

MICHIGAN COUNTIES RANKED BY UNEMPLOYMENT RATE
NOT SEASONALLY ADJUSTED - APRIL 2018

		Apr 18	Mar 18	Apr 17
1	Ottawa County	2.7		
2	Washtenaw County	2.8		
3	Livingston County	2.9		
4	Oakland County	2.9		
5	Kent County	3.0		
6	Clinton County	3.2		
7	St. Joseph County	3.3		
8	Kalamazoo County	3.4		
9	Allegan County	3.4		
10	Ionia County	3.4		
11	Eaton County	3.5		
12	Macomb County	3.5		
13	Barry County	3.6		
14	Ingham County	3.6		
15	Branch County	3.6		
	National	3.7	4.1	4.1
16	Lenawee County	3.7		
17	Monroe County	3.7		
18	Cass County	3.9		
19	Hillsdale County	4.0		
20	Isabella County	4.0		
21	Jackson County	4.0		
22	Grand Traverse County	4.1		
23	St. Clair County	4.2		
24	Wayne County	4.3		
	State of Michigan	4.4	4.6	3.7
25	Montcalm County	4.4		
26	Newaygo County	4.4	5.4	3.8
27	Calhoun County	4.4		
28	Midland County	4.4		
29	Berrien County	4.4		
30	Dickinson County	4.5		
31	Shiawassee County	4.5		
32	Lapeer County	4.7		
33	Menominee County	4.7		
34	Muskegon County	4.7		
35	Mecosta County	4.8	6.1	3.9
36	Osceola County	4.9	5.7	4.4
37	Van Buren County	5.0		
38	Genesee County	5.0		
39	Saginaw County	5.0		
40	Leelanau County	5.1		
41	Mason County	5.1	6.5	4.3

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42	Wexford County	5.2		
43	Bay County	5.2		
44	Gratiot County	5.3		
45	Huron County	5.4		
46	Alpena County	5.6		
47	Marquette County	5.7		
48	Missaukee County	5.8		
49	Houghton County	5.9		
50	Sanilac County	5.9		
51	Charlevoix County	6.0		
52	Tuscola County	6.1		
53	Gladwin County	6.2		
54	Otsego County	6.2		
55	Delta County	6.2		
56	Benzie County	6.3		
57	Clare County	6.5		
58	Gogebic County	6.6		
59	Manistee County	6.7		
60	Oscoda County	6.9		
61	Antrim County	7.0		
62	Oceana County	7.0	9.0	6.1
63	Crawford County	7.1		
64	Iron County	7.1		
65	Iosco County	7.2		
66	Alcona County	7.3		
67	Kalkaska County	7.4		
68	Lake County	7.5	9.2	5.9
69	Luce County	7.7		
70	Chippewa County	7.8		
71	Ogemaw County	7.9		
72	Emmet County	8.4		
73	Arenac County	8.8		
74	Keweenaw County	8.8		
75	Schoolcraft County	8.8		
76	Baraga County	8.9		
77	Presque Isle County	9.0		
78	Roscommon County	9.1		
79	Alger County	10.5		
80	Ontonagon County	10.6		
81	Montmorency County	11.0		
82	Cheboygan County	13.0		
83	Mackinac County	15.2		

April 2018	Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	%
Lake County	3,756	3,473	283	7.5
Mason County	13,856	13,148	708	5.1
Mecosta County	19,050	18,141	909	4.8
Newaygo County	23,596	22,565	1,031	4.4
Oceana County	12,236	11,381	855	7.0
Osceola County	10,703	10,177	526	4.9
West Central	83,197	78,885	4,312	5.2
State of Michigan	4,878,000	4,685,000	194,000	4.0
National	161,280,000	155,348,000	5,932,000	3.7

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

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