

Statistical bulletin

Labour market overview, UK: November 2024

Estimates of employment, unemployment, economic inactivity and other employment-related statistics for the UK.

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2 . Main points

Latest data

Estimates for payrolled employees in the UK decreased by 9,000 (0.0%) between August and September 2024, but rose by 136,000 (0.4%) between September 2023 and September 2024.

Payrolled employees fell by 9,000 (0.0%) over the quarter but rose by 182,000 (0.6%) over the year, when looking at July to September 2024, which is the period comparable with our Labour Force Survey (LFS) estimates.

The early estimate of payrolled employees for October 2024 decreased by 5,000 (0.0%) on the month but increased by 95,000 (0.3%) on the year, to 30.4 million. The October 2024 estimate should be treated as a provisional estimate and is likely to be revised when more data are received next month.

Increased volatility of LFS estimates, resulting from smaller achieved sample sizes, means that estimates of change should be treated with additional caution. We recommend using them as part of our suite of labour market indicators, alongside Workforce Jobs (WFJ), Claimant Count data, and Pay As You Earn (PAYE) Real Time Information (RTI) estimates.

The UK employment rate for people aged 16 to 64 years was estimated at 74.8% in July to September 2024. This is largely unchanged on a year ago, but up in the latest quarter.

The UK unemployment rate for people aged 16 years and over was estimated at 4.3% in July to September 2024. This is above estimates of a year ago, and up in the latest quarter.

The UK economic inactivity rate for people aged 16 to 64 years was estimated at 21.8% in July to September 2024. This is below estimates of a year ago, and down in the latest quarter.

The UK Claimant Count for October 2024 increased both on the month and on the year, to 1.806 million.

The estimated number of vacancies in the UK decreased in August to October 2024, by 35,000 on the quarter to 831,000. Vacancies decreased on the quarter for the 28th consecutive period but are still above pre-coronavirus (COVID-19) pandemic levels.

Annual growth in employees' average regular earnings excluding bonuses in Great Britain was 4.8% in July to September 2024, and annual growth in total earnings including bonuses was 4.3%. This total annual growth is affected by the civil service one-off payments made in July and August 2023.

Annual growth in real terms, adjusted for inflation using the Consumer Prices Index including owner occupiers' housing costs (CPIH) for regular pay was 1.9% in July to September 2024, and for total pay was 1.4%.

There were an estimated 48,000 working days lost because of labour disputes across the UK in September 2024.

3 . Trends and considerations around comparisons

In this section, we supply additional commentary to help users assess the different sources of data we publish on employment and related indicators.

Figure 1 shows the annual growth rates in a selection of our different employment indicators, with annual growth rates giving a more stable, longer-term view on changes. The Labour Force Survey (LFS) is our survey of households, while Workforce Jobs (WFJ) is based predominantly on business surveys for employee jobs, with the LFS covering self-employed jobs. HM Revenue and Customs' Pay As You Earn (PAYE) Real Time Indicators (RTI) data are derived from administrative tax records and covers only payrolled employees.

Each of these sources are collected and processed in different ways so we do expect differences in levels, for example, jobs versus people, while divergent trends between individual periods are also possible. Further detail on how best to compare these different sources can be found in [Coherence of data sources in Section 7: Data sources and quality](#) and in our [Comparison of labour market sources article](#).

Figure 1: Annual growth rates for employee jobs and payrolled employees are broadly coherent

Annual growth rates, employment indicators, seasonally adjusted, UK, July to September 2022, to July to September 2024

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Annual growth rates, employment indicators, seasonally adjusted, UK, July to September 2022, to July to September 2024



Source: Labour Force Survey and Workforce Jobs from the Office for National Statistics, and Pay As You Earn Real Time Information (RTI) from HM Revenue and Customs

Notes:

1. Three-month averages of RTI payrolled employees have been used here for comparability.
2. Labour Force Survey (LFS) employee annual growth rates have not been calculated for periods following the July to September 2022 discontinuity.
3. Workforce jobs are published for the months of March, June, September and December. For presentational purposes, they have been plotted against the middle month of the time period shown, that is, March has been plotted against February to April.

There have been ongoing challenges in assessing the coherence between these statistics as we have described in recent months. For the datasets available in the latest period, annual growth ranges from 0.6% for payrolled employees up to 0.8% for LFS employees. Though this is relatively coherent for this specific point in time, observing over a longer time period shows differing trends in annual growth rates. Annual growth in the latest measures from RTI and WFJ have continued to slow, while LFS is showing a different picture.

As outlined in previous Labour market overviews, the longer-term broad coherence between RTI and WFJ, when looking at annual change, suggests that these sources are likely to be providing a more reliable estimate of employment, particularly for employees. These sources continue to indicate that we have seen a sustained moderation of growth in employment over the last year. RTI and WFJ also show less volatility than the LFS over the same time period.

Despite these coherence challenges, the LFS continues to be the sole source of data for unemployment, economic inactivity and the self-employed. There are also a range of breakdowns that are only possible from LFS data.

As external sources are suggesting that recent increases in LFS measures of employment are likely to be overstating underlying employment growth, we expect that underlying changes in the other labour market statuses will also be affected. For example, the more modest growth we see in alternative employment sources may indicate that unemployment and economic inactivity may have moved less than the LFS has recently suggested.

It is also likely that some of the recent movements in LFS estimates are being affected by the increased sample size and change in data collection methods introduced over the last year, in addition to any underlying changes in the labour market.

The wave structure of the LFS means that any changes in sampling can take a substantial period of time to fully feed through the survey. We interview sampled households at quarterly intervals for five consecutive quarters. Any given three-month dataset includes respondents completing their first, second, third, fourth or fifth interview (often called "waves").

Between July and December 2023, the Wave 1 sample for the LFS was reduced to its pre-coronavirus level, before the boost was reinstated from January 2024. This reduction in the sample stays in our LFS datasets for five quarters, as these smaller cohorts progress through subsequent waves, all the way to Wave 5. From July 2024, the smaller cohorts are steadily being replaced by boosted cohorts. However, it will not be until the January to March 2025 period (published in May 2025) when LFS data only include boosted cohorts.

We are continuing to improve the quality of the LFS, building on our work to date. This has led to an increase in achieved interviews, from 44,238 in July to September 2023 to 59,139 in July to September 2024, as shown in our [LFS performance and quality monitoring report: July to September 2024](#). Work is also under way to carry out a further reweighting of our LFS estimates, detailed in our [Labour market transformation article](#). An Impact of reweighting on Labour Force Survey key indicators article will be published on 3 December 2024, and the reweighted estimates will be incorporated into our next Labour market release on 17 December 2024, which we anticipate will improve coherence between LFS and other sources. With this work ongoing, we advise caution particularly when interpreting short-term change in the LFS and encourage users to make use of a wide range of data sources where possible.

This bulletin includes data from business and social surveys, as well as data from administrative sources. It includes a combination of accredited official statistics and official statistics in development and therefore, we advise the consideration of this when using. Read more in [Section 7: Data sources and quality](#).

4 . Latest indicators at a glance

5 . Data on labour market

[Summary of labour market statistics](#) Dataset A01 | Released 12 November 2024 Labour market statistics summary data table, including earnings, employment, unemployment, redundancies and vacancies, Great Britain and UK, published monthly.

[Earnings and employment from Pay As You Earn Real Time Information, seasonally adjusted](#) Dataset | Released 12 November 2024 Earnings and employment statistics from Pay As You Earn (PAYE) Real Time Information (RTI), seasonally adjusted. These are official statistics in development.

[A guide to labour market data](#) Methodology | Updated 21 April 2023 Summary of labour market datasets, providing estimates of employment, unemployment, average weekly earnings, and the number of vacancies. Tables are listed alphabetically and by topic.

View all related data on our [related data page](#).

Alternatively, [Nomis](#) provides free access to the most detailed and up-to-date UK labour market statistics.

6 . Glossary

Average weekly earnings

Average weekly earnings measure money paid by employers to employees in Great Britain before tax and other deductions from pay. The estimates are not just a measure of pay rises, because they also reflect, for example, changes in the overall structure of the workforce.

More high-paid jobs in the economy would have an upward effect on the earnings growth rate.

Economic inactivity

People not in the labour force are not in employment but do not meet the internationally accepted definition of unemployment. This is because they have not been seeking work within the last four weeks or they are unable to start work in the next two weeks. The economic inactivity rate is the proportion of people aged between 16 and

64 years who are not in the labour force. The Labour Force Survey estimates are [official statistics in development](#).

Employment

Employment measures the number of people in paid work or who had a job that they were temporarily away from (for example, because they were on holiday or off sick). This differs from the number of jobs because some people have more than one job. The employment rate is the proportion of people aged between 16 and 64 years who are in employment. The Labour Force Survey estimates are [official statistics in development](#).

Unemployment

Unemployment measures people without a job who have been actively seeking work within the last four weeks and are available to start work within the next two weeks. The unemployment rate is not the proportion of the total population who are unemployed. It is the proportion of the economically active population (people in work and those seeking and available to work) who are unemployed. The Labour Force Survey estimates are [official statistics in development](#).

Claimant Count

The Claimant Count is an [official statistic in development](#) that measures the number of people who are receiving a benefit principally for the reason of being unemployed. Currently, the Claimant Count consists of those receiving Jobseeker's Allowance and Universal Credit claimants in the "searching for work" conditionality group.

Vacancies

Vacancies are defined as positions for which employers are actively seeking recruits from outside their business or organisation. The estimates are based on the Vacancy Survey. This is a survey of businesses designed to provide estimates of the stock of vacancies across the economy, excluding agriculture, forestry and fishing (a small sector for which the collection of estimates would not be practical).

Pay As You Earn Real Time Information

These data come from HM Revenue and Customs' (HMRC's) Pay As You Earn (PAYE) Real Time Information (RTI) system. They cover the whole population, rather than a sample of people or companies, and they will allow for more detailed estimates of the population. The PAYE RTI statistics are [official statistics in development](#) (previously called experimental statistics) because the methodologies used to produce the statistics are still in their development phase.

In June 2023, the Office for Statistics Regulation (OSR) published an assessment report of HMRC and Office for National Statistics (ONS) statistics on earnings and employment from PAYE RTI. HMRC and the ONS welcome OSR's assessment report and have developed an [action plan focusing on the six requirements](#).

A more detailed glossary is available in our [Guide to labour market statistics methodology](#).

7 . Data sources and quality

The estimates presented in this bulletin contain uncertainty. For more information, see our [Uncertainty and how we measure it methodology](#).

Information on revisions is available in our [Labour market statistics revisions policy](#).

Information on the strengths and limitations of this bulletin is available in our [Labour market overview, UK: April 2021 bulletin](#).

Further information is available in our [Guide to labour market statistics methodology](#).

Accredited official statistics

On 7 June 2024, the Office for Statistics Regulation (OSR) introduced the new accredited official statistics badge, to denote official statistics that have been independently reviewed by the OSR. Accredited official statistics comply with the standards of trustworthiness, quality and value in the [Code of Practice for Statistics](#).

This UK labour market bulletin includes a combination of [accredited official statistics](#) and [official statistics in development](#) (until September 2023, these were called "experimental statistics"). Read more about the change in our [Guide to official statistics in development](#).

The following labour market outputs are accredited official statistics:

- Labour disputes (rapid review completed by the OSR in February 2023)
- Vacancy statistics (reviewed by the OSR in April 2022)
- Workforce Jobs (WFJ) (reviewed by the OSR in April 2022)

The following labour market outputs are [official statistics in development](#):

- Labour Force Survey (LFS) estimates
- ONS Claimant Count

Labour Force Survey

We have been facing the challenge of falling response rates for household surveys, as have other comparable countries. This issue became more acute in the LFS data collected for August 2023. The LFS estimates due to be published in October 2023 were suspended because of quality concerns. We developed a comprehensive plan to address these concerns and reintroduce LFS, as described in our [Labour Force Survey: planned improvements and its reintroduction estimates methodology](#).

As stated on 5 February 2024 in our [Impact of reweighting on Labour Force Survey key indicators: 2024 article](#), from 13 February 2024 we have reinstated reweighted LFS estimates into our monthly publication. These LFS estimates are official statistics in development.

Reweighting does not address the volatility we have seen in recent periods and which we expect to see to some extent in the future, so we would advise caution when interpreting changes in headline rates and recommend using them as part of our suite of labour market indicators, alongside WFJ, Claimant Count data and PAYE RTI estimates.

As stated in our article published 18 July 2024, we are [planning a further reweighting exercise](#), based on the population projections published in January 2024. We plan to introduce the reweighted LFS series into our labour market publication in December 2024.

Further information on response rates and other quality-related issues for the LFS can be found in our quarterly [Labour Force Survey performance and quality monitoring reports](#).

Coherence of data sources

Understanding coherence challenges around the LFS continues to be a priority. As we have previously communicated, we are undertaking a further reweighting of LFS-based statistics, which is due to be published as part of our December 2024 publication of labour market statistics. Our expectation is that this will improve the coherence picture as strong population growth in recent years is incorporated into our estimates of all three labour market statuses. Though, the extent to which any gap for employment will be reduced is not yet clear.

Additionally, we are looking to refresh our work on reconciling estimates of employment from the LFS and WFJ. This work makes several adjustments to both LFS and WFJ estimates to try and account for known differences in concepts, coverage and measurement.

Before the coronavirus (COVID-19) pandemic, these adjustments could explain around 40% to 50% of the gap in jobs measured by the two sources. However, when last published in 2022, this percentage had decreased to below 30%.

These adjustments are based on a range of assumptions and data sources, some of which are now relatively dated. Therefore, we are starting work to refresh these data sources and assumptions where possible. This will help us to understand the extent to which recent divergence in trends can be explained by known differences between the sources.

We are also considering how to best consider coherence between HMRC's PAYE RTI data and WFJ. As the former is essentially focused on employees, we recommend comparison with the employee jobs component of WFJ to align coverage of populations. One other important difference is that the RTI statistics published each month are a measure of people, rather than jobs, as in WFJ. One option is to look at data published annually by HMRC on "employments", which are conceptually closer to jobs. Though only available up to the end of 2023, making this comparison between WFJ employee jobs and RTI employments suggests good coherence between these two sources in recent years.

Our [Comparison of labour market data sources methodology](#) compares data sources and discusses some of the main differences.

Labour market transformation

We have published a [Labour market transformation article](#) providing an update on the transformation of labour market statistics.

We welcome your feedback on this latest update and our plans. Please email us at labour.market.transformation@ons.gov.uk to tell us what you think.

Coronavirus

For more information on how labour market data sources were affected by the coronavirus (COVID-19) pandemic, see our [Coronavirus and the effects on UK labour market statistics article](#).

Making our published spreadsheets accessible

Following the [Government Statistical Service \(GSS\) guidance on releasing statistics in spreadsheets](#), we will be amending our published tables over the coming months to improve usability, accessibility and machine readability of our published statistics. To help users change to the new formats, we will be publishing sample versions of a selection of our tables and, where practical, initially publish the tables in both the new and current formats. If you have any questions or comments, please email us at labour.market@ons.gov.uk.

8 . Related links

[Economic activity and social change in the UK, real-time indicators: 7 November 2024](#) Bulletin | Released 7 November 2024 Early data on the UK economy and society. These faster indicators are created using rapid response surveys, novel data sources and innovative methods. These are official statistics in development.

[Business insights and impact on the UK economy: 7 November 2024](#) Bulletin | Released 7 November 2024 The impact of challenges facing the economy and other events on UK businesses. Based on responses from the voluntary fortnightly business survey (BICS) to deliver real-time information to help assess issues affecting UK businesses and economy, including financial performance, workforce, trade and business resilience.

[Labour market transformation - update on progress and plans: July 2024](#) Article | Released 18 July 2024 Labour market transformation overview, building on previous engagement on the transformed Labour Force Survey.

[Impact of reweighting on Labour Force Survey key indicators: 2024](#) Article | Released 5 February 2024 Indicative estimates of the Labour Force Survey (LFS) reweighting methodology on key indicators for the UK and countries of the UK, between July to September 2022 and September to November 2023.

[Quarterly economic commentary: April to June 2024](#) Article | Released 30 September 2024 Economic commentary for the latest quarterly national accounts, prices and labour market indicators.

[Rising ill-health and economic inactivity because of long-term sickness, UK: 2019 to 2023](#) Article | Released 26 July 2023 Experimental statistics estimating the different health conditions of the working-age population and those economically inactive because of long-term sickness.

9 . Cite this statistical bulletin

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Summary of labour market statistics published on 12 November 2024

Series	Reference period	Latest estimate	Last time higher	Last time lower	Comparable data begins in
Employment level (aged 16 and over)	Jul-Sep 2024	33.313 million	Jun-Aug 2024 (33.372 million)	May-Jul 2024 (33.232 million)	Jan-Mar 1971
Employment rate (aged 16 to 64)	Jul-Sep 2024	74.8%	Jun-Aug 2024 (75.0%)	Apr-Jun 2024 (74.5%)	Jan-Mar 1971
Unemployment level (aged 16 and over)	Jul-Sep 2024	1.486 million	Mar-May 2024 (1.528 million)	Jun-Aug 2024 (1.386 million)	Jan-Mar 1971
Unemployment rate (aged 16 and over)	Jul-Sep 2024	4.3%	Mar-May 2024 (4.4%)	Jun-Aug 2024 (4.0%)	Jan-Mar 1971
Inactivity level (aged 16 to 64)	Jul-Sep 2024	9.248 million	Jun-Aug 2024 (9.263 million)	Aug-Oct 2023 (9.206 million)	Jan-Mar 1971
Inactivity rate (aged 16 to 64)	Jul-Sep 2024	21.8%	May-Jul 2024 (21.9%)	May-Jul 2023 (21.6%)	Jan-Mar 1971
Average Earnings (total pay - nominal)	Jul-Sep 2024	4.3%	Apr-Jun 2024 (4.6%)	Jun-Aug 2024 (3.9%)	Jan-Mar 2001
Average Earnings (regular pay - nominal)	Jul-Sep 2024	4.8%	Jun-Aug 2024 (4.9%)	Apr-Jun 2022 (4.7%)	Jan-Mar 2001
Average Earnings (total pay - real)	Jul-Sep 2024	1.4%	Apr-Jun 2024 (1.6%)	Jun-Aug 2024 (0.9%)	Jan-Mar 2001
Average Earnings (regular pay - real)	Jul-Sep 2024	1.9%	May-Jul 2024 (2.2%)	Oct-Dec 2023 (1.8%)	Jan-Mar 2001
Vacancies level	Aug-Oct 2024	0.831 million	Jul-Sep 2024 (0.840 million)	Mar-May 2021 (0.765 million)	Apr-Jun 2001

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The table below provides an index of the tables appearing in this Statistical Bulletin and it shows how these table numbers match up with the Excel spreadsheet datasets which are available on the website at:

<https://www.ons.gov.uk/employmentandlabourmarket/peopleinwork/employmentandemployeetypes/bulletins/uklabourmarket/november2024/relateddata>

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(*) Tables 2 and 10 in the Statistical Bulletin pdf file have been amalgamated into one spreadsheet (Dataset A05 SA).

