

# Labor Force Estimates - United States & Tennessee

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<i>Seasonally Adjusted*</i>	February, 2015 preliminary				Jan. '15 revised		Feb. '14	
	Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate	Rate	Change	Rate	Change
UNITED STATES	157,002,000	148,297,000	8,705,000	<b>5.5%</b>	5.7%	-0.2%	6.7%	-1.2%
TENNESSEE	3,038,700	2,838,900	199,700	<b>6.6%</b>	6.7%	-0.1%	6.5%	0.1%

\* Tennessee and the United States are the only seasonally adjusted data on these pages.

<i>Not Seasonally Adjusted</i>	Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate	Rate	Change	Rate	Change
UNITED STATES	156,213,000	147,118,000	9,095,000	<b>5.8%</b>	6.1%	-0.3%	7.0%	-1.2%
TENNESSEE	3,022,500	2,830,300	192,200	<b>6.4%</b>	7.1%	-0.7%	6.9%	-0.5%

## Labor Force Estimates - Combined Statistical Areas (CSA)

	February, 2015 pre.				Jan. '15 rev.	
	Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate	Rate	Change
<b>Chattanooga-Cleveland-Dalton, TN-GA-AL CSA</b>	424,120	397,400	26,720	<b>6.3</b>	7.0	-0.7
Athens Micropolitan Area (McMinn Co.)	22,250	20,650	1,600	<b>7.2</b>	8.0	-0.8
Chattanooga, TN-GA MSA	249,910	235,000	14,910	<b>6.0</b>	6.6	-0.6
Cleveland, TN MSA	54,820	51,460	3,360	<b>6.1</b>	6.8	-0.7
Dalton, GA MSA	61,230	56,870	4,360	<b>7.1</b>	7.9	-0.8
Dayton Micropolitan Area (Rhea Co.)	13,150	12,100	1,050	<b>8.0</b>	8.8	-0.8
Scottsboro, AL Micropolitan Area	22,760	21,320	1,440	<b>6.3</b>	6.8	-0.5
<b>Johnson City-Kingsport-Bristol, TN-VA CSA</b>	228,270	213,770	14,490	<b>6.3</b>	7.0	-0.7
Johnson City, TN MSA	89,000	83,090	5,900	<b>6.6</b>	7.5	-0.9
Kingsport-Bristol, TN-VA MSA	139,270	130,680	8,590	<b>6.2</b>	6.7	-0.5
<b>Knoxville-Morristown-Sevierville, TN CSA</b>	513,690	480,370	33,320	<b>6.5</b>	7.2	-0.7
Knoxville, TN MSA	401,870	378,360	23,510	<b>5.8</b>	6.5	-0.7
Morristown, TN MSA	49,430	45,760	3,670	<b>7.4</b>	8.2	-0.8
Newport Micropolitan Area (Cocke Co.)	14,360	12,890	1,480	<b>10.3</b>	11.4	-1.1
Sevierville Micropolitan Area (Sevier Co.)	48,030	43,360	4,660	<b>9.7</b>	10.9	-1.2
<b>Martin-Union City, TN-KY CSA</b>	30,780	28,260	2,510	<b>8.2</b>	9.2	-1.0
Martin Micropolitan Area (Weakley Co.)	15,760	14,570	1,190	<b>7.5</b>	8.4	-0.9
Union City TN-KY Micropolitan Area	15,020	13,700	1,330	<b>8.8</b>	9.9	-1.1
<b>Memphis-Forrest City, TN-MS-AR CSA</b>	616,830	573,270	43,560	<b>7.1</b>	7.9	-0.8
Forrest City, AR Micropolitan Area	8,830	8,050	780	<b>8.8</b>	9.4	-0.6
Memphis, TN-MS-AR MSA	608,000	565,220	42,780	<b>7.0</b>	7.9	-0.9
<b>Nashville-Murfreesboro, TN CSA</b>	959,350	910,460	48,890	<b>5.1</b>	5.7	-0.6
Lawrenceburg, Micropolitan Area (Lawrence Co.)	17,490	16,110	1,380	<b>7.9</b>	9.1	-1.2
Lewisburg Micropolitan Area (Marshall Co.)	14,430	13,550	880	<b>6.1</b>	6.9	-0.8
Nashville-Murfreesboro-Franklin, TN MSA	908,080	862,760	45,320	<b>5.0</b>	5.6	-0.6
Shelbyville Micropolitan Area (Bedford Co.)	19,370	18050	1320	<b>6.8</b>	7.5	-0.7

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**Labor Force Estimates - Metropolitan Statistical Areas (MSA)**

