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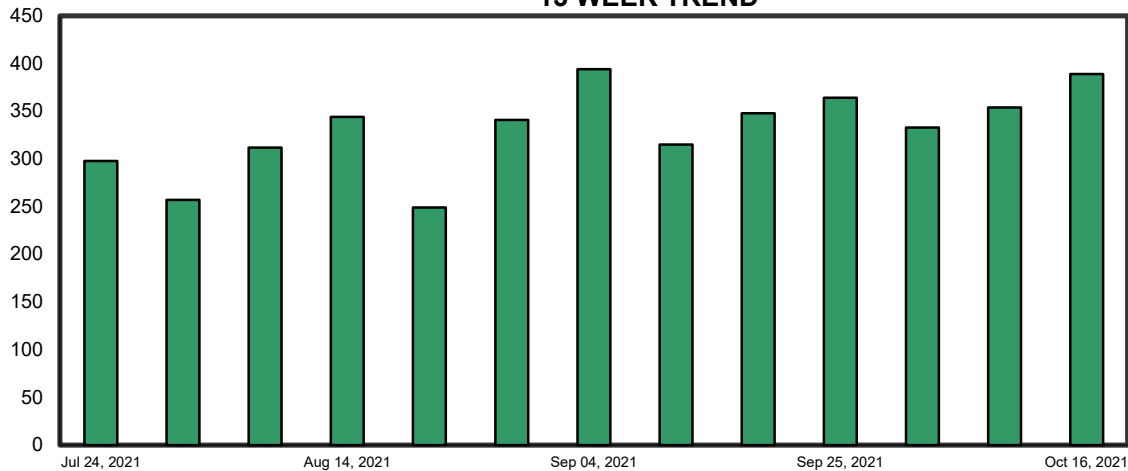
WEEKLY UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE CLAIMS SUMMARY
Week of October 16, 2021

Claim Types	Benefit Programs	Current Data ^{2/}		Last Year	Change From:	
		10/16/2021	10/9/2021	10/17/2020	Last Week	Last Year
Initial Claims ^{1/}	Regular UI	389	354	601	35	-212
	Federal PEUC Tier I	7	10	1,011	-3	-1,004
	Federal PEUC Tier II *	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	Federal PEUC Tier III *	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	State Extended Benefits	0	0	69	0	-69
	PUA	4	0	79	4	-75
Continued Claims	Regular UI	2,193	2,561	13,438	-368	-11,245
	Federal PEUC Tier I	53	73	7,852	-20	-7,799
	Federal PEUC Tier II	77	116	0	-39	77
	Federal PEUC Tier III	2	1	0	1	2
	State Extended Benefits	2	14	666	-12	-664
	PUA	0	0	8,347	0	-8,347
Totals	Regular UI	2,582	2,915	14,039	-333	-11,457
	Federal PEUC Tier I	60	83	8,863	-23	-8,803
	Federal PEUC Tier II	77	116	0	-39	77
	Federal PEUC Tier III	2	1	0	1	2
	State Extended Benefits	2	14	735	-12	-733
	PUA	4	0	8,426	4	-8,422
	Total All Programs	2,727	3,129	32,063	-402	-29,336

* Not tracked

^{2/} Filing week, typically representing unemployment during the prior week

**REGULAR UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE INITIAL CLAIMS
13 WEEK TREND**



Regular UI Initial Claims Distribution by Industry ^{1/}			
	Current Data		
	10/16/2021	10/9/2021	10/17/2020
Total Number	389	354	601
Percentage Construction	6%	6%	7%
Percentage Manufacturing	37%	21%	13%
Percentage Services	39%	48%	55%
Percentage Trade	12%	16%	14%
Percentage Miscellaneous	6%	9%	11%

^{1/} Includes First, Additional and Re-Open Claims

I. UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE STATISTICS

Week of October 16, 2021

Activity	Program	10/16/2021	10/9/2021	10/17/2020	Change From:	
					Last Week	Last Year
Continued Claims for Weeks of Unemployment State Totals	Regular UI	2,193	2,561	13,438	(368)	(11,245)
	Extended Ben.	2	14	666	(12)	(664)
	PEUC Tier I	53	73	7,852	(20)	(7,799)
	PEUC Tier II	77	116	0	(39)	77
	PEUC Tier III	2	1	0	1	2
	Total	2,327	2,765	21,956	(438)	(19,629)
Regular Continued Claims For Weeks of Unemployment by American Job Center Service Area and Agent State	Barre	252	273	1,326	(21)	(1,074)
	Bennington	143	172	904	(29)	(761)
	Brattleboro	95	119	723	(24)	(628)
	Burlington	510	627	3,614	(117)	(3,104)
	Middlebury	78	80	580	(2)	(502)
	Morrisville	132	131	771	1	(639)
	Newport	137	165	583	(28)	(446)
	Rutland	313	332	1,700	(19)	(1,387)
	St. Albans	223	306	1,004	(83)	(781)
	St. Johnsbury	104	108	532	(4)	(428)
	Springfield	85	100	630	(15)	(545)
	White River	57	70	530	(13)	(473)
	Agent State	64	78	541	(14)	(477)
Number of Benefit Payments	Regular UI	1,592	1,823	12,356	(231)	(10,764)
	Extended Ben.	2	1	674	1	(672)
	PEUC Tier I	16	26	8,007	(10)	(7,991)
	PEUC Tier II	16	32	0	(16)	16
	PEUC Tier III	1	1	0	0	1
	Total	1,627	1,883	21,037	(256)	(19,410)
Amount of Benefit Payments	Regular UI	\$759,085	\$903,242	\$3,884,575	(144,157)	(3,125,490)
	Extended Ben.	\$8,813	\$315	\$254,270	8,498	(245,457)
	PEUC Tier I	\$12,797	\$21,782	\$2,580,952	(8,985)	(2,568,155)
	PEUC Tier II	\$19,120	\$34,989	\$0	(15,869)	19,120
	PEUC Tier III	\$340	\$449	\$0	(109)	340
	Total	\$800,155	\$960,777	\$6,719,797	(160,622)	(5,919,642)
Trust Fund	Cash Balance	\$209,655,005	\$210,099,547	\$266,324,717	(444,542)	(56,669,712)
	Loan Balance	\$0	\$0	\$0	0	0
	Net Balance	\$209,655,005	\$210,099,547	\$266,324,717	(444,542)	(56,669,712)

II. TOTAL UNEMPLOYMENT RATE COMPARISON

State and National ^{1/} (SEASONALLY ADJUSTED)	Aug-2021	Jul-2021	Aug-2020	Change From:	
				Last Month	Last Year
Vermont	3.0%	3.0%	5.4%	0.0%	-2.4%
Connecticut	7.2%	7.3%	8.4%	-0.1%	-1.2%
Maine	4.9%	4.9%	5.2%	0.0%	-0.3%
Massachusetts	5.0%	4.9%	9.3%	0.1%	-4.3%
New Hampshire	3.0%	2.9%	6.6%	0.1%	-3.6%
New Jersey	7.2%	7.3%	11.0%	-0.1%	-3.8%
New York	7.4%	7.6%	11.7%	-0.2%	-4.3%
Rhode Island	5.8%	5.7%	12.6%	0.1%	-6.8%
United States	5.2%	5.4%	8.4%	-0.2%	-3.2%

NOTE: TOTAL UNEMPLOYMENT RATES REFLECT SEASONALLY ADJUSTED DATA.

^{1/} Excludes Armed Forces

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