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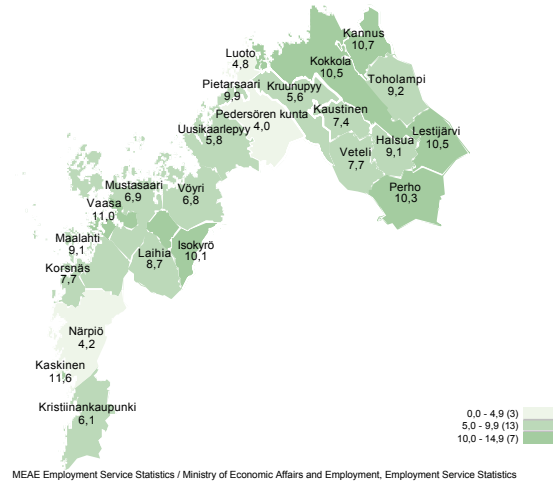
OSTROBOTHNIA

Employment Bulletin

September 2016

In September, the number of unemployed jobseekers was 10 580

Unemployed jobseekers' percentage of the workforce by municipality



A total of 10 580 unemployed jobseekers were registered at Employment and Economic Development Office in Ostrobothnia at the end of September. This is 759 more than a year earlier. The number of unemployed jobseekers decreased by 689 from the previous month. The share of the unemployed jobseekers out of the labour force is still the lowest (9,0 %) in the country in the area of the Centre for Economic Development, Transport and the Environment of Ostrobothnia. In the South Ostrobothnia this number is 9,5 % and in the whole country 12,5 %.

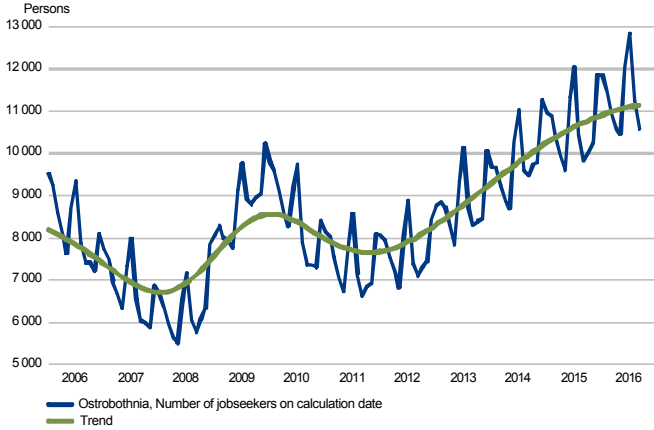
Compared with August the share of the unemployed jobseekers of the labour force decreased by 0,5 percentage points in the Ostrobothnia and in the whole country. The figures are from the Employment Service Statistics of the Ministry of Economic Affairs and Employment.

Trends:

- Ostrobothnia has still the lowest unemployment rate in the country, 9,0 %.
- The number of unemployed jobseekers in Ostrobothnia has in September increased most in the country (+7,7 %) and especially in Vaasa sub-regional unit (+11 %).
- The share of men of the unemployed jobseekers increased.
- The number of new open vacancies announced in September at the Employment and Economic Development Office was 889, which is 113 more than in September the year before. The number of new open vacancies increased quantitatively most in Vaasa sub-regional unit.
- The long-term unemployment has still grown.
- The number of people in employment-promoting services has increased compared with the same time the year before and the amount of people was in total 5 288 persons.
- Out of the unemployed jobseekers were 1 133 persons laid off in full-time in September, which is 483 more than the year before.

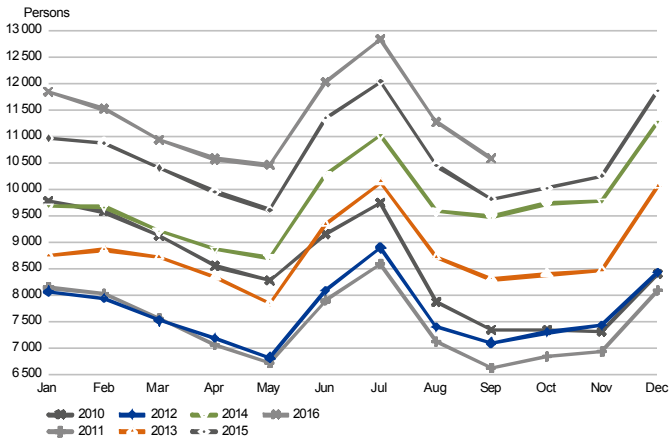
Unemployed jobseekers

UNEMPLOYED JOBSEEKERS MONTHLY AND TREND
Ostrobothnia



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UNEMPLOYED JOBSEEKERS, MONTH BY MONTH COMPARISON
Ostrobothnia

