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RHODE ISLAND	Jan-99	Feb-99	Mar-99	Apr-99	May-99	Jun-99	Jul-99	Aug-99	Sep-99	Oct-99	Nov-99	Dec-99	Ann Avg
LABOR FORCE	533,522	530,831	531,328	531,280	533,407	540,275	543,976	542,893	539,815	541,176	545,519	545,334	538,280
EMPLOYMENT	504,627	505,461	509,390	511,643	513,074	518,750	520,074	519,643	517,879	519,222	524,037	524,649	515,704
UNEMPLOYMENT	28,895	25,370	21,938	19,637	20,333	21,525	23,902	23,250	21,936	21,954	21,482	20,685	22,576
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	5.4	4.8	4.1	3.7	3.8	4.0	4.4	4.3	4.1	4.1	3.9	3.8	4.2
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED RATE	4.1	4.0	3.9	4.0	4.0	4.1	4.3	4.3	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.3	---

PROVIDENCE-WARWICK, RI-MA MSA

	Jan-99	Feb-99	Mar-99	Apr-99	May-99	Jun-99	Jul-99	Aug-99	Sep-99	Oct-99	Nov-99	Dec-99	Ann Avg
LABOR FORCE	805,662	802,923	803,616	800,848	802,648	812,453	815,187	812,506	805,399	809,068	814,538	815,115	808,331
EMPLOYMENT	759,503	760,748	765,986	769,026	770,683	778,223	777,486	778,216	772,345	777,397	783,458	784,015	773,091
UNEMPLOYMENT	46,159	42,175	37,630	31,822	31,965	34,230	37,701	34,290	33,054	31,671	31,080	31,100	35,240
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	5.7	5.3	4.7	4.0	4.0	4.2	4.6	4.2	4.1	3.9	3.8	3.8	4.4

PROVIDENCE-WARWICK, RI-MA MSA, RI PORTION

	Jan-99	Feb-99	Mar-99	Apr-99	May-99	Jun-99	Jul-99	Aug-99	Sep-99	Oct-99	Nov-99	Dec-99	Ann Avg
LABOR FORCE	533,527	530,828	531,323	531,282	533,397	540,275	543,982	542,907	539,819	541,180	545,526	545,332	538,282
EMPLOYMENT	504,636	505,457	509,391	511,650	513,071	518,751	520,079	519,647	517,879	519,223	524,037	524,650	515,706
UNEMPLOYMENT	28,891	25,371	21,932	19,632	20,326	21,524	23,903	23,260	21,940	21,957	21,489	20,682	22,576
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	5.4	4.8	4.1	3.7	3.8	4.0	4.4	4.3	4.1	4.1	3.9	3.8	4.2

PROVIDENCE-WARWICK, RI-MA MSA, MA PORTION

	Jan-99	Feb-99	Mar-99	Apr-99	May-99	Jun-99	Jul-99	Aug-99	Sep-99	Oct-99	Nov-99	Dec-99	Ann Avg
LABOR FORCE	272,135	272,095	272,293	269,566	269,251	272,178	271,205	269,599	265,580	267,888	269,012	269,783	270,049
EMPLOYMENT	254,867	255,291	256,595	257,376	257,612	259,472	257,407	258,569	254,466	258,174	259,421	259,365	257,385
UNEMPLOYMENT	17,268	16,804	15,698	12,190	11,639	12,706	13,798	11,030	11,114	9,714	9,591	10,418	12,664
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	6.3	6.2	5.8	4.5	4.3	4.7	5.1	4.1	4.2	3.6	3.6	3.9	4.7

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BARRINGTON	Jan-99	Feb-99	Mar-99	Apr-99	May-99	Jun-99	Jul-99	Aug-99	Sep-99	Oct-99	Nov-99	Dec-99	Ann Avg
LABOR FORCE	8,432	8,416	8,433	8,420	8,452	8,517	8,543	8,562	8,561	8,627	8,704	8,716	8,532
EMPLOYMENT	8,193	8,203	8,265	8,281	8,283	8,338	8,339	8,346	8,340	8,381	8,475	8,490	8,328
UNEMPLOYMENT	239	213	168	139	169	179	204	216	221	246	229	226	204
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	2.8	2.5	2.0	1.7	2.0	2.1	2.4	2.5	2.6	2.9	2.6	2.6	2.4
BRISTOL	Jan-99	Feb-99	Mar-99	Apr-99	May-99	Jun-99	Jul-99	Aug-99	Sep-99	Oct-99	Nov-99	Dec-99	Ann Avg
