

ESTONIA

Table 1. Labour force

Annual average estimates

	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021
Labour force, thousands										
All persons	683	680	674	683	691	699	702	703	705	697
Males	347	346	347	350	356	360	362	361	363	356
Females	336	334	327	333	336	339	340	342	341	341
Unemployed, thousands										
All persons	69	59	50	42	47	40	38	31	48	43
Males	38	31	27	22	26	22	20	15	25	24
Females	31	27	22	20	20	18	18	17	23	19
Employment, thousands										
All persons	615	621	625	641	645	659	665	671	657	654
Males	309	315	320	328	329	338	342	346	338	332
Females	306	307	305	313	315	321	322	325	319	323
Employment (%)										
Males	50.3	50.7	51.2	51.2	51.1	51.3	51.5	51.5	51.5	50.7
Females	49.7	49.3	48.8	48.8	48.9	48.7	48.5	48.5	48.5	49.3
Unemployment rate (% of labour force)										
All persons	10.0	8.6	7.4	6.2	6.8	5.8	5.4	4.4	6.8	6.2
Males	10.9	9.1	7.9	6.2	7.4	6.2	5.4	4.1	7.0	6.8
Females	9.1	8.2	6.8	6.1	6.1	5.3	5.3	4.8	6.6	5.6
EMPLOYMENT - PROFESSIONAL STATUS, thousands										
All activities	615	621	625	641	645	659	665	671	657 	654
Employees	560	565	568	581	584	591	594	598	586	580
Employers and persons working on own account	53	55	56	58	59	64	68	71	68	70
Unpaid family workers
Employees as % of employment	91.1	90.9	90.9	90.6	90.5	89.8	89.3	89.1	89.3 	88.6
Part-time employment (%)										
Part-time as % of employment	8.2	8.0	7.6	8.6	8.7	8.1	9.2	9.6	9.6	10.3
Male share of part time employment	28.3	30.7	33.9	30.2	32.8	31.7	32.3	31.8	34.1	31.7
Female share of part time employment	71.7	69.3	66.1	69.8	67.2	68.3	67.7	68.2	65.9	68.3
Male part-time as % of male employment	4.6	4.9	5.0	5.1	5.6	5.0	5.8	5.9	6.3	6.5
Female part-time as % of female employment	11.9	11.3	10.3	12.2	11.9	11.4	12.8	13.5	13.0	14.2
Duration of unemployment (% of total unemployment)										
Less than one month	9.0	7.4	10.0	10.5	14.5	16.5	17.8	20.1	13.7	10.2
More than 1 month and less than 3 months	11.0	16.7	15.5	18.0	21.2	22.2	24.5	25.2	23.9	23.7
More than 3 months and less than 6 months	12.3	17.1	14.1	18.3	18.6	13.7	18.3	20.3	23.8	20.2
More than 6 months and less than 1 year	13.0	14.3	15.0	15.0	14.1	14.1	14.5	14.4	21.4	20.7
More than 1 year	54.7	44.5	45.3	38.3	31.6	33.5	24.9	20.0	17.2	25.3

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