LABOR FORCE ESTIMATES

CPS BENCHMARK: 2017   **NOT SEASONALLY ADJUSTED**   **EMPLOYMENT BENCHMARK: 2017**

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AREA	LABOR FORCE	EMPLOYED	UNEMPLOYED	RATE	SEASONALLY
U.S.					
March 2018	161,548,000	154,877,000	6,671,000	4.1	4.1
February 2018	161,494,000	154,403,000	7,091,000	4.4	4.1
March 2017 (Benchmark)	159,912,000	152,628,000	7,284,000	4.6	4.5
INDIANA					
March 2018	3,350,175	3,239,843	110,332	3.3	3.2
February 2018	3,323,544	3,200,157	123,387	3.7	3.2
March 2017 (Benchmark)	3,309,822	3,187,790	122,032	3.7	3.6

METROPOLITAN STATISTICAL AREAS

AREA	LABOR FORCE	EMPLOYED	UNEMPLOYED	RATE	SEASONALLY
BLOOMINGTON MSA					
March 2018	76,798	74,085	2,713	3.5	
February 2018	77,348	74,253	3,095	4.0	
March 2017 (Benchmark)	78,381	75,289	3,092	3.9	
COLUMBUS MSA					
March 2018	45,359	44,236	1,123	2.5	
February 2018	44,916	43,623	1,293	2.9	
March 2017 (Benchmark)	44,549	43,283	1,266	2.8	
ELKHART-GOSHEN MSA					
March 2018	116,275	113,719	2,556	2.2	
February 2018	114,957	112,113	2,844	2.5	
March 2017 (Benchmark)	110,307	107,390	2,917	2.6	
EVANSVILLE MSA					
March 2018	163,339	158,420	4,919	3.0	
February 2018	161,620	156,127	5,493	3.4	
March 2017 (Benchmark)	159,548	153,770	5,778	3.6	
FORT WAYNE MSA					
March 2018	214,294	208,025	6,269	2.9	
February 2018	213,490	206,385	7,105	3.3	
March 2017 (Benchmark)	211,019	203,721	7,298	3.5	
GARY MSA					
March 2018	338,569	322,535	16,034	4.7	
February 2018	335,406	317,746	17,660	5.3	
March 2017 (Benchmark)	337,320	320,272	17,048	5.1	
INDIANAPOLIS-CARMEL-ANDERSON MSA					
March 2018	1,054,995	1,022,960	32,035	3.0	
February 2018	1,044,155	1,008,957	35,198	3.4	
March 2017 (Benchmark)	1,032,794	997,508	35,286	3.4	
KOKOMO MSA					
March 2018	39,178	37,905	1,273	3.2	
February 2018	38,874	37,458	1,416	3.6	
March 2017 (Benchmark)	37,478	36,016	1,462	3.9	
LAFAYETTE-WEST LAFAYETTE MSA					
March 2018	111,030	107,667	3,363	3.0	
February 2018	111,449	107,654	3,795	3.4	
March 2017 (Benchmark)	109,801	106,082	3,719	3.4	
MICHIGAN CITY-LAPORTE MSA					
March 2018	47,406	45,213	2,193	4.6	
February 2018	47,350	44,885	2,465	5.2	
March 2017 (Benchmark)	47,623	45,304	2,319	4.9	
MUNCIE MSA					
March 2018	55,689	53,581	2,108	3.8	
February 2018	55,383	53,000	2,383	4.3	
March 2017 (Benchmark)	55,603	53,179	2,424	4.4	
SOUTH BEND-MISHAWAKA MSA					
March 2018	161,508	155,694	5,814	3.6	
February 2018	161,202	154,697	6,505	4.0	
March 2017 (Benchmark)	158,729	152,582	6,147	3.9	

AREA	LABOR FORCE	EMPLOYED	UNEMPLOYED	RATE
TERRE HAUTE MSA				
March 2018	77,058	73,818	3,240	4.2
February 2018	76,517	72,760	3,757	4.9
March 2017 (Benchmark)	76,630	73,189	3,441	4.5

