

STATE COINCIDENT INDEXES



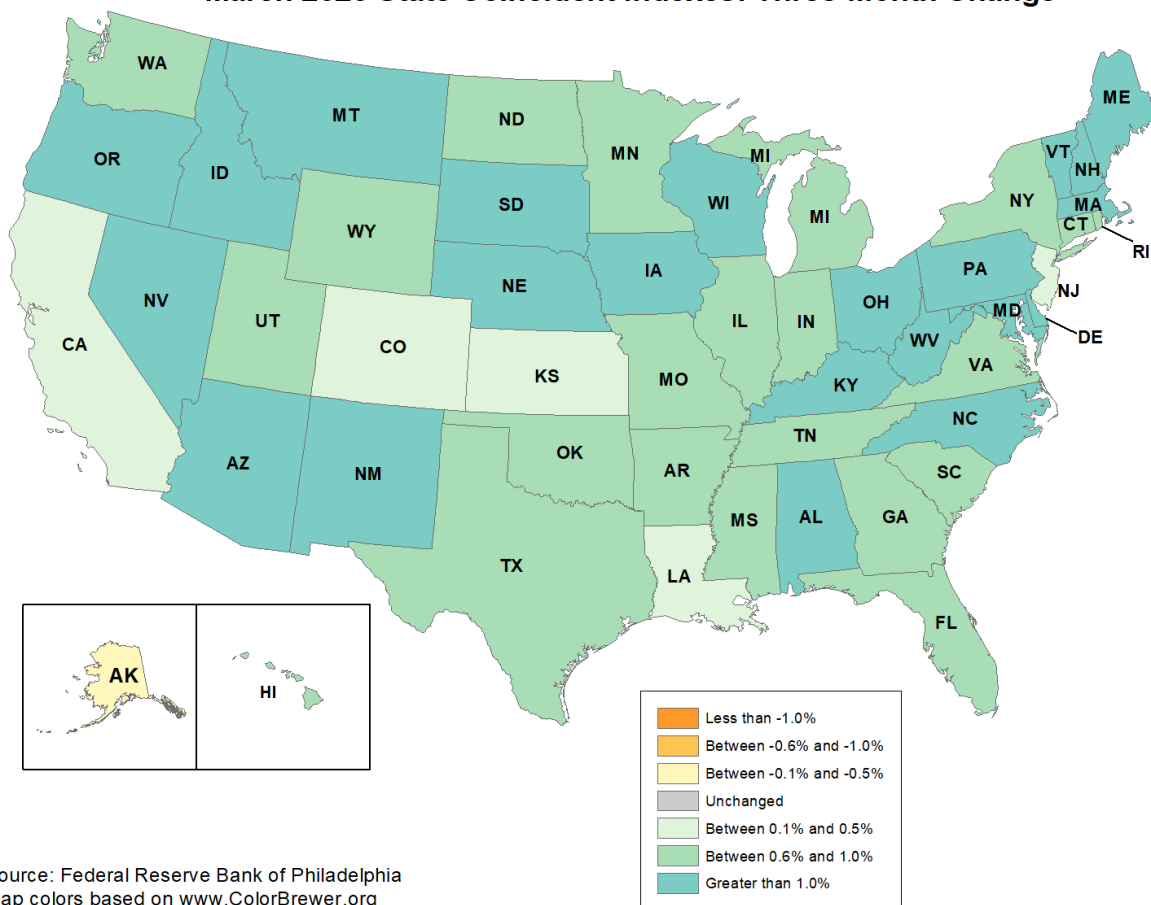
MARCH 2023

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The Federal Reserve Bank of Philadelphia has released the coincident indexes for the 50 states for March 2023. Over the past three months, the indexes increased in 49 states and decreased in one, for a three-month diffusion index of 96. Additionally, in the past month, the indexes increased in 49 states and remained stable in one, for a one-month diffusion index of 98. For comparison purposes, the Philadelphia Fed has also developed a similar coincident index for the entire United States. The Philadelphia Fed's U.S. index increased 0.9 percent over the past three months and 0.3 percent in March.

The next release date of the state coincident indexes will be May 24, 2023.

March 2023 State Coincident Indexes: Three-Month Change



Source: Federal Reserve Bank of Philadelphia
Map colors based on www.ColorBrewer.org

THIRD DISTRICT COINCIDENT INDEXES: MARCH 2023

Pennsylvania

In the three months to March, the coincident index for Pennsylvania rose 1.1 percent. The level of payroll employment increased over the past three months. The unemployment rate decreased during the three-month period. In addition, average hours worked in manufacturing increased. Overall, Pennsylvania's economic activity as measured by the coincident index has risen 3.4 percent over the past 12 months.

New Jersey

In the three months to March, the coincident index for New Jersey increased 0.1 percent. The level of payroll employment increased over the past three months, and average hours worked in manufacturing increased. However, the unemployment rate increased during the three-month period. Overall, New Jersey's economic activity as measured by the coincident index has risen 3.2 percent over the past 12 months.

Delaware

In the three months to March, the coincident index for Delaware rose 1.4 percent. The level of payroll employment rose over the past three months. The unemployment rate decreased during the three-month period but generally remained higher than its pre-pandemic level. Additionally, average hours worked in manufacturing increased. Overall, Delaware's economic activity as measured by the coincident index has risen 2.6 percent over the past 12 months.

March 2023 DATA: Third District Coincident Indexes

Area	March 2023*	1-Month Change	3-Month Change	12-Month Change
Pennsylvania	126.7	0.7%	1.1%	3.4%
New Jersey	135.8	0.1%	0.1%	3.2%
Delaware	135.6	0.8%	1.4%	2.6%
US	137.4	0.3%	0.9%	3.8%

* Indexed to 2007 annual average. Values are subject to monthly revision.

Historical data for the state coincident indexes and diffusion indexes are available in Excel format. Click [here](#) to download the files. Visit [our website](#) for data, maps, and more information on the state coincident indexes.

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