

In June, the number of persons registering for work stood at 5,209 compared to 6,751 in the corresponding month last year.

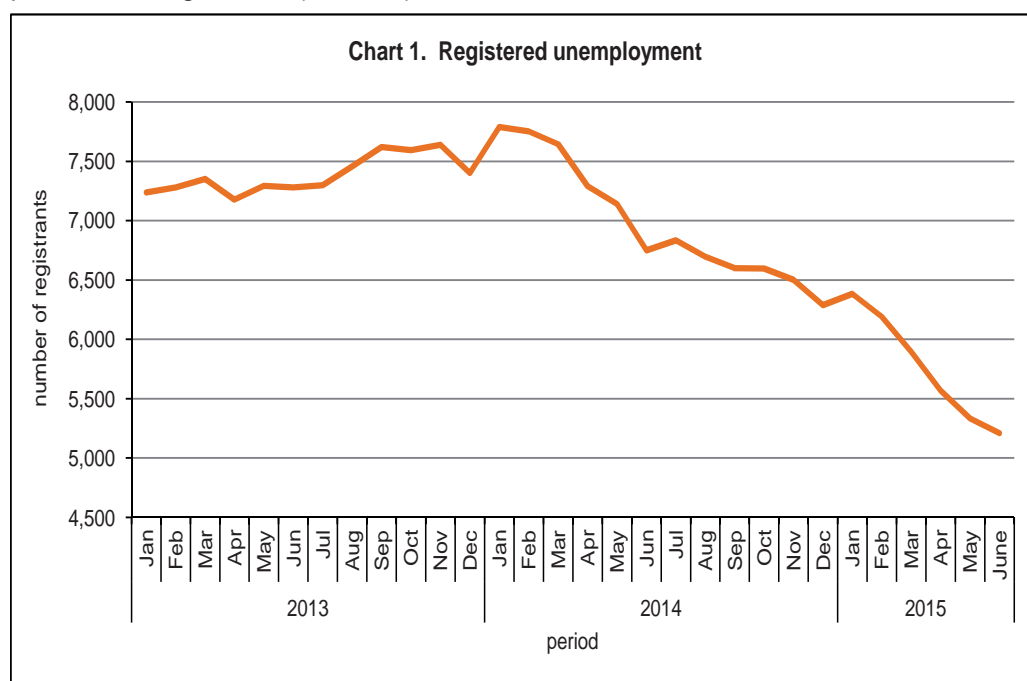
## Registered Unemployed: June 2015

Data provided by the Employment and Training Corporation (ETC) for June indicate a decrease of 1,579 persons registering under Part I and an increase of 37 among those registering under Part II of the unemployment register, when compared to June 2014 (Tables 5 and 8). Overall, decreases in registered unemployment were recorded among all age groups (Table 1).

When compared to June last year, registrants for work decreased irrespective of how long they had been registering. The largest decrease was recorded among persons who had been registering for over one year (Table 2). The number of persons with a disability who were registering for work also decreased by 84 to 409. Males accounted for 79.7 per cent of total registrants with a disability (Table 3).

The largest share of males on the unemployment register sought occupations as crafts and related trade workers (18.6 per cent), whereas their female counterparts mostly sought occupations as clerical support workers (28.1 per cent) (Table 4).

The registered unemployment rate in February 2015 stood at 3.6 per cent of the labour supply, (excluding part-time employment), and varied from 4.2 per cent among men to 2.4 per cent among women (Table 11) ■



