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**Labor Market Information****United States Annual Average Labor Force Data, 1983-2000**  
**Data are Not Seasonally Adjusted**

United States Employment Status of the Civilian Noninstitutional Population Persons 16 Years of Age and Older Annual Averages, 1983-2000 (numbers in thousands)				
Year	Civilian Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Unemployment Rate
1983	111,550	100,834	10,717	9.6
1984	113,544	105,005	8,539	7.5
1985	115,461	107,150	8,312	7.2
1986 (1)	117,834	109,597	8,237	7.0
1987	119,865	112,440	7,425	6.2
1988	121,669	114,968	6,701	5.5
1989	123,869	117,342	6,528	5.3
1990 (1)	125,840	118,793	7,047	5.6
1991	126,346	117,718	8,628	6.8
1992	128,105	118,492	9,613	7.5
1993	129,200	120,259	8,940	6.9
1994 (1)	131,056	123,060	7,996	6.1
1995	132,304	124,900	7,404	5.6
1996	133,943	126,708	7,236	5.4
1997 (1)	136,297	129,558	6,739	4.9
1998 (1)	137,673	131,463	6,210	4.5

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1999 (2)	139,368	133,488	5,880	4.2
2000	140,863	135,208	5,655	4.0

1. Not strictly comparable with data for prior years.
2. Beginning in January 1999, data are not strictly comparable with data for 1998 and earlier years because of the revisions in the population controls used in the household survey.

Source: US Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics  
web site: <ftp://ftp.bls.gov/pub/special.requests/lf/aat1.txt>

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