



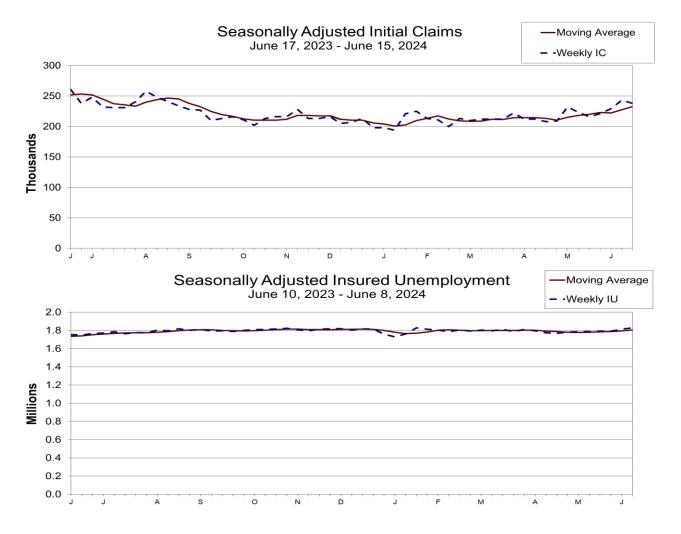
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UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE WEEKLY CLAIMS

SEASONALLY ADJUSTED DATA

In the week ending June 15, the advance figure for seasonally adjusted **initial claims** was 238,000, a decrease of 5,000 from the previous week's revised level. The previous week's level was revised up by 1,000 from 242,000 to 243,000. The 4-week moving average was 232,750, an increase of 5,500 from the previous week's revised average. The previous week's average was revised up by 250 from 227,000 to 227,250.

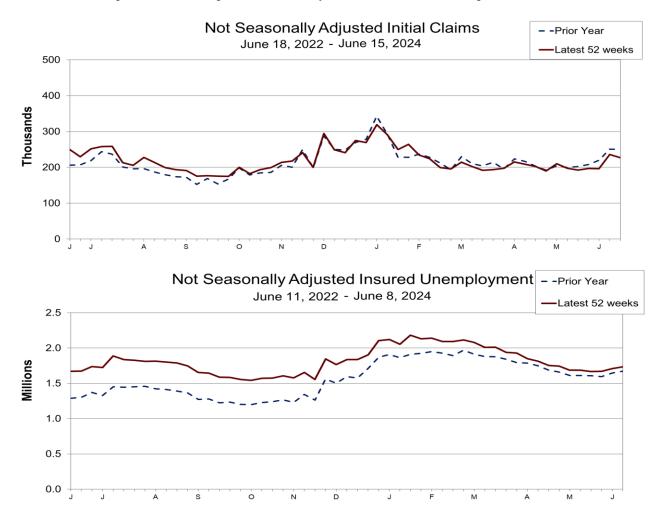
The advance seasonally adjusted **insured unemployment rate** was 1.2 percent for the week ending June 8, unchanged from the previous week's unrevised rate. The advance number for seasonally adjusted **insured unemployment** during the week ending June 8 was 1,828,000, an increase of 15,000 from the previous week's revised level. The previous week's level was revised down by 7,000 from 1,820,000 to 1,813,000. The 4-week moving average was 1,805,500, an increase of 10,250 from the previous week's revised average. The previous week's average was revised down by 1,500 from 1,796,750 to 1,795,250.



UNADJUSTED DATA

The advance number of actual initial claims under state programs, unadjusted, totaled 227,213 in the week ending June 15, a decrease of 8,833 (or -3.7 percent) from the previous week. The seasonal factors had expected a decrease of 4,133 (or -1.8 percent) from the previous week. There were 249,813 initial claims in the comparable week in 2023.

