

**Employment Situation Indicators for Ohio, December 2018
(Seasonally Adjusted)**

Category	Monthly Data (in thousands)			Change (in thousands)	
	December 2018	November 2018	December 2017	Dec-18 Nov-18	Dec-18 Dec-17
Working Age Population	9,245	9,243	9,209	2	36
Civilian Labor Force	5,767	5,766	5,782	1	-15
Labor Force Participation Rate (%)	62.4	62.4	62.8	0.0	-0.4
Employment	5,502	5,502	5,501	0	1
Unemployment	265	263	281	2	-16
Unemployment Rate (%)	4.6	4.6	4.9	0.0	-0.3
Employment-Population Ratio (%)	59.5	59.5	59.7	0.0	-0.2

**Employment Situation Indicators for U.S., December 2018
(Seasonally Adjusted)**

Category	Monthly Data (in thousands)			Change (in thousands)	
	December 2018	November 2018	December 2017	Dec-18 Nov-18	Dec-18 Dec-17
Working Age Population	258,888	258,708	256,109	180	2,779
Civilian Labor Force	163,240	162,821	160,636	419	2,604
Labor Force Participation Rate (%)	63.1	62.9	62.7	0.2	0.4
Employment	156,945	156,803	154,065	142	2,880
Unemployment	6,294	6,018	6,572	276	-278
Unemployment Rate (%)	3.9	3.7	4.1	0.2	-0.2
Employment-Population Ratio (%)	60.6	60.6	60.2	0.0	0.4