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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 2013			Annual average 2014			May 2014			May 2015			June 2014			June 2015		
	Malta	Gozo	Total	Malta	Gozo	Total	Malta	Gozo	Total	Malta	Gozo	Total	Malta	Gozo	Total	Malta	Gozo	Total
<b>Under 20</b>	<b>399</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>432</b>	<b>310</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>338</b>	<b>323</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>346</b>	<b>192</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>226</b>	<b>275</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>295</b>	<b>165</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>190</b>
Males	247	19	266	193	17	210	202	13	215	123	25	148	164	11	175	104	18	122
Females	152	14	166	117	11	128	121	10	131	69	9	78	111	9	120	61	7	68
<b>20-24</b>	<b>680</b>	<b>105</b>	<b>785</b>	<b>587</b>	<b>104</b>	<b>691</b>	<b>589</b>	<b>97</b>	<b>686</b>	<b>340</b>	<b>94</b>	<b>434</b>	<b>539</b>	<b>96</b>	<b>635</b>	<b>318</b>	<b>94</b>	<b>412</b>
Males	473	76	549	414	75	489	431	70	501	232	65	297	392	71	463	222	68	290
Females	207	29	236	173	29	202	158	27	185	108	29	137	147	25	172	96	26	122
<b>25-29</b>	<b>637</b>	<b>110</b>	<b>747</b>	<b>596</b>	<b>99</b>	<b>695</b>	<b>610</b>	<b>102</b>	<b>712</b>	<b>385</b>	<b>95</b>	<b>480</b>	<b>560</b>	<b>94</b>	<b>654</b>	<b>377</b>	<b>91</b>	<b>468</b>
Males	480	85	565	444	79	523	451	81	532	276	74	350	415	77	492	270	69	339
Females	157	25	182	152	20	172	159	21	180	109	21	130	145	17	162	107	22	129
<b>30-44</b>	<b>2,102</b>	<b>262</b>	<b>2,364</b>	<b>2,030</b>	<b>271</b>	<b>2,301</b>	<b>2,099</b>	<b>277</b>	<b>2,376</b>	<b>1,426</b>	<b>260</b>	<b>1,686</b>	<b>1,994</b>	<b>266</b>	<b>2,260</b>	<b>1,436</b>	<b>255</b>	<b>1,691</b>
Males	1,690	169	1,859	1,625	177	1,802	1,684	178	1,862	1,143	181	1,324	1,623	173	1,796	1,160	177	1,337
Females	412	93	505	405	94	499	415	99	514	283	79	362	371	93	464	276	78	354
<b>45 and over</b>	<b>2,821</b>	<b>233</b>	<b>3,054</b>	<b>2,735</b>	<b>232</b>	<b>2,967</b>	<b>2,799</b>	<b>222</b>	<b>3,021</b>	<b>2,286</b>	<b>221</b>	<b>2,507</b>	<b>2,686</b>	<b>221</b>	<b>2,907</b>	<b>2,223</b>	<b>225</b>	<b>2,448</b>
Males	2,232	155	2,387	2,135	147	2,282	2,190	141	2,331	1,715	138	1,853	2,095	142	2,237	1,655	141	1,796
Females	589	78	667	600	85	685	609	81	690	571	83	654	591	79	670	568	84	652
<b>Total</b>	<b>6,639</b>	<b>743</b>	<b>7,382</b>	<b>6,258</b>	<b>734</b>	<b>6,992</b>	<b>6,420</b>	<b>721</b>	<b>7,141</b>	<b>4,629</b>	<b>704</b>	<b>5,333</b>	<b>6,054</b>	<b>697</b>	<b>6,751</b>	<b>4,519</b>	<b>690</b>	<b>5,209</b>
Males	5,122	504	5,626	4,811	495	5,306	4,958	483	5,441	3,489	483	3,972	4,689	474	5,163	3,411	473	3,884
Females	1,517	239	1,756	1,447	239	1,686	1,462	238	1,700	1,140	221	1,361	1,365	223	1,588	1,108	217	1,325

