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Table 4. Population, employment (national concept), employment by industry (domestic concept)
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	2017	2018	2019	2020	2017			2018		
					Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3
POPULATION AND EMPLOYMENT, THOUSAND PERSONS										
1 Total population	24 649	25 036	25 420	25 750 e	24 602	24 702	24 773	24 899	24 983	25 090
2 Economically active population	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
3 Unemployed persons	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
4 Total employment	12 265	12 598	12 887	..	12 257	12 245	12 454	12 528	12 573	12 548
5 Employees	11 023	11 369	11 622	..	11 009	10 969	11 203	11 285	11 362	11 323
6 Self-employed	1 242	1 229	1 265	..	1 248	1 276	1 251	1 243	1 211	1 225
TOTAL EMPLOYMENT, THOUSAND PERSONS										
7 Agriculture, forestry and fishing	318	330	330	..	314	328	324	336	330	321
8 Industry, including energy	1 319	1 396	1 364	..	1 319	1 298	1 316	1 387	1 410	1 403
9 Manufacturing	961	1 001	963	..	963	946	956	998	1 025	1 012
10 Construction	1 137	1 177	1 171	..	1 131	1 146	1 164	1 197	1 178	1 176
11 Distrib. trade, repairs; transp.; accommod., food serv. activ.	3 296	3 332	3 386	..	3 299	3 274	3 387	3 366	3 306	3 250
12 Information and communication	429	456	446	..	445	434	425	438	466	488
13 Financial and insurance activities	433	444	448	..	441	416	422	437	448	451
14 Real estate activities	172	172	173	..	169	165	183	176	177	169
15 Prof., scientif., techn. activ.; admin., support service activ.	1 237	1 266	1 387	..	1 209	1 210	1 239	1 260	1 271	1 232
16 Public admin.; compulsory s.s.; education; human health	3 395	3 492	3 624	..	3 397	3 438	3 438	3 398	3 465	3 521
17 Other service activities	528	533	559	..	532	535	555	535	523	536
18 Total employment	12 265	12 598	12 887	..	12 257	12 245	12 454	12 528	12 573	12 548
TOTAL EMPLOYEES, THOUSAND PERSONS										
19 Agriculture, forestry and fishing	195	200	185	..	191	196	200	198	206	192
20 Industry, including energy	1 241	1 324	1 299	..	1 241	1 220	1 235	1 308	1 345	1 334
21 Manufacturing	888	934	902	..	890	874	882	924	964	948
22 Construction	875	931	928	..	862	882	914	946	930	932
23 Distrib. trade, repairs; transp.; accommod., food serv. activ.	3 058	3 097	3 134	..	3 058	3 033	3 151	3 140	3 068	3 017
24 Information and communication	397	423	418	..	412	402	391	402	432	455
25 Financial and insurance activities	416	430	432	..	425	400	403	416	433	439
26 Real estate activities	157	158	159	..	154	155	165	164	160	155
27 Prof., scientif., techn. activ.; admin., support service activ.	1 026	1 047	1 171	..	1 000	992	1 023	1 039	1 056	1 008
28 Public admin.; compulsory s.s.; education; human health	3 237	3 331	3 464	..	3 242	3 261	3 280	3 241	3 307	3 357
29 Other service activities	420	429	433	..	423	429	441	431	425	435
30 Total employees	11 023	11 369	11 622	..	11 009	10 969	11 203	11 285	11 362	11 323
TOTAL SELF-EMPLOYED, THOUSAND PERSONS										
31 Agriculture, forestry and fishing	123	130	145	..	123	133	124	137	124	129
32 Industry, including energy	78	72	65	..	78	79	82	79	65	69
33 Manufacturing	73	68	61	..	73	72	74	74	60	64
34 Construction	262	246	243	..	269	264	250	251	248	244
35 Distrib. trade, repairs; transp.; accommod., food serv. activ.	238	235	252	..	242	241	237	226	238	233
36 Information and communication	32	33	29	..	32	32	34	36	35	33
37 Financial and insurance activities	17	14	16	..	16	16	20	21	15	12
38 Real estate activities	14	14	14	..	16	11	18	12	17	14
39 Prof., scientif., techn. activ.; admin., support service activ.	211	219	216	..	209	218	215	221	215	224
40 Public admin.; compulsory s.s.; education; human health	158	161	160	..	155	177	158	156	159	165
41 Other service activities	108	104	126	..	109	106	114	104	98	101
42 Total self-employed	1 242	1 229	1 265	..	1 248	1 276	1 251	1 243	1 211	1 225
TOTAL EMPLOYMENT, MILLION HOURS WORKED										
43 Industry, including energy	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
44 Distrib. trade, repairs; transp.; accommod., food serv. activ.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
45 Financial and insurance activities	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
46 Prof., scientif., techn. activ.; admin., support service activ.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
47 Public admin.; compulsory s.s.; education; human health
48 Total employment
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SELF-EMPLOYED, MILLION HOURS WORKED										
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	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1
