



UNEMPLOYMENT STATISTICS

DEPARTMENT OF
PLANNING, TRANSPORT
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REPORT No.367/97

UNEMPLOYMENT SUMMARY - FEBRUARY 1997

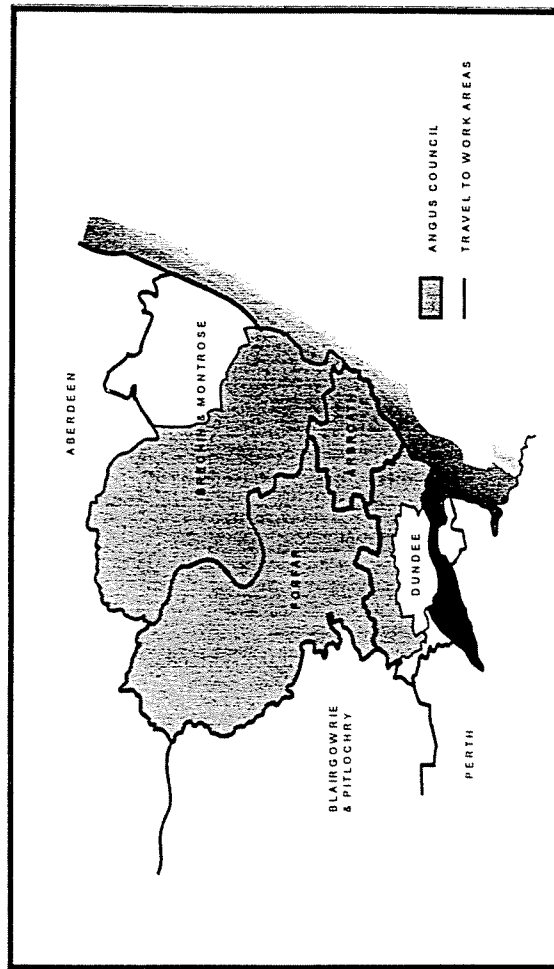
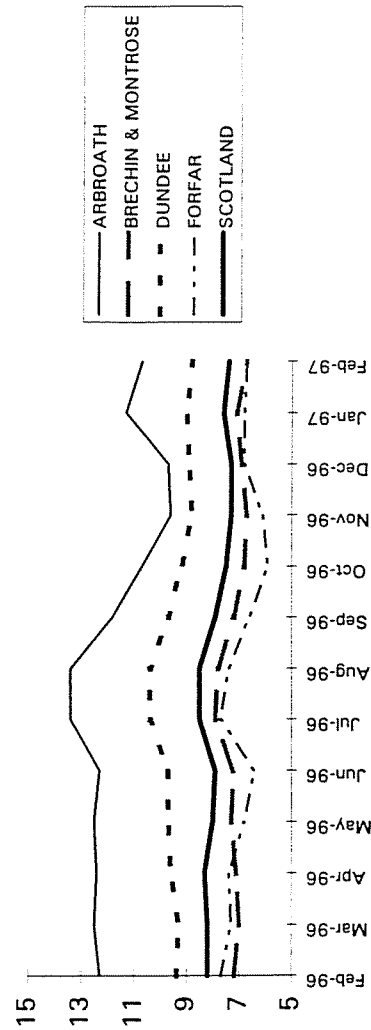


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source : Office for National Statistics

ttwa	Feb-97						Jan-97						Feb-96					
	numbers			rate			numbers			rate			numbers			rate		
	males	females	total	males	female	total	males	females	total	males	female	total	males	females	total	males	females	total
ARBROATH	823	369	1192	13.5	7.4	10.7	878	375	1253	14.4	7.5	11.3	969	446	1415	14.9	8.9	12.3
BRECHIN & MONTROSE	846	310	1153	8.6	4.2	6.7	891	338	1229	9.0	4.5	7.1	945	367	1312	9.2	4.7	7.2
DUNDEE	6530	1721	8251	12.5	4.1	8.8	6685	1820	8505	12.8	4.3	9.0	6891	1993	8884	13.2	4.7	9.4
FORFAR	547	234	781	8.4	4.5	6.7	554	240	794	8.5	4.6	6.8	572	259	831	9.2	5.6	7.7
ABERDEEN	5146	1715	6861	3.7	2.0	3.1	5202	1666	6868	3.8	2.0	3.1	6249	2015	8264	4.9	2.4	3.9
BLAIRGOWRIE & PITLOCHRY	584	232	816	7.4	3.8	5.9	578	223	801	7.3	3.7	5.8	719	293	1012	9.2	4.6	7.1
ANGUS COUNCIL	2508	996	3504	12.4	5.8	9.4	2591	1030	3621	12.8	6.0	9.7	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
DUNDEE CITY COUNCIL	5940	1508	7448	11.8	3.7	8.2	6068	1584	7652	12.0	3.9	8.4	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
PÉRTH & KINROSS COUNCIL	2665	877	3542	8.7	3.4	6.3	2605	849	3454	8.5	3.3	6.1	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
ABERDEENSHIRE COUNCIL	2646	999	3645	5.9	2.7	4.5	3263	1216	4479	7.3	3.3	5.5	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
SCOTLAND	139637	39933	179570	10.3	3.7	7.4	144526	41070	185596	10.7	3.8	7.6	158586	46974	205560	11.5	4.2	8.2
GREAT BRITAIN	1349467	410771	1760238	8.9	3.4	6.5	1407436	429480	1836916	9.2	3.6	6.7	1693270	523952	2217222	11.0	4.4	8.1

UNEMPLOYMENT RATE - FEBRUARY 1997



1 Dundee TTWA includes Newport, Tayport, Monifieth and Carnoustie. Brechin and Montrose TTWA includes Laurencekirk and Inverbervie.

