



# Economic Growth Region 4

Statistical Data Report for October 2013, Released December 2013

## Regional and State Unemployment (seasonally adjusted)

Regional and state unemployment rates were little changed in October. Twenty-eight states had unemployment rate decreases from September, 11 states and the District of Columbia had increases, and 11 states had no change, the U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics reported. Thirty-eight states had unemployment rate decreases from a year earlier, ten states and the District of Columbia had increases, and two states had no change. The national jobless rate was little changed from September at 7.3 percent and was 0.6 percentage point lower than in October 2012.



### Economic Growth Region (EGR) 4

Benton, Carroll, Cass, Clinton, Fountain, Howard, Miami, Montgomery, Tippecanoe, Tipton, Warren and White Counties.

### Unemployment Rates by State, Oct 2013

(seasonally adjusted)

- U.S. - 7.3%
- Illinois - 8.9%
- Indiana - 7.5%**
- Kentucky - 8.4%
- Michigan - 9.0%
- Ohio - 7.5%

Source: U.S. Department of Labor, U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics

### Unemployment Rank by County, Oct 2013 (high to low)

- #1 Fountain 9.8%
- #7 Miami 8.7%
- #13 Warren 8.2%
- #21 Howard 7.8%
- #43 Cass 6.9%
- #48 Montgomery 6.8%
- #55 Tipton 6.7%
- #57 White 6.7%
- #61 Clinton 6.4%
- #62 Carroll 6.3%
- #66 Tippecanoe 6.2%
- #71 Benton 5.9%

Source: Indiana Dept. of Workforce Development, Research and Analysis, Local Area Unemployment Statistics

October 2013 Labor Force Estimates (not seasonally adjusted)						
Area	Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Oct 2013 Rate	Sep 2013 Rate	Oct 2012 Rate
U.S.	154,918,000	144,144,000	10,773,000	7.0%	7.0%	7.5%
IN	3,163,163	2,940,323	222,840	7.0%	7.0%	7.9%
Reg 4	237,673	221,216	16,457	6.9%	6.8%	7.8%
Kokomo MSA	42,922	39,669	3,253	7.6%	7.5%	8.7%
Lafayette MSA	101,020	94,725	6,295	6.2%	6.3%	6.9%
Benton	4,302	4,050	252	5.9%	5.9%	7.3%
Carroll	9,903	9,277	626	6.3%	6.4%	6.9%
Cass	17,644	16,431	1,213	6.9%	6.8%	8.2%
Clinton	16,579	15,525	1,054	6.4%	6.3%	7.6%
Fountain	8,778	7,921	857	9.8%	8.1%	8.2%
Howard	35,667	32,902	2,765	7.8%	7.7%	8.9%
Miami	15,136	13,819	1,317	8.7%	8.3%	10.0%
Montgomery	18,324	17,079	1,245	6.8%	6.6%	8.1%
Tippecanoe	86,815	81,398	5,417	6.2%	6.3%	6.9%
Tipton	7,255	6,767	488	6.7%	6.6%	7.5%
Warren	4,873	4,475	398	8.2%	6.6%	6.4%
White	12,397	11,572	825	6.7%	6.3%	7.8%
Attica	1,830	1,488	342	18.7%	12.1%	9.6%
Crawfordsville	7,408	6,815	593	8.0%	7.8%	8.8%
Delphi	1,318	1,232	86	6.5%	6.4%	8.4%
Fowler	1,086	1,022	64	5.9%	5.0%	8.1%
Frankfort	7,384	6,848	536	7.3%	7.3%	9.6%
Kokomo	19,428	17,801	1,627	8.4%	8.4%	10.0%
Lafayette	35,508	33,162	2,346	6.6%	6.8%	7.7%
West Lafayette	13,873	13,194	679	4.9%	4.6%	5.2%
Logansport	7,909	7,307	602	7.6%	7.3%	9.3%
Monticello	2,605	2,416	189	7.3%	6.8%	7.9%
Peru	4,589	4,133	456	9.9%	9.9%	11.8%
Tipton	2,319	2,133	186	8.0%	7.1%	8.9%
Williamsport	1,089	968	121	11.1%	7.3%	7.0%

