

Labor Force Estimates - U.S. and Tennessee

Seasonally Adjusted	April 2026				March 2026		April 2025	
	Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate	Rate	Change	Rate	Change
United States	169,995,000	162,622,000	7,373,000	4.3%	4.3%	0.0%	4.2%	0.1%
Tennessee	3,504,215	3,376,716	127,499	3.6%	3.6%	0.0%	3.5%	0.1%

*Tennessee and the United States are the only Seasonally Adjusted data in this document

Not Seasonally Adjusted	April 2026				March 2026		April 2025	
	Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate	Rate	Change	Rate	Change
United States	169,548,000	162,781,000	6,768,000	4.0%	4.3%	-0.3%	3.9%	0.1%
Tennessee	3,490,413	3,374,596	115,817	3.3%	3.3%	0.0%	3.0%	0.3%

Labor Force Estimates - Combined Statistical Areas

	April 2026				March 2026	
	Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate	Rate	Change
Chattanooga-Cleveland-Dalton, TN-GA-AL CSA	471,123	456,484	14,639	3.1%	3.5%	-0.4%
Athens Micropolitan Area (McMinn Co & Monroe Co)	25,237	24,178	1,059	4.2%	4.4%	-0.2%
Chattanooga, TN-GA MSA	294,182	285,506	8,676	2.9%	3.2%	-0.3%
Cleveland, TN MSA	56,107	54,145	1,962	3.5%	4.2%	-0.7%
Dalton, GA MSA	65,786	63,728	2,058	3.1%	4.0%	-0.9%
Summerville, GA Micropolitan Area	9,108	8,769	339	3.7%	4.7%	-1.0%
Scottsboro, AL Micropolitan Area	20,703	20,158	545	2.6%	3.1%	-0.5%
Johnson City-Kingsport-Bristol, TN-VA CSA	265,474	256,552	8,922	3.4%	3.4%	0.0%
Johnson City, TN MSA	99,563	96,463	3,100	3.1%	3.1%	0.0%
Kingsport-Bristol, TN-VA	137,367	132,766	4,601	3.3%	3.5%	-0.2%
Greenville, TN Micropolitan Area (Greene Co.)	28,544	27,323	1,221	4.3%	4.2%	0.1%
Knoxville-Morristown-Sevierville CSA	587,211	570,297	16,914	2.9%	2.9%	0.0%
Knoxville, TN MSA	465,919	452,804	13,115	2.8%	2.8%	0.0%
Morristown, TN MSA	53,677	51,940	1,737	3.2%	3.2%	0.0%
Newport Micropolitan Area (Cocke Co.)	14,756	14,153	603	4.1%	4.6%	-0.5%
Sevierville Micropolitan Area (Sevier Co.)	52,859	51,400	1,459	2.8%	3.3%	-0.5%
Memphis-Clarksdale-Forrest City, TN-MS-AR CSA	644,974	618,203	26,771	4.2%	4.3%	-0.1%
Clarksdale, MS Micropolitan Area	6,739	6,296	443	6.6%	6.8%	-0.2%
Forrest City, AR Micropolitan Area	7,784	7,402	382	4.9%	5.6%	-0.7%
Memphis, TN-MS-AR MSA	630,451	604,505	25,946	4.1%	4.2%	-0.1%
Nashville-Davidson--Murfreesboro, TN CSA	1,305,305	1,265,900	39,405	3.0%	2.9%	0.1%
Lawrenceburg, TN Micropolitan Area (Lawrence Co.)	18,783	17,902	881	4.7%	4.4%	0.3%
Lewisburg, TN Micropolitan Area (Marshall Co.)	17,072	16,219	853	5.0%	4.4%	0.6%
Nashville-Davidson--Murfreesboro--Franklin, TN MSA	1,196,791	1,161,543	35,248	2.9%	2.9%	0.0%
Shelbyville, TN Micropolitan Area (Bedford Co.)	24,908	24,093	815	3.3%	3.1%	0.2%
Tullahoma-Manchester, TN Micropolitan Area	29,775	28,799	976	3.3%	3.3%	0.0%
Winchester, TN Micropolitan Area (Franklin Co.)	29,775	28,799	976	3.3%	3.3%	0.0%
Union City-Martin, TN CSA	27,323	26,378	945	3.5%	3.3%	0.2%
Martin, TN Micropolitan Area (Weakley Co.)	13,839	13,310	529	3.8%	3.6%	0.2%
Union City, TN Micropolitan Area (Obion Co.)	13,484	13,068	416	3.1%	3.1%	0.0%

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Labor Force Estimates - Metropolitan Statistical Areas

