

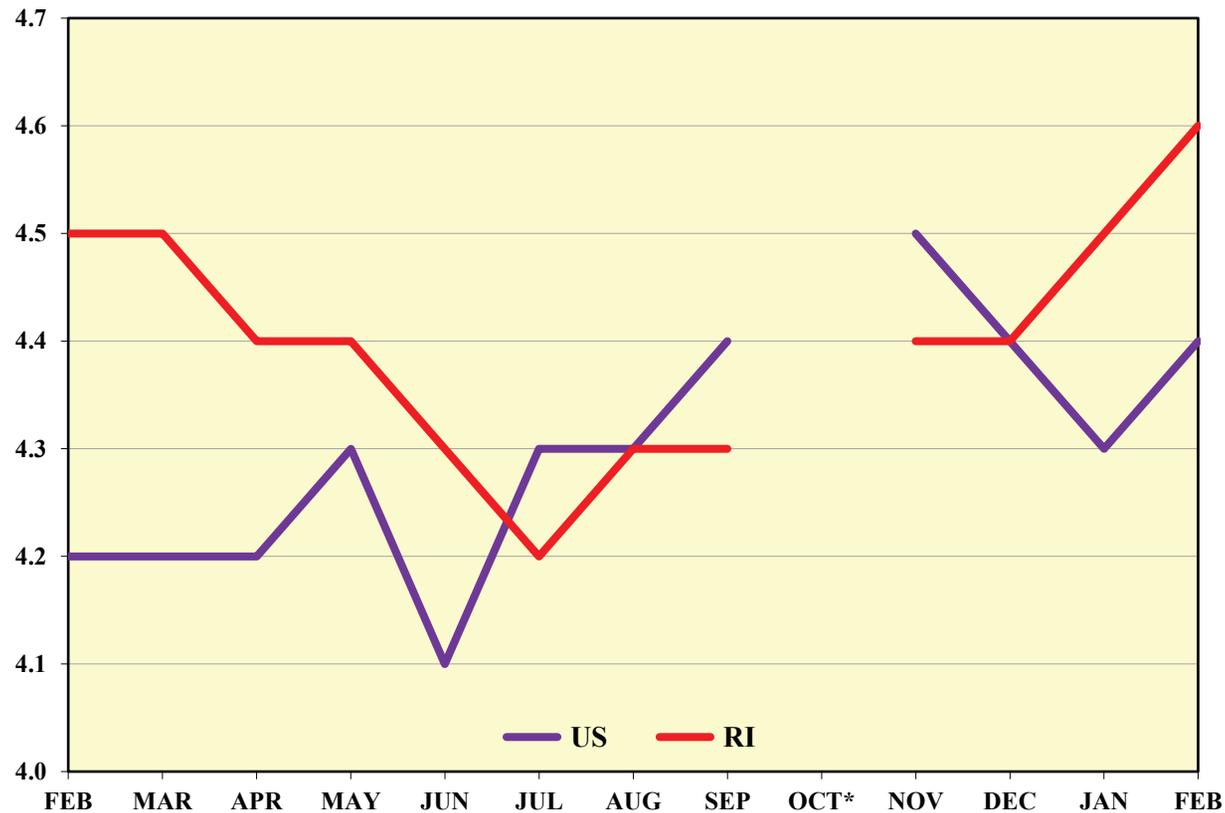
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# Local Area

LABOR MARKET INFORMATION

# Unemployment Statistics

February 2025 - February 2026



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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 Metropolitan Statistical Area (MSA), Providence-Warwick, RI-MA MSA, is comprised of the entire state of Rhode Island and Bristol County, Massachusetts. The general concept of the MSA 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.

All information found in the Local Area Unemployment Statistics report can also be found on the Labor Market Information Unit's web site at <https://dlt.ri.gov/labor-market-information/data-center/unemployment-ratelabor-force-statistics-laus> or call (401) 462-8740.

