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# ISLE OF MAN LABOUR MARKET

## NOVEMBER 2018



### KEY POINTS AS AT THE END OF NOVEMBER 2018

#### REGISTERED UNEMPLOYED

**330**

#### INCREASE IN NUMBER OF REGISTERED UNEMPLOYED

Unemployment has **increased** by 5 persons from the previous month (October 2018) and has **increased** by 11 persons compared to the same month last year (November 2017).

#### MOVEMENTS ONTO / OFF REGISTER

**5**

#### MORE MOVEMENTS ONTO THAN OFF UNEMPLOYMENT REGISTER

102 persons signed onto and 97 persons left the register over the month. The net movement was an increase of 5 persons on the register between November 2018 and October 2018.

#### UN-EMPLOYMENT RATE

**0.8%**

#### UNEMPLOYMENT % RATE

The unemployment rate for November 2018 is 0.8%, remaining the same as the previous month October 2018. The unemployment rate is the proportion of economically active population registered unemployed.

#### VACANCIES

**728**

#### DECREASE IN VACANCIES NOTIFIED TO THE JOB CENTRE

During the month 728 job vacancies were notified to the Job Centre. At the end of the month, 483 remained. 76% (367) were full time positions and 24% (116) were part time.

#### ILO ESTIMATE

**775**

#### INTERNATIONAL LABOUR ORGANISATION ESTIMATE OF UNEMPLOYMENT

It is estimated that 775 individuals are unemployed and looking for work in November 2018, compared with 770 in October 2018. This amounts to an unemployment rate of 1.8%. See Methodology section for further details.



223 Unemployed Males  
68%



107 Unemployed Females  
32%

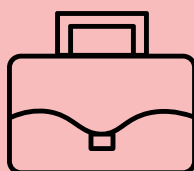
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## SECTORS WITH HIGHEST NUMBERS OF UNEMPLOYED PERSONS - NOVEMBER 2018



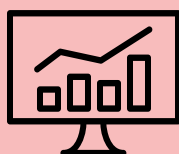
Retail Distribution  
21



Other Financial Institutions  
21



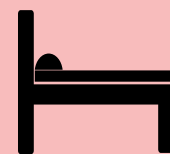
Medical and Health  
Services  
14



Other Business Services  
34



Construction - Unskilled  
20



Tourist Accommodation  
13

## SECTORS WITH HIGHEST NUMBERS OF JOB VACANCIES REMAINING - NOVEMBER 2018



Other Catering and  
Entertainment  
81



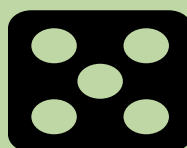
Miscellaneous Services  
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Medical and Health  
Services  
83



