

Current Employment Statistics and Local Area Unemployment Statistics January 2022

EMPLOYMENT

METROPOLITAN STATISTICAL AREA	NOT SEASONALLY ADJUSTED					SEASONALLY ADJUSTED				
	PRELIM Jan-22	FINAL Dec-21	YEAR AGO Jan-21	NET CHANGE OVER		PRELIM Jan-22	FINAL Dec-21	YEAR AGO Jan-21	NET CHANGE OVER	
				1-Month	1-Year				1-Month	1-Year
Appleton	123,700	124,700	120,900	-1,000	2,800	125,300	124,500	122,800	800	2,500
Eau Claire	84,100	85,800	82,100	-1,500	2,000	86,400	85,100	84,400	1,300	2,000
Fond du Lac	47,100	47,700	45,300	-600	1,800	47,900	47,700	46,400	200	1,500
Green Bay	172,200	174,300	170,000	-2,100	2,200	175,000	173,900	172,900	1,100	2,100
Janesville-Beloit	67,700	68,400	66,200	-700	1,500	69,000	68,300	67,500	700	1,500
La Crosse-Onalaska	75,800	77,400	73,500	-1,600	2,300	77,500	76,600	75,500	900	2,000
Madison	396,500	405,900	386,400	-9,400	10,100	404,400	402,900	395,300	1,500	9,100
Milwaukee-Waukesha-West Allis	816,700	837,400	810,600	-20,700	6,100	831,700	836,200	824,500	-4,500	7,200
Oshkosh-Neenah	93,500	95,200	92,600	-1,700	900	94,500	94,500	93,800	0	700
Racine	74,500	75,400	73,400	-900	1,100	75,700	75,200	74,900	500	800
Sheboygan	60,800	61,300	59,400	-500	1,400	61,900	61,700	60,700	200	1,200
Wausau	71,500	72,100	69,800	-600	1,700	72,100	71,700	70,600	400	1,500

UNEMPLOYMENT RATES

METROPOLITAN STATISTICAL AREA	NOT SEASONALLY ADJUSTED				
	PRELIM Jan-22	FINAL Dec-21	YEAR AGO Jan-21	NET CHANGE OVER	
				1-Month	1-Year
Appleton	2.5	1.8	3.8	0.7	(1.3)
Eau Claire	3.2	2.2	4.7	1.0	(1.5)
Fond du Lac	2.7	1.8	4.1	0.9	(1.4)
Green Bay	2.8	2.1	4.2	0.7	(1.4)
Janesville-Beloit	3.7	2.8	5.2	0.9	(1.5)
La Crosse-Onalaska	2.7	1.8	4.1	0.9	(1.4)
Madison	2.3	1.7	3.6	0.6	(1.3)
Milwaukee-Waukesha-West Allis	3.4	2.6	5.1	0.8	(1.7)
Oshkosh-Neenah	2.5	1.9	3.8	0.6	(1.3)
Racine	4.0	2.9	5.7	1.1	(1.7)
Sheboygan	2.5	1.8	3.8	0.7	(1.3)
Wausau	2.6	1.8	3.6	0.8	(1.0)

Source: Local Area Unemployment Statistics (LAUS)

CITY	NOT SEASONALLY ADJUSTED				
	RATE Jan-22	RATE Dec-21	RATE Jan-21	RANK Jan-22	RANK Dec-21
Appleton	2.2	1.8	3.9	4	9
Beloit	4.0	3.5	6.0	32	33
Brookfield	2.1	1.6	3.4	2	2
Caledonia	3.2	2.3	4.8	27	26
De Pere	2.3	1.9	3.7	6	12
Eau Claire	2.4	1.6	4.0	8	2
Fitchburg	2.1	1.6	3.4	2	2
Fond du Lac	2.5	1.9	4.3	11	12
Franklin	2.8	2.1	4.2	22	21
Green Bay	3.1	2.3	4.7	26	26
Greenfield	3.8	2.9	4.9	31	30
Janesville	3.5	2.7	4.9	29	29
Kenosha	3.7	3.0	5.6	30	31
La Crosse	2.5	1.7	4.0	11	5
Madison	1.9	1.4	3.4	1	1
Manitowoc	3.0	2.2	4.6	25	24
Menomonee Falls	2.6	1.9	3.7	14	12
Mequon	2.2	1.7	3.2	4	5
Milwaukee	4.8	3.8	7.1	34	35
Mount Pleasant	3.3	2.3	4.4	28	26
Muskego	2.4	1.7	3.3	8	5
Neenah	2.6	2.0	3.6	14	18
New Berlin	2.6	1.9	3.8	14	12
Oak Creek	2.9	2.2	4.0	23	24
Oshkosh	2.4	1.7	4.0	8	5
Racine	4.8	3.6	7.3	34	34
Sheboygan	2.6	2.0	4.1	14	18
Stevens Point	2.7	1.9	3.9	19	12
Sun Prairie	2.3	1.9	3.8	6	12
Superior	2.9	2.1	4.2	23	21
Waukesha	2.6	1.8	4.3	14	9
Wausau	2.5	2.0	4.3	11	18
Wauwatosa	2.7	2.1	3.9	19	21
West Allis	4.1	3.0	5.9	33	31
West Bend	2.7	1.8	4.0	19	9