The advance unadjusted insured unemployment rate was 1.2 percent during the week ending June 8, an increase of 0.1 percentage point from the prior week. The advance unadjusted level of insured unemployment in state programs totaled 1,734,938, an increase of 26,794 (or 1.6 percent) from the preceding week. The seasonal factors had expected an increase of 12,693 (or 0.7 percent) from the previous week. A year earlier the rate was 1.1 percent and the volume was 1,670,300.



The total number of continued weeks claimed for benefits in all programs for the week ending June 1 was 1,731,039, an increase of 37,292 from the previous week. There were 1,674,834 weekly claims filed for benefits in all programs in the comparable week in 2023.

No state was triggered "on" the Extended Benefits program during the week ending June 1.

Initial claims for UI benefits filed by former Federal civilian employees totaled 419 in the week ending June 8, an increase of 19 from the prior week. There were 449 initial claims filed by newly discharged veterans, an increase of 144 from the preceding week.

There were 4,634 continued weeks claimed filed by former Federal civilian employees the week ending June 1, an increase of 233 from the previous week. Newly discharged veterans claiming benefits totaled 4,314, a decrease of 6 from the prior week.

The highest insured unemployment rates in the week ending June 1 were in New Jersey (2.3), California (2.2), Washington (1.8), Rhode Island (1.6), Illinois (1.5), Massachusetts (1.5), Minnesota (1.5), Nevada (1.5), New York (1.5), and Pennsylvania (1.5).

The largest increases in initial claims for the week ending June 8 were in California (+9,793), Minnesota (+4,397), Pennsylvania (+4,131), Texas (+2,309), and Illinois (+2,265), while the largest decreases were in North Dakota (-746), Missouri (-508), Tennessee (-279), Kansas (-245), and Idaho (-175).

UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE DATA FOR REGULAR STATE PROGRAMS

WEEK ENDING	June 15	June 8	Change	June 1	Prior Year ¹
Initial Claims (SA)	238,000	243,000	-5,000	229,000	261,000
Initial Claims (NSA)	227,213	236,046	-8,833	196,177	249,813
4-Wk Moving Average (SA)	232,750	227,250	+5,500	222,250	251,750
WEEK ENDING	June 8	June 1	Change	May 25	Prior Year ¹
Insured Unemployment (SA)	1,828,000	1,813,000	+15,000	1,791,000	1,753,000
Insured Unemployment (NSA)	1,734,938	1,708,144	+26,794	1,670,549	1,670,300
4-Wk Moving Average (SA)	1,805,500	1,795,250	+10,250	1,788,500	1,734,500
Insured Unemployment Rate (SA) ²	1.2%	1.2%	0.0	1.2%	1.2%
Insured Unemployment Rate (NSA) ²	1.2%	1.1%	+0.1	1.1%	1.1%

INITIAL CLAIMS FILED IN FEDERAL PROGRAMS (UNADJUSTED)

WEEK ENDING	June 8	June 1	Change	Prior Year ¹
Federal Employees (UCFE)	419	400	+19	469
Newly Discharged Veterans (UCX)	449	305	+144	335

CONTINUED WEEKS CLAIMED FILED FOR UI BENEFITS IN ALL PROGRAMS (UNADJUSTED)

WEEK ENDING	June 1	May 25	Change	Prior Year ¹
Regular State	1,703,342	1,665,849	+37,493	1,643,700
Federal Employees	4,634	4,401	+233	4,602
Newly Discharged Veterans	4,314	4,320	-6	4,023
Extended Benefits ³	133	216	-83	800
State Additional Benefits ⁴	2,310	2,449	-139	1,867
STC / Workshare ⁵	16,306	16,512	-206	19,842
TOTAL	1,731,039	1,693,747	+37,292	1,674,834

FOOTNOTES

SA - Seasonally Adjusted Data, NSA - Not Seasonally Adjusted Data Continued weeks claimed represent all weeks of benefits claimed during the week being reported, and do not represent weeks claimed by unique individuals.