Retail Distribution  
60



E-Gaming  
41



Manufacturing  
30

## Registered Unemployment November 2018: Detailed Breakdown

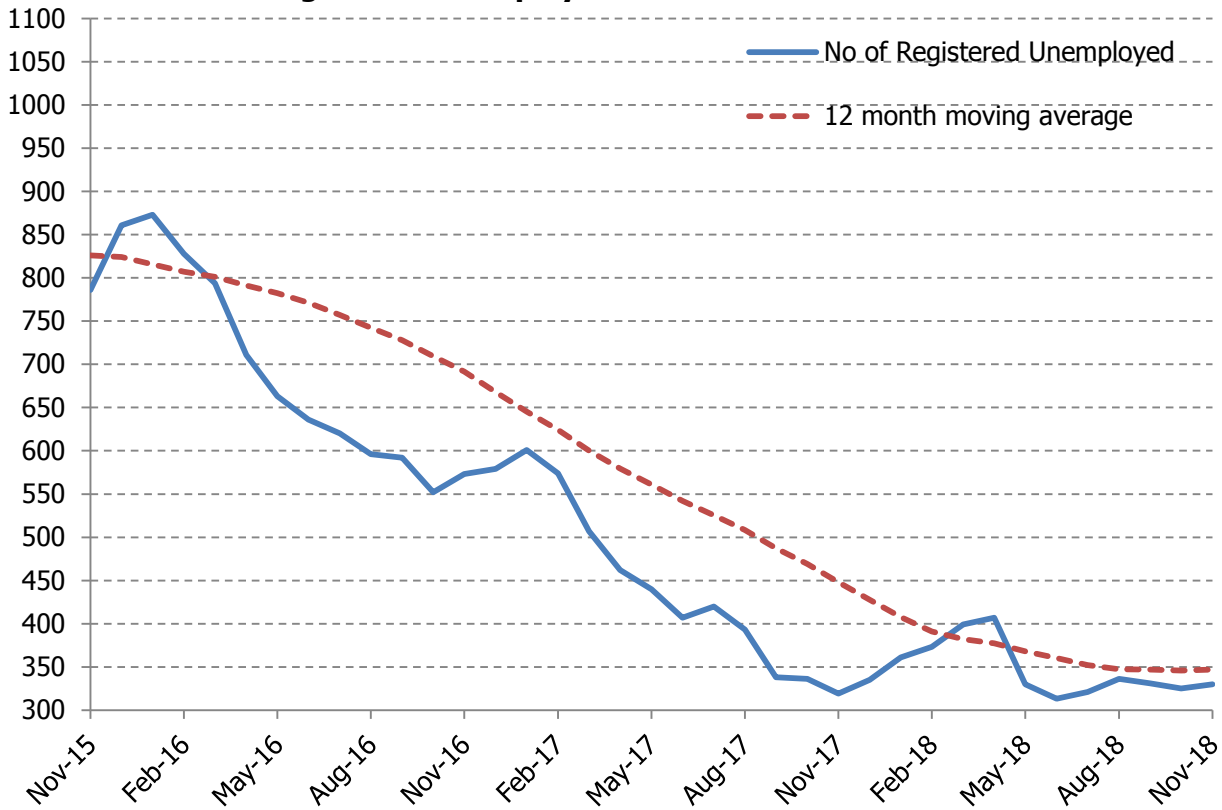
	<b>Current Month Nov-18</b>	<b>Last Month Oct-18</b>	<b>Net Change over Month</b>	<b>Last Year Nov-17</b>	<b>Net Change over Year</b>
<b>Total Unemployment :-</b>	<b>330</b>	<b>325</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>319</b>	<b>11</b>
Males	223	218	<b>5</b>	214	<b>9</b>
Females	107	107	<b>0</b>	105	<b>2</b>
<b>Included amongst the Unemployed are:-</b>					
Persons Requiring Work Permits	0	0	<b>0</b>	1	<b>-1</b>
Persons aged under 18	12	13	<b>-1</b>	17	<b>-5</b>
Claimants signing for credits only	3	4	<b>-1</b>	10	<b>-7</b>
<b>New Claimants</b>	<b>102</b>				
Males	66				
females	36				
<b>Claimants leaving the register</b>	<b>97</b>				
Males	61				
Females	36				

### Historic Isle of Man Registered Unemployment

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
<b>1998</b>	606	553	536	470	382	386	410	430	370	377	373	380
<b>1999</b>	406	390	330	271	249	223	268	234	235	231	228	258
<b>2000</b>	269	267	242	187	167	192	211	204	203	198	211	206
<b>2001</b>	255	229	192	173	154	157	178	182	149	165	187	211
<b>2002</b>	244	266	224	198	183	184	202	195	189	195	219	235
<b>2003</b>	263	284	293	249	236	273	332	369	301	329	334	327
<b>2004</b>	386	416	376	363	364	315	351	390	378	423	452	487
<b>2005</b>	543	552	542	561	556	517	582	569	577	563	589	591
<b>2006</b>	622	646	615	563	545	544	602	600	571	604	568	577
<b>2007</b>	586	616	552	624	569	594	614	633	593	611	562	571
<b>2008</b>	627	596	532	543	550	519	591	595	605	667	641	721
<b>2009</b>	926	980	947	925	915	922	967	981	901	888	885	878
<b>2010</b>	1,029	970	924	867	792	794	822	771	748	753	735	795
<b>2011</b>	856	867	891	843	806	846	890	830	890	910	971	979
<b>2012</b>	1,100	1,043	1,031	1,037	956	992	1,017	992	1,014	1,065	1,014	1,020
<b>2013</b>	1,176	1,181	1,208	1,108	1,072	1,056	1,055	1,028	1,022	1,064	1,117	1,159
<b>2014</b>	1,182	1,146	1,061	986	890	918	934	904	859	866	864	882
<b>2015</b>	973	930	865	834	768	768	790	776	765	774	786	861
<b>2016</b>	873	828	794	711	663	636	620	596	592	552	573	579
<b>2017</b>	601	574	507	462	440	407	420	393	338	336	319	335
<b>2018</b>	361	373	399	407	330	313	321	336	331	325	330	