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	Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate	Rate	Change	Rate	Change
<b>Chattanooga, TN-GA MSA</b>	249,910	235,000	14,910	<b>6.0</b>	6.6	-0.6	6.6	-0.6
Hamilton County	164,370	154,720	9,660	<b>5.9</b>	6.6	-0.7	6.4	-0.5
Marion County	11,640	10,790	850	<b>7.3</b>	8.0	-0.7	8.4	-1.1
Sequatchie County	5,730	5,330	400	<b>7.0</b>	7.9	-0.9	7.7	-0.7
Georgia Portion	68,170	64,170	4,010	<b>5.9</b>	6.1	-0.2	6.8	-0.9
<b>Clarksville, TN-KY MSA</b>	108,410	101,680	6,720	<b>6.2</b>	7.0	-0.8	7.4	-1.2
Montgomery County	76,860	72,070	4,800	<b>6.2</b>	7.0	-0.8	6.7	-0.5
Kentucky Portion	31,540	29,620	1,930	<b>6.1</b>	6.8	-0.7	9.1	-3.0
<b>Cleveland, TN MSA</b>	54,820	51,460	3,360	<b>6.1</b>	6.8	-0.7	6.6	-0.5
Bradley County	47,590	44,800	2,800	<b>5.9</b>	6.6	-0.7	6.2	-0.3
Polk County	7,220	6,660	560	<b>7.8</b>	8.5	-0.7	9.0	-1.2
<b>Jackson, TN MSA</b>	61,090	56,990	4,100	<b>6.7</b>	7.7	-1.0	7.2	-0.5
Chester County	8,020	7,500	530	<b>6.6</b>	7.6	-1.0	7.0	-0.4
Crockett County	6,760	6,240	510	<b>7.6</b>	8.8	-1.2	8.9	-1.3
Madison County	46,310	43,250	3,060	<b>6.6</b>	7.5	-0.9	7.0	-0.4
<b>Johnson City, TN MSA</b>	89,000	83,090	5,900	<b>6.6</b>	7.5	-0.9	7.1	-0.5
Carter County	24,070	22,320	1,750	<b>7.3</b>	8.1	-0.8	8.1	-0.8
Unicoi County	7,200	6,550	660	<b>9.1</b>	10.5	-1.4	10.3	-1.2
Washington County	57,720	54,230	3,500	<b>6.1</b>	6.8	-0.7	6.3	-0.2
<b>Kingsport-Bristol, TN-VA MSA</b>	139,270	130,680	8,590	<b>6.2</b>	6.7	-0.5	6.9	-0.7
Hawkins County	23,900	22,210	1,690	<b>7.1</b>	7.8	-0.7	7.6	-0.5
Sullivan County	69,610	65,220	4,380	<b>6.3</b>	7.0	-0.7	6.9	-0.6
Virginia Portion	45,770	43,250	2,520	<b>5.5</b>	5.5	0.0	6.5	-1.0
<b>Knoxville, TN MSA</b>	401,870	378,360	23,510	<b>5.8</b>	6.5	-0.7	6.3	-0.5
Anderson County	33,370	31,200	2,170	<b>6.5</b>	7.3	-0.8	7.1	-0.6
Blount County	58,920	55,390	3,520	<b>6.0</b>	6.7	-0.7	6.4	-0.4
Campbell County	14,891	13,611	1,280	<b>8.6</b>	9.6	-1.0	10.3	-1.7
Grainger County	9,190	8,470	710	<b>7.8</b>	8.5	-0.7	8.9	-1.1
Knox County	225,730	214,100	11,620	<b>5.1</b>	5.7	-0.6	5.5	-0.4
Loudon County	21,750	20,400	1,350	<b>6.2</b>	6.9	-0.7	6.9	-0.7
Morgan County	7,920	7,270	660	<b>8.3</b>	9.3	-1.0	9.2	-0.9
Roane County	22,840	21,200	1,630	<b>7.2</b>	8.0	-0.8	7.8	-0.6
Union County	7,280	6,710	570	<b>7.8</b>	8.5	-0.7	8.2	-0.4
<b>Memphis, TN-MS-AR MSA</b>	608,010	565,220	42,780	<b>7.0</b>	7.9	-0.9	7.9	-0.9
Fayette County	17,590	16,340	1,260	<b>7.1</b>	8.2	-1.1	7.9	-0.8
Shelby County	428,070	397,100	30,970	<b>7.2</b>	8.1	-0.9	7.9	-0.7
Tipton County	27,260	25,060	2,200	<b>8.1</b>	9.1	-1.0	8.7	-0.6
Arkansas Portion	21,550	19,980	1,560	<b>7.3</b>	8.1	-0.8	8.4	-1.1
Mississippi Portion	113,540	106,740	6,800	<b>6.0</b>	6.9	-0.9	7.2	-1.2
<b>Morristown, TN MSA</b>	49,430	45,760	3,670	<b>7.4</b>	8.2	-0.8	8.2	-0.8
Hamblen County	26,400	24,540	1,860	<b>7.0</b>	7.7	-0.7	7.8	-0.8
Jefferson County	23,030	21,220	1,810	<b>7.9</b>	8.7	-0.8	8.6	-0.7
<b>Nashville-Murfreesboro, TN MSA</b>	908,080	862,760	45,320	<b>5.0</b>	5.6	-0.6	5.2	-0.2
Cannon County	5,860	5,510	350	<b>6.0</b>	7.0	-1.0	6.2	-0.2
Cheatham County	19,900	18,830	1,070	<b>5.4</b>	6.1	-0.7	5.5	-0.1
Davidson County	355,710	338,540	17,180	<b>4.8</b>	5.4	-0.6	5.0	-0.2
Dickson County	23,740	22,290	1,440	<b>6.1</b>	6.9	-0.8	6.5	-0.4
Hickman County	10,370	9,720	650	<b>6.3</b>	6.9	-0.6	7.0	-0.7
Macon County	9,860	9,270	590	<b>6.0</b>	6.7	-0.7	6.8	-0.8
Maury County	40,740	38,440	2,300	<b>5.6</b>	6.4	-0.8	6.3	-0.7
Robertson County	33,480	31,690	1,790	<b>5.4</b>	6.0	-0.6	5.7	-0.3
Rutherford County	147,370	140,170	7,210	<b>4.9</b>	5.5	-0.6	5.2	-0.3
Smith County	8,460	7,940	520	<b>6.2</b>	7.2	-1.0	6.8	-0.6
Sumner County	85,680	81,280	4,410	<b>5.1</b>	5.7	-0.6	5.3	-0.2
Trousdale County	3,640	3,380	260	<b>7.1</b>	7.8	-0.7	7.8	-0.7
Williamson County	101,680	97,260	4,420	<b>4.3</b>	4.8	-0.5	4.3	0.0
Wilson County	61,590	58,460	3,130	<b>5.1</b>	5.7	-0.6	5.4	-0.3

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# Labor Force Estimates - Micropolitan Statistical Areas

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Athens (McMinn Co.)	22,250	20,650	1,600	<b>7.2</b>	8.0	-0.8	8.1	-0.9
Cookeville	45,730	42,510	3,230	<b>7.1</b>	7.9	-0.8	7.5	-0.4
Jackson Co.	4,470	4,060	420	<b>9.3</b>	10.1	-0.8	9.6	-0.3
Overton Co.	9,070	8,320	750	<b>8.3</b>	9.5	-1.2	8.9	-0.6
Putnam Co.	32,200	30,140	2,060	<b>6.4</b>	7.2	-0.8	6.9	-0.5
Crossville (Cumberland Co.)	22,540	20,540	2,000	<b>8.9</b>	9.9	-1.0	9.1	-0.2
Dayton (Rhea Co.)	13,150	12,100	1,050	<b>8.0</b>	8.8	-0.8	9.0	-1.0
Dyersburg (Dyer Co.)	16,690	15,390	1,300	<b>7.8</b>	8.6	-0.8	9.4	-1.6
Greeneville (Greene Co.)	29,790	27,460	2,330	<b>7.8</b>	8.9	-1.1	8.8	-1.0
Lawrenceburg (Lawrence Co.)	17,480	16,110	1,380	<b>7.9</b>	9.1	-1.2	8.6	-0.7
Lewisburg (Marshall Co.)	14,420	13,550	880	<b>6.1</b>	6.9	-0.8	6.6	-0.5
Martin (Weakley Co.)	15,760	14,570	1,190	<b>7.5</b>	8.4	-0.9	8.4	-0.9
McMinnville (Warren Co.)	17,070	15,980	1,090	<b>6.4</b>	7.3	-0.9	7.5	-1.1
Newport (Cocke Co.)	14,360	12,890	1,480	<b>10.3</b>	11.4	-1.1	11.3	-1.0
Paris (Henry Co.)	13,830	12,730	1,100	<b>7.9</b>	9.3	-1.4	9.1	-1.2
Sevierville (Sevier Co.)	48,030	43,360	4,660	<b>9.7</b>	10.9	-1.2	10.7	-1.0
Shelbyville (Bedford Co.)	19,370	18,050	1,320	<b>6.8</b>	7.5	-0.7	7.5	-0.7
Tullahoma-Manchester	47,850	45,090	2,760	<b>5.8</b>	6.5	-0.7	6.9	-1.1
Coffee Co.	24,760	23,290	1,470	<b>5.9</b>	6.7	-0.8	6.7	-0.8
Franklin Co.	19,750	18,630	1,120	<b>5.7</b>	6.4	-0.7	7.5	-1.8
Moore Co.	3,350	3,180	170	<b>5.1</b>	5.8	-0.7	5.2	-0.1
Union City, TN-KY	15,020	13,700	1,330	<b>8.8</b>	9.9	-1.1	9.9	-1.1
Obion Co.	12,830	11,650	1,180	<b>9.2</b>	10.3	-1.1	9.9	-0.7
Kentucky portion (Fulton Co.)	2,190	2,040	150	<b>6.8</b>	7.5	-0.7	10.3	-3.5

Micropolitan Statistical Areas are a county or counties with an urbanized area of 10,000 to 50,000 population.

