

Current Employment Statistics and Local Area Unemployment Statistics February 2022

EMPLOYMENT

METROPOLITAN STATISTICAL AREA	NOT SEASONALLY ADJUSTED					SEASONALLY ADJUSTED				
	PRELIM Feb-22	FINAL Jan-22	YEAR AGO Feb-21	NET CHANGE OVER		PRELIM Feb-22	FINAL Jan-22	YEAR AGO Feb-21	NET CHANGE OVER	
				1-Month	1-Year				1-Month	1-Year
Appleton	123,800	123,600	120,400	200	3,400	126,000	125,400	122,600	600	3,400
Eau Claire	84,800	83,700	83,300	1,100	1,500	85,700	85,900	84,400	-200	1,300
Fond du Lac	47,300	47,000	45,400	300	1,900	48,200	47,900	46,300	300	1,900
Green Bay	173,200	172,300	169,400	900	3,800	175,900	175,200	172,500	700	3,400
Janesville-Beloit	68,000	67,600	66,100	400	1,900	69,200	68,900	67,500	300	1,700
La Crosse-Onalaska	76,500	75,500	74,700	1,000	1,800	76,900	77,200	75,300	-300	1,600
Madison	401,500	395,900	390,300	5,600	11,200	405,500	404,100	395,100	1,400	10,400
Milwaukee-Waukesha-West Allis	827,300	817,000	813,200	10,300	14,100	838,100	832,200	825,000	5,900	13,100
Oshkosh-Neenah	94,200	93,500	92,700	700	1,500	95,000	94,500	93,700	500	1,300
Racine	74,700	74,400	73,200	300	1,500	76,000	75,600	74,700	400	1,300
Sheboygan	61,000	60,800	59,200	200	1,800	62,200	62,000	60,700	200	1,500
Wausau	71,400	71,600	69,700	-200	1,700	72,100	72,300	70,600	-200	1,500

UNEMPLOYMENT RATES

METROPOLITAN STATISTICAL AREA	NOT SEASONALLY ADJUSTED				
	PRELIM Feb-22	FINAL Jan-22	YEAR AGO Feb-21	NET CHANGE OVER	
				1-Month	1-Year
Appleton	2.7	2.5	4.1	0.2	(1.4)
Eau Claire	3.4	3.2	5.1	0.2	(1.7)
Fond du Lac	2.8	2.7	4.4	0.1	(1.6)
Green Bay	3.0	2.8	4.5	0.2	(1.5)
Janesville-Beloit	4.0	3.7	5.8	0.3	(1.8)
La Crosse-Onalaska	2.8	2.7	4.3	0.1	(1.5)
Madison	2.5	2.3	3.8	0.2	(1.3)
Milwaukee-Waukesha-West Allis	3.7	3.4	5.4	0.3	(1.7)
Oshkosh-Neenah	2.6	2.5	4.1	0.1	(1.5)
Racine	4.3	4.0	6.1	0.3	(1.8)
Sheboygan	2.6	2.5	4.0	0.1	(1.4)
Wausau	2.7	2.6	4.0	0.1	(1.3)

Source: Local Area Unemployment Statistics (LAUS)

CITY	NOT SEASONALLY ADJUSTED				
	RATE Feb-22	RATE Jan-22	RATE Feb-21	RANK Feb-22	RANK Jan-22
Appleton	2.3	2.2	4.0	4	4
Beloit	4.4	4.0	7.1	32	32
Brookfield	2.1	2.1	3.6	2	2
Caledonia	3.4	3.2	4.6	27	27
De Pere	2.4	2.3	3.8	5	6
Eau Claire	2.4	2.4	4.1	5	8
Fitchburg	2.2	2.1	3.5	3	2
Fond du Lac	2.5	2.5	4.7	9	11
Franklin	3.0	2.8	4.3	21	22
Green Bay	3.1	3.1	5.0	22	26
Greenfield	4.0	3.8	5.3	30	31
Janesville	3.6	3.5	5.3	29	29
Kenosha	4.0	3.7	5.9	30	30
La Crosse	2.5	2.5	4.0	9	11
Madison	2.0	1.9	3.4	1	1
Manitowoc	3.1	2.9	4.9	22	23
Menomonee Falls	2.4	2.6	3.8	5	14
Mequon	2.5	2.2	3.2	9	4
Milwaukee	5.1	4.8	7.5	34	34
Mount Pleasant	3.3	3.3	4.6	26	28
Muskego	2.6	2.4	3.5	14	8
Neenah	2.6	2.6	4.0	14	14
New Berlin	2.9	2.6	3.9	20	14
Oak Creek	3.1	2.9	4.2	22	23
Oshkosh	2.5	2.4	4.3	9	8
Racine	5.2	4.8	7.9	35	34
Sheboygan	2.6	2.6	4.3	14	14
Stevens Point	2.7	2.7	4.0	17	19
Sun Prairie	2.5	2.3	4.2	9	6
Superior	3.4	2.9	4.4	27	23
Waukesha	2.7	2.6	4.4	17	14
Wausau	2.4	2.5	4.5	5	11
Wauwatosa	2.7	2.7	3.9	17	19
West Allis	4.4	4.1	6.1	32	33
West Bend	3.1	2.7	4.6	22	19

