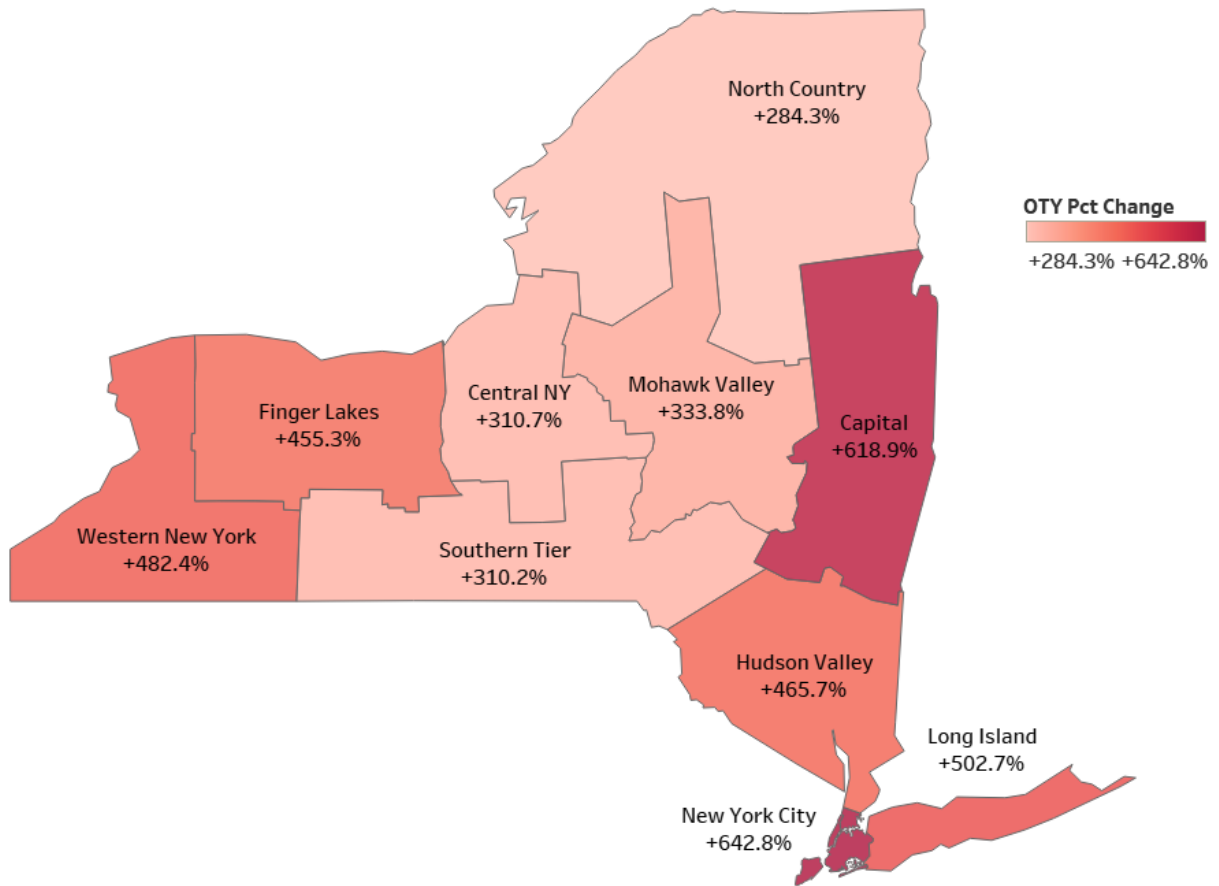


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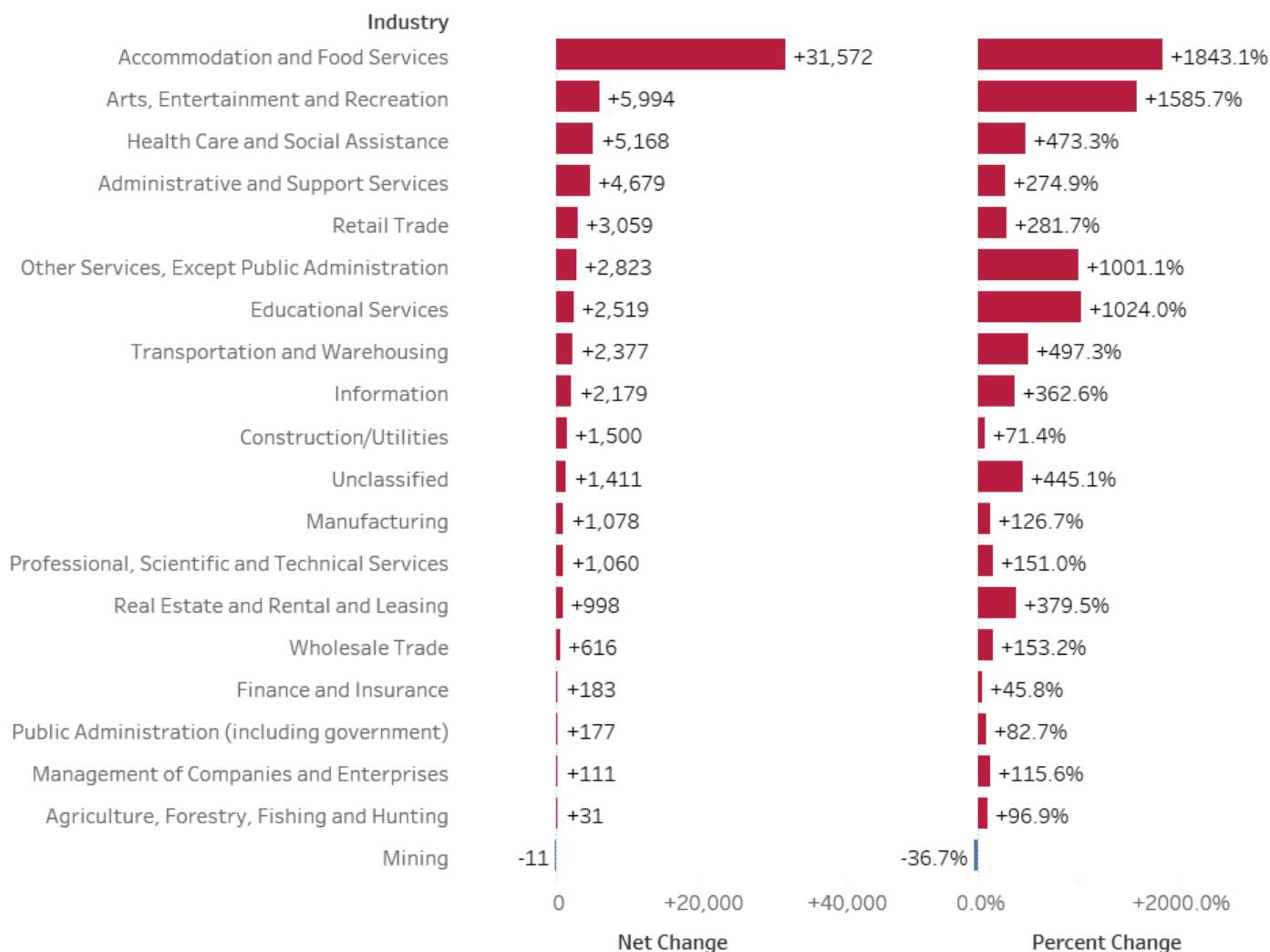
Over-the-Year Percent Change in Initial Claims by Region
 Week Ending 3/21/2020



