

12.4 Unemployment, rates

	2021	2022	2023	2024	1Q2024	2Q2024	3Q2024	4Q2024	Sep 2024	Okt 2024	Nov 2024	Dez 2024	Jan 2025	Feb 2025
As a percentage of dependent labour force														
Unemployment rate	8.0	6.3	6.4	7.0	7.5	6.5	6.5	7.4	6.5	6.9	7.2	8.2	8.6	8.1
Male	8.1	6.5	6.8	7.5	8.6	6.7	6.6	8.0	6.7	7.0	7.4	9.5	10.0	9.3
Female	7.9	6.0	6.0	6.4	6.3	6.2	6.5	6.8	6.4	6.8	6.9	6.8	6.9	6.8
Extended unemployment rate¹	9.6	7.8	7.9	8.6	9.2	8.2	8.0	9.1	8.2	8.6	8.9	9.8	10.2	9.9
Male	9.5	7.9	8.2	9.0	10.1	8.3	8.0	9.4	8.1	8.5	8.9	10.9	11.5	10.8
Female	9.7	7.7	7.7	8.2	8.2	8.1	8.0	8.6	8.2	8.6	8.8	8.5	8.8	8.8
As a percentage of unemployed														
15 to under 25 years	9.1	9.7	10.5	10.8	10.4	10.1	11.4	11.1	11.7	11.2	11.0	11.0	10.9	10.6
Male	9.6	10.2	10.9	11.1	10.8	10.6	11.9	11.3	12.0	11.5	11.2	11.2	10.9	10.7
Female	8.6	9.1	9.9	10.2	9.8	9.5	10.8	10.7	11.4	10.8	10.7	10.8	10.8	10.5
Long-term unoccupied persons registered as unemployed²	39.7	34.0	27.7	27.7	24.8	29.5	29.7	27.3	29.7	28.6	27.7	25.8	24.3	25.8
Male	40.3	34.1	28.1	28.0	23.6	30.7	31.3	27.6	31.2	30.3	29.2	24.4	22.8	24.7
Female	38.9	33.8	27.2	27.3	26.6	28.1	27.8	26.7	27.9	26.5	25.8	27.8	26.8	27.4
Unemployed persons per vacancy														
Ratio of unemployment to vacancies	3.5	2.1	2.5	3.3	3.6	2.9	3.0	3.8	3.1	3.4	3.7	4.4	4.8	4.3
Changes from previous year in percentage points														
Unemployment rate	-1.9	-1.7	+0.1	+0.6	+0.6	+0.6	+0.6	+0.6	+0.6	+0.6	+0.6	+0.5	+0.5	+0.5
Male	-2.0	-1.6	+0.2	+0.7	+0.8	+0.7	+0.7	+0.6	+0.7	+0.6	+0.7	+0.4	+0.4	+0.6
Female	-1.8	-1.9	±0.0	+0.5	+0.4	+0.4	+0.5	+0.6	+0.5	+0.6	+0.6	+0.6	+0.5	+0.5
Extended unemployment rate¹	-1.6	-1.7	+0.1	+0.7	+0.7	+0.7	+0.7	+0.6	+0.7	+0.7	+0.7	+0.5	+0.5	+0.6
Male	-1.7	-1.6	+0.2	+0.8	+0.9	+0.9	+0.8	+0.6	+0.8	+0.7	+0.7	+0.4	+0.4	+0.6
Female	-1.5	-1.9	±0.0	+0.5	+0.5	+0.5	+0.6	+0.6	+0.6	+0.6	+0.6	+0.6	+0.6	+0.6
15 to under 25 years	-1.5	+0.6	+0.8	+0.3	+0.5	+0.2	+0.2	+0.2	+0.2	+0.2	+0.1	+0.2	+0.2	+0.3
Male	-1.5	+0.6	+0.7	+0.3	+0.6	+0.2	+0.2	±0.0	+0.1	+0.1	-0.1	+0.1	±0.0	-0.1
Female	-1.5	+0.6	+0.8	+0.3	+0.4	+0.2	+0.2	+0.4	+0.3	+0.3	+0.4	+0.5	+0.5	+0.8
Long-term unoccupied persons registered as unemployed²	+11.2	-5.7	-6.3	±0.0	-1.6	-0.5	+0.6	+1.4	+0.7	+1.0	+1.3	+1.9	+1.7	+1.2
Male	+11.2	-6.2	-6.1	-0.1	-1.4	-0.9	+0.2	+1.6	+0.5	+0.8	+1.3	+2.3	+2.0	+1.5
Female	+11.2	-5.1	-6.6	+0.1	-1.8	±0.0	+1.0	+1.2	+0.9	+1.2	+1.2	+1.2	+1.0	+0.8
Unemployed persons per vacancy, changes from previous year														
Ratio of unemployment to vacancies	-3.0	-1.4	+0.4	+0.8	+0.9	+0.7	+0.7	+0.8	+0.7	+0.7	+0.8	+0.8	+0.8	+0.8
Seasonally adjusted - As a percentage of (dependent) labour force														
Seasonally adjusted unemployment rates														
Unemployment rate					6.8	7.0	7.2	7.2	7.2	7.2	7.2	7.1	7.2	7.2
Extended unemployment rate ¹					8.4	8.6	8.8	8.8	8.8	8.9	8.8	8.7	8.8	8.9
Eurostat unemployment rate ³					4.9	5.1	5.3	.	5.6	5.7	5.1	5.4	5.5	.

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