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Chattanooga, TN-GA MSA	294,182	285,506	8,676	2.9%	3.2%	-0.3%	2.8%	0.1%
Hamilton County	199,918	193,851	6,067	3.0%	3.1%	-0.1%	2.8%	0.2%
Marion County	12,496	12,059	437	3.5%	3.6%	-0.1%	3.4%	0.1%
Sequatchie County	6,952	6,716	236	3.4%	3.6%	-0.2%	3.4%	0.0%
Georgia Portion	74,816	72,880	1,936	2.6%	3.2%	-0.6%	2.6%	0.0%
Clarksville, TN-KY MSA	142,540	137,098	5,442	3.8%	3.9%	-0.1%	3.5%	0.3%
Montgomery County	107,073	103,302	3,771	3.5%	3.5%	0.0%	3.1%	0.4%
Stewart County	5,932	5,719	213	3.6%	3.7%	-0.1%	3.3%	0.3%
Kentucky Portion	29,535	28,077	1,458	4.9%	5.3%	-0.4%	4.7%	0.2%
Cleveland, TN MSA	56,107	54,145	1,962	3.5%	4.2%	-0.7%	3.3%	0.2%
Bradley County	48,817	47,100	1,717	3.5%	4.1%	-0.6%	3.3%	0.2%
Polk County	7,290	7,045	245	3.4%	4.7%	-1.3%	3.3%	0.1%
Jackson, TN MSA	80,106	77,229	2,877	3.6%	3.5%	0.1%	3.3%	0.3%
Chester County	7,116	6,846	270	3.8%	3.5%	0.3%	3.4%	0.4%
Crockett County	6,267	6,084	183	2.9%	3.1%	-0.2%	3.1%	-0.2%
Gibson County	21,586	20,807	779	3.6%	3.5%	0.1%	3.2%	0.4%
Madison County	45,137	43,492	1,645	3.6%	3.6%	0.0%	3.4%	0.2%
Johnson City, TN MSA	99,563	96,463	3,100	3.1%	3.1%	0.0%	3.2%	-0.1%
Carter County	23,980	23,170	810	3.4%	3.5%	-0.1%	3.5%	-0.1%
Unicoi County	7,836	7,568	268	3.4%	3.7%	-0.3%	5.2%	-1.8%
Washington County	67,747	65,725	2,022	3.0%	2.9%	0.1%	2.8%	0.2%
Kingsport-Bristol, TN-VA MSA	137,367	132,766	4,601	3.3%	3.5%	-0.2%	3.1%	0.2%
Hawkins County	23,467	22,632	835	3.6%	3.6%	0.0%	3.5%	0.1%
Sullivan County	73,459	71,142	2,317	3.2%	3.2%	0.0%	3.0%	0.2%
Virginia Portion	40,441	38,992	1,449	3.6%	4.0%	-0.4%	3.2%	0.4%
Knoxville, TN MSA	465,919	452,804	13,115	2.8%	2.8%	0.0%	2.7%	0.1%
Anderson County	36,412	35,324	1,088	3.0%	3.0%	0.0%	2.8%	0.2%
Blount County	70,095	68,183	1,912	2.7%	2.8%	-0.1%	2.6%	0.1%
Campbell County	16,651	16,071	580	3.5%	3.6%	-0.1%	3.0%	0.5%
Grainger County	10,609	10,278	331	3.1%	3.3%	-0.2%	3.1%	0.0%
Knox County	262,400	255,355	7,045	2.7%	2.6%	0.1%	2.5%	0.2%
Loudon County	27,596	26,804	792	2.9%	2.9%	0.0%	2.9%	0.0%
Morgan County	8,213	7,920	293	3.6%	3.7%	-0.1%	3.5%	0.1%
Roane County	24,742	23,960	782	3.2%	3.2%	0.0%	3.1%	0.1%
Union County	9,201	8,909	292	3.2%	3.3%	-0.1%	3.2%	0.0%
Memphis, TN-MS-AR MSA	630,451	604,505	25,946	4.1%	4.2%	-0.1%	3.8%	0.3%
Fayette County	20,613	19,938	675	3.3%	3.5%	-0.2%	3.2%	0.1%
Shelby County	428,720	409,798	18,922	4.4%	4.4%	0.0%	4.0%	0.4%
Tipton County	28,119	27,142	977	3.5%	3.5%	0.0%	3.3%	0.2%
Arkansas Portion	20,775	19,763	1,012	4.9%	5.5%	-0.6%	4.8%	0.1%
Mississippi Portion	132,224	127,864	4,360	3.3%	3.8%	-0.5%	3.4%	-0.1%
Morristown, TN MSA	53,677	51,940	1,737	3.2%	3.2%	0.0%	3.1%	0.1%
Hamblen County	27,546	26,624	922	3.3%	3.3%	0.0%	3.2%	0.1%
Jefferson County	26,131	25,316	815	3.1%	3.1%	0.0%	3.1%	0.0%
Nashville, TN MSA	1,196,791	1,161,543	35,248	2.9%	2.9%	0.0%	2.5%	0.4%
Cannon County	7,011	6,821	190	2.7%	2.7%	0.0%	2.7%	0.0%
Cheatham County	22,739	22,148	591	2.6%	2.6%	0.0%	2.5%	0.1%
Davidson County	430,011	417,823	12,188	2.8%	2.8%	0.0%	2.6%	0.2%
Dickson County	29,467	28,695	772	2.6%	2.6%	0.0%	2.6%	0.0%
Hickman County	11,556	11,143	413	3.6%	3.3%	0.3%	2.9%	0.7%
Macon County	13,417	13,058	359	2.7%	2.6%	0.1%	2.6%	0.1%
Maury County	62,038	58,274	3,764	6.1%	5.1%	1.0%	2.7%	3.4%
Robertson County	40,796	39,651	1,145	2.8%	2.8%	0.0%	2.6%	0.2%
Rutherford County	214,034	208,089	5,945	2.8%	2.7%	0.1%	2.5%	0.3%
Smith County	10,156	9,875	281	2.8%	3.0%	-0.2%	2.9%	-0.1%
Sumner County	114,799	111,710	3,089	2.7%	2.7%	0.0%	2.6%	0.1%
Trousdale County	5,751	5,581	170	3.0%	2.8%	0.2%	2.8%	0.2%
Williamson County	143,826	139,941	3,885	2.7%	2.5%	0.2%	2.3%	0.4%
Wilson County	91,190	88,734	2,456	2.7%	2.7%	0.0%	2.5%	0.2%

