



KENTUCKY LABOR FORCE ESTIMATES

Preliminary March 2021

AREA DEVELOPMENT DISTRICTS

U.S. Comparable Rate - 6.2%

	CLF	EMP	UNEMP	Mar 21	Feb 21	Mar 20
Statewide	1,981,069	1,881,895	99,174	5.0%	5.1%	4.9%
COUNTY						
BARREN RIVER	135,240	128,976	6,264	4.6%	5.1%	4.9%
ALLEN	8,681	8,315	366	4.2%	4.3%	4.5%
BARREN	17,929	16,905	1,024	5.7%	6.1%	5.1%
BUTLER	5,007	4,764	243	4.9%	5.1%	5.4%
EDMONSON	4,556	4,313	243	5.3%	6.0%	6.0%
HART	7,564	7,220	344	4.5%	4.8%	6.4%
LOGAN	11,852	11,387	465	3.9%	3.6%	4.6%
METCALFE	3,943	3,727	216	5.5%	5.9%	5.8%
MONROE	4,425	4,234	191	4.3%	4.1%	4.6%
SIMPSON	8,568	8,191	377	4.4%	4.5%	4.8%
WARREN	62,715	59,920	2,795	4.5%	5.3%	4.5%
BIG SANDY	41,037	37,784	3,253	7.9%	8.0%	8.5%
FLOYD	10,381	9,602	779	7.5%	7.6%	8.0%
JOHNSON	6,407	5,896	511	8.0%	8.3%	8.0%
MAGOFFIN	3,188	2,753	435	13.6%	15.4%	16.1%
MARTIN	2,399	2,177	222	9.3%	8.9%	11.1%
PIKE	18,662	17,356	1,306	7.0%	6.8%	7.5%
BLUEGRASS	404,718	386,458	18,260	4.5%	4.5%	4.1%
ANDERSON	11,306	10,788	518	4.6%	4.5%	4.6%
BOURBON	9,211	8,814	397	4.3%	4.1%	4.6%
BOYLE	12,503	11,821	682	5.5%	5.3%	4.9%
CLARK	16,689	15,898	791	4.7%	4.7%	4.6%
ESTILL	4,980	4,691	289	5.8%	5.7%	6.2%
FAYETTE	169,254	161,946	7,308	4.3%	4.4%	3.7%
FRANKLIN	23,869	22,637	1,232	5.2%	5.2%	4.2%
GARRARD	7,415	7,063	352	4.7%	4.6%	5.3%
HARRISON	8,516	8,153	363	4.3%	4.1%	4.6%
JESSAMINE	25,925	24,765	1,160	4.5%	4.4%	3.9%
LINCOLN	9,256	8,703	553	6.0%	6.2%	5.7%
MADISON	44,885	42,877	2,008	4.5%	4.4%	4.4%
MERCER	9,687	9,199	488	5.0%	5.2%	5.1%
NICHOLAS	3,199	3,050	149	4.7%	4.4%	5.3%
POWELL	4,941	4,674	267	5.4%	5.6%	6.6%
SCOTT	28,571	27,414	1,157	4.0%	4.0%	3.8%
WOODFORD	14,511	13,965	546	3.8%	3.6%	3.7%