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.

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UNEMPLOYMENT RATES - NOT SEASONALLY ADJUSTED

COUNTY	ALPHABETICAL ORDER				
	RATE	RATE	RATE	RANK	RANK
	Feb-22	Jan-22	Feb-21	Feb-22	Jan-22
Adams	6.6	6.3	9.5	72	72
Ashland	4.8	4.6	7.1	57	59
Barron	4.3	3.9	6.0	42	42
Bayfield	6.5	5.8	8.7	69	69
Brown	2.9	2.7	4.4	13	12
Buffalo	5.0	4.5	6.7	61	56
Burnett	6.5	5.9	8.0	69	70
Calumet	2.5	2.3	3.7	2	2
Chippewa	4.4	4.0	6.3	50	46
Clark	3.3	3.1	5.1	22	23
Columbia	3.2	3.0	4.9	19	20
Crawford	5.3	4.7	6.8	64	61
Dane	2.3	2.2	3.6	1	1
Dodge	3.0	2.8	4.6	16	16
Door	4.8	4.6	7.6	57	59
Douglas	4.7	4.4	6.1	56	54
Dunn	3.6	3.4	5.1	31	33
Eau Claire	2.8	2.7	4.4	10	12
Florence	4.3	4.1	6.7	42	49
Fond du Lac	2.8	2.7	4.4	10	12
Forest	6.5	5.9	9.2	69	70
Grant	3.2	2.8	4.2	19	16
Green	3.0	2.9	4.3	16	18
Green Lake	4.4	4.1	6.3	50	49
Iowa	3.6	3.0	5.1	31	20
Iron	6.2	5.7	9.1	67	68
Jackson	5.4	5.2	7.9	66	66
Jefferson	3.3	3.0	4.7	22	20
Juneau	4.3	3.9	6.3	42	42
Kenosha	3.9	3.5	5.5	38	34
Kewaunee	2.9	2.7	4.1	13	12
La Crosse	2.8	2.6	4.2	10	9
Lafayette	2.9	2.4	4.0	13	3
Langlade	4.3	3.8	6.3	42	41
Lincoln	3.7	3.6	5.4	34	36
Manitowoc	3.2	3.1	4.7	19	23
Marathon	2.7	2.6	4.0	6	9
Marinette	4.4	4.0	6.0	50	46
Marquette	4.9	4.7	7.0	59	61
Menominee	6.4	5.6	9.6	68	67
Milwaukee	4.4	4.1	6.4	50	49
Monroe	3.1	2.9	4.7	18	18
Oconto	3.8	3.6	5.5	35	36
Oneida	4.3	4.4	6.5	42	54
Outagamie	2.7	2.6	4.2	6	9
Ozaukee	2.5	2.4	3.8	2	3
Pepin	4.3	3.9	5.9	42	42
Pierce	3.8	3.5	5.3	35	34
Polk	5.2	4.7	6.9	63	61
Portage	3.3	3.2	4.8	22	26
Price	3.9	3.7	5.3	38	38
Racine	4.3	4.0	6.1	42	46
Richland	3.4	3.2	4.9	26	26
Rock	4.0	3.7	5.8	40	38
Rusk	4.9	4.5	6.7	59	56
Sauk	3.6	3.3	5.9	31	31
Sawyer	5.3	4.8	7.4	64	65
Shawano	3.5	3.2	5.2	29	26
Sheboygan	2.6	2.5	4.0	4	5
St. Croix	3.5	3.3	5.1	29	31
Taylor	4.4	4.1	5.5	50	49
Trempealeau	4.0	3.7	5.7	40	38
Vernon	3.3	3.1	5.0	22	23
Vilas	4.6	4.5	7.1	55	56
Walworth	3.4	3.2	5.1	26	26
Washburn	5.0	4.7	6.9	61	61
Washington	2.7	2.5	4.1	6	5
Waukesha	2.7	2.5	4.0	6	5
Waupaca	3.4	3.2	5.0	26	26
Waushara	4.3	4.2	6.5	42	53
Winnebago	2.6	2.5	4.1	4	5
Wood	3.8	3.9	6.2	35	42