Labor Force Estimates - Micropolitan Statistical Areas

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Athens Micropolitan Area	25,237	24,178	1,059	4.2%	4.4%	-0.2%	3.9%	0.3%
McMinn County	20,574	19,733	841	4.1%	4.2%	-0.1%	3.8%	0.3%
Meigs County	4,663	4,445	218	4.7%	5.1%	-0.4%	4.1%	0.6%
Cookeville Micropolitan Area	65,221	63,050	2,171	3.3%	3.3%	0.0%	3.1%	0.2%
Jackson County	4,956	4,787	169	3.4%	3.9%	-0.5%	3.6%	-0.2%
Overton County	10,663	10,335	328	3.1%	3.6%	-0.5%	2.9%	0.2%
Putnam County	38,483	37,239	1,244	3.2%	3.1%	0.1%	2.9%	0.3%
White County	11,119	10,689	430	3.9%	3.8%	0.1%	3.8%	0.1%
Crossville Micropolitan Area (Cumberland Co.)	23,282	22,403	879	3.8%	4.0%	-0.2%	3.9%	-0.1%
Dyersburg Micropolitan Area (Dyer Co.)	18,064	17,430	634	3.5%	3.1%	0.4%	3.1%	0.4%
Fayetteville Micropolitan Area (Lincoln Co.)	16,140	15,600	540	3.3%	3.3%	0.0%	3.2%	0.1%
Greeneville Micropolitan Area (Greene Co.)	28,544	27,323	1,221	4.3%	4.2%	0.1%	3.9%	0.4%
Lawrenceburg Micropolitan Area (Lawrence Co.)	18,783	17,902	881	4.7%	4.4%	0.3%	3.4%	1.3%
Lewisburg Micropolitan Area (Marshall Co.)	17,072	16,219	853	5.0%	4.4%	0.6%	3.0%	2.0%
Martin Micropolitan Area (Weakley Co.)	13,839	13,310	529	3.8%	3.6%	0.2%	3.3%	0.5%
McMinnville Micropolitan Area (Warren Co.)	17,269	16,680	589	3.4%	3.4%	0.0%	3.4%	0.0%
Newport Micropolitan Area (Cocke Co.)	14,756	14,153	603	4.1%	4.6%	-0.5%	4.7%	-0.6%
Paris Micropolitan Area (Henry Co.)	12,708	12,205	503	4.0%	4.2%	-0.2%	3.6%	0.4%
Sevierville Micropolitan Area (Sevier Co.)	52,859	51,400	1,459	2.8%	3.3%	-0.5%	2.6%	0.2%
Shelbyville Micropolitan Area (Bedford Co.)	24,908	24,093	815	3.3%	3.1%	0.2%	2.9%	0.4%
Tullahoma-Manchester, TN Micropolitan Area	29,775	28,799	976	3.3%	3.3%	0.0%	3.1%	0.2%
Coffee County	26,802	25,921	881	3.3%	3.3%	0.0%	3.1%	0.2%
Moore County	2,973	2,878	95	3.2%	3.2%	0.0%	2.8%	0.4%
Union City Micropolitan Area (Obion Co.)	13,484	13,068	416	3.1%	3.1%	0.0%	3.1%	0.0%
Winchester Micropolitan Area (Franklin Co.)	17,976	17,344	632	3.5%	3.4%	0.1%	3.3%	0.2%

*Micropolitan Statistical Areas are a county or counties with an urbanized area having a population between 10,000 and 50,000

