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BRIDGEPORT-STAMFORD-DANBURY					HARTFORD-WEST HARTFORD-EAST HARTFORD cont...				
	511,563	489,429	22,134	4.3					
BETHEL	11,968	11,441	527	4.4	HEBRON	4,900	4,689	211	4.3
BRIDGEPORT	77,670	72,983	4,687	6.0	KILLINGWORTH	3,061	2,952	109	3.6
BRIDGEWATER	899	857	42	4.7	LYME	1,279	1,230	49	3.8
BROOKFIELD	9,436	9,062	374	4.0	MANCHESTER	32,161	30,707	1,454	4.5
DANBURY	48,987	46,837	2,150	4.4	MANSFIELD	11,719	11,168	551	4.7
DARIEN	10,305	10,006	299	2.9	MARLBOROUGH	3,251	3,116	135	4.2
EASTON	3,932	3,794	138	3.5	MIDDLEFIELD	2,291	2,194	97	4.2
FAIRFIELD	31,605	30,394	1,211	3.8	MIDDLETOWN	26,815	25,728	1,087	4.1
GREENWICH	30,906	29,852	1,054	3.4	NEW BRITAIN	37,453	35,183	2,270	6.1
MONROE	10,666	10,254	412	3.9	NEWINGTON	17,411	16,784	627	3.6
NEW CANAAN	9,333	8,979	354	3.8	OLD LYME	3,987	3,852	135	3.4
NEW FAIRFIELD	6,909	6,608	301	4.4	OLD SAYBROOK	5,683	5,487	196	3.4
NEW MILFORD	15,641	14,925	716	4.6	PLAINVILLE	10,361	9,877	484	4.7
NEWTOWN	14,649	14,112	537	3.7	PORTLAND	5,104	4,882	222	4.3
NORWALK	53,772	51,371	2,401	4.5	ROCKY HILL	11,188	10,788	400	3.6
REDDING	4,274	4,095	179	4.2	DEEP RIVER	2,602	2,492	110	4.2
RIDGEFIELD	12,295	11,914	381	3.1	SIMSBURY	13,117	12,672	445	3.4
SHERMAN	2,005	1,944	61	3.0	SOMERS	4,966	4,770	196	3.9
STAMFORD	80,972	77,772	3,200	4.0	SOUTHINGTON	24,487	23,546	941	3.8
STRATFORD	28,933	27,476	1,457	5.0	SOUTH WINDSOR	14,240	13,719	521	3.7
TRUMBULL	18,607	17,851	756	4.1	STAFFORD	6,224	5,887	337	5.4
WESTON	5,311	5,145	166	3.1	SUFFIELD	7,985	7,660	325	4.1
WESTPORT	12,770	12,330	440	3.4	TOLLAND	8,345	8,048	297	3.6
WILTON	9,715	9,425	290	3.0	VERNON	16,724	15,934	790	4.7
					WESTBROOK	3,906	3,757	149	3.8
					WEST HARTFORD	34,317	33,232	1,085	3.2
HARTFORD-WEST HARTFORD-EAST HARTFORD									
	610,717	583,633	27,084	4.4	WETHERSFIELD	14,742	14,188	554	3.8
ANDOVER	1,844	1,762	82	4.4	WILLINGTON	2,923	2,802	121	4.1
AVON	9,539	9,234	305	3.2	WINDSOR	16,464	15,762	702	4.3
BERLIN	11,451	10,994	457	4.0	WINDSOR LOCKS	7,154	6,851	303	4.2
BLOOMFIELD	11,580	11,058	522	4.5					
BOLTON	2,716	2,599	117	4.3	NEW HAVEN				
CANTON	5,042	4,848	194	3.8		317,211	303,678	13,533	4.3
CHESTER	1,913	1,831	82	4.3	BETHANY	3,392	3,259	133	3.9
CLINTON	7,724	7,432	292	3.8	BRANFORD	16,455	15,838	617	3.7
COLUMBIA	2,757	2,637	120	4.4	EAST HAVEN	16,217	15,459	758	4.7
COVENTRY	6,520	6,244	276	4.2	GUILFORD	11,403	11,018	385	3.4
CROMWELL	7,343	7,050	293	4.0	HAMDEN	34,544	33,125	1,419	4.1
DURHAM	4,418	4,281	137	3.1	MADISON	9,545	9,255	290	3.0
EAST GRANBY	2,717	2,609	108	4.0	MERIDEN	32,498	30,740	1,758	5.4
EAST HADDAM	4,631	4,412	219	4.7	MILFORD	32,392	31,272	1,120	3.5
EAST HAMPTON	6,961	6,675	286	4.1	NEW HAVEN	71,732	68,339	3,393	4.7
EAST HARTFORD	26,337	24,782	1,555	5.9	NORTH BRANFORD	7,686	7,328	358	4.7
EAST WINDSOR	6,458	6,145	313	4.8	NORTH HAVEN	14,020	13,523	497	3.5
ELLINGTON	8,969	8,599	370	4.1	ORANGE	7,745	7,498	247	3.2
ENFIELD	21,559	20,597	962	4.5	WALLINGFORD	25,484	24,479	1,005	3.9
ESSEX	3,848	3,715	133	3.5	WEST HAVEN	29,423	28,007	1,416	4.8
FARMINGTON	14,788	14,296	492	3.3	WOODBIDGE	4,675	4,539	136	2.9
GLASTONBURY	19,193	18,595	598	3.1					
GRANBY	6,081	5,839	242	4.0					
HADDAM	4,766	4,587	179	3.8					
HARTFORD	56,700	52,856	3,844	6.8					

