

**LABOR FORCE ESTIMATES**

**CPS BENCHMARK: 2016**

**NOT SEASONALLY ADJUSTED**

**EMPLOYMENT BENCHMARK: 2016**

THESE ESTIMATES ARE PREPARED IN COOPERATION WITH THE U. S. BUREAU OF LABOR STATISTICS (BLS) AND HAVE BEEN ADJUSTED TO THE CURRENT POPULATION SURVEY (CPS) FOR USE IN ALLOCATING FEDERAL FUNDS. BECAUSE OF IRREGULAR FLUCTUATIONS IN MONTH TO MONTH CHANGES, THE READER SHOULD USE CAUTION WHEN VIEWING THESE ESTIMATES AS INDICATORS OF ECONOMIC CHANGE.

AREA	LABOR FORCE	EMPLOYED	UNEMPLOYED	RATE	SEASONALLY
<b>U.S.</b>					
February 2017	159,482,000	151,594,000	7,887,000	4.9	4.7
January 2017	158,676,000	150,527,000	8,149,000	5.1	4.8
February 2016 (Benchmark)	158,279,000	150,060,000	8,219,000	5.2	4.9
<b>INDIANA</b>					
February 2017	3,302,752	3,148,963	153,789	4.7	4.1
January 2017	3,304,780	3,150,976	153,804	4.7	4.0
February 2016 (Benchmark)	3,310,569	3,141,213	169,356	5.1	4.7

**METROPOLITAN STATISTICAL AREAS**

<b>BLOOMINGTON MSA</b>					
February 2017	78,174	74,459	3,715	4.8	
January 2017	77,048	73,388	3,660	4.8	
February 2016 (Benchmark)	79,108	74,826	4,282	5.4	
<b>COLUMBUS MSA</b>					
February 2017	44,504	42,907	1,597	3.6	
January 2017	44,708	43,126	1,582	3.5	
February 2016 (Benchmark)	44,211	42,487	1,724	3.9	
<b>ELKHART-GOSHEN MSA</b>					
February 2017	108,197	104,638	3,559	3.3	
January 2017	107,752	104,111	3,641	3.4	
February 2016 (Benchmark)	106,887	102,825	4,062	3.8	
<b>EVANSVILLE MSA</b>					
February 2017	159,032	152,012	7,020	4.4	
January 2017	159,255	152,100	7,155	4.5	
February 2016 (Benchmark)	158,966	151,684	7,282	4.6	
<b>FORT WAYNE MSA</b>					
February 2017	210,788	201,593	9,195	4.4	
January 2017	212,196	202,868	9,328	4.4	
February 2016 (Benchmark)	211,160	200,896	10,264	4.9	
<b>GARY MSA</b>					
February 2017	340,262	318,350	21,912	6.4	
January 2017	342,785	321,086	21,699	6.3	
February 2016 (Benchmark)	340,835	316,714	24,121	7.1	
<b>INDIANAPOLIS-CARMEL-ANDERSON MSA</b>					
February 2017	1,033,450	989,739	43,711	4.2	
January 2017	1,035,501	992,337	43,164	4.2	
February 2016 (Benchmark)	1,026,292	978,722	47,570	4.6	
<b>KOKOMO MSA</b>					
February 2017	38,512	36,638	1,874	4.9	
January 2017	38,502	36,636	1,866	4.8	
February 2016 (Benchmark)	38,046	36,033	2,013	5.3	
<b>LAFAYETTE-WEST LAFAYETTE MSA</b>					
February 2017	111,412	106,884	4,528	4.1	
January 2017	110,057	105,548	4,509	4.1	
February 2016 (Benchmark)	110,778	105,893	4,885	4.4	
<b>MICHIGAN CITY-LAPORTE MSA</b>					
February 2017	47,282	44,183	3,099	6.6	
January 2017	47,467	44,311	3,156	6.6	
February 2016 (Benchmark)	48,570	44,994	3,576	7.4	
<b>MUNCIE MSA</b>					
February 2017	54,982	51,976	3,006	5.5	
January 2017	54,678	51,630	3,048	5.6	
February 2016 (Benchmark)	55,509	52,261	3,248	5.9	
<b>SOUTH BEND-MISHAWAKA MSA</b>					
February 2017	158,993	151,481	7,512	4.7	
January 2017	157,152	149,606	7,546	4.8	
February 2016 (Benchmark)	157,909	149,951	7,958	5.0	