- 1. Prior year is comparable to most recent data.
- 2. Most recent week used covered employment of 150,520,106 as denominator.
- 3. Information on the EB program can be found here: EB Program information
- 4. Some states maintain additional benefit programs for those claimants who exhaust regular benefits, and when applicable, extended benefits. Information on states that participate, and the extent of benefits paid, can be found starting on page 4-5 of this link: Extensions and Special Programs PDF
- 5. Information on STC/Worksharing can be found starting on page 4-11 of the following link: <u>Extensions and Special Programs PDF</u>

Advance State Claims - Not Seasonally Adjusted

	Initial Claim	s Filed During Week	Ended June 15	Insured Unemple	oyment For Week Ende	ed June 8
STATE	Advance	Prior Wk	Change	Advance	Prior Wk	Change
Alabama	2,210	2,501	-291	9,074	9,733	-659
Alaska	543	564	-21	4,031	4,257	-226
Arizona	4,025	4,604	-579	28,127	29,510	-1,383
Arkansas	1,858	1,766	92	8,039	8,375	-336
California	46,798	50,592	-3,794	385,752	386,318	-566
Colorado	2,782	3,023	-241	28,059	27,038	1,021
Connecticut	4,843	2,615	2,228	23,126	22,404	722
Delaware	689	298	391	5,607	4,777	830
District of Columbia	518	546	-28	5,834	5,892	-58
Florida	7,597	8,900	-1,303	34,225	36,277	-2,052
Georgia	4,819	5,108	-289	28,816	29,198	-382
Hawaii	1,185	1,215	-30	6,122	5,396	726
Idaho	837	1,024	-187	5,243	5,736	-493
Illinois	9,981	11,406	-1,425	94,563	88,220	6,343
Indiana	3,093	3,442	-349	19,524	20,168	-644
Iowa	2,190	2,318	-128	8,510	8,104	406
Kansas	1,304	1,275	29	5,309	4,934	375
Kentucky	1,522	1,726	-204	8,237	8,050	187
Louisiana	1,855	2,193	-338	12,380	13,030	-650
Maine	492	446	46	4,546	4,770	-224
Maryland	3,163	2,679	484	23,167	22,750	417
Massachusetts	5,183	4,870	313	55,253	55,327	-74
Michigan	7,079	6,378	701	38,287	41,761	-3,474
Minnesota	9,692	11,142	-1,450	53,645	42,516	11,129
Mississippi	1,139	1,528	-389	7,417	7,790	-373
Missouri	2,679	3,416	-737	18,727	19,248	-521
Montana	549	606	-57	4,219	4,365	-146
Nebraska	631	809	-178	5,049	5,018	31
Nevada	2,600	2,703	-103	22,593	21,974	619
New Hampshire	321	381	-60	2,789	2,957	-168
New Jersey	9,680	8,833	847	93,408	95,473	-2,065
New Mexico	813	1,074	-261	10,032	9,207	825
New York	12,222	13,201	-979	143,116	144,387	-1,271
North Carolina	3,387	3,620	-233	19,940	20,634	-694
North Dakota	305	518	-213	2,360	2,719	-359
Ohio	5,878	6,390	-512	39,962	39,303	659
Oklahoma	1,254	1,504	-250	10,284	10,287	-3
Oregon	4,303	3,714	589	25,908	24,108	1,800
Pennsylvania	14,980	15,211	-231	92,326	88,140	4,186
Puerto Rico	2,688	2,672	16	14,211	12,769	1,442
Rhode Island	990	817	173	7,968	7,841	127
South Carolina	2,103	2,690	-587	14,670	14,743	-73
South Dakota	160	191	-31	1,261	1,215	46
	2,879	3,424	-545	22,475	21,610	865
Tennessee						
Texas	18,132	17,196	936	153,706	148,748	4,958
Utah	1,372	1,481	-109	10,871	10,914	-43
Vermont	253	278	-25	2,181	2,097	84
Virgin Islands	24	53	-29	276	218	58
Virginia	2,325	2,531	-206	17,210	15,761	1,449
Washington	4,817	5,146	-329	63,128	61,563	1,565
West Virginia	804	951	-147	8,659	7,654	1,005
Wisconsin	5,390	4,129	1,261	23,094	21,363	1,731
Wyoming	277	348	-71	1,622	1,497	125
US Total	227,213	236,046	-8,833	1,734,938	1,708,144	26,794