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# Labor Force Estimates - Tennessee Counties

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	Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate	Rate	Change	Rate	Change
Anderson County	33,370	31,200	2,170	<b>6.5</b>	7.3	-0.8	7.1	-0.6
Bedford County	19,370	18,050	1,320	<b>6.8</b>	7.5	-0.7	7.5	-0.7
Benton County	6,780	6,190	590	<b>8.7</b>	10.0	-1.3	9.3	-0.6
Bledsoe County	4,230	3,870	360	<b>8.6</b>	9.4	-0.8	9.5	-0.9
Blount County	58,920	55,390	3,520	<b>6.0</b>	6.7	-0.7	6.4	-0.4
Bradley County	47,590	44,800	2,800	<b>5.9</b>	6.6	-0.7	6.2	-0.3
Campbell County	14,890	13,610	1,280	<b>8.6</b>	9.6	-1.0	10.3	-1.7
Cannon County	5,860	5,510	350	<b>6.0</b>	7.0	-1.0	6.2	-0.2
Carroll County	12,520	11,320	1,200	<b>9.6</b>	11.3	-1.7	10.5	-0.9
Carter County	24,070	22,320	1,750	<b>7.3</b>	8.1	-0.8	8.1	-0.8
Cheatham County	19,900	18,830	1,070	<b>5.4</b>	6.1	-0.7	5.5	-0.1
Chester County	8,020	7,500	530	<b>6.6</b>	7.6	-1.0	7.0	-0.4
Claiborne County	12,570	11,570	1,000	<b>8.0</b>	8.9	-0.9	9.7	-1.7
Clay County	3,030	2,690	340	<b>11.1</b>	12.2	-1.1	10.8	0.3
Cocke County	14,360	12,890	1,480	<b>10.3</b>	11.4	-1.1	11.3	-1.0
Coffee County	24,760	23,290	1,470	<b>5.9</b>	6.7	-0.8	6.7	-0.8
Crockett County	6,760	6,240	510	<b>7.6</b>	8.8	-1.2	8.9	-1.3
Cumberland County	22,540	20,540	2,000	<b>8.9</b>	9.9	-1.0	9.1	-0.2
Davidson County	355,710	338,540	17,180	<b>4.8</b>	5.4	-0.6	5.0	-0.2
Decatur County	4,610	4,170	440	<b>9.6</b>	11.0	-1.4	10.2	-0.6
DeKalb County	7,090	6,540	550	<b>7.8</b>	8.6	-0.8	8.3	-0.5
Dickson County	23,740	22,290	1,440	<b>6.1</b>	6.9	-0.8	6.5	-0.4
Dyer County	16,690	15,390	1,300	<b>7.8</b>	8.6	-0.8	9.4	-1.6
Fayette County	17,590	16,340	1,260	<b>7.1</b>	8.2	-1.1	7.9	-0.8
Fentress County	6,960	6,400	560	<b>8.1</b>	9.3	-1.2	8.8	-0.7
Franklin County	19,750	18,630	1,120	<b>5.7</b>	6.4	-0.7	7.5	-1.8
Gibson County	21,100	19,320	1,780	<b>8.4</b>	9.3	-0.9	9.5	-1.1
Giles County	14,390	13,560	830	<b>5.8</b>	6.6	-0.8	6.6	-0.8
Grainger County	9,190	8,470	710	<b>7.8</b>	8.5	-0.7	8.9	-1.1
Greene County	29,790	27,460	2,330	<b>7.8</b>	8.9	-1.1	8.8	-1.0
Grundy County	5,050	4,610	440	<b>8.7</b>	10.0	-1.3	9.5	-0.8
Hamblen County	26,400	24,540	1,860	<b>7.0</b>	7.7	-0.7	7.8	-0.8
Hamilton County	164,370	154,720	9,660	<b>5.9</b>	6.6	-0.7	6.4	-0.5
Hancock County	2,060	1,870	190	<b>9.1</b>	10.3	-1.2	10.4	-1.3
Hardeman County	9,500	8,670	830	<b>8.7</b>	10.2	-1.5	10.0	-1.3
Hardin County	10,300	9,460	850	<b>8.2</b>	9.3	-1.1	10.0	-1.8
Hawkins County	23,900	22,210	1,690	<b>7.1</b>	7.8	-0.7	7.6	-0.5
Haywood County	7,650	6,930	720	<b>9.5</b>	10.8	-1.3	10.9	-1.4
Henderson County	12,190	11,130	1,060	<b>8.7</b>	10.1	-1.4	9.0	-0.3
Henry County	13,830	12,730	1,100	<b>7.9</b>	9.3	-1.4	9.1	-1.2
Hickman County	10,370	9,720	650	<b>6.3</b>	6.9	-0.6	7.0	-0.7
Houston County	3,290	2,960	330	<b>9.9</b>	10.9	-1.0	11.0	-1.1
Humphreys County	8,280	7,630	650	<b>7.9</b>	9.0	-1.1	9.0	-1.1
Jackson County	4,470	4,060	420	<b>9.3</b>	10.1	-0.8	9.6	-0.3
Jefferson County	23,030	21,220	1,810	<b>7.9</b>	8.7	-0.8	8.6	-0.7
Johnson County	7,230	6,700	530	<b>7.4</b>	8.4	-1.0	8.0	-0.6
Knox County	225,730	214,100	11,620	<b>5.1</b>	5.7	-0.6	5.5	-0.4
Lake County	2,100	1,900	200	<b>9.4</b>	10.6	-1.2	9.5	-0.1