**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		May		June	
	2013	2014	2014	2015	2014	2015
<b>Under 21 weeks</b>	<b>2,880</b>	<b>2,510</b>	<b>2,409</b>	<b>1,801</b>	<b>2,166</b>	<b>1,765</b>
Males	2,026	1,729	1,669	1,225	1,518	1,209
Females	854	781	740	576	648	556
<b>21 to 52 weeks</b>	<b>1,571</b>	<b>1,315</b>	<b>1,452</b>	<b>1,034</b>	<b>1,396</b>	<b>1,021</b>
Males	1,182	987	1,100	743	1,046	733
Females	389	328	352	291	350	288
<b>Over 1 year</b>	<b>2,931</b>	<b>3,167</b>	<b>3,280</b>	<b>2,498</b>	<b>3,189</b>	<b>2,423</b>
Males	2,418	2,590	2,672	2,004	2,599	1,942
Females	513	577	608	494	590	481
<b>Total</b>	<b>7,382</b>	<b>6,992</b>	<b>7,141</b>	<b>5,333</b>	<b>6,751</b>	<b>5,209</b>
Males	5,626	5,306	5,441	3,972	5,163	3,884
Females	1,756	1,686	1,700	1,361	1,588	1,325

**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				May				June			
	2013		2014		2014		2015		2014		2015	
	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%
<b>Total (Part I)</b>	<b>521</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>483</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>513</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>387</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>483</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>395</b>	<b>100.0</b>
Males	433	83.1	405	83.9	425	82.8	310	80.1	401	83.0	315	79.7
Females	88	16.9	78	16.1	88	17.2	77	19.9	82	17.0	80	20.3
<b>Total (Part II)</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>100.0</b>
Males	11	91.7	7	70.0	5	62.5	8	88.9	5	50.0	11	78.6
Females	1	8.3	3	30.0	3	37.5	1	11.1	5	50.0	3	21.4
<b>Total (Parts I and II)</b>	<b>533</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>493</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>521</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>396</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>493</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>409</b>	<b>100.0</b>
Males	444	83.3	412	83.6	430	82.5	318	80.3	406	82.4	326	79.7
Females	89	16.7	81	16.4	91	17.5	78	19.7	87	17.6	83	20.3

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 2014						May 2014						June 2014					
	Males		Females		Total		Males		Females		Total		Males		Females		Total	
	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%
Managers	252	4.7	92	5.5	344	4.9	261	4.8	79	4.6	340	4.8	236	4.6	69	4.3	305	4.5
Professionals	697	13.1	182	10.8	879	12.6	707	13.0	181	10.6	888	12.4	671	13.0	163	10.3	834	12.4
Technicians and associate professionals	510	9.6	454	26.9	964	13.8	514	9.4	484	28.5	998	14.0	483	9.4	452	28.5	935	13.8
Clerical support workers	705	13.3	405	24.0	1,110	15.9	717	13.2	411	24.2	1,128	15.8	674	13.1	385	24.2	1,059	15.7
Service workers and sales workers	785	14.8	338	20.0	1,123	16.1	805	14.8	330	19.4	1,135	15.9	771	14.9	314	19.8	1,085	16.1
Skilled agricultural, fishery and forestry workers	258	4.9	1	0.1	259	3.7	259	4.8	1	0.1	260	3.6	254	4.9	1	0.1	255	3.8
Crafts and related trade workers	903	17.0	26	1.5	929	13.3	914	16.8	21	1.2	935	13.1	887	17.2	24	1.5	911	13.5
Plant and machine operators and assemblers	447	8.4	84	5.0	531	7.6	471	8.7	82	4.8	553	7.7	430	8.3	82	5.2	512	7.6
Elementary occupations	749	14.1	104	6.2	853	12.2	793	14.6	111	6.5	904	12.7	757	14.7	98	6.2	855	12.7
<b>Total</b>	<b>5,306</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>1,686</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>6,992</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>5,441</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>1,700</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>7,141</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>5,163</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>1,588</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>6,751</b>	<b>100.0</b>