POPULATION AND EMPLOYMENT, THOUSAND PERSONS										
1 Total population	25 172	25 293	25 366	25 472	25 550	25 658	25 687	25 790 e	25 867 e	..
2 Economically active population	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
3 Unemployed persons	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
4 Total employment	12 742	12 802	12 919	12 849	12 979	13 037	12 215	..	..	..
5 Employees	11 506	11 555	11 658	11 569	11 707	11 800	11 034	..	..	..
6 Self-employed	1 236	1 247	1 261	1 281	1 272	1 237	1 181	..	..	..
TOTAL EMPLOYMENT, THOUSAND PERSONS										
7 Agriculture, forestry and fishing	333	346	334	319	319	337	361	..	..	..
8 Industry, including energy	1 384	1 336	1 388	1 333	1 398	1 365	1 328	..	..	..
9 Manufacturing	971	936	988	935	992	990	932	..	..	..
10 Construction	1 158	1 147	1 182	1 168	1 187	1 182	1 180	..	..	..
11 Distrib. trade, repairs; transp.; accommod., food serv. activ.	3 407	3 406	3 415	3 356	3 368	3 390	2 937	..	..	..
12 Information and communication	434	448	443	453	441	469	449	..	..	..
13 Financial and insurance activities	440	450	439	441	462	475	490	..	..	..
14 Real estate activities	166	167	168	173	183	178	186	..	..	..
15 Prof., scientif., techn. activ.; admin., support service activ.	1 303	1 365	1 399	1 414	1 369	1 381	1 263	..	..	..
16 Public admin.; compulsory s.s.; education; human health	3 582	3 562	3 580	3 654	3 699	3 723	3 612	..	..	..
17 Other service activities	536	575	571	538	553	537	409	..	..	..
18 Total employment	12 742	12 802	12 919	12 849	12 979	13 037	12 215	..	..	..
TOTAL EMPLOYEES, THOUSAND PERSONS										
19 Agriculture, forestry and fishing	203	191	186	181	182	203	214	..	..	..
20 Industry, including energy	1 309	1 273	1 327	1 268	1 326	1 297	1 265	..	..	..
21 Manufacturing	900	876	931	875	926	928	874	..	..	..
22 Construction	915	917	940	917	936	942	956	..	..	..
23 Distrib. trade, repairs; transp.; accommod., food serv. activ.	3 162	3 174	3 159	3 095	3 111	3 142	2 726	..	..	..
24 Information and communication	405	425	415	420	412	438	420	..	..	..
25 Financial and insurance activities	432	435	422	425	447	462	471	..	..	..
26 Real estate activities	153	152	155	162	168	162	167	..	..	..
27 Prof., scientif., techn. activ.; admin., support service activ.	1 086	1 149	1 195	1 191	1 148	1 165	1 055	..	..	..
28 Public admin.; compulsory s.s.; education; human health	3 418	3 396	3 422	3 492	3 543	3 561	3 453	..	..	..
29 Other service activities	422	443	436	419	433	428	307	..	..	..
30 Total employees	11 506	11 555	11 658	11 569	11 707	11 800	11 034	..	..	..
TOTAL SELF-EMPLOYED, THOUSAND PERSONS										
31 Agriculture, forestry and fishing	130	155	148	138	137	135	147	..	..	..
32 Industry, including energy	76	62	61	65	71	68	62	..	..	..
33 Manufacturing	72	59	57	60	66	62	58	..	..	..
34 Construction	243	230	241	251	250	240	224	..	..	..
35 Distrib. trade, repairs; transp.; accommod., food serv. activ.	245	232	256	261	257	249	211	..	..	..
36 Information and communication	28	23	29	33	30	31	29	..	..	..
37 Financial and insurance activities	8	15	17	17	15	13	19	..	..	..
38 Real estate activities	13	16	13	11	15	16	19	..	..	..
39 Prof., scientif., techn. activ.; admin., support service activ.	216	216	204	223	221	216	208	..	..	..
40 Public admin.; compulsory s.s.; education; human health	164	166	157	162	156	162	159	..	..	..
41 Other service activities	113	133	135	119	120	109	102	..	..	..
42 Total self-employed	1 236	1 247	1 261	1 281	1 272	1 237	1 181
TOTAL EMPLOYMENT, MILLION HOURS WORKED										
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