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	Feb-25	Mar-25	Apr-25	May-25	Jun-25	Jul-25	Aug-25	Sep-25	Oct-25*	Nov-25	Dec-25	Jan-26	Feb-26
<b>RHODE ISLAND</b>													
LABOR FORCE	593,096	592,171	591,598	593,181	597,053	598,218	594,162	597,667		589,801	585,521	588,209	580,436
EMPLOYMENT	560,097	564,425	567,881	568,564	572,936	572,034	567,032	575,330		562,156	559,404	556,563	546,922
UNEMPLOYMENT	32,999	27,746	23,717	24,617	24,117	26,184	27,130	22,337		27,645	26,117	31,646	33,514
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	5.6	4.7	4.0	4.1	4.0	4.4	4.6	3.7		4.7	4.5	5.4	5.8
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED RATE	4.5	4.5	4.4	4.4	4.3	4.2	4.3	4.3		4.4	4.4	4.5	4.6
<b>PROVIDENCE-WARWICK, RI-MA MSA</b>													
	Feb-25	Mar-25	Apr-25	May-25	Jun-25	Jul-25	Aug-25	Sep-25	Oct-25*	Nov-25	Dec-25	Jan-26	Feb-26
LABOR FORCE	910,039	909,012	908,545	910,173	915,812	917,141	913,668	913,142		904,376	899,853	901,492	893,367
EMPLOYMENT	858,467	864,093	870,099	870,491	876,328	874,282	870,236	876,089		861,068	857,657	850,289	840,385
UNEMPLOYMENT	51,572	44,919	38,446	39,682	39,484	42,859	43,432	37,053		43,308	42,196	51,203	52,982
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	5.7	4.9	4.2	4.4	4.3	4.7	4.8	4.1		4.8	4.7	5.7	5.9
<b>PROVIDENCE-WARWICK, RI-MA MSA, RI PORTION</b>													
	Feb-25	Mar-25	Apr-25	May-25	Jun-25	Jul-25	Aug-25	Sep-25	Oct-25*	Nov-25	Dec-25	Jan-26	Feb-26
LABOR FORCE	593,094	592,171	591,600	593,181	597,054	598,219	594,161	597,668		589,800	585,521	588,208	580,435
EMPLOYMENT	560,096	564,425	567,882	568,565	572,936	572,034	567,032	575,330		562,155	559,404	556,562	546,922
UNEMPLOYMENT	32,998	27,746	23,718	24,616	24,118	26,185	27,129	22,338		27,645	26,117	31,646	33,513
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	5.6	4.7	4.0	4.1	4.0	4.4	4.6	3.7		4.7	4.5	5.4	5.8
<b>PROVIDENCE-WARWICK, RI-MA MSA, MA PORTION</b>													
	Feb-25	Mar-25	Apr-25	May-25	Jun-25	Jul-25	Aug-25	Sep-25	Oct-25*	Nov-25	Dec-25	Jan-26	Feb-26
LABOR FORCE	316,945	316,841	316,945	316,992	318,758	318,922	319,507	315,474		314,576	314,332	313,284	312,932
EMPLOYMENT	298,371	299,668	302,217	301,926	303,392	302,248	303,204	300,759		298,913	298,253	293,727	293,463
UNEMPLOYMENT	18,574	17,173	14,728	15,066	15,366	16,674	16,303	14,715		15,663	16,079	19,557	19,469
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	5.9	5.4	4.6	4.8	4.8	5.2	5.1	4.7		5.0	5.1	6.2	6.2

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BARRINGTON	Feb-25	Mar-25	Apr-25	May-25	Jun-25	Jul-25	Aug-25	Sep-25	Oct-25*	Nov-25	Dec-25	Jan-26	Feb-26
LABOR FORCE	8,731	8,728	8,769	8,832	8,879	8,892	8,804	8,878		8,705	8,643	8,665	8,535
EMPLOYMENT	8,412	8,472	8,532	8,565	8,628	8,626	8,540	8,638		8,416	8,396	8,372	8,211
UNEMPLOYMENT	319	256	237	267	251	266	264	240		289	247	293	324
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	3.7	2.9	2.7	3.0	2.8	3.0	3.0	2.7		3.3	2.9	3.4	3.8
BRISTOL	Feb-25	Mar-25	Apr-25	May-25	Jun-25	Jul-25	Aug-25	Sep-25	Oct-25*	Nov-25	Dec-25	Jan-26	Feb-26
LABOR FORCE	11,606	11,555	11,554	11,608	11,688	11,705	11,598	11,636		11,462	11,384	11,491	11,349
EMPLOYMENT	11,002	11,080	11,158	11,202	11,284	11,281	11,169	11,297		11,007	10,981	10,950	10,738
UNEMPLOYMENT	604	475	396	406	404	424	429	339		455	403	541	611
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	5.2	4.1	3.4	3.5	3.5	3.6	3.7	2.9		4.0	3.5	4.7	5.4
BURRILLVILLE	Feb-25	Mar-25	Apr-25	May-25	Jun-25	Jul-25	Aug-25	Sep-25	Oct-25*	Nov-25	Dec-25	Jan-26	Feb-26
LABOR FORCE	9,617	9,589	9,523	9,514	9,550	9,598	9,553	9,559		Nov-25	Nov-25	Jan-26	Oct-25
EMPLOYMENT	9,038	9,101	9,155	9,168	9,238	9,229	9,142	9,281		9,089	9,034	8,977	8,825
UNEMPLOYMENT	579	488	368	346	312	369	411	278		371	420	549	589
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	6.0	5.1	3.9	3.6	3.3	3.8	4.3	2.9		3.9	4.4	5.8	6.3
CENTRAL FALLS	Feb-25	Mar-25	Apr-25	May-25	Jun-25	Jul-25	Aug-25	Sep-25	Oct-25*	Nov-25	Dec-25	Jan-26	Feb-26
LABOR FORCE	10,252	10,220	10,191	10,265	10,341	10,388	10,325	10,376		10,252	10,171	10,187	10,055
EMPLOYMENT	9,614	9,681	9,739	9,752	9,827	9,817	9,725	9,873		9,668	9,610	9,549	9,388
UNEMPLOYMENT	638	539	452	513	514	571	600	503		584	561	638	667
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	6.2	5.3	4.4	5.0	5.0	5.5	5.8	4.8		5.7	5.5	6.3	6.6
CHARLESTOWN	Feb-25	Mar-25	Apr-25	May-25	Jun-25	Jul-25	Aug-25	Sep-25	Oct-25*	Nov-25	Dec-25	Jan-26	Feb-26
LABOR FORCE	4,494	4,508	4,474	4,451	4,492	4,494	4,475	4,459		4,401	4,385	4,446	4,394
EMPLOYMENT	4,208	4,252	4,278	4,279	4,311	4,296	4,268	4,326		4,199	4,192	4,186	4,109
UNEMPLOYMENT	286	256	196	172	181	198	207	133		202	193	260	285
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	6.4	5.7	4.4	3.9	4.0	4.4	4.6	3.0		4.6	4.4	5.8	6.5
COVENTRY	Feb-25	Mar-25	Apr-25	May-25	Jun-25	Jul-25	Aug-25	Sep-25	Oct-25*	Nov-25	Dec-25	Jan-26	Feb-26
LABOR FORCE	20,277	20,233	20,179	20,225	20,350	20,422	20,295	20,432		20,181	20,045	20,145	19,879
EMPLOYMENT	19,260	19,400	19,515	19,536	19,687	19,661	19,483	19,781		19,361	19,247	19,130	18,807
UNEMPLOYMENT	1,017	833	664	689	663	761	812	651		820	798	1,015	1,072
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	5.0	4.1	3.3	3.4	3.3	3.7	4.0	3.2		4.1	4.0	5.0	5.4

