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# Labour Market Update

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### Headlines

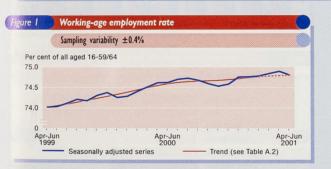
- Rising employment indicated by April-June 2001 Labour Force Survey (LFS) results.
- ILO unemployment rate down in April-June 2001 LFS. Fall in July 2001 claimant count.
- owth in the employment rate shows signs of levelling off with the working age rate unchanged. The ILO unemployment rate is still falling and there was a reduction in the number of oble claiming unemployment-related benefits. The whole economy headline average earnings growth rate has risen.
- bour Force Survey data for April to June 2001 show that the working age employment rate was 74.8 per cent, unchanged over the preceding three months. Survey estimates indicate that ployment rose by 75,000 over the quarter and by 250,000 over the year.
- ELO unemployment rate was 5.0 per cent, down 0.1 percentage point from the preceding three months and down 0.5 percentage points from a year earlier. The claimant count fell by ,800 in July 2001. The average monthly fall in the claimant count has been 9,900 over the past three months and 9,300 over the past six months.
- e headline rate of growth of average earnings in June 2001 was 4.8 per cent, up 0.2 percentage points from May 2001.

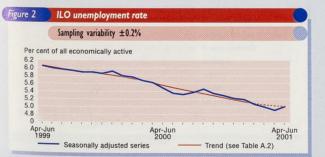
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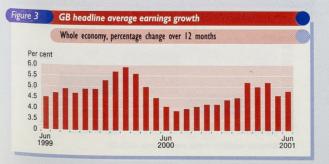
eril-lune 2001: Latest LFS three-month average results, earnings;

2001 data: Claimant count, vacancies and placings;

ne 2001 data: Manufacturing productivity and unit wage costs, manufacturing jobs, labour disputes.







- Employment rate was 74.8 per cent among people of working age in the April-June 2001 period, unchanged from January-March 2001 but up 0.2 percentage points on the same period a year earlier (Figure 1, Table A.1).
- ILO unemployment rate was 5.0 per cent in the April-June 2001 period, down 0.1 percentage point from January-March 2001 and down 0.5 percentage points on the same period a year earlier (Figure 2, Table A.1).
- Employment was 28.18 million in April-June 2001, up 250,000 on the same period year earlier (Table A. I).
- Workforce jobs rose by 119,000 over the year to 29.15 million in March 2001; this comprised a rise of 5,000 male jobs and a rise of 114,000 female jobs
- ILO unemployment level was 1.48 million in April-June 2001. This is 134,000 lower than the same period a year earlier (Table A.1).
- Oclaimant count down 12,800 on the month to July 2001 to 950,300. Claimant count rate in July 2001 was 3.2 per cent, unchanged from June 2001 (Table A.3).
- Economic activity rate was 78.8 per cent among people of working age in April-June 2001, unchanged from January-March 2001 but down 0.2 percentage points from April-lune 2000 (Table A. I).
- Economic inactivity rate was 21.2 per cent among people of working age in the April-June 2001 period, unchanged from January-March 2001 but up 0.2 percentage points from April-June 2000 (Table A. I).
- GB headline rate for average earnings was 4.8 per cent in June 2001, up 0.6 percentage points on the same period a year earlier. This is up 0.2 percentage points from the May 2001 rate (Figure 3, Table A.3).
- New vacancies notified to lobcentres up 10,200 in July 2001 to 250,900 (Table A.3).
- Stock of unfilled vacancies up 17,100 in July 2001 to 444,300

### EMPLOYMENT

- Men in employment down 4,000 since January-March 2001 to 15.50 million in April-June 2001, and women up 79,000 in the same period to 12.67 million (Figures 4 and 5, Table B.1).
- People in full-time employment up 93,000 since January-March 2001 to 21.16 million in April-June 2001. People in part-time employment down 18,000 over the same period to 7.02 million (Table B.1).
- Manufacturing employee jobs down by 110,000 in the three months to June 2001 compared with the same three months a year ago, at 3.85 million
- The LFS estimate of the total number of actual hours worked per week was 924.6 million during April-June 2001, up 1.1 per cent from April-June 2000. This is due to an increase in total employment of 0.9 per cent over the year combined with an increase of 0.3 per cent in average actual weekly hours (Table B.21).

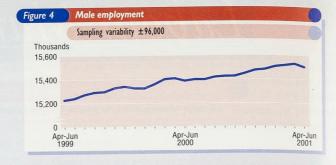
### UNEMPLOYMENT

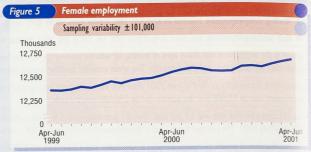
- Number of people ILO unemployed for between six and 12 months down 23,000 over the year to stand at 219,000 in April-June 2001 (Table C.1).
- ILO unemployment over 12 months fell 66,000 over the year to stand at 382,000 in April-June 2001 (Figure 6, Table C.1).
- ILO unemployment for those aged 18 to 24 years fell 14,000 over the year to stand at 377,000 in April-lune 2001 (Table C.1).
- ILO unemployment rate for UK government office regions down in all regions over the year except for Wales and the North West region, which were unchanged, and East Midlands, which went up. The highest rate is in the North East at 7.4 per cent and lowest is in the South East region at 3.2 per cent (Figure 7, Table A.11).
- Claimant count over 12 months (computerised claims only, unadjusted) shows a fall of 50,300 over the year to stand at 190,900 in July 2001 (Table C.12).
- Total claimants aged 18-24 (computerised claims only, unadjusted) stood at 240,700 in July 2001, a fall of 26,700 since July 2000 (Table C.12).
- Claimant count aged 18 to 24 over 12 months (computerised claims only, unadjusted) stood at 4,500 in July 2001, a fall of 1,900 since July 2000
- Number of people in categories affected by New Deal (computerised claims only, unadjusted)

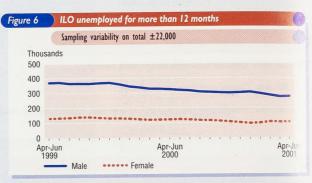
July 2001	Change on year
38,193	-9,994
91,005	-28,521
129,198	-38,515
	38,193 91,005

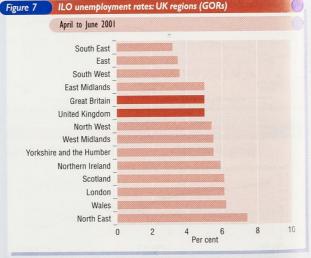
### **ECONOMIC ACTIVITY AND INACTIVITY**

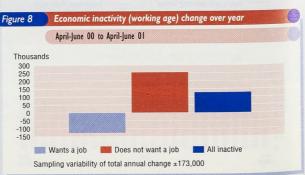
- Number of economically active people was 29.66 million in April-June 2001. Of this total, 16.41 million were men and 13.25 million were women
- Number of economically inactive people of working age was 7.75 million in April-June 2001. Of this total 5.56 million people did not want a job and 1.98 million wanted a job, but had not actively looked for one (Figure 8, Table D.2).
- The LFS shows that the net increase of the number in employment was 250,000 in the year to April-lune 2001. This was balanced by a decrease in the ILO unemployed of 134,000, an increase in the number of economically inactive of 144,000, and an increase in the total population aged 16 and over of 260,000 (Table A.1).
- DEconomic activity rate for men of working age was 84.2 per cent in April-June 2001, down 0.3 percentage points from January-March 2001, while the rate for women was 72.9 per cent for the same period, up 0.3 percentage points from the January-March 2001 period (Table D.1).
- Economic inactivity rate for men of working age was 15.8 per cent in April-June 2001, up 0.3 percentage points from January-March 2001, while the rate for women was 27.1 per cent for the same period, down 0.3 percentage points from the January-March 2001 period (Table D.3).

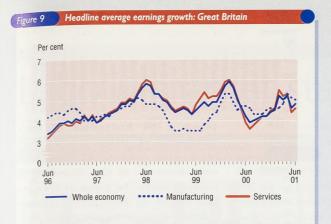


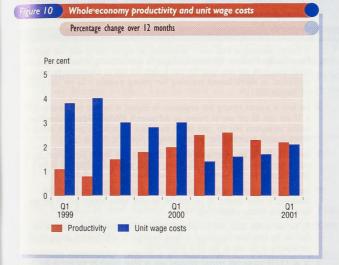


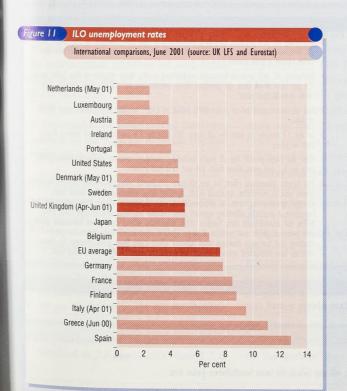












### REDUNDANCIES (not seasonally adjusted)

- There were 169,000 people made redundant in spring 2001 (March to May). This compares with 180,000 in spring 2000 (Table C.41, August 2001).
- Results for spring 2001 show that 9 per thousand of male employees and 5 per thousand of female employees had been made redundant in the three months prior to the interview. Of those made redundant, 50 per cent were back in employment at the time of the interview (Table C.41, August 2001).

### GB AVERAGE EARNINGS

- Headline (three-month average) rate of increase in average earnings for the whole economy in the year to June 2001 was provisionally estimated to be 4.8 per cent, up 0.2 percentage points from the revised May 2001 rate (Figure 9, Table E.I).
- The actual increase in whole economy average earnings in the year to June 2001 was 4.8 per cent, up 0.5 percentage points from the revised May 2001
- In the manufacturing industries, the headline (three-month average) increase for June 2001 was 5.0 per cent, down 0.1 percentage point from the revised May 2001 rate (Figure 9, Table E.1).
- The private sector services headline (three-month average) increase was 4.3 per cent for June 2001, up 0.2 percentage points from the revised May 2001 rate (Table E.1).
- In the service industries the headline (three-month average) increase was 4.6 per cent in June 2001, up 0.2 percentage points from the revised May 2001 rate (Figure 9, Table E.I).
- Public sector headline (three-month average) increase for June 2001 was 5.5 per cent compared with a year earlier, up 0.2 percentage points from the revised May 2001 rate (Table E.1).
- Private sector headline (three-month average) increase for June 2001 was 4.6 per cent compared with a year earlier, up 0.2 percentage points from the revised May 2001 rate (Table E.1).

### PRODUCTIVITY AND UNIT WAGE COSTS

- Manufacturing output was 1.4 per cent lower in the three months ending June 2001, compared with a year earlier (Table B.32).
- Manufacturing productivity in terms of output per filled job was 3.0 per cent higher in the three months ending June 2001, compared with a year earlier (Table B 32)
- Manufacturing unit wage costs were 1.9 per cent higher in the three months ending June 2001, compared with a year earlier (Table E.21).
- Whole economy output per filled job was 2.2 per cent higher in the first quarter of 2001, compared with a year earlier (Figure 10, Table B.32).
- Whole economy unit wage costs were 2.1 per cent higher in the first quarter of 2001, compared with a year earlier (Figure 10, Table E.21).

### INTERNATIONAL COMPARISONS

- UK ILO unemployment rate in April-June 2001 was 5.0 per cent, below the EU average of 7.6 per cent in June 2001 and lower than all EU countries except Austria, Denmark, Luxembourg, Ireland, the Netherlands, Portugal and Sweden (Figure 11, Table C.51).
- UK ILO unemployment rate among under-25s at 11.5 per cent in April-June 2001 was lower than all EU countries except Austria, Denmark, Germany, Ireland, Luxembourg, the Netherlands, Portugal and Sweden.
- In EU countries there was an average increase in consumer prices of 2.8 per cent (provisional) over the 12 months to June 2001, compared with 1.7 per cent in the UK. Over the same period consumer prices rose in France by 2.2 per cent (provisional) and in Germany by 3.1 per cent.

### VACANCIES

- New vacancies notified to Jobcentres in July 2001 were 30,300 higher than the same month last year (Figure 12, Table G.1).
- Stocks of unfilled vacancies at lobcentres in July 2001 were 81,400 higher than the same month last year (Table G.1)
- Placings by Jobcentres up by 2,400 in July 2001 to stand at 104,000 (Table G.1).

### LABOUR DISPUTES (not seasonally adjusted)

- Number of working days lost in the 12 months to June 2001 is provisionally estimated to be 689,000, from 236 stoppages. Some 31 per cent of the days lost were in transport, storage and communication group and 19 per cent were lost in
- Number of working days lost to labour disputes in June 2001 is provisionally estimated to be 12,300, from 19 stoppages (Figure 13, Tables G.11 and G.12).

### GOVERNMENT EMPLOYMENT AND TRAINING MEASURES (not seasonally adjusted)

- The number of young people in Work-based training for young people in England and Wales as at 25 March 2001 was 292,700, I per cent lower than 12 months earlier (Table F.1, August 2001).
- The number participating in Work-based learning for adults in England and Wales as at 25 March 2001 was 34,500, a 2 per cent reduction over the previous 12 months. Numbers on Basic Employability increased 4 per cent, while Occupational numbers fell by 8 per cent (Table F.1, August 2001).
- The total number of starts in Work-based training for young people in England and Wales has increased for the second successive year, with 42 per cent beginning Foundation Modern Apprenticeships, 21 per cent Other Training and 33 per cent Advanced Modern Apprenticeships. There is a small increase in Work-based learning for adults starts in England and Wales to total 113,400 in 2000-01, 42 per cent of which were identified as having Basic Employability needs (Table F.2, August 2001).
- The last 12 months (October 1999 to September 2000) in England saw a small increase in the proportion of leavers and completers entering employment compared to the previous year. There were similar increases for those gaining full or part qualifications (Tables F.3 and F4, August 2001).
- Advanced Modern Apprenticeships trainees in England achieving qualifications has continued. The latest quarter (July to September 2000) shows 55 per cent of trainees

in England achieving at least level 3 qualification, the highest rate to date. The figure for Foundation Modern Apprenticeships for those achieving at least a level 2 qualification is 46 per cent, again the best to date. The rate of achievement for any qualification on Work-based training for young people is 56 per cent (Table

Working days lost due to labour disputes

Figure 12 Notified vacancies at Jobc

Working days lost

Figure 13

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- The level of trainees entering into employment in England in the year to September 2000 is 71 per cent. 85 per cent of trainees on Advanced Modern Apprenticeships entered employment over the same period, the highest proportion of the main strands of Work-based training for young people (Table F.6, August 2001).
- O Some 653,100 18 to 24-year-olds had started on New Deal in Great Britain by the end of May 2001 - 557,200 had left, leaving 95,900 participants at the end of May
- Some 39 per cent of these leavers entered sustained unsubsidised jobs, 11 per cent transferred to other benefits, 20 per cent left for other known reasons and 30 per cent for unknown reasons (Table F.14)
- By the end of May 2001, 356,700 people aged 25 or more had started on New Deal for the Long Term Unemployed in Great Britain - 313,600 had left, leaving 43,100 participating at the end of May 2001 (Table F.16).
- In all, 59,610 people had entered sustained jobs in Great Britain by the end of May 2001, of which 46,610 were unsubsidised and 13,010 were subsidised (Table F.19).

### ECONOMIC BACKGROUND

- Gross domestic product (GDP) at constant market prices in the second quarter of 2001 grew by 0.3 per cent, down from 0.5 per cent in the previous quarter. Compared with the second quarter of 2000, GDP has grown by 2.1 per cent. Retail sales volumes in the three months to June 2001 were 1.6 per cent higher
- than in the previous three months and 6.1 per cent higher than in the same period a Manufacturing output in the three months to June 2001 was 2.0 per cent lower
- compared with the previous three months and 1.3 per cent lower than the same period a year earlier.
- The total volume of construction output in the first quarter of 2001 was 1.8 per cent higher compared with the previous quarter and 1.5 per cent higher than the same quarter a year earlier.
- Business investment was 5.0 per cent lower in the first quarter of 2001 than the previous quarter but 2.3 per cent higher than the first quarter of 2000.
- Oovernment consumption in the first quarter of 2001 was up 0.8 per cent on the previous quarter and 2.7 per cent higher than a year earlier.
- The balance of trade in goods in the three months to May 2001 was in deficit by £8.0 billion, up from a deficit of £7.6 billion in the previous three months and up from a deficit of £6.9 billion a year earlier.

- Excluding oil and erratics, export volumes in the three months to May 2001 were 3.1 per cent lower than the previous three months but 4.9 per cent higher than the same period a year earlier.
- Excluding oil and erratics, import volumes in the three months to May 2001 were 2.1 per cent lower than the previous three months but up 5.8 per cent on the same three months last year.
- The all items retail prices index (RPI) stood at 173.3 for July 2001, down from 174.4
- In the 12 months to July, the all items RPI rose by 1.6 per cent, down from 1.9 per
- Over the same period, the all items excluding mortgage interest payments index (RPIX) rose by 2.2 per cent, down from 2.4 per cent last month
- The largest downward effect on the all items 12-month rate came from changes in food prices and, in particular, seasonal foods. Another large downward effect came from changes in motoring costs. In addition, there were downward effects from vehicle tax and insurance. A partially offsetting upward effect within motoring expenditure came from prices for second-hand cars. Further small downward effects came from household good and personal goods and services. A large upward effect came from price changes for clothing and footwear. Another large upward effect came from price changes for leisure services and additional upward effects were evident from changes in housing costs.

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### Next month

The next Labour Market Update, as well as containing the usual monthly labour market statistics, will also include the latest workforce jobs data.

## News and research

### NATIONAL STATISTICS NEWS

## abour market statistics on the Web

NS IS embarked on a major ogramme to update the accessibility its statistical outputs. Two recent velopments will be of considerable terest to users of labour market atistics. Starting with the August 2001 sue. Labour Market Trends is available the National Statistics website and ill appear on publication day each onth from now on. Another major enefit to users comes from the ovision of a free on-line service for cal area labour market statistics via e Nomis© database run on behalf of ational Statistics by Durham

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# njury at work

HE HEALTH and Safety Executive HSE) has published provisional figures howing an increase of 34 per cent in atalities caused by injuries at work in Freat Britain in the year from 1 April 000 to 31 March 2001 compared with he year before. The rate of fatal injuries at work increased from 0.8 to 1.1 per 100,000 workers. Over the same period the provisional number of non-fatal major injuries fell by 4.7 per cent from 29,315 to 27,935.

The latest figures for 2000-2001, based on the number of injuries and fatalities reported so far plus an estimate for late reports, show that:

- the number of fatal injuries to workers is estimated to have increased from 220 in the previous year to 295 last year;
- there were 215 fatal injuries to employees, 53 more than in 1999-2000; and 80 fatal injuries to the self-employed, 22 more than in the year before;
- the fatal injury rate for employees rose to 0.9 per 100,000 from 0.7 the year before; and
- the fatal injury rate for the self-employed increased to 2.4 per 100,000 from 1.7 in

the previous year (although the rate is known to fluctuate from year to year).

Falls from a height, being struck by a moving vehicle, and being struck by a moving or falling object continued to be the three most common causes of fatal injury, accounting for 25 per cent, 22 per cent and 18 per cent of fatal injuries to workers respectively. The fatal injury rate for workers in the construction industry is estimated at 6.0 per 100,000 workers, which was the highest rate for over ten years and was 28 per cent higher than in 1999-2000. In all, 106 fatalities were estimated to have occurred in the construction industry. In agriculture and construction, the rate of fatal injuries to the self-employed reached its highest level since 1991-92

The non-fatal major injury rate for employees fell by 5.4 per cent to 110.3 per 100,000 employees. Construction had the highest rate of major injuries to employees at 383.1 per 100,000, followed by extraction and utility supply at 248.5 and agriculture at 209.5.

The number of fatal injuries to members of the public was estimated to have increased slightly to 447 from 436 in the previous year. Around 96 per cent of these occurred in the services sector, with 331 fatalities reported from the railway industry. Of these, 298 fatal injuries resulted from acts of suicide or trespass on railways or other relevant transport systems, compared with 274 in 1999-2000.

The report also presents figures for injuries resulting in more than three days absence from work. In 2000-2001, the rate for workers fell by 1.7 per cent from 136,113 to 133,813. The rate for employees fell by 2.4 per cent compared with the previous year to 537.8 per 100,000. The total number of these injuries was 133,112.

The final figures will be published in Health and Safety Statistics 2000/01 and in the Health and Safety Commission's Annual Report 2000/01 available from October 2001.

· Safety Statistics Bulletin 2000/01 (MISC407). Available, free of charge, from HSE Books, PO Box 1999, Sudbury, Suffolk, CO10 2WA, tel.01787 881165. Health and Safety Executive information can also be accessed on the Internet at www.hse.gov.uk.

## Parliamentary questions

A selection of recent Parliamentary Questions concerning labour market statistics answered in letters from Len Cook, National Statistician. The date on which the answer was given is at the end of each PQ.

### **Employment rates**

DAVID LAWS (Yeovil) asked the Chancellor of the Exchequer what proportion of people of working age (a) with disabilities, (b) aged over 50 years, (c) of ethnic minority background and (d) who are single parents, have been in employment for each of the last 10 years in (i) the UK, (ii) England, (iii) Somerset and (iv) Yeovil constituency; and if he will make a statement.

JOHN PULLINGER: I am replying in the National Statistician's absence. Estimates of the number of people in employment in the various groups that you requested are available from the Labour Force Survey (LFS). It has not been possible to supply estimates for the Yeovil constituency in any of the tables as the sample size for this area would be too small to provide a reliable estimate. *Table 1* shows the proportions of disabled people of working age in employment, from spring 1998 to spring 2000; estimates are not available before then. Table 2 shows the proportion of people between 51 and working age in employment from spring 1991 to spring 2000; however, the regional breakdown is only available for the latest quarter. The proportion of the ethnic minority population of working age in employment is shown in *Table 3*. The sample size is too small to provide reliable estimates for the regional breakdown. Table 4 shows the proportion of lone parents of working age in employment. This table shows data for spring 1990, and then spring 1992 to spring 2000, as data for 1991 are not available on a consistent basis. Estimates for Somerset are not available from 1991 to 1999 and the sample size is too small to provide a reliable estimate for spring 2000.

DAVID LAWS also asked the Chancellor of the Exchequer what proportion of the (a) male and (b) male and female working-age population have been in (i) full-time employment and (ii) part-time or full-time employment in each year since 1975.

JOHN PULLINGER: I am replying in the National Statistician's absence. Estimates of the proportion of the working-age population in employment are available from the Labour Force Survey (LFS). Table 1 shows LFS estimates of the proportion of the working-age population in employment and full-time employment from spring 1984 to spring 2000 (not seasonally adjusted). Estimates for 1979 to 1983 are not available on a consistent basis and no LFS data are available before then.

Table 1 Proportions of disabled people of working agea in employment; spring 1998 to spring 2000, not seasonally adjusted

			Per cent
Deposition 201	UK	England	Somerset
Spring 1998	443.1	45.2	60.3
Spring 1999	45.8	47.8	60.2
Spring 2000	46.4	48.6	53.2

Source: Labour Force Survey

a Men aged 16-64 and women aged 16-59

Table 2 Proportion of people aged 51-59/64 years in employment; spring 1991 to spring 2000, not seasonally adjusted

			Per cent
	UK	England	Somerset
Spring 1991	63.4	64.7	
Spring 1992	61.9	62.8	
Spring 1993	60.4	61.6	
Spring 1994	61.2	62.2	
Spring 1995	61.6	62.8	
Spring 1996	62.2	63.4	4.
Spring 1997	62.7	64.0	
Spring 1998	63.8	65.3	
Spring 1999	64.8	66.1	THE STATE OF
Spring 2000	65.6	67.0	68.8

Source: Labour Force Survey

Data not available.

Table 3 Proportion of the ethnic minority population of working agea in employment; spring 1991 to spring 2000, not seasonally adjusted

	As the little of	and buleau	Per cent
Ideroblanos I	UK	England	Somerset
Spring 1991	n1 31	57.3	
Spring 1992	54.8	54.8	*
Spring 1993	52.7	52.6	*
Spring 1994	51.4	51.6	*
Spring 1995	52.5	52.6	*
Spring 1996	53.5	53.5	*
Spring 1997	56.5	56.6	*
Spring 1998	56.4	56.4	*
Spring 1999	56.2	56.4	*
Spring 2000	57.5	57.5	1 ×

Source: Labour Force Sur-

a Men aged 16-64 and women aged 16-59

Data not available

Sample size too small for reliable estimate

Table 4 Proportion of lone parents of working agea in employment with dependent children; spring 1990 to spring 2000, not seasonally adjust

				Per cent
		UK	England	Somerse
Spring 1990	Roll La	44.6	45.1	
Spring 1992		43.0	43.5	
Spring 1993		42.8	43.4	
Spring 1994		44.0	44.3	
Spring 1995		44.0	44.4	
Spring 1996		43.7	43.8	
Spring 1997		44.7	45.4	
Spring 1998		46.1	46.6	
Spring 1999		46.9	47.1	
Spring 2000		49.7	50.5	

Source: Labour Force Sur

Men aged 16-64 and women aged 16-59 Data not available

Sample size too small for reliable estimate

Table 1 Proportions of the working agea population in employment and in full-time em	ployment;
United Kingdom; spring 1984 to spring 2000, not seasonally adjusted	Per cent

Telliner Bill	All men a	and women	N	Ien
	In full- or part-time employment <sup>c</sup>	In full-timed employment	In full- or part-time employment <sup>c</sup>	In full-timed employment
Spring 1984	68.3	55.0	77.4	74.7
Spring 1985	69.2	55.5	77.9	75.0
Spring 1986	69.4	55.5	77.4	74.2
Spring 1987	70.1	55.6	77.7	74.1
Spring 1988	72.4	57.6	80.1	76.3
Spring 1989	74.2	59.1	81.8	78.1
Spring 1990	74.7	59.4	82.1	78.1
Spring 1991	73.0	57.8	79.6	75.5
Spring 1992	71.1	55.4	76.3	71.8
Spring 1993	70.2	54.4	74.8	70.1
Spring 1994	70.6	54.3	75.3	70.2
Spring 1995	71.1	54.9	76.4	70.8
Spring 1996	71.6	54.7	76.4	70.6
Spring 1997	72.6	55.4	77.5	71.3
Spring 1998	73.1	55.9	78.1	71.9
Spring 1999	73.6	56.2	78.4	72.1
Spring 2000	74.3	56.7	79.1	72.7

a Men aged 16-64 and women aged 16-59.

Percentages include those who did not state whether working full-/part-time.

Includes unpaid family workers from spring 1992.

d The classification as full-time is based on respondent's self-assessment.

(5 July)

Source: Labour Force Survey

## Labour market statistics quarterly update

Labour Market Statistics Quarterly Update is designed to inform users about developments taking place as part of ONS' continuing work to improve labour market statistics. It appears every quarter in March, lune, September and December.

### Improvements introduced

June-August 2001

From the July 2001 issue onwards, Labour Market Trends is available on the National Statistics website at ttp://www.statistics.gov.uk/products/p550.asp

Data from the 2000 New Earnings Survey were released on the NomisWeb system in July. This brings free access to detailed data on pay and working time at the regional level to all users of labour market statistics. The New Earnings Survey data for 2000 will be supplemented in the near future to allow analyses of survey results for other years. Contact: Derek Bird, tel. 01633 819 005 or e-mail derek.bird@ons.gov.uk

### Work in progress

ONS is continuing with its research to estimate the standard error of the annual growth in the Average Earnings Index (AEI). ONS is currently assessing the quality of the preliminary estimates together with the expert group that advises on the AEI. Once the quality assurance of the estimates has been completed the estimates will be published. Contact: Derek Bird, tel. 01633 819 005 or e-mail derek.bird@ons.gov.uk.

Work has started to see if there is scope to refine the detailed elements of the quarterly employee jobs series, some of which contain discontinuities between September 1998 and December 1998 as a result of the way the ABI figures were built into the quarterly series. Contact: James Partington, tel. 01928 792545 or e-mail james.partington@ons.gov.uk.

The booklets How exactly is unemployment measured? and How exactly is employment measured? are shortly to be revised and are due for publication later in the year. Contact: Allan Flowers, tel.020 7533 6106 or e-mail allan.flowers@ons.gov.uk.

The Department for Work and Pensions (DWP) and ONS are undertaking a partnership project to enhance the Labour Force Survey (LFS) in England, known as the Local Labour Force Survey (LLFS). The aim is to achieve a consistent range of labour market indicators across local education authorities in England by improving the quality of estimates in certain areas. The first results of this project will be published in autumn 2001. See pp195-199, Labour Market Trends, May 2000 for more information on the LLFS. To accompany the release of the LLFS, a second edition of The guide to regional and local labour market statistics will be published, as well as a new edition of The Guide to the Labour Force Survey, vol.6. Contact: Ann Blake, ONS, tel. 020 7533 6130 or e-mail ann.blake@ons.gov.uk, or Iain Bell, DWP, tel. 020 7273 5663 or e-mail iain.bell@dfes.gsi.gov.uk.

ONS is continuing to develop historical employment and unemployment series on a consistent ILO basis. ONS is currently in the process of having the methodology quality assured and expects to be able to publish the first set of estimates at the end of 2001. Contact: Craig Lindsay, tel. 020 7533 5896 or e-mail craig.lindsay@ons.gov.uk.

### Future developments

ONS is planning to produce a historical supplement covering the series contained in the labour market statistics First Release. It will include all available long-run time series with notes on consistency over time. This is planned to be available on the National Statistics website later in the year. Contact: Frances Sly, tel. 020 7533 6141 or e-mail frances.sly@ons.gov.uk.

In the future, ONS expects to make LFS data available for a wider range of geographical areas, and improve the quality of unemployment rates for small areas based on internationally agreed definitions. Contact: Ann Blake, tel. 020 7533 6130 or e-mail ann.blake@ons.gov.uk.

ONS is developing a new monthly inquiry into the number of vacancies held by employers. The inquiry was launched in November 2000 and is being jointly developed by Employment, Earnings, and Productivity Division and Labour Market Division. The goal is to produce quarterly estimates covering the whole economy, although the inquiry is still in the development phase and is currently of a more limited scope. Contact: Andrew Machin, tel. 020 7533 6162 or e-mail andrew.machin@ons.gov.uk.

A new booklet How exactly are earnings measured? is in preparation. Contact: Labour Market Statistics Helpline, tel. 020 7533 6094 or e-mail labour.market@ons.gov.uk.

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### Reasons for working fewer hours

Reasons for working fewer hours than usual by sex and by age of youngest dependent child for women; United Kingdom; spring 2001, not seasonally adjusted

					Per cent
	Men	All			
	With you	ngest dependen			
	Under 2 years	2-18 years	With no dependent children		
Hours vary	23	38	36	43	40
Bank holiday	10	17	20	22	20
Maternity, paternity leave	38	*	1	*	2
Other leave, holiday	14	24	24	19	21
Sick or injured	7	- 11	11	9	10
Other <sup>a</sup>	7	9	8	7	8
Total (thousands=100%)	303	1,393	2,638	4,984	9,318

Source: Labour Force Survey

- a Includes those people who worked fewer hours than usual due to training courses; because they started or ended a job; bad weather
- abour disputes; economic, or other causes; personal or family reasons; those who gave another reason
- Sample size too small for reliable estimate.

### **Maternity leave question**

Each spring quarter women who work fewer hours than usual because of maternity leave are asked if they take it as a legal requirement (statutory maternity leave) or as leave their employer has allowed (contractual maternity leave). The answer given is based on the respondent's own assessment. This question was introduced to the LFS in spring 1998. The number of women qualifying for maternity leave and the length of time given have been increasing over the past few years leading to greater interest in this subject.

Each quarter, the Labour Force Survey (LFS) asks people whether they worked their usual hours or not. For women, one of the main reasons for having worked fewer hours than usual is maternity leave. Table 1 gives a breakdown of the reasons by age of youngest dependent child for women, and also for men.

- In total, in spring 2001 around 9.3 million employees worked less than their usual hours.
- Two-fifths of women with dependent children aged under two who worked less than their usual hours did so because of maternity leave.
- In spring 2001, the majority of women on maternity leave were taking it as their legal entitlement (76 per cent) and one-fifth took it as leave allowed by the employer (see red box).
- The reasons for working fewer hours were similar in proportion for all groups except women with children under two. The most common reason, at around two-fifths, was that people's work hours varied.
- Other reasons such as holidays and sickness are subject to seasonal variations.

Learning throughout working life is becoming increasingly necessary because of the pace of change within the labour market, and training is seen by a large number of employees as an essential investment for the future. Many requests for LFS data about training are received by the DfES workforce training enquiry point (0114 259 3489).

- In spring 2001, 3.7 million employees of working age received job-related training in the four weeks prior to interview, 15.4 per cent of all such employees (seasonally adjusted).
- A higher proportion of women than men employees 25 had received job-related training in the past four 20 weeks - 18.5 and 14.4 per cent (not seasonally adjusted) respectively (Table 2).
- 1 The self-employed are the least likely to take part in job-related training - 8.0 per cent compared with 16.4 per cent of employees (Table 2).
- The age breakdown shows that the incidence of jobrelated training decreases as the age of employees increases. Employees aged 16-19 were more than twice as likely to have participated in job-related training as those aged 50-59/64 (Figure 1).
- Figure 2 shows that, generally, employees with high-level qualifications are more likely to receive jobrelated training than those with lower-level qualifications.
- Employees with a degree or equivalent were five times as likely to have reported receiving job-related training in the four weeks prior to interview than those with no qualifications.

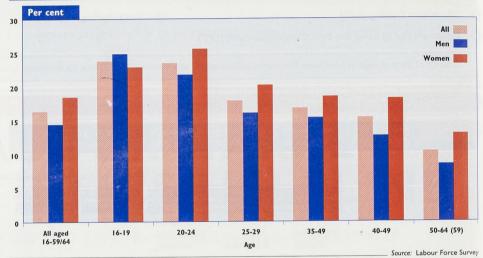
### People of working agea receiving job-related trainingb in the last four weeks; nited Kingdom; spring 2001, not seasonally adjusted

	All		Men		Women		
the key first	000s	Per cent	000s	Per cent	000s	Per cent	
All people	5,327	14.6	2,539	13.3	2,788	16.0	
Employees	3,934	16.4	1,855	14.4	2,079	18.5	
Self-employed	237	8.0	146	6.6	91	12.3	
ILO unemployed	153	11.0	80	9.4	72	13.5	
Economically inactive	889	11.2	387	12.4	502	10.5	
					Source: Lab	our Force Surv	

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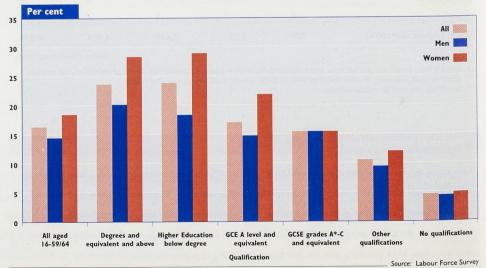
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## Employees of working age<sup>a</sup> receiving job-related training<sup>b</sup> by age and sex; United Kingdom; spring 2001, not seasonally adjusted



Working age is defined as men aged 16 to 64 and women aged 16 to 59. Job-related training includes both on- and off-the-job training

### Employees of working agea receiving job-related trainingb by highest qualification and sex; United Kingdom; spring 2001, not seasonally adjusted



a Working age is defined as men aged 16 to 64 and women aged 16 to 59.

### Ethnic groups by using the 2001 Census questions

### Economic activity by ethnic group; ab United Kingdom; spring 2001, not seasonally adjusted

	In employment (000s)	ILO unemployed (000s)	Total economically active (000s)	All aged 16 and over (000s)	Economic activity rate (%) 16 - 59/64	Employment rate (%) 16 - 59/64	ILC unemployment rate (%) All 161
All							
White	26,552	1,217	27,771	43,987	79	76	4
British <sup>c</sup>	24,784	1,119	25,905	40,958	80	76	4
Another White background	c 1,057	52	1,109	1,747	76	73	5
All ethnic minority groups	1,514	188	1,699	2,845	64	57	11
Mixed	140	19	159	240	70	62	12
White and Black Caribbean	33	*	40	59	69	59	*
White and Black African	12	*	12	17	78	75	*
White and Asian	37	*	41	65	66	61	*
Another mixed background	57	*	66	99	71	62	*
Asian or Asian British	739	89	826	1,450	62	55	- 11
Indian	401	30	431	670	70	65	7
Pakistani	162	32	194	410	51	42	16
Bangladeshi	56	14	69	154	48	39	20
Another Asian background	119	13	132	215	66	59	10
Black or Black British	400	60	459	708	71	62	13
Caribbean	228	36	263	408	75	65	14
African	147	22	169	258	67	58	13
Another Black background	25	*	27	43	66	62	*
Chinese	69	*	74	135	58	54	*
Other ethnic groups	166	15	181	312	60	55	8

Source: Labour Force Survey

a This table uses the National Statistics interim standard classification of ethnic groups. Therefore, previous published estimates should not be used for comparisons

b All data in the table are provisional due to various data quality issues (see red box).

Data are on a Great Britain basis only because 'British' and 'another White background' are not collected in Northern Ireland. Therefore, the levels for these sub-categories do not sum to the White total

Sample size too small for reliable estimate.

### Changes to the ethnic group classification

From spring 2001, the LFS asks an initial question to collect Level I, with supplementary questions used to arrive at level 2 of the classification.

The main changes in responses are likely to stem from the introduction of a 'Mixed' category in the initial question. This is most likely to affect people who previously classified themselves into one of the 'Black' groups and those who previously selected the 'Other' category. Among those previously classified as 'Black-Mixed' on the old LFS classification used in publications, 85 per cent selected 'Mixed' at level 1 of the new question. Similarly, 79 per cent of those previously classified as 'Other-Mixed' selected 'Mixed' at the new question. Additionally, the introduction of an aggregate Asian group to the initial question will allow for some respondents to choose this category over the 'Other' category in the old ethnic classification questions.

More general information on the National Statistics interim standard classification of ethnic groups can be found on the National Statistics website at www.statistics.gov.uk/themes/compendia\_reference/ articles/ns\_ethnic classification.asp.

As with any new question in the LFS, the information could not be collected for respondents who were not contacted that quarter. Scaling factors have been applied to increase the counts in the ethnicity table such that they match population and economic activity status totals. Nevertheless, some bias is likely to remain in these provisional estimates. ONS will be carrying out further work to try to improve these estimates and to enable some historical data to be estimated on the new basis.

Further details including a table of relationships between the old and new classifications may be found in the August 2001 LFS Quarterly Supplement or the National Statistics website at www.statistics.gov.uk/themes/labour\_market/download/ethnicity\_changes.pdf.

From spring 2001, the LFS introduced new questions on ethnicity in line with the 2001 Census. The new National Statistics output classification has also been adopted. This has two levels: level 1 is a broad classification divided into five main ethnic groups - White, Mixed, Asian or Asian British, Black or Black British, Chinese or Other; level 2 nests within level 1 and provides a finer classification (see red box).

Table 3 shows provisional estimates (see red box) of economic activity by ethnic group at level 1 and 2 of the new classification for spring

- According to the LFS, threefifths of all those of working age from ethnic minority groups were in employment compared with threequarters of White people in spring 2001.
- Among the ethnic minority groups at level 1, the Black or Black British group had the highest working-age economic activity rate at 71 per cent and joint highest employment rate along with the Mixed group at 62 per
- The Black or Black British group also had the highest ILO unemployment rate at 13 per cent. However at level 2, the Bangladeshi group had the highest ILO unemployment rate at 20 per cent - this compares with only 4 per cent for economically active White people.
- All ethnic groups had lower activity rates for women than for men, most notably the Pakistani and Bangladeshi groups (32 and 21 per cent for women, respectively, compared with 69 and 70 per cent for men).

### 4 Disabled people and the labour market

A regular topic of interest among callers to the Labour Market Statistics Helpline is the labour market status of disabled people. A definition of current long-term disability including all those who report having either a current DDA-covered disability or a work-limiting disability is used to give the most comprehensive and coherent coverage of disability. Table 4 shows the economic activity status, and Figure 3 the ILO unemployment rates of people according to whether they were disabled or not.

In spring 2001 there were 6.8 million people of working age with long-term disabilities in the UK, just over half of whom were men (53 per cent).

1 Non-disabled people were more likely to be in employment than those who were disabled (81 per cent compared with 47 per cent).

Disabled people in employment were slightly more likely than nondisabled people to work parttime (28 per cent compared with 23 per cent).

The rates of ILO unemployment were much higher for the disabled compared with the nondisabled (9 per cent compared with 5 per cent).

Disabled people who were unemployed were more likely than non-disabled to have been unemployed for at least a year (35 per cent compared with 26 per cent).

Disabled people were much more likely to be economically inactive than non-disabled people (49 per cent overall compared with 15 per cent). The difference was greater for men (46 per cent compared with 9 per cent). For disabled women, the percentage who were economically inactive was higher at 52 per cent, but it was also higher for the nondisabled at 22 per cent.

• Among the economically inactive, disabled people were more likely than nondisabled people to want a job. This was true for both men and women.

Economic activity status of working agea people by sex, and by whether disabled;b United Kingdom; spring 2001, not seasonally adjusted

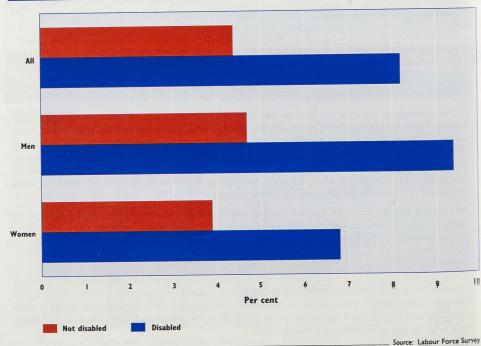
						Per cent	
	Me	en Women			All		
	Disabled	Not disabled	Disabled	Not disabled	Disabled	Not disabled	
Economically active	54.2	90.6	47.8	78.0	51.2	84.6	
In employment	49.1	86.3	44.6	74.9	46.9	80.9	
Working full time	43.5	79.6	22.9	43.2	33.8	62.2	
Working part time	5.6	6.7	21.6	31.8	13.2	18.7	
ILO unemployed	5.1	4.3	3.2	3.1	4.2	3.7	
less than I year	3.1	3.0	2.3	2.5	2.7	2.8	
at least I year	2.0	1.3	0.9	0.5	1.5	0.9	
ILO unemployment rate <sup>c</sup>	9.4	4.7	6.8	3.9	8.2	4.4	
Economically inactive	45.8	9.4	52.2	22.0	48.8	15.4	
Wants job	15.6	2.5	15.1	5.6	15.4	4.0	
Does not want job	30.2	6.9	37.1	16.4	33.4	11.4	
All people of working agea (=100%) (millions)	3.6	15.6	3.2	14.2	6.8	29.7	

Source: Labour Force Survey

a Working age is 16-64 for men and 16-59 for women.

b Current long-term health problem or disability. c The percentage of economically active people who are unemployed on the ILO measure.

ILO unemployment rate<sup>a</sup> for working age<sup>b</sup> people by whether disabled<sup>c</sup> or not; United Kingdom; spring 2001, not seasonally adju



a The percentage of economically active people who are unemployed on the ILO measure. b Working age is defined as 16-64 for men and 16-59 for women.

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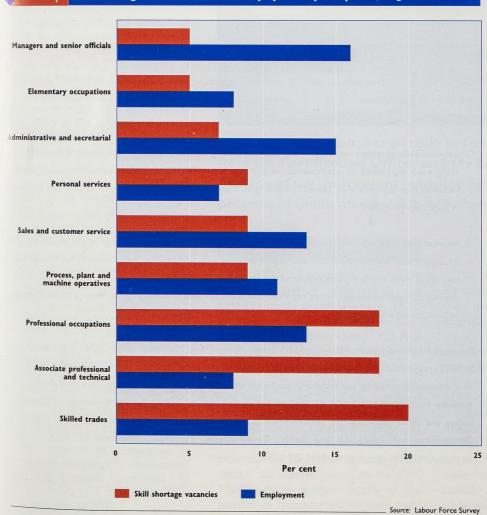
### Skills shortages - Employer Skills Survey 2001

### Skill-shortage vacancies by size of establishment; England; 2001

	Proportion reporting skill-shortage vacancies (%)	Average number of skill-shortage vacancies	Proportion of total skill-shortage vacancies (%)	Skill-shortage vacancies per thousand employees
Number of employees				
1-4	3	0	40	30
5-24	5	0.1	22	8
25-49	7	0.2	8	5
50-99	11	0.4	10	6
100-199	12	0.7	7	6
200-499	13	0.8	5	3
500-999	15	2.3	3	3
1000+	22	6.8	4	4
All	4	0.1	100	8

Source: Employer Skills Survey

Skill shortage vacancies and total employment by occupation;<sup>a</sup> England; 2001



a Occupations are coded according to the 2000 Standard Occupation Classification

Skill deficiencies are reported by an important minority of employers. The Employer Skills Survey (ESS) is the Department for Education and Skills' (DfES) main source of information on skill deficiencies reported by employers. ESS2001 covered all establishments in England (see red box) employing more than one employee, and all sectors. An understanding of skill deficiencies, their causes, characteristics and consequences can help policy makers and employers to consider and develop responses to these problems. The key findings from ESS2001 are presented below.

Table 5 shows external skillshortage vacancies by size of establishment.

Some 4 per cent of establishments reported skillshortage vacancies (see red box) and it is estimated that there were 159,000 such vacancies across England.

The proportion of establishments reporting vacancies, hard-to-fill vacancies, or skill-shortage vacancies rises quite sharply with the number of employed. For instance, 3 per cent of establishments with one to four employees reported skill-shortage vacancies compared with 15 per cent of those having 500 to 999 employees. Yet, because the smallest establishments are so numerous they account for 40 per cent of all skillshortage vacancies.

• There are 30 skill-shortage vacancies per thousand employees in establishments with one to four employees, but just 8 per thousand overall.

Figure 4 shows the occupational spread of these vacancies compared with the occupational distribution of employment.

O Skilled trade, associate professional and technical, and professional occupations account for more than half of all skill-shortage vacancies. The skill-shortage vacancies in these occupations were also disproportionately greater than their share of employment.



### 5 Skills shortages – Employer Skills Survey 2001 (cont.)

1 The skills which employers were seeking varied with occupation. For example, advanced IT/software skills were the skills most commonly sought for professional and associate professional occupations, while for skilled trade occupations, they were technical/practical skills other than IT.

The types of skill sought for internal skill gaps by occupation is shown in Table 6.

- Some 7 per cent of employers reported internal skill gaps covering around 800,000 employees in England. Occupations in which employers were most likely to report internal skills gaps included operatives, sales and customer services staff, and managers.
- On balance, employers were more likely to cite generic skills such as communication and teamworking as skills sought for internal skill gaps, though technical/practical skills were cited as a problem for a third of all skill gaps.
- 1 It is clear that employers perceive training to be an important cause (in terms of lack of training) and solution to skill deficiencies. The most commonly cited cause of skill gaps was a failure to develop or train staff by employers (35 per cent of all skill gaps), while increased training was a response of employers to 72 per cent of internal skill gaps.
- This survey suggests that skill deficiencies will continue to be experienced by employers. When employers were asked what barriers they felt prevented them from maintaining or developing a fully proficient workforce, almost a third of establishments (31 per cent) reported a lack of time for training and nearly a quarter (23 per cent) reported a lack of funding and a lack of cover for training respectively.

### Type of skills sought by occupation; England; 2001

					Per cent
	Technical skills only	Generic skills only	Technical and generic skills in combination	No particular skills	Total
Occupation (SOC2000)					
All	12	45	30	14	100
Managers and senior officials	8	53	29	9	100
Professional occupations	13	40	34	13	100
Associate professional and technical	21	38	33	9	100
Administrative and secretarial	17	36	39	9	100
Skilled trades	21	33	29	18	100
Personal services	5	54	20	21	100
Sales and customer services	5	52	31	12	100
Process plant and machine operative	s 17	34	37	12	100
Elementary occupations	8	53	19	20	100

Source: Employer Skills Survey

a Occupations are coded according to the 2000 Standard Occupational Classification.

Base: Internal Skill Gaps which were followed up: employee-based measure.

Note: 'Technical skills' here comprise advanced IT and other technical/practical skills, 'generic skills' comprise communication skills, customer handling skills, team working skills, problem solving skills, basic computer literacy, management skills, numeracy skills and literacy skills.

### Employer Skills Survey (ESS)

This survey of 27,000 employers was first conducted in autumn 1999 and repeated earlier this year. The definitions of skill deficiencies used in the surveys reflect those developed by the National Skills Task Force (NSTF) and comprise two elements

- external skills shortage vacancies are vacancies proving hard to fill because applicants lack the required skills, work experience or qualifications the company demands. This definition thus excludes hard-to-fill vacancies that may have been caused by other factors such as poor terms and conditions or a low number of applicants generally
- internal skill gaps employers were asked 'What proportion of your existing staff at this establishment (in a particular occupation) would you regard as being fully proficient at their current job? Would you say...all of them; nearly all; over half, some but under half; very few; none of them?' Internal skill gaps were deemed to exist where employers reported that less than 'nearly all' of their employees in a particular occupation were fully proficient.

For more information on the ESS see pp511-5, Labour Market Trends, November 2000. Copies of the Employer Skills Survey 2001 can be downloaded from the 'Reference' section of the Skillsbase website www.skillsbase.dfes.gov.uk or are available in hard copy from: DfES Publications, PO Box 5050, Sherwood Park, Annesley, Nottingham NGI5 0DJ, tel. 0845 60 222 60, Fax 0845 60 333 60. For more information about the survey and other reports in the series (including reports on the 1999 survey) contact: Carol Stanfield, Department for Education and Skills, Room W626, Moorfoot, Sheffield S1 4PQ, e-mail carol.stanfield@dfes.gsi.gov.uk, tel. 0114 259 3502.

## National Statistics feature

## Trade union membership 1999-2000: an analysis of data from the Certification Officer and the abour Force Survey

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### Key points

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There were 7.9 million trade nion members, an increase of 6,000 on the previous year. This vas the second successive year in hich membership has increased.

ccording to the Labour Force rvey (LFS):

At autumn 2000, 7.3 million of ose in employment were trade nion members, an increase of ,000 on 1999 and an increase of 69,000 since 1998.

On the other hand, there has een a decrease in membership nce 1990 of 1.5 million, a fall over e ten-year period of 17.1 per cent.

The proportion of employees who ere union members (union density) ecreased very little from 29.5 per ent in 1999 to 29.4 per cent in 2000.

The fall in union membership has een steeper for males than for emales. Male union density was 43.0 per cent in 1990 and 29.9 per cent 2000, whereas female density was 2.0 per cent in 1990 and 28.9 per

- Trade union membership is more prevalent among older employees, those with long service and those in the public sector.
- Professionals were most likely to be trade union members, as were full-time employees, foremen and supervisors, and those working in large workplaces.
- The number of employees in workplaces where trade union members are present increased by 250,000 from 11.4 million in 1999, to 11.6 million in 2000.



Data on trade union membership in Great Britain are available from the Certification Officer and the Labour Force Survey. Analysis of the most recent information is used to measure patterns of union membership and changes in recent years.

### Introduction

THIS ARTICLE contains information on the number of trade unions and union members in Great Britain. There are two sources of data used to measure trade union membership. The first of these is the summary within the Annual Report of the Certification Officer (CO) for Trade Unions and Employers' Associations, collated using administrative records. The Trade Union and Labour Relations Act 1992 requires that every trade union in existence for 12 months or longer must submit an annual return to the CO. These returns provide details of the number of members within each trade union

The second source is the Labour Force Survey (LFS) which provides more detailed information on the characteristics of trade union members. The survey includes questions on union membership status, whether a trade union is present at the workplace, and whether pay and conditions are affected by a collective agreement.

Information provided in the CO's Annual Report is based on annual returns submitted by trade unions in respect of the calendar year, although some cover a different accounting period. Approximately 88 per cent of trade unions had a reporting year that ended on 31 December 1999. The

remainder had accounting periods ended sometime between October 1999 and September 2000. The LFS currently collects data on trade unions in the autumn quarter. LFS data analysed in this article are from autumn 2000. For further discussion of the differences between the two sources of union information, see the technical note at the end of this article.

# Trade union membership data compiled by the Certification Officer

Following the proposals made last year concerning the consistency of the data used in this article, this is the first year that the statistics have been presented using the same basis as the CO's *Annual Report*. See *technical note* for a discussion of how the series used to differ and the availability of a back series for the compatible data.

Figure 1 uses data for all 'listed' and 'unlisted' trade unions that submitted annual returns to the CO. Listing is voluntary and any organisation of workers may apply to the CO to be listed as long as the organisation falls within the

definition of a trade union stated in the 1992 Act. There are organisations that fall within this statutory definition that have not applied to be listed. Any of these known by the CO are entered in a second list of 'unlisted' unions. 'Unlisted' unions have the same statutory responsibilities as listed unions; thus, the annual return forms are sent to organisations on both lists.

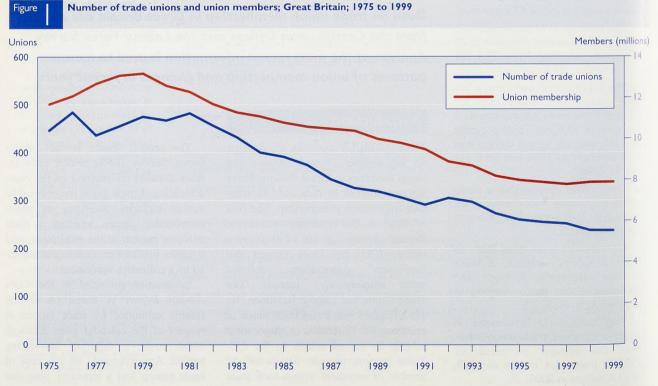
Figure 1 illustrates the decline in trade unions and trade union members since 1975. Mergers have caused much of the decline in the number of trade unions. There are two types of merger: transfers of engagement and amalgamations. Under a transfer of engagement, the transferring organisation loses its legal status while the organisation to which it transfers remains unchanged. An amalgamation produces a new organisation replacing each of the amalgamating bodies, which cease to exist. The data show that the period of large-scale decline has ended and that membership has begun to stabilise over the past five years.

On 31 March 2001 there were 206 'listed' unions and 22 'unlisted' unions compared with 221 'listed' unions and 22 'unlisted' unions on 31 March 2000.

The number of unions that submitted annual returns to the CO during the period 1 April 2000 to 31 March 2001 remained similar to the previous year's returns, having decreased by one union to 237. The following analysis is based solely on information from these trade unions. The number of union members increased for the second year in succession, having risen by 46,000 (0.6 per cent) to 7.9 million members.

Table 1 shows the distribution of members and unions by the size of union. While 72.6 per cent of union have less than 5,000 members, 72.1 per cent of members belong to the terlargest unions with 250,000 or more members and form only 4.5 per cent all unions. UNISON was the largest trade union with some 1.3 million members, followed by the Transportant General Workers Union (0.9 million members), the Amalgamate Engineering and Electrical Union (0.9 million members) and the GMB (0.7 million members).

During the period 1 January 1999 of 31 March 2000 there were nine transfers of engagement and one amalgametion. The ten mergers involved a tool of 508,370 members. The largest mergers



Source: Certification Officer/DTI

	Number of unions	Number of unions Membership		Number of ur	nions	Membership of unions	
		(thousand	s)	Per cent	Cumulative per cent	Per cent	Cumulative per cent
Number of members							
Under 100	44		1	18.6	18.6	0.0	0.0
100 - 499	49		2	20.7	39.2	0.2	0.2
500 - 999	22		4	9.3	48.5	0.2	0.4
1,000 - 2,499	34		8	14.3	62.9	0.7	1.1
2,500 - 4,999	23		33	9.7	72.6	-1.1	2.1
5,000 - 9,999	12		92	5.1	77.6	1.2	3.3
10,000 - 14,999	4		3	1.7	79.3	0.7	4.0
15,000 - 24,999	10	18	31	4.2	83.5	2.3	6.3
25,000 - 49,999	18	6	8	7.6	91.1	7.8	14.1
50,000 - 99,999	5	3	)4	2.1	93.2	3.8	17.9
100,000 - 249,999	5	78	38	2.1	95.4	10.0	27.9

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which involved 486,829 members, as the amalgamation of the Banking Issurance and Finance Union, UniFI and the NatWest Association (now known as UNIFI).

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### Frade union membership and density based on FS data

Trade union membership questions were first added to the LFS questionnere in 1989. Analysis of those in employment includes the self-

employed, but excludes members of the armed forces, who are prohibited from becoming union members, those on college-based government-supported training and employment and unpaid family workers.

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Table 2 shows how in autumn 2000 union membership among those in employment was 7.3 million, a small increase of around 63,000 members (0.9 per cent) from 1999. This is not a statistically significant change in membership compared with 1999. Union decline is a net effect: while some members are leaving trade unions,

there are actually many thousands of new members recruited each year.

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Source: Certification Officer

The proportion of all persons in employment who are union members (generally known as union density) remained unchanged at 27.0 per cent. The proportion of employees who are trade union members decreased marginally from 29.5 per cent in 1999 to 29.4 per cent in 2000 and does not constitute a significant change. This is because the number of employees grew at a faster rate than union membership, rising from 24.1 million in 1999 to 24.5 million in 2000.

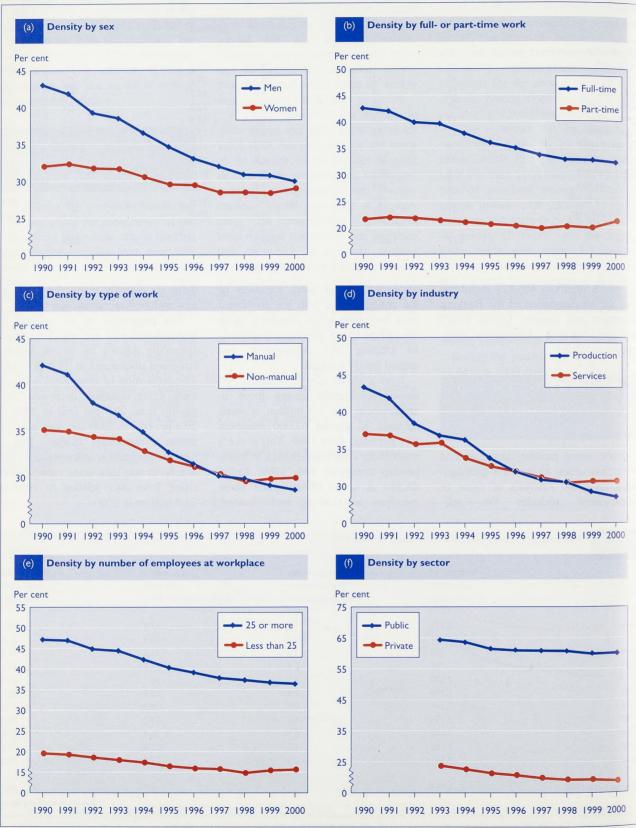
	Number of members (thousands)	Percentage change in membership since previous year	Union density for all in employment (per cent)	Union density for employees <sup>b</sup> (per cent)
990	8,835		33.9	38.1
991	8,602	-2.6	33.6	37.5
992	7,956	-7.5	32.2	35.8
993	7,767	-2.4	31.5	35.1
994	7,530	-3.0	30.1	33.6
995	7,309	-2.9	28.8	32.1
996	7,244	-0.9	28.2	31.2
997	7,154	-1.2	27.3	30.2
998	7,152	0.0	26.9	29.6
999	7,257	1.5	27.0	29.5
000	7,321	0.9	27.0	29.4

Source: Labour Force Survey

a Excludes members of the armed forces, unpaid family workers, and those on college-based schemes. From 1989-91 union membership questions were asked in the spring. Since 1992 they have been asked in the autumn quarter. Those who did not report their union status or were not contactable in the autumn quarter have been allocated on a pro-rata basis.

b Employees or

### Union density; Great Britain; 1990-2000



Source: Labour Force Survey

### Union density by individual characteristics; Great Britain; autumn 2000

			Per cent
	All	Men	Women
Age group			
Under 20 years	6	7	4
20 to 29 years	19	19	20
30 to 39 years	31	31	31
40 to 49 years	38	39	37
50 years and over	35	36	33
Ethnic origin			
White	30	30	29
Non-White	25	23	27
of which			
Black	29	25	33
Indian	25	26	25
Pakistani/Bangladeshi	16	16	*
Other	23	21	. 25
Highest qualification			
Degree or equivalent	37	30	46
Other higher education	43	32	52
A-level or equivalent	28	32	21
GCSE or equivalent	24	37	22
Other	26	30	22
No qualifications	24	28	21
All employees	29	30	29
		Source:	Labour Force Surve

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The remainder of this article excludes the self-employed and covers employees only. The self-employed have traditionally had low union membership less than 10.0 per cent of the selfaployed were union members in 2000.

Figure 2 shows union density among various groups over time. Trade union density has always been higher for men than for women. However, the proportion of male employees with union membership dropped by 13 percentage points between 1990 and 2000. During the same period, female density decreased by only 3 percentage points, leaving density for both at around 30 per cent.

Union density among full-time workers fell by 11 percentage points, from 43 to 32 per cent since 1990, though the rate appears to be stabilising. The rate for part-time employees remains fairly constant over time and was 21 per cent in 2000. The large gap

between union density of full-time and part-time employees may reflect the difficulties that unions encounter in recruiting and organising part-time employees.

Manual worker union density fell from 42 per cent to 29 per cent between 1990 and 2000, while nonmanual density decreased by only 5 percentage points. Since 1996, nonmanual density has been equal to, or greater than, that for manual employees. Similarly, production density fell by 14 percentage points, from 43 to 29 per cent since 1990. Density in the service sector remained greater than for production and appeared to be stabilising at around 30 per cent. This illustrates the extent of the decline of unionisation in occupations and industries that traditionally were heavily

Union density was 36 per cent for workplaces with more than 25 employ-

ees and 16 per cent for those with less than 25 employees. The proportion of union members in the public sector was much greater than in the private sector, though both dropped at a similar rate of 4 to 5 percentage points between 1993 and 2000.

### Individual characteristics

Table 3 reveals that employees aged 40 to 49 had the highest union density of 38 per cent. Less than one fifth of 20 to 29-year-old employees were union members, while those under 20 had the lowest density of all the age groups at 6 per cent. There is evidence from panel data that successive age cohorts had a declining probability of joining trade unions.<sup>2</sup> Thus, the appearance of higher density in the relationship between age and union participation is mainly due to the changing labour market experiences of cohorts born in later periods.

Density was 30 per cent for White employees and 29 per cent for Black employees. Employees who belonged to Pakistani and Bangladeshi ethnic groups were least likely to be union members with a density of 16 per cent.

Union membership was most prevalent among those with higher education qualifications below degree level, at 43 per cent. For those with qualifications below this level, the proportion of union members was between 24 and 28 per cent.

Although men and women were equally likely to be trade union members, there are large differences for individual characteristics such as ethnic origin and education. Women from minority ethnic groups, most notably Black women, had a higher membership rate than their male counterparts. Women with their highest educational achievement below the standard of higher education had lower union density than men; in the case of those with at most GCSE or equivalent qualifications union density was nearly 15 percentage points less than for male counterparts. Women with higher education qualifications were far more likely than men to be union members: those with 'other' higher educational qualifications than degrees or degree equivalents had a density of 52 per cent. This was 20 percentage points greater than the rate for men with the same academic achievements.

### Job-related characteristics

Table 4 shows that union density is related to length of service. The prevalence of union membership is greatest among those who were in their current employment 20 years ago when trade union membership was at its peak, and demonstrates a similar pattern to the distribution by age in *Table 3*.

Examination of the density data by occupation shows that union membership was most prevalent among professionals, half of whom were trade union members. This may have been strongly influenced by the high proportion of public sector workers such as teachers and doctors in the group: 23 per cent of all public sector employees were professionals; of these 74 per cent were trade union members. In the public sector, professionals were still most likely to be union members. However, in the private sector, plant and machine operatives had the highest density, at 36 per cent, and only 20 per cent of professionals were union members. Union density varied widely over the major occupational groups, the lowest being 11 per cent for those working in sales.

Density for full-time plant and machine operatives, personal and protective occupation group employees, and those in 'other' occupations was around twice that for part-time employees. The only group where part-time employees had higher union density than full-time employees was associate professional and technical employees.

Foremen and supervisors were more likely than managers or those with no managerial responsibility to have been union members.

The last section of *Table 4* covers 'non-standard' working arrangements such as job sharing and homeworking. Full-time employees with term-time working arrangements had a higher union density than all other groups identified here. Only 7 per cent of employees who work in their own home were union members. Union density among job sharers made a small increase from 33 per cent in 1999 to 37 per cent in autumn 2000.

Table 4 Union density by job-related characteristics; Great Britain; autumn 2000

			Per cent		
	All	Full-time	Part-time		
Length of service					
Less than one year	12	13	8		
One to two years	18	20	13		
Two to five years	22	23	17		
Five to ten years	33	34	28		
Ten to 20 years	45	47	41		
20 years or more	60	62	49		
Occupational group (SOC90)					
Managers and administrators	19	20	16		
Professional	50	51	48		
Associate professional/technical	43	40	54		
Clerical and secretarial	24	27	20		
Craft and related	31	32	. *		
Personal and protective	28	37	17		
Sales	11	11	11		
Plant and machine operatives	37	39	18		
Other occupations	26	36	17		
Managerial status					
Manager	25	26	23		
Foreman or supervisor	38	38	36		
No managerial duties	29	34	2.0		
Permanent/temporary status					
Permanent	30	33	22		
Temporary	19	20	18		
Special working arrangements					
Flexitime	40	44	25		
Job sharing	37	*	. 37		
Term-time working	47	74	27		
Annualised hours contract	46	* 49	36		
4.5 day week / 9 day fortnight	44	45	*		
Zero hours contract	16	20	*		
Work mainly in own home	7	*	*		
All employees	29	32	21		
		Source	e: Labour Force Surve		

a Includes all employees except for members of the armed forces. See technical note for details on classifications.

### Workplace characteristics

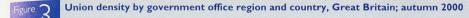
Table 5 shows that industries that were, or are, traditionally part of the public sector i.e., public administration, education, electricity, gas and water supply, had the highest union density. Overall, union density in the public sector was around three times that for the private sector.

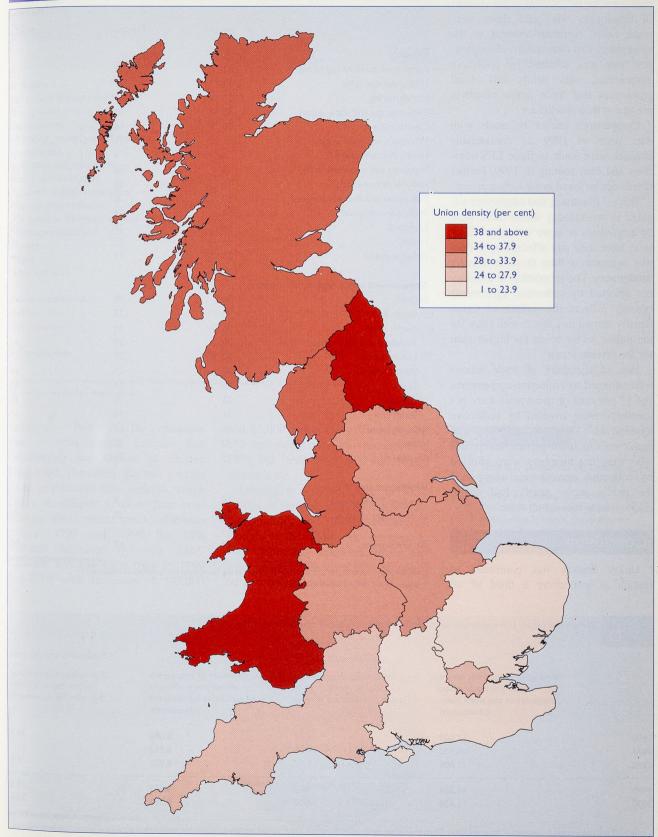
Density in large public sector workplaces was only 11 per cent higher than for small public sector workplaces. In the private sector this difference is far more pronounced, with large workplaces having union density of over twice that of workplaces with less than 25 employees.

Figure 3 illustrates how trade union membership varies across Britain. Union density was highest in Wales and the North East (40 per cent) and lowest in the East of England (22 per cent).

## Trade union presence and collective agreements

Table 6 indicates no significant increase in the number of employees





\_\_ Source: Labour Force Survey

 $<sup>^{</sup>st}$  Sample size too small for reliable estimate.

who were affected by collective agreements. There was, however, a significant increase of 250,000 in the number of employees who said there were trade union members present at the workplace. Just over a third of employees' pay was affected by collective agreements, while nearly half of all employees had trade union members present at their workplace.

Comparisons cannot be made with data prior to 1999 as considerable changes were made to these LFS questions and their routing in 1999. Further details can be found in the technical note.

Table 7 illustrates that employees situated in workplaces where there were 25 employees or more were more likely to have their pay affected by collective agreements than those in smaller workplaces. The proportion of employees affected by collective agreements broadly reflects the pattern of union density shown in Table 5 with rates for the public sector being far higher than for the private sector.

Not all members of trade unions were affected by collective agreements, yet 17 per cent of those who were not members were covered by collective agreements. Only 5 per cent of employees in small private companies who were not members were affected by collective agreements, whereas in the public sector nearly half of all employees in this subset were.

### Conclusion

Union density has continued to remain at just under a third of all Union density by workplace characteristics; Great Britain; autumn 2000

			Per cent
	All	Private	Public
Industry			
Agriculture, forestry and fishing	11	9	*
Mining and quarrying	33	32	*
Manufacturing	27	27	58
Electricity, gas and water supply	53	52	*
Construction	20	14	71
Wholesale and retail trade	11	11	*
Hotels and restaurants	5	4	40
Transport and communication	42	36	75
Financial intermediation	30	30	*
Real estate and business services	10	8	51
Public administration	59	24	61
Education	54	26	58
Health	46	17	64
Other activities	23	H	48
Government office region, or coun	try		
England	28	18	. 59
North East	40	27	70
North West	36	24	65
Yorkshire and the Humber	32	20	64
East Midlands	30	20	65
West Midlands	30	21	62
East	22	14	51
London	25	15	56
South East	23	-14	50
South West	26	17	54
Wales	40	25	69
Scotland	35	22	65
Workplace size			
Less than 25 employees	16	9	51
25 employees or more	36	25	62
All employees	29	19	60
		Source: L	abour Force Surv

a Includes all employees except for members of the armed forces. See technical note for details on classifications.

<sup>\*</sup> Sample size too small for reliable estimate

				Thousands and per cent
	Number of employees where there are trade union members at the work place (thousands)	Percentage of employees working where trade union members are present	Number of employees whose pay is affected by collective agreements (thousands)	Percentage of employees whose pay is affected by collective agreements
1996	11,009	49.5	8,096	36.4
1997	10,970	48.1	8,053	35.3
1998	11,009	47.2	8,031	34.5
1999	11,384	48.2	8,453	35.8
2000	11,638	48.7	8,582	35.9
				Source: Labour Force Survey

a Includes all employees except for members of the armed forces. Those who did not report union recognition status for their workplace, or were not contactable in the autumn quarter, have been allocated

Percentage of employees covered by collective agreements, by workplace characteristics and union membership; Great Britain; autumn 2000

				Per cen
All	Private sector		Public sector	
	Less than 25 employees	25 or more employees	Less than 25 employees	25 or more employees
15	12	*	*	*
34	*	35	*	*
31	8	36	*	83
64	*	64	*	*
24	H II		*	83
18	8	27	*	*
9	4	9	*	58
48	19	47	73	88
41	44	39	*	*
13	5	H	64	74
78	*	36		81
64	*			71
51	12			74
30	8	21	55	71
77	57	74	80	84
17	5	15	44	61
36	10	31	64	76
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imployees. Both of the measures sed in this article indicate that embership has ceased to decline ince 1998. Data from the two sources elate to different time periods, which makes it difficult to draw firm conlusions about recent trends. Between autumn 1997 and 1998 the LFS estimate decreased by only 2,000 members and has since risen in 1999 and 2000 with increases of 105,000

and 63,000 respectively. Similarly, the CO member count has increased in 1998 and 1999, by 51,000 and 46,000 respectively.

Density is still declining in some groups of interest such as the production industry and manual employees, though, on the whole, rates continue to vary depending upon employee and work characteristics and have remained fairly constant in recent years.

### Notes

Table B.I, 'Labour Market Data' section in Labour Market Trends, March 2001.

> Disney, R., Gosling, A., Machin, S. and McCrae, J., The Dynamics of Union Membership in Britain, Employment relations Research Series 3, DTI, August

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b Data for 1999 onwards are not directly comparable to earlier years due to changes in the trade union questions in the Labour Force Survey (see technical note for details)

### Technical note

### The Annual Report of the Certification Officer 2000-2001

The Annual Report of the Certification Officer is not within the scope of National Statistics.

The current lists of trade unions are available for inspection, free of charge, at the Certification Office, Brandon House, 180 Borough High Street, London, SEI ILW. Requests for further information on any aspect of the Certification Officer's duties should be made to this address or telephone 020 7210 3734. Lists for organisations having their head office in Scotland are also available for inspection at the Office of the Assistant Certification Officer for Scotland, 58 Frederick Street, Edinburgh EH2 ILN.

### National Statistics presentation of trade union membership statistics from the Certification Officer

In previous trade union membership articles in Labour Market Trends, there have been small differences in the presentation of Certification Officer (CO) data from that shown in the CO's Annual Report:

- 1 the Annual Report included returns for 'unlisted' unions, whereas Labour Market Trends articles did not;
- 1 over time, CO treatment of regional branches has varied (branch members may be summed to one 'main' union), whereas Labour Market Trends articles have continued to sum regional branches until this year; and
- 1 before 1996, Labour Market Trends (and, formerly, Employment Gazette) articles produced CO data analysis on a United Kingdom basis, while the Annual Report's coverage has always been for Great Britain.

There have also been differences in the presentation of CO data between the Annual Report, Labour Market Trends articles, and Table 7.26 published in the National Statistics publication Annual Abstract of Statistics. Table 7.26 has UK coverage, excludes unlisted unions and has never summed regional branches together. The differences between the various presentations of the CO data in the above publications are summarised in the table below.

To make these three products compatible, Labour Market Trends articles and Table 7.26 in Annual Abstract of Statistics will be presenting CO data on the same basis as the CO's Annual

Report from now on, although the Annual Abstract table will continue to have UK, rather than Great Britain, coverage. Thus, Table 1 is now identical to that contained within this year's Annual Report and the data behind Figure 1 are the same as that published in previous year's Annual Reports.

The back series for Figure 1 (1975-99) taken from previous years' Annual Report is available on request or can be downloaded at http://www2.dti.gov.uk/er/emar/trade\_tables.htm. A back series for Table 1 (1989-99) of this article is also available. The latter has been estimated by the Department of Trade and Industry for the years 1989-95, using existing files and archives of annual returns available for view at the Certification Office. The total of this table for these years varies slightly from the series behind Figure 1. Most of these differences are small, however, and below 5 per cent of the original CO figure. Data for the years 1996-98 are as for the table in the Annual Report.

Table 7.26 in Annual Abstract of Statistics will be revised in the next publication due in 2002.

### The Labour Force Survey (LFS)

The LFS is a survey of around 60,000 private households throughout Great Britain. The survey was conducted once every two years between 1973 and 1983 and once every year from 1983 until 1991, always in the spring. From 1992 onwards, the survey has been conducted on a quarterly basis in Great Britain, and since 1995 for the United Kingdom as a

### Further differences between CO and LES data

The CO data provide a long and consistent back series of the number of trade unions and the number of union members, from 1975 onwards. The LFS has a shorter back series, from 1989 onwards, but can provide extensive information on the respondents' individual and workplace characteristics, allowing more detailed analysis.

There are differences in how the two sources report membership. For example, the CO membership count includes all members of unions having their head office in Great Britain, including those members in Northern Ireland, the Irish Republic and 'elsewhere abroad'. These figures may also

	GB	UK	Listed	Unlisted	Some branches treated separately	Branches summed 'parent
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abour Market Trends Article	Y: 1996-98	Y: 1975-95	Y: 1976+	Y: 1975 only	Y: 1996-98	N: up to 199
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include union members who are unemployed or retired. The LFS asks questions on the union status of all those in employment that are not on college-based government-supported training and employment programmes or unpaid family workers, thus excluding the unemployed and the retired.

The LFS union questions have UK coverage from 1995 onwards, although data in this article are for Great Britain to enable comparisons across a ten-year period. The LFS estimates the number of individuals who are union members, rather than the individual memberships - for example, those belonging to two unions would appear twice in the CO data, but only once in the LFS data. Also, due to the specific wording of the union question, the LFS, unlike the CO data, could count members of a staff association that was not a trade union.

### Trade union questions

In the 1999 questionnaire the union questions were altered substantially from those of previous years. The exact wording and sequence of the questions as they are now and as they were previously are as shown in the table below.

- 1 The wording of the question that asks respondents whether they are a member of a trade union remains the same, only its place in the sequence has changed.
- 1 The question that asks whether any of the people at the respondent's place of work are members of a trade union or staff association is designed to measure trade union presence. The wording, routing and sequence of this question has changed. Previously, it was asked of all in employment; now it is only asked to those who say that they are not union members.
- Before 1999, the question on whether the respondent's pay and conditions were directly affected by collective agree-

ments (TUCOV) was only asked where the respondent first identified unions as being present at the workplace (TUPRES), and then whether or not it was recognised (TUREC). This meant that the number of people whose pay and conditions were affected by collective agreement was an underestimate. For this reason the routing of the question was changed in the 1999 LFS and is now asked of all in employment. Users must therefore be aware that data derived from the TUCOV variable in the 1999 and 2000 datasets are not directly comparable with those of previous years due to the change in the question's coverage.

In 1992 the trade union membership question was moved from the spring to the autumn quarter. Consequently, estimates since 1992 are not directly comparable with those for earlier years, because estimates before and after this change may reflect seasonal factors as well as longer-term trends. It is not possible to seasonally adjust the data. However, it is known that, at the aggregate level, seasonal variations in the number of people in employment - the group that is asked the membership questions – tend to be relatively modest (see Employment Gazette, April and May 1993 for a fuller discussion). There is also a minor discontinuity between 1992 and 1993 due to the inclusion in 1993 of the additional questions on trade unions that preceded the membership question.

### Non-response

Each household in the LFS is in the sample for five consecutive guarters. For the small number of households that were not contactable in the quarter (other than the first), their responses from the previous quarter are brought forward. For questions that do not appear every quarter, such as the trade union membership question, there is no previous response to

### Current union questions

All in employment:

Are you a member of a trade union or staff association?

If no:

Are any of the people at your place of work members of a trade union or staff association?

All in employment:

TUCOV

Are your pay and conditions of employment directly affected by agreements between your employer and any trade union(s) or staff association?

### Previous union questions

All in employment:

**TUPRES** 

At your place of work, are there any unions, staff associations or groups of unions?

If yes:

Is it/are any of them recognised by management for negotiating pay and conditions of employment?

If yes:

TUCOV

Are your pay and conditions of employment directly affected by agreements between your employer and any trade union(s) or staff associations?

All in employment:

Are you a member of a trade union or staff association?

### Technical note

carry forward, and a 'does not apply' response is therefore recorded. There are also cases where the respondent was interviewed in the quarter, but gave no answer (either because they did not know, or refused to answer the question). Both cases have been treated in the same way and allocated prorata according to those who did answer the question.

### Classificatory variables

Most of the classifications used to place respondents in different categories are based on a direct question relying on the person's self-assessment of their circumstances. Some are based on a combination of more than one question, and others are coded by ONS based on standard conventions. Details are provided below.

Sex, age and ethnic group are self-defined. Highest qualification is principally based on a question asking individuals to nominate what qualifications they have from a list of 40 categories. These have then been aggregated for the purposes of analysis.

With the exception of occupation, all classifications used in this section are self-defined. In particular, it should be noted that the two aspects of employment status - full-time or parttime, and permanent or temporary - are based on direct questions and do not rely on any set criteria (e.g. number of hours worked). Whether an individual is an employee or selfemployed is also self-defined. The classification for special working arrangements only includes those who work under such arrangements, and the final category of 'work mainly in own home' is taken from a separate question on homeworking.

The occupational classifications are from the 1991 Standard Occupational Classification (SOC91), and are assigned by ONS staff based on an open-ended question asking people what their job was, and what they mainly did in their job.

Defining the sector in which people work is based on two questions, first introduced in 1993. These ask, first, if they worked in a private firm or business, a limited company, or some other kind of organisation; and second, if other, what kind of non-private organisation.

Industry is based on respondents' answers to a question about what the firm or organisation for which they worked mainly made or did, and coded using the Standard Industrial Classification of economic activities 1992 (SIC92).

Region of place of work is a self-defined variable. In earlier articles trade union density was presented by standard statistical region (SSR); since 2000 it has been by government office region (GOR). The boundaries for some of the GORs are different to the previous SSRs. The GORs North West, North

East, East of England, London and the South East are not comparable to the SSR equivalents. Users should not directly compare these regions with figures published in previous articles.

### Sampling and non-sampling error

The LFS is a sample survey and, in common with all other sample surveys, estimates are subject to sampling error and non-sampling error.

Sampling errors relate to the fact that the sample chosen is only one of a very large number of samples which might have been chosen. It follows from this that one quarter's estimate of, say, trade union membership, is only one of a large number of such estimates that might have been made. It is possible to calculate standard errors and assign confidence intervals to estimates, based on standard statistical formulae, which take into account the complexity of the sample design, the estimated proportion, the number of survey respondents and the size of the population. Generally, the more aggregated the results the lower the standard error, giving the estimate a greater degree of precision. All published LFS estimates have relative standard errors of 20 per cent or less.

Non-sampling errors are very difficult to quantify and can be minimised by achieving very high response rates, and by a concentration on quality management in the conduct of the survey and coding responses. LFS response rates are currently between 75 and 80 per cent, which is good for a household survey. Research conducted by ONS comparing the LFS with the Census of Population shows that some groups are underrepresented in the LFS sample. These include people from households living in London; those renting from a housing association; those in converted or shared accommodation; and those with only one adult, aged 16-19, in the household.

It is possible that some non-sampling error arises in the series of questions on trade unions because of measurement problems. Around a third of the sample are proxy respondents, and the data show that this group are less likely to be union members than those responding on their own behalf.

On the question of coverage of collective agreements, it is known from surveys of employers that only a small proportion of public sector workplaces are not covered, and that these arrangements are generally made at head office level or across many organisations. It is therefore likely that employees who are not union members and who work in small workplaces in the public sector may be unaware that collective bargaining arrangements apply to their organisation. Consequently there may be a downward bias to this measure.

## Some labour market implications of employment egislation

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### **Ley points**

- Employment protection legislation ets out certain rights that employes can expect of their employers in erms of wage negotiations, working ime and practice, and dismissal. These can work through a range of institutional arrangements.
- Employment legislation does not, by itself, appear to explain differences in employment and unemployment across Europe. Other factors, such as economic conditions and cultural and institutional differences also have an important influence.
- There is some evidence that more protective employment legislation reduces diversity and dynamism in the labour market by protecting particular types and forms of work. Countries with less protective legislation tend to have a wider range of working practices and a more even distribution of work across the labour force
- More protective employment legislation thus appears to constrain the even distribution of work and efforts to reduce unemployment.



This article, based on analysis by the Organization for Economic Cooperation and Development, presents some possible implications of employment protection legislation on the levels, patterns and distribution of work in European labour markets.

### Introduction

STRUCTURAL REFORM has been pushed to the forefront of European Union (EU) priorities. In March 2000, the Lisbon European Council set a new strategic goal for the EU "to become the most competitive and dynamic knowledge-based economy in the world, capable of sustainable economic growth with more and better jobs and greater social cohesion".1 Within this broad objective, the Lisbon Council agreed an aim to achieve an overall EU employment rate as close as possible to 70 per cent by 2010 and, for women, an employment rate of more than 60 per cent by 2010.

More recently, the Stockholm European Council in March 2001 confirmed "the goal of full employment"2 set out at Lisbon. It supplemented the Lisbon targets with two intermediate targets of an overall employment rate of 67 per cent and a female employment rate of 57 per cent by 2005. A new target to increase the employment rate among older women and men (those aged 55 to 64) to 50 per cent by 2010 was also introduced.

Although much progress has been made in recent years, these aims remain challenging. In 2000, the overall employment rate in the EU was 63.1 per cent, with only four out of fifteen member states having employment rates above the 2010 target. The female employment rate was 53.8 per cent, and the employment rate for those aged 55 to 64 was just 37.5 per cent, both well short of their 2010 targets.

If these targets are to be achieved, a substantial improvement in the performance of labour markets in the EU is therefore needed. This is being taken forward across a number of areas, underpinned by the European Employment Strategy. Different member states have different labour market structures and institutions, however, and so the nature of improvements differs between member states. There is no single plan for a successful labour market.

One key labour market institution is that of employment legislation. This article, based on analysis by the Organization for Economic Cooperation and Development (OECD), looks at some of the labour market implications of employment legislation.

### Employment legislation

Employment legislation does not, by itself, determine labour market outcomes, although it obviously has some effects. The relationship between employment legislation and labour market performance and the ways that employment legislation influences the determination of employment and unemployment in different economies are very complex. Other factors, such as economic conditions, other labour market institutions and structures, and cultural differences, and the way they interact together can also have important impacts on labour market outcomes.

Employment protection legislation sets out certain rights that employees can expect of their employers in terms of wage negotiations, agreed working time and practices and regulation of dismissal. These can work through a range of institutional arrangements, including labour legislation, collective bargaining agreements and court interpretations of legislative and contractual provisions. Because the nature of employment legislation is different in

different countries, compiling a single index is necessarily a somewhat arbitrary exercise.

There are a number of methods of constructing an indicator of employment legislation, differing both in what provisions are included in the index and how different provisions are measured and then valued to provide a ranking. The construction of the OECD indicator reported here is described in *Box 1*. In summary, it is built up from a range of indicators covering specific provisions with each given a score depending on the degree of protection. These indicators are then combined to give an overall score of up to six, with a higher score representing a more protective system.

This OECD indicator is more comprehensive than most others,<sup>3</sup> as it includes indicators for collective dis-

missals and so, technically, goes beyond employment legislation. The way that OECD assesses how protective different provisions are – by looking at factors such as the length of notice periods and severance pay – also differs from other methods, such as basing rankings on employers' assessments of the restrictions they face. The OECD indicator used here is also more up-to-date than other indicators, covering the late 1990s.

The score for each country is shown in *Figure 1.*<sup>5</sup> This suggests a broad north-south divide within the EU in the strictness of employment protection legislation. The UK has the least protective employment legislation, closely followed by the Irish Republic Finland, Denmark and the Netherlands The most protective legislation is found in the Mediterranean countries.

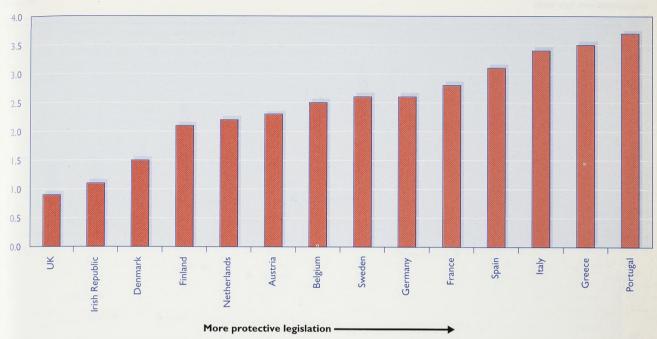
### Box 1 The construction of the OECD indicator

The OECD analysis of employment protection legislation published in 1999 largely follows the method used in the seminal work by Grubb and Wells (1993) and later expanded in *The OECD Jobs Study*. This comprises a number of indicators with scores attributed to each one, allowing an overall ranking to be constructed. Many of the same indicators are used in this analysis, referring to the protection of workers against dismissal and the regulation of temporary work. A number of new indicators on the regulation of collective dismissals have also been added. This expands the overall coverage to some 22 indicators.

There are 12 indicators relating to the strictness of dismissal regulation for regular or permanent workers. These cover procedural requirements, notice and severance pay and unfair dismissal provisions. A further six indicators refer to the regulation of fixed-term contracts and temporary agency work. They cover the restrictions on the use of such employment arrangements; the definition of such cases; the sectors where they are allowed; their use over time; the possibility for renewals; and overall duration. The final four indicators measure the strictness of collective dismissal regulation. These relate to the extent to which the requirements for employers go beyond the conditions set out for individual dismissals, say in terms of notification of employee representatives, additional delays and social compensation plans.

Because of the multi-faceted nature of employment legislation and the fact that its effects can vary depending on how it is interpreted and applied, the scoring of different indicators is necessarily arbitrary. OECD has valued its indicators in terms either of units of time, such as a period of notice or months of severance pay, or of a score on an ordinal scale devised specifically for each indicator. The scores for this set of indicators are then combined to give an overall score of the relative degree of protection provided by employment legislation in each country. It should be emphasised that the method used here by OECD is one among a number of approaches, albeit the most recent and comprehensive. The OECD analysis includes a comparison of the main indicators produced on this issue.

OECD summary indicator of employment protection legislation in the late 1990s



Source: OEC

of Portugal, Greece, Italy and Spain and also France.

### mplications for total mployment

The ability of labour markets to adjust to changes in the economic climate is important to realising full employment. Flexibility in the labour market enables labour to be efficiently allocated in response to transitions in both the level and structure of demand. Labour market flexibility can, however, be achieved in a number of different ways and within a range of different welfare and labour market frameworks.

Employment protection legislation can affect the diversity and flexibility of labour markets by setting out the framework defining the determination of wages, the hiring and firing of workers, and the patterns and hours of work permissible. If more protective employment legislation reduces diversity and flexibility, it can represent a barrier to the attainment of full employment unless other labour market institutions act to counter-balance the effects of legislation.

Figure 2 shows the relationship between OECD's employment legislation score and the working-age employment rate in the 14 EU countries covered. It suggests a negative relationship, with more protective legislation associated with lower employment rates. There is not a strong correlation, however, with the countries scattered quite widely.

This reflects the OECD analysis, which found a general relationship between employment legislation and the employment rate but also that it became statistically insignificant once other factors explaining cross-country differences – such as trade union densities, benefit systems, labour market policies and economic conditions – were taken into account. This implies that employment legislation does not, by itself, determine the overall employment rate.

## Implications for the diversity of work

The impact of employment protection legislation can also affect the types and patterns of work that people do, as

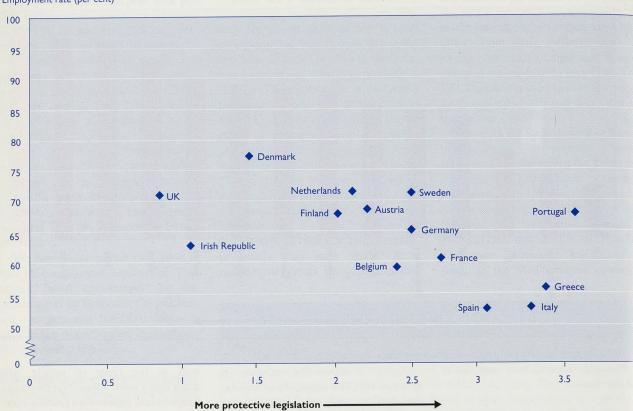
well as the types of people who can find and retain employment. Employment legislation typically comprises a standard definition of work (generally the traditional nine-to-five job) with the result that most jobs conform to this definition. Other types and patterns of work tend to be less common, and so people who prefer these non-standard forms of work are less likely to be in work.

Part-time work tends to be both more common and more popular in countries with less protective employment legislation. Figure 3 shows generally smaller proportions of those in employment in part-time work in countries with more protective legislation, such as in Spain, Italy, Greece and Portugal. There also tends to be greater dissatisfaction among part-time workers in countries with more protective legislation. Generally, higher proportions of part-time workers say that they work part-time because they could not find a full-time job.

The impact of employment protection legislation on temporary work is less clear-cut. *Figure 4* highlights two possible effects. Firstly, more protective legislation of permanent jobs can cause

### Working-age employment rates by OECD employment legislation indicator score

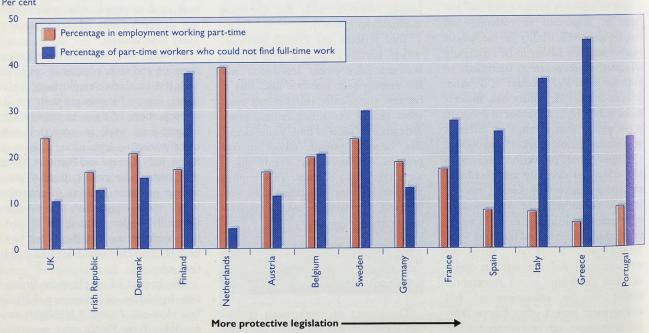
Employment rate (per cent)



Sources: OECD; Eurostat Labour Force Surveys 199

### Proportion of people in employment who work part-time ranked by OECD employment legislation indicator

Per cent



Sources: OECD; Eurostat Labour Force Surveys 1999

### Proportion of employees in temporary work ranked by OECD employment legislation indicator

Percentage of employees in temporary work Percentage of temporary employees who could not find permanent work

Sources: OECD; Eurostat Labour Force Surveys 1999

aployers to use fixed-term contracts avoid the restrictions and the associed high costs of permanent contracts. pain is a good illustration where a ard of employees are in temporary ork, of whom three-quarters said it as because they could not find a peranent job. Other countries have more estrictive legislation on fixed-term contracts and the associated high costs thus reduce the incidence of temporary ork. Belgium and Italy are good examples of this with around 8 per cent employees in fixed-term contracts. The complex interactions between legslations on temporary and permanent work, however, make the overall impact of legislation somewhat unclear.

Unlike overall employment, selfemployment tends to show a positive relationship with employment protection legislation, with self-employment more common in countries with more protective legislation. Figure 5 shows clearly, for example, that the selfemployed comprise a much larger proportion of total employment in Spain, Italy, Greece and Portugal where employment legislation is most protective. This may partly reflect workers in countries with more protective employment legislation setting up as selfemployed to avoid the costs and regulation of employee contracts. There are a large number of other factors that might also explain differences in self-employment between countries, such as different tax systems and start-up require-

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More protective legislation -

tion is associated with a narrower range of hours worked, often with peaks in employees working a certain number of hours. In 1999, for example, 56 per cent of employees in Spain, 48 per cent in Portugal and 38 per cent in Italy worked 40 hours a week. In France, 37 per cent of employees worked 39 hours a week. By contrast, just 11 per cent of employees in the UK worked 40 hours a week and this was the single most common number of hours worked.6 This reflects the greater freedom of choice of hours worked (permitted by the relatively light regulation) in the UK, compared with the set number of hours worked in other countries, often defined through legislation or common

Other types of atypical or non-standard working patterns (such as shift work, working evenings and nights, and

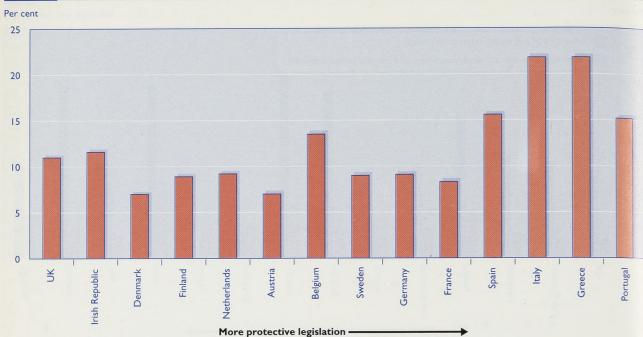
working on Saturdays and Sundays) also tend to be less common in countries with more protective employment legislation.7

### Implications for the distribution of work

The impact of employment legislation on the diversity of employment can also be seen in the range of different people in employment. As legislation tends to cover particular types of work, it follows that the people more suited to those types of work will be at an advantage in the jobs market compared to others. People with caring responsibilities, for example, may prefer part-time employment as this allows them to combine work with caring. If legislation reduces the availability of part-time jobs, however, their employment opportunities will be

Employment protection legislation often tends to favour standard full-time work. As men have traditionally filled these jobs, this implies relatively more opportunities for men in the labour market. This is reflected in Figure 6, which

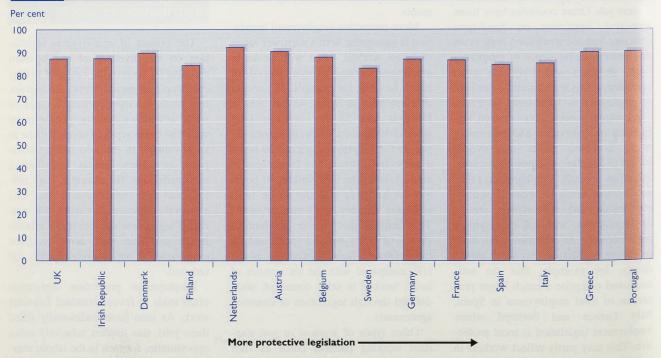
## Proportion of workers in self-employment<sup>a</sup> ranked by OECD employment legislation indicator



\_ Sources: OECD; Eurostat Labour Force Surveys 19

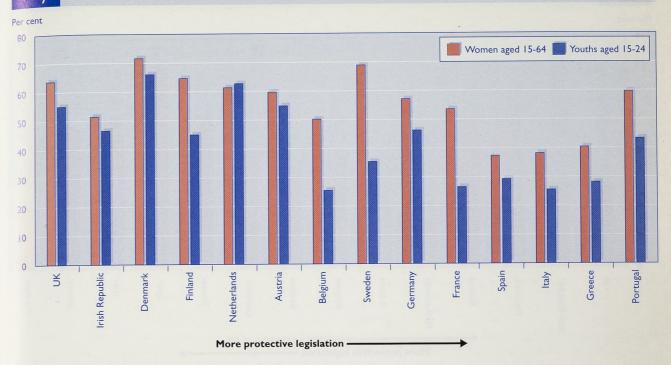
a Excludes workers self-employed in agriculture.

