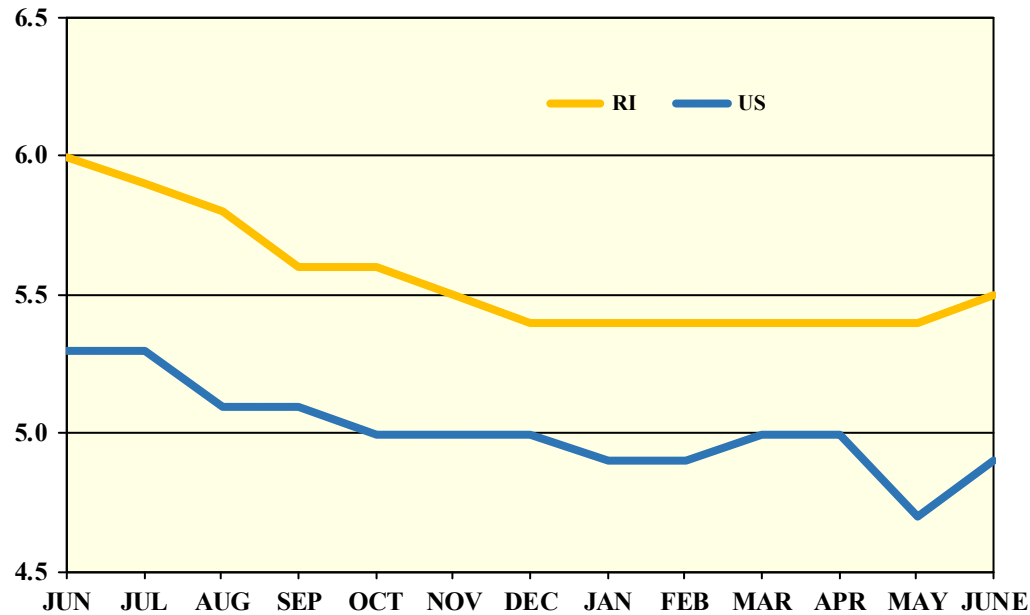


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# Local Area LABOR MARKET INFORMATION Unemployment Statistics

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# Terms Used in the LAUS Report

**Employment** refers to those persons 16 years of age or older who did any work at all as paid employees during the reference week of the 12th of the month; worked in their own business or on their own farm, or worked without pay at least 15 hours in a family business or farm. Also included are persons who were temporarily absent from their jobs because of illness, bad weather, vacation, labor-management disputes or personal reasons.

**Unemployment** refers to those persons who had no employment during the reference week; who were available for work; and made specific attempts to find work during the four week period ending with the reference week. Persons laid off from a job and expecting recall need not be looking for work to be counted as unemployed.

The **Labor Force** is the sum of the Employed and the Unemployed.

The **Unemployment Rate** is the number of Unemployed as a percent of the Labor Force.

Over the course of a year the size of the labor force and the levels of employment and unemployment undergo sharp fluctuations due to such seasonal events as changes in weather, reduced or expanding production, harvests, major holidays, and the opening and closing of school. Seasonal fluctuations account for as much as 95% of the month-to-month changes in unemployment. The object of **Seasonal Adjustment** is to make nonseasonal developments, such as declines in economic activity easier to spot. Although most of the data in this publication is unadjusted, the Seasonally Adjusted Unemployment Rate is given for the state of Rhode Island.

The **New England City and Town Area (NECTA)**, Providence-Warwick, RI-MA NECTA, includes 36 communities in Rhode Island and 12 in Massachusetts. The general concept of the NECTA is one of a large population center, usually over 50,000, together with adjacent communities which have a high degree of economic and social integration within that locality.

Rhode Island's **Labor Market Area (LMA)**, New Shoreham LMA, consists of an area in which there is a high concentration of economic activity or labor demand. In the LMA, workers can generally change jobs without relocating.

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LABOR FORCE	559,099	562,430	559,819	552,889	553,739	555,755	553,517	549,035	547,792	548,991	547,158	548,300	557,539
EMPLOYMENT	526,982	528,699	527,115	524,419	525,366	526,640	525,121	514,308	513,496	516,117	520,524	519,400	529,006
UNEMPLOYMENT	32,117	33,731	32,704	28,470	28,373	29,115	28,396	34,727	34,296	32,874	26,634	28,900	28,533
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	5.7	6.0	5.8	5.1	5.1	5.2	5.1	6.3	6.3	6.0	4.9	5.3	5.1
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED RATE	6.0	5.9	5.8	5.6	5.6	5.5	5.4	5.4	5.4	5.4	5.4	5.4	5.5

PROVIDENCE-WARWICK, RI-MA NECTA

	Jun-15	Jul-15	Aug-15	Sep-15	Oct-15	Nov-15	Dec-15	Jan-16	Feb-16	Mar-16	Apr-16	May-16	Jun-16
LABOR FORCE	541,639	544,601	542,052	535,794	536,970	539,072	536,843	674,857	673,925	676,261	673,258	674,031	684,597
EMPLOYMENT	510,670	512,073	510,499	508,310	509,605	511,024	509,541	632,379	632,017	635,861	640,857	639,894	649,948
UNEMPLOYMENT	30,969	32,528	31,553	27,484	27,365	28,048	27,302	42,478	41,908	40,400	32,401	34,137	34,649
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	5.7	6.0	5.8	5.1	5.1	5.2	5.1	6.3	6.2	6.0	4.8	5.1	5.1