Labor Force Estimates - Tennessee Counties

	April 2026				March 2026		April 2025	
	Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate	Rate	Change	Rate	Change
Anderson County	36,412	35,324	1,088	3.0%	3.0%	0.0%	2.8%	0.2%
Bedford County	24,908	24,093	815	3.3%	3.1%	0.2%	2.9%	0.4%
Benton County	6,078	5,816	262	4.3%	4.4%	-0.1%	4.0%	0.3%
Bledsoe County	6,271	6,093	178	2.8%	2.9%	-0.1%	2.7%	0.1%
Blount County	70,095	68,183	1,912	2.7%	2.8%	-0.1%	2.6%	0.1%
Bradley County	48,817	47,100	1,717	3.5%	4.1%	-0.6%	3.3%	0.2%
Campbell County	16,651	16,071	580	3.5%	3.6%	-0.1%	3.0%	0.5%
Cannon County	7,011	6,821	190	2.7%	2.7%	0.0%	2.7%	0.0%
Carroll County	12,204	11,730	474	3.9%	3.9%	0.0%	3.4%	0.5%
Carter County	23,980	23,170	810	3.4%	3.5%	-0.1%	3.5%	-0.1%
Cheatham County	22,739	22,148	591	2.6%	2.6%	0.0%	2.5%	0.1%
Chester County	7,116	6,846	270	3.8%	3.5%	0.3%	3.4%	0.4%
Claiborne County	12,787	12,331	456	3.6%	3.6%	0.0%	3.4%	0.2%
Clay County	2,934	2,828	106	3.6%	4.1%	-0.5%	4.4%	-0.8%
Cocke County	14,756	14,153	603	4.1%	4.6%	-0.5%	4.7%	-0.6%
Coffee County	26,802	25,921	881	3.3%	3.3%	0.0%	3.1%	0.2%
Crockett County	6,267	6,084	183	2.9%	3.1%	-0.2%	3.1%	-0.2%
Cumberland County	23,282	22,403	879	3.8%	4.0%	-0.2%	3.9%	-0.1%
Davidson County	430,011	417,823	12,188	2.8%	2.8%	0.0%	2.6%	0.2%
Decatur County	4,234	4,061	173	4.1%	4.6%	-0.5%	3.7%	0.4%
DeKalb County	7,810	7,515	295	3.8%	3.7%	0.1%	3.4%	0.4%
Dickson County	29,467	28,695	772	2.6%	2.6%	0.0%	2.6%	0.0%
Dyer County	18,064	17,430	634	3.5%	3.1%	0.4%	3.1%	0.4%
Fayette County	20,613	19,938	675	3.3%	3.5%	-0.2%	3.2%	0.1%
Fentress County	7,987	7,735	252	3.2%	3.1%	0.1%	3.0%	0.2%
Franklin County	17,976	17,344	632	3.5%	3.4%	0.1%	3.3%	0.2%
Gibson County	21,586	20,807	779	3.6%	3.5%	0.1%	3.2%	0.4%
Giles County	12,725	12,131	594	4.7%	4.5%	0.2%	3.7%	1.0%
Grainger County	10,609	10,278	331	3.1%	3.3%	-0.2%	3.1%	0.0%
Greene County	28,544	27,323	1,221	4.3%	4.2%	0.1%	3.9%	0.4%
Grundy County	5,212	5,017	195	3.7%	3.8%	-0.1%	3.7%	0.0%
Hamblen County	27,546	26,624	922	3.3%	3.3%	0.0%	3.2%	0.1%
Hamilton County	199,918	193,851	6,067	3.0%	3.1%	-0.1%	2.8%	0.2%
Hancock County	2,400	2,276	124	5.2%	5.0%	0.2%	3.9%	1.3%
Hardeman County	8,392	7,973	419	5.0%	4.9%	0.1%	4.8%	0.2%
Hardin County	11,002	10,626	376	3.4%	3.4%	0.0%	3.5%	-0.1%
Hawkins County	23,467	22,632	835	3.6%	3.6%	0.0%	3.5%	0.1%
Haywood County	9,793	9,489	304	3.1%	3.2%	-0.1%	3.2%	-0.1%
Henderson County	11,502	11,063	439	3.8%	3.8%	0.0%	3.3%	0.5%
Henry County	12,708	12,205	503	4.0%	4.2%	-0.2%	3.6%	0.4%
Hickman County	11,556	11,143	413	3.6%	3.3%	0.3%	2.9%	0.7%
Houston County	3,578	3,452	126	3.5%	3.8%	-0.3%	3.7%	-0.2%
Humphreys County	8,110	7,835	275	3.4%	3.4%	0.0%	3.2%	0.2%
Jackson County	4,956	4,787	169	3.4%	3.9%	-0.5%	3.6%	-0.2%
Jefferson County	26,131	25,316	815	3.1%	3.1%	0.0%	3.1%	0.0%
Johnson County	5,798	5,557	241	4.2%	4.4%	-0.2%	5.6%	-1.4%
Knox County	262,400	255,355	7,045	2.7%	2.6%	0.1%	2.5%	0.2%
Lake County	1,579	1,504	75	4.7%	4.4%	0.3%	4.8%	-0.1%
Lauderdale County	8,872	8,488	384	4.3%	4.2%	0.1%	4.3%	0.0%
Lawrence County	18,783	17,902	881	4.7%	4.4%	0.3%	3.4%	1.3%
Lewis County	6,082	5,731	351	5.8%	5.0%	0.8%	3.4%	2.4%
Lincoln County	16,140	15,600	540	3.3%	3.3%	0.0%	3.2%	0.1%
Loudon County	27,596	26,804	792	2.9%	2.9%	0.0%	2.9%	0.0%
McMinn County	20,574	19,733	841	4.1%	4.2%	-0.1%	3.8%	0.3%
McNairy County	10,067	9,719	348	3.5%	3.7%	-0.2%	3.7%	-0.2%
Macon County	13,417	13,058	359	2.7%	2.6%	0.1%	2.6%	0.1%

Tennessee Counties (cont.)

