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WEEKLY UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE CLAIMS SUMMARY

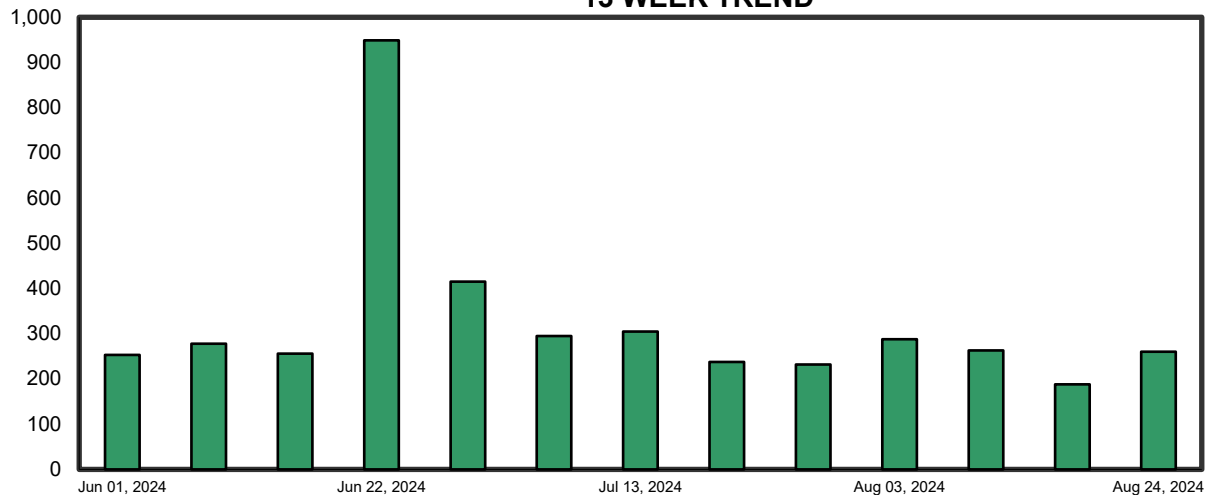
Week of August 24, 2024

Claim Types	Benefit Programs ^{2/}	Current Data ^{1/}		Last Year 8/26/2023	Change From:	
		8/24/2024	8/17/2024		Last Week	Last Year
Initial Claims ^{3/}	Regular UI	260	188	264	72	-4
	State Extended Benefits	0	0	0	0	0
Continued Claims	Regular UI	2,256	2,114	2,737	142	-481
	State Extended Benefits	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	Regular UI	2,516	2,302	3,001	214	-485
	State Extended Benefits	0	0	0	0	0
	Total All Programs	2,516	2,302	3,001	214	-485

^{1/} Filing week, typically representing unemployment during the prior week

^{2/} To date, 188 Disaster Unemployment Assistance (DR-4720) applications have been received

REGULAR UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE INITIAL CLAIMS 13 WEEK TREND



Regular UI Initial Claims Distribution by Industry ^{3/}

	Current Data		
	8/24/2024	8/17/2024	8/26/2023
Total Number	260	188	264
Percentage Construction	7%	7%	4%
Percentage Manufacturing	25%	12%	45%
Percentage Services	44%	49%	37%
Percentage Trade	9%	9%	10%
Percentage Miscellaneous	15%	23%	4%

^{3/} Includes First, Additional and Re-Open Claims

I. UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE STATISTICS

Week of August 24, 2024

Activity	Program	8/24/2024	8/17/2024	8/26/2023	Change From:	
					Last Week	Last Year
Continued Claims for Weeks of Unemployment State Totals	Regular UI	2,256	2,114	2,737	142	(481)
	Extended Ben.	0	0	0	0	0
	Total	2,256	2,114	2,737	142	(481)
Regular Continued Claims For Weeks of Unemployment by American Job Center Service Area and Agent State	Barre	257	243	487	14	(230)
	Bennington	164	152	190	12	(26)
	Brattleboro	110	98	133	12	(23)
	Burlington	555	502	586	53	(31)
	Middlebury	88	85	121	3	(33)
	Morrisville	108	91	112	17	(4)
	Newport	120	97	157	23	(37)
	Rutland	237	246	295	(9)	(58)
	St. Albans	220	198	225	22	(5)
	St. Johnsbury	128	130	127	(2)	1
Springfield	123	122	132	1	(9)	
White River	86	80	105	6	(19)	
Agent State	60	70	67	(10)	(7)	
Number of Benefit Payments	Regular UI	1,873	1,561	2,020	312	(147)
	Extended Ben.	0	0	0	0	0
	Total	1,873	1,561	2,020	312	(147)
Amount of Benefit Payments	Regular UI	\$1,102,197	\$905,744	\$1,107,169	196,453	(4,972)
	Extended Ben.	\$0	\$0	\$0	0	0
	Total	\$1,102,197	\$905,744	\$1,107,169	196,453	(4,972)
Trust Fund	Cash Balance	\$312,237,403	\$313,137,818	\$279,512,464	(900,415)	32,724,939
	Loan Balance	\$0	\$0	\$0	0	0
	Net Balance	\$312,237,403	\$313,137,818	\$279,512,464	(900,415)	32,724,939

II. TOTAL UNEMPLOYMENT RATE COMPARISON

State and National ^{1/} (SEASONALLY ADJUSTED)	Jul-2024	Jun-2024	Jul-2023	Change From:	
				Last Month	Last Year
Vermont	2.1%	2.1%	1.9%	0.0%	0.2%
Connecticut	3.6%	3.9%	3.6%	-0.3%	0.0%
Maine	2.8%	2.8%	2.8%	0.0%	0.0%
Massachusetts	3.5%	3.2%	3.2%	0.3%	0.3%
New Hampshire	2.5%	2.5%	2.1%	0.0%	0.4%
New Jersey	4.7%	4.6%	4.5%	0.1%	0.2%
New York	4.3%	4.2%	4.1%	0.1%	0.2%
Rhode Island	4.5%	4.3%	2.7%	0.2%	1.8%
United States	4.3%	4.1%	3.5%	0.2%	0.8%

NOTE: TOTAL UNEMPLOYMENT RATES REFLECT SEASONALLY ADJUSTED DATA.

^{1/} Excludes Armed Forces

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