

**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>					
September 2017	161,049,000	154,494,000	6,556,000	4.1	4.2
August 2017	160,863,000	153,576,000	7,287,000	4.5	4.4
September 2016 (Benchmark)	159,636,000	151,977,000	7,658,000	4.8	4.9
<b>INDIANA</b>					
September 2017	3,340,423	3,221,227	119,196	3.6	3.8
August 2017	3,354,159	3,218,709	135,450	4.0	3.5
September 2016 (Benchmark)	3,325,272	3,190,894	134,378	4.0	4.3

**METROPOLITAN STATISTICAL AREAS**

<b>BLOOMINGTON MSA</b>					
September 2017	78,803	76,014	2,789	3.5	
August 2017	75,033	71,554	3,479	4.6	
September 2016 (Benchmark)	79,051	75,793	3,258	4.1	
<b>COLUMBUS MSA</b>					
September 2017	45,274	44,063	1,211	2.7	
August 2017	45,956	44,524	1,432	3.1	
September 2016 (Benchmark)	44,043	42,688	1,355	3.1	
<b>ELKHART-GOSHEN MSA</b>					
September 2017	111,861	109,101	2,760	2.5	
August 2017	113,737	110,387	3,350	2.9	
September 2016 (Benchmark)	107,699	104,110	3,589	3.3	
<b>EVANSVILLE MSA</b>					
September 2017	161,700	156,341	5,359	3.3	
August 2017	162,208	155,991	6,217	3.8	
September 2016 (Benchmark)	159,993	153,667	6,326	4.0	
<b>FORT WAYNE MSA</b>					
September 2017	212,329	205,131	7,198	3.4	
August 2017	214,177	206,159	8,018	3.7	
September 2016 (Benchmark)	211,903	203,910	7,993	3.8	
<b>GARY MSA</b>					
September 2017	336,939	320,353	16,586	4.9	
August 2017	338,204	320,216	17,988	5.3	
September 2016 (Benchmark)	341,795	323,118	18,677	5.5	
<b>INDIANAPOLIS-CARMEL-ANDERSON MSA</b>					
September 2017	1,054,976	1,019,262	35,714	3.4	
August 2017	1,061,028	1,020,863	40,165	3.8	
September 2016 (Benchmark)	1,037,699	998,823	38,876	3.7	
<b>KOKOMO MSA</b>					
September 2017	38,855	37,452	1,403	3.6	
August 2017	39,516	37,898	1,618	4.1	
September 2016 (Benchmark)	37,946	36,425	1,521	4.0	
<b>LAFAYETTE-WEST LAFAYETTE MSA</b>					
September 2017	112,386	108,910	3,476	3.1	
August 2017	109,183	104,935	4,248	3.9	
September 2016 (Benchmark)	111,218	107,194	4,024	3.6	
<b>MICHIGAN CITY-LAPORTE MSA</b>					
September 2017	46,502	44,481	2,021	4.3	
August 2017	46,735	44,450	2,285	4.9	
September 2016 (Benchmark)	48,199	45,670	2,529	5.2	
<b>MUNCIE MSA</b>					
September 2017	55,152	52,765	2,387	4.3	
August 2017	54,047	51,265	2,782	5.1	
September 2016 (Benchmark)	55,236	52,655	2,581	4.7	
<b>SOUTH BEND-MISHAWAKA MSA</b>					
September 2017	156,452	150,546	5,906	3.8	
August 2017	154,856	148,251	6,605	4.3	
September 2016 (Benchmark)	159,481	152,677	6,804	4.3	

AREA	LABOR FORCE	EMPLOYED	UNEMPLOYED	RATE
<b>TERRE HAUTE MSA</b>				
September 2017	77,652	74,369	3,283	4.2
August 2017	78,231	74,534	3,697	4.7
September 2016 (Benchmark)	77,499	73,709	3,790	4.9
<b><u>COUNTIES</u></b>				
<b>ADAMS</b>				
September 2017	16,822	16,372	450	2.7
August 2017	16,999	16,449	550	3.2
September 2016 (Benchmark)	16,928	16,393	535	3.2
<b>ALLEN (FORT WAYNE MSA)</b>				
