

May 8, 2009

Seasonally Adjusted Data	April 2009 Forecast				March 2009 Preliminary				April 2008 Benchmarked			
	CIVILIAN		% UNEMP	TOTAL	CIVILIAN		% UNEMP	TOTAL	CIVILIAN		% UNEMP	TOTAL
	LABOR FORCE	UNEMP			LABOR FORCE	UNEMP			LABOR FORCE	UNEMP		
<b>STATE OF IDAHO</b>	<b>750,180</b>	<b>52,630</b>	<b>7.0</b>	<b>697,550</b>	<b>749,693</b>	<b>52,600</b>	<b>7.0</b>	<b>697,093</b>	<b>751,203</b>	<b>32,507</b>	<b>4.3</b>	<b>718,696</b>
<b>COUNTIES</b>												
ADA (1)	188,223	15,249	8.1	172,975	189,125	14,555	7.7	174,570	194,437	8,025	4.1	186,413
ADAMS	2,187	302	13.8	1,885	2,233	329	14.7	1,904	2,093	249	11.9	1,844
BANNOCK (8)	39,992	2,254	5.6	37,738	40,418	2,350	5.8	38,067	39,355	1,681	4.3	37,675
BEAR LAKE	3,483	146	4.2	3,336	3,247	135	4.2	3,111	3,244	89	2.7	3,155
BENEWAH	4,179	643	15.4	3,536	4,398	678	15.4	3,720	4,096	575	14.0	3,520
BINGHAM	22,133	1,124	5.1	21,008	21,711	1,175	5.4	20,536	21,708	729	3.4	20,979
BLAINE (5)	14,069	885	6.3	13,184	14,377	928	6.5	13,448	13,564	491	3.6	13,073
BOISE (1)	3,349	222	6.6	3,126	3,408	248	7.3	3,161	3,564	194	5.4	3,369
BONNER	21,431	1,917	8.9	19,514	21,452	1,898	8.8	19,555	20,444	1,386	6.8	19,058
BONNEVILLE (6)	50,290	2,509	5.0	47,781	49,534	2,511	5.1	47,023	50,256	1,430	2.8	48,826
BOUNDARY	4,511	476	10.5	4,036	4,433	559	12.6	3,875	4,426	389	8.8	4,037
BUTTE	1,446	63	4.4	1,383	1,346	62	4.6	1,284	1,482	51	3.4	1,431
CAMAS (5)	639	46	7.1	593	655	43	6.6	612	613	24	3.9	589
CANYON (1)	79,480	7,515	9.5	71,965	80,291	7,575	9.4	72,716	81,576	4,020	4.9	77,555
CARIBOU	3,407	163	4.8	3,244	3,468	161	4.6	3,307	3,369	106	3.2	3,263
CASSIA (2)	10,335	446	4.3	9,888	9,949	410	4.1	9,539	10,495	370	3.5	10,125
CLARK	564	17	3.0	547	522	23	4.4	499	614	10	1.6	605
CLEARWATER	3,549	487	13.7	3,062	3,855	617	16.0	3,239	3,471	429	12.4	3,041
CUSTER	2,974	99	3.3	2,875	2,750	121	4.4	2,629	2,925	80	2.7	2,845
ELMORE	11,598	717	6.2	10,881	11,477	714	6.2	10,763	11,728	498	4.2	11,230
FRANKLIN	5,494	179	3.3	5,315	5,596	257	4.6	5,339	5,433	149	2.7	5,284
FREMONT (9)	5,817	375	6.4	5,442	5,856	405	6.9	5,451	5,675	242	4.3	5,433
GEM (1)	6,831	636	9.3	6,195	6,929	667	9.6	6,261	7,115	439	6.2	6,676
GOODING	8,431	338	4.0	8,093	7,481	353	4.7	7,128	8,278	239	2.9	8,039
IDAHO	7,766	717	9.2	7,049	7,675	746	9.7	6,928	7,573	535	7.1	7,038
JEFFERSON (6)	11,078	570	5.1	10,508	10,942	608	5.6	10,334	11,054	316	2.9	10,738
JEROME (10)	10,503	517	4.9	9,986	10,215	548	5.4	9,668	10,256	361	3.5	9,894
KOOTENAI (3)	72,210	5,267	7.3	66,942	72,369	4,908	6.8	67,461	71,417	3,439	4.8	67,978
LATAH	18,347	1,010	5.5	17,337	18,897	984	5.2	17,913	17,578	790	4.5	16,788
LEMHI	4,041	226	5.6	3,815	3,884	286	7.4	3,598	4,148	174	4.2	3,975
LEWIS (4)	1,823	82	4.5	1,741	1,775	71	4.0	1,704	1,807	69	3.8	1,738
LINCOLN	2,623	200	7.6	2,423	2,470	205	8.3	2,265	2,584	100	3.9	2,484
MADISON (9)	16,161	642	4.0	15,519	16,079	637	4.0	15,442	16,005	513	3.2	15,492