### Employment rates of men aged 25-49 ranked by OECD employment legislation indicator



Sources: OECD; Eurostat Labour Force Surveys 1999

### Female and youth employment rates ranked by OECD employment legislation indicator



Sources: OECD; Eurostat Labour Force Surveys 1999

hows a similar proportion of prime-age dens in work in countries with both more and less protective employment egislation. This similarity across countries implies, however, that men in countries with more protective legislation are no more likely to be in work than men in countries with less protective legislation. Employment protection egislation, therefore, does not appear to provide greater employment opportunities, even for the groups it favours.

By contrast, other groups of people, who may prefer types of work other han those typically covered by protective legislation, appear to have fewer employment opportunities and hence are less likely to be in work. Such people tend to include women, who often have to balance work with other responsibilities, and young people, who may balance work with study or may try different types of jobs to establish themselves in the labour market. Figure 7 shows that countries with more protective employment legislation tend to have much lower employment rates among both women and young people.9

# Implications for the level and concentration of unemployment

The negative relationship between employment protection legislation and employment rates is reversed with unemployment rates. Figure 8 shows generally higher unemployment rates among countries with stricter employment protection regulation. There are some exceptions, notably Portugal,10 where the unemployment rate is much lower than the employment legislation would suggest, and Finland, where unemployment is higher than it might be expected. As with the relationship with employment, however, employment protection legislation has no significant association with overall unemployment once other factors are taken into account.

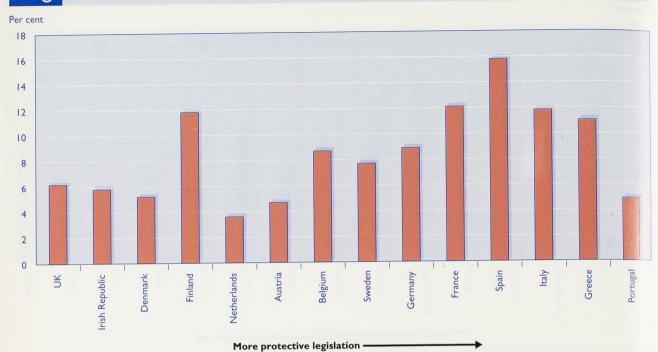
Employment protection legislation also appears to influence the persistence of unemployment. Although protection tends to imply that employees are less likely to lose their jobs and so become unemployed, this protection also means

that, once unemployed, it can be very difficult to break back into the world of work. This means that unemployment can become stagnant, with much longer durations and thus higher incidences of long-term unemployment as shown in *Figure 9*. Again, the relationship is not an exact one with, for example, the Irish Republic having the highest proportion of long-term unemployed despite having the second least protective legislation. This is partly because other factors also determine the incidence of long-term unemployment, such as the benefits system and active labour market policies.

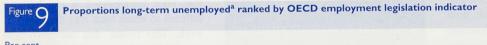
As with employment, unemployment also tends to be less evenly spread across the population in countries with more protective employment legislation. As protection generally covers standard, full-time work, people for whom this type of work is less suitable, such as women and young people, face reduced employment opportunities and thus are more likely to experience unemployment.

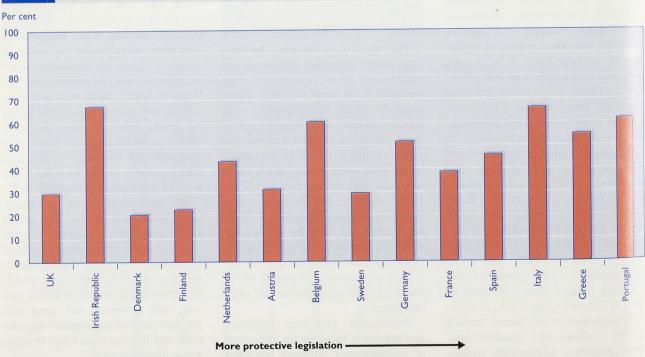
As shown in *Figure 10*, there is no strong relationship between the unemployment rate of prime-age men and

Figure | ILO unemployment rates ranked by OECD employment legislation indicator



Sources: OECD; Eurostat Labour Force Surveys 199



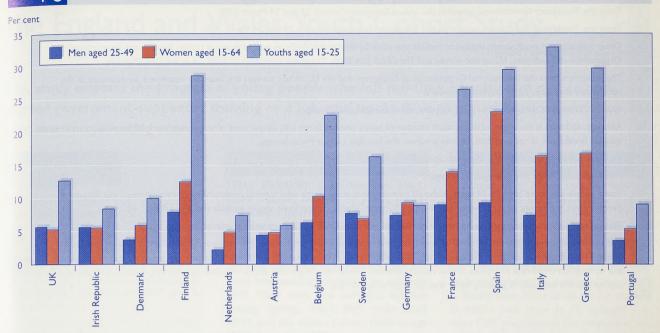


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a Unemployed for 12 months or longer as a proportion of all unemployed.

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Male, female and youth unemployment rates ranked by OECD employment legislation indicator



More protective legislation -

Sources: OECD; Eurostat Labour Force Surveys 1999

ne strictness of employment protection begislation, implying that protection besond appear to affect this group diversely, although neither does it appear to give them an advantage. On the other hand unemployment among women aged 15-64, and particularly among young people, tends to be much higher in countries with more protective employment legislation, suggesting that protection appears to increase their likelihood of being unemployed.

### The wider context

The relationships between employment protection and labour market performance set out in this article are fairly simple and cannot reflect the full complexities behind the determination of employment and unemployment in different economies. Other factors, such as economic conditions, labour market structures and institutions, and cultural differences, also affect labour market outcomes and therefore should also be taken into consideration.

OECD carried out more sophisticated analysis taking into account a number of other potential country-specific factors, such as the structure of wage bargaining (i.e. the degree of centralised or collective bargaining), the nature of unemployment systems (the incentive effects of benefits and spending on active labour market policies), the tax wedge and the output gap.11 These results provide more robust evidence of the existence and strength of relationships between employment protection and labour market outcomes. OECD found that total employment and unemployment are not significantly related to the degree of protection of employment legislation.

The OECD analyses did, however, indicate that more protective employment legislation does tend to produce a less even distribution of employment and unemployment among the population, influences the types of employment offered and tends to restrict the size of flows through the labour market.

### Conclusion

Employment legislation alone cannot explain differences in labour markets between countries. It is the interaction of factors such as culture and institutions with legislation, given the underlying economic conditions, that determines overall labour market outcomes in a particular country. However, there is some evidence that more protective employment legislation, by favouring particular types of work or workers, reduces diversity and dynamism in the labour market. This may, in turn, restrain the distribution of work across society through reduced opportunity and choice. Reforming employment protection legislation may help countries to move towards the Lisbon and Stockholm targets, but it appears more important that the range and type of legislation adopted in a particular country is appropriate and works well with the other labour market institutions and culture in that country.

# Research brief

### Notes

- From the 'Presidency Conclusions' agreed at the Lisbon European Council, 23 and 24 March 2000.
- 2 From the 'Presidency Conclusions' agreed at the Stockholm European Council, 23 and 24 March 2001.
- Other indicators of employment legislation include the work by Grubb and Wells, as well as those of Lazear, Bertola, the International Organisation of Employers, EC ad hoc survey and *The OECD Jobs Study*. These are compared in Table 2.6 in the OECD article.
- 4 The indicators from the International Organisation of Employers and the EC ad hoc surveys are based on employers' assessments of the restrictions they face, e.g. in dismissing workers.
- 5 The OECD analysis comprised all 15 EU member states except Luxembourg.
- Although 40 hours is the single most common number of hours worked in the UK, 18 per cent of employees work 50 hours or more (a more detailed breakdown is not available). Figures are from the Eurostat Labour Force Survey.
- 7 As suggested by figures from the Eurostat Labour Force Survey.
- 8 Prime-age here refers to those aged 25-49 years.
- 9 Young people are those aged 15-24 years. It should be noted that some of the international comparisons of employment rates for young people reflect the extent of participation in full-time education. Ideally, comparisons should exclude those in full-time education.
- 10 This reflects significant structural improvement in Portugal since the OECD indicators were produced.
- The tax wedge is the difference, in terms of wages, between the cost to the employer of employing someone and the amount that worker takes home. This reflects factors such as taxes and non-wage labour costs. The output gap is the difference between an economy's actual growth in output and its long-run trend rate of growth. It thus reflects whether an economy is growing above or below its potential. A positive output gap, for exampling that the economy is growing faster than its long-run trend rate.

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# Work-based training for young people: data from the England and Wales Youth Cohort Study

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This study assesses the progress of young people who left full-time education at age 16 and sarted government-supported training or a job, and tracks their pay, qualifications and drop-out rate over the following year.

### Key points

Some industries and occupations ade much greater use of government-upported training (GST) than others. or Advanced Modern Apprenticeships AMAs), starts at age 16/17 were particlarly concentrated in craft occupations.

In GST, study for vocational qualificaions was the norm; in non-GST jobs it as unusual.

There were indications of inequalities access to training by sex and ethnicity.

AMA trainees had on average better GCSE results than young people in other GST programmes or in jobs.

At the time of the study, off-the job raining was more common in AMAs han in other GST programmes. In jobs outside GST, training provision was par-

Hourly pay was less in GST than in obs, but higher in AMAs than in other GST.

Young people in GST were much more kely than those in non-GST jobs to say hat they had got the place they wanted.

Most young people who got off-theb training described it as "good" or excellent".

Satisfaction with training depended more on the nature of the training than on the trainee's personal characteristics. It was particularly increased by studying for level 3 qualifications and getting block release.

Three in ten AMA trainees had left GST by age 17/18. In other GST programmes the drop-out rate was nearly twice as high.

The quality of the training provided was an important factor in deciding whether to stay or to leave GST.

 Drop-outs were more likely than those who stayed in GST to have poor GCSE results, to have played truant at school and to have been excluded from school.

### Introduction

THIS REPORT describes the work-based training received by young people – around a quarter of their age group – who leave school at 16. It is based on Cohort 9 of the England and Wales Youth Cohort Study (YCS), a nationally representative sample of young people who finished compulsory education in summer 1997. They were first surveyed the following spring, when they were aged 16/17, and the report follows them to age 17/18, in spring 1999.

At the time of the study, Advanced Modern Apprenticeships (AMAs) were fairly well established but Foundation Modern Apprenticeships (FMAs) had only recently been launched. Most young people in government-supported training (GST) who did not hold AMAs were in programmes that are now being phased out (known as 'other GST'), and the subsequent growth of FMAs may have changed the picture of workbased training presented here in some respects. Note also that this report only covers 16 to 18-year-olds, whereas GST, and especially AMA, takes in young people up to age 24. The report says nothing about the experiences of older trainees, and this should be borne in mind when considering those industries and occupations that have a disproportionate share of older GST

### Trainee characteristics

Over three-fifths of AMAs were in craft occupations. Trainees in other GST programmes had a wider range of occupations, though few held low-skilled manual jobs. The sex balance of trainees reflected this occupational distribution: around three in four AMAs were male, while in other GST programmes numbers were more even. Ethnic minority young people were heavily under-represented in AMAs but over-represented in other GST. AMA trainees on average had better GCSE results than young people in other GST programmes or in non-GST jobs.

### Receipt of training

Almost all in AMAs said that they had received some training, with nine out of ten getting training off the job. In other GST programmes more than a quarter said they had received no training at all, either on-the-job or off-the-job. In full-time non-GST jobs, half had received no training, and over two-thirds had received no training off the job.

Nearly three-fifths of off-the-job training in AMAs took place in FE colleges – in other GST programmes the proportion was around a third. Block release was used more in AMAs than in other GST, but day release was quite common for both. In non-GST jobs, the employer's premises or training centre was the most common venue for off-the-job training, and day or block release was less usual.

Overall, young men were more likely than young women to get off-the-job training, but this difference disappeared after allowing (by statistical modelling) for the different proportions in AMAs and other GST and for other relevant factors such as GCSE results and home background. However, White people still got more offthe-job training than members of ethnic minorities. There were also substantial variations between occupations and industries. with below-average levels of off-the-job training in sales occupations and hotels and restaurants, and above-average levels in vehicle repairs. A parallel analysis showed that young women were less likely to get on-the-job training than young men, even after allowing for other factors. These results should be interpreted with care: for example, further investigation would be needed to judge whether any discrimination on grounds of ethnicity or gender is taking

### Satisfaction

Nearly three in four AMA trainees said that they had got a place in education, work or training that they wanted, compared with around three in five in other GST programmes, and one in three in full-time non-GST jobs.

A third of young people who had received off-the-job training in the previous four weeks described it as excellent, and another half said that it was good. Satisfaction was a little greater in AMAs than in other GST programmes. Statistical modelling showed that satisfaction depended more on the nature of the training received than on the trainee's personal characteristics. It was particularly increased by studying for level 3 qualifications and getting block release.

### Drop-out from GST

Over half of young people who were in AMAs in the spring after the end of compulsory education were still in AMAs one year later. Of those who had left AMA, the biggest single group had taken full-time jobs, though some had entered other GST programmes and a few had no full-time activity.

Just over a quarter of young people in other GST programmes were still in these programmes one year later. Of the rest, the biggest single group had taken full-time jobs, though some had transferred to AMA and a significant minority had no full-time activity.

In both AMAs and other GST programmes, young women were more likely to leave than young men. Poor GCSE results, playing truant at school and exclusion from school also raised the probability of leaving. Young people who had no fulltime activity after leaving were particularly likely to have these characteristics.

Young people who stayed in GST were more likely (at age 16/17) than leavers to recall being given a training plan, to have received off-the-job and on-the-job training, to be aiming for level 3 qualifications, and to say that they had got a place in education, work or training that they wanted.

### Pay

Hourly pay in GST was well below pay in full-time non-GST jobs, though it was higher in AMAs than in other GST programmes. In GST and in jobs, receipt of offthe-job or on-the-job training was associated with lower pay. The same general pattern was found for those in GST or jobs at age 17/18. However, young people in AMAs and other GST programmes at age 16/17 were more likely to increase their pay over the following year than those in non-GST jobs at 16/17. They tended to make bigger pay gains by moving out of GST and into full-time jobs than by staying in GST. Even so, those who stayed in GST still increased their pay by a greater amount on average than young people who stayed in full-time jobs, and there was no evidence that lower pay within GST encouraged young people

### Entrants to GST at age 17/18

Of young people who were in AMAs at age 17/18, 42 per cent had been in AMAs a year earlier, while 18 per cent came from other GST programmes. A further 26 per cent had been in full-time education the previous year, mostly taking vocational courses. Of young people in other GST programmes at age 17/18, 36 per cent had also been in other GST the year before, with another 33 per cent coming from full-time education, where they had usually been taking vocational courses. Overall, more young people entered AMAs than left AMAs between age 16/17 and 17/18. With other GST programmes, however, more young people left than joined.

### Study for qualifications

Study for qualifications - almost always vocational - was the norm for 16 to 17-yearolds in GST. AMA trainees were more likely to be aiming for level 3 than trainees in other GST programmes, though at this early stage some were still aiming for level 2 or even level 1. One year later (when most were only part-way through their programme), 45 per cent had gained a qualification, most commonly at level 2. The proportion of trainees in other GST programmes who had gained a qualification was also 45 per cent. There was little difference between stayers and leavers from GST, or between leavers to different destinations, though stayers were much more likely than leavers to be still studying for qualifications at age 17/18. By this age there was some upshifting in qualification aims, with more aiming for level 3.

In non-GST jobs study for qualifications was unusual, and very few were studying for vocational qualifications above level 2. Some 16 per cent had gained a qualification by age 17/18.

### Conclusion

This analysis of YCS data compares the training received by 16/17 year olds in AMAs, other GST (before FMA was established), and jobs outside of GST. It offers support for the view that GST has developed from an option of last resort for young people who could not get jobs elsewhere, to provider of good training leading to voca tional qualifications. At the dates to which this study relates (1997-99), work-bases training was liked by most young people who took this route. Nevertheless, a number issues remain to be tackled. Training provi sion in jobs outside the GST framework partial at best. By the spring following th end of compulsory education, half of your people in full-time non-GST jobs ha received no training at all, and over two thirds had received no training off the job. the time of the study, standards of training other GST did not match standards in AM in terms of amount, type and location. To progress of FMAs in remedying this situation must be monitored. There were indications inequalities in access to high quality training by sex and ethnicity, and training provides must be alert to the possibility of discrimination tion. There are high drop-out rates from G The quality of the training provided is a important predictor of the decision to stay n GST or to leave, and young people's satisfietion with the training they receive depends more on the nature of the training than n their personal characteristics. Thus, continuous ued improvements in training quality ma help to reduce drop-out. Coping with dis fected young people who have a history of non-compliance with authority remains a serious challenge for GST.

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### **Labour Force Survey**

Much of the labour market data published are measured by the LFS. The concepts and definitions used in the LFS are agreed by the International Labour Organization (ILO), an agency of the United Nations. The definitions are used by European Union member countries and members of the Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development

The LFS is the largest regular household survey in the United Kingdom. In any three month period, a nationally representative sample of approximately 120,000 people aged 16 or over in around 61,000 households are interviewed. The survey also covers students in halls of residence (who are sampled in their parental residences) and people living in NHS accommodation. Each household is interviewed five times, once every three months. The initial interview is generally done face-to-face by an interviewer visiting the address. Further interviews are done by telephone wherever possible. The survey asks a series of questions about respondents' personal circumstances and their labour market activity, with most questions referring to activity in the week before the interview. The first and fifth interviews also ask about earnings. Interviews are carried out continuously throughout the year and key results are published every month for the latest available three month period. Other data are available once a quarter or once or twice a year.

The LFS was carried out every two years from 1973 to 1983. The ILO definition was first used in 1984. This was also the first year in which the survey was conducted on an annual basis with results available for every spring quarter (March to May). The survey moved to a continuous basis in spring 1992 in Great Britain and in winter 1994/5 in Northern Ireland with results published four times a year. Since April 1998, results are published 12 times a year for an average of each threemonth period. LFS data are published around six weeks after the period to which they refer.

The LFS three-monthly results can be compared in various ways over time, shown by the chart below. The shaded areas show the periods for which LFS results are available. Comparisons over time should be made with the periods shaded in the same patterns, e.g. January to March 2000 should be compared with January to March 1999 or October to December 1999. Comparing estimates for overlapping three-month periods can produce more volatile results which can be difficult to interpret. In order to make three-month on three-month comparisons, it is important to use seasonally adjusted data. The LES household datasets are designed specifically to be used for analysis at the household and family level. A technical report in Labour Market Trends of August 1998 describes why and how they have been produced.

### **Employer surveys**

ONS conducts a range of employer surveys, collecting information on their turnover and profits, and also the number of filled jobs.

The Annual Business Inquiry (ABI) is conducted in December to measure the number of employee jobs. The survey samples around 78,000 reporting units of workplaces situated in the United Kingdom. As well as measuring employee jobs, the ABI also collects financial information from the same set of units. Therefore, figures derived from both parts of the survey (e.g. turnover per head) are consistent

Short-Term Turnover Employer Surveys are smaller surveys which are conducted every three months. The surveys are used to provide estimates of quarterly changes in the number of jobs between the annual survevs. For production industries surveys are conducted monthly, allowing estimates to be produced for each month. Around 9,000 production enterprises are sam-

Both the ABI and the Short-term Turnover Employer Surveys take a sample of businesses from the Inter-Departmental Business Register (IDBR). The IDBR holds details of all businesses that run a PAYE tax system or register for VAT.

The Monthly Wages and Salary Survey covers a sample of firms in Great Britain. The survey obtains details of the gross wages and salaries paid to employees, in respect of the last pay week for the weekly paid, and for the calendar month for the monthly paid. The sample covers the wage bill for some 9 million employees. It is used to calculate the Average Earnings Index.

### Administrative records

Labour market data on the number of people claiming unemployment-related benefits and Jobcentre vacancies are derived from administrative records.

Claimant count data are provided by the Benefits Agency. Jobseeker's Allowance (JSA) replaced both Unemployment Benefit and unemployment-related Income Support on 7 October 1996. Up to 6 October the claimant count figures included those who claimed Unemployment Benefit, Income Support or National Insurance credits. A seasonally adjusted consistent claimant count series is available from 1971. The claimant count records the number of people claiming unemployment-related benefits on one particular day each month. Claimant count figures are announced five weeks after the date to which they refer.

Data on vacancies are produced by the Employment Service (ES) as a by-product of its Labour Market System (LMS). LMS is the computer system that manages the currency of vacancies on display, controls their circulation around Jobcentres, and identifies those for liaison action with employers. A consistent vacancies series is available from 1985.

### USING DATA SOURCES

Because the different sources of labour market data have different strengths and limitations, it follows that they are best used for different purposes. This section identifies the source of data that ONS recommend using for different types of analysis of three aspects the labour market: employment, unemployment, and earnings.

### **Employment**

The LFS provides a more complete measure of emploment than the workforce jobs series, but the workfor jobs series probably provides a more accurate industrial al breakdown than the LFS.

To gain an idea of the extent of work being pe formed in the UK, the LFS is preferred. The LFS is all the only source of detailed information about the cl acteristics (occupations, homeworking, work patter and so on) of people's work - except for the industry which people work, where the workforce jobs series likely to be more accurate, and consistent with of er national economic series.

### Unemployment

The LFS provides a more complete measure of une ployment (under the ILO definition) than the claiment count (which measures benefit receipt), especially for women, and is better-suited to international comparisons The claimant count is more useful as a way of assesting unemployment in small areas (below the level of region it is also useful as a timely indicator of up-to-date changes in unemployment.

### Earnings

For monthly estimates of changes, the Average Earnings Index is most suitable. For annual changes, the New Earnings Survey should be used. estimates of levels (amounts workers earn each weeper each hour), the sources are the NES and LFS. The NES is preferred as a source of the earnings of full-time employees, and of the hourly earnings of all employees. The is preferred as a source about the earnings of part-time employees. LFS earnings estimates are published in the LFS Quarterly Supplement.



### **Definitions**

### **EMPLOYMENT**

### Employment

are two ways of looking at employment: the mber of people in employment or the number of jobs. se two concepts represent different things, as one rson can have more than one job (see 'Comparison of rces of employment data', Labour Market Trends, ember 1997, pp511-16 for more details of erences between the two sources). People aged 16 over are classed as employed by the Labour Force vev (LFS), if they have done at least one hour of in the reference week or are temporarily away a job (e.g. on holiday). People classify themselves one of four categories in the LFS (according to their ioh if they have more than one): employees, selfoved, unpaid family worker (doing unpaid work for nily-run business) or participating in a governmentnorted training programme.

### rkforce jobs

number of jobs is mainly collected through postal lover surveys (see notes on sources). This gives the ber of employee jobs (formerly known as lovees in employment). The total number of kforce jobs (formerly known as workforce in lovment) is calculated by summing employee jobs, employment jobs from the LFS, those in HM Forces government-supported trainees. As the main part the estimate is the employee jobs total, this sification represents the employers' perception of many jobs there are. It excludes homeworkers and te domestic servants

### f-employed people (LFS)

se who, in their main job, work on their own ount, whether or not they have employees.

### f-employment jobs

of the total workforce jobs. Includes self-employed ble in their main job and people who are employees in main job who are self-employed in their second job

### vernment-supported trainees

e on government-supported training programmes are ided in the employee jobs estimate if they have a ract of employment. If, however, they do not have a ract of employment they are included in the workforce estimate as government-supported trainees.

loyment rates can be presented for any population as the proportion of that group who are in yment. The main presentation of employment is the proportion of the population of working age -59 for females and 16-64 for males) who are in dovment

### UNEMPLOYMENT

### LO unemployment

le International Labour Organisation (ILO) definition of employment covers people who are: out of work, vant a job, have actively sought work in the previous our weeks and are available to start work within the next fortnight; or out of work and have accepted a job that they are waiting to start in the next fortnight.

### Count of claimants of unemploymentrelated benefits (claimant count)

The claimant count records the number of people claiming unemployment-related benefits. These are currently the Jobseeker's Allowance (JSA) and National nsurance credits, claimed at Employment Service local offices. People claiming JSA must declare that they are out of work, capable of, available for and actively seeking work during the week in which the claim is made. They enter into a Jobseeker's Agreement setting out the action they will take to find work and to improve their prospects of finding employment.

The terms used in the tables are defined more fully in the periodic articles in Labour Market Trends that relate to particular statistical series

### ILO unemployment rate

The percentage of economically active people who are unemployed on the ILO measure. Can be calculated for any population group.

### Claimant count rate

The number of claimants resident in an area expressed as a percentage of the sum of claimants and workforce iobs in the area

### **ECONOMIC ACTIVITY**

### **Economically active**

The economically active population are those who are either in employment or ILO unemployed.

### **Economic activity rate**

The number of people who are in employment or unemployed as a percentage of the total population aged 16 and over. Can be calculated for any population group.

### **ECONOMIC INACTIVITY**

### Economically inactive

Economically inactive people are out of work, but do not satisfy all the criteria for ILO unemployment, such as those in retirement and those who are not actively seeking work.

### **Economic inactivity rate**

The number of economically inactive people as a percentage of the total population aged 16 and over. Can be calculated for any population group.

### **EARNINGS**

### Earnings

A measure of gross remuneration people receive in return for work done. It includes salaries and bonuses but does not include non-monetary perks such as benefits in kind. This differs from income, which is the amount of money received from all sources. Income includes interest from building society and bank accounts, dividends from

### CONVENTIONS

The following standard symbols are used:

- not available
- nil or negligible (less than half the final digit shown)
- provisional
- break in series
- revised
- series revised from indicated entry onwards
- nec not elsewhere classified
- UK Standard Industrial Classification
- **EU** European Union

Where figures have been rounded to the final digit, there may be an apparent slight discrepancy between the sum of the constituent items and the total as shown. Although figures may be given in unrounded form to facilitate the calculation of percentage changes, rates of change etc by users. this does not imply that the figures can be estimated to this degree of precision, and it must be recognised that they may be the subject of sampling and other errors.

shares, benefit receipts, trust funds, etc. It should be noted that the Average Earnings Index excludes bonuses at the more detailed industry levels shown in Table E.2. in order to reduce volatility in the Index.

### **Average Earnings Index**

Average earnings are obtained by dividing the total paid by the total number of employees paid, including those on strike. The headline rate is the change in the average seasonally-adjusted index values for the last three months compared with the same period a year ago, and replaces the underlying rate of change.

### **HOURS WORKED** (New Earnings Survey)

### Normal weekly hours

The time which an employee is expected to work in a normal week excluding all overtime and main meal breaks.

### Weekly hours worked

The actual hours worked during the reference week and hours not worked but paid for under guarantee agreements

### **HOURS WORKED** (Labour Force Survey)

Respondents to the LFS are asked a series of questions enabling the identification of both their usual hours and their actual hours during the reference week, excluding meal breaks, but including paid and unpaid overtime.

### **OTHER DEFINITIONS**

### General index of retail prices

The Retail Prices Index measures the change in the prices of goods and services bought for the purpose of consumption by the vast majority of households in the UK. The general index includes virtually all types of household spending as detailed in Table H.12.

### Labour disputes

Statistics cover disputes (strikes) connected with terms and conditions of employment. Workers involved and working days lost relate to persons both directly and indirectly involved at the establishments where the disputes occurred.

### **Productivity**

The number of units of output (measured by the Index of Production for the manufacturing sector and by Gross Domestic Product for the whole economy) produced by each filled job.

### Standard Industrial Classification (SIC)

The classification system used to provide a consistent industrial breakdown for UK official statistics. It was revised in 1968, 1980 and 1992. The SIC 1992 classification splits businesses into 17 sections, A-Q. The breakdown includes the following categories: production industries - SIC 1992 Section E including manufacturing (Section D): service industries - SIC 1992 Sections G-Q.

### Standard Occupational Classification (SOC)

The classification system used to provide a consistent occupational breakdown for UK official statistics. This system was introduced in 1991. The revised classification (SOC2000) replaced SOC90 in the LFS from spring 2001

### Unit wage costs

A measure of the cost of wages and salaries in producing a unit of output.

### Jobcentre vacancies

A job opportunity notified by an employer to a Jobcentre or careers office (including 'self-employed' opportunities created by employers) which remained unfilled on the day of the count.

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	M	Sep 2001	B.2	qualifications of leavers	Q	Aug 2001	F.5
Employment by age				Work-based training for young people:			
Employment by occupation	Q	Aug 2001	B.3	destination of leavers	Q	Aug 2001	F.6
Workforce jobs	M (Q)	Sep 2001	B.11	Other training: outcomes for completers	Q	Aug 2001	F.7
Employee jobs by industry	М	Sep 2001	B.12	New Deal 18-24 summary figures	M	Sep 2001	F.11
Employee jobs: production industries: UK	M	Sep 2001	B.13				
Employee jobs: division, class or group: UK	Q	Jul 2001	B.14	Numbers participating in New Deal 18-24	M	Sep 2001	F.12
Employee jobs: division, class or group: GB	Q	Jul 2001	B.15	Numbers leaving Gateway of New Deal 18-24	M	Sep 2001	F.13
Employee jobs by region and industry	Q	Aug 2001	B.16	Immediate destinations on leaving New Deal	М	Sep 2001	F.14
Employment in tourism-related industries	Q	Aug 2001	B.17	Number of 18 to 24-year-olds into employment			
Workforce jobs by industry	M (Q)	Sep 2001	B.18	from New Deal	M	Sep 2001	F.15
		200		New Deal 25+ summary figures	M	Sep 2001	F.16
Actual weekly hours of work	M	Sep 2001	B.21	Numbers participating in New Deal 25+	M	Sep 2001	F.17
Usual weekly hours of work	М	Sep 2001	B.22	Numbers leaving Advisory Interview Process of			
Indices of output, productivity jobs, output per				New Deal 25+	М	Sep 2001	F.18
filled job and output per hour worked	M (Q)	Sep 2001	B.32	Number of people into employment from New		0000	
Total workforce hours worked per week	Q	Jul 2001	B.33	Deal 25+	М	Sep 2001	F.19
Jos-related training	Q	Aug 2001	B.41	Deal 25+	101	3ep 2001	1.15
Selected countries: national definitions	Q	Aug 2001	B.51	OTHER LABOUR MARKET STATISTICS			
				OTHER LABOUR MARKET STATISTICS		0 0004	0.1
UNEMPLOYMENT				Vacancies at Jobcentres: UK summary	М	Sep 2001	G.1
ILO unemployment by age and duration	М	Sep 2001	C.1	Vacancies at Jobcentres by region	М	Sep 2001	G.2
	M	Sep 2001	C.2	Vacancies at Jobcentres and careers offices			
ILO unemployment rates by age				by region	М	Sep 2001	G.3
ILO unemployment rates by previous occupation		Aug 2001	C.4	Labour disputes: summary	М	Sep 2001	G.11
Claimant count by region	М	Sep 2001	C.11	Labour disputes: stoppages in progress: industry	M	Sep 2001	G.12
Claimant count by age and duration	M	Sep 2001	C.12	Labour disputes: annual report	Α	Jun 2001	301
Claimant count by age and duration: regions	M	Sep 2001	C.13	International labour disputes	Α	Apr 2001	195
Claimant count by sought and usual occupation	M*	Dec 2000	C.14	Trade union membership	Α	Sep 2000	433
Claimant count: Travel-to-Work Areas	M	Sep 2001	C.21	Labour market and educational status of young			
Claimant count: counties/local authorities	M	Sep 2001	C.22	people	М	Sep 2001	G.21
Claimant count: Parliamentary constituencies	М	Sep 2001	C.23	Economic activity of young people	Q	Aug 2001	393
Claimant count: NUTS2 and NUTS3 areas	M	Sep 2001	C.24	Disabled people and the labour market	Q		430
Claimant count flows	M	Sep 2001	C.31		Q	Sep 2001	430
Claimant count: number of previous claims				Jobseekers with disabilities placed into		0 0001	0.00
	Q	Aug 2001	C.32	employment	M	Sep 2001	G.22
Interval between claims	Q*	Sep 2001	C.33	Ethnic groups: labour market status	Q	Sep 2001	429
Destination of leavers from claimant count	М	Sep 2001	C.34	Ethnic groups in the labour market: annual			
Average duration of claims by age	Q	Jul 2001	C.35	report	Α	Jan 2001	29
Redundancies in UK	Q	Aug 2001	C.41	Women in the labour market	Q	Aug 2001	394
Redundancies by region	Q	Aug 2001	C.42	Women in the labour market: annual report	Α	Feb 2001	93
Redundancies by industry	Q	Aug 2001	C.43	Job-related training	Q	Sep 2001	428
Redundancies	Α	Jun 2001	315	Regional Selective Assistance by region -	Q	Jul 2001	G.31
International comparisons	M	Sep 2001	C.51	Regional Selective Assistance by company	Q	Jul 2001	G.32
				Sickness absence	Q	Aug 2001	395
ECONOMIC ACTIVITY AND INACTIVITY				Seasonal adjustment review	Ā	May 2001	269
Economic activity by age	14	0 0001	D.1			May 2001	200
	М	Sep 2001	D.1	RETAIL PRICES AND ECONOMIC INDICATORS			
Economic inactivity	М	Sep 2001	D.2	Background economic indicators		0 0004	11.4
Economic inactivity by age	М	Sep 2001	D.3		М	Sep 2001	H.1
FARMURA AND AND AND AND AND AND AND AND AND AN				Retail prices: summary	M	Sep 2001	H.11
EARNINGS AND UNIT WAGE COSTS				Retail prices: detailed indices	М	Sep 2001	H.12
Average Earnings Index: main industrial sectors	М	Sep 2001	E.1	Retail prices: selected items	М	Sep 2001	H.13
Average Earnings Index: by industry	М	Sep 2001	E.2	Retail prices: general index	М	Sep 2001	H.14
Average earnings: effects of bonus payments	M	Sep 2001	E.4	Retail prices: changes on a year earlier	М	Sep 2001	H.15
New Earnings Survey: quarterly projections				EU countries: Harmonised Indices of Consumer			
New Earnings Survey: quarterly projections	Q	Sep 2001	E.11	Prices	М	Sep 2001	H.21
Average corpings	A	Mar 2001	145				
Average earnings and hours: manual employees	Q (A)	Sep 2001	E.12	E			
Average earnings and hours: non-manual				Frequency of publication, with frequency of comp	llation sho	wn in bracke	ts if
employees	Q (A)	Sep 2001	E.13	different: A-Annual Q-Quarterly M-Monthly			
Average earnings and hours: all employees	Q (A)	Sep 2001	E.14	Discontinued tables may be found in the list oppo	site. Pleas	e refer to Apr	il 1998
Unit wage costs	М	Sep 2001	E.21	Labour Market Trends, pS79, for tables not listed l		to / .pi	
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## LABOUR MARKET SUMMARY Labour Force Survey summary: all, seasonally adjusted

UNITED KINGDOM SEASONALLY ADJUSTED	All	Total economically active	Total in employment <sup>a</sup>	ILO unemployed	Economically inactive	Economic activity rate (%)	Employment rate (%)	unemployment rate (%)	Economic inactivity rate (%)
All people aged 16 and over	MGSL	MGSF	MGRZ	MGSC	5 MGSI	MGWG	MGSR	MGSX	9 YBTC
Spring quarters (Mar-May) 1989 1990 1991 1992 1993 1994 1995 1996 1997 1998 1998	44,978 45,107 45,226 45,310 45,400 45,488 45,641 45,835 46,036 46,253 46,431 46,581	28,897 29,038 28,935 28,699 28,565 28,578 28,618 28,806 29,004 29,049 29,356 29,574	26,791 27,033 26,490 25,868 25,568 25,780 26,100 26,412 26,916 27,227 27,560 27,913	2,106 2,005 2,445 2,831 2,997 2,798 2,518 2,394 2,087 1,822 1,795	16,081 16,070 16,291 16,611 16,836 16,909 17,023 17,030 17,032 17,032 17,075 17,007	64.2 64.4 64.0 63.3 62.9 62.8 63.0 62.8 63.5	59.6 59.9 58.6 57.1 56.3 56.7 57.2 57.6 58.5 58.9 59.4	7.3 6.9 8.4 9.9 10.5 9.8 8.8 8.3 7.2 6.3 6.1 5.6	35.8 35.6 36.0 36.7 37.1 37.2 37.2 37.2 37.0 36.8 36.5
2001 3 month averages Apr-Jun 1999	46,832 46,444	29,634 <b>29,366</b>	28,180 <b>27,592</b>	1,453	17,198 17,078	63.3 63.2	60.2 <b>59.4</b>	4.9 6.0	36.7 36.8
May-Jul Jun-Aug (Sum)	46,458 46,471	29,359 29,394	27,601 27,643	1,758 1,751	17,098 17,077	63.2 63.3	59.4 59.5	6.0	36.8 36.7
Jul-Sep Aug-Oct Sep-Nov (Aut)	46,483 46,496 46,508	29,434 29,414 29,480	27,689 27,682 27,743	1,745 1,731 1,737	17,050 17,082 17,028	63.3 63.3 63.4	59.6 59.5 59.7	5.9 5.9 5.9	36.7 36.7 36.6
Oct-Dec Nov 99-Jan 2000 Dec 99-Feb 2000 (Win)	46,520 46,532 46,544	29,518 29,500 29,493	27,790 27,756 27,784	1,728 1,744 1,709	17,002 17,032 17,051	63.5 63.4 63.4	59.7 59.6 59.7	5.9 5.9 5.8	36.5 36.6 36.6
Jan-Mar 2000 Feb-Apr Mar-May (Spr)	46,556 46,568 46,581	29,535 29,556 29,574	27,833 27,881 27,913	1,702 1,676 1,661	17,022 17,012 17,007	63.4 63.5 63.5	59.8 59.9 59.9	5.8 5.7 5.6	36.6 36.5 36.5
Apr-Jun May-Jul Jun-Aug (Sum)	<b>46,593</b> 46,605 46,617	<b>29,543</b> 29,542 29,549	<b>27,926</b> 27,964 27,980	<b>1,618</b> 1,578 1,569	<b>17,050</b> 17,063 17,068	<b>63.4</b> 63.4 63.4	<b>59.9</b> 60.0 60.0	<b>5.5</b> 5.3 5.3	<b>36.6</b> 36.6 36.6
Jul-Sep Aug-Oct Sep-Nov (Aut)	46,665 46,686 46,707	29,579 29,590 29,552	27,992 27,977 27,975	1,587 1,613 1,577	17,086 17,096 17,155	63.4 63.4 63.3	60.0 59.9 59.9	5.4 5.4 5.3	36.6 36.6 36.7
Oct-Dec Nov 2000-Jan 2001 Dec 2000-Feb 2001 (Win)	46,727 46,748 46,769	29,562 29,617 29,623	28,001 28,075 28,088	1,561 1,543 1,535	17,165 17,131 17,146	63.3 63.4 63.3	59.9 60.1 60.1	5.3 5.2 5.2	36.7 36.6 36.7
Jan-Mar 2001 Feb-Apr Mar-May (Spr)	<b>46,790</b> 46,811 46,832	<b>29,598</b> 29,619 29,634	28,101 28,142 28,180	1,497 1,478 1,453	<b>17,192</b> 17,191 17,198	<b>63.3</b> 63.3 63.3	<b>60.1</b> 60.1 60.2	<b>5.1</b> 5.0 4.9	<b>36.7</b> 36.7 36.7
Apr-Jun	46,853	29,659	28,175	1,484	17,194	63.3	60.1	5.0	36.7
Changes Over last 3 months Per cent	<b>63</b> 0.1	<b>61</b> 0.2	75 0.3	-14 -0.9	<b>2</b> 0.0	0.0	0.1	-0.1	0.0
Over last 12 months Per cent	<b>260</b> 0.6	116 0.4	<b>250</b> 0.9	-134 -8.3	144 0.8	-0.1	0.2	-0.5	0.1
All people aged 16-59(W)/64(M Spring quarters	) YBTF	YBSK	YBSE	YBSH	YBSN	MGSO	MGSU	YВТІ	YBTL
(Mar-May) 1989 1990 1991 1992 1993 1994 1995 1996 1997 1998 1999 2000 2001	34,908 35,018 35,103 35,174 35,242 35,337 35,483 35,663 35,844 36,026 36,177 36,312 36,554	28,061 28,216 28,118 27,855 27,762 27,773 27,807 28,018 28,182 28,258 28,525 28,736 28,812	26,007 26,246 25,713 25,056 24,799 25,002 25,308 25,645 26,118 26,457 26,750 27,092 27,374	2,054 1,970 2,404 2,799 2,963 2,771 2,499 2,373 2,063 1,802 1,775 1,644 1,438	6,847 6,802 6,986 7,318 7,481 7,564 7,676 7,663 7,768 7,652 7,577 7,743	80.4 80.6 80.1 79.2 78.8 78.6 78.6 78.6 78.4 78.8 79.1	74.5 75.0 73.3 71.2 70.4 71.3 71.9 72.9 73.4 73.9 74.9	7.3 7.0 8.6 10.0 10.7 10.0 9.0 8.5 7.3 6.4 6.2 5.7 5.0	19.6 19.4 19.9 20.8 21.2 21.4 21.6 21.4 21.6 21.2 20.9 21.2
3-month averages Apr-Jun 1999 May-Jul Jun-Aug (Sum)	<b>36,189</b> 36,200 36,212	<b>28,539</b> 28,537 28,566	<b>26,784</b> 26,798 26,836	1,754 1,739 1,730	<b>7,650</b> 7,663 7,646	<b>78.9</b> 78.8 78.9	74.0 74.0 74.1	<b>6.1</b> 6.1 6.1	21.1 21.2 21.1
Jul-Sep Aug-Oct Sep-Nov (Aut)	36,223 36,234 36,245	28,601 28,587 28,647	26,879 26,875 26,930	1,723 1,712 1,717	7,622 7,647 7,599	79.0 78.9 79.0	74.2 74.2 74.3	6.0 6.0 6.0	21.0 21.1 21.0
Oct-Dec Nov 99-Jan 2000 Dec 99-Feb 2000 (Win)	36,257 36,268 36,279	28,671 28,652 28,635	26,963 26,928 26,947	1,708 1,724 1,688	7,585 7,616 7,643	79.1 79.0 78.9	74.4 74.2 74.3	6.0 6.0 5.9	20.9 21.0 21.1
Jan-Mar 2000 Feb-Apr Mar-May (Spr)	36,290 36,301 36,312	28,683 28,705 28,736	26,999 27,046 27,092	1,684 1,659 1,644	7,607 7,596 7,577	79.0 79.1 79.1	74.4 74.5 74.6	5.9 5.8 5.7	21.0 20.9 20.9
Apr-Jun May-Jul Jun-Aug (Sum)	<b>36,323</b> 36,334 36,346	28,702 28,697 28,709	<b>27,102</b> 27,139 27,157	1,601 1,559 1,552	<b>7,621</b> 7,637 7,637	<b>79.0</b> 79.0 79.0	<b>74.6</b> 74.7 74.7	<b>5.6</b> 5.4 5.4	21.0 21.0 21.0
Jul-Sep Aug-Oct Sep-Nov (Aut)	36,392 36,412 36,433	28,746 28,755 28,711	27,173 27,158 27,151	1,573 1,597 1,560	7,646 7,657 7,722	79.0 79.0 78.8	74.7 74.6 74.5	5.5 5.6 5.4	21.0 21.0 21.2
Oct-Dec Nov 2000-Jan 2001 Dec 2000-Feb 2001 (Win)	36,452 36,473 36,493	28,726 28,787 28,795	27,184 27,262 27,278	1,543 1,525 1,517	7,726 7,686 7,698	78.8 78.9 78.9	74.6 74.7 74.7	5.4 5.3 5.3	21.2 21.1 21.1
Jan-Mar 2001 Feb-Apr Mar-May (Spr)	<b>36,514</b> 36,534 36,554	28,780 28,798 28,812	<b>27,302</b> 27,338 27,374	1,479 1,460 1,438	<b>7,733</b> 7,736 7,743	<b>78.8</b> 78.8 78.8	<b>74.8</b> 74.8 74.9	<b>5.1</b> 5.1 5.0	21.2 21.2 21.2
Apr-Jun	36,575	28,826	27,357	1,470	7,749	78.8	74.8	5.1	21.2
Changes Over last 3 months Per cent	<b>61</b> 0.2	<b>46</b> 0.2	55 0.2	-9 -0.6	15 0.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Over last 12 months Per cent	<b>252</b> 0.7	124 0.4	<b>255</b> 0.9	-131 -8.2	128 1.7	-0.2	0.2	-0.5	0.2

a Since spring 1992 unpaid family workers have been classified as in employment. Note: Relationship between columns: 1=2+5; 2=3+4; 6=2/1;7=3/1;8=4/2;9=5/1. See technical note on pS12.

Source: Labour Force Survey Labour Market Statistics Helpline: 020 7533 6094

## LABOUR MARKET SUMMARY A. 1 Labour Force Survey summary: male, seasonally adjusted A. 1

ITED KINGDOM ASONALLY ADJUSTED	All aged 16 and over	Total economically active	Total in employment <sup>a</sup>	ILO unemployed	Economically inactive	Economic activity rate (%)	Employment rate (%)	unemployment rate (%)	Economic inactivity rate (%)
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
es aged 16 and over Spring quarters (Mar-May)	MGSM	MGSG	MGSA	MGSD	MGSJ	MGWH	MGSS	MGSY	YBTD
1989 1990	21,706 21,801	16,508 16,556	15,277 15,376	1,231 1,180	5,198 5,245	76.1 75.9	70.4 70.5	7.5 7.1	23.9 24.1
1991 1992 1993	21,871 21,924 21,985	16,474 16,265 16,099	14,945 14,372 14,085	1,530 1,893 2,014	5,397 5,659 5,886	75.3 74.2 73.2	68.3 65.6 64.1	9.3 11.6 12.5	24.7 25.8 26.8
1994 1995	21,985 22,049 22,156 22,283	16,078 16,090	14,085 14,224 14,451	1,854 1,639	5,971 6,065	73.2 72.9 72.6 72.4	64.5 65.2 65.3	12.5 11.5 10.2	26.8 27.1 27.4 27.6
1996 1997 1998	22,412 22.547	16,136 16,184 16,181	14,562 14,857 15,067	1,574 1,328 1,114	6,147 6,228 6,366	72.4 72.2 71.8	66.3 66.8	10.2 9.8 8.2 6.9	27.8 28.2
1999 2000 2001	22,657 22,754 22,917	16,318 16,411 16,406	15,210 15,409 15,530	1,108 1,002 876	6,339 6,343 6,512	72.0 72.1 71.6	67.1 67.7 67.8	6.8 6.1 5.3	28.0 27.9 28.4
3-month averages Apr-Jun 1999 May-Jul Jun-Aug (Sum)	<b>22,666</b> 22,674 22,682	<b>16,326</b> 16,325 16,344	<b>15,231</b> 15,244 15,275	1,095 1,081 1,069	<b>6,340</b> 6,349 6,339	<b>72.0</b> 72.0 72.1	<b>67.2</b> 67.2 67.3	<b>6.7</b> 6.6 6.5	28.0 28.0 27.9
Jul-Sep Aug-Oct	22,690 22,698 22,706	16,361 16,345 16,383	15,294 15,299 15,330	1,067 1,046 1,053	6,329 6,353 6,323	72.1 72.0 72.2	67.4 67.4	6.5 6.4 6.4	27.9 28.0 27.8
Sep-Nov (Aut) Oct-Dec Nov 99-Jan 2000	22,714 22,722 22,730	16,387 16,389	15,342 15,328	1,045 1,061	6,327 6,333	72.1 72.1 71.9	67.5 67.5 67.5	6.4 6.5 6.3	27.9 27.9 27.9
Dec 99-Feb 2000 (Win) Jan-Mar 2000	22,738	16,353 16,379	15,327 15,361	1,026	6,377 6,359	72.0	67.4 67.6	6.2	28.1
Feb-Apr Mar-May (Spr)	22,746 22,754 <b>22,762</b>	16,406 16,411 <b>16,371</b>	15,402 15,409 <b>15,388</b>	1,004 1,002 983	6,340 6,343 <b>6,391</b>	72.1 72.1 <b>71.9</b>	67.7 67.7 <b>67.6</b>	6.1 6.1 <b>6.0</b>	27.9 27.9 <b>28.1</b>
A <b>pr-Jun</b> May-Jul Jun-Aug (Sum)	22,770 22,778	16,350 16,344	15,400 15,399	950 945	6,420 6,434	71.8 71.8 71.8	67.6 67.6	5.8 5.8	28.2 28.2 28.2
Jul-Sep Aug-Oct Sep-Nov (Aut)	22,811 22,823 22,837	16,365 16,387 16,378	15,419 15,425 15,426	947 962 952	6,446 6,436 6,459	71.7 71.8 71.7	67.6 67.6 67.5	5.8 5.9 5.8	28.3 28.2 28.3
Oct-Dec Nov 2000-Jan 2001 Dec 2000-Feb 2001 (Win)	22,850 22,864 22,877	16,399 16,420 16,433	15,449 15,476 15,484	949 943 949	6,451 6,444 6,444	71.8 71.8 71.8	67.6 67.7 67.7	5.8 5.7 5.8	28.2 28.2 28.2
Jan-Mar 2001 Feb-Apr Mar-May (Spr)	<b>22,890</b> 22,904 22,917	<b>16,428</b> 16,413 16,406	<b>15,508</b> 15,518 15,530	<b>920</b> 895 876	<b>6,463</b> 6,491 6,512	<b>71.8</b> 71.7 71.6	<b>67.7</b> 67.8 67.8	<b>5.6</b> 5.5 5.3	28.2 28.3 28.4
Apr-Jun	22,931	16,406	15,504	902	6,525	71.5	67.6	5.5	28.5
Changes Over last 3 months Per cent	<b>41</b> 0.2	-21 -0.1	-4 0.0	-18 -1.9	<b>62</b> 1.0	-0.2	-0.1	-0.1	0.2
Over last 12 months Per cent	<b>169</b> 0.7	<b>35</b> 0.2	116 0.8	- <b>81</b> -8.2	134 2.1	-0.4	0.0	-0.5	0.4
es aged 16 to 64 Spring quarters (Mar-May)	YBTG	YBSL	YBSF	YBSI	YBSO	MGSP	MGSV	YBTJ	YВТМ
1989 1990 1991	18,242 18,312 18,350	16,191 16,249 16,172	14,986 15,085 14,660	1,205 1,164 1,512	2,051 2,063 2,178	88.8 88.7 88.1	82.1 82.4 79.9	7.4 7.2 9.3 11.8	11.2 11.3
1992 1993	18,382 18,414	15,949 15,831	14,072 13,830	1,877 2,001	2,433 2,583	86.8 86.0	76.6 75.1	11.8 12.6 11.7	11.9 13.2 14.0
1994 1995 1996	18,460 18,541 18,641	15,803 15,793 15,859	13,960 14,163 14,296	1,843 1,631 1,562	2,657 2,747 2,782	85.6 85.2 85.1	75.6 76.4 76.7	11.7 10.3 9.9	14.4 14.8 14.9
1997 1998 1999	18,744 18,852	15,905 15,900	14,589 14,795	1,316 1,105	2,839 2,952	84.9 84.3	77.8 78.5	10.3 9.9 8.3 6.9 6.9	14.9 15.1 15.7
2000 2001	18,943 19,020 19,155	16,025 16,121 16,136	14,925 15,126 15,268	1,099 995 868	2,918 2,899 3,019	84.6 84.8 84.2	78.8 79.5 79.7	6.9 6.2 5.4	15.4 15.2 15.8
3-month averages Apr-Jun 1999 May-Jul Jun-Aug (Sum)	18,950 18,957 18,964	<b>16,031</b> 16,033 16,047	<b>14,945</b> 14,961 14,987	<b>1,086</b> 1,072 1,060	<b>2,919</b> 2,924 2,917	<b>84.6</b> 84.6 84.6	<b>78.9</b> 78.9 79.0	<b>6.8</b> 6.7 6.6	15.4 15.4 15.4
Jul-Sep Aug-Oct Sep-Nov (Aut)	18,970 18,976 18,983	16,064 16,053 16,089	15,007 15,016 15,043	1,057 1,037 1,046	2,906 2,923 2,893	84.7 84.6 84.8	79.1 79.1 79.2	6.6 6.5 6.5	15.3 15.4 15.2
Oct-Dec Nov 99-Jan 2000 Dec 99-Feb 2000 (Win)	18,989 18,995	16,087 16,093	15,049 15,039	1,038 1,054	2,902 2,902	84.7 84.7	79.3 79.2	6.5 6.5	15.3 15.3
Jan-Mar 2000 Feb-Apr	19,001 19,008 19,014	16,060 16,084 16,108	15,040 15,072 15,110	1,020 1,012 999	2,941 2,923 2,905	84.5 84.6 84.7	79.2 79.3 79.5	6.4 6.3 6.2	15.5 15.4 15.3
Mar-May (Spr) Apr-Jun May-Jul	19,020 19,026 19,032	16,121 16,086 16,063	15,126 15,110 15,122	995 <b>976</b> 941	2,899 <b>2,940</b> 2,969	84.8 84.5 84.4	79.5 <b>79.4</b> 79.5	6.2 <b>6.1</b> 5.9	15.2 15.5 15.6
Jun-Aug (Sum) Jul-Sep Aug-Oct	19,039 19,068	16,063 16,087	15,125 15,145	938 942	2,975 2,981	84.4 84.4	79.4 79.4	5.8 5.9 5.9	15.6 15.6
Sep-Nov (Aut) Oct-Dec	19,078 19,089 19,100	16,103 16,092	15,147 15,149	956 943	2,975 2,997	84.4 84.3	79.4 79.4	5.9	15.6 15.7
Nov 2000-Jan 2001 Dec 2000-Feb 2001 (Win)	19,100 19,111 19,122	16,118 16,143 16,155	15,177 15,208 15,215	940 935 940	2,982 2,968 2,967	84.4 84.5 84.5	79.5 79.6 79.6	5.8 5.8 5.8	15.6 15.5 15.5
Jan-Mar 2001 Feb-Apr Mar-May (Spr)	<b>19,133</b> 19,144 19,155	<b>16,160</b> 16,143 16,136	<b>15,249</b> 15,257 15,268	911 887 868	<b>2,973</b> 3,001 3,019	<b>84.5</b> 84.3 84.2	<b>79.7</b> 79.7 79.7	<b>5.6</b> 5.5 5.4	<b>15.5</b> 15.7 15.8
Apr-Jun	19,167	16,129	15,234	895	3,038	84.2	79.5	5.5	15.8
Changes Over last 3 months Percent	<b>33</b> 0.2	-31 -0.2	-15 -0.1	-16 -1.7	<b>64</b> 2.2	-0.3	-0.2	-0.1	0.3
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a Since spring 1992 unpaid family workers have been classified as in employment .

Note: Relationship between columns: 1=2+5; 2=3+4; 6=2/1; 7=3/1; 8=4/2; 9=5/1. See technical note on pS12.

## LABOUR MARKET SUMMARY Labour Force Survey summary: female, seasonally adjusted

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UNITED KINGDOM SEASONALLY ADJUSTED	All	Total economically active	Total in employmenta	ILO unemployed	Economically inactive	Economic activity rate (%)	Employment rate (%)	unemployment rate (%)	Economic inactivity rate (%)
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Females aged 16 and over Spring quarters (Mar-May)	MGSN	MGSH	MGSB	MGSE	MGSK	MGWI	MGST	MGSZ	YBTE
1989 1990 1991	23,272 23,307 23,354	12,389 12,482 12,461 12,434	11,514 11,657 11,546	875 825 915	10,883 10,825 10,893	53.2 53.6 53.4	49.5 50.0 49.4	7.1 6.6 7.3	46.8 46.4 46.6
1992 1993 1994	23,386 23,415 23,438	12,466 12,500	11,496 11,483 11,556	938 982 943	10,952 10,949 10,938	53.4 53.2 53.2 53.3	49.2 49.0 49.3	7.3 7.5 7.9 7.5 7.0	46.8 46.8 46.7 46.7
1995 1996 1997	23,486 23,553 23,624	12,528 12,670 12,819	11,649 11,850 12,060	879 820 760	10,958 10,883 10,805	53.3 53.8 54.3 54.3	49.6 50.3 51.0	7.0 6.5 5.9 5.5	46.7 46.2 45.7 45.7 45.2
1998 1999 2000 2001	23,707 23,774 23,826 23,915	12,868 13,037 13,163 13,228	12,160 12,350 12,504 12,650	708 687 659 578	10,838 10,736 10,663 10,687	54.3 54.8 55.2 55.3	51.3 51.9 52.5 52.9	5.5 5.3 5.0 4.4	45.7 45.2 44.8 44.7
3-month average Apr-Jun`1999 May-Jul Jun-Aug (Sum)	23,779 23,784 23,789	<b>13,040</b> 13,035 13,050	<b>12,361</b> 12,357 12,368	<b>679</b> 678 682	<b>10,739</b> 10,749 10,739	<b>54.8</b> 54.8 54.9	<b>52.0</b> 52.0 52.0	<b>5.2</b> 5.2 5.2	<b>45.2</b> 45.2 45.1
Jul-Sep Aug-Oct Sep-Nov (Aut)	23,793 23,797 23,801	13,072 13,068 13,096	12,395 12,383 12,413	678 685 683	10,721 10,729 10,705	54.9 54.9 55.0	52.1 52.0 52.2	5.2 5.2 5.2	45.1 45.1 45.0
Oct-Dec Nov 99-Jan 2000 Dec 99-Feb 2000 (Win)	23,805 23,810 23,814	13,131 13,111 13,140	12,448 12,428 12,457	683 683 682	10,675 10,699 10,674	55.2 55.1 55.2	52.3 52.2 52.3	5.2 5.2 5.2	44.8 44.9 44.8
Jan-Mar 2000 Feb-Apr Mar-May (Spr)	23,818 23,822 23,826	13,155 13,150 13,163	12,472 12,479 12,504	683 671 659	10,663 10,672 10,663	55.2 55.2 55.2	52.4 52.4 52.5	5.2 5.1 5.0	44.8 44.8 44.8
Apr-Jun May-Jul Jun-Aug (Sum)	23,831 23,835 23,839	<b>13,172</b> 13,192 13,205	<b>12,538</b> 12,564 12,581	<b>635</b> 627 624	<b>10,658</b> 10,643 10,634	<b>55.3</b> 55.3 55.4	<b>52.6</b> 52.7 52.8	<b>4.8</b> 4.8 4.7	<b>44.7</b> 44.7 44.6
Jul-Sep Aug-Oct Sep-Nov (Aut)	23,855 23,863 23,870	13,214 13,202 13,174	12,574 12,552 12,548	640 650 626	10,641 10,660 10,696	55.4 55.3 55.2	52.7 52.6 52.6	4.8 4.9 4.7	44.6 44.7 44.8
Oct-Dec Nov 2000-Jan 2001 Dec 2000-Feb 2001 (Win)	23,877 23,884 23,892	13,163 13,198 13,190	12,551 12,598 12,604	612 600 586	10,714 10,687 10,702	55.1 55.3 55.2	52.6 52.7 52.8	4.6 4.5 4.4	44.9 44.7 44.8
Jan-Mar 2001 Feb-Apr Mar-May (Spr)	23,899 23,907 23,915	<b>13,170</b> 13,207 13,228	<b>12,593</b> 12,624 12,650	<b>578</b> 583 578	<b>10,729</b> 10,700 10,687	<b>55.1</b> 55.2 55.3	<b>52.7</b> 52.8 52.9	<b>4.4</b> 4.4 4.4	<b>44.9</b> 44.8 44.7
Apr-Jun	23,922	13,253	12,671	582	10,669	55.4	53.0	4.4	44.6
Changes Over last 3 months Per cent	<b>23</b> 0.1	<b>83</b> 0.6	<b>79</b> 0.6	<b>4</b> 0.7	- <b>60</b> -0.6	0.3	0.3	0.0	-0.3
Over last 12 months Per cent	<b>91</b> <i>Q.4</i>	<b>81</b> 0.6	<b>134</b> 1.1	-53 -8.4	10 0.1	0.1	0.4	-0.4	-0.1
emales aged 16 to 59 Spring quarters (Mar-May)	ҮВТН	YBSM	YBSG	YBSJ	YBSP	MGSQ	MGSW	ҮВТК	YBTN
1989 1990 1991	16,666 16,706 16,754	11,870 11,967 11,946	11,022 11,161 11,053	849 806 893	4,796 4,739 4,808	71.2 71.6 71.3	66.1 66.8 66.0	7.1 6.7 7.5	28.8 28.4 28.7
1992 1993 1994	16,792 16,828 16,877	11,906 11,931 11,970	10,984 10,969 11,043	922 961 928	4,885 4,897 4,907	70.9 70.9	65.4 65.2 65.4	7.7 8.1 7.7 7.2	29.1 29.1 29.1 29.1 28.6 28.2 28.0 27.5 27.0
1995 1996 1997	16,942 17,022 17,101	12,013 12,159 12,277	11,145 11,348 11,530	869 811 748	4,929 4,863 4,824	70.9 70.9 71.4 71.8	65.8 66.7 67.4	6.7 6.1	29.1 28.6 28.2
1998 1999 2000 2001	17,174 17,234 17,292 17,399	12,359 12,501 12,615 12,675	11,662 11,825 11,966 12,106	697 676 649 570	4,815 4,734 4,677 4,724	72.0 72.5 73.0 72.9	67.9 68.6 69.2 69.6	5.6 5.4 5.1 4.5	27.5 27.0 27.1
3-month averages Apr-Jun 1999 May-Jul Jun-Aug (Sum)	<b>17,239</b> 17,244 17,248	<b>12,508</b> 12,504 12,519	11,839 11,837 11,849	<b>669</b> 667 670	<b>4,731</b> 4,740 4,730	<b>72.6</b> 72.5 72.6	<b>68.7</b> 68.6 68.7	<b>5.3</b> 5.3 5.3	<b>27.</b> 4 27.5 27.4
Jul-Sep Aug-Oct Sep-Nov (Aut)	17,253 17,258 17,263	12,538 12,534 12,557	11,872 11,859 11,887	665 675 671	4,715 4,724 4,705	72.7 72.6 72.7	68.8 68.7 68.9	5.3 5.4 5.3	27.3 27.4 27.3
Oct-Dec Nov 99-Jan 2000 Dec 99-Feb 2000 (Win)	17,268 17,273 17,277	12,584 12,558 12,575	11,914 11,889 11,907	670 669 668	4,683 4,714 4,702	72.9 72.7 72.8	69.0 68.8 68.9	5.3 5.3 5.3	27.1 27.3 27.2
Jan-Mar 2000 Feb-Apr Mar-May (Spr)	17,282 17,287 17,292	12,598 12,597 12,615	11,927 11,937 11,966	672 660 649	4,684 4,690 4,677	72.9 72.9 73.0	69.0 69.0 69.2	5.3 5.2 5.1	27.1 27.1 27.0
Apr-Jun May-Jul Jun-Aug (Sum)	<b>17,297</b> 17,301 17,307	<b>12,616</b> 12,634 12,646	<b>11,992</b> 12,017 12,031	<b>624</b> 618 614	<b>4,681</b> 4,667 4,661	<b>72.9</b> 73.0 73.1	<b>69.3</b> 69.5 69.5	<b>4.9</b> 4.9 4.9	<b>27.1</b> 27.0 26.9
Jul-Sep Aug-Oct Sep-Nov (Aut)	17,324 17,334 17,343	12,659 12,652 12,619	12,028 12,011 12,002	632 641 617	4,665 4,682 4,725	73.1 73.0 72.8	69.4 69.3 69.2	5.0 5.1 4.9	26.9 27.0 27.2
Oct-Dec Nov 2000-Jan 2001 Dec 2000-Feb 2001 (Win)	17,352 17,362 17,371	12,609 12,644 12,640	12,006 12,054 12,063	602 590 577	4,743 4,717 4,731	72.7 72.8 72.8	69.2 69.4 69.4	4.8 4.7 4.6	27.3 27.2 27.2
<b>Jan-Mar 2001</b> Feb-Apr Mar-May (Spr)	<b>17,380</b> 17,389 17,399	<b>12,620</b> 12,655 12,675	<b>12,053</b> 12,081 12,106	<b>568</b> 573 570	<b>4,760</b> 4,735 4,724	<b>72.6</b> 72.8 72.9	<b>69.3</b> 69.5 69.6	<b>4.5</b> 4.5 4.5	<b>27.</b> 4 27.2 27.1
Apr-Jun Changes	17,408	12,697	12,123	574	4,711	72.9	69.6	4.5	27.1
Over last 3 months Percent	<b>28</b> 0.2	77 0.6	<b>70</b> 0.6	7 1.2	-49 -1.0	0.3	0.3	0.0	-0.3
Over last 12 months Per cent	111 0.6	<b>81</b> <i>0.6</i>	131 1.1	-50 -8.0	<b>30</b> 0.6	0.0	0.3	-0.4	0.0

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Source: Labour Force Survey Labour Market Statistics Helpline: 020 7533 6094

## LABOUR MARKET SUMMARY Labour Force Survey summary: all, not seasonally adjusted

UNITED KINGDOM

OT SEASONALLY	All	Total economically active	Total in employment <sup>a</sup>	ILO unemployed	Economically inactive	Economic activity rate (%)	Employment rate (%)	ILO unemployment rate (%)	Economic inactivity rate (%)
JUSTED	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
people aged 16 and over Spring quarters (Mar-May) 1989 1990 1991	MGTY 44,978 45,107 45,226	28,764 28,909 28,813	26,689 26,935 26,400	2,075 1,974 2,414	MGTV 16,214 16,198 16,413	64.0 64.1 63.7	59.3 59.7 58.4	MGUK 7.2 6.8 8.4	36.0 35.9 36.3
1992 1993 1994 1995	45,310 45,400 45,488 45,641	28,582 28,447 28,455 28,486	25,812 25,511 25,717 26,026	2,769 2,936 2,738 2,460	16,729 16,954 17,032 17,155	63.1 62.7 62.6 62.4	57.0 56.2 56.5 57.0	9.7 10.3 9.6 8.6	36.9 37.3 37.4 37.6
1996 1997 1998	45,835 46,036 46,253	28,663 28,852 28,892	26,323 26,814 27,116	2,340 2,037 1,776	17,172 17,184 17,361	62.5 62.7 62.5	57.4 58.2 58.6	8.2 7.1 6.1	37.5 37.3 37.5
1999 2000 2001	46,431 46,581 46,832	29,194 29,412 29,470	27,442 27,793 28,066	1,752 1,619 1,404	17,237 17,169 17,362	62.9 63.1 62.9	59.1 59.7 59.9	6.0 5.5 4.8	37.1 36.9 37.1
3-month averages Apr-Jun 1999	46,444	29,261	27,512	1,748	17,184	63.0	59.2	6.0	37.0
May-Jul Jun-Aug (Sum) Jul-Sep	46,458 46,471 46,483	29,388 29,596 29,656	27,615 27,778 27,838	1,772 1,818 1,819	17,070 16,875 16,827	63.3 63.7 63.8	59.4 59.8	6.0 6.1	36.7 36.3
Aug-Oct Sep-Nov (Aut)	46,496 46,508	29,542 29,542	27,785 27,807	1,757 1,735	16,953 16,966	63.5 63.5	59.9 59.8 59.8	6.1 5.9 5.9	36.2 36.5 36.5
Oct-Dec Nov 99 -Jan 2000 Dec 99-Feb 2000 (Win)	46,520 46,532 46,544	29,524 29,463 29,382	27,857 27,767 27,693	1,667 1,696 1,689	16,996 17,069 17,162	63.5 63.3 63.1	59.9 59.7 59.5	5.6 5.8 5.7	36.5 36.7 36.9
Jan-Mar 2000 Feb-Apr Mar-May (Spr)	46,556 46,568 46,581	29,418 29,448 29,412	27,696 27,765 27,793	1,722 1,683 1,619	17,138 17,121 17,169	63.2 63.2 63.1	59.5 59.6 59.7	5.9 5.7 5.5	36.8 36.8 36.9
Apr-Jun May-Jul Jun-Aug (Sum)	<b>46,593</b> 46,605 46,617	<b>29,433</b> 29,564 29,750	<b>27,844</b> 27,977 28,118	<b>1,589</b> 1,587 1,632	<b>17,160</b> 17,040 16,868	<b>63.2</b> 63.4 63.8	<b>59.8</b> 60.0 60.3	<b>5.4</b> 5.4 5.5	<b>36.8</b> 36.6 36.2
Jul-Sep Aug-Oct Sep-Nov (Aut)	46,665 46,686 46,707	29,803 29,716 29,611	28,146 28,077 28,036	1,657 1,639 1,575	16,862 16,971 17,096	63.9 63.6 63.4	60.3 60.1 60.0	5.6 5.5 5.3	36.1 36.4 36.6
Oct-Dec Nov 2000-Jan 2001 Dec 2000-Feb 2001 (Win)	46,727 46,748 46,769	29,568 29,585 29,516	28,068 28,088 27,997	1,500 1,497 1,519	17,158 17,163 17,253	63.3 63.3 63.1	60.1 60.1 59.9	5.1 5.1 5.1	36.7 36.7 36.9
Jan-Mar 2001 Feb-Apr Mar-May (Spr)	46,790 46,811 46,832	29,480 29,508 29,470	27,961 28,027 28,066	1,519 1,481 1,404	17,309 17,303 17,362	63.0 63.0 62.9	59.8 59.9 59.9	5.2 5.0 4.8	37.0 37.0 37.1
Apr-Jun	46,853	29,544	28,097	1,448	17,309	63.1	60.0	4.9	36.9
Changes Over last 12 months Percent	<b>260</b> 0.6	<b>112</b> 0.4	<b>253</b> 0.9	<b>-141</b> -8.9	<b>149</b> 0.9	-0.1	0.2	-0.5	0.1
eople aged 16-59(W)/64(M) Spring quarters (Mar-May)		YBSW	YBSQ	YBST	YBSZ	MGUB	мдин		
1989 1990 1991	34,908 35,108 35,103	27,928 28,087 27,995	25,905 26,149 25,662	2,022 1,939	6,980 6,931	80.0 80.2	74.2 74.7	7.2 6.9	20.0 19.8
1992 1993	35,174 35,242	27,734 27,640	24,997 24,738	2,373 2,738 2,902	7,108 7,440 7,602	79.8 78.8 78.4	73.0 71.1 70.2	8.5 9.9 10.5	20.2 21.2 21.6
1994 1995 1996	35,337 35,483 35,663	27,648 27,673 27,873	24,936 25,230 25,552	2,712 2,443 2,321	7,690 7,810 7,790	78.2 78.0 78.2	70.6 71.1 71.6	9.8 8.8 8.3	21.8 22.0 21.8
1997 1998 1999	35,844 36,026	28,026 28,097	26,012 26,341	2,015 1,757	7,818 7,929	78.2 78.0	72.6 73.1	7.2 6.3	21.8 22.0
2000 2001	36,177 36,312 36,554	28,359 28,568 28,643	26,627 26,966 27,253	1,732 1,602 1,390	7,818 7,744 7,911	78.4 78.7 78.4	73.6 74.3 74.6	6.1 5.6 4.9	21.6 21.3 21.6
3-month averages Apr-Jun 1999 May-Jul Jun-Aug (Sum)	<b>36,189</b> 36,200 36,212	<b>28,428</b> 28,562 28,765	<b>26,699</b> 26,807 26,966	<b>1,729</b> 1,754 1,798	<b>7,760</b> 7,639 7,447	<b>78.6</b> 78.9 79.4	<b>73.8</b> 74.1 74.5	<b>6.1</b> 6.1 6.3	<b>21.4</b> 21.1 20.6
Jul-Sep Aug-Oct Sep-Nov (Aut)	36,223 36,234 36,245	28,828 28,717 28,711	27,032 26,980 26,997	1,796 1,737 1,714	7,395 7,517 7,534	79.6 79.3 79.2	74.6 74.5 74.5	6.2 6.0 6.0	20.4 20.7 20.8
Oct-Dec Nov99 -Jan 2000 Dec 99-Feb 2000 (Win)	36,257 36,268 36,279	28,679 28,619 28,531	27,032 26,945 26,862	1,647 1,675 1,669	7,578 7,648 7,748	79.1 78.9 78.6	74.6 74.3 74.0	5.7 5.9 5.8	20.9 21.1 21.4
Jan-Mar 2000 Feb-Apr Mar-May (Spr)	36,290 36,301 36,312	28,564 28,594 28,568	26,860 26,928 26,966	1,704 1,666 1,602	7,726 7,707 7,744	78.7 78.8 78.7	74.0 74.2 74.3	6.0 5.8 5.6	21.3 21.2 21.3
<b>Apr-Jun</b> May-Jul Jun-Aug (Sum)	<b>36,323</b> 36,334 36,346	<b>28,587</b> 28,717 28,907	<b>27,015</b> 27,148 27,291	<b>1,572</b> 1,569 1,617	<b>7,737</b> 7,617 7,438	<b>78.7</b> 79.0 79.5	<b>74.4</b> 74.7 75.1	<b>5.5</b> 5.5 5.6	21.3 21.0 20.5
Jul-Sep Aug-Oct Sep-Nov (Aut)	36,392 36,412 36,433	28,975 28,883 28,773	27,332 27,261 27,215	1,643 1,623 1,557	7,417 7,529 7,660	79.6 79.3 79.0	75.1 74.9 74.7	5.7 5.6 5.4	20.4 20.7 21.0
Oct-Dec Nov 2000-Jan 2001 Dec 2000-Feb 2001 (Win)	36,452 36,473 36,493	28,734 28,759 28,694	27,252 27,279 27,192	1,481 1,479 1,501	7,718 7,714 7,799	78.8 78.8 78.6	74.8 74.8 74.5	5.2 5.1 5.2	21.2 21.2 21.2 21.4
Jan-Mar 2001 Feb-Apr Mar-May (Spr)	36,514 36,534 36,554	28,660 28,684 28,643	27,161 27,220 27,253	1,499 1,464 1,390	7,853 7,850 7,911	78.5 78.5 78.4	74.4 74.5 74.6	5.2 5.1 4.9	21.5 21.5 21.6
Apr-Jun	36,575	28,705	27,271	1,434	7,870	78.5	74.6	5.0	21.5
Changes Over last 12 months Percent	<b>252</b> 0.7	118 0.4	<b>256</b> 0.9	-138 -8.8	133 1.7	-0.2	0.2	-0.5	0.2

 $<sup>{\</sup>it a} \quad {\it Since spring 1992 unpaid family workers have been classified as in employment.}$ 

 $\textit{Note:} \textbf{Relationship between columns:} \ 1 = 2 + 5; 2 = 3 + 4; 6 = 2/1; 7 = 3/1; 8 = 4/2; 9 = 5/1.$ 

## LABOUR MARKET SUMMARY Labour Force Survey summary: male, not seasonally adjusted

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UNITED KINGDOM NOT SEASONALLY	All	Total economically active	Total in employmenta	ILO unemployed	Economically inactive	Economic activity rate (%)	Employment u	ILO inemployment rate (%)	Economic inactivity rate (%)
ADJUSTED	1 MGTZ	2 MGTT	3 MGTN	4 MGTQ	5 MGTW	6	MGUF	MGUL	9
Males aged 16 and over Spring quarters (Mar-May)	21,706	16,434	15,219	1,215	5,272	75.7	70.1	7.4	24.3
1989 1990 1991	21,801 21,871	16,483 16,401	15,318 14,887	1,165 1,514	5,318 5.470	75.6 75.0	70.3 68.1	7.1 9.2 11.5	24.4 25.0
1992 1993 1994	21,924 21,985 22,049	16,187 16,021 16,000	14,322 14,035 14,173	1,865 1,986 1,826	5,737 5,964 6,050	73.8 72.9 72.6	65.3 63.8 64.3	12.4 11.4	26.2 27.1 27.4
1995 1996	22,156 22,283	16,009 16,052	14,397 14,503	1,612 1,549	6,146 6.230	72.3 72.0	65.0 65.1	10.1 9.6	27.7 28.0
1997 1998	22,412 22,547	16,098 16,096	14,792 14,999 15,138	1,306 1,098 1,095	6,314 6,450 6,423	71.8 71.4 71.6	66.0 66.5 66.8	8.1 6.8 6.7	28.2 28.6 28.4
1999 2000 2001	22,657 22,754 22,917	16,234 16,327 16,318	15,136 15,459	991 859	6,427 6,600	71.8 71.2	67.4 67.5	6.1 5.3	28.2 28.8
3-month averages Apr-Jun 1999	22,666	16,277	15,191	1,087	6,388	71.8 72.1	<b>67.0</b> 67.3	<b>6.7</b> 6.6	28.2
May-Jul Jun-Aug (Sum)	22,674 22,682	16,345 16,471	15,261 15,367	1,084 1,104	6,329 6,211	72.6	67.7	6.7	27.9 27.4
Jul-Sep Aug-Oct Sep-Nov (Aut)	22,690 22,698 22,706	16,501 16,419 16,398	15,400 15,374 15,364	1,101 1,045 1,033	6,190 6,280 6,309	72.7 72.3 72.2	67.9 67.7 67.7	6.7 6.4 6.3	27.3 27.7 27.8
Oct-Dec Nov99 -Jan 2000 Dec 99-Feb 2000 (Win)	22,714 22,722 22,730	16,376 16,368 16,289	15,369 15,324 15,264	1,008 1,044 1,026	6,338 6,354 6,441	72.1 72.0 71.7	67.7 67.4 67.2	6.2 6.4 6.3	27.9 28.0 28.3
Jan-Mar 2000 Feb-Apr	22,738 22,746	16,307 16,341	15,273 15,323	1,034 1,018	6,431 6,406	71.7 71.8	67.2 67.4	6.3 6.2	28.3 28.2
Mar-May (Spr)  Apr-Jun	22,754 22,762	16,327 16,320	15,336 <b>15,346</b>	991 <b>974</b>	6,427 <b>6,442</b>	71.8 <b>71.7</b>	67.4 67.4	6.0	28.2 28.3
May-Jul Jun-Aug (Sum)	22,770 22,778	16,365 16,468	15,414 15,491	950 977	6,405 6,310	71.9 72.3	67.7 68.0	5.8 5.9	28.1 27.7
Jul-Sep Aug-Oct Sep-Nov (Aut)	22,811 22,823 22,837	16,502 16,458 16,392	15,525 15,497 15,461	977 960 931	6,309 6,366 6,445	72.3 72.1 71.8	68.1 67.9 67.7	5.9 5.8 5.7	27.7 27.9 28.2
Oct-Dec Nov 2000-Jan 2001 Dec 2000-Feb 2001 (Win)	22,850 22,864 22,877	16,390 16,403 16,373	15,478 15,474 15,421	912 929 952	6,460 6,461 6,504	71.7 71.7 71.6	67.7 67.7 67.4	5.6 5.7 5.8	28.3 28.3 28.4
Jan-Mar 2001 Feb-Apr Mar-May (Spr)	22,890 22,904 22,917	16,358 16,345 16,318	15,422 15,441 15,459	936 904 859	6,533 6,559 6,600	71.5 71.4 71.2	67.4 67.4 67.5	5.7 5.5 5.3	28.5 28.6 28.8
Apr-Jun	22,931	16,347	15,458	889	6,584	71.3	67.4	5.4	28.7
Changes Over last 12 months Per cent	169 0.7	<b>27</b> 0.2	112 0.7	-85 -8.8	142 2.2	-0.4	0.0	-0.5	0.4
Males aged 16 to 64		YBSX	YBSR	YBSU	YВТА	MGUC	MGUI		
Spring quarters (Mar-May)	18,242	16,117	14,927	1,189 1,148	2,126 2,136	88.3 88.3	81.8 82.1	7.4 7.1	11.7 11.7
1990 1991 1992	18,312 18,350 18,382	16,175 16,099 15,871	15,027 14,603 14,021	1,148 1,496 1,850	2,251 2,511	87.7 86.3	79.6 76.3	9.3 11.7	12.3 13.7 14.4
1993 1994	18,414 18,460	15,754 15,725	13,780 13,909	1,974 1,816	2,661 2,735	85.6 85.2	74.8 75.3	12.5 11.5	14.8
1995 1996	18,541 18,641	15,713 15,776 15,818	14,109 14,238 14,523	1,604 1,538 1,294	2,828 2,866 2,926	84.7 84.6 84.4	76.1 76.4 77.5	10.2 9.7 8.2	15.3 15.4 15.6
1997 1998 1999	18,744 18,852 18,943	15,813 15,937	14,725 14,851	1,088 1,086	3,038 3,006	83.9 84.1	78.1 78.4	6.9 6.8	16.1 15.9
2000 2001	19,020 19,155	16,034 16,045	15,049 15,194	984 851	2,987 3,110	84.3 83.8	79.1 79.3	6.1 5.3	15.7 16.2
3-month averages Apr-Jun 1999 May-Jul	<b>18,950</b> 18,957	<b>15,980</b> 16,050	<b>14,902</b> 14,974	<b>1,078</b> 1,076	<b>2,970</b> 2,906	<b>84.3</b> 84.7	<b>78.6</b> 79.0	<b>6.7</b> 6.7	<b>15.7</b> 15.3
Jun-Aug (Sum) Jul-Sep	18,964 18,970	16,172 16,203	15,076 15,112	1,096 1,091 1,037	2,792 2,767 2,849	85.3 85.4 85.0	79.5 79.7 79.5	6.8 6.7 6.4	14.7 14.6 15.0
Aug-Oct Sep-Nov (Aut) Oct-Dec	18,976 18,983 18,989	16,128 16,105 16,079	15,091 15,079 15,078	1,026 1,001	2,878 2,910	84.8 84.7	79.4 79.4	6.4	15.2
Nov99 -Jan 2000 Dec 99-Feb 2000 (Win)	18,995 19,001	16,079 16,076 16,001	15,040 14,981	1,037 1,020	2,919 3,000	84.6 84.2	79.2 78.8	6.4 6.4	15.4 15.8
Jan-Mar 2000 Feb-Apr Mar-May (Spr)	19,008 19,014 19,020	16,012 16,042 16,034	14,984 15,029 15,049	1,028 1,012 984	2,996 2,972 2,987	84.2 84.4 84.3	78.8 79.0 79.1	6.4 6.3 6.1	15.8 15.6 15.7
Apr-Jun May-Jul Jun-Aug (Sum)	<b>19,026</b> 19,032 19,039	<b>16,032</b> 16,075 16,184	<b>15,065</b> 15,134 15,214	967 942 970	<b>2,994</b> 2,957 2,854	<b>84.3</b> 84.5 85.0	<b>79.2</b> 79.5 79.9	<b>6.0</b> 5.9 6.0	15.7 15.5 15.0
Jul-Sep Aug-Oct Sep-Nov (Aut)	19,068 19,078 19,089	16,224 16,175 16,107	15,252 15,221 15,184	972 955 923	2,844 2,903 2,982	85.1 84.8 84.4	80.0 79.8 79.5	6.0 5.9 5.7	14.9 15.2 15.6
Oct-Dec Nov 2000-Jan 2001 Dec 2000-Feb 2001 (Win)	19,100 19,111 19,122	16,111 16,131 16,100	15,208 15,211 15,157	903 920 943	2,989 2,980 3,022	84.4 84.4 84.2	79.6 79.6 79.3	5.6 5.7 5.9	15.6 15.6 15.8
Jan-Mar 2001 Feb-Apr	19,133 19,144	16,090 16,075 16,045	15,164 15,178 15,194	927 896 851	3,043 3,070 3,110	84.1 84.0 83.8	79.3 79.3 79.3	5.8 5.6 5.3	15.9 16.0 16.2
Mar-May (Spr) Apr-Jun	19,155 19,167	16,045	15,194	881	3,101	83.8	79.2	5.5	16.2
Changes Over last 12 months Per cent	140 0.7	<b>34</b> 0.2	119 0.8	- <b>86</b> -8.9	107 3.6	-0.4	0.0	-0.5	0.4

Source: Labour Force Survey Labour Market Statistics Helpline: 020 7533 6094

## LABOUR MARKET SUMMARY A. 1 Labour Force Survey summary: female, not seasonally adjusted

T SEASONALLY USTED —	All	Total economically active	Total in employmenta	ILO unemployed	Economically inactive	Economic activity rate (%)	Employment rate (%)	unemployment rate (%)	Economic inactivity rate (%)
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
nales aged 16 and over Spring quarters (Mar-May)	MGUA	MGTU	MGTO	MGTR	MGTX		MGUG	MGUM	
1989 1990	23,272 23,307	12,330 12,427	11,470 11,617	860 809	10,942 10,880	53.0 53.3	49.3 49.8	7.0 6.5 7.2	47.0 46.7
1991 1992 1993	23,354 23,386 23,415	12,412 12,395 12,426	11,512 11,491 11,476	900 904 949	10,942 10,992 10,989	53.1 53.0 53.1	49.3 49.1 49.0	7.2 7.3 7.6	46.9 47.0 46.9
1994 1995	23,438 23,486	12,456 12,477	11,544 11,629	912 849	10,983 11,009	53.1 53.1	49.3 49.5	7.3 6.8	46.9 46.9
1996 1997	23,553 23,624	12,611 12,754	11,820 12,022	791 732	10,942 10,871	53.5 54.0	50.2 50.9	6.3 5.7	46.5 46.0
1998 1999	23,707 23,774	12,796 12,960	12,117 12,304	679 657	10,911 10,813	54.0 54.5	51.1 51.8	5.3 5.1	46.0 45.5
2000 2001	23,826 23,915	13,084 13,153	12,457 12,607	628 546	10,742 10,762	54.9 55.0	52.3 52.7	4.8 4.2	45.1 45.0
3-month averages Apr-Jun 1999	23,779	12,983	12,322	662	10,795	54.6	51.8	5.1	45.4
May-Jul Jun-Aug (Sum)	23,784 23,789	13,043 13,125	12,354 12,411	689 714	10,741 10,664	54.8 55.2	51.9 52.2	5.3 5.4	45.2 44.8
Jul-Sep	23,793	13,156	12,438	718	10,637	55.3	52.3	5.5	44.7
Aug-Oct Sep-Nov (Aut)	23,797 23,801	13,124 13,144	12,411 12,443	712 701	10,673 10,657	55.1 55.2	52.2 52.3	5.4 5.3	44.9 44.8
Oct-Dec Nov99 -Jan 2000	23,805 23,810	13,147 13,095	12,488 12,443	660 652	10,658 10,715	55.2 55.0	52.5 52.3	5.0 5.0	44.8 45.0
Dec 99-Feb 2000 (Win) Jan-Mar 2000	23,814 23,818	13,093 13,111	12,430 12,423	664	10,721 10,707	55.0 55.0	52.2 52.2	5.1 5.2	45.0 45.0
Feb-Apr Mar-May (Spr)	23,822 23,826	13,107 13,084	12,442 12,457	665 628	10,715 10,742	55.0 54.9	52.2 52.3	5.1 4.8	45.0 45.1
Apr-Jun May-Jul	<b>23,831</b> 23,835	<b>13,113</b> 13,199	<b>12,498</b> 12,563	615 636	<b>10,718</b> 10,635	<b>55.0</b> 55.4	<b>52.4</b> 52.7	<b>4.7</b> 4.8	45.0
Jun-Aug (Sum)	23,839	13,282	12,627	655	10,557	55.7	53.0	4.9	44.6 44.3
Jul-Sep Aug-Oct	23,855 23,863	13,301 13,258	12,621 12,579	680 678	10,554 10,605	55.8 55.6	52.9 52.7	5.1 5.1	44.2 44.4
Sep-Nov (Aut) Oct-Dec	23,870 23,877	13,220 13,178	12,575 12,590	644 588	10,650 10,699	55.4 55.2	52.7 52.7	4.9	44.6
Nov 2000-Jan 2001 Dec 2000-Feb 2001 (Win)	23,884 23,892	13,182 13,143	12,613 12,576	569 568	10,703 10,749	55.2 55.0	52.8 52.6	4.5 4.3 4.3	44.8 44.8 45.0
Jan-Mar 2001 Feb-Apr	23,899 23,907	13,123 13,163	12,540	583	10,777	54.9	52.5	4.4	45.1
Mar-May (Spr)	23,915	13,153	12,586 12,607	577 546	10,744 10,762	55.1 55.0	52.6 52.7	4.4 4.2	44.9 45.0
Apr-Jun	23,922	13,198	12,639	559	10,724	55.2	52.8	4.2	44.8
Changes Over last 12 months Per cent	91 0.4	<b>85</b> 0.6	140 1.1	- <b>56</b> -9.0	6 0.1	0.1	0.4	-0.5	-0.1
ales aged 16 to 59 Spring quarters (Mar-May)		YBSY	YBSS	YBSV	ҮВТВ	MGUD	MGUJ		
1989 1990	16,666 16,706	11,811 11,912	10,978 11,122	833 790	4,855 4,794	70.9 71.3	65.9 66.6	7.1 6.6	29.1 28.7
1991 1992	16,754 16,792	11,897 11,863	11,020 10,975	877 888	4,857 4,929	71.0 70.6	65.8 65.4	7.4 7.5	29.0 29.4
1993 1994	16,828 16,877	11,887 11,923	10,958 11,026	928 896	4,941 4,955	70.6 70.6	65.1 65.3	7.8 7.5	29.4 29.4
1995 1996	16,942 17,022	11,960 12,098	11,121 11,315	839 783	4,982 4,924	70.6 71.1	65.6 66.5	7.0 6.5	29.4 28.9
1997 1998 1999	17,101 17,174 17,234	12,208 12,284 12,422	11,488 11,616	720 668	4,892 4,890	71.4 71.5	67.2 67.6	5.9 5.4	28.6 28.5
2000 2001	17,292 17,399	12,534 12,598	11,776 11,916 12,059	646 618 539	4,812 4,758 4,801	72.1 72.5 72.4	68.3 68.9 69.3	5.2 4.9 4.3	27.9 27.5 27.6
3-month averages Apr-Jun 1999	17 220	10.440							
May-Jul Jun-Aug (Sum)	17,239 17,244 17,248	<b>12,449</b> 12,512 12,593	11,797 11,833 11,891	652 679 703	<b>4,790</b> 4,732 4,655	<b>72.2</b> 72.6 73.0	<b>68.4</b> 68.6	<b>5.2</b> 5.4	<b>27.8</b> 27.4
Jul-Sep		12,626	11,920	705	4,628	73.2	68.9 69.1	5.6 5.6	27.0 26.8
Aug-Oct Sep-Nov (Aut)	17,253 17,258 17,263	12,589 12,606	11,889 11,918	700 688	4,669 4,657	72.9 73.0	68.9 69.0	5.6 5.5	27.1 27.0
Oct-Dec Nov99 -Jan 2000	17,268 17,273	12,600 12,543	11,954 11,905	647 638	4,667 4,730	73.0 72.6	69.2 68.9	5.1 5.1	27.0
Dec 99-Feb 2000 (Win)	17,277	12,530	11,881	649	4,748	72.5	68.8	5.2	27.4 27.5
Jan-Mar 2000 Feb-Apr Mar-May (Spr)	17,282 17,287 17,292	12,552 12,552 12,534	11,876 11,898 11,916	676 654 618	4,730 4,735 4,758	72.6 72.6 72.5	68.7 68.8	5.4 5.2	27.4 27.4
Apr-Jun	17,297	12,555	11,950	605	4,742	72.6	68.9 <b>69.1</b>	4.9 <b>4.8</b>	27.5 27.4
May-Jul Jun-Aug (Sum)	17,301 17,307	12,642 12,723	12,014 12,077	628 647	4,660 4,584	73.1 73.5	69.4 69.8	5.0 5.1	26.9 26.5
Jul-Sep Aug-Oct	17,324 17,334	12,751 12,708	12,080 12,040	671 668	4,573 4,626	73.6 73.3	69.7 69.5	5.3 5.3	26.4 26.7
Sep-Nov (Aut) Oct-Dec	17,343	12,665	12,031	634	4,678	73.0	69.4	5.0	27.0
Nov 2000-Jan 2001 Dec 2000-Feb 2001 (Win)	17,352 17,362 17,371	12,623 12,627 12,594	12,044 12,068 12,036	579 559	4,729 4,734	72.7 72.7	69.4 69.5	4.6 4.4	27.3 27.3
Jan-Mar 2001	17,380	12,594	11,997	558 573	4,777 4,810	72.5 72.3	69.3 69.0	4.4	27.5 27.7
Feb-Apr Mar-May (Spr)	17,389 17,399	12,609 12,598	12,041 12,059	568 539	4,780 4,801	72.5 72.4	69.2 69.3	4.5 4.3	27.7 27.5 27.6
Apr-Jun	17,408	12,639	12,087	553	4,769	72.6	69.4	4.4	27.4
Changes Over last 12 months	111	85	137	E2	~	0.0	0.0		
Per cent	0.6	0.7	1.1	- <b>52</b> -8.6	<b>27</b> 0.6	0.0	0.3	-0.4	0.0

 $a \qquad \text{Since spring 1992 unpaid family workers have been classified as in employment.}$ 

a Since spring 1992 unpaid family workers have been classified as in employment Note: Relationship between columns: 1=2+5; 2=3+4; 6=2/1;7=3/1;8=4/2;9=5/1.

 $<sup>\</sup>textit{Note:} \textit{Relationship between columns:} 1 = 2 + 5; 2 = 3 + 4; 6 = 2/1; 7 = 3/1; 8 = 4/2; 9 = 5/1.$ 

ONS recommends that non-overlapping periods are always used for comparisons over time.

The sample design of the LFS enables estimates for any three consecutive months to be calculated. ONS began publication of these estimates in April 1998. The most reliable comparison is one between non-overlapping periods. For the latest data, compare the data from three months previously e.g. December to February data with that for September to November rather than November to January. Due to the overlap of two months, the latter comparison would actually just compare the single months of November and February, but the data are not robust enough to make this comparison. This can lead to unreliable conclusions about change. For further details see article by Richard Laux, pp59-63, *Labour Market Trends*, February 1998.

### SAMPLING VARIABILITY OF LABOUR FORCE SURVEY DATA

LFS data are based on statistical samples (see Sources, pS2) and, as such, are subject to sampling variability. If we drew many samples, each would give a different result. The ranges shown for the LFS data in the table below represent '95 per cent confidence intervals'. We would expect that in 95 per cent of samples the range would contain the true value. The ranges are approximated from not seasonally adjusted data for Apr-June 2001 in line with research on the topic. For more information, see the Guide to Labour Market Statistics Releases, or the LFS Quarterly Supplement.

UNITED KINGDOM SEASONALLY ADJUSTED	Level	Sampling variability	Change on quarter	Sampling variability	Change on year	Sampling variability
In employment (000s)	28,175	±161	75	±117	250	±206
Employment rate	74.8%	±0.4%	0.0%	±0.3%	0.2%	±0.5%
ILO unemployment (000s)	1,484	±51	-14	±53	-134	<u>+</u> 70
ILO unemployment rate	5.0%	±0.2%	-0.1%	±0.2%	-0.5%	±0.2%
Economically active (000s)	29,659	±159	61	±116	116	±203
Economic activity rate	78.8%	±0.3%	0.0%	±0.2%	-0.2%	±0.4%

For more detailed analyses, please see the Labour Force Survey Quarterly Supplement.

Note: Following the introduction of the Local Labour Force Survey (see article pp195-9, Labour Market Trends, May 2000), the survey design for the main Labour Force Survey has changed from June 2000. There will be more interview areas from which interviews will be selected. In the short term (i.e. from April to June 2000 until August to October 2001) it is predicted that there will be a very slight increase in standard errors across measures. of employment, ILO unemployment and economic inactivity (expected to be no bigger than 4 per cent), as the survey methodology switches from old to new interview areas. After that period there will be a decrease in those standard errors because of the increase in the number of interview areas leading to improved stratification of the sampling. There will be no impact on the levels, rates or changes in LFS data; there will only be an impact on standard errors. For more information see article by Dave Elliot in the July 2000 edition of the ONS Survey Methodology Bulletin, or contact Adrian Jones, tel. 020 7533 6133.

