

Unemployment Insurance Claims Filed*
 December 30, 2012 through January 05, 2013
 Week 01

Initial Claims

Initial Claims for unemployment insurance decreased by 4,211 to a total of 18,469 for the week ending January 05 (week 01). Last week Initial Claims totaled 22,680. One year ago Initial Claims amounted to 20,226. Layoffs were scattered throughout various industries. Last week significant layoffs were from Construction, 21%; Manufacturing, 30%; and Administrative and Waste Services, 12%.

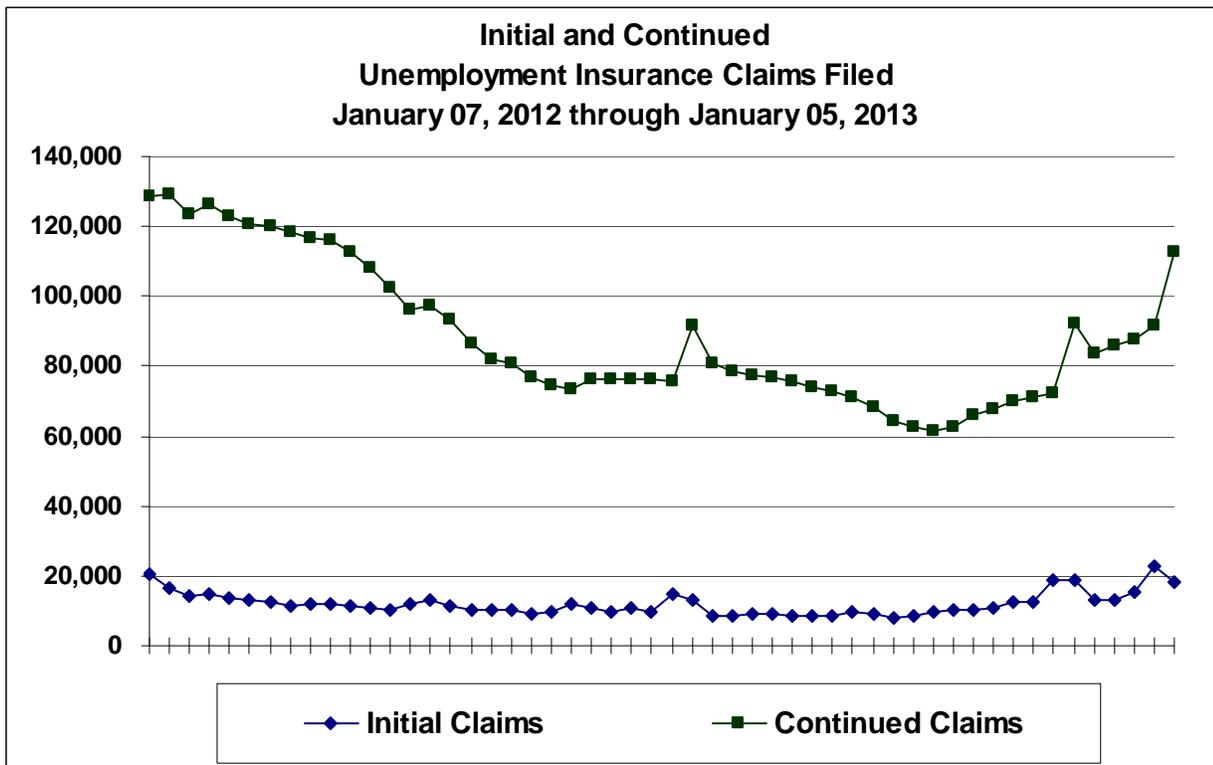
Continued Claims

Continued Claims for unemployment insurance increased by 20,717 to a total of 112,594 for the week ending January 05 (week 01). Last week Continued Claims totaled 91,877. One year ago Continued Claims amounted to 128,468.

Insured Unemployment Rate

Wisconsin's unadjusted insured unemployment rate increased to 4.24% during the week ending December 29 (week 52).