Occupation (ISCO 08)	May 2015						June 2015					
	Males		Females		Total		Males		Females		Total	
	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%
Managers	211	5.3	81	6.0	292	5.5	192	4.9	74	5.6	266	5.1
Professionals	522	13.1	135	9.9	657	12.3	524	13.5	141	10.6	665	12.8
Technicians and associate professionals	373	9.4	302	22.2	675	12.7	353	9.1	290	21.9	643	12.3
Clerical support workers	583	14.7	375	27.6	958	18.0	575	14.8	372	28.1	947	18.2
Service workers and sales workers	530	13.3	302	22.2	832	15.6	503	13.0	294	22.2	797	15.3
Skilled agricultural, fishery and forestry workers	225	5.7	2	0.1	227	4.3	226	5.8	2	0.2	228	4.4
Crafts and related trade workers	723	18.2	33	2.4	756	14.2	723	18.6	32	2.4	755	14.5
Plant and machine operators and assemblers	288	7.3	59	4.3	347	6.5	279	7.2	60	4.5	339	6.5
Elementary occupations	517	13.0	72	5.3	589	11.0	509	13.1	60	4.5	569	10.9
<b>Total</b>	<b>3,972</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>1,361</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>5,333</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>3,884</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>1,325</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>5,209</b>	<b>100.0</b>

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 2013			Annual average 2014			May 2014			May 2015			June 2014			June 2015		
	Malta	Gozo	Total	Malta	Gozo	Total	Malta	Gozo	Total	Malta	Gozo	Total	Malta	Gozo	Total	Malta	Gozo	Total
<b>Under 20</b>	<b>345</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>377</b>	<b>263</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>289</b>	<b>282</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>304</b>	<b>152</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>183</b>	<b>224</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>244</b>	<b>134</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>156</b>
Males	211	18	229	167	16	183	182	12	194	95	22	117	137	11	148	88	16	104
Females	134	14	148	96	10	106	100	10	110	57	9	66	87	9	96	46	6	52
<b>20-24</b>	<b>586</b>	<b>101</b>	<b>687</b>	<b>504</b>	<b>99</b>	<b>603</b>	<b>521</b>	<b>93</b>	<b>614</b>	<b>268</b>	<b>90</b>	<b>358</b>	<b>460</b>	<b>89</b>	<b>549</b>	<b>244</b>	<b>89</b>	<b>333</b>
Males	411	73	484	357	72	429	382	68	450	178	61	239	336	68	404	166	63	229
Females	175	28	203	147	27	174	139	25	164	90	29	119	124	21	145	78	26	104
<b>25-29</b>	<b>575</b>	<b>107</b>	<b>682</b>	<b>538</b>	<b>95</b>	<b>633</b>	<b>569</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>669</b>	<b>333</b>	<b>91</b>	<b>424</b>	<b>513</b>	<b>92</b>	<b>605</b>	<b>317</b>	<b>88</b>	<b>405</b>
Males	435	84	519	405	76	481	423	79	502	240	70	310	385	75	460	231	66	297
Females	140	23	163	133	19	152	146	21	167	93	21	114	128	17	145	86	22	108
<b>30-44</b>	<b>1,960</b>	<b>255</b>	<b>2,215</b>	<b>1,908</b>	<b>263</b>	<b>2,171</b>	<b>1,998</b>	<b>270</b>	<b>2,268</b>	<b>1,318</b>	<b>253</b>	<b>1,571</b>	<b>1,895</b>	<b>259</b>	<b>2,154</b>	<b>1,305</b>	<b>243</b>	<b>1,548</b>
Males	1,583	164	1,747	1,539	173	1,712	1,619	174	1,793	1,059	175	1,234	1,558	169	1,727	1,050	168	1,218
Females	377	91	468	369	90	459	379	96	475	259	78	337	337	90	427	255	75	330
<b>45 and over</b>	<b>2,695</b>	<b>228</b>	<b>2,923</b>	<b>2,620</b>	<b>228</b>	<b>2,848</b>	<b>2,700</b>	<b>218</b>	<b>2,918</b>	<b>2,161</b>	<b>219</b>	<b>2,380</b>	<b>2,572</b>	<b>217</b>	<b>2,789</b>	<b>2,101</b>	<b>219</b>	<b>2,320</b>
Males	2,134	153	2,287	2,047	145	2,192	2,114	140	2,254	1,618	136	1,754	2,008	140	2,148	1,561	138	1,699
Females	561	75	636	573	83	656	586	78	664	543	83	626	564	77	641	540	81	621
<b>Total</b>	<b>6,161</b>	<b>723</b>	<b>6,884</b>	<b>5,833</b>	<b>711</b>	<b>6,544</b>	<b>6,070</b>	<b>703</b>	<b>6,773</b>	<b>4,232</b>	<b>684</b>	<b>4,916</b>	<b>5,664</b>	<b>677</b>	<b>6,341</b>	<b>4,101</b>	<b>661</b>	<b>4,762</b>
Males	4,774	492	5,266	4,515	482	4,997	4,720	473	5,193	3,190	464	3,654	4,424	463	4,887	3,096	451	3,547
Females	1,387	231	1,618	1,318	229	1,547	1,350	230	1,580	1,042	220	1,262	1,240	214	1,454	1,005	210	1,215