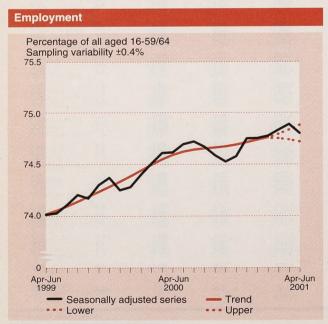
### LABOUR MARKET SUMMARY **Labour Force Survey trends series:** employment and unemployment - technical note

Trends indicating the underlying movement of the series, after factors such as seasonality and irregular values have been removed, are shown the graphs below. The trends are estimated using a standard approach adopted by ONS, based on the results of its short-term trends research project in this case, the recommended method is to apply a 13-term Henderson moving average, augmented by two stages of outlier detection and ARIM modelling, to the seasonally adjusted series. For more information, see *An Investigation of Trend Estimation Methods*, available from the Time Series

Estimates of the trends at the end of the series are subject to revision when new data become available. The graphs below give an indication of the likely extent of these revisions. They have been constructed by making statistical estimates of the range of values within which the next data point the series is likely to fall. The resultant extended series have been used to calculate the corresponding likely range of revised trend estimates. No that this range does not take account of revisions which might arise from seasonal adjustment

There is a margin of error surrounding the trend estimates, particularly at the end of the series. The trend can be used to get a general impression of the underlying trend behaviour of employment, or ILO unemployment, but month-on-month changes in the trend numbers should not be reported

For further information, please see the article on pp431-6, Labour Market Trends, August 1999.





### LABOUR MARKET SUMMARY Labour Force Survey trend series: employment and unemployment

UNITED KINGDOMa	Employment <sup>b</sup>		ILO unemployment <sup>c</sup>	
	Level (thousands)	Rate (per cent)	Level (thousands)	Rate (per cent)
3-month averages  Apr-Jun 1993  May-Jul  Jul-Sep  Aur-Oct  Sej-Nov  Oct-Dec  Noy 93-Jan 94  Dec 93-Feb 94	25,556 25,564 25,575 25,588 25,605 25,623 25,645 25,669 25,696	70.3 70.3 70.4 70.4 70.4 70.4 70.5 70.5 70.6	2,993 2,980 2,968 2,957 2,946 2,935 2,920 2,903 2,882	10.5 10.4 10.4 10.4 10.3 10.3 10.2 10.2
Jan-Mar 1994 Feb Apr Mar-May Apr-Jun May-Jul Jur-Aug Jur-Sep Aur-Oct Sep Nov Oct-Dec Nov 94-Jan 95 Dec 34-Feb 95	25,724 25,753 25,780 25,807 25,833 25,858 25,882 25,905 25,927 25,951 25,975 26,001	70.6 70.7 70.8 70.8 70.9 70.9 71.0 71.0 71.1 71.1	2,859 2,833 2,807 2,778 2,7749 2,717 2,684 2,650 2,617 2,589 2,565 2,547	10.0 9.9 9.8 9.7 9.6 9.5 9.4 9.3 9.2 9.1 9.0 8.9
Jac Mar 1995 Feb Apr Mar May Ap Jun Mar Jul Jub Aug Jub Aug Jub Sep Aur Oct Sep Mov Out 95-Jan 96 Des 95-Feb 96	26,030 26,061 26,094 26,128 26,163 26,197 26,231 26,262 26,290 26,315 26,335 26,335 26,353	71.2 71.2 71.3 71.4 71.4 71.5 71.6 71.6 71.7 71.8 71.8	2,534 2,523 2,513 2,504 2,496 2,487 2,479 2,469 2,459 2,448 2,448 2,436 2,424	8.9 8.8 8.7 8.7 8.7 8.6 8.6 8.6 8.5 8.5
Jan-Mar1996 Fob-Apr Mar-May Apr-Jun Msy-Jul Jun-Aug Jun-Sep Act-Oct Sep-Nov Oct-Dec Nov 96-Jan 97 Doc 96-Feb 97	26,369 26,384 26,400 26,420 26,444 26,474 26,510 26,552 26,601 26,654 26,710 26,767	71.8 71.9 71.9 71.9 71.9 72.0 72.1 72.1 72.2 72.4 72.5 72.6	2,412 2,399 2,386 2,372 2,358 2,343 2,327 2,308 2,285 2,259 2,259 2,197	84 8.3 8.2 8.2 8.1 8.1 8.0 7.9 7.8 7.7 7.6
Jan-Mar 1997 Feb-Apr Mar-May Apr-Jun May-Jul Jun-Aug Ju-Sep Aug-Oct Ssp-Nov Oct-Dec Nov 97-Jan 98 Doc 97-Feb 98	26,823 26,874 26,921 26,963 26,969 27,030 27,057 27,060 27,100 27,120 27,140 27,161	72.7 72.8 72.9 73.0 73.0 73.1 73.1 73.2 73.2 73.2 73.2 73.3 73.3	2,165 2,132 2,100 2,070 2,040 2,010 1,981 1,982 1,994 1,899 1,877 1,860	7.5 7.3 7.2 7.1 7.0 6.9 6.8 6.7 6.6 6.5 6.5 6.5
Jan-Mar1998 Feb-Apr Mar-May Apr-Jun May-Jul Jur-Aug Jul-Sep Aug-Oct Sep-Nov Oct-Dec Nov98-Jan99 Dec98-Feb99	27,184 27,210 27,238 27,268 27,299 27,332 27,367 27,401 27,434 27,484 27,481 27,514	73.4 73.4 73.5 73.5 73.6 73.6 73.7 73.8 73.8 73.9 73.9	1,848 1,840 1,835 1,832 1,832 1,829 1,827 1,825 1,823 1,823 1,822 1,820 1,817	6.4 6.3 6.3 6.3 6.3 6.3 6.2 6.2 6.2 6.2 6.2
Jan-Mar1999 Feb-Apr Mar-May Apr-Jun May-Jul Jun-Aug Jul-Sep Aug-Oct Sep-Nov Oct-Dec Nov99-Jan2000 Dec 99-Feb 2000	27,535 27,551 27,551 27,591 27,613 27,639 27,666 27,665 27,723 27,723 27,752 27,781 27,811	73.9 74.0 74.0 74.0 74.1 74.1 74.1 74.2 74.2 74.3 74.3 74.4	1,811 1,803 1,793 1,781 1,769 1,769 1,758 1,748 1,740 1,732 1,724 1,724 1,715	6.2 6.1 6.1 6.0 6.0 5.9 5.9 5.9 5.9 5.8 5.8
Jan-Mar2000 Feb-Apr Mar-May Apr-Jun May-Jul Jun-Aug Jul-Sep Aug-Oct Sep-Nov Oct-Dec Nov2000-Jan2001 Dec2000-Feb2001	27,841 27,871 27,899 27,925 27,947 27,966 27,983 28,000 28,017 28,035 28,035	74.4 74.5 74.6 74.6 74.6 74.7 74.7 74.7 74.7 74.7	1,691 1,674 1,656 1,638 1,621 1,604 1,589 1,575 1,560 1,544	5.7 5.7 5.6 5.6 5.5 5.4 5.3 5.3 5.2 5.2
Jan-Mar 2001 Feb-Apr Mar-May Apr-Jun	28,079 28,102 28,125 28,147 <b>28,168</b>	74.7 74.8 74.8 74.8 <b>74.8</b>	1,515 1,503 1,495 1,490 1,487	5.1 5.1 5.0 <b>5.0</b>

Trend estimates prior to Dec 94-Feb 95 (excluding Mar-May periods), are based on data including interpolated data for Northern Ireland. For further information see pp211-15, Labour Market Trends, April 1999.
Levels are for those aged 16 and over and rates are for those of working age.
Levels are for those aged 16 and over. The rate is as a proportion of the economically active.

There is a margin of error surrounding the trend estimates, particularly at the end of the series. The trend can be used to get a general impression of the underlying behaviour of employment, or ILO unemployment, but month-on-month changes in the trend numbers should not be reported. For more information, see technical note on pS12.

All figures are revised.

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UNITED	KINGDOM	Workforce jobs			Constitution of the second
		Levels			
		All	Male	Female	
		DYDC	LOLA	LOLB	
1999	March	28,770	15,439	13,331	
1999	June	28,869	15,470	13,399	
	September	28,983	15,519	13,464	
	December	29,041	15,531	13,510	
0000	March	29,028	15,513	13,515	
.000	June	29,062	15,526	13,535	
	September	29,071	15,503	13,567	
	December	29,159	15,542	13,617	
001	March	29,147	15,518	13,629	
hange	on quarter	-12	-24	13	
Percent	511 quality	0.0	-0.2	0.1	
hange	on year	119	5	114	
Percent		0.4	0.0	0.8	

UNITED	KINGDOM	Claimant count <sup>a</sup>					
		Levels			Rates (%)b		
		All	Male	Female	All	Male	Female
	15	BCJD	DPAE	DPAF	BCJE	DPAH	DPAI
2000	July <sup>d</sup>	1,071.1	819.6	251.5	3.6	5.0	1.8
_000	August	1,057.3	810.4	246.9	3.5	4.9	1.8
	September <sup>d</sup>	1,043.3	798.9	244.4	3.5	4.9	1.8
	October	1,046.8	801.3	245.5	3.5	4.9	1.8
	November	1,039.9	795.4	244.5	3.4	4.9	1.8
	Decemberd	1,033.6	790.4	243.2	3.4	4.8	1.8
2001	January	1,006.3	768.8	237.5	3.3	4.7	1.7
.001	February	996.7	761.2	235.5	3.3	4.6	1.7
	March	986.0	753.4	232.6	3.3	4.6	1.7
	Aprild	980.0	748.6	231.4	3.2	4.6	1.7
	May	975.7	743.6	232.1	3.2	4.5	1.7
	June <sup>d</sup> R	963.1	733.8	229.3	3.2	4.5	1.7
	July P	950.3	725.5	224.8	3.2	4.4	1.6
Change	on month	-12.8	-8.3	-4.5	0.0	-0.1	0.0
Percent		-1.3	-1.1	-2.0			
Change	on year	-120.8	-94.1	-26.7	-0.4	0.6	-0.2
Percent		-11.3	-11.5	-10.6			

GREAT	BRITAIN	Whole economy ear	nings	UNITED	KINGDOM	Notified vacancies
		Average Earnings Index	Headline rate (3-month average) <sup>c</sup>			Level
		LNMQ	LNNC			DRYW
2000	June	123.5	4.2	2000	July August	220.6 219.0
	July	123.9	3.9		September	225.6
	August	124.8	4.0		0.11	201.2
	September	125.2	4.1		October November	221.3 220.2
	October	125.8	4.2		December	222.8
	November	126.4	4.2			
	December	128.1	4.4	2001	January February	224.9 233.2
2001	January	128.6	4.5		March	232.8
2001	February	131.1	5.2			
	March	128.4	5.0		April May	237.6 245.9
	April	128.9	5.2		June R	240.7
	May R	128.8	4.6			
	June P	129.5	4.8		July P	250.9
Change	on month	0.7	0.2			10.2
Change	on vear	6.0	0.6			30.3

Sources: Employer surveys; DfEE Training Data System; Benefits Agency administrative system Employment Service administrative system; Monthly Wages and Salaries Survey

Labour Market Statistics Helpline: 020 7533 6094

Count of claimants of unemployment-related benefits, i.e. Jobseeker's Allowance and/or National Insurance credits.

National and regional claimant count rates are calculated by expressing the number of claimants as a percentage of the estimated total workforce (the sum of claimants, employee jobs, self-employed, HM Forces and participants on work-related government training programmes) at mid-2000 for 2000 and 2001 figures and at the corresponding mid-year estimates for earlier years.

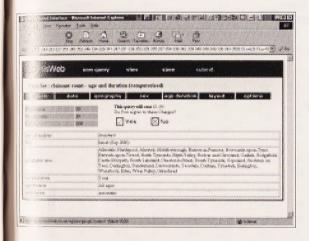
The headline rate is the annual change in the average seasonally adjusted series over the latest three months.

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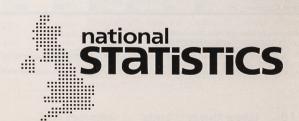


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## A. 11 LABOUR MARKET SUMMARY Regional summary

Thousands, seasonally adjusted

1	Total aged 6 and over		Economi	ically acti	ve			LFS em	ployment				IL	O unem	ployment		
Government	All	A	II	Male	Female	A	dl	Ma	ile	Fen	nale	Al	l	Ma	ale	Fer	male
Office Regions	Level	Level	Rate(%)a	Level	Level	Level	Rate(%)a	Level	Rate(%)a	Level	Rate(%)a	Level	Rate(%)b	Level	Rate(%)b	Level	Rate(%)b
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17
North East	2,032	1,186	74.1	657	529	1,099	68.6	600	72.6	498	64.2	88	7.4	56	8.6	31	5.9
North West	5,367	3,319	77.4	1,828	1,491	3,138	73.1	1,713	76.7	1,425	69.1	181	5.4	115	6.3	66	4.4
Yorkshire and the Humber	3,968	2,460	77.7	1,362	1,097	2,325	73.4	1,278	77.2	1,047	69.2	135	5.5	84	6.1	51	4.6
East Midlands	3,329	2,112	79.7	1,179	933	2,007	75.6	1,121	80.9	886	69.7	106	5.0	58	4.9	47	5.1
West Midlands	4,180	2,612	78.4	1,474	1,138	2,470	74.0	1,382	79.2	1,088	68.2	142	5.5	93	6.3	50	4.4
East	4,300	2,841	82.6	1,563	1,279	2,743	79.7	1,510	84.9	1,232	73.9	99	3.5	52	3.4	46	3.6
ondon	5,726	3,706	76.5	2,083	1,623	3,481	71.7	1,943	77.7	1,538	65.1	225	6.1	140	6.7	85	5.2
South East	6,387	4,273	83.1	2,348	1,925	4,137	80.4	2,273	85.6	1,864	74.7	136	3.2	75	3.2	61	3.2
South West	3,934	2,509	82.4	1,369	1,140	2,419	79.4	1,320	83.5	1,099	74.9	89	3.6	49	3.6	41	3.6
England	39,223	25,018	79.4	13,863	11,155	23,818	75.5	13,141	80.3	10,677	70.2	1,201	4.8	722	5.2	478	4.3
Wales	2,316	1,333	73.1	738	595	1,250	68.5	683	72.1	567	64.4	83	6.2	55	7.5	28	4.7
Scotland	4,042	2,551	78.7	1,375	1,176	2,396	73.9	1,281	77.2	1,115	70.3	155	6.1	94	6.9	61	5.2
Great Britain	45,581	28,902	79.0	15,976	12,926	27,463	75.0	15,104	79.6	12,360	69.9	1,439	5.0	872	5.5	567	4.4
Northern Irelan	nd 1,271	757	72.2	430	327	712	67.8	400	74.5	312	60.6	45	5.9	30	7.0	15	4.6
United Kingdo		29,659	78.8	16,406	13,253	28,175	74.8	15,504	79.5	12,671	69.6	1,484	5.0	902	5.5	582	4.4

### Change on quarterc

To	tal aged		Econom	ically acti	ve			LFS em	ployment				·IL	O unem	ployment		
Government	All	A		Male	Female	Al	1	Ma	ale	Fen	nale	Al		Ma	ale	Fem	ale
Office Regions	Level	Level	Rate(%)a	Level	Level	Level	Rate(%)a	Level	Rate(%)a	Level	Rate(%)a	Level	Rate(%)b	Level	Rate(%)b	Level	Rate(%)b
North East	0	-1	-0.2	-6	5	5	0.3	-1	-0.3	6	0.9	-6	-0.5	-5	-0.7	-1	-0.3
North West	1	25	0.6	6	19	14	0.3	-5	-0.4	19	1.1	11	0.3	11	0.6	0	0.0
Yorkshire and the Humber	3	-12	-0.5	-16	4	-14	-0.5	-8	-0.6	-5	-0.4	1	0.1	-8	-0.5	9	0.8
East Midlands	5	11	0.2	. 4	7	4	-0.1	5	0.1	-2	-0.3	8	0.3	-1	-0.1	9	0.9
West Midlands	2	-10	-0.3	-8	-2	-4	-0.1	-8	-0.5	3	0.3	-5	-0.2	0	0.0	-5	-0.4
East	8	-19	-0.6	-15	-4	-18	-0.5	-10	-0.6	-8	-0.4	-1	0.0	-5	-0.3	4	0.3
London	19	32	0.2	18	14	46	0.4	20	0.3	26	0.6	-14	-0.4	-2	0.2	-12	-0.8
South East	13	.11	0.0	9	2	14	0.0	13	0.2	1	-0.2	-4	-0.1	-4	-0.2	0	0.0
South West	7	12	0.2	2	11	20	0.5	7	0.3	13	0.7	-8	-0.3	-6	-0.4	-2	-0.2
England	58	48	0.0	-8	56	66	0.0	13	-0.1	54	0.2	-18	-0.1	-20	-0.1	2	0.0
Wales	2	-9	-0.9	-9	0	-10	-0.9	-12	-1.5	1	-0.3	1	0.1	3	0.4	-2	-0.3
Scotland	2	15	0.2	-5	20	9	0.0	-6	-0.6	15	0.6	6	0.2	1	0.1	5	0.3
Great Britain	61	54	0.0	-21	75	65	0.0	-5	-0.2	70	0.2	-12	0.0	-17	-0.1	5	0.0
Northern Ireland	2	8	0.9	0	7	10	1.1	1	0.5	9	1.8	-2	-0.3	-1	-0.2	-1	-0.5
United Kingdo	m 63	61	0.0	-21	83	75	0.0	-4	-0.2	79	0.3	-14	-0.1	-18	-0.1	4	0.0

### Change on year

16ar	al aged		Econom	ically acti	ve			LFS em	ployment				IL	O unemp	oloyment		
Government	All	A		Male	Female	А	II COMPA	Ma	ile	Fen	nale	Al		Ma	ale	Fem	ale
Office Regions	Level	Level	Rate(%)a	Level	Level	Level	Rate(%)a	Level	Rate(%)a	Level	Rate(%)a	Level	Rate(%)b	Level	Rate(%)b	Level	Rate(%)b
lorth East	-1	-25	-1.4	-15	-11	-5	-0.1	0	0.4	-5	-0.5	-20	-1.5	-14	-2.0	-5	-0.9
North West	3	9	0.1	-22	32	9	0.1	-25	-1.4	34	1.7	0	0.0	3	0.2	-2	-0.3
orkshire and the Humber	9	-37	-1.3	-23	-13	-18	-0.7	-12	-0.9	-7	-0.5	-18	-0.6	-11	-0.7	-7	-0.6
ast Midlands	20	-24	-1.2	-12	-12	-26	-1.3	-9	-1.1	-17	-1.4	2	0.2	-3	-0.2	5	0.6
West Midlands	8	-4	-0.2	23	-27	11	0.3	. 23	1.0	-11	-0.5	-16	-0.6	0	-0.1	-16	-1.2
East	30	53	1.0	18	35	55	1.1	28	1.0	27	1.2	-2	-0.1	-10	-0.7	8	0.5
ondon	87	68	0.1	50	18	104	0.9	67	1.0	37	0.6	-36	-1.1	-17	-1.0	-19	-1.2
South East	55	21	-0.6	6	16	24	-0.4	6	-0.5	. 18	-0.3	-3	-0.1	0	0.0	-3	-0.2
South West	29	21	0.1	3	18	37	0.7	15	0.3	22	1.1	-16	-0.7	-12	-0.9	-4	-0.4
England	240	83	-0.3	27	56	190	0.1	91	0.0	99	0.3	-107	-0.4	-65	-0.5	-43	-0.4
Wales	7	-3	-1.2	-4	1	-3	-1.2	-8	-1.7	4	-0.7	0	0.0	4	0.5	-3	-0.6
Scotland	5	14	0.3	-2	16	37	1.0	16	1.1	21	1.0	-23	-1.0	-18	-1.3	-5	-0.5
Great Britain	253	94	-0.3	21	73	224	0.1	100	0.0	125	0.3	-131	-0.5	-79	-0.5	-52	-0.4
Northern Ireland	7	22	1.9	15	8	25	2.2	16	3.2	9	1.2	-3	-0.6	-2	-0.6	-2	-0.6
United Kingdom	260	116	-0.2	35	81	250	0.2	116	0.1	134	0.3	-134	-0.5	-81	-0.5	-53	-0.4

Relationship between columns: 2=4+5=6+12; 6=8+10; 12=14+16.
a Denominator = all persons of working age.
b Denominator = total economically active.
C Quarter to quarter changes at regional level are particularly subject to sampling variability and should be interpreted in the context of changes over several quarters rather than in isolation.

 $\label{thm:commodation} The \, Labour Force \, Survey \, is \, a \, survey \, of the \, population \, in \, private \, households, \, student \, halls \, of \, residence \, and \, NHS \, accommodation.$ 

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	Em	ployer surve	ys		Bene	fits Agency ac	dministratives	ystem		mployment S	Service admini	strative system
		kforce jobs (M sonally adjus				Claimant cou	nt (July 2001)			Jobcentre v	acancies <sup>d</sup> (Jul	y 2001)
	All	Male	Female	,	All	Ma	ale	Fem	nale			
	Level	Level	Level	Level	Ratee	Level	Ratee	Level	Ratee	Notified vacancies	Unfilled vacancies	Outflow of vacancies
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
North East	1,066	540	526	61.1	5.3	49.0	7.9	12.1	2.3	11.7	24.8	11.5
North West	3,140	1,638	1,502	121.1	3.7	94.9	5.3	26.2	1.7	29.2	47.4	29.1
You shire and the Humber	2,291	1,197	1,094	95.4	3.9	73.8	5.6	21.6	1.9	25.7	48.8	21.0
EastMidlands	1,913	1,007	906	63.3	3.2	47.3	4.4	16.0	1.7	17.4	31.6	14.5
WestMidlands	2,531	1,347	1,184	97.0	3.6	74.3	5.1	22.7	1.9	24.4	45.3	21.6
East	2,514	1,368	1,146	54.0	2.1	40.0	2.8	14.0	1.2	21.7	35.7	16.7
Lo idon	4,521	2,428	2,093	150.3	3.2	110.6	4.4	39.7	1.9	25.1	41.6	22.3
SouthEast	4,130	2,202	1,928	65.1	1.5	49.1	2.1	16.0	0.8	26.7	50.4	24.8
South West	2,359	1,250	1,109	52.2	2.1	38.6	2.9	13.6	1.2	24.3	49.2	20.6
Emiand	24,464	12,977	11,487	759.6	3.0	577.7	4.2	181.9	1.6	206.2	374.8	182.1
Vie es	1,237	636	601	49.7	3.8	38.4	5.6	11.3	1.8	13.8	23.5	12.9
Sadand	2,362	1,246	1,116	101.8	4.1	79.6	5.8	22.2	1.9	27.5	37.1	30.1
Coat Britain	28,064	14,860	13,203	911.1	3.1	695.7	4.4	215.4	1.6	247.5	435.4	225.1
Northern Ireland	750	405	345	39.2	5.0	29.8	6.8	9.4	2.7			
talted Kingdom	28,814	15,266	13,548	950.3	3.2	725.5	4.4	224.8	1.6	250.9	444.3	228.5

### hanges on period (period specified below)

	Employer surveys  Civilian workforce jobs (change on December 2000); not seasonally adjuste				Bene	fits Agency ac	Iministratives	ystem	- CANTON IN	Employment 9	Service admin	strative system
					Clain	nant count (cl	nange on June	2001)			bcentre vacan hange on June	
	All	Male	Female	-	All	Ma	ale	Fem	ale			
	Level	Level	Level	Level	Ratee	Level	Ratee	Level	Ratee	Notified vacancies	Unfilled vacancies	Outflow of vacancies
North East	-14	-9	-4	-0.7	-0.1	-0.4	-0.1	-0.3	-0.1	1.3	0.2	1.1
15 rth West	-31	-14	-18	-1.7	-0.1	-1.2	-0.1	-0.5	0.0	1.4	-0.2	1.3
Yorkshire and Humber	-34	-25	-10	-1.0	0.0	-0.6	0.0	-0.4	0.0	1.5	4.5	-0.2
EastMidlands	-17	-15	-3	-0.8	0.0	-0.5	0.0	-0.3	0.0	0.7	2.3	1.2
Vest Midlands	-26	-20	-6	-1.7	-0.1	-1.2	-0.1	-0.5	0.0	0.9	2.5	-0.1
East	-19	-1	-18	-0.6	0.0	-0.4	0.0	-0.2	0.0	1.9	4.4	-0.7
London	-41	-19	-22	-1.2	0.0	-0.9	0.0	-0.3	0.0	0.0	2.1	1.9
South East	-43	-10	-33	-0.9	0.0	-0.6	0.0	-0.3	0.0	0.5	1.5	1.1
South West	4	-1	4	-1.0	0.0	-0.8	-0.1	-0.2	0.0	-0.1	2.2	3.1
England	-223	-114	-109	-9.4	0.0	-6.4	0.0	-3.0	0.0	-8.0	19.7	8.7
Wales	-4	2	-5	-0.9	-0.1	-0.5	-0.1	-0.4	-0.1	1.0	0.2	1.2
Scotland	-25	-19	-6	-2.0	-0.1	-1.1	-0.1	-0.9	-0.1	1.3	-2.8	0.8
Great Britain	-251	-131	-121	-12.2	0.0	-8.0	-0.1	-4.2	0.0	10.2	17.1	10.7
Northern Ireland	-5	-3	-2	-0.5	-0.1	-0.3	-0.1	-0.2	-0.1	92.00	10000	
United Kingdom	-256	-134	-122	-12.8	0.0	-8.3	-0.1	-4.5	0.0	10.2	17.1	10.7

The vacancy data for Northern I reland have been suspended since March 1999.

National and regional claimant count rates are calculated by expressing the number of claimants as a percentage of the estimated total workforce (the sum of claimants, employee jobs, self-employed, HM armed forces and government-supported trainees) at mid-1999 for 1999 and 2000 figures and at the corresponding mid-year estimates for earlier years.

### TECHNICAL NOTE: LABOUR FORCE SURVEY SAMPLING VARIABILITY - April to June 2001

	Employment level (000s)	ILO unemployment level (000s)	Economically active level (000s)	Working age economically inactive level (000s)	Employment rate (%)	ILO unemployment rate (%)
North East	±34	±12	± 34	± 35	±1.8%	±1.0%
North West	±58	±18	±58	±57	±1.1%	±0.5%
Yorkshire and the Humber	± 47	±15	± 46	± 46	±1.2%	±0.6%
-ast Midlands	±43	±14	±43	±41	±1.3%	±0.7%
West Midlands	± 48	±16	± 48	± 47	±1.2%	±0.6%
East	± 47	±14	± 47	±43	±1.0%	±0.5%
condon	± 60	±21	±58	±57	±1.1%	±0.6%
South East	± 58	± 15	±57	± 52	±0.9%	±0.4%
South West	± 46	± 12	± 46	± 43	±1.1%	±0.5%
Vales	± 37	±12	± 36	±38	±1.7%	±0.9%
Scotland	± 46	±16	± 45	± 44	±1.2%	±0.6%

The Labour Force Survey data in table A.11 are based on statistical samples and, as such, are subject to sampling variability. If many samples were drawn, each would give a different result. The ranges shown for the LFS data in this table represent '95 per cent confidence intervals'. It is expected that in 95 per cent of samples the range would contain the true value. The ranges are approximated from not seasonally adjusted data in line with research on the topic. For more information, see the *Guide to Labour Market* Statistics Releases.

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Following the introduction of the Local Labour Force Survey, the survey design for the main Labour Force Survey has changed, from June 2000, temporarily increasing standard errors. See technical note, pS12.

## EMPLOYMENT Full-time, part-time and temporary workers

Thousands	seasonally adjust-

JNITED (INGDOM —		AIII	n employment			Total wor		Employ		Self-em		
	Total workers	Employees	Self- employed	Unpaid family workers	Government supported training and employment programmes	Full-time	Part-time	Full-time	Part-time	Full-time	Part-time	Workers with second jobs
A STATE OF THE STA	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	1
All Spring quarters	MGRZ	MGRN	MGRQ	MGRT	MGRW	YCBE	УСВН	усвк	YCBN	YCBQ	YCBT	YCBW
Spring quarters Mar-May) 993	25,568 25,780	21,877 21,998	3,186 3,303	150 145	355 335	19,473 19,526	6,095 6,255	16,667 16,648	5,210 5,350	2,604 2,692	582 611	1,042 1,149
994 995 996	26,100 26,412	22,312 22,730	3,364 3,304	139 127	284 250	19,794 19,866	6,306 6,546	16.882	5,431 5,688	2,734 2,656	630 649 690	1,293 1,297 1,258
997 998	26,916 27,227	23,218 23,657 24,084	3,358 3,290 3,214	118 102 101	222 178 162	20,219 20,473 20,718	6,697 6,755 6,843	17,043 17,392 17,773 18,084	5,827 5,885 6,000	2,668 2,571 2,523	719 690	1,190 1,283
999 2000 2001	27,560 27,913 28,180	24,084 24,497 24,760	3,160 3,171	108 97	148 153	20,967 21,161	6,946 7,020	18,393 18,544	6,104 6,215	2,465 2,513	694 658	1,190 1,182
-month averages Apr-Jun 2000	27,926	<b>24,516</b> 24,529	3,147	111	151	20,957	6,969	18,394	<b>6,122</b> 6,145	<b>2,453</b> 2,474	<b>694</b> 696	<b>1,179</b> 1,165
May-Jul lun-Aug (Sum)	27,964 27,980	24,529 24,552	3,171 3,159	115 115	150 154	20,965 20,959	6,999 7,021	18,384 18,376	6,176	2,475	683	1,170
Aug-Oct	27,992 27,977 27,975	24,561 24,565 24,584	3,167 3,165 3,153	113 108 105	150 139 133	20,949 20,970 20,960	7,043 7,007 7,015	18,359 18,381 18,390	6,202 6,183 6,195	2,483 2,489 2,477	684 676 676	1,168 1,173 1,182
Sep-Nov (Aut) Oct-Dec	28,001	24,622	3,144	102	132 140	20,997	7,003 7,035	18,427 18,443	6,196 6,224	2,474 2,495	670 672	1,197 1,200
Nov 2000-Jan 2001 Dec 2000-Feb 2001 (Win)	28,075 28,088	24,667 24,674	3,167 3,179	101	137	21,039 21,051	7,037	18,448	6,226	2,506	673	1,170
lan-Mar 2001 Feb-Apr Mar-May (Spr)	28,101 28,142 28,180	<b>24,670</b> 24,722 24,760	<b>3,181</b> 3,174 3,171	99 96 97	151 150 153	<b>21,065</b> 21,127 21,161	<b>7,035</b> 7,015 7,020	18,454 18,519 18,544	<b>6,216</b> 6,203 6,215	<b>2,511</b> 2,507 2,513	670 666 658	1,152 1,165 1,182
Apr-Jun	28,175	24,773	3,161	95	146	21,158	7,018	18,545	6,228	2,512	648	1.189
Changes Over last 3 months	75	104	-20	-4	-4 -2.9	<b>93</b> 0.4	-18 -0.2	<b>92</b> 0.5	12 0.2	0.0	-21 -3.2	<b>38</b> 3.3
Percent Over last 12 months	0.3 250	0.4 257	-0.6 <b>14</b>	-4.1 -16	-5	201	49	151	106	59	-45	10
Per cent Male	0.9	1.0 MGRO	0.4 MGRR	-14.5 MGRU	-3.4 MGRX	1.0 YCBF	0.7 YCBI	0.8 YCBL	1.7 YCBO	2.4 YCBR	-6.5 YCBU	0.9 YCBX
Spring quarters Mar-May)					232	13,059	1,026	10.743	678	2,185	203	471
1993 1994 1995	14,085 14,224 14,451	11,421 11,471 11,670	2,389 2,485 2,554	43 49 43	219 183	13,124 13,296	1,100 1,155	10,743 10,737 10,870	734 801	2,270 2,321	215 233	510 546
1996 1997 1998	14,562 14,857 15,067	11,885 12,187 12,503	2,477 2,494 2,419	43 39 29 36 38	157 137 116	13,327 13,540 13,736	1,234 1,316 1,330	10,995 11,201 11,509	986 994	2,239 2,241 2,148 2,128	238 253 271	552 558 526
1999	15,210 15,409	12,680 12,972	2,386 2,310	36 38	108 90 100	13,837 14,012 14,121	1,373 1,397 1,410	11,637 11,909 11,950	1,043 1,063 1,095	2,128 2,039 2,100	258 271 249	546 506 488
2001 3-month averages	15,530	13,045	2,349	36								500
Apr-Jun 2000 May-Jul Jun-Aug (Sum)	<b>15,388</b> 15,400 15,399	<b>12,951</b> 12,953 12,954	<b>2,308</b> 2,319 2,312	37 37 35	92 91 98	<b>13,995</b> 14,007 14,002	<b>1,393</b> 1,393 1,397	11,893 11,892 11,883	<b>1,058</b> 1,060 1,071	<b>2,035</b> 2,049 2,050	<b>273</b> 270 262	493 495
Jul-Sep	15,419	12,969	2,315 2,323	37	97 89	14,020 14,031	1,398 1,393	11,893 11,900	1,076 1,078	2,057 2,068	258 255	492 495
Aug-Oct Sep-Nov (Aut)	15,425 15,426	12,977 12,990	2,317	36 35	85	14,025	1,402	11,904	1,086	2,062	255 256	497 505
Oct-Dec Nov 2000-Jan 2001 Dec 2000-Feb 2001 (Win)	15,449 15,476 15,484	13,014 13,007 12,999	2,319 2,343 2,359	35 36 38	81 91 89	14,043 14,056 14,054	1,406 1,421 1,430	11,920 11,902 11,886	1,105 1,113	2,062 2,088 2,103	255 256	507 485
Jan-Mar 2001 Feb-Apr	<b>15,508</b> 15,518	<b>13,011</b> 13,023	<b>2,362</b> 2,360	<b>37</b> 37	98 98	<b>14,071</b> 14,097	1,437 1,421	<b>11,893</b> 11,924	<b>1,117</b> 1,099	<b>2,110</b> 2,105 2,100	<b>252</b> 255	<b>479</b> 475
Mar-May (Spr)	15,530	13,045	2,349	36	100	14,121	1,410 1,396	11,950 11,946	1,095 1,090	2,100 2,092	249 243	488 <b>491</b>
Apr-Jun Changes	15,504	13,036	2,335	34		14,108						12
Over last 3 months Percent	0.0	<b>26</b> 0.2	-27 -1.1	-3 -7.0	<b>0</b> 0.4	<b>37</b> 0.3	-41 -2.8	<b>53</b> 0.4	<b>-27</b> -2.5	-18 -0.8	-3.7	2.5
Over last 12 months Per cent	116 0.8	<b>85</b> 0.7	<b>27</b> 1.2	-3 -7.5	7 7.3	113 0.8	0.2	<b>53</b> 0.4	<b>32</b> 3.0	57 2.8	-30 -11.0	-9 -1.8
Female Spring quarters	MGSB	MGRP	MGRS	MGRV	MGRY	YCBG	YCBJ	YCBM	YCBP	YCBS	YCBV	YCBY
(Mar-May) 1993 1994	11,483 11,556	10,456 10,527	797 817	107 96 96	123 116	6,414 6,402	5,069 5,154	5,924 5,911	4,532 4,616	418 421	396	571 639
1995 1996 1997	11,649 11,850 12,060	10,642 10,845 11,032	810 828 864	84	101 93 84	6,498 6,539 6,679	5,151 5,311 5,381	6,012 6,047 6,191	4,630 4,798 4,841	413 417 427	411 437	746 745 700
1998 1999	12,160 12,350	11,155 11,404	871 828	80 72 64	62 54	6,736 6,881	5,424 5,469	6,264 6,447	4,891 4,957 5,041	423 395 427	448 433 423	663 737 684
2000 2001	12,504 12,650	11,526 11,715	850 823	71 60	58 53	6,955 7,040	5,549 5,610	6,485 6,595	5,120	413		694
3-month averages Apr-Jun 2000 May-Jul	<b>12,538</b> 12,564	<b>11,565</b> 11,576	<b>839</b> 851	74 78	<b>60</b> 59	<b>6,962</b> 6,958	<b>5,575</b> 5,606	<b>6,501</b> 6,491	<b>5,064</b> 5,084	<b>418</b> 426	426	<b>679</b> 672
Jun-Aug (Sum)	12,581	11,598	846	78 80	56	6,957	5,623	6,493 6,466	5,105 5,126	425 426	421	676
Jul-Sep Aug-Oct Sep-Nov (Aut)	12,574 12,552 12,548	11,592 11,587 11,595	852 842 836	76 73 70	53 51 48	6,928 6,938 6,935	5,645 5,614 5,613	6,482 6,486	5,105 5,109	421 415	421	678 688
Oct-Dec Nov 2000-Jan 2001	12,551 12,598	11,608 11,660	825 824	67 65	51 49	6,954 6,984	5,597 5,615	6,506 6,541	5,102 5,120	412 407	417	692 693
Dec2000-Feb2001 (Win)	12,604	11,675 11,659	820 819	60	48 <b>53</b>	6,997 6,994	5,607 <b>5,599</b>	6,561 <b>6,561</b>	5,113 <b>5.099</b>	403 401	418	685 <b>67</b> 3
<b>Jan-Mar 2001</b> Feb-Apr Mar-May (Spr)	<b>12,593</b> 12,624 12,650	11,699 11,715	813 823	59 60	52 53	7,030 7,040	5,594 5,610	6,595 6,595	5,104 5,120	402 413	412	689 694
Apr-Jun	12,671	11,737	825	61	48	7,050	5,622	6,599	5,138	420	406	69
Changes Over last 3 months	<b>79</b> 0.6	<b>78</b> 0.7	7 0.8	-1 -2.3	-5 -9.0	<b>56</b> 0.8	<b>23</b> 0.4	<b>39</b> 0.6	<b>40</b> 0.8	19 4.7		3.
Percent  Over last 12 months	134	172	-13	-2.3	-9.0	87	46	98	74			1:

Note: Relationship between columns: 1 = 2 + 3 + 4 + 5; 1 = 6 + 7; 2 = 8 + 9; 3 = 10 + 11; 13 = 15 + 17 + 18 + 19; 20 = 21 + 23 + 24 + 25; 20 = 9 + 11; 14 = 13/2; 16 = 15/13; 22 = 21/20.

Full-time, part-time and temporary workers B.1

- CON	Tomporer	v employees	reasons for te	mporary work	ring)					d (reasons for			ds, seasonally adjusted
Total	Total as % of all employees	Could not find permanent job	% that could not find permanent job	Did not want permanent job	Had a contract with period of training	Some other reason	Total	Could not find full-time job	% that could not find full-time job	Did not want full-time job	III or disabled	Student or at school	
19	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	
YCBZ	YCCC	YCCF	YCCI	YCCL	YCCO	YCCR	YCCU	YCCX	YCDA	YCDD	YCDG	YCDJ	All Spring quarters (Mar-May)
1,357 1,492 1,60 1,67 1,79 1,745 1,77 1,729 1,729	6.2 6.8 7.3 7.4 7.7 7.4 7.1 7.1 7.0	569 626 705 684 685 632 603 532 480	42.0 42.0 43.2 40.9 38.3 36.2 35.2 30.8 27.8	361 402 457 472 543 535 541 558 522	81 98 92 86 99 98 113 102 93	346 365 377 430 464 480 458 537 631	5,792 5,961 6,060 6,337 6,516 6,604 6,690 6,798 6,874	808 841 835 814 818 781 703 673 633	13.9 14.1 13.8 12.9 12.6 11.8 10.5 9.9 9.2	4,300 4,355 4,398 4,579 4,660 4,742 4,878 4,942 5,033	87 89 92 85 91 112 119 124 141	598 675 735 858 948 969 990 1,059 1,067	(Mar-may) 1993 1994 1995 1996 1997 1997 1998 1999 2000 2001
1,7.3 1,7.0 1,7.0	<b>7.0</b> 7.1 7.0	<b>520</b> 508 512	<b>30.1</b> 29.2 29.7	<b>554</b> 570 550	102 102 103	<b>552</b> 559 557	<b>6,815</b> 6,841 6,860	<b>666</b> 665 670	<b>9.8</b> 9.7 9.8	<b>4,964</b> 4,977 5,008	125 130 133	<b>1,061</b> 1,069 1,048	3-month averages Apr-Jun 2000 May-Jul Jun-Aug (Sum)
1,705 1,600	6.9 6.8	499 488	29.3 29.0 28.2	550 535 542	90 94 101	566 564 571	6,886 6,859 6,870	670 668 660	9.7 9.7 9.6	5,026 5,015 5,012	135 132 131	1,055 1,044 1,067	Jul-Sep Aug-Oct Sep-Nov (Aut)
1,6 3 1,6 3 1,6 3	6.9 6.9 6.9	476 474 475	28.1 28.1	542 538	105 106	569 573	6,865 6,896	660 646	9.6 9.4	5,026 5,048	131 134 127	1,049 1,068	Oct-Dec Nov 2000-Jan 2001
1,7.3	6.9 <b>6.9</b>	465 <b>469</b>	27.3 27.5	555 <b>541</b>	105 102	577 597	6,899 6,886	630 636	9.1 9.2	5,066 5,044	127 129 134	1,075 1,077 1,064	Dec2000-Feb2000 (Win)  Jan-Mar 2001
1,733 1,728	7.0 7.0	470 480 <b>474</b>	27.1 27.8 <b>27.5</b>	541 522 <b>519</b>	103 93	619 631 <b>633</b>	6,869 6,874 <b>6,877</b>	630 633 <b>621</b>	9.2 9.2 <b>9.0</b>	5,042 5,033 <b>5,049</b>	141	1,064 1,067	Feb-Apr Mar-May (Spr) Apr-Jun
1,737	7.0	5	0.0	-22	-2	36	-9	-15	-0.2	5	16	-15	Changes Over last 3 months
1.0	-0.1	1.0 -46	-2.6	-4.1 -35	-1.7 -2	6.1 <b>81</b>	-0.1 <b>61</b>	-2.4 -45	-0.7	0.1 <b>85</b>	12.4	-1.4	Over last 12months
YC A	YCCD	-8.8 YCCG	YCCJ	-6.3	-1.5 YCCP	14.7 YCCS	0.9 YCCV	-6.8 YCCY	YCDB	1.7 YCDE	15.7 YCDH	0.2 YCDK	Male Spring quarters
7 5 2 3 29 88 24 05	5.3 5.8 6.5 6.3 6.3 6.5 6.2 6.2	294 320 382 357 362 335 334 292 259	48.4 48.1 50.1 47.4 43.7 42.5 40.5 36.3 32.1	110 131 155 158 203 192 217 219 210	44 46 55 51 56 53 66 57 54	159 168 170 187 209 208 207 236 283	881 948 1,034 1,127 1,238 1,264 1,301 1,334 1,344	267 266 288 294 306 303 284 267 244	30.4 28.0 27.8 26.1 24.7 23.9 21.8 20.0 18.2	336 350 387 420 476 490 548 558	29 31 32 29 42 46 40 47 52	248 302 328 384 415 426 428 462 461	Spring quarters (Mar-May) 1993 1994 1995 1996 1997 1998 1999 2000 2001
90 <b>5</b> 903 96	<b>6.2</b> 6.2 6.1	289 283 284	<b>35.9</b> 35.2 35.7	215 217 213	56 56 55	<b>246</b> 247 243	<b>1,331</b> 1,331 1,333	<b>269</b> 263 265	<b>20.2</b> 19.8 19.9	<b>557</b> 560 566	<b>48</b> 51 50	<b>457</b> 457 452	3-month averages Apr-Jun 2000 May-Jul Jun-Aug (Sum)
734 775 776	6.0 6.0 6.0	277 269 260	35.3 34.8 33.5	218 210 209	47 51 56	242 245 251	1,333 1,333 1,341	259 263 260	19.5 19.7 19.4	568 577 578	50 48 46	456 445 456	Jul-Sep Aug-Oct Sep-Nov (Aut)
777 786	6.0 6.0	259 264	33.3 33.5 32.0	212 214 223	59 60 63	248 248 255	1,350 1,360 1,369	268 261 256	19.8 19.2 18.7	589 591 601	46 50 46	447 457 465	Oct-Dec Nov 2000-Jan 2001 Dec 2000-Feb 2001 (Win)
796 799 811	6.1 6.1 6.2	255 253 254	31.6 31.4	<b>215</b> 214	<b>62</b> 65	<b>270</b> 278	1,370 1,354	<b>251</b> 250	18.3 18.4	<b>598</b> 593	<b>47</b> 49	<b>473</b> 462	Jan-Mar 2001 Feb-Apr
805 796	6.2 6.2 <b>6.1</b>	. <b>259</b>	32.1 31.4	210 209	54 <b>59</b>	283 278	1,344 1,333	244 232	18.2 17.4	587 <b>592</b>	52 56	461 454	Mar-May (Spr)  Apr-Jun
-3 -0.4	0.0	<b>-2</b> -0.9	-0.2	-6 -2.8	-3 -5.1	9 3.2	- <b>37</b> -2.7	-19 -7.7	-0.9	-7 -1.1	8 17.4	-19 -4.1	Changes Over last 3 months Per cent
-9 -1.1	-0.1	-39 -13.4	-4.5	-6 -2.8	3 4.6	33 13.4	<b>2</b> 0.2	<b>-37</b> -13.7	-2.8	<b>34</b> 6.2	8 17.3	- <b>4</b> -0.8	Over last 12 months Per cent
YCCB	YCCE	үссн	усск	YCCN	YCCQ	усст	YCCW	YCCZ	YCDC	YCDF	YCDI	YCDL	Female Spring quarters (Mar-May)
750 827 869 918 961 957 891 924 921	7.2 7.9 8.2 8.5 8.7 8.6 7.8 8.0 7.9	276 307 323 327 323 298 269 240 222	36.8 37.1 37.1 35.6 33.6 31.1 30.2 26.0 24.1	251 271 303 313 340 343 324 339 313	37 53 37 36 43 45 47 44 39	187 197 207 242 255 272 250 301 348	4,911 5,012 5,026 5,209 5,278 5,339 5,390 5,464 5,530	540 575 547 520 512 478 420 406 389	11.0 11.5 10.9 10.0 9.7 9.0 7.8 7.4 7.0	3,964 4,005 4,012 4,159 4,184 4,251 4,330 4,384 4,446	58 59 60 56 49 67 79 76 89	349 373 407 474 532 543 561 597 606	1993 1994 1995 1996 1997 1998 1999 2000 2001
923 936 925	<b>8.0</b> 8.1 8.0	231 225 227	<b>25.0</b> 24.1 24.6	<b>339</b> 352 337	<b>46</b> 46 48	<b>307</b> 312 314	<b>5,485</b> 5,510 5,526	<b>397</b> 402 405	<b>7.2</b> 7.3 7.3	<b>4,407</b> 4,417 4,443	77 80 83	<b>604</b> 612 596	3-month averages Apr-Jun 2000 May-Jul Jun-Aug (Sum)
920 905 914	7.9 7.8 7.9	222 219 216	24.1 24.1 23.7	332 325 333	43 44 44	323 318 320	5,552 5,526 5,529	410 406 400	7.4 7.3 7.2	4,458 4,438 4,434	85 84 84	599 599 611	Jul-Sep Aug-Oct Sep-Nov (Aut)
911 906 906	7.8 7.8 7.8	215 211 210	23.6 23.3 23.1	330 324 332	45 46 43	321 324 322	5,515 5,536 5,530	392 385 374	7.1 7.0 6.8	4,437 4,457 4,465	85 84 81	601 610 610	Oct-Dec Nov 2000-Jan 2001 Dec 2000-Feb 2001 (Win)
910 923 921	<b>7.8</b> 7.9 7.9	217 216 222	23.8 23.4 24.1	326 328 313	40 38 39	<b>327</b> 341 348	<b>5,516</b> 5,515 5,530	<b>385</b> 380 389	<b>7.0</b> 6.9 7.0	<b>4,446</b> 4,448 4,446	81 84 89	<b>605</b> 602 606	<b>Jan-Mar 2001</b> Feb-Apr Mar-May (Spr)
930	7.9	224	24.0	310	42	355	5,544	389	7.0	4,457	89	609	Apr-Jun
20 2.2	0.1	7 3.3	0.3	-16 -5.0	1 3.5	<b>28</b> 8.4	<b>27</b> 0.5	1.1	0.0	11 0.2	8 9.4	0.7	Over last 3 months Percent
0.8	-0.1	-7 -3.0	-1.0	<b>-29</b> -8.6	<b>-4</b> -8.9	<b>48</b> 15.7	59 1.1	-8 -2.1	-0.2	<b>50</b> 1.1	11 14.7	5 0.9	Over last 12 months Per cent

## B.2 EMPLOYMENT Employment by age

JNITED	Allaged						50-64 (M)	seasonally adju
KINGDOM	over16	16-59/64	16-17	18-24	<u>25-34</u> 5	35-49	50-59 (F) 7	60+ (F) 8
	MGRZ	YBSE	УВТО	YBTR	YBTU	YВТХ	MGUW	MGUZ
Spring quarters (Mar-May)							4.570	
1993 1994 1995	25,568 25,780 26,100	24,799 25,002 25,308	576 584 607	3,638 3,491 3,390	6,807 6,932 7,048	9,202 9,312 9,463	4,576 4,684 4,799	769 778 792
1995 1996 1997	26,412 26,916	25,645 26.118	660 699	3,345 3,295	7,091 7.247	9,645 9,724	4,905 5,154	767 798
1998 1999	27,227 27,560	26,457 26,750	695 678	3,263 3,273	7,225 7,156	9,874 10,054	5,400 5,589	770 811
2000 2001	27,913 28,180	27,092 27,374	674 665	3,340 3,363	7,036 6,873	10,298 10,518	5,744 5,955	822 807
3-month averages Apr-Jun 2000	<b>27,926</b> 27,964	<b>27,102</b> 27,139	<b>675</b> 668	<b>3,331</b> 3,328	<b>7,009</b> 7,003	10,315 10,346	<b>5,772</b> 5,794	<b>824</b> 825
May-Jul Jun-Aug (Sum)	27,980	27,157	664	3,339	6,982	10,371	5,800	823
Jul-Sep Aug-Oct Sep-Nov (Aut)	27,992 27,977 27,975	27,173 27,158 27,151	650 648 650	3,348 3,343 3,336	6,978 6,961 6,947	10,391 10,388 10,398	5,806 5,818 5,820	819 819 824
Oct-Dec Nov 2000-Jan 2001	28,001 28,075	27,184 27,262	654 667	3,322 3,341	6,942 6,938	10,429 10,459	5,836 5,857	817 813
Dec 2000-Feb 2001 (Win)  Jan-Mar 2001	28,088 28,101	27,278 <b>27,302</b>	659 662	3,330 <b>3,336</b>	6,923 6,899	10,482 10,501	5,884 <b>5,904</b>	809 <b>799</b>
Feb-Apr Mar-May (Spr)	28,142 28,180	27,338 27,374	665 665	3,352 3,363	6,882 6,873	10,508 10,518	5,932 5,955	804 807
Apr-Jun	28,175	27,357	661	3,399	6,847	10,500	5,950	819
Changes Over last 3 months Per cent	<b>75</b> 0.3	<b>55</b> 0.2	-1 -0.1	<b>63</b> 1.9	-52 -0.8	-1 0.0	<b>46</b> 0.8	<b>20</b> 2.5
Over last 12 months Per cent	<b>250</b> 0.9	<b>255</b> 0.9	<b>-14</b> -2.1	<b>68</b> 2.0	-162 -2.3	185 1.8	178 3.1	-5 -0.6
ale	MGSA	YBSF	ҮВТР	YBTS	YBTV	YBTY	MGUX	MGVA
Spring quarters (Mar-May) 1993	14,085	13,830	290	1,914	3,861	4,970	2,795	255
1994 1995 1996	14,224 14,451 14,562	13,960 14,163 14,296	298 306 335	1,854 1,811 1,771	3,932 4,002 4,013	5,037 5,148 5,208	2,838 2,896 2,969	264 288 265
1997 1998	14,857 15,067	14,589 14,795	335 343 346	1,766 1.748	4,086 4,093	5,268 5,363	3,125 3,245	268 272 285
1999 2000 2001	15,210 15,409 15,530	14,925 15,126 15,268	346 335 336 331	1,752 1,791 1,802	4,025 3,962 3,869	5,459 5,616 5,717	3,355 3,421 3,548	285 283 262
3-month averages	15,388	15,110	332	1,785	3,939	5,619	3,434	278
Apr-Jun 2000 May-Jul Jun-Aug (Sum)	15,400 15,399	15,122 15,125	330 330	1,778 1,794	3,935 3,914	5,636 5,638	3,443 3,449	278 274
Jul-Sep Aug-Oct Sep-Nov (Aut)	15,419 15,425 15,426	15,145 15,147 15,149	327 323 325	1,798 1,783 1,780	3,913 3,914 3,910	5,651 5,660 5,668	3,456 3,467 3,466	274 278 278
Oct-Dec Nov 2000-Jan 2001 Dec 2000-Feb 2001 (Win)	15,449 15,476 15,484	15,177 15,208 15,215	325 331 325	1,784 1,792 1,790	3,902 3,898 3,889	5,684 5,693 5,703	3,482 3,494 3,509	272 268 269
Jan-Mar 2001 Feb-Apr	<b>15,508</b> 15,518	<b>15,249</b> 15,257	332 334 331	1,790 1,794 1,802	<b>3,886</b> 3,875 3,869	<b>5,718</b> 5,717	<b>3,524</b> 3,535 3,548	259 261 262
Mar-May (Spr)  Apr-Jun	15,530 <b>15,504</b>	15,268 15,234	327	1,823	3,848	5,697	3,539	270
Changes Over last 3 months	-4	-15	-5	<b>33</b> 1.9	-38 -1.0	-21 -0.4	15 0.4	12 4.5
Over last 12 months	0.0	-0.1 124	-1.5 -5	38 2.1	-91	78	104	-8 -2.8
Percent	0.8 MGSB	0.8 YBSG	-1.6 YBTQ	YBTT	-2.3 YBTW	1.4 YBTZ	3.0 MGUY	MGVB
Spring quarters (Mar-May) 1993	11,483	10,969	286	1,724	2.946	4.232	1.781	514
1994 1995	11,556 11,649	11,043 11,145	286	1,637 1,579	2,946 3,000 3,046	4,232 4,275 4,316	1,781 1,845 1,904	514 504
1996 1997 1998	11,850 12,060 12,160	11,348 11,530 11,662	324 356 349	1,573 1,529 1,515	3,078 3,161 3,132	4,438 4,455 4,511	1,936 2,029 2,155	502 530 498
1999 2000	12,350 12,504	11,825 11,966	343 338 334	1,521 1,549 1,560	3,131 3,074 3,004	4,594 4,682 4,801	2,155 2,235 2,323 2,407	526 538 544
3-month averages	12,650	12,106						546
Apr-Jun 2000 May-Jul Jun-Aug (Sum)	<b>12,538</b> 12,564 12,581	<b>11,992</b> 12,017 12,031	343 338 334	<b>1,546</b> 1,550 1,545	<b>3,069</b> 3,069 3,068	<b>4,696</b> 4,709 4,733	<b>2,337</b> 2,351 2,351	548 549
Jul-Sep Aug-Oct Sep-Nov (Aut)	12,574 12,552 12,548	12,028 12,011 12,002	323 325 325	1,550 1,559 1,556	3,065 3,047 3,037	4,741 4,728 4,730	2,350 2,351 2,354	546 541 546
Oct-Dec Nov 2000-Jan 2001 Dec 2000-Feb 2001 (Win)	12,551 12,598 12,604	12,006 12,054 12,063	329 336 334	1,538 1,548 1,540	3,041 3,041 3,034	4,745 4,766 4,779	2,353 2,363 2,375	545 545 541
Jan-Mar 2001	12,593	12,053 12,081	330 331	<b>1,547</b> 1,557	3,013 3,007	<b>4,783</b> 4,790	<b>2,380</b> 2,397	<b>540</b> 542
Feb-Apr Mar-May (Spr)	12,624 12,650	12,106	334	1,560	3,004	4,801	2,407	544
Apr-Jun Changes	12,671	12,123	334	1,576	2,999	4,803	2,411	548
Over last 3 month Per cent	<b>79</b> 0.6	<b>70</b> 0.6	1.2	30 1.9	<b>-15</b> -0.5	<b>20</b> 0.4	31 1.3	1.5
Over last 12 months Percent	134 1.1	131 1.1	-9 -2.5	<b>30</b> 1.9	-71 -2.3	107 23	74 32	3 0.5

a Denominator = all people in the relevant age group.

Employment rates by age B.2

	Per cent, seasona											
UNITED KINGDOM	Allaged over16	16-59/64	16-17	18-24	25-34	35-49	50-64 (M) 50-59 (F)	65+ (M) 60+ (F)				
_	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16				
	MGSR	MGSU	YBUA	YBUD	YBUG	YBUJ	YBUM	YBUP				
All Spring quarters (Mar-May)						70.0	24.0	70				
1993 1994 1995	56.3 56.7 57.2	70.4 70.8 71.3	43.5 45.0 45.1	64.0 63.7 64.2	74.1 74.7 75.6	79.0 79.0 79.4	61.9 62.4 63.0	7.6 7.7 7.8 7.5 7.8 7.5 7.9 8.0				
1995 1996 1997	57.6 58.5	71.9 72.9	45.1 46.4 47.9	64.2 65.8 66.6	75.9 78.0	79.7 80.0	63.5 64.5	7.5 7.8				
1998 1999	58.9 59.4 59.9	73.4 73.9 74.6	47.7 46.9	66.5 66.7 67.7	78.7 79.6 80.5	80.7 81.1 81.8	65.5 66.2 66.8	7.5 7.9 8.0				
2000 2001	60.2	74.9	46.8 45.5	67.4	80.5	82.1	68.0	7.8				
3-month averages Apr-Jun 2000	<b>59.9</b> 60.0	<b>74.6</b> 74.7	<b>46.9</b> 46.4	<b>67.5</b> 67.4	<b>80.4</b> 80.5	<b>81.8</b> 81.9	<b>67.0</b> 67.1	<b>8.0</b> 8.0				
May-Jul Jun-Aug (Sum)	60.0	74.7	46.1	67.6	80.5	82.0	67.1	8.0				
Jul-Sep Aug-Oct	60.0 59.9 59.9	74.7 74.6 74.5	45.1 44.9 44.9	67.7 67.5 67.3	80.4 80.4 80.4	82.0 81.9 81.8	67.1 67.1 67.0	8.0 8.0 8.0				
Sep-Nov (Aut) Oct-Dec	59.9	74.6	45.2	66.9	80.5	82.0	67.1	8.0 7.9				
Nov 2000-Jan 2001 Dec 2000-Feb 2001 (Win)	60.1 60.1	74.7 74.7	46.0 45.4	67.2 67.0	80.6 80.6	82.1 82.1	67.3 67.5	7.9				
Jan-Mar 2001 Feb-Apr	<b>60.1</b> 60.1	<b>74.8</b> 74.8	<b>45.5</b> 45.6	<b>67.0</b> 67.3	<b>80.5</b> 80.5	<b>82.2</b> 82.1	<b>67.6</b> 67.9	<b>7.8</b> 7.8 7.8				
Mar-May (Spr)	60.2	74.9 74.8	45.5 45.2	67.4 <b>68.1</b>	80.5 <b>80.4</b>	82.1 81.8	68.0 <b>67.9</b>	8.0				
Apr-Jun Changes								0.2				
Over last 3 months	0.1	0.0	-0.3	1.1	-0.1	-0.4	0.2					
Overlast 12 months	0.2	0.2	-1.7	0.6	0.0	0.0	0.9	-0.1				
Male Spring quarters	MGSS	MGSV	YBUB	YBUE	YBUH	YBUK	YBUN	YBUQ				
Spring quarters (Mar-May) 1993	64.1	75.1	42.6	66.0	83.0	85.3	64.2 64.4	7.1				
1994 1995 1996	64.5 65.2 65.3	75.6 76.4 76.7	44.8 44.4 46.0	66.2 67.1 68.2	83.7 84.6 84.6	85.5 86.3 85.9	65.0 65.9	8.0 7.3				
1997 1998	66.3 66.8	76.7 77.8 78.5	46.0 46.4 45.3	69.9 69.8	86.4 87.5	86.4 87.3	67.3 67.9	7.1 7.4 8.0 7.3 7.3 7.4 7.7 7.6				
1999 2000 2001	67.1 67.7 67.8	78.8 79.5 79.7	45.3 45.5 44.3	70.0 71.2 70.9	87.9 88.9 88.9	87.6 88.6 88.5	68.7 68.8 70.3	7.7 7.6 7.0				
3-month averages												
Apr-Jun 2000 May-Jul Jun-Aug (Sum)	<b>67.6</b> 67.6 67.6	<b>79.4</b> 79.5 79.4	<b>45.1</b> 44.8 44.8	<b>70.9</b> 70.6 71.3	<b>88.6</b> 88.7 88.5	<b>88.5</b> 88.6 88.5	<b>69.0</b> 69.1 69.1	<b>7.4</b> 7.4 7.3				
Jul-Sep	67.6	79.4	44.3	71.3	88.4	88.5	69.1	7.3				
Aug-Oct Sep-Nov (Aut)	67.6 67.5	79.4 79.4	43.7 43.8	70.6 70.4	88.6 88.7	88.5 88.5	69.3 69.2	7.4 7.4				
Oct-Dec Nov2000-Jan2001	67.6 67.7	79.5 79.6	43.8 44.5	70.5 70.7	88.7 88.8	88.6 88.6	69.4 69.6	7.3 7.1				
Dec 2000-Feb 2001 (Win)  Jan-Mar 2001	67.7 67.7	79.6 <b>79.7</b>	43.6 <b>44.5</b>	70.6 <b>70.5</b>	88.8 88.9	88.7 88.7	69.8 <b>70.0</b>	7.2 6.9				
Feb-Apr Mar-May (Spr)	67.8 67.8	79.7 79.7	44.7 44.3	70.6 70.9	88.8 88.9	88.6 88.5	70.1 70.3	7.0 7.0				
Apr-Jun	67.6	79.5	43.7	71.6	88.6	88.0	70.0	72				
Changes Over last 3 months	-0.1	-0.2	-0.9	1.1	-0.3	-0.7	0.1	0.3				
Overlast 12 months	0.0	0.1	-1.4	0.7	-0.1	-0.5	1.1	-0.3				
Female	MGST	MGSW	YBUC	YBUF	YBUI	YBUL	YBUO	YBUR				
Spring quarters (Mar-May)												
1993 1994 1995	49.0 49.3 49.6	65.2 65.4 65.8	44.3 45.2 45.9	62.0 61.1 61.2	65.0 . 65.6 66.4	72.6 72.6 72.4	58.6 59.5 60.3	7.8 7.8 7.7 7.7				
1996 1997	50.3 51.0	66.7 67.4	46.7 50.0	63.3 63.2	67.0 69.2	73.5 73.6	60.2 60.6	7.7 8.1 7.6				
1998 1999 2000	51.3 51.9 52.5	67.9 68.6 69.2	49.1 48.7 48.1	63.1 63.2 64.0	69.5 71.1 71.7	74.1 74.6 74.9	62.1 62.8 63.9	7.6 8.0 8.2				
2001	52.9	69.6	46.8	63.8	71.9	75.5	64.9	8.4				
3-month averages Apr-Jun 2000 May-Jul	<b>52.6</b> 52.7	<b>69.3</b> 69.5	<b>48.8</b> 48.1	<b>63.9</b> 64.0	<b>71.8</b> 71.9	<b>75.0</b> 75.2	<b>64.2</b> 64.5	<b>8.4</b> 8.4				
Jun-Aug (Sum)	52.8	69.5	47.5	63.8	72.1	75.4	64.4	8.4				
Jul-Sep Aug-Oct Sep-Nov (Aut)	52.7 52.6 52.6	69.4 69.3 69.2	45.9 46.1 46.0	63.9 64.2 64.0	72.1 71.8 71.7	75.4 75.1 75.0	64.2 64.2 64.1	8.4 8.3 8.4				
Oct-Dec	52.6	69.2	46.6	63.2	72.0	75.2	64.0	8.4				
Nov 2000-Jan 2001 Dec 2000-Feb 2001 (Win)	52.7 52.8	69.4 69.4	47.5 47.2	63.6 63.2	72.1 72.1	75.4 75.5	64.1 64.4	8.3 8.3				
Jan-Mar 2001 Feb-Apr	<b>52.7</b> 52.8	<b>69.3</b> 69.5	<b>46.5</b> 46.5	<b>63.4</b> 63.8	<b>71.8</b> 71.8	<b>75.5</b> 75.5	<b>64.4</b> 64.7	<b>8.3</b> 8.3				
Mar-May (Spr) Apr-Jun	52.9 <b>53.0</b>	69.6 <b>69.6</b>	46.8 46.8	63.8 64.4	71.9 <b>71.9</b>	75.5 <b>75.5</b>	64.9 <b>64.9</b>	8.4 8.4				
Changes												
Over last 3 months	0.3	0.3	0.4	1.0	0.1	0.0	0.5	0.1				
Over last 12 months	0.4	0.3	-1.9	0.6	0.1	0.4	0.6	0.1				

Note: Relationship between columns: 1=2+8; 2=3+4+5+6+7.

## B.11 EMPLOYMENT Workforce jobs<sup>a</sup>

_		Employeej	ohe				0-4			Thousands
		Male	obs	Female		All	Self- employment jobs (with or without	HM Forces <sup>b</sup>	Government- supported trainees <sup>d</sup>	Workforce jobs <sup>e</sup>
		All	Part-time <sup>f</sup>	All	Part-time <sup>f</sup>		employees)c	971 - 5713 (192		
	ED KINGDOM									
Not se 1997	easonally adjusted Sep Dec	12,273 12,422	1,524 1,606	BCAF 12,011 12,186	5,510 5,623	BCAD 24,284 24,608	BCAG 3,639 3,555	BCAH 210 211	DYCZ 171 163	DYDA 28,305 28,538
1998	Mar Jun Sep Dec	12,415 12,505 12,654 12,652	1,555 1,546 1,522 1,607	12,134 12,175 12,251 12,323	5,516 5,437 5,407 5,868	24,549 24,680 24,905 24,975	3,562 3,487 3,504 3,484	211 210 209 210	153 121 132 127	28,474 28,498 28,749 28,796
1999	Mar Jun Sep Dec	12,582 12,653 12,797 12,853	1,623 1,657 1,690 1,689	12,253 12,352 12,466 12,549	5,861 5,886 5,936 5,993	24,835 25,004 25,263 25,402	3,467 3,513 3,432 3,424	209 208 208 208	124 121 129 129	28,635 28,847 29,031 29,163
2000	Mar Jun Sep Dec	12,737 12,785 12,825 12,861	1,688 1,713 1,741 1,772	12,422 12,513 12,571 12,701	5,930 5,990 6,015 6,135	25,159 25,299 25,396 25,562	3,412 3,423 3,397 3,392	208 207 205 206	123 111 119 117	28,901 29,039 29,118 29,276
2001	Mar	12,719	1,725	12,590	6,070	25,309	3,392	206	113	29,020
UNITE	ED KINGDOM									
Seaso 1997	nally adjusted Sep Dec	BCHI 12,222 12,357	1,529 1,577	BCHJ 11,993 12,096	5,535 5,544	<b>BCAJ</b> 24,216 24,453	<b>DYZN</b> 3,614 3,564	LOJX 211 211	LOJU 170 155	DYDC 28,210 28,382
1998	Mar Jun Sep Dec	12,489 12,529 12,610 12,591	1,573 1,549 1,529 1,580	12,214 12,192 12,238 12,242	5,540 5,464 5,435 5,792	24,703 24,721 24,848 24,833	3,563 3,499 3,481 3,492	210 210 210 210	151 133 129 121	28,626 28,566 28,666 28,666
1999	Mar Jun Sep Dec	12,650 12,676 12,756 12,797	1,638 1,660 1,697 1,664	12,325 12,365 12,456 12,474	5,877 5,913 5,968 5,920	24,975 25,042 25,212 25,271	3,464 3,487 3,436 3,438	208 209 208 208	122 132 126 124	28,777 28,86 28,98 29,04
2000	Mar Jun Sep Dec	12,800 12,812 12,784 12,807	1,701 1,717 1,747 1,748	12,490 12,525 12,561 12,629	5,943 6,018 6,047 6,064	25,290 25,337 25,345 25,436	3,409 3,397 3,403 3,405	208 207 206 206	121 121 116 112	29,020 29,062 29,071 29,15
2001	Mar	12,782	1,737	12,657	6,081	25,438	3,392	205	. 111	29,14
GREA'	T BRITAIN									
	asonally adjusted Sep Dec	<b>DYCA</b> 11,974 12,119	1,476 1,556	DYCB 11,710 11,878	5,370 5,476	<b>DYCM</b> 23,683 23,997	<b>DYCT</b> 3,548 3,464	DYCU 210 211	<b>DYDE</b> 153 146	DYD 27,58 27,81
1998	Mar Jun Sep Dec	12,112 12,202 12,347 12,342	1,505 1,496 1,472 1,555	11,828 11,867 11,942 12,009	5,370 5,290 5,261 5,718	23,939 24,068 24,289 24,351	3,471 3,399 3,416 3,397	211 210 209 210	137 107 117 112	27,758 27,764 28,034 28,074
	Mar Jun Sep Dec	12,274 12,342 12,483 12,536	1,571 1,605 1,638 1,635	11,940 12,038 12,150 12,226	5,712 5,735 5,785 5,837	24,214 24,380 24,632 24,762	3,379 3,427 3,346 3,338	209 208 208 208	111 110 117 116	27,91 28,12 28,30 28,42
	Mar Jun Sep Dec	12,421 12,469 12,507 12,540	1,635 1,659 1,687 1,716	12,102 12,192 12,250 12,374	5,777 5,836 5,862 5,977	24,523 24,661 24,757 24,913	3,326 3,330 3,304 3,299	208 207 205 206	111 101 108 103	28,16 28,25 28,374 28,521
2001	Mar	12,401	1,670	12,264	5,912	24,665	3,298	206	100	28,27
GREAT	BRITAIN									
1997	aally adjusted Sep Dec	DYCF 11,923 12,055	1,482 1,527	DYCG 11,690 11,791	5,395 5,397	DYCN 23,613 23,846	<b>DYZO</b> 3,522 3,473	211 211	LOJT 152 138	DYDH 27,499 27,668
	Mar Jun Sep Dec	12,185 12,225 12,304 12,284	1,524 1,499 1,479 1,528	11,907 11,883 11,927 11,931	5,394 5,317 5,290 5,642	24,092 24,108 24,231 24,214	3,472 3,411 3,393 3,404	210 210 210 210	134 118 114 106	27,908 27,847 27,948 27,935
	Mar Jun Sep Dec	12,341 12,365 12,442 12,482	1,587 1,609 1,646 1,610	12,012 12,050 12,139 12,154	5,728 5,763 5,817 5,764	24,353 24,416 24,581 24,636	3,377 3,402 3,351 3,352	208 209 208 208	109 120 113 112	28,047 28,146 28,253 28,306
	Mar Jun Sep Dec	12,484 12,494 12,466 12,488	1,648 1,663 1,694 1,692	12,170 12,203 12,239 12,305	5,790 5,864 5,894 5,905	24,653 24,697 24,705 24,793	3,323 3,304 3,310 3,312	208 207 206 206	109 110 104 99	28,293 28,316 28,325 28,409
001 1	Mar	12,462	1,682	12,331	5,924	24,793	3,299	205	99	28,396

Source: Employment, Earnings and Productivity Division, ONS Customer helpline: 01633812079

Workforce jobs are calculated by summing employee jobs, self-employment jobs from the Labour Force Survey, HM Forces and government-supported trainees.

HM Forces figures, provided by the Ministry of Defence, are not subject to seasonal adjustment.

Estimates of self-employment jobs are based on the results of the Labour Force Survey. The Northern Ireland estimates are not seasonally adjusted.

Includes all participants on government training and employment programmes who are receiving some work experience on their placement but who do not have a contract of employment (those with a contract are included in the employee jobs series).

Employee jobs, self-employment jobs, HM Forces and government-supported trainees.

Estimates of part-time employees in the United Kingdom are only available on a quarterly basis since December 1992. The Northern Ireland component is not seasonally adjusted.

Note: Definitions of terms used will be found on pS3.

### S22 Labour Market trends September 2001

## Employee jobs by industry B.12

UNITED KINGDOM	All industries and s	ervices	Manufacturing ind D	ustries	Production industr C-E	ies	Production and co industries C-F	nstruction
SIC 1992 Section, subsection, group	All employee jobs unadjusted	Seasonally adjusted	All employee jobs unadjusted	Seasonally adjusted	All employee jobs unadjusted	Seasonally adjusted	All employee jobs unadjusted	Seasonally adjusted
	BCAD	BCAJ	YEJG	YEJL	YEJH	YEJF	LOJY	LOJZ
1988 Jun 1989 Jun 1990 Jun 1991 Jun 1991 Jun 1993 Jun 1994 Jun 1996 Jun 1997 Jun	23.563 23.990 24.265 23.576 23.213 22.879 22.971 23.317 23.601 24.156 24.680	23,560 23,990 24,254 23,556 23,196 23,196 22,934 23,277 23,598 24,195 24,721	4,920 4,904 4,779 4,360 4,140 3,960 3,977 4,076 4,117 4,175 4,196	4,926 4,914 4,794 4,372 4,146 3,960 3,975 4,076 4,121 4,185 4,204	5,361 5,327 5,182 4,737 4,480 4,259 4,242 4,317 4,349 4,406 4,416	5,402 5,371 5,227 4,778 4,512 4,257 4,257 4,331 4,354 4,416 4,424	6,575 6,583 6,452 5,908 5,514 5,221 5,204 5,250 5,270 5,382 5,514	6,612 6,623 6,496 5,949 5,573 5,243 5,221 5,266 5,282 5,406 5,531
999 Mar	24,835	24,975	4,086	4,099	4,294	4,307	5,394	5,417
Apr May Jun	25,004	25,042	4,064 4,051 4,048	4,082 4,068 4,054	4,270 4,256 4,252	4,288 4,273 4,259	5,364	5,377
Jul Aug Sep	25,263	25,212	4,045 4,044 4,029	4,042 4,035 4,013	4,248 4,245 4,228	4,244 4,234 4,212	5,380	5,355
Oct Nov Dec	25,402	25,271	4,026 4,021 4,002	4,016 4,008 3,992	4,223 4,217 4,195	4,212 4,203 4,186	5,348	5,329
00 Jan Feb Mar	25,159	25,290	3,986 3,980 3,967	3,991 3,988 3,975	4,176 4,171 4,158	4,183 4,179 4,166	5,305	5,325
Apr May Jun	25,299	25,337	3,952 3,944 3,945	3,967 3,960 3,950	4,141 4,133 4,134	4,156 4,149 4,139	5,305	5,316
Jul Aug Sep	25,396	25,345	3,942 3,939 3,921	3,939 3,930 3,908	4,131 4,128 4,109	4,127 4,117 4,095	5,272	5,249
Oct Nov Dec	25,562	25,436	3,916 3,912 3,890	3,907 3,899 3,883	4,103 4,099 4,077	4,093 4,085 4,070	5,236	5,222
001 Jan Feb Mar	25,309	25,438	3,877 3,868 3,862	3,882 3,875 3,869	4,063 4,054 4,048	4,070 4,062 4,055	5,206	5,223
Apr P May P <b>Jun P</b>			3,853 3,835 <b>3,823</b>	3,867 3,850 <b>3,830</b>	4,041 4,023 <b>4,011</b>	4,054 4,038 <b>4,017</b>		

UNITE	D KINGDOM			SEASONALLYA	DJUSTED					
		Service industries G-Q		Agriculture, hunting,	Mining and quarrying,	Food products, beverages	Manufacture of clothing,	Wood and wood	Paper, pulp, printing,	Chemicals, chemical
SIC 19 Sections		All employee jobs unadjusted	Seasonally adjusted	A,B 01-05	supply of electricity, gas and water C,E 10-14,40-41	DA 15-16	textiles, leather and leather products DB/DC 17-19	DD 20	publishing and recording media DE 21-22	products and man-made fibres DG 24
1988 1989 1990 1991 1992 1993 1994 1995 1996 1997 1998	Jun Jun Jun Jun Jun Jun Jun Jun Jun	YEJI 16,655 17,087 17,496 17,359 17,421 17,328 17,466 17,793 18,051 18,460 18,844	YEID 16,609 17,043 17,440 17,298 17,312 17,283 17,413 17,738 18,031 18,472 18,872	YEHU 338 324 318 309 311 327 300 273 286 317 318	YEJJ 477 457 433 406 366 319 281 255 233 231 220	LOKA 543 532 525 527 500 486 475 474 468 494 506	LOKB 603 570 525 448 430 423 414 398 390 383 369	LOKC 95 95 86 86 86 87 91 92 88 86 86 87 88	LOKD 463 472 473 463 454 445 445 445 466 466 474	LOKE 312 318 306 277 270 257 246 254 252 251
1999	Mar	19,142	19,250	309	208	499	336	83	472	253
	Apr May Jun	19,323	19,353	312	206 204 204	500 501 502	331 328 324	82 83 84	473 469 469	252 251 249
	Jul Aug Sep	19,559	19,553	304	202 200 198	503 503 497	320 318 315	84 83 83	471 471 469	248 247 246
	Oct Nov Dec	19,777	19,648	294	196 195 193	506 507 499	312 309 306	82 82 82	469 468 470	245 244 243
2000	Jan Feb Mar	19,548	19,651	314	192 191 191	503 503 502	305 304 300	83 84 84	469 469 469	242 241 241
	Apr May Jun	19,673	19,707	314	190 189 189	502 501 497	295 293 290	84 83 84	469 469 468	240 239 239
	Jul Aug Sep	19,811	19,802	294	188 187 187	500 501 491	288 285 282	84 85 85	468 466 466	239 239 239
	Oct Nov Dec	20,028	19,899	315	186 187 187	498 497 493	280 278 276	86 85 85	466 465 465	238 238 237
2001	Jan Feb Mar	19,824	19,927	287	188 187 187	495 494 494	271 271 268	85 85 85	465 464 464	237 237 236
	Apr P May P Jun P				188 188 <b>187</b>	494 494 <b>491</b>	267 264 <b>263</b>	84 84 83	465 462 <b>461</b>	236 236 <b>236</b>

These figures do not cover all employees in national and local government. They exclude those engaged in, for example, building, education and health. Members of HM Forces are excluded.

Note: Estimates for groups of industry classes are now seasonally adjusted from June 1978 for quarterly data and from September 1984 for monthly data. For unadjusted figures, please see Tables B.13 and B.14.

## B.12 EMPLOYMENT Employee jobs by industry: seasonally adjusted

	ED KINGDOM	Rubber and plastic products	Non-metallic mineral products, metal and metal	Machinery and equipment n.e.c.	Electrical and optical equipment	Transport equipment	Coke, nuclear fuel and other manufacturing n.e.c.	Construction	Wholesale and retail trade, and repairs	Hotels and restaurants
SIC 199 Section Subse		DH 25	products DI/DJ 26-28	DK 29	DL 30-33	DM 34-35	DF,DN 23,36-37	F 45	G 50-52	H 55
		LOKF	LOKG	LOKH	LOKI	LOKJ	LOKK	YEHX	LOKL	LOKM
1988 1989 1990 1991 1992 1993 1994 1995 1996 1997 1998	Jun Jun Jun Jun Jun Jun Jun Jun Jun Jun	233 236 230 203 197 201 211 234 240 251 253	877 892 878 785 741 698 708 709 720 721 700	479 482 481 451 416 376 373 386 391 391 390	578 575 544 483 442 421 436 473 497 508 518	507 498 489 435 404 355 349 372 390 408	238 244 245 215 208 208 213 227 225 242 243	1,210 1,252 1,269 1,171 1,060 965 964 935 928 990 1,107	3,811 3,953 4,027 3,957 3,946 3,922 4,014 4,065 4,109 4,248 4,314	1,261 1,363 1,430 1,400 1,384 1,344 1,350 1,418 1,478 1,505
1999	Mar	247	678	376	512	400	243	1,110	4,366	1,628
	Apr May Jun	246 244 243	673 674 675	374 372 370	509 506 503	397 395 393	244 243 241	1,118	4,365	1,629
	Jul Aug Sep	241 240 239	673 671 671	368 367 367	502 500 496	391 392 388	241 242 242	1,144	4,380	1,647
	Oct Nov Dec	239 239 239	671 672 672	365 364 363	497 496 494	386 385 382	243 242 244	1,143	4,407	1,650
2000	Jan Feb Mar	238 239 236	673 673 675	362 361 360	494 494 492	380 379 378	242 242 240	1,159	4,393	1,665
	Apr May Jun	236 237 235	673 672 671	359 359 357	493 493 493	377 375 373	239 240 241	1,177	4,403	1,666
	Jul Aug Sep	235 233 232	669 668 666	356 356 354	492 493 491	369 368 364	238 237 237	1,154	4,430	1,658
	Oct Nov Dec	230 230 229	666 666 663	353 353 352	492 491 491	363 361 358	236 234 234	1,152	4,492	1,663
001	Jan Feb Mar	228 227 227	664 662 661	352 352 353	491 489 488	357 356 357	236 236 237	1,168	4,508	1,664
	Apr P May P Jun P	226 225 <b>223</b>	662 659 <b>655</b>	352 350 <b>349</b>	487 483 <b>479</b>	356 356 <b>352</b>	238 237 <b>238</b>			

SIC 1992 Section,		Transport and storage	Post and telecommunications	Financial intermediation J 65-67	Real estate K 70	Renting, research, computer and other business activities K 71-74	Public administration and defence; compulsory social security La 75	Education M 80	Health and social work activities N 85	Other community, social and personal activities O - Q <sup>b</sup> 90-99
		LOKN	LOKO	LOKP	LOKQ	LOKR	LOKS	LOKT	LOKU	YEIC
1990 1991 1992 1993 1994 1995 1996 1997	Jun Jun Jun Jun Jun Jun Jun Jun Jun Jun	913 945 978 965 964 941 934 922 907 927 950	480 488 488 480 471 444 446 446 461 464 472	1,052 1,095 1,104 1,080 1,045 1,012 1,019 1,039 1,015 1,038 1,053	195 203 211 206 227 262 276 287 280 299 298	2,212 2,347 2,481 2,444 2,433 2,493 2,495 2,654 2,800 2,991 3,143	1,484 1,404 1,445 1,465 1,469 1,466 1,448 1,411 1,417 1,369 1,403	1,788 1,827 1,848 1,834 1,816 1,795 1,817 1,825 1,854 1,861 1,844	2,385 2,373 2,393 2,450 2,520 2,531 2,546 2,588 2,591 2,619 2,626	1,028 1,042 1,035 1,017 1,048 1,075 1,069 1,082 1,116 1,148 1,189
1999	Mar	976	485	1,060	311	3,248	1,423	1,929	2,618	1,206
	Apr May Jun	986	486	1,074	314	3,266	1,412	1,981	2,597	1,239
	Jul Aug Sep	1,002	497	1,082	324	3,302	1,396	2,044	2,625	1,252
	Oct Nov Dec	1,014	515	1,087	332	3,322	1,380	2,049	2,637	1,259
	Jan Feb Mar	1,012	506	1,072	335	3,301	1,398	2,072	2,622	1,274
	Apr May Jun	1,022	514	1,067	345	3,314	1,399	2,097	2,614	1,266
	Jul Aug Sep	1,036	520	1,069	342	3,348	1,396	2,122	2,616	1,264
	Oct Nov Dec	1,045	537	1,069	345	3,369	1,398	2,133	2,583	1,270
	Jan Feb Mar	1,042	539	1,068	354	3,362	1,403	2,138	2,575	1,272
	Apr May <b>Jun</b>									

Source: Employment, Earnings and Productivity Division, ONS Customer helpline: 01633 812079

## EMPLOYMENT Employee jobs: industry: production industries: unadjusted

UNITED KINGDOM	Section,	March 200	00		March 200	01	THE WARREN	2001					
	sub- section	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr P	MayP	June P
PRODUCTION INDUSTRIES	C-E	3,023.4	1,134.4	4,157.8	2,936.8	1,111.7	4,048.5	4,062.9	4,054.3	4,048.5	4,040.7	4,022.6	4,011.2
MINING AND QUARRYING	С	60.7	9.1	69.7	60.5	9.3	69.9	69.1	69.3	69.9	70.5	70.9	71.2
vining and quarrying of energy producing materials	CA (10-12)	37.2	5.5	42.7	38.1	5.7	43.8	42.9	43.2	43.8	43.9	44.2	44.5
Wining and quarrying except of gargy producing materials	CB (13/14)	23.4	3.6	27.0	22.4	3.7	26.1	26.2	26.1	26.1	26.6	26.7	26.7
MARUFACTURING	D	2,876.3	1,090.3	3,966.6	2,796.3	1,065.4	3,861.7	3,876.5	3,867.8	3,861.7	3,853.3	3,834.5	3,823.5
hasufacture offood products, beverages and tobacco	DA	316.7	178.8	495.5	312.7	175.0	487.7	492.2	489.1	487.7	486.8	486.9	487.1
Nonufacture of textiles and textile products	DB	136.4	135.8 67.4	272.2 154.3	124.7	119.2 63.4	243.8 144.0	247.6 145.8	247.0 145.4	243.8 144.0	241.9 143.0	238.5 141.4	237.8 141.8
oftextiles of wearing apparel;	17	86.9			80.7								
dressing and dyeing of fur	18	49.6	68.4	117.9	44.0	55.8	99.8	101.8	101.6	99.8	98.9	97.0	96.0
Menufacture of leather and Jewher products including footwear	DC	16.3	11.1	27.4	15.0	9.8	24.7	24.8	24.7	24.7	24.3	24.0	24.1
Vie ufacture of wood and wood payducts	DD (20)	59.2	24.7	83.9	59.6	25.0	84.7	84.8	84.3	84.7	84.2	83.2	82.9
Norufacture of pulp, paper and paper products; publishing and printing of pulp, paper and paper products	DE 21	293.4 73.2	174.1 27.6	467.6 100.8	284.9 69.6	177.6 27.2	462.5 96.9	465.0 98.5	463.6 97.7	462.5 96.9	463.2 96.6	460.7 96.2	461.3 96.3
Publishing, printing and reproduction of recorded media	22	2202	146.6	366.8	215.3	150.3	365.7	366.5	365.9	365.7	366.7	364.5	365.0
Vanufacture of coke, refined paroleum products and nuclear fuel	DF (23)	23.7	3.6	27.2	22.4	3.5	25.9	25.8	25.8	25.9	26.0	26.1	26.0
Variufacture of chemicals, chemical products and man-made fibres	DG (24)	170.7	69.3	240.0	167.4	68.3	235.7	236.7	236.5	235.7	235.6	235.8	235.6
Visufacture of rubber and postic products	DH (25)	188.4	47.4	235.8	180.9	45.9	226.8	228.1	2272	226.8	225.6	224.4	223.7
Vinufacture of other non-metallic mineral products	DI (26)	114.6	27.3	141.9	115.9	27.1	143.1	143.6	143.4	143.1	143.5	143.5	143.1
Manufacture of basic metals and			200			1							
for ficated metal products of basic metals	DJ 27	441.7 105.2	90.2 13.9	531.8 119.1	427.3 102.4	89.8 13.8	517.1 116.2	517.3 117.1	517.3 116.6	517.1 116.2	517.9 115.4	515.8 114.6	513.7 113.9
fabricated metal products, except machinery	28	336.5	76.3	4127	324.9	76.0	400.9	400.2	400.6	400.9	402.5	401.2	399.8
We sufacture of machinery and eqpt. n.e.c.	DK (29)	291.8	67.4	359.2	285.9	66.2	352.0	352.4	352.3	352.0	350.4	348.3	347.1
We ufacture of electrical	DI	040.4	4400	400.0	044.0	4470	100.4	404.4	400.4	400.4	1001	404.0	
and optical equipment of office machinery and computers of electrical machinery	DL 30	346.4 36.7	146.9 16.1	493.3 52.8	341.2 35.2	147.9 15.6	489,1 50.8	491.1 51.5	490.1 51.2	489.1 50.8	486.1 50.7	481.2 49.9	477.9 50.0
and apparatus n.e.c.	31	128.3	52.7	181.0	125.3	51.2	176.5	177.0	176.7	176.5	175.4	173.6	173.0
and communication eqpt.  of medical, precision and optical eqpt;	32	86.7	41.3	128.0	90.1	41.9	132.1	132.8	132.5	132.1	130.1	127.8	125.7
watches	33	94.6	36.8	131.5	90.6	39.3	129.9	129.7	129.6	129.9	129.9	129.9	129.2
Manufacture of transport en apment	DM	330.3	49.0	270 5	011.0	40.5	057.5	057.5	0570	007.5	0004	055.4	050.4
o motor vehicles, trailers other transport equipment	DM 34 35	179.5 150.8	48.2 28.4 19.8	378.5 207.9 170.6	311.0 164.3 146.7	46.5 26.4 20.1	357.5 190.7 166.8	357.5 191.0 166.4	357.0 190.7 166.3	357.5 190.7 166.8	356.1 189.8 166.3	355.4 189.4 165.9	352.1 186.7 165.4
Manufacturing n.e.c.	DN	146.8	65.6	212.4	147.4	63.6	211.0	209.7	209.5	211.0	211.7	210.7	210.9
ELECTRICITY, GAS	_												
AND WATER SUPPLY	E	86.5	35.0	121.5	80.0	36.9	116.9	117.2	1172	116.9	116.9	1172	116.6

Source: Employment, Earnings and Productivity Division, ONS
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	(millions)a	Allworkersa	Full-time workers <sup>b</sup>	Part-time workers <sup>b</sup>	Second jobs	
pring quarters Mar-May)	YBUS	YBUV	YBUY	YBVB	YBVE	
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ug-Oct ep-Nov (Aut)	911.9 914.3	32.6 32.7	37.8 37.9	15.5 15.6	9.0 9.1	
ct-Dec by 2000-Jan 2001	918.6 923.8	32.9 33.0	38.1 38.2	15.8 15.7	9.3 9.4	
ec 2000-Feb 2001 (Win) an-Mar 2001	923.6 921.9	32.9 32.9	38.2	15.6 15.7	9.2 9.3	
eb-Apr lar-May (Spr)	920.6 925.0	32.8 32.9	38.0 38.1	15.7 15.7 15.7	9.3 9.2 9.4	
pr-Jun	924.6	32.9	38.0	15.7	9.3	
hanges ever last 3 months ercent	2.7 0.3	0.0 0.1	0.0 -0.1	0.1	0.0	
ver last 12 months	10.5	0.1	0.0	0.4 0.3	0.2	
ercent	1.1	0.3	0.0	1.9	3.5	
pring quarters Mar-May)	YBUT	YBUW	YBUZ	YBVC	YBVF	
193 194 195	540.4 550.6	38.6 38.9	40.0 40.4	14.3 14.8	10.8 9.8	
96	564.0 566.7 574.4	39.2 39.1	40.9 40.8	14.6 14.8	9.9 9.6	
97 98 99	581.9 585.6	38.8 38.7 38.6	40.6 40.6 40.5	14.8 15.0 15.1	10.7 9.8 9.8	
)00 )01	583.5 589.5	37.9 38.0	39.9 39.9	15.1 15.7	9.6 9.4 10.2	
month averages or-Jun 2000	584.2	38.0	39.9	15.2	9.6	
ay-Jul n-Aug (Sum)	585.1 586.8	38.1 38.2	39.9 40.0	15.1 15.3	9.9 10.1	
ul-Sep ug-Oct	583.2 583.1	37.9 37.9	39.8 39.7	15.4 15.7	9.9 9.9	
p-Nov (Aut)	583.8 586.8	37.9 38.0	39.8 39.9	15.7 15.8	10.0	
v2000-Jan2001 ec2000-Feb2001 (Win)	590.1 589.8	38.2 38.2	40.1 40.1	15.8 15.8	10.2 10.3 10.1	
n-Mar 2001 b-Apr	<b>588.5</b> 587.0	<b>38.0</b> 37.9	<b>39.9</b> 39.7	<b>15.8</b> 15.8	<b>10.1</b> 10.0	
ar-May (Spr) or-Jun	589.5 <b>588.8</b>	38.0 38.0	39.9	15.7	10.2	
hanges			39.9	15.7	10.2	
ver last 3 months ercent	<b>0.3</b> 0.0	<b>0.0</b> 0.0	<b>0.0</b> 0.0	<b>-0.1</b> -0.8	<b>0.0</b> 0.2	
rer last 12 months	4.6 0.8	<b>0.0</b> 0.0	<b>0.0</b> -0.1	<b>0.5</b> 3.3	<b>0.5</b> 5.7	
e ring quarters ar-May)	YBUU	YBUX	YBVA	YBVD	YBVG	
43	298.4 302.9	26.1	34.2	14.8	9.0	
994 995 996	307.6 312.1	26.3 26.5 26.4	34.5 34.5 34.7	15.1 15.2 15.1	8.6 8.6	<-
197 198 199	317.7 319.7 329.8	26.4 26.3	34.5 34.4	15.1 15.2 15.1	8.3 8.4 8.5	
99 00 01	329.8 329.1 335.5	26.8 26.4 26.6	34.8 34.3 34.4	15.4 15.5	8.5 8.7	
month averages or-Jun 2000				15.7	8.8	
ay-Jul ay-Jul in-Aug (Sum)	<b>329.9</b> 331.2 331.5	<b>26.4</b> 26.4 26.4	<b>34.2</b> 34.4 34.4	<b>15.5</b> 15.5 15.5	<b>8.5</b> 8.4 8.3	
l-Sep ig-Oct	330.5	26.3	34.3	15.5	8.2	
P-Nov (Aut)	328.9 330.6	26.2 26.4	34.2 34.3	15.5 15.6	8.3 8.5	
ct-Dec ov2000-Jan2001 ec2000-Feb2001 (Win)	331.8 333.7 333.8	26.5 26.5 26.5	34.4 34.4 34.5	15.8 15.6	8.7 8.6	
n-Mar 2001	333.4	26.5	34.4	15.6 15.5	8.6 8.7	
ar-May (Spr)	333.6 335.5	26.5 26.6	34.3 34.4	15.6 15.7	8.7 8.8	
pr-Jun hanges	335.8	26.5	34.3	15.7	8.7	
hanges ver last 3 months ercent	<b>2.4</b> 0.7	0.0 0.1	<b>-0.1</b> -0.2	02 1.4	<b>0.1</b> 0.7	
overlast 12 months Percent	5.9 1.8	<b>0.2</b> 0.7	0.1 0.3	<b>0.2</b> 1.5	. <b>0.2</b> 24	

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		Source: Employment, Earnings and Productivity Di Customer helpline: 01
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Workforce jobs are calculated by summing employee jobs, self-employment jobs from the Labour Force Survey, HM Forces and government-supported trainees.