Note: Advance claims are not directly comparable to claims reported in prior weeks. Advance claims are reported by the state liable for paying the unemployment compensation, whereas previous weeks reported claims reflect claimants by state of residence. In addition, claims reported as "workshare equivalent" in the previous week are added to the advance claims as a proxy for the current week's "workshare equivalent" activity.

		Change from			Change from		
	Initial	Prior	4-Week	Insured	Prior	4-Week	
Week Ending	Claims	Week	Average	Unemployment	Week	Average	IUR
June 10, 2023	260	5	243.25	1,753	9	1,734.50	1.2
June 17, 2023	261	1	251.75	1,750	-3	1,739.75	1.2
June 24, 2023	238	-23	253.50	1,767	17	1,753.50	1.2
July 1, 2023	248	10	251.75	1,770	3	1,760.00	1.2
July 8, 2023	232	-16	244.75	1,786	16	1,768.25	1.2
July 15, 2023	231	-1	237.25	1,765	-21	1,772.00	1.2
July 22, 2023	231	0	235.50	1,776	11	1,774.25	1.2
July 29, 2023	240	9	233.50	1,773	-3	1,775.00	1.2
August 5, 2023	258	18	240.00	1,803	30	1,779.25	1.2
August 12, 2023	248	-10	244.25	1,797	-6	1,787.25	1.2
August 19, 2023	241	-7	246.75	1,819	22	1,798.00	1.2
August 26, 2023	234	-7	245.25	1,802	-17	1,805.25	1.2
September 2, 2023	228	-6	237.75	1,810	8	1,807.00	1.2
September 9, 2023	227	-1	232.50	1,793	-17	1,806.00	1.2
September 16, 2023	210	-17	224.75	1,795	2	1,800.00	1.2
September 23, 2023	213	3	219.50	1,789	-6	1,796.75	1.2
September 30, 2023	216	3	216.50	1,800	11	1,794.25	1.2
October 7, 2023	211	-5	212.50	1,808	8	1,798.00	1.2
October 14, 2023	202	-9	210.50	1,810	2	1,801.75	1.2
October 21, 2023	213	11	210.50	1,816	6	1,808.50	1.2
October 28, 2023	216	3	210.50	1,823	7	1,814.25	1.2
	216	0	210.30	1,823		1,814.23	1.2
November 4, 2023					-16		
November 11, 2023	228	12	218.25	1,795	-12	1,810.25	1.2
November 18, 2023	213	-15	218.25	1,813	18	1,809.50	1.2
November 25, 2023	213	0	217.50	1,818	5	1,808.25	1.2
December 2, 2023	216	3	217.50	1,818	0	1,811.00	1.2
December 9, 2023	205	-11	211.75	1,803	-15	1,813.00	1.2
December 16, 2023	207	2	210.25	1,817	14	1,814.00	1.2
December 23, 2023	213	6	210.25	1,815	-2	1,813.25	1.2
December 30, 2023	198	-15	205.75	1,759	-56	1,798.50	1.2
January 6, 2024	198	0	204.00	1,728	-31	1,779.75	1.2
January 13, 2024	194	-4	200.75	1,761	33	1,765.75	1.2
January 20, 2024	221	27	202.75	1,829	68	1,769.25	1.2
January 27, 2024	225	4	209.50	1,813	-16	1,782.75	1.2
February 3, 2024	213	-12	213.25	1,803	-10	1,801.50	1.2
February 10, 2024	211	-2	217.50	1,787	-16	1,808.00	1.2
February 17, 2024	200	-11	212.25	1,805	18	1,802.00	1.2
February 24, 2024	213	13	209.25	1,794	-11	1,797.25	1.2
March 2, 2024	210	-3	208.50	1,803	9	1,797.25	1.2
March 9, 2024	212	2	208.75	1,795	-8	1,799.25	1.2
March 16, 2024	212	0	211.75	1,810	15	1,800.50	1.2
March 23, 2024	212	0	211.50	1,789	-21	1,799.25	1.2
March 30, 2024	222	10	214.50	1,810	21	1,801.00	1.2
April 6, 2024	212	-10	214.50	1,797	-13	1,801.50	1.2
April 13, 2024	212	0	214.50	1,774	-23	1,792.50	1.2
April 20, 2024	208	-4	213.50	1,768	-6	1,787.25	1.2
April 27, 2024	209	1	210.25	1,781	13	1,780.00	1.2
May 4, 2024	232	23	215.25	1,786	5	1,777.25	1.2
May 11, 2024	223	-9	218.00	1,787	1	1,780.50	1.2
May 18, 2024	216	-7 -7	220.00	1,790	3	1,786.00	1.2
May 25, 2024	221	5	223.00	1,790	1	1,788.50	1.2
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June 1, 2024			222.25			1,795.25	1.2
June 8, 2024	243	14	227.25	1,828	15	1,805.50	1.2
June 15, 2024	238	-5	232.75				