(**) Table JOBS02 provides more detail than Table 6 in the Statistical Bulletin pdf file.

The following symbols are used in the tables: p provisional, r revised, .. Not available,* suppressed due to small sample size.

The four-character identification codes appearing in the tables are the ONS references for the data series appearing in the Labour Market Statistics dataset which is available on the website at:

<https://www.ons.gov.uk/employmentandlabourmarket/peopleinwork/employmentandemployeetypes/datasets/labourmarketstatistics>

SUMMARY

1 Summary of headline LFS¹ indicators United Kingdom (thousands) seasonally adjusted

	LFS household population ¹			Headline indicators				
	Employment		Unemployment		Inactivity			
	Level	Rate ²	Level	Rate ³	Level	Rate ⁴		
	All aged 16 & over	All aged 16 to 64	All aged 16 & over	All aged 16 to 64	All aged 16 & over	All aged 16 & over	All aged 16 to 64	All aged 16 to 64
	MGSL	LF2O	MGRZ	LF24	MGSC	MGSX	LF2M	LF2S
People								
Jul-Sep 2022	54,453	42,120	32,916	75.0	1,283	3.8	9,285	22.0
Jul-Sep 2023	54,844	42,291	33,102	74.8	1,407	4.1	9,255	21.9
Oct-Dec 2023	54,943	42,335	33,174	75.0	1,320	3.8	9,278	21.9
Jan-Mar 2024	55,043	42,379	32,997	74.5	1,486	4.3	9,383	22.1
Apr-Jun 2024	55,143	42,423	33,094	74.5	1,435	4.2	9,410	22.2
Jul-Sep 2024	55,239	42,461	33,313	74.8	1,486	4.3	9,248	21.8
Change on quarter	96	39	220	0.3	50	0.1	-162	-0.4
Change %	0.2	0.1	0.7		3.5		-1.7	
Change on year	395	170	211	0.0	79	0.2	-7	-0.1
Change %	0.7	0.4	0.6		5.6		-0.1	
Men								
Jul-Sep 2022	26,401	20,686	16,969	78.3	667	3.8	3,836	18.5
Jul-Sep 2023	26,610	20,786	17,068	77.9	792	4.4	3,821	18.4
Oct-Dec 2023	26,663	20,812	17,110	78.1	737	4.1	3,838	18.4
Jan-Mar 2024	26,716	20,837	17,008	77.4	799	4.5	3,927	18.8
Apr-Jun 2024	26,769	20,863	16,984	77.3	779	4.4	3,989	19.1
Jul-Sep 2024	26,820	20,886	17,085	77.6	791	4.4	3,919	18.8
Change on quarter	51	23	101	0.3	11	0.0	-70	-0.4
Change %	0.2	0.1	0.6		1.4		-1.8	
Change on year	210	100	17	-0.3	-2	0.0	98	0.4
Change %	0.8	0.5	0.1		-0.2		2.6	
Women								
Jul-Sep 2022	28,053	21,434	15,946	71.8	616	3.7	5,449	25.4
Jul-Sep 2023	28,234	21,505	16,034	71.9	615	3.7	5,434	25.3
Oct-Dec 2023	28,281	21,523	16,065	72.1	582	3.5	5,440	25.3
Jan-Mar 2024	28,327	21,542	15,989	71.6	687	4.1	5,456	25.3
Apr-Jun 2024	28,374	21,560	16,109	71.9	656	3.9	5,421	25.1
Jul-Sep 2024	28,419	21,576	16,228	72.1	695	4.1	5,329	24.7
Change on quarter	45	16	119	0.3	39	0.2	-92	-0.4
Change %	0.2	0.1	0.7		6.0		-1.7	
Change on year	185	70	194	0.3	81	0.4	-105	-0.6
Change %	0.7	0.3	1.2		13.1		-1.9	

Source: Labour Force Survey

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- The Labour Force Survey (LFS) is a survey of households in the UK.
- The headline employment rate is the number of people aged 16 to 64 in employment divided by the population aged 16 to 64.
- The headline unemployment rate is the number of unemployed people (aged 16+) divided by the economically active population (aged 16+). The economically active population is defined as those in employment plus those who are unemployed.
- The headline inactivity rate is the number of people aged 16 to 64 divided by the population aged 16-64.
- Data from Jun-Aug 2011 to Jun-Aug 2022 have been modelled to make them consistent with the new populations introduced in Jul-Sep 2022.

Note on headline employment, unemployment and inactivity rates

The headline employment and inactivity rates are based on the population aged 16 to 64 but the headline unemployment rate is based on the economically active population aged 16 and over. The employment and inactivity rates for those aged 16 and over are affected by the inclusion of the retired population in the denominators and are therefore less meaningful than the rates for those aged from 16 to 64. However, for the unemployment rate for those aged 16 and over, no such effect occurs as the denominator for the unemployment rate is the economically active population which only includes people in work or actively seeking and able to work.

Note on headline employment, unemployment and inactivity levels

The headline employment and unemployment levels are for those aged 16 and over; they measure all people in work or actively seeking and able to work. However, the headline inactivity level is for those aged 16 to 64. The inactivity rate for those aged 16 and over is less meaningful as it includes elderly people who have retired from the labour force.

SUMMARY

2(1) Labour market status by age group

United Kingdom (thousands) seasonally adjusted

	Aged 16 and over						Aged 16-64					
	Employment		Unemployment		Inactivity		Employment		Unemployment		Inactivity	
	Level	Rate	Level	Rate	Level	Rate	Level	Rate	Level	Rate	Level	Rate
People	MGRZ	MGSR	MGSC	MGSX	MGSI	YBTC	LF2G	LF24	LF2I	LF2Q	LF2M	LF2S
Jul-Sep 2022	32,916	60.4	1,283	3.8	20,254	37.2	31,577	75.0	1,258	3.8	9,285	22.0
Jul-Sep 2023	33,102	60.4	1,407	4.1	20,335	37.1	31,654	74.8	1,383	4.2	9,255	21.9
Oct-Dec 2023	33,174	60.4	1,320	3.8	20,449	37.2	31,755	75.0	1,302	3.9	9,278	21.9
Jan-Mar 2024	32,997	59.9	1,486	4.3	20,560	37.4	31,552	74.5	1,445	4.4	9,383	22.1
Apr-Jun 2024	33,094	60.0	1,435	4.2	20,614	37.4	31,612	74.5	1,401	4.2	9,410	22.2
Jul-Sep 2024	33,313	60.3	1,486	4.3	20,440	37.0	31,766	74.8	1,448	4.4	9,248	21.8
Change on quarter	220	0.3	50	0.1	-174	-0.4	153	0.3	47	0.1	-162	-0.4
Change %	0.7		3.5		-0.8		0.5		3.4		-1.7	
Change on year	211	0.0	79	0.2	105	-0.1	112	0.0	65	0.2	-7	-0.1
Change %	0.6		5.6		0.5		0.4		4.7		-0.1	
Men	MGSA	MGSS	MGSD	MGSY	MGSJ	YBTD	YBSF	MGSV	YBSI	YBTJ	YBSO	YBTM
Jul-Sep 2022	16,969	64.3	667	3.8	8,764	33.2	16,194	78.3	656	3.9	3,836	18.5
Jul-Sep 2023	17,068	64.1	792	4.4	8,750	32.9	16,194	77.9	772	4.5	3,821	18.4
Oct-Dec 2023	17,110	64.2	737	4.1	8,816	33.1	16,247	78.1	727	4.3	3,838	18.4
Jan-Mar 2024	17,008	63.7	799	4.5	8,909	33.3	16,134	77.4	776	4.6	3,927	18.8
Apr-Jun 2024	16,984	63.4	779	4.4	9,005	33.6	16,118	77.3	756	4.5	3,989	19.1
Jul-Sep 2024	17,085	63.7	791	4.4	8,944	33.3	16,200	77.6	767	4.5	3,919	18.8
Change on quarter	101	0.3	11	0.0	-61	-0.3	82	0.3	11	0.0	-70	-0.4
Change %	0.6		1.4		-0.7		0.5		1.4		-1.8	
Change on year	17	-0.4	-2	0.0	195	0.5	6	-0.3	-5	0.0	98	0.4
Change %	0.1		-0.2		2.2		0.0		-0.6		2.6	
Women	MGSB	MGST	MGSE	MGSZ	MGSK	YBTE	LF2H	LF25	LF2J	LF2R	LF2N	LF2T
Jul-Sep 2022	15,946	56.8	616	3.7	11,490	41.0	15,383	71.8	602	3.8	5,449	25.4
Jul-Sep 2023	16,034	56.8	615	3.7	11,586	41.0	15,460	71.9	611	3.8	5,434	25.3
Oct-Dec 2023	16,065	56.8	582	3.5	11,633	41.1	15,508	72.1	575	3.6	5,440	25.3
Jan-Mar 2024	15,989	56.4	687	4.1	11,651	41.1	15,417	71.6	668	4.2	5,456	25.3
Apr-Jun 2024	16,109	56.8	656	3.9	11,609	40.9	15,495	71.9	644	4.0	5,421	25.1
Jul-Sep 2024	16,228	57.1	695	4.1	11,496	40.5	15,566	72.1	681	4.2	5,329	24.7
Change on quarter	119	0.3	39	0.2	-113	-0.5	71	0.3	36	0.2	-92	-0.4
Change %	0.7		6.0		-1.0		0.5		5.7		-1.7	
Change on year	194	0.3	81	0.4	-90	-0.6	106	0.3	69	0.4	-105	-0.6
Change %	1.2		13.1		-0.8		0.7		11.3		-1.9	
	Aged 16-17						Aged 18-24					
	Employment		Unemployment		Inactivity		Employment		Unemployment		Inactivity	
	Level	Rate	Level	Rate	Level	Rate	Level	Rate	Level	Rate	Level	Rate
People	YBTO	YBUA	YBVH	YBVK	YCAS	LWEX	YBTR	YBUD	YBVN	YBVQ	YCAV	LWFA
Jul-Sep 2022	369	24.2	101	21.5	1,052	69.1	3,404	61.9	333	8.9	1,764	32.1
Jul-Sep 2023	397	25.2	75	15.9	1,101	70.0	3,245	58.8	424	11.6	1,851	33.5
Oct-Dec 2023	392	24.7	104	20.9	1,089	68.7	3,286	59.4	378	10.3	1,866	33.7
Jan-Mar 2024	365	22.8	130	26.3	1,102	69.0	3,235	58.4	409	11.2	1,896	34.2
Apr-Jun 2024	353	21.9	115	24.5	1,142	70.9	3,262	58.8	445	12.0	1,844	33.2
Jul-Sep 2024	362	22.4	114	24.0	1,142	70.6	3,233	58.1	513	13.7	1,819	32.7
Change on quarter	9	0.4	-1	-0.6	0	-0.4	-29	-0.7	68	1.7	-25	-0.5
Change %	2.6		-0.5		0.0		-0.9		15.4		-1.3	
Change on year	-34	-2.8	39	8.0	41	0.6	-11	-0.7	89	2.1	-31	-0.8
Change %	-8.7		52.0		3.7		-0.4		20.9		-1.7	
Men	YBTP	YBUB	YBVI	YBVL	YCAT	LWEY	YBTS	YBUE	YBVO	YBVR	YCAW	LWFB
Jul-Sep 2022	162	20.8	65	28.6	554	70.9	1,678	60.2	203	10.8	905	32.5
Jul-Sep 2023	198	24.5	35	14.9	576	71.2	1,627	58.2	275	14.5	894	32.0
Oct-Dec 2023	181	22.2	51	22.0	582	71.5	1,679	59.9	258	13.3	866	30.9
Jan-Mar 2024	167	20.4	58	25.9	596	72.5	1,627	57.9	264	14.0	917	32.7
Apr-Jun 2024	161	19.5	59	26.8	608	73.4	1,629	57.9	277	14.5	907	32.2
Jul-Sep 2024	160	19.2	60	27.5	612	73.5	1,598	56.7	319	16.6	904	32.0
Change on quarter	-1	-0.3	1	0.7	4	0.1	-31	-1.3	42	2.1	-3	-0.2
Change %	-0.8		2.5		0.7		-1.9		15.1		-0.3	
Change on year	-39	-5.3	26	12.6	36	2.3	-29	-1.5	43	2.2	10	0.1
Change %	-19.4		74.6		6.3		-1.8		15.7		1.1	
Women	YBTQ	YBUC	YBVJ	YBVM	YCAU	LWEZ	YBTT	YBUF	YBVP	YBVS	YCAX	LWFC
Jul-Sep 2022	207	27.9	36	14.8	498	67.2	1,726	63.6	131	7.1	858	31.6
Jul-Sep 2023	199	26.0	40	16.9	526	68.7	1,617	59.4	149	8.4	957	35.1
Oct-Dec 2023	211	27.4	52	19.9	507	65.8	1,607	58.9	120	7.0	1,000	36.7
Jan-Mar 2024	197	25.4	72	26.8	507	65.3	1,608	58.9	145	8.3	979	35.8
Apr-Jun 2024	192	24.6	56	22.5	534	68.3	1,632	59.6	168	9.3	937	34.2
Jul-Sep 2024	203	25.8	54	20.9	530	67.4	1,635	59.6	194	10.6	915	33.4
Change on quarter	10	1.2	-2	-1.6	-4	-0.9	3	-0.1	26	1.3	-22	-0.9
Change %	5.4		-3.8		-0.7		0.2		15.8		-2.3	
Change on year	4	-0.2	13	4.0	5	-1.3	18	0.2	45	2.2	-41	-1.8
Change %	2.0		32.6		0.9		1.1		30.4		-4.3	

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SUMMARY

2(2) Labour market status by age group

United Kingdom (thousands) seasonally adjusted

	Aged 25-34						Aged 35-49					
	Employment		Unemployment		Inactivity		Employment		Unemployment		Inactivity	
	Level	Rate	Level	Rate	Level	Rate	Level	Rate	Level	Rate	Level	Rate
People	YBTU	YBUG	YCGM	YCGP	YCAV	LWFD	YBTX	YBUJ	YCGS	YCGV	YCBB	LWFG
Jul-Sep 2022	7,553	83.9	284	3.6	1,164	12.9	10,973	85.0	277	2.5	1,652	12.8
Jul-Sep 2023	7,664	85.3	269	3.4	1,055	11.7	10,954	84.4	350	3.1	1,670	12.9
Oct-Dec 2023	7,529	83.8	297	3.8	1,158	12.9	11,063	85.1	311	2.7	1,625	12.5
Jan-Mar 2024	7,503	83.5	326	4.2	1,153	12.8	11,082	85.1	325	2.8	1,616	12.4
Apr-Jun 2024	7,502	83.6	297	3.8	1,180	13.1	11,116	85.2	310	2.7	1,621	12.4
Jul-Sep 2024	7,498	83.6	295	3.8	1,178	13.1	11,248	86.0	268	2.3	1,559	11.9
Change on quarter	-4	0.0	-2	0.0	-1	0.0	132	0.8	-42	-0.4	-62	-0.5
Change %	-0.1		-0.6		-0.1		1.2		-13.6		-3.9	
Change on year	-166	-1.7	26	0.4	124	1.4	293	1.6	-83	-0.8	-111	-0.9
Change %	-2.2		9.8		11.7		2.7		-23.6		-6.7	
Men	YBTV	YBUH	YCGN	YCGQ	YCAZ	LWFE	YBTY	YBUK	YCGT	YCGW	YCBC	LWFH
Jul-Sep 2022	3,855	87.8	134	3.4	400	9.1	5,655	90.1	107	1.9	512	8.2
Jul-Sep 2023	3,922	89.2	134	3.3	341	7.7	5,624	89.1	162	2.8	523	8.3
Oct-Dec 2023	3,838	87.2	154	3.9	407	9.3	5,647	89.3	143	2.5	530	8.4
Jan-Mar 2024	3,846	87.4	155	3.9	399	9.1	5,635	89.0	142	2.5	555	8.8
Apr-Jun 2024	3,822	86.8	153	3.8	427	9.7	5,666	89.3	136	2.3	543	8.6
Jul-Sep 2024	3,826	86.9	134	3.4	441	10.0	5,759	90.6	113	1.9	487	7.7
Change on quarter	4	0.1	-19	-0.5	14	0.3	93	1.3	-23	-0.4	-56	-0.9
Change %	0.1		-12.5		3.2		1.6		-16.7		-10.3	
Change on year	-96	-2.3	-1	0.1	100	2.3	136	1.4	-48	-0.9	-36	-0.6
Change %	-2.4		-0.5		29.5		2.4		-29.9		-6.9	
Women	YBTW	YBUI	YCGO	YCGR	YCBA	LWFF	YBTZ	YBUL	YCGU	YCGX	YCBD	LWFI
Jul-Sep 2022	3,698	80.2	150	3.9	764	16.6	5,318	80.2	170	3.1	1,141	17.2
Jul-Sep 2023	3,742	81.5	134	3.5	714	15.6	5,331	80.0	189	3.4	1,147	17.2
Oct-Dec 2023	3,692	80.5	143	3.7	751	16.4	5,415	81.1	168	3.0	1,095	16.4
Jan-Mar 2024	3,657	79.8	170	4.5	754	16.5	5,447	81.4	183	3.2	1,061	15.9
Apr-Jun 2024	3,680	80.4	144	3.8	753	16.4	5,450	81.3	174	3.1	1,079	16.1
Jul-Sep 2024	3,672	80.3	161	4.2	738	16.1	5,488	81.7	154	2.7	1,072	16.0
Change on quarter	-8	-0.1	17	0.4	-15	-0.3	39	0.4	-19	-0.4	-7	-0.1
Change %	-0.2		11.9		-2.0		0.7		-11.1		-0.6	
Change on year	-70	-1.2	27	0.7	23	0.6	158	1.8	-34	-0.7	-75	-1.2
Change %	-1.9		20.0		3.3		3.0		-18.2		-6.5	
	Aged 50-64						Age 65+					
	Employment		Unemployment		Inactivity		Employment		Unemployment		Inactivity	
	Level	Rate	Level	Rate	Level	Rate	Level	Rate	Level	Rate	Level	Rate
People	LF26	LF2U	LF28	LF2E	LF2A	LF2W	LFK4	LFK6	K5HU	K5HW	LFL4	LFL6
Jul-Sep 2022	9,278	70.3	263	2.8	3,653	27.7	1,339	10.9	25	1.9	10,969	88.9
Jul-Sep 2023	9,394	71.0	265	2.7	3,578	27.0	1,449	11.5	23	1.6	11,080	88.3
Oct-Dec 2023	9,485	71.7	212	2.2	3,539	26.7	1,419	11.3	18	1.3	11,171	88.6
Jan-Mar 2024	9,366	70.8	254	2.6	3,616	27.3	1,445	11.4	42	2.8	11,177	88.3
Apr-Jun 2024	9,379	70.9	235	2.4	3,622	27.4	1,481	11.6	35	2.3	11,204	88.1
Jul-Sep 2024	9,424	71.2	258	2.7	3,549	26.8	1,548	12.1	38	2.4	11,192	87.6
Change on quarter	45	0.4	24	0.2	-74	-0.5	66	0.5	3	0.1	-12	-0.5
Change %	0.5		10.0		-2.0		4.5		8.7		-0.1	
Change on year	31	0.3	-7	-0.1	-29	-0.2	99	0.6	14	0.8	112	-0.7
Change %	0.3		-2.5		-0.8		6.8		61.3		1.0	
Men	MGUX	YBUN	MGVM	MGXF	MGWB	LWFK	MGVA	YBUQ	MGVP	MGXI	MGWE	LWFN
Jul-Sep 2022	4,844	75.0	148	3.0	1,465	22.7	775	13.6	11	1.4	4,928	86.2
Jul-Sep 2023	4,822	74.5	166	3.3	1,488	23.0	874	15.0	20	2.3	4,929	84.6
Oct-Dec 2023	4,902	75.7	121	2.4	1,452	22.4	863	14.7	11	1.2	4,978	85.1
Jan-Mar 2024	4,859	75.0	156	3.1	1,461	22.6	873	14.9	23	2.6	4,982	84.8
Apr-Jun 2024	4,839	74.7	132	2.7	1,504	23.2	866	14.7	23	2.6	5,017	84.9
Jul-Sep 2024	4,856	75.0	141	2.8	1,475	22.8	885	14.9	23	2.6	5,026	84.7
Change on quarter	17	0.3	9	0.2	-29	-0.4	19	0.2	0	0.0	9	-0.2
Change %	0.4		7.0		-1.9		2.2		1.5		0.2	
Change on year	34	0.6	-25	-0.5	-12	-0.2	11	-0.1	3	0.3	97	0.1
Change %	0.7		-15.0		-0.8		1.2		14.6		2.0	
Women	LF27	LF2V	LF29	LF2F	LF2B	LF2X	LFK5	LFK7	K5HV	K5HX	LFL5	LFL7
Jul-Sep 2022	4,434	65.8	115	2.5	2,189	32.5	564	8.5	14	2.4	6,041	91.3
Jul-Sep 2023	4,572	67.6	99	2.1	2,090	30.9	574	8.5	3	0.5	6,152	91.4
Oct-Dec 2023	4,583	67.8	91	1.9	2,087	30.9	557	8.2	7	1.3	6,193	91.7
Jan-Mar 2024	4,507	66.7	98	2.1	2,156	31.9	572	8.4	18	3.1	6,195	91.3
Apr-Jun 2024	4,540	67.2	103	2.2	2,118	31.3	615	9.0	12	1.9	6,188	90.8
Jul-Sep 2024	4,568	67.6	117	2.5	2,074	30.7	663	9.7	14	2.1	6,166	90.1
Change on quarter	28	0.4	14	0.3	-44	-0.6	48	0.7	3	0.3	-21	-0.7
Change %	0.6		13.9		-2.1		7.8		22.9		-0.3	
Change on year	-4	0.0	18	0.4	-16	-0.2	88	1.1	11	1.6	15	-1.3
Change %	-0.1		18.5		-0.8		15.4		370.9		0.2	

