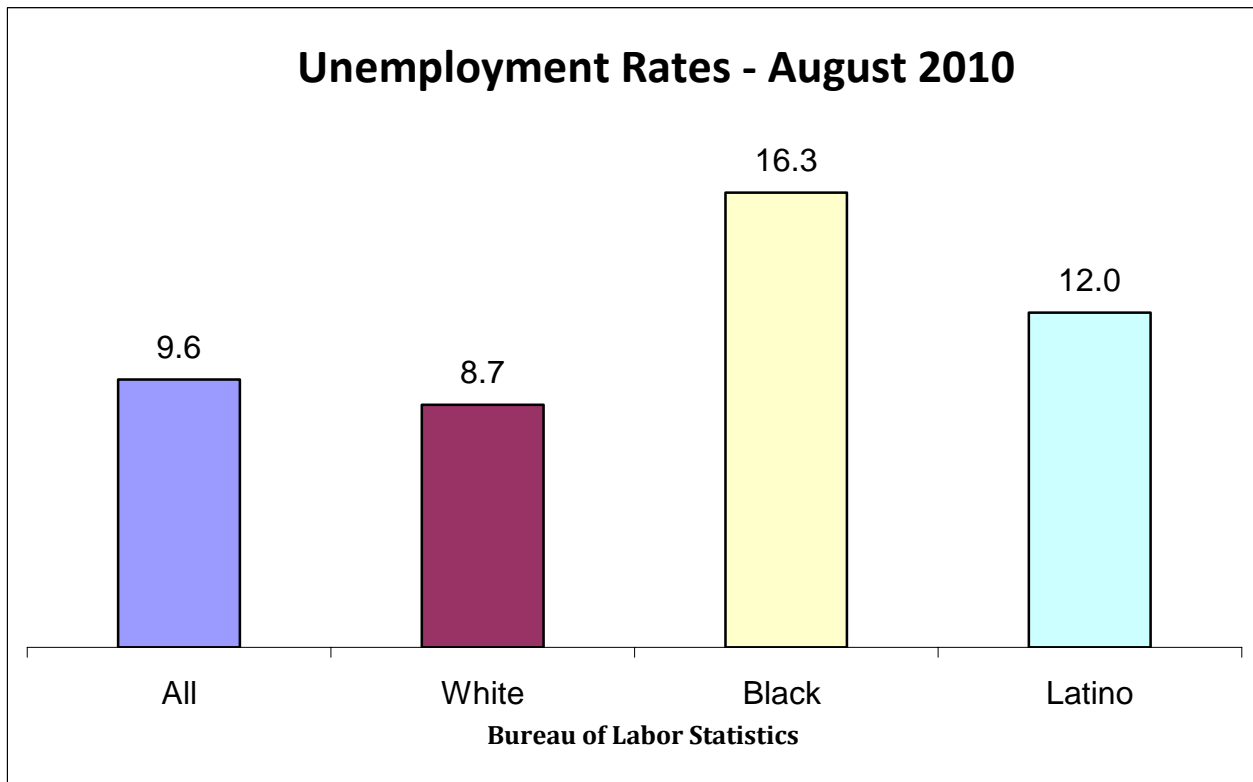


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DATA BRIEF:
Black Employment and Unemployment
in August 2010

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The unemployment rate for Blacks was 16.3% last month. This is according to the latest report on the nation's employment situation released this morning by the Bureau of Labor Statistics in its monthly Employment Situation report. This rate increased from July, when unemployment in the Black community stood at 15.6%. For the nation as a whole, unemployment rose slightly to 9.6% in the month of August. Among whites, unemployment was 8.7%; among Latinos, unemployment was 12.0%. Comparable July 2010 figures were 9.5%; 8.6%; and 12.1% respectfully. Overall, total payroll employment fell by 54,000, driven by the loss of 114,000 temporary Census jobs.

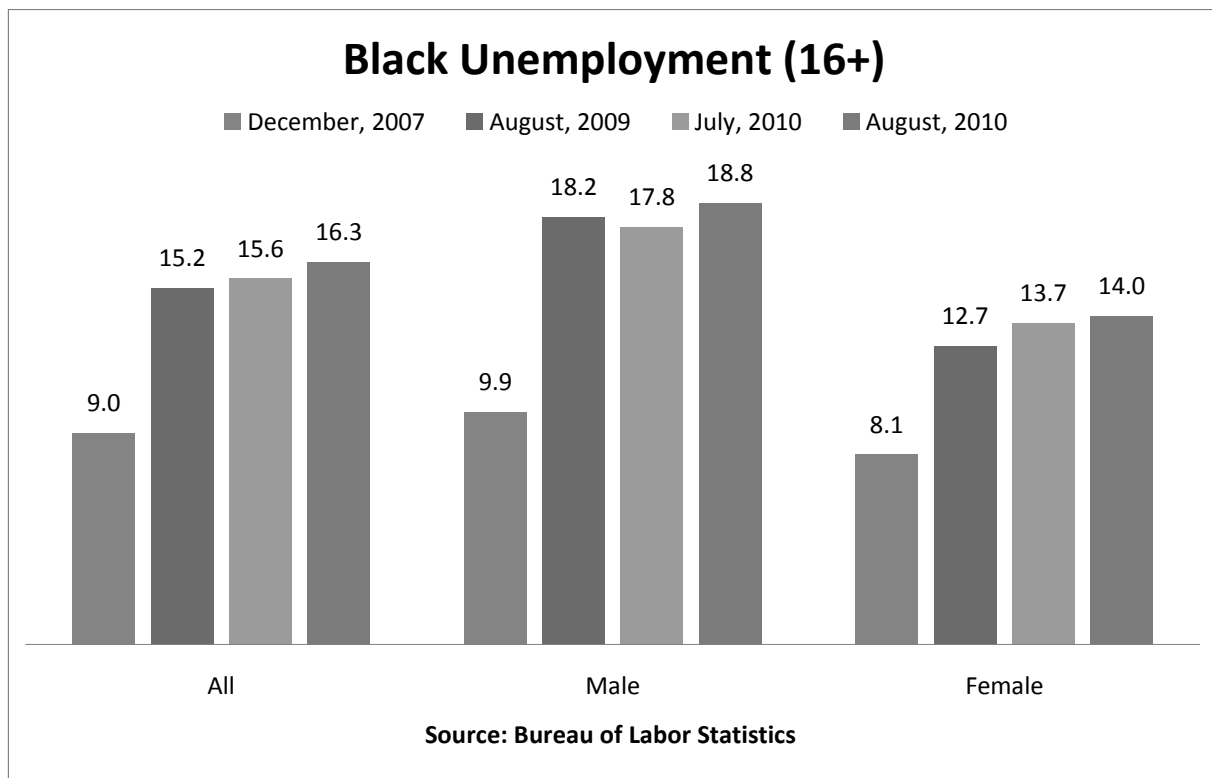


UNEMPLOYMENT¹

The **unemployment rate** represents the percentage of the working age population that is unemployed. To be counted as officially unemployed, an individual must not have had a job and must have actively looked for work in the last month.

During August, the unemployment rate for Blacks, 16 years of age and older, was 16.3%. This was an increase from July. For Black women, unemployment was 14.0% (a slight increase from 13.7% in July). For Black men, unemployment was 18.8% (an increase from 17.8% in July). Table 1 presents these data for the months of December 2007 (the beginning of the Great Recession); August 2009; July 2010; and August 2010.²

TABLE 1



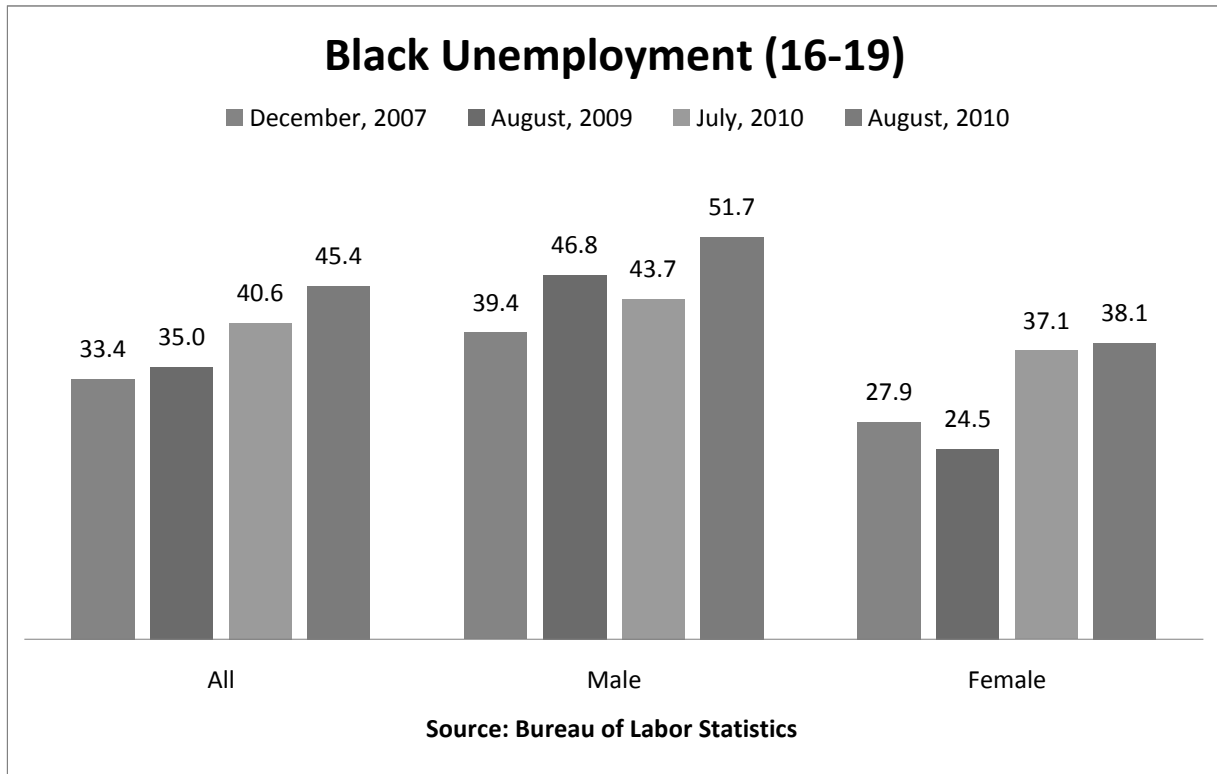
December 2007 was the first month of the recession and is included for comparison.