2 All percentage rates are calculated using the workforce base (unemployed claimants as percentage of unemployed claimants + employees + self-employed + HIM Forces + government training schemes).

3 Updated at March 1996 to include mid-1995 denominators. 4 Jobseekers allowance introduced at 7 Oct 96 with effects on data from Nov 96 count.

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STOCK OF UNFILLED VACANCIES

obcentre area	Feb-97	Jan-97	Feb-96
ARBROATH	87	81	65
MONTROSE	236	246	209
DUNDEE	697	698	548
FORFAR	172	181	552
ABERDEEN	1708	1588	1753
BLAIRGOWRIE	95	81	45
SCOTLAND	28400	28000	21200

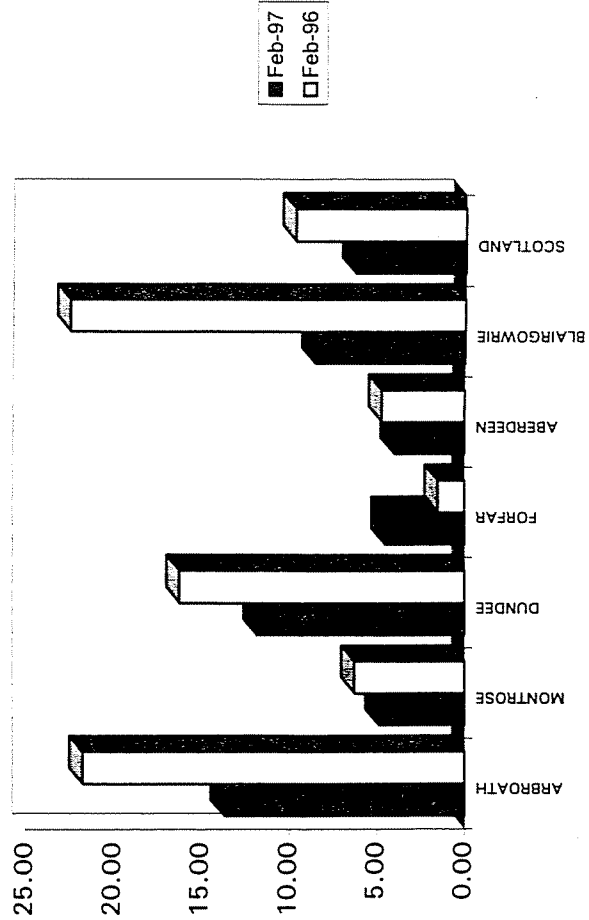
UNEMPLOYED/VACANCY RATIO

ttwa	Feb-97	Jan-97	Feb-96
ARBROATH	13.70	15.47	21.77
MONTROSE	4.89	5.00	6.28
DUNDEE	11.84	12.18	16.21
FORFAR	4.54	4.39	1.51
ABERDEEN	4.02	4.32	4.71
BLAIRGOWRIE	8.59	9.89	22.49
SCOTLAND	6.32	6.63	9.70