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EMPLOYMENT AND JOBS

3 Full-time, part-time and temporary workers

United Kingdom (thousands of people aged 16 and over) seasonally adjusted

	All in employment					Full-time and part-time workers ¹							Total Workers with second jobs		
	Total	Employees	Self-employed	Unpaid family workers	Government supported training & employment programmes ²	Total people working full-time	total people working part-time	Employees working full-time	Employees working part-time	Self-employed people working full-time	Self-employed people working part-time	Total			
														1	2
People		MGRN	MGRQ	MGRT	MGRW	YCBE	YCBH	YCBK	YCBN	YCBQ	YCBT	YCBW			
Jul-Sep 2022	32,916	28,532	4,254	64	67	24,668	8,248	21,785	6,747	2,830	1,423	1,259			
Jul-Sep 2023	33,102	28,633	4,320	95	55	24,607	8,495	21,663	6,970	2,892	1,428	1,152			
Oct-Dec 2023	33,174	28,678	4,370	85	42	24,813	8,361	21,807	6,870	2,948	1,422	1,149			
Jan-Mar 2024	32,997	28,635	4,250	74	37	24,850	8,146	21,942	6,693	2,871	1,380	1,168			
Apr-Jun 2024	33,094	28,676	4,272	91	55	24,803	8,291	21,859	6,817	2,888	1,384	1,267			
Jul-Sep 2024	33,313	28,853	4,286	121	54	24,905	8,408	21,974	6,879	2,869	1,417	1,246			
Change on quarter	220	177	14	30	-1	102	118	116	61	-20	34	-21			
Change %	0.7	0.6	0.3	32.6	-1.2	0.4	1.4	0.5	0.9	-0.7	2.4	-1.7			
Change on year	211	220	-34	26	-1	298	-87	312	-92	-23	-11	94			
Change %	0.6	0.8	-0.8	27.6	-1.4	1.2	-1.0	1.4	-1.3	-0.8	-0.7	8.1			
Men		MGRO	MGRR	MGRU	MGRX	YCBF	YCBI	YCBL	YCBP	YCBR	YCBU	YCBX			
Jul-Sep 2022	16,969	14,214	2,695	28	32	14,706	2,264	12,551	1,663	2,127	568	537			
Jul-Sep 2023	17,088	14,214	2,761	58	35	14,666	2,402	12,453	1,760	2,171	590	474			
Oct-Dec 2023	17,110	14,279	2,745	57	29	14,760	2,350	12,543	1,736	2,170	575	500			
Jan-Mar 2024	17,008	14,255	2,678	46	29	14,704	2,303	12,552	1,702	2,123	555	494			
Apr-Jun 2024	16,984	14,157	2,747	47	32	14,654	2,330	12,445	1,712	2,167	580	545			
Jul-Sep 2024	17,085	14,288	2,707	61	29	14,657	2,428	12,513	1,775	2,104	603	533			
Change on quarter	101	131	-41	13	-3	2	99	68	63	-63	22	-12			
Change %	0.6	0.9	-1.5	28.1	-9.5	0.0	4.2	0.5	3.7	-2.9	3.8	-2.1			
Change on year	17	75	-54	3	-6	-10	27	60	15	-67	12	59			
Change %	0.1	0.5	-2.0	4.3	-16.7	-0.1	1.1	0.5	0.8	-3.1	2.1	12.4			
Women		MGRP	MGRS	MGRV	MGRY	YCBG	YCBJ	YCBM	YCBP	YCBS	YCBV	YCBY			
Jul-Sep 2022	15,946	14,318	1,558	36	35	9,962	5,985	9,234	5,084	703	855	722			
Jul-Sep 2023	16,034	14,419	1,559	36	19	9,940	6,094	9,210	5,210	721	838	678			
Oct-Dec 2023	16,065	14,399	1,625	28	13	10,053	6,011	9,265	5,135	778	847	649			
Jan-Mar 2024	15,989	14,380	1,573	28	8	10,146	5,843	9,390	4,991	748	825	674			
Apr-Jun 2024	16,109	14,519	1,525	43	22	10,148	5,961	9,413	5,106	721	803	723			
Jul-Sep 2024	16,228	14,565	1,579	60	24	10,248	5,980	9,461	5,104	764	815	713			
Change on quarter	119	46	54	16	2	100	19	48	-2	43	11	-10			
Change %	0.7	0.3	3.6	37.6	10.9	1.0	0.3	0.5	0.0	6.0	1.4	-1.3			
Change on year	194	145	20	24	5	308	-114	252	-106	43	-23	35			
Change %	1.2	1.0	1.3	64.9	26.6	3.1	-1.9	2.7	-2.0	6.0	-2.7	5.1			
	Temporary employees (reasons for temporary working)											Part-time workers (reasons for working part-time) ³			
	Total	Could not find permanent job	% that could not find permanent job	Did not want permanent job	Has a contract with period of training	Some other reason	Total ⁴	Could not find full-time job	% that could not find full-time job	Did not want full-time job	Ill or disabled	Student or at school			
	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25		
People	YCBZ	YCCC	YCCF	YCCI	YCCJ	YCCM	YCCP	YCCS	YCCV	YCCY	YCCD	YCDG	YCDJ		
Jul-Sep 2022	1,627	5.7	381	23.4	461	168	617	8,170	814	10.0	5,789	333	1,168		
Jul-Sep 2023	1,648	5.8	350	21.2	464	141	693	8,398	804	9.6	5,854	388	1,303		
Oct-Dec 2023	1,490	5.2	310	20.8	443	141	596	8,292	824	9.9	5,829	382	1,200		
Jan-Mar 2024	1,446	5.0	307	21.2	391	203	545	8,073	762	9.4	5,804	323	1,126		
Apr-Jun 2024	1,489	5.2	297	19.9	418	143	632	8,201	857	10.4	5,760	337	1,202		
Jul-Sep 2024	1,506	5.2	352	23.4	442	155	557	8,296	895	10.8	5,795	379	1,177		
Change on quarter	16	0.0	56	3.5	23	12	-75	95	39	0.3	35	42	-25		
Change %	1.1		18.8		5.6	8.4	-11.9	1.2	4.5		0.6	12.5	-2.1		
Change on year	-142	-0.5	3	2.2	-22	14	-136	-102	91	1.2	-59	-9	-126		
Change %	-8.6		0.7		-4.8	10.0	-19.7	-1.2	11.3		-1.0	-2.3	-9.7		
Men	YCCA	YCCD	YCCG	YCCJ	YCCM	YCCP	YCCS	YCCV	YCCY	YCCD	YCDE	YCDH	YCDK		
Jul-Sep 2022	766	5.4	193	25.2	201	84	289	2,322	362	16.2	1,252	131	458		
Jul-Sep 2023	744	5.2	158	21.2	195	84	306	2,351	316	13.4	1,332	148	545		
Oct-Dec 2023	712	5.0	158	22.2	198	88	267	2,311	331	14.3	1,327	140	494		
Jan-Mar 2024	711	5.0	165	23.3	168	114	264	2,257	342	15.2	1,301	121	467		
Apr-Jun 2024	733	5.2	165	22.5	175	78	315	2,292	406	17.7	1,282	115	466		
Jul-Sep 2024	715	5.0	195	27.3	179	79	263	2,378	404	17.0	1,330	163	462		
Change on quarter	-18	-0.2	30	4.7	4	0	-53	86	-2	-0.7	49	47	-5		
Change %	-2.5		18.0		2.3	0.5	-16.7	3.7	-0.4		3.8	40.8	-1.0		
Change on year	-29	-0.2	37	6.0	-17	-6	-43	27	88	3.6	-2	15	-83		
Change %	-3.8		23.5		-8.5	-6.9	-14.2	1.1	28.0		-0.1	10.1	-15.3		
Women	YCCB	YCCD	YCCG	YCCJ	YCCM	YCCP	YCCS	YCCV	YCCY	YCCD	YCDF	YCDI	YCDL		
Jul-Sep 2022	860	6.0	188	21.9	260	84	328	5,939	452	7.6	4,537	202	709		
Jul-Sep 2023	904	6.3	192	21.2	269	56	387	6,048	488	8.1	4,522	240	758		
Oct-Dec 2023	778	5.4	152	19.5	245	53	329	5,981	493	8.2	4,503	242	706		
Jan-Mar 2024	734	5.1	141	19.2	224	88	281	5,815	420	7.2	4,504	202	659		
Apr-Jun 2024	756	5.2	131	17.4	244	65	316	5,909	451	7.6	4,478	221	736		
Jul-Sep 2024	791	5.4	157	19.9	263	76	294	5,918	491	8.3	4,464	216	715		
Change on quarter	35	0.2	26	2.5	19	12	-22	9	40	0.7	-14	-5	-21		
Change %	4.6		19.8		7.9	17.8	-7.0	0.2	8.9		-0.3	-2.2	-2.8		
Change on year	-113	-0.8	-35	-1.3	-6	20	-93	-129	3	0.2	-58	-24	-43		
Change %	-12.6		-18.0		-2.1	35.3	-24.1	-2.1	0.6		-1.3	-10.0	-5.7		

Source: Labour Force Survey

Labour market statistics enquiries: labour.market@ons.gov.uk

Note: When comparing quarterly changes ONS recommends comparing with the previous non-overlapping 3-month average time period (eg, compare Apr-Jun with Jan-Mar, not with Mar-May).

- The split between full-time and part-time employment is based on respondents' self-classification.
- This series does not include all people on these programmes; it only includes those engaging in any form of work, work experience or work-related training.
- These series cover Employees and Self-employed only. These series include some temporary employees.
- The total includes those who did not give a reason for working part-time and it therefore does not equal the sum of the other columns in this section of the table.
- Data for this period has not been reweighted and so is inconsistent with data from Jul-Sep 2022 onwards.

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4 Public and private sector employment

United Kingdom (thousands of people aged 16 and over), seasonally adjusted

	Public sector		Private sector ¹		Total employment ²	Public sector excluding effects of major reclassifications (See Explanatory note at bottom of table)		Private sector excluding effects of major reclassifications (See Explanatory note at bottom of table)		
	(000s)	(%)	(000s)	(%)		(000s)	(000s)	(%)	(000s)	(%)
	1	2	3	4		5	6	7	8	9
	G7AU	G9BZ	G7K5	G9C2	G7GO	MFY7	MFY9	MFZ2	MFY5	
Mar 22	5,735	17.5	27,122	82.5	32,857	5,595	17.0	27,262	83.0	
Jun 22	5,748	17.5	27,172	82.5	32,920	5,609	17.0	27,311	83.0	
Sep 22	5,766	17.5	27,185	82.5	32,951	5,626	17.1	27,325	82.9	
Dec 22	5,793	17.5	27,306	82.5	33,099	5,653	17.1	27,446	82.9	
Mar 23	5,827	17.5	27,499	82.5	33,326	5,688	17.1	27,638	82.9	
Jun 23	5,864 r	17.7	27,218 r	82.3	33,082	5,725 r	17.3	27,357 r	82.7	
Sep 23	5,899	17.8	27,297	82.2	33,196	5,762	17.4	27,434	82.6	
Dec 23	5,928	17.9	27,179	82.1	33,107	5,791	17.5	27,316	82.5	
Mar 24	5,956 r	18.1	27,011 r	81.9	32,967	5,816 r	17.6	27,151 r	82.4	
Jun 24	5,940	17.9	27,292	82.1	33,232	5,841	17.6	27,391	82.4	
Change on quarter	-16	-0.2	281	0.2	265	25	0.0	240	0.0	
Change %	-0.3	-	1.0	-	0.8	0.4	-	0.9	-	
Change on year	76	0.2	74	-0.2	150	116	0.3	34	-0.3	
Change %	1.3	-	0.3	-	0.5	2.0	-	0.1	-	

Enquiries 01633 455400 Source: Labour Force Survey (LFS) and returns from public sector organisations
 Relationship between columns: 2 = 1/5*100; 3 = 5-1; 4 = 3/5*100, 5=6+8 See footnotes under table 4(1)

4(1) Public sector employment by industry

United Kingdom (thousands of people aged 16 and over), seasonally adjusted

	Construction	HM Forces ³	Police (including civilians)	Public administration	Of which: Civil Service ⁴	Education	National Health Service	Other health and social work	Other (including financial corporations)	Total public sector employment ⁵
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
	G7ER	G7EU	G7EX	G7F2	G7D6	G7F5	G7FG	G7FJ	G7FM	G7AU
Mar 22	35	158	272	1,143	512	1,497	1,874	212	543	5,735
Jun 22	34	157	272	1,143	512	1,500	1,884	213	545	5,748
Sep 22	34	156	274	1,148	513	1,496	1,898	213	549	5,766
Dec 22	34	154	276	1,152	515	1,498	1,917	212	550	5,793
Mar 23	34	152	280	1,159	521	1,502	1,938	210	551	5,827
Jun 23	33	150	280	1,175	522	1,501	1,962	211	550 r	5,864 r
Sep 23	34	150	281	1,185	529	1,507	1,983	209	553	5,899
Dec 23	34	148	281	1,196	535	1,504	2,005	208	555	5,928
Mar 24	35	148	282 r	1,209	544 r	1,498 r	2,017	206 r	559 r	5,956 r
Jun 24	35	148	282	1,216	546	1,500	2,027	205	524	5,940
Change on quarter	0	0	0	7	2	2	10	-1	-35	-16
Change %	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.6	0.4	0.1	0.5	-0.5	-6.3	-0.3
Change on year	2	-2	2	41	24	-1	65	-6	-26	76
Change %	6.1	-1.3	0.7	3.5	4.6	-0.1	3.3	-2.8	-4.7	1.3

Enquiries 01633 455400 Source: returns from public sector organisations

Explanatory Note: The public and private sector employment series have been affected by a number of major reclassifications where bodies employing large numbers of people have moved between the public and private sectors. These major reclassifications are as follows:

- Further Education corporations and Sixth Form College corporations in England are included in the private sector from June 2012 but in the public sector for earlier time periods.
- Royal Mail plc is included in the private sector from December 2013 but in the public sector for earlier time periods.
- Lloyds Banking Group plc is included in the public sector from December 2008 to December 2013 but in the private sector for earlier and later time periods.
- NatWest Group (formerly Royal Bank of Scotland Group) is included in the public sector from December 2008 to March 2024, but in the private sector for earlier and later time periods.
- Network Rail is included in the private sector before December 2002. From December 2002 onwards it is included in the public sector (except for the period from June 2003 to March 2004, when it is included in the private sector).
- Northern Rock is included in the public sector from December 2007 until December 2011 but in the private sector for earlier and later time periods.
- Bradford and Bingley is included in the public sector from September 2008 but in the private sector for earlier time periods.
- Welsh Further Education colleges are included in the private sector from March 2015 but in the public sector for earlier time periods.
- Housing associations in England are included in the public sector between September 2008 and September 2017; they are in the private sector for earlier and later time periods.
- Housing associations in Scotland are included in the public sector from September 2001 until June 2018; they are included in the private sector for earlier and later time periods.
- Housing associations in Wales are included in the private sector from June 2018; they are included in the public sector for earlier time periods.
- Housing associations in Northern Ireland are included in the public sector from March 1999 to June 2020.
- Train operating companies in England, Scotland and Wales operating under emergency measure agreements are included in the public sector from June 2020.

