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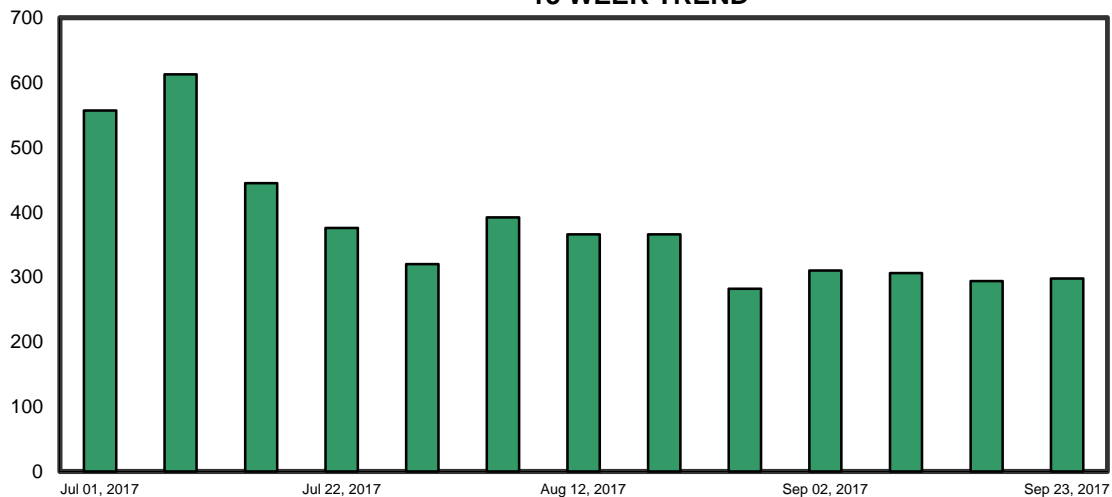
WEEKLY UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE CLAIMS SUMMARY

Week of September 23, 2017

Claim Types	Benefit Programs	Current Data		Last Year	Change From:	
		09/23/2017	09/16/2017	09/24/2016	Last Week	Last Year
Initial Claims ^{1/}	Regular UI	298	294	353	4	-55
	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	2,234	2,331	2,638	-97	-404
	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	2,532	2,625	2,991	-93	-459
	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	2,532	2,625	2,991	-93	-459

* Not tracked

REGULAR UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE INITIAL CLAIMS 13 WEEK TREND



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

	Current Data		
	09/23/2017	09/16/2017	09/24/2016
Total Number	298	294	353
Percentage Construction	11%	15%	9%
Percentage Manufacturing	13%	8%	20%
Percentage Services	51%	50%	50%
Percentage Trade	17%	17%	13%
Percentage Miscellaneous	8%	10%	8%

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

I. UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE STATISTICS

Week of September 23, 2017

Activity	Program	09/23/2017	09/16/2017	09/24/2016	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	2,234 0 0 0 0 2,234	2,331 0 0 0 0 2,331	2,638 0 0 0 0 2,638	(97) 0 0 0 0 (97)	(404) 0 0 0 0 0 (404)
Regular Claims For Weeks of Unemployment by Labor Market Area and Agent State	Barre	245	244	276	1	(31)
	Bennington	195	195	135	0	60
	Brattleboro	138	129	137	9	1
	Burlington	508	536	682	(28)	(174)
	Middlebury	82	84	113	(2)	(31)
	Morrisville	119	136	148	(17)	(29)
	Newport	137	144	148	(7)	(11)
	Rutland	278	288	308	(10)	(30)
	St. Albans	203	222	241	(19)	(38)
	St. Johnsbury	86	96	119	(10)	(33)
	Springfield	81	79	121	2	(40)
White River	70	79	91	(9)	(21)	
Agent State	92	99	119	(7)	(27)	
Number of Benefit Payments	Regular UI	2,025	2,058	2,223	(33)	(198)
	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	2,025	2,058	2,223	(33)	(198)
Amount of Benefit Payments	Regular UI	\$707,296	\$719,625	\$754,950	(12,329)	(47,654)
	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	\$707,296	\$719,625	\$754,950	(12,329)	(47,654)
Trust Fund	Cash Balance	\$370,911,440	\$371,564,325	\$288,613,187	(652,885)	82,298,253
	Loan Balance	\$0	\$0	\$0	0	0
	Net Balance	\$370,911,440	\$371,564,325	\$288,613,187	(652,885)	82,298,253

II. TOTAL UNEMPLOYMENT RATE COMPARISON

State and National 1/ (SEASONALLY ADJUSTED)	Aug-2017	Jul-2017	Aug-2016	Change From:	
				Last Month	Last Year
Vermont	3.0%	3.1%	3.2%	-0.1%	-0.2%
Connecticut	4.8%	5.0%	4.9%	-0.2%	-0.1%
Maine	3.8%	3.7%	4.0%	0.1%	-0.2%
Massachusetts	4.2%	4.3%	3.4%	-0.1%	0.8%
New Hampshire	2.7%	2.8%	2.9%	-0.1%	-0.2%
New Jersey	4.5%	4.2%	5.0%	0.3%	-0.5%
New York	4.8%	4.7%	4.9%	0.1%	-0.1%
Rhode Island	4.3%	4.3%	5.3%	0.0%	-1.0%
United States	4.4%	4.3%	4.9%	0.1%	-0.5%

NOTE: TOTAL UNEMPLOYMENT RATES REFLECT SEASONALLY ADJUSTED DATA.

^{1/} Excludes Armed Forces

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