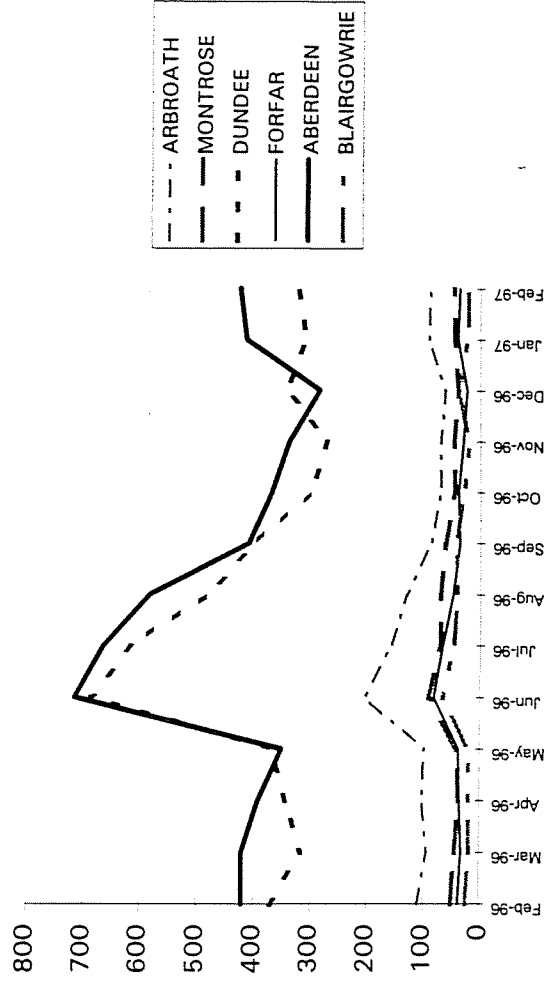
SCHOOL LEAVERS/UNDER 18 UNEMPLOYED

careers office areas aggregated to TTWA	Feb-97	Jan-97	Feb-96
ARBROATH	89	92	111
MONTROSE	47	46	51
DUNDEE	323	308	372
FORFAR	37	40	38
ABERDEEN	424	413	420
BLAIRGOWRIE	21	22	25

UNEMPLOYMENT/VACANCY RATIOS



NUMBER OF UNEMPLOYED YOUNG PEOPLE - FEBRUARY 1997



note : it is generally accepted that vacancies notified to jobcentres represent only about one third of all jobs available.

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unitary council areas	ranked rate
East Ayrshire	11.90
Western Isles	11.20
West Dumbartonshire	11.10
North Ayrshire	10.90
North Lanarkshire	10.30
Clackmannan	9.70
East Renfrewshire	9.70
Highland	9.50
Angus	9.40
Fife	9.30
South Lanarkshire	9.20
Argyll & Bute	8.60
Falkirk	8.40
Dumfries & Galloway	8.20
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East Lothian	8.10
East Dumbartonshire	7.90
Glasgow City	7.90
South Ayrshire	7.90
Midlothian	7.60
Moray	7.20
Inverclyde	7.00
Renfrewshire	7.00
West Lothian	6.80
Perth & Kinross	6.30
Stirling	6.00
Orkney Islands	5.00
Edinburgh City	4.90
Borders	4.60
Aberdeenshire	4.50
Shetland Islands	3.80
Aberdeen City	2.70

LOCAL AUTHORITY AREA



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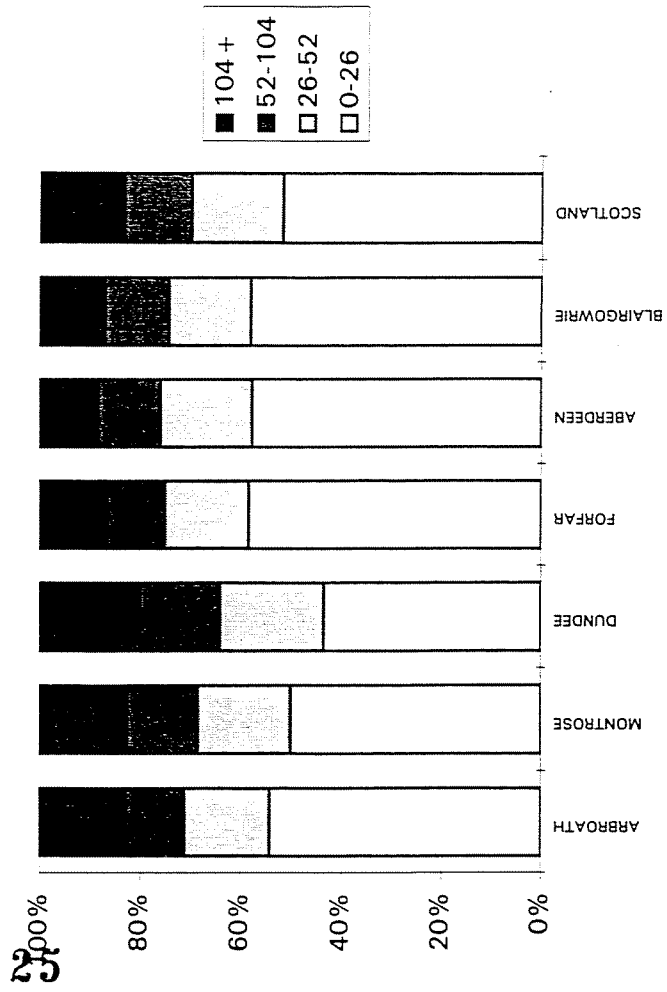
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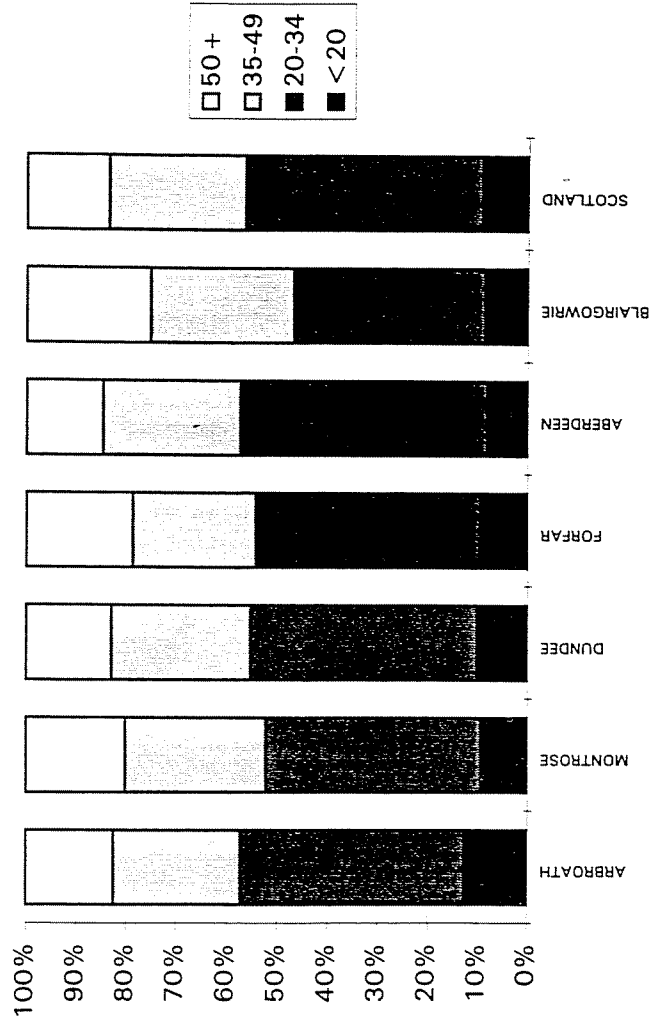
Age and Duration data is produced by ONS every quarter.

