

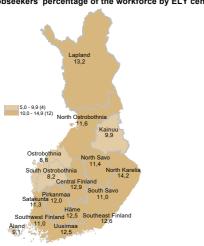
# **Employment Bulletin**

October 2020



# 312,700 unemployed jobseekers in October



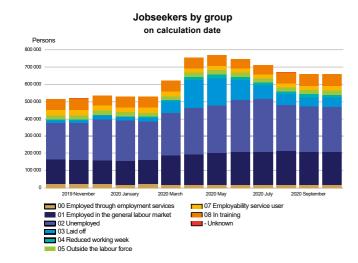


A total of 312,700 unemployed jobseekers were registered at the Employment and Economic Development Offices at the end of October. This is 88,000 more than a year earlier. The number of unemployed jobseekers decreased by 3,100 from the previous month. Unemployed jobseekers accounted for 11.9% of the labour force, which is 3.3 percentage points more than the year before. The figures are from the Employment Service Statistics of the Ministry of Economic Affairs and Employment.

### **Trends:**

- Total number of jobseekers increased by 142,000
- The number of unemployed jobseekers increased by 88,000 from the previous year
- The number of people fully laid off increased by 46,000
- Services included in the activation rate had 6,000 less people than a year ago
- The number of new job vacancies decreased by 12,000 from last year

# All jobseekers

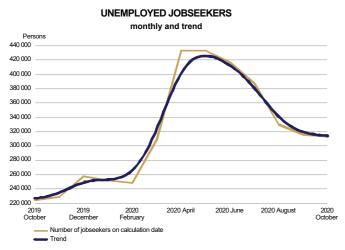


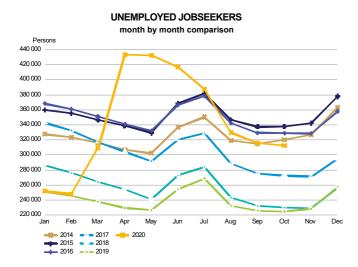
# The total number of jobseekers increased

At the end of October, the number of jobseekers registered at the Employment and Economic Development Offices totalled 657,900, up 142,500 on the previous year. Of the jobseekers, 335,200 were men and 322,700 were women. Compared to the situation a year ago, the number of men increased by 78,400 and the number of women by 64,000.

Of the jobseekers, 210,100 were employed, 190,600 of them were on the open labour market and 19,500 were employed through the services of the employment and economic development administration. The number of jobseekers on the open labour market increased by 47,600 from October a year earlier. The number of jobseekers outside the labour force was 117,400, of whom 28,300 were in services promoting employment and 67,000 in training. Of the jobseekers, 312,700 were unemployed jobseekers, which is 88,000 more than the year before. In October, 57,200 of unemployed jobseekers were fully laid off, which is 400 more than in September. The number of people fully laid off increased by 46,300 from October a year earlier. Furthermore, jobseekers on a reduced working week numbered 17,700, representing an increase of 12,000 from the year before.

# Unemployed jobseekers





# Increase in unemployed jobseekers in October

At the end of October, the number of unemployed jobseekers registered at the Employment and Economic Development Offices totalled 312,700, up 88,000 on the previous year. Compared with September, the number of unemployed jobseekers decreased by 3,100. The number of new job searches among unemployed jobseekers totalled 16,000, up 400 from October a year ago. In October, the number of starting periods of unemployment totalled 57,900, representing an increase of 10,800 on the year before. The number of starting periods of unemployment increased by 3,300 from September. The number of starting periods is always greater than the number of job searches because new unemployment periods are also registered from the existing groups of jobseekers.

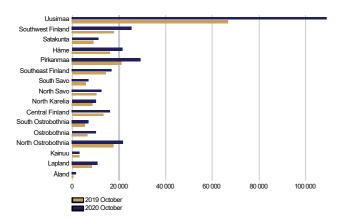
The number of foreign citizens among unemployed jobseekers totalled 32,200, up 9,800 from October a year ago. Of these foreign unemployed jobseekers, EU/EEA citizens accounted for 10,300 at the end of October, up 4,100 from the year before.

