



KENTUCKY CENTER FOR
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KENTUCKY LABOR FORCE ESTIMATES

Preliminary July 2017

AREA DEVELOPMENT DISTRICTS

U.S. Comparable Rate - 4.6%

	CLF	EMP	UNEMP	July 17	June 17	July 16
Statewide	2,077,173	1,954,613	122,560	5.9%	5.7%	5.1%
COUNTY						
BARREN RIVER	139,470	132,193	7,277	5.2%	5.1%	4.4%
ALLEN	9,007	8,567	440	4.9%	4.8%	4.3%
BARREN	19,490	18,451	1,039	5.3%	5.2%	4.5%
BUTLER	5,304	4,983	321	6.1%	5.9%	5.4%
EDMONSON	4,920	4,577	343	7.0%	6.7%	5.9%
HART	8,074	7,633	441	5.5%	5.0%	4.7%
LOGAN	11,943	11,278	665	5.6%	5.2%	4.6%
METCALFE	4,178	3,964	214	5.1%	4.9%	4.6%
MONROE	4,839	4,613	226	4.7%	4.4%	4.0%
SIMPSON	8,580	8,103	477	5.6%	5.6%	4.5%
WARREN	63,135	60,024	3,111	4.9%	4.9%	4.1%
BIG SANDY	45,065	40,672	4,393	9.7%	10.3%	11.5%
FLOYD	11,370	10,280	1,090	9.6%	9.7%	11.1%
JOHNSON	7,333	6,663	670	9.1%	9.3%	9.7%
MAGOFFIN	2,801	2,309	492	17.6%	18.0%	20.9%
MARTIN	2,981	2,704	277	9.3%	9.6%	10.2%
PIKE	20,580	18,716	1,864	9.1%	9.9%	11.2%
BLUEGRASS	414,516	393,886	20,630	5.0%	4.9%	4.2%
ANDERSON	11,480	10,857	623	5.4%	4.7%	4.2%
BOURBON	9,976	9,451	525	5.3%	5.3%	5.0%
BOYLE	12,536	11,743	793	6.3%	6.2%	5.2%
CLARK	17,565	16,613	952	5.4%	5.3%	4.9%
ESTILL	5,308	4,931	377	7.1%	7.0%	5.9%
FAYETTE	176,088	168,214	7,874	4.5%	4.4%	3.7%
FRANKLIN	24,496	23,238	1,258	5.1%	5.0%	4.2%
GARRARD	7,746	7,303	443	5.7%	5.4%	4.7%
HARRISON	8,761	8,298	463	5.3%	5.3%	4.7%
JESSAMINE	26,377	25,162	1,215	4.6%	4.7%	4.0%
LINCOLN	9,342	8,712	630	6.7%	6.4%	6.0%
MADISON	43,111	40,707	2,404	5.6%	5.4%	4.4%
MERCER	10,089	9,507	582	5.8%	5.5%	4.8%
NICHOLAS	3,465	3,248	217	6.3%	6.2%	5.3%
POWELL	5,218	4,838	380	7.3%	7.4%	6.9%
SCOTT	28,186	26,923	1,263	4.5%	4.6%	4.0%
WOODFORD	14,772	14,141	631	4.3%	3.9%	3.5%

