

Hawaii County, Unemployment Claims Comparison for 2024 and 2025

2025							2024						
Week ending	Initial claims			Weeks claimed			Week ending	Initial claims			Weeks claimed		
	Hilo	Kona	HAWAII	Hilo	Kona	HAWAII		Hilo	Kona	HAWAII	Hilo	Kona	HAWAII
4-Jan-25	217	118	335	598	393	991	6-Jan-24	160	84	244	564	442	1,006
11-Jan-25	174	72	246	712	418	1,130	13-Jan-24	115	78	193	572	403	975
18-Jan-25	81	56	137	517	369	886	20-Jan-24	65	57	122	433	362	795
25-Jan-25	55	57	112	466	310	776	27-Jan-24	71	75	146	399	356	755
1-Feb-25	78	52	130	481	324	805	3-Feb-24	71	61	132	390	381	771
8-Feb-25	84	50	134	505	334	839	10-Feb-24	101	59	160	450	390	840
15-Feb-25	67	58	125	503	320	823	17-Feb-24	66	45	111	408	335	743
22-Feb-25	91	39	130	490	306	796	24-Feb-24	74	52	126	460	363	823
1-Mar-25	65	38	103	471	317	788	2-Mar-24	68	57	125	412	380	792
8-Mar-25	47	53	100	455	296	751	9-Mar-24	59	47	106	409	372	781
15-Mar-25	74	32	106	424	318	742	16-Mar-24	88	52	140	430	395	825
22-Mar-25	86	38	124	431	291	722	23-Mar-24	72	51	123	399	361	760

Percent change					
Initial claims			Weeks claimed		
Hilo	Kona	HAWAII	Hilo	Kona	HAWAII
35.6%	40.5%	37.3%	6.0%	-11.1%	-1.5%
51.3%	-7.7%	27.5%	24.5%	3.7%	15.9%
24.6%	-1.8%	12.3%	19.4%	1.9%	11.4%
-22.5%	-24.0%	-23.3%	16.8%	-12.9%	2.8%
9.9%	-14.8%	-1.5%	23.3%	-15.0%	4.4%
-16.8%	-15.3%	-16.3%	12.2%	-14.4%	-0.1%
1.5%	28.9%	12.6%	23.3%	-4.5%	10.8%
23.0%	-25.0%	3.2%	6.5%	-15.7%	-3.3%
-4.4%	-33.3%	-17.6%	14.3%	-16.6%	-0.5%
-20.3%	12.8%	-5.7%	11.2%	-20.4%	-3.8%
-15.9%	-38.5%	-24.3%	-1.4%	-19.5%	-10.1%
19.4%	-25.5%	0.8%	8.0%	-19.4%	-5.0%