

State of Hawaii, Unemployment Claims Comparison 2007 and 2008

	2008			2007		% Change	
	Initial Claims	Weeks Claimed		Initial Claims	Weeks Claimed	Initial Claims	Weeks Claimed
5-Jan-08	1,297	6,734	6-Jan-07	1,347	6,931	-3.7%	-2.8%
12-Jan-08	1,938	8,688	13-Jan-07	1,518	7,530	27.7%	15.4%
19-Jan-08	1,436	8,267	20-Jan-07	1,105	6,761	30.0%	22.3%
26-Jan-08	1,286	7,818	27-Jan-07	1,270	6,809	1.3%	14.8%
2-Feb-08	1,388	7,842	3-Feb-07	1,133	6,372	22.5%	23.1%
9-Feb-08	1,624	8,561	10-Feb-07	1,186	7,134	36.9%	20.0%
16-Feb-08	1,482	8,503	17-Feb-07	998	6,104	48.5%	39.3%
23-Feb-08	1,158	8,056	24-Feb-07	908	6,889	27.5%	16.9%
1-Mar-08	1,363	8,232	3-Mar-07	1,135	6,109	20.1%	34.8%
8-Mar-08	1,395	8,475	10-Mar-07	1,024	6,795	36.2%	24.7%
15-Mar-08	1,237	8,438	17-Mar-07	1,066	6,165	16.0%	36.9%
22-Mar-08	1,057	8,326	24-Mar-07	1,243	6,953	-15.0%	19.7%
29-Mar-08	1,382	8,524	31-Mar-07	1,033	6,517	33.8%	30.8%
5-Apr-08	2,669	8,944	7-Apr-07	1,147	6,821	132.7%	31.1%
12-Apr-08	1,799	9,245	14-Apr-07	1,067	6,545	68.6%	41.3%
19-Apr-08	1,567	10,354	21-Apr-07	994	6,936	57.6%	49.3%
26-Apr-08	1,504	9,145	28-Apr-07	1,054	6,159	42.7%	48.5%
3-May-08	1,726	11,118	5-May-07	1,058	6,813	63.1%	63.2%
10-May-08	1,470	9,726	12-May-07	1,085	6,197	35.5%	56.9%
17-May-08	1,443	11,102	19-May-07	1,122	6,914	28.6%	60.6%
24-May-08	1,479	9,993	26-May-07	1,014	6,388	45.9%	56.4%
31-May-08	1,453	11,300	2-Jun-07	883	6,838	64.6%	65.3%
7-Jun-08	1,947	10,547	9-Jun-07	1,143	6,480	70.3%	62.8%
14-Jun-08	1,398	11,546	16-Jun-07	1,088	6,852	28.5%	68.5%
21-Jun-08	1,859	11,285	23-Jun-07	1,173	6,881	58.5%	64.0%
28-Jun-08	1,565	11,960	30-Jun-07	1,024	6,900	52.8%	73.3%
5-Jul-08	1,328	10,751	7-Jul-07	1,228	6,596	8.1%	63.0%
12-Jul-08	1,699	12,244	14-Jul-07	1,264	7,512	34.4%	63.0%
19-Jul-08	1,848	11,839	21-Jul-07	1,062	7,325	74.0%	61.6%
26-Jul-08	1,620	12,623	28-Jul-07	1,062	7,389	52.5%	70.8%
2-Aug-08	1,781	12,222	4-Aug-07	1,130	7,627	57.6%	60.2%
9-Aug-08	1,659	12,546	11-Aug-07	1,086	7,156	52.8%	75.3%
16-Aug-08	1,438	11,779	18-Aug-07	887	7,131	62.1%	65.2%
23-Aug-08	1,749	12,767	25-Aug-07	1,154	7,583	51.6%	68.4%
30-Aug-08	1,824	12,360	1-Sep-07	1,043	7,257	74.9%	70.3%
6-Sep-08	1,910	12,492	8-Sep-07	1,021	6,809	87.1%	83.5%
13-Sep-08	2,146	12,909	15-Sep-07	1,192	7,355	80.0%	75.5%
20-Sep-08	1,955	13,386	22-Sep-07	910	7,040	114.8%	90.1%
27-Sep-08	2,027	13,215	29-Sep-07	975	7,135	107.9%	85.2%
4-Oct-08	2,113	14,212	6-Oct-07	1,224	6,997	72.6%	103.1%
11-Oct-08	2,123	13,745	13-Oct-07	1,285	7,374	65.2%	86.4%
18-Oct-08	2,074	14,311	20-Oct-07	1,252	7,105	65.7%	101.4%
25-Oct-08	2,155	14,403	27-Oct-07	1,080	7,377	99.5%	95.2%
1-Nov-08	2,160	14,243	3-Nov-07	1,077	7,115	100.6%	100.2%
8-Nov-08	2,217	14,598	10-Nov-07	1,167	7,474	90.0%	95.3%
15-Nov-08	2,087	14,851	17-Nov-07	1,022	7,349	104.2%	102.1%
22-Nov-08	2,396	15,585	24-Nov-07	943	7,052	154.1%	121.0%
29-Nov-08	2,078	15,245	1-Dec-07	1,404	7,997	48.0%	90.6%
6-Dec-08	2,828	17,168	8-Dec-07	1,674	7,814	68.9%	119.7%
13-Dec-08	2,561	16,591	15-Dec-07	1,889	8,956	35.6%	85.3%
20-Dec-08	2,644	17,884	22-Dec-07	1,193	8,007	121.6%	123.4%
27-Dec-08	2,148	16,556	29-Dec-07	992	7,364	116.5%	124.8%

Source: Hi State Dept. of Labor and Industrial Relations; calculations by the Hi State Dept. of Business, Economic Development & Tourism.