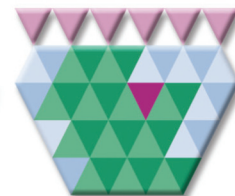


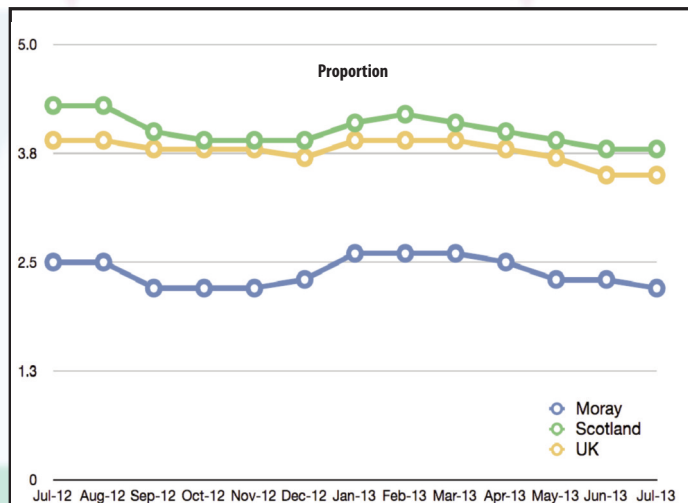
# unemployment in moray



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## UNEMPLOYMENT TRENDS



**Note:** As of December 2002 'proportion of unemployment' replaced 'unemployment rate'. The proportion of unemployment is a percentage of working age residents who are claimants in an area rather than the previous rate which was based on the percentage of the economically active population.

## UNEMPLOYMENT BY TRAVEL TO WORK AREAS (TTWAs)

TTWA	Male	Female	Total	Proportion	Monthly Change	Annual Change
Dufftown	26	18	44	-	4	-4
Elgin & Forres	371	235	606	-	-7	-219
Keith & Buckie	172	90	262	-	-17	-85
Moray	569	343	912	-	-20	-308
Scotland	63,907	33,064	96,971	2.8%	-104	-35,745
UK	632,810	363,025	995,835	2.4%	-24,455	-422,839

## RECENT TRENDS

Over the last month, unemployment in:

- Moray has fallen from 932 to 912, a decrease of 2.1%
- Scotland has fallen from 97,075, to 96,971, a decrease of 0.1%
- UK has fallen from 1,020,290 to 995,835 a decrease of 2.4%

Over the past 12 months, unemployment in:

- Moray has fallen from 1,220 to 912, a decrease of 25.2%
- Scotland has fallen from 132,716 to 96,971, a decrease of 26.9%
- UK has fallen from 1,418,674 to 995,835, a decrease of 29.8%

## PROSPECTS

- There is usually a decrease in Moray's unemployment total between July and August.
- Between 2004 and 2013, the average July - August monthly decrease was 18.
- It is possible, therefore, that Moray's unemployment total could fall next month.

## AGE AND DURATION

Between June and July (data rounded to nearest 5):

- Long term unemployment (52weeks+) has fallen from 195 to 190
- Youth unemployment (24 years and under) has risen from 245 to 260

## UNEMPLOYMENT BY LOCAL AREA

Local Area	No. Unemployed		Unemployment Rate (estimate)		Monthly Change	
	Jun-14	Jul-14	Jun-14	Jul-14	No.	Rate
Bishopmill West	24	28	0.9%	1.0%	4	0.1%
Bishopmill East	34	33	1.3%	1.3%	-1	-0.0%
Cathedral	53	48	2.1%	1.9%	-5	-0.2%
Central West	21	20	0.9%	0.9%	-1	-0.0%
New Elgin West	21	14	0.9%	0.6%	-7	-0.3%
New Elgin East	59	55	2.3%	2.1%	-4	-0.2%
Forres East	29	23	1.3%	1.0%	-6	-0.3%
Forres Central	89	92	3.4%	3.5%	3	0.1%
Finderne	28	32	0.9%	1.0%	4	0.1%
Forres West and Altyre	62	66	2.6%	2.8%	4	0.2%
Burghsea	16	20	0.6%	0.8%	4	0.2%
Heldon and Laich	19	20	0.8%	0.9%	1	0.0%
Lossiemouth East	32	31	1.3%	1.3%	-1	-0.0%
Lossiemouth West	39	40	1.2%	1.2%	1	0.0%
Lhanbryde and Birnie	63	58	2.6%	2.4%	-5	-0.2%
Innes	21	24	0.8%	1.0%	3	0.1%
Lennox	24	24	1.2%	1.2%	0	0.0%
Buckie West	57	51	2.4%	2.1%	-6	-0.2%
Buckie Central	51	49	2.3%	2.2%	-2	-0.1%
Buckie East and Findochty	35	31	1.6%	1.4%	-4	-0.2%
Rathford	23	24	1.0%	1.0%	1	0.0%
Fife Keith and Strathisla	26	22	1.1%	0.9%	-4	-0.2%
Keith	45	43	2.1%	2.0%	-2	-0.1%
Rural Keith and Rothes	28	29	1.4%	1.4%	1	0.0%
Speyside	12	12	0.5%	0.5%	0	0.0%
Glenlivet	21	23	3.2%	3.5%	2	0.3%

**Note:** Claimant count data for the new multi-member wards, introduced in May 2007, is currently under review and will be changed from the above old 2003 CAS ward data as soon as it becomes available.