



Employment Bulletin

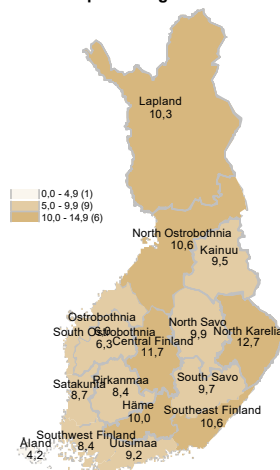
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In April, 246,100 unemployed jobseekers

Unemployed jobseekers' percentage of the workforce by ELY centre



At the end of April, a total of 246,100 unemployed jobseekers were registered at the Employment and Economic Development Offices and municipalities participating in the local government pilots on employment. This represents an increase of 7,400 from the previous year. Compared with the previous month, the number of unemployed jobseekers decreased by 7,700. Unemployed jobseekers accounted for 9.3% of the labour force, which is 0.2 percentage points more than the year before. The figures are from the Employment Service Statistics of the Ministry of Economic Affairs and Employment.

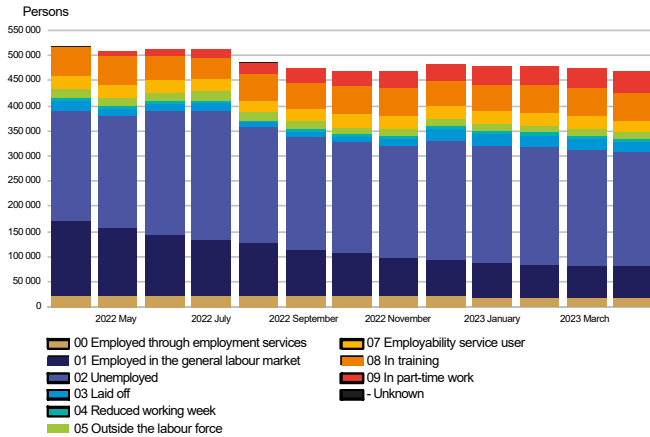
Trends:

- Total number of all jobseekers decreased by 49,600
- The number of unemployed jobseekers increased by 7,400 from the previous year
- The number of people fully laid off increased by 2,400
- Services included in the activation rate had 2,300 more people than a year ago
- The number of new job vacancies decreased by 36,800 from the previous year



All jobseekers

**Jobseekers by group
on calculation date**



The total number of jobseekers decreased

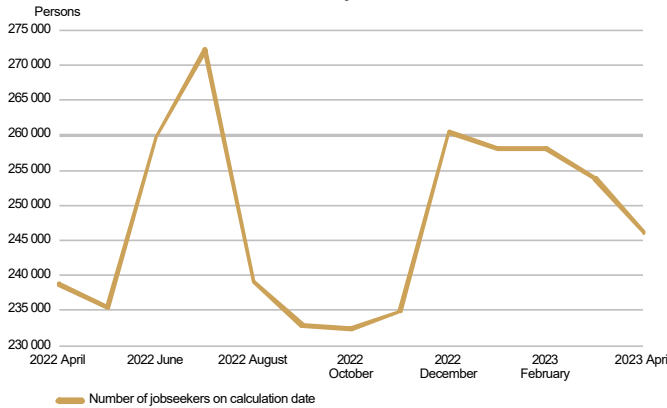
At the end of April, the number of jobseekers registered at the Employment and Economic Development Offices and municipalities participating in the local government pilots on employment totalled 468,100, down 49,600 on the previous year. Of the jobseekers, 244,400 were men and 223,700 were women. Compared to the situation a year ago, the number of men decreased by 19,200 and the number of women by 30,400. Of the jobseekers, 238,200, or 7,900 more than a year earlier, were customers of municipalities participating in the local government pilots on employment.

Of the jobseekers, 121,200 were employed: 61,700 of them were in full-time work, 39,900 were in part-time work and 19,600 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 95,100, of whom 25,500 were in services promoting employment and 56,000 in training. Of the jobseekers, 246,100 were unemployed jobseekers, which is 7,400 more than the year before. In April, 19,000 of unemployed jobseekers were fully laid off, which is 3,900 less than in March. The number of people fully laid off increased by 2,400 from April a year earlier. Furthermore, jobseekers on a reduced working week numbered 5,600, representing a decrease of 1,200 from the year before.



