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Idaho Department of Labor
2026 unemployment claims by program

Week ending	Week number	Initial claims[1]	Continued claims[2] UI regular
1/3/26	1	1,559	11,192
1/10/26	2	1,947	11,845
1/17/26	3	1,535	11,258
1/24/26	4	1,224	11,274
1/31/26	5	1,129	11,472
2/7/26	6	1,106	11,414
2/14/26	7	950	11,171
2/21/26	8	906	11,012
2/28/26	9	899	10,835
3/7/26	10	939	10,377
3/14/26	11	830	9,507
3/21/26	12	940	8,526
3/28/26	13	733	7,940
4/4/26	14	716	7,032
4/11/26	15	776	6,523
4/18/26	16	718	5,838
4/25/26	17	717	5,742
5/2/26	18	617	5,519
5/9/26	19	717	5,095
5/16/26	20	762	4,227
5/23/26	21	836	4,366
5/30/26	22	1,039	4,597
6/6/26	23	843	5,254
6/13/26	24	695	5,120
6/20/26	25	635	5,163
6/27/26	26	773	5,179

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7/11/26	28	815	5,410
7/18/26	29	616	5,508
7/25/26	30	593	5,023
8/1/26	31	597	4,984
8/8/26	32	631	4,814
8/15/26	33	546	4,713
8/22/26	34	580	4,487
8/29/26	35	551	4,299
9/5/26	36	654	4,100
9/12/26	37	540	4,037
9/19/26	38	578	4,041
9/26/26	39	593	3,939
10/3/26	40	674	3,944
10/10/26	41	783	3,949
10/17/26	42	701	4,113
10/24/26	43	762	4,227
10/31/26	44	836	4,366
11/7/26	45	1,039	4,597
11/14/26	46	-	-
11/21/26	47	-	-
11/28/26	48	-	-
12/5/26	49	-	-
12/12/26	50	-	-
12/19/26	51	-	-
12/26/26	52	-	-

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