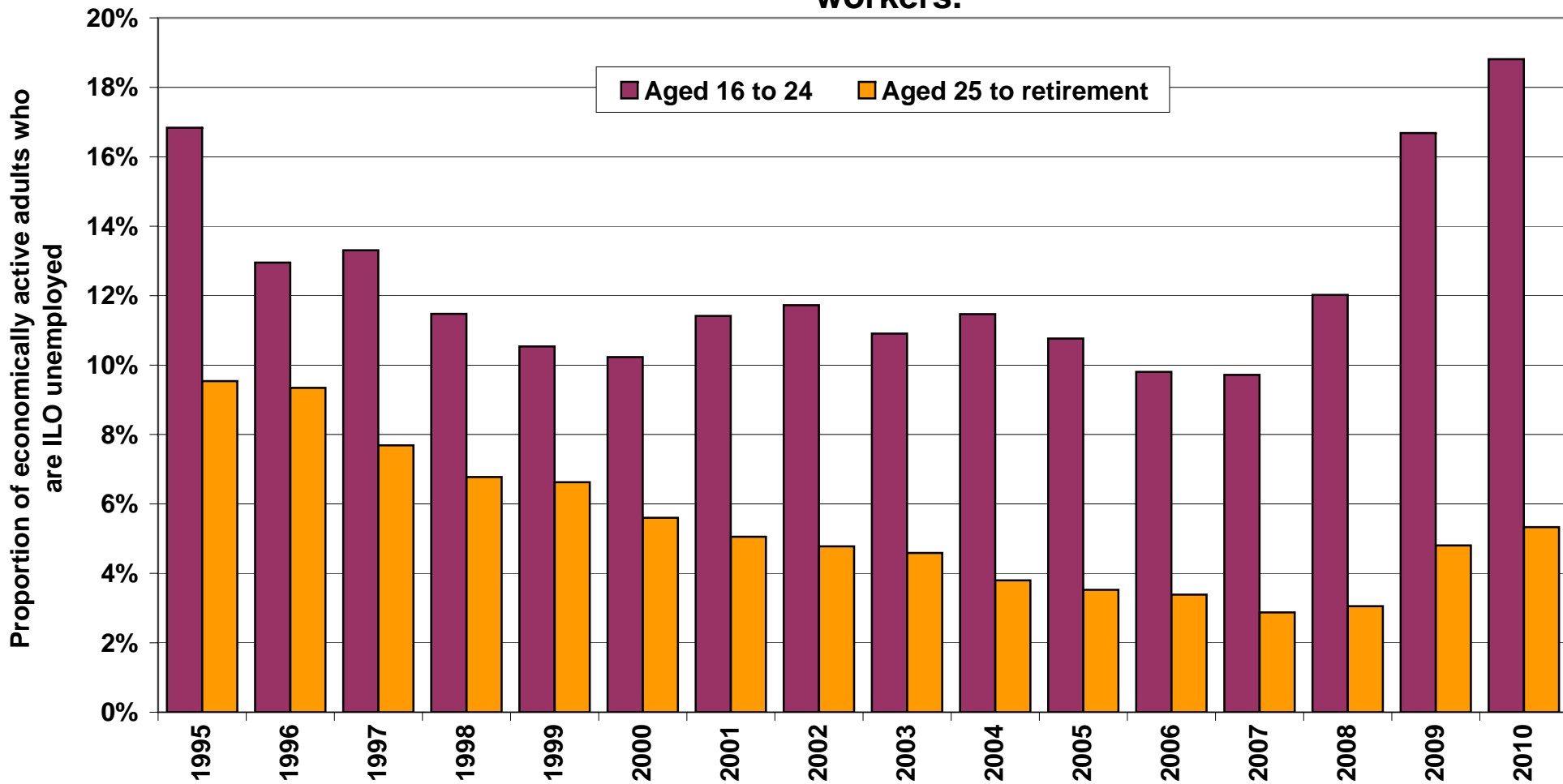


**At 19% in 2010, the unemployment rate for 16- to 24-year-olds has risen sharply in the last few years. It is more than three times the rate for older workers.**



Source: Labour Force Survey, ONS; updated Mar 2011