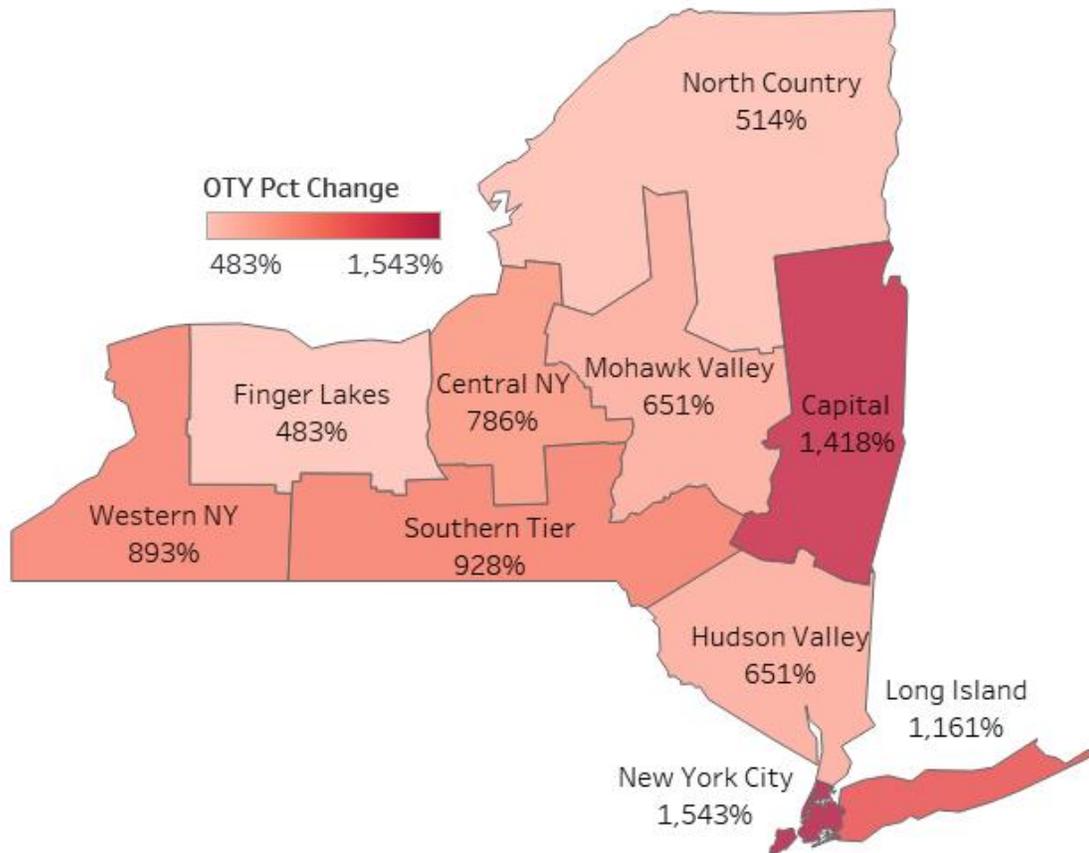


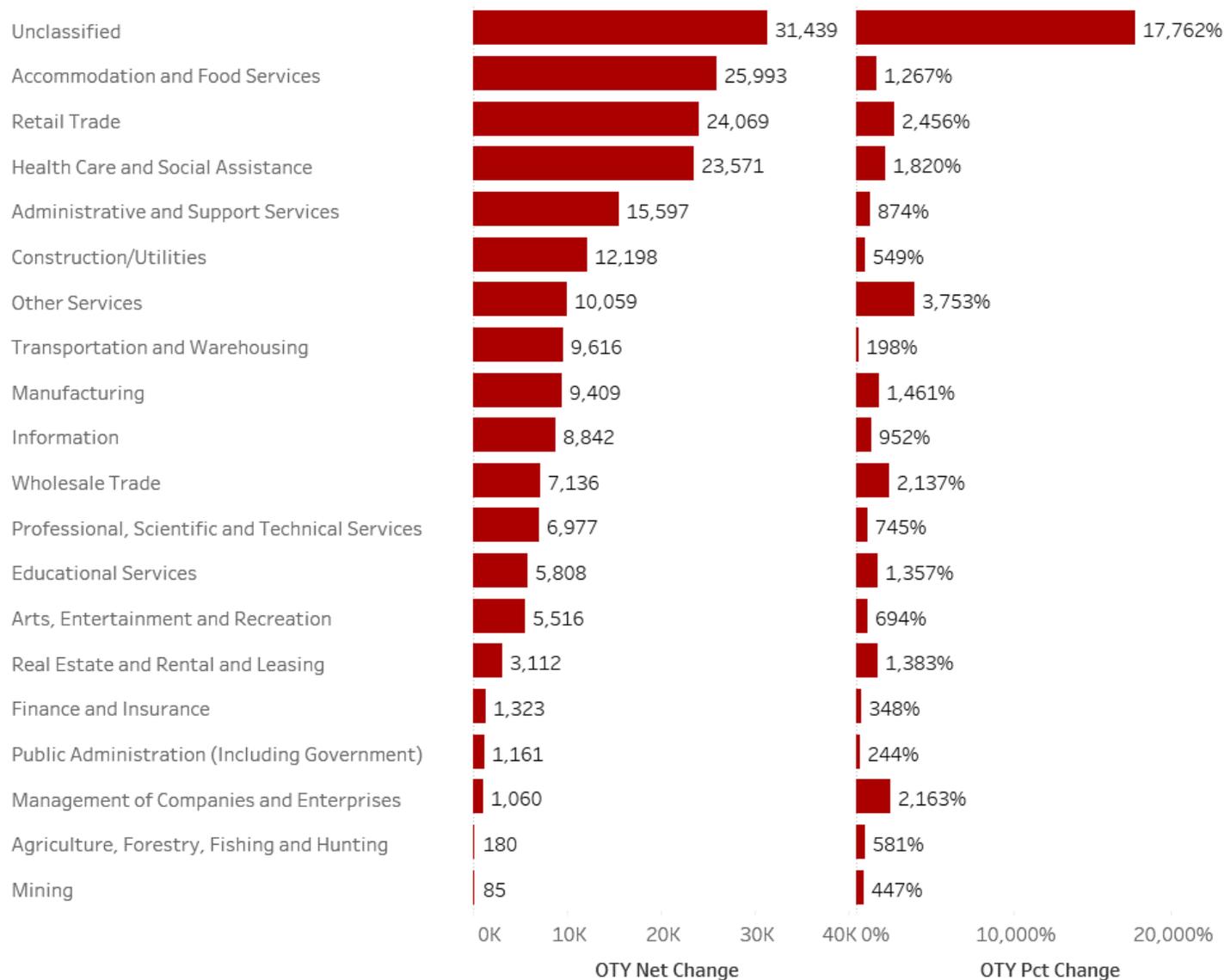
## Initial Claims Data

Over-the-Year Percent Change in Initial Claims by Region  
Week Ending 4/25/2020



- For the week ending April 25, 2020, initial claims for Unemployment Insurance increased over the past year by 1,075% (including out-of-state residents) in New York State. Initial claims for UI increased by a minimum of 483% in each of New York's 10 labor market regions.
- Labor market regions with the most rapid over-the-year percentage increase in initial claims included: New York City (+1,543%), Capital (+1,418%), Long Island (+1,161%), Southern Tier (+928%) and Western NY (+893%). At the same time, initial claims for out-of-state residents grew by 862%.
- On a net basis, regions with the largest over-the-year increase in initial claims included: New York City (+102,391), Long Island (+26,324), Hudson Valley (+17,297), Western NY (+13,312) and Capital (+8,493). Initial claims for out-of-state residents grew by 9,531 during this timeframe.

Over-the-Year Change in Initial Claims by Industry  
Week Ending 4/25/2020



Note: With the exception of Public Administration, UI claims data by industry reflect both private and public sector workers.

- For the week ending April 25, 2020, all statewide industries experienced an increase in initial claims for Unemployment Insurance over the past year.
- Statewide industries in New York with the most rapid over-the-year percentage increase in initial claims included: Other Services (+3,753%), Retail Trade (+2,456%), Management of Companies and Enterprises (+2,163%), Wholesale Trade (+2,137%) and Health Care and Social Assistance (+1,820%).