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BUFFALO TRACE	22,802	21,085	1,717	7.5%	7.4%	7.0%
BRACKEN	3,923	3,684	239	6.1%	6.2%	5.8%
FLEMING	5,781	5,357	424	7.3%	6.9%	6.6%
LEWIS	4,879	4,409	470	9.6%	9.4%	9.4%
MASON	7,415	6,892	523	7.1%	7.0%	6.4%
ROBERTSON	804	743	61	7.6%	7.5%	6.4%
CUMBERLAND VALLEY	81,726	74,913	6,813	8.3%	8.2%	7.8%
BELL	8,561	7,717	844	9.9%	9.6%	9.4%
CLAY	6,016	5,419	597	9.9%	9.8%	9.8%
HARLAN	7,031	6,242	789	11.2%	11.2%	12.3%
JACKSON	4,279	3,853	426	10.0%	9.2%	7.9%
KNOX	10,403	9,449	954	9.2%	9.3%	8.0%
LAUREL	24,935	23,190	1,745	7.0%	6.9%	6.1%
ROCKCASTLE	6,510	6,055	455	7.0%	6.5%	6.0%
WHITLEY	13,991	12,988	1,003	7.2%	7.2%	6.8%
FIVCO	49,884	45,313	4,571	9.2%	9.3%	9.4%
BOYD	18,507	17,013	1,494	8.1%	8.3%	8.6%
CARTER	10,269	9,110	1,159	11.3%	11.2%	10.5%
ELLIOTT	2,175	1,927	248	11.4%	11.6%	11.8%
GREENUP	13,839	12,661	1,178	8.5%	8.7%	9.1%
LAWRENCE	5,094	4,602	492	9.7%	10.2%	10.5%
GATEWAY	34,593	31,925	2,668	7.7%	7.4%	6.6%
BATH	4,795	4,371	424	8.8%	8.0%	6.8%
MENIFEE	2,438	2,205	233	9.6%	8.9%	7.7%
MONTGOMERY	12,095	11,185	910	7.5%	7.2%	6.4%
MORGAN	4,657	4,294	363	7.8%	8.2%	7.5%
ROWAN	10,608	9,870	738	7.0%	6.7%	6.2%
GREEN RIVER	99,811	93,996	5,815	5.8%	5.8%	5.1%
DAVISS	47,568	45,029	2,539	5.3%	5.3%	4.5%
HANCOCK	4,089	3,826	263	6.4%	5.8%	5.4%
HENDERSON	22,253	21,021	1,232	5.5%	5.4%	4.7%
MCLEAN	4,427	4,152	275	6.2%	6.1%	4.9%
OHIO	9,659	8,955	704	7.3%	7.3%	6.7%
UNION	6,089	5,643	446	7.3%	7.3%	6.9%
WEBSTER	5,726	5,370	356	6.2%	5.9%	6.2%

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KENTUCKY RIVER	30,881	27,606	3,275	10.6%	10.5%	11.5%
BREATHITT	3,890	3,486	404	10.4%	10.1%	9.5%
KNOTT	4,405	3,953	452	10.3%	10.4%	11.9%
LEE	2,072	1,862	210	10.1%	10.1%	10.1%
LESLIE	2,715	2,379	336	12.4%	12.1%	13.6%
LETCHER	6,369	5,649	720	11.3%	11.4%	13.3%
OWSLEY	1,154	1,042	112	9.7%	9.7%	9.5%
PERRY	8,301	7,476	825	9.9%	9.8%	10.9%
WOLFE	1,975	1,759	216	10.9%	10.8%	10.9%
KIPDA	528,569	499,716	28,853	5.5%	5.1%	4.3%
BULLITT	42,493	40,198	2,295	5.4%	4.9%	4.1%
HENRY	8,126	7,702	424	5.2%	4.8%	4.0%
JEFFERSON	406,414	383,636	22,778	5.6%	5.2%	4.4%
OLDHAM	33,160	31,639	1,521	4.6%	4.3%	3.4%
SHELBY	24,394	23,275	1,119	4.6%	4.3%	3.7%
SPENCER	9,902	9,430	472	4.8%	4.3%	3.7%
TRIMBLE	4,080	3,836	244	6.0%	5.7%	5.5%
LAKE CUMBERLAND	81,705	76,057	5,648	6.9%	6.7%	6.0%
ADAIR	6,602	6,105	497	7.5%	7.2%	6.8%
CASEY	7,094	6,707	387	5.5%	5.1%	4.6%
CLINTON	3,817	3,525	292	7.6%	8.3%	7.0%
CUMBERLAND	2,997	2,826	171	5.7%	5.4%	5.0%
GREEN	4,890	4,598	292	6.0%	5.7%	4.5%
MCCREARY	4,827	4,438	389	8.1%	7.8%	8.3%
PULASKI	26,461	24,696	1,765	6.7%	6.4%	5.4%
RUSSELL	6,314	5,827	487	7.7%	7.6%	7.3%
TAYLOR	11,107	10,408	699	6.3%	5.8%	5.5%
WAYNE	7,596	6,927	669	8.8%	9.0%	7.4%
LINCOLN TRAIL	127,705	120,092	7,613	6.0%	5.4%	4.9%
BRECKINRIDGE	8,036	7,430	606	7.5%	6.3%	6.3%
GRAYSON	11,513	10,578	935	8.1%	6.4%	7.5%
HARDIN	50,549	47,696	2,853	5.6%	5.3%	4.4%
LARUE	6,260	5,893	367	5.9%	5.4%	4.5%
MARION	9,494	9,007	487	5.1%	4.8%	4.2%
MEADE	12,755	11,964	791	6.2%	6.0%	4.9%
NELSON	22,811	21,565	1,246	5.5%	5.0%	4.6%
WASHINGTON	6,287	5,959	328	5.2%	4.7%	4.5%

