

SEPTEMBER 2015 UNEMPLOYMENT DATA

Area	Civilian Labor Force			Employment			Unemployment			Unemployment Rate		
	Sep p 2015	Aug r 2015	Sep r 2014	Sep p 2015	Aug r 2015	Sep r 2014	Sep p 2015	Aug r 2015	Sep r 2014	Sep p 2015	Aug r 2015	Sep r 2014
Alabama (Seasonally Adjusted)	2,140,216	2,146,158	2,129,939	2,010,873	2,014,139	1,994,980	129,343	132,019	134,959	6.0%	6.2%	6.3%
Alabama (Not Seasonally Adjusted)	2,147,772	2,159,609	2,133,941	2,020,665	2,018,700	2,001,023	127,107	140,909	132,918	5.9%	6.5%	6.2%
Autauga	25,252	25,613	25,111	23,968	24,155	23,754	1,284	1,458	1,357	5.1%	5.7%	5.4%
Baldwin	87,083	87,850	85,281	82,557	82,905	80,554	4,526	4,945	4,727	5.2%	5.6%	5.5%
Barbour	8,610	8,625	8,828	7,858	7,801	7,920	752	824	908	8.7%	9.6%	10.3%
Bibb	8,552	8,641	8,488	8,013	8,042	7,924	539	599	564	6.3%	6.9%	6.6%
Blount	24,781	24,898	24,533	23,495	23,484	23,224	1,286	1,414	1,309	5.2%	5.7%	5.3%
Bullock	4,995	4,858	4,870	4,576	4,435	4,427	419	423	443	8.4%	8.7%	9.1%
Butler	9,212	9,265	9,275	8,520	8,511	8,557	692	754	718	7.5%	8.1%	7.7%
Calhoun	45,824	46,571	45,860	42,692	43,126	42,530	3,132	3,445	3,330	6.8%	7.4%	7.3%
Chambers	15,216	15,335	15,081	14,346	14,343	14,140	870	992	941	5.7%	6.5%	6.2%
Cherokee	11,539	11,526	11,338	10,956	10,862	10,779	583	664	559	5.1%	5.8%	4.9%
Chilton	19,299	19,416	19,127	18,271	18,231	18,001	1,028	1,185	1,126	5.3%	6.1%	5.9%
Choctaw	4,460	4,422	4,429	4,061	3,989	4,079	399	433	350	8.9%	9.8%	7.9%
Clarke	8,085	8,167	7,976	7,136	7,115	7,052	949	1,052	924	11.7%	12.9%	11.6%
Clay	5,604	5,562	5,497	5,287	5,215	5,130	317	347	367	5.7%	6.2%	6.7%
Cleburne	5,941	5,941	5,814	5,618	5,562	5,446	323	379	368	5.4%	6.4%	6.3%
Coffee	20,280	20,335	20,275	19,107	19,020	19,087	1,173	1,315	1,188	5.8%	6.5%	5.9%
Colbert	23,285	23,375	23,911	21,524	21,432	21,994	1,761	1,943	1,917	7.6%	8.3%	8.0%
Conecuh	4,854	4,848	4,617	4,412	4,391	4,183	442	457	434	9.1%	9.4%	9.4%
Coosa	4,385	4,401	4,370	4,113	4,098	4,026	272	303	344	6.2%	6.9%	7.9%
Covington	15,944	15,828	15,895	14,876	14,667	14,820	1,068	1,161	1,075	6.7%	7.3%	6.8%
Crenshaw	6,562	6,480	6,373	6,193	6,061	6,004	369	419	369	5.6%	6.5%	5.8%
Cullman	36,545	36,483	35,468	34,714	34,445	33,523	1,831	2,038	1,945	5.0%	5.6%	5.5%
Dale	19,849	19,952	20,298	18,644	18,616	18,977	1,205	1,336	1,321	6.1%	6.7%	6.5%
Dallas	15,514	15,544	15,443	13,981	13,874	13,763	1,533	1,670	1,680	9.9%	10.7%	10.9%
DeKalb	29,269	29,180	28,821	27,562	27,291	27,039	1,707	1,889	1,782	5.8%	6.5%	6.2%
Elmore	35,969	36,530	35,843	34,183	34,524	33,930	1,786	2,006	1,913	5.0%	5.5%	5.3%
Escambia	14,360	14,384	14,187	13,334	13,276	13,122	1,026	1,108	1,065	7.1%	7.7%	7.5%
Etowah	42,965	43,380	43,305	40,381	40,555	40,606	2,584	2,825	2,699	6.0%	6.5%	6.2%
Fayette	6,372	6,352	6,238	5,921	5,857	5,808	451	495	430	7.1%	7.8%	6.9%
Franklin	13,410	13,376	13,554	12,574	12,483	12,619	836	893	935	6.2%	6.7%	6.9%
Geneva	11,126	10,994	11,004	10,514	10,308	10,343	612	686	661	5.5%	6.2%	6.0%
Greene	3,002	3,002	2,969	2,691	2,668	2,630	311	334	339	10.4%	11.1%	11.4%
Hale	6,453	6,338	6,291	6,013	5,806	5,771	440	532	520	6.8%	8.4%	8.3%
