

# VERMONT DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

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## WEEKLY UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE CLAIMS SUMMARY

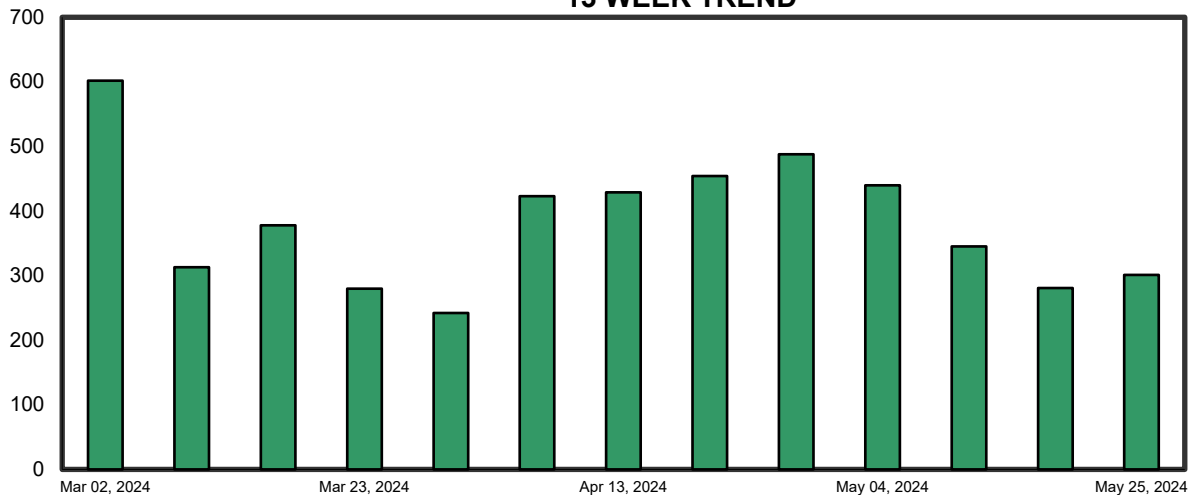
Week of May 25, 2024

Claim Types	Benefit Programs <sup>2/</sup>	Current Data <sup>1/</sup>		Last Year 5/27/2023	Change From:	
		5/25/2024	5/18/2024		Last Week	Last Year
Initial Claims <sup>3/</sup>	Regular UI	301	281	220	20	81
	State Extended Benefits	0	0	0	0	0
Continued Claims	Regular UI	2,162	2,222	2,294	-60	-132
	State Extended Benefits	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	Regular UI	2,463	2,503	2,514	-40	-51
	State Extended Benefits	0	0	0	0	0
	Total All Programs	2,463	2,503	2,514	-40	-51

<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 UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE INITIAL CLAIMS 13 WEEK TREND



### Regular UI Initial Claims Distribution by Industry <sup>3/</sup>

	Current Data		
	5/25/2024	5/18/2024	5/27/2023
<b>Total Number</b>	<b>301</b>	<b>281</b>	<b>220</b>
Percentage Construction	12%	4%	3%
Percentage Manufacturing	12%	7%	20%
Percentage Services	67%	74%	59%
Percentage Trade	5%	6%	7%
Percentage Miscellaneous	4%	9%	11%

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

## I. UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE STATISTICS

Week of May 25, 2024

Activity	Program	5/25/2024	5/18/2024	5/27/2023	Change From:	
					Last Week	Last Year
Continued Claims for Weeks of Unemployment State Totals	Regular UI	2,162	2,222	2,294	(60)	(132)
	Extended Ben.	0	0	0	0	0
	Total	2,162	2,222	2,294	(60)	(132)
Regular Continued Claims For Weeks of Unemployment by American Job Center Service Area and Agent State	Barre	227	241	232	(14)	(5)
	Bennington	188	231	213	(43)	(25)
	Brattleboro	117	117	135	0	(18)
	Burlington	485	443	411	42	74
	Middlebury	51	59	64	(8)	(13)
	Morrisville	186	198	188	(12)	(2)
	Newport	125	134	144	(9)	(19)
	Rutland	281	261	354	20	(73)
	St. Albans	139	156	142	(17)	(3)
	St. Johnsbury	80	87	120	(7)	(40)
Agent State	Springfield	138	141	142	(3)	(4)
	White River	65	76	77	(11)	(12)
	Agent State	80	78	72	2	8
	Regular UI	1,748	1,898	1,680	(150)	68
	Extended Ben.	0	0	0	0	0
Total	1,748	1,898	1,680	(150)	68	
Amount of Benefit Payments	Regular UI	\$1,008,643	\$1,120,940	\$930,905	(112,297)	77,738
	Extended Ben.	\$0	\$0	\$0	0	0
	Total	\$1,008,643	\$1,120,940	\$930,905	(112,297)	77,738
Trust Fund	Cash Balance	\$293,637,322	\$294,316,178	\$276,485,737	(678,856)	17,151,585
	Loan Balance	\$0	\$0	\$0	0	0
	Net Balance	\$293,637,322	\$294,316,178	\$276,485,737	(678,856)	17,151,585

## II. TOTAL UNEMPLOYMENT RATE COMPARISON

State and National <sup>1/</sup> (SEASONALLY ADJUSTED)	Apr-2024	Mar-2024	Apr-2023	Change From:	
				Last Month	Last Year
Vermont	2.1%	2.2%	1.7%	-0.1%	0.4%
Connecticut	4.4%	4.5%	3.3%	-0.1%	1.1%
Maine	3.1%	3.3%	2.4%	-0.2%	0.7%
Massachusetts	2.9%	2.9%	3.2%	0.0%	-0.3%
New Hampshire	2.6%	2.6%	1.8%	0.0%	0.8%
New Jersey	4.7%	4.8%	4.1%	-0.1%	0.6%
New York	4.2%	4.3%	3.9%	-0.1%	0.3%
Rhode Island	4.1%	4.1%	2.7%	0.0%	1.4%
United States	3.9%	3.8%	3.4%	0.1%	0.5%

NOTE: TOTAL UNEMPLOYMENT RATES REFLECT SEASONALLY ADJUSTED DATA.

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

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