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Introduction

This Historical Supplement gives the latest complete seasonally adjusted unemployment series, by region, as published by the Department of Employment in tables 2.1 to 2.3 of the Labour Market Data section of *Employment Gazette*. The seasonally adjusted figures provide a consistent assessment of the trend in unemployment, estimated according to the current coverage of the monthly count of benefit claimants.

The *Employment Gazette* articles listed below provide further information about the unemployment count and the changes in coverage which have been taken into account in constructing the seasonally adjusted series. In particular, a special feature on p 660 of the December 1988 issue describes the latest revisions to the series, which now relates to claimants aged 18 and over following the change in benefit regulations for young people in September 1988.

National and regional unemployment rates incorporate the latest revisions to the denominators using the preliminary results of the 1988 Labour Force Survey. Later revisions will be made in the light of the 1987 Census of Employment results.

Tables 1 and 2 show the seasonally adjusted series back to January 1971 for the United Kingdom and Great Britain respectively. Tables 3 to 14 show the regional series. The series for Scotland, Wales and the English regions go back to April 1974 while the series for Northern Ireland is provided back to January 1971.

The up-to-date series continue to be available, using computer terminals from the National On-line Manpower Information System (NOMIS) run by Durham University. These data are also available on request from Statistics Division B, Room 428, Caxton House, Tothill Street, London SW1H 9NF.

Conventions

- .. Not available – nil or negligible (less than half the final digit shown)

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Employment Gazette articles on unemployment statistics

The following articles, published in *Employment Gazette*, give further background information on the unemployment statistics published in this supplement.

- Compilation of the unemployment statistics
Changed basis of the unemployment statistics
Unemployment adjusted for discontinuities and seasonality
Change in the compilation of the monthly unemployment statistics
Changes affecting the unemployment count
Measures of unemployment and characteristics of the unemployed
Unemployment statistics: revisions to the seasonally adjusted series

- p 389 September 1982
p S20 December 1982
p 274 July 1985
p 107 March/April 1986
p 422 October 1986
p 534 October 1988
p 660 December 1988

Table 1 Unemployment - seasonally adjusted, consistent with current coverage, United Kingdom

	Male	Female	All	Change since previous month	Average change over previous 3 months	Average change over previous 6 months	Thousands			Per cent
							Male	Female	All	
1971	565.7	89.7	655.4	...	...	...	3.5	1.0	2.6	
1972	620.7	105.6	726.3	...	...	...	3.8	1.2	2.9	
1973	435.8	81.3	517.1	...	...	...	2.7	0.9	2.0	
1974	441.7	78.7	520.4	...	...	...	2.7	0.8	2.0	
1975	661.4	136.8	798.2	...	...	...	4.1	1.4	3.1	
1976	867.3	225.9	1,093.3	...	...	...	5.3	2.3	4.2	
1977	890.0	272.7	1,162.7	...	...	...	5.5	2.7	4.4	
1978	852.8	292.9	1,145.7	...	...	...	5.3	2.9	4.3	
1979	779.0	296.8	1,075.8	...	...	...	4.8	2.9	4.0	
1980	982.0	383.7	1,365.7	...	...	...	6.0	3.6	5.1	
1981	1,598.2	575.4	2,173.6	...	...	...	11.5	6.5	9.5	
1982	1,866.6	680.1	2,546.7	...	...	...	12.5	7.4	10.5	
1983	2,012.3	778.1	2,790.5	...	...	...	12.6	7.9	10.7	
1984	2,058.2	862.4	2,920.6	...	...	...	12.8	8.2	10.9	
1985	2,114.3	921.4	3,035.7	...	...	...	13.0	8.4	11.1	
1986	2,148.3	958.9	3,107.2	...	...	...	11.9	7.3	10.0	
1987	1,971.0	851.3	2,822.3	...	...	...	9.7	5.8	8.0	
1988	1,607.2	687.3	2,294.5	...	...	...	
1971	Jan	465.7	72.5	538.2	...	...	2.9	0.8	2.1	
	Feb	480.6	76.4	557.0	18.8	...	2.9	0.9	2.2	
	Mar	497.8	80.7	578.5	21.5	...	3.1	0.9	2.3	
	Apr	523.0	81.3	604.3	25.8	22.0	3.2	0.9	2.4	
	May	558.7	88.2	646.9	42.6	30.0	3.4	1.0	2.6	
	June	571.0	89.6	660.6	13.7	27.4	3.5	1.0	2.6	
	July	580.5	89.7	670.2	9.6	22.0	3.6	1.0	2.7	
	Aug	587.3	90.3	677.6	7.4	10.2	3.6	1.0	2.7	
	Sept	597.3	95.1	692.4	14.8	10.6	3.7	1.1	2.7	
	Oct	621.1	100.4	721.5	29.1	17.1	3.8	1.1	2.9	
	Nov	648.7	105.0	753.7	32.2	25.4	4.0	1.2	3.0	
	Dec	656.4	107.3	763.7	10.0	23.8	4.0	1.2	3.0	
1972	Jan	655.3	104.8	760.1	-3.6	12.9	4.0	1.2	3.0	
	Feb	667.7	107.0	774.7	14.6	7.0	4.1	1.2	3.1	
	Mar	676.0	110.2	786.2	11.5	7.5	4.2	1.2	3.1	
	Apr	670.9	111.8	782.7	-3.5	7.5	4.1	1.2	3.1	
	May	642.3	110.2	752.5	-30.2	-7.4	4.0	1.2	3.0	
	June	621.4	107.4	728.8	-23.7	-19.1	3.8	1.2	2.9	
	July	613.3	105.0	718.3	-10.5	-21.5	3.8	1.2	2.8	
	Aug	601.1	103.1	704.2	-14.1	-16.1	3.7	1.1	2.8	
	Sept	601.2	102.3	703.5	-0.7	-8.4	3.7	1.1	2.8	
	Oct	584.6	102.3	686.9	-16.6	-10.5	3.6	1.1	2.7	
	Nov	569.9	102.4	672.3	-14.6	-10.6	3.5	1.1	2.7	
	Dec	544.7	100.6	645.3	-27.0	-19.4	3.4	1.1	2.6	
1973	Jan	514.8	94.6	609.4	-35.9	-25.8	3.2	1.0	2.4	
	Feb	488.9	91.3	580.2	-29.2	-30.7	3.0	1.0	2.3	
	Mar	475.8	90.2	566.0	-14.2	-26.4	2.9	1.0	2.2	
	Apr	463.1	89.8	552.9	-13.1	-18.8	2.8	1.0	2.2	
	May	456.3	87.0	543.3	-9.6	-12.3	2.8	0.9	2.1	
	June	449.5	86.4	535.9	-7.4	-10.0	2.8	0.9	2.1	
	July	430.8	81.3	512.1	-23.8	-13.6	2.7	0.9	2.0	
	Aug	416.7	77.8	494.5	-17.6	-16.3	2.6	0.8	1.9	
	Sept	401.6	74.1	475.7	-18.8	-20.1	2.5	0.8	1.9	
	Oct	391.0	70.5	461.5	-14.2	-16.9	2.4	0.8	1.8	
	Nov	379.0	67.0	446.0	-15.5	-16.2	2.3	0.7	1.7	
	Dec	362.0	65.4	427.4	-18.6	-16.1	2.2	0.7	1.7	
1974	Jan	402.8	71.0	473.8	46.4	4.1	-6.4	0.7	1.8	
	Feb	418.6	73.5	492.1	18.3	15.4	-0.4	0.8	1.9	
	Mar	426.4	74.1	500.5	8.4	24.4	4.1	0.8	1.9	
	Apr	425.4	78.7	504.1	3.6	10.1	2.6	0.8	2.0	
	May	423.3	77.6	500.9	-3.2	2.9	2.6	0.8	2.0	
	June	434.2	81.4	515.6	14.7	5.0	14.7	0.8	2.0	
	July	438.6	78.8	517.4	1.8	4.4	2.7	0.8	2.0	
	Aug	454.1	81.5	535.6	18.2	11.6	2.8	0.8	2.1	
	Sept	458.8	83.0	541.8	6.2	8.7	2.9	0.9	2.1	
	Oct	466.1	80.0	546.1	4.3	9.6	2.9	0.8	2.1	
	Nov	470.6	80.9	551.5	5.4	5.3	2.9	0.8	2.1	
	Dec	481.2	84.3	565.5	14.0	7.9	3.0	0.9	2.2	
1975	Jan	504.4	90.2	594.6	29.1	16.2	3.1	0.9	2.3	
	Feb	520.2	96.5	616.7	22.1	21.7	3.2	1.0	2.4	
	Mar	544.0	105.5	649.5	32.8	28.0	3.4	1.1	2.5	
	Apr	578.5	112.7	691.2	41.7	32.2	3.6	1.2	2.7	
	May	617.7	125.2	742.9	51.7	42.1	3.8	1.3	2.9	
	June	649.6	133.1	782.7	39.8	44.4	4.0	1.4	3.0	
	July	684.7	140.7	825.4	42.7	44.7	4.2	1.4	3.2	
	Aug	708.0	145.9	853.9	28.5	37.0	4.4	1.5	3.3	
	Sept	734.1	153.9	888.0	34.1	35.1	4.5	1.6	3.4	
	Oct	773.4	171.2	944.6	56.6	39.7	4.8	1.8	3.6	
	Nov	801.1	180.0	981.1	36.5	42.4	5.0	1.9	3.8	
	Dec	820.8	187.2	1,008.0	26.9	40.0	5.1	1.9	3.9	
1976	Jan	837.9	194.6	1,032.5	24.5	29.3	5.2	2.0	4.0	
	Feb	849.6	203.8	1,053.4	20.9	24.1	5			

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1977	Jan 870.5	253.1	1,123.6	3.1	4.4	3.3	5.4	2.5	4.3	
	Feb 866.3	253.1	1,119.4	-4.2	0.6	0.4	5.3	2.5	4.3	
	Mar 865.6	255.1	1,120.7	1.3	0.1	0.6	5.3	2.6	4.3	
	Apr 872.5	257.9	1,130.4	9.7	2.3	3.4	5.4	2.6	4.3	
	May 872.2	259.8	1,132.0	1.6	4.2	2.4	5.4	2.6	4.3	
	June 893.3	268.5	1,161.8	29.8	13.7	6.9	5.5	2.7	4.4	
	July 901.0	279.4	1,180.4	18.6	16.7	9.5	5.6	2.8	4.5	
	Aug 903.8	280.3	1,184.1	3.7	17.4	10.8	5.6	2.8	4.5	
	Sept 914.2	289.1	1,203.3	19.2	13.8	13.8	5.6	2.9	4.6	
	Oct 911.4	289.9	1,201.3	-2.0	7.0	11.8	5.6	2.9	4.6	
	Nov 907.4	292.3	1,199.7	-1.6	5.2	11.3	5.6	2.9	4.6	
	Dec 901.8	293.4	1,195.2	-4.5	-2.7	5.6	5.6	2.9	4.6	
1978	Jan 891.2	289.6	1,180.8	-14.4	-6.8	0.1	5.5	2.9	4.5	
	Feb 877.4	286.9	1,164.3	-16.5	-11.8	-3.3	5.4	2.8	4.4	
	Mar 874.4	287.3	1,161.7	-2.6	-11.2	-6.9	5.4	2.8	4.4	
	Apr 868.8	292.4	1,161.2	-0.5	-6.5	-6.7	5.4	2.9	4.4	
	May 862.4	291.4	1,153.8	-7.4	-3.5	-7.7	5.3	2.9	4.4	
	June 858.4	294.5	1,152.9	-0.9	-2.9	-7.1	5.3	2.9	4.4	
	July 853.1	294.6	1,147.7	-5.2	-4.5	-5.5	5.3	2.9	4.4	
	Aug 853.6	300.5	1,154.1	6.4	0.1	-1.7	5.3	3.0	4.4	
	Sept 843.0	297.7	1,140.7	-13.4	-4.1	-3.5	5.2	2.9	4.3	
	Oct 831.3	296.4	1,127.7	-13.0	-6.7	-5.6	5.1	2.9	4.3	
	Nov 814.4	292.4	1,106.8	-20.9	-15.8	-7.8	5.0	2.9	4.2	
	Dec 805.5	290.9	1,096.4	-10.4	-14.8	-9.4	5.0	2.9	4.2	
1979	Jan 810.4	291.9	1,102.3	5.9	-8.5	-7.6	5.0	2.8	4.1	
	Feb 826.0	295.6	1,121.6	19.3	4.9	-5.4	5.1	2.8	4.2	
	Mar 822.1	296.6	1,118.7	-2.9	7.4	-3.7	5.1	2.9	4.2	
	Apr 796.9	292.2	1,089.1	-29.6	-4.4	-6.4	4.9	2.8	4.1	
	May 790.2	298.3	1,088.5	-0.6	-11.0	-3.1	4.9	2.9	4.1	
	June 771.8	297.2	1,069.0	-19.5	-16.6	-4.6	4.8	2.9	4.0	
	July 765.7	300.4	1,066.1	-2.9	-7.7	-6.0	4.7	2.9	4.0	
	Aug 755.2	296.3	1,051.5	-14.6	-12.3	-11.7	4.7	2.8	3.9	
	Sept 751.0	295.7	1,046.7	-4.8	-7.4	-12.0	4.6	2.8	3.9	
	Oct 755.9	298.0	1,053.9	7.2	-4.1	-5.9	4.7	2.9	4.0	
	Nov 748.5	297.2	1,045.7	-8.2	-1.9	-7.1	4.6	2.9	3.9	
	Dec 754.0	302.4	1,056.4	10.7	3.2	-2.1	4.6	2.9	4.0	
1980	Jan 763.4	310.4	1,073.8	17.4	6.6	1.3	4.7	3.0	4.0	
	Feb 788.1	320.2	1,108.3	34.5	20.9	9.5	4.8	3.0	4.1	
	Mar 807.7	330.1	1,137.8	29.5	27.1	15.2	4.9	3.1	4.2	
	Apr 844.5	341.4	1,185.9	48.1	37.4	22.0	5.2	3.2	4.4	
	May 871.7	352.7	1,224.4	38.5	38.7	29.8	5.3	3.4	4.6	
	June 911.8	363.4	1,275.2	50.8	45.8	36.5	5.6	3.5	4.8	
	July 963.4	379.2	1,342.6	67.4	52.2	44.8	5.9	3.6	5.0	
	Aug 1,031.9	402.9	1,434.8	92.2	70.1	54.4	6.3	3.8	5.3	
	Sept 1,091.8	417.5	1,509.3	74.5	78.0	61.9	6.7	4.0	5.6	
	Oct 1,157.2	439.2	1,596.4	87.1	84.6	68.4	7.1	4.2	5.9	
	Nov 1,243.1	462.9	1,706.0	109.6	90.4	80.3	7.6	4.4	6.4	
	Dec 1,309.8	484.6	1,794.4	88.4	95.0	86.5	8.0	4.6	6.7	
1981	Jan 1,360.1	501.0	1,861.1	66.7	88.2	86.4	8.3	4.8	7.0	
	Feb 1,413.0	516.7	1,929.7	68.6	74.6	82.5	8.6	5.0	7.2	
	Mar 1,470.6	532.4	2,003.0	73.3	69.5	82.3	9.0	5.1	7.5	
	Apr 1,519.6	548.4	2,068.0	65.0	69.0	78.6	9.3	5.3	7.7	
	May 1,571.0	559.4	2,130.4	62.4	66.9	70.7	9.6	5.4	8.0	
	June 1,606.5	570.9	2,177.4	47.0	58.1	63.8	9.8	5.5	8.1	
	July 1,642.7	584.1	2,226.8	49.4	52.9	61.0	10.0	5.6	8.3	
	Aug 1,669.5	595.5	2,265.0	38.2	44.9	55.9	10.2	5.7	8.5	
	Sept 1,696.9	609.6	2,306.5	41.5	43.0	50.6	10.4	5.9	8.6	
	Oct 1,721.7	620.5	2,342.2	35.7	38.5	45.7	10.5	6.0	8.8	
	Nov 1,746.1	631.3	2,377.4	35.2	37.5	41.2	10.7	6.1	8.9	
	Dec 1,760.2	635.4	2,395.6	18.2	29.7	36.4	10.8	6.1	9.0	
1982	Jan 1,785.6	640.2	2,425.8	30.2	27.9	33.2	11.0	6.1	9.1	
	Feb 1,791.7	646.5	2,438.2	12.4	20.3	28.9	11.0	6.2	9.1	
	Mar 1,797.4	652.4	2,449.8	11.6	18.1	23.9	11.1	6.3	9.2	
	Apr 1,816.8	660.9	2,477.7	27.9	17.3	22.6	11.2	6.3	9.3	
	May 1,827.7	665.0	2,492.7	15.0	18.2	19.2	11.2	6.4	9.3	
	June 1,849.8	673.3	2,523.1	30.4	24.4	21.3	11.4	6.5	9.5	
	July 1,873.2	680.2	2,553.4	30.3	25.2	21.3	11.5	6.5	9.6	
	Aug 1,892.7	689.4	2,582.1	28.7	29.8	24.0	11.6	6.6	9.7	
	Sept 1,909.5	698.6	2,608.1	26.0	28.3	26.4	11.7	6.7	9.8	
	Oct 1,931.6	709.8	2,641.4	33.3	29.3	27				

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1984	Jan	2,026.7	826.7	2,853.4	10.2	10.5	7.2	12.4	7.6	10.5
	Feb	2,039.5	837.3	2,876.8	23.4	15.2	11.6	12.5	7.6	10.6
	Mar	2,043.9	844.2	2,888.1	11.3	15.0	12.1	12.5	7.7	10.6
	Apr	2,034.3	844.4	2,878.7	-9.4	8.4	9.5	12.5	7.7	10.6
	May	2,043.6	851.5	2,895.1	16.4	6.1	10.7	12.5	7.8	10.6
	June	2,044.0	856.9	2,900.9	5.8	4.3	9.6	12.5	7.8	10.6
	July	2,053.4	863.9	2,917.3	16.4	12.9	10.7	12.6	7.9	10.7
	Aug	2,060.8	870.1	2,930.9	13.6	11.9	9.0	12.6	7.9	10.7
	Sept	2,077.8	880.4	2,958.2	27.3	19.1	11.7	12.7	8.0	10.8
	Oct	2,087.1	885.1	2,972.2	14.0	18.3	15.6	12.8	8.1	10.9
	Nov	2,092.8	891.9	2,984.7	12.5	17.9	14.9	12.8	8.1	10.9
	Dec	2,094.6	896.8	2,991.4	6.7	11.1	15.1	12.8	8.2	11.0
1985	Jan	2,100.2	900.4	3,000.6	9.2	9.5	13.9	12.7	8.0	10.8
	Feb	2,114.1	905.1	3,019.2	18.6	11.5	14.7	12.8	8.0	10.9
	Mar	2,107.3	907.7	3,015.0	-4.2	7.9	9.5	12.7	8.1	10.8
	Apr	2,118.8	918.4	3,037.2	22.2	12.2	10.8	12.8	8.2	10.9
	May	2,118.2	921.7	3,039.9	2.7	6.9	9.2	12.8	8.2	10.9
	June	2,107.9	919.7	3,027.6	-12.3	4.2	6.0	12.7	8.2	10.9
	July	2,110.2	923.1	3,033.3	5.7	-1.3	5.5	12.7	8.2	10.9
	Aug	2,112.5	925.4	3,037.9	4.6	-0.7	3.1	12.8	8.2	10.9
	Sept	2,114.3	929.9	3,044.2	6.3	5.5	4.9	12.8	8.3	10.9
	Oct	2,118.3	932.4	3,050.7	6.5	5.8	2.3	12.8	8.3	11.0
	Nov	2,119.3	933.4	3,052.7	2.0	4.9	2.1	12.8	8.3	11.0
	Dec	2,130.6	939.7	3,070.3	17.6	8.7	7.1	12.9	8.4	11.0
1986	Jan	2,139.1	942.2	3,081.3	11.0	10.2	8.0	12.9	8.2	11.0
	Feb	2,140.0	950.4	3,090.4	9.1	12.6	8.8	12.9	8.3	11.0
	Mar	2,170.8	955.8	3,126.6	36.2	18.8	13.7	13.1	8.3	11.2
	Apr	2,154.2	960.4	3,114.6	-12.0	11.1	10.7	13.0	8.4	11.1
	May	2,159.6	963.8	3,123.4	8.8	11.0	11.8	13.1	8.4	11.2
	June	2,161.7	968.5	3,130.2	6.8	1.2	10.0	13.1	8.4	11.2
	July	2,161.2	972.0	3,133.2	3.0	6.2	8.7	13.1	8.5	11.2
	Aug	2,157.8	972.7	3,130.5	-2.7	2.4	6.7	13.1	8.5	11.2
	Sept	2,147.1	967.2	3,114.3	-16.2	-5.3	-2.1	13.0	8.4	11.1
	Oct	2,135.8	960.5	3,096.3	-18.0	-12.3	-3.1	12.9	8.4	11.1
	Nov	2,134.0	952.6	3,086.6	-9.7	-14.6	-6.1	12.9	8.3	11.0
	Dec	2,118.0	941.0	3,059.0	-27.6	-18.4	-11.9	12.8	8.2	10.9
1987	Jan	2,113.4	937.9	3,051.3	-7.7	-15.0	-13.7	12.8	8.0	10.8
	Feb	2,090.4	916.6	3,007.0	-44.3	-26.5	-20.6	12.6	7.9	10.7
	Mar	2,068.9	904.2	2,973.1	-33.9	-28.6	-23.5	12.5	7.7	10.5
	Apr	2,055.0	898.9	2,953.9	-19.2	-32.5	-23.7	12.4	7.7	10.5
	May	2,017.5	873.0	2,890.5	-63.4	-38.8	-32.7	12.2	7.5	10.2
	June	1,996.0	861.2	2,857.2	-33.3	-38.6	-33.6	12.1	7.4	10.1
	July	1,968.3	844.3	2,812.6	-44.6	-47.1	-39.8	11.9	7.2	10.0
	Aug	1,936.3	830.3	2,766.6	-46.0	-41.3	-40.1	11.7	7.1	9.8
	Sept	1,907.2	810.9	2,718.1	-48.5	-46.4	-42.5	11.5	6.9	9.6
	Oct	1,870.3	793.6	2,663.9	-54.2	-49.6	-48.3	11.3	6.8	9.4
	Nov	1,828.3	776.1	2,604.4	-59.5	-54.1	-47.7	11.1	6.7	9.2
	Dec	1,800.4	768.2	2,568.6	-35.8	-49.8	-48.1	10.9	6.6	9.1
1988	Jan	1,759.5	759.9	2,519.4	-49.2	-48.2	-48.9	10.6	6.5	8.9
	Feb	1,731.3	753.7	2,485.0	-34.4	-39.8	-46.9	10.5	6.5	8.8
	Mar	1,709.9	744.0	2,453.9	-31.1	-38.2	-44.0	10.3	6.4	8.7
	Apr	1,674.1	728.8	2,402.9	-51.0	-38.8	-43.5	10.1	6.2	8.5
	May	1,648.8	715.0	2,363.8	-39.1	-40.4	-40.1	10.0	6.1	8.4
	June	1,624.0	700.1	2,324.1	-39.7	-43.3	-40.8	9.8	6.0	8.2
	July	1,586.7	680.6	2,267.3	-56.8	-45.2	-42.0	9.6	5.8	8.0
	Aug	1,562.7	662.9	2,225.6	-41.7	-46.1	-43.2	9.4	5.7	7.9
	Sept	1,543.1	648.6	2,191.7	-33.9	-44.1	-43.7	9.3	5.6	7.8
	Oct	1,522.4	635.5	2,157.9	-33.8	-36.5	-40.8	9.2	5.4	7.7
	Nov	1,484.6	620.6	2,105.2	-52.7	-40.1	-43.1	9.0	5.3	7.5
	Dec	1,439.4	598.0	2,037.4	-67.8	-51.4	-47.8	8.7	5.1	7.2
1989	Jan	1,405.4	582.4	1,987.8	-49.6	-56.7	-46.6	8.4	4.9	7.0
	Feb P	1,376.0	570.6	1,946.6	-41.2	-52.9	-46.5	8.3	4.8	6.8

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	Male	Female	All	Change since previous month	Average change over previous 3 months	Average change over previous 6 months	Thousands			Per cent
							Male	Female	All	
1971)	538.0	82.8	620.8	..	..	..	3.4	0.9	2.5	
1972)	594.1	97.5	691.6	..	..	..	3.7	1.1	2.8	
1973)	415.4	74.6	490.0	..	..	..	2.6	0.8	2.0	
1974)	422.0	72.6	494.6	..	..	..	2.7	0.8	2.0	
1975)	635.5	128.0	763.6	..	..	..	4.0	1.3	3.0	
1976)	834.9	213.3	1,048.2	..	..	..	5.3	2.2	4.1	
1977)	854.3	259.0	1,113.3	..	..	..	5.4	2.7	4.4	
1978)	814.7	277.9	1,092.6	..	..	..	5.1	2.8	4.3	
1979) Annual averages	741.7	281.2	1,022.9	..	..	..	4.7	2.8	3.9	
1980)	937.7	364.8	1,302.4	..	..	..	5.9	3.6	5.0	
1981)	1,536.2	551.5	2,087.7	..	..	..	9.6	5.4	8.0	
1982)	1,796.7	652.9	2,449.6	..	..	..	11.3	6.4	9.4	
1983)	1,933.8	749.9	2,683.8	..	..	..	12.3	7.3	10.4	
1984)	1,977.4	833.0	2,810.4	..	..	..	12.4	7.8	10.6	
1985)	2,031.9	891.1	2,923.0	..	..	..	12.6	8.1	10.8	
1986)	2,058.7	925.9	2,984.6	..	..	..	12.8	8.3	10.9	
1987)	1,881.8	818.4	2,700.2	..	..	..	11.6	7.2	9.8	
1988)	1,524.6	656.8	2,181.4	..	..	..	9.4	5.6	7.8	
1971 Jan	439.3	65.9	505.2				2.8	0.8	2.1	
Feb	454.2	69.9	524.1	18.9			2.9	0.8	2.1	
Mar	471.4	74.6	546.0	21.9			3.0	0.9	2.2	
Apr	496.1	75.1	571.2	25.2	22.0		3.1	0.9	2.3	
May	531.8	81.5	613.3	42.1	29.7		3.3	0.9	2.5	
June	544.1	82.8	626.9	13.6	27.0		3.4	0.9	2.5	
July	553.3	82.8	636.1	9.2	21.6	21.8	3.5	0.9	2.6	
Aug	559.5	83.2	642.7	6.6	9.8	19.8	3.5	1.0	2.6	
Sept	568.5	87.8	656.3	13.6	9.8	18.4	3.6	1.0	2.7	
Oct	592.0	92.7	684.7	28.4	16.2	18.9	3.7	1.1	2.8	
Nov	619.4	97.3	716.7	32.0	24.7	17.2	3.9	1.1	2.9	
Dec	626.9	99.7	726.6	9.9	23.4	16.6	3.9	1.1	3.0	
1972 Jan	626.0	96.8	722.8	-3.8	12.7	14.5	4.0	1.1	2.9	
Feb	639.1	99.1	738.2	15.4	7.2	15.9	4.0	1.1	3.0	
Mar	647.4	102.0	749.4	11.2	7.6	15.5	4.1	1.2	3.0	
Apr	641.2	102.8	744.0	-5.4	7.1	9.9	4.0	1.2	3.0	
May	614.5	102.1	716.6	-27.4	-7.2	-	3.9	1.2	2.9	
June	594.5	99.1	693.6	-23.0	-18.6	-5.5	3.8	1.1	2.8	
July	586.5	96.9	683.4	-10.2	-20.2	-6.6	3.7	1.1	2.8	
Aug	575.2	95.1	670.3	-13.1	-15.4	-11.3	3.6	1.1	2.7	
Sept	576.4	94.4	670.8	0.5	-7.6	-13.1	3.6	1.1	2.7	
Oct	560.7	94.5	655.2	-15.6	-9.4	-14.8	3.5	1.1	2.7	
Nov	546.2	94.5	640.7	-14.5	-9.9	-12.7	3.4	1.1	2.6	
Dec	521.0	92.6	613.6	-27.1	-19.1	-13.3	3.3	1.0	2.5	
1973 Jan	492.2	87.1	579.3	-34.3	-25.3	-17.4	3.1	0.9	2.3	
Feb	466.6	83.8	550.4	-28.9	-30.1	-20.0	2.9	0.9	2.2	
Mar	453.6	82.7	536.3	-14.1	-25.8	-22.4	2.9	0.9	2.1	
Apr	441.7	82.2	523.9	-12.4	-18.5	-21.9	2.8	0.9	2.1	
May	435.3	79.9	515.2	-8.7	-11.7	-20.9	2.7	0.9	2.1	
June	428.7	79.7	508.4	-6.8	-9.3	-17.5	2.7	0.9	2.0	
July	410.8	74.6	485.4	-23.0	-12.8	-15.7	2.6	0.8	1.9	
Aug	397.1	71.5	468.6	-16.8	-15.5	-13.6	2.5	0.8	1.9	
Sept	382.4	68.1	450.5	-18.1	-19.3	-14.3	2.4	0.7	1.8	
Oct	372.5	64.6	437.1	-13.4	-16.1	-14.5	2.3	0.7	1.7	
Nov	360.7	61.3	422.0	-15.1	-15.5	-15.5	2.3	0.7	1.7	
Dec	343.7	59.6	403.3	-18.7	-15.7	-17.5	2.2	0.6	1.6	
1974 Jan	383.7	65.3	449.0	45.7	4.0	-6.1	2.4	0.7	1.8	
Feb	399.1	67.8	466.9	17.9	15.0	-0.3	2.5	0.7	1.9	
Mar	407.1	68.2	475.3	8.4	24.0	4.1	2.6	0.7	1.9	
Apr	406.5	72.8	479.3	4.0	10.1	7.0	2.6	0.8	1.9	
May	404.7	71.8	476.5	-2.8	3.2	9.1	2.6	0.8	1.9	
June	414.7	75.5	490.2	13.7	5.0	14.5	2.6	0.8	2.0	
July	418.9	72.8	491.7	1.5	4.1	7.1	2.7	0.8	2.0	
Aug	434.7	75.3	510.0	18.3	11.2	7.2	2.8	0.8	2.0	
Sept	438.9	76.4	515.3	5.3	8.4	6.7	2.8	0.8	2.1	
Oct	445.6	73.7	519.3	4.0	9.2	6.7	2.8	0.8	2.1	
Nov	449.6	74.3	523.9	4.6	4.6	7.9	2.9	0.8	2.1	
Dec	460.0	77.7	537.7	13.8	7.5	7.9	2.9	0.8	2.1	
1975 Jan	483.4	83.5	566.9	29.2	15.9	12.5	3.1	0.9	2.2	
Feb	498.4	89.2	587.6	20.7	21.2	12.9	3.2	0.9	2.3	
Mar	522.0	97.9	619.9	32.3	27.4	17.4	3.3	1.0	2.5	
Apr	554.8	104.8	659.6	39.7	30.9	23.4	3.5	1.1	2.6	
May	593.0	116.7	709.7	50.1	40.7	31.0	3.8	1.2	2.8	
June	624.6	124.4	749.0	39.3	43.0	35.2	4.0	1.3	3.0	
July	659.2	132.2	791.4	42.4	43.9	37.4	4.2	1.4	3.1	
Aug	680.7	136.9	817.6	26.2	36.0	38.3	4.3	1.4	3.2	
Sept	705.9	144.5	850.4	32.8	33.8	38.4	4.5	1.5	3.4	
Oct	743.3	160.8	904.1	53.7	37.6	40.8	4.7	1.7	3.6	
Nov	770.6	169.2	939.8	35.7						

