

In January, the number of persons registering for work stood at 1,691 decreasing by 5.8 per cent when compared to the corresponding month in 2019.

Registered Unemployment: January 2020

Data provided by Jobsplus for January 2020 indicate a decline of 116 persons registering under Part I and an increase of 11 among those registering under Part II of the unemployment register, when compared to the same month last year (Tables 5 and 8). Registered unemployed increased among those aged 29 years or less, whilst there was a drop in the number of those who were 30 years or more (Table 1).

Persons registering for work between 21 and 52 weeks and those registering for more than one year, decreased when compared to January 2019 levels. The largest decrease was recorded among persons who were on Jobsplus' books for more than one year. On the other hand, those who had been registering for work for less than 21 weeks, increased when compared to the same month in 2019 (Table 2).

The number of persons with a disability who were registering for work increased by 15 when compared to the previous year, reaching 231. Males accounted for 71 per cent of total registrants with a disability (Table 3).

The largest share of males and females on the unemployment register sought occupations as clerical support workers with 20.8 per cent and 39.2 per cent respectively (Table 4) ■

Chart 1. Registered unemployment

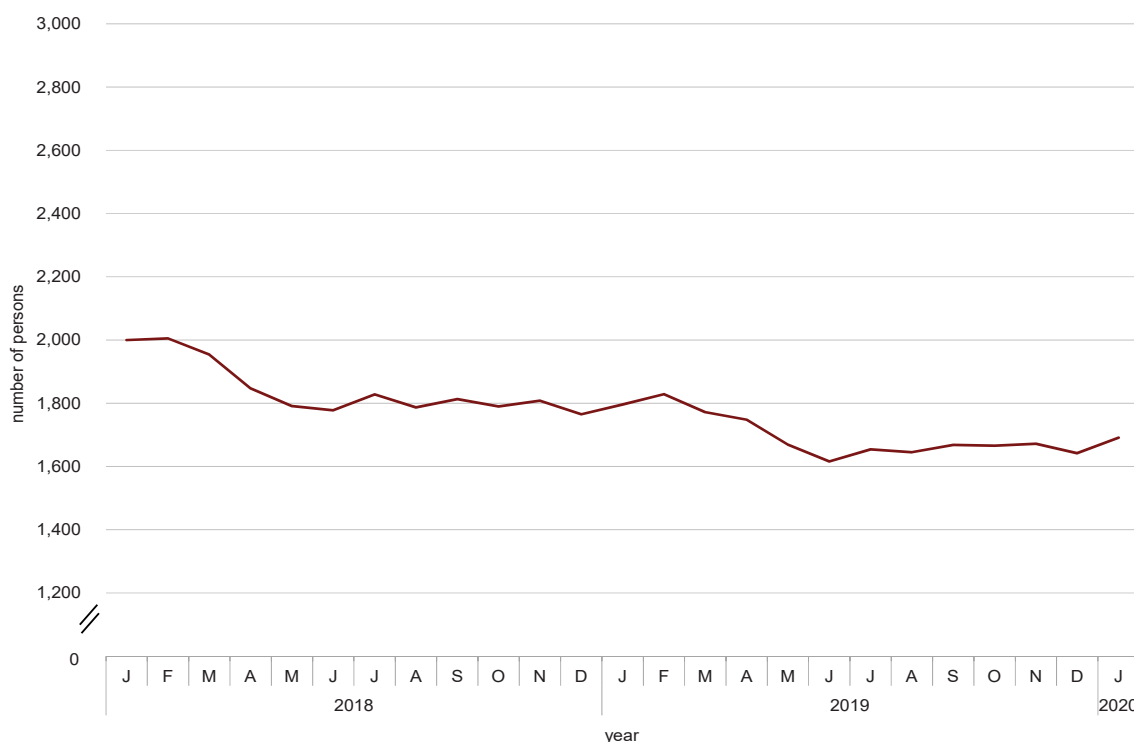


Table 1. Persons registering for work under Part I and Part II of the unemployment register by region, age group and sex