September 2017	180,955	174,704	6,251	3.5
August 2017	182,377	175,447	6,930	3.8
September 2016 (Benchmark)	180,480	173,551	6,929	3.8
<b>BARTHOLOMEW (COLUMBUS MSA)</b>				
September 2017	45,274	44,063	1,211	2.7
August 2017	45,956	44,524	1,432	3.1
September 2016 (Benchmark)	44,043	42,688	1,355	3.1
<b>BENTON (LAFAYETTE-WEST LAFAYETTE MSA)</b>				
September 2017	4,607	4,464	143	3.1
August 2017	4,584	4,407	177	3.9
September 2016 (Benchmark)	4,646	4,480	166	3.6
<b>BLACKFORD</b>				
September 2017	5,276	5,060	216	4.1
August 2017	5,215	4,974	241	4.6
September 2016 (Benchmark)	5,337	5,078	259	4.9
<b>BOONE (INDIANAPOLIS-CARMEL-ANDERSON MSA)</b>				
September 2017	34,914	33,884	1,030	3.0
August 2017	35,206	33,991	1,215	3.5
September 2016 (Benchmark)	34,434	33,341	1,093	3.2
<b>BROWN (INDIANAPOLIS-CARMEL-ANDERSON MSA)</b>				
September 2017	7,687	7,445	242	3.1
August 2017	7,718	7,436	282	3.7
September 2016 (Benchmark)	7,587	7,343	244	3.2
<b>CARROLL (LAFAYETTE-WEST LAFAYETTE MSA)</b>				
September 2017	10,240	9,921	319	3.1
August 2017	10,060	9,679	381	3.8
September 2016 (Benchmark)	10,279	9,890	389	3.8
<b>CASS</b>				
September 2017	17,547	16,836	711	4.1
August 2017	17,630	16,887	743	4.2
September 2016 (Benchmark)	17,858	17,116	742	4.2
<b>CLARK (LOUISVILLE MSA)</b>				
September 2017	61,278	59,099	2,179	3.6
August 2017	61,775	59,318	2,457	4.0
September 2016 (Benchmark)	60,521	58,144	2,377	3.9
<b>CLAY (TERRE HAUTE MSA)</b>				
September 2017	12,435	11,981	454	3.7
August 2017	12,544	12,021	523	4.2
September 2016 (Benchmark)	12,435	11,897	538	4.3
<b>CLINTON</b>				
September 2017	17,057	16,544	513	3.0
August 2017	17,172	16,543	629	3.7
September 2016 (Benchmark)	17,147	16,552	595	3.5
<b>CRAWFORD</b>				
September 2017	4,910	4,718	192	3.9
August 2017	4,966	4,745	221	4.5
September 2016 (Benchmark)	4,990	4,741	249	5.0
<b>DAVISS</b>				
September 2017	15,810	15,374	436	2.8
August 2017	16,098	15,563	535	3.3
September 2016 (Benchmark)	15,705	15,218	487	3.1
<b>DEARBORN (CINCINNATI MSA)</b>				
September 2017	25,968	24,932	1,036	4.0
August 2017	26,271	25,155	1,116	4.2
September 2016 (Benchmark)	25,572	24,484	1,088	4.3

AREA	LABOR FORCE	EMPLOYED	UNEMPLOYED	RATE
<b>DECATUR</b>				
September 2017	14,753	14,351	402	2.7
August 2017	15,046	14,542	504	3.3
September 2016 (Benchmark)	14,378	13,935	443	3.1
<b>DEKALB</b>				
September 2017	22,073	21,423	650	2.9
August 2017	22,413	21,650	763	3.4
September 2016 (Benchmark)	22,034	21,230	804	3.6
<b>DELAWARE (MUNCIE MSA)</b>				
September 2017	55,152	52,765	2,387	4.3
August 2017	54,047	51,265	2,782	5.1
September 2016 (Benchmark)	55,236	52,655	2,581	4.7
<b>DUBOIS</b>				
September 2017	23,088	22,488	600	2.6
August 2017	23,681	22,958	723	3.1
September 2016 (Benchmark)	23,069	22,410	659	2.9
<b>ELKHART (ELKHART-GOSHEN MSA)</b>				
September 2017	111,861	109,101	2,760	2.5
