

Information on Unemployment in the Czech Republic by June 30, 2011

By June 30, 2011 job offices registered altogether 478,775 job seekers. That is by 11,181 less than at the end of May. The number of job seekers decreased by 21,725 persons compared with the same period of the preceding year. The number of available job seekers (job seekers currently available for work) was 460,321.

In the course of June, job offices registered altogether 46,195 newcomers. That is by 1,568 job seekers more than in the preceding month and by 2,593 newly registered job seekers less than in June of the preceding year.

In June, job offices registration was terminated with 57,376 job seekers. New jobs have been taken up by 36,558 persons. In the course of the above-said month, job offices excluded 20,818 job seekers due to other reasons.

A monthly decrease of unemployed was registered by 73 job offices in the Czech Republic – relatively the greatest decrease was monitored in districts Jeseník (7.6 %), Znojmo (5.2 %), Jindřichův Hradec (4.5 %), Český Krumlov (4.4 %), Tachov (4.2 %), Ústí nad Orlicí (4.1 %) and Vyškov (4.0 %)

At the end of June, job offices registered 242,808 female job seekers, that is 50.7 % of the unemployed in total, and **66,601 persons with reduced working capacity,** that is 13.9 % of the unemployed in total.

By June 30, 2011, 23,671 school leavers with all levels of education **and juveniles were registered.** Thus they share in the total unemployment rate by 4.9 % (May 2011 – 5.6 %, June 2010 – 4.8 %).

In June 2011, job offices paid off unemployment benefits to 109,154 job seekers, that is 22.8 % of all job seekers under registration (May 2011 – 23.3 %, June 2010 – 28.3 %).

By June 30, 2011, the registered unemployment rate was 8.1 % (May 2011: 8.2 %, April 2010: 8.5 %). Unemployment rate higher than average of the Czech Republic was shown in 43 districts, the highest being in Most (15.9 %), Bruntál (14.4 %), Jeseník (13.9 %), Děčín (13.6 %) Karviná (13.3 %) and Hodonín (13.2 %). The lowest unemployment rate was in districts of Praha-východ (3.6 %), Praha-západ and Praha (3.9 %), Mladá Boleslav (4.6 %) and Benešov (4.9 %). **The unemployment rate - women was 9.5 % and unemployment rate - men was 7.0 %.**

By June 30, 2011, job offices registered altogether 38,416 vacancies. That is by 767 vacancies more than in the preceding month and by 5,489 vacancies more than in the same period of the preceding year. At present, there have been 12.5 job seekers for one vacancy at average, the highest amount being in districts of Děčín (40.6), Teplice (34.9), Jeseník (34.7), Břeclav (33.4), Třebíč (32.8) and Prostějov (31.0). In this monitored period, there were registered by job offices 2,482 vacancies for persons with reduced working capacity that is 26.8 seekers per vacancy. In the case of school leavers and juveniles, there were registered altogether 6,068 vacancies, that is 3.9 seekers per vacancy.

Unemployment rate (ILO methodology - EUROSTAT) was 6.3 % in May.