

Unemployment Insurance Claims Filed*
 September 15, 2013 through September 21, 2013
 Week 38

Initial Claims

Initial Claims for unemployment insurance decreased by 372 to a total of 7,250 for the week ending September 21 (week 38). Last week Initial Claims totaled 7,622. One year ago Initial Claims amounted to 8,131. Layoffs were scattered throughout various industries. Last week significant layoffs were from Construction, 19%; Manufacturing, 24%; and Administration Support and Waste Services, 13%.

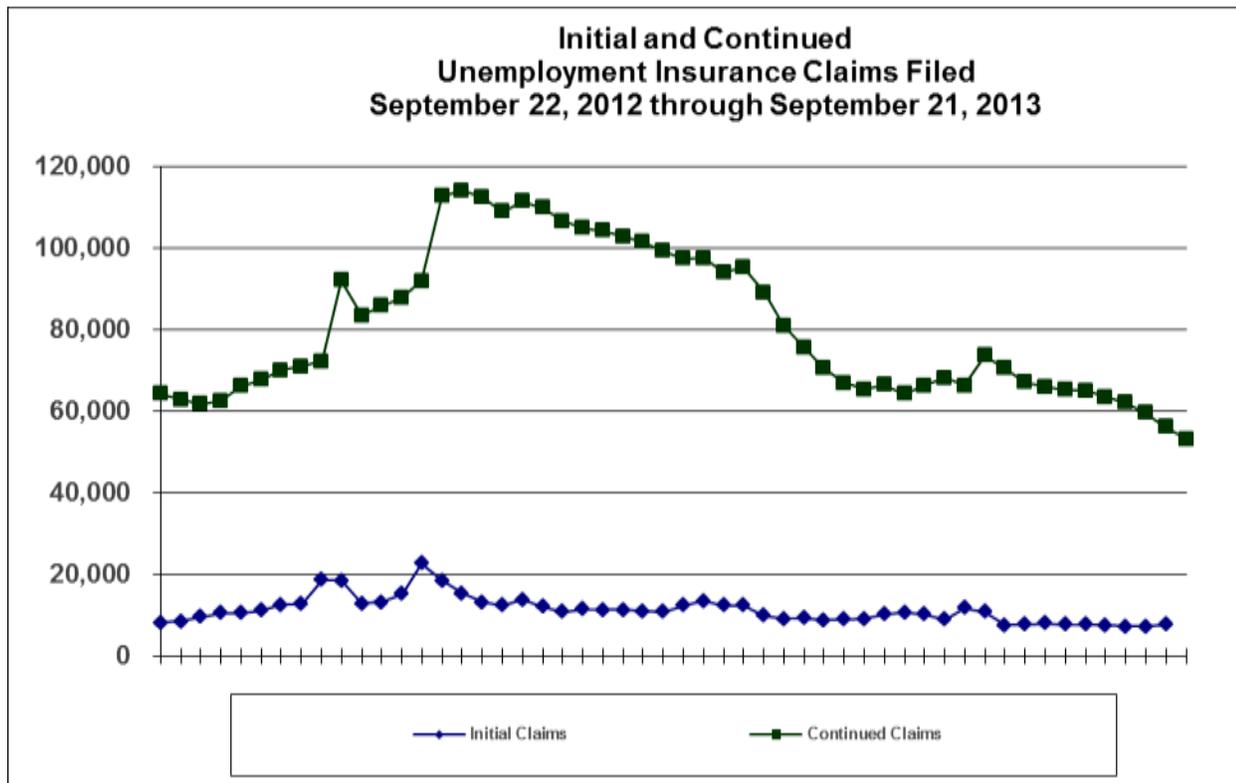
Continued Claims

Continued Claims for unemployment insurance decreased by 2,489 to a total of 53,524 for the week ending September 21 (week 38). Last week Continued Claims totaled 56,013. One year ago Continued Claims amounted to 64,230.

Insured Unemployment Rate

Wisconsin's unadjusted insured unemployment rate decreased to 2.39% during the week ending September 14 (week 37).

