

Unemployment Insurance Claims Filed\*  
 October 13, 2013 through October 19, 2013  
 Week 42

**Initial Claims**

Initial Claims for unemployment insurance decreased by 192 to a total of 8,846 for the week ending October 19 (week 42). Last week Initial Claims totaled 9,038. One year ago Initial Claims amounted to 10,511. Layoffs were scattered throughout various industries. Last week significant layoffs were from Construction, 14.56%; Manufacturing, 26.31%; and Administration Support and Waste Services, 12.92%.

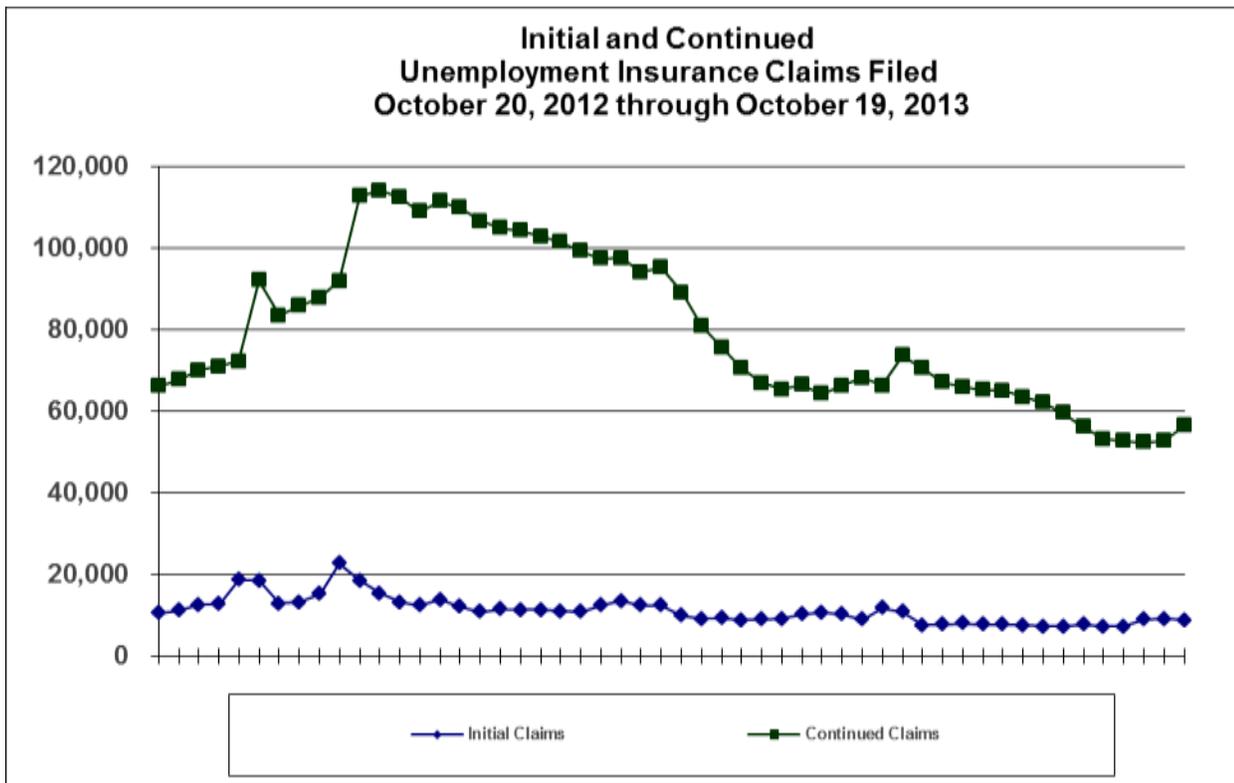
**Continued Claims**

Continued Claims for unemployment insurance increased by 3,655 to a total of 56,331 for the week ending October 19 (week 42). Last week Continued Claims totaled 52,676. One year ago Continued Claims amounted to 66,088.

**Insured Unemployment Rate**

Wisconsin's unadjusted insured unemployment rate decreased to 2.20% during the week ending October 12 (week 41).