<u>COUNTIES</u>

AREA	LABOR FORCE	EMPLOYED	UNEMPLOYED	RATE
ADAMS				
March 2018	17,286	16,858	428	2.5
February 2018	17,117	16,639	478	2.8
March 2017 (Benchmark)	17,144	16,652	492	2.9
ALLEN (FORT WAYNE MSA)				
March 2018	182,597	177,202	5,395	3.0
February 2018	181,956	175,850	6,106	3.4
March 2017 (Benchmark)	179,817	173,471	6,346	3.5
BARTHOLOMEW (COLUMBUS MSA)				
March 2018	45,359	44,236	1,123	2.5
February 2018	44,916	43,623	1,293	2.9
March 2017 (Benchmark)	44,549	43,283	1,266	2.8
BENTON (LAFAYETTE-WEST LAFAYETTE MSA)				
March 2018	4,591	4,434	157	3.4
February 2018	4,564	4,399	165	3.6
March 2017 (Benchmark)	4,577	4,408	169	3.7
BLACKFORD				
March 2018	5,379	5,183	196	3.6
February 2018	5,336	5,093	243	4.6
March 2017 (Benchmark)	5,383	5,147	236	4.4
BOONE (INDIANAPOLIS-CARMEL-ANDERSON MSA)				
March 2018	35,440	34,553	887	2.5
February 2018	35,080	34,079	1,001	2.9
March 2017 (Benchmark)	34,750	33,754	996	2.9
BROWN (INDIANAPOLIS-CARMEL-ANDERSON MSA)				
March 2018	7,655	7,422	233	3.0
February 2018	7,626	7,340	286	3.8
March 2017 (Benchmark)	7,529	7,254	275	3.7
CARROLL (LAFAYETTE-WEST LAFAYETTE MSA)				
March 2018	10,220	9,884	336	3.3
February 2018	10,239	9,850	389	3.8
March 2017 (Benchmark)	10,168	9,793	375	3.7
CASS				
March 2018	17,887	17,190	697	3.9
February 2018	17,745	16,970	775	4.4
March 2017 (Benchmark)	18,016	17,274	742	4.1
CLARK (LOUISVILLE MSA)				
March 2018	61,163	59,248	1,915	3.1
February 2018	60,640	58,508	2,132	3.5
March 2017 (Benchmark)	60,241	58,123	2,118	3.5
CLAY (TERRE HAUTE MSA)				
March 2018	12,288	11,848	440	3.6
February 2018	12,183	11,677	506	4.2
March 2017 (Benchmark)	12,245	11,756	489	4.0
CLINTON				
March 2018	16,725	16,254	471	2.8
February 2018	16,696	16,132	564	3.4
March 2017 (Benchmark)	16,885	16,346	539	3.2
CRAWFORD				
March 2018	4,884	4,649	235	4.8
February 2018	4,849	4,581	268	5.5
March 2017 (Benchmark)	4,943	4,697	246	5.0
DAVIESS				
March 2018	15,952	15,544	408	2.6
February 2018	15,762	15,287	475	3.0
March 2017 (Benchmark)	15,947	15,493	454	2.8
DEARBORN (CINCINNATI MSA)				
March 2018	25,669	24,733	936	3.6
February 2018	25,466	24,414	1,052	4.1
March 2017 (Benchmark)	25,464	24,448	1,016	4.0