The series shown at Table 4 (in columns 6 to 9) for public and private sector employment excluding the effects of major reclassifications show all of the above mentioned bodies included in the private sector for all time periods and excluded from the public sector for all time periods. When using figures from this table, the latest estimate of the number of people employed in the public and private sectors should be taken from columns 1 and 3 respectively. However the quarterly and annual changes in employment shown in these columns are affected by reclassifications. Figures from columns 6 and 8 should be used for assessments of the recent underlying changes in public and private sector employment. The changes in employment shown in these columns are measured on a consistent basis to remove the effect of major reclassifications.

1. Estimated as the difference between LFS total employment and the data from public sector organisations.
2. LFS employment data for March refer to February-April, June refers to May-July, September refers to August-October and December refers to November-January.
3. This series excludes locally engaged staff stationed outside the United Kingdom.
4. This series excludes the Northern Ireland Civil Service.
5. This series may not exactly equal the sum of the components because each component is independently seasonally adjusted.

More detailed estimates are available in the Public Sector Employment Statistical Bulletin at: <https://www.ons.gov.uk/employmentandlabourmarket/peopleinwork/publicsectorpersonnel/bulletins/publicsectoremployment/latest>

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5 Workforce jobs

United Kingdom (thousands), seasonally adjusted

	Workforce jobs	Employee jobs	Self-employment jobs ¹	HM Forces	Government-supported trainees ¹
	1	2	3	4	5
	DYDC	BCAJ	DYZN	LOJX	LOJU
Jun 22	35,970	31,632	4,142	157	39
Sep 22	35,998	31,724	4,071	156	47
Dec 22	36,323	31,961	4,140	154	67
Mar 23	36,731	32,262	4,243	153	73
Jun 23	36,586	32,324	4,064	150	47
Sep 23	36,785	32,502	4,096	150	37
Dec 23	36,864	32,572	4,107	148	37
Mar 24 (r)	37,117	32,648	4,290	148	31
Jun 24 (p)	37,089	32,710	4,198	148	33
Change on quarter	-28	62	-92	0	2
Change %	-0.1	0.2	-2.1	0.3	7.3
Change on year	503	386	134	-2	-15
Change %	1.4	1.2	3.3	-1.3	-30.7

Relationship between columns: 1=2+3+4+5

See footnotes under table 6

6 Workforce jobs by industry

Standard Industrial Classification (2007)

United Kingdom (thousands), seasonally adjusted

SIC 2007 sections	All jobs	Agriculture, forestry & fishing	Mining & quarrying	Manufacturing	Electricity, gas, steam & air conditioning supply	Water supply, sewerage, waste & remediation activities	Construction	Wholesale & retail trade; repair of motor vehicles and motor cycles	Transport & storage	Accommodation & food service activities	Information & communication
	A-T	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J
	DYDC	JWR5	JWR6	JWR7	JWR8	JWR9	JWS2	JWS3	JWS4	JWS5	JWS6
Jun 22	35,970	375	51	2,615	131	238	2,261	4,750	1,842	2,594	1,611
Sep 22	35,998	371	52	2,617	124	240	2,202	4,746	1,879	2,669	1,624
Dec 22	36,323	368	54	2,630	119	247	2,219	4,742	1,897	2,759	1,635
Mar 23	36,731	377	59	2,620	116	264	2,255	4,759	1,916	2,754	1,677
Jun 23	36,586	363	52	2,583	119	267	2,251	4,694	1,873	2,810	1,671
Sep 23	36,785	422	54	2,608	116	265	2,243	4,730	1,875	2,807	1,621
Dec 23	36,864	446	54	2,609	121	262	2,195	4,758	1,930	2,775	1,667
Mar 24 (r)	37,117	406	51	2,588	121	269	2,220	4,758	1,935	2,785	1,657
Jun 24 (p)	37,089	392	53	2,583	123	266	2,143	4,765	1,915	2,790	1,649
Change on quarter	-28	-14	2	-5	2	-3	-77	7	-20	5	-9
Change %	-0.1	-3.4	4.7	-0.2	1.5	-1.2	-3.5	0.2	-1.0	0.2	-0.5
Change on year	387	29	-8	-31	6	6	-36	-1	19	31	-20
Change %	1.1	7.7	-13.4	-1.2	4.9	2.1	-1.6	0.0	1.0	1.1	-1.2

SIC 2007 sections	Financial & insurance activities	Real estate activities	Professional scientific & technical activities	Administrative & support service activities	Public admin & defence; compulsory social security ²	Education	Human health & social work activities	Arts, entertainment & recreation	Other service activities	People employed by households, etc.	Total services
	K	L	M	N	O	P	Q	R	S	T	G-T
	JWS7	JWS8	JWS9	JWT2	JWT3	JWT4	JWT5	JWT6	JWT7	KW78	JWT8
Jun 22	1,096	656	3,269	3,140	1,633	3,062	4,631	1,024	939	54	30,299
Sep 22	1,090	665	3,275	3,120	1,636	3,012	4,648	1,023	950	55	30,392
Dec 22	1,126	682	3,358	3,122	1,645	2,995	4,685	1,015	972	52	30,686
Mar 23	1,153	706	3,433	3,131	1,665	3,025	4,777	1,024	970	51	31,041
Jun 23	1,151	683	3,365	3,183	1,679	3,028	4,795	1,036	927	56	30,951
Sep 23	1,147	688	3,446	3,122	1,680	3,030	4,850	1,058	956	66	31,076
Dec 23	1,183	689	3,378	3,066	1,692	3,065	4,908	1,061	953	55	31,178
Mar 24 (r)	1,174	703	3,453	3,046	1,709	3,057	4,998	1,098	1,019	71	31,462
Jun 24 (p)	1,185	716	3,490	3,037	1,730	3,043	5,083	1,093	971	62	31,528
Change on quarter	12	12	37	-9	21	-14	84	-5	-48	-9	67
Change %	1.0	1.8	1.1	-0.3	1.2	-0.5	1.7	-0.4	-4.7	-12.3	0.2
Change on year	34	33	125	-146	51	14	288	58	44	7	578
Change %	3.0	4.8	3.7	-4.6	3.0	0.5	6.0	5.6	4.8	12.1	1.9

Workforce jobs enquiries 01633 456776

Sources: Employer surveys, Labour Force Survey and administrative sources

1. Workforce Jobs figures are a measure of jobs rather than people. For this reason estimates of self-employment jobs and government supported trainee jobs differ from estimates of people in self-employment and in government supported training and employment programmes shown at Table 3. The estimates for government supported trainees shown in this table exclude trainees with contracts of employment as such people are included in the estimates of employee jobs.

2. This series is not exclusively a public sector series as it includes some private sector jobs. See table 4 for estimates of public and private sector employment.

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7 Actual weekly hours worked

United Kingdom (hours worked by people aged 16 and over), seasonally adjusted

Average (mean) actual weekly hours worked

	Total weekly hours (millions) ^{1,2}	All workers ¹	Full-time workers ³	Part-time workers ³	Second Jobs
People	YBUS	YBUV	YBUY	YBVB	YBVE
Jul-Sep 2022	1,043.7	31.7	36.3	16.4	9.9
Jul-Sep 2023	1,040.0	31.4	36.2	16.2	9.4
Oct-Dec 2023	1,046.6	31.5	36.4	16.3	8.8
Jan-Mar 2024	1,056.3	32.0	36.6	16.6	10.0
Apr-Jun 2024	1,059.5	32.0	36.6	16.5	9.7
Jul-Sep 2024	1,069.0	32.1	36.9	16.8	9.4
<i>Change on quarter</i>	9.6	0.1	0.3	0.3	-0.3
<i>Change %</i>	0.9	0.2	0.7	1.7	-2.8
<i>Change on year</i>	29.1	0.7	0.6	0.5	0.0
<i>Change %</i>	2.8	2.1	1.8	3.2	0.2
Men	YBUT	YBUW	YBUZ	YBVC	YBVF
Jul-Sep 2022	601.0	35.4	37.9	16.3	10.2
Jul-Sep 2023	594.8	34.9	37.6	15.9	9.8
Oct-Dec 2023	599.4	35.0	37.8	15.9	9.3
Jan-Mar 2024	601.5	35.4	38.1	16.0	11.7
Apr-Jun 2024	604.2	35.6	38.2	16.0	10.6
Jul-Sep 2024	609.9	35.7	38.6	16.3	10.6
<i>Change on quarter</i>	5.7	0.1	0.4	0.4	-0.1
<i>Change %</i>	0.9	0.4	1.0	2.3	-0.7
<i>Change on year</i>	15.1	0.8	1.0	0.5	0.7
<i>Change %</i>	2.5	2.4	2.6	3.1	7.3
Women	YBUU	YBUX	YBVA	YBVD	YBVG
Jul-Sep 2022	442.7	27.8	33.9	16.4	9.6
Jul-Sep 2023	445.1	27.8	34.2	16.4	9.1
Oct-Dec 2023	447.2	27.8	34.2	16.4	8.4
Jan-Mar 2024	454.9	28.4	34.6	16.9	8.7
Apr-Jun 2024	455.3	28.3	34.3	16.7	9.0
Jul-Sep 2024	459.1	28.3	34.4	16.9	8.6
<i>Change on quarter</i>	3.8	0.0	0.1	0.2	-0.4
<i>Change %</i>	0.8	0.1	0.4	1.5	-4.6
<i>Change on year</i>	14.0	0.5	0.2	0.5	-0.5
<i>Change %</i>	3.1	1.9	0.6	3.3	-5.7

Source: Labour Force Survey

Labour market statistics enquiries: labour.market@ons.gov.uk

1. Main and second job

2. Total actual weekly hours worked including paid and unpaid overtime.

3. Main job only. The split between full-time and part-time employment is based on respondents' self-classification

4. Data for this period has not been reweighted and so is inconsistent with data from Jul-Sep 2022 onwards.

7 (1) Usual weekly hours of work¹

United Kingdom, seasonally adjusted

	All in Employment (%)			Employees (%)			Self-Employed (%)		
	People	Men	Women	People	Men	Women	People	Men	Women
Jul-Sep 2023									
Less than 6 Hours	1.4	0.9	1.9	0.9	0.6	1.2	3.9	2.2	7.1
6 up to 15 hours	6.2	3.8	8.8	5.5	3.2	7.7	11.1	6.7	18.9
16 up to 30 hours	18.5	10.6	26.9	17.8	9.3	26.2	23.3	17.3	33.8
31 up to 45 hours	59.8	65.8	53.4	62.5	69.1	55.9	42.2	48.7	30.8
Over 45 hours	14.2	19.0	9.0	13.4	17.8	9.0	19.5	25.2	9.4
Total (thousands)	33,102	17,068	16,034	28,633	14,214	14,419	4,320	2,761	1,559
Apr-Jun 2024									
Less than 6 Hours	1.3	0.9	1.7	0.9	0.6	1.2	3.3	2.0	5.6
6 up to 15 hours	6.0	3.7	8.3	5.1	3.0	7.3	11.1	7.2	18.0
16 up to 30 hours	18.8	10.4	27.8	18.1	9.0	27.0	23.7	17.3	35.2
31 up to 45 hours	59.2	65.1	53.0	62.0	68.7	55.5	41.0	47.3	29.5
Over 45 hours	14.7	19.9	9.2	13.8	18.8	9.0	21.0	26.2	11.6
Total (thousands)	33,094	16,984	16,109	28,676	14,157	14,519	4,272	2,747	1,525
Jul-Sep 2024									
Less than 6 Hours	1.3	0.9	1.8	0.9	0.6	1.3	3.4	2.3	5.3
6 up to 15 hours	6.1	3.7	8.6	5.3	3.1	7.4	10.6	5.8	18.8
16 up to 30 hours	19.0	10.9	27.6	18.2	9.3	27.0	25.3	19.6	35.2
31 up to 45 hours	59.2	64.8	53.2	62.0	68.4	55.8	40.2	46.3	29.7
Over 45 hours	14.4	19.7	8.8	13.6	18.6	8.6	20.4	25.9	11.0
Total (thousands)	33,313	17,085	16,228	28,853	14,288	14,565	4,286	2,707	1,579

¹ Total usual weekly hours worked by people aged 16 and over in main job including paid and unpaid overtime.

Source: Labour Force Survey

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NON-UK WORKERS

8(1) Employment levels and rates by country of birth and nationality

United Kingdom (thousands of people aged 16 and over) not seasonally adjusted

	Europe										Africa		Asia		America and Oceania				Total Non-EU ⁷		
	European Union (EU)										Other Europe (not in EU)		Total Africa	Of which: South Africa	Total Asia	Of which: India	Of which: Pakistan and Bangladesh	Total America and Oceania		Of which: USA	Of which: Australia and New Zealand
	Total ¹	UK	Non UK	Total Europe	Total EU (EU27) ²	EU14 ³	EU5 ⁴	EU2 ⁵	Other EU ⁶	FSC3	FSC4										
Levels (aged 16 and over)	MGTM	JF6F	JF6G	FSC2	EQ4Q	JJR3	JJR5	EQ4R	FSC3	FSC4	FSC5	JJS3	FSC6	JJS7	JJS9	FSC7	JJR7	JJS5	EQ4S		
Jul-Sep 2022	32,952	26,635	6,309	--	2,198	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	4,110		
Jul-Sep 2023	33,137	26,449	6,679	--	2,265	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	4,414		
Oct-Dec 2023	33,193	26,319	6,859	--	2,285	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	4,575		
Jan-Mar 2024	32,977	26,164	6,813	--	2,212	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	4,601		
Apr-Jun 2024	33,021	26,203	6,817	--	2,211	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	4,606		
Jul-Sep 2024	33,366	26,366	7,000	--	2,205	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	4,795		
Change on year	229	-84	321	--	-61	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	381		
Change %	0.7	-0.3	4.8	--	-2.7	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	8.6		
Country of birth rates	LF9D	LFM6	LFM7	FSD5	EQ4Y	LFM8	LFM9	EQ4Z	FSD6	FSD7	FSD8	LFN4	FSD9	LFN6	LFN7	FSE2	LFN2	LFN5	EQ5Z		
Jul-Sep 2022	75.0	75.1	75.0	--	81.0	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	72.1		
Jul-Sep 2023	74.9	74.9	75.1	--	79.8	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	72.9		
Oct-Dec 2023	75.1	74.8	76.2	--	81.8	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	73.7		
Jan-Mar 2024	74.4	74.3	74.9	--	80.2	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	72.6		
Apr-Jun 2024	74.3	74.3	74.6	--	79.4	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	72.5		
Jul-Sep 2024	74.9	74.6	76.1	--	80.8	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	74.1		
Change on year	0.0	-0.3	1.0	--	1.1	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	1.3		
Nationality levels	MGTM	JF6H	JF6I	FSC8	EQ4U	JJR4	JJR6	EQ4V	FSC9	FSC6	FSD2	JJS4	FSD3	JJS8	JJT2	FSD4	JJR8	JJS6	EQ4W		
Jul-Sep 2022	32,952	28,824	4,022	--	2,063	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	1,989		
Jul-Sep 2023	33,137	28,757	4,374	--	2,244	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	2,130		
Oct-Dec 2023	33,193	28,693	4,491	--	2,199	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	2,292		
Jan-Mar 2024	32,977	28,527	4,448	--	2,093	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	2,355		
Apr-Jun 2024	33,021	28,547	4,471	--	2,117	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	2,354		
Jul-Sep 2024	33,366	28,729	4,634	--	2,088	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	2,546		
Change on year	229	-28	260	--	-156	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	416		
Change %	0.7	-0.1	6.0	--	-7.0	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	19.5		
Nationality rates	LF9D	LFN8	LFN9	FSE3	EQ64	LFO2	LFO3	EQ55	FSE4	FSE5	FSE6	LF06	FSE7	LF08	LF09	FSE8	LF04	LF07	EQ56		
Jul-Sep 2022	75.0	75.2	74.4	--	80.4	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	69.0		
Jul-Sep 2023	74.9	74.9	75.0	--	80.6	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	70.0		
Oct-Dec 2023	75.1	74.9	76.3	--	82.4	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	71.3		
Jan-Mar 2024	74.4	74.4	74.7	--	80.7	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	70.0		
Apr-Jun 2024	74.3	74.4	73.9	--	79.2	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	69.7		
Jul-Sep 2024	74.9	74.7	76.2	--	80.4	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	73.1		
Change on year	0.0	-0.2	1.2	--	-0.2	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	3.2		

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- The total series includes people who do not state their country of birth or nationality. The total levels series MGTM does not therefore equal the sum of the "UK" and "Non-UK" series.
- This series consists of all 27 EU member states. This series equals the sum of EU14, EU5, EU2 and Other EU.
- Austria, Belgium, Denmark, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Ireland, Italy, Luxembourg, Netherlands, Portugal, Spain and Sweden.
- Czech Republic, Estonia, Hungary, Latvia, Lithuania, Poland, Slovak Republic and Slovenia.
- Romania and Bulgaria.
- Cyprus, Malta and Croatia.
- Total Non-EU equals the sum of Other Europe, Total Africa, Total Asia and Total America and Oceania.

The estimates shown in this table relate to the number of people in employment and should not be used as a proxy for flows of foreign migrants into the UK.

