



**KENTUCKY LABOR FORCE ESTIMATES**

Preliminary October 2021

**AREA DEVELOPMENT DISTRICTS**

U.S. Comparable Rate - 4.3%

	CLF	EMP	UNEMP	Oct 21	Sept 21	Oct 20
<b>Statewide</b>	<b>1,999,061</b>	<b>1,924,855</b>	<b>74,206</b>	<b>3.7%</b>	<b>3.9%</b>	<b>4.9%</b>
<b>COUNTY</b>						
<b>BARREN RIVER</b>	<b>136,232</b>	<b>131,405</b>	<b>4,827</b>	<b>3.5%</b>	<b>3.6%</b>	<b>4.7%</b>
ALLEN	8,891	8,598	293	3.3%	3.4%	3.8%
BARREN	17,822	17,069	753	4.2%	4.3%	5.9%
BUTLER	4,970	4,785	185	3.7%	3.8%	4.6%
EDMONSON	4,577	4,390	187	4.1%	4.1%	4.9%
HART	7,450	7,180	270	3.6%	3.7%	4.2%
LOGAN	12,054	11,666	388	3.2%	3.3%	3.6%
METCALFE	3,960	3,792	168	4.2%	4.2%	5.4%
MONROE	4,529	4,370	159	3.5%	3.6%	3.6%
SIMPSON	8,863	8,575	288	3.2%	3.4%	4.5%
WARREN	63,116	60,980	2,136	3.4%	3.5%	4.7%
<b>BIG SANDY</b>	<b>40,465</b>	<b>37,852</b>	<b>2,613</b>	<b>6.5%</b>	<b>6.6%</b>	<b>7.7%</b>
FLOYD	10,236	9,573	663	6.5%	6.6%	7.7%
JOHNSON	6,396	5,993	403	6.3%	6.4%	7.2%
MAGOFFIN	3,134	2,814	320	10.2%	11.2%	12.2%
MARTIN	2,310	2,124	186	8.1%	7.7%	9.5%
PIKE	18,389	17,348	1,041	5.7%	5.8%	6.9%
<b>BLUEGRASS</b>	<b>406,370</b>	<b>392,806</b>	<b>13,564</b>	<b>3.3%</b>	<b>3.5%</b>	<b>4.5%</b>
ANDERSON	11,283	10,899	384	3.4%	3.4%	4.4%
BOURBON	9,604	9,301	303	3.2%	3.5%	3.8%
BOYLE	12,444	11,958	486	3.9%	4.1%	5.4%
CLARK	16,678	16,069	609	3.7%	3.7%	4.9%
ESTILL	4,978	4,773	205	4.1%	4.3%	5.3%
FAYETTE	169,365	164,013	5,352	3.2%	3.3%	4.5%
FRANKLIN	23,711	22,839	872	3.7%	3.8%	5.3%
GARRARD	7,453	7,162	291	3.9%	4.0%	4.5%
HARRISON	8,566	8,280	286	3.3%	3.5%	4.0%
JESSAMINE	25,788	24,937	851	3.3%	3.4%	4.4%
LINCOLN	9,263	8,835	428	4.6%	4.6%	6.0%
MADISON	45,429	43,892	1,537	3.4%	3.5%	4.3%
MERCER	9,838	9,472	366	3.7%	3.9%	4.9%
NICHOLAS	3,239	3,124	115	3.6%	3.8%	4.0%
POWELL	5,057	4,852	205	4.1%	4.0%	5.3%
SCOTT	28,673	27,811	862	3.0%	3.1%	3.8%
WOODFORD	15,001	14,589	412	2.7%	2.9%	3.6%