August 2017	113,737	110,387	3,350	2.9
September 2016 (Benchmark)	107,699	104,110	3,589	3.3
<b>FAYETTE</b>				
September 2017	9,388	8,914	474	5.0
August 2017	9,536	9,009	527	5.5
September 2016 (Benchmark)	9,309	8,802	507	5.4
<b>FLOYD (LOUISVILLE MSA)</b>				
September 2017	41,503	40,130	1,373	3.3
August 2017	41,896	40,304	1,592	3.8
September 2016 (Benchmark)	41,083	39,497	1,586	3.9
<b>FOUNTAIN</b>				
September 2017	7,733	7,416	317	4.1
August 2017	7,781	7,433	348	4.5
September 2016 (Benchmark)	7,964	7,537	427	5.4
<b>FRANKLIN</b>				
September 2017	11,174	10,766	408	3.7
August 2017	11,423	10,980	443	3.9
September 2016 (Benchmark)	11,349	10,926	423	3.7
<b>FULTON</b>				
September 2017	9,761	9,426	335	3.4
August 2017	9,956	9,571	385	3.9
September 2016 (Benchmark)	9,818	9,408	410	4.2
<b>GIBSON</b>				
September 2017	19,172	18,591	581	3.0
August 2017	19,336	18,649	687	3.6
September 2016 (Benchmark)	18,967	18,366	601	3.2
<b>GRANT</b>				
September 2017	31,116	29,810	1,306	4.2
August 2017	30,819	29,338	1,481	4.8
September 2016 (Benchmark)	31,630	30,195	1,435	4.5
<b>GREENE</b>				
September 2017	13,481	12,863	618	4.6
August 2017	13,371	12,674	697	5.2
September 2016 (Benchmark)	13,739	12,977	762	5.5
<b>HAMILTON (INDIANAPOLIS-CARMEL-ANDERSON MSA)</b>				
September 2017	175,683	170,712	4,971	2.8
August 2017	176,787	170,986	5,801	3.3
September 2016 (Benchmark)	172,416	167,243	5,173	3.0
<b>HANCOCK (INDIANAPOLIS-CARMEL-ANDERSON MSA)</b>				
September 2017	38,917	37,693	1,224	3.1
August 2017	39,182	37,800	1,382	3.5
September 2016 (Benchmark)	38,331	37,009	1,322	3.4
<b>HARRISON (LOUISVILLE MSA)</b>				
September 2017	20,087	19,419	668	3.3
August 2017	20,286	19,507	779	3.8
September 2016 (Benchmark)	19,912	19,140	772	3.9
<b>HENDRICKS (INDIANAPOLIS-CARMEL-ANDERSON MSA)</b>				
September 2017	86,825	84,261	2,564	3.0
August 2017	87,400	84,418	2,982	3.4
September 2016 (Benchmark)	85,214	82,477	2,737	3.2

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<b>HENRY</b>				
September 2017	22,209	21,391	818	3.7
August 2017	22,402	21,449	953	4.3
September 2016 (Benchmark)	21,950	21,037	913	4.2
<b>HOWARD (KOKOMO MSA)</b>				
September 2017	38,855	37,452	1,403	3.6
August 2017	39,516	37,898	1,618	4.1
September 2016 (Benchmark)	37,946	36,425	1,521	4.0
<b>HUNTINGTON</b>				
September 2017	18,649	17,819	830	4.5
August 2017	18,663	17,839	824	4.4
September 2016 (Benchmark)	18,669	17,968	701	3.8
<b>JACKSON</b>				
September 2017	22,596	21,907	689	3.0
August 2017	22,973	22,189	784	3.4
September 2016 (Benchmark)	22,246	21,490	756	3.4
<b>JASPER (GARY MSA)</b>				
September 2017	16,084	15,406	678	4.2
August 2017	16,328	15,549	779	4.8
September 2016 (Benchmark)	16,364	15,653	711	4.3
<b>JAY</b>				
September 2017	9,564	9,213	351	3.7
August 2017	9,691	9,277	414	4.3
September 2016 (Benchmark)	9,819	9,405	414	4.2
