

**Table 11.4-- EMPLOYMENT STATUS OF THE CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE,
HAWAII COUNTY: ANNUAL AVERAGES,
1977 TO 2002**

(Data for 1980 and later years are not directly comparable
to estimates for earlier years)

| Year | Civilian labor force | Number employed | Number unemployed | Unemployment rate (%) |
|----------------|-----------------------------|------------------------|--------------------------|------------------------------|
| 1977 | 37,800 | 34,350 | 3,450 | 9.1 |
| 1978 | 37,600 | 33,950 | 3,650 | 9.8 |
| 1979 | 37,250 | 34,350 | 2,900 | 7.8 |
| 1980 | 43,550 | 40,850 | 2,700 | 6.2 |
| 1981 | 45,450 | 42,150 | 3,350 | 7.3 |
| 1982 | 47,200 | 42,700 | 4,500 | 9.6 |
| 1983 <u>1/</u> | 48,350 | 44,050 | 4,350 | 9.0 |
| 1984 <u>1/</u> | 48,650 | 44,900 | 3,700 | 7.7 |
| 1985 | 50,400 | 46,150 | 4,250 | 8.5 |
| 1986 | 51,300 | 47,500 | 3,850 | 7.5 |
| 1987 | 54,050 | 50,950 | 3,100 | 5.8 |
| 1988 <u>1/</u> | 54,900 | 52,200 | 2,700 | 4.9 |
| 1989 <u>1/</u> | 56,900 | 54,700 | 2,200 | 3.9 |
| 1990 <u>1/</u> | 57,500 | 55,200 | 2,300 | 4.0 |
| 1991 <u>1/</u> | 63,800 | 60,900 | 2,900 | 4.5 |
| 1992 <u>1/</u> | 65,350 | 60,050 | 5,250 | 8.1 |
| 1993 <u>1/</u> | 65,300 | 60,400 | 4,850 | 7.5 |
| 1994 <u>1/</u> | 65,350 | 58,300 | 7,100 | 10.8 |
| 1995 <u>1/</u> | 64,150 | 57,600 | 6,550 | 10.2 |
| 1996 <u>1/</u> | 67,250 | 60,550 | 6,650 | 9.9 |
| 1997 | 68,750 | 61,750 | 7,000 | 10.2 |
| 1998 <u>1/</u> | 68,600 | 61,950 | 6,600 | 9.6 |
| 1999 <u>1/</u> | 69,400 | 63,350 | 6,050 | 8.7 |
| 2000 | 70,100 | 65,450 | 4,650 | 6.7 |
| 2001 | 72,250 | 67,300 | 4,950 | 6.8 |
| 2002 | 70,200 | 66,150 | 4,000 | 5.7 |

1/ Revised.

Source: Hawaii State Department of Labor and Industrial Relations, Labor Force Data Book (March 1978), as revised annually through April 1992, tables 3, 3-A, 3-B, 3-C and 3-D; Labor Force Data Book: A Compilation of Labor Force Statistics, May 1996, p.35; State of Hawaii Labor Force Databook, May 1997, p.33; and Website: <http://www.state.hi.us/dlir/rs/loihi/>