

Table 8. Total researchers in full-time equivalent per thousand total employment

Per thousand

| | 2000 | 2007 | 2008 | 2009 | 2010 | 2011 | 2012 |
|-----------------------|------------------------|------------------------|------------------------|------------------------|------------------------|------------------------|---------------------|
| Australia | 7.3 | .. | 8.5 | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Austria | .. | 7.9 | 8.5 ^c | 8.6 | 8.9 ^c | 9.0 | 9.2 ^{c,p} |
| Belgium | 7.4 | 8.3 | 8.2 | 8.6 | 9.1 | 9.4 | 9.7 ^{b,p} |
| Canada | 7.2 | 8.9 | 9.1 | 8.8 | 9.0 | 8.9 ^p | .. |
| Chile | .. | 0.9 | 0.9 | 0.7 ^m | 0.8 ^m | .. | .. |
| Czech Republic | 2.9 | 5.5 | 5.7 | 5.6 | 5.8 | 6.1 | 6.5 ^{b,p} |
| Denmark | .. | 10.4 ^a | 12.1 ^c | 12.9 | 13.5 | 13.7 | 13.6 ^{c,p} |
| Estonia | 4.7 | 5.7 | 6.2 | 7.5 | 7.4 | 7.7 | 7.6 ^{b,p} |
| Finland | 15.2 ^u | 15.7 | 16.0 | 16.4 | 16.7 | 15.9 ^a | 16.1 |
| France | 6.7 ^a | 8.2 | 8.4 ^d | 8.8 ^d | 9.1 ^a | 9.2 | .. |
| Germany | 6.5 ^c | 7.3 | 7.5 | 7.9 | 8.1 ^c | 8.2 | 8.2 ^{c,p} |
| Greece | .. | 4.4 ^c | .. | .. | .. | 5.5 ^a | 5.9 ^b |
| Hungary | 3.4 ^d | 4.1 | 4.5 | 5.0 | 5.2 | 5.6 | 5.8 |
| Iceland | .. | 12.5 | 12.9 | 17.0 ^l | .. | 12.7 ^a | .. |
| Ireland | 5.0 ^c | 6.0 | 6.9 | 7.4 ^c | 7.7 ^c | 8.4 ^c | 8.9 ^b |
| Israel ¹ | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 15.0 ^d | .. |
| Italy | 2.9 | 3.7 | 3.8 | 4.1 | 4.2 | 4.3 | 4.5 ^p |
| Japan | 9.7 | 10.4 | 10.0 ^a | 10.1 | 10.2 | 10.2 | .. |
| Korea | 5.1 ^g | 9.5 ^a | 10.0 | 10.4 | 11.1 | 11.9 | .. |
| Luxembourg | 6.2 | 6.6 ^c | 6.5 | 6.8 | 7.3 | .. | .. |
| Mexico | .. | 0.9 | 0.9 | 1.0 | 1.0 ^b | 1.0 ^b | .. |
| Netherlands | 5.2 | 5.9 | 5.8 | 5.4 | 6.2 | 6.7 ^a | 6.7 ^{b,p} |
| New Zealand | .. | 6.7 | .. | 7.4 | .. | 7.4 | .. |
| Norway | .. | 9.6 | 9.8 | 10.1 | 10.2 | 10.4 | 10.4 |
| Poland | 3.8 | 4.1 | 3.9 | 3.9 | 4.1 | 4.0 | 4.2 ^b |
| Portugal | 3.3 ^c | 5.5 | 7.9 ^a | 8.8 | 9.4 | 10.4 ^b | 11.0 ^{b,p} |
| Slovak Republic | 4.9 | 5.7 | 5.6 | 6.0 | 7.0 | 6.9 | 6.9 ^b |
| Slovenia | 4.7 | 6.4 | 7.0 ^a | 7.6 | 8.0 | 9.3 ^a | 9.7 ^p |
| Spain | 4.7 | 5.9 | 6.3 ^a | 6.9 | 7.1 | 7.0 | 7.2 ^{b,p} |
| Sweden | .. | 10.1 ^{a,m,v} | 11.0 ^c | 10.6 ^m | 11.0 ^{c,m} | 10.6 ^{a,m} | 10.7 ^{b,m} |
| Switzerland | 6.3 | .. | 5.5 | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Turkey | 1.2 | 2.4 | 2.5 | 2.7 | 2.8 | 3.0 | .. |
| United Kingdom | 5.7 ^b | 7.9 ^c | 7.9 ^c | 8.1 ^c | 8.2 ^c | 8.0 | 8.0 ^{b,p} |
| United States | 7.1 ^b | 7.6 ^b | 8.1 ^b | 8.8 ^b | 8.5 ^b | 8.8 ^b | .. |
| EU28 (OECD estimates) | 5.2 ^b | 6.3 ^b | 6.6 ^b | 6.8 ^b | 7.1 ^b | 7.2 ^b | 7.3 ^b |
| OECD-Total | 6.0^b | 6.9^b | 7.1^b | 7.5^b | 7.5^b | 7.7^b | .. |
| Argentina | 2.0 | 2.3 | 2.5 | 2.6 | 2.8 | 2.9 | .. |
| China | 1.0 ^{a,t} | 1.9 ^t | 2.1 ^t | 1.5 ^a | 1.6 | 1.7 | 1.8 |
| Romania | 1.9 | 2.0 | 2.1 | 2.1 | 2.2 | 1.8 ^a | 1.9 ^b |
| Russian Federation | 7.8 | 6.6 | 6.4 | 6.4 | 6.3 | 6.3 | 6.2 ^b |
| Singapore | 7.7 | 10.0 | 9.4 | 10.2 | 10.3 | 10.4 | .. |
| South Africa | .. | 1.4 | 1.4 | 1.5 | 1.4 | .. | .. |
| Chinese Taipei | 5.8 ^{d,m} | 10.0 | 10.6 | 11.6 | 12.2 | 12.5 | 12.8 |

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1. Information on data for Israel: <http://dx.doi.org/10.1787/888932315602>

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