PROVIDENCE-WARWICK, RI-MA NECTA, RI PORTION

	Jun-15	Jul-15	Aug-15	Sep-15	Oct-15	Nov-15	Dec-15	Jan-16	Feb-16	Mar-16	Apr-16	May-16	Jun-16
LABOR FORCE	685,768	688,103	685,039	677,744	679,100	681,587	679,397	532,550	531,257	532,566	530,736	531,786	540,415
EMPLOYMENT	646,144	646,751	645,455	642,278	644,393	646,222	644,376	499,111	498,220	500,904	505,079	503,873	512,828
UNEMPLOYMENT	39,624	41,352	39,584	35,466	34,707	35,365	35,021	33,439	33,037	31,662	25,657	27,913	27,587
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	5.8	6.0	5.8	5.2	5.1	5.2	5.2	6.3	6.2	5.9	4.8	5.2	5.1

PROVIDENCE-WARWICK, RI-MA NECTA, MA PORTION

	Jun-15	Jul-15	Aug-15	Sep-15	Oct-15	Nov-15	Dec-15	Jan-16	Feb-16	Mar-16	Apr-16	May-16	Jun-16
LABOR FORCE	144,129	143,502	142,987	141,950	142,130	142,515	142,554	142,307	142,668	143,695	142,522	142,245	144,182
EMPLOYMENT	135,474	134,678	134,956	133,968	134,788	135,198	134,835	133,268	133,797	134,957	135,778	136,021	137,120
UNEMPLOYMENT	8,655	8,824	8,031	7,982	7,342	7,317	7,719	9,039	8,871	8,738	6,744	6,224	7,062
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	6.0	6.1	5.6	5.6	5.2	5.1	5.4	6.4	6.2	6.1	4.7	4.4	4.9

NORWICH-NEW LONDON-WESTERLY, CT-RI NECTA, RI PORTION

	Jun-15	Jul-15	Aug-15	Sep-15	Oct-15	Nov-15	Dec-15	Jan-16	Feb-16	Mar-16	Apr-16	May-16	Jun-16
LABOR FORCE	16,384	16,461	16,395	16,029	16,002	16,095	16,086	15,946	16,000	15,899	15,872	15,832	16,088
EMPLOYMENT	15,307	15,330	15,307	15,097	15,061	15,126	15,103	14,793	14,874	14,822	15,002	14,937	15,203
UNEMPLOYMENT	1,077	1,131	1,088	932	941	969	983	1,153	1,126	1,077	870	895	885
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	6.6	6.9	6.6	5.8	5.9	6.0	6.1	7.2	7.0	6.8	5.5	5.7	5.5

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BARRINGTON	Jun-15	Jul-15	Aug-15	Sep-15	Oct-15	Nov-15	Dec-15	Jan-16	Feb-16	Mar-16	Apr-16	May-16	Jun-16
LABOR FORCE	8,478	8,487	8,441	8,369	8,384	8,388	8,391	8,224	8,273	8,271	8,294	8,313	8,485
EMPLOYMENT	8,139	8,148	8,105	8,066	8,078	8,082	8,096	7,899	7,928	7,940	8,042	8,013	8,173
UNEMPLOYMENT	339	339	336	303	306	306	295	325	345	331	252	300	312
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	4.0	4.0	4.0	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.5	4.0	4.2	4.0	3.0	3.6	3.7
BRISTOL	Jun-15	Jul-15	Aug-15	Sep-15	Oct-15	Nov-15	Dec-15	Jan-16	Feb-16	Mar-16	Apr-16	May-16	Jun-16
LABOR FORCE	12,233	12,318	12,264	12,081	12,142	12,192	12,118	12,030	11,968	11,985	11,945	11,997	12,210
EMPLOYMENT	11,594	11,651	11,638	11,535	11,608	11,642	11,583	11,328	11,272	11,304	11,407	11,419	11,630
UNEMPLOYMENT	639	667	626	546	534	550	535	702	696	681	538	578	580
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	5.2	5.4	5.1	4.5	4.4	4.5	4.4	5.8	5.8	5.7	4.5	4.8	4.8
BURRILLVILLE	Jun-15	Jul-15	Aug-15	Sep-15	Oct-15	Nov-15	Dec-15	Jan-16	Feb-16	Mar-16	Apr-16	May-16	Jun-16
LABOR FORCE	8,963	9,039	9,014	8,875	8,872	8,911	8,901	8,857	8,844	8,835	8,803	8,786	8,944
EMPLOYMENT	8,470	8,483	8,449	8,436	8,439	8,464	8,447	8,284	8,281	8,341	8,404	8,367	8,512
UNEMPLOYMENT	493	556	565	439	433	447	454	573	563	494	399	419	432
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	5.5	6.2	6.3	4.9	4.9	5.0	5.1	6.5	6.4	5.6	4.5	4.8	4.8
CENTRAL FALLS	Jun-15	Jul-15	Aug-15	Sep-15	Oct-15	Nov-15	Dec-15	Jan-16	Feb-16	Mar-16	Apr-16	May-16	Jun-16
LABOR FORCE	8,645	8,725	8,708	8,579	8,606	8,656	8,582	8,567	8,465	8,505	8,416	8,469	8,579
EMPLOYMENT	8,011	8,058	8,060	8,003	8,051	8,090	8,022	7,874	7,806	7,859	7,899	7,910	8,038
UNEMPLOYMENT	634	667	648	576	555	566	560	693	659	646	517	559	541
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	7.3	7.6	7.4	6.7	6.4	6.5	6.5	8.1	7.8	7.6	6.1	6.6	6.3
CHARLESTOWN	Jun-15	Jul-15	Aug-15	Sep-15	Oct-15	Nov-15	Dec-15	Jan-16	Feb-16	Mar-16	Apr-16	May-16	Jun-16
LABOR FORCE	4,131	4,153	4,117	4,060	4,074	4,096	4,087	4,058	4,080	4,067	4,054	4,038	4,100
EMPLOYMENT	3,886	3,892	3,872	3,854	3,861	3,864	3,868	3,776	3,785	3,792	3,840	3,827	3,902
UNEMPLOYMENT	245	261	245	206	213	232	219	282	295	275	214	211	198
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	5.9	6.3	6.0	5.1	5.2	5.7	5.4	6.9	7.2	6.8	5.3	5.2	4.8
COVENTRY	Jun-15	Jul-15	Aug-15	Sep-15	Oct-15	Nov-15	Dec-15	Jan-16	Feb-16	Mar-16	Apr-16	May-16	Jun-16
LABOR FORCE	18,922	19,064	18,995	18,766	18,808	18,870	18,775	18,665	18,627	18,676	18,586	18,596	18,904
EMPLOYMENT	17,905	17,959	17,915	17,855	17,895	17,961	17,883	17,548	17,488	17,616	17,730	17,685	17,985
UNEMPLOYMENT	1,017	1,105	1,080	911	913	909	892	1,117	1,139	1,060	856	911	919
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	5.4	5.8	5.7	4.9	4.9	4.8	4.8	6.0	6.1	5.7	4.6	4.9	4.9

