



# Employment Bulletin

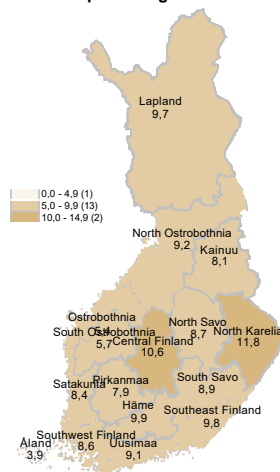
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and Employment of Finland

## In September 232,900 unemployed jobseekers

Unemployed jobseekers' percentage of the workforce by ELY centre



At the end of September, a total of 232,900 unemployed jobseekers were registered at the Employment and Economic Development Offices and municipalities participating in the local government pilots on employment. This is 32,400 fewer than a year earlier, and 6,200 fewer than the previous month. Unemployed jobseekers accounted for 8.8% of the labour force, which is 1.3 percentage points less than the year before. The figures are from the Employment Service Statistics of the Ministry of Economic Affairs and Employment.

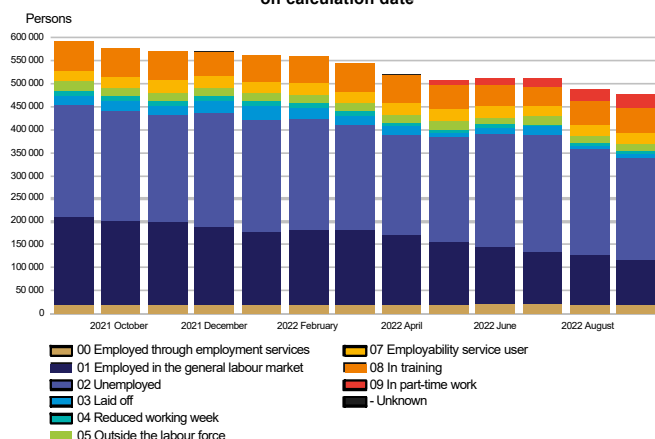
### Trends:

- Total number of all jobseekers decreased by 114,300
- The number of unemployed jobseekers decreased by 32,400 from the previous year
- The number of people fully laid off decreased by 11,600
- Services included in the activation rate had 2,200 more people than a year ago
- The number of new job vacancies decreased by 7,100 from last year



## All jobseekers

Jobseekers by group  
on calculation date



### The total number of jobseekers decreased

At the end of September, the number of jobseekers registered at the Employment and Economic Development Offices and municipalities participating in the local government pilots on employment totalled 475,600, down 114,300 on the previous year. Of the jobseekers, 239,400 were men and 236,200 were women. Compared to the situation a year ago, the number of men decreased by 58,200 and the number of women by 56,100. Of the jobseekers, 229,500, or 3,200 less than a year earlier, were customers of municipalities participating in the local government pilots on employment.

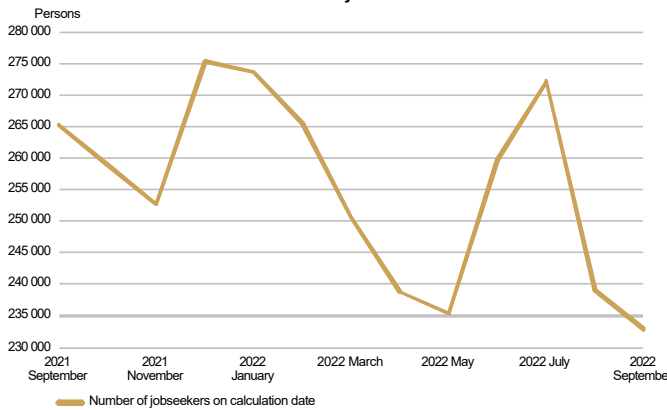
Of the jobseekers, 143,900 were employed: 93,900 of them were in full-time work, 28,000 were in part-time work and 22,000 were employed through the services organised by the employment and economic development administration and local government pilots on employment. The number of jobseekers outside the labour force was 93,600, of whom 24,800 were in services promoting employment and 53,100 in training. Of the jobseekers, 232,900 were unemployed jobseekers, which is 32,400 less than the year before. In September, 9,400 of unemployed jobseekers were fully laid off, which is 200 less than in August. The number of people fully laid off decreased by 11,600 from September a year earlier. Furthermore, jobseekers on a reduced working week numbered 5,200, representing a decrease of 5,200 from the year before.