LABOR FORCE	12,046	12,007	12,015	11,939	11,928	12,024	12,098	12,089	12,074	12,127	12,253	12,276	12,074
EMPLOYMENT	11,473	11,487	11,576	11,597	11,600	11,677	11,678	11,689	11,679	11,738	11,868	11,888	11,663
UNEMPLOYMENT	573	520	439	342	328	347	420	400	395	389	385	388	411
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	4.8	4.3	3.7	2.9	2.7	2.9	3.5	3.3	3.3	3.2	3.1	3.2	3.4
BURRILLVILLE	Jan-99	Feb-99	Mar-99	Apr-99	May-99	Jun-99	Jul-99	Aug-99	Sep-99	Oct-99	Nov-99	Dec-99	Ann Avg
LABOR FORCE	8,522	8,454	8,457	8,489	8,442	8,552	8,596	8,606	8,499	8,563	8,639	8,646	8,539
EMPLOYMENT	8,041	8,052	8,113	8,129	8,132	8,185	8,186	8,192	8,186	8,228	8,319	8,335	8,175
UNEMPLOYMENT	481	402	344	360	310	367	410	414	313	335	320	311	364
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	5.6	4.8	4.1	4.2	3.7	4.3	4.8	4.8	3.7	3.9	3.7	3.6	4.3
CENTRAL FALLS	Jan-99	Feb-99	Mar-99	Apr-99	May-99	Jun-99	Jul-99	Aug-99	Sep-99	Oct-99	Nov-99	Dec-99	Ann Avg
LABOR FORCE	7,717	7,682	7,674	7,714	7,721	7,779	7,781	7,697	7,757	7,760	7,844	7,901	7,752
EMPLOYMENT	7,186	7,195	7,250	7,262	7,265	7,313	7,313	7,320	7,314	7,351	7,433	7,446	7,304
UNEMPLOYMENT	531	487	424	452	456	466	468	377	443	409	411	455	448
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	6.9	6.3	5.5	5.9	5.9	6.0	6.0	4.9	5.7	5.3	5.2	5.8	5.8
CHARLESTOWN	Jan-99	Feb-99	Mar-99	Apr-99	May-99	Jun-99	Jul-99	Aug-99	Sep-99	Oct-99	Nov-99	Dec-99	Ann Avg
LABOR FORCE	4,055	4,027	4,005	3,965	3,953	3,976	4,038	4,016	4,036	3,990	4,050	4,079	4,016
EMPLOYMENT	3,752	3,756	3,786	3,793	3,793	3,818	3,820	3,822	3,820	3,838	3,882	3,888	3,814
UNEMPLOYMENT	303	271	219	172	160	158	218	194	216	152	168	191	202
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	7.5	6.7	5.5	4.3	4.0	4.0	5.4	4.8	5.4	3.8	4.1	4.7	5.0
COVENTRY	Jan-99	Feb-99	Mar-99	Apr-99	May-99	Jun-99	Jul-99	Aug-99	Sep-99	Oct-99	Nov-99	Dec-99	Ann Avg
LABOR FORCE	18,720	18,677	18,712	18,650	18,693	18,891	19,163	19,144	18,921	19,006	19,209	19,144	18,911
EMPLOYMENT	17,873	17,897	18,034	18,067	18,074	18,193	18,194	18,208	18,196	18,286	18,492	18,525	18,170
UNEMPLOYMENT	847	780	678	583	619	698	969	936	725	720	717	619	741
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	4.5	4.2	3.6	3.1	3.3	3.7	5.1	4.9	3.8	3.8	3.7	3.2	3.9

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CRANSTON	Jan-99	Feb-99	Mar-99	Apr-99	May-99	Jun-99	Jul-99	Aug-99	Sep-99	Oct-99	Nov-99	Dec-99	Ann Avg
LABOR FORCE	39,556	39,373	39,491	39,453	39,607	40,001	40,083	40,072	39,925	40,121	40,478	40,434	39,883
EMPLOYMENT	37,600	37,651	37,939	38,008	38,022	38,269	38,273	38,304	38,278	38,469	38,901	38,970	38,224
UNEMPLOYMENT	1,956	1,722	1,552	1,445	1,585	1,732	1,810	1,768	1,647	1,652	1,577	1,464	1,659
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	4.9	4.4	3.9	3.7	4.0	4.3	4.5	4.4	4.1	4.1	3.9	3.6	4.2
CUMBERLAND	Jan-99	Feb-99	Mar-99	Apr-99	May-99	Jun-99	Jul-99	Aug-99	Sep-99	Oct-99	Nov-99	Dec-99	Ann Avg
LABOR FORCE	17,371	17,216	17,255	17,308	17,253	17,420	17,475	17,447	17,357	17,420	17,657	17,596	17,398
EMPLOYMENT	16,512	16,534	16,661	16,691	16,696	16,806	16,808	16,821	16,809	16,895	17,083	17,114	16,786