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BUFFALO TRACE	21,549	20,235	1,314	6.1%	6.7%	6.7%
BRACKEN	3,713	3,513	200	5.4%	6.0%	5.9%
FLEMING	5,762	5,452	310	5.4%	5.9%	6.2%
LEWIS	4,537	4,158	379	8.4%	9.2%	9.5%
MASON	6,774	6,384	390	5.8%	6.2%	5.9%
ROBERTSON	763	728	35	4.6%	4.7%	5.9%
CUMBERLAND VALLEY	78,143	73,446	4,697	6.0%	6.0%	6.4%
BELL	8,254	7,770	484	5.9%	5.7%	7.5%
CLAY	5,112	4,721	391	7.6%	7.7%	7.7%
HARLAN	6,349	5,755	594	9.4%	9.5%	11.9%
JACKSON	3,914	3,646	268	6.8%	6.9%	6.9%
KNOX	9,939	9,263	676	6.8%	6.6%	5.8%
LAUREL	24,650	23,443	1,207	4.9%	4.8%	5.3%
ROCKCASTLE	6,277	5,941	336	5.4%	5.4%	5.6%
WHITLEY	13,648	12,907	741	5.4%	5.4%	5.4%
FIVCO	46,871	43,485	3,386	7.2%	7.6%	7.4%
BOYD	17,356	16,217	1,139	6.6%	6.9%	6.2%
CARTER	9,514	8,711	803	8.4%	9.0%	8.3%
ELLIOTT	1,894	1,736	158	8.3%	9.7%	10.2%
GREENUP	13,058	12,134	924	7.1%	7.3%	7.7%
LAWRENCE	5,049	4,687	362	7.2%	7.6%	8.3%
GATEWAY	31,467	29,496	1,971	6.3%	6.6%	6.7%
BATH	4,429	4,144	285	6.4%	6.7%	8.0%
MENIFEE	2,211	2,025	186	8.4%	9.6%	8.9%
MONTGOMERY	11,003	10,347	656	6.0%	6.2%	6.1%
MORGAN	4,260	3,976	284	6.7%	7.1%	7.2%
ROWAN	9,564	9,004	560	5.9%	6.0%	6.1%
GREEN RIVER	92,803	88,115	4,688	5.1%	5.0%	4.8%
DAVISS	44,583	42,347	2,236	5.0%	4.9%	4.4%
HANCOCK	3,700	3,520	180	4.9%	4.9%	4.2%
HENDERSON	20,595	19,553	1,042	5.1%	4.9%	4.5%
MCLEAN	3,897	3,722	175	4.5%	4.7%	4.9%
OHIO	8,823	8,292	531	6.0%	6.4%	6.4%
UNION	5,870	5,609	261	4.4%	4.2%	5.3%
WEBSTER	5,335	5,072	263	4.9%	4.7%	5.5%

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COUNTY						
KENTUCKY RIVER	29,299	27,131	2,168	7.4%	7.2%	9.1%
BREATHITT	3,212	2,937	275	8.6%	7.7%	11.2%
KNOTT	4,299	3,976	323	7.5%	7.5%	8.6%
LEE	2,012	1,892	120	6.0%	5.5%	7.3%
LESLIE	2,574	2,354	220	8.5%	8.6%	11.3%
LETCHER	6,037	5,565	472	7.8%	7.8%	9.7%
OWSLEY	1,051	969	82	7.8%	7.3%	8.3%
PERRY	8,027	7,492	535	6.7%	6.6%	8.1%
WOLFE	2,087	1,946	141	6.8%	6.6%	7.8%
KIPDA	504,684	480,573	24,111	4.8%	4.8%	4.2%
BULLITT	41,176	39,431	1,745	4.2%	4.1%	4.3%
HENRY	7,944	7,609	335	4.2%	4.2%	4.2%
JEFFERSON	384,715	365,468	19,247	5.0%	5.0%	4.3%
OLDHAM	32,221	30,993	1,228	3.8%	3.5%	3.4%
SHELBY	24,794	23,821	973	3.9%	3.7%	3.7%
SPENCER	10,116	9,717	399	3.9%	3.8%	3.9%
TRIMBLE	3,718	3,534	184	4.9%	5.0%	4.5%
LAKE CUMBERLAND	80,950	76,848	4,102	5.1%	4.9%	5.6%
ADAIR	6,900	6,512	388	5.6%	5.5%	6.1%
CASEY	6,521	6,218	303	4.6%	4.4%	6.3%
CLINTON	3,955	3,779	176	4.5%	4.3%	5.8%
CUMBERLAND	3,159	3,024	135	4.3%	3.9%	5.5%
GREEN	5,028	4,827	201	4.0%	3.6%	4.3%
MCCREARY	4,797	4,491	306	6.4%	6.1%	6.9%
PULASKI	24,696	23,343	1,353	5.5%	5.4%	5.5%
RUSSELL	5,966	5,616	350	5.9%	5.9%	6.3%
TAYLOR	12,705	12,202	503	4.0%	4.0%	4.3%
WAYNE	7,223	6,836	387	5.4%	5.1%	6.2%
LINCOLN TRAIL	118,366	112,555	5,811	4.9%	4.9%	5.0%
BRECKINRIDGE	7,652	7,206	446	5.8%	6.0%	6.7%
GRAYSON	10,459	9,830	629	6.0%	6.2%	6.0%
HARDIN	45,944	43,704	2,240	4.9%	4.8%	4.8%
LARUE	5,713	5,435	278	4.9%	5.0%	5.1%
MARION	8,963	8,560	403	4.5%	4.6%	3.8%
MEADE	11,369	10,761	608	5.3%	5.2%	5.5%
NELSON	22,289	21,315	974	4.4%	4.4%	4.6%
WASHINGTON	5,977	5,744	233	3.9%	3.8%	4.2%

