

EMPLOYMENT SERVICE STATISTICS' ANNUAL AVERAGES 1991-2018

	2018	2017	2016	2015	2014	2013	2012	2011	2010	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005	2004	2003	2002	2001	2000	1999	1998	1997	1996	1995	1994	1993	1992	1991
VACANCIES																												
Jobs vacant at the end of month	54061	44426	39196	36138	34567	33723	35449	35072	28597	26937	37250	40714	34384	29102	23479	23321	21592	19650	17120	14628	16842	13690	10132	8305	7362	5935	7051	13380
All vacancies during a month	110261	93165	84730	76343	72138	71180	76168	77958	64245	58414	79846	82710	70529	59897	48779	48758	45832	43366	39536	34519	34971	30406	23763	20373	18339	14241	16526	27795
New vacancies during a month	57592	49338	46792	40967	38946	39155	42876	45183	38351	33891	45161	44934	38945	32872	27383	26625	25989	25338	24102	20949	19857	18904	15041	13215	12108	8918	9975	15037
Vacancies filled during a month ³	8572	8935	9578	10961	8982	8264	10896	12023	12211	13240	20858	22554	17389	31313	26295	25917	25165	24568	23149	20017	18859	17710	14145	12399	11133	8325	9458	14171
Vacancies filled with jobseekers at the Employment Service ³	4619	5053	4629	6102	6011	4301	6963	7938	8649	9914	16007	17324	13243	12555	11249	12095	12101	12276	11880	10773	10331	9866	8254	6973	6287	4569	5358	7377
UNEMPLOYED JOBSEEKERS (FULLY LAID OFF INCLUDED ¹)																												
Unemployed jobseekers at the end of month	255883	303406	348767	351872	325653	294136	253150	243876	264813	264805	202891	215751	247890	275317	288402	288843	293969	302177	321119	348140	372431	408964	447987	466013	494247	482173	363121	213201
Unemployed men at the end of month	141226	166196	194481	198736	185541	168177	144792	138814	154311	156234	107360	110981	128829	144111	152179	153473	154460	153433	161648	177190	190183	214937	241430	254865	276896	280729	221485	134611
Unemployed women at the end of month	114657	137210	154286	153136	140112	125959	108358	105062	110501	108572	95531	104769	119060	131206	136223	135370	139509	148744	159471	170950	182248	194027	206557	211148	217351	201444	141636	78590
The ratio of the unemployed jobseekers of the labour force	9,7	11,5	13,2	13,4	12,4	11,3	9,8	9,4	10,1	10,2	7,9	8,5	9,7	10,8	11,3	11,5	12,0	12,8	14,2	15,4	17,0	18,6	19,3	20,0	19,5	14,6	8,6	
Under 25 years old unemployed at the end of month***	32444	38225	45877	47084	43309	38834	32080	30036	34562	36165	22374	22538	26838	30530	34933	35250	35759	36555	39332	44267	46861	53908	68552	80510	92213	97697	77835	45762
Under 20 years old unemployed at the end of month***	6926	7966	9446	9827	9471	8468	7170	7041	8009	8409	5331	5164	5841	6727	8231	8636	9151	9696	10001	10937	11110	12178	15993	23649	27467	29673	23740	14599
Over 50 years old unemployed at the end of month***	96366	114682	128940	128606	119842	109391	97463	93570	95099	92141	81761	88744	97639	100475	98858	95881	95301	98260	102492	105477	108175	110766	104721	93239	86400	72838	51798	29073
Over 55 years old unemployed at the end of month***	67436	80413	90379	89735	83703	77031	69473	65987	64489	61379	57492	62969	67900	68868	65987	61742	58975	60284	62525	65165	67692	68920	64259	56887	51323	41503	28926	15852