## Unemployed jobseekers

**UNEMPLOYED JOBSEEKERS**  
monthly

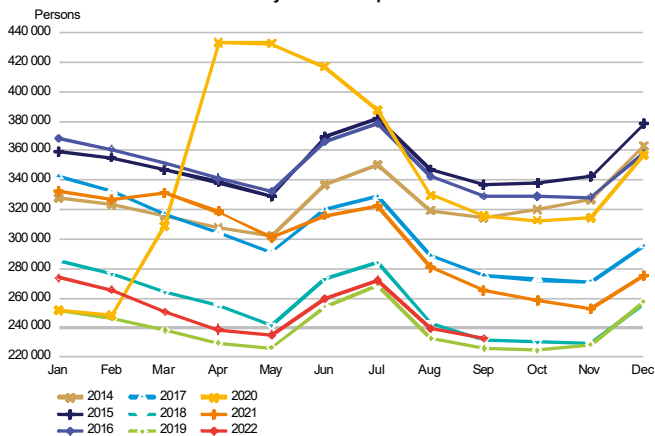


### Decrease in unemployed jobseekers in September

At the end of September, the number of unemployed jobseekers registered at the Employment and Economic Development Offices and municipalities participating in the local government pilots on employment totalled 232,900, down 32,400 on the previous year. The number of unemployed jobseekers decreased by 6,200 from August. Of the unemployed jobseekers, 131,700, or 11,500 fewer than in September a year ago, were customers of municipalities participating in the local government pilots on employment. The number of new job searches among unemployed jobseekers totalled 13,100, up 2,100 from September a year ago. In September, the number of starting periods of unemployment totalled 32,300, representing a decrease of 2,300 on the year before. The number of starting periods of unemployment increased by 1,200 from August. 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 31,900, up 500 from September a year ago. Of these foreign unemployed jobseekers, EU/EEA citizens accounted for 8,100 at the end of September, down 1,400 from the year before.

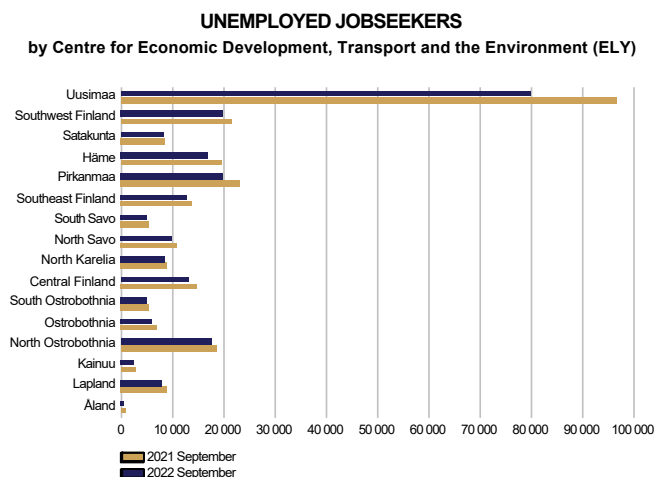
**UNEMPLOYED JOBSEEKERS**  
month by month comparison



In September, 9,400 of unemployed jobseekers were fully laid off, which is 200 less than in August. The number of people fully laid off decreased by 11,600 from September a year earlier. In September, the number of job searches among the fully laid off people totalled 1,100, representing a decrease of 100 on the year before. The number of starting periods of full lay-offs was 2,900, down 1,400 from September a year ago. The number of starting periods of full lay-offs was at the level of August. The number of people fully laid off decreased in all occupational groups. The greatest decreases were in the groups of service and sales workers (-4,200), craft and related trades workers (-1,600), 'unknown' (-1,400), and technicians and associate professionals (-1,200).



### 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 September in the areas of all Centres for Economic Development, Transport and the Environment (ELY Centres); the most in Uusimaa (-17%), Pirkanmaa (-14%), Häme (-13%), Lapland (-12%) and Ostrobothnia (-11%). The number of unemployed jobseekers decreased the least in North Karelia (-5%), South Ostrobothnia (-5%) and Satakunta (-5%). The number of unemployed jobseekers fell the most in Åland, by 28%. Compared to August, the number of unemployed jobseekers increased in the areas of all ELY Centres; the most in Ostrobothnia (-5%), Southwest Finland (-3%), Central Finland (-3%), South Ostrobothnia (-3%), Uusimaa (-3%), Lapland (-3%) and Pirkanmaa (-3%). In Åland, the number of unemployed jobseekers fell by 1% from August.

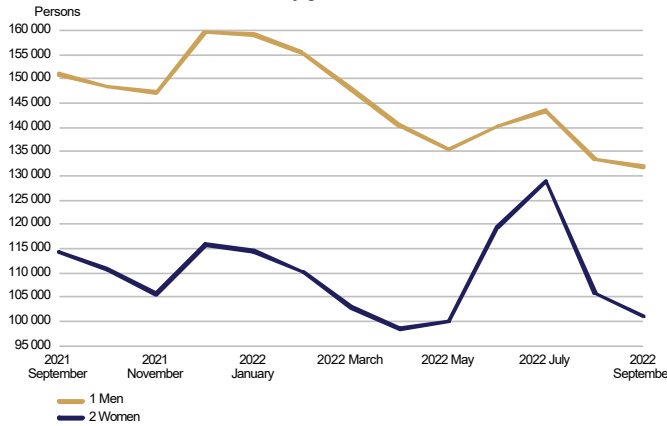
### Unemployed jobseekers and jobs vacant in Employment and Economic Development Office by ELY centre