Source: Local Area Unemployment Statistics (LAUS)

Note: Seasonally adjusted unemployment estimates for MSAs are available from the Bureau of Labor Statistics website: <http://www.bls.gov/lau/metrossa.htm>. City and county unemployment rates are not seasonally adjusted.

Local Area Unemployment Statistics January 2022

UNEMPLOYMENT RATES - NOT SEASONALLY ADJUSTED

COUNTY	ALPHABETICAL ORDER				
	RATE	RATE	RATE	RANK	RANK
	Jan-22	Dec-21	Jan-21	Jan-22	Dec-21
Adams	6.4	4.6	8.5	72	70
Ashland	4.6	3.3	6.4	59	62
Barron	3.9	2.6	5.3	41	38
Bayfield	5.8	4.3	8.2	69	69
Brown	2.7	2.0	4.1	12	20
Buffalo	4.5	3.1	5.8	56	52
Burnett	5.9	4.1	7.3	70	67
Calumet	2.3	1.7	3.3	2	3
Chippewa	4.0	2.8	5.6	46	43
Clark	3.1	2.1	4.4	23	23
Columbia	3.0	2.0	4.6	20	20
Crawford	4.7	3.2	6.2	61	56
Dane	2.2	1.6	3.5	1	2
Dodge	2.8	1.9	4.1	16	12
Door	4.6	3.2	7.2	59	56
Douglas	4.4	3.1	5.5	54	52
Dunn	3.4	2.3	4.7	33	31
Eau Claire	2.7	1.9	4.2	12	12
Florence	4.1	3.2	5.7	48	56
Fond du Lac	2.7	1.8	4.1	12	6
Forest	5.9	4.2	8.5	70	68
Grant	2.8	1.7	3.8	16	3
Green	2.9	1.9	4.0	18	12
Green Lake	4.1	2.8	5.9	48	43
Iowa	3.0	1.9	4.5	20	12
Iron	5.7	4.6	8.2	67	70
Jackson	5.2	3.9	7.2	66	66
Jefferson	3.0	2.0	4.3	20	20
Juneau	3.9	2.7	5.9	41	40
Kenosha	3.5	2.6	5.1	34	38
Kewaunee	2.7	1.9	3.8	12	12
La Crosse	2.6	1.8	4.0	9	6
Lafayette	2.4	1.4	3.4	3	1
Langlade	3.9	3.0	5.5	41	51
Lincoln	3.6	2.4	4.9	36	33
Manitowoc	3.1	2.2	4.5	23	25
Marathon	2.6	1.8	3.6	9	6
Marinette	4.1	2.9	5.5	48	49
Marquette	4.7	3.2	6.4	61	56
Menominee	5.7	5.0	8.7	67	72
Milwaukee	4.2	3.2	6.1	52	56
Monroe	2.9	2.1	4.2	18	23
Oconto	3.6	2.5	5.0	36	35
Oneida	4.4	3.2	6.0	54	56
Outagamie	2.6	1.9	3.9	9	12
Ozaukee	2.4	1.7	3.7	3	3
Pepin	3.9	2.7	5.2	41	40
Pierce	3.5	2.4	4.6	34	33
Polk	4.7	3.3	6.0	61	62
Portage	3.2	2.2	4.5	26	25
Price	3.7	2.8	5.0	38	43
Racine	4.0	2.9	5.7	46	49
Richland	3.2	2.2	4.7	26	25
Rock	3.7	2.8	5.2	38	43
Rusk	4.5	3.1	5.7	56	52
Sauk	3.3	2.5	5.4	31	35
Sawyer	4.9	3.6	6.9	65	64
Shawano	3.2	2.3	4.7	26	31
Sheboygan	2.5	1.8	3.8	5	6
St. Croix	3.3	2.2	4.5	31	25
Taylor	4.1	2.8	5.0	48	43
Trempealeau	3.7	2.5	5.2	38	35
Vernon	3.1	1.9	4.5	23	12
Vilas	4.5	3.7	6.4	56	65
Walworth	3.2	2.2	4.7	26	25
Washburn	4.7	3.1	6.5	61	52
Washington	2.5	1.8	3.8	5	6
Waukesha	2.5	1.8	3.8	5	6
Waupaca	3.2	2.2	4.5	26	25
Waushara	4.2	2.8	5.7	52	43
Winnebago	2.5	1.9	3.8	5	12
Wood	3.9	2.7	5.7	41	40

