

Metropolitan Area Comparison Table: Work Force

Metropolitan Area <i>(Arranged alphabetically)</i>	Labor Force Participation			Unemployment Rate	Employed persons, 16 and over	Occupations		Selected Industry Sectors		
	Total	Female	Male			Management, professional, & related occupations	Sales and office occupations	Manufacturing	Professional, scientific, management, administrative, and waste management services	Educational, health and social services
	1	1	1			25	14	5	12	4
Atlanta, GA MSA	70.6%	63.6%	77.9%	5.0%	2,092,994	37.5%	28.7%	11.1%	12.6%	15.6%
Boston--Worcester--Lawrence, MA--NH--ME--CT CMSA	67.6%	61.6%	74.1%	4.3%	2,952,632	42.1%	26.1%	13.5%	12.2%	22.6%
Chicago--Gary--Kenosha, IL--IN--WI CMSA	66.0%	59.1%	73.3%	6.3%	4,287,747	35.5%	28.4%	15.9%	11.6%	18.3%
Cincinnati--Hamilton, OH--KY--IN CMSA	66.9%	60.2%	74.1%	4.3%	968,170	33.9%	28.0%	17.3%	9.9%	18.7%
Cleveland--Akron, OH CMSA	64.8%	58.4%	71.9%	5.2%	1,401,208	32.8%	27.7%	19.4%	8.9%	20.2%
Dallas--Fort Worth, TX CMSA	69.2%	61.3%	77.3%	4.8%	2,573,740	36.0%	28.9%	13.1%	11.5%	15.6%
Denver--Boulder--Greeley, CO CMSA	71.7%	65.0%	78.5%	4.1%	1,366,635	39.4%	28.0%	9.3%	13.2%	16.1%
Detroit--Ann Arbor--Flint, MI CMSA	64.6%	57.8%	72.1%	5.8%	2,538,924	33.8%	26.2%	22.8%	9.8%	19.2%
Houston--Galveston--Brazoria, TX CMSA	65.4%	57.4%	73.8%	6.2%	2,121,615	35.2%	27.3%	12.1%	11.8%	17.7%
Kansas City, MO--KS MSA	68.9%	62.7%	75.7%	4.3%	891,182	35.8%	28.9%	11.2%	10.3%	18.4%
Los Angeles--Riverside--Orange County, CA CMSA	61.5%	54.0%	69.3%	7.4%	6,904,719	34.0%	27.7%	14.8%	11.1%	18.1%
Miami--Fort Lauderdale, FL CMSA	59.7%	53.4%	66.6%	7.2%	1,680,147	31.6%	31.0%	6.9%	11.6%	17.9%
Minneapolis--St. Paul, MN--WI MSA	74.3%	69.0%	79.9%	3.5%	1,619,473	38.9%	28.0%	15.9%	11.2%	19.1%
New York--Northern New Jersey--Long Island, NY--NJ--CT--PA CMSA	61.9%	55.2%	69.4%	6.7%	9,520,481	38.6%	27.9%	9.6%	11.8%	22.2%
Philadelphia--Wilmington--Atlantic City, PA--NJ--DE--MD CMSA	64.0%	58.3%	70.4%	6.3%	2,865,306	36.9%	28.6%	11.9%	10.9%	22.2%
Phoenix--Mesa, AZ MSA	63.7%	56.4%	71.0%	4.9%	1,488,583	33.4%	29.5%	11.6%	11.3%	16.1%
Pittsburgh, PA MSA	60.3%	53.3%	68.3%	5.8%	1,074,663	33.9%	27.7%	12.3%	9.3%	22.8%
Portland--Salem, OR--WA CMSA	68.4%	61.2%	75.9%	5.9%	1,123,043	34.5%	27.1%	15.3%	9.9%	17.9%
Sacramento--Yolo, CA CMSA	64.0%	58.4%	70.0%	6.2%	815,041	37.3%	28.6%	7.5%	10.3%	19.3%
San Diego, CA MSA	65.0%	57.0%	73.1%	5.9%	1,241,258	37.7%	27.2%	11.0%	13.3%	19.3%
San Francisco--Oakland--San Jose, CA CMSA	66.1%	59.5%	72.9%	4.5%	3,495,883	43.6%	25.6%	14.6%	15.0%	17.1%
Seattle--Tacoma--Bremerton, WA CMSA	68.8%	62.0%	75.8%	5.1%	1,771,070	38.4%	26.4%	13.0%	10.9%	18.4%
St. Louis, MO--IL MSA	66.7%	60.7%	73.5%	5.5%	1,252,570	34.4%	28.1%	14.3%	9.4%	20.6%
Tampa--St. Petersburg--Clearwater, FL MSA	59.2%	53.5%	65.6%	5.0%	1,079,627	32.8%	31.1%	8.3%	11.7%	18.4%
Washington--Baltimore, DC--MD--VA--WV CMSA	69.4%	64.0%	75.4%	4.5%	3,843,329	45.4%	25.3%	5.8%	15.1%	18.6%
Median	66.0%	59.1%	73.3%	5.2%		35.8%	28.0%	12.3%	11.3%	18.4%

Note: Ranks are based on descending values
Source: US Census 2000