



Employment Bulletin

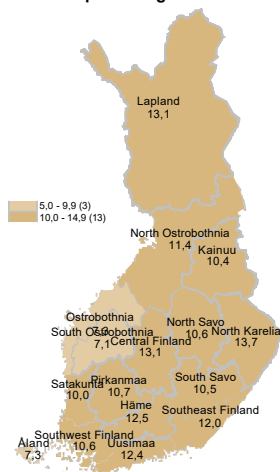
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In May, 301,200 unemployed jobseekers

Unemployed jobseekers' percentage of the workforce by ELY centre



At the end of May, a total of 301,200 unemployed jobseekers were registered at the Employment and Economic Development Offices and municipalities participating in the local government pilots on employment. This is 131,500 less than a year earlier, but 74,600 more than in May two years ago. The number of unemployed jobseekers was down by 17,200 from the previous month. Unemployed jobseekers accounted for 11.4% of the labour force, which is 5.1 percentage points less than the year before. The figures are from the Employment Service Statistics of the Ministry of Economic Affairs and Employment.

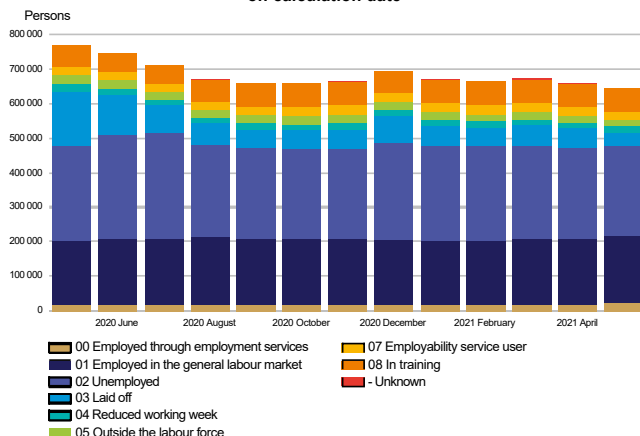
Trends:

- Total number of jobseekers decreased by 126,000
- The number of unemployed jobseekers decreased by 132,000 from the previous year
- The number of people fully laid off decreased by 117,000
- Services included in the activation rate had 8,000 more people than a year ago
- 36,000 new job vacancies more compared to last year



All jobseekers

Jobseekers by group
on calculation date



The total number of jobseekers decreased

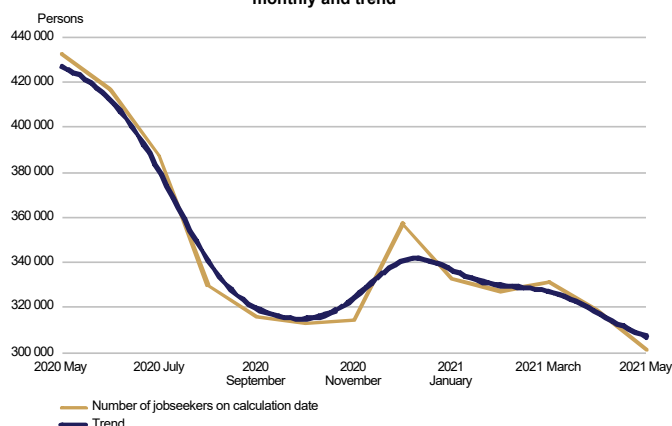
At the end of May, the number of jobseekers registered at the Employment and Economic Development Offices and municipalities participating in the local government pilots on employment totalled 642,700, down 126,000 on the previous year. Of the jobseekers, 324,600 were men and 318,000 were women. Compared to the situation a year ago, the number of men decreased by 55,800 and the number of women by 70,200. Of the jobseekers, 232,100 were customers of municipalities participating in the local government pilots on employment.

Of the jobseekers, 216,700 were employed, 195,600 of them were on the open labour market and 21,100 were employed through the services organised by the employment and economic development administration and local government pilots on employment. The number of job seekers on the open labour market increased by 9,300 from May a year earlier. The number of jobseekers outside the labour force was 109,900, of whom 25,900 were in services promoting employment and 63,600 in training. Of the jobseekers, 301,200 were unemployed jobseekers, which is 131,500 less than the year before. In May, 41,200 of unemployed jobseekers were fully laid off, which is 12,700 less than in April. The number of people fully laid off decreased by 117,000 from May a year earlier. Furthermore, jobseekers on a reduced working week numbered 14,900, representing a decrease of 8,300 from the year before.