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CRANSTON	Feb-25	Mar-25	Apr-25	May-25	Jun-25	Jul-25	Aug-25	Sep-25	Oct-25*	Nov-25	Dec-25	Jan-26	Feb-26
LABOR FORCE	44,837	44,771	44,718	44,775	45,095	45,207	44,906	45,255		44,645	44,185	44,319	43,720
EMPLOYMENT	42,347	42,643	42,898	42,955	43,287	43,241	42,836	43,489		42,586	42,327	42,061	41,351
UNEMPLOYMENT	2,490	2,128	1,820	1,820	1,808	1,966	2,070	1,766		2,059	1,858	2,258	2,369
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	5.6	4.8	4.1	4.1	4.0	4.3	4.6	3.9		4.6	4.2	5.1	5.4
CUMBERLAND	Feb-25	Mar-25	Apr-25	May-25	Jun-25	Jul-25	Aug-25	Sep-25	Oct-25*	Nov-25	Dec-25	Jan-26	Feb-26
LABOR FORCE	21,592	21,554	21,581	21,665	21,813	21,869	21,707	21,853		21,575	21,359	21,432	21,154
EMPLOYMENT	20,641	20,785	20,909	20,937	21,099	21,076	20,879	21,197		20,757	20,631	20,501	20,155
UNEMPLOYMENT	951	769	672	728	714	793	828	656		818	728	931	999
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	4.4	3.6	3.1	3.4	3.3	3.6	3.8	3.0		3.8	3.4	4.3	4.7
EAST GREENWICH	Feb-25	Mar-25	Apr-25	May-25	Jun-25	Jul-25	Aug-25	Sep-25	Oct-25*	Nov-25	Dec-25	Jan-26	Feb-26
LABOR FORCE	7,648	7,645	7,659	7,681	7,749	7,733	7,656	7,750		7,621	7,544	7,537	7,441
EMPLOYMENT	7,282	7,335	7,379	7,387	7,444	7,434	7,367	7,479		7,321	7,278	7,233	7,111
UNEMPLOYMENT	366	310	280	294	305	299	289	271		300	266	304	330
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	4.8	4.1	3.7	3.8	3.9	3.9	3.8	3.5		3.9	3.5	4.0	4.4
EAST PROVIDENCE	Feb-25	Mar-25	Apr-25	May-25	Jun-25	Jul-25	Aug-25	Sep-25	Oct-25*	Nov-25	Dec-25	Jan-26	Feb-26
LABOR FORCE	25,913	25,834	25,823	25,832	26,064	26,179	25,917	26,027		25,778	25,589	25,623	25,288
EMPLOYMENT	24,435	24,606	24,753	24,786	24,977	24,951	24,718	25,094		24,573	24,424	24,270	23,860
UNEMPLOYMENT	1,478	1,228	1,070	1,046	1,087	1,228	1,199	933		1,205	1,165	1,353	1,428
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	5.7	4.8	4.1	4.0	4.2	4.7	4.6	3.6		4.7	4.6	5.3	5.6
EXETER	Feb-25	Mar-25	Apr-25	May-25	Jun-25	Jul-25	Aug-25	Sep-25	Oct-25*	Nov-25	Dec-25	Jan-26	Feb-26
LABOR FORCE	3,577	3,557	3,537	3,541	3,560	3,565	3,555	3,560		3,497	3,486	3,535	3,491
EMPLOYMENT	3,369	3,404	3,426	3,426	3,452	3,440	3,418	3,464		3,363	3,357	3,352	3,291
UNEMPLOYMENT	208	153	111	115	108	125	137	96		134	129	183	200
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	5.8	4.3	3.1	3.2	3.0	3.5	3.9	2.7		3.8	3.7	5.2	5.7
FOSTER	Feb-25	Mar-25	Apr-25	May-25	Jun-25	Jul-25	Aug-25	Sep-25	Oct-25*	Nov-25	Dec-25	Jan-26	Feb-26
LABOR FORCE	2,764	2,741	2,731	2,729	2,753	2,761	2,735	2,754		2,738	2,731	2,739	2,722
EMPLOYMENT	2,599	2,617	2,633	2,636	2,657	2,654	2,629	2,669		2,614	2,598	2,581	2,538
UNEMPLOYMENT	165	124	98	93	96	107	106	85		124	133	158	184
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	6.0	4.5	3.6	3.4	3.5	3.9	3.9	3.1		4.5	4.9	5.8	6.8