UNEMPLOYMENT	859	682	594	617	557	614	667	626	548	525	574	482	612
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	4.9	4.0	3.4	3.6	3.2	3.5	3.8	3.6	3.2	3.0	3.3	2.7	3.5
EAST GREENWICH	Jan-99	Feb-99	Mar-99	Apr-99	May-99	Jun-99	Jul-99	Aug-99	Sep-99	Oct-99	Nov-99	Dec-99	Ann Avg
LABOR FORCE	6,897	6,899	6,919	6,893	6,896	6,935	6,962	7,004	6,990	7,046	7,071	7,064	6,964
EMPLOYMENT	6,587	6,596	6,646	6,657	6,660	6,705	6,705	6,711	6,706	6,740	6,815	6,827	6,696
UNEMPLOYMENT	310	303	273	236	236	230	257	293	284	306	256	237	268
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	4.5	4.4	3.9	3.4	3.4	3.3	3.7	4.2	4.1	4.3	3.6	3.4	3.8
EAST PROVIDENCE	Jan-99	Feb-99	Mar-99	Apr-99	May-99	Jun-99	Jul-99	Aug-99	Sep-99	Oct-99	Nov-99	Dec-99	Ann Avg
LABOR FORCE	26,474	26,253	26,307	26,213	26,358	26,614	26,703	26,653	26,607	26,758	27,050	27,060	26,587
EMPLOYMENT	24,987	25,020	25,211	25,258	25,266	25,432	25,435	25,456	25,438	25,564	25,851	25,898	25,401
UNEMPLOYMENT	1,487	1,233	1,096	955	1,092	1,182	1,268	1,197	1,169	1,194	1,199	1,162	1,186
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	5.6	4.7	4.2	3.6	4.1	4.4	4.7	4.5	4.4	4.5	4.4	4.3	4.5
EXETER	Jan-99	Feb-99	Mar-99	Apr-99	May-99	Jun-99	Jul-99	Aug-99	Sep-99	Oct-99	Nov-99	Dec-99	Ann Avg
LABOR FORCE	3,338	3,343	3,331	3,300	3,280	3,313	3,335	3,353	3,329	3,337	3,374	3,383	3,335
EMPLOYMENT	3,156	3,159	3,185	3,192	3,192	3,212	3,213	3,215	3,213	3,229	3,265	3,271	3,209
UNEMPLOYMENT	182	184	146	108	88	101	122	138	116	108	109	112	126
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	5.5	5.5	4.4	3.3	2.7	3.0	3.7	4.1	3.5	3.2	3.2	3.3	3.8
FOSTER	Jan-99	Feb-99	Mar-99	Apr-99	May-99	Jun-99	Jul-99	Aug-99	Sep-99	Oct-99	Nov-99	Dec-99	Ann Avg
LABOR FORCE	2,531	2,508	2,487	2,476	2,475	2,497	2,518	2,538	2,507	2,516	2,543	2,550	2,512
EMPLOYMENT	2,356	2,359	2,376	2,380	2,381	2,396	2,396	2,399	2,396	2,409	2,436	2,441	2,394
UNEMPLOYMENT	175	149	111	96	94	101	122	139	111	107	107	109	118
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	6.9	5.9	4.5	3.9	3.8	4.0	4.8	5.5	4.4	4.3	4.2	4.3	4.7

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GLOCESTER	Jan-99	Feb-99	Mar-99	Apr-99	May-99	Jun-99	Jul-99	Aug-99	Sep-99	Oct-99	Nov-99	Dec-99	Ann Avg
LABOR FORCE	5,381	5,341	5,373	5,339	5,338	5,396	5,431	5,444	5,426	5,413	5,492	5,482	5,405
EMPLOYMENT	5,133	5,140	5,180	5,187	5,190	5,225	5,225	5,230	5,225	5,251	5,310	5,319	5,218
UNEMPLOYMENT	248	201	193	152	148	171	206	214	201	162	182	163	187
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	4.6	3.8	3.6	2.8	2.8	3.2	3.8	3.9	3.7	3.0	3.3	3.0	3.5
HOPKINTON	Jan-99	Feb-99	Mar-99	Apr-99	May-99	Jun-99	Jul-99	Aug-99	Sep-99	Oct-99	Nov-99	Dec-99	Ann Avg
LABOR FORCE	4,649	4,628	4,601	4,520	4,545	4,649	4,815	4,764	4,614	4,597	4,606	4,627	4,635
EMPLOYMENT	4,451	4,445	4,484	4,455	4,467	4,558	4,666	4,623	4,483	4,461	4,490	4,509	4,508
UNEMPLOYMENT	198	183	117	65	78	91	149	141	131	136	116	118	127
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	4.3	4.0	2.5	1.4	1.7	2.0	3.1	3.0	2.8	3.0	2.5	2.6	2.7
JAMESTOWN	Jan-99	Feb-99	Mar-99	Apr-99	May-99	Jun-99	Jul-99	Aug-99	Sep-99	Oct-99	Nov-99	Dec-99	Ann Avg
