

GERMANY

Table 1. Labour force

Annual average estimates

	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020
Labour force, thousands										
All persons	41 185	41 350	41 712	41 959	42 158	43 039	43 283	43 381	43 771	43 517 e
Males	22 136	22 254	22 373	22 489	22 576	23 091	23 245	23 276	23 441	23 066 e
Females	19 048	19 096	19 338	19 470	19 582	19 948	20 037	20 104	20 331	20 451 e
Unemployed, thousands										
All persons	2 399	2 224	2 182	2 090	1 950	1 774	1 621	1 468	1 373	1 658 e
Males	1 336	1 236	1 231	1 188	1 123	1 028	957	883	819	971 e
Females	1 063	989	951	902	827	746	664	585	554	686 e
Employment, thousands										
All persons	38 786	39 126	39 530	39 870	40 209	41 265	41 661	41 913	42 399	41 859 e
Males	20 801	21 019	21 142	21 301	21 453	22 064	22 288	22 394	22 622	22 095 e
Females	17 985	18 107	18 388	18 569	18 756	19 201	19 373	19 519	19 776	19 765 e
Employment (%)										
Males	53.6	53.7	53.5	53.4	53.4	53.5	53.5	53.4	53.4	52.8 e
Females	46.4	46.3	46.5	46.6	46.6	46.5	46.5	46.6	46.6	47.2 e
Unemployment rate (% of labour force)										
All persons	5.8	5.4	5.2	5.0	4.6	4.1	3.7	3.4	3.1	3.8 e
Males	6.0	5.6	5.5	5.3	5.0	4.5	4.1	3.8	3.5	4.2 e
Females	5.6	5.2	4.9	4.6	4.2	3.7	3.3	2.9	2.7	3.4 e
EMPLOYMENT - PROFESSIONAL STATUS, thousands										
All activities	38 786	39 126	39 530	39 870	40 209	41 265	41 661	41 913	42 399 	41 859 e
Employees	34 227	34 556	35 053	35 442	35 819	36 892	37 335	37 684	38 232	..
Employers and persons working on own account	4 294	4 317	4 237	4 191	4 163	4 144	4 098	4 010	3 958	..
Unpaid family workers	230	211	189	176	160	157	151	139	119	..
Employees as % of employment	88.2	88.3	88.7	88.9	89.1	89.4	89.6	89.9	90.2 	..
Part-time employment (%)										
Part-time as % of employment	22.3	22.2	22.6	22.3	22.4	22.1	22.2	22.0	22.0	..
Male share of part time employment	20.3	20.8	21.4	21.9	22.1	22.0	22.6	22.6	23.0	..
Female share of part time employment	79.7	79.2	78.6	78.1	77.9	78.0	77.4	77.4	77.0	..
Male part-time as % of male employment	8.4	8.6	9.0	9.1	9.3	9.1	9.4	9.3	9.5	..
Female part-time as % of female employment	38.3	38.0	38.1	37.5	37.4	36.9	36.8	36.6	36.3	..
Duration of unemployment (% of total unemployment)										
Less than one month	9.2	9.9	9.4	9.9	10.4	11.9	11.7	11.9	12.4	..
More than 1 month and less than 3 months	15.1	15.9	16.0	16.3	15.8	17.6	16.8	17.5	18.4	..
More than 3 months and less than 6 months	13.1	14.2	14.4	14.2	14.4	14.7	14.2	14.7	16.2	..
More than 6 months and less than 1 year	14.7	14.5	15.6	15.3	15.4	14.7	15.5	14.6	14.8	..
More than 1 year	47.9	45.4	44.7	44.3	44.0	41.1	41.9	41.4	38.2	..

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