ELY centre	Unemployed jobseekers		Change		Of the Unemployed jobseekers'		Jobs vacant		Change			
	Sep 2022	Aug 2022	Sep 2021	Sep 2022	Sep 2021	percentage fully laid off	Sep 2022	Aug 2022	Sep 2021	Sep 2022		
Uusimaa	79 917	82 373	96 383	-16 466	-17	2 678	9,1	25 885	24 962	22 707	3 178	14
Southwest Finland	19 760	20 468	21 375	-1 615	-8	1 199	8,6	6 442	7 447	7 141	-699	-10
Satakunta	8 126	8 236	8 597	-471	-5	426	8,4	2 273	2 457	2 223	50	2
Häme	16 875	17 271	19 445	-2 570	-13	759	9,9	5 075	4 986	5 932	-857	-14
Pirkanmaa	19 812	20 329	22 987	-3 175	-14	692	7,9	9 180	9 433	9 243	-63	-1
Southeast Finland	12 549	12 807	13 628	-1 079	-8	440	9,8	2 695	2 745	2 609	86	3
South Savo	5 007	5 075	5 434	-427	-8	138	8,9	1 762	1 846	1 783	-21	-1
North Savo	9 757	9 957	10 698	-941	-9	372	8,7	3 978	4 049	3 758	220	6
North Karelia	8 435	8 643	8 868	-433	-5	307	11,8	1 883	1 931	1 446	437	30
Central Finland	13 144	13 576	14 575	-1 431	-10	469	10,6	3 388	3 791	3 191	197	6
South Ostrobothnia	4 926	5 084	5 181	-255	-5	318	5,7	2 665	2 900	2 832	-167	-6
Ostrobothnia	6 060	6 363	6 809	-749	-11	309	5,4	2 826	4 606	2 575	251	10
North Ostrobothnia	17 454	17 603	18 632	-1 178	-6	752	9,2	5 565	5 516	6 186	-621	-10
Kainuu	2 494	2 530	2 766	-272	-10	115	8,1	1 263	1 441	1 175	88	7
Lapland	7 767	7 995	8 820	-1 053	-12	388	9,7	6 070	6 053	4 476	1 594	36
Åland	589	592	814	-225	-28	28	3,9	252	309	296	-44	-15
Abroad	199	212	300	-101	-34	36	.	2 972	2 484	2 604	368	14
<b>WHOLE COUNTRY</b>	<b>232 873</b>	<b>239 116</b>	<b>265 314</b>	<b>-32 441</b>	<b>-12</b>	<b>9 426</b>	<b>8,8</b>	<b>84 174</b>	<b>86 956</b>	<b>80 177</b>	<b>3 997</b>	<b>5</b>



## Unemployed jobseekers by gender and age-group

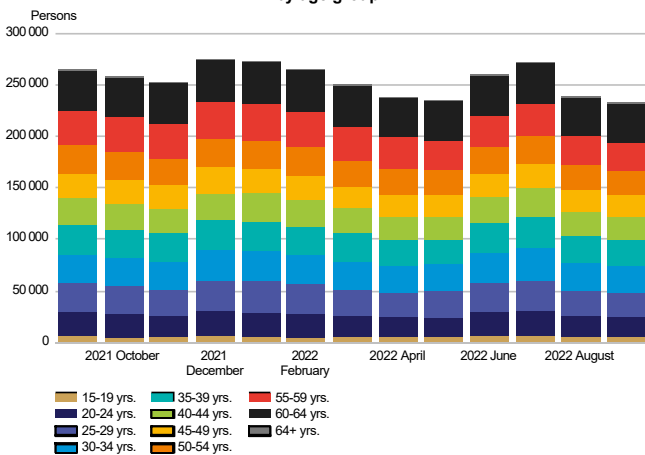
**UNEMPLOYED JOBSEEKERS  
by gender**



### Unemployment decreased more among men than women

Of the unemployed jobseekers, 131,900 (57%) were men and 101,000 (43%) were women, indicating a decrease of 1,600 for men and 4,700 for women from the figures for August. Compared with September a year ago, unemployment decreased by 19,100 (-13%) among men and by 13,300 (-12%) among women.

**UNEMPLOYED JOBSEEKERS  
by age group**



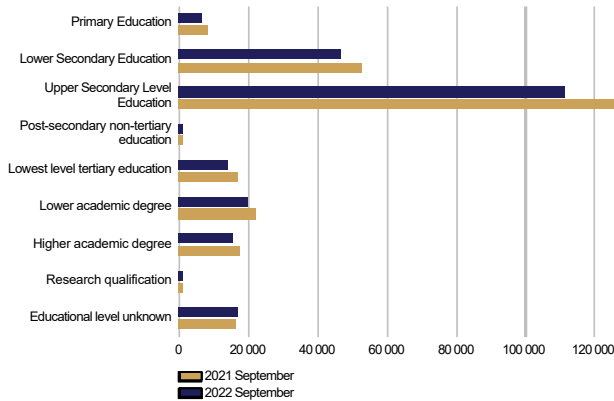
### Examined by age group, unemployment decreased for those under the age of 64

At the end of September, unemployed jobseekers under 25 years of age numbered 24,100, representing a decrease of 5,300 from September a year ago. Youth unemployment decreased from August by 1,400. For those under 20, the number of unemployed was 4,800. Among those over 50, the number of unemployed was 88,900, representing a decrease of 13,000 on the year before. Among those over 55, the number of unemployed was 66,100, representing a decrease of 8,000 on the year before. Unemployment decreased the most among those under 25 (-18%). Unemployment decreased the least among 60 to 64-year-olds (-7%). Among those over 64, unemployment increased by 6%. Compared to August, unemployment decreased in almost all age groups, the most among those aged under 25 (-6%). Unemployment remained unchanged for those over 64.