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		May		June	
	2013	2014	2014	2015	2014	2015
<b>Under 21 weeks</b>	<b>2,419</b>	<b>2,093</b>	<b>2,067</b>	<b>1,407</b>	<b>1,786</b>	<b>1,339</b>
Males	1,695	1,443	1,437	926	1,261	892
Females	724	650	630	481	525	447
<b>21 to 52 weeks</b>	<b>1,534</b>	<b>1,284</b>	<b>1,426</b>	<b>1,011</b>	<b>1,366</b>	<b>1,000</b>
Males	1,153	964	1,084	724	1,027	713
Females	381	320	342	287	339	287
<b>Over 1 year</b>	<b>2,931</b>	<b>3,167</b>	<b>3,280</b>	<b>2,498</b>	<b>3,189</b>	<b>2,423</b>
Males	2,418	2,590	2,672	2,004	2,599	1,942
Females	513	577	608	494	590	481
<b>Total</b>	<b>6,884</b>	<b>6,544</b>	<b>6,773</b>	<b>4,916</b>	<b>6,341</b>	<b>4,762</b>
Males	5,266	4,997	5,193	3,654	4,887	3,547
Females	1,618	1,547	1,580	1,262	1,454	1,215

**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 2014						May 2014						June 2014					
	Males		Females		Total		Males		Females		Total		Males		Females		Total	
	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%
Managers	227	4.5	80	5.2	307	4.7	235	4.4	66	4.8	301	4.5	214	4.4	57	3.9	271	4.3
Professionals	664	13.3	168	10.9	832	12.7	682	13.6	171	10.3	853	12.8	643	13.2	152	10.5	795	12.5
Technicians and associate professionals	466	9.3	415	26.8	881	13.5	480	9.4	454	29.2	934	14.1	444	9.1	414	28.5	858	13.5
Clerical support workers	647	12.9	369	23.8	1,016	15.5	666	12.7	375	23.2	1,041	15.1	627	12.8	346	23.8	973	15.3
Service workers and sales workers	739	14.8	318	20.5	1,057	16.2	776	14.8	312	19.6	1,088	15.9	726	14.9	299	20.6	1,025	16.2
Skilled agricultural, fishery and forestry workers	252	5.0	1	0.1	253	3.9	256	4.9	1	0.1	257	3.8	249	5.1	1	0.1	250	3.9
Crafts and related trade workers	860	17.2	24	1.7	884	13.5	883	16.9	19	1.2	902	13.3	839	17.2	21	1.4	860	13.6
Plant and machine operators and assemblers	422	8.4	76	4.9	498	7.6	452	8.6	75	4.9	527	7.7	414	8.5	77	5.3	491	7.7
Elementary occupations	720	14.4	96	6.2	816	12.5	763	14.7	107	6.8	870	12.9	731	15.0	87	6.0	818	12.9
<b>Total</b>	<b>4,997</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>1,547</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>6,544</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>5,193</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>1,580</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>6,773</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>4,887</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>1,454</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>6,341</b>	<b>100.0</b>