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CRANSTON	Jun-15	Jul-15	Aug-15	Sep-15	Oct-15	Nov-15	Dec-15	Jan-16	Feb-16	Mar-16	Apr-16	May-16	Jun-16
LABOR FORCE	41,734	41,874	41,692	41,270	41,363	41,478	41,308	40,854	40,846	40,961	40,921	40,949	41,617
EMPLOYMENT	39,324	39,392	39,229	39,107	39,157	39,244	39,196	38,376	38,389	38,589	38,943	38,801	39,501
UNEMPLOYMENT	2,410	2,482	2,463	2,163	2,206	2,234	2,112	2,478	2,457	2,372	1,978	2,148	2,116
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	5.8	5.9	5.9	5.2	5.3	5.4	5.1	6.1	6.0	5.8	4.8	5.2	5.1
CUMBERLAND	Jun-15	Jul-15	Aug-15	Sep-15	Oct-15	Nov-15	Dec-15	Jan-16	Feb-16	Mar-16	Apr-16	May-16	Jun-16
LABOR FORCE	19,454	19,594	19,538	19,334	19,378	19,456	19,335	19,207	19,099	19,173	19,086	19,126	19,425
EMPLOYMENT	18,558	18,622	18,584	18,516	18,567	18,641	18,544	18,203	18,123	18,262	18,369	18,333	18,638
UNEMPLOYMENT	896	972	954	818	811	815	791	1,004	976	911	717	793	787
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	4.6	5.0	4.9	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.1	5.2	5.1	4.8	3.8	4.1	4.1
EAST GREENWICH	Jun-15	Jul-15	Aug-15	Sep-15	Oct-15	Nov-15	Dec-15	Jan-16	Feb-16	Mar-16	Apr-16	May-16	Jun-16
LABOR FORCE	6,921	6,952	6,916	6,853	6,858	6,880	6,850	6,771	6,771	6,794	6,783	6,793	6,907
EMPLOYMENT	6,576	6,590	6,565	6,537	6,551	6,564	6,555	6,413	6,414	6,441	6,503	6,484	6,604
UNEMPLOYMENT	345	362	351	316	307	316	295	358	357	353	280	309	303
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	5.0	5.2	5.1	4.6	4.5	4.6	4.3	5.3	5.3	5.2	4.1	4.5	4.4
EAST PROVIDENCE	Jun-15	Jul-15	Aug-15	Sep-15	Oct-15	Nov-15	Dec-15	Jan-16	Feb-16	Mar-16	Apr-16	May-16	Jun-16
LABOR FORCE	24,384	24,551	24,448	24,222	24,262	24,370	24,241	24,086	24,050	24,116	24,015	24,016	24,358
EMPLOYMENT	22,941	23,005	22,940	22,875	22,917	23,001	22,908	22,481	22,415	22,585	22,729	22,664	23,045
UNEMPLOYMENT	1,443	1,546	1,508	1,347	1,345	1,369	1,333	1,605	1,635	1,531	1,286	1,352	1,313
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	5.9	6.3	6.2	5.6	5.5	5.6	5.5	6.7	6.8	6.3	5.4	5.6	5.4
EXETER	Jun-15	Jul-15	Aug-15	Sep-15	Oct-15	Nov-15	Dec-15	Jan-16	Feb-16	Mar-16	Apr-16	May-16	Jun-16
LABOR FORCE	3,961	3,975	3,941	3,896	3,897	3,915	3,918	3,874	3,885	3,894	3,873	3,869	3,945
EMPLOYMENT	3,763	3,767	3,747	3,736	3,739	3,744	3,747	3,663	3,673	3,687	3,728	3,711	3,781
UNEMPLOYMENT	198	208	194	160	158	171	171	211	212	207	145	158	164
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	5.0	5.2	4.9	4.1	4.1	4.4	4.4	5.4	5.5	5.3	3.7	4.1	4.2
FOSTER	Jun-15	Jul-15	Aug-15	Sep-15	Oct-15	Nov-15	Dec-15	Jan-16	Feb-16	Mar-16	Apr-16	May-16	Jun-16
LABOR FORCE	2,902	2,951	2,972	2,880	2,932	2,950	2,919	2,889	2,839	2,810	2,786	2,828	2,878
EMPLOYMENT	2,759	2,793	2,811	2,749	2,799	2,813	2,771	2,705	2,656	2,649	2,671	2,706	2,758
UNEMPLOYMENT	143	158	161	131	133	137	148	184	183	161	115	122	120
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	4.9	5.4	5.4	4.5	4.5	4.6	5.1	6.4	6.4	5.7	4.1	4.3	4.2

