



December 2009 Labor Report

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Unemployment in Kansas and MSAs

Place of Residence Data

	<u>December 2009</u>	<u>November 2009</u>	<u>December 2008</u>
Kansas			
Civilian Labor Force	1,512,406	1,523,835	1,497,695
Employment	1,417,280	1,428,403	1,424,686
Unemployment	95,126	95,432	73,009
Unemployment Rate	6.3	6.3	4.9
Lawrence MSA <i>(Douglas County)</i>			
Civilian Labor Force	61,393	62,241	61,804
Employment	58,542	59,162	59,264
Unemployment	2,851	3,079	2,540
Unemployment Rate	4.6	4.9	4.1
Topeka MSA <i>(Jackson, Jefferson, Osage, Shawnee and Wabaunsee Counties)</i>			
Civilian Labor Force	123,734	124,719	121,466
Employment	116,304	117,057	115,021
Unemployment	7,430	7,662	6,445
Unemployment Rate	6.0	6.1	5.3
Wichita MSA <i>(Butler, Harvey, Sedgwick and Sumner Counties)</i>			
Civilian Labor Force	324,935	328,786	321,695
Employment	300,195	302,472	305,922
Unemployment	24,740	26,314	15,773
Unemployment Rate	7.6	8.0	4.9
Kansas City Area <i>(Franklin, Johnson, Leavenworth, Linn, Miami and Wyandotte Counties)</i>			
Civilian Labor Force	450,813	451,680	439,231
Employment	419,589	422,997	414,476
Unemployment	31,224	28,683	24,755
Unemployment Rate	6.9	6.4	5.6
Manhattan MSA <i>(Geary, Pottawatomie and Riley)</i>			
Civilian Labor Force	63,974	64,487	63,942
Employment	61,095	61,562	61,766
Unemployment	2,879	2,925	2,176
Unemployment Rate	4.5	4.5	3.4

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