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Table 1. Labour force

Annual average estimates

	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020
Labour force, thousands										
All persons	179	179	183	187	191	196	199	204	208	206
Males	94	93	96	98	100	104	107	110	112	111
Females	85	85	87	89	91	92	93	94	96	95
Unemployed, thousands										
All persons	13	11	10	9	8	6	5	6	7	11
Males	7	6	5	5	4	3	3	3	4	6
Females	5	5	4	4	4	3	3	2	3	5
Employment, thousands										
All persons	166	168	173	178	184	190	194	198	201	195
Males	86	87	90	93	96	101	104	107	108	105
Females	80	80	83	85	88	89	90	92	93	90
Employment (%)										
Males	52.0	52.1	52.2	52.2	52.3	53.1	53.5	53.9	53.8	54.0
Females	48.0	47.9	47.8	47.8	47.7	46.9	46.5	46.2	46.2	46.0
Unemployment rate (% of labour force)										
All persons	7.0	6.0	5.4	4.9	4.0	3.0	2.7	2.7	3.5	5.5
Males	7.8	6.3	5.6	5.0	3.9	2.9	2.8	2.8	3.8	5.7
Females	6.2	5.6	5.1	4.8	4.0	3.1	2.7	2.5	3.1	5.3
EMPLOYMENT - PROFESSIONAL STATUS, thousands										
All activities	166	168	173	178	184	190	194	198	201	195
Employees	144	145	150	155	161	168	171	175	178	172
Employers and persons working on own account	21	20	21	22	23	23	23	24	23	23
Unpaid family workers	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Employees as % of employment	87.0	86.1	86.9	87.4	87.7	88.0	88.2	88.0	88.4	88.4
Part-time employment (%)										
Part-time as % of employment	16.8	17.2	17.4	16.7	17.2	17.7	17.6	16.8	15.6	16.9
Male share of part time employment	31.9	34.0	32.6	33.8	34.4	34.8	34.7	34.7	33.5	34.5
Female share of part time employment	68.1	66.0	67.4	66.2	65.6	65.2	65.3	65.3	66.5	65.5
Male part-time as % of male employment	10.3	11.2	10.8	10.8	11.3	11.6	11.4	10.8	9.7	10.8
Female part-time as % of female employment	23.9	23.7	24.5	23.2	23.7	24.6	24.8	23.8	22.5	24.1
Duration of unemployment (% of total unemployment)										
Less than one month	18.3	20.1	20.8	28.2	31.4	36.6	45.2	35.8	31.2	22.0
More than 1 month and less than 3 months	21.0	20.4	27.2	24.1	24.7	31.1	25.1	27.9	31.3	30.5
More than 3 months and less than 6 months	19.0	18.5	17.9	16.5	15.8	15.3	10.8	12.8	18.4	17.9
More than 6 months and less than 1 year	13.7	12.8	12.3	16.6	12.0	8.1	8.7	9.8	11.5	19.1
More than 1 year	28.1	28.2	21.9	14.6	16.1	8.9	10.3	13.6	7.5	10.4

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