In October, 57,200 of unemployed jobseekers were fully laid off, which is 400 more than in September. The number of people fully laid off increased by 46,300 from October a year earlier. In October, the number of job searches among the fully laid off people totalled 5,700, representing an increase of 3,400 on the year before. The number of starting periods of full lay-offs was 24,100, up 15,600 from October a year ago. The number of starting periods of full lay-offs increased by 2,200 from September. The number of people fully laid off increased in all occupational groups; the greatest increases were in the groups of service and sales workers (10,600), 'unknown' (9,400), craft and related trades workers (6,500), and professionals (4,800).

# Unemployed jobseekers by region

# **UNEMPLOYED JOBSEEKERS**

### by Centre for Economic Development, Transport and the Environment (ELY)



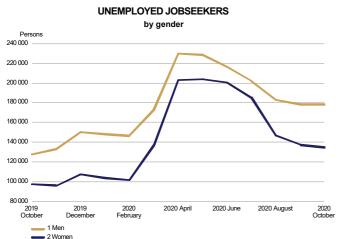
### Unemployment increased in the areas of all ELY Centres

Compared to the same period in the previous year, the number of unemployed jobseekers increased in October in the areas of all Centres for Economic Development, Transport and the Environment (ELY Centres); the most in Uusimaa (63%), Ostrobothnia (55%), Southwest Finland (43%) and Pirkanmaa (39%). The number of unemployed jobseekers increased the least in Kainuu (7%), South Savo (15%), North Karelia (16%) and Southeast Finland (18%). In the Åland Islands, the number of unemployed jobseekers increased by 175 per cent. Compared with September, the number of unemployed jobseekers decreased in the areas of nine ELY Centres; the most in Southwest Finland (-3%), Pirkanmaa (-2%) and North Ostrobothnia (-2%). From September, the number of unemployed jobseekers increased the most in South Ostrobothnia (5%) and Kainuu (4%).

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

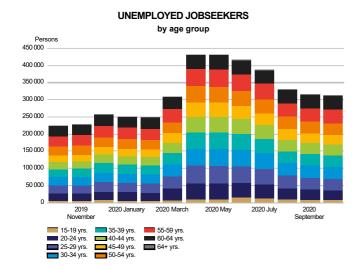
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Uusimaa	108 868	110 419	66 825	42 043	63	23 756	12,5	14 018	14 291	19 807	-5 789	-29
Southwest Finland	25 261	25 944	17 721	7 540	43	5 254	11,0	3 904	3 691	4 048	-144	-4
Satakunta	11 119	11 158	8 825	2 294	26	2 110	11,3	1 083	1 416	1 618	-535	-33
Häme	21 241	21 269	16 145	5 096	32	3 371	12,5	2 454	2 594	2 919	-465	-16
Pirkanmaa	29 325	30 037	21 163	8 162	39	5 540	12,0	4 394	5 315	4 991	-597	-12
Southeast Finland	16 940	17 064	14 323	2 617	18	2 167	12,6	1 629	1 929	1 742	-113	-6
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North Karelia	10 079	10 205	8 726	1 353	16	1 180	14,2	937	923	1 037	-100	-10
Central Finland	16 195	16 285	13 207	2 988	23	1 727	12,9	1 868	1 890	2 102	-234	-11
South Ostrobothnia	6 947	6 646	5 474	1 473	27	1 320	8,2	1 569	1 517	1 895	-326	-17
Ostrobothnia	10 164	9 964	6 550	3 614	55	2 797	8,8	1 545	1 767	1 667	-122	-7
North Ostrobothnia	21 617	22 120	17 647	3 970	22	2 769	11,6	3 727	4 208	4 124	-397	-10
Kainuu	3 120	2 990	2 922	198	7	275	9,9	815	866	741	74	10
Lapland	10 660	10 541	8 368	2 292	27	1 477	13,2	1 806	2 007	2 755	-949	-34
Åland	1 407	1 474	512	895	175	375	9,1	110	108	159	-49	-31
Abroad	399	399	137	262	191	181		1 482	1 876	2 049	-567	-28
WHOLE COUNTRY	312 713	315 780	224 734	87 979	39	57 165	11,9	44 699	47 930	55 470	-10 771	-19

