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**Șomajul: forme și evaluare**  
**The unemployment: forms and evaluation**

**Abstract:**

This paper presents the main forms of the unemployment: frictional, structural, technological, long term unemployment, seasonal, disguised, involuntary, voluntary etc. and an evaluation of this phenomenon too. The evaluation of the unemployment is realized by means of the number of the unemployed and also by means of the unemployment rate. The unemployment rate expresses the number of unemployed as a percentage of the number of people either employed or unemployed.