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Lauderdale County	9,820	8,890	930	<b>9.5</b>	10.7	-1.2	10.3	-0.8
Lawrence County	17,480	16,110	1,380	<b>7.9</b>	9.1	-1.2	8.6	-0.7
Lewis County	4,840	4,440	400	<b>8.3</b>	10.1	-1.8	10.0	-1.7
Lincoln County	15,160	14,300	860	<b>5.6</b>	6.2	-0.6	5.6	0.0
Loudon County	21,750	20,400	1,350	<b>6.2</b>	6.9	-0.7	6.9	-0.7
Macon County	9,860	9,270	590	<b>6.0</b>	6.7	-0.7	6.8	-0.8
Madison County	46,310	43,250	3,060	<b>6.6</b>	7.5	-0.9	7.0	-0.4
Marion County	11,640	10,790	850	<b>7.3</b>	8.0	-0.7	8.4	-1.1
Marshall County	14,420	13,550	880	<b>6.1</b>	6.9	-0.8	6.6	-0.5
Mauzy County	40,740	38,440	2,300	<b>5.6</b>	6.4	-0.8	6.3	-0.7
McMinn County	22,250	20,650	1,600	<b>7.2</b>	8.0	-0.8	8.1	-0.9
McNairy County	9,150	8,290	860	<b>9.4</b>	10.8	-1.4	11.9	-2.5
Meigs County	4,850	4,430	420	<b>8.7</b>	9.6	-0.9	9.1	-0.4
Monroe County	19,010	17,630	1,370	<b>7.2</b>	8.0	-0.8	8.5	-1.3
Montgomery County	76,870	72,070	4,800	<b>6.2</b>	7.0	-0.8	6.7	-0.5
Moore County	3,350	3,180	170	<b>5.1</b>	5.8	-0.7	5.2	-0.1
Morgan County	7,920	7,270	660	<b>8.3</b>	9.3	-1.0	9.2	-0.9
Obion County	12,830	11,650	1,180	<b>9.2</b>	10.3	-1.1	9.9	-0.7
Overton County	9,070	8,320	750	<b>8.3</b>	9.5	-1.2	8.9	-0.6
Perry County	3,070	2,840	230	<b>7.4</b>	8.4	-1.0	8.8	-1.4
Pickett County	2,270	2,050	220	<b>9.6</b>	10.8	-1.2	10.8	-1.2
Polk County	7,220	6,660	560	<b>7.8</b>	8.5	-0.7	9.0	-1.2
Putnam County	32,200	30,140	2,060	<b>6.4</b>	7.2	-0.8	6.9	-0.5
Rhea County	13,150	12,100	1,050	<b>8.0</b>	8.8	-0.8	9.0	-1.0
Roane County	22,830	21,200	1,630	<b>7.2</b>	8.0	-0.8	7.8	-0.6
Robertson County	33,480	31,690	1,790	<b>5.4</b>	6.0	-0.6	5.7	-0.3
Rutherford County	147,370	140,170	7,210	<b>4.9</b>	5.5	-0.6	5.2	-0.3
Scott County	7,970	7,110	860	<b>10.7</b>	12.3	-1.6	13.2	-2.5
Sequatchie County	5,730	5,330	400	<b>7.0</b>	7.9	-0.9	7.7	-0.7
Sevier County	48,030	43,360	4,660	<b>9.7</b>	10.9	-1.2	10.7	-1.0
Shelby County	428,070	397,100	30,970	<b>7.2</b>	8.1	-0.9	7.9	-0.7
Smith County	8,460	7,940	520	<b>6.2</b>	7.2	-1.0	6.8	-0.6
Stewart County	5,200	4,720	470	<b>9.1</b>	9.8	-0.7	10.6	-1.5
Sullivan County	69,610	65,220	4,380	<b>6.3</b>	7.0	-0.7	6.9	-0.6
Sumner County	85,680	81,280	4,410	<b>5.1</b>	5.7	-0.6	5.3	-0.2
Tipton County	27,260	25,060	2,200	<b>8.1</b>	9.1	-1.0	8.7	-0.6
Trousdale County	3,640	3,380	260	<b>7.1</b>	7.8	-0.7	7.8	-0.7
Unicoi County	7,200	6,550	660	<b>9.1</b>	10.5	-1.4	10.3	-1.2
Union County	7,280	6,710	570	<b>7.8</b>	8.5	-0.7	8.2	-0.4
Van Buren County	2,080	1,880	200	<b>9.8</b>	11.6	-1.8	10.5	-0.7
Warren County	17,070	15,980	1,090	<b>6.4</b>	7.3	-0.9	7.5	-1.1
Washington County	57,720	54,230	3,500	<b>6.1</b>	6.8	-0.7	6.3	-0.2
Wayne County	6,340	5,790	560	<b>8.8</b>	10.0	-1.2	9.7	-0.9
Weakley County	15,760	14,570	1,190	<b>7.5</b>	8.4	-0.9	8.4	-0.9
White County	11,410	10,610	800	<b>7.0</b>	7.8	-0.8	8.0	-1.0
Williamson County	101,680	97,260	4,420	<b>4.3</b>	4.8	-0.5	4.3	0.0
Wilson County	61,590	58,460	3,130	<b>5.1</b>	5.7	-0.6	5.4	-0.3

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**County Unemployment Rate Change:**

(January, 2015 to February, 2015)

Rate decreased in 95 counties  
 Rate increased in 0 counties  
 Rate remained the same in 0 counties

**County Unemployment Rate Range:**

(February, 2015)

Rate is less than 5.0% in 3 counties  
 Rate is 5.0% or greater, but less than 10.0% in 89 counties  
 Rate is 10.0% or greater in 3 counties  
 Rate is 20.0% or greater in 0 counties

**Labor Force Estimates - Tennessee Cities \***

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	<b>February, 2015 pre.</b>				<b>Jan. '15 rev.</b>		<b>Feb. '14</b>	
	Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate	Rate	Change	Rate	Change
Bartlett	29,440	27,830	1,620	<b>5.5</b>	6.0	-0.5	5.9	-0.4
Brentwood	19,390	18,530	860	<b>4.4</b>	4.8	-0.4	4.4	0.0
Bristol	11,530	10,850	670	<b>5.8</b>	6.5	-0.7	7.1	-1.3
Chattanooga	78,270	73,170	5,100	<b>6.5</b>	7.4	-0.9	7.1	-0.6
Clarksville	57,340	53,670	3,660	<b>6.4</b>	7.1	-0.7	6.7	-0.3
Cleveland	19,490	18,280	1,210	<b>6.2</b>	6.7	-0.5	6.2	0.0
Collierville	23,350	22,150	1,200	<b>5.1</b>	5.6	-0.5	5.3	-0.2
Columbia	15,970	14,950	1,020	<b>6.4</b>	7.4	-1.0	7.2	-0.8
Cookeville	12,870	12,030	850	<b>6.6</b>	7.3	-0.7	7.1	-0.5
Franklin	37,190	35,660	1,530	<b>4.1</b>	4.6	-0.5	4.1	0.0
Gallatin	15,980	15,100	880	<b>5.5</b>	6.0	-0.5	5.2	0.3
Germantown	19,170	18,240	940	<b>4.9</b>	5.3	-0.4	5.1	-0.2
Hendersonville	28,680	27,350	1,330	<b>4.6</b>	5.1	-0.5	5.0	-0.4
Jackson	30,520	28,420	2,100	<b>6.9</b>	7.9	-1.0	7.1	-0.2
Johnson City	30,350	28,460	1,890	<b>6.2</b>	7.0	-0.8	6.1	0.1
Kingsport	22,550	21,120	1,430	<b>6.3</b>	7.0	-0.7	6.6	-0.3
Knoxville	92,290	86,950	5,340	<b>5.8</b>	6.5	-0.7	6.0	-0.2
LaVergne	17,430	16,480	950	<b>5.4</b>	6.3	-0.9	5.9	-0.5
Lebanon	12,870	12,060	810	<b>6.3</b>	7.1	-0.8	6.1	0.2
Maryville	13,010	12,280	730	<b>5.6</b>	6.2	-0.6	6.1	-0.5
Memphis	285,250	262,400	22,850	<b>8.0</b>	9.0	-1.0	8.8	-0.8
Morristown	11,200	10,280	920	<b>8.2</b>	8.9	-0.7	9.2	-1.0
Mount Juliet	14,480	13,800	680	<b>4.7</b>	5.2	-0.5	5.0	-0.3
Murfreesboro	62,560	59,420	3,140	<b>5.0</b>	5.6	-0.6	5.2	-0.2
Nashville	355,710	338,540	17,180	<b>4.8</b>	5.4	-0.6	5.0	-0.2
Oak Ridge	13,940	13,130	820	<b>5.9</b>	6.5	-0.6	6.3	-0.4
Smyrna	22,490	21,390	1,100	<b>4.9</b>	5.5	-0.6	5.4	-0.5
Spring Hill	16,770	16,060	720	<b>4.3</b>	4.6	-0.3	4.6	-0.3