ftwa	DURATION OF ALL UNEMPLOYED				AGE OF ALL UNEMPLOYED				
	0-26	26-52	52-104	104+	long term	<20	20-34	35-49	50+
ARBROATH	54%	17%	12%	17%	26+	13%	45%	25%	17%
MONTROSE	50%	18%	14%	17%	50%	9%	43%	28%	20%
DUNDEE	43%	21%	16%	20%	57%	10%	45%	28%	17%
FORFAR	58%	17%	12%	13%	42%	9%	45%	25%	21%
ABERDEEN	58%	18%	13%	11%	42%	8%	49%	27%	15%
BLAIRGOWRIE	58%	16%	13%	13%	42%	8%	38%	29%	25%
SCOTLAND	52%	18%	14%	17%	48%	9%	47%	27%	16%

duration of unemployed - in weeks



age of unemployed - by age groups



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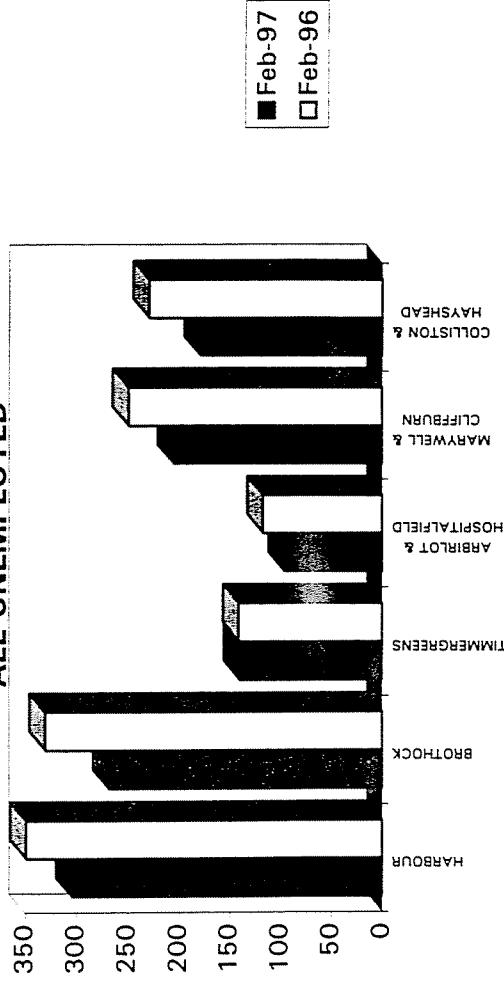


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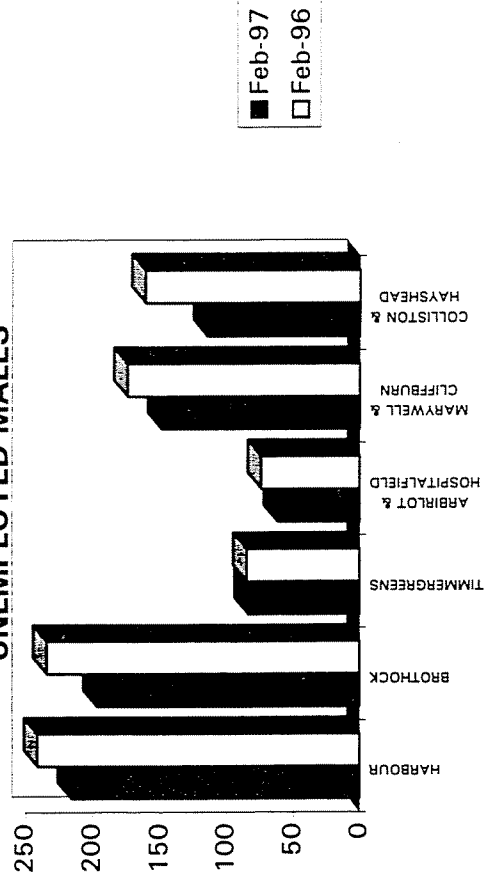
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ARBROATH TTWA ward (as at 1984)	no. unemployed			% change
	Feb-97	Feb-96	change	
HARBOUR	304	349	-45	-13%
BROTHOCK	268	330	-62	-19%
TIMMERGREENS	140	141	-1	-1%
ARBIRLOT & HOSPITALFIELD	96	117	-21	-18%
MARYWELL & CLIFFBURN	205	249	-44	-18%
COLLISTON & HAYSHEAD	179	229	-50	-22%
TTWA	1192	1415	-223	-16%
ANGUS COUNCIL (inc Gowrie)	3579	4064	-485	-12%