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GLOCESTER	Feb-25	Mar-25	Apr-25	May-25	Jun-25	Jul-25	Aug-25	Sep-25	Oct-25*	Nov-25	Dec-25	Jan-26	Feb-26
LABOR FORCE	5,737	5,722	5,730	5,738	5,775	5,781	5,736	5,765		5,713	5,693	5,705	5,650
EMPLOYMENT	5,469	5,507	5,540	5,547	5,590	5,584	5,532	5,616		5,499	5,466	5,432	5,340
UNEMPLOYMENT	268	215	190	191	185	197	204	149		214	227	273	310
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	4.7	3.8	3.3	3.3	3.2	3.4	3.6	2.6		3.7	4.0	4.8	5.5
HOPKINTON	Feb-25	Mar-25	Apr-25	May-25	Jun-25	Jul-25	Aug-25	Sep-25	Oct-25*	Nov-25	Dec-25	Jan-26	Feb-26
LABOR FORCE	4,868	4,863	4,853	4,859	4,882	4,894	4,879	4,881		4,763	4,766	4,822	4,769
EMPLOYMENT	4,637	4,685	4,715	4,715	4,751	4,734	4,704	4,767		4,627	4,620	4,613	4,529
UNEMPLOYMENT	231	178	138	144	131	160	175	114		136	146	209	240
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	4.7	3.7	2.8	3.0	2.7	3.3	3.6	2.3		2.9	3.1	4.3	5.0
JAMESTOWN	Feb-25	Mar-25	Apr-25	May-25	Jun-25	Jul-25	Aug-25	Sep-25	Oct-25*	Nov-25	Dec-25	Jan-26	Feb-26
LABOR FORCE	2,759	2,771	2,777	2,791	2,802	2,791	2,770	2,796		2,739	2,724	2,756	2,717
EMPLOYMENT	2,646	2,675	2,693	2,694	2,715	2,704	2,688	2,720		2,633	2,634	2,634	2,584
UNEMPLOYMENT	113	96	84	97	87	87	82	76		106	90	122	133
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	4.1	3.5	3.0	3.5	3.1	3.1	3.0	2.7		3.9	3.3	4.4	4.9
JOHNSTON	Feb-25	Mar-25	Apr-25	May-25	Jun-25	Jul-25	Aug-25	Sep-25	Oct-25*	Nov-25	Dec-25	Jan-26	Feb-26
LABOR FORCE	15,010	14,959	14,905	14,927	14,985	15,037	14,948	15,019		14,814	14,740	14,894	14,661
EMPLOYMENT	13,958	14,055	14,140	14,158	14,268	14,253	14,119	14,334		14,037	13,951	13,864	13,630
UNEMPLOYMENT	1,052	904	765	769	717	784	829	685		777	789	1,030	1,031
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	7.0	6.0	5.1	5.2	4.8	5.2	5.5	4.6		5.2	5.4	6.9	7.0
LINCOLN	Feb-25	Mar-25	Apr-25	May-25	Jun-25	Jul-25	Aug-25	Sep-25	Oct-25*	Nov-25	Dec-25	Jan-26	Feb-26
LABOR FORCE	12,622	12,610	12,633	12,667	12,745	12,784	12,684	12,750		12,668	12,559	12,570	12,367
EMPLOYMENT	12,013	12,097	12,169	12,185	12,279	12,266	12,152	12,337		12,080	12,007	11,931	11,730
UNEMPLOYMENT	609	513	464	482	466	518	532	413		588	552	639	637
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	4.8	4.1	3.7	3.8	3.7	4.1	4.2	3.2		4.6	4.4	5.1	5.2
LITTLE COMPTON	Feb-25	Mar-25	Apr-25	May-25	Jun-25	Jul-25	Aug-25	Sep-25	Oct-25*	Nov-25	Dec-25	Jan-26	Feb-26
LABOR FORCE	1,777	1,770	1,762	1,761	1,773	1,780	1,770	1,784		1,746	1,736	1,762	1,733
EMPLOYMENT	1,676	1,695	1,706	1,707	1,720	1,714	1,703	1,724		1,668	1,669	1,669	1,637
UNEMPLOYMENT	101	75	56	54	53	66	67	60		78	67	93	96
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	5.7	4.2	3.2	3.1	3.0	3.7	3.8	3.4		4.5	3.9	5.3	5.5