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Source: Indiana Department of Workforce Development, Research and Analysis, Local Area Unemployment Statistics

## Weekly Unemployment Claims, Oct 2013

### Economic Growth Region (EGR) 4

#### Initial Claims

Oct 5, 2013- 256(D)  
 Oct 12, 2013- 461(D)  
 Oct 19, 2013- 305(D)  
 Oct 26, 2013- 255(D)

#### Continued Claims

Oct 5, 2013- 2,513  
 Oct 12, 2013- 2,812  
 Oct 19, 2013- 2,505  
 Oct 26, 2013- 2,486

#### Total Claims\*

Oct 5, 2013- 4,184  
 Oct 12, 2013- 4,656  
 Oct 19, 2013- 4,192  
 Oct 26, 2013- 4,139

Consumer Price Index (CPI-U Change), Unadjusted Percent Change to October 2013 from:				
CPI Item	Oct-12	Sep-13	Oct-12	Sep-13
	U.S. City		Midwest Region*	
<b>All Items</b>	<b>1.0%</b>	<b>-0.3%</b>	<b>0.8%</b>	<b>-0.5%</b>
Food & Beverages	1.3%	0.1%	1.1%	0.3%
Housing	2.1%	-0.2%	1.6%	-0.5%
Apparel	-0.2%	1.1%	1.4%	1.5%
Transportation	-2.4%	-1.4%	-2.4%	-2.0%
Medical Care	2.3%	0.0%	2.8%	0.0%
Recreation	0.4%	0.0%	0.3%	-0.3%
Education & Communication	1.6%	0.1%	1.6%	0.2%
Other Goods & Services	1.6%	0.0%	1.8%	0.0%

\*Midwest region = Midwest Urban Average. Midwest Region includes Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Kansas, Michigan, Minnesota, Missouri, Nebraska, North Dakota, Ohio, South Dakota and Wisconsin

Source: U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics

### State of Indiana

#### Initial Claims

Oct 5, 2013- 4,052  
 Oct 12, 2013- 4,553  
 Oct 19, 2013- 4,220  
 Oct 26, 2013- 4,014

#### Continued Claims

Oct 5, 2013- 37,359  
 Oct 12, 2013- 37,423  
 Oct 19, 2013- 36,543  
 Oct 26, 2013- 36,384