Unemployed jobseekers

**UNEMPLOYED JOBSEEKERS
monthly**

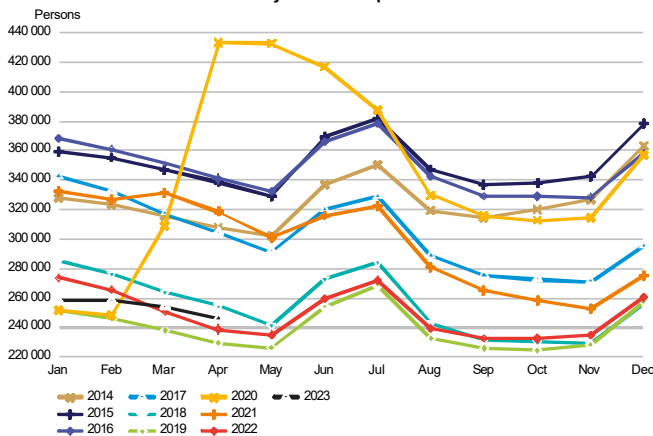


Increase in unemployed jobseekers in April

At the end of April, the number of unemployed jobseekers registered at the Employment and Economic Development Offices and municipalities participating in the local government pilots on employment totalled 246,100, up 7,400 on the previous year. Compared with March, the number of unemployed jobseekers decreased by 7,700. Of the unemployed jobseekers, 138,500, or 8,700 more than in April 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 11,600, up 1,800 from April a year ago. In April, the number of starting periods of unemployment totalled 32,600, representing an increase of 2,400 on the year before. The number of starting periods of unemployment decreased by 2,800 from March. 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 35,000, up 7,400 from April a year ago. Of these foreign unemployed jobseekers, EU/EEA citizens accounted for 9,100 at the end of April, up 900 from the year before.

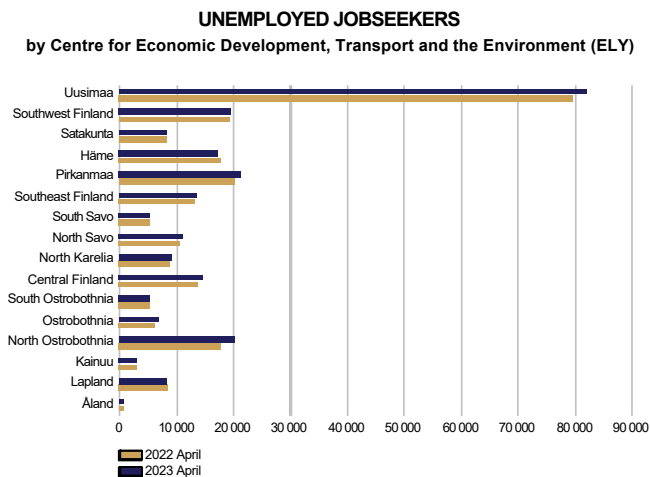
**UNEMPLOYED JOBSEEKERS
month by month comparison**



In April, 19,000 of unemployed jobseekers were fully laid off, which is 3,900 less than in March. The number of people fully laid off increased by 2,400 from April a year earlier. In April, the number of job searches among the fully laid off people totalled 2,100, representing an increase of 700 on the year before. The number of starting periods of full lay-offs was 7,300, up 3,000 from April a year ago. The number of starting periods of full lay-offs decreased by 3,100 from March. Examined by occupation, the number of people fully laid off increased in six groups and decreased in three groups. The number of people fully laid off increased the most in the groups of craft and related trades workers (2,400), "unknown" (700), plant and machine operators, and assemblers (500) and professionals (300). The number of people fully laid off decreased in the groups of service and sales workers (-1,500), office and customer service workers (-100) and skilled agricultural, forestry and fishery workers (-100). The number of laid-off people remained unchanged in the groups of armed forces and elementary occupations.



Unemployed jobseekers by region



Unemployment decreased in the areas of three ELY Centres

Compared to the same period in the previous year, the number of unemployed jobseekers decreased in April in the areas of three Centres for Economic Development, Transport and the Environment (ELY Centres); in Häme (-4%), Lapland (-2%) and Kainuu (-2%). The number of unemployed jobseekers grew the most in North Ostrobothnia (13%), Ostrobothnia (7%), North Savo (6%), Pirkanmaa (5%) and Central Finland (5%). The number of unemployed jobseekers fell the most in Åland, by 6%. Compared with March, the number of unemployed jobseekers decreased in the areas of all Employment and Economic Development Centres except Lapland; the most in South Ostrobothnia (-6%), Southwest Finland (-6%), Satakunta (-6%) and South Savo (-6%). In Åland, the number of unemployed jobseekers decreased by -7% from March.

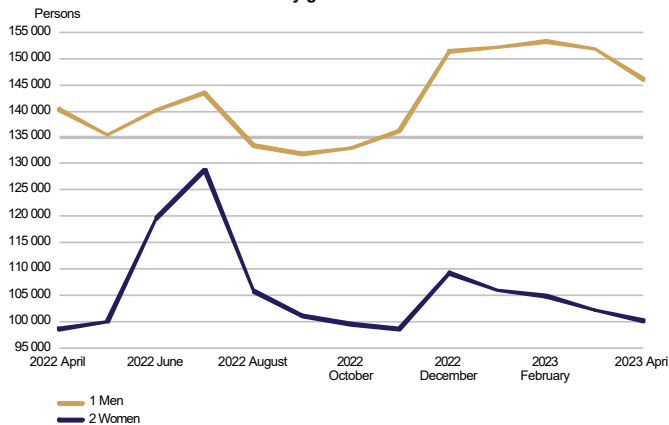
Unemployed jobseekers and jobs vacant in Employment and Economic Development Office by ELY centre