Over-the-Year Change in Initial Claims by Industry  
Week Ending 4/25/2020

Industry	Latest Week	Previous Week	Year Ago	OTY Net Change	OTY Pct Change
Accommodation and Food Services	28,045	32,490	2,052	25,993	1,267%
Administrative and Support Services	17,381	17,481	1,784	15,597	874%
Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing and Hunting	211	224	31	180	581%
Arts, Entertainment and Recreation	6,311	6,242	795	5,516	694%
Construction/Utilities	14,419	18,307	2,221	12,198	549%
Educational Services	6,236	4,625	428	5,808	1,357%
Finance and Insurance	1,703	1,510	380	1,323	348%
Health Care and Social Assistance	24,866	24,173	1,295	23,571	1,820%
Information	9,771	6,825	929	8,842	952%
Management of Companies and Enterprises	1,109	1,566	49	1,060	2,163%
Manufacturing	10,053	10,254	644	9,409	1,461%
Mining	104	179	19	85	447%
Other Services	10,327	11,883	268	10,059	3,753%
Professional, Scientific and Technical Services	7,913	6,673	936	6,977	745%
Public Administration (Including Government)	1,636	1,238	475	1,161	244%
Real Estate and Rental and Leasing	3,337	2,842	225	3,112	1,383%
Retail Trade	25,049	29,782	980	24,069	2,456%
Transportation and Warehousing	14,483	9,431	4,867	9,616	198%
Unclassified	31,616	13,840	177	31,439	17,762%
Wholesale Trade	7,470	7,607	334	7,136	2,137%
Total (Including Out-of-State Residents)	222,040	207,172	18,889	203,151	1,075%

Note: With the exception of Public Administration, UI claims data by industry reflect both private and public sector workers.

