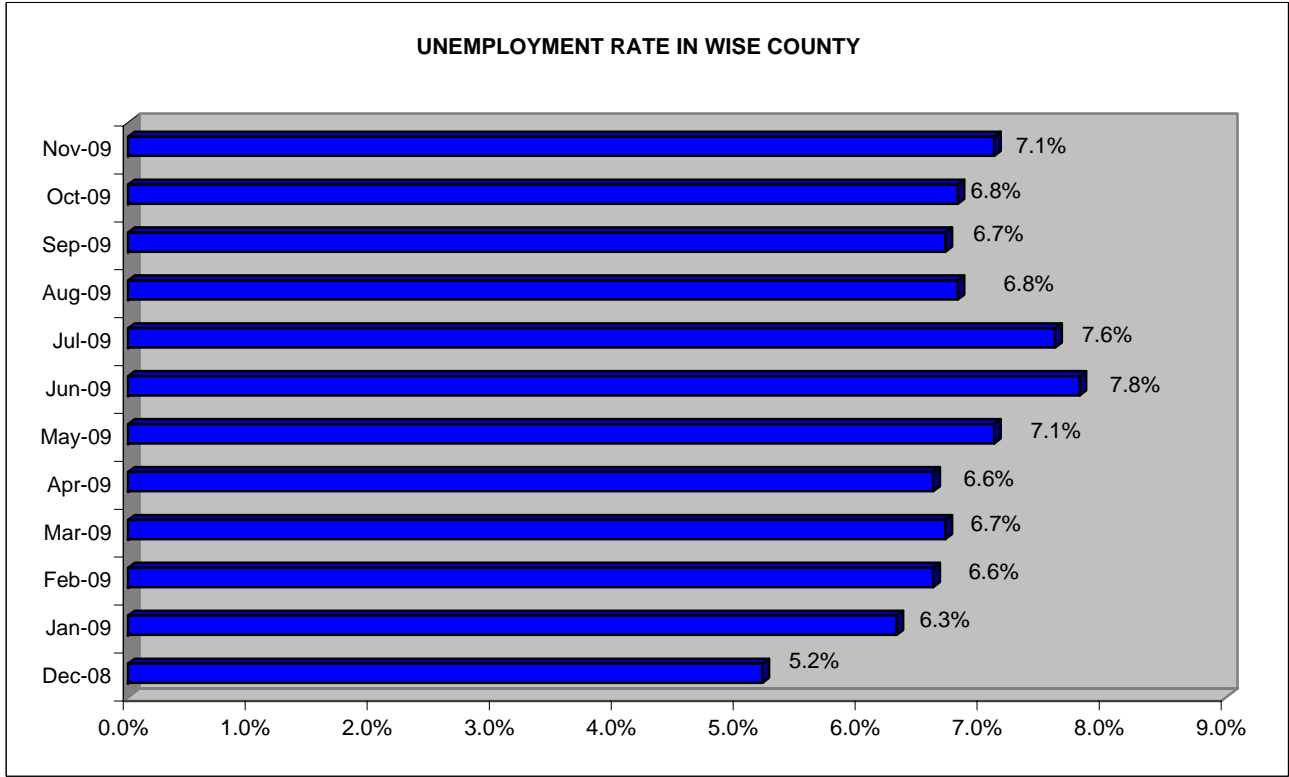


EMPLOYMENT IN WISE COUNTY: Monthly											
Dec-08	Jan-09	Feb-09	Mar-09	Apr-09	May-09	Jun-09	Jul-09	Aug-09	Sep-09	Oct-09	Nov-09
5.2%	6.3%	6.6%	6.7%	6.6%	7.1%	7.8%	7.6%	6.8%	6.7%	6.8%	7.1%

EMPLOYMENT AND UNEMPLOYMENT IN WISE COUNTY											
Jun-09		Jul-09		Aug-09		Sep-09		Oct-09		Nov-09	
Emp.	Unemp.	Emp.	Unemp.	Emp.	Unemp.	Emp.	Unemp.	Emp.	Unemp.	Emp.	Unemp.
17,674	1,491	17,359	1,422	17,278	1,262	17,464	1,263	17,455	1,277	17,428	1,322



