



**WORKFORCE AVAILABILITY  
WEST CENTRAL ILLINOIS  
February 2019**

	<b>Population 2017</b>	<b><u>Available Workforce</u></b>	<b><u>Employed Workforce</u></b>	<b><u>Unemployed Workforce</u></b>	<b><u>Unemployment Rate - %</u></b>
<i>Illinois</i>	12,734,617	6,453,778	6,151,057	302,721	4.7%
Brown County - Mt. Sterling	6,716	2,886	2,801	85	2.9%
Cass County - Beardstown	12,505	6,141	5,798	343	5.6%
Greene County - Carrolton	13,174	5,946	5,617	329	5.5%
Macoupin County - Carlinville	45,446	23,050	21,719	1,331	5.8%
Menard County - Petersburg	12,245	6,640	6,265	375	5.6%
Morgan County - Jacksonville	33,798	16,117	15,267	850	5.3%
Pike County - Pittsfield	15,821	7,015	6,571	444	6.3%
Sangamon County - Springfield	196,542	103,725	98,466	5,259	5.1%
Scott County - Winchester	5,002	2,455	2,273	182	7.4%
<b>Total:</b>	<b>341,249</b>	<b>173,975</b>	<b>164,777</b>	<b>9,198</b>	<b>5.3%</b>

**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: 2017 Population Estimates - U.S. CENSUS BUREAU, ILLINOIS DEPT OF EMPLOYMENT SECURITY**