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

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**Lowest  
County Unemployment Rates**

<u>Rank</u>	<u>County</u>	<u>Feb. pre. Rate (%)</u>
1	Williamson Co.	4.3
2	Davidson Co.	4.8
3	Rutherford Co.	4.9
4	Wilson Co.	5.1
5	Moore Co.	5.1
6	Sumner Co.	5.1
7	Knox Co.	5.1
8	Robertson Co.	5.4
9	Cheatham Co.	5.4
10	Maury Co.	5.6

**Highest  
County Unemployment Rates**

<u>Rank</u>	<u>County</u>	<u>Feb. pre. Rate (%)</u>
95	Clay Co.	11.1
94	Scott Co.	10.7
93	Cocke Co.	10.3
92	Houston Co.	9.9
91	Van Buren Co.	9.8
90	Sevier Co.	9.7
89	Decatur Co.	9.6
88	Pickett Co.	9.6
87	Carroll Co.	9.6
86	Lauderdale Co.	9.5

**Labor Force Estimates -- January 2015 (revised)**

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(seasonally adjusted)	Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Unemp. Rate (%)
United States	157,180,000	148,201,000	8,979,000	5.7
Tennessee	3,011,500	2,810,000	201,500	6.7

(not seasonally adjusted)	Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Unemp. Rate (%)
United States	156,050,000	146,552,000	9,498,000	6.1
Tennessee	3,007,700	2,793,200	214,400	7.1

**Metropolitan Statistical Areas**

Chattanooga	248,640	232,340	16,300	6.6
Clarksville	107,640	100,130	7,510	7.0
Cleveland	55,050	51,280	3,770	6.8
Jackson	60,470	55,830	4,640	7.7
Johnson City	88,230	81,630	6,590	7.5
Kingsport-Bristol	138,470	129,220	9,250	6.7
Knoxville	399,250	373,220	26,030	6.5
Memphis	606,120	558,220	47,910	7.9
Morristown	49,030	45,020	4,020	8.2
Nashville-Murfreesboro	902,990	852,760	50,240	5.6

**Counties**

Anderson County	33,190	30,780	2,420	7.3
Bedford County	19,280	17,830	1,450	7.5
Benton County	6,790	6,110	680	10.0
Bledsoe County	4,200	3,810	400	9.4
Blount County	58,530	54,630	3,900	6.7
Bradley County	47,800	44,650	3,150	6.6
Campbell County	14,840	13,420	1,420	9.6
Cannon County	5,850	5,440	410	7.0
Carroll County	12,410	11,020	1,400	11.3
Carter County	23,860	21,910	1,940	8.1
Cheatham County	19,790	18,590	1,200	6.1
Chester County	7,950	7,350	600	7.6
Claiborne County	12,540	11,420	1,120	8.9
Clay County	3,040	2,670	370	12.2
Cocke County	14,360	12,720	1,640	11.4
Coffee County	24,470	22,830	1,640	6.7
Crockett County	6,700	6,110	590	8.8
Cumberland County	22,540	20,300	2,230	9.9
Davidson County	353,590	334,640	18,940	5.4
Decatur County	4,650	4,140	510	11.0
DeKalb County	7,100	6,490	610	8.6
Dickson County	23,670	22,040	1,630	6.9
Dyer County	16,580	15,160	1,430	8.6
Fayette County	17,560	16,110	1,450	8.2
Fentress County	6,980	6,330	650	9.3
Franklin County	19,460	18,220	1,240	6.4
Gibson County	20,910	18,970	1,940	9.3
Giles County	14,220	13,290	930	6.6
Grainger County	9,120	8,350	780	8.5
Greene County	29,860	27,210	2,650	8.9
Grundy County	5,070	4,560	510	10.0
Hamblen County	26,160	24,140	2,020	7.7
Hamilton County	163,300	152,510	10,800	6.6
Hancock County	2,070	1,850	210	10.3
Hardeman County	9,510	8,540	970	10.2
Hardin County	10,320	9,360	960	9.3
Hawkins County	23,760	21,890	1,860	7.8
Haywood County	7,660	6,830	830	10.8

Counties	Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Unemp. Rate (%)
Henderson County	12,230	11,000	1,240	10.1
Henry County	13,850	12,560	1,290	9.3
Hickman County	10,300	9,590	710	6.9
Houston County	3,290	2,930	360	10.9
Humphreys County	8,280	7,540	740	9.0
Jackson County	4,450	4,000	450	10.1
Jefferson County	22,870	20,870	2,000	8.7
Johnson County	7,170	6,570	600	8.4
Knox County	224,070	211,220	12,850	5.7
Lake County	2,110	1,890	220	10.6
Lauderdale County	9,880	8,830	1,050	10.7
Lawrence County	17,560	15,960	1,590	9.1
Lewis County	4,870	4,380	490	10.1
Lincoln County	15,110	14,170	940	6.2
Loudon County	21,610	20,120	1,500	6.9
Macon County	9,810	9,150	660	6.7
Madison County	45,820	42,370	3,450	7.5
Marion County	11,560	10,630	930	8.0
Marshall County	14,390	13,400	990	6.9
Maury County	40,590	38,000	2,590	6.4
McMinn County	22,250	20,460	1,780	8.0
McNairy County	9,080	8,100	980	10.8
Meigs County	4,840	4,380	460	9.6
Monroe County	18,970	17,450	1,530	8.0
Montgomery County	76,210	70,850	5,360	7.0
Moore County	3,220	3,030	190	5.8
Morgan County	7,910	7,170	740	9.3
Obion County	12,890	11,550	1,330	10.3
Overton County	9,150	8,280	870	9.5
Perry County	3,060	2,810	260	8.4
Pickett County	2,270	2,020	250	10.8
Polk County	7,250	6,630	620	8.5
Putnam County	32,130	29,820	2,310	7.2
Rhea County	22,740	20,920	1,820	8.8
Roane County	22,740	20,920	1,820	8.0
Robertson County	33,310	31,320	1,990	6.0
Rutherford County	146,690	138,620	8,070	5.5
Scott County	8,020	7,040	990	12.3
Sequatchie County	5,700	5,250	450	7.9
Sevier County	47,820	42,620	5,200	10.9
Shelby County	426,490	392,010	34,480	8.1
Smith County	8,450	7,840	610	7.2
Stewart County	5,190	4,680	510	9.8
Sullivan County	69,140	64,280	4,870	7.0
Sumner County	85,150	80,320	4,840	5.7
Tipton County	27,200	24,740	2,470	9.1
Trousdale County	3,620	3,340	280	7.8
Unicoi County	7,190	6,430	760	10.5
Union County	7,230	6,610	620	8.5
Van Buren County	2,100	1,860	240	11.6
Warren County	16,910	15,680	1,230	7.3
Washington County	57,180	53,290	3,890	6.8
Wayne County	6,400	5,760	640	10.0
Weakley County	15,730	14,400	1,330	8.4
White County	11,400	10,510	890	7.8
Williamson County	100,900	96,070	4,830	4.8
Wilson County	61,280	57,800	3,490	5.7

