

MICHIGAN COUNTIES RANKED BY UNEMPLOYMENT RATE

NOT SEASONALLY ADJUSTED

FEBRUARY 2018

		Feb 18	Jan 18	Feb 17
1	Oakland County	3.6		
2	Washtenaw County	3.6		
3	Ottawa County	3.8		
4	Kent County	3.9		
5	Livingston County	3.9		
6	St. Joseph County	4.1		
7	Clinton County	4.2		
	National	4.4	4.5	4.9
8	Eaton County	4.4		
9	Kalamazoo County	4.4		
10	Macomb County	4.4		
11	Ingham County	4.6		
12	Ionia County	4.6		
13	Barry County	4.8		
14	Allegan County	4.8		
15	Branch County	4.9		
16	Hillsdale County	5.1		
	State of Michigan	5.2	5.3	5.7
17	Lenawee County	5.2		
18	Jackson County	5.3		
19	Monroe County	5.3		
20	Wayne County	5.5		
21	Cass County	5.5		
22	Isabella County	5.5		
23	Grand Traverse County	5.6		
24	Dickinson County	5.6		
25	Menominee County	5.6		
26	Calhoun County	5.6		
27	St. Clair County	5.7		
28	Midland County	5.8		
29	Berrien County	6.0		
30	Montcalm County	6.1		
31	Gogebic County	6.1		
32	Shiawassee County	6.1		
33	Muskegon County	6.1		
34	Newaygo County	6.2	6.0	6.1
35	Gratiot county	6.3		
36	Genesee County	6.5		
37	Saginaw County	6.5		
38	Lapeer County	6.7		
39	Osceola County	6.7	6.9	7.4
40	Wexford County	6.7		
41	Bay County	6.8		

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42	Houghton County	6.9		
43	Huron County	6.9		
44	Leelanau County	7.2		
45	Mecosta County	7.2	6.8	6.6
46	Marquette County	7.2		
47	Alpena County	7.3		
48	Otsego County	7.4		
49	Van Buren County	7.6		
50	Sanilac County	7.7		
51	Mason County	7.7	7.4	8.2
52	Tuscola County	7.9		
53	Charlevoix County	8.1		
54	Missaukee County	8.1		
55	Delta County	8.2		
56	Luce County	8.3		
57	Gladwin County	8.4		
58	Keweenaw County	8.5		
59	Baraga County	8.7		
60	Iron County	8.7		
61	Crawford County	8.8		
62	Antrim County	8.9		
63	Clare County	8.9		
64	Benzie County	9.0		
65	Manistee County	9.0		
66	Oscoda County	9.3		
67	Alcona County	9.5		
68	Kalkaska County	9.7		
69	Iosco County	10.0		
70	Ontonagon County	10.0		
71	Emmet County	10.1		
72	Lake County	10.1	9.4	9.8
73	Oceana County	10.3	9.6	10.8
74	Chippewa County	10.5		
75	Ogemaw County	11.0		
76	Schoolcraft County	11.3		
77	Alger County	11.5		
78	Arenac County	11.7		
79	Roscommon County	12.0		
80	Montmorency County	14.1		
81	Presque Isle County	14.7		
82	Cheboygan County	20.9		
83	Mackinac County	24.2		

February 2018	Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	%
Lake County	3,780	3,400	380	10.1
Mason County	13,747	12,689	1,058	7.7
Mecosta County	19,165	17,785	1,380	7.2
Newaygo County	23,773	22,297	1,476	6.2
Oceana County	12,295	11,023	1,272	10.3
Osceola County	10,757	10,040	717	6.7
West Central	83,517	77,234	6,283	7.5
State of Michigan	4,889,000	4,634,000	254,000	5.2
National	161,494,000	154,403,000	7,091,000	4.4

Data Source: Bureau of Labor Market Information & Strategic Initiatives, State of Michigan

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