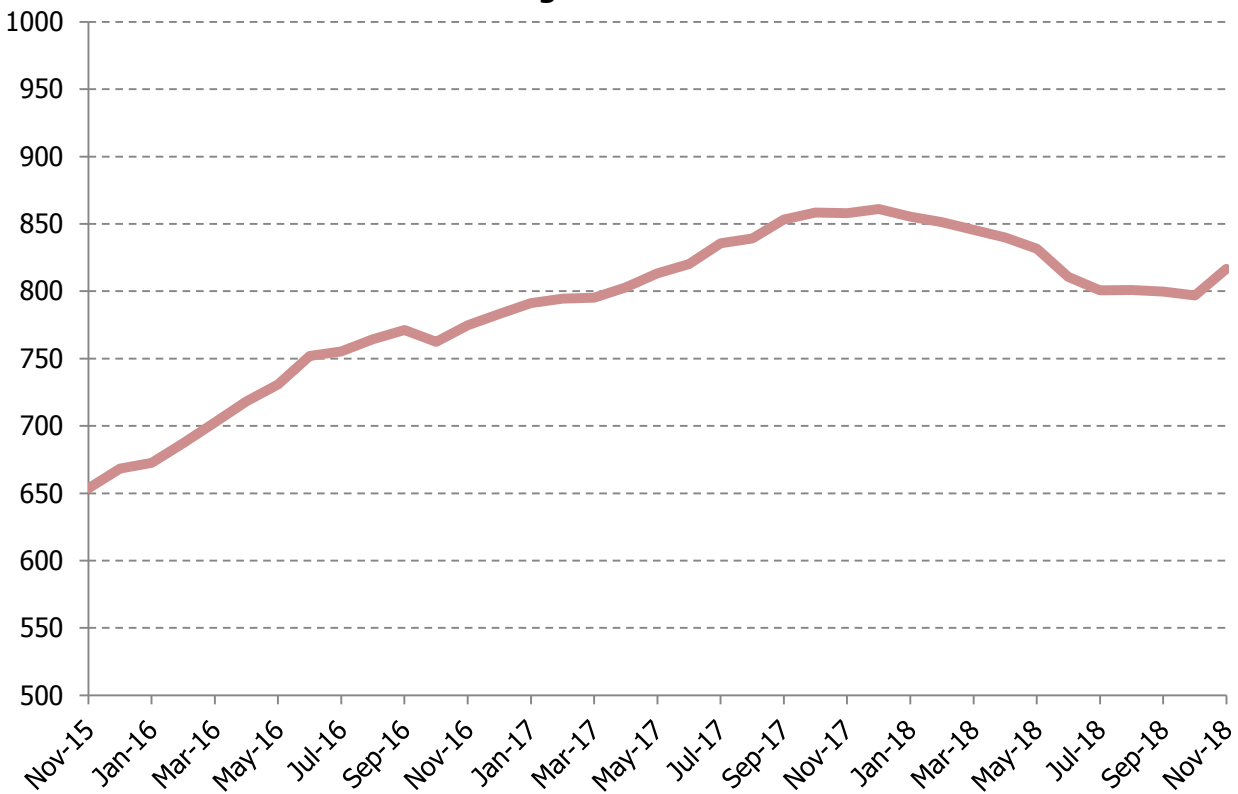
**Source:** Social Security, Treasury

### Number of Registered Unemployed – November 2015 to November 2018



Source: Social Security, Treasury

### Number of Vacancies Received During the Month – November 2015 to November 2018



Note: 12 month moving average

Source: Job Centre, Department of Economic Development

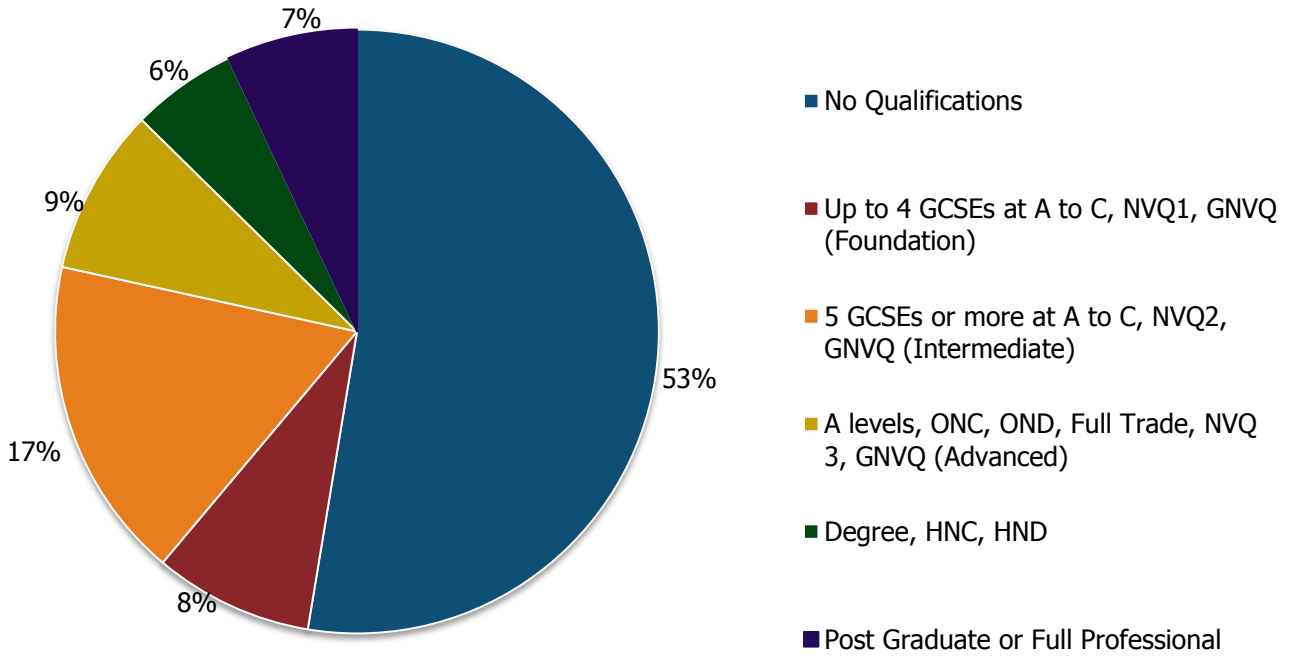
## Unemployment and Vacancies by Industrial Sector

Industrial Sector	Unemployed Persons			Vacancies Remaining Nov 18
	Nov-18	Oct-18	Nov-17	
Agriculture, Forestry & Fishing	4	4	6	7
Manufacturing	11	7	5	30
Construction skilled	7	10	14	19
Construction unskilled	20	15	17	1
Utilities	3	3	3	11
Transport & Communication	5	4	8	5
Wholesale Distribution	1	1	3	17
Retail Distribution	21	28	20	60
Insurance	4	2	4	16
Banking	10	11	2	10
Other Financial Institutions	21	12	9	6
Property Owning & Managing	0	0	0	0
Other Business Services	34	37	19	5
Information Communication Technology	3	3	6	9
Legal and Accountancy Services	3	4	2	6
Education / Teaching	3	3	4	18
Medical & Health Services	14	17	19	83
Tourist Accommodation	13	9	13	13
Other Professional or Technical Services	3	1	3	2
Other Catering & Entertainment	12	14	21	81
Film Production	0	0	0	0
E-Gaming	1	1	0	41
Miscellaneous Services	13	13	26	31
Public Administration	3	2	3	12
Leaving From Or Arriving On Island	13	15	19	n/a
Other Benefits, Training Centre, Prison	70	75	71	n/a
School Leavers, Students etc.	12	12	12	n/a
Not identified	26	22	10	n/a
<b>Total</b>	<b>330</b>	<b>325</b>	<b>319</b>	<b>483</b>