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MIDDLETOWN	Feb-25	Mar-25	Apr-25	May-25	Jun-25	Jul-25	Aug-25	Sep-25	Oct-25*	Nov-25	Dec-25	Jan-26	Feb-26
LABOR FORCE	8,041	8,031	8,007	8,027	8,073	8,049	8,004	8,044		7,898	7,895	7,979	7,828
EMPLOYMENT	7,582	7,665	7,717	7,722	7,781	7,751	7,703	7,797		7,546	7,548	7,550	7,404
UNEMPLOYMENT	459	366	290	305	292	298	301	247		352	347	429	424
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	5.7	4.6	3.6	3.8	3.6	3.7	3.8	3.1		4.5	4.4	5.4	5.4
NARRAGANSETT	Feb-25	Mar-25	Apr-25	May-25	Jun-25	Jul-25	Aug-25	Sep-25	Oct-25*	Nov-25	Dec-25	Jan-26	Feb-26
LABOR FORCE	7,276	7,310	7,309	7,337	7,388	7,342	7,292	7,370		7,260	7,213	7,271	7,145
EMPLOYMENT	6,997	7,070	7,115	7,115	7,169	7,143	7,098	7,194		6,983	6,972	6,960	6,834
UNEMPLOYMENT	279	240	194	222	219	199	194	176		277	241	311	311
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	3.8	3.3	2.7	3.0	3.0	2.7	2.7	2.4		3.8	3.3	4.3	4.4
NEW SHOREHAM	Feb-25	Mar-25	Apr-25	May-25	Jun-25	Jul-25	Aug-25	Sep-25	Oct-25*	Nov-25	Dec-25	Jan-26	Feb-26
LABOR FORCE	761	770	769	713	693	679	673	686		727	752	753	727
EMPLOYMENT	649	655	660	660	665	662	658	667		647	646	645	634
UNEMPLOYMENT	112	115	109	53	28	17	15	19		80	106	108	93
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	14.7	14.9	14.2	7.4	4.0	2.5	2.2	2.8		11.0	14.1	14.3	12.8
NEWPORT	Feb-25	Mar-25	Apr-25	May-25	Jun-25	Jul-25	Aug-25	Sep-25	Oct-25*	Nov-25	Dec-25	Jan-26	Feb-26
LABOR FORCE	11,695	11,692	11,638	11,673	11,698	11,660	11,571	11,640		11,435	11,435	11,657	11,435
EMPLOYMENT	10,974	11,094	11,169	11,176	11,261	11,218	11,149	11,284		10,921	10,924	10,926	10,716
UNEMPLOYMENT	721	598	469	497	437	442	422	356		514	511	731	719
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	6.2	5.1	4.0	4.3	3.7	3.8	3.6	3.1		4.5	4.5	6.3	6.3
NORTH KINGSTOWN	Feb-25	Mar-25	Apr-25	May-25	Jun-25	Jul-25	Aug-25	Sep-25	Oct-25*	Nov-25	Dec-25	Jan-26	Feb-26
LABOR FORCE	15,493	15,533	15,554	15,602	15,677	15,632	15,540	15,714		15,369	15,272	15,421	15,169
EMPLOYMENT	14,818	14,973	15,068	15,068	15,184	15,128	15,032	15,235		14,788	14,765	14,741	14,472
UNEMPLOYMENT	675	560	486	534	493	504	508	479		581	507	680	697
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	4.4	3.6	3.1	3.4	3.1	3.2	3.3	3.0		3.8	3.3	4.4	4.6
NORTH PROVIDENCE	Feb-25	Mar-25	Apr-25	May-25	Jun-25	Jul-25	Aug-25	Sep-25	Oct-25*	Nov-25	Dec-25	Jan-26	Feb-26
LABOR FORCE	18,488	18,501	18,522	18,586	18,673	18,771	18,650	18,842		18,585	18,417	18,424	18,111
EMPLOYMENT	17,497	17,620	17,725	17,748	17,886	17,867	17,700	17,969		17,596	17,489	17,379	17,086
UNEMPLOYMENT	991	881	797	838	787	904	950	873		989	928	1,045	1,025
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	5.4	4.8	4.3	4.5	4.2	4.8	5.1	4.6		5.3	5.0	5.7	5.7