Unemployed jobseekers

UNEMPLOYED JOBSEEKERS
monthly and trend

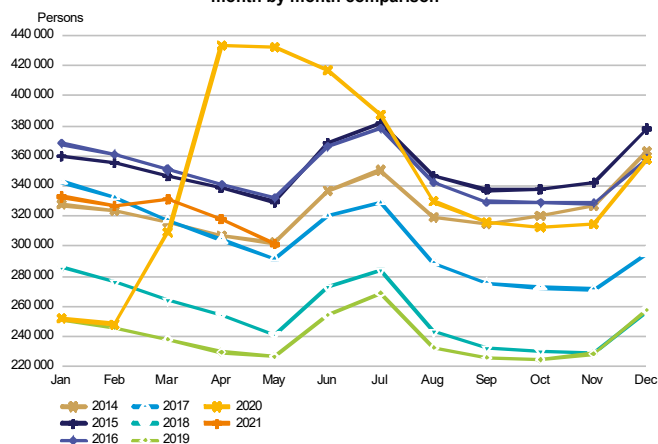


Decrease in unemployed jobseekers in May

At the end of May, the number of unemployed jobseekers registered at the Employment and Economic Development Offices and municipalities participating in the local government pilots on employment totalled 301,200, down 131,500 on the previous year. Compared with April, the number of unemployed jobseekers decreased by 17,200. Of the unemployed jobseekers, 154,500 were customers of municipalities participating in the local government pilots on employment. The number of new job searches among unemployed jobseekers totalled 10,200, down 12,100 from May a year ago. In May, the number of starting periods of unemployment totalled 38,800, representing a decrease of 58,300 on the year before. The number of starting periods of unemployment increased by 400 from April. 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 34,900, down 6,600 from May a year ago. Of these foreign unemployed jobseekers, EU/EEA citizens accounted for 10,800 at the end of May, down 2,200 from the year before.

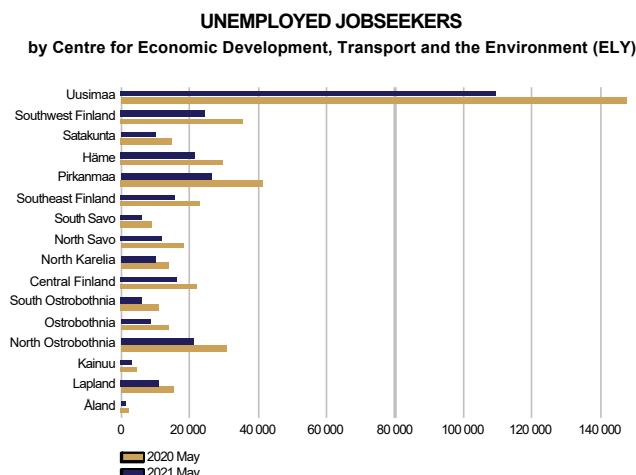
UNEMPLOYED JOBSEEKERS
month by month comparison



In May, 41,200 of unemployed jobseekers were fully laid off, which is 12,700 less than in April. The number of people fully laid off decreased by 117,000 from May a year earlier. In May, the number of job searches among the fully laid off people totalled 1,700, representing a decrease of 9,000 on the year before. The number of starting periods of full lay-offs was 7,600, down 46,500 from May a year ago. The number of starting periods of full lay-offs decreased by 5,900 from April. The number of fully laid off people decreased in all groups; the most in the groups of service and sales workers (-29,900), 'unknown' (-26,100), professionals (-13,700), technicians and associate professionals (-13,200) and craft and related trades workers (-10,400).



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 by more than 25% in May in the areas of all Centres for Economic Development, Transport and the Environment (ELY Centres); the most in South Ostrobothnia (-44 %), Ostrobothnia (-40 %), Pirkanmaa (-36 %) and North Savo (-35 %). The number of unemployed jobseekers decreased the least in Uusimaa (-26 %), Central Finland (-26 %) and Häme (-28 %). The number of unemployed jobseekers fell the most in Åland, by 46%. Compared to April, the number of unemployed jobseekers also decreased in the areas of all ELY Centres; the most in South Ostrobothnia (-11 %), South Savo (-10 %), Satakunta (-10 %) and Kainuu (-9 %).

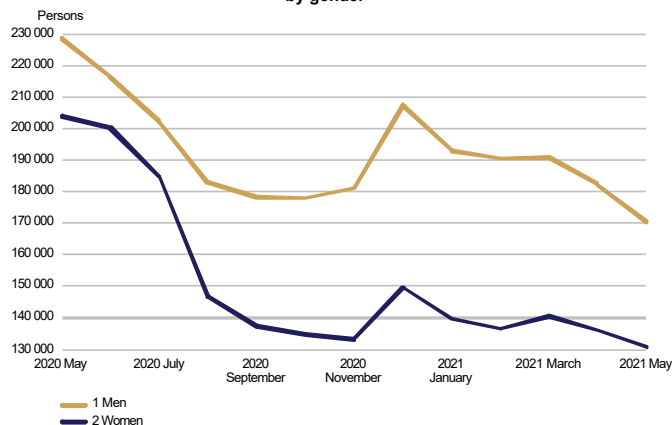
Unemployed jobseekers and jobs vacant in Employment and Economic Development Office by ELY centre