## Unemployed jobseekers by levels of education and occupational group

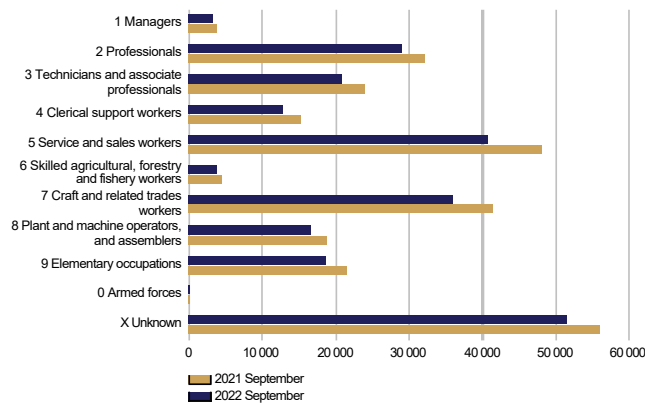
**UNEMPLOYED JOBSEEKERS  
by level of education**



### Unemployment decreased at almost all levels of education

Examined by level of education, unemployment decreased from September last year at all levels of education, with the exception of those with level of education 'unknown' whose unemployment increased by 2%. Unemployment decreased the most among those with lower level basic qualifications (-23%), lowest level of tertiary education (-17%) and post-secondary non-tertiary education (-15%). Unemployment decreased the least among those with doctorate or equivalent level tertiary education (-11%) and higher-degree level tertiary education (-11%).

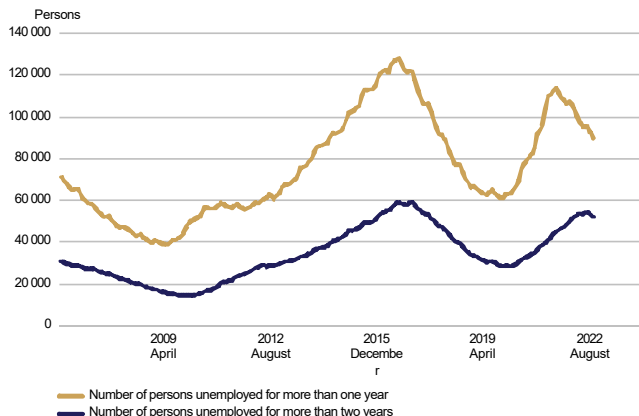
**UNEMPLOYED JOBSEEKERS  
by occupational group**



### Unemployment decreased in all occupational groups

Examined by occupation, unemployment decreased in all groups from September last year; the most in the groups of service and sales workers (-7,400), craft and related trades workers (-5,400), 'unknown' (-4,400), technicians and associate professionals (-3,300) and professionals (-3,100). Unemployment decreased the least in the occupational groups of armed forces (-10), managers (-600) and skilled agricultural, forestry and fishery workers (-600).

**LONG-TERM UNEMPLOYED  
at the end of the month**

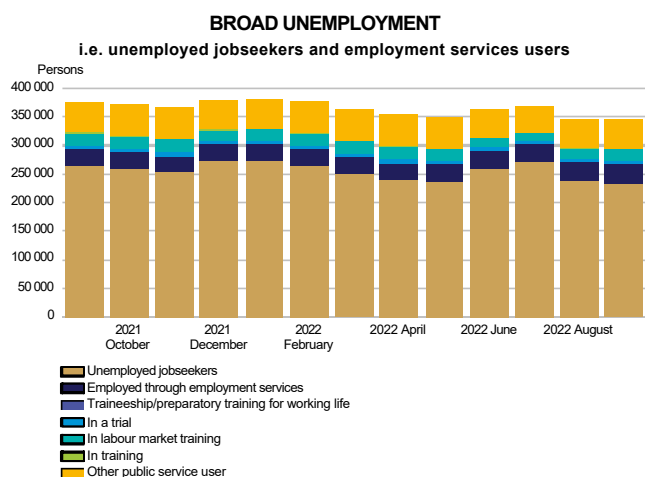


### Decrease in long-term unemployment

At the end of September, the number of long-term unemployed who had been unemployed without interruption for more than a year amounted to 89,900, down 19,500 on the previous year. Of the long-term unemployed, 54,200 were men and 35,700 were women. The number of men decreased by 10,900 (-17%) from the previous year and the number of women by 8,600 (-19%). Long-term unemployed who had been unemployed without interruption for more than two years numbered 52,400, which is 6,000 more than a year ago.



## Services

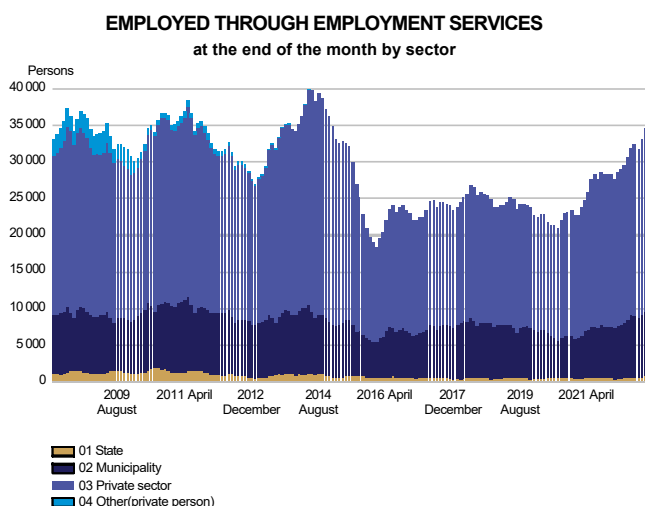


### Increase in the number of persons covered by services

At the end of September, the number of persons covered by services included in the activation rate amounted to 113,000, up 2,200 on the previous year. Compared with August, the number of persons covered by such services increased by 7,100. Of those covered by services, 63,300 were customers of local government pilots, which is 3,700 more than in September last year. The activation rate at the end of September was 32.7%, which is 3.2 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 54,000, up 1,400 on the previous year. The number of women covered by these services was 59,000, up 800 on the previous year.