INITIAL CLAIMS FILED DURING WEEK ENDED

INSURED UNEMPLOYMENT FOR WEEK ENDED

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STATE NAME	STATE	WEEK	AGO	UCFE 1		STATE		WEEK	AGO	UCFE 1		UNEMPLOYMENT
Alabama	2,501	-85	-145	6	4	9,733	0.5	292	-221	21	16	9,770
Alaska	564	-21	-136	3	2	4,257	1.4	-104	318	27	5	4,289
Arizona	4,604	477	323	7	0	29,510	0.9	505	1,433	125	45	29,680
Arkansas	1,766	365	-302	2	0	8,375	0.7	545	-148	19	7	8,401
California	50,592	9,793	2,524	77	100	386,318	2.2	11,044	-15,492	802	1,168	388,288
Colorado	3,023	305	523	1	12	27,038	1.0	311	8,162	59	136	27,233
Connecticut	2,615	375	-1,766	1	0	22,404	1.3	-960	1,602	26	38	22,468
Delaware	298	28	-137	3	0	4,777	1.0	-176	1,066	9	9	4,795
District of Columbia	546	25	168	8	0	5,892	1.0	313	1,333	131	5	6,028
Florida	8,900	1,840	1,979	15	41	36,277	0.4	953	-3,096	48	84	36,409
Georgia	5,108	1,679	-1,835	19	21	29,198	0.6	1,223	-6,047	222	80	29,500
Hawaii	1,215	258	-209	3	10	5,396	0.9	-481	-655	36	54	5,486
Idaho	1,024	-175	-52	2	2	5,736	0.7	345	117	17	11	5,764
Illinois	11,406	2,265	605	14	3	88,220	1.5	-2,666	7,907	249	114	88,583
Indiana	3,442	1,103	-1,348	1	6	20,168	0.6	773	-2,700	21	17	20,206
Iowa	2,318	159	672	2	3	8,104	0.5	636	898	12	2	8,118
Kansas	1,275	-245	-75	0	0	4,934	0.4	-468	-28	28	18	4,980
Kentucky	1,726	43	121	1	0	8,050	0.4	332	770	26	31	8,107
Louisiana	2,193	147	-431	0	2	13,030	0.7	806	-498	31	17	13,078
Maine	446	31	-49	0	0	4,770	0.8	0	0	6	4	4,780
Maryland	2,679	407	421	8	11	22,750	0.9	370	2,929	127	46	22,923
Massachusetts	4,870	364	3,178	4	12	55,327	1.5	-1,196	-11,564	79	49	55,455
Michigan	6,378	1,736	1,665	2	6	41,761	1.0	-413	6,167	40	42	41,843
Minnesota	11.142	4,397	1,979	2	3	42,516	1.5	5,357	10,155	68	31	42,615
Mississippi	1,528	-118	30	0	1	7,790	0.7	771	518	18	5	7,813
Missouri	3,416	-508	-1,292	3	2	19,248	0.7	1,079	1,788	56	24	19,328
Montana	606	122	-96	1	0	4,365	0.9	-185	527	32	8	4,405
Nebraska	809	-56	139	2	1	5,018	0.5	420	716	16	14	5,048
Nevada	2,703	137	475	2	7	21,974	1.5	401	2,199	35	42	22,051
