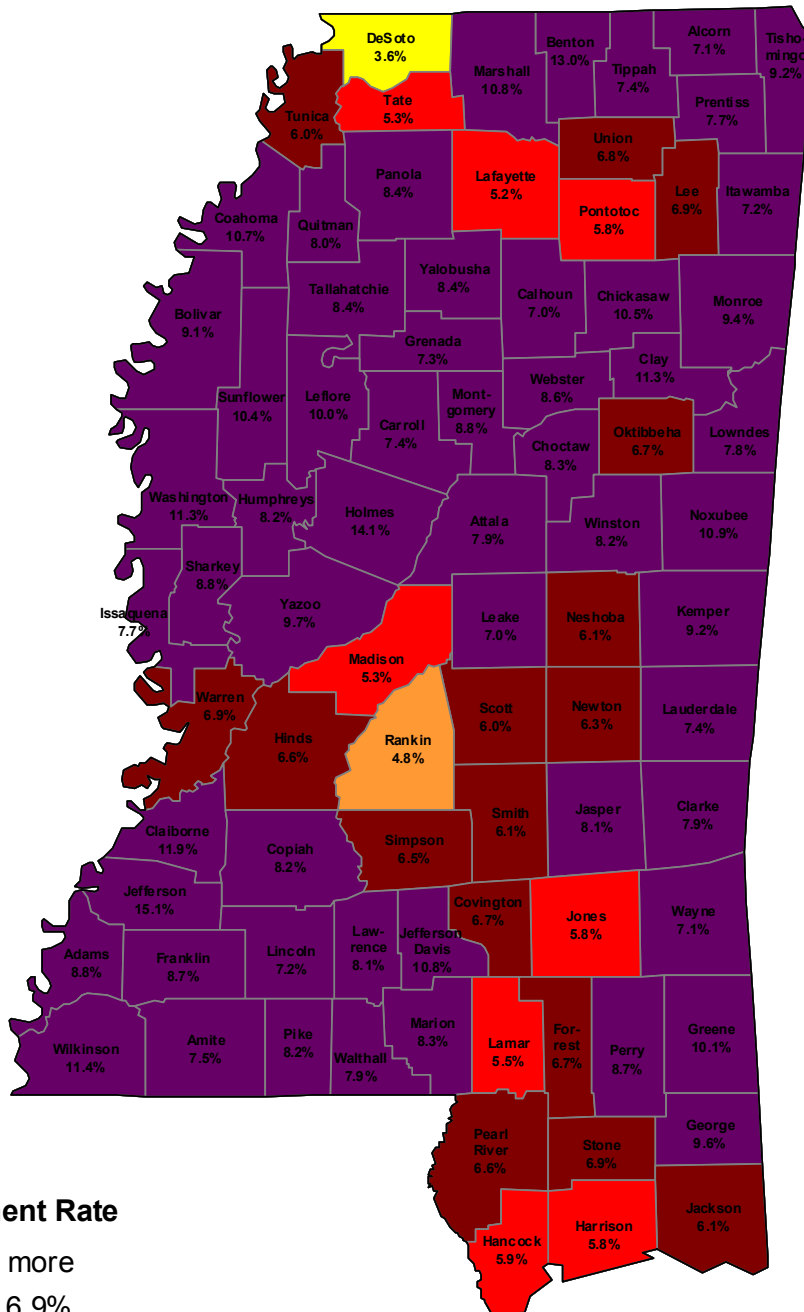
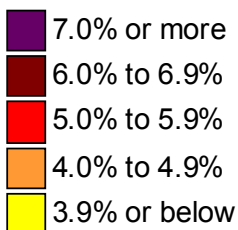


Unemployment rates by county and disaster assistance eligibility, Mississippi, August 2005, not seasonally adjusted

(State rate = 7.0%; U.S. rate = 4.9%)



Unemployment Rate



NOTE: All Mississippi counties are eligible for disaster assistance as of September 6.