AREA	LABOR FORCE	EMPLOYED	UNEMPLOYED	RATE
<b>TERRE HAUTE MSA</b>				
February 2017	77,487	72,994	4,493	5.8
January 2017	77,175	72,671	4,504	5.8
February 2016 (Benchmark)	77,579	72,534	5,045	6.5
<b><u>COUNTIES</u></b>				
<b>ADAMS</b>				
February 2017	16,552	15,960	592	3.6
January 2017	16,592	15,979	613	3.7
February 2016 (Benchmark)	16,847	16,165	682	4.0
<b>ALLEN (FORT WAYNE MSA)</b>				
February 2017	179,694	171,726	7,968	4.4
January 2017	180,901	172,831	8,070	4.5
February 2016 (Benchmark)	179,863	170,959	8,904	5.0
<b>BARTHOLOMEW (COLUMBUS MSA)</b>				
February 2017	44,504	42,907	1,597	3.6
January 2017	44,708	43,126	1,582	3.5
February 2016 (Benchmark)	44,211	42,487	1,724	3.9
<b>BENTON (LAFAYETTE-WEST LAFAYETTE MSA)</b>				
February 2017	4,584	4,363	221	4.8
January 2017	4,516	4,299	217	4.8
February 2016 (Benchmark)	4,670	4,441	229	4.9
<b>BLACKFORD</b>				
February 2017	5,191	4,886	305	5.9
January 2017	5,229	4,907	322	6.2
February 2016 (Benchmark)	5,351	4,996	355	6.6
<b>BOONE (INDIANAPOLIS-CARMEL-ANDERSON MSA)</b>				
February 2017	34,189	32,948	1,241	3.6
January 2017	34,190	32,969	1,221	3.6
February 2016 (Benchmark)	34,026	32,694	1,332	3.9
<b>BROWN (INDIANAPOLIS-CARMEL-ANDERSON MSA)</b>				
February 2017	7,644	7,277	367	4.8
January 2017	7,619	7,252	367	4.8
February 2016 (Benchmark)	7,628	7,199	429	5.6
<b>CARROLL (LAFAYETTE-WEST LAFAYETTE MSA)</b>				
February 2017	10,231	9,738	493	4.8
January 2017	10,078	9,586	492	4.9
February 2016 (Benchmark)	10,278	9,790	488	4.7
<b>CASS</b>				
February 2017	17,559	16,601	958	5.5
January 2017	17,471	16,546	925	5.3
February 2016 (Benchmark)	18,107	17,120	987	5.5
<b>CLARK (LOUISVILLE MSA)</b>				
February 2017	60,540	57,876	2,664	4.4
January 2017	61,123	58,476	2,647	4.3
February 2016 (Benchmark)	59,903	57,146	2,757	4.6
<b>CLAY (TERRE HAUTE MSA)</b>				
February 2017	12,400	11,762	638	5.1
January 2017	12,344	11,701	643	5.2
February 2016 (Benchmark)	12,414	11,711	703	5.7
<b>CLINTON</b>				
February 2017	16,785	16,097	688	4.1
January 2017	16,744	16,065	679	4.1
February 2016 (Benchmark)	17,063	16,282	781	4.6
<b>CRAWFORD</b>				
February 2017	4,996	4,671	325	6.5
January 2017	5,028	4,683	345	6.9
February 2016 (Benchmark)	4,998	4,644	354	7.1
<b>DAVISS</b>				
February 2017	15,626	15,029	597	3.8
January 2017	15,676	15,080	596	3.8
February 2016 (Benchmark)	15,875	15,207	668	4.2
<b>DEARBORN (CINCINNATI MSA)</b>				
February 2017	25,484	24,219	1,265	5.0
January 2017	25,634	24,298	1,336	5.2
February 2016 (Benchmark)	25,496	24,090	1,406	5.5

