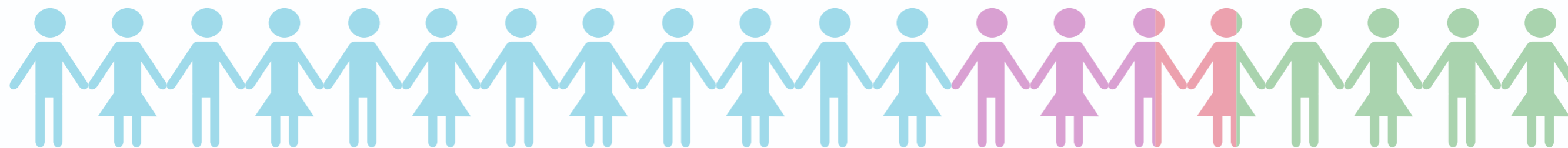


Proportion of Working Age Population in Private Sector Employment (Seasonally Adjusted)



Components of Working Age Population (Non-Seasonally Adjusted)

Private Sector Employment

21.8 million

people aged 16 and over were in private sector employment in Q1 2015

(including about 80 thousand people employed in bodies which have moved between the public and private sector since 2008)

up 440,000 people since Q1 2014

62.1%

Public Sector Employment

4.2 million

people aged 16 and over were in public sector employment in Q1 2015

(excluding about 80 thousand people employed in bodies which have moved between the public and private sector since 2008)

down 34,000 people since Q1 2014

12.0%

Unemployment

1.5 million

people aged 16 and over were out of work but seeking and available to work in Q1 2015

down 323,000 people since Q1 2014

4.2%

Inactivity

7.6 million

people aged 16-64 were either not looking for work or not available to work in Q1 2015

down 81,000 people since Q1 2014

21.7%