

Data and Confidence Limits for Percent Unemployed, by Month, New Mexico and U.S., 2008

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New Mexico vs. U.S.	Month	Percent Unemployed	Numerator	Denominator
New Mexico	Jan 2008	3.7%	34,785	945,726
New Mexico	Feb 2008	3.8%	36,991	950,876
New Mexico	Mar 2008	3.7%	35,262	950,448
New Mexico	Apr 2008	3.7%	33,820	955,115
New Mexico	May 2008	3.9%	37,139	955,279
New Mexico	Jun 2008	4.6%	44,614	967,592
New Mexico	Jul 2008	4.8%	46,190	970,864
New Mexico	Aug 2008	4.6%	44,047	963,119
New Mexico	Sep 2008	4.2%	40,476	992,142
New Mexico	Oct 2008	4.3%	41,589	966,719
New Mexico	Nov 2008	4.4%	42,728	965,703
New Mexico	Dec 2008	4.5%	43,373	959,884
U.S.	Jan 2008	5.4%	144,607,000	152,828,000
U.S.	Feb 2008	5.2%	144,550,000	152,503,000
U.S.	Mar 2008	5.2%	145,108,000	153,135,000
U.S.	Apr 2008	4.8%	145,921,000	153,208,000
U.S.	May 2008	5.2%	145,927,000	154,003,000
U.S.	Jun 2008	5.7%	146,649,000	155,582,000
U.S.	Jul 2008	6.0%	146,867,000	156,300,000
U.S.	Aug 2008	6.1%	145,909,000	155,387,000
U.S.	Sep 2008	6.0%	145,310,000	154,509,000
U.S.	Oct 2008	6.1%	145,543,000	155,012,000
U.S.	Nov 2008	6.5%	144,609,000	154,624,000
U.S.	Dec 2008	7.1%	143,350,000	154,349,000

Record Count: 24

Data Notes

Data are not seasonally adjusted.

Data Sources

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Definition

The percentage of the civilian labor force that was not employed and seeking employment. See Data Interpretation Issues for more information about the definition of employed versus unemployed persons.

How We Calculated the Rates

Numerator: The number of unemployed persons in the civilian labor force.

Denominator: The total of persons in the civilian labor force, the sum of employed and unemployed persons.

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