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GLOCESTER	Jun-15	Jul-15	Aug-15	Sep-15	Oct-15	Nov-15	Dec-15	Jan-16	Feb-16	Mar-16	Apr-16	May-16	Jun-16
LABOR FORCE	5,989	6,004	5,975	5,918	5,919	5,924	5,927	5,860	5,890	5,888	5,872	5,880	5,990
EMPLOYMENT	5,727	5,735	5,708	5,683	5,691	5,698	5,701	5,570	5,584	5,599	5,663	5,644	5,751
UNEMPLOYMENT	262	269	267	235	228	226	226	290	306	289	209	236	239
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	4.4	4.5	4.5	4.0	3.9	3.8	3.8	4.9	5.2	4.9	3.6	4.0	4.0
HOPKINTON	Jun-15	Jul-15	Aug-15	Sep-15	Oct-15	Nov-15	Dec-15	Jan-16	Feb-16	Mar-16	Apr-16	May-16	Jun-16
LABOR FORCE	4,826	4,863	4,843	4,712	4,694	4,705	4,722	4,655	4,696	4,636	4,656	4,654	4,740
EMPLOYMENT	4,555	4,554	4,536	4,470	4,459	4,465	4,481	4,369	4,418	4,383	4,460	4,436	4,526
UNEMPLOYMENT	271	309	307	242	235	240	241	286	278	253	196	218	214
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	5.6	6.4	6.3	5.1	5.0	5.1	5.1	6.1	5.9	5.5	4.2	4.7	4.5
JAMESTOWN	Jun-15	Jul-15	Aug-15	Sep-15	Oct-15	Nov-15	Dec-15	Jan-16	Feb-16	Mar-16	Apr-16	May-16	Jun-16
LABOR FORCE	3,257	3,268	3,250	3,210	3,220	3,226	3,236	3,170	3,179	3,160	3,180	3,185	3,251
EMPLOYMENT	3,134	3,141	3,126	3,096	3,110	3,106	3,115	3,028	3,041	3,030	3,079	3,077	3,144
UNEMPLOYMENT	123	127	124	114	110	120	121	142	138	130	101	108	107
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	3.8	3.9	3.8	3.6	3.4	3.7	3.7	4.5	4.3	4.1	3.2	3.4	3.3
JOHNSTON	Jun-15	Jul-15	Aug-15	Sep-15	Oct-15	Nov-15	Dec-15	Jan-16	Feb-16	Mar-16	Apr-16	May-16	Jun-16
LABOR FORCE	15,733	15,832	15,722	15,566	15,566	15,636	15,573	15,489	15,494	15,545	15,495	15,449	15,689
EMPLOYMENT	14,790	14,814	14,755	14,736	14,741	14,788	14,752	14,474	14,463	14,574	14,676	14,613	14,862
UNEMPLOYMENT	943	1,018	967	830	825	848	821	1,015	1,031	971	819	836	827
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	6.0	6.4	6.2	5.3	5.3	5.4	5.3	6.6	6.7	6.2	5.3	5.4	5.3
LINCOLN	Jun-15	Jul-15	Aug-15	Sep-15	Oct-15	Nov-15	Dec-15	Jan-16	Feb-16	Mar-16	Apr-16	May-16	Jun-16
LABOR FORCE	12,321	12,399	12,348	12,193	12,195	12,224	12,194	12,064	12,073	12,102	12,106	12,114	12,307
EMPLOYMENT	11,725	11,741	11,689	11,661	11,670	11,696	11,686	11,446	11,454	11,519	11,622	11,573	11,780
UNEMPLOYMENT	596	658	659	532	525	528	508	618	619	583	484	541	527
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	4.8	5.3	5.3	4.4	4.3	4.3	4.2	5.1	5.1	4.8	4.0	4.5	4.3
LITTLE COMPTON	Jun-15	Jul-15	Aug-15	Sep-15	Oct-15	Nov-15	Dec-15	Jan-16	Feb-16	Mar-16	Apr-16	May-16	Jun-16
LABOR FORCE	1,912	1,914	1,892	1,864	1,873	1,860	1,880	1,842	1,866	1,842	1,862	1,864	1,903
EMPLOYMENT	1,833	1,833	1,819	1,798	1,804	1,796	1,814	1,752	1,775	1,757	1,798	1,793	1,839
UNEMPLOYMENT	79	81	73	66	69	64	66	90	91	85	64	71	64
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	4.1	4.2	3.9	3.5	3.7	3.4	3.5	4.9	4.9	4.6	3.4	3.8	3.4