LABOR FORCE	2,835	2,830	2,836	2,797	2,797	2,837	2,836	2,844	2,853	2,877	2,906	2,903	2,846
EMPLOYMENT	2,712	2,716	2,737	2,741	2,742	2,761	2,762	2,763	2,762	2,775	2,807	2,811	2,757
UNEMPLOYMENT	123	114	99	56	55	76	74	81	91	102	99	92	89
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	4.3	4.0	3.5	2.0	2.0	2.7	2.6	2.8	3.2	3.5	3.4	3.2	3.1
JOHNSTON	Jan-99	Feb-99	Mar-99	Apr-99	May-99	Jun-99	Jul-99	Aug-99	Sep-99	Oct-99	Nov-99	Dec-99	Ann Avg
LABOR FORCE	15,211	15,095	15,106	15,027	14,989	15,109	15,190	15,164	15,104	15,167	15,284	15,354	15,150
EMPLOYMENT	14,172	14,190	14,299	14,325	14,330	14,424	14,426	14,439	14,427	14,499	14,662	14,688	14,407
UNEMPLOYMENT	1,039	905	807	702	659	685	764	725	677	668	622	666	743
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	6.8	6.0	5.3	4.7	4.4	4.5	5.0	4.8	4.5	4.4	4.1	4.3	4.9
LINCOLN	Jan-99	Feb-99	Mar-99	Apr-99	May-99	Jun-99	Jul-99	Aug-99	Sep-99	Oct-99	Nov-99	Dec-99	Ann Avg
LABOR FORCE	10,781	10,729	10,753	10,740	10,713	10,829	10,919	10,932	10,879	10,935	11,019	10,970	10,850
EMPLOYMENT	10,250	10,262	10,342	10,361	10,366	10,432	10,434	10,442	10,435	10,486	10,606	10,623	10,420
UNEMPLOYMENT	531	467	411	379	347	397	485	490	444	449	413	347	430
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	4.9	4.4	3.8	3.5	3.2	3.7	4.4	4.5	4.1	4.1	3.7	3.2	4.0
LITTLE COMPTON	Jan-99	Feb-99	Mar-99	Apr-99	May-99	Jun-99	Jul-99	Aug-99	Sep-99	Oct-99	Nov-99	Dec-99	Ann Avg
LABOR FORCE	1,871	1,873	1,873	1,856	1,847	1,850	1,852	1,868	1,858	1,876	1,902	1,907	1,870
EMPLOYMENT	1,789	1,791	1,804	1,807	1,808	1,819	1,821	1,822	1,820	1,830	1,850	1,854	1,818
UNEMPLOYMENT	82	82	69	49	39	31	31	46	38	46	52	53	52
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	4.4	4.4	3.7	2.6	2.1	1.7	1.7	2.5	2.0	2.5	2.7	2.8	2.8

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MIDDLETOWN	Jan-99	Feb-99	Mar-99	Apr-99	May-99	Jun-99	Jul-99	Aug-99	Sep-99	Oct-99	Nov-99	Dec-99	Ann Avg
LABOR FORCE	7,691	7,710	7,723	8,052	8,398	9,033	9,294	9,142	8,839	8,593	8,451	8,358	8,440
EMPLOYMENT	7,255	7,323	7,388	7,807	8,139	8,761	8,997	8,816	8,576	8,326	8,165	8,081	8,136
UNEMPLOYMENT	436	387	335	245	259	272	297	326	263	267	286	277	304
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	5.7	5.0	4.3	3.0	3.1	3.0	3.2	3.6	3.0	3.1	3.4	3.3	3.6
NARRAGANSETT	Jan-99	Feb-99	Mar-99	Apr-99	May-99	Jun-99	Jul-99	Aug-99	Sep-99	Oct-99	Nov-99	Dec-99	Ann Avg
LABOR FORCE	9,584	9,558	9,582	9,564	9,560	9,604	9,607	9,631	9,626	9,694	9,790	9,804	9,634
EMPLOYMENT	9,258	9,270	9,342	9,358	9,361	9,423	9,424	9,430	9,424	9,471	9,577	9,595	9,411
UNEMPLOYMENT	326	288	240	206	199	181	183	201	202	223	213	209	223
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	3.4	3.0	2.5	2.2	2.1	1.9	1.9	2.1	2.1	2.3	2.2	2.1	2.3
NEW SHOREHAM	Jan-99	Feb-99	Mar-99	Apr-99	May-99	Jun-99	Jul-99	Aug-99	Sep-99	Oct-99	Nov-99	Dec-99	Ann Avg
LABOR FORCE	583	584	575	573	563	588	597	588	576	568	618	641	588
EMPLOYMENT	477	481	486	513	534	576	592	580	564	548	537	531	535
UNEMPLOYMENT	106	103	89	60	29	12	5	8	12	20	81	110	53
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	18.2	17.6	15.5	10.5	5.2	2.0	0.8	1.4	2.1	3.5	13.1	17.2	9.0
