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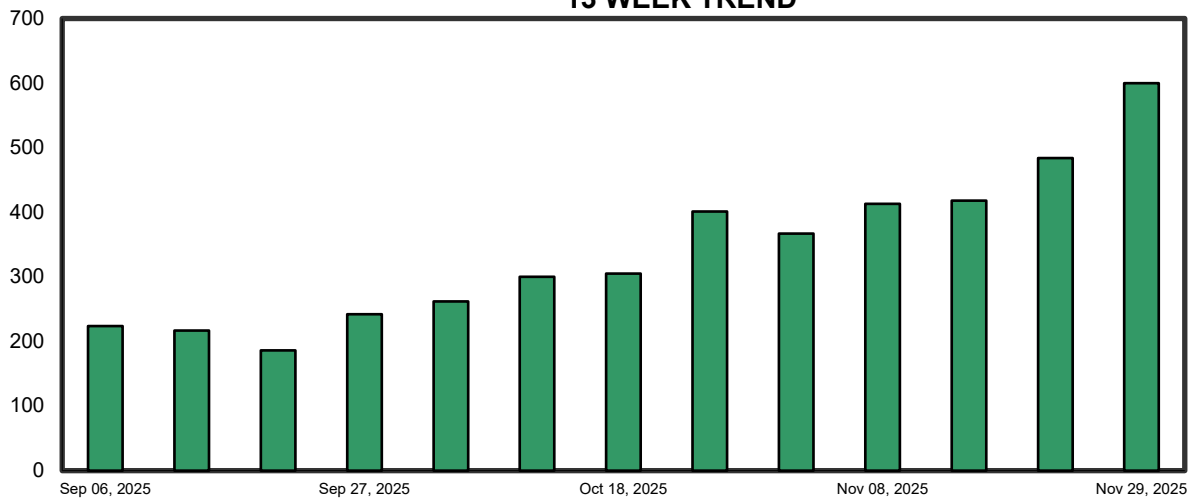
## WEEKLY UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE CLAIMS SUMMARY

Week of November 29, 2025

Claim Types	Benefit Programs <sup>2/</sup>	Current Data <sup>1/</sup>		Last Year 11/30/2024	Change From:	
		11/29/2025	11/22/2025		Last Week	Last Year
Initial Claims <sup>3/</sup>	Regular UI	600	484	599	116	1
	State Extended Benefits	0	0	0	0	0
Continued Claims	Regular UI	2,372	2,606	1,966	-234	406
	State Extended Benefits	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	Regular UI	2,972	3,090	2,565	-118	407
	State Extended Benefits	0	0	0	0	0
	Total All Programs	2,972	3,090	2,565	-118	407

<sup>1/</sup> Filing week, typically representing unemployment during the prior week

## REGULAR UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE INITIAL CLAIMS 13 WEEK TREND



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

	Current Data		
	11/29/2025	11/22/2025	11/30/2024
<b>Total Number</b>	<b>600</b>	<b>484</b>	<b>599</b>
Percentage Construction	18%	28%	16%
Percentage Manufacturing	8%	11%	16%
Percentage Services	47%	45%	42%
Percentage Trade	5%	8%	2%
Percentage Miscellaneous	22%	8%	24%

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

## I. UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE STATISTICS

Week of November 29, 2025

Activity	Program	11/29/2025	11/22/2025	11/30/2024	Change From:	
					Last Week	Last Year
Continued Claims for	Regular UI	2,372	2,606	1,966	(234)	406
Weeks of Unemployment	Extended Ben.	0	0	0	0	0
State Totals	Total	2,372	2,606	1,966	(234)	406
Regular Continued Claims For Weeks of Unemployment by American Job Center Service Area and Agent State	Barre	232	256	223	(24)	9
	Bennington	152	172	170	(20)	(18)
	Brattleboro	119	149	91	(30)	28
	Burlington	492	573	460	(81)	32
	Middlebury	105	111	73	(6)	32
	Morrisville	190	200	150	(10)	40
	Newport	283	280	159	3	124
	Rutland	209	234	191	(25)	18
	St. Albans	229	228	165	1	64
	St. Johnsbury	101	100	88	1	13
	Springfield	100	111	84	(11)	16
	White River	82	90	67	(8)	15
	Agent State	78	102	45	(24)	33
Number of Benefit Payments	Regular UI	1,918	2,068	1,435	(150)	483
	Extended Ben.	0	0	0	0	0
	Total	1,918	2,068	1,435	(150)	483
Amount of Benefit Payments	Regular UI	\$1,142,548	\$1,306,955	\$859,765	(164,407)	282,783
	Extended Ben.	\$0	\$0	\$0	0	0
	Total	\$1,142,548	\$1,306,955	\$859,765	(164,407)	282,783
Trust Fund	Cash Balance	\$327,687,176	\$328,614,931	\$313,096,618	(927,755)	14,590,559
	Loan Balance	\$0	\$0	\$0	0	0
	Net Balance	\$327,687,176	\$328,614,931	\$313,096,618	(927,755)	14,590,559

## II. TOTAL UNEMPLOYMENT RATE COMPARISON

State and National <sup>1/</sup> (SEASONALLY ADJUSTED)	Aug-2025	Jul-2025	Aug-2024	Change From:	
				Last Month	Last Year
Vermont	2.5%	2.6%	2.5%	-0.1%	0.0%
Connecticut	3.8%	3.8%	3.2%	0.0%	0.6%
Maine	3.2%	3.2%	3.2%	0.0%	0.0%
Massachusetts	4.8%	4.8%	4.2%	0.0%	0.6%
New Hampshire	3.0%	3.1%	2.6%	-0.1%	0.4%
New Jersey	5.0%	4.9%	4.6%	0.1%	0.4%
New York	4.0%	4.0%	4.4%	0.0%	-0.4%
Rhode Island	4.6%	4.8%	4.5%	-0.2%	0.1%
United States	4.3%	4.2%	4.2%	0.1%	0.1%

NOTE: TOTAL UNEMPLOYMENT RATES REFLECT SEASONALLY ADJUSTED DATA.

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

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