

Long-term unemployment

Persons unemployed for 12 months or more as a percentage of total unemployed

	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011
Australia	31.3	28.3	23.9	22.4	21.5	20.6	18.3	18.1	15.4	14.9	14.7	18.5	18.9
Austria	29.2	25.8	23.3	19.2	24.5	27.6	25.3	27.3	26.8	24.2	21.3	25.2	25.9
Belgium	60.5	56.3	51.7	48.8	45.4	49.0	51.7	51.2	50.4	47.6	44.2	48.8	48.3
Canada	11.7	11.3	9.5	9.6	10.0	9.5	9.6	8.7	7.4	7.1	7.8	12.0	13.5
Chile	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Czech Republic	37.1	48.8	52.7	50.7	49.9	51.8	53.6	55.2	53.4	50.2	31.2	43.3	41.6
Denmark	20.5	20.0	22.2	19.1	20.4	21.5	23.4	20.8	16.1	13.5	9.5	20.2	24.4
Estonia	48.9	46.3	48.3	52.9	45.9	52.2	53.4	48.2	49.5	30.9	27.4	45.4	56.8
Finland	29.6	29.0	26.2	24.4	24.7	23.4	24.9	24.8	23.0	18.2	16.6	23.6	22.6
France	38.7	39.6	36.8	32.7	39.2	40.6	41.0	41.9	40.2	37.4	35.2	40.2	41.4
Germany	51.7	51.5	50.4	47.9	50.0	51.8	53.0	56.4	56.6	52.5	45.5	47.4	48.0
Greece	55.3	56.4	52.8	51.3	54.9	53.1	52.1	54.3	50.0	47.5	40.8	45.0	49.6
Hungary	49.4	48.9	46.5	44.8	42.2	45.1	46.1	46.1	47.5	47.6	42.6	50.6	49.1
Iceland	11.7	11.8	12.5	11.1	8.1	11.2	13.3	7.3	8.0	4.1	6.9	21.3	27.8
Ireland	55.3	..	33.1	30.1	32.8	34.9	33.4	31.6	29.5	27.1	29.2	49.3	59.4
Israel	11.3	12.0	11.8	13.5	18.0	24.2	25.3	27.3	24.9	22.7	20.3	22.4	20.2
Italy	61.4	61.3	63.4	59.6	58.1	49.2	49.9	49.6	47.3	45.7	44.4	48.5	51.9
Japan	22.4	25.5	26.6	30.8	33.5	33.7	33.3	33.0	32.0	33.3	28.5	37.6	39.4
Korea	3.8	2.3	2.3	2.5	0.6	1.1	0.8	1.1	0.6	2.7	0.5	0.3	0.4
Luxembourg	32.3	22.4	28.4	27.4	24.7	21.0	26.4	29.5	28.7	32.4	23.1	29.3	28.8
Mexico	1.5	1.2	1.0	0.9	0.9	1.1	2.3	2.5	2.7	1.7	1.9	2.4	2.0
Netherlands	43.5	..	..	26.5	27.8	34.2	40.2	43.0	39.4	34.4	24.8	27.6	33.6
New Zealand	21.1	19.8	17.2	14.8	13.6	11.7	9.7	7.8	6.1	4.4	6.3	9.0	9.0
Norway	7.1	5.3	5.5	6.4	6.4	9.2	9.5	14.5	8.8	6.0	7.7	9.5	11.6
Poland	34.8	37.9	43.1	48.4	49.7	47.9	52.2	50.4	45.9	29.0	25.2	25.5	31.6
Portugal	41.2	42.9	38.1	34.6	35.0	44.3	48.2	50.2	47.1	47.4	44.1	52.3	48.2
Slovak Republic	47.7	54.6	53.7	59.8	61.2	60.6	68.1	73.1	70.8	66.0	50.9	59.3	63.9
Slovenia	..	..	..	55.6	52.8	51.5	47.3	49.3	45.7	42.2	30.1	43.3	44.2
Spain	46.3	42.4	36.9	33.7	33.6	32.0	24.5	21.7	20.4	17.9	23.7	36.6	41.6
Sweden	30.1	26.4	22.3	20.9	17.8	18.9	..	..	13.0	12.4	12.8	16.6	17.2
Switzerland	39.6	29.0	29.9	21.8	26.1	33.5	39.0	39.1	40.8	34.3	30.1	33.1	38.8
Turkey	28.2	21.1	21.3	29.4	24.4	39.2	39.4	35.7	30.3	26.9	25.3	28.6	26.5
United Kingdom	29.6	28.0	27.8	21.7	21.5	20.6	21.0	22.3	23.7	24.1	24.5	32.6	33.4
United States	6.8	6.0	6.1	8.5	11.8	12.7	11.8	10.0	10.0	10.6	16.3	29.0	31.3
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OECD	31.2	30.8	29.1	29.0	30.1	31.3	32.0	31.4	28.6	25.0	23.7	31.6	33.6
Brazil
China
India
Indonesia
Russian Federation	47.0	46.2	39.2	38.9	37.3	38.7	38.5	41.7	40.6	35.2	28.7	29.9	32.8
South Africa	68.4	68.5	68.4	65.1	63.7	59.5	57.7	49.5	49.3	56.1	58.8

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