COUNTY	ASCENDING ORDER		
	RATE	RATE	RATE
	Feb-22	Jan-22	Feb-21
Dane	2.3	2.2	3.6
Calumet	2.5	2.3	3.7
Ozaukee	2.5	2.4	3.8
Sheboygan	2.6	2.5	4.0
Winnebago	2.6	2.5	4.1
Marathon	2.7	2.6	4.0
Outagamie	2.7	2.6	4.2
Washington	2.7	2.5	4.1
Waukesha	2.7	2.5	4.0
Eau Claire	2.8	2.7	4.4
Fond du Lac	2.8	2.7	4.4
La Crosse	2.8	2.6	4.2
Brown	2.9	2.7	4.4
Kewaunee	2.9	2.7	4.1
Lafayette	2.9	2.4	4.0
Dodge	3.0	2.8	4.6
Green	3.0	2.9	4.3
Monroe	3.1	2.9	4.7
Columbia	3.2	3.0	4.9
Grant	3.2	2.8	4.2
Manitowoc	3.2	3.1	4.7
Clark	3.3	3.1	5.1
Jefferson	3.3	3.0	4.7
Portage	3.3	3.2	4.8
Vernon	3.3	3.1	5.0
Richland	3.4	3.2	4.9
Walworth	3.4	3.2	5.1
Waupaca	3.4	3.2	5.0
Shawano	3.5	3.2	5.2
St. Croix	3.5	3.3	5.1
Dunn	3.6	3.4	5.1
Iowa	3.6	3.0	5.1
Sauk	3.6	3.3	5.9
Lincoln	3.7	3.6	5.4
Oconto	3.8	3.6	5.5
Pierce	3.8	3.5	5.3
Wood	3.8	3.9	6.2
Kenosha	3.9	3.5	5.5
Price	3.9	3.7	5.3
Rock	4.0	3.7	5.8
Trempealeau	4.0	3.7	5.7
Barron	4.3	3.9	6.0
Florence	4.3	4.1	6.7
Juneau	4.3	3.9	6.3
Langlade	4.3	3.8	6.3
Oneida	4.3	4.4	6.5
Pepin	4.3	3.9	5.9
Racine	4.3	4.0	6.1
Waushara	4.3	4.2	6.5
Chippewa	4.4	4.0	6.3
Green Lake	4.4	4.1	6.3
Marinette	4.4	4.0	6.0
Milwaukee	4.4	4.1	6.4
Taylor	4.4	4.1	5.5
Vilas	4.6	4.5	7.1
Douglas	4.7	4.4	6.1
Ashland	4.8	4.6	7.1
Door	4.8	4.6	7.6
Marquette	4.9	4.7	7.0
Rusk	4.9	4.5	6.7
Buffalo	5.0	4.5	6.7
Washburn	5.0	4.7	6.9
Polk	5.2	4.7	6.9
Crawford	5.3	4.7	6.8
Sawyer	5.3	4.8	7.4
Jackson	5.4	5.2	7.9
Iron	6.2	5.7	9.1
Menominee	6.4	5.6	9.6
Bayfield	6.5	5.8	8.7
Burnett	6.5	5.9	8.0
Forest	6.5	5.9	9.2
Adams	6.6	6.3	9.5

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