### **EMPLOYMENT** Usual weekly hours of work<sup>a</sup>

INITED KINGDOM	Less th	an 6 hours	6 up to	15 hours	16 up to	30 hours	31 up to	45 hours	ousands, seas	5 hours
	Thousands	% of total	Thousands	% of total	Thousands	% of total	Thousands	% of total	Thousands	% of total
II Spring guarters	YCDM	LUAA	YCDP	LWYX	YCDS	LWZA	YCDV	LWZD	YCDY	LWZG
Spring quarters (Mar-May) 1993 1994	525 506	2.1	2,039 2,107	8.0 8.2	3,553 3,647	13.9 14.1	13,157 12,977	51.5 50.3	6,294 6,544	24.6 25.4
1995 1996 1997	531 541 502	2.0 2.0 1.9	2,039 2,107 2,088 2,135 2,173	8.0 8.1 8.1	3,677 3,904 4,056	14.1 14.8 15.1	13,031 12,902 13,110	49.9 48.8 48.7	6,772 6,930 7,075	25.9 26.2 26.3 25.9
1998 1999	504 494	1.8 1.8	2,154 2,145 2,142	7.9 7.8	4,160 4,297 4,414	15.3 15.6 15.8	13,360 13,871 14,045	49.1 50.3 50.3	7,049 6,754 6,837	25.9 24.5 24.5
2000 2001	474 429	1.7 1.5	2,051	7.7 7.3	4,552	16.2	14,313	50.8	6,835	24.3
3-month averages Apr-Jun 2000 May-Jul	<b>459</b> 472	1.6 1.7	<b>2,152</b> 2,142	<b>7.7</b> 7.7	<b>4,431</b> 4,456	<b>15.9</b> 15.9	<b>14,061</b> 14,094	<b>50.4</b> 50.4	<b>6,823</b> 6,800	<b>24.4</b> 24.3
Jun-Aug (Sum) Jul-Sep	482 466	1.7	2,144 2,126	7.7 7.6	4,461 4,484	15.9 16.0	14,140 14,132	50.5 50.5	6,753 6,784	24.1
Aug-Oct Sep-Nov (Aut)	456 452	1.6	2,110 2,097	7.5 7.5	4,492 4,515	16.1 16.1	14,151 14,108	50.6 50.4	6,767 6,802	24.2 24.3
Oct-Dec Nov 2000-Jan 2001 Dec 2000-Feb 2001 (Win)	448 452 443	1.6 1.6 1.6	2,080 2,098 2,073	7.4 7.5 7.4	4,524 4,519 4,537	16.2 16.1 16.2	14,152 14,169 14,182	50.5 50.5 50.5	6,797 6,836 6,852	24.3 24.4 24.4
Jan-Mar 2001 Feb-Apr	<b>436</b> 437	<b>1.6</b> 1.6	<b>2,078</b> 2,046	<b>7.4</b> 7.3	<b>4,540</b> 4,539	<b>16.2</b> 16.1	<b>14,168</b> 14,265	<b>50.4</b> 50.7	<b>6,879</b> 6,855	<b>24.5</b> 24.4
Mar-May (Spr) Apr-Jun	429 424	1.5 1.5	2,051 2,027	7.3 <b>7.2</b>	4,552 <b>4,583</b>	16.2 16.3	14,313 14,339	50.8 <b>50.9</b>	6,835 <b>6,802</b>	24.3 24.1
Changes Over last 3 months	-11		-51		43		172		-78	
Percent	-2.6 -35		-2.4 -125		1.0		1.2 278		-1.1 -21	
Over last 12 months Per cent	-7.6	LWW	-5.8	LWW	3.4	I WZD	2.0 YCDW	LWZE	-0.3	LWZH
Spring quarters (Mar-May)	YCDN	LWYV	YCDQ	LWYY	YCDT	LWZB				
1993 1994 1995	114 120 134	0.8 0.8 0.9 0.9	352 384 407	2.5 2.7 2.8 2.9 3.1 3.1 3.1 3.2	610 645 668	4.3 4.5 4.6	7,755 7,658 7,605	55.1 53.8 52.6	5,253 5,417 5,637	37.3 38.1 39.0 39.3
1996 1997 1998	131 129 117	0.9 0.9 0.8	426 462 466	2.9 3.1 3.1	738 800 818	5.1 5.4 5.4	7,538 7,657 7,864	51.8 51.5 52.2	5,729 5,808 5,802	39.3 39.1 38.5
1999 2000 2001	129 117 93	0.9 0.8 0.6	464 490 462	3.1 3.2 3.0	900 888 922	5.9 5.8 5.9	8,236 8,320 8,508	54.1 54.0 54.8	5,481 5,595 5,545	36.0 36.3 35.7
3-month averages Apr-Jun 2000	112	0.7	480	3.1	898	5.8	8,329	54.1	5,570	36.2
May-Jul Jun-Aug (Sum)	112 120	0.7 0.8	471 467	3.1 3.0	909 904	5.9 5.9	8,360 8,408	54.3 54.6	5,547 5,501	36.0 35.7
Jul-Sep Aug-Oct Sep-Nov (Aut)	113 108 104	0.7 0.7 0.7	460 462 460	3.0 3.0 3.0	904 906 908	5.9 5.9 5.9	8,411 8,427 8,406	54.5 54.6 54.5	5,531 5,523 5,548	35.9 35.8 36.0
Oct-Dec Nov 2000-Jan 2001 Dec 2000-Feb 2001 (Win)	102 103 102	0.7 0.7 0.7	464 473 469	3.0 3.1 3.0	912 912 927	5.9 5.9 6.0	8,424 8,413 8,408	54.5 54.4 54.3	5,546 5,576 5,578	35.9 36.0 36.0
Jan-Mar 2001 Feb-Apr	<b>98</b> 97	<b>0.6</b> 0.6	<b>474</b> 459	3.1 3.0	930 925	<b>6.0</b> 6.0	<b>8,402</b> 8,455	<b>54.2</b> 54.5	<b>5,604</b> 5,582	<b>36.1</b> 36.0 35.7
Mar-May (Spr)  Apr-Jun	93 <b>92</b>	0.6 <b>0.6</b>	462 <b>456</b>	3.0 2.9	922 913	5.9 <b>5.9</b>	8,508 <b>8,531</b>	54.8 55.0	5,545 <b>5,512</b>	35.6
Changes Over last 3 months	-7		-19		-16		130		-92	
Per cent Over last 12 months	-6.6 <b>-20</b>		-4.0 - <b>25</b>		-1.8 15		1.5 203		-1.6 -58	
Per cent nale	-18.0 YCDO	LWYW	-5.1 YCDR	LWYZ	1.7 YCDU	LWZC	2.4 YCDX	LWZF	-1.0 YCEA	LWZI
Spring quarters (Mar-May) 1993	411	3.6	1,687	14.7	2,943	25.6	5,403	47.0	1,040	9.1
1994 1995 1996	386 396 410	3.3 3.4 3.5	1,722 1,681 1,710	14.9 14.4 14.4	3,002 3,010 3,166	26.0 25.8 26.7	5,319 5,426 5,364	46.0 46.6 45.3	1,127 1,136 1,200	9.8 9.7 10.1
1997 1998	373 387	3.1 3.2 3.0	1,710 1,688	14.2 13.9	3,256 3,342 3,397	27.0 27.5	5,453 5,496	45.2 45.2	1,267 1,248	10.5 10.3
1999 2000 2001	364 358 336	3.0 2.9 2.7	1,680 1,652 1,590	13.6 13.2 12.6	3,397 3,526 3,631	27.5 28.2 28.7	5,635 5,725 5,805	45.6 45.8 45.9	1,274 1,242 1,289	10.3 9.9 10.2
3-month averages Apr-Jun 2000	347	2.8	1,672	13.3	3,533	28.2	5,732	45.7	1,253	10.0
May-Jul Jun-Aug (Sum)	359 362	2.9 2.9	1,671 1,677	13.3 13.3	3,547 3,557	28.2 28.3	5,734 5,732	45.6 45.6	1,253 1,253	10.0 10.0
Jul-Sep Aug-Oct Sep-Nov (Aut)	353 348 348	2.8 2.8 2.8	1,666 1,648 1,637	13.2 13.1 13.0	3,580 3,586 3,607	28.5 28.6 28.7	5,721 5,725 5,702	45.5 45.6 45.4	1,253 1,244 1,254	10.0 9.9 10.0
Oct-Dec Nov 2000-Jan 2001 Dec 2000-Feb 2001 (Win)	346 349 342	2.8 2.8 2.7	1,616 1,625 1,604	12.9 12.9 12.7	3,612 3,607 3,610	28.8 28.6 28.6	5,728 5,757 5,774	45.6 45.7 45.8	1,251 1,260 1,274	10.0 10.0 10.1
Jan-Mar 2001 Feb-Apr	<b>338</b> 340	<b>2.7</b> 2.7 2.7	<b>1,604</b> 1,587	<b>12.7</b> 12.6	<b>3,610</b> 3,614	<b>28.7</b> 28.6	<b>5,766</b> 5,810	<b>45.8</b> 46.0	<b>1,275</b> 1,273	10.1 10.1
Mar-May (Spr)  Apr-Jun	336 333	2.7	1,590 1,571	12.6 12.4	3,631 3,670	28.7 29.0	5,805 <b>5,808</b>	45.9 <b>45.8</b>	1,289 1,289	10.2 10.2
Changes Over last 3 months	-5		-32		60		42		14	
Percent Over last 12 months	-1.5 -15		-2.0 -100		1.7		0.7		1.1	
Percent	-15 -4.2		-100 -6.0		3.9		<b>75</b> 1.3		<b>36</b> 2.9	abour Force Sur

Source: Labour Force Survey Labour Market Statistics Helpline: 020 7533 6094

## Indices of output, productivity jobs, output per filled job and output per hour worked B.32

UNITED KINGDOM Whole economy Production industries Manufacturing industries Productivity Output per filled joba Output per hour worked<sup>b</sup> Productivity Output per jobs filled joba Output per hour worked<sup>b</sup> Output Output Productivity Output per jobs filled joba Output per hour worked<sup>b</sup> Output 99.3 98.3 99.1 100.0 101.0 102.8 104.6 105.5 106.1 91.1 93.2 97.4 100.0 102.5 106.0 109.1 111.5 114.8 91.8 94.8 98.2 100.0 101.5 103.1 104.3 105.7 108.2 91.3 93.3 98.3 100.0 101.1 102.1 102.9 103.4 105.0 92.8 94.1 98.5 100.0 100.4 101.7 102.2 102.2 103.8 96.3 98.8 100.0 101.4 103.0 105.0 106.5 109.4 91.7 96.1 100.4 100.0 99.0 99.9 100.5 104.3 110.0 99.1 102.2 100.0 98.7 100.1 101.4 105.7 111.0 92.5 93.6 94.9 104.2 102.5 100.5 90.6 91.5 92.0 87.0 89.3 91.6 95.0 94.8 96.3 99.4 98.7 98.5 99.7 98.7 98.9 99.3 99.6 97.9 99.5 100.1 100.8 96.5 98.0 99.3 100.3 101.0 102.5 102.9 102.4 97.6 97.9 98.4 98.7 Q1 Q2 Q3 Q4 99.4 99.7 100.2 100.7 99.7 100.0 100.0 100.3 99.7 99.7 100.2 100.4 99.8 99.8 100.2 100.2 99.6 100.0 100.2 100.2 100.5 100.2 100.4 99.0 100.4 100.3 100.5 98.9 99.7 99.9 100.0 100.1 100.4 99.9 100.3 100.9 100.9 101.1 101.8 101.6 98.6 98.1 99.4 98.6 Q1 Q2 Q3 Q4 104.6 105.5 106.5 107.2 101.9 102.6 103.0 103.6 102.3 102.6 103.1 104.1 102.0 101.9 102.6 102.0 100.6 100.3 101.1 100.5 101.7 101.4 101.9 101.8 99.9 99.8 100.1 100.8 Q1 Q2 Q3 Q4 108.1 109.1 109.6 109.7 104.2 104.5 104.8 104.8 104.1 105.0 105.1 105.7 101.7 101.1 101.1 101.8 102.0 102.7 104.5 104.5 102.9 104.9 107.7 108.6 101.1 101.3 103.0 103.3 103.0 104.5 106.7 108.4 106.0 106.1 106.1 106.4 102.9 103.4 104.2 104.8 108.1 109.5 111.9 114.5 95.9 95.1 93.9 92.8

Source: Employment, Earnings and Productivity Division, ONS Customer Helpline: 01633812766

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Output per filled job is the ratio of gross value added at basic prices and productivity jobs. Output per hour is the ratio of gross value added at basic prices and productivity hours. Provisional

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full producttivity and unit wage costs datasets with associated articles can be found on the National Statistics website at www.statistics.gov.uk/themes/economy/Articles.asp under 'Productivity'.

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NITED		All	Rate (%)a	Up to 6 months	Over 6 and up to 12 months	All over 12 months	Per cent over 12 months	All over 24 months	All	Rate (%)a	Up to 6 months	Over 6 and up to 12 months	All over 12 months	Per cent over 12 months	All over 24 months
		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14
4	Spring quarters Mar-May) 1993	2,997	MGSX	1,155	YBWG	1,265	YBWI 42.2	YBWL 651	2,963 2,771	10.7 10.0	1,141 1,072	YBWR 571 464	1,250 1,235	42.2 44.6	YBXA 641 726
1	994 995 996 997 998	2,798 2,518 2,394 2,087 1,822	9.8 8.8 8.3 7.2 6.3	1,080 1,038 1,060 992 987	467 403 404 310 254	1,251 1,077 930 785 581	44.7 42.8 38.9 37.6 31.9	735 669 585 496 363	2,499 2,373 2,063 1,802	9.0 8.5 7.3 6.4	1,032 1,051 982 978	400 400 309 252	1,235 1,068 922 773 572	42.7 38.9 37.5 31.7	663 578 485 355
1 2 2	1999 2000 2001	1,795 1,661 1,453	6.1 5.6 4.9	1,011 969 856	269 243 218	515 449 379	28.7 27.0 26.1	303 252 218	1,775 1,644 1,438	6.2 5.7 5.0	1,002 961 848	267 241 215	507 443 375	28.5 26.9 26.1	298 247 216
1	B-month averages Apr-Jun 2000 May-Jul Jun-Aug (Sum)	<b>1,618</b> 1,578 1,569	<b>5.5</b> 5.3 5.3	<b>928</b> 896 894	242 238 238	447 444 437	27.7 28.1 27.9	252 247 238	1,601 1,559 1,552	<b>5.6</b> 5.4 5.4	<b>921</b> 889 888	239 235 234	440 435 431	<b>27.5</b> 27.9 27.8	249 242 234
F	lul-Sep Aug-Oct Sep-Nov (Aut)	1,587 1,613 1,577	5.4 5.4 5.3	928 958 937	234 234 227	425 420 413	26.8 26.0 26.2	239 238 233	1,573 1,597 1,560	5.5 5.6 5.4	923 951 930	231 232 225	420 414 405	26.7 25.9 26.0	235 234 228
0	Oct-Dec Nov2000-Jan2001 Dec2000-Feb2001 (Win)	1,561 1,543 1,535	5.3 5.2 5.2	925 913 909	230 228 225	407 402 400	26.0 26.0 26.1	227 222 224	1,543 1,525 1,517	5.4 5.3 5.3	916 905 901 <b>880</b>	228 226 222 212	399 395 393 <b>386</b>	25.9 25.9 25.9 <b>26.1</b>	222 218 221 <b>219</b>
F	Jan-Mar 2001 Feb-Apr Mar-May (Spr)	1,497 1,478 1,453 1,484	5.1 5.0 4.9 5.0	888 866 856 883	217 222 218 219	393 390 379 382	26.2 26.4 26.1 25.7	222 222 218 214	1,479 1,460 1,438	5.1 5.1 5.0 5.1	858 848 876	218 215 216	384 375 378	26.3 26.1 <b>25.7</b>	219 216 212
0	Apr-Jun Changes Over last 3 months Percent	-14 -0.9	-0.1	-5 -0.6	3	-11 -2.9	-0.5	-8 -3.7	-9 -0.6	0.0	<b>-5</b> -0.5	4 1.8	-8 -2.2	-0.4	-7 -3.2
	Over last 12 months Percent	-134 -8.3	-0.5	<b>-45</b> -4.9	<b>-23</b> -9.4	<b>-66</b> -14.7	-1.9	-38 -15.2	-131 -8.2	-0.5	<b>-45</b> -4.9	<b>-23</b> -9.5	<b>-63</b> -14.3	-1.8	-37 -14.7
ale (	Spring quarters Mar-May)	MGSD	MGSY	MGYK	MGYM	MGYO	YBWJ	YBWM	YBSI	YBTJ	YBWP	YBWS	YBWV	YBWY	YBXB
1 1 1	993 994 995 996 997 998	2,014 1,854 1,639 1,574 1,328 1,114	12.5 11.5 10.2 9.8 8.2 6.9	699 615 580 605 553 532	375 302 258 259 190 167	941 938 802 710 585 416	46.7 50.6 48.9 45.1 44.0 37.3	497 572 518 472 387 277	2,001 1,843 1,631 1,562 1,316 1,105	12.6 11.7 10.3 9.9 8.3 6.9	695 612 577 602 549 528	372 300 256 256 190 166	935 931 797 704 577 411	46.7 50.5 48.9 45.1 43.8 37.2	494 569 515 467 380 274
1 2	999 2000 2001	1,108 1,002 876	6.8 6.1 5.3	568 531 467	169 144 134	372 328 274	33.6 32.7 31.3	231 193 166	1,099 995 868	6.9 6.2 5.4	563 528 463	167 143 132	369 325 273	33.5 32.6 31.4	228 191 165
1	B-month averages Apr-Jun 2000 May-Jul Jun-Aug (Sum)	<b>983</b> 950 945	<b>6.0</b> 5.8 5.8	513 488 482	145 143 147	<b>325</b> 320 316	<b>33.1</b> 33.6 33.4	194 188 184	<b>976</b> 941 938	<b>6.1</b> 5.9 5.8	<b>512</b> 486 480	143 141 145	<b>321</b> 314 313	<b>32.9</b> 33.4 33.3	191 185 181
F	lul-Sep Aug-Oct Sep-Nov (Aut)	947 962 952	5.8 5.9 5.8	496 513 509	141	308 305 302	32.5 31.7 31.7	184 182 177	942 956 943	5.9 5.9 5.9	494 511 507	141 143 140	306 302 297	32.5 31.6 31.5	182 181 174
1	Oct-Dec Nov2000-Jan2001 Dec2000-Feb2001 (Win)	949 943 949	5.8 5.7 5.8	507 502 507	143 140 137	300 302 305	31.6 32.0 32.2	174 172 174	940 935 940	5.8 5.8 5.8	504 499 504	142 139 135	295 297 301 292	31.3 31.8 32.0 <b>32.0</b>	170 169 172 169
F	Jan-Mar2001 Feb-Apr Mar-May (Spr) Apr-Jun	920 895 876 902	5.6 5.5 5.3 5.5	494 479 467 491	131 132 134 135	295 284 274 276	32.0 31.7 31.3 30.6	171 168 166 162	911 887 868	5.6 5.5 5.4 5.5	491 476 463 487	129 132 133	282 273 274	31.8 31.4 <b>30.7</b>	167 165 162
0	Changes Over last 3 months Percent	-18 -1.9	-0.1	-3 -0.6	4	-18 -6.2	-1.4	-9 -5.1	-16 -1.7	-0.1	-4 -0.8	5 3.9	-17 -5.9	-1.3	-E
9	Overlast 12 months Percent	<b>-81</b> -8.2	-0.5	<b>-22</b> -4.3	-10 -7.0	<b>-49</b> -14.9	-2.4	<b>-32</b> -16.5	- <b>81</b> -8.3	-0.5	<b>-25</b> -4.8	-10 -7.1	<b>-46</b> -14.5	-2.2	-30 -15.5
(	Spring quarters Mar-May)	MGSE	MGSZ	MGYL		MGYP	YBWK	YBWN	YBSJ	YBTK	YBWQ	YBWT	YBWW	YBWZ	YBXC
	993 994 995 996 997 998 999	982 943 879 820 760 708 687	7.9 7.5 7.0 6.5 5.9 5.5 5.3	455 465 458 455 439 455 443	165 146 145 120 87 101	325 313 275 221 200 166 143 121	33.1 33.2 31.2 26.9 26.4 23.4 20.8	153 162 151 113 109 85 72 58 52	961 928 869 811 748 697 676	8.1 7.7 7.2 6.7 6.1 5.6 5.4	446 460 455 449 433 450 439 433	199 163 144 144 119 86 99 98	316 304 270 218 196 161 138	32.8 32.8 31.1 26.9 26.2 23.1 20.5	147 157 148 111 105 82 70 56
2	2000 2001	659 578	5.0 4.4	438 389		121 104	18.4 18.1	58 52	649 570	5.1 4.5	433 385	98 83	118 102	18.2 17.9	50
1	B-month averages Apr-Jun 2000 May-Jul Jun-Aug (Sum)	635 627 624	<b>4.8</b> 4.8 4.7	<b>415</b> 408 412	95 91	122 124 121	<b>19.3</b> 19.8 19.5	<b>58</b> 58 54	<b>624</b> 618 614	<b>4.9</b> 4.9 4.9	<b>409</b> 402 407	96 94 89	120 121 118	19.2 19.6 19.2	55 56 52
5	Jul-Sep Aug-Oct Sep-Nov (Aut)	640 650 626	4.8 4.9 4.7	432 445 428	90 87	117 115 111	18.2 17.6 17.7	55 56 56	632 641 617	5.0 5.1 4.9	429 440 423	89 89 86	113 112 108	18.0 17.5 17.5	50 50 50
1	Oct-Dec Nov2000-Jan2001 Dec2000-Feb2001 (Win)	612 600 586	4.6 4.5 4.4	418 411 403	89 88	106 100 95	17.4 16.7 16.3	54 50 50	602 590 577	4.8 4.7 4.6	412 405 397	86 87 87	104 98 93	17.3 16.5 16.0	54 44 44
F	<b>Jan-Mar2001</b> Feb-Apr Mar-May (Spr) <b>Apr-Jun</b>	578 583 578 582	4.4 4.4 4.4	394 387 389 392		98 106 104 105	17.0 18.1 18.1	51 53 52 52	568 573 570 574	4.5 4.5 4.5	389 382 385 388	84 88 83	94 103 102 103	16.6 17.9 17.9	50 50 50 50
(	Apr-Jun Changes Over last 3 months Percent	582 4 0.7	0.0	-2 -0.6	-1	7 7.4	1.1	1 1.1	7 1.2	0.0	-1 -0.2	-1	9 9.3	1.3	1
	Overlast 12 months	-53	-0.4	-23		-17	-1.2	-6	-50	-0.4	-21	-13	-17	-1.2	

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All		Up to 6 months	Over 6 and up to 12 months	All over 12 months	Per cent over 12 months	All over24 months	All	Rate (%)a	Up to 6 months	Over 6 and up to 12 months	All over 12 months	Per cent over 12 months	All over24 months
YBVH		YBXD	VRYG	5 VRY I	6 VRVM	7 VPVP	8 VPVN	9	10	11	12	13	14
						*							YBYE
145 146	19.9 19.4	110 111	19 23	16	11.1 8.0		682 619	16.4 15.4	310 320	115	240 185	35.1 29.9	112 120 94
169 159	19.5 18.6	129 130	23	12 17 10	9.9		570 498 446	14.6 13.1 12.0	311 291 289	94 81	165 126	28.9 25.3	120 94 77 59 37 26 28
168 174 145	19.9 20.5 17.9	135 141 120	23 23 15	10 10 10	6.0 5.6 7.1	*	433 410 380	11.7 10.9 10.2	294 286 271	73 56 54	66 67 55	15.3 16.4 14.5	26 26 18
163 151 162	<b>19.4</b> 18.4 19.6	128 118 126	25 23 25	10 10 12	<b>6.2</b> 6.8 7.2	:	391 387 381	10.5 10.4 10.2	<b>268</b> 264 259	<b>58</b> 57 61	<b>65</b> 66	16.7 17.2 16.1	26 25 23
175 180 173	21.2 21.7 21.0	138 146 141	24 23 22	12 11 10	6.8 6.2 6.0	* *	385 399	10.3 10.7	271 285	54 57	60	15.5 14.5	24 24 23
164 162 160	20.1 19.5 19.6	132 131 129	22 21 21	10	6.1 6.1	:	401 394	10.8 10.5	285 279	62 62	54 53	13.4 13.4	21 20 22
153 145	18.8	126	17	11	7.0		395	10.6	278	59	58	14.6	22
145	17.9	120	15	10	7.1	•	380	10.2	271	54	55	14.5	22 18
											54	14.4	17
-2.0		-0.7	-8.9	-6.8			-18 -4.6	-0.6	-6 -2.2	<b>-9</b> -14.4	<b>-3</b> -5.9	-0.2	-4 -19.4
-8.0		-2.4	-39.5	-0.9	0.5	*	-14 -3.6	-0.5	1.5	-7 -12.2	-11 -16.8	-2.3	-8 -31.7
						YBXQ	YBVO	YBVR	YBXT	YBXW	YBXZ	YBYC	YBYF
78 81	20.7 20.9	60 62	12	10	12.9 12.5		447	19.4	179	104 87 75	194 181 134	37.5 40.4 33.9	85 93 70
99 91 86	22.7 21.0 19.9	74 69 70	14	*	:		374 316	17.4 15.2	186 171	65 51	123 94	32.9 29.7	62 47
101 94 84	23.2 22.0 20.3	80 77 68	13 12 10		:	:	260 247	12.9 12.1	166 164	49 34 37	50	17.4 20.1	93 70 62 47 28 20 21 12
<b>89</b> 81	<b>21.1</b> 19.8	<b>70</b> 64	<b>15</b>			A.	<b>239</b> 231	11.8 11.5	156	36	48	20.1	19
97	22.9	78	13			106	220	10.9	141	41	43	19.1	19 17 19
97	23.0	77	13	*			234	11.6	161	35 35	39 37	16.8 16.1	18 16
94 94 97	22.4 22.1 23.0	72 72 75	15 15 15	:	4:		239 239 245	11.8 11.8 12.0	161 159 163	39 41 40	38 39 42	16.1 16.3 17.3	16 16 16
86	20.4	73 71 68	11		:		245 236	12.0 11.6	162 158	40 38	<b>43</b> 41	<b>17.6</b> 17.2	<b>16</b> 16
89	21.3	72	*	*			225	11.0	153	37	38	17.8 17.0	12
<b>-2</b> -2.2	-0.1	0 -0.7	:			:	-20 -8.3	-1.1	-9 -5.6	-6 -15.7	-5 -116	-0.6	-5
-1 -0.6	0.2	3.3	:	100	*	:	-15	-0.9	-3	-2	-10	-3.1	-33.6 -8 -43.1
BVJ	YBVM	YBXF	YBXI	YBXL	УВХО	YBXR	YBVP	YBVS	YBXU	YBXX	YBYA	YBYD	YBYG
62 68	17.7 19.1	42 50	11		*	:	270 235	13.6 12.6	141 131	54 45	75 59	27.7 25.2	27
68 78	17.3 17.9	49 54 60	11 10		:	:	223 196 182	11.1	133 126	39 29 30	51 42	21.3	27 27 24 15 12
73 67 79	16.3 19.0	61 55 64	10	:			173	10.3 10.2	127 128	19 23	28 21	16.1 12.1	12
61	15.5	52	•				151	9.5 8.8	122	17	18 14	10.8	
74 70 72	17.7 17.1 17.8	<b>58</b> 54 54	10 11 12	*	:	:	152 156 157	<b>9.0</b> 9.1 9.2	113 114 118	<b>22</b> 22 20	17 20 19	11.4 12.7 11.9	:
78 79 76	19.4 19.7 19.0	60 64 64	11 10 *	:	:	:	165 167 162	9.6 9.7 9.4	126 127 123	21 22 22	18 19 18	11.2 11.1	:
70 68 63	17.6 16.8 15.9	60 59 54	:			:	162 155	9.5 9.1	124 120	23 21	15 14	9.3 8.7	
<b>62</b> 60	<b>15.9</b> 15.3	<b>53</b> 52	:	:	:	*	<b>151</b> 159	<b>8.9</b> 9.3	116 123	20	15	9.7	:
61	15.5 15.5	52 <b>53</b>					151 153	8.8	119		14	9.6	
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Sample size too small for a reliable estimate.

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### C.1 UNEMPLOYMENT ILO unemployment by age and duration

housands	seasonally	Adjusted

			The last		25-49							0 and over		Dans	/
UNITED KINGDOM		All	Rate (%)a	Up to 6 months	Over 6 and up to 12 months	All over 12 months	Per cent over 12 months	All over 24 months		Rate (%)a	Up to 6 months	Over 6 and up to 12 months	All over 12 months	Per cent over 12 months	over 24 months
		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8 YBVT	9 YBVW	10 YBYW	YBYZ	YBZC	13 YBZF	14 YBZI
Spri (Ma	ing quarters r-May)	MGVI	MGXB	ҮВҮН	YBYK	YBYN	YBYQ	YBYT							
1993 1994	4	1,557	8.9 8.4 7.6	551 532 491	296 242 212	709 709 647	45.6 47.8 47.9	373 427 417	517 487 403	8.8 8.2 6.7	151 128 117	96 73 54	270 286 233	52.2 58.7 57.8	162 187 158
1996 1996 1997	6	1,350 1,280 1,079	7.1 6.0	503 453	226 165	552 461	43.1 42.7	361 297	377 341	6.2 5.4	119 118	54 57 41	202 182	53.4 53.3	147 139
1998 1999	9	928 908 804	5.1 5.0 4.4	463 461 425	135 139 122	331 308 257	35.6 33.9 32.0	214 179 151	289 287 274	4.5 4.3 4.0	104 121 117	30 34 42	154 131 115	53.5 45.7 42.0	112 99 73
2000	1	723	4.0	377	116	229	31.7	145	205	2.9	88	33	84	40.9	55
3-m Apr	onth averages -Jun 2000 -Jul	<b>794</b> 773	<b>4.4</b> 4.3	<b>417</b> 404	<b>118</b> 116	<b>259</b> 254	<b>32.6</b> 32.8	<b>153</b> 147	<b>270</b> 267	<b>3.9</b> 3.9	115 110	<b>42</b> 43	113 113	<b>42.0</b> 42.5	73 73 73
	-Aug (Sum)	765 767	4.2	402	112	251 244	32.8 31.8	142 141	261 260	3.8	107 112	40 39	113 109	43.6 41.9	72
Aug	Oct Nov (Aut)	772 749	4.3 4.1	409 397	119 114	243 238	31.5 31.7	139 137	262 259	3.8 3.8	118 115	36 34	108 109	41.1 42.2	72
Nov	-Dec 2000-Jan2001	738 739	4.1 4.1	395 399	110 109	233 231	31.6 31.3	134 131	258 248 243	3.7 3.6 3.5	112 104 101	37 36 36	110 108 105	42.6 43.5 43.4	71 69 67
	:2000-Feb2001 (Win) -Mar2001	732 724	4.0	397 392	107 105	228 227	31.2 31.3	135 136	225	3.3	92	36	98	43.3	63
Feb-	-Apr -May (Spr)	720 723	4.0 4.0	372 377	116 116	231 229	32.1 31.7	140 145	217 205	3.1 2.9	90 88	34 33	93 84	43.0 40.9	59 55
	-Jun	743	4.1	389	121	233	31.4	143	214	3.1	97	33	84	39.2	53
Ove	anges erlast3months cent	19 2.6	0.1	-4 -0.9	<b>16</b> 15.1	7 2.9	0.1	6 4.7	-11 -5.0	-0.2	5 5.9	-3 -8.4	-14 -14.0	-4.1	-10 -15.2
Ove	er last 12 months	- <b>51</b> -6.4	-0.3	<b>-29</b> -6.8	3 2.5	<b>-25</b> -9.8	-1.2	-10 -6.8	<b>-56</b> -20.7	-0.9	-18 -15.5	-9 -21.2	<b>-29</b> -25.9	-2.7	<b>-20</b>
Male		MGVJ	MGXC	YBYI	YBYL	YBYO	YBYR	YBYU	YBVU	YBVX	YBYX	YBZA	YBZD	YBZG	YBZ
Spri (Ma 1990	ing quarters ir-May) 3	1,035	10.5	322	183	530	51.2	284	388	11.3	108	72	207	53.5	127
1994 1995	4	970 862	9.8 8.6	289 251 270	152 133 134	530 479 416	54.6 55.5 50.7	332 323 291	359 299 281	10.4 8.6 8.0	87 81 76	55 38 43	217 181 163	60.5 60.4 57.9	147 124 119
1996 1997 1998	7	821 681 553	8.2 6.8 5.5	240 233	96 84	345 235	50.7 42.6	231 164	239 203	6.6 5.5	72 66	30 22	137 116	57.5 57.0	109
1999 2000 2001	9	545 469 415	5.5 5.4 4.7 4.2	242 216 188	84 69 66	219 184 161	40.2 39.3 38.7	134 115 109	202 191 147	5.3 4.9 3.7	80 74 59	38 43 30 22 22 29 22	100 88 66	49.7 46.3 45.1	109 87 78 58 48
3-m	onth averages						39.5	117	189	4.8	72	28	89	46.9	57
May	<b>-Jun 2000</b> /-Jul -Aug (Sum)	<b>466</b> 448 447	<b>4.6</b> 4.5 4.5	215 204 204	67 66 66	184 178 178	39.8 39.8	110 107	190 184	4.8 4.7	71 66	29 27	89 90	47.1 49.1	56
Jul-S		448 448	4.5 4.5	203 203	70 72	175 174	39.0 38.7	106 105	182 181	4.7 4.6	70 70	26 24	86 87	47.3 47.8	5i 5i
Sep	-Nov (Aut) -Dec	440	4.4	202	69	169 166	38.4	101 99	181 180		69	23	89 89	49.5	50 50 50
Nov	2000-Jan 2001 2000-Feb 2001 (Win)	435 436	4.3 4.3	205 205	62	168 171	38.6 39.2	98 103	175 171	4.4	65 64	22 22	88 85	50.2 49.7	5
Feb	-Mar 2001 -Apr	<b>426</b> 417	<b>4.2</b> 4.2 4.2	200 188	59 64 66	167 165 161	<b>39.2</b> 39.6 38.7	103 105 109	159 156 147	<b>4.0</b> 3.9 3.7	<b>59</b> 62 59	21 21 22	78 73 66	<b>49.0</b> 47.0 45.1	5° 44 4'
	-May (Spr) -Jun	415 435	4.4	188 200	72	163	37.4	106	154	3.9	65	21	68	44.1	4
Cha	anges er last 3 months	9	0.1	0	13	-4	-1.8	4	-5		6	-1	-10	-4.9	-
Per	cent erlast12 months	2.2 -31	-0.3	0.2 -15	22.1 5	-2.5 -21	-2.0	3.6 -10	-2.9 -34		10.5 -7	-4.5 -7	-12.6 -20	-2.8	-13. -1:
Per	cent	-6.7		-6.9	7.4	-11.4		-9.0	-18.3		-9.4	-25.5 YBZB	-23.1 YBZE	YBZH	-22. YBZI
(Ma	ring quarters ar-May)	MGVK	MGXD	YBYJ	YBYM	YBYP	YBYS	YBYV	YBVV		YBYY				
1990 1994 1996	3	522 513 488	6.8 6.6 6.2	229 243 240	114 91 80	180 179 168	34.4 35.0 34.4	89 94 94	129 128 104	5.1	43 41 36	24 18 16	62 68 52	48.3 53.3 50.3	34
1996 1997	6 7	459 398	5.8 5.0	233 213	91 69	136 115	29.5 29.0	69 65	96 102 85	3.8	43 46	14 12	68 52 39 45 39 30 27	40.5	3 3 2 2 2 1:
1996 1996 2000	9	375 363 335	4.7 4.5 4.1	229 219 209	51 56 53	95 89 72 69	25.4 24.4 21.6	51 45 36	84 83	3.0	38 42 43	12 13	30 27	45.2 36.0 32.1	2
200	1	308	3.8	190	50	69	22.3	36	58	1.9	29	11	17	30.2	
May	onth averages -Jun 2000 y-Jul	<b>328</b> 325	<b>4.1</b> 4.0	<b>202</b> 200	<b>51</b> 49	<b>75</b> 76	<b>22.8</b> 23.2	<b>36</b> 37	81 77 77	<b>2.7</b> 2.6	43 39	14 14	<b>25</b> 24	<b>30.4</b> 31.2	1 1
Jun-	-Aug(Sum) Sep	318	3.9	199	46 47	73 70	22.9	35 35	78		41	13	23	30.3	1
Aug	-Oct -Nov (Aut)	323 309	4.0	206 195	47 45	70 69	21.5 22.3	35 35	81 78	2.7	48 46	11 12	21 20	26.1 26.1	1
Nov	-Dec /2000-Jan2001 :2000-Feb2001 (Win)	301 304 296	3.7 3.7 3.6	190 194 192	44 47 46	67 63 57	22.2 20.8 19.4	35 33 31	79 73 72	2.6 2.4 2.4	44 38 37	14 15 15	21 20 20	26.8 27.2 28.3	1 1
Jan Feb	-Mar2001	<b>298</b> 303	<b>3.7</b> 3.7	<b>192</b> 185	<b>46</b> 52	<b>60</b> 66	<b>20.0</b> 21.8	<b>33</b> 35	<b>66</b>	<b>2.2</b> 2.0	33 28 29	14 13	<b>20</b> 20	<b>29.7</b> 32.7	1
Mar	r-May (Spr) r-Jun	308 308	3.8 3.8	190 188	50 49	69 71	22.3 22.9	36 36	58 <b>60</b>	1.9	29	11	17 16	30.2 26.6	1
Cha	anges														
Per	er last 3 months cent	3.2	0.1	-4 -2.0		11 18.0	2.9	8.2	-7 -10.1		-1 -2.5		- <b>4</b> -19.6	-3.1	-23.
	er last 12 months	- <b>20</b> -6.0	-0.3	-14 -6.8	-2 -3.8	-4 -5.6	0.1	0.2	-21 -26.5	-0.8	-11 -25.7	-2 -12.3	-9 -35.7	-3.8	-45.

a Denominator = economically active for that age group.

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### UNEMPLOYMENT ILO unemployment rates by age

market.								Per cent, se	asonally adjusted
UN	TED KINGDOM	All aged 16 and over	16-59/64	16-17	18-24	25-34	35-49	50-64(M) 50-59(F)	65+(M) 60+(F)
All	Spring quarters (Mar-May)	MGSX	YВТІ	YBVK	YBVQ	YCGP	YCGV	MGXE	мдхн
	(Mar-May) 1993 1994 1995	10.5 9.8	10.7 10.0	19.2 19.9	17.8 16.4	10.6	7.5 7.1	9.5 8.9	4.3 3.3
	1995 1996 1997	8.8 8.3 7.2	9.0 8.5 7.3	19.4 20.2 19.5	15.4 14.6 13.1	9.0 8.5 6.9	6.5 6.0 5.3	7.4 6.8 5.8	2.3 2.6 2.9
	1998 1999 2000	6.3 6.1 5.6	6.4 6.2 5.7	18.6 19.9 20.5	12.0 11.7 10.9	6.3 5.8 5.1	4.3 4.5 4.0	4.7 4.6	2.6
	2001 3-month averages	4.9	5.0	17.9	10.2	4.6	3.6	4.3 3.1	2.0 1.9
	Apr-Jun 2000 May-Jul	<b>5.5</b> 5.3	<b>5.6</b> 5.4	<b>19.4</b> 18.4	<b>10.5</b> 10.4	<b>5.0</b> 4.9	<b>3.9</b> 3.8	<b>4.2</b> 4.1	<b>2.0</b> 2.2
	dun-Aug (Sum)	5.3	5.4 5.5	19.6	10.2	4.8 4.7	3.8	4.0	1.9
	Aug-Oct Sep-Nov (Aut)	5.4 5.3	5.6 5.4	21.7 21.0	10.7 10.6	4.8 4.7	3.9 3.7	4.1 4.0	1.8 2.0
	Oct-Dec Nov2000-Jan2001 Dec2000-Feb2001 (Win)	5.3 5.2 5.2	5.4 5.3 5.3	20.1 19.5 19.6	10.8 10.5 10.7	4.8 4.7 4.7	3.6 3.7 3.6	3.9 3.8 3.7	22 21 22
	Jan-Mar 2001 Feb-Apr	<b>5.1</b> 5.0	<b>5.1</b> 5.1	<b>18.8</b> 18.0	<b>10.6</b> 10.5	<b>4.6</b> 4.6	<b>3.6</b> 3.5	<b>3.4</b> 3.3	<b>2.3</b> 2.1
	Mar-May (Spr) Apr-Jun	4.9 <b>5.0</b>	5.0 <b>5.1</b>	17.9 18.5	10.2 10.0	4.6 <b>4.8</b>	3.6 3.7	3.1 3.2	1.9
	Changes Over last 3 months	-0.1	0.0	-0.3	-0.6	0.2	0.1	-0.1	
	Overlast 12 months	-0.5	-0.5	-1.0	-0.5	-0.3	-0.3		-0.6
Male		MGSY	ҮВТЈ	YBVL	YBVR	YCGQ	YCGW	-0.9 MGXF	-0.3 MGXI
	Spring quarters (Mar-May) 1993 1994	12.5	12.6	20.5	21.3	12.1	9.2	11.8	4.9
	1995 1996	11.5 10.2 9.8	11.7 10.3 9.9	20.7 20.9 22.7	19.4 18.0 17.4	11.6 10.2 9.5	8.3 7.4 7.2	10.9 9.1 8.3	4.0
	997 1998 1999	8.2 6.9 6.8	8.3 6.9 6.9	21.0 19.9 23.2	15.2 13.5 12.9	7.7 6.7 6.0	6.1 4.6 5.0	6.8 5.6	4.3
	2000 2001	6.1 5.3	6.2 5.4	22.0 20.3	12.1 11.3	5.3 4.8	4.2 3.7	5.4 5.1 3.8	:
	S-month averages Apr-Jun 2000 May-Jul	<b>6.0</b> 5.8	<b>6.1</b> 5.9	<b>21.1</b> 19.8	11.8 11.5	5.3	4.2	5.0	
	Jun-Aug (Sum) Jul-Sep	5.8	5.8 5.9	21.4	11.1	5.1 5.1	4.0	5.0 4.9	
	Aug-Oct Sep-Nov (Aut)	5.9 5.8	5.9 5.9	23.7 23.0	11.5 11.6	5.1 5.1 5.1	4.0 4.1 3.9	4.9 4.8 4.7	
	Oct-Dec Nov2000-Jan 2001 Dec 2000-Feb 2001 (Win)	5.8 5.7 5.8	5.8 5.8 5.8	22.4 22.1 23.0	11.8 11.8 12.0	5.1 5.1 5.1	3.8 3.8 3.9	4.7 4.5	
	an-Mar 2001 eb-Apr	<b>5.6</b> 5.5	<b>5.6</b> 5.5	<b>21.4</b> 20.4	12.0 11.6	<b>4.9</b> 4.9	3.8 3.7	4.4 <b>4.1</b> 4.0	
	Mar-May (Spr) Apr-Jun	5.3 5.5	5.4 5.5	20.3 21.3	11.3	4.8	3.7	3.8	
	Changes Over last 3 months	-0.1	-0.1	-0.1	-1.1	5.1	3.8	4.0	
	Overlast 12 months	-0.5				0.2	0.1	-0.1	
Female		MGSZ	-0.5 YBTK	0.2 YBVM	-0.9 YBVS	-0.2 YCGR	-0.4 YCGX	-1.0 MGXG	MGXJ
	Spring quarters Mar-May) 1993 1994	7.9	8.1	17.7	13.6				
	1995 1996 1997	7.9 7.5 7.0 6.5 5.9 5.5 5.3 5.0	8.1 7.7 7.2 6.7	19.1 17.7 17.3	13.6 12.6 12.4 11.1	8.5 7.9 7.4 7.3 5.8	5.6 5.7 5.4 4.7	5.7 5.7 4.7 4.3 4.3 3.3 3.2 3.0 2.0	3.9 3.0 2.0
	199 <b>8</b> 1999	5.9 5.5 5.3	5.6	17.9 17.4 16.3	10.6 10.3 10.2	5.8	4.4	4.3 4.3 3.3	2.2 2.2 2.0
	2000 2001	5.0 4.4	5.4 5.1 4.5	19.0 15.5	9.5 8.8	5.4 4.8 4.3	4.4 3.9 3.8 3.7 3.5	3.2 3.0 2.0	2.0
	3-month averages Apr-Jun 2000 May-Jul	<b>4.8</b> 4.8	<b>4.9</b> 4.9	17.7	9.0	4.7	3.6	2.9	<b>1.9</b> 1.8
	oun-Aug (Sum)	4.7	4.9	17.1 17.8	9.1 9.2	4.6 4.4	<b>3.6</b> 3.6 3.6	29 28 2.8	1.8
	Jul-Sep Aug-Oct Sep-Nov (Aut)	4.8 4.9 4.7	5.0 5.1 4.9	19.4 19.7 19.0	9.6 9.7 9.4	4.3 4.5 4.3	3.7 3.7 3.5	2.9 3.0 2.9	
	Oct-Dec Nov2000-Jan2001 Dec2000-Feb2001 (Win)	4.6 4.5 4.4	4.8 4.7 4.6	17.6 16.8 15.9	9.5 9.1 9.2	4.3 4.2 4.1	3.4 3.5 3.3	2.9 2.6 2.6	
	Jan-Mar 2001 Feb-Apr Mar-May (Spr)	4.4	4.5	15.9 15.3	8.9	4.1	3.4 3.4 3.5		1.8
	Mar-May (Spr) Apr-Jun	4.4 4.4 4.4	4.5 4.5 4.5	15.5 15.5	9.3 8.8	4.3 4.3		2.3 2.1 2.0	
	Changes Over last 3 months	0.0	0.0	-0.4	0.0	0.2	3.5 0.1	-0.2	
	Overlast 12 months	-0.4	-0.4	-2.2	-0.1	-0.4	-0.1	-0.8	*
					<u>.</u>	0.7	-0.1	-0.0	

Source: Labour Force Survey Labour Market Statistics Helpline: 020 7533 6094

 $\label{eq:decomposition} \mbox{Denominator=all economically active for that age group.}$ 

 $\label{eq:Sample size} Sample \ size \ too \ small \ for \ a \ reliable \ estimate.$ 

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### C.11 UNEMPLOYMENT Claimant count by region

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	-	NOT SEAS CLAIMANT	SONALLY AD	DJUSTED	RATE <sup>a</sup>			SEASONAL	LLY ADJUST	TEDb			RATE <sup>a</sup>		
Govern Office Region		All	Male	Female		Male	Female	All	Change since previous month	average change over 3 months ended	Male	Female	All	Male	Female
995)	Annual Averages	BCJA 2,325.6 2,122.2 1,602.4 1,362.3 1,263.0 1,102.3	DPAA 1,770.0 1,610.3 1,225.1 1,037.7 963.5 839.6	555.6 511.9 377.3 324.7 299.5 262.6	BCJB 7.7 7.1 5.4 4.6 4.2 3.7	10.6 9.9 7.5 6.4 5.9 5.1	DPAD 4.1 3.8 2.8 2.4 2.2 1.9	BCJD 2,289.7 2,087.5 1,584.5 1,347.8 1,248.1 1,088.5	::		DPAE 1,752.2 1,593.1 1,214.9 1,029.5 955.1 831.6	537.5 494.4 369.6 318.4 293.1 256.9	7.6 7.0 5.3 4.5 4.2 3.6	10.5 9.8 7.4 6.3 5.8 5.1	4.0 3.7 2.8 2.4 2.1 1.9
999	Jul 8 Aug 12 Sep 9	1,263.6 1,263.2 1,224.0	957.2 947.2 922.2	306.4 316.0 301.8	4.2 4.2 4.1	5.8 5.8 5.6	2.3	1,241.1 1,225.5 1,220.0	-22.2 -15.6 -5.5	-15.5 -16.2 -14.4	953.0 939.7 932.7	288.1 285.8 287.3	4.1 4.1 4.1	5.8 5.7 5.7	21 21 21
	Oct 14 Nov 11 Dec 9	1,164.9 1,147.2 1,140.6	883.5 874.0 875.6	281.5 273.2 265.0	3.9 3.8 3.8	5.4 5.3 5.3	2.1 2.0 1.9	1,201.6 1,187.3 1,164.0	-18.4 -14.3 -23.3	-13.2 -12.7 -18.7	918.5 906.2 887.3	283.1 281.1 276.7	4.0 4.0 3.9	5.6 5.5 5.4	2.1 2.1 2.0
000	Jan 13 Feb 10 Mar 9	1,236.4 1,227.0 1,194.3	946.6 937.3 913.2	289.8 289.7 281.1	4.1 4.1 4.0	5.8 5.7 5.6	2.1	1,162.4 1,151.7 1,139.9	-1.6 -10.7 -11.8	-13.1 -11.9 -8.0	886.5 878.8 869.2	275.9 272.9 270.7	3.9 3.8 3.8	5.4 5.4 5.3	2.0 2.0 2.0
	Apr 13 May 11 Jun 8	1,142.1 1,108.2 1,077.2	874.1 849.9 824.6	268.0 258.3 252.6	3.8 3.7 3.6	5.3 5.2 5.0	1.9 1.9 1.8	1,115.0 1,106.2 1,094.4	-24.9 -8.8 -11.8	-15.8 -15.2 -15.2	850.4 843.5 835.0	264.6 262.7 259.4	3.7 3.7 3.6	5.2 5.1 5.1	19 19 10
	Jul 13 Aug 10 Sep 14	1,088.8 1,089.1 1,042.8	820.7 814.3 785.4	268.1 274.8 257.4	3.6 3.6 3.5	5.0 5.0 4.8	2.0	1,071.1	-23.3 -13.8 -14.0	-14.6 -16.3 -17.0	819.6 810.4 798.9	251.5 246.9 244.4	3.6 3.5 3.5	5.0 4.9 4.9	18 13 18
	Oct 12 Nov 9 Dec 14	1,009.2 1,000.6 1,011.4	766.3 763.9 779.4	243.0 236.7 232.1	3.3 3.3 3.4	4.7 4.7 4.8	1.8 1.7	1,046.8 1,039.9 1,033.6	3.5 -6.9	-8.1 -5.8 -3.2	801.3 795.4 790.4	245.5 244.5 243.2	3.5 3.4 3.4	4.9 4.9 4.8	
001	Jan 11 Feb 8 Mar 8	1,077.8 1,073.4 1,041.1	826.7 820.6 797.5	251.1 252.7 243.6	3.6 3.6 3.5	5.0 5.0 4.9	1.8 1.8	1,006.3 996.7 986.0	-27.3 -9.6	-13.5 -14.4 -15.9	768.8 761.2 753.4	237.5 235.5 232.6	3.3 3.3 3.3	4.7 4.6 4.6	1.7 1.7 1.7
i	Apr 12 May 10 Jun 14 R	1,006.4 980.9 947.9	769.1 751.4 722.9	237.3 229.5 225.0	3.3 3.3 3.1	4.7 4.6 4.4	1.7	980.0 975.7		-8.8 -7.0 -7.6	748.6 743.6 733.8	231.4 232.1 229.3	3.2 3.2 3.2	4.6 4.5 4.5	7777
	Jul 12P Britain	961.8 BCJG	724.1 BCJI	237.8 BCJJ	3.2 BCJH	4.4	1.7	950.3 DPAG		-9.9	725.5	224.8	3.2 DPAJ	4.4	1.5
995)	Annual Averages	2,237.4 2,038.1 1,539.0 1,304.9 1,212.2 1,060.1	1,701.4 1,545.3 1,175.2 992.8 924.2 807.6	536.1 492.8 363.8 312.0 288.0 252.5	7.6 7.0 5.3 4.5 4.1 3.6	10.5 9.7 7.4 6.3 5.8 5.1	3.8 2.8 2.4	2,201.8 2,003.7 1,521.1 1,290.4 1,197.4 1,046.4			1,683.6 1,528.2 1,165.0 984.6 915.8 799.6	518.2 475.5 356.1 305.7 281.6 246.8	7.5 6.9 5.3 4.4 4.1 3.6	10.4 9.6 7.3 6.2 5.7 5.0	2.6 2.7 2.3 2.1 1.8
-	Jul 13 Aug 10 Sep 14	1,045.0 1,044.9 1,000.4	788.5 782.2 753.9	256.5 262.8 246.4	3.6 3.6 3.4	4.9 4.9 4.7	1.9 2.0 1.8	1,030.1 1,016.7 1,002.4	-22.6 -13.4 -14.3	-14.2 -15.7 -16.8	788.1 779.2 767.8	242.0 237.5 234.6	3.5 3.5 3.4	4.9 4.9 4.8	1.8 .8 1.7
	Oct 12 Nov 9 Dec 14	968.7 960.6 971.5	735.7 733.3 748.5	233.0 227.3 223.0	3.3 3.3 3.3	4.6 4.6 4.7		1,005.5 998.2 991.7	3.1 -7.3 -6.5	-8.2 -6.2 -3.6	770.0 763.8 758.6	235.5 234.4 233.1	3.4 3.4 3.4	4.8 4.8 4.8	1.8 1.7 1.7
	Jan 11 Feb 8 Mar 8	1,036.6 1,032.4 1,001.0	794.9 789.0 766.5	241.7 243.3 234.5	3.5 3.5 3.4	5.0 4.9 4.8	1.8	965.5 956.4 945.9	-9.1	-13.3 -13.9 -15.3	737.9 730.6 723.0	227.6 225.8 222.9	3.3 3.3 3.2	4.6 4.6 4.5	\$7 \$7 \$7
	Apr 12 May 10 Jun 14 R	966.9 942.1 909.2	738.7 721.4 693.5	228.2 220.7 215.7	3.3 3.2 3.1	4.6 4.5 4.3	1.6	940.0 935.7 923.3	-4.3	-8.5 -6.9 -7.5	718.2 713.2 703.7	221.8 222.5 219.6	3.2 3.2 3.1	4.5 4.5 4.4	1.7
	Jul 12P	920.1 DPCF	693.5	226.6	3.1 DPDA	4.3	1.7	911.1 DPDG	-12.2	-9.6	695.7 ZMPI	215.4 ZMPK		4.4 ZMPJ	
995)	Annual Averages	130.5 118.4 94.5 84.4 81.0 73.4	104.4 94.0 75.4 67.4 64.4 58.6	26.1 24.4 19.0 17.0 16.6 14.7	10.9 10.2 8.2 7.3 7.1 6.4	15.9 14.9 11.9 10.8 10.4 9.5	4.5 3.7 3.2 3.2	128.5 116.4 93.2	::		103.3 92.9 74.7 66.7 63.8 57.9	25.2 23.5 18.6 16.6 16.1 14.3	10.8 10.0 8.1 7.2 7.0 6.3	15.7 14.8 11.8 10.7 10.3 9.4	4.7 4.4 3.6 3.1 3.1 2.7
000	Jul 13 Aug 10 Sep 14	72.7 71.1 68.2	57.6 55.8 53.7	15.1 15.3 14.5	6.3 6.2 5.9	9.3 9.0 8.7	2.8 2.9 2.7	71.7 70.6 69.1	-1.4 -1.1 -1.5	-0.6 -1.1 -1.3	57.6 56.9 55.4	14.1 13.7 13.7	6.2 6.1 6.0	9.3 9.2 9.0	27 36 26
(	Oct 12 Nov 9 Dec 14	67.1 67.6 67.4	53.5 54.5 54.8	13.5 13.1 12.6	5.8 5.9 5.9	8.7 8.8 8.9	2.5 2.5 2.4	69.9 69.4 68.4	-0.5	-0.6 -0.4 -0.2	56.2 55.8 54.9	13.7 13.6 13.5	6.1 6.0 6.0	9.1 9.0 8.9	2.6 2.6 2.5
001	Jan 11 Feb 8 Mar 8	72.2 70.8 68.3	58.2 56.8 54.6	14.0 14.0 13.7	6.3 6.2 5.9	9.4 9.2 8.9	2.6 2.6	66.5 65.2 63.8	-1.9 -1.3	-1.1 -1.4 -1.5	53.4 52.2 51.1	13.1 13.0 12.7	5.8 5.7 5.6	8.7 8.5 8.3	2.5 2.4 2.4
í	Apr 12 May 10 Jun 14 R	66.1 63.9 61.3	52.8 51.1 48.8	13.3 12.8 12.4	5.8 5.6 5.3	8.6 8.3 7.9	2.5	63.2 62.8 61.8	-0.6 -0.4	-1.1 -0.8 -0.7	50.6 50.2 49.4	12.6 12.6 12.4	5.5 5.5 5.4	8.2 8.1 8.0	2.4 2.4 2.3
	Jul 12P	61.8 IBWB	48.7	13.0	5.4 DPDB	7.9		61.1 IBWA	-0.7	-0.7	49.0 ZMPU	12.1 ZMPW	5.3		2.3 ZMPX
995)	Annual Averages	271.7 250.7 194.4 166.2 156.0 139.0	210.7 194.5 152.0 129.8 121.8 108.4	61.0 56.2 42.3 36.4 34.2 30.5	8.2 7.6 5.9 5.2 4.7 4.2	11.6 10.9 8.5 7.5 6.7 6.1	3.7	267.3 246.4 191.9 164.2 153.8			208.4 192.2 150.6 128.7 120.5 107.2	58.9 54.2 41.3 35.6 33.3 29.7	8.1 7.5 5.9 5.1 4.6 4.1	11.4 10.8 8.4 7.4 6.6 6.0	4.0 3.6 2.8 2.4 2.2 1.9
000	Jul 13 Aug 10 Sep 14	138.0 137.6 130.7	106.7 105.5 100.8	31.3 32.2 29.8	4.2 4.2 3.9	6.0 5.9 5.7		135.0 133.1 130.9	-1.9	-1.8 -2.0 -2.3	105.8 104.5 102.6	29.2 28.6 28.3	4.1 4.0 4.0	5.9 5.9 5.7	1.9 1.9 1.9
1	Oct 12 Nov 9 Dec 14	125.2 123.7 126.9	97.2 96.7 100.2	28.0 26.9 26.8	3.8 3.7 3.8	5.4 5.4 5.6	1.8 1.8 1.7	131.3 130.6 130.8	-0.7	-1.2 -0.8 0.0	102.9 102.3 102.5	28.4 28.3 28.3	4.0 3.9 3.9	5.8 5.7 5.7	1.9 1.9 1.9
F	Jan 11 Feb 8 Mar 8	137.2 136.7 133.2	107.7 107.2 104.6	29.5 29.5 28.6	4.1 4.1 4.0	6.0 6.0 5.9	1.9 1.9 1.9	127.2 126.3 125.7	-3.6 -0.9 -0.6	-1.4 -1.4 -1.7	99.7 99.1 98.7	27.5 27.2 27.0	3.8 3.8 3.8	5.6 5.6 5.5	1.8 1.8 1.8
1	Apr 12 May 10 Jun 14 R	130.3 127.1 121.8 123.4	102.2 99.8 95.4 <b>95.5</b>	28.2 27.2 26.4 <b>27.9</b>	3.9 3.8 3.7 <b>3.7</b>	5.7 5.6 5.3 <b>5.4</b>	1.8 1.8 1.7	125.3	-0.4 -0.4	-0.6 -0.5 -1.0	98.3 97.7 96.1 <b>94.9</b>	27.0 27.2 26.7 <b>26.2</b>	3.8 3.8 3.7 3.7	5.5 5.5 5.4 <b>5.3</b>	1.8 1.8 1.7

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		SONALLY A	DJUSTED	RATE a		100 000		NALLY ADJU: NT COUNT	SIEDD	(IEI		DATE		
Government Office Regions	All	Male	Female	All	Male	Female	All	Change since previous month	average change over 3 months ended	Male	Female	All	Male	Female
Yorkshire and the Humber 1995 ) Annual 1996 ) Averages 1997 ) 1998 ) 1998 )	907.9 191.8 152.0 134.9 124.7 108.5	160.6 147.9 117.9 104.4 96.6 83.9	47.3 43.9 34.1 30.5 28.1 24.5	DPAM 8.3 7.7 6.2 5.5 5.1 4.5	11.6 10.8 8.7 7.7 7.1 6.4	4.2 3.9 3.1 2.8 2.6 2.2	DPAX 204.5 188.3 150.1 133.2 123.0 107.0			ZMPY 158.9 146.2 116.8 103.5 95.6 83.1	ZMQA 45.6 42.1 33.3 29.7 27.4 23.9	B.1 7.6 6.1 5.4 5.0 4.4	ZMPZ 11.4 10.7 8.7 7.6 7.1 6.3	ZMQB 4.1 3.8 3.0 2.7 2.5 2.2
2000 Jul 13	105.7	81.1	24.6	4.4	6.2	2.2	104.8	-2.6	-1.4	81.4	23.4	4.3	6.2	2.1
Aug 10	106.4	80.9	25.4	4.4	6.2	2.3	103.7	-1.1	-1.8	81.1	22.6	4.3	6.2	2.0
Sep 14	102.0	78.1	23.9	4.2	5.9	2.1	102.7	-1.0	-1.6	80.0	22.7	4.2	6.1	2.0
Oct 12	98.5	76.0	22.6	4.1	5.8	2.0	103.0	0.3	-0.6	80.1	22.9	4.2	6.1	2.1
Nov 9	98.1	75.9	22.1	4.0	5.8	2.0	102.0	-1.0	-0.6	79.2	22.8	4.2	6.0	2.1
Dec 14	100.3	78.4	21.9	4.1	6.0	2.0	101.7	-0.3	-0.3	78.9	22.8	4.2	6.0	2.1
Jan 11	107.8	83.8	24.0	4.4	6.4	2.2	99.5	-2.2	-1.2	77.1	22.4	4.1	5.9	2.0
Feb 8	107.6	83.4	24.3	4.4	6.3	2.2	98.7	-0.8	-1.1	76.4	22.3	4.1	5.8	2.0
Mar 8	104.3	81.1	23.3	4.3	6.2	2.1	98.1	-0.6	-1.2	75.9	22.2	4.0	5.8	2.0
Apr 12	101.4	78.3	23.1	4.2	6.0	2.1	98.0	-0.1	-0.5	75.9	22.1	4.0	5.8	2.0
May 10	98.1	75.9	22.2	4.0	5.8	2.0	97.4	-0.6	-0.4	75.1	22.3	4.0	5.7	2.0
Jun 14 R	94.3	72.7	21.6	3.9	5.5	1.9	96.4	-1.0	-0.6	74.4	22.0	4.0	5.7	2.0
Jul 12P	95.6	73.0	22.6	3.9	5.6	2.0	95.4	-1.0	-0.9	73.8	21.6	3.9	5.6	1.9
as Aidlands 98 Annual 99 Averages 98 99 99 99	148.3 133.6 97.4 81.1 77.0 70.2	112.5 101.0 74.2 61.3 58.3 52.7	35.7 32.5 23.2 19.8 18.7 17.5	7.2 6.6 4.7 4.0 3.7 3.5	9.8 9.1 6.6 5.5 5.2 4.9	3.9 3.6 2.5 2.2 2.0 1.9	DPAY 145.9 131.3 96.3 80.3 76.3 69.4			ZMPA 111.4 99.9 73.5 60.9 57.9 52.3	<b>ZMPC</b> 34.5 31.4 22.8 19.4 18.4 17.2	7.1 6.5 4.7 4.0 3.7 3.5	9.7 9.0 6.5 5.4 5.2 4.8	3.8 3.4 2.5 2.1 1.9 1.9
OCO Jul 13	69.1	51.3	17.8	3.4	4.7	1.9	68.6	-1.1	-0.6	51.7	16.9	3.4	4.8	1.8
Aug 10	69.6	51.3	18.3	3.5	4.7	2.0	67.8	-0.8	-0.8	51.3	16.5	3.4	4.7	1.8
Sep 14	66.7	49.3	17.3	3.3	4.6	1.9	67.3	-0.5	-0.8	50.7	16.6	3.4	4.7	1.8
Oct 12	64.1	47.8	16.2	3.2	4.4	1.8	68.0	0.7	-0.2	51.3	16.7	3.4	4.7	1.8
Nov 9	63.2	47.5	15.7	3.2	4.4	1.7	67.5	-0.5	-0.1	50.8	16.7	3.4	4.7	1.8
Dec 14	65.2	49.5	15.7	3.3	4.6	1.7	67.3	-0.2	0.0	50.6	16.7	3.4	4.7	1.8
Jan 11	71.5	53.6	17.8	3.6	5.0	1.9	65.7	-1.6	-0.8	49.0	16.7	3.3	4.5	1.8
Feb 8	72.0	53.9	18.1	3.6	5.0	2.0	65.8	0.1	-0.6	49.1	16.7	3.3	4.5	1.8
Mar 8	70.0	52.5	17.5	3.5	4.9	1.9	65.6	-0.2	-0.6	49.0	16.6	3.3	4.5	1.8
Apr 12	67.5	50.5	17.1	3.4	4.7	1.8	65.3	-0.3	-0.1	48.8	16.5	3.3	4.5	1.8
May 10	65.8	49.4	16.5	3.3	4.6	1.8	65.0	-0.3	-0.3	48.5	16.5	3.2	4.5	1.8
Jun 14 R	63.0	47.0	16.0	3.1	4.4	1.7	64.1	-0.9	-0.5	47.8	16.3	3.2	4.4	1.8
Jul 12P	63.3	46.6	16.6	3.2	4.3	1.8	63.3	-0.8	-0.7	47.3	16.0	3.2	4.4	1.7
Vest Midlands 995 Annual 996 Averages 997 996 9999	210.3 188.6 142.3 123.5 120.9 109.2	158.6 142.0 108.2 93.4 92.1 83.1	51.7 46.6 34.1 30.1 28.8 26.1	7.8 7.0 5.4 4.6 4.5 4.1	10.4 9.4 7.3 6.1 6.3 5.6	4.5 4.0 2.9 2.6 2.4 2.2	DPBC 207.5 186.0 141.0 122.4 119.6 108.0			ZMPE 157.3 140.8 107.5 92.8 91.4 82.4	<b>ZMPG</b> 50.2 45.2 33.6 29.6 28.3 25.6	7.7 6.9 5.3 4.6 4.5 4.0	ZMPF 10.3 9.4 7.2 6.1 6.2 5.6	ZMPH 4.3 3.8 2.9 2.6 2.4 2.1
000 Jul 13	109.2	82.2	27.0	4.1	5.6	2.2	106.7	-1.4	-0.7	81.3	25.4	4.0	5.5	2.1
Aug 10	111.0	83.0	28.0	4.1	5.6	2.3	106.0	-0.7	-0.9	81.0	25.0	4.0	5.5	2.1
Sep 14	107.5	81.1	26.5	4.0	5.5	2.2	104.7	-1.3	-1.1	80.2	24.5	3.9	5.5	2.0
Oct 12	103.6	78.7	24.9	3.9	5.4	2.1	106.4	1.7	-0.1	81.4	25.0	4.0	5.5	2.1
Nov 9	102.2	78.1	24.1	3.8	5.3	2.0	106.6	0.2	0.2	81.5	25.1	4.0	5.5	2.1
Dec 14	103.1	79.4	23.7	3.9	5.4	2.0	106.3	-0.3	0.5	81.3	25.0	4.0	5.5	2.1
001 Jan 11	109.1	83.6	25.5	4.1	5.7	2.1	104.5	-1.8	-0.6	79.9	24.6	3.9	5.4	2.0
Feb 8	108.4	83.0	25.4	4.1	5.6	2.1	103.6	-0.9	-1.0	79.2	24.4	3.9	5.4	2.0
Mar 8	105.7	81.1	24.6	4.0	5.5	2.0	102.4	-1.2	-1.3	78.3	24.1	3.8	5.3	2.0
Apr 12	103.4	79.2	24.2	3.9	5.4	2.0	101.5	-0.9	-1.0	77.8	23.7	3.8	5.3	2.0
May 10	101.4	78.0	23.4	3.8	5.3	1.9	100.8	-0.7	-0.9	77.1	23.7	3.8	5.2	2.0
Jun 14 R	98.1	75.2	22.9	3.7	5.1	1.9	98.7	-2.1	-1.2	75.5	23.2	3.7	5.1	1.9
Jul 12P	98.8	74.8	24.0	3.7	5.1	2.0	97.0	-1.7	-1.5	74.3	22.7	3.6	5.1	1.9
995) Annual 996) Averages 997) 998) 999) 000)	167.5 148.7 105.5 85.0 77.3 64.9	124.8 110.6 79.0 63.1 57.6 47.9	42.7 38.1 26.5 22.0 19.8 17.0	6.3 5.8 4.0 3.3 2.9 2.5	8.5 7.8 5.5 4.4 4.0 3.3	3.6 3.3 2.3 1.9 1.7	DPDJ 164.8 146.2 104.4 84.2 76.5 64.1			<b>ZMOK</b> 123.5 109.4 78.4 62.6 57.1 47.5	<b>ZMOM</b> 41.3 36.8 26.0 21.6 19.4 16.6	DPDP 6.2 5.7 4.0 3.2 2.9 2.5	<b>ZMOL</b> 8.4 7.7 5.4 4.4 4.0 3.3	ZMON 3.5 3.2 2.2 1.8 1.6 1.4
000 Jul 13	62.1	45.5	16.7	2.4	3.2	1.4	62.8	-2.0	-1.3	46.5	16.3	2.4	3.2	1.4
Aug 10	62.2	45.1	17.2	2.4	3.1	1.5	61.8	-1.0	-1.2	45.8	16.0	2.4	3.2	1.4
Sep 14	59.5	43.4	16.1	2.3	3.0	1.4	60.4	-1.4	-1.5	45.0	15.4	2.3	3.1	1.3
Oct 12	58.0	42.4	15.6	2.2	3.0	1.3	60.7	0.3	-0.7	45.0	15.7	2.3	3.1	1.3
Nov 9	57.5	42.2	15.2	2.2	2.9	1.3	60.0	-0.7	-0.6	44.4	15.6	2.3	3.1	1.3
Dec 14	57.6	43.0	14.7	2.2	3.0	1.3	59.0	-1.0	-0.5	43.7	15.3	2.3	3.0	1.3
001 Jan 11	62.0	46.1	15.9	2.4	3.2	1.4	56.6	-2.4	-1.4	41.7	14.9	2.2	2.9	1.3
Feb 8	62.6	46.3	16.3	2.4	3.2	1.4	56.3	-0.3	-1.2	41.6	14.7	2.2	2.9	1.3
Mar 8	60.5	44.9	15.6	2.3	3.1	1.3	55.7	-0.6	-1.1	41.1	14.6	2.1	2.9	1.2
Apr 12	57.2	42.4	14.8	2.2	3.0	1.3	55.2	-0.5	-0.5	40.8	14.4	2.1	2.8	12
May 10	55.4	41.2	14.2	2.1	2.9	1.2	55.2	0.0	-0.4	40.8	14.4	2.1	2.8	12
Jun 14 R	52.7	39.1	13.7	2.0	2.7	1.2	54.6	-0.6	-0.4	40.4	14.2	2.1	2.8	12
Jul 12P	53.2	39.0	14.3	2.0	2.7	1.2	54.0	-0.6	-0.4	40.0	14.0	2.1	2.8	1.2

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Government Office Regions	All	Male	Female	All	Male	Female	All	Change since previous month	average change over 3 months ended	Male	Female	All	Male F	emale
995) Annual 996) Averages 997) 998) 999)	DPCJ 394.7 360.1 271.4 226.6 204.3 175.5	292.1 265.2 199.8 166.5 150.5 129.5	102.6 95.0 71.6 60.1 53.8 46.0	9.0 8.3 6.2 5.1 4.5 3.8	12.0 11.1 8.4 6.8 6.1 5.1	5.3 4.9 3.6 2.9 2.6 2.2	390.0 355.8 269.7 225.4 203.1 174.4			<b>ZMOO</b> 290.1 263.3 198.9 165.9 149.9 128.9	<b>ZMOQ</b> 99.9 92.5 70.8 59.5 53.2 45.5	BPDQ 8.9 8.2 6.2 5.0 4.5 3.8	ZMOP 11.9 11.0 8.4 6.8 6.0 5.1	ZM
2000 Jul 13	173.5	127.4	46.1	3.7	5.0	2.2	171.8	-3.6	-3.2	126.8	45.0	3.7	5.0	
Aug 10	173.0	126.0	46.9	3.7	5.0	2.2	168.5	-3.3	-3.0	124.7	43.8	3.6	4.9	
Sep 14	169.6	123.8	45.8	3.6	4.9	2.2	165.4	-3.1	-3.3	122.7	42.7	3.6	4.8	
Oct 12	164.6	120.9	43.7	3.5	4.8	2.1	165.1	-0.3	-2.2	122.4	42.7	3.6	4.8	
Nov 9	160.9	118.7	42.2	3.5	4.7	2.0	164.0	-1.1	-1.5	121.5	42.5	3.5	4.8	
Dec 14	159.1	118.2	40.9	3.4	4.6	1.9	162.3	-1.7	-1.0	120.2	42.1	3.5	4.7	
001 Jan 11	160.4	119.2	41.2	3.5	4.7	2.0	158.7	-3.6	-2.1	117.4	41.3	3.4	4.6	
Feb 8	160.0	118.6	41.4	3.4	4.7	2.0	156.6	-2.1	-2.5	115.8	40.8	3.4	4.6	
Mar 8	156.4	116.0	40.4	3.4	4.6	1.9	153.8	-2.8	-2.8	113.7	40.1	3.3	4.5	
Apr 12	153.3	113.6	39.7	3.3	4.5	1.9	152.4	-1.4	-2.1	112.6	39.8	3.3	4.4	
May 10	152.9	113.2	39.7	3.3	4.5	1.9	152.4	0.0	-1.4	112.4	40.0	3.3	4.4	
Jun 14 R	151.4	111.8	39.7	3.3	4.4	1.9	151.5	-0.9	-0.8	111.5	40.0	3.3	4.4	
Jul 12P	152.0	111.1	40.9	3.3	4.4	1.9	150.3	-1.2	-0.7	110.6	39.7	3.2	4.4	
South East 995) Annual 996) Averages 997) 998) 999)	229.0 200.2 136.2 107.0 96.1 79.7	173.8 151.3 103.7 81.3 73.2 60.2	55.1 48.9 32.5 25.7 23.0 19.5	5.7 5.0 3.3 2.6 2.3 1.9	7.9 6.9 4.6 3.7 3.3 2.6	3.1 2.7 1.8 1.4 1.2 1.0	225.7 197.2 134.8 106.1 95.3 78.9			2MOS 172.2 149.8 102.9 80.8 72.7 59.8	53.5 47.3 31.9 25.3 22.6 19.1	5.6 4.9 3.3 2.6 2.3 1.8	7.8 6.8 4.6 3.6 3.2 2.6	ZMC
000 Jul 13	76.5	57.2	19.2	1.8	2.5	1.0	77.8	-1.8	-1.3	58.8	19.0	1.8	2.6	
Aug 10	76.6	56.8	19.8	1.8	2.5	1.0	76.1	-1.7	-1.5	57.7	18.4	1.8	2.5	
Sep 14	73.6	54.8	18.8	1.7	2.4	1.0	74.4	-1.7	-1.7	56.5	17.9	1.7	2.5	
Oct 12	71.5	53.8	17.7	1.7	2.3	0.9	74.2	-0.2	-1.2	56.4	17.8	1.7	2.4	
Nov 9	71.0	53.7	17.3	1.7	2.3	0.9	73.2	-1.0	-1.0	55.6	17.6	1.7	2.4	
Dec 14	71.9	55.0	16.9	1.7	2.4	0.9	72.7	-0.5	-0.6	55.2	17.5	1.7	2.4	
001 Jan 11 Feb 8 Mar 8	75.9 75.2 71.6	57.9 57.0 54.4	18.0 18.2 17.2	1.8 1.8 1.7	2.5 2.5 2.4	0.9 0.9 0.9	68.8 67.9 67.3	-3.9 -0.9 -0.6	-1.8 -1.8 -1.8	52.3 51.4 51.0	16.5 16.3	1.6 1.6 1.6	2.3 2.2 2.2	
Apr 12	68.6	52.1	16.5	1.6	2.3	0.8	67.0	-0.3	-0.6	50.7	16.3	1.6	22	
May 10	66.1	50.2	16.0	1.6	2.2	0.8	66.7	-0.3	-0.4	50.3	16.4	1.6	22	
Jun 14 R	63.1	47.7	15.4	1.5	2.1	0.8	66.0	-0.7	-0.4	49.7	16.3	1.5	22	
Jul 12P	63.8	47.6	16.2	1.5	2.1	0.8	65.1	-0.9	-0.6	49.1	16.0	1.5	2.1	
South West 995) Annual 996) Averages 997) 998) 999)	BCKF 166.3 148.2 105.4 84.8 76.2 62.6	124.1 110.3 79.0 63.0 56.5 46.3	42.3 38.0 26.4 21.8 19.7 16.3	6.6 6.0 4.2 3.4 3.1 2.5	9.0 8.1 5.8 4.6 4.2 3.4	3.7 3.4 2.4 1.9 1.8 1.4	DPBB 163.5 145.6 104.3 84.0 75.3 61.9			<b>ZMOW</b> 122.7 109.0 78.4 62.5 56.0 45.9	2MOY 40.8 36.7 25.9 21.5 19.3 16.0	DPBM 6.5 5.9 4.2 3.4 3.1 2.5	<b>ZMOX</b> 8.9 8.1 5.7 4.6 4.2 3.4	ZN
000 Jul 13	59.2	43.7	15.5	2.4	3.2	1.4	61.1	-2.0	-1.0	45.3	15.8	2.5	3.4	
Aug 10	59.1	43.3	15.8	2.4	3.2	1.4	59.9	-1.2	-1.2	44.6	15.3	2.4	3.3	
Sep 14	57.3	42.2	15.1	2.3	3.1	1.3	58.8	-1.1	-1.4	43.8	15.0	2.4	3.2	
Oct 12	55.7	41.2	14.4	2.2	3.0	1.3	58.2	-0.6	-1.0	43.4	14.8	2.3	3.2	
Nov 9	56.0	41.3	14.7	2.3	3.1	1.3	57.3	-0.9	-0.9	42.7	14.6	2.3	3.2	
Dec 14	56.4	42.0	14.4	2.3	3.1	1.3	56.2	-1.1	-0.9	41.8	14.4	2.3	3.1	
001 Jan 11	61.4	45.4	15.9	2.5	3.4	1.4	54.0	-2.2	-1.4	40.2	13.8	2.2	3.0	
Feb 8	60.6	44.8	15.8	2.4	3.3	1.4	53.2	-0.8	-1.4	39.6	13.6	2.1	2.9	
Mar 8	58.0	43.0	14.9	2.3	3.2	1.3	53.5	0.3	-0.9	39.8	13.7	2.2	2.9	
Apr 12	55.6	41.2	14.4	2.2	3.0	1.3	53.7	0.2	-0.1	39.8	13.9	2.2	2.9	
May 10	53.3	39.7	13.6	2.1	2.9	1.2	53.8	0.1	0.2	39.7	14.1	2.2	2.9	
Jun 14 R	49.9	37.2	12.7	2.0	2.8	1.1	53.2	-0.6	-0.1	39.4	13.8	2.1	2.9	
Jul 12P	50.4	37.0	13.4	2.0	2.7	1.2	52.2	-1.0	-0.5	38.6	13.6	2.1	2.9	
ngland 995) Annual 996) Averages 997) 998) 999)	VASR 1,926.2 1,740.4 1,299.1 1,093.6 1,013.5 882.8	1,461.6 1,316.7 989.2 830.3 770.9 670.7	464.5 423.6 309.9 263.3 242.7 212.1	7.6 6.9 5.2 4.3 4.0 3.5	10.4 9.6 7.2 6.0 5.5 4.8	4.1 3.8 2.7 2.3 2.1 1.8	18WK 1,897.7 1,713.1 1,285.7 1,083.1 1,002.8 872.8			ZMQK 1,447.7 1,303.5 981.6 824.4 764.8 665.0	<b>ZMQM</b> 449.9 409.6 304.1 258.7 238.0 207.9	7.5 6.8 5.1 4.3 3.9 3.4	<b>ZMQL</b> 10.3 9.5 7.1 6.0 5.5 4.8	ZM
000 Jul 13	866.0	652.7	213.3	3.4	4.7	1.8	860.3	-18.6	-11.8	655.2	205.1	3.4	4.7	
Aug 10	866.5	647.7	218.8	3.4	4.7	1.9	847.5	-12.8	-13.5	647.6	199.9	3.3	4.7	
Sep 14	835.1	627.3	207.8	3.3	4.5	1.8	833.7	-13.8	-15.1	636.9	196.8	3.3	4.6	
Oct 12	808.2	611.7	196.6	3.2	4.4	1.7	836.8	3.1	-7.8	639.1	197.7	3.3	4.6	
Nov 9	800.2	608.8	191.4	3.1	4.4	1.6	830.6	-6.2	-5.6	633.8	196.8	3.2	4.6	
Dec 14	808.0	620.4	187.5	3.2	4.5	1.6	824.7	-5.9	-3.0	629.1	195.6	3.2	4.5	
001 Jan 11	857.4	655.6	201.9	3.4	4.7	1.7	801.5	-23.2	-11.8	610.7	190.8	3.1	4.4	
Feb 8	853.9	651.0	202.9	3.3	4.7	1.7	793.6	-7.9	-12.3	604.4	189.2	3.1	4.3	
Mar 8	827.9	632.2	195.7	3.2	4.5	1.7	785.6	-8.0	-13.0	598.5	187.1	3.1	4.3	
Apr 12	803.4	612.1	191.2	3.1	4.4	1.6	781.7	-3.9	-6.6	595.4	186.3	3.1	4.3	
May 10	784.0	598.5	185.5	3.1	4.3	1.6	778.8	-2.9	-4.9	591.7	187.1	3.0	4.3	
Jun 14 R	755.7	575.0	180.7	3.0	4.1	1.5	769.0	-9.8	-5.5	584.1	184.9	3.0	4.2	
Jul 12P	762.3	573.4	188.9	3.0	4.1	1.6	759.6	-9.4	-7.4	577.7	181.9	3.0	4.2	

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Government Office Regions	All	Male	Female	All	Male	Female	All	Change since previous month	average change over 3 months	Male	Female	All	Male	Female
7ales 1935) Annual 1936) Averages 1937) 1938) 1939) 1939)	BCKI 107.8 102.7 80.3 69.8 64.9 57.9	83.4 79.2 62.4 54.0 50.2 44.7	24.4 23.5 17.9 15.8 14.7 13.1	8.2 7.9 6.3 5.5 5.1 4.5	11.6 11.1 8.9 7.7 7.2 6.5	4.1 4.0 3.1 2.8 2.5 2.1	DPBE 106.1 100.9 79.3 69.0 64.1 57.2			<b>ZMQC</b> 82.5 78.3 61.9 53.5 49.8 44.4	<b>ZMQE</b> 23.6 22.6 17.5 15.5 14.4 12.9	BPBP  8.1 7.7 6.2 5.4 5.0 4.4	ZMQD 11.5 11.0 8.8 7.6 7.1 6.5	ZMQF 4.0 3.8 3.1 2.7 2.5 2.1
Aug 10 Sep 14	57.0 57.6 55.5	43.4 43.5 42.4	13.6 14.1 13.1	4.4 4.4 4.3	6.3 6.3 6.2	2.2 2.3 2.1	56.7 56.3 56.4	-0.5 -0.4 0.1	-0.3 -0.4 -0.3	43.9 43.7 43.8	12.8 12.6 12.6	4.4 4.3 4.3	6.4 6.4 6.4	2.1 2.1 2.1
Oct 12 Nov 9 Dec 14	54.0 54.0 55.5	41.7 41.9 43.4	12.3 12.1 12.0	4.2 4.2 4.3	6.1 6.1 6.3	2.0 2.0 2.0	56.5 56.0 55.9	0.1 -0.5 -0.1	-0.1 -0.1 -0.2	43.9 43.4 43.3	12.6 12.6 12.6	4.3 4.3 4.3	6.4 6.3 6.3	2.1 2.1 2.1
Jan 11 Feb 8 Mar 8	59.8 59.5 57.2	46.3 45.9 44.3	13.5 13.6 13.0	4.6 4.6 4.4	6.7 6.7 6.4	2.2 2.2 2.1	54.9 54.6 53.6	-1.0 -0.3 -1.0	-0.5 -0.5 -0.8	42.4 42.1 41.4	12.5 12.5 12.2	4.2 4.2 4.1	6.2 6.1 6.0	2.0 2.0 2.0
Apr 12 May 10 Jun 14 R	53.9 51.4 48.8	41.6 39.9 37.6	12.3 11.5 11.2	4.1 4.0 3.8	6.1 5.8 5.5	2.0 1.9 1.8	52.8 52.1 50.6	-0.8 -0.7 -1.5	-0.7 -0.8 -1.0	40.7 40.1 38.9	12.1 12.0 11.7	4.1 4.0 3.9	5.9 5.8 5.7	2.0 2.0 1.9
Jul 12P	49.6	37.7	11.9	3.8	5.5	1.9	49.7	-0.9	-1.0	38.4	11.3	3.8	5.6	1.8
Annual Annual Averages Averages Averages Averages Averages Averages	203.5 195.1 159.6 141.5 133.8 119.4	156.3 149.3 123.5 108.5 103.1 92.1	47.2 45.7 36.0 32.9 30.7 27.3	7.7 7.6 6.3 5.7 5.3 4.8	11.0 10.8 9.1 8.2 7.6 6.7	3.9 3.8 3.1 2.8 2.6 2.4	DPBF 198.1 189.7 156.1 138.2 130.4 116.3			ZMQG 153.4 146.5 121.5 106.7 101.2 90.3	2MQI 44.7 43.3 34.6 31.6 29.3 26.0	7.5 7.3 6.2 5.5 5.1 4.6	2MQH 10.8 10.6 9.0 8.0 7.4 6.6	3.7 3.6 3.0 2.7 2.5 2.3
Jul 13 Aug 10 Sep 14	121.9 120.8 109.7	92.4 91.0 84.2	29.6 29.8 25.5	4.9 4.8 4.4	6.8 6.7 6.2	2.6 2.6 2.2	113.1 112.9 112.3	-3.5 -0.2 -0.6	-2.0 -1.8 -1.4	89.0 87.9 87.1	24.1 25.0 25.2	4.5 4.5 4.5	6.5 6.4 6.4	2.1 2.2 2.2
Oct 12 Nov 9 Dec 14	106.5 106.4 108.0	82.4 82.6 84.6	24.1 23.8 23.5	4.3 4.2 4.3	6.0 6.0 6.2	2.1 2.1 2.1	112.2 111.6 111.1	-0.1 -0.6 -0.5	-0.3 -0.4 -0.4	87.0 86.6 86.2	25.2 25.0 24.9	4.5 4.5 4.4	6.4 6.3 6.3	2.2 2.2 2.2
Jan 11 Feb 8 Mar 8	119.3 118.9 115.8	93.0 92.2 90.0	26.4 26.8 25.9	4.8 4.7 4.6	6.8 6.8 6.6	2.3 2.3 2.3	109.1 108.2 106.7	-2.0 -0.9 -1.5	-1.0 -1.1 -1.5	84.8 84.1 83.1	24.3 24.1 23.6	4.4 4.3 4.3	6.2 6.2 6.1	2. 2. 2.
Apr 12 May 10 Jun 14 R	109.7 106.7 104.7	85.0 83.0 80.9	24.7 23.8 23.9	4.4 4.3 4.2	6.2 6.1 5.9	2.2 2.1 2.1	105.5 104.9 103.8	-1.2 -0.6 -1.1	-1.2 -1.1 -1.0	82.1 81.4 80.7	23.4 23.5 23.1	4.2 4.2 4.1	6.0 6.0 5.9	2.1 2.1 2.0
Jul 12P	108.2	82.4	25.8	4.3	6.0	2.3	101.8	-2.0	-1.2	79.6	22.2	4.1	5.8	1.9
(Arthern Ireland (SS) Annual (SS) Averages (ST) (SS) (SS) (SS) (SS)	88.2 84.2 63.5 57.5 50.8 42.1	68.7 65.0 49.9 44.8 39.3 32.1	19.5 19.1 13.5 12.6 11.5 10.1	11.3 10.8 8.1 7.3 6.4 5.3	15.1 14.5 11.2 10.0 8.9 7.3	5.9 5.7 4.0 3.7 3.3 2.9	87.8 83.8 63.4 57.4 50.8 42.1			<b>ZMQO</b> 68.6 64.9 49.9 44.8 39.3 32.0	ZMQQ 19.3 18.9 13.5 12.6 11.4 10.1	11.2 10.7 8.1 7.3 6.4 5.3	2MQP 15.1 14.5 11.2 10.0 8.9 7.3	<b>ZMQF</b> 5.9 5.7 4.0 3.7 3.3 2.9
Jul 13 Aug 10 Sep 14	43.8 44.1 42.4	32.2 32.1 31.4	11.6 12.0 11.0	5.6 5.6 5.4	7.3 7.3 7.1	3.3 3.5 3.2	41.0 40.6 40.9	-0.7 -0.4 0.3	-0.5 -0.6 -0.3	31.5 . 31.2 31.1	9.5 9.4 9.8	5.2 5.2 5.2	7.1 7.1 7.1	2.7 2.7 2.8
Oct 12 Nov 9 Dec 14	40.6 40.0 40.0	30.6 30.9	10.0 9.4 9.1	5.1 5.1 5.1	6.9 6.9 7.0	2.9 2.7 2.6	41.3 41.7 41.9	0.4 0.4 0.2	0.1 0.4 0.3	31.3 31.6 31.8	10.0 10.1 10.1	5.2 5.3 5.3	7.1 7.2 7.2	2.1 2.1 2.1
Jan 11 Feb 8 Mar 8	41.2 41.0 40.2	31.8 31.6 31.1	9.3 9.4 9.1	5.2 5.2 5.1	7.2 7.2 7.0	2.7 2.7 2.6	40.8 40.4 39.9	-1.1 -0.4 -0.5	-0.2 -0.4 -0.7	30.9 30.6 30.3	9.9 9.8 9.6	5.2 5.1 5.1	7.0 6.9 6.9	2.9 2.8 2.8
Apr 12 May 10 Jun 14 R	39.5 38.8 38.7	30.5 30.0 29.5	9.1 8.8 9.3	5.0 4.9 4.9	6.9 6.8 6.7	2.6 2.5 2.7	40.0 40.0 39.7	0.1 0.0 -0.3	-0.3 -0.1 -0.1	30.4 30.4 30.1	9.6 9.6 9.6	5.1 5.1 5.0	6.9 6.9 6.8	2.8 2.8 2.8
Jul 12P	41.7	30.6	11.2	5.3	6.9	3.2	39.2	-0.5	-0.3	29.8	9.4	5.0	6.8	2.7

Source: Benefits Agency administrative system Labour Market Statistics Helpline: 020 7533 6094

National and regional claimant count rates are calculated by expressing the number of claimants as a percentage of the estimated total workforce (the sum of claimants, employee jobs, self-employment jobs, HM armed forces and government-supported trainees) at mid-2000 for 2000 and 2001 figures and at the corresponding mid-year estimates for earlier years.

The seasonally adjusted series takes account of past discontinuities to be consistent with the current coverage of the count (see *Employment Gazette*, December 1990, p608 for the historical list of discontinuities taken into account, and pS 16 of the April 1994 issue). It also takes into account the effect of the change in benefit eligibility rules introduced with Jobseeker's Allowance (see *Labour Market Trends*, May 2000 pp219-24). To maintain a consistent assessment, the seasonally adjusted series relates only to claimants aged 18 and over.

 $The latest national \, and \, regional \, seasonally \, adjusted \, claimant \, count figures \, are \, provisional \, and \, subject to \, revision, \, mainly \, in \, the \, following \, month. \, Revised.$ 

Note: The introduction of Joint Claims for Jobseeker's Allowance, on 19 March 2001, has had an upward effect on the claimant count since April 2001. ONS estimates the cumulative impact on the count for June to be 6,000 for the UK overall (approximately 2,000 men and 4,000 women).

The introduction of Joint Claims means that both members of certain couples are now required to claim JSA jointly and both are required to look for work. This applies to couples without dependent children where at least one member was born after 19 March 1976 and is aged over 18. The claimant count continues to include all individual claimants, so there are some extra claimants included as a result of this change.

### C.12 UNEMPLOYMENT Claimant count by age and duration

Thousands and per cent, not seasonally adjusted

UNITED KINGDOM –			Allag	jes						11	3-24			
	All	Up to 13 weeks	Over 13 weeks and up to 6 months	Over 6 and up to 12 months	Over 12 and up to 24 months	Per cent claiming over 12 months	All over 24 months	All	Up to 13 weeks		Over 6 and up to 12 months	Over 12 and up to 24 months	Per cent claiming over 12 months	All over 24 months
AII 1999 Jul 8 Aug 12 Sep 9	GEYV 1,251.4 1,251.2 1,212.1	493.4 512.4 492.8	230.1 219.2 213.2	<b>GEYX</b> 217.7 217.9 211.0	159.6 155.4 152.1	24.8 24.1 24.3	<b>GEYZ</b> 150.6 146.3 143.1	<b>GEZA</b> 303.1 311.9 298.2	175.4 188.2 179.9	65.1 61.7 60.2	50.1 50.5 47.4	10.1 9.4 8.8	4.1 3.7 3.6	<b>GEZE</b> 2.5 2.1 1.9
Oct 14	1,153.3	460.1	214.3	194.4	146.4	24.7	138.1	272.8	159.2	64.2	40.2	7.7	3.4	1.6
Nov 11	1,136.1	463.6	210.1	185.9	141.9	24.3	134.6	263.2	154.4	63.3	37.5	6.7	3.0	1.3
Dec 9	1,130.4	465.6	211.8	181.0	138.9	24.1	133.1	257.7	151.0	63.4	36.0	6.2	2.8	1.1
000 Jan 13	1,225.7	512.2	236.7	201.7	140.9	22.4	134.2	288.7	166.2	70.5	44.3	6.6	2.7	1.1
Feb 10	1,216.9	500.2	247.3	200.3	137.3	22.1	131.8	291.5	167.4	72.2	44.7	6.3	2.5	0.9
Mar 9	1,185.2	472.6	249.0	200.2	133.8	22.2	129.6	282.5	158.0	72.7	45.0	6.0	2.4	0.8
Apr 13	1,134.1	449.9	225.1	203.4	128.9	22.5	126.8	263.1	144.5	65.7	46.6	5.6	2.4	0.7
May 11	1,100.4	423.5	221.0	204.5	126.1	22.9	125.4	251.6	132.9	65.6	46.9	5.5	2.5	0.7
Jun 8	1,069.7	412.1	210.2	200.7	123.3	23.1	123.4	245.0	131.1	61.7	46.1	5.5	2.5	0.6
Jul 13	1,081.7	449.5	205.4	185.5	121.1	22.3	120.1	267.4	161.0	58.2	41.7	5.9	2.4	0.6
Aug 10	1,082.0	469.4	193.9	182.5	119.0	21.8	117.2	273.3	171.7	54.1	41.2	5.8	2.3	0.5
Sep 14	1,036.0	447.2	189.4	169.4	116.0	22.2	113.9	258.7	163.0	53.7	35.7	5.8	2.4	0.6
Oct 12	1,003.2	430.8	189.8	160.0	111.7	22.2	110.9	241.7	148.5	56.7	31.0	5.0	2.3	0.5
Nov 9	994.7	434.5	190.1	153.4	108.5	21.8	108.2	235.7	144.8	57.1	28.7	4.6	2.2	0.5
Dec 14	1,005.9	443.5	197.1	152.7	106.7	21.1	106.0	238.4	145.5	59.2	28.8	4.4	2.0	0.5
001 Jan 11	1,072.2	477.0	214.7	168.0	107.5	19.8	104.9	260.9	157.7	63.4	34.8	4.5	1.9	0.5
Feb 8	1,067.7	470.3	221.6	166.7	106.2	19.6	102.8	265.6	161.2	64.7	34.9	4.3	1.8	0.5
Mar 8	1,035.3	440.9	224.1	166.3	103.8	19.7	100.3	256.5	150.5	66.5	35.0	4.1	1.8	0.5
Apr 12	1,000.0	425.7	203.8	171.3	102.0	19.9	97.2	241.8	140.4	60.6	36.5	3.8	1.8	0.5
May 10	972.5	397.8	203.3	174.2	101.8	20.3	95.5	233.0	129.5	62.3	36.9	3.8	1.8	0.5
Jun 14	938.7	383.5	191.1	170.7	100.2	20.6	93.2	224.7	127.0	57.6	35.8	3.8	1.9	0.5
Jul 12	952.4	407.5	190.6	163.4	99.4	20.0	91.5	240.7	146.1	56.4	33.7	4.0	1.9	0.5
lale 999 Jul 8 Aug 12 Sep 9	948.2 938.4 913.6	349.3 355.7 346.5	172.0 163.8 158.7	<b>GEZI</b> 169.3 168.8 163.9	129.7 126.0 123.1	27.2 26.7 26.8	<b>GEZK</b> 127.9 124.1 121.4	<b>GEZL</b> 207.5 211.0 202.8	116.8 123.7 119.6	45.8 43.5 42.2	35.8 35.7 33.6	7.2 6.6 6.1	4.3 3.8 3.7	1.8 1.5 1.4
Oct 14	875.0	329.2	158.1	151.8	118.8	27.0	117.2	187.2	108.0	44.2	28.6	5.4	3.5	1.1
Nov 11	865.9	335.9	155.1	145.1	115.5	26.5	114.4	182.6	106.6	43.6	26.7	4.7	3.1	0.9
Dec 9	868.1	344.5	156.2	141.1	113.2	26.1	113.1	181.7	107.3	43.6	25.6	4.4	2.9	0.8
000 Jan 13	938.8	378.8	175.2	156.0	114.8	24.4	114.0	203.4	117.7	48.9	31.3	4.7	2.7	0.8
Feb 10	929.9	367.0	184.4	154.9	111.7	24.0	112.0	204.9	117.3	50.9	31.6	4.4	2.5	0.7
Mar 9	906.5	345.4	188.0	154.3	108.8	24.1	110.0	198.7	110.3	52.1	31.6	4.2	2.4	0.6
Apr 13	868.2	329.6	170.0	156.3	104.8	24.5	107.5	185.3	101.4	46.8	32.6	3.9	2.4	0.5
May 11	844.2	311.6	166.1	157.7	102.3	24.7	106.5	178.0	94.2	46.4	33.1	3.9	2.4	0.5
Jun 8	819.0	301.5	157.3	155.6	99.8	25.0	104.9	172.7	92.3	43.3	32.7	3.9	2.5	0.4
Jul 13	815.5	318.0	153.7	144.1	97.8	24.5	101.9	182.3	107.5	40.8	29.6	4.1	2.5	0.4
Aug 10	809.1	327.1	145.1	141.4	96.1	24.2	99.4	184.9	113.3	38.1	29.1	4.0	2.4	0.4
Sep 14	780.3	317.2	140.8	132.0	93.6	24.4	96.7	176.3	109.2	37.5	25.3	4.0	2.5	0.4
Oct 12	761.8	311.5	140.4	125.5	90.3	24.2	94.2	166.7	101.8	39.0	22.0	3.5	2.3	0.4
Nov 9	759.6	318.0	140.9	120.8	87.9	23.7	92.0	164.2	100.7	39.5	20.5	3.2	2.1	0.3
Dec 14	775.3	331.8	146.6	119.7	87.0	22.8	90.1	169.6	104.8	40.9	20.5	3.1	2.0	0.3
001 Jan 11	822.4	353.8	160.8	130.9	87.7	21.5	89.2	184.6	112.3	44.3	24.5	3.2	1.9	0.3
Feb 8	816.4	345.1	167.2	130.0	86.6	21.3	87.4	187.6	113.7	45.8	24.7	3.1	1.8	0.3
Mar 8	793.1	323.1	170.6	129.5	84.7	21.4	85.2	181.7	106.1	47.8	24.7	2.8	1.8	0.3
Apr 12	764.5	310.9	154.9	132.9	83.3	21.7	82.5	170.6	98.5	43.5	25.6	2.6	1.7	0.3
May 10	745.5	292.2	153.4	135.6	83.2	22.0	81.1	165.0	91.4	44.4	26.1	2.7	1.8	0.3
Jun 14	716.5	278.6	143.4	133.7	81.7	22.4	79.0	157.1	87.9	40.7	25.5	2.7	1.9	0.3
Jul 12	717.4	288.9	142.2	128.0	80.7	22.1	77.6	164.1	97.7	39.4	23.9	2.8	1.9	0.3
emale 99 Jul 8 Aug 12 Sep 9	GEZR 303.2 312.7 298.6	144.1 156.7 146.3	58.1 55.5 54.5	48.4 49.1 47.1	29.9 29.4 29.0	17.3 16.5 17.0	22.7 22.1 21.7	95.7 100.9 95.4	58.5 64.5 60.3	19.3 18.2 18.0	14.3 14.8 13.8	2.9 2.8 2.7	3.7 3.3 3.4	0.7 0.6 0.5
Oct 14	278.3	131.0	56.2	42.7	27.7	17.4	20.8	85.5	51.2	20.0	11.6	2.3	3.2	0.5
Nov 11	270.2	127.7	55.0	40.8	26.4	17.3	20.3	80.7	47.8	19.8	10.8	2.0	2.9	0.4
Dec 9	262.3	121.1	55.6	39.9	25.7	17.4	19.9	76.0	43.7	19.8	10.4	1.7	2.7	0.3
00 Jan 13	286.9	133.4	61.5	45.7	26.2	16.1	20.1	85.3	48.4	21.6	13.0	1.9	2.6	0.3
Feb 10	287.0	133.3	62.9	45.4	25.6	15.8	19.8	86.7	50.1	21.3	13.1	1.8	2.4	0.3
Mar 9	278.7	127.3	60.9	45.9	25.0	16.0	19.6	83.8	47.7	20.7	13.4	1.7	2.4	0.2
Apr 13	265.9	120.3	55.1	47.1	24.1	16.3	19.3	77.7	43.0	18.9	14.0	1.6	2.4	0.2
May 11	256.2	111.9	54.9	46.8	23.8	16.7	18.9	73.6	38.7	19.3	13.8	1.7	2.5	0.2
Jun 8	250.7	110.6	52.9	45.2	23.5	16.8	18.6	72.4	38.8	18.4	13.3	1.7	2.5	0.2
Jul 13	266.2	131.5	51.8	41.4	23.3	15.6	18.2	85.1	53.6	17.4	12.1	1.8	2.4	0.2
Aug 10	272.9	142.3	48.9	41.1	22.9	14.9	17.8	88.4	58.3	16.0	12.1	1.8	2.2	0.2
Sep 14	255.7	130.0	48.6	37.4	22.4	15.5	17.3	82.4	53.8	16.2	10.5	1.8	2.4	0.2
Oct 12	241.4	119.3	49.4	34.5	21.5	15.8	16.7	75.0	46.7	17.6	9.0	1.5	23	0.2
Nov 9	235.1	116.5	49.2	32.6	20.6	15.7	16.2	71.5	44.1	17.6	8.2	1.4	22	0.2
Dec 14	230.7	111.7	50.4	33.0	19.7	15.4	15.8	68.8	40.8	18.3	8.3	1.3	21	0.1
01 Jan 11	249.7	123.2	54.0	37.1	19.8	14.2	15.7	76.3	45.5	19.1	10.3	1.3	1.9	0.1
Feb 8	251.3	125.2	54.4	36.7	19.6	13.9	15.4	78.0	47.5	18.9	10.2	1.3	1.9	0.2
Mar 8	242.2	117.8	53.4	36.8	19.1	14.1	15.1	74.8	44.4	18.7	10.3	1.2	1.8	0.2
Apr 12	235.5	114.8	48.9	38.4	18.7	14.2	14.7	71.2	41.9	17.1	10.9	1.1	1.8	0.2
May 10	227.0	105.5	49.9	38.5	18.5	14.5	14.4	68.0	38.1	17.8	10.8	1.1	1.9	0.2
Jun 14	222.2	104.9	47.7	37.0	18.6	14.7	14.2	67.6	39.1	16.8	10.4	1.1	1.9	0.2
Jul 12	235.0	118.5	48.3	35.4	18.7	13.9	14.0	76.6	48.4	17.0	9.8	1.2	1.9	0.2

Note: Only computerised claims are analysed by age and duration on a monthly basis. These figures therefore differ in total from those given in Table C.11. The latter include clerically processed claims which currently amount to less than 1 per cent of the total claimant count.

