In July 2018, of these 38.05 million were in the labor force (38.63 million were employed, 382 thousand were unemployed and 42 thousand were seasonally inactive labor force). Comparing to the labor force rate to the same period as in 2017, increased of 650 thousand (from 37.98 million to 38.63 million). Unemployed decreased 94 thousand (from 476 thousand to 382 thousand).

Considering the number of underemployed workers (persons who were working less than 35 hours per week and available for additional work), there were 295 thousand or 0.8% of the total employed persons.

Work experience of unemployed persons, about 204 thousand out of 382 thousand, had no experience in work and 178 thousand have ever worked. Looking at the distribution of unemployed persons, were from service and trade, manufacturing and agriculture sector respectively.