

Unemployment Insurance Claims Filed*
 February 10, 2012 through February 16, 2013
 Week 07

Initial Claims

Initial Claims for unemployment insurance decreased by 1,245 to a total of 10,809 for the week ending February 16 (week 07). Last week Initial Claims totaled 12,054. One year ago Initial Claims amounted to 12,334. Layoffs were scattered throughout various industries. Last week significant layoffs were from Construction, 19%; Manufacturing, 27%; Retail Trade, 10%; and Administrative and Waste Services, 12%.

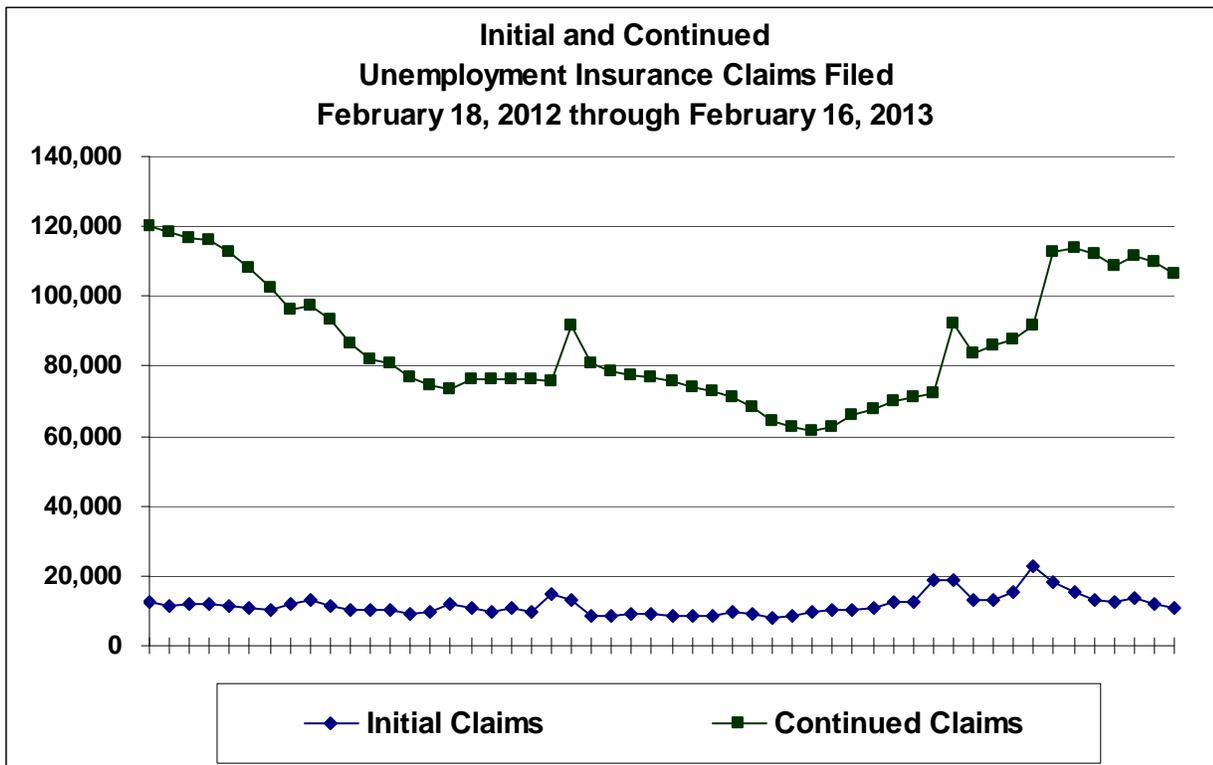
Continued Claims

Continued Claims for unemployment insurance decreased by 3,253 to a total of 106,494 for the week ending February 16 (week 07). Last week Continued Claims totaled 109,747. One year ago Continued Claims amounted to 120,319.

Insured Unemployment Rate

Wisconsin's unadjusted insured unemployment rate decreased to 3.96% during the week ending February 09 (week 06).