UNEMPLOYMENT

9(1) Unemployment by age and duration

United Kingdom (thousands) seasonally adjusted

	All aged 16 & over							All aged 16 - 64										
	All	Rate (%) ¹	Up to 6 months	Over 6 and up to 12 months	All over 12 months	% over 12 months	All over 24 months	All	Rate (%) ¹	Up to 6 months	Over 6 and up to 12 months	All over 12 months	% over 12 months	All over 24 months				
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14				
People			YBWF	YBWG	YBWH	YBWI	YBWL			LF2Y	LF32	LF34	LF36	LF38				
Jul-Sep 2022	1,283	3.8	806	158	319	24.9	164	1,258	3.8	793	158	307	24.4	158				
Jul-Sep 2023	1,407	4.1	924	233	249	17.7	131	1,383	4.2	918	230	235	17.0	123				
Oct-Dec 2023	1,320	3.8	888	170	262	19.8	150	1,302	3.9	871	167	264	20.3	143				
Jan-Mar 2024	1,486	4.3	925	225	336	22.6	163	1,445	4.4	902	223	320	22.1	158				
Apr-Jun 2024	1,435	4.2	890	211	335	23.3	146	1,401	4.2	880	208	313	22.3	138				
Jul-Sep 2024	1,486	4.3	908	241	337	22.7	148	1,448	4.4	892	233	322	22.2	138				
Change on quarter	50	0.1	18	30	2	-0.6	2	47	0.1	13	25	9	-0.1	0				
Change %	3.5		2.1	14.2	0.6		1.2	3.4		1.4	12.2	3.0		0.0				
Change on year	79	0.2	-16	8	88	5.0	17	65	0.2	-26	3	87	5.3	15				
Change %	5.6		-1.8	3.2	35.2		13.0	4.7		-2.8	1.3	37.3		12.4				
Men			MGYK	MGYM	MGYO	YBWJ	YBWM			YBWP	YBWS	YBWW	YBWW	YBWB				
Jul-Sep 2022	667	3.8	400	69	198	29.7	112	656	3.9	393	70	193	29.5	109				
Jul-Sep 2023	792	4.4	519	120	153	19.4	98	772	4.5	513	116	142	18.4	91				
Oct-Dec 2023	737	4.1	469	87	181	24.6	110	727	4.3	454	85	188	25.8	107				
Jan-Mar 2024	799	4.5	447	123	230	28.7	117	776	4.6	436	121	219	28.2	114				
Apr-Jun 2024	779	4.4	458	107	215	27.6	105	756	4.5	449	104	203	26.8	101				
Jul-Sep 2024	791	4.4	466	125	199	25.2	92	767	4.5	455	118	194	25.3	87				
Change on quarter	11	0.0	9	18	-16	-2.4	-13	11	0.0	5	14	-9	-1.5	-14				
Change %	1.4		1.9	16.9	-7.3		-12.7	1.4		1.2	13.5	-4.2		-13.8				
Change on year	-2	0.0	-53	5	46	5.8	-6	-5	0.0	-59	2	52	6.9	-3				
Change %	-0.2		-10.2	4.5	29.8		-6.1	-0.6		-11.4	1.8	36.6		-3.7				
Women			MGYL	MGYN	MGYP	YBWK	YBWN			LF2Z	LF33	LF35	LF37	LF39				
Jul-Sep 2022	616	3.7	405	89	122	19.7	52	602	3.8	400	89	113	18.8	49				
Jul-Sep 2023	615	3.7	405	113	96	15.6	33	611	3.8	405	114	93	15.1	32				
Oct-Dec 2023	582	3.5	420	82	80	13.8	40	575	3.6	417	82	76	13.2	36				
Jan-Mar 2024	687	4.1	479	101	107	15.6	46	668	4.2	466	101	101	15.1	43				
Apr-Jun 2024	656	3.9	432	104	120	18.3	41	644	4.0	430	104	110	17.1	37				
Jul-Sep 2024	695	4.1	442	116	138	19.8	56	681	4.2	438	115	128	18.8	51				
Change on quarter	39	0.2	10	12	18	1.5	15	36	0.2	7	11	18	1.7	14				
Change %	6.0		2.2	11.5	14.7		36.7	5.7		1.7	10.9	16.2		38.2				
Change on year	81	0.4	36	2	42	4.2	23	69	0.4	33	1	35	3.7	19				
Change %	13.1		9.0	1.9	43.9		69.1	11.3		8.1	0.8	38.3		58.3				
			16-17									18-24						
	All	Rate (%) ¹	Up to 6 months	Over 6 and up to 12 months	All over 12 months	% over 12 months	All over 24 months	All	Rate (%) ¹	Up to 6 months	Over 6 and up to 12 months	All over 12 months	% over 12 months	All over 24 months				
	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28				
People			YBXD	YBXG	YBXJ	YBXM	YBXP			YBXS	YBXV	YBYX	YBYB	YBYE				
Jul-Sep 2022	101	21.5	82	11	8	8.3	*	333	8.9	238	39	56	16.8	14				
Jul-Sep 2023	75	15.9	59	15	*	*	*	424	11.6	291	81	52	12.3	28				
Oct-Dec 2023	104	20.9	90	10	*	*	*	378	10.3	256	58	64	16.9	30				
Jan-Mar 2024	130	26.3	104	16	11	8.1	*	409	11.2	245	82	82	20.1	22				
Apr-Jun 2024	115	24.5	79	17	19	16.6	*	445	12.0	315	55	74	16.6	18				
Jul-Sep 2024	114	24.0	89	15	10	9.2	*	513	13.7	346	72	95	18.6	22				
Change on quarter	-1	-0.6	10	-2	-9	-7.4	*	68	1.7	31	16	22	2.0	4				
Change %	-0.5		12.3	-10.8	-44.8		*	15.4		9.7	29.2	29.3		20.4				
Change on year	39	8.0	30	0	*	*	*	89	2.1	55	-10	43	6.3	-6				
Change %	52.0		50.7	0.9	*	*	*	20.9		19.0	-12.0	83.0		-22.4				
Men			YBXE	YBXH	YBXK	YBXN	YBXQ			YBXT	YBXW	YBXZ	YBYC	YBYF				
Jul-Sep 2022	65	28.6	54	7	5	7.0	*	203	10.8	138	24	41	20.1	10				
Jul-Sep 2023	35	14.9	30	5	*	*	*	275	14.5	186	51	38	13.8	24				
Oct-Dec 2023	51	22.0	43	6	*	*	*	258	13.3	174	35	48	18.7	26				
Jan-Mar 2024	58	25.9	49	7	3	4.7	*	264	14.0	146	47	71	27.0	18				
Apr-Jun 2024	59	26.8	42	7	9	16.0	*	277	14.5	196	26	55	19.9	14				
Jul-Sep 2024	60	27.5	45	8	8	12.5	*	319	16.6	205	44	69	21.7	15				
Change on quarter	1	0.7	2	1	-2	-3.5	*	42	2.1	9	19	14	1.8	1				
Change %	2.5		5.6	13.4	-19.9		*	15.1		4.7	72.8	25.5		7.0				
Change on year	26	12.6	15	3	*	*	*	43	2.2	19	-7	31	7.9	-9				
Change %	74.6		49.0	69.3	*	*	*	15.7		10.4	-14.0	81.9		-38.4				
Women			YBXF	YBXI	YBXL	YBXO	YBXP			YBXU	YBXX	YBYA	YBYD	YBYG				
Jul-Sep 2022	36	14.8	28	4	*	*	*	131	7.1	101	15	15	11.7	4				
Jul-Sep 2023	40	16.9	29	10	*	*	*	149	8.4	105	30	14	9.5	*				
Oct-Dec 2023	52	19.9	46	*	*	*	*	120	7.0	82	23	16	13.0	*				
Jan-Mar 2024	72	26.8	56	9	8	10.8	*	145	8.3	99	35	11	7.7	*				
Apr-Jun 2024	56	22.5	37	9	10	17.2	*	168	9.3	119	30	19	11.1	*				
Jul-Sep 2024	54	20.9	44	6	*	*	*	194	10.6	140	27	26	13.5	7				
Change on quarter	-2	-1.6	7	-3	*	*	*	26	1.3	21	-2	8	2.4	*				
Change %	-3.8		19.9	-30.3	*	*	*	15.8		17.9	-8.1	40.5		*				
Change on year	13	4.0	15	-3	*	*	*	45	2.2	36	-3	12	4.0	*				
Change %	32.6		52.5	-34.1	*	*	*	30.4		34.1	-8.6	86.1		*				

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¹ Denominator = economically active for that age group.

² Data for this period has not been reweighted and so is inconsistent with data from Jul-Sep 2022 onwards.

* Sample size too small for reliable estimate.

UNEMPLOYMENT

9(2) Unemployment by age and duration

United Kingdom (thousands) seasonally adjusted

	25-49							50 and over						
	All	Rate (%) ¹	Up to 6 months	Over 6 and up to 12 months	All over 12 months	% over 12 months	All over 24 months	All	Rate (%) ¹	Up to 6 months	Over 6 and up to 12 months	All over 12 months	% over 12 months	All over 24 months
People	MGVI	MGXB	YBYH	YBYK	YBYN	YBYQ	YBYT	YBYT	YBVW	YBYW	YBYZ	YBZC	YBZF	YBZI
Jul-Sep 2022	561	2.9	346	80	135	24.0	72	288	2.6	139	28	121	41.9	78
Jul-Sep 2023	619	3.2	432	83	104	16.9	57	288	2.6	143	54	91	31.6	47
Oct-Dec 2023	608	3.2	426	66	117	19.2	64	230	2.1	117	36	77	33.3	55
Jan-Mar 2024	651	3.4	420	74	157	24.1	79	296	2.7	155	53	87	29.4	61
Apr-Jun 2024	607	3.2	361	88	157	25.9	69	269	2.4	134	51	85	31.4	60
Jul-Sep 2024	563	2.9	335	94	134	23.7	65	296	2.6	138	60	97	32.9	60
Change on quarter	-44	-0.2	-26	6	-24	-2.2	-3	27	0.2	4	10	13	1.5	0
Change %	-7.2		-7.3	6.9	-15.1		-4.8	9.9		3.2	18.8	15.1		0.4
Change on year	-56	-0.3	-97	11	29	6.9	9	8	0.0	-4	6	6	1.3	12
Change %	-9.1		-22.4	13.7	28.0		15.3	2.7		-3.0	10.8	6.8		26.0
Men	YBYF	MGXC	YBYI	YBYL	YBYO	YBYR	YBYU	YBYU	YBVX	YBYX	YBZA	YBZD	YBZG	YBZJ
Jul-Sep 2022	241	2.5	140	22	78	32.4	50	159	2.8	68	16	75	46.9	52
Jul-Sep 2023	296	3.0	219	21	55	18.7	43	186	3.2	84	42	60	32.4	31
Oct-Dec 2023	297	3.0	195	22	80	27.1	50	132	2.2	57	25	51	38.6	34
Jan-Mar 2024	298	3.0	159	35	104	34.9	65	179	3.0	92	35	52	28.9	34
Apr-Jun 2024	289	3.0	150	44	95	32.9	51	155	2.6	70	30	55	35.7	41
Jul-Sep 2024	247	2.5	139	38	70	28.4	41	164	2.8	78	34	52	31.9	35
Change on quarter	-42	-0.4	-11	-6	-25	-4.5	-10	10	0.1	8	4	-3	-3.9	-6
Change %	-14.5		-7.4	-13.5	-26.1		-19.4	6.2		11.7	14.6	-5.3		-15.1
Change on year	-49	-0.5	-80	17	15	9.7	-2	-22	-0.4	-6	-8	-8	-0.5	3
Change %	-16.5		-36.7	78.3	26.7		-4.5	-11.7		-7.6	-18.2	-13.0		10.8
Women	YBYG	MGXD	YBYJ	YBYM	YBYP	YBYS	YBYV	YBYV	YBYV	YBYV	YBZB	YBZE	YBZH	YBZK
Jul-Sep 2022	320	3.4	206	58	56	17.7	23	129	2.5	71	12	46	35.6	26
Jul-Sep 2023	323	3.4	213	61	49	15.2	14	102	1.9	59	12	31	30.3	16
Oct-Dec 2023	312	3.3	231	44	37	11.7	14	98	1.9	61	12	26	26.1	22
Jan-Mar 2024	353	3.7	261	40	53	14.9	15	117	2.2	63	18	35	30.3	27
Apr-Jun 2024	318	3.4	212	44	62	19.6	18	114	2.2	64	21	29	25.6	19
Jul-Sep 2024	316	3.3	197	56	64	20.1	25	131	2.5	61	26	45	34.2	25
Change on quarter	-2	0.0	-15	12	1	0.5	7	17	0.3	-4	5	16	8.6	6
Change %	-0.7		-7.2	27.3	1.8		36.8	14.8		-6.0	24.8	53.6		34.2
Change on year	-8	-0.1	-17	-5	14	4.9	11	30	0.5	2	13	14	3.9	9
Change %	-2.3		-7.8	-8.8	29.5		76.4	29.1		3.5	108.4	45.7		55.1

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¹ Denominator = economically active for that age group.

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ECONOMIC ACTIVITY AND INACTIVITY

10 Economic activity by age

United Kingdom (thousands) seasonally adjusted

	All aged 16 & over	16 - 64	16 - 17	18 - 24	25 - 34	35 - 49	50 - 64	65+
Economically active	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
People	MGSF	LF2K	YBZL	YBZO	YBZR	YBZU	LF3A	LFK8
Jul-Sep 2022	34,199	32,835	470	3,737	7,837	11,250	9,541	1,364
Jul-Sep 2023	34,509	33,037	472	3,669	7,933	11,305	9,659	1,472
Oct-Dec 2023	34,494	33,057	496	3,664	7,827	11,374	9,697	1,437
Jan-Mar 2024	34,483	32,996	495	3,644	7,829	11,407	9,620	1,487
Apr-Jun 2024	34,529	33,013	468	3,706	7,799	11,426	9,614	1,516
Jul-Sep 2024	34,799	33,214	476	3,746	7,793	11,516	9,682	1,585
Change on quarter	270	201	9	40	-6	90	69	69
Change %	0.8	0.6	1.8	1.1	-0.1	0.8	0.7	4.6
Change on year	290	177	5	77	-139	211	24	113
Change %	0.8	0.5	1.0	2.1	-1.8	1.9	0.2	7.7
Men	MGSF	YBSL	YBZM	YBZP	YBZS	YBZV	YBZY	YCAE
Jul-Sep 2022	17,637	16,851	227	1,880	3,989	5,762	4,992	786
Jul-Sep 2023	17,860	16,965	233	1,903	4,056	5,785	4,988	895
Oct-Dec 2023	17,847	16,974	232	1,936	3,992	5,790	5,023	874
Jan-Mar 2024	17,807	16,911	225	1,891	4,002	5,778	5,015	896
Apr-Jun 2024	17,764	16,874	220	1,906	3,975	5,802	4,971	889
Jul-Sep 2024	17,876	16,967	220	1,917	3,960	5,873	4,997	908
Change on quarter	112	93	0	11	-15	71	27	19
Change %	0.6	0.6	0.1	0.6	-0.4	1.2	0.5	2.1
Change on year	15	2	-13	14	-96	88	9	14
Change %	0.1	0.0	-5.5	0.7	-2.4	1.5	0.2	1.5
Women	MGSF	LF2L	YBZN	YBZQ	YBZT	YBZW	LF3B	LFK9
Jul-Sep 2022	16,562	15,984	243	1,857	3,848	5,488	4,549	578
Jul-Sep 2023	16,649	16,071	239	1,766	3,876	5,520	4,670	577
Oct-Dec 2023	16,647	16,083	264	1,727	3,835	5,584	4,674	564
Jan-Mar 2024	16,676	16,085	270	1,754	3,827	5,629	4,605	591
Apr-Jun 2024	16,765	16,139	248	1,800	3,824	5,624	4,643	627
Jul-Sep 2024	16,923	16,246	256	1,829	3,833	5,643	4,685	677
Change on quarter	158	108	8	29	9	19	42	50
Change %	0.9	0.7	3.4	1.6	0.2	0.3	0.9	8.0
Change on year	275	175	17	63	-43	123	15	100
Change %	1.7	1.1	7.2	3.6	-1.1	2.2	0.3	17.3

Economic activity rates (%)

People	MGWG	LF22	YCAG	YCAJ	YCAM	YCAP	LF2C	LFL2
Jul-Sep 2022	62.8	78.0	30.9	67.9	87.1	87.2	72.3	11.1
Jul-Sep 2023	62.9	78.1	30.0	66.5	88.3	87.1	73.0	11.7
Oct-Dec 2023	62.8	78.1	31.3	66.3	87.1	87.5	73.3	11.4
Jan-Mar 2024	62.6	77.9	31.0	65.8	87.2	87.6	72.7	11.7
Apr-Jun 2024	62.6	77.8	29.1	66.8	86.9	87.6	72.6	11.9
Jul-Sep 2024	63.0	78.2	29.4	67.3	86.9	88.1	73.2	12.4
Change on quarter	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.5	0.0	0.5	0.5	0.5
Change on year	0.1	0.1	-0.6	0.8	-1.4	0.9	0.2	0.7
Men	MGWH	MGSP	YCAH	YCAK	YCAN	YCAQ	MGWQ	MGWT
Jul-Sep 2022	66.8	81.5	29.1	67.5	90.9	91.8	77.3	13.8
Jul-Sep 2023	67.1	81.6	28.8	68.0	92.3	91.7	77.0	15.4
Oct-Dec 2023	66.9	81.6	28.5	69.1	90.7	91.6	77.6	14.9
Jan-Mar 2024	66.7	81.2	27.5	67.3	90.9	91.2	77.4	15.2
Apr-Jun 2024	66.4	80.9	26.6	67.8	90.3	91.4	76.8	15.1
Jul-Sep 2024	66.7	81.2	26.5	68.0	90.0	92.3	77.2	15.3
Change on quarter	0.3	0.4	-0.1	0.2	-0.3	0.9	0.4	0.2
Change on year	-0.5	-0.4	-2.3	-0.1	-2.3	0.6	0.2	-0.1
Women	MGWI	LF23	YCAI	YCAL	YCAO	YCAR	LF2D	LFL3
Jul-Sep 2022	59.0	74.6	32.8	68.4	83.4	82.8	67.5	8.7
Jul-Sep 2023	59.0	74.7	31.3	64.9	84.4	82.8	69.1	8.6
Oct-Dec 2023	58.9	74.7	34.2	63.3	83.6	83.6	69.1	8.3
Jan-Mar 2024	58.9	74.7	34.7	64.2	83.5	84.1	68.1	8.7
Apr-Jun 2024	59.1	74.9	31.7	65.8	83.6	83.9	68.7	9.2
Jul-Sep 2024	59.5	75.3	32.6	66.6	83.9	84.0	69.3	9.9
Change on quarter	0.5	0.4	0.9	0.9	0.3	0.1	0.6	0.7
Change on year	0.6	0.6	1.3	1.8	-0.6	1.2	0.2	1.3

