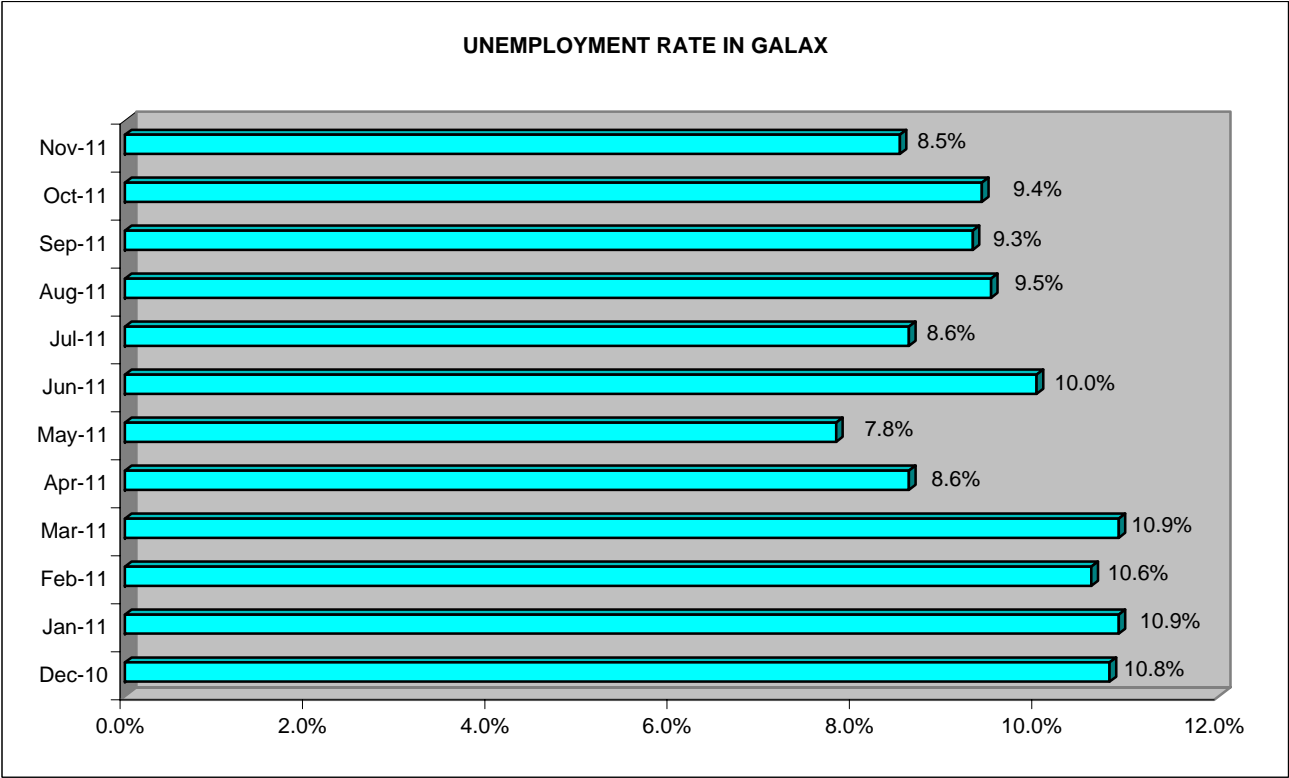


UNEMPLOYMENT IN GALAX: Monthly											
Dec-10	Jan-11	Feb-11	Mar-11	Apr-11	May-11	Jun-11	Jul-11	Aug-11	Sep-11	Oct-11	Nov-11
10.8%	10.9%	10.6%	10.9%	8.6%	7.8%	10.0%	8.6%	9.5%	9.3%	9.4%	8.5%