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DECATUR				
March 2018	14,618	14,178	440	3.0
February 2018	14,488	13,988	500	3.5
March 2017 (Benchmark)	14,652	14,184	468	3.2
DEKALB				
March 2018	22,302	21,737	565	2.5
February 2018	22,118	21,482	636	2.9
March 2017 (Benchmark)	22,137	21,449	688	3.1
DELAWARE (MUNCIE MSA)				
March 2018	55,689	53,581	2,108	3.8
February 2018	55,383	53,000	2,383	4.3
March 2017 (Benchmark)	55,603	53,179	2,424	4.4
DUBOIS				
March 2018	23,087	22,561	526	2.3
February 2018	22,843	22,238	605	2.6
March 2017 (Benchmark)	23,085	22,465	620	2.7
ELKHART (ELKHART-GOSHEN MSA)				
March 2018	116,275	113,719	2,556	2.2
February 2018	114,957	112,113	2,844	2.5
March 2017 (Benchmark)	110,307	107,390	2,917	2.6
FAYETTE				
March 2018	8,875	8,481	394	4.4
February 2018	8,842	8,403	439	5.0
March 2017 (Benchmark)	9,101	8,633	468	5.1
FLOYD (LOUISVILLE MSA)				
March 2018	41,392	40,127	1,265	3.1
February 2018	41,027	39,614	1,413	3.4
March 2017 (Benchmark)	40,765	39,373	1,392	3.4
FOUNTAIN				
March 2018	7,865	7,574	291	3.7
February 2018	7,781	7,459	322	4.1
March 2017 (Benchmark)	7,919	7,582	337	4.3
FRANKLIN				
March 2018	11,073	10,645	428	3.9
February 2018	10,946	10,439	507	4.6
March 2017 (Benchmark)	11,182	10,757	425	3.8
FULTON				
March 2018	9,555	9,228	327	3.4
February 2018	9,444	9,049	395	4.2
March 2017 (Benchmark)	9,693	9,335	358	3.7
GIBSON				
March 2018	19,288	18,801	487	2.5
February 2018	19,133	18,572	561	2.9
March 2017 (Benchmark)	19,050	18,483	567	3.0
GRANT				
March 2018	32,702	31,510	1,192	3.6
February 2018	32,254	30,928	1,326	4.1
March 2017 (Benchmark)	32,244	30,961	1,283	4.0
GREENE				
March 2018	13,455	12,855	600	4.5
February 2018	13,456	12,769	687	5.1
March 2017 (Benchmark)	13,653	12,953	700	5.1
HAMILTON (INDIANAPOLIS-CARMEL-ANDERSON MSA)				
March 2018	177,964	173,569	4,395	2.5
February 2018	175,971	171,182	4,789	2.7
March 2017 (Benchmark)	174,015	169,234	4,781	2.7
HANCOCK (INDIANAPOLIS-CARMEL-ANDERSON MSA)				
March 2018	39,325	38,208	1,117	2.8
February 2018	38,927	37,673	1,254	3.2
March 2017 (Benchmark)	38,480	37,292	1,188	3.1
HARRISON (LOUISVILLE MSA)				
March 2018	20,196	19,510	686	3.4
February 2018	20,017	19,266	751	3.8
March 2017 (Benchmark)	19,901	19,154	747	3.8
HENDRICKS (INDIANAPOLIS-CARMEL-ANDERSON MSA)				
March 2018	87,420	85,079	2,341	2.7
February 2018	86,453	83,886	2,567	3.0
March 2017 (Benchmark)	85,435	82,929	2,506	2.9

