In November, 271,300 unemployed jobseekers

A total of 271,300 unemployed jobseekers were registered at the Employment and Economic Development Offices at the end of November. This is 57,200 less than a year earlier. The number of unemployed jobseekers decreased by 1,200 from the previous month. Unemployed jobseekers accounted for 10.3% of the labour force, which is 2.2 percentage points less than a year ago. The figures are from the Employment Service Statistics of the Ministry of Economic Affairs and Employment.

Trends:

- The total number of jobseekers decreased
- The number of unemployed jobseekers decreased by 57,000 compared to the year before
- Services included in the activation rate had 2,000 less people than a year ago
- 7,000 new job vacancies more compared to last year
The total number of jobseekers decreased

At the end of November, the number of jobseekers registered at the Employment and Economic Development Offices totalled 580,800, down 62,400 on the previous year. Of the jobseekers, 288,100 were men and 292,700 were women. Compared to the situation a year ago, the number of men decreased by 38,700 and the number of women by 23,700.

Of the jobseekers, 169,600 were employed, 146,100 of them were on the open labour market and 23,500 were employed through the services of the employment and economic development administration. The number of jobseekers outside the labour force was 131,600, of whom 37,700 were in services promoting employment and 64,600 in training. Of the jobseekers, 271,300 were unemployed jobseekers, which is 57,200 less than the year before. In November, 11,900 of unemployed jobseekers were fully laid off, which is 1,800 more than in October. Since November last year, the number of people fully laid off has decreased by 9,400. Furthermore, jobseekers on a reduced working week numbered 8,400, representing a decrease of 2,000 from the year before.
Unemployed jobseekers

Decrease in unemployed jobseekers in November

At the end of November, the number of unemployed jobseekers registered at the Employment and Economic Development Offices totalled 271,300, down 57,200 on the previous year. Compared with October, the number of unemployed jobseekers decreased by 1,200.

In November, 11,900 of unemployed jobseekers were fully laid off, which is 1,800 more than in October. Since November last year, the number of people fully laid off has decreased by 9,400.

The number of foreign citizens among unemployed jobseekers totalled 26,200, down 4,600 from November a year ago. Of these foreign unemployed jobseekers, EU/EEA citizens accounted for 7,900 at the end of November, down 1,600 from the year before.
Unemployed jobseekers by region

Unemployment decreased in the areas of all ELY Centres

Compared to the same period in the previous year, the number of unemployed jobseekers decreased in November in the areas of all Centres for Economic Development, Transport and the Environment (ELY Centres); the most in Satakunta (-27%), Pirkanmaa (-26%) and Central Finland (-22%).

Unemployed jobseekers and jobs vacant in Employment and Economic Development Office by ELY centre

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Unemployed jobseekers by gender and age-group

Unemployment decreased more among men than women

Of the unemployed jobseekers, 150,000 (55%) were men and 121,300 (45%) were women, indicating an increase of 2,200 for men and a decrease of 3,400 for women from the figures for October. Compared with November a year ago, the unemployment among men decreased by 33,300 (-18%) and among women by 23,900 (-16%).

Unemployment decreased in all age groups

At the end of November, unemployed jobseekers under 25 years of age numbered 32,000, representing a decrease of 8,200 from November a year ago. Youth unemployment decreased from October by 400. For those under 20, the number of unemployed was 6,800. Among those over 50, the number of unemployed was 106,100, representing a decrease of 19,800 on the year before. Among those over 55, the number of unemployed was 74,500, representing a decrease of 13,900 on the year before.
Unemployed jobseekers by levels of education and occupational group

Unemployment decreased at all levels of education

Examined by level of education, unemployment decreased from November last year at all levels of education; the decrease was greatest among those with lower level basic qualifications (-28%), higher-degree level tertiary education (-20%), lowest level of tertiary education (-19%), lower-degree level tertiary education (-18%) and doctorate or equivalent level tertiary education (-18%).

Unemployment decreased in all occupational groups

Examined by occupation, unemployment decreased in all groups from November last year; the most in the groups of craft and related trades workers (-13,900), professionals (-8,800) and service and sales workers (-8,700).

Decrease in long-term unemployment

At the end of November, the number of long-term unemployed who had been unemployed without interruption for more than a year amounted to 91,800, down 29,700 on the previous year. Of the long-term unemployed, 52,600 were men and 39,200 were women. The number of men decreased by 18,000 (-26%) from the previous year and the number of women by 11,700 (-23%). Long-term unemployed who had been unemployed without interruption for more than two years numbered 47,600, which is 10,200 less than a year ago.
Services

Decrease in the number of persons covered by services

At the end of November, the number of persons covered by services included in the activation rate amounted to 127,600, down 1,800 on the previous year. Compared with October, the number of persons covered by such services increased by 2,000. The activation rate at the end of November was 32.0%, which is 3.7 percentage points higher than a year earlier. In all, 4.8% of the labour force were covered by these services.

Of those covered by services, the number of men was 61,000, down 500 on the previous year. The number of women covered by these services was 66,600, down 1,300 on the previous year.

