<u>August 2017 – Euro area unemployment</u> <u>at 9.1% – EU28 at 7.6%</u>

The **euro area** (EA19) seasonally-adjusted unemployment rate was 9.1% in August 2017, stable compared to July 2017 and down from 9.9% in August 2016. This remains the lowest rate recorded in the **euro area** since February 2009. The **EU28** unemployment rate was 7.6% in August 2017, down from 7.7% in July 2017 and from 8.5% in August 2016. This is the lowest rate recorded in the **EU28** since November 2008. These figures are published by **Eurostat**, the statistical office of the European Union.

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