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<b>COUNTY</b>						
<b>BUFFALO TRACE</b>	<b>21,813</b>	<b>20,841</b>	<b>972</b>	<b>4.5%</b>	<b>4.7%</b>	<b>5.0%</b>
BRACKEN	3,779	3,654	125	3.3%	3.7%	4.3%
FLEMING	5,906	5,663	243	4.1%	4.3%	4.6%
LEWIS	4,480	4,209	271	6.0%	6.4%	5.7%
MASON	6,854	6,551	303	4.4%	4.6%	5.5%
ROBERTSON	794	764	30	3.8%	3.5%	4.2%
<b>CUMBERLAND VALLEY</b>	<b>78,903</b>	<b>75,283</b>	<b>3,620</b>	<b>4.6%</b>	<b>4.8%</b>	<b>5.8%</b>
BELL	8,208	7,829	379	4.6%	4.8%	5.6%
CLAY	4,997	4,702	295	5.9%	6.0%	7.1%
HARLAN	6,248	5,782	466	7.5%	7.8%	9.4%
JACKSON	3,956	3,737	219	5.5%	5.7%	6.4%
KNOX	10,085	9,567	518	5.1%	5.4%	6.2%
LAUREL	25,116	24,197	919	3.7%	3.8%	4.8%
ROCKCASTLE	6,355	6,085	270	4.2%	4.2%	5.0%
WHITLEY	13,938	13,384	554	4.0%	4.2%	5.7%
<b>FIVCO</b>	<b>46,474</b>	<b>43,946</b>	<b>2,528</b>	<b>5.4%</b>	<b>5.9%</b>	<b>6.0%</b>
BOYD	17,131	16,277	854	5.0%	5.3%	5.9%
CARTER	9,423	8,843	580	6.2%	7.1%	6.1%
ELLIOTT	1,929	1,795	134	6.9%	6.8%	6.7%
GREENUP	12,915	12,222	693	5.4%	5.7%	6.1%
LAWRENCE	5,076	4,809	267	5.3%	5.6%	6.0%
<b>GATEWAY</b>	<b>31,287</b>	<b>29,856</b>	<b>1,431</b>	<b>4.6%</b>	<b>4.8%</b>	<b>5.4%</b>
BATH	4,433	4,213	220	5.0%	5.1%	5.4%
MENIFEE	2,159	2,044	115	5.3%	5.5%	6.7%
MONTGOMERY	10,889	10,403	486	4.5%	4.7%	5.5%
MORGAN	4,326	4,129	197	4.6%	4.8%	5.0%
ROWAN	9,480	9,067	413	4.4%	4.6%	5.1%
<b>GREEN RIVER</b>	<b>93,040</b>	<b>89,658</b>	<b>3,382</b>	<b>3.6%</b>	<b>3.8%</b>	<b>4.5%</b>
DAVISS	44,677	43,092	1,585	3.5%	3.7%	4.5%
HANCOCK	3,726	3,590	136	3.7%	3.7%	4.1%
HENDERSON	20,302	19,575	727	3.6%	3.8%	4.5%
MCLEAN	3,988	3,847	141	3.5%	3.6%	4.1%
OHIO	8,765	8,376	389	4.4%	4.7%	5.2%
UNION	6,138	5,919	219	3.6%	3.8%	3.9%
WEBSTER	5,444	5,259	185	3.4%	3.5%	4.4%

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<b>COUNTY</b>						
<b>KENTUCKY RIVER</b>	<b>29,057</b>	<b>27,221</b>	<b>1,836</b>	<b>6.3%</b>	<b>6.4%</b>	<b>7.2%</b>
BREATHITT	3,221	2,938	283	8.8%	8.8%	7.4%
KNOTT	4,294	4,028	266	6.2%	6.4%	7.1%
LEE	1,965	1,861	104	5.3%	5.1%	4.9%
LESLIE	2,550	2,374	176	6.9%	7.1%	8.2%
LETCHER	5,984	5,578	406	6.8%	6.8%	8.4%
OWSLEY	1,041	976	65	6.2%	6.4%	5.8%
PERRY	7,959	7,530	429	5.4%	5.5%	7.1%
WOLFE	2,043	1,936	107	5.2%	5.4%	5.3%
<b>KIPDA</b>	<b>509,479</b>	<b>491,965</b>	<b>17,514</b>	<b>3.4%</b>	<b>3.6%</b>	<b>5.0%</b>
BULLITT	41,778	40,443	1,335	3.2%	3.3%	4.2%
HENRY	8,117	7,874	243	3.0%	3.1%	3.6%
JEFFERSON	387,605	373,719	13,886	3.6%	3.7%	5.4%
OLDHAM	32,651	31,760	891	2.7%	2.8%	3.4%
SHELBY	25,301	24,582	719	2.8%	3.0%	3.8%
SPENCER	10,247	9,939	308	3.0%	3.0%	3.6%
TRIMBLE	3,780	3,648	132	3.5%	3.9%	4.9%
<b>LAKE CUMBERLAND</b>	<b>82,522</b>	<b>79,416</b>	<b>3,106</b>	<b>3.8%</b>	<b>3.9%</b>	<b>4.5%</b>
ADAIR	6,879	6,602	277	4.0%	4.2%	4.9%
CASEY	6,578	6,358	220	3.3%	3.4%	4.0%
CLINTON	3,862	3,716	146	3.8%	3.9%	3.6%
CUMBERLAND	3,316	3,225	91	2.7%	2.8%	3.1%
GREEN	5,085	4,930	155	3.0%	3.2%	3.9%
MCCREARY	4,981	4,761	220	4.4%	4.7%	5.1%
PULASKI	25,456	24,430	1,026	4.0%	4.3%	5.1%
RUSSELL	6,054	5,788	266	4.4%	4.4%	5.3%
TAYLOR	12,845	12,460	385	3.0%	3.2%	3.7%
WAYNE	7,466	7,146	320	4.3%	4.3%	4.7%
<b>LINCOLN TRAIL</b>	<b>119,906</b>	<b>115,402</b>	<b>4,504</b>	<b>3.8%</b>	<b>3.9%</b>	<b>4.7%</b>
BRECKINRIDGE	7,777	7,445	332	4.3%	4.4%	5.1%
GRAYSON	10,425	9,943	482	4.6%	4.6%	5.8%
HARDIN	46,433	44,683	1,750	3.8%	3.9%	4.9%
LARUE	5,735	5,513	222	3.9%	3.9%	4.8%
MARION	9,061	8,751	310	3.4%	3.7%	4.4%
MEADE	11,533	11,054	479	4.2%	4.4%	5.1%
NELSON	22,819	22,080	739	3.2%	3.5%	4.1%
WASHINGTON	6,123	5,933	190	3.1%	3.3%	3.7%