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MIDDLETOWN	Jun-15	Jul-15	Aug-15	Sep-15	Oct-15	Nov-15	Dec-15	Jan-16	Feb-16	Mar-16	Apr-16	May-16	Jun-16
LABOR FORCE	8,019	8,066	8,037	7,940	7,968	8,013	7,984	7,938	7,916	7,918	7,892	7,910	8,024
EMPLOYMENT	7,645	7,669	7,647	7,602	7,629	7,646	7,626	7,460	7,449	7,477	7,549	7,536	7,676
UNEMPLOYMENT	374	397	390	338	339	367	358	478	467	441	343	374	348
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	4.7	4.9	4.9	4.3	4.3	4.6	4.5	6.0	5.9	5.6	4.3	4.7	4.3
NARRAGANSETT	Jun-15	Jul-15	Aug-15	Sep-15	Oct-15	Nov-15	Dec-15	Jan-16	Feb-16	Mar-16	Apr-16	May-16	Jun-16
LABOR FORCE	9,245	9,305	9,297	9,159	9,257	9,309	9,229	9,089	9,007	8,988	8,993	9,080	9,234
EMPLOYMENT	8,888	8,955	8,964	8,839	8,933	8,958	8,891	8,680	8,607	8,602	8,691	8,738	8,904
UNEMPLOYMENT	357	350	333	320	324	351	338	409	400	386	302	342	330
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	3.9	3.8	3.6	3.5	3.5	3.8	3.7	4.5	4.4	4.3	3.4	3.8	3.6
NEW SHOREHAM	Jun-15	Jul-15	Aug-15	Sep-15	Oct-15	Nov-15	Dec-15	Jan-16	Feb-16	Mar-16	Apr-16	May-16	Jun-16
LABOR FORCE	1,079	1,367	1,373	1,065	766	591	593	543	537	528	552	677	1,037
EMPLOYMENT	1,004	1,297	1,310	1,011	698	492	480	408	403	392	442	588	975
UNEMPLOYMENT	75	70	63	54	68	99	113	135	134	136	110	89	62
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	7.0	5.1	4.6	5.1	8.9	16.8	19.1	24.9	25.0	25.8	19.9	13.1	6.0
NEWPORT	Jun-15	Jul-15	Aug-15	Sep-15	Oct-15	Nov-15	Dec-15	Jan-16	Feb-16	Mar-16	Apr-16	May-16	Jun-16
LABOR FORCE	13,487	13,504	13,405	13,293	13,322	13,418	13,428	13,365	13,358	13,338	13,299	13,285	13,496
EMPLOYMENT	12,864	12,878	12,814	12,767	12,782	12,796	12,806	12,515	12,548	12,589	12,731	12,679	12,922
UNEMPLOYMENT	623	626	591	526	540	622	622	850	810	749	568	606	574
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	4.6	4.6	4.4	4.0	4.1	4.6	4.6	6.4	6.1	5.6	4.3	4.6	4.3
NORTH KINGSTOWN	Jun-15	Jul-15	Aug-15	Sep-15	Oct-15	Nov-15	Dec-15	Jan-16	Feb-16	Mar-16	Apr-16	May-16	Jun-16
LABOR FORCE	14,828	14,906	14,870	14,664	14,772	14,822	14,748	14,575	14,497	14,478	14,468	14,543	14,785
EMPLOYMENT	14,150	14,225	14,212	14,072	14,172	14,208	14,137	13,817	13,745	13,770	13,906	13,931	14,191
UNEMPLOYMENT	678	681	658	592	600	614	611	758	752	708	562	612	594
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	4.6	4.6	4.4	4.0	4.1	4.1	4.1	5.2	5.2	4.9	3.9	4.2	4.0
NORTH PROVIDENCE	Jun-15	Jul-15	Aug-15	Sep-15	Oct-15	Nov-15	Dec-15	Jan-16	Feb-16	Mar-16	Apr-16	May-16	Jun-16
LABOR FORCE	18,119	18,237	18,116	17,922	17,958	18,000	17,930	17,752	17,719	17,776	17,763	17,776	18,045
EMPLOYMENT	17,034	17,061	16,992	16,966	16,974	17,025	16,988	16,664	16,655	16,778	16,901	16,828	17,116
UNEMPLOYMENT	1,085	1,176	1,124	956	984	975	942	1,088	1,064	998	862	948	929
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	6.0	6.4	6.2	5.3	5.5	5.4	5.3	6.1	6.0	5.6	4.9	5.3	5.1