Over-the-Year Change in Initial Claims by Industry  
Cumulative Weeks Ending March 14, 21, 28, April 4, 11, 18, 25\*

Industry	2020	2019	OTY Net Change	OTY Pct Change
Accommodation and Food Services	308,890	10,479	298,411	2,848%
Administrative and Support Services	139,016	12,165	126,851	1,043%
Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing and Hunting	1,526	274	1,252	457%
Arts, Entertainment and Recreation	59,097	3,315	55,782	1,683%
Construction/Utilities	145,621	15,509	130,112	839%
Educational Services	40,385	1,943	38,442	1,978%
Finance and Insurance	11,926	2,792	9,134	327%
Health Care and Social Assistance	180,243	7,875	172,368	2,189%
Information	47,507	5,060	42,447	839%
Management of Companies and Enterprises	7,789	483	7,306	1,513%
Manufacturing	83,705	5,264	78,441	1,490%
Mining	1,093	203	890	438%
Other Services	92,194	1,852	90,342	4,878%
Professional, Scientific and Technical Services	56,514	5,301	51,213	966%
Public Administration (Including Government)	8,269	2,047	6,222	304%
Real Estate and Rental and Leasing	24,215	1,721	22,494	1,307%
Retail Trade	217,187	7,549	209,638	2,777%
Transportation and Warehousing	73,369	8,035	65,334	813%
Unclassified	86,830	1,406	85,424	6,076%
Wholesale Trade	54,783	2,807	51,976	1,852%
Total (Including Out of State Residents)	1,640,159	96,080	1,544,079	1,607%

*Note: With the exception of Public Administration, UI claims data by industry reflect both private and public sector workers*

\*These represent the cumulative number of initial claims since they started increasing as a result of the COVID-19 pandemic.

Over-the-Year Change in Initial Claims by Region  
 Week Ending 4/25/2020

Region	Latest Week	Previous Week	Year Ago	OTY Net Change	OTY Pct Change
Capital	9,092	7,359	599	8,493	1,418%
Central NY	7,749	6,565	875	6,874	786%
Finger Lakes	9,786	8,503	1,679	8,107	483%
Hudson Valley	19,955	18,577	2,658	17,297	651%
Long Island	28,592	29,375	2,268	26,324	1,161%
Mohawk Valley	4,041	3,472	538	3,503	651%
New York City	109,028	103,165	6,637	102,391	1,543%
North Country	3,436	2,478	560	2,876	514%
Southern Tier	4,922	4,332	479	4,443	928%
Western NY	14,802	13,455	1,490	13,312	893%
Out-of-State Residents	10,637	9,891	1,106	9,531	862%
Total (Including Out-of-State Residents)	222,040	207,172	18,889	203,151	1,075%

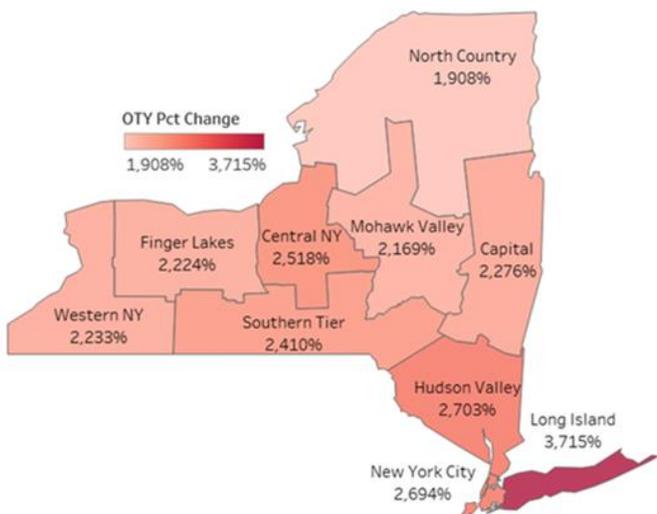
Over-the-Year Change in Initial Claims by Region  
 Cumulative Weeks Ending March 14, 21, 28, April 4, 11, 18, 25\*

<b>Region</b>	<b>2020</b>	<b>2019</b>	<b>OTY Net Change</b>	<b>OTY Pct Change</b>
Capital	69,269	4,347	64,922	1,493%
Central NY	60,409	4,266	56,143	1,316%
Finger Lakes	86,355	6,650	79,705	1,199%
Hudson Valley	149,134	9,344	139,790	1,496%
Long Island	234,506	10,463	224,043	2,141%
Mohawk Valley	31,246	2,510	28,736	1,145%
New York City	733,305	37,965	695,340	1,832%
North Country	25,128	2,509	22,619	902%
Southern Tier	39,609	2,884	36,725	1,273%
Western NY	126,468	7,813	118,655	1,519%
Out-of-State Residents	84,730	7,329	77,401	1,056%
<b>Total (Including Out-of-State Residents)</b>	<b>1,640,159</b>	<b>96,080</b>	<b>1,544,079</b>	<b>1,607%</b>