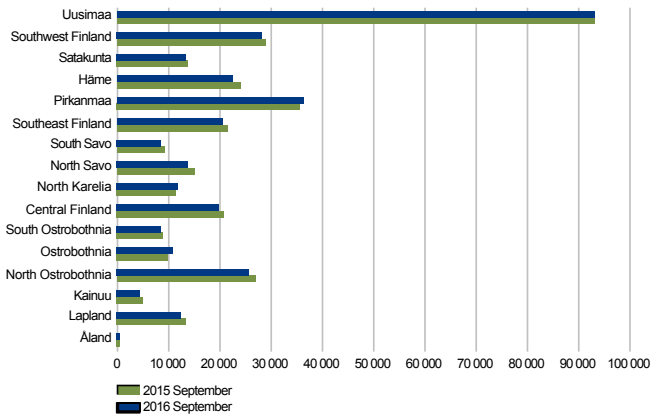


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Unemployed jobseekers by sub-regional unit

UNEMPLOYED JOBSEEKERS

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Unemployed jobseekers and jobs vacant in Employment and Economic Development Office by sub-regional unit

Sub-regional unit	Unemployed jobseekers			Change		Of the fully laid off	Unemployed jobseekers' percentage of the workforce	Jobs vacant			Change	
	Sep 2016	Aug 2016	Sep 2015	Sep 2016	Sep 2015			Sep 2016	Aug 2016	Sep 2015	Sep 2016	Sep 2015
Kyrönmaa	548	590	553	-5	-1	73	9,2	16	19	19	-3	-16
Vaasa	4 847	5 199	4 382	465	11	582	9,8	471	491	368	103	28
Suupohjan rannikkoseutu	435	453	429	6	1	78	5,4	59	51	39	20	51
Pietarsaari	1 587	1 749	1 465	122	8	155	6,8	104	122	87	17	20
Kaustinen	597	634	557	40	7	74	8,6	43	22	48	-5	-10
Kokkola	2 566	2 644	2 435	131	5	171	10,5	196	239	215	-19	-9
Ostrobothnia	10 580	11 269	9 821	759	8	1 133	9,0	889	944	776	113	15

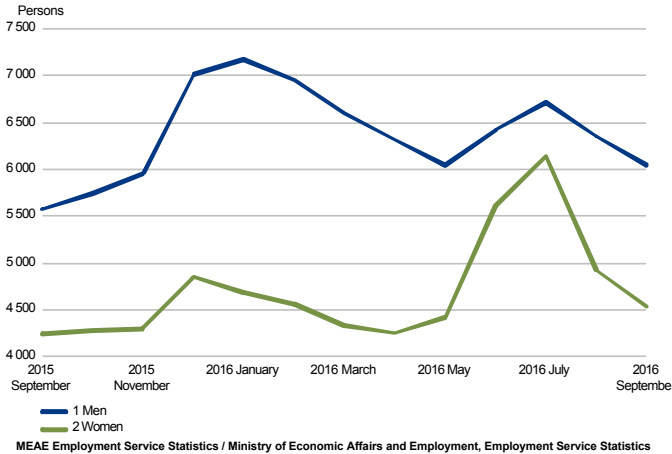
Unemployed jobseekers by municipality

Unemployed jobseekers and jobs vacant in Employment and Economic Development Office by municipality

