

Unemployment Insurance Initial Claims

Data Dictionary

Data Label	Data Type	Data Description
Year	numeric	The year is represented by all four digits
Month	Text	Month is displayed numerically (1 = January...12 = December)
Region	Text	<p>Geographic areas:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Capital Region (Albany, Columbia, Greene, Rensselaer, Saratoga, Schenectady, Warren, and Washington Counties); • Central New York (Cayuga, Cortland, Madison, Onondaga and Oswego Counties); • Finger Lakes (Genesee, Livingston, Monroe, Ontario, Orleans, Seneca, Wayne, Wyoming and Yates Counties); • Hudson Valley (Dutchess, Orange, Putnam, Rockland, Sullivan, Ulster and Westchester Counties); • Long Island (Nassau and Suffolk Counties); • Mohawk Valley (Fulton, Herkimer, Montgomery, Oneida, Otsego and Schoharie Counties); • New York City (Bronx, Kings, New York, Queens and Richmond Counties); • North Country (Clinton, Essex, Franklin, Hamilton, Jefferson, Lewis and St. Lawrence Counties); • Southern Tier (Broome, Chemung, Chenango, Delaware, Schuyler, Steuben, Tioga and Tompkins Counties); and • Western New York (Allegany, Cattaraugus, Chautauqua, Erie and Niagara Counties).
Initial Claims	Numeric	Number of initial claims for regular unemployment insurance.