

# Labor Force Estimates - United States & Tennessee

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<i>Seasonally Adjusted*</i>	May, 2015 preliminary				Apr. '15 revised		May '14	
	Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate	Rate	Change	Rate	Change
UNITED STATES	157,469,000	148,795,000	8,674,000	<b>5.5%</b>	5.4%	0.1%	6.3%	-0.8%
TENNESSEE	3,103,400	2,922,300	181,100	<b>5.8%</b>	6.0%	-0.2%	6.5%	-0.7%

\* 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	157,719,000	149,349,000	8,370,000	<b>5.3%</b>	5.1%	0.2%	6.1%	-0.8%
TENNESSEE	3,106,400	2,928,200	178,300	<b>5.7%</b>	5.3%	0.4%	6.4%	-0.7%

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

	May, 2015 pre.				Apr. '15 rev.	
	Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate	Rate	Change
<b>Chattanooga-Cleveland-Dalton, TN-GA-AL CSA</b>	433,970	408,190	25,780	<b>5.9</b>	5.5	0.4
Athens Micropolitan Area (McMinn Co.)	22,850	21,380	1,470	<b>6.4</b>	6.0	0.4
Chattanooga, TN-GA MSA	256,880	242,330	14,550	<b>5.7</b>	5.1	0.6
Cleveland, TN MSA	56,130	52,980	3,150	<b>5.6</b>	5.1	0.5
Dalton, GA MSA	61,110	57,070	4,040	<b>6.6</b>	6.7	-0.1
Dayton Micropolitan Area (Rhea Co.)	13,360	12,370	990	<b>7.4</b>	6.5	0.9
Scottsboro, AL Micropolitan Area	23,650	22,060	1,590	<b>6.7</b>	5.7	1.0
<b>Johnson City-Kingsport-Bristol, TN-VA CSA</b>	232,930	219,320	13,610	<b>5.8</b>	5.3	0.5
Johnson City, TN MSA	91,050	85,550	5,500	<b>6.0</b>	5.4	0.6
Kingsport-Bristol, TN-VA MSA	141,880	133,770	8,110	<b>5.7</b>	5.2	0.5
<b>Knoxville-Morristown-Sevierville, TN CSA</b>	529,730	500,670	29,060	<b>5.5</b>	5.1	0.4
Knoxville, TN MSA	414,800	392,820	21,980	<b>5.3</b>	4.9	0.4
Morristown, TN MSA	50,670	47,460	3,210	<b>6.3</b>	5.8	0.5
Newport Micropolitan Area (Cocke Co.)	14,550	13,470	1,080	<b>7.4</b>	7.1	0.3
Sevierville Micropolitan Area (Sevier Co.)	49,710	46,920	2,790	<b>5.6</b>	5.5	0.1
<b>Martin-Union City, TN-KY CSA</b>	31,090	28,590	2,500	<b>8.1</b>	7.2	0.9
Martin Micropolitan Area (Weakley Co.)	15,910	14,740	1,170	<b>7.4</b>	6.4	1.0
Union City TN-KY Micropolitan Area	15,180	13,850	1,330	<b>8.8</b>	8.1	0.7
<b>Memphis-Forrest City, TN-MS-AR CSA</b>	627,740	586,320	41,420	<b>6.6</b>	5.9	0.7
Forrest City, AR Micropolitan Area	8,980	8,290	690	<b>7.7</b>	7.5	0.2
Memphis, TN-MS-AR MSA	618,760	578,030	40,730	<b>6.6</b>	5.9	0.7
<b>Nashville-Murfreesboro, TN CSA</b>	995,450	948,370	47,070	<b>4.7</b>	4.3	0.4
Lawrenceburg, Micropolitan Area (Lawrence Co.)	17,800	16,640	1,160	<b>6.5</b>	6.1	0.4
Lewisburg Micropolitan Area (Marshall Co.)	14,850	14,000	850	<b>5.7</b>	5.1	0.6
Nashville-Murfreesboro-Franklin, TN MSA	942,890	899,110	43,780	<b>4.6</b>	4.2	0.4
Shelbyville Micropolitan Area (Bedford Co.)	19,910	18,620	1,290	<b>6.5</b>	5.8	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>	256,880	242,330	14,550	<b>5.7</b>	5.1	0.6	6.4	-0.7
Hamilton County	169,870	160,480	9,390	<b>5.5</b>	4.9	0.6	6.1	-0.6
Marion County	12,020	11,200	820	<b>6.8</b>	6.1	0.7	7.6	-0.8
Sequatchie County	5,930	5,540	390	<b>6.6</b>	5.9	0.7	6.9	-0.3
Georgia Portion	69,060	65,110	3,950	<b>5.7</b>	5.4	0.3	6.7	-1.0
<b>Clarksville, TN-KY MSA</b>	110,930	104,320	6,610	<b>6.0</b>	5.4	0.6	6.9	-0.9
Montgomery County	79,090	74,500	4,590	<b>5.8</b>	5.3	0.5	6.4	-0.6
Kentucky Portion	31,840	29,820	2,020	<b>6.3</b>	5.7	0.6	7.9	-1.6
<b>Cleveland, TN MSA</b>	56,130	52,980	3,150	<b>5.6</b>	5.1	0.5	6.1	-0.5
Bradley County	48,780	46,120	2,660	<b>5.5</b>	4.9	0.6	5.9	-0.4
Polk County	7,350	6,860	490	<b>6.7</b>	6.1	0.6	7.4	-0.7
<b>Jackson, TN MSA</b>	62,340	58,460	3,870	<b>6.2</b>	5.6	0.6	6.9	-0.7
Chester County	8,200	7,680	520	<b>6.4</b>	5.5	0.9	6.8	-0.4
Crockett County	6,830	6,390	440	<b>6.4</b>	6.2	0.2	7.5	-1.1
Madison County	47,300	44,390	2,920	<b>6.2</b>	5.5	0.7	6.8	-0.6
<b>Johnson City, TN MSA</b>	91,050	85,550	5,500	<b>6.0</b>	5.4	0.6	6.7	-0.7
Carter County	24,620	23,020	1,590	<b>6.5</b>	5.9	0.6	7.4	-0.9
Unicoi County	7,280	6,730	550	<b>7.6</b>	6.9	0.7	8.3	-0.7
Washington County	59,160	55,800	3,360	<b>5.7</b>	5.0	0.7	6.2	-0.5
<b>Kingsport-Bristol, TN-VA MSA</b>	141,880	133,770	8,110	<b>5.7</b>	5.2	0.5	6.4	-0.7
Hawkins County	24,400	22,830	1,570	<b>6.4</b>	5.7	0.7	6.9	-0.5
Sullivan County	71,210	67,110	4,100	<b>5.8</b>	5.3	0.5	6.5	-0.7
Virginia Portion	46,270	43,830	2,440	<b>5.3</b>	4.8	0.5	5.9	-0.6
<b>Knoxville, TN MSA</b>	414,800	392,820	21,980	<b>5.3</b>	4.9	0.4	6.0	-0.7
Anderson County	34,440	32,400	2,030	<b>5.9</b>	5.4	0.5	6.7	-0.8
Blount County	60,670	57,530	3,150	<b>5.2</b>	4.8	0.4	5.8	-0.6
Campbell County	15,351	14,141	1,210	<b>7.9</b>	7.4	0.5	9.1	-1.2
Grainger County	9,420	8,800	610	<b>6.5</b>	6.2	0.3	7.8	-1.3
Knox County	233,350	222,290	11,060	<b>4.7</b>	4.3	0.4	5.4	-0.7
Loudon County	22,450	21,150	1,300	<b>5.8</b>	5.2	0.6	6.5	-0.7
Morgan County	8,120	7,530	600	<b>7.4</b>	7.0	0.4	8.5	-1.1
Roane County	23,520	21,990	1,530	<b>6.5</b>	6.1	0.4	7.2	-0.7
Union County	7,480	6,990	490	<b>6.5</b>	6.2	0.3	7.2	-0.7
<b>Memphis, TN-MS-AR MSA</b>	618,760	578,030	40,730	<b>6.6</b>	5.9	0.7	7.3	-0.7
Fayette County	17,810	16,710	1,100	<b>6.2</b>	5.8	0.4	7.0	-0.8
Shelby County	435,430	406,310	29,120	<b>6.7</b>	6.1	0.6	7.5	-0.8
Tipton County	27,630	25,630	2,010	<b>7.3</b>	6.7	0.6	8.0	-0.7
Arkansas Portion	21,580	20,170	1,410	<b>6.5</b>	6.5	0.0	7.0	-0.5
Mississippi Portion	116,320	109,210	7,110	<b>6.1</b>	4.9	1.2	6.6	-0.5
<b>Morristown, TN MSA</b>	50,670	47,460	3,210	<b>6.3</b>	5.8	0.5	7.1	-0.8
Hamblen County	27,130	25,450	1,680	<b>6.2</b>	5.7	0.5	7.0	-0.8
Jefferson County	23,540	22,010	1,530	<b>6.5</b>	5.9	0.6	7.2	-0.7
<b>Nashville-Murfreesboro, TN MSA</b>	942,890	899,110	43,780	<b>4.6</b>	4.2	0.4	5.1	-0.5
Cannon County	6,080	5,730	350	<b>5.7</b>	5.2	0.5	6.0	-0.3
Cheatham County	20,680	19,670	1,010	<b>4.9</b>	4.4	0.5	5.3	-0.4
Davidson County	369,590	352,880	16,710	<b>4.5</b>	4.1	0.4	5.0	-0.5
Dickson County	24,590	23,220	1,370	<b>5.6</b>	5.2	0.4	6.1	-0.5
Hickman County	10,760	10,140	620	<b>5.7</b>	5.4	0.3	6.4	-0.7
Macon County	10,160	9,630	530	<b>5.2</b>	4.8	0.4	6.5	-1.3
Maury County	42,250	40,040	2,210	<b>5.2</b>	4.8	0.4	5.9	-0.7
Robertson County	34,670	32,960	1,710	<b>4.9</b>	4.5	0.4	5.4	-0.5
Rutherford County	153,040	145,940	7,110	<b>4.6</b>	4.2	0.4	5.2	-0.6
Smith County	8,740	8,270	470	<b>5.4</b>	5.3	0.1	6.1	-0.7
Sumner County	88,890	84,760	4,130	<b>4.7</b>	4.3	0.4	5.2	-0.5
Trousdale County	3,740	3,520	220	<b>5.9</b>	5.6	0.3	6.6	-0.7
Williamson County	105,830	101,480	4,340	<b>4.1</b>	3.7	0.4	4.5	-0.4
Wilson County	63,880	60,880	3,010	<b>4.7</b>	4.2	0.5	5.2	-0.5