# Unemployed jobseekers by gender and age-group



### Unemployment increased more among men than women

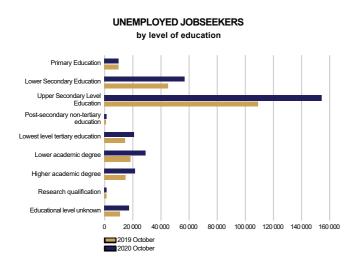
Of the unemployed jobseekers, 178,100 (57%) were men and 134,600 (43%) were women, indicating a decrease of 300 for men and 2,700 for women from the figures for September. Compared with October a year ago, unemployment increased by 50,500 (40%) among men and by 37,500 (39%) among women.



### Unemployment increased in all age groups

At the end of October, unemployed jobseekers aged under 25 numbered 36,300, representing an increase of 9,600 from October a year ago. Youth unemployment decreased from September by 1,800. For those under 20, the number of unemployed was 7,700. Among those over 50, the number of unemployed was 114,400, representing an increase of 28,200 on the year before. Among those over 55, the number of unemployed was 79,900, representing an increase of 19,200 on the year before. Proportionally, unemployment increased most in the age group 25-44 (on average 45%) and those over 64 (92%). Compared with September, unemployment decreased in all age groups with the exception of those aged 55-64, the most among those aged under 20 (-9%), those aged over 64 (-6%) and those aged 20-24 (-4%).

# Unemployed jobseekers by levels of education and occupational group



### Unemployment increased at all levels of education

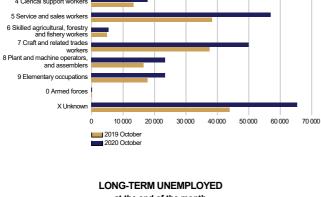
Examined by level of education, unemployment increased from October last year at all levels of education; the increase was greatest among those with post-secondary non-tertiary education (84%), level of education 'unknown' (60%), lower-degree level tertiary education (57%) and higher-degree level tertiary education (43%).

### by occupational group 1 Managers 3 Technicians and associate professionals 4 Clerical support workers 5 Service and sales workers 6 Skilled agricultural, forestry and fishery workers 7 Craft and related trades

**UNEMPLOYED JOBSEEKERS** 

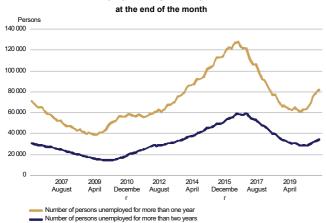
### Unemployment increased in all occupational groups

Examined by occupation, unemployment increased in all groups from October last year; the most in the category 'unknown' (21,300), service and sales workers (18,500) and craft and related trades workers (12,300). Unemployment increased the least in the groups of armed forces (30), skilled agricultural, forestry and fishery workers (500), and managers (1,300).



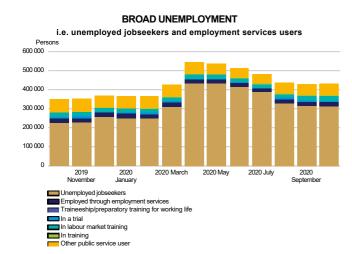
### Increase in long-term unemployment

At the end of October, the number of long-term unemployed who had been unemployed without interruption for more than a year amounted to 82,000, up 20,700 on the previous year. Of the long-term unemployed, 49,000 were men and 33,000 were women. The number of men increased by 12,300 (34%) from the previous year and the number of women by 8,400 (34%). The number of long-term unemployed who had been unemployed without interruption for more than two years totalled 34,300, an increase of 5,700 from the previous year.

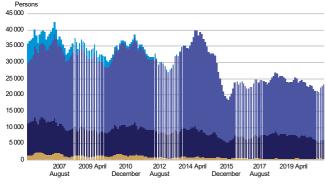




### Services



## EMPLOYED THROUGH EMPLOYMENT SERVICES at the end of the month by sector



01 State
02 Municipality
03 Private sector
04 Other(private person)

# Decrease in the number of persons covered by services

At the end of October, the number of persons covered by services included in the activation rate amounted to 118,500, down 5,500 on the previous year. Compared with September, the number of persons covered by such services increased by 4,700. The activation rate at the end of October was 27.5%, which is 8.1 percentage points lower than a year earlier. In all, 4.3% of the labour force were covered by these services.