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² All statistics in this report are seasonally adjusted data from the Current Population Survey.

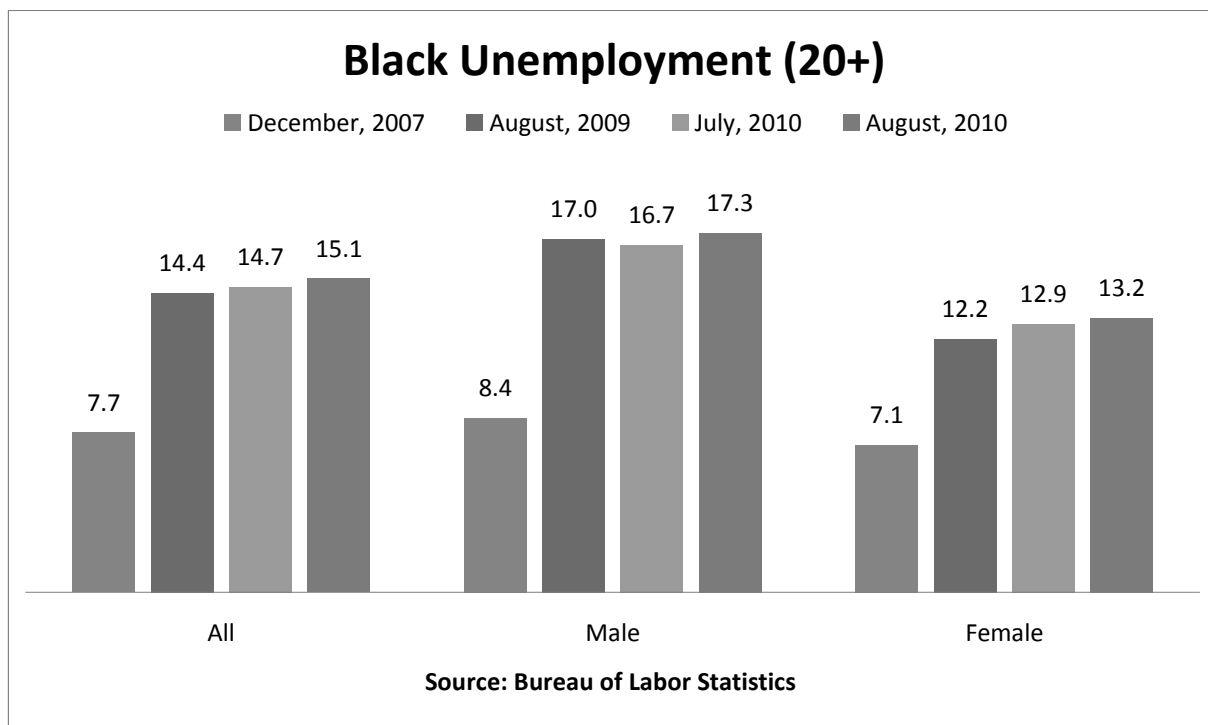
For Black teens (16-19), unemployment was 45.4% (an increase from 40.6% in July). For Black female teens, unemployment stood at 38.1% (a slight increase from 37.1% in July). For Black male teens, unemployment was 51.7% (an increase from 43.7% in July). Teen unemployment rates are extremely volatile from month to month.

TABLE 2



Analyzing Blacks, 20 and over, unemployment stood at 15.1% (an increase from 14.7% in July). For Black women, ages 20 and over, unemployment stood at 13.2% (a slight increase from 12.9% in July). For Black men, ages 20 and over, unemployment was 17.3% (an increase from 16.7% in July).

TABLE 3

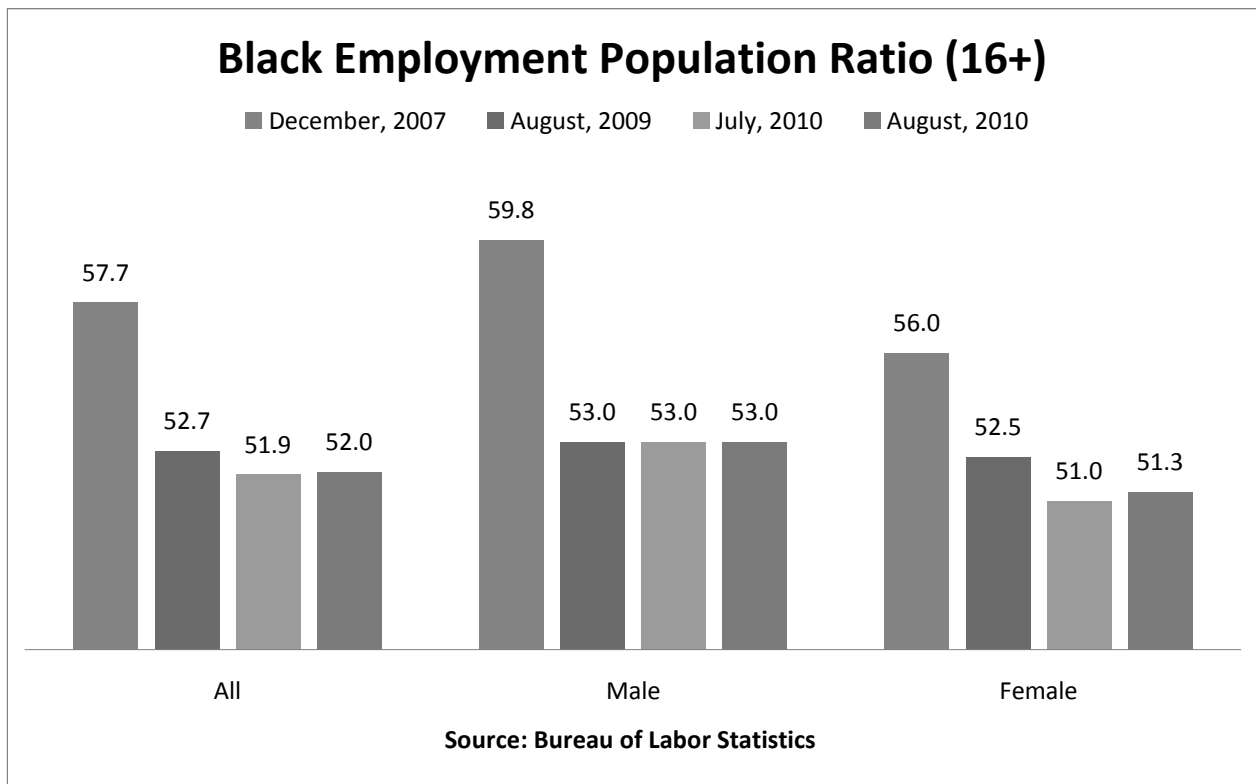


EMPLOYMENT-POPULATION RATIO

The **employment-population ratio** represents the percentage of the population that is employed and it can be interpreted as the probability that a member of the population is employed. It captures employment prospects better than the unemployment rate, since jobless individuals who are not in the labor force (including discouraged workers) are not calculated in the unemployment rate. However, it would be a mistake to conclude that all persons not employed are without a job and desiring employment. Some people might not be employed because of their status as a full-time student, homemaker, retiree, or disabled person. Hence, an employment-population ratio of 60% **does not** imply an unemployment rate of 40%.

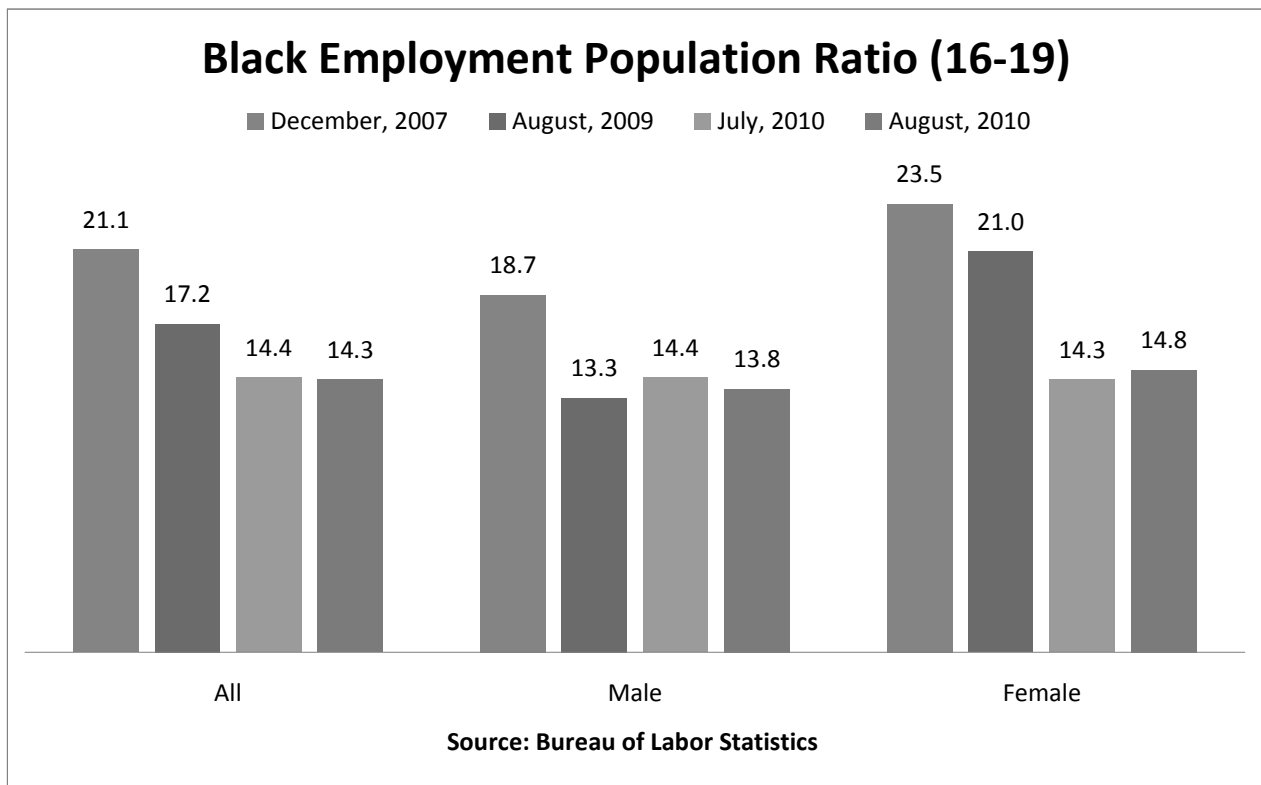
In August, the employment-population ratio for Blacks, 16 and over, was 52.0%. This was virtually unchanged from 51.9% in July. For Black women, the employment-population ratio stood at 51.3% (a slight increase from 51.0% in July). For Black men, the employment-population ratio was 53.0% (unchanged from 53.0% in July).