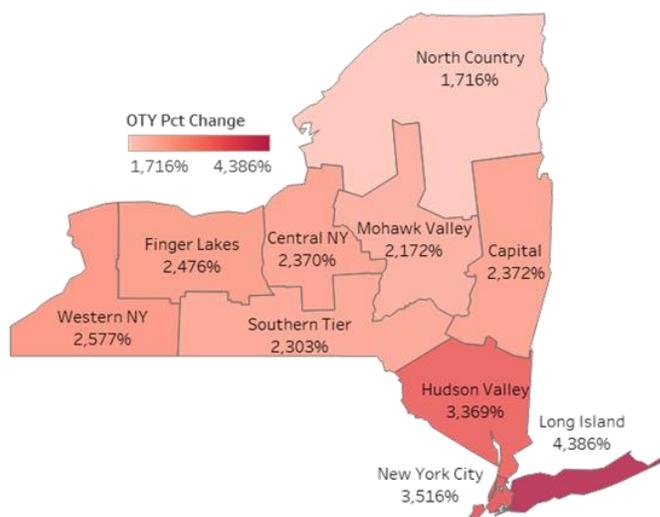
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## Over-the-Year Percent Change in Initial Claims by Region

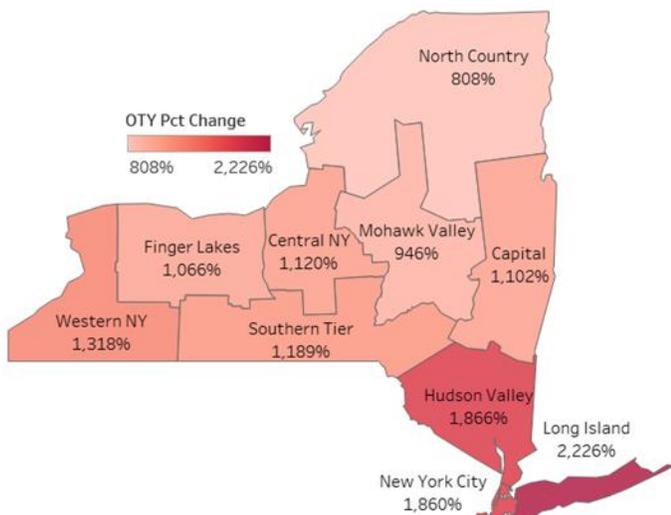
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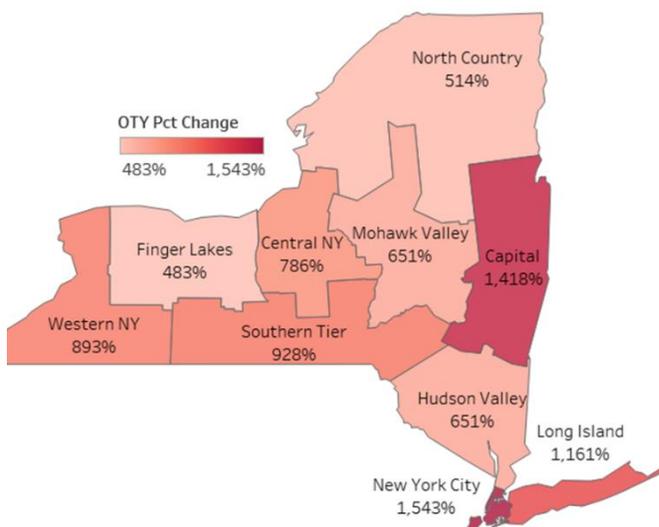
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Week Ending 4/25/2020



## Glossary

**Initial Claim** – This category includes both new and additional claims, both of which signify a new spell of unemployment.

**New Claim** - The first initial claim filed to request a determination of entitlement to and eligibility for compensation.

**Additional Claim** - A subsequent claim filed during an existing benefit year due to new period of unemployment. Someone who files a new claim and collects benefits, finds another job but is laid off again within the same year would be considered an additional claim.