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UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION CLAIMS*

(Not Seasonally Adjusted)

LAST THREE WEEKS OF UNEMPLOYMENT	WEEK	01	52	51
	ENDING	Jan 05, 2013	Dec 29, 2012	Dec 22, 2012
Initial Claims (Excluding Trans.)		18,469	22,680	15,133
Continued Claims		112,594	91,877	87,724
Completed Weeks of Unemployment			111,930	91,217
Insured Unemployment Rate (IUR)			4.2%	3.4%
IUR Average for Latest 13 Weeks			3.0%	2.8%
Latest 13 Weeks IUR as Compared to IUR's Prior 3 Years			70%	74%

CORRESPONDING WEEKS OF PREVIOUS YEARS	WEEK	01	53	52
	ENDING	Jan 07, 2012	Dec 31, 2011	Dec 24, 2011
Initial Claims (Excluding Trans.)		20,226	27,837	17,646
Continued Claims		128,468	107,268	98,722
Completed Weeks of Unemployment			127,522	106,347
Insured Unemployment Rate (IUR)			4.8%	4.0%
IUR Average for Latest 13 Weeks			3.4%	3.2%
Latest 13 Weeks IUR as Compared to IUR's Prior 2 Years			75%	76%

Completed Weeks of Unemployment estimates the number of insured workers unemployed in a week. It is determined by adding the Continued Claims and those claiming Out-of-State benefits through Wisconsin. It only counts those receiving State funded unemployment insurance and not those receiving special unemployment assistance or benefits for ex-servicemen or Federal employes.

The Insured Unemployment Rate measures only the joblessness among those workers covered by the State Unemployment Insurance Law who are receiving State funded benefits. The IUR is not a "Wisconsin unemployment rate". Some workers are not covered by the State Program.

The IUR is determined by dividing the Completed Weeks of Unemployment by Wisconsin's average monthly covered employment (2,651,170) for the twelve month period ending June 30, 2012.

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Unemployment Insurance (U.I.) Definitions

All Regular Programs

UI - Unemployment compensation for workers insured under Wisconsin's UI Law (Chapter 108 Wis. Statutes)

UCFE - Unemployment compensation for federal employees provided by federal law.

UCX - Unemployment compensation for ex-military persons provided by federal law.

All State and Federal Emergency Benefit Programs

Additional emergency unemployment benefits payable during periods of Wisconsin Supplemental Benefits, (WSB), Extended Benefits, (EB), and/or Emergency Unemployment Compensation (EUC).

WSB - Up to 8 additional weeks are available when the State's Insured Unemployment Rate reaches specific levels to cause WSB to be "ON".

EB - Up to 13 additional weeks are available when the State's Insured Unemployment Rate reaches specific levels to cause EB to be "ON". Wisconsin Statute 108.141

EUC - Additional weeks are available when the National legislation authorizes the payment of emergency unemployment benefits.

Types of Claims

A **New** claim is a request for determination of insured unemployment status for the purpose of establishing a benefit year following a job break.

An **Additional** claim is a claim which reports a job break within an established benefit year.

A **Transitional** claim is a request to establish a successive benefit year dated as of any date in the 7-day period immediately following a week for which benefits were claimed. (This type of claim does not show a new unemployment spell, just a shift between benefit years.)

A **Compensable Week** is a calendar week of unemployment for which UI benefits have been claimed by partially or totally unemployed worker. This claim is also referred to as a **continued claim**.

An **Intrastate** claim is a claim taken in Wisconsin based on work for a Wisconsin employer.

An **Interstate Agent** claim is a claim taken in Wisconsin based on work in another state with benefits paid by the other state.

An **Interstate Liable** claim is a claim taken in another state based on work for Wisconsin employers.

LADT (liable/agent data transfer) refers to claims from residents of Wisconsin taken directly by another state based on work in that state.

