

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

**March 2005**

Number of Registered Unemployed	2005 March	Changes compared to previous month		Changes compared to the same period previous year	
		number	%	number	%
Registered unemployed total	436347	-2910	-0,7	39411	9,9
Unemployed school-leavers	37879	-117	-0,3	6300	19,9
Younger than 25 years	66911	-619	-0,9	5721	9,3
Male	234698	-2954	-1,2	21964	10,3
Female	201649	44	0,0	17447	9,5
Blue-collar	364113	-2482	-0,7	31974	9,6
White-collar	72234	-428	-0,6	7437	11,5
Without qualification	218029	-908	-0,4	17576	8,8
Graduate	16347	-178	-1,1	2198	15,5
Monthly inflow into unemployment	54235	-10112	-15,7	319	0,6
From this first time entries	9201	-1776	-16,2	-56	-0,6
Registered longer than a year	101807	1585	1,6	12194	13,6
Ratio of long-term unemployed (%)	23,3	+0,5*	-	+0,7*	-
Average length of unemployment (day)	277	9	3,4	9	3,4

\* %-point

Unemployment benefit	2005 March	Compared to previous month		Compared to the same period previous year	
		number	%	number	%
Recipients of unemployment benefit	127846	-5243	-3,9	7878	6,6
Recipients of social assistance	145924	3155	2,2	17947	14,0
Outflow from unemployment benefit	30082	-706	-2,3	-94	-0,3
Outflow to work from unemployment benefit	8372	2145	34,4	-1029	-10,9
Average monthly benefit (Ft/capita)	38628	336	0,9	2276	6,3
<b>Vacancies</b>					
Monthly inflow of vacancies	36247	1506	4,3	-9153	-20,2
Available vacancies during the month	73568	4724	6,9	-23098	-23,9
Number of unfilled vacancies at the end of the month	40548	3227	8,6	-15772	-28,0
<b>LMP (February 2005)</b>					
Labour market training	13750	-143	-1,0	-18602	-57,5
Wage subsidy	17113	739	4,5	-3777	-18,1
Public work programmes	14152	351	2,5	-2712	-16,1
Total number of participants in active programmes	68456	1732	2,6	-28301	-29,2