NEWPORT	Jan-99	Feb-99	Mar-99	Apr-99	May-99	Jun-99	Jul-99	Aug-99	Sep-99	Oct-99	Nov-99	Dec-99	Ann Avg
LABOR FORCE	11,678	11,657	11,603	12,075	12,524	13,425	13,755	13,502	13,172	12,822	12,632	12,516	12,613
EMPLOYMENT	10,763	10,861	10,959	11,581	12,073	12,996	13,346	13,079	12,722	12,351	12,111	11,987	12,069
UNEMPLOYMENT	915	796	644	494	451	429	409	423	450	471	521	529	544
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	7.8	6.8	5.6	4.1	3.6	3.2	3.0	3.1	3.4	3.7	4.1	4.2	4.3
NORTH KINGSTOWN	Jan-99	Feb-99	Mar-99	Apr-99	May-99	Jun-99	Jul-99	Aug-99	Sep-99	Oct-99	Nov-99	Dec-99	Ann Avg
LABOR FORCE	15,078	15,021	15,048	15,046	15,069	15,203	15,197	15,273	15,206	15,301	15,433	15,442	15,193
EMPLOYMENT	14,463	14,482	14,594	14,619	14,626	14,720	14,721	14,735	14,724	14,797	14,963	14,991	14,703
UNEMPLOYMENT	615	539	454	427	443	483	476	538	482	504	470	451	490
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	4.1	3.6	3.0	2.8	2.9	3.2	3.1	3.5	3.2	3.3	3.0	2.9	3.2
NORTH PROVIDENCE	Jan-99	Feb-99	Mar-99	Apr-99	May-99	Jun-99	Jul-99	Aug-99	Sep-99	Oct-99	Nov-99	Dec-99	Ann Avg
LABOR FORCE	18,265	18,106	18,118	18,055	18,115	18,264	18,363	18,368	18,337	18,420	18,604	18,585	18,300
EMPLOYMENT	17,244	17,268	17,401	17,432	17,437	17,552	17,554	17,567	17,556	17,644	17,841	17,873	17,531
UNEMPLOYMENT	1,021	838	717	623	678	712	809	801	781	776	763	712	769
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	5.6	4.6	4.0	3.5	3.7	3.9	4.4	4.4	4.3	4.2	4.1	3.8	4.2

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LABOR FORCE	5,477	5,425	5,441	5,459	5,430	5,543	5,547	5,546	5,492	5,527	5,579	5,573	5,503
EMPLOYMENT	5,209	5,216	5,256	5,268	5,269	5,302	5,303	5,308	5,304	5,329	5,390	5,399	5,296
UNEMPLOYMENT	268	209	185	191	161	241	244	238	188	198	189	174	207
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	4.9	3.9	3.4	3.5	3.0	4.3	4.4	4.3	3.4	3.6	3.4	3.1	3.8
PAWTUCKET	Jan-99	Feb-99	Mar-99	Apr-99	May-99	Jun-99	Jul-99	Aug-99	Sep-99	Oct-99	Nov-99	Dec-99	Ann Avg
LABOR FORCE	37,607	37,371	37,452	37,470	37,635	37,807	38,015	37,769	37,802	37,878	38,286	38,231	37,777
EMPLOYMENT	35,410	35,457	35,729	35,793	35,809	36,042	36,044	36,075	36,049	36,230	36,635	36,701	35,998
UNEMPLOYMENT	2,197	1,914	1,723	1,677	1,826	1,765	1,971	1,694	1,753	1,648	1,651	1,530	1,779
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	5.8	5.1	4.6	4.5	4.9	4.7	5.2	4.5	4.6	4.4	4.3	4.0	4.7
PORTSMOUTH	Jan-99	Feb-99	Mar-99	Apr-99	May-99	Jun-99	Jul-99	Aug-99	Sep-99	Oct-99	Nov-99	Dec-99	Ann Avg
LABOR FORCE	8,419	8,428	8,454	8,793	9,166	9,867	10,142	9,918	9,653	9,398	9,239	9,156	9,219
EMPLOYMENT	7,967	8,040	8,111	8,572	8,935	9,619	9,879	9,679	9,417	9,142	8,966	8,872	8,933
UNEMPLOYMENT	452	388	343	221	231	248	263	239	236	256	273	284	286
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	5.4	4.6	4.1	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.6	2.4	2.4	2.7	3.0	3.1	3.1
PROVIDENCE	Jan-99	Feb-99	Mar-99	Apr-99	May-99	Jun-99	Jul-99	Aug-99	Sep-99	Oct-99	Nov-99	Dec-99	Ann Avg
LABOR FORCE	72,077	71,608	71,776	71,658	72,065	72,734	73,017	72,864	72,753	73,032	73,623	73,737	72,579