	April 2026				March 2026		April 2025	
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Madison County	45,137	43,492	1,645	3.6%	3.6%	0.0%	3.4%	0.2%
Marion County	12,496	12,059	437	3.5%	3.6%	-0.1%	3.4%	0.1%
Marshall County	17,072	16,219	853	5.0%	4.4%	0.6%	3.0%	2.0%
Maury County	62,038	58,274	3,764	6.1%	5.1%	1.0%	2.7%	3.4%
Meigs County	4,663	4,445	218	4.7%	5.1%	-0.4%	4.1%	0.6%
Monroe County	18,960	18,290	670	3.5%	3.5%	0.0%	3.4%	0.1%
Montgomery County	107,073	103,302	3,771	3.5%	3.5%	0.0%	3.1%	0.4%
Moore County	2,973	2,878	95	3.2%	3.2%	0.0%	2.8%	0.4%
Morgan County	8,213	7,920	293	3.6%	3.7%	-0.1%	3.5%	0.1%
Obion County	13,484	13,068	416	3.1%	3.1%	0.0%	3.1%	0.0%
Overton County	10,663	10,335	328	3.1%	3.6%	-0.5%	2.9%	0.2%
Perry County	2,707	2,563	144	5.3%	5.4%	-0.1%	4.3%	1.0%
Pickett County	1,664	1,589	75	4.5%	5.7%	-1.2%	4.2%	0.3%
Polk County	7,290	7,045	245	3.4%	4.7%	-1.3%	3.3%	0.1%
Putnam County	38,483	37,239	1,244	3.2%	3.1%	0.1%	2.9%	0.3%
Rhea County	14,945	14,373	572	3.8%	4.0%	-0.2%	3.4%	0.4%
Roane County	24,742	23,960	782	3.2%	3.2%	0.0%	3.1%	0.1%
Robertson County	40,796	39,651	1,145	2.8%	2.8%	0.0%	2.6%	0.2%
Rutherford County	214,034	208,089	5,945	2.8%	2.7%	0.1%	2.5%	0.3%
Scott County	8,681	8,342	339	3.9%	3.9%	0.0%	3.3%	0.6%
Sequatchie County	6,952	6,716	236	3.4%	3.6%	-0.2%	3.4%	0.0%
Sevier County	52,859	51,400	1,459	2.8%	3.3%	-0.5%	2.6%	0.2%
Shelby County	428,720	409,798	18,922	4.4%	4.4%	0.0%	4.0%	0.4%
Smith County	10,156	9,875	281	2.8%	3.0%	-0.2%	2.9%	-0.1%
Stewart County	5,932	5,719	213	3.6%	3.7%	-0.1%	3.3%	0.3%
Sullivan County	73,459	71,142	2,317	3.2%	3.2%	0.0%	3.0%	0.2%
Sumner County	114,799	111,710	3,089	2.7%	2.7%	0.0%	2.6%	0.1%
Tipton County	28,119	27,142	977	3.5%	3.5%	0.0%	3.3%	0.2%
Trousdale County	5,751	5,581	170	3.0%	2.8%	0.2%	2.8%	0.2%
Unicoi County	7,836	7,568	268	3.4%	3.7%	-0.3%	5.2%	-1.8%
Union County	9,201	8,909	292	3.2%	3.3%	-0.1%	3.2%	0.0%
Van Buren County	2,730	2,647	83	3.0%	3.0%	0.0%	3.1%	-0.1%
Warren County	17,269	16,680	589	3.4%	3.4%	0.0%	3.4%	0.0%
Washington County	67,747	65,725	2,022	3.0%	2.9%	0.1%	2.8%	0.2%
Wayne County	6,482	6,244	238	3.7%	3.7%	0.0%	3.3%	0.4%
Weakley County	13,839	13,310	529	3.8%	3.6%	0.2%	3.3%	0.5%
White County	11,119	10,689	430	3.9%	3.8%	0.1%	3.8%	0.1%
Williamson County	143,826	139,941	3,885	2.7%	2.5%	0.2%	2.3%	0.4%
Wilson County	91,190	88,734	2,456	2.7%	2.7%	0.0%	2.5%	0.2%

March 2026 to April 2026	
Rate Change	# of Counties
Increase	27
Decrease	36
Unchanged	32

April 2026	
Rate Level	# of Counties
Less than 5%	89
5% or greater, less than 10%	6
10% or greater	0
20% or greater	0

Labor Force Estimates - March 2026

Seasonally Adjusted	Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate
United States	170,087,000	162,848,000	7,239,000	4.3%
Tennessee	3,516,560	3,390,146	126,414	3.6%

Not Seasonally Adjusted	Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate
United States	170,102,000	162,764,000	7,337,000	4.3%
Tennessee	3,467,394	3,352,750	114,644	3.3%

Metropolitan Areas	Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate
Chattanooga, TN-GA MSA	293,077	283,814	9,263	3.2%
Clarksville, TN-KY MSA	142,086	136,529	5,557	3.9%
Cleveland, TN MSA	56,254	53,885	2,369	4.2%
Jackson, TN MSA	79,984	77,182	2,802	3.5%
Johnson City, TN MSA	98,821	95,735	3,086	3.1%
Kingsport-Bristol, TN-VA MSA	136,649	131,855	4,794	3.5%
Knoxville, TN MSA	463,238	450,323	12,915	2.8%
Memphis, TN-MS-AR MSA	628,352	601,714	26,638	4.2%
Morristown, TN MSA	53,467	51,733	1,734	3.2%
Nashville, TN MSA	1,185,812	1,152,013	33,799	2.9%

Counties	Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate
Anderson County	36,160	35,082	1,078	3.0%
Bedford County	24,647	23,879	768	3.1%
Benton County	6,046	5,777	269	4.4%
Bledsoe County	6,389	6,206	183	2.9%
Blount County	69,764	67,843	1,921	2.8%
Bradley County	48,886	46,861	2,025	4.1%
Campbell County	16,560	15,972	588	3.6%
Cannon County	6,968	6,777	191	2.7%
Carroll County	12,228	11,753	475	3.9%
Carter County	23,825	23,001	824	3.5%
Cheatham County	22,556	21,968	588	2.6%
Chester County	7,088	6,841	247	3.5%
Claiborne County	12,792	12,328	464	3.6%
Clay County	2,958	2,837	121	4.1%
Cocke County	14,716	14,042	674	4.6%
Coffee County	26,490	25,618	872	3.3%
Crockett County	6,308	6,115	193	3.1%
Cumberland County	23,316	22,377	939	4.0%
Davidson County	426,041	413,984	12,057	2.8%
Decatur County	4,249	4,054	195	4.6%
DeKalb County	7,793	7,504	289	3.7%
Dickson County	29,241	28,492	749	2.6%
Dyer County	17,847	17,292	555	3.1%
Fayette County	20,586	19,867	719	3.5%
Fentress County	8,096	7,844	252	3.1%
Franklin County	17,863	17,257	606	3.4%
Gibson County	21,608	20,848	760	3.5%
Giles County	12,660	12,094	566	4.5%
Grainger County	10,606	10,258	348	3.3%
Greene County	28,393	27,193	1,200	4.2%
Grundy County	5,161	4,965	196	3.8%
Hamblen County	27,404	26,489	915	3.3%
Hamilton County	198,652	192,500	6,152	3.1%
Hancock County	2,393	2,273	120	5.0%
Hardeman County	8,411	8,001	410	4.9%
Hardin County	11,002	10,623	379	3.4%

