

Unemployment Insurance Claims Filed*
 March 17, 2013 through March 23, 2013
 Week 12

Initial Claims

Initial Claims for unemployment insurance decreased by 262 to a total of 10,732 for the week ending March 23 (week 12). Last week Initial Claims totaled 10,994. One year ago Initial Claims amounted to 10,987. Layoffs were scattered throughout various industries. Last week significant layoffs were from Construction, 21.12%; Manufacturing, 22.43%; and Administrative and Waste Services, 11.82%.

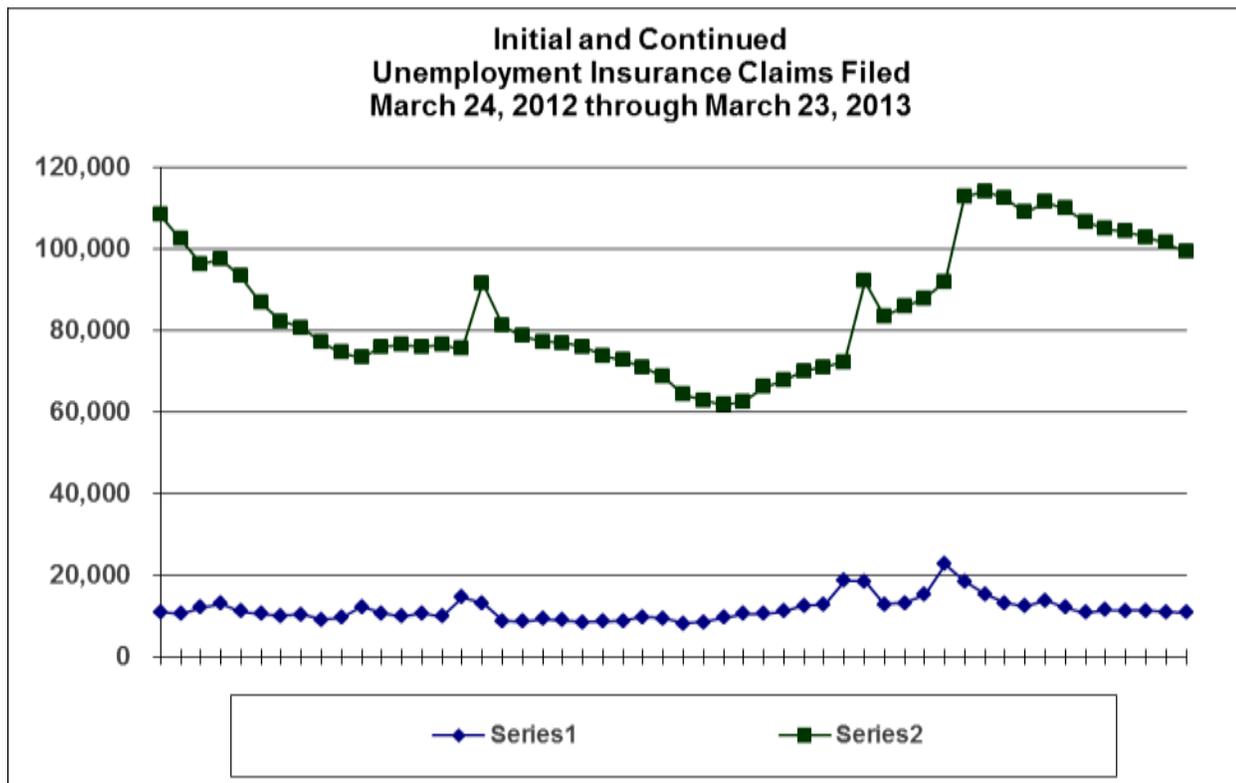
Continued Claims

Continued Claims for unemployment insurance decreased by 2,183 to a total of 99,173 for the week ending March 23 (week 12). Last week Continued Claims totaled 101,356. One year ago Continued Claims amounted to 108,240.

Insured Unemployment Rate

Wisconsin's unadjusted insured unemployment rate decreased to 3.69% during the week ending March 16 (week 11).