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**Labor Force Estimates - Micropolitan Statistical Areas**

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Athens (McMinn Co.)	22,850	21,380	1,470	<b>6.4</b>	6.0	0.4	7.3	-0.9
Cookeville	46,530	43,470	3,060	<b>6.6</b>	6.0	0.6	7.2	-0.6
Jackson Co.	4,530	4,170	350	<b>7.8</b>	7.9	-0.1	8.6	-0.8
Overton Co.	9,250	8,530	720	<b>7.7</b>	7.2	0.5	7.6	0.1
Putnam Co.	32,760	30,770	1,990	<b>6.1</b>	5.5	0.6	6.8	-0.7
Crossville (Cumberland Co.)	23,220	21,600	1,620	<b>7.0</b>	6.9	0.1	7.4	-0.4
Dayton (Rhea Co.)	13,360	12,370	990	<b>7.4</b>	6.5	0.9	7.9	-0.5
Dyersburg (Dyer Co.)	16,870	15,610	1,260	<b>7.5</b>	6.9	0.6	8.1	-0.6
Greeneville (Greene Co.)	29,840	27,900	1,940	<b>6.5</b>	6.2	0.3	7.9	-1.4
Lawrenceburg (Lawrence Co.)	17,800	16,640	1,160	<b>6.5</b>	6.1	0.4	7.8	-1.3
Lewisburg (Marshall Co.)	14,850	14,000	850	<b>5.7</b>	5.1	0.6	6.3	-0.6
Martin (Weakley Co.)	15,910	14,740	1,170	<b>7.4</b>	6.4	1.0	7.9	-0.5
McMinnville (Warren Co.)	17,300	16,270	1,020	<b>5.9</b>	5.4	0.5	6.7	-0.8
Newport (Cocke Co.)	14,550	13,470	1,080	<b>7.4</b>	7.1	0.3	8.1	-0.7
Paris (Henry Co.)	14,060	13,130	930	<b>6.6</b>	6.1	0.5	7.4	-0.8
Sevierville (Sevier Co.)	49,710	46,920	2,790	<b>5.6</b>	5.5	0.1	6.3	-0.7
Shelbyville (Bedford Co.)	19,910	18,620	1,290	<b>6.5</b>	5.8	0.7	7.1	-0.6
Tullahoma-Manchester	48,860	46,300	2,560	<b>5.2</b>	4.8	0.4	5.9	-0.7
Coffee Co.	25,410	24,040	1,370	<b>5.4</b>	4.9	0.5	6.1	-0.7
Franklin Co.	20,040	19,000	1,040	<b>5.2</b>	4.7	0.5	5.8	-0.6
Moore Co.	3,410	3,260	160	<b>4.5</b>	4.2	0.3	5.0	-0.5
Union City, TN-KY	15,180	13,850	1,330	<b>8.8</b>	8.1	0.7	8.8	0.0
Obion Co.	12,970	11,810	1,160	<b>8.9</b>	8.3	0.6	8.8	0.1
Kentucky portion (Fulton Co.)	2,210	2,040	180	<b>8.0</b>	6.7	1.3	9.0	-1.0