Occupation (ISCO 08)	May 2015						June 2015					
	Males		Females		Total		Males		Females		Total	
	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%
Managers	185	5.1	67	5.3	252	5.1	164	4.6	63	5.2	227	4.8
Professionals	482	13.2	118	9.4	600	12.2	477	13.4	120	9.9	597	12.5
Technicians and associate professionals	340	9.3	282	22.3	622	12.7	320	9.0	265	21.8	585	12.3
Clerical support workers	540	14.8	352	27.9	892	18.1	530	14.9	345	28.4	875	18.4
Service workers and sales workers	484	13.2	285	22.6	769	15.6	457	12.9	278	22.9	735	15.4
Skilled agricultural, fishery and forestry workers	214	5.9	2	0.2	216	4.4	215	6.1	2	0.2	217	4.6
Crafts and related trade workers	649	17.8	30	2.4	679	13.8	640	18.0	29	2.4	669	14.0
Plant and machine operators and assemblers	267	7.3	55	4.4	322	6.6	259	7.3	55	4.5	314	6.6
Elementary occupations	493	13.5	71	5.6	564	11.5	485	13.7	58	4.8	543	11.4
<b>Total</b>	<b>3,654</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>1,262</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>4,916</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>3,547</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>1,215</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>4,762</b>	<b>100.0</b>

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 2013			Annual average 2014			May 2014			May 2015			June 2014			June 2015		
	Malta	Gozo	Total	Malta	Gozo	Total	Malta	Gozo	Total	Malta	Gozo	Total	Malta	Gozo	Total	Malta	Gozo	Total
<b>Under 20</b>	<b>54</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>55</b>	<b>47</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>49</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>43</b>	<b>51</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>51</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>34</b>
Males	36	1	37	26	1	27	20	1	21	28	3	31	27	-	27	16	2	18
Females	18	-	18	21	1	22	21	-	21	12	-	12	24	-	24	15	1	16
<b>20-24</b>	<b>94</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>98</b>	<b>83</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>88</b>	<b>68</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>72</b>	<b>72</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>76</b>	<b>79</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>86</b>	<b>74</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>79</b>
Males	62	3	65	57	3	60	49	2	51	54	4	58	56	3	59	56	5	61
Females	32	1	33	26	2	28	19	2	21	18	-	18	23	4	27	18	0	18
<b>25-29</b>	<b>62</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>65</b>	<b>58</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>62</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>43</b>	<b>52</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>47</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>49</b>	<b>60</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>63</b>
Males	45	1	46	39	3	42	28	2	30	36	4	40	30	2	32	39	3	42
Females	17	2	19	19	1	20	13	-	13	16	-	16	17	-	17	21	0	21
<b>30-44</b>	<b>142</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>149</b>	<b>122</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>130</b>	<b>101</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>108</b>	<b>108</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>115</b>	<b>99</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>106</b>	<b>131</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>143</b>
Males	107	5	112	86	4	90	65	4	69	84	6	90	65	4	69	110	9	119
Females	35	2	37	36	4	40	36	3	39	24	1	25	34	3	37	21	3	24
<b>45 and over</b>	<b>126</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>131</b>	<b>115</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>119</b>	<b>99</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>103</b>	<b>125</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>127</b>	<b>114</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>118</b>	<b>122</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>128</b>
Males	98	2	100	88	2	90	76	1	77	97	2	99	87	2	89	94	3	97
Females	28	3	31	27	2	29	23	3	26	28	-	28	27	2	29	28	3	31
<b>Total</b>	<b>478</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>498</b>	<b>425</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>448</b>	<b>350</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>368</b>	<b>397</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>417</b>	<b>390</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>410</b>	<b>418</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>447</b>
Males	348	12	360	296	13	309	238	10	248	299	19	318	265	11	276	315	22	337
Females	130	8	138	129	10	139	112	8	120	98	1	99	125	9	134	103	7	110



