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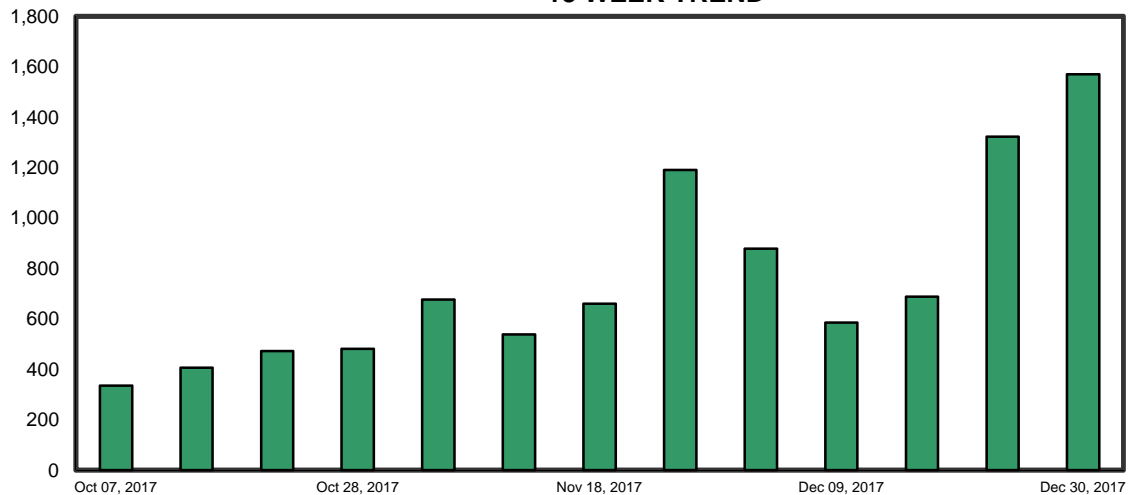
WEEKLY UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE CLAIMS SUMMARY

Week of December 30, 2017

Claim Types	Benefit Programs	Current Data		Last Year	Change From:	
		12/30/2017	12/23/2017	12/31/2016	Last Week	Last Year
Initial Claims ^{1/}	Regular UI	1,570	1,323	1,531	247	39
	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	4,564	3,932	5,746	632	-1,182
	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	6,134	5,255	7,277	879	-1,143
	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	6,134	5,255	7,277	879	-1,143

* Not tracked

REGULAR UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE INITIAL CLAIMS 13 WEEK TREND



Regular UI Initial Claims Distribution by Industry ^{1/}

	Current Data		
	12/30/2017	12/23/2017	12/31/2016
Total Number	1,570	1,323	1,531
Percentage Construction	24%	18%	19%
Percentage Manufacturing	21%	10%	29%
Percentage Services	29%	52%	31%
Percentage Trade	4%	7%	5%
Percentage Miscellaneous	22%	13%	16%

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

I. UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE STATISTICS

Week of December 30, 2017

Activity	Program	12/30/2017	12/23/2017	12/31/2016	Change From:	
					Last Week	Last Year
Continued Claims for Weeks of Unemployment State Totals	Regular UI Extended Ben. EUC08 Tier I EUC08 Tier II EUC08 Tier III Total	4,564 0 0 0 0 4,564	3,932 0 0 0 0 3,932	5,746 0 0 0 0 5,746	632 0 0 0 0 632	(1,182) 0 0 0 0 (1,182)
Regular Claims For Weeks of Unemployment by Labor Market Area and Agent State	Barre	647	511	834	136	(187)
	Bennington	261	258	283	3	(22)
	Brattleboro	190	166	204	24	(14)
	Burlington	916	699	1,147	217	(231)
	Middlebury	237	195	275	42	(38)
	Morrisville	333	323	367	10	(34)
	Newport	417	389	589	28	(172)
	Rutland	453	396	579	57	(126)
	St. Albans	418	374	554	44	(136)
	St. Johnsbury	254	207	357	47	(103)
	Springfield	168	168	216	0	(48)
White River	169	163	208	6	(39)	
Agent State	101	83	133	18	(32)	
Number of Benefit Payments	Regular UI	4,008	3,562	4,755	446	(747)
	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	4,008	3,562	4,755	446	(747)
Amount of Benefit Payments	Regular UI	\$1,428,255	\$1,293,089	\$1,644,968	135,166	(216,713)
	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	\$1,428,255	\$1,293,089	\$1,644,968	135,166	(216,713)
Trust Fund	Cash Balance	\$380,003,781	\$381,231,907	\$299,924,584	(1,228,126)	80,079,197
	Loan Balance	\$0	\$0	\$0	0	0
	Net Balance	\$380,003,781	\$381,231,907	\$299,924,584	(1,228,126)	80,079,197

II. TOTAL UNEMPLOYMENT RATE COMPARISON

State and National 1/ (SEASONALLY ADJUSTED)	Nov-2017	Oct-2017	Nov-2016	Change From:	
				Last Month	Last Year
Vermont	2.9%	2.9%	3.2%	0.0%	-0.3%
Connecticut	4.6%	4.5%	4.5%	0.1%	0.1%
Maine	3.3%	3.5%	3.8%	-0.2%	-0.5%
Massachusetts	3.6%	3.7%	3.1%	-0.1%	0.5%
New Hampshire	2.7%	2.7%	2.8%	0.0%	-0.1%
New Jersey	5.1%	4.9%	4.8%	0.2%	0.3%
New York	4.7%	4.8%	4.9%	-0.1%	-0.2%
Rhode Island	4.3%	4.2%	5.0%	0.1%	-0.7%
United States	4.1%	4.1%	4.6%	0.0%	-0.5%

NOTE: TOTAL UNEMPLOYMENT RATES REFLECT SEASONALLY ADJUSTED DATA.

^{1/} Excludes Armed Forces

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