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HENRY				
March 2018	22,158	21,369	789	3.6
February 2018	21,920	21,043	877	4.0
March 2017 (Benchmark)	22,070	21,221	849	3.8
HOWARD (KOKOMO MSA)				
March 2018	39,178	37,905	1,273	3.2
February 2018	38,874	37,458	1,416	3.6
March 2017 (Benchmark)	37,478	36,016	1,462	3.9
HUNTINGTON				
March 2018	18,123	17,493	630	3.5
February 2018	18,057	17,329	728	4.0
March 2017 (Benchmark)	18,369	17,735	634	3.5
JACKSON				
March 2018	22,449	21,869	580	2.6
February 2018	22,236	21,565	671	3.0
March 2017 (Benchmark)	22,306	21,632	674	3.0
JASPER (GARY MSA)				
March 2018	16,335	15,641	694	4.2
February 2018	16,201	15,363	838	5.2
March 2017 (Benchmark)	16,354	15,589	765	4.7
JAY				
March 2018	9,595	9,267	328	3.4
February 2018	9,480	9,113	367	3.9
March 2017 (Benchmark)	9,885	9,524	361	3.7
JEFFERSON				
March 2018	14,968	14,484	484	3.2
February 2018	14,812	14,264	548	3.7
March 2017 (Benchmark)	15,138	14,558	580	3.8
JENNINGS				
March 2018	13,167	12,652	515	3.9
February 2018	13,027	12,418	609	4.7
March 2017 (Benchmark)	13,242	12,682	560	4.2
JOHNSON (INDIANAPOLIS-CARMEL-ANDERSON MSA)				
March 2018	81,636	79,413	2,223	2.7
February 2018	80,790	78,290	2,500	3.1
March 2017 (Benchmark)	79,952	77,468	2,484	3.1
KNOX				
March 2018	18,553	17,988	565	3.0
February 2018	18,355	17,678	677	3.7
March 2017 (Benchmark)	18,751	18,088	663	3.5
KOSCIUSKO				
March 2018	41,454	40,454	1,000	2.4
February 2018	41,096	39,955	1,141	2.8
March 2017 (Benchmark)	41,213	40,039	1,174	2.8
LAGRANGE				
March 2018	19,851	19,422	429	2.2
February 2018	19,605	19,111	494	2.5
March 2017 (Benchmark)	19,541	19,013	528	2.7
LAKE (GARY MSA)				
March 2018	229,858	218,180	11,678	5.1
February 2018	227,625	214,979	12,646	5.6
March 2017 (Benchmark)	228,742	216,576	12,166	5.3
LA PORTE (MICHIGAN CITY-LAPORTE MSA)				
March 2018	47,406	45,213	2,193	4.6
February 2018	47,350	44,885	2,465	5.2
March 2017 (Benchmark)	47,623	45,304	2,319	4.9
LAWRENCE				
March 2018	20,636	19,821	815	3.9
February 2018	20,581	19,623	958	4.7
March 2017 (Benchmark)	20,836	19,869	967	4.6
MADISON (INDIANAPOLIS-CARMEL-ANDERSON MSA)				
March 2018	59,762	57,471	2,291	3.8
February 2018	59,225	56,658	2,567	4.3
March 2017 (Benchmark)	58,629	56,091	2,538	4.3
MARION (INDIANAPOLIS-CARMEL-ANDERSON MSA)				
March 2018	488,988	472,945	16,043	3.3
February 2018	483,955	466,573	17,382	3.6
March 2017 (Benchmark)	478,678	460,936	17,742	3.7