ELY centre	Change					Of the Unemployed			Change			
	May	Apr	May	May 2021	unemployed	jobseekers'	May	Apr	May	May 2021		
	2021	2021	2020	May 2020	jobseekers	percentage	2021	2021	2020	May 2020		
					fully	of the						
					laid off	workforce						
ELY centre	Unemployed jobseekers			%		%		Jobs vacant			%	
Uusimaa	109 376	113 331	147 687	-38 311	-26	19 322	12,4	19 389	20 267	12 294	7 095	58
Southwest Finland	24 155	25 340	35 321	-11 166	-32	3 441	10,6	6 523	6 965	4 973	1 550	31
Satakunta	9 672	10 694	14 638	-4 966	-34	1 038	10,0	2 247	2 413	1 363	884	65
Häme	21 404	22 548	29 856	-8 452	-28	2 557	12,5	4 752	4 977	2 991	1 761	59
Pirkanmaa	26 383	28 354	41 442	-15 059	-36	3 167	10,7	7 702	7 395	3 629	4 073	112
Southeast Finland	15 417	16 640	22 949	-7 532	-33	1 630	12,0	2 703	2 630	1 768	935	53
South Savo	5 970	6 646	8 892	-2 922	-33	500	10,5	1 899	2 419	1 284	615	48
North Savo	11 931	12 945	18 246	-6 315	-35	1 295	10,6	3 869	3 943	3 189	680	21
North Karelia	9 804	10 563	13 760	-3 956	-29	734	13,7	1 545	1 871	1 208	337	28
Central Finland	16 315	17 136	22 054	-5 739	-26	1 377	13,1	2 738	2 862	1 661	1 077	65
South Ostrobothnia	6 078	6 806	10 831	-4 753	-44	693	7,1	3 194	3 538	2 207	987	45
Ostrobothnia	8 216	8 555	13 762	-5 546	-40	1 019	7,3	2 475	3 018	1 557	918	59
North Ostrobothnia	21 227	22 678	30 617	-9 390	-31	2 188	11,4	5 729	6 325	3 692	2 037	55
Kainuu	3 212	3 521	4 704	-1 492	-32	299	10,4	1 322	1 348	850	472	56
Lapland	10 568	11 134	15 295	-4 727	-31	1 491	13,1	2 858	3 070	1 796	1 062	59
Åland	1 096	1 164	2 018	-922	-46	273	7,3	268	247	111	157	141
Abroad	334	351	607	-273	-45	165	.	1 994	1 996	2 500	-506	-20
WHOLE COUNTRY	301 160	318 408	432 681	-131 521	-30	41 189	11,4	71 207	75 284	47 073	24 134	51



Unemployed jobseekers by gender and age-group

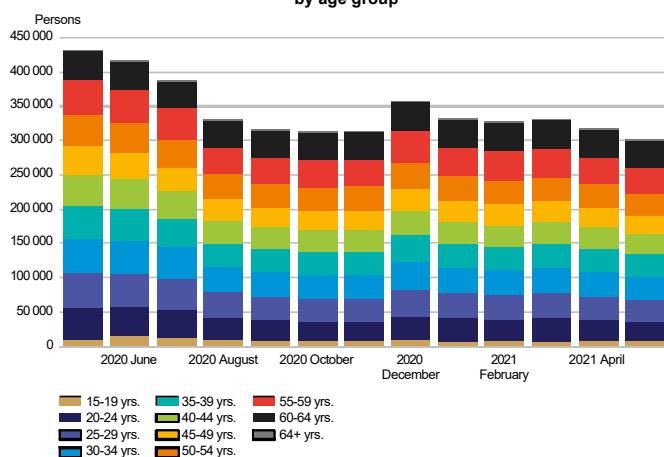
**UNEMPLOYED JOBSEEKERS
by gender**



Unemployment decreased more among women than men

Of the unemployed jobseekers, 170,400 (57 %) were men and 130,700 (43 %) were women, indicating a decrease of 11,900 for men and a decrease of 5,300 for women from the figures for April. Compared with May a year ago, unemployment decreased by 58,300 (-25 %) among men and by 73,200 (-36 %) among women.

**UNEMPLOYED JOBSEEKERS
by age group**



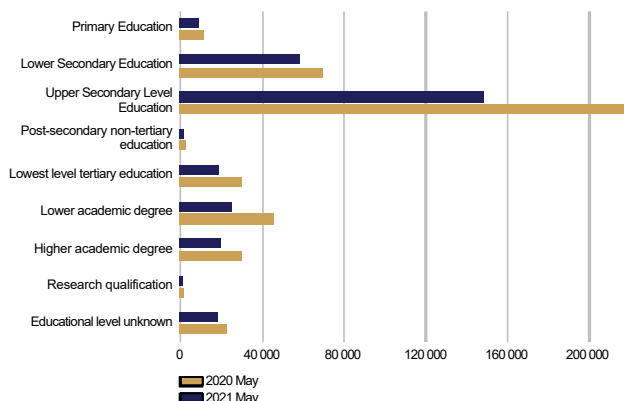
Unemployment decreased in all age groups under the age of 65

At the end of May, unemployed jobseekers under 25 years of age numbered 36,100, representing a decrease of 20,200 from May a year ago. Youth unemployment decreased from April by 2,500. For those under 20, the number of unemployed was 6,900. Among those over 50, the number of unemployed was 110,500, representing a decrease of 31,200 on the year before. Among those over 55, the number of unemployed was 79,000, representing a decrease of 15,100 on the year before. Unemployment decreased the most among those between 20 and 29 (-36 %) and those between 40 and 44 (-35 %). Among those over 64, unemployment increased by 2 % from the previous year. Compared with April, unemployment decreased in all age groups; the most among those between 20 and 24 (-7%) and those between 50 and 54 and those between 25 and 29 (-6%).