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1977	836.4	239.7	1,076.1	2.5	4.0	3.1	5.3	2.5	4.2	
	832.3	239.7	1,072.0	-4.1	0.3	0.2	5.3	2.5	4.2	
	831.1	241.8	1,072.9	0.9	-0.2	0.4	5.3	2.5	4.2	
	837.9	244.6	1,082.5	9.6	2.1	3.1	5.3	2.5	4.2	
	836.6	246.5	1,083.1	0.6	3.7	2.0	5.3	2.5	4.2	
	857.2	255.1	1,112.3	29.2	13.1	6.5	5.4	2.6	4.3	
	864.7	265.5	1,130.2	17.9	15.9	9.0	5.5	2.7	4.4	
	867.5	266.4	1,133.9	3.7	16.9	10.3	5.5	2.7	4.4	
	877.9	275.1	1,153.0	19.1	13.6	13.4	5.5	2.8	4.5	
	874.8	276.2	1,151.0	-2.0	6.9	11.4	5.5	2.8	4.5	
	870.7	278.2	1,148.9	-2.1	5.0	11.0	5.5	2.8	4.5	
	864.6	279.0	1,143.6	-5.3	-3.1	5.2	5.5	2.9	4.5	
1978	853.7	275.1	1,128.8	-14.8	-7.4	-0.2	5.4	2.8	4.4	
	839.7	272.5	1,112.2	-16.6	-12.2	-3.6	5.3	2.8	4.3	
	836.2	272.9	1,109.1	-3.1	-11.5	-7.3	5.3	2.8	4.3	
	829.8	277.5	1,107.3	-1.8	-7.2	-7.3	5.2	2.8	4.3	
	824.1	276.4	1,100.5	-6.8	-3.9	-8.1	5.2	2.8	4.3	
	819.7	279.4	1,099.1	-1.4	-3.3	-7.4	5.2	2.8	4.3	
	814.5	279.2	1,093.7	-5.4	-4.5	-5.9	5.1	2.8	4.3	
	814.8	285.0	1,099.8	6.1	-0.2	-2.1	5.2	2.9	4.3	
	804.3	282.2	1,086.5	-13.3	-4.2	-3.8	5.1	2.9	4.2	
	793.6	281.2	1,074.8	-11.7	-6.3	-5.4	5.0	2.8	4.2	
	777.9	277.6	1,055.5	-19.3	-14.8	-7.5	4.9	2.8	4.1	
	768.3	276.1	1,044.4	-11.1	-14.0	-9.1	4.9	2.8	4.1	
1979	772.9	277.0	1,049.9	5.5	-8.3	-7.3	4.9	2.7	4.0	
	787.7	280.6	1,068.3	18.4	4.3	-5.3	5.0	2.8	4.1	
	784.1	281.4	1,065.5	-2.8	7.0	-3.5	5.0	2.8	4.1	
	759.3	277.2	1,036.5	-29.0	-4.5	-6.4	4.8	2.7	4.0	
	752.7	282.9	1,035.6	-0.9	-10.9	-3.3	4.8	2.8	4.0	
	735.2	281.7	1,016.9	-18.7	-16.2	-4.6	4.6	2.8	3.9	
	728.7	284.2	1,012.9	-4.0	-7.9	-6.2	4.6	2.8	3.9	
	718.3	280.2	998.5	-14.4	-12.4	-11.6	4.5	2.8	3.8	
	714.2	279.5	993.7	-4.8	-7.7	-12.0	4.5	2.8	3.8	
	719.2	281.7	1,000.9	7.2	-4.0	-5.9	4.5	2.8	3.9	
	711.9	281.2	993.1	-7.8	-1.8	-7.1	4.5	2.8	3.8	
	716.5	286.3	1,002.8	9.7	3.0	-2.4	4.5	2.8	3.9	
1980	725.9	294.3	1,020.2	17.4	6.4	1.2	4.6	2.9	3.9	
	749.7	303.6	1,053.3	33.1	20.1	9.1	4.7	3.0	4.0	
	768.8	313.2	1,082.0	28.7	26.4	14.7	4.8	3.1	4.1	
	804.8	324.0	1,128.8	46.8	36.2	21.3	5.1	3.2	4.3	
	831.4	335.1	1,166.5	37.7	37.7	28.9	5.2	3.3	4.5	
	870.4	345.3	1,215.7	49.2	44.6	35.5	5.5	3.4	4.6	
	919.9	360.2	1,280.1	64.4	50.4	43.3	5.8	3.5	4.9	
	986.2	383.0	1,369.2	89.1	67.6	52.7	6.2	3.7	5.2	
	1,043.9	397.3	1,441.2	72.0	75.2	59.9	6.6	3.9	5.5	
	1,106.2	418.2	1,524.4	83.2	81.4	65.9	7.0	4.1	5.8	
	1,190.1	440.8	1,630.9	106.5	87.2	77.4	7.5	4.3	6.2	
	1,254.9	462.0	1,716.9	86.0	91.9	83.5	7.9	4.5	6.6	
1981	1,303.4	478.2	1,781.6	64.7	85.7	83.6	8.2	4.7	6.8	
	1,355.1	493.5	1,848.6	67.0	72.6	79.9	8.5	4.9	7.1	
	1,411.0	508.7	1,919.7	71.1	67.6	79.8	8.9	5.0	7.4	
	1,459.5	524.8	1,984.3	64.6	67.6	76.7	9.2	5.2	7.6	
	1,509.3	535.3	2,044.6	60.3	65.3	69.0	9.5	5.3	7.8	
	1,543.7	546.8	2,090.5	45.9	56.9	62.3	9.7	5.4	8.0	
	1,579.5	560.5	2,140.0	49.5	51.9	59.7	9.9	5.5	8.2	
	1,605.7	572.2	2,177.9	37.9	44.4	54.9	10.1	5.6	8.4	
	1,632.9	585.7	2,218.6	40.7	42.7	49.8	10.2	5.8	8.5	
	1,657.1	595.8	2,252.9	34.3	37.6	44.8	10.4	5.9	8.6	
	1,681.4	606.5	2,287.9	35.0	36.7	40.6	10.6	6.0	8.8	
	1,695.3	610.2	2,305.5	17.6	29.0	35.8	10.6	6.0	8.8	
1982	1,719.7	614.5	2,334.2	28.7	27.1	32.4	10.9	6.0	9.0	
	1,725.7	620.4	2,346.1	11.9	19.4	28.0	10.9	6.1	9.0	
	1,730.7	626.0	2,356.7	10.6	17.1	23.0	10.9	6.2	9.1	
	1,749.2	634.1	2,383.3	26.6	16.4	21.7	11.0	6.2	9.2	
	1,759.2	638.0	2,397.2	13.9	17.0	18.2	11.1	6.3	9.2	
	1,779.7	645.9	2,425.6	28.4	23.0	20.0	11.2	6.4	9.3	
	1,803.0	653.0	2,456.0	30.4	24.2	20.3	11.4	6.4	9.4	
	1,821.8	661.7	2,483.5	27.5	28.8	22.9	11.5	6.5	9.5	
	1,838.7	671.0	2,509.7	26.2	28.0	25.5	11.6	6.6	9.7	
	1,858.7	681.1	2,539.8	30.1	27.9	26.1	11.7	6.7	9.8	
	1,876.4	690.4	2,566.8	27.0	27.8	28.3	11.8	6.8	9.9	
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1984	Jan	1,946.0	797.6	2,743.6	9.5	10.1	6.8	12.2	7.5	10.3
	Feb	1,958.3	808.0	2,766.3	22.7	14.8	11.2	12.3	7.6	10.4
	Mar	1,962.7	814.9	2,777.6	11.3	14.5	11.8	12.3	7.6	10.5
	Apr	1,953.4	815.1	2,768.5	-9.1	8.3	9.2	12.3	7.6	10.4
	May	1,962.2	822.0	2,784.2	15.7	6.0	10.4	12.3	7.7	10.5
	June	1,963.4	827.5	2,790.9	6.7	4.4	9.5	12.4	7.7	10.5
	July	1,972.8	834.2	2,807.0	16.1	12.8	10.6	12.4	7.8	10.6
	Aug	1,980.2	840.8	2,821.0	14.0	12.3	9.1	12.5	7.9	10.6
	Sept	1,997.1	850.8	2,847.9	26.9	19.0	11.7	12.6	8.0	10.7
	Oct	2,006.8	855.8	2,862.6	14.7	18.5	15.7	12.6	8.0	10.8
	Nov	2,012.1	862.2	2,874.3	11.7	17.8	15.0	12.7	8.1	10.8
	Dec	2,013.9	867.3	2,881.2	6.9	11.1	15.1	12.7	8.1	10.8
1985	Jan	2,019.3	870.9	2,890.2	9.0	9.2	13.9	12.5	7.9	10.7
	Feb	2,032.5	875.5	2,908.0	17.8	11.2	14.5	12.6	8.0	10.7
	Mar	2,025.8	878.0	2,903.8	-4.2	7.5	9.3	12.6	8.0	10.7
	Apr	2,037.1	888.3	2,925.4	21.6	11.7	10.5	12.6	8.1	10.8
	May	2,036.8	891.8	2,928.6	3.2	6.9	9.1	12.6	8.1	10.8
	June	2,026.0	889.2	2,915.2	-13.4	3.8	5.7	12.6	8.1	10.8
	July	2,028.1	892.9	2,921.0	5.8	-1.5	5.1	12.6	8.1	10.8
	Aug	2,030.2	894.9	2,925.1	4.1	-1.2	2.9	12.6	8.2	10.8
	Sept	2,031.5	899.4	2,930.9	5.8	5.2	4.5	12.6	8.2	10.8
	Oct	2,034.8	901.6	2,936.4	5.5	5.1	1.8	12.6	8.2	10.8
	Nov	2,035.2	902.4	2,937.6	1.2	4.2	1.5	12.6	8.2	10.8
	Dec	2,045.4	908.3	2,953.7	16.1	7.6	6.4	12.7	8.3	10.9
1986	Jan	2,053.2	910.6	2,963.8	10.1	9.1	7.1	12.7	8.1	10.9
	Feb	2,053.0	918.4	2,971.4	7.6	11.3	7.7	12.7	8.2	10.9
	Mar	2,082.6	923.6	3,006.2	34.8	17.5	12.6	12.9	8.3	11.0
	Apr	2,065.3	927.9	2,993.2	-13.0	9.8	9.5	12.8	8.3	11.0
	May	2,070.4	931.2	3,001.6	8.4	10.1	10.7	12.9	8.3	11.0
	June	2,071.7	935.5	3,007.2	5.6	0.3	8.9	12.9	8.4	11.0
	July	2,070.8	938.6	3,009.4	2.2	5.4	7.6	12.9	8.4	11.0
	Aug	2,066.9	939.2	3,006.1	-3.3	1.5	5.8	12.8	8.4	11.0
	Sept	2,056.0	933.4	2,989.4	-16.7	-5.9	-2.8	12.8	8.3	11.0
	Oct	2,044.5	926.5	2,971.0	-18.4	-12.8	-3.7	12.7	8.3	10.9
	Nov	2,042.8	918.7	2,961.5	-9.5	-14.9	-6.7	12.7	8.2	10.8
	Dec	2,026.8	907.2	2,934.0	-27.5	-18.5	-12.2	12.6	8.1	10.7
1987	Jan	2,022.1	904.1	2,926.2	-7.8	-14.9	-13.9	12.5	7.9	10.6
	Feb	1,999.8	883.0	2,882.8	-43.4	-26.2	-20.6	12.4	7.7	10.4
	Mar	1,979.2	870.6	2,849.8	-33.0	-28.1	-23.3	12.2	7.6	10.3
	Apr	1,964.9	865.4	2,830.3	-19.5	-32.0	-23.5	12.2	7.6	10.3
	May	1,927.3	839.5	2,766.8	-63.5	-38.7	-32.5	11.9	7.3	10.0
	June	1,906.2	828.0	2,734.2	-32.6	-38.5	-33.3	11.8	7.2	9.9
	July	1,878.8	811.4	2,690.2	-44.0	-46.7	-39.3	11.6	7.1	9.8
	Aug	1,847.2	797.5	2,644.7	-45.5	-40.7	-39.7	11.4	7.0	9.6
	Sept	1,818.6	778.3	2,596.9	-47.8	-45.8	-42.2	11.2	6.8	9.4
	Oct	1,782.2	761.4	2,543.6	-53.3	-48.9	-47.8	11.0	6.7	9.2
	Nov	1,741.2	744.7	2,485.9	-57.7	-52.9	-46.8	10.8	6.5	9.0
	Dec	1,714.0	737.0	2,451.0	-34.9	-48.6	-47.2	10.6	6.5	8.9
1988	Jan	1,674.1	728.8	2,402.9	-48.1	-46.9	-47.9	10.3	6.3	8.6
	Feb	1,646.9	722.8	2,369.7	-33.2	-38.7	-45.8	10.2	6.2	8.5
	Mar	1,626.2	713.0	2,339.2	-30.5	-37.3	-43.0	10.0	6.1	8.4
	Apr	1,590.5	697.9	2,288.4	-50.8	-38.2	-42.5	9.8	6.0	8.2
	May	1,565.2	684.0	2,249.2	-39.2	-40.2	-39.5	9.6	5.9	8.1
	June	1,540.8	669.3	2,210.1	-39.1	-43.0	-40.2	9.5	5.7	7.9
	July	1,503.8	649.8	2,153.6	-56.5	-44.9	-41.6	9.3	5.6	7.7
	Aug	1,480.5	632.3	2,112.8	-40.8	-45.5	-42.8	9.1	5.4	7.6
	Sept	1,461.5	618.6	2,080.1	-32.7	-43.3	-43.2	9.0	5.3	7.5
	Oct	1,441.5	605.8	2,047.3	-32.8	-35.4	-40.2	8.9	5.2	7.3
	Nov	1,404.0	590.6	1,994.6	-52.7	-39.4	-42.4	8.7	5.1	7.2
	Dec	1,359.6	568.7	1,928.3	-66.3	-50.6	-47.0	8.4	4.9	6.9
1989	Jan	1,325.3	552.8	1,878.1	-50.2	-56.4	-45.9	8.2	4.7	6.7
	Feb P	1,296.3	540.7	1,837.0	-41.1	-52.5	-46.0	8.0	4.6	6.6

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	Male	Female	All	Change since previous month	Average change over previous 3 months	Average change over previous 6 months	Thousands			Per cent
							Male	Female	All	
1974)	88.0	14.1	102.2	..	..	..	1.7	0.4	1.2	
1975)	145.7	28.0	173.7	..	..	..	2.9	0.9	2.1	
1976)	208.7	50.7	259.4	..	..	..	4.1	1.6	3.1	
1977)	214.0	60.3	274.4	..	..	..	4.2	1.9	3.3	
1978)	191.1	60.0	251.0	..	..	..	3.8	1.8	3.0	
1979)	162.1	54.0	216.2	..	..	..	3.2	1.6	2.6	
1980) Annual averages	198.9	68.3	267.2	..	..	..	3.9	2.0	3.1	
1981)	351.3	117.9	469.2	..	..	..	6.8	3.5	5.5	
1982)	427.5	149.7	577.2	..	..	..	8.2	4.4	6.7	
1983)	463.9	181.8	645.7	..	..	..	9.0	5.3	7.5	
1984)	477.5	213.5	691.0	..	..	..	9.1	5.9	7.8	
1985)	495.4	233.1	728.5	..	..	..	9.3	6.2	8.0	
1986)	505.2	245.0	750.2	..	..	..	9.5	6.4	8.2	
1987)	448.3	209.7	657.9	..	..	..	8.3	5.3	7.1	
1988)	339.8	156.2	496.1	..	..	..	6.3	3.9	5.2	
1974 Apr	81.4	13.7	95.1	..	..	..	1.6	0.4	1.2	
May	81.9	14.1	96.0	0.9	..	..	1.6	0.4	1.2	
June	84.9	15.6	100.5	4.5	..	..	1.7	0.5	1.2	
July	85.0	14.5	99.5	-1.0	1.5	..	1.7	0.5	1.2	
Aug	87.8	14.1	101.9	2.4	2.0	..	1.7	0.4	1.2	
Sept	90.0	14.1	104.1	2.2	1.2	..	1.8	0.4	1.3	
Oct	92.1	13.1	105.2	1.1	1.9	1.7	1.8	0.4	1.3	
Nov	93.4	13.5	106.9	1.7	1.7	1.8	1.8	0.4	1.3	
Dec	95.9	14.3	110.2	3.3	2.0	1.6	1.9	0.5	1.3	
1975 Jan	102.3	15.9	118.2	8.0	4.3	3.1	2.0	0.5	1.4	
Feb	106.8	17.5	124.3	6.1	5.8	3.7	2.1	0.5	1.5	
Mar	114.0	19.6	133.6	9.3	7.8	4.9	2.3	0.6	1.6	
Apr	124.0	22.5	146.5	12.9	9.4	6.9	2.4	0.7	1.8	
May	133.2	24.7	157.9	11.4	11.2	8.5	2.6	0.8	1.9	
June	142.7	27.4	170.1	12.2	12.2	10.0	2.8	0.9	2.1	
July	152.8	29.5	182.3	12.2	11.9	10.7	3.0	0.9	2.2	
Aug	157.8	30.2	188.0	5.7	10.0	10.6	3.1	0.9	2.3	
Sept	164.3	32.0	196.3	8.3	8.7	10.5	3.2	1.0	2.4	
Oct	175.3	36.7	212.0	15.7	9.9	10.9	3.5	1.2	2.6	
Nov	184.3	39.1	223.4	11.4	11.8	10.9	3.6	1.2	2.7	
Dec	190.5	40.7	231.2	7.8	11.6	10.2	3.8	1.3	2.8	
1976 Jan	195.9	42.6	238.5	7.3	8.8	9.4	3.9	1.3	2.9	
Feb	201.8	45.6	247.4	8.9	8.0	9.9	4.0	1.4	3.0	
Mar	205.2	47.2	252.4	5.0	7.1	9.4	4.0	1.5	3.1	
Apr	207.2	48.1	255.3	2.9	5.6	7.2	4.1	1.5	3.1	
May	210.9	50.0	260.9	5.6	4.5	6.3	4.1	1.6	3.2	
June	209.3	49.5	258.8	-2.1	2.1	4.6	4.1	1.6	3.1	
July	209.0	49.8	258.8	—	1.2	3.4	4.1	1.6	3.1	
Aug	213.5	53.7	267.2	8.4	2.1	3.3	4.2	1.7	3.2	
Sept	213.5	54.2	267.7	0.5	3.0	2.6	4.2	1.7	3.2	
Oct	212.2	54.7	266.9	-0.8	2.7	1.9	4.2	1.7	3.2	
Nov	212.8	56.0	268.8	1.9	0.5	1.3	4.2	1.8	3.2	
Dec	213.0	56.5	269.5	0.7	0.6	1.8	4.2	1.8	3.3	
1977 Jan	213.4	57.2	270.6	1.1	1.2	2.0	4.2	1.8	3.3	
Feb	213.4	56.9	270.3	-0.3	0.5	0.5	4.2	1.8	3.3	
Mar	210.8	57.4	268.2	-2.1	-0.4	0.1	4.2	1.8	3.3	
Apr	212.7	57.7	270.4	2.2	-0.1	0.6	4.2	1.8	3.3	
May	212.0	57.8	269.8	-0.6	-0.2	0.2	4.2	1.8	3.3	
June	216.1	59.8	275.9	6.1	2.6	1.1	4.3	1.9	3.3	
July	217.9	62.3	280.2	4.3	3.3	1.6	4.3	1.9	3.4	
Aug	215.9	61.9	277.8	-2.4	2.7	1.3	4.3	1.9	3.4	
Sept	218.0	63.7	281.7	3.9	1.9	2.3	4.3	2.0	3.4	
Oct	215.0	63.4	278.4	-3.3	-0.6	1.3	4.3	2.0	3.4	
Nov	212.7	63.2	275.9	-2.5	-0.6	1.0	4.2	2.0	3.3	
Dec	210.5	62.8	273.3	-2.6	-2.8	-0.4	4.2	2.0	3.3	
1978 Jan	206.6	62.4	269.0	-4.3	-3.1	-1.9	4.1	1.9	3.2	
Feb	199.5	60.8	260.3	-8.7	-5.2	-2.9	3.9	1.9	3.1	
Mar	198.2	60.6	258.8	-1.5	-4.8	-3.8	3.9	1.9	3.1	
Apr	197.2	60.8	258.0	-0.8	-3.7	-3.4	3.9	1.9	3.1	
May	194.6	60.7	255.3	-2.7	-1.7	-3.4	3.8	1.9	3.1	
June	193.2	60.8	254.0	-1.3	-1.6	-3.2	3.8	1.9	3.0	
July	190.5	60.0	250.5	-3.5	-2.5	-3.1	3.8	1.8	3.0	
Aug	189.7	60.8	250.5	—	-1.6	-1.6	3.7	1.9	3.0	
Sept	186.2	60.1	246.3	-4.2	-2.6	-2.1	3.7	1.8	3.0	
Oct	183.2	58.8	242.0	-4.3	-2.8	-2.7	3.6	1.8	2.9	
Nov	178.7	57.2	235.9	-6.1	-4.9	-3.2	3.5	1.8	2.8	
Dec	175.3	56.5	231.8	-4.1	-4.8	-3.7	3.5	1.7	2.8	
1979 Jan	174.9	55.7	230.6	-1.2	-3.8	-3.3	3.4	1.7	2.7	
Feb	176.5	56.0	232.5	1.9	-1.1	-3.0	3.5	1.7	2.7	
Mar	174.9	56.4	231.3	-1.2	-0.2	-2.5	3.4	1.7	2.7	
Apr	168.2	55.3	223.5	-7.8	-2.4	-3.1	3.3	1.7	2.6	
May	166.2	55.8	222.0	-1.5	-3.5	-2.3	3.3	1.7	2.6	
June	161.5	55.3	216.8	-5.2	-4.8	-2.5	3.2	1.7	2.6	
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1980	Jan	153.0	53.2	206.2	3.0	0.4	-1.2	3.0	1.6	2.4
	Feb	157.1	55.0	212.1	5.9	3.6	0.6	3.0	1.6	2.5
	Mar	159.9	56.3	216.2	4.1	4.3	1.8	3.1	1.7	2.5
	Apr	166.3	58.4	224.7	8.5	6.2	3.3	3.2	1.7	2.6
	May	172.7	60.9	233.6	8.9	7.2	5.4	3.4	1.8	2.7
	June	181.9	62.9	244.8	11.2	9.5	6.9	3.5	1.8	2.9
	July	193.2	66.5	259.7	14.9	11.7	8.9	3.7	2.0	3.0
	Aug	210.4	71.3	281.7	22.0	16.0	11.6	4.1	2.1	3.3
	Sept	223.6	75.3	298.9	17.2	18.0	13.8	4.3	2.2	3.5
	Oct	237.2	80.3	317.5	18.6	19.3	15.5	4.6	2.4	3.7
	Nov	258.4	86.9	345.3	27.8	21.2	18.6	5.0	2.6	4.0
	Dec	273.4	92.0	365.4	20.1	22.2	20.1	5.3	2.7	4.3
1981	Jan	286.4	96.6	383.0	17.6	21.8	20.6	5.5	2.8	4.5
	Feb	299.9	100.2	400.1	17.1	18.3	19.7	5.8	3.0	4.7
	Mar	313.3	104.1	417.4	17.3	17.3	19.8	6.0	3.1	4.9
	Apr	329.6	108.6	438.2	20.8	18.4	20.1	6.3	3.2	5.1
	May	344.2	111.8	456.0	17.8	18.6	18.5	6.6	3.3	5.3
	June	352.1	114.8	466.9	10.9	16.5	16.9	6.8	3.4	5.4
	July	364.8	120.8	485.6	18.7	15.8	17.1	7.0	3.6	5.7
	Aug	370.0	124.8	494.8	9.2	12.9	15.8	7.1	3.7	5.8
	Sept	378.3	128.7	507.0	12.2	13.4	14.9	7.3	3.8	5.9
	Oct	386.5	132.1	518.6	11.6	11.0	13.4	7.4	3.9	6.0
	Nov	392.6	136.0	528.6	10.0	11.3	12.1	7.6	4.0	6.2
	Dec	398.3	135.9	534.2	5.6	9.1	11.2	7.7	4.0	6.2
1982	Jan	404.8	137.0	541.8	7.6	7.7	9.4	7.8	4.0	6.3
	Feb	409.3	139.7	549.0	7.2	6.8	9.0	7.9	4.1	6.4
	Mar	413.5	142.2	555.7	6.7	7.2	8.1	8.0	4.2	6.5
	Apr	417.2	144.2	561.4	5.7	6.5	7.1	8.0	4.2	6.5
	May	419.4	145.5	564.9	3.5	5.3	6.1	8.1	4.3	6.6
	June	424.2	147.5	571.7	6.8	5.3	6.3	8.2	4.3	6.7
	July	428.5	149.6	578.1	6.4	5.6	6.1	8.3	4.4	6.7
	Aug	433.3	152.6	585.9	7.8	7.0	6.2	8.4	4.5	6.8
	Sept	437.6	154.9	592.5	6.6	6.9	6.1	8.4	4.5	6.9
	Oct	442.6	158.5	601.1	8.6	7.7	6.6	8.5	4.7	7.0
	Nov	447.0	161.4	608.4	7.3	7.5	7.3	8.6	4.7	7.1
	Dec	452.5	163.6	616.1	7.7	7.9	7.4	8.7	4.8	7.2
1983	Jan	453.6	166.5	620.1	4.0	6.3	7.0	8.8	4.8	7.2
	Feb	455.4	170.1	625.5	5.4	5.7	6.6	8.8	4.9	7.3
	Mar	459.3	172.9	632.2	6.7	5.4	6.6	8.9	5.0	7.3
	Apr	460.0	175.4	635.4	3.2	5.1	5.7	8.9	5.1	7.4
	May	463.1	178.1	641.2	5.8	5.2	5.5	9.0	5.2	7.5
	June	467.3	180.4	647.7	6.5	5.2	5.3	9.1	5.2	7.5
	July	467.2	183.5	650.7	3.0	5.1	5.1	9.1	5.3	7.6
	Aug	466.8	184.8	651.6	0.9	3.5	4.4	9.1	5.4	7.6
	Sept	466.6	187.5	654.1	2.5	2.1	3.7	9.0	5.4	7.6
	Oct	467.7	190.6	658.3	4.2	2.5	3.8	9.1	5.5	7.6
	Nov	469.0	194.4	663.4	5.1	3.9	3.7	9.1	5.6	7.7
	Dec	470.6	197.3	667.9	4.5	4.6	3.4	9.1	5.7	7.8
1984	Jan	470.3	200.3	670.6	2.7	4.1	3.3	8.9	5.5	7.5
	Feb	471.6	203.8	675.4	4.8	4.0	4.0	9.0	5.6	7.6
	Mar	472.1	206.1	678.2	2.8	3.4	4.0	9.0	5.7	7.6
	Apr	470.5	206.7	677.2	-1.0	2.2	3.2	8.9	5.7	7.6
	May	471.8	209.9	681.7	4.5	2.1	3.1	9.0	5.8	7.7
	June	474.1	212.5	686.6	4.9	2.8	3.1	9.0	5.8	7.7
	July	476.0	214.5	690.5	3.9	4.4	3.3	9.0	5.9	7.8
	Aug	477.9	216.4	694.3	3.8	4.2	3.2	9.1	6.0	7.8
	Sept	483.2	220.1	703.3	9.0	5.6	4.2	9.2	6.1	7.9
	Oct	485.5	221.3	706.8	3.5	5.4	4.9	9.2	6.1	7.9
	Nov	487.8	224.4	712.2	5.4	6.0	5.1	9.3	6.2	8.0
	Dec	489.3	226.2	715.5	3.3	4.1	4.8	9.3	6.2	8.0
1985	Jan	492.9	226.6	719.5	4.0	4.2	4.8	9.2	6.1	7.9
	Feb	499.5	227.8	727.3	7.8	5.0	5.5	9.3	6.1	8.0
	Mar	495.3	229.1	724.4	-2.9	3.0	3.5	9.3	6.1	8.0
	Apr	496.2	232.0	728.2	3.8	2.9	3.6	9.3	6.2	8.0
	May	495.3	232.9	728.2	—	0.3	2.7	9.3	6.2	8.0
	June	492.7	232.1	724.8	-3.4	0.1	1.6	9.2	6.2	8.0
	July	493.3	233.5	726.8	2.0	-0.5	1.2	9.2	6.3	8.0
	Aug	495.2	234.6	729.8	3.0	0.5	0.4	9.3	6.3	8.0
	Sept	494.7	235.8	730.5	0.7	1.9	1.0	9.3	6.3	8.0
	Oct	495.3	236.7	732.0	1.5	1.7	0.6	9.3	6.3	8.1
	Nov	496.2	237.0	733.2	1.2	1.1	0.8	9.3	6.3	8.1
	Dec	498.6	238.5	737.1	3.9	2.2	2.1	9.3	6.4	8.1
1986	Jan	499.9	240.9	740.8	3.7	2.9	2			

Table 3 Unemployment - seasonally adjusted, consistent with current coverage, South East

		Male	Female	All	Change since previous month	Average change over previous 3 months	Average change over previous 6 months	Thousands			Per cent		
								Rate as percentage of workforce					
								Male	Female	All	Male	Female	All
1987	Jan	490.1	238.7	728.8	-2.9	-5.5	-5.1	9.1	6.1	7.8			
	Feb	483.5	230.8	714.3	-14.5	-8.5	-7.1	9.0	5.9	7.7			
	Mar	475.2	226.7	701.9	-12.4	-9.9	-8.2	8.8	5.8	7.5			
	Apr	469.4	224.1	693.5	-8.4	-11.8	-8.7	8.7	5.7	7.4			
	May	460.7	217.9	678.6	-14.9	-11.9	-10.2	8.5	5.6	7.3			
	June	453.5	212.5	666.0	-12.6	-12.0	-11.0	8.4	5.4	7.1			
	July	447.3	207.1	654.4	-11.6	-13.0	-12.4	8.3	5.3	7.0			
	Aug	439.4	201.9	641.3	-13.1	-12.4	-12.2	8.1	5.1	6.9			
	Sept	431.0	196.4	627.4	-13.9	-12.9	-12.4	8.0	5.0	6.7			
	Oct	421.3	191.2	612.5	-14.9	-14.0	-13.5	7.8	4.9	6.6			
	Nov	408.5	185.7	594.2	-18.3	-15.7	-14.1	7.6	4.7	6.4			
	Dec	399.1	182.9	582.0	-12.2	-15.1	-14.0	7.4	4.7	6.2			
1988	Jan	384.3	179.2	563.5	-18.5	-16.3	-15.2	7.1	4.5	6.0			
	Feb	378.0	177.1	555.1	-8.4	-13.0	-14.4	7.0	4.4	5.9			
	Mar	372.5	174.5	547.0	-8.1	-11.7	-13.4	6.9	4.3	5.8			
	Apr	359.4	169.2	528.6	-18.4	-11.6	-14.0	6.6	4.2	5.6			
	May	353.1	165.0	518.1	-10.5	-12.3	-12.7	6.5	4.1	5.5			
	June	345.4	160.4	505.8	-12.3	-13.7	-12.7	6.4	4.0	5.4			
	July	333.2	152.9	486.1	-19.7	-14.2	-12.9	6.1	3.8	5.1			
	Aug	324.7	146.2	470.9	-15.2	-15.7	-14.0	6.0	3.6	5.0			
	Sept	318.9	143.0	461.9	-9.0	-14.6	-14.2	5.9	3.6	4.9			
	Oct	314.5	140.8	455.3	-6.6	-10.3	-12.2	5.8	3.5	4.8			
	Nov	303.3	136.3	439.6	-15.7	-10.4	-13.1	5.6	3.4	4.7			
	Dec	290.5	130.3	420.8	-18.8	-13.7	-14.2	5.3	3.2	4.5			
1989	Jan	280.2	125.5	405.7	-15.1	-16.5	-13.4	5.2	3.1	4.3			
	Feb P	272.2	121.3	393.5	-12.2	-15.4	-12.9	5.0	3.0	4.2			

Table 4 Unemployment – seasonally adjusted, consistent with current coverage, Greater London

