

Table 1.
Luzerne/Schuylkill WIA
(Luzerne and Schuylkill counties)
Labor Force Characteristics*
Employment and Unemployment by Sex, Age and Minority Status

2016-2020 American Community Survey 5-Year Estimates

Sex, Age and Minority Status		Labor Force	Employed	Unemp - loyed	Percent Distribution			Unemp - loyment Rate ⁵
					Labor Force	Employed	Unemp - loyed	
Both Sexes								
1.	Total	227,842	214,632	13,210	100.0	100.0	100.0	5.8
2.	White ¹	206,146	195,432	10,714	90.5	91.1	81.1	5.2
3.	Black or African America	6,973	5,956	1,017	3.1	2.8	7.7	14.6
4.	Other Races ²	14,723	13,244	1,479	6.5	6.2	11.2	10.0
5.	Hispanic or Latino ³	21,662	19,651	2,011	9.5	9.2	15.2	9.3
6.	Minority Group ⁴	43,358	38,851	4,507	19.0	18.1	34.1	10.4
7.	Total Veteran	10,107	9,663	444	4.4	4.5	3.4	4.4
Age								
8.	16 to 19 years	8,978	6,928	2,050	3.9	3.2	15.5	22.8
9.	20 to 21 years	8,081	7,121	960	3.5	3.3	7.3	11.9
FEMALE								
10.	Total	108,521	102,634	5,887	100.0	100.0	100.0	5.4
11.	Percent of both sexes	--	--	--	47.6	47.8	44.6	--
12.	White	98,225	93,695	4,530	90.5	91.3	76.9	4.6
13.	Black	3,303	2,906	397	3.0	2.8	6.7	12.0
14.	Other Races	6,993	6,033	960	6.4	5.9	16.3	13.7
15.	Hispanic 1/	9,806	8,829	977	9.0	8.6	16.6	10.0
16.	Minority Group 2/	20,102	17,768	2,334	18.5	17.3	39.6	11.6
MALE								
17.	Total	119,321	111,998	7,323	100.0	100.0	100.0	6.1
18.	Percent of both sexes	--	--	--	52.4	52.2	55.4	--
19.	White	107,921	101,737	6,184	90.4	90.8	84.4	5.7
20.	Black	3,670	3,050	620	3.1	2.7	8.5	16.9
21.	Other Races	7,730	7,211	519	6.5	6.4	7.1	6.7
22.	Hispanic 1/	11,856	10,822	1,034	9.9	9.7	14.1	8.7
23.	Minority Group 2/	23,256	21,083	2,173	19.5	18.8	29.7	9.3

*Labor force, employed, unemployed, and all related calculations include civilian labor force participants. The civilian

(1) White including Hispanics and Latinos

(2) American Indian and Alaska Native, Asian, Native Hawaiian and other Pacific Islander or other racer or two or more

(3) Individuals of Mexican, Puerto Rican, Cuban, or other Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino origin

(4) Total of all non white (alone) races and individuals of Hispanic or Latino origin. Since Hispanic or Latino individuals

(5) Number of unemployed individuals divided by the number of individuals in the labor force