

The labour force among permanent residents aged 18-65 years by time, education and inventory variable, 2010-2020

		Labour force in average per month	Employment in average per month	Unemployment in average per month	Persons not in the labour force in average per month	Total population
2010	Total	26482	24426	2056	9502	35984
	Primary	15716	13952	1764	7715	23431
	Upper secondary education - General	870	855	15	385	1255
	Upper secondary education - Vocational; Total	5563	5338	225	962	6525
	Upper secondary education - Vocational; Arts and humanities	145	139	6	34	179
	Upper secondary education - Vocational; Business, administration and law	587	577	10	75	662
	Upper secondary education - Vocational; Engineering, manufacturing and construction	2197	2111	86	336	2533
	Upper secondary education - Vocational; Agriculture, forestry, fisheries and veterinary	206	188	18	68	274
	Upper secondary education - Vocational; Health and welfare	1334	1290	44	240	1574
	Upper secondary education - Vocational; Services	1023	963	60	204	1227
	Upper secondary education - Vocational; Other	70	69	1	6	76
	Post-secondary non-tertiary education	1087	1052	35	166	1253
	Bachelors, Masters, Doctoral or equivalent level	3246	3229	17	274	3520
	2011	Total	26820	24302	2518	9498
Primary		15715	13545	2170	7545	23260
Upper secondary education - General		951	925	26	465	1416
Upper secondary education - Vocational; Total		5639	5376	263	1023	6662
Upper secondary education - Vocational; Arts and humanities		148	139	9	40	188
Upper secondary education - Vocational; Business, administration and law		612	594	18	88	700
Upper secondary education - Vocational; Engineering, manufacturing and construction		2200	2101	99	360	2560
Upper secondary education - Vocational; Agriculture, forestry, fisheries and veterinary		208	184	24	90	298
Upper secondary education - Vocational; Health and welfare		1334	1282	52	239	1573
Upper secondary education - Vocational; Services		1067	1006	61	201	1268
Upper secondary education - Vocational; Other		69	69	0	6	75
Post-secondary non-tertiary education		1079	1042	37	166	1245
Bachelors, Masters, Doctoral or equivalent level		3437	3414	23	298	3735
2012		Total	26994	24339	2655	9438
	Primary	15558	13294	2264	7441	22999
	Upper secondary education - General	1019	986	33	506	1525
	Upper secondary education - Vocational; Total	5804	5517	287	1017	6821
	Upper secondary education - Vocational; Arts and humanities	161	150	11	39	200
	Upper secondary education - Vocational; Business, administration and law	639	620	19	90	729
	Upper secondary education - Vocational; Engineering, manufacturing and construction	2269	2169	100	315	2584
	Upper secondary education - Vocational; Agriculture, forestry, fisheries and veterinary	230	201	29	81	311
	Upper secondary education - Vocational; Health and welfare	1354	1290	64	261	1615
	Upper secondary education - Vocational; Services	1077	1013	64	225	1302
	Upper secondary education - Vocational; Other	74	73	1	6	80
	Post-secondary non-tertiary education	1086	1038	48	167	1253
	Bachelors, Masters, Doctoral or equivalent level	3528	3506	22	306	3834
	2013	Total	27021	24296	2725	9489
Primary		15312	13009	2303	7431	22743
Upper secondary education - General		1084	1052	32	548	1632
Upper secondary education - Vocational; Total		5951	5635	316	1048	6999
Upper secondary education - Vocational; Arts and humanities		152	138	14	42	194
Upper secondary education - Vocational; Business, administration and law		704	686	18	97	801
Upper secondary education - Vocational; Engineering, manufacturing and construction		2279	2161	118	317	2596
Upper secondary education - Vocational; Agriculture, forestry, fisheries and veterinary		221	195	26	90	311

