

Students - Activity rate, unemployment, labour force and working hours by year, 2003-2021

			Students	Activity rate	Employment rate	Unemployment rate	Labour force	Employment	Unemployment
2003	Total	Males and females	38600	67	62	7	25100	23400	1800
		Males	17500	67	61	8	11200	10300	900
		Females	21100	67	63	6	13900	13000	900
	16-24	Males and females	23900	62	56	10	14400	13000	1400
		Males	12100	61	55	10	7100	6400	700
		Females	11800	63	57	9	7300	6700	600
	25-74	Males and females	14700	74	72	4	10700	10300	400
		Males	5400	79	76	4	4100	3900	200
		Females	9300	72	69	4	6600	6400	200
2004	Total	Males and females	38400	64	60	7	24000	22400	1700
		Males	17700	63	56	10	10600	9600	1000
		Females	20700	66	63	5	13400	12800	600
	16-24	Males and females	23200	60	54	10	13700	12300	1400
		Males	11900	57	49	14	6600	5700	900
		Females	11300	64	59	7	7100	6600	500
	25-74	Males and females	15200	71	69	3	10300	10100	300
		Males	5800	74	71	3	4000	3900	100
		Females	9400	69	67	2	6300	6200	100
2005	Total	Males and females	39500	68	64	6	26200	24600	1600
		Males	17300	65	60	8	10700	9900	800
		Females	22200	71	68	5	15500	14700	700
	16-24	Males and females	23800	67	61	9	15400	14100	1300
		Males	11600	60	53	11	6700	6000	700
		Females	12200	73	68	7	8700	8100	600
	25-74	Males and females	15600	71	70	2	10700	10500	300
		Males	5700	75	73	2	4000	3900	100
		Females	9900	69	67	3	6700	6600	200
2006	Total	Males and females	42300	71	65	8	28800	26600	2200
		Males	18400	69	62	10	12000	10800	1200
		Females	23900	72	68	6	16900	15800	1100
	16-24	Males and females	24700	69	62	11	16200	14500	1700
		Males	12500	63	55	13	7400	6400	1000
		Females	12200	75	69	9	8900	8100	800
	25-74	Males and females	17500	73	70	4	12600	12100	500
		Males	5900	81	77	4	4600	4400	200
		Females	11700	70	67	4	8000	7700	300
2007	Total	Males and females	44400	72	68	6	30600	28900	1700
		Males	20200	73	68	7	13900	12900	1000
		Females	24200	71	68	4	16700	16000	700
	16-24	Males and females	26200	71	65	8	17800	16300	1500
		Males	13300	68	61	11	8500	7600	900
		Females	12800	74	69	6	9200	8700	600
	25-74	Males and females	18200	73	72	2	12800	12600	200
		Males	6900	82	80	2	5300	5300	100
		Females	11300	68	66	2	7500	7300	200
2008	Total	Males and females	49900	71	66	7	32200	29900	2300
		Males	23200	71	65	9	14700	13300	1300
		Females	26700	70	66	6	17500	16500	1000
	16-24	Males and females	28600	68	61	11	17700	15700	1900
		Males	15200	66	58	12	8700	7700	1100
		Females	13400	72	65	10	8900	8100	900
	25-74	Males and females	21400	73	71	3	14500	14100	400
		Males	8000	82	78	5	5900	5600	300
		Females	13400	68	67	1	8600	8500	100
2009	Total	Males and females	51400	65	57	13	31100	27100	4000
		Males	23000	64	55	15	13600	11500	2000
		Females	28400	66	59	11	17500	15600	1900
	16-24	Males and females	30200	64	53	17	17600	14700	2900
		Males	14900	59	47	21	8000	6300	1600
		Females	15300	69	60	13	9600	8400	1300
	25-74	Males and females	21200	68	62	8	13500	12400	1100
		Males	8100	74	69	7	5600	5200	400
		Females	13100	64	58	8	7900	7200	700
2010	Total	Males and females	46400	66	57	13	29100	25400	3700
		Males	21000	63	53	15	12500	10600	1900
		Females	25400	68	60	11	16600	14800	1900
	16-24	Males and females	27800	64	53	17	16900	14100	2800
		Males	13700	57	46	19	7400	5900	1400
		Females	14100	71	61	14	9500	8100	1400
	25-74	Males and females	18600	68	63	8	12200	11300	900
		Males	7200	75	69	9	5100	4700	400
		Females	11300	64	60	7	7100	6600	500