Unemployed jobseekers by levels of education and occupational group

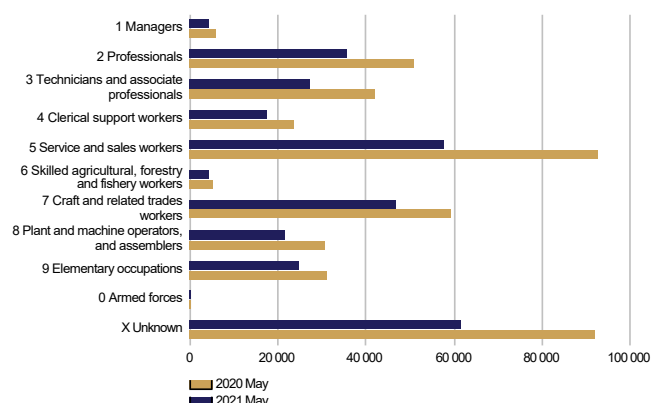
UNEMPLOYED JOBSEEKERS
by level of education



Unemployment decreased at all levels of education

Examined by level of education, unemployment decreased from May last year at all levels of education; the decrease was greatest among those with lower-degree level tertiary education (-44 %), post-secondary non-tertiary education (-40 %) lowest level of tertiary education (-37 %) and higher-degree level tertiary education (-36 %). Unemployment fell the least among those with higher level basic qualifications (-17 %), doctorate or equivalent level tertiary education (-20 %) and lower level basic qualifications (-20 %).

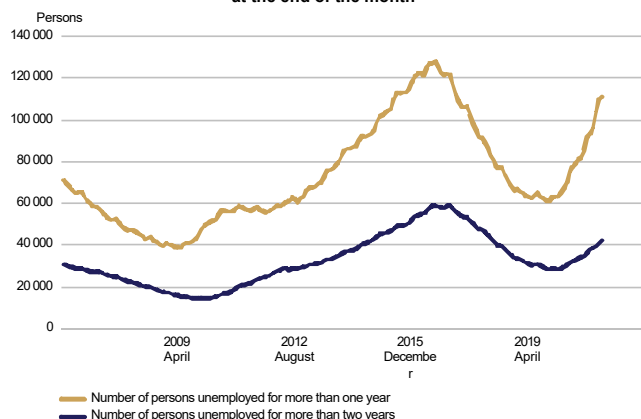
UNEMPLOYED JOBSEEKERS
by occupational group



Unemployment decreased in all occupational groups

Examined by occupation, unemployment decreased in all groups from May last year; the greatest decreases were in the groups of service and sales workers (-34,900), 'unknown' (-30,400), professionals (-15,100) and technicians and associate professionals (-14,900). Unemployment decreased the least in the groups of armed forces (-10), skilled agricultural, forestry and fishery workers (-700) and managers (-1,700).

LONG-TERM UNEMPLOYED
at the end of the month

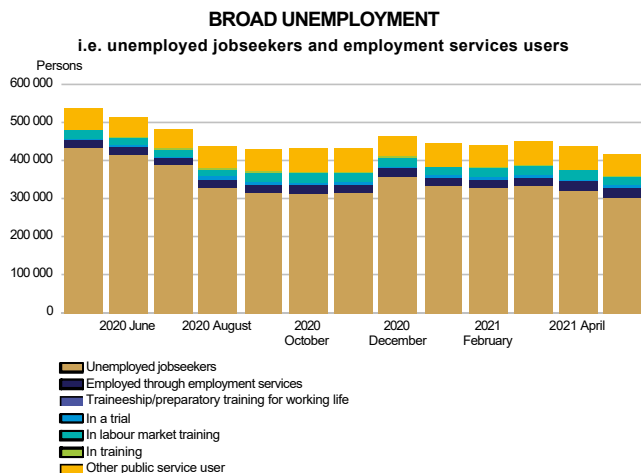


Increase in long-term unemployment

At the end of May, the number of long-term unemployed who had been unemployed without interruption for more than a year amounted to 110,900, up 41,100 on the previous year. Of the long-term unemployed, 66,000 were men and 44,900 were women. The number of men increased by 24,400 (59 %) from the previous year and the number of women by 16,700 (59 %). The number of long-term unemployed who had been unemployed without interruption for more than two years numbered 42,200, which is 11,700 more than a year ago.