New Hampshire	381	109	-37	1	0	2,957	0.4	-80	424	0	2	2,959
New Jersey	8,833	1,090	1,377	21	11	95,473	2.3	1,944	10,392	198	129	95,800
New Mexico	1,074	150	79	2	2	9,207	1.1	260	-156	70	30	9,307
New York	13,201	1,553	-1,805	15	7	144,387	1.5	3,211	-1,650	283	209	144,879
North Carolina	3,620	627	132	3	3	20,634	0.4	416	525	37	99	20,770
North Dakota	518	-746	182	11	1	2,719	0.7	993	1,308	134	4	2,857
Ohio	6,390	50	-10,956	9	11	39,303	0.7	2,240	-3,899	69	70	39,442
Oklahoma	1,504	123	105	6	6	10,287	0.6	307	-330	31	35	10,353
Oregon	3,714	635	-481	4	2	24,108	1.2	-340	-5,810	105	30	24,243
Pennsylvania	15,211	4,131	153	14	12	88,140	1.5	3,589	10,072	213	119	88,472
Puerto Rico	2,672	2,027	607	8	3	12,769	1.4	-42	-1,402	138	53	12,960
Rhode Island	817	69	-45	5	0	7,841	1.6	140	968	39	22	7,902
South Carolina	2,690	661	-1,219	5	2	14,743			-202	42		14,828
South Dakota	191	-29	14	46	1	1,215	0.7	766 61	353	42	43 0	1,264
Tennessee	3,424	-29 -279	176	2	4	21,610	0.3	63	5,030	49	48	21,699
Texas	17,196	2,309	-9,644	45	89	148,748	1.1	2,966	18,041	452	826	150,026
Utah	1,481	375	-35	10	1	10,914	0.7	-184	1,277	41	15	10,970
Vermont	278	25	40	0	0	2,097	0.7	-46	9	1	0	2,098
Virgin Islands	53	29 522	21	1	0	218	0.6	8	18	6	2	226
Virginia	2,531	533	-611	11	15	15,761	0.4	-162	2,973	72	77	15,910
Washington	5,146	503	245	4	27	61,563	1.8	538	10,803	162	334	62,059
West Virginia	951	200	0	0	1	7,654	1.2	360	740	22	25	7,701
Wisconsin	4,129	780	-27	4	2	21,363	0.7	753	2,531	36	12	21,411
Wyoming	348	96	51	3	0	1,497	0.6	7	125	7	8	1,512
Totals	236,046	39,869	-14,749	419	449	1,708,144	1.1	37,595	60,296	4,634	4,314	1,717,092

Figures appearing in columns showing over-the-week changes reflect all revisions in data for prior week submitted by state agencies.

- 1. The Unemployment Compensation program for Federal Employees (UCFE) and the Unemployment Compensation for Ex-servicemembers (UCX) exclude claims filed jointly under other programs to avoid duplication.
- 2. Rate is not seasonally adjusted. The source of U.S. total covered employment is BLS.