An occasional supplementary analysis by age and duration of the full claimant count including 6,000 clerical claims for April 2001 is available. For further details see pp365-9. This is also available on the National Statistics website www.statistics.gov.uk.

# Claimant count by age and duration Thousands and per cent, not seasonally adjusted

UNITED			25-49								50	and over			
KINGDOM	All	Up to 13 weeks	Over 13 weeks and up to 6 months	Over 6 and up to 12 months	Over 12 and up to 24 months	Per cent claiming over 12 months	All over 24 months		All	Up to 13 weeks	Over 13 weeks and up to 6 months	Over 6 and up to 12 months	Over 12 and up to 24 months	Per cent claiming over 12 months	All over 24 months
Al! 1999 Jul 8 Aug 12 Sep 9	<b>GEZF</b> 724.9 719.2 700.0	246.0 252.0 243.8	127.7 122.0 118.5	132.9 132.7 129.6	117.1 114.2 111.9	30.1 29.5 29.7	101.2 98.3 96.1	20	09.1 06.3 01.6	61.7 62.3 60.2	34.3 32.7 32.1	33.8 33.6 32.9	32.4 31.8 31.3	37.9 37.6 37.9	<b>IADH</b> 46.9 45.9 45.1
Oct 14	671.0	231.2	117.3	121.7	108.2	29.9	92.6	19	96.3	59.5	30.8	31.6	30.5	37.9	43.9
Nov 11	663.9	236.3	115.0	117.1	105.3	29.5	90.3		96.1	62.7	30.1	30.4	29.8	37.2	43.1
Dec 9	663.9	240.5	116.5	114.4	103.3	29.0	89.2		96.0	63.9	30.3	29.9	29.3	36.7	42.7
2000 Jan 13	713.8	265.8	129.1	124.1	104.6	27.3	90.2	20	08.8	69.3	34.6	32.5	29.6	34.7	42.9
Feb 10	703.5	254.6	135.1	122.9	101.9	27.1	88.9		05.6	65.3	37.3	32.0	29.0	34.5	42.0
Mar 9	685.6	240.3	136.2	122.5	99.1	27.2	87.5		00.8	61.3	37.5	32.0	28.6	34.8	41.3
Apr 13	660.2	231.6	123.9	123.7	95.5	27.4	85.5	19	95.4	61.7	33.1	32.3	27.8	35.0	40.5
May 11	644.0	220.7	120.8	124.4	93.4	27.7	84.8		90.0	59.0	31.6	32.3	27.1	35.3	40.0
Jun 8	626.3	213.9	115.1	122.4	91.3	27.9	83.5		34.2	56.7	30.4	31.4	26.4	35.7	39.3
Jul 13	620.6	222.4	113.6	113.8	89.6	27.5	81.2	17	30.3	56.4	30.8	29.1	25.6	35.4	38.3
Aug 10	617.1	230.1	108.1	111.7	88.1	27.1	79.2		78.3	58.1	29.2	28.6	25.0	35.0	37.5
Sep 14	593.8	220.2	105.3	105.6	85.8	27.4	76.9		71.2	55.0	28.1	27.2	24.4	35.6	36.5
Oct 12	580.1	216.7	104.4	101.4	82.9	27.2	74.7	16	69.3	56.3	26.9	26.7	23.7	35.1	35.7
Nov 9	577.8	221.6	104.5	98.3	80.6	26.6	72.8		69.4	59.1	26.8	25.5	23.2	34.2	34.9
Dec 14	586.1	228.7	108.5	98.0	79.6	25.7	71.3		69.6	60.1	27.5	25.2	22.7	33.5	34.1
2001 Jan 11	618.8	244.5	118.2	105.4	80.0	24.3	70.7	17	79.3	64.8	30.8	27.1	22.9	31.6	33.8
Feb 8	611.1	236.4	121.9	104.5	79.2	24.3	69.1		75.7	60.5	32.7	26.7	22.6	31.8	33.2
Mar 8	593.2	221.8	122.4	104.2	77.4	24.4	67.4		70.4	56.4	32.9	26.5	22.2	32.0	32.4
Apr 12	577.0	217.0	111.8	106.9	76.2	24.5	65.2	16	66.8	57.0	29.2	27.1	22.0	32.1	31.5
May 10	564.1	204.5	110.3	109.0	76.2	24.9	64.1		61.5	53.4	27.9	27.6	21.7	32.6	30.9
Jun 14	545.8	196.3	104.4	107.6	75.1	25.2	62.4		55.4	50.7	26.4	26.6	21.3	33.3	30.3
Jul 12	544.7	201.6	104.4	103.4	74.2	24.8	61.1		54.8	50.8	27.2	25.7	21.1	33.0	29.9
Mais 1933 Jul 8 Aug 12 Sep 9	577.1 567.5 554.6	183.3 183.6 179.7	99.8 95.3 92.4	108.1 107.9 105.7	98.1 95.5 93.4	32.2 31.8 31.9	87.8 85.2 83.3	15	CW 55.5 52.1 49.0	43.2 42.8 41.9	24.7 23.4 22.8	24.9 24.5 24.0	24.4 23.9 23.5	40.3 40.3 40.5	38.3 37.4 36.7
Oct 14	534.3	173.1	91.0	99.5	90.4	31.9	80.3	14	46.0	42.3	21.8	23.1	23.0	40.3	35.8
Nov 11	530.0	178.8	89.1	95.7	88.2	31.4	78.2		46.0	44.7	21.4	22.1	22.6	39.6	35.2
Dec 9	532.9	185.4	90.0	93.4	86.6	30.8	77.4		46.2	46.0	21.6	21.6	22.1	39.0	34.9
2000 Jan 13	571.3	204.6	100.0	100.7	87.7	29.0	78.2	1:	55.7	50.1	24.8	23.5	22.3	36.8	35.0
Feb 10	562.4	195.0	105.3	99.7	85.4	28.9	77.1		53.2	47.2	26.8	23.2	21.8	36.6	34.2
Mar 9	548.9	183.7	107.4	99.1	83.0	28.9	75.8		49.6	44.0	27.2	23.3	21.5	36.9	33.6
Apr 13	528.3	176.9	97.7	99.8	79.9	29.1	74.0	14	45.8	44.4	24.1	23.4	20.9	37.0	33.0
May 11	516.0	168.9	95.0	100.6	78.0	29.4	73.4		41.8	42.2	23.0	23.6	20.3	37.3	32.6
Jun 8	501.1	162.9	90.3	99.3	76.2	29.6	72.3		37.1	40.3	21.9	23.0	19.7	37.8	32.1
Jul 13	492.2	165.7	89.0	92.6	74.6	29.4	70.3	1:	33.3	39.3	22.3	21.4	19.1	37.8	31.3
Aug 10	485.9	168.6	84.7	90.8	73.3	29.2	68.5		30.8	39.8	20.8	20.9	18.7	37.7	30.6
Sep 14	470.6	164.4	82.1	86.3	71.3	29.3	66.5		26.4	38.5	19.9	20.0	18.3	38.0	29.8
Oct 12	462.6	164.6	81.2	83.2	69.0	28.9	64.7	1:	25.8	40.0	19.1	19.7	17.8	37.3	29.2
Nov 9	462.5	169.9	81.3	80.9	67.3	28.2	63.1		26.2	42.3	19.1	18.9	17.4	36.4	28.5
Dec 14	472.1	178.4	84.9	80.3	66.6	27.2	61.9		26.9	43.5	19.7	18.5	17.2	35.6	27.9
2001 Jan 11	496.6	189.3	93.0	86.1	67.1	25.8	61.2	1	33.8	46.6	22.2	19.9	17.4	33.7	27.7
Feb 8	489.4	181.4	96.4	85.3	66.4	25.8	59.9		30.7	43.0	23.8	19.6	17.1	33.9	27.2
Mar 8	475.8	169.9	97.5	85.0	65.0	25.9	58.3		27.0	40.2	24.1	19.4	16.8	34.1	26.5
Apr 12	461.8	165.6	88.9	87.0	63.9	26.1	56.4	1	24.0	40.5	21.3	19.8	16.7	34.2	25.8
May 10	452.3	156.8	87.2	88.8	64.0	26.4	55.4		20.6	38.2	20.2	20.3	16.5	34.7	25.3
Jun 14	436.5	149.5	82.2	88.1	62.8	26.7	53.9		15.7	35.9	18.9	19.8	16.2	35.4	24.8
Jul 12	432.1	150.7	82.0	84.7	61.9	26.6	52.8	1	14.5	35.5	19.6	19.1	16.0	35.3	24.4
Female 1999 Jul 8 Aug 12 Sep 9	147.8 151.7 145.4	62.7 68.4 64.1	27.9 26.7 26.1	24.8 24.8 23.9	19.0 18.7 18.5	21.9 20.9 21.5	13.4 13.0 12.8		53.6 54.2 52.6	18.4 19.5 18.3	9.6 9.3 9.3	8.9 9.1 8.9	8.0 7.9 7.8	31.1 30.2 30.6	8.7 8.5 8.3
Oct 14	136.7	58.1	26.3	22.2	17.8	22.0	12.3		50.3	17.2	9.0	8.5	7.5	31.0	8.1
Nov 11	133.8	57.5	25.9	21.4	17.1	21.8	12.0		50.2	18.0	8.7	8.3	7.3	30.2	7.9
Dec 9	131.0	55.1	26.5	21.0	16.7	21.7	11.8		49.8	17.9	8.7	8.2	7.2	30.1	7.8
2000 Jan 13	142.5	61.2	29.0	23.4	16.9	20.3	12.0		53.1	19.2	9.8	9.0	7.3	28.5	7.8
Feb 10	141.1	59.6	29.8	23.3	16.5	20.1	11.8		52.3	18.1	10.6	8.8	7.2	28.5	7.7
Mar 9	136.7	56.6	28.8	23.5	16.1	20.3	11.7		51.2	17.4	10.3	8.8	7.1	28.8	7.6
Apr 13	131.9	54.8	26.2	23.9	15.6	20.5	11.5		49.6	17.3	9.0	8.9	6.9	29.1	7.5
May 11	128.0	51.7	25.8	23.8	15.4	20.8	11.3		48.2	16.8	8.6	8.8	6.7	29.3	7.4
Jun 8	125.2	51.0	24.8	23.1	15.1	21.0	11.2		47.0	16.4	8.4	8.4	6.6	29.4	7.2
Jul 13	128.3	56.7	24.5	21.2	15.0	20.2	11.0		46.9	17.1	8.6	7.7	6.4	28.8	7.0
Aug 10	131.3	61.5	23.4	20.9	14.8	19.4	10.7		47.4	18.3	8.4	7.6	6.3	27.8	6.9
Sep 14	123.2	55.8	23.2	19.4	14.5	20.2	10.4		44.8	16.5	8.2	7.2	6.1	28.6	6.7
Oct 12	117.5	52.1	23.2	18.2	14.0	20.4	10.0		43.5	16.4	7.8	6.9	5.9	28.6	6.5
Nov 9	115.3	51.6	23.2	17.4	13.3	20.0	9.8		43.1	16.7	7.7	6.6	5.8	28.0	6.3
Dec 14	114.0	50.4	23.5	17.7	12.9	19.7	9.5		42.7	16.6	7.8	6.7	5.5	27.3	6.2
2001 Jan 11	122.2	55.3	25.2	19.3	12.9	18.3	9.4		45.6	18.2	8.6	7.2	5.5	25.6	6.1
Feb 8	121.7	55.0	25.5	19.2	12.8	18.1	9.3		45.0	17.4	8.9	7.1	5.5	25.5	6.0
Mar 8	117.4	51.8	24.9	19.2	12.5	18.3	9.1		43.3	16.2	8.8	7.1	5.4	25.9	5.9
Apr 12	115.3	51.4	22.9	19.9	12.3	18.3	8.8		42.7	16.5	7.9	7.3	5.3	25.8	5.8
May 10	111.8	47.7	23.1	20.2	12.2	18.6	8.6		40.9	15.1	7.7	7.2	5.2	26.4	5.6
Jun 14	109.2	46.8	22.2	19.5	12.2	19.0	8.5		39.7	14.8	7.4	6.8	5.2	26.9	5.5
Jul 12	112.7	50.9	22.5	18.7	12.2	18.3	8.3		40.3	15.4	7.7	6.6	5.2	26.4	5.4

Source: Benefits Agency administrative system Labour Market Statistics Helpline: 020 7533 6094

#### C.13 UNEMPLOYMENT Claimant count by age and duration

Government Office Regions as at July 12 200
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claims in weeks	Male				Female				Male				Female			
iiiweeks	18-24	25-49	50 and over	All ages <sup>a</sup>	18-24	25-49	50 and over	All ages <sup>a</sup>	18-24	25-49	50 and over	All ages <sup>a</sup>	18-24	25-49	50 and over	All ages <sup>a</sup>
NODTHEAST					-									1	1	-300
NORTH EAST 13 or less	7,354	9,051	2,282	19,138	3,121	2,424	662	6,502	5,145	9,177	2,578	17,122	2,623	3,337	1,000	
Over 13 and up to 26	3,049	4,691	1,196	9,066	1,144	1,103	352	2,713	1,701	4,392	1,208	7,362	739	1,296	1,096 546	7,
26 and up to 52	2,072	5,338	1,169	8,624	723	950	330	2,036	909	3,842	1,177	5,941	363	980	417	2,
52 and up to 104	181	4,245	1,118	5,545	52	631	248	931	96	2,399	855	3,350	32	524		1,
Over 104	21	4,071	2,004	6,096	3	473	279	755	10				10	320	328	
Percent claiming over 52 we		30.4	40.2	24.0	1.1	19.8	28.2	13.0		1,778	1,067	2,855			275	
All	12,677	27,396	7,769	48,469	5,043	5,581	1,871	12,937	7,861	19.3 <b>21,588</b>	27.9 6,885	16.9 <b>36,630</b>	1.1 3,767	13.1 <b>6,457</b>	22.7 2,662	13,1
NORTH WEST									ENGLAN	D				- 1070		
13 or less	14,194	19,127	4,304	38,346	6,371	5,454	1,820	14,205	74,909	120,521	20 702	207 666	26 206	40.070	10.454	
Over 13 and up to 26	5,870	10,771	2,387	19,244	2,312	2,447	833	5,745	30,795	66,812	28,783	227,666	36,886 13,606	40,273	12,454	92,
26 and up to 52	3,719	11,522	2,315	17,615	1,385	2,084	641	4,152			15,894	114,477		18,477	6,293	39,2
52 and up to 104	351	8,247	1,853	10,455	172	1,275	514	1,962	18,435	68,289	15,181	102,186	7,703	15,486	5,347	28,7
Over 104	39	6,266	2,834	9,139	23	933	521		2,067	48,772	12,385	63,234	937	9,912	4,131	14,3
		25.9	34.2	20.7	1.9			1,478	241	41,325	18,764	60,330	149	6,751	4,256	_ 11,5
Percent claiming over 52 wee All	24,173	55,933	13,693	94,799	10,263	18.1 12.193	23.9 <b>4,329</b>	12.5 <b>27,542</b>	1.8 126,447	26.1 345,719	34.2 91,007	21.8 <b>567,893</b>	1.8 <b>59,281</b>	18.3 90,899	25.8 32,481	100
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ORKSHIRE AND THE HU	MBER								WALES							
3 or less	10,727	15,031	3,666	29,996	4,984	4,400	1,386	11,225	6,141	7,407	1,843	15,615	2,862	2,344	739	6
Over 13 and up to 26	4,224	8,220	1,992	14,555	1,928	2,124	747	4,917	2,342	3,876	1,010	7,267	891	1,032	393	
26 and up to 52	2,473	8,673	1,948	13,131	1,005	1,730	604	3,374								
2and up to 104	201	5,975	1,531	7,707	93	1,730	453		1,421	4,220	959	6,609	565	822	362	
Over 104	28							1,619	81	3,071	843	3,995	34	538	224	73
		4,651	2,209	6,888	9	661	472	1,142	13	2,659	1,254	3,926	9	391	313	71
Per cent claiming over 52 we All	9ks 1.3 17,653	25.0 42,550	33.0 11,346	20.2 <b>72,277</b>	1.3 <b>8,019</b>	17.4 9,988	25.3 3,662	12.4 22,277	0.9 <b>9,998</b>	27.0 21,233	35.5 <b>5,909</b>	21.2 37,412	1.0 <b>4,361</b>	18.1 <b>5,127</b>	26.4 2,031	2
	.,,,,,,	12,000	11,010	12,211	0,010	3,300	0,002			21,200	5,909	37,412	4,301	5,127	2,031	11,73
AST MIDLANDS									SCOTLA	ND						
3 or less	6,593	9,622	2,575	19,086	3,303	3,661	1,268	8,445	12,561	18,500	4,060	36,417	5,755	6,163	1,620	4
Over 13 and up to 26	2,698	5,336	1,491	9,595	1,191	1,632	685	3,573	4,617							14,43
6 and up to 52	1,633	5,283	1,349	8,278	688					8,681	2,075	15,684	1,731	2,224	743	
2 and up to 104	180	3,701	1,078	4,959	77	1,190	514	2,405	2,603	8,620	2,078	13,399	873	1,665	619	
Over 104	7					748	396	1,221	180	6,502	1,803	8,497	67	1,127	493	
		2,851	1,485	4,343	9	482	351	842	15	5,118	2,720	7,853	6	712	550	
Per cent claiming over 52 wee	11,111	24.5 26,793	32.1 7,978	20.1 46,261	1.6 <b>5,268</b>	15.9 <b>7,713</b>	23.2 3,214	12.5 16,486	1.0 <b>19,976</b>	24.5 47,421	35.5 12,736	20.0 <b>81,850</b>	0.9	15.5	25.9	1.
	,	25,130	1,010	.0,2.01	J,E.00	1,113	J,£14	10,400	19,976	47,421	12,730	01,050	8,432	11,891	4,025	25,80
VEST MIDLANDS									GREAT B	RITAIN						
3 or less	9,983	14,003	3,677	28,050	4.885	4,496	1,559	11,248	93,611	146,428	34 606	270 600	45 500	19 700	14.010	14004
Over 13 and up to 26	4,332	8,280	2,163	14,916	1,949	2,208	789				34,686	279,698	45,503	48,780	14,813	117.94
6 and up to 52	2,603							5,087	37,754	79,369	18,979	137,428	16,228	21,733	7,429	48,59
		8,636	1,994	13,277	1,138	1,863	738	3,771	22,459	81,129	18,218	122,194	9,141	17,973	6,328	3075
2 and up to 104	355	6,505	1,658	8,520	164	1,265	563	1,997	2,328	58,345	15,031	75,726	1,038	11,577	4,848	17,48
Over 104	59	6,741	2,743	9,543	34	1,029	644	1,707	269	49,102	22,738	72,109	164	7,854	5,119	18.13
er cent claiming over 52 wee		30.0	36.0	24.3	2.4	21.1	28.1	15.6	1.7	25.9	34.4	21.5	1.7	18	25.9	
	17,332	44,165	12,235	74,306	8,170	10,861	4,293	23,810	156,421	414,373	109,652	687,155	72,074	107,917	38,537	22331
AST													W	1132		
3 or less	5,025	9,223	2,594	17,054	2,623	3,413	1,242	7,492	NORTHER			0.000	0.000	0.440	E44	+ 20
ver 13 and up to 26	1,857	4,575	1,305						4,106	4,291	785	9,220	2,886	2,140	541	5,59
6 and up to 52	965			7,803	898	1,441	601	3,011	1,625	2,594	594	4,820	765	738	241	
2 and up to 104		4,309	1,177	6,465	438	991	427	1,871	1,406	3,539	834	5,788	648	741	298	1,68
	116	2,692	866	3,676	56	604	315	975	459	3,572	939	4,971	198	671	325	
ver 104	18	2,297	1,267	3,582	10	426	321	757	54	3,696	1,709	5,459	29	470	317	
er cent claiming over 52 wee II	ks 1.7 7,981	21.6	29.6 <b>7,209</b>	18.8 38,580	1.6 <b>4,025</b>	15.0 <b>6,875</b>	21.9 <b>2,906</b>	12.3 14,106	6.7 <b>7,650</b>	41.1 17,692	<i>54.5</i> <b>4,861</b>	34.5	5 4 526	24 4.760	37.3	11,05
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ONDON									UNITED K	INGDOM						
3 or less	10,053	23,008	3,676	37,085	6,028	8,893	1,940	17,187		150,719	35,471	288,918	48,389	50,920	15,354	118,54
ver 13 and up to 26	5,169	14,882	2,472	22,618	2,597	4,629	1,167	8,491	39,379	81,963	19,573	142,248	16,993	22,471	7,670	48.34
Sandupto 52	3,060	15,552	2,642	21,291	1,576	4,454	1,191	7,247	23,865	84,668						35,44
2 and up to 104	477	11,871	2,311	14,660	253	3,072	949	4,277			19,052	127,982	9,789	18,714	6,626	
ver104	49	10,100	3,593	13,742	40	1,987			2,787	61,917	15,970	80,697	1,236	12,248	5,173	18,57
er cent claiming over 52 wee		29.1	40.2	26.0	2.8	22.0	998	3,025	323	52,798	24,447	77,568	193	8,324	5,436	13,95
II	18,808	75,413	14,694	109,396	10,494	22.0 23,035	31.2 <b>6,245</b>	18.2 40,227	1.9 164,071	26.6 <b>432,065</b>	35.3 114,513	22.1 717.413	76,600	18.3 112,677	26.4 40,259	13. 234,96
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OUTH EAST	5,835	12,279	3,431	21,789	2,948	4,195	1,481	8,824								
Borless		5,665	1,680	9,318	848	1,597	573	3,087								
3 or less ver 13 and up to 26	1,895	5,005	1,000													
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- 5) LFS Classifications
- 6) LFS Local Area Data
- 7) LFS Variables 1984-91
- 8) Household and Family Data
- 9) Eurostat and Eurostat Derived Variables
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Includes some people aged under 18. These figures have been affected by the change in benefit regulations for under 18-year-olds introduced in September 1988

Note: Only computerised claims are analysed by age and duration on a monthly basis. These figures therefore differ in total from those given in Table C.11. The latter include clerically processed claims which currently amount to less than 1 per cent of the total claimant count.

### C.21 UNEMPLOYMENT Claimant count area statistics

Travel-to-Work Areasa as at July 12 2001

	Male	Female	All	Rateb			Male	Female	All	Rateb	
				Per cent employee jobs and claimants	Per cent workforce jobs and claimants					Per cent employee jobs and claimants	Per cent workforce jobs and claimants
ENGLAND											
Alnwick and Amble	412	154	566	4.2	3.1	Holsworthy	83	32	115	3.5	2.6
Andover	268	112	380	1.0	0.8	Horncastle	90	67	157	2.2	1.7
Appleby	48	22	70	1.6	1.3	Huddersfield	2,988	1,013	4,001	4.2	3.6
Ashford	612	236	848	2.1	1.7	Hull	8,489	2,618	11,107	6.7	5.9
Axminster	99	31	130	1.9	1.4	Huntingdon	613	248	861	1.4	1.2
Aylesbury and Wycombe	2,015	636	2,651	1.4	1.2	llfracombe	248	71	319	4.9	4.1
Banbury	397	180	577	1.0	0.8	Ipswich	2,516	765	3,281	2.8	2.4
Barnard Castle	112	37	149	2.3	1.8	Isle of Wight	1,534	436	1,970	4.5	3.8
Barnsley	3,499	1,138	4,637	5.8	5.1	Keighley and Skipton	1,436	458	1,894	3.5	3.0
Barnstaple	556	218	774	3.2	2.7	Kendal	213	91	304	1.3	1.0
Barrow-in-Furness	1,222	329	1,551	5.3	4.7	Keswick	37	15	52	1.2	1.0
Basingstoke	553	214	767	0.9	0.7	Kettering and Corby	1,258	458	1,716	2.6	2.3
Bath	921	394	1,315	1.6	1.3	Kidderminster	952	354	1,306	2.9	2.5
Bedford	1,899	651	2,550	3.0	2.5	King's Lynn	850	345	1,195	2.5	2.0
Berwick-upon-Tweed	287	90	377	3.6	3.3	Kingsbridge	89	39	128	2.0	1.5
Bideford	518	221	739	5.0	3.7	Lancaster and Morecambe	1,908	598	2,506	4.6	3.9
Birmingham	33,278	10,075	43,353	5.2	4.7	Launceston	192	84	276	3.3	2.5
Bishop Auckland	2,900	899	3,799	6.8	6.0	Leeds	10,368	2,978	13,346	3.4	3.1
Blackburn	3,453	1,039	4,492	3.5	3.1	Leek	274	125	399	2.2	1.2
Blackpool	3,281	877	4,158	3.3	2.8	Leicester	7,942	2,940	10,882	3.9	3.5
Bolton	3,917	1,136	5,053	4.0	3.6	Leominster	182	71	253	2.8	2.4
Boston	341	142	483	1.9	1.7	Lincoln	1,853	607	2,460	3.3	3.0
Boumemouth	2,147	674	2,821	2.2	1.9	Liskeard	288	126	414	3.8	2.7
Bradford	9,592	2,687	12,279	5.1	4.6	Liverpool	23,234	6,408	29,642	7.5	6.8
Bridgwater	722	294	1,016	3.1	2.5	London	110,052	40,667	150,719	3.6	3.2
Bridlington and Driffield	1,056	372	1,428	7.5	6.0	Loughborough	1,175	457	1,632	3.3	2 3 4 3 2 2 2 2 2 4 3 2 4 3 4 3 4 3 4 3
Bridport	104	46	150	1.6	1.3	Louth	366	140	506	4.6	
Brighton	4,663	1,685	6,348	3.5	3.0	Lowestoft and Beccles	1,545	516	2,061	5.2	
Bristol	6,395	2,154	8,549	2.2	1.9	Ludlow	193	72	265	2.6	
Bude	179	71	250	4.7	3.7	Luton	3,075	1,126	4,201	3.2	
Burnley	1,012	286	1,298	3.3	3.0	Maidstone and North Kent	5,693	2,063	7,756	2.8	2.0
Burton on Trent	1,555	579	2,134	2.8	2.5	Malton	157	91	248	2.1	1.0
Bury St Edmunds	386	185	571	1.5	1.3	Malvern	336	127	463	1.9	1.4
Buxton	446	184	630	2.8	2.2	Manchester	26,919	7,647	34,566	3.4	3.1
Calderdale	2,750	791	3,541	4.5	3.9	Mansfield	4,039	1,503	5,542	5.1	4.6
Cambridge Camelford Canterbury Carlisle Chard	1,551	549	2,100	1.3	1.1	Matlock	384	139	523	1.7	1.3
	59	28	87	3.8	3.0	Melton Mowbray	244	105	349	2.1	1.7
	1,129	382	1,511	2.3	2.0	Middlesbrough and Stockton	11,252	2,914	14,166	7.0	6.8
	1,299	502	1,801	3.4	3.0	Mildenhall	184	80	264	1.9	1.8
	180	63	243	2.0	1.7	Milton Keynes	1,684	663	2,347	1.6	1.8
Cheltenham	1,368	445	1,813	2.2	1.9	Minehead	218	66	284	3.7	2
Chesterfield	3,274	1,025	4,299	6.1	5.5	Morpeth and Ashington	2,440	757	3,197	6.3	5
Chichester	970	361	1,331	1.5	1.2	Nelson and Colne	934	323	1,257	4.3	3
Chippenham	319	128	447	1.6	1.2	Newark	512	189	701	3.1	2
Cinderford	530	236	766	3.8	3.3	Newbury	309	129	438	0.8	0
Cirencester	200	80	280	1.1	0.9	Newquay	353	137	490	5.0	3.6
Clacton	844	246	1,090	5.5	4.3	Newton Abbot	501	196	697	2.6	1.6
Colchester	1,868	794	2,662	2.1	1.7	Northallerton and Thirsk	273	132	405	1.4	1.7
Coventry	6,238	2,039	8,277	3.4	3.1	Northampton	2,717	1,059	3,776	2.5	2.6
Crawley	1,506	492	1,998	0.8	0.7	Norwich	3,271	1,150	4,421	2.6	2.8
Crewe Cromer Darlington Dartmouth Derby	2,243 443 1,700 50 4,630	819 148 466 25 1,475	3,062 591 2,166 75 6,105	2.9 3.4 4.7 2.3 3.7	2.5 2.6 4.3 1.8 3.4	Nottingham Okehampton Oswestry Oxford Paignton and Totnes	10,293 146 384 1,956 1,021	3,194 101 183 709 409	13,487 247 567 2,665 1,430	4.2 2.7 3.3 1.1 5.4	3.8 2.0 2.1 1.4
Devizes	193	70	263	1.8	1.3	Penrith	135	70	205	1.4	1.
Diss	226	111	337	2.0	1.6	Penwith and Isles of Scilly	782	308	1,090	5.5	4.
Doncaster	4,674	1,519	6,193	5.7	5.0	Peterborough	1,936	630	2,566	2.6	2.
Dorchester and Weymouth	670	231	901	1.9	1.5	Pickering	109	53	162	2.1	1.
Dover	1,026	314	1,340	4.4	3.9	Plymouth	3,458	1,164	4,622	3.4	2.
Dudley and Sandwell Eastbourne Evesham Exeter Fakenham	8,827 1,164 305 1,868 173	2,684 380 129 662 73	11,511 1,544 434 2,530 246	4.9 2.5 1.5 2.1 2.5	4.5 2.1 1.3 1.8 1.9	Poole Portsmouth Preston Reading Redruth and Camborne	868 3,927 3,408 2,495 720	329 1,283 1,002 840 235	1,197 5,210 4,410 3,335 955	1.3 2.5 2.9 1.1 5.5	2. 2. 1.
Falmouth Folkestone Gainsborough Gloucester Goole and Selby	454 1,117 560 1,814 868	147 354 224 550 356	601 1,471 784 2,364 1,224	5.2 4.1 6.5 3.2 4.0	4.3 3.4 5.5 2.9 3.4	Retford Richmond Rochdale Rugby Salisbury	480 169 2,354 687 393	230 111 689 282 137	710 280 3,043 969 530	4.8 2.8 4.8 2.5 1.2	1. 4. 2.
Grantham Great Yarmouth Grimsby Guildford and Aldershot Haltwhistle	505 1,823 3,425 1,562 99	214 551 1,149 538 41	719 2,374 4,574 2,100 140	2.6 6.3 6.0 0.8 4.1	2.2 5.3 5.3 0.7 3.3	Scarborough Scunthorpe Settle Shaftesbury Sheffield and Rotherham	1,186 1,838 69 224 13,496	96	2,537 108 320	1.4	3. 1. 1.
Harlow Harrogate and Ripon Hartlepool Harwich Hastings	1,298 812 2,209 268 1,784	499 298 595 84 502	1,797 1,110 2,804 352 2,286	1.4 1.5 8.1 6.0 4.3	1.2 1.3 7.3 4.6 3.3	Shrewsbury Skegness and Mablethorpe Sleaford Slough and Woking South Molton	1,080 467 218 9,637 84	3,647	600 318	3.2 2.2 1.7	2. 1.
Haverhill and Sudbury Hawes and Leyburn Helston Hereford Hexham	433 46 217 925 251	191 30 116 365 92	624 76 333 1,290 343	2.2 2.1 5.1 2.3 2.6	1.8 1.2 3.6 1.9 2.1	Southampton and Winchester Southend Spalding and Holbeach St Austell Stafford	3,493 6,211 308 535 1,156	2,217 154 183	8,428 462 718	3.6 1.5 3.1	3.

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Travel-to-Work Areasa as at July 12 2001

	Male	Female	All	Rateb			Male	Female	All	Rateb	y 12 2001
				Per cent employee jobs and claimants	Per cent workforce jobs and claimants					Per cent employee jobs and claimants	Per cent workforce jobs and claimants
						SCOTLAND					
Stamford Stevenage Stoke Stroud Sunderland and Durham	241 1,675 5,266 644 8,545	114 635 1,800 257 2,260	355 2,310 7,066 901 10,805	1.2 1.4 3.8 2.6 5.9	1.0 1.2 3.4 2.1 5.4	Aberdeen Annan Argyll Islands Ayr Badenoch	2,376 286 102 1,846 129	827 137 35 588 41	3,203 423 137 2,434 170	1.8 4.2 4.7 5.6 3.4	1.6 3.6 3.6 4.9 2.9
Swindon Taukton Telfford and Bridgnorth Thankt The ford	1,698 698 1,971 2,153 320	606 273 747 646 141	2,304 971 2,718 2,799 461	1.7 1.9 2.7 7.5 1.9	1.6 1.6 2.4 6.7 1.6	Banff Berwickshire Brechin and Montrose Campbeltown Crieff	190 171 606 227 120	107 70 233 62 51	297 241 839 289 171	3.3 3.6 5.2 8.0 2.5	2.6 3.1 4.5 6.1 2.2
Tiverion Torsuay Trossiridge and Warminster Truss Turksidge Wells	263 1,046 503 591 880	102 317 257 214 330	365 1,363 760 805 1,210	2.2 5.0 1.7 2.9 1.2	1.8 4.2 1.4 2.4 1.0	Dingwall Dufftown Dumbarton Dumfries Dundee	717 73 1,583 1,292 5,035	162 37 517 479 1,552	879 110 2,100 1,771 6,587	6.7 4.0 7.7 5.0 7.8	5.6 2.8 6.6 4.4 7.3
Tynaside Wastoridge and Bodmin Wassfield Wastington Wastick	18,710 270 4,146 4,074 1,287	4,802 116 1,332 1,310 420	23,512 386 5,478 5,384 1,707	5.6 2.8 4.3 3.1 1.6	5.1 2.2 3.9 2.9 1.4	Dunfermline Dunoon and Rothesay East Ayrshire Edinburgh Elgin and Forres	2,560 431 2,722 9,070 586	777 104 987 2,698 253	3,337 535 3,709 11,768 839	5.9 7.2 8.9 3.0 4.6	5.4 5.5 8.1 2.7 3.3
Weengborough Weils Weston-super-Mare Withday With shaven	1,128 579 642 293 1,302	456 219 244 79 382	1,584 798 886 372 1,684	2.9 2.9 2.6 4.6 5.2	2.5 2.3 2.2 3.9 4.7	Falkirk Forfar Fraserburgh Galashiels and Peebles Girvan	2,373 452 142 491 183	745 236 54 171 52	3,118 688 196 662 235	5.5 3.8 2.3 2.8 7.6	5.1 3.3 1.8 2.5 6.7
Wisen and St. Helens Windermere Wind and Chester Wiseech Wowerhampton and Walsall	5,767 43 7,519 607 10,043	1,767 20 2,239 300 3,263	7,534 63 9,758 907 13,306	4.9 0.6 4.6 3.3 5.7	4.4 0.5 4.1 2.8 5.1	Glasgow Greenock Hawick Huntly Inverness	25,802 1,809 293 88 1,196	7,183 499 101 40 378	32,985 2,308 394 128 1,574	5.3 6.7 4.6 4.5 3.8	4.9 6.4 4.0 3.6 3.2
Ws.clbridge Wordester Workington Worksop Working	368 1,124 1,227 990 689	127 419 376 382 205	495 1,543 1,603 1,372 894	2.7 2.1 6.1 5.4 1.3	2.2 1.9 5.4 4.8 1.1	Keith and Buckie Kelso and Jedburgh Kirkcaldy Kirkcudbright Lewis and Harris	237 136 3,945 213 477	92 47 1,257 73 123	329 183 5,202 286 600	5.0 2.5 8.0 4.6 6.4	3.5 2.2 7.3 4.0 6.0
Yearil You: WALES	518 1,753	184 582	702 2,335	1.6 2.1	1.3 1.9	Lochaber Lochgilphead Motherwell and Lanark Newton Stewart North Ayrshire	121 78 5,557 157 3,420	44 26 1,889 54 1,187	165 104 7,446 211 4,607	1.9 3.0 6.0 5.8 10.3	1.6 2.3 5.4 5.1 9.4
Abaystwyth Bayorand Carnarfon Beyvs-y-Coed Brocon Brisgend	364 1,558 102 161 1,588	136 471 35 95 537	500 2,029 137 256 2,125	3.7 6.6 5.1 2.9 4.1	2.6 5.4 4.0 2.0 3.7	Oban Orkney Islands Perth Peterhead	166 178 778 218	50 82 303 132	216 260 1,081 350	3.2 3.0 2.7 2.8	2.4 2.4 2.3 2.2
Cardiff Cardigan Carmarthen Colwyn and Conwy Cwrdbran and Monmouth	6,517 254 589 974 1,168	1,739 87 203 266 371	8,256 341 792 1,240 1,539	3.6 5.1 4.6 4.8 3.3	3.2 3.7 3.7 3.8 3.0	Pitlochry  Shetland Isles Skye and Ullapool St Andrews Stirling	32 128 278 391 1,771	50 81 179 600	43 178 359 570 2,371	1.5 4.9 3.3 4.4	1.0 1.3 4.1 3.0 4.0
Dokellau and Barmouth Fishguard and St David's Flirt Haverfordwest Holyhead	153 125 1,333 813 456	52 54 490 272 162	205 179 1,823 1,085 618	4.9 4.8 3.0 5.8 11.1	4.1 3.9 2.6 4.7 8.5	Stranraer Sutherland Thurso Uists and Barra Wick	324 264 182 96 289	151 87 44 26 61	351 226 122 350	7.6 3.5 5.0 7.8	5.2 6.5 3.0 4.6 6.6
Knighton and Radnor Lampeter Llandrillo Llandrindod Wells Llanelli	64 266 115 258 1,035	34 127 41 110 329	98 393 156 368 1,364	3.8 6.7 5.3 5.1 6.3	2.5 4.7 4.3 3.5 5.1	NORTHERN IRELAND  Ballymena Belfast	1,009	507 4,846	1,516 19,779	4.7 5.3	3.9 4.6
Llangefni and Amlwch Machynlleth Merthyr Neath and Port Talbot	604 149 1,013 1,526	226 62 315 521	830 211 1,328 2,047	8.6 6.4 6.4 5.1	6.5 4.9 6.0 4.6	Coleraine Craigavon Derry Dungannon	1,714 2,208 4,352	927 1,440 318	2,381 3,135 5,792 905	7.3 5.1 10.7	6.2 4.3 9.2
Newtown Pembroke and Tenby Pontypridd and Aberdare Portmadoc and Ffestiniog	2,776 161 525 2,826 239	862 49 132 887 93	3,638 210 657 3,713 332	3.8 1.9 5.6 4.8 5.9	3.5 1.3 4.6 4.4 4.8	Enniskillen Mid-Ulster Newry Omagh Strabane	1,322 715 1,766 969	546 455 684 446	1,868 1,170 2,450 1,415	8.5 5.4 8.4 8.0	6.7 4.4 6.9 6.5
Pwilheli  Rhyland Denbigh Rhymney and Abergavenny Ruthin and Bala Swansea Welshpool	151 1,102 2,873 158 4,220	40 334 918 82 1,188	191 1,436 3,791 240 5,408	3.6 4.4 6.0 3.3 5.1	3.0 3.5 5.3 2.6 4.5						
Wrexham	1,365	69 479	233 1,844	2.8	1.8						

Source: Benefits Agency administrative system Labour Market Statistics Helpline: 020 7533 6094

 $Travel-to-Work Areas (TTWAs) are as defined in May 1998. \ A list of the ward composition of the TTWAs is available from Regional and Local Statistics division on 020 7533 6114.$ 

Claimant count rates are calculated by expressing the number of claimants as a percentage of the estimated total workforce (the sum of claimants, employee jobs, self-employment jobs, HIM armed forces and government-supported trainees) and as a percentage of the narrow-based estimate (claimants plus employee jobs). All the rates shown are calculated using mid-2000 based denominators.

Note: Rates for the above TTWAs back to January 1996 and rates for the 1984 TTWAs are available from the National Statistics Nomis® database. Data on claimant count for Assisted Areas, which were redefined on 1 August 1993, are available from the National Statistics Nomis® database.

# C.22 UNEMPLOYMENT Claimant count area statistics Counties, unitary authorities and local authority districts as at July 12 2001

	Male	Female	All	Rate a		N	ale	Female	All	Rate a	Day
				Per cent employee jobs and claimants	Per cent workforce jobs and claimants					Per cent employee jobs and claimants	Per wo job cla
ORTH EAST						South Yorkshire (Met County)	<b>21,143</b> 3,208	<b>6,372</b> 1,044	<b>27,515</b> 4,252	<b>5.6</b> 5.7	
	1,697	467	2,164	4.7	4.3	Barnsley Doncaster	4,361	1,400	5,761	5.6	
arlington UA artlepool UA	2,209	595	2,804	8.1	7.3	Rotherham	3,862 9,712	1,177 2,751	5,039 12,463	6.0 5.4	
iddlesbrough UA	4,192	1,028 784	5,220 3,862	7.3 8.5	6.9 7.3	Sheffield					
edcar and Cleveland UA ockton-on-Tees UA	3,078 3,842	1,053	4,895	6.1	5.6	West Yorkshire (Met County)	<b>30,937</b> 8,880	<b>9,126</b> 2,448	<b>40,063</b> 11,328	<b>4.1</b> 5.4	
	7,000	2,169	9,259	5.8	5.2	Bradford Calderdale	2,750	791	3,541	4.5	
ounty Durham nester-le-Street	7,090 668	147	815	7.6	6.8	Kirklees	4,876	1,619 2,979	6,495 13,352	4.0 3.3	
erwentside	1,164	355	1,519 1,223	6.7 3.0	5.9 2.7	Leeds Wakefield	10,373 4,058	1,289	5,347	4.3	
urham asington	915 1,408	308 445	1,853	7.6	7.0						
edgefield	1,549	475	2,024	6.3	5.8 2.6	EAST MIDLANDS					
esdale ear Valley	207 1,179	65 374	272 1,553	3.4 7.6	6.2	Derby UA	3,867	1,156	5,023 8,061	4.1 5.1	
				5.0	4.2	Leicester UA Nottingham UA	5,950 6,125	2,111 1,657	7,782	4.6	
orthumberland nwick	<b>4,165</b> 345	<b>1,377</b> 131	<b>5,542</b> 476	4.3	3.1	Rutland UA	62	29	91	0.7	
erwick-upon-Tweed	302	101	403	3.4	3.1 6.5	Derbyshire	8,082	2,893	10,975	3.9	
yth Valley	1,341 483	469 164	1,810 647	7.4 2.7	2.4	Amber Valley	1,092	412	1,504	2.6	
astle Morpeth nedale	507	183	690	3.1	2.6	Bolsover Chesterfield	1,038 1,975	397 603	1,435 2,578	7.6 5.2	
ansbeck	1,187	329	1,516	8.3	7.1	Derbyshire Dales	417	142	559	1.7	
yne and Wear (Met County)	22,469	5,573	28,042	5.8	5.3	Erewash	1,101 671	431 293	1,532 964	3.9 2.9	
ateshead	3,115	792 1,407	3,907 7,041	4.1 4.4	3.9 4.1	High Peak North East Derbyshire	1,282	406	1,688	6.0	
ewcastle upon Tyne orth Tyneside	5,634 3,356	891	4,247	6.8	5.9	South Derbyshire	506	209	715	3.2	
outh Tyneside	4,175	990	5,165 7,682	10.1 6.6	9.0 6.0	Leicestershire	4,091	1,741	5,832	2.5	
underland	6,189	1,493	7,002	0.0	0.0	Blaby	479	203	682 1,905	2.1 3.5	
ORTH WEST						Charnwood Harborough	1,368 321	537 159	480	1.7	
lackburn with Darwen UA	2,217	588	2,805	4.5	4.1	Hinckley and Bosworth	616	319	935	2.2	
lackpool UA	2,209	557	2,766	4.4	3.9 4.9	Melton North West Leicestershire	261 570	110 244	371 814	2.2	
alton UA	2,157 1,799	629 645	2,786 2,444	5.3 2.2	2.0	Oadby and Wigston	476	169	645	3.5	
/arrington UA						Lincolnshire	5,076	1,917	6,993	2.9	
heshire	5,182 894	<b>1,686</b> 276	<b>6,868</b> 1,170	1.6	1.9 1.5	Boston	324	132	456	1.9	
hester ongleton	543	202	745	2.3	1.9	East Lindsey	984 1,337	367 396	1,351 1,733	3.5 3.3	
rewe and Nantwich	984	344	1,328 992	2.8 2.8	2.5 2.6	Lincoln North Kesteven	493	210	703	2.6	
llesmere Port and Neston lacclesfield	788 823	204 252	1,075	1.3	1.1	South Holland	333	159	492	1.6 2.3	
'ale Royal	1,150	408	1,558	3.2	2.9	South Kesteven West Lindsey	769 836	311 342	1,080 1,178	5.4	
umbria	5,552	1,820	7,372	3.7	3.2		= 000	0.004	7,341	2.5	
llerdale	1,312	436	1,748	5.1 6.3	4.6 5.7	Northamptonshire Corby	<b>5,280</b> 641	<b>2,061</b> 221	862	2.7	
arrow-in-Furness	1,049 1,197	274 446	1,323 1,643	3.3	2.9	Daventry	387	248	635	2.3 2.9	
Carlisle Copeland	1,351	392	1,743	5.3	4.8	East Northamptonshire	476 591	197 227	673 818	2.9	
den	211 432	102 170	313 602	1.5 1.4	1.2 1.1	Kettering Northampton	2,254	776	3,030	2.6	
outh Lakeland					0.4	South Northamptonshire	253 678	119 273	372 951	1.5 2.7	
Greater Manchester (Met Cour	1ty) 34,725 3,482	9,889 1,015	<b>44,614</b> 4,497	<b>3.8</b> 3.9	<b>3.4</b> 3.5	Wellingborough				45	
Bolton Bury	1,507	492	1,999	3.2	2.7	Nottinghamshire	<b>8,103</b> 1,676	<b>3,058</b> 633	11,161 2,309	<b>4.5</b> 5.6	
Manchester	10,413 3,171	2,690 896	13,103	4.4 4.7	4.2 4.2	Ashfield Bassetlaw	1,499	620	2,119	4.9	
Oldham Rochdale	2,982	859	3,841	5.0	4.4	Broxtowe	903	362 363	1,265 1,368	4.1 4.4	
Salford	2,948	781	3,729 2,975	3.3 2.4	3.1 2.1	Gedling Mansfield	1,466	483	1,949	5.9	
Stockport Tameside	2,280 2,392	695 756	3,148	4.1	3.7	Newark and Sherwood	934	376	1,310	3.9 2.4	
rafford	2,076	642	2,718	2.1	1.9	Rushcliffe	620	221	841	2.4	
Vigan	3,474	1,063	4,537	4.4	4.0	WEST MIDLANDS					
ancashire	11,016	3,450	14,466	3.2	2.8	Herefordshire, County of UA	1,195	483	1,678	2.4	
Burnley	952 785	259 259	1,211 1,044	3.4	3.0 2.7	Stoke-on-Trent UA	3,720	1,219	4,939	4.2	
Chorley Fylde	317	103	420	1.0	0.9	Telford and Wrekin UA	1,613	603	2,216	2.8	
lyndbum ancaster	702 1,857	233 584	935 2,441	3.3 4.9	2.8 4.2	Shropshire	2,007	763	2,770	2.5	
ancaster Pendle	970	343	1,313	4.4	3.8	Bridgnorth	325 410	132 155	457 565	2.5 2.9	
Preston	1,932	530 76	2,462 273	3.1 1.3	2.9 1.1	North Shropshire Oswestry	327	162	489	3.3	
Ribble Valley Rossendale	197 510	191	701	2.8	2.4	Shrewsbury and Atcham	718	231 83	949 310	2.1 2.5	
South Ribble	609	184	793 1,831	2.1 4.9	1.8 4.1	South Shropshire	227				
Vest Lancashire Vyre	1,377 808	454 234	1,042	3.7	3.0	Staffordshire	6,925	2,711	9,636	3.1 4.1	
				7.4	6.7	Cannock Chase East Staffordshire	853 1,012	386 369	1,239 1,381	2.8	
Merseyside (Met County) Knowsley	<b>30,613</b> 3,932	<b>8,631</b> 1,150	<b>39,244</b> 5,082	10.6	9.6	Lichfield	641	269	910	2.5	
_iverpool	13,113	3,539	16,652	7.7	7.1	Newcastle-under-Lyme South Staffordshire	1,015 957	355 350	1,370 1,307	3.3 4.3	
Saint Helens	2,946 4,785		3,863 6,051	6.7 6.1	5.9 5.3	Stafford	1,027	400	1,427	2.2	
Sefton Wirral	5,837	1,759	7,596	7.0	6.2	Staffordshire Moorlands	609 811	284 298	893 1,109		
						Tamworth					
YORKSHIRE AND THE HUN						Warwickshire	3,494	1,260	<b>4,754</b> 551	2.0 1.9	
East Riding of Yorkshire UA	3,370		4,651	5.1 7.5	4.0 6.9	North Warwickshire Nuneaton and Bedworth	397 973	154 347	1,320	3.6	3
Kingston upon Hull, City of North East Lincolnshire UA	TUA 6,799 3,240		8,768 4,311	6.4	5.7	Rugby	692	278	970	2.2	2
North Lincolnshire UA	1,912	736	2,648	3.7	3.4 2.0	Stratford-on-Avon Warwick	466 966	190 291	656 1,257		
York UA	1,570	503	2,073	2.2							
North Yorkshire	4,031				1.9	West Midlands (Met County)	51,752 24,555	<b>15,392</b> 6,881	<b>67,144</b> 31,436		
Craven	324 472				1.6 1.4	Birmingham Coventry	4,465	1,302	5,767	3.9	9
Hambleton Harrogate	696	257	953	1.5	1.3	Dudley	4,927	1,507	6,434	5.0	
Richmondshire	227	144	371	2.6		Sandwell Solihull	6,341 1,822	1,916 631	8,257 2,453	3.0	)
Ryedale Scarborough	297 1,465					Walsall	4,334	1,472	5,806	5.2	2
Juliani	550					Wolverhampton	5,308	1,683	6,991	6.2	/

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Second Column		Male	Female	All	Rate a			Male	Female	All	Rate a	
Company   Comp					employee jobs and	workforce jobs and					employee jobs and	Per cent workforce jobs and claimants
The control of the co	Bronsgrove Malvern Hills Redditch Worcester Wychsvon Wyre Forest	738 342 790 793 575 886	233 130 372 276 232 335	971 472 1,162 1,069 807 1,221	2.7 1.9 3.0 2.3 1.6 3.2	2.4 1.4 2.6 2.2 1.4 2.8	Bracknell Forest UA Brighton and Hove UA Isle of Wight UA Medway UA Milton Keynes UA Portsmouth UA Reading UA Slough UA	3,895 1,534 2,403 1,428 2,031 1,113 1,283	1,422 436 903 567 591 308 435	5,317 1,970 3,306 1,995 2,622 1,421 1,718	4.5 4.5 3.8 1.6 2.7 1.5 2.1	3.9 3.8 3.2 1.5 2.1 1.3 1.9
1,66	Peterborough UA Southend-on-Sea UA	1,700 2,213	556 662	2,256 2,875	2.7 4.6	2.4 3.8	West Berkshire UA Windsor and Maidenhead UA	415 602	163 236	578 838	0.8 1.1	0.7 1.0 0.8
Section   Company   Comp	Bedford Mid Sedfordshire Sour Sedfordshire	1,661 491 646	521 233 283	2,182 724 929	3.4 1.9 2.1	2.9 1.4 1.7	Aylesbury Vale Chiltern South Bucks	651 305 192	213 110 91	864 415 283	1.4 1.4 0.9	1.1 1.1 1.0 0.8 1.3
Estate   1,000   2,001   1,006   2,00	Cambridge East Cambridgeshire Fenland Huntingdonshire	829 335 568 666 360	248 143 268 266 151	1,077 478 836 932 511	1.3 2.4 2.9 1.5 1.0	1.2 2.0 2.4 1.3 0.8	Eastbourne Hastings Lewes Rother	821 1,360 559 441	232 335 184 171	1,053 1,695 743 612	3.0 5.7 2.2 2.5	22 2.6 4.3 1.7 1.9
Second	Bassion Brassinee Brassine	1,420 735 272 513 740 875 681 721 304 434 1,249	546 337 83 198 342 355 333 276 131 177 391	1,966 1,072 355 711 1,082 1,230 1,014 997 435 611 1,640	3.0 2.5 1.2 3.7 1.6 1.8 2.7 2.8 2.4 2.9 5.0	2.6 2.1 1.1 2.8 1.4 1.6 2.2 2.5 1.9 2.3 3.8	Hampshire Basingstoke and Deane East Hampshire Eastleigh Fareham Gosport Hart Havant New Forest Rushmoor Test Valley	4,854 461 413 370 373 422 148 948 635 382 356	1,779 195 148 151 143 150 54 332 244 123 120	6,633 656 561 521 516 572 202 1,280 879 505 476	1.3 0.9 1.5 1.0 1.3 2.5 0.7 3.3 1.6 1.0	1.1 0.8 1.2 0.8 1.0 1.9 0.5 2.8 1.3 0.9 0.8 0.7
Second   Control   Contr	Brandome Day July State Day July State Day July State Day State Da	510 711 357 506 482 379 592 422 584	239 284 132 191 195 138 237 147 219 152	749 995 489 697 677 517 829 569 803 604	2.4 1.6 0.9 1.6 1.4 0.9 2.0 2.2 1.5 1.1	2.0 1.3 0.7 1.3 1.3 0.8 1.8 1.5 1.4	Ashford Canterbury Dartford Dover Gravesham Maidstone Sevenoaks Shepway Swale Thanet	606 1,054 538 1,119 1,031 732 457 1,113 1,203 2,153	230 357 221 348 337 267 176 353 457 646	836 1,411 759 1,467 1,368 999 633 1,466 1,660 2,799	2.0 2.5 2.0 3.6 4.4 1.3 1.5 4.1 3.8 7.5	23 1.7 2.1 1.7 3.2 3.8 1.2 1.2 3.4 3.3 6.7
Seinlik 5,538 1,899 7,437 277 23 Bellergin 462 171 633 2.3 1.9 Surrey 2,886 1,010 3,846 0.7 0.0 Forest Health 228 106 334 1.4 1.2 Elimbridge 338 128 466 0.9 0.9 0.0 Forest Health 1,742 471 2,211 3.5 1.3 3.5 Elimbridge 338 128 466 0.9 0.9 0.0 Forest Health 1,742 471 2,211 3.5 1.3 3.5 Elimbridge 338 128 466 0.9 0.9 0.0 Forest Health 1,742 471 2,211 3.5 1.3 4.5 1.1 1.7 Guildford 4.0 132 532 0.8 0.9 0.0 Forest Health 4.0 1.2 1.1 1.7 Guildford 4.0 132 532 0.8 0.8 0.9 0.0 Forest Health 4.0 1.1 1.7 Guildford 4.0 132 532 0.8 0.8 0.9 0.0 Forest Health 1,742 471 1.2 1.1 1.7 Guildford 4.0 132 532 0.8 0.8 0.9 0.0 Forest Health 1,742 471 1.2 1.1 1.7 Guildford 4.0 132 532 0.8 0.8 0.9 0.0 Forest Health 1,742 471 1.2 1.1 1.7 Guildford 4.0 132 532 0.8 0.8 0.9 0.0 Forest Health 1,742 471 1.2 1.1 1.7 Guildford 4.0 132 532 0.8 0.8 0.9 0.0 Forest Health 1,742 471 1.2 1.1 1.7 Guildford 4.0 132 532 0.8 0.8 0.9 0.0 Forest Health 1,742 471 1.2 1.1 1.7 Guildford 4.0 1.2 1.2 1.2 1.2 1.2 1.2 1.2 1.2 1.2 1.2	Bre Mand Browand Great Yarmouth King's Lynn and West Norfolk Nord Norfolk Nord Norfolk	661 581 1,765 904 676 2,040	278 250 527 367 249 626	939 831 2,292 1,271 925 2,666	2.4 2.5 6.4 2.5 3.1 2.7	2.0 2.1 5.4 2.0 2.3 2.6	Tunbridge Wells  Oxfordshire Cherwell Oxford South Oxfordshire Vale of White Horse	<b>2,438</b> 407 1,160 358 319	164 915 176 357 169 131	636 3,353 583 1,517 527 450	1.3 1.1 0.9 1.6 1.0 0.8	1.1 0.9 0.8 1.5 0.8 0.7
Agriculture (1) 11,108	Bebergh Forest Heath pswich Mid Suffolk St. Eminufabury Suffick Coastal Waveney	462 228 1,742 423 517 653	171 106 471 192 229 232	633 334 2,213 615 746 885	2.3 1.4 3.5 2.1 1.6 2.1	1.9 1.2 3.3 1.7 1.3 1.7	Surrey Elmbridge Epsom and Ewell Guildford Mole Valley Reigate and Banstead Runnymede Spelthome Surrey Heath	2,836 338 194 400 148 273 219 348 168	1,010 128 75 132 54 111 84 113 61	3,846 466 269 532 202 384 303 461 229	0.7 0.9 0.9 0.8 0.4 0.7 0.8 0.7	0.6 0.7 0.8 0.7 0.4 0.6 0.6 0.7
Hammersmith and Fulham 3,037 1,173 4,210 4,17 3,6 Haringey 5,286 1,932 7,218 10.1 8,6 Bath and North East Somerset UA 771 333 1,104 1,4 1,4 1,4 1,4 1,4 1,4 1,4 1,4 1,4 1,	Barking and Dagenham Barnet Bexley Brent Bromley Camden City of London Croydon Ealing Enfield Greenwich	2,123 3,319 1,671 4,834 2,273 3,899 62 4,349 3,878 4,024 4,263	750 1,261 757 1,619 883 1,533 23 1,583 1,373 1,533 1,693	2,873 4,580 2,428 6,453 3,156 5,432 85 5,932 5,251 5,557 5,956	4.9 3.8 3.5 6.2 3.0 2.1 0.0 4.2 4.4 5.6 8.6	4.4 3.0 2.9 5.2 2.5 2.0 0.0 3.7 3.9 4.7 7.4	Waverley Woking  West Sussex Adur Arun Chichester Crawley Horsham Mid Sussex Worthing	311 233 3,002 291 577 430 501 405 364	109 78 <b>991</b> 77 217 168 129 129 144	420 311 <b>3,993</b> 368 794 598 630 534 508	0.8 0.7 <b>1.2</b> 2.0 1.8 1.1 0.9 1.0	0.7 0.6 1.0 1.7 1.4 0.9 0.8 0.9 0.7 1.0
Merion   1,711   682   2,393   34   2.8     Cornwall and the Isles of Scilly   4,896   1,861   6,757   4.1   3.4   Newham   5,628   1,816   7,444   9.8   8.5   Caradon   577   239   816   3.9   2.5   Caradon   578   2.5   Caradon   57	Hammersmith and Fulham Haringey Harrow Havering Hillingdon Hounslow Islington Kensington and Chelsea Kingston upon Thames Lambeth Lewisham	3,037 5,286 1,664 1,597 1,694 1,483 4,551 1,939 822 7,390 5,814	1,173 1,932 703 666 696 618 1,879 841 326 2,713 2,024	4,210 7,218 2,367 2,263 2,390 2,101 6,430 2,780 1,148 10,103 7,838	4.1 10.1 3.3 3.0 1.5 1.6 4.3 2.2 1.5 8.4 11.7	3.6 8.6 2.7 2.5 1.4 1.4 3.8 1.9 1.3 7.2 9.6	Bath and North East Somerset Bournemouth UA Bristol, City of UA North Somerset UA Plymouth UA Poole UA South Gloucestershire UA Swindon UA	1,617 4,855 972 2,912 617 1,055 1,415	486 1,558 362 940 208 414 487	2,103 6,413 1,334 3,852 825 1,469 1,902	2.9 2.7 2.0 3.7 1.3 1.4 1.7	1.2 2.5 2.4 1.7 3.0 1.1 1.2 1.6 4.6
**************************************	Newham Redbindge Richmond upon Thames Southwark Sutton Tower Hamlets Waltham Forest Wandsworth	1,711 5,628 2,666 984 6,409 1,055 6,253 4,059	682 1,816 1,014 399 2,345 402 1,692 1,379	2,393 7,444 3,680 1,383 8,754 1,457 7,945 5,438	3.4 9.8 5.0 2.0 5.4 2.3 5.4 8.3	2.8 8.5 4.0 1.5 5.0 2.0 5.1 6.8	Caradon Carrick Kerrier North Cornwall Penwith	577 929 1,070 671 778	239 322 397 284 308	816 1,251 1,467 955 1,086	3.9 3.3 5.6 3.4 5.7	3.2 2.8 2.8 4.0 2.7 4.6 2.8

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	Male	Female	All	Rate a			Male	Female	All	Rate a Per cent	Percent
				Per cent employee jobs and claimants	Per cent workforce jobs and claimants					employee jobs and claimants	workford jobs and claimant
Devon East Devon Exeter Mid Devon	<b>4,924</b> 517 1,085 369	1,962 202 346 176	6,886 719 1,431 545 1,222	2.5 1.7 2.1 2.4 3.5	2.0 1.3 2.0 1.9 2.9	NORTHERN IRELAND  Antrim Ards	526 918	235 398	761 1,316	3.5 6.9	3.0 5.9
North Devon South Hams Teignbridge Torridge West Devon	888 420 765 623 257	334 224 284 266 130	644 1,049 889 387	2.2 2.7 4.7 2.4	1.6 2.1 3.5 1.7	Armagh Ballymena Ballymoney Banbridge Belfast	794 724 408 381 7,642	361 358 162 219 1,995	1,155 1,082 570 600 9,637	6.4 4.0 7.0 6.1 5.2	5.3 3.3 5.7 5.0 4.5
Dorset Christchurch East Dorset North Dorset	1,551 186 253 176	605 64 112 82	<b>2,156</b> 250 365 258	1.5 1.4 1.3 1.2	1.2 1.3 1.0 0.8	Carrickfergus Castlereagh Coleraine Cookstown	512 654 1,078 341	211 222 412 208	723 876 1,490 549	8.2 3.7 6.8 5.8	72 32 5.9 4.7
Purbeck West Dorset Weymouth and Portland	141 298 497	130 165	193 428 662	1.2 1.1 3.9	1.0 0.9 3.0	Craigavon Derry Down	1,152 3,590 956	410 1,117 395	1,562 4,707 1,351	4.4 10.9 7.2 4.8	3.8 9.3 6.0
Gloucestershire Cheltenham Cotswold Forest of Dean Gloucester Stroud	4,654 1,066 254 608 1,536 744	1,612 310 109 273 435 295	6,266 1,376 363 881 1,971 1,039	2.5 2.3 1.1 3.6 3.2 2.5	22 2.1 0.9 3.1 3.0 2.0	Dungannon Fermanagh Larne Limavady Lisbum	553 1,264 452 682 1,362 408	310 503 191 290 490 274	863 1,767 643 972 1,852 682	8.4 7.1 9.7 5.1 5.2	3.9 6.7 6.0 8.1 4.4 4.3
Tewkesbury  Somerset  Mendip Sedgemoor	3,153 698 775	190 1,182 269 324	4,335 967 1,099	2.1 2.3 2.6 3.1	1.6 1.9 2.1 2.5	Magherafelt Moyle Newry and Mourne Newtownabbey North Down	335 1,766 1,054 955	147 684 390 362	482 2,450 1,444 1,317	12.7 8.4 5.0 6.2	10.2 6.9 4.3 5.5
South Somerset Taunton Deane West Somerset	759 654 267	262 245 82	1,021 899 349	1.7 1.9 3.4	1.4 1.6 2.6	Omagh Strabane	988 1,082	459 347	1,447 1,429	8.2 12.8	6.7 10.5
Wiltshire Kennet North Wiltshire Salisbury West Wiltshire	1,692 337 482 363 510	720 129 210 123 258	2,412 466 692 486 768	1.5 1.8 1.6 1.1 1.7	1.2 1.4 1.2 0.8 1.4						
WALES											
Blaenau Gwent Bridgend Caerphilly Cardiff Carmarthenshire Ceredigion Conwy Denbighshire Flintshire Gwynedd Isle of Anglesey Merthyr Tydfil Monmouthshire Neath Port Talbot Newport Pembrokeshire Powys Rhondda, Cynon, Taff Swansea Torfaen Vale of Glamorgan, The Wrexham	1,395 1,557 2,230 4,227 2,047 740 1,372 1,008 1,407 1,916 1,311 945 649 1,864 2,307 1,530 1,045 2,826 3,510 1,086 1,506 1,506	439 521 734 1,065 685 294 408 300 509 616 472 294 219 625 678 483 463 887 940 333 444 459	1,834 2,078 2,964 5,292 2,732 1,034 1,780 1,308 1,916 2,532 1,783 868 2,489 2,985 2,013 1,508 3,713 4,450 1,950 1,726	8.3 4.3 5.7 3.1 5.8 4.5 5.0 3.8 9.5 6.2 2.6 5.6 3.9 5.7 3.4 4.8 4.7 3.7	7.5 3.9 5.0 2.8 4.6 3.1 4.0 3.0 2.7 4.8 7.2 5.9 2.2 5.0 3.7 4.6 4.2 3.4 4.2 3.4 3.9 2.8						
Aberdeen City Aberdeenshire Angus Argyll and Bute Clackmannanshire Dumfries and Galloway Dundee City East Ayrshire East Dunbartonshire East Lothian East Renfrewshire	1,939 1,179 1,639 1,332 805 2,272 4,068 2,722 1,045 690 767	626 588 719 419 302 894 1,123 987 387 207	2,565 1,767 2,358 1,751 1,107 3,166 5,191 3,709 1,432 897 1,024	1.8 2.5 5.5 5.0 7.9 5.0 8.2 8.9 5.4 3.5	1.7 2.0 4.8 3.8 7.2 4.4 7.9 8.1 3.9 2.9 4.8						
Edinburgh, City of Ellean Siar (Western Isles) Falikirk Fife Glasgow City Highland Inverclyde Midlothian Moray North Ayrshire North Lanarkshire Orkney Islands Perth and Kinross Renfrewshire Scottish Borders Shetland Islands	5,449 573 2,373 6,900 14,861 3,176 1,809 650 896 3,420 6,054 1,78 1,208 2,959 1,102	2,236 3,830 898 499 193 382 1,187 1,976 82 467 789 390	722 3,118 9,136 18,691 4,074 2,308 843 1,278 4,607 8,030 260 1,675 3,748 1,492 1,492	1.5	23 5.7 5.1 6.0 4.9 3.8 6.4 3.0 3.3 9.4 6.3 2.4 2.3 4.1 2.8 1.3 5.0						
South Ayrshire South Lanarkshire Stirling West Dunbartonshire West Lothian	2,029 4,448 1,020 2,426 2,270	1,492 322 692	5,940 1,342 3,118	5.7 5.1 3.2 10.0 4.7	5.0 4.4 2.9 9.3 4.3				Para Para Para Para Para Para Para Para	its Agency adm	inietrativo

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	Male	Female	All	Rate <sup>a</sup> P		500000000000000000000000000000000000000	Male	Female	All	Rate <sup>a</sup> P	Trans.
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NORTH EAST						Merseyside (Met County) Birkenhead	0.040	050	0.000	00	70
Cleveland (former county)					100	Bootle	2,342 2,339	656 517	2,998 2,856	8.2 8.4	7.2 7.2
Hartiepool	2,209 3,223	595 773	2,804 3,996	8.1 6.3	7.3 6.0	Crosby Knowsley North and Sefton East	959 1,955	288 557	1,247 2,512	5.7 8.0	4.9 7.2
Middlesbrough South and East Cleveland Redoar	1,811 2,236	501 538	2,312 2,774	10.8 8.4	9.7 7.2	Knowsley South Liverpool Garston	2,386 1,756	721 526	3,107 2,282	11.5 8.7	10.5 8.0
Stockton North	2,170 1,672	567 486	2,737 2,158	6.4 5.9	5.8 5.4	Liverpool Riverside Liverpool Walton	3,486 2,783	953 694	4,439 3,477	3.8 13.4	3.5 12.4
Stockton South	1,072	400	2,130	3.5	3.4	Liverpool Wavertree Liverpool West Derby	2,400 2,688	680 686	3,080 3,374	9.3 21.6	8.6 20.0
Duritam Bishop Auckland	1,381	388	1,769	5.6	4.7	Southport St. Helens North	1,078	333 427	1,411	4.4 8.0	3.8
Darlington Durham, City of	1,614 915	436 308	2,050 1,223	4.9 3.0	4.5 2.7	St. Helens South	1,279 1,667	490	1,706 2,157	6.0	7.0 5.3
Easington North Durham	1,234 1,239	405 317	1,639 1,556	7.3 8.2	6.8 7.3	Wallasey Wirral South	1,864 700	537 266	2,401 966	9.1 3.9	8.0 3.4
North West Durham Sedecifield	1,123 1,281	375 407	1,498 1,688	6.8 6.1	5.8 5.6	Wirral West	931	300	1,231	6.2	5.6
Normamberland			,			YORKSHIRE AND THE HUMBER					
Beryack-upon-Tweed	845 1,341	288 469	1,133 1,810	4.3 7.4	3.5 6.5	Humberside (former county) Beverley and Holderness	1,046	404	1,450	5.5	4.4
Blyth Valley Hextram	571	216	787	2.8	2.3	Brigg and Goole Cleethorpes	861 1,295	387 504	1,248	4.9	4.2
Wansbeck	1,408	404	1,812	5.6	4.9	East Yorkshire	1,177	431	1,799 1,608	6.0 5.8	5.4 4.6
Tyne and Wear (Met County) Blavdon	1,024	270	1,294	3.6	3.4	Great Grimsby Haltemprice and Howden	2,163 590	662 234	2,825 824	5.9 3.6	5.2 2.8
Gateshead East and Washington West Houseton and Washington East	1,238 1,530	317 474	1,555 2,004	6.4 5.6	5.9 5.1	Kingston upon Hull East Kingston upon Hull North	2,225 2,373	623 697	2,848 3,070	10.2 10.5	9.4 9.6
Janow	1,784	417 456	2,201	9.3	8.3	Kingston upon Hull West and Hessle Scunthorpe	2,350 1,241	703 412	3,053 1,653	4.8 3.7	4.4 3.4
New astle upon Tyne East and Wallsend	1,712 1,925	484	2,168 2,409	3.5 6.2	3.3 5.6	North Yorkshire	7,5271	712	,,	0.7	0.4
New Castle upon Tyne North Nord Tyneside	1,159 1,624	413	1,436 2,037	5.8 7.6	5.3 6.5	Harrogate and Knaresborough	467	149	616	1.5	1.3
South Shields Sundarland North	2,528 1,962	608 413	3,136 2,375	11.1 6.2	9.9 5.6	Richmond Ryedale	519 474	270 210	789 684	2.1 2.1	1.5 1.7
Surrardand South Tyne Bridge	2,245 2,445	484 604	2,729 3,049	8.5 3.5	7.8 3.2	Scarborough and Whitby Selby	1,370 630	383 266	1,753 896	4.5 2.4	3.8 2.1
Tynamouth	1,293	356	1,649	6.1	5.3	Skipton and Ripon Vale of York	464 406	201 179	665 585	1.8 1.8	1.5 1.5
NOR TH WEST						York, City of	1,271	369	1,640	2.5	2.3
Chechire	700	201	4044			South Yorkshire (Met County)	1 207	200	1 700	40	40
Chester, City of Congeton	780 543	231 202	1,011 745	1.6 2.3	1.4 1.9	Barnsley Central Barnsley East and Mexborough	1,307 1,285	399 427	1,706 1,712	4.6 7.8	4.0 6.8
Cress and Nantwich Edosoury	929 693	316 271	1,245 964	3.2 3.0	2.8 2.6	Barnsley West and Penistone Don Valley	1,040 1,000	383 315	1,423 1,315	6.0 7.4	5.2 6.6
Ellesmere Port and Neston Halten	822 1,373	217 402	1,039 1,775	2.9 5.5	2.7 5.1	Doncaster Central Doncaster North	1,687 1,250	515 405	2,202 1,655	3.8 8.9	3.4 7.9
Macrosfield Tatlon	507 446	142 155	649 601	1.6	1.4	Rother Valley Rotherham	1,135 1,497	401 405	1,536 1,902	8.2 4.3	7.0 3.7
Warrington North	1,021	351	1,372	1.3 2.6	1.1 2.5	Sheffield Attercliffe	1,410	425 522	1,835	4.9	4.4
Wan agton South Weaver Vale	778 1,246	294 379	1,072 1,625	1.8	1.7 3.3	Sheffield Brightside Sheffield Central	1,989 2,958	803	2,511 3,761	10.2 3.5	9.1 3.1
Cumbria						Sheffield Hallam Sheffield Heeley	629 1,665	224 412	853 2,077	3.7 12.6	3.4 11.2
Barrow and Furness Carlisie	1,201	320 366	1,521 1,420	5.6 3.4	4.9 3.0	Sheffield Hillsborough Wentworth	1,061 1,230	365 371	1,426 1,601	6.9 7.3	6.1 6.2
Copeand Penish and The Border	1,351 442	392 228	1,743 670	5.3 2.1	4.8 1.8	West Yorkshire (Met County)					
Westmorland and Lonsdale Workington	280	124	404	1.1	0.9	Batley and Spen Bradford North	943 2,266	326 582	1,269 2,848	3.7	3.1
	1,224	390	1,614	5.3	4.7	Bradford South	1,652	473	2,125	6.9 6.7	6.3 6.1
Greater Manchester (Met County) Altrincham and Sale West	592	188	780	1.8	1.6	Bradford West Calder Valley	2,863 972	710	3,573 1,313	5.1 3.7	4.7 3.2
AshtonunderLyne Bolton North East	1,272 1,317	373 358	1,645 1,675	4.1 4.7	3.6 4.3	Colne Valley Dewsbury	987 1,021	343 318	1,330 1,339	4.5 3.6	3.9 3.1
Bolton West	1,546 619	447 210	1,993 829	3.9 2.7	3.6 2.5	Elmet Halifax	644 1,778	166 450	810 2,228	2.8 5.2	2.6 4.5
Bury North Bury South	758 749	255 237	1,013 986	2.6	2.2	Hemsworth Huddersfield	1,072 1,728	332 544	1,404 2,272	7.3 4.3	6.6
Cheagle Denton and Reddish	417	152	569	1.7	1.4	Keighley	1,176	367	1,543	4.3	4.0
Eccles Hazel Grove	928 1,015	269 285	1,197 1,300	4.1 3.5	3.5 3.2	Leeds Central Leeds East	2,882 1,856	708 478	3,590 2,334	1.9 8.9	1.8
Heywood and Middleton	538 1,258	172 392	710 1,650	2.6 4.9	2.3 4.3	Leeds North East Leeds North West	1,212 793	368 278	1,580 1,071	7.2 3.9	6.6 3.6
Leigh Makerfield	1,056 942	327 279	1,383	4.5 5.2	4.0 4.6	Leeds West Morley and Rothwell	1,556 837	443 300	1,999 1,137	7.0 2.9	6.4 2.6
Manchester Blackley Manchester Central	1,955 3,399	484 788	2,439 4,187	7.5 2.5	7.1	Normanton Pontefract and Castleford	683 1,169	256 388	939	3.5 4.1	3.2 3.7
Manchester Gorton Manchester Withington	2,345 1,406	637 456	2,982 1,862	14.3	13.5	Pudsey Shipley	593 923	238 316	831 1,239	2.0	1.8
Oldham East and Saddleworth Oldham West and Royton	1,202	374	1,576	6.0 5.3	5.7 4.6	Wakefield	1,331	401	1,732	3.6	3.7
Hochdale	1,657 1,651	434 441	2,091 2,092	4.2 5.3	3.7 4.6	EAST MIDLANDS					
Salford Stalybridge and Hyde	1,319 975	315 319	1,634 1,294	2.7 4.9	2.5 4.4	Derbyshire					
Stretford and Urmston	927 1,280	280 389	1,207	2.4	2.1 2.1	Amber Valley Bolsover	923 1,234	330 464	1,253 1,698	2.9 8.0	2.6 7.0
Worsley	1,041	315 323	1,356 1,372	3.5 6.0	3.2	Chesterfield Derby North	1,794 1,352	552 414	2,346 1,766	5.0 4.7	4.6 4.4
Wythenshawe and Sale East	1,512	390	1,902	3.5	5.5 3.3	Derby South Erewash	2,306	686	2,992	3.6	3.3
Lancashire Blackburn						High Peak	1,058 718	417 304	1,475	3.9 2.9	3.4 2.3
Blackpool North and Fleetwood	1,812 1,231	457 288	2,269 1,519	4.5 4.5	4.1 3.8	North East Derbyshire South Derbyshire	1,267 715	390 265	1,657 980	5.8 3.9	4.9 3.2
Burnley	1,569 952	414 259	1,983 1,211	4.5 3.4	4.0	West Derbyshire	582	227	809	1.7	1.5
Chorley Fylde	785 496	259 166	1,044 662	3.3	2.7	Leicestershire Blaby	447	209	656	1.7	1.4
Hyndburn Lancaster and Whyne	779	263	1,042	3.1	2.7	Bosworth	573	303	876	2.2	2.0
Morecambe and Lunesdale Pendle	759 1,303	267 401	1,026 1,704	2.6 7.2	2.2 6.2	Chamwood Harborough	545 667	213 263	758 930	3.1 2.9	2.6 2.4
Preston	970 1,688	343 426	1,313 2,114	4.4 2.9	3.8 2.7	Leicester East Leicester South	1,598 2,311	642 741	2,240 3,052	6.8 3.9	6.3 3.7
Ribble Valley Rossendale and Darwen South Bibble	377 838	158 292	535	1.4	1.3 3.1	Leicester West Loughborough	2,041 982	728 375	2,769 1,357	5.8	5.4 3.1
South Ribble West Lancashire	578 1,305	181 421	759	2.8	2.4	North West Leicestershire Rutland and Melton	570 369	244 163	814 532	2.2	2.0
	1,305	421	1,726	5.1	4.2	. Issaila a la Molto/1	309	100	332	1.7	1.3

a Claimant count rates are calculated by expressing the number of claimants as a percentage of the estimated total workforce (the sum of claimants, employee jobs, self-employment jobs, HIM armed forces and government-supported trainees) and as a percentage of the narrow-based estimate (claimants plus employee jobs). All the rates shown are calculated using mid-2000 based denominators.