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<b>DECATUR</b>				
February 2017	14,274	13,688	586	4.1
January 2017	14,368	13,775	593	4.1
February 2016 (Benchmark)	14,327	13,706	621	4.3
<b>DEKALB</b>				
February 2017	21,740	20,874	866	4.0
January 2017	21,837	20,977	860	3.9
February 2016 (Benchmark)	21,994	21,038	956	4.3
<b>DELAWARE (MUNCIE MSA)</b>				
February 2017	54,982	51,976	3,006	5.5
January 2017	54,678	51,630	3,048	5.6
February 2016 (Benchmark)	55,509	52,261	3,248	5.9
<b>DUBOIS</b>				
February 2017	23,054	22,255	799	3.5
January 2017	23,192	22,386	806	3.5
February 2016 (Benchmark)	23,140	22,315	825	3.6
<b>ELKHART (ELKHART-GOSHEN MSA)</b>				
February 2017	108,197	104,638	3,559	3.3
January 2017	107,752	104,111	3,641	3.4
February 2016 (Benchmark)	106,887	102,825	4,062	3.8
<b>FAYETTE</b>				
February 2017	9,271	8,682	589	6.4
January 2017	9,194	8,636	558	6.1
February 2016 (Benchmark)	9,331	8,703	628	6.7
<b>FLOYD (LOUISVILLE MSA)</b>				
February 2017	41,014	39,290	1,724	4.2
January 2017	41,462	39,698	1,764	4.3
February 2016 (Benchmark)	40,684	38,824	1,860	4.6
<b>FOUNTAIN</b>				
February 2017	7,661	7,211	450	5.9
January 2017	7,619	7,183	436	5.7
February 2016 (Benchmark)	7,969	7,409	560	7.0
<b>FRANKLIN</b>				
February 2017	11,169	10,636	533	4.8
January 2017	11,186	10,622	564	5.0
February 2016 (Benchmark)	11,335	10,680	655	5.8
<b>FULTON</b>				
February 2017	9,275	8,785	490	5.3
January 2017	9,274	8,760	514	5.5
February 2016 (Benchmark)	9,655	9,091	564	5.8
<b>GIBSON</b>				
February 2017	19,128	18,369	759	4.0
January 2017	19,135	18,409	726	3.8
February 2016 (Benchmark)	19,261	18,468	793	4.1
<b>GRANT</b>				
February 2017	31,985	30,341	1,644	5.1
January 2017	30,655	29,028	1,627	5.3
February 2016 (Benchmark)	32,780	30,960	1,820	5.6
<b>GREENE</b>				
February 2017	13,492	12,545	947	7.0
January 2017	13,403	12,454	949	7.1
February 2016 (Benchmark)	13,982	12,808	1,174	8.4
<b>HAMILTON (INDIANAPOLIS-CARMEL-ANDERSON MSA)</b>				
February 2017	171,499	165,733	5,766	3.4
January 2017	171,948	166,204	5,744	3.3
February 2016 (Benchmark)	169,807	163,872	5,935	3.5
<b>HANCOCK (INDIANAPOLIS-CARMEL-ANDERSON MSA)</b>				
February 2017	38,114	36,610	1,504	3.9
January 2017	38,177	36,680	1,497	3.9
February 2016 (Benchmark)	37,995	36,279	1,716	4.5
<b>HARRISON (LOUISVILLE MSA)</b>				
February 2017	19,961	19,026	935	4.7
January 2017	20,136	19,204	932	4.6
February 2016 (Benchmark)	19,808	18,816	992	5.0
<b>HENDRICKS (INDIANAPOLIS-CARMEL-ANDERSON MSA)</b>				
February 2017	84,773	81,742	3,031	3.6
January 2017	85,104	82,034	3,070	3.6
February 2016 (Benchmark)	84,166	80,807	3,359	4.0