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NORTH SMITHFIELD													
LABOR FORCE	6,817	6,856	6,827	6,765	6,776	6,790	6,776	6,715	6,712	6,724	6,726	6,725	6,826
EMPLOYMENT	6,497	6,508	6,480	6,462	6,468	6,484	6,476	6,343	6,344	6,380	6,436	6,411	6,527
UNEMPLOYMENT	320	348	347	303	308	306	300	372	368	344	290	314	299
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	4.7	5.1	5.1	4.5	4.5	4.5	4.4	5.5	5.5	5.1	4.3	4.7	4.4
PAWTUCKET													
LABOR FORCE	36,577	36,746	36,567	36,251	36,228	36,386	36,221	36,020	35,869	36,030	35,931	35,923	36,423
EMPLOYMENT	34,164	34,228	34,106	34,056	34,077	34,195	34,092	33,462	33,412	33,682	33,902	33,764	34,329
UNEMPLOYMENT	2,413	2,518	2,461	2,195	2,151	2,191	2,129	2,558	2,457	2,348	2,029	2,159	2,094
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	6.6	6.9	6.7	6.1	5.9	6.0	5.9	7.1	6.8	6.5	5.6	6.0	5.7
PORTSMOUTH													
LABOR FORCE	8,917	8,936	8,888	8,783	8,805	8,837	8,848	8,749	8,759	8,749	8,736	8,738	8,905
EMPLOYMENT	8,465	8,480	8,443	8,395	8,417	8,424	8,428	8,227	8,243	8,257	8,357	8,335	8,498
UNEMPLOYMENT	452	456	445	388	388	413	420	522	516	492	379	403	407
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	5.1	5.1	5.0	4.4	4.4	4.7	4.7	6.0	5.9	5.6	4.3	4.6	4.6
PROVIDENCE													
LABOR FORCE	87,391	87,835	87,259	86,307	86,317	86,634	86,365	85,889	85,669	86,092	85,526	85,822	87,269
EMPLOYMENT	81,220	81,386	81,087	80,855	80,967	81,192	81,010	79,392	79,325	79,820	80,462	80,182	81,589
UNEMPLOYMENT	6,171	6,449	6,172	5,452	5,350	5,442	5,355	6,497	6,344	6,272	5,064	5,640	5,680
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	7.1	7.3	7.1	6.3	6.2	6.3	6.2	7.6	7.4	7.3	5.9	6.6	6.5
RICHMOND													
LABOR FORCE	4,311	4,373	4,403	4,280	4,358	4,388	4,322	4,259	4,194	4,169	4,158	4,226	4,295
EMPLOYMENT	4,168	4,225	4,252	4,155	4,234	4,252	4,190	4,088	4,014	4,001	4,036	4,090	4,168
UNEMPLOYMENT	143	148	151	125	124	136	132	171	180	168	122	136	127
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	3.3	3.4	3.4	2.9	2.8	3.1	3.1	4.0	4.3	4.0	2.9	3.2	3.0
SCITUATE													
LABOR FORCE	6,177	6,226	6,195	6,101	6,129	6,174	6,129	6,077	6,065	6,083	6,046	6,057	6,151
EMPLOYMENT	5,842	5,865	5,852	5,822	5,843	5,864	5,836	5,721	5,697	5,732	5,773	5,765	5,866
UNEMPLOYMENT	335	361	343	279	286	310	293	356	368	351	273	292	285
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	5.4	5.8	5.5	4.6	4.7	5.0	4.8	5.9	6.1	5.8	4.5	4.8	4.6