Counties (cont.)	Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate
Hawkins County	23,291	22,452	839	3.6%
Haywood County	9,703	9,395	308	3.2%
Henderson County	11,462	11,024	438	3.8%
Henry County	12,712	12,180	532	4.2%
Hickman County	11,500	11,125	375	3.3%
Houston County	3,641	3,502	139	3.8%
Humphreys County	8,065	7,788	277	3.4%
Jackson County	4,942	4,751	191	3.9%
Jefferson County	26,063	25,244	819	3.1%
Johnson County	5,790	5,535	255	4.4%
Knox County	260,496	253,704	6,792	2.6%
Lake County	1,573	1,504	69	4.4%
Lauderdale County	8,916	8,538	378	4.2%
Lawrence County	18,917	18,094	823	4.4%
Lewis County	5,984	5,684	300	5.0%
Lincoln County	16,233	15,694	539	3.3%
Loudon County	27,670	26,860	810	2.9%
McMinn County	20,514	19,650	864	4.2%
McNairy County	10,096	9,726	370	3.7%
Macon County	13,439	13,085	354	2.6%
Madison County	44,980	43,378	1,602	3.6%
Marion County	12,452	11,999	453	3.6%
Marshall County	16,944	16,195	749	4.4%
Maury County	60,920	57,787	3,133	5.1%
Meigs County	4,671	4,435	236	5.1%
Monroe County	18,904	18,239	665	3.5%
Montgomery County	106,386	102,636	3,750	3.5%
Moore County	2,961	2,865	96	3.2%
Morgan County	8,197	7,897	300	3.7%
Obion County	13,405	12,992	413	3.1%
Overton County	10,676	10,297	379	3.6%
Perry County	2,720	2,572	148	5.4%
Pickett County	1,655	1,561	94	5.7%
Polk County	7,368	7,024	344	4.7%
Putnam County	38,125	36,950	1,175	3.1%
Rhea County	14,934	14,333	601	4.0%
Roane County	24,626	23,846	780	3.2%
Robertson County	40,586	39,449	1,137	2.8%
Rutherford County	212,103	206,472	5,631	2.7%
Scott County	8,673	8,335	338	3.9%
Sequatchie County	6,933	6,686	247	3.6%
Sevier County	52,148	50,421	1,727	3.3%
Shelby County	425,471	406,700	18,771	4.4%
Smith County	10,145	9,844	301	3.0%
Stewart County	5,912	5,695	217	3.7%
Sullivan County	72,842	70,495	2,347	3.2%
Sumner County	113,918	110,831	3,087	2.7%
Tipton County	28,004	27,025	979	3.5%
Trousdale County	5,688	5,529	159	2.8%
Unicoi County	7,794	7,507	287	3.7%
Union County	9,159	8,861	298	3.3%
Van Buren County	2,764	2,680	84	3.0%
Warren County	17,343	16,759	584	3.4%
Washington County	67,202	65,227	1,975	2.9%
Wayne County	6,486	6,245	241	3.7%
Weakley County	13,833	13,339	494	3.6%
White County	11,055	10,631	424	3.8%
Williamson County	142,330	138,705	3,625	2.5%
Wilson County	90,377	87,965	2,412	2.7%

Labor Force Estimates - Tennessee Cities

	April 2026				March 2026		April 2025	
	Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate	Rate	Change	Rate	Change
Bartlett	27,980	26,983	997	3.6%	3.4%	0.2%	3.1%	0.5%
Brentwood	22,665	22,068	597	2.6%	2.3%	0.3%	2.5%	0.1%
Bristol	12,916	12,507	409	3.2%	3.1%	0.1%	3.0%	0.2%
Chattanooga	98,949	95,661	3,288	3.3%	3.3%	0.0%	3.0%	0.3%
Clarksville	79,339	76,350	2,989	3.8%	3.7%	0.1%	3.3%	0.5%
Cleveland	21,212	20,435	777	3.7%	4.4%	-0.7%	3.5%	0.2%
Collierville	25,319	24,552	767	3.0%	2.9%	0.1%	2.9%	0.1%
Columbia	26,236	24,224	2,012	7.7%	6.7%	1.0%	3.0%	4.7%
Cookeville	16,806	16,221	585	3.5%	2.9%	0.6%	3.0%	0.5%
Farragut	12,899	12,589	310	2.4%	2.5%	-0.1%	2.5%	-0.1%
Franklin	49,740	48,392	1,348	2.7%	2.7%	0.0%	2.3%	0.4%
Gallatin	27,661	26,844	817	3.0%	3.0%	0.0%	2.9%	0.1%
Germantown	18,315	17,778	537	2.9%	2.7%	0.2%	2.8%	0.1%
Hendersonville	35,994	35,013	981	2.7%	2.6%	0.1%	2.5%	0.2%
Jackson	30,267	29,038	1,229	4.1%	3.8%	0.3%	3.6%	0.5%
Johnson City	36,803	35,690	1,113	3.0%	2.9%	0.1%	2.7%	0.3%
Kingsport	24,876	24,043	833	3.3%	3.5%	-0.2%	3.2%	0.1%
Knoxville	103,382	100,405	2,977	2.9%	2.7%	0.2%	2.7%	0.2%
La Vergne	23,155	22,574	581	2.5%	2.5%	0.0%	2.4%	0.1%
Lebanon	26,945	26,115	830	3.1%	3.1%	0.0%	2.7%	0.4%
Maryville	16,016	15,557	459	2.9%	2.5%	0.4%	2.4%	0.5%
Memphis	282,039	268,478	13,561	4.8%	4.9%	-0.1%	4.3%	0.5%
Morristown	12,736	12,298	438	3.4%	3.4%	0.0%	3.3%	0.1%
Mount Juliet	24,214	23,577	637	2.6%	2.6%	0.0%	2.5%	0.1%
Murfreesboro	98,486	95,580	2,906	3.0%	2.7%	0.3%	2.6%	0.4%
Nashville	430,011	417,823	12,188	2.8%	2.8%	0.0%	2.6%	0.2%
Oak Ridge	15,161	14,704	457	3.0%	3.3%	-0.3%	2.8%	0.2%
Shelbyville	12,341	11,910	431	3.5%	3.5%	0.0%	2.7%	0.8%
Smyrna	34,036	33,113	923	2.7%	2.8%	-0.1%	2.5%	0.2%
Spring Hill	33,624	32,441	1,183	3.5%	3.2%	0.3%	2.4%	1.1%