Henry	6,877	6,863	6,862	6,437	6,380	6,387	440	483	475	6.4%	7.0%	6.9%
Houston	44,761	44,966	44,688	42,031	41,956	41,797	2,730	3,010	2,891	6.1%	6.7%	6.5%
Jackson	23,377	23,336	23,364	21,915	21,698	21,862	1,462	1,638	1,502	6.3%	7.0%	6.4%
Jefferson	310,000	313,763	307,946	292,391	294,471	289,938	17,609	19,292	18,008	5.7%	6.1%	5.8%
Lamar	5,620	5,597	5,539	5,286	5,219	5,189	334	378	350	5.9%	6.8%	6.3%
Lauderdale	42,142	42,356	43,244	39,336	39,184	40,261	2,806	3,172	2,983	6.7%	7.5%	6.9%
Lawrence	14,029	13,956	13,920	12,988	12,836	12,849	1,041	1,120	1,071	7.4%	8.0%	7.7%
Lee	72,080	72,316	70,772	68,633	68,347	67,255	3,447	3,969	3,517	4.8%	5.5%	5.0%
Limestone	39,161	38,947	38,866	37,109	36,690	36,719	2,052	2,257	2,147	5.2%	5.8%	5.5%
Lowndes	3,911	3,949	3,880	3,454	3,455	3,397	457	494	483	11.7%	12.5%	12.4%
Macon	8,085	8,157	8,101	7,465	7,449	7,430	620	708	671	7.7%	8.7%	8.3%
Madison	169,082	168,874	168,306	160,210	158,892	158,875	8,872	9,982	9,431	5.2%	5.9%	5.6%
Marengo	7,463	7,433	7,602	6,924	6,847	7,044	539	586	558	7.2%	7.9%	7.3%
Marion	12,349	12,235	12,215	11,476	11,302	11,319	873	933	896	7.1%	7.6%	7.3%
Marshall	40,475	40,421	39,719	38,248	37,957	37,313	2,227	2,464	2,406	5.5%	6.1%	6.1%
Mobile	180,868	182,176	181,868	168,236	168,326	168,850	12,632	13,850	13,018	7.0%	7.6%	7.2%
Monroe	7,446	7,478	7,414	6,723	6,680	6,686	723	798	728	9.7%	10.7%	9.8%
Montgomery	103,371	105,164	102,983	97,122	98,151	96,262	6,249	7,013	6,721	6.0%	6.7%	6.5%
Morgan	55,234	55,184	55,033	52,114	51,762	51,663	3,120	3,422	3,370	5.6%	6.2%	6.1%
Perry	3,566	3,513	3,486	3,228	3,137	3,099	338	376	387	9.5%	10.7%	11.1%
Pickens	7,666	7,607	7,505	7,189	7,039	6,974	477	568	531	6.2%	7.5%	7.1%
Pike	15,027	15,057	14,709	14,071	13,971	13,700	956	1,086	1,009	6.4%	7.2%	6.9%
Randolph	9,464	9,416	9,253	8,943	8,824	8,662	521	592	591	5.5%	6.3%	6.4%
Russell	24,486	24,731	24,286	23,080	23,147	22,773	1,406	1,584	1,513	5.7%	6.4%	6.2%
Shelby	105,779	107,073	104,918	101,392	102,094	100,567	4,387	4,979	4,351	4.1%	4.7%	4.1%
St. Clair	38,270	38,657	38,015	36,323	36,518	36,010	1,947	2,139	2,005	5.1%	5.5%	5.3%
Sumter	5,241	5,180	5,232	4,855	4,737	4,822	386	443	410	7.4%	8.6%	7.8%
Talladega	35,121	35,266	34,425	32,890	32,829	32,065	2,231	2,437	2,360	6.4%	6.9%	6.9%
Tallapoosa	18,254	18,491	18,092	17,157	17,296	16,876	1,097	1,195	1,216	6.0%	6.5%	6.7%
Tuscaloosa	98,891	98,766	96,814	93,759	92,902	91,651	5,132	5,864	5,163	5.2%	5.9%	5.3%
Walker	25,892	26,112	25,693	24,084	24,198	23,906	1,808	1,914	1,787	7.0%	7.3%	7.0%
Washington	6,694	6,619	6,509	6,105	5,975	5,928	589	644	581	8.8%	9.7%	8.9%
Wilcox	2,877	2,858	2,836	2,444	2,402	2,396	433	456	440	15.1%	16.0%	15.5%
Winston	9,614	9,622	9,473	8,953	8,879	8,736	661	743	737	6.9%	7.7%	7.8%
United States (Seasonally Adjusted)	156,715,000	157,065,000	155,845,000	148,800,000	149,036,000	146,607,000	7,915,000	8,029,000	9,237,000	5.1%	5.1%	5.9%
United States (Not Seasonally Adj.)	156,607,000	157,390,000	155,903,000	148,980,000	149,228,000	146,941,000	7,628,000	8,162,000	8,962,000	4.9%	5.2%	5.7%