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# Labor Force Estimates - Local Workforce Investment Areas (LWIA)

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	Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Unemp. Rate (%)			Rate Change	Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Unemp. Rate (%)			Rate Change
				Feb.	Jan.						Feb.	Jan.		
<b>LWIA 1</b>	<b>165,830</b>	<b>155,020</b>	<b>10,820</b>	<b>6.5</b>	<b>7.3</b>	<b>-0.8</b>	<b>LWIA 8</b>	<b>358,120</b>	<b>338,730</b>	<b>19,380</b>	<b>5.4</b>	<b>6.0</b>	<b>-0.6</b>	
Carter	24,070	22,320	1,750	7.3	8.1	-0.8	Cheatham	19,900	18,830	1,070	5.4	6.1	-0.7	
Johnson	7,230	6,700	530	7.4	8.4	-1.0	Dickson	23,740	22,290	1,440	6.1	6.9	-0.8	
Sullivan	69,610	65,220	4,380	6.3	7.0	-0.7	Houston	3,290	2,960	330	9.9	10.9	-1.0	
Unicoi	7,200	6,550	660	9.1	10.5	-1.4	Humphreys	8,280	7,630	650	7.9	9.0	-1.1	
Washington	57,720	54,230	3,500	6.1	6.8	-0.7	Montgomery	76,870	72,070	4,800	6.2	7.0	-0.8	
							Robertson	33,480	31,690	1,790	5.4	6.0	-0.6	
<b>LWIA 2</b>	<b>196,610</b>	<b>180,300</b>	<b>16,300</b>	<b>8.3</b>	<b>9.2</b>	<b>-1.0</b>	Stewart	5,200	4,720	470	9.1	9.8	-0.7	
Claiborne	12,570	11,570	1,000	8.0	8.9	-0.9	Sumner	85,680	81,280	4,410	5.1	5.7	-0.6	
Cocke	14,360	12,890	1,480	10.3	11.4	-1.1	Williamson	101,680	97,260	4,420	4.3	4.8	-0.5	
Grainger	9,190	8,470	710	7.8	8.5	-0.7								
Greene	29,790	27,460	2,330	7.8	8.9	-1.1	<b>LWIA 9</b>	<b>568,310</b>	<b>540,550</b>	<b>27,780</b>	<b>4.9</b>	<b>5.4</b>	<b>-0.6</b>	
Hamblen	26,400	24,540	1,860	7.0	7.7	-0.7	Davidson	355,710	338,540	17,180	4.8	5.4	-0.6	
Hancock	2,060	1,870	190	9.1	10.3	-1.2	Rutherford	147,370	140,170	7,210	4.9	5.5	-0.6	
Hawkins	23,900	22,210	1,690	7.1	7.8	-0.7	Trousdale	3,640	3,380	260	7.1	7.8	-0.7	
Jefferson	23,030	21,220	1,810	7.9	8.7	-0.8	Wilson	61,590	58,460	3,130	5.1	5.7	-0.6	
Sevier	48,030	43,360	4,660	9.7	10.9	-1.2								
Union	7,280	6,710	570	7.8	8.5	-0.7	<b>LWIA 10</b>	<b>111,650</b>	<b>104,450</b>	<b>7,230</b>	<b>6.5</b>	<b>7.4</b>	<b>-0.9</b>	
							Giles	14,390	13,560	830	5.8	6.6	-0.8	
<b>LWIA 3</b>	<b>225,730</b>	<b>214,100</b>	<b>11,620</b>	<b>5.1</b>	<b>5.7</b>	<b>-0.6</b>	Hickman	10,370	9,720	650	6.3	6.9	-0.6	
Knox	225,730	214,100	11,620	5.1	5.7	-0.6	Lawrence	17,480	16,110	1,380	7.9	9.1	-1.2	
							Lewis	4,840	4,440	400	8.3	10.1	-1.8	
<b>LWIA 4</b>	<b>209,200</b>	<b>194,350</b>	<b>14,840</b>	<b>7.1</b>	<b>7.9</b>	<b>-0.8</b>	Marshall	14,420	13,550	880	6.1	6.9	-0.8	
Anderson	33,370	31,200	2,170	6.5	7.3	-0.8	Mauzy	40,740	38,440	2,300	5.6	6.4	-0.8	
Blount	58,920	55,390	3,520	6.0	6.7	-0.7	Perry	3,070	2,840	230	7.4	8.4	-1.0	
Campbell	14,890	13,610	1,280	8.6	9.6	-1.0	Wayne	6,340	5,790	560	8.8	10.0	-1.2	
Cumberland	22,540	20,540	2,000	8.9	9.9	-1.0								
Loudon	21,750	20,400	1,350	6.2	6.9	-0.7	<b>LWIA 11</b>	<b>107,730</b>	<b>99,400</b>	<b>8,350</b>	<b>7.8</b>	<b>8.9</b>	<b>-1.2</b>	
Monroe	19,010	17,630	1,370	7.2	8.0	-0.8	Chester	8,020	7,500	530	6.6	7.6	-1.0	
Morgan	7,920	7,270	660	8.3	9.3	-1.0	Decatur	4,610	4,170	440	9.6	11.0	-1.4	
Roane	22,830	21,200	1,630	7.2	8.0	-0.8	Hardeman	9,500	8,670	830	8.7	10.2	-1.5	
Scott	7,970	7,110	860	10.7	12.3	-1.6	Hardin	10,300	9,460	850	8.2	9.3	-1.1	
							Haywood	7,650	6,930	720	9.5	10.8	-1.3	
<b>LWIA 5</b>	<b>281,030</b>	<b>263,350</b>	<b>17,700</b>	<b>6.3</b>	<b>7.0</b>	<b>-0.8</b>	Henderson	12,190	11,130	1,060	8.7	10.1	-1.4	
Bledsoe	4,230	3,870	360	8.6	9.4	-0.8	Madison	46,310	43,250	3,060	6.6	7.5	-0.9	
Bradley	47,590	44,800	2,800	5.9	6.6	-0.7	McNairy	9,150	8,290	860	9.4	10.8	-1.4	
Hamilton	164,370	154,720	9,660	5.9	6.6	-0.7								
Marion	11,640	10,790	850	7.3	8.0	-0.7	<b>LWIA 12</b>	<b>145,450</b>	<b>133,260</b>	<b>12,180</b>	<b>8.4</b>	<b>9.5</b>	<b>-1.1</b>	
McMinn	22,250	20,650	1,600	7.2	8.0	-0.8	Benton	6,780	6,190	590	8.7	10.0	-1.3	
Meigs	4,850	4,430	420	8.7	9.6	-0.9	Carroll	12,520	11,320	1,200	9.6	11.3	-1.7	
Polk	7,220	6,660	560	7.8	8.5	-0.7	Crockett	6,760	6,240	510	7.6	8.8	-1.2	
Rhea	13,150	12,100	1,050	8.0	8.8	-0.8	Dyer	16,690	15,390	1,300	7.8	8.6	-0.8	
Sequatchie	5,730	5,330	400	7.0	7.9	-0.9	Gibson	21,100	19,320	1,780	8.4	9.3	-0.9	
							Henry	13,830	12,730	1,100	7.9	9.3	-1.4	
<b>LWIA 6</b>	<b>104,510</b>	<b>98,040</b>	<b>6,470</b>	<b>6.2</b>	<b>6.9</b>	<b>-0.8</b>	Lake	2,100	1,900	200	9.4	10.6	-1.2	
Bedford	19,370	18,050	1,320	6.8	7.5	-0.7	Lauderdale	9,820	8,890	930	9.5	10.7	-1.2	
Coffee	24,760	23,290	1,470	5.9	6.7	-0.8	Obion	12,830	11,650	1,180	9.2	10.3	-1.1	
Franklin	19,750	18,630	1,120	5.7	6.4	-0.7	Tipton	27,260	25,060	2,200	8.1	9.1	-1.0	
Grundy	5,050	4,610	440	8.7	10.0	-1.3	Weakley	15,760	14,570	1,190	7.5	8.4	-0.9	
Lincoln	15,160	14,300	860	5.6	6.2	-0.6								
Moore	3,350	3,180	170	5.1	5.8	-0.7	<b>LWIA 13</b>	<b>445,660</b>	<b>413,440</b>	<b>32,230</b>	<b>7.2</b>	<b>8.1</b>	<b>-0.9</b>	
Warren	17,070	15,980	1,090	6.4	7.3	-0.9	Fayette	17,590	16,340	1,260	7.1	8.2	-1.1	
							Shelby	428,070	397,100	30,970	7.2	8.1	-0.9	
<b>LWIA 7</b>	<b>102,760</b>	<b>95,410</b>	<b>7,360</b>	<b>7.2</b>	<b>8.1</b>	<b>-0.9</b>	<b>LWIA Total</b>	<b>3,022,590</b>	<b>2,830,400</b>	<b>192,260</b>	<b>6.4</b>	<b>7.1</b>	<b>-0.8</b>	
Cannon	5,860	5,510	350	6.0	7.0	-1.0								
Clay	3,030	2,690	340	11.1	12.2	-1.1								
DeKalb	7,090	6,540	550	7.8	8.6	-0.8								
Fentress	6,960	6,400	560	8.1	9.3	-1.2								
Jackson	4,470	4,060	420	9.3	10.1	-0.8								
Macon	9,860	9,270	590	6.0	6.7	-0.7								
Overton	9,070	8,320	750	8.3	9.5	-1.2								
Pickett	2,270	2,050	220	9.6	10.8	-1.2								
Putnam	32,200	30,140	2,060	6.4	7.2	-0.8								
Smith	8,460	7,940	520	6.2	7.2	-1.0								
Van Buren	2,080	1,880	200	9.8	11.6	-1.8								
White	11,410	10,610	800	7.0	7.8	-0.8								

