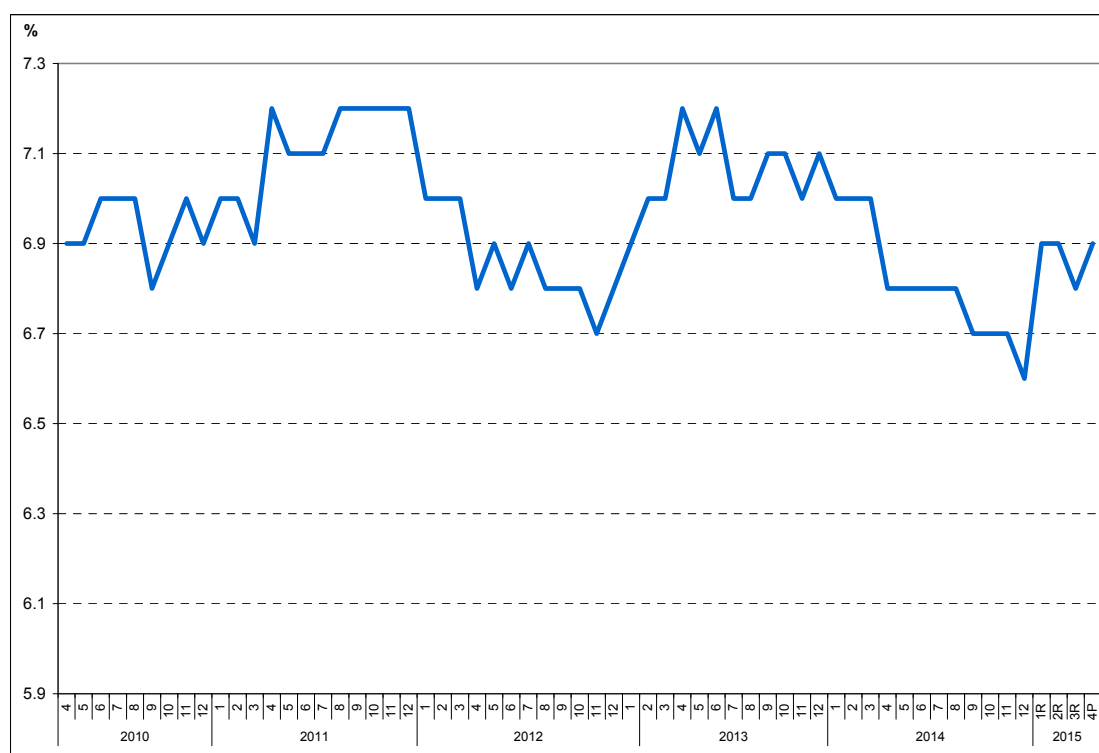


## Area: ILO unemployment

## In April 2015, the seasonally adjusted unemployment rate was estimated at 6.9%

- Unemployment rate in April 2015 increased with 0.1 percentage points as compared to the previous month.
- Men's unemployment rate is higher than that of women with 1.6 percentage points.

Evolution of the unemployment rate



<sup>R</sup> Data revised according to the data revision policy (see point 6 in [Methodological explanations](#)).

<sup>P</sup> Provisional series; will be revised at the end of August 2015 (see point 6 in [Methodological explanations](#)).