**Note:** Vacancies relate to those open at the end of the month.

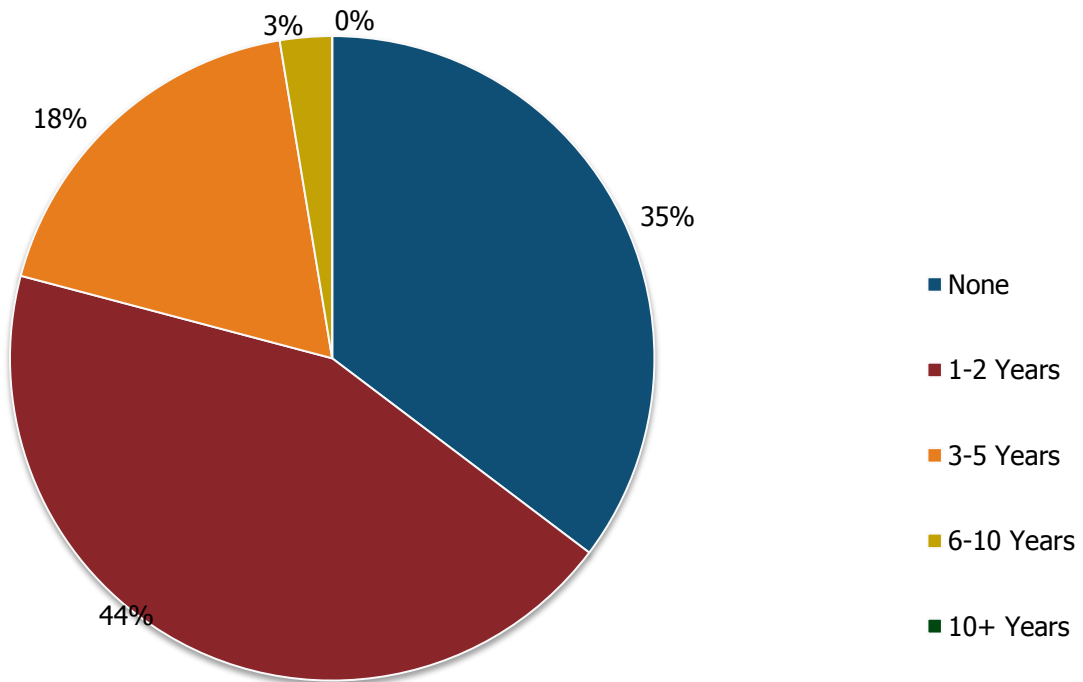
**Sources:** Job Centre, Department of Economic Development and Social Security, Treasury