Services

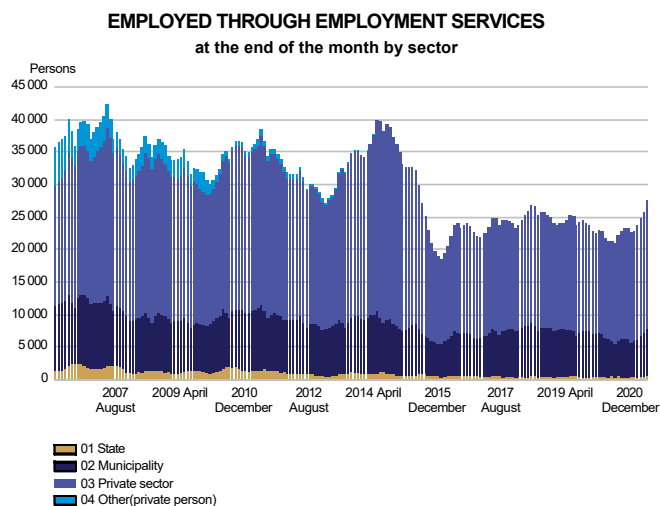


Increase in the number of persons in services

At the end of May, the number of persons covered by services included in the activation rate amounted to 113,400, up 7,800 on the previous year. Compared with April, the number of persons covered by such services decreased by 3,600. Of those covered by services, 59,900 were customers of municipalities participating in the local government pilots on employment. The activation rate at the end of May was 27.4 %, which is 7.8 percentage points higher than a year earlier. In all, 4.0 % of the labour force were covered by these services.

Of those covered by services, the number of men was 54,900, up 4,000 on the previous year. The number of women covered by these services was 58,600, up 3,700 on the previous year.

Broad unemployment, or the total number of unemployed jobseekers and those covered by services, was 414,600 at the end of May. This is 123,800 less than a year earlier. The decrease in broad unemployment was mainly due to a decrease in the number of unemployed.



The number of placements increased particularly in the private sector

At the end of May, the number of persons claiming pay subsidies, employed by the State or receiving start-up grants totalled 27,600, which is 6,300 more than the year before. Of those employed, 2 % were in government jobs, 26 % in local government jobs and 72 % in the private sector. Since May last year, the number of placements has increased by 14 % in government jobs, by 23 % in local government jobs and by 33 % in the private sector. Of those employed, 53 % were men. Placements for men increased by 3,600, and those for women by 2,700 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

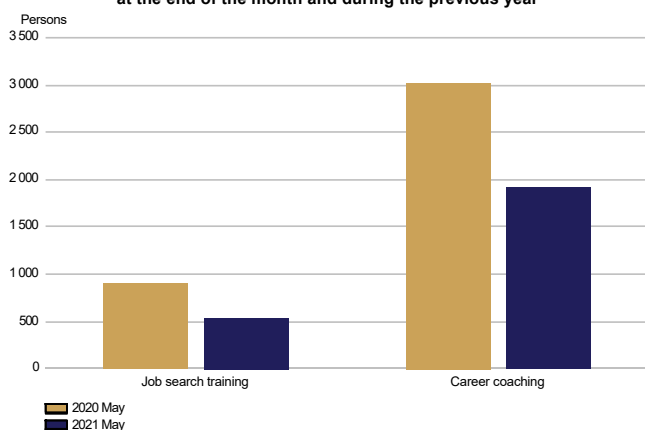


Increase in the number of persons in labour market training

At the end of May, labour market training was attended by 22,400 students, up 2,400 on the previous year. Of the students, 10,600 were men and 11,800 were women. The number of men increased by 700, and the number of women by 1,700 from May last year. During May, 3,800 new students began labour market training, representing an increase of 600 on the year before.

Based on target occupation, the largest subgroup within the category of 'unknown' were people in integration training (7,300), which is 700 more than the year before.

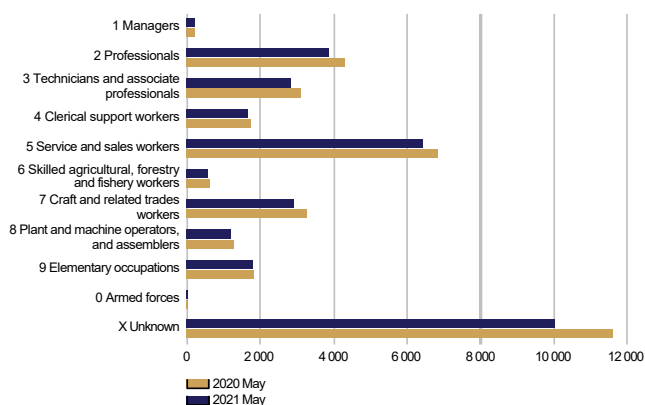
IN TRAINING
at the end of the month and during the previous year



The number of persons in training decreased

At the end of May, 2,500 persons were in training, which is 1,500 less than the year before. Of those in training, 1,200 were men and 1,200 women. Career coaching was provided to 1,900 participants, which is 1,100 less than a year earlier. The number of participants in job search training decreased by 400 from the year before.

