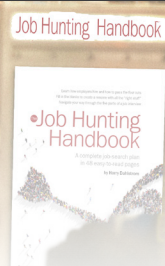


U.S. Economy Added 273,000 Jobs In February, 2020



ONE-MONTH CHANGE IN EMPLOYMENT ¹

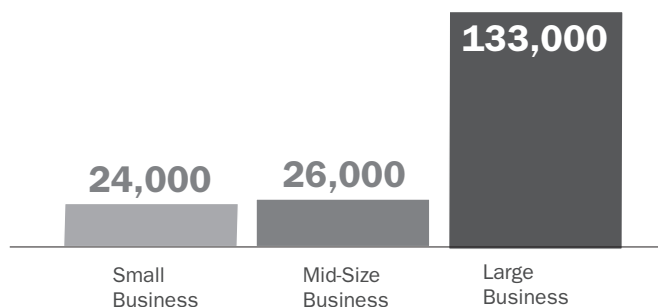
December, 2019	145,000
January, 2020	225,000
¹ February, 2020	273,000

ONE-MONTH CHANGE IN EMPLOYMENT BY INDUSTRY ¹

Industry	People Employed January, 2020	People Employed February, 2020	Gain or Loss
Mining	713,000	717,000	4,000
Construction	7,604,000	7,646,000	42,000
Manufacturing	12,846,000	12,861,000	15,000
Wholesale	5,938,800	5,936,200	-2,600
Retail	15,666,400	15,659,400	-7,000
Transportation	5,685,700	5,681,700	-4,000
Utilities	546,900	547,400	500
Information	2,894,000	2,898,000	4,000
Finance	8,824,000	8,850,000	26,000
Professional	21,528,000	21,569,000	41,000
Health	24,537,000	24,591,000	54,000
Leisure	16,822,000	16,873,000	51,000
Services	5,935,000	5,939,000	4,000
^{B1} Government	22,730,000	22,775,000	45,000

HIRES BY BUSINESS SIZE IN FEBRUARY, 2020 ²

(ADP PAYROLL SURVEY SHOWING 183,000 NEW JOBS ADDED)



The U.S. Employment Snapshot

158,759,000 People Were Employed In February, 2020

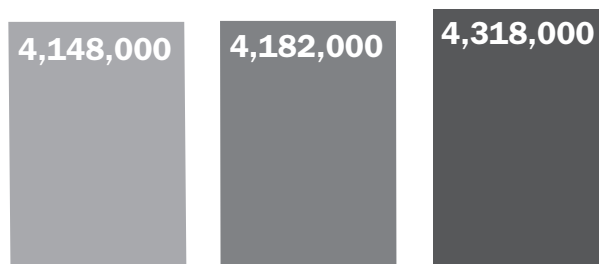
December, 2019	158,803,000
January, 2020	158,714,000
February, 2020	158,759,000

ONE-YEAR CHANGE IN EMPLOYMENT BY OCCUPATION¹

Occupation	People Employed February, 2019	People Employed February, 2020	Gain or Loss
Management	26,562,000	27,866,000	1,304,000
Professional	37,718,000	38,225,000	507,000
Services	26,090,000	26,204,000	114,000
Sales	15,292,000	15,064,000	-228,000
Office, administrative	17,908,000	16,296,000	-1,612,000
Farming, fishing, forestry	1,143,000	1,139,000	-4,000
Construction, extraction	8,272,000	8,149,000	-123,000
Installation, maintenance, repair	4,549,000	4,918,000	369,000
Production	8,742,000	8,361,000	-381,000
Transportation, material moving	9,891,000	11,794,000	1,903,000
Total	156,167,000	158,016,000	1,849,000

2020 Employed numbers do not match. This table reflects adjusted Current Population survey or household data.

PEOPLE WORKING PART TIME FOR ECONOMIC REASONS¹



December, 2019 January, 2020 February, 2020

ONE-YEAR CHANGE IN HOURS AND WAGES¹

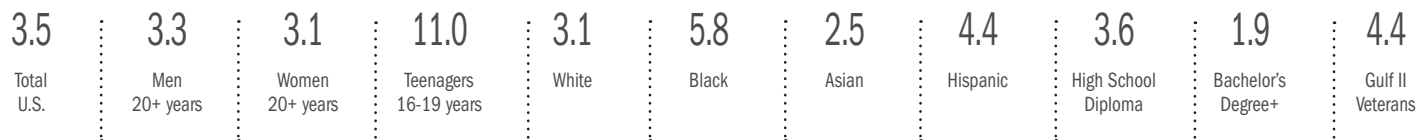
	February, 2019	February, 2020
Average workweek	34.4 hours	34.3 hours
Average overtime in manufacturing	3.5 hours	3.2 hours
Average hourly earnings	\$27.69	\$28.52
Average weekly earnings	\$952.54	\$981.09

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5,787,000 People Were Unemployed In February, 2020