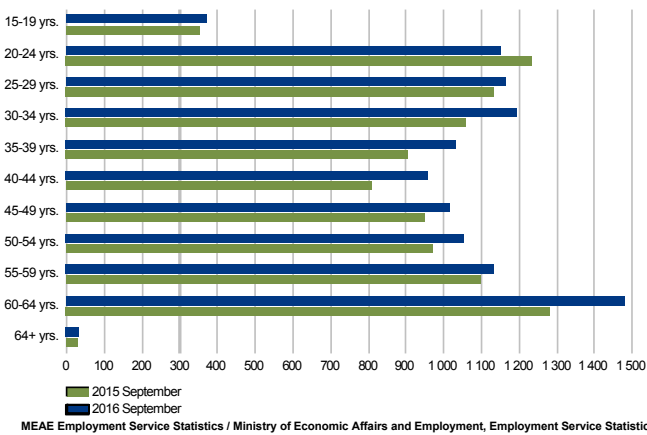
Municipality	Sep	Aug	Sep	Change		Of the	Unemployed	Sep	Aug	Sep	Change	
	2016	2016	2015	Sep 2016	Sep 2015	unemployed	jobseekers'	2016	2016	2015	Sep 2016	Sep 2015
	Unemployed jobseekers			%		fully	percentage	Jobs vacant			%	
						laid off	of the					
							workforce					
Halsua	46	49	31	15	48	11	9,1	..	0	..	..	..
Isokyrö	219	223	232	-13	-6	24	10,1	5	6	6	-1	-17
Kannus	273	259	225	48	21	29	10,7	9	18	10	-1	-10
Kaskinen	67	62	78	-11	-14	13	11,6	10	9	8	2	25
Kaustinen	153	165	158	-5	-3	14	7,4	29	..	30	-1	-3
Kokkola	2 293	2 385	2 210	83	4	142	10,5	187	221	205	-18	-9
Korsnäs	80	75	45	35	78	36	7,7	..	0	0	..	..
Kristiinankaupunki	182	194	196	-14	-7	24	6,1	27	22	16	11	69
Kruunupyö	178	193	181	-3	-2	31	5,6	17	10	16	1	6
Laihia	329	367	321	8	2	49	8,7	11	13	13	-2	-15
Lestijärvi	35	36	33	2	6	7	10,5	..	..	..	..	..
Luoto	109	116	84	25	30	14	4,8	..	..	7	..	..
Maalahti	242	248	171	71	42	70	9,1	..	6	11	..	..
Mustasaari	664	689	582	82	14	123	6,9	17	25	9	8	89
Närpiö	186	197	155	31	20	41	4,2	22	20	15	7	47
Pedersören kunta	210	233	180	30	17	21	4,0	10	13	14	-4	-29
Perho	116	124	116	0	0	12	10,3	..	6	5	..	..
Pietarsaari	883	997	867	16	2	59	9,9	67	87	44	23	52
Toholampi	130	134	104	26	25	12	9,2	..	..	..	..	..
Uusikaarlepyy	207	210	153	54	35	30	5,8	7	8	6	1	17
Vaasa	3 647	3 957	3 386	261	8	306	11,0	440	448	334	106	32
Veteli	117	126	115	2	2	18	7,7	7	7
Vöyri	214	230	198	16	8	47	6,8	11	12	14	-3	-21
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Unemployed jobseekers by gender and age-group

UNEMPLOYED JOBSEEKERS BY GENDER
Ostrobothnia

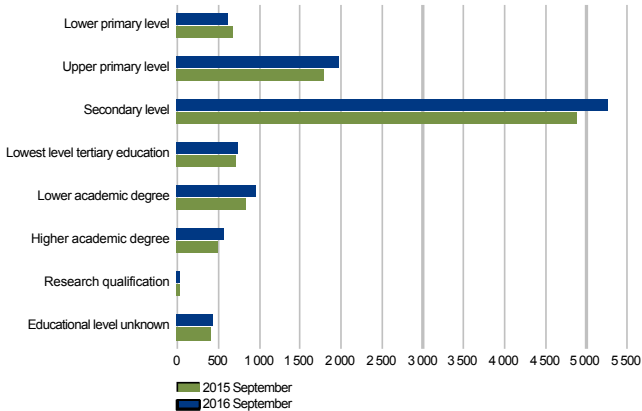


UNEMPLOYED JOBSEEKERS BY AGE GROUP
Ostrobothnia



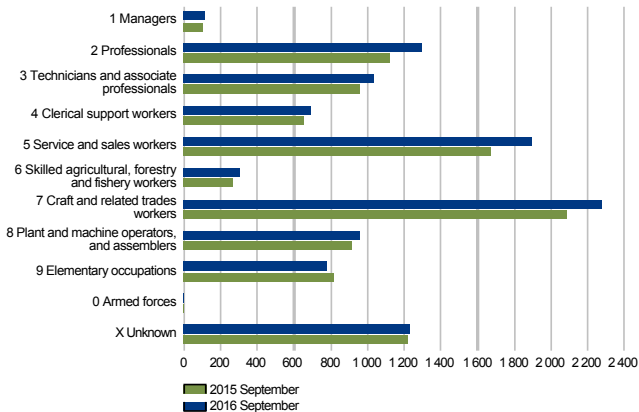
Unemployed jobseekers by levels of education and occupational group

