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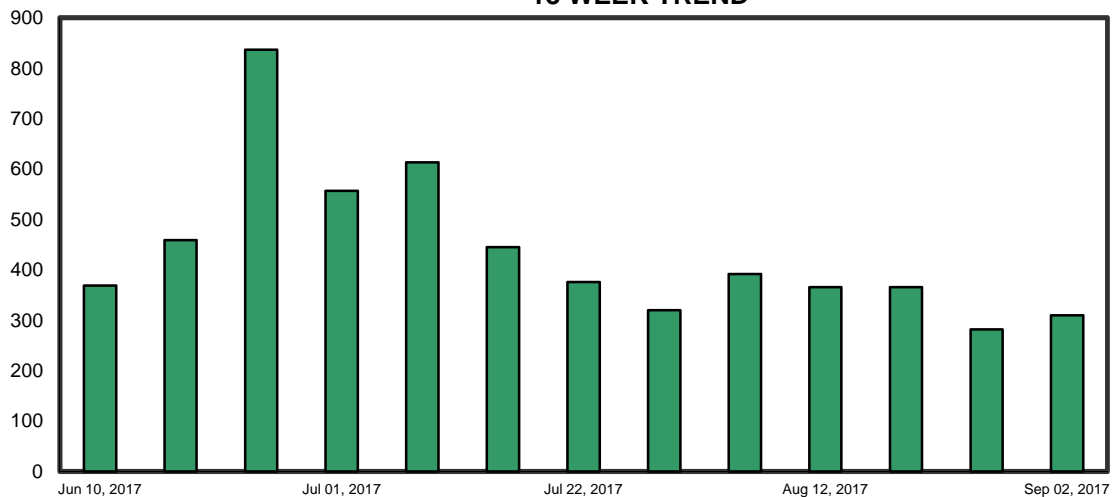
## WEEKLY UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE CLAIMS SUMMARY

Week of September 2, 2017

Claim Types	Benefit Programs	Current Data		Last Year	Change From:	
		09/02/2017	08/26/2017	09/03/2016	Last Week	Last Year
Initial Claims <sup>1/</sup>	Regular UI	310	282	362	28	-52
	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	3,028	3,340	3,527	-312	-499
	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	3,338	3,622	3,889	-284	-551
	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
	<b>Total All Programs</b>	<b>3,338</b>	<b>3,622</b>	<b>3,889</b>	<b>-284</b>	<b>-551</b>

\* Not tracked

### REGULAR UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE INITIAL CLAIMS 13 WEEK TREND



### Regular UI Initial Claims Distribution by Industry <sup>1/</sup>

	Current Data		
	09/02/2017	08/26/2017	09/03/2016
<b>Total Number</b>	<b>310</b>	<b>282</b>	<b>362</b>
Percentage Construction	13%	12%	13%
Percentage Manufacturing	17%	10%	22%
Percentage Services	50%	49%	44%
Percentage Trade	10%	16%	14%
Percentage Miscellaneous	10%	13%	7%

<sup>1/</sup> Includes First, Additional and Re-Open Claims

## I. UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE STATISTICS

Week of September 2, 2017

Activity	Program	09/02/2017	08/26/2017	09/03/2016	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	3,028 0 0 0 0 3,028	3,340 0 0 0 0 3,340	3,527 0 0 0 0 3,527	(312) 0 0 0 0 (312)	(499) 0 0 0 0 (499)
Regular Claims For Weeks of Unemployment by Labor Market Area and Agent State	Barre	295	359	478	(64)	(183)
	Bennington	264	287	200	(23)	64
	Brattleboro	171	177	164	(6)	7
	Burlington	660	744	798	(84)	(138)
	Middlebury	127	150	154	(23)	(27)
	Morrisville	145	157	185	(12)	(40)
	Newport	194	219	211	(25)	(17)
	Rutland	380	406	430	(26)	(50)
	St. Albans	312	321	305	(9)	7
	St. Johnsbury	139	161	169	(22)	(30)
	Springfield	124	123	149	1	(25)
	White River Agent State	125 92	142 94	134 150	(17) (2)	(9) (58)
Number of Benefit Payments	Regular UI	2,772	3,076	3,096	(304)	(324)
	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	2,772	3,076	3,096	(304)	(324)
Amount of Benefit Payments	Regular UI	\$896,081	\$963,123	\$941,244	(67,042)	(45,163)
	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	\$896,081	\$963,123	\$941,244	(67,042)	(45,163)
Trust Fund	Cash Balance	\$372,898,791	\$373,602,827	\$290,637,831	(704,036)	82,260,960
	Loan Balance	\$0	\$0	\$0	0	0
	Net Balance	\$372,898,791	\$373,602,827	\$290,637,831	(704,036)	82,260,960

## II. TOTAL UNEMPLOYMENT RATE COMPARISON

State and National 1/ (SEASONALLY ADJUSTED)	Jul-2017	Jun-2017	Jul-2016	Change From:	
				Last Month	Last Year
Vermont	3.1%	3.2%	3.3%	-0.1%	-0.2%
Connecticut	5.0%	5.0%	5.1%	0.0%	-0.1%
Maine	3.7%	3.5%	4.0%	0.2%	-0.3%
Massachusetts	4.3%	4.3%	3.6%	0.0%	0.7%
New Hampshire	2.8%	2.9%	2.9%	-0.1%	-0.1%
New Jersey	4.2%	4.1%	5.1%	0.1%	-0.9%
New York	4.7%	4.5%	4.9%	0.2%	-0.2%
Rhode Island	4.3%	4.2%	5.4%	0.1%	-1.1%
United States	4.3%	4.4%	4.9%	-0.1%	-0.6%

NOTE: TOTAL UNEMPLOYMENT RATES REFLECT SEASONALLY ADJUSTED DATA.

<sup>1/</sup> Excludes Armed Forces

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