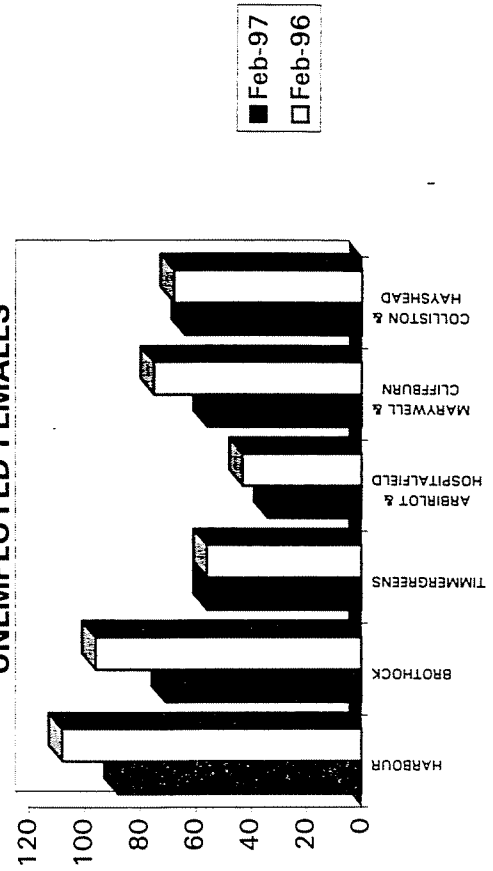
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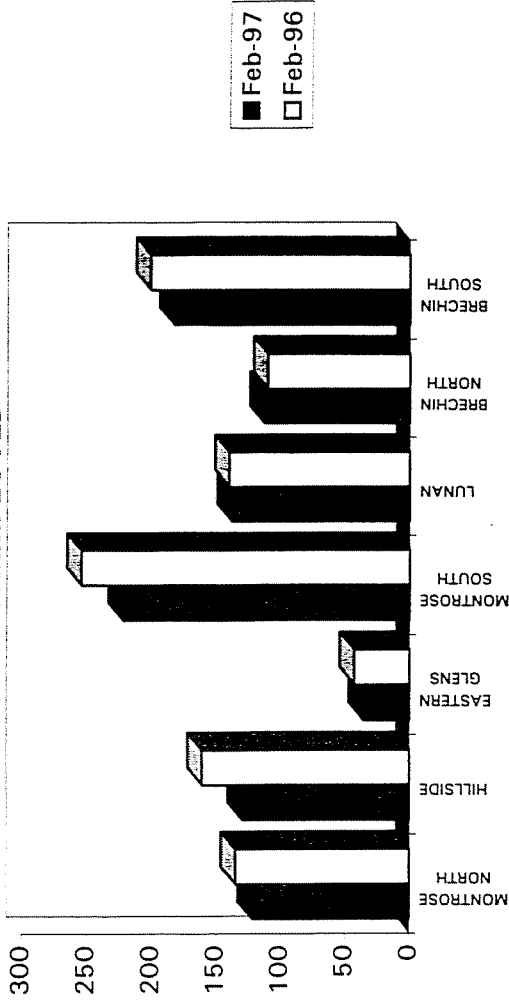
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BRECHIN & MONTROSE & TTWA

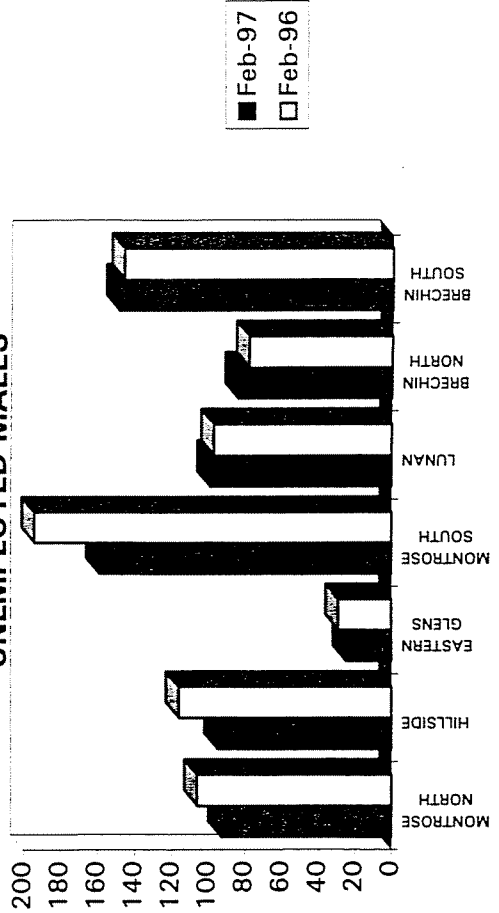
ward (as at 1984)