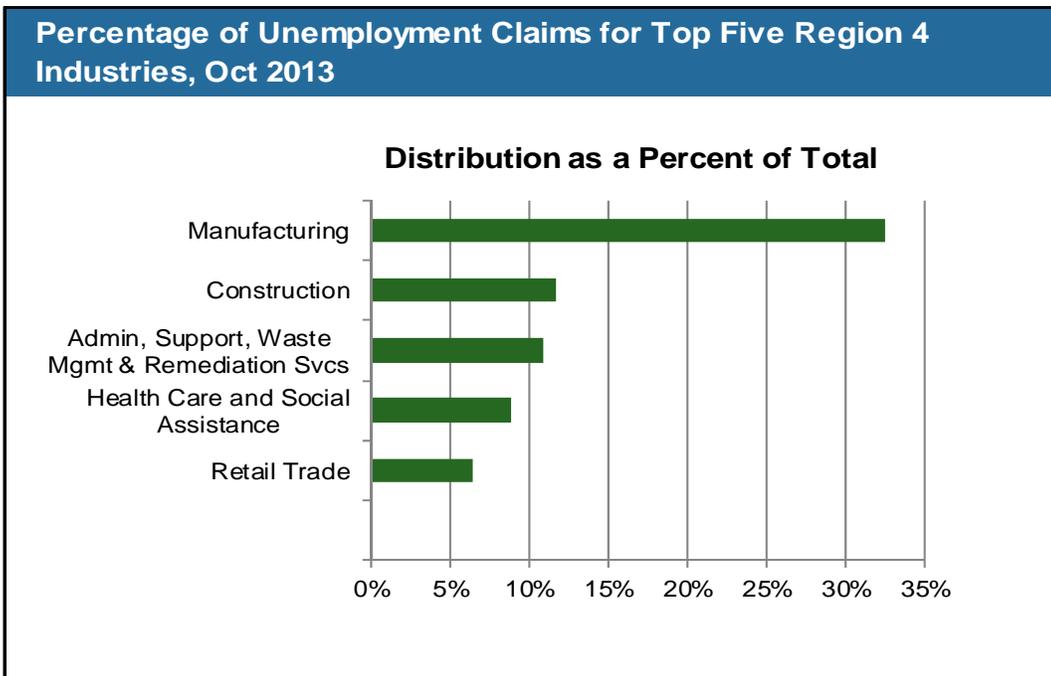
#### Total Claims\*

Oct 5, 2013- 61,793  
 Oct 12, 2013- 61,910  
 Oct 19, 2013- 60,895  
 Oct 26, 2013- 60,587

\*Total claims include EUC (Emergency Unemployment Compensation) and EB (State Extended Benefits). Please see Hoosiers by the Numbers for additional information.

Claims data are updated weekly, including revisions to claims counts for the preceding four weeks.

Source: Indiana Dept. of Workforce Development, Research and Analysis, UI Statistics



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## WARN Notices

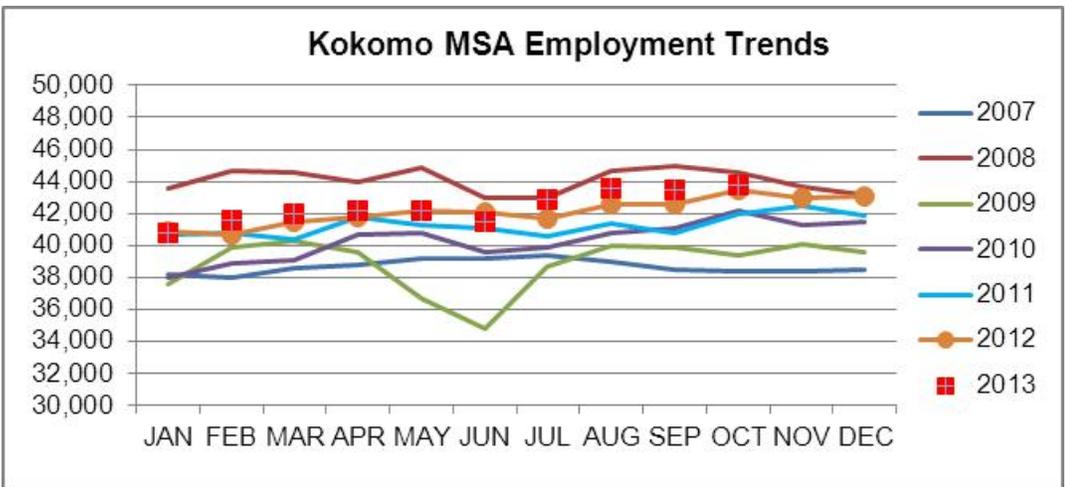
There are no WARN notices for EGR 4 for October 2013.