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<b>NORTHERN KENTUCKY</b>	<b>240,405</b>	<b>232,788</b>	<b>7,617</b>	<b>3.2%</b>	<b>3.4%</b>	<b>4.3%</b>
BOONE	70,766	68,668	2,098	3.0%	3.2%	4.1%
CAMPBELL	50,159	48,567	1,592	3.2%	3.4%	4.2%
CARROLL	5,068	4,895	173	3.4%	3.6%	4.3%
GALLATIN	4,066	3,925	141	3.5%	3.6%	4.7%
GRANT	11,528	11,112	416	3.6%	3.7%	5.0%
KENTON	86,782	83,982	2,800	3.2%	3.4%	4.5%
OWEN	5,117	4,944	173	3.4%	3.5%	4.8%
PENDLETON	6,919	6,695	224	3.2%	3.5%	3.7%
<b>PENNYRILE</b>	<b>79,638</b>	<b>76,206</b>	<b>3,432</b>	<b>4.3%</b>	<b>4.5%</b>	<b>5.0%</b>
CALDWELL	5,555	5,353	202	3.6%	3.8%	4.4%
CHRISTIAN	24,796	23,678	1,118	4.5%	4.9%	5.3%
CRITTENDEN	3,529	3,398	131	3.7%	3.9%	4.0%
HOPKINS	18,258	17,480	778	4.3%	4.4%	4.9%
LIVINGSTON	3,458	3,279	179	5.2%	5.3%	5.6%
LYON	3,016	2,904	112	3.7%	3.8%	4.0%
MUHLENBERG	9,496	8,987	509	5.4%	5.6%	6.6%
TODD	5,405	5,242	163	3.0%	3.1%	3.2%
TRIGG	6,125	5,885	240	3.9%	4.1%	4.7%
<b>PURCHASE</b>	<b>83,479</b>	<b>80,213</b>	<b>3,266</b>	<b>3.9%</b>	<b>4.1%</b>	<b>4.8%</b>
BALLARD	3,311	3,160	151	4.6%	4.7%	4.9%
CALLOWAY	16,698	16,056	642	3.8%	4.0%	4.7%
CARLISLE	2,187	2,119	68	3.1%	3.4%	3.6%
FULTON	1,929	1,849	80	4.1%	4.6%	5.2%
GRAVES	15,435	14,868	567	3.7%	3.8%	4.6%
HICKMAN	1,694	1,630	64	3.8%	3.9%	3.9%
MCCRACKEN	27,677	26,497	1,180	4.3%	4.4%	5.3%
MARSHALL	14,548	14,034	514	3.5%	3.6%	4.4%
<b>BOWLING GREEN MSA</b>	<b>81,554</b>	<b>78,753</b>	<b>2,801</b>	<b>3.4%</b>	<b>3.5%</b>	<b>4.6%</b>
<b>ELIZABETHTOWN MSA</b>	<b>63,701</b>	<b>61,250</b>	<b>2,451</b>	<b>3.8%</b>	<b>4.0%</b>	<b>4.9%</b>
<b>LEXINGTON MSA</b>	<b>265,109</b>	<b>256,720</b>	<b>8,389</b>	<b>3.2%</b>	<b>3.3%</b>	<b>4.3%</b>
<b>LOUISVILLE MSA</b>	<b>654,952</b>	<b>634,197</b>	<b>20,755</b>	<b>3.2%</b>	<b>3.3%</b>	<b>5.0%</b>
<b>OWENSBORO MSA</b>	<b>52,391</b>	<b>50,529</b>	<b>1,862</b>	<b>3.6%</b>	<b>3.7%</b>	<b>4.5%</b>

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