	Male	Female	All	Change since previous month	Average change over previous 3 months	Average change over previous 6 months	Thousands			Per cent
							Male	Female	All	
1974)	44.2	6.8	51.0	...	...	...	1.7	0.4	1.2	
1975)	71.5	13.1	84.6	...	...	...	2.9	0.8	2.1	
1976)	106.0	24.5	130.5	...	...	...	4.3	1.6	3.3	
1977)	107.1	28.4	135.6	...	...	...	4.5	1.8	3.4	
1978)	96.1	27.7	123.8	...	...	...	4.0	1.8	3.1	
1979)	82.8	25.1	107.8	...	...	...	3.4	1.6	2.7	
1980) Annual averages	98.5	32.4	130.9	...	...	...	4.0	1.6	3.3	
1981)	169.9	57.4	227.3	...	...	...	6.7	3.5	5.5	
1982)	209.0	73.8	282.8	...	...	...	8.2	4.6	6.8	
1983)	235.1	89.4	324.5	...	...	...	9.4	5.5	7.8	
1984)	248.8	104.3	353.1	...	...	...	9.8	6.2	8.4	
1985)	262.7	113.6	376.3	...	...	...	10.2	6.7	8.8	
1986)	272.0	119.4	391.3	...	...	...	10.7	6.9	9.1	
1987)	248.3	104.7	353.0	...	...	...	9.7	6.0	8.2	
1988)	201.6	83.9	285.5	...	...	...	7.9	4.7	6.6	
1974 Apr	42.9	7.1	50.0	...	...	...	1.7	0.4	1.2	
May	42.5	7.2	49.7	-0.3	...	...	1.7	0.5	1.2	
June	43.4	8.0	51.4	1.7	...	...	1.7	0.5	1.2	
July	43.4	6.6	50.0	-1.4	—	...	1.7	0.4	1.2	
Aug	43.1	6.5	49.6	-0.4	—	...	1.7	0.4	1.2	
Sept	44.4	6.4	50.8	1.2	-0.2	...	1.7	0.4	1.2	
Oct	45.9	6.2	52.1	-1.3	0.7	0.4	1.8	0.4	1.3	
Nov	45.7	6.0	51.7	-0.4	0.7	0.3	1.8	0.4	1.2	
Dec	46.8	7.1	53.9	2.2	1.0	0.4	1.8	0.4	1.3	
1975 Jan	50.7	7.6	58.3	4.4	2.1	1.4	2.0	0.5	1.4	
Feb	51.1	7.7	58.8	0.5	2.4	1.5	2.0	0.5	1.4	
Mar	56.0	9.0	65.0	6.2	3.7	2.4	2.2	0.6	1.6	
Apr	60.5	10.7	71.2	6.2	4.3	3.2	2.4	0.7	1.7	
May	64.4	11.7	76.1	4.9	5.8	4.1	2.6	0.7	1.9	
June	68.8	13.0	81.8	5.7	5.6	4.7	2.7	0.8	2.0	
July	76.4	14.1	90.5	8.7	6.4	5.4	3.1	0.9	2.2	
Aug	77.5	14.2	91.7	1.2	5.2	5.5	3.1	0.9	2.2	
Sept	80.6	14.8	95.4	3.7	4.5	5.1	3.2	0.9	2.3	
Oct	86.1	16.9	103.0	7.6	4.2	5.3	3.4	1.1	2.5	
Nov	91.1	18.3	109.4	6.4	5.9	5.6	3.6	1.1	2.7	
Dec	94.5	19.2	113.7	4.3	6.1	5.3	3.8	1.2	2.8	
1976 Jan	96.7	19.8	116.5	2.8	4.5	4.3	4.0	1.3	2.9	
Feb	101.4	21.9	123.3	6.8	4.6	5.3	4.2	1.4	3.1	
Mar	104.2	22.6	126.8	3.5	4.4	5.2	4.3	1.4	3.2	
Apr	105.1	23.5	128.6	1.8	4.0	4.3	4.3	1.5	3.2	
May	107.3	24.4	131.7	3.1	2.8	3.7	4.4	1.6	3.3	
June	106.8	24.2	131.0	-0.7	1.4	2.9	4.4	1.6	3.3	
July	106.6	23.5	130.1	-0.9	0.5	2.3	4.4	1.5	3.3	
Aug	108.4	25.9	134.3	4.2	0.9	1.8	4.4	1.7	3.4	
Sept	108.9	26.3	135.2	0.9	1.4	1.4	4.5	1.7	3.4	
Oct	108.3	26.5	134.8	-0.4	1.6	1.0	4.4	1.7	3.4	
Nov	109.1	27.6	136.7	1.9	0.8	0.8	4.5	1.8	3.4	
Dec	109.0	27.4	136.4	-0.3	0.4	0.9	4.5	1.8	3.4	
1977 Jan	108.5	27.9	136.4	—	0.5	1.1	4.5	1.8	3.5	
Feb	108.6	27.2	135.8	-0.6	-0.3	0.3	4.5	1.8	3.4	
Mar	106.3	27.7	134.0	-1.8	-0.8	-0.2	4.4	1.8	3.4	
Apr	107.2	27.6	134.8	0.8	-0.5	—	4.5	1.8	3.4	
May	106.5	27.8	134.3	-0.5	-0.5	-0.4	4.4	1.8	3.4	
June	107.6	28.4	136.0	1.7	0.7	-0.1	4.5	1.8	3.5	
July	108.3	28.8	137.1	1.1	0.8	0.1	4.5	1.9	3.5	
Aug	107.2	28.7	135.9	-1.2	0.5	—	4.5	1.9	3.5	
Sept	108.1	29.6	137.7	1.8	0.6	0.6	4.5	1.9	3.5	
Oct	106.9	29.2	136.1	-1.6	-0.3	0.2	4.5	1.9	3.5	
Nov	105.4	29.3	134.7	-1.4	-0.4	0.1	4.4	1.9	3.4	
Dec	105.0	29.1	134.1	-0.6	-1.2	-0.3	4.4	1.9	3.4	
1978 Jan	104.2	29.0	133.2	-0.9	-1.0	-0.7	4.3	1.9	3.4	
Feb	100.6	28.6	129.2	-4.0	-1.8	-1.1	4.2	1.8	3.3	
Mar	99.1	28.2	127.3	-1.9	-2.3	-1.7	4.1	1.8	3.2	
Apr	98.8	28.1	126.9	-4	-2.1	-1.5	4.1	1.8	3.2	
May	97.4	28.0	125.4	-1.5	-1.3	-1.6	4.0	1.8	3.2	
June	97.0	27.9	124.9	-0.5	-0.8	-1.5	4.0	1.8	3.1	
July	95.8	27.3	123.1	-1.8	-1.3	-1.7	4.0	1.7	3.1	
Aug	95.0	27.7	122.7	-0.4	-0.9	-1.1	3.9	1.8	3.1	
Sept	93.3	27.5	120.8	-1.9	-1.4	-1.1	3.9	1.8	3.0	
Oct	92.4	27.3	119.7	-1.1	-1.1	-1.2	3.8	1.7	3.0	
Nov	90.7	26.6	117.3	-2.4	-1.8	-1.4	3.8	1.7	3.0	
Dec	89.0	26.1	115.1	-2.2	-1.9	-1.6	3.7	1.7	2.9	
1979 Jan	88.7	26.0	114.7	-0.4	-1.7	-1.4	3.6	1.7	2.8	
Feb	89.4	26.3	115.7	1.0	-0.5	-1.2	3.6	1.7	2.9	
Mar	89.3	26.4	115.7	—	0.2	-0.9	3.6	1.7	2.9	
Apr	86.1	25.9	112.0	-3.7	-0.9	-1.3	3.5	1.6	2.8	
May	84.8	25.9	110.7	-1.3	-1.7	-1.1	3.4	1.6	2.7	
June	82.7	25.5	108.2	-2.5	-2.5	-1.2	3.3	1.6	2.7	
July	81.3	25.3	106.6	-1.6	-1.8	-1.4	3.3	1.6	2.6	
Aug	79.4	24.4	103.8	-2.8	-2.3	-2.0	3.2	1.5		

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		Male	Female	All	Change since previous month	Average change over previous 3 months	Average change over previous 6 months	Thousands			Rate as percentage of workforce	
								Male	Female	All		
1980	Jan	78.7	25.3	104.0	2.5	0.5	-0.4	3.2	1.6	2.6		
	Feb	80.4	26.0	106.4	2.4	2.0	0.4	3.3	1.7	2.6		
	Mar	82.4	27.0	109.4	3.0	2.6	1.2	3.4	1.7	2.7		
	Apr	84.6	27.9	112.5	3.1	2.8	1.7	3.5	1.8	2.8		
	May	87.0	29.0	116.0	3.5	3.2	2.6	3.6	1.8	2.9		
	June	90.9	29.7	120.6	4.6	3.7	3.2	3.7	1.9	3.0		
	July	95.6	31.2	126.8	6.2	4.8	3.8	3.9	2.0	3.4		
	Aug	102.4	33.1	135.5	8.7	6.5	4.9	4.2	2.1	3.6		
	Sept	108.9	35.6	144.5	9.0	8.0	5.9	4.4	2.3	3.6		
	Oct	115.2	38.6	153.8	9.3	9.0	6.9	4.7	2.5	3.8		
	Nov	124.5	41.5	166.0	12.2	10.2	8.3	5.1	2.6	4.1		
	Dec	131.2	44.2	175.4	9.4	10.3	9.1	5.4	2.8	4.4		
1981	Jan	138.5	46.5	185.0	9.6	10.4	9.7	5.5	2.9	4.5		
	Feb	144.3	47.9	192.2	7.2	8.7	9.5	5.7	3.0	4.6		
	Mar	151.0	50.2	201.2	9.0	8.6	9.5	6.0	3.1	4.8		
	Apr	158.3	52.4	210.7	9.5	8.6	9.5	6.3	3.2	5.1		
	May	166.2	54.0	220.2	9.5	9.3	9.0	6.6	3.3	5.3		
	June	170.0	55.5	225.5	5.3	8.1	8.4	6.7	3.4	5.4		
	July	178.4	59.2	237.6	12.1	9.0	8.8	7.0	3.7	5.7		
	Aug	173.2	62.1	235.3	-2.3	5.0	7.2	6.8	3.8	5.7		
	Sept	184.1	63.6	247.7	12.4	7.4	7.8	7.3	3.9	6.0		
	Oct	187.9	64.1	252.0	4.3	4.8	6.9	7.4	4.0	6.1		
	Nov	192.1	66.8	258.9	6.9	7.9	6.5	7.6	4.1	6.2		
	Dec	195.3	66.5	261.8	2.9	4.7	6.1	7.7	4.1	6.3		
1982	Jan	197.0	66.9	263.9	2.1	4.0	4.4	7.8	4.2	6.4		
	Feb	200.2	68.8	269.0	5.1	3.4	5.6	7.9	4.3	6.5		
	Mar	202.3	69.6	271.9	2.9	3.4	4.0	8.0	4.3	6.6		
	Apr	202.9	71.0	273.9	2.0	3.3	3.7	8.0	4.4	6.6		
	May	204.9	72.5	277.4	3.5	2.8	3.1	8.1	4.5	6.7		
	June	207.5	73.5	281.0	3.6	3.0	3.2	8.2	4.6	6.8		
	July	210.1	74.2	284.3	3.3	3.5	3.4	8.3	4.6	6.9		
	Aug	213.1	75.5	288.6	4.3	3.7	3.3	8.4	4.7	7.0		
	Sept	214.4	76.4	290.8	2.2	3.3	3.2	8.5	4.7	7.0		
	Oct	216.0	78.0	294.0	3.2	3.2	3.4	8.5	4.8	7.1		
	Nov	218.0	78.8	296.8	2.8	2.7	3.2	8.6	4.9	7.2		
	Dec	221.1	80.5	301.6	4.8	3.6	3.4	8.7	5.0	7.3		
1983	Jan	223.3	81.6	304.9	3.3	3.6	3.4	8.9	5.0	7.4		
	Feb	226.0	83.5	309.5	4.6	4.2	3.5	9.0	5.1	7.5		
	Mar	228.7	85.0	313.7	4.2	4.0	3.8	9.1	5.2	7.6		
	Apr	231.6	86.7	318.3	4.6	4.5	4.1	9.3	5.3	7.7		
	May	234.3	87.8	322.1	3.8	4.2	4.2	9.4	5.4	7.8		
	June	236.6	88.7	325.3	3.2	3.9	4.0	9.5	5.4	7.9		
	July	238.2	90.3	328.5	3.2	3.4	3.9	9.5	5.5	7.9		
	Aug	238.4	90.6	329.0	0.5	2.3	3.3	9.5	5.5	8.0		
	Sept	238.7	91.9	330.6	1.6	1.8	2.8	9.5	5.6	8.0		
	Oct	240.3	93.7	334.0	3.4	1.8	2.6	9.6	5.7	8.1		
	Nov	241.9	95.9	337.8	3.8	2.9	2.6	9.7	5.9	8.2		
	Dec	243.2	96.9	340.1	2.3	3.2	2.5	9.7	5.9	8.2		
1984	Jan	243.4	98.3	341.7	1.6	2.6	2.2	9.6	5.8	8.1		
	Feb	244.0	99.9	343.9	2.2	2.0	2.5	9.6	5.9	8.2		
	Mar	244.6	101.1	345.7	1.8	1.9	2.5	9.6	6.0	8.2		
	Apr	244.6	101.0	345.6	-0.1	1.3	1.9	9.6	6.0	8.2		
	May	245.2	102.6	347.8	2.2	1.3	1.7	9.7	6.1	8.2		
	June	247.2	103.8	351.0	3.2	1.8	1.8	9.7	6.2	8.3		
	July	248.1	104.6	352.7	1.7	2.4	1.8	9.8	6.2	8.4		
	Aug	249.3	105.5	354.8	2.1	2.3	1.8	9.8	6.3	8.4		
	Sept	252.2	107.1	359.3	4.5	2.8	2.3	9.9	6.4	8.5		
	Oct	253.8	108.0	361.8	2.5	3.0	2.7	10.0	6.4	8.6		
	Nov	255.8	109.3	365.1	3.3	3.4	2.9	10.1	6.5	8.7		
	Dec	257.5	110.2	367.7	2.6	2.8	2.8	10.2	6.6	8.7		
1985	Jan	258.3	110.5	368.8	1.1	2.3	2.7	10.1	6.5	8.6		
	Feb	260.5	111.0	371.5	2.7	2.1	2.8	10.1	6.5	8.7		
	Mar	260.6	111.5	372.1	0.6	1.5	2.1	10.2	6.5	8.7		
	Apr	261.9	112.6	374.5	2.4	1.9	2.1	10.2	6.6	8.8		
	May	261.9	113.3	375.2	0.7	1.2	1.7	10.2	6.7	8.8		
	June	261.6	112.8	374.4	-0.8	0.8	1.1	10.2	6.6	8.8		
	July	262.5	114.0	376.5	2.1	0.7	1.3	10.2	6.7	8.8		
	Aug	263.7	114.7	378.4	1.9	1.1	1.2	10.3	6.7	8.9		
	Sept	264.2	115.6	379.8	1.4	1.8	1.3	10.3	6.8	8.9		

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	Male	Female	All	Change since previous month	Average change over previous 3 months	Average change over previous 6 months	Thousands			Per cent
							Male	Female	All	
1987	Jan	266.3	116.6	382.9	-1.7	-2.8	-2.2	10.4	6.6	8.9
	Feb	262.4	113.4	375.8	-7.1	-4.1	-3.3	10.3	6.5	8.7
	Mar	259.7	111.5	371.2	-4.6	-4.5	-3.7	10.2	6.4	8.6
	Apr	257.0	110.3	367.3	-3.9	-5.2	-4.0	10.1	6.3	8.5
	May	254.0	108.3	362.3	-5.0	-4.5	-4.3	9.9	6.2	8.4
	June	250.6	105.9	356.5	-5.8	-4.9	-4.7	9.8	6.0	8.3
	July	247.9	103.6	351.5	-5.0	-5.3	-5.2	9.7	5.9	8.2
	Aug	244.5	101.2	345.7	-5.8	-5.5	-5.0	9.6	5.8	8.0
	Sept	240.9	98.9	339.8	-5.9	-5.6	-5.2	9.4	5.6	7.9
	Oct	236.6	97.2	333.8	-6.0	-5.9	-5.6	9.3	5.5	7.7
	Nov	231.7	95.1	326.8	-7.0	-6.3	-5.9	9.1	5.4	7.6
	Dec	228.3	94.1	322.4	-4.4	-5.8	-5.7	8.9	5.4	7.5
1988	Jan	221.8	91.9	313.7	-8.7	-6.7	-6.3	8.7	5.2	7.2
	Feb	220.9	92.4	313.3	-4	-4.5	-5.4	8.6	5.2	7.2
	Mar	219.4	91.9	311.3	-2.0	-3.7	-4.8	8.6	5.2	7.2
	Apr	212.7	89.5	302.2	-9.1	-3.8	-5.3	8.3	5.0	7.0
	May	208.9	87.6	296.5	-5.7	-5.6	-5.1	8.2	4.9	6.8
	June	203.7	85.5	289.2	-7.3	-7.4	-5.5	8.0	4.8	6.7
	July	197.9	82.3	280.2	-9.0	-7.3	-5.6	7.7	4.6	6.5
	Aug	193.4	79.7	273.1	-7.1	-7.8	-6.7	7.6	4.5	6.3
	Sept	190.7	78.7	269.4	-3.7	-6.6	-7.0	7.5	4.4	6.2
	Oct	189.1	78.1	267.2	-2.2	-4.3	-5.8	7.4	4.4	6.2
	Nov	183.6	76.1	259.7	-7.5	-4.5	-6.1	7.2	4.3	6.0
	Dec	176.9	72.9	249.8	-9.9	-6.5	-6.6	6.9	4.1	5.8
1989	Jan	171.2	71.0	242.2	-7.6	-8.3	-6.3	6.7	4.0	5.6
	Feb P	167.0	68.3	235.3	-6.9	-8.1	-6.3	6.5	3.8	5.4

Table 5 Unemployment – seasonally adjusted, consistent with current coverage, East Anglia

	Male	Female	All	Change since previous month	Average change over previous 3 months	Average change over previous 6 months	Thousands			Per cent		
							Male	Female	All	Male	Female	All
1974)	10.1	1.7	11.8	..	..	..	2.1	0.6	1.5	3.4	1.2	2.6
1975)	16.9	3.3	20.2	..	..	..	4.5	1.9	3.5	4.5	1.9	3.5
1976)	22.6	5.4	28.0	..	..	..	4.8	2.2	3.8	4.8	2.2	3.8
1977)	24.0	6.5	30.5	..	..	..	4.3	2.3	3.5	4.3	2.3	3.5
1978)	21.7	6.8	28.5	..	..	..	3.7	2.2	3.1	3.7	2.2	3.1
1979)	18.9	6.7	25.5	..	..	..	4.5	2.6	3.8	4.5	2.6	3.8
1980) Annual averages	23.7	8.4	32.0	..	..	..	7.5	4.1	6.3	8.8	5.1	7.4
1981)	39.6	12.9	52.5	..	..	..	9.2	6.0	8.0	8.8	6.5	7.9
1982)	46.4	16.3	62.7	..	..	..	8.6	6.9	8.0	8.6	6.9	8.0
1983)	49.5	19.8	69.3	..	..	..	8.7	7.2	8.1	7.5	5.8	6.8
1984)	48.7	22.7	71.3	..	..	..	5.1	4.3	4.8	5.1	4.3	4.8
1985)	49.8	25.4	75.3	..	..	..	7.5	6.0	8.0	8.8	6.5	7.9
1986)	51.4	27.4	78.8	..	..	..	7.5	5.8	6.8	8.6	6.9	8.0
1987)	45.8	23.7	69.4	..	..	..	5.1	4.3	4.8	5.1	4.3	4.8
1988)	32.7	17.7	50.4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
1974 Apr	8.5	1.6	10.1	..	..	..	1.7	0.6	1.3	1.8	0.6	1.4
May	8.9	1.6	10.5	0.4	..	..	1.9	0.6	1.4	1.9	0.6	1.4
June	9.3	1.7	11.0	0.5	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
July	9.6	1.8	11.4	0.4	0.4	..	2.0	0.7	1.5	2.1	0.6	1.5
Aug	10.1	1.7	11.8	0.4	0.4	..	2.2	0.6	1.6	2.2	0.6	1.6
Sept	10.5	1.7	12.2	0.4	0.4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Oct	11.0	1.6	12.6	0.4	0.4	0.4	2.3	0.6	1.6	2.3	0.6	1.6
Nov	11.4	1.7	13.1	0.5	0.4	0.4	2.3	0.6	1.7	2.3	0.6	1.7
Dec	11.8	1.9	13.7	0.6	0.5	0.5	2.4	0.7	1.8	2.4	0.7	1.8
1975 Jan	12.5	1.9	14.4	0.7	0.6	0.5	2.5	0.7	1.8	2.5	0.7	1.8
Feb	13.0	2.3	15.3	0.9	0.7	0.6	2.6	0.8	2.0	2.6	0.8	2.0
Mar	13.8	2.4	16.2	0.9	0.8	0.7	2.8	0.8	2.1	2.8	0.8	2.1
Apr	14.7	2.8	17.5	1.3	1.0	0.8	3.0	1.0	2.2	3.0	1.0	2.2
May	15.8	3.1	18.9	1.4	1.2	1.0	3.2	1.1	2.4	3.2	1.1	2.4
June	16.5	3.3	19.8	0.9	1.2	1.0	3.3	1.2	2.5	3.3	1.2	2.5
July	17.5	3.5	21.0	1.2	1.2	1.1	3.5	1.2	2.7	3.6	1.2	2.7
Aug	17.8	3.6	21.4	0.4	0.8	1.0	3.6	1.3	2.7	3.8	1.3	2.9
Sept	18.9	3.8	22.7	1.3	1.0	1.1	3.8	1.3	2.9	3.8	1.3	2.9
Oct	20.0	4.1	24.1	1.4	1.0	1.1	4.0	1.4	3.1	4.0	1.4	3.1
Nov	20.7	4.2	24.9	0.8	1.2	1.0	4.2	1.5	3.2	4.2	1.5	3.2
Dec	21.2	4.4	25.6	0.7	1.0	1.0	4.3	1.6	3.3	4.3	1.6	3.3
1976 Jan	21.8	4.7	26.5	0.9	0.8	0.9	4.4	1.6	3.4	4.4	1.7	3.4
Feb	21.8	4.9	26.7	0.2	0.6	0.9	4.4	1.7	3.4	4.4	1.7	3.4
Mar	21.8	5.0	26.8	0.1	0.4	0.7	4.4	1.7	3.4	4.4	1.7	3.4
Apr	22.3	5.1	27.4	0.6	0.3	0.6	4.5	1.8	3.5	4.5	1.8	3.5
May	22.7	5.3	28.0	0.6	0.4	0.5	4.5	1.8	3.6	4.5	1.8	3.6
June	22.7	5.1	27.8	-0.2	0.3	0.4	4.5	1.8	3.5	4.5	1.8	3.5
July	22.9	5.3	28.2	0.4	0.3	0.3	4.6	1.8	3.6	4.6	1.9	3.7
Aug	23.2	5.6	28.8	0.6	0.3	0.4	4.6	2.0	3.7	4.6	2.0	3.7
Sept	23.0	5.8	28.8	0.0	0.3	0.3	4.6	2.0	3.7	4.6	2.0	3.7
Oct	22.7	5.8	28.5	-0.3	0.1	0.2	4.5	2.0	3.6	4.5	2.0	3.6
Nov	22.9	5.8	28.7	0.2	-0.0	0.1	4.6	2.0	3.6	4.6	2.0	3.6
Dec	23.2	6.0	29.2	0.5	0.1	0.2	4.6	2.1	3.7	4.6	2.1	3.7
1977 Jan	23.2	6.0	29.2	0.0	0.2	0.2	4.6	2.0	3.7	4.6	2.0	3.7
Feb	23.6	5.8	29.4	0.2	0.2	0.1	4.7	2.0	3.7	4.7	2.0	3.7
Mar	23.6	6.1	29.7	0.3	0.2	0.2	4.7	2.1	3.7	4.7	2.1	3.7
Apr	23.8	6.0	29.8	0.1	0.2	0.2	4.7	2.0	3.7	4.7	2.0	3.7
May	23.6	6.1	29.7	-0.1	0.1	0.2	4.7	2.1	3.7	4.7	2.1	3.7
June	24.4	6.4	30.8	1.1	0.4	0.3	4.8	2.2	3.9	4.8	2.2	3.9
July	24.3	6.7	31.0	0.2	0.4	0.3	4.8	2.3	3.9	4.8	2.3	3.9
Aug	24.5	6.7	31.2	0.2	0.5	0.3	4.9	2.3	3.9	4.9	2.3	4.0
Sept	24.7	7.1	31.8	0.6	0.3	0.4	4.9	2.4	4.0	4.9	2.4	4.0
Oct	24.4	7.2	31.6	-0.2	0.2	0.3	4.8	2.4	4.0	4.8	2.4	4.0
Nov	24.1	7.0	31.1	-0.5	-0.0	0.2	4.8	2.4	3.9	4.8	2.4	3.9
Dec	23.7	7.0	30.7	-0.4	-0.4	-0.0	4.7	2.4	3.8	4.7	2.4	3.8
1978 Jan	22.7	6.7	29.4	-1.3	-0.7	-0.3	4.5	2.3	3.7	4.5	2.3	3.7
Feb	22.7	6.9	29.6	0.2	-0.5	-0.3	4.5	2.3	3.7	4.5	2.3	3.7
Mar	22.4	6.8	29.2	-0.4	-0.5	-0.4	4.4	2.3	3.6	4.4	2.3	3.6
Apr	22.4	6.8	29.2	0.0	-0.1	-0.4	4.4	2.3	3.6	4.4	2.3	3.6
May	22.3	6.9	29.2	0.0	-0.1	-0.3	4.4	2.3	3.6	4.4	2.3	3.6
June	21.9	6.8	28.7	-0.5	-0.2	-0.3	4.3	2.3	3.6	4.3	2.3	

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	Male	Female	All	Change since previous month	Average change over previous 3 months	Average change over previous 6 months	Thousands			Per cent
							Male	Female	All	
1980	Jan	17.7	6.7	24.4	0.1	—	-0.1	3.4	2.1	2.9
	Feb	17.8	6.8	24.6	0.2	—	-0.0	3.4	2.1	2.9
	Mar	18.3	7.2	25.5	0.9	0.4	0.2	3.5	2.3	3.0
	Apr	19.4	7.5	26.9	1.4	0.8	0.4	3.7	2.4	3.2
	May	20.5	7.7	28.2	1.3	1.2	0.6	3.9	2.4	3.4
	June	21.6	7.6	29.2	1.0	1.2	0.8	4.1	2.4	3.5
	July	23.2	8.3	31.5	2.3	1.5	1.2	4.5	2.6	3.8
	Aug	25.5	8.9	34.4	2.9	2.1	1.6	4.9	2.8	4.1
	Sept	27.1	9.2	36.3	1.9	2.4	1.8	5.2	2.9	4.3
	Oct	28.8	9.7	38.5	2.2	2.3	1.9	5.5	3.1	4.6
	Nov	31.1	10.1	41.2	2.7	2.3	2.2	6.0	3.2	4.9
	Dec	33.0	10.7	43.7	2.5	2.5	2.4	6.3	3.4	5.2
1981	Jan	34.1	10.9	45.0	1.3	2.2	2.3	6.5	3.5	5.4
	Feb	35.8	11.3	47.1	2.1	2.0	2.1	6.8	3.6	5.6
	Mar	37.3	11.5	48.8	1.7	1.7	2.1	7.1	3.7	5.8
	Apr	38.3	11.9	50.2	1.4	1.7	2.0	7.3	3.8	6.0
	May	39.6	12.3	51.9	1.7	1.6	1.8	7.5	3.9	6.2
	June	40.2	12.8	53.0	1.1	1.4	1.6	7.7	4.1	6.3
	July	41.2	13.2	54.4	1.4	1.4	1.6	7.8	4.2	6.5
	Aug	40.8	13.5	54.3	-0.1	0.8	1.2	7.8	4.3	6.5
	Sept	41.4	13.7	55.1	0.8	0.7	1.1	7.9	4.4	6.6
	Oct	42.0	14.2	56.2	1.1	0.6	1.0	8.0	4.6	6.7
	Nov	42.3	14.4	56.7	0.5	0.8	0.8	8.1	4.6	6.8
	Dec	42.2	14.8	57.0	0.3	0.6	0.7	8.0	4.7	6.8
1982	Jan	43.7	14.9	58.6	1.6	0.8	0.7	8.3	4.7	6.9
	Feb	44.2	15.2	59.4	0.8	0.9	0.9	8.4	4.7	7.0
	Mar	44.1	15.5	59.6	0.2	0.9	0.8	8.3	4.8	7.0
	Apr	44.6	15.8	60.4	0.8	0.6	0.7	8.4	4.9	7.1
	May	45.0	15.8	60.8	0.4	0.5	0.7	8.5	4.9	7.2
	June	45.7	16.0	61.7	0.9	0.7	0.8	8.7	5.0	7.3
	July	46.1	16.3	62.4	0.7	0.7	0.6	8.7	5.1	7.4
	Aug	47.1	16.4	63.5	1.1	0.9	0.7	8.9	5.1	7.5
	Sept	47.8	16.8	64.6	1.1	1.0	0.8	9.0	5.2	7.6
	Oct	48.7	17.3	66.0	1.4	1.2	0.9	9.2	5.4	7.8
	Nov	49.7	17.7	67.4	1.4	1.3	1.1	9.4	5.5	7.9
	Dec	50.3	18.0	68.3	0.9	1.2	1.1	9.5	5.6	8.1
1983	Jan	49.9	18.4	68.3	—	0.8	1.0	9.3	5.6	7.9
	Feb	49.4	18.6	68.0	-0.3	0.2	0.8	9.2	5.6	7.8
	Mar	49.8	18.9	68.7	0.7	0.1	0.7	9.3	5.7	7.9
	Apr	50.0	19.2	69.2	0.5	0.3	0.5	9.3	5.8	8.0
	May	49.5	19.4	68.9	-0.3	0.3	0.3	9.2	5.9	7.9
	June	49.6	19.6	69.2	0.3	0.2	0.2	9.3	5.9	8.0
	July	49.6	19.8	69.4	0.2	0.1	0.2	9.3	6.0	8.0
	Aug	49.5	20.0	69.5	0.1	0.2	0.3	9.2	6.0	8.0
	Sept	49.5	20.5	70.0	0.5	0.3	0.2	9.2	6.2	8.1
	Oct	49.5	20.8	70.3	0.3	0.3	0.2	9.2	6.3	8.1
	Nov	48.8	20.9	69.7	-0.6	0.1	0.1	9.1	6.3	8.0
	Dec	49.0	21.0	70.0	0.3	—	0.1	9.1	6.3	8.1
1984	Jan	48.7	21.3	70.0	—	-0.1	0.1	8.8	6.1	7.8
	Feb	49.3	21.7	71.0	1.0	0.4	0.3	8.9	6.2	7.9
	Mar	49.0	21.9	70.9	-0.1	0.3	0.2	8.9	6.3	7.9
	Apr	48.4	21.9	70.3	-0.6	0.1	—	8.8	6.3	7.8
	May	48.6	22.1	70.7	0.4	-0.1	0.2	8.8	6.3	7.8
	June	48.2	22.5	70.7	—	-0.1	0.1	8.7	6.5	7.8
	July	48.5	22.8	71.3	0.6	0.3	0.2	8.8	6.5	7.9
	Aug	48.6	23.1	71.7	0.4	0.3	0.1	8.8	6.6	8.0
	Sept	48.6	23.3	71.9	0.2	0.4	0.2	8.8	6.7	8.0
	Oct	48.7	23.5	72.2	0.3	0.3	0.3	8.8	6.7	8.0
	Nov	48.7	23.8	72.5	0.3	0.3	0.3	8.8	6.8	8.0
	Dec	48.6	24.0	72.6	0.1	0.2	0.3	8.8	6.9	8.1
1985	Jan	49.1	24.3	73.4	0.8	0.4	0.4	8.5	6.6	7.8
	Feb	50.1	24.6	74.7	1.3	0.7	0.5	8.7	6.7	7.9
	Mar	49.3	24.6	73.9	-0.8	0.4	0.3	8.5	6.7	7.8
	Apr	49.7	25.1	74.8	0.9	0.5	0.4	8.6	6.8	7.9
	May	49.7	25.5	75.2	0.4	0.2	0.5	8.6	6.9	8.0
	June	49.9	25.4	75.3	0.1	0.5	0.5	8.7	6.9	8.0
	July	49.7	25.4	75.1	-0.2	0.1	0.3	8.6	6.9	7.9
	Aug	49.5	25.5	75.0	-0.1	-0.1	0.1	8.6	6.9	7.9
	Sept	49.6	25.9	75.5	0.5	0.1	0.3	8.6	7.0	8.0
	Oct	49.8	25.9	75.7	0.2	0.2	0.2	8.6	7.0	8.0
	Nov	50.3	26.4	76.7	1.0	0.6	0.3	8.7	7.2	8.1
	Dec	51.1	26.6	77.7	1.0	0.7	0.4	8.9	7.2	8.2
1986	Jan	50.9	26.7	77.6	-0.1	0.6	0.4	8.6	7.1	8.0
	Feb	50.8	27.0	77.8	0.2	0.4	0.5	8.6	7.1	8.0
	Mar	52.2	27.5	79.7	1.9	0.7	0.7	8.8	7.3	8.2
	Apr	51.4	27.2	78.6	-1.1	0.3	0.5	8.7	7.2	8.1

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1987	Jan	50.8	26.7	77.5	—	-0.3	-0.4	8.3	6.6	7.6
	Feb	50.0	25.9	75.9	-1.6	-0.8	-0.6	8.2	6.4	7.5
	Mar	49.5	25.5	75.0	-0.9	-0.8	-0.7	8.1	6.3	7.4
	Apr	48.5	25.2	73.7	-1.3	-1.3	-0.8	7.9	6.2	7.2
	May	47.5	24.3	71.8	-1.9	-1.4	-1.1	7.8	6.0	7.0
	June	46.8	24.0	70.8	-1.0	-1.4	-1.1	7.7	5.9	7.0
	July	45.8	23.4	69.2	-1.6	-1.5	-1.4	7.5	5.7	6.8
	Aug	44.7	23.0	67.7	-1.5	-1.4	-1.4	7.3	5.6	6.6
	Sept	43.7	22.4	66.1	-1.6	-1.6	-1.5	7.1	5.5	6.5
	Oct	42.3	21.8	64.1	-2.0	-1.7	-1.6	6.9	5.4	6.3
	Nov	40.3	20.8	61.1	-3.0	-2.2	-1.8	6.6	5.1	6.0
	Dec	39.2	20.8	60.0	-1.1	-2.0	-1.8	6.4	5.1	5.9
1988	Jan	37.8	20.6	58.4	-1.6	-1.9	-1.8	5.9	5.0	5.5
	Feb	37.0	20.2	57.2	-1.2	-1.3	-1.8	5.7	4.9	5.4
	Mar	36.0	19.7	55.7	-1.5	-1.4	-1.7	5.6	4.8	5.3
	Apr	34.7	19.2	53.9	-1.8	-1.5	-1.7	5.4	4.6	5.1
	May	34.1	18.8	52.9	-1.0	-1.4	-1.4	5.3	4.5	5.0
	June	33.3	18.1	51.4	-1.5	-1.4	-1.4	5.2	4.4	4.9
	July	32.1	17.5	49.6	-1.8	-1.4	-1.5	5.0	4.2	4.7
	Aug	31.5	16.9	48.4	-1.2	-1.5	-1.5	4.9	4.1	4.6
	Sept	30.7	16.4	47.1	-1.3	-1.4	-1.4	4.8	4.0	4.4
	Oct	29.8	15.9	45.7	-1.4	-1.3	-1.4	4.6	3.8	4.3
	Nov	28.3	15.0	43.3	-2.4	-1.7	-1.6	4.4	3.6	4.1
	Dec	26.8	14.3	41.1	-2.2	-2.0	-1.7	4.2	3.5	3.9
1989	Jan	25.3	13.2	38.5	-2.6	-2.4	-1.9	3.9	3.2	3.6
	Feb P	24.3	12.8	37.1	-1.4	-2.1	-1.9	3.8	3.1	3.5