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	34,440	32,400	2,030	<b>5.9</b>	5.4	0.5	6.7	-0.8
Bedford County	19,910	18,620	1,290	<b>6.5</b>	5.8	0.7	7.1	-0.6
Benton County	6,870	6,340	540	<b>7.8</b>	7.3	0.5	8.3	-0.5
Bledsoe County	4,290	3,970	330	<b>7.6</b>	6.8	0.8	8.5	-0.9
Blount County	60,670	57,530	3,150	<b>5.2</b>	4.8	0.4	5.8	-0.6
Bradley County	48,780	46,120	2,660	<b>5.5</b>	4.9	0.6	5.9	-0.4
Campbell County	15,350	14,140	1,210	<b>7.9</b>	7.4	0.5	9.1	-1.2
Cannon County	6,080	5,730	350	<b>5.7</b>	5.2	0.5	6.0	-0.3
Carroll County	12,550	11,460	1,090	<b>8.7</b>	8.0	0.7	9.4	-0.7
Carter County	24,620	23,020	1,590	<b>6.5</b>	5.9	0.6	7.4	-0.9
Cheatham County	20,680	19,670	1,010	<b>4.9</b>	4.4	0.5	5.3	-0.4
Chester County	8,200	7,680	520	<b>6.4</b>	5.5	0.9	6.8	-0.4
Claiborne County	12,870	11,940	930	<b>7.2</b>	6.7	0.5	8.2	-1.0
Clay County	3,100	2,830	270	<b>8.8</b>	8.2	0.6	8.8	0.0
Cocke County	14,550	13,470	1,080	<b>7.4</b>	7.1	0.3	8.1	-0.7
Coffee County	25,410	24,040	1,370	<b>5.4</b>	4.9	0.5	6.1	-0.7
Crockett County	6,830	6,390	440	<b>6.4</b>	6.2	0.2	7.5	-1.1
Cumberland County	23,220	21,600	1,620	<b>7.0</b>	6.9	0.1	7.4	-0.4
Davidson County	369,590	352,880	16,710	<b>4.5</b>	4.1	0.4	5.0	-0.5
Decatur County	4,640	4,250	390	<b>8.4</b>	7.8	0.6	8.7	-0.3
DeKalb County	7,230	6,720	520	<b>7.1</b>	6.5	0.6	7.9	-0.8
Dickson County	24,590	23,220	1,370	<b>5.6</b>	5.2	0.4	6.1	-0.5
Dyer County	16,870	15,610	1,260	<b>7.5</b>	6.9	0.6	8.1	-0.6
Fayette County	17,810	16,710	1,100	<b>6.2</b>	5.8	0.4	7.0	-0.8
Fentress County	7,250	6,740	510	<b>7.0</b>	6.7	0.3	8.3	-1.3
Franklin County	20,040	19,000	1,040	<b>5.2</b>	4.7	0.5	5.8	-0.6
Gibson County	21,350	19,720	1,630	<b>7.6</b>	7.2	0.4	8.6	-1.0
Giles County	14,670	13,910	760	<b>5.2</b>	4.7	0.5	6.1	-0.9
Grainger County	9,420	8,800	610	<b>6.5</b>	6.2	0.3	7.8	-1.3
Greene County	29,840	27,900	1,940	<b>6.5</b>	6.2	0.3	7.9	-1.4
Grundy County	5,120	4,740	380	<b>7.5</b>	7.3	0.2	9.3	-1.8
Hamblen County	27,130	25,450	1,680	<b>6.2</b>	5.7	0.5	7.0	-0.8
Hamilton County	169,870	160,480	9,390	<b>5.5</b>	4.9	0.6	6.1	-0.6
Hancock County	2,150	1,940	210	<b>9.9</b>	8.5	1.4	9.3	0.6
Hardeman County	9,640	8,920	720	<b>7.4</b>	7.0	0.4	9.2	-1.8
Hardin County	10,570	9,800	770	<b>7.3</b>	6.7	0.6	8.7	-1.4
Hawkins County	24,400	22,830	1,570	<b>6.4</b>	5.7	0.7	6.9	-0.5
Haywood County	7,790	7,100	690	<b>8.8</b>	7.9	0.9	9.5	-0.7
Henderson County	12,260	11,240	1,020	<b>8.3</b>	7.8	0.5	8.2	0.1
Henry County	14,060	13,130	930	<b>6.6</b>	6.1	0.5	7.4	-0.8
Hickman County	10,760	10,140	620	<b>5.7</b>	5.4	0.3	6.4	-0.7
Houston County	3,320	3,040	280	<b>8.5</b>	7.9	0.6	9.6	-1.1
Humphreys County	8,440	7,860	590	<b>6.9</b>	6.7	0.2	7.9	-1.0
Jackson County	4,530	4,170	350	<b>7.8</b>	7.9	-0.1	8.6	-0.8
Jefferson County	23,540	22,010	1,530	<b>6.5</b>	5.9	0.6	7.2	-0.7
Johnson County	7,230	6,820	410	<b>5.6</b>	5.3	0.3	6.5	-0.9
Knox County	233,350	222,290	11,060	<b>4.7</b>	4.3	0.4	5.4	-0.7
Lake County	2,090	1,920	170	<b>8.0</b>	7.4	0.6	8.8	-0.8

To see maps of state, metropolitan area, and county unemployment rates, go to the Bureau of Labor Statistics web site:

<http://data.bls.gov/map/servlet/map.servlet.MapToolServlet?survey=la>

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**Labor Force Estimates - Tennessee Counties (cont.)**