EMPLOYMENT AND UNEMPLOYMENT IN GALAX											
Jun-11		Jul-11		Aug-11		Sep-11		Oct-11		Nov-11	
Emp.	Unemp.	Emp.	Unemp.	Emp.	Unemp.	Emp.	Unemp.	Emp.	Unemp.	Emp.	Unemp.
3,006	335	3,030	284	2,987	313	3,021	310	3,100	322	3,107	290



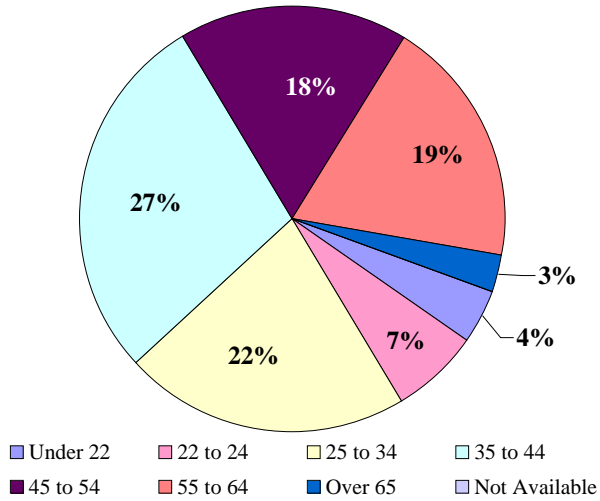
Characteristics of the Insured Unemployed

Galax City, November 2011

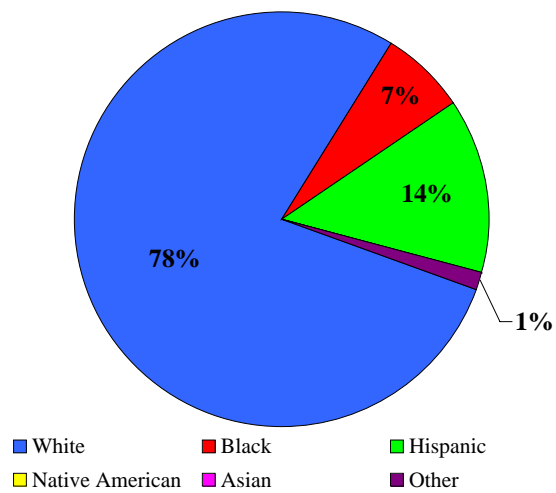
Civilian Workforce: 3,397 **Unemployed:** 8.5%

Unemployment by Gender: Male: 62% Female: 38%

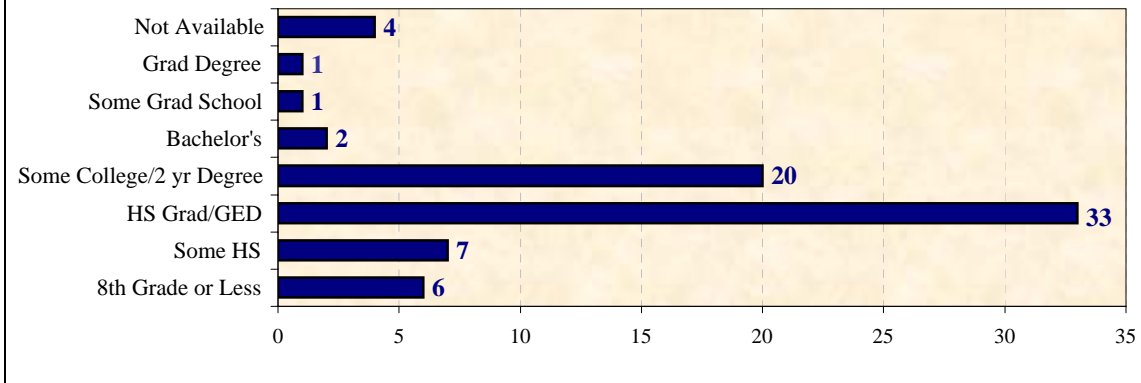
Unemployment by Age



Unemployment by Race



Unemployment by Educational Attainment



Source: Virginia Employment Commission

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