December, 2019	5,753,000
January, 2020	5,892,000
^A February, 2020	5,787,000

UNEMPLOYMENT RATES IN FEBRUARY, 2020¹

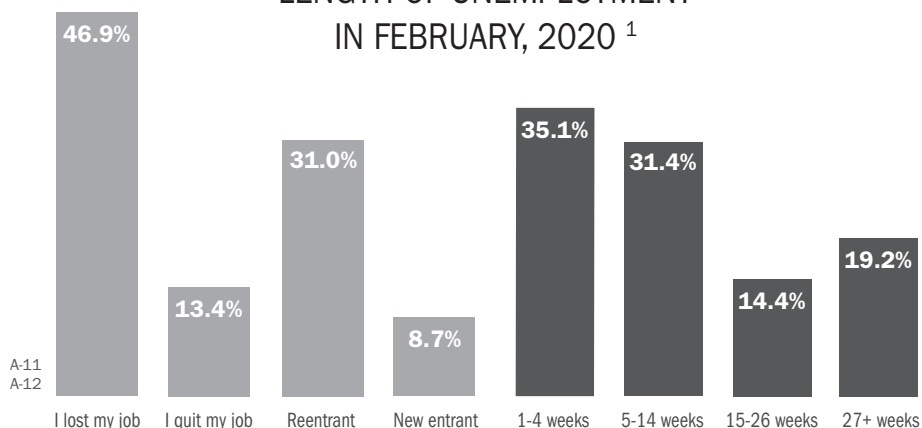


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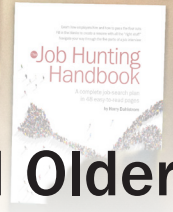
UNEMPLOYMENT BY OCCUPATION¹

	People Unemployed February, 2020	Unemployment Rate
Management	507,000	1.8
Professional	700,000	1.8
Services	1,272,000	4.6
Sales	657,000	4.2
Office, administrative	554,000	3.3
Farming, fishing, forestry	183,000	13.8
Construction, extraction	604,000	6.9
Installation, maintenance, repair	122,000	2.4
Production	448,000	5.1
^{A-13} Transportation, material moving	682,000	5.5

REASON FOR UNEMPLOYMENT & LENGTH OF UNEMPLOYMENT IN FEBRUARY, 2020¹

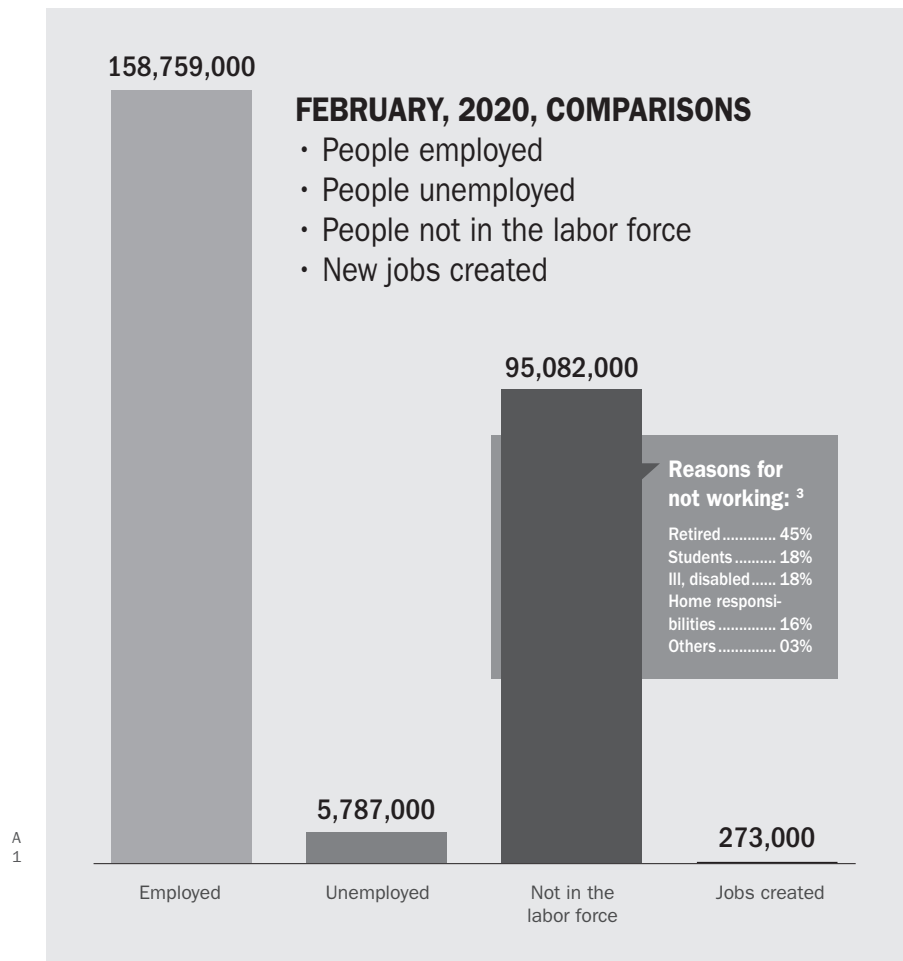


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95,082,000 People, Age 16 Years And Older, Were Not In The Labor Force In February, 2020

December, 2019	95,625,000
January, 2020	94,896,000
^A February, 2020	95,082,000



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1 <http://www.bls.gov/news.release/empsit.nr0.htm>
 2 <http://www.adpemploymentreport.com/2020/February/NER/Report>
 3 <https://www.bls.gov/opub/btn/volume-4/people-who-are-not-in-the-labor-force-why-arent-they-working.htm>