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<b>HENRY</b>				
February 2017	21,923	20,838	1,085	4.9
January 2017	21,977	20,865	1,112	5.1
February 2016 (Benchmark)	22,013	20,777	1,236	5.6
<b>HOWARD (KOKOMO MSA)</b>				
February 2017	38,512	36,638	1,874	4.9
January 2017	38,502	36,636	1,866	4.8
February 2016 (Benchmark)	38,046	36,033	2,013	5.3
<b>HUNTINGTON</b>				
February 2017	18,602	17,794	808	4.3
January 2017	18,625	17,775	850	4.6
February 2016 (Benchmark)	18,788	17,894	894	4.8
<b>JACKSON</b>				
February 2017	21,822	20,980	842	3.9
January 2017	21,899	21,030	869	4.0
February 2016 (Benchmark)	22,006	21,098	908	4.1
<b>JASPER (GARY MSA)</b>				
February 2017	16,290	15,264	1,026	6.3
January 2017	16,407	15,374	1,033	6.3
February 2016 (Benchmark)	16,551	15,374	1,177	7.1
<b>JAY</b>				
February 2017	9,580	9,127	453	4.7
January 2017	9,581	9,113	468	4.9
February 2016 (Benchmark)	9,978	9,457	521	5.2
<b>JEFFERSON</b>				
February 2017	14,909	14,178	731	4.9
January 2017	14,870	14,121	749	5.0
February 2016 (Benchmark)	15,354	14,542	812	5.3
<b>JENNINGS</b>				
February 2017	12,863	12,141	722	5.6
January 2017	12,916	12,185	731	5.7
February 2016 (Benchmark)	13,286	12,481	805	6.1
<b>JOHNSON (INDIANAPOLIS-CARMEL-ANDERSON MSA)</b>				
February 2017	79,248	76,185	3,063	3.9
January 2017	79,430	76,398	3,032	3.8
February 2016 (Benchmark)	78,748	75,437	3,311	4.2
<b>KNOX</b>				
February 2017	18,721	17,867	854	4.6
January 2017	18,668	17,799	869	4.7
February 2016 (Benchmark)	19,152	18,193	959	5.0
<b>KOSCIUSKO</b>				
February 2017	40,308	38,860	1,448	3.6
January 2017	40,420	38,885	1,535	3.8
February 2016 (Benchmark)	41,103	39,343	1,760	4.3
<b>LAGRANGE</b>				
February 2017	18,547	17,918	629	3.4
January 2017	18,405	17,762	643	3.5
February 2016 (Benchmark)	18,943	18,241	702	3.7
<b>LAKE (GARY MSA)</b>				
February 2017	231,298	215,809	15,489	6.7
January 2017	233,146	217,728	15,418	6.6
February 2016 (Benchmark)	231,660	214,475	17,185	7.4
<b>LA PORTE (MICHIGAN CITY-LAPORTE MSA)</b>				
February 2017	47,282	44,183	3,099	6.6
January 2017	47,467	44,311	3,156	6.6
February 2016 (Benchmark)	48,570	44,994	3,576	7.4
<b>LAWRENCE</b>				
February 2017	20,462	19,165	1,297	6.3
January 2017	20,439	19,143	1,296	6.3
February 2016 (Benchmark)	20,720	19,239	1,481	7.1
<b>MADISON (INDIANAPOLIS-CARMEL-ANDERSON MSA)</b>				
February 2017	59,372	56,153	3,219	5.4
January 2017	59,521	56,283	3,238	5.4
February 2016 (Benchmark)	59,288	55,653	3,635	6.1
<b>MARION (INDIANAPOLIS-CARMEL-ANDERSON MSA)</b>				
February 2017	482,590	460,633	21,957	4.5
January 2017	483,464	461,975	21,489	4.4
February 2016 (Benchmark)	478,849	454,934	23,915	5.0