<b>JEFFERSON</b>				
September 2017	14,982	14,417	565	3.8
August 2017	15,002	14,346	656	4.4
September 2016 (Benchmark)	15,164	14,511	653	4.3
<b>JENNINGS</b>				
September 2017	13,217	12,736	481	3.6
August 2017	13,430	12,854	576	4.3
September 2016 (Benchmark)	13,056	12,511	545	4.2
<b>JOHNSON (INDIANAPOLIS-CARMEL-ANDERSON MSA)</b>				
September 2017	80,896	78,499	2,397	3.0
August 2017	81,475	78,713	2,762	3.4
September 2016 (Benchmark)	79,601	76,970	2,631	3.3
<b>KNOX</b>				
September 2017	18,548	17,924	624	3.4
August 2017	18,768	18,012	756	4.0
September 2016 (Benchmark)	18,854	18,093	761	4.0
<b>KOSCIUSKO</b>				
September 2017	41,192	40,098	1,094	2.7
August 2017	41,693	40,356	1,337	3.2
September 2016 (Benchmark)	41,352	39,945	1,407	3.4
<b>LAGRANGE</b>				
September 2017	19,484	18,985	499	2.6
August 2017	19,860	19,241	619	3.1
September 2016 (Benchmark)	19,388	18,782	606	3.1
<b>LAKE (GARY MSA)</b>				
September 2017	229,311	217,146	12,165	5.3
August 2017	229,874	216,894	12,980	5.6
September 2016 (Benchmark)	232,443	218,853	13,590	5.8
<b>LA PORTE (MICHIGAN CITY-LAPORTE MSA)</b>				
September 2017	46,502	44,481	2,021	4.3
August 2017	46,735	44,450	2,285	4.9
September 2016 (Benchmark)	48,199	45,670	2,529	5.2
<b>LAWRENCE</b>				
September 2017	20,675	19,779	896	4.3
August 2017	20,482	19,476	1,006	4.9
September 2016 (Benchmark)	20,696	19,693	1,003	4.8
<b>MADISON (INDIANAPOLIS-CARMEL-ANDERSON MSA)</b>				
September 2017	60,178	57,842	2,336	3.9
August 2017	60,590	58,027	2,563	4.2
September 2016 (Benchmark)	59,426	56,774	2,652	4.5
<b>MARION (INDIANAPOLIS-CARMEL-ANDERSON MSA)</b>				
September 2017	492,706	474,373	18,333	3.7
August 2017	494,889	474,720	20,169	4.1
September 2016 (Benchmark)	484,579	464,381	20,198	4.2

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<b>MARSHALL</b>				
September 2017	24,060	23,333	727	3.0
August 2017	24,132	23,255	877	3.6
September 2016 (Benchmark)	24,628	23,813	815	3.3
<b>MARTIN</b>				
September 2017	5,008	4,853	155	3.1
August 2017	5,127	4,947	180	3.5
September 2016 (Benchmark)	5,095	4,891	204	4.0
<b>MIAMI</b>				
September 2017	15,977	15,383	594	3.7
August 2017	16,173	15,501	672	4.2
September 2016 (Benchmark)	16,006	15,337	669	4.2
<b>MONROE (BLOOMINGTON MSA)</b>				
September 2017	69,390	66,995	2,395	3.5
August 2017	66,051	63,019	3,032	4.6
September 2016 (Benchmark)	69,570	66,755	2,815	4.0
<b>MONTGOMERY</b>				
September 2017	18,858	18,274	584	3.1
August 2017	18,913	18,215	698	3.7
September 2016 (Benchmark)	18,967	18,296	671	3.5
<b>MORGAN (INDIANAPOLIS-CARMEL-ANDERSON MSA)</b>				
September 2017	36,745	35,487	1,258	3.4
August 2017	36,949	35,550	1,399	3.8
September 2016 (Benchmark)	36,199	34,870	1,329	3.7
<b>NEWTON (GARY MSA)</b>				
September 2017	6,861	6,534	327	4.8
August 2017	6,947	6,592	355	5.1
September 2016 (Benchmark)	7,027	6,663	364	5.2
<b>NOBLE</b>				
