



KENTUCKY LABOR FORCE ESTIMATES BMK 20

Annual 2020-2021

AREA DEVELOPMENT DISTRICTS

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	2020	2021	2020	2021	2020	2021	2020	2021
Statewide	2,016,802	2,036,942	1,886,999	1,941,737	129,803	95,205	6.4%	4.7%
COUNTY	CLF	CLF	EMP	EMP	UNEMP	UNEMP	UR	UR
BARREN RIVER*	136,425	138,451	127,664	132,344	8,761	6,107	6.4%	4.4%
ALLEN	8,664	8,894	8,200	8,534	464	360	5.4%	4.0%
BARREN	18,073	18,032	16,752	17,073	1,321	959	7.3%	5.3%
BUTLER	4,858	4,945	4,528	4,719	330	226	6.8%	4.6%
EDMONSON	4,589	4,655	4,247	4,418	342	237	7.5%	5.1%
HART	7,638	7,645	7,157	7,307	481	338	6.3%	4.4%
LOGAN	12,103	12,296	11,454	11,829	649	467	5.4%	3.8%
METCALFE	3,982	3,980	3,680	3,764	302	216	7.6%	5.4%
MONROE	4,558	4,637	4,321	4,452	237	185	5.2%	4.0%
SIMPSON	8,516	8,850	7,917	8,479	599	371	7.0%	4.2%
WARREN	63,444	64,517	59,408	61,768	4,036	2,749	6.4%	4.3%
BIG SANDY*	41,979	42,151	38,176	39,061	3,803	3,090	9.1%	7.3%
FLOYD	10,643	10,797	9,707	10,033	936	764	8.8%	7.1%
JOHNSON	6,584	6,659	6,036	6,170	548	489	8.3%	7.3%
MAGOFFIN	3,179	3,242	2,685	2,836	494	406	15.5%	12.5%
MARTIN	2,474	2,350	2,196	2,132	278	218	11.2%	9.3%
PIKE	19,098	19,105	17,552	17,891	1,546	1,214	8.1%	6.4%
BLUEGRASS*	412,612	416,740	388,344	399,720	24,268	17,020	5.9%	4.1%
ANDERSON	11,765	11,983	11,073	11,508	692	475	5.9%	4.0%
BOURBON	9,568	9,663	9,025	9,288	543	375	5.7%	3.9%
BOYLE	12,562	12,657	11,673	12,027	889	630	7.1%	5.0%
CLARK	16,960	17,054	15,887	16,304	1,073	750	6.3%	4.4%
ESTILL	5,137	5,137	4,761	4,871	376	266	7.3%	5.2%
FAYETTE	171,813	173,189	162,258	166,393	9,555	6,796	5.6%	3.9%
FRANKLIN	24,731	25,190	23,168	24,081	1,563	1,109	6.3%	4.4%
GARRARD	7,516	7,629	7,058	7,289	458	340	6.1%	4.5%
HARRISON	8,672	8,766	8,156	8,426	516	340	6.0%	3.9%
JESSAMINE	25,934	26,219	24,522	25,165	1,412	1,054	5.4%	4.0%
LINCOLN	9,211	9,278	8,502	8,759	709	519	7.7%	5.6%
MADISON	45,840	46,664	43,156	44,742	2,684	1,922	5.9%	4.1%
MERCER	9,863	9,932	9,168	9,480	695	452	7.0%	4.6%
NICHOLAS	3,271	3,314	3,051	3,171	220	143	6.7%	4.3%
POWELL	5,045	5,135	4,684	4,888	361	247	7.2%	4.8%
SCOTT	29,874	29,876	28,069	28,785	1,805	1,091	6.0%	3.7%
WOODFORD	14,851	15,053	14,132	14,543	719	510	4.8%	3.4%