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NORWICH-NEW LONDON-WILLIMANTIC					TORRINGTON-NORTHWEST				
	143,016	136,768	6,248	4.4		45,729	43,606	2,123	4.6
BOZRAH	1,396	1,327	69	4.9	BARKHAMSTED	2,053	1,968	85	4.1
COLCHESTER	8,623	8,246	377	4.4	BURLINGTON	5,293	5,094	199	3.8
EAST LYME	9,297	8,949	348	3.7	CANAAN	558	537	21	3.8
FRANKLIN	979	928	51	5.2	COLEBROOK	816	776	40	4.9
GRISWOLD	6,601	6,296	305	4.6	CORNWALL	842	817	25	3.0
GROTON	17,799	17,170	629	3.5	GOSHEN	1,856	1,795	61	3.3
LEBANON	3,946	3,778	168	4.3	HARTLAND	1,136	1,088	48	4.2
LEDYARD	7,965	7,656	309	3.9	HARWINTON	3,197	3,059	138	4.3
LISBON	2,108	2,014	94	4.5	KENT	1,406	1,351	55	3.9
MONTVILLE	9,645	9,279	366	3.8	LITCHFIELD	4,418	4,240	178	4.0
NEW LONDON	13,642	12,974	668	4.9	MORRIS	1,255	1,200	55	4.4
NORTH STONINGTON	2,781	2,670	111	4.0	NEW HARTFORD	3,896	3,753	143	3.7
NORWICH	20,286	19,224	1,062	5.2	NORFOLK	841	802	39	4.6
PRESTON	2,446	2,327	119	4.9	NORTH CANAAN	1,458	1,362	96	6.6
SALEM	2,277	2,187	90	4.0	ROXBURY	1,359	1,317	42	3.1
SPRAGUE	1,592	1,524	68	4.3	SALISBURY	1,982	1,913	69	3.5
STONINGTON	9,636	9,252	384	4.0	SHARON	1,573	1,518	55	3.5
WATERFORD	10,251	9,859	392	3.8	TORRINGTON	19,325	18,350	975	5.0
WINDHAM	11,747	11,109	638	5.4	WARREN	717	689	28	3.9
					WASHINGTON	1,964	1,895	69	3.5
					WINCHESTER	5,359	5,044	315	5.9
PUTNAM-NORTHEAST					WATERBURY-SHELTON				
	50,442	48,046	2,396	4.8		240,223	227,998	12,225	5.1
ASHFORD	1,987	1,897	90	4.5	ANSONIA	10,559	9,988	571	5.4
BROOKLYN	4,073	3,901	172	4.2	BEACON FALLS	3,597	3,430	167	4.6
CANTERBURY	2,678	2,566	112	4.2	BETHLEHEM	1,842	1,734	108	5.9
CHAPLIN	1,285	1,221	64	5.0	BRISTOL	34,729	33,055	1,674	4.8
EASTFORD	917	873	44	4.8	CHESHIRE	14,117	13,612	505	3.6
HAMPTON	900	862	38	4.2	DERBY	6,614	6,277	337	5.1
KILLINGLY	8,964	8,495	469	5.2	MIDDLEBURY	4,039	3,886	153	3.8
PLAINFIELD	8,111	7,741	370	4.6	NAUGATUCK	18,530	17,593	937	5.1
POMFRET	2,267	2,183	84	3.7	OXFORD	7,213	6,943	270	3.7
PUTNAM	4,754	4,526	228	4.8	PLYMOUTH	6,692	6,307	385	5.8
SCOTLAND	814	765	49	6.0	PROSPECT	4,867	4,676	191	3.9
STERLING	1,717	1,605	112	6.5	SEYMOUR	9,584	9,124	460	4.8
THOMPSON	5,512	5,228	284	5.2	SHELTON	22,790	21,821	969	4.3
UNION	414	391	23	5.6	SOUTHBURY	9,943	9,524	419	4.2
VOLUNTOWN	1,523	1,467	56	3.7	THOMASTON	4,409	4,197	212	4.8
WOODSTOCK	4,526	4,325	201	4.4	WATERBURY	53,203	49,572	3,631	6.8
					WATERTOWN	12,630	12,053	577	4.6
					WOLCOTT	9,527	9,127	400	4.2
					WOODBURY	5,339	5,080	259	4.9
Not Seasonally Adjusted:									
CONNECTICUT	1,934,500	1,848,100	86,400	4.5					
UNITED STATES	170,116,000	162,544,000	7,572,000	4.5					
Seasonally Adjusted:									
CONNECTICUT	1,957,000	1,890,600	66,400	3.4					
UNITED STATES	170,359,000	163,307,000	7,052,000	4.1					