Data source: Labour Force Survey

Labour market statistics enquiries: labour.market@ons.gov.uk

1. Data for this period has not been reweighted and so is inconsistent with data from Jul-Sep 2022 onwards.

ECONOMIC ACTIVITY AND INACTIVITY

11 Economic inactivity: reasons

United Kingdom (thousands) seasonally adjusted

	Total aged 16-64									
	Economic inactivity by reason (aged 16 to 64)								Wanting/not wanting a job (aged 16 to 64)	
	Student	Looking after family / home	Temp sick	Long-term sick	Discouraged workers ¹	Retired	Other ²	Does not want job	Wants a job	
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
People	LF63	LF65	LF67	LF69	LFL8	LF6B	LF6D	LFL9	LFM2	
Jul-Sep 2022	9,285	2,456	1,802	165	2,639	19	1,154	1,050	7,476	1,809
Jul-Sep 2023	9,255	2,459	1,680	190	2,736	22	1,081	1,087	7,452	1,803
Oct-Dec 2023	9,278	2,501	1,649	159	2,800	29	1,089	1,051	7,411	1,868
Jan-Mar 2024	9,383	2,506	1,662	208	2,820	26	1,109	1,051	7,661	1,722
Apr-Jun 2024	9,410	2,560	1,728	228	2,803	27	1,062	1,001	7,613	1,797
Jul-Sep 2024	9,248	2,474	1,636	199	2,783	28	1,073	1,054	7,351	1,896
Change on quarter	-162	-86	-93	-29	-20	1	11	53	-261	99
Change %	-1.7	-3.3	-5.4	-12.7	-0.7	5.3	1.1	5.3	-3.4	5.5
Change on year	-7	15	-44	9	47	7	-8	-33	-101	94
Change %	-0.1	0.6	-2.6	4.6	1.7	31.0	-0.7	-3.0	-1.3	5.2
Men	BEEB	BEAQ	BEDI	BEDL	YCFP	BEDR	BEDU	YBWA	YBWD	
Jul-Sep 2022	3,836	1,259	287	86	1,219	11	501	472	3,038	798
Jul-Sep 2023	3,821	1,224	243	80	1,243	13	508	511	3,046	775
Oct-Dec 2023	3,838	1,203	274	91	1,267	16	490	498	3,022	817
Jan-Mar 2024	3,927	1,238	282	129	1,286	13	498	481	3,165	762
Apr-Jun 2024	3,989	1,292	267	121	1,305	19	485	499	3,160	829
Jul-Sep 2024	3,919	1,241	225	106	1,309	17	493	527	3,035	884
Change on quarter	-70	-52	-41	-14	4	-2	8	28	-125	55
Change %	-1.8	-4.0	-15.5	-11.7	0.3	-12.1	1.6	5.6	-4.0	6.6
Change on year	98	17	-18	27	66	4	-15	16	-11	109
Change %	2.6	1.4	-7.3	33.3	5.3	31.7	-2.9	3.2	-0.4	14.1
Women	LF64	LF66	LF68	LF6A	LFM3	LF6C	LF6E	LFM4	LFM5	
Jul-Sep 2022	5,449	1,197	1,515	79	1,420	8	653	577	4,438	1,011
Jul-Sep 2023	5,434	1,235	1,437	110	1,493	9	574	577	4,406	1,028
Oct-Dec 2023	5,440	1,299	1,375	69	1,533	13	598	553	4,389	1,051
Jan-Mar 2024	5,456	1,268	1,380	80	1,535	13	610	570	4,496	960
Apr-Jun 2024	5,421	1,268	1,462	107	1,498	7	577	502	4,453	968
Jul-Sep 2024	5,329	1,233	1,410	93	1,474	11	580	527	4,317	1,012
Change on quarter	-92	-34	-51	-15	-24	4	4	25	-136	44
Change %	-1.7	-2.7	-3.5	-13.8	-1.6	50.6	0.6	5.0	-3.1	4.6
Change on year	-105	-2	-26	-18	-19	3	7	-49	-89	-15
Change %	-1.9	-0.1	-1.8	-16.1	-1.3	30.0	1.2	-8.6	-2.0	-1.5
Percentage of economically inactive aged from 16 to 64 (%)										
People	LF6V	LF6X	LF6Z	LF73	LF75	LF77	LF79	LF7B	LF7D	LF7F
Jul-Sep 2022	100.0	26.5	19.4	1.8	28.4	0.2	12.4	11.3	80.5	19.5
Jul-Sep 2023	100.0	26.6	18.2	2.1	29.6	0.2	11.7	11.7	80.5	19.5
Oct-Dec 2023	100.0	27.0	17.8	1.7	30.2	0.3	11.7	11.3	79.9	20.1
Jan-Mar 2024	100.0	26.7	17.7	2.2	30.1	0.3	11.8	11.2	81.7	18.3
Apr-Jun 2024	100.0	27.2	18.4	2.4	29.8	0.3	11.3	10.6	80.9	19.1
Jul-Sep 2024	100.0	26.8	17.7	2.2	30.1	0.3	11.6	11.4	79.5	20.5
Men	BEBP	BEEH	BEEK	BEEN	BEEQ	BEEU	BEEW	BEEZ	BEAS	BEGT
Jul-Sep 2022	100.0	32.8	7.5	2.2	31.8	0.3	13.1	12.3	79.2	20.8
Jul-Sep 2023	100.0	32.0	6.4	2.1	32.5	0.3	13.3	13.4	79.7	20.3
Oct-Dec 2023	100.0	31.3	7.1	2.4	33.0	0.4	12.8	13.0	78.7	21.3
Jan-Mar 2024	100.0	31.5	7.2	3.3	32.7	0.3	12.7	12.2	80.6	19.4
Apr-Jun 2024	100.0	32.4	6.7	3.0	32.7	0.5	12.2	12.5	79.2	20.8
Jul-Sep 2024	100.0	31.7	5.8	2.7	33.4	0.4	12.6	13.4	77.4	22.6
Women	LF6W	LF6Y	LF72	LF74	LF76	LF78	LF7A	LF7C	LF7E	LF7G
Jul-Sep 2022	100.0	22.0	27.8	1.5	26.1	0.1	12.0	10.6	81.5	18.5
Jul-Sep 2023	100.0	22.7	26.4	2.0	27.5	0.2	10.6	10.6	81.1	18.9
Oct-Dec 2023	100.0	23.9	25.3	1.3	28.2	0.2	11.0	10.2	80.7	19.3
Jan-Mar 2024	100.0	23.2	25.3	1.5	28.1	0.2	11.2	10.5	82.4	17.6
Apr-Jun 2024	100.0	23.4	27.0	2.0	27.6	0.1	10.6	9.3	82.1	17.9
Jul-Sep 2024	100.0	23.1	26.5	1.7	27.7	0.2	10.9	9.9	81.0	19.0

Data Source: Labour Force Survey.

Labour market statistics enquiries: labour.market@ons.gov.uk

- Discouraged workers are those who are not looking for work because they believe no jobs are available.
- Other reasons include people who (i) are waiting the results of a job application, (ii) have not yet started looking for work, (iii) do not need or want employment, (iv) have given an uncategorised reason for being economically inactive, or (v) have not given a reason for being economically inactive.
- Data for this period has not been reweighted and so is inconsistent with data from Jul-Sep 2022 onwards.

ECONOMIC ACTIVITY AND INACTIVITY

12 Educational status, economic activity and inactivity of people aged from 16 to 24

Jul-Sep 2024

United Kingdom (thousands) seasonally adjusted

	All aged 16 to 24				In full-time education (FTE)				Not in full-time education (FTE)			
	Total	Employed	Unemployed	Economically inactive	Total	Employed ²	Unemployed ²	Economically inactive	Total	Employed	Unemployed	Economically inactive
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12

Levels

People

16-17	1,619	362	114	1,142	1,384	278	75	1,031	234	84	39	111
18-24	5,565	3,233	513	1,819	1,911	639	130	1,141	3,654	2,594	383	678
16-24	7,184	3,595	627	2,962	3,295	918	205	2,173	3,889	2,678	422	789

Men

16-17	832	160	60	612	688	108	39	541	144	52	21	71
18-24	2,821	1,598	319	904	889	255	66	567	1,932	1,343	252	337
16-24	3,653	1,758	379	1,516	1,577	363	106	1,108	2,076	1,395	273	407

Women

16-17	787	203	54	530	696	170	36	490	90	32	18	40
18-24	2,745	1,635	194	915	1,022	384	64	574	1,723	1,251	130	342
16-24	3,531	1,838	248	1,446	1,718	555	99	1,064	1,813	1,283	149	382

Changes on quarter

People

16-17	9	9	-1	0	-2	16	-8	-10	11	-7	8	10
18-24	15	-29	68	-25	-104	-45	15	-75	119	16	53	51
16-24	24	-19	68	-24	-107	-28	7	-86	131	9	60	61

Men

16-17	4	-1	1	4	-15	-5	-2	-9	20	3	4	13
18-24	8	-31	42	-3	-44	-12	3	-35	51	-19	38	32
16-24	12	-33	43	1	-59	-17	1	-44	71	-16	42	45

Women

16-17	4	10	-2	-4	13	21	-6	-2	-9	-10	4	-2
18-24	7	3	26	-22	-61	-33	12	-40	68	35	14	18
16-24	12	13	24	-26	-48	-12	6	-42	59	25	18	16

Rates(%)³

People

16-17	22.4	24.0	70.6	20.1	21.2	74.5	35.8	32.0	47.3
18-24	58.1	13.7	32.7	33.5	16.9	59.7	71.0	12.9	18.6
16-24	50.0	14.8	41.2	27.8	18.3	65.9	68.9	13.6	20.3

Men

16-17	19.2	27.5	73.5	15.7	26.6	78.6	36.0	29.1	49.2
18-24	56.7	16.6	32.0	28.7	20.7	63.8	69.5	15.8	17.4
16-24	48.1	17.7	41.5	23.0	22.5	70.3	67.2	16.4	19.6

Women

16-17	25.8	20.9	67.4	24.5	17.3	70.4	35.6	36.0	44.3
18-24	59.6	10.6	33.4	37.6	14.2	56.2	72.6	9.4	19.8
16-24	52.0	11.9	40.9	32.3	15.2	61.9	70.8	10.4	21.0

Changes on quarter

People

16-17	0.4	-0.6	-0.4	1.2	-2.9	-0.6	-4.9	6.1	2.3
18-24	-0.7	1.7	-0.5	-0.5	2.6	-0.6	-1.9	1.5	0.8
16-24	-0.4	1.4	-0.5	0.0	1.0	-0.4	-2.2	1.7	0.9

Men

16-17	-0.3	0.7	0.1	-0.3	-0.3	0.5	-3.1	2.7	2.4
18-24	-1.3	2.1	-0.2	0.1	1.6	-0.8	-2.9	2.2	1.2
16-24	-1.1	1.9	-0.1	-0.2	0.9	-0.1	-3.2	2.3	1.5

Women

16-17	1.2	-1.6	-0.9	2.6	-4.4	-1.6	-7.3	10.9	1.7
18-24	-0.1	1.3	-0.9	-0.9	3.2	-0.6	-0.8	0.7	0.3
16-24	0.2	1.0	-0.9	0.2	1.1	-0.7	-1.0	1.0	0.2

Relationship between columns: 1=5+9; 2=6+10; 3=7+11.

Source: Labour Force Survey

Labour market statistics enquiries: labour.market@ons.gov.uk

1. Not in full-time education includes people in part-time education and/or some form of training. Estimates of the number of young people who were not in employment, education or training ("NEET") cannot therefore be derived from this table. Estimates of young people who were NEET are published separately at:

<https://www.ons.gov.uk/employmentandlabourmarket/peopleinwork/unemployment/bulletins/youngpeoplenotineducationemploymentortrain>

2. People in full-time education are employed if they have a part-time job or unemployed if they are looking for part-time employment.

3. Denominator = all persons in the relevant age group for economically active, total in employment and economically inactive; economically active for unemployment.

4. Data from July to September 2022 onward has been reweighted, causing a step change discontinuity.

EARNINGS

13 Average Weekly Earnings (nominal) - total pay¹

Standard Industrial Classification (2007)

Great Britain, seasonally adjusted

	Whole Economy (100%) ²						Private sector (81%) ²			Public sector (19%) ²		
	Weekly Earnings (£)	% changes year on year		Weekly Earnings (£)	% changes year on year		Weekly Earnings (£)	% changes year on year				
		Single month	3 month average ³		Single month	3 month average ³		Single month	3 month average ³			
	KAB9	KAC2	KAC3	KAC4	KAC5	KAC6	KAC7	KAC8	KAC9			
Sep 22	621	6.0	6.0	623	6.4	6.6	596	2.0	2.3			
Jul 23 (r)	663	8.0	8.3	666	7.6	7.6	655	10.2	12.2			
Aug 23 (r)	663	7.1	8.0	667	6.9	7.0	643	7.8	12.6			
Sep 23 (r)	668	7.6	7.5	674	8.2	7.5	647	8.6	8.9			
Oct 23	664	6.0	6.9 (r)	670	6.2	7.1	646	5.8	7.4 (r)			
Nov 23	666	5.6	6.4 (r)	671	5.7	6.7	649	6.0	6.8 (r)			
Dec 23	670	5.8	5.8	674	5.7	5.9	653	6.1	6.0			
Jan 24	672	5.5	5.6	677	5.6	5.7	658	5.8	6.0			
Feb 24	679	5.8	5.7	683	5.8	5.7	660	6.2	6.0			
Mar 24	684	6.4	5.9	687	6.8	6.1	664	6.7	6.2			
Apr 24	686	5.6	5.9	690	5.1	5.9	665	5.9	6.3			
May 24	687	5.1	5.7	691	4.9	5.6	669	6.5	6.4			
Jun 24	689	3.1	4.6	695	5.2	5.1	670	-5.8	1.9			
Jul 24 (r)	690	4.1	4.1	696	4.5	4.9	671	2.4	0.8			
Aug 24 (r)	693	4.6	3.9	699	4.7	4.8	670	4.1	0.1			
Sep 24 (p)	696	4.2	4.3	702	4.2	4.5	672	3.9	3.5			

	Services, SIC 2007 sections G-S (86%) ²			Finance and business services, SIC 2007 sections K-N (21%) ²			Public sector excluding financial services (19%) ²		
	Weekly Earnings (£)	% changes year on year		Weekly Earnings (£)	% changes year on year		Weekly Earnings (£)	% changes year on year	
		Single month	3 month average ³		Single month	3 month average ³		Single month	3 month average ³
	K5BZ	K5C2	K5C3	K5C4	K5C5	K5C6	KAD8	KAD9	KAE2
Sep 22	604	5.4	5.9	835	6.3	6.0	592	2.0	2.2
Jul 23 (r)	651	8.2	8.7	903	9.7	9.0	651	10.4	12.2
Aug 23 (r)	650	7.0	8.3	908	9.1	8.8	638	7.7	12.6
Sep 23 (r)	656	8.6	7.9	904	8.3	9.0	642	8.4	8.8
Oct 23	653	6.3	7.3	899	6.4	7.9 (r)	641	5.8	7.3 (r)
Nov 23	655	5.9	6.9	903	5.6	6.7 (r)	645	6.0	6.7
Dec 23	658	5.8	6.0	910	6.7	6.2	649	6.1	6.0
Jan 24	662	5.9	5.8	908	5.1	5.8	656	6.0	6.0
Feb 24	668	5.9	5.9	918	5.5	5.8	656	6.1	6.1
Mar 24	676	6.4	6.1	960	9.7	6.8	661	6.7	6.3
Apr 24	673	5.6	6.0	934	5.7	7.0	660	5.9	6.2
May 24	674	5.1	5.7	938	5.5	7.0	662	6.4	6.3
Jun 24	674	2.5	4.4	945	6.4	5.9	663	-5.9	1.8
Jul 24 (r)	676	3.9	3.8	936	3.7	5.2	666	2.3	0.7
Aug 24 (r)	679	4.5	3.6	942	3.8	4.6	664	4.1	0.0
Sep 24 (p)	681	3.9	4.1	949	5.0	4.1	664	3.5	3.3

	Manufacturing, SIC 2007 section C (7%) ²			Construction, SIC 2007 section F (5%) ²			Wholesaling, retailing, hotels & restaurants, SIC 2007 sections G & I (22%) ²		
	Weekly Earnings (£)	% changes year on year		Weekly Earnings (£)	% changes year on year		Weekly Earnings (£)	% changes year on year	
		Single month	3 month average ³		Single month	3 month average ³		Single month	3 month average ³
	K5CA	K5CB	K5CC	K5CD	K5CE	K5CF	K5CG	K5CH	K5CI
Sep 22	677	5.9	5.0	713	5.4	5.2	411	5.7	6.8
Jul 23 (r)	719	7.7	7.7	745	5.1	4.8	434	5.6	5.1
Aug 23 (r)	723	7.9	7.5	743	4.6	5.0	436	5.5	4.9
Sep 23 (r)	724	7.0	7.5	741	3.9	4.6	437	6.3	5.8
Oct 23	725	6.6	7.1	743	3.4	4.0	440	6.7	6.2 (r)
Nov 23	726	6.1	6.5	742	3.5	3.6 (r)	441	6.6	6.5 (r)
Dec 23	729	5.4	6.0	767	6.4	4.4	443	4.8	6.0
Jan 24	733	5.4	5.6	744	3.2	4.4	442	5.9	5.8
Feb 24	741	6.6	5.8	756	3.4	4.3	439	4.7	5.1
Mar 24	762	6.6	6.2	741	0.3	2.3	440	3.7	4.8
Apr 24	757	6.6	6.6	762	3.1	2.3	447	5.8	4.7
May 24	759	6.2	6.4	762	2.3	1.9	447	5.3	5.0
Jun 24	763	7.3	6.7	775	4.6	3.3	450	4.0	5.0
Jul 24 (r)	760	5.8	6.4	779	4.6	3.8	455	4.9	4.7
Aug 24 (r)	764	5.7	6.2	780	4.9	4.7	457	4.8	4.5
Sep 24 (p)	768	6.1	5.8	790	6.6	5.4	460	5.2	4.9

Source: Monthly Wages & Salaries Survey

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1. Estimates of total pay include bonuses but exclude arrears of pay.

2. The figure in brackets is the percentage of whole economy employment in that sector or industry for the latest time period.

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3. The three month average figures are the changes in the average seasonally adjusted values for the three months ending with the relevant month compared with the same period a year earlier.

