

Unemployment Insurance Claims Filed*
 January 13, 2012 through January 19, 2013
 Week 03

Initial Claims

Initial Claims for unemployment insurance decreased by 2,103 to a total of 13,212 for the week ending January 19 (week 03). Last week Initial Claims totaled 15,315. One year ago Initial Claims amounted to 13,957. Layoffs were scattered throughout various industries. Last week significant layoffs were from Construction, 19%; Manufacturing, 22%; Retail Trade, 12%; and Administrative and Waste Services, 14%.

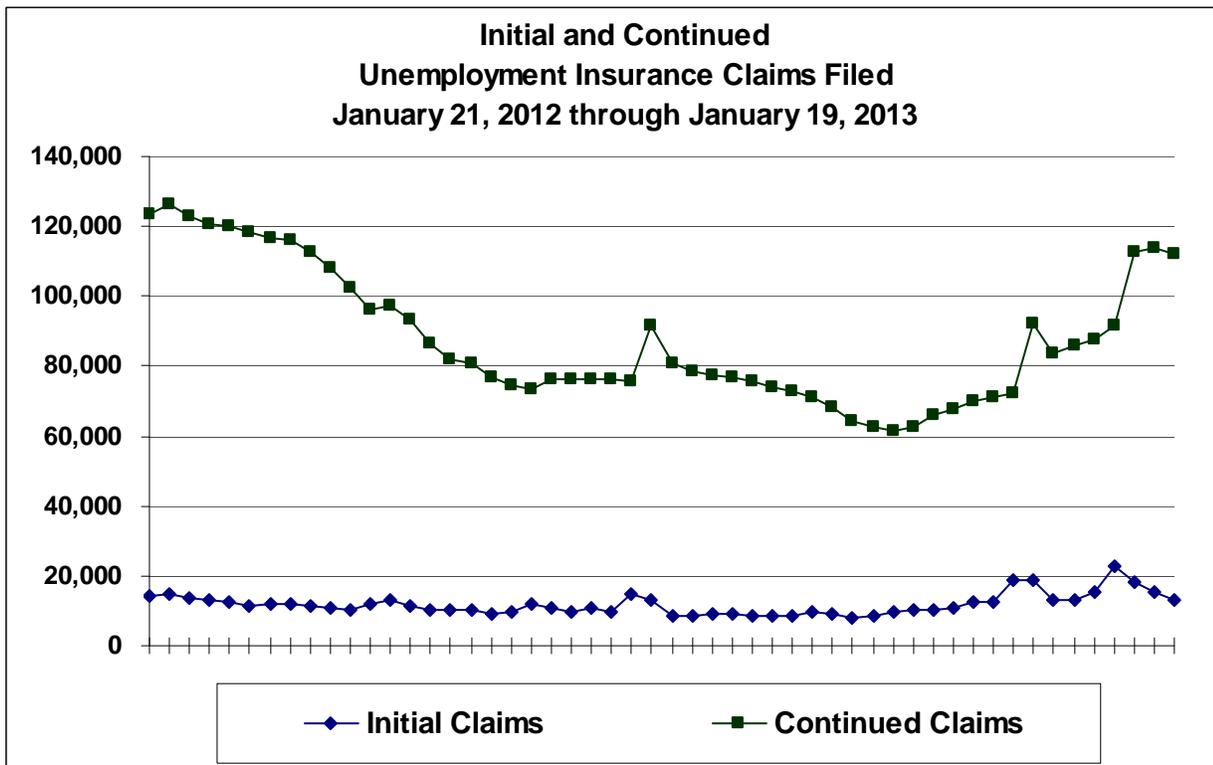
Continued Claims

Continued Claims for unemployment insurance decreased by 1,656 to a total of 112,299 for the week ending January 19 (week 03). Last week Continued Claims totaled 113,955. One year ago Continued Claims amounted to 123,620.

Insured Unemployment Rate

Wisconsin's unadjusted insured unemployment rate decreased to 4.18% during the week ending January 12 (week 02).