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UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION CLAIMS*

(Not Seasonally Adjusted)

LAST THREE WEEKS OF UNEMPLOYMENT	WEEK	12	11	10
	ENDING	Mar 23, 2013	Mar 16, 2013	Mar 09, 2013
Initial Claims (Excluding Trans.)		10,732	10,994	11,267
Continued Claims		99,173	101,356	102,792
Completed Weeks of Unemployment			98,479	100,715
Insured Unemployment Rate (IUR)			3.7%	3.8%
IUR Average for Latest 13 Weeks			4.0%	3.9%
Latest 13 Weeks IUR as Compared to IUR's Prior 3 Years			75%	75%

CORRESPONDING WEEKS OF PREVIOUS YEARS	WEEK	12	11	10
	ENDING	Mar 24, 2012	Mar 17, 2012	Mar 10, 2012
Initial Claims (Excluding Trans.)		10,987	11,162	12,126
Continued Claims		108,240	112,943	115,956
Completed Weeks of Unemployment			107,432	112,099
Insured Unemployment Rate (IUR)			4.1%	4.2%
IUR Average for Latest 13 Weeks			4.5%	4.4%
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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Regular Benefits (UC, UCFE, UCX Programs)

Initial and Continued Unemployment Claims

Filed in Wisconsin during

Week Number: 12

Ending: Mar 23, 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	Week Ending Dates			
						12	12	11	10	09	08
						Mar 24, 2012	Mar 23, 2013	Mar 16, 2013	Mar 09, 2013	Mar 02, 2013	Feb 23, 2013
Regular Benefits UC, UCFE, UCX Programs											
Total Initial Claims (Excl Trans)	615,700	11,840	162,377	151,785	-6.5%	10,987	10,732	10,994	11,267	11,349	11,431
Total Continued Claims	4,555,289	87,602	1,443,556	1,287,592	-10.8%	108,240	99,173	101,356	102,792	104,233	104,746
Regular Benefits UC Program Only											
Intrastate Claims											
New Claims	254,076	4,886	69,903	62,687	-10.3%	4,158	3,848	3,898	4,439	4,162	4,327
Additional Claims	350,254	6,736	89,597	86,358	-3.6%	6,645	6,677	6,914	6,638	6,968	6,938
Transitional Claims	68,546	1,318	26,785	24,280	-9.4%	988	740	855	951	1,083	1,251
Continued Claims	4,429,983	85,192	1,404,790	1,255,865	-10.6%	105,345	96,291	100,715	100,091	101,481	102,020
Interstate Claims											
Initial Claims (IB-1)	101	2	17	21	23.5%	0	2	0	0	1	1
Continued Claims (IB-2)	90,852	1,747	27,804	25,604	-7.9%	2,087	2,188	1,989	2,022	2,063	2,068

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.

WEEK 12 ENDING MARCH 23, 2013
 REGULAR PROGRAM (STATE) INITIAL UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE
 CLAIMS BY COUNTY. WISCONSIN RESIDENCE ONLY.

COUNTY	NEW CLAIMS	ADDITIONAL CLAIMS	TOTAL INITIAL CLAIMS*
ADAMS	9	16	25
ASHLAND	9	31	40
BARRON	39	62	101
BAYFIELD	6	14	20
BROWN	212	376	588
BUFFALO	8	9	17
BURNETT	11	14	25
CALUMET	41	78	119
CHIPPEWA	40	114	154
CLARK	23	79	102
COLUMBIA	41	73	114
CRAWFORD	7	10	17
DANE	237	328	565
DODGE	56	126	182
DOOR	24	43	67
DOUGLAS	12	28	40
DUNN	20	61	81
EAU CLAIRE	62	135	197
FLORENCE	0	1	0
FOND DU LAC	67	122	189
FOREST	10	5	15
GRANT	29	62	91
GREEN	20	48	68
GREEN LAKE	13	31	44
IOWA	21	39	60
IRON	4	13	17
JACKSON	12	13	25
JEFFERSON	57	101	158
JUNEAU	34	25	59
KENOSHA	82	119	201
KEWAUNEE	23	37	60
LA CROSSE	60	125	185
LAFAYETTE	3	16	19
LANGLADE	16	28	44
LINCOLN	26	93	119
MANITOWOC	57	128	185
MARATHON	116	214	330
MARINETTE	23	51	74
MARQUETTE	9	24	33
MENOMINEE	11	5	16
MILWAUKEE	768	796	1,564
MONROE	39	53	92
OCONTO	27	79	106
ONEIDA	31	58	89
OUTAGAMIE	159	265	424
OZAUKEE	38	54	92
PEPIN	6	10	16
PIERCE	10	22	32
POLK	40	29	69
PORTAGE	44	117	161
PRICE	10	46	56
RACINE	161	314	475
RICHLAND	9	21	30
ROCK	110	156	266
RUSK	21	94	115
ST CROIX	28	32	60
SAUK	61	72	133