Broad unemployment, or the total number of unemployed jobseekers and those covered by services, was 345,900 at the end of September. This is 30,200 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 in all sectors

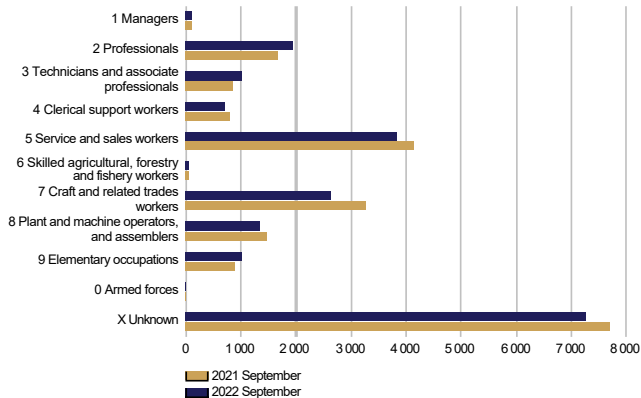
At the end of September, the number of persons claiming pay subsidies, employed by the State or receiving start-up grants totalled 34,700, which is 6,400 more than the year before. Of those employed, 2% were in government jobs, 26% in local government jobs and 72% in the private sector. Since September last year, the number of placements has increased by 30% in government jobs, by 27% in local government jobs and by 21% in the private sector. Of those employed, 53% were men. From the previous year, placements for men increased by 3,400, and those for women by 3,000.





## Labour market training, training and self-motivated studies

**PERSONS IN LABOUR MARKET TRAINING**  
in target profession at the end of the month

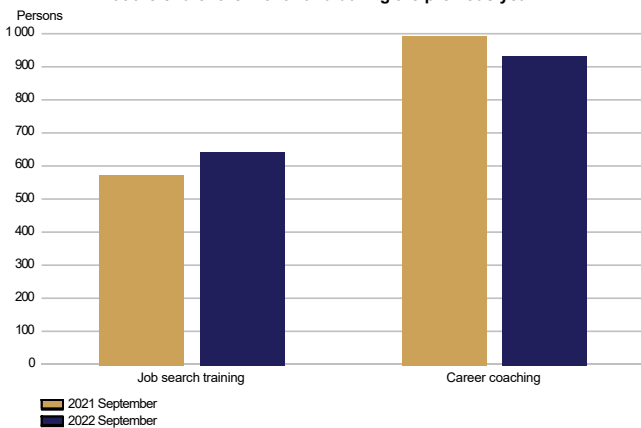


### The number of persons in labour market training decreased

At the end of September, labour market training was attended by 19,800 students, down 1,100 on the previous year. Of the students, 9,100 were men and 10,800 were women. The number of men decreased by 600, and the number of women by 500 from September last year. During September, 5,600 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' were people in integration training (6,600), which is 300 less than the year before.

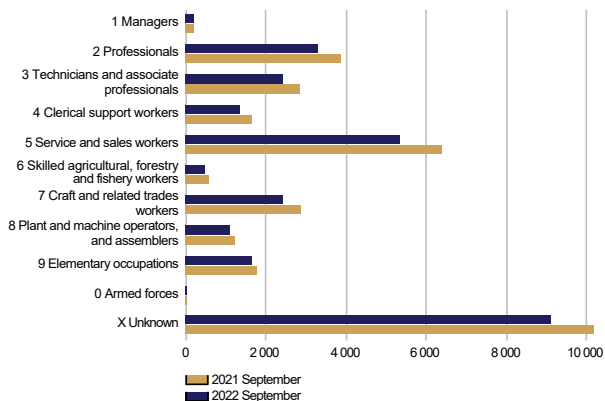
**IN TRAINING**  
at the end of the month and during the previous year



### The number of persons in training remained the same

At the end of September, 1,600 persons were in training, which is at the same level as the year before. Of those in training, 800 were men and likewise 800 women. Career coaching was provided to 900 participants, which is 100 less than a year earlier. The number of people receiving job search training was 600, which is 100 more than last year.

