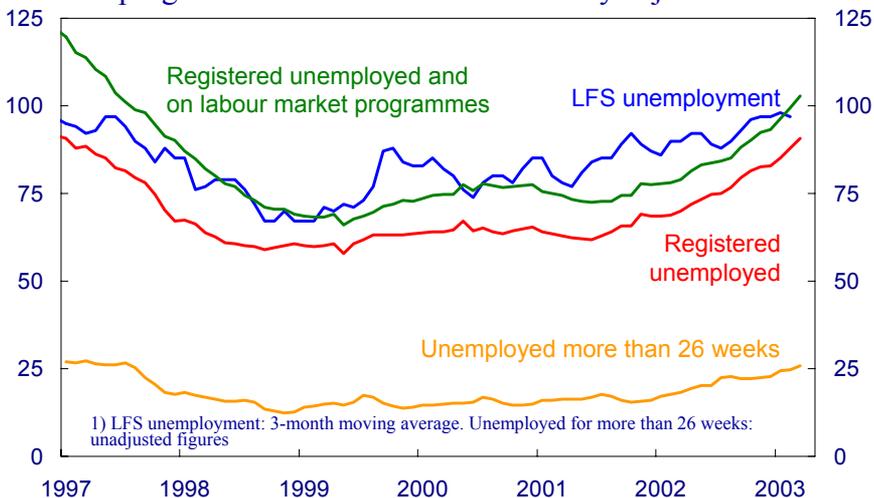


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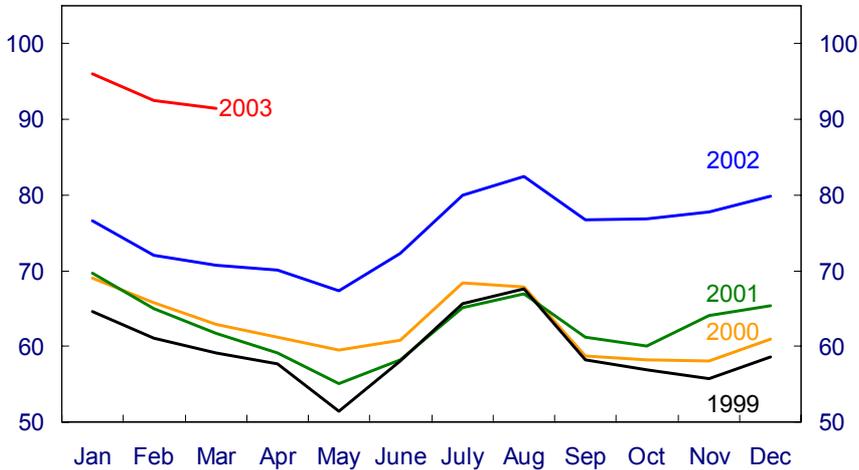
## The labour market

### 4.1 Number of unemployed (LFS), number of registered unemployed and persons on labour market programmes. In thousands. Seasonally adjusted <sup>1)</sup>



Sources: Statistics Norway and the Directorate of Labour

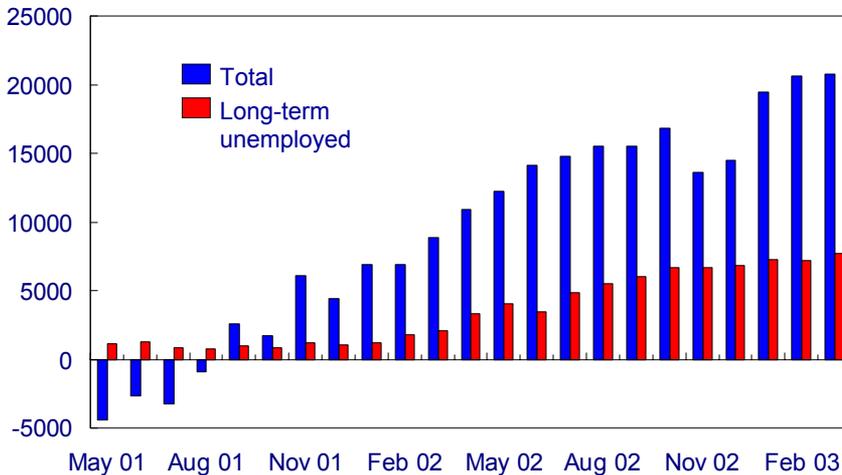
### 4.2 Registered unemployment In thousands