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Lauderdale County	9,840	8,980	860	<b>8.7</b>	8.2	0.5	9.6	-0.9
Lawrence County	17,800	16,640	1,160	<b>6.5</b>	6.1	0.4	7.8	-1.3
Lewis County	4,960	4,620	340	<b>6.9</b>	6.8	0.1	8.4	-1.5
Lincoln County	15,760	15,020	740	<b>4.7</b>	4.4	0.3	5.1	-0.4
Loudon County	22,450	21,150	1,300	<b>5.8</b>	5.2	0.6	6.5	-0.7
Macon County	10,160	9,630	530	<b>5.2</b>	4.8	0.4	6.5	-1.3
Madison County	47,300	44,390	2,920	<b>6.2</b>	5.5	0.7	6.8	-0.6
Marion County	12,020	11,200	820	<b>6.8</b>	6.1	0.7	7.6	-0.8
Marshall County	14,850	14,000	850	<b>5.7</b>	5.1	0.6	6.3	-0.6
Mauzy County	42,250	40,040	2,210	<b>5.2</b>	4.8	0.4	5.9	-0.7
McMinn County	22,850	21,380	1,470	<b>6.4</b>	6.0	0.4	7.3	-0.9
McNairy County	9,150	8,380	780	<b>8.5</b>	7.7	0.8	10.7	-2.2
Meigs County	4,930	4,560	370	<b>7.5</b>	6.9	0.6	8.1	-0.6
Monroe County	19,420	18,220	1,200	<b>6.2</b>	5.7	0.5	7.3	-1.1
Montgomery County	79,090	74,500	4,590	<b>5.8</b>	5.3	0.5	6.4	-0.6
Moore County	3,410	3,260	160	<b>4.5</b>	4.2	0.3	5.0	-0.5
Morgan County	8,120	7,530	600	<b>7.4</b>	7.0	0.4	8.5	-1.1
Obion County	12,970	11,810	1,160	<b>8.9</b>	8.3	0.6	8.8	0.1
Overton County	9,250	8,530	720	<b>7.7</b>	7.2	0.5	7.6	0.1
Perry County	3,160	2,940	220	<b>6.9</b>	6.7	0.2	8.0	-1.1
Pickett County	2,470	2,300	170	<b>6.9</b>	6.9	0.0	7.7	-0.8
Polk County	7,350	6,860	490	<b>6.7</b>	6.1	0.6	7.4	-0.7
Putnam County	32,760	30,770	1,990	<b>6.1</b>	5.5	0.6	6.8	-0.7
Rhea County	13,360	12,370	990	<b>7.4</b>	6.5	0.9	7.9	-0.5
Roane County	23,520	21,990	1,530	<b>6.5</b>	6.1	0.4	7.2	-0.7
Robertson County	34,670	32,960	1,710	<b>4.9</b>	4.5	0.4	5.4	-0.5
Rutherford County	153,040	145,940	7,110	<b>4.6</b>	4.2	0.4	5.2	-0.6
Scott County	8,200	7,450	750	<b>9.1</b>	8.9	0.2	10.9	-1.8
Sequatchie County	5,930	5,540	390	<b>6.6</b>	5.9	0.7	6.9	-0.3
Sevier County	49,710	46,920	2,790	<b>5.6</b>	5.5	0.1	6.3	-0.7
Shelby County	435,430	406,310	29,120	<b>6.7</b>	6.1	0.6	7.5	-0.8
Smith County	8,740	8,270	470	<b>5.4</b>	5.3	0.1	6.1	-0.7
Stewart County	5,210	4,820	390	<b>7.5</b>	7.2	0.3	8.8	-1.3
Sullivan County	71,210	67,110	4,100	<b>5.8</b>	5.3	0.5	6.5	-0.7
Sumner County	88,890	84,760	4,130	<b>4.7</b>	4.3	0.4	5.2	-0.5
Tipton County	27,630	25,630	2,010	<b>7.3</b>	6.7	0.6	8.0	-0.7
Trousdale County	3,740	3,520	220	<b>5.9</b>	5.6	0.3	6.6	-0.7
Unicoi County	7,280	6,730	550	<b>7.6</b>	6.9	0.7	8.3	-0.7
Union County	7,480	6,990	490	<b>6.5</b>	6.2	0.3	7.2	-0.7
Van Buren County	2,060	1,900	170	<b>8.1</b>	7.4	0.7	8.7	-0.6
Warren County	17,300	16,270	1,020	<b>5.9</b>	5.4	0.5	6.7	-0.8
Washington County	59,160	55,800	3,360	<b>5.7</b>	5.0	0.7	6.2	-0.5
Wayne County	6,420	5,950	480	<b>7.4</b>	7.4	0.0	8.4	-1.0
Weakley County	15,910	14,740	1,170	<b>7.4</b>	6.4	1.0	7.9	-0.5
White County	11,620	10,890	730	<b>6.3</b>	5.9	0.4	7.6	-1.3
Williamson County	105,830	101,480	4,340	<b>4.1</b>	3.7	0.4	4.5	-0.4
Wilson County	63,880	60,880	3,010	<b>4.7</b>	4.2	0.5	5.2	-0.5

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**County Unemployment Rate Change:**

(April, 2015 to May, 2015)

Rate decreased in 1 county

Rate increased in 92 counties

Rate remained the same in 2 counties

**County Unemployment Rate Range:**

(May, 2015)

Rate is less than 5.0% in 10 counties

Rate is 5.0% or greater, but less than 10.0% in 85 counties

Rate is 10.0% or greater in 0 counties

Rate is 20.0% or greater in 0 counties

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

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	May, 2015 pre.				Apr. '15 rev.		May '14	
	Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate	Rate	Change	Rate	Change
Bartlett	30,080	28,470	1,610	<b>5.4</b>	4.9	0.5	5.9	-0.5
Brentwood	20,200	19,340	870	<b>4.3</b>	3.8	0.5	4.8	-0.5
Bristol	11,870	11,170	700	<b>5.9</b>	5.3	0.6	7.0	-1.1
Chattanooga	80,760	75,890	4,870	<b>6.0</b>	5.4	0.6	6.8	-0.8
Clarksville	59,010	55,480	3,530	<b>6.0</b>	5.4	0.6	6.6	-0.6
Cleveland	19,960	18,820	1,140	<b>5.7</b>	5.2	0.5	6.4	-0.7
Collierville	23,830	22,670	1,160	<b>4.9</b>	4.5	0.4	5.2	-0.3
Columbia	16,530	15,570	960	<b>5.8</b>	5.4	0.4	6.8	-1.0
Cookeville	13,140	12,280	860	<b>6.5</b>	5.7	0.8	7.5	-1.0
Franklin	38,700	37,210	1,490	<b>3.8</b>	3.5	0.3	4.3	-0.5
Gallatin	16,570	15,740	830	<b>5.0</b>	4.6	0.4	5.3	-0.3
Germantown	19,600	18,660	940	<b>4.8</b>	4.5	0.3	5.1	-0.3
Hendersonville	29,810	28,520	1,290	<b>4.3</b>	4.0	0.3	4.8	-0.5
Jackson	31,250	29,170	2,080	<b>6.7</b>	5.8	0.9	7.2	-0.5
Johnson City	31,190	29,290	1,900	<b>6.1</b>	5.5	0.6	6.6	-0.5
Kingsport	23,150	21,730	1,420	<b>6.1</b>	5.4	0.7	6.4	-0.3
Knoxville	95,380	90,280	5,100	<b>5.4</b>	4.8	0.6	6.1	-0.7
LaVergne	18,050	17,160	890	<b>4.9</b>	4.6	0.3	5.8	-0.9
Lebanon	13,300	12,560	750	<b>5.6</b>	5.1	0.5	6.1	-0.5
Maryville	13,450	12,750	710	<b>5.2</b>	4.6	0.6	5.9	-0.7
Memphis	289,840	268,490	21,350	<b>7.4</b>	6.8	0.6	8.3	-0.9
Morristown	11,450	10,660	790	<b>6.9</b>	6.6	0.3	7.8	-0.9
Mount Juliet	15,050	14,370	680	<b>4.5</b>	4.1	0.4	5.2	-0.7
Murfreesboro	64,940	61,860	3,080	<b>4.7</b>	4.2	0.5	5.4	-0.7
Nashville	369,590	352,880	16,710	<b>4.5</b>	4.1	0.4	5.0	-0.5
Oak Ridge	14,400	13,630	770	<b>5.4</b>	4.9	0.5	6.4	-1.0
Smyrna	23,400	22,270	1,130	<b>4.8</b>	4.4	0.4	5.2	-0.4
Spring Hill	17,510	16,750	760	<b>4.4</b>	3.8	0.6	4.4	0.0