TABLE 4



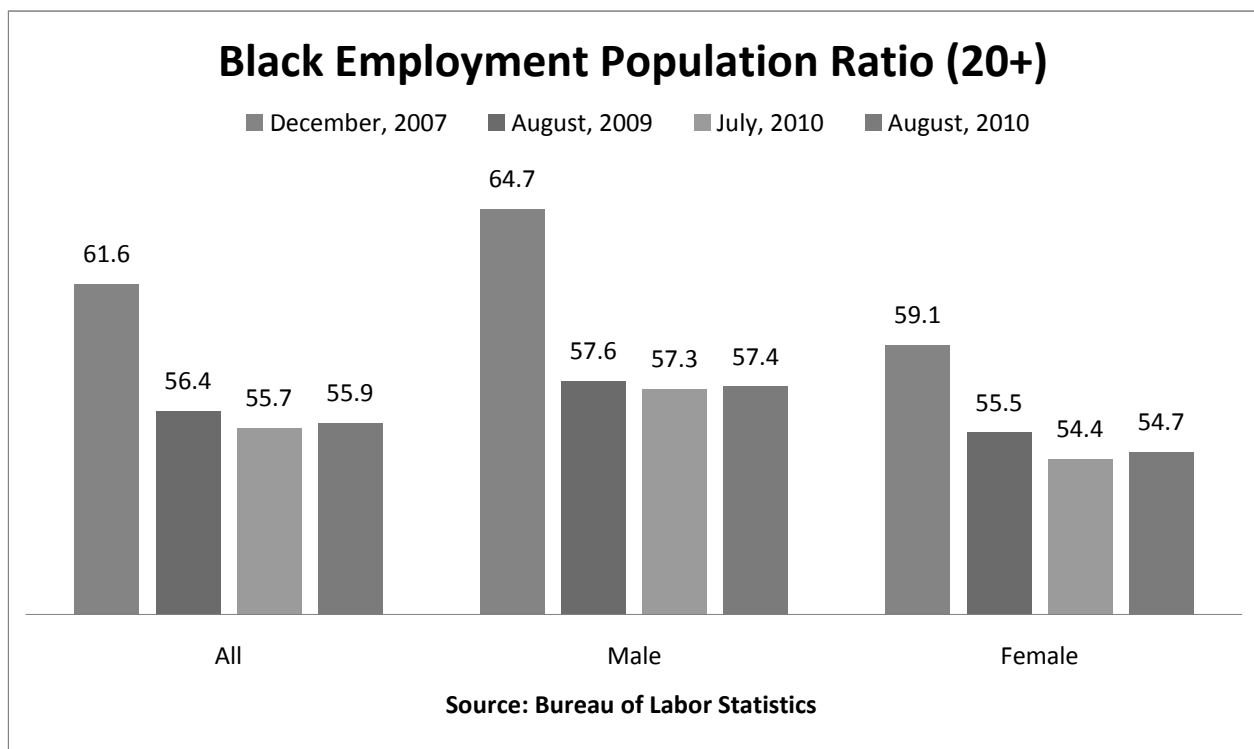
For Black teens, the employment-population ratio was 14.4% (virtually unchanged from 14.3% in July). For Black female teens, ages 16 - 19, the employment-population ratio stood at 14.8% (an increase from 14.3% in July). For Black male teens, 16 -19, the employment-population ratio was 13.8% (a decrease from 14.4% in July). As with the monthly unemployment rates, these figure are very volatile.

TABLE 5



Analyzing Blacks, 20 and over, the employment-population ratio stood at 55.9% (a slight increase from 55.7% in July). For Black women, ages 20 and over, the employment-population ratio stood at 55.7% (a slight increase from 55.4% in July). For Black men, ages 20 and over, the employment-population ratio was 57.4% (virtually unchanged from 57.3% in July).

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The charts and tables that follow present seasonally adjusted data going back to the beginning of the Great Recession (December 2007) on unemployment rates and employment-population ratio for the entire population, whites, and Blacks sub-divided by age and gender. The Bureau of Labor Statistics does not release comparable data for Latinos.

DEFINITIONS

Each month, the Bureau of Labor Statistics surveys approximately 60,000 households reporting information on the labor market activity of the **civilian noninstitutionalized population** that is 16 years of age or older. (Members of the armed services and persons that are in prisons, mental institutions, and homes for the elderly and disabled are not included) From this information, an individual's labor status is determined to fall into one of three broad categories:

Employed. Persons will be considered employed if (during the survey week) they did paid work for at least 1 hour; worked in their own firm; worked unpaid for at least 15 hours for a family business; or were temporarily absent from work for a variety of reasons. (Work in their own home is not included.)

Unemployed. Persons will be considered unemployed if (during the survey work) they did not have a job, but they were available to work and sought work during the preceding month. (Laid off workers awaiting recall are labeled as unemployed.)

The **Civilian Labor Force** represents the total number of employed and unemployed persons.

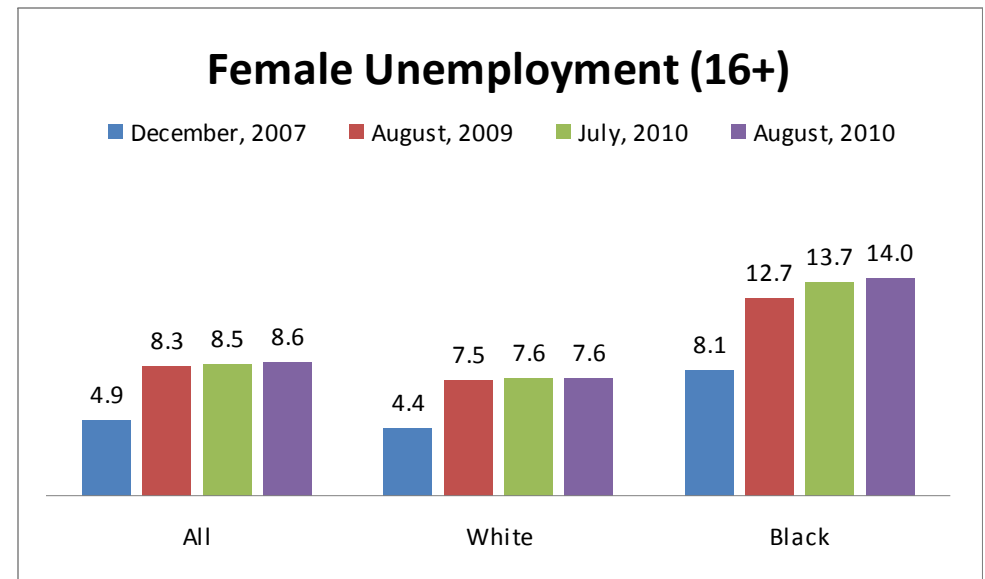
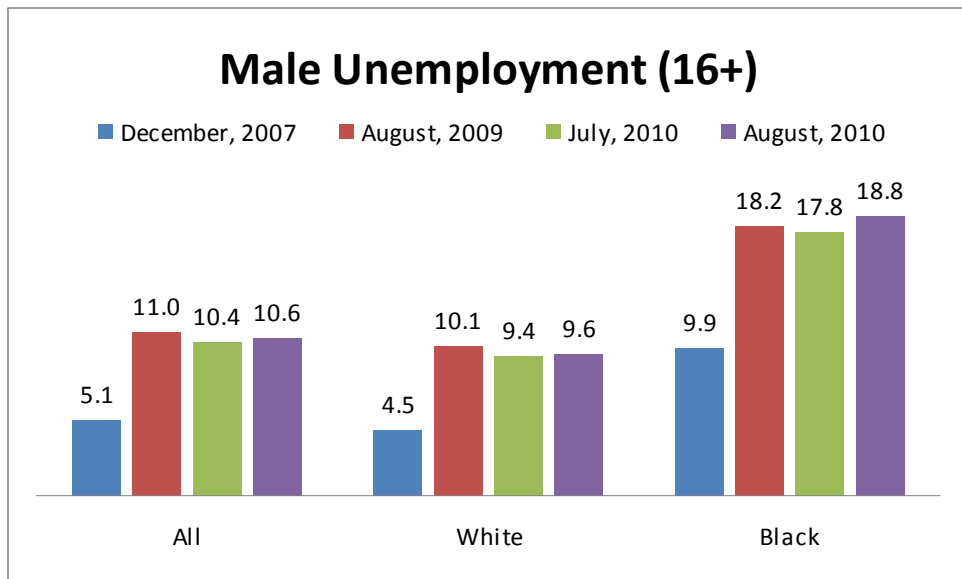
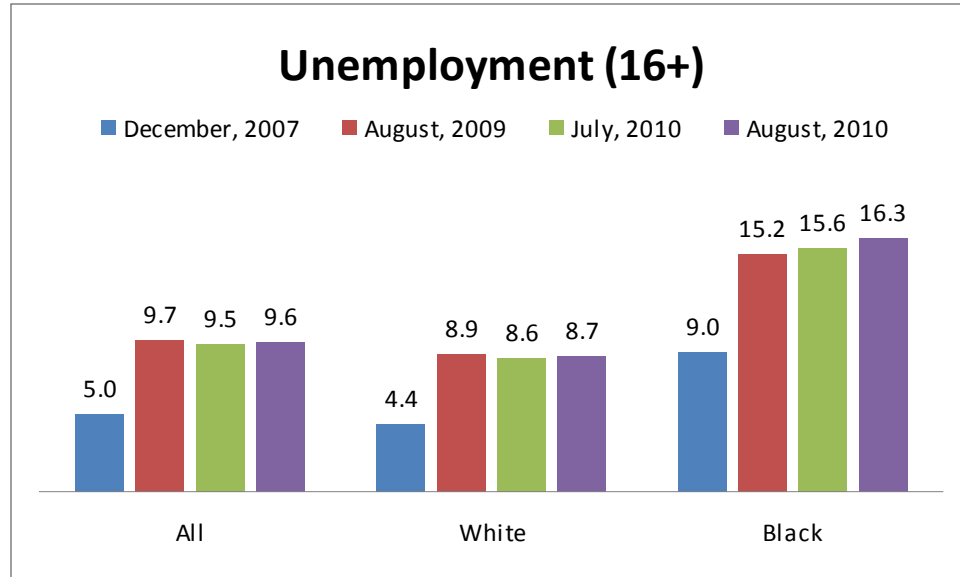
Given these basic concepts, the following rates can be calculated:

Unemployment Rate. The unemployment rate is the proportion of the civilian labor force that was unemployed. (The ratio of the unemployed (U) and the civilian labor force (CLF): $U\% = U/CLF$.) Please note: persons can be jobless, but unemployed if they are not seeking employment. Hence the unemployment rate understates the amount of joblessness.

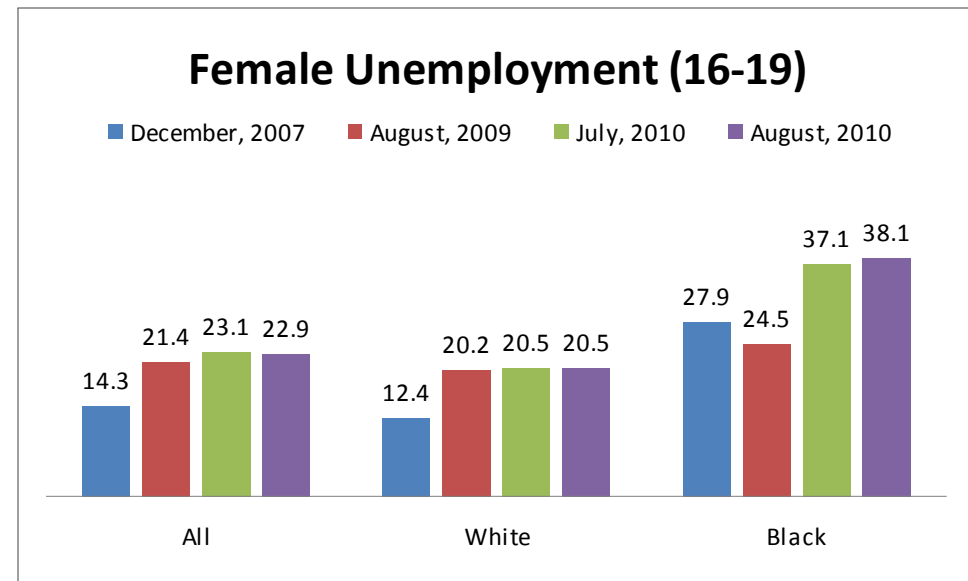
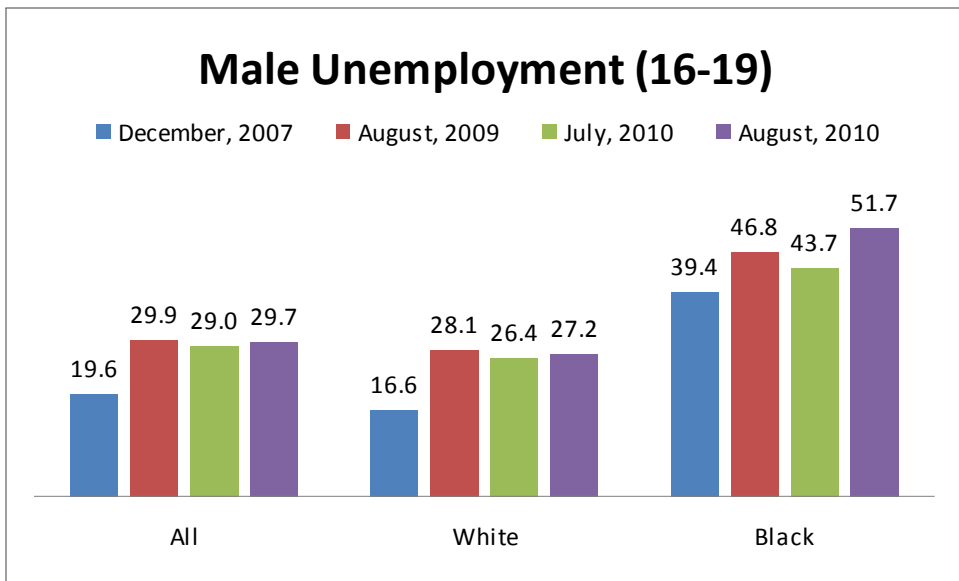
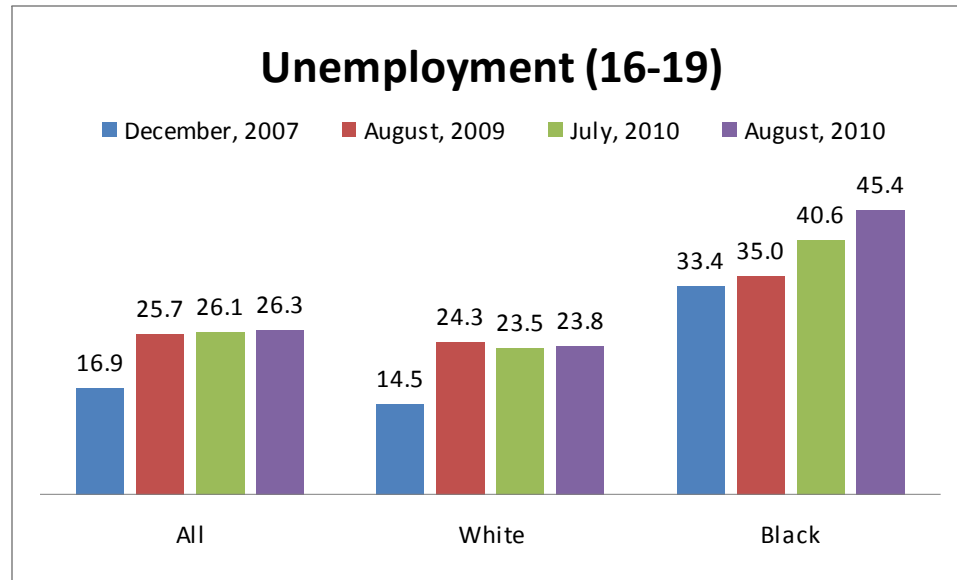
Employment-Population Ratio. The employment-population ratio is the proportion of the population that is employed. (The ratio of the employed (EMP) and the population (POP): $Emp-Pop\ Ratio = EMP/POP$.)

For more information, please consult the website of the Bureau of Labor Statistics: <http://www.bls.gov/bls/glossary.htm> and http://www.bls.gov/opub/hom/homch1_b.htm