Source: Directorate of Labour

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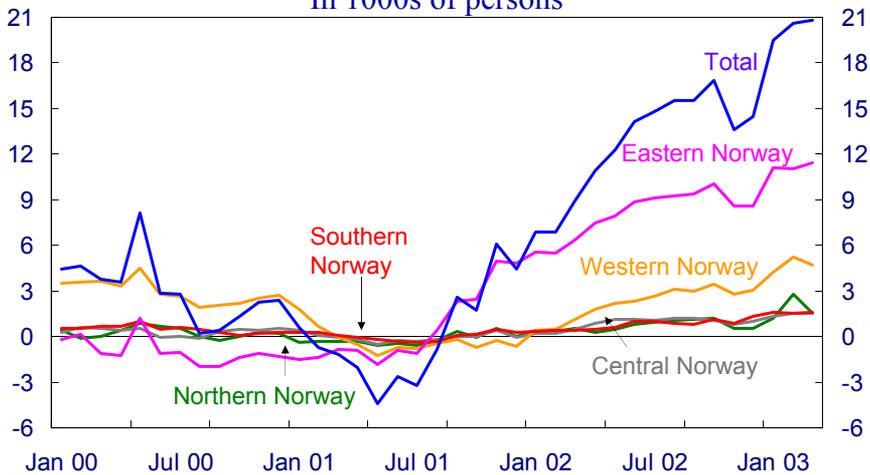
### 4.3 Change in number of unemployed on same month previous year Total number of unemployed and long-term unemployed



Source: Directorate of Labour

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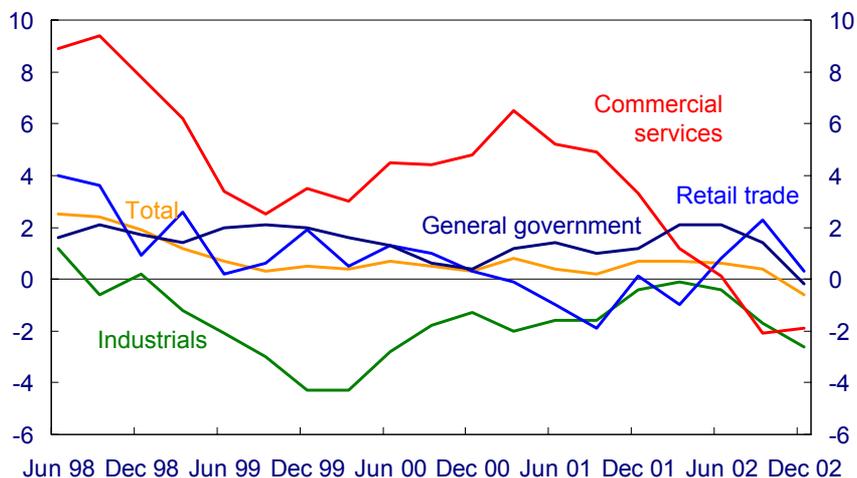
### 4.4 Change in unemployment on same month previous year. In 1000s of persons



