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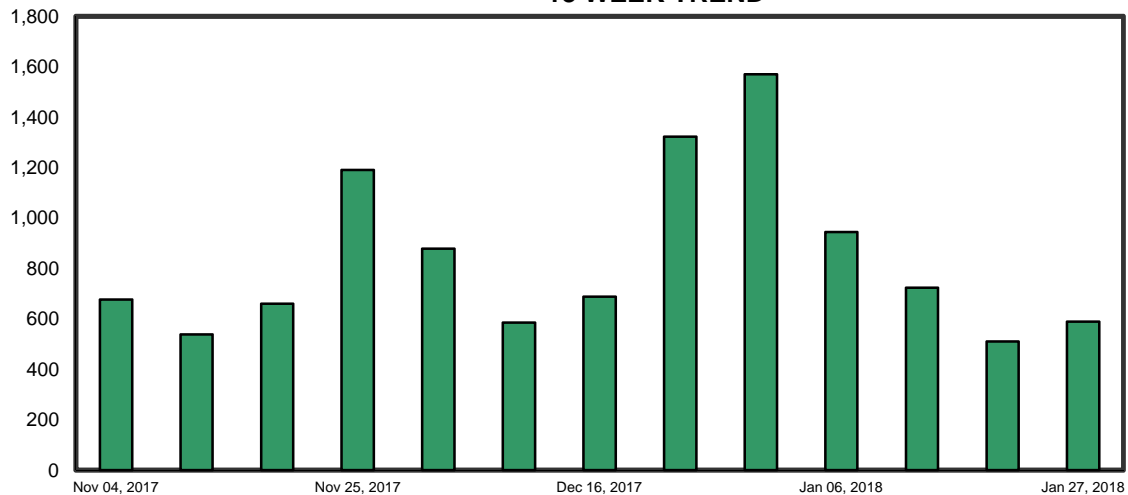
WEEKLY UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE CLAIMS SUMMARY

Week of January 27, 2018

Claim Types	Benefit Programs	Current Data		Last Year	Change From:	
		01/27/2018	01/20/2018	01/28/2017	Last Week	Last Year
Initial Claims ^{1/}	Regular UI	589	511	575	78	14
	Federal EUC08 Tier I	0	0	0	0	0
	Federal EUC08 Tier II *	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	Federal EUC08 Tier III *	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	State Extended Benefits	0	0	0	0	0
Continued Claims	Regular UI	5,611	5,792	6,173	-181	-562
	Federal EUC08 Tier I	0	0	0	0	N/A
	Federal EUC08 Tier II	0	0	0	0	0
	Federal EUC08 Tier III	0	0	0	0	0
	State Extended Benefits	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	Regular UI	6,200	6,303	6,748	-103	-548
	Federal EUC08 Tier I	0	0	0	0	N/A
	Federal EUC08 Tier II	0	0	0	0	0
	Federal EUC08 Tier III	0	0	0	0	0
	State Extended Benefits	0	0	0	0	0
	Total All Programs	6,200	6,303	6,748	-103	-548

* Not tracked

REGULAR UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE INITIAL CLAIMS 13 WEEK TREND



Regular UI Initial Claims Distribution by Industry ^{1/}

	Current Data		
	01/27/2018	01/20/2018	01/28/2017
Total Number	589	511	575
Percentage Construction	35%	35%	37%
Percentage Manufacturing	14%	10%	10%
Percentage Services	31%	32%	30%
Percentage Trade	13%	11%	13%
Percentage Miscellaneous	7%	12%	10%

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

I. UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE STATISTICS

Week of January 27, 2018

Activity	Program	01/27/2018	01/20/2018	01/28/2017	Change From:	
					Last Week	Last Year
Continued Claims for Weeks of Unemployment State Totals	Regular UI Extended Ben. EUC08 Tier I EUC08 Tier II EUC08 Tier III Total	5,611 0 0 0 0 5,611	5,792 0 0 0 0 5,792	6,173 0 0 0 0 6,173	(181) 0 0 0 0 (181)	(562) 0 0 0 0 (562)
Regular Claims For Weeks of Unemployment by Labor Market Area and Agent State	Barre	998	1,032	942	(34)	56
	Bennington	293	298	297	(5)	(4)
	Brattleboro	203	181	209	22	(6)
	Burlington	936	1,102	1,094	(166)	(158)
	Middlebury	314	303	364	11	(50)
	Morrisville	410	431	434	(21)	(24)
	Newport	526	529	619	(3)	(93)
	Rutland	549	545	650	4	(101)
	St. Albans	469	469	599	0	(130)
	St. Johnsbury	338	326	375	12	(37)
	Springfield	213	211	236	2	(23)
White River	216	223	229	(7)	(13)	
Agent State	146	142	125	4	21	
Number of Benefit Payments	Regular UI	5,242	5,532	5,629	(290)	(387)
	Extended Ben.	0	0	0	0	0
	EUC08 Tier I	0	0	0	0	0
	EUC08 Tier II	0	0	0	0	0
	EUC08 Tier III	0	0	0	0	0
	Total	5,242	5,532	5,629	(290)	(387)
Amount of Benefit Payments	Regular UI	\$2,018,879	\$2,162,726	\$2,036,732	(143,847)	(17,853)
	Extended Ben.	\$0	\$0	\$0	0	0
	EUC08 Tier I	\$0	\$0	\$0	0	0
	EUC08 Tier II	\$0	\$0	\$0	0	0
	EUC08 Tier III	\$0	\$0	\$0	0	0
	Total	\$2,018,879	\$2,162,726	\$2,036,732	(143,847)	(17,853)
Trust Fund	Cash Balance	\$377,267,456	\$377,817,470	\$295,348,458	(550,014)	81,918,998
	Loan Balance	\$0	\$0	\$0	0	0
	Net Balance	\$377,267,456	\$377,817,470	\$295,348,458	(550,014)	81,918,998

II. TOTAL UNEMPLOYMENT RATE COMPARISON

State and National 1/ (SEASONALLY ADJUSTED)	Dec-2017	Nov-2017	Dec-2016	Change From:	
				Last Month	Last Year
Vermont	2.8%	2.9%	3.2%	-0.1%	-0.4%
Connecticut	4.6%	4.6%	4.4%	0.0%	0.2%
Maine	3.0%	3.3%	3.8%	-0.3%	-0.8%
Massachusetts	3.5%	3.6%	3.1%	-0.1%	0.4%
New Hampshire	2.6%	2.7%	2.7%	-0.1%	-0.1%
New Jersey	5.0%	5.1%	4.7%	-0.1%	0.3%
New York	4.6%	4.7%	4.8%	-0.1%	-0.2%
Rhode Island	4.4%	4.3%	4.9%	0.1%	-0.5%
United States	4.1%	4.1%	4.7%	0.0%	-0.6%

NOTE: TOTAL UNEMPLOYMENT RATES REFLECT SEASONALLY ADJUSTED DATA.

^{1/} Excludes Armed Forces

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