UNADJUSTED INITIAL CLAIMS FOR WEEK ENDED JUNE 8, 2024

STATES WITH AN INCREASE OF MORE THAN 1,000

State	Change	State Supplied Comment
CA	+9,793	No comment.
MN	+4,397	Layoffs in educational services industry.
PA	+4,131	Layoffs in transportation and warehousing, accommodation and food services, administrative and support and waste management and remediation services, and in educational services industries.
TX	+2,309	Layoffs in manufacturing, retail trade, administrative and support and waste management and remediation services, and in health care and social assistance industries.
IL	+2,265	Layoffs in accommodation and food services, transportation and warehousing, and in manufacturing industries.
PR	+2,027	No comment.
FL	+1,840	Layoffs in agriculture, forestry, fishing and hunting, manufacturing, wholesale trade, retail trade, and in service industries.
MI	+1,736	Layoffs in manufacturing industry.
GA	+1,679	Layoffs in manufacturing, administrative and support and waste management and remediation services, trade, health care and social assistance, and in accommodation and food services.
NY	+1,553	Layoffs in professional, scientific, and technical services, health care and social assistance, and in construction industries.
IN	+1,103	No comment.
NJ	+1,090	No comment.

STATES WITH A DECREASE OF MORE THAN 1,000

State	Change	State Supplied Comment
None		

TECHNICAL NOTES

This news release presents the weekly unemployment insurance (UI) claims reported by each state's unemployment insurance program offices. These claims may be used for monitoring workload volume, assessing state program operations and for assessing labor market conditions. States initially report claims directly taken by the state liable for the benefit payments, regardless of where the claimant who filed the claim resided. These are the basis for the advance initial claims and continued claims reported each week. These data come from ETA 538, Advance Weekly Initial and Continued Claims Report. The following week initial claims and continued claims are revised based on a second reporting by states that reflect the claimants by state of residence. These data come from the ETA 539, Weekly Claims and Extended Benefits Trigger Data Report.

A. Initial Claims

An initial claim is a claim filed by an unemployed individual after a separation from an employer. The claimant requests a determination of basic eligibility for the UI program. When an initial claim is filed with a state, certain programmatic activities take place and these result in activity counts including the count of initial claims. The count of U.S. initial claims for unemployment insurance is a leading economic indicator because it is an indication of emerging labor market conditions in the country. However, these are weekly administrative data which are difficult to seasonally adjust, making the series subject to some volatility.

B. Continued Weeks Claimed

A person who has already filed an initial claim and who has experienced a week of unemployment then files a continued claim to claim benefits for that week of unemployment. On a weekly basis, continued claims are also referred to as insured unemployment, as continued claims reflect a good approximation of the current number of insured unemployed workers filing for UI benefits. The count of U.S. continued weeks claimed is also a good indicator of labor market conditions. While continued claims are not a leading indicator (they roughly coincide with economic cycles at their peaks and lag at cycle troughs), they provide confirming evidence of the direction of the U.S. economy.

C. Seasonal Adjustments and Annual Revisions

Over the course of a year, the weekly changes in the levels of initial claims and continued claims undergo regularly occurring fluctuations. These fluctuations may result from seasonal changes in weather, major holidays, the opening and closing of schools, or other similar events. Because these seasonal events follow a more or less regular pattern each year, their influence on the level of a series can be tempered by adjusting for regular seasonal variation. These adjustments make trend and cycle developments easier to spot. At the beginning of each calendar year, the Bureau of Labor Statistics provides the Employment and Training Administration (ETA) with a set of seasonal factors to apply to the unadjusted data during that year. Concurrent with the implementation and release of the new seasonal factors, ETA incorporates revisions to the UI claims historical series caused by updates to the unadjusted data. For further questions on the seasonal adjustment methodology, please see the official release page for the UI claims seasonal adjustment factors or contact BLS directly through the Local Area Unemployment Statistics web contact form.

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