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

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**Lowest  
County Unemployment Rates**

Rank	County	May pre. Rate (%)
1	Williamson Co.	4.1
2	Davidson Co.	4.5
3	Moore Co.	4.5
4	Rutherford Co.	4.6
5	Sumner Co.	4.7
6	Lincoln Co.	4.7
7	Wilson Co.	4.7
8	Knox Co.	4.7
9	Cheatham Co.	4.9
10	Robertson Co.	4.9

**Highest  
County Unemployment Rates**

Rank	County	May pre. Rate (%)
95	Hancock Co.	9.9
94	Scott Co.	9.1
93	Obion Co.	8.9
92	Haywood Co.	8.8
91	Clay Co.	8.8
90	Lauderdale Co.	8.7
89	Carroll Co.	8.7
88	Houston Co.	8.5
87	McNairy Co.	8.5
86	Decatur Co.	8.4



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

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	Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Unemp. Rate (%)
(seasonally adjusted)				
United States	157,072,000	148,523,000	8,549,000	5.4
Tennessee	3,087,000	2,902,900	184,100	6.0

	Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Unemp. Rate (%)
(not seasonally adjusted)				
United States	156,554,000	148,587,000	7,966,000	5.1
Tennessee	3,079,500	2,917,600	162,000	5.3

**Metropolitan Statistical Areas**

Counties	Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Unemp. Rate (%)
Chattanooga	254,770	241,680	13,090	5.1
Clarksville	110,570	104,620	5,960	5.4
Cleveland	55,400	52,580	2,820	5.1
Jackson	61,930	58,490	3,440	5.6
Johnson City	90,730	85,820	4,910	5.4
Kingsport-Bristol	141,550	134,200	7,350	5.2
Knoxville	411,150	391,140	20,000	4.9
Memphis	611,820	575,570	36,260	5.9
Morristown	50,530	47,610	2,920	5.8
Nashville-Murfreesboro	932,240	892,870	39,370	4.2

**Counties**

Counties	Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Unemp. Rate (%)
Anderson County	34,120	32,280	1,850	5.4
Bedford County	19,680	18,550	1,140	5.8
Benton County	6,830	6,330	500	7.3
Bledsoe County	4,250	3,960	290	6.8
Blount County	60,200	57,300	2,900	4.8
Bradley County	48,150	45,770	2,380	4.9
Campbell County	15,220	14,090	1,130	7.4
Cannon County	6,000	5,680	310	5.2
Carroll County	12,530	11,540	1,000	8.0
Carter County	24,570	23,140	1,440	5.9
Cheatham County	20,500	19,590	910	4.4
Chester County	8,120	7,680	440	5.5
Claiborne County	12,720	11,860	850	6.7
Clay County	3,040	2,790	250	8.2
Cocke County	14,440	13,420	1,030	7.1
Coffee County	25,160	23,930	1,240	4.9
Crockett County	6,810	6,390	420	6.2
Cumberland County	23,170	21,570	1,600	6.9
Davidson County	365,510	350,480	15,030	4.1
Decatur County	4,610	4,250	360	7.8
DeKalb County	7,220	6,740	470	6.5
Dickson County	24,310	23,040	1,270	5.2
Dyer County	16,760	15,600	1,160	6.9
Fayette County	17,670	16,650	1,020	5.8
Fentress County	7,140	6,660	480	6.7
Franklin County	19,940	19,000	950	4.7
Gibson County	21,230	19,700	1,530	7.2
Giles County	14,580	13,900	690	4.7
Grainger County	9,350	8,780	580	6.2
Greene County	29,740	27,910	1,830	6.2
Grundy County	5,110	4,740	370	7.3
Hamblen County	27,070	25,530	1,540	5.7
Hamilton County	168,360	160,030	8,330	4.9
Hancock County	2,100	1,920	180	8.5
Hardeman County	9,530	8,860	670	7.0
Hardin County	10,500	9,790	710	6.7
Hawkins County	24,300	22,900	1,400	5.7
Haywood County	7,670	7,060	610	7.9

Counties	Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Unemp. Rate (%)
Henderson County	12,270	11,310	960	7.8
Henry County	13,910	13,070	840	6.1
Hickman County	10,660	10,090	570	5.4
Houston County	3,300	3,040	260	7.9
Humphreys County	8,420	7,850	570	6.7
Jackson County	4,530	4,180	360	7.9
Jefferson County	23,470	22,080	1,390	5.9
Johnson County	7,200	6,820	380	5.3
Knox County	231,280	221,330	9,950	4.3
Lake County	2,080	1,930	150	7.4
Lauderdale County	9,760	8,960	810	8.2
Lawrence County	17,730	16,650	1,080	6.1
Lewis County	4,920	4,590	330	6.8
Lincoln County	15,640	14,950	690	4.4
Loudon County	22,190	21,040	1,160	5.2
Macon County	10,020	9,540	480	4.8
Madison County	47,000	44,430	2,580	5.5
Marion County	11,910	11,180	730	6.1
Marshall County	14,750	14,010	750	5.1
Maury County	41,760	39,750	2,010	4.8
McMinn County	22,670	21,320	1,350	6.0
McNairy County	9,180	8,470	710	7.7
Meigs County	4,900	4,560	340	6.9
Monroe County	19,230	18,130	1,100	5.7
Montgomery County	78,640	74,510	4,130	5.3
Moore County	3,370	3,230	140	4.2
Morgan County	8,040	7,480	560	7.0
Obion County	12,870	11,800	1,070	8.3
Overton County	9,180	8,520	660	7.2
Perry County	3,160	2,950	210	6.7
Pickett County	2,390	2,220	160	6.9
Polk County	7,250	6,810	450	6.1
Putnam County	32,870	31,070	1,800	5.5
Rhea County	23,300	21,880	1,420	6.5
Roane County	23,300	21,880	1,420	6.1
Robertson County	34,210	32,680	1,530	4.5
Rutherford County	151,050	144,760	6,290	4.2
Scott County	8,110	7,390	720	8.9
Sequatchie County	5,890	5,540	350	5.9
Sevier County	49,220	46,530	2,690	5.5
Shelby County	431,410	404,930	26,480	6.1
Smith County	8,670	8,210	460	5.3
Stewart County	5,180	4,810	370	7.2
Sullivan County	71,120	67,380	3,740	5.3
Sumner County	87,990	84,220	3,770	4.3
Tipton County	27,350	25,520	1,840	6.7
Trousdale County	3,700	3,500	210	5.6
Unicoi County	7,230	6,730	500	6.9
Union County	7,440	6,980	460	6.2
Van Buren County	2,050	1,900	150	7.4
Warren County	17,140	16,210	930	5.4
Washington County	58,930	55,960	2,970	5.0
Wayne County	6,380	5,910	470	7.4
Weakley County	15,780	14,770	1,010	6.4
White County	11,580	10,900	680	5.9
Williamson County	104,780	100,920	3,860	3.7
Wilson County	63,080	60,400	2,680	4.2

