

Maine Local Area Unemployment Statistics

Annual Avgs	Civilain Labor Force	Residents Employed	Unemployed	Unemployment Rate
1976	476,265	435,744	40,521	8.5
1977	481,709	441,823	39,886	8.3
1978	487,417	456,381	31,036	6.4
1979	500,374	467,466	32,908	6.6
1980	506,228	468,554	37,674	7.4
1981	512,622	476,094	36,528	7.1
1982	520,558	477,465	43,093	8.3
1983	532,810	490,350	42,460	8.0
1984	549,268	516,300	32,968	6.0
1985	554,686	523,928	30,758	5.5
1986	565,082	535,662	29,420	5.2
1987	582,397	557,257	25,140	4.3
1988	593,211	571,534	21,677	3.7
1989	608,649	584,292	24,357	4.0
1990	631,147	597,902	33,245	5.3
1991	638,870	590,604	48,266	7.6
1992	639,622	594,082	45,540	7.1
1993	631,404	589,800	41,604	6.6
1994	629,671	589,073	40,598	6.4
1995	638,695	601,565	37,130	5.8
1996	651,669	617,479	34,190	5.2
1997	658,153	624,410	33,743	5.1
1998	657,415	627,920	29,495	4.5
1999	667,673	641,351	26,322	3.9
2000	672,440	650,385	22,055	3.3
2001	675,981	650,699	25,282	3.7
2002	680,569	650,943	29,626	4.4
2003	690,014	655,561	34,453	5.0
2004	693,148	661,163	31,985	4.6
2005	703,085	669,250	33,835	4.8
2006	711,376	678,843	32,533	4.6

Source: U.S. Department of Commerce, Bureau of Labor Statistics
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