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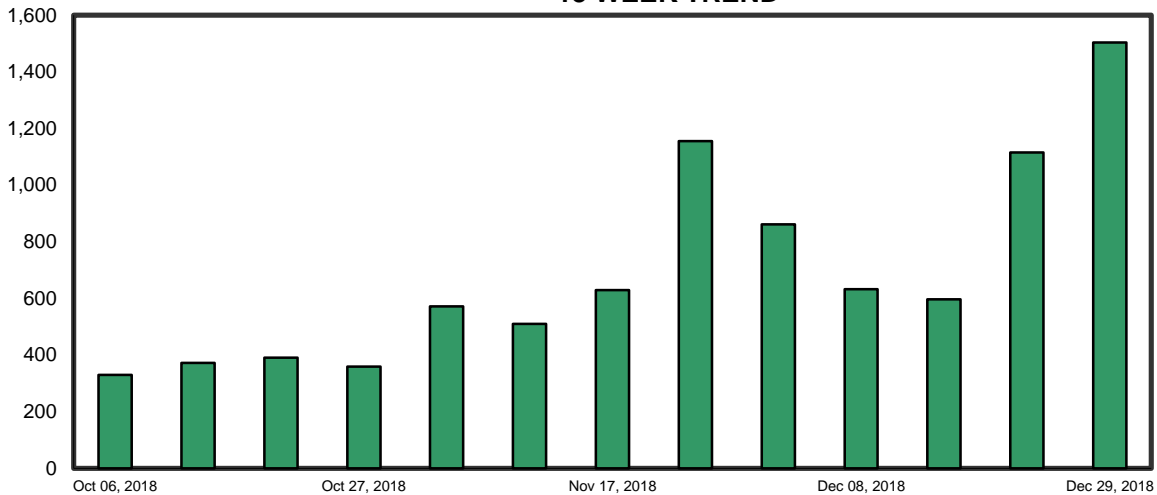
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WEEKLY UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE CLAIMS SUMMARY
 Week of December 29, 2018

Claim Types	Benefit Programs	Current Data		Last Year	Change From:	
		12/29/2018	12/22/2018	12/30/2017	Last Week	Last Year
Initial Claims ^{1/}	Regular UI	1,503	1,115	1,570	388	-67
	Federal EUC08 Tier I	0	0	0	0	0
	Federal EUC08 Tier II *	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	Federal EUC08 Tier III *	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	State Extended Benefits	0	0	0	0	0
Continued Claims	Regular UI	4,405	3,811	4,564	594	-159
	Federal EUC08 Tier I	0	0	0	0	N/A
	Federal EUC08 Tier II	0	0	0	0	0
	Federal EUC08 Tier III	0	0	0	0	0
	State Extended Benefits	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	Regular UI	5,908	4,926	6,134	982	-226
	Federal EUC08 Tier I	0	0	0	0	N/A
	Federal EUC08 Tier II	0	0	0	0	0
	Federal EUC08 Tier III	0	0	0	0	0
	State Extended Benefits	0	0	0	0	0
	Total All Programs	5,908	4,926	6,134	982	-226

* Not tracked

**REGULAR UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE INITIAL CLAIMS
 13 WEEK TREND**



Regular UI Initial Claims Distribution by Industry ^{1/}			
	Current Data		
	12/29/2018	12/22/2018	12/30/2017
Total Number	1,503	1,115	1,570
Percentage Construction	19%	22%	24%
Percentage Manufacturing	19%	13%	21%
Percentage Services	34%	51%	29%
Percentage Trade	5%	6%	4%
Percentage Miscellaneous	23%	8%	22%

^{1/} Includes First, Additional and Re-Open Claims

I. UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE STATISTICS

Week of December 29, 2018

Activity	Program	12/29/2018	12/22/2018	12/30/2017	Change From:	
					Last Week	Last Year
Continued Claims	Regular UI	4,405	3,811	4,564	594	(159)
for	Extended Ben.	0	0	0	0	0
Weeks of	EUC08 Tier I	0	0	0	0	0
Unemployment	EUC08 Tier II	0	0	0	0	0
State	EUC08 Tier III	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	Total	4,405	3,811	4,564	594	(159)
Regular Claims For Weeks of Unemployment by Labor Market Area and Agent State	Barre	583	477	647	106	(64)
	Bennington	251	252	261	(1)	(10)
	Brattleboro	164	147	190	17	(26)
	Burlington	876	684	916	192	(40)
	Middlebury	221	205	237	16	(16)
	Morrisville	319	306	333	13	(14)
	Newport	464	366	417	98	47
	Rutland	448	403	453	45	(5)
	St. Albans	444	375	418	69	26
	St. Johnsbury	247	208	254	39	(7)
	Springfield	145	164	168	(19)	(23)
	White River	156	147	169	9	(13)
Agent State	87	77	101	10	(14)	
Number of Benefit Payments	Regular UI	3,849	3,435	4,008	414	(159)
	Extended Ben.	0	0	0	0	0
	EUC08 Tier I	0	0	0	0	0
	EUC08 Tier II	0	0	0	0	0
	EUC08 Tier III	0	0	0	0	0
	Total	3,849	3,435	4,008	414	(159)
Amount of Benefit Payments	Regular UI	\$1,452,143	\$1,325,066	\$1,428,255	127,077	23,888
	Extended Ben.	\$0	\$0	\$0	0	0
	EUC08 Tier I	\$0	\$0	\$0	0	0
	EUC08 Tier II	\$0	\$0	\$0	0	0
	EUC08 Tier III	\$0	\$0	\$0	0	0
	Total	\$1,452,143	\$1,325,066	\$1,428,255	127,077	23,888
Trust Fund	Cash Balance	\$455,281,481	\$456,668,977	\$380,003,781	(1,387,496)	75,277,700
	Loan Balance	\$0	\$0	\$0	0	0
	Net Balance	\$455,281,481	\$456,668,977	\$380,003,781	(1,387,496)	75,277,700

II. TOTAL UNEMPLOYMENT RATE COMPARISON

State and National 1/ (SEASONALLY ADJUSTED)	Nov-2018	Oct-2018	Nov-2017	Change From:	
				Last Month	Last Year
Vermont	2.7%	2.8%	2.9%	-0.1%	-0.2%
Connecticut	4.1%	4.2%	4.5%	-0.1%	-0.4%
Maine	3.4%	3.4%	3.1%	0.0%	0.3%
Massachusetts	3.4%	3.5%	3.5%	-0.1%	-0.1%
New Hampshire	2.5%	2.6%	2.6%	-0.1%	-0.1%
New Jersey	4.0%	4.1%	4.7%	-0.1%	-0.7%
New York	3.9%	4.0%	4.7%	-0.1%	-0.8%
Rhode Island	3.8%	3.8%	4.5%	0.0%	-0.7%
United States	3.7%	3.7%	4.1%	0.0%	-0.4%

NOTE: TOTAL UNEMPLOYMENT RATES REFLECT SEASONALLY ADJUSTED DATA.

^{1/} Excludes Armed Forces

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