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<b>MARSHALL</b>				
February 2017	23,586	22,617	969	4.1
January 2017	23,539	22,552	987	4.2
February 2016 (Benchmark)	23,950	22,886	1,064	4.4
<b>MARTIN</b>				
February 2017	5,011	4,796	215	4.3
January 2017	5,035	4,819	216	4.3
February 2016 (Benchmark)	5,110	4,868	242	4.7
<b>MIAMI</b>				
February 2017	15,712	14,898	814	5.2
January 2017	15,730	14,922	808	5.1
February 2016 (Benchmark)	15,818	14,944	874	5.5
<b>MONROE (BLOOMINGTON MSA)</b>				
February 2017	68,769	65,618	3,151	4.6
January 2017	67,803	64,690	3,113	4.6
February 2016 (Benchmark)	69,500	65,897	3,603	5.2
<b>MONTGOMERY</b>				
February 2017	18,616	17,888	728	3.9
January 2017	18,604	17,875	729	3.9
February 2016 (Benchmark)	19,131	18,294	837	4.4
<b>MORGAN (INDIANAPOLIS-CARMEL-ANDERSON MSA)</b>				
February 2017	36,230	34,513	1,717	4.7
January 2017	36,209	34,542	1,667	4.6
February 2016 (Benchmark)	36,056	34,180	1,876	5.2
<b>NEWTON (GARY MSA)</b>				
February 2017	7,014	6,490	524	7.5
January 2017	7,025	6,514	511	7.3
February 2016 (Benchmark)	7,039	6,547	492	7.0
<b>NOBLE</b>				
February 2017	22,531	21,636	895	4.0
January 2017	22,658	21,706	952	4.2
February 2016 (Benchmark)	23,420	22,329	1,091	4.7
<b>OHIO (CINCINNATI MSA)</b>				
February 2017	3,214	3,052	162	5.0
January 2017	3,214	3,063	151	4.7
February 2016 (Benchmark)	3,214	3,026	188	5.8
<b>ORANGE</b>				
February 2017	8,942	8,455	487	5.4
January 2017	9,022	8,521	501	5.6
February 2016 (Benchmark)	9,165	8,602	563	6.1
<b>OWEN (BLOOMINGTON MSA)</b>				
February 2017	9,405	8,841	564	6.0
January 2017	9,245	8,698	547	5.9
February 2016 (Benchmark)	9,608	8,929	679	7.1
<b>PARKE</b>				
February 2017	6,972	6,555	417	6.0
January 2017	6,950	6,520	430	6.2
February 2016 (Benchmark)	7,060	6,606	454	6.4
<b>PERRY</b>				
February 2017	9,319	8,869	450	4.8
January 2017	9,386	8,910	476	5.1
February 2016 (Benchmark)	9,456	8,935	521	5.5
<b>PIKE</b>				
February 2017	6,174	5,873	301	4.9
January 2017	6,170	5,892	278	4.5
February 2016 (Benchmark)	6,300	5,990	310	4.9
<b>PORTER (GARY MSA)</b>				
February 2017	85,660	80,787	4,873	5.7
January 2017	86,207	81,470	4,737	5.5
February 2016 (Benchmark)	85,585	80,318	5,267	6.2
<b>POSEY (EVANSVILLE MSA)</b>				
February 2017	13,204	12,657	547	4.1
January 2017	13,230	12,666	564	4.3
February 2016 (Benchmark)	13,352	12,778	574	4.3
<b>PULASKI</b>				
February 2017	6,064	5,735	329	5.4
January 2017	6,062	5,731	331	5.5
February 2016 (Benchmark)	6,318	5,970	348	5.5