Age group and sex	Annual average 2018			Annual average 2019			December 2018			December 2019			January 2019			January 2020		
	Malta	Gozo	Total	Malta	Gozo	Total	Malta	Gozo	Total	Malta	Gozo	Total	Malta	Gozo	Total	Malta	Gozo	Total
Under 20	75	8	83	81	5	86	73	7	80	80	7	87	72	5	77	89	12	101
Males	46	6	52	53	2	55	47	2	49	53	4	57	47	2	49	49	8	57
Females	29	2	31	28	3	31	26	5	31	27	3	30	25	3	28	40	4	44
20-24	99	15	114	100	15	115	98	20	118	109	23	132	99	17	116	113	26	139
Males	64	9	73	67	11	78	62	13	75	74	20	94	69	9	78	78	21	99
Females	35	6	41	33	4	37	36	7	43	35	3	38	30	8	38	35	5	40
25-29	115	8	123	101	10	111	110	10	120	98	9	107	103	11	114	114	12	126
Males	75	3	78	66	6	72	70	3	73	69	8	77	67	6	73	83	8	91
Females	40	5	45	35	4	39	40	7	47	29	1	30	36	5	41	31	4	35
30-44	495	59	554	471	51	522	470	58	528	437	50	487	486	58	544	442	47	489
Males	369	39	408	350	35	385	354	39	393	317	35	352	376	37	413	317	35	352
Females	126	20	146	121	16	137	116	19	135	120	15	135	110	21	131	125	12	137
45 and over	877	96	973	780	86	866	816	103	919	752	77	829	848	97	945	759	77	836
Males	628	58	686	547	50	597	574	63	637	533	46	579	607	54	661	537	45	582
Females	249	38	287	233	36	269	242	40	282	219	31	250	241	43	284	222	32	254
Total	1,661	186	1,847	1,533	167	1,700	1,567	198	1,765	1,476	166	1,642	1,608	188	1,796	1,517	174	1,691
Males	1,182	115	1,297	1,083	104	1,187	1,107	120	1,227	1,046	113	1,159	1,166	108	1,274	1,064	117	1,181
Females	479	71	550	450	63	513	460	78	538	430	53	483	442	80	522	453	57	510

Table 2. Persons registering for work under Part I and Part II of the unemployment register by duration of registration and sex

Duration of registration and sex	Annual average		December		January	
	2018	2019	2018	2019	2019	2020
Under 21 weeks	709	698	723	721	741	795
Males	473	467	480	496	516	532
Females	236	231	243	225	225	263
21 to 52 weeks	265	262	249	261	268	253
Males	189	192	186	184	202	179
Females	76	70	63	77	66	74
Over 1 year	873	740	793	660	787	643
Males	635	528	561	479	556	470
Females	238	212	232	181	231	173
Total	1,847	1,700	1,765	1,642	1,796	1,691
Males	1,297	1,187	1,227	1,159	1,274	1,181
Females	550	513	538	483	522	510

Table 3. Persons with a disability registering for work under Part I and Part II of the unemployment register by type of registration and sex

Registration type and sex	Annual average				December				January			
	2018		2019		2018		2019		2019		2020	
	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%
Total (Part I)	253	100.0	212	100.0	220	100.0	218	100.0	207	100.0	221	100.0
Males	188	74.3	147	69.3	157	71.4	154	70.6	145	70.0	155	70.1
Females	65	25.7	65	30.7	63	28.6	64	29.4	62	30.0	66	29.9
Total (Part II)	10	100.0	9	100.0	5	100.0	8	100.0	9	100.0	10	100.0
Males	7	70.0	7	77.8	5	100.0	7	87.5	7	77.8	9	90.0
Females	3	30.0	2	22.2	-	-	1	12.5	2	22.2	1	10.0
Total (Parts I and II)	263	100.0	221	100.0	225	100.0	226	100.0	216	100.0	231	100.0
Males	195	74.1	154	69.7	162	72.0	161	71.2	152	70.4	164	71.0
Females	68	25.9	67	30.3	63	28.0	65	28.8	64	29.6	67	29.0