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COUNTY	NEW CLAIMS	ADDITIONAL CLAIMS	TOTAL INITIAL CLAIMS*
SAWYER	17	28	45
SHAWANO	31	75	106
SHEBOYGAN	75	124	199
TAYLOR	29	98	127
TREMPEALEAU	16	37	53
VERNON	16	22	38
VILAS	14	45	59
WALWORTH	54	90	144
WASHBURN	9	15	24
WASHINGTON	105	143	248
WAUKESHA	209	327	536
WAUPACA	29	75	104
WAUSHARA	16	29	45
WINNEBAGO	124	249	373
WOOD	50	139	189
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	3,906	6,611	10,516

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COUNTINUED UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE CLAIMS FILED DURING
WEEK 12 - MARCH 17 TO MARCH 23, 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	315	94	0	1	1
ASHLAND	386	105	0	4	4
BARRON	1,000	228	0	5	1
BAYFIELD	441	112	0	2	0
BROWN	4,271	1,376	0	32	32
BUFFALO	184	27	0	0	0
BURNETT	242	56	0	1	2
CALUMET	732	228	0	2	2
CHIPPEWA	1,385	275	0	7	1
CLARK	685	142	0	1	0
COLUMBIA	1,231	389	0	2	0
CRAWFORD	358	67	0	0	3
DANE	5,344	1,805	0	24	7
DODGE	1,643	463	0	2	2
DOOR	1,193	171	0	2	4
DOUGLAS	425	126	0	2	1
DUNN	742	135	0	5	3
EAU CLAIRE	1,444	459	0	6	20
FLORENCE	49	11	0	1	0
FOND DU LAC	1,617	461	0	6	63
FOREST	211	67	0	0	0
GRANT	847	156	0	2	4
GREEN	606	132	0	1	0
GREEN LAKE	488	118	0	0	0
IOWA	669	114	0	1	0
IRON	137	36	0	1	0
JACKSON	358	94	0	3	0
JEFFERSON	1,329	378	0	4	4
JUNEAU	631	174	0	0	0
KENOSHA	2,333	885	0	10	26
KEWAUNEE	374	90	0	3	4
LA CROSSE	1,429	388	0	7	5
LAFAYETTE	277	49	0	1	6
LANGLADE	369	112	0	1	2
LINCOLN	767	194	0	5	1
MANITOWOC	1,687	502	0	11	37
MARATHON	2,583	787	0	23	6
MARINETTE	837	237	0	2	1
MARQUETTE	389	87	0	2	0
MENOMINEE	100	42	0	0	0
MILWAUKEE	16,630	7,939	0	166	83
MONROE	819	244	0	4	0
OCONTO	747	215	0	4	4
ONEIDA	1,077	268	0	2	0
OUTAGAMIE	3,100	897	0	20	18
OZAUKEE	935	348	0	5	1
PEPIN	113	20	0	0	0
PIERCE	304	66	0	0	10
POLK	623	221	0	7	47
PORTAGE	1,428	358	0	6	3
PRICE	281	68	0	3	4
RACINE	4,230	1,472	9	25	11
RICHLAND	282	76	0	1	0
ROCK	2,711	949	0	14	26
RUSK	487	63	0	1	2
ST CROIX	650	178	0	5	14
SAUK	1,304	336	0	2	3
SAWYER	566	134	0	0	0

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SHAWANO	761	225	0	5	7
SHEBOYGAN	1,802	553	0	7	37
TAYLOR	486	73	0	1	0
TREMPEALEAU	559	93	0	2	0
VERNON	446	92	0	0	1
VILAS	610	132	0	2	0
WALWORTH	1,729	489	0	4	0
WASHBURN	324	84	0	0	0
WASHINGTON	1,908	644	0	11	5
WAUKESHA	4,916	1,746	0	19	13
WAUPACA	988	301	0	5	9
WAUSHARA	477	122	0	2	1
WINNEBAGO	2,650	890	0	14	10
WOOD	1,609	406	0	3	5
UNKNOWN	2	0	0	0	0
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	95,662	31,074	9	522	556