

**Table 10.6-- CHARACTERISTICS OF THE INSURED UNEMPLOYED,  
HAWAII COUNTY: 2007 AND 2008**

(Includes all eligible claimants, intrastate and interstate, who  
filed new claims for unemployment insurance benefits during the year)

Subject	2007		2008	
	Annual average	% of total	Annual average	% of total
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>1,288</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>2,423</b>	<b>100.0</b>
Sex:				
Male	773	60.0	1,457	60.1
Female	515	40.0	967	39.9
Age:				
Under 22 years	27	2.1	69	2.8
22 to 24 years	68	5.3	147	6.1
25 to 34 years	300	23.3	582	24.0
35 to 44 years	294	22.8	530	21.9
45 to 54 years	329	25.5	616	25.4
55 to 64 years	217	16.8	383	15.8
65 years and over	53	4.1	97	4.0
Industry:				
State government	47	3.6	69	2.8
County government	11	0.9	13	0.5
Agriculture/Forestry/Fishing	76	5.9	128	5.3
Mining	-	-	1	-
Utilities	2	0.2	2	0.1
Construction	363	28.2	598	24.7
Manufacturing	22	1.7	51	2.1
Wholesale Trade	19	1.5	41	1.7
Retail Trade	82	6.4	146	6.0
Transportation/Warehousing	45	3.5	125	5.2
Information	9	0.7	20	0.8
Finance /Insurance	13	1.0	34	1.4
Real estate/Rental/Leasing	17	1.3	44	1.8
Professional/Technical Services	25	1.9	45	1.9
Management Companies	2	0.2	2	0.1
Administrative/Waste Services	164	12.7	318	13.1
Educational Services	4	0.3	9	0.4

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Healthcare/Social assistance	77	6.0	115	4.7
Arts/Entertainment/Recreation	12	0.9	22	0.9
Accommodation/Food Services	152	11.8	391	16.1
Other Services	28	2.2	49	2.0
Public Administration	-	-	-	-
Information not available	118	9.2	200	8.3
Duration of unemployment:				
1 to 4 weeks	501	38.9	883	36.4
5 to 14 weeks	484	37.6	956	39.5
15 weeks and over	303	23.5	584	24.1
Occupation:				
Management	80	6.2	142	5.9
Business/Financial Operations	13	1.0	30	1.2
Computer/Mathematical	3	0.2	8	0.3
Architecture/Engineering	5	0.4	12	0.5
Life/Physical/Social Science	7	0.5	11	0.5
Community/Social Services	29	2.3	29	1.2
Legal	4	0.3	6	0.2
Education/Training/Library	33	2.6	48	2.0
Arts/Entertainment/Sports	13	1.0	18	0.7
Healthcare/Practitioner/Technical	10	0.8	22	0.9
Healthcare support	16	1.2	41	1.7
Protective service	17	1.3	38	1.6
Food Preparation/Serving	108	8.4	252	10.4
Building/Grounds/Maintenance	41	3.2	121	5.0
Personal Care/Service	27	2.1	60	2.5
Sales related	83	6.4	162	6.7
Office/Administrative support	151	11.7	285	11.8
Farming/Fishing/Forestry	58	4.5	84	3.5

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Construction/Extraction	306	23.8	462	19.1
Installation/Maintenance/Repair	23	1.8	57	2.4
Production	22	1.7	47	1.9
Transportation/Material moving	53	4.1	136	5.6
Information not available	187	14.5	354	14.6
Ethnicity				
American Indian	15	1.2	24	1.0
Chinese	29	2.3	49	2.0
Filipino	174	13.5	361	14.9
Japanese	72	5.6	128	5.3
Other Asians	14	1.1	31	1.3
Black	20	1.6	26	1.1
Hawaiian	320	24.8	631	26.0
Other Pacific Islander	56	4.3	115	4.7
White & Latino	436	33.9	763	31.5
Others	152	11.8	294	12.1
Information not available	-	-	-	-

Note: Percentages may not add due to rounding.

Source: Hawaii State Department of Labor and Industrial Relations, Unemployment Insurance Research Section, Characteristics of the Insured Unemployed in Hawaii (annual).