For information on WARN Act requirements, you may go to the U.S. Department of Labor Employment Training Administration Fact Sheet:

<http://www.doleta.gov/programs/factsht/warn.htm>

Kokomo Metropolitan Division Wage and Salaried Employment, Oct 2013							
				Number Change	Percent Change	Number Change	Percent Change
Industry	Oct-13	Sep-13	Oct-12	Sep-13 to Oct-13		Oct-12 to Oct-13	
<b>Total Nonfarm</b>	<b>43,800</b>	<b>43,500</b>	<b>43,500</b>	<b>300</b>	<b>0.7%</b>	<b>300</b>	<b>0.7%</b>
<b>-Total Private</b>	<b>37,400</b>	<b>37,200</b>	<b>37,400</b>	<b>200</b>	<b>0.5%</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0.0%</b>
--Goods Producing	12,300	12,200	11,900	100	0.8%	400	3.4%
--Service-Providing	31,500	31,300	31,600	200	0.6%	-100	-0.3%
---Private Service Providing	25,100	25,000	25,500	100	0.4%	-400	-1.6%
----Mining, Logging and Construction	1,300	1,300	1,300	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
----Manufacturing	11,000	10,900	10,600	100	0.9%	400	3.8%
----Trade, Transportation and Utilities	7,400	7,400	7,100	0	0.0%	300	4.2%
----Wholesale Trade	1,200	1,200	1,100	0	0.0%	100	9.1%
----Retail Trade	5,500	5,500	5,300	0	0.0%	200	3.8%
----Transportation, Warehousing, and Utilities	700	700	700	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
----Information	400	400	400	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
----Financial Activities	1,400	1,400	1,300	0	0.0%	100	7.7%
----Leisure and Hospitality	4,400	4,500	4,300	-100	-2.2%	100	2.3%
----Other Services	2,400	2,400	2,400	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
-Government	6,400	6,300	6,100	100	1.6%	300	4.9%
--Local Government	4,400	4,300	4,700	100	2.3%	-300	-6.4%
---Local Government Educational Services	2,500	2,400	2,800	100	4.2%	-300	-10.7%

Source: Indiana Dept of Workforce Development, Research and Analysis, Current Employment Statistics



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## Applicant Pool

### Top 20 Occupations Desired by Active Applicants on Their Résumés in the Past 12 Months

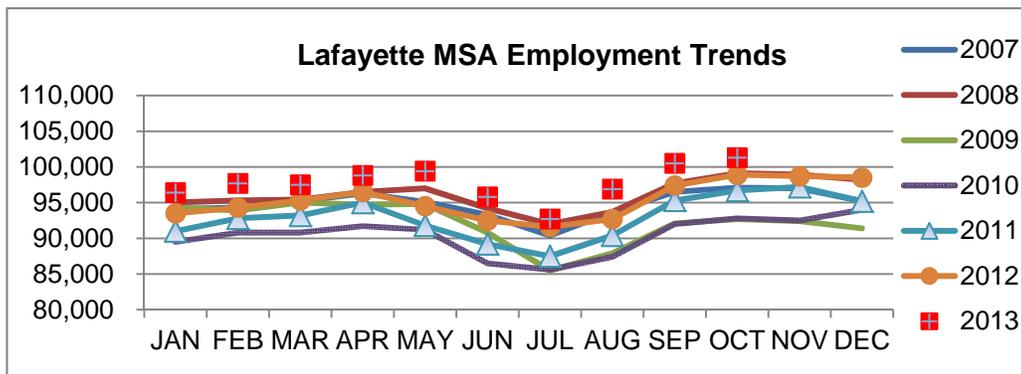
- 1 Assemblers and Fabricators, All Other-708
- 2 Production Workers, All Other-479
- 3 Customer Service Representatives-347
- 4 Laborers and Freight, Stock, and Material Movers, Hand-305
- 5 Helpers--Production Workers-304
- 6 Office Clerks, General-297
- 7 Managers, All Other-228
- 8 Cashiers-205
- 9 Administrative Services Managers-189
- 10 Manufacturing Production Technicians-180
- 11 Receptionists and Information Clerks-169
- 12 Executive Secretaries and Executive Administrative Assistants-163
- 13 Office and Administrative Support Workers, All Other-146
- 14 Nursing Assistants-137
- 15 Bookkeeping, Accounting, and Auditing Clerks-133
- 16 First-Line Supervisors of Production and Operating Workers-132
- 17 Secretaries and Administrative Assistants, Except Legal, Medical, and Executive-131
- 18 Construction Laborers-126
- 19 Retail Salespersons-123
- 20 Stock Clerks-Stockroom, Warehouse, or Storage Yard-117

