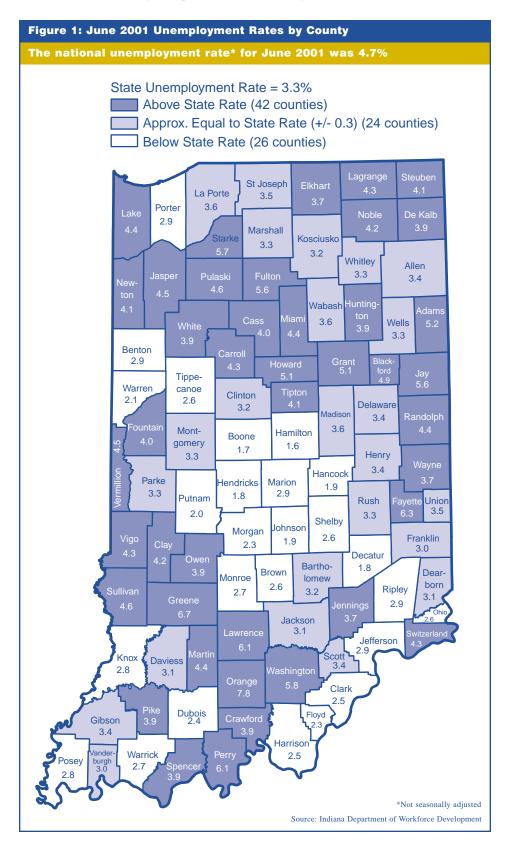
Indiana Employment Snapshot



Indiana County Rates

- Most Indiana county unemployment rates were level in June, compared to earlier in the year.
- More than half of Indiana's 92 counties posted June rates that were below their average rates in the earlier months of 2001.
- Even in Howard County, despite headlines about auto industry cutbacks in Kokomo, the average unemployment rate in the second quarter was only 4.7%, down from 6.2% in the first quarter of 2001.

HIGHEST COUNTY UNEMPLOYMENT RATES IN JUNE 2001:

Orange: 7.8%Greene: 6.7%

LOWEST COUNTY UNEMPLOYMENT RATES IN JUNE 2001:

Hamilton: 1.6%Boone: 1.7%

Indiana Metro Area Rates

• Among metro areas, Indianapolis continues to lead the state. Its June rate of 2.6% is well below the statewide average of 3.3%.

METRO AREA UNEMPLOYMENT RATES IN JUNE 2001:

Indianapolis: 2.6%
Lafayette: 2.7%
Bloomington: 2.7%
Evansville: 3.1%
Muncie: 3.4%
South Bend: 3.5%
Fort Wayne: 3.6%
Elkhart: 3.7%

• Gary: 4.0%
• Terre Haute: 4

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