Unemployed with disabilities and long-term illnesses at the end of month***	31611	36857	40796	42303	41771	41510	39577	38565	38520	37284	33292	33967	36443	38098	38418	38136	39146	40194	40084	38819	36886	36059	34438	32707	31490	29135	23438	16174
Non-finnish unemployed at the end of month***	26391	30412	33917	33338	30251	26385	21098	19090	18563	16704	12193	11577	12372	14393	14304	13767	13914	13794	13420	13891	14245	13923	13197	12505	11139	8753	5038	1664
New unemployed during a month	14809	15229	15331	16816	19597	25073	23181	22085	22298	26599	21341	19118	19573	17558	17880	18071	18365	19140	19147	20141	20373	19728	21133	21386	21581	23442	25388	25815
DURATION OF THE UNEMPLOYMENT ¹																												
Unemployed over 1,5 years at the end of month	53744	73583	82983	70702	58847	47469	40702	36636	29009	24265	28350	35183	42806	46530	46540	47616	51262	55518	59261	67622	76889	80604	85292	84021	66009	29437	6089	1166
Unemployed over two years at the end of month	39433	52884	56850	48268	39791	32750	28661	23031	16349	15504	19626	24772	28776	31397	31756	33336	36407	39224	43508	50620	54656	56957	59042	53620	32740	10079	1302	539
Average duration of ended unemployment spells, weeks	25	27	25	22	19	16	16	14	14	13	13	14	15	18	17	19	19	20	20	22	23	23	24	26	26	22	18	13
Average duration of ongoing unemployment spells, weeks	54	58	57	52	48	45	43	40	36	32	40	43	45	47	46	48	50	51	51	52	52	51	48	45	..	..	..	..
- STRUCTURAL UNEMPLOYMENT:																												
Unemployed over a year at the end of month (long-term unemployed)	76331	104800	123737	109313	90504	73686	61168	57172	54046	41328	43148	51659	64357	72366	73040	72426	77661	82693	88968	97981	112612	124558	134898	140224	133561	86018	29239	5298
Co-ordinate long-term unemployed at the end of month	35828	37564	38765	41469	41857	39584	38317	39634	42260	32637	30029	34768	40693	40900	41852	42084	43727	47182	52355	55712	59938	63157	..	..	..	..	..	..
From service to unemployment at the end of month	38318	42150	43708	50006	44395	39565	38080	38685	38858	40809	35965	37492	38336	36643	39544	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
From service to other service at the end of month	8447	7374	7655	7674	7756	6490	6186	7114	7251	6246	7336	8064	9775	11947	13150	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Structural unemployment total	158923	191889	213866	208462	184512	159325	143751	142605	142415	121020	116477	131984	153161	161856	167586	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
LAID OFFS ETC.																												
Fully laid off at the end of month ¹	11368	15046	23275	26821	25979	21413	15190	14250	21285	30996	9016	6588	7985	10610	13239	14219	12695	10366	9461	11065	9959	10656	13882	15143	26793	45886	43649	32347
On reduced working week at the end of month ²	6786	9021	10503	9327	7950	4648	2328	2031	3657	3813	1071	1060	1348	1690	2129	2330	2446	2701	3172	4131	4876	6307	7958	9207	12904	14431	10953	5873
Unemployment pensioners at the end of month	1693	8647	16308	27463	37704	47461	49796	48246	46123	46338	47603	50694	52992	54668	52715	50911	48014	44946	41132	37904	39812	44798	45465	46549	51970