Table 6 Unemployment – seasonally adjusted, consistent with current coverage, South West

	Male	Female	All	Change since previous month	Average change over previous 3 months	Average change over previous 6 months	Thousands			Per cent
							Male	Female	All	
1974)	30.8	6.0	36.8	..	..	..	2.8	0.9	2.1	
1975)	50.9	10.8	61.6	..	..	..	4.5	1.6	3.4	
1976)	66.9	17.2	84.1	..	..	..	5.9	2.6	4.7	
1977)	69.2	20.9	90.1	..	..	..	6.1	3.0	4.9	
1978)	62.3	21.9	84.2	..	..	..	5.5	3.1	4.6	
1979)	52.7	21.1	73.7	..	..	..	4.7	2.9	4.0	
1980) Annual averages	60.2	25.1	85.3	..	..	..	5.2	3.4	4.5	
1981)	93.8	37.1	130.9	..	..	..	7.9	5.0	6.8	
1982)	107.4	44.3	151.7	..	..	..	9.1	5.8	7.8	
1983)	115.1	52.6	167.6	..	..	..	9.9	6.9	8.7	
1984)	118.9	60.2	179.1	..	..	..	10.0	7.5	9.0	
1985)	124.5	66.0	190.5	..	..	..	10.3	7.9	9.3	
1986)	126.1	69.7	195.8	..	..	..	10.4	8.2	9.5	
1987)	111.4	60.9	172.3	..	..	..	9.1	7.0	8.2	
1988)	86.5	47.3	133.7	..	..	..	7.1	5.4	6.3	
1974 Apr	25.8	5.0	30.8				2.3	0.8	1.8	
May	27.2	5.4	32.6	1.8	..	..	2.5	0.8	1.9	
June	28.7	6.3	35.0	2.4	..	..	2.6	1.0	2.0	
July	29.8	6.2	36.0	1.0	1.7	..	2.7	1.0	2.0	
Aug	31.9	6.4	38.3	2.3	1.9	..	2.9	1.0	2.2	
Sept	32.8	6.7	39.5	1.2	1.5	..	3.0	1.0	2.2	
Oct	32.7	6.1	38.8	-0.7	0.9	1.3	2.9	0.9	2.2	
Nov	33.5	5.7	39.2	0.4	0.3	1.1	3.0	0.9	2.2	
Dec	35.0	6.3	41.3	2.1	0.6	1.1	3.2	1.0	2.3	
1975 Jan	37.6	6.9	44.5	3.2	1.9	1.4	3.3	1.0	2.5	
Feb	39.3	7.3	46.6	2.1	2.5	1.4	3.5	1.1	2.6	
Mar	41.9	8.2	50.1	3.5	2.9	1.8	3.7	1.2	2.8	
Apr	44.6	9.0	53.6	3.5	3.0	2.5	3.9	1.4	3.0	
May	48.0	10.1	58.1	4.5	3.8	3.2	4.2	1.5	3.2	
June	50.9	10.7	61.6	3.5	3.8	3.4	4.5	1.6	3.4	
July	53.5	11.4	64.9	3.3	3.8	3.4	4.7	1.7	3.6	
Aug	55.3	12.1	67.4	2.5	3.1	3.5	4.9	1.8	3.8	
Sept	57.1	12.3	69.4	2.0	2.6	3.2	5.0	1.9	3.9	
Oct	58.4	12.7	71.1	1.7	2.1	2.9	5.2	1.9	4.0	
Nov	61.0	13.8	74.8	3.7	2.5	2.8	5.4	2.1	4.2	
Dec	62.8	14.6	77.4	2.6	2.7	2.6	5.6	2.2	4.3	
1976 Jan	63.7	14.5	78.2	0.8	2.4	2.2	5.6	2.2	4.3	
Feb	65.3	15.5	80.8	2.6	2.0	2.2	5.8	2.3	4.5	
Mar	65.8	16.1	81.9	1.1	1.5	2.1	5.8	2.4	4.6	
Apr	66.7	16.4	83.1	1.2	1.6	2.0	5.9	2.4	4.6	
May	66.6	16.8	83.4	0.3	0.9	1.4	5.9	2.5	4.6	
June	66.7	17.1	83.8	0.4	0.6	1.1	5.9	2.6	4.7	
July	67.5	17.2	84.7	0.9	0.5	1.1	6.0	2.6	4.7	
Aug	67.5	18.1	85.6	0.9	0.7	0.8	6.0	2.7	4.8	
Sept	67.2	18.1	85.3	-0.3	0.5	0.6	6.0	2.7	4.7	
Oct	68.3	18.7	87.0	1.7	0.8	0.7	6.0	2.8	4.8	
Nov	68.7	19.1	87.8	0.8	0.7	0.7	6.1	2.9	4.9	
Dec	68.6	18.9	87.5	-0.3	0.7	0.6	6.1	2.8	4.9	
1977 Jan	68.4	19.2	87.6	0.1	0.2	0.5	6.0	2.8	4.8	
Feb	68.1	19.0	87.1	-0.5	-0.2	0.3	6.0	2.8	4.8	
Mar	68.2	19.2	87.4	0.3	—	0.4	6.0	2.8	4.8	
Apr	68.2	19.3	87.5	0.1	—	0.1	6.0	2.8	4.8	
May	67.6	19.5	87.1	-0.4	—	-0.1	5.9	2.8	4.8	
June	70.0	20.5	90.5	3.4	1.0	0.5	6.2	3.0	5.0	
July	69.8	21.4	91.2	0.7	1.2	0.6	6.1	3.1	5.0	
Aug	69.6	21.4	91.0	-0.2	1.3	0.7	6.1	3.1	5.0	
Sept	70.5	22.7	93.2	2.2	0.9	1.0	6.2	3.3	5.1	
Oct	71.5	23.1	94.6	1.4	1.1	1.2	6.3	3.4	5.2	
Nov	69.5	22.9	92.4	-2.2	0.5	0.9	6.1	3.3	5.1	
Dec	68.5	22.5	91.0	-1.4	-0.7	0.1	6.0	3.3	5.0	
1978 Jan	67.8	22.6	90.4	-0.6	-1.4	-0.1	6.0	3.2	4.9	
Feb	65.9	22.3	88.2	-2.2	-1.4	-0.5	5.8	3.1	4.8	
Mar	65.5	21.8	87.3	-0.9	-1.2	-1.0	5.8	3.1	4.8	
Apr	64.7	22.0	86.7	-0.6	-1.2	-1.3	5.7	3.1	4.7	
May	64.0	22.0	86.0	-0.7	-0.7	-1.1	5.7	3.1	4.7	
June	62.6	22.1	84.7	-1.3	-0.9	-1.1	5.6	3.1	4.6	
July	61.9	21.9	83.8	-0.9	-1.0	-1.1	5.5	3.1	4.6	
Aug	61.6	22.2	83.8	—	-0.7	-0.7	5.5	3.1	4.6	
Sept	60.3	21.9	82.2	-1.6	-0.8	-0.9	5.3	3.1	4.5	
Oct	59.3	21.7	81.0	-1.2	-0.9	-1.0	5.3	3.1	4.4	
Nov	57.5	21.2	78.7	-2.3	-1.7	-1.2	5.1	3.0	4.3	
Dec	56.5	21.2	77.7	-1.0	-1.5	-1.2	5.0	3.0	4.2	
1979 Jan	56.8	21.4	78.2	0.5	-0.9	-0.9	5.1	2.9	4.2	
Feb	57.1	21.5	78.6	0.4	—	-0.9	5.1	2.9	4.3	
Mar	55.5	21.8	77.3	-1.3	-0.1	-0.8	5.0	3.0	4.2	
Apr	54.4	21.5	75.9	-1.4	-0.8	-0.9	4.9	2.9	4.1	
May	53.3	21.4	74.7	-1.2	-1.3	-0.7	4.8	2.9	4.0	
June	52.8	21.2	74.0	-0.7	-1.1	-0.6	4.7	2.9	4.0	
July	52.0	21.1	73.1	-0.9	-0.9	-0.9	4.7	2.9	4.0	
Aug	51.3	20.9	72.2	-0.9	-0.8	-1.1	4.6	2		

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	Male	Female	All	Change since previous month	Average change over previous 3 months	Average change over previous 6 months	Thousands			Per cent
							Male	Female	All	
1980	Jan 48.2	21.2	69.4	-0.1	-0.4	-0.6	4.2	2.8	3.7	
	Feb 49.5	21.6	71.1	1.7	0.6	-0.2	4.3	2.9	3.7	
	Mar 50.2	21.8	72.0	0.9	0.8	0.1	4.4	2.9	3.8	
	Apr 51.9	22.4	74.3	2.3	1.6	0.6	4.5	3.0	3.9	
	May 53.6	23.2	76.8	2.5	1.9	1.3	4.7	3.1	4.0	
	June 56.0	23.8	79.8	3.0	2.6	1.7	4.9	3.2	4.2	
	July 59.0	25.0	84.0	4.2	3.2	2.4	5.1	3.3	4.4	
	Aug 63.2	26.4	89.6	5.6	4.3	3.1	5.5	3.5	4.7	
	Sept 66.6	27.3	93.9	4.3	4.7	3.7	5.8	3.6	4.9	
	Oct 70.2	27.9	98.1	4.2	4.7	4.0	6.1	3.7	5.2	
	Nov 74.7	29.7	104.4	6.3	4.9	4.6	6.5	4.0	5.5	
	Dec 79.3	31.2	110.5	6.1	5.5	5.1	6.9	4.2	5.8	
1981	Jan 80.8	32.0	112.8	2.3	4.9	4.8	6.8	4.3	5.8	
	Feb 83.6	32.8	116.4	3.6	4.0	4.5	7.0	4.4	6.0	
	Mar 87.4	34.3	121.7	5.3	3.7	4.6	7.3	4.6	6.3	
	Apr 91.1	35.8	126.9	5.2	4.7	4.8	7.6	4.8	6.6	
	May 93.4	36.5	129.9	3.0	4.5	4.3	7.8	4.9	6.7	
	June 94.5	36.7	131.2	1.3	3.2	3.5	7.9	4.9	6.8	
	July 96.5	37.6	134.1	2.9	2.4	3.6	8.1	5.1	6.9	
	Aug 97.2	38.4	135.6	1.5	1.9	3.2	8.2	5.2	7.0	
	Sept 97.7	38.9	136.6	1.0	1.8	2.5	8.2	5.2	7.1	
	Oct 99.8	39.8	139.6	3.0	1.8	2.1	8.4	5.3	7.2	
	Nov 101.6	41.0	142.6	3.0	2.3	2.1	8.5	5.5	7.4	
	Dec 102.2	41.2	143.4	0.8	2.3	2.0	8.6	5.5	7.4	
1982	Jan 103.3	41.2	144.5	1.1	1.6	1.7	8.8	5.4	7.5	
	Feb 105.3	41.8	147.1	2.6	1.5	1.9	8.9	5.5	7.6	
	Mar 103.8	42.1	145.9	-1.2	0.8	1.6	8.8	5.5	7.5	
	Apr 104.1	42.6	146.7	0.8	0.7	1.2	8.8	5.6	7.6	
	May 105.6	42.9	148.5	1.8	0.5	1.0	9.0	5.7	7.7	
	June 105.9	43.9	149.8	1.3	1.3	1.1	9.0	5.8	7.7	
	July 107.6	44.1	151.7	1.9	1.7	1.2	9.1	5.8	7.8	
	Aug 108.5	45.0	153.5	1.8	1.7	1.1	9.2	5.9	7.9	
	Sept 109.3	46.0	155.3	1.8	1.8	1.6	9.3	6.1	8.0	
	Oct 110.3	46.6	156.9	1.6	1.7	1.7	9.4	6.1	8.1	
	Nov 111.3	47.4	158.7	1.8	1.7	1.7	9.5	6.2	8.2	
	Dec 113.3	48.2	161.5	2.8	2.1	2.0	9.6	6.4	8.3	
1983	Jan 113.9	49.0	162.9	1.4	2.0	1.9	9.8	6.4	8.5	
	Feb 113.5	49.6	163.1	0.2	1.5	1.6	9.8	6.5	8.5	
	Mar 114.3	50.4	164.7	1.6	1.1	1.6	9.9	6.6	8.6	
	Apr 114.2	50.6	164.8	0.1	0.6	1.3	9.8	6.6	8.6	
	May 114.5	51.7	166.2	1.4	1.0	1.3	9.9	6.8	8.6	
	June 116.2	52.4	168.6	2.4	1.3	1.2	10.0	6.8	8.8	
	July 115.7	53.1	168.8	0.2	1.3	1.0	10.0	6.9	8.8	
	Aug 115.5	53.2	168.7	-0.1	0.8	0.9	10.0	7.0	8.8	
	Sept 115.9	53.8	169.7	1.0	0.4	0.8	10.0	7.0	8.8	
	Oct 115.7	55.2	170.9	1.2	0.7	1.0	10.0	7.2	8.9	
	Nov 115.3	55.7	171.0	0.1	0.8	0.8	9.9	7.3	8.9	
	Dec 116.0	56.3	172.3	1.3	0.9	0.6	10.0	7.4	8.9	
1984	Jan 115.8	56.9	172.7	0.4	0.6	0.7	9.8	7.0	8.7	
	Feb 116.4	57.9	174.3	1.6	1.1	0.9	9.8	7.2	8.8	
	Mar 117.1	58.5	175.6	1.3	1.1	1.0	9.9	7.2	8.8	
	Apr 116.8	58.9	175.7	0.1	1.0	0.8	9.9	7.3	8.8	
	May 116.8	59.2	176.0	0.3	0.6	0.8	9.9	7.3	8.8	
	June 117.7	59.6	177.3	1.3	0.6	0.8	9.9	7.4	8.9	
	July 118.4	60.3	178.7	1.4	1.0	1.0	10.0	7.5	9.0	
	Aug 119.1	60.9	180.0	1.3	1.3	1.0	10.1	7.5	9.0	
	Sept 120.9	61.9	182.8	2.8	1.8	1.2	10.2	7.7	9.2	
	Oct 122.1	62.3	184.4	1.6	1.9	1.5	10.3	7.7	9.3	
	Nov 122.8	62.6	185.4	1.0	1.8	1.6	10.4	7.8	9.3	
	Dec 122.8	63.2	186.0	0.6	1.1	1.5	10.4	7.8	9.3	
1985	Jan 123.3	63.6	186.9	0.9	0.8	1.4	10.2	7.7	9.1	
	Feb 125.5	64.4	189.9	3.0	1.5	1.7	10.4	7.8	9.3	
	Mar 124.3	64.5	188.8	-1.1	0.9	1.0	10.3	7.8	9.2	
	Apr 125.0	65.2	190.2	1.4	1.1	1.0	10.3	7.8	9.3	
	May 125.1	65.8	190.9	0.7	0.3	0.9	10.3	7.9	9.3	
	June 123.9	65.9	189.8	-1.1	0.3	0.6	10.2	7.9	9.3	
	July 123.8	66.2	190.0	0.2	-0.1	0.5	10.2	8.0	9.3	
	Aug 124.2	66.5	190.7	0.7	-0.1	0.1	10.2	8.0	9.3	
	Sept 124.5	67.3	191.8	1.1	0.7	0.5	10.3	8.1	9.4	
	Oct 124.5	67.2	191.7	-0.1	0.6	0.3	10.3	8.1	9.4	
	Nov 124.7	67.6	192.3	0.6	0.5	0.2	10.3	8.1	9.4	
	Dec 125.3	68.2	193.5	1.2	0.6	0.6	10.3	8.2	9.5	
1986	Jan 125.7	68.4	194.1	0.6	0.8	0.7	10.4	8.1	9.4	
	Feb 125.1	68.9	194.0	-0.1	0.6	0.6	10.3	8.1	9.4	
	Mar 128.0	69.4	197.4	3.4	1.3	0.9				

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1987	Jan	122.3	67.6	189.9	-0.9	-1.7	-1.4	10.0	7.7	9.1
	Feb	120.6	66.1	186.7	-3.2	-2.4	-1.9	9.9	7.6	8.9
	Mar	118.6	65.2	183.8	-2.9	-2.3	-2.1	9.7	7.5	8.8
	Apr	117.2	65.0	182.2	-1.6	-2.6	-2.1	9.6	7.4	8.7
	May	113.9	62.5	176.4	-5.8	-3.4	-2.9	9.3	7.2	8.4
	June	112.6	61.8	174.4	-2.0	-3.1	-2.7	9.2	7.1	8.3
	July	111.1	60.4	171.5	-2.9	-3.6	-3.1	9.1	6.9	8.2
	Aug	109.1	59.9	169.0	-2.5	-2.5	-3.0	8.9	6.9	8.1
	Sept	106.6	57.4	164.0	-5.0	-3.5	-3.3	8.7	6.6	7.8
	Oct	103.9	55.8	159.7	-4.3	-3.9	-3.8	8.5	6.4	7.6
	Nov	101.2	54.7	155.9	-3.8	-4.4	-3.4	8.3	6.3	7.4
	Dec	99.8	54.1	153.9	-2.0	-3.4	-3.4	8.2	6.2	7.3
1988	Jan	97.5	53.7	151.2	-2.7	-2.8	-3.4	8.0	6.1	7.2
	Feb	95.4	53.0	148.4	-2.8	-2.5	-3.4	7.8	6.0	7.0
	Mar	93.4	51.9	145.3	-3.1	-2.9	-3.1	7.6	5.9	6.9
	Apr	90.7	51.0	141.7	-3.6	-3.2	-3.0	7.4	5.8	6.7
	May	89.3	50.0	139.3	-2.4	-3.0	-2.8	7.3	5.7	6.6
	June	88.2	48.9	137.1	-2.2	-2.7	-2.8	7.2	5.5	6.5
	July	85.5	47.0	132.5	-4.6	-3.1	-3.1	7.0	5.3	6.3
	Aug	83.7	45.1	128.8	-3.7	-3.5	-3.3	6.8	5.1	6.1
	Sept	82.2	43.9	126.1	-2.7	-3.7	-3.2	6.7	5.0	6.0
	Oct	80.4	42.5	122.9	-3.2	-3.2	-3.1	6.6	4.8	5.8
	Nov	77.3	41.0	118.3	-4.6	-3.5	-3.5	6.3	4.6	5.6
	Dec	73.8	39.3	113.1	-5.2	-4.3	-4.0	6.0	4.5	5.4
1989	Jan	71.4	37.7	109.1	-4.0	-4.6	-3.9	5.8	4.3	5.2
	Feb P	69.4	36.7	106.1	-3.0	-4.1	-3.8	5.7	4.2	5.0

Table 7 Unemployment - seasonally adjusted, consistent with current coverage, West Midlands

	Male	Female	All	Change since previous month	Average change over previous 3 months	Average change over previous 6 months	Thousands			Per cent	
							Male	Female	All		
1974	35.6	6.7	42.3	..	..	..	2.3	0.7	1.7	
1975	62.2	14.1	76.4	..	..	..	3.9	1.6	3.1	
1976	84.6	22.3	106.9	..	..	..	5.4	2.4	4.3	
1977	78.8	25.3	104.1	..	..	..	5.0	2.7	4.2	
1978	73.9	26.3	100.2	..	..	..	4.7	2.8	4.0	
1979	71.9	28.0	99.9	..	..	..	4.6	2.9	4.0	
1980	99.7	40.0	139.6	..	..	..	6.3	4.1	5.5	
1981	Annual averages	187.2	65.9	253.0	..	..	11.9	6.9	10.0	
1982		220.6	77.2	297.8	..	..	14.1	8.1	11.9	
1983		235.0	86.3	321.3	..	..	15.2	9.1	12.9	
1984		229.7	92.5	322.2	..	..	14.7	9.4	12.7	
1985		230.2	96.7	326.9	..	..	14.7	9.6	12.7	
1986		228.1	99.6	327.7	..	..	14.5	9.6	12.6	
1987		203.5	88.6	292.1	..	..	12.8	8.4	11.1	
1988		158.7	71.4	230.1	..	..	9.9	6.5	8.5	
1974	Apr	35.6	6.8	42.4	..	..	2.3	0.7	1.7	
May		34.6	6.7	41.3	-1.1	..	2.2	0.7	1.7		
June		34.6	6.7	41.3	—	..	2.2	0.7	1.7		
July		33.2	6.0	39.2	-2.1	-1.1	2.1	0.7	1.6		
Aug		34.1	6.6	40.7	1.5	-0.2	2.2	0.7	1.6		
Sept		34.6	6.4	41.0	0.3	-0.1	2.2	0.7	1.7		
Oct		36.7	6.5	43.2	2.2	1.3	2.3	0.7	1.7		
Nov		38.1	7.0	45.1	1.9	1.5	2.4	0.8	1.8		
Dec		39.0	7.9	46.9	1.8	2.0	2.5	0.9	1.9		
1975	Jan	41.1	8.4	49.5	2.6	2.1	2.6	0.9	2.0		
Feb		43.2	9.2	52.4	2.9	2.4	2.7	1.0	2.1		
Mar		46.1	10.5	56.6	4.2	3.2	2.9	1.2	2.3		
Apr		51.3	11.4	62.7	6.1	4.4	3.2	1.3	2.5		
May		55.8	12.6	68.4	5.7	5.3	3.5	1.4	2.7		
June		60.5	13.8	74.3	5.9	5.9	3.8	1.5	3.0		
July		64.9	14.7	79.6	5.3	5.6	4.1	1.6	3.2		
Aug		68.0	15.2	83.2	3.6	4.9	4.3	1.7	3.3		
Sept		71.6	16.2	87.8	4.6	4.5	4.5	1.8	3.5		
Oct		78.7	18.5	97.2	9.4	5.9	5.0	2.0	3.9		
Nov		81.5	19.4	100.9	3.7	5.9	5.2	2.1	4.1		
Dec		84.1	19.7	103.8	2.9	5.3	5.3	2.2	4.2		
1976	Jan	86.6	20.6	107.2	3.4	3.3	5.5	2.2	4.3		
Feb		87.3	21.2	108.5	1.3	2.5	5.5	2.3	4.3		
Mar		87.3	21.5	108.8	0.3	1.7	5.5	2.3	4.4		
Apr		86.6	21.6	108.2	-0.6	0.3	5.5	2.4	4.3		
May		87.2	21.7	108.9	0.7	0.1	5.5	2.4	4.4		
June		86.0	22.0	108.0	-0.9	-0.3	5.4	2.4	4.3		
July		85.1	22.8	107.9	-0.1	-0.1	5.4	2.5	4.3		
Aug		84.5	23.3	107.8	-0.1	-0.4	5.3	2.5	4.3		
Sept		83.6	23.4	107.0	-0.8	-0.3	5.3	2.5	4.3		
Oct		80.9	22.8	103.7	-3.3	-1.4	5.1	2.5	4.1		
Nov		80.1	23.1	103.2	-0.5	-1.5	5.1	2.5	4.1		
Dec		79.6	23.5	103.1	-0.1	-1.3	5.0	2.6	4.1		
1977	Jan	78.9	24.2	103.1	—	-0.2	-0.8	5.0	2.6	4.1	
Feb		78.3	24.2	102.5	-0.6	-0.2	5.0	2.6	4.1		
Mar		78.6	24.1	102.7	0.2	-0.1	5.0	2.6	4.1		
Apr		78.8	24.3	103.1	0.4	—	5.0	2.6	4.1		
May		78.7	24.6	103.3	0.2	0.3	5.0	2.6	4.1		
June		78.9	24.5	103.4	0.1	0.2	5.0	2.6	4.1		
July		79.7	25.8	105.5	2.1	0.8	5.1	2.8	4.2		
Aug		79.8	25.8	105.6	0.1	0.8	5.1	2.8	4.2		
Sept		80.5	26.6	107.1	1.5	1.2	5.1	2.8	4.3		
Oct		79.3	26.5	105.8	-1.3	0.1	5.0	2.8	4.2		
Nov		77.5	26.6	104.1	-1.7	-0.5	4.9	2.8	4.2		
Dec		77.0	26.0	103.0	-1.1	-1.4	4.9	2.8	4.1		
1978	Jan	75.7	25.4	101.1	-1.9	-1.6	4.8	2.7	4.0		
Feb		74.3	25.3	99.6	-1.5	-1.5	4.7	2.7	4.0		
Mar		74.0	25.6	99.6	—	-1.1	4.7	2.7	4.0		
Apr		74.4	26.2	100.6	1.0	-0.2	4.7	2.8	4.0		
May		74.2	26.5	100.7	0.1	0.4	4.7	2.8	4.0		
June		74.6	26.8	101.4	0.7	0.6	4.8	2.9	4.0		
July		74.3	26.3	100.6	-0.8	—	4.7	2.8	4.0		
Aug		74.9	27.0	101.9	1.3	0.4	4.8	2.9	4.1		
Sept		73.5	26.6	100.1	-1.8	-0.4	4.7	2.8	4.0		
Oct		73.1	26.7	99.8	-0.3	-0.3	4.7	2.8	4.0		
Nov		72.4	26.5	98.9	-0.9	-1.0	4.6	2.8	3.9		
Dec		71.6	26.8	98.4	-0.5	-0.6	4.6	2.9	3.9		
1979	Jan	71.8	26.8	98.6	0.2	-0.4	4.6	2.8	3.9		
Feb		73.6	27.0	100.6	2.0	0.6	4.7	2.8	4.0		
Mar		73.5	27.2	100.7	0.1	0.8	4.7	2.9	4.0		
Apr		72.2	27.0	99.2	-1.5	0.2	4.6	2.8	3.9		
May		72.4	28.0	100.4	1.2	-0.1	4.6	2.9	4.0		
June		71.6	27.8	99.4	-1.0	-0.4	4.6	2.9	3.9		
July		71.7	28.4	100.1	0.7	0.3	4.6	3.0	4.0		
Aug		70.1	27.9	98.0	-2.1	-0.8	4.5	2.9	3.9		
Sept		70.7	28.5	99.2	1.2	-0.1	4.5	3.0	3.9		
Oct		71.8	28.5	100.3	1.1	0.1	4.6	3.0	4.0		
Nov		71.6	28.9	100.5	0.2	0.8	4.6	3.0	4.0		
Dec		71.5	29.7	10							

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	Male	Female	All	Change since previous month	Average change over previous 3 months	Average change over previous 6 months	Thousands			Per cent
							Male	Female	All	
1980	Jan	71.5	30.0	101.5	0.3	0.4	0.2	4.5	3.1	4.0
	Feb	73.2	31.4	104.6	3.1	1.4	1.1	4.7	3.3	4.1
	Mar	75.5	32.7	108.2	3.6	2.3	1.5	4.8	3.4	4.3
	Apr	79.6	34.1	113.7	5.5	4.1	2.2	5.1	3.5	4.5
	May	83.7	35.8	119.5	5.8	5.0	3.2	5.3	3.7	4.7
	June	89.1	37.4	126.5	7.0	6.1	4.2	5.7	3.9	5.0
	July	96.7	39.0	135.7	9.2	7.3	5.7	6.2	4.0	5.4
	Aug	105.5	42.2	147.7	12.0	9.4	7.2	6.7	4.4	5.8
	Sept	115.1	44.8	159.9	12.2	11.1	8.6	7.3	4.6	6.3
	Oct	123.8	48.2	172.0	12.1	12.1	9.7	7.9	5.0	6.8
	Nov	137.2	50.8	188.0	16.0	13.4	11.4	8.7	5.3	7.4
	Dec	145.0	53.2	198.2	10.2	12.8	12.0	9.2	5.5	7.8
1981	Jan	154.1	56.4	210.5	12.3	12.8	12.5	9.8	5.9	8.3
	Feb	162.3	58.9	221.2	10.7	11.1	12.3	10.3	6.1	8.7
	Mar	170.4	60.7	231.1	9.9	11.0	11.9	10.8	6.3	9.1
	Apr	177.7	63.3	241.0	9.9	10.2	11.5	11.3	6.6	9.5
	May	183.8	63.4	247.2	6.2	8.7	9.9	11.7	6.6	9.8
	June	189.0	65.2	254.2	7.0	7.7	9.3	12.0	6.8	10.0
	July	191.8	67.0	258.8	4.6	5.9	8.1	12.2	7.0	10.2
	Aug	197.5	69.4	266.9	8.1	6.6	7.6	12.5	7.2	10.5
	Sept	199.1	69.4	268.5	1.6	4.8	6.2	12.6	7.2	10.6
	Oct	203.9	71.1	275.0	6.5	5.4	5.7	12.9	7.4	10.9
	Nov	206.8	72.3	279.1	4.1	4.1	5.3	13.1	7.5	11.0
	Dec	209.5	73.3	282.8	3.7	4.8	4.8	13.3	7.6	11.2
1982	Jan	213.8	73.7	287.5	4.7	4.2	4.8	13.7	7.8	11.5
	Feb	214.0	73.8	287.8	0.3	2.9	3.5	13.7	7.8	11.5
	Mar	214.1	74.6	288.7	0.9	2.0	3.4	13.7	7.9	11.5
	Apr	215.8	75.5	291.3	2.6	1.3	2.7	13.8	8.0	11.6
	May	215.5	75.8	291.3	—	1.2	2.0	13.8	8.0	11.6
	June	217.7	76.6	294.3	3.0	1.9	1.9	13.9	8.1	11.7
	July	220.5	77.3	297.8	3.5	2.2	1.7	14.1	8.2	11.9
	Aug	222.4	77.9	300.3	2.5	3.0	2.1	14.2	8.2	12.0
	Sept	225.4	79.2	304.6	4.3	3.4	2.7	14.4	8.4	12.1
	Oct	226.8	79.5	306.3	1.7	2.8	2.5	14.5	8.4	12.2
	Nov	230.1	80.7	310.8	4.5	3.5	3.3	14.7	8.5	12.4
	Dec	231.5	81.6	313.1	2.3	2.8	3.1	14.8	8.6	12.5
1983	Jan	233.5	82.5	316.0	2.9	3.2	3.0	15.1	8.7	12.6
	Feb	233.7	83.4	317.1	1.1	2.1	2.8	15.1	8.8	12.7
	Mar	236.5	84.4	320.9	3.8	2.6	2.7	15.3	8.9	12.8
	Apr	236.8	85.5	322.3	1.4	2.1	2.7	15.3	9.0	12.9
	May	238.0	86.2	324.2	1.9	2.4	2.2	15.4	9.1	13.0
	June	238.4	86.8	325.2	1.0	1.4	2.0	15.4	9.1	13.0
	July	237.9	87.2	325.1	-0.1	0.9	1.5	15.4	9.2	13.0
	Aug	236.1	86.8	322.9	-2.2	-0.4	1.0	15.3	9.1	12.9
	Sept	234.9	87.4	322.3	-0.6	-1.0	0.2	15.2	9.2	12.9
	Oct	232.9	87.8	320.7	-1.6	-1.5	-0.3	15.1	9.2	12.8
	Nov	231.2	88.3	319.5	-1.2	-1.1	-0.8	14.9	9.3	12.8
	Dec	230.6	89.0	319.6	0.1	-0.9	-0.9	14.9	9.4	12.8
1984	Jan	229.5	89.3	318.8	-0.8	-0.6	-1.1	14.7	9.1	12.6
	Feb	228.8	90.3	319.1	0.3	-0.1	-0.6	14.7	9.2	12.6
	Mar	229.0	91.1	320.1	1.0	0.2	-0.4	14.7	9.3	12.6
	Apr	228.8	91.1	319.9	-0.2	0.4	-0.1	14.7	9.3	12.6
	May	229.0	92.0	321.0	1.1	0.6	0.3	14.7	9.4	12.7
	June	228.7	92.3	321.0	—	0.3	0.2	14.7	9.4	12.7
	July	229.5	92.7	322.2	1.2	0.8	0.6	14.7	9.5	12.7
	Aug	229.6	92.9	322.5	0.3	0.5	0.6	14.7	9.5	12.7
	Sept	230.4	93.9	324.3	1.8	1.1	0.7	14.8	9.6	12.8
	Oct	231.6	94.8	326.4	2.1	1.4	1.1	14.9	9.7	12.9
	Nov	230.7	94.5	325.2	-1.2	0.9	0.7	14.8	9.7	12.8
	Dec	231.3	95.0	326.3	1.1	0.7	0.9	14.8	9.7	12.9
1985	Jan	231.8	95.3	327.1	0.8	0.2	0.8	14.8	9.4	12.7
	Feb	232.2	96.1	328.3	1.2	1.0	1.0	14.8	9.5	12.8
	Mar	231.0	95.9	326.9	-1.4	0.2	0.4	14.8	9.5	12.7
	Apr	231.6	96.2	327.8	0.9	0.2	0.2	14.8	9.5	12.7
	May	231.9	96.6	328.5	0.7	0.1	0.6	14.8	9.6	12.8
	June	230.2	96.4	326.6	-1.9	-0.1	0.1	14.7	9.6	12.7
	July	229.7	96.6	326.3	-0.3	-0.5	-0.1	14.7	9.6	12.7
	Aug	228.9	96.9	325.8	-0.5	-0.9	-0.4	14.6	9.6	12.7
	Sept	228.9	97.6	326.5	0.7	—	-0.1	14.6	9.7	12.7
	Oct	228.6	97.7	326.3	-0.2	—	-0.3	14.6	9.7	12.7
	Nov	228.5	97.4	325.9	-0.4	—	-0.4	14.6	9.7	12.7
	Dec	228.9	97.9	326.8	0.9	0.1	—	14.6	9.7	12.7
1986	Jan	229.1	97.9	327.0	0.2	0.2	0.1	14.6	9.5	12.5

