



Employment Facts and Statistics

Office of Economic Opportunity
 Veterans Benefits Administration
 BLS Figures (non-seasonally adjusted)

March-17

Unemployment

Cohort (% of total)	Rate	Change	Level	Change	Non-Vets
National	4.5%	0.2%	7.2M	300,000	-
>27 Weeks			1.7M	100,000	-
All Veterans (100%)	3.9%	0.0%	405,000	-4,000	4.4%
Male	3.7%	-0.2%	339,000	-19,000	4.9%
Female	5.5%	1.2%	66,000	15,000	4.0%
Post-9/11 Veterans (40%)	5.0%	0.4%	160,000	6,000	-
Male	4.6%	0.0%	126,000	-6,000	-
Female	7.9%	2.9%	35,000	13,000	-
18-24 Veterans (4%)	10.8%	3.1%	18,000	5,000	7.9%
Male	12.6%	4.3%	18,000	5,000	9.5%
Female*	-	-	-	-	6.3%
25-34 Veterans (23%)	6.7%	0.8%	93,000	9,000	4.6%
Male	5.8%	-0.1%	69,000	-3,000	5.2%
Female	11.4%	5.4%	25,000	12,000	3.9%
35-44 Veterans (20%)	4.1%	-0.1%	80,000	-4,000	4.1%
Male	3.7%	0.3%	62,000	4,000	4.2%
Female	6.4%	-2.0%	19,000	-6,000	4.0%
45-54 Veterans (19%)	2.8%	0.0%	75,000	-1,000	3.4%
Male	2.8%	-0.4%	66,000	-10,000	3.6%
Female*	2.3%	-	9,000	-	3.3%
55+ Veterans (34%)	3.4%	-0.3%	138,000	-14,000	3.5%
Male	3.3%	-0.4%	124,000	-15,000	3.8%
Female	4.8%	0.6%	14,000	1,000	3.2%

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- 31,000 (12%) of all 18-54 Veterans (266,000) are enrolled in school either part time or full time

Unemployed by State Data

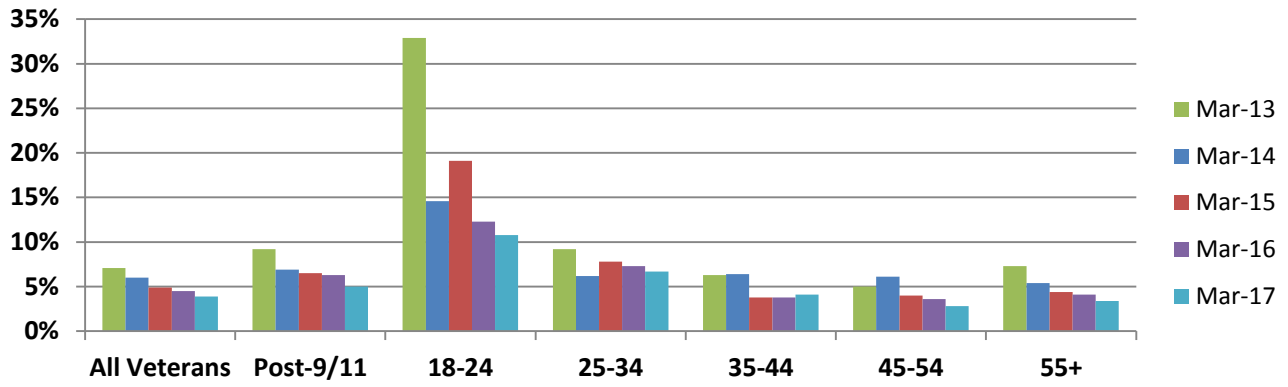
Highest Levels (39% of total)	Level	Highest Rates	Rate
Texas	49,000	Idaho	11.7%
California	37,000	Minnesota	10.2%
North Carolina	28,000	Wisconsin	10.1%
Georgia	26,000	Rhode Island	9.7%
Minnesota	18,000	Nebraska	9.1%