* Cities have a population greater than 25,000

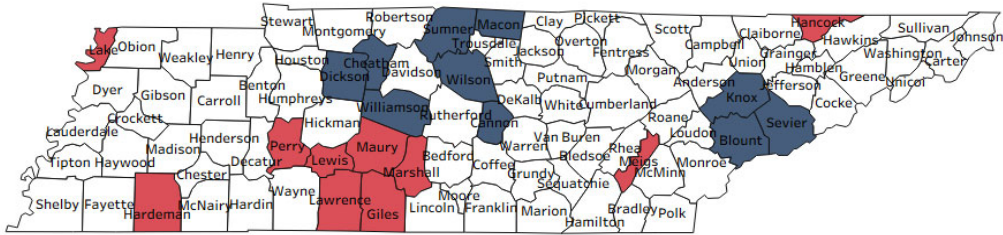
Labor Force Estimates - Local Workforce Development Areas (LWDA)

	April 2026				March 2026	
	Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate	Rate	Change
Northeast	233,231	225,393	7,838	3.4%	3.4%	0.0%
Carter County	23,980	23,170	810	3.4%	3.5%	-0.1%
Greene County	28,544	27,323	1,221	4.3%	4.2%	0.1%
Hancock County	2,400	2,276	124	5.2%	5.0%	0.2%
Hawkins County	23,467	22,632	835	3.6%	3.6%	0.0%
Johnson County	5,798	5,557	241	4.2%	4.4%	-0.2%
Sullivan County	73,459	71,142	2,317	3.2%	3.2%	0.0%
Unicoi County	7,836	7,568	268	3.4%	3.7%	-0.3%
Washington County	67,747	65,725	2,022	3.0%	2.9%	0.1%
East	627,639	609,260	18,379	2.9%	3.0%	-0.1%
Anderson County	36,412	35,324	1,088	3.0%	3.0%	0.0%
Blount County	70,095	68,183	1,912	2.7%	2.8%	-0.1%
Campbell County	16,651	16,071	580	3.5%	3.6%	-0.1%
Claiborne County	12,787	12,331	456	3.6%	3.6%	0.0%
Cocke County	14,756	14,153	603	4.1%	4.6%	-0.5%
Grainger County	10,609	10,278	331	3.1%	3.3%	-0.2%
Hamblen County	27,546	26,624	922	3.3%	3.3%	0.0%
Jefferson County	26,131	25,316	815	3.1%	3.1%	0.0%
Knox County	262,400	255,355	7,045	2.7%	2.6%	0.1%
Loudon County	27,596	26,804	792	2.9%	2.9%	0.0%
Monroe County	18,960	18,290	670	3.5%	3.5%	0.0%
Morgan County	8,213	7,920	293	3.6%	3.7%	-0.1%
Roane County	24,742	23,960	782	3.2%	3.2%	0.0%
Scott County	8,681	8,342	339	3.9%	3.9%	0.0%
Sevier County	52,859	51,400	1,459	2.8%	3.3%	-0.5%
Union County	9,201	8,909	292	3.2%	3.3%	-0.1%
Southeast	327,138	316,432	10,706	3.3%	3.5%	-0.2%
Bledsoe County	6,271	6,093	178	2.8%	2.9%	-0.1%
Bradley County	48,817	47,100	1,717	3.5%	4.1%	-0.6%
Grundy County	5,212	5,017	195	3.7%	3.8%	-0.1%
Hamilton County	199,918	193,851	6,067	3.0%	3.1%	-0.1%
Marion County	12,496	12,059	437	3.5%	3.6%	-0.1%
McMinn County	20,574	19,733	841	4.1%	4.2%	-0.1%
Meigs County	4,663	4,445	218	4.7%	5.1%	-0.4%
Polk County	7,290	7,045	245	3.4%	4.7%	-1.3%
Rhea County	14,945	14,373	572	3.8%	4.0%	-0.2%
Sequatchie County	6,952	6,716	236	3.4%	3.6%	-0.2%
Southern Middle	226,244	216,043	10,201	4.5%	4.1%	0.4%
Bedford County	24,908	24,093	815	3.3%	3.1%	0.2%
Coffee County	26,802	25,921	881	3.3%	3.3%	0.0%
Franklin County	17,976	17,344	632	3.5%	3.4%	0.1%
Giles County	12,725	12,131	594	4.7%	4.5%	0.2%
Hickman County	11,556	11,143	413	3.6%	3.3%	0.3%
Lawrence County	18,783	17,902	881	4.7%	4.4%	0.3%
Lewis County	6,082	5,731	351	5.8%	5.0%	0.8%
Lincoln County	16,140	15,600	540	3.3%	3.3%	0.0%
Marshall County	17,072	16,219	853	5.0%	4.4%	0.6%
Maury County	62,038	58,274	3,764	6.1%	5.1%	1.0%
Moore County	2,973	2,878	95	3.2%	3.2%	0.0%
Perry County	2,707	2,563	144	5.3%	5.4%	-0.1%
Wayne County	6,482	6,244	238	3.7%	3.7%	0.0%

Local Workforce Development Areas (cont.)

