

MICHIGAN COUNTIES RANKED BY UNEMPLOYMENT RATE
NOT SEASONALLY ADJUSTED - FEBRUARY 2019

	Feb 19	Jan 19	Feb 18
1	Ottawa County	2.7	
2	Washtenaw County	2.7	
3	Kent County	2.8	
4	Clinton County	3.1	
5	Kalamazoo County	3.1	
6	Oakland County	3.1	
7	Eaton County	3.3	
8	Allegan County	3.4	
9	Ingham County	3.4	
10	Livingston County	3.4	
11	Barry County	3.5	
12	Ionia County	3.5	
13	Branch County	3.8	
14	St. Joseph County	3.8	
15	Jackson County	3.9	
16	Hillsdale County	4.0	
17	Isabella County	4.0	
18	Lenawee County	4.0	
19	Macomb County	4.0	
20	Midland County	4.0	
	Natioal	4.1	4.4
	State of Michigan	4.1	4.6
21	Calhoun County	4.1	
22	Menominee County	4.1	
23	Dickinson County	4.2	
24	Grand Traverse County	4.2	
25	Monroe County	4.2	
26	Muskegon County	4.2	
27	Cass County	4.3	
28	Berrien County	4.4	
29	Montcalm County	4.5	
30	Shiawassee County	4.6	
31	Osceola County	4.7	5.2
32	Wayne County	4.7	
33	Gratiot County	4.8	
34	Newaygo County	4.8	5.2
35	Genesee County	4.9	
36	Houghton County	5.0	
37	Wexford County	5.0	
38	Leelanau County	5.1	
39	Saginaw County	5.1	
40	Van Buren County	5.1	
41	Bay County	5.2	

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42	Huron County	5.2	
43	Mecosta County	5.2	5.6
44	Otsego County	5.2	
45	St. Clair County	5.2	
46	Gogebic County	5.5	
47	Marquette County	5.5	
48	Sanilac County	5.5	
49	Alpena County	5.6	
50	Charlevoix County	5.7	
51	Missaukee County	5.7	
52	Tuscola County	5.8	
53	Lapeer County	5.9	
54	Delta County	6.1	
55	Mason County	6.1	6.5
56	Crawford County	6.3	
57	Iron County	6.3	
58	Baraga County	6.4	
59	Gladwin County	6.4	
60	Antrim County	6.5	
61	Keweenaw County	6.5	
62	Luce County	6.7	
63	Benzie County	6.8	
64	Manistee County	6.8	
65	Ontonagon County	7.0	
66	Clare County	7.2	
67	Lake County	7.2	8.1
68	Kalkaska County	7.3	
69	Emmet County	7.4	
70	Iosco County	7.4	
71	Chippewa County	7.5	
72	Oscoda County	7.5	
73	Alcona County	7.8	
74	Oceana County	7.8	8.5
75	Ogemaw County	8.5	
76	Schoolcraft County	8.5	
77	Arenac County	8.7	
78	Alger County	9.0	
79	Roscommon County	9.1	
80	Montmorency County	9.7	
81	Presque Isle County	10.9	
82	Cheboygan County	16.3	
83	Mackinac County	20.0	

February 2019	Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	%
Lake County	3,660	3,397	263	7.2
Mason County	13,358	12,543	815	6.1
Mecosta County	19,004	18,019	985	5.2
Newaygo County	23,821	22,687	1,134	4.8
Oceana County	12,368	11,400	968	7.8
Osceola County	11,114	10,597	517	4.7
West Central	83,325	78,643	4,682	5.6
State of Michigan	4,939,000	4,736,000	203,000	4.1
USA	162,793,000	156,167,000	6,625,000	4.1

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

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