1%	2.2%	2.1%	2.4%
Stratham Town													
Labor Force	4,390	4,380	4,410	4,440	4,480	4,600	4,650	4,620	4,520	4,490	4,470	4,450	4,490
Employment	4,270	4,260	4,290	4,330	4,380	4,500	4,550	4,520	4,420	4,400	4,380	4,370	4,390
Unemployment	120	120	120	110	100	100	100	100	100	90	90	80	100
Rate	2.6%	2.7%	2.8%	2.5%	2.2%	2.2%	2.1%	2.1%	2.2%	1.9%	1.9%	1.9%	2.2%
Swansey Town													
Labor Force	4,060	4,110	4,110	4,140	4,090	4,080	4,080	4,080	4,070	4,070	4,080	4,090	4,090
Employment	3,960	3,990	3,990	4,040	4,000	3,970	3,970	3,970	3,980	4,000	4,000	4,000	3,990
Unemployment	100	120	120	100	90	110	110	110	90	70	80	90	100
Rate	2.5%	2.9%	2.8%	2.5%	2.3%	2.7%	2.6%	2.7%	2.2%	1.7%	2.0%	2.1%	2.4%
Weare Town													
Labor Force	5,880	5,840	5,870	5,880	5,840	5,900	5,890	5,840	5,790	5,810	5,850	5,870	5,860
Employment	5,710	5,670	5,720	5,740	5,730	5,780	5,760	5,710	5,690	5,710	5,750	5,770	5,730
Unemployment	170	170	150	140	110	120	130	130	100	100	100	100	130
Rate	2.8%	2.8%	2.5%	2.3%	1.9%	2.0%	2.3%	2.1%	1.8%	1.7%	1.8%	1.7%	2.1%
Windham Town													
Labor Force	7,860	7,790	7,870	7,870	7,880	8,010	7,900	7,850	7,800	7,840	7,900	7,920	7,880
Employment	7,610	7,530	7,600	7,630	7,640	7,730	7,650	7,590	7,580	7,610	7,670	7,690	7,630
Unemployment	250	260	270	240	240	280	250	260	220	230	230	230	250
Rate	3.2%	3.4%	3.4%	3.0%	3.1%	3.4%	3.2%	3.3%	2.8%	2.9%	2.9%	2.9%	3.1%

2017 New Hampshire Local Area Unemployment Statistics

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	Jan-17	Feb-17	Mar-17	Apr-17	May-17	Jun-17	Jul-17	Aug-17	Sep-17	Oct-17	Nov-17	Dec-17	Ann Avg
Wolfeboro Town													
Labor Force	2,750	2,740	2,740	2,660	2,740	2,920	3,110	3,090	2,900	2,800	2,740	2,710	2,830
Employment	2,650	2,650	2,650	2,600	2,670	2,850	3,030	3,010	2,820	2,730	2,670	2,640	2,750
Unemployment	100	90	90	60	70	70	80	80	80	70	70	70	80
Rate	3.7%	3.3%	3.2%	2.4%	2.6%	2.2%	2.5%	2.4%	2.6%	2.4%	2.6%	2.6%	2.7%

2017 Unemployment Rates*

UNITED STATES	5.1%	4.9%	4.6%	4.1%	4.1%	4.5%	4.6%	4.5%	4.1%	3.9%	3.9%	3.9%	4.4%
NEW ENGLAND													
CONNECTICUT	5.6%	5.4%	5.0%	4.6%	4.7%	4.9%	4.8%	4.7%	4.4%	4.3%	4.1%	4.0%	4.7%
MAINE	4.3%	4.3%	4.2%	3.7%	3.5%	3.3%	3.2%	2.7%	2.7%	2.7%	3.0%	3.0%	3.4%
MASSACHUSETTS	4.4%	4.3%	4.0%	3.5%	3.7%	4.0%	4.0%	3.7%	3.6%	3.2%	3.2%	3.3%	3.7%
NEW HAMPSHIRE	3.3%	3.3%	3.2%	2.7%	2.6%	2.6%	2.6%	2.6%	2.5%	2.3%	2.4%	2.4%	2.7%
RHODE ISLAND	5.5%	5.1%	4.7%	4.0%	4.0%	4.1%	4.6%	4.5%	4.0%	3.9%	4.3%	4.1%	4.4%
VERMONT	3.6%	3.5%	3.4%	3.2%	2.8%	3.0%	2.9%	2.8%	2.8%	2.1%	2.6%	2.4%	2.9%

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

Seasonally Adjusted**

SEASONALLY ADJUSTED

NEW HAMPSHIRE

Labor Force	752,640	752,710	752,970	753,370	753,860	754,390	754,890	755,340	755,800	756,340	756,950	757,620
Employment	731,540	731,770	732,240	732,860	733,520	734,130	734,630	735,040	735,450	735,980	736,610	737,320
Unemployment	21,100	20,940	20,730	20,510	20,340	20,260	20,260	20,300	20,350	20,360	20,340	20,300
Rate	2.8%	2.8%	2.8%	2.7%	2.7%	2.7%	2.7%	2.7%	2.7%	2.7%	2.7%	2.7%

Seasonally Adjusted Unemployment Rates:

UNITED STATES	4.7%	4.6%	4.4%	4.4%	4.4%	4.3%	4.3%	4.4%	4.2%	4.1%	4.2%	4.1%	
NEW ENGLAND													
CONNECTICUT	4.8%	4.8%	4.8%	4.8%	4.8%	4.7%	4.7%	4.6%	4.6%	4.6%	4.6%	4.6%	
MAINE	3.6%	3.5%	3.5%	3.5%	3.5%	3.4%	3.4%	3.3%	3.3%	3.2%	3.2%	3.1%	
MASSACHUSETTS	3.8%	3.8%	3.8%	3.8%	3.8%	3.8%	3.8%	3.7%	3.7%	3.7%	3.6%	3.6%	
NEW HAMPSHIRE	2.8%	2.8%	2.8%	2.7%	2.7%	2.7%	2.7%	2.7%	2.7%	2.7%	2.7%	2.7%	
RHODE ISLAND	4.5%	4.5%	4.4%	4.4%	4.4%	4.4%	4.4%	4.4%	4.4%	4.4%	4.4%	4.4%	
VERMONT	3.1%	3.1%	3.1%	3.0%	3.0%	3.0%	2.9%	2.9%	2.9%	2.8%	2.8%	2.7%	

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