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- For the week ending March 21, 2020, initial claims for Unemployment Insurance increased over the past year by 520% (including out-of-state residents) in New York State. Initial claims for UI increased by a minimum of 284% 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 (+642.8%), Capital Region (+618.9%), Long Island (+502.7%), Western New York (+482.4%) and Hudson Valley (+465.7%). At the same time, initial claims for out-of-state residents grew by 395.1%.
- On a net basis, regions with the largest over-the-year increase in initial claims included: New York City (+33,215), Long Island (+6,460), Western New York (+5,543), Hudson Valley (+5,318) and Finger Lakes (+4,002). Initial claims for out-of-state residents grew by 3,840 during this timeframe.

Over-the-Year Change in Initial Claims by Industry
Week Ending 3/21/2020



- For the week ending March 21, 2020, all statewide industries—except Mining—experienced an increase in initial claims for Unemployment Insurance over the past year.
- Four statewide industries in New York experienced increases in initial claims for UI of more than 1,000% compared to a year ago: Accommodation and Food Services; Arts, Entertainment and Recreation; Educational Services; and Other Services.

Over-the-Year Change in Initial Claims by Industry
Week Ending 3/21/2020

Industry	Latest Week	Previous Week	Year Ago	OTY Net Change	OTY Pct Change
Accommodation and Food Services	33,285	1,760	1,713	+31,572	+1843.1%
Administrative and Support Services	6,381	2,050	1,702	+4,679	+274.9%
Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing and Hunting	63	39	32	+31	+96.9%
Arts, Entertainment and Recreation	6,372	464	378	+5,994	+1585.7%
Construction/Utilities	3,600	2,605	2,100	+1,500	+71.4%
Educational Services	2,765	242	246	+2,519	+1024.0%
Finance and Insurance	583	457	400	+183	+45.8%
Health Care and Social Assistance	6,260	1,096	1,092	+5,168	+473.3%
Information	2,780	751	601	+2,179	+362.6%
Management of Companies and Enterprises	207	56	96	+111	+115.6%
Manufacturing	1,929	709	851	+1,078	+126.7%
Mining	19	32	30	-11	-36.7%
Other Services, Except Public Administration	3,105	282	282	+2,823	+1001.1%
Professional, Scientific and Technical Services	1,762	777	702	+1,060	+151.0%
Public Administration (including government)	391	230	214	+177	+82.7%
Real Estate and Rental and Leasing	1,261	462	263	+998	+379.5%
Retail Trade	4,145	1,137	1,086	+3,059	+281.7%
Total (including out-of-state residents)	80,509	14,546	12,985	+67,524	+520.0%
Transportation and Warehousing	2,855	575	478	+2,377	+497.3%
Unclassified	1,728	342	317	+1,411	+445.1%
Wholesale Trade	1,018	480	402	+616	+153.2%

Over-the-Year Change in Initial Claims by Region
Week Ending 3/21/2020

Region	Latest Week	Previous Week	Year Ago	OTY Net Change	OTY Pct Change
Capital	4,062	600	565	3,497	+618.9%
Central NY	2,760	490	672	2,088	+310.7%
Finger Lakes	4,881	805	879	4,002	+455.3%
Hudson Valley	6,460	1,271	1,142	5,318	+465.7%
Long Island	7,745	1,496	1,285	6,460	+502.7%
Mohawk Valley	1,410	337	325	1,085	+333.8%
New York City	38,382	6,598	5,167	33,215	+642.8%
North Country	1,422	289	370	1,052	+284.3%
Southern Tier	1,883	342	459	1,424	+310.2%
Western New York	6,692	1,043	1,149	5,543	+482.4%
Total (Including out-of-state residents)	80,509	14,546	12,985	67,524	+520.0%
Out-of-State Residents	4,812	1,275	972	3,840	+395.1%

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.