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<b>PUTNAM (INDIANAPOLIS-CARMEL-ANDERSON MSA)</b>				
February 2017	16,683	15,859	824	4.9
January 2017	16,720	15,876	844	5.0
February 2016 (Benchmark)	16,642	15,761	881	5.3
<b>RANDOLPH</b>				
February 2017	12,125	11,439	686	5.7
January 2017	12,084	11,427	657	5.4
February 2016 (Benchmark)	12,501	11,765	736	5.9
<b>RIPLEY</b>				
February 2017	13,623	12,943	680	5.0
January 2017	13,712	13,006	706	5.1
February 2016 (Benchmark)	13,858	13,011	847	6.1
<b>RUSH</b>				
February 2017	8,567	8,191	376	4.4
January 2017	8,556	8,182	374	4.4
February 2016 (Benchmark)	8,857	8,464	393	4.4
<b>SAINT JOSEPH (SOUTH BEND-MISHAWAKA MSA)</b>				
February 2017	134,028	127,891	6,137	4.6
January 2017	132,633	126,433	6,200	4.7
February 2016 (Benchmark)	133,460	126,705	6,755	5.1
<b>SCOTT (LOUISVILLE MSA)</b>				
February 2017	10,505	9,987	518	4.9
January 2017	10,601	10,095	506	4.8
February 2016 (Benchmark)	10,466	9,875	591	5.6
<b>SHELBY (INDIANAPOLIS-CARMEL-ANDERSON MSA)</b>				
February 2017	23,108	22,086	1,022	4.4
January 2017	23,119	22,124	995	4.3
February 2016 (Benchmark)	23,087	21,906	1,181	5.1
<b>SPENCER</b>				
February 2017	10,199	9,691	508	5.0
January 2017	10,228	9,713	515	5.0
February 2016 (Benchmark)	10,351	9,830	521	5.0
<b>STARKE</b>				
February 2017	10,631	9,954	677	6.4
January 2017	10,661	9,978	683	6.4
February 2016 (Benchmark)	10,763	10,029	734	6.8
<b>STEUBEN</b>				
February 2017	19,360	18,530	830	4.3
January 2017	19,299	18,469	830	4.3
February 2016 (Benchmark)	20,031	19,187	844	4.2
<b>SULLIVAN (TERRE HAUTE MSA)</b>				
February 2017	8,620	8,078	542	6.3
January 2017	8,593	8,043	550	6.4
February 2016 (Benchmark)	8,714	8,094	620	7.1
<b>SWITZERLAND</b>				
February 2017	4,862	4,599	263	5.4
January 2017	4,873	4,614	259	5.3
February 2016 (Benchmark)	4,931	4,652	279	5.7
<b>TIPPECANOE (LAFAYETTE-WEST LAFAYETTE MSA)</b>				
February 2017	96,597	92,783	3,814	3.9
January 2017	95,463	91,663	3,800	4.0
February 2016 (Benchmark)	95,830	91,662	4,168	4.3
<b>TIPTON</b>				
February 2017	8,247	7,880	367	4.5
January 2017	8,259	7,902	357	4.3
February 2016 (Benchmark)	8,440	8,038	402	4.8
<b>UNION (CINCINNATI MSA)</b>				
February 2017	3,560	3,407	153	4.3
January 2017	3,570	3,416	154	4.3
February 2016 (Benchmark)	3,590	3,415	175	4.9
<b>VANDEBURGH (EVANSVILLE MSA)</b>				
February 2017	92,249	88,334	3,915	4.2
January 2017	92,595	88,648	3,947	4.3
February 2016 (Benchmark)	92,692	88,502	4,190	4.5
<b>VERMILLION (TERRE HAUTE MSA)</b>				
February 2017	7,223	6,700	523	7.2
January 2017	7,189	6,660	529	7.4
February 2016 (Benchmark)	7,295	6,702	593	8.1

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<b>VIGO (TERRE HAUTE MSA)</b>				
February 2017	49,244	46,454	2,790	5.7
January 2017	49,049	46,267	2,782	5.7
February 2016 (Benchmark)	49,156	46,027	3,129	6.4
<b>WABASH</b>				
February 2017	15,125	14,454	671	4.4
January 2017	14,899	14,223	676	4.5
February 2016 (Benchmark)	15,571	14,823	748	4.8
<b>WARREN</b>				
February 2017	3,976	3,781	195	4.9
January 2017	3,950	3,763	187	4.7
February 2016 (Benchmark)	4,067	3,831	236	5.8
<b>WARRICK (EVANSVILLE MSA)</b>				
February 2017	31,868	30,494	1,374	4.3
January 2017	31,958	30,554	1,404	4.4
February 2016 (Benchmark)	31,946	30,550	1,396	4.4
<b>WASHINGTON (LOUISVILLE MSA)</b>				
February 2017	13,599	12,939	660	4.9
January 2017	13,670	13,013	657	4.8
February 2016 (Benchmark)	13,753	12,969	784	5.7
<b>WAYNE</b>				
February 2017	30,389	28,823	1,566	5.2
January 2017	30,086	28,530	1,556	5.2
February 2016 (Benchmark)	31,295	29,572	1,723	5.5
<b>WELLS (FORT WAYNE MSA)</b>				
February 2017	14,018	13,466	552	3.9
January 2017	14,075	13,528	547	3.9
February 2016 (Benchmark)	14,120	13,537	583	4.1
<b>WHITE</b>				
February 2017	12,954	12,327	627	4.8
January 2017	12,917	12,275	642	5.0
February 2016 (Benchmark)	13,481	12,846	635	4.7
<b>WHITLEY (FORT WAYNE MSA)</b>				
February 2017	17,076	16,401	675	4.0
January 2017	17,220	16,509	711	4.1
February 2016 (Benchmark)	17,177	16,400	777	4.5
<u>CITIES (Population over 25,000)</u>				
<b>ANDERSON CITY</b>				
February 2017	23,678	22,212	1,466	6.2
January 2017	23,725	22,263	1,462	6.2
February 2016 (Benchmark)	23,654	22,014	1,640	6.9
<b>BLOOMINGTON CITY</b>				
February 2017	37,777	36,015	1,762	4.7
January 2017	37,241	35,505	1,736	4.7
February 2016 (Benchmark)	38,085	36,168	1,917	5.0
<b>CARMEL CITY</b>				
February 2017	48,190	46,644	1,546	3.2
January 2017	48,316	46,777	1,539	3.2
February 2016 (Benchmark)	47,695	46,120	1,575	3.3
<b>COLUMBUS CITY</b>				
February 2017	25,455	24,602	853	3.4
January 2017	25,557	24,727	830	3.2
February 2016 (Benchmark)	25,270	24,361	909	3.6
<b>CROWN POINT</b>				
February 2017	14,928	14,029	899	6.0
January 2017	15,012	14,154	858	5.7
February 2016 (Benchmark)	14,897	13,943	954	6.4
<b>EAST CHICAGO CITY</b>				
February 2017	10,228	9,285	943	9.2
January 2017	10,250	9,368	882	8.6
February 2016 (Benchmark)	10,236	9,228	1,008	9.8
<b>ELKHART CITY</b>				
February 2017	25,432	24,470	962	3.8
January 2017	25,313	24,347	966	3.8
February 2016 (Benchmark)	25,181	24,046	1,135	4.5
<b>EVANSVILLE CITY</b>				
February 2017	58,740	56,056	2,684	4.6
January 2017	58,930	56,256	2,674	4.5
February 2016 (Benchmark)	59,037	56,163	2,874	4.9