Initial Claims by County  
Week Ending 4/25/2020

County	Latest Week	Previous Week	Year Ago	OTY Net Change	OTY Pct Change
Albany	2,278	1,856	144	2,134	1,482%
Allegany	322	271	31	291	939%
Bronx	18,245	17,593	1,457	16,788	1,152%
Broome	1,503	1,622	176	1,327	754%
Cattaraugus	694	741	98	596	608%
Cayuga	643	637	132	511	387%
Chautauqua	1,233	1,127	130	1,103	848%
Chemung	845	665	57	788	1,382%
Chenango	369	295	43	326	758%
Clinton	640	626	68	572	841%
Columbia	457	324	20	437	2,185%
Cortland	427	295	31	396	1,277%
Delaware	274	232	48	226	471%
Dutchess	2,537	2,260	265	2,272	857%
Erie	10,086	9,178	808	9,278	1,148%
Essex & Hamilton*	279	231	35	244	697%
Franklin	453	250	63	390	619%
Fulton	409	345	36	373	1,036%
Genesee	589	421	63	526	835%
Greene	402	311	58	344	593%
Herkimer	600	393	115	485	422%
Jefferson	955	671	202	753	373%
Kings	32,272	29,543	1,992	30,280	1,520%
Lewis	195	166	23	172	748%
Livingston	490	403	69	421	610%
Madison	660	504	47	613	1,304%
Monroe	6,049	5,278	1,272	4,777	376%
Montgomery	461	395	63	398	632%
Nassau	14,047	13,725	1,046	13,001	1,243%
New York	15,691	13,524	1,269	14,422	1,136%
Niagara	2,467	2,138	423	2,044	483%
Oneida	1,993	1,809	256	1,737	679%
Onondaga	4,796	4,082	495	4,301	869%
Ontario & Yates*	1,014	921	86	928	1,079%
Orange	3,661	3,590	698	2,963	424%
Orleans	326	297	55	271	493%
Oswego	1,223	1,047	170	1,053	619%
Otsego	399	360	47	352	749%
Putnam	826	745	106	720	679%
Queens	37,109	37,374	1,554	35,555	2,288%
Rensselaer	1,241	1,033	110	1,131	1,028%
Richmond	5,711	5,131	365	5,346	1,465%
Rockland	2,551	2,168	231	2,320	1,004%
St. Lawrence	914	534	169	745	441%
Saratoga	1,975	1,654	100	1,875	1,875%
Schenectady	1,611	1,196	92	1,519	1,651%
Schoharie	179	170	21	158	752%

<b>County</b>	<b>Latest Week</b>	<b>Previous Week</b>	<b>Year Ago</b>	<b>OTY Net Change</b>	<b>OTY Pct Change</b>
Schuyler & Steuben*	917	684	97	820	845%
Seneca	294	295	20	274	1,370%
Suffolk	14,545	15,650	1,222	13,323	1,090%
Sullivan	857	775	129	728	564%
Tioga	406	338	28	378	1,350%
Tompkins	608	496	30	578	1,927%
Ulster	1,674	1,477	338	1,336	395%
Warren	607	552	46	561	1,220%
Washington	521	433	29	492	1,697%
Wayne	698	622	71	627	883%
Westchester	7,849	7,562	891	6,958	781%
Wyoming	326	266	43	283	658%
Out-of-State Residents	10,637	9,891	1,106	9,531	862%
<b>Total (Including Out-of-State Residents)</b>	<b>222,040</b>	<b>207,172</b>	<b>18,889</b>	<b>203,151</b>	<b>1,075%</b>

\*One or more of these counties did not meet the disclosure threshold. As a result, the initial claims data for both counties were aggregated.