MINIDOKA (2)	9,633	484	5.0	9,149	9,371	530	5.7	8,841	9,730	362	3.7	9,368
NEZ PERCE (7)	19,641	968	4.9	18,673	20,010	897	4.5	19,114	18,889	694	3.7	18,195
ONEIDA	2,254	112	4.9	2,143	2,130	95	4.4	2,035	2,188	60	2.7	2,128
OWYHEE (1)	4,157	147	3.5	4,010	4,195	126	3.0	4,069	4,443	120	2.7	4,322
PAYETTE	10,449	801	7.7	9,648	10,715	951	8.9	9,764	10,390	509	4.9	9,881
POWER (8)	3,531	134	3.8	3,398	3,594	178	4.9	3,416	3,518	127	3.6	3,391
SHOSHONE	6,494	771	11.9	5,724	6,565	743	11.3	5,822	5,987	456	7.6	5,530
TETON	4,843	170	3.5	4,673	5,220	219	4.2	5,001	4,877	110	2.3	4,766
TWIN FALLS (10)	40,316	2,014	5.0	38,302	39,161	2,102	5.4	37,060	39,150	1,199	3.1	37,951
VALLEY	5,055	600	11.9	4,455	5,110	629	12.3	4,481	4,839	469	9.7	4,370
WASHINGTON	4,843	389	8.0	4,454	4,806	365	7.6	4,442	4,809	209	4.3	4,600
ASOTIN WA (7)	11,095	861	7.8	10,234	11,294	1,029	9.1	10,265	10,284	446	4.3	9,838
<b>LABOR MARKET AREAS</b>												
BOISE CITY-NAMPA MSA (1)	282,040	23,769	8.4	258,271	283,948	23,171	8.2	260,777	291,135	12,799	4.4	278,336
BURLEY MicSA (2)	19,968	931	4.7	19,037	19,320	940	4.9	18,380	20,225	732	3.6	19,493
COEUR D'ALENE MSA (3)	72,210	5,267	7.3	66,942	72,369	4,908	6.8	67,461	71,417	3,439	4.8	67,978
GRANGEVILLE SLMA (4)	9,588	799	8.3	8,790	9,450	817	8.6	8,632	9,380	604	6.4	8,777
HAILEY SLMA (5)	14,708	930	6.3	13,777	15,032	971	6.5	14,060	14,177	515	3.6	13,662
IDAHO FALLS MSA (6)	61,368	3,079	5.0	58,289	60,476	3,119	5.2	57,356	61,311	1,747	2.8	59,564
LEWISTON MSA (7)	30,736	1,829	6.0	28,907	31,304	1,926	6.2	29,379	29,173	1,140	3.9	28,033
POCATELLO MSA (8)	43,523	2,388	5.5	41,135	44,012	2,528	5.7	41,484	42,874	1,808	4.2	41,066
REXBURG MicSA (9)	21,978	1,017	4.6	20,961	21,936	1,042	4.8	20,893	21,681	755	3.5	20,925
TWIN FALLS MicSA (10)	50,819	2,531	5.0	48,288	49,377	2,649	5.4	46,727	49,406	1,560	3.2	47,846
<b>CITIES</b>												
BOISE	105,874	7,863	7.4	98,011	105,569	7,393	7.0	98,176	110,294	3,989	3.6	106,305
CALDWELL	17,519	1,804	10.3	15,715	17,456	1,741	10.0	15,715	17,985	941	5.2	17,044
COEUR D'ALENE	22,599	1,710	7.6	20,889	23,096	1,563	6.8	21,533	22,344	996	4.5	21,349
IDAHO FALLS	27,817	1,504	5.4	26,313	27,584	1,460	5.3	26,123	27,872	809	2.9	27,063
LEWISTON	16,383	780	4.8	15,604	16,653	721	4.3	15,933	15,824	522	3.3	15,303
MERIDIAN	31,792	2,492	7.8	29,300	31,674	2,304	7.3	29,370	32,913	1,133	3.4	31,780
NAMPA	35,714	3,605	10.1	32,110	35,543	3,433	9.7	32,110	36,525	1,697	4.6	34,827
POCATELLO	28,567	1,466	5.1	27,102	28,331	1,492	5.3	26,839	28,251	1,019	3.6	27,232
TWIN FALLS	22,333	1,216	5.4	21,117	21,706	1,176	5.4	20,529	21,725	666	3.1	21,058
<b>United States*</b>	<b>154,731</b>	<b>13,724</b>	<b>8.9</b>	<b>141,007</b>	<b>154,048</b>	<b>13,161</b>	<b>8.5</b>	<b>140,887</b>	<b>153,932</b>	<b>7,675</b>	<b>5.0</b>	<b>146,331</b>

\* In thousands

SOURCE: Idaho Department of Labor, Research & Analysis and Public Affairs

\*\* Preliminary Benchmarked Data