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NORTH SMITHFIELD	Feb-25	Mar-25	Apr-25	May-25	Jun-25	Jul-25	Aug-25	Sep-25	Oct-25*	Nov-25	Dec-25	Jan-26	Feb-26
LABOR FORCE	7,432	7,425	7,404	7,412	7,470	7,484	7,425	7,509		7,369	7,314	7,348	7,249
EMPLOYMENT	7,061	7,110	7,153	7,162	7,217	7,210	7,142	7,251		7,101	7,057	7,013	6,895
UNEMPLOYMENT	371	315	251	250	253	274	283	258		268	257	335	354
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	5.0	4.2	3.4	3.4	3.4	3.7	3.8	3.4		3.6	3.5	4.6	4.9
PAWTUCKET	Feb-25	Mar-25	Apr-25	May-25	Jun-25	Jul-25	Aug-25	Sep-25	Oct-25*	Nov-25	Dec-25	Jan-26	Feb-26
LABOR FORCE	42,955	42,954	42,995	43,140	43,451	43,623	43,314	43,521		43,156	42,774	42,741	42,169
EMPLOYMENT	40,490	40,773	41,017	41,071	41,389	41,345	40,958	41,582		40,718	40,471	40,216	39,537
UNEMPLOYMENT	2,465	2,181	1,978	2,069	2,062	2,278	2,356	1,939		2,438	2,303	2,525	2,632
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	5.7	5.1	4.6	4.8	4.7	5.2	5.4	4.5		5.6	5.4	5.9	6.2
PORTSMOUTH	Feb-25	Mar-25	Apr-25	May-25	Jun-25	Jul-25	Aug-25	Sep-25	Oct-25*	Nov-25	Dec-25	Jan-26	Feb-26
LABOR FORCE	9,424	9,427	9,447	9,427	9,467	9,429	9,396	9,443		9,230	9,201	9,323	9,175
EMPLOYMENT	8,948	9,046	9,107	9,113	9,182	9,147	9,091	9,201		8,905	8,907	8,909	8,738
UNEMPLOYMENT	476	381	340	314	285	282	305	242		325	294	414	437
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	5.1	4.0	3.6	3.3	3.0	3.0	3.2	2.6		3.5	3.2	4.4	4.8
PROVIDENCE	Feb-25	Mar-25	Apr-25	May-25	Jun-25	Jul-25	Aug-25	Sep-25	Oct-25*	Nov-25	Dec-25	Jan-26	Feb-26
LABOR FORCE	101,172	100,863	100,630	101,050	101,838	102,105	101,483	101,808		100,813	99,903	100,215	99,178
EMPLOYMENT	94,467	95,127	95,696	95,823	96,563	96,461	95,559	97,013		94,999	94,423	93,828	92,244
UNEMPLOYMENT	6,705	5,736	4,934	5,227	5,275	5,644	5,924	4,795		5,814	5,480	6,387	6,934
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	6.6	5.7	4.9	5.2	5.2	5.5	5.8	4.7		5.8	5.5	6.4	7.0
RICHMOND	Feb-25	Mar-25	Apr-25	May-25	Jun-25	Jul-25	Aug-25	Sep-25	Oct-25*	Nov-25	Dec-25	Jan-26	Feb-26
LABOR FORCE	5,099	5,117	5,127	5,147	5,176	5,161	5,128	5,161		5,044	5,018	5,054	4,977
EMPLOYMENT	4,943	4,994	5,026	5,026	5,065	5,046	5,014	5,082		4,933	4,925	4,917	4,827
UNEMPLOYMENT	156	123	101	121	111	115	114	79		111	93	137	150
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	3.1	2.4	2.0	2.4	2.1	2.2	2.2	1.5		2.2	1.9	2.7	3.0
SCITUATE	Feb-25	Mar-25	Apr-25	May-25	Jun-25	Jul-25	Aug-25	Sep-25	Oct-25*	Nov-25	Dec-25	Jan-26	Feb-26
LABOR FORCE	6,539	6,530	6,505	6,522	6,535	6,556	6,510	6,580		6,477	6,431	6,492	6,431
EMPLOYMENT	6,190	6,233	6,270	6,279	6,327	6,321	6,261	6,357		6,225	6,187	6,148	6,044
UNEMPLOYMENT	349	297	235	243	208	235	249	223		252	244	344	387
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	5.3	4.5	3.6	3.7	3.2	3.6	3.8	3.4		3.9	3.8	5.3	6.0