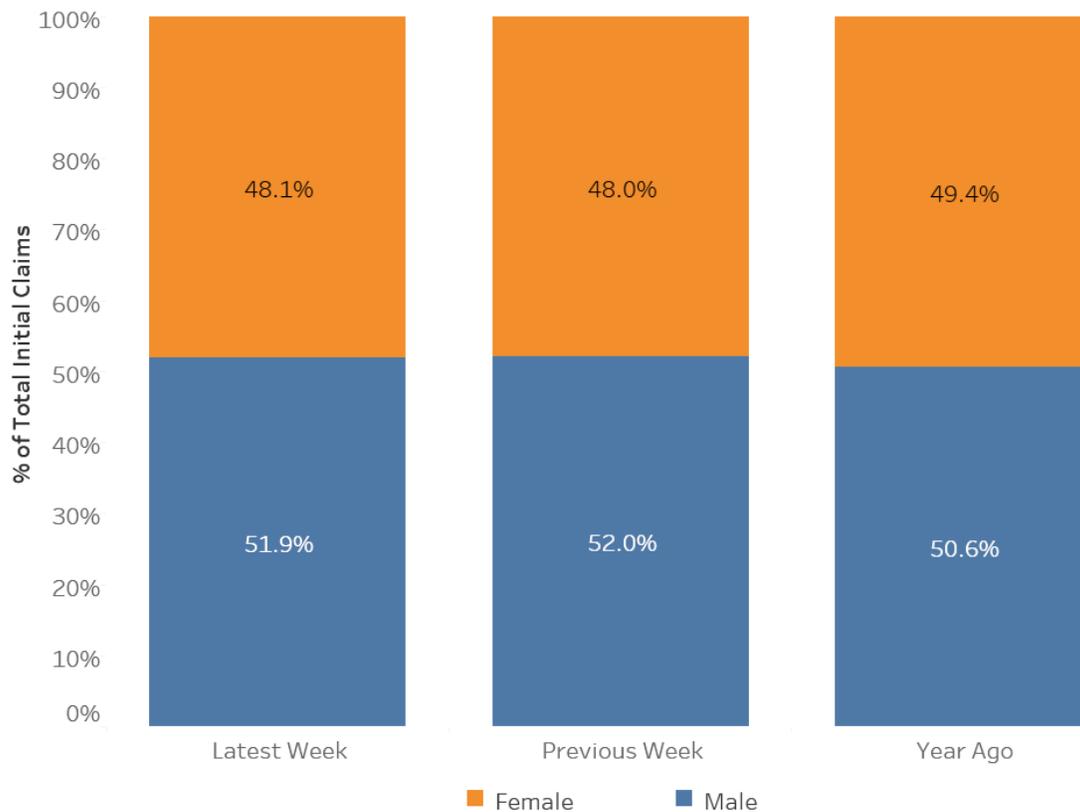
## Appendix B by Occupation

### Initial Claims by Occupational Group New York State, Week Ending 4/25/2020

<b>Occupational Group</b>	<b>Latest Week</b>	<b>Previous Week</b>	<b>Year Ago</b>	<b>OTY Net Change</b>	<b>OTY Pct Change</b>
Architecture and Engineering	1,133	1,556	72	1,061	1,474%
Arts, Design, Entertainment, Sports, and Media	3,346	4,881	648	2,698	416%
Building and Grounds Cleaning and Maintenance	4,048	5,511	251	3,797	1,513%
Business and Financial Operations	2,166	2,873	419	1,747	417%
Community and Social Service	1,059	1,336	102	957	938%
Computer and Mathematical	753	914	156	597	383%
Construction and Extraction	6,845	11,134	1,342	5,503	410%
Education, Training and Library	3,350	3,934	278	3,072	1,105%
Farming, Fishing, and Forestry	101	180	15	86	573%
Food Preparation and Serving Related	13,040	20,367	1,223	11,817	966%
Healthcare Practitioners and Technical	3,396	4,396	110	3,286	2,987%
Healthcare Support	4,633	6,255	188	4,445	2,364%
Installation, Maintenance, and Repair	4,056	5,700	262	3,794	1,448%
Legal	522	667	64	458	716%
Life, Physical and Social Science	442	547	40	402	1,005%
Management	11,690	16,294	1,075	10,615	987%
Military Specific	124	200	11	113	1,027%
Not Available	109,645	49,725	6,892	102,753	1,491%
Office and Administrative Support	14,281	20,059	977	13,304	1,362%
Personal Care and Service	7,992	11,187	436	7,556	1,733%
Production	5,771	8,171	463	5,308	1,146%
Protective Service	1,837	2,264	231	1,606	695%
Sales and Related	12,189	18,941	534	11,655	2,183%
Transportation and Material Moving	9,621	10,080	3,100	6,521	210%
<b>Total (Including Out-of-State Residents)</b>	<b>222,040</b>	<b>207,172</b>	<b>18,889</b>	<b>203,151</b>	<b>1,075%</b>

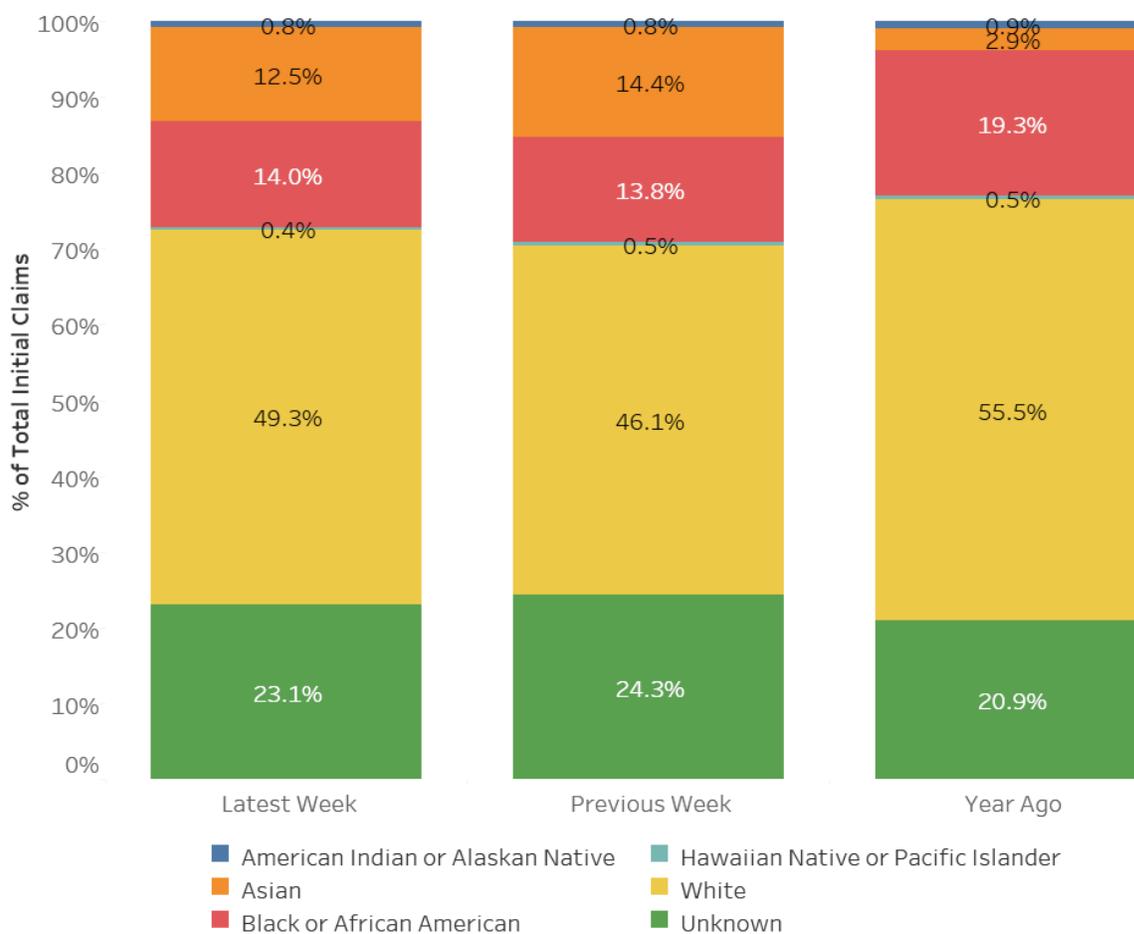
## Appendix C by Demographic Characteristics