Table 4. Persons registering for work under Part I and Part II of the unemployment register by sex and main type of occupation sought

Occupation (ISCO 08)	Annual average 2018						December 2018						January 2019					
	Males		Females		Total		Males		Females		Total		Males		Females		Total	
	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%
Managers	73	5.6	26	4.7	99	5.4	69	5.6	23	4.3	92	5.2	78	6.1	29	5.6	107	6.0
Professionals	157	12.1	46	8.4	203	11.0	147	12.0	46	8.6	193	10.9	144	11.3	40	7.7	184	10.2
Technicians and associate professionals	167	12.9	102	18.5	269	14.6	157	12.8	94	17.5	251	14.2	172	13.5	88	16.9	260	14.5
Clerical support workers	243	18.7	214	38.9	457	24.7	211	17.2	214	39.8	425	24.1	215	16.9	194	37.2	409	22.8
Service workers and sales workers	182	14.0	103	18.7	285	15.4	176	14.3	101	18.8	277	15.7	179	14.1	110	21.1	289	16.1
Skilled agricultural, fishery and forestry workers	57	4.4	1	0.2	58	3.1	52	4.2	1	0.2	53	3.0	51	4.0	1	0.2	52	2.9
Craft and related trades workers	174	13.4	7	1.3	181	9.8	180	14.7	6	1.1	186	10.5	196	15.4	6	1.1	202	11.2
Plant and machine operators and assemblers	100	7.7	27	4.9	127	6.9	94	7.7	29	5.4	123	7.0	96	7.5	28	5.4	124	6.9
Elementary occupations	144	11.1	24	4.4	168	9.1	141	11.5	24	4.5	165	9.3	143	11.2	26	5.0	169	9.4
Total	1,297	100.0	550	100.0	1,847	100.0	1,227	100.0	538	100.0	1,765	100.0	1,274	100.0	522	100.0	1,796	100.0

Occupation (ISCO 08)	Annual average 2019						December 2019						January 2020					
	Males		Females		Total		Males		Females		Total		Males		Females		Total	
	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%
Managers	69	5.8	26	5.1	95	5.6	69	6.0	25	5.2	94	5.7	69	5.8	34	6.7	103	6.1
Professionals	130	11.0	40	7.8	170	10.0	122	10.5	33	6.8	155	9.4	124	10.5	31	6.1	155	9.2
Technicians and associate professionals	151	12.7	88	17.2	239	14.1	143	12.3	78	16.1	221	13.5	148	12.5	77	15.1	225	13.3
Clerical support workers	221	18.6	200	39.0	421	24.8	228	19.7	192	39.8	420	25.6	246	20.8	200	39.2	446	26.4
Service workers and sales workers	169	14.2	102	19.9	271	15.9	165	14.2	96	19.9	261	15.9	163	13.8	103	20.2	266	15.7
Skilled agricultural, fishery and forestry workers	46	3.9	2	0.4	48	2.8	41	3.5	1	0.2	42	2.6	44	3.7	1	0.2	45	2.7
Craft and related trades workers	171	14.4	6	1.2	177	10.4	156	13.5	8	1.7	164	10.0	166	14.1	8	1.6	174	10.3
Plant and machine operators and assemblers	95	8.0	29	5.7	124	7.3	106	9.1	29	6.0	135	8.2	96	8.1	32	6.3	128	7.6
Elementary occupations	135	11.4	20	3.9	155	9.1	129	11.1	21	4.3	150	9.1	125	10.6	24	4.7	149	8.8
Total	1,187	100.0	513	100.0	1,700	100.0	1,159	100.0	483	100.0	1,642	100.0	1,181	100.0	510	100.0	1,691	100.0

Note: Percentage totals may not add up due to rounding.