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UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION CLAIMS*

(Not Seasonally Adjusted)

LAST THREE WEEKS OF UNEMPLOYMENT	WEEK	38	37	36
	ENDING	Sep 21, 2013	Sep 14, 2013	Sep 07, 2013
Initial Claims (Excluding Trans.)		7,250	7,622	7,213
Continued Claims		53,066	56,013	59,503
Completed Weeks of Unemployment			53,066	55,536
Insured Unemployment Rate (IUR)			2.0%	2.1%
IUR Average for Latest 13 Weeks			2.4%	2.4%
Latest 13 Weeks IUR as Compared to IUR's Prior 3 Years			3%	72%

CORRESPONDING WEEKS OF PREVIOUS YEARS	WEEK	38	37	36
	ENDING	Sep 22, 2012	Sep 15, 2012	Sep 08, 2012
Initial Claims (Excluding Trans.)		8,131	9,329	9,770
Continued Claims		64,230	68,502	70,925
Completed Weeks of Unemployment			63,641	67,913
Insured Unemployment Rate (IUR)			2.4%	2.6%
IUR Average for Latest 13 Weeks			2.8%	2.9%
Latest 13 Weeks IUR as Compared to IUR's Prior 2 Years			67%	67%

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: 38

Ending: Sep 21, 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				
						38	38	37	36	35	34
						Sep 22, 2012	Sep 21, 2013	Sep 14, 2013	Sep 07, 2013	Aug 31, 2013	Aug 24, 2013
Regular Benefits UC, UCFE, UCX Programs											
Total Initial Claims (Excl Trans)	615,700	11,840	428,371	395,098	-7.8%	8,131	7,250	7,622	7,213	7,165	7,537
Total Continued Claims	4,555,289	87,602	3,513,051	3,151,116	-10.3%	64,230	53,524	56,013	59,503	62,085	63,385
Regular Benefits UC Program Only											
Intrastate Claims											
New Claims	254,076	4,886	177,502	160,712	-9.5%	3,591	3,301	3,287	3,061	2,967	3,275
Additional Claims	350,254	6,736	242,915	227,136	-6.5%	4,346	3,812	4,163	4,017	4,042	4,111
Transitional Claims	68,546	1,318	48,946	44,062	-10.0%	476	378	433	548	494	529
Continued Claims	4,429,983	85,192	3,416,503	3,092,971	-9.5%	62,208	51,825	54,228	58,244	61,609	62,895
Interstate Claims											
Initial Claims (IB-1)	101	2	69	53	-23.2%	3	0	1	0	2	0
Continued Claims (IB-2)	90,852	1,747	69,098	65,847	-4.7%	1,433	1,272	1,334	1,259	1,313	1,412

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 38 ENDING SEP 21, 2013
 REGULAR PROGRAM (STATE) INITIAL UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE
 CLAIMS BY COUNTY. WISCONSIN RESIDENCE ONLY.

COUNTY	NEW CLAIMS	ADDITIONAL CLAIMS	TOTAL INITIAL CLAIMS*
ADAMS	8	15	23
ASHLAND	9	13	22
BARRON	22	38	60
BAYFIELD	3	10	13
BROWN	147	182	329
BUFFALO	0	6	0
BURNETT	8	7	15
CALUMET	22	37	59
CHIPPEWA	30	35	65
CLARK	13	21	34
COLUMBIA	45	61	106
CRAWFORD	10	15	25
DANE	244	200	444
DODGE	58	73	131
DOOR	20	34	54
DOUGLAS	17	22	39
DUNN	18	19	37
EAU CLAIRE	44	51	95
FLORENCE	3	0	0
FOND DU LAC	47	69	116
FOREST	8	2	10
GRANT	22	26	48
GREEN	19	24	43
GREEN LAKE	18	26	44
IOWA	20	22	42
IRON	4	3	7
JACKSON	10	8	18
JEFFERSON	51	53	104
JUNEAU	19	28	47
KENOSHA	89	76	165
KEWAUNEE	10	11	21
LA CROSSE	48	58	106
LAFAYETTE	8	3	11
LANGLADE	11	23	34
LINCOLN	19	55	74
MANITOWOC	38	55	93
MARATHON	70	126	196
MARINETTE	33	28	61
MARQUETTE	8	22	30
MENOMINEE	5	1	6
MILWAUKEE	875	708	1,583
MONROE	23	29	52
OCONTO	24	50	74
ONEIDA	18	26	44
OUTAGAMIE	104	125	229
OZAUKEE	30	30	60
PEPIN	2	3	5
PIERCE	7	7	14
POLK	20	15	35
PORTAGE	27	55	82
PRICE	5	11	16
RACINE	135	164	299
RICHLAND	10	12	22
ROCK	117	111	228
RUSK	11	13	24
ST CROIX	15	20	35
SAUK	41	53	94