### Vacancies by qualifications required



Source: Social Security, Treasury

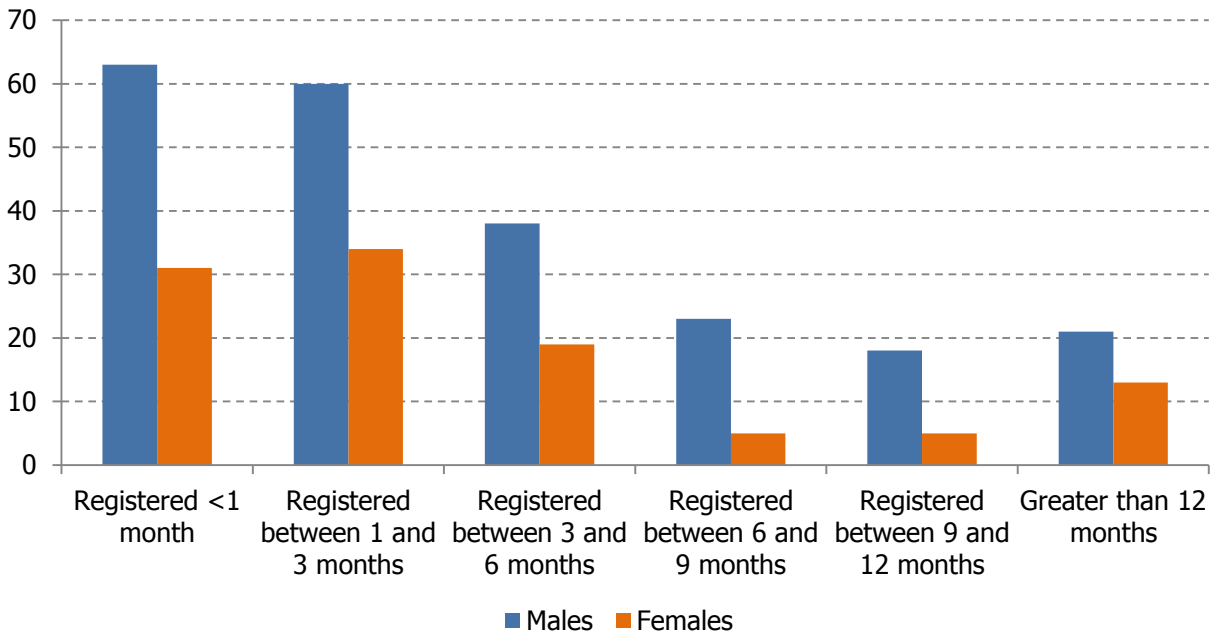
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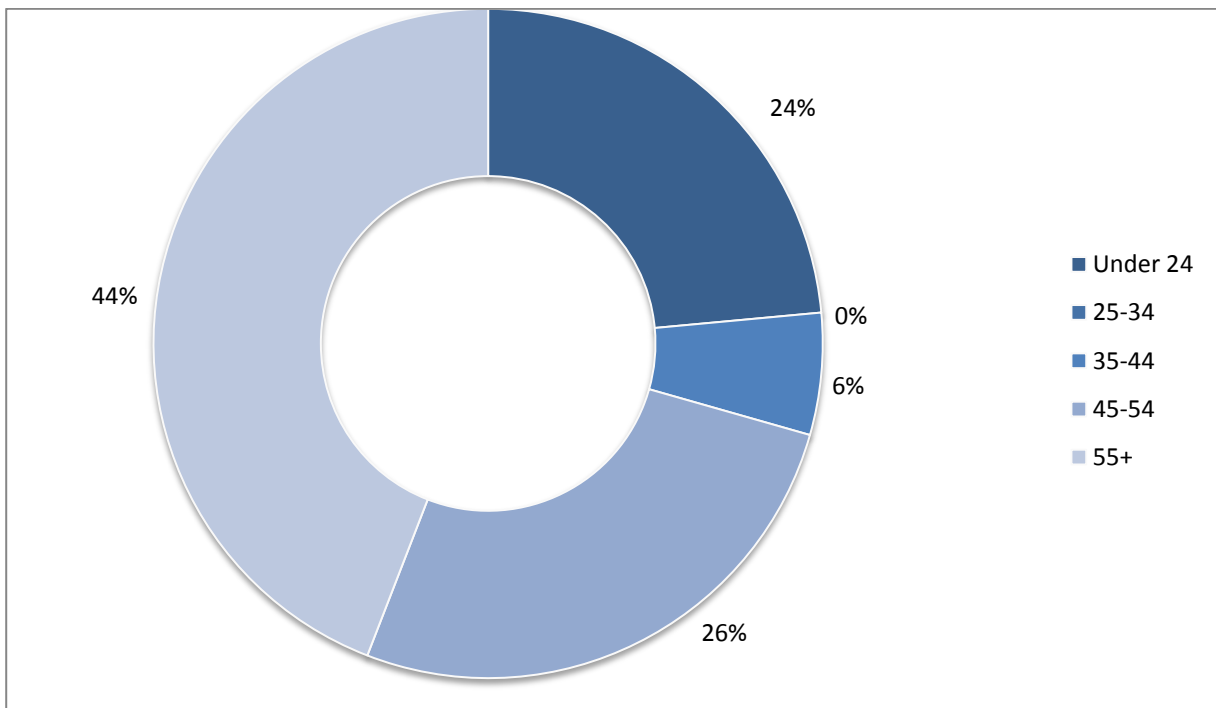
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### Unemployment by duration and gender



