## Information on Unemployment in the Czech Republic by July 31, 2022

By July 31, 2022 job offices registered altogether 240,706 job seekers. That is by 9,397 more than at the end of June 2022. The number of job seekers decreased by 31,472 persons compared with the same period of the preceding year. The number of available job seekers in age 15 to 64 years (job seekers currently available for work) was 218,189.

In the course of job offices registered altogether 34,846 newcomers. That is by 3,995 job seekers more than in the preceding month and by 3,375 newly registered job seekers more than in July of the preceding year.

In July, job offices registration was terminated with 25,449 job seekers. New jobs have been taken up by 14,963 persons. In the course of the above-said month, job offices excluded 10,486 job seekers due to other reasons.

A monthly increase of unemployed was registered by 73 districts — relatively the greatest increase was monitored in districts Svitavy (10.2 %), České Budějovice (10.1 %), Havlíčkův Brod (10.1 %), Chrudim (8.8 %), Pardubice (8.5 %), Mladá Boleslav (8.5 %), Prahavýchod (7.7 %), Jihlava (7.7 %).

A monthly decrease of unemployed was registered by 4 districts – relatively the greatest decrease was monitored in districts – Domažlice (2.7 %), Sokolov (1.5 %), Prachatice (0.1 %), Český Krumlov (0.1 %).

By July 31, 2022, 9,446 school leavers with all levels of education and juveniles were registered. Thus they share in the total unemployment by 3.9 % (June 2022 – 3.9 %, July 2021 – 3.5 %).

At the end of July, job offices registered 133,166 female job seekers, that is 55.3 % of the unemployed in total, and 36,255 persons with reduced working capacity, that is 15.1 % of the unemployed in total.

In July 2022, job offices paid off unemployment benefits 76,836 job seekers, that is 31.9 % of all job seekers under registration (June 2022 – 30.6 %, July 2021 – 28.8 %).

By July 31, 2022, there were 11,707 jobseekers supported through financial benefits of active employment policy.

**By July 31, 2022, the share of unemployed was 3.3 %** (June 2022 – 3.1 %, July 2021 – 3.7 %), time series - <u>https://www.mpsv.cz/web/cz/casove-rady-mn-a-pno</u>. Share of unemployed equal or higher than average of the Czech Republic was shown in 26 districts, the highest being in Karviná (8.1 %), Most (6.5 %), Chomutov (6.1 %), Bruntál (5.7 %), Ústí nad Labem (5.4 %), Louny (5.3 %), Ostrava-město (5.3 %), Brno-město (4.7 %). The lowest share of unemployed was in districts Praha-východ (1.2 %), Praha-západ (1.6 %), Pelhřimov (1.6 %), Jindřichův Hradec (1.7 %), Benešov (1.7 %), Rychnov nad Kněžnou (1.8 %), Plzeň-jih (1.9 %), Jičín (2.0 %).

Share of unemployed - men was 2.8 % and share of unemployed - women was 3.7 %.

By July 31, 2022, job offices registered altogether 313,250 vacancies. That is by 6,158 vacancies less than in the preceding month and by 44,902 vacancies less than in the

same period of the preceding year. At present, there have been 0.8 job seekers for one vacancy at average, the highest amount being in districts of Karviná (9.6), Ústí nad Labem (4.4), Most (4.0), Bruntál (3.8), Děčín (2.8), Sokolov (2.7), Opava (2.6), Hodonín (2.4).

In this monitored period, there were registered by job offices 12,208 vacancies for persons with reduced working capacity that is 3.0 seekers per vacancy. In the case of school leavers and juveniles, there were registered altogether 61,765 vacancies, that is 0.2 seekers per vacancy.

Unemployment rate (EUROSTAT – ILO, NSA data) was 2.4 % in June 2022.