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MARSHALL				
March 2018	22,982	22,270	712	3.1
February 2018	22,818	21,995	823	3.6
March 2017 (Benchmark)	23,626	22,878	748	3.2
MARTIN				
March 2018	5,076	4,944	132	2.6
February 2018	5,027	4,880	147	2.9
March 2017 (Benchmark)	5,083	4,914	169	3.3
MIAMI				
March 2018	15,778	15,195	583	3.7
February 2018	15,572	14,942	630	4.0
March 2017 (Benchmark)	15,933	15,295	638	4.0
MONROE (BLOOMINGTON MSA)				
March 2018	67,599	65,298	2,301	3.4
February 2018	68,082	65,456	2,626	3.9
March 2017 (Benchmark)	68,998	66,350	2,648	3.8
MONTGOMERY				
March 2018	19,101	18,560	541	2.8
February 2018	18,835	18,239	596	3.2
March 2017 (Benchmark)	19,023	18,436	587	3.1
MORGAN (INDIANAPOLIS-CARMEL-ANDERSON MSA)				
March 2018	36,663	35,437	1,226	3.3
February 2018	36,369	34,966	1,403	3.9
March 2017 (Benchmark)	35,929	34,592	1,337	3.7
NEWTON (GARY MSA)				
March 2018	6,962	6,626	336	4.8
February 2018	6,910	6,515	395	5.7
March 2017 (Benchmark)	7,000	6,610	390	5.6
NOBLE				
March 2018	22,954	22,329	625	2.7
February 2018	22,716	22,011	705	3.1
March 2017 (Benchmark)	22,970	22,218	752	3.3
OHIO (CINCINNATI MSA)				
March 2018	3,220	3,114	106	3.3
February 2018	3,197	3,077	120	3.8
March 2017 (Benchmark)	3,207	3,076	131	4.1
ORANGE				
March 2018	8,642	8,286	356	4.1
February 2018	8,775	8,365	410	4.7
March 2017 (Benchmark)	8,933	8,558	375	4.2
OWEN (BLOOMINGTON MSA)				
March 2018	9,199	8,787	412	4.5
February 2018	9,266	8,797	469	5.1
March 2017 (Benchmark)	9,383	8,939	444	4.7
PARKE				
March 2018	6,974	6,713	261	3.7
February 2018	6,902	6,586	316	4.6
March 2017 (Benchmark)	7,079	6,767	312	4.4
PERRY				
March 2018	9,201	8,860	341	3.7
February 2018	9,125	8,742	383	4.2
March 2017 (Benchmark)	9,189	8,853	336	3.7
PIKE				
March 2018	6,382	6,174	208	3.3
February 2018	6,345	6,105	240	3.8
March 2017 (Benchmark)	6,495	6,281	214	3.3
PORTER (GARY MSA)				
March 2018	85,414	82,088	3,326	3.9
February 2018	84,670	80,889	3,781	4.5
March 2017 (Benchmark)	85,224	81,497	3,727	4.4
POSEY (EVANSVILLE MSA)				
March 2018	13,578	13,217	361	2.7
February 2018	13,405	13,011	394	2.9
March 2017 (Benchmark)	13,287	12,875	412	3.1
PULASKI				
March 2018	6,271	6,070	201	3.2
February 2018	6,187	5,958	229	3.7
March 2017 (Benchmark)	6,230	5,996	234	3.8

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PUTNAM (INDIANAPOLIS-CARMEL-ANDERSON MSA)				
March 2018	16,827	16,251	576	3.4
February 2018	16,674	16,017	657	3.9
March 2017 (Benchmark)	16,530	15,881	649	3.9
RANDOLPH				
March 2018	11,508	11,044	464	4.0
February 2018	11,307	10,770	537	4.7
March 2017 (Benchmark)	11,861	11,327	534	4.5
RIPLEY				
March 2018	13,935	13,440	495	3.6
February 2018	13,790	13,199	591	4.3
March 2017 (Benchmark)	14,059	13,532	527	3.7
RUSH				
March 2018	8,915	8,671	244	2.7
February 2018	8,803	8,520	283	3.2
March 2017 (Benchmark)	8,911	8,622	289	3.2
SAINT JOSEPH (SOUTH BEND-MISHAWAKA MSA)				
March 2018	136,588	131,982	4,606	3.4
February 2018	136,238	131,111	5,127	3.8
March 2017 (Benchmark)	134,137	129,157	4,980	3.7
SCOTT (LOUISVILLE MSA)				
March 2018	10,577	10,173	404	3.8
February 2018	10,467	10,040	427	4.1
March 2017 (Benchmark)	10,388	9,982	406	3.9
SHELBY (INDIANAPOLIS-CARMEL-ANDERSON MSA)				
March 2018	23,315	22,612	703	3.0
February 2018	23,085	22,293	792	3.4
March 2017 (Benchmark)	22,867	22,077	790	3.5
SPENCER				
March 2018	10,417	10,075	342	3.3
February 2018	10,236	9,830	406	4.0
March 2017 (Benchmark)	10,436	10,054	382	3.7
STARKE				
March 2018	10,366	9,879	487	4.7
February 2018	10,222	9,673	549	5.4
March 2017 (Benchmark)	10,424	9,920	504	4.8
STEUBEN				
March 2018	19,606	19,118	488	2.5
February 2018	19,537	18,992	545	2.8
March 2017 (Benchmark)	19,846	19,200	646	3.3
SULLIVAN (TERRE HAUTE MSA)				
March 2018	8,587	8,190	397	4.6
February 2018	8,497	8,052	445	5.2
March 2017 (Benchmark)	8,539	8,139	400	4.7
SWITZERLAND				
March 2018	4,980	4,803	177	3.6
February 2018	4,949	4,747	202	4.1
March 2017 (Benchmark)	4,889	4,688	201	4.1
TIPPECANOE (LAFAYETTE-WEST LAFAYETTE MSA)				
March 2018	96,219	93,349	2,870	3.0
February 2018	96,646	93,405	3,241	3.4
March 2017 (Benchmark)	95,056	91,881	3,175	3.3
TIPTON				
March 2018	8,563	8,322	241	2.8
February 2018	8,464	8,174	290	3.4
March 2017 (Benchmark)	8,468	8,194	274	3.2
UNION (CINCINNATI MSA)				
March 2018	3,632	3,525	107	2.9
February 2018	3,595	3,471	124	3.4
March 2017 (Benchmark)	3,606	3,493	113	3.1
VANDERBURGH (EVANSVILLE MSA)				
March 2018	94,589	91,840	2,749	2.9
February 2018	93,626	90,493	3,133	3.3
March 2017 (Benchmark)	92,225	89,117	3,108	3.4
VERMILLION (TERRE HAUTE MSA)				
March 2018	7,204	6,803	401	5.6
February 2018	7,167	6,698	469	6.5
March 2017 (Benchmark)	7,168	6,759	409	5.7