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1987	Jan	221.8	97.3	319.1	-1.4	-2.1	-1.8	14.0	9.2	12.1
	Feb	218.4	95.2	313.6	-5.5	-3.9	-2.8	13.8	9.0	11.9
	Mar	216.2	93.8	310.0	-3.6	-3.5	-3.1	13.6	8.9	11.7
	Apr	213.6	92.9	306.5	-3.5	-4.2	-3.2	13.5	8.8	11.6
	May	209.3	91.0	300.3	-6.2	-4.4	-4.2	13.2	8.6	11.4
	June	206.6	89.6	296.2	-4.1	-4.6	-4.1	13.0	8.5	11.2
	July	202.8	88.0	290.8	-5.4	-5.2	-4.7	12.8	8.3	11.0
	Aug	198.7	86.2	284.9	-5.9	-5.1	-4.8	12.5	8.2	10.8
	Sept	194.9	84.4	279.3	-5.6	-5.6	-5.1	12.3	8.0	10.6
	Oct	190.9	82.7	273.6	-5.7	-5.7	-5.5	12.0	7.8	10.4
	Nov	186.0	81.4	267.4	-6.2	-5.8	-5.5	11.7	7.7	10.1
	Dec	183.1	80.8	263.9	-3.5	-5.1	-5.4	11.5	7.7	10.0
1988	Jan	178.3	79.6	257.9	-6.0	-5.2	-5.5	11.2	7.2	9.6
	Feb	174.5	78.6	253.1	-4.8	-4.8	-5.3	10.9	7.2	9.4
	Mar	171.3	78.0	249.3	-3.8	-4.9	-5.0	10.7	7.1	9.3
	Apr	167.0	76.8	243.8	-5.5	-4.7	-5.0	10.5	7.0	9.1
	May	163.4	74.7	238.1	-5.7	-5.0	-4.9	10.2	6.8	8.8
	June	160.7	73.0	233.7	-4.4	-5.2	-5.0	10.1	6.6	8.7
	July	157.0	71.2	228.2	-5.5	-5.2	-5.0	9.8	6.5	8.5
	Aug	154.4	69.3	223.7	-4.5	-4.8	-4.9	9.7	6.3	8.3
	Sept	151.1	67.2	218.3	-5.4	-5.1	-5.2	9.5	6.1	8.1
	Oct	146.8	64.9	211.7	-6.6	-5.5	-5.4	9.2	5.9	7.9
	Nov	142.4	63.3	205.7	-6.0	-6.0	-5.4	8.9	5.8	7.6
	Dec	137.6	60.6	198.2	-7.5	-6.7	-5.9	8.6	5.5	7.4
1989	Jan	133.3	58.8	192.1	-6.1	-6.5	-6.0	8.4	5.4	7.1
	Feb P	129.5	57.3	186.8	-5.3	-6.3	-6.2	8.1	5.2	6.9

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	Male	Female	All	Change since previous month	Average change over previous 3 months	Average change over previous 6 months	Thousands			Per cent
							Male	Female	All	
1974	24.4	3.8	28.2	..	..	..	2.4	0.6	1.7	
1975	37.0	7.5	44.5	..	..	..	3.5	1.2	2.6	
1976	47.6	11.7	59.3	..	..	..	4.4	1.8	3.5	
1977	49.0	13.8	62.8	..	..	..	4.6	2.1	3.6	
1978	47.7	15.2	62.9	..	..	..	4.4	2.3	3.6	
1979	43.0	15.1	58.1	..	..	..	4.0	2.2	3.3	
1980	58.2	21.4	79.5	..	..	..	5.3	3.1	4.5	
1981	98.0	34.3	132.3	..	..	..	8.9	5.0	7.4	
1982	111.2	40.3	151.5	..	..	..	10.1	5.9	8.4	
1983	122.0	47.6	169.6	..	..	..	11.1	6.9	9.5	
1984	126.3	54.6	180.8	..	..	..	11.4	7.5	9.8	
1985	128.7	59.5	188.2	..	..	..	11.2	7.9	9.9	
1986	129.4	61.9	191.3	..	..	..	11.3	8.0	9.9	
1987	120.6	55.2	175.8	..	..	..	10.4	7.0	9.0	
1988	99.3	43.9	143.2	..	..	..	8.5	5.4	7.2	
1974	22.6	3.9	26.5	..	..	..	2.2	0.6	1.6	
May	22.7	3.9	26.6	0.1	..	..	2.2	0.6	1.6	
June	23.6	4.1	27.7	1.1	..	..	2.3	0.7	1.7	
July	23.3	3.3	26.6	-1.1	..	..	2.2	0.5	1.6	
Aug	24.1	3.5	27.6	1.0	0.3	..	2.3	0.6	1.7	
Sept	24.4	3.5	27.9	0.3	0.1	..	2.3	0.6	1.7	
Oct	25.7	3.7	29.4	1.5	0.9	0.5	2.5	0.6	1.8	
Nov	26.3	4.0	30.3	0.9	0.9	0.6	2.5	0.7	1.8	
Dec	27.2	4.3	31.5	1.2	1.2	0.6	2.6	0.7	1.9	
1975	Jan	28.4	4.5	32.9	1.4	1.2	1.1	2.7	0.7	1.9
Feb	29.4	5.1	34.5	1.6	1.4	1.2	2.8	0.8	2.0	
Mar	30.9	5.8	36.7	2.2	1.7	1.5	2.9	0.9	2.2	
Apr	33.1	6.1	39.2	2.5	2.1	1.6	3.1	1.0	2.3	
May	35.4	6.6	42.0	2.8	2.5	2.0	3.3	1.1	2.5	
June	36.7	7.1	43.8	1.8	2.4	2.1	3.4	1.1	2.6	
July	38.5	7.9	46.4	2.6	2.4	2.3	3.6	1.3	2.7	
Aug	38.9	7.9	46.8	0.4	1.6	2.1	3.7	1.3	2.8	
Sept	40.4	8.6	49.0	2.2	1.7	2.1	3.8	1.4	2.9	
Oct	42.7	9.6	52.3	3.3	2.0	2.2	4.0	1.5	3.1	
Nov	44.2	9.9	54.1	1.8	2.4	2.0	4.2	1.6	3.2	
Dec	45.6	10.3	55.9	1.8	2.3	2.0	4.3	1.6	3.3	
1976	Jan	46.9	10.8	57.7	1.8	1.8	1.9	4.4	1.7	3.4
Feb	47.1	11.0	58.1	0.4	1.3	1.9	4.4	1.7	3.4	
Mar	46.8	11.0	57.8	-0.3	0.6	1.5	4.4	1.7	3.4	
Apr	47.1	11.2	58.3	0.5	0.2	1.0	4.4	1.8	3.4	
May	47.9	11.4	59.3	1.0	0.4	0.9	4.5	1.8	3.5	
June	47.6	11.7	59.3	—	0.5	0.6	4.4	1.8	3.5	
July	48.2	11.8	60.0	0.7	0.6	0.4	4.5	1.9	3.5	
Aug	48.7	12.3	61.0	1.0	0.6	0.5	4.5	1.9	3.6	
Sept	48.5	12.6	61.1	0.1	0.6	0.6	4.5	2.0	3.6	
Oct	47.2	12.1	59.3	-1.8	-0.2	0.2	4.4	1.9	3.5	
Nov	47.4	12.4	59.8	0.5	-0.4	0.1	4.4	1.9	3.5	
Dec	47.2	12.5	59.7	-0.1	-0.5	0.1	4.4	2.0	3.5	
1977	Jan	47.1	12.7	59.8	0.1	0.2	—	4.4	2.0	3.5
Feb	46.8	12.8	59.6	-0.2	-0.1	-0.2	4.4	2.0	3.5	
Mar	47.6	13.2	60.8	1.2	0.4	-0.1	4.4	2.0	3.5	
Apr	48.3	13.2	61.5	0.7	0.6	0.4	4.5	2.0	3.6	
May	47.5	13.2	60.7	-0.8	0.4	0.2	4.4	2.0	3.5	
June	49.2	13.4	62.6	1.9	0.6	0.5	4.6	2.1	3.6	
July	49.3	14.0	63.3	0.7	0.6	0.6	4.6	2.2	3.7	
Aug	50.5	14.2	64.7	1.4	1.3	0.9	4.7	2.2	3.8	
Sept	51.1	14.2	65.3	0.6	0.9	0.8	4.8	2.2	3.8	
Oct	50.4	14.7	65.1	-0.2	0.6	0.6	4.7	2.3	3.8	
Nov	50.5	14.7	65.2	0.1	0.2	0.8	4.7	2.3	3.8	
Dec	49.6	14.8	64.4	-0.8	-0.3	0.3	4.6	2.3	3.7	
1978	Jan	49.2	14.7	63.9	-0.5	-0.4	0.1	4.5	2.2	3.7
Feb	48.9	14.5	63.4	-0.5	-0.6	-0.2	4.5	2.2	3.6	
Mar	49.0	14.5	63.5	0.1	-0.3	-0.3	4.5	2.2	3.6	
Apr	48.3	15.2	63.5	—	-0.1	-0.3	4.5	2.3	3.6	
May	48.6	15.0	63.6	0.1	0.1	-0.3	4.5	2.3	3.6	
June	48.1	15.0	63.1	-0.5	-0.1	-0.2	4.4	2.3	3.6	
July	48.3	15.6	63.9	0.8	0.1	—	4.5	2.4	3.7	
Aug	47.6	15.8	63.4	-0.5	-0.1	—	4.4	2.4	3.6	
Sept	47.3	15.5	62.8	-0.6	-0.1	-0.1	4.4	2.3	3.6	
Oct	46.6	15.6	62.2	-0.6	-0.6	-0.2	4.3	2.4	3.6	
Nov	45.5	15.5	61.0	-1.2	-0.8	-0.4	4.2	2.3	3.5	
Dec	45.4	15.2	60.6	-0.4	-0.7	-0.4	4.2	2.3	3.5	
1979	Jan	45.4	15.1	60.5	-0.1	-0.6	-0.6	4.2	2.2	3.4
Feb	45.7	15.0	60.7	0.2	-0.1	-0.5	4.2	2.2	3.4	
Mar	46.5	15.2	61.7	1.0	0.4	-0.2	4.3	2.2	3.5	
Apr	43.2	14.8	58.0	-3.7	-0.8	-0.7	4.0	2.2	3.3	
May	43.5	15.3	58.8	0.8	-0.6	-0.4	4.0	2.3	3.3	
June	42.2	15.2	57.4	-1.4	-1.4	-0.5	3.9	2.2	3.3	
July	41.7	15.1	56.8	-0.6	-0.4	-0.6	3.8	2.2	3.2	
Aug	41.1	14.8	55.9	-0.9	-1.0	-0.8	3.8	2.2	3.2	
Sept	40.5	14.8	5							

Table 8 Unemployment - seasonally adjusted, consistent with current coverage, East Midlands

	Male	Female	All	Change since previous month	Average change over previous 3 months	Average change over previous 6 months	Thousands			Per cent		
							Male	Female	All	Male	Female	All
1980	Jan	42.6	15.8	58.4	0.8	0.4	0.3	3.9	2.3	3.3		
	Feb	44.4	16.9	61.3	2.9	1.5	0.9	4.1	2.5	3.4		
	Mar	44.6	17.4	62.0	0.7	1.5	1.1	4.1	2.5	3.5		
	Apr	48.0	17.9	65.9	3.9	2.5	1.4	4.4	2.6	3.7		
	May	49.4	19.0	68.4	2.5	2.4	1.9	4.5	2.8	3.8		
	June	53.5	20.2	73.7	5.3	3.9	2.7	4.9	2.9	4.1		
	July	57.5	21.2	78.7	5.0	4.3	3.4	5.3	3.1	4.4		
	Aug	61.8	23.1	84.9	6.2	5.5	3.9	5.6	3.4	4.8		
	Sept	66.3	24.4	90.7	5.8	5.7	4.8	6.1	3.5	5.1		
	Oct	71.4	25.5	96.9	6.2	6.1	5.2	6.5	3.7	5.4		
	Nov	77.0	26.7	103.7	6.8	6.3	5.9	7.0	3.9	5.8		
	Dec	81.3	28.5	109.8	6.1	6.4	6.0	7.4	4.1	6.2		
1981	Jan	84.4	29.9	114.3	4.5	5.8	5.9	7.7	4.4	6.4		
	Feb	87.3	31.0	118.3	4.0	4.9	5.6	7.9	4.5	6.6		
	Mar	92.0	32.0	124.0	5.7	4.7	5.6	8.3	4.7	7.0		
	Apr	95.0	32.9	127.9	3.9	4.5	5.2	8.6	4.8	7.2		
	May	97.5	33.7	131.2	3.3	4.3	4.6	8.8	4.9	7.4		
	June	99.0	34.6	133.6	2.4	3.2	4.0	9.0	5.1	7.5		
	July	99.9	33.4	133.3	-0.3	1.8	3.2	9.1	4.9	7.5		
	Aug	102.5	35.4	137.9	4.6	2.2	3.3	9.3	5.2	7.7		
	Sept	103.3	36.0	139.3	1.4	1.9	2.6	9.4	5.3	7.8		
	Oct	103.8	36.9	140.7	1.4	2.5	2.1	9.4	5.4	7.9		
	Nov	105.4	37.6	143.0	2.3	1.7	2.0	9.6	5.5	8.0		
	Dec	105.9	37.9	143.8	0.8	1.5	1.7	9.6	5.6	8.1		
1982	Jan	108.7	37.9	146.6	2.8	2.0	2.2	9.8	5.5	8.2		
	Feb	106.8	38.1	144.9	-1.7	0.6	1.2	9.7	5.5	8.1		
	Mar	107.0	38.2	145.2	0.3	0.5	1.0	9.7	5.6	8.1		
	Apr	108.0	38.9	146.9	1.7	0.1	1.0	9.8	5.7	8.2		
	May	108.6	39.2	147.8	0.9	1.0	0.8	9.8	5.7	8.2		
	June	109.5	39.5	149.0	1.2	1.3	0.9	9.9	5.7	8.3		
	July	110.9	40.1	151.0	2.0	1.4	0.7	10.0	5.8	8.4		
	Aug	112.0	40.9	152.9	1.9	1.7	1.3	10.1	5.9	8.5		
	Sept	113.6	41.8	155.4	2.5	2.1	1.7	10.3	6.1	8.7		
	Oct	114.9	42.2	157.1	1.7	2.0	1.7	10.4	6.1	8.8		
	Nov	116.3	43.3	159.6	2.5	2.2	2.0	10.5	6.3	8.9		
	Dec	117.8	43.8	161.6	2.0	2.1	2.1	10.7	6.4	9.0		
1983	Jan	119.3	44.6	163.9	2.3	2.3	2.2	10.9	6.5	9.2		
	Feb	119.7	45.1	164.8	0.9	1.7	2.0	10.9	6.5	9.2		
	Mar	120.7	45.8	166.5	1.7	1.6	1.9	11.0	6.6	9.3		
	Apr	121.2	46.7	167.9	1.4	1.3	1.8	11.0	6.8	9.4		
	May	122.5	47.1	169.6	1.7	1.6	1.7	11.2	6.8	9.5		
	June	123.5	47.5	171.0	1.4	1.5	1.6	11.3	6.9	9.6		
	July	123.4	48.1	171.5	0.5	1.2	1.3	11.2	7.0	9.6		
	Aug	122.6	48.0	170.6	-0.9	0.3	1.0	11.2	7.0	9.5		
	Sept	122.9	48.6	171.5	0.9	0.2	0.8	11.2	7.0	9.6		
	Oct	122.6	49.3	171.9	0.4	0.1	0.7	11.2	7.1	9.6		
	Nov	122.5	50.0	172.5	0.6	0.6	0.5	11.2	7.2	9.7		
	Dec	122.9	50.4	173.3	0.8	0.6	0.4	11.2	7.3	9.7		
1984	Jan	123.6	51.4	175.0	1.7	1.0	0.6	11.2	7.1	9.5		
	Feb	124.6	52.3	176.9	1.9	1.5	1.1	11.3	7.2	9.6		
	Mar	125.3	53.0	178.3	1.4	1.7	1.1	11.3	7.3	9.7		
	Apr	124.8	53.0	177.8	-0.5	0.9	1.0	11.3	7.3	9.7		
	May	125.0	53.6	178.6	0.8	0.6	1.0	11.3	7.4	9.7		
	June	125.2	53.8	179.0	0.4	0.2	1.0	11.3	7.4	9.8		
	July	126.3	54.7	181.0	2.0	1.1	1.0	11.4	7.5	9.9		
	Aug	127.0	55.4	182.4	1.4	1.3	0.9	11.5	7.6	9.9		
	Sept	127.8	56.4	184.2	1.8	1.7	1.0	11.5	7.7	10.0		
	Oct	129.1	56.9	186.0	1.8	1.7	1.4	11.7	7.8	10.1		
	Nov	128.2	56.7	184.9	-1.1	0.8	1.1	11.6	7.8	10.1		
	Dec	128.4	57.4	185.8	0.9	0.5	1.1	11.6	7.9	10.1		
1985	Jan	128.9	57.9	186.8	1.0	0.3	1.0	11.2	7.7	9.8		
	Feb	130.3	58.2	188.5	1.7	1.2	1.0	11.3	7.7	9.9		
	Mar	129.5	58.7	188.2	-0.3	0.8	0.7	11.3	7.8	9.9		
	Apr	129.2	59.3	188.5	0.3	0.6	0.4	11.2	7.9	9.9		
	May	129.2	59.7	188.9	0.4	0.1	0.7	11.2	7.9	9.9		
	June	128.1	59.9	188.0	-0.9	-0.1	0.4	11.1	7.9	9.9		
	July	127.9	59.9	187.8	-0.2	-0.2	0.2	11.1	7.9	9.9		
	Aug	127.8	60.0	187.8	—	-0.4	-0.1	11.1	7.9	9.9		
	Sept	127.6	60.0	187.6								

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	Male	Female	All	Change since previous month	Average change over previous 3 months	Average change over previous 6 months	Thousands			Per cent
							Male	Female	All	
1987	Jan	128.0	61.2	189.2	0.3	-0.8	-0.5	11.0	7.7	9.7
	Feb	127.3	59.7	187.0	-2.2	-1.5	-1.0	11.0	7.5	9.6
	Mar	126.6	59.0	185.6	-1.4	-1.1	-1.1	10.9	7.4	9.5
	Apr	125.9	58.6	184.5	-1.1	-1.6	-1.2	10.9	7.4	9.5
	May	123.4	56.8	180.2	-4.3	-2.3	-1.9	10.6	7.2	9.2
	June	122.5	55.9	178.4	-1.8	-2.4	-1.8	10.6	7.1	9.1
	July	120.8	54.8	175.6	-2.8	-3.0	-2.3	10.4	6.9	9.0
	Aug	118.5	53.8	172.3	-3.3	-2.6	-2.5	10.2	6.8	8.8
	Sept	117.0	52.5	169.5	-2.8	-3.0	-2.7	10.1	6.6	8.7
	Oct	114.6	51.1	165.7	-3.8	-3.3	-3.1	9.9	6.5	8.5
	Nov	112.0	50.0	162.0	-3.7	-3.4	-3.0	9.7	6.3	8.3
	Dec	110.5	49.3	159.8	-2.2	-3.2	-3.1	9.5	6.2	8.2
1988	Jan	107.8	48.7	156.5	-3.3	-3.1	-3.2	9.2	6.0	7.9
	Feb	106.3	48.7	155.0	-1.5	-2.3	-2.9	9.1	6.0	7.8
	Mar	104.9	47.8	152.7	-2.3	-2.4	-2.8	8.9	5.9	7.7
	Apr	103.7	46.6	150.3	-2.4	-2.1	-2.6	8.8	5.7	7.6
	May	102.4	45.7	148.1	-2.2	-2.3	-2.3	8.7	5.6	7.5
	June	100.6	44.7	145.3	-2.8	-2.5	-2.4	8.6	5.5	7.3
	July	98.5	43.5	142.0	-3.3	-2.8	-2.4	8.4	5.3	7.1
	Aug	97.1	42.2	139.3	-2.7	-2.9	-2.6	8.3	5.2	7.0
	Sept	95.7	41.4	137.1	-2.2	-2.7	-2.6	8.1	5.1	6.9
	Oct	94.2	40.4	134.6	-2.5	-2.5	-2.6	8.0	5.0	6.8
	Nov	91.3	39.3	130.6	-4.0	-2.9	-2.9	7.8	4.8	6.6
	Dec	88.6	37.8	126.4	-4.2	-3.6	-3.2	7.5	4.6	6.4
1989	Jan	85.6	36.6	122.2	-4.2	-4.1	-3.3	7.3	4.5	6.1
	Feb P	83.6	36.1	119.7	-2.5	-3.6	-3.3	7.1	4.4	6.0

Table 9 Unemployment – seasonally adjusted, consistent with current coverage, Yorkshire and Humberside

	Male	Female	All	Change since previous month	Average change over previous 3 months	Average change over previous 6 months	Thousands			Per cent
							Male	Female	All	
1974	39.8	5.5	45.3	..	..	..	2.8	0.7	2.0	
1975	56.3	9.4	65.7	..	..	..	4.0	1.1	2.9	
1976	72.3	16.7	88.9	..	..	..	5.0	2.0	3.9	
1977	71.6	20.0	91.7	..	..	..	5.0	2.4	4.0	
1978	73.1	23.2	96.3	..	..	..	5.2	2.7	4.2	
1979	67.5	24.9	92.4	..	..	..	4.8	2.8	4.1	
1980	89.2	33.4	122.6	..	..	..	6.3	3.8	5.3	
1981	150.6	50.6	201.3	..	..	..	10.7	5.9	8.9	
1982	173.1	61.1	234.2	..	..	..	12.4	7.1	10.4	
1983	186.5	70.0	256.5	..	..	..	13.6	8.0	11.4	
1984	191.5	76.9	268.4	..	..	..	13.8	8.5	11.7	
1985	199.0	82.5	281.5	..	..	..	14.2	8.7	12.0	
1986	207.8	86.5	294.3	..	..	..	14.7	9.1	12.4	
1987	192.4	78.1	270.5	..	..	..	13.6	8.0	11.3	
1988	160.8	65.2	226.0	..	..	..	11.5	6.6	9.5	
1974	Apr	39.2	5.9	45.1	..	..	2.8	0.7	2.0	
	May	38.1	5.6	43.7	-1.4	..	2.7	0.7	2.0	
	June	38.8	6.2	45.0	1.3	..	2.7	0.8	2.0	
	July	38.5	5.5	44.0	-1.0	-0.4	2.7	0.7	2.0	
	Aug	39.5	5.1	44.6	0.6	0.3	2.8	0.6	2.0	
	Sept	40.0	5.2	45.2	0.6	0.1	2.8	0.6	2.0	
	Oct	40.7	5.2	45.9	0.7	0.6	2.9	0.6	2.1	
	Nov	41.3	5.4	46.7	0.8	0.5	2.9	0.7	2.1	
	Dec	42.3	5.4	47.7	1.0	0.8	3.0	0.7	2.1	
1975	Jan	43.8	5.9	49.7	2.0	1.3	3.1	0.7	2.2	
	Feb	44.3	6.1	50.4	0.7	1.2	3.1	0.7	2.2	
	Mar	47.3	7.0	54.3	3.9	2.2	3.3	0.8	2.4	
	Apr	49.8	7.8	57.6	3.3	2.6	3.5	0.9	2.6	
	May	52.5	8.5	61.0	3.4	3.5	3.7	1.0	2.7	
	June	55.1	9.4	64.5	3.5	3.4	3.9	1.1	2.9	
	July	57.0	9.1	66.1	1.6	2.8	4.0	1.1	2.9	
	Aug	59.8	9.7	69.5	3.4	2.8	4.2	1.2	3.1	
	Sept	62.0	10.7	72.7	3.2	2.7	4.4	1.3	3.2	
	Oct	65.2	12.1	77.3	4.6	3.7	4.6	1.5	3.4	
	Nov	68.4	13.1	81.5	4.2	4.0	4.8	1.6	3.6	
	Dec	70.3	13.8	84.1	2.6	3.8	4.9	1.7	3.7	
1976	Jan	71.8	14.5	86.3	2.2	3.0	5.0	1.7	3.8	
	Feb	73.0	15.3	88.3	2.0	2.3	5.1	1.8	3.9	
	Mar	73.0	15.6	88.6	0.3	1.5	5.1	1.9	3.9	
	Apr	73.3	15.8	89.1	0.5	0.9	5.1	1.9	3.9	
	May	74.7	16.5	91.2	2.1	1.0	5.2	2.0	4.0	
	June	74.2	16.7	90.9	-0.3	0.8	5.2	2.0	4.0	
	July	74.1	17.2	91.3	0.4	0.7	5.2	2.1	4.0	
	Aug	72.5	17.5	90.0	-1.3	-0.4	5.1	2.1	4.0	
	Sept	71.3	17.5	88.8	-1.2	-0.7	5.0	2.1	3.9	
	Oct	70.3	17.5	87.8	-1.0	-1.2	4.9	2.1	3.9	
	Nov	69.9	17.9	87.8	—	-0.7	4.9	2.1	3.9	
	Dec	68.9	17.9	86.8	-1.0	-0.7	4.8	2.1	3.8	
1977	Jan	68.6	17.9	86.5	-0.3	-0.4	4.8	2.1	3.8	
	Feb	68.4	18.0	86.4	-0.1	-0.5	4.8	2.1	3.8	
	Mar	67.4	18.3	85.7	-0.7	-0.4	4.7	2.1	3.8	
	Apr	68.0	18.6	86.6	0.9	—	4.8	2.2	3.8	
	May	68.4	18.9	87.3	0.7	0.3	4.8	2.2	3.8	
	June	70.2	19.6	89.8	2.5	1.4	4.9	2.3	3.9	
	July	72.3	21.3	93.6	3.8	2.3	5.1	2.5	4.1	
	Aug	73.5	21.0	94.5	0.9	2.4	5.1	2.5	4.1	
	Sept	75.6	21.5	97.1	2.6	2.4	5.3	2.5	4.3	
	Oct	76.0	21.7	97.7	0.6	1.4	5.3	2.5	4.3	
	Nov	75.5	21.6	97.1	-0.6	0.9	5.3	2.5	4.3	
	Dec	75.6	22.1	97.7	0.6	0.2	5.3	2.6	4.3	
1978	Jan	74.8	22.1	96.9	-0.8	-0.3	5.3	2.6	4.3	
	Feb	73.5	22.2	95.7	-1.2	-0.5	5.2	2.6	4.2	
	Mar	73.7	21.5	95.2	-0.5	-0.8	5.2	2.5	4.2	
	Apr	73.8	22.8	96.6	1.4	-0.1	5.2	2.6	4.2	
	May	73.9	22.7	96.6	—	0.3	5.2	2.6	4.2	
	June	74.0	23.1	97.1	0.5	0.6	5.2	2.7	4.3	
	July	73.2	23.2	96.4	-0.7	-0.1	5.2	2.7	4.2	
	Aug	73.9	24.2	98.1	1.7	0.5	5.2	2.8	4.3	
	Sept	73.3	24.5	97.8	-0.3	0.2	5.2	2.8	4.3	
	Oct	72.1	24.2	96.3	-1.5	—	5.1	2.8	4.2	
	Nov	71.0	23.9	94.9	-1.4	-1.1	5.0	2.8	4.2	
	Dec	70.4	23.8	94.2	-0.7	-1.2	5.0	2.8	4.1	
1979	Jan	71.1	24.1	95.2	1.0	-0.4	5.1	2.8	4.2	
	Feb	72.4	24.4	96.8	1.6	0.6	5.2	2.8	4.2	
	Mar	73.2	24.6	97.8	1.0	1.2	5.2	2.8	4.3	
	Apr	70.0	24.2	94.2	-3.6	-0.3	5.0	2.8	4.1	
	May	68.7	24.8	93.5	-0.7	-1.1	4.9	2.8	4.1	
	June	66.5	24.7	91.2	-2.3	-2.2	4.7	2.8	4.0	
	July	66.4	25.2	91.6	0.4	-0.9	4.7	2.9	4.0	
	Aug	65.3	25.0	90.3	-1.3	-1.1	4.6	2.9	4.0	
	Sept	64.5	24.8	89.3	-1.0	-0.6	4.6	2.8	3.9	
	Oct	64.8	25.5	90.3	1.0	-0.4	4.6	2.9	4.0	
	Nov	63.4	25.4	88.8	-1.5	-0.5	4.5	2.9	3.9	

Table 9 Unemployment - seasonally adjusted, consistent with current coverage, Yorkshire and Humberside