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

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May, 2015 preliminary

	Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Unemp. Rate (%)		Rate Change		Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Unemp. Rate (%)		Rate Change
				May	Apr.						May	Apr.	
<b>LWIA 1</b>	<b>169,500</b>	<b>159,480</b>	<b>10,010</b>	<b>5.9</b>	<b>5.3</b>	<b>0.6</b>	<b>LWIA 8</b>	<b>370,720</b>	<b>352,310</b>	<b>18,410</b>	<b>5.0</b>	<b>4.5</b>	<b>0.4</b>
Carter	24,620	23,020	1,590	6.5	5.9	0.6	Cheatham	20,680	19,670	1,010	4.9	4.4	0.5
Johnson	7,230	6,820	410	5.6	5.3	0.3	Dickson	24,590	23,220	1,370	5.6	5.2	0.4
Sullivan	71,210	67,110	4,100	5.8	5.3	0.5	Houston	3,320	3,040	280	8.5	7.9	0.6
Unicoi	7,280	6,730	550	7.6	6.9	0.7	Humphreys	8,440	7,860	590	6.9	6.7	0.2
Washington	59,160	55,800	3,360	5.7	5.0	0.7	Montgomery	79,090	74,500	4,590	5.8	5.3	0.5
							Robertson	34,670	32,960	1,710	4.9	4.5	0.4
<b>LWIA 2</b>	<b>201,090</b>	<b>188,250</b>	<b>12,830</b>	<b>6.4</b>	<b>6.0</b>	<b>0.4</b>	Stewart	5,210	4,820	390	7.5	7.2	0.3
Claiborne	12,870	11,940	930	7.2	6.7	0.5	Sumner	88,890	84,760	4,130	4.7	4.3	0.4
Cocke	14,550	13,470	1,080	7.4	7.1	0.3	Williamson	105,830	101,480	4,340	4.1	3.7	0.4
Grainger	9,420	8,800	610	6.5	6.2	0.3							
Greene	29,840	27,900	1,940	6.5	6.2	0.3	<b>LWIA 9</b>	<b>590,250</b>	<b>563,220</b>	<b>27,050</b>	<b>4.6</b>	<b>4.1</b>	<b>0.4</b>
Hamblen	27,130	25,450	1,680	6.2	5.7	0.5	Davidson	369,590	352,880	16,710	4.5	4.1	0.4
Hancock	2,150	1,940	210	9.9	8.5	1.4	Rutherford	153,040	145,940	7,110	4.6	4.2	0.4
Hawkins	24,400	22,830	1,570	6.4	5.7	0.7	Trousdale	3,740	3,520	220	5.9	5.6	0.3
Jefferson	23,540	22,010	1,530	6.5	5.9	0.6	Wilson	63,880	60,880	3,010	4.7	4.2	0.5
Sevier	49,710	46,920	2,790	5.6	5.5	0.1							
Union	7,480	6,990	490	6.5	6.2	0.3	<b>LWIA 10</b>	<b>114,870</b>	<b>108,240</b>	<b>6,640</b>	<b>5.8</b>	<b>5.4</b>	<b>0.4</b>
							Giles	14,670	13,910	760	5.2	4.7	0.5
<b>LWIA 3</b>	<b>233,350</b>	<b>222,290</b>	<b>11,060</b>	<b>4.7</b>	<b>4.3</b>	<b>0.4</b>	Hickman	10,760	10,140	620	5.7	5.4	0.3
Knox	233,350	222,290	11,060	4.7	4.3	0.4	Lawrence	17,800	16,640	1,160	6.5	6.1	0.4
							Lewis	4,960	4,620	340	6.9	6.8	0.1
<b>LWIA 4</b>	<b>215,390</b>	<b>202,010</b>	<b>13,390</b>	<b>6.2</b>	<b>5.8</b>	<b>0.4</b>	Marshall	14,850	14,000	850	5.7	5.1	0.6
Anderson	34,440	32,400	2,030	5.9	5.4	0.5	Mauzy	42,250	40,040	2,210	5.2	4.8	0.4
Blount	60,670	57,530	3,150	5.2	4.8	0.4	Perry	3,160	2,940	220	6.9	6.7	0.2
Campbell	15,350	14,140	1,210	7.9	7.4	0.5	Wayne	6,420	5,950	480	7.4	7.4	0.0
Cumberland	23,220	21,600	1,620	7.0	6.9	0.1							
Loudon	22,450	21,150	1,300	5.8	5.2	0.6	<b>LWIA 11</b>	<b>109,550</b>	<b>101,760</b>	<b>7,810</b>	<b>7.1</b>	<b>6.4</b>	<b>0.7</b>
Monroe	19,420	18,220	1,200	6.2	5.7	0.5	Chester	8,200	7,680	520	6.4	5.5	0.9
Morgan	8,120	7,530	600	7.4	7.0	0.4	Decatur	4,640	4,250	390	8.4	7.8	0.6
Roane	23,520	21,990	1,530	6.5	6.1	0.4	Hardeman	9,640	8,920	720	7.4	7.0	0.4
Scott	8,200	7,450	750	9.1	8.9	0.2	Hardin	10,570	9,800	770	7.3	6.7	0.6
							Haywood	7,790	7,100	690	8.8	7.9	0.9
<b>LWIA 5</b>	<b>289,380</b>	<b>272,480</b>	<b>16,910</b>	<b>5.8</b>	<b>5.3</b>	<b>0.6</b>	Henderson	12,260	11,240	1,020	8.3	7.8	0.5
Bledsoe	4,290	3,970	330	7.6	6.8	0.8	Madison	47,300	44,390	2,920	6.2	5.5	0.7
Bradley	48,780	46,120	2,660	5.5	4.9	0.6	McNairy	9,150	8,380	780	8.5	7.7	0.8
Hamilton	169,870	160,480	9,390	5.5	4.9	0.6							
Marion	12,020	11,200	820	6.8	6.1	0.7	<b>LWIA 12</b>	<b>146,970</b>	<b>135,730</b>	<b>11,260</b>	<b>7.7</b>	<b>7.1</b>	<b>0.6</b>
McMinn	22,850	21,380	1,470	6.4	6.0	0.4	Benton	6,870	6,340	540	7.8	7.3	0.5
Meigs	4,930	4,560	370	7.5	6.9	0.6	Carroll	12,550	11,460	1,090	8.7	8.0	0.7
Polk	7,350	6,860	490	6.7	6.1	0.6	Crockett	6,830	6,390	440	6.4	6.2	0.2
Rhea	13,360	12,370	990	7.4	6.5	0.9	Dyer	16,870	15,610	1,260	7.5	6.9	0.6
Sequatchie	5,930	5,540	390	6.6	5.9	0.7	Gibson	21,350	19,720	1,630	7.6	7.2	0.4
							Henry	14,060	13,130	930	6.6	6.1	0.5
<b>LWIA 6</b>	<b>106,950</b>	<b>100,950</b>	<b>6,000</b>	<b>5.6</b>	<b>5.1</b>	<b>0.5</b>	Lake	2,090	1,920	170	8.0	7.4	0.6
Bedford	19,910	18,620	1,290	6.5	5.8	0.7	Lauderdale	9,840	8,980	860	8.7	8.2	0.5
Coffee	25,410	24,040	1,370	5.4	4.9	0.5	Obion	12,970	11,810	1,160	8.9	8.3	0.6
Franklin	20,040	19,000	1,040	5.2	4.7	0.5	Tipton	27,630	25,630	2,010	7.3	6.7	0.6
Grundy	5,120	4,740	380	7.5	7.3	0.2	Weakley	15,910	14,740	1,170	7.4	6.4	1.0
Lincoln	15,760	15,020	740	4.7	4.4	0.3							
Moore	3,410	3,260	160	4.5	4.2	0.3	<b>LWIA 13</b>	<b>453,240</b>	<b>423,020</b>	<b>30,220</b>	<b>6.7</b>	<b>6.1</b>	<b>0.5</b>
Warren	17,300	16,270	1,020	5.9	5.4	0.5	Fayette	17,810	16,710	1,100	6.2	5.8	0.4
							Shelby	435,430	406,310	29,120	6.7	6.1	0.6
<b>LWIA 7</b>	<b>105,250</b>	<b>98,480</b>	<b>6,780</b>	<b>6.4</b>	<b>6.0</b>	<b>0.4</b>	<b>LWIA Total</b>	<b>3,106,510</b>	<b>2,928,220</b>	<b>178,370</b>	<b>5.7</b>	<b>5.3</b>	<b>0.5</b>
Cannon	6,080	5,730	350	5.7	5.2	0.5							
Clay	3,100	2,830	270	8.8	8.2	0.6							
DeKalb	7,230	6,720	520	7.1	6.5	0.6							
Fentress	7,250	6,740	510	7.0	6.7	0.3							
Jackson	4,530	4,170	350	7.8	7.9	-0.1							
Macon	10,160	9,630	530	5.2	4.8	0.4							
Overton	9,250	8,530	720	7.7	7.2	0.5							
Pickett	2,470	2,300	170	6.9	6.9	0.0							
Putnam	32,760	30,770	1,990	6.1	5.5	0.6							
Smith	8,740	8,270	470	5.4	5.3	0.1							
Van Buren	2,060	1,900	170	8.1	7.4	0.7							
White	11,620	10,890	730	6.3	5.9	0.4							

