

TABLE. I-7.—Average monthly duration of unemployment by industry, 1957

[Numbers in thousands]

Industry division	Unem- ployment rate	Total number	4 weeks or less	5 and 6 weeks	7 to 10 weeks	11 to 14 weeks	15 weeks and over			As a percent of total unemployed		Percent distribu- tion	
							Total	15 to 26	27 and over	4 weeks or less	15 weeks and over	4 weeks or less	15 weeks and over
Total.....	4.3	2,935	1,485	288	392	240	560	321	239	50.6	19.1	100.0	100.0
Experienced workers.....													
Agriculture.....	3.9	2,640	1,322	231	356	220	512	295	217	50.1	19.4	80.0	91.4
Nonagricultural industries.....	4.1	131	67	11	10	12	16	10	6	58.8	12.2	5.2	2.9
Wage and salary	4.5	2,508	1,245	220	340	208	496	285	211	49.6	19.8	83.8	88.6
Mining.....	5.7	2,438	1,208	216	332	204	479	275	204	49.5	19.6	81.2	85.5
Construction.....	6.8	368	177	2	5	3	14	8	6	(2)	(1)	1.1	2.5
Manufacturing.....	5.0	904	406	81	128	82	67	43	24	50.0	18.2	12.4	12.0
Durables.....	4.9	593	292	44	70	40	119	68	51	44.0	23.0	27.3	37.1
Nondurables.....	5.3	400	184	37	58	33	88	49	39	46.0	22.0	14.9	21.2
Transportation.....	3.1	148	78	11	20	12	27	17	10	52.7	18.3	12.4	15.7
Trade.....	4.5	466	245	41	66	37	77	42	35	52.6	16.5	5.3	4.8
Services.....	3.2	442	241	38	60	34	68	41	27	54.5	15.4	16.5	13.7
Public administration.....	2.0	61	32	6	8	4	16	5	11	52.5	26.2	2.2	2.9
Self-employed and unpaid.....	1.0	71	39	4	8	2	17	10	7	54.9	23.9	2.6	3.0
New workers.....	(3)	290	164	27	36	20	48	26	22	55.4	16.2	11.0	8.6

¹ Includes forestry and fisheries, not shown separately.² Percent not shown where base is less than 50,000.³ Not applicable.