

## Kauai, Unemployment Claims Comparison 2004 and 2005

|           | 2005           |               |           | 2004           |               | % Change       |               |
|-----------|----------------|---------------|-----------|----------------|---------------|----------------|---------------|
|           | Initial Claims | Weeks Claimed |           | Initial Claims | Weeks Claimed | Initial Claims | Weeks Claimed |
| 1-Jan-05  | 131            | 429           | 3-Jan-04  | 108            | 537           | 21.3%          | -20.1%        |
| 8-Jan-05  | 110            | 500           | 10-Jan-04 | 162            | 617           | -32.1%         | -19.0%        |
| 15-Jan-05 | 159            | 490           | 17-Jan-04 | 124            | 568           | 28.2%          | -13.7%        |
| 22-Jan-05 | 75             | 460           | 24-Jan-04 | 60             | 530           | 25.0%          | -13.2%        |
| 29-Jan-05 | 80             | 433           | 31-Jan-04 | 104            | 568           | -23.1%         | -23.8%        |
| 5-Feb-05  | 92             | 442           | 7-Feb-04  | 72             | 533           | 27.8%          | -17.1%        |
| 12-Feb-05 | 168            | 572           | 14-Feb-04 | 85             | 558           | 97.6%          | 2.5%          |
| 19-Feb-05 | 66             | 334           | 21-Feb-04 | 71             | 513           | -7.0%          | -34.9%        |
| 26-Feb-05 | 65             | 371           | 28-Feb-04 | 59             | 529           | 10.2%          | -29.9%        |
| 5-Mar-05  | 55             | 338           | 6-Mar-04  | 85             | 530           | -35.3%         | -36.2%        |
| 12-Mar-05 | 56             | 337           | 13-Mar-04 | 65             | 518           | -13.8%         | -34.9%        |
| 19-Mar-05 | 52             | 346           | 20-Mar-04 | 72             | 495           | -27.8%         | -30.1%        |
| 26-Mar-05 | 61             | 339           | 27-Mar-04 | 59             | 463           | 3.4%           | -26.8%        |
| 2-Apr-05  | 66             | 346           | 3-Apr-04  | 84             | 516           | -21.4%         | -32.9%        |
| 9-Apr-05  | 70             | 326           | 10-Apr-04 | 100            | 483           | -30.0%         | -32.5%        |
| 16-Apr-05 | 83             | 319           | 17-Apr-04 | 107            | 515           | -22.4%         | -38.1%        |
| 23-Apr-05 | 55             | 342           | 24-Apr-04 | 73             | 434           | -24.7%         | -21.2%        |
| 30-Apr-05 | 45             | 273           | 1-May-04  | 120            | 532           | -62.5%         | -48.7%        |
| 7-May-05  | 70             | 352           | 8-May-04  | 127            | 471           | -44.9%         | -25.3%        |
| 14-May-05 | 63             | 313           | 15-May-04 | 75             | 488           | -16.0%         | -35.9%        |
| 21-May-05 | 51             | 327           | 22-May-04 | 119            | 525           | -57.1%         | -37.7%        |
| 28-May-05 | 29             | 282           | 29-May-04 | 74             | 493           | -60.8%         | -42.8%        |
| 4-Jun-05  | 60             | 300           | 5-Jun-04  | 93             | 444           | -35.5%         | -32.4%        |
| 11-Jun-05 | 60             | 292           | 12-Jun-04 | 78             | 507           | -23.1%         | -42.4%        |
| 18-Jun-05 | 75             | 328           | 19-Jun-04 | 76             | 449           | -1.3%          | -26.9%        |
| 25-Jun-05 | 59             | 298           | 26-Jun-04 | 82             | 554           | -28.0%         | -46.2%        |
| 2-Jul-05  | 69             | 329           | 3-Jul-04  | 73             | 455           | -5.5%          | -27.7%        |
| 9-Jul-05  | 48             | 290           | 10-Jul-04 | 74             | 526           | -35.1%         | -44.9%        |
| 16-Jul-05 | 48             | 330           | 17-Jul-04 | 83             | 465           | -42.2%         | -29.0%        |
| 23-Jul-05 | 53             | 280           | 24-Jul-04 | 64             | 477           | -17.2%         | -41.3%        |
| 30-Jul-05 | 65             | 332           | 31-Jul-04 | 67             | 483           | -3.0%          | -31.3%        |
| 6-Aug-05  | 36             | 295           | 7-Aug-04  | 89             | 518           | -59.6%         | -43.1%        |
| 13-Aug-05 | 66             | 284           | 14-Aug-04 | 92             | 525           | -28.3%         | -45.9%        |
| 20-Aug-05 | 41             | 270           | 21-Aug-04 | 54             | 505           | -24.1%         | -46.5%        |
| 27-Aug-05 | 44             | 288           | 28-Aug-04 | 65             | 439           | -32.3%         | -34.4%        |
| 3-Sep-05  | 35             | 254           | 4-Sep-04  | 61             | 475           | -42.6%         | -46.5%        |
| 10-Sep-05 | 48             | 243           | 11-Sep-04 | 94             | 425           | -48.9%         | -42.8%        |
| 17-Sep-05 | 50             | 283           | 18-Sep-04 | 95             | 475           | -47.4%         | -40.4%        |
| 24-Sep-05 | 48             | 240           | 25-Sep-04 | 70             | 400           | -31.4%         | -40.0%        |
| 1-Oct-05  | 43             | 256           | 2-Oct-04  | 57             | 461           | -24.6%         | -44.5%        |
| 8-Oct-05  | 47             | 237           | 9-Oct-04  | 122            | 444           | -61.5%         | -46.6%        |
| 15-Oct-05 | 46             | 289           | 16-Oct-04 | 67             | 415           | -31.3%         | -30.4%        |
| 22-Oct-05 | 31             | 240           | 23-Oct-04 | 96             | 435           | -67.7%         | -44.8%        |
| 29-Oct-05 | 76             | 263           | 30-Oct-04 | 86             | 408           | -11.6%         | -35.5%        |
| 5-Nov-05  | 46             | 284           | 6-Nov-04  | 188            | 541           | -75.5%         | -47.5%        |
| 12-Nov-05 | 34             | 225           | 13-Nov-04 | 108            | 460           | -68.5%         | -51.1%        |
| 19-Nov-05 | 52             | 280           | 20-Nov-04 | 170            | 532           | -69.4%         | -47.4%        |
| 26-Nov-05 | 48             | 213           | 27-Nov-04 | 71             | 390           | -32.4%         | -45.4%        |
| 3-Dec-05  | 116            | 323           | 4-Dec-04  | 104            | 399           | 11.5%          | -19.0%        |
| 10-Dec-05 | 73             | 321           | 11-Dec-04 | 185            | 540           | -60.5%         | -40.6%        |
| 17-Dec-05 | 80             | 395           | 18-Dec-04 | 84             | 441           | -4.8%          | -10.4%        |
| 24-Dec-05 | 60             | 341           | 25-Dec-04 | 60             | 409           | 0.0%           | -16.6%        |

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