ELY centre	Unemployed jobseekers		Change		Of the Unemployed jobseekers'			Jobs vacant		Change		
	Apr 2023	Mar 2023	Apr 2023	Apr 2022	Apr 2023	fully laid off	percentage of the workforce	Apr 2023	Mar 2023	Apr 2023	Apr 2022	
Uusimaa	81 941	83 753	79 633	2 308	3	4 453	9,2	22 022	26 132	32 465	-10 443	-32
Southwest Finland	19 446	20 750	19 387	59	0	1 514	8,4	6 954	8 371	11 279	-4 325	-38
Satakunta	8 349	8 881	8 235	114	1	592	8,7	2 426	3 062	3 430	-1 004	-29
Häme	17 133	17 722	17 833	-700	-4	1 284	10,0	5 154	5 516	8 023	-2 869	-36
Pirkanmaa	21 344	21 920	20 235	1 109	5	1 538	8,4	8 141	10 329	12 485	-4 344	-35
Southeast Finland	13 464	13 925	13 228	236	2	1 224	10,6	2 141	2 874	3 653	-1 512	-41
South Savo	5 414	5 734	5 396	18	0	499	9,7	2 086	2 989	3 168	-1 082	-34
North Savo	11 146	11 536	10 499	647	6	1 195	9,9	3 879	4 841	5 325	-1 446	-27
North Karelia	9 033	9 318	8 929	104	1	705	12,7	1 930	2 178	1 965	-35	-2
Central Finland	14 536	14 855	13 872	664	5	1 224	11,7	2 327	2 876	4 393	-2 066	-47
South Ostrobothnia	5 346	5 714	5 238	108	2	752	6,3	2 828	3 637	5 044	-2 216	-44
Ostrobothnia	6 783	7 020	6 329	454	7	693	6,0	4 437	6 388	6 752	-2 315	-34
North Ostrobothnia	20 093	20 687	17 710	2 383	13	2 108	10,6	6 142	8 566	9 002	-2 860	-32
Kainuu	2 915	2 968	2 961	-46	-2	336	9,5	1 369	1 600	1 448	-79	-5
Lapland	8 297	8 135	8 434	-137	-2	789	10,3	4 377	4 535	5 074	-697	-14
Åland	631	677	669	-38	-6	35	4,2	498	536	472	26	6
Abroad	264	277	199	65	33	71	.	4 389	4 888	2 972	1 417	48
WHOLE COUNTRY	246 139	253 876	238 789	7 350	3	19 012	9,3	81 100	99 318	116 950	-35 850	-31



Unemployed jobseekers by gender and age-group

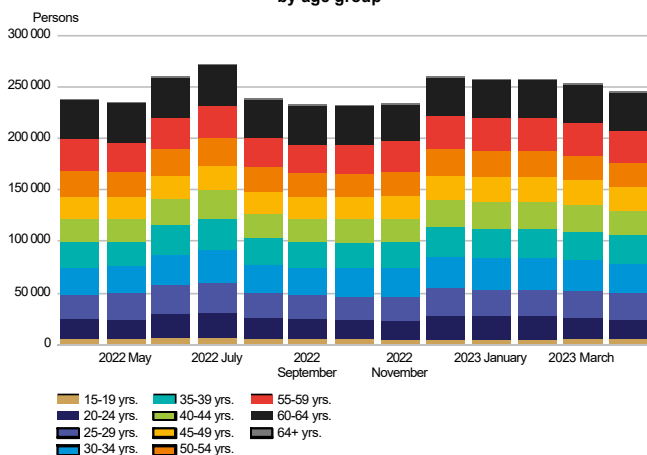
**UNEMPLOYED JOBSEEKERS
by gender**



Unemployment increased more among men than women

Of the unemployed jobseekers, 146,100 (59%) were men and 100,100 (41%) were women, indicating a decrease of 5,700 for men and 2,000 for women from the figures for March. Compared with April a year ago, unemployment increased by 5,700 (4%) among men and by 1,600 (2%) among women.

**UNEMPLOYED JOBSEEKERS
by age group**



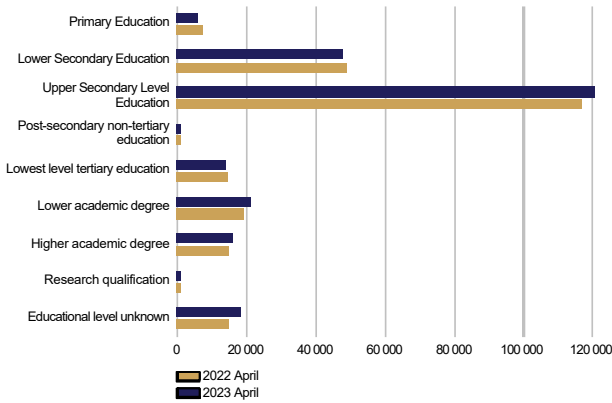
Unemployment decreased among those 50 years of age or more

At the end of April, unemployed jobseekers under 25 years of age numbered 25,100 representing an increase of 400 from April a year ago. Youth unemployment decreased from March by 1,300. For those under 20, the number of unemployed was 4,700. Among those over 50, the number of unemployed was 92,500, representing a decrease of 2,300 on the year before. Among those over 55, the number of unemployed was 68,600, representing a decrease of 1,900 on the year before. Unemployment decreased the most among those between 60 and 64 (-4%), those between 50 and 54 (-1%) and those over 64 (-1%). Unemployment increased the most among those between 30 and 34 (10%) and those between 40 and 44 years of age (9%). Compared with March, unemployment decreased in all age groups, with the exception of those over 64 years (1%). Unemployment decreased the most among those between 15 and 19 and those between 20 and 24 years of age (-5%).



