



RANKING OF COUNTY DATA  
Unemployment Rates by County

December 2018 (Preliminary)

Prepared January 17, 2019

RANK	AREA	RATE	RANK	AREA	RATE
1	Vermillion	5.7	47	Floyd	3.3
2	Crawford	5.2	48	Knox	3.3
3	Lake	5.2	49	Marion	3.3
4	Greene	4.8	50	Spencer	3.3
5	Fayette	4.7	51	Union	3.3
6	LaPorte	4.7	52	Wabash	3.3
7	Starke	4.6	53	Washington	3.3
8	Vigo	4.6	54	Benton	3.2
9	Newton	4.5	55	Jay	3.2
10	Sullivan	4.5	56	Marshall	3.2
11	Owen	4.3	57	Morgan	3.2
12	Parke	4.1	58	Pulaski	3.2
13	Blackford	3.9	59	Decatur	3.1
14	Delaware	3.9	60	Montgomery	3.1
15	Jasper	3.9	61	Vanderburgh	3.1
16	Ohio	3.9	62	Warren	3.1
17	Porter	3.9	63	Allen	3.0
18	Scott	3.9	64	Rush	3.0
19	Clay	3.8	65	White	3.0
20	Fountain	3.8	66	Brown	2.9
21	Franklin	3.8	67	Hancock	2.9
22	Grant	3.8	68	Noble	2.9
23	Huntington	3.8	69	Shelby	2.9
24	Lawrence	3.8	70	Tippecanoe	2.9
25	Miami	3.8	71	Warrick	2.9
26	Randolph	3.8	72	Whitley	2.9
27	Switzerland	3.8	73	Clinton	2.8
28	Jennings	3.7	74	DeKalb	2.8
29	Madison	3.7	75	Elkhart	2.8
30	Perry	3.7	76	Hendricks	2.8
31	Cass	3.6	77	Jackson	2.8
32	Dearborn	3.6	78	Steuben	2.8
33	Howard	3.6	79	Wells	2.8
34	St. Joseph	3.6	80	Daviess	2.7
35	Wayne	3.6	81	Johnson	2.7
36	Jefferson	3.5	82	Kosciusko	2.7
37	Monroe	3.5	83	Martin	2.7
38	Orange	3.5	84	Posey	2.7
39	Pike	3.5	85	Adams	2.6
40	Ripley	3.5	86	Hamilton	2.6
41	Clark	3.4	87	LaGrange	2.6
42	Fulton	3.4	88	Bartholomew	2.5
43	Harrison	3.4	89	Boone	2.5
44	Henry	3.4	90	Gibson	2.5
45	Putnam	3.4	91	Dubois	2.4
46	Carroll	3.3	92	Tipton	2.3
				INDIANA	3.4

AREA	LABOR FORCE	EMPLOYED	UNEMPLOYED	RATE
<b>HENRY</b>				
December 2018	22,382	21,615	767	3.4
November 2018	22,475	21,631	844	3.8
December 2017 (Benchmark)	21,894	21,210	684	3.1
<b>HOWARD (KOKOMO MSA)</b>				
December 2018	40,561	39,089	1,472	3.6
November 2018	42,370	38,865	3,505	8.3
December 2017 (Benchmark)	37,981	36,829	1,152	3.0
<b>HUNTINGTON</b>				
December 2018	17,971	17,297	674	3.8
November 2018	18,102	17,419	683	3.8
December 2017 (Benchmark)	18,014	17,405	609	3.4
<b>JACKSON</b>				
December 2018	22,738	22,108	630	2.8
November 2018	22,763	22,068	695	3.1
December 2017 (Benchmark)	22,008	21,439	569	2.6
<b>JASPER (GARY MSA)</b>				
December 2018	16,402	15,765	637	3.9
November 2018	16,461	15,846	615	3.7
December 2017 (Benchmark)	15,953	15,358	595	3.7
<b>JAY</b>				
December 2018	9,579	9,269	310	3.2
November 2018	9,585	9,244	341	3.6
December 2017 (Benchmark)	9,466	9,180	286	3.0
<b>JEFFERSON</b>				
December 2018	14,827	14,308	519	3.5
November 2018	14,865	14,324	541	3.6
December 2017 (Benchmark)	14,687	14,218	469	3.2
<b>JENNINGS</b>				
December 2018	13,552	13,044	508	3.7
November 2018	13,539	13,060	479	3.5
December 2017 (Benchmark)	12,890	12,438	452	3.5
<b>JOHNSON (INDIANAPOLIS-CARMEL-ANDERSON MSA)</b>				
December 2018	82,253	80,004	2,249	2.7
November 2018	82,686	80,201	2,485	3.0
December 2017 (Benchmark)	79,653	77,641	2,012	2.5
<b>KNOX</b>				
December 2018	18,988	18,362	626	3.3
November 2018	18,976	18,306	670	3.5
December 2017 (Benchmark)	18,554	18,026	528	2.8
<b>KOSCIUSKO</b>				
December 2018	41,941	40,819	1,122	2.7
November 2018	42,120	40,882	1,238	2.9
December 2017 (Benchmark)	40,700	39,743	957	2.4
<b>LAGRANGE</b>				
December 2018	20,356	19,833	523	2.6
November 2018	20,429	19,850	579	2.8
December 2017 (Benchmark)	19,676	19,287	389	2.0
<b>LAKE (GARY MSA)</b>				
December 2018	231,307	219,287	12,020	5.2
November 2018	232,969	221,348	11,621	5.0
December 2017 (Benchmark)	224,833	214,062	10,771	4.8
<b>LA PORTE (MICHIGAN CITY-LAPORTE MSA)</b>				
December 2018	47,240	44,998	2,242	4.7
November 2018	47,452	45,302	2,150	4.5
December 2017 (Benchmark)	46,711	44,793	1,918	4.1
<b>LAWRENCE</b>				
December 2018	20,661	19,884	777	3.8
November 2018	20,822	20,027	795	3.8
December 2017 (Benchmark)	20,599	19,797	802	3.9
<b>MADISON (INDIANAPOLIS-CARMEL-ANDERSON MSA)</b>				
December 2018	60,139	57,888	2,251	3.7
November 2018	60,426	58,023	2,403	4.0
December 2017 (Benchmark)	58,165	56,189	1,976	3.4
<b>MARION (INDIANAPOLIS-CARMEL-ANDERSON MSA)</b>				
December 2018	492,568	476,146	16,422	3.3
November 2018	495,671	477,689	17,982	3.6
December 2017 (Benchmark)	477,090	462,287	14,803	3.1

## 2018 Huntington County Unemployment Statistics

Source – Indiana Department of Workforce Development & the U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics

Month	Total Labor Force		Employed	Unemployed	%
	2017	2018			
January	18,394	17,917	17,225	692	3.9
February	18,393	18,264	17,563	728	4.0
March	18,369	18,123	17,493	630	3.5
April	18,461	18,290	17,729	561	3.1
May	18,613	18,507	17,875	632	3.4
June	18,570	18,546	17,838	708	3.8
July	18,633	18,521	17,840	681	3.7
August	18,374	18,350	17,653	697	3.8
September	18,275	18,484	17,922	562	3.0
October	18,332	18,590	17,915	675	3.6
November	18,217	18,105	17,421	684	3.8
December	18,014	17,971	17,297	674	3.8