Table 5. Persons registering for work under Part I of the unemployment register by region, age group and sex

Age group and sex	Annual average 2018			Annual average 2019			December 2018			December 2019			January 2019			January 2020		
	Malta	Gozo	Total	Malta	Gozo	Total	Malta	Gozo	Total	Malta	Gozo	Total	Malta	Gozo	Total	Malta	Gozo	Total
Under 20	65	7	72	71	5	76	59	7	66	73	7	80	61	5	66	76	11	87
Males	40	5	45	47	2	49	41	2	43	48	4	52	42	2	44	45	7	52
Females	25	2	27	24	3	27	18	5	23	25	3	28	19	3	22	31	4	35
20-24	82	14	96	83	12	95	82	17	99	96	18	114	76	16	92	98	20	118
Males	52	9	61	56	9	65	50	12	62	64	17	81	54	8	62	66	16	82
Females	30	5	35	27	3	30	32	5	37	32	1	33	22	8	30	32	4	36
25-29	95	6	101	86	9	95	98	9	107	83	8	91	88	9	97	92	12	104
Males	61	2	63	55	6	61	61	3	64	56	7	63	55	5	60	66	8	74
Females	34	4	38	31	3	34	37	6	43	27	1	28	33	4	37	26	4	30
30-44	440	54	494	416	47	463	414	51	465	389	48	437	429	51	480	391	43	434
Males	326	36	362	309	32	341	310	34	344	283	34	317	329	33	362	283	32	315
Females	114	18	132	107	15	122	104	17	121	106	14	120	100	18	118	108	11	119
45 and over	831	91	922	729	84	813	767	97	864	700	74	774	795	95	890	695	71	766
Males	594	55	649	510	49	559	541	60	601	490	45	535	570	53	623	488	42	530
Females	237	36	273	219	35	254	226	37	263	210	29	239	225	42	267	207	29	236
Total	1,513	172	1,685	1,385	157	1,542	1,420	181	1,601	1,341	155	1,496	1,449	176	1,625	1,352	157	1,509
Males	1,073	107	1,180	977	98	1,075	1,003	111	1,114	941	107	1,048	1,050	101	1,151	948	105	1,053
Females	440	65	505	408	59	467	417	70	487	400	48	448	399	75	474	404	52	456

Table 6. Persons registering for work under Part I of the unemployment register by duration of registration and sex

Duration of registration and sex	Annual average		December		January	
	2018	2019	2018	2019	2019	2020
Under 21 weeks	554	550	566	587	581	620
Males	361	363	373	395	404	410
Females	193	187	193	192	177	210
21 to 52 weeks	258	252	242	249	257	246
Males	184	184	180	174	191	173
Females	74	68	62	75	66	73
Over 1 year	873	740	793	660	787	643
Males	635	528	561	479	556	470
Females	238	212	232	181	231	173
Total	1,685	1,542	1,601	1,496	1,625	1,509
Males	1,180	1,075	1,114	1,048	1,151	1,053
Females	505	467	487	448	474	456

Table 7. Persons registering for work under Part I of the unemployment register by sex and main type of occupation sought

Occupation (ISCO 08)	Annual average 2018						December 2018						January 2019					
	Males		Females		Total		Males		Females		Total		Males		Females		Total	
	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%
Managers	67	5.7	24	4.8	91	5.4	62	5.6	20	4.1	82	5.1	67	5.8	25	5.3	92	5.7
Professionals	146	12.4	43	8.5	189	11.2	143	12.8	44	9.0	187	11.7	138	12.0	40	8.4	178	11.0
Technicians and associate professionals	148	12.5	92	18.2	240	14.2	140	12.6	85	17.5	225	14.1	154	13.4	76	16.0	230	14.2
Clerical support workers	220	18.6	195	38.6	415	24.6	193	17.3	190	39.0	383	23.9	194	16.9	174	36.7	368	22.6
Service workers and sales workers	163	13.8	94	18.6	257	15.3	161	14.5	91	18.7	252	15.7	166	14.4	101	21.3	267	16.4
Skilled agricultural, fishery and forestry workers	52	4.4	1	0.2	53	3.1	46	4.1	1	0.2	47	2.9	45	3.9	1	0.2	46	2.8
Craft and related trades workers	157	13.3	7	1.4	164	9.7	155	13.9	6	1.2	161	10.1	168	14.6	6	1.3	174	10.7
Plant and machine operators and assemblers	92	7.8	26	5.1	118	7.0	86	7.7	28	5.7	114	7.1	85	7.4	27	5.7	112	6.9
Elementary occupations	135	11.4	23	4.6	158	9.4	128	11.5	22	4.5	150	9.4	134	11.6	24	5.1	158	9.7
Total	1,180	100.0	505	100.0	1,685	100.0	1,114	100.0	487	100.0	1,601	100.0	1,151	100.0	474	100.0	1,625	100.0