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<b>FISHERS TOWN</b>				
February 2017	49,446	47,910	1,536	3.1
January 2017	49,548	48,046	1,502	3.0
February 2016 (Benchmark)	48,976	47,372	1,604	3.3
<b>FORT WAYNE CITY</b>				
February 2017	123,798	118,031	5,767	4.7
January 2017	124,615	118,790	5,825	4.7
February 2016 (Benchmark)	124,095	117,504	6,591	5.3
<b>GARY CITY</b>				
February 2017	27,211	24,861	2,350	8.6
January 2017	27,487	25,083	2,404	8.7
February 2016 (Benchmark)	27,275	24,708	2,567	9.4
<b>GOSHEN CITY</b>				
February 2017	16,789	16,260	529	3.2
January 2017	16,714	16,178	536	3.2
February 2016 (Benchmark)	16,579	15,978	601	3.6
<b>GREENWOOD CITY</b>				
February 2017	29,196	28,046	1,150	3.9
January 2017	29,255	28,124	1,131	3.9
February 2016 (Benchmark)	29,010	27,770	1,240	4.3
<b>HAMMOND CITY</b>				
February 2017	34,893	32,523	2,370	6.8
January 2017	35,131	32,812	2,319	6.6
February 2016 (Benchmark)	34,959	32,322	2,637	7.5
<b>HOBART CITY</b>				
February 2017	15,022	13,930	1,092	7.3
January 2017	15,147	14,054	1,093	7.2
February 2016 (Benchmark)	15,104	13,844	1,260	8.3
<b>INDIANAPOLIS CITY (CONS)</b>				
February 2017	442,071	421,942	20,129	4.6
January 2017	442,883	423,171	19,712	4.5
February 2016 (Benchmark)	438,639	416,722	21,917	5.0
<b>INDIANAPOLIS CITY (CORE)</b>				
February 2017	437,300	417,378	19,922	4.6
January 2017	438,091	418,594	19,497	4.5
February 2016 (Benchmark)	433,902	412,214	21,688	5.0
<b>JEFFERSONVILLE CITY</b>				
February 2017	24,994	23,926	1,068	4.3
January 2017	25,201	24,174	1,027	4.1
February 2016 (Benchmark)	24,710	23,624	1,086	4.4
<b>KOKOMO CITY</b>				
February 2017	26,490	25,112	1,378	5.2
January 2017	26,480	25,111	1,369	5.2
February 2016 (Benchmark)	26,199	24,698	1,501	5.7
<b>LAFAYETTE CITY</b>				
February 2017	38,903	37,311	1,592	4.1
January 2017	38,400	36,860	1,540	4.0
February 2016 (Benchmark)	38,535	36,860	1,675	4.3
<b>LAWRENCE TOWN</b>				
February 2017	26,196	25,049	1,147	4.4
January 2017	26,242	25,122	1,120	4.3
February 2016 (Benchmark)	25,979	24,739	1,240	4.8
<b>MARION CITY</b>				
February 2017	12,672	11,941	731	5.8
January 2017	12,125	11,424	701	5.8
February 2016 (Benchmark)	12,952	12,185	767	5.9
<b>MERRILLVILLE TOWN</b>				
February 2017	17,082	15,947	1,135	6.6
January 2017	17,255	16,089	1,166	6.8
February 2016 (Benchmark)	17,122	15,848	1,274	7.4
<b>MICHIGAN CITY CITY</b>				
February 2017	12,563	11,699	864	6.9
January 2017	12,613	11,733	880	7.0
February 2016 (Benchmark)	12,949	11,914	1,035	8.0
<b>MISHAWAKA CITY</b>				
February 2017	25,482	24,362	1,120	4.4
January 2017	25,239	24,085	1,154	4.6
February 2016 (Benchmark)	25,327	24,136	1,191	4.7