IN SELF-MOTIVATED STUDIES
in person's profession at the end of the month



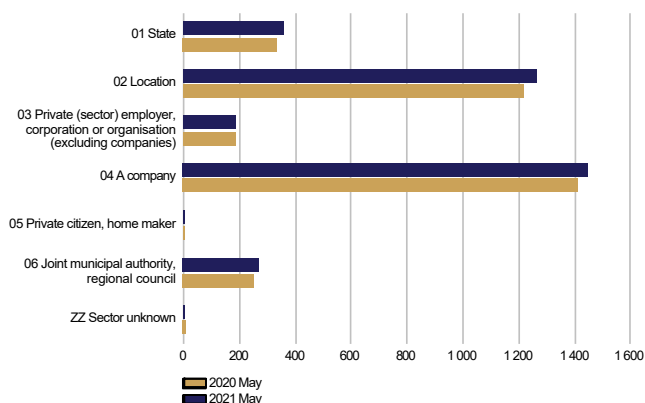
The number of people in self-motivated study decreased from the previous year

Self-motivated studies supported by unemployment benefits were attended by a total of 31,500 people, representing a decrease of 3,300 on the year before. The number of men receiving unemployment benefits for studies was 12,700, down 1,700 on the previous year. Among women, the number was 18,800, also representing a decrease of 1,700 on the year before. Occupation was undetermined in case of 8,800 persons in the group of 'unknown', down 1,300 on the previous year.



Job alternation, rehabilitative work and trials

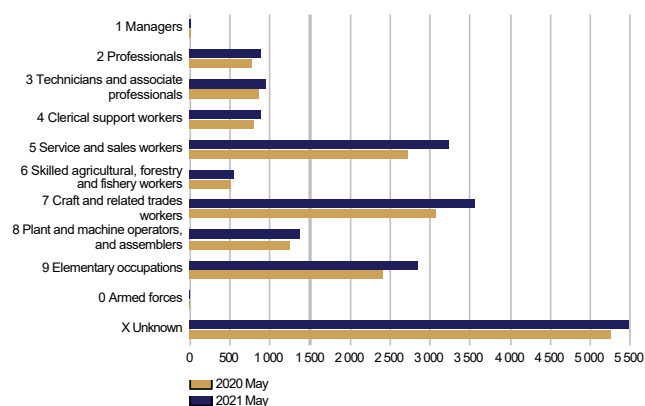
AS A JOB ALTERNATION SUBSTITUTE
at the end of the month and during the previous year by sector



The number of job alternation substitutes remained the same

A total of 3,500 persons were job alternation substitutes at the end of May, which is 100 more than a year earlier. Of the substitutes, 1,300 were men and 2,300 were women. The number of men increased by almost 50 and the number of women increased by close to 100 from the previous year.

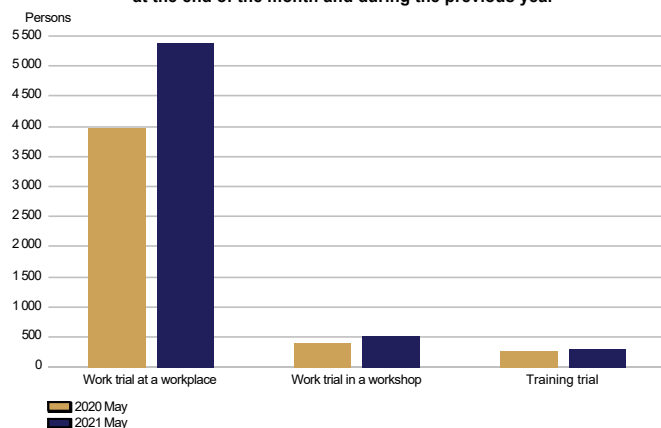
REHABILITATIVE WORK ACTIVITIES
at the end of the month and during the previous year



More participants in rehabilitative work activities than in the previous year

A total of 19,800 persons participated in rehabilitative work activities at the end of May, which is 2,200 more than a year earlier. Of the participants 11,200 were men and 8,600 were women. The number of men increased by 1,400 and the number of women by 700 from the previous year.

IN TRIALS
at the end of the month and during the previous year



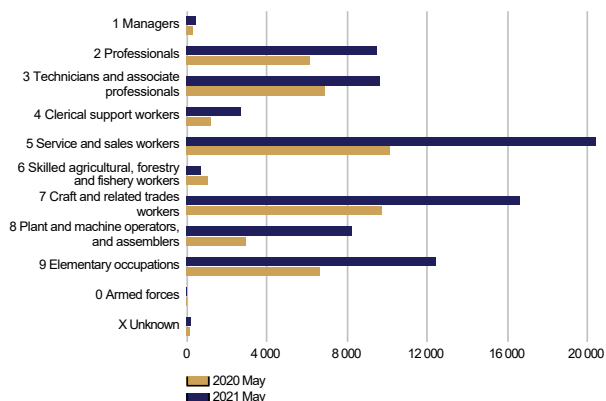
Participation in work and training trials increased

Work and training trials had a total of 6,200 participants at the end of May, which is 1,600 more than the previous year. Of the participants, 3,100 were men and 3,000 were women. The number of men increased by 800 from the previous year and the number of women also increased by 800.



