



Regional Employment Trends

Green County employers regularly attract workers from a 15-30 mile radius. The county's proximity to other counties provides a good source of qualified employees. Commuting plays a significant role in the make-up of the workforce. The 2000 census indicates that nearly 34% of the workers living in Green County commute to jobs outside of the county. This is up from the 1990 census figure of 16%. Furthermore, 23% of the jobs in Green County are held by persons living outside of the county, up from 13% in 1990.

Unemployment Rates for the Green County Region

	GREEN COUNTY, WI	Janesville MSA, WI	Madison MSA, WI	STEPHENSON COUNTY, IL	LAFAYETTE COUNTY, WI	5-COUNTY REGION	State of Wisconsin	US
July-10								
Civilian Labor Force-Total:	20,071	81,139	296,582	25,492	9,186	432,470	3,074,926	153.6 million
Number Unemployed:	1472	8785	16219	2,974	595	30,045	240,442	15.1 million
Percent:	7.3%	10.8%	5.5%	11.7%	6.5%	6.9%	7.8%	9.7%
2009 Annual Average								
Civilian Labor Force-Total:	20,447	81,804	294,854	25,307	9,300	431,712	3,081,476	154.1 million
Number Unemployed:	1,783	10203	16,811	2,855	663	32,315	261,785	14.2 million
Percent:	8.7%	12.5%	5.7%	11.3%	7.1%	7.5%	8.5%	9.3%

Unemployment Rates *(not seasonally adjusted)*

Wisconsin

July 2010	7.8%
One month ago	8.1%
One year ago	8.8%

Green County

July 2010	7.3%
One month ago	7.9%
One year ago	9.2%

Source for unemployment rates: <http://worknet.wisconsin.gov/worknet/dalaus.aspx>

Turnover Rates

	All Industry	Manufacturing Sector	Professional-Scientific-Tech Sector
Green County	7.9%	7.4%	5.4%
Wisconsin	7.7%	5.2%	7.3%
Illinois	7.8%	5.1%	7.4%
Minnesota	8.9%	6.9%	7.9%

Source for turnover rates: <http://lehd.did.census.gov/led/datatools/qwiapp.html>