

# Kentucky Unemployment Report

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## Overview

The *Kentucky Unemployment Report* produces a summary or detail listing of wages subject to unemployment contribution and calculates unemployment tax attributable to each employee. This program also produces a quarterly wage magnetic media file that is submitted to the Kentucky Division of Unemployment Insurance.

**NOTE:** In order for an employee to pull into the KY Unemployment Report, the Unemployment Tax box must be check marked in Employee Master under the Demographics tab.

The screenshot shows the 'DEMOGRAPHICS' tab in the Employee Master system. The 'Unemployment Tax' checkbox is checked and highlighted in yellow. Other visible fields include Gender (FEMALE), Actual Marital Status (MARRIED), and Ethnicity (1 - WHITE NOT OF HISPANIC ORIGIN).

**NOTE:** Because quarterly unemployment wages and contributions are calculated for this report, unemployment contribution totals generated from Payroll Deductions will not match the calculated totals 'to the penny'.

## Generating the Report

1. Select the KY Unemployment Report which is found in the Kentucky specific payroll menu.

The screenshot shows the 'KY Unemployment Report [KDE]' configuration window. The 'Main' tab is active. Fields include:
 

- Execute this report: Now
- Quarter/Year: Specify (1 / 2024)
- Report Option: Detail
- Sort Option: By Last Name
- Location: to 2222
- Org: to 22222222
- Taxable Limit: 0.00
- Tax Rate %: 0.000
- Exclude Pays: (empty)
- Exclude Deductions: (empty)

2. Select **Define** from the Menu.
3. Enter the following fields, accepting the default for fields not listed below:

Field Name	Description
Quarter/Year	Enter the proper period (01 is first quarter, 02 is second quarter, etc.) and year. These are required fields.
Report Option	Choose either Detail or Summary from the drop-down list. This is a required field.
Sort Option	Choose either By SSN or By Last Name from the drop-down box. This is a required field.
Tax rate	Enter the unemployment tax rate. This is a required field.
Taxable Limit	Enter the maximum earnings subject to unemployment tax. This is a required field.
Exclude Pays	Enter pay periods to exclude from report. This is an optional field.
Exclude Deductions	Enter deduction ranges to be subtracted from the gross amount. This is an Optional Field.

3. Select Employer Info Tab to verify the correct employer and transmitter information. The Employer Information should default to this screen from the system. If it has not, or needs to be updated, it must be defined before output of the report/magnetic media can be completed.

**NOTE:** Once the Employer Information is entered the first time, it does not have to be defined again as it is unlikely that the information will change.

4. Enter or update the following fields as required:

Field Name	Description
Employer Name	Enter the employer name. This is a <b>required</b> field.
Transmitter Name	Enter the transmitter name. This is a <b>required</b> field.
Address	This section includes a Street Address line, City, State, and Zip Code fields. This information is <b>required</b> .
Federal EIN	Enter the Employer Identification Number. This is a <b>required</b> field.
Employer Number	This section is made up of 3 fields. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Employer Number Prefix. <u>Leave</u> blank if none. This is an <b>optional</b> field</li> <li>• Employer number. This is a <b>required</b> field.</li> <li>• Employer Number Suffix. <u>Leave</u> blank if none. This is an <b>optional</b> field</li> </ul>
Contact Person	Enter the name of the contact person. This is a <b>required</b> field.
Contact Phone	Enter the phone number for the contact person. The extension is optional. The phone number is <b>required</b> .

5. Click Accept.
6. Click Print to choose output or save options.
7. Using *Transfer to/from the Cloud*, transfer the file to your PC to submit the report.