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COUNTY	NEW CLAIMS	ADDITIONAL CLAIMS	TOTAL INITIAL CLAIMS*
SAWYER	9	14	23
SHAWANO	17	42	59
SHEBOYGAN	75	78	153
TAYLOR	6	15	21
TREMPEALEAU	11	11	22
VERNON	9	23	32
VILAS	11	21	32
WALWORTH	60	62	122
WASHBURN	7	15	22
WASHINGTON	74	62	136
WAUKESHA	200	189	389
WAUPACA	37	35	72
WAUSHARA	14	18	32
WINNEBAGO	99	121	220
WOOD	39	76	115
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	3,410	3,772	7,173

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COUNTINUED UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE CLAIMS FILED DURING
WEEK 38 ENDING SEP 21, 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	121	77	0	0	0
ASHLAND	174	92	0	0	1
BARRON	382	172	0	2	1
BAYFIELD	100	52	0	1	0
BROWN	2,309	1,255	0	28	21
BUFFALO	85	30	0	0	0
BURNETT	90	48	0	1	1
CALUMET	388	213	0	1	2
CHIPPEWA	446	291	0	6	1
CLARK	266	109	0	4	0
COLUMBIA	521	296	0	3	0
CRAWFORD	122	55	0	0	0
DANE	3,122	1,624	0	12	5
DODGE	891	439	0	2	8
DOOR	219	110	0	3	0
DOUGLAS	213	105	0	1	0
DUNN	273	163	0	2	3
EAU CLAIRE	715	408	0	2	18
FLORENCE	24	11	0	1	0
FOND DU LAC	906	412	0	3	3
FOREST	88	44	0	2	0
GRANT	291	129	0	3	2
GREEN	232	121	0	2	0
GREEN LAKE	257	110	0	0	0
IOWA	186	90	0	3	0
IRON	55	24	0	0	0
JACKSON	153	75	0	3	0
JEFFERSON	651	335	0	3	58
JUNEAU	262	163	0	0	0
KENOSHA	1,322	824	0	9	13
KEWAUNEE	178	81	0	0	0
LA CROSSE	796	366	0	2	1
LAFAYETTE	79	39	0	0	3
LANGLADE	251	119	0	2	1
LINCOLN	361	174	0	6	5
MANITOWOC	742	489	0	6	32
MARATHON	1,299	836	0	9	23
MARINETTE	376	222	0	5	0
MARQUETTE	144	81	0	0	0
MENOMINEE	46	45	0	0	0
MILWAUKEE	13,315	7,419	0	105	58
MONROE	488	236	0	4	0
OCONTO	342	176	0	2	2
ONEIDA	292	211	0	0	0
OUTAGAMIE	1,557	816	0	17	12
OZAUKEE	603	333	0	3	0
PEPIN	28	24	0	0	0
PIERCE	114	59	0	1	5
POLK	216	175	0	0	35
PORTAGE	550	326	0	6	5
PRICE	95	47	0	3	1
RACINE	2,310	1,454	0	15	9
RICHLAND	95	68	0	0	0
ROCK	1,552	839	0	16	8
RUSK	106	57	0	0	0
ST CROIX	248	135	0	2	7
SAUK	462	253	0	0	0
SAWYER	133	106	0	1	0

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SHAWANO	368	193	0	7	4
SHEBOYGAN	860	505	0	12	6
TAYLOR	136	61	0	2	0
TREMPEALEAU	191	102	0	1	0
VERNON	192	74	0	0	0
VILAS	153	100	0	0	0
WALWORTH	724	431	0	1	3
WASHBURN	97	60	0	2	1
WASHINGTON	1,093	597	0	2	2
WAUKESHA	3,033	1,576	0	12	12
WAUPACA	493	236	0	0	5
WAUSHARA	240	93	0	2	2
WINNEBAGO	1,685	814	0	13	8
WOOD	716	377	0	5	1
UNKNOWN	0	1	0	0	0
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	51,623	28,283	0	361	388