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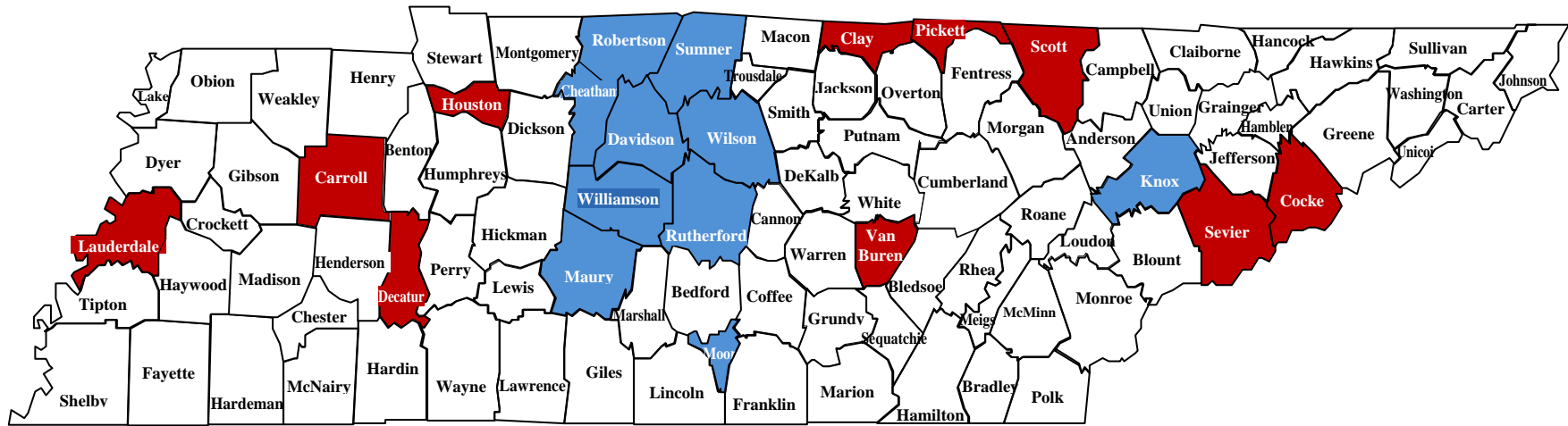
# Labor Force Estimates - Economic & Community Development Regions