2011	Total	Males and females	48400	66	57	14	29600	25600	4000
		Males	22600	65	55	16	13600	11500	2100
		Females	25800	66	59	12	16000	14200	1900
	16-24	Males and females	29600	65	55	16	17600	14800	2900
		Males	14600	61	48	21	8100	6400	1700
		Females	15000	70	61	12	9500	8400	1100
	25-74	Males and females	18900	67	61	10	12000	10900	1100
		Males	8000	74	68	8	5500	5100	400
		Females	10900	62	55	11	6500	5800	700
2012	Total	Males and females	53200	68	61	11	32200	28700	3600
		Males	24500	67	58	13	14300	12500	1900
		Females	28700	70	63	10	17900	16200	1700
	16-24	Males and females	32000	68	59	14	19200	16500	2800
		Males	15900	64	54	16	8900	7500	1400
		Females	16100	73	63	13	10400	9000	1400
	25-74	Males and females	21100	68	64	6	13000	12200	800
		Males	8500	72	66	9	5500	5000	500
		Females	12600	65	62	5	7500	7200	400
2013	Total	Males and females	47800	71	64	10	30900	27900	3000
		Males	22600	68	61	12	13900	12200	1600
		Females	25200	73	67	8	17000	15600	1400
	16-24	Males and females	29300	71	63	12	18900	16800	2200
		Males	15000	65	56	15	8800	7500	1300
		Females	14300	77	70	9	10100	9200	900
	25-74	Males and females	18600	70	65	7	12000	11100	800
		Males	7600	75	70	6	5000	4700	300
		Females	11000	67	62	8	6900	6400	500
2014	Total	Males and females	47900	69	63	9	31200	28500	2700
		Males	22400	68	60	12	13800	12200	1600
		Females	25600	71	67	6	17400	16300	1100
	16-24	Males and females	28800	69	62	11	18600	16700	2000
		Males	14700	66	57	15	8900	7600	1300
		Females	14100	72	67	7	9700	9000	700
	25-74	Males and females	19100	70	66	6	12600	11900	700
		Males	7700	70	66	7	4900	4600	300
		Females	11400	70	66	5	7700	7300	400
2015	Total	Males and females	48400	75	68	9	34400	31300	3100
		Males	21400	74	66	11	14900	13300	1600
		Females	27000	75	70	8	19400	18000	1500
	16-24	Males and females	28300	73	65	11	19600	17400	2200
		Males	13500	70	59	15	9000	7600	1400
		Females	14800	76	70	8	10600	9800	800
	25-74	Males and females	20000	77	73	6	14800	13900	900
		Males	7900	81	77	5	5900	5700	300
		Females	12200	75	70	7	8800	8200	600
2016	Total	Males and females	43900	77	71	8	30900	28600	2300
		Males	19700	77	71	8	13700	12600	1100
		Females	24200	77	71	7	17200	16000	1300
	16-24	Males and females	27000	75	68	9	18200	16600	1600
		Males	13400	72	66	8	8600	7900	700
		Females	13600	77	70	9	9600	8700	900
	25-74	Males and females	16900	80	75	6	12700	11900	800
		Males	6300	87	80	7	5000	4700	400
		Females	10600	76	72	5	7600	7300	400
2017	Total	Males and females	44300	74	67	9	30300	27700	2600
		Males	20700	73	65	11	13700	12200	1500
		Females	23600	75	69	7	16600	15500	1200
	16-24	Males and females	26800	73	65	11	18200	16200	2000
		Males	13000	71	61	13	8600	7400	1100
		Females	13800	74	68	9	9600	8800	800
	25-74	Males and females	17500	75	71	6	12100	11500	700
		Males	7700	76	71	6	5100	4800	300
		Females	9800	75	71	5	7000	6600	400
2018	Total	Males and females	44400	73	68	6	30100	28200	1900
		Males	21300	71	66	8	13700	12600	1100
		Females	23200	74	70	5	16400	15600	800
	16-24	Males and females	25800	69	64	8	16800	15500	1300
		Males	13000	65	59	10	7700	7000	800
		Females	12800	73	69	6	9000	8500	500
	25-74	Males and females	18600	77	73	5	13300	12700	600
		Males	8200	80	76	6	6000	5600	300
		Females	10400	74	71	4	7300	7000	300

2019	Total	Males and females	46600	72	67	7	31700	29500	2300
		Males	21800	70	63	10	14200	12800	1400
		Females	24800	74	70	5	17600	16700	900
	16-24	Males and females	27800	68	62	9	17700	16100	1600
		Males	13500	61	54	12	7600	6700	900
		Females	14200	74	69	7	10100	9400	700
	25-74	Males and females	18800	78	75	5	14100	13400	700
		Males	8300	84	78	7	6600	6100	400
		Females	10500	74	72	3	7500	7200	200
2020	Total	Males and females	50800	71	64	10	33900	30500	3400
		Males	23600	68	61	11	14900	13300	1600
		Females	27100	74	67	10	19000	17200	1800
	16-24	Males and females	28900	65	57	13	17700	15500	2200
		Males	14600	60	52	14	8000	6800	1100
		Females	14300	71	63	11	9700	8600	1100
	25-74	Males and females	21800	79	73	7	16200	15000	1200
		Males	9000	81	76	7	7000	6500	500
		Females	12800	77	71	8	9200	8500	700
2021	Total	Males and females	51800	74	66	11	35600	31800	3800
		Males	23600	73	65	12	15700	13800	1900
		Females	28300	74	67	9	19900	18000	1900
	16-24	Males and females	29500	70	61	13	19100	16600	2500
		Males	14800	67	58	13	8800	7700	1200
		Females	14700	74	64	13	10200	8900	1300
	25-74	Males and females	22400	79	73	8	16500	15200	1300
		Males	8800	84	76	11	6800	6100	700
		Females	13600	75	71	6	9700	9100	600

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.

Activity rate is the ratio of the labour force to the total population.

Unemployment is the ratio of the unemployed to all persons in the labour force.

The Labour force is considered to consist of employed and unemployed persons.

Working hours are the total hours the respondent worked in the main and second job during the reference week.

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.

Student. A respondent is classified as a student if he or she was attending a school belonging to the general school system, was in apprenticeship or in-service training in the month before the survey occurred, or was working along with being a student.

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Units: Number/ Percent

Reference period: 2003-2021