Broad unemployment, or the total number of unemployed jobseekers and those covered by services, was 398,900 at the end of November. This is 59,000 less than a year earlier. The decrease in broad unemployment was due to a decrease in the number of unemployed jobseekers and those covered by services.

The number of placements increased in local government and the private sector

At the end of November, the number of persons claiming pay subsidies, employed by the State or receiving start-up grants totalled 24,100, which is 1,300 more than the year before. Of those employed, 2% were in government jobs, 30% in local government jobs and 68% in the private sector. Since November last year, the number of placements has decreased by 23% in government jobs and increased by 1% in the private sector and by 20% in local government jobs. Of those employed, 50% were men. Placements for men increased by 400, and those for women by 900 from the previous year.
Labour market training, training and self-motivated studies

The number of persons in labour market training decreased

At the end of November, labour market training was attended by 19,400 students, down 4,300 on the previous year. Of the students, 10,100 were men and 9,300 were women. Compared to the situation a year ago, the number of men decreased by 2,100 and the number of women by 2,200. During November, 4,900 new students began labour market training, representing a decrease of 100 on the year before.

Based on target occupation, the largest subgroup within the category of 'unknown' were people in integration training (8,800), which is 500 less than the year before. In November, the number of people without a specified target occupation was 100, which is 800 less than in November last year.

The number of persons in training increased

At the end of November, 3,200 persons were in training, which is 100 more than the year before. The number of men in training was 1,500 and of women 1,600. Career coaching had 1,800 participants, which is 300 more than a year earlier. The number of participants in job search training decreased by 200 from the previous year.

The number of people in self-motivated study increased from the previous year

Self-motivated studies supported by unemployment benefits were attended by a total of 41,100 people, representing an increase of 2,400 on the year before. The number of men receiving unemployment benefits for studies was 17,100, up 1,700 on the previous year. Among women, the number was 24,000, representing an increase of 700 on the year before. Occupation was undetermined in case of 9,700 persons in the group of 'unknown', up 1,600 on the previous year.
Job alteration, rehabilitative work and trials

The number of job alteration substitutes decreased

A total of 3,200 persons were job alteration substitutes at the end of November, which is 900 less than a year earlier. Of the substitutes, 1,000 were men and 2,100 were women. The number of men decreased by 300, and the number of women by 600.

More participants in rehabilitative work activities than in the previous year

A total of 24,300 persons participated in rehabilitative work activities at the end of November, which is 500 more than a year earlier. Of the participants, 13,700 were men and 10,600 were women. Compared to the situation a year ago, the number of men increased by 200 and the number of women by 300.

Participation in work and training trials decreased

Work and training trials had a total of 12,400 participants at the end of November, which is 900 less than the year before. Of the participants, 5,400 were men and 7,000 were women. The number of men decreased by 400 from the previous year and the number of women by 500.
Jobs vacant

**NEW JOB VACANCIES**
during the month and during the previous year

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Increases and decreases in vacancies for different categories are shown in the table above.

Increase in the number of new vacancies

The number of new vacancies reported to Employment and Economic Development Offices during November totalled 46,000, which is 7,300 more than in November last year. In all, the number of unfilled vacancies at Employment and Economic Development Offices amounted to 85,500 in November, which is 16,500 more than a year ago. A total of 8,900 of these vacancies were filled during November, 4,300 of them through Employment and Economic Development Offices. A total of 36,300 vacancies were closed for applications because the application period had ended or because there was a sufficient number of applicants. In addition, a total of 2,100 vacancies were cancelled and 1,700 vacancies could not be filled. The number of vacancies remaining unfilled at the end of November was 37,500, up 7,400 on the previous year.

The number of new vacancies had increased for eight occupational groups; the greatest increases were in the groups of service and sales workers (2,800), craft and related trades workers (1,600), professionals (1,200) and elementary occupations (1,100). The number of new job vacancies had decreased in the category of technicians and associate professionals (-200) and ‘unknown’ (-20).
## Summary table

**EMPLOYMENT SITUATION AT THE END OF 2017 NOVEMBER (I) AND ACTIVITIES OF EMPLOYMENT AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT OFFICES DURING NOVEMBER (II) WHOLE COUNTRY**

### I EMPLOYMENT SITUATION AT THE END OF MONTH  
**Nov-17**  
**Nov-16**  
**CHANGE**  
**PERCENTAGE CHANGE**

#### A. JOBSEEKERS

1. **Unemployed jobseekers**  
   - 271,309  
   - 328,520  
   - -53,211  
   - -17.4

   - of whom fully laid off  
     - 11,853  
     - 21,218  
     - -9,365  
     - -44.1

2. **On reduced working week**  
   - 8,370  
   - 10,348  
   - -1,978  
   - -19.1

3. **Those who have work**  
   - 169,584  
   - 168,446  
   - 1,138  
   - 0.7

   - of whom in the general labour market  
     - 146,081  
     - 145,880  
     - 201  
     - 0.1

4. **Persons outside the labour force**  
   - 131,550  
   - 135,888  
   - -4,338  
   - -3.2

   - of whom in services promoting employment  
     - 37,714  
     - 36,833  
     - 881  
     - 2.4