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UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION CLAIMS*

(Not Seasonally Adjusted)

LAST THREE WEEKS OF UNEMPLOYMENT	WEEK	07	06	05
	ENDING	Feb 16, 2013	Feb 09, 2013	Feb 02, 2013
Initial Claims (Excluding Trans.)		10,809	12,054	13,728
Continued Claims		106,494	109,747	111,360
Completed Weeks of Unemployment			106,494	109,060
Insured Unemployment Rate (IUR)			4.0%	4.1%
IUR Average for Latest 13 Weeks			3.7%	3.6%
Latest 13 Weeks IUR as Compared to IUR's Prior 3 Years			73%	72%

CORRESPONDING WEEKS OF PREVIOUS YEARS	WEEK	07	06	05
	ENDING	Feb 18, 2012	Feb 11, 2012	Feb 04, 2012
Initial Claims (Excluding Trans.)		12,344	13,009	13,599
Continued Claims		120,319	120,915	122,670
Completed Weeks of Unemployment			119,379	119,985
Insured Unemployment Rate (IUR)			4.5%	4.5%
IUR Average for Latest 13 Weeks			4.2%	4.1%
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: 7

Ending: Feb 16, 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	06 Feb 09, 2013	05 Feb 02, 2013	04 Jan 26, 2013	03 Jan 19, 2013
						07	07				
						Feb 18, 2012	Feb 16, 2013				
Regular Benefits UC, UCFE, UCX Programs											
Total Initial Claims (Excl Trans)	615,700	11,840	104,442	96,012	-8.1%	12,344	10,809	12,054	13,728	12,425	13,212
Total Continued Claims	4,555,289	87,602	871,122	775,292	-11.0%	120,319	106,494	109,747	111,360	108,843	112,299
Regular Benefits UC Program Only											
Intrastate Claims											
New Claims	254,076	4,886	47,693	42,013	-11.9%	4,989	4,503	5,576	5,805	5,463	7,175
Additional Claims	350,254	6,736	54,857	52,223	-4.8%	7,115	6,128	6,203	7,714	6,753	5,735
Transitional Claims	68,546	1,318	20,850	19,400	-7.0%	1,512	1,292	1,558	1,956	1,874	2,633
Continued Claims	4,429,983	85,192	847,845	755,267	-10.9%	116,933	103,690	106,488	108,497	106,054	109,517
Interstate Claims											
Initial Claims (IB-1)	101	2	11	17	54.5%	4	3	5	3	1	0
Continued Claims (IB-2)	90,852	1,747	16,717	15,274	-8.6%	2,446	2,125	2,572	2,168	2,095	2,118

WEEK 07 ENDING FEBRUARY 16, 2013
 REGULAR PROGRAM (STATE) INITIAL UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE
 CLAIMS BY COUNTY. WISCONSIN RESIDENCE ONLY.

COUNTY	NEW CLAIMS	ADDITIONAL CLAIMS	TOTAL INITIAL CLAIMS*
ADAMS	8	14	22
ASHLAND	16	42	58
BARRON	42	66	108
BAYFIELD	12	19	31
BROWN	231	312	543
BUFFALO	8	6	14
BURNETT	10	6	16
CALUMET	31	59	90
CHIPPEWA	51	92	143
CLARK	20	64	84
COLUMBIA	67	65	132
CRAWFORD	21	27	48
DANE	274	311	585
DODGE	97	135	232
DOOR	25	38	63
DOUGLAS	9	23	32
DUNN	44	66	110
EAU CLAIRE	71	94	165
FLORENCE	1	3	4
FOND DU LAC	84	100	184
FOREST	6	10	16
GRANT	40	52	92
GREEN	31	28	59
GREEN LAKE	18	32	50
IOWA	50	55	105
IRON	0	10	0
JACKSON	17	19	36
JEFFERSON	53	75	128
JUNEAU	22	42	64
KENOSHA	122	108	230
KEWAUNEE	19	21	40
LA CROSSE	66	115	181
LAFAYETTE	11	22	33
LANGLADE	17	26	43
LINCOLN	69	163	232
MANITOWOC	83	105	188
MARATHON	125	193	318
MARINETTE	47	54	101
MARQUETTE	10	34	44
MENOMINEE	2	1	3
MILWAUKEE	812	767	1,579
MONROE	39	49	88
OCONTO	37	70	107
ONEIDA	33	56	89
OUTAGAMIE	172	248	420
OZAUKEE	58	59	117
PEPIN	7	4	11
PIERCE	7	14	21
POLK	25	30	55
PORTAGE	55	110	165
PRICE	18	40	58
RACINE	173	212	385
RICHLAND	8	13	21
ROCK	142	146	288
RUSK	13	69	82
ST CROIX	34	30	64
SAUK	51	94	145