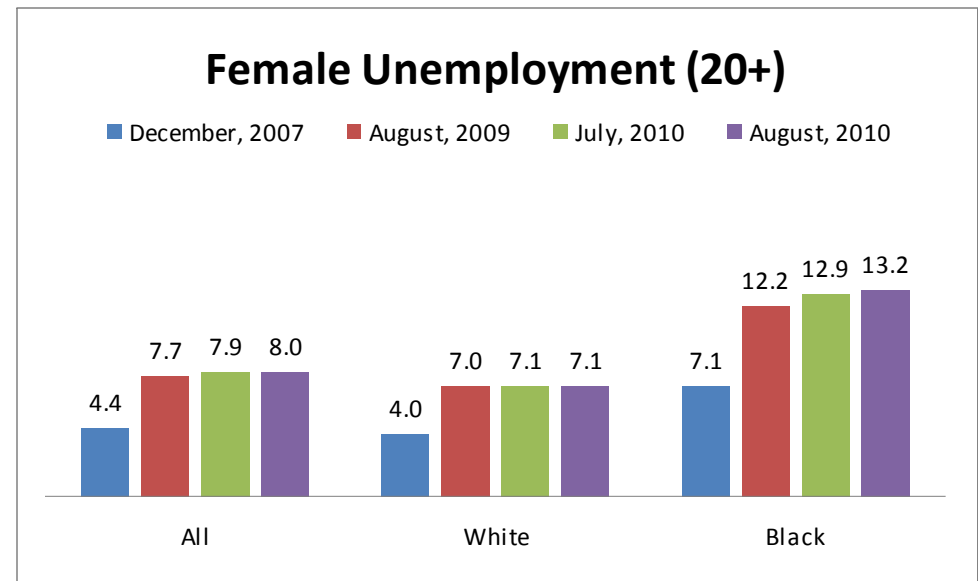
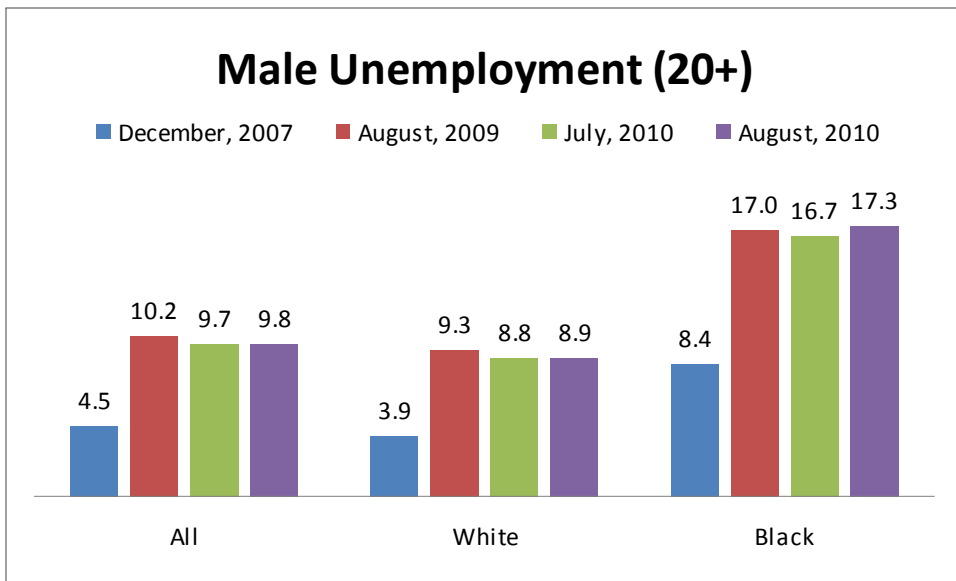
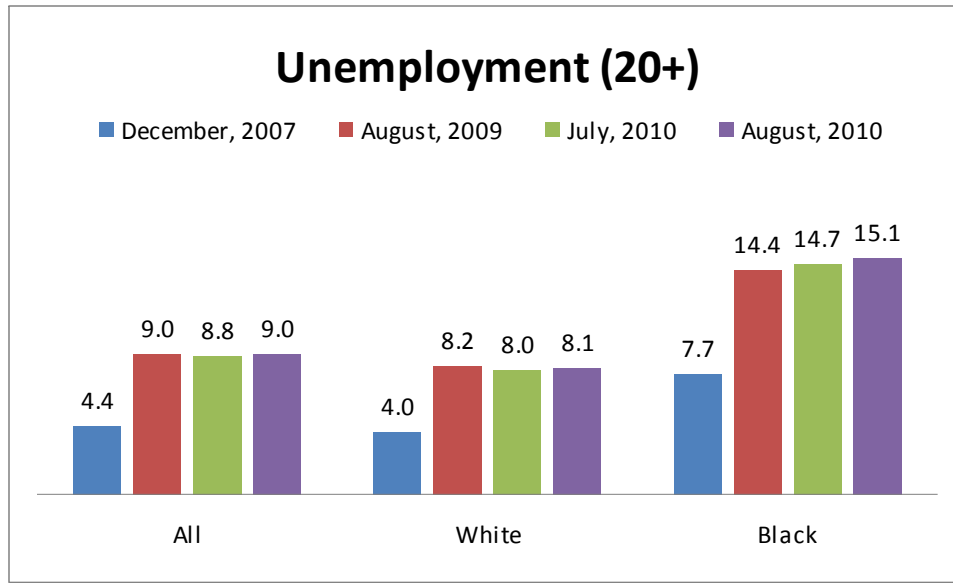
CHARTS A1-3: Unemployment By Race