	Male	Female	All	Change since previous month	Average change over previous 3 months	Average change over previous 6 months	Thousands			Per cent
							Male	Female	All	
1980	Jan	65.0	26.7	91.7	1.7	0.5	—	4.6	3.0	4.0
	Feb	68.4	27.5	95.9	4.2	2.4	0.9	4.8	3.1	4.2
	Mar	72.3	28.6	100.9	5.0	3.6	1.9	5.1	3.2	4.4
	Apr	76.0	29.7	105.7	4.8	4.7	2.6	5.4	3.4	4.6
	May	78.2	30.5	108.7	3.0	4.3	3.3	5.5	3.5	4.7
	June	82.2	31.6	113.8	5.1	4.3	4.0	5.8	3.6	5.0
	July	87.4	33.1	120.5	6.7	4.9	4.8	6.2	3.8	5.3
	Aug	94.5	35.1	129.6	9.1	7.0	5.6	6.7	4.0	5.7
	Sept	100.1	36.4	136.5	6.9	7.6	5.9	7.1	4.1	6.0
	Oct	106.8	38.1	144.9	8.4	8.1	6.5	7.6	4.3	6.3
	Nov	116.1	40.8	156.9	12.0	9.1	8.0	8.2	4.6	6.8
	Dec	123.0	42.6	165.6	8.7	9.7	8.6	8.7	4.8	7.2
1981	Jan	128.8	44.2	173.0	7.4	9.4	8.8	9.1	5.1	7.6
	Feb	133.9	45.4	179.3	6.3	7.5	8.3	9.5	5.3	7.9
	Mar	139.5	46.8	186.3	7.0	6.9	8.3	9.9	5.4	8.2
	Apr	143.5	48.2	191.7	5.4	6.2	7.8	10.2	5.6	8.4
	May	148.8	49.5	198.3	6.6	6.3	6.9	10.6	5.7	8.7
	June	151.7	50.5	202.2	3.9	5.3	6.1	10.8	5.9	8.9
	July	154.9	51.7	206.6	4.4	5.0	5.6	11.0	6.0	9.1
	Aug	156.6	50.6	207.2	0.6	3.0	4.7	11.1	5.9	9.1
	Sept	160.2	54.0	214.2	7.0	4.0	4.7	11.4	6.3	9.4
	Oct	161.9	54.8	216.7	2.5	3.4	4.2	11.5	6.4	9.5
	Nov	163.8	55.5	219.3	2.6	4.0	3.5	11.6	6.4	9.7
	Dec	164.1	56.2	220.3	1.0	2.0	3.0	11.6	6.5	9.7
1982	Jan	165.5	56.8	222.3	2.0	1.9	2.6	11.8	6.6	9.8
	Feb	165.0	57.8	222.8	0.5	1.2	2.6	11.8	6.7	9.9
	Mar	165.2	58.3	223.5	0.7	1.1	1.6	11.8	6.8	9.9
	Apr	167.0	59.0	226.0	2.5	1.2	1.6	12.0	6.8	10.0
	May	169.3	59.7	229.0	3.0	2.1	1.6	12.1	6.9	10.1
	June	171.9	60.4	232.3	3.3	2.9	2.0	12.3	7.0	10.3
	July	173.9	61.2	235.1	2.8	3.0	2.1	12.4	7.1	10.4
	Aug	175.8	62.1	237.9	2.8	3.0	2.5	12.6	7.2	10.5
	Sept	176.5	62.8	239.3	1.4	2.3	2.6	12.6	7.3	10.6
	Oct	180.1	64.1	244.2	4.9	3.0	3.0	12.9	7.4	10.8
	Nov	182.5	64.8	247.3	3.1	3.1	3.1	13.1	7.5	10.9
	Dec	184.8	65.6	250.4	3.1	3.7	3.0	13.2	7.6	11.1
1983	Jan	185.1	66.4	251.5	1.1	2.4	2.7	13.5	7.6	11.2
	Feb	185.0	67.2	252.2	0.7	1.6	2.4	13.5	7.7	11.2
	Mar	185.8	68.0	253.8	1.6	1.1	2.4	13.5	7.8	11.3
	Apr	186.9	68.6	255.5	1.7	1.3	1.9	13.6	7.9	11.4
	May	186.7	69.3	256.0	0.5	1.3	1.5	13.6	8.0	11.4
	June	188.5	70.2	258.7	2.7	1.6	1.4	13.7	8.1	11.5
	July	187.8	70.3	258.1	-0.6	0.9	1.1	13.7	8.1	11.5
	Aug	187.6	70.7	258.3	0.2	0.8	1.0	13.6	8.1	11.5
	Sept	187.3	71.6	258.9	0.6	0.1	0.9	13.6	8.2	11.5
	Oct	185.7	71.7	257.4	-1.5	-0.2	0.3	13.5	8.2	11.5
	Nov	185.8	72.5	258.3	0.9	—	0.4	13.5	8.3	11.5
	Dec	186.3	73.3	259.6	1.3	0.2	0.2	13.6	8.4	11.6
1984	Jan	186.8	73.9	260.7	1.1	1.1	0.4	13.4	8.2	11.4
	Feb	188.6	74.7	263.3	2.6	1.7	0.8	13.5	8.3	11.5
	Mar	188.7	75.2	263.9	0.6	1.4	0.8	13.6	8.3	11.5
	Apr	188.7	75.4	264.1	0.2	1.1	1.1	13.6	8.3	11.5
	May	189.7	76.0	265.7	1.6	0.8	1.2	13.6	8.4	11.6
	June	189.5	76.4	265.9	0.2	0.7	1.1	13.6	8.5	11.6
	July	191.2	77.1	268.3	2.4	1.4	1.3	13.7	8.5	11.7
	Aug	191.9	77.4	269.3	1.0	1.2	1.0	13.8	8.6	11.7
	Sept	194.6	78.2	272.8	3.5	2.3	1.5	14.0	8.7	11.9
	Oct	196.2	79.1	275.3	2.5	2.3	1.9	14.1	8.8	12.0
	Nov	196.1	79.9	276.0	0.7	2.2	1.7	14.1	8.8	12.0
	Dec	195.8	80.0	275.8	-0.2	1.0	1.7	14.1	8.9	12.0
1985	Jan	196.2	80.3	276.5	0.7	0.4	1.4	14.0	8.5	11.8
	Feb	197.3	80.9	278.2	1.7	0.7	1.5	14.1	8.6	11.9
	Mar	197.5	81.3	278.8	0.6	1.0	1.0	14.1	8.6	11.9
	Apr	198.9	82.3	281.2	2.4	1.6	1.0	14.2	8.7	12.0
	May	198.3	82.7	281.0	-0.2	0.9	0.8	14.2	8.8	12.0
	June	197.0	81.9	278.9	-2.1	—	0.5	14.1	8.7	11.9
	July	197.9	82.6	280.5	1.6	-0.2	0.7	14.1	8.7	12.0
	Aug	199.0	82.8	281.8	1.3	0.3	0.6	14.2	8.8	12.0
	Sept	199.6	83.3	282.9	1.1	1.3	0.7	14.2	8.8	12.1
	Oct	200.2	83.6	283.8	0.9	1.1	0.4	14.3	8.9	12.1
	Nov	201.8	83.7	285.5	1.7	1.2	0.8	14.4	8.9	12.2
	Dec	204.2	84.6	288.8	3.3	2.0	1.7	14.6	9.0	12.3
1986	Jan	206.7	84.8	291.5	2.7	2.6	1.8	14.7	8.9	

Table 9 Unemployment – seasonally adjusted, consistent with current coverage, Yorkshire and Humberside

		Male	Female	All	Change since previous month	Average change over previous 3 months	Average change over previous 6 months	Thousands			Per cent
								Male	Female	All	
1987	Jan	204.6	84.9	289.5	-1.1	-1.6	-1.2	14.5	8.7	12.1	
	Feb	202.8	83.5	286.3	-3.2	-2.2	-1.8	14.4	8.5	12.0	
	Mar	201.5	82.3	283.8	-2.5	-2.3	-1.9	14.3	8.4	11.9	
	Apr	201.4	82.2	283.6	-0.2	-2.0	-1.8	14.3	8.4	11.9	
	May	196.5	79.4	275.9	-7.7	-3.5	-2.8	13.9	8.1	11.6	
	June	195.5	79.2	274.7	-1.2	-3.0	-2.7	13.8	8.1	11.5	
	July	192.7	77.5	270.2	-4.5	-4.5	-3.2	13.6	7.9	11.3	
	Aug	189.1	76.3	265.4	-4.8	-3.5	-3.5	13.4	7.8	11.1	
	Sept	186.4	74.9	261.3	-4.1	-4.5	-3.8	13.2	7.7	10.9	
	Oct	182.6	73.6	256.2	-5.1	-4.7	-4.6	12.9	7.5	10.7	
	Nov	179.2	72.1	251.3	-4.9	-4.7	-4.1	12.7	7.4	10.5	
	Dec	176.7	71.4	248.1	-3.2	-4.4	-4.4	12.5	7.3	10.4	
1988	Jan	173.1	70.8	243.9	-4.2	-4.1	-4.4	12.4	7.2	10.2	
	Feb	170.3	70.4	240.7	-3.2	-3.5	-4.1	12.2	7.1	10.1	
	Mar	168.9	69.8	238.7	-2.0	-3.1	-3.8	12.1	7.1	10.0	
	Apr	167.4	68.6	236.0	-2.7	-2.6	-3.4	12.0	6.9	9.9	
	May	164.9	67.4	232.3	-3.7	-2.8	-3.2	11.8	6.8	9.7	
	June	162.9	66.6	229.5	-2.8	-3.1	-3.1	11.6	6.7	9.6	
	July	159.3	65.1	224.4	-5.1	-3.9	-3.3	11.4	6.6	9.4	
	Aug	157.8	63.7	221.5	-2.9	-3.6	-3.2	11.3	6.4	9.3	
	Sept	155.8	62.3	218.1	-3.4	-3.8	-3.4	11.1	6.3	9.1	
	Oct	153.7	60.8	214.5	-3.6	-3.3	-3.6	11.0	6.1	9.0	
	Nov	150.1	59.4	209.5	-5.0	-4.0	-3.8	10.7	6.0	8.8	
	Dec	145.3	57.5	202.8	-6.7	-5.1	-4.5	10.4	5.8	8.5	
1989	Jan	141.4	56.2	197.6	-5.2	-5.6	-4.5	10.1	5.7	8.3	
	Feb P	138.3	55.1	193.4	-4.2	-5.4	-4.7	9.9	5.6	8.1	

Table 10 Unemployment - seasonally adjusted, consistent with current coverage, North West

	Male	Female	All	Change since previous month	Average change over previous 3 months	Average change over previous 6 months	Thousands			Per cent
							Male	Female	All	
1974)	72.3	11.4	83.7	..	..	..	3.8	1.0	2.7	
1975)	104.4	18.4	122.8	..	..	..	5.6	1.6	4.0	
1976)	127.8	30.3	158.1	..	..	..	6.8	2.5	5.1	
1977)	127.3	36.6	163.9	..	..	..	6.8	3.0	5.3	
1978)	122.1	40.4	162.5	..	..	..	6.5	3.3	5.3	
1979)	144.1	42.0	156.1	..	..	..	6.1	3.4	5.0	
1980) Annual averages	146.4	56.9	203.3	..	..	..	7.8	4.5	6.5	
1981)	228.9	84.0	312.9	..	..	..	12.4	6.9	10.2	
1982)	269.0	96.4	365.4	..	..	..	14.8	8.0	12.1	
1983)	290.9	107.8	398.6	..	..	..	16.3	8.9	13.4	
1984)	295.4	116.8	412.1	..	..	..	16.5	9.4	13.6	
1985)	298.9	121.9	420.8	..	..	..	16.7	9.6	13.8	
1986)	298.5	124.5	423.1	..	..	..	16.9	9.8	13.9	
1987)	273.8	111.4	385.2	..	..	..	15.7	8.7	12.7	
1988)	229.6	92.5	322.1	..	..	..	13.3	7.2	10.7	
1974 Apr	66.9	10.8	77.7				3.6	0.9	2.5	
May	66.3	10.6	76.9	-0.8	..	..	3.5	0.9	2.5	
June	67.5	11.6	79.1	2.2	..	..	3.6	1.0	2.6	
July	70.2	10.8	81.0	1.9	1.1	..	3.7	0.9	2.7	
Aug	74.2	11.6	85.8	4.8	3.0	..	3.9	1.0	2.8	
Sept	74.3	11.6	85.9	0.1	2.3	..	3.9	1.0	2.8	
Oct	75.5	11.9	87.4	1.5	2.1	1.6	4.0	1.0	2.9	
Nov	76.8	12.0	88.8	1.4	1.0	2.0	4.1	1.0	2.9	
Dec	78.6	11.9	90.5	1.7	1.5	1.9	4.2	1.0	3.0	
1975 Jan	83.0	12.8	95.8	5.3	2.8	2.5	4.4	1.1	3.1	
Feb	85.4	13.4	98.8	3.0	3.3	2.2	4.5	1.1	3.2	
Mar	89.2	14.8	104.0	5.2	4.5	3.0	4.7	1.3	3.4	
Apr	93.6	15.1	108.7	4.7	4.3	3.6	5.0	1.3	3.6	
May	99.9	16.9	116.8	8.1	6.0	4.7	5.3	1.4	3.8	
June	104.1	17.6	121.7	4.9	5.9	5.2	5.5	1.5	4.0	
July	107.8	18.7	126.5	4.8	5.9	5.1	5.7	1.6	4.1	
Aug	110.2	19.3	129.5	3.0	4.2	5.1	5.9	1.6	4.2	
Sept	113.9	20.5	134.4	4.9	4.2	5.1	6.1	1.7	4.4	
Oct	118.8	23.2	142.0	7.6	5.2	5.6	6.3	2.0	4.6	
Nov	122.0	23.5	145.5	3.5	5.3	4.8	6.5	2.0	4.8	
Dec	125.0	25.2	150.2	4.7	5.3	4.8	6.7	2.1	4.9	
1976 Jan	127.3	26.4	153.7	3.5	3.9	4.5	6.8	2.2	5.0	
Feb	127.3	27.3	154.6	0.9	3.0	4.2	6.8	2.3	5.0	
Mar	128.9	28.3	157.2	2.6	2.3	3.8	6.9	2.4	5.1	
Apr	129.3	28.8	158.1	0.9	1.5	2.7	6.9	2.4	5.1	
May	129.9	29.6	159.5	1.4	1.6	2.3	6.9	2.5	5.2	
June	129.4	29.8	159.2	-0.3	0.7	1.5	6.9	2.5	5.2	
July	128.6	31.1	159.7	0.5	0.5	1.0	6.8	2.6	5.2	
Aug	128.2	31.9	160.1	0.4	0.2	0.9	6.8	2.7	5.2	
Sept	127.6	32.3	159.9	-0.2	0.2	0.5	6.8	2.7	5.2	
Oct	125.5	32.3	157.8	-2.1	-0.6	-0.1	6.7	2.7	5.1	
Nov	125.5	33.1	158.6	0.8	-0.5	-0.2	6.7	2.8	5.2	
Dec	125.6	33.2	158.8	0.2	-0.4	-0.1	6.7	2.8	5.2	
1977 Jan	125.3	33.5	158.8	—	0.3	-0.2	6.7	2.8	5.1	
Feb	124.4	33.7	158.1	-0.7	-0.2	-0.3	6.6	2.8	5.1	
Mar	123.4	33.6	157.0	-1.1	-0.6	-0.5	6.6	2.8	5.1	
Apr	124.8	34.6	159.4	2.4	0.2	0.3	6.7	2.9	5.2	
May	124.9	34.8	159.7	0.3	0.5	0.2	6.7	2.9	5.2	
June	127.6	36.3	163.9	4.2	2.3	0.9	6.8	3.0	5.3	
July	128.9	37.3	166.2	2.3	2.3	1.2	6.9	3.1	5.4	
Aug	129.0	37.5	166.5	0.3	2.3	1.4	6.9	3.1	5.4	
Sept	130.3	39.0	169.3	2.8	1.8	2.1	6.9	3.2	5.5	
Oct	130.4	38.4	168.8	-0.5	0.9	1.6	7.0	3.2	5.5	
Nov	130.3	39.8	170.1	1.3	1.2	1.7	6.9	3.3	5.5	
Dec	128.5	40.3	168.8	-1.3	-0.2	0.8	6.9	3.3	5.5	
1978 Jan	126.3	39.3	165.6	-3.2	-1.1	-0.1	6.7	3.2	5.4	
Feb	125.6	39.5	165.1	-0.5	-1.7	-0.2	6.7	3.2	5.3	
Mar	124.2	39.4	163.6	-1.5	-1.7	-1.0	6.6	3.2	5.3	
Apr	124.0	40.4	164.4	0.8	-0.4	-0.7	6.6	3.3	5.3	
May	122.7	39.7	162.4	-2.0	-0.9	-1.3	6.5	3.3	5.3	
June	122.8	40.6	163.4	1.0	-0.1	-0.9	6.6	3.3	5.3	
July	122.8	40.8	163.6	0.2	-0.3	-0.3	6.6	3.4	5.3	
Aug	123.0	41.9	164.9	1.3	0.8	—	6.6	3.4	5.3	
Sept	122.0	41.1	163.1	-1.8	-0.1	-0.1	6.5	3.4	5.3	
Oct	119.7	40.8	160.5	-2.6	-1.0	-0.7	6.4	3.4	5.2	
Nov	117.4	40.6	158.0	-2.5	-2.3	-0.7	6.3	3.3	5.1	
Dec	115.1	40.5	155.6	-2.4	-2.5	-1.3	6.1	3.3	5.0	
1979 Jan	116.8	40.9	157.7	2.1	-0.9	-1.0	6.3	3.3	5.1	
Feb	119.2	41.5	160.7	3.0	0.9	-0.7	6.4	3.3	5.2	
Mar	118.1	41.6	159.7	-1.0	1.4	-0.6	6.3	3.3	5.1	
Apr	115.5	40.6	156.1	-3.6	-0.5	-0.7	6.2	3.3	5.0	
May	116.0	41.9	157.9	1.8	-0.9	—	6.2	3.4	5.1	
June	112.7	41.9	154.6	-3.3	-1.7	-0.2	6.0	3.4	5.0	
July	112.0	42.0	154.0	-0.6	-0.7	-0.6	6.0	3.4	5.0</	

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	Male	Female	All	Change since previous month	Average change over previous 3 months	Average change over previous 6 months	Thousands			Per cent
							Male	Female	All	
1980	Jan 116.6	45.7	162.3	5.1	2.4	1.4	6.2	3.6	5.2	
	Feb 120.3	46.7	167.0	4.7	4.0	2.4	6.4	3.7	5.3	
	Mar 124.5	49.0	173.5	6.5	5.4	3.5	6.7	3.9	5.6	
	Apr 129.0	51.0	180.0	6.5	5.9	4.2	6.9	4.1	5.8	
	May 132.1	52.8	184.9	4.9	6.0	5.0	7.1	4.2	5.9	
	June 137.8	53.9	191.7	6.8	6.1	5.8	7.4	4.3	6.1	
	July 144.0	56.4	200.4	8.7	6.8	6.4	7.7	4.5	6.4	
	Aug 154.0	60.1	214.1	13.7	9.7	7.9	8.2	4.8	6.9	
	Sept 159.9	61.7	221.6	7.5	10.0	8.0	8.5	4.9	7.1	
	Oct 169.4	65.4	234.8	13.2	11.5	9.1	9.1	5.2	7.5	
	Nov 180.3	68.2	248.5	13.7	11.5	10.6	9.6	5.4	8.0	
	Dec 189.2	71.5	260.7	12.2	13.0	11.5	10.1	5.7	8.3	
1981	Jan 195.6	73.7	269.3	8.6	11.5	11.5	10.6	6.1	8.8	
	Feb 203.0	76.3	279.3	10.0	10.3	10.9	11.0	6.3	9.1	
	Mar 210.1	78.5	288.6	9.3	9.3	11.2	11.4	6.4	9.4	
	Apr 215.9	80.1	296.0	7.4	8.9	10.2	11.7	6.6	9.7	
	May 223.8	81.9	305.7	9.7	8.8	9.5	12.2	6.7	10.0	
	June 228.8	83.2	312.0	6.3	7.8	8.6	12.4	6.8	10.2	
	July 235.1	85.8	320.9	8.9	8.3	8.6	12.8	7.0	10.5	
	Aug 239.1	87.0	326.1	5.2	6.8	7.8	13.0	7.1	10.7	
	Sept 245.5	89.4	334.9	8.8	7.6	7.7	13.3	7.3	11.0	
	Oct 246.9	90.3	337.2	2.3	5.4	6.9	13.4	7.4	11.0	
	Nov 250.4	90.8	341.2	4.0	5.0	5.9	13.6	7.5	11.2	
	Dec 252.5	91.1	343.6	2.4	2.9	5.3	13.7	7.5	11.2	
1982	Jan 256.0	91.5	347.5	3.9	3.4	4.4	14.1	7.6	11.5	
	Feb 255.5	92.0	347.5	—	2.1	3.6	14.1	7.6	11.5	
	Mar 257.6	92.3	349.9	2.4	2.1	2.5	14.2	7.6	11.6	
	Apr 262.2	93.8	356.0	6.1	2.8	3.1	14.5	7.8	11.8	
	May 263.9	94.6	358.5	2.5	3.7	2.9	14.6	7.8	11.9	
	June 267.9	96.2	364.1	5.6	4.7	3.4	14.8	8.0	12.1	
	July 271.2	96.7	367.9	3.8	4.0	3.4	15.0	8.0	12.2	
	Aug 273.6	97.7	371.3	3.4	4.3	4.0	15.1	8.1	12.3	
	Sept 276.4	99.2	375.6	4.3	3.8	4.3	15.3	8.2	12.4	
	Oct 279.4	100.3	379.7	4.1	3.9	4.0	15.4	8.3	12.6	
	Nov 280.8	101.1	381.9	2.2	3.5	3.9	15.5	8.4	12.6	
	Dec 283.5	101.9	385.4	3.5	3.3	3.6	15.7	8.4	12.8	
1983	Jan 285.1	103.2	388.3	2.9	2.9	3.4	16.0	8.6	13.0	
	Feb 285.4	103.8	389.2	0.9	2.4	3.0	16.0	8.6	13.0	
	Mar 288.0	105.4	393.4	4.2	2.7	3.0	16.2	8.8	13.2	
	Apr 290.1	105.8	395.9	2.5	2.5	2.7	16.3	8.8	13.3	
	May 290.5	106.7	397.2	1.3	2.7	2.6	16.3	8.9	13.3	
	June 293.0	107.6	400.6	3.4	2.4	2.5	16.4	8.9	13.4	
	July 292.9	108.0	400.9	0.3	1.7	2.1	16.4	9.0	13.4	
	Aug 292.4	108.0	400.4	-0.5	1.1	1.9	16.4	9.0	13.4	
	Sept 292.3	109.3	401.6	1.2	0.3	1.4	16.4	9.1	13.5	
	Oct 293.0	110.5	403.5	1.9	0.9	1.3	16.4	9.2	13.5	
	Nov 293.5	112.0	405.5	2.0	1.7	1.4	16.5	9.3	13.6	
	Dec 294.2	113.0	407.2	1.7	1.9	1.1	16.5	9.4	13.6	
1984	Jan 294.3	114.2	408.5	1.3	1.7	1.3	16.5	9.2	13.5	
	Feb 295.9	115.5	411.4	2.9	2.0	1.8	16.6	9.3	13.6	
	Mar 296.7	116.0	412.7	1.3	1.8	1.9	16.6	9.3	13.6	
	Apr 293.8	115.5	409.3	-3.4	0.3	1.0	16.4	9.3	13.5	
	May 294.1	115.8	409.9	0.6	-0.5	0.7	16.5	9.3	13.5	
	June 292.6	116.0	408.6	-1.3	-1.4	0.2	16.4	9.3	13.5	
	July 293.3	116.5	409.8	1.2	0.2	0.2	16.4	9.4	13.5	
	Aug 294.9	117.8	412.7	2.9	0.9	0.2	16.5	9.5	13.6	
	Sept 295.1	117.7	412.8	0.1	1.4	—	16.5	9.5	13.6	
	Oct 296.9	117.9	414.8	2.0	1.7	0.9	16.6	9.5	13.7	
	Nov 298.3	118.8	417.1	2.3	1.5	1.2	16.7	9.6	13.8	
	Dec 298.4	119.7	418.1	1.0	1.8	1.6	16.7	9.6	13.8	
1985	Jan 298.6	120.2	418.8	0.7	1.3	1.5	16.7	9.5	13.7	
	Feb 299.5	120.6	420.1	1.3	1.0	1.2	16.7	9.5	13.8	
	Mar 298.9	120.3	419.2	-0.9	0.4	1.1	16.7	9.5	13.7	
	Apr 300.2	121.8	422.0	2.8	1.1	1.2	16.8	9.6	13.8	
	May 300.3	122.1	422.4	0.4	0.8	0.9	16.8	9.7	13.8	
	June 298.1	121.4	419.5	-2.9	0.1	0.2	16.7	9.6	13.7	
	July 298.3	122.2	420.5	1.0	-0.5	0.3	16.7	9.7	13.8	
	Aug 298.1	122.3	420.4	-0.1	-0.7	0.1	16.7	9.7	13.8	
	Sept 298.6	122.6	421.2	0.8	0.6	0.3	16.7	9.7	13.8	
	Oct 298.9	123.2	422.1	0.9	0.5	—	16.7	9.7	13.8	
	Nov 298.2	122.9	421.1	-1.0	0.2	-0.2	16.7	9.7	13.8	
	Dec 299.2	123.5	422.7	1.6	0.5	0.5	16.7	9.8	13.8	
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	Male	Female	All	Change since previous month	Average change over previous 3 months	Average change over previous 6 months	Thousands			Per cent
							Male	Female	All	
1987	Jan	292.3	120.7	413.0	-1.6	-2.2	-2.4	16.8	9.4	13.6
	Feb	289.1	119.3	408.4	-4.6	-3.1	-2.8	16.6	9.3	13.5
	Mar	287.0	118.0	405.0	-3.4	-3.2	-3.1	16.5	9.2	13.4
	Apr	284.7	116.9	401.6	-3.4	-3.8	-3.0	16.3	9.1	13.3
	May	279.4	113.6	393.0	-8.6	-5.1	-4.1	16.0	8.9	13.0
	June	277.3	112.9	390.2	-2.8	-4.9	-4.1	15.9	8.8	12.9
	July	273.0	110.6	383.6	-6.6	-6.0	-4.9	15.7	8.6	12.7
	Aug	268.7	108.7	377.4	-6.2	-5.2	-5.2	15.4	8.5	12.5
	Sept	265.3	106.8	372.1	-5.3	-6.0	-5.5	15.2	8.3	12.3
	Oct	260.5	104.8	365.3	-6.8	-6.1	-6.1	14.9	8.2	12.1
	Nov	255.6	102.2	357.8	-7.5	-6.5	-5.9	14.7	8.0	11.8
	Dec	252.7	101.7	354.4	-3.4	-5.9	-6.0	14.5	7.9	11.7
1988	Jan	248.8	101.1	349.9	-4.5	-5.1	-5.6	14.4	7.8	11.6
	Feb	244.7	99.7	344.4	-5.5	-4.5	-5.5	14.2	7.7	11.4
	Mar	242.2	98.3	340.5	-3.9	-4.6	-5.3	14.1	7.6	11.3
	Apr	237.2	96.7	333.9	-6.6	-5.3	-5.2	13.8	7.5	11.1
	May	233.6	95.5	329.1	-4.8	-5.1	-4.8	13.6	7.4	10.9
	June	230.4	93.8	324.2	-4.9	-5.4	-5.0	13.4	7.3	10.8
	July	226.1	91.7	317.8	-6.4	-5.4	-5.4	13.1	7.1	10.6
	Aug	224.0	90.3	314.3	-3.5	-4.9	-5.0	13.0	7.0	10.4
	Sept	222.2	88.7	310.9	-3.4	-4.4	-4.9	12.9	6.9	10.3
	Oct	220.1	87.1	307.2	-3.7	-3.5	-4.5	12.8	6.8	10.2
	Nov	215.5	85.0	300.5	-6.7	-4.6	-4.8	12.5	6.6	10.0
	Dec	210.7	82.2	292.9	-7.6	-6.0	-5.2	12.2	6.4	9.7
1989	Jan	208.1	80.7	288.8	-4.1	-6.1	-4.8	12.1	6.3	9.6
	Feb P	204.8	79.3	284.1	-4.7	-5.5	-5.0	11.9	6.2	9.4

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	Male	Female	All	Change since previous month	Average change over previous 3 months	Average change over previous 6 months	Thousands			Per cent		
							Male	Female	All	Male	Female	All
1974)	42.1	7.5	49.6	..	..	..	4.7	1.5	3.5			
1975)	51.3	10.6	61.9	..	..	..	5.6	2.0	4.3			
1976)	60.3	17.5	77.8	..	..	..	6.5	3.3	5.3			
1977)	64.7	21.9	86.6	..	..	..	6.9	4.0	5.9			
1978)	68.7	25.1	93.8	..	..	..	7.5	4.6	6.4			
1979)	67.4	26.4	93.9	..	..	..	7.5	4.8	6.5			
1980) Annual averages	83.2	32.4	115.6	..	..	..	9.3	5.9	8.0			
1981)	122.1	43.3	165.4	..	..	..	14.0	8.1	11.8			
1982)	138.8	48.4	187.2	..	..	..	16.0	9.0	13.3			
1983)	149.6	53.1	202.6	..	..	..	17.7	9.9	14.6			
1984)	156.7	57.9	214.5	..	..	..	18.4	10.5	15.3			
1985)	159.7	61.4	221.1	..	..	..	18.4	10.7	15.4			
1986)	159.6	61.9	221.5	..	..	..	18.4	10.5	15.2			
1987)	149.7	54.2	203.9	..	..	..	17.3	9.2	14.0			
1988)	127.6	46.4	174.0	..	..	..	14.7	7.8	11.9			
1974 Apr	40.8	7.3	48.1	..	..	..	4.6	1.5	3.4			
May	40.4	7.0	47.4	-0.7	..	..	4.5	1.4	3.4			
June	40.6	6.9	47.5	0.1	..	..	4.5	1.4	3.4			
July	41.8	7.3	49.1	1.6	0.3	..	4.7	1.5	3.5			
Aug	43.3	7.9	51.2	2.1	1.3	..	4.8	1.6	3.7			
Sept	42.8	8.3	51.1	-0.1	1.2	..	4.8	1.7	3.7			
Oct	43.0	7.6	50.6	-0.5	0.5	0.4	4.8	1.5	3.6			
Nov	42.9	7.5	50.4	-0.2	-0.3	0.5	4.8	1.5	3.6			
Dec	43.6	7.5	51.1	0.7	—	0.6	4.9	1.5	3.7			
1975 Jan	44.7	7.6	52.3	1.2	0.6	0.5	4.9	1.5	3.6			
Feb	45.1	8.0	53.1	0.8	0.9	0.3	4.9	1.5	3.7			
Mar	45.9	8.5	54.4	1.3	1.1	0.6	5.0	1.6	3.8			
Apr	47.3	8.7	56.0	1.6	1.2	0.9	5.2	1.7	3.9			
May	49.3	9.9	59.2	3.2	2.0	1.5	5.4	1.9	4.1			
June	50.8	10.1	60.9	1.7	2.2	1.6	5.6	1.9	4.2			
July	52.5	10.7	63.2	2.3	2.4	1.8	5.7	2.1	4.4			
Aug	54.1	11.1	65.2	2.0	2.0	2.0	5.9	2.1	4.5			
Sept	55.1	11.6	66.7	1.5	1.9	2.1	6.0	2.2	4.6			
Oct	56.4	13.0	69.4	2.7	2.1	2.2	6.2	2.5	4.8			
Nov	56.9	13.6	70.5	1.1	1.8	1.9	6.2	2.6	4.9			
Dec	57.5	14.4	71.9	1.4	1.7	1.8	6.3	2.8	5.0			
1976 Jan	58.0	14.8	72.8	0.9	1.1	1.6	6.2	2.8	5.0			
Feb	57.4	15.5	72.9	0.1	0.8	1.3	6.2	2.9	5.0			
Mar	57.3	16.3	73.6	0.7	0.6	1.2	6.2	3.1	5.0			
Apr	59.1	16.8	75.9	2.3	1.0	1.1	6.4	3.2	5.2			
May	60.6	17.2	77.8	1.9	1.6	1.2	6.5	3.2	5.3			
June	61.3	17.4	78.7	0.9	1.7	1.1	6.6	3.3	5.4			
July	60.9	17.7	78.6	-0.1	0.9	1.0	6.5	3.3	5.4			
Aug	61.2	18.3	79.5	0.9	0.6	1.1	6.6	3.5	5.4			
Sept	62.1	18.5	80.6	1.1	0.6	1.2	6.7	3.5	5.5			
Oct	62.2	18.7	80.9	0.3	0.8	0.8	6.7	3.5	5.5			
Nov	62.2	19.0	81.2	0.3	0.6	0.6	6.7	3.6	5.6			
Dec	61.7	19.3	81.0	-0.2	0.1	0.4	6.6	3.6	5.5			
1977 Jan	61.1	19.7	80.8	-0.2	—	0.4	6.6	3.6	5.5			
Feb	61.7	19.9	81.6	0.8	0.1	0.4	6.6	3.7	5.5			
Mar	61.8	19.8	81.6	—	0.2	0.2	6.6	3.6	5.5			
Apr	62.2	20.1	82.3	0.7	0.5	0.2	6.7	3.7	5.6			
May	62.4	20.4	82.8	0.5	0.4	0.3	6.7	3.7	5.6			
June	64.6	21.3	85.9	3.1	1.4	0.8	6.9	3.9	5.8			
July	65.4	22.5	87.9	2.0	1.9	1.2	7.0	4.1	6.0			
Aug	66.0	22.8	88.8	0.9	2.0	1.2	7.1	4.2	6.0			
Sept	66.6	23.6	90.2	1.4	1.4	1.4	7.1	4.3	6.1			
Oct	67.1	23.9	91.0	0.8	1.0	1.5	7.2	4.4	6.2			
Nov	68.9	24.4	93.3	2.3	1.5	1.8	7.4	4.5	6.3			
Dec	68.8	24.4	93.2	-0.1	1.0	1.2	7.4	4.5	6.3			
1978 Jan	69.3	24.3	93.6	0.4	0.9	1.0	7.6	4.5	6.4			
Feb	68.8	24.2	93.0	-0.6	-0.1	0.7	7.5	4.4	6.4			
Mar	69.4	24.8	94.2	1.2	0.3	0.7	7.6	4.5	6.4			
Apr	68.5	24.8	93.3	-0.9	-0.1	0.4	7.5	4.5	6.4			
May	68.5	24.7	93.2	-0.1	0.1	—	7.5	4.5	6.4			
June	67.8	25.2	93.0	-0.2	-0.4	—	7.4	4.6	6.4			
July	68.2	25.2	93.4	0.4	—	—	7.4	4.6	6.4			
Aug	69.2	25.9	95.1	1.7	0.6	0.4	7.6	4.7	6.5			
Sept	69.5	25.7	95.2	0.1	0.7	0.2	7.6	4.7	6.5			
Oct	69.0	25.7	94.7	-0.5	0.4	0.2	7.5	4.7	6.5			
Nov	68.0	25.3	93.3	-1.4	-0.6	—	7.4	4.6	6.4			
Dec	68.2	25.5	93.7	0.4	-0.5	0.1	7.4	4.7	6.4			
1979 Jan	68.7	25.5	94.2	0.5	-0.2	0.1	7.7	4.6	6.5			