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



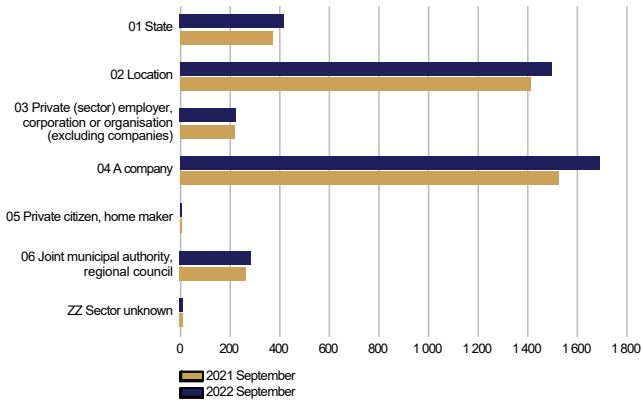
### The number of people in self-motivated study decreased from the previous year

Self-motivated studies supported by unemployment benefits were attended by a total of 27,300 people, representing a decrease of 4,200 on the year before. The number of men receiving unemployment benefits for studies was 10,300, down 2,000 on the previous year. The corresponding number for women was 17,000, representing a decrease of 2,200 on the year before. Occupation was undetermined in case of 8,300 persons in the group of 'unknown', down 800 on the previous year.



## Job alternation, rehabilitative work and trials

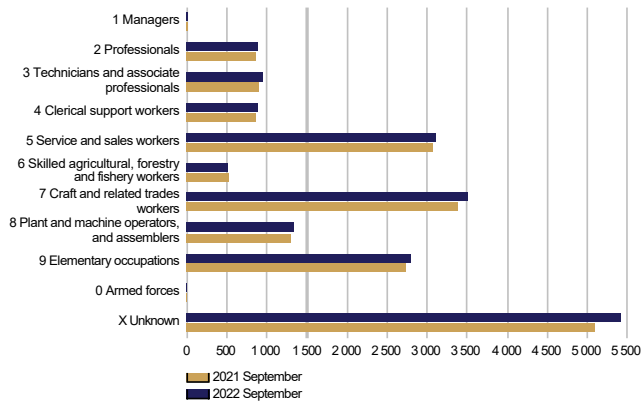
**AS A JOB ALTERNATION SUBSTITUTE**  
at the end of the month and during the previous year by sector



### The number of job alternation substitutes increased

A total of 4,100 persons were job alternation substitutes at the end of September, which is 300 more than a year earlier. Of the substitutes, 1,500 were men and 2,600 were women. The number of men increased by 200 and the number of women likewise by 200 from the previous year.

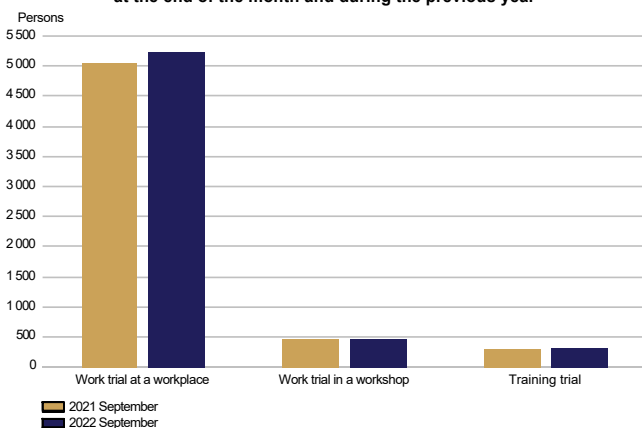
**REHABILITATIVE WORK ACTIVITIES**  
at the end of the month and during the previous year



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

A total of 19,400 persons participated in rehabilitative work activities at the end of September, which is 600 more than a year earlier. Of the participants, 10,900 were men and 8,500 were women. Compared to the situation a year ago, the number of men increased by 400 and the number of women by 200.

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



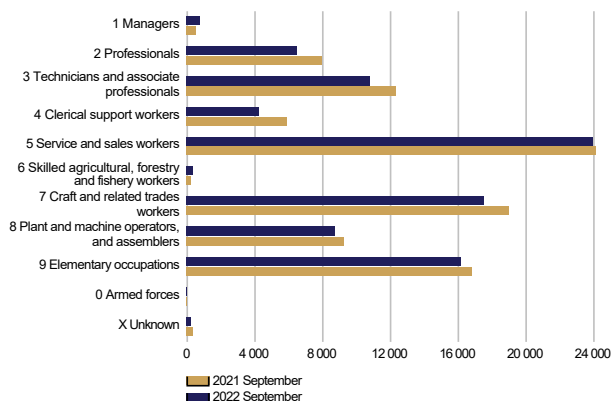
### Participation in work and training trials increased

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



### Jobs vacant

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



### Decrease 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 September totalled 89,400, which is 7,100 less than in September last year. In all, the number of unfilled vacancies in September amounted to 171,500, which is 1,300 more than a year ago. A total of 12,100 of these vacancies were filled during September, 2,400 of them through Employment and Economic Development Offices. A total of 64,500 vacancies were closed for applications because the application period had ended or because there was a sufficient number applicants. In addition, a total of 11,600 vacancies were cancelled and 1,900 vacancies could not be fulfilled. The number of vacancies remaining unfilled at Employment and Economic Development Offices and in local government pilots at the end of September was 84,200, up 4,000 on the previous year.

The number of new vacancies had decreased for eight occupational groups; the greatest decreases were in the groups of office and customer service workers (-1,700), technicians and associate professionals (-1,500), craft and related trades workers (-1,500) and professionals (-1,400). The number of new vacancies increased the most in the occupational groups of managers (200) and skilled agricultural, forestry and fishery workers (100).