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BUFFALO TRACE*	22,113	22,124	20,454	20,879	1,659	1,245	7.5%	5.6%
BRACKEN	3,713	3,775	3,490	3,597	223	178	6.0%	4.7%
FLEMING	6,108	6,049	5,675	5,750	433	299	7.1%	4.9%
LEWIS	4,653	4,703	4,225	4,344	428	359	9.2%	7.6%
MASON	6,853	6,796	6,324	6,421	529	375	7.7%	5.5%
ROBERTSON	787	801	741	767	46	34	5.8%	4.2%
CUMBERLAND VALLEY*	78,850	79,737	72,869	75,322	5,981	4,415	7.6%	5.5%
BELL	8,184	8,225	7,567	7,756	617	469	7.5%	5.7%
CLAY	5,168	5,187	4,742	4,835	426	352	8.2%	6.8%
HARLAN	6,506	6,466	5,764	5,908	742	558	11.4%	8.6%
JACKSON	4,038	4,097	3,701	3,840	337	257	8.3%	6.3%
KNOX	9,874	10,049	9,089	9,427	785	622	8.0%	6.2%
LAUREL	24,918	25,250	23,247	24,111	1,671	1,139	6.7%	4.5%
ROCKCASTLE	6,371	6,457	5,918	6,137	453	320	7.1%	5.0%
WHITLEY	13,791	14,007	12,841	13,309	950	698	6.9%	5.0%
FIVCO*	47,286	47,230	43,245	44,009	4,041	3,221	8.5%	6.8%
BOYD	17,463	17,284	16,052	16,208	1,411	1,076	8.1%	6.2%
CARTER	9,522	9,695	8,635	8,940	887	755	9.3%	7.8%
ELLIOTT	1,950	1,892	1,761	1,734	189	158	9.7%	8.4%
GREENUP	13,145	13,020	12,010	12,130	1,135	890	8.6%	6.8%
LAWRENCE	5,206	5,340	4,788	4,998	418	342	8.0%	6.4%
GATEWAY*	32,472	32,751	30,031	30,936	2,441	1,815	7.5%	5.5%
BATH	4,537	4,632	4,172	4,365	365	267	8.0%	5.8%
MENIFEE	2,250	2,309	2,056	2,150	194	159	8.6%	6.9%
MONTGOMERY	11,324	11,543	10,450	10,928	874	615	7.7%	5.3%
MORGAN	4,395	4,326	4,106	4,077	289	249	6.6%	5.8%
ROWAN	9,966	9,943	9,246	9,417	720	526	7.2%	5.3%
GREEN RIVER*	94,901	95,316	89,178	91,036	5,723	4,280	6.0%	4.5%
DAVISS	45,857	46,297	43,163	44,290	2,694	2,007	5.9%	4.3%
HANCOCK	3,812	3,848	3,587	3,680	225	168	5.9%	4.4%
HENDERSON	20,663	20,775	19,427	19,843	1,236	932	6.0%	4.5%
MCLEAN	3,965	4,021	3,746	3,849	219	172	5.5%	4.3%
OHIO	9,273	9,010	8,626	8,512	647	498	7.0%	5.5%
UNION	5,924	6,021	5,558	5,759	366	262	6.2%	4.4%
WEBSTER	5,410	5,344	5,073	5,103	337	241	6.2%	4.5%

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KENTUCKY RIVER*	29,508	29,387	26,877	27,311	2,631	2,076	8.9%	7.1%
BREATHITT	3,251	3,261	2,928	2,979	323	282	9.9%	8.6%
KNOTT	4,287	4,275	3,934	3,966	353	309	8.2%	7.2%
LEE	2,042	2,009	1,905	1,896	137	113	6.7%	5.6%
LESLIE	2,578	2,534	2,307	2,328	271	206	10.5%	8.1%
LETCHER	6,062	6,038	5,468	5,579	594	459	9.8%	7.6%
OWSLEY	1,078	1,054	978	980	100	74	9.3%	7.0%
PERRY	8,132	7,994	7,432	7,491	700	503	8.6%	6.3%
WOLFE	2,079	2,222	1,925	2,092	154	130	7.4%	5.9%
KIPDA*	511,622	518,386	479,041	494,338	32,581	24,048	6.4%	4.6%
BULLITT	42,153	42,784	39,551	40,800	2,602	1,984	6.2%	4.6%
HENRY	8,023	8,151	7,574	7,825	449	326	5.6%	4.0%
JEFFERSON	389,470	394,151	363,625	375,210	25,845	18,941	6.6%	4.8%
OLDHAM	32,443	33,100	30,919	31,915	1,524	1,185	4.7%	3.6%
SHELBY	25,410	25,837	24,072	24,857	1,338	980	5.3%	3.8%
SPENCER	10,342	10,529	9,766	10,082	576	447	5.6%	4.2%
TRIMBLE	3,782	3,834	3,533	3,649	249	185	6.6%	4.8%
LAKE CUMBERLAND*	82,955	83,224	77,584	79,348	5,371	3,876	6.5%	4.7%
ADAIR	7,019	7,267	6,530	6,906	489	361	7.0%	5.0%
CASEY	6,655	6,766	6,255	6,486	400	280	6.0%	4.1%
CLINTON	3,952	3,960	3,757	3,784	195	176	4.9%	4.4%
CUMBERLAND	3,255	3,307	3,101	3,191	154	116	4.7%	3.5%
GREEN	5,146	5,177	4,878	4,984	268	193	5.2%	3.7%
MCCREARY	4,822	4,886	4,485	4,606	337	280	7.0%	5.7%
PULASKI	25,723	25,971	23,893	24,692	1,830	1,279	7.1%	4.9%
RUSSELL	6,068	6,118	5,582	5,785	486	333	8.0%	5.4%
TAYLOR	12,971	12,363	12,220	11,879	751	484	5.8%	3.9%
WAYNE	7,344	7,410	6,883	7,035	461	375	6.3%	5.1%
LINCOLN TRAIL*	121,700	121,775	113,237	115,976	8,463	5,799	7.0%	4.8%
BRECKINRIDGE	7,818	8,021	7,268	7,601	550	420	7.0%	5.2%
GRAYSON	10,641	10,512	9,840	9,923	801	589	7.5%	5.6%
HARDIN	47,658	47,078	44,370	44,845	3,288	2,233	6.9%	4.7%
LARUE	5,841	5,803	5,432	5,517	409	286	7.0%	4.9%
MARION	9,215	9,285	8,515	8,880	700	405	7.6%	4.4%
MEADE	11,749	11,679	10,939	11,061	810	618	6.9%	5.3%
NELSON	22,696	23,223	21,163	22,213	1,533	1,010	6.8%	4.3%
WASHINGTON	6,081	6,177	5,710	5,937	371	240	6.1%	3.9%