Jobs vacant

NEW JOB VACANCIES
during the month and during the previous year



Increase in the number of new vacancies from the year before

The number of new vacancies reported to Employment and Economic Development Offices and municipalities participating in the local government pilots on employment during May totalled 80,800, which is 35,700 more than in May last year. In all, the number of unfilled vacancies in May amounted to 154,800, which is 57,900 more than a year ago. A total of 12,500 of these vacancies were filled during May, 3,700 of them through Employment and Economic Development Offices. A total of 70,000 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 4,400 vacancies were cancelled and 2,000 vacancies could not be filled. The number of vacancies remaining unfilled at Employment and Economic Development Offices and in local government pilots at the end of May was 71,200, up 24,100 on the previous year.

The number of new vacancies had increased in almost all occupational groups; the greatest increases were in the groups of service and sales workers (10,300), craft and related trades workers (7,000), elementary occupations (5,800), plant and machine operators, and assemblers (5,300), professionals (3,300) and technicians and associate professionals (2,800). The number of new vacancies decreased only in the group of skilled agricultural, forestry and fishery workers (-400).



Summary table

EMPLOYMENT SITUATION AT THE END OF 2021 MAY (I) AND
ACTIVITIES OF EMPLOYMENT AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT OFFICES DURING MAY (II)
WHOLE COUNTRY

I EMPLOYMENT SITUATION AT THE END OF MONTH	May-21	May-20	CHANGE NUMBER	CHANGE %
A. JOBSEEKERS				
1. Unemployed jobseekers	301 160	432 681	-131 521	-30,4
of whom fully laid off	41 189	158 149	-116 960	-74,0
2. On reduced working week	14 905	23 231	-8 326	-35,8
3. Those who have work	216 734	203 853	12 881	6,3
of whom in the general labour market	195 598	186 330	9 268	5,0
of whom employed through employment services	21 136	17 523	3 613	20,6
4. Persons outside the labour force	109 852	108 856	996	0,9
of whom in services promoting employment	25 947	22 662	3 285	14,5
of whom in training	63 559	63 199	360	0,6
1-4 Total of jobseekers	642 651	768 621	-125 970	-16,4
B. LABOUR DEMAND				
1. Jobs vacant	71 207	47 073	24 134	51,3
of those notified for over a month	23 885	18 631	5 254	28,2
of those notified for over 2 months	15 070	12 988	2 082	16,0
C. PARTICIPATING IN SERVICES				
1. Employed by the State	537	471	66	14,0
2. Employed by municipalities	7 102	5 754	1 348	23,4
3. Employed by the private sector	19 961	15 036	4 925	32,8
1-3 Total number of employed people	27 600	21 261	6 339	29,8
4. Labour market training	22 428	20 016	2 412	12,1
5. Training	2 454	3 940	-1 486	-37,7
6. Engaged in work/training trials	6 178	4 620	1 558	33,7
7. As a job alternation substitute	3 532	3 411	121	3,5
8. Rehabilitative work	19 777	17 616	2 161	12,3
9. Self-motivated studies supported by unemployment benefit	31 471	34 819	-3 348	-9,6
1-9 Total number of people participating in services	113 440	105 683	7 757	7,3
D. STRUCTURE OF UNEMPLOYMENT				
1. Unemployed women	130 723	203 954	-73 231	-35,9
2. Unemployed men	170 437	228 727	-58 290	-25,5
3. Under 25 years old	36 144	56 374	-20 230	-35,9
4. Over 50 years old	110 473	141 623	-31 150	-22,0
5. Unemployed over a year	110 873	69 766	41 107	58,9
6. Foreign unemployed	34 875	41 518	-6 643	-16,0
E. UNEMPLOYMENT SECURITY				
1. Unemployed members of employees' unemployment funds	120 851	197 006	-76 155	-38,7
II EMPLOYMENT SITUATION DURING THE MONTH				
1. Unemployed jobseekers	343 447	507 406	-163 959	-32,3
2. Other jobseekers	334 187	312 539	21 648	6,9
1-2 Total number of jobseekers	677 634	819 945	-142 311	-17,4
3. Vacancies during a month	154 788	96 931	57 857	59,7
New vacancies during a month	80 812	45 113	35 699	79,1
Vacancies filled during a month	12 535	9 417	3 118	33,1
of those filled with job-seekers at the Employment Service	3 677	2 911	766	26,3
Vacancies application period ended or sufficient number of applicants	70 045	40 331	29 714	73,7
Vacancies cancelled or could not be filled	6 457	4 303	2 154	50,1
4. Started spell of unemployment	38 758	97 081	-58 323	-60,1
5. Completed spell of unemployment	53 007	100 558	-47 551	-47,3
6. New jobs found through employment services	3 689	2 248	1 441	64,1
7. New entrants to labour market training	3 826	3 245	581	17,9



Foreigners' summary table

FOREIGNERS' EMPLOYMENT SITUATION AT THE END OF 2021 MAY (I) AND
ACTIVITIES OF EMPLOYMENT AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT OFFICES DURING MAY (II)
WHOLE COUNTRY