Unemployed jobseekers by levels of education and occupational group

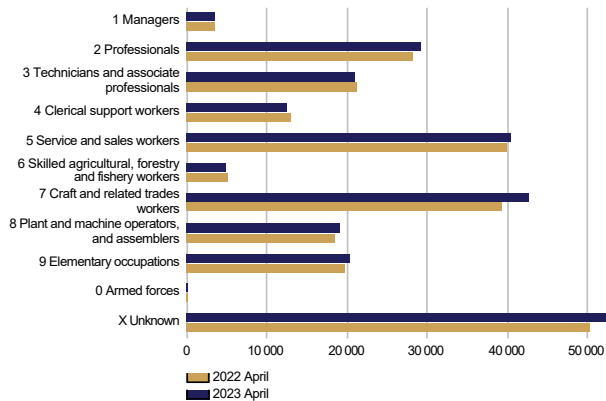
**UNEMPLOYED JOBSEEKERS
by level of education**



Unemployment decreased at only three levels of education

Examined by level of education, unemployment decreased from April last year at three levels of education. Unemployment decreased among those with lower level basic qualifications (-18%), lowest level of tertiary education (-4%) and higher level basic qualifications (-2%). Unemployment increased the most among those with education level unknown (22%), lower-degree level tertiary education (10%), higher-degree level tertiary education (7%) and post-secondary non-tertiary education (6%).

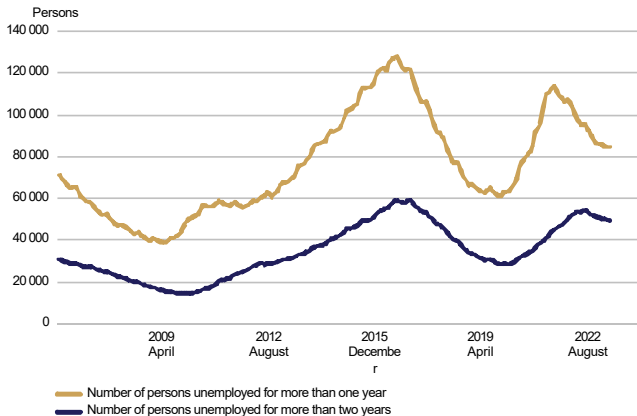
**UNEMPLOYED JOBSEEKERS
by occupational group**



Unemployment decreased in four occupational groups

Examined by occupation, unemployment decreased in four groups from April of last year; the most in the groups of office and customer service workers (-600) and skilled agricultural, forestry and fishery workers (-300). Unemployment increased in the groups of craft and related trades workers (3,200), "unknown" (2,500), professionals (1,100), plant and machine operators, and assemblers (600), elementary occupations (600) and service and sales workers (400). Unemployment remained unchanged in the group of armed forces.

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

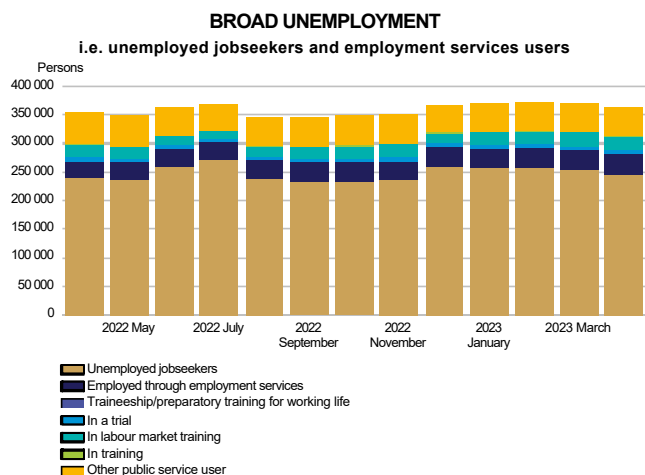


Decrease in long-term unemployment

At the end of April, the number of long-term unemployed who had been unemployed without interruption for more than a year amounted to 84,700, down 12,300 on the previous year. Of the long-term unemployed, 51,600 were men and 33,000 were women. The number of men decreased by 6,700 (-12%) from the previous year and the number of women by 5,600 (-14%). Long-term unemployed who had been unemployed without interruption for more than two years numbered 49,300, which is 4,300 less than a year ago.