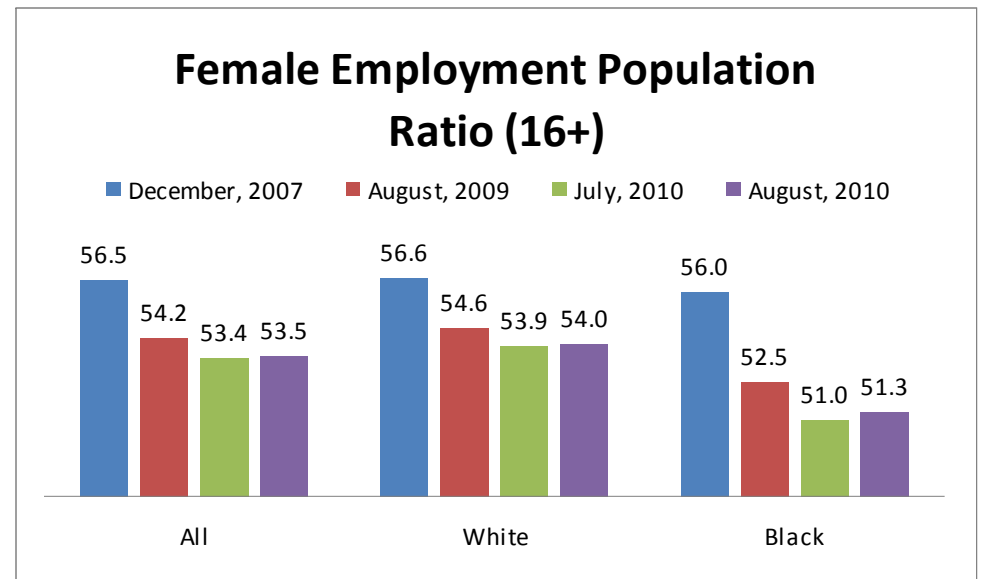
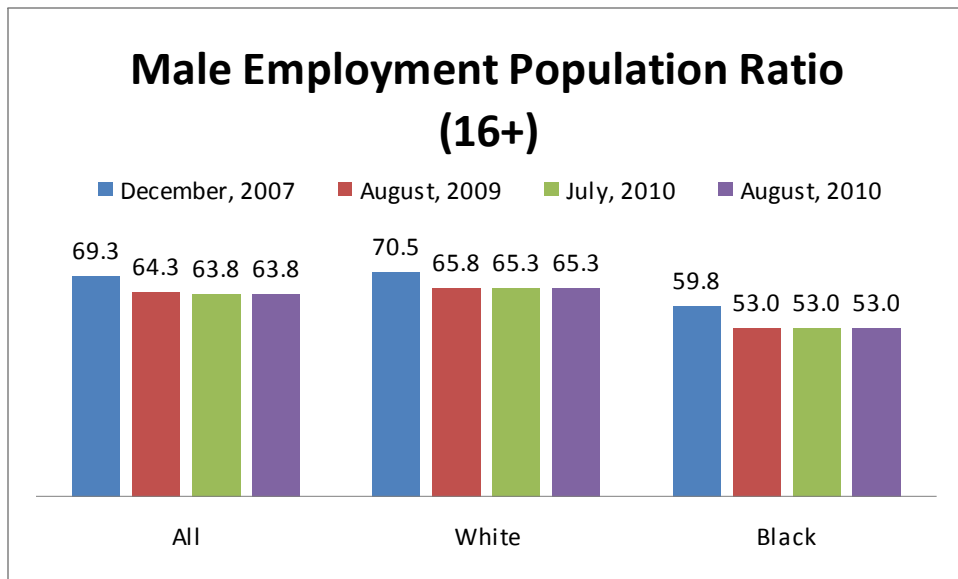
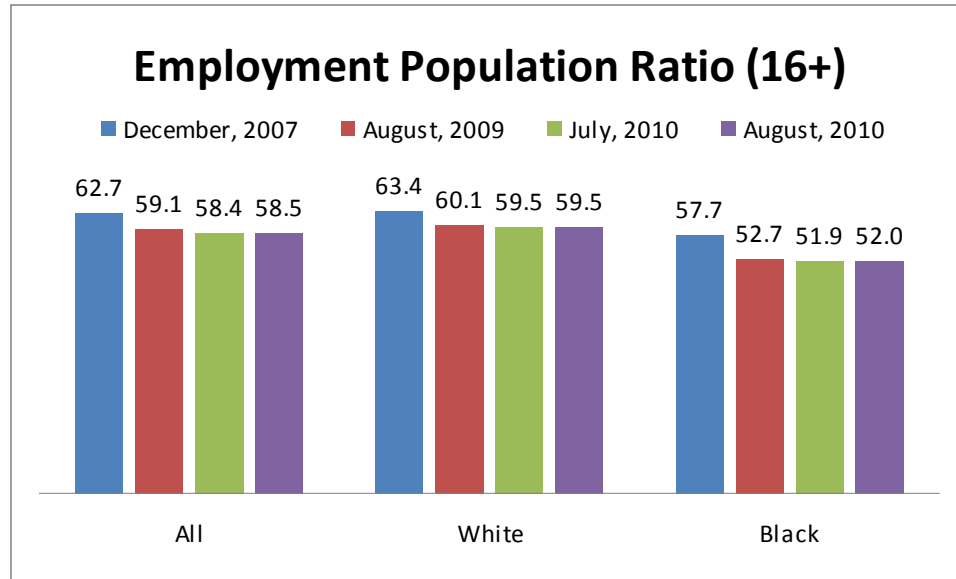
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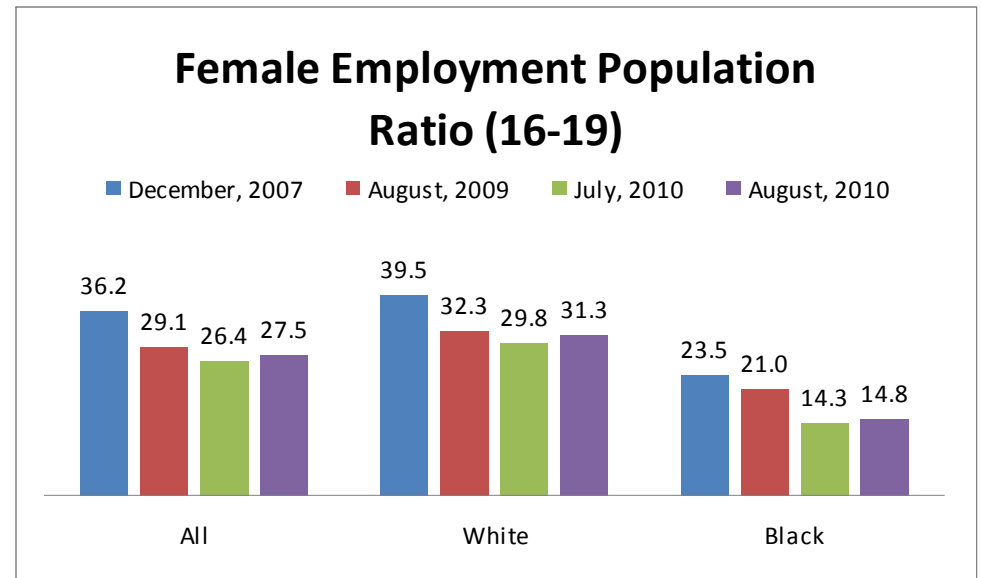
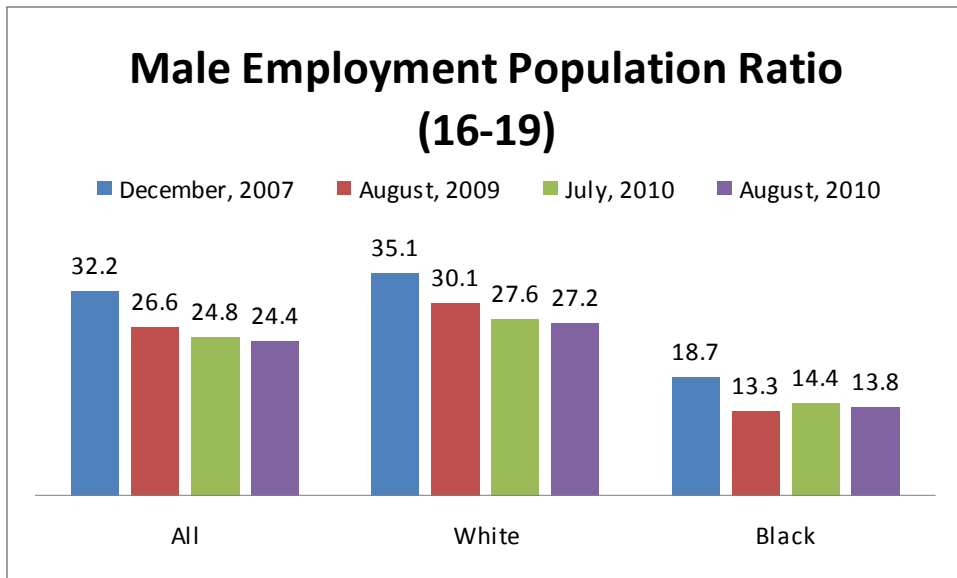
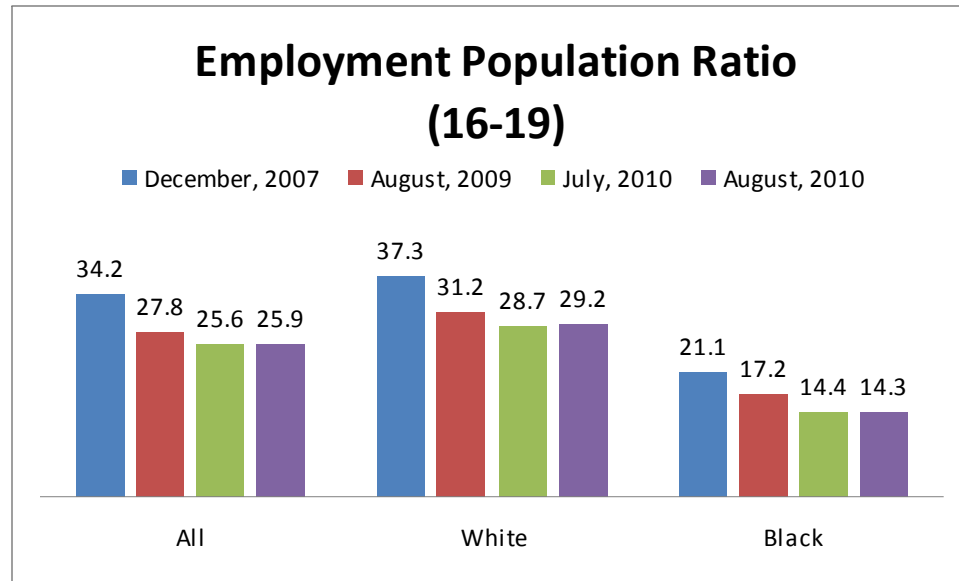
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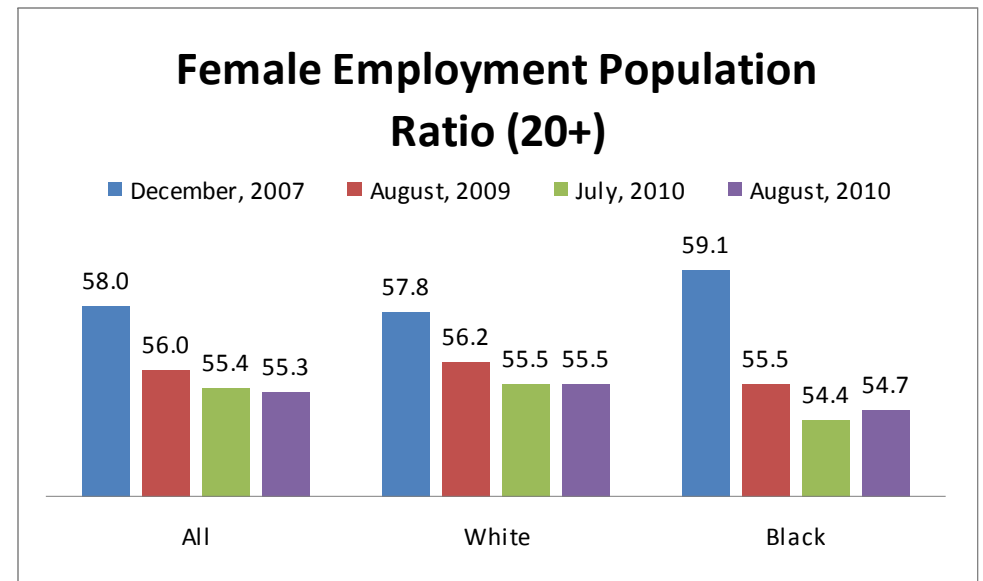
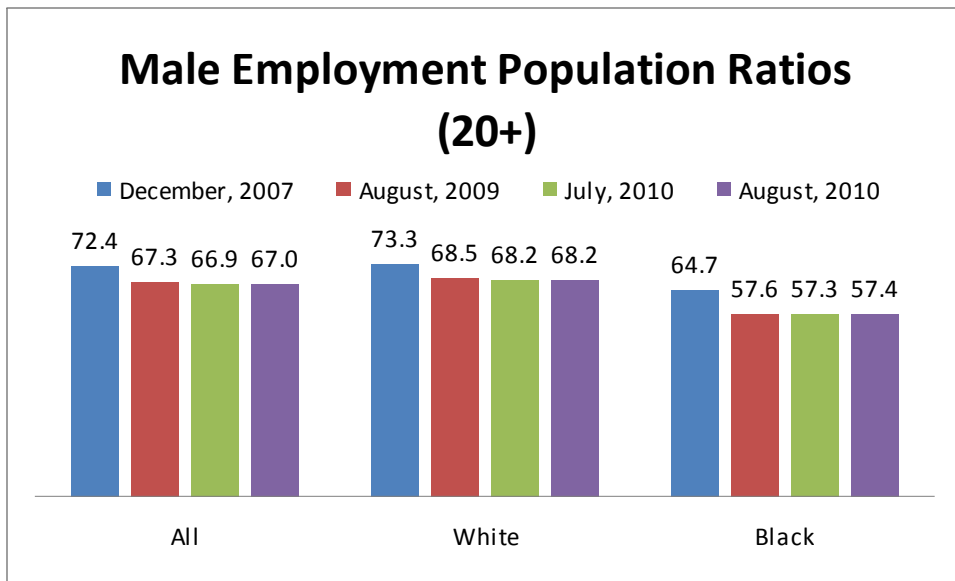
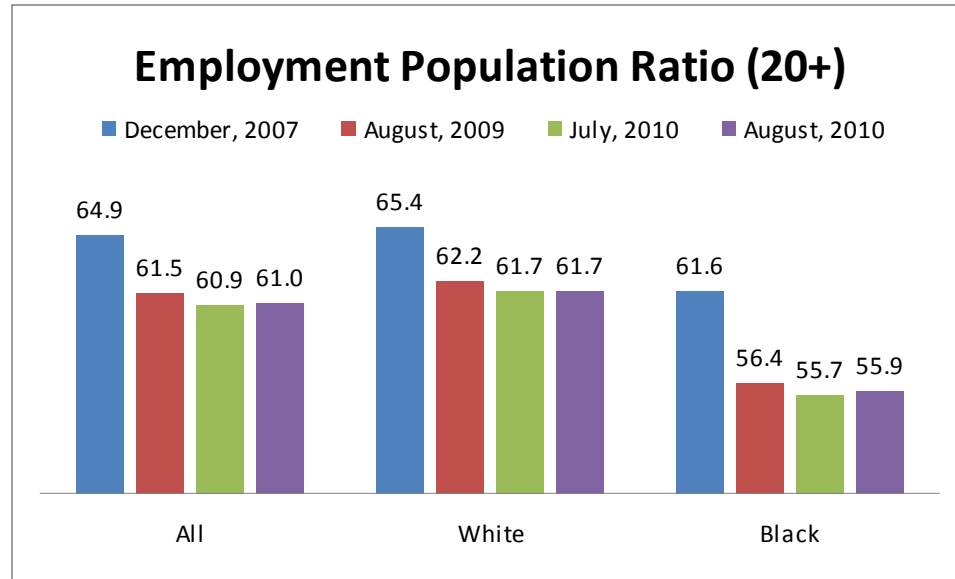