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SMITHFIELD	Jun-15	Jul-15	Aug-15	Sep-15	Oct-15	Nov-15	Dec-15	Jan-16	Feb-16	Mar-16	Apr-16	May-16	Jun-16
LABOR FORCE	11,373	11,437	11,386	11,250	11,266	11,340	11,257	11,187	11,124	11,201	11,111	11,163	11,345
EMPLOYMENT	10,758	10,799	10,778	10,735	10,768	10,811	10,753	10,554	10,503	10,582	10,645	10,627	10,805
UNEMPLOYMENT	615	638	608	515	498	529	504	633	621	619	466	536	540
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	5.4	5.6	5.3	4.6	4.4	4.7	4.5	5.7	5.6	5.5	4.2	4.8	4.8
SOUTH KINGSTOWN	Jun-15	Jul-15	Aug-15	Sep-15	Oct-15	Nov-15	Dec-15	Jan-16	Feb-16	Mar-16	Apr-16	May-16	Jun-16
LABOR FORCE	16,780	16,871	16,760	16,483	16,521	16,633	16,535	16,368	16,316	16,393	16,254	16,394	16,742
EMPLOYMENT	15,826	15,906	15,887	15,736	15,841	15,880	15,807	15,446	15,378	15,405	15,560	15,581	15,874
UNEMPLOYMENT	954	965	873	747	680	753	728	922	938	988	694	813	868
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	5.7	5.7	5.2	4.5	4.1	4.5	4.4	5.6	5.7	6.0	4.3	5.0	5.2
TIVERTON	Jun-15	Jul-15	Aug-15	Sep-15	Oct-15	Nov-15	Dec-15	Jan-16	Feb-16	Mar-16	Apr-16	May-16	Jun-16
LABOR FORCE	8,820	8,900	8,878	8,716	8,790	8,828	8,769	8,691	8,655	8,634	8,621	8,665	8,811
EMPLOYMENT	8,368	8,412	8,402	8,312	8,373	8,391	8,355	8,155	8,121	8,124	8,215	8,231	8,392
UNEMPLOYMENT	452	488	476	404	417	437	414	536	534	510	406	434	419
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	5.1	5.5	5.4	4.6	4.7	5.0	4.7	6.2	6.2	5.9	4.7	5.0	4.8
WARREN	Jun-15	Jul-15	Aug-15	Sep-15	Oct-15	Nov-15	Dec-15	Jan-16	Feb-16	Mar-16	Apr-16	May-16	Jun-16
LABOR FORCE	5,774	5,820	5,811	5,697	5,744	5,756	5,735	5,662	5,646	5,608	5,614	5,641	5,745
EMPLOYMENT	5,456	5,482	5,473	5,409	5,451	5,456	5,442	5,301	5,288	5,280	5,349	5,361	5,470
UNEMPLOYMENT	318	338	338	288	293	300	293	361	358	328	265	280	275
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	5.5	5.8	5.8	5.1	5.1	5.2	5.1	6.4	6.3	5.8	4.7	5.0	4.8
WARWICK	Jun-15	Jul-15	Aug-15	Sep-15	Oct-15	Nov-15	Dec-15	Jan-16	Feb-16	Mar-16	Apr-16	May-16	Jun-16
LABOR FORCE	46,465	46,642	46,451	46,050	46,117	46,297	46,062	45,613	45,512	45,700	45,618	45,648	46,343
EMPLOYMENT	44,142	44,232	44,072	43,971	44,019	44,155	44,039	43,187	43,136	43,436	43,759	43,596	44,347
UNEMPLOYMENT	2,323	2,410	2,379	2,079	2,098	2,142	2,023	2,426	2,376	2,264	1,859	2,052	1,996
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	5.0	5.2	5.1	4.5	4.5	4.6	4.4	5.3	5.2	5.0	4.1	4.5	4.3
WEST GREENWICH	Jun-15	Jul-15	Aug-15	Sep-15	Oct-15	Nov-15	Dec-15	Jan-16	Feb-16	Mar-16	Apr-16	May-16	Jun-16
LABOR FORCE	3,215	3,232	3,212	3,176	3,175	3,185	3,186	3,148	3,158	3,159	3,152	3,153	3,208
EMPLOYMENT	3,048	3,052	3,037	3,026	3,029	3,032	3,035	2,967	2,975	2,986	3,019	3,006	3,063
UNEMPLOYMENT	167	180	175	150	146	153	151	181	183	173	133	147	145
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	5.2	5.6	5.4	4.7	4.6	4.8	4.7	5.7	5.8	5.5	4.2	4.7	4.5

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LABOR FORCE	16,244	16,337	16,253	16,093	16,113	16,158	16,119	16,034	16,034	16,065	15,982	15,947	16,178
EMPLOYMENT	15,293	15,320	15,262	15,234	15,245	15,292	15,255	14,963	14,950	15,059	15,169	15,108	15,366
UNEMPLOYMENT	951	1,017	991	859	868	866	864	1,071	1,084	1,006	813	839	812
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	5.9	6.2	6.1	5.3	5.4	5.4	5.4	6.7	6.8	6.3	5.1	5.3	5.0
WESTERLY	Jun-15	Jul-15	Aug-15	Sep-15	Oct-15	Nov-15	Dec-15	Jan-16	Feb-16	Mar-16	Apr-16	May-16	Jun-16
LABOR FORCE	11,558	11,598	11,552	11,317	11,308	11,390	11,364	11,291	11,304	11,263	11,216	11,178	11,348
EMPLOYMENT	10,752	10,776	10,771	10,627	10,602	10,661	10,622	10,424	10,456	10,439	10,542	10,501	10,677
UNEMPLOYMENT	806	822	781	690	706	729	742	867	848	824	674	677	671
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	7.0	7.1	6.8	6.1	6.2	6.4	6.5	7.7	7.5	7.3	6.0	6.1	5.9
WOONSOCKET	Jun-15	Jul-15	Aug-15	Sep-15	Oct-15	Nov-15	Dec-15	Jan-16	Feb-16	Mar-16	Apr-16	May-16	Jun-16
LABOR FORCE	19,140	19,272	19,204	18,928	19,005	19,072	18,965	18,912	18,798	18,837	18,769	18,818	19,098
EMPLOYMENT	17,707	17,766	17,727	17,653	17,705	17,769	17,687	17,349	17,283	17,400	17,516	17,484	17,782
UNEMPLOYMENT	1,433	1,506	1,477	1,275	1,300	1,303	1,278	1,563	1,515	1,437	1,253	1,334	1,316
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	7.5	7.8	7.7	6.7	6.8	6.8	6.7	8.3	8.1	7.6	6.7	7.1	6.9
BRISTOL COUNTY	Jun-15	Jul-15	Aug-15	Sep-15	Oct-15	Nov-15	Dec-15	Jan-16	Feb-16	Mar-16	Apr-16	May-16	Jun-16
LABOR FORCE	26,485	26,625	26,516	26,147	26,270	26,336	26,244	25,916	25,887	25,864	25,853	25,951	26,440
EMPLOYMENT	25,189	25,281	25,216	25,010	25,137	25,180	25,121	24,528	24,488	24,524	24,798	24,793	25,273
UNEMPLOYMENT	1,296	1,344	1,300	1,137	1,133	1,156	1,123	1,388	1,399	1,340	1,055	1,158	1,167
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	4.9	5.0	4.9	4.3	4.3	4.4	4.3	5.4	5.4	5.2	4.1	4.5	4.4
KENT COUNTY	Jun-15	Jul-15	Aug-15	Sep-15	Oct-15	Nov-15	Dec-15	Jan-16	Feb-16	Mar-16	Apr-16	May-16	Jun-16
LABOR FORCE	91,767	92,227	91,827	90,938	91,071	91,390	90,992	90,231	90,102	90,394	90,121	90,137	91,540
EMPLOYMENT	86,964	87,153	86,851	86,623	86,739	87,004	86,767	85,078	84,963	85,538	86,180	85,879	87,365
UNEMPLOYMENT	4,803	5,074	4,976	4,315	4,332	4,386	4,225	5,153	5,139	4,856	3,941	4,258	4,175
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	5.2	5.5	5.4	4.7	4.8	4.8	4.6	5.7	5.7	5.4	4.4	4.7	4.6