September 2017	22,713	21,990	723	3.2
August 2017	23,048	22,201	847	3.7
September 2016 (Benchmark)	23,013	22,153	860	3.7
<b>OHIO (CINCINNATI MSA)</b>				
September 2017	3,257	3,140	117	3.6
August 2017	3,285	3,161	124	3.8
September 2016 (Benchmark)	3,220	3,077	143	4.4
<b>ORANGE</b>				
September 2017	8,872	8,521	351	4.0
August 2017	8,975	8,607	368	4.1
September 2016 (Benchmark)	8,659	8,260	399	4.6
<b>OWEN (BLOOMINGTON MSA)</b>				
September 2017	9,413	9,019	394	4.2
August 2017	8,982	8,535	447	5.0
September 2016 (Benchmark)	9,481	9,038	443	4.7
<b>PARKE</b>				
September 2017	7,177	6,886	291	4.1
August 2017	7,344	7,029	315	4.3
September 2016 (Benchmark)	7,260	6,913	347	4.8
<b>PERRY</b>				
September 2017	9,204	8,835	369	4.0
August 2017	9,360	8,931	429	4.6
September 2016 (Benchmark)	9,375	8,983	392	4.2
<b>PIKE</b>				
September 2017	6,322	6,114	208	3.3
August 2017	6,459	6,190	269	4.2
September 2016 (Benchmark)	6,228	5,982	246	3.9
<b>PORTER (GARY MSA)</b>				
September 2017	84,683	81,267	3,416	4.0
August 2017	85,055	81,181	3,874	4.6
September 2016 (Benchmark)	85,961	81,949	4,012	4.7
<b>POSEY (EVANSVILLE MSA)</b>				
September 2017	13,404	13,008	396	3.0
August 2017	13,545	13,068	477	3.5
September 2016 (Benchmark)	13,430	12,912	518	3.9
<b>PULASKI</b>				
September 2017	6,118	5,906	212	3.5
August 2017	6,292	6,041	251	4.0
September 2016 (Benchmark)	6,237	5,990	247	4.0

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<b>PUTNAM (INDIANAPOLIS-CARMEL-ANDERSON MSA)</b>				
September 2017	16,883	16,326	557	3.3
August 2017	17,107	16,402	705	4.1
September 2016 (Benchmark)	16,744	16,071	673	4.0
<b>RANDOLPH</b>				
September 2017	12,351	11,858	493	4.0
August 2017	12,502	11,957	545	4.4
September 2016 (Benchmark)	12,594	12,097	497	3.9
<b>RIPLEY</b>				
September 2017	14,116	13,617	499	3.5
August 2017	14,314	13,754	560	3.9
September 2016 (Benchmark)	14,026	13,503	523	3.7
<b>RUSH</b>				
September 2017	8,880	8,579	301	3.4
August 2017	9,045	8,713	332	3.7
September 2016 (Benchmark)	8,912	8,601	311	3.5
<b>SAINT JOSEPH (SOUTH BEND-MISHAWAKA MSA)</b>				
September 2017	132,340	127,516	4,824	3.6
August 2017	131,026	125,533	5,493	4.2
September 2016 (Benchmark)	134,867	129,121	5,746	4.3
<b>SCOTT (LOUISVILLE MSA)</b>				
September 2017	10,610	10,206	404	3.8
August 2017	10,719	10,257	462	4.3
September 2016 (Benchmark)	10,507	10,047	460	4.4
<b>SHELBY (INDIANAPOLIS-CARMEL-ANDERSON MSA)</b>				
September 2017	23,542	22,740	802	3.4
August 2017	23,725	22,820	905	3.8
September 2016 (Benchmark)	23,168	22,344	824	3.6
<b>SPENCER</b>				
September 2017	10,818	10,485	333	3.1
August 2017	11,394	10,963	431	3.8
September 2016 (Benchmark)	10,916	10,516	400	3.7
<b>STARKE</b>				
September 2017	10,586	10,126	460	4.3
August 2017	10,690	10,200	490	4.6
September 2016 (Benchmark)	10,672	10,152	520	4.9
<b>STEUBEN</b>				