Initial Claims by Gender  
 New York State, Week Ending 4/25/2020



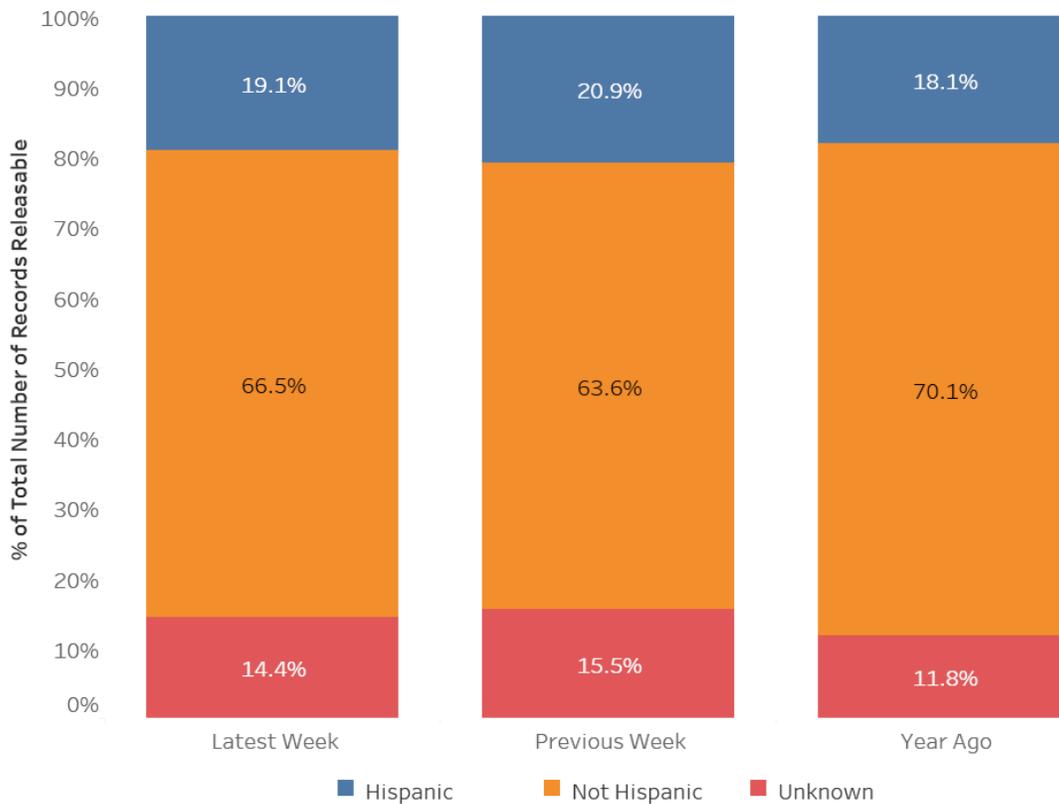
Gender	Latest Week	Previous Week	Year Ago	OTY Net Change	OTY Pct Change
Female	106,730	99,345	9,335	97,395	1,043%
Male	115,310	107,827	9,554	105,756	1,107%
Total (Including Out-of-State Residents)	222,040	207,172	18,889	203,151	1,075%

