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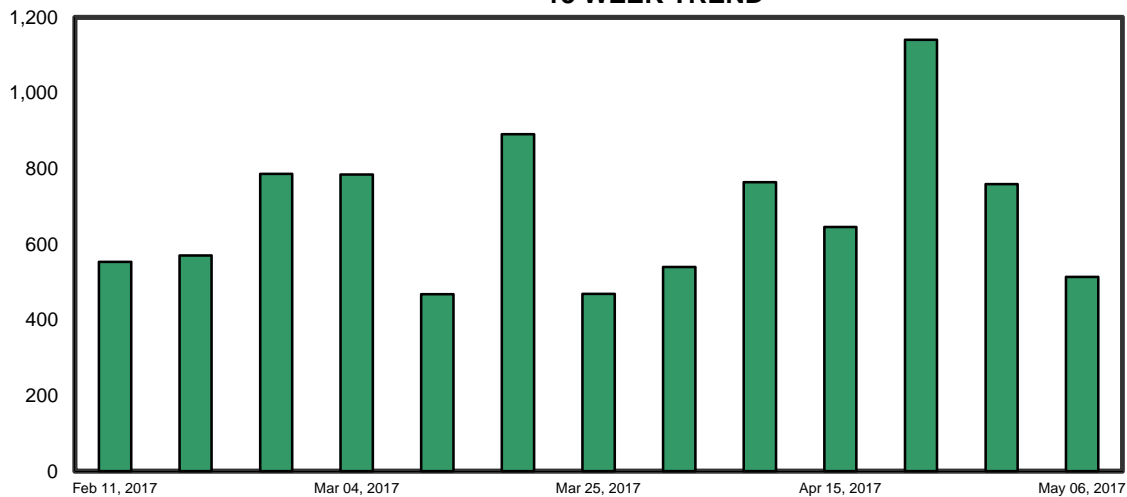
WEEKLY UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE CLAIMS SUMMARY

Week of May 6, 2017

Claim Types	Benefit Programs	Current Data		Last Year	Change From:	
		05/06/2017	04/29/2017	05/07/2016	Last Week	Last Year
Initial Claims ^{1/}	Regular UI	514	759	525	-245	-11
	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	4,629	5,200	5,025	-571	-396
	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	5,143	5,959	5,550	-816	-407
	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	5,143	5,959	5,550	-816	-407

* Not tracked

REGULAR UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE INITIAL CLAIMS 13 WEEK TREND



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

	Current Data		
	05/06/2017	04/29/2017	05/07/2016
Total Number	514	759	525
Percentage Construction	5%	3%	5%
Percentage Manufacturing	14%	8%	13%
Percentage Services	61%	56%	65%
Percentage Trade	11%	6%	11%
Percentage Miscellaneous	9%	27%	6%

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

I. UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE STATISTICS

Week of May 6, 2017

Activity	Program	05/06/2017	04/29/2017	05/07/2016	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	4,629 0 0 0 0 4,629	5,200 0 0 0 0 5,200	5,025 0 0 0 0 5,025	(571) 0 0 0 0 (571)	(396) 0 0 0 0 (396)
Regular Claims For Weeks of Unemployment by Labor Market Area and Agent State	Barre	526	678	503	(152)	23
	Bennington	351	391	418	(40)	(67)
	Brattleboro	268	298	387	(30)	(119)
	Burlington	783	769	764	14	19
	Middlebury	212	180	163	32	49
	Morrisville	360	415	450	(55)	(90)
	Newport	373	497	428	(124)	(55)
	Rutland	584	659	679	(75)	(95)
	St. Albans	431	383	327	48	104
	St. Johnsbury	235	317	243	(82)	(8)
	Springfield	249	287	304	(38)	(55)
White River	158	205	193	(47)	(35)	
Agent State	99	121	166	(22)	(67)	
Number of Benefit Payments	Regular UI	4,124	4,475	4,664	(351)	(540)
	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	4,124	4,475	4,664	(351)	(540)
Amount of Benefit Payments	Regular UI	\$1,397,898	\$1,514,829	\$1,479,786	(116,931)	(81,888)
	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	\$1,397,898	\$1,514,829	\$1,479,786	(116,931)	(81,888)
Trust Fund	Cash Balance	\$328,048,560	\$306,810,786	\$252,348,812	21,237,774	75,699,748
	Loan Balance	\$0	\$0	\$0	0	0
	Net Balance	\$328,048,560	\$306,810,786	\$252,348,812	21,237,774	75,699,748

II. TOTAL UNEMPLOYMENT RATE COMPARISON

State and National 1/ (SEASONALLY ADJUSTED)	Mar-2017	Feb-2017	Mar-2016	Change From:	
				Last Month	Last Year
Vermont	3.0%	3.0%	3.3%	0.0%	-0.3%
Connecticut	4.8%	4.7%	5.4%	0.1%	-0.6%
Maine	3.0%	3.2%	3.7%	-0.2%	-0.7%
Massachusetts	3.6%	3.4%	4.1%	0.2%	-0.5%
New Hampshire	2.8%	2.7%	2.8%	0.1%	0.0%
New Jersey	4.2%	4.5%	5.1%	-0.3%	-0.9%
New York	4.3%	4.4%	4.8%	-0.1%	-0.5%
Rhode Island	4.3%	4.5%	5.4%	-0.2%	-1.1%
United States	4.5%	4.7%	5.0%	-0.2%	-0.5%

NOTE: TOTAL UNEMPLOYMENT RATES REFLECT SEASONALLY ADJUSTED DATA.

^{1/} Excludes Armed Forces

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