# C.23 UNEMPLOYMENT Claimant count area statistics Parliamentary constituencies as at July 12 2001

	Male		ly 12 2	Rate <sup>a</sup> P			Male	Female	All	Rate <sup>a</sup> P	-
				Per cent employee jobs and claimants	Per cent workforce jobs and claimants					Per cent employee jobs and claimants	jobs an
ncolnshire oston and Skegness	583	207	790	2.2	1.9	Cambridgeshire Cambridge	755 485	223 202	978 687	1.6 1.3	
ainsborough rantham and Stamford	869 636	358 267	1,227	5.4 2.2	4.5 1.8	Huntingdon North East Cambridgeshire	693	309	1,002	3.0 2.7	
ncoln	1,358	408 276	1,766 968	3.3 3.8	3.1	North West Cambridgeshire Peterborough	592 1,246	199 411	791 1,657	2.6	
outh and Horncastle eaford and North Hykeham outh Holland and The Deepings	692 515 423	218 183	733 606	2.6 1.8	2.0 1.5	South Cambridgeshire South East Cambridgeshire	282 405	115 173	397 578	0.9 1.4	
rthamptonshire	830	303	1,133	2.6	2.3	Essex Basildon	920	363	1,283	3.0	
rby ventry	532 654	310 266	842 920	2.0 2.3	1.5 1.9	Billericay Braintree	674 600	260 277	934 877	3.0 2.5	
tering thampton North	1,257 1,042	443 351	1,700 1,393	4.5 1.7	4.1 1.5	Brentwood and Ongar Castle Point	330 513	110 198	440 711	1.3 3.7	
rthampton South ellingborough	965	388	1,353	2.9	2.6	Colchester Epping Forest	668 580	265 289	933 869	1.6 2.7 2.8	
ttinghamshire nfield	1,416	574	1,990	5.1	4.5 4.7	Harlow Harwich Maldon and East Chelmsford	764 1,056 441	293 318 192	1,057 1,374 633	5.7	
setlaw xtowe	1,288 744	485 296	1,773 1,040	5.2 4.1	3.4	North Essex	400 436	163 198	563 634		
dling nsfield	819 1,289	300 428	1,119 1,717	4.3 5.5	3.6 4.9	Rayleigh Rochford and Southend East	1,539	438	1,977 419	4.3	
vark tingham East	899 2,531	383 626	1,282 3,157	3.9 7.1	3.5 6.7	Saffron Walden Southend West	297 797	122 256	1,053	4.6	
tingham North tingham South	1,806 1,788	563 468	2,369 2,256	9.5 2.2	8.9 2.1	Thurrock West Chelmsford	1,194 478	442 228	1,636 706		
shcliffe	620 1,028	221 371	841 1,399	2.4 5.8	2.0 5.1	Hertfordshire					
ST MIDLANDS						Broxbourne Hemel Hempstead	527 564	248 222	775 786	1.6	
efordshire						Hertford and Stortford Hertsmere	279 506	110 191	389 697	1.6	
reford	768 470	303 198	1,071 668	2.2	1.9 2.1	Hitchin and Harpenden North East Hertfordshire	329 296	111	440 416	1.3	
opshire						South West Hertfordshire St. Albans	446 289	167 119	613 408	0.9	
low th Shropshire	465 737	187 317	652 1,054	2.5 3.0	1.9 2.5	Stevenage Watford	627	249 254	876 951	2.0	
ewsbury and Atcham ord	718 1,029	231 369	949 1,398	2.1 3.3	1.8 3.0	Welwyn Hatfield	435	143	578	3 1.0	
ekin, The	671	262	933	2.2	2.0	Norfolk Great Yarmouth	1,765	527	2,292		
ffordshire	998	359	1,357	2.8	2.6	Mid Norfolk	514 676	221 249	735 925	2.8	
ton nnock Chase	905 537	404 238	1,309 775	4.3 2.6	3.8 2.2	North Norfolk North West Norfolk	754 987	280 314	1,034 1,301	1 2.5	
field vcastle-under-Lyme th Staffordshire	785 740	262 273	1,047 1,013	3.3 3.7	2.9	Norwich North Norwich South	1,380	440	1,820 746	2.2	
th Staffordshire ford	952 630	328 257	1,280 887	3.0 3.2	2.6 2.7	South Norfolk South West Norfolk	499 582		860		
ffordshire Moorlands ke-on-Trent Central	1,490 970	392 332	1,882 1,302	3.1 4.9	2.9 4.6	Suffolk		-	-	4.5	
ke-on-Trent North ke-on-Trent South	1,291	520	1,811	5.7 1.9	5.3 1.6	Bury St Edmunds Central Suffolk and North Ipswich	510 628	218	742 846	3.2	
ne nworth	418 929	226 339	644 1,268	3.3	2.9	Ipswich South Suffolk	1,428 479	176	1,796 655	5 2.3	
rwickshire	005	070	957	2.4	2.1	Suffolk Coastal Waveney	613 1,427	471	1,898	5.5	
th Warwickshire leaton	685 732	272 240	972	3.1 2.2	2.8 2.0	WestSuffolk	453	222	675	5 1.7	
gby and Kenilworth atford-on-Avon rwick and Leamington	757 433 887	297 184 267	1,054 617 1,154	1.2 1.8	1.0 1.6	LONDON					
st Midlands (Met County)						Greater London Barking	1,097 1,439		1,469		
ridge - Brownhills ningham Edgbaston	800 1,840	331 555	1,131 2,395	4.3 5.4	3.9 5.0	Battersea Beckenham	1,041	349	1,39	0 4.7	
mingham Erdington mingham Hall Green	2,124 1,398	583 459	2,707 1,857	6.9 12.4	6.3 11.4	Bethnal Green and Bow Bexleyheath and Crayford	3,655 563	253	81	6 3.2	
mingham Hodge Hill	2,155 5,133	530 1,290	2,685 6,423	14.5 3.3	13.2 3.1	Brent East Brent North	1,935	7 338	2,55 1,24	5 4.9	
ningham Ladywood ningham Northfield <sup>b</sup> ningham Perry Barr ningham Selly Oak	1,472 2,482	412	1,884 3,219	10.8 10.9	9.9 9.9	Brent South Brentford and Isleworth	1,992 674	321	2,65 99	5 1.3	
mingham Selly Oak mingham Sparkbrook and Small He	1,771	737 522 1,079	2,293 5,152	6.6 10.8	6.1 9.9	Bromley and Chislehurst Camberwell and Peckham	582 2,750	940	3,69	0 13.9	
ningham Yardley	1,352 1,859	410 523	1,762 2,382	5.3 5.5	4.9 5.1	Carshalton and Wallington Chingford and Woodford Green	646	5 242 7 290	98	7 4.6	
ventry North East ventry North West	1,218 1,388	378 401	1,596 1,789	6.0 2.3	5.6 2.2	Chipping Barnet Cities of London and Westminster	840 1,539	3 364 9 631	1,20 2,17	0 0.3	
ventry South dley North	1,698	496 442	2,194 1,862	6.2 4.4	5.6 3.9	Croydon Central Croydon North	1,537	7 532	2,06	9 2.9 4 7.8	
dley South esowen and Rowley Regis	1,420 1,340	413	1,753	5.1	4.6 3.7	Croydon South	623	3 246	86	9 2.7	
riden ihull	1,240 582	377 254	1,617 836	1.8	1.5	Dagenham Dulwich and West Norwood	2,120	882	3,00	2 14.7	
urbridge ton Coldfield Ilsall North	1,217 755	363 304	1,580 1,059	3.4	4.5 3.1	Ealing North Ealing Southall	1,236 1,75	1 600	2,35	1 4.5	
Isall North Isall South	1,695 1,839	545 596	2,240 2,435	4.7	5.9 4.3	Ealing, Acton and Shepherd's Bush East Ham	2,15 2,42	3 741	3,16	7 12.5	
arley est Bromwich East	1,753 1,797	498 553	2,251 2,350	7.3 6.3	6.7 5.9	Edmonton Eltham	1,699 1,049	9 417	1,46	6 9.5	
est Bromwich West blverhampton North East	2,043 1,741	658 563	2,701 2,304	5.1 7.8	4.7 6.9	Enfield North Enfield, Southgate	1,25 1,07	2 478 3 448	1,52	1 6.2	
olverhampton South East Solverhampton South West	1,771 1,796	588	2,359 2,328	7.5	6.6 4.0	Erith and Thamesmead Feltham and Heston	1,75 80	5 694 9 297	2,44	9.5 6 1.9	
prcestershire						Finchley and Golders Green Greenwich and Woolwich	1,10 2,18	5 438 1 860	3 1,54 3,04	13 4.1 11 6.9	
omsgrove d Worcestershire	738 479	187	971 666		2.4 1.3	Hackney North and Stoke Newingto Hackney South and Shoreditch		5 920	3,49	95 15.6 30 5.8	
edditch est Worcestershire	799 398	378	1,177	3.0 1.8	2.6 1.4	Hammersmith and Fulham Hampstead and Highgate	1,77	1 712	2,48	33 3.4	
orcester yre Forest	793 874	276	1,069	2.3	2.2 2.8	Harrow East Harrow West	96 70	1 425	1,38	3.0	
AST	0/4	OE1	1,201	0.2	2.0	Harrow West Hayes and Harlington Hendon	79 1,37	0 312	2 1,10	02 1.4	
edfordshire						Hendon Holborn and St Pancras Hornchurch	2,41 56	2 90	3,31	13 1.5	
edford ton North	1,431 921	422 331	1,853 1,252	3.6 6.7	3.0 6.0	Hornsey and Wood Green	1,81	5 767	7 2,58	32 7.7	
uton South	1,455 374	486	1,941	3.2	2.8 1.4	llford North llford South	79 1,64	1 60	1 2,24	12 5.7	
lid Bedfordshire orth East Bedfordshire	401		602	2.3	1.8	Islington North Islington South and Finsbury	2,60 1,95				,

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	Male	Female	All	Rate <sup>a</sup> P		Famament	-		All	Rate <sup>a</sup> P	12 2001
	iviale	remale	All	Percent	Percent		waie	remaie	All	Percent	Percent
				employee jobs and claimants	workforce jobs and claimants					employee jobs and claimants	workforce jobs and claimants
Kensington and Chelsea	920	464	1,384	1.2	1.0	Oxfordshire					
Kingston and Surbiton	632	245	877	1.5	1.3	Banbury Henley	345 243	156 102	501 345	0.9	0.8 0.7
Lewisham East Lewisham West	1,413 1,924	545 639	1,958 2,563	9.0 12.7	7.4 10.4	Oxford East	1,005	291	1,296	2.4	2.3
Lewisham, Deptford	2,477	840	3,317	13.4	10.9	Oxford West and Abingdon	384	141	525	0.7	0.6
Louton and Wanstead	1,586	524	2,110	9.3	7.6	Wantage Witney	252 209	138 87	390 296	0.8	0.7 0.6
Mitcham and Morden North Southwark and Bermondsey	1,196 2,714	459 1,013	1,655 3,727	7.5 3.0	6.3 2.8	·····oy	200	O,	200	0.0	0.0
Old Bexley and Sidcup	386	226	612	2.1	1.8	Surrey	0.40				
OminGDD *	650	289	939	3.3	2.7	East Surrey Epsom and Ewell	243 264	77 99	320 363	0.9	0.7 0.9
Poplar and Canning Town	3,415	920	4,335	6.2	5.8	Esherand Walton	282	97	379	1.0	0.8
Putney Regent's Park and Kensington North	832 2,576	355 984	1,187 3,560	3.7 7.0	3.1 6.5	Guildford	339	104	443	0.7	0.6
Regent's Parkand Rensington North	615	257	872	1.8	1.5	Mole Valley	166 190	63 82	229 272	0.4	0.4 0.5
Romford	539	229	768	2.3	2.0	Reigate Runnymede and Weybridge	275	115	390	0.6	0.5
Ruislip - Northwood	410	189	599	2.2	2.0	South West Surrey	263	95	358	0.8	0.7
Streament Sutton and Cheam	2,972 409	1,047 160	4,019 569	15.3 1.6	13.1 1.4	SurreyHeath	225	85	310	0.6	0.5
Tooling	1,441	534	1,975	6.9	5.8	Woking	241	80	321	0.7	0.6
Tottenham	3,471	1,165	4,636	12.3	10.4	WestSussex					
Twickenham	559	223	782	2.0	1.5	Arundel and South Downs	242	87	329	1.2	1.0
Upminister	494 494	212 195	706 689	3.4 1.3	2.8 1.2	Bognor Regis and Littlehampton	463	164	627	2.2	1.7
Uxbridge Vauxhali	3,243	1,176	4,419	5.2	4.4	Chichester Crawley	407 501	162 129	569 630	1.1	0.9
Walthamstow	2,008	668	2,676	8.3	6.8	East Worthing and Shoreham	419	113	532	1.6	1.4
West am	2,385	814	3,199	8.4	7.3	Horsham	339	119	458	1.0	0.8
Wimbladon	515	223	738	1.5	1.3	Mid Sussex Worthing West	279 352	103 114	382 466	0.8 1.2	0.7 1.0
SOUTEAST						vvortilling vvest	302	114	400	1.2	1.0
						Wight, Isle of					
Berk tire (former county)			-			Isle of Wight	1,534	436	1,970	4.5	3.8
Brackmell	400	160	560	0.9	0.8	SOUTH WEST					
Maider head Newbay	384 306	139 128	523 434	1.2 0.7	1.1 0.6	33311111201					
Read East	625	205	830	1.0	0.9	Avon (former county)					
Reading West	640	155	795	2.4	2.2	Bath	562	238	800	1.5	1.3
Sloug	1,173	398	1,571	2.3	2.0	Bristol East Bristol North West	1,458 897	457 285	1,915 1,182	4.0 2.2	3.5 1.9
Speltin me Window	360 407	118 174	478 581	0.7 1.3	0.6 1.2	Bristol South	1,244	375	1,619	4.1	3.6
Wokingham	237	96	333	0.8	0.7	Bristol West	1,289	471	1,760	1.5	1.4
						Kingswood	583	201	784	2.7	2.3
Buckarghamshire	100					Northavon Wansdyke	383 265	154 124	537 389	1.0	0.8
Ayles Sary Beaconsfield	492 306	152 135	644 441	1.3 1.0	1.1 0.9	Weston-Super-Mare	643	240	883	2.6	2.2
Buckinsham	247	100	347	1.5	1.3	Woodspring	329	122	451	1.4	1.2
Chesham and Amersham	302	110	412	1.4	1.2	Cornwall and the Isles of Scilly					
Milton Saynes South West	782	304	1,086	1.7	1.6	Falmouth and Camborne	1,247	410	1,657	5.5	4.1
North ast Milton Keynes	646	263	909	1.5	1.4	North Cornwall	993	409	1,402	3.8	3.0
Wyconibe	863	226	1,089	1.8	1.5	South East Cornwall	736	288	1,024	4.0	2.9
EastS_ssex						St Ives Truro and St Austell	1,027 893	435 319	1,462 1,212	5.5 2.6	4.2
Bexhaland Battle	412	161	573	2.4	1.9	Traio and Strausten	880	313	1,212	2.0	2.2
Brighton Revillion	1,332	417	1,749	5.5	4.7	Devon					
Brighton Pavilion Eastborne	1,546 838	620 242	2,166 1,080	4.0 2.9	3.5 2.5	East Devon	355	141	496	2.0	1.6
Hastings and Rye	1,433	368	1,801	5.3	4.0	Exeter North Devon	1,085 908	346 346	1,431	2.1 3.5	2.0 2.9
Hove	1,172	420	1,592	4.7	4.0	Plymouth Devonport	1,072	383	1,455	3.4	2.8
Lewes	447	178	625	1.9	1.4	Plymouth Sutton	1,593	467	2,060	4.1	3.4
Wealden	293	127	420	1.2	0.9	South West Devon	395	156	551	2.2	1.7
Hampshire						Teignbridge Tiverton and Honiton	680 511	252 225	932 736	2.7 1.8	2.0
Aldershot	440	149	589	1.0	0.9	Torbay	1,539	470	2,009	5.4	4.6
Basingstoke	352	134	486	0.8	0.7	Torridge and West Devon	865	392	1,257	3.7	2.7
East Hampshire Eastleigh	447 335	143	590	1.7	1.4	Totnes	757	362	1,119	3.8	2.9
Fareham	333	131 128	466 461	0.9 1.2	0.8	Dorset					
Gosport	462	165	627	2.5	1.9	Bournemouth East	827	287	1,114	4.2	3.7
Havant New Forcet Foot	775	280	1,055	3.6	3.0	Bournemouth West	790	199	989	2.2	1.9
New Forest East New Forest West	344	135	479	1.7	1.4	Christchurch Mid Dorset and North Poole	324 302	115 124	439 426	1.5 1.5	1.2
North East Hampshire	291 229	109 85	400 314	1.4 0.9	1.2 0.7	North Dorset	267	124	396	1.5	1.3 0.8
North West Hampshire	315	131	446	1.1	0.9	Poole	408	129	537	1.2	1.0
Portsmouth North	677	221	898	1.9	1.5	South Dorset	582	194	776	2.7	2.2
Portsmouth South Romsey	1,354	370	1,724	3.3	2.7	West Dorset	285	122	407	1.1	0.9
Southampton, Itchen	277 1,142	91 285	368 1,427	1.4 2.1	1.2	Gloucestershire					
Southampton, Test	1,003	268	1,427	2.9	2.0 2.7	Cheltenham	990	276	1,266	2.4	2.1
Winchester	346	119	465	0.8	0.7	Cotswold	287	124	411	1.2	0.9
Kent						Forest of Dean Gloucester	632 1,536	281 435	913	3.6 3.2	3.1 3.0
Ashford	606	230	996	20	17	Stroud	711	280	991	2.6	2.0
Canterbury	764	269	836 1,033	2.0 2.1	1.7 1.8	Tewkesbury	498	216	714	2.0	1.6
Chatham and Aylesford	792	301	1,093	3.4	3.0	Samerest					
Dartford Dover	587	236	823	2.0	1.7	Somerset Bridgwater	849	303	1,152	3.5	2.8
Faversham and Mid Kont	1,059	330	1,389	4.5	4.0	Somerton and Frome	411	158	569	2.0	1.6
FOIKestone and Hythe	455 1,113	170 353	625 1,466	2.4 4.1	2.0	Taunton	684	255	939	1.9	1.6
Gillingham	783	288	1,466	3.7	3.4	Wells Yeovil	645 564	275	920	2.7	2.2
Gravesham	1,031	337	1,368	4.4	3.8	1 GOVII	504	191	755	1.7	1.4
Maidstone and The Weald Medway	509	176	685	1.1	0.9	Wiltshire					
North Thanet	962 1,418	363 415	1,325	2.9	2.5	Devizes	472	179	651	1.7	1.3
Sevenoaks	354	139	1,833 493	7.3 1.5	6.5 1.2	North Swindon North Wiltshire	569 396	210 170	779 566	2.0	1.9
Sittingbourne and Sheppey	1,022	395	1,417	4.1	3.5	Salisbury	343	115	566 458	1.5 1.1	1.1 0.8
Tonbridge and Malling	1,085	337	1,422	4.9	4.4	South Swindon	857	287	1,144	1.6	1.5
Tunbridge Wells	397 421	139	536	1.4	1.2	Westbury	470	246	716	1.8	1.5
	421	147	568	1.3	1.1						

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Ma	ale	Female	All	RateaP			Male	Female	All	Rate <sup>a</sup> P	
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beravon	864	255	1,119	4.5	4.0	Perth Ross, Skye and Inverness West	777 1,168	295 349	1,072 1,517	2.5 6.5	
lyn and Deeside	818	290	1,108	2.9	2.5	Roxburgh and Berwickshire	644	239	883	3.2	
	1,395	439 317	1,834 974	8.3 4.2	7.5 3.0	Stirling	821	255	1,076	3.1	
recon and Radnorshire ridgend	859	305	1,164	3.1	2.8	Strathkelvin and Bearsden	861	315	1,176		
aemarfon	953	261	1,214	6.4 5.8	5.0 5.2	Tweeddale, Ettrick and Lauderdale	564	200	764	3.4	
aerphilly ardiff Central	1,235 1,129	380 335	1,615 1,464	2.0	1.9	West Aberdeenshire and Kincardine	349	160	509		
ardiff North	430	143	573	1.6	1.4	West Renfrewshire	872	256	1,128		
	1,520 1,356	349 292	1,869 1,648	4.1 6.6	3.7 5.9	Western Isles	573	149	722	6.1	
ardiff West armarthen East and Dinefwr	672	245	917	6.4	5.0	NORTHERN IRELAND					
armarthen West and South Pembrokeshire	905	263	1,168	4.5	3.6	NORTHERN INELAND					
eredigion lwyd South	740 641	294 260	1,034 901	4.5 4.9	3.1 4.2	BelfastEast	1,312	389	1,701	4.1	
wvd West	753	226	979	4.8	4.1	Belfast North	2,245	539	2,784	4.4	
onwy	1,112	350	1,462	4.6	3.7 6.7	Belfast South	1,618	672	2,290	3.3	
ynon Valley elyn	862 589	293 219	1,155 808	7.5 3.4	2.9	Belfast West	3,482	707	4,189	15.4	
ower	776	269	1,045	6.2	5.6	East Antrim	1,480	555	2,035		
wyn	767	296 332	1,063	5.1 6.5	4.7 5.1	EastLondonderry	1,760	702	2,462		
anelli eirionnydd Nant Conwy	1,043 527	209	1,375 736	5.8	4.6	Fermanagh and South Tyrone	1,638	712	2,350		
erthyr Tydfil and Rhymney	1,173	352	1,525	6.4	5.7	Foyle	3,590	1,117	4,707		
Ionmouth	590	186	776	2.3 2.5	2.1	Lagan Valley	807	375	1,182		
ontgomeryshire eath	377 1,000	138 370	515 1,370	7.0	6.4	Mid Ulster	928 1,966	583 767	1,511 2,733		
ewport East	1,061	326	1,387	5.2	4.6	Newry and Armagh North Antrim	1,467	667	2,134		
ewport West	1,376 867	402 277	1,778 1,144	3.3 6.2	3.0 5.5	North Down	1,129	443	1,572		
gmore ontypridd	895	281	1,176	3.1	2.8	South Antrim	1,064	472	1,536		
eseli Pembrokeshire	957	328	1,285	5.8	4.6	South Down	1,502	683	2,185		
ondda	959 1,354	279 315	1,238 1,669	6.7 5.4	6.0 4.9	Strangford	1,103	422	1,525	5.3	
vansea West	1,380	356	1,736	3.7	3.3	UpperBann	1,416	539	1,955		
orfaen	1,015	316	1,331	3.9	3.5	WestTyrone	2,070	806	2,876	10.0	
ale of Clwyd ale of Glamorgan	837 1,239	244 363	1,081 1,602	4.1 4.7	3.5 4.3						
rexham	751	241	992	2.5	2.1						
nys Mon	1,311	472	1,783	9.5	7.2						
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perdeen Central	880	242	1,122	1.9	1.8						
oerdeen North	466 593	168 216	634 809	1.6 1.9	1.5 1.7						
perdeen South rdrie and Shotts	1,454	482	1,936	6.2	5.6						
gus	1,237	531	1,768	6.0	5.3						
gyll and Bute	1,004	277	1,281	5.4	4.9						
r inffandBuchan	1,341 494	428 254	1,769 748	5.4 2.9	4.9 2.5						
aithness, Sutherland and Easter Ross	1,081	264	1,345	6.3	5.4						
arrick, Cumnock and Doon Valley	1,685	571	2,256	9.4 7.9	8.5 7.1						
	1,795 1,311	618 380	2,413 1,691	7.9 8.7	7.1						
lydesdale	1,147	491	1,638	6.4	5.8						
oatbridge and Chryston	1,260	369	1,629	8.4	7.6 4.9						
umbernauld and Kilsyth unninghame North	928 1,467	325 520	1,253 1,987	5.4 10.5	9.5						
unninghame South	1,953	667	2,620	10.2	9.3						
umbarton	1,583	517	2,100	7.8	7.1 3.8						
umfries undee East	1,250 2,249	481 600	1,731 2,849	4.4 12.4	11.9			*			
undee West	1,819	523	2,342	5.8	5.6						
unfermline East	1,444	414 371	1,858 1,540	7.9 5.0	7.1 4.6						
	1,099	354	1,453	3.6	3.2						
astLothian	598	172	770	4.0	3.6						
astwood dinburgh Central	767 1,138	257 360	1,024 1,498	6.2 1.9	4.8 1.7						
dinburgh East and Musselburgh	874	226	1,100	4.5	4.1						
	1,254	350	1,604	1.9	1.7 4.1						
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#### UNEMPLOYMENT C.24 Claimant count area statistics NUTS 2 and NUTS 3 areas as at July 12 2001

	Male	Female	All	Ratea		NUTS 2 an		Female	All	Ratea	12 2001
				Percent	Percent		·········	· Omaio		Percent	Percent
				jobs and	Workforce jobs and					jobs and	Workforce jobs and
TAST				claimants	claimants	SOUTH EAST				claimants	claimants
NORTH EAST Tees Valley and Durham	22,108	6,096	28,204	6.5	5.8	Berkshire, Buckinghamshire					
Hartiepool and Stockton-on-Tees South Teeside	6,051 7,270	1,648 1,812	7,699 9,082	6.7 7.7	6.1 7.0	and Oxfordshire Berkshire	<b>10,260</b> 4,203	3,665 1,464	13,925 5,667	1.3 1.3	1.1
Darlington	1,697 7,090	467 2,169	2,164 9,259	4.7 5.8	4.3 5.2	Milton Keynes	1,428	567	1,995	1.6	1.5
Northumberland and Tyne and Wear Northumberland	<b>26,634</b> 4,165	<b>6,950</b> 1,377	<b>33,584</b> 5,542	<b>5.6</b> 5.0	<b>5.1</b> 4.2	Buckinghamshire CC Oxfordshire	2,191 2,438	719 915	2,910 3,353	1.1	1.1
Tynaside Sunderland	16,280 6,189	4,080 1,493	20,360 7,682	5.5 6.6	5.0 6.0	Surrey, East and West Sussex Brighton and Hove	<b>13,311</b> 3,895	<b>4,534</b> 1,422	<b>17,845</b> 5,317	4.5	<b>1.3</b> 3.9
NORTH WEST	0,100	1,100	,,,,,,	0.0		East Sussex CC Surrey	3,578 2,836	1,111 1,010	4,689 3,846		2.2 0.6
	5,552	1,820	7,372	3.7	3.2	West Sussex Hampshire and the Isle of Wight	3,002 <b>10,656</b>	991 <b>3,380</b>	3,993 <b>14,036</b>		1.0 1.5
Cumbria West Cumbria	3,712 1,840	1,102 718	4,814 2,558	55	4.9 1.9	Portsmouth Southampton	2,031 2,237	591 574	2,622 2,811	2.7	2.1
East Cumbria Chestare Hallon and Warrington	9,138 3,956	<b>2,960</b> 1,274	<b>12,098</b> 5,230	2.3 2.5 3.2 2.2	<b>2.3</b> 3.0	Hampshire CC	4,854	1,779	6,633	1.3	1.1
Cheshire CC	5,182 <b>34,725</b>	1,686 9,889	6,868 44,614	2.2 3.8	1.9 <b>3.4</b>	Isle of Wight Kent	1,534 <b>13,358</b>	436 <b>4,625</b>	1,970 <b>17,983</b>	2.9	3.8 2.5
Greater Manchester Greater Manchester South	20,109	5,564 4,325	25,673 18,941	3.5 4.3	3.2 3.8	Medway Towns Kent CC	2,403 10,955	903 3,722	3,306 14,677		3.2 2.3
Greater Manchester North Lancashire	15,442	4,595	20,037	3.5	3.1 4.1	SOUTH WEST					
Blackburn with Darwen Blackpool	2,217	588 557	2,805 2,766	4.5 4.4 3.2	3.9	Gloucester, Wiltshire					
Lamashire CC Merso side	11,016 <b>30,613</b>	3,450 <b>8,631</b>	14,466 <b>39,244</b>	7.4	2.8 <b>6.7</b>	and North Somerset Bristol, City of	<b>15,414</b> 4,855	<b>5,486</b> 1,558	<b>20,900</b> 6,413		1.8 2.4
East Merseyside Liverpool	6,878 13,113	2,067 3,539	8,945 16,652	8.5 7.7	7.6 7.1 5.3	North and North East Somerset,					
Service Witted	4,785 5,837	1,266 1,759	6,051 7,596	6.1 7.0	5.3 6.2	South Gloucestershire Gloucestershire	2,798 4,654	1,109 1,612	3,907 6,266	2.5	1.3
YORNSHIRE AND THE HUMBER						Swindon Wiltshire CC	1,415 1,692	487 720	1,902 2,412	1.5	1.6 1.2
East Eding and North Lincolnshire	15,321	5,057	20,378	5.9	5.2	Dorset and Somerset Bournemouth and Poole	<b>6,938</b> 2,234	<b>2,481</b> 694	9,419 2,928		1.7 1.9
Kingston upon Hull, City of East Riding of Yorkshire	6,799 3,370	1,969 1,281	8,768 4,651	7.5 5.1	6.9 4.0	Dorset CC Somerset	1,551 3,153	605 1,182	2,156 4,335	1.5	1.2
North Forkshire	5,152 <b>5,601</b>	1,807 <b>2,027</b>	6,959 <b>7,628</b>	5.0	4.5 <b>2.0</b>	Cornwall and Isles of Scilly	4,896	1,861	6,757	4.1	3.2
York North Yorkshire CC	1,570 4,031	503 1,524	2,073 5,555	2.4 2.2 2.4	2.0 1.9	Cornwall and Isles of Scilly  Devon	4,896 <b>9,760</b>	1,861 <b>3,540</b>	6,757 <b>13,300</b>	3.1	3.2 2.6
South forkshire Bansley, Doncaster and Rotherham	<b>21,143</b> 11,431	<b>6,372</b> 3,621	<b>27,515</b> 15,052	<b>5.6</b> 5.7	<b>4.9</b> 5.0	Plymouth Torbay	2,912 1,924	940 638	3,852 2,562		3.0 4.6
Shareld West orkshire	9,712 <b>30,937</b>	2,751 9,126	12,463 <b>40,063</b>	5.4 <b>4.1</b>	4.8 3.7	Devon CC	4,924	1,962	6,886		2.0
Brauford Legis	8,880 10,373	2,448 2,979	11,328 13,352	5.4	5.0 3.0	WALES					
Calcerdale, Kirklees and Wakefield	11,684	3,699	15,383	4.2	3.7	West Wales and The Valleys	25,337	8,031	33,368		4.5
EAST MIDLANDS						Isle of Anglesey Gwynedd	1,311 1,916	472 616	1,783 2,532	5.8	7.2 4.8
Derbyshire and Nottinghamshire	26,177	8,764	34,941	4.2	3.8	Conwy and Denbighshire South West Wales	2,380 4,317	708 1,462	3,088 5,779		3.5 4.2
Deloy East Derbyshire	3,867 4,295	1,156 1,406	5,023 5,701	4.1 5.9	3.8 5.2	Central Valleys Gwent Valleys	3,771 4,711	1,181 1,506	4,952 6,217	5.1	4.7 5.0
South and West Derbyshire Notingham	3,787 6,125	1,487 1,657	5,274 7,782	2.8 4.6	2.4 4.3	Bridgend and Neath Port Talbot	3,421	1,146	4,567	4.9	4.4
North Nottinghamshire South Nottinghamshire	5,575 2,528	2,112 946	7,687 3,474	5.1 3.6	4.5 3.0	Swansea East Wales	3,510 <b>12,408</b>	940 <b>3,837</b>	4,450 <b>16,24</b> 5	3.3	4.2 2.9
Leicestershire, Rutland and Northamptonshire	15,383	5,942	21,325	3.1	2.7	Monmouthshire and Newport Cardiff and Vale of Glamorgan	2,956 5,733	897 1,509	3,853 7,242	3.4	3.2 3.0
Leicester City Leicestershire CC and Rutland	5,950 4,153	2,111 1,770	8,061 5,923	5.1 2.4	4.8 2.1	Flintshire and Wrexham Powys	2,674 1,045	968 463	3,642 1,508		2.7 2.3
Northamptonshire Lincolashire	5,280 <b>5,076</b>	2,061 <b>1,917</b>	7,341 <b>6,993</b>	2.5 <b>2.9</b>	2.2 <b>2.5</b>	SCOTLAND					
Lincolnshire	5,076	1,917	6,993	2.9	2.5	North East Scotland	3,740	1,491	5,231	22	1.9
WEST MIDLANDS						Aberdeen City, Aberdeenshire					
Herefordshire, Worcestershire and Warwickshire	8.813	3,321	12,134	2.3	2.0	and North East Moray Eastern Scotland	3,740 <b>28,174</b>	1,491 <b>9,001</b>	5,231 <b>37,175</b>	4.3	1.9 3.9
Herefordshire, County of Worcastershire	1,195 4,124	483 1,578	1,678 5,702	2.4 2.4	2.0 2.1	Angus and Dundee City Clackmannanshire and Fife	5,707 7,705	1,842 2,538	7,549 10,243		6.6 6.1
Warwickshire Shropshire and Staffordshire	3,494 <b>14,265</b>	1,260 <b>5,296</b>	4,754 <b>19,561</b>	20	1.8	East Lothian and Midlothian Scottish Borders, The	1,340 1,102	400 390	1,740 1,492	3.5	3.0 2.8
Telford and Wrekin Shropshire CC	1,613	603 763	2,216 2,770	3.2 2.8 2.5	2.8 2.5 2.0	Edinburgh, City of Falkirk	5,449 2,373	1,552 745	7,001 3,118	2.5	2.3 5.1
Stoke-on-Trent Staffordshire CC	3,720 6,925	1,219 2,711	4,939 9,636	4.2	3.9 2.7	Perth and Kincross and Stirling West Lothian	2,228 2,270	789 745	3,017 3,015	2.9	2.5
West Midlands Birmingham	<b>51,752</b> 24,555	<b>15,392</b> 6,881	<b>67,144</b> 31,436	3.1 <b>5.5</b> 6.3	<b>5.0</b> 5.7	South Western Scotland	45,112	13,749	58,861		5.4
Solihuil Coventry	1,822 4,465	631	2,453 5,767	3.0	2.5	East and West Dunbartonshire, and Helensborugh and Lomond	3,799	1,221	5,020		6.0
Dudley and Sandwell Walsall and Wolverhampton	11,268 9,642	3,423 3,155	14,691 12,797	3.9 5.5 5.7	3.6 5.1	Dumfries and Galloway East Ayrshire and North Ayrshire Mainland	2,272 6,114	894 2,151	3,166 8,265		4.4 8.9
EAST	3,042	3,133	12,797	5.7	5.1	Glasgow City Inverclyde, East Renfrewshire	14,861	3,830	18,691	5.1	4.9
East Anglia	17.150	6.007	00.040			and Renfrewshire North Lanarkshire	5,535 6,054	1,545 1,976	7,080 8,030		4.8 6.3
Peterborough	<b>17,153</b> 1,700	<b>6,087</b> 556	<b>23,240</b> 2,256	<b>2.5</b> 2.7	2.2 2.4	South Ayrshire	2,029	640	2,669	5.7	5.0
Cambridgeshire CC Norfolk Suffolk	2,758 7,157	1,076 2,556	3,834 9,713	1.6 3.0	1.3 2.6 2.3	South Lanarkshire Highlands and the Islands	4,448 <b>5,361</b>	1,492 <b>1,584</b>	5,940 <b>6,94</b> 5		4.4 3.7
Suffolk Bedfordshire and Hertfordshire	5,538 <b>10,130</b>	1,899 <b>3,771</b>	7,437 <b>13,901</b>	2.7 2.0	1.7	Caithness and Sutherland and Ross and Cromarty	1,656	436	2,092	6.3	5.3
Bedfordshire CC	2,337 2,798	800 1,037	3,137 3,835	4.0 2.6	3.6 2.1	Inverness and Nairn and Moray, Badenoch and Strathspey	1,473	463	1,936		3.2
Hertfordshire Essex	4,995 <b>11,687</b>	1,934 <b>4,412</b>	6,929 <b>16,099</b>	1.4 2.7	1.2 2.3	Lochaber, Skye and Lochalsh and Argyll and the Islands	1,353	404	1,757		3.6
Southend-on-Sea Thurrock	2,213 1,368	662 519	2,875 1,887	4.6 3.5	3.8 3.1	Eilean Siar (Western Isles)	573	149	722	6.1	5.7
Essex CC	8,106	3,231	11,337	2.4	2.0	Orkney Islands Shetland Islands	178 128	82 50	260 178		2.4
LONDON						NORTHERN IRELAND					
Inner London Inner London - West	<b>62,639</b> 15,683	<b>22,584</b> 6,183	<b>85,223</b> 21,866	3.6 1.5	3.3 1.4	Northern Ireland	30,577	11,150	41,727	6.2	5.3
Outer London - East	46,956 <b>48,469</b>	16,401 <b>18,337</b>	63,357 <b>66,806</b>	7.1 3.8	6.3 <b>3.2</b>	Belfast Outer Belfast	7,642 4,537	1,995 1,675	9,637 6,212	5.2	4.5 4.5
Outer London - East and North East	20,403 10,210	7,792 3,876	28,195 14,086	5.5 3.1	4.6 2.6	East of Northern Ireland North of Northern Ireland	5,109	2,206	7,315	5.2	4.4
Outer London - West and North West	17,856	6,669	24,525	3.1	2.6	West and South of Northern Ireland	7,175 6,114	2,475 2,799	9,650 8,913		8.3 5.8
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Source: Benefits Agency administrative system Labour Market Statistics Helpline: 020 7533 6094

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Source: Benefits Agency administrative system Labour Market Statistics Helpline: 020 7533 6094 supported trainees) and as a percentage of the estimated total workforce (the sum of claimants, employee jobs, self-employment jobs, HM armed forces and government supported trainees) and as a percentage of the narrow-based estimate (claimants plus employee jobs). All the rates shown are calculated using mid-2000 based denominators.

b The denominator for this constituency has not been updated for 1999 onwards due to concerns about the data. ONS is investigating this and will revise the figures at a later date.

P Provisional

Claimant count rates are calculated by expressing the number of claimants as a percentage of the estimated total workforce (the sum of claimants, employee jobs, self-employment jobs, HIM armed forces and government-supported trainees) and as a percentage of the narrow-based estimate (claimants plus employee jobs). All the rates shown are calculated using mid-2000 based denominators.

Note: This table gives data using the Eurostat Nomenclature des Unités Territoriales Statistiques (NUTS) system. NUTS 2 areas are in bold type, and NUTS 3 areas are indented and in lighter type. For more information, see Labour Market trends S51

### C.31 UNEMPLOYMENT Claimant count flows: standardised<sup>a</sup>

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UNIT	ED KINGDOM	INFLOW						
		NOT SEASONALL	Y ADJUSTED		SEASONALLY ADJUSTE	D		
		All	Male	Female	All	Change since previous month	Male	Female
Monti	n ending							
2000	Jul 13	266.0	181.5	84.5	230.4	-7.6	166.3	64.1
	Aug 10	257.0	175.0	81.9	236.4	6.0	170.4	66.0
	Sep 14	238.7	167.3	71.4	235.5	-0.9	169.4	66.1
	Oct 12	246.7	176.9	69.8	236.3	0.8	170.2	66.1
	Nov 9	241.6	175.4	66.2	234.5	-1.8	168.1	66.4
	Dec 14	228.4	170.1	58.3	233.5	-1.0	166.9	66.6
2001	Jan 11	243.9	174.6	69.3	234.2	0.7	167.5	66.7
	Feb 8	261.5	187.5	74.0	232.8	-1.4	166.9	65.9
	Mar 8	229.4	166.9	62.5	229.3	-3.5	164.7	64.6
	Apr 12	226.3	163.5	62.8	228.5	-0.8	163.7	64.8
	May10	201.0	146.3	54.7	224.1	-4.4	160.1	64.0
	Jun 14	208.3	149.1	59.2	222.4	-1.7	159.6	62.8

217.0

-5.4

UNIT	ED KINGDOM	OUTFLOW						
		NOT SEASONALL	Y ADJUSTED		SEASONALLY ADJUSTED			
		All	Male	Female	All	Change since previous month	Male	Female
Monti	h ending							
2000	Jul 13 Aug 10 Sep 14	255.9 256.7 278.8	184.8 182.1 192.4	71.1 74.6 86.5	253.8 251.4 245.8	1.8 -2.4 -5.6	182.1 181.4 178.4	71.7 70.0 67.4
	Oct 12 Nov 9 Dec 14	283.1 251.0 219.0	197.6 178.0 156.7	85.5 73.0 62.3	239.4 241.8 240.3	-6.4 2.4 -1.5	171.9 173.9 172.9	67.5 67.9 67.4
2001	Jan 11 Feb 8 Mar 8	172.0 266.3 264.3	123.3 194.1 192.0	48.7 72.2 72.3	244.6 242.3 240.7	4.3 -2.3 -1.6	176.6 174.2 173.1	68.0 68.1 67.6
	Apr 12 May10 Jun 14	256.4 228.6 236.9	188.1 165.5 173.8	68.3 63.2 63.1	237.5 229.0 233.4	-3.2 -8.5 4.4	170.7 166.0 168.3	66.8 63.0 65.1
	Jul 12P	232.3	168.4	63.8	229.8	-3.6	165.7	64.1

Source: Benefits Agency administrative system Labour Market Statistics Helpline: 020753 8094

156.8

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 $a \quad \text{Flow figures are collected for four or five-week periods between count dates; the figures in the table are converted to a standard <math>41/_3$ -week month.}

77.6

P The latest national seasonally adjusted claimant count figures are provisional and subject to revision, mainly in the following month.

### CLAIMANT COUNT Claim history: interval between claims

Claims starting during the quarter ending July 2001 by the interval between the latest and previous claim

	Onflows (per cent)			Onflows (thousands)		
Interval (weeks)	Female	Male	All	Female	Male	All
4 or less Over 4 and up to 13 Over 13 and up to 26 Over 26 and up to 39 Over 39 and up to 52 Over 52 and up to 104 Over 104 Over 104	15 10 8 5 5 7 16 34	21 17 10 6 5 8 14 18	19 15 10 6 5 8 15 23	25.7 17.6 13.5 9.0 7.8 11.9 27.4 58.2	87.4 69.1 42.9 24.5 20.1 33.7 59.1 72.6	113.1 86.7 56.4 33.5 27.9 45.6 86.5 130.8
Total	100	100	100	171.1	409.5	580.5

Total		100		100		100		17 1.1		400.0		000.0
ONFLOWS	GOVERNME	NT OFFICE RE	GIONS									
Interval (weeks)	North East	North West	Yorkshire and the Humber	East Midlands	West Midlands	East	London	South East	South West	Wales	Scotland	Great Britain
PER CENT												
4 or less Over 3 and up to 13 Over 3 and up to 26 Over 39 and up to 39 Over 39 and up to 52 Over 84 and up to 104 Over 04 No previous claims	24 17 11 6 5 8 12 18	21 15 10 6 4 8 14 23	21 16 10 5 5 7 14 23	20 14 10 4 5 8 15 24	21 16 8 6 4 7 14 24	18 14 10 5 4 8 17 24	16 15 10 6 5 9 16 24	17 13 10 5 4 8 19 25	18 14 9 6 5 7 18 22	19 16 9 5 5 7 15 24	20 15 10 7 8 8 14	19 15 10 6 5 8 15 23
Total	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
THOUSANDS												
4 or less Over 3 and up to 13 Over 3 and up to 26 Over 3 and up to 39 Over 3 and up to 52 Over 22 and up to 104 Over 104 No previous claims	9.4 6.7 4.1 2.2 1.8 2.9 4.4 7.0	15.6 11.5 7.3 4.6 3.1 6.4 10.4 17.1	13.1 9.5 6.0 3.2 2.8 4.4 8.4 13.9	8.0 5.9 4.2 1.8 1.9 3.2 6.0 9.5	11.8 9.0 4.8 3.5 2.2 4.1 8.0 13.7	6.7 5.2 3.7 2.0 1.5 3.2 6.2 9.0	11.7 10.9 7.5 4.6 3.6 6.6 11.9 17.8	7.8 5.9 4.8 2.5 1.7 3.7 8.9 11.6	6.8 5.1 3.5 2.4 1.7 2.8 6.8 8.4	6.4 5.4 2.9 1.8 1.5 2.4 5.1 7.9	15.7 11.6 7.5 5.1 6.0 5.9 10.6 14.8	113.1 86.7 56.4 33.5 27.9 45.6 86.5 130.8
Teta	39.6	76.0	61.2	40.5	57.2	27 E	746	47.0	27.5	22.4	77.0	E00 E

Source: Benefits Agency administrative system Labour Market Statistics Helpline: 020 7533 6094

This analysis has been obtained from the claimant count cohort, a 5 per cent sample of all computerised claims. Latest claims in this table started between 12 April 2001 and 12 July 2001 inclusive. Previous' claims in this table must have started after 11 April 1991. The widest 95% confidence interval for the regional percentages is  $\pm 2.0$  percentage points (Wales). The widest 95% confidence interval for the male/female percentages is  $\pm 1.0$  percentage points. All claims have been grossed by a factor of 20 to represent the population.

Destination of leavers from the claimant count by duration of claim Leavers between 14 June 2001 and 11 July 2001, not seasonally adjusted

	Duration of claim					
UNITED KINGDOM	Less than 13 weeks	13-26 weeks	26-52 weeks	52-104 weeks	More than 104weeks	Total
Thousands						
Foundwork	59.1	18.6	13.2	4.1	2.0	97.0
Works on average 16+ hours per week	3.4	0.4	0.3	0.1	0.0	4.3
Gone abroad *	6.4	2.4	1.7	0.5	0.2	11.1
Claimed Income support	1.5	1.2	1.0	0.5	0.4	4.6
Claimed Incapacity Benefit	3.7	2.2	2.2	1.3	0.8	10.3
Claimed another benefit	0.9	0.7	0.6	0.3	0.2	2.6
Full-time education	1.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.2
Approved training	0.5	0.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.7
Government-supported training	5.1	1.3	3.9	1.3	0.6	12.2
Retirement age reached	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.1	0.3
Automatic credits	0.1	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.2
Gone to prison	0.4	0.2	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.8
Attending court	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.5
Defective claim	1.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.4
Ceased claiming	1.6	0.6	0.7	0.2	0.0	3.2
Deceased	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1
Notknown	5.5	2.0	1.8	0.0	0.0	
Failed to sign	31.4	9.3	6.8			10.6
New claim review	0.5	0.2	0.8	2.0	0.8 0.0	50.2 0.9
Total	122.9	39.4	32.7	11.3	5.8	212.0
As a percentage of those with a known d	lestination					
TOUTIO WORK	68.8	66.3	54.7	48.4	44.4	
Works on average 16+ hours per wook	4.0	1.4	1.2	1.2	0.0	
	7.4	8.6	7.0	5.9		
Claimed income support	1.7	4.3	4.1		4.4	
Claimed Incapacity Benefit	4.3	7.8	9.1	5.9	8.9	
Vidimerianothorhonofit	1.0	7.8		15.4	17.8	
Full-time education		2.5	2.5	3.5	4.4	
Approved training	1.4	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	
Government-supported training	0.6	0.7	0.0	0.0	0.0	
Retirement age reached	5.9	4.6	16.2	15.4	13.3	
Automatic credits	0.1	0.4	0.4	0.0	2.2	
Gone to prison	0.1	0.0	0.4	0.0	0.0	
Attending	0.5	0.7	0.4	0.0	0.0	
Attending court Defective claim	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	
Ceased electricity	1.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	
Ceased claiming Deceased	1.9	2.1	2.9	2.4	2.2	
Now also	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	
New claim review	0.6	0.7	0.4	0.0	0.0	
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	

Note: Computerised claims only.

Source: Benefits Agency administrative system Labour Market Statistics Helpline: 020 7533 6094

### C.51 UNEMPLOYMENT Selected countries

	EU average	Major 7 nations (G7)	United Kingdom <sup>b</sup>	Australiad	Austriad	Belgiumf	Canadad	Denmark	Finlandd	Francee	Germanyd (FR)
ANDARDISED ILO RA	ATE: SEASONAL										
92 93 94 95 96 97 98 99	9.1 10.7 11.1 10.7 10.8 10.6 9.9 9.1 8.2 R	7.0 7.2 7.0 6.7 6.8 6.6 6.4 6.1 5.7	10.2 10.3 9.4 8.6 8.0 6.8 6.3 5.9 5.4	10.5 10.6 9.5 8.2 8.2 8.3 7.7 7.0 6.3	4.0 3.8 3.9 4.3 4.4 4.5 4.0 R 3.7 R	7.2 8.8 10.0 9.9 9.7 9.4 9.5 8.8 7.0 R	11.2 11.4 R 10.4 9.4 9.6 9.1 8.3 7.6 6.8	92 102 8.3 7.3 6.8 5.6 5.2 5.2	11.6 16.4 16.7 15.2 14.5 12.6 11.4 10.2 9.7	10.4 11.7 12.3 11.7 12.3 12.3 11.8 11.2 9.5	6.6 7.9 8.4 8.2 8.9 9.9 9.3 8.6 7.9
00 Jun	8.2	5.7	5.3	6.3	3.7	6.9	6.6	4.8	9.7	9.5	7.9
Jul Aug Sep	8.1 8.1 8.0	5.7 5.7 5.6	5.3 5.4 5.4	6.1 6.1 6.0	3.6 3.6 3.6	6.9 6.9 6.9	6.8 7.1 6.9	4.7 4.5 4.8	9.6 9.6 9.6	9.4 9.3 9.2	7.9 7.8 7.8
Oct Nov Dec	7.9 7.9 7.8	5.6 5.6 5.6	5.3 5.3 5.2	6.0 6.3 6.3	3.6 3.6 3.6	6.9 6.9 6.8	6.9 6.9 6.8	4.8 4.8 4.7	9.5 9.4 9.4	9.1 8.9 8.9	7.7 7.7 7.7
001 Jan Feb Mar	7.8 7.7 7.7	5.7 5.6 5.7	5.2 5.1 5.0	6.3 6.6 6.5	3.7 3.7 3.7	6.8 6.8 6.8	6.9 6.9 7.0	4.6 4.7 4.6	9.3 9.2 9.1	8.7 8.6 8.6	7.7 7.7 7.7
Apr May Jun	7.6 7.6 8.2	5.8 5.7 5.8	4.9 5.0	6.8 6.9 6.9	3.7 3.7 3.8	6.8 6.8 6.8	7.0 7.0 7.0	4.6 4.6	9.0 8.9 8.8	8.5 8.5 8.5	7.8 7.8 7.8
THER COMPLEMENT	ARY MEASURES	OF UNEMPLO	YMENT: SEA	SONALLY ADJ	USTED®						
OOO Jul Aug Sep			1,071 1,057 1,043	591 596 582	186 187 183	474 477 472	1,087 1,141 1,101	149 150 152	248 248 248	2,334 2,320 2,258	
Oct Nov Dec			1,047 1,040 1,034	588 606 615	185 186 188	470 465 461	1,113 1,110 1,103	154 153 150	247 245 243	2,215 2,175 2,165	
01 Jan Feb Mar			1,006 997 986	617 646 633	199 195 192	462 463 463	1,113 1,123 1,143	149 151 151	241 239 237	2,122 2,103 2,085	
Apr May Jun			980 976 963	671 676 681	189 195 198	464 469 466	1,139 1,137 1,132	149 145	235 232 229	2,063 2,069 2,077	
Jul	1000		950								
ate (%): latest month			3.2	6.9	5.9	10.8	7.0	5.2	8.8	8.8	9.3
THER COMPLEMENT	ARY MEASURES	OF UNEMPLO	YMENT: NOT	SEASONALLY	ADJUSTED					-	
92 93 94 95 96 97 99 99			2,779 2,919 2,639 2,326 2,122 1,602 1,362 1,263 1,102	897 914 829 739 751 760 721 659 611	193 222 215 216 231 233 238 222 194	473 550 589 597 588 570 541 508 474	1,602 1,647 1,515 1,393 1,437 1,379 1,277 1,190 1,090	315 345 340 285 242 217 180 155 147	293 405 409 382 363 315 285 261 253	2,776 2,999 3,094 2,985 3,063 3,102 2,977 2,772 2,338	2,994 3,443 3,693 3,622 3,980 4,400 4,266 4,093 3,879
000 Jul Aug Sep			1,089 1,089 1,043	542 575 597	152 156 154	488 521 501	1,150 1,180 1,011	149 153 141	210 219 234	2,230 2,326 2,296	3,804 3,781 3,685
Oct Nov Dec			1,009 1,001 1,011	558 577 617	171 193 217	485 464 460	1,020 1,040 1,015	141 138 139	225 224 210	2,267 2,226 2,209	3,611 3,645 3,809
01 Jan Feb Mar		::	1,078 1,073 1,041	648 722 676	258 248 211	467 460 448	1,188 1,183 1,212	170 162 157	248 248 247	2,232 2,178 2,084	4,093 4,113 4,000
Apr May Jun	::		1,006 981 948	669 672 654	191 175 163	443 436 431	1,194 1,159 1,106	150 134	267 304 256	2,019 1,964 1,943	3,868 3,721 3,694
			000								
Jul			962								

ILO unemployment as a percentage of the labour force. The standardised ILO rates shown are sourced from ONS (for the UK) and the OECD (for all other countries) and are the most suitable rates for making international comparisons. The rates for all countries apart from Switzerland are based on Labour Force Survey data. For Switzerland, the rates are based on registered unemployment. The ILO unemployment rate for the UK is an average for 3 months centred on the middle month. Levels of other complementary measures of unemployment are: claimant count for UK; registered unemployed for Austria, Belgium, Denmark, France, Germany, Greece, Ireland, Luxembourg, Norway, Portugal, Spain, Sweden, and Switzerland; LFS for Australia, Canada, Finland, Italy, Japan and the USA; and a combination of LFS and registered unemployed for the Netherlands. The rate of other complementary measures of unemployment excludes: the armed forces for Australia, Canada, Germany and the USA; conscripts for Finland, Italy; those aged 65 and over in Ireland; and the self employed for Austria. The rate of other complementary measures of unemployment for France and Ireland is derived from the LFS and from registered unemployed.

The seasonally adjusted and unadjusted rates of other complementary measures of unemployment refer to June for Australia, Austria, Canada, Finland, Germany, Ireland, Switzerland and Sweden. For Belgium, Denmark and Netherlands, both the unadjusted and seasonally adjusted rates refer to May. For Japan, the adjusted rate refers to May while the unadjusted refers to June.

### UNEMPLOYMENT C.51 Selected countries

												Thousands and per cen		
		Greece	Irish Republic <sup>d,e</sup>	Italy <sup>d</sup>	Japan <sup>f</sup>	Luxem- bourg	Nether- lands <sup>f</sup>	Norway	Portugal	Spain	Swedenf	Switzer- land	United States <sup>d</sup>	
STAN	DARDISED ILO	RATE: SEAS	ONALLY ADJU	STEDa										
1992 1993 1994 1995 1996 1997 1998 1999 2000		7.9 8.6 8.9 9.2 9.6 9.8 10.9 11.6	15.4 15.6 14.3 12.3 11.7 9.9 7.5 5.6 4.2	8.9 10.2 11.2 11.6 11.7 11.7 11.8 11.4 10.5	22 2.5 2.9 3.1 3.4 3.4 4.1 4.7	2.1 2.6 3.2 2.9 3.0 2.8 2.7 2.4 2.4	5.6 6.6 7.1 6.9 6.3 5.2 4.0 3.4 2.9	6.0 6.1 5.5 5.0 4.9 4.1 3.3 3.2 3.5	4.3 5.7 6.9 7.3 7.3 6.8 5.2 4.5	18.4 22.7 24.1 22.9 22.2 20.8 18.8 15.9 14.1	5.6 9.0 9.4 8.8 9.6 9.9 8.3 7.2 5.9	3.1 4.0 3.8 3.5 3.9 4.2 3.5 3.0	7.5 6.9 6.1 5.6 5.4 4.9 4.5 4.2	
2000	Jun		4.2	10.6	4.7	2.5	2.9		4.1	14.2	6.1	2.6	4.0	
	Jul Aug Sep	::	4.1 4.1 4.0	10.4 10.3 10.2	4.7 4.6 4.7	2.4 2.5 2.5	2.9 2.9 2.9	3.5	4.1 4.2 4.1	14.0 13.9 13.8	5.8 5.8 5.6	2.6	4.0 4.1 3.9	
	Oct Nov Dec		3.9 3.9 3.8	10.0 10.0 9.9	4.7 4.8 4.9	2.4 2.4 2.4	2.9 2.9 2.9	3.5	4.0 3.9 3.9	13.6 13.6 13.5	5.6 5.4 5.2		3.9 4.0 4.0	
2001	Jan Feb Mar		3.8 3.8 3.8	9.8	4.9 4.7 4.7	2.3 2.3 2.3	2.7 2.5 2.4		4.0 4.1 4.1	13.3 13.2 13.1	5.4 5.2 5.2	::	4.2 4.2 4.3	
	Apr May Jun		3.8 3.8 3.8	::	4.8 4.9 4.9	2.4 2.4 2.4	2.3 2.4		4.0 3.9 4.0	13.1 12.9 12.8	5.0 5.0 4.9	::	4.5 4.4 4.5	
OTH	R COMPLEMEN	TARY MEAS	URES OF UNEN	PLOYMENT	T: SEASONAL	LY ADJUSTE	Oc.							
2000	Jul Aug Sep		153 151 146	2,461	3,140 3,080 3,190	4.9 5.0 4.9		62 62 63		1,556 1,553 1,543	176 168 163	70 69 67	5,648 5,785 5,537	
	Oct Nov Dec	::	144 144 139	2,380	3,210 3,270 3,320	4.8 4.8 4.8	::	63 65 66		1,539 1,535 1,536	152 142 143	66 66 65	5,536 5,658 5,653	
2001	Jan Feb Mar		138 138 138	2,341	3,290 3,180 3,200	4.8 4.7 4.7	::	62 61 62		1,558 1,532 1,525	148 149 148	66 63 62	5,956 5,936 6,088	
	Apr May Jun		140 142 141	2,265	3,230 3,290 3,300	4.8 4.8 5.0	::	61 59 59		1,518 1,501 1,498	148 147 146	63 63 64	6,402 6,169 6,422	
	Jul							59					and the second	
Rate	(%): latest month		3.7	9.6	4.9		2.0				3.9	1.8	4.5	
OTA	R COMPLEMEN	ITARY MEAS	URES OF UNEN	MPLOYMENT	T: NOT SEASO	NALLY ADJU	JSTED°							
1992 1993 1994 1995 1997 1998 1999 2000		185 176 180 184 185 214 290	283 294 282 278 279 254 227 193 155	2,535 2,299 2,508 2,638 2,654 2,688 2,744 2,670 2,495	1,421 1,656 1,920 2,098 2,250 2,303 2,787 3,171 3,198	2,734 3,526 4,643 5,130 5,680 6,357 5,534 5,351 4,964	337 417 485 462 441 375 286 222 187	114 118 110 102 91 74 56 60 63	317 347 396 430 468 443 401 357 327	2,260 2,538 2,647 2,449 2,275 2,119 1,890 1,652 1,558	215 325 332 329 344 344 222 208 178	92 163 171 153 169 188 140 99 72	9,613 8,940 7,997 7,404 7,236 6,739 6,210 5,880 5,655	
2008	Jul Aug Sep		160 159 145	2,404	3,070 3,100 3,200	4,570 4,640 4,908	169 176 181	68 68 59	315 313 317	1,489 1,488 1,501	235 222 177	65 64 62	6,004 5,824 5,324	
	Oct Nov Dec		139 137 142	2,383	3,140 3,090 2,980	4,895 4,983 4,956	190 186 187	58 58 61	324 328 326	1,530 1,557 1,556	173 170 160	63 66 70	5,122 5,295 5,227	
2001	Jan Feb Mar		142 140 136	2,379	3,170 3,180 3,430	5,252 5,096 4,899	184 176 155	70 65 62	339 342 · 339	1,621 1,599 1,578	193 183 169	72 70 66	6,587 6,464 6,453	
	Apr May Jun	::	137 134 141	2,271	3,480 3,480 3,380	4,766 4,557 4,529	134 132	59 55 58	328 	1,535 1,478 1,461	162 154 174	63 61 59	5,951 5,846 6,762	
	Jul							65						
Rate	(%): latest month			9.6	5.0		1.8				4.2 R	1.6	4.7R	

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### ECONOMIC ACTIVITY AND INACTIVITY Economic activity by age

Thousand	s. seasona	Ily adiust

								Thousands, seasonally ad
UNITED KINGDOM	All aged over 16	16-59/64	16-17	18-24	25-34	35-49	50-64 (M) 50-59 (F)	65+ (M) 60+ (F)
	1	2	3	44	5	6	7	8
All Spring quarters (Mar-May)	MGSF	YBSK	YBZL	YBZO	YBZR	YBZU	YBZX	YCAD
1993 1994	28,565 28,578	27,762 27,773 27,807	713 729 752	4,425 4,173 4,009	7,614 7,702 7,743	9,952 10,025 10,119	5,059 5,144 5,184	803 805 811
1995 1996 1997	28,618 28,806 29,004	28,018	826 868	3,915 3,793 3,710	7,752 7,783	10,264 10,267	5,261 5,471	788 822
1998 1999 2000	29,049 29,356 29,574	28,258 28,525 28,736	853 846 848	3,706	7,708 7,593 7,414	10,318 10,525 10,724	5,668 5,856 6,000	791 830 839 822
2001 3-month averages	29,634	28,812	810	3,743	7,204	10,910	6,145	
Apr-Jun 2000 May-Jul Jun-Aug (Sum)	<b>29,543</b> 29,542 29,549	<b>28,702</b> 28,697 28,709	<b>838</b> 819 826	<b>3,723</b> 3,715 3,721	<b>7,380</b> 7,365 7,336	10,737 10,758 10,782	<b>6,024</b> 6,042 6,045	<b>841</b> 844 840
Jul-Sep Aug-Oct	29,579 29,590	28,746 28,755	824 828	3,733 3,742	7,325 7,313	10,812 10,808	6,052 6,064	833 835
Sep-Nov (Aut) Oct-Dec	29,552	28,711 28,726	823 819	3,731 3,723	7,293 7,289	10,801	6,062 6,076	841 835
Nov 2000-Jan 2001 Dec 2000-Feb 2001 (Win)	29,617 29,623	28,787 28,795	829 819	3,734 3,731	7,280 7,261	10,857 10,876	6,087 6,108	830 828
Jan-Mar 2001 Feb-Apr	<b>29,598</b> 29,619	<b>28,780</b> 28,798	<b>815</b> 810	<b>3,732</b> 3,747	<b>7,230</b> 7,215	<b>10,894</b> 10,894	<b>6,110</b> 6,132	818 821
Mar-May (Spr)  Apr-Jun	29,634 <b>29,659</b>	28,812 28,826	810 <b>811</b>	3,743 3,777	7,204 <b>7,189</b>	10,910 <b>10,900</b>	6,145 <b>6,150</b>	822 833
Changes Over last 3 months	61	46	-4	45	-41	7	40	15
Per cent Over last 12 months	0.2	0.2 124	-0.5 - <b>27</b>	1.2 54	-0.6 - <b>192</b>	0.1 163	0.6 125	1.9 - <b>8</b>
Percent Male	0.4 MGSG	0.4 YBSL	-3.2 YBZM	1.5 YBZP	-2.6 YBZS	1.5 YBZV	2.1 YBZY	-0.9 YCAE
Spring quarters (Mar-May)					4,395	5,471	3,170	
1993 1994 1995	16,099 16,078 16,090	15,831 15,803 15,793	365 376 387	2,431 2,301 2,207	4,446 4,455	5,493 5,559	3,187 3,186	268 275 297
1996 1997 1998	16,136 16,184 16,181	15,859 15,905 15,900	434 434 431	2,145 2,082 2,020	4,432 4,428 4,385	5,609 5,608 5,624	3,238 3,352 3,439	277 280 282
1999 2000 2001	16,318 16,411 16,406	16,025 16,121 16,136	436 430 415	2,012 2,038 2,031	4,282 4,185 4,064	5,747 5,862 5,937	3,548 3,605 3,688	294 290 269
3-month averages Apr-Jun 2000	16,371	16,086	421	2,024	4,160	5,864	3,616	285
May-Jul Jun-Aug (Sum)	16,350 16,344	16,063 16,063	411 420	2,009 2,018	4,147 4,127	5,872 5,872	3,624 3,626	287 281
Jul-Sep Aug-Oct Sep-Nov (Aut)	16,365 16,387 16,378	16,087 16,103 16,092	424 424 422	2,018 2,016 2,013	4,123 4,122 4,120	5,888 5,900 5,898	3,633 3,641 3,639	279 284 286
Oct-Dec Nov 2000-Jan 2001	16,399 16,420	16,118 16,143	419 425	2,023 2,031	4,113 4,107	5,910 5,920	3,653 3,661	281 276
Dec 2000-Feb 2001 (Win)  Jan-Mar 2001	16,433 16,428	16,155 16,160	422 <b>422</b>	2,035 2,035	4,096 <b>4,088</b>	5,932 <b>5,941</b> 5,937	3,671 <b>3,674</b>	278 <b>267</b>
Feb-Apr Mar-May (Spr)	16,413 16,406	16,143 16,136	420 415	2,030 2,031	4,073 4,064	5,937 5,937	3,683 3,688	269 269
Apr-Jun Changes	16,406	16,129	416	2,048	4,056	5,924	3,686	277
Over last 3 months Per cent	<b>-21</b> -0.1	<b>-31</b> -0.2	<b>-7</b> -1.6	13 0.6	-31 -0.8	-18 0.3	<b>12</b> 0.3	10 3.7
Over last 12 months Per cent	<b>35</b> 0.2	<b>43</b> 0.3	-6 -1.4	<b>24</b> 1.2	-104 -2.5	<b>59</b> 1.0	<b>70</b> 1.9	- <b>7</b> -2.6
Female Spring quarters (Mar-May)	MGSH	YBSM	YBZN	YBZQ	YBZT	YBZW	YBZZ	YCAF
1993 1994	12,466 12,500	11,931 11,970	348 353	1,994 1,872	3,219 3,256	4,481 4,532 4,561 4,655	1,889 1,957	535 530
1995 1996 1997 1998	12,528 12,670 12,819	12,013 12,159	365 392 434 422	1,802 1,770 1,711	3,288 3,320 3,356	4.658	1,998 2,023 2,119	514 511 542 509
1998 1999 2000	12,868 13,037 13,163	12,277 12,359 12,501 12,615	422 410 417	1,689 1,694 1,711	3,323 3,311 3,229	4,695 4,778 4,861	2,119 2,229 2,308 2,395	509 537 548
2001 3-month averages	13,228	12,675	395	1,711	3,140	4,973	2,457	553
Apr-Jun 2000 May-Jul Jun-Aug (Sum)	<b>13,172</b> 13,192 13,205	<b>12,616</b> 12,634 12,646	<b>416</b> 407 406	<b>1,699</b> 1,706 1,702	<b>3,221</b> 3,218 3,210	<b>4,873</b> 4,885 4,909	<b>2,408</b> 2,418 2,418	<b>556</b> 557 559
Jul-Sep Aug-Oct Sep-Nov (Aut)	13,214 13,202	12,659 12,652	401 404	1,715 1,726	3,201 3,191	4,924 4,908	2,419 2,423	554 550
	13,174	12,619	401	1,718	3,173	4,903	2,424	555
Oct-Dec Nov 2000-Jan 2001 Dec 2000-Feb 2001 (Win)	13,163 13,198 13,190	12,609 12,644 12,640	399 404 398	1,700 1,703 1,696	3,176 3,174 3,165	4,910 4,937 4,944	2,423 2,426 2,438	554 554 550
<b>Jan-Mar 2001</b> Feb-Apr Mar-May (Spr)	<b>13,170</b> 13,207	<b>12,620</b> 12,655	<b>392</b> 390	<b>1,697</b> 1,716	<b>3,142</b> 3,142	<b>4,952</b> 4,957	<b>2,436</b> 2,449	<b>550</b> 552
Mar-May (Spr) Apr-Jun	13,228 13,253	12,675 <b>12,697</b>	395 <b>395</b>	1,711 1,729	3,140 <b>3,133</b>	4,973 <b>4,977</b>	2,457 <b>2,464</b>	553 556
Changes Over last 3 months	83	77		32	-10		27	6
Percent Over last 12 months	0.6 81	0.6 <b>81</b>	3 0.7 -21	1.9	-0.3 -88	25 0.5 104	7.1 56	1.Ŏ <b>0</b>
Percent	0.6	0.6	-5.1	1.8	-2.7	2.1	2.3	-0.1

a Denominator=all persons in the relevant age group.

ECONOMIC ACTIVITY AND INACTIVITY Economic activity rates by age D. 1

	NITED KINGDOM	All aged over 16	16-59/64	16-17	18-24	25-34	35-49	50-64 (M) 50-59 (F)	65+ (M 60+ (F
Section   Control   Cont		9	10	11	12	13	14	15	1
Color	Spring quarters	MGWG	MGSO	YCAG	YCAJ	YCAM	YCAP	MGWP	MGWS
1656   627   794   628   726	(Mar-May) 1993			53.8		82.9	85.4	68.4	7.9
1885	1995	62.7	78.4	55.9	75.9		85.1	68.5	7.9
1886	1997	63.0	78.6	59.5		83.0	84.8	68.1	7.7
Month systems	1999	63.2	78.8	58.7 58.6	75.6	83.9	84.3	68.7	7.7
Apr-Jun 2000		63.5 63.3	79.1 78.8	58.9 55.5	76.0	84.8	85.2	69.7	8.2 8.0
Map-Jul   Scheme		63.4	79.0	50.2	75.4	04.0	05.0		
Au-Spor 634 770 572 774 845 865 89 81 81	May-Jul	63.4	79.0	56.9	75.2	84.7	85.2	70.0	8.2
Aug.   Col.	Jul-Sep	63.4	79.0						
	Aug-Oct Sep-Nov (Aut)	63.4 63.3		57.3	75.5	84.5	85.2	69.9	8.1
Dec:000-Feb2001 (Win)   633   789   564   750   846   852   701   81	Oct-Dec		78.8				85.0	69.9	8.1
Feb-Part	Dec 2000-Feb 2001 (Win)		78.9 78.9	56.4	75.2 75.0	84.6 84.6		69.9 70.1	8.1 8.1
Mar-May (Spr) 633 788 555 750 844 851 702 80 Apr-Jun 833 788 555 750 844 849 70.1 81 Changes Changes Changes Changes Changes Over last 12 months 0.0 0.0 0.0 -0.5 0.7 0.0 0.0 -0.3 0.2 0.1  Over last 12 months 0.1 0.2 2.27 0.3 0.2 0.2 0.1  Spring quarters (last-flay)  France 12 860 566 868 869 869 869 869 869 869 869 869 8	Feb-Apr	63.3		<b>56.0</b> 55.6	<b>75.0</b> 75.2	<b>84.4</b> 84.4			8.0
Charges Overlast 12 months  0.0  0.0  0.0  0.0  0.0  0.0  0.0  0	Mar-May (Spr)	63.3	78.8	55.5	75.0		85.1		
Over last 12 months		63.3	78.8	55.5	75.6	84.4	84.9	70.1	8.1
Spring quarters	Over last 3 months	0.0	0.0	-0.5	0.7	0.0	-0.3	0.2	0.1
Spring quarters	Overlast 12 months	-0.1	-0.2	-2.7	0.3	-0.2	-0.2	0.2	_01
Spring quarters   Spring qua									
1994 729 866 594 822 446 833 725 777 1996 724 852 552 818 942 831 7725 777 1996 724 849 562 562 818 942 831 715 82 1997 722 849 952 824 824 831 942 831 715 82 1997 722 849 952 824 824 836 920 718 718 82 1998 718 848 589 807 837 915 720 726 726 1000 771 848 842 568 799 837 915 720 726 726 1000 771 844 568 799 833 813 822 726 727 77 1000 771 844 568 799 833 813 822 726 725 720 1000 771 844 568 799 833 813 822 726 725 720 1000 771 844 570 802 833 822 727 77 1000 772 847 87 87 87 87 87 87 87 87 87 87 87 87 87	(Mar-May)							man a	Mari
1856	1994	72.9	85.6	56.4	82.2	94.6			7.5 7.7
1998	1996	72.4	85.1	59.5	82.6	93.4	93.1 92.5		8.2
2000   72.1	1998	71.8	84.3	57.9	80.7	93.7	91.5	72.2 72.0	7.6
## Apr-Jun 2000	2000	72.1	84.8	58.4	81.0	93.9	92.5	72.6 72.5	79
Apr-Jun 2000 71.9 84.5 57.2 80.4 93.6 92.3 72.6 76.7 May-Jul (Sum) 71.8 84.4 55.8 79.8 93.5 92.3 72.7 7.7 7.7 Jun-Aug (Sum) 71.8 84.4 57.0 80.2 93.3 92.2 72.6 76.7 Jun-Aug (Sum) 71.8 84.4 57.0 80.2 93.3 92.2 72.6 76.7 75.7 Jun-Aug (Sum) 71.8 84.4 57.3 79.8 93.5 92.1 72.6 76.7 76.2 92.2 72.7 7.4 Aug (Sum) 71.7 84.3 56.9 79.6 93.5 92.1 72.6 76.6 76.0 92.2 92.2 72.7 7.4 Aug (Sum) 71.7 84.3 56.9 79.6 93.5 92.1 72.6 76.6 76.0 92.0 92.2 72.9 74.2 92.2 92.2 72.7 7.4 Aug (Sum) 71.8 84.5 55.5 79.9 93.5 92.1 72.6 76.0 92.0 93.6 92.2 72.9 74.2 92.2 92.2 92.2 92.2 92.2 92.2 92.2 9		71.6	84.2	55.6	79.9	93.3	91.9	73.1	7.2
Juri-Aug (Sum)  718  844  570  802  933  922  726  745  Aug-Oct  718  844  573  Aug-Oct  718  844  573  800  803  804  804  805  804  805  806  726  786  805  786  805  806  786  805  806  786  806  807  786  807  807  808  808	Apr-Jun 2000 May-Jul		84.5 84.4					72.6	7.6
Aug-Oct 71.8 84.4 57.3 79.8 33.4 32.3 72.7 7.6 Sep-Nov(aut) 71.7 84.3 56.9 79.6 93.5 92.1 72.8 7.5 7.6 Sep-Nov(aut) 71.7 84.3 56.9 79.6 93.5 92.1 72.8 7.5 7.6 Sep-Nov(aut) 71.8 84.4 56.5 79.9 93.5 92.1 72.8 7.5 7.5 Nov2000-Jan 2001 71.8 84.5 56.7 80.2 93.5 92.2 72.9 7.4 Jan-Mar 2001 71.8 84.5 56.7 80.2 93.5 92.2 73.0 7.4 Jan-Mar 2001 71.8 84.5 56.7 80.2 93.5 92.2 73.0 7.4 Jan-Mar 2001 71.6 84.2 55.6 79.9 93.4 92.0 73.1 72.2 Nov2000-Jan 2001 71.6 84.2 55.6 79.9 93.4 92.0 73.1 72.2 Nov2000-Jan 2001 71.6 84.2 55.6 79.9 93.3 91.9 73.1 72.2 Nov2000-Jan 2001 71.6 84.2 55.5 80.4 93.3 91.5 73.0 7.4 Nov2000-Jan 2001 71.6 84.2 55.5 80.4 93.3 91.5 73.0 7.4 Nov2000-Jan 2001 71.6 84.2 55.5 80.4 93.3 91.5 73.0 7.4 Nov2000-Jan 2001 71.6 91.2 91.2 91.2 91.2 91.2 91.2 91.2 91.2	Jun-Aug (Sum)	71.8		57.0	80.2			72.6	7.7
Sepheny (Nath   17	Aug-Oct	71.8	84.4	57.3				72.7 72.7	7.4 7.6
Nov2000-Jan2001 71.8 84.5 67.2 80.2 83.6 82.2 72.9 1.74  Jan-Mar 2001 71.8 84.5 56.7 80.2 83.5 92.2 73.0 7.1  Jan-Mar 2001 71.8 84.5 56.7 80.2 83.5 92.2 73.0 7.1  Jan-Mar 2001 71.6 84.2 56.6 79.9 83.4 92.0 73.1 72.2  Apr-Jun 71.5 84.2 55.5 80.4 83.3 91.5 73.0 7.4  Apr-Jun 71.5 84.2 55.5 80.4 83.3 91.5 73.0 7.4  Changes  Over last 3 months -0.2 -0.3 -1.2 0.3 -0.2 -0.7 0.0 0.2  Over last 12 months -0.4 -0.4 -1.7 0.0 0.3 -0.9 0.3 -0.3  Spring quarters  (Mar-May)  Spring quarters  (Mar-May)  1994 53.3 70.9 55.9 80.9 71.7 71.0 76.9 62.2 8.1 1996 53.3 70.9 55.9 80.9 71.2 72.3 77.1 80.2 80.2 80.1 80.2 80.1 80.2 80.1 80.2 80.2 80.2 80.2 80.2 80.2 80.2 80.2								72.6	7.6
Jan-Mar 2001 71.8 84.5 56.7 80.2 93.5 92.2 73.0 7.1 Feb-Apr 71.7 84.3 56.2 79.9 93.4 92.0 73.1 72.2 Mar-May (Spr) 71.6 84.2 55.6 79.9 93.4 92.0 73.1 72.2 Apr-Jun 71.5 84.2 55.5 80.4 93.3 91.5 73.0 74.4 Changes The Changes MGWI MGSQ YCAI YCAL YCAO YCAR MGWR MGWU MGSQ YCAI YCAO YCAN YCAN YCAL YCAO YCAN YCAN YCAN YCAN YCAN YCAN YCAN YCAN	Nov2000-Jan2001	71.8	84.5	57.2	80.2	93.6	92.2	72.9	7.4
Feb-Apr	Jan-Mar 2001		84.5						
Apr-Jun 71.5 84.2 55.5 80.4 93.3 91.5 73.0 7.4 Changes Over last 3 months -0.2 -0.3 -1.2 0.3 -0.2 -0.7 0.0 0.2 Over last 12 months -0.4 -0.4 -1.7 0.0 -0.3 -0.9 0.3 -0.3			84.3	56.2	79.9	93.4	92.0	73.1	7.2
Over last 3 months	Apr-Jun	71.5	84.2	55.5	80.4	93.3			
Overlast 12 months		-0.2	-0.3	-12	0.2	0.0	0.7		
Spring quarters   MGWI   MGSQ   YCAI   YCAL   YCAO   YCAR   MGWR   MGWU			0.0	-1.2	0.5	-0.2	-0.7	0.0	0.2
Spring quarters (Mar-May)   1934   1935   1936					0.0	-0.3	-0.9	0.3	-0.3
1983	Spring quarters	MGWI	MGSQ	YCAI	YCAL	YCAO	YCAR	MGWR	MGWU
1996   533   709   55.7   68.8   71.6   76.6   63.2   7.9     1996   53.8   71.4   56.5   71.2   72.3   77.1   62.9   7.8     1997   54.3   71.8   60.9   70.7   73.5   76.9   63.3   8.3     1998   54.3   72.0   59.4   70.4   73.8   77.1   64.3   7.8     1999   54.8   72.5   58.2   70.4   75.2   77.6   64.9   8.2     2000   55.2   73.0   59.4   70.7   75.3   77.8   66.0   8.4     2001   55.3   72.9   55.4   70.0   75.1   78.3   66.2   8.5      3-month averages   Apr-Jun 2000   55.3   72.9   59.3   70.1   75.3   77.9   66.2   8.5     3-month averages   Apr-Jun 2000   55.3   73.0   58.0   70.4   75.4   78.0   66.4   8.5     3-month averages   Apr-Jun 2000   55.3   73.0   58.0   70.4   75.4   78.3   66.3   8.6      3-month averages   Apr-Jun 2000   55.3   73.0   58.0   70.4   75.4   78.3   66.3   8.6      3-month averages   Apr-Jun 2000   55.3   73.0   58.0   70.4   75.4   78.3   66.3   8.6      3-month averages   Apr-Jun 2000   55.3   73.0   58.0   70.4   75.4   78.3   66.3   8.6      3-month averages   Apr-Jun 2000   55.4   73.1   57.8   70.2   75.4   78.3   66.3   8.6      3-month averages   Apr-Jun 2000   55.4   73.1   57.8   70.2   75.4   78.3   66.3   8.6      3-month averages   Apr-Jun 2000   55.4   73.1   57.8   70.2   75.4   78.3   66.3   8.6      3-month averages   Apr-Jun 2000   55.4   73.1   57.8   70.2   75.4   78.3   66.3   8.5      3-month averages   Apr-Jun 2001   55.1   72.7   56.5   69.9   75.2   77.8   66.0   8.5      3-month averages   Apr-Jun 2001   55.3   72.8   57.1   69.9   75.3   78.1   66.1   8.4      3-month averages   Apr-Jun 2001   55.3   72.8   55.1   69.6   75.2   78.1   66.1   8.4      3-month averages   Apr-Jun 2001   55.3   72.8   55.4   70.0   75.1   78.2   66.3   8.5      3-month averages   Apr-Jun 2001   55.3   72.9   55.4   70.0   75.1   78.3   66.2   8.5      3-month averages   Apr-Jun 2001   55.4   72.9   55.4   70.7   75.1   78.2   66.3   8.5      3-month averages   Apr-Jun 2001   55.3   73.0   73.0   73.0   73.0   73.0   73.0   73.0   73.0   73.0   73.0   73.0   73.0   73	1993	53.2		53.9	71.7	71.0		62.2	8.1
997 997 998 94.3 71.8 90.9 77 77.7 73.5 76.9 63.3 8.3 1989 94.3 72.0 994 70.4 73.8 77.1 62.9 78.8 98.3 1989 94.3 72.0 959.4 70.4 73.8 77.1 62.9 63.3 8.3 1989 94.3 77.1 62.9 63.3 8.3 1989 94.3 77.1 62.9 63.3 8.3 1989 94.3 77.1 62.9 63.3 8.3 1989 94.3 77.1 62.9 63.3 8.3 78.8 92.00 95.2 70.4 75.2 76.6 64.9 8.2 2001 95.3 77.8 66.0 8.4 92.00 95.3 72.9 95.4 70.0 75.1 75.3 77.8 66.0 8.4 8.5 8.5 8.5 8.5 8.5 8.5 8.5 8.5 8.5 8.5	1995	53.3	70.9	55.7	69.8	71.6	76.6	63.2	8.1
548 725 582 704 752 776 649 82 2000 552 730 594 707 753 778 660 84 2001 553 729 554 700 751 783 660 84 2001 553 729 554 700 751 783 662 85  3-month averages Apr-Jun 2000 553 729 593 70.1 753 77.9 662 85  May-Jul 553 730 580 704 754 780 664 85 Jun-Aug (Sum) 554 73.1 57.8 702 754 783 663 86  Jul-Sep 554 73.1 57.8 702 754 783 663 86  Jul-Sep 1554 73.1 558 702 754 783 663 86  Jul-Sep Nov (Aut) 553 730 730 573 71.1 752 780 66.1 85  Sep Nov (Aut) 552 72.8 568 70.7 74.9 77.8 66.0 8.5  Oct-Dec 551 72.7 565 689 752 778 66.0 85  Dec 2000-Feb 2001 (Win) 552 72.8 561 69.9 753 781 66.9 8.5  Dec 2000-Feb 2001 (Win) 552 72.8 561 69.9 753 781 66.9 8.5  Dec 2000-Feb 2001 (Win) 552 72.8 561 69.6 752 781 66.1 84  Jan-Mar 2001 55.1 72.6 55.3 69.6 74.9 78.1 66.9 85  Mar-May (Spr) 553 72.9 554 70.0 75.1 78.1 66.1 85  Apr-Jun 554 72.9 554 70.7 75.1 78.2 66.3 8.5  Changes  Over last 12 months	1997	54.3	71.4 71.8 72.0	60.9	70.7	73.5	76.9	63.3	7.8 8.3
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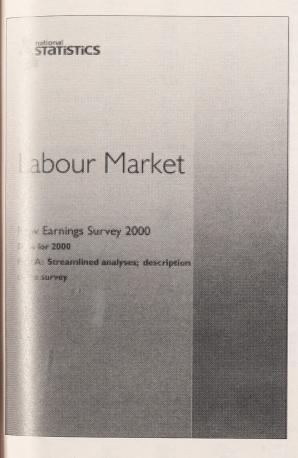
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					Total in	vailable to star next 2 weeks	rt work		Reasons fo		ing				
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III Spring quarte Mar-May)	MGSI	YBSN	YBVZ	YBWC	YCFF	YCFI	YCFL	YCFO	YCFR	YCFU	YCFX		229	100	128
1994	17,023	7,564 7,676 7,645	5,299 5,396 5,328	2,264 2,280 2,317	2,036 2,041 2,132	924 925 896	1,112 1,116 1,236 1,405	138 109 104	503 524 579	792 772 776	230 240 262	373 396 411 393	239 184 207	120 86	118 99 115
1996 1997 1998	17,030 17,032 17,204	7,645 7,663 7,768	5,268 5,367	2,317 2,395 2,400 2,321	2,041 2,132 2,188 2,181 2,107	783 735 688	1,405 1,446 1,419	89 72 68	692 750 749	746 743 678	268 248 242	367 371 400	220 213 189	92 94 90 77	126 123 113
1999 2000 2001	17,075 17,007 17,198	7,652 7,577 7,743	5,331 5,268 5,549	2,309 2,194	2,120 1,997	670 621	1,450 1,375	62 34	765 727	651 630	241 253	354	197	72	125
3-month aver Apr-Jun 2000 May-Jul	17,050 17,063	<b>7,621</b> 7,637	<b>5,309</b> 5,326 5,336	<b>2,312</b> 2,311 2,300	<b>2,116</b> 2,111 2,102	670 660 658	1,446 1,451 1,444	<b>67</b> 62 61	<b>757</b> 751 750	643 643 637	247 260 257	<b>401</b> 396 397	196 200 198	<b>80</b> 87 86	115 113 113
Jun-Aug (Sum Jul-Sep	17,086	7,637 7,646 7,657	5,360 5,391	2,286 2,266	2,076	658 652	1,417 1,409	53 53 47	736 734	635 634	253 245	399 395 392	210 205 208	87 82 79	124 123 129
Aug-Oct Sep-Nov (Aut	17,096 17,155 17,165	7,657 7,722 7,726	5,461 5,464	2,261	2,053	649 633	1,404	47 45 42	754 747	626 626 617	234 240 243	391 388	212 220	83 94	129
Oct-Dec Nov2000-Jan20 Dec2000-Feb20 (Win)	001 17,131	7,686 7,698	5,434 5,455	2,251 2,243	2,049 2,032 2,018	634 627	1,398 1,390	42 40	742 732	617	248	381	225	. 98	127
Jan-Mar 2001 Feb-Apr	17,191	<b>7,733</b> 7,736	<b>5,493</b> 5,504 5,549	<b>2,240</b> 2,231 2,194	<b>2,019</b> 2,015 1,997	633 629 621	1,385 1,386 1,375	39 34 34	<b>737</b> 727 727	629 634 630	<b>253</b> 255 253	<b>361</b> 365 354	221 217 197	<b>92</b> 81 72	136
Mar-May (Sp Apr-Jun	17,198 17,194	7,743 <b>7,749</b>	5,563	2,186	1,982	606	1,376	32	721	639	243	346	204	79	12
Changes Overlast3mor Per cent	nths 2	15 0.2	<b>69</b> 1.3	-54 -2.4	-37 -1.8	<b>-28</b> -4.4	<b>-9</b> -0.7	-7 -18.1	<b>-16</b> -2.1	10 1.6	-9 -3.8	-15 -4.1	-17 -7.7	-13 -13.7	-3.
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Male Spring quart	MGSJ	YBSO	YBWA	YBWD	YCFG	YCFJ	YCFM	YCFP	YCFS	YCFV		YCGB	YCGE	YCGH	YCG
(Mar-May) 1994 1995	5,971 6,065	2,657 2,747 2,782	1,809 1,901	847 847 900	736 737 815	325 321 340	411 416 475	83 64 60	324 327 362	49 51 69	129 141	158 166 183	112 110 86	57 58 41	4
1996 1997 1998	6,147 6,228 6,366	2,782 2,839 2,952 2,918	1,882 1,898 1,964	941 988 946	845 880 854	272 279 274	573 601 580	51 44 41	419 472 460	72	130	168 159 158	96 108 92	53 55 44 40	5
1999 2000 2001	6,339 6,343 6,512	2,899 3,019	1,972 1,957 2,089	942 931	862 836	264 257	598 579	35 22	465 445	64 67	117 129	181 173	81 94	41	5
3-month ave Apr-Jun 200 May-Jul	6,420	<b>2,940</b> 2,969 2,975	<b>1,988</b> 2,007 2,005	<b>953</b> 962 970	<b>870</b> 877 885	<b>264</b> 262 268	<b>605</b> 615 617	36	<b>460</b> 457 462	68	136	183 184 186	83 85 85	42	4
Jun-Aug (Sur Jul-Sep Aug-Oct	m) 6,434 6,446 6,436	2,975 2,981 2,975	2,020 2,027	962 948	864 856	267 264	598 592	32	455 451 463	67	128	183 178 178	97 92 94	44 42 43	5
Sep-Nov (Au Oct-Dec	it) 6,459 6,451	2,997	2,048	949 944	855 852	264 257 260	591 595 588	26	462 460	. 68	125	174 173	92	44 49	4
Nov2000-Jan2 Dec2000-Feb2 (Win)	2001 6,444 2001 6,444	2,968 2,967	2,025 2,024	943 943	848 842	251	590	) 22	455	6	7 128	169 169	101		
Jan-Mar 200 Feb-Apr Mar-May (S	6,491	<b>2,973</b> 3,001 3,019	<b>2,028</b> 2,058 2,089	<b>945</b> 943 931	845 841 836	<b>256</b> 253 257	<b>588</b> 588 579	3 20	455 444 445	1 6	9 130	177 173	103	45	
Apr-Jun	6,525	3,038	2,115	923	825	248	578	3 20	445	5 7	0 120	170	96		
Changes Overlast3mo Per cent	onths 62	64 2.2	<b>87</b> 4.3	<b>-22</b> -2.4	<b>-20</b> -2.4	-9 -3.5	-11 -1.5		-10 -2.	1 1.	1 -9 8 -7.0	0.5	-2.3		1
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Female Spring quar	MGSK rters	YBSP	YBWB	YBWE	YCFH	YCFK	YCFN					YCGC	YCGI		
(Mar-May) 1994 1995 1996	10,938 10,958 10,883	4,907 4,929 4,863	3,490 3,496 3,446	1,417 1,433 1,417	1,300 1,305 1,318 1,343	599 604 556 510	70° 70° 76°	0 45	197	7 72 8 70	1 111 7 121	216 230 228 225	129	9 62 9 45	
1997 1998 1999	10 205	4,824 4,815 4,734 4,677	3.370	1,454 1,412 1,375	1,301 1,254	456 414	83: 84: 84:	5 27 0 27	277 271 281	8 66 9 60	8 118 6 119	209 213 219	11: 12 10:		
2000 2001	10,838 10,736 10,663 10,687	4,677 4,724	3,358 3,311 3,460	1,367 1,264	1,258 1,160	406 364	85: 79			0 58 1 56	3 124	181	. 10	3 31	
3-month av Apr-Jun 20 May-Jul	10,658 10,643	<b>4,681</b> 4,667 4,661	3,319	1,359 1,349 1,330	1,246 1,234 1,217	<b>406</b> 399 390	<b>84</b> 83 82	6 26	29 29 28	4 57	'8 123	218 212 211	11 11 11	4 45	
Jun-Aug (Su Jul-Sep Aug-Oct	10,641 10,660	4,665 4,682	3,340 3,364	1,324 1,318	1,211 1,205	392 389	82 81	7 20	) 28	3 56	88 117	216 217 214	11 11 11	3 39	
Sep-Nov (A Oct-Dec Nov2000-Jan	ut) 10,696	4,725 4,743 4,717	3,413	1,312	1,198	385	81 82 81	1 18	3 28	6 56	31 116	217 215	12	0 40	
Nov2000-Jan Dec2000-Feb (Win)	2001 10,687 2001 10,702	4,717 4,731	3,410 3,431		1,184 1,176		80	18	3 27	7 55	50 120	211	12	4 46	
Jan-Mar 20 Feb-Apr Mar-May (S	10,700	4,735 4,735 4,724	3,446	<b>1,295</b> 1,288 1,264	<b>1,174</b> 1,174 1,160	<b>377</b> 376 364	<b>79</b> 79 79	98 14	1 28	13 56 13 56	50 124 65 125 63 124	188	11	4 36	
Apr-Jun	10,669				1,157		79	99 12	2 27	76 50	69 123			7 34	
Changes Overlast3m Percent	onths -60		9 -17 0 -0.5		-17 -1.4		0	2 -24.0	6 -2		9 0 1.6 -0.3	-8.2			
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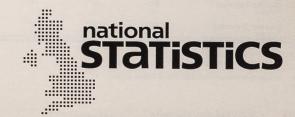
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### D.3 ECONOMIC ACTIVITY AND INACTIVITY Economic inactivity by age

									Thousands	, seasonally adjust
UNITE	ED DOM	All aged 16 and over	16-59/64	16-17	18-24	25-34	35-49	50-64 (M) 50-59 (F)	65+ (M) 60+ (F)	
		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	
All	Spring quarters (Mar-May)	MGSI	YBSN	YCAS	YCAV	YCAY	YCBB	MGWA	MGWD	
	1993	16,836 16,909	7,481 7,564	613 569	1,258 1,304	1,573 1,572	1,701 1,756	2,336 2,363	9,355 9,345	
	1994 1995 1996	17,023 17,030	7,676 7,645	592 597 590	1.271	1,576 1,584 1,512	1,805 1,836	2,432 2.463	9,347 9.384	
	1997 1998	17,032 17,204	7,663 7,768	590 601 599	1,166 1,155 1,194 1,204	1,512 1,476 1,392	1,887 1,917 1,869	2,519 2,579 2,588	9,370 9,436 9,423	
	1999 2000 2001	17,075 17,007 17,198	7,652 7,577 7,743	592 650	1,185 1,245	1,327 1,329	1,868 1,909	2,604 2,611	9,430 9,456	
	3-month averages Apr-Jun 2000	17,050	7,621	602	1,215	1.340	1,871	2,593	9,429	
	May-Jul Jun-Aug (Sum)	17,063 17,068	7,637 7,637	621 614	1,225 1,221	<b>1,340</b> 1,335 1,343	1,867 1,861	2,588 2,598	9,426 9,432	
	Jul-Sep Aug-Oct Sep-Nov (Aut)	17,086 17,096 17,155	7,646 7,657 7,722	618 616 624	1,215 1,211 1,227	1,352 1,346 1,347	1,856 1,879 1,906	2,605 2,605 2,619	9,441 9,439 9,433	
	Oct-Dec Nov2000-Jan 2001	17,165 17,131	7,726 7,686	630 622	1,240 1,234	1,333 1,324	1,904 1,886	2,618 2,619	9,439 9,445	
	Dec 2000-Feb 2001 (Win)	17,146	7,698	634 641	1,242 1,246	1,326	1,886 1,887	2,610 <b>2,621</b>	9,448 <b>9,459</b>	
	Jan-Mar 2001 Feb-Apr Mar-May (Spr)	<b>17,192</b> 17,191 17,198	<b>7,733</b> 7,736 7,743	648 650	1,236 1,245	1,336 1,329	1,905 1,909	2,611 2,611	9,456 9,456	
	Apr-Jun	17,194	7,749	651	1,216	1,326	1,937	2,619	9,445	
	Changes Over last 3 months Percent	<b>2</b> 0.0	15 0.2	10 1.6	-30 -2.4	<b>-12</b> -0.9	<b>50</b> 2.6	-3 -0.1	-14 -0.1	
	Overlast 12 months Percent	<b>144</b> 0.8	<b>128</b> 1.7	<b>49</b> 8.1	0.1	-14 -1.0	66 3.5	<b>26</b> 1.0	16 0.2	
Male		MGSJ	YBSO	YCAT	YCAW	YCAZ	YCBC	MGWB	MGWE	
	Spring quarters (Mar-May) 1993	5,886 5,971	2,583 2,657	315	470 498	257 253	355 396	1,187 1,220	3,303 3,315	
	1994 1995 1996	6,065 6,147	2,747 2,782 2,839	315 290 302 295 312 313 304	491 451	253 275 313 302	410 454	1,270 1,270	3,318 3,364	
	1997 1998	6,228 6,366	2.952	312 313	446 484 492	294	488 521	1,291 1,340	3,389 3,414	
	1999 2000 2001	6,339 6,343 6,512	2,918 2,899 3,019	304 307 332	492 477 513	298 270 290	486 479 527	1,338 1,367 1,358	3,420 3,444 3,493	
	3-month averages Apr-Jun 2000	6,391	2,940	316	492	284	486	1,363	3,451	
	May-Jul Jun-Aug (Sum)	6,420 6,434	2,969 2,975	326 317	508 500	286 296	487 497	1,362 1,366	3,451 3,458	
	Jul-Sep Aug-Oct Sep-Nov (Aut)	6,446 6,436 6,459	2,981 2,975 2,997	315 316 319	504 509 515	301 293 286	495 493 506	1,366 1,364 1,372	3,465 3,461 3,462	
	Oct-Dec Nov2000-Jan2001 Dec2000-Feb2001 (Win)	6,451 6,444 6,444	2,982 2,968 2,967	323 318 322	508 502 501	284 282 284	504 504 502	1,364 1,362 1,358	3,469 3,476 3,477	
	Jan-Mar 2001 Feb-Apr Mar-May (Spr)	<b>6,463</b> 6,491 6,512	<b>2,973</b> 3,001 3,019	<b>323</b> 327 332	<b>504</b> 511 513	284 290 290	<b>502</b> 517 527	<b>1,361</b> 1,357 1,358	<b>3,490</b> 3,490 3,493	
	Apr-Jun	6,525	3,038	333	499	289	551	1,366	3,487	
	Changes Over last 3 months Percent	<b>62</b> 1.0	64 22	10 32	-5 -1.0	5 1.9	<b>49</b> 9.7	5 0.4	-3 -0.1	
	Over last 12 months	134	98	17	7	5	65	3 0.2	<b>36</b> 1.0	
emal	Percent le	2.1 MGSK	3.3 YBSP	5.5 YCAU	1.4 YCAX	1.8 YCBA	13.3 YCBD	MGWC	MGWF	
	Spring quarters (Mar-May) 1993	10,949	4,897	298	788	1,316	1,347	1,149	6,052	
	1994 1995	10,938 10,958	4,907 4,929	278 290	807 780	1,319 1,302	1,360 1.396	1,143 1.162	6,031 6,029 6,020	
	1996 1997 1998	10,883 10,805 10,838	4,863 4,824 4,815	278 288	714 709 710	1,271 1,210 1,182	1,382 1,399 1,396	1,193 1,228 1,239	5,981 6,023	
	1999 2000 2001	10,736 10,663 10,687	4,734 4,677 4,724	302 278 288 295 285 318	712 709 732	1,095 1,057 1,039	1,382 1,389 1,382	1,249 1,237 1,253	6,003 5,986 5,963	
	3-month averages Apr-Jun 2000	10,658	4,681	286		1,056			5,978	
	May-Jul Jun-Aug (Sum)	10,643 10,634	4,667 4,661	295 297	<b>723</b> 717 722	1,049 1,047	<b>1,385</b> 1,380 1,365	<b>1,230</b> 1,226 1,232	5,976 5,973	
	Jul-Sep Aug-Oct Sep-Nov (Aut)	10,641 10,660 10,696	4,665 4,682 4,725	303 301 305	711 702 712	1,051 1,053 1,061	1,361 1,386 1,400	1,238 1,241 1,247	5,976 5,978 5,971	
	Oct-Dec Nov 2000-Jan 2001 Dec 2000-Feb 2001 (Win)	10,714 10,687 10,702	4,743 4,717 4,731	307 304 311	732 732 741	1,049 1,042 1,042	1,401 1,383 1,385	1,254 1,257 1,252	5,970 5,969 5,971	
	Jan-Mar 2001 Feb-Apr Mar-May (Spr)	<b>10,729</b> 10,700 10,687	<b>4,760</b> 4,735 4,724	318 321 318	<b>742</b> 725 732	<b>1,054</b> 1,046 1,039	<b>1,385</b> 1,389 1,382	1,260 1,254 1,253	<b>5,969</b> 5,966 5,963	
	Apr-Jun	10,669	4,711	318	717	1,037	1,386	1,253	5,958	
	Changes Over last 3 months Percent	<b>-60</b> -0.6	<b>-49</b> -1.0	0.1	<b>-25</b> -3.4	<b>-17</b> -1.7	0.1	- <b>8</b> -0.6	-11 -0.2	
	Over last 12 months Percent	10 0.1	<b>30</b> 0.6	<b>32</b> 11.1	<b>-6</b> -0.8	-19 -1.8	0.1	1.8	- <b>20</b> -0.3	

Denominator=all persons in the relevant age group.

### ECONOMIC ACTIVITY AND INACTIVITY Economic inactivity rates by age

									Per cent	seasonally ac
UNIT	TÉD GDOM	All aged 16 and over	16-59/64	16-17	18-24	25-34	35-49	50-64 (M) 50-59 (F)	65+ (M) 60+ (F)	
Kires	-	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	
All	-	УВТС	YBTL	LWEX	LWFA	LWFD	LWFG	LWFJ	LWFM	
7411	Spring quarters (Mar-May)	07.4	01.0	40.0	20.4	474	440	24.0	20.4	
	1993 1994	37.1 37.2	21.2 21.4	46.2 43.8	22.1 23.8	17.1 17.0	14.6 14.9 15.1	31.6 31.5 31.9	92.1 92.1 92.0	
	1995 1996	37.3 37.2	21.6	44.1 41.9	24.1	16.9 17.0	15.1 15.2	31.9 31.9	92.0 92.3	
	1997	37.2 37.0	21.4 21.4	40.5	22.9 23.3	16.3	15.5 15.7	31.5 31.3	91.9	
	1998 1999	37.2 36.8	21.6 21.2	41.3 41.4	24.4 24.5	16.1 15.5	15.7 15.1	31.3 30.6	92.3 91.9	
	2000 2001	36.5 36.7	20.9 21.2	41.1 44.5	24.5 24.0 25.0	15.2 15.6	14.8 14.9	30.6 30.3 29.8	91.8 92.0	
		30.7	21.2	44.0	23.0	13.0	14.5	29.0	32.0	
	3-month averages Apr-Jun 2000	36.6	21.0	41.8	24.6	15.4	14.8	30.1	91.8	
	May-Jul Jun-Aug (Sum)	36.6 36.6	21.0 21.0	43.1 42.6	24.8 24.7	15.3 15.5	14.8 14.7	30.0 30.1	91.8 91.8	
	Jul-Sep Aug-Oct Sep-Nov (Aut)	36.6 36.6	21.0 21.0	42.8 42.7	24.6 24.5	15.6 15.5	14.7 14.8	30.1 30.1	91.9 91.9	
	Sep-Nov (Aut)	36.7	21.2	43.1	24.7	15.6	15.0	30.2	91.8	
	Oct-Dec	36.7	21.2	43.5	25.0	15.5	15.0	30.1	91.9	
	Nov 2000-Jan 2001 Dec 2000-Feb 2001 (Win)	36.6 36.7	21.1 21.1	42.9 43.6	24.8 25.0	15.4 15.4	14.8 14.8	30.1 29.9	91.9 91.9	
	Jan-Mar 2001	36.7	21.2	44.0	25.0	15.6	14.8	30.0	92.0	
	Feb-Apr Mar-May (Spr)	36.7	21.2	44.4	24.8	15.6	14.9	29.9	92.0	
	Mar-May (Spr)	36.7	21.2	44.5	25.0	15.6	14.9	29.8	92.0	
	Apr-Jun	36.7	21.2	44.5	24.4	15.6	15.1	29.9	91.9	
	Changes Over last 3 months	0.0	0.0	0.5	-0.7	0.0	0.3	-0.2	0.1	
	Overlastamonths	0.0	0.0	0.5	-0.7	0.0	0.3	-0.2	-0.1	
	Overlast 12 months	0.1	0.2	2.7	-0.3	0.2	0.2	-0.2	0.1	
					-	-		-		
Made		YBTD	YBTN	LWEY	LWFB	LWFE	LWFH	LWFK	LWFN	
	Spring quarters (Mar-May)									
	1993 1994	26.8 27.1	14.0	46.4	16.2 17.8	5.5 5.4	6.1	27.2 27.7	92.5 92.3	
	1995	27.4	14.4 14.8	43.6 43.8	18.2	5.4 5.8 6.6	6.7 6.9 7.5	28.5 28.2	92.3 91.8 92.4	
	1996 1997	27.6 27.8	14.9 15.1	40.5 41.8	17.4 17.6	6.6 6.4	7.5 8.0	28.2 27.8	92.4 92.4	
	1998	27.8 28.2	15.7	42.1	19.3	6.3	8.5	28.0 27.4	92.4	
	1999 2000	28.0 27.9	15.4 15.2	41.1 41.6	19.6 19.0	6.5 6.1	7.8 7.5	27.4 27.5	92.1 92.2	
	2001	28.4	15.8	44.4	20.1	6.7	8.1	26.9	92.8	
	3-month averages	00.4	455	40.0	40.0					
	Apr-Jun 2000 May-Jul	<b>28.1</b> 28.2	<b>15.5</b> 15.6	<b>42.8</b> 44.2	<b>19.6</b> 20.2	<b>6.4</b> 6.5	<b>7.7</b> 7.7	<b>27.4</b> 27.3	<b>92.4</b> 92.3	
	Jun-Aug (Sum)	28.2	15.6	43.0	19.8	6.7	7.8	27.4	92.5	
	Jul-Sep	28.3	15.6	42.6	20.0	6.8	7.8	27.3	92.6	
	Aug-Oct Sep-Nov (Aut)	28.2 28.3	15.6 15.7	42.7 43.1	20.2 20.4	6.6 6.5	7.7 7.9	27.3 27.4	92.4 92.4	
	Oct-Dec	28.2	15.6	43.5	20.1	6.5	7.9	27.2	92.5	
	Nov 2000-Jan 2001	28.2	15.5	42.8	19.8	6.4	7.8	27.1	92.6	
	Dec 2000-Feb 2001 (Win)	28.2	15.5	43.3	19.8	6.5	7.8	27.0	92.6	
	Jan-Mar 2001 Feb-Apr	<b>28.2</b> 28.3	<b>15.5</b> 15.7	<b>43.3</b> 43.8	<b>19.8</b> 20.1	<b>6.5</b> 6.6	<b>7.8</b> 8.0	<b>27.0</b> 26.9	<b>92.9</b> 92.8	
	Feb-Apr Mar-May (Spr)	28.4	15.8	44.4	20.1	6.7	8.1	26.9	92.8	
	Apr-Jun	28.5	15.8	44.5	19.6	6.7	8.5	27.0	92.6	
	Changes									
	Over last 3 months	0.2	0.3	1.2	-0.3	0.2	0.7	0.0	-0.2	
	Overlast 12 months	0.4	0.4	1.7	0.0	0.3	0.9	-0.3	0.3	
Ferna	ale.	YBTE	VDTM	LWEZ	LWEO	LWEE	1 14/51			
Citie	Spring quarters (Mar-May)	TOIL	YBTM	LWEZ	LWFC	LWFF	LWFI	LWFL	LWFO	
	(Mar-May) 1993	46.8	29.1	46.1	28.3	29.0	23.1	37.8	91.9	
	1994 1995	46.7	29.1 29.1	44.1	30.1	28.8	23.1 23.4 22.9	36.9	91.9	
	1996	46.7 46.2	28.6	44.3 43.5	30.2 28.8	28.4 27.7	23.4	36.8 37.1	92.1 92.2 91.7	
	1997 1998	45.7 45.7	28.2 28.0	39.1 40.6	29.3 29.6	26.5 26.2	23.1 22.9	36.7 35.7	91.7 92.2	
	1999	45.2	27.5 27.0	41.8	29.6	24.8	22.4	35.1	91.8	
	2000 2001	44.8 44.7	27.0 27.1	40.6 44.6	29.3 30.0	24.7 24.9	22.2 21.7	34.0 33.8	91.6 91.5	
	3-month averages									
	Apr-Jun 2000	44.7	27.1	40.7	29.9	24.7	22.1	33.8	91.5	
	May-Jul Jun-Aug (Sum)	44.7 44.6	27.0 26.9	42.0 42.2	29.6 29.8	24.6 24.6	22.0 21.7	33.6 33.7	91.5 91.4	
	Jul-Sep	44.6	26.9							
	Aug-Oct	44.7	27.0	43.1 42.7	29.3 28.9	24.7 24.8	21.7 22.0	33.9 33.9	91.5 91.6	
	Sep-Nov (Aut)	44.8	27.2	43.2	29.3	25.1	22.2	34.0	91.5	
	Oct-Dec Nov2000-Jan2001	44.9	27.3	43.5	30.1	24.8	22.2	34.1	91.5	
	Dec 2000-Feb 2001 (Win)	44.7 44.8	27.2 27.2	42.9 43.9	30.1 30.4	24.7 24.8	21.9 21.9	34.1 33.9	91.5 91.6	
	Jan-Mar 2001	44.9	27.4	44.7	30.4		21.9	34.1	91.6	
	Feb-Apr Mar-May (Spr)	44.8	27.2	45.1	29.7	<b>25.1</b> 25.0	21.9	33.9	91.5 91.5	
		44.7	27.1	44.6	30.0	24.9	21.7	33.8		
	Apr-Jun	44.6	27.1	44.6	29.3	24.9	21.8	33.7	91.5	
	Changes Over last 3 months	-0.3	-0.3	.00		0.0			0.4	
	- increments	-0.3	-0.3	-0.2	-1.1	-0.3	-0.1	-0.4	-0.1	
	Overlast 12 months	-0.1	0.0	3.8	-0.5	0.2	-0.3	-0.1	0.0	
				F 100000						

Source: Labour Force Survey Labour Market Statistics Helpline: 020 7533 6094

Note: Relationship between columns: 1=2+8; 2=3+4+5+6+7.