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SMITHFIELD	Feb-25	Mar-25	Apr-25	May-25	Jun-25	Jul-25	Aug-25	Sep-25	Oct-25*	Nov-25	Dec-25	Jan-26	Feb-26
LABOR FORCE	11,355	11,312	11,308	11,374	11,468	11,498	11,406	11,438		11,317	11,182	11,217	11,109
EMPLOYMENT	10,782	10,857	10,922	10,936	11,021	11,009	10,906	11,072		10,842	10,777	10,709	10,528
UNEMPLOYMENT	573	455	386	438	447	489	500	366		475	405	508	581
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	5.0	4.0	3.4	3.9	3.9	4.3	4.4	3.2		4.2	3.6	4.5	5.2
SOUTH KINGSTOWN	Feb-25	Mar-25	Apr-25	May-25	Jun-25	Jul-25	Aug-25	Sep-25	Oct-25*	Nov-25	Dec-25	Jan-26	Feb-26
LABOR FORCE	15,540	15,462	15,453	15,519	15,709	15,664	15,568	15,586		15,359	15,223	15,374	15,310
EMPLOYMENT	14,732	14,886	14,980	14,981	15,095	15,040	14,944	15,146		14,702	14,679	14,655	14,388
UNEMPLOYMENT	808	576	473	538	614	624	624	440		657	544	719	922
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	5.2	3.7	3.1	3.5	3.9	4.0	4.0	2.8		4.3	3.6	4.7	6.0
TIVERTON	Feb-25	Mar-25	Apr-25	May-25	Jun-25	Jul-25	Aug-25	Sep-25	Oct-25*	Nov-25	Dec-25	Jan-26	Feb-26
LABOR FORCE	9,207	9,208	9,192	9,177	9,233	9,242	9,187	9,265		9,038	9,032	9,119	8,999
EMPLOYMENT	8,718	8,813	8,872	8,878	8,945	8,911	8,857	8,964		8,676	8,678	8,680	8,513
UNEMPLOYMENT	489	395	320	299	288	331	330	301		362	354	439	486
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	5.3	4.3	3.5	3.3	3.1	3.6	3.6	3.2		4.0	3.9	4.8	5.4
WARREN	Feb-25	Mar-25	Apr-25	May-25	Jun-25	Jul-25	Aug-25	Sep-25	Oct-25*	Nov-25	Dec-25	Jan-26	Feb-26
LABOR FORCE	6,459	6,432	6,436	6,475	6,514	6,547	6,488	6,510		6,401	6,390	6,455	6,331
EMPLOYMENT	6,134	6,177	6,221	6,245	6,291	6,289	6,227	6,298		6,137	6,122	6,105	5,987
UNEMPLOYMENT	325	255	215	230	223	258	261	212		264	268	350	344
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	5.0	4.0	3.3	3.6	3.4	3.9	4.0	3.3		4.1	4.2	5.4	5.4
WARWICK	Feb-25	Mar-25	Apr-25	May-25	Jun-25	Jul-25	Aug-25	Sep-25	Oct-25*	Nov-25	Dec-25	Jan-26	Feb-26
LABOR FORCE	45,812	45,826	45,902	46,024	46,331	46,425	46,090	46,430		45,785	45,346	45,443	44,785
EMPLOYMENT	43,619	43,936	44,198	44,245	44,588	44,529	44,125	44,799		43,849	43,591	43,325	42,594
UNEMPLOYMENT	2,193	1,890	1,704	1,779	1,743	1,896	1,965	1,631		1,936	1,755	2,118	2,191
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	4.8	4.1	3.7	3.9	3.8	4.1	4.3	3.5		4.2	3.9	4.7	4.9
WEST GREENWICH	Feb-25	Mar-25	Apr-25	May-25	Jun-25	Jul-25	Aug-25	Sep-25	Oct-25*	Nov-25	Dec-25	Jan-26	Feb-26
LABOR FORCE	3,702	3,689	3,680	3,703	3,721	3,735	3,729	3,742		3,687	3,659	3,694	3,665
EMPLOYMENT	3,536	3,562	3,583	3,587	3,615	3,610	3,577	3,632		3,555	3,534	3,512	3,453
UNEMPLOYMENT	166	127	97	116	106	125	152	110		132	125	182	212
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	4.5	3.4	2.6	3.1	2.8	3.3	4.1	2.9		3.6	3.4	4.9	5.8

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WEST WARWICK	Feb-25	Mar-25	Apr-25	May-25	Jun-25	Jul-25	Aug-25	Sep-25	Oct-25*	Nov-25	Dec-25	Jan-26	Feb-26
LABOR FORCE	18,474	18,429	18,362	18,369	18,444	18,518	18,400	18,548		18,344	18,253	18,321	18,043
EMPLOYMENT	17,417	17,544	17,648	17,667	17,804	17,781	17,619	17,889		17,509	17,406	17,300	17,008
UNEMPLOYMENT	1,057	885	714	702	640	737	781	659		835	847	1,021	1,035
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	5.7	4.8	3.9	3.8	3.5	4.0	4.2	3.6		4.6	4.6	5.6	5.7
WESTERLY	Feb-25	Mar-25	Apr-25	May-25	Jun-25	Jul-25	Aug-25	Sep-25	Oct-25*	Nov-25	Dec-25	Jan-26	Feb-26
LABOR FORCE	12,355	12,359	12,350	12,365	12,405	12,391	12,321	12,464		12,223	12,173	12,247	12,058
EMPLOYMENT	11,736	11,859	11,933	11,934	12,025	11,981	11,905	12,066		11,712	11,694	11,675	11,462
UNEMPLOYMENT	619	500	417	431	380	410	416	398		511	479	572	596
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	5.0	4.0	3.4	3.5	3.1	3.3	3.4	3.2		4.2	3.9	4.7	4.9
WOONSOCKET	Feb-25	Mar-25	Apr-25	May-25	Jun-25	Jul-25	Aug-25	Sep-25	Oct-25*	Nov-25	Dec-25	Jan-26	Feb-26
LABOR FORCE	21,734	21,670	21,608	21,674	21,792	21,829	21,672	21,830		21,527	21,449	21,505	21,203
EMPLOYMENT	20,200	20,342	20,463	20,490	20,649	20,627	20,434	20,745		20,314	20,191	20,064	19,725
UNEMPLOYMENT	1,534	1,328	1,145	1,184	1,143	1,202	1,238	1,085		1,213	1,258	1,441	1,478
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	7.1	6.1	5.3	5.5	5.2	5.5	5.7	5.0		5.6	5.9	6.7	7.0
BRISTOL COUNTY	Feb-25	Mar-25	Apr-25	May-25	Jun-25	Jul-25	Aug-25	Sep-25	Oct-25*	Nov-25	Dec-25	Jan-26	Feb-26
LABOR FORCE	26,797	26,715	26,758	26,915	27,082	27,144	26,889	27,024		26,568	26,418	26,611	26,215
EMPLOYMENT	25,548	25,729	25,911	26,012	26,204	26,196	25,935	26,233		25,560	25,500	25,427	24,936
UNEMPLOYMENT	1,249	986	847	903	878	948	954	791		1,008	918	1,184	1,279
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	4.7	3.7	3.2	3.4	3.2	3.5	3.5	2.9		3.8	3.5	4.4	4.9
KENT COUNTY	Feb-25	Mar-25	Apr-25	May-25	Jun-25	Jul-25	Aug-25	Sep-25	Oct-25*	Nov-25	Dec-25	Jan-26	Feb-26
LABOR FORCE	95,914	95,823	95,783	96,003	96,596	96,833	96,170	96,903		95,616	94,847	95,141	93,814
EMPLOYMENT	91,115	91,777	92,324	92,423	93,138	93,015	92,172	93,580		91,594	91,055	90,500	88,974
UNEMPLOYMENT	4,799	4,046	3,459	3,580	3,458	3,818	3,998	3,323		4,022	3,792	4,641	4,840
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	5.0	4.2	3.6	3.7	3.6	3.9	4.2	3.4		4.2	4.0	4.9	5.2

