CROATIAN EMPLOYMENT SERVICE

REGISTERED UNEMPLOYMENT AND EMPLOYMENT IN THE REPUBLIC OF CROATIA, OCTOBER 2026

County	Registered unemployed persons					Employment and other activities			Deletion from the register for other reasons			Newly registered persons			Job vacancies
	Total	Men	Women	Less than 24 years	50 years and more	Total	Men	Women	Total	Men	Women	Total	Men	Women	
County of Zagreb	4 033	1 917	2 116	629	1 453	534	242	292	236	117	119	734	325	409	1 173
County of Krapina-Zagorje	1 039	537	502	172	402	154	73	81	86	45	41	228	117	111	744
County of Sisak-Moslavina	3 064	1 448	1 616	573	983	350	175	175	299	145	154	652	313	339	614
County of Karlovac	1 090	512	578	188	371	144	70	74	114	63	51	278	122	156	459
County of Varaždin	1 712	805	907	279	625	316	159	157	157	82	75	464	206	258	832
County of Koprivnica-Križevci	812	348	464	159	255	181	92	89	199	117	82	245	120	125	515
County of Bjelovar-Bilogora	1 376	689	687	350	350	223	99	124	197	94	103	373	174	199	546
County of Primorje-Gorski Kotar	3 965	1 867	2 098	515	1 360	381	169	212	267	140	127	949	464	485	1 624
County of Lika-Senj	735	380	355	108	253	52	26	26	46	24	22	160	76	84	206
County of Virovitica-Podravina	2 175	1 057	1 118	532	540	351	143	208	147	74	73	494	246	248	307
County of Požega-Slavonija	1 135	580	555	253	334	158	65	93	98	60	38	324	149	175	309
County of Slavonski Brod-Posavina	3 676	1 601	2 075	778	978	344	163	181	178	86	92	637	291	346	657
County of Zadar	2 523	1 220	1 303	419	740	216	92	124	209	107	102	918	434	484	758
County of Osijek-Baranja	7 757	3 353	4 404	1 316	2 480	776	341	435	700	353	347	1 519	685	834	1 406
County of Šibenik-Knin	2 392	1 166	1 226	330	789	212	112	100	142	80	62	813	368	445	465
County of Vukovar-Srijem	3 850	1 612	2 238	890	1 016	463	204	259	262	147	115	973	440	533	717
County of Split-Dalmatia	10 657	5 233	5 424	1 646	3 311	1 055	467	588	775	372	403	3 212	1 532	1 680	1 750
County of Istria	1 811	847	964	273	560	180	92	88	246	122	124	943	431	512	1 051
County of Dubrovnik-Neretva	2 232	1 078	1 154	292	710	152	78	74	110	60	50	661	361	300	510
County of Međimurje	1 378	639	739	301	408	219	120	99	197	107	90	335	173	162	765
City of Zagreb	9 013	4 475	4 538	1 030	3 336	1 093	504	589	743	394	349	1 880	940	940	6 111
CROATIA	**66 425**	**31 364**	**35 061**	**11 033**	**21 254**	**7 554**	**3 486**	**4 068**	**5 408**	**2 789**	**2 619**	**16 792**	**7 967**	**8 825**	**21 519**
September 2026	62 595	29 672	32 923	9 836	20 503	10 577	3 721	6 856	4 314	2 147	2 167	14 290	6 476	7 814	22 050
October 2025	77 825	36 334	41 491	13 098	25 108	8 643	3 972	4 671	6 163	3 081	3 082	18 072	8 531	9 541	22 912
October 2026/October 2025															
Absolute change	-11 400	-4 970	-6 430	-2 065	-3 854	-1 089	- 486	- 603	- 755	- 292	- 463	-1 280	- 564	- 716	-1 393
Relative change in %	- 14,6	- 13,7	- 15,5	- 15,8	- 15,3	- 12,6	- 12,2	- 12,9	- 12,3	- 9,5	- 15,0	- 7,1	- 6,6	- 7,5	- 6,1

* Other activities = making monthly earnings, that is, income from other independent activity, the amount higher than the average unemployment benefit paid in the previous calendar year, registration of trade company, trade business, registration to farming insurance, employment in line with special regulations, etc.

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	Total	Structure, %	Men	Women
I. UNEMPLOYED	**66 425**	**-**	**31 364**	**35 061**
- share by the gender %	100,0	-	47,2	52,8
II. NEWLY REGISTERED - ENTRANTS INTO UNEMPLOYMENT	**16 792**	**100,0**	**7 967**	**8 825**
1. Without work experience	2 810	16,7	1 435	1 375
2. With work experience	13 982	83,3	6 532	7 450
Structure of entrants into unemployment:			0	0
1. Directly from employment	12 435	74,1	5 757	6 678
Notice due to business reasons	*2 068*	16,6	*1 027*	*1 041*
Business closure	*133*	1,1	*67*	*66*
Expiry of fixed-term work contract	*7 011*	56,4	*3 009*	*4 002*
Expiry of seasonal work contract	*1 206*	9,7	*593*	*613*
Mutually-agreed upon notice	*1 136*	9,1	*595*	*541*
Employee-initiated notice	*454*	3,7	*232*	*222*
Other reasons	*427*	3,4	*234*	*193*
2. From private agriculture or any other type of work	41	0,2	16	25
3. Directly from regular schooling	1 746	10,4	812	934
4. From inactivity	2 570	15,3	1 382	1 188
EXITS FROM THE REGISTER - TOTAL:	**12 962**	-	**6 275**	**6 687**
III. EMPLOYMENT AND OTHER BUSINESS ACTIVITIES	**7 554**	**100,0**	**3 486**	**4 068**
Employed on work contract basis	**7 029**	**93,1**	**3 196**	**3 833**
1. Permanent work contract	1 584	22,5	810	774
2. Fixed-term work contract	5 445	77,5	2 386	3 059
Other business activities (registration of trade company, trade business, registration to farming insurance, parent-caregiver status and the like)	**525**	**6,9**	**290**	**235**
IV. DELETED FROM THE REGISTER FOR OTHER REASONS	**5 408**	**100,0**	**2 789**	**2 619**
1. Exit from the labour force (retirement, educational activities)	564	10,4	247	317
2. Non-compliance with legal provisions (not actively seeking for work, unavailable for work, etc.)	2 483	45,9	1 422	1 061
3. Cancelled registration and failure to report to the CES	1 962	36,3	924	1 038
4. Other reasons	399	7,4	196	203
V. REPORTED JOB VACANCIES				
Number of Requests	13 886	-	-	**-**
Number of Job Vacancies	21 519	-	-	**-**