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**UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION CLAIMS\***

(Not Seasonally Adjusted)

<b>LAST THREE WEEKS OF UNEMPLOYMENT</b>	<b>WEEK</b>	42	41	40
	<b>ENDING</b>	Oct 19, 2013	Oct 12, 2013	Oct 05, 2013
Initial Claims (Excluding Trans.)		8,846	9,038	8,988
Continued Claims		56,331	52,676	52,312
Completed Weeks of Unemployment			55,406	52,087
Insured Unemployment Rate (IUR)			2.1%	2.0%
IUR Average for Latest 13 Weeks			2.2%	2.2%
Latest 13 Weeks IUR as Compared to IUR's Prior 3 Years			71%	71%

<b>CORRESPONDING WEEKS OF PREVIOUS YEARS</b>	<b>WEEK</b>	42	41	40
	<b>ENDING</b>	Oct 20, 2012	Oct 13, 2012	Oct 06, 2012
Initial Claims (Excluding Trans.)		10,511	10,506	9,619
Continued Claims		66,088	62,450	61,735
Completed Weeks of Unemployment			65,543	61,887
Insured Unemployment Rate (IUR)			2.5%	2.3%
IUR Average for Latest 13 Weeks			2.6%	2.7%
Latest 13 Weeks IUR as Compared to IUR's Prior 2 Years			66%	66%

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: 42

Ending: Oct 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				
						42	42	41	40	39	38
						Oct 20, 2012	Oct 19, 2013	Oct 12, 2013	Oct 05, 2013	Sep 28, 2013	Sep 21, 2013
<b>Regular Benefits UC, UCFE, UCX Programs</b>											
Total Initial Claims (Excl Trans)	615,700	11,840	467,489	429,197	-8.2%	10,511	8,846	9,038	8,988	7,227	7,250
Total Continued Claims	4,555,289	87,602	3,766,120	3,365,121	-10.6%	66,088	56,331	52,676	52,312	52,686	53,524
<b>Regular Benefits UC Program Only</b>											
<b>Intrastate Claims</b>											
New Claims	254,076	4,886	195,216	175,642	-10.0%	4,914	3,982	4,317	3,557	3,074	3,301
Additional Claims	350,254	6,736	263,442	244,216	-7.3%	5,393	4,560	4,210	4,298	4,012	3,812
Transitional Claims	68,546	1,318	52,172	46,230	-11.4%	732	597	818	348	405	378
Continued Claims	4,429,983	85,192	3,663,047	3,304,525	-9.8%	64,123	55,406	52,087	51,845	52,216	51,825
<b>Interstate Claims</b>											
Initial Claims (IB-1)	101	2	73	55	-24.7%	0	0	2	0	0	0
Continued Claims (IB-2)	90,852	1,747	74,729	70,828	-5.2%	1,420	1,192	1,147	1,319	1,323	1,272

## **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 42 ENDING OCT 18, 2013  
 REGULAR PROGRAM (STATE) INITIAL UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE  
 CLAIMS BY COUNTY. WISCONSIN RESIDENCE ONLY.

COUNTY	NEW CLAIMS	ADDITIONAL CLAIMS	TOTAL INITIAL CLAIMS*
ADAMS	17	18	35
ASHLAND	20	20	40
BARRON	31	32	63
BAYFIELD	22	21	43
BROWN	207	229	436
BUFFALO	7	6	13
BURNETT	4	5	9
CALUMET	20	31	51
CHIPPEWA	44	49	93
CLARK	33	52	85
COLUMBIA	63	54	117
CRAWFORD	11	9	20
DANE	234	187	421
DODGE	57	59	116
DOOR	17	24	41
DOUGLAS	15	31	46
DUNN	18	18	36
EAU CLAIRE	51	54	105
FLORENCE	1	1	2
FOND DU LAC	68	75	143
FOREST	3	15	18
GRANT	21	48	69
GREEN	11	14	25
GREEN LAKE	26	20	46
IOWA	18	28	46
IRON	6	7	13
JACKSON	20	11	31
JEFFERSON	55	55	110
JUNEAU	34	36	70
KENOSHA	93	91	184
KEWAUNEE	42	22	64
LA CROSSE	105	125	230
LAFAYETTE	14	12	26
LANGLADE	16	32	48
LINCOLN	20	47	67
MANITOWOC	73	69	142
MARATHON	120	121	241
MARINETTE	30	27	57
MARQUETTE	15	19	34
MENOMINEE	2	5	7
MILWAUKEE	950	755	1,705
MONROE	43	90	133
OCONTO	28	55	83
ONEIDA	42	45	87
OUTAGAMIE	102	169	271
OZAUKEE	37	39	76
PEPIN	3	6	9
PIERCE	17	8	25
POLK	20	26	46
PORTAGE	38	107	145
PRICE	8	17	25
RACINE	199	180	379
RICHLAND	9	13	22
ROCK	132	103	235
RUSK	5	16	21
ST CROIX	28	30	58
SAUK	40	72	112

