

Table 8.12: Unemployment Rate (UR) (in per cent) according to current weekly status for different States (persons, 15 years and above)

States/UTs	2018				2019				2020				2021		
	April-June	July-Sept	Oct-Dec	Jan-March	April-June	July-Sept	Oct-Dec	Jan-March	April-June	July-Sept	Oct-Dec	Jan-March	July-Sept	Oct-Dec	Jan-March
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)
Andhra Pradesh	7.4	7.7	8.1	8.5	9.1	10.1	10.0	12.6	26.0	13.9	9.3	7.3			
Assam	7.3	6.5	6.0	9.2	10.5	10.2	9.8	9.6	15.6	9.9	8.5	9.3			
Bihar	11.4	12.4	13.4	10.4	10.2	8.6	8.6	10.0	12.8	11.1	9.0	8.0			
Chhattisgarh	11.7	9.5	7.8	8.9	8.8	9.0	9.7	9.3	16.1	15.4	14.5	11.6			
Delhi	9.9	9.4	11.8	13.2	11.0	11.7	10.2	12.9	17.9	12.0	8.0	8.1			
Gujarat	4.5	4.8	4.5	4.1	3.0	4.3	3.3	3.7	10.5	4.5	4.0	3.8			
Haryana	9.8	9.2	10.8	10.4	11.5	7.1	6.8	7.0	13.3	9.9	11.7	10.3			
Himachal Pradesh	10.9	9.3	11.2	11.3	9.9	10.8	7.4	12.8	14.9	8.6	7.5	7.8			
Jammu & Kashmir	13.9	13.3	13.5	13.8	10.9	11.0	15.5	17.3	18.2	17.4	17.8	17.6			
Jharkhand	13.9	12.0	10.4	9.5	8.9	8.3	7.5	11.8	32.0	19.8	16.0	11.4			
Karnataka	6.1	6.3	5.9	4.3	4.3	3.9	4.3	4.3	13.0	7.4	7.1	6.7			
Kerala	14.7	14.5	11.6	11.6	12.8	13.9	12.5	16.4	27.3	18.9	16.7	14.2			
Madhya Pradesh	13.2	10.8	11.4	12.4	12.8	12.1	11.5	12.5	28.9	14.9	11.3	9.8			
Maharashtra	8.9	9.9	9.6	8.3	7.6	5.8	5.5	6.3	35.6	22.6	13.7	12.5			
Odisha	10.0	13.6	14.2	15.7	14.6	10.9	10.8	11.3	22.9	16.5	15.0	13.7			
Punjab	8.4	9.3	7.0	7.6	8.9	9.8	9.8	9.4	13.3	10.8	9.2	7.6			
Rajasthan	11.0	10.2	10.9	10.2	10.6	9.7	10.4	12.7	24.6	15.1	12.8	12.6			
Tamil Nadu	9.2	8.7	8.4	9.0	8.5	6.9	7.4	8.6	17.4	10.3	8.9	9.1			
Telangana	11.4	12.7	12.4	11.5	12.4	10.9	11.5	12.1	25.5	15.4	10.6	10.6			
Uttarakhand	10.4	11.9	13.6	14.2	11.7	9.9	9.3	9.6	26.8	10.9	11.6	14.3			
Uttar Pradesh	15.1	12.8	15.8	12.5	11.4	11.1	8.8	9.7	16.7	13.4	11.2	10.6			
West Bengal	7.4	8.8	8.0	7.4	6.3	6.1	5.5	7.0	16.5	10.7	6.7	4.8			
ALL INDIA	9.8	9.7	9.9	9.3	8.9	8.4	7.9	9.1	20.9	13.3	10.3	9.4			

Source: Various rounds of quarterly Periodic Labour Force Survey (PLFS) bulletins, Ministry of Statistics and Programme Implementation

Note: UR is defined as the percentage of unemployed persons in the labour force. Labour force comprises of persons who were either working (employed) or seeking work (unemployed).