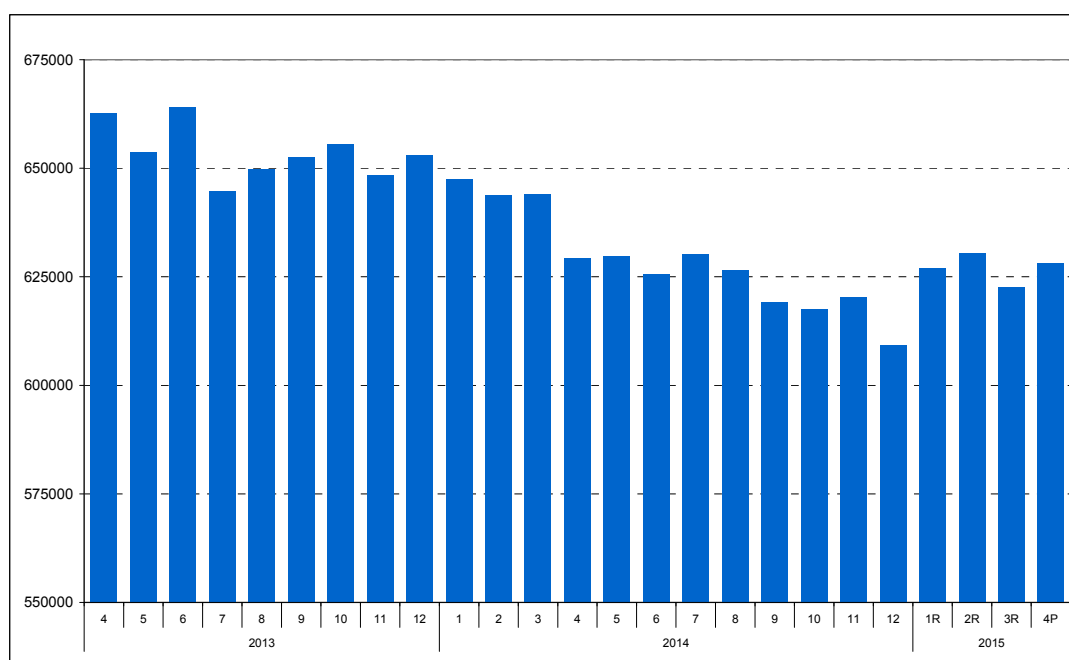
[Chart data \(xls\)](#)

Seasonally adjusted unemployment rate increased with 0.1 percentage points as compared to the previous month<sup>1</sup> and as well as compared to the level recorded in April 2014.

The number of unemployed (aged 15-74 years) estimated for April current year is of 628 thousand persons, increasing as compared to the previous month (623 thousand persons), but decreasing as compared to the same month of the previous year (629 thousand persons).

<sup>1</sup> Revised series for the months January, February and March, according to the data revision policy (see point 6 in [Methodological explanation](#))

### Number of unemployed during April 2013 - April 2015 period



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[Chart data \(xls\)](#)

According to the breakdown by gender, men's unemployment rate is with 1.6 percentage points higher than that of women (the values concerned are 7.6% for men and 6.0% for women).

### Unemployment rate by gender (%)

	2014										2015			
	Apr.	May	Jun.	Jul.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.		Jan. <sup>R</sup>	Feb. <sup>R</sup>	Mar. <sup>R</sup>	Apr. <sup>P</sup>
<b>Total</b>														
15-74 years	6.8	6.8	6.8	6.8	6.8	6.7	6.7	6.7	6.6		6.9	6.9	6.8	6.9
25-74 years	5.5	5.5	5.4	5.5	5.4	5.4	5.3	5.4	5.2		5.5	5.5	5.4	5.5
<b>Male</b>														
15-74 years	7.4	7.4	7.3	7.3	7.3	7.1	7.1	7.1	6.9		7.5	7.5	7.4	7.6
25-74 years	6.0	6.0	5.9	6.0	5.9	5.8	5.8	5.8	5.7		6.1	6.1	6.1	6.2
<b>Female</b>														
15-74 years	6.1	6.1	6.1	6.1	6.1	6.1	6.1	6.1	6.1		6.1	6.0	6.0	6.0
25-74 years	4.8	4.8	4.8	4.8	4.8	4.8	4.7	4.8	4.7		4.7	4.7	4.6	4.6

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[Table data \(xls\)](#)

The unemployment rate of adult persons (aged 25-74 years) was estimated at 5.5% for April 2015 (6.2% in the case of men and 4.6% in that of women's).

The number of unemployed aged 25-74 years accounts for 73.9% of the total number of unemployed estimated for April 2015.

### Additional information:

For an accurate interpretation of the indicators, please see the [Methodological explanations](#).

Monthly data on the number of unemployed and the unemployment rate with monthly periodicity according to international definition (ILO) can also be obtained from the publication "Monthly Statistical Bulletin No. 4/2015".

The next press release, which will include the estimates for May 2015, will be issued on the 30<sup>th</sup> of June 2015.

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