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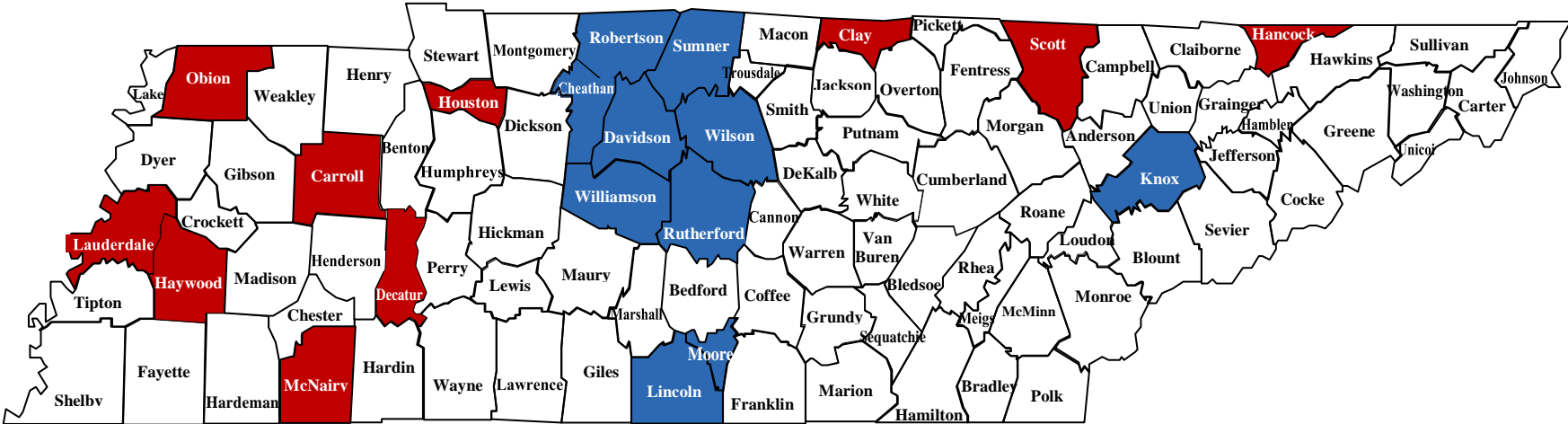
# Labor Force Estimates - Economic & Community Development Regions