Services



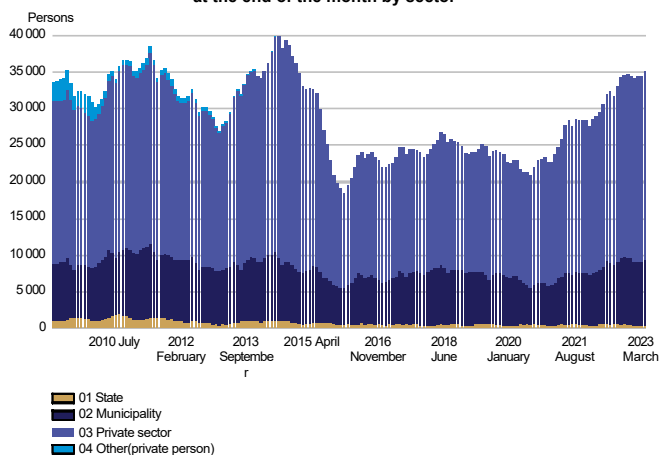
Increase in the number of persons covered by services

At the end of April, the number of persons covered by services included in the activation rate amounted to 117,800, up 2,300 on the previous year. Compared with March, the number of persons covered by such services increased by 1,100. Of those covered by services, 68,700 were customers of the local government pilots, which is 4,600 more than in April last year. The activation rate at the end of April was 32.4 %, which is 0.2 percentage points lower than a year earlier. In all, 4.2% of the labour force were covered by these services.

Of those covered by services, the number of men was 56,500, up 1,300 on the previous year. The number of women covered by these services was 61,400, up 1,100 on the previous year.

Broad unemployment, or the total number of unemployed jobseekers and those covered by services, was 364,000 at the end of April. This is 9,700 more than a year earlier. The increase in broad unemployment was due to an increase in the number of unemployed jobseekers and those covered by services.

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



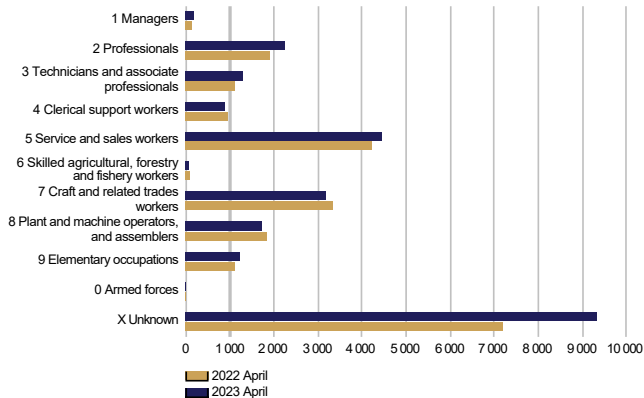
The number of placements increased in the municipal and private sectors

At the end of April, the number of persons claiming pay subsidies, employed by the State or receiving start-up grants totalled 35,200, which is 4,500 more than the year before. Of those in placements, 1% were in central government, 26% in municipalities and 73% in the private sector. Since April last year, the number of placements had increased by 16% in the private sector and by 13% in municipalities, but decreased by 38% in central government. Of those in placements, 53% were men. Placements for men increased by 2,600, and those for women by 1,900 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

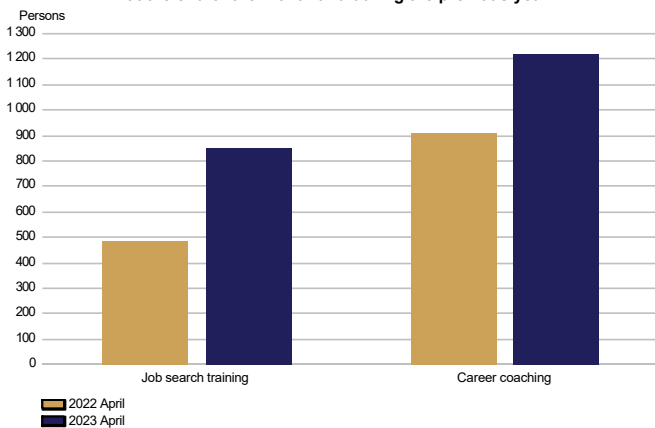


Increase in the number of persons in labour market training

At the end of April, labour market training was attended by 24,500 students, up 2,700 on the previous year. Of the students, 11,400 were men and 13,200 were women. The number of men increased by 700, and the number of women by 2,000 from April last year. During April, 3,900 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 (8,500), which is 2,100 more than the year before.

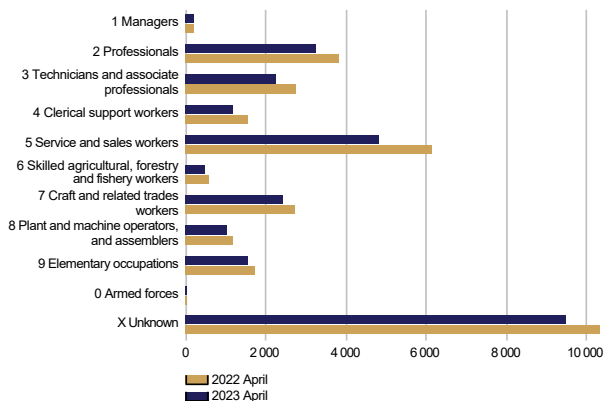
IN TRAINING
at the end of the month and during the previous year



The number of persons in training increased

At the end of April, 2,100 persons were in training, which is 700 more than the year before. The number of men in training was 1,100 and of women 1,000. Career coaching had 1,200 participants in April, which is 300 more than a year earlier. The number of people receiving job search training was 800, which is 400 more than the previous year.