EMPLOYMENT	67,482	67,572	68,091	68,213	68,238	68,686	68,690	68,749	68,699	69,042	69,816	69,940	68,602
UNEMPLOYMENT	4,595	4,036	3,685	3,445	3,827	4,048	4,327	4,115	4,054	3,990	3,807	3,797	3,977
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	6.4	5.6	5.1	4.8	5.3	5.6	5.9	5.6	5.6	5.5	5.2	5.1	5.5
RICHMOND	Jan-99	Feb-99	Mar-99	Apr-99	May-99	Jun-99	Jul-99	Aug-99	Sep-99	Oct-99	Nov-99	Dec-99	Ann Avg
LABOR FORCE	3,941	3,942	3,952	3,963	3,951	3,991	4,017	4,021	4,001	4,021	4,060	4,070	3,995
EMPLOYMENT	3,856	3,859	3,888	3,897	3,898	3,924	3,924	3,927	3,924	3,944	3,988	3,995	3,919
UNEMPLOYMENT	85	83	64	66	53	67	93	94	77	77	72	75	76
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	2.2	2.1	1.6	1.7	1.3	1.7	2.3	2.3	1.9	1.9	1.8	1.8	1.9
SCITUATE	Jan-99	Feb-99	Mar-99	Apr-99	May-99	Jun-99	Jul-99	Aug-99	Sep-99	Oct-99	Nov-99	Dec-99	Ann Avg
LABOR FORCE	6,029	5,982	5,995	5,979	5,974	6,011	6,063	6,106	6,020	6,057	6,099	6,101	6,034
EMPLOYMENT	5,681	5,687	5,732	5,742	5,742	5,781	5,782	5,787	5,783	5,811	5,876	5,887	5,774
UNEMPLOYMENT	348	295	263	237	232	230	281	319	237	246	223	214	260
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	5.8	4.9	4.4	4.0	3.9	3.8	4.6	5.2	3.9	4.1	3.7	3.5	4.3

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SMITHFIELD	Jan-99	Feb-99	Mar-99	Apr-99	May-99	Jun-99	Jul-99	Aug-99	Sep-99	Oct-99	Nov-99	Dec-99	Ann Avg
LABOR FORCE	10,850	10,740	10,731	10,729	10,758	10,857	10,948	10,955	10,896	10,913	11,030	11,022	10,869
EMPLOYMENT	10,273	10,287	10,366	10,386	10,388	10,456	10,457	10,466	10,458	10,512	10,629	10,649	10,444
UNEMPLOYMENT	577	453	365	343	370	401	491	489	438	401	401	373	425
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	5.3	4.2	3.4	3.2	3.4	3.7	4.5	4.5	4.0	3.7	3.6	3.4	3.9
SOUTH KINGSTOWN	Jan-99	Feb-99	Mar-99	Apr-99	May-99	Jun-99	Jul-99	Aug-99	Sep-99	Oct-99	Nov-99	Dec-99	Ann Avg
LABOR FORCE	14,571	14,499	14,498	14,443	14,451	14,582	14,570	14,635	14,573	14,710	14,821	14,833	14,599
EMPLOYMENT	13,865	13,885	13,991	14,016	14,021	14,113	14,114	14,127	14,116	14,187	14,346	14,370	14,096
UNEMPLOYMENT	706	614	507	427	430	469	456	508	457	523	475	463	503
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	4.8	4.2	3.5	3.0	3.0	3.2	3.1	3.5	3.1	3.6	3.2	3.1	3.4
TIVERTON	Jan-99	Feb-99	Mar-99	Apr-99	May-99	Jun-99	Jul-99	Aug-99	Sep-99	Oct-99	Nov-99	Dec-99	Ann Avg
LABOR FORCE	8,189	8,166	8,169	8,065	8,041	8,073	8,144	8,154	8,086	8,158	8,242	8,259	8,146
EMPLOYMENT	7,697	7,706	7,765	7,779	7,783	7,833	7,834	7,842	7,835	7,874	7,963	7,976	7,824
UNEMPLOYMENT	492	460	404	286	258	240	310	312	251	284	279	283	322
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	6.0	5.6	4.9	3.5	3.2	3.0	3.8	3.8	3.1	3.5	3.4	3.4	4.0
WARREN	Jan-99	Feb-99	Mar-99	Apr-99	May-99	Jun-99	Jul-99	Aug-99	Sep-99	Oct-99	Nov-99	Dec-99	Ann Avg
LABOR FORCE	6,457	6,422	6,422	6,386	6,368	6,390	6,518	6,494	6,462	6,494	6,567	6,571	6,463
EMPLOYMENT	6,122	6,128	6,177	6,187	6,188	6,230	6,229	6,235	6,231	6,261	6,333	6,344	6,222
UNEMPLOYMENT	335	294	245	199	180	160	289	259	231	233	234	227	241
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	5.2	4.6	3.8	3.1	2.8	2.5	4.4	4.0	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.5	3.7