Occupation (ISCO 08)	Annual average 2019						December 2019						January 2020					
	Males		Females		Total		Males		Females		Total		Males		Females		Total	
	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%
Managers	61	5.7	24	5.1	85	5.5	60	5.7	23	5.1	83	5.5	57	5.4	27	5.9	84	5.6
Professionals	121	11.3	37	7.9	158	10.2	116	11.1	30	6.7	146	9.8	118	11.2	30	6.6	148	9.8
Technicians and associate professionals	135	12.6	80	17.1	215	13.9	125	11.9	74	16.5	199	13.3	128	12.2	68	14.9	196	13.0
Clerical support workers	199	18.5	178	38.1	377	24.4	208	19.8	174	38.8	382	25.5	214	20.3	178	39.0	392	26.0
Service workers and sales workers	155	14.4	94	20.1	249	16.1	147	14.0	89	19.9	236	15.8	147	14.0	91	20.0	238	15.8
Skilled agricultural, fishery and forestry workers	42	3.9	2	0.4	44	2.9	39	3.7	1	0.2	40	2.7	39	3.7	1	0.2	40	2.7
Craft and related trades workers	154	14.3	6	1.3	160	10.4	140	13.4	7	1.6	147	9.8	145	13.8	8	1.8	153	10.1
Plant and machine operators and assemblers	85	7.9	27	5.8	112	7.3	91	8.7	29	6.5	120	8.0	90	8.5	30	6.6	120	8.0
Elementary occupations	123	11.4	19	4.1	142	9.2	122	11.6	21	4.7	143	9.6	115	10.9	23	5.0	138	9.1
Total	1,075	100.0	467	100.0	1,542	100.0	1,048	100.0	448	100.0	1,496	100.0	1,053	100.0	456	100.0	1,509	100.0

Note: Percentage totals may not add up due to rounding.

Table 8. Persons registering for work under Part II of the unemployment register by region, age group and sex

Age group and sex	Annual average 2018			Annual average 2019			December 2018			December 2019			January 2019			January 2020		
	Malta	Gozo	Total	Malta	Gozo	Total	Malta	Gozo	Total	Malta	Gozo	Total	Malta	Gozo	Total	Malta	Gozo	Total
Under 20	10	1	11	10	-	10	14	-	14	7	-	7	11	-	11	13	1	14
Males	6	1	7	6	-	6	6	-	6	5	-	5	5	-	5	4	1	5
Females	4	-	4	4	-	4	8	-	8	2	-	2	6	-	6	9	-	9
20-24	17	1	18	17	3	20	16	3	19	13	5	18	23	1	24	15	6	21
Males	12	-	12	11	2	13	12	1	13	10	3	13	15	1	16	12	5	17
Females	5	1	6	6	1	7	4	2	6	3	2	5	8	-	8	3	1	4
25-29	20	2	22	15	1	16	12	1	13	15	1	16	15	2	17	22	-	22
Males	14	1	15	11	-	11	9	-	9	13	1	14	12	1	13	17	-	17
Females	6	1	7	4	1	5	3	1	4	2	-	2	3	1	4	5	-	5
30-44	55	5	60	55	4	59	56	7	63	48	2	50	57	7	64	51	4	55
Males	43	3	46	41	3	44	44	5	49	34	1	35	47	4	51	34	3	37
Females	12	2	14	14	1	15	12	2	14	14	1	15	10	3	13	17	1	18
45 and over	46	5	51	51	2	53	49	6	55	52	3	55	53	2	55	64	6	70
Males	34	3	37	37	1	38	33	3	36	43	1	44	37	1	38	49	3	52
Females	12	2	14	14	1	15	16	3	19	9	2	11	16	1	17	15	3	18
Total	148	14	162	148	10	158	147	17	164	135	11	146	159	12	171	165	17	182
Males	109	8	117	106	6	112	104	9	113	105	6	111	116	7	123	116	12	128
Females	39	6	45	42	4	46	43	8	51	30	5	35	43	5	48	49	5	54