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NORTHERN KENTUCKY	244,738	233,381	11,357	4.6%	4.7%	4.0%
BOONE	70,489	67,288	3,201	4.5%	4.6%	3.8%
CAMPBELL	51,181	48,930	2,251	4.4%	4.5%	3.8%
CARROLL	5,198	4,923	275	5.3%	5.1%	5.0%
GALLATIN	4,069	3,860	209	5.1%	5.3%	4.6%
GRANT	11,826	11,166	660	5.6%	5.4%	4.7%
KENTON	89,209	85,094	4,115	4.6%	4.6%	4.0%
OWEN	5,703	5,430	273	4.8%	4.6%	3.9%
PENDLETON	7,063	6,690	373	5.3%	5.4%	4.5%
PENNYRILE	85,587	79,787	5,800	6.8%	6.7%	6.0%
CALDWELL	5,380	5,049	331	6.2%	6.6%	5.4%
CHRISTIAN	25,604	23,671	1,933	7.5%	7.3%	6.6%
CRITTENDEN	4,277	4,012	265	6.2%	5.9%	5.1%
HOPKINS	20,526	19,414	1,112	5.4%	5.6%	5.6%
LIVINGSTON	3,818	3,494	324	8.5%	8.2%	6.7%
LYON	3,272	3,077	195	6.0%	5.8%	4.9%
MUHLENBERG	11,440	10,495	945	8.3%	8.2%	7.4%
TODD	5,408	5,125	283	5.2%	4.9%	4.2%
TRIGG	5,862	5,450	412	7.0%	6.5%	5.7%
PURCHASE	90,109	83,988	6,121	6.8%	6.5%	6.2%
BALLARD	3,710	3,406	304	8.2%	7.9%	9.1%
CALLOWAY	18,795	17,760	1,035	5.5%	5.4%	6.3%
CARLISLE	2,631	2,441	190	7.2%	6.1%	6.0%
FULTON	2,102	1,907	195	9.3%	8.2%	7.6%
GRAVES	15,894	14,786	1,108	7.0%	6.8%	6.3%
HICKMAN	1,838	1,682	156	8.5%	7.5%	5.8%
MCCRACKEN	29,789	27,681	2,108	7.1%	6.8%	5.7%
MARSHALL	15,350	14,325	1,025	6.7%	6.5%	6.0%
BOWLING GREEN MSA	82,366	78,151	4,215	5.1%	5.1%	4.3%
ELIZABETHTOWN MSA	69,564	65,553	4,011	5.8%	5.5%	4.5%
LEXINGTON MSA	272,964	260,504	12,460	4.6%	4.5%	3.8%
LOUISVILLE MSA	679,523	645,659	33,864	5.0%	4.6%	4.2%
OWENSBORO MSA	56,084	53,007	3,077	5.5%	5.4%	4.6%

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