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14 Average Weekly Earnings (nominal) - bonus pay

Standard Industrial Classification (2007)

Great Britain, seasonally adjusted

	Whole Economy (100%) ¹			Private sector (81%) ²			Public sector (19%) ²		
	Weekly Earnings (£)	% changes year on year		Weekly Earnings (£)	% changes year on year		Weekly Earnings (£)	% changes year on year	
		Single month	3 month average ²		Single month	3 month average ²		Single month	3 month average ²
	KAF4	KAF5	KAF6	KAF7	KAF8	KAF9	KAG2	KAG3	KAG4
Sep 22	41	4.2	11.3	49	2.0	9.0	3	56.3	48.8
Jul 23 (r)	47	15.4	19.6	55	4.8	3.3	15	545.5	1339.5
Aug 23 (r)	44	-7.5	11.8	50	-9.2	-4.4	8	267.2	1385.2
Sep 23 (r)	48	18.0	7.8	61	25.6	6.3	5	34.8	249.5
Oct 23	44	5.3	4.6 (r)	52	2.0	5.4 (r)	3	-2.0	79.9 (r)
Nov 23	41	-7.7	4.8 (r)	51	-8.2	5.8 (r)	4	29.0	21.5 (r)
Dec 23	43	-0.1	-1.0	53	0.2	-2.1	3	93.9	32.5
Jan 24	43	-2.0	-3.3	52	0.5	-2.6	2	-65.4	-12.5
Feb 24	45	3.4	0.4	55	7.1	2.6	2	-3.0	-22.1
Mar 24	48	6.2	2.5	56	8.1	5.3	2	-4.7	-37.1
Apr 24	46	3.4	4.3	56	2.1	5.7	2	-53.2	-24.2
May 24	45	1.1	3.6	55	1.0	3.7	3	12.2	-18.8
Jun 24	43	-18.8	-5.6	57	11.5	4.7	3	-96.0	-91.0
Jul 24 (r)	42	-9.7	-9.7	53	-2.5	3.2	3	-77.5	-90.2
Aug 24 (r)	44	1.4	-9.7	54	7.7	5.4	3	-63.2	-90.8
Sep 24 (p)	45	-6.1	-4.9	59	-3.8	0.1	1	-74.3	-73.0

	Services, SIC 2007 sections G-S (86%) ¹			Finance and business services, SIC 2007 sections K-N (22%) ²			Public sector excluding financial services (19%) ²		
	Weekly Earnings (£)	% changes year on year		Weekly Earnings (£)	% changes year on year		Weekly Earnings (£)	% changes year on year	
		Single month	3 month average ²		Single month	3 month average ²		Single month	3 month average ²
	K5CS	K5CT	K5CU	K5CV	K5CW	K5CX	KAH3	KAH4	KAH5
Sep 22	42	3.2	8.3	98	-6.2	2.8	3	76.8	60.7
Jul 23 (r)	50	15.3	20.9	112	6.5	6.4	10	528.3	1804.6
Aug 23 (r)	42	-6.0	14.1	106	-0.7	-1.1	5	275.2	1810.6
Sep 23 (r)	53	27.4	11.9	107	9.3	4.9	4	33.6	229.1
Oct 23	45	3.4	7.9 (r)	103	4.2	4.1 (r)	2	-4.0	78.1 (r)
Nov 23	44	-5.7	7.8 (r)	102	-12.9	-0.5 (r)	2	36.3	23.9 (r)
Dec 23	45	-0.1	-0.9	106	3.2	-2.4	2	94.4	36.0
Jan 24	45	0.9	-1.7	101	-2.2	-4.4	2	15.6	43.5
Feb 24	47	4.3	1.7	106	0.0	0.3	1	-28.0	19.3
Mar 24	49	7.9	4.3	116	12.3	3.4	1	-0.4	-4.8
Apr 24	47	0.6	4.2	111	3.3	5.1	1	-57.4	-32.3
May 24	47	1.1	3.2	108	-1.0	4.8	2	-8.8	-25.4
Jun 24	44	-23.7	-8.5	119	17.4	6.3	2	-96.9	-93.4
Jul 24 (r)	44	-12.9	-12.7	103	-7.9	2.4	2	-80.3	-92.7
Aug 24 (r)	44	4.1	-12.3	114	7.3	5.2	2	-62.3	-92.8
Sep 24 (p)	47	-10.9	-7.3	117	9.0	2.6	1	-73.5	-74.1

	Manufacturing, SIC 2007 section C (7%) ²			Construction, SIC 2007 section F (5%) ¹			Wholesaling, retailing, hotels & restaurants, SIC 2007 sections G & I (22%) ²		
	Weekly Earnings (£)	% changes year on year		Weekly Earnings (£)	% changes year on year		Weekly Earnings (£)	% changes year on year	
		Single month	3 month average ²		Single month	3 month average ²		Single month	3 month average ²
	K5D3	K5D4	K5D5	K5D6	K5D7	K5D8	K5D9	K5DA	K5DB
Sep 22	34	47.3	16.6	38	-1.9	6.1	27	0.3	1.4
Jul 23 (r)	34	-0.5	1.5	38	8.0	-6.3	29	-0.7	-18.3
Aug 23 (r)	34	1.2	-1.4	27	-36.3	-12.9	28	-3.0	-15.8
Sep 23 (r)	32	-5.0	-1.5	30	-22.1	-18.3	25	-7.2	-3.6
Oct 23	32	-7.6	-3.8	36	-1.3	-20.8 (r)	27	-0.8	-3.7 (r)
Nov 23	28	-27.6	-13.9	35	-8.0	-10.6 (r)	25	-7.1	-5.0 (r)
Dec 23	31	-12.0	-16.1	47	39.6	9.1	26	-16.4	-8.5
Jan 24	30	-30.5	-23.9	39	34.7	20.1	26	-10.4	-11.5
Feb 24	32	-5.4	-17.1	37	-0.5	23.2	24	-5.8	-11.2
Mar 24	36	6.1	-11.6	30	-16.6	3.6	26	-8.2	-8.2
Apr 24	38	13.3	4.6	37	0.4	-5.5	26	-2.2	-5.5
May 24	38	12.2	10.5	30	-30.3	-16.2	28	19.6	2.1
Jun 24	41	42.6	21.7	43	13.6	-6.4	28	-5.3	3.1
Jul 24 (r)	31	-7.1	14.5	42	11.0	-3.0	27	-4.1	2.3
Aug 24 (r)	34	2.2	11.0	40	45.7	21.2	26	-7.3	-5.5
Sep 24 (p)	37	15.4	3.3	45	49.6	33.1	32	25.5	4.0

Source: Monthly Wages & Salaries Survey

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1. The figure in brackets is the percentage of whole economy employment in that sector or industry for the latest time period.
2. The three month average figures are the changes in the average seasonally adjusted values for the three months ending with the relevant month compared with the same period a year earlier.

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15 Average Weekly Earnings (nominal) - regular pay¹

Standard Industrial Classification (2007)

Great Britain, seasonally adjusted

	Whole Economy (100%) ²			Private sector (81%) ²			Public sector (19%) ²		
	Weekly Earnings (£)	% changes year on year		Weekly Earnings (£)	% changes year on year		Weekly Earnings (£)	% changes year on year	
		Single month	3 month average ³		Single month	3 month average ³		Single month	3 month average ³
	KAI7	KAI8	KAI9	KAJ2	KAJ3	KAJ4	KAJ5	KAJ6	KAJ7
Sep 22	578	6.0	5.7	574	7.0	6.6	593	1.9	2.2
Jul 23	617	7.8	7.8	612	8.0	8.1	634 (r)	7.1	6.6
Aug 23	(r) 620	7.9	7.9	616	8.1	8.1	635	7.0	6.9
Sep 23	(r) 622	7.6	7.8	617	7.5	7.8	642	8.3	7.5
Oct 23	619	6.1	7.2	614	6.2	7.2	643	5.8	7.0
Nov 23	624	6.2	6.6 (r)	619	6.3	6.6	647	5.9	6.7 (r)
Dec 23	626	6.2	6.2	622	6.2	6.2	651	6.0	5.9
Jan 24	628	6.0	6.1	621	5.9	6.1	657	6.1	6.0
Feb 24	633	5.9	6.0	627	5.8	6.0	658	6.2	6.1
Mar 24	637	6.2	6.0	631	5.9	5.9	663	6.8	6.4
Apr 24	640	5.8	6.0	635	5.9	5.9	662	6.0	6.3
May 24	643	5.3	5.8	637	5.0	5.6	665	6.4	6.4
Jun 24	645	5.1	5.4	640	5.0	5.3	664	5.6	6.0
Jul 24	648 (r)	5.0	5.1	642	4.9	5.0	666	5.2	5.7
Aug 24	(r) 649	4.6	4.9	644	4.6	4.8	666	4.8	5.2
Sep 24	(p) 651	4.8	4.8	647	4.9	4.8	669	4.2	4.7
	Services, SIC 2007 sections G-S (86%) ²			Finance and business services, SIC 2007 sections K-N (22%) ²			Public sector excluding financial services (19%) ²		
	Weekly Earnings (£)	% changes year on year		Weekly Earnings (£)	% changes year on year		Weekly Earnings (£)	% changes year on year	
		Single month	3 month average ³		Single month	3 month average ³		Single month	3 month average ³
	K5DL	K5DM	K5DN	K5DO	K5DP	K5DQ	KAK6	KAK7	KAK8
Sep 22	565	6.1	5.9	736	7.3	6.3	591	1.9	2.1
Jul 23	(r) 603	8.0	8.0	793	10.1	9.4	631	7.2	6.6
Aug 23	607	8.0	8.0	804	9.9	9.8	633	7.1 (r)	7.0
Sep 23	(r) 610	7.8	7.9	799	8.5	9.5	640	8.2	7.5
Oct 23	607	6.2	7.3	790	6.3	8.2	640	5.8	7.0
Nov 23	611	6.3	6.8	799	6.8	7.2	644	6.0	6.7 (r)
Dec 23	614	6.3	6.2	803	7.1	6.7	647	6.0	5.9
Jan 24	615	6.1	6.2	806	6.3	6.7	653	6.0	6.0
Feb 24	619	5.9	6.1	816	6.8	6.7	653	6.2	6.1
Mar 24	623	6.3	6.1	821	7.2	6.8	659	6.8	6.3
Apr 24	627	6.1	6.1	828	6.9	6.9	657	6.0	6.3
May 24	628	5.3	5.9	829	6.1	6.7	662	6.5	6.4
Jun 24	631	5.1	5.5	831	5.4	6.1	662	5.6	6.0
Jul 24	633	5.0	5.1	828	4.5	5.3	663	5.0	5.7
Aug 24	(r) 635	4.6	4.9	833	3.6	4.5	663	4.7	5.1
Sep 24	(p) 639	4.7	4.8	838	4.8	4.3	664	3.9	4.5
	Manufacturing, SIC 2007 section C (7%) ²			Construction, SIC 2007 section F (5%) ²			Wholesaling, retailing, hotels & restaurants, SIC 2007 sections G & I (22%) ²		
	Weekly Earnings (£)	% changes year on year		Weekly Earnings (£)	% changes year on year		Weekly Earnings (£)	% changes year on year	
		Single month	3 month average ³		Single month	3 month average ³		Single month	3 month average ³
	K5DU	K5DV	K5DW	K5DX	K5DY	K5DZ	K5E2	K5E3	K5E4
Sep 22	644	5.3	4.9	677	6.2	5.3	383	6.2	7.2
Jul 23	(r) 687	7.9	8.0	706	5.1	5.4	405	5.9	6.5
Aug 23	(r) 690	8.0	7.9	711	6.1	5.6	408	6.2	6.4
Sep 23	(r) 690	7.2	7.7	714	5.4	5.6	411	7.2	6.4
Oct 23	692	6.9	7.4	708	3.5	5.0 (r)	412	7.2	6.8 (r)
Nov 23	696	7.2	7.1	708	4.1	4.3 (r)	415	7.5	7.3
Dec 23	698	6.7	6.9	710	3.8	3.8	415	6.8	7.1
Jan 24	703	6.8	6.9	705	1.8	3.2	416	7.1	7.1
Feb 24	709	6.9	6.8	718	3.7	3.1	412	5.3	6.4
Mar 24	714	6.7	6.8	721	2.7	2.7	417	6.1	6.2
Apr 24	719	6.1	6.6	722	2.6	3.0	421	6.1	5.8
May 24	725	5.9	6.3	733	4.0	3.1	419	4.3	5.5
Jun 24	725	5.8	6.0	733	4.0	3.5	425	4.6	5.0
Jul 24	730	6.2	6.0	737	4.3	4.1	427	5.4	4.7
Aug 24	(r) 730	5.8	6.0	741	4.1	4.1	430	5.5	5.1
Sep 24	(p) 731	5.8	6.0	745	4.5	4.3	429	4.5	5.1

Source: Monthly Wages & Salaries Survey

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1. Estimates of regular pay exclude bonuses and arrears of pay.

2. The figure in brackets is the percentage of whole economy employment in that sector or industry for the latest time period.

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16 Average Weekly Earnings - real and nominal¹

Great Britain whole economy, seasonally adjusted

Total pay (including bonuses) ¹						
	Nominal earnings			Real earnings ³		
	Nominal Weekly Earnings (£)	% changes year on year		Weekly Earnings at constant 2015 prices (£)	% changes year on year	
		Single month	3 month average ²		Single month	3 month average ²
	KAB9	KAC2	KAC3	A3WX	A3WV	A3WW
Sep 22	621	6.0	6.0	506	-2.9	-2.7
Jul 23 (r)	663	8.0	8.3	515	1.5	1.0
Aug 23	663	7.1	8.0	513	0.8	1.2
Sep 23 (r)	668	7.6	7.5	515	1.7	1.3
Oct 23	664	6.0	6.9 (r)	512	1.2	1.2 (r)
Nov 23	666	5.6	6.4 (r)	513	1.4	1.4 (r)
Dec 23	670	5.8	5.8	513	1.6	1.4
Jan 24	672	5.5	5.6	513	1.4	1.5
Feb 24	679	5.8	5.7	517	2.1	1.7
Mar 24	684	6.4	5.9	521	2.2	1.9
Apr 24	686	5.6	5.9	524	2.4	2.2
May 24	687	5.1	5.7	522	2.2	2.3
Jun 24	689	3.1	4.6	521	0.3	1.6
Jul 24 (r)	690	4.1	4.1	520	1.0	1.2
Aug 24 (r)	693	4.6	3.9	521	1.5	0.9
Sep 24 (p)	696	4.2	4.3	523	1.6	1.4

Regular pay (excluding bonuses)						
	Nominal earnings			Real earnings ³		
	Nominal Weekly Earnings (£)	% changes year on year		Weekly Earnings at constant 2015 prices (£)	% changes year on year	
		Single month	3 month average ²		Single month	3 month average ²
	KAI7	KAI8	KAI9	A2FC	A2F9	A2FA
Sep 22	578	6.0	5.7	474	-2.5	-2.8
Jul 23	617	7.8	7.8	479	1.3	0.6
Aug 23	620	7.9	7.9	481	1.6 (r)	1.1
Sep 23	622	7.6 (r)	7.8	479	1.1	1.3
Oct 23	619	6.1	7.2	478	1.4	1.3
Nov 23	624	6.2	6.6 (r)	482	2.0	1.5
Dec 23	626	6.2	6.2	481	1.9	1.8
Jan 24	628	6.0	6.1	481	1.7	1.9
Feb 24	633	5.9	6.0	482	2.0	1.9
Mar 24	637	6.2	6.0	484	2.5	2.1
Apr 24	640	5.8	6.0	486	2.7	2.4
May 24	643	5.3	5.8	487	2.4	2.5
Jun 24	645	5.1	5.4	488	2.3	2.4
Jul 24	648 (r)	5.0	5.1	488	1.9	2.2
Aug 24 (r)	649	4.6	4.9	488	1.5	1.9
Sep 24 (p)	651	4.8	4.8	490	2.2	1.9

Source: Monthly Wages & Salaries Survey

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1. Estimates of total pay include bonuses but exclude arrears of pay.

2. The three month average figures are the changes in the average seasonally adjusted values for the three months ending with the relevant month compared with the same period a year earlier.

3. Estimates of real earnings are calculated by deflating the nominal earnings estimates by the Consumer Prices Index including owners' housing costs (CPIH), our preferred measure of consumer price inflation.

17 International Comparisons of Employment and Unemployment rates

Seasonally adjusted

	Latest period	Employment rate (%) ¹	Change on quarter (percentage points)	Change on year (percentage points)		Latest Period	Unemployment rate (%) ³	Change on quarter (percentage points)	Change on year (percentage points)
G7 Employment rates as published by OECD: (seasonally adjusted)					G7 Unemployment rates as published by OECD: (seasonally adjusted)				
United Kingdom ^{1,2,3}	2024 Q2	74.5	0.0	-0.7	United Kingdom ^{1,2,3}	2024 Q2	4.2	-0.2	-0.1
Canada	2024 Q3	74.2	-0.6	-1.5	Canada	2024 Q3	6.5	0.3	1.0
France	2024 Q2	69.0	0.3	0.5	France	2024 Q2	7.4	0.0	0.1
Germany ⁴	2024 Q2	77.4	0.0	0.2	Germany	2024 Q2	3.3	0.0	0.3
Italy	2024 Q2	62.0	-0.1	0.6	Italy	2024 Q2	6.9	-0.2	-0.8
Japan	2024 Q3	79.5	0.2	0.5	Japan	2024 Q3	2.5	0.0	-0.1
United States ^{2,3}	2024 Q3	71.8	-0.1	-0.2	United States ^{2,3}	2024 Q3	4.2	0.2	0.5

Source: OECD

Labour market statistics enquiries: labour.market@ons.gov.uk

- As figures are taken from OECD they will not match ONS published figures for the United Kingdom.
- Employment rate data is for ages 15 to 64. For the United Kingdom and the United States, the lower age limit is 16 years old.
- Unemployment rate data is for ages 15 and over. For the United Kingdom and the United States, the lower age limit is 16 years old.
- Estimated values are highlighted with shaded cells.

18 Labour disputes

not seasonally adjusted

Time period and dataset code row	Working days lost (thousands) ^{1,2}	Number of stoppages ^{1,2,3}	Workers involved (thousands) ¹
Dataset identifier code	BBFW	BLUU	BLUT
September 2019	9	14	3
September 2020	[x]	[x]	[x]
September 2021	[x]	[x]	[x]
September 2022	208	79	98
September 2023	231	652	108
October 2023	132	544	49
November 2023	72	55	28
December 2023	104	244	42
January 2024	165	295	78
February 2024	110	285	43
March 2024	22	49	8
April 2024	17	63	11
May 2024	51	85	20
June 2024 (r)	100	262	35
July 2024 (r)	51	234	30
August 2024 (r)	33	21	5
September 2024 (p)	48	29	8

Data source: ONS Labour Disputes Survey
Labour disputes enquiries 01633 455400

- In April 2020, collection and publication of labour disputes data were temporarily suspended to protect and prioritise our outputs in response to the coronavirus (COVID-19) pandemic. In June 2022, collection of the Labour Disputes Inquiry restarted, but only for the period from January 2022 onwards.
 - As a result of difficulties in consistently defining a stoppage over time, the number of working days lost is considered to be a better indicator of the impact of labour disputes than the number of recorded stoppages.
 - A stoppage is defined as a dispute between a single trade union and a single employer. Where a union co-ordinates disputes with several employers, or several unions co-ordinate action with a single employer, this would be counted as multiple stoppages.
- [p] - provisional, [r] - revised, [x] - not available

VACANCIES

19 Vacancies¹ by size of business

United Kingdom (thousands), seasonally adjusted

	All Vacancies	Number of employees				
		1-9	10-49	50-249	250-2499	2500+
		AP2Y	ALY5	ALY6	ALY7	ALY8
Levels						
Aug-Oct 2022	1216	181	173	177	267	419
Aug-Oct 2023 (r)	961	146	138	140	210	327
Sep-Nov 2023	951	146	140	139	208	319
Oct-Dec 2023	929	146	137	134	201	311
Nov-Jan 2024	924	137	139	137	200	311
Dec-Feb 2024	916	134	140	136	198	309
Jan-Mar 2024	919	137	145	133	195	308
Feb-Apr 2024	909	137	140	134	193	306
Mar-May 2024	899	140	137	132	191	300
Apr-Jun 2024	875	135	130	129	189	291
May-Jul 2024 (r)	866	139	129	126	184	287
Jun-Aug 2024 (r)	853	136	132	125	179	281
Jul-Sep 2024 (r)	840	134	132	123	177	274
Aug-Oct 2024 (p)	831	131	133	123	173	270
Change on quarter *	-35	-7	4	-4	-11	-17
Change % *	-4.0	-5.3	2.9	-2.8	-5.9	-5.9
Change on year	-130	-15	-5	-17	-36	-57
Change %	-13.6	-10.1	-3.8	-12.3	-17.3	-17.3

1. Excludes Agriculture, Forestry and Fishing.

Source: ONS Vacancy Survey

Vacancy Survey enquiries: vacancy.survey@ons.gov.uk, 01633 456776

* Change on previous non-overlapping three month rolling average time period.