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JOBSEEKERS																												
Jobseekers at the end of month ¹	555699	614950	648829	625521	571644	504992	466677	470401	504231	491319	418636	443426	481226	505197	524305	523355	523484	525569	551499	586348	609968	656865	690504	694634	720998	680435	538621	365080
Have work at the end of month	168197	174609	163953	144853	123379	100023	104508	106522	113432	110003	105669	116130	121646	119371	120943	120354	118971	118295	124337	132149	136112	146069	146703	138086	132711	110714	95534	76712
Have non-subsidized work at the end of month	144044	151292	142059	120287	92983	72432	65625	64550	72153	72018	66086	72842	78000	76734	76837	76581	77981	78449	80885	81015	80230	84377	83427	79044	74081	68664	58229	44957
Persons not in the labour force at the end of month	124833	127914	125606	117776	106015	89877	79228	80268	74868	62902	60760	64363	64004	61190	62101	58800	53430	49681	51960	53914	51603	54393	49952	41516	36338	27652	22464	17324
Jobseekers with disabilities and long-term illnesses at the end of month ¹	64127	69258	73186	74157	74021	73762	74520	75479	74978	72717	69234	69796	70084	69471	68773	66807	65370	63910	62470	59737	55993	53994	50346	47148	45043	41651	35723	28534
Non-finnish jobseekers at the end of month ¹	73539	76457	74554	68622	60669	52005	45106	41466	38999	34261	27919	26445	25867	28316	27519	25920	24285	22786	21999	21779	20965	20507	19237	17432	15117	10968	6834	2717
All jobseekers during a month ¹	582702	642894	672488	649262	596312	532708	495740	500643	535823	521848	446458	472283	510320	534226	553224	552419	553152	555953	584144	618777	642890	691723	724438	729187	755437	714026	572051	396254
New jobseekers during a month ¹	26191	26682	28215	31105	35232	37311	35220	33809	35834	43535	34822	31798	32617	32987	34318	35007	34838	35201	34772	36740	36091	36436	39063	38968	39538	49218	53274	52411
PARTICIPATING IN SERVICES																												
Total number of employed people at the end of month*	25329	23688	22306	27352	37352	31809	30548	35488	34094	32992	35417	37807	37951	38546	39831	39794	38314	38425	43006	51459	57009	62582	64627	63643	66408	56779	52091	40276
- By the state at the end of month	458	477	585	660	897	826	813	1326	1476	1193	1206	1741	1907	2013	2542	2644	2513	2360	3165	5857	7841	10793	11806	12092	12025	11432	11930	11110
- By municipalities at the end of month	7574	6805	6094	6461	8328	7952	7994	9025	8579	7539	8366	9410	10182	10739	12029	13004	13631	14538	15918	18047	21350	26804	30548	27681	25386	21521	24275	20753
- By the private sector at the end of month	17297	16405	15627	20231	28126	23031	21741	25137	24039	24260	25845	26656	25862	25794	25260	24146	22170	21527	23924	27555	27819	24986	22273	23870	28997	23826	15886	8414
Traineeship/preparatory training for working life at the end of month	..	..	..	..	..	1506	13265	12719	13047	10447	9669	10873	11713	11768	11439	10683	9426	8935	9752	10723	10846	10703	9978	6087	3534	..	..	..
As a job alternation substitute at the end of month	3189	3534	5301	5462	5643	5856	7201	6387	6073	6111	7268	6754	6058	5218	5372	6427	5199	6244	5378	4617	3932	3258	1578	..	..	..	..	..
Rehabilitative work at the end of month	24997	22458	21591	18649	14644	11466	10214	9158	8004	6396	5704	5009	3920	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Self-motivated studies supported by unemployment benefit at the end of month	38433	37809	34665	30041	25644	19596	18638	15184	6103	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Training at the end of month	2599	2391	2131	2020	2115	1408	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Engaged in work/training trials at the end of month	10724	10947	11678	11892	11246	9755	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total number of people participating in services**	123889	119702	118396	117789	122130	107589	107492	109133	100144	83808	83044	87894	86496	84749	87343	86802	79285	79707	89038	104899	113231	123385	118514	103667	98377	84016	78324	57549
New jobs found through employment services during a month	4167	3645	3561	3399	5490	4950	3822	4685	4785	4447	5048	5420	5898	5212	5493	5550	5770	5790	6591	7421	8660	10161	10754	11709	13888	11397	10396	8634
LABOUR MARKET TRAINING																												
Labour market training at the end of month	18618	18875	20724	22374	25486	26193	27626	30197	32823	27862	24986	27451	26854	29217	30701	29898	26346	26103	30902	38100	41444	46842	42331	33937	28435	27237	26233	17273
New in labour market training during a month	4025	4506	4037	3721	4504	4358	5670	6196	7026	6659	5866	6484	6503	5977	6431	5964	6133	5765	6514	7589	7531	9346	8518	7301	6901	5270	5129	3960
LABOUR MARKET POLICY REPORTS																												
	204798	206733	191044	194400	210575	188532	184383	189414	193052	177301	154691	155770	151240	149332	148519	146644	143193	141541	140404	147596	149360	154448	154935	130217	133483	138905	128077	103691
LABOUR FORCE																												
	2631516	2631321	2636703	2630122	2621312	2611164	2593914	2589838	2610668	2587739	2562547	2548746	2561691	2549534	2544624	2550058	2546661	2527471	2506821	2444500	2425002	2409319	2408651	2412998	2469863	2473174	2482078	2482190

Source: Ministry of Economic Affairs and Employment, Employment Service Statistics

Figures are annual averages which have been calculated from monthly figures.

¹ Includes all fully laid off starting from 1 July 2013, up to that date only those individually laid off.

² For lay offs includes all reduced working weeks that started from 1 July 2013 – up to that date only those individually laid off to a reduced working week.

³ As of the start of 2006 two reasons for change, 'sufficient numbers of candidates' and 'application period ended', will no longer be included in the figures for filled vacancies.

* Until 2005 wage-related measures

** Total in services: total employed, Traineeship/preparatory training for working life, as a job alternation substitute, rehabilitative work, self-motivated studies, training, engaged in work/training trials and labour market training.

*** Years 1991-2005 without individual laid offs.