Unemployment Insurance Claims:  
U.S. and Regions Footprint

State Level Data Through Week Ending August 1, 2020  
U.S. Data Through Week Ending August 8, 2020

Notes On Initial and Continuing Claims: Regions Footprint

Initial Claims:
During the week ending August 1, a total of 373,227 people within the Regions footprint applied for Unemployment Insurance benefits, down from 469,213 people in the week ending July 25;
Since the week ending March 21, a total of 19,878,296 people within the Regions footprint have filed claims for Unemployment Insurance;
No in-footprint state saw higher initial claims in the week ending August 1, the first week since the onset of the pandemic in which this has been the case;
Last week saw the fewest number of initial claims since the week ending March 14, but claims remain significantly elevated.

Continuing Claims:
As of the week ending July 25, a total of 5,094,922 people within the Regions footprint were receiving regular Unemployment Insurance benefits, down from 5,365,430 in the week ending July 18;
Louisiana and Mississippi saw increases in continuing claims in the week ending July 25;
More than 2.3 million people across the Regions footprint are drawing Unemployment Insurance benefits through the various pandemic relief programs; these numbers are not included in the regular claims data cited above.

Source: U.S. Department of Labor; Regions Economics Division

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Initial Claims For Unemployment Insurance: Arkansas
weekly data, not seasonally adjusted

Continuing Claims For Unemployment Insurance: Arkansas
weekly data, not seasonally adjusted

Source: U.S. Department of Labor; Regions Economics Division
Initial Claims For Unemployment Insurance: Georgia
weekly data, not seasonally adjusted

Continuing Claims For Unemployment Insurance: Georgia
weekly data, not seasonally adjusted

Source: U.S. Department of Labor; Regions Economics Division
Initial Claims For Unemployment Insurance: Iowa
weekly data, not seasonally adjusted

Source: U.S. Department of Labor; Regions Economics Division

Continuing Claims For Unemployment Insurance: Iowa
weekly data, not seasonally adjusted

Source: U.S. Department of Labor; Regions Economics Division
Initial Claims For Unemployment Insurance: North Carolina
weekly data, not seasonally adjusted

Continuing Claims For Unemployment Insurance: North Carolina
weekly data, not seasonally adjusted

Source: U.S. Department of Labor; Regions Economics Division
Initial Claims For Unemployment Insurance: South Carolina
weekly data, not seasonally adjusted

Continuing Claims For Unemployment Insurance: South Carolina
weekly data, not seasonally adjusted

Source: U.S. Department of Labor; Regions Economics Division
Initial Claims For Unemployment Insurance: Tennessee
weekly data, not seasonally adjusted

Source: U.S. Department of Labor; Regions Economics Division

Continuing Claims For Unemployment Insurance: Tennessee
weekly data, not seasonally adjusted

Source: U.S. Department of Labor; Regions Economics Division
Initial Claims For Unemployment Insurance: Texas
weekly data, not seasonally adjusted

Source: U.S. Department of Labor; Regions Economics Division

Continuing Claims For Unemployment Insurance: Texas
weekly data, not seasonally adjusted

Source: U.S. Department of Labor; Regions Economics Division