### EARNINGS Average Earnings Index: all employee jobs: main industrial sectors

REAT	BRITAIN	Whole economy	(Divisions 01-93)			Public sector			
IC 199	2	Actual	Seasonally adjust	ted		Actual	Seasonally adju	sted	
		, and the same of		Per cent change over previous 12 months				Per cent change over previous 12 months	
995=1	00			Monthly rate	Headline rate <sup>a</sup>			Monthly rate	Headling rate <sup>a</sup>
995=1	00	LNMM	LNMQ	LNMU	LNNC	LNNI	LNNJ	LNKW	LNNE
995 996 997 998 999	) ) Annual ) averages )	100.0 103.6 108.0 113.5 119.0 124.3				100.0 103.0 105.3 108.6 113.0 117.3			
	Jun	119.0	118.9	5.3	4.5	114.4	113.6	4.8	4.
999	Juri				4.7	110 5	113.6	4.2	4
	Jul	119.3	119.3	4.6	4.7	113.5	113.8	3.7	4
	Aug	117.6	119.8	5.0	4.9	114.0		3.8	3
	Sep	117.6	120.2	4.6	4.7	114.0	114.1	3.0	
	Oct	118.1	120.9	5.1	4.9	113.9	114.5	3.9	3
		119.1	121.1	4.9	4.9	114.4	114.8	3.7	3
	Nov Dec	124.9	122.2	5.9	5.3	115.1	115.0	3.8	3
		100.0	100.0	6.3	5.7	115.1	116.0	4.4	4
000	Jan	123.2	123.3	5.4	5.9	116.3	116.4	4.4	4
	Feb Mar	125.3 129.3	123.0 123.2	5.1	5.6	115.1	116.1	3.7	•
		122.5	122.9	4.6	5.0	116.7	117.2	4.2	
	Apr	122.4	123.2	4.1	4.6	117.0	116.9	3.2	
	May Jun	123.3	123.5	3.8	4.2	118.0	117.6	3.5	
		100.0	123.9	3.9	3.9	117.4	117.5	3.5	
	Jul	123.6	124.8	4.2	4.0	118.0	117.7	3.4	
	Aug Sep	122.5 122.2	124.8	4.2	4.1	117.7	117.8	3.2	
	Seb	122.2				117.6	118.5	3.5	
	Oct	122.7	125.8	4.1	4.2		119.2	3.9	
	Nov	124.0	126.4	4.4	4.2	118.5	119.2	4.3	
	Dec	131.1	128.1	4.8	4.4	120.2	119.9		
001	Jan	128.6	128.6	4.3	4.5	119.0.	119.8	3.3	
1001	Feb	133.8	131.1	6.5	5.2	119.5	119.9	3.0	
	Mar	134.7	128.4	4.3	5.0	120.2	121.3	4.5	
		100.4	128.9	4.8	5.2	123.4	123.7	5.5	
	Apr	128.4	128.8	4.6	4.6	123.5	123.6	5.8	
	May R Jun P	127.6 <b>129.3</b>	129.5	4.9	4.8	124.6	123.9	5.3	

SIC 199	32	A -4 1	Seasonally adjus	tod		Actual	Seasonally adju	sted	
		Actual	Seasonally adjus	Per cent change over previous 12 months		,		Per cent change over previous 12 months	
995=1	00			Monthly	Headline rate <sup>a</sup>			Monthly rate	Headline rate <sup>a</sup>
333-1	00	LNKX	LNKY	LNKZ	LNND	JJGF	JJGH	JJGI	JJG
1995 1996 1997 1998	) )Annual )averages	100.0 103.7 108.7 114.7				100.0 103.5 108.8 115.2 121.4			
999	)	120.4 126.1				127.2			
1999	Jun	120.1	120.3	5.5	4.5	121.6	121.6	6.5	4
			1007	4.7	4.7	121.7	121.8	5.3	5
	Jul	120.7	120.7 121.3	5.3	5.1	119.0	122.2	5.8	5
	Aug	118.4		4.8	4.9	118.6	122.7	5.2	
	Sep	118.4	121.6	4.0	7.0	110.0			
		4400	122.5	5.4	5.2	119.0	123.5	5.8	
	Oct	119.2	122.5	5.2	5.1	120.1	123.9	5.6	
	Nov	120.3	124.0	6.4	5.7	129.0	125.2	6.8	
	Dec	127.3	124.0	0.4	0.7				
	1.	125.2	125.0	6.7	6.1	126.9	126.1	7.3	(
2000	Jan		124.7	5.6	6.3	130.3	126.1	5.9	(
	Feb	127.6	124.7	5.5	5.9	136.0	126.1	5.7	
	Mar	132.9	124.9	5.5	0.0				
		123.9	124.6	4.7	5.3	124.6	125.4	5.0	
	Apr	123.7	124.7	4.3	4.8	124.2	125.5	3.8	
	May	124.7	125.0	3.9	4.3	125.5	125.8	3.5	gritten.
	Jun	124.7	120.0						
	Jul	125.1	125.5	3.9	4.1	125.7	126.4	3.7	
		123.6	126.6	4.4	4.1	124.5	127.9	4.7	8 100
	Aug Sep	123.3	127.1	4.5	4.3	123.5	128.2	4.5	
	Seb	120.0							
	Oct	124.0	127.7	4.2	4.4	124.0	128.9	4.4	
	Nov	125.4	128.2	4.5	4.4	125.1	129.5	4.5	
	Dec	133.8	130.1	4.9	4.5	135.7	131.5	5.0	
					40	133.3	132.2	4.9	
2001	Jan	131.0	130.6	4.5	4.6	133.3	136.7	8.4	
	Feb	137.4	133.8	7.3	5.6	141.8	131.0	3.9	
	Mar	138.3	130.1	4.2	5.3	141.1	131.0	0.5	
	1		400.0	4.8	5.4	129.9	131.1	4.5	
	Apr	129.6	130.6	4.8	4.4	128.6	130.5	3.9	
	May R Jun P	128.7 130.4	130.1 131.0	4.3 4.8	4.6	130.9	131.5	4.5	

The headline rate is the change in the average seasonally adjusted index values for the last three months compared with the same period a year ago. For further details please see the article in the May 1999 issue of *Labour Market Trends*, p227.

For further information on the new series, private sector services, please see the article in the May 2000 edition of Labour Market Trends, pp 201-3.

### Average Earnings Index: all employee jobs: main industrial sectors

REAT BRITAIN	Production (Div	risions 10-41)			of which: Manufa	cturing (Divisions	15-37)	
	Actual	Seasonally adjus	sted	back 100 mar	Actual	Seasonally adju	isted	
			Per cent change over previous 12 months				Per cent change over previous 12 months	
995=100			Monthly rate	Headline rate <sup>a</sup>			Monthly rate	Headling rate <sup>a</sup>
	LNMO	LNMS	LNMW	LNNF	LNMN	LNMR	LNMV	LNNO
95 ) 96 ) 97 )Annual 98 )averages 98 )	100.0 104.4 108.5 113.4 117.8 122.9				100.0 104.4 108.8 113.7 118.3 123.8			
gg Jun	116.6	117.3	3.4	3.4	117.1	117.8	3.6	3
Jul	118.2	117.9	3.5	3.4	118.7	118.4	3.6	3
Aug	116.5	118.5	3.8	3.6	117.0	119.1	4.1	3
Sep	116.8	118.8	4.0	3.8	117.4	119.4	4.2	4
Oct	118.3	119.4	4.2	4.0	119.0	120.1	4.4	4
Nov	119.5	119.7	4.3	4.1	120.3	120.4	4.6	4
Dec	122.8	120.4	5.2	4.6	123.7	121.2	5.6	4
Jan	121.2	121.5	5.3	4.9	121.8	122.0	5.5	5
Feb	121.6	121.0	4.5	5.0	122.1	121.5	4.7	5
Mar	125.4	121.1	4.1	4.7	126.1	121.9	4.5	4
Apr	122.0	121.4	3.9	4.2	122.8	122.3	4.4	4
May	121.9	122.2	4.7	4.3	122.7	123.2	5.1	4
Jun	121.8	122.3	4.3	4.3	122.4	123.1	4.5	4
Jul	123.0	122.6	4.0	4.3	124.0	123.6	4.4	4
Aug	120.9	123.0	3.8	4.0	121.8	124.0	4.1	4
Sept	121.6	123.9	4.2	4.0	122.6	124.8	4.5	4
Oct	122.8	124.2	4.0	4.0	123.9	125.2	4.2	4
Nov	124.7	125.1	4.4	4.2	125.8	126.1	4.7	4
Dec	128.4	125.8	4.5	4.3	129.6	127.1	4.9	4.
Jan	125.4	125.7	3.5	4.1	126.3	126.6	3.8	4
Feb	127.9	127.2	5.1	4.4	128.3	127.9	5.2	4.
Mar	131.8	127.4	5.2	4.6	132.7	128.4	5.3	4.
Apr	128.1	127.7	5.2	5.2	129.0	128.7	5.3	5.
May R	127.3	127.7	4.5	5.0	128.4	129.0	4.7	5.
Jun P	127.5	128.4	5.0	4.9	128.2	129.3	5.1	5.

SIC 1992	2				
		Actual	Seasonally adjust	sted	
				Per cent change over previous 12 months	
1995 =10	00			Monthly rate	Headline rate <sup>a</sup>
		LNMP	LNMT	LNMX	LNNH
1995 )		100.0			
1996 )	A	103.3			
	Annual	107.9 113.4			
1999	averages	113.4			
2000 )		124.5			
1999	Jun	119.6	119.4	6.0	4.8
	Jul	119.5	119.6	5.0	5.1
	Aug	117.7	120.0	5.3	5.4
3	Sep	117.4	120.5	4.9	5.1
	Oct	117.7	121.1	5.3	5.2
	Dec	118.6 125.2	121.5 122.4	5.2 6.0	5.2
2000	lan	123.7	123.4	6.5	5.9
F	-eb	126.5	123.4	5.5	6.0
1	Mar	130.2	123.5	5.2	5.7
	Apr	122.4	123.0	4.7	5.1
	May	122.3	123.2	3.7	4.5
	Jun	123.5	123.6	3.5	4.0
	Jul	123.5	124.0	3.7	3.6
	Aug Sept	122.8	125.2	4.3	3.8
	897	121.9	125.4	4.1	4.0
	Oct Nov	122.3 123.4	126.2 126.8	4.1	4.2
	Dec	131.6	126.8	4.3	4.2
				4.9	4.5
	Jan Feh	129.5	128.9	4.5	4.6
	Var	135.8	132.2	7.1	5.5
		135.4	128.5	4.1	5.2
	Apr Mav R	128.1	128.7	4.7	5.3
	Jun P	127.2	128.6	4.4	4.4
-	-un F	129.1	129.3	4.6	4.6

Source: Employment, Earnings and Productivity Division, ONS Customer Helpline: 01633 819002

E.2 EARNINGS
Average Earnings Index: all employee jobs: by industry (three-month averages, bunadjusted): excluding bonuses

GREA SIC 19	T BRITAIN 92	Agricul- ture and forestry <sup>c</sup>	Mining and quarrying	Food products; beverages and tobacco	Textiles	Clothing leather and footwear	Wood, wood products and other manu'ing	Pulp, paper products printing and publish-	Chemicals and chemical products	Rubber and plastic products	Other non- metallic mineral products	Basic metals	Fabric'd metal products (excl. machin- ery)	Machinery and equip- ment n.e.c.
March	1996=100	(01,02)	(10-14)	(15,16)	(17)	(18,19)	n.e.c. (20,23,36,37)	ing (21,22)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)
1997) 1998) 1999) <b>2000</b> )	Annual Averages	LOTJ	104.8 108.8 109.8 112.7	103.6 108.1 110.0 114.6	105.1 107.3 111.2 114.5	105.0 109.2 111.8 109.3	107.0 111.6 114.7 <b>121.6</b>	104.4 108.5 112.8 116.1	105.2 111.5 119.0 124.2	105.4 110.5 113.7 117.6	105.1 109.4 113.1 119.1	107.7 113.0 115.8 124.1	104.8 108.3 109.3 111.5	105.1 109.4 111.8 117.0
1998	Jun		108.9	108.4	107.5	109.4	112.1	108.0	110.9	110.5	109.1	113.5	108.8	109.5
	Jul Aug Sep		108.7 108.4 108.7	108.8 108.2 108.2	107.7 108.2 107.8	109.8 109.7 109.8	112.2 111.4 111.3	108.3 108.7 109.3	111.3 111.8 111.7	110.4 110.5 111.2	109.8 110.1 110.2	114.4 114.6 114.8	108.9 108.7 108.8	110.1 110.5 110.4
	Oct Nov Dec		109.3 110.0 110.6	108.0 109.0 109.9	107.9 108.7 108.7	109.4 109.8 109.8	110.9 111.8 111.9	110.1 110.7 111.1	112.1 112.9 114.5	111.5 111.7 111.7	110.0 110.3 110.5	114.1 113.7 113.4	108.2 108.4 108.5	110.1 110.0 110.0
1999	Jan <sup>a</sup> Feb <sup>a</sup>		110.7	110.1	108.6	110.2	111.6	111.4	115.3	111.7	110.4	111.7	108.6	109.9
	Mar	::	109.1	109.1	107.4	110.5	111.3	110.7	115.5	111.4 111.4	110.5 111.4	111.4 112.0	107.7 108.1	109.6
	Apr May Jun		108.8 109.1 109.4	108.9 109.3 109.5	107.9 109.2 110.6	110.4 110.9 111.0	111.8 112.6 113.4	110.7 111.2 111.8	116.6 117.4 118.5	111.4 111.8 112.2	111.4 112.2 112.6	114.0 115.2 117.0	108.7 109.5 110.0	110.7 111.3 111.7
	Jul Aug Sep	••	109.4 109.7 109.8	109.8 110.0 110.3	111.6 112.3 112.3	111.4 111.1 111.5	114.3 115.0 116.0	112.1 112.7 113.4	118.7 119.1 119.8	113.3 114.2	113.6 114.1	117.2 117.4	109.8 110.0	112 112
	Oct Nov Dec		110.3 110.9 111.0	110.6 110.8 111.2	113.0 113.7 114.4	112.1 113.6 114.1	116.8 117.7 118.3	114.2 114.6 115.2	120.2 121.1 122.2	115.6 116.8 117.1	114.4 114.6 115.2	117.2 118.4 119.1	110.0 110.7 110.1	112 113 114
2000	Jan Feb Mar		111.3 111.4 112.1	111.8 112.4 113.1	113.4 112.4 111.8	112.0 110.9 108.6	118.1 118.3 118.6	114.8 114.5 114.1	122.9 123.0 122.9	116.9 115.5 115.0	116.3 117.8 118.5	120.5 120.5 120.6	110.0 110.0 110.6	114.8 114.6 115.1
	Apr May Jun		112.1 112.0 111.9	114.6 115.8 116.1	112.0 112.6 113.5	108.7 107.2 107.6	119.3 119.2 119.6	114.4 115.0 115.2	123.3 123.6 123.7	114.7 115.7 117.0	119.3 120.2 120.6	120.6 121.4 122.8	110.4 110.8 111.0	116.3 116.3 117.5
	Jul Aug Sep		112.3 112.5 112.7	114.8 113.9 113.7	114.7 115.2 115.6	108.0 108.2 109.0	120.3 121.4 122.3	115.6 115.7 116.9	123.8 124.0 124.2	118.3 118.6 118.9	120.1 119.0 118.5	125.8 126.7 127.1	111.9 111.4 111.2	117.3 118.0 117.5
	Oct Nov Dec	::	113.0 114.0 114.1	113.9 114.7 115.5	116.2 117.4 117.1	109.7 111.3 112.0	123.4 124.7 125.9	117.7 118.5 118.3	124.3 124.8 126.0	118.7 119.4 119.3	118.3 118.3 118.9	125.4 126.2 125.9	111.6 112.7 113.2	117.4 117.7 118.1
2001	Jan Feb Mar	::	113.9 113.7 114.5	116.2 116.4 116.7	117.2 116.7 117.6	112.5 113.3 113.4	126.7 126.8 127.1	118.4 118.2 118.3	127.1 127.8 128.7	119.7 119.6 119.9	119.4 120.5 120.7	125.8 124.9 125.9	113.1 113.1 113.7	118 7 119 1 119 7
	Apr May R Jun P	::	115.1 115.5 <b>115.7</b>	118.0 119.3 <b>120.1</b>	117.5 118.1 <b>118.6</b>	113.9 113.8 <b>113.6</b>	128.4 129.9 <b>131.5</b>	119.1 120.0 <b>120.9</b>	128.8 129.0 <b>129.3</b>	120.1 121.2 <b>122.1</b>	121.1 120.9 <b>121.3</b>	126.3 127.2 <b>127.3</b>	115.0 116.5 <b>118.2</b>	120 120 121
Perce	ent change on t	he year LNLM	LNLN	LNLO	LNLP	LNLQ	LNLR	LNLS	LNLT	LNLU	LNLV	LNLW	LNLX	LNL
1999	Jan <sup>a</sup> Feb <sup>a</sup>		2.8 2.1	3.5 3.0	2.0 2.0 2.3	3.3 2.6	0.8 0.5 0.0	5.3 5.3 4.8	6.5 6.1 5.9	3.8 3.4 2.5	2.5 2.0 2.4	0.9 1.0	1.5 1.0 0.5	21
	Mar Apr May Jun		0.7 0.4 0.5	2.2 1.4 1.1	1.9 2.7 2.9	1.6 1.6 1.5	0.0 0.0 1.1	4.0 3.6 3.5	6.3 6.7 6.9	1.6 1.2 1.6	3.0 3.3 3.2	-0.1 0.8 1.5	0.1 0.1 0.6	15 16 18
	Jul Aug Sep	3.3 6.1	0.7 1.2 1.0	1.0 1.7 1.9	3.6 3.8 4.2	1.5 1.3 1.6	1.8 3.2 4.2	3.5 3.7 3.7	6.6 6.6 7.3	1.9 2.6 2.7	2.9 3.2 3.6	2.3 2.3 2.3	1.0 0.9 1.1	1.4 1.4 1.4
	Oct Nov Dec	9.6 9.3 6.8	1.0 0.9 0.3	2.3 1.6 1.2	4.7 4.6 5.2	2.5 3.5 3.9	5.3 5.3 5.7	3.7 3.5 3.7	7.3 7.3 6.7	3.7 4.5 4.8	4.0 3.9 4.3	2.7 4.2 5.0	1.7 2.2 1.5	2.1 3.1 3.9
2000	Jan Feb Mar	4.6 3.5 5.2	0.5 1.4 2.7	1.5 2.5 3.7	4.4 4.6 4.0	1.6 0.8 -1.8	5.8 6.5 6.6	3.0 3.0 3.1	6.7 6.4 6.4	4.6 3.4 3.3	5.4 7.0 7.2	7.9 8.6 8.2	1.3 1.8 2.7	4.1 4.4 5.0
	Apr May Jun	6.0 8.2 9.7	3.1 2.6 2.3	5.3 6.0 6.0	3.8 3.1 2.6	-1.6 -3.3 -3.0	6.7 5.9 5.5	3.4 3.4 3.0	5.8 5.3 4.4	3.0 3.5 4.3	7.0 7.1 7.1	7.7 6.5 6.6	2.1 1.9 1.4	5.3 5.0 5.2
	Jul Aug Sep	7.6 3.5 2.7	2.6 2.6 2.7	4.5 3.5 3.1	2.8 2.6 2.9	-3.1 -2.6 -2.2	5.2 5.6 5.4	3.1 2.6 3.0	4.3 4.1 3.7	5.1 4.6 4.1	6.3 4.8 3.8	7.5 8.1 8.2	1.7 1.4 1.2	5.4 5.4 4.9
	Oct Nov Dec	2.7 5.2 4.8	2.4 2.7 2.8	3.0 3.5 3.9	2.8 3.2 2.4	-2.1 -2.1 -1.8	5.6 5.9 6.4	3.1 3.4 2.7	3.4 3.1 3.1	2.7 2.2 1.9	3.4 3.2 3.2	7.0 6.5 5.8	1.4 1.8 2.8	4.4 3.9 3.6
2001	Jan Feb Mar	6.0 5.3 4.1	2.3 2.1 2.1	3.9 3.6 3.2	3.4 3.8 5.2	0.4 2.2 4.4	7.3 7.2 7.1	3.1 3.2 3.7	3.4 3.9 4.7	2.4 3.6 4.2	2.7 2.4 1.9	4.4 3.6 4.4	2.8 2.8 2.8	3.7 4.0 4.0
	Apr May R Jun P	3.6 4.7 <b>3.9</b>	2.7 3.1 <b>3.4</b>	2.9 3.0 <b>3.4</b>	4.9 4.9 <b>4.5</b>	4.8 6.1 <b>5.5</b>	7.7 9.0 <b>10.0</b>	4.2 4.4 4.9	4.5 4.4 <b>4.5</b>	4.7 4.8 <b>4.3</b>	1.5 0.6 <b>0.6</b>	4.8 4.8 <b>3.7</b>	4.2 5.2 <b>6.5</b>	3.7 3.8 3.4

As a result of a change in the survey questionnaire the series excluding bonuses are subject to a discontinuity between January and February 1999. See article on pp267-8 of the May 1999 issue of Labour Market Trends for further details.

The average of the latest three months.

As a result of a discontinuity in the reporting of data for the agricultural sector, this series is not available before August 1999. Therefore there is no index for this series based on March 1996 as with the other series.

The index for the sector education, health and social work is based on a sample which excludes representatives of the private health and social work sector until June 1998. Monthly movements in the index for this sector therefore exclude private health and social work up to May 1998. Excluding private domestic and personal services.

The data contained in this table are not comparable with those previously published in Table E.3. Excluding bonuses and averaging the data over a three-month period render the data fundamentally different to the previous indices which included bonuses and related to single months only.

Average Earnings Index:<sup>a</sup> all employee jobs: by industry (three-month averages,<sup>b</sup> unadjusted): excluding bonuses

- 191				(thi	ree-mo	nth av	erages	s,b una	djuste	d): exc	cluding	bonus	es
Electr- ical and optical equip- ment	Trans- port equipment	Elec- tricity, gas and water supply	Constr- uction	Whole- sale trade	Retail trade and repairs	Hotels and rest- aurants	Trans- port, storage and communi- catione	Finan- cial inter- media- tion	Real estate renting and business activities	Public adminis- tration services	Education health and social work <sup>d</sup>	Other services <sup>†</sup>	GREAT BRITAIN SIC 1992
(30-33)	(34,35)	(40,41)	(45)	(51)	(50,52)	(55)	(60-64)	(65-67)	(70-74)	(75)	(80-85)	(90-93)	March 1996=100
105.7	101.6	101.0	103.4	104.9	97.9	106.3	103.9	106.7	104.1	101.0	104.6	106.2	1997) Annual
110.1	106.3	103.9	110.4	110.8	101.8	110.8	107.9	113.3	110.3	103.5	107.6	114.8	1998) Averages
116.5	110.7	102.1	115.0	113.8	103.0	117.4	109.5	118.0	115.2	106.0	112.9	121.9	1999)
124.2	116.4	100.3	121.7	118.2	<b>105.9</b>	124.4	113.3	124.4	121.3	109.8	117.6	130.4	2000)
109.4	106.5 107.0	104.1 104.3	109.0	111.0 111.6	102.1 102.9	110.4 110.9	107.5 106.1	113.2 113.8	110.1	102.9	106.7	113.7 114.1	1998 Jun Jul
110.4	107.0	104.3	111.0	111.9	103.0	110.8	105.9	113.9	110.1	103.8	108.9	115.6	Aug
	106.5	104.6	111.9	112.0	103.3	110.8	108.0	114.1	110.4	103.7	109.8	116.7	Sep
111.0	106.2	104.5	112.4	112.1	102.8	110.7	108.3	114.4	110.5	104.1	109.9	117.0	Oct
111.6	106.4	104.5	113.3	112.2	102.5	111.0	109.3	114.9	111.3	104.3	109.5	117.0	Nov
112.5	107.0	104.5	113.5	112.5	102.6	112.7	108.9	115.4	112.0	104.7	109.5	117.3	Dec
112.9	107.3	103.7	113.6	112.5	103.4	113.7	109.3	115.8	113.1	104.8	109.8	117.2	1999 Jan <sup>a</sup>
13.2	107.5	102.5	113.0	112.4	103.1	113.8	109.5	115.7	113.7	104.8	110.2	117.1	Feb <sup>a</sup>
	107.7	101.4	113.0	112.4	102.1	112.9	109.8	115.9	114.2	105.0	109.9	117.3	Mar
14.0	108.9	102.2	113.0	113.1	101.6	113.4	109.8	116.5	114.6	105.0	110.4	117.7	Apr
14.6	109.7	103.8	113.3	113.6	102.1	115.2	108.6	117.6	115.2	105.1	111.2	118.3	May
5.1	110.3	104.9	113.4	113.8	103.2	117.1	107.8	118.2	115.8	105.6	112.7	119.5	Jun
1:6.0	110.5	103.7	113.9	113.8	103.2	118.0	108.1	118.6	116.0	105.9	113.4	121.2	Jul
16.9	111.1	102.2	114.3	114.0	103.7	119.0	108.6	118.6	115.4	106.1	114.4	122.6	Aug
13.0	111.5	101.0	115.5	114.3	104.0	118.7	109.9	118.6	115.0	105.9	114.7	123.8	Sep
18.7	112.1	100.8	116.5	114.4	103.9	118.7	109.8	118.2	114.6	106.4	114.8	124.5	Oct
19.3	112.8	100.9	117.8	114.3	103.3	118.2	110.0	118.5	115.1	107.2	114.5	125.8	Nov
9.4	113.3	101.2	118.0	114.6	102.8	120.8	110.5	119.3	115.6	107.6	114.3	126.9	Dec
9.8	113.7	101.8	118.2	115.3	104.0	121.8	111.7	121.3	117.2	108.0	114.6	128.7	2000 Jan
0.3	113.4	101.3	118.5	116.4	104.7	122.8	112.1	122.0	118.5	109.0	114.8	130.3	Feb
1.3	114.3	100.3	119.6	117.1	105.2	121.2	111.9	122.6	119.5	109.3	114.8	130.1	Mar
2.0	115.0	99.4	120.0	117.6	104.7	122.8	111.0	122.1	119.5	109.3	115.4	129.5	Apr
2.7	115.7	99.5	120.3	118.0	105.6	123.2	111.6	122.9	120.0	108.3	116.1	128.7	May
3.5	115.9	100.2	120.7	118.4	106.3	124.3	112.5	123.4	120.4	108.6	117.3	129.8	Jun
4.2	116.0	100.1	121.7	118.2	106.8	124.0	113.0	124.1	121.2	108.7	117.8	130.5	Jul
4.9	115.9	100.1	121.9	117.9	106.5	125.5	113.5	124.3	121.3	109.0	118.7	131.4	Aug
13.5	115.9	99.8	121.8	118.1	106.8	125.8	113.6	124.6	121.6	109.3	119.1	131.0	Sep
6.8	116.5	99.7	122.0	118.6	106.5	126.0	114.3	125.1	121.9	109.8	119.2	130.7	Oct
126.2	118.2	99.9	123.5	119.1	106.0	125.1	114.7	126.0	122.7	111.1	118.9	129.9	Nov
126.6	119.6	100.8	124.6	119.3	105.3	126.2	115.3	127.0	123.9	111.8	119.0	130.6	Dec
1.7.2	120.4	101.6	125.5	119.3	105.9	125.7	115.7	127.9	125.2	112.4	119.4	131.2	2001 Jan
1.3.2	120.2	101.9	125.8	119.4	106.4	125.9	116.2	128.8	126.3	112.5	119.6	132.2	Feb
1.3.2	120.3	101.3	126.7	119.6	106.7	125.3	117.1	129.7	126.9	112.7	119.7	131.8	Mar
130.4	121.2	101.3	127.2	120.3	107.2	127.0	117.9	130.7	127.2	113.2	121.1	131.2	Apr
130.8	122.2	101.5	128.1	120.7	108.5	128.2	118.9	131.7	127.6	113.5	122.7	131.1	May R
131.4	122.8	<b>102.3</b>	<b>129.1</b>	<b>121.1</b>	<b>109.7</b>	<b>129.4</b>	<b>118.9</b>	<b>132.0</b>	<b>128.3</b>	114.2	<b>124.4</b>	<b>131.8</b>	Jun P
LIKLZ	LNMA	LNMB	LNMC	LNMD	LNME	LNMF	LNMG	LNMH	LNMI	LNMJ	LNMK	Per o	ent change on the year
5.4	2.6	1.1	6.7	4.7	5.0	3.5	2.1	5.9	5.7	2.1	4.8	5.9	1999 Jan <sup>a</sup>
5.3 5.4	2.5 2.6	-0.8	5.8 5.5	4.2	4.2 3.0	3.1 3.1	2.1 2.4	5.2 4.7	5.1 4.9	2.3 2.1	5.0 5.1	5.6 5.1	Feb <sup>a</sup> Mar
5.0	3.0	-1.0	4.9	4.0	1.8	3.8	1.1	4.7	5.0	2.0	5.2	4.3	Apr
5.2	3.5	0.0	4.7	3.4	1.0	4.9	-0.5	4.7	5.0	2.2	5.3	4.0	May
5.2	3.5	0.7	4.1	2.6	1.1	6.0	0.3	4.5	5.2	2.5	5.6	5.2	Jun
5.5	3.3	-0.6	3.5	2.0	0.4	6.4	1.9	4.2	5.1	2.4	5.2	6.2	Jul
5.8	3.8	-2.0	3.0	1.9	0.6	7.4	2.6	4.2	4.8	2.2	5.0	6.1	Aug
6.6	4.7	-3.4	3.1	2.0	0.8	7.2	1.7	4.0	4.1	2.1	4.4	6.1	Sep
7.0	5.6	-3.5	3.6	2.0	1.1	7.2	1.4	3.4	3.7	2.2	4.5	6.4	Oct
6.9	6.0	-3.4	4.0	1.8	0.8	6.5	0.7	3.2	3.3	2.7	4.6	7.5	Nov
5.1	5.9	-3.1	4.0	1.9	0.3	7.2	1.5	3.4	3.2	2.8	4.3	8.2	Dec
6.1	6.0	-1.8	4.1	2.5	0.6	7.1	2.3	4.8	3.6	3.1	4.3	9.8	2000 Jan
6.3	5.6	-1.1	4.9	3.6	1.5	7.9	2.4	5.4	4.2	4.0	4.2	11.3	Feb
6.9	6.1	-1.1	5.8	4.1	3.0	7.4	1.8	5.7	4.6	4.1	4.5	10.9	Mar
7.0	5.6	-2.7	6.2	4.0	3.0	8.2	1.2	4.8	4.3	4.1	4.5	10.1	Apr
7.0	5.5	-4.1	6.2	3.9	3.4	6.9	2.7	4.5	4.1	3.0	4.5	8.8	May
7.2	5.1	-4.5	6.5	4.0	3.1	6.2	4.3	4.4	4.0	2.9	4.1	8.6	Jun
7.1	5.0	-3.5	6.9	3.9	3.4	5.1	4.6	4.7	4.5	2.6	3.9	7.6	Jul
6.9	4.3	-2.0	6.6	3.4	2.7	5.5	4.5	4.8	5.1	2.8	3.8	7.2	Aug
6.3	3.9	-1.2	5.5	3.4	2.7	6.0	3.4	5.1	5.8	3.1	3.9	5.8	Sep
6.0	3.9	-1.1	4.7	3.7	2.5	6.2	4.0	5.8	6.4	3.2	3.8	5.0	Oct
5.8	4.7	-1.0	4.8	4.3	2.6	5.8	4.2	6.3	6.6	3.7	3.9	3.2	Nov
6.1	5.6	-0.4	5.5	4.1	2.4	4.5	4.4	6.5	7.1	4.0	4.2	2.9	Dec
6.1	5.9	-0.1	6.2	3.4	1.8	3.2	3.5	5.4	6.9	4.1	42	1.9	2001 Jan
6.5	5.9	0.5	6.2	2.5	1.6	2.5	3.7	5.6	6.5	3.2	42	1.4	Feb
6.5	5.3	1.0	6.0	2.2	1.5	3.4	4.7	5.8	6.2	3.1	42	1.3	Mar
6.9	5.4	1.9	6.0	2.3	2.5	3.4	6.2	7.1	6.5	3.5	5.0	1.3	Apr
6.6	5.6	1.9	6.5	2.3	2.7	4.0	6.6	7.1	6.4	4.8	5.6	1.8	May R
<b>6.4</b>	<b>5.9</b>	<b>2.2</b>	<b>7.0</b>	<b>2.3</b>	3.1	<b>4.1</b>	<b>5.7</b>	<b>7.0</b>	<b>6.6</b>	<b>5.1</b>	<b>6.1</b>	1.6	Jun P

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GREAT SIC 1992	BRITAIN 2	Whole economy	(Division 01-93)			Public sector			
			Cha	nge on year (%)		Index	С	hange on year (%)	
1995=10	10	Index including bonus	Including bonus	Excluding bonus <sup>a</sup>	Bonus effect <sup>a</sup>	including bonus	Including bonus	Excluding bonus <sup>a</sup>	Bonus effect <sup>a</sup>
1999	Jana	LNMM 115.7	LOUJ 4.5	LOJH 4.4	LOUP 0.1	LNNI 110.3	LOUO 3.7	LOJM 3.7	LOUF 0.0
1000	Feb <sup>a</sup> Mar	118.7 122.5	5.1 5.0	3.8 3.5	1.3 1.5	111.1 110.6	4.3 3.9	3.8 3.4	0. 0.
	Apr May Jun	117.4 117.8 119.0	3.8 4.1 5.3	3.4 3.2 4.1	0.4 0.9 1.2	111.9 113.3 114.4	4.7 4.6 5.2	4.1 3.9 4.6	0.0
	Jul Aug Sep	119.3 117.6 117.6	4.3 4.8 4.4	3.3 3.5 3.5	1.0 1.3 0.9	113.5 114.0 114.0	3.9 3.3 3.6	3.3 2.9 3.2	0
	Oct Nov Dec	118.1 119.1 124.9	5.1 4.9 6.3	3.6 3.4 3.6	1.5 1.5 2.7	113.9 114.4 115.1	3.9 4.2 3.9	3.5 3.8 3.5	0
2000	Jan	123.2	6.5	4.6	1.9	115.1	4.3	3.9	
.000	Feb Mar	125.3 129.3	5.6 5.6	4.9 4.5	0.7 1.1	116.3 115.1	4.7 4.1	4.6 4.1	(
	Apr May Jun	122.5 122.4 123.3	4.3 3.9 3.7	4.2 4.6 4.4	0.1 -0.7 -0.7	116.7 117.0 118.0	4.3 3.3 3.1	4.3 3.5 3.2	-(
	Jul Aug Sep	123.6 122.5 122.2	3.6 4.2 4.0	42 43 42	-0.6 -0.1 -0.2	117.4 118.0 117.7	3.5 3.5 3.3	3.7 3.6 3.4	-( -( -(
	Oct Nov Dec	122.7 124.0 131.1	3.9 4.1 5.0	4.4 4.6 4.6	-0.5 -0.5 0.4	117.6 118.5 120.2	3.3 3.6 4.5	3.4 3.8 3.9	-(
2001	Jan Feb Mar	128.6 133.8 134.7	4.4 6.8 4.2	3.8 4.1 4.8	0.6 2.7 -0.6	119.0 119.5 120.2	3.4 2.7 4.4	3.6 2.9 4.7	= = =
	Apr May R Jun P	128.4 127.6 <b>129.3</b>	4.8 4.3 <b>4.8</b>	5.3 5.1 <b>5.3</b>	-0.5 -0.8 <b>-0.5</b>	123.4 123.5 <b>124.6</b>	5.7 5.6 <b>5.6</b>	6.2 5.8 <b>5.8</b>	

		Private sector			Table 7	of which: Private s	ector services <sup>b</sup>		
		-	Cha	nge on year (%)	6	Index	С	hange on year (%)	
		Index including bonus	Including bonus	Excluding bonus <sup>a</sup>	Bonus effect <sup>a</sup>	including bonus	Including bonus	Excluding bonus <sup>a</sup>	Bonus
999	Jana	LNKX 117.0	LOUN 4.7	LOJL 4.6	LOUQ 0.1	<b>JJGF</b> 118.0	JJGG 4.9	JJGK	JJG
	Feb <sup>a</sup> Mar	120.6 125.4	5.3 5.3	3.7 3.5	1.6 1.8	122.7 127.9	6.0 5.7		
	Apr May Jun	118.8 118.9 120.1	3.6 4.0 5.4	3.2 3.1 3.9	0.4 0.9 1.5	119.3 120.1 121.6	3.3 4.2 6.4		
	Jul Aug Sep	120.7 118.4 118.4	4.4 5.2 4.6	3.3 3.7 3.6	1.1 1.5 1.0	121.7 119.0 118.6	4.9 5.9 4.8	::	
	Oct Nov	119.2 120.3	5.4 5.1	3.6 3.3	1.8	119.0 120.1	5.7 5.3	. :	
00	Dec	127.3 125.2	6.8 7.0	3.6	3.2 2.2	129.0 126.9	7.2 7.6		
	Feb Mar	127.6 132.9	5.8 6.0	4.9 4.6	0.9 1.4	130.3 136.0	6.2 6.4	5.0 4.6	
	Apr May Jun	123.9 123.7 124.7	4.3 4.0 3.8	4.2 4.9 4.7	0.1 -0.9 -0.9	124.6 124.2 125.5	4.4 3.4 3.2	4.1 5.1 4.8	-
	Jul Aug Sep	125.1 123.6 123.3	3.6 4.3 4.2	4.3 4.4 4.4	-0.7 -0.1 -0.2	125.7 124.5 123.5	3.3 4.6 4.1	42 4.9 4.6	
	Oct Nov Dec	124.0 125.4 133.8	4.0 4.2 5.1	4.6 4.8 4.8	-0.6 -0.6 0.3	124.0 125.1 135.7	42 42 53	5.2 5.2 5.0	
001	Jan Feb Mar	131.0 137.4 138.3	4.6 7.7 4.1	3.8 4.4 4.8	0.8 3.3 -0.7	133.3 141.8 141.1	5.0 8.9 3.8	3.4 4.3 5.0	
	Apr May R Jun P	129.6 128.7 1 <b>30.4</b>	4.6 4.0 <b>4.6</b>	5.2 5.0 <b>5.1</b>	-0.6 -1.0 <b>-0.5</b>	129.9 128.6 <b>130.9</b>	42 3.5 <b>4.3</b>	5.1 4.8 5.0	

As a result of a change in the survey questionnaire the series excluding bonuses, and thus the bonus effects series, are subject to a discontinuity between January and February 1999. See pp267-8. Labour Market Trends, May 1999 for further details.

For further information on the new series, private sector services, please see the article on pp201-203, Labour Market Trends, May 2000. The properties of the properties

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GREAT SIC 1992	BRITAIN	Production (Divi	sions 10-41)			of which: Manufa	cturing (Divisions 1	5-37)	
SIO 1			Cha	nge on year (%)		Index -	C	hange on year (%)	
1995=10	0	Index including bonus	Including	Excluding bonus <sup>a</sup>	Bonus effect <sup>a</sup>	including bonus	Including bonus	Excluding bonus <sup>a</sup>	Bonus effect <sup>a</sup>
1999	Jana	LNMO 114.7	LOUL 4.0	LOJJ 3.5	LOUS 0.5	LNMN 115.1	LOUK 4.1	<b>LOJI</b> 3.6	LOUT 0.5
	Feb <sup>a</sup>	116.3	3.4	2.5	0.9	116.7	3.5	2.7	0.8
	Mar	120.4	3.4	2.4	1.0	120.7	3.5	2.6	0.9
	Apr	117.3	3.5	2.5	1.0	117.5	3.6	2.6	1.0
	May	116.4	3.4	2.7	0.7	116.7	3.5	2.8	0.7
	Jun	116.6	3.3	2.9	0.4	117.1	3.4	3.0	0.4
	Jul	118.2	3.4	2.6	0.8	118.7	3.6	2.9	0.7
	Aug	116.5	3.8	3.5	0.3	117.0	4.1	3.8	0.3
	Sep	116.8	4.2	3.9	0.3	117.4	4.4	4.3	0.1
	Oct	118.3	4.3	4.0	0.3	119.0	4.6	4.4	0.2
	Nov	119.5	4.5	4.1	0.4	120.3	4.8	4.5	0.3
	Dec	122.8	5.5	3.8	1.7	123.7	6.0	4.2	1.8
2000	Jan	121.2	5.6	4.3	1.3	121.8	5.8	4.5	1.3
	Feb	121.6	4.6	4.9	-0.3	122.1	4.6	5.1	-0.5
	Mar	125.4	4.2	4.8	-0.6	126.1	4.5	5.1	-0.6
	Apr	122.0	4.0	4.2	-0.2	122.8	4.5	4.6	-0.1
	May	121.9	4.8	4.2	0.6	122.7	5.2	4.7	0.5
	Jun	121.8	4.4	4.3	0.1	122.4	4.5	4.7	-0.2
	Jul	123.0	4.0	4.1	-0.1	124.0	4.4	4.4	0.0
	Aug	120.9	3.8	3.5	0.3	121.8	4.1	3.7	0.4
	Sep	121.6	4.1	3.6	0.5	122.6	4.4	3.8	0.6
	Oct	122.8	3.9	3.5	0.4	123.9	42	3.7	0.5
	Nov	124.7	4.4	3.8	0.6	125.8	4.6	4.0	0.6
	Dec	128.4	4.5	4.0	0.5	129.6	4.8	4.2	0.6
100	Jan	125.4	3.5	4.2	-0.7	126.3	3.7	4.5	-0.8
	Feb	127.9	5.2	4.3	0.9	128.3	5.1	4.5	0.6
	Mar	131.8	5.1	4.4	0.7	132.7	5.2	4.6	0.6
	Apr	128.1	5.0	5.0	0.0	129.0	5.1	5.2	-0.1
	May R	127.3	4.4	5.0	-0.6	128.4	4.6	5.1	-0.5
	Jun P	<b>127.5</b>	<b>4.7</b>	<b>5.1</b>	<b>-0.4</b>	<b>128.2</b>	<b>4.7</b>	<b>5.2</b>	<b>-0.5</b>

Services (Divisions 50-93)

		- Jei vices (Divisio	113 30-33)		
		Index	Cha	ange on year (%)	
		including bonus	Including bonus	Excluding bonus <sup>a</sup>	Bonus effect <sup>a</sup>
1990	Jana	LNMP 115.9	LOUM 4.6	LOJK 4.5	LOUU 0.1
	Feb <sup>a</sup>	119.5	5.5	4.0	1.5
	Mar	123.1	5.2	3.6	1.6
	Apr	117.3	3.6	3.5	0.1
	May	118.2	4.3	3.4	0.9
	Jun	119.6	6.1	4.5	1.6
	Jul	119.5	4.7	3.6	1.1
	Aug	117.7	5.2	3.5	1.7
	Sep	117.4	4.5	3.4	1.1
	Oct	117.7	5.3	3.3	2.0
	Nov	118.6	5.1	3.1	2.0
	Dec	125.2	6.4	3.5	2.9
000	Jan	123.7	6.7	4.7	2.0
	Feb	126.5	5.8	4.8	1.0
	Mar	130.2	5.7	4.3	1.4
	Apr	122.4	4.4	4.0	0.4
	May	122.3	3.4	4.5	-1.1
	Jun	123.5	3.2	4.2	-1.0
	Jul	123.5	3.3	4.1	-0.8
	Aug	122.8	4.3	4.5	-0.2
	Sep	121.9	3.9	4.3	-0.4
	Oct	122.3	3.9	4.7	-0.8
	Nov	123.4	4.0	4.8	-0.8
	Dec	131.6	5.1	4.7	0.4
2001	Jan	129.5	4.6	3.5	1.1
	Feb	135.8	7.4	3.9	3.5
	Mar	135.4	4.0	4.9	-0.9
	Apr	128.1	4.6	5.4	-0.8
	May R	127.2	4.0	5.1	-1.1
	Jun P	129.1	<b>4.6</b>	<b>5.2</b>	<b>-0.6</b>

Source: Employment, Earnings and Productivity Division, ONS Customer Helpline: 01633819002

#### **EARNINGS Quarterly projections of the New Earnings Survey**<sup>a</sup>

These tables present the results of projecting the April 2000 New Earnings Survey (NES) to April 2001.

#### Estimated average earnings in April 2001

It is estimated that the average gross weekly earnings of full-time adult employees in April 2001 were £430.1. The tables show the detailed figures for nine occupation groups (and manual/non-manual), selected industry groups, and Government Office Regions.

For categories not shown in the tables, users can construct their own April 2001 projections by applying the appropriate multiplier from *Box 1* to the NES estimates for April 2000.

The multipliers are produced by scaling the equivalent 3 x 3 table of annual increases in weekly earnings obtained from the 1999 and 2000 New Earnings Survey so that the overall increase (which was 2.3 per cent) equals the 4.75 per cent increase in the Average Earnings Index (AEI) between April 2000 and April 2001. The AEI used is an unpublished series that excludes arrears of pay.

Table A Average gross weekly earnings for full-time employees on adult rates

Occupation	All employ	ees on adult r	ates	
	Major group	Male	Female	All
Managers and administrators	1	685.5	495.0	629.5
Professional occupations	2	616.0	524.0	579.3
Associate professional and				
technical occupations	- 3	532.7	428.9	485.4
Clerical and secretarial occupations	4	309.7	287.1	292.0
Craft and related occupations	5	400.6	262.8	391.8
Personal and protective service				
occupations	6	378.9	255.0	320.5
Sales occupations	7	364.7	259.6	316.3
Plant and machine operatives	8	366.5	258.7	349.8
Otheroccupations	9	316.7	221.3	298.9
All non-manual occupations		547.1	377.4	≥8.3
All manual occupations		365.2	243.0	344.3
Alloccupations	1-9	473.0	358.5	430.1

	Men	Women	All
Manual	1.0620	1.0661	1.0640
Non-manual	1.0248	1.0558	1.0351

Table B Average gross weekly earnings for full-time employees on adult rates; Great Britain; April 2001

Industry		Male			Female			Male and fe	male	
	code	Manual	Non- manual	All	Manual	Non- manual	All	Manual	Non- manual	All
Agriculture, hunting and forestry	Α	287.4	399.9	307.9	240.0	274.2	258.0	282.6	358.5	299.9
Mining and quarrying	C	418.0	*	569.3	*	*		417.4	652.8	546.0
Manufacturing	D	386.6	564.3	454.9	255.9	372.1	322.3	365.4	510.4	426.4
Manufacture of food products	DA	358.4	592.8	428.3	269.5	385.5	318.3	338.2	525.2	399.1
Manufacture of textile and textile products	DB	313.2	492.8	379.4	217.5	315.4	245.3	265.8	422.2	316.4
Manufacture of pulp, paper and paper										
products; publishing and printing	DE	423.4	578.5	502.4	276.4	384.8	361.0	398.7	500.3	458.7
Manufacture of electrical and optical equipment	DL	364.0	560.3	463.6	254.3	375.1	310.8	332.9	514.4	421.9
Manufacture of transport equipment	DM	442.4	604.4	496.2	295.3	406.7	369.0	434.4	571.3	483.9
Electricity, gas and water supply	E	481.4	627.0	565.9		408.8	411.5	481.8	557.4	533.0
Construction	F	392.0	553.2	441.5		338.2	338.1	392.2	504.6	433.0
Wholesale and retail trade	G	327.2	460.0	418.9	227.5	301.7	295.8	314.1	394.9	376.5
Hotels and restaurants	Н	255.2	422.7	314.9	196.9	314.0	248.3	231.0	367.5	284.1
Transport, storage and communication	1	389.7	562.2	454.3	341.5	379.6	373.6	_386.6	495.2	437.2
Financial intermediation	J	409.9	681.8	682.3		401.8	402.8	382.7	541.5	543.7
Real estate, renting and business activities	K	342.8	607.2	545.7	250.1	396.0	385.8	328.5	519.1	486.2
Public administration and defence	1	330.3	480.3	467.2	255.0	362.4	361.3	320.6	427.8	422.4
Education	M	307.5	510.1	470.9	241.9	420.1	409.1	287.7	451.9	433.2
Health and social work	N	301.2	563.0	493.1	217.7	380.6	355.4	252.3	423.3	392.2
Other community, social and personal	,,									
service activities	0	319.9	527.3	455.8	218.1	377.9	346.9	291.7	456.9	410.1
All industries and services	A-Q	365.2	547.1	473.0	243.0	377.4	358.5	344.3	468.3	430.1

<sup>\*</sup> Not available

Table C. Average gross weekly earnings for full-time employees on adult rates; April 200

Region	Male			Female			Male and fem	nale	
	Manual	Non- manual	All	Manual	Non- manual	All	Manual	Non- manual	All
North East	367.6	468.6	416.2	229.6	343.0	325.0	346.8	406.0	383.2
North West	358.8	516.8	447.2	237.5	347.8	332.2	339.0	435.7	404.0
Yorkshire and the Humber	362.0	487.3	427.7	227.1	346.9	327.9	340.5	420.1	391.5
East Midlands	348.0	492.8	424.7	230.4	344.3	319.8	325.7	428.7	389.0
West Midlands	356.6	517.3	443.8	244.0	347.7	330.5	338.2	440.8	404.2
South Western	348.9	500.1	436.3	240.9	344.2	329.0	330.6	428.6	397.1
Eastern	373.1	546.0	475.3	243.8	371.1	354.5	353.6	467.6	432.3
London	410.6	686.4	618.7	278.3	478.2	461.2	385.7	592.2	555.0
South East	377.5	567.4	503.0	263.5	391.3	375.0	356.7	489.3	454.8
England	366.8	554.1	479.1	245.3	381.8	362.7	346.2	475.3	436.1
Wales	356.3	474.3	417.9	228.4	351.0	333.1	336.1	412.3	385.6
Scotland	356.2	508.7	441.4	231.7	354.0	335.7	332.4	428.7	397.8
Great Britain	365.2	547.1	473.0	243.0	377.4	358.5	344.3	468.3	430.1

Source: New Earnings Survey and Average Earnings Inde New Earnings Survey Customer Helpline: 01633 819011/81902

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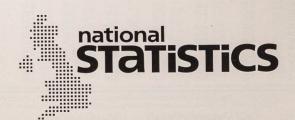
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	Manu-	Other		, Construct-				Financial		Public	Education		Other	GREAT
Manu- facture of elec- trical & optical equipmen	facture of trans- port equipmen	manu- facturing	gas & water supply	ion	& retail trade; repair of motor vehicles	and restaur- ants	storage & comm- unication	intermedi- ation	estate, renting & busi- ness activities	admin & defence; compulsory socia security		& social work	community, social & personal service activities	BRITAIN
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NEW EARNINGS SURVEY<sup>a</sup>
Average earnings and hours of full-time *non-manual* employees by industry group

GREAT BRITAIN	All indust-ries	All index of production industries	All manu- facturing	All services	Agri- culture, hunting, forestry & fishing	Mining & quarry-ing	Manu- facture of food products; beverages & tobacco	products;	paper & products; publishing	products & man-	Manu- facture of rubber & plastic products	Manu- facture of other non-metal- lic mineral products	Manu- facture of basic metals & fabric- ated meta products	Manu- facture of machin- ery & equipment	
SIC 1992	A-Q	C-E	D	G-Q	A&B	С	DA	DB DC	DE DE	made fibre	DH	DI	DJ	DK	
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The New Earnings Survey is conducted in April each year and is based on a 1 per cent sample of employees in employment in Great Britain. For full details, see New Earnings Survey 2000 Part A (available from NS Direct, Rm D.140, Government Buildings, Cardiff Road, Newport, Gwent, NP10 8XG, tel 01633 812 078 or on the National Statistics website at www.statistics.gov.uk).

NEW EARNINGS SURVEY<sup>a</sup> E.13

Manu- facture of elec- trical & optical equip-	Manu- facture of trans- port equipmen	Other manu- facturing		y, Construction				, Financial intermedi- ation	Real	Public admin & defence; compul- sory socia security	Education		Other community, social & personal service activities	GREAT BRITAIN
ment DL	DM	DD,DF,DN	E	F	G	Н		J	K	L	M	N	0	SIC 1992
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88.2 88.1 88.2 88.2 88.3 88.4 88.2 88.2 88.1	38.5 38.3 38.5 38.2 38.0 38.6 38.7 38.7 38.8 38.4 38.4	38.0 37.7 37.8 37.7 38.1 38.2 38.0 38.6 37.9 38.3 38.3	37.9 37.9 37.8 37.7 38.3 38.1 37.9 37.9 37.8 37.4	37.3 37.5 37.5 37.4 37.7 38.0 38.3 37.6 37.4 37.8 37.7	38.3 38.5 38.3 38.4 38.6 38.5 38.7 38.6 38.5 38.5 38.3	39.6 39.2 39.4 39.5 40.1 39.9 39.0 39.1 39.4 39.5	38.0 38.2 38.2 38.3 39.2 39.3 39.7 40.3 39.1 39.4 39.1	36.3 36.2 36.1 36.2 36.3 36.3 36.3 36.4 36.4 36.4	37.0 36.9 37.0 37.2 37.3 37.4 37.5 37.6 37.5 37.5	37.3 37.2 37.4 37.3 37.2 37.1 37.2 36.8 37.0 37.0 37.0	31.3 31.2 31.9 32.6 32.5 32.7 33.7 33.9 33.8 33.9	37.6 37.5 37.5 37.4 37.4 37.6 37.7 37.5 37.5	37.4 37.6 37.3 37.4 37.3 37.9 37.8 37.6 37.7 37.7	Hours worked 1990 1991 1992 1993 1994 1995 1996 1997 1998 1998
9.55 6.18 6.54 6.93 7.22 7.29 7.46 7.95 8.28 9.30	5.16 5.84 6.21 6.53 6.95 6.76 7.59 7.82 8.92 9.40 10.10	5.31 5.81 6.36 6.43 7.37 7.83 6.80 7.69 8.14 8.39	5.62 6.44 7.01 7.63 7.97 8.49 9.07 9.42 9.54 9.68 10.35	4.80 5.20 5.57 5.81 6.08 6.25 6.60 7.24 7.48 8.11 8.51	4.25 4.70 5.12 5.47 5.72 5.88 6.26 6.60 6.90 7.24 7.46	4.37 4.89 5.24 5.54 5.77 5.86 6.03 6.80 6.90 7.08 7.51	5.55 6.08 6.48 6.79 7.12 7.29 7.63 7.74 8.37 8.86 9.19	6.25 6.72 7.10 7.57 7.84 8.35 8.84 9.61 9.94 10.40 10.53	6.15 6.72 7.15 7.46 7.69 7.85 8.25 8.72 9.32 9.82 9.99	5.49 6.08 6.73 7.10 7.41 7.57 7.96 8.81 8.66 8.96 9.24	8.46 9.43 10.36 10.41 10.35 10.82 11.03 10.74 10.96 11.41 11.72	5.96 6.62 7.18 7.40 7.67 7.82 8.18 8.51 8.51 9.65	5.99 6.24 6.83 7.19 7.52 7.88 8.09 8.43 8.94 9.55 9.56	Hourly earnings (£s) 1990 1991 1992 1993 1994 1996 1996 1997 1998 2000
333.2 355.7 373.7 394.0 401.0 403.9 419.4 433.2 467.8 487.1 496.9	332.2 351.3 369.6 395.0 405.3 426.3 480.0 491.4 525.0 539.0 551.9	331.3 356.5 375.4 387.7 386.2 409.8 421.2 384.0 405.3 416.5 452.0	311.3 347.1 377.4 396.8 415.9 450.2 471.1 491.0 518.2 538.5	309.8 329.7 348.8 356.8 366.8 382.2 402.8 412.4 425.8 461.7 487.5	236.6 250.0 269.7 286.2 298.4 307.7 322.1 342.5 359.4 374.2 381.5	225.2 229.3 252.8 260.5 266.2 283.9 298.9 319.4 333.7 340.3 355.1	300.1 324.4 352.1 370.2 389.7 395.1 404.4 423.3 437.6 465.1 478.4	329.2 347.0 371.0 391.5 409.9 431.8 455.2 496.8 512.6 531.7 523.1	323.7 345.0 367.2 381.0 392.1 412.2 425.4 448.4 477.1 489.1 501.5	267.7 293.5 317.0 335.3 341.3 347.2 363.5 391.0 390.0 405.1 413.3	298.5 332.2 365.6 375.4 383.5 387.9 399.9 407.9 424.6 436.6	250.2 275.8 300.7 311.2 320.7 326.7 343.6 359.0 372.6 392.0 408.9	281.7 306.9 315.3 327.8 336.5 350.9 361.5 385.9 410.8 432.6 441.4	ALL Weekly earnings (2s) 1991 1992 1993 1994 1996 1996 1997 1997 1998 2000
9.1 39.0 38.9 39.1 39.4 39.3 39.3 39.3 39.2 39.0 38.9	41.0 39.7 39.8 39.5 39.5 40.4 40.6 40.1 40.6 40.0 39.7	39.6 39.3 39.1 39.0 39.3 39.8 39.6 39.8 39.6 39.6 39.6	38.5 38.4 38.3 38.2 38.3 38.7 38.8 38.5 38.5 38.3 38.2	39.5 39.4 39.6 39.4 39.7 40.2 40.2 40.4 40.6 40.6 40.6	39.1 39.6 39.3 39.5 39.7 39.8 39.9 39.8 39.7 39.5	40.7 40.5 40.7 40.2 40.3 41.4 40.6 39.7 40.2 40.2	39.3 39.6 39.5 39.6 40.4 40.7 41.0 41.6 40.5 40.5	36.4 36.2 36.1 36.2 36.3 36.4 36.5 36.5 36.4 36.4 36.4	37.9 37.7 37.7 37.8 37.9 38.3 38.3 38.3 38.4 38.3 38.3	38.2 38.0 38.1 37.8 37.7 37.8 37.9 37.7 37.7 37.7 37.7	31.8 31.5 31.5 32.2 32.9 32.9 33.1 34.2 34.3 34.3 34.4	37.8 37.7 37.7 37.7 37.7 37.9 38.0 37.9 38.0 37.8 38.0	38.2 38.4 38.3 38.2 38.4 39.0 38.9 38.7 38.9 38.8	Hours worked 1990 1991 1992 1993 1994 1996 1996 1997 1998 1999
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Source: New Earnings Survey and Average Earnings Index Customer Helpline: 01633819024

NEW EARNINGS SURVEY<sup>a</sup>
Average earnings and hours of *all* full-time employees by industry group

GREAT BRITAIN	All indust-ries	All index of production industries	All manu- facturing	All services	Agri- culture, hunting, forestry & fishing	Mining & quarry-ing	Manu- facture of food products; beverages & tobacco	products; leather	paper & products; publishing & printing	made fibre	products	Manu- facture of other non-metal- lic mineral products		Manu- facture of machin- ery & equipment
1992 MALE	A-Q 295.8 318.9 340.3 353.9 363.0 376.3 391.3 408.7 427.1 442.4 453.3	294.9 316.7 337.0 348.3 357.1 370.7 386.4 398.8 422.7 430.8 442.7	290.5 310.4 329.0 341.8 350.8 364.7 380.0 392.7 416.8 424.6 436.0	301.3 325.7 347.6 363.2 372.3 384.8 399.3 419.4 436.0 452.2 463.2	195.2 214.2 223.7 233.9 240.5 258.4 266.5 281.7 289.2 300.2 297.0	365.0 410.5 443.1 439.1 459.4 461.8 496.4 495.1 530.5 511.5 545.6	283.4 308.3 328.8 341.6 346.3 358.6 378.7 402.7 415.8 410.5	239.3 252.8 271.1 282.9 288.2 296.0 308.4 320.9 322.8 329.8 361.4	324.2 344.2 363.5 380.5 396.0 407.0 431.7 436.7 466.5 467.9 481.5	327.0 354.1 385.7 405.1 419.9 440.1 445.6 482.8 508.8 532.7 532.2	268.6 283.3 296.1 308.6 320.5 332.8 342.4 355.2 368.3 386.5 393.9	261.8 284.8 292.9 300.0 308.0 326.8 337.8 355.1 400.5 388.2	272.7 287.2 300.9 310.1 323.0 346.3 358.8 369.8 397.8 395.4 411.5	281.3 294.2 315.5 328.7 342.3 364.4 374.3 397.9 416.2 417.7 437.9
Hours wo 1990 1991 1992 1993 1994 1995 1996 1997 1998 1999 2000	42.2 41.5 41.4 41.3 41.5 41.9 41.7 41.8 41.7 41.4 41.2	43.2 42.0 42.3 42.0 42.4 43.0 42.6 42.8 42.6 42.0 42.0	43.3 42.0 42.3 42.1 42.4 43.0 42.7 42.8 42.6 42.0 42.0	41.0 40.7 40.6 40.6 40.8 40.9 41.0 40.9 40.9 40.6 40.4	46.7 47.0 46.0 45.7 45.9 47.0 46.6 46.8 46.0 46.3 45.1	44.6 45.5 46.2 45.1 44.8 46.6 46.1 46.9 46.3 44.8	44.5 44.1 43.9 43.7 43.9 44.2 43.3 43.8 43.8 43.5 43.1	42.9 42.2 42.8 43.0 43.9 42.9 43.0 43.2 42.3 41.6 41.9	41.5 40.8 40.9 40.9 41.1 41.4 41.6 41.6 41.3 40.9	41.2 40.8 40.7 40.8 40.9 40.6 40.4 40.0 39.8 39.5	43.7 42.5 42.7 43.1 43.5 44.1 43.3 44.0 43.9 42.9 42.5	44.7 43.8 43.4 43.2 43.7 44.1 43.4 43.5 43.3 43.2 42.9	44.6 42.8 43.5 43.2 43.5 44.1 44.1 44.0 43.1 43.5	43.6 41.7 42.2 42.0 42.4 43.5 42.8 43.1 42.5 41.8 42.0
Hourly ea 1990 1991 1992 1993 1994 1995 1996 1997 1998 1999 2000	rnings (Es) 6.88 7.55 8.07 8.44 8.63 8.95 9.34 9.74 10.20 10.68 11.00	6.71 7.41 7.85 8.16 8.33 8.61 9.01 9.31 9.89 10.25 10.54	6.59 7.27 7.66 8.00 8.16 8.45 8.86 9.16 9.75 10.10 10.37	7.20 7.86 8.41 8.82 9.02 9.36 9.72 10.19 10.61 11.11 11.45	4.04 4.74 4.99 5.19 5.48 5.67 5.95 6.23 6.48 6.53	7.96 9.46 9.51 9.88 9.88 10.56 11.43 11.06 12.17	7.41 7.72 7.81 8.09 8.89 8.63 9.20 9.56 9.52	5.41 6.15 6.39 6.37 6.85 7.15 7.32 7.55 7.90 8.58	7.51 8.54 8.99 9.50 9.75 10.31 10.49 11.21 11.33 11.77	7.86  9.39 9.87 10.10 10.78 10.88 11.91 12.61 13.40 13.48	6.00 6.81 7.04 7.30 7.52 7.81 8.07 8.35 8.99 9.27	6.62 6.75 6.87 7.41 7.75 8.16 8.65 9.28	9.01	7.35 7.75 7.99 8.37 8.72 9.19 9.79 9.97
FEMALE Weekly ea 1990 1991 1992 1993 1994 1995 1996 1997 1998 1999 2000	arnings (£s) 201.7 222.4 241.0 253.0 261.7 270.7 283.0 297.2 309.6 326.5 337.6	180.5 197.8 211.8 224.3 231.0 241.7 251.8 264.0 279.3 296.5 307.9	177.7 193.9 207.1 219.3 226.1 236.8 246.7 258.8 274.5 292.1 303.5	208.1 229.4 248.4 260.3 269.1 277.2 289.8 305.4 316.6 332.2 342.7	150.1 164.3 189.7 189.0 204.1 216.8 212.5 219.2 217.2 232.5 245.7	249.6 273.8 289.9 292.7 330.8	178.5 193.4 207.7 225.3 226.0 238.5 248.5 260.3 275.2 285.2 299.7	139.1 149.6 160.3 167.2 169.9 182.5 190.1 197.9 208.6 218.9 230.4	213.6 229.3 242.1 263.0 278.5 290.2 299.5 318.6 332.8 348.2 339.9	206.8 228.6 250.2 268.0 276.4 279.8 294.7 308.0 308.0 366.2 396.2	1602 178.1 192.3 199.7 209.8 214.8 223.5 231.7 246.9 254.8 258.9	169.0 184.6 192.6 195.1 202.1 218.0 221.0 231.9 235.5 257.0 269.1	167.0 173.5 188.5 197.6 201.3 217.9 225.3 240.2 250.4 252.4 274.3	176.1 189.4 202.7 211.2 217.7 240.2 246.7 258.1 278.5 291.8 308.2
Hours wo 1990 1991 1992 1993 1994 1995 1996 1997 1998 1999 2000	37.5 37.4 37.3 37.4 37.6 37.6 37.6 37.6 37.6 37.6 37.6	39.1 38.7 38.9 38.9 39.1 39.3 39.3 39.2 39.1 39.0 38.9	39.1 38.8 38.9 39.0 39.2 39.4 39.3 39.2 39.2 39.0 38.9	37.1 37.0 37.0 37.0 37.2 37.3 37.3 37.3 37.3 37.3	40.1 40.9 39.1 39.5 39.8 40.4 39.8 39.5 40.7 40.7	37.4 37.3 37.5 37.3 37.0 38.1 37.1 38.1	39.9 39.9 39.8 40.1 40.2 40.4 40.2 40.1 39.8	39.2 38.9 39.0 39.3 39.3 39.2 39.2 39.2 39.0 39.0	37.7 37.6 37.7 37.9 37.7 38.1 37.8 37.9 37.9 38.0 37.7	38.8 38.4 38.4 38.5 38.8 39.2 38.7 38.3 38.5 38.1	39.9 39.4 39.7 39.6 40.0 39.9 40.6 40.1 40.4 40.0	39.0 39.3 39.2 39.3 39.1 39.4 39.5 38.8 39.1 39.1 39.5	39.1 38.6 38.7 39.0 39.2 39.4 39.0 38.9 38.9 38.6 39.1	38.9 38.2 38.5 38.5 39.0 39.5 39.4 39.3 39.3 38.7 38.8
Hourly ea 1990 1991 1992 1993 1994 1995 1996 1997 1998 1999 2000	arnings (£s) 5.31 5.91 6.40 6.71 6.90 7.18 7.51 7.88 8.23 8.71 9.02	4.58 5.08 5.42 5.75 5.88 6.15 6.42 6.74 7.14 7.62 7.93	4.49 5.28 5.60 5.74 6.01 6.27 6.60 7.01 7.49 7.80	5.55 6.16 6.67 6.97 7.16 7.42 7.76 8.17 8.49 8.93 9.23	3.73 4.77 4.81 5.21 5.27 5.40 5.50 5.33 5.67 6.06	6.66 7.74	6.49 6.88	3.54 4.09 4.27 4.31 4.64 4.85 5.04 5.34 5.62 5.91	5.55 6.32 6.91 7.30 7.64 7.92 8.43 8.78 9.16 9.02	5.28  6.51 6.95 7.17 7.17 7.48 7.95 8.45 9.51 10.39	4.79 4.98 5.18 5.4 5.5 5.8 6.18 6.4	4.72 3 5.00 5 5.13 5 5.57 1 5.57 1 5.96 6 6.00 3 6.56	4.8 5.0 5.0 5.1 5.5 7 5.7 6.1 6.4 6.5 6.5	5.19 5.42 1 5.54 3 6.07 9 6.26 5 6.58 4 7.08 7.55
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Hours we 1990 1991 1992 1993 1994 1995 1996 1997 1998 1999 2000		422 41.3 41.5 41.3 41.6 42.1 41.9 41.9 41.8 41.3	42.3 41.3 41.5 41.6 42.2 41.9 42.0 41.8 41.4	39.3 39.0 39.0 39.2 39.3 39.3 39.4 39.3 39.2 39.0	45.9 46.2 44.9 44.7 45.0 46.1 45.6 45.7 45.2 45.4 44.3	43.8 44.5 45.1 44.0 43.6 45.4 44.9 45.7 45.2	42.7 42.5 42.7 43.1 42.5 42.8 42.6 42.5	40.9 40.5 40.8 41.0 41.5 41.1 41.1 41.3 40.8 40.4	40.4 39.8 39.9 39.9 40.0 40.4 40.3 40.5 40.5 40.3 39.9	40.6 40.2 40.2 40.1 40.2 40.3 40.2 38.9 39.5 39.4 39.1	42.9 41.8 42.0 42.3 42.6 43.2 42.8 43.1 43.2 42.3 42.0	42.7 42.5 42.7 43.2 42.6 42.6 42.5 42.4	42.8 42.6 43.0 43.8 43.5 43.4 42.6	41.1 41.6 41.5 41.9 42.9 42.3 42.6 42.0 41.4
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NEW EARNINGS SURVEY<sup>a</sup> Average earnings and hours of *all* full-time employees by industry group

Manu- facture	Manu- facture of	Other manu-facturing		y, Construction			A	Financial intermediation	Real	Public admin & defence;	Education		Other community, social	GREAT BRITAIN
of elec- trical & optical equipmen	transport equipmen		supply		repair of motor vehicles	ants	unication	auon	& busi- ness activities	compul- sory social security	ıl	WOIK	& personal service activities	SIC
DL	DM	DD,DF,DN	E	F	G	H	1	J	K	<u>L</u>	M	N	0	1992 MALE
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### UNIT WAGE COSTS<sup>a</sup> Index for manufacturing and whole economy

UNITED KINGDOM			Manufacturing		Whole economy		
SIC 1992				Per cent change from		Per cent change from	
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	1992 1993 1994 1995 1996 1997 1998 1999 <b>2000</b>		LNNQ 95.0 94.9 95.4 100.0 105.3 108.9 113.1 113.4 112.5	0.2 -0.2 -0.5 4.8 5.3 3.4 3.9 0.3 -0.8	LNNK 99.0 99.0 98.6 100.0 101.8 104.7 107.9 111.6 113.7	LOJE 2.8 0.0 -0.5 1.5 1.8 2.9 3.1 3.4 1.9	
	1997	Q4	110.9	3.9	106.0	3.1	
	1998	Q1	111.9	5.0	106.8	3.3	
	1550	Q2 Q3 Q4	112.7 113.6 114.1	3.6 4.0 2.9	107.1 108.3 109.6	2.7 3.0 3.4	
	1999	Q1 Q2 Q3 Q4	114.3 113.8 112.5 113.0	2.2 1.0 -0.9 -1.0	110.8 111.4 111.5 112.7	3.8 4.0 3.0 2.8	
	2000	Q1 Q2 Q3 Q4	113.5 113.0 111.8 111.6	-0.7 -0.7 -0.6 -1.2	114.1 113.0 113.3 114.6	3.0 1.4 1.6 1.7	
	2001	Q1 <b>Q2 P</b>	112.7 115.1	-0.7 <b>1.9</b>	116.5	2.1	
	1999	Jan	114.2	2.4			
	1000	Feb Mar Apr	114.8 113.9 114.0	2.7 1.4 1.1			
		May Jun	113.4 114.0 112.7	0.6 1.2 -0.4			
		Jul Aug Sep	112.6 112.3	-0.9 -1.6			
		Oct	113.2 112.5	-1.0 -1.6			
		Dec	113.3	-0.5			
	2000	Jan Feb	114.3 113.5	0.1 -1.1	::		
		Mar Apr	112.6 113.2	-1.2 -0.7			
		May Jun	113.1 112.5	-0.2 -1.3			
		Jul Aug	112.4 111.3	-0.3 -1.1 -0.5	<u> </u>	::	
		Sep	111.8 111.6	-1.4 -0.8			
		Nov Dec	111.6 111.7	-1.4			
	2001	Jan Feb	111.9 112.8	-2.1 -0.6			
		Mar	113.5	0.8 1.5			
		Apr F May	P 115.6	2.2 2.0			
	4000	Jun I	P 114.8	2.4			
Three months ending	1999	Jan Feb	114.3	2.5 2.2			
		Mar Apr	114.3 114.2	1.7			
		May Jun	113.8 113.8	1.0 1.0			
		Jul Aug	113.4 113.1	0.5 0.0			
		Sep	112.5 112.7	-0.9 -1.1			
		Nov Dec	112.6 113.0	-1.4 -1.0			
	2000	Jan	113.3	-0.7			
	2000	Feb Mar	113.7 113.5	-0.5 -0.7			
		Apr	113.1	-1.0			
		May Jun	113.0 113.0	-0.7 -0.7		::	
		Jul Aug	112.7 112.1	-0.6 -0.9	::		
		Sep	111.8 111.6	-0.6 -1.0			
		Nov	111.7 111.6	-0.9 -1.2			
		Dec					
	2001	Jan Feb	111.7_ 112.1	-1.4 -1.4			
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		May	P 114.7	1.5			

Wages and salaries per unit of output. Provisional

Manufacturing estimates are based on the seasonally adjusted monthly index of average earnings, manufacturing productivity jobs and the manufacturing index of production. Whole economy estimates are based on gross value added at basic prices, total wages and salaries, and productivity jobs.

The full productivity and unit wage costs data sets with associated articles can be found on the National Statistics website at www.statistics.gov.uk/themes/economy/Articles.asp under 'Productivity'.

Selected countries: index of wages per head: manufacturing (manual workers)

1995=100	Great Britain (a,b)	Belgium (i)	Canada (c)	Denmark (c)	France (d,h)	Germany (FR) (j)	Greece (c)	Irish Republic (c)	Italy (i,k)	Japan (b,e)	Nether- lands (i)	Spain (b,c,l)	Sweden (c,g)	Unite State (c)
Annual averages 1995 1996 1997 1998 1900	100.0 104.3 108.8 113.7 118.3 123.7	100.0 102.0 104.0 106.0 108.0 111.0	100.0 103.2 104.1 106.3 106.4 109.9	100.0 103.8 107.7 112.5 117.2	100.0 102.6 105.4 107.6 110.3 <b>116.0</b>	100.0 103.5 105.1 107.0 109.8 112.8	100.0 108.6 117.1 121.3	100.0 103.7 107.4 112.8 119.0	100.0 103.1 106.8 109.8 112.3 114.6	100.0 102.5 105.4 104.3 103.2 105.1	100.0 101.9 104.8 108.2 111.5	100.0 105.3 109.6 112.6 115.5 118.3	100.0 106.6 111.4 115.3 117.4 <b>121.3</b>	100 103 106 109 112 120
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Source: OECD - Main Economic Indicators. Employment, Earnings and Productivity Division, ONS Customer Helpline: 01633 819002

Wages and salaries on a weekly basis (all employees). Seasonally adjusted. Hourly earnings. Hourly rates: wage earners.

e Monthly earnings.
f All industries.
g Including mining.
h All activities excluding agriculture and nonmarket services.

Hourly rates.
 Average gross hourly earnings paid to manual workers.
 Industry.
 Industry and services.

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Number of starts <sup>b</sup> in quarter/month	Number of leavers <sup>c</sup> in quarter/ <i>mor</i>
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Quarter/month	Male	Female	Alld	Male	Female	Alld	Male	Female	Alld
UNITED KINGDOMe									
Jan-Mar 1999	114.6	39.9	154.7	38.3	15.7	54.1	29.0	11.0	40.1
Apr-Jun 1999	115.1	40.3	155.6	34.9	13.5	48.4	34.4	13.0	47.4
Jul-Sep 1999	108.3	38.9	147.3	36.7	15.0	51.8	43.6	16.4	60.0
Oct-Dec 1999	103.5	36.6	140.1	29.3	12.2	13.1	38.4	16.1	53.9
GREAT BRITAIN									
Jan-Mar 1999	110.3	38.2	148.6	36.8	15.1	52.0	28.0	10.6	38.7
Apr-Jun 1999	110.7	38.6	149.5	33.6	13.0	46.6	33.2	12.6	45.8
Jul-Sep 1999	103.8	37.2	141.1	35.6	14.6	50.3	42.6	16.0	58.6
Oct-Dec 1999	99.2	34.9	134.2	29.0	12.1	12.7	37.9	15.9	53.3
Jan-Mar 2000	96.5	34.7	131.3	37.3	16.1	53.5	37.9	15.1	53.0
Apr-Jun 2000	89.5	32.3	121.9	32.0	12.4	44.5	39.0	14.9	53.9
Jul-Sep 2000	76.9	28.3	105.5	29.9	12.7	42.8	38.5	15.8	54.3
Oct-Dec 2000	72.9	26.1	99.2	25.0	10.2	35.1	31.7	12.8	44.5
Jan-Mar 2001	71.5	26.2	98.0	33.0	13.7	46.8	37.9	14.6	52.6
Apr2001	69.0	25.5	94.7	9.4	3.6	13.1	14.7	5.1	19.8
May 2001	70.0	25.7	95.9	8.2	3.3	11.6	14.6	5.0	19.6

Source: Research and Development Division, Employment Service; and Department of Enterprise, Trade and Investment for Northern Ire. Enquiries: 0114259

Figures refer to the last Friday of each quarter/month.
Those identified by ES as having joined New Deal, including those who have received an initial invitation, but not yet attended their first interview.
Those who have left during Gateway either to go into an unsubsidised job or for some other reason, plus those who have left an option without returning to ES.
Totals include those whose sex is not recorded. For this reason, and also because of rounding, components will not necessarily sum to totals.
Data for Northern Ireland, and hence UK, for January 2000 to May 2001 are not available.

For further information, please see article on pp197-206, Labour Market Trends, April 1999.

### GOVERNMENT EMPLOYMENT AND TRAINING MEASURES Numbers participating in New Deal 18-24: end-May 2001<sup>f</sup>

	Total	Gatewaya	Options					Follow-Throug
			Total	Employer	Education and training	Voluntary sector	Environment Task Force	
GREAT BRITAIN								
Allc	95.9	50.8	27.52	4.42	11.60	6.21	5.28	17.56
Viale	70.0	36.5	19.79	3.20	8.14	3.60	4.86	13.66
emale	25.7	14.0	7.71	1.23	3.46	2.61	0.42	3.90
People with disabilities <sup>d</sup>	12.1	5.5	4.04	0.56	1.74	1.01	0.73	2.64
eople from ethnic minority g	roupse 14.5	8.5	3.74	0.37	2.04	1.01	0.32	2.28
White	76.0	38.9	22.58	3.91	8.98	4.91	4.78	14.53
Prefer not to say	4.8	2.8	1.18	0.15	0.57	0.29	0.18	0.76

Including those awaiting their first Gateway interview.
Individuals join the Follow-Through stage only after completing their New Deal option.
Totals include those for whom sex is not recorded. For this reason, and also because of rounding, components will not necessarily sum to totals.
Those recorded by ES as having a physical or mental impairment that has a substantial and long-term effect on their ability to carry out normal day-to-day activities.
Excluding those who, when asked their ethnic origin, were recorded as 'prefer not to say'.
Data for Northern Ireland, and hence UK, for May 2001 are not available.

For further information, please see article on pp197-206, Labour Market Trends, April 1999.

#### GOVERNMENT EMPLOYMENT AND TRAINING MEASURES New Deal 18-24: numbers leaving Gateway by immediate destination<sup>a</sup>

	Total	Unsubsidised employmentb	Options					Other		
Year/month of leaving			Total	Employer	Education and training	Voluntary sector	Environment Task Force	Transfer to other benefits	Other	Not known <sup>c</sup>
GREAT BRITAIN										
All										
1998	129.7	33.97	57.23	13.31	28.67	7.90	7.34	9.73	9.88	18.89
1999	210.4	53.19	86.69	14.05	36.02	18.63	18.09	16.52	17.76	36.37
2000	206.5	58.35	67.70	11.13	25.12	16.33	15.12	16.98	20.85	42.66
Jan 2001	15.0	4.02	3.89	0.50	1.39	1.00	1.01	1.56	1.82	3.75
Feb 2001	17.2	5.03	4.82	0.79	1.44	1.31	1.29	1.58	2.00	3.74
Mai 2001	21.4	6.78	5.41	1.06	1.70	1.40	1.24	1.87	2.44	4.91
May 2001	15.6	5.11	3.04	0.67	0.78	0.84	0.75	1.34	2.12	4.02
May 2001	16.8	5.44	3.68	0.66	1.09	1.02	0.91	1.44	2.05	4.20
Male										
1989	92.9	24.83	42.11	9.91	20.61	4.72	6.87	5.31	6.73	13.88
1989	151.9	39.30	64.05	10.28	25.85	11.00	16.92	8.73	12.57	27.22
2000	148.5	42.73	49.87	8.16	18.03	9.58	14.09	8.96	14.77	32.14
Jan 2001	11.0	3.00	2.91	0.36	1.03	0.59	0.94	0.87	1.32	2.87
Feb 2001	12.5	3.72	3.62	0.57	1.05	0.78	1.22	0.90	1.42	2.83
Mai 2001	15.5	4.93	4.00	0.75	1.24	0.85	1.16	1.06	1.77	3.78
Apr 2001	11.4	3.76	2.26	0.49	0.58	0.49	0.69	0.77	1.55	3.05
May 2001	12.3	4.04	2.72	0.49	0.83	0.56	0.84	0.81	1.49	3.24
Fernile										
199	36.8	9.14	15.11	3.40	8.05	3.18	0.48	4.42	3.14	5.00
199	58.5	13.89	22.64	3.67	10.17	7.63	1.18	7.79	5.19	9.04
200	57.9	15.59	17.81	2.97	7.08	6.74	1.03	8.01	6.07	10.44
Jan 2001	4.0	1.02	0.97	0.14	0.35	0.41	0.07	0.68	0.50	0.88
Fe 2001	4.7	1.30	1.20	0.21	0.39	0.53	0.07	0.68	0.57	0.91
Ma 2001	5.9	1.86	1.41	0.31	0.46	0.55	0.08	0.80	0.67	1.12
Ap 2001	4.2	1.35	0.78	0.18	0.19	0.35	0.06	0.57	0.57	0.97
Ma 2001	4.5	1.40	0.96	0.17	0.27	0.46	0.07	0.63	0.56	0.95

Source: Research and Development Division, Employment Service; and Department of Enterprise, Trade and Investment for Northern Ireland Enquiries: 0114259 6365

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Those who are recorded by ES as having been placed into unsubsidised employment, plus those who are recorded as having terminated their Jobseeker's Allowance (JSA) claim in order to go into a job. This will under count the total number going into a job: some who go into a job will not, for whatever reason, record this as the reason for termination of their JSA claim. These will be counted as otknown. Evidence suggests that a significant proportion of those recorded as destination or known who are later contacted in follow-up surveys, find work.

Where there is no leaving code recorded on JUVOS, or where the leaving code is recorded as 'not known', or simply 'ceased claiming' or 'failed to attend'.

For burther information, please see article on pp197-206, Labour Market Trends, April 1999.

#### **GOVERNMENT EMPLOYMENT AND TRAINING MEASURES** Immediate destinations on leaving New Deal 18-24, by stage of New Deal process reached

month of leaving New Deal	Total	Unsubsidised employment	Other benefits	Other k	nown destination	Not known
All New Deal leavers    1998   80.01   36.40   10.51   11.34     1998   193.43   74.42   21.80   39.33     2007   215.55   81.23   23.01   46.06     Jan 2001   18.23   5.83   2.15   4.14     Feb 2001   19.37   7.12   2.15   4.11     Mar 2001   24.61   9.64   2.56   4.88     Apr 2001   19.77   7.20   1.99   4.19     May 2001   19.64   7.34   1.95   4.17     Those leaving before having a first interview     1998   13.14   4.98   1.20   2.48     1999   20.51   7.08   1.77   3.56     2000   22.15   7.09   1.87   3.66     Jan 2001   1.94   0.59   0.20   0.29     Feb 2001   1.73   0.57   0.15   0.29     Mar 2001   2.27   0.80   0.17   0.33     May 2001   1.85   0.63   0.17   0.33     May 2001   1.97   0.64   0.16   0.25      Those leaving during the Gateway, having had at least one interview     1998   99.47   44.67   14.57   14.58     2000   99.17   43.51   14.38   15.46     Jan 2001   9.20   3.43   1.36   1.53     Jan 2001   9.20   3.43   1.36   1.53     Jan 2001   9.20   3.43   1.36   1.50     Jan 2001   9.20   3.43   1.36   1.50     Jan 2001   9.20   3.44   4.46   1.44   1.70     Jan 2001   9.20   3.44   4.46   1.44   1.70     Jan 2001   9.20   3.44   4.46   1.44   1.70     Jan 2001   1.00   1.00   1.00   1.44   1.70     Jan 2001   1.00   1.00   1.44   1.70     Jan 2001   1.00   1.00   1.00   1.44   1.70     Jan 2001   1.00   1.00   1.00   1.00   1.						
8	80.01	36.40	10.51		11.34	21.77
		74.42	21.80		39 33	57.88
		81.23	23.01			65.25
	213.33	61.23	20.01		40.00	05.25
			2.15		4.14	6.12
	19.37	7.12	2.15		4.11	6.00
2001			2.56			7.53
2001			1 00			6.39
						6.18
		7.04	1.33		4.17	0.10
sa leaving before having a first intervi	ew					
			1.20			4.48
19	20.51	7.08	1.77			8.11
0					3.66	9.54
			0.20		0.29	0.86
	1.73	0.57	0.15			0.73
r2001	227				0.33	0.96
r2001	1.85					0.84
	1.00				0.25	0.04
			0.16		0.25	0.92
ose leaving during the Gateway, having	had at least one interv	view				
10	59.22	28.83	8 47		7 79	14.13
99	99 47		14.57			25.66
00	99.17				15.46	25.84
	55.17	40.51	14.30		15.40	25.64
12001	9.20	3.43	1 36		1 53	2.89
52001			1.00		1.00	
r2001	10.02	4.40 5.00				3.01
r2001	13.73	5.98	1.70		2.09	3.96
y2001	10.74	4.48	1.21		1.87	3.19
72001	11.16	4.80	1.28		1.79	3.29
ose leaving having started an optiona						
	5.43	1.74	0.53		0.45	2.71
99	30.87	9.15	0.53			
00	30.87		2.15		1.58	17.99
	32.76	10.43	2.37		1.52	18.45
12001	2.40	0.64	0.20		0.10	1.46
b2001	2.50	0.75	0.22			
ar 2001	2.50	0.75	0.22		0.11	1.43
r2001	3.01	1.08	0.24		0.12	1.57
ay 2001	2.62	0.74	0.33		0.13	1.42
7 2001	1.93	0.53	0.19		0.08	1.13

Source: Research and Development Division, Employment Service Enquiries: 0114 259 6365

Virtually all of these are individuals who have left their option and have not returned to claim JSA. Some of these may start a new JSA claim within 13 weeks of leaving the option, in which case they will re-enter the New Deal Follow-Through. The numbers leaving from Follow-Through are too small to be worth separately identifying.

 ${}^{or further information, please see article \, on \, pp 197-206, \, \textit{Labour Market Trends}, April \, 1999. }$ 

### GOVERNMENT EMPLOYMENT AND TRAINING MEASURES Number of 18 to 24-year-olds into employment from New Deala

GREAT BRITAIN	Number into sus	tained employment <sup>b</sup>		Number into other	er employment <sup>d</sup>	
Year/month	Total	Unsubsidised	Subsidisedc	Total	Unsubsidised	Subsidisede
Allf						
1998	44.40	36.27	8.14	16.96	16.22	0.74
1999	87.10	76.06	11.04	32.78	31.57	1.21
2000	96.89	86.62	10.27	22.37	20.99	1.39
Jan 2001	5.84	5.30	0.53	0.83	0.79	0.05
Feb 2001	7.20	6.42	0.78	1.07	0.99	0.07
Mar 2001	9.68	8.68	1.00	1.48	1.39	0.08
Apr 2001	7.17	6.45	0.71	0.62	0.58	0.04
May 2001	7.17	6.53	0.64	0.75	0.71	0.04
Male				10.10	10.0E	0.55
1998	32.49	26.49	6.00	13.40	12.85	0.55
1999	64.34	56.17	8.16	25.48	22.89	0.84
2000	68.45	61.04	7.41	17.52	13.33	0.99
Jan 2001	4.29	3.92	0.37	0.62	0.59	0.04
Feb 2001	5.27	4.71	0.56	0.80	0.75	0.05
Mar 2001	7.06	6.37	0.69	1.10	1.04	0.06
Apr 2001	5.29	4.77	0.51	0.47	0.45	0.03
May 2001	5.29	4.83	0.46	0.55	0.52	0.03
Female						
1998	11.91	9.78	2.13	3.56	3.37	0.19
1999	22.75	19.88	2.87	7.23	6.92	0.31
2000	24.93	22.22	2.71	5.46	5.05	0.42
Jan 2001	1:54	1.39	0.16	0.21	0.20	0.01
Feb 2001	1:92	1.71	0.22	0.26	0.25	0.02
Mar 2001	2:62	2.31	0.31	0.37	0.35	0.02
Apr 2001	1:88	1.68	0.20	0.15	0.13	0.01
May 2001	1:88	1.71	0.18	0.20	0.19	0.01
People from ethnic mir	nority groups <sup>g</sup>					
1998	4.90	4.22	0.69	1.91	1.86	0.05
1999	9.77	8.77	1.00	3.62	2.35	0.08
2000	10.68	9.90	0.78	2.68	2.02	0.10
Jan 2001	0.68	0.65	0.03	0.10	0.09	0.01
Feb 2001	0.86	0.81	0.06	0.13	0.12	0.00
Mar 2001	1.06	0.97	0.09	0.16	0.15	0.01
Apr 2001	0.77	0.72	0.05	0.07	0.07	0.00
May 2001	0.71	0.65	0.06	0.08	0.08	0.00

Source: Research and Development Division, Employment Servi Enquiries: 0114 85963

Enquiries: 0112

The table counts the number of individuals into employment from New Deal. On this basis, a New Deal participant is only ever counted once as starting employment. If a phas a sustained spell of subsidised employment after having had a sustained spell of subsidised employment, then the unsubsidised employment always takes priority A job from which the participant does not return to claim benefit, or transfer to another option, within 13 weeks. This includes those who have been in employment for less weeks, but who have not yet returned to JSA.

Excluding those who have been or are in, sustained unsubsidised employment. Excluding those who have been in sustained employment, this comprises those employed for less than 13 weeks.

Excluding those who have been in unsubsidised employment for less than 13 weeks.

Totals include those whose sex is not recorded.

Excluding those who, when asked their ethnic origin, were recorded as 'prefer not to say'.

New Deal 25+ summary figures

For further information, please see article on pp197-206, Labour Market Trends, April 1999.

GOVERNMENT EMPLOYMENT AND TRAINING MEASURES

GREAT BRITAIN	Number on New Deal at year/month enda			Number of starts <sup>b</sup> in year/month			Number of leavers <sup>c</sup> in year/month		
Year/month	Male	Female	Alld	Male	Female	Alld	Male	Female	Alld
	272.0	48.8	321.5	118.6	22.2	141.5	98.7	18.8	117.8
1999	245.5	45.2	293.4	69.6	13.5	84.0	79.6	14.8	95.1
Jan 2001	55.2	10.1	65.9	8.1	1.6	9.8	8.1	1.5	9.7
Feb 2001	53.5	9.8	63.8	7.1	1.4	8.6	7.9	1.5	9.5
	52.0	9.6	62.2	8.3	1.7	10.1	10.3	1.9	12.3
Mar 2001 Apr 2001	43.2	7.9	51.6	0.0	0.0	0.0	8.0	1.5	9.5
Apr 2001 Mav 2001	36.1	6.6	43.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	7.8	1.4	9.3

Figures refer to the last Friday of each year/month.
Those identified by ES as having joined New Deal, including those who have received an initial invitation, but not yet attended their first interview.
Those identified by ES as having joined New Deal, including those who have received an initial invitation, but not yet attended their first interview.
Those who have completed the Advisory Interview Process and not taken up an opportunity, plus those who have started unsubsidised employment or left JSA for reasons other than starting only the provision. Subsequent data may be revised upwards as leavers from WBTA/TfW and current ES provision are monitored.
Totals include those whose sex is not recorded. For this reason, and also because of rounding, components will not necessarily sum to totals.

#### GOVERNMENT EMPLOYMENT AND TRAINING MEASURES Numbers participating in New Deal 25+: end-May 2001

GREAT BRITAIN	Total	Advisory Interview Processa	Employersubsidy	Education and training opportunities	Work-Based Learning for Adults <sup>b</sup>	Follow-Through <sup>c</sup>
Alld	43.1	34.0	1.82	0.94	2.79	3.54
Male Female	36.1 6.6	28.4 5.2	1.55 0.25	0.79 0.14	2.30 0.47	3.01 0.50
People from ethnic minority group	ose 4.4	3.6	0.08	0.12	0.32	0.35
People with disabilities <sup>f</sup>	9.5	7.4	0.43	0.22	0.63	0.78

Source: Research and Development Division, Employment 5 Enquiries: 0114 259

- Including those awaiting their first advisory interview. While on the advisory process, clients may participate in provision such as Programme Centres, Jobclub, Jobplan or Worktrials. In Scotland, Training for Work is the equivalent programme. Individuals join the follow-through stage on returning from the employer subsidy, unsubsidised employment, or WBTA/TfW within three months of completing training/leaving JSA; plus those completing education and training opportunities. Totals include those whose sex is not recorded. For this reason, and also because of rounding, components will not necessarily sum to totals. Excluding those who, when asked their ethnic origin, were recorded as 'prefer not to say'.

  Those recorded by ES as having a physical or mental impairment which has a substantial long-term effect on their ability to carry out normal day-to-day activities.

For further information, please see article on pp197-206, Labour Market Trends, April 1999.

#### **GOVERNMENT EMPLOYMENT AND TRAINING MEASURES** Numbers leaving Advisory Interview Process of New Deal 25+, by destinational

GREAT BRITAIN	All	Left New Deal					Still on New	Deal	
		Left JSA				On JSAe	Left JSA		On JSA
γear/month of leaving	Terre	Unsubsidised employment <sup>b</sup>	Transfer to other benefits	Otherc	Not knownd		Employer subsidy	Work-Based Learning for Adults/TfW	Education and training opportunities
All									
1999	125.5	15.92	13.05	5.21	11.08	59.51	6.67	10.27	3.80
2000	133.5	17.76	13.84	5.87	10.25	67.85	5.46	10.14	2.30
Jan 2001	9.2	1.30	1.23	0.44	0.74	4.50	0.31	0.66	0.06
Feb 2001	9.2	1.45	1.25	0.58	0.67	4.08	0.37	0.75	0.05
Mar 2001	11.9	1.96	1.52	0.66	0.99	5.51	0.47	0.75	0.04
Apr 2001	8.8	1.28	0.92	0.39	0.70	5.09	0.30	0.07	0.01
May 2001	8.4	1.13	0.72	0.52	0.53	5.25	0.20	0.04	0.01
Male									
1999	105.2	13.25	10.57	4.14	9.02	50.76	5.67	8.56	3.27
2000	111.5	14.64	11.18	4.68	8.43	57.46	4.66	8.48	1.98
Jan 2001	7.7	1.10	1.01	0.34	0.62	3.81	0.26	0.56	0.05
Feb 2001	7.7	1.20	1.00	0.47	0.57	3.45	0.32	0.65	0.04
Mar 2001	9.9	1.63	1.23	0.53	0.82	4.65	0.42	0.63	0.04
Apr 2001	7.3	1.08	0.74	0.32	0.58	4.31	0.25	0.06	0.01
May 2001	7.1	0.95	0.59	0.43	0.44	4.44	0.17	0.03	0.01
Female									
1999	20.0	2.62	2.45	1.05	2.03	8.65	0.94	1.69	0.51
2000	20.8	2.87	2.56	1.11	1.67	9.99	0.74	1.57	0.31
Jan 2001	1.4	0.19	0.21	0.10	0.11	0.66	0.05	0.09	0.00
Feb 2001	1.4	0.23	0.23	0.10	0.08	0.61	0.04	0.10	0.01
Mar 2001	1.9	0.30	0.28	0.12	0.15	0.84	0.05	0.11	0.01
Apr 2001	1.3	0.19	0.18	0.07	0.11	0.75	0.05	0.01	0.00
May 2001	1.3	0.16	0.13	0.08	0.08	0.79	0.03	0.01	0.00

Source: Research and Development Division, Employment Service Enquiries: 0114 259 6365

Enquiries: 0114259 6365 lose who are recorded by ES as having been placed into unsubsidised employment, plus those who are recorded by ES as having been placed into unsubsidised employment, plus those who are recorded as having terminated their JSA claim in order to go into a job. This illundercount the total number going into a job: some who go into a job will not, for whatever reason, record this as the reason for termination of their JSA claim. These will be counted to the counted in the count

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Individual of the example gone abroad on JUVOS, or where the leaving code is recorded as 'not known', or simply 'ceased claiming' or 'failed to attend'. As more data are added, enumbers in this category may be revised downwards.

Individual of the advisory process, clients may return to normal jobseeker activity including regular fortnightly reviews.

ther information, please see article on pp197-206, Labour Market Trends, April 1999.