	no. unemployed		change	% change
	Feb-97	Feb-96		
MONTROSE NORTH	122	135	-13	-10%
HILLSIDE	130	161	-31	-19%
EASTERN GLENS	36	43	-7	-16%
MONTROSE SOUTH	222	254	-32	-13%
LUNAN	138	140	-2	-1%
BRECHIN NORTH	113	110	3	3%
BRECHIN SOUTH	183	201	-18	-9%
INVERBERVIE & JOHNHAVEN	77	93	-16	-17%
MEARNS SOUTH & ST CYRUS	58	85	-27	-32%
MEARNS WEST & MARYKIRK	77	90	-13	-14%
TTWA	1156	1312	-156	-12%
ANGUS COUNCIL (inc Gowrie)	3579	4064	-485	-12%

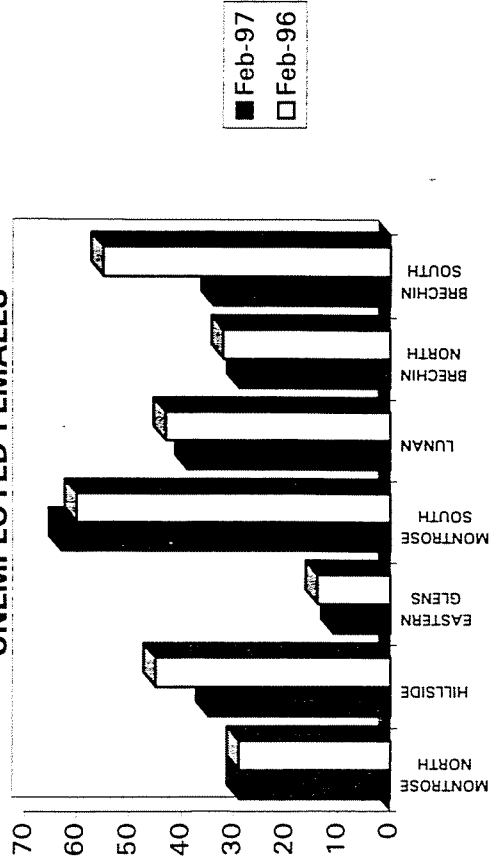
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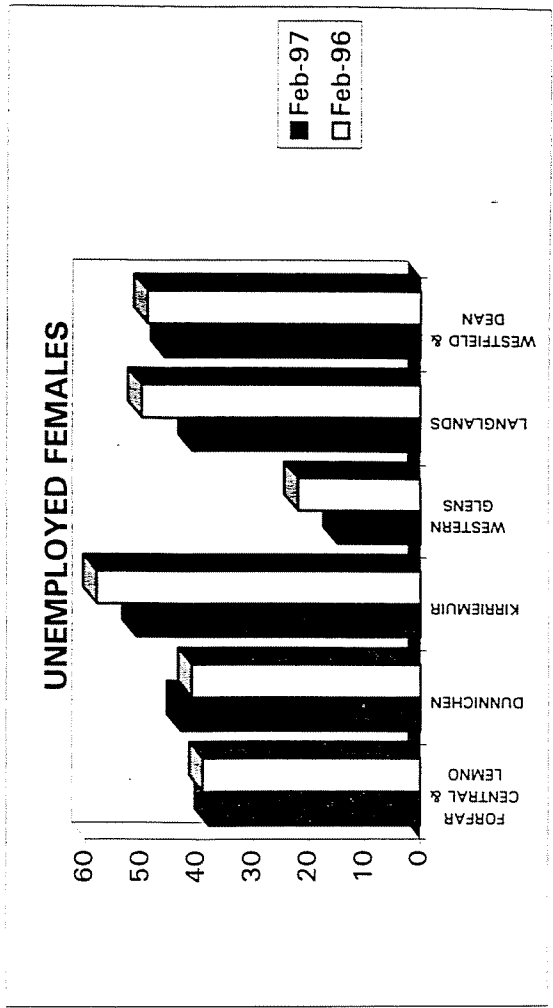