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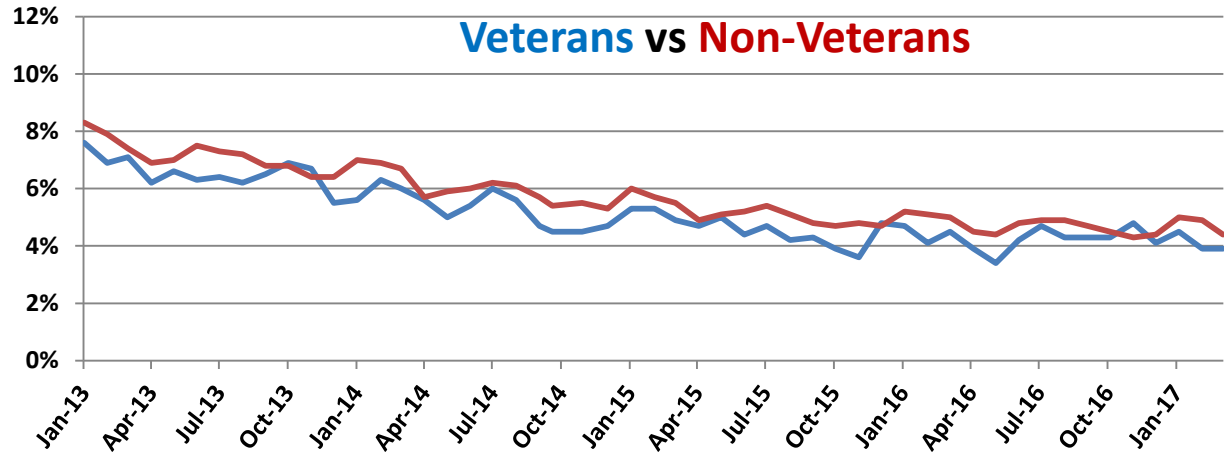
Employment Sectors

Sector	+/-	Sector	+/-
Professional/Business	56,000	Manufacturing	Even
Healthcare	14,000	Leisure & Hospitality	Even
Financial	9,000	Wholesale Trade	Even
Construction	6,000	Government	Even
Transportation/Warehousing	Even	Retail	30,000

Year-Over-Year Comparison



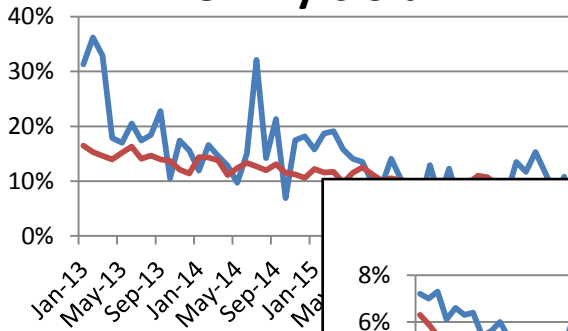
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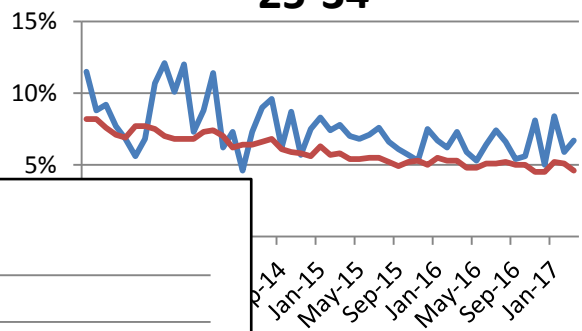
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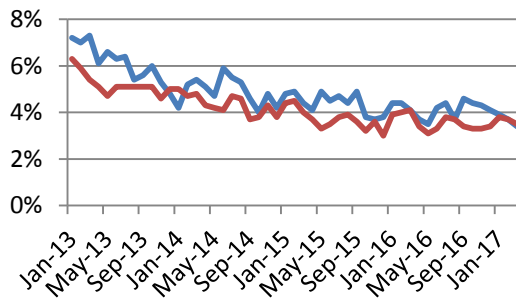
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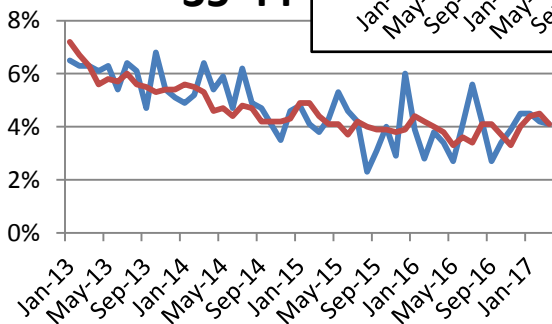
25-34



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35-44



45-54