WARWICK	Jan-99	Feb-99	Mar-99	Apr-99	May-99	Jun-99	Jul-99	Aug-99	Sep-99	Oct-99	Nov-99	Dec-99	Ann Avg
LABOR FORCE	47,262	47,019	47,048	47,018	47,103	47,472	47,731	47,769	47,539	47,830	48,283	48,258	47,528
EMPLOYMENT	45,002	45,061	45,406	45,490	45,506	45,804	45,808	45,846	45,813	46,042	46,559	46,641	45,748
UNEMPLOYMENT	2,260	1,958	1,642	1,528	1,597	1,668	1,923	1,923	1,726	1,788	1,724	1,617	1,780
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	4.8	4.2	3.5	3.2	3.4	3.5	4.0	4.0	3.6	3.7	3.6	3.4	3.7
WEST GREENWICH	Jan-99	Feb-99	Mar-99	Apr-99	May-99	Jun-99	Jul-99	Aug-99	Sep-99	Oct-99	Nov-99	Dec-99	Ann Avg
LABOR FORCE	2,508	2,493	2,474	2,469	2,461	2,481	2,521	2,528	2,498	2,512	2,545	2,542	2,503
EMPLOYMENT	2,370	2,373	2,391	2,395	2,396	2,411	2,413	2,414	2,412	2,424	2,452	2,456	2,409
UNEMPLOYMENT	138	120	83	74	65	70	108	114	86	88	93	86	94
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	5.5	4.8	3.4	3.0	2.6	2.8	4.3	4.5	3.4	3.5	3.7	3.4	3.8

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WEST WARWICK	Jan-99	Feb-99	Mar-99	Apr-99	May-99	Jun-99	Jul-99	Aug-99	Sep-99	Oct-99	Nov-99	Dec-99	Ann Avg
LABOR FORCE	16,352	16,374	16,365	16,330	16,372	16,493	16,576	16,617	16,591	16,656	16,809	16,804	16,528
EMPLOYMENT	15,479	15,499	15,619	15,648	15,652	15,755	15,755	15,771	15,759	15,837	16,014	16,043	15,736
UNEMPLOYMENT	873	875	746	682	720	738	821	846	832	819	795	761	792
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	5.3	5.3	4.6	4.2	4.4	4.5	5.0	5.1	5.0	4.9	4.7	4.5	4.8
WESTERLY	Jan-99	Feb-99	Mar-99	Apr-99	May-99	Jun-99	Jul-99	Aug-99	Sep-99	Oct-99	Nov-99	Dec-99	Ann Avg
LABOR FORCE	13,602	13,566	13,516	13,253	13,310	13,548	13,925	13,785	13,365	13,345	13,477	13,533	13,519
EMPLOYMENT	12,919	12,904	13,012	12,926	12,966	13,231	13,545	13,421	13,010	12,945	13,032	13,088	13,083
UNEMPLOYMENT	683	662	504	327	344	317	380	364	355	400	445	445	436
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	5.0	4.9	3.7	2.5	2.6	2.3	2.7	2.6	2.7	3.0	3.3	3.3	3.2
WOONSOCKET	Jan-99	Feb-99	Mar-99	Apr-99	May-99	Jun-99	Jul-99	Aug-99	Sep-99	Oct-99	Nov-99	Dec-99	Ann Avg
LABOR FORCE	20,920	20,803	20,753	20,805	20,794	21,114	21,095	21,045	21,036	21,111	21,260	21,206	20,995
EMPLOYMENT	19,621	19,646	19,798	19,834	19,841	19,971	19,973	19,990	19,975	20,076	20,300	20,336	19,947
UNEMPLOYMENT	1,299	1,157	955	971	953	1,143	1,122	1,055	1,061	1,035	960	870	1,048
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	6.2	5.6	4.6	4.7	4.6	5.4	5.3	5.0	5.0	4.9	4.5	4.1	5.0
BRISTOL COUNTY	Jan-99	Feb-99	Mar-99	Apr-99	May-99	Jun-99	Jul-99	Aug-99	Sep-99	Oct-99	Nov-99	Dec-99	Ann Avg
LABOR FORCE	26,934	26,844	26,870	26,744	26,748	26,931	27,159	27,145	27,097	27,249	27,524	27,563	27,067
EMPLOYMENT	25,787	25,817	26,018	26,065	26,071	26,245	26,246	26,270	26,250	26,380	26,676	26,722	26,212
UNEMPLOYMENT	1,147	1,027	852	679	677	686	913	875	847	869	848	841	855
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	4.3	3.8	3.2	2.5	2.5	2.5	3.4	3.2	3.1	3.2	3.1	3.1	3.2
KENT COUNTY	Jan-99	Feb-99	Mar-99	Apr-99	May-99	Jun-99	Jul-99	Aug-99	Sep-99	Oct-99	Nov-99	Dec-99	Ann Avg
