

TABLE ii

THE LABOUR FORCE AND ITS COMPONENTS: 2005

SEX AND ISLAND		TOTAL LABOUR FORCE	EMPLOYED LABOUR FORCE	UNEMPLOYED LABOUR FORCE	LABOUR FORCE PARTICIPATION RATE	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE
ALL BAHAMAS	TOTAL	178,705	160,530	18,175	76.3%	10.2%
	WOMEN	87,540	77,740	9,800	71.2%	11.2%
	MEN	91,165	82,790	8,375	81.9%	9.2%
NEW PROVIDENCE	TOTAL	128,630	114,660	13,970	77.5%	10.9%
	WOMEN	64,465	57,135	7,330	72.3%	11.4%
	MEN	64,165	57,525	6,640	83.2%	10.3%
GRAND BAHAMA	TOTAL	27,305	24,305	3,000	74.7%	11.0%
	WOMEN	13,125	11,300	1,825	68.3%	13.9%
	MEN	14,180	13,005	1,175	82.3%	8.3%
FAMILY ISLAND	TOTAL	22,770	21,565	1,205	72.8%	5.3%
	WOMEN	9,950	9,305	645	67.4%	6.5%
	MEN	12,820	12,260	560	78.4%	4.4%