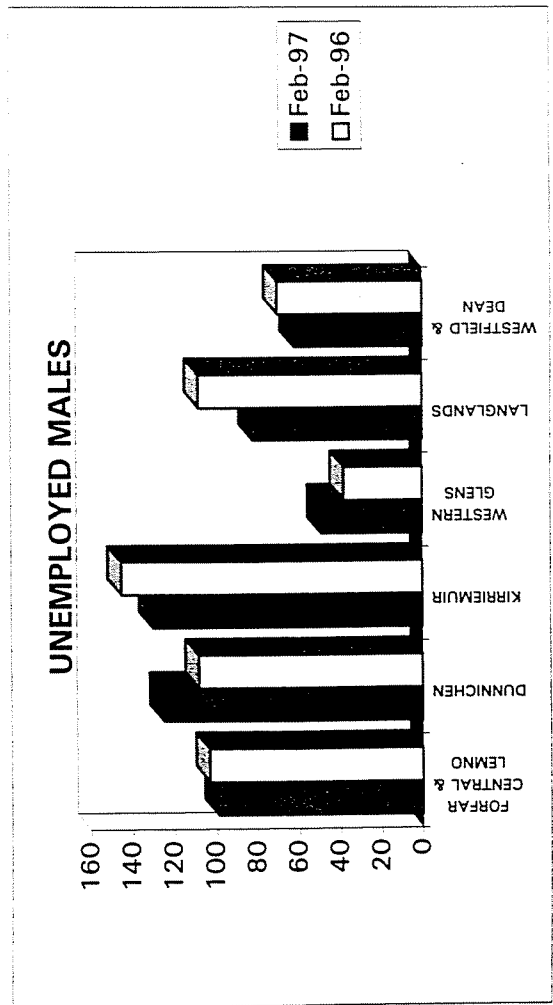
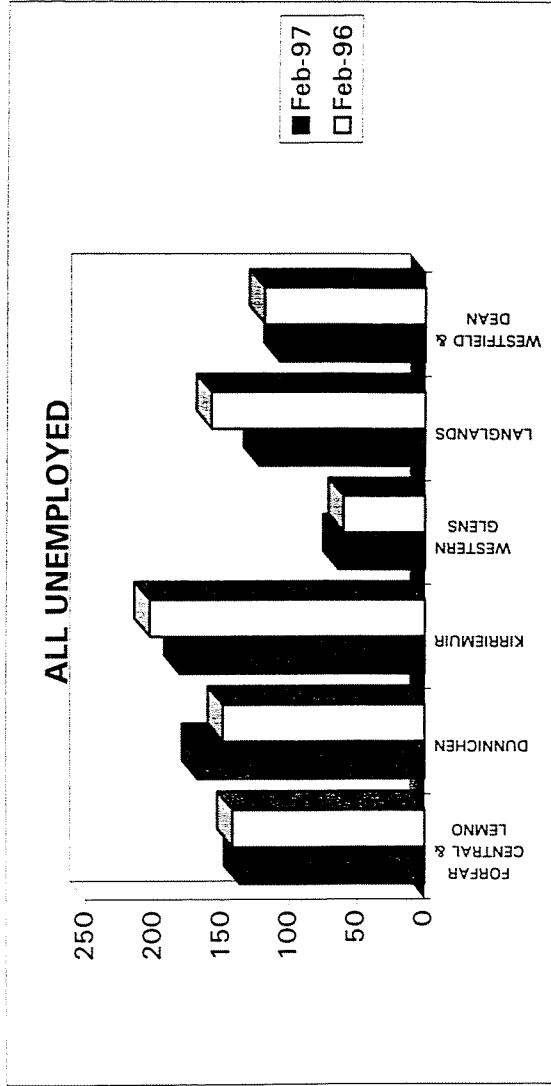
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ward (as at 1984)	no. unemployed		change	% change
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FORFAR CENTRAL & LEMNO	137	142	-5	-4%
DUNNICHEN	168	149	19	13%
KIRRIEMUIR	181	203	-22	-11%
WESTERN GLENS	64	60	4	7%
LANGLANDS	123	158	-35	-22%
WESTFIELD & DEAN	108	119	-11	-9%
TTWA	781	831	-50	-6%
ANGUS COUNCIL (inc Gowrie)	3579	4064	-485	-12%



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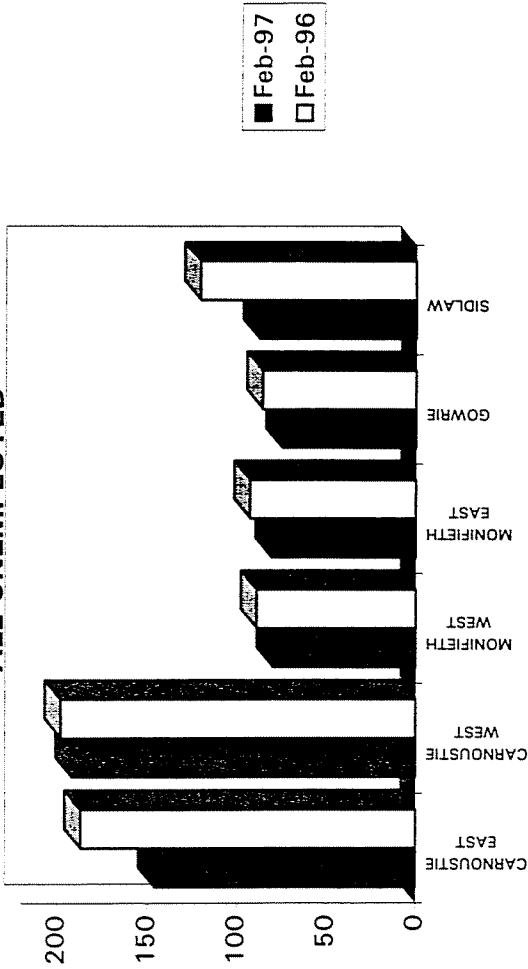


