

# Department of Social Protection Statistics

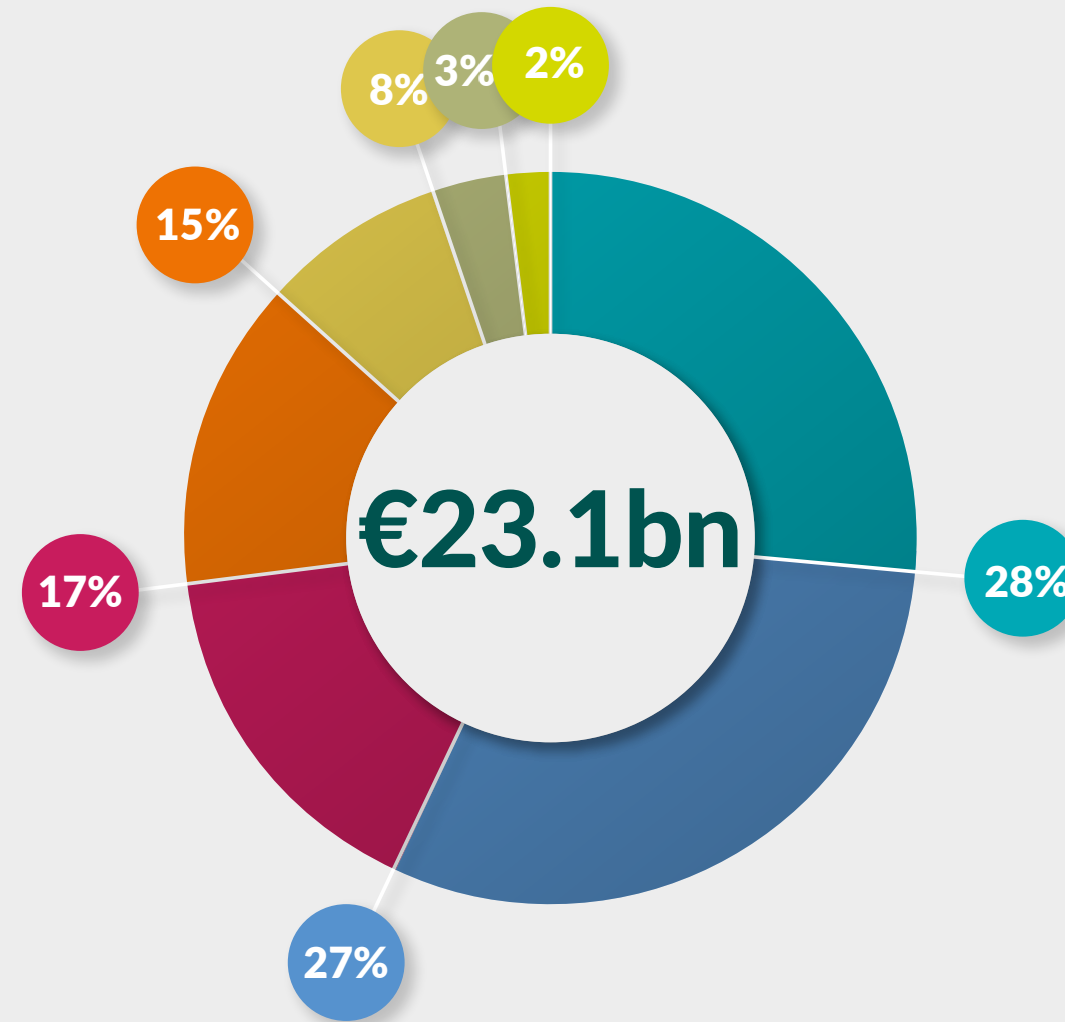
## Quarter 3 2021



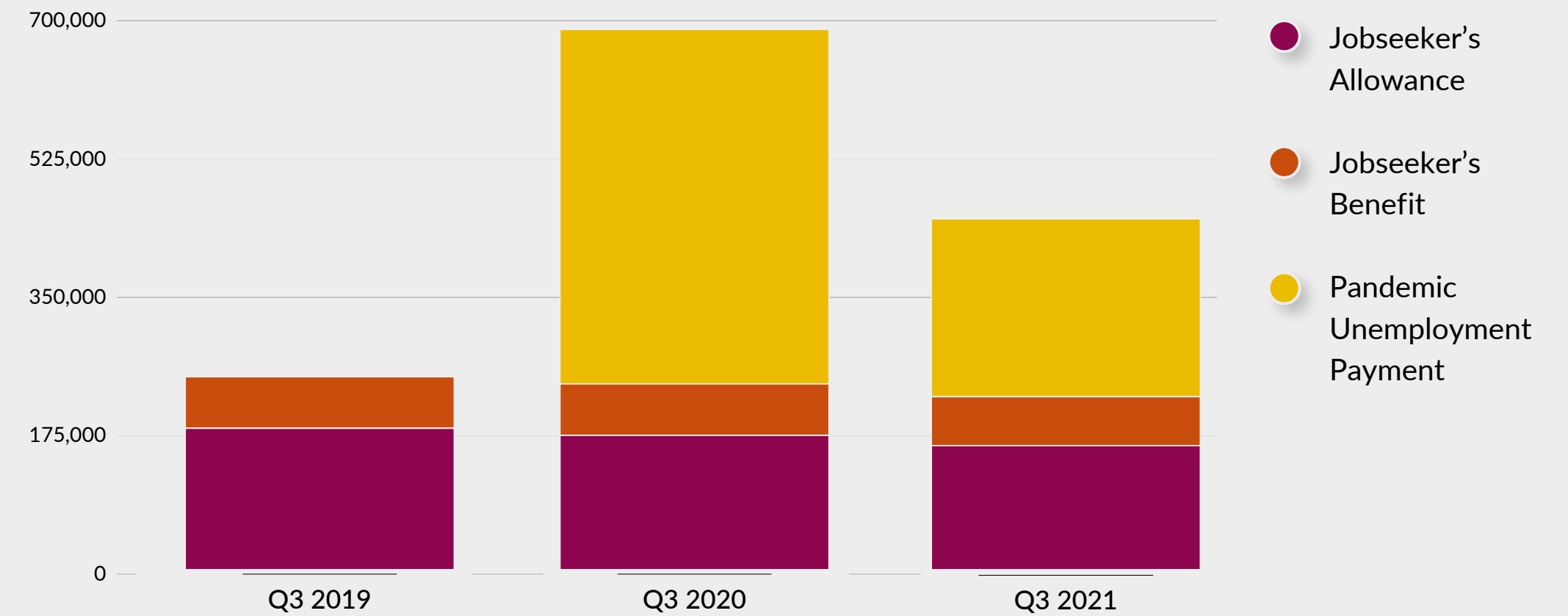
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### Expenditure by Social Protection Programme January-September 2021

- Pensions
- Working Age Income Supports
- Working Age Employment Supports
- Illness, Disability & Caring
- Children
- Supplementary & Miscellaneous
- Administration



### Recipients of Working Age Income Supports - Annual Change



### In Q3 2021

- €7.1 billion** spent on Social Protection Schemes
- €363 million** deficit in the Social Insurance Fund
- €1.2 billion** spent on the Employment Wage Subsidy Scheme
- €604 million** paid out to **225,000** people on the Pandemic Unemployment Payment
- €20 million** paid out to **29,000** people on the Enhanced Illness Benefit
- 688,000** people in receipt of Pension Payments



### Social Insurance Fund Surplus/Deficit