LABOR FORCE	91,740	91,461	91,518	91,359	91,524	92,272	92,953	93,062	92,539	93,051	93,917	93,811	92,434
EMPLOYMENT	87,311	87,425	88,096	88,257	88,288	88,867	88,874	88,950	88,886	89,330	90,332	90,491	88,759
UNEMPLOYMENT	4,429	4,036	3,422	3,102	3,236	3,405	4,079	4,112	3,653	3,721	3,585	3,320	3,675
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	4.8	4.4	3.7	3.4	3.5	3.7	4.4	4.4	3.9	4.0	3.8	3.5	4.0

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NEWPORT COUNTY	Jan-99	Feb-99	Mar-99	Apr-99	May-99	Jun-99	Jul-99	Aug-99	Sep-99	Oct-99	Nov-99	Dec-99	Ann Avg
LABOR FORCE	40,683	40,666	40,658	41,638	42,774	45,086	46,024	45,428	44,462	43,723	43,372	43,098	43,134
EMPLOYMENT	38,183	38,438	38,764	40,288	41,481	43,790	44,640	44,001	43,132	42,297	41,863	41,581	41,538
UNEMPLOYMENT	2,500	2,228	1,894	1,350	1,293	1,296	1,384	1,427	1,330	1,426	1,509	1,517	1,596
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	6.1	5.5	4.7	3.2	3.0	2.9	3.0	3.1	3.0	3.3	3.5	3.5	3.7
PROVIDENCE COUNTY	Jan-99	Feb-99	Mar-99	Apr-99	May-99	Jun-99	Jul-99	Aug-99	Sep-99	Oct-99	Nov-99	Dec-99	Ann Avg
LABOR FORCE	304,769	302,687	303,169	302,915	303,670	306,529	307,746	307,206	306,395	307,592	310,486	310,448	306,135
EMPLOYMENT	287,158	287,535	289,745	290,270	290,374	292,272	292,300	292,546	292,333	293,796	297,088	297,619	291,920
UNEMPLOYMENT	17,611	15,152	13,424	12,645	13,296	14,257	15,446	14,660	14,062	13,796	13,398	12,829	14,215
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	5.8	5.0	4.4	4.2	4.4	4.7	5.0	4.8	4.6	4.5	4.3	4.1	4.6
WASHINGTON COUNTY	Jan-99	Feb-99	Mar-99	Apr-99	May-99	Jun-99	Jul-99	Aug-99	Sep-99	Oct-99	Nov-99	Dec-99	Ann Avg
LABOR FORCE	69,401	69,170	69,108	68,626	68,681	69,457	70,100	70,066	69,326	69,565	70,227	70,412	69,512
EMPLOYMENT	66,197	66,242	66,768	66,770	66,857	67,577	68,019	67,880	67,278	67,420	68,078	68,237	67,277
UNEMPLOYMENT	3,204	2,928	2,340	1,856	1,824	1,880	2,081	2,186	2,048	2,145	2,149	2,175	2,235
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	4.6	4.2	3.4	2.7	2.7	2.7	3.0	3.1	3.0	3.1	3.1	3.1	3.2
PROVIDENCE-CRANSTON WIA	Jan-99	Feb-99	Mar-99	Apr-99	May-99	Jun-99	Jul-99	Aug-99	Sep-99	Oct-99	Nov-99	Dec-99	Ann Avg
LABOR FORCE	111,633	110,981	111,267	111,111	111,672	112,735	113,100	112,936	112,678	113,153	114,101	114,171	112,461
EMPLOYMENT	105,082	105,223	106,030	106,221	106,260	106,955	106,963	107,053	106,977	107,511	108,717	108,910	106,825
UNEMPLOYMENT	6,551	5,758	5,237	4,890	5,412	5,780	6,137	5,883	5,701	5,642	5,384	5,261	5,636
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	5.9	5.2	4.7	4.4	4.8	5.1	5.4	5.2	5.1	5.0	4.7	4.6	5.0
GREATER RHODE ISLAND WIA	Jan-99	Feb-99	Mar-99	Apr-99	May-99	Jun-99	Jul-99	Aug-99	Sep-99	Oct-99	Nov-99	Dec-99	Ann Avg
LABOR FORCE	421,894	419,844	420,056	420,173	421,723	427,534	430,880	429,971	427,142	428,023	431,428	431,163	425,819
EMPLOYMENT	399,554	400,235	403,360	405,426	406,809	411,794	413,115	412,593	410,901	411,712	415,321	415,742	408,880
UNEMPLOYMENT	22,340	19,609	16,696	14,747	14,914	15,740	17,765	17,378	16,241	16,311	16,107	15,421	16,939
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	5.3	4.7	4.0	3.5	3.5	3.7	4.1	4.0	3.8	3.8	3.7	3.6	4.0