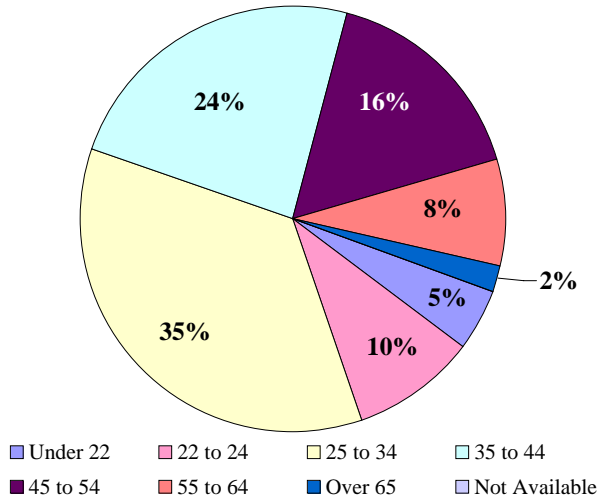
## Characteristics of the Insured Unemployed

**Wise County, November 2009**

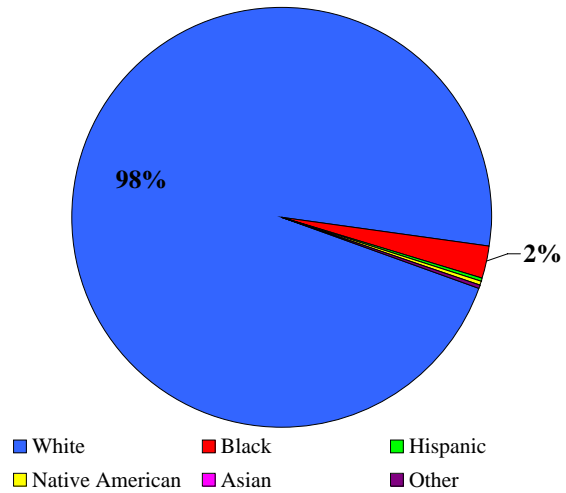
**Civilian Workforce: 18,750    Unemployed: 7.1%**

**Unemployment by Gender: Male: 77%    Female: 23%**

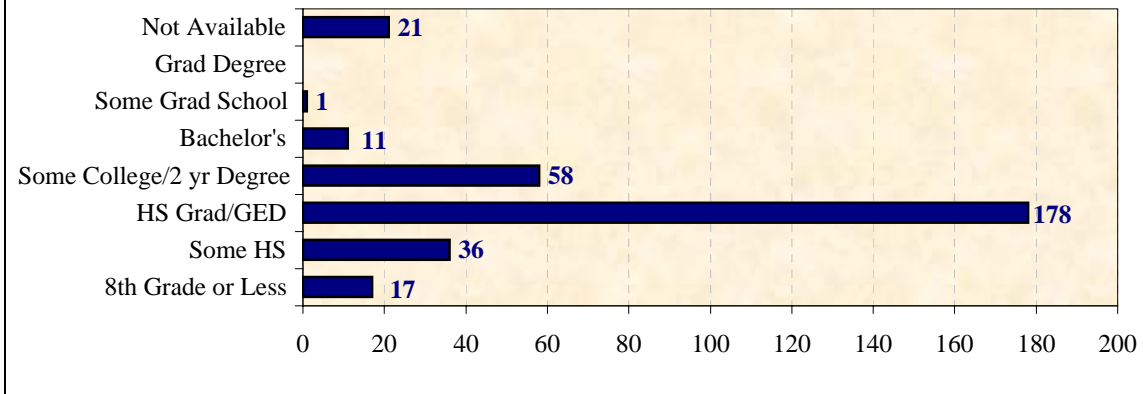
**Unemployment by Age**



**Unemployment by Race**



**Unemployment by Educational Attainment**



Source: Virginia Employment Commission

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