

**Table 11.20-- UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE: 1992 TO 2024**

[Covering private industry, Federal, State and County governments and nonprofit organizations]

| Year | Covered employment | Insured unemployment |                     | Average weekly wages (dollars) | Benefit payments (\$1,000) | Average weekly benefits (dollars) | Average benefit duration (weeks) |
|------|--------------------|----------------------|---------------------|--------------------------------|----------------------------|-----------------------------------|----------------------------------|
|      |                    | Weekly average       | Percent coverage 1/ |                                |                            |                                   |                                  |
| 1992 | 544,718            | 11,933               | 50.4                | 492.94                         | 144,741                    | 235.48                            | 14.8                             |
| 1993 | 542,333            | 13,227               | 52.0                | 503.02                         | 165,877                    | 246.31                            | 17.6                             |
| 1994 | 540,015            | 15,228               | 50.8                | 514.13                         | 193,878                    | 258.72                            | 17.4                             |
| 1995 | 535,640            | 15,819               | 49.2                | 518.88                         | 208,316                    | 262.21                            | 16.0                             |
| 1996 | 533,123            | 15,351               | 43.9                | 526.04                         | 200,050                    | 261.07                            | 17.8                             |
| 1997 | 534,210            | 13,819               | 38.8                | 545.20                         | 176,659                    | 259.30                            | 17.1                             |
| 1998 | 533,147            | 12,978               | 37.3                | 558.83                         | 162,013                    | 258.08                            | 16.4                             |
| 1999 | 536,979            | 11,042               | 35.4                | 573.11                         | 140,528                    | 265.78                            | 16.5                             |
| 2000 | 552,445            | 8,755                | 34.1                | 587.99                         | 111,665                    | 273.16                            | 15.4                             |
| 2001 | 556,447            | 11,884               | 45.4                | 601.21                         | 150,142                    | 282.46                            | 12.8                             |
| 2002 | 557,876            | 12,304               | 49.8                | 628.56                         | 164,500                    | 279.64                            | 19.2                             |
| 2003 | 568,549            | 10,669               | 44.6                | 649.31                         | 144,864                    | 297.67                            | 15.7                             |
| 2004 | 584,227            | 8,513                | 41.1                | 677.21                         | 121,244                    | 311.69                            | 15.6                             |
| 2005 | 602,837            | 6,569                | 36.1                | 699.36                         | 97,794                     | 328.44                            | 14.2                             |
| 2006 | 616,950            | 6,609                | 39.9                | 727.10                         | 107,255                    | 356.79                            | 13.3                             |
| 2007 | 624,931            | 7,032                | 38.7                | 759.24                         | 121,595                    | 373.53                            | 13.6                             |
| 2008 | 618,612            | 11,817               | 43.7                | 782.72                         | 226,187                    | 405.92                            | 13.9                             |
| 2009 | 591,054            | 20,484               | 47.8                | 795.90                         | 401,227                    | 411.08                            | 18.9                             |
| 2010 | 585,298            | 17,837               | 40.2                | 803.18                         | 341,545                    | 406.43                            | 19.7                             |
| 2011 | 592,537            | 14,721               | 32.9                | 817.49                         | 278,391                    | 405.08                            | 18.4                             |
| 2012 | 603,796            | 13,085               | 34.3                | 835.33                         | 254,098                    | 412.68                            | 17.9                             |
| 2013 | 617,022            | 11,670               | 37.3                | 843.89                         | 227,929                    | 415.82                            | 16.7                             |
| 2014 | 625,077            | 10,115               | 35.4                | 870.27                         | 197,493                    | 421.85                            | 16.7                             |
| 2015 | 636,403            | 7,891                | 33.8                | 900.48                         | 157,488                    | 432.89                            | 15.3                             |
| 2016 | 645,601            | 7,210                | 35.8                | 928.64                         | 146,081                    | 446.98                            | 14.3                             |
| 2017 | 652,259            | 7,815                | 50.4                | 955.93                         | 174,256                    | 483.53                            | 15.6                             |
| 2018 | 656,597            | 7,787                | 46.8                | 979.92                         | 160,346                    | 494.08                            | 15.1                             |
| 2019 | 654,989            | 6,685                | 38.5                | 1,015.93                       | 161,167                    | 514.40                            | 15.3                             |
| 2020 | 559,528            | 73,316               | 94.6                | 1,113.78                       | 1,653,920                  | 441.42                            | 19.1                             |
| 2021 | 586,030            | 15,683               | 39.2                | 1,146.80                       | 300,455                    | 444.48                            | 20.1                             |
| 2022 | 618,989            | 6,575                | 29.8                | 1,181.20                       | 161,922                    | 519.96                            | 15.5                             |
| 2023 | 631,099            | 8,228                | 41.6                | 1,237.25                       | 206,322                    | 528.70                            | 15.0                             |
| 2024 | 637,699            | 6,437                | 31.8                | 1,246.32                       | 178,408                    | 536.32                            | 14.7                             |

1/ 1992 to 2022 revised from previous *Data Book*.

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