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VIGO (TERRE HAUTE MSA)				
March 2018	48,979	46,977	2,002	4.1
February 2018	48,670	46,333	2,337	4.8
March 2017 (Benchmark)	48,678	46,535	2,143	4.4
WABASH				
March 2018	15,144	14,628	516	3.4
February 2018	14,913	14,361	552	3.7
March 2017 (Benchmark)	15,394	14,856	538	3.5
WARREN				
March 2018	4,064	3,933	131	3.2
February 2018	4,025	3,880	145	3.6
March 2017 (Benchmark)	4,083	3,935	148	3.6
WARRICK (EVANSVILLE MSA)				
March 2018	32,947	32,028	919	2.8
February 2018	32,637	31,580	1,057	3.2
March 2017 (Benchmark)	32,152	31,097	1,055	3.3
WASHINGTON (LOUISVILLE MSA)				
March 2018	13,713	13,239	474	3.5
February 2018	13,587	13,044	543	4.0
March 2017 (Benchmark)	13,602	13,065	537	3.9
WAYNE				
March 2018	30,555	29,471	1,084	3.5
February 2018	30,488	29,313	1,175	3.9
March 2017 (Benchmark)	30,836	29,594	1,242	4.0
WELLS (FORT WAYNE MSA)				
March 2018	14,315	13,911	404	2.8
February 2018	14,248	13,776	472	3.3
March 2017 (Benchmark)	14,094	13,670	424	3.0
WHITE				
March 2018	12,954	12,511	443	3.4
February 2018	12,779	12,282	497	3.9
March 2017 (Benchmark)	13,187	12,705	482	3.7
WHITLEY (FORT WAYNE MSA)				
March 2018	17,382	16,912	470	2.7
February 2018	17,286	16,759	527	3.0
March 2017 (Benchmark)	17,108	16,580	528	3.1

CITIES (Population over 25,000)