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



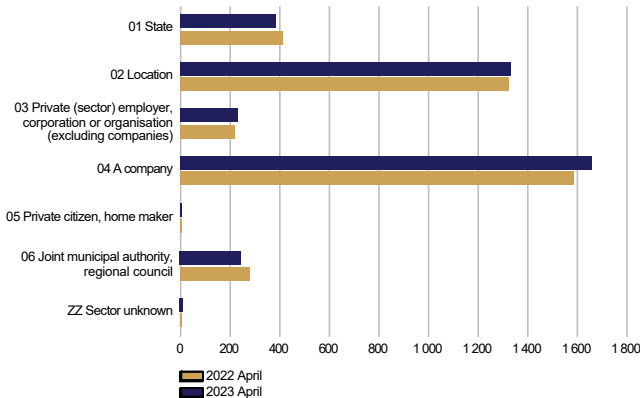
The number of people in self-motivated study decreased from the previous year

Self-motivated studies supported by unemployment benefits were attended by a total of 26,700 people, representing a decrease of 4,300 on the year before. The number of men receiving unemployment benefits for studies was 10,300, down 1,700 on the previous year. Among women, the number was 16,400, representing a decrease of 2,600 on the year before. Occupation was undetermined in case of 8,700 persons in the group of 'unknown', down 600 on the previous year.



Job alternation, rehabilitative work and trials

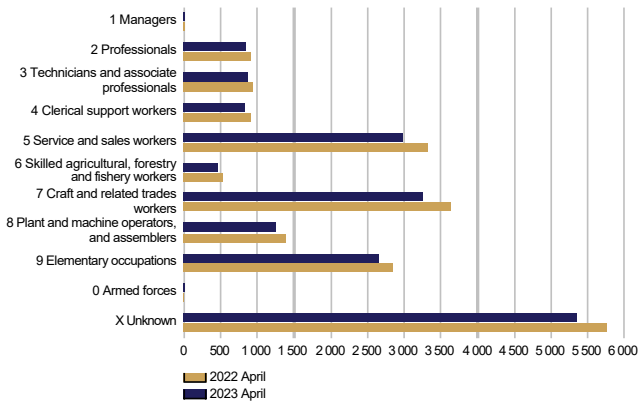
AS A JOB ALTERNATION SUBSTITUTE
at the end of the month and during the previous year by sector



The number of job alternation substitutes increased

A total of 3,900 persons were job alternation substitutes at the end of April, which is 100 more than a year earlier. Of the substitutes, 1,500 were men and 2,400 were women. Compared to the previous year, the number of both men and women remained unchanged.

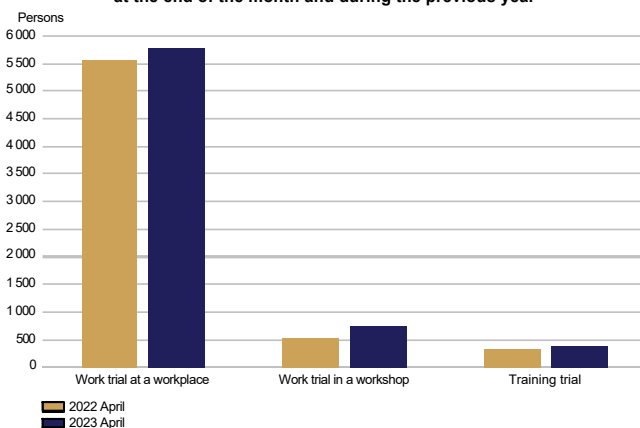
REHABILITATIVE WORK ACTIVITIES
at the end of the month and during the previous year



Fewer participants in rehabilitative work activities than in the previous year

A total of 18,500 persons participated in rehabilitative work activities at the end of April, which is 1,800 less than a year earlier. Of the participants 10,300 were men and 8,200 were women. Compared to the situation a year ago, the number of men decreased by 1,000 and the number of women by 800.

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



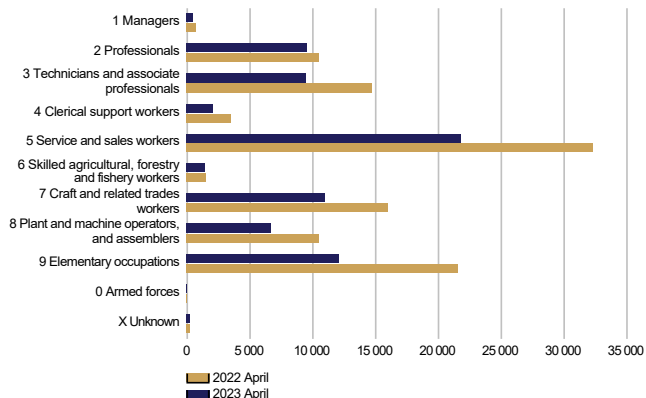
Participation in work and training trials increased

Work and training trials had a total of 6,900 participants at the end of April, which is 500 more than a year earlier. Of the participants, 3,400 were men and 3,500 were women. The number of men increased by 300 and the number of women by 200 from the previous year.