UNEMPLOYED JOBSEEKERS BY LEVEL OF EDUCATION
Ostrobothnia



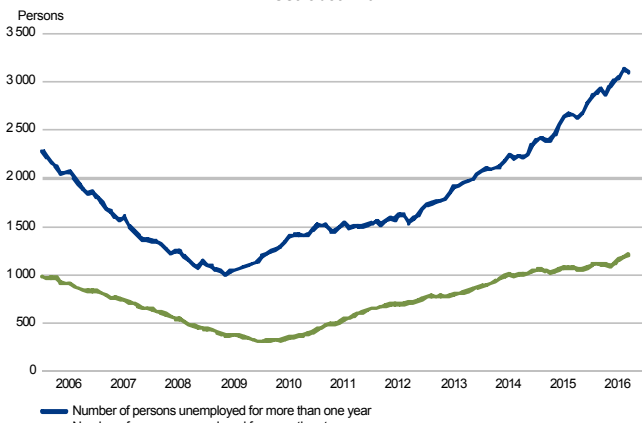
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UNEMPLOYED JOBSEEKERS BY OCCUPATIONAL GROUP
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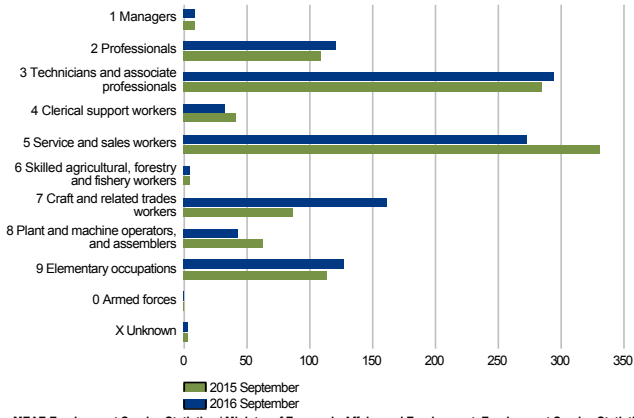
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LONG-TERM UNEMPLOYED AT THE END OF THE MONTH
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Jobs vacant

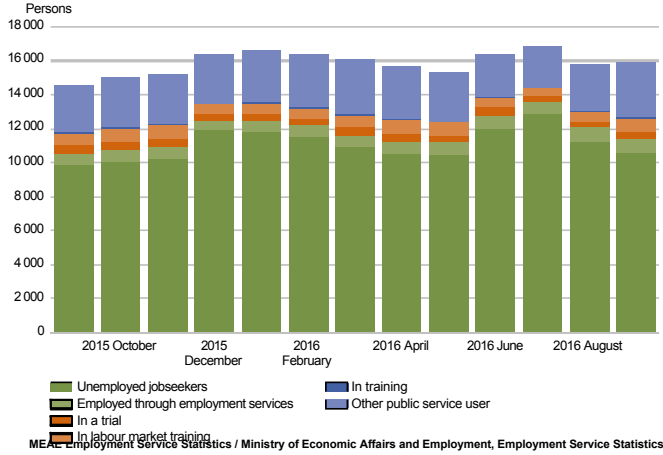
NEW JOB VACANCIES
Ostrobothnia



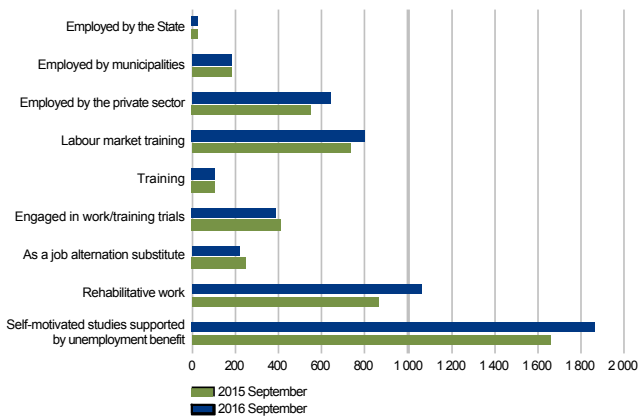
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BROAD UNEMPLOYMENT
Ostrobothnia