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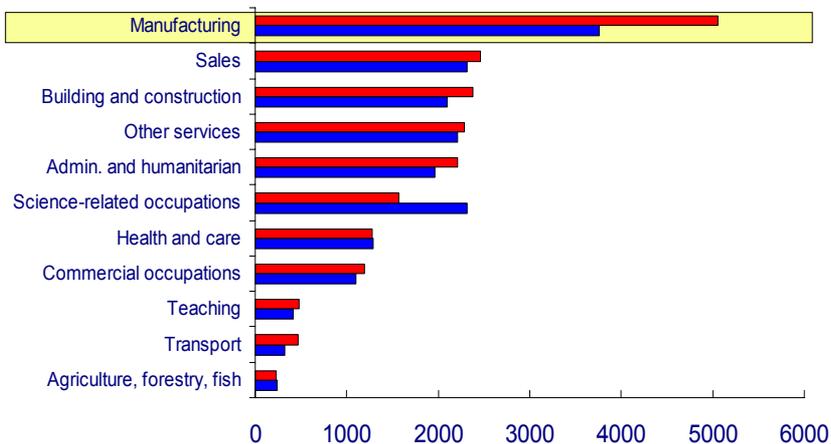
### 4.5 Numbers employed by sector (QNA) Change on same quarter previous year Per cent



Source: Statistics Norway, Quarterly national accounts

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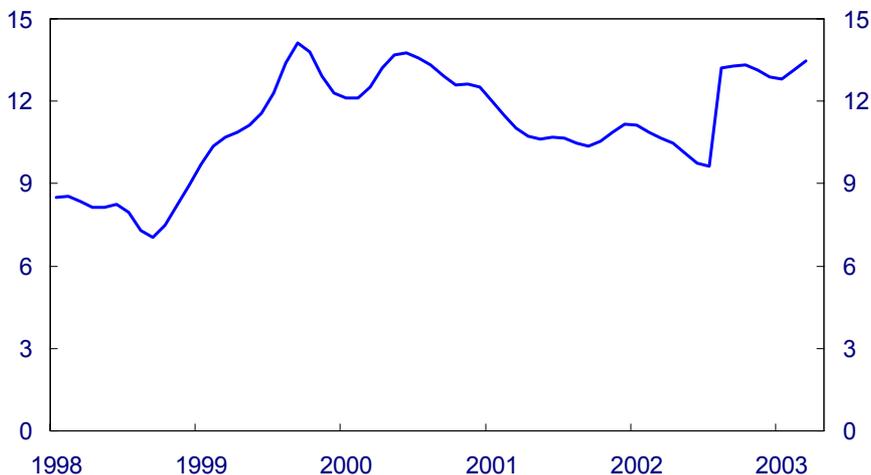
### 4.6 Change in unemployment by occupational group<sup>1)</sup> Feb. 2002 - Feb. 2003 (blue) and March 2002 - March 2003 (red)



<sup>1)</sup> In addition the item "specified / no occupational background" has risen by 1179 persons,  
Source: Directorate of Labour

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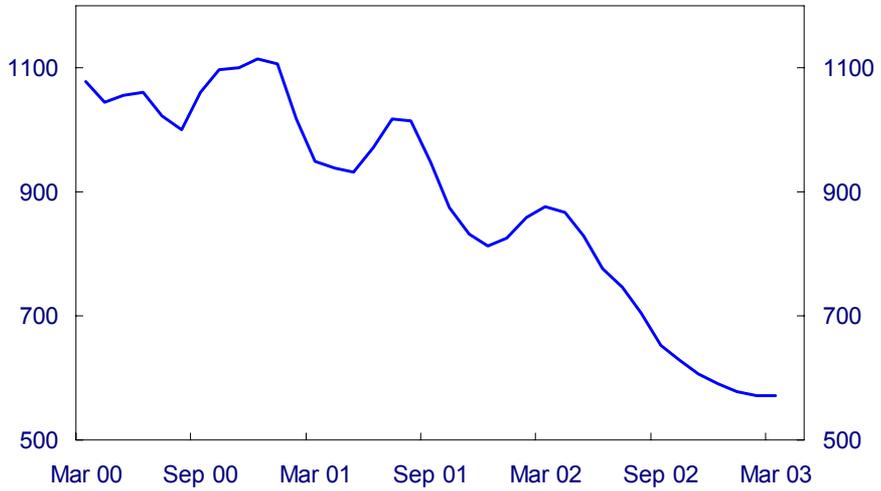
### 4.7 Number laid off In 1000s. Trend



Source: Directorate of Labour

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## 4.8 Supply of positions announced only in the media (per business day) Trend



Source: Directorate of Labour

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