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COUNTY						
NORTHERN KENTUCKY	234,188	223,759	10,429	4.5%	4.6%	4.0%
BOONE	68,756	65,897	2,859	4.2%	4.2%	3.8%
CAMPBELL	48,881	46,753	2,128	4.4%	4.5%	3.9%
CARROLL	5,062	4,821	241	4.8%	4.8%	4.3%
GALLATIN	3,931	3,741	190	4.8%	5.1%	4.5%
GRANT	11,235	10,670	565	5.0%	5.5%	4.7%
KENTON	84,560	80,650	3,910	4.6%	4.8%	4.0%
OWEN	4,996	4,766	230	4.6%	4.7%	4.5%
PENDLETON	6,767	6,461	306	4.5%	4.6%	4.8%
PENNYRILE	78,520	74,169	4,351	5.5%	5.6%	6.0%
CALDWELL	5,512	5,237	275	5.0%	5.0%	6.0%
CHRISTIAN	24,065	22,713	1,352	5.6%	5.6%	6.1%
CRITTENDEN	3,547	3,374	173	4.9%	4.7%	5.2%
HOPKINS	18,003	17,050	953	5.3%	5.3%	5.8%
LIVINGSTON	3,420	3,177	243	7.1%	8.3%	6.6%
LYON	3,103	2,947	156	5.0%	5.1%	5.2%
MUHLENBERG	9,743	9,068	675	6.9%	7.3%	7.3%
TODD	5,224	5,027	197	3.8%	3.5%	4.4%
TRIGG	5,903	5,576	327	5.5%	5.4%	5.9%
PURCHASE	83,235	78,864	4,371	5.3%	5.5%	5.3%
BALLARD	3,248	3,069	179	5.5%	5.3%	6.0%
CALLOWAY	17,210	16,326	884	5.1%	5.2%	5.6%
CARLISLE	2,090	2,001	89	4.3%	4.1%	4.8%
FULTON	1,887	1,784	103	5.5%	5.3%	5.6%
GRAVES	15,247	14,498	749	4.9%	5.2%	5.0%
HICKMAN	1,633	1,552	81	5.0%	4.6%	5.3%
MCCRACKEN	27,493	25,912	1,581	5.8%	6.0%	5.4%
MARSHALL	14,427	13,722	705	4.9%	5.6%	5.1%
BOWLING GREEN MSA	80,959	77,312	3,647	4.5%	5.2%	4.7%
ELIZABETHTOWN MSA	63,026	59,900	3,126	5.0%	4.9%	5.0%
LEXINGTON MSA	264,161	252,802	11,359	4.3%	4.3%	3.8%
LOUISVILLE MSA	650,044	619,822	30,222	4.6%	4.6%	4.1%
OWENSBORO MSA	52,180	49,589	2,591	5.0%	4.9%	4.4%

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