

**Chicago-Joliet-Naperville, IL Metropolitan Division  
Annual Averages**

Source: Illinois Department of Employment Security, Economic Information and Analysis

*Revised 2006-2010 estimates published in February 2011*

YEAR	Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed Number	Unemployed Rate	Illinois Rate
2010	4,095,600	3,681,000	414,600	10.1	10.3
2009	4,078,400	3,669,800	408,600	10.0	10.0
2008	4,119,900	3,865,400	254,500	6.2	6.4
2007	4,104,700	3,902,800	201,900	4.9	5.1
2006	4,014,400	3,835,700	178,700	4.5	4.6
2005	3,944,100	3,707,000	237,100	6.0	5.8
2004	3,955,500	3,704,900	250,600	6.3	6.2
2003	3,945,000	3,671,700	273,300	6.9	6.7
2002	3,966,900	3,692,800	274,100	6.9	6.5
2001	4,025,900	3,799,500	226,300	5.6	5.4
2000	4,014,700	3,834,600	180,100	4.5	4.5
1999	3,976,300	3,795,600	180,700	4.5	4.5
1998	3,889,800	3,713,500	176,300	4.5	4.5
1997	3,870,800	3,682,400	188,400	4.9	4.8
1996	3,850,200	3,642,700	207,500	5.4	5.3
1995	3,807,400	3,605,100	202,300	5.3	5.2
1994	3,722,500	3,497,800	224,700	6.0	5.8
1993	3,705,400	3,412,500	292,900	7.9	7.4
1992	3,659,800	3,355,300	304,600	8.3	7.8
1991	3,593,800	3,316,700	277,100	7.7	7.3
1990	3,607,800	3,368,900	238,900	6.6	6.3
1989	3,661,500	3,425,900	235,600	6.4	6.1
1988	3,553,500	3,294,900	258,600	7.3	6.8
1987	3,501,400	3,233,500	268,000	7.7	7.4
1986	3,459,300	3,160,100	299,200	8.6	8.3
1985	3,414,500	3,102,600	311,800	9.1	9.1
1984	3,377,900	3,084,300	293,600	8.7	9.1
1983	3,361,900	2,972,800	389,100	11.6	11.7