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		May		June	
	2013	2014	2014	2015	2014	2015
<b>Under 21 weeks</b>	<b>461</b>	<b>417</b>	<b>342</b>	<b>394</b>	<b>380</b>	<b>426</b>
Males	331	286	232	299	257	317
Females	130	131	110	95	123	109
<b>21 to 52 weeks</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>21</b>
Males	29	23	16	19	19	20
Females	8	8	10	4	11	1
<b>Total</b>	<b>498</b>	<b>448</b>	<b>368</b>	<b>417</b>	<b>410</b>	<b>447</b>
Males	360	309	248	318	276	337
Females	138	139	120	99	134	110

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 2014						May 2014						June 2014					
	Males		Females		Total		Males		Females		Total		Males		Females		Total	
	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%
Managers	25	8.1	12	8.6	37	8.3	26	10.5	13	10.8	39	10.6	22	8.0	12	9.0	34	8.3
Professionals	33	10.7	14	10.1	47	10.5	25	10.1	10	8.3	35	9.5	28	10.1	11	8.2	39	9.5
Technicians and associate professionals	44	14.3	39	28.1	83	18.5	34	13.7	30	25.0	64	17.4	39	14.1	38	28.4	77	18.8
Clerical support workers	58	18.8	36	25.9	94	21.0	51	20.6	36	30.0	87	23.6	47	17.0	39	29.1	86	21.0
Service workers and sales workers	46	14.9	20	14.4	66	14.7	29	11.7	18	15.0	47	12.8	45	16.3	15	11.2	60	14.6
Skilled agricultural, fishery and forestry workers	6	1.9	-	-	6	1.3	3	1.2	-	-	3	0.8	5	1.8	-	-	5	1.2
Crafts and related trade workers	43	14.0	2	1.4	45	10.0	31	12.5	2	1.7	33	9.0	48	17.4	3	2.2	51	12.4
Plant and machine operators and assemblers	25	8.1	8	5.8	33	7.4	19	7.7	7	5.8	26	7.1	16	5.8	5	3.7	21	5.1
Elementary occupations	29	9.4	8	5.8	37	8.3	30	12.1	4	3.3	34	9.2	26	9.4	11	8.2	37	9.0
<b>Total</b>	<b>309</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>139</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>448</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>248</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>120</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>368</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>276</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>134</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>410</b>	<b>100.0</b>

Occupation (ISCO 08)	May 2015						June 2015					
	Males		Females		Total		Males		Females		Total	
	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%
Managers	26	8.2	14	14.1	40	9.6	28	8.3	11	10.0	39	8.7
Professionals	40	12.6	17	17.2	57	13.7	47	13.9	21	19.1	68	15.2
Technicians and associate professionals	33	10.4	20	20.2	53	12.7	33	9.8	25	22.7	58	13.0
Clerical support workers	43	13.5	23	23.2	66	15.8	45	13.4	27	24.5	72	16.1
Service workers and sales workers	46	14.5	17	17.2	63	15.1	46	13.6	16	14.5	62	13.9
Skilled agricultural, fishery and forestry workers	11	3.5	-	-	11	2.6	11	3.3	0	0.0	11	2.5
Crafts and related trade workers	74	23.3	3	3.0	77	18.5	83	24.6	3	2.7	86	19.2
Plant and machine operators and assemblers	21	6.6	4	4.0	25	6.0	20	5.9	5	4.5	25	5.6
Elementary occupations	24	7.5	1	1.0	25	6.0	24	7.1	2	1.8	26	5.8
<b>Total</b>	<b>318</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>99</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>417</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>337</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>110</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>447</b>	<b>100.0</b>

