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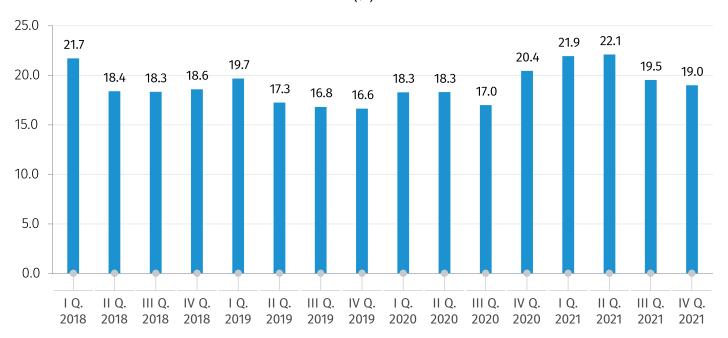
IV QUARTER, 2021 YEAR

In the IV quarter of 2021, the unemployment rate in Georgia decreased by 1.4 percentage points compared to the corresponding period of the previous year and equaled 19.0 percent.

The chart below presents the unemployment rate by quarters of 2018-2021 years.

CHART №1

## **UNEMPLOYMENT RATE IN GEORGIA**





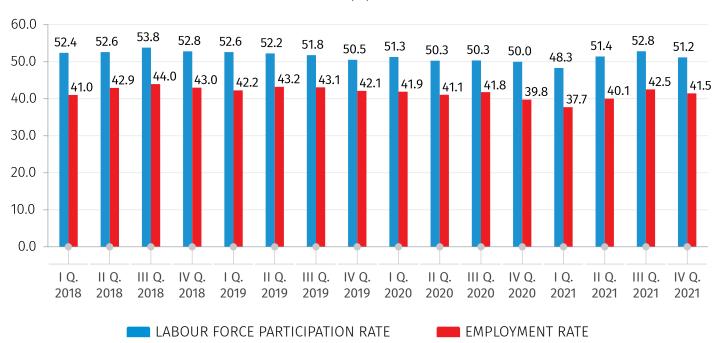
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In the IV quarter of 2021, the labour force constituted 51.2 percent of the working-age population (population aged 15 and older), which is 1.2 percentage points more than that was to the corresponding period of the previous year, while the employment rate increased by 1.7 percentage points and equaled to 41.5 percent. The Labour force participation rate in urban settlements decreased by 0.3 percentage points, while in rural settlements increased by 3.1 percentage points. The employment rate increased in urban settlements by 0.9 percentage points and by 2.7 percentage points in rural settlements.

The chart below presents the labour force participation rate and employment rates by quarters of 2018-2021 years.

CHART Nº2

### LABOUR FORCE PARTICIPATION RATE AND EMPLOYMENT RATE





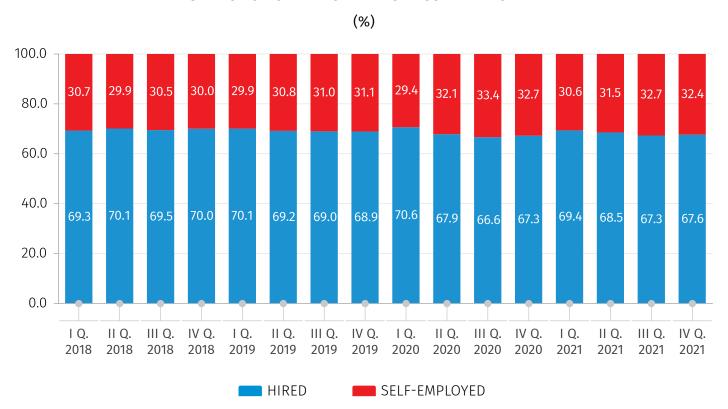
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In the IV quarter of 2021, the share of hired employees was 67.6 percent among employed persons that increased by 0.4 percentage points compared to the corresponding period of the previous year.

The chart below presents the distribution of employed by status in employment for 2018-2021 years.

CHART Nº3

#### DISTRIBUTION OF EMPLOYED BY STATUS IN EMPLOYMENT





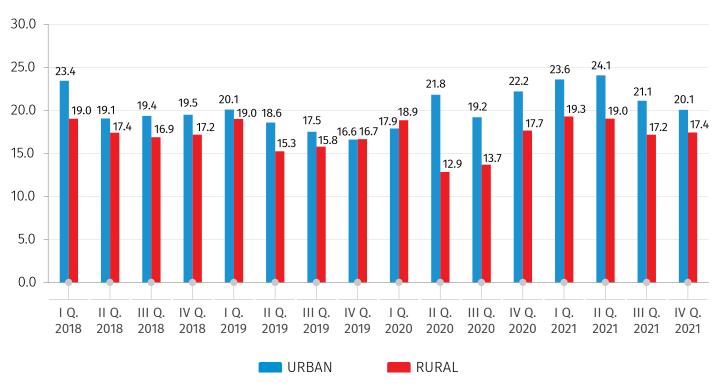
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In the IV quarter of 2021, the unemployment rate in urban settlements decreased by 2.1 percentage points compared to the corresponding period of the previous year, while in rural settlements decreased by 0.2 percentage points.

The chart below presents the unemployment rate in urban-rural areas and quarters of 2018-2021 years.

CHART Nº4

#### **UNEMPLOYMENT RATE BY URBAN-RURAL AREAS**





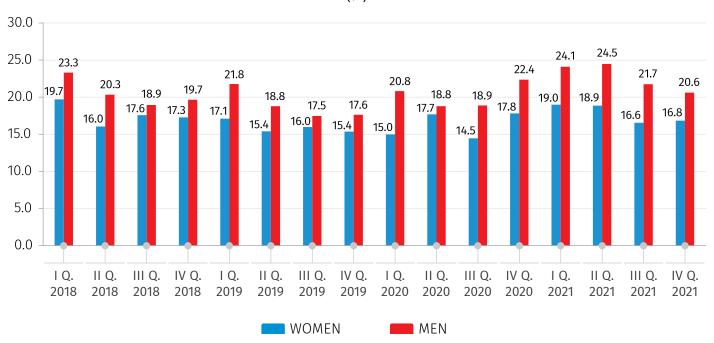
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Traditionally, the unemployment rate is higher for men than for women. In the IV quarter of 2021, compared to the corresponding period of the previous year, this indicator decreased for women by 1.0 percentage points, while it decreased by 1.7 percentage points for men.

The chart below presents the unemployment rate by sex and quarters of 2018-2021 years.

CHART №5

#### **UNEMPLOYMENT RATE BY SEX**





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The labour force participation rate is higher for men than for women. In the IV quarter of 2021, the indicator for women was 40.9 percent and for men – 63.1 percent. The labour force participation rate for women increased by 1.4 percentage points, while for men – 1.1 percentage points, compared to the corresponding period of the previous year.

The chart below presents the labour force participation rate by sex and quarters of 2018-2021 years.

CHART №6

#### LABOUR FORCE PARTICIPATION RATE BY SEX





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In the IV Quarter of 2021, the employment rate for women as well as for men increased by 1.5 and 1.9 percentage points, respectively compared to the corresponding period of the previous year.

The chart below illustrates the employment rate by sex and quarters of 2018-2021 years.

CHART Nº7

#### **EMPLOYMENT RATE BY SEX**

(%)



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