Of those covered by services, the number of men was 56,500, down 3,100 on the previous year. The number of women covered by these services was 62,100, down 2,500 on the previous year.

Broad unemployment, or the total number of unemployed jobseekers and those covered by services, was 431,300 at the end of October. This is 82,400 more than a year earlier. The increase in broad unemployment was mainly due to an increase in the number of unemployed jobseekers.

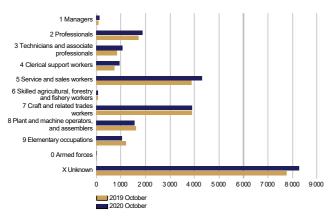
# The number of placements fell in local government

At the end of October, the number of persons claiming pay subsidies, employed by the State or receiving start-up grants totalled 23,200, which is 800 less than the year before. Of those employed, 2% were in government jobs, 25% in local government jobs and 73% in the private sector. Since October last year, the number of placements has decreased by 18% in local government jobs and increased by 7% in government jobs and by 3% in the private sector. Of those employed, 52% were men. Placements for men decreased by 400, and those for women by 300 from the previous year.

# Labour market training, training and self-motivated studies

### PERSONS IN LABOUR MARKET TRAINING

in target profession at the end of the month



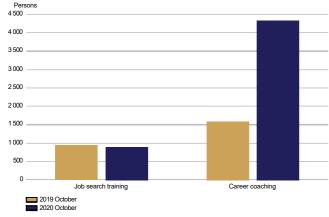
### Increase in the number of persons in labour market training

At the end of October, labour market training was attended by 23,100 students, up 1,300 on the previous year. Of the students, 10,900 were men and 12,200 were women. The number of men increased by 200, and the number of women by 1,100 from October last year. During October, 5,400 new students began labour market training, representing an increase of 300 on the year before.

Based on target occupation, the largest subgroup within the category of 'unknown' consisted of 7,400 people in integration training, which is 500 more than the year before.

### **IN TRAINING**

at the end of the month and during the previous year

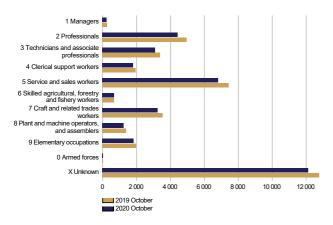


### The number of persons in training increased

At the end of October, 5,200 persons were in training, which is 2,700 more than the year before. Of those in training, 2,700 were men and 2,500 women. Career coaching was provided to 4,300 participants, which is 2,700 more than a year earlier. The number of participants in job search training was 900 which is as many as a year ago.

### IN SELF-MOTIVATED STUDIES

in person's profession at the end of the month



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

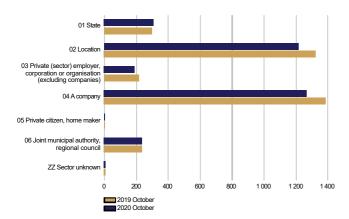
Self-motivated studies supported by unemployment benefits were attended by a total of 35,500 people, representing a decrease of 2,900 on the year before. The number of men receiving unemployment benefits for studies was 14,400, down 1,500 on the previous year. Among women, the number was 21,100, representing a decrease of 1,400 on the year before. Occupation was undetermined in case of 10,600 persons in the group of 'unknown', down 400 on the previous year.



# Job alternation, rehabilitative work and trials

### AS A JOB ALTERNATION SUBSTITUTE

at the end of the month and during the previous year by sector

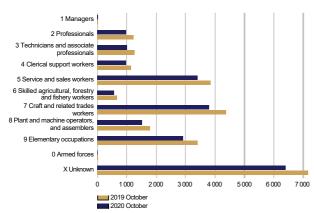


# The number of job alternation substitutes decreased

A total of 3,200 persons were job alternation substitutes at the end of October, which is 300 less than a year earlier. Of the substitutes, 1,100 were men and 2,100 were women. The number of men decreased by 100, and the number of women by 200 from the previous year.