September 2017	19,988	19,423	565	2.8
August 2017	20,021	19,357	664	3.3
September 2016 (Benchmark)	20,130	19,426	704	3.5
<b>SULLIVAN (TERRE HAUTE MSA)</b>				
September 2017	8,606	8,251	355	4.1
August 2017	8,740	8,327	413	4.7
September 2016 (Benchmark)	8,662	8,215	447	5.2
<b>SWITZERLAND</b>				
September 2017	4,880	4,684	196	4.0
August 2017	4,971	4,741	230	4.6
September 2016 (Benchmark)	4,946	4,718	228	4.6
<b>TIPPECANOE (LAFAYETTE-WEST LAFAYETTE MSA)</b>				
September 2017	97,539	94,525	3,014	3.1
August 2017	94,539	90,849	3,690	3.9
September 2016 (Benchmark)	96,293	92,824	3,469	3.6
<b>TIPTON</b>				
September 2017	8,565	8,307	258	3.0
August 2017	8,727	8,418	309	3.5
September 2016 (Benchmark)	8,476	8,189	287	3.4
<b>UNION (CINCINNATI MSA)</b>				
September 2017	3,619	3,512	107	3.0
August 2017	3,700	3,566	134	3.6
September 2016 (Benchmark)	3,593	3,467	126	3.5
<b>VANDEBURGH (EVANSVILLE MSA)</b>				
September 2017	93,949	90,860	3,089	3.3
August 2017	94,326	90,802	3,524	3.7
September 2016 (Benchmark)	93,096	89,520	3,576	3.8
<b>VERMILLION (TERRE HAUTE MSA)</b>				
September 2017	7,227	6,827	400	5.5
August 2017	7,292	6,874	418	5.7
September 2016 (Benchmark)	7,208	6,803	405	5.6

AREA	LABOR FORCE	EMPLOYED	UNEMPLOYED	RATE
<b>VIGO (TERRE HAUTE MSA)</b>				
September 2017	49,384	47,310	2,074	4.2
August 2017	49,655	47,312	2,343	4.7
September 2016 (Benchmark)	49,194	46,794	2,400	4.9
<b>WABASH</b>				
September 2017	15,152	14,589	563	3.7
August 2017	15,017	14,388	629	4.2
September 2016 (Benchmark)	15,411	14,811	600	3.9
<b>WARREN</b>				
September 2017	4,161	4,028	133	3.2
August 2017	4,191	4,041	150	3.6
September 2016 (Benchmark)	4,125	3,946	179	4.3
<b>WARRICK (EVANSVILLE MSA)</b>				
September 2017	32,304	31,311	993	3.1
August 2017	32,450	31,268	1,182	3.6
September 2016 (Benchmark)	32,145	30,901	1,244	3.9
<b>WASHINGTON (LOUISVILLE MSA)</b>				
September 2017	13,734	13,211	523	3.8
August 2017	13,989	13,386	603	4.3
September 2016 (Benchmark)	13,701	13,163	538	3.9
<b>WAYNE</b>				
September 2017	30,194	29,031	1,163	3.9
August 2017	30,128	28,805	1,323	4.4
September 2016 (Benchmark)	30,701	29,371	1,330	4.3
<b>WELLS (FORT WAYNE MSA)</b>				
September 2017	14,170	13,716	454	3.2
August 2017	14,377	13,870	507	3.5
September 2016 (Benchmark)	14,161	13,721	440	3.1
<b>WHITE</b>				
September 2017	13,366	12,942	424	3.2
August 2017	13,808	13,336	472	3.4
September 2016 (Benchmark)	13,546	13,059	487	3.6
<b>WHITLEY (FORT WAYNE MSA)</b>				
September 2017	17,204	16,711	493	2.9
August 2017	17,423	16,842	581	3.3
September 2016 (Benchmark)	17,262	16,638	624	3.6
<u><b>CITIES (Population over 25,000)</b></u>				
<b>ANDERSON CITY</b>				
September 2017	23,884	22,880	1,004	4.2
August 2017	24,113	22,953	1,160	4.8
September 2016 (Benchmark)	23,713	22,458	1,255	5.3
<b>BLOOMINGTON CITY</b>				
September 2017	38,209	36,770	1,439	3.8
