

## Employed by Year, Area, Information and Level of education, 1987-2021

	Total	Upper secondary education or post-secondary non-tertiary education 3, 4	North Ostrobothnia Employed		Basic education
			Short-cycle tertiary education or bachelor's or equivalent level 5, 6	Master's or equivalent level or doctoral or equivalent level 7, 8	
1987	144525	60299	24982	6245	52999
1988	148251	63692	25412	6525	52622
1989	150931	66343	26122	7004	51462
1990	148370	64915	27681	7439	48335
1991	138616	60136	27311	7871	43298
1992	129043	55750	26703	8252	38338
1993	121235	52385	26058	8554	34238
1994	124675	54936	27563	9037	33139
1995	126389	56349	29025	9515	31500
1996	128605	57933	30337	10163	30172
1997	134292	61248	32001	10804	30239
1998	139045	63527	33011	11431	31076
1999	143432	66377	34438	12015	30602
2000	148942	69753	35859	12846	30484
2001	148504	69686	36635	13559	28624
2002	149732	70370	37426	14236	27700
2003	151723	72039	38039	14804	26841
2004	153314	73308	38674	15507	25825
2005	153016	74495	39193	16170	23158
2006	157092	77304	40132	16867	22789
2007	160658	79797	40974	17575	22312
2008	161165	79577	41796	18647	21145
2009	155633	76407	41205	18982	19039
2010	159634	79443	42001	19716	18474
2011	162404	81470	42666	20221	18047
2012	160542	80828	42341	20508	16865
2013	158481	79396	42152	21084	15849
2014	156594	78752	42099	21528	14215
2015	156526	78564	42267	21970	13725
2016	158222	79792	42691	22548	13191
2017	162441	82463	43427	23466	13085
2018	166784	85042	44629	24571	12542
2019	166270	84243	44598	25251	12178
2020	163920	81824	44427	26036	11633
2021	169998	84944	45298	27185	12571

The reference period of the statistics is the last week of the year (25 to 31 December).

The latest valid regional division is used in the statistics. The figures in the tables are final. Due to the employment pension reform, the lower age limit for employed persons rose in 2005 from 15 to 18 years in the employment statistics. The change is visible as a fall in employment by young people and a rise in the number of students.

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