

FRANCE

Table 1. Labour force

Annual average estimates

	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016
Labour force, thousands										
All persons	27 708	27 897	28 132	28 236	28 248	28 482	28 625	29 429	29 477	29 556
Males	14 607	14 679	14 766	14 808	14 793	14 916	14 934	15 298	15 312	15 332
Females	13 101	13 218	13 366	13 428	13 455	13 566	13 691	14 131	14 166	14 224
Unemployed, thousands										
All persons	2 122	1 970	2 458	2 505	2 489	2 677	2 840	3 033	3 054	2 972
Males	1 062	987	1 281	1 287	1 262	1 408	1 500	1 614	1 654	1 571
Females	1 059	984	1 176	1 217	1 227	1 270	1 340	1 418	1 400	1 402
Employment, thousands										
All persons	25 587	25 926	25 674	25 731	25 759	25 804	25 785	26 396	26 424	26 584
Males	13 545	13 692	13 485	13 520	13 531	13 508	13 434	13 684	13 658	13 761
Females	12 042	12 234	12 189	12 210	12 228	12 297	12 351	12 713	12 766	12 823
Employment (%)										
Males	52.9	52.8	52.5	52.5	52.5	52.3	52.1	51.8	51.7	51.8
Females	47.1	47.2	47.5	47.5	47.5	47.7	47.9	48.2	48.3	48.2
Unemployment rate (% of labour force)										
All persons	7.7	7.1	8.7	8.9	8.8	9.4	9.9	10.3	10.4	10.1
Males	7.3	6.7	8.7	8.7	8.5	9.4	10.0	10.6	10.8	10.2
Females	8.1	7.4	8.8	9.1	9.1	9.4	9.8	10.0	9.9	9.9
EMPLOYMENT - PROFESSIONAL STATUS, thousands										
All activities	25 587	25 926	25 674	25 731	25 759	25 804	25 785	26 396	26 424	26 584
Employees	22 774	23 186	22 861	22 770	22 759	22 846	22 873	23 329	23 353	23 435
Employers and persons working on own account	2 640	2 579	2 652	2 815	2 862	2 832	2 794	2 946	2 961	3 034
Unpaid family workers	170	159	159	142	133	121	113	115	101	106
Employees as % of employment	89.0	89.4	89.0	88.5	88.4	88.5	88.7	88.4	88.4	88.2
Part-time employment (%)										
Part-time as % of employment	13.3	13.0	13.5	13.7	13.7	13.9	14.0	14.3	14.4	14.2
Male share of part time employment	19.5	20.1	20.1	21.9	22.6	22.5	23.0	24.4	24.8	25.3
Female share of part time employment	80.5	79.9	79.9	78.1	77.4	77.5	77.0	75.6	75.2	74.7
Male part-time as % of male employment	4.9	4.9	5.1	5.7	5.9	6.0	6.2	6.7	6.9	7.0
Female part-time as % of female employment	22.8	22.1	22.7	22.5	22.3	22.6	22.5	22.5	22.3	22.0
Duration of unemployment (% of total unemployment)										
Less than one month	4.7	5.3	4.7	4.1	4.2	4.4	4.6	4.6	4.4	4.7
More than 1 month and less than 3 months	20.2	21.5	19.9	18.6	18.8	19.1	17.9	16.7	16.3	16.4
More than 3 months and less than 6 months	17.0	18.1	19.4	17.3	16.9	16.9	17.7	16.9	16.8	16.4
More than 6 months and less than 1 year	18.2	17.8	20.9	20.0	19.0	19.3	19.3	19.1	19.7	18.0
More than 1 year	39.9	37.4	35.1	40.1	41.2	40.3	40.5	42.7	42.8	44.4

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