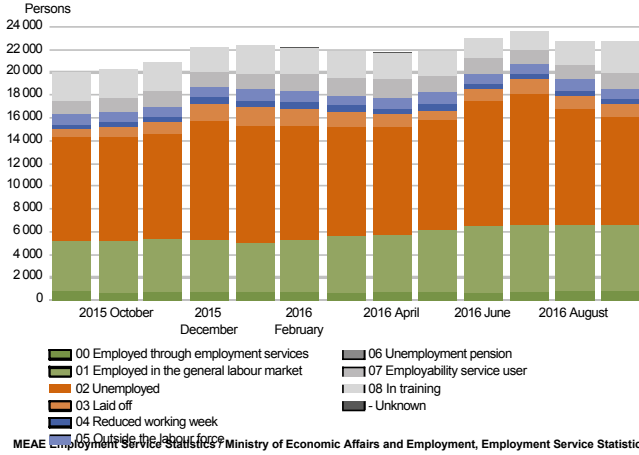


PEOPLE COVERED BY SERVICES
Ostrobothnia



All jobseekers

JOBSEEKERS BY GROUP
Ostrobothnia



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Summary table

EMPLOYMENT SITUATION AT THE END OF 2016 SEPTEMBER (I) AND
ACTIVITIES OF EMPLOYMENT AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT OFFICES DURING SEPTEMBER (II)
ELY CENTRE: OSTROBOTHNIA

I EMPLOYMENT SITUATION AT THE END OF MONTH	Sep-16	Sep-15	CHANGE NUMBER	CHANGE %
A. JOBSEEKERS				
1. Unemployed jobseekers	10 580	9 821	759	7,7
of whom fully laid off	1 133	650	483	74,3
2. On reduced working week	465	351	114	32,5
3. Those who have work	6 645	5 212	1 433	27,5
of whom in the general labour market	5 817	4 441	1 376	31,0
of whom employed through employment services	828	771	57	7,4
4. Persons outside the labour force	5 019	4 575	444	9,7
of whom in services promoting employment	1 434	1 282	152	11,9
of whom in training	2 656	2 357	299	12,7
5. On unemployment pension	0	..	..	..
1-5 Total of jobseekers	22 709	19 960	2 749	13,8
B. LABOUR DEMAND				
1. Jobs vacant	889	776	113	14,6
of those notified for over a month	270	264	6	2,3
of those notified for over 2 months	148	128	20	15,6
C. PARTICIPATING IN SERVICES				
1. Employed by the State	28	29	-1	-3,4
2. Employed by municipalities	180	183	-3	-1,6
3. Employed by the private sector	637	545	92	16,9
1-3 Total number of employed people	845	757	88	11,6
4. Labour market training	800	734	66	9,0
5. Training	107	102	5	4,9
6. Engaged in work/training trials	389	410	-21	-5,1
7. As a job alternation substitute	222	252	-30	-11,9
8. Rehabilitative work	1 065	860	205	23,8
9. Self-motivated studies supported by unemployment benefit	1 860	1 654	206	12,5
1-9 Total number of people participating in services	5 288	4 769	519	10,9
D. STRUCTURE OF UNEMPLOYMENT				
1. Unemployed women	4 535	4 243	292	6,9
2. Unemployed men	6 045	5 578	467	8,4
3. Under 25 years old	1 524	1 588	-64	-4,0
4. Over 50 years old	3 698	3 379	319	9,4
5. Unemployed over a year	3 102	2 660	442	16,6
6. Foreign unemployed	977	968	9	0,9
E. UNEMPLOYMENT SECURITY				
1. Unemployed members of employees' unemployment funds	4 947	4 384	563	12,8
II EMPLOYMENT SITUATION DURING THE MONTH				
1. Unemployed jobseekers	12 315	11 359	956	8,4
2. Other jobseekers	11 257	9 482	1 775	18,7
1-2 Total number of jobseekers	23 572	20 841	2 731	13,1
3. Vacancies during a month	1 956	1 887	69	3,7
New vacancies during a month	1 067	1 045	22	2,1
Vacancies filled during a month	188	274	-86	-31,4
of those filled with job-seekers at the Employment Service	69	133	-64	-48,1
4. Started spell of unemployment	1 931	1 858	73	3,9
5. Completed spell of unemployment	2 023	1 910	113	5,9
6. New jobs found through employment services	157	133	24	18,0
7. New entrants to labour market training	282	162	120	74,1

Foreigners' summary table

FOREIGNERS' EMPLOYMENT SITUATION AT THE END OF 2016 SEPTEMBER (I) AND
ACTIVITIES OF EMPLOYMENT AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT OFFICES DURING SEPTEMBER (II)
ELY CENTRE: OSTROBOTHNIA