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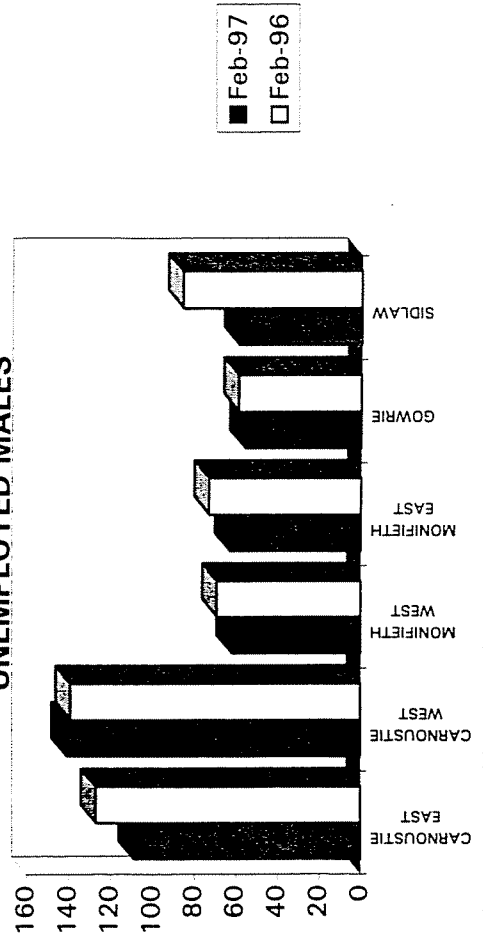
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ward (as at 1984)	no. unemployed		change	% change
	Feb-97	Feb-96		
DUNDEE TTWA (Angus wards only)	146	187	-41	-22%
CARNOUSTIE EAST	192	198	-6	-3%
CARNOUSTIE WEST	80	89	-9	-10%
MONIFIETH WEST	81	93	-12	-13%
MONIFIETH EAST	75	86	-11	-13%
GOWRIE	88	121	-33	-27%
SIDLAW	662	774	-112	-14%
TTWA	3579	4064	-485	-12%
ANGUS COUNCIL (inc Gowrie)				

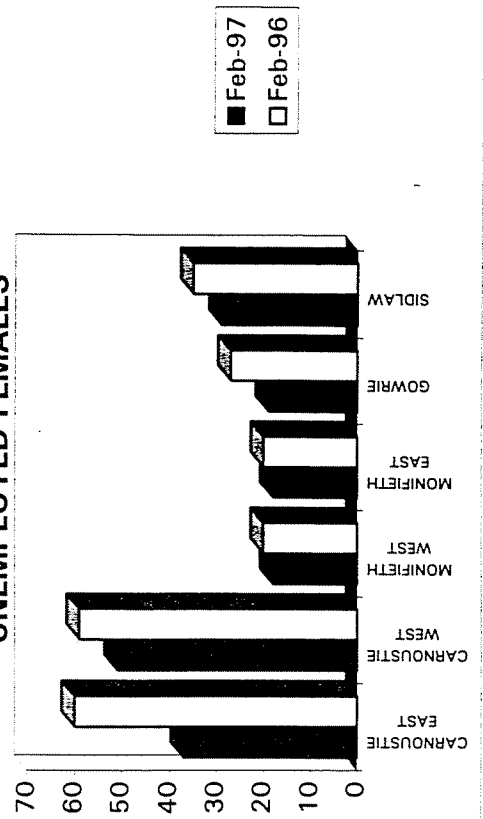
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Number of Unemployed Claimants by Ward

ward (as at 1984)	males	females
HARBOUR	216	88
BROTHOCK	197	71
TIMMERGREENS	84	56
ARBIRLOT & HOSPITALFIELD	62	34
MARYWELL & CLIFFBURN	149	56
COLLISTON & HAYSHEAD	115	64
CARNOUSTIE EAST	109	37
CARNOUSTIE WEST	141	51
FORFAR CENTRAL & LEMNO	99	38
DUNNICHEN	125	43
MONTROSE NORTH	93	29
HILLSIDE	95	35
KIRRIEMUIR	130	51
WESTERN GLENS	49	15
EASTERN GLENS	25	11
LANGLANDS	82	41
WESTFIELD & DEAN	62	46
MONTROSE SOUTH	159	63
LUNAN	99	39
BRECHIN NORTH	84	29
BRECHIN SOUTH	149	34
INVERBERVIE & JOHNSHAVEN	45	32
MEARNS SOUTH & ST CYRUS	41	17
MEARNS WEST & MARYKIRK	56	21
MONIFIETH WEST	62	18
MONIFIETH EAST	63	18
GOWRIE	56	19
SIDLAW	59	29

