



**WORKFORCE AVAILABILITY
WEST CENTRAL ILLINOIS
May 2017**

	Population 2015	<u>Available Workforce</u>	<u>Employed Workforce</u>	<u>Unemployed Workforce</u>	<u>Unemployment Rate - %</u>
<i>Illinois</i>	<i>12,859,995</i>	<i>6,435,332</i>	<i>6,160,242</i>	<i>275,090</i>	<i>4.3%</i>
Brown County - Mt. Sterling	6,829	2,954	2,882	72	2.4%
Cass County - Beardstown	12,847	6,125	5,869	256	4.2%
Greene County - Carrolton	13,241	5,975	5,704	271	4.5%
Macoupin County - Carlinville	46,045	23,106	22,117	989	4.3%
Menard County - Petersburg	12,444	6,743	6,508	235	3.5%
Morgan County - Jacksonville	34,828	17,009	16,364	645	3.8%
Pike County - Pittsfield	15,989	7,631	7,345	286	3.7%
Sangamon County - Springfield	198,712	104,515	100,538	3,977	3.8%
Scott County - Winchester	5,092	2,572	2,474	98	3.8%
Total:	346,027	176,630	169,801	6,829	3.8%

Note: The above workforce data summarizes a 9 county area which is where this region draws most of its workforce.

ALL DATA NOT SEASONALLY ADJUSTED AND BASED ON PLACE OF RESIDENCE

***SOURCE: 2015 Population Estimates - U.S. CENSUS BUREAU, ILLINOIS DEPT OF EMPLOYMENT SECURITY**