

Employed persons by occupational groups, sex and regions, 2010-2021

		2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021
Males and females	Total	162300	163000	165300	170900	173500	180300	187800	189700	193200	195000	189200	195900
	Legislators and managers	14100	14500	16600	18300	16500	16600	18400	18600	18800	20600	23400	25100
	Professionals	33000	33700	34900	34700	36400	39400	41600	40400	42300	43100	41800	44400
	Associate professionals	28400	25400	25200	25800	25100	26100	28100	28700	27800	26100	27300	30700
	Clerks	8400	7700	7300	6600	6800	6900	8600	10100	9200	9400	8000	7500
	Service and sales workers	33400	35900	35500	38500	39800	41800	41900	42700	46600	47100	42000	42000
	Agricultural and fishery workers	7500	8000	7400	6700	7000	6500	6200	5800	5700	6200	6400	5500
	Craft and related trades workers	19800	20200	19200	20100	20000	20700	20300	20800	21400	20600	19500	20800
	Plant and machine operators	7600	8000	7800	8300	8300	9100	9300	10400	10100	10300	9800	8800
	Elementary occupations	10100	9700	11300	11900	13600	13400	13400	12300	11300	11400	11000	11200
Males	Total	85000	85400	86200	89200	91300	95100	100100	101800	104600	105400	102500	106000
	Legislators and managers	9300	9000	10300	11600	10500	10500	12300	13000	11400	12300	14700	15800
	Professionals	13200	13800	13900	14100	14900	15700	17500	16700	18100	18100	17900	17800
	Associate professionals	12100	11200	11600	11800	11000	11700	13100	12800	12600	12900	13600	15100
	Clerks	1600	1600	1600	1200	1200	1100	1600	2000	2100	2000	1500	2100
	Service and sales workers	12800	12800	13100	14500	16100	16500	16700	17800	20100	19600	16400	17000
	Agricultural and fishery workers	6000	7000	6200	5100	5500	5500	5000	4700	4900	5200	5300	4500
	Craft and related trades workers	18000	17900	16600	17300	17600	18700	17800	18400	19200	18900	18100	19100
	Plant and machine operators	6800	6900	7000	7300	7400	8300	8600	9400	9200	9600	8800	7800
	Elementary occupations	5200	5200	6000	6400	7100	7100	7500	7000	7000	6800	6200	6900
Females	Total	77200	77700	79100	81700	82200	85200	87700	87900	88600	89600	86700	89900
	Legislators and managers	4800	5500	6400	6800	6000	6100	6100	5600	7400	8300	8700	9400
	Professionals	19800	19900	21000	20600	21500	23700	24100	23600	24200	25000	23900	26500
	Associate professionals	16200	14200	13600	14100	14100	14400	15100	15800	15200	13200	13700	15600
	Clerks	6800	6100	5800	5400	5600	5800	6900	8100	7100	7400	6500	5400
	Service and sales workers	20600	23100	22500	24000	23700	25200	25300	24900	26500	27500	25700	25000
	Agricultural and fishery workers	1500	1100	1200	1600	1500	1000	1200	1100	800	1100	1100	1000
	Craft and related trades workers	1900	2300	2600	2800	2300	2000	2500	2400	2200	1700	1400	1700
	Plant and machine operators	800	1100	800	1000	900	800	800	1000	1000	800	900	1000
	Elementary occupations	5000	4500	5300	5500	6500	6300	5800	5300	4300	4600	4800	4400

Time series from the Icelandic Labour Force Survey from 2003 were updated on March 10th 2021 using new weights and a new estimate for the population. Employed. Persons are classified as working if they worked one hour or more in the reference week or were absent from the work they usually carry out. Individuals on birth leave are considered absent from work if they went on leave from a paid job, even if they have no intentions of returning to the same job. Occupational groups. The respondent's occupation or last occupation is classified according to the international job classification ISCO88, as adapted to Icelandic conditions. Regions. The capital region consists of Reykjavik, Seltjarnarnes, Kópavogur, Hafnarfjörður, Garðabær, Mosfellsbær, Álftanes and Kjósahreppur other are considered to be other regions.

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