TABLE A1
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE: ALL

		all			men			women		
		all	16-19	20+	all	16-19	20+	all	16-19	20+
2007	December	5.0	16.9	4.4	5.1	19.6	4.5	4.9	14.3	4.4
2008	January	5.0	17.8	4.3	5.1	21.2	4.4	4.7	14.4	4.2
2008	February	4.8	16.5	4.3	4.9	18.4	4.4	4.7	14.6	4.2
2008	March	5.1	16.0	4.6	5.2	17.8	4.6	4.9	14.2	4.5
2008	April	5.0	15.6	4.5	5.1	17.1	4.6	4.7	14.1	4.3
2008	May	5.4	18.9	4.8	5.6	20.8	4.9	5.3	16.9	4.7
2008	June	5.5	19.0	4.9	5.8	21.1	5.1	5.3	16.8	4.7
2008	July	5.8	20.8	5.1	6.2	24.1	5.4	5.3	17.3	4.7
2008	August	6.1	18.9	5.6	6.4	20.7	5.7	5.9	17.2	5.4
2008	September	6.2	19.3	5.6	6.8	21.3	6.1	5.5	17.1	5.0
2008	October	6.6	20.3	5.9	7.1	24.2	6.4	5.9	16.1	5.4
2008	November	6.9	20.3	6.3	7.5	23.8	6.8	6.2	16.6	5.7
2008	December	7.4	20.8	6.8	8.1	23.2	7.4	6.6	18.3	6.0
2009	January	7.7	20.9	7.1	8.5	24.4	7.8	6.9	17.3	6.4
2009	February	8.2	21.8	7.6	9.0	25.0	8.4	7.3	18.6	6.8
2009	March	8.6	22.0	8.0	9.6	25.9	8.9	7.6	18.2	7.1
2009	April	8.9	21.8	8.4	10.1	25.9	9.4	7.6	17.6	7.2
2009	May	9.4	23.2	8.8	10.5	27.1	9.8	8.1	19.1	7.5
2009	June	9.5	24.3	8.9	10.6	26.5	10.0	8.3	22.1	7.6
2009	July	9.4	24.5	8.8	10.5	27.9	9.8	8.2	20.9	7.6
2009	August	9.7	25.7	9.0	11.0	29.9	10.2	8.3	21.4	7.7
2009	September	9.8	26.1	9.2	11.0	29.9	10.3	8.5	22.2	7.9
2009	October	10.1	27.6	9.4	11.4	31.0	10.6	8.8	24.0	8.1
2009	November	10.0	26.8	9.3	11.2	30.4	10.4	8.6	23.1	8.0
2009	December	10.0	27.1	9.3	11.0	30.9	10.2	8.8	23.1	8.2
2010	January	9.7	26.4	9.0	10.8	30.6	10.0	8.4	21.9	7.9
2010	February	9.7	25.0	9.1	10.7	27.6	10.0	8.6	22.3	8.0
2010	March	9.7	26.1	9.1	10.7	29.7	10.0	8.6	22.4	8.0
2010	April	9.9	25.4	9.2	10.8	29.3	10.1	8.8	21.4	8.2
2010	May	9.7	26.4	9.0	10.5	28.1	9.8	8.8	24.6	8.1
2010	June	9.5	25.7	8.9	10.5	29.2	9.9	8.3	22.3	7.8
2010	July	9.5	26.1	8.8	10.4	29.0	9.7	8.5	23.1	7.9
2010	August	9.6	26.3	9.0	10.6	29.7	9.8	8.6	22.9	8.0

TABLE A2
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE: WHITES

		all			men			women		
		all	16-19	20+	all	16-19	20+	all	16-19	20+
2007	December	4.4	14.5	4.0	4.5	16.6	3.9	4.4	12.4	4.0
2008	January	4.4	15.9	3.9	4.6	19.1	3.9	4.2	12.8	3.8
2008	February	4.4	14.4	3.9	4.5	16.8	4.0	4.2	11.9	3.8
2008	March	4.5	13.2	4.1	4.5	14.5	4.1	4.4	11.8	4.0
2008	April	4.4	14.3	3.9	4.6	15.4	4.1	4.2	13.2	3.7
2008	May	4.8	16.8	4.2	5.0	18.1	4.4	4.6	15.4	4.1
2008	June	5.0	17.0	4.4	5.1	18.9	4.5	4.7	15.0	4.2
2008	July	5.2	19.0	4.5	5.5	22.3	4.8	4.8	15.5	4.2
2008	August	5.5	17.1	4.9	5.7	19.5	5.1	5.2	14.5	4.8
2008	September	5.5	17.5	4.9	6.0	19.7	5.4	4.8	15.2	4.3
2008	October	6.0	18.1	5.4	6.4	21.8	5.8	5.4	14.2	4.9
2008	November	6.3	18.5	5.7	6.8	21.4	6.1	5.6	15.4	5.2
2008	December	6.7	18.9	6.2	7.2	21.5	6.6	6.2	16.3	5.7
2009	January	7.0	18.6	6.5	7.6	22.0	7.0	6.3	15.0	5.9
2009	February	7.5	19.3	6.9	8.2	22.4	7.6	6.6	16.3	6.1
2009	March	8.0	20.3	7.4	8.7	23.5	8.1	7.0	17.1	6.5
2009	April	8.1	20.0	7.6	9.1	22.9	8.5	6.9	17.1	6.4
2009	May	8.6	20.7	8.1	9.7	24.6	9.0	7.4	16.6	6.9
2009	June	8.7	21.7	8.1	9.8	24.4	9.2	7.4	19.0	6.8
2009	July	8.7	22.5	8.1	9.8	26.1	9.1	7.4	18.7	6.8
2009	August	8.9	24.3	8.2	10.1	28.1	9.3	7.5	20.2	7.0
2009	September	9.1	23.3	8.4	10.2	26.8	9.6	7.6	19.7	7.1
2009	October	9.4	25.1	8.7	10.6	28.6	9.9	8.0	21.4	7.4
2009	November	9.3	23.0	8.7	10.4	26.0	9.8	7.9	20.0	7.4
2009	December	9.0	23.6	8.4	10.0	27.4	9.3	8.0	19.8	7.4
2010	January	8.7	23.5	8.1	9.8	27.9	9.1	7.3	18.8	6.8
2010	February	8.8	22.5	8.2	9.6	25.0	9.0	7.8	19.9	7.3
2010	March	8.8	23.7	8.1	9.6	27.0	8.9	7.8	20.3	7.3
2010	April	9.0	23.5	8.4	9.9	27.3	9.2	7.9	19.6	7.4
2010	May	8.8	24.4	8.2	9.5	26.6	8.8	8	22.2	7.4
2010	June	8.6	23.2	8.1	9.5	27.1	8.9	7.6	19.3	7.1
2010	July	8.6	23.5	8.0	9.4	26.4	8.8	7.6	20.5	7.1
2010	August	8.7	23.8	8.1	9.6	27.2	8.9	7.6	20.5	7.1

TABLE A3
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE: BLACKS

		all			men			women		
		all	16-19	20+	all	16-19	20+	all	16-19	20+
2007	December	9.0	33.4	7.7	9.9	39.4	8.4	8.1	27.9	7.1
2008	January	9.2	34.0	7.9	10.1	38.0	8.3	8.3	28.7	7.5
2008	February	8.3	30.7	7.2	9.0	31.1	8.0	7.7	30.3	6.5
2008	March	9.1	32.1	8.1	9.8	39.1	8.5	8.6	26.5	7.7
2008	April	8.6	24.9	7.9	9.2	27.4	8.4	8.2	22.9	7.5
2008	May	9.6	31.9	8.5	10.4	39.4	9.0	8.8	24.7	8.1
2008	June	9.4	29.7	8.5	10.7	35.5	9.6	8.2	24.0	7.5
2008	July	9.9	32.9	8.8	11.7	38.7	10.4	8.3	27.3	7.5
2008	August	10.8	29.9	9.8	11.5	29.8	10.6	10.1	30.1	9.2
2008	September	11.4	30.0	10.5	13.0	32.8	12.0	10.0	27.3	9.2
2008	October	11.3	33.3	10.3	13.3	39.5	11.9	9.6	26.3	8.9
2008	November	11.5	31.7	10.6	13.6	42.5	12.4	9.6	21.9	9.2
2008	December	12.1	33.3	11.2	14.7	35.3	13.8	9.8	31.3	8.9
2009	January	12.8	36.8	11.7	15.7	44.4	14.4	10.3	30.1	9.4
2009	February	13.5	38.9	12.4	16.4	45.6	15.1	11.0	32.5	10.1
2009	March	13.5	33.1	12.7	16.6	41.7	15.6	10.8	26.0	10.1
2009	April	15.0	35.1	14.1	18.4	41.7	17.2	12.1	28.2	11.4
2009	May	15.0	39.9	13.9	17.9	46.2	16.7	12.3	34.8	11.3
2009	June	14.8	38.5	13.8	17.5	44.8	16.4	12.4	33.1	11.5
2009	July	14.7	36.2	13.8	17.0	39.2	16.0	12.8	33.5	11.9
2009	August	15.2	35.0	14.4	18.2	46.8	17.0	12.7	24.5	12.2
2009	September	15.5	41.7	14.4	18.0	50.8	16.5	13.3	32.7	12.5
2009	October	15.7	42.1	14.6	18.1	43.6	17.0	13.6	40.7	12.5
2009	November	15.6	49.8	14.1	18.7	57.1	16.8	12.8	41.4	11.7
2009	December	16.2	48.4	14.7	18.2	52.2	16.6	14.3	44.8	13.1
2010	January	16.5	43.8	15.3	19.0	48.3	17.6	14.3	39.4	13.3
2010	February	15.8	42.0	14.8	19.0	44.9	17.8	13.1	39.1	12.1
2010	March	16.5	41.1	15.5	20.2	47.4	19.0	13.2	34.7	12.4
2010	April	16.5	37.3	15.7	18.7	35.2	18.0	14.6	39.4	13.7
2010	May	15.5	38.0	14.6	17.8	35.4	17.1	13.5	40.1	12.4
2010	June	15.4	39.9	14.5	18.4	43.2	17.4	12.6	36.5	11.8
2010	July	15.6	40.6	14.7	17.8	43.7	16.7	13.7	37.1	12.9
2010	August	16.3	45.4	15.1	18.8	51.7	17.3	14.0	38.1	13.2

