

Table 2-6 Unemployed Persons by Reason for Unemployment

Year and month	Grand total	New job-seekers		
			Total	Business shrunk or establishment closed
Avg. 2010	577	105	472	240
Avg. 2011	491	100	391	148
Avg. 2012	481	105	375	137
Avg. 2013	478	112	366	139
Avg. 2014	457	105	352	128
Avg. 2015	440	101	339	116
Avg. 2016	460	109	351	121
Avg. 2017	443	104	339	114
Avg. 2018	440	104	336	103
Avg. 2019	446	107	339	105
Avg. 2020	460	102	358	132
Avg. 2021	471	95	376	166
Avg. 2022	434	95	340	140
Avg. 2023	415	91	324	114
Avg. 2024	406	88	318	100
Mar.	405	84	321	99
Apr.	403	82	321	101
May	400	82	318	99
June	406	86	320	99
July	415	91	324	98
Aug.	419	94	325	100
Sept.	412	92	320	101
Oct.	408	90	318	100
Nov.	403	91	312	102
Dec.	399	88	311	101
Avg. 2025	400	87	313	99
Jan.	396	87	309	100
Feb.	402	88	314	99
Mar.	403	86	317	98
Change from last period (%)	0.21	-2.61	1.00	-0.92
Change from the same period of last year (%)	-0.61	2.28	-1.37	-1.16
Average change from the same period of last year (%)	-0.63	2.31	-1.41	0.82

Source : Directorate-General of Budget, Accounting and Statistics, Executive Yuan "Manpower Survey".

Note : 1.*-No percentage change is provided for the entry as such a percentage change based on very small absolute numbers tends to be volatile and misleading.

2."Busy in housekeeping" includes those "Taking care of children under aged 12", "Taking care of older family members aged 65 & over" and "Housekeeping (including taking care of other family members)".

3."Marriage or childbirth" in this table is counted as "female got married or gave birth" before 2022.

Experienced job-seekers						
Not satisfied to that job	Seasonal or temporary work of that job completed	Wound, illness or ill health	Marriage or childbirth	Retirement	Busy in housekeeping	Others
142	64	11	2	2	4	7
160	56	10	3	2	4	7
162	50	10	3	2	4	7
161	44	10	2	2	3	6
161	42	9	2	1	3	5
161	44	9	2	1	2	5
162	47	10	3	1	3	5
163	46	7	2	1	2	4
168	49	6	2	1	3	4
174	43	5	3	1	3	5
171	38	7	2	1	3	5
157	34	9	1	1	4	4
150	32	10	1	0	4	4
165	30	7	1	0	3	3
172	27	9	1	2	3	4
172	26	11	0	3	4	4
171	26	10	1	3	4	4
172	25	9	1	3	4	4
173	25	9	1	3	4	5
177	26	10	1	3	3	5
176	28	10	1	2	2	5
172	27	9	1	1	3	5
171	29	8	—	2	3	4
167	29	8	—	1	2	2
168	27	9	—	1	2	2
170	30	8	0	1	2	3
166	28	8	0	1	2	3
170	30	8	0	1	2	3
173	31	8	—	1	3	2
1.86	3.62	*_	*_	*_	*_	*_
0.48	18.22	*_	*_	*_	*_	*_
-1.33	8.77	*_	*_	*_	*_	*_