### REHABILITATIVE WORK ACTIVITIES

at the end of the month and during the previous year

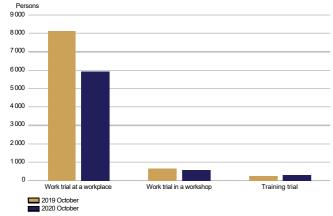


# Fewer participants in rehabilitative work activities than in the previous year

A total of 21,500 persons participated in rehabilitative work activities at the end of October, which is 3,400 less than a year earlier. Of the participants, 12,100 were men and 9,400 were women. The number of men decreased by 1,800 and the number of women by 1,600 from the previous year.

### IN TRIALS

at the end of the month and during the previous year



# Participation in work and training trials decreased

Work and training trials had a total of 6,800 participants at the end of October, which is 2,300 less than the year before. Of the participants, 3,200 were men and 3,600 were women. The number of men decreased by 1,000 and the number of women by 1,400 from the previous year.



### Jobs vacant

# NEW JOB VACANCIES during the month and during the previous year 1 Managers 2 Professionals 3 Technicians and associate professionals 4 Clerical support workers 5 Service and sales workers 6 Skilled agricultural, forestry and fishery workers 8 Plant and machine operators, and assemblers 9 Elementary occupations 0 Armed forces X Unknown 0 2 2000 4000 6000 8000 10 000 12 000 14 000 16 000 18 000 20 000

# Decrease in the number of new vacancies

The number of new vacancies reported to Employment and Economic Development Offices during October totalled 53,000, which is 12,100 less than in October last year. In all, the number of unfilled vacancies at Employment and Economic Development Offices in October amounted to 100,600, which is 20,400 less than a year ago. A total of 8,700 of these vacancies were filled during October, 3,400 of them through Employment and Economic Development Offices. A total of 46,800 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 2,800 vacancies were cancelled and 1,400 vacancies could not be filled. The number of vacancies remaining unfilled at the end of October was 44,700, down 10,800 on the previous year.

The number of new vacancies had decreased in nine occupational groups. The number of new vacancies had decreased the most in the groups of service and sales workers (-4,400), elementary occupations (-3,800), craft and related trades workers (-1,600), clerical support workers (-900), and plant and machine operators, and assemblers (-800). The number of new job vacancies had increased in the category of skilled agricultural, forestry and fishery workers (20).

# Summary table

EMPLOYMENT SITUATION AT THE END OF 2020 OCTOBER (I) AND ACTIVITIES OF EMPLOYMENT AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT OFFICES DURING OCTOBER (II) WHOLE COUNTRY

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	•				-25,0
	Vacancies application period ended or sufficient number of applicants				-13,3
					29,0
					22,8
					8,7
					-0,6
	7. New entrants to labour market training	5 445	5 149	296	5,7



# Foreigners' summary table

FOREIGNERS' EMPLOYMENT SITUATION AT THE END OF 2020 OCTOBER (I) AND ACTIVITIES OF EMPLOYMENT AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT OFFICES DURING OCTOBER (II) WHOLE COUNTRY