I EMPLOYMENT SITUATION AT THE END OF MONTH	Sep-16	Sep-15	CHANGE NUMBER	CHANGE %
A. JOBSEEKERS				
1. Unemployed jobseekers	977	968	9	0,9
of whom fully laid off	91	46	45	97,8
2. On reduced working week	19	12	7	58,3
3. Those who have work	558	425	133	31,3
of whom in the general labour market	493	380	113	29,7
of whom employed through employment services	65	45	20	44,4
4. Persons outside the labour force	1 420	1 233	187	15,2
of whom in services promoting employment	192	194	-2	-1,0
of whom in training	1 136	954	182	19,1
5. On unemployment pension	0	0	0	0,0
1-5 Total of jobseekers	2 974	2 638	336	12,7
C. PARTICIPATING IN SERVICES				
1. Employed by the State	..	..	..	..
2. Employed by municipalities	14	16	-2	-12,5
3. Employed by the private sector	59	29	30	103,4
1-3 Total number of employed people	75	46	29	63,0
4. Labour market training	427	300	127	42,3
5. Training	17	9	8	88,9
6. Engaged in work/training trials	109	129	-20	-15,5
7. As a job alternation substitute	..	..	..	..
8. Rehabilitative work	88	67	21	31,3
9. Self-motivated studies supported by unemployment benefit	713	668	45	6,7
1-9 Total number of people participating in services	1 432	1 222	210	17,2
D. STRUCTURE OF UNEMPLOYMENT				
1. Unemployed women	465	452	13	2,9
2. Unemployed men	512	516	-4	-0,8
3. Under 25 years old	74	108	-34	-31,5
4. Over 50 years old	189	185	4	2,2
5. Unemployed over a year	170	167	3	1,8
E. UNEMPLOYMENT SECURITY				
1. Unemployed members of employees' unemployment funds	241	179	62	34,6
II EMPLOYMENT SITUATION DURING THE MONTH				
1. Unemployed jobseekers	1 361	1 197	164	13,7
2. Other jobseekers	1 689	1 533	156	10,2
1-2 Total number of jobseekers	3 050	2 730	320	11,7
4. Started spell of unemployment	228	193	35	18,1
5. Completed spell of unemployment	405	272	133	48,9
6. New jobs found through employment services	20	8	12	150,0
7. New entrants to labour market training	157	39	118	302,6

Regional table

UNEMPLOYED JOBSEEKERS AND JOBS VACANT BY MUNICIPALITY AT THE END OF 2016 SEPTEMBER
ELY CENTRE: OSTROBOTHNIA

Municipality	Workforce	Unemployed jobseekers							Unemployed over a year	Disabled and chron. ill	Jobs vacant
		% of workforce	Total	Men	Women	Under 20 years old	Under 25 years old	Over 50 years old			
Halsua	504	9,1	46	27	19	..	11	17	8	5	..
Isokyrö	2 172	10,1	219	133	86	..	23	104	75	40	5
Kannus	2 554	10,7	273	146	127	10	39	99	69	29	9
Kaskinen	579	11,6	67	39	28	..	5	34	19	6	10
Kaustinen	2 060	7,4	153	60	93	8	20	57	32	29	29
Kokkola	21 894	10,5	2 293	1 211	1 082	110	408	725	662	355	187
Korsnäs	1 042	7,7	80	53	27	..	10	23	9	6	..
Kristinankaupunki	2 994	6,1	182	110	72	8	17	84	45	16	27
Kruunupyy	3 152	5,6	178	89	89	..	16	78	55	19	17
Laihia	3 802	8,7	329	203	126	10	33	131	120	53	11
Lestijärvi	332	10,5	35	18	17	..	..	18	10	6	..
Luoto	2 275	4,8	109	54	55	..	16	37	32	7	..
Maalahti	2 666	9,1	242	162	80	9	25	93	69	16	..
Mustasaari	9 586	6,9	664	400	264	18	83	254	206	52	17
Närpiö	4 448	4,2	186	112	74	..	24	70	34	12	22
Pedersören kunta	5 269	4,0	210	99	111	8	27	89	71	27	10
Perho	1 123	10,3	116	57	59	..	11	48	29	21	..
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Toholampi	1 407	9,2	130	79	51	5	17	54	36	26	..
Uusikaarlepyy	3 584	5,8	207	99	108	7	25	70	52	18	7
Vaasa	33 085	11,0	3 647	2 188	1 459	117	524	1 169	1 097	371	440
Veteli	1 512	7,7	117	65	52	..	14	54	24	19	7
Vöyri	3 170	6,8	214	143	71	9	25	81	85	17	11
Total	118 147	9,0	10 580	6 045	4 535	372	1 524	3 698	3 102	1 240	889

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