

## Unemployment Insurance Benefits Measures, June 2009

States ranked in the Bottom 13 are shaded

States	Reciency Rate (State Benefits) <sup>2</sup>	Average Weekly Benefit Amount <sup>2</sup>	Maximum Weekly Benefit Amount <sup>1</sup>	Average Weekly Benefit as a % of the Average Weekly Wage	Average Duration of Unemployment Benefits <sup>2</sup>
Alabama	37%	\$204.43	\$265	28.0%	13.3
Alaska	46%	\$218.55	\$370	25.4%	17.4
Arizona	35%	\$220.21	\$240	27.2%	16.4
Arkansas	59%	\$274.81	\$441	41.5%	14.2
California	37%	\$307.23	\$450	31.2%	17.9
Colorado	30%	\$354.09	\$443	39.9%	13.7
Connecticut	51%	\$334.35	\$519	29.8%	16.9
Delaware	49%	\$261.92	\$330	28.7%	19.3
District of Columbia	22%	\$297.35	\$359	21.8%	20.6
Florida	32%	\$238.48	\$275	30.9%	16.7
Georgia	32%	\$279.94	\$330	34.6%	13.2
Hawaii	46%	\$420.89	\$545	55.4%	16.5
Idaho	61%	\$277.03	\$362	43.1%	14.4
Illinois	43%	\$329.83	\$385	35.4%	17.7
Indiana	43%	\$305.19	\$390	41.6%	14.6
Iowa	54%	\$313.71	\$374	44.4%	13.2
Kansas	43%	\$343.15	\$436	47.2%	15.7
Kentucky	37%	\$308.18	\$415	43.3%	15.8
Louisiana	33%	\$220.38	\$284	28.7%	14
Maine	38%	\$276.82	\$356	40.4%	15.2
Maryland	40%	\$310.23	\$410	33.8%	16.6
Massachusetts	55%	\$409.13	\$628	37.6%	18.1
Michigan	43%	\$306.24	\$362	36.2%	16.5
Minnesota	42%	\$354.77	\$566	40.4%	17
Mississippi	34%	\$192.67	\$235	30.4%	14.9
Missouri	37%	\$254.02	\$320	33.0%	18
Montana	57%	\$259.38	\$422	41.5%	16.8
Nebraska	38%	\$247.39	\$308	35.8%	12
Nevada	48%	\$306.83	\$400	37.4%	16.6
New Hampshire	45%	\$276.24	\$427	32.2%	14.6
New Jersey	55%	\$389.79	\$584	36.8%	18.9
New Mexico	45%	\$289.38	\$403	40.8%	16.5
New York	44%	\$312.84	\$405	27.0%	17.5
North Carolina	42%	\$300.10	\$505	39.6%	14.7
North Dakota	41%	\$305.72	\$431	46.0%	11.8
Ohio	39%	\$310.55	\$372	39.9%	16.3
Oklahoma	33%	\$293.28	\$409	41.7%	13.9
Oregon	51%	\$312.31	\$493	40.5%	16.4
Pennsylvania	63%	\$346.67	\$558	40.9%	17.0
Rhode Island	36%	\$377.54	\$546	46.3%	17.3
South Carolina	38%	\$247.99	\$326	36.0%	14.7
South Dakota	24%	\$251.96	\$309	40.7%	11.5
Tennessee	34%	\$225.12	\$275	29.6%	14.7
Texas	27%	\$318.44	\$392	36.3%	14.4
Utah	44%	\$318.53	\$444	44.3%	16.6
Vermont	52%	\$304.64	\$425	41.8%	15.3
Virginia	30%	\$296.85	\$378	33.7%	13.5
Washington	42%	\$377.29	\$605	42.5%	15.5
West Virginia	46%	\$259.66	\$424	38.6%	13.8
Wisconsin	62%	\$282.87	\$363	37.8%	14.5
Wyoming	49%	\$340.99	\$438	43.2%	14.2
USA	41%	\$305.29	na	35.3%	16.2

<sup>1</sup> Maximum weekly benefit amount for UI claimants with no dependents. In those states that have different MBA formulas, we've displayed the more generous figure.

<sup>2</sup> - Figures represent the 12 month period from July 2008-June 2009