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(EMPLOYMENT AND UNEMPLOYMENT)

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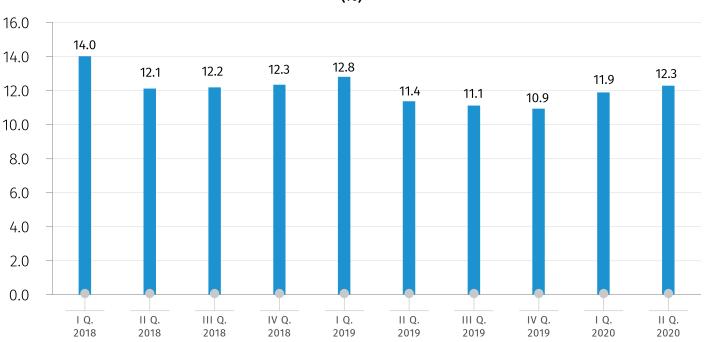
In the II quarter of 2020 the unemployment rate in Georgia increased by 0.9 percentage point compared to the corresponding period of the previous year and equaled 12.3 percent.

The chart below presents the unemployment rate by quarters of 2018-2020 years.

CHART №1

UNEMPLOYMENT RATE IN GEORGIA

(%)





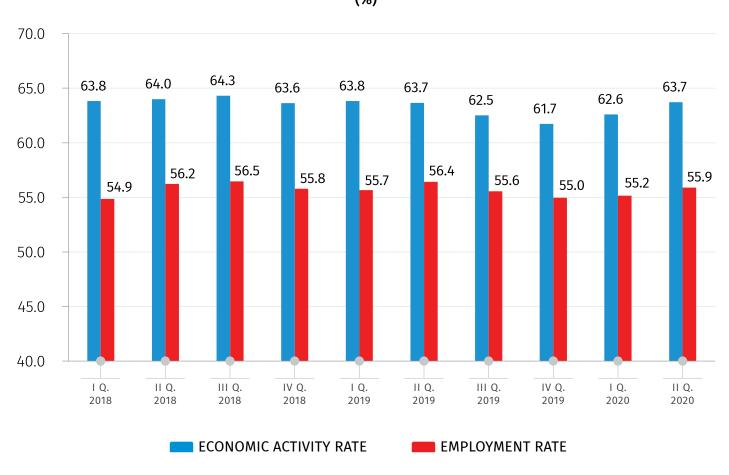
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In the II quarter of 2020 economically active population constituted 63.7 percent of the working age population (population aged 15 and older). The economic activity rate compared to the corresponding period of the previous year, in urban settlements as well as in rural ones, remained the same. The employment rate on the country level decreased by 0.5 percentage point. In urban settlements, the employment rate was decreased by 1.3 percentage point, while in rural settlements it was increased by 0.2 percentage point.

The chart below presents the economic activity and employment rates by quarters of 2018-2020 years.

CHART №2

ECONOMIC ACTIVITY AND EMPLOYMENT RATES (%)





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In the II quarter of 2020 the share of hired employees was 48.6 percent among employed persons that decreased by 1.6 percentage point compared to the corresponding period of the previous year.

The chart below presents the distribution of employed by status in employment for 2018-2020 years.

CHART №3

DISTRIBUTION OF EMPLOYED BY STATUS IN EMPLOYMENT





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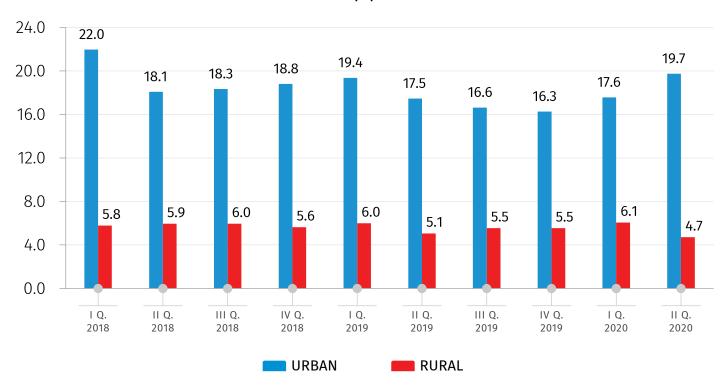
The unemployment rate is much lower in rural than in urban settlements. In the II quarter of 2020 the unemployment rate in urban settlements was increased by 2.3 percentage point compared to the corresponding period of the previous year, while in rural settlements it was reduced by 0.3 percentage point.

The chart below presents the unemployment rate by urban-rural areas and quarters of 2018-2020 years.

CHART №4

UNEMPLOYMENT RATE BY URBAN-RURAL AREAS

(%)





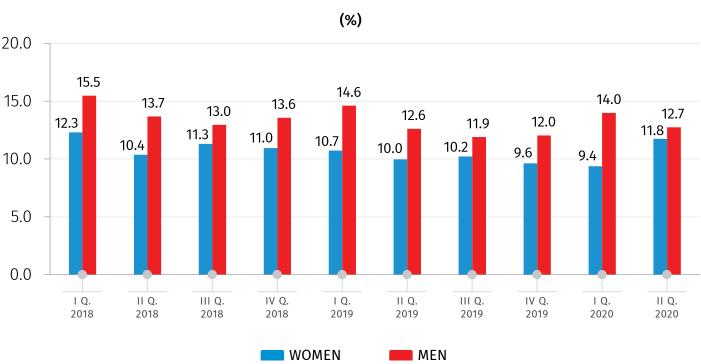
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Traditionally, the unemployment rate is higher for men than for women. In the II quarter of 2020, compared to the corresponding period of the previous year this indicator was increased for women as well as for men by 1.8 and 0.1 percentage points, respectively.

The chart below presents the unemployment rate by sex and quarters of 2018-2020 years.

CHART Nº5

UNEMPLOYMENT RATE BY SEX





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The activity rate is higher for men than for women. In the II quarter of 2020 activity rate for women was 54.8 percent and for men - 74.1. The activity rate for women was decreased by 0.4, while it was increased by 0.6 percentage point for men, compared to the corresponding period of the previous year.

The chart below presents the economic activity rate by sex and quarters of 2018-2020 years.

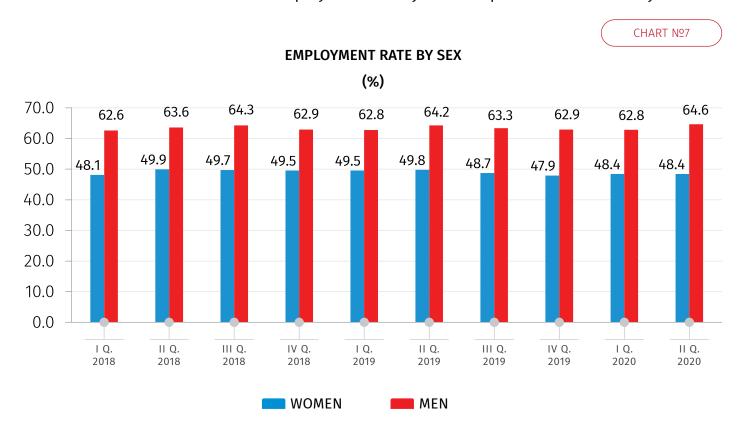
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In the II Quarter of 2020 the employment rate for women decreased by 1.4 percentage point compared to the corresponding period of the previous year, while for men it was increased by 0.4 percentage point.

The chart below illustrates the employment rate by sex and quarters of 2018-2020 years.



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