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NORTHERN KENTUCKY*	238,753	241,889	225,622	232,099	13,131	9,790	5.5%	4.0%
BOONE	70,556	71,482	66,874	68,781	3,682	2,701	5.2%	3.8%
CAMPBELL	49,546	50,276	46,891	48,242	2,655	2,034	5.4%	4.0%
CARROLL	5,293	5,391	4,991	5,169	302	222	5.7%	4.1%
GALLATIN	3,948	4,000	3,718	3,828	230	172	5.8%	4.3%
GRANT	11,589	11,637	10,796	11,113	793	524	6.8%	4.5%
KENTON	85,978	87,115	81,166	83,479	4,812	3,636	5.6%	4.2%
OWEN	5,085	5,092	4,770	4,875	315	217	6.2%	4.3%
PENDLETON	6,759	6,897	6,417	6,612	342	285	5.1%	4.1%
PENNYRILE*	79,561	80,695	73,952	76,392	5,609	4,303	7.0%	5.3%
CALDWELL	5,585	5,910	5,253	5,661	332	249	5.9%	4.2%
CHRISTIAN	24,460	24,795	22,573	23,351	1,887	1,444	7.7%	5.8%
CRITTENDEN	3,673	3,809	3,476	3,644	197	165	5.4%	4.3%
HOPKINS	18,021	18,031	16,728	17,106	1,293	925	7.2%	5.1%
LIVINGSTON	3,499	3,632	3,242	3,409	257	223	7.3%	6.1%
LYON	3,054	3,113	2,897	2,974	157	139	5.1%	4.5%
MUHLENBERG	9,913	9,822	9,080	9,171	833	651	8.4%	6.6%
TODD	5,392	5,521	5,141	5,320	251	201	4.7%	3.6%
TRIGG	5,965	6,062	5,562	5,755	403	307	6.8%	5.1%
PURCHASE*	86,064	87,085	80,724	82,965	5,340	4,120	6.2%	4.7%
BALLARD	3,324	3,447	3,113	3,274	211	173	6.3%	5.0%
CALLOWAY	17,775	17,608	16,707	16,807	1,068	801	6.0%	4.5%
CARLISLE	2,162	2,244	2,065	2,158	97	86	4.5%	3.8%
FULTON	1,985	2,075	1,857	1,965	128	110	6.4%	5.3%
GRAVES	15,560	15,892	14,669	15,186	891	706	5.7%	4.4%
HICKMAN	1,718	1,719	1,630	1,642	88	77	5.1%	4.5%
MCCRACKEN	28,743	29,655	26,768	28,160	1,975	1,495	6.9%	5.0%
MARSHALL	14,798	14,446	13,915	13,774	883	672	6.0%	4.7%
BOWLING GREEN MSA	81,555	83,013	76,383	79,440	5,172	3,573	6.3%	4.3%
ELIZABETHTOWN MSA	65,250	64,559	60,742	61,423	4,508	3,136	6.9%	4.9%
LEXINGTON MSA	268,999	271,055	253,893	260,478	15,106	10,577	5.6%	3.9%
LOUISVILLE MSA	658,594	665,203	615,707	636,673	42,887	28,530	6.5%	4.3%
OWENSBORO MSA	53,632	54,166	50,495	51,819	3,137	2,347	5.8%	4.3%

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