AREA	LABOR FORCE	EMPLOYED	UNEMPLOYED	RATE
ANDERSON CITY				
March 2018	23,707	22,736	971	4.1
February 2018	23,520	22,415	1,105	4.7
March 2017 (Benchmark)	23,342	22,190	1,152	4.9
BLOOMINGTON CITY				
March 2018	37,149	35,813	1,336	3.6
February 2018	37,442	35,900	1,542	4.1
March 2017 (Benchmark)	37,960	36,390	1,570	4.1
BROWNSBURG TOWN				
March 2018	14,905	14,530	375	2.5
February 2018	14,742	14,326	416	2.8
March 2017 (Benchmark)	14,550	14,163	387	2.7
CARMEL CITY				
March 2018	50,243	49,087	1,156	2.3
February 2018	49,689	48,411	1,278	2.6
March 2017 (Benchmark)	49,175	47,861	1,314	2.7
COLUMBUS CITY				
March 2018	26,000	25,374	626	2.4
February 2018	25,706	25,023	683	2.7
March 2017 (Benchmark)	25,509	24,828	681	2.7
CROWN POINT				
March 2018	15,078	14,389	689	4.6
February 2018	14,917	14,177	740	5.0
March 2017 (Benchmark)	14,952	14,283	669	4.5
EAST CHICAGO CITY				
March 2018	10,052	9,334	718	7.1
February 2018	9,963	9,197	766	7.7
March 2017 (Benchmark)	10,040	9,265	775	7.7
ELKHART CITY				
March 2018	27,190	26,488	702	2.6
February 2018	26,890	26,114	776	2.9
March 2017 (Benchmark)	25,802	25,014	788	3.1
EVANSVILLE CITY				
March 2018	59,969	58,105	1,864	3.1
February 2018	59,376	57,252	2,124	3.6
March 2017 (Benchmark)	58,507	56,382	2,125	3.6

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FISHERS CITY				
March 2018	51,165	49,931	1,234	2.4
February 2018	50,530	49,244	1,286	2.5
March 2017 (Benchmark)	49,994	48,684	1,310	2.6
FORT WAYNE CITY				
March 2018	127,044	123,089	3,955	3.1
February 2018	126,646	122,150	4,496	3.6
March 2017 (Benchmark)	125,114	120,497	4,617	3.7
GARY CITY				
March 2018	26,900	25,000	1,900	7.1
February 2018	26,584	24,633	1,951	7.3
March 2017 (Benchmark)	26,699	24,816	1,883	7.1
GOSHEN CITY				
March 2018	18,053	17,672	381	2.1
February 2018	17,835	17,423	412	2.3
March 2017 (Benchmark)	17,132	16,689	443	2.6
GREENWOOD CITY				
March 2018	30,118	29,279	839	2.8
February 2018	29,800	28,865	935	3.1
March 2017 (Benchmark)	29,486	28,562	924	3.1
HAMMOND CITY				
March 2018	34,726	32,813	1,913	5.5
February 2018	34,325	32,332	1,993	5.8
March 2017 (Benchmark)	34,508	32,572	1,936	5.6
HOBART CITY				
March 2018	14,860	14,064	796	5.4
February 2018	14,779	13,858	921	6.2
March 2017 (Benchmark)	14,790	13,961	829	5.6
INDIANAPOLIS CITY (CONS)				
March 2018	447,934	433,200	14,734	3.3
February 2018	443,274	427,363	15,911	3.6
March 2017 (Benchmark)	438,441	422,200	16,241	3.7
INDIANAPOLIS CITY (CORE)				
March 2018	443,113	428,526	14,587	3.3
February 2018	438,498	422,753	15,745	3.6
March 2017 (Benchmark)	433,717	417,645	16,072	3.7
JEFFERSONVILLE CITY				
March 2018	25,191	24,439	752	3.0
February 2018	24,990	24,134	856	3.4
March 2017 (Benchmark)	24,814	23,975	839	3.4
KOKOMO CITY				
March 2018	26,811	25,889	922	3.4
February 2018	26,607	25,583	1,024	3.8
March 2017 (Benchmark)	25,670	24,599	1,071	4.2
LAFAYETTE CITY				
March 2018	38,566	37,442	1,124	2.9
February 2018	38,685	37,464	1,221	3.2
March 2017 (Benchmark)	38,126	36,853	1,273	3.3
LAWRENCE TOWN				
March 2018	26,472	25,688	784	3.0
February 2018	26,221	25,342	879	3.4
March 2017 (Benchmark)	25,969	25,036	933	3.6
MARION CITY				
March 2018	12,911	12,382	529	4.1
February 2018	12,750	12,154	596	4.7
March 2017 (Benchmark)	12,748	12,167	581	4.6
MERRILLVILLE TOWN				
March 2018	16,943	16,084	859	5.1
February 2018	16,791	15,848	943	5.6
March 2017 (Benchmark)	16,887	15,966	921	5.5
MICHIGAN CITY CITY				
March 2018	12,532	11,949	583	4.7
February 2018	12,525	11,863	662	5.3
March 2017 (Benchmark)	12,637	11,973	664	5.3
MISHAWAKA CITY				
March 2018	26,148	25,294	854	3.3
February 2018	26,098	25,127	971	3.7
March 2017 (Benchmark)	25,659	24,752	907	3.5