Regular Benefits (UC, UCFE, UCX Programs)

Initial and Continued Unemployment Claims

Filed in Wisconsin during

Week Number: 1

Ending: Jan 05, 2013

	Previous Year Claims Taken		Claims Activity Year To Date Totals			Claims Activity Weekly Totals		Previous 4 Weeks Activity Week and Week Ending Dates			
	Calendar Year 2012 Totals	Weekly Average	2012	2013	Percentage Difference	2012	2013				
						01	01	52	51	50	49
						Jan 07, 2012	Jan 05, 2013	Dec 29, 2012	Dec 22, 2012	Dec 15, 2012	Dec 08, 2012
Regular Benefits UC, UCFE, UCX Programs											
Total Initial Claims (Excl Trans)	615,700	11,840	20,226	18,469	-8.7%	20,226	18,469	22,680	15,133	13,105	14,465
Total Continued Claims	4,555,289	87,602	128,468	112,594	-12.4%	128,468	112,594	91,877	87,724	85,787	92,815
Regular Benefits UC Program Only											
Intrastate Claims											
New Claims	254,076	4,886	8,909	6,319	-29.1%	8,909	6,319	8,537	5,648	5,391	6,458
Additional Claims	350,254	6,736	10,923	11,878	8.7%	10,923	11,878	13,931	9,259	7,446	7,696
Transitional Claims	68,546	1,318	7,397	289	-96.1%	7,397	289	2,578	2,077	1,876	1,892
Continued Claims	4,429,983	85,192	125,016	109,868	-12.1%	125,016	109,868	89,419	85,341	83,300	89,920
Interstate Claims											
Initial Claims (IB-1)	101	2	1	2	100.0%	1	2	2	1	4	6
Continued Claims (IB-2)	90,852	1,747	2,506	2,062	-17.7%	2,506	2,062	1,798	1,725	1,842	2,045

WEEK 01 ENDING JANUARY 05, 2013
 REGULAR PROGRAM (STATE) INITIAL UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE
 CLAIMS BY COUNTY. WISCONSIN RESIDENCE ONLY.

COUNTY	NEW CLAIMS	ADDITIONAL CLAIMS	TOTAL INITIAL CLAIMS*
ADAMS	17	26	43
ASHLAND	28	67	95
BARRON	49	110	159
BAYFIELD	10	27	37
BROWN	248	467	715
BUFFALO	9	19	28
BURNETT	13	19	32
CALUMET	64	130	194
CHIPPEWA	106	187	293
CLARK	55	137	192
COLUMBIA	81	153	234
CRAWFORD	20	36	56
DANE	381	585	966
DODGE	97	260	357
DOOR	31	72	103
DOUGLAS	15	37	52
DUNN	46	85	131
EAU CLAIRE	129	211	340
FLORENCE	3	5	8
FOND DU LAC	128	293	421
FOREST	12	22	34
GRANT	54	99	153
GREEN	43	66	109
GREEN LAKE	37	122	159
IOWA	49	67	116
IRON	13	15	28
JACKSON	29	45	74
JEFFERSON	69	160	229
JUNEAU	29	72	101
KENOSHA	147	252	399
KEWAUNEE	21	54	75
LA CROSSE	90	200	290
LAFAYETTE	15	27	42
LANGLADE	35	66	101
LINCOLN	58	174	232
MANITOWOC	124	284	408
MARATHON	190	379	569
MARINETTE	84	93	177
MARQUETTE	28	85	113
MENOMINEE	10	2	12
MILWAUKEE	1,022	1,471	2,493
MONROE	60	73	133
OCONTO	49	90	139
ONEIDA	48	107	155
OUTAGAMIE	216	453	669
OZAUKEE	64	95	159
PEPIN	4	18	22
PIERCE	14	29	43
POLK	30	53	83
PORTAGE	93	221	314
PRICE	34	64	98
RACINE	281	522	803
RICHLAND	16	33	49
ROCK	169	269	438
RUSK	47	96	143
ST CROIX	29	62	91
SAUK	62	120	182

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COUNTY	NEW CLAIMS	ADDITIONAL CLAIMS	TOTAL INITIAL CLAIMS*
SAWYER	9	47	56
SHAWANO	46	110	156
SHEBOYGAN	142	244	386
TAYLOR	33	127	160
TREMPEALEAU	44	49	93
VERNON	24	39	63
VILAS	24	46	70
WALWORTH	98	172	270
WASHBURN	16	33	49
WASHINGTON	158	282	440
WAUKESHA	343	622	965
WAUPACA	83	247	330
WAUSHARA	42	80	122
WINNEBAGO	189	402	591
WOOD	128	269	397
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	6,284	11,755	18,039