Table 9. Persons registering for work under Part II of the unemployment register by duration of registration and sex

Duration of registration and sex	Annual average		December		January	
	2018	2019	2018	2019	2019	2020
Under 21 weeks	155	148	157	134	160	175
Males	112	104	107	101	112	122
Females	43	44	50	33	48	53
21 to 52 weeks	7	10	7	12	11	7
Males	5	8	6	10	11	6
Females	2	2	1	2	-	1
Total	162	158	164	146	171	182
Males	117	112	113	111	123	128
Females	45	46	51	35	48	54

Table 10. Persons registering for work under Part II of the unemployment register by sex and main type of occupation sought

Occupation (ISCO 08)	Annual average 2018						December 2018						January 2019					
	Males		Females		Total		Males		Females		Total		Males		Females		Total	
	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%
Managers	6	5.1	2	4.4	8	4.9	7	6.2	3	5.9	10	6.1	11	8.9	4	8.3	15	8.8
Professionals	11	9.4	3	6.7	14	8.6	4	3.5	2	3.9	6	3.7	6	4.9	-	-	6	3.5
Technicians and associate professionals	19	16.2	10	22.2	29	17.9	17	15.0	9	17.6	26	15.9	18	14.6	12	25.0	30	17.5
Clerical support workers	23	19.7	19	42.2	42	25.9	18	15.9	24	47.1	42	25.6	21	17.1	20	41.7	41	24.0
Service workers and sales workers	19	16.2	9	20.0	28	17.3	15	13.3	10	19.6	25	15.2	13	10.6	9	18.8	22	12.9
Skilled agricultural, fishery and forestry workers	5	4.3	-	-	5	3.1	6	5.3	-	-	6	3.7	6	4.9	-	-	6	3.5
Craft and related trades workers	17	14.5	-	-	17	10.5	25	22.1	-	-	25	15.2	28	22.8	-	-	28	16.4
Plant and machine operators and assemblers	8	6.8	1	2.2	9	5.6	8	7.1	1	2.0	9	5.5	11	8.9	1	2.1	12	7.0
Elementary occupations	9	7.7	1	2.2	10	6.2	13	11.5	2	3.9	15	9.1	9	7.3	2	4.2	11	6.4
Total	117	100.0	45	100.0	162	100.0	113	100.0	51	100.0	164	100.0	123	100.0	48	100.0	171	100.0

Occupation (ISCO 08)	Annual average 2019						December 2019						January 2020					
	Males		Females		Total		Males		Females		Total		Males		Females		Total	
	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%
Managers	8	7.1	2	4.3	10	6.3	9	8.1	2	5.7	11	7.5	12	9.4	7	13.0	19	10.4
Professionals	9	8.0	3	6.5	12	7.6	6	5.4	3	8.6	9	6.2	6	4.7	1	1.9	7	3.8
Technicians and associate professionals	16	14.3	8	17.4	24	15.2	18	16.2	4	11.4	22	15.1	20	15.6	9	16.7	29	15.9
Clerical support workers	22	19.6	22	47.8	44	27.8	20	18.0	18	51.4	38	26.0	32	25.0	22	40.7	54	29.7
Service workers and sales workers	14	12.5	8	17.4	22	13.9	18	16.2	7	20.0	25	17.1	16	12.5	12	22.2	28	15.4
Skilled agricultural, fishery and forestry workers	4	3.6	-	-	4	2.5	2	1.8	-	-	2	1.4	5	3.9	-	-	5	2.7
Craft and related trades workers	17	15.2	-	-	17	10.8	16	14.4	1	2.9	17	11.6	21	16.4	-	-	21	11.5
Plant and machine operators and assemblers	10	8.9	2	4.3	12	7.6	15	13.5	-	-	15	10.3	6	4.7	2	3.7	8	4.4
Elementary occupations	12	10.7	1	2.2	13	8.2	7	6.3	-	-	7	4.8	10	7.8	1	1.9	11	6.0
Total	112	100.0	46	100.0	158	100.0	111	100.0	35	100.0	146	100.0	128	100.0	54	100.0	182	100.0