TABLE A4
EMPLOYMENT-POPULATION RATIO: ALL

		all			men			women		
		all	16-19	20+	all	16-19	20+	all	16-19	20+
2007	December	62.7	34.2	64.9	69.3	32.2	72.4	56.5	36.2	58.0
2008	January	62.9	33.9	65.2	69.6	32.2	72.7	56.7	35.6	58.3
2008	February	62.8	33.4	65.1	69.5	32.2	72.6	56.5	34.6	58.2
2008	March	62.7	33.7	65.0	69.3	32.3	72.4	56.6	35.1	58.2
2008	April	62.7	34.6	65.0	69.2	33.2	72.2	56.6	36.0	58.2
2008	May	62.6	34.1	64.8	69.0	33.7	72.0	56.5	34.6	58.1
2008	June	62.4	32.7	64.7	68.8	32.0	71.9	56.4	33.5	58.1
2008	July	62.2	32.1	64.6	68.6	30.9	71.7	56.2	33.3	57.9
2008	August	62.0	32.4	64.4	68.4	31.6	71.4	56.1	33.2	57.8
2008	September	61.9	32.3	64.2	68.1	31.4	71.1	56.1	33.2	57.8
2008	October	61.7	31.8	64.0	67.7	30.7	70.8	56.0	32.9	57.7
2008	November	61.3	30.7	63.7	67.2	29.5	70.3	55.7	31.9	57.5
2008	December	60.9	30.4	63.3	66.6	29.6	69.7	55.6	31.2	57.4
2009	January	60.6	30.4	63.0	66.1	28.7	69.2	55.4	32.2	57.1
2009	February	60.3	30.3	62.7	65.8	28.7	68.8	55.2	32.0	56.9
2009	March	59.9	29.7	62.3	65.1	27.8	68.2	55.0	31.7	56.8
2009	April	59.9	29.8	62.2	65.1	28.2	68.1	55.0	31.4	56.8
2009	May	59.6	29.5	62.0	64.9	28.0	68.0	54.7	31.1	56.5
2009	June	59.4	29.0	61.8	64.6	27.4	67.7	54.5	30.6	56.3
2009	July	59.3	28.6	61.7	64.5	27.3	67.5	54.4	30.0	56.2
2009	August	59.1	27.8	61.5	64.3	26.6	67.3	54.2	29.1	56.0
2009	September	58.7	27.2	61.2	63.9	26.2	67.0	53.8	28.2	55.7
2009	October	58.4	26.1	60.9	63.6	25.3	66.7	53.6	27.0	55.6
2009	November	58.5	26.2	60.9	63.5	24.7	66.7	53.7	27.7	55.6
2009	December	58.2	25.9	60.6	63.2	24.5	66.3	53.4	27.4	55.3
2010	January	58.4	25.9	60.9	63.3	24.6	66.4	53.9	27.3	55.8
2010	February	58.5	26.3	61.0	63.5	25.4	66.6	53.8	27.3	55.8
2010	March	58.6	26.5	61.0	63.7	25.3	66.8	53.8	27.7	55.7
2010	April	58.8	26.8	61.2	64.0	25.4	67.1	53.8	28.2	55.7
2010	May	58.7	26.2	61.2	64.0	25.2	67.2	53.7	27.3	55.6
2010	June	58.5	25.4	61.1	63.7	24.0	66.9	53.6	26.8	55.6
2010	July	58.4	25.6	60.9	63.8	24.8	66.9	53.4	26.4	55.4
2010	August	58.5	25.9	61.0	63.8	24.4	67.0	53.5	27.5	55.3

TABLE A5
EMPLOYMENT-POPULATION RATIO: WHITES

		all			men			women		
		all	16-19	20+	all	16-19	20+	all	16-19	20+
2007	December	63.4	37.3	65.4	70.5	35.1	73.3	56.6	39.5	57.8
2008	January	63.5	36.8	65.5	70.7	34.2	73.5	56.7	39.4	57.9
2008	February	63.3	36.7	65.3	70.5	35.1	73.3	56.5	38.3	57.8
2008	March	63.3	37.0	65.3	70.5	36.0	73.1	56.5	38.1	57.8
2008	April	63.3	37.9	65.2	70.3	37.0	72.9	56.5	38.9	57.8
2008	May	63.2	37.5	65.1	70.2	37.6	72.8	56.5	37.5	57.8
2008	June	63.1	36.1	65.0	70.0	35.6	72.6	56.4	36.7	57.8
2008	July	63.0	35.3	65.0	70.0	34.2	72.7	56.3	36.5	57.7
2008	August	62.7	35.5	64.7	69.6	34.3	72.3	56.2	36.6	57.6
2008	September	62.7	35.2	64.7	69.3	34.1	72.0	56.4	36.3	57.8
2008	October	62.4	35.2	64.5	69.0	33.4	71.7	56.2	37.0	57.6
2008	November	62.0	34.2	64.1	68.5	33.3	71.2	55.8	35.2	57.3
2008	December	61.6	33.7	63.7	67.9	32.8	70.6	55.6	34.7	57.1
2009	January	61.4	33.7	63.4	67.5	32.2	70.2	55.4	35.2	56.9
2009	February	61.2	34.4	63.1	67.1	32.3	69.8	55.5	36.5	56.8
2009	March	60.7	33.3	62.8	66.4	31.2	69.2	55.3	35.4	56.7
2009	April	60.8	32.9	62.9	66.5	31.1	69.2	55.4	34.8	56.8
2009	May	60.6	33.1	62.6	66.3	31.5	69.0	55.0	34.7	56.4
2009	June	60.3	32.2	62.4	66.0	30.5	68.8	54.9	34.1	56.3
2009	July	60.2	31.8	62.3	66.0	30.2	68.7	54.7	33.4	56.2
2009	August	60.1	31.2	62.2	65.8	30.1	68.5	54.6	32.3	56.2
2009	September	59.7	30.6	61.8	65.4	29.5	68.1	54.3	31.7	55.8
2009	October	59.4	29.3	61.6	65.1	28.3	67.8	54.0	30.4	55.7
2009	November	59.4	29.4	61.5	64.9	27.7	67.7	54.1	31.2	55.6
2009	December	59.1	29.3	61.3	64.6	27.5	67.4	53.9	31.3	55.5
2010	January	59.4	28.7	61.7	64.7	27.1	67.5	54.4	30.4	56.1
2010	February	59.4	29.2	61.6	64.9	27.8	67.7	54.2	30.8	55.8
2010	March	59.5	29.3	61.7	65.1	27.9	67.9	54.2	30.7	55.9
2010	April	59.7	29.8	61.9	65.3	28.1	68.2	54.3	31.6	55.9
2010	May	59.6	28.9	61.8	65.4	27.8	68.3	54.0	30.2	55.7
2010	June	59.5	28.2	61.7	65.2	26.4	68.1	54.0	30.0	55.6
2010	July	59.5	28.7	61.7	65.3	27.6	68.2	53.9	29.8	55.5
2010	August	59.5	29.2	61.7	65.3	27.2	68.2	54.0	31.3	55.5

TABLE A6
EMPLOYMENT-POPULATION RATIO: BLACKS

		all			men			women		
		all	16-19	20+	all	16-19	20+	all	16-19	20+
2007	December	57.7	21.1	61.6	59.8	18.7	64.7	56.0	23.5	59.1
2008	January	58.2	21.6	62.1	60.9	23.4	65.3	56.0	19.8	59.5
2008	February	58.4	21.5	62.3	60.8	19.3	65.7	56.4	23.6	59.6
2008	March	58.2	19.8	62.3	60.1	16.0	65.3	56.7	23.5	59.9
2008	April	58.5	21.5	62.4	60.4	18.5	65.4	56.8	24.3	60.0
2008	May	57.7	20.9	61.6	59.7	18.4	64.5	56.1	23.3	59.3
2008	June	57.6	19.7	61.6	59.7	18.2	64.6	55.9	21.2	59.3
2008	July	57.3	19.9	61.2	58.9	18.1	63.7	55.9	21.7	59.2
2008	August	57.4	22.1	61.2	59.8	21.8	64.2	55.5	22.5	58.8
2008	September	56.3	21.0	60.1	58.3	20.2	62.8	54.7	21.8	57.9
2008	October	56.4	19.9	60.3	57.9	19.3	62.4	55.2	20.5	58.6
2008	November	55.9	17.6	60.0	56.7	14.3	61.7	55.3	20.8	58.6
2008	December	55.8	18.0	59.8	56.4	17.3	61.1	55.2	18.6	58.7
2009	January	55.1	18.4	59.0	55.6	15.3	60.4	54.7	21.5	57.9
2009	February	54.5	16.9	58.4	55.0	14.7	59.7	54.1	19.1	57.4
2009	March	54.0	17.1	57.9	54.3	13.7	59.1	53.7	20.4	56.9
2009	April	53.7	18.4	57.4	54.0	17.0	58.4	53.5	19.9	56.7
2009	May	53.5	16.4	57.4	53.8	13.5	58.5	53.2	19.3	56.4
2009	June	53.3	16.7	57.2	53.5	13.9	58.1	53.2	19.4	56.4
2009	July	53.3	17.7	57.0	53.7	16.2	58.1	52.9	19.2	56.1
2009	August	52.7	17.2	56.4	53.0	13.3	57.6	52.5	21.0	55.5
2009	September	52.1	15.0	56.0	52.5	12.7	57.1	51.7	17.2	55.0
2009	October	52.0	15.3	55.9	52.8	14.7	57.2	51.4	15.8	54.8
2009	November	52.5	14.0	56.5	52.8	12.9	57.4	52.2	15.0	55.7
2009	December	51.9	14.2	55.8	52.8	13.2	57.4	51.1	15.2	54.5
2010	January	52.0	15.6	55.7	52.6	14.5	57.0	51.4	16.7	54.7
2010	February	52.3	14.9	56.2	52.5	14.5	56.9	52.1	15.3	55.6
2010	March	52.2	15.7	55.9	52.7	14.5	57.0	51.8	16.9	55.1
2010	April	52.4	15.8	56.1	53.4	16.2	57.6	51.5	15.4	54.9
2010	May	53.0	16.2	56.8	54.1	15.4	58.5	52.1	16.9	55.4
2010	June	52.4	14.4	56.3	52.9	14.1	57.3	52.0	14.6	55.5
2010	July	51.9	14.4	55.7	53.0	14.4	57.3	51.0	14.3	54.4
2010	August	52.0	14.3	55.9	53.0	13.8	57.4	51.3	14.8	54.7