

March 2015 Labor Report
April 17, 2015



Unemployment in Kansas and MSAs
Place of Residence Data

	<u>March 2015</u>	<u>February 2015</u>	<u>March 2014</u>
Kansas - Seasonally Adjusted			
Civilian Labor Force	1,502,362	1,501,711	1,496,849
Employment	1,439,830	1,438,889	1,428,268
Unemployment	62,532	62,822	68,581
Unemployment Rate	4.2	4.2	4.6
Kansas - Not Seasonally Adjusted			
Civilian Labor Force	1,497,794	1,492,226	1,495,928
Employment	1,432,297	1,426,088	1,421,068
Unemployment	65,497	66,138	74,860
Unemployment Rate	4.4	4.4	5.0
Lawrence MSA <i>(Douglas County)</i>			
Civilian Labor Force	65,821	65,695	65,982
Employment	63,369	63,228	63,055
Unemployment	2,452	2,467	2,927
Unemployment Rate	3.7	3.8	4.4
Topeka MSA <i>(Jackson, Jefferson, Osage, Shawnee and Wabaunsee Counties)</i>			
Civilian Labor Force	121,446	121,078	121,923
Employment	115,868	115,276	115,326
Unemployment	5,578	5,802	6,597
Unemployment Rate	4.6	4.8	5.4
Wichita MSA <i>(Butler, Harvey, Kingman, Sedgwick and Sumner Counties)</i>			
Civilian Labor Force	307,064	308,451	311,551
Employment	291,880	293,267	294,017
Unemployment	15,184	15,184	17,534
Unemployment Rate	4.9	4.9	5.6
Kansas City Area <i>(Johnson, Leavenworth, Linn, Miami and Wyandotte Counties)</i>			
Civilian Labor Force	451,149	452,018	449,288
Employment	432,220	432,035	427,055
Unemployment	18,929	19,983	22,233
Unemployment Rate	4.2	4.4	4.9
Manhattan MSA <i>(Pottawatomie and Riley Counties)</i>			
Civilian Labor Force	50,120	50,164	49,702
Employment	48,349	48,400	47,594
Unemployment	1,771	1,764	2,108
Unemployment Rate	3.5	3.5	4.2

Source: Kansas Department of Labor, Labor Market Information Services, in conjunction with the Bureau of Labor Statistics