Jobs vacant

NEW JOB VACANCIES
during the month and during the previous year



Decrease in the number of new vacancies

The number of new vacancies reported to Employment and Economic Development Offices and municipalities participating in the local government pilots on employment during April totalled 74,400, which is 36,800 fewer than in April last year. In all, the number of unfilled vacancies in April was 170,300, which is 70,400 fewer than a year ago. A total of 12,500 of these vacancies were filled during April, 2,700 of them through Employment and Economic Development Offices. A total of 70,900 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 12,500 vacancies were cancelled and 1,000 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 April was 81,100, down 35,800 on the previous year.

The number of new vacancies had decreased in almost all occupational groups; the most in the groups of service and sales workers (-10,500), elementary occupations (-9,400), professionals (-5,200), craft and related trades workers (-5,000) and plant and machine operators, and assemblers (-3,700). The number of new vacancies remained unchanged in the occupations group of armed forces.



Summary table

EMPLOYMENT SITUATION AT THE END OF 2023 APRIL (I) AND
ACTIVITIES OF EMPLOYMENT AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT OFFICES DURING APRIL (II)
WHOLE COUNTRY

I EMPLOYMENT SITUATION AT THE END OF MONTH	Apr-23	Apr-22	CHANGE NUMBER	CHANGE %
A. JOBSEEKERS				
1. Unemployed jobseekers	246 139	238 789	7 350	3,1
of whom fully laid off	19 012	16 649	2 363	14,2
2. On reduced working week	5 623	6 826	-1 203	-17,6
3. Those who have work	121 240	169 750	-48 510	-28,6
of which in full-time work	61 744	148 179	-86 435	-58,3
of which in part-time work	39 857	0	39 857	0,0
of whom employed through employment services	19 639	21 571	-1 932	-9,0
4. Persons outside the labour force	95 084	102 348	-7 264	-7,1
of whom in services promoting employment	25 483	26 425	-942	-3,6
of whom in training	56 031	57 894	-1 863	-3,2
1-4 Total of jobseekers	468 086	517 713	-49 627	-9,6
B. LABOUR DEMAND				
1. Jobs vacant	81 100	116 950	-35 850	-30,7
of those notified for over a month	30 623	49 613	-18 990	-38,3
of those notified for over 2 months	19 306	32 967	-13 661	-41,4
C. PARTICIPATING IN SERVICES				
1. Employed by the State	317	515	-198	-38,4
2. Employed by municipalities	9 147	8 063	1 084	13,4
3. Employed by the private sector	25 743	22 109	3 634	16,4
1-3 Total number of employed people	35 207	30 687	4 520	14,7
4. Labour market training	24 545	21 851	2 694	12,3
5. Training	2 069	1 397	672	48,1
6. Engaged in work/training trials	6 904	6 437	467	7,3
7. As a job alternation substitute	3 907	3 820	87	2,3
8. Rehabilitative work	18 528	20 324	-1 796	-8,8
9. Self-motivated studies supported by unemployment benefit	26 671	30 986	-4 315	-13,9
1-9 Total number of people participating in services	117 831	115 502	2 329	2,0
D. STRUCTURE OF UNEMPLOYMENT				
1. Unemployed women	100 069	98 432	1 637	1,7
2. Unemployed men	146 070	140 357	5 713	4,1
3. Under 25 years old	25 134	24 702	432	1,7
4. Over 50 years old	92 500	94 766	-2 266	-2,4
5. Unemployed over a year	84 658	96 953	-12 295	-12,7
6. Foreign unemployed	35 003	27 620	7 383	26,7
E. UNEMPLOYMENT SECURITY				
1. Unemployed members of employees' unemployment funds	88 193	87 244	949	1,1
II EMPLOYMENT SITUATION DURING THE MONTH				
1. Unemployed jobseekers	279 845	270 576	9 269	3,4
2. Other jobseekers	215 382	283 531	-68 149	-24,0
1-2 Total number of jobseekers	495 227	554 107	-58 880	-10,6
3. Vacancies during a month	170 347	240 731	-70 384	-29,2
New vacancies during a month	74 437	111 209	-36 772	-33,1
Vacancies filled during a month	12 543	17 417	-4 874	-28,0
of those filled with job-seekers at the Employment Service	2 735	3 492	-757	-21,7
Vacancies application period ended or sufficient number of applicants	70 942	104 298	-33 356	-32,0
Vacancies cancelled or could not be filled	13 440	9 809	3 631	37,0
4. Started spell of unemployment	32 584	30 194	2 390	7,9
5. Completed spell of unemployment	38 777	36 584	2 193	6,0
6. New jobs found through employment services	2 861	3 075	-214	-7,0
7. New entrants to labour market training	3 934	4 011	-77	-1,9