### Long Term Unemployed by Age



**Note:** Long term unemployed refers to those who have been unemployed for 12 months or longer.

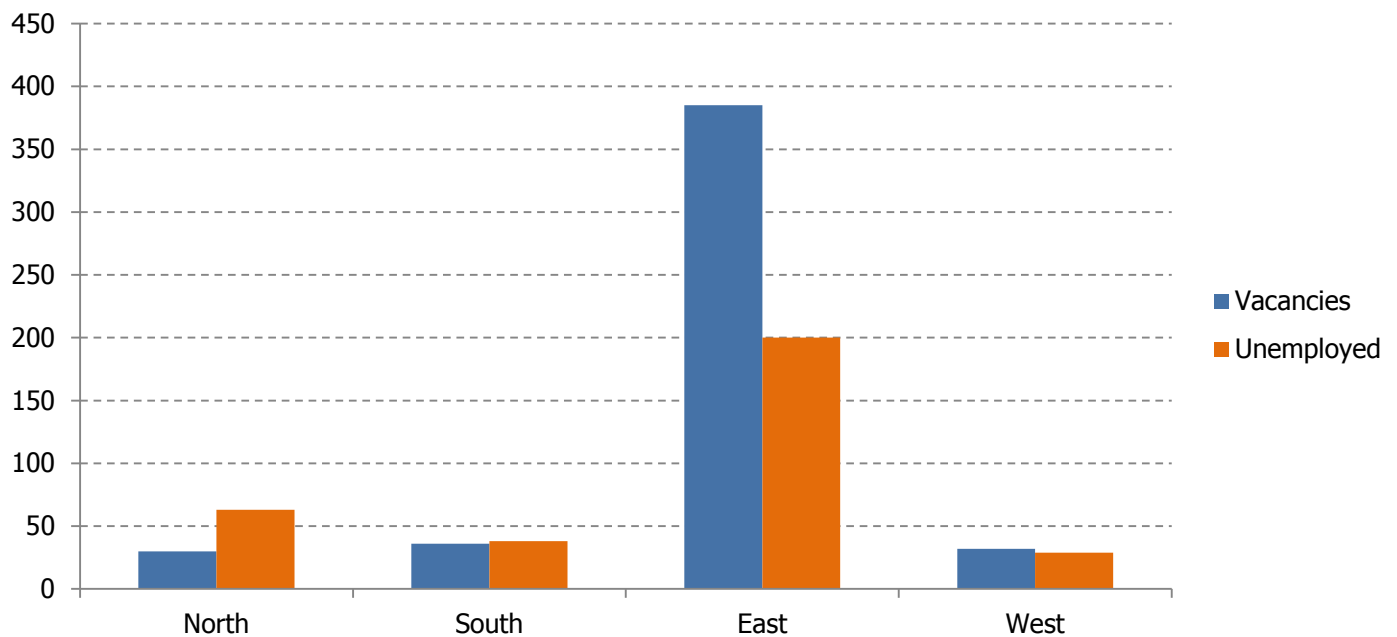
## Unemployment by Duration and Age of Claimant

	Under 20	20 - 29	30 - 39	40 - 49	50 - 59	60 and Over	Total
Less than 1 month	15	24	11	21	17	6	<b>94</b>
Over 1 and up to 3 months	16	27	14	7	22	8	<b>94</b>
Over 3 and up to 6 months	6	15	10	12	11	*	<b>57</b>
Over 6 and up to 1 year	*	20	*	10	8	6	<b>51</b>
Over 1 year and up to 2 years	*	7	*	*	6	*	<b>18</b>
Over 2 years and up to 4 years	*	*	*	*	*	*	<b>11</b>
Over 4 years	*	*	*	*	*	*	<b>5</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>94</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>66</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>330</b>

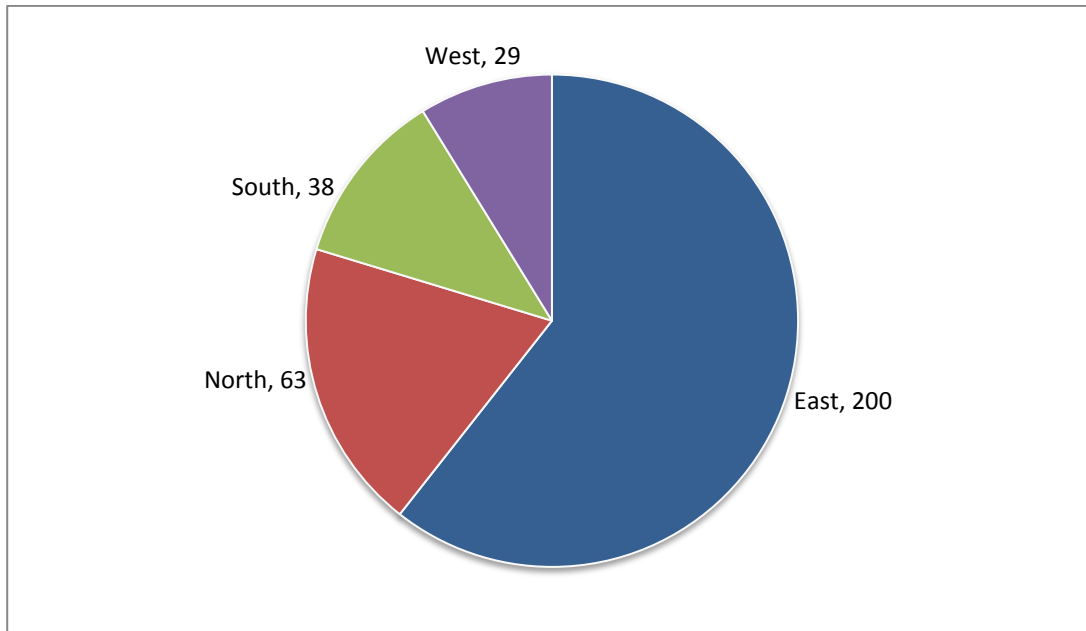
**Note:** The symbol \* has been used to represent figures of less than 5

