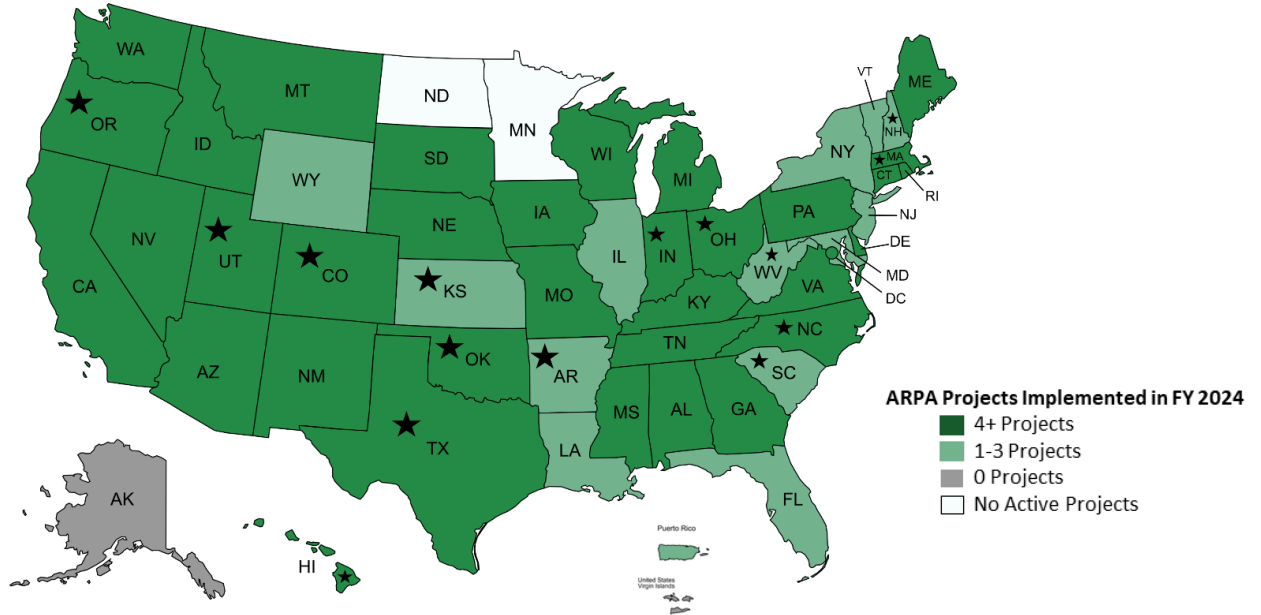


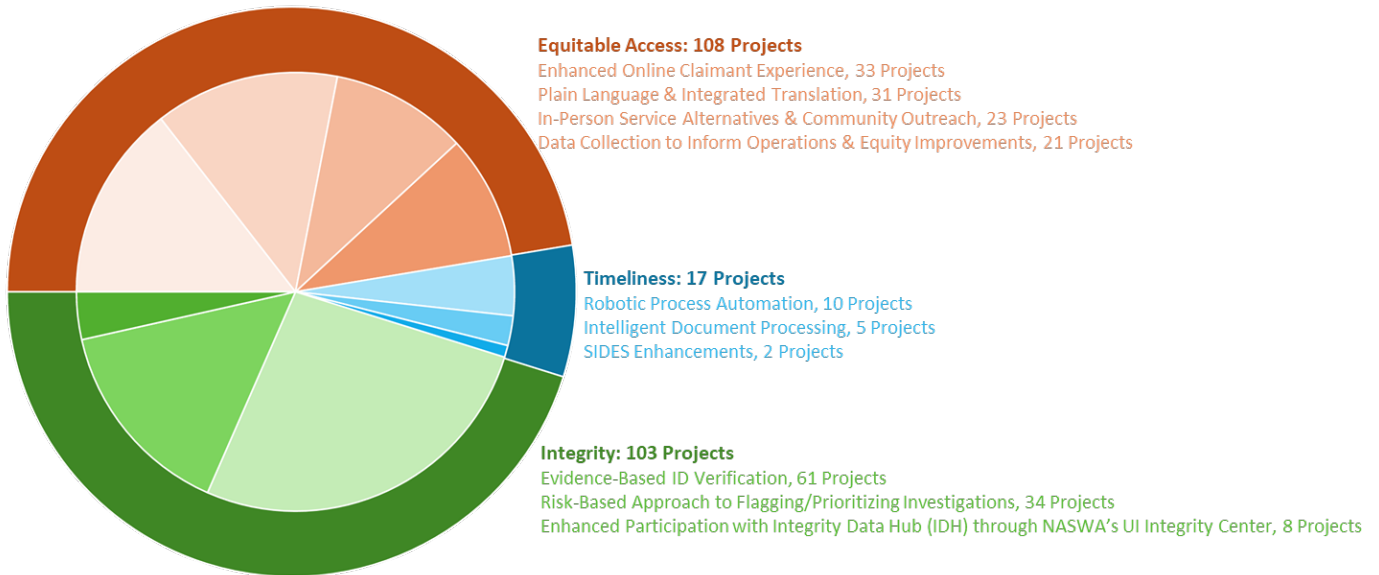
ARPA Unemployment Insurance (UI) Modernization: Progress through Fiscal Year (FY) 2024

Thanks to the incredible momentum provided by states and with significant collaboration with the U.S. Department of Labor (“the Department”) and its partners,¹ the UI system made meaningful progress during FY 2024. Using funding from the American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA), enacted in March 2021, states and the Department have partnered to launch innovative projects, powered by more than \$780 million in grants to states, across all three ARPA pillars - preventing and detecting fraud and improper payments, promoting equitable access and good customer experience, and improving the timeliness of benefit payments.

A total of 152 ARPA-funded projects were implemented by 49 states in FY 2024, bringing the total number of ARPA-funded projects implemented to 228. The below map is a visualization of the FY 2024 implemented projects by state. Those with an asterisk are also participating in the Department’s National ID Verification Offering as of September 30.²



Further, the below visualization represents how the 228 implemented projects (including the 152 implemented in FY 2024 alone) are arrayed across the three pillars of ARPA. Additional information on activities and strategies underway to build a more resilient UI system can be found in the Department’s UI Transformation Plan at https://oui.doleta.gov/unemploy/transformation_plan.asp.



¹ ETA announced multiple opportunities for technical assistance resources through UIPL No. [03-23](#) and TEN No. [05-24](#).

² UIPL No. [11-23](#) announced a two-year opportunity for states to participate in the National ID Verification Offering, including online ID verification services via the U.S. General Services Administration’s Login.gov and in-person ID verification services at participating U.S. Postal Service retail locations nationwide.