

## 12.4 Unemployment, rates

|  | 2017 | 2018 | 2019 | 2020 | 2Q2020 | 3Q2020 | 4Q2020 | 1Q2021 | Dez 2020 | Jan 2021 | Feb 2021 | Mrz 2021 | Apr 2021 | Mai 2021 |
|--|------|------|------|------|--------|--------|--------|--------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|
| As a percentage of dependent labour force                          |      |      |      |      |        |        |        |        |          |          |          |          |          |          |
| Unemployment rate  | 8.5  | 7.7  | 7.4  | 9.9  | 11.4   | 8.8    | 9.8    | 10.4   | 11.2     | 11.4     | 10.7     | 9.3      | 8.7      | 7.7      |
| Male   | 9.0  | 8.0  | 7.6  | 10.1 | 11.2   | 8.6    | 10.0   | 11.0   | 12.1     | 12.5     | 11.4     | 9.3      | 8.4      | 7.5      |
| Female   | 7.9  | 7.3  | 7.1  | 9.7  | 11.7   | 9.0    | 9.6    | 9.8    | 10.2     | 10.2     | 9.8      | 9.2      | 8.9      | 7.9      |
| Extended unemployment rate <sup>1</sup>                            | 10.1 | 9.2  | 8.7  | 11.2 | 12.4   | 10.0   | 11.2   | 12.0   | 12.5     | 12.9     | 12.2     | 10.9     | 10.4     | 9.3      |
| Male   | 10.5 | 9.5  | 8.8  | 11.2 | 12.1   | 9.7    | 11.2   | 12.4   | 13.2     | 13.7     | 12.7     | 10.7     | 9.9      | 8.9      |
| Female   | 9.7  | 9.0  | 8.7  | 11.1 | 12.8   | 10.4   | 11.2   | 11.6   | 11.7     | 11.9     | 11.6     | 11.2     | 10.9     | 9.8      |
| As a percentage of unemployed                                      |      |      |      |      |        |        |        |        |          |          |          |          |          |          |
| 15 to under 25 years   | 11.1 | 10.4 | 10.0 | 10.6 | 11.4   | 10.6   | 9.8    | 9.3    | 9.9      | 9.7      | 9.3      | 8.8      | 8.5      | 8.2      |
| Male   | 11.5 | 10.8 | 10.5 | 11.1 | 11.9   | 11.4   | 10.2   | 9.8    | 10.3     | 10.1     | 9.8      | 9.3      | 9.1      | 8.6      |
| Female   | 10.6 | 9.9  | 9.4  | 10.0 | 10.8   | 9.8    | 9.3    | 8.7    | 9.2      | 9.1      | 8.8      | 8.2      | 7.9      | 7.7      |
| Long-term unoccupied persons registered as unemployed <sup>2</sup> | 35.1 | 33.9 | 32.7 | 28.5 | 25.0   | 32.7   | 32.0   | 33.2   | 29.7     | 29.9     | 32.2     | 38.5     | 41.8     | 45.7     |
| Male   | 36.6 | 35.5 | 33.9 | 29.2 | 26.5   | 34.6   | 32.7   | 32.7   | 28.7     | 28.6     | 31.5     | 39.8     | 44.2     | 48.1     |
| Female   | 33.1 | 31.8 | 31.3 | 27.7 | 23.4   | 30.6   | 31.2   | 33.8   | 31.1     | 31.7     | 33.1     | 37.0     | 39.1     | 43.0     |
| Unemployed persons per vacancy                                     |      |      |      |      |        |        |        |        |          |          |          |          |          |          |
| Ratio of unemployment to vacancies                                 | 6.0  | 4.4  | 3.9  | 6.5  | 8.1    | 5.6    | 7.0    | 6.5    | 9.1      | 8.0      | 6.7      | 5.1      | 4.4      | 3.2      |
| Changes from previous year in percentage points                    |      |      |      |      |        |        |        |        |          |          |          |          |          |          |
| Unemployment rate  | -0.5 | -0.8 | -0.3 | +2.6 | +4.6   | +2.2   | +2.2   | +0.8   | +2.7     | +2.8     | +2.5     | -3.0     | -4.1     | -3.8     |
| Male   | -0.7 | -1.0 | -0.5 | +2.5 | +4.4   | +2.2   | +2.0   | +0.4   | +2.4     | +2.5     | +2.3     | -3.7     | -4.1     | -3.7     |
| Female   | -0.4 | -0.6 | -0.2 | +2.6 | +4.7   | +2.1   | +2.3   | +1.2   | +3.0     | +3.1     | +2.8     | -2.3     | -4.0     | -4.0     |
| Extended unemployment rate <sup>1</sup>                            | -0.5 | -0.9 | -0.5 | +2.4 | +4.1   | +2.1   | +2.1   | +0.9   | +2.7     | +2.8     | +2.6     | -2.6     | -3.4     | -3.1     |
| Male   | -0.6 | -1.1 | -0.7 | +2.4 | +4.1   | +2.1   | +2.0   | +0.5   | +2.5     | +2.5     | +2.3     | -3.3     | -3.6     | -3.1     |
| Female   | -0.3 | -0.7 | -0.3 | +2.5 | +4.2   | +2.1   | +2.3   | +1.4   | +3.1     | +3.1     | +3.0     | -1.8     | -3.2     | -3.1     |
| 15 to under 25 years   | -1.3 | -0.7 | -0.3 | +0.6 | +1.8   | +0.2   | -0.4   | -1.2   | -0.4     | -0.3     | -0.3     | -2.6     | -3.2     | -3.3     |
| Male   | -1.3 | -0.7 | -0.3 | +0.5 | +1.8   | +0.4   | -0.4   | -1.0   | -0.4     | -0.3     | -0.3     | -2.3     | -3.0     | -3.4     |
| Female   | -1.2 | -0.7 | -0.5 | +0.6 | +1.7   | -0.1   | -0.3   | -1.3   | -0.2     | -0.1     | -0.2     | -2.9     | -3.3     | -3.2     |
| Long-term unoccupied persons registered as unemployed <sup>2</sup> | +1.0 | -1.2 | -1.2 | -4.2 | -10.5  | -2.2   | +1.4   | +8.1   | +1.3     | +2.4     | +3.0     | +17.7    | +19.8    | +20.5    |
| Male   | +1.2 | -1.1 | -1.7 | -4.7 | -12.0  | -3.4   | +1.5   | +8.6   | +2.2     | +3.2     | +3.9     | +18.9    | +20.9    | +21.3    |
| Female   | +0.8 | -1.3 | -0.5 | -3.6 | -8.7   | -0.9   | +1.2   | +7.3   | -0.4     | +0.9     | +1.5     | +16.1    | +18.5    | +19.6    |
| Unemployed persons per vacancy, changes from previous year         |      |      |      |      |        |        |        |        |          |          |          |          |          |          |
| Ratio of unemployment to vacancies                                 | -2.9 | -1.6 | -0.5 | +2.6 | +4.7   | +2.2   | +2.6   | +0.8   | +3.7     | +3.1     | +2.2     | -3.2     | -5.3     | -5.0     |

Source: Federation of Austrian Social Security Institutions, Austrian Labour Market Service, WDS - WIFO Data System, Macrobond. – <sup>1</sup> Extended to persons in training. – <sup>2</sup> Business case duration exceeds 365 days.

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