

Data and Confidence Limits for Percent Unemployed, by County, 2008

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County	Percent Unemployed	Numerator	Denominator
Bernalillo	4.1%	1,299,212,335	318,574
Catron	4.9%	79	1,599
Chaves	4.0%	1,105	27,708
Cibola	4.4%	541	12,349
Colfax	4.1%	280	6,825
Curry	3.0%	641	21,361
De Baca	3.6%	32	884
Dona Ana	3.5%	3,995	89,929
Eddy	2.8%	782	27,845
Grant	4.6%	582	12,675
Guadalupe	5.7%	101	1,757
Harding	2.5%	11	441
Hidalgo	3.9%	110	2,793
Lea	2.6%	778	29,825
Lincoln	3.3%	372	11,325
Los Alamos	2.8%	287	10,110
Luna	11.3%	1,453	12,889
McKinley	5.2%	1,400	27,131
Mora	8.2%	168	2,046
Otero	4.1%	1,080	26,317
Quay	4.5%	187	4,120
Rio Arriba	5.1%	1,075	20,961
Roosevelt	2.9%	280	9,703
Sandoval	4.9%	2,731	55,189
San Juan	3.7%	2,139	57,973
San Miguel	4.6%	628/	13,514
Santa Fe	3.5%	2,776	79,406
Sierra	3.7%	225	6,017
Socorro	3.3%	320	9,660
Taos	5.2%	919	17,575
Torrance	5.1%	369	7,225
Union	2.5%	54	2,180
Valencia	4.8%	1,500	31,555
NM	4.2%	39,992	959,458
US	5.8%	8,924,000	154,287,000

Record Count: 35

Data Notes

Data are not seasonally adjusted.

Data Sources

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Definition

The percentage of the civilian labor force that was not employed and seeking employment. See Data Interpretation Issues for more information about the definition of employed versus unemployed persons.

How We Calculated the Rates

Numerator: The number of unemployed persons in the civilian labor force.

Denominator: The total of persons in the civilian labor force, the sum of employed and unemployed persons.

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