Initial Claims by Race  
New York State, Week Ending 4/25/2020



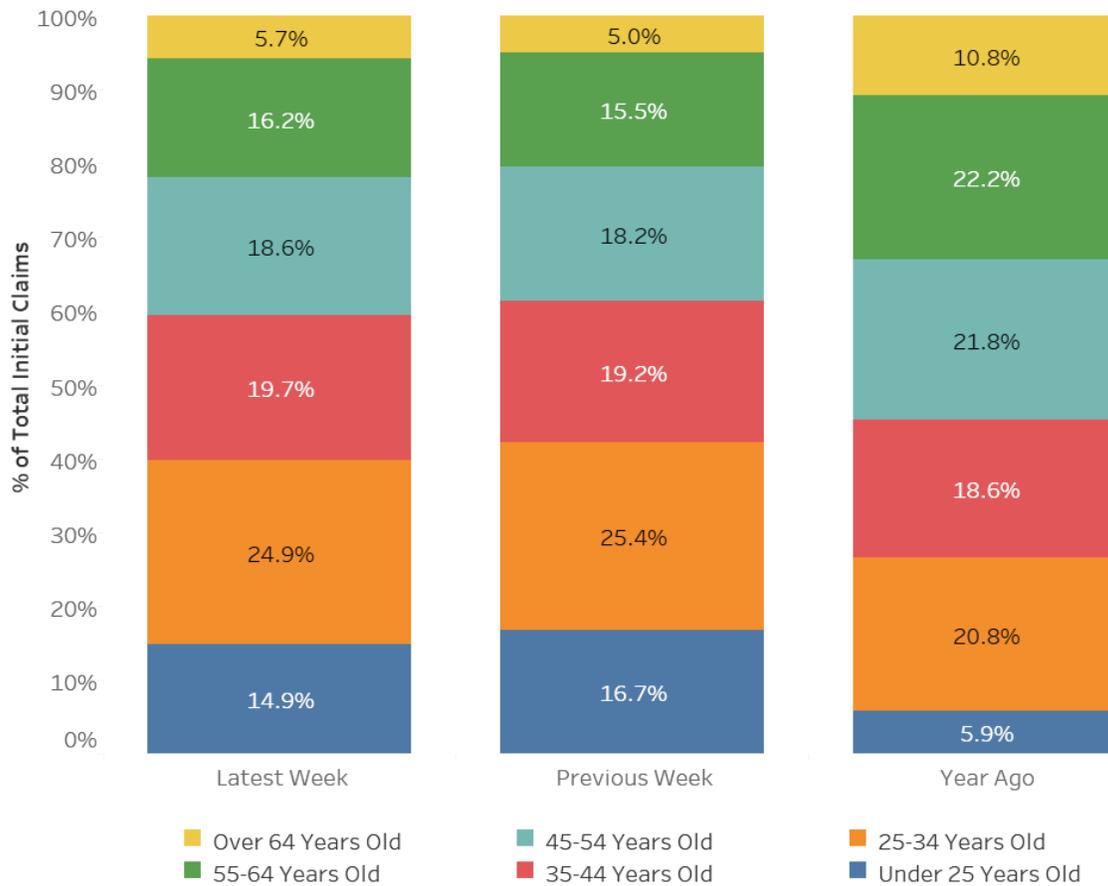
Race	Latest Week	Previous Week	Year Ago	OTY Net Change	OTY Pct Change
American Indian or Alaskan Native	1,723	1,692	169	1,554	920%
Asian	27,734	29,836	553	27,181	4,915%
Black or African American	31,008	28,685	3,641	27,367	752%
Hawaiian Native or Pacific Islander	831	1,036	88	743	844%
White	109,514	95,492	10,490	99,024	944%
Unknown	51,230	50,431	3,948	47,282	1,198%
Total (Including Out-of-State Residents)	222,040	207,172	18,889	203,151	1,075%

Initial Claims by Ethnicity  
 New York State, Week Ending 4/25/2020



Ethnicity	Latest Week	Previous Week	Year Ago	OTY Net Change	OTY Pct Change
Hispanic or Latino	42,470	43,328	3,427	39,043	1,139%
Not Hispanic or Latino	147,614	131,832	13,237	134,377	1,015%
Unknown	31,956	32,012	2,225	29,731	1,336%
Total (Including Out-of-State Residents)	222,040	207,172	18,889	203,151	1,075%

Initial Claims by Age Group  
 New York State, Week Ending 4/25/2020



Age Group	Latest Week	Previous Week	Year Ago	OTY Net Change	OTY Pct Change
Under 25	33,005	34,698	1,109	31,896	2,876%
25-34	55,315	52,704	3,923	51,392	1,310%
35-44	43,669	39,772	3,511	40,158	1,144%
45-54	41,327	37,703	4,109	37,218	906%
55-64	36,009	32,030	4,188	31,821	760%
Over 64	12,715	10,265	2,049	10,666	521%
<b>Total (Including Out-of-State Residents)</b>	<b>222,040</b>	<b>207,172</b>	<b>18,889</b>	<b>203,151</b>	<b>1,075%</b>