

Monthly Labor Force Statistics for Economic Development Regions

Not Seasonally Adjusted Data January, 2018

Illinois

Labor Force: 6,409,025
 Employment: 6,070,157
 Unemployment: 338,868
 Unemp. Rate: 5.3%

Northern Stateline

Labor Force: 208,444
 Employment: 197,541
 Unemployment: 10,903
 Unemp. Rate: 5.2%

Northeast

Labor Force: 4,485,395
 Employment: 4,241,192
 Unemployment: 244,203
 Unemp. Rate: 5.4%

East Central

Labor Force: 176,192
 Employment: 168,106
 Unemployment: 8,086
 Unemp. Rate: 4.6%

Southeastern

Labor Force: 133,582
 Employment: 127,152
 Unemployment: 6,430
 Unemp. Rate: 4.8%

Southern

Labor Force: 161,181
 Employment: 152,472
 Unemployment: 8,709
 Unemp. Rate: 5.4%

Northwest

Labor Force: 241,009
 Employment: 227,960
 Unemployment: 13,049
 Unemp. Rate: 5.4%

North Central

Labor Force: 306,218
 Employment: 290,935
 Unemployment: 15,283
 Unemp. Rate: 5.0%

West Central

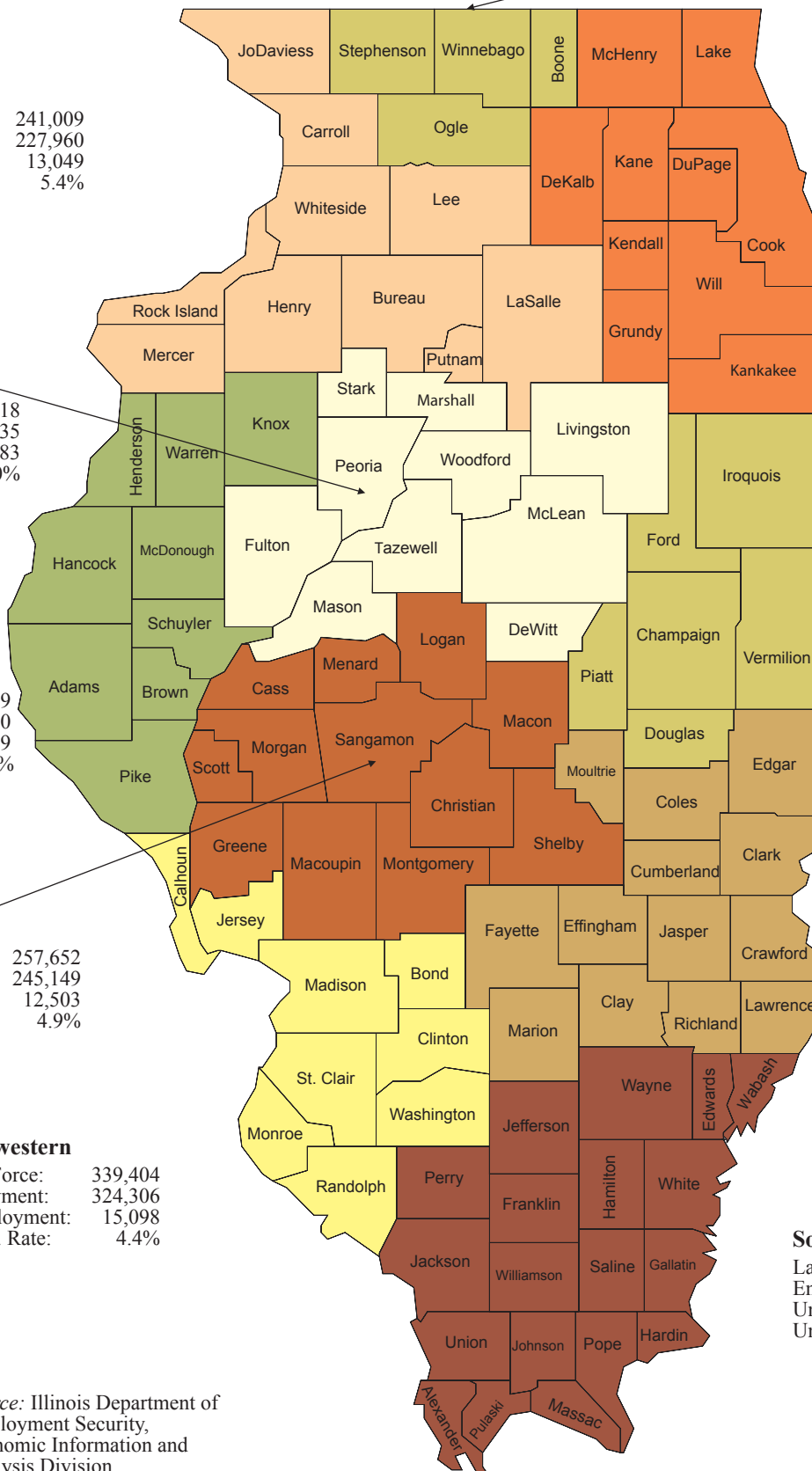
Labor Force: 99,949
 Employment: 95,340
 Unemployment: 4,609
 Unemp. Rate: 4.6%

Central

Labor Force: 257,652
 Employment: 245,149
 Unemployment: 12,503
 Unemp. Rate: 4.9%

Southwestern

Labor Force: 339,404
 Employment: 324,306
 Unemployment: 15,098
 Unemp. Rate: 4.4%



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