\*DOES NOT INCLUDE TRANSITIONAL OR REOPENED

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COUNTY	NEW CLAIMS	ADDITIONAL CLAIMS	TOTAL INITIAL CLAIMS*
SAWYER	16	13	29
SHAWANO	36	42	78
SHEBOYGAN	68	68	136
TAYLOR	7	32	39
TREMPEALEAU	13	19	32
VERNON	28	35	63
VILAS	26	33	59
WALWORTH	56	76	132
WASHBURN	26	16	42
WASHINGTON	80	80	160
WAUKESHA	187	225	412
WAUPACA	53	47	100
WAUSHARA	22	48	70
WINNEBAGO	116	139	255
WOOD	58	178	236
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	4,157	4,561	8,718

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COUNTINUED UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE CLAIMS FILED DURING  
WEEK 42 ENDING OCT 18, 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	131	69	0	0	0
ASHLAND	215	83	0	0	1
BARRON	395	152	0	0	1
BAYFIELD	137	54	0	0	0
BROWN	2,450	1,083	0	24	19
BUFFALO	73	22	0	0	0
BURNETT	86	39	0	1	1
CALUMET	385	183	0	1	1
CHIPPEWA	449	238	0	8	2
CLARK	301	104	0	4	0
COLUMBIA	646	260	0	2	0
CRAWFORD	113	47	0	0	0
DANE	3,326	1,399	0	14	4
DODGE	890	393	0	3	8
DOOR	282	109	0	3	1
DOUGLAS	231	97	0	1	0
DUNN	265	141	0	0	3
EAU CLAIRE	709	357	0	4	18
FLORENCE	19	9	0	1	0
FOND DU LAC	851	386	0	3	4
FOREST	90	54	0	2	0
GRANT	319	121	0	3	1
GREEN	238	103	0	3	0
GREEN LAKE	248	103	0	0	0
IOWA	200	95	0	2	0
IRON	56	20	0	0	0
JACKSON	167	55	0	2	0
JEFFERSON	687	321	0	4	6
JUNEAU	340	139	0	1	0
KENOSHA	1,450	727	0	7	12
KEWAUNEE	210	63	0	3	0
LA CROSSE	867	292	0	2	1
LAFAYETTE	106	37	0	0	3
LANGLADE	235	121	0	3	0
LINCOLN	329	156	0	6	5
MANITOWOC	809	412	0	5	56
MARATHON	1,361	707	0	16	24
MARINETTE	475	210	0	7	0
MARQUETTE	146	68	0	0	0
MENOMINEE	62	34	0	0	0
MILWAUKEE	13,827	6,497	0	101	58
MONROE	571	187	0	4	0
OCONTO	394	169	0	4	2
ONEIDA	373	180	0	0	0
OUTAGAMIE	1,566	692	0	13	13
OZAUKEE	596	294	0	4	0
PEPIN	31	27	0	0	0
PIERCE	119	58	0	1	6
POLK	225	151	0	0	34
PORTAGE	612	283	0	6	4
PRICE	112	39	0	2	1
RACINE	2,744	1,272	0	7	6
RICHLAND	98	60	0	0	0
ROCK	1,605	723	0	19	8
RUSK	117	53	0	0	0
ST CROIX	255	121	0	1	9
SAUK	545	219	0	0	0
SAWYER	158	108	0	1	0

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SHAWANO	428	168	0	4	4
SHEBOYGAN	889	440	0	12	6
TAYLOR	150	58	0	3	0
TREMPEALEAU	186	95	0	0	0
VERNON	195	65	0	0	0
VILAS	192	87	0	0	0
WALWORTH	729	378	0	2	3
WASHBURN	145	56	0	2	1
WASHINGTON	1,130	564	0	4	2
WAUKESHA	3,084	1,441	0	15	13
WAUPACA	510	203	0	1	4
WAUSHARA	223	99	0	2	1
WINNEBAGO	1,642	734	0	10	12
WOOD	629	284	0	6	1
UNKNOWN	0	1	0	0	0
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	54,429	24,869	0	359	359