

Initial Claims by County (all programs) - The number of claims submitted for all UI programs. Initial claims totals are not representative of the number of individuals filing as a claimant can have multiple initial claims.

County	January 2020	February 2020	March 2020	April 2020	May 2020	June 2020	July 2020	August 2020	September 2020	October 2020	November 2020	December 2020
ALAMEDA	6,430	5,130	70,977	99,984	46,518	46,704	48,979					
ALPINE	12	0	41	58	22	27	23					
AMADOR	224	158	1,324	1,809	1,198	1,028	912					
BUTTE	1,739	1,126	8,312	10,118	5,387	6,087	6,930					
CALAVERAS	319	246	1,660	2,152	1,175	1,149	1,216					
COLUSA	921	335	783	820	944	905	863					
CONTRA COSTA	4,759	3,609	49,349	66,518	30,538	32,041	34,319					
DEL NORTE	207	144	606	934	629	646	727					
EL DORADO	1,003	642	7,907	9,610	4,882	4,587	5,160					
FRESNO	13,016	7,884	33,709	45,284	34,599	37,141	41,369					
GLENN	375	212	821	1,118	697	814	896					
HUMBOLDT	1,008	628	5,865	6,211	3,255	3,687	3,900					
IMPERIAL	2,984	1,860	6,491	12,993	13,179	12,348	12,742					
INYO	96	67	734	810	421	403	434					
KERN	11,751	7,290	27,457	40,746	30,164	35,740	38,208					
KINGS	2,151	1,190	3,982	5,588	4,674	5,183	5,313					
LAKE	572	346	2,445	3,084	1,717	1,972	2,332					
LASSEN	232	94	451	631	379	464	436					
LOS ANGELES	52,544	43,272	460,370	685,742	327,195	356,494	392,891					
MADERA	1,519	1,041	4,659	5,786	4,253	4,557	5,283					
MARIN	699	614	8,882	13,822	5,312	5,362	5,467					
MARIPOSA	180	79	836	747	414	438	588					
MENDOCINO	666	400	3,296	3,994	2,032	2,272	2,427					
MERCED	4,726	2,476	8,981	11,773	9,565	9,798	11,513					
MODOC	70	39	162	180	121	128	118					
MONO	85	49	1,254	1,225	575	508	570					
MONTEREY	6,279	2,298	17,518	21,296	13,522	12,806	12,952					
NAPA	680	481	7,996	7,768	3,677	3,916	4,419					
NEVADA	524	343	4,596	5,387	2,339	2,688	2,896					
ORANGE	10,299	7,961	131,272	224,970	99,225	103,258	107,358					
PLACER	1,664	1,111	15,786	20,091	9,202	9,413	10,554					
PLUMAS	300	128	523	691	472	449	376					
RIVERSIDE	13,396	10,400	102,692	149,099	77,778	87,227	96,983					
SACRAMENTO	8,852	6,233	64,394	85,294	44,870	47,879	55,868					
SAN BENITO	698	461	3,603	3,915	2,215	2,164	2,178					
SAN BERNARDINO	12,970	9,580	77,093	117,206	66,513	74,922	85,080					
SAN DIEGO	13,326	10,347	153,297	204,188	99,279	106,292	113,853					
SAN FRANCISCO	3,781	3,303	44,306	57,537	24,243	24,256	25,534					
SAN JOAQUIN	7,004	4,504	31,190	43,266	25,525	27,922	30,762					
SAN LUIS OBISPO	1,080	736	12,862	14,946	6,753	7,251	7,497					
SAN MATEO	1,987	1,751	29,665	41,672	17,866	17,788	17,667					
SANTA BARBARA	2,522	1,469	17,246	22,262	10,892	11,498	12,264					
SANTA CLARA	6,069	4,909	75,135	100,566	47,377	46,917	47,486					
SANTA CRUZ	3,286	1,348	13,556	15,599	8,840	8,122	7,923					
SHASTA	1,959	1,111	7,489	8,612	4,802	5,405	5,821					
SIERRA	33	19	72	99	58	53	54					
SISKIYOU	593	261	1,298	1,582	1,054	1,197	1,194					
SOLANO	2,836	2,013	19,282	24,325	12,884	14,044	16,371					
SONOMA	2,391	1,600	24,519	29,621	12,135	13,017	14,459					
STANISLAUS	5,729	3,909	22,017	29,776	18,466	20,053	22,799					
SUTTER	1,388	1,003	3,567	5,107	3,466	3,611	3,672					
TEHAMA	578	361	1,584	2,130	1,232	1,485	1,668					
TRINITY	148	69	232	375	221	227	301					
TULARE	7,569	4,032	12,907	18,292	18,198	20,062	22,027					
TUOLUMNE	411	260	2,143	3,016	1,320	1,447	1,736					
VENTURA	4,550	3,315	35,851	48,656	24,692	26,172	28,946					
YOLO	1,554	899	6,472	8,297	5,216	5,420	5,922					
YUBA	847	523	2,621	3,565	2,230	2,477	2,731					
Total All Counties	233,591	165,669	1,654,138	2,350,943	1,196,407	1,279,921	1,392,967					

* Initial Claims by County - The data provided is the number of Unemployment Insurance (UI) initial claim counts, which includes new claims, additional claims, and transitional claims.

* A "new claim" is the first claim for a benefit year period (e.g., for the regular UI program it is 52 weeks). An individual would only have one new claim during a benefit year period.

* An "additional claim" is when another claim is filed during the same benefit year and there is intervening work between the current claim and the previous claim. For example, an individual files a new claim, goes back to work, gets laid off and files another claim before the benefit year period of the first claim expires. An individual can have multiple additional claims during the same benefit year if the individual meets the eligibility requirements.

* A "transitional claim" is when a claimant is still collecting benefits at the end of their benefit year period and had sufficient wage earnings during that year to start up a new claim once the first benefit year period ends.

* The data by county represents the mailing address given by the claimant at the time of filing for UI. It is possible that an individual can reside in a different county than their mailing address. Also, this information does not represent the county where the individual worked. It is also possible that a claimant could have moved or changed their mailing address after filing for UI which would not be reflected here. Data for claimants residing outside of California but collecting benefits are not included in these figures nor are invalid addresses in California where a county cannot be determined.

* Initial claims does not represent total individuals as an individual can have multiple claims. For example, someone may begin collecting UI benefits, then go off UI to return to work, then get laid off and go back on UI. In this example, the individual would have two claim counts.

* Data includes the regular UI program and the federal extended benefit programs. The Federal extended benefit programs are:

* Emergency Unemployment Compensation (EUC) Tier 1 - California began paying benefits in July 2008.

* Emergency Unemployment Compensation (EUC) Tier 2 - California began paying benefits in January 2009, payments retroactive to November 2008.

* Emergency Unemployment Compensation (EUC) Tier 3 - California began paying benefits in December 2009, payments retroactive to November 2009.

* Emergency Unemployment Compensation (EUC) Tier 4 - California began paying benefits in January 2010, payments retroactive to December 2009.

* FED-ED - California began paying benefits May 2009, payments retroactive to February 2009.