

County Unemployment Rates

January 2023

(Lowest to Highest)

Rank	County	Unemployment Rate	Rank	County	Unemployment Rate
1	Adams County	2.8%	35	Bedford County	4.6%
2	Lancaster County	3.0%	35	Erie County	4.6%
3	Centre County	3.1%	35	Northumberland County	4.6%
3	Chester County	3.1%	35	Snyder County	4.6%
3	Lebanon County	3.1%	39	Armstrong County	4.7%
6	Franklin County	3.2%	39	Clearfield County	4.7%
7	Cumberland County	3.3%	39	Crawford County	4.7%
7	Montour County	3.3%	39	Wayne County	4.7%
7	York County	3.3%	43	Cambria County	4.8%
10	Montgomery County	3.4%	43	Greene County	4.8%
10	Perry County	3.4%	43	Indiana County	4.8%
12	Fulton County	3.5%	43	Jefferson County	4.8%
13	Bucks County	3.6%	43	Mercer County	4.8%
13	Union County	3.6%	48	Clarion County	4.9%
15	Butler County	3.7%	48	Philadelphia County	4.9%
16	Blair County	3.8%	48	Somerset County	4.9%
16	Dauphin County	3.8%	48	Tioga County	4.9%
16	Delaware County	3.8%	52	Carbon County	5.0%
19	Berks County	3.9%	52	Schuykill County	5.0%
20	Bradford County	4.0%	54	Luzerne County	5.1%
21	Allegheny County	4.1%	54	Warren County	5.1%
21	Susquehanna County	4.1%	56	Lawrence County	5.2%
23	Northampton County	4.2%	56	Venango County	5.2%
23	Westmoreland County	4.2%	58	Clinton County	5.3%
25	Elk County	4.3%	59	Beaver County	5.4%
25	Lehigh County	4.3%	59	Monroe County	5.4%
25	Lycoming County	4.3%	61	Fayette County	5.6%
25	Washington County	4.3%	61	Huntingdon County	5.6%
29	Columbia County	4.4%	61	McKean County	5.6%
29	Juniata County	4.4%	64	Pike County	5.9%
29	Mifflin County	4.4%	65	Potter County	6.1%
29	Sullivan County	4.4%	66	Cameron County	6.2%
33	Lackawanna County	4.5%	67	Forest County	6.4%
33	Wyoming County	4.5%			
For Comparison Purposes					
	Pennsylvania	4.3%		United States	3.4%

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Workforce Development Area Unemployment Rates

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Rank	Workforce Development Area	Unemployment Rate
1	Lancaster County WDA	3.0%
2	Chester County WDA	3.1%
3	Montgomery County WDA	3.4%
4	South Central WDA	3.5%
5	Bucks County WDA	3.6%
6	Delaware County WDA	3.8%
7	Berks County WDA	3.9%
8	Central WDA	4.1%
8	Three Rivers WDA	4.1%
8	Tri-County WDA	4.1%
11	Lehigh Valley WDA	4.2%
12	Northern Tier WDA	4.3%
13	Lackawanna County WDA	4.5%
14	Southern Alleghenies WDA	4.6%
15	Northwest WDA	4.8%
15	Southwest Corner WDA	4.8%
17	North Central WDA	4.9%
17	Philadelphia County WDA	4.9%
19	West Central WDA	5.0%
20	Luzerne-Schuylkill Counties WDA	5.1%
21	Westmoreland and Fayette Counties WDA	5.3%
22	Pocono Counties WDA	5.4%
For Comparison Purposes		
	Pennsylvania	4.3%
	United States	3.4%

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