**Source:** Job Centre, Department of Economic Development

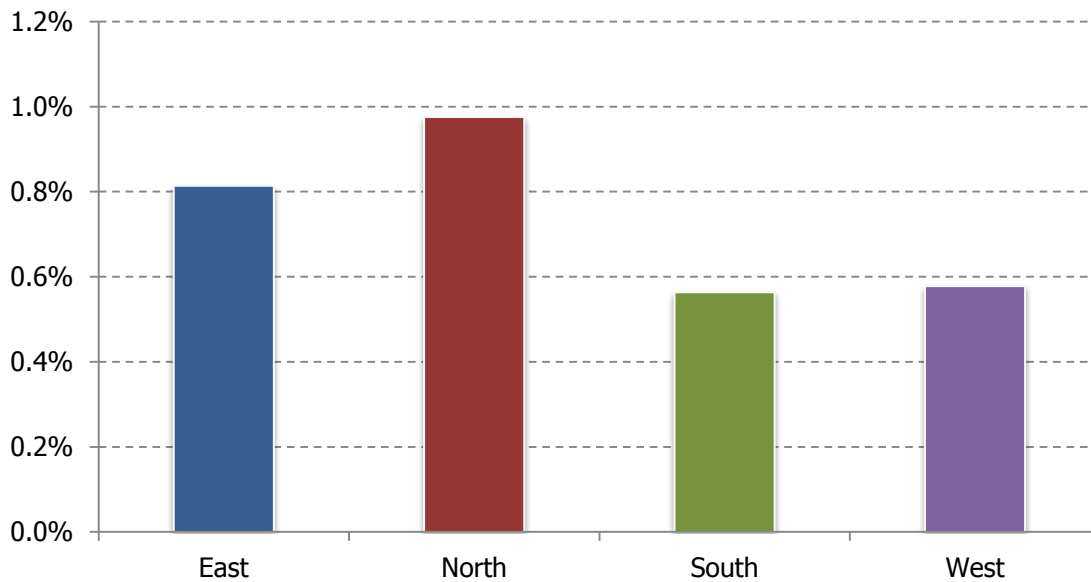
## Vacancies per Region by Unemployment per Region



## Unemployed Persons by Region



## Regional Unemployment Rates



**Source:** Social Security, Treasury

**Note:** The regional unemployment rates are the number of unemployed in each region as a proportion of the economically active in that region, as determined by the 2016 Census.

East	North	South	West
Douglas	Ramsey	Castletown	Peel
Laxey	Andreas	Port Erin	German
Onchan	Ballaugh	Port St Mary	Michael
Braddan	Bride	Arbory	Patrick
Lonan	Jurby	Malew	
Marown	Lezayre	Rushen	
Santon	Maughold		

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## METHODOLOGY AND CONTACTS



### METHODOLOGICAL NOTES

Registered unemployment is measured as a claimant count; those persons registered for Job Seekers Allowance (JSA). There is no legal requirement to register to receive Job Seekers Allowance.

International Labour Organisation (ILO) definition

There are two common measures of unemployment, which are the claimant count as detailed above, and the ILO definition which includes not only those who are registered as unemployed (such as claiming JSA) but also those who are not registered but may still be looking for work.

Historically the Island has only published the ILO definition of unemployment when census results have been made available. The estimate that has been included within this report is based upon an analysis of the ILO unemployment rate and the claimant count rate which has generated an estimate of the number of individuals that maybe unemployed and actively seeking work but not registered as doing so.

In February 2017, the economically active population which is used in the calculation of the unemployment rate has been updated to 42,777 in line with the 2016 Isle of Man Census. The previous economically active population was 44,607 from the 2011 Isle of Man Census.

Additional information may be supplied on request.

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