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NEWPORT COUNTY	Feb-25	Mar-25	Apr-25	May-25	Jun-25	Jul-25	Aug-25	Sep-25	Oct-25*	Nov-25	Dec-25	Jan-26	Feb-26
LABOR FORCE	42,903	42,899	42,823	42,858	43,046	42,951	42,698	42,972		42,086	42,020	42,597	41,888
EMPLOYMENT	40,544	40,988	41,263	41,292	41,603	41,445	41,191	41,690		40,349	40,358	40,368	39,592
UNEMPLOYMENT	2,359	1,911	1,560	1,566	1,443	1,506	1,507	1,282		1,737	1,662	2,229	2,296
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	5.5	4.5	3.6	3.7	3.4	3.5	3.5	3.0		4.1	4.0	5.2	5.5
PROVIDENCE COUNTY	Feb-25	Mar-25	Apr-25	May-25	Jun-25	Jul-25	Aug-25	Sep-25	Oct-25*	Nov-25	Dec-25	Jan-26	Feb-26
LABOR FORCE	358,018	357,255	356,810	357,869	360,348	361,468	358,973	360,887		356,887	353,949	354,936	350,479
EMPLOYMENT	336,800	339,153	341,184	341,634	344,274	343,908	340,693	345,879		338,697	336,642	334,523	328,875
UNEMPLOYMENT	21,218	18,102	15,626	16,235	16,074	17,560	18,280	15,008		18,190	17,307	20,413	21,604
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	5.9	5.1	4.4	4.5	4.5	4.9	5.1	4.2		5.1	4.9	5.8	6.2
WASHINGTON COUNTY	Feb-25	Mar-25	Apr-25	May-25	Jun-25	Jul-25	Aug-25	Sep-25	Oct-25*	Nov-25	Dec-25	Jan-26	Feb-26
LABOR FORCE	69,462	69,479	69,426	69,536	69,982	69,823	69,431	69,882		68,643	68,287	68,923	68,039
EMPLOYMENT	66,089	66,778	67,200	67,204	67,717	67,470	67,041	67,948		65,955	65,849	65,744	64,545
UNEMPLOYMENT	3,373	2,701	2,226	2,332	2,265	2,353	2,390	1,934		2,688	2,438	3,179	3,494
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	4.9	3.9	3.2	3.4	3.2	3.4	3.4	2.8		3.9	3.6	4.6	5.1
PROVIDENCE-CRANSTON WIA	Feb-25	Mar-25	Apr-25	May-25	Jun-25	Jul-25	Aug-25	Sep-25	Oct-25*	Nov-25	Dec-25	Jan-26	Feb-26
LABOR FORCE	146,009	145,634	145,348	145,825	146,933	147,312	146,389	147,063		145,458	144,088	144,534	142,898
EMPLOYMENT	136,814	137,770	138,594	138,778	139,850	139,702	138,395	140,502		137,585	136,750	135,889	133,595
UNEMPLOYMENT	9,195	7,864	6,754	7,047	7,083	7,610	7,994	6,561		7,873	7,338	8,645	9,303
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	6.3	5.4	4.6	4.8	4.8	5.2	5.5	4.5		5.4	5.1	6.0	6.5
GREATER RHODE ISLAND WIA	Feb-25	Mar-25	Apr-25	May-25	Jun-25	Jul-25	Aug-25	Sep-25	Oct-25*	Nov-25	Dec-25	Jan-26	Feb-26
LABOR FORCE	447,085	446,536	446,249	447,352	450,119	450,908	447,771	450,602		444,344	441,438	443,673	437,538
EMPLOYMENT	423,282	426,656	429,287	429,783	433,086	432,335	428,636	434,827		424,571	422,658	420,673	413,328
UNEMPLOYMENT	23,803	19,880	16,962	17,569	17,033	18,573	19,135	15,775		19,773	18,780	23,000	24,210
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	5.3	4.5	3.8	3.9	3.8	4.1	4.3	3.5		4.4	4.3	5.2	5.5

\*Due to the Federal Government shutdown , there were no estimates produced for October 2025.