

State Unemployment Rates 2009

State	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
Alabama	7.8	8.4	9.0	9.0	9.8	10.1	10.2	10.4	10.7	10.9	10.5	11.0
Alaska	7.9	8.0	8.5	8.0	8.4	8.4	8.3	8.3	8.4	8.9	8.7	8.8
Arizona	7.0	7.4	7.8	7.7	8.2	8.7	9.2	9.1	9.1	9.3	8.9	9.1
Arkansas	6.4	6.6	6.5	6.5	7.0	7.2	7.4	7.1	7.1	7.6	7.4	7.7
California	10.1	10.5	11.2	11.0	11.5	11.6	11.9	12.2	12.2	12.5	12.3	12.4
Colorado	6.6	7.2	7.5	7.4	7.6	7.6	7.8	7.3	7.0	6.9	6.9	7.5
Connecticut	7.3	7.4	7.5	7.9	8.0	8.0	7.8	8.1	8.4	8.8	8.2	8.9
Delaware	6.7	7.4	7.7	7.5	8.1	8.4	8.2	8.1	8.3	8.7	8.5	9.0
D.C.	9.3	9.9	9.8	9.9	10.7	10.9	10.6	11.1	11.4	11.9	11.8	12.1
Florida	8.6	9.4	9.7	9.6	10.2	10.6	10.7	10.7	11.0	11.2	11.5	11.8
Georgia	8.6	9.3	9.2	9.3	9.7	10.1	10.3	10.2	10.1	10.2	10.2	10.3
Hawaii	6.1	6.5	7.1	6.9	7.4	7.4	7.0	7.2	7.2	7.2	7.0	6.9
Idaho	6.6	6.8	7.0	7.0	7.8	8.4	8.8	8.9	8.8	9.0	9.1	9.1
Illinois	7.9	8.6	9.1	9.4	10.1	10.3	10.4	10.0	10.5	11.0	10.9	11.1
Indiana	9.2	9.4	10.0	9.9	10.6	10.7	10.6	9.9	9.6	9.8	9.6	9.9
Iowa	4.8	4.9	5.2	5.1	5.8	6.2	6.5	6.8	6.7	6.7	6.7	6.6
Kansas	5.8	5.9	6.1	6.4	7.0	7.0	7.4	7.1	6.9	6.8	6.3	6.6
Kentucky	8.7	9.2	9.8	9.8	10.6	10.9	11.0	11.1	10.9	11.2	10.6	10.7
Louisiana	5.1	5.7	5.8	6.2	6.6	6.8	7.4	7.8	7.4	7.4	6.7	7.5
Maine	7.8	8.0	8.1	7.9	8.3	8.5	8.4	8.6	8.5	8.2	8.0	8.3
Maryland	6.2	6.7	6.9	6.8	7.2	7.3	7.3	7.2	7.2	7.3	7.4	7.5
Massachusetts	7.4	7.8	7.8	8.0	8.2	8.6	8.8	9.1	9.3	8.9	8.8	9.4
Michigan	11.6	12.0	12.6	12.9	14.1	15.2	15.0	15.2	15.3	15.1	14.7	14.6
Minnesota	7.6	8.1	8.2	8.1	8.2	8.4	8.1	8.0	7.3	7.6	7.4	7.4
Mississippi	8.7	9.1	9.4	9.1	9.6	9.0	9.7	9.5	9.2	9.8	9.6	10.6
Missouri	8.0	8.3	8.7	8.1	9.0	9.3	9.3	9.5	9.5	9.3	9.5	9.6
Montana	5.6	6.0	6.1	6.0	6.3	6.4	6.7	6.6	6.7	6.4	6.4	6.7
Nebraska	4.3	4.2	4.6	4.4	4.4	5.0	4.9	5.0	4.9	4.9	4.5	4.7
Nevada	9.4	10.1	10.4	10.6	11.3	12.0	12.5	13.2	13.3	13.0	12.3	13.0
New Hampshire	5.1	5.3	6.2	6.3	6.5	6.8	6.8	6.9	7.2	6.8	6.7	7.0
New Jersey	7.3	8.2	8.3	8.4	8.8	9.2	9.3	9.7	9.8	9.7	9.7	10.1
New Mexico	5.1	5.4	5.9	5.8	6.5	6.8	7.0	7.5	7.7	7.9	7.8	8.3
New York	7.0	7.8	7.8	7.7	8.2	8.7	8.6	9.0	8.9	9.0	8.6	9.0
North Carolina	9.7	10.7	10.8	10.8	11.1	11.0	11.0	10.8	10.8	11.0	10.8	11.2
North Dakota	4.2	4.3	4.2	4.0	4.4	4.2	4.2	4.3	4.2	4.2	4.1	4.4
Ohio	8.8	9.4	9.7	10.2	10.8	11.1	11.2	10.8	10.1	10.5	10.6	10.9
Oklahoma	5.0	5.5	5.9	6.2	6.3	6.3	6.5	6.8	6.7	7.1	7.0	6.6
Oregon	9.9	10.8	12.1	12.0	12.4	12.2	11.9	12.2	11.5	11.3	11.1	11.0
Pennsylvania	7.0	7.5	7.8	7.8	8.2	8.3	8.5	8.6	8.8	8.8	8.5	8.9
Puerto Rico	13.0	14.3	15.0	15.4	14.4	14.5	15.5	15.1	16.2	15.6	15.9	15.0
Rhode Island	10.3	10.5	10.5	11.1	12.1	12.4	12.7	12.8	13.0	12.9	12.7	12.9
South Carolina	10.4	11.0	11.4	11.5	12.1	12.1	11.8	11.5	11.6	12.1	12.3	12.6
South Dakota	4.4	4.6	4.9	4.8	5.0	5.1	4.9	4.9	4.8	5.0	5.0	4.7
Tennessee	8.6	9.1	9.6	9.9	10.7	10.8	10.7	10.8	10.5	10.5	10.3	10.9
Texas	6.4	6.5	6.7	6.7	7.1	7.5	7.9	8.0	8.2	8.3	8.0	8.3
Utah	4.6	5.1	5.2	5.2	5.4	5.7	6.0	6.0	6.2	6.5	6.3	6.7
Vermont	6.8	7.0	7.2	7.1	7.3	7.1	6.8	6.8	6.7	6.5	6.4	6.9
Virginia	6.0	6.6	6.8	6.8	7.1	7.2	6.9	6.5	6.7	6.6	6.6	6.9
Washington	7.8	8.4	9.2	9.1	9.4	9.3	9.1	9.2	9.3	9.3	9.2	9.5
West Virginia	5.3	6.0	6.9	7.5	8.6	9.2	9.0	9.0	8.9	8.5	8.4	9.1
Wisconsin	6.9	7.7	8.5	8.6	8.9	9.0	9.0	8.8	8.3	8.4	8.2	8.7
Wyoming	3.7	3.9	4.5	4.5	5.0	5.9	6.5	6.6	6.8	7.4	7.2	7.5

Source: Bureau of Labor Statistics