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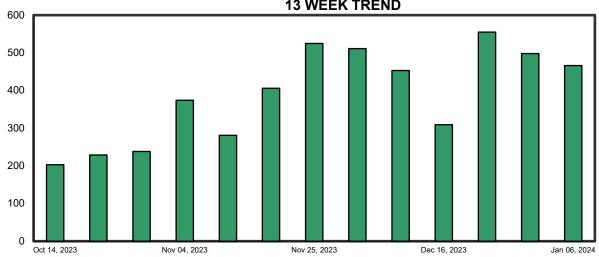
## WEEKLY UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE CLAIMS SUMMARY

Week of January 6, 2024

Claim Types	Benefit Programs <sup>2/</sup>	Current Data 1/		Last Year	Change From:	
		1/6/2024	12/30/2023	12/31/2022	Last Week	Last Year
Initial Claims <sup>3/</sup>	Regular UI	466	498	928	-32	-462
	State Extended Benefits	0	0	0	0	0
Continued	Regular UI	3,177	2,768	3,059	409	118
Claims	State Extended Benefits	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	Regular UI	3,643	3,266	3,987	377	-344
	State Extended Benefits	0	0	0	0	0
	Total All Programs	3,643	3,266	3,987	377	-344

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1/</sup> Filing week, typically representing unemployment during the prior week
<sup>2/</sup> To date, 188 Disaster Unemployment Assistance (DR-4720) applications have been received





Regular UI Initial Claims Distribution by Industry 3/							
	Current Data						
	1/6/2024	12/30/2023	12/31/2022				
Total Number	466	498	928				
Percentage Construction	29%	20%	24%				
Percentage Manufacturing	18%	18%	16%				
Percentage Services	33%	30%	32%				
Percentage Trade	6%	2%	3%				
Percentage Miscellaneous	14%	30%	25%				

<sup>3/</sup> Includes First, Additional and Re-Open Claims

## . UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE STATISTICS

Week of January 6, 2024

					Change From:	
Activity	Program	1/6/2024	12/30/2023	12/31/2022	Last Week	Last Year
Continued Claims for	Regular UI	3,177	2,768	3,059	409	118
Weeks of Unemployment	Extended Ben.	0	0	0	0	0
State Totals	Total	3,177	2,768	3,059	409	118
	Barre	482	341	382	141	100
	Bennington	215	215	166	0	49
	Brattleboro	109	106	111	3	(2)
Regular Continued	Burlington	650	573	566	77	84
Claims For Weeks	Middlebury	155	110	146	45	9
of Unemployment by	Morrisville	165	164	190	1	(25)
American Job Center	Newport	327	276	355	51	(28)
Service Area	Rutland	289	285	343	4	(54)
and	St. Albans	277	236	315	41	(38)
Agent State	St. Johnsbury	207	161	199	46	8
	Springfield	111	116	113	(5)	(2)
	White River	96	99	110	(3)	(14)
	Agent State	94	86	63	8	31
Number of	Regular UI	2,370	2,231	2,177	139	193
Benefit Payments	Extended Ben.	0	0	0	0	0
	Total	2,370	2,231	2,177	139	193
Amount of Benefit Payments	Regular UI	\$1,416,766	\$1,320,050	\$1,193,524	96,716	223,242
	Extended Ben.	\$0	\$0	\$0	0	0
	Total	\$1,416,766	\$1,320,050	\$1,193,524	96,716	223,242
	Cash Balance	\$275,182,542	\$275,764,174	\$257,204,749	(581,632)	17,977,792
Trust Fund 2/	Loan Balance	\$0	\$0	\$0	0	0
	Net Balance	\$275,182,542	\$275,764,174	\$257,204,749	(581,632)	17,977,792

## II. TOTAL UNEMPLOYMENT RATE COMPARISON

State and National <sup>1/</sup>					Change From:	
(SEASONALLY ADJUSTED)	Nov-2023	Oct-2023	Nov-2022	Last Month	Last Year	
Vermont	2.1%	2.0%	3.1%	0.1%	-1.0%	
Connecticut	3.6%	3.5%	4.0%	0.1%	-0.4%	
Maine	3.0%	2.8%	3.1%	0.2%	-0.1%	
Massachusetts	2.9%	2.8%	3.7%	0.1%	-0.8%	
New Hampshire	2.3%	2.1%	2.9%	0.2%	-0.6%	
New Jersey	4.7%	4.6%	3.3%	0.1%	1.4%	
New York	4.3%	4.2%	4.1%	0.1%	0.2%	
Rhode Island	2.9%	2.7%	3.3%	0.2%	-0.4%	
United States	3.7%	3.9%	3.6%	-0.2%	0.1%	

NOTE: TOTAL UNEMPLOYMENT RATES REFLECT SEASONALLY ADJUSTED DATA.

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

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2/</sup> Current week includes quarterly interest payment of \$1,836,333.35 received from the U.S. Treasury.