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1980	Jan	68.0	27.9	95.9	2.0	0.9	0.4	7.6	5.1	6.7		
	Feb	70.9	28.5	99.4	3.5	2.1	1.2	8.0	5.2	6.9		
	Mar	73.0	29.2	102.2	2.8	2.8	1.7	8.2	5.3	7.1		
	Apr	76.6	30.3	106.9	4.7	3.7	2.3	8.6	5.5	7.4		
	May	77.7	30.7	108.4	1.5	3.0	2.6	8.7	5.6	7.5		
	June	78.9	31.6	110.5	2.1	2.8	2.8	8.9	5.7	7.7		
	July	82.4	32.4	114.8	4.3	2.6	3.2	9.3	5.9	8.0		
	Aug	85.7	33.8	119.5	4.7	3.7	3.4	9.6	6.1	8.3		
	Sept	88.9	34.2	123.1	3.6	4.2	3.5	10.0	6.2	8.5		
	Oct	92.2	35.2	127.4	4.3	4.2	3.4	10.4	6.4	8.8		
	Nov	98.9	36.6	135.5	8.1	5.3	4.5	11.1	6.6	9.4		
	Dec	105.1	38.1	143.2	7.7	6.7	5.5	11.8	6.9	9.9		
1981	Jan	108.4	39.4	147.8	4.6	6.8	5.5	12.4	7.4	10.5		
	Feb	112.0	40.3	152.3	4.5	5.6	5.5	12.9	7.5	10.8		
	Mar	115.6	41.0	156.6	4.3	4.5	5.6	13.3	7.7	11.1		
	Apr	117.0	41.7	158.7	2.1	3.6	5.2	13.4	7.8	11.3		
	May	120.0	42.4	162.4	3.7	3.4	4.5	13.8	7.9	11.6		
	June	121.9	42.8	164.7	2.3	2.7	3.6	14.0	8.0	11.7		
	July	123.6	43.5	167.1	2.4	2.8	3.2	14.2	8.1	11.9		
	Aug	125.9	44.3	170.2	3.1	2.6	3.0	14.5	8.3	12.1		
	Sept	128.1	45.1	173.2	3.0	2.8	2.8	14.7	8.4	12.3		
	Oct	129.9	45.9	175.8	2.6	2.9	2.9	14.9	8.6	12.5		
	Nov	131.2	46.5	177.7	1.9	2.5	2.6	15.1	8.7	12.6		
	Dec	131.2	46.6	177.8	0.1	1.5	2.2	15.1	8.7	12.6		
1982	Jan	132.6	46.6	179.2	1.4	1.1	2.0	15.3	8.7	12.8		
	Feb	132.2	47.0	179.2	—	0.5	1.5	15.3	8.8	12.8		
	Mar	132.6	47.2	179.8	0.6	0.7	1.1	15.3	8.8	12.8		
	Apr	134.6	47.7	182.3	2.5	1.0	1.1	15.5	8.9	13.0		
	May	134.9	47.8	182.7	0.4	1.2	0.8	15.6	8.9	13.0		
	June	137.5	48.2	185.7	3.0	2.0	1.3	15.9	9.0	13.2		
	July	140.9	48.4	189.3	3.6	2.3	1.7	16.3	9.0	13.5		
	Aug	142.4	48.7	191.1	1.8	2.8	2.0	16.4	9.1	13.6		
	Sept	143.0	49.3	192.3	1.2	2.2	2.1	16.5	9.2	13.7		
	Oct	144.1	49.7	193.8	1.5	1.5	1.9	16.6	9.3	13.8		
	Nov	144.4	50.0	194.4	0.6	1.1	2.0	16.7	9.3	13.9		
	Dec	145.8	50.4	196.2	1.8	1.3	1.8	16.8	9.4	14.0		
1983	Jan	147.0	51.1	198.1	1.9	1.4	1.5	17.4	9.5	14.3		
	Feb	146.6	51.3	197.9	-0.2	1.2	1.1	17.3	9.5	14.3		
	Mar	146.9	51.8	198.7	0.8	0.8	1.1	17.4	9.6	14.4		
	Apr	148.1	52.2	200.3	1.6	0.7	1.1	17.5	9.7	14.5		
	May	150.7	52.7	203.4	3.1	1.8	1.5	17.8	9.8	14.7		
	June	151.6	53.1	204.7	1.3	2.0	1.4	17.9	9.9	14.8		
	July	150.2	53.1	203.3	-1.4	1.0	0.9	17.8	9.9	14.7		
	Aug	149.7	53.2	202.9	-0.4	-0.2	0.8	17.7	9.9	14.7		
	Sept	150.5	54.0	204.5	1.6	-0.1	1.0	17.8	10.0	14.8		
	Oct	151.0	54.2	205.2	0.7	0.6	0.8	17.9	10.1	14.8		
	Nov	151.2	54.8	206.0	0.8	1.0	0.4	17.9	10.2	14.9		
	Dec	151.3	55.2	206.5	0.5	0.7	0.3	17.9	10.3	14.9		
1984	Jan	151.4	55.6	207.0	0.5	0.6	0.6	17.8	10.0	14.7		
	Feb	153.1	56.0	209.1	2.1	1.0	1.0	18.0	10.1	14.9		
	Mar	154.6	56.4	211.0	1.9	1.5	1.1	18.2	10.2	15.0		
	Apr	154.3	56.2	210.5	-0.5	1.2	0.9	18.1	10.2	15.0		
	May	155.9	57.1	213.0	2.5	1.3	1.2	18.3	10.3	15.2		
	June	156.8	57.4	214.2	1.2	1.1	1.3	18.4	10.4	15.3		
	July	157.3	57.8	215.1	0.9	1.5	1.4	18.5	10.4	15.3		
	Aug	157.4	58.4	215.8	0.7	0.9	1.1	18.5	10.6	15.4		
	Sept	159.1	59.2	218.3	2.5	1.4	1.2	18.7	10.7	15.6		
	Oct	159.3	59.8	219.1	0.8	1.3	1.4	18.7	10.8	15.6		
	Nov	160.7	60.3	221.0	1.9	1.7	1.3	18.9	10.9	15.7		
	Dec	160.0	60.4	220.4	-0.6	0.7	1.0	18.8	10.9	15.7		
1985	Jan	159.2	60.5	219.7	-0.7	0.2	0.8	18.4	10.6	15.3		
	Feb	158.2	60.3	218.5	-1.2	-0.8	0.5	18.3	10.5	15.2		
	Mar	158.2	60.6	218.8	0.3	-0.5	0.1	18.3	10.6	15.2		
	Apr	160.5	61.4	221.9	3.1	0.7	0.5	18.5	10.7	15.4		
	May	159.7	61.7	221.4	-0.5	1.0	0.1	18.4	10.8	15.4		
	June	158.9	61.5	220.4	-1.0	0.5	—	18.3	10.7	15.3		
	July	159.8	61.7	221.5	1.1	-0.1	0.3</					

Table 11 Unemployment - seasonally adjusted, consistent with current coverage, North

	Male	Female	All	Change since previous month	Average change over previous 3 months	Average change over previous 6 months	Thousands			Per cent
							Male	Female	All	
1987	Jan	157.5	58.8	216.3	-.6	-.6	-.9	18.2	10.0	14.9
	Feb	156.3	58.0	214.3	-2.0	-1.4	-1.2	18.1	9.8	14.7
	Mar	155.2	56.9	212.1	-2.2	-1.6	-1.3	18.0	9.6	14.6
	Apr	155.5	56.5	212.0	-.1	-1.4	-1.0	18.0	9.6	14.6
	May	154.0	54.8	208.8	-3.2	-1.8	-1.6	17.8	9.3	14.4
	June	152.1	54.3	206.4	-2.4	-1.9	-1.8	17.6	9.2	14.2
	July	149.4	53.5	202.9	-3.5	-3.0	-2.2	17.3	9.1	13.9
	Aug	147.2	53.2	200.4	-2.5	-2.8	-2.3	17.0	9.0	13.8
	Sept	145.8	52.3	198.1	-2.3	-2.8	-2.3	16.9	8.9	13.6
	Oct	143.3	51.5	194.8	-3.3	-2.7	-2.9	16.6	8.7	13.4
	Nov	140.6	50.5	191.1	-3.7	-3.1	-3.0	16.3	8.6	13.1
	Dec	139.0	50.1	189.1	-2.0	-3.0	-2.9	16.1	8.5	13.0
1988	Jan	136.5	49.8	186.3	-2.8	-2.8	-2.8	15.7	8.3	12.7
	Feb	134.9	49.9	184.8	-1.5	-2.1	-2.6	15.5	8.3	12.6
	Mar	133.9	49.6	183.5	-1.3	-1.9	-2.4	15.4	8.3	12.5
	Apr	131.4	48.6	180.0	-3.5	-2.1	-2.5	15.1	8.1	12.3
	May	129.4	47.8	177.2	-2.8	-2.5	-2.3	14.9	8.0	12.1
	June	129.0	47.0	176.0	-1.2	-2.5	-2.2	14.8	7.9	12.0
	July	126.9	46.0	172.9	-3.1	-2.4	-2.2	14.6	7.7	11.8
	Aug	125.0	45.0	170.0	-2.9	-2.4	-2.5	14.4	7.5	11.6
	Sept	123.4	44.2	167.6	-2.4	-2.8	-2.7	14.2	7.4	11.4
	Oct	121.9	43.7	165.6	-2.0	-2.4	-2.4	14.0	7.3	11.3
	Nov	120.3	43.2	163.5	-2.1	-2.2	-2.3	13.8	7.2	11.1
	Dec	118.1	41.9	160.0	-3.5	-2.5	-2.7	13.6	7.0	10.9
1989	Jan	116.8	40.9	157.7	-2.3	-2.6	-2.5	13.4	6.8	10.8
	Feb P	115.8	40.4	156.2	-1.5	-2.4	-2.3	13.3	6.8	10.6

Table 12 Unemployment – seasonally adjusted, consistent with current coverage, Wales

	Male	Female	All	Change since previous month	Average change over previous 3 months	Average change over previous 6 months	Thousands			Per cent
							Male	Female	All	
1974)	28.7	4.9	33.7	..	..	..	3.8	1.2	2.9	
1975)	41.0	7.8	48.8	..	..	..	5.4	1.9	4.1	
1976)	50.8	12.6	63.5	..	..	..	6.5	3.0	5.3	
1977)	51.8	15.8	67.6	..	..	..	6.6	3.6	5.6	
1978)	52.8	17.8	70.5	..	..	..	6.7	4.0	5.7	
1979)	48.0	18.6	66.6	..	..	..	6.1	4.0	5.3	
1980) Annual averages	60.3	24.2	84.5	..	..	..	7.8	5.3	6.9	
	93.0	33.4	126.4	..	..	..	12.3	7.4	10.5	
	106.1	38.3	144.5	..	..	..	14.2	8.5	12.1	
	112.1	41.8	153.9	..	..	..	15.2	9.2	12.9	
	116.1	45.0	161.1	..	..	..	15.5	9.6	13.2	
	120.5	47.9	168.4	..	..	..	16.1	10.2	13.8	
	120.5	48.8	169.3	..	..	..	16.1	10.4	13.9	
	107.7	42.2	149.9	..	..	..	15.0	8.8	12.5	
	90.4	35.4	125.7	..	..	..	12.7	7.3	10.5	
	28.0	4.9	32.9	..	..	..	3.7	1.2	2.9	
1974 Apr	27.6	4.8	32.4	-0.5	..	..	3.7	1.2	2.8	
May	28.1	4.7	32.8	0.4	..	..	3.7	1.2	2.9	
June	28.5	4.8	33.3	0.5	0.1	..	3.8	1.2	2.9	
July	29.4	5.1	34.5	1.2	0.7	..	3.9	1.3	3.0	
Aug	29.6	5.3	34.9	0.4	0.7	..	3.9	1.3	3.0	
Sept	29.2	5.1	34.3	-0.6	0.3	0.2	3.9	1.3	3.0	
Oct	28.6	4.8	33.4	-0.9	-0.4	0.2	3.8	1.2	2.9	
Nov	29.4	5.0	34.4	1.0	-0.2	0.3	3.9	1.2	3.0	
1975 Jan	31.3	5.3	36.6	2.2	0.8	0.6	4.1	1.3	3.1	
Feb	32.4	5.7	38.1	1.5	1.6	0.6	4.2	1.4	3.2	
Mar	33.9	6.2	40.1	2.0	1.9	0.9	4.4	1.5	3.4	
Apr	35.8	6.4	42.2	2.1	1.9	1.3	4.7	1.5	3.6	
May	38.4	7.1	45.5	3.3	2.5	2.0	5.0	1.7	3.9	
June	40.1	7.5	47.6	2.1	2.5	2.2	5.2	1.8	4.0	
July	42.6	8.0	50.6	3.0	2.8	2.3	5.6	1.9	4.3	
Aug	44.3	8.6	52.9	2.3	2.5	2.5	5.8	2.1	4.5	
Sept	45.7	9.0	54.7	1.8	2.4	2.4	6.0	2.2	4.6	
Oct	47.8	9.6	57.4	2.7	2.3	2.5	6.3	2.3	4.9	
Nov	49.3	10.1	59.4	2.0	2.2	2.3	6.5	2.4	5.0	
Dec	50.3	10.5	60.8	1.4	2.0	2.2	6.6	2.5	5.2	
1976 Jan	50.8	10.8	61.6	0.8	1.4	1.8	6.5	2.5	5.1	
Feb	50.9	11.2	62.1	0.5	0.9	1.5	6.5	2.6	5.2	
Mar	50.9	11.6	62.5	0.4	0.6	1.3	6.5	2.7	5.2	
Apr	51.5	11.8	63.3	0.8	0.6	1.0	6.6	2.8	5.3	
May	51.7	12.3	64.0	0.7	0.6	0.8	6.6	2.9	5.3	
June	51.4	12.4	63.8	-0.2	0.4	0.5	6.6	2.9	5.3	
July	51.0	13.2	64.2	0.4	0.3	0.4	6.5	3.1	5.3	
Aug	50.6	13.3	63.9	-0.3	—	0.3	6.5	3.1	5.3	
Sept	50.3	13.4	63.7	-0.2	—	0.2	6.5	3.2	5.3	
Oct	49.8	13.6	63.4	-0.3	-0.3	—	6.4	3.2	5.3	
Nov	50.6	14.0	64.6	1.2	0.2	0.1	6.5	3.3	5.4	
Dec	50.6	14.0	64.6	—	0.3	0.1	6.5	3.3	5.4	
1977 Jan	50.2	14.4	64.6	—	0.4	0.1	6.4	3.3	5.3	
Feb	49.7	14.5	64.2	-0.4	-0.1	0.1	6.3	3.3	5.3	
Mar	49.3	14.6	63.9	-0.3	-0.2	—	6.3	3.4	5.3	
Apr	50.0	14.9	64.9	1.0	0.1	0.3	6.4	3.4	5.3	
May	50.2	14.7	64.9	—	0.2	0.1	6.4	3.4	5.3	
June	51.6	15.4	67.0	2.1	1.0	0.4	6.6	3.6	5.5	
July	51.9	15.7	67.6	0.6	0.9	0.5	6.6	3.6	5.6	
Aug	52.6	16.1	68.7	1.1	1.3	0.8	6.7	3.7	5.6	
Sept	53.7	16.9	70.6	1.9	1.2	1.1	6.9	3.9	5.8	
Oct	54.2	17.3	71.5	0.9	1.3	1.1	6.9	4.0	5.9	
Nov	54.5	17.2	71.7	0.2	1.0	1.1	7.0	4.0	5.9	
Dec	54.2	17.5	71.7	—	0.4	0.8	6.9	4.0	5.9	
1978 Jan	53.5	17.0	70.5	-1.2	-0.3	0.5	6.8	3.8	5.7	
Feb	53.4	16.9	70.3	-0.2	-0.5	0.3	6.8	3.8	5.7	
Mar	53.8	17.3	71.1	0.8	-0.2	0.1	6.8	3.9	5.8	
Apr	53.5	17.9	71.4	0.3	0.3	—	6.8	4.0	5.8	
May	53.1	17.8	70.9	-0.5	0.2	-0.1	6.7	4.0	5.7	
June	53.5	17.9	71.4	0.5	0.1	-0.1	6.8	4.0	5.8	
July	53.5	18.0	71.5	0.1	—	0.2	6.8	4.0	5.8	
Aug	53.7	18.3	72.0	0.5	0.4	0.3	6.8	4.1	5.8	
Sept	52.4	18.0	70.4	-1.6	-0.3	-0.1	6.7	4.0	5.7	
Oct	51.8	18.1	69.9	-0.5	-0.5	-0.3	6.6	4.0	5.7	
Nov	50.4	18.1	68.5	-1.4	-1.2	-0.4	6.4	4.0	5.5	
Dec	50.4	17.7	68.1	-0.4	-0.8	-0.6	6.4	4.0	5.5	
1979 Jan	51.4	18.0	69.4	1.3	-0.2	-0.4	6.6	3.9	5.6	
Feb	52.2	18.5	70.7	1.3	0.7	-0.2	6.7	4.0	5.7	
Mar	52.1	18.5	70.6	-0.1	0.8	—	6.7	4.0	5.7	
Apr	50.3	18.1	68.4	-2.2	-0.3	-0.3	6.4	3.9	5.5	
May	49.9	19.0	68.9	0.5	-0.6	0.1	6.4	4.1	5.5	
June	47.6	18.6	66.2	-2.7	-1.5	-0.3	6.1	4.0	5.3	
July	46.9	18.7	65.6	-0.6	-0.9	-0.6	6.0	4.0	5.3	
Aug	45.8	18.6	64.4	-1.2	-1.5	-1.1	5.8	4.0	5.2	
Sept	45.1	18.7	63.8	-0.6	-0.8</td					

Table 12 Unemployment - seasonally adjusted, consistent with current coverage, Wales

	Male	Female	All	Change since previous month	Average change over previous 3 months	Average change over previous 6 months	Thousands			Per cent
							Male	Female	All	
1980	Jan	45.5	19.9	65.4	1.4	0.5	—	5.9	4.3	5.3
	Feb	46.9	20.4	67.3	1.9	1.3	0.5	6.1	4.4	5.5
	Mar	48.0	21.0	69.0	1.7	1.7	0.9	6.2	4.6	5.6
	Apr	51.2	21.9	73.1	4.1	2.6	1.5	6.6	4.8	5.9
	May	53.9	22.7	76.6	3.5	3.1	2.2	7.0	4.9	6.2
	June	56.3	23.1	79.4	2.8	3.5	2.6	7.3	5.0	6.5
	July	59.5	24.2	83.7	4.3	3.5	3.1	7.7	5.3	6.8
	Aug	63.9	25.5	89.4	5.7	4.3	3.7	8.3	5.5	7.3
	Sept	68.6	26.1	94.7	5.3	5.1	4.3	8.9	5.7	7.7
	Oct	72.6	27.4	100.0	5.3	5.4	4.5	9.4	6.0	8.1
	Nov	76.8	28.5	105.3	5.3	5.3	4.8	10.0	6.2	8.6
	Dec	79.8	29.8	109.6	4.3	5.0	5.0	10.4	6.5	8.9
1981	Jan	81.9	30.4	112.3	2.7	4.1	4.8	10.8	6.8	9.3
	Feb	84.0	31.2	115.2	2.9	3.3	4.3	11.1	6.9	9.5
	Mar	87.2	31.5	118.7	3.5	3.0	4.0	11.5	7.0	9.8
	Apr	88.8	32.2	121.0	2.3	2.9	3.5	11.7	7.2	10.0
	May	90.9	32.4	123.3	2.3	2.7	3.0	12.0	7.2	10.2
	June	94.3	33.4	127.7	4.4	3.0	3.0	12.4	7.4	10.6
	July	95.2	33.9	129.1	1.4	2.7	2.8	12.5	7.5	10.7
	Aug	96.6	33.9	130.5	1.4	2.4	2.6	12.7	7.5	10.8
	Sept	97.6	35.0	132.6	2.1	1.6	2.3	12.9	7.8	11.0
	Oct	98.3	35.1	133.4	0.8	1.4	2.1	13.0	7.8	11.0
	Nov	100.5	36.0	136.5	3.1	2.0	2.2	13.2	8.0	11.3
	Dec	100.6	36.0	136.6	0.1	1.3	1.5	13.3	8.0	11.3
1982	Jan	102.0	36.8	138.8	2.2	1.8	1.6	13.6	8.2	11.6
	Feb	103.0	36.7	139.7	0.9	1.1	1.5	13.8	8.2	11.7
	Mar	102.5	37.4	139.9	0.2	1.1	1.2	13.7	8.3	11.7
	Apr	103.9	37.4	141.3	1.4	0.8	1.3	13.9	8.3	11.8
	May	103.8	37.6	141.4	0.1	0.6	0.8	13.9	8.4	11.8
	June	104.9	38.0	142.9	1.5	1.0	1.1	14.0	8.5	11.9
	July	106.7	38.4	145.1	2.2	1.3	1.1	14.3	8.6	12.1
	Aug	107.4	38.9	146.3	1.2	1.6	1.1	14.4	8.7	12.2
	Sept	108.1	39.1	147.2	0.9	1.4	1.2	14.5	8.7	12.3
	Oct	109.3	39.6	148.9	1.7	1.3	1.3	14.6	8.8	12.4
	Nov	110.4	39.8	150.2	1.3	1.3	1.5	14.8	8.9	12.6
	Dec	111.7	40.2	151.9	1.7	1.6	1.5	14.9	9.0	12.7
1983	Jan	112.1	40.3	152.4	0.5	1.2	1.2	15.2	8.9	12.8
	Feb	111.4	40.8	152.2	-0.2	0.7	1.0	15.1	9.0	12.8
	Mar	112.0	41.1	153.1	0.9	0.4	1.0	15.2	9.0	12.8
	Apr	112.7	41.4	154.1	1.0	0.6	0.9	15.3	9.1	12.9
	May	112.7	41.8	154.5	0.4	0.8	0.7	15.3	9.2	13.0
	June	112.9	42.0	154.9	0.4	0.6	0.5	15.3	9.2	13.0
	July	112.4	41.8	154.2	-0.7	—	0.3	15.3	9.2	12.9
	Aug	112.1	41.9	154.0	-0.2	-0.2	0.3	15.2	9.2	12.9
	Sept	111.6	42.2	153.8	-0.2	-0.4	0.1	15.2	9.3	12.9
	Oct	111.9	42.7	154.6	0.8	0.1	0.1	15.2	9.4	13.0
	Nov	111.6	42.6	154.2	-0.4	0.1	-0.1	15.2	9.4	12.9
	Dec	112.0	43.1	155.1	0.9	0.4	—	15.2	9.5	13.0
1984	Jan	112.3	43.2	155.5	0.4	0.3	0.2	15.0	9.2	12.8
	Feb	113.6	43.7	157.3	1.8	1.0	0.6	15.2	9.3	12.9
	Mar	114.5	44.2	158.7	1.4	1.2	0.8	15.3	9.4	13.0
	Apr	114.4	44.1	158.5	-0.2	1.0	0.7	15.3	9.4	13.0
	May	115.3	44.2	159.5	1.0	0.7	0.9	15.4	9.4	13.1
	June	114.7	44.4	159.1	-0.4	0.1	0.7	15.3	9.4	13.1
	July	115.8	44.9	160.7	1.6	0.7	0.9	15.5	9.5	13.2
	Aug	116.7	45.1	161.8	1.1	0.8	0.8	15.6	9.6	13.3
	Sept	118.3	46.0	164.3	2.5	1.7	0.9	15.8	9.8	13.5
	Oct	118.8	46.1	164.9	0.6	1.4	1.1	15.9	9.8	13.5
	Nov	119.3	47.0	166.3	1.4	1.5	1.1	16.0	10.0	13.7
	Dec	119.7	47.0	166.7	0.4	0.8	1.3	16.0	10.0	13.7
1985	Jan	119.5	47.0	166.5	-0.2	0.5	1.0	15.9	10.0	13.6
	Feb	119.9	47.1	167.0	0.5	0.2	0.9	16.0	10.0	13.7
	Mar	120.1	47.1	167.2	0.2	0.2	0.5	16.0	10.0	13.7
	Apr	120.3	47.9	168.2	1.0	0.6	0.6	16.0	10.2	13.8
	May	120.5	48.0	168.5	0.3	0.5	0.4	16.1	10.2	13.8
	June	120.6	48.0	168.6	0.1	0.5	0.3	16.1	10.2	13.8
	July	120.9	48.0	168.9	0.3	0.2	0.4	16.1	10.2	13.8
	Aug	120.7	48.2	168.9	—	0.1	0.3	16.1	10.3	13.8
	Sept	121.4	48.3	169.7	0.8	0.4	0.4	16.2	10.3	13.9
	Oct	121.4	48.2	169.6	-0.1	0.2	0.2	16.2	10.3	13.9
	Nov	120.5	48.1	168.6	-1.0	-0.1	—	16.1	10.2	13.8
	Dec	120.4	48.4	168.8	0.2	-0.3	—	16.1	10.3	13.8
1986	Jan	122.7	48.8	171.5	2.7	0.6	0.4	16.4	10.4</td	

Table 12 Unemployment – seasonally adjusted, consistent with current coverage, Wales

	Male	Female	All	Change since previous month	Average change over previous 3 months	Average change over previous 6 months	Thousands			Per cent
							Male	Female	All	
1987	Jan	115.3	47.0	162.3	-1.0	-1.2	-1.3	16.1	9.8	13.6
	Feb	113.5	45.1	158.6	-3.7	-2.2	-1.8	15.8	9.4	13.2
	Mar	111.9	44.7	156.6	-2.0	-2.2	-1.8	15.6	9.3	13.1
	Apr	111.1	44.2	155.3	-1.3	-2.3	-1.8	15.5	9.2	13.0
	May	109.3	43.2	152.5	-2.8	-2.0	-2.1	15.2	9.0	12.7
	June	108.1	42.7	150.8	-1.7	-1.9	-2.1	15.1	8.9	12.6
	July	107.2	42.0	149.2	-1.6	-2.0	-2.2	14.9	8.8	12.5
	Aug	106.3	41.3	147.6	-1.6	-1.6	-1.8	14.8	8.6	12.3
	Sept	105.2	40.3	145.5	-2.1	-1.8	-1.9	14.6	8.4	12.2
	Oct	103.2	39.4	142.6	-2.9	-2.2	-2.1	14.4	8.2	11.9
	Nov	101.3	38.7	140.0	-2.6	-2.5	-2.1	14.1	8.1	11.7
	Dec	99.6	38.3	137.9	-2.1	-2.5	-2.2	13.9	8.0	11.5
1988	Jan	97.7	38.0	135.7	-2.2	-2.3	-2.3	13.7	7.8	11.3
	Feb	96.1	38.2	134.3	-1.4	-1.9	-2.2	13.5	7.9	11.2
	Mar	95.4	37.9	133.3	-1.0	-1.5	-2.0	13.4	7.8	11.1
	Apr	94.3	37.4	131.7	-1.6	-1.3	-1.8	13.2	7.7	11.0
	May	92.5	36.7	129.2	-2.5	-1.7	-1.8	13.0	7.6	10.8
	June	91.4	36.3	127.7	-1.5	-1.9	-1.7	12.8	7.5	10.6
	July	89.4	35.2	124.6	-3.1	-2.4	-1.9	12.5	7.3	10.4
	Aug	88.1	34.3	122.4	-2.2	-2.3	-2.0	12.3	7.1	10.2
	Sept	87.1	33.5	120.6	-1.8	-2.4	-2.1	12.2	6.9	10.1
	Oct	86.6	33.0	119.6	-1.0	-1.7	-2.0	12.1	6.8	10.0
	Nov	84.3	32.6	116.9	-2.7	-1.8	-2.1	11.8	6.7	9.7
	Dec	81.5	31.4	112.9	-4.0	-2.6	-2.5	11.4	6.5	9.4
1989	Jan	79.1	30.6	109.7	-3.2	-3.3	-2.5	11.1	6.3	9.1
	Feb P	77.1	30.0	107.1	-2.6	-3.3	-2.6	10.8	6.2	8.9

Table 13 Unemployment – seasonally adjusted, consistent with current coverage, Scotland

	Male	Female	All	Change since previous month	Average change over previous 3 months	Average change over previous 6 months	Thousands			Per cent		
							Male	Female	All	Male	Female	All
1974	58.5	12.8	71.3	..	..	..	4.1	1.4	3.1			
1975	69.9	18.2	88.1	..	..	..	4.8	2.0	3.7			
1976	93.5	28.9	122.4	..	..	..	6.4	3.1	5.1			
1977	103.8	37.9	141.7	..	..	..	7.1	4.0	5.9			
1978	101.2	41.3	142.5	..	..	..	6.9	4.3	5.9			
1979	96.1	44.4	140.5	..	..	..	6.5	4.5	5.7			
1980	Annual averages	118.0	54.8	172.8	..	..	8.0	5.5	7.0			
1981	171.6	72.2	243.8	..	..	..	11.7	7.3	9.9			
1982	196.6	80.8	277.5	..	..	..	13.4	8.2	11.3			
1983	209.2	89.3	298.6	..	..	..	14.4	9.1	12.3			
1984	216.7	93.0	309.8	..	..	..	14.9	9.2	12.6			
1985	225.2	96.8	322.0	..	..	..	15.3	9.4	12.9			
1986	232.1	100.6	332.8	..	..	..	15.8	9.8	13.3			
1987	228.9	94.5	323.4	..	..	..	15.8	9.1	13.0			
1988	199.3	80.8	280.1	..	..	..	13.8	7.6	11.2			
1974	Apr	57.7	13.0	70.7	..	..	4.0	1.5	3.0			
	May	57.0	12.0	69.0	-1.7	..	4.0	1.3	3.0			
	June	58.7	11.6	70.3	1.3	..	4.1	1.3	3.0			
	July	59.1	12.7	71.8	1.5	0.4	4.1	1.4	3.1			
	Aug	60.2	13.3	73.5	1.7	1.5	4.2	1.5	3.2			
	Sept	60.0	13.6	73.6	0.1	1.1	4.2	1.5	3.2			
	Oct	58.9	13.0	71.9	-1.7	—	4.1	1.5	3.1			
	Nov	57.5	12.8	70.3	-1.6	-1.1	4.0	1.4	3.0			
	Dec	57.2	13.1	70.3	—	-1.1	4.0	1.5	3.0			
1975	Jan	58.5	14.3	72.8	2.5	0.3	4.0	1.6	3.1			
	Feb	59.4	14.7	74.1	1.3	1.3	4.1	1.6	3.1			
	Mar	59.0	15.0	74.0	-0.1	1.2	4.0	1.7	3.1			
	Apr	60.7	15.1	75.8	1.8	1.0	4.2	1.7	3.2			
	May	64.7	17.1	81.8	6.0	2.6	4.4	1.9	3.5			
	June	67.2	17.6	84.8	3.0	3.6	4.6	1.9	3.6			
	July	72.2	18.8	91.0	6.2	5.1	5.0	2.1	3.9			
	Aug	74.5	19.2	93.7	2.7	4.0	5.1	2.1	4.0			
	Sept	76.9	19.7	96.6	2.9	3.9	5.3	2.2	4.1			
	Oct	79.8	21.4	101.2	4.6	3.4	5.5	2.4	4.3			
	Nov	82.4	22.4	104.8	3.6	3.7	5.6	2.5	4.4			
	Dec	83.4	22.8	106.2	1.4	3.2	5.7	2.5	4.5			
1976	Jan	84.6	23.3	107.9	1.7	2.2	5.8	2.5	4.5			
	Feb	86.9	24.7	111.6	3.7	2.3	5.9	2.7	4.7			
	Mar	88.2	25.6	113.8	2.2	2.5	6.0	2.8	4.8			
	Apr	92.3	26.9	119.2	5.4	3.8	6.3	2.9	5.0			
	May	94.6	27.7	122.3	3.1	3.6	6.4	3.0	5.1			
	June	94.3	28.1	122.4	0.1	2.9	6.4	3.0	5.1			
	July	94.7	29.6	124.3	1.9	1.7	6.5	3.2	5.2			
	Aug	95.9	31.0	126.9	2.6	1.5	6.5	3.4	5.3			
	Sept	96.1	31.9	128.0	1.1	1.9	6.5	3.5	5.4			
	Oct	96.6	32.0	128.6	0.6	1.4	6.6	3.5	5.4			
	Nov	98.1	32.7	130.8	2.2	1.3	6.7	3.5	5.5			
	Dec	99.5	33.6	133.1	2.3	1.7	6.8	3.6	5.6			
1977	Jan	100.4	34.7	135.1	2.0	2.2	6.9	3.6	5.6			
	Feb	97.8	34.8	132.6	-2.5	0.6	6.7	3.6	5.5			
	Mar	100.4	35.6	136.0	3.4	1.0	6.9	3.7	5.6			
	Apr	101.0	35.9	136.9	0.9	0.6	6.9	3.8	5.7			
	May	101.4	36.6	138.0	1.1	1.8	6.9	3.8	5.7			
	June	104.5	38.1	142.6	4.6	2.2	7.1	4.0	5.9			
	July	105.2	38.3	143.5	0.9	2.2	7.2	4.0	5.9			
	Aug	106.2	39.1	145.3	1.8	2.4	7.3	4.1	6.0			
	Sept	107.0	39.9	146.9	1.6	1.4	7.3	4.2	6.1			
	Oct	106.5	40.0	146.5	-0.4	1.0	7.3	4.2	6.1			
	Nov	107.2	40.6	147.8	1.3	0.8	7.3	4.3	6.1			
	Dec	108.0	41.4	149.4	1.6	0.8	7.4	4.3	6.2			
1978	Jan	107.9	40.7	148.6	-0.8	0.7	7.3	4.3	6.1			
	Feb	107.0	40.1	147.1	-1.5	-0.2	7.3	4.2	6.1			
	Mar	106.1	40.6	146.7	-0.4	-0.9	7.2	4.3	6.1			
	Apr	103.2	40.7	143.9	-2.8	-1.6	7.0	4.3	5.9			
	May	102.2	40.5	142.7	-1.2	-1.5	7.0	4.3	5.9			
	June	101.0	40.9	141.9	-0.8	-1.6	6.9	4.3	5.9			
	July	99.8	41.2	141.0	-0.9	-1.0	6.8	4.3	5.8			
	Aug	99.4	41.7	141.1	0.1	-0.5	6.8	4.4	5.8			
	Sept	98.4	42.0	140.4	-0.7	-0.5	6.7	4.4	5.8			
	Oct	97.9	42.7	140.6	0.2	-0.1	6.7	4.5	5.8			
	Nov	96.4	42.4	138.8	-1.8	-0.8	6.6	4.5	5.7			
	Dec	95.0	42.5	137.5	-1.3	-1.0	6.5	4.5	5.7			
1979	Jan	95.8	42.8	138.6	1.1	-0.7	6.5	4.3	5.6			
	Feb	100.4	43.9	144.3	5.7	1.8	6.8	4.5	5.9			
	Mar	99.0	43.1	142.1								