			CHANGE	CHANGE
I EMPLOYMENT SITUATION AT THE END OF MONTH	Oct-20	Oct-19	NUMBER	%
A. JOBSEEKERS				
1. Unemployed jobseekers	32 223	22 446	9 777	43,6
of whom fully laid off	5 448	720	4 728	656,7
2. On reduced working week	1 038	203	835	411,3
3. Those who have work	19 542	16 947	2 595	15,3
of whom in the general labour market	17 926	15 212	2 714	17,8
of whom employed through employment services	1 616	1 735	-119	-6,9
4. Persons outside the labour force	31 762	32 352	-590	-1,8
of whom in services promoting employment	2 864	3 567	-703	-19,7
of whom in training	26 418	26 174	244	0,9
1-4 Total of jobseekers	84 565	71 948	12 617	17,5
C. PARTICIPATING IN SERVICES				
1. Employed by the State	5	5	0	0,0
2. Employed by municipalities	387	445	-58	-13,0
3. Employed by the private sector	1 305	1 341	-36	-2,7
1-3 Total number of employed people	1 697	1 791	-94	-5,2
4. Labour market training	9 833	9 266	567	6,1
5. Training	276	242	34	14,0
6. Engaged in work/training trials	1 294	1 821	-527	-28,9
7. As a job alternation substitute	55	62	-7	-11,3
8. Rehabilitative work	1 473	1 731	-258	-14,9
9. Self-motivated studies supported by unemployment benefit	15 502	16 839	-1 337	-7,9
1-9 Total number of people participating in services	30 130	31 752	-1 622	-5,1
D. STRUCTURE OF UNEMPLOYMENT				
1. Unemployed women	15 333	11 640	3 693	31,7
2. Unemployed men	16 890	10 806	6 084	56,3
3. Under 25 years old	2 220	1 530	690	45,1
4. Over 50 years old	8 223	6 080	2 143	35,2
5. Unemployed over a year	6 471	4 549	1 922	42,3
E. UNEMPLOYMENT SECURITY				
Unemployed members of employees' unemployment funds	7 445	3 606	3 839	106,5
II EMPLOYMENT SITUATION DURING THE MONTH				
Unemployed jobseekers	36 829	26 786	10 043	37,5
2. Other jobseekers	50 245	47 623	2 622	5,5
1-2 Total number of jobseekers	87 074	74 409	12 665	17,0
4. Started spell of unemployment	5 268	4 707	561	11,9
5. Completed spell of unemployment	4 911	4 983	-72	-1,4
6. New jobs found through employment services	237	264	-27	-10,2
7. New entrants to labour market training	1 974	1 744	230	13,2

# Regional table

UNEMPLOYED JOBSEEKERS AND JOBS VACANT BY ELY CENTRE AT THE END OF 2020 OCTOBER WHOLE COUNTRY

ELY centre	Workforce Unemployed jobseekers Disabled							Disabled	Jobs		
		% of	Total	Men	Womenl	Jnder 20 l	Jnder 25	Over 50 l	Jnemployed	and	vacant
	WC	rkforce			years old years old over a year chron. ill						
Uusimaa	870 203	12,5	108 868	59 045	49 823	2 117	11 057	36 815	29 913	8 135	14 018
Southwest Finland	228 666	11,0	25 261	14 377	10 884	609	2 896	9 084	5 824	2 759	3 904
Satakunta	97 967	11,3	11 119	6 762	4 357	308	1 248	4 722	2 816	1 287	1 083
Häme	170 007	12,5	21 241	12 232	9 009	606	2 475	8 576	5 942	2 853	2 454
Pirkanmaa	244 976	12,0	29 325	16 804	12 521	719	3 740	9 539	6 630	2 748	4 394
Southeast Finland	134 123	12,6	16 940	9 798	7 142	573	2 124	7 165	4 400	1 968	1 629
South Savo	61 786	11,0	6 782	4 052	2 730	170	761	3 060	1 838	1 152	1 046
North Savo	110 670	11,4	12 587	7 742	4 845	271	1 400	5 201	4 122	1 817	2 312
North Karelia	70 953	14,2	10 079	6 044	4 035	225	1 113	4 394	3 187	1 223	937
Central Finland	125 827	12,9	16 195	9 287	6 908	512	2 441	5 788	4 814	1 598	1 868
South Ostrobothnia	84 532	8,2	6 947	4 098	2 849	214	938	2 639	1 127	1 077	1 569
Ostrobothnia	115 591	8,8	10 164	6 206	3 958	257	1 158	3 596	2 120	1 128	1 545
North Ostrobothnia	186 791	11,6	21 617	12 436	9 181	748	3 246	7 218	5 861	2 408	3 727
Kainuu	31 604	9,9	3 120	1 918	1 202	75	340	1 544	742	478	815
Lapland	81 005	13,2	10 660	6 245	4 415	278	1 212	4 422	2 437	1 113	1 806
Åland	15 421	9,1	1 407	773	634	31	143	517	162	51	110
Abroad	0	0,0	399	245	154		20	102	43		1 482
Total	2 630 122	11,9	312 713	178 065	134 648	7 716	36 314	114 382	81 978	31 799	44 699

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