

**Table 6.24. Income tax plus employee contributions less cash benefits,
married couple at 100% and 67% of average wage**
Tax burden as a % of gross wage earnings, two-earner married couple without children

	2000	2010	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021
Australia	24.4	19.8	21.1	21.8	22.1	22.2	22.6	21.4	21.9	20.9
Austria	28.8	30.7	32.3	32.7	29.9	30.2	30.6	31.0	30.3	30.8
Belgium	42.0	40.2	39.8	39.4	37.8	37.7	36.8	36.2	36.1	36.6
Canada	25.0	23.4	23.6	23.6	23.2	23.1	23.1	23.1	23.1	23.6
Chile	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	-1.8
Colombia	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Costa Rica	9.0	9.2	9.2	9.3	9.3	9.8	10.3	10.3	10.5	10.5
Czech Republic	21.8	20.7	21.5	21.8	22.2	22.8	23.3	23.8	23.9	18.8
Denmark	39.8	35.0	34.6	34.9	34.9	34.8	34.2	34.4	34.1	34.3
Estonia	21.1	18.7	19.1	17.9	17.8	17.8	12.7	13.7	14.0	14.9
Finland	31.5	26.7	27.8	28.1	27.9	27.3	27.4	27.3	27.3	27.7
France	27.5	27.1	27.7	28.0	28.0	28.0	27.4	26.9	25.5	25.6
Germany	40.3	37.0	37.3	37.4	37.5	37.5	37.4	37.0	36.4	35.6
Greece	21.5	22.2	24.2	22.8	24.1	24.2	24.5	24.6	22.8	21.3
Hungary	33.5	30.0	34.5	34.5	33.5	33.5	33.5	33.5	33.5	33.5
Iceland	23.3	25.4	27.1	27.6	27.5	26.9	27.0	26.9	26.8	26.3
Ireland	23.0	18.8	22.0	21.1	20.7	20.7	21.1	21.4	22.0	22.3
Israel	22.8	13.7	13.8	14.3	14.7	14.6	15.2	15.3	15.6	16.8
Italy	27.2	28.6	27.9	27.4	27.4	27.4	27.5	27.8	27.0	26.8
Japan	19.2	20.0	21.2	21.4	21.5	21.6	21.7	21.7	21.6	21.6
Korea	8.3	11.0	11.7	11.9	12.2	12.5	12.9	13.4	13.7	13.9
Latvia	27.1	30.1	29.1	28.5	28.3	28.5	27.3	27.2	26.5	25.2
Lithuania	27.3	21.2	21.5	21.9	21.8	20.9	20.3	35.4	34.5	35.2
Luxembourg	22.9	21.4	24.3	25.2	25.4	23.2	23.7	24.1	25.5	26.4
Mexico	-0.3	4.0	7.3	7.6	7.9	8.5	8.0	8.8	10.2	8.3
Netherlands	33.3	29.8	29.2	28.0	27.1	27.2	27.4	26.1	25.0	24.0
New Zealand	19.0	15.9	15.8	16.0	16.3	16.5	16.7	17.0	17.2	17.3
Norway	29.1	27.8	27.3	27.1	26.5	26.1	26.0	25.9	26.1	26.3
Poland	27.3	24.1	24.5	24.6	24.7	24.8	24.9	24.7	23.8	23.9
Portugal	20.2	19.7	24.0	25.5	25.1	25.1	24.4	25.1	25.3	25.8
Slovak Republic	19.4	20.3	21.8	22.0	22.2	22.5	22.9	23.0	22.4	22.6
Slovenia	34.3	31.5	31.4	31.5	31.6	32.4	32.5	32.9	32.6	33.1
Spain	17.9	20.1	21.2	19.4	19.4	19.3	19.5	19.5	18.5	19.3
Sweden	32.9	23.7	23.4	23.5	23.8	23.9	24.0	23.4	23.5	23.1
Switzerland	17.8	17.1	16.7	16.7	17.0	17.0	17.1	17.2	17.3	17.6
Turkey ¹	28.1	25.4	26.2	26.3	26.2	26.8	27.1	27.4	27.4	27.7
United Kingdom	24.6	24.3	21.9	21.7	21.8	21.8	21.8	21.7	21.6	22.0
United States	24.4	23.1	24.1	24.2	24.2	24.3	22.3	22.4	18.9	20.0
<i>Unweighted average</i>										
OECD-Average	23.7	22.2	23.0	23.0	22.9	22.9	22.7	23.1	22.9	22.6
OECD-EU 22	28.2	26.2	27.2	27.1	26.9	26.8	26.5	27.2	26.8	26.7

1. Wage figures are based on the old definition of average worker (ISIC D, rev3.) for years 2000 to 2006.