I EMPLOYMENT SITUATION AT THE END OF MONTH	May-21	May-20	CHANGE NUMBER	CHANGE %
A. JOBSEEKERS				
1. Unemployed jobseekers	34 875	41 518	-6 643	-16,0
of whom fully laid off	5 048	12 354	-7 306	-59,1
2. On reduced working week	1 008	1 256	-248	-19,7
3. Those who have work	20 799	17 725	3 074	17,3
of whom in the general labour market	19 089	16 301	2 788	17,1
of whom employed through employment services	1 710	1 424	286	20,1
4. Persons outside the labour force	28 998	28 797	201	0,7
of whom in services promoting employment	2 629	2 199	430	19,6
of whom in training	23 979	23 955	24	0,1
1-4 Total of jobseekers	85 680	89 296	-3 616	-4,0
C. PARTICIPATING IN SERVICES				
1. Employed by the State	8
2. Employed by municipalities	448	359	89	24,8
3. Employed by the private sector	1 557	1 174	383	32,6
1-3 Total number of employed people	2 013	1 537	476	31,0
4. Labour market training	9 672	8 617	1 055	12,2
5. Training	137	198	-61	-30,8
6. Engaged in work/training trials	1 267	929	338	36,4
7. As a job alternation substitute	52	54	-2	-3,7
8. Rehabilitative work	1 186	1 181	5	0,4
9. Self-motivated studies supported by unemployment benefit	13 034	14 892	-1 858	-12,5
1-9 Total number of people participating in services	27 361	27 408	-47	-0,2
D. STRUCTURE OF UNEMPLOYMENT				
1. Unemployed women	16 752	19 879	-3 127	-15,7
2. Unemployed men	18 123	21 639	-3 516	-16,2
3. Under 25 years old	2 398	3 249	-851	-26,2
4. Over 50 years old	8 971	9 560	-589	-6,2
5. Unemployed over a year	10 447	5 343	5 104	95,5
E. UNEMPLOYMENT SECURITY				
1. Unemployed members of employees' unemployment funds	7 738	9 557	-1 819	-19,0
II EMPLOYMENT SITUATION DURING THE MONTH				
1. Unemployed jobseekers	39 364	48 204	-8 840	-18,3
2. Other jobseekers	48 982	43 689	5 293	12,1
1-2 Total number of jobseekers	88 346	91 893	-3 547	-3,9
4. Started spell of unemployment	5 514	8 547	-3 033	-35,5
5. Completed spell of unemployment	5 248	6 792	-1 544	-22,7
6. New jobs found through employment services	262	132	130	98,5
7. New entrants to labour market training	1 694	1 340	354	26,4



Regional table

UNEMPLOYED JOBSEEKERS AND JOBS VACANT BY ELY CENTRE AT THE END OF 2021 MAY
WHOLE COUNTRY

ELY centre	Workforce		Unemployed jobseekers						Disabled		Jobs vacant
		% of workforce	Total	Men	Women	Under 20 years old	Under 25 years old	Over 50 years old	Unemployed over a year	and chron. ill	
Uusimaa	880 161	12,4	109 376	59 467	49 909	1 852	11 273	37 207	44 240	8 489	19 389
Southwest Finland	228 633	10,6	24 155	13 540	10 615	581	2 996	8 646	7 633	2 781	6 523
Satakunta	96 959	10,0	9 672	5 657	4 015	268	1 157	4 282	3 354	1 280	2 247
Häme	170 771	12,5	21 404	12 289	9 115	543	2 637	8 619	8 601	3 171	4 752
Pirkanmaa	247 562	10,7	26 383	14 672	11 711	534	3 319	8 891	8 782	2 752	7 702
Southeast Finland	128 857	12,0	15 417	8 797	6 620	422	1 746	6 662	5 039	1 805	2 703
South Savo	56 747	10,5	5 970	3 615	2 355	169	707	2 635	2 118	1 070	1 899
North Savo	112 391	10,6	11 931	7 194	4 737	315	1 576	4 824	4 866	1 789	3 869
North Karelia	71 372	13,7	9 804	5 846	3 958	211	1 173	4 340	3 882	1 288	1 545
Central Finland	124 466	13,1	16 315	9 467	6 848	447	2 562	5 808	6 274	1 616	2 738
South Ostrobothnia	86 161	7,1	6 078	3 637	2 441	203	877	2 313	1 543	1 056	3 194
Ostrobothnia	112 960	7,3	8 216	4 786	3 430	222	1 021	3 033	2 597	1 060	2 475
North Ostrobothnia	187 001	11,4	21 227	12 297	8 930	760	3 334	6 943	7 486	2 507	5 729
Kainuu	30 941	10,4	3 212	1 994	1 218	101	413	1 529	844	534	1 322
Lapland	80 787	13,1	10 568	6 349	4 219	229	1 224	4 285	3 222	1 218	2 858
Åland	15 115	7,3	1 096	592	504	...	120	360	292	...	268
Abroad	0	0,0	334	237	97	...	7	96	99	...	1 994
Total	2 630 884	11,4	301 160	170 437	130 723	6 884	36 144	110 473	110 873	32 459	71 207



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- **Local government pilots on employment (In Finnish):**
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