

TABLE 1
SUMMARY OF UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION ACTIVITIES
March 2015

Activity	March 2015	February 2014	March 2014	Percent Change From	
				Prior Month	Prior Year
STATE UC PROGRAM					
Weeks Compensated	89,414	76,854	95,903	16.3	-6.8
Total Unemployment	85,743	74,200	92,340	15.6	-7.1
Other Than Total	3,671	2,654	3,563	38.3	3.0
Benefits Paid	18,996,887	16,378,655	20,036,059	16.0	-5.2
Total Unemployment	18,516,056	16,029,312	19,569,389	15.5	-5.4
Other Than Total	480,831	349,343	466,670	37.6	3.0
Average Payment - Total Unemployment (\$)	215.95	216.03	211.93	0.0	1.9
Beneficiaries	24,459	24,104	29,360	1.5	-16.7
First Payments	5,282	4,816	5,102	9.7	3.5
Final Payments	2,413	2,049	2,669	17.8	-9.6
Claims Received - Local Offices					
New	10,280	9,166	10,560	12.2	-2.7
Additional	4,413	3,627	4,735	21.7	-6.8
Continued	32,194	30,904	38,310	4.2	-16.0
Weeks Claimed	105,194	89,829	130,405	17.1	-19.3
Liabile Interstate Claims Received					
Initial	376	307	394	22.5	-4.6
Weeks Claimed	4,137	3,665	4,685	12.9	-11.7
Appeals - Lower and Higher Authority					
Lower Authority - Appeals Received	995	1,032	1,298	-3.6	-23.3
Lower Authority - Appeal Decisions	1,126	917	1,326	22.8	-15.1
Higher Authority - Appeals Received	244	192	308	27.1	-20.8
Higher Authority - Appeal Decisions	231	160	278	44.4	-16.9
FEDERAL UC PROGRAM (UCFE AND UCX)					
Weeks Compensated	1,457	1,190	1,587	22.4	-8.2
Benefits Paid - Federal Funds	441,018	347,820	462,612	26.8	-4.7
Claims Received - Local Offices					
Initial	257	131	156	96.2	64.7
Continued	457	417	521	9.6	-12.3
Weeks Claimed	1,647	1,333	1,948	23.6	-15.5
TOTAL STATE AND FEDERAL UC PROGRAMS					
Weeks Compensated	90,871	78,044	97,490	16.4	-6.8
Benefits Paid - All Funds	19,437,905	16,726,475	20,498,671	16.2	-5.2
Number of First Payments	5,387	4,864	5,161	10.8	4.4
Beneficiaries	24,981	24,539	29,927	1.8	-16.5
Claims Received - Local Offices					
Initial	14,950	12,924	15,451	15.7	-3.2
Continued	32,651	31,321	38,831	4.2	-15.9
Weeks Claimed	106,841	91,162	132,353	17.2	-19.3
Number of Work Days	22	18	20	22.2	10.0

* Includes activity under State Unemployment Compensation Program.