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MUNCIE CITY				
March 2018	32,116	30,836	1,280	4.0
February 2018	31,949	30,502	1,447	4.5
March 2017 (Benchmark)	32,090	30,605	1,485	4.6
NEW ALBANY CITY				
March 2018	18,792	18,149	643	3.4
February 2018	18,606	17,917	689	3.7
March 2017 (Benchmark)	18,484	17,808	676	3.7
NOBLESVILLE CITY				
March 2018	34,280	33,431	849	2.5
February 2018	33,914	32,972	942	2.8
March 2017 (Benchmark)	33,567	32,596	971	2.9
PLAINFIELD TOWN				
March 2018	15,623	15,148	475	3.0
February 2018	15,459	14,936	523	3.4
March 2017 (Benchmark)	15,244	14,765	479	3.1
PORTAGE CITY				
March 2018	17,782	16,959	823	4.6
February 2018	17,620	16,712	908	5.2
March 2017 (Benchmark)	17,740	16,837	903	5.1
RICHMOND CITY				
March 2018	14,855	14,320	535	3.6
February 2018	14,812	14,243	569	3.8
March 2017 (Benchmark)	14,993	14,380	613	4.1
SCHERERVILLE TOWN				
March 2018	16,035	15,488	547	3.4
February 2018	15,877	15,261	616	3.9
March 2017 (Benchmark)	15,996	15,375	621	3.9
SOUTH BEND CITY				
March 2018	48,304	46,551	1,753	3.6
February 2018	48,157	46,244	1,913	4.0
March 2017 (Benchmark)	47,466	45,555	1,911	4.0
TERRE HAUTE CITY				
March 2018	25,506	24,434	1,072	4.2
February 2018	25,348	24,099	1,249	4.9
March 2017 (Benchmark)	25,398	24,204	1,194	4.7
VALPARAISO CITY				
March 2018	16,335	15,790	545	3.3
February 2018	16,178	15,559	619	3.8
March 2017 (Benchmark)	16,330	15,676	654	4.0
WEST LAFAYETTE CITY				
March 2018	21,435	20,867	568	2.6
February 2018	21,491	20,879	612	2.8
March 2017 (Benchmark)	21,140	20,539	601	2.8
WESTFIELD CITY				
March 2018	20,987	20,470	517	2.5
February 2018	20,736	20,189	547	2.6
March 2017 (Benchmark)	20,486	19,959	527	2.6
ZIONSVILLE TOWN				
March 2018	14,329	14,005	324	2.3
February 2018	14,170	13,813	357	2.5
March 2017 (Benchmark)	14,058	13,682	376	2.7

NOTES:
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4) STATEWIDE NOT SEASONALLY ADJUSTED REFLECTS REVISED POPULATION CONTROLS AND MODEL RE-ESTIMATION BACK TO JANUARY 2013.
5) JANUARY AND FEBRUARY LABOR FORCE SUB-STATE ESTIMATES ON THIS PUBLICATION WILL NOT MATCH WITH SUB-STATE ESTIMATES (OR ADD UP TO STATEWIDE) FROM BUREAU OF LABOR STATISTICS OR HOOSIER BY THE NUMBERS WEBSITES DUE TO ANNUAL PROCESSING AND ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE UNTIL APRIL 20, 2018 WHEN BOTH WEBSITES WILL BE UPDATED WITH THE NEW ESTIMATES.

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