### Summary table

EMPLOYMENT SITUATION AT THE END OF 2022 SEPTEMBER (I) AND  
ACTIVITIES OF EMPLOYMENT AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT OFFICES DURING SEPTEMBER (II)  
WHOLE COUNTRY

I EMPLOYMENT SITUATION AT THE END OF MONTH	Sep-22	Sep-21	CHANGE NUMBER	CHANGE %
<b>A. JOBSEEKERS</b>				
1. Unemployed jobseekers	232 873	265 314	-32 441	-12,2
of whom fully laid off	9 426	21 065	-11 639	-55,3
2. On reduced working week	5 211	10 453	-5 242	-50,1
3. Those who have work	143 878	208 860	-64 982	-31,1
of which in full-time work	93 924	187 158	-93 234	-49,8
of which in part-time work	27 968	0	27 968	0,0
of whom employed through employment services	21 986	21 702	284	1,3
4. Persons outside the labour force	93 595	105 273	-11 678	-11,1
of whom in services promoting employment	24 783	23 960	823	3,4
of whom in training	53 061	62 054	-8 993	-14,5
<b>1-4 Total of jobseekers</b>	<b>475 557</b>	<b>589 900</b>	<b>-114 343</b>	<b>-19,4</b>
<b>B. LABOUR DEMAND</b>				
1. Jobs vacant	84 174	80 177	3 997	5,0
of those notified for over a month	30 649	26 281	4 368	16,6
of those notified for over 2 months	19 173	15 387	3 786	24,6
<b>C. PARTICIPATING IN SERVICES</b>				
1. Employed by the State	676	518	158	30,5
2. Employed by municipalities	9 006	7 079	1 927	27,2
3. Employed by the private sector	25 045	20 768	4 277	20,6
<b>1-3 Total number of employed people</b>	<b>34 727</b>	<b>28 365</b>	<b>6 362</b>	<b>22,4</b>
4. Labour market training	19 840	20 932	-1 092	-5,2
5. Training	1 576	1 568	8	0,5
6. Engaged in work/training trials	6 035	5 823	212	3,6
7. As a job alternation substitute	4 123	3 788	335	8,8
8. Rehabilitative work	19 367	18 754	613	3,3
9. Self-motivated studies supported by unemployment benefit	27 337	31 541	-4 204	-13,3
<b>1-9 Total number of people participating in services</b>	<b>113 005</b>	<b>110 771</b>	<b>2 234</b>	<b>2,0</b>
<b>D. STRUCTURE OF UNEMPLOYMENT</b>				
1. Unemployed women	100 987	114 311	-13 324	-11,7
2. Unemployed men	131 886	151 003	-19 117	-12,7
3. Under 25 years old	24 101	29 410	-5 309	-18,1
4. Over 50 years old	88 874	101 836	-12 962	-12,7
5. Unemployed over a year	89 877	109 381	-19 504	-17,8
6. Foreign unemployed	31 925	31 378	547	1,7
<b>E. UNEMPLOYMENT SECURITY</b>				
1. Unemployed members of employees' unemployment funds	76 167	98 169	-22 002	-22,4
<b>II EMPLOYMENT SITUATION DURING THE MONTH</b>				
1. Unemployed jobseekers	262 290	297 596	-35 306	-11,9
2. Other jobseekers	241 845	322 397	-80 552	-25,0
<b>1-2 Total number of jobseekers</b>	<b>504 135</b>	<b>619 993</b>	<b>-115 858</b>	<b>-18,7</b>
3. Vacancies during a month	171 541	170 276	1 265	0,7
New vacancies during a month	89 376	96 525	-7 149	-7,4
Vacancies filled during a month	12 089	12 380	-291	-2,4
of those filled with job-seekers at the Employment Service	2 365	2 775	-410	-14,8
Vacancies application period ended or sufficient number of applicants	64 493	70 621	-6 128	-8,7
Vacancies cancelled or could not be filled	13 477	9 876	3 601	36,5
4. Started spell of unemployment	32 293	34 553	-2 260	-6,5
5. Completed spell of unemployment	33 265	38 886	-5 621	-14,5
6. New jobs found through employment services	3 243	3 335	-92	-2,8
7. New entrants to labour market training	5 627	5 376	251	4,7





### Foreigners' summary table

FOREIGNERS' EMPLOYMENT SITUATION AT THE END OF 2022 SEPTEMBER (I) AND  
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WHOLE COUNTRY