Counties and Metropolitan Areas are comparable to the not seasonally adjusted labor force data.

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Anniston-Oxford-Jacksonville MA	45,824	46,571	45,860	42,692	43,126	42,530	3,132	3,445	3,330	6.8%	7.4%	7.3%
Auburn-Opelika MA	72,080	72,316	70,772	68,633	68,347	67,255	3,447	3,969	3,517	4.8%	5.5%	5.0%
Birmingham-Hoover MA	532,573	538,560	528,720	503,969	507,038	499,570	28,604	31,522	29,150	5.4%	5.9%	5.5%
Daphne-Fairhope-Foley MA	87,083	87,850	85,281	82,557	82,905	80,554	4,526	4,945	4,727	5.2%	5.6%	5.5%
Decatur MA	69,263	69,140	68,953	65,102	64,598	64,512	4,161	4,542	4,441	6.0%	6.6%	6.4%
Dothan MA	62,764	62,823	62,554	58,982	58,644	58,527	3,782	4,179	4,027	6.0%	6.7%	6.4%
Florence-Muscle Shoals MA	65,427	65,731	67,155	60,860	60,616	62,255	4,567	5,115	4,900	7.0%	7.8%	7.3%
Gadsden MA	42,965	43,380	43,305	40,381	40,555	40,606	2,584	2,825	2,699	6.0%	6.5%	6.2%
Huntsville MA	208,243	207,821	207,172	197,319	195,582	195,594	10,924	12,239	11,578	5.2%	5.9%	5.6%
Mobile MA	180,868	182,176	181,868	168,236	168,326	168,850	12,632	13,850	13,018	7.0%	7.6%	7.2%
Montgomery MA	168,503	171,256	167,817	158,727	160,285	157,343	9,776	10,971	10,474	5.8%	6.4%	6.2%
Tuscaloosa MA	113,010	112,711	110,610	106,961	105,747	104,396	6,049	6,964	6,214	5.4%	6.2%	5.6%

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