February, 2015 preliminary

	Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Unemp. Rate (%)		Rate Change		Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Unemp. Rate (%)		Rate Change
				Feb.	Jan.						Feb.	Jan.	
<b>Northeast TN</b>							<b>Upper Cumberland</b>						
	<b>221,580</b>	<b>206,560</b>	<b>15,030</b>	<b>6.8</b>	<b>7.6</b>	<b>-0.8</b>		<b>142,370</b>	<b>131,930</b>	<b>10,450</b>	<b>7.3</b>	<b>8.3</b>	<b>-0.9</b>
Carter	24,070	22,320	1,750	7.3	8.1	-0.8	Cannon	5,860	5,510	350	6.0	7.0	-1.0
Greene	29,790	27,460	2,330	7.8	8.9	-1.1	Clay	3,030	2,690	340	11.1	12.2	-1.1
Hancock	2,060	1,870	190	9.1	10.3	-1.2	Cumberland	22,540	20,540	2,000	8.9	9.9	-1.0
Hawkins	23,900	22,210	1,690	7.1	7.8	-0.7	DeKalb	7,090	6,540	550	7.8	8.6	-0.8
Johnson	7,230	6,700	530	7.4	8.4	-1.0	Fentress	6,960	6,400	560	8.1	9.3	-1.2
Sullivan	69,610	65,220	4,380	6.3	7.0	-0.7	Jackson	4,470	4,060	420	9.3	10.1	-0.8
Unicoi	7,200	6,550	660	9.1	10.5	-1.4	Macon	9,860	9,270	590	6.0	6.7	-0.7
Washington	57,720	54,230	3,500	6.1	6.8	-0.7	Overton	9,070	8,320	750	8.3	9.5	-1.2
							Pickett	2,270	2,050	220	9.6	10.8	-1.2
<b>East TN</b>							<b>Northern Middle TN</b>						
	<b>553,250</b>	<b>516,670</b>	<b>36,550</b>	<b>6.6</b>	<b>7.4</b>	<b>-0.8</b>		<b>926,430</b>	<b>879,280</b>	<b>47,160</b>	<b>5.1</b>	<b>5.7</b>	<b>-0.6</b>
Anderson	33,370	31,200	2,170	6.5	7.3	-0.8	Cheatham	19,900	18,830	1,070	5.4	6.1	-0.7
Blount	58,920	55,390	3,520	6.0	6.7	-0.7	Davidson	355,710	338,540	17,180	4.8	5.4	-0.6
Campbell	14,890	13,610	1,280	8.6	9.6	-1.0	Dickson	23,740	22,290	1,440	6.1	6.9	-0.8
Claiborne	12,570	11,570	1,000	8.0	8.9	-0.9	Houston	3,290	2,960	330	9.9	10.9	-1.0
Cocke	14,360	12,890	1,480	10.3	11.4	-1.1	Humphreys	8,280	7,630	650	7.9	9.0	-1.1
Grainger	9,190	8,470	710	7.8	8.5	-0.7	Montgomery	76,870	72,070	4,800	6.2	7.0	-0.8
Hamblen	26,400	24,540	1,860	7.0	7.7	-0.7	Robertson	33,480	31,690	1,790	5.4	6.0	-0.6
Jefferson	23,030	21,220	1,810	7.9	8.7	-0.8	Rutherford	147,370	140,170	7,210	4.9	5.5	-0.6
Knox	225,730	214,100	11,620	5.1	5.7	-0.6	Stewart	5,200	4,720	470	9.1	9.8	-0.7
Loudon	21,750	20,400	1,350	6.2	6.9	-0.7	Sumner	85,680	81,280	4,410	5.1	5.7	-0.6
Monroe	19,010	17,630	1,370	7.2	8.0	-0.8	Trousdale	3,640	3,380	260	7.1	7.8	-0.7
Morgan	7,920	7,270	660	8.3	9.3	-1.0	Williamson	101,680	97,260	4,420	4.3	4.8	-0.5
Roane	22,830	21,200	1,630	7.2	8.0	-0.8	Wilson	61,590	58,460	3,130	5.1	5.7	-0.6
Scott	7,970	7,110	860	10.7	12.3	-1.6							
Sevier	48,030	43,360	4,660	9.7	10.9	-1.2	<b>Northwest TN</b>						
Union	7,280	6,710	570	7.8	8.5	-0.7		<b>108,370</b>	<b>99,310</b>	<b>9,050</b>	<b>8.4</b>	<b>9.4</b>	<b>-1.1</b>
							Benton	6,780	6,190	590	8.7	10.0	-1.3
<b>Southeast TN</b>							<b>Southwest TN</b>						
	<b>286,080</b>	<b>267,960</b>	<b>18,140</b>	<b>6.3</b>	<b>7.1</b>	<b>-0.8</b>		<b>107,730</b>	<b>99,400</b>	<b>8,350</b>	<b>7.8</b>	<b>8.9</b>	<b>-1.2</b>
Bledsoe	4,230	3,870	360	8.6	9.4	-0.8	Chester	8,020	7,500	530	6.6	7.6	-1.0
Bradley	47,590	44,800	2,800	5.9	6.6	-0.7	Decatur	4,610	4,170	440	9.6	11.0	-1.4
Grundy	5,050	4,610	440	8.7	10.0	-1.3	Hardeman	9,500	8,670	830	8.7	10.2	-1.5
Hamilton	164,370	154,720	9,660	5.9	6.6	-0.7	Hardin	10,300	9,460	850	8.2	9.3	-1.1
Marion	11,640	10,790	850	7.3	8.0	-0.7	Haywood	7,650	6,930	720	9.5	10.8	-1.3
McMinn	22,250	20,650	1,600	7.2	8.0	-0.8	Henderson	12,190	11,130	1,060	8.7	10.1	-1.4
Meigs	4,850	4,430	420	8.7	9.6	-0.9	Madison	46,310	43,250	3,060	6.6	7.5	-0.9
Polk	7,220	6,660	560	7.8	8.5	-0.7	McNairy	9,150	8,290	860	9.4	10.8	-1.4
Rhea	13,150	12,100	1,050	8.0	8.8	-0.8							
Sequatchie	5,730	5,330	400	7.0	7.9	-0.9	<b>Greater Memphis</b>						
								<b>482,740</b>	<b>447,390</b>	<b>35,360</b>	<b>7.3</b>	<b>8.2</b>	<b>-0.9</b>
<b>Southern Middle TN</b>							<b>Greater Memphis</b>						
	<b>194,040</b>	<b>181,900</b>	<b>12,170</b>	<b>6.3</b>	<b>7.1</b>	<b>-0.8</b>	Fayette	17,590	16,340	1,260	7.1	8.2	-1.1
Bedford	19,370	18,050	1,320	6.8	7.5	-0.7	Lauderdale	9,820	8,890	930	9.5	10.7	-1.2
Coffee	24,760	23,290	1,470	5.9	6.7	-0.8	Shelby	428,070	397,100	30,970	7.2	8.1	-0.9
Franklin	19,750	18,630	1,120	5.7	6.4	-0.7	Tipton	27,260	25,060	2,200	8.1	9.1	-1.0
Giles	14,390	13,560	830	5.8	6.6	-0.8							
Hickman	10,370	9,720	650	6.3	6.9	-0.6	<b>Total</b>	<b>3,022,590</b>	<b>2,830,400</b>	<b>192,260</b>	<b>6.4</b>	<b>7.1</b>	<b>-0.8</b>
Lawrence	17,480	16,110	1,380	7.9	9.1	-1.2							
Lewis	4,840	4,440	400	8.3	10.1	-1.8							
Lincoln	15,160	14,300	860	5.6	6.2	-0.6							
Marshall	14,420	13,550	880	6.1	6.9	-0.8							
Maury	40,740	38,440	2,300	5.6	6.4	-0.8							
Moore	3,350	3,180	170	5.1	5.8	-0.7							
Perry	3,070	2,840	230	7.4	8.4	-1.0							
Wayne	6,340	5,790	560	8.8	10.0	-1.2							

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## Lowest County Unemployment Rates

Rank	County	Feb. 2015 Pre. Rate (%)
1	Williamson	4.3
2	Davidson	4.8
3	Rutherford	4.9
4	Wilson	5.1
5	Moore	5.1
6	Sumner	5.1
7	Knox	5.1
8	Robertson	5.4
9	Cheatham	5.4
10	Maury	5.6

## Highest County Unemployment Rates

Rank	County	Feb. 2015 Pre. Rate (%)
95	Clay	11.1
94	Scott	10.7
93	Cocke	10.3
92	Houston	9.9
91	Van Buren	9.8
90	Sevier	9.7
89	Decatur	9.6
88	Pickett	9.6
87	Carroll	9.6
86	Lauderdale	9.5