20 Vacancies¹ and Unemployment

United Kingdom (thousands), seasonally adjusted

	All Vacancies ¹	Unemployment ²	Number of unemployed people per vacancy
	AP2Y	MGSC	JPC5
Levels			
Jul-Sep 2022	1,233	1,283	1.0
Jul-Sep 2023	983	1,407	1.4
Oct-Dec 2023	929	1,320	1.4
Jan-Mar 2024	919	1,486	1.6
Apr-Jun 2024	875	1,435	1.6
Jul-Sep 2024 (r)	840	1,486	1.8
Change on quarter	-35	50	0.1
Change %	-4.0	3.5	
Change on year	-143	79	0.3
Change %	-14.6	5.6	

Source: ONS Vacancy Survey/ Labour Force Survey

Vacancy Survey enquiries: vacancy.survey@ons.gov.uk, 01633 456776

1. Excludes Agriculture, Forestry and Fishing.

2. Unemployment estimates are produced from the Labour Force Survey (LFS) and are always one period behind the ONS Vacancy Survey estimates. This table therefore shows estimates for the same periods as shown in table 1 (which shows LFS estimates).

VACANCIES

21 Vacancies by industry

Standard Industrial Classification (2007)

United Kingdom (thousands), seasonally adjusted

SIC 2007 sections	All vacancies ¹	Mining & quarrying	Manufacturing	Electricity, gas, steam & air conditioning supply ²	Water supply, sewerage & waste & remediation activities	Construction	Wholesale & retail trade; repair of motor vehicles and motor cycles	Transport & storage	Accommodation & food service activities	Information & communication	
				D	E		G		I	J	
				JP9J	JP9K		JP9L		JP9M	JP9N	JP9O
AP2Y	JP9H	JP9I	JP9J	JP9K	JP9L	JP9M	JP9N	JP9O	JP9P		
Levels (thousands)											
Aug-Oct 2022	1216	2	84	6	8	48	154	51	146	63	
Aug-Oct 2023	(r) 961	2	69	5	6	33	134	35	113	43	
Sep-Nov 2023	951	2	66	5	6	36	130	33	114	43	
Oct-Dec 2023	929	2	65	5	6	37	122	31	109	42	
Nov-Jan 2024	924	2	68	5	7	35	121	32	107	44	
Dec-Feb 2024	916	2	67	5	6	36	120	31	108	43	
Jan-Mar 2024	919	2	65	5	7	37	116	35	108	44	
Feb-Apr 2024	909	2	61	5	6	36	113	35	108	39	
Mar-May 2024	899	2	62	5	7	38	110	35	100	40	
Apr-Jun 2024	875	2	63	4	7	35	107	34	97	39	
May-Jul 2024	(r) 866	2	62	5	7	37	107	36	95	38	
Jun-Aug 2024	(r) 853	1	61	4	7	38	106	34	98	38	
Jul-Sep 2024	(r) 840	1	58	4	7	38	104	33	95	37	
Aug-Oct 2024	(p) 831	2	56	4	7	37	100	33	94	37	
Change on quarter	*	-35	0	-6	0	-1	0	-7	-4	-1	
Change %	*	-4.0	0.0	-9.9	-6.7	-12.2	-0.8	-6.3	-9.9	-1.2	
Change on year		-130	0	-14	-1	0	3	-33	-2	-6	
Change %		-13.6	-21.1	-19.5	-22.2	6.6	10.2	-24.9	-6.8	-13.0	
		AP2Z	JPA2	JPA3	JPA4	JPA5	JPA6	JPA7	JPA8	JPA9	JPB2
Vacancies per 100 employee jobs											
Aug-Oct 2022		3.9	3.3	3.5	4.8	3.4	3.1	3.4	3.2	5.9	4.4
Aug-Oct 2023	(r)	3.0	3.8	2.8	4.9	2.4	2.2	3.0	2.2	4.3	2.9
Sep-Nov 2023		3.0	3.8	2.7	4.5	2.5	2.3	2.9	2.0	4.3	2.9
Oct-Dec 2023		2.9	3.4	2.7	4.3	2.3	2.4	2.8	1.9	4.1	2.8
Nov-Jan 2024		2.9	3.6	2.8	4.2	2.6	2.3	2.7	2.0	4.0	3.0
Dec-Feb 2024		2.8	3.4	2.7	4.6	2.5	2.4	2.7	1.9	4.1	2.9
Jan-Mar 2024		2.9	3.4	2.6	4.7	2.6	2.4	2.6	2.1	4.1	2.9
Feb-Apr 2024		2.8	3.4	2.5	4.4	2.3	2.4	2.6	2.1	4.1	2.6
Mar-May 2024		2.8	3.2	2.5	4.1	2.7	2.5	2.5	2.1	3.8	2.7
Apr-Jun 2024		2.7	3.2	2.6	4.0	2.6	2.3	2.4	2.1	3.7	2.6
May-Jul 2024	(r)	2.7	3.0	2.5	4.1	2.9	2.4	2.4	2.2	3.6	2.6
Jun-Aug 2024	(r)	2.7	2.8	2.5	3.9	2.6	2.5	2.4	2.1	3.7	2.6
Jul-Sep 2024	(r)	2.6	2.8	2.4	3.8	2.6	2.5	2.3	2.0	3.6	2.5
Aug-Oct 2024	(p)	2.6	3.0	2.3	3.8	2.6	2.4	2.3	2.0	3.5	2.5
Change on quarter	*	-0.1	0.0	-0.3	-0.3	-0.4	0.0	-0.2	-0.2	0.0	
Change on year		-0.4	-0.8	-0.6	-1.1	0.2	0.2	-0.8	-0.1	-0.7	

SIC 2007 sections	Financial & insurance activities	Real estate activities ²	Professional scientific & technical activities	Administrative & support service activities	Public admin & defence; compulsory social security	Education	Human health & social work activities	Arts, entertainment & recreation	Other service activities	Total services	
										G-S	
										JP9Q	JP9R
Levels (thousands)											
Aug-Oct 2022	48	16	127	78	41	81	213	28	23	1067	
Aug-Oct 2023	(r) 35	9	93	58	37	67	179	21	22	845	
Sep-Nov 2023	36	11	92	60	39	65	174	19	20	835	
Oct-Dec 2023	36	13	92	63	38	64	169	17	19	814	
Nov-Jan 2024	33	13	91	64	37	62	166	18	18	806	
Dec-Feb 2024	34	14	91	67	36	63	160	16	18	799	
Jan-Mar 2024	37	16	89	67	36	63	162	14	19	804	
Feb-Apr 2024	36	16	90	67	36	63	162	17	18	800	
Mar-May 2024	35	15	89	65	37	64	162	19	17	787	
Apr-Jun 2024	33	14	86	61	36	62	160	20	17	766	
May-Jul 2024	(r) 32	14	86	59	36	61	156	18	15	754	
Jun-Aug 2024	(r) 33	13	86	55	35	61	152	17	14	742	
Jul-Sep 2024	(r) 34	12	86	56	34	61	148	18	15	732	
Aug-Oct 2024	(p) 36	14	85	58	35	59	144	17	15	727	
Change on quarter	*	4	0	-1	-2	-2	-12	0	0	-28	
Change %	*	12.7	-2.8	-1.5	-2.9	-4.1	-3.4	-7.6	-2.2	-3.7	
Change on year		0	5	-8	0	-2	-7	-35	-4	-118	
Change %		0.8	55.1	-8.3	-0.3	-5.4	-10.8	-19.6	-17.5	-14.0	
		JPB3	JPB4	JPB5	JPB6	JPB7	JPB8	JPB9	JPC2	JPC3	JPC4
Vacancies per 100 employee jobs											
Aug-Oct 2022		4.6	2.8	4.5	2.8	2.8	3.0	4.9	3.8	3.6	3.9
Aug-Oct 2023	(r)	3.2	1.5	3.2	2.1	2.5	2.4	4.0	2.6	3.3	3.0
Sep-Nov 2023		3.3	1.8	3.2	2.2	2.6	2.4	3.8	2.4	3.1	3.0
Oct-Dec 2023		3.3	2.1	3.2	2.3	2.6	2.3	3.7	2.1	2.9	2.9
Nov-Jan 2024		3.0	2.2	3.1	2.3	2.5	2.3	3.7	2.3	2.7	2.9
Dec-Feb 2024		3.1	2.4	3.1	2.4	2.4	2.3	3.5	2.0	2.7	2.9
Jan-Mar 2024		3.4	2.6	3.1	2.4	2.5	2.3	3.6	1.7	2.8	2.9
Feb-Apr 2024		3.3	2.7	3.1	2.4	2.4	2.3	3.6	2.1	2.7	2.9
Mar-May 2024		3.2	2.5	3.1	2.4	2.5	2.3	3.6	2.4	2.6	2.8
Apr-Jun 2024		3.0	2.4	3.0	2.2	2.4	2.3	3.6	2.5	2.6	2.8
May-Jul 2024	(r)	2.9	2.4	3.0	2.1	2.5	2.2	3.4	2.2	2.3	2.7
Jun-Aug 2024	(r)	3.1	2.2	3.0	2.0	2.3	2.2	3.4	2.1	2.2	2.7
Jul-Sep 2024	(r)	3.1	2.0	3.0	2.0	2.3	2.2	3.3	2.3	2.2	2.6
Aug-Oct 2024	(p)	3.3	2.3	2.9	2.1	2.4	2.2	3.2	2.2	2.3	2.6
Change on quarter	*	0.4	-0.1	0.0	-0.1	-0.1	-0.1	-0.3	-0.1	0.0	
Change on year		0.0	0.8	-0.3	0.0	-0.1	-0.3	-0.8	-0.5	-1.0	

1. Excludes Agriculture, Forestry and Fishing.

Source: ONS Vacancy Survey

2. Not seasonally adjusted. These series do not display seasonality. Therefore the unadjusted series is the best estimate of a 'seasonally adjusted' series.

* Change on previous non-overlapping three month rolling average time period.

Vacancy Survey enquiries: vacancy.survey@ons.gov.uk, 01633 456776

REDUNDANCIES

22 Redundancies: level¹ and rates²

United Kingdom

	People (aged 16 and over)		Men (aged 16 and over)		Women (aged 16 and over)	
	Level (000s) ¹	Rate ²	Level (000s) ¹	Rate ²	Level (000s) ¹	Rate ²
	BEAO	BEIR	BEIU	BEIX	BEJA	BEJD
Jul-Sep 2022	78	2.7	56	3.9	22	1.6
Jul-Sep 2023	76	2.6	40	2.8	36	2.5
Oct-Dec 2023	116	4.0	75	5.3	41	2.8
Jan-Mar 2024	90	3.1	53	3.7	36	2.5
Apr-Jun 2024	108	3.8	65	4.6	43	3.0
Jul-Sep 2024	90	3.1	57	4.0	33	2.3
Change on quarter	-19	-0.7	-8	-0.6	-10	-0.7
Change %	-17.3		-12.9		-24.0	
Change on year	14	0.5	17	1.2	-3	-0.2
Change %	17.9		42.1		-8.9	

Data source: Labour Force Survey

Labour market statistics enquiries: labour.market@ons.gov.uk

1. The redundancy level is the number of people who were made redundant in the three months prior to interview. The figure is not seasonally adjusted.
2. The redundancy rate is the ratio of the redundancy level for the given quarter to the seasonally adjusted number of employees in the previous quarter, multiplied by 1,000.
3. Data for this period has not been reweighted and so is inconsistent with data from Jul-Sep 2022 onwards.

REGIONAL SUMMARY

23(1) Regional summary of labour market headline indicators

Thousands, seasonally adjusted

Headline estimates for July - September 2024

Area Codes	Area Names	Economically active ¹		Employment		Unemployment		Economically inactive	
		Aged 16+ Level	Aged 16-64 Rate (%) ²	Aged 16+ Level	Aged 16-64 Rate (%) ²	Aged 16+ Level	Aged 16+ Rate (%) ³	Aged 16-64 Level	Aged 16-64 Rate (%) ²
K02000001	United Kingdom	34,799	78.2	33,313	74.8	1,486	4.3	9,248	21.8
K03000001	Great Britain	33,915	78.4	32,447	74.9	1,468	4.3	8,915	21.6
E92000001	England	29,686	78.8	28,387	75.3	1,299	4.4	7,608	21.2
E12000001	North East	1,307	75.6	1,235	71.4	72	5.5	405	24.4
E12000002	North West	3,775	76.8	3,616	73.5	159	4.2	1,094	23.2
E12000003	Yorkshire and The Humber	2,664	74.3	2,573	71.8	91	3.4	888	25.7
E12000004	East Midlands	2,525	79.0	2,408	75.3	117	4.6	644	21.0
E12000005	West Midlands	3,039	77.5	2,902	73.9	137	4.5	839	22.5
E12000006	East	3,295	79.8	3,182	76.9	113	3.4	796	20.2
E12000007	London	5,142	80.6	4,837	75.8	305	5.9	1,187	19.4
E12000008	South East	4,934	80.6	4,736	77.3	198	4.0	1,121	19.4
E12000009	South West	3,005	81.8	2,898	78.8	107	3.6	635	18.2
W92000004	Wales	1,483	74.1	1,404	70.0	79	5.3	494	25.9
S92000003	Scotland	2,747	76.3	2,656	73.7	91	3.3	812	23.7
N92000002	Northern Ireland	884	71.8	867	70.3	17	2.0	333	28.2

Change on quarter (change since April - June 2024)

Note: Changes on quarter 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.

Area Codes	Area Names	Economically active ¹		Employment		Unemployment		Economically inactive	
		Aged 16+ Level	Aged 16-64 Rate (%) ²	Aged 16+ Level	Aged 16-64 Rate (%) ²	Aged 16+ Level	Aged 16+ Rate (%) ³	Aged 16-64 Level	Aged 16-64 Rate (%) ²
K02000001	United Kingdom	270	0.4	220	0.3	50	0.1	-162	-0.4
K03000001	Great Britain	282	0.4	232	0.3	50	0.1	-176	-0.4
E92000001	England	268	0.4	212	0.3	56	0.2	-148	-0.4
E12000001	North East	61	3.0	47	2.4	14	0.9	-49	-3.0
E12000002	North West	46	0.4	46	0.4	-	-0.1	-18	-0.4
E12000003	Yorkshire and The Humber	-33	-0.7	-28	-0.6	-5	-0.1	26	0.7
E12000004	East Midlands	-14	-0.9	-14	-0.4	-14	-0.5	27	0.9
E12000005	West Midlands	45	1.0	56	1.2	-10	-0.4	-35	-1.0
E12000006	East	62	1.4	58	1.3	4	0.1	-56	-1.4
E12000007	London	99	1.3	59	0.8	40	0.7	-76	-1.3
E12000008	South East	-13	-0.7	-37	-1.1	24	0.5	41	0.7
E12000009	South West	15	0.2	11	0.1	3	0.1	-7	-0.2
W92000004	Wales	27	2.5	3	1.2	24	1.5	-46	-2.5
S92000003	Scotland	-13	-0.6	17	0.3	-30	-1.1	19	0.6
N92000002	Northern Ireland	-12	-1.2	-12	-1.2	0.0	0.0	14	1.2

Change on year (change since July - September 2023)

Area Codes	Area Names	Economically active ¹		Employment		Unemployment		Economically inactive	
		Aged 16+ Level	Aged 16-64 Rate (%) ²	Aged 16+ Level	Aged 16-64 Rate (%) ²	Aged 16+ Level	Aged 16+ Rate (%) ³	Aged 16-64 Level	Aged 16-64 Rate (%) ²
K02000001	United Kingdom	290	0.1	211	0.0	79	0.2	-7	-0.1
K03000001	Great Britain	287	0.1	206	0.0	81	0.2	-12	-0.1
E92000001	England	336	0.3	251	0.1	85	0.2	-69	-0.3
E12000001	North East	30	0.8	17	0.1	13	0.9	-12	-0.8
E12000002	North West	10	-0.3	53	0.7	-43	-1.1	21	0.3
E12000003	Yorkshire and The Humber	-71	-1.9	-77	-2.0	6	0.3	69	1.9
E12000004	East Midlands	28	0.9	30	1.0	-2	-0.1	-24	-0.9
E12000005	West Midlands	36	-0.2	10	-0.9	26	0.8	12	0.2
E12000006	East	34	0.3	42	0.4	-8	-0.3	-7	-0.3
E12000007	London	278	3.6	219	2.8	59	0.9	-214	-3.6
E12000008	South East	-51	-1.6	-73	-1.8	22	0.5	96	1.6
E12000009	South West	42	0.4	30	0.1	12	0.3	-10	-0.4
W92000004	Wales	-42	-1.4	-68	-2.8	27	1.9	28	1.4
S92000003	Scotland	-7	-0.8	23	0.0	-30	-1.1	29	0.8
N92000002	Northern Ireland	3	-0.4	5	-0.3	-2	-0.3	5	0.4

The Labour Force Survey is tabulated by region of residence.

Source: Labour Force Survey

1. Economically active = Employment plus Unemployment.

Labour market statistics enquiries: labour.supply@ons.gov.uk

2. Denominator = all persons aged 16 to 64.

3. Denominator = total economically active

4. Data from July to September 2022 onward has been reweighted, causing a step change discontinuity.

REGIONAL SUMMARY

23(2) Regional summary of Workforce Jobs

Thousands,
seasonally adjusted

Area Codes	Area Names	June 2024	Change on March 2024
K02000001	United Kingdom	37,089	-28
K03000001	Great Britain	36,142	-27
E92000001	England	31,733	11
E12000001	North East	1,213	-14
E12000002	North West	3,880	-13
E12000003	Yorkshire and The Humber	2,835	-17
E12000004	East Midlands	2,473	-24
E12000005	West Midlands	3,062	-19
E12000006	East	3,269	39
E12000007	London	6,648	32
E12000008	South East	5,149	-8
E12000009	South West	3,203	35
W92000004	Wales	1,500	-36
S92000003	Scotland	2,909	-2
N92000002	Northern Ireland	940	-1

Workforce jobs are mainly sourced from employer surveys and are tabulated by region of workplace. HM Forces stationed abroad are included in the UK workforce jobs estimates but not in the regional estimates. The UK workforce jobs estimates therefore do not equal the sum of the regional estimates. Workforce Jobs data for September 2022 onwards has been affected by the reweighting of the LFS, causing a step change discontinuity.