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COUNTINUED UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE CLAIMS FILED DURING
WEEK 01 - DECEMBER 30, 2012 TO JANUARY 05, 2013
BY PROGRAM AND COUNTY OF RESIDENCE. WI RESIDENCE ONLY

COUNTY	REGULAR UI	EUC ALL TIERS	EXTENDED BENEFITS (EB)	EXTENDED TRAINING (ET)	TRADE READJUSTMENT ALLOWANCE (TRA)
ADAMS	360	119	0	1	1
ASHLAND	474	139	0	2	3
BARRON	1,001	291	0	5	0
BAYFIELD	479	130	0	2	0
BROWN	4,671	1,630	0	40	38
BUFFALO	193	46	0	0	1
BURNETT	251	81	0	0	0
CALUMET	974	270	0	3	4
CHIPPEWA	1,575	302	0	6	2
CLARK	921	153	0	1	1
COLUMBIA	1,469	432	0	3	0
CRAWFORD	464	74	0	0	3
DANE	5,937	2,091	0	26	8
DODGE	2,063	547	0	7	1
DOOR	1,159	245	0	4	4
DOUGLAS	515	186	0	1	1
DUNN	731	177	0	5	4
EAU CLAIRE	1,662	549	0	9	25
FLORENCE	49	12	0	1	0
FOND DU LAC	1,958	552	0	6	11
FOREST	211	75	0	0	0
GRANT	790	187	0	2	4
GREEN	604	166	0	2	0
GREEN LAKE	624	121	0	0	0
IOWA	561	144	0	0	1
IRON	144	41	0	0	0
JACKSON	449	115	0	4	0
JEFFERSON	1,608	466	0	4	7
JUNEAU	686	217	0	0	0
KENOSHA	2,553	1,107	0	13	30
KEWAUNEE	418	92	0	1	3
LA CROSSE	1,807	504	0	9	1
LAFAYETTE	261	66	0	1	6
LANGLADE	459	143	0	2	2
LINCOLN	1,067	272	0	5	2
MANITOWOC	2,145	659	0	8	34
MARATHON	2,955	918	0	29	6
MARINETTE	1,018	244	0	6	1
MARQUETTE	633	105	0	1	0
MENOMINEE	91	41	0	0	0
MILWAUKEE	18,896	9,110	0	141	89
MONROE	995	340	0	3	1
OCONTO	847	261	0	7	5
ONEIDA	1,135	296	0	3	2
OUTAGAMIE	3,608	1,044	0	11	21
OZAUKEE	1,052	409	0	6	3
PEPIN	131	18	0	0	0
PIERCE	358	77	0	1	9
POLK	658	321	1	6	15
PORTAGE	1,649	487	0	3	2
PRICE	353	85	0	1	1
RACINE	4,549	1,804	0	19	12
RICHLAND	320	85	0	3	2
ROCK	3,105	1,120	0	22	39
RUSK	472	94	0	1	1
ST CROIX	711	225	0	3	12
SAUK	1,297	360	0	6	4
SAWYER	556	169	0	0	0

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SHAWANO	802	259	0	4	6
SHEBOYGAN	1,992	766	0	5	52
TAYLOR	775	101	0	0	1
TREMPEALEAU	575	126	0	5	1
VERNON	531	108	0	0	1
VILAS	587	169	0	1	0
WALWORTH	1,820	559	0	3	0
WASHBURN	372	115	0	0	1
WASHINGTON	2,233	769	0	10	5
WAUKESHA	5,548	2,099	0	23	11
WAUPACA	1,321	384	0	5	6
WAUSHARA	656	156	0	1	1
WINNEBAGO	2,945	1,092	0	16	16
WOOD	2,087	471	0	6	5
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	108,926	37,188	1	524	528