Foreigners' summary table

FOREIGNERS' EMPLOYMENT SITUATION AT THE END OF 2023 APRIL (I) AND
ACTIVITIES OF EMPLOYMENT AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT OFFICES DURING APRIL (II)
WHOLE COUNTRY

I EMPLOYMENT SITUATION AT THE END OF MONTH	Apr-23	Apr-22	CHANGE NUMBER	CHANGE %
A. JOBSEEKERS				
1. Unemployed jobseekers	35 003	27 620	7 383	26,7
of whom fully laid off	2 666	2 049	617	30,1
2. On reduced working week	380	447	-67	-15,0
3. Those who have work	16 488	18 655	-2 167	-11,6
of which in full-time work	10 142	16 847	-6 705	-39,8
of which in part-time work	4 388	0	4 388	0,0
of whom employed through employment services	1 958	1 808	150	8,3
4. Persons outside the labour force	33 002	28 995	4 007	13,8
of whom in services promoting employment	2 981	2 764	217	7,9
of whom in training	27 948	23 944	4 004	16,7
1-4 Total of jobseekers	84 873	75 717	9 156	12,1
C. PARTICIPATING IN SERVICES				
1. Employed by the State	...	6
2. Employed by municipalities	681	540	141	26,1
3. Employed by the private sector	2 324	1 776	548	30,9
1-3 Total number of employed people	3 008	2 322	686	29,5
4. Labour market training	12 381	9 481	2 900	30,6
5. Training	212	128	84	65,6
6. Engaged in work/training trials	1 490	1 416	74	5,2
7. As a job alternation substitute	77	61	16	26,2
8. Rehabilitative work	1 161	1 189	-28	-2,4
9. Self-motivated studies supported by unemployment benefit	13 188	13 774	-586	-4,3
1-9 Total number of people participating in services	31 517	28 371	3 146	11,1
D. STRUCTURE OF UNEMPLOYMENT				
1. Unemployed women	16 945	13 597	3 348	24,6
2. Unemployed men	18 058	14 023	4 035	28,8
3. Under 25 years old	2 480	1 692	788	46,6
4. Over 50 years old	8 808	7 709	1 099	14,3
5. Unemployed over a year	8 621	9 374	-753	-8,0
E. UNEMPLOYMENT SECURITY				
1. Unemployed members of employees' unemployment funds	6 310	5 337	973	18,2
II EMPLOYMENT SITUATION DURING THE MONTH				
1. Unemployed jobseekers	40 082	31 882	8 200	25,7
2. Other jobseekers	47 880	47 650	230	0,5
1-2 Total number of jobseekers	87 962	79 532	8 430	10,6
4. Started spell of unemployment	5 047	4 326	721	16,7
5. Completed spell of unemployment	5 327	4 490	837	18,6
6. New jobs found through employment services	285	216	69	31,9
7. New entrants to labour market training	1 648	1 628	20	1,2



Regional table

UNEMPLOYED JOBSEEKERS AND JOBS VACANT BY ELY CENTRE AT THE END OF 2023 APRIL
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	892 621	9,2	81 941	46 030	35 911	1 097	6 804	29 165	33 240	7 411	22 022
Southwest Finland	231 049	8,4	19 446	11 522	7 924	381	2 026	7 109	6 526	2 380	6 954
Satakunta	95 787	8,7	8 349	5 089	3 260	224	969	3 441	2 475	1 137	2 426
Häme	170 959	10,0	17 133	10 218	6 915	323	1 610	7 388	6 848	3 131	5 154
Pirkanmaa	253 537	8,4	21 344	12 280	9 064	367	2 206	7 469	6 070	2 676	8 141
Southeast Finland	126 427	10,6	13 464	8 214	5 250	292	1 293	5 958	3 842	1 706	2 141
South Savo	55 795	9,7	5 414	3 397	2 017	119	556	2 415	1 638	1 083	2 086
North Savo	112 262	9,9	11 146	7 091	4 055	243	1 287	4 394	3 788	1 614	3 879
North Karelia	71 079	12,7	9 033	5 676	3 357	169	976	3 827	3 211	1 316	1 930
Central Finland	124 507	11,7	14 536	8 919	5 617	375	1 873	5 180	4 779	1 559	2 327
South Ostrobothnia	85 288	6,3	5 346	3 358	1 988	152	692	2 003	1 131	950	2 828
Ostrobothnia	112 918	6,0	6 783	4 086	2 697	168	794	2 493	1 937	952	4 437
North Ostrobothnia	190 152	10,6	20 093	12 391	7 702	500	2 887	6 452	6 183	2 573	6 142
Kainuu	30 690	9,5	2 915	1 911	1 004	71	308	1 376	562	523	1 369
Lapland	80 179	10,3	8 297	5 338	2 959	171	765	3 552	2 170	1 055	4 377
Åland	14 916	4,2	631	363	268	23	77	211	182	34	498
Abroad	0	0,0	264	185	79	0	8	67	74	7	4 389
Total	2 648 166	9,3	246 139	146 070	100 069	4 678	25 134	92 500	84 658	30 107	81 100



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