

**VIRGIN ISLANDS IS ELIGIBLE FOR A TIME LIMIT WAIVER ON THE BASIS OF
MAY 2021 - APRIL 2023
UNEMPLOYMENT RATES**

Step 1	Please see worksheet entitled "Step 1-4" for monthly l
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	from Step 2 MAY 2021 - APRIL 2023	from Step 1 MAY 2021 - APRIL 2023
	Total labor force	Total number of unemployed
U.S. Virgin Islands	1,027,899	68,652
National Unemployment	3,930,127	159,001
Threshold - 20% Above the National Average		

Source: US Virgin Islands Department of Labor
<https://www.vidol.gov/labor-statistics/>

labor force numbers
n labor force totals
unemployed numbers
n unemployed totals

Step 4	Step 5	
APRIL 2023	MAY 2021 - APRIL 2023	MAY 2021 - APRIL 2023
	Average	Average
number	Unemployment Rate	Unemployment Rate
employed	(unrounded)	(4 decimal places)
	0.066789	0.0667
	0.040457	0.0404
		0.0484

Step 6	Step 7
MAY 2021 - APRIL 2023 Average Unemployment Rate (multiply by 100)	MAY 2021 - APRIL 2023 Average Unemployment Rate (one decimal place)
6.67	6.7
4.04	4
4.84	4.8

Labor Force Statistics from the Current Population Survey
Original Data Value

Series Id: LNU01000000, LNU03000000

Not Seasonally Adjusted

Series (Unadj) Civilian Labor Force Level, (Unadj) Unemployment Level

Labor Civilian labor force, Unemployed

Type of Number in thousands

Age: 16 years and over

Years: 2021 to 2023

<http://www.bls.gov/webapps/legacy/cpsatab1.htm>

Year	Month	Civilian labor force	Unemployment	Unemployment rate
Jan	2021	159234	10851	6.8
Feb	2021	160008	10486	6.6
Mar	2021	160397	9905	6.2
Apr	2021	160379	9220	5.7
May	2021	160607	8829	5.5
Jun	2021	162167	9883	6.1
Jul	2021	162817	9221	5.7
Aug	2021	161788	8556	5.3
Sep	2021	161392	7366	4.6
Oct	2021	161863	6896	4.3
Nov	2021	162099	6302	3.9
Dec	2021	161696	5964	3.7
Jan	2022	162825	7207	4.4
Feb	2022	163725	6782	4.1
Mar	2022	164274	6168	3.8
Apr	2022	163449	5458	3.3
May	2022	164157	5548	3.4
Jun	2022	165012	6334	3.8
Jul	2022	165321	6255	3.8
Aug	2022	164971	6256	3.8
Sep	2022	164463	5460	3.3
Oct	2022	164753	5609	3.4
Nov	2022	164272	5523	3.4
Dec	2022	164224	5352	3.3
Jan	2023	165070	6378	3.9
Feb	2023	166178	6465	3.9
Mar	2023	166783	6043	3.6
Apr	2023	166221	5146	3.1
May	2023	166702	5700	3.4

National 24-Month Unemployment Average

Start date	End date	Civilian labor force	Unemploym ent	Unemployment Rate (Rounded)
Jan-21	Dec-22	3,905,893	175,431	4.5
Feb-21	Jan-23	3,911,729	170,958	4.4
Mar-21	Feb-23	3,917,899	166,937	4.3
Apr-21	Mar-23	3,924,285	163,075	4.2
May-21	Apr-23	3,930,127	159,001	4
Jun-21	May-23	3,936,222	155,872	4

**20% Above the
National Average
(Rounded)**

5.4
5.2
5.1
5
4.8
4.7

Labor Force, Employment and Unemployment for Virgin Islands in Multiple Time Periods

The table below shows the monthly not seasonally adjusted Labor Force, Employment and Unemployment

Source: US Virgin Islands Department of Labor

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<https://www.vidol.gov/labor-statistics/>

Year	Period	Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Unemployment Rate
2021	Jan	42,409	38,584	3,824	9.0%
2021	Feb	42,807	39,122	3,685	8.6%
2021	Mar	42,864	39,234	3,630	8.5%
2021	Apr	42,878	39,459	3,419	8.0%
2021	May	42,946	39,359	3,586	8.4%
2021	Jun	43,496	39,484	4,012	9.2%
2021	Jul	44,031	39,797	4,234	9.6%
2021	Aug	43,951	39,709	4,242	9.7%
2021	Sep	43,491	39,497	3,995	9.2%
2021	Oct	43,680	39,809	3,871	8.9%
2021	Nov	43,651	39,909	3,741	8.6%
2021	Dec	43,326	39,922	3,404	7.9%
2022	Jan	42,842	39,259	3,583	8.4%
2022	Feb	43,149	39,784	3,365	7.8%
2022	Mar	43,312	40,122	3,190	7.4%
2022	Apr	43,028	40,122	2,906	6.8%
2022	May	42,955	40,134	2,821	6.6%
2022	Jun	43,153	40,284	2,869	6.6%
2022	Jul	43,587	40,909	2,678	6.1%
2022	Aug	42,465	40,047	2,418	5.7%
2022	Sep	42,370	40,072	2,298	5.4%
2022	Oct	42,697	40,609	2,088	4.9%
2022	Nov	42,346	40,372	1,974	4.7%
2022	Dec	42,485	40,709	1,776	4.2%
2023	Jan	40,877	39,397	1,480	3.6%
2023	Feb	41,342	39,909	1,433	3.5%
2023	Mar	41,538	40,134	1,404	3.4%
2023	Apr	41,181	39,897	1,284	3.1%

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Virgin Islands 24-Month Unemployment Averages

Start date	End date	Labor force	Unemployment
Jan-21	Dec-22	1033919	77,609
Feb-21	Jan-23	1032387	75,265
Mar-21	Feb-23	1030922	73,013
Apr-21	Mar-23	1029596	70,787
May-21	Apr-23	1027899	68,652

Unemployment Rate (Rounded)	National Average (Rounded)
7.5	5.4
7.3	5.2
7.1	5.1
6.9	5
6.7	4.8