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COUNTY	NEW CLAIMS	ADDITIONAL CLAIMS	TOTAL INITIAL CLAIMS*
SAWYER	22	19	41
SHAWANO	37	59	96
SHEBOYGAN	120	138	258
TAYLOR	33	71	104
TREMPEALEAU	16	30	46
VERNON	28	18	46
VILAS	20	28	48
WALWORTH	59	80	139
WASHBURN	11	14	25
WASHINGTON	83	126	209
WAUKESHA	272	292	564
WAUPACA	55	71	126
WAUSHARA	23	39	62
WINNEBAGO	130	215	345
WOOD	57	145	202
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	4,580	6,063	10,633

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COUNTINUED UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE CLAIMS FILED DURING
WEEK 07 - FEBRUARY 10 TO FEBRUARY 16, 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	348	94	0	1	1
ASHLAND	448	113	0	3	3
BARRON	1,078	271	0	5	0
BAYFIELD	504	107	0	2	0
BROWN	4,746	1,473	0	33	31
BUFFALO	191	33	0	0	1
BURNETT	268	61	0	1	0
CALUMET	768	253	0	4	2
CHIPPEWA	1,464	286	0	8	1
CLARK	750	153	0	1	0
COLUMBIA	1,438	414	0	1	0
CRAWFORD	416	82	0	0	3
DANE	5,754	1,935	0	24	6
DODGE	1,844	500	0	6	2
DOOR	1,333	169	0	2	4
DOUGLAS	460	139	0	2	1
DUNN	822	156	0	6	4
EAU CLAIRE	1,589	492	0	10	26
FLORENCE	49	12	0	1	0
FOND DU LAC	1,813	509	1	7	11
FOREST	211	69	0	1	0
GRANT	857	178	0	3	3
GREEN	629	165	0	1	0
GREEN LAKE	543	128	0	0	0
IOWA	662	117	0	2	1
IRON	136	42	0	0	0
JACKSON	386	107	0	3	0
JEFFERSON	1,440	410	0	3	5
JUNEAU	665	197	1	0	0
KENOSHA	2,468	999	0	12	25
KEWAUNEE	437	96	0	1	4
LA CROSSE	1,572	409	0	8	5
LAFAYETTE	263	58	0	1	6
LANGLADE	420	127	0	2	2
LINCOLN	824	223	0	2	1
MANITOWOC	1,865	580	0	7	31
MARATHON	2,695	838	0	26	6
MARINETTE	881	247	0	6	1
MARQUETTE	457	74	0	2	0
MENOMINEE	92	51	0	2	0
MILWAUKEE	17,947	8,730	12	154	128
MONROE	833	283	0	2	1
OCONTO	842	212	0	6	4
ONEIDA	1,120	273	0	4	0
OUTAGAMIE	3,248	951	0	15	18
OZAUKEE	1,005	374	0	7	3
PEPIN	125	17	0	0	0
PIERCE	351	88	0	1	8
POLK	649	272	0	7	14
PORTAGE	1,569	393	0	1	2
PRICE	314	80	0	2	2
RACINE	4,211	1,678	0	21	11
RICHLAND	322	84	0	1	1
ROCK	2,918	1,033	0	22	30
RUSK	404	60	0	1	2
ST CROIX	706	211	0	2	11
SAUK	1,360	347	0	5	3
SAWYER	564	151	0	0	0

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SHAWANO	796	239	0	2	7
SHEBOYGAN	2,017	686	0	4	40
TAYLOR	519	81	0	1	0
TREMPEALEAU	553	107	0	2	0
VERNON	463	115	0	1	1
VILAS	608	145	0	1	0
WALWORTH	1,848	519	0	4	0
WASHBURN	374	104	0	0	1
WASHINGTON	2,073	726	0	10	5
WAUKESHA	5,276	1,951	0	23	13
WAUPACA	989	354	0	4	8
WAUSHARA	584	126	0	1	1
WINNEBAGO	2,768	994	0	12	9
WOOD	1,797	419	0	4	5
UNKNOWN	1	0	0	0	0
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	102,740	34,170	14	519	514