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<b>MUNCIE CITY</b>				
February 2017	31,867	30,054	1,813	5.7
January 2017	31,740	29,854	1,886	5.9
February 2016 (Benchmark)	32,221	30,219	2,002	6.2
<b>NEW ALBANY CITY</b>				
February 2017	18,708	17,850	858	4.6
January 2017	18,929	18,036	893	4.7
February 2016 (Benchmark)	18,593	17,639	954	5.1
<b>NOBLESVILLE CITY</b>				
February 2017	33,195	32,019	1,176	3.5
January 2017	33,296	32,110	1,186	3.6
February 2016 (Benchmark)	32,843	31,660	1,183	3.6
<b>PLAINFIELD TOWN</b>				
February 2017	14,970	14,392	578	3.9
January 2017	15,025	14,443	582	3.9
February 2016 (Benchmark)	14,870	14,227	643	4.3
<b>PORTAGE CITY</b>				
February 2017	17,945	16,807	1,138	6.3
January 2017	18,113	16,950	1,163	6.4
February 2016 (Benchmark)	18,040	16,710	1,330	7.4
<b>RICHMOND CITY</b>				
February 2017	14,745	13,989	756	5.1
January 2017	14,618	13,847	771	5.3
February 2016 (Benchmark)	15,229	14,353	876	5.8
<b>SCHERERVILLE TOWN</b>				
February 2017	16,125	15,304	821	5.1
January 2017	16,271	15,440	831	5.1
February 2016 (Benchmark)	16,075	15,210	865	5.4
<b>SOUTH BEND CITY</b>				
February 2017	47,466	45,129	2,337	4.9
January 2017	46,978	44,614	2,364	5.0
February 2016 (Benchmark)	47,294	44,710	2,584	5.5
<b>TERRE HAUTE CITY</b>				
February 2017	25,702	24,160	1,542	6.0
January 2017	25,569	24,062	1,507	5.9
February 2016 (Benchmark)	25,600	23,938	1,662	6.5
<b>VALPARAISO CITY</b>				
February 2017	16,139	15,325	814	5.0
January 2017	16,247	15,454	793	4.9
February 2016 (Benchmark)	16,054	15,236	818	5.1
<b>WEST LAFAYETTE CITY</b>				
February 2017	21,562	20,842	720	3.3
January 2017	21,322	20,591	731	3.4
February 2016 (Benchmark)	21,379	20,590	789	3.7
<b>WESTFIELD CITY</b>				
February 2017	20,362	19,708	654	3.2
January 2017	20,429	19,764	665	3.3
February 2016 (Benchmark)	20,159	19,487	672	3.3
<b>ZIONSVILLE TOWN</b>				
February 2017	13,823	13,382	441	3.2
January 2017	13,818	13,391	427	3.1
February 2016 (Benchmark)	13,746	13,279	467	3.4

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