Source: Indiana Dept. of Workforce Development, Indiana Career Connect

## Lafayette MSA Wage and Salaried Employment, Oct 2013

Industry				Number	Percent	Number	Percent
	Oct-13	Sep-13	Oct-12	Change	Change	Change	Change
<b>Total Nonfarm</b>	<b>101,300</b>	<b>100,500</b>	<b>98,700</b>	<b>800</b>	<b>0.8%</b>	<b>2,600</b>	<b>2.6%</b>
<b>-Total Private</b>	<b>71,900</b>	<b>71,400</b>	<b>70,400</b>	<b>500</b>	<b>0.7%</b>	<b>1,500</b>	<b>2.1%</b>
--Goods Producing	19,600	19,500	19,300	100	0.5%	300	1.6%
--Service-Providing	81,700	81,000	79,400	700	0.9%	2,300	2.9%
---Private Service Providing	52,300	51,900	51,100	400	0.8%	1,200	2.4%
----Mining, Logging and Construction	2,800	2,800	2,700	0	0.0%	100	3.7%
----Manufacturing	16,800	16,700	16,600	100	0.6%	200	1.2%
-----Durable Goods	13,100	13,000	12,900	100	0.8%	200	1.6%
-----Non-Durable Goods	3,700	3,700	3,700	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
----Trade, Transportation and Utilities	14,500	14,300	14,000	200	1.4%	500	3.6%
-----Wholesale Trade	2,500	2,500	2,400	0	0.0%	100	4.2%
-----Retail Trade	9,900	9,800	9,600	100	1.0%	300	3.1%
-----Transportation, Warehousing and Utilities	2,100	2,000	2,000	100	5.0%	100	5.0%
----Information	1,000	1,000	1,000	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
----Financial Activities	3,700	3,700	3,700	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
----Professional and Business	8,400	8,400	8,100	0	0.0%	300	3.7%
----Education and Health Services	12,100	12,000	11,900	100	0.8%	200	1.7%
----Leisure and Hospitality	9,600	9,500	9,400	100	1.1%	200	2.1%
-----Accommodation and Food Services	8,900	9,000	8,700	-100	-1.1%	200	2.3%
----Other Services	3,000	3,000	3,000	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
<b>-Government</b>	<b>29,400</b>	<b>29,100</b>	<b>28,300</b>	<b>300</b>	<b>1.0%</b>	<b>1,100</b>	<b>3.9%</b>
--Federal Government	500	500	600	0	0.0%	-100	-16.7%
--State Government	21,300	21,100	20,600	200	1.0%	700	3.4%
--Local Government	7,600	7,500	7,100	100	1.3%	500	7.0%
---Local Government Educational Services	4,700	4,500	4,400	200	4.4%	300	6.8%