   - of whom in training  
     - 64,629  
     - 66,207  
     - -1,578  
     - -2.4

**1-4 Total of jobseekers**  
- 580,813  
- 643,202  
- -62,389  
- -9.7

#### B. LABOUR DEMAND

1. **Jobs vacant**  
   - 37,538  
   - 30,108  
   - 7,430  
   - 24.7

   - of those notified for over a month  
     - 11,220  
     - 8,419  
     - 2,801  
     - 33.3

   - of those notified for over 2 months  
     - 5,045  
     - 3,829  
     - 1,216  
     - 31.8

#### C. PARTICIPATING IN SERVICES

1. **Employed by the State**  
   - 427  
   - 553  
   - -126  
   - -22.8

2. **Employed by municipalities**  
   - 7,225  
   - 6,003  
   - 1,222  
   - 20.4

3. **Employed by the private sector**  
   - 16,464  
   - 16,305  
   - 159  
   - 1.0

**1-3 Total number of employed people**  
- 24,116  
- 22,861  
- 1,255  
- 5.5

4. **Labour market training**  
   - 19,415  
   - 23,701  
   - -4,286  
   - -18.1

5. **Training**  
   - 3,158  
   - 3,093  
   - 65  
   - 2.1

6. **Engaged in work/training trials**  
   - 12,408  
   - 13,286  
   - -878  
   - -6.6

7. **As a job alternation substitute**  
   - 3,158  
   - 4,060  
   - -902  
   - -22.2

8. **Rehabilitative work**  
   - 24,268  
   - 23,735  
   - 533  
   - 2.2

9. **Self-motivated studies supported by unemployment benefit**  
   - 41,104  
   - 38,677  
   - 2,427  
   - 6.3

**1-9 Total number of people participating in services**  
- 127,627  
- 129,413  
- -1,786  
- -1.4

#### D. STRUCTURE OF UNEMPLOYMENT

1. **Unemployed women**  
   - 121,306  
   - 145,250  
   - -23,944  
   - -16.5

2. **Unemployed men**  
   - 150,003  
   - 183,270  
   - -33,267  
   - -18.2

3. **Under 25 years old**  
   - 31,956  
   - 40,133  
   - -8,177  
   - -20.4

4. **Over 50 years old**  
   - 106,132  
   - 125,903  
   - -21,771  
   - -15.7

5. **Unemployed over a year**  
   - 91,763  
   - 121,490  
   - -29,727  
   - -24.5

6. **Foreign unemployed**  
   - 26,216  
   - 30,768  
   - -4,552  
   - -14.8

#### E. UNEMPLOYMENT SECURITY

1. **Unemployed members of employees’ unemployment funds**  
   - 107,715  
   - 142,439  
   - -34,724  
   - -24.4

### II EMPLOYMENT SITUATION DURING THE MONTH

#### 1. Unemployed jobseekers

1. **Nov-17**  
   - 303,034  
2. **Nov-16**  
   - 359,467  
3. **Change**  
   - -56,433  
4. **Percentage Change**  
   - -15.7

#### 2. Other jobseekers

1. **Nov-17**  
   - 302,538  
2. **Nov-16**  
   - 305,067  
3. **Change**  
   - -2,529  
4. **Percentage Change**  
   - -0.8

#### 3. Vacancies during a month

1. **Nov-17**  
   - 85,480  
2. **Nov-16**  
   - 68,993  
3. **Change**  
   - 16,487  
4. **Percentage Change**  
   - 23.9

   - New vacancies during a month  
     - 45,987  
     - 38,690  
     - 7,297  
     - 18.9

   - Vacancies filled during a month  
     - 8,907  
     - 7,586  
     - 1,321  
     - 17.4

   - of those filled with job-seekers at the Employment Service  
     - 4,318  
     - 3,258  
     - 1,060  
     - 32.5

   - Vacancies application period ended or sufficient number of applicants  
     - 36,305  
     - 29,671  
     - 6,634  
     - 22.4

   - Vacancies cancelled or could not be filled  
     - 3,797  
     - 2,413  
     - 1,384  
     - 57.4

#### 4. Started spell of unemployment

1. **Nov-17**  
   - 45,085  
2. **Nov-16**  
   - 44,540  
3. **Change**  
   - 545  
4. **Percentage Change**  
   - 1.2

#### 5. Completed spell of unemployment

1. **Nov-17**  
   - 42,332  
2. **Nov-16**  
   - 40,169  
3. **Change**  
   - 2,163  
4. **Percentage Change**  
   - 5.4

#### 6. New jobs found through employment services

1. **Nov-17**  
   - 3,033  
2. **Nov-16**  
   - 2,677  
3. **Change**  
   - 356  
4. **Percentage Change**  
   - 13.3

#### 7. New entrants to labour market training

1. **Nov-17**  
   - 4,883  
2. **Nov-16**  
   - 4,995  
3. **Change**  
   - -112  
4. **Percentage Change**  
   - -2.2
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### II. EMPLOYMENT SITUATION DURING THE MONTH

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UNEMPLOYED JOBSEEKERS AND JOBS VACANT BY ELY CENTRE AT THE END OF 2017 NOVEMBER

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