	Upper secondary education - Vocational; Health and welfare	1436	1367	69	268	1704
	Upper secondary education - Vocational; Services	1077	1007	70	228	1305
	Upper secondary education - Vocational; Other	82	81	1	6	88
	Post-secondary non-tertiary education	1088	1039	49	175	1263
	Bachelors, Masters, Doctoral or equivalent level	3587	3561	26	286	3873
2014	Total	26764	24010	2754	9539	36303
	Primary	14858	12556	2302	7402	22260
	Upper secondary education - General	1141	1103	38	605	1746
	Upper secondary education - Vocational; Total	6034	5700	334	1078	7112
	Upper secondary education - Vocational; Arts and humanities	164	151	13	39	203
	Upper secondary education - Vocational; Business, administration and law	725	703	22	96	821
	Upper secondary education - Vocational; Engineering, manufacturing and construction	2278	2154	124	335	2613
	Upper secondary education - Vocational; Agriculture, forestry, fisheries and veterinary	231	203	28	82	313
	Upper secondary education - Vocational; Health and welfare	1465	1396	69	280	1745
	Upper secondary education - Vocational; Services	1087	1011	76	240	1327
	Upper secondary education - Vocational; Other	84	82	2	6	90
	Post-secondary non-tertiary education	1075	1022	53	176	1251
	Bachelors, Masters, Doctoral or equivalent level	3657	3630	27	277	3934
2015	Total	26844	24406	2438	9400	36244
	Primary	14680	12634	2046	7244	21924
	Upper secondary education - General	1195	1154	41	604	1799
	Upper secondary education - Vocational; Total	6146	5859	287	1061	7207
	Upper secondary education - Vocational; Arts and humanities	165	154	11	35	200
	Upper secondary education - Vocational; Business, administration and law	762	743	19	97	859
	Upper secondary education - Vocational; Engineering, manufacturing and construction	2278	2175	103	326	2604
	Upper secondary education - Vocational; Agriculture, forestry, fisheries and veterinary	239	217	22	83	322
	Upper secondary education - Vocational; Health and welfare	1476	1412	64	283	1759
	Upper secondary education - Vocational; Services	1143	1076	67	230	1373
	Upper secondary education - Vocational; Other	85	83	2	5	90
	Post-secondary non-tertiary education	1073	1033	40	182	1255
	Bachelors, Masters, Doctoral or equivalent level	3750	3726	24	309	4059
2016	Total	26893	24922	1971	9153	36046
	Primary	14409	12728	1681	6941	21350
	Upper secondary education - General	1281	1250	31	629	1910
	Upper secondary education - Vocational; Total	6282	6075	207	1083	7365
	Upper secondary education - Vocational; Arts and humanities	174	163	11	36	210
	Upper secondary education - Vocational; Business, administration and law	805	791	14	98	903
	Upper secondary education - Vocational; Engineering, manufacturing and construction	2274	2208	66	316	2590
	Upper secondary education - Vocational; Agriculture, forestry, fisheries and veterinary	249	233	16	84	333
	Upper secondary education - Vocational; Health and welfare	1486	1443	43	311	1797
	Upper secondary education - Vocational; Services	1211	1155	56	231	1442
	Upper secondary education - Vocational; Other	82	81	1	8	90
	Post-secondary non-tertiary education	1083	1051	32	190	1273
	Bachelors, Masters, Doctoral or equivalent level	3838	3818	20	310	4148
2017	Total	27271	25413	1858	9313	36584
	Primary	14251	12686	1565	7048	21299
	Upper secondary education - General	1378	1345	33	638	2016
	Upper secondary education - Vocational; Total	6478	6264	214	1114	7592
	Upper secondary education - Vocational; Arts and humanities	177	168	9	39	216
	Upper secondary education - Vocational; Business, administration and law	836	821	15	102	938
	Upper secondary education - Vocational; Engineering, manufacturing and construction	2314	2251	63	312	2626
	Upper secondary education - Vocational; Agriculture, forestry, fisheries and veterinary	260	238	22	81	341

	Upper secondary education - Vocational; Health and welfare	1541	1494	47	321	1862
	Upper secondary education - Vocational; Services	1257	1200	57	254	1511
	Upper secondary education - Vocational; Other	94	93	1	4	98
	Post-secondary non-tertiary education	1118	1092	26	189	1307
	Bachelors, Masters, Doctoral or equivalent level	4046	4026	20	324	4370
2018	Total	27231	25649	1582	9289	36520
	Primary	14031	12706	1325	6971	21002
	Upper secondary education - General	1406	1376	30	606	2012
	Upper secondary education - Vocational; Total	6535	6350	185	1169	7704
	Upper secondary education - Vocational; Arts and humanities	172	165	7	50	222
	Upper secondary education - Vocational; Business, administration and law	868	855	13	105	973
	Upper secondary education - Vocational; Engineering, manufacturing and construction	2287	2235	52	335	2622
	Upper secondary education - Vocational; Agriculture, forestry, fisheries and veterinary	256	240	16	87	343
	Upper secondary education - Vocational; Health and welfare	1560	1519	41	325	1885
	Upper secondary education - Vocational; Services	1294	1239	55	262	1556
	Upper secondary education - Vocational; Other	98	97	1	5	103
	Post-secondary non-tertiary education	1132	1108	24	188	1320
	Bachelors, Masters, Doctoral or equivalent level	4127	4109	18	355	4482
2019	Total	27142	25755	1387	9421	36563
	Primary	13734	12576	1158	7044	20778
	Upper secondary education - General	1448	1421	27	623	2071
	Upper secondary education - Vocational; Total	6579	6417	162	1204	7783
	Upper secondary education - Vocational; Arts and humanities	174	168	6	48	222
	Upper secondary education - Vocational; Business, administration and law	878	867	11	106	984
	Upper secondary education - Vocational; Engineering, manufacturing and construction	2297	2252	45	336	2633
	Upper secondary education - Vocational; Agriculture, forestry, fisheries and veterinary	255	236	19	89	344
	Upper secondary education - Vocational; Health and welfare	1567	1533	34	335	1902
	Upper secondary education - Vocational; Services	1308	1262	46	286	1594
	Upper secondary education - Vocational; Other	99	98	1	5	104
	Post-secondary non-tertiary education	1133	1111	22	199	1332
	Bachelors, Masters, Doctoral or equivalent level	4247	4229	18	352	4599
2020	Total	26978	25547	1431	9785	36763
	Primary	13352	12173	1179	7217	20569
	Upper secondary education - General	1437	1412	25	679	2116
	Upper secondary education - Vocational; Total	6604	6425	179	1257	7861
	Upper secondary education - Vocational; Arts and humanities	176	169	7	49	225
	Upper secondary education - Vocational; Business, administration and law	882	867	15	109	991
	Upper secondary education - Vocational; Engineering, manufacturing and construction	2273	2225	48	381	2654
	Upper secondary education - Vocational; Agriculture, forestry, fisheries and veterinary	252	231	21	92	344
	Upper secondary education - Vocational; Health and welfare	1574	1537	37	340	1914
	Upper secondary education - Vocational; Services	1346	1297	49	280	1626
	Upper secondary education - Vocational; Other	101	99	2	6	107
	Post-secondary non-tertiary education	1150	1123	27	224	1374
	Bachelors, Masters, Doctoral or equivalent level	4437	4414	23	406	4843

The age of retirement was increased from 64 years to 65 years per January 1st 2017. Hence, from 2017 the labour force includes persons of 18-65 years of age. For 2010-2016 the labour force includes persons of 18-64 years of age.

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