August 2017	36,481	34,588	1,893	5.2
September 2016 (Benchmark)	38,347	36,639	1,708	4.5
<b>CARMEL CITY</b>				
September 2017	49,416	48,045	1,371	2.8
August 2017	49,789	48,122	1,667	3.3
September 2016 (Benchmark)	48,538	47,069	1,469	3.0
<b>COLUMBUS CITY</b>				
September 2017	25,946	25,264	682	2.6
August 2017	26,350	25,529	821	3.1
September 2016 (Benchmark)	25,258	24,476	782	3.1
<b>CROWN POINT</b>				
September 2017	14,789	14,116	673	4.6
August 2017	14,801	14,100	701	4.7
September 2016 (Benchmark)	14,948	14,227	721	4.8
<b>EAST CHICAGO CITY</b>				
September 2017	10,082	9,343	739	7.3
August 2017	10,092	9,332	760	7.5
September 2016 (Benchmark)	10,280	9,416	864	8.4
<b>ELKHART CITY</b>				
September 2017	26,282	25,513	769	2.9
August 2017	26,722	25,814	908	3.4
September 2016 (Benchmark)	25,411	24,346	1,065	4.2
<b>EVANSVILLE CITY</b>				
September 2017	59,786	57,659	2,127	3.6
August 2017	60,012	57,622	2,390	4.0
September 2016 (Benchmark)	59,258	56,809	2,449	4.1

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<b>FISHERS TOWN</b>				
September 2017	50,793	49,349	1,444	2.8
August 2017	51,053	49,429	1,624	3.2
September 2016 (Benchmark)	49,840	48,347	1,493	3.0
<b>FORT WAYNE CITY</b>				
September 2017	124,673	120,078	4,595	3.7
August 2017	125,642	120,589	5,053	4.0
September 2016 (Benchmark)	124,296	119,285	5,011	4.0
<b>GARY CITY</b>				
September 2017	27,268	25,015	2,253	8.3
August 2017	27,320	24,986	2,334	8.5
September 2016 (Benchmark)	27,803	25,212	2,591	9.3
<b>GOSHEN CITY</b>				
September 2017	17,410	16,954	456	2.6
August 2017	17,696	17,153	543	3.1
September 2016 (Benchmark)	16,729	16,178	551	3.3
<b>GREENWOOD CITY</b>				
September 2017	29,849	28,898	951	3.2
August 2017	30,060	28,976	1,084	3.6
September 2016 (Benchmark)	29,318	28,335	983	3.4
<b>HAMMOND CITY</b>				
September 2017	34,786	32,724	2,062	5.9
August 2017	34,814	32,686	2,128	6.1
September 2016 (Benchmark)	35,153	32,982	2,171	6.2
<b>HOBART CITY</b>				
September 2017	14,810	14,016	794	5.4
August 2017	14,848	14,000	848	5.7
September 2016 (Benchmark)	15,023	14,127	896	6.0
<b>INDIANAPOLIS CITY (CONS)</b>				
September 2017	451,308	434,528	16,780	3.7
August 2017	453,335	434,846	18,489	4.1
September 2016 (Benchmark)	443,919	425,375	18,544	4.2
<b>INDIANAPOLIS CITY (CORE)</b>				
September 2017	446,460	429,828	16,632	3.7
August 2017	448,451	430,142	18,309	4.1
September 2016 (Benchmark)	439,117	420,774	18,343	4.2
<b>JEFFERSONVILLE CITY</b>				
September 2017	25,310	24,432	878	3.5
August 2017	25,471	24,522	949	3.7
September 2016 (Benchmark)	24,928	24,037	891	3.6
<b>KOKOMO CITY</b>				
September 2017	26,692	25,670	1,022	3.8
August 2017	27,137	25,976	1,161	4.3
September 2016 (Benchmark)	26,066	24,966	1,100	4.2
<b>LAFAYETTE CITY</b>				
September 2017	39,240	38,011	1,229	3.1
August 2017	37,908	36,533	1,375	3.6