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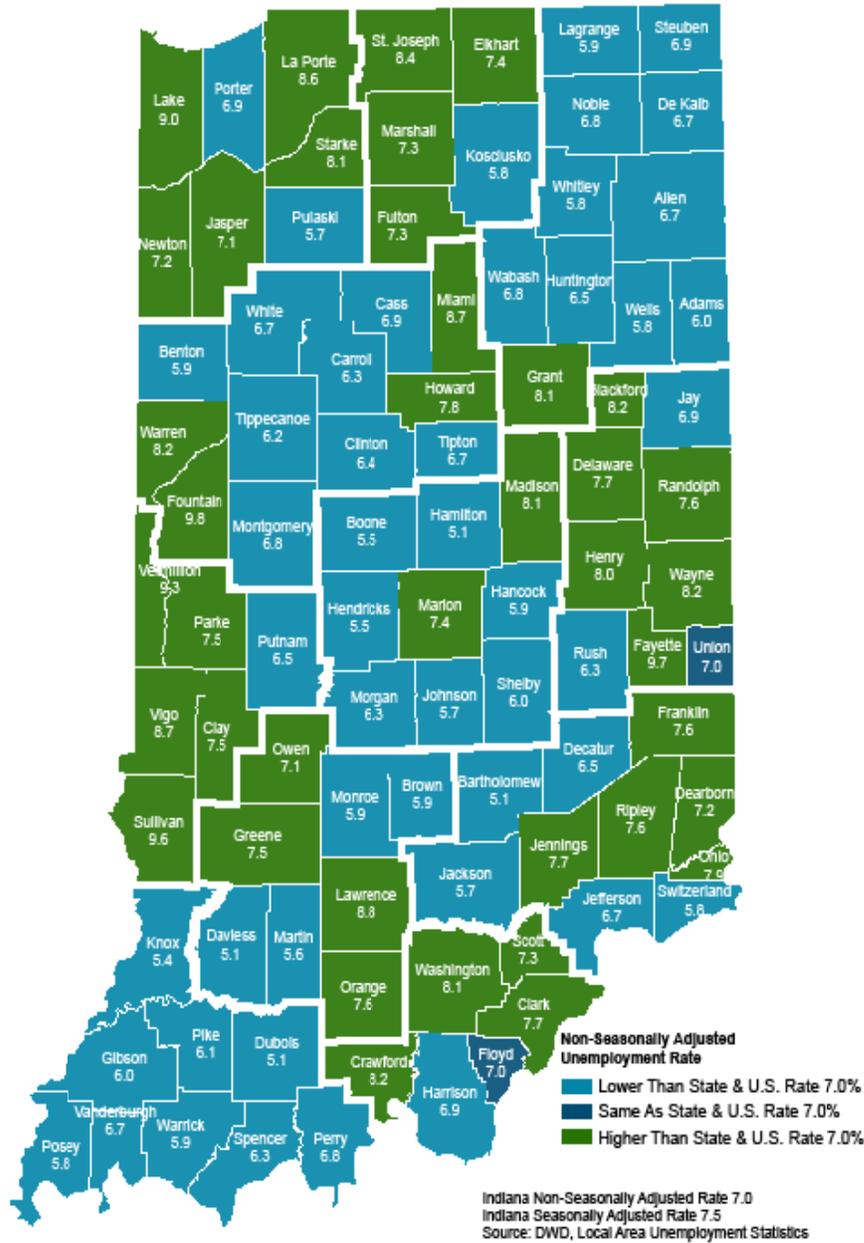
## Frequently Listed Jobs

### Top 20 Job Listings EGR 4 Oct 2013

- 1 Production Workers, All Other
- 2 Licensed Practical and Licensed Vocational Nurses
- 3 Personal Care Aides
- 4 Nursing Assistants
- 5 Healthcare Practitioners and Technical Workers, All Other
- 6 Stock Clerks- Stockroom, Warehouse, or Storage Yard
- 7 Helpers--Production Workers
- 8 Education, Training, and Library Workers, All Other
- 9 Home Health Aides
- 10 Light Truck or Delivery Services Drivers
- 11 Registered Nurses
- 12 Maids and Housekeeping Cleaners
- 13 Heavy and Tractor-Trailer Truck Drivers
- 14 Slaughterers and Meat Packers
- 15 Team Assemblers
- 16 Janitors and Cleaners, Except Maids and Housekeeping Cleaners
- 17 Retail Salespersons
- 18 Teacher Assistants
- 19 Maintenance Workers, Machinery
- 20 Merchandise Displayers and Window Trimmers

Source: Indiana Dept. of Workforce Development, Indiana Career Connect

# County Unemployment Rates October 2013



## Questions?

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