

**MONTHLY REPORT OF
THE HUNGARIAN PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT SERVICE**

February 2005

Number of Registered Unemployed	2005 february	Changes compared to previous month		Changes compared to the same period	
		number	%	number	%
Registered unemployed total	439257	8999	2.1	37510	9.3
Unemployed school-leavers	37996	1353	3.7	6323	20.0
Younger than 25 years	67530	1706	2.6	5794	9.4
Male	237652	7107	3.1	20161	9.3
Female	201605	1892	0.9	17349	9.4
Blue-collar	366595	8612	2.4	29610	8.8
White-collar	72662	387	0.5	7900	12.2
Without qualification	218937	4392	2.0	16560	8.2
Graduate	16525	-54	-0.3	2334	16.4
Monthly inflow into unemployment	64347	-8314	-11.4	34	0.1
From this first time entries	10977	372	3.5	-792	-6.7
Registered longer than a year	100222	2344	2.4	10828	12.1
Ratio of long-term unemployed (%)	22.8	0.1*	-	0.5*	-
Average length of unemployment (day)	268.0	2	0.8	7	2.7

* %-point

Unemployment benefit	2005 february	Compared to previous month		Compared to the same period previous year	
		number	%	number	%
Recipients of unemployment benefit	133089	-511	-0.4	9244	7.5
Recipients of social assistance	142769	6913	5.1	15416	12.1
Outflow from unemployment benefit	30788	1590	5.4	1195	4.0
Outflow to work from unemployment benefit	6227	1051	20.3	-273	-4.2
Average monthly benefit (Ft/capita)	38292	408	1.1	2212	6.1
Vacancies					
Monthly inflow of vacancies	34741	4949	16.6	-10935	-23.9
Available vacancies during the month	68844	8390	13.9	-14986	-17.9
Number of unfilled vacancies at the end of the month	37321	3218	9.4	-13945	-27.2
LMP (January 2005)					
Labour market training	13893	-968	-6.5	-17687	-56.0
Wage subsidy	16374	-126	-0.8	-3772	-18.7
Public work programmes	13801	-2561	-15.7	-3689	-21.1
Total number of participants in active programmes	66724	-4339	-6.1	-28829	-30.2