COUNTY	ASCENDING ORDER		
	RATE	RATE	RATE
	Jan-22	Dec-21	Jan-21
Dane	2.2	1.6	3.5
Calumet	2.3	1.7	3.3
Lafayette	2.4	1.4	3.4
Ozaukee	2.4	1.7	3.7
Sheboygan	2.5	1.8	3.8
Washington	2.5	1.8	3.8
Waukesha	2.5	1.8	3.8
Winnebago	2.5	1.9	3.8
La Crosse	2.6	1.8	4.0
Marathon	2.6	1.8	3.6
Outagamie	2.6	1.9	3.9
Brown	2.7	2.0	4.1
Eau Claire	2.7	1.9	4.2
Fond du Lac	2.7	1.8	4.1
Kewaunee	2.7	1.9	3.8
Dodge	2.8	1.9	4.1
Grant	2.8	1.7	3.8
Green	2.9	1.9	4.0
Monroe	2.9	2.1	4.2
Columbia	3.0	2.0	4.6
Iowa	3.0	1.9	4.5
Jefferson	3.0	2.0	4.3
Clark	3.1	2.1	4.4
Manitowoc	3.1	2.2	4.5
Vernon	3.1	1.9	4.5
Portage	3.2	2.2	4.5
Richland	3.2	2.2	4.7
Shawano	3.2	2.3	4.7
Walworth	3.2	2.2	4.7
Waupaca	3.2	2.2	4.5
Sauk	3.3	2.5	5.4
St. Croix	3.3	2.2	4.5
Dunn	3.4	2.3	4.7
Kenosha	3.5	2.6	5.1
Pierce	3.5	2.4	4.6
Lincoln	3.6	2.4	4.9
Oconto	3.6	2.5	5.0
Price	3.7	2.8	5.0
Rock	3.7	2.8	5.2
Trempealeau	3.7	2.5	5.2
Barron	3.9	2.6	5.3
Juneau	3.9	2.7	5.9
Langlade	3.9	3.0	5.5
Pepin	3.9	2.7	5.2
Wood	3.9	2.7	5.7
Chippewa	4.0	2.8	5.6
Racine	4.0	2.9	5.7
Florence	4.1	3.2	5.7
Green Lake	4.1	2.8	5.9
Marinette	4.1	2.9	5.5
Taylor	4.1	2.8	5.0
Milwaukee	4.2	3.2	6.1
Waushara	4.2	2.8	5.7
Douglas	4.4	3.1	5.5
Oneida	4.4	3.2	6.0
Buffalo	4.5	3.1	5.8
Rusk	4.5	3.1	5.7
Vilas	4.5	3.7	6.4
Ashland	4.6	3.3	6.4
Door	4.6	3.2	7.2
Crawford	4.7	3.2	6.2
Marquette	4.7	3.2	6.4
Polk	4.7	3.3	6.0
Washburn	4.7	3.1	6.5
Sawyer	4.9	3.6	6.9
Jackson	5.2	3.9	7.2
Iron	5.7	4.6	8.2
Menominee	5.7	5.0	8.7
Bayfield	5.8	4.3	8.2
Burnett	5.9	4.1	7.3
Forest	5.9	4.2	8.5
Adams	6.4	4.6	8.5

Note: Ranking is ascending from lowest (best) unemployment rate to highest. Ranking ties exist in the results.