September 2016 (Benchmark)	38,687	37,327	1,360	3.5
<b>LAWRENCE TOWN</b>				
September 2017	26,772	25,796	976	3.6
August 2017	26,838	25,815	1,023	3.8
September 2016 (Benchmark)	26,299	25,252	1,047	4.0
<b>MARION CITY</b>				
September 2017	12,317	11,732	585	4.7
August 2017	12,204	11,546	658	5.4
September 2016 (Benchmark)	12,561	11,884	677	5.4
<b>MERRILLVILLE TOWN</b>				
September 2017	16,901	16,046	855	5.1
August 2017	17,068	16,027	1,041	6.1
September 2016 (Benchmark)	17,272	16,172	1,100	6.4
<b>MICHIGAN CITY CITY</b>				
September 2017	12,388	11,778	610	4.9
August 2017	12,455	11,770	685	5.5
September 2016 (Benchmark)	12,868	12,093	775	6.0
<b>MISHAWAKA CITY</b>				
September 2017	25,135	24,291	844	3.4
August 2017	24,862	23,913	949	3.8
September 2016 (Benchmark)	25,673	24,597	1,076	4.2



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<b>MUNCIE CITY</b>				
September 2017	31,972	30,510	1,462	4.6
August 2017	31,380	29,643	1,737	5.5
September 2016 (Benchmark)	32,065	30,446	1,619	5.0
<b>NEW ALBANY CITY</b>				
September 2017	18,913	18,232	681	3.6
August 2017	19,084	18,311	773	4.1
September 2016 (Benchmark)	18,796	17,944	852	4.5
<b>NOBLESVILLE CITY</b>				
September 2017	33,989	32,981	1,008	3.0
August 2017	34,162	33,034	1,128	3.3
September 2016 (Benchmark)	33,288	32,311	977	2.9
<b>PLAINFIELD TOWN</b>				
September 2017	15,329	14,835	494	3.2
August 2017	15,435	14,863	572	3.7
September 2016 (Benchmark)	15,059	14,521	538	3.6
<b>PORTAGE CITY</b>				
September 2017	17,777	16,907	870	4.9
August 2017	17,839	16,889	950	5.3
September 2016 (Benchmark)	18,045	17,049	996	5.5
<b>RICHMOND CITY</b>				
September 2017	14,743	14,090	653	4.4
August 2017	14,702	13,980	722	4.9
September 2016 (Benchmark)	14,940	14,255	685	4.6
<b>SCHERERVILLE TOWN</b>				
September 2017	16,012	15,399	613	3.8
August 2017	16,018	15,381	637	4.0
September 2016 (Benchmark)	16,196	15,520	676	4.2
<b>SOUTH BEND CITY</b>				
September 2017	46,961	44,997	1,964	4.2
August 2017	46,433	44,297	2,136	4.6
September 2016 (Benchmark)	47,897	45,563	2,334	4.9
<b>TERRE HAUTE CITY</b>				
September 2017	25,740	24,605	1,135	4.4
August 2017	25,890	24,606	1,284	5.0
September 2016 (Benchmark)	25,737	24,336	1,401	5.4
<b>VALPARAISO CITY</b>				
September 2017	16,047	15,416	631	3.9
August 2017	16,104	15,399	705	4.4
September 2016 (Benchmark)	16,244	15,545	699	4.3
<b>WEST LAFAYETTE CITY</b>				
September 2017	21,840	21,234	606	2.8
August 2017	21,191	20,408	783	3.7
September 2016 (Benchmark)	21,533	20,852	681	3.2
<b>WESTFIELD CITY</b>				
September 2017	20,833	20,301	532	2.6
August 2017	20,985	20,333	652	3.1
September 2016 (Benchmark)	20,469	19,888	581	2.8
<b>ZIONSVILLE TOWN</b>				
September 2017	14,160	13,762	398	2.8
August 2017	14,282	13,806	476	3.3
September 2016 (Benchmark)	13,992	13,542	450	3.2

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