LABOR FORCE CONCEPTS

The **civilian labor force** comprises all state residents age 16 years and older classified as employed or unemployed in accordance with criteria described below. Excluded are members of the military and persons in institutions (correctional and mental health, for example).

The **employed** are all persons who did any work as paid employees or in their own business during the survey week, or who have worked 15 hours or more as unpaid workers in an enterprise operated by a family member. Persons temporarily absent from a job because of illness, bad weather, strike or for personal reasons are also counted as employed whether they were paid by their employer or were seeking other jobs.

The **unemployed** are all persons who did not work, but were available for work during the survey week (except for temporary illness) and made specific efforts to find a job in the prior four weeks. Persons waiting to be recalled to a job from which they had been laid off need not be looking for work to be classified as unemployed.

The **unemployment rate** represents the number unemployed as a percent of the civilian labor force.

With the exception of those persons temporarily absent from a job or waiting to be recalled to one, persons with no job and who are not actively looking for one are counted as "not in the labor force".

Over the course of a year, the size of the labor force and the levels of employment undergo fluctuations due to such seasonal events as changes in weather, reduced or expanded production, harvests, major holidays and the opening and closing of schools. Because these seasonal events follow a regular pattern each year, their influence on statistical trends can be eliminated by adjusting the monthly statistics. **Seasonal Adjustment** makes it easier to observe cyclical and other nonseasonal developments.