**Table 11. Registered unemployment (Part I and Part II) rate by sex**

Sex	Annual average		January		February	
	2013	2014 Revised	2014 Revised	2015	2014 Revised	2015
Males	5.2	4.8	5.4	4.4	5.4	4.2
Females	3.0	2.8	3.2	2.5	3.2	2.4
<b>Total</b>	<b>4.5</b>	<b>4.1</b>	<b>4.6</b>	<b>3.7</b>	<b>4.6</b>	<b>3.6</b>

**Table 12. Registered unemployment (Part I) rate by age group and sex**

Sex	Annual average		January		February	
	2013	2014 Revised	2014 Revised	2015	2014 Revised	2015
<b>under 25</b>						
Males	6.2	5.5	6.7	4.7	6.6	4.1
Females	3.9	3.2	4.1	2.6	4.2	2.5
<b>Total</b>	<b>5.2</b>	<b>4.5</b>	<b>5.6</b>	<b>3.8</b>	<b>5.6</b>	<b>3.4</b>
<b>45 and over</b>						
Males	5.5	5.1	5.6	4.8	5.6	4.7
Females	4.2	4.1	4.4	4.0	4.3	4.0
<b>Total</b>	<b>5.1</b>	<b>4.8</b>	<b>5.3</b>	<b>4.6</b>	<b>5.3</b>	<b>4.5</b>

**Table 13. Long-term registered unemployment (Part I) rate by sex**

Sex	Annual average		January		February	
	2013	2014 Revised	2014 Revised	2015	2014 Revised	2015
Males	2.3	2.4	2.5	2.1	2.5	2.0
Females	0.9	1.0	1.0	0.9	1.0	0.8
<b>Total</b>	<b>1.8</b>	<b>1.9</b>	<b>1.9</b>	<b>1.7</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>1.6</b>

## Methodological Notes

1. This news release provides data on the number of persons registering for work with the Employment and Training Corporation (ETC).

The National Statistics Office also publishes, on a quarterly basis, another set of statistics on unemployment based on the Labour Force Survey (LFS). When compiling LFS statistics, the Office 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 ETC records and LFS results measure two different facets of unemployment, these are not comparable. Users are therefore cautioned that these two sets of statistics should not be used interchangeably.

2. The monthly unemployment rates from March 2015 onwards do not feature in this release since administrative data on the labour supply from this month onwards are not yet available.
3. ISCO 08 is being used to classify occupations sought by the unemployed. This new classification was applied by ETC for data relating to October 2013 onwards.

4. **Definitions:**

- **Unemployment rates:** in computing the 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.
- The **registered unemployment rate:** is worked out by taking into account 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.
- **Long-term 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.
- **Unemployment rate of persons aged 45+:** refers to the unemployment rate of persons aged 45 and over. The unemployment rate is arrived at by taking into account the number of unemployed aged 45+ registering under Part I as a percentage of the labour force within the specific age-bracket.
- **Unemployment rate of persons aged under 25:** refers to the unemployment rate of persons aged less than 25. The unemployment rate is arrived at by taking into account the number of unemployed aged less than 25 registering under Part I as a percentage of the labour force within the specific age-bracket.
- **Part I of the unemployment register:** those registering under Part I are either new job seekers who have left school, or re-entrants into the labour market, or job losers 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 the Law Enforcement personnel.
- The **Labour Supply/Labour Force:** the sum of the registered unemployed and the full-time gainfully occupied population (excluding part-time employment).

5. Percentage totals may not add up due to rounding.
6. The data in this release is final and not normally subject to revision.
7. More information relating to this news release may be accessed at:

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