May, 2015 preliminary

	Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Unemp. Rate (%)		Rate Change		Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Unemp. Rate (%)		Rate Change
				May	Apr.						May	Apr.	
<b>Northeast TN</b>							<b>Upper Cumberland</b>						
	<b>225,890</b>	<b>212,150</b>	<b>13,730</b>	<b>6.1</b>	<b>5.5</b>	<b>0.6</b>		<b>145,770</b>	<b>136,350</b>	<b>9,420</b>	<b>6.5</b>	<b>6.1</b>	<b>0.4</b>
Carter	24,620	23,020	1,590	6.5	5.9	0.6	Cannon	6,080	5,730	350	5.7	5.2	0.5
Greene	29,840	27,900	1,940	6.5	6.2	0.3	Clay	3,100	2,830	270	8.8	8.2	0.6
Hancock	2,150	1,940	210	9.9	8.5	1.4	Cumberland	23,220	21,600	1,620	7.0	6.9	0.1
Hawkins	24,400	22,830	1,570	6.4	5.7	0.7	DeKalb	7,230	6,720	520	7.1	6.5	0.6
Johnson	7,230	6,820	410	5.6	5.3	0.3	Fentress	7,250	6,740	510	7.0	6.7	0.3
Sullivan	71,210	67,110	4,100	5.8	5.3	0.5	Jackson	4,530	4,170	350	7.8	7.9	-0.1
Unicoi	7,280	6,730	550	7.6	6.9	0.7	Macon	10,160	9,630	530	5.2	4.8	0.4
Washington	59,160	55,800	3,360	5.7	5.0	0.7	Overton	9,250	8,530	720	7.7	7.2	0.5
							Pickett	2,470	2,300	170	6.9	6.9	0.0
<b>East TN</b>							<b>Northern Middle TN</b>						
	<b>570,220</b>	<b>538,280</b>	<b>31,940</b>	<b>5.6</b>	<b>5.2</b>	<b>0.4</b>		<b>960,970</b>	<b>915,530</b>	<b>45,460</b>	<b>4.7</b>	<b>4.3</b>	<b>0.4</b>
Anderson	34,440	32,400	2,030	5.9	5.4	0.5	Cheatham	20,680	19,670	1,010	4.9	4.4	0.5
Blount	60,670	57,530	3,150	5.2	4.8	0.4	Davidson	369,590	352,880	16,710	4.5	4.1	0.4
Campbell	15,350	14,140	1,210	7.9	7.4	0.5	Dickson	24,590	23,220	1,370	5.6	5.2	0.4
Claiborne	12,870	11,940	930	7.2	6.7	0.5	Houston	3,320	3,040	280	8.5	7.9	0.6
Cocke	14,550	13,470	1,080	7.4	7.1	0.3	Humphreys	8,440	7,860	590	6.9	6.7	0.2
Grainger	9,420	8,800	610	6.5	6.2	0.3	Montgomery	79,090	74,500	4,590	5.8	5.3	0.5
Hamblen	27,130	25,450	1,680	6.2	5.7	0.5	Robertson	34,670	32,960	1,710	4.9	4.5	0.4
Jefferson	23,540	22,010	1,530	6.5	5.9	0.6	Rutherford	153,040	145,940	7,110	4.6	4.2	0.4
Knox	233,350	222,290	11,060	4.7	4.3	0.4	Stewart	5,210	4,820	390	7.5	7.2	0.3
Loudon	22,450	21,150	1,300	5.8	5.2	0.6	Sumner	88,890	84,760	4,130	4.7	4.3	0.4
Monroe	19,420	18,220	1,200	6.2	5.7	0.5	Trousdale	3,740	3,520	220	5.9	5.6	0.3
Morgan	8,120	7,530	600	7.4	7.0	0.4	Williamson	105,830	101,480	4,340	4.1	3.7	0.4
Roane	23,520	21,990	1,530	6.5	6.1	0.4	Wilson	63,880	60,880	3,010	4.7	4.2	0.5
Scott	8,200	7,450	750	9.1	8.9	0.2							
Sevier	49,710	46,920	2,790	5.6	5.5	0.1	<b>Northwest TN</b>						
Union	7,480	6,990	490	6.5	6.2	0.3		<b>109,500</b>	<b>101,120</b>	<b>8,390</b>	<b>7.7</b>	<b>7.1</b>	<b>0.6</b>
							Benton	6,870	6,340	540	7.8	7.3	0.5
<b>Southeast TN</b>							<b>Southwest TN</b>						
	<b>294,500</b>	<b>277,220</b>	<b>17,290</b>	<b>5.9</b>	<b>5.3</b>	<b>0.6</b>		<b>109,550</b>	<b>101,760</b>	<b>7,810</b>	<b>7.1</b>	<b>6.4</b>	<b>0.7</b>
Bledsoe	4,290	3,970	330	7.6	6.8	0.8	Chester	8,200	7,680	520	6.4	5.5	0.9
Bradley	48,780	46,120	2,660	5.5	4.9	0.6	Decatur	4,640	4,250	390	8.4	7.8	0.6
Grundy	5,120	4,740	380	7.5	7.3	0.2	Hardeman	9,640	8,920	720	7.4	7.0	0.4
Hamilton	169,870	160,480	9,390	5.5	4.9	0.6	Hardin	10,570	9,800	770	7.3	6.7	0.6
Marion	12,020	11,200	820	6.8	6.1	0.7	Haywood	7,790	7,100	690	8.8	7.9	0.9
McMinn	22,850	21,380	1,470	6.4	6.0	0.4	Henderson	12,260	11,240	1,020	8.3	7.8	0.5
Meigs	4,930	4,560	370	7.5	6.9	0.6	Madison	47,300	44,390	2,920	6.2	5.5	0.7
Polk	7,350	6,860	490	6.7	6.1	0.6	McNairy	9,150	8,380	780	8.5	7.7	0.8
Rhea	13,360	12,370	990	7.4	6.5	0.9							
Sequatchie	5,930	5,540	390	6.6	5.9	0.7	<b>Greater Memphis</b>						
								<b>490,710</b>	<b>457,630</b>	<b>33,090</b>	<b>6.7</b>	<b>6.2</b>	<b>0.5</b>
<b>Southern Middle TN</b>							<b>Greater Memphis</b>						
	<b>199,400</b>	<b>188,180</b>	<b>11,240</b>	<b>5.6</b>	<b>5.2</b>	<b>0.5</b>	Fayette	17,810	16,710	1,100	6.2	5.8	0.4
Bedford	19,910	18,620	1,290	6.5	5.8	0.7	Lauderdale	9,840	8,980	860	8.7	8.2	0.5
Coffee	25,410	24,040	1,370	5.4	4.9	0.5	Shelby	435,430	406,310	29,120	6.7	6.1	0.6
Franklin	20,040	19,000	1,040	5.2	4.7	0.5	Tipton	27,630	25,630	2,010	7.3	6.7	0.6
Giles	14,670	13,910	760	5.2	4.7	0.5							
Hickman	10,760	10,140	620	5.7	5.4	0.3	<b>Total</b>	<b>3,106,510</b>	<b>2,928,220</b>	<b>178,370</b>	<b>5.7</b>	<b>5.3</b>	<b>0.5</b>
Lawrence	17,800	16,640	1,160	6.5	6.1	0.4							
Lewis	4,960	4,620	340	6.9	6.8	0.1							
Lincoln	15,760	15,020	740	4.7	4.4	0.3							
Marshall	14,850	14,000	850	5.7	5.1	0.6							
Mauzy	42,250	40,040	2,210	5.2	4.8	0.4							
Moore	3,410	3,260	160	4.5	4.2	0.3							
Perry	3,160	2,940	220	6.9	6.7	0.2							
Wayne	6,420	5,950	480	7.4	7.4	0.0							

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**Lowest  
County Unemployment Rates**

<u>Rank</u>	<u>County</u>	<u>May 2015 Pre. Rate (%)</u>
1	Williamson	4.1
2	Davidson	4.5
3	Moore	4.5
4	Rutherford	4.6
5	Sumner	4.7
6	Lincoln	4.7
7	Wilson	4.7
8	Knox	4.7
9	Cheatham	4.9
10	Robertson	4.9

**Highest  
County Unemployment Rates**

<u>Rank</u>	<u>County</u>	<u>May 2015 Pre. Rate (%)</u>
95	Hancock	9.9
94	Scott	9.1
93	Obion	8.9
92	Haywood	8.8
91	Clay	8.8
90	Lauderdale	8.7
89	Carroll	8.7
88	Houston	8.5
87	McNairy	8.5
86	Decatur	8.4