



The effect of the coronavirus on unemployment in Borsod- Abaúj-Zemplén County

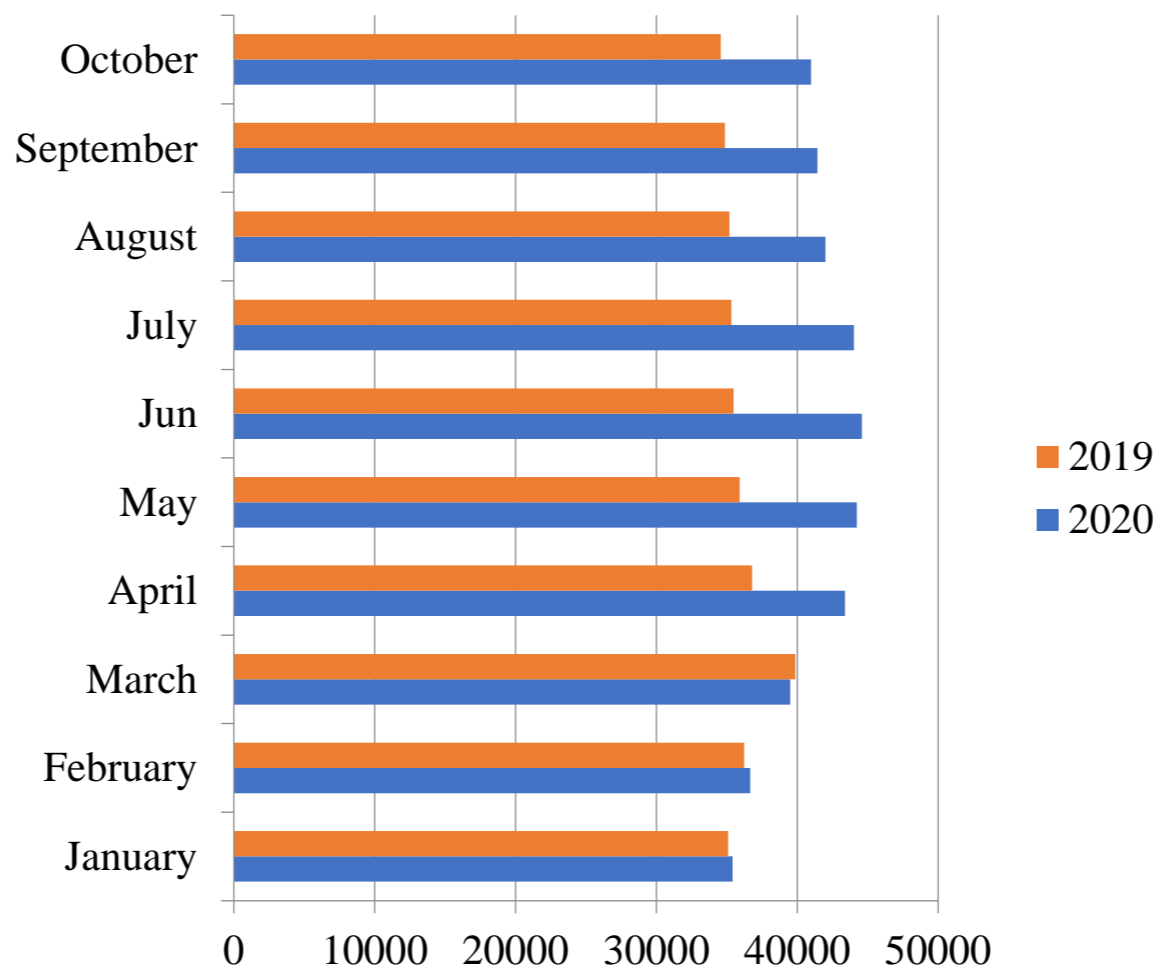
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In March 2020, the Government of Hungary introduced strict measures to curb the coronavirus epidemic, as a result of which the production of many industries decreased or, worse, stopped.

Material and method

The study examines the effects of the coronavirus on the changes in unemployment in Borsod-Abaúj-Zemplén County. Before conducting the research based on the secondary data of the National Employment Service and Public Employment Portal, I reviewed the available domestic and international textbooks and journal articles on the topic.



Results and conclusion

The negative effect of the coronavirus has reached the economy of Borsod-Abaúj-Zemplén county in Hungary. Many have lost their jobs as a result of labor market anomalies caused by the epidemic and government decisions.

In its rural districts, the county was least affected by the summer months, as the number of unemployed became somewhat moderate due to summer seasonal work. The districts most affected by the coronavirus are those with large corporations employing hundreds of people. As a result of government decisions, most tourism and hospitality workers have lost their jobs. The state did not see a reduction in unemployment in public employment.