I EMPLOYMENT SITUATION AT THE END OF MONTH	Sep-22	Sep-21	CHANGE NUMBER	CHANGE %
<b>A. JOBSEEKERS</b>				
1. Unemployed jobseekers	31 925	31 378	547	1,7
of whom fully laid off	1 445	3 017	-1 572	-52,1
2. On reduced working week	337	707	-370	-52,3
3. Those who have work	17 992	21 270	-3 278	-15,4
of which in full-time work	13 254	19 469	-6 215	-31,9
of which in part-time work	2 774	0	2 774	0,0
of whom employed through employment services	1 964	1 801	163	9,1
4. Persons outside the labour force	28 715	29 252	-537	-1,8
of whom in services promoting employment	2 625	2 418	207	8,6
of whom in training	23 940	24 502	-562	-2,3
<b>1-4 Total of jobseekers</b>	<b>78 969</b>	<b>82 607</b>	<b>-3 638</b>	<b>-4,4</b>
<b>C. PARTICIPATING IN SERVICES</b>				
1. Employed by the State	11	7	4	57,1
2. Employed by municipalities	591	465	126	27,1
3. Employed by the private sector	2 054	1 635	419	25,6
<b>1-3 Total number of employed people</b>	<b>2 656</b>	<b>2 107</b>	<b>549</b>	<b>26,1</b>
4. Labour market training	9 631	9 355	276	3,0
5. Training	129	116	13	11,2
6. Engaged in work/training trials	1 314	1 168	146	12,5
7. As a job alternation substitute	71	63	8	12,7
8. Rehabilitative work	1 152	1 157	-5	-0,4
9. Self-motivated studies supported by unemployment benefit	12 260	13 336	-1 076	-8,1
<b>1-9 Total number of people participating in services</b>	<b>27 213</b>	<b>27 302</b>	<b>-89</b>	<b>-0,3</b>
<b>D. STRUCTURE OF UNEMPLOYMENT</b>				
1. Unemployed women	16 590	15 413	1 177	7,6
2. Unemployed men	15 335	15 965	-630	-3,9
3. Under 25 years old	2 177	2 030	147	7,2
4. Over 50 years old	8 190	8 464	-274	-3,2
5. Unemployed over a year	8 985	10 630	-1 645	-15,5
<b>E. UNEMPLOYMENT SECURITY</b>				
1. Unemployed members of employees' unemployment funds	5 049	6 267	-1 218	-19,4
<b>II EMPLOYMENT SITUATION DURING THE MONTH</b>				
1. Unemployed jobseekers	36 692	35 868	824	2,3
2. Other jobseekers	45 258	49 507	-4 249	-8,6
<b>1-2 Total number of jobseekers</b>	<b>81 950</b>	<b>85 375</b>	<b>-3 425</b>	<b>-4,0</b>
4. Started spell of unemployment	5 151	3 912	1 239	31,7
5. Completed spell of unemployment	5 088	4 990	98	2,0
6. New jobs found through employment services	334	271	63	23,2
7. New entrants to labour market training	2 475	2 038	437	21,4



## Regional table

UNEMPLOYED JOBSEEKERS AND JOBS VACANT BY ELY CENTRE AT THE END OF 2022 SEPTEMBER  
WHOLE COUNTRY

ELY centre	Workforce	Unemployed jobseekers						Unemployed over a year	Disabled and chron. ill	Jobs vacant	
		% of workforce	Total	Men	Women	Under 20 years old	Under 25 years old				Over 50 years old
Uusimaa	882 835	9,1	79 917	43 427	36 490	1 132	6 742	29 049	35 215	7 495	25 885
Southwest Finland	229 281	8,6	19 760	11 373	8 387	401	2 028	7 188	7 235	2 452	6 442
Satakunta	96 399	8,4	8 126	4 766	3 360	236	925	3 442	2 676	1 141	2 273
Häme	171 145	9,9	16 875	9 725	7 150	374	1 677	7 373	7 839	3 034	5 075
Pirkanmaa	250 112	7,9	19 812	10 917	8 895	433	2 227	6 982	6 480	2 434	9 180
Southeast Finland	128 257	9,8	12 549	7 212	5 337	270	1 257	5 599	3 852	1 730	2 695
South Savo	56 237	8,9	5 007	3 012	1 995	120	510	2 279	1 666	1 058	1 762
North Savo	112 235	8,7	9 757	5 850	3 907	225	1 190	3 904	4 175	1 558	3 978
North Karelia	71 466	11,8	8 435	5 015	3 420	182	924	3 685	3 288	1 220	1 883
Central Finland	124 371	10,6	13 144	7 622	5 522	375	1 740	4 695	4 927	1 472	3 388
South Ostrobothnia	85 739	5,7	4 926	2 852	2 074	170	683	1 863	1 181	936	2 665
Ostrobothnia	112 620	5,4	6 060	3 509	2 551	162	681	2 292	1 890	915	2 826
North Ostrobothnia	189 174	9,2	17 454	9 909	7 545	525	2 454	5 693	6 197	2 263	5 565
Kainuu	30 908	8,1	2 494	1 494	1 000	55	275	1 183	618	480	1 263
Lapland	80 384	9,7	7 767	4 735	3 032	142	718	3 379	2 371	1 080	6 070
Åland	15 093	3,9	589	335	254	...	62	208	187	33	252
Abroad	0	0,0	199	132	67	...	7	60	78	7	2 972
<b>Total</b>	<b>2 636 256</b>	<b>8,8</b>	<b>232 873</b>	<b>131 886</b>	<b>100 987</b>	<b>4 819</b>	<b>24 101</b>	<b>88 874</b>	<b>89 877</b>	<b>29 308</b>	<b>84 174</b>



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- [https://www.stat.fi/til/tyti/tyti\\_2019-09-13\\_men\\_001\\_en.html](https://www.stat.fi/til/tyti/tyti_2019-09-13_men_001_en.html)

- **Comparison between the Job Vacancy Survey of Statistics Finland and Employment Service Statistics of the Ministry of Economic Affairs and Employment**

- [https://tilastokeskus.fi/til/atp/atp\\_2017-01-02\\_men\\_001.html](https://tilastokeskus.fi/til/atp/atp_2017-01-02_men_001.html)

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

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