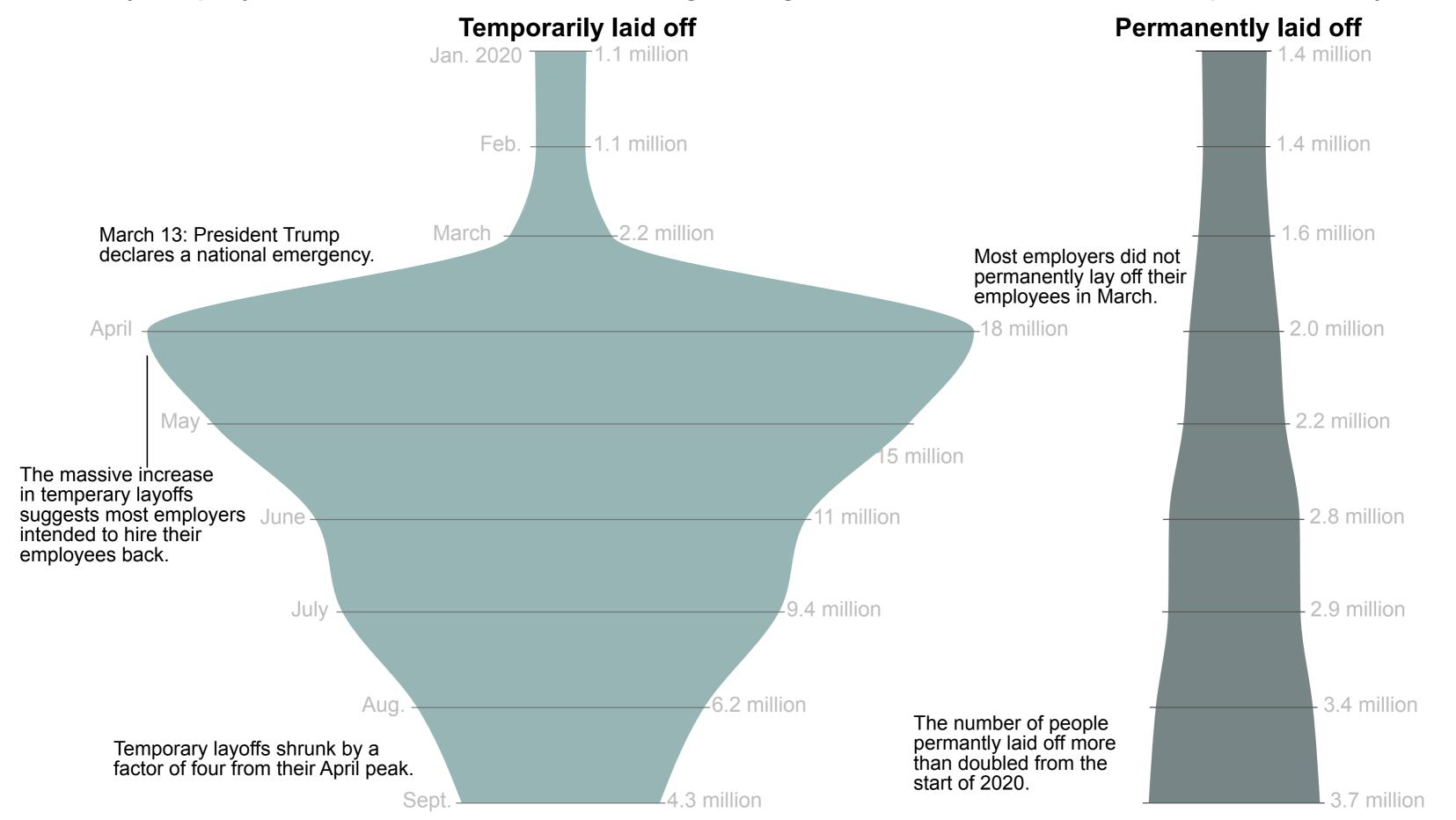
Laid off workers increasingly don't have a job waiting for them.

While many employees have returned to work, a growing number of them have been permanently laid off.



Source: Data from the Bureau of Labor Statistics and analyzed by Ella Koeze.