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							Male	Female	All	
1980	Jan 97.8	47.4	145.2	3.5	1.6	0.9	6.6	4.8	5.9	
	Feb 101.4	48.9	150.3	5.1	3.2	1.9	6.9	4.9	6.1	
	Mar 102.5	50.1	152.6	2.3	3.6	2.1	7.0	5.0	6.2	
	Apr 106.7	51.0	157.7	5.1	4.2	2.9	7.2	5.1	6.4	
	May 109.5	51.9	161.4	3.7	3.7	3.5	7.4	5.2	6.5	
	June 112.9	53.1	166.0	4.6	4.5	4.1	7.7	5.3	6.7	
	July 116.8	53.9	170.7	4.7	4.3	4.3	7.9	5.4	6.9	
	Aug 121.6	56.4	178.0	7.3	5.5	4.6	8.3	5.7	7.2	
	Sept 127.5	57.9	185.4	7.4	6.5	5.5	8.7	5.8	7.5	
	Oct 133.8	60.7	194.5	9.1	7.9	6.1	9.1	6.1	7.9	
	Nov 139.8	62.4	202.2	7.7	8.1	6.8	9.5	6.3	8.2	
	Dec 145.6	64.2	209.8	7.6	8.1	7.3	9.9	6.5	8.5	
1981	Jan 148.8	64.8	213.6	3.8	6.4	7.2	10.1	6.6	8.7	
	Feb 153.3	66.3	219.6	6.0	5.8	6.9	10.4	6.7	9.0	
	Mar 158.3	68.4	226.7	7.1	5.6	6.9	10.8	7.0	9.3	
	Apr 162.4	70.2	232.6	5.9	6.3	6.4	11.1	7.1	9.5	
	May 167.2	71.4	238.6	6.0	6.3	6.1	11.4	7.3	9.7	
	June 172.0	72.6	244.6	6.0	6.0	5.8	11.7	7.4	10.0	
	July 176.4	73.4	249.8	5.2	5.7	6.0	12.0	7.5	10.2	
	Aug 179.4	74.7	254.1	4.3	5.2	5.8	12.2	7.6	10.4	
	Sept 181.7	75.7	257.4	3.3	4.3	5.1	12.4	7.7	10.5	
	Oct 183.9	75.7	259.6	2.2	3.3	4.5	12.5	7.7	10.6	
	Nov 186.9	76.4	263.3	3.7	3.1	4.1	12.7	7.8	10.7	
	Dec 188.6	77.0	265.6	2.3	2.7	3.5	12.9	7.8	10.8	
1982	Jan 189.4	78.1	267.5	1.9	2.6	3.0	13.0	7.9	10.9	
	Feb 190.4	78.4	268.8	1.3	1.8	2.5	13.0	8.0	11.0	
	Mar 190.5	78.3	268.8	—	1.1	1.9	13.0	8.0	11.0	
	Apr 191.8	79.3	271.1	2.3	1.2	1.9	13.1	8.1	11.1	
	May 193.2	79.3	272.5	1.4	1.2	1.5	13.2	8.1	11.1	
	June 194.5	79.7	274.2	1.7	1.8	1.4	13.3	8.1	11.2	
	July 196.9	80.7	277.6	3.4	2.2	1.7	13.5	8.2	11.4	
	Aug 199.2	81.3	280.5	2.9	2.7	2.0	13.6	8.3	11.5	
	Sept 200.9	82.0	282.9	2.4	2.9	2.4	13.7	8.3	11.6	
	Oct 202.5	83.2	285.7	2.8	2.7	2.4	13.9	8.5	11.7	
	Nov 204.1	84.2	288.3	2.6	2.6	2.6	14.0	8.6	11.8	
	Dec 206.1	85.6	291.7	3.4	2.9	2.9	14.1	8.7	11.9	
1983	Jan 206.9	86.1	293.0	1.3	2.4	2.6	14.3	8.8	12.0	
	Feb 206.7	87.2	293.9	0.9	1.9	2.2	14.3	8.9	12.1	
	Mar 207.2	87.9	295.1	1.2	1.1	2.0	14.3	8.9	12.1	
	Apr 207.9	88.1	296.0	0.9	1.0	1.7	14.3	9.0	12.2	
	May 208.8	89.4	298.2	2.2	1.4	1.7	14.4	9.1	12.3	
	June 210.2	89.9	300.1	1.9	1.7	1.4	14.5	9.2	12.3	
	July 210.3	90.4	300.7	0.6	1.6	1.3	14.5	9.2	12.4	
	Aug 210.0	90.2	300.2	-0.5	0.7	1.1	14.5	9.2	12.3	
	Sept 209.9	90.5	300.4	0.2	0.1	0.9	14.5	9.2	12.4	
	Oct 210.3	90.4	300.7	0.3	—	0.8	14.5	9.2	12.4	
	Nov 211.0	91.0	302.0	1.3	0.6	0.6	14.6	9.3	12.4	
	Dec 211.6	91.0	302.6	0.6	0.7	0.4	14.6	9.3	12.4	
1984	Jan 213.4	91.7	305.1	2.5	1.5	0.7	14.7	9.1	12.4	
	Feb 216.3	92.2	308.5	3.4	2.2	1.4	14.9	9.1	12.5	
	Mar 215.7	92.6	308.3	-0.2	1.9	1.3	14.8	9.2	12.5	
	Apr 212.9	92.2	305.1	-3.2	—	0.7	14.7	9.1	12.4	
	May 215.8	92.0	307.8	2.7	-0.2	1.0	14.9	9.1	12.5	
	June 216.0	92.6	308.6	0.8	0.1	1.0	14.9	9.2	12.5	
	July 216.5	92.8	309.3	0.7	1.4	0.7	14.9	9.2	12.6	
	Aug 217.1	93.4	310.5	1.2	0.9	0.3	14.9	9.3	12.6	
	Sept 218.9	94.0	312.9	2.4	1.4	0.8	15.1	9.3	12.7	
	Oct 218.8	94.3	313.1	0.2	1.3	1.3	15.1	9.3	12.7	
	Nov 219.6	94.2	313.8	0.7	1.1	1.0	15.1	9.3	12.7	
	Dec 219.5	94.5	314.0	0.2	0.4	0.9	15.1	9.4	12.8	
1985	Jan 219.6	95.2	314.8	0.8	0.6	0.9	14.9	9.2	12.6	
	Feb 220.1	95.6	315.7	0.9	0.6	0.9	15.0	9.3	12.6	
	Mar 221.8	96.0	317.8	2.1	1.3	0.8	15.1	9.3	12.7	
	Apr 225.4	97.1	322.5	4.7	2.6	1.6	15.3	9.4	12.9	
	May 226.6	96.9	323.5	1.0	2.6	1.6	15.4	9.4	12.9	
	June 226.6	96.9	323.5	—	1.9	1.6	15.4	9.4	12.9	
	July 226.6	96.7	323.3	-0.2	0.3	1.4	15.4	9.4	12.9	
	Aug 226.4	96.7	323.1	-0.2	-0.1	1.2	15.4	9.4	12.9	
	Sept 226.5	97.2	323.7	0.6	0.1	1.0	15.4	9.4	13.0	
	Oct 227.7	97.6	325.3	1.6	0.7	0.5	15.5	9.5	13.0	
	Nov 227.2	97.4	324.6	-0.7	0.5	0.2	15.5	9.5	13.0	
	Dec 227.8	97.9	325.7	1.1	0.7	0.4	15.5	9.5	13.0	
1986	Jan 227.6	97.3	324.9	-0.8	-0.1	0.3	15.5	9.5	13.0	
	Feb 227.8	98.4	326.2	1						

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							Male	Female	All	Male	Female	All
1987	Jan	239.5	101.1	340.6	1.2	1.0	1.1	16.6	9.7	13.7		
	Feb	238.3	99.5	337.8	-2.8	-0.3	0.3	16.5	9.6	13.6		
	Mar	237.6	98.4	336.0	-1.8	-1.1	-0.2	16.4	9.5	13.5		
	Apr	237.8	99.8	337.6	1.6	-1.0	—	16.4	9.6	13.6		
	May	233.5	95.8	329.3	-8.3	-2.8	-1.6	16.1	9.2	13.2		
	June	231.4	95.2	326.6	-2.7	-3.1	-2.1	16.0	9.1	13.1		
	July	228.9	94.3	323.2	-3.4	-4.8	-2.9	15.8	9.1	13.0		
	Aug	225.5	93.2	318.7	-4.5	-3.5	-3.2	15.6	9.0	12.8		
	Sept	222.7	90.9	313.6	-5.1	-4.3	-3.7	15.4	8.7	12.6		
	Oct	219.8	89.6	309.4	-4.2	-4.6	-4.7	15.2	8.6	12.4		
	Nov	216.7	88.4	305.1	-4.3	-4.5	-4.0	15.0	8.5	12.3		
	Dec	214.5	87.8	302.3	-2.8	-3.8	-4.1	14.8	8.4	12.1		
1988	Jan	212.4	87.3	299.7	-2.6	-3.2	-3.9	14.7	8.3	12.0		
	Feb	209.7	86.9	296.6	-3.1	-2.8	-3.7	14.5	8.2	11.9		
	Mar	207.7	85.6	293.3	-3.3	-3.0	-3.4	14.4	8.1	11.7		
	Apr	204.6	83.8	288.4	-4.9	-3.8	-3.5	14.2	7.9	11.5		
	May	202.5	82.3	284.8	-3.6	-3.9	-3.4	14.0	7.8	11.4		
	June	199.0	80.7	279.7	-5.1	-4.5	-3.8	13.8	7.6	11.2		
	July	196.0	79.9	275.9	-3.8	-4.2	-4.0	13.6	7.6	11.0		
	Aug	194.3	79.1	273.4	-2.5	-3.8	-3.9	13.5	7.5	10.9		
	Sept	194.2	78.1	272.3	-1.1	-2.5	-3.5	13.5	7.4	10.9		
	Oct	193.4	76.7	270.1	-2.2	-1.9	-3.1	13.4	7.3	10.8		
	Nov	191.0	75.5	266.5	-3.6	-2.3	-3.1	13.2	7.1	10.7		
	Dec	186.7	73.5	260.2	-6.3	-4.0	-3.3	12.9	7.0	10.4		
1989	Jan	184.0	72.6	256.6	-3.6	-4.5	-3.2	12.7	6.9	10.3		
	Feb P	181.5	71.7	253.2	-3.4	-4.4	-3.4	12.6	6.8	10.1		

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1971	27.6	6.9	34.6	6.9	3.4	5.7		
1972	26.6	8.1	34.7	6.7	4.0	5.8		
1973	20.4	6.7	27.0	5.2	3.2	4.5		
1974	19.7	6.1	25.8	5.0	2.8	4.3		
1975	25.8	8.8	34.7	..	..	..	6.5	4.0	5.6	
1976	32.4	12.6	45.0	..	..	..	8.0	5.5	7.1	
1977	35.7	13.7	49.4	..	..	..	8.9	5.9	7.8	
1978	38.1	15.0	53.0	..	..	..	9.4	6.1	8.1	
1979	37.3	15.7	52.9	..	..	..	9.1	6.1	7.9	
1980	44.4	19.0	63.3	..	..	..	10.7	7.3	9.4	
1981	62.0	23.9	85.9	..	..	..	14.9	9.3	12.7	
1982	69.9	27.2	97.1	..	..	..	16.9	10.4	14.4	
1983	78.5	28.2	106.7	..	..	..	18.6	10.6	15.5	
1984	80.8	29.4	110.2	..	..	..	19.1	10.8	15.9	
1985	82.4	30.3	112.7	..	..	..	19.4	11.0	16.1	
1986	89.6	33.0	122.6	..	..	..	21.2	12.0	17.6	
1987	89.2	32.9	122.1	..	..	..	21.2	11.9	17.6	
1988	82.7	30.5	113.2	..	..	..	20.0	11.0	16.4	
1971	Jan	26.4	6.6	33.0	..	..	6.6	3.2	5.4	
	Feb	26.4	6.5	32.9	-0.1	..	6.6	3.2	5.4		
	Mar	26.4	6.1	32.5	-0.4	..	6.6	3.0	5.3		
	Apr	26.9	6.2	33.1	0.6	—	6.7	3.0	5.4		
	May	26.9	6.7	33.6	0.5	0.2	6.7	3.3	5.5		
	June	26.9	6.8	33.7	0.1	0.4	6.7	3.3	5.5		
	July	27.2	6.9	34.1	0.4	0.3	6.8	3.3	5.6		
	Aug	27.8	7.1	34.9	0.8	0.4	6.9	3.4	5.7		
	Sept	28.8	7.3	36.1	1.2	0.8	7.2	3.5	5.9		
	Oct	29.1	7.7	36.8	0.7	0.9	7.2	3.7	6.1		
	Nov	29.3	7.7	37.0	0.2	0.7	7.3	3.7	6.1		
	Dec	29.5	7.6	37.1	0.1	0.3	7.3	3.7	6.1		
1972	Jan	29.3	8.0	37.3	0.2	0.2	7.3	3.9	6.2		
	Feb	28.6	7.9	36.5	-0.8	-0.2	7.2	3.9	6.0		
	Mar	28.6	8.2	36.8	0.3	-0.1	7.2	4.0	6.1		
	Apr	29.7	9.0	38.7	1.9	0.5	7.4	4.4	6.4		
	May	27.8	8.1	35.9	-2.8	-0.2	7.0	4.0	5.9		
	June	26.9	8.3	35.2	-0.7	-0.5	6.7	4.1	5.8		
	July	26.8	8.1	34.9	-0.3	-1.3	6.7	4.0	5.8		
	Aug	25.9	8.0	33.9	-1.0	-0.7	6.5	3.9	5.6		
	Sept	24.8	7.9	32.7	-1.2	-0.8	6.2	3.9	5.4		
	Oct	23.9	7.8	31.7	-1.0	-1.1	6.0	3.8	5.2		
	Nov	23.7	7.9	31.6	-0.1	-0.8	5.9	3.9	5.2		
	Dec	23.7	8.0	31.7	0.1	-0.3	5.9	3.9	5.2		
1973	Jan	22.6	7.5	30.1	-1.6	-0.5	5.7	3.6	5.0		
	Feb	22.3	7.5	29.8	-0.3	-0.6	5.6	3.6	5.0		
	Mar	22.2	7.5	29.7	-0.1	-0.7	5.6	3.6	4.9		
	Apr	21.4	7.6	29.0	-0.7	-0.4	5.4	3.7	4.8		
	May	21.0	7.1	28.1	-0.9	-0.6	5.3	3.4	4.7		
	June	20.8	6.7	27.5	-0.6	-0.7	5.3	3.2	4.6		
	July	20.0	6.7	26.7	-0.8	-0.8	5.1	3.2	4.4		
	Aug	19.6	6.3	25.9	-0.8	-0.7	5.0	3.0	4.3		
	Sept	19.2	6.0	25.2	-0.7	-0.8	4.9	2.9	4.2		
	Oct	18.5	5.9	24.4	-0.8	-0.8	4.7	2.9	4.1		
	Nov	18.3	5.7	24.0	-0.4	-0.6	4.6	2.8	4.0		
	Dec	18.3	5.8	24.1	0.1	-0.4	4.6	2.8	4.0		
1974	Jan	19.1	5.7	24.8	0.7	0.1	-0.3	4.9	2.7	4.1	
	Feb	19.5	5.7	25.2	0.4	0.4	-0.1	5.0	2.7	4.2	
	Mar	19.3	5.9	25.2	—	0.4	—	4.9	2.8	4.2	
	Apr	18.9	5.9	24.8	-0.4	—	0.1	4.8	2.8	4.1	
	May	18.6	5.8	24.4	-0.4	-0.3	0.1	4.7	2.7	4.0	
	June	19.5	5.9	25.4	1.0	0.1	0.2	5.0	2.8	4.2	
	July	19.7	6.0	25.7	0.3	0.3	0.2	5.0	2.8	4.2	
	Aug	19.4	6.2	25.6	-0.1	0.4	0.1	4.9	2.9	4.2	
	Sept	19.9	6.6	26.5	0.9	0.4	0.2	5.1	3.1	4.4	
	Oct	20.5	6.3	26.8	0.3	0.4	0.3	5.2	2.9	4.4	
	Nov	21.0	6.6	27.6	0.8	0.7	0.5	5.4	3.1	4.5	
	Dec	21.2	6.6	27.8	0.2	0.4	0.4	5.4	3.1	4.6	
1975	Jan	21.0	6.7	27.7	-0.1	0.3	0.3	5.3	3.0	4.5	
	Feb	21.8	7.3	29.1	1.4	0.5	0.6	5.5	3.3	4.7	
	Mar	22.0	7.6	29.6	0.5	0.6	0.5	5.5	3.4	4.8	
	Apr	23.7	7.9	31.6	2.0	1.3	0.8	6.0	3.5	5.1	
	May	24.7	8.5	33.2	1.6	1.4	0.9	6.2	3.8	5.4	
	June	25.0	8.7	33.7	0.5	1.4	1.0	6.3	3.9	5.4	
	July	25.5	8.5	34.0	0.3	0.8	1.1	6.4	3.8	5.5	
	Aug	27.3	9.0	36.3	2.3	1.0	1.2	6.9	4.0	5.9	
	Sept	28.2	9.4	37.6	1.3	1.3	1.3	7.1	4.2	6.1	
	Oct	30.1	10.4	40.5	2.9	2.2	1.5	7.6	4.7	6.5	
	Nov	30.5	10.8	41.3	0.8	1.7	1.4	7.7	4.8	6.7	
	Dec	30.3	10.9	41.2	-0.1	1.2	1.3	7.6	4.9	6.6	
1976	Jan	30.7	11.5	42.2	1.0	0.6	1.4	7.6	5.1	6.7	
	Feb	30.7	11.8	42.5	0.3	0.4	1.0	7.6	5.2	6.7	
	Mar	31.2	12.1	43.3	0.8	0.7	1.0	7.7	5.3	6.8	
	Apr	31.5	12.2</td								

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1977	Jan	34.1	13.4	47.5	0.6	0.4	0.3	8.5	5.7	7.5
	Feb	34.0	13.4	47.4	-0.1	0.3	0.2	8.5	5.7	7.5
	Mar	34.5	13.3	47.8	0.4	0.3	0.2	8.6	5.7	7.5
	Apr	34.6	13.3	47.9	0.1	0.1	0.3	8.6	5.7	7.5
	May	35.6	13.3	48.9	1.0	0.5	0.4	8.8	5.7	7.7
	June	36.1	13.4	49.5	0.6	0.6	0.4	9.0	5.7	7.8
	July	36.3	13.9	50.2	0.7	0.8	0.5	9.0	6.0	7.9
	Aug	36.3	13.9	50.2	—	0.4	0.5	9.0	6.0	7.9
	Sept	36.3	14.0	50.3	0.1	0.3	0.4	9.0	6.0	7.9
	Oct	36.6	13.7	50.3	—	—	0.4	9.1	5.9	7.9
	Nov	36.7	14.1	50.8	0.5	0.2	0.3	9.1	6.0	8.0
	Dec	37.2	14.4	51.6	0.8	0.4	0.4	9.2	6.2	8.1
1978	Jan	37.5	14.5	52.0	0.4	0.6	0.3	9.2	5.9	8.0
	Feb	37.7	14.4	52.1	0.1	0.4	0.3	9.3	5.9	8.0
	Mar	38.2	14.4	52.6	0.5	0.3	0.4	9.4	5.9	8.1
	Apr	39.0	14.9	53.9	1.3	0.6	0.6	9.6	6.1	8.3
	May	38.3	15.0	53.3	-0.6	0.4	0.4	9.4	6.1	8.2
	June	38.7	15.1	53.8	0.5	0.4	0.4	9.5	6.2	8.3
	July	38.6	15.4	54.0	0.2	—	0.3	9.5	6.3	8.3
	Aug	38.8	15.5	54.3	0.3	0.3	0.4	9.5	6.3	8.3
	Sept	38.7	15.5	54.2	-0.1	0.1	0.3	9.5	6.3	8.3
	Oct	37.7	15.2	52.9	-1.3	-0.4	-0.2	9.3	6.2	8.1
	Nov	36.5	14.8	51.3	-1.6	-1.0	-0.3	9.0	6.1	7.9
	Dec	37.2	14.8	52.0	0.7	-0.7	-0.3	9.1	6.1	8.0
1979	Jan	37.5	14.9	52.4	0.4	-0.2	-0.3	9.1	5.8	7.8
	Feb	38.3	15.0	53.3	0.9	0.7	-0.2	9.3	5.8	8.0
	Mar	38.0	15.2	53.2	-0.1	0.4	-0.2	9.3	5.9	8.0
	Apr	37.6	15.0	52.6	-0.6	0.1	-0.1	9.2	5.8	7.9
	May	37.5	15.4	52.9	0.3	-0.1	0.3	9.1	6.0	7.9
	June	36.6	15.5	52.1	-0.8	-0.4	—	8.9	6.0	7.8
	July	37.0	16.2	53.2	1.1	0.2	0.1	9.0	6.3	8.0
	Aug	36.9	16.1	53.0	-0.2	—	-0.1	9.0	6.3	7.9
	Sept	36.8	16.2	53.0	—	0.3	—	9.0	6.3	7.9
	Oct	36.7	16.3	53.0	—	-0.1	0.1	8.9	6.3	7.9
	Nov	36.6	16.0	52.6	-0.4	-0.1	-0.1	8.9	6.2	7.9
	Dec	37.5	16.1	53.6	1.0	0.2	0.3	9.1	6.3	8.0
1980	Jan	37.5	16.1	53.6	—	0.2	0.1	9.1	6.2	7.9
	Feb	38.4	16.6	55.0	1.4	0.8	0.3	9.3	6.4	8.2
	Mar	38.9	16.9	55.8	0.8	0.7	0.5	9.4	6.5	8.3
	Apr	39.7	17.4	57.1	1.3	1.2	0.7	9.6	6.7	8.5
	May	40.3	17.6	57.9	0.8	1.0	0.9	9.7	6.7	8.6
	June	41.4	18.1	59.5	1.6	1.2	1.0	10.0	6.9	8.8
	July	43.5	19.0	62.5	3.0	1.8	1.5	10.5	7.3	9.3
	Aug	45.7	19.9	65.6	3.1	2.6	1.8	11.0	7.6	9.7
	Sept	47.9	20.2	68.1	2.5	2.9	2.1	11.6	7.7	10.1
	Oct	51.0	21.0	72.0	3.9	3.2	2.5	12.3	8.0	10.7
	Nov	53.0	22.1	75.1	3.1	3.2	2.9	12.8	8.5	11.1
	Dec	54.9	22.6	77.5	2.4	3.1	3.0	13.3	8.7	11.5
1981	Jan	56.7	22.8	79.5	2.0	2.5	2.8	13.6	8.8	11.8
	Feb	57.9	23.2	81.1	1.6	2.0	2.6	13.9	9.0	12.0
	Mar	59.6	23.7	83.3	2.2	1.9	2.5	14.3	9.2	12.4
	Apr	60.1	23.6	83.7	0.4	1.4	2.0	14.4	9.2	12.4
	May	61.7	24.1	85.8	2.1	1.6	1.8	14.8	9.4	12.7
	June	62.8	24.1	86.9	1.1	1.2	1.6	15.1	9.4	12.9
	July	63.2	23.6	86.8	-0.1	1.0	1.2	15.2	9.2	12.9
	Aug	63.8	23.3	87.1	0.3	0.4	1.0	15.3	9.0	12.9
	Sept	64.0	23.9	87.9	0.8	0.3	0.8	15.4	9.3	13.0
	Oct	64.6	24.7	89.3	1.4	0.8	0.9	15.5	9.6	13.2
	Nov	64.7	24.8	89.5	0.2	0.8	0.6	15.5	9.6	13.3
	Dec	64.9	25.2	90.1	0.6	0.7	0.5	15.6	9.8	13.4
1982	Jan	65.9	25.7	91.6	1.5	0.8	0.8	15.9	9.8	13.5
	Feb	66.0	26.1	92.1	0.5	0.9	0.8	15.9	10.0	13.6
	Mar	66.7	26.4	93.1	1.0	1.0	0.9	16.1	10.1	13.8
	Apr	67.6	26.8	94.4	1.3	0.9	0.9	16.3	10.2	14.0
	May	68.5	27.0	95.5	1.1	1.1	1.0	16.5	10.3	14.1
	June	70.1	27.4	97.5	2.0	1.5	1.2	16.9	10.5	14.4
	July	70.2	27.2	97.4	-0.1	1.0	1.0	16.9	10.4	14.4
	Aug	70.9	27.7	98.6	1.2	1.0	1.1	17.1	10.6	14.6
	Sept	70.8	27.6	98.4	-0.2	0.3	0.9	17.1	10.6	14.6
	Oct	72.9	28.7	101.6	3.2	1.4	1.2	17.6	11.0	15.0
	Nov	74.3	27.6	101.9	0.3	1.1	1.1	17.9	10.6	15.1
	Dec	75.3	27.9	103.2	1.3	1.6	1.0	18.2	10.7	15.3
1983	Jan	75.6	28.1	103.7	0.5	0.7	1.1	17.9	10.5	15.0
	Feb	75.7	27.8	103.5	-0.2	0.5	0.8	17.9	10.4	15.0
	Mar	76.3	27.9	104.2	0.7	0.3	1.0			

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1984	Jan	80.7	29.1	109.8	0.7	0.4	19.1	10.7	15.8	
	Feb	81.2	29.3	110.5	0.7	0.4	19.2	10.8	15.9	
	Mar	81.2	29.3	110.5	—	0.5	19.2	10.8	15.9	
	Apr	80.9	29.3	110.2	-0.3	0.1	19.1	10.8	15.9	
	May	81.4	29.5	110.9	0.7	0.1	19.2	10.9	16.0	
	June	80.6	29.4	110.0	-0.9	-0.2	19.0	10.8	15.8	
	July	80.6	29.7	110.3	0.3	—	19.0	11.0	15.9	
	Aug	80.6	29.3	109.9	-0.4	-0.3	19.0	10.8	15.8	
	Sept	80.7	29.6	110.3	0.4	0.1	19.1	10.9	15.9	
	Oct	80.3	29.3	109.6	-0.7	-0.2	19.0	10.8	15.8	
	Nov	80.7	29.7	110.4	0.8	0.2	19.1	11.0	15.9	
	Dec	80.7	29.5	110.2	-0.2	—	19.1	10.9	15.9	
1985	Jan	80.9	29.5	110.4	0.2	0.3	19.0	10.7	15.8	
	Feb	81.6	29.6	111.2	0.8	0.3	19.2	10.8	15.9	
	Mar	81.5	29.7	111.2	—	0.3	19.2	10.8	15.9	
	Apr	81.7	30.1	111.8	0.6	0.5	19.2	10.9	16.0	
	May	81.4	29.9	111.3	-0.5	—	19.1	10.9	15.9	
	June	81.9	30.5	112.4	1.1	0.4	19.3	11.1	16.0	
	July	82.1	30.2	112.3	-0.1	0.2	19.3	11.0	16.0	
	Aug	82.3	30.5	112.8	0.5	0.5	19.3	11.1	16.1	
	Sept	82.8	30.5	113.3	0.5	0.3	19.5	11.1	16.2	
	Oct	83.5	30.8	114.3	1.0	0.7	19.6	11.2	16.3	
	Nov	84.1	31.0	115.1	0.8	0.8	19.8	11.3	16.4	
	Dec	85.2	31.4	116.6	1.5	1.1	20.0	11.4	16.6	
1986	Jan	85.9	31.6	117.5	0.9	1.1	20.3	11.5	16.8	
	Feb	87.0	32.0	119.0	1.5	1.3	20.6	11.6	17.0	
	Mar	88.2	32.2	120.4	1.4	1.3	20.9	11.7	17.2	
	Apr	88.9	32.5	121.4	1.0	1.3	21.0	11.8	17.4	
	May	89.2	32.6	121.8	0.4	0.9	21.1	11.8	17.4	
	June	90.0	33.0	123.0	1.2	0.9	21.3	12.0	17.6	
	July	90.4	33.4	123.8	0.8	0.8	21.4	12.1	17.7	
	Aug	90.9	33.5	124.4	0.6	0.9	21.5	12.2	17.8	
	Sept	91.1	33.8	124.9	0.5	0.6	21.6	12.3	17.9	
	Oct	91.3	34.0	125.3	0.4	0.5	21.6	12.3	17.9	
	Nov	91.2	33.9	125.1	-0.2	0.2	21.6	12.3	17.9	
	Dec	91.2	33.8	125.0	-0.1	—	21.6	12.3	17.9	
1987	Jan	91.3	33.8	125.1	0.1	-0.1	21.7	12.3	18.0	
	Feb	90.6	33.6	124.2	-0.9	-0.3	21.6	12.2	17.9	
	Mar	89.7	33.6	123.3	-0.9	-0.6	21.4	12.2	17.7	
	Apr	90.1	33.5	123.6	0.3	-0.5	21.5	12.2	17.8	
	May	90.2	33.5	123.7	0.1	-0.2	21.5	12.2	17.8	
	June	89.8	33.2	123.0	-0.7	-0.1	21.4	12.1	17.7	
	July	89.5	32.9	122.4	-0.6	-0.4	21.3	11.9	17.6	
	Aug	89.1	32.8	121.9	-0.5	-0.6	21.2	11.9	17.5	
	Sept	88.6	32.6	121.2	-0.7	-0.6	21.1	11.8	17.4	
	Oct	88.1	32.2	120.3	-0.9	-0.7	21.0	11.7	17.3	
	Nov	87.1	31.4	118.5	-1.8	-1.1	20.7	11.4	17.0	
	Dec	86.4	31.2	117.6	-0.9	-1.2	20.6	11.3	16.9	
1988	Jan	85.4	31.1	116.5	-1.1	-1.3	20.6	11.2	16.9	
	Feb	84.4	30.9	115.3	-1.2	-1.1	20.4	11.2	16.7	
	Mar	83.7	31.0	114.7	-0.6	-1.0	20.2	11.2	16.6	
	Apr	83.6	30.9	114.5	-0.2	-0.7	20.2	11.2	16.6	
	May	83.6	31.0	114.6	0.1	-0.2	20.2	11.2	16.6	
	June	83.2	30.8	114.0	-0.6	-0.2	20.1	11.1	16.5	
	July	82.9	30.8	113.7	-0.3	-0.3	20.0	11.1	16.5	
	Aug	82.2	30.6	112.8	-0.9	-0.6	19.9	11.0	16.3	
	Sept	81.6	30.0	111.6	-1.2	-0.8	19.7	10.8	16.2	
	Oct	80.9	29.7	110.6	-1.0	-1.0	19.6	10.7	16.0	
	Nov	80.6	30.0	110.6	—	-0.7	19.5	10.8	16.0	
	Dec	79.8	29.3	109.1	-1.5	-0.8	19.3	10.6	15.8	
1989	Jan	80.1	29.6	109.7	0.6	-0.3	19.4	10.7	15.9	
	Feb P	79.7	29.9	109.6	-0.1	-0.3	19.3	10.8	15.9	