Note: Percentage totals may not add up due to rounding.

Methodological Notes

1. This news release provides data on the number of persons registering for work with Jobsplus.

The National Statistics Office publishes another set of statistics regarding unemployment based on the Labour Force Survey (LFS) on a quarterly basis. When compiling LFS statistics, the NSO adopts the International Labour Organisation (ILO) definition, an internationally agreed definition on unemployment. This definition has also been adopted by Eurostat and is used by all EU Member States. More details regarding the methodology used for the compilation of unemployment statistics from the LFS may be found in quarterly LFS news releases.

Since Jobsplus records and LFS results measure two different facets of unemployment, the resulting figures are not comparable. Users are therefore cautioned that these two sets of statistics should not be used interchangeably.

2. As from the release published on 23 February 2016, annual average results are being worked out using a custom made application which takes into consideration more data points to work out the mean for the year. This approach may give rise to differences resulting from rounding.
3. Registered monthly unemployment rates will no longer be published on the official version of this release. These rates are found in the excel version of this news release:
https://nso.gov.mt/en/News_Releases/View_by_Unit/Unit_C2/Labour_Market_Statistics/Pages/Registered-Unemployment.aspx

In April 2019, NSO introduced a new set of EU-harmonised indicators on monthly unemployment based on the European Labour Force Survey (EC 577/1998).

4. ISCO 08 is being used to classify occupations sought by the registered unemployed.

5. Definitions:

- **Registered unemployment rate:** refers to the number of registered unemployed persons, both under Part I and Part II, as a percentage of the sum of the full-time gainfully occupied population and the total registered unemployed.

In computing the registered unemployment rates for the purpose of this release, only the full-time gainfully occupied population is taken into consideration. Persons employed on a part-time basis are not taken into account in this computation.

Registered unemployment rates are not comparable with LFS unemployment rates due to different sources of data collection. While LFS rates are based on sample survey estimates, registered unemployment rates are based on Jobsplus data (registered unemployment data and registered full-time gainfully occupied).

- **Long-term registered unemployment rate:** refers to those people who have been registering for work for more than twelve months. The long-term unemployment rate is calculated by working out the number of the long-term unemployed under Part I as a percentage of the labour force.
- **Part I of the unemployment register:** those registering under Part I are either new job seekers who have left school, re-entrants into the labour market or individuals who have been made redundant by their former employers.
- **Part II of the unemployment register:** those registering under Part II are either workers who have been dismissed from work due to disciplinary action, left work out of their own free will, refused work or training opportunities or were struck off the register after an inspection by Law Enforcement personnel.
- The **Labour Supply/Labour Force:** for the purpose of this release, the labour supply is the sum of the registered unemployed and the full-time gainfully occupied population (excluding part-time employment).

6. The data on unemployment levels is final and not normally subject to revision.

7. More information relating to this news release may be accessed at:

Statistical Concepts: <http://nso.gov.mt/metadata/concepts.aspx>

Classification: http://nso.gov.mt/metadata/classificationdetails.aspx?id=ISCO_2008

8. References to this News Release are to be cited appropriately.

9. A detailed news release calendar is available at:

https://nso.gov.mt/en/News_Releases/Release_Calendar/Pages/News-Release-Calendar.aspx