	April 2026				March 2026	
	Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate	Rate	Change
Upper Cumberland	159,481	154,201	5,280	3.3%	3.4%	-0.1%
Cannon County	7,011	6,821	190	2.7%	2.7%	0.0%
Clay County	2,934	2,828	106	3.6%	4.1%	-0.5%
Cumberland County	23,282	22,403	879	3.8%	4.0%	-0.2%
DeKalb County	7,810	7,515	295	3.8%	3.7%	0.1%
Fentress County	7,987	7,735	252	3.2%	3.1%	0.1%
Jackson County	4,956	4,787	169	3.4%	3.9%	-0.5%
Macon County	13,417	13,058	359	2.7%	2.6%	0.1%
Overton County	10,663	10,335	328	3.1%	3.6%	-0.5%
Pickett County	1,664	1,589	75	4.5%	5.7%	-1.2%
Putnam County	38,483	37,239	1,244	3.2%	3.1%	0.1%
Smith County	10,156	9,875	281	2.8%	3.0%	-0.2%
Van Buren County	2,730	2,647	83	3.0%	3.0%	0.0%
Warren County	17,269	16,680	589	3.4%	3.4%	0.0%
White County	11,119	10,689	430	3.9%	3.8%	0.1%
Northern Middle	1,217,306	1,182,680	34,626	2.8%	2.8%	0.0%
Cheatham County	22,739	22,148	591	2.6%	2.6%	0.0%
Davidson County	430,011	417,823	12,188	2.8%	2.8%	0.0%
Dickson County	29,467	28,695	772	2.6%	2.6%	0.0%
Houston County	3,578	3,452	126	3.5%	3.8%	-0.3%
Humphreys County	8,110	7,835	275	3.4%	3.4%	0.0%
Montgomery County	107,073	103,302	3,771	3.5%	3.5%	0.0%
Robertson County	40,796	39,651	1,145	2.8%	2.8%	0.0%
Rutherford County	214,034	208,089	5,945	2.8%	2.7%	0.1%
Stewart County	5,932	5,719	213	3.6%	3.7%	-0.1%
Sumner County	114,799	111,710	3,089	2.7%	2.7%	0.0%
Trousdale County	5,751	5,581	170	3.0%	2.8%	0.2%
Williamson County	143,826	139,941	3,885	2.7%	2.5%	0.2%
Wilson County	91,190	88,734	2,456	2.7%	2.7%	0.0%
Northwest	105,809	101,954	3,855	3.6%	3.6%	0.0%
Benton County	6,078	5,816	262	4.3%	4.4%	-0.1%
Carroll County	12,204	11,730	474	3.9%	3.9%	0.0%
Crockett County	6,267	6,084	183	2.9%	3.1%	-0.2%
Dyer County	18,064	17,430	634	3.5%	3.1%	0.4%
Gibson County	21,586	20,807	779	3.6%	3.5%	0.1%
Henry County	12,708	12,205	503	4.0%	4.2%	-0.2%
Lake County	1,579	1,504	75	4.7%	4.4%	0.3%
Obion County	13,484	13,068	416	3.1%	3.1%	0.0%
Weakley County	13,839	13,310	529	3.8%	3.6%	0.2%
Southwest	107,243	103,269	3,974	3.7%	3.7%	0.0%
Chester County	7,116	6,846	270	3.8%	3.5%	0.3%
Decatur County	4,234	4,061	173	4.1%	4.6%	-0.5%
Hardeman County	8,392	7,973	419	5.0%	4.9%	0.1%
Hardin County	11,002	10,626	376	3.4%	3.4%	0.0%
Haywood County	9,793	9,489	304	3.1%	3.2%	-0.1%
Henderson County	11,502	11,063	439	3.8%	3.8%	0.0%
Madison County	45,137	43,492	1,645	3.6%	3.6%	0.0%
McNairy County	10,067	9,719	348	3.5%	3.7%	-0.2%
Greater Memphis	486,324	465,366	20,958	4.3%	4.3%	0.0%
Fayette County	20,613	19,938	675	3.3%	3.5%	-0.2%
Lauderdale County	8,872	8,488	384	4.3%	4.2%	0.1%
Shelby County	428,720	409,798	18,922	4.4%	4.4%	0.0%
Tipton County	28,119	27,142	977	3.5%	3.5%	0.0%

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Lowest County Unemployment Rates

Rank	County	April 2026
1	Cheatham	2.6%
2	Dickson	2.6%
3	Macon	2.7%
4	Knox	2.7%
5	Sumner	2.7%
6	Wilson	2.7%
7	Williamson	2.7%
8	Cannon	2.7%
9	Blount	2.7%
10	Sevier	2.8%

Highest County Unemployment Rates

Rank	County	April 2026
95	Maury	6.1%
94	Lewis	5.8%
93	Perry	5.3%
92	Hancock	5.2%
91	Marshall	5.0%
90	Hardeman	5.0%
89	Lake	4.7%
88	Lawrence	4.7%
87	Meigs	4.7%
86	Giles	4.7%