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LABOR FORCE	44,412	44,588	44,350	43,806	43,978	44,182	44,145	43,755	43,733	43,641	43,590	43,647	44,390
EMPLOYMENT	42,309	42,413	42,251	41,970	42,115	42,159	42,144	41,137	41,177	41,234	41,729	41,651	42,471
UNEMPLOYMENT	2,103	2,175	2,099	1,836	1,863	2,023	2,001	2,618	2,556	2,407	1,861	1,996	1,919
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	4.7	4.9	4.7	4.2	4.2	4.6	4.5	6.0	5.8	5.5	4.3	4.6	4.3
PROVIDENCE COUNTY	Jun-15	Jul-15	Aug-15	Sep-15	Oct-15	Nov-15	Dec-15	Jan-16	Feb-16	Mar-16	Apr-16	May-16	Jun-16
LABOR FORCE	325,719	327,578	325,971	322,361	322,772	324,001	322,623	320,425	319,556	320,678	319,372	319,901	324,944
EMPLOYMENT	305,527	306,256	305,247	304,315	304,834	305,775	304,869	298,898	298,390	300,351	302,611	301,672	306,899
UNEMPLOYMENT	20,192	21,322	20,724	18,046	17,938	18,226	17,754	21,527	21,166	20,327	16,761	18,229	18,045
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	6.2	6.5	6.4	5.6	5.6	5.6	5.5	6.7	6.6	6.3	5.2	5.7	5.6
WASHINGTON COUNTY	Jun-15	Jul-15	Aug-15	Sep-15	Oct-15	Nov-15	Dec-15	Jan-16	Feb-16	Mar-16	Apr-16	May-16	Jun-16
LABOR FORCE	70,719	71,411	71,156	69,636	69,647	69,849	69,518	68,712	68,516	68,416	68,224	68,659	70,226
EMPLOYMENT	66,992	67,597	67,551	66,500	66,539	66,524	66,223	64,671	64,479	64,471	65,205	65,403	66,998
UNEMPLOYMENT	3,727	3,814	3,605	3,136	3,108	3,325	3,295	4,041	4,037	3,945	3,019	3,256	3,228
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	5.3	5.3	5.1	4.5	4.5	4.8	4.7	5.9	5.9	5.8	4.4	4.7	4.6
PROVIDENCE-CRANSTON WIA	Jun-15	Jul-15	Aug-15	Sep-15	Oct-15	Nov-15	Dec-15	Jan-16	Feb-16	Mar-16	Apr-16	May-16	Jun-16
LABOR FORCE	129,125	129,709	128,951	127,577	127,680	128,112	127,673	126,743	126,515	127,053	126,447	126,771	128,886
EMPLOYMENT	120,544	120,778	120,316	119,962	120,124	120,436	120,206	117,768	117,714	118,409	119,405	118,983	121,090
UNEMPLOYMENT	8,581	8,931	8,635	7,615	7,556	7,676	7,467	8,975	8,801	8,644	7,042	7,788	7,796
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	6.6	6.9	6.7	6.0	5.9	6.0	5.8	7.1	7.0	6.8	5.6	6.1	6.0
GREATER RHODE ISLAND WIA	Jun-15	Jul-15	Aug-15	Sep-15	Oct-15	Nov-15	Dec-15	Jan-16	Feb-16	Mar-16	Apr-16	May-16	Jun-16
LABOR FORCE	429,977	432,720	430,869	425,311	426,058	427,646	425,849	422,296	421,279	421,940	420,713	421,524	428,654
EMPLOYMENT	406,437	407,922	406,800	404,456	405,240	406,206	404,918	396,544	395,783	397,709	401,118	400,415	407,916
UNEMPLOYMENT	23,540	24,798	24,069	20,855	20,818	21,440	20,931	25,752	25,496	24,231	19,595	21,109	20,738
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	5.5	5.7	5.6	4.9	4.9	5.0	4.9	6.1	6.1	5.7	4.7	5.0	4.8