#### **GOVERNMENT EMPLOYMENT AND TRAINING MEASURES** Number of people into employment from New Deal 25+a

GREAT BRITAIN	Number into s	sustained employmentb		Number into other	er employment <sup>d</sup>	
Year/month	Total	Unsubsidised	Subsidisedc	Total	Unsubsidised	Subsidisede
Allf		HE TYPEN GOTTEN	MI GILLANDE			National Property of the Control of
1999	23.01	17.91	5.10	4.51	4.09	0.42
2000	26.47	21.58	4.89	3.15	2.92	0.23
Jan 2001	1.78	1.47	0.31	0.21	0.19	0.02
Feb2001	1.95	1.58	0.37	0.21	0.19	0.02
Mar2001	2.63	2.15	0.48	0.31	0.29	0.02
Apr2001	1.70	1.40	0.30	0.12	0.11	0.01
May 2001	1.48	1.28	0.21	0.09	0.08	0.01
Male						
1999	19.27	14.93	4.34	3.92	3.56	0.36
2000	22.06	17.88	4.18	2.72	2.52	0.20
Jan 2001	1.49	1.24	0.26	0.17	0.15	0.02
Feb 2001	1.64	1.32	0.32	0.17	0.15	0.02
Mar2001	2.21	1.79	0.41	0.19		
Apr2001	1.43	1.17	0.25	0.10	0.24	0.02
May 2001	1.25	1.08	0.17	0.70	0.09 0.06	0.01 0.00
Female						
1999	0.00	0.00				
2000	3.63	2.92	0.71	0.58	0.52	0.06
	4.08	3.43	0.65	0.42	0.38	0.03
Jan 2001	0.26	0.22	0.05	0.04	0.03	0.00
Feb 2001	0.29	0.24	0.04	0.02	0.02	0.00
Mar2001	0.38	0.32	0.06	0.02	0.02	0.00
Apr2001	0.25	0.21	0.05	0.02	0.02	0.00
May 2001	0.22	0.19	0.03	0.02	0.02	0.00
People from ethnic minor	ity groups <sup>9</sup>					
1999						
2000	2.18	1.89	0.28	0.38	0.35	0.03
	2.36	2.13	0.23	0.27	0.26	0.02
Jan 2001	0.18	0.16	0.02	0.02	0.02	0.00
Feb2001	0.17	0.16	0.01	0.02	0.02	0.00
Mar 2001	0.25	0.23	0.02	0.02	0.02	0.00
Apr2001	0.14	0.12	0.02	0.02	0.02	
May 2001	0.14	0.13	0.01	0.01	0.01 0.01	0.00 0.00

The lable counts the number of individuals into employment from 25+ New Deal. On this basis, a New Deal participant is only ever counted once as starting employment. If a participant has a sustained spell of unsubsidised employment after having had a sustained spell of subsidised employment, then the unsubsidised employment always takes priority.

A job from which the participant does not return to claim JSA, or transfer to another option, within 13 weeks. This includes those who have been in employment for less than 13 weeks, but who have not yet returned to JSA.

Excluding those who have been, or are, in sustained unsubsidised employment.
Excluding those who have been in sustained employment, this comprises those employed for less than 13 weeks.
Excluding those who have been in unsubsidised employment for less than 13 weeks.
Totals include those whose sex is not recorded.
Excluding those who, when asked their ethnic origin, were recorded as 'prefer not to say'.

Derinformation, please see article on pp197-206, Labour Market Trends, April 1999.

#### OTHER LABOUR MARKET STATISTICS G. 1 OTHER LABOUR MARKET STATISTICS UK vacancies at Jobcentres: seasonally adjusted

	of which PLACINGS		FLOW	OUT	LOW	INF	ANCIES	UNFILLED VAC	KINGDOM	UNITE
Averag change over months ende	Level	Average change over 3 months ended	Level	Average change over 3 months ended	Level	Average change over 3 months ended	Change since previous month	Level		
	140.0 115.5 121.4 111.6		DRZL 225.3 217.2 227.2 221.1		226.5 218.3 230.4 223.1			DPCB 283.3 295.8 314.2 359.1		1997 1998 1999 2000
-1.2 1.2 0.6	123.0 121.8 122.7	-1.6 2.4 1.3	227.6 226.5 229.0	0.5 3.2 1.3	231.2 234.0 230.2	4.0 3.7 3.0	2.2 8.0 -1.1	307.8 315.8 314.7	Jul Aug Sep	1999
-0.9 0.4 0.0	120.3 123.1 122.6	-2.7 2.4 0.7	219.6 233.6 231.1	1.3 0.4 2.2	235.0 235.3 236.7	9.6 7.6 10.9	21.8 2.0 8.9	336.5 338.5 347.4	Oct Nov Dec	
0.3 -2.2 -2.3	121.1 116.4 115.7	7.0 -3.3 -2.3	240.6 223.6 224.1	-2.4 -3.1 -2.6	227.9 226.1 228.8	1.3 1.1 -0.9	-7.1 1.4 2.9	340.3 341.7 344.6	Jan Feb Mar	2000
-3.2 -2.8 -2.1	108.1	-7.2 -3.2 -1.8	218.9 213.9 218.6	-0.9 -4.3 -2.2	225.3 213.2 222.3	5.1 4.2 4.2	11.1 -1.4 2.9	355.7 354.3 357.2	Apr May Jun	
-1.4 0.6 0.6		-1.4 1.8 1.1	214.6 219.2 221.8	-1.6 1.9 1.1	220.6 219.0 225.6	2.4 2.4 2.8	5.7 -1.3 4.0	362.9 361.6 365.6	Jul Aug Sep	
0.9 -0.9 -1.0	107.1	0.8 -2.5 -0.5	217.1 211.8 220.4	0.2 0.4 -0.9	221.3 220.2 222.8	0.5 4.2 3.6	-1.1 9.8 2.2	364.5 374.3 376.5	Oct Nov Dec	
0.1 0.5 0.2	108.6	-1.7 8.6 1.9	212.1 237.6 226.1	1.2 4.3 3.3	224.9 233.2 232.8	10.4 5.8 6.1	19.2 c -4.1 3.3	395.7 391.6 394.9	Jan Feb Mar	2001
2.4 1.5 -2.5	114.4	9.7 -0.7 -2.8	241.1 235.5 217.8	4.2 4.2 2.6	237.6 245.9 240.7	-2.6 2.4 10.8	-7.1 11.1 28.3	387.8 398.9 427.2	Apr May <sup>b</sup> Jun <sup>b</sup>	
4.5	104.0	-4.2	228.5	4.4	250.9	18.8	17.1	444.3	Jul <sup>b</sup> P	

Source: Employment Service administrative s stem Labour Market Statistics Helpline: 020 753 6094

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Excluding vacancies on government programmes (except vacancies on Enterprise Ulster and Action for Community Employment (ACE) which are included in the figures for Northern Ireland). Data from May 2001, particularly unfilled stocks, outflows and placings, are affected by new Employment Service procedures. See notes to table G3

The latest national and regional seasonally adjusted vacancy figures are provisional and subject to revision, mainly in the following month.

Note: For further information, please see the article 'Jobcentre vacancy statistics' on pp159-162, Labour Market Trends, March 2001.

Vacancies notified to and placings made by Jobcentres do not represent the total number of vacancies/engagements in the economy. Latest estimates suggest that about a third of all vacancies nation by are notified to Jobcentres; and about a quarter of all engagements are made through Jobcentres. Inflow, outflow and placings figures are collected for four or five-week periods between count dates; the pures in this table are converted to a standard 41/3 week month.

The vacancy data for Northern Ireland have been suspended since March 1999 and the figures between March and April 1999 and between September and October 1999 for Great Britain have been a code by corrections by the Employment Service to the recorded stock of unfilled vacancies. There has also been a minor change in the definition of notified vacancies between April and May 2000. See Points of the Control of the recorded stock of unfilled vacancies.

#### OTHER LABOUR MARKET STATISTICS Government Office Regions: vacancies remaining unfilled at Jobcentres: a seasonally adjusted

		North East	North West	Yorkshire and the Humber	East Midlands	West Midlands	East	London	South East	South West	England	Wales	Scotland		Northern Ireland	United Kingdon
		DPCL	IBWE	BCQG	BCQF	BCQE	DPCO	BCQB	DPCP	BCQD	VAST	BCQJ	BCQK	BCQL	BCQM	DPCB
999	tot	16.7	35.2	23.1	21.1	33.8	22.9	31.9	37.0	27.6	249.3	16.5	33.1	298.9		307.8
99	Jul	18.8	35.7	23.9	21.8	33.6	24.0	32.6	38.2	28.5	257.1	16.6	33.2	306.9		315.8
	Aug Sep	19.1	35.8	24.0	21.2	33.2	23.4	32.3	38.1	28.9	256.0	16.2	33.6	305.8		314.7
	Oct	20.5	37.1	25.6	22.7	37.3	24.9	35.0	40.8	30.4	274.3	18.0	35.3	327.6		336.5
		20.7	38.1	26.2	23.0	35.9	24.7	35.0	40.8	30.5	274.9	18.9	35.8	329.6		338.5
	Nov Dec	21.0	40.4	27.0	23.1	36.7	24.6	37.1	41.4	31.1	282.4	19.2	36.9	338.5		347.4
		20.6	38.8	27.3	22.6	34.6	24.6	34.9	40.9	31.0	275.3	19.2	36.9	331.4		340.3
000	Jan	20.6	39.4	28.3	22.1	33.3	24.4	36.1	41.0	31.6	276.5	19.0	37.3	332.8		341.7
	Feb Mar	19.9	39.5	29.4	22.2	35.2	24.0	36.2	40.5	32.3	279.2	19.0	37.5	335.7		344.6
	A	19.5	41.2	31.0	22.5	35.9	25.2	36.7	41.9	34.7	288.6	19.8	38.4	346.8		355.7
	Apr May	19.0	41.3	31.7	22.6	35.8	25.3	36.0	42.5	34.1	288.3	18.9	38.2	345.4		354.3
	Jun	18.5	41.0	32.7	22.9	36.1	25.0	36.5	43.7	34.5	290.9	18.9	38.5	348.3		357.2
	Jul	18.7	41.4	33.3	22.9	36.0	25.3	37.6	45.1	35.1	295.4	19.1	39.5	354.0		362.9
	Aug	18.7	40.8	33.6	22.5	36.6	24.7	37.3	44.5	35.4	294.1	19.3	39.3	352.7		361.6
	Sep	19.3	42.1	34.6	22.7	36.6	24.3	35.3	45.3	35.5	295.7	19.1	41.9	356.7		365.6
	Oct	19.6	42.4	35.3	20.9	36.2	23.4	35.8	45.0	35.8	294.4	18.4	42.8	355.6		364.5
	Nov	20.7	43.0	37.1	22.0	36.5	23.6	36.9	45.7	36.9	302.4	18.7	44.3	365.4		374.3
	Dec	21.2	42.0	37.5	22.5	37.2	23.8	36.9	46.0	37.1	304.2	18.9	44.5	367.6		376.5
001	Jan	22.4	44.0	39.5	23.5	39.7	24.5	39.0	47.1	39.6	319.3	19.8	47.7	386.8		395.7
001	Feb	23.8	44.9	38.8	24.7	39.0	24.9	36.4	48.0	37.3	317.9	19.6	45.3	382.7		391.6
	Mar	25.6	46.3	39.3	25.3	39.8	25.4	35.7	47.0	36.3	320.6	20.2	45.1	386.0		394.9
	Anr	25.2	46.7	39.4	23.9	39.4	26.4	32.6	44.8	35.9	314.2	20.6	44.2	378.9		387.8
	Apr May <sup>b</sup>	24.6	46.9		25.4	40.5	28.2	34.0	46.2	38.8	324.8	22.1	43.2	390.0		398.9
	Junb	24.6	47.6		29.3	42.8	31.3	39.5	48.9	47.0	355.1	23.3	39.9	418.3	• • •	427.2
	Jul <sup>b</sup> P	24.8	47.4	48.8	31.6	45.3	35.7	41.6	50.4	49.2	374.8	23.5	37.1	435.4		444.3

Source: Employment Service administrative system Labour Market Statistics Helpline: 020 7533 6094 Excluding vacancies on government programmes (except vacancies on Enterprise Ulster and Action for Community Employment (ACE) which are included in the figures for Northen

Data from May 2001, particularly unfilled stocks, outflows and placings, are affected by new Employment Service procedures. See notes to table G3

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#### OTHER LABOUR MARKET STATISTICS Government Office Regions: vacancies remaining unfilled at Jobcentres<sup>a</sup> and careers offices: not seasonally adjusted

							darcers offices. Hot seasonally adjusted								cu	Thousand
		North East		Yorkshire and the Humber	East Midlands	West Midlands	East	London	South East	South West	England	Wales	Scotland		Northern Ireland	United Kingdom
Vacal	ncies at Jobcentres <sup>b</sup>	DPCQ	IBWF	BCRG	BCRF	BCRE	DPCT	BCRB	DPCU	BCRD	VASU	BCRJ	BCRK	BCRL	BCRM	всом
	10100 41	10.1	34.4	21.0	20.4	23.1	23.6	35.1	34.4	25.4	227.5	18.1	31.5	277.0	6.8	283.9
1997 1998		11.0	41.1	22.6	20.5	30.5	24.1	28.2	34.8	26.1	238.9	17.9	31.0	287.7	8.9	296.6
1999		16.4	37.1	24.1	21.3	35.7	24.0	32.1	37.7	27.8	256.1	17.1	33.0	306.2		
2000		19.7	41.2	32.8	22.3	35.9	24.4	36.4	43.6	34.6	290.9	19.0	40.1	349.9		
	1.1	18.7	40.4	33.5	22.2	34.8	25.7	37.5	46.2	36.8	295.9	19.3	37.6	352.8		
2000	Jul	19.2	40.7	34.0	21.5	35.8	24.7	36.1	44.7	35.9	292.5	19.2	38.5	350.2		
	Aug Sep	21.9	46.4	37.5	24.0	39.5	26.4	36.2	48.5	38.0	318.4	20.4	45.4	384.1		
	COP															
	Oct	23.9	50.6	40.8	25.4	43.4	27.5	41.3	51.6	39.6	344.1	20.4	49.0	413.4		
	Nov	23.4	49.1	40.6	25.9	42.4	26.5	42.0	50.7	38.5	339.0	19.6	49.5	408.1		
	Dec	20.8	41.3	36.4	23.4	37.9	23.5	38.5	45.4	34.0	301.2	18.0	45.4	364.5		
2001	Jan	20.3	40.0	35.3	22.0	36.1	21.6	36.6	41.0	33.1	286.1	18.1	45.3	349.4		
2001	Feb	20.6	40.9	34.6	22.3	35.6	21.8	33.8	42.6	32.5	284.8	18.0	42.7	345.5		
	Mar	22.9	43.0	36.2	22.9	37.0	23.2	33.9	44.2	34.0	297.3	19.4	43.9	360.6		
	Apr	23.6	44.5	38.7	22.1	37.2	24.9	30.1	42.6	35.9	299.8	20.1	42.7	362.5		
	May ·	23.4	44.8	39.4	23.6	37.9	27.8	31.4	44.7	39.9	312.9	22.2	40.8	375.8		
	Jun	24.3	47.1	44.3	29.4	41.5	31.3	39.3	50.2	51.2	358.5	24.4	37.3	420.3		
	Jul	24.8	46.2	49.9	32.3	44.7	37.8	42.6	52.4	53.7	384.4	24.3	34.3	443.1		
Vaca	les at career officesb	DPCV	IBWJ	BCSG	BCSF	BCSE	DPCY	BCSB	DPCZ	BCSD	VASY	BCSJ	BCSK	BCSL	BCSM	BCSN
1997		0.2	1.9	1.7	0.6	1.0	1.7	3.7	2.5	1.3	14.7	0.3	0.9	15.8	1.2	20.7
1998		0.3	2.3	1.4	0.8	1.5	2.1	5.2	3.0	1.4	17.9	0.4	1.2	19.5	0.3	19.8
1999		0.3	2.1	2.1	0.9	2.0	1.9	3.8	3.1	1.3	17.5	0.5	1.5	19.5		
2000		0.3	2.0	2.4	0.9	1.9	2.0	4.2	3.3	1.4	18.4	0.6	1.4	20.4		
2000	Jul	0.5	2.5	2.3	1.1	2.0	2.3	5.4	3.7	1.6	21.5	0.7	1.8	24.0		
2000	Aug	0.4	2.5	2.5	1.1	1.9	2.3	5.4	3.7	1.6	21.5	0.8	1.6	23.9		
	Sep	0.4	2.3	2.4	1.1	1.9	2.2	5.0	3.8	1.7	20.7	0.9	1.5	23.0		
	Oct	0.3	1.8	2.3	0.9	2.2	2.2	5.6	3.8	1.5	20.7	0.7	1.5	22.9		
	Nov	0.3	1.5	2.2	0.8	1.7	2.1	5.6	3.9	1.4	19.5	0.6	1.3	21.4		
	Dec	0.2	1.3	1.9	0.7	1.6	1.9	6.0	3.5	1.1	18.3	0.6	1.2	20.1		
2001	Jan	0.2	1.2	1.6	0.7	1.4	1.8	6.0	3.2	1.1	17.2	0.6	1.0	18.7		
	Feb	0.3	1.5	1.7	0.7	1.6	1.7	5.3	3.2	1.2	17.2	0.4	1.0	18.6		
	Mar	0.3	1.8	2.3	0.7	1.7	1.6	4.9	3.4	1.1	17.9	0.6	1.3	19.8		
	Apr	0.3	1.9	1.8	0.8	1.9	1.7	3.3	3.5	1.4	16.6	0.6	1.3	18.4		
	May	0.3	2.1	1.5	0.9	1.9	1.9	3.5	3.7	1.4	17.1	0.2	1.7	19.1		
	Jun	0.4	2.5	2.9	1.0	2.1	2.0	3.7	4.1	1.5	20.3	0.3	1.9	22.5		
	Jul	0.4	2.8	3.1	1.2	2.3	2.3	3.3	4.4	1.6	21.3	0.3	2.1	23.7		
manage (	/ 00000	0.7	2.0	0.1	1.2	2.0	2.0	0.0	7.7	1.0	21.0	0.0	4.1	20.1		

Source: Employment Service administrative system Labour Market Statistics Helpline: 020 7533 6094

xcluding vacancies on government programmes (except vacancies on Enterprise Ulster and Action for Community Employment (ACE) which are included in the figures for Northern

beardy. bout one third of all vacancies nationally are notified to Jobcentres. These could include some that are suitable for young people and similarly vacancies notified to careers offices bould include some for adults. The figures represent only the number of vacancies notified by employers and remaining unfilled on the day of the count. Because of possible duplication and also due to a difference between the timing of the two counts, the two series should not be added together.

or further information, please see the article 'Jobcentre vacancy statistics' on pp159-162, Labour Market Trends, March 2001.

he publication of the vacancy figures for Northern Ireland has been suspended since March 1999 as a result of a discontinuity identified during the introduction of a new computer ystem for processing vacancies to local offices of the Department of Higher and Further Education, Training and Employment (DHFETE). In the course of correcting for this ifficulty, further problems of a procedural nature have also come to light as contributory factors. These further issues have delayed the re-instatement of published vacancy figures rivorthern Ireland. DHFETE have now introduced a new internet-based operational systemfor vacancies and are investigating how the statistics might be resumed using this. The eries will be reinstated as soon as possible. For the purposes of the seasonally adjusted United Kingdom figures it has been assumed provisionally that the Northern Ireland figures ave remained constant since February 1999 as follows: 8,900 for the stock of unfilled vacancies, 3,400 for inflows of vacancies notified, 3,400 for outflows, and 2,200 for actings. These are not estimates for Northern Ireland but assumptions for the purpose of continuity of the United Kingdom series.

he vacancy stock figures for Great Britain have been affected by corrections to the data by the Employment Service to make up for the gradual build-up of inaccuracies. The figures are corrected on 8 October1999 to give a true reflection of the number of open vacancies held by the Employment Service. This had an upward effect of some 10,300 on the recorded lock of unfilled vacancies for Great Britain between September and October 1999 and there was a corresponding downward adjustment to the outflow for October, but not to the lacings. There was a similar upward correction to the vacancy stocks (and a downward effect on the outflow) of 9,100 between March and April 1999.

here was minor discontinuity due to a change in the treatment of vacancies by the Employment Service between April and May 2000. As from 7 April both vacancies notified and acings are only counted in the statistics if the vacancy concerned is for 8 hours or more in a 7-day period. Previously vacancies of between 3 and 8 hours were included. The change estimated to have reduced the recorded inflow of notified vacancies by some 4,000 to 5,000 per month since April.

here have been distortions to the Jobcentre vacancy data since May 2001. There has been a reduction in the recorded level of outflows and placings, especially for June and July, nd consequently an increase in the stock of unfilled vacancies. These changes mostly arise from the introduction of Employer Direct which is being gradually introduced across Great ritial as part of Modernising the Employment Service. This is a major change which involves transferring the vacancy taking process from local Jobcentres to regional Customer service Centres. So far, up to the July count, Employer Direct has begun to be introduced in all regions of Great Britain except Scotland and the North West. (In the North East a similar ystem has already been in place since April 1999.) There appear to have been some delays in following up vacancies with employers under the new arrangements. When the new ervice settles down, effects on the statistics may disappear but it is too early to assess this.

he introduction of Employer Direct may also have had some effect on the level of newly notified vacancies due to differences in vacancy reporting procedures, but probably only a relatively minor extent. The possible effects are being investigated.

# OTHER LABOUR MARKET STATISTICS Labour disputes<sup>a</sup> Stoppages of work: summary

UNITE	D KINGDOM	Number of stoppages	or stoom to the	Number of workers (thou	sands)	Working days lost in a period (thousands)	all stoppages in progess
		Beginning in period	In progress in period	Beginning involvement in period in any dispute	All involvement in period	All industries and services	All manufacturing industries
1995 1996 1997 1998 1999 2000		232 230 206 159 200 207	235 244 216 166 205 212	170 353 129 91 140 182	174 364 130 93 141 183	415 1303 235 282 242 499	65 97 86 34 57 52
1998	Jun Jul Aug Sep Oct Nov Dec	24 10 6 8 10 13	34 23 16 16 13 18	312 54 2.7 1.9 11.4 42 2.6	32.6 20.3 10.5 3.7 11.8 5.1 3.5	69.5 58.9 24.4 5.9 7.1 17.6 10.6	2.4 7.3 1.6 1.2 0.2 1.5 0.1
1999	Jan Feb Mar Apr May Jun Jul Aug Sep Oct Nov	9 19 18 12 20 16 16 12 13 15 36	14 22 23 15 22 21 21 14 18 23 41 22	4.2 14.4 9.4 2.6 32.5 8.5 6.1 3.1 13.5 12.5 21.7	52 14.8 10.2 2.7 32.7 9.2 6.7 3.1 14.3 15.0 23.0 12.5	85 27.0 34.8 4.3 50.2 16.0 7.6 10.4 22.2 18.8 21.6 20.4	0.3 10.1 20.2 2.2 1.9 11.1 1.8 1.0 1.1 4.5 2.6 0.5
2000	Jan Feb Mar Apr May Jun Jul Aug Sep Oct Nov	15 10 20 13 19 8 24 16 12 24 27 19	20 13 23 20 24 11 28 26 19 30 30 26	5.0 6.3 6.4 4.0 8.0 2.1 16.4 101.7 3.2 5.1 7.3 16.1	64 7.1 69 52 92 29 17.9 11.14 88.9 8.0 87.9 19.6	10.8 6.4 17.7 10.6 13.6 7.0 36.2 114.9 93.1 14.4 115.1 59.0	0.4 0.5 1.9 1.1 3.2 0.7 10.7 14.1 4.2 1.6 6.0 7.9
2001	Jan Feb Mar Apr May <b>Jun</b>	16 23 17 21 17 16	23 30 25 26 22 19	10.1 13.8 13.7 3.4 62.4 <b>7.2</b>	23.2 23.5 26.4 4.1 63.6 <b>7.5</b>	52.5 35.6 47.6 15.8 92.4 R <b>12.3</b>	22 5.6 8.8 1.4 4.3 R

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UNITE	DOM	Agriculture, hunting, forestry and fishing	Mining, quarrying, electricity, gas and water	Manufactur- ing	Construction	Wholesale and retail trad repairs; hotels and restaurants	Transport, e;storage and commun- ication	Finance, real estate, renting and business activities	Public administrat- ion and defence	Education	Health and social work	Other community, social and personal service activities
SIC 19	92	А,В	C,E	D	F	G,H	1	J,K	L	М	Ņ	0,P,Q
1995 1996 1997 1998 1999 2000			1 2 2 - - 3	65 97 86 34 57 52	10 8 17 13 49 49	6 5 1 7 10 40	120 884 36 139 50 97	10 11 23 9 2	95 158 29 28 35 50	67 129 28 6 25 50	16 8 7 16 5	23 3 30 7 36
1998	Jun Jul Aug Sep Oct Nov Dec		0.2 - - - -	2.4 7.3 1.6 1.2 0.2 1.5 0.1	0.1 0.4 0.3	- - - - 22 43	48.8 42.6 6.4 0.3 0.6 4.5 3.1	- - - 0.5 5.0	5.2 7.8 7.4 3.6	0.1 0.1 0.1 0.2	1.0 0.2 8.2 0.6 0.3 0.1	10.7 0.6 0.8 0.1 5.3 3.7 2.8
1999	Jan Feb Mar Apr May Jun Jul Aug Sep Oct Nov Dec			0.3 10.1 20.2 2.2 1.9 11.1 1.8 1.0 1.1 4.5 2.6 0.5	0.1 0.6 0.2 25.4 3.2 0.5 16.1 0.4 1.1	1.8 1.1 0.4 0.1 0.1 0.2 0.2 0.8 0.8 0.8 1.1 2.4	22 102 0.7 0.8 0.6 1.8 0.5 22 32 96 15.0 3.2	1.3 - - 0.7 - - - 0.1 0.1	0.7 0.3 8.5 0.2 1.2 1.3 1.3 5.4 0.9 3.3 1.1	0.5 - 0.9 20.8 1.0 0.5 - 0.1 0.6 0.9	1.8 2.5 0.1 - - 0.4 - 0.1	0.1 0.2 0.1 0.2 0.1
2000	Jan Feb Mar Apr May Jun Jul Aug Sep Oct Nov Dec		1.0 - - 0.2 - - - - - - 2.1	0.4 0.5 1.9 1.1 3.2 0.7 10.7 14.1 4.2 1.6 6.0 7.9	0.1 2.5 3.7 4.2 1.0 0.2 0.1 12.3 9.7 - 11.6 4.0	0.8 0.6 0.7 0.5 - 0.1 - 10.4 10.4 - 12.5 4.0	2.7 0.6 5.0 4.7 8.2 5.4 24.2 18.2 5.8 5.8 5.5 11.1		22 - - - - 02 14.4 12.9 - 15.3 4.9	0.4 0.8 6.3 - 0.6 - 0.4 11.4 11.7 0.1 13.4 4.6	3.2 1.4 - 0.5 0.1 - 25.1 29.5 6.7 37.0 18.1	0.2 0.1 0.4 0.6 9.1 9.0 0.2 11.7 4.4
2001	Jan Feb Mar Apr May Jun			2.2 5.6 8.8 1.4 4.3 R	3.7 4.5 0.4 - 0.2 <b>0.4</b>	3.0 - 0.5 -	12.6 11.3 16.9 1.3 46.4 <b>3.8</b>	- - - 0.1 <b>0.1</b>	5.5 4.7 6.5 1.6 0.4 <b>0.8</b>	4.7 0.1 1.2 0.4 30.9 <b>0.1</b>	18.2 9.4 12.7 11.1 10.1 <b>2.3</b>	2.6 0.6

a See 'Definitions' on pS3 for notes of coverage. The figures for 2001 are provisional.

# OTHER LABOUR MARKET STATISTICS Labour disputes G.12

Stoppages in	progress:	industry

INITED KINGDOM 1	2 months	to June 200	00	12 months	to June 200	)1
S	top- ages	Workers involved	Working days lost	Stop- pages	Workers involved	Working days lost
ariculture, hunting,						
forestry and fishing			-	-	-	-
Mining and quarrying	1	100	200	1	800	2,100
lanufacturing of:						
food, beverages and tobacco;	4	100	100	2	200	500
textiles and textile		100	100	_	200	300
products;	2	300	500	1	100	100
leather and leather						
products;	-	-	-	-	-	-
woodandwood			500			4 000
products;	1		500	1		1,300
pulp, paper and paper products; printing						
and publishing;	1	200	400	1	100	100
coke, refined petroleum		200	100		100	100
products, nuclear						
fuels;	1	1,500	800	1	200	300
chemicals, chemical						
products and man-						
made fibres;	-	100	-	-	400	-
rubber and plastics;	1	100	300	2	100	200
other non-metallic mineral products;	1	500	1,000	2	800	5,300
basic metals and		300	1,000	2	000	5,500
abricated metal						
products;	2	400	2,200	4	400	4,700
machineryand						
equipmentn.e.c;	2	500	900	4	2,000	2,400
electrical and		100	100	_		
optical equipment;	1	17 500	100	5	2,600	3,700
transport equipment;	20	17,500 300	12,400	13	19,300	48,300
manufacturing n.e.c.		300	300	2	400	3,900
watersupply	1	500	1,000		_	_
ns ction	23	16,000	34,800	10	14,400	46,900
nole-ale and retail						,.
trace; repairs	1	100	100	-	-	-
otel and restaurants	3	500	8,600	2	12,100	40,900
ansport, storage and		10 700				
communication	92	42,700	60,300	136	85,200	162,900
nancal intermediation ealerate, renting and		-	-	1	100	100
business activities	1	100	200	1	*	100
blic dministration and		100	200			100
delence	10	11,800	25,600	17	35,000	67,100
ucation	17	4,800	10,200	17	45,400	78,800
alth and social work	6	1,600	5,700	11	29,600	180,200
her ommunity, social and	d					
personal service		4 000	4.400	110-1-		
activities	6	1,200	1,100	17.	13,200	39,100
ind stries						
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Stoppages: June 2001			
United Kingdom	Number of stoppages	Workers involved	Working days lost
Stoppages in progress	19	7,500	12,300
of which, stoppages:  Beginning in month Continuing from earlier months	16 3	7,200 a 300	8,200 4,000

a All directly involved.

The monthly figures are provisional and subject to revision. For notes on coverage, see Definitions on page S3. The figures for 2001 are provisional.

#### Stoppages in progress: cause

United Kingdom	12 months to June 2001								
	Stoppages	Workers	Working days lost						
Pay: wage-rates and earnings levels	62	138,900	409.000						
extra wage and fringe benefits	11	2,000	3,400						
Duration and pattern of hours worked	14	11,200	17,200						
Redundancy questions	26	32,600	135,900						
Trade union matters	5	900	6,200						
Working conditions and supervision	11	10.500	17,500						
Manning and work allocation	59	43,700	62.800						
Dismissal and other disciplinary measures	48	22,200	37,000						
All causes	236	261,900	689,000						

me stoppages which affected more than one industry group have been counted under each of industries but only once in the total for all industries and services. sustan 50 workers involved: sustan 50 working days lost.

#### Prominent stoppages in the 6-month period 1 January 2001 to 30 June 2001

Industry and location	Date when stoppage		Number of workers invol	ved <sup>a</sup>	Number of	Cause or object
	Began	Ended	Directly	Indirectly	<ul> <li>working days lost in period</li> </ul>	
Manufacture of transport eq	uipment		AND THE PROPERTY OF THE PARTY O			
Various areas of Great Britain	12.12.00	23.02.01	7,900	-	4,200	Over the handling of a particular threat of reduncancy (total days lost 11,100)
Yorkshire and the Humber	01.02.01	28.03.01	600		5,500	Overtrade union recognition
Construction						
Various areas of United Kingdo	m 29.01.01	12.02.01	1,000	and the last	5,000	Over straight pay increase
Transport, storage and comm	nunication					
North West	05.01.01	23.01.01	5,000		8,300	Over disciplinary measures short of dismissal.
_ondon	04.02.01	29.03.01	8,500	100	14,100	Over health and safety issues
Various areas of Great Britain	18.05.01	27.05.01	29,000	•	41,600	Over temporary staffing arrangements
Public administration and de	fence; compulsory social	security				
Scotland	29.08.00	15.01.01	1,300		10,400	Over straight pay increase. (total days lost 273,400)
London	20.12.00	01.05.01	4,000		16,400	Market testing, privatisation, cuts in service (total days lost 20,400)
North West	01.02.01	30.03.01	1,500		7,100	Over the basic hours of work
Health and social work						
West Midlands	01.08.00	20.05.01	600		54,100	Market testing, privatisation, cuts in service. (total days lost 92,100)
Education						(iolardayolobroz, 100)
Various areas of Great Britain	22.05.01	22.05.01	30,000	-	30,000	Over straight pay increase

The figures shown are the highest number of workers involved during the six-month period Less than 50 workers involved

### G.21 ECONOMIC ACTIVITY AND INACTIVITY Educational status, economic activity and inactivity of young people

		April to	June 20	01						Inol	usands and per	cent, not se	asonany adju
UNITED		Economica	ally active		Total	in employm	nent	ILO ur	nemployed		Economically	inactive	
KINGDO	M	Total Not	in FTEb	In FTEb	Total Not	in FTEb	In FTEb	Total Not	in FTEb	In FTEb	Total Not	in FTEb	In FTEb
392		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
EVELS	198												
All	16-17 18-24 All under 25	762 3,708 4,470	297 3,080 3,377	465 628 1,093	631 3,349 3,980	228 2,779 3,007	404 569 973	131 359 490	69 301 370	61 58 120	700 1,285 1,985	71 485 556	629 800 1,429
Male	16-17 18-24 All under 25	387 2,017 2,403	178 1,722 1,900	208 295 503	309 1,799 2,108	131 1,538 1,669	178 261 439	78 217 295	47 184 231	31 34 64	362 530 892	36 116 153	325 413 739
Female	16-17 18-24 All under 25	375 1,691 2,066	119 1,358 1,477	256 333 590	323 1,549 1,872	97 1,241 1,338	226 308 534	52 142 194	22 117 139	31 25 55	338 755 1,093	34 369 403	304 386 690
RATES(	%)°												
All	16-17 18-24 Allunder25	52.1 74.3 69.3	80.8 86.4 85.9	42.5 44.0 43.3	43.2 67.1 61.7	61.9 78.0 76.5	36.9 39.9 38.6	17.1 9.7 11.0	23.3 9.8 11.0	13.2 9.3 11.0	47.9 25.7 30.7	19.2 13.6 14.1	57.5 56.0 56.7
Male	16-17 18-24 All under 25	51.7 79.2 72.9	83.0 93.7 92.6	39.0 41.6 40.5	41.2 70.7 64.0	61.0 83.7 81.3	33.3 36.9 35.3	20.2 10.8 12.3	26.5 10.7 12.2	14.8 11.4 12.8	48.3 20.8 27.1	17.0 6.3 7.4	61.0 58.4 59.5
Female	16-17 18-24 All under 25	52.6 69.1 65.4	77.6 78.6 78.6	45.8 46.3 46.1	45.3 63.3 59.3	63.3 71.9 71.2	40.3 42.9 41.8	14.0 8.4 9.4	18.5 8.6 9.4	11.9 7.4 9.4	47.4 30.9 34.6	22.4 21.4 21.4	54.2 53.7 53.9
CHANG	ES ON YEAR												
LEVELS													
All	16-17 18-24 All under 25	-27 57 29	3 48 51	-31 9 -22	-10 74 64	3 67 70	-13 7 -6	-17 -17 -34	1 -19 -19	-18 2 -16	49 -2 48	11 -15 -4	39 13 52
Male	16-17 18-24 All under 25	-8 25 18	5 24 28	-13 2 -11	-6 43 37	-4 43 39	-2 -1 -2	-2 -17 -19	-20 -11	-11 3 -8	19 5 24	-10 -5	15 15 29
Female	16-17 18-24 Allunder 25	-20 31 12	-1 24 23	-18 7 -11	-5 31 27	7 24 30	-11 8 -4	-15 -15	-8 -7	-7 -8	30 -7 23	6 -5 1	24 -2 22
RATES	(%)c												
All	16-17 18-24 All under 25	-2.7 0.3 -0.4	-2.3 0.5 0.3	-3.1 0.0 -1.4	-1.4 0.8 0.3	-1.7 1.2 0.9	-1.5 -0.1 -0.7	-1.6 -0.6 -0.8	0.0 -0.8 -0.7	-2.8 0.2 -1.2	2.7 -0.3 0.4	2.3 -0.5 -0.3	3.1 0.0 1.4
Male	16-17 18-24 All under 25	-1.9 0.1 -0.4	-1.4 0.6 0.3	-2.5 -0.7 -1.5	-1.4 0.8 0.3	-4.6 1.7 1.0	-0.5 -1.0 -0.7	-0.1 -1.0 -0.9	4.3 -1.3 -0.8	-4.0 0.8 -1.3	1.9 -0.1 0.4	1.4 -0.6 -0.3	2.5 0.1 1.5
Female	16-17 18-24 All under 25	-3.6 0.6 -0.4	-3.5 0.5 0.2	-3.8 0.7 -1.3	-1.3 0.7 0.2	2.3 0.6 0.7	-2.4 0.7 -0.6	-3.1 -0.2 -0.8	-6.3 -0.1 -0.7	-1.8 -0.3 -1.1	3.6 -0.6 0.4	3.5 -0.5 -0.2	3.6 -0.7 1.3

Source: Labour Force Survey Labour Market Statistics Helpline: 020 75.36094

### OTHER LABOUR MARKET STATISTICS Jobseekers with disabilities: placements into employment

Great Britain

Placed into employment by Jobcentre advisory service

7 July - 3 August 2001

### Background economic indicators: seasonally adjusted | 1

			Output													
JNITE	DOI	М	GDP 1995 prices	s	GDP market price	es	Production industries		Manufactu industries		Service industries		Construction	on	Index of production OECD Countries	
			1995=100		£ billion	Change on year (%)	1995=100	Change on year (%)	1995=100	Change on year (%)	1995=100	Change on		Change on		
993 994 995 996 997 998 999 <b>00</b> 0			93.2 97.3 100.0 102.6 106.2 109.0 111.5 114.9		ABMI 665.4 694.6 714.0 732.2 757.9 777.9 795.7 820.2	2.5 4.4 2.8 2.6 3.5 2.6 2.3 3.1	93.3 98.3 100.0 101.1 102.1 102.9 103.4 105.0	2.2 5.4 1.7 1.1 1.0 0.8 0.5	94.1 98.5 100.0 100.4 101.7 102.2 102.2 103.8	1.4 4.7 1.5 0.4 1.3 0.5 0.0 1.6	92.5 96.8 100.0 103.3 107.8 112.3 115.6 119.5	year (%) 3.1 4.6 3.3 3.3 4.4 4.2 2.9 3.4	97.1 100.8 100.0 101.5 104.7 106.1 106.9 108.6	-1.2 3.8 -0.8 1.5 3.2 1.3 0.8 1.6	92.5 96.4 100.0 102.7 R 108.0 R 110.5 R 113.4 R <b>119.5 R</b>	4.2 R 3.7 2.7 F 5.2 F 1.9 F 2.6 F <b>5.4 F</b>
000	0200	3	114.5 115.5 116.0 F	3	204.4 206.1 207.1	3.4 3.0 2.6	105.2 105.9 105.2	2.4 1.3 0.7	103.4 104.2 104.8	2.1 1.2 1.5	119.0 120.3 121.1	3.6 3.5 3.2	108.8 106.8 107.8	2.5 -0.9 -0.6	119.2R 120.3R 120.5R	6.1 F 5.4 F 4.1 F
001	Q1	1	116.5 <b>116.8</b>		208.0 <b>208.6</b>	2.7 <b>2.1</b>	104.5 103.4	0.7 -1.7	104.1 <b>102.0</b>	1.2 -1.4	122.2 123.0	3.7 3.4	109.6	-1.4	119.0R	1.6 F
			Income				Prices			(4)					Inventories	
			Real house	ehold eincome	Gross trad profits of c	ing ompanies <sup>d</sup>	RPI	RPIX		Producer Pr	ice Indexa,c,j	·			Changes or year 1995	1
			£billion							Materials and	d fuels	Input prices	Output	Home sales	pricesg	
			1995=100	Change of year (%)		Change on year (%)	Change or year (%)	Change on year (%)		1995=100	Change on year (%)	Change on year (%)	100000000000000000000000000000000000000		£ billion	
996 994 996 996 997 998 999			OSXS 96.2 97.4 100.0 102.2 106.1 106.3 109.9 113.3	3.0 1.2 2.7 2.2 3.8 0.2 3.4 3.1	CAED 102.1 117.4 126.3 134.8 146.6 151.6 150.7 155.9	9.0 15.0 7.6 6.7 8.8 3.4 -0.6 <b>3.5</b>	CZBH 1.6 2.4 3.5 2.4 3.1 3.4 1.5 3.0	3.0 2.3 2.9 3.0 2.8 2.6 2.3 2.1		PLKW 90.2 91.9 100.0 98.8 90.6 82.5 83.7 93.3	4.5 1.9 8.8 -1.2 -8.3 -8.9 1.5	3.6 2.6 9.5 -4.3 -6.4 -4.1 -3.3 <b>3.2</b>	2.6 2.3 4.1 1.9 R 0.2 -0.1 -0.4 R <b>0.8 R</b>	4.0 2.5 4.1 2.6 0.9 R 0.6 1.2 <b>2.6 R</b>	CAFU 0.4 4.8 4.5 1.8 3.8 4.2 -1.4 1.9	
000	02	3	112.5 112.6 115.5	1.4 2.7 3.3	38.8 39.7 38.7	4.9 5.7 -2.1	3.1 3.2 3.1	2.1 2.1 2.1		91.2 94.8 96.7	11.4 12.1 9.9	3.2 4.4 3.8	0.9 1.1 0.8	2.6 2.6 2.6	1.5 0.8 -0.5	
001	Q1 Q2		114.2	1.3	39.5	2.1	2.6 1.9	1.9 2.3		95.0 <b>95.3</b>	4.9 <b>4.5</b>	4.2 <b>2.5</b>	0.5 0.1	1.4 0.6	1.4	
			Expenditu						Fixed inve		110		0.1	0.0		
					Retail sale	s volume	Retail sales	value <sup>a</sup>	All industries	е	Manufactu industries <sup>f</sup> 1995 prices	us is	Service in	dustries	General go final consu	overnmen umption 95 prices
			£billion	Change on year (%)	1995=100	Change on year (%)	1995=100	Change on year (%)			£ billion		on £ billion	Change or year (%)	n £ billion (	
993 994 995 996 997 998 999			ABJR 420.1 431.5 438.5 454.7 472.7 491.4 513.4 532.6	2.5 2.7 1.6 3.7 4.0 4.0 4.5 3.7	95.3 98.8 100.0 103.1 108.6 111.7 115.6 120.8	3.1 3.7 1.2 3.1 5.3 2.9 3.5 4.5	92.0 96.3 100.0 105.4 112.0 116.4 120.3 124.7	5.4 4.7 3.8 5.4 6.3 3.9 3.4 <b>3.7</b>	NPEL 68.4 70.9 76.4 83.2 93.0 105.9 113.8 116.0	-3.1 3.6 7.7 8.8 11.8 13.8 7.5 <b>1.9</b>	15.0 17.6 17.8 19.8 20.7 17.7 17.8	17.3 1.1 11.3 4.4 -14.7 0.9	55.9 58.8 65.4 73.2 85.2 96.1 98.2 F	52 112 119 164 129 <b>21R</b>	NMRY 137.0 138.9 141.1 143.5 141.5 143.1 148.8 152.2	-0.4 1.4 1.6 1.7 -1.4 1.1 4.0 2.3
	Q2 Q3 Q4	3	132.4 134.0 134.8	3.6 4.2 3.4	119.5 121.1 122.7	4.3 R 4.3 4.4	118.9 120.1 145.4	3.4 3.4 4.5	28.4 29.1 30.3	-0.5 2.6 5.3	4.3 4.5 4.5	-1.2 4.3 0.1	24.1 24.6 25.8 F	-0.3R 2.3R 6.2R	38.5 R	2.2 F 3.1 F 2.0 F
1001	Q1 Q2		135.7	3.3	124.7 <b>126.7</b>	4.7 R 6.0	119.8 <b>127.4</b>	4.8 <b>7.1</b>	28.8	2.3	4.5	-1.2	24.3	3.0R	38.6 R	2.7 F
			Financialin	ndicators						Trade in goo	ods				Balance of p	payments
			Effective ex rate <sup>a,i</sup>	cchange	Base lending rate <sup>a,h</sup>	FTSE All-share		Money supp growth M0	M4	Export volur	me	Import vo	lume			Current balance
			1990=100	Change on year (%)	(%)		Change on year (%)	Change on (	Change on year (%)	1995=100	Change on year (%)	1995=100	Change or year (%)	1	£billion	£billion
993 1994 1995 1996 1997 1998 1999 2000			AJHX 88.9 89.2 84.8 86.3 100.6 103.9 103.8 107.5	-8.3 0.3 -4.9 1.8 16.6 3.3 -0.1 <b>3.6</b>	AMIH 6.01 5.46 6.70 5.96 6.56 7.24 5.34 5.97	HSEL 1,682 1,521 1,803 2,014 2,411 2,674 3,242 <b>2,984</b>	23.3 -9.6 18.5 11.7 19.7 10.9 21.2 -8.0	EUAC 4.9 6.4 5.9 6.7 6.2 6.1 7.3 8.0	3.5 5.1 7.3 9.9 11.2 9.8 5.5 <b>6.7</b> R	82.8 91.3 100.0 107.7 116.5 117.9 122.0 134.7	3.6 10.3 9.5 7.7 8.2 1.2 3.5 10.4	BQKV 90.6 94.6 100.0 109.1 119.0 129.1 138.7 153.3	3.8 4.4 5.7 9.1 9.1 8.5 7.4		BOKI -13.3 -11.1 -11.7 -13.1 -11.9 -20.5 -26.2 -28.8	HBOP -10.6 -1.5 -3.7 -0.6 6.6 -0.1 -9.9 -16.2
	Q2 Q3 Q4	3	107.7 106.4 107.6	3.5 2.5 1.6	6.00 6.00 6.00	3,030 3,029 2,984	2.8 7.2 -8.0	8.2 R 7.5 R 6.5 R	5.8 8.5 8.6	134.4 135.6 138.5	13.4 5.9 9.6	153.4 155.4 157.9	14.6 9.1 9.2		-7.2 -7.4 -7.6	-5.0 -4.0 -3.7
2001	Q1 Q2		104.5	-3.6	5.86	2,711	-12.8 - <b>10.0</b>	6.9 R	9.1R	141.7R	8.7 F	161.6	10.3		-7.4	-0.2 R

This table is not seasonally adjusted because of the discontinuity between winter 1996/7 and spring 1997.
Full-time education.
Denominator= All persons in the relevant age group for economically active, total in employment and economically inactive; economically active for ILO unemployment.

 $<sup>\</sup>textit{Note:} \ \ \text{Relationship between columns:} \ 1 = 2 + 3; 1 = 4 + 7; 4 = 5 + 6; 7 = 8 + 9; 10 = 11 + 12.$ 

a This figure includes job entries achieved by Employment Service call centres. The data in this table fall outside the scope of National Statistics.

Production industries: SIC divisions 1 to 4.

Manufacturing industries: SIC divisions 2 to 4.

Manufacturing industries: SIC divisions 2 to 4.

Industrial and commercial companies (excluding North Sea oil companies) including inventory holding gains.

Total business investment excluding NHS trusts, land and existing buildings and private sector dwellings.

Average of daily rates.

Annual and quarterly figures are average of monthly indices.

Figures are for the private sector only. They are exclusive of expenditure on dwellings.

Changes in input and output prices are based on the underlying series (excluding food, beverages, tobacco and petroleum) - CSDB series PLLA and PLLV respectively. Home sales are based on series PLLU.

Revised Please note that the current balance of payments series HBOP for Q1 2001 was incorrect in August's issue of *Labour Market Trends*. The balance for Q1 should have been as shown above.

#### **RETAIL PRICES** Summary of recent movements

UNITE	D KINGDOM	All items (RPI)		All items exclud	ding					
				Mortgage inter payments (RPI	est X)	Mortgage inter		Housing		
		Index Jan 13, 1987=100	Percentage change over 12 months	Index Jan 13, 1987=100	Percentage change over 12 months	Index Jan 13, 1987=100	Percentage change over 12 months	Index Jan 13, 1987=100	Percentage change ove 12 months	
		CHAW	СΖВН	СНМК	CDKQ	CBZW	CBZX	CHAZ	CZBI	
0000	6.4	170.5	3.3	167.7	2.2	159.7	1.9	161.2	1.6	
2000	Jul	170.5	3.0	167.6	1.9	159.6	1.5	160.9	1.3	
	Aug Sep	171.7	3.3	168.9	2.2	160.9	2.0	162.2	1.6	
		171.0	3.1	168.7	2.0	160.7	1.6	162.0	1.5	
	Oct	171.6 172.1	3.2	169.2	2.2	161.2	1.8	162.5	1.8	
	Nov Dec	172.2	2.9	169.3	2.0	161.3	1.7	162.5	1.5	
	Dec				4.0	160.2	1.5	161.1	1.3	
2001	Jan	171.1	2.7	168.1	1.8	161.1	1.6	162.0	1.4	
	Feb	172.0	2.7	169.0	1.9	162.1	1.8	162.7	1.4	
	Mar	172.2	2.3	169.6	1.9	102.1	1,0	I OL. /		
	A	173.1	1.8	170.8	2.0	162.9	2.2	163.2	1.2	
	Apr	174.2	2.1	172.1	2.4	164.4	2.8	164.7	1.9	
	May	174.4	1.9	172.5	2.4	164.9	2.8	165.1	1.9	
	Jun	174.4	1.5	172.0						
	Jul	173.3	1.6	171.4	2.2	163.9	2.6	163.6	1.5	

#### H.12 RETAIL PRICES Detailed figures fo Detailed figures for various groups, sub-groups and sections for 17 July 2001

UNITED KINGDOM		Index	Percentag	e change over			Index Jan 1987	Percentag	ge change
		Jan 1987 =100	1 month	12 months			=100	1 month	12 month
ALL ITEMS -	CHAW	173.3	-0.6	1.6	Tobacco	CHBE	285.2	0.0	4.2
ALLITEMO					Cigarettes	DOBN	291.3		4
Food and catering	CHBS	162.9	-1.1	3.3	Tobacco	DOBO	228.2		4
Alcohol and tobacco	CHBT	217.4	0.0	2.8					
Housing and household expenditure	CHBU	179.6	-0.1	1.6	Housing	CHBF	221.5	0.5	2.1
Personal expenditure	CHBV	132.3	-3.6	-0.6	Rent	DOBP	247.0		4
Travelandleisure	CHBW	173.3	-0.2	1.0	Mortgage interest payments	DOBQ	218.4		-10
Travelandielsure	0				Depreciation(Jan 1995=100)	CHOO	160.1		9
Consumer durables	CHBY	102.4	-3.7	-2.0	Community charge and rates/council tax	DOBR	201.2		6
Consumer durables	OHD!	1021	0		Waterandotherpayments	DOBS	268.9		4
0	CHBP	138.7	-9.8	6.6	Repairs and maintenance charges	DOBT	234.9		7
Seasonalfood	CHBB	150.3	-0.1	2.2	Do-it-yourself materials	DOBU	155.6		1
Food excluding seasonal		174.2	-0.4	1.6	Dwelling insurance & ground rent	DOBV	212.1		2
All items excluding seasonal food	CHAX		-0.4	1.5	Dwelling insurance a ground rent	DODV	212.1		
All items excluding food	CHAY	177.9	-0.4	1.5	= 1 10-14	CHBG	125.4	0.0	2.4
					Fuel and light	DOBW	136.5	0.0	4
Otherindices					Coalandsolidfuels				0
All items excluding:	100000000000000000000000000000000000000				Electricity	DOBX	128.1		
Mortgage interest payments (RPIX)	CHMK	171.4	-0.6	2.2	Gas	DOBY	119.7		5
Housing	CHAZ	163.6	-0.9	1.5	Oil and other fuels	DOBZ	154.2		0
Mortgage interest payments and									
indirect taxes (RPIY) [1]	CBZW	163.9	-0.6	2.6	Household goods	CHBH	139.5	-1.9	0.9
Mortgage interest payments and					Fumiture	DOCA	145.6		1
counciltax	DQAD	170.3	-0.6	2.1	Furnishings	DOCB	145.6		2
	Dane	17000			Electrical appliances	DOCC	88.8		1
Mortgage interest payments and	CHON	169.5	-0.8	1.9		DOCD	137.5		-1
depreciation	CHOIN	1052	-0.0	1.0	Otherhouseholdequipment	DOCE	161.9		Ó
	OUDA	1400	-1.8	2.9	Householdconsumables				1
Food	CHBA	148.8	-1.8	1	Petcare	DOCF	153.2		1.
Bread	DOAA	138.0					100000		
Cereals	DOAB	139.0		1	Household services	CHBI	158.1	0.4	0.6
Biscuits and cakes	DOAC	161.9		3	Postage	DOCG	158.7		1
Beef	DOAD	133.8		0	Telephone, telemessages etc	DOCH	87.9		-9
Lamb	DOAE	160.4		5	Domestic services	DOCI	223.1		6
of which, home-killed lamb	DOAF	165.5		3	Fees and subscriptions	DOCJ	203.9		5
Pork	DOAG	141.3		6	reesandsubscriptions	2000			
Bacon	DOAH	173.2		10	Ol III I a seed to absence	CHBJ	102.5	-6.3	-3.9
	DOAL	112.7		2	Clothing and footwear	DOCK	101.7	-0.5	-3
Poultry	DOAJ	141.6		7	Men's outerwear				-8
Othermeat				1	Women's outerwear	DOCL	79.4		
Fish	DOAK	153.5		0	Children's outerwear	DOCM	102.9		-3
of which, fresh fish	DOAL	163.3			Otherclothing	DOCN	150.8		-1
Butter	DOAM	164.1		-1	Footwear	DOCO	111.4		-1
Oil and fats	DOAN	132.5		-2					
Cheese	DOAO	165.4		7	Personal goods and services	CHBQ	191.7	-0.3	3.6
Eggs	DOAP	153.1		0	Personal articles	DOCP	128.2		- 5
Milk fresh	DOAQ	161.7		7	Chemists goods	DOCQ	191.1		0
Milk products	DOAR	140.9		1		DOCR	284.9		7
Tea	DOAS	156.4		2	Personalservices	DOCH	204.0		*
Coffee and other hot drinks	DOAT	115.8		0	and the same of th	OUDI	1005	-0.6	-0.9
	DOAU	186.6		-1	Motoring expenditure	CHBK	182.5	-0.0	-0.9
Softdrinks	DOAU	133.9		1	Purchase of motor vehicles	DOCS	126.6		
Sugarandpreserves	DOAV	160.9		2	Maintenance of motor vehicles	DOCT	223.0		6
Sweets and chocolates				1	Petrol and oil	DOCU	226.5		-7
Potatoes	DOAX	173.8			Vehiclestaxandinsurance	DOCV	261.9		4
of which, unprocessed potatoes	DOAY	199.0		8	TO INCIDENCE IN INCIDENCE INC	10			
Vegetables	DOAZ	118.4		9	Fares and other travel costs	CHBR	190.6	-0.4	2.9
of which, other fresh vegetables	DOBA	107.1		12		DOCW	213.5		3
Fruit	DOBB	144.2		8	Railfares		211.8		3
of which, other fresh fruit	DOBC	140.9		9	Busandcoachfares	DOCX			3
Otherfoods	DOBD	152.6		1	Other travel costs	DOCY	165.5		3
Oil let 100us	5000	1020					2000		
Outube	СНВС	212.8	0.4	4.3	Leisure goods	CHBL	110.0	-0.5	-1.1
Catering			0.4	4.3	Audio-visual equipment	DOCZ	35.7		-10
Restaurantmeals	DOBE	208.0		5	Tapes and discs	DODA	110.6		2
Canteenmeals	DOBF	246.5			Toys, photographic and sports goods	DODB	108.9		-1
Take-aways and snacks	DOBG	206.9		5		DODC	208.0		4
					Booksandnewspapers		148.6		1
Alcoholic drink	CHBD	191.9	0.1	2.2	Gardeningproducts	DODD	148.6		
Beer	DOBH	207.1		2					6.5
onsales	DOBI	216.2		3	Leisureservices	CHBM	221.6	1.1	
	DOBJ	161.5		0	Television licences and rentals	DODE	135.8		1
offsales	DOBK	171.2		2	Entertainment and other recreation	DODF	270.3		5
Wines and spirits	DOBL	203.9		3	Foreign holidays(Jan 1993=100)	CHMQ	149.3		10
onsales				1	UKholidays(Jan 1994=100)	CHMS	130.3		6
offsales	DOBM	153.0			Unitionalys (Jai 1994-100)	OI IIVIO	100.0		

The taxes excluded are Council Tax, VAT, duties, car purchase tax and vehicle excise duty, insurance tax and airport tax.

#### See general notes under Table H.13.

#### Average retail prices of selected items H.13 RETAIL PRICES

Shown below are key items selected from the General Index of Retail Prices. The average prices for these goods have been derived from prices collected in more than 146 areas in the United Kingdom.

It is only possible to calculate a meaningful average price for fairly standard items; that is, those which do not vary between retail outlets.

The averages given are subject to uncertainty, an indication of which is given in the price ranges in the final column below. These show the range within which at least fourfifths of the recorded prices fell.

#### Average prices on 17 July 2001

Item		Number of quotations	Average price (pence)	Price range within which 80 percent of quotations fell (pence)	ltem		Number of quotations	Average price (pence)	Price range within which 80 per cent of quotations fell (pence)
Beef home-killed, per kg	CZPI	559	410	000 500	Cheese, per kg	071111	-		
Topside	CZPH	445	416 654	230-598 489-749	Cheddartype	CZNW	186	512	339-659
Rump steak <sup>a</sup>	CZPF	577	875	800-1014	Eggs				
Sewingsteak	CZPE	513	481	295-793	Size 2(65-70g), per dozen Size 4(55-60g), per dozen	CZNV	146 164	174	129-238
Landhome-killed, per kg					012e4(00-00g), per dozerr	CZNO	104	151	115-230
Lein (with bone)	CZPD	522	903	659-1196	Milk				
Shoulder (with bone)	CZPC	333	357	290-466	Pasteurised, perpint <sup>b</sup>	CZNT	237	37	28- 41
Lames imported (frozen), per k	g				Tea				
oin (with bone)	CZPA	124	590	374-747	Loose, per 125g	CZNR	202	82	74- 98
eg (with bone)	CZOZ	128	446	358-515	Teabags, per 250g	CZNQ	239	144	115-179
Por home-killed, per kg	0.000				Coffee				
in (with bone)	CZOX	581	431	367-549	Pure, instant, per 100g	CZNP	240	181	159-220
noulder (without bone)	DOLN	361	347	282-417	Ground(filter line), 227g	CZNO	201	195	129-242
Bacon, per kg					Sugar				
Gammon <sup>a</sup>	CZOU	595	570	485-685	Granulated, perkg	CZNN	182	57	49- 80
Lacka	DOIF	648	687	499-1094					40 00
Harr					Fresh vegetables				
m (not shoulder),113q	CZOR	699	98	69-129	Potatoes, old loose, perkgc	CZNM	433	96	59-114
in (notonodidor), rrog	OZOIT	000	30	09-129	Potatoes, new loose, per kg <sup>c</sup> Tomatoes, per kg <sup>c</sup>	CZNK CZNJ	501 623	89	50-159
Saucages, per kgc					Cabbage, hearted, per kg <sup>c</sup>	CZNH	492	106 80	88- 139 66- 99
Fork	CZOQ	611	327	218-436	Cauliflower, each	CZNG	574	67	49-79
					Brussel sprouts, per kgc	CZNF	-	-	43-73
Can ad meats	0700	200	-		Carrots, per kg <sup>c</sup>	CZNE	630	74	59-92
comed beef, 340g	CZOO	202	97	79-119	Onions, perkg <sup>c</sup>	CZND	628	76	55-93
Chicaen: roasting, oven ready,	nerka				Mushrooms, per kg <sup>c</sup>	CZNC	617	262	238-320
Frozen	CZON	158	168	131-209	Cucumber, each Lettuce - iceberg, each	CZNB CZNA	613	53	45- 65
Fresh or chilled	CZOM	567	233	181-286	Broccoli, per kg	SDHY	611 482	53 142	48- 60 97-212
					2. cocon, por ng	ODITI	402	142	91-212
Fresh and smoked fish, per kg Cod fillets	CZOL	005	074	050 1100	Fresh fruit				
Simon fillets	ZPTX	365 332	874 909	659-1100 659-1198	Apples, cooking, per kg <sup>c</sup>	CZMZ	562	117	99-139
e anormiets	21 17	302	909	009-1198	Apples, dessert, per kgc	CZMY	569	120	79-159
Bread					Pears, dessert, per kg <sup>c</sup> Oranges, each	CZMX CZMW	566	139	108-155
Varite loaf, sliced, 800g	CZOH	222	50	35- 82	Bananas, per kg <sup>c</sup>	CZMV	571 613	26 109	22- 35
White loaf, unwrapped, 800g	CZOG	160	71	59- 91	Grapes, per kg <sup>c</sup>	CZMU	529	239	99-119 152-349
Brown loaf, sliced, 400g	CZOE	176	55	39- 69	Avocado pear, each	DOHT	365	74	60- 99
Bawn loaf, unsliced, 800g	CZOD	143	71	59-103	Grapefruit, each	DOHN	579	35	32- 42
Flour					Items other than food				
Selfraising, per 1.5kg	CZOC	225	60	38- 95	Draught bitter, per pint	CZMT	542	182	150-215
Butter					Draught lager, per pint	CZMS	534	204	180-240
Home produced, per 250g	C70P	005	70	00.05	Whisky per nip	CZMR	542	148	125-180
Imported, per 250g	CZOB DOHX	235 220	78 88	69- 95 78- 99	Cigarettes 20 king size filter	CZMP	711	412	370-449
	DOM	220	00	78- 99	Coal, per 50kg	CZMO	117	754	640-955
Margazine					Smokeless fuel, per 50kg Lead replacement petrol, per litred	CZMN CZMM	119	980	820-1330
Margarine/Low fat spread					Ultra low sulphur diesel, per litred	CZML	497 526	82 78	80- 84
per500g	DOIB	233	81	34-109	Ultralowsulphur/Unleadedpetrol, perlitre		526	78 78	77- 80 77- 80

r Scottish equivalent.

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To February 1999, prices for these items are quoted as per kg. In order to calculate the price per lb (the previously published measure), divide the given price by 8.812.

To February 2000, 4-star petrol and derv were replaced with lead replacement petrol and ultra low sulphur diesel respectively.

#### General notes -retail prices

The responsibility for the Retail Prices Index was transferred in July 1989 from the Employment Department to the Office for National Statistics (formerly Central Statistical Office). The RPI is now published in full in the ONS Business Monitor MM23.

#### Structure

With effect from February 1987 the structure of the published components was recast. In some cases, therefore, no direct Omparison of the new component with the old is possible. The lationship between the old and the new index structure is shown n Employment Gazette, p379, September 1986.

#### **Definitions**

Seasonal food: items of food the prices of which show significant seasonal variations. These are fresh fruit and vegetables, fresh fish, eggs and home-killed lamb.

Consumer durables: Furniture, furnishings, electrical appliances and other household equipment, men's, women's and children's outerwear and footwear, audio-visual equipment, records and tapes, toys, photographic and sports goods.

Note: Indices are given to one decimal place to provide as much information as is available although accuracy is reduced at lower levels of aggregation. For this reason, annual percentage changes for individual sections are given rounded to the nearest whole number.

### H.14 RETAIL PRICES General index of retail prices

INITED KINGDOM	ALL	Allitems	Allitems	Allitems	Allitems	National- ised	Consumer	Food			Catering	Alcoholic drink
anuary 13 1987 = 100	ITEMS	except food	except seasonal fooda	except housing	except mortgage interest	industriesb	durabioo	All	Seasonal <sup>a</sup>	Non- seasonala		
	CZGU	CZGV	CZGW	CZGX	CZGY		CBWA	CZGZ	CZHA	СΖНВ	CZHC	CZHD
Veights 987	1,000	833	974	843	956	57	139	167 163	26 25	141 138	46 50	. 76 . 78
988	1,000	837	975	840	958 940	54 46	141 135	154	23	131	49	83
989	1,000 1,000	846 842	977 976	825 815	925	-	132	158	24	134	47	77
990 991	1,000	849	976	808	924	-	128	151 152	24 22	127 130	47 47	77 80
992	1,000	848	978	828	936 952	-	127 127	144	21	123	45	78
1993	1,000	856 858	979 980	836 842	956	-	127	142	20	122	45	76
994 995	1,000 1,000	861	978	813	958	-	123	139	22 22	117 121	45 48	77 78
1996	1,000	857	978	810	958 961		116 122	143 136	19	117	49	80
1997	1,000	864 870	981 982	814 803	955	-	121	130	18	112	48	71
998 1999	1,000 1,000	872	980	807	958		127	128 118	20 18	108 100	51 52	69 65
2000	1,000	882	982 982	805 795	960 954		126 125	116	18	98	53	68
2001	1,000	884	982	190	304				OUDD	CURR	СНВС	CHBD
Annual averages	CHAW	CHAY	CHAX	CHAZ	СНМК	400.0	CHBY	CHBA 101.1	101.6	CHBB 101.0	102.8	101.7
1987	101.9	102.0	101.9	101.6	101.9 106.6	100.9 106.7	101.2 103.7	104.6	102.4	105.0	109.6	106.0
1988	106.9 115.2	107.3 116.1	107.0 115.5	105.8 111.5	112.9	-	107.2	110.5	105.0	111.6	116.5	1123
989	126.1	127.4	126.4	119.2	122.1	-	111.3	119.4	116.4 121.6	119.9 126.3	126.4 139.1	123 8
1990 1991	133.5	135.1	133.8	128.3	130.3 136.4		114.8 115.5	125.6 128.3	114.7	130.6	147.9	1483
1992	138.5	140.5 142.6	139.1 141.4	134.3 138.4	140.5	-	115.9	130.6	111.4	134.0	155.6	154.
1993 1994	140.7 144.1	146.5	144.8	141.6	143.8	-	115.5	131.9	117.7 127.2	134.3 138.5	162.1 169.0	160
995	149.1	151.4	149.6	145.4	147.9	-	116.2 117.1	137.0 141.4	125.4	144.2	175.7	160
996	152.7	154.9	153.4 158.5	149.3 152.9	152.3 156.5	-	117.3	141.5	118.5	145.7	182.3	17:
997	157.5 162.9	160.5 166.5	163.8	156.2	160.6	-	115.9	143.4	125.0	146.6	189.3 196.6	179
998 999	165.4	169.4	166.5	158.9	164.3	-	112.3 108.0	143.8 143.4	124.3 124.0	147.4 146.9	203.6	184
2000	170.3	175.1	171.4	161.3	167.7	-			100.0	100.0	100.0	100
987 Jan 13	100.0	100.0	100.0 103.3	100.0 103.2	100.0 103.7	100.0 102.8	100.0 101.2	100.0	103.7	102.7	106.4	100
1988 Jan 12	103.3 111.0	103.4 111.7	111.2	108.5	109.4	110.9	104.5	107.4	103.2	108.2	113.1 121.2	100
1989 Jan 17 1990 Jan 16	119.5	120.2	119.6	114.6	116.1	-	108.0	116.0 122.9	116.3 121.2	116.0 123.1	132.2	123
1991 Jan 15	130.2	131.6	130.4	122.7 131.6	126.0 133.1	-	110.7 113.2	128.4	125.2	129.0	144.3	1/3
1992 Jan 14	135.6 137.9	137.1 139.7	135.9 138.6	135.0	137.4	-	112.8	128.8	112.2	131.7	151.7	, 151
1993 Jan 12 1994 Jan 18	141.3	143.5	142.1	139.3	141.3	-	113.0	130.0	110.3 126.3	133.5 135.3	159.1 165.7	185
1995 Jan 17	146.0	148.3	146.5	142.9	145.2 149.3	-	113.2 113.8	134.1 139.6	128.5	141.4	172.5	
1996 Jan 16	150.2	152.3 157.0	150.7 155.3	146.8 150.7	153.9	-	114.2	141.0	120.3	144.7	179.2	
1997 Jan 14 1998 Jan 13	154.4 159.5	162.8	160.4	153.7	157.7	-	113.2	141.8	121.2 133.1	145.5 147.9	185.8 193.2	
1999 Jan 19	163.4	166.7	164.2	156.8	161.8	-	110.6 106.3	145.8 142.9	122.4	146.7	200.1	183
2000 Jan 18	166.6	171.0	167.8 172.1	159.1 161.1	165.2 168.1	-	102.8	145.1	129.7	147.7	207.1	189
2001 Jan 16	171.1	175.8			164.1		109.6	143.3	117.6	148.1	197.2	
1999 Jul 20	165.1 165.5	169.1 169.7	166.3 166.8	158.6 158.9	164.1	-	110.5	142.6	116.2	147.6	197.8 198.1	
Aug 17 Sep 14	166.2	170.6	167.4	159.6	165.2	-	112.7	142.4	117.1	147.2		
Oct 19	166.5	171.0	167.7	159.6	165.4	-	111.6	142.1	119.8 122.2	146.3 146.5	198.7 198.9	
Nov 16	166.7	171.1	167.8	159.7	165.6 165.9	-	112.3 113.2	142.7 142.9	122.4	146.7	199.3	
Dec 14	167.3	171.8	168.4	160.1	100.9					1407	200.1	
2000 Jan 18	166.6	171.0	167.8	159.1	165.2	-	106.3	142.9 142.9	122.4 121.2	146.7 146.9	200.1	
Feb 15	167.5	172.0	168.7	159.7 160.5	165.8 166.4		108.4 109.6		117.6		201.3	
Mar 14	168.4	173.2	169.7	160.5	100.4					440.4	201.9	13
Apr11	170.1	175.3	171.5	161.3	167.5		110.0	141.8 143.1	117.5 121.8		201.5	
May 16	170.7	175.7	171.9	161.7 162.0	168.0 168.4	-	110.1 109.3		124.0		203.4	
Jun 13	171.1	176.1	172.3	102.0	100.4				100 1	4474	204.1	18
Jul 18	170.5	175.2	171.5			- 3	104.5		130.1 123.3	147.1 147.0		40
Aug 15	170.5	175.4	171.7		167.6		105.6 108.0		124.4			
Sep 12	171.7	176.8	172.9	162.2	168.9		*					
Oct 17	171.6	176.6	172.8	162.0		-	`107.4		124.4 129.5	147.3 147.0		
Nov 14	172.1	177.1	173.2	162.5	169.2	-	108.2 108.6		131.9			
Dec 12	172.2	177.1	173.2	162.5	169.3		100.0					
0004	171.1	175.8	172.1	161.1	168.1	-	102.8		129.7			
2001 Jan 16 Feb 13	171.1		173.0	162.0	169.0	-	104.9		129.5 131.7			
Mar 13	172.2			162.7	169.6	-	106.7	140.7	101.7			
	470.4	177.0	174.1	163.2	170.8		105.7		134.5			
Apr 10	173.1 174.2			164.7	172.1	-	106.4	150.7	151.6			•
May 15 Jun 12	174.4					-	106.3	151.5	153.8	3 150.4	211.	
					171.4		102.4	148.8	138.7	150.3	3 212.	8 15

a For the February, March and April 1988 indices the weights used for seasonal and non-seasonal food were 24 and 139 respectively. Thereafter the weight for home-killed lamb (a seasonal item) was increased by 1 and that for imported lamb (a non-seasonal item) correspondingly reduced by 1, in the light of new information about the relative shares of household expenditure.

The nationalised industries index is no longer published from December 1989.

Note: See general notes under Table H.13.

### General index of retail prices H.14

Tobacco	Housing	Fuel and light	Household goods	Household services	Clothing and footwear	Personal goods and services	Motoring expendi- ture	Faresand other travel	Leisure goods	Leisure services	
CZHE 38 36 36 36 34	CZHF 157 160 175 185	CZHG 61 55 54 50	73 74 71 71	CZHI 44 41 41 40	<b>CZHJ</b> 74 72 73 69	38 37 37 37 39	127 132 128 131	CZHM 22 23 23 23 21	CZHN 47 50 47 48	CZHQ 30 29 29 30	Weights 1987 1988 1989
36 36 35 35 34 35 34 34 31 30 29	192 172 164 158 187 190 186 197 193 195 205	46 47 46 45 45 43 41 36 34 32 29	70 77 79 76 77 72 72 72 74 72 71	45 48 47 47 47 48 52 54 57 56 57	8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8	38 40 39 37 39 38 40 40 40 43 43	141 143 136 142 125 124 128 136 139 146 140	20 20 21 20 19 17 20 21 21 21 23	48 47 46 48 46 45 47 46 47 46 49	330 322 622 7166 655 6166 666 64	1990 1991 1992 1993 1994 1995 1996 1997 1998 1999 2000 2001
CHBE	CHBF	CHBG	СНВН	СНВІ	СНВЈ	СНВО	снвк	CHBR	CHBL	СНВМ	Annual averages
100.1 103.4 106.4 113.6 29.9 144.2 156.4 168.2 179.5 191.5 205.6 223.3 248.9 270.4	103.3 112.5 135.3 163.7 160.8 159.6 151.0 156.0 166.4 168.6 179.6 195.4 196.9 214.4	99.1 101.6 107.3 115.9 125.1 127.8 126.2 131.7 134.5 134.8 130.6 125.0 124.4	102.1 105.9 110.1 115.4 122.5 126.5 128.0 128.4 133.1 137.5 139.1 140.8 141.5	101.9 106.8 112.5 119.6 129.5 137.0 141.9 142.0 141.6 141.7 144.3 148.1 152.4 157.1	101.1 104.4 109.9 115.0 118.5 118.8 119.8 120.4 120.6 119.7 120.6 119.7 120.6 119.7	101.9 106.8 114.1 122.7 133.4 142.2 147.9 153.3 158.2 164.1 170.0 178.0 183.6 185.5	103.4 108.1 114.0 120.9 129.9 138.7 144.7 152.4 157.0 165.3 170.5 174.6 181.3	101.5 107.5 115.2 123.4 135.5 143.9 151.4 159.3 164.1 169.6 173.3 178.7 184.6	101.6 104.1 107.4 112.4 117.7 120.8 122.5 121.8 121.7 123.6 123.9 121.1 116.2 112.1	101.6 108.1 115.1 124.5 138.8 150.0 156.7 162.5 167.7 173.8 182.3 190.3 198.1 207.9	1987 1988 1989 1990 1991 1992 1993 1994 1995 1996 1997 1998 1999 2000
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53.3 53.9 54.0	196.6 197.4 198.2	124.2 124.2 124.5	139.5 140.6 141.6	151.7 152.1 153.5	112.7 114.4 118.8	183.9 184.6 185.0	176.0 176.7 176.2	179.8 180.1 180.2	115.5 114.8 114.3	198.3 199.0 200.6	1999 Jul 20 Aug 17 Sep 14
54.0 54.0	199.8 200.6 202.3	124.6 124.9 125.5	140.5 142.0 144.8	154.8 154.9 155.4	117.8 118.1 117.1	184.8 185.0 184.8	176.8 175.8 176.3	180.5 180.6 180.5	114.0 113.7 113.7	202.0 202.5 202.3	Oct 19 Nov 16 Dec 14
54.2 56.7 56.9	203.8 205.5 207.4	125.4 125.4 125.5	137.8 138.9 140.5	156.5 156.5 156.7	109.1 112.8 114.5	183.8 184.0 184.7	177.9 177.9 180.6	181.5 181.8 181.9	113.5 113.5 112.9	202.6 203.3 204.1	2000 Jan 18 Feb 15 Mar 14
272.9 273.1 273.6	213.9 214.9 216.1	123.8 122.9 122.4	140.6 140.9 140.5	156.4 156.1 156.4	115.6 115.5 114.8	184.5 185.4 184.8	182.3 182.4 184.4	183.7 184.4 185.1	112.9 113.0 112.2	205.1 206.1 207.3	Apr11 May16 Jun13
273.7 275.3 277.1	216.9 217.7 218.6	122.5 122.5 124.1	138.3 139.0 141.1	157.2 156.4 158.3	106.7 108.5 112.5	185.1 185.9 186.2	184.1 181.2 182.1	185.3 186.5 186.3	111.2 111.6 111.3	208.1 209.0 211.7	Jul 18 Aug 15 Sep 12
277.3 277.3 277.3	219.1 219.4 220.1	124.6 124.2 123.9	139.8 141.3 143.6	158.3 158.5 157.8	112.4 113.1 112.2	186.8 187.4 187.4	180.4 181.6 180.9	186.1 186.3 186.3	111.0 111.1 110.7	212.8 212.4 212.6	Oct 17 Nov 14 Dec 12
277.3 280.1 283.9	220.8 221.6 219.4	123.1 123.2 123.2	138.0 139.5 141.9	157.1 157.0 156.4	105.1 108.3 110.2	187.9 189.1 190.1	179.7 180.3 179.2	188.0 188.3 188.5	109.7 110.4 110.2	213.5 214.5 215.1	2001 Jan 16 Feb 13 Mar 13
285.0 285.1 285.1	222.4 221.8 220.5	125.1 125.4 125.4	141.1 142.2 142.2	156.8 157.3 157.5	109.3 109.4 109.4	190.9 191.9 192.2	180.2 182.5 183.6	189.7 191.3 191.3	110.1 110.6 110.5	217.7 218.8 219.2	Apr10 May15 Jun12
285.2	221.5	125.4	139.5	158.1	102.5	191.7	182.5	190.6	110.0	221.6	Jul 17

#### H 15 RETAIL PRICES General index of retail prices: percentage changes on a year earlier

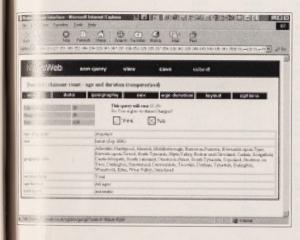
		All	Food	Catering	Alcoholic drink	Tobacco	Housing	Fuel and light	House- hold goods	House- hold services	Clothing and footwear	Personal goods and services	Motoring expendi- ture	Fares and other travel costs	Leisure	Leisure
			CCYY	CZCB	CZCF	CZCM	CZCP	CZCX	CZDC	CZDJ	CZDO	CZDU	CZDY	CZED	CZEH	CZEN
		CZBH					3.9	-1.7	3.3	5.0	1.1	4.3	5.1	5.1	2.8	3.6
988	Jan 12	3.3	2.9	6.4	3.7	1.4			4.1	5.0	4.7	5.8	5.2	7.4	2.2	8.5
989	Jan 17	7.5	4.4	6.3	6.0	4.1	19.9	6.0	4.1	5.4	4.6	7.4	4.0	4.1	4.8	6.
990	Jan 16	7.7	8.0	7.2	5.8	2.6	17.0	6.1		7.9	3.1	7.3	6.8	11.3	4.4	9
991	Jan 15	9.0	5.9	9.1	11.5	9.1	17.0	9.9	4.2		1.3	8.8	9.1	7.7	3.8	11
992	Jan 14	4.1	4.5	9.2	10.9	16.2	-8.6	5.0	6.2	7.8		4.6	2.9	5.5	1.7	5
993	Jan 12	1.7	0.3	5.1	4.9	9.2	-2.8	-0.5	1.5	3.3	-0.7		7.0	3.6	0.8	4
	Jan 18	2.5	0.9	4.9	3.9	11.0	-0.9	-1.3	0.2	1.9	1.1	3.3		2.3	-0.9	
1994		3.3	3.2	4.1	2.8	5.5	6.9	6.9	1.7	-0.4	0.8	3.6	2.3		1.0	3
1995	Jan 17		4.1	4.1	2.9	7.1	3.6	0.6	3.9	-0.2	-0.1	3.2	2.1	2.3		3
1996	Jan 16	2.9		3.9	3.1	6.4	3.4	-1.3	1.7	0.8	0.0	4.3	5.8	3.4	1.1	4
1997	Jan 14	2.8	1.0	3.7	3.2	9.4	8.8	-5.8	1.0	2.7	-0.9	3.3	3.5	3.1	-0.8	5
1998	Jan 13	3.3	0.6		3.6	8.0	4.2	-1.0	1.4	2.8	-1.9	5.2	0.6	2.3	-2.9	. 3
1999	Jan 19	2.4	2.8	4.0		7.5	4.5	0.9	-0.7	3.9	-3.5	1.4	4.9	3.3	-4.7	4
2000	Jan 18	2.0	-2.0	3.6	1.6			-1.8	0.1	0.4	-3.7	2.2	1.0	3.6	-3.3	5
2001	Jan 16	2.7	1.5	3.5	1.7	9.1	8.3	-1.0	0.1	0.1						
				100		10.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	2.8	-1.7	3.1	2.5	3.3	-4.3	4
1999	Jul 20	1.3	0.1	4.0	2.4	13.1	-0.8	0.0	0.3	3.3	-2.4	2.9	2.9	3.3	-4.6	4
	Aug 17	1.1	-1.4	3.8	2.4	13.2	-0.9	0.0	0.3	3.1	-3.0	2.9	2.7	3.4	-4.7	4
	Sep14	1.1	-1.2	3.7	2.3	13.3	-0.9	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.0	2.0	700			
					0.1	13.1	-0.4	0.1	0.0	2.9	-3.0	2.4	3.6	3.9	-4.8	4
	Oct 19	1.2	-1.6	3.7	2.1	13.1	0.4	0.4	-0.1	3.0	-3.3	2.3	3.7	3.8	-5.0	4
	Nov16	1.4	-1.0	3.4	2.2	9.9	2.4	1.0	-0.6	3.3	-3.5	1.9	4.9	3.6	-5.0	4
	Dec 14	1.8	-1.6	3.4	1.9	9.9	2.4	1.0	-0.0	0.0	0.0					
			0.0	3.6	1.6	7.5	4.5	0.9	-0.7	3.9	-3.5	1.4	4.9	3.3	-4.7	4
2000	Jan 18	2.0	-2.0		1.4	8.5	5.8	1.0	-1.2	3.8	-2.5	1.0	5.0	3.2	-4.3	
	Feb 15	2.3	-2.1	3.7		4.9	8.2	0.8	-2.0	3.7	-2.8	1.7	4.8	3.3	-4.5	
	Mar 14	2.6	-2.1	3.7	1.6	4.5	0.2	0.0								
		0.0	-1.7	3.3	1.6	9.8	9.4	-0.3	-0.6	3.2	-2.0	0.8	3.7	3.7	-4.1	4
	Apr11	3.0		3.5	1.6	9.9	9.8	-0.9	-1.4	3.1	-2.5	1.3	3.9	3.4	-3.8	
	May 16	3.1	-1.2	3.5	1.3	9.8	10.1	-1.2	-0.9	3.2	-3.0	0.6	5.4	3.2	-3.9	
	Jun 13	3.3	-0.6	3.5	1.5	3.0	10.1									
	1.140	22	0.9	3.5	1.4	8.1	10.3	-1.4	-0.9	3.6	-5.3	0.7	4.6	3.1	-3.7	
	Jul 18	3.3	0.9	3.4	1.4	8.4	10.3	-1.4	-1.1	2.8	-5.2	0.7	2.5	3.6	-2.8	
	Aug 15	3.0		3.6	1.6	9.1	10.3	-0.3	-0.4	3.1	-5.3	0.6	3.3	3.4	-2.6	
	Sep12	3.3	0.8	3.0	1.0	0.1	10.0							-		
		0.1	1.2	3.5	1.6	9.2	9.7	0.0	-0.5	2.3	-4.6	1.1	2.0	3.1	-2.6	
	Oct 17	3.1		3.6	1.8	9.2	9.4	-0.6	-0.5	2.3	-4.2	1.3	3.3	3.2	-2.3	
	Nov 14	3.2	1.3	3.7	1.7	9.2	8.8	-1.3	-0.8	1.5	-4.2	1.4	2.6	3.2	-2.6	
	Dec 12	2.9	1.3	3.7	1.7	5.2	0.0									
0004	lan 16	2.7	1.5	3.5	1.7	9.1	8.3	-1.8	0.1	0.4	-3.7	22	1.0	3.6	-3.3	
2001	Jan 16		1.5	3.5	1.8	9.1	7.8	-1.8	0.4	0.3	-4.0	2.8	1.3	3.6	-2.7	
	Feb 13	2.7	3.3	3.7	1.9	10.5	5.8	-1.8	1.0	-0.2	-3.8	2.9	-0.8	3.6	-2.4	
	Mar 13	2.3	3.3	3.7	1.5	10.0	3.0						100	0.0	0.5	
	Anv10	1.8	3.7	3.9	2.2	4.4	4.0	1.1	0.4	0.3	-5.4	3.5	-1.2	3.3	-2.5	
	Apr 10		5.3	3.8	2.0	4.4	3.2	2.0	0.9	0.8	-5.3	3.5	0.1	3.7	-2.1	
	May 15	2.1 1.9	5.6	4.2	2.1	4.2	2.0	2.5	1.2	0.7	-4.7	4.0	-0.4	3.3	-1.5	
	Jun 12	1.9	5.0	4.2							-		0.0	2.9	-1.1	
	Jul 17	1.6	2.9	4.3	2.2	4.2	2.1	2.4	0.9	0.6	-3.9	3.6	-0.9	2.9	-1.1	

Note: See general notes under Table H.13.

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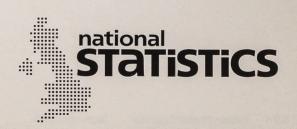


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#### RETAIL PRICES EU countries - Harmonised Indices of Consumer Prices (HICPs)<sup>a</sup>

1996=1	00	European Union (15) <sup>c</sup>	United Kingdom	Austria	Belgium	Denmark	Finland	France	Germany	
		CLNJ	CHVJ	CLMV	CLMW	CLMX	CLMY	CLMZ	CLNA	
1996 1997 1998 1999 2000	averages	100.0 101.7 103.0 104.3 106.4	100.0 101.8 103.4 104.8 <b>105.6</b>	100.0 101.2 102.0 102.5 104.5	100.0 101.5 102.4 103.6 106.4	100.0 101.9 103.3 105.4 <b>108.3</b>	100.0 101.2 102.6 103.9 107.0	100.0 101.3 102.0 102.5 104.4	100.0 101.5 102.1 102.8 104.9	
lonthly	y			400.4	100 F	105.7	104.2	102.6	102.8	
	Jun Jul Aug Sep	104.3 104.3 104.4 104.6	105.1 104.4 104.8 105.2	102.1 102.2 102.4 102.3	103.5 103.7 103.5 103.8	105.4 105.7 106.1	103.9 104.0 104.5	102.3 102.5 102.7	103.3 103.3 103.0	
	Oct Nov Dec	104.6 104.8 105.1	105.1 105.3 105.5	102.7 103.0 103.9	103.9 104.1 104.5	106.2 106.4 106.6	104.6 104.6 104.9	102.8 102.9 103.4	102.9 103.0 103.4	
	Jan Feb Mar	105.0 105.4 105.8	104.5 104.9 105.1	103.5 104.3 104.4	103.1 105.2 105.7	106.5 107.0 107.8	104.8 105.6 106.3	103.3 103.5 104.0	103.8 104.2 104.4	
	Apr May Jun	106.0 106.1 106.5	105.5 105.7 105.9	104.2 104.1 104.5	105.9 106.2 106.6	108.0 108.4 108.8	106.5 107.0 107.4	104.0 104.2 104.5	104.3 104.2 104.9	
	Jul Aug Sep	106.5 106.5 107.1	105.4 105.4 106.2	104.2 104.3 104.7	105.5 107.1 107.9	108.3 108.0 109.0	106.9 107.0 108.1	104.3 104.5 105.1	105.4 105.2 105.7	
	Oct Nov Dec	107.2 107.5 107.5	106.1 106.4 106.4	105.0 105.4 105.8	107.7 107.9 107.6	109.2 109.3 109.1	108.2 108.1 107.9	105.2 105.2 104.7	105.7 105.8 106.1	
	Jan Feb Mar	107.3 107.8 108.2	105.4 105.7 106.1	105.8 106.2 106.4	105.9 107.8 108.0	108.9 109.5 110.2	108.5 109.0 109.5	105.0 105.5 106.1	106.8 107.0 107.3	
	Apr May <b>Jun</b>	108.8 109.4 <b>109.5</b> P	106.7 107.5 <b>107.7</b>	106.9 107.1 107.2P	109.0 109.5 <b>109.8</b>	111.4 111.2	110.5 110.6	106.8 106.8P	107.9 108.1	
Percer	ntage change on	a year earlier CLNX	CJYR	CLNL	CLNM	CLNN	CLNO	CLNP	CLNQ	
Annua	laverages								Percent	
1996 1997 1998 1999 <b>2000</b>		2.4 1.7 1.3 1.2 <b>2.1</b>	2.5 1.8 1.6 1.3 0.8	1.8 1.2 0.8 0.5 <b>2.0</b>	1.8 1.5 0.9 1.1 <b>2.9</b>	2.1 1.9 1.3 2.1 2.7	1.2 1.4 1.3 1.6 3.0	2.1 1.3 0.7 0.6 1.8	1.2 1.5 0.6 0.6 <b>2.1</b>	A
Month		1.0	1.4	0.2	0.7	1.9	12	0.3	0.4	
1999	Jul Aug Sep	1.1 1.2 1.3	1.3 1.3 1.2	0.3 0.5 0.6	0.7 0.9 1.3	2.0 2.4 2.4	1.4 1.3 1.4	0.4 0.5 0.6	0.6 0.7 0.8	
	Oct Nov Dec	1.3 1.4 1.7	1.2 1.3 1.2	0.8 1.0 1.7	1.4 1.6 2.1	2.6 2.7 3.1	1.6 1.9 2.2	0.8 1.0 1.4	0.9 1.0 1.4	
2000	Jan Feb Mar	1.8 1.9 1.9	0.8 1.0 0.7	1.4 2.0 2.0	0.3 2.1 2.5	2.8 2.8 3.0	2.3 2.7 3.2	1.7 1.5 1.7	1.9 2.1 2.1	
	Apr May Jun	1.7 1.7 2.1	0.6 0.5 0.8	1.8 1.6 2.4	2.3 2.4 3.0	2.9 2.8 2.9	2.5 2.7 3.1	1.4 1.6 1.9	1.5 2.0 2.0	
	Jul Aug Sep	2.1 2.0 2.5	1.0 0.6 1.0	2.0 1.9 2.3	1.7 3.5 3.9	2.8 2.2 2.7	2.9 2.9 3.4	2.0 2.0 2.3	1.8 2.6 2.4	
	Oct Nov Dec	2.4 2.6 2.3	1.0 1.0 0.9	2.2 2.3 1.8	3.7 3.7 3.0	2.8 2.7 2.3	3.4 3.3 2.9	2.1 2.2 1.7	2.6 2.3	
2001	Jan Feb Mar	22 23 23	0.9 0.8 1.0	22 1.8 1.9	2.7 2.5 2.2	2.3 2.3 2.2 2.6	2.9 2.7 2.5	1.4 1.4 2.0	2.2 2.5 2.5 2.9	
	Apr May <b>Jun</b>	2.6 3.1 <b>2.8</b> P	1.1 1.7 1.7	2.5 2.9 <b>2.6 P</b>	2.9 3.1 <b>3.0</b>	2.8 2.8	2.8 3.3 <b>3.0</b>	2.5 2.2 P	2.9 3.6 3.1	V V

Harmonised Indices of Consumer Prices (HICPs) are being calculated in each member state of the European Union for the purpose of international comparisons. This is in the context of one of the convergence criteria for monetary union as required by the Maastricht Treaty. The rules underlying the construction of the HICPs for EU member states were published in a Commission Regulation of 9 September 1996. The HICPs replace the Interim Indices of Consumer Prices which were published by Eurostat in a monthly news release. Figures for Irish Republic for 1996 are only available on a quarterly basis. Percentage change figures for 1996 are estimated.

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Greece	Irish Republic <sup>b</sup>	Italy <sup>c</sup>	Luxembourg	Netherlands	Portugal	Spain	Sweden	1996=100
CLNB	CLNC	CLND	CLNE	CLNF	CLNG	CLNH	CLNI	Annualaverages
100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	1996
105.4	101.2	101.9	101.4	101.9	101.9	101.9	101.9	1997
110.2	103.4	103.9	102.4	103.7	104.2	103.7	102.9	1998
112.8	106.0	105.7	103.4	105.8	106.4	106.0	103.4	1999
115.8	111.5	108.4	107.3	108.2	<b>109.4</b>	109.7	104.8	2000
								Monthly
113.4	106.2	105.5 105.8	103.5	105.7 105.1	106.7 106.7	105.6 106.1	103.6 103.1	1999 Jun Jul
110.9	106.4	105.8	103.9	105.8	106.5	106.6	103.1	Aug
	106.9	106.1	104.1	106.3	106.4	106.8	104.0	Sep
113.5	107.0	106.3	104.4	106.4	106.6	106.7	104.2	Oct
113.7	107.2	106.5	104.5	106.6	107.3	106.9	103.8	Nov
114.7	108.5	106.7	104.9	106.1	107.5	107.3	104.1	Dec
113.2	108.2	106.9	104.3	105.8	107.3	107.7	103.5	2000 Jan
12.7	109.1	107.3	105.4	106.4	107.0	107.9	104.0	Feb
15.6	109.8	107.7	105.9	107.6	107.2	108.4	104.6	Mar
116.3	110.5	107.7	106.6	108.0	108.4	108.8	104.4	Apr
116.6	111.3	108.1	106.6	108.3	109.1	109.0	105.0	May
115.9	111.9	108.4	108.1	108.3	109.7	109.3	105.0	Jun
13.9	111.9	108.6	107.0	108.0	110.2	110.0	104.4	Jul
14.1	112.5	108.6	107.7	108.4	110.3	110.4	104.5	Aug
16.5	112.8	108.9	108.5	109.4	110.2	110.8	105.4	Sep
17.8	113.4	109.2	108.9	109.8	110.5	111.0	105.6	Oct
18.3	113.6	109.6	109.2	109.7	111.2	111.3	105.7	Nov
18.9	113.5	109.7	109.4	109.2	111.6	111.6	105.5	Dec
16.8	112.4	109.8	107.3	110.6	112.0	111.8	105.2	2001 Jan
16.6	113.4	110.2	108.5	111.6	112.2	112.2	105.6	Feb
19.3	114.3	110.5	109.1	112.9	112.7	112.7	106.4	Mar
20.6	115.2	110.9	109.5	113.7	113.4	113.2	107.5	Apr
121.2	115.9	111.2	110.7	114.1	113.4	113.6	108.3	May
121.1	<b>116.7</b>	111.5	<b>111.0</b>	<b>113.7</b> P	114.7	<b>113.9</b>	<b>108.1</b>	Jun
a NP	OLAIT	01.5111	01.111/					Percentage change on a year earlier
Percent	CLNT	CLNU	CLNV	CLNW	CLNY	CLNZ	CLOA	Annual averages
7.9	22	4.0	1.2	1.4	2.9	3.6	0.8	1996
5.4	1.2	1.9	1.4	1.9	1.9	1.9	1.8	1997
4.5	2.1	2.0	1.0	1.8	2.2	1.8	1.0	1998
2.1	2.5	1.7	1.0	2.0	2.2	2.2	0.6	1999
2.9	<b>5.3</b>	<b>2.6</b>	3.8	<b>2.3</b>	2.8	<b>3.5</b>	1.3	2000
1.5	2.1	1.4	1.2	2.1	2.1	2.1	0.4	Monthly 1999 Jun
1.6 1.4 1.3	1.9 2.4 2.6	1.7 1.6 1.9	-0.3 1.4 1.6	1.8 2.5 2.0	1.9 1.8 1.9	2.1 2.3 2.5	0.2 0.8 1.1	1999 Jun Jul Aug Sep
1.7	2.8	1.9	1.9	1.8	1.8	2.4	1.0	Oct
2.0	3.0	2.0	1.9	2.0	1.9	2.7	0.8	Nov
2.3	3.9	2.1	2.3	1.9	1.7	2.8	1.2	Dec
2.4	4.4	2.2	3.5	1.6	1.9	2.9	1.0	2000 Jan
2.6	4.6	2.4	2.6	1.5	1.6	3.0	1.4	Feb
2.8	5.0	2.6	3.0	1.6	1.4	3.0	1.4	Mar
2.1	5.0	2.4	3.2	1.7	1.9	3.0	1.0	Apr
2.6	5.1	2.5	2.9	2.0	2.4	3.2	1.3	May
2.2	5.4	2.7	4.4	2.5	2.8	3.5	1.4	Jun
2.6	5.9	2.6	4.7	2.8	3.3	3.7	1.3	Jul
2.9	5.7	2.6	3.7	2.5	3.6	3.6	1.4	Aug
3.0	5.5	2.6	4.2	2.9	3.6	3.7	1.3	Sep
3.8	6.0	2.7	4.3	3.2	3.7	4.0	1.3	Oct
4.0	6.0	2.9	4.5	2.9	3.6	4.1	1.8	Nov
3.7	4.6	2.8	4.3	2.9	3.8	4.0	1.3	Dec
3.2	3.9	2.7	2.9	4.5	4.4	3.8	1.6	2001 Jan
3.5	3.9	2.7	2.9	4.9	4.9	4.0	1.5	Feb
3.2	4.1	2.6	3.0	4.9	5.1	4.0	1.7	Mar
3.7	4.3	3.0	2.7	5.3	4.6	4.0	3.0	Apr
3.9	4.1	2.9	3.8	5.4	4.9	4.2	3.1	May
4.5	<b>4.3</b>	<b>2.9</b>	<b>2.7</b>	<b>5.0 P</b>	<b>4.6</b>	<b>4.2</b>	<b>3.0</b>	<b>Jun</b>

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