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UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION CLAIMS*

(Not Seasonally Adjusted)

LAST THREE WEEKS OF UNEMPLOYMENT	WEEK	03	02	01
	ENDING	Jan 19, 2013	Jan 12, 2013	Jan 05, 2013
Initial Claims (Excluding Trans.)		13,212	15,315	18,469
Continued Claims		112,299	113,955	112,594
Completed Weeks of Unemployment			112,299	113,287
Insured Unemployment Rate (IUR)			4.2%	4.2%
IUR Average for Latest 13 Weeks			3.2%	3.1%
Latest 13 Weeks IUR as Compared to IUR's Prior 3 Years			71%	69%

CORRESPONDING WEEKS OF PREVIOUS YEARS	WEEK	03	02	01
	ENDING	Jan 21, 2012	Jan 14, 2012	Jan 07, 2012
Initial Claims (Excluding Trans.)		13,957	16,262	20,226
Continued Claims		123,620	128,918	128,468
Completed Weeks of Unemployment			122,694	127,980
Insured Unemployment Rate (IUR)			4.6%	4.8%
IUR Average for Latest 13 Weeks			3.6%	3.5%
Latest 13 Weeks IUR as Compared to IUR's Prior 2 Years			76%	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 employees.

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: 3

Ending: Jan 19, 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				
						03	03	02	01	52	51
						Jan 21, 2012	Jan 19, 2013	Jan 12, 2013	Jan 05, 2013	Dec 29, 2012	Dec 22, 2012
Regular Benefits UC, UCFE, UCX Programs											
Total Initial Claims (Excl Trans)	615,700	11,840	50,445	46,996	-6.8%	13,957	13,212	15,315	18,469	22,680	15,133
Total Continued Claims	4,555,289	87,602	381,006	338,848	-11.1%	123,620	112,299	113,955	112,594	91,877	87,724
Regular Benefits UC Program Only											
Intrastate Claims											
New Claims	254,076	4,886	24,224	20,666	-14.7%	6,646	7,175	7,172	6,319	8,537	5,648
Additional Claims	350,254	6,736	25,301	25,425	0.5%	7,106	5,735	7,812	11,878	13,931	9,259
Transitional Claims	68,546	1,318	12,861	12,720	-1.1%	2,478	2,633	9,798	289	2,578	2,077
Continued Claims	4,429,983	85,192	370,942	330,538	-10.9%	120,322	109,517	111,153	109,868	89,419	85,341
Interstate Claims											
Initial Claims (IB-1)	101	2	4	5	25.0%	2	0	3	2	2	1
Continued Claims (IB-2)	90,852	1,747	7,254	6,314	-13.0%	2,372	2,118	2,134	2,062	1,798	1,725

WEEK 03 ENDING JANUARY 19, 2013
 REGULAR PROGRAM (STATE) INITIAL UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE
 CLAIMS BY COUNTY. WISCONSIN RESIDENCE ONLY.

COUNTY	NEW CLAIMS	ADDITIONAL CLAIMS	TOTAL INITIAL CLAIMS*
ADAMS	17	19	36
ASHLAND	25	19	44
BARRON	63	58	121
BAYFIELD	22	23	45
BROWN	340	271	611
BUFFALO	15	11	26
BURNETT	13	5	18
CALUMET	41	57	98
CHIPPEWA	84	100	184
CLARK	49	61	110
COLUMBIA	75	80	155
CRAWFORD	25	18	43
DANE	419	285	704
DODGE	124	101	225
DOOR	42	70	112
DOUGLAS	29	26	55
DUNN	81	47	128
EAU CLAIRE	132	82	214
FLORENCE	1	1	2
FOND DU LAC	130	134	264
FOREST	15	12	27
GRANT	56	60	116
GREEN	56	36	92
GREEN LAKE	25	24	49
IOWA	46	36	82
IRON	6	9	15
JACKSON	23	20	43
JEFFERSON	89	95	184
JUNEAU	48	45	93
KENOSHA	169	108	277
KEWAUNEE	25	30	55
LA CROSSE	114	74	188
LAFAYETTE	20	13	33
LANGLADE	32	15	47
LINCOLN	43	53	96
MANITOWOC	121	108	229
MARATHON	175	210	385
MARINETTE	50	41	91
MARQUETTE	28	23	51
MENOMINEE	8	1	9
MILWAUKEE	1,429	806	2,235
MONROE	58	44	102
OCONTO	58	53	111
ONEIDA	39	63	102
OUTAGAMIE	217	206	423
OZAUKEE	76	57	133
PEPIN	4	4	8
PIERCE	25	22	47
POLK	64	35	99
PORTAGE	109	99	208
PRICE	19	25	44
RACINE	321	185	506
RICHLAND	15	21	36
ROCK	192	143	335
RUSK	54	29	83
ST CROIX	57	35	92
SAUK	95	105	200

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COUNTY	NEW CLAIMS	ADDITIONAL CLAIMS	TOTAL INITIAL CLAIMS*
SAWYER	29	17	46
SHAWANO	61	75	136
SHEBOYGAN	144	129	273
TAYLOR	23	33	56
TREMPEALEAU	41	27	68
VERNON	22	20	42
VILAS	26	41	67
WALWORTH	131	99	230
WASHBURN	20	17	37
WASHINGTON	175	137	312
WAUKESHA	380	279	659
WAUPACA	77	65	142
WAUSHARA	34	29	63
WINNEBAGO	204	159	363
WOOD	108	123	231
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	7,183	5,663	12,846

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COUNTINUED UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE CLAIMS FILED DURING
WEEK 03 - JANUARY 13 TO JANUARY 19, 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	373	99	0	0	0
ASHLAND	438	110	0	3	3
BARRON	995	275	0	6	0
BAYFIELD	515	113	0	2	0
BROWN	4,639	1,588	0	45	31
BUFFALO	219	32	0	0	1
BURNETT	279	77	0	0	0
CALUMET	810	251	0	3	2
CHIPPEWA	1,499	295	0	6	1
CLARK	793	131	0	0	0
COLUMBIA	1,449	416	0	1	0
CRAWFORD	424	78	0	0	0
DANE	6,306	2,034	1	26	7
DODGE	1,904	514	0	6	2
DOOR	1,304	193	0	4	4
DOUGLAS	529	156	0	3	1
DUNN	718	165	0	5	2
EAU CLAIRE	1,749	514	2	10	21
FLORENCE	52	10	0	1	0
FOND DU LAC	1,957	504	0	7	13
FOREST	222	66	0	0	0
GRANT	846	169	0	3	3
GREEN	604	169	0	2	0
GREEN LAKE	623	116	0	0	0
IOWA	612	130	0	1	1
IRON	145	39	0	0	0
JACKSON	392	103	0	4	0
JEFFERSON	1,424	429	0	4	3
JUNEAU	666	199	1	0	0
KENOSHA	2,466	1,045	0	11	25
KEWAUNEE	416	119	0	0	3
LA CROSSE	1,762	441	0	9	4
LAFAYETTE	274	61	0	2	5
LANGLADE	458	138	0	3	0
LINCOLN	883	225	0	5	1
MANITOWOC	1,986	606	0	7	29
MARATHON	2,780	865	0	30	8
MARINETTE	856	230	0	9	1
MARQUETTE	578	82	0	2	0
MENOMINEE	118	45	0	1	0
MILWAUKEE	19,278	8,898	0	164	80
MONROE	866	304	0	4	1
OCONTO	828	246	0	6	5
ONEIDA	1,156	258	0	2	0
OUTAGAMIE	3,347	974	0	14	16
OZAUKEE	1,042	398	0	10	3
PEPIN	129	18	0	0	0
PIERCE	367	62	0	1	8
POLK	676	309	0	6	14
PORTAGE	1,644	435	0	3	1
PRICE	262	87	0	1	1
RACINE	4,328	1,710	0	20	12
RICHLAND	295	90	0	2	1
ROCK	3,129	1,028	0	22	31
RUSK	368	66	0	1	2
ST CROIX	717	213	0	1	13
SAUK	1,351	344	0	6	2
SAWYER	570	150	0	0	0

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SHAWANO	854	241	0	3	4
SHEBOYGAN	2,068	675	0	5	40
TAYLOR	476	85	0	1	1
TREMPEALEAU	562	116	0	4	1
VERNON	480	105	0	0	1
VILAS	614	154	0	1	0
WALWORTH	1,932	497	0	6	0
WASHBURN	371	109	0	0	1
WASHINGTON	2,208	719	0	10	3
WAUKESHA	5,466	1,991	0	24	9
WAUPACA	1,059	352	0	6	6
WAUSHARA	622	134	0	0	1
WINNEBAGO	2,845	1,009	0	11	8
WOOD	1,863	402	0	6	3
UNKNOWN	1	0	0	0	0
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	106,837	35,011	4	561	439