

Employed persons by economic activity, sex and regions 1991-2008

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008
Total																		
Total	136,900	136,900	136,600	137,700	141,800	142,000	142,000	147,900	153,300	156,400	159,000	156,700	156,900	156,100	161,300	169,600	177,300	178,300
Agriculture total	13,900	14,300	12,600	12,500	13,500	13,500	12,200	12,700	13,700	13,000	12,400	11,400	10,700	10,000	10,600	11,100	10,500	7,100
Agriculture	7,700	7,600	5,900	6,000	6,500	6,400	5,900	6,500	6,500	6,900	6,400	6,000	5,700	5,400	5,500	6,400	6,000	4,100
Fishing	6,200	6,700	6,600	6,400	7,000	7,100	6,300	6,200	7,200	6,100	6,000	5,300	5,100	4,600	5,100	4,600	4,500	3,000
Industry total	35,500	33,800	34,300	35,600	35,100	34,500	36,200	37,300	35,400	35,900	36,000	36,100	34,200	35,000	34,900	36,000	36,700	37,100
Fish processing	8,000	7,600	9,200	9,600	9,000	8,400	7,900	7,400	6,100	6,700	6,800	6,400	5,500	5,400	4,700	3,800	2,900	3,100
Manuf. Exept fish processing	15,600	14,800	13,700	14,600	15,000	15,800	16,900	17,400	17,500	17,500	16,400	16,000	16,300	16,500	16,300	16,100	16,400	14,600
Electricity and water supply	1,600	1,400	1,400	1,500	1,400	1,100	1,200	1,500	1,200	1,300	1,500	1,500	1,600	1,600	1,500	1,500	1,700	1,500
Construction	10,200	9,900	10,000	10,000	9,700	9,200	10,100	10,900	10,600	10,500	11,400	12,200	10,800	11,500	12,400	14,700	15,800	17,900
Services total	87,400	88,700	89,700	89,600	93,200	94,000	93,600	97,900	104,200	107,400	110,700	109,200	112,000	111,200	115,800	122,500	130,000	134,100
Wholesale, retail trade, repairs	21,100	22,000	20,600	18,000	19,100	19,400	20,100	20,600	21,200	21,900	23,200	21,400	20,600	19,900	22,500	23,600	25,500	23,800
Hotels, restaurants	4,100	3,300	3,900	4,600	4,600	4,400	4,200	4,400	5,900	6,400	6,300	5,500	5,500	5,300	5,400	6,100	6,200	6,100
Transport, communication	8,700	8,500	9,100	8,800	9,200	10,100	9,800	10,800	11,600	10,600	10,100	9,700	9,800	10,800	11,700	12,000	11,200	11,200
Financial intermediation	4,900	5,100	5,100	4,500	4,800	4,600	4,200	4,700	5,700	6,600	6,500	6,100	6,200	6,900	6,600	7,300	8,700	8,500
Retail estate and business activities	8,200	7,200	7,300	8,200	8,600	8,800	8,900	9,500	11,100	13,000	13,500	13,300	14,300	14,500	15,000	15,300	17,200	19,000
Public administration	6,700	7,600	7,300	6,100	6,200	6,000	6,000	7,000	7,600	7,000	6,200	7,800	8,100	7,500	7,300	8,800	9,000	9,700
Education	7,800	8,800	8,700	8,500	9,200	9,600	9,000	9,600	9,100	9,800	11,700	12,700	12,200	12,100	11,900	12,700	13,500	12,700
Health services, social work	18,000	18,600	19,300	20,600	21,000	20,900	20,900	20,700	21,300	20,600	22,100	21,600	24,800	23,000	24,600	25,400	26,000	26,000
Other services and n.s.	8,000	7,600	8,400	10,200	10,600	10,400	10,300	10,600	10,700	11,400	10,900	11,200	10,500	11,200	10,800	11,300	12,700	17,200
Males																		
Total	74,500	74,300	73,300	73,500	75,600	76,100	76,400	79,100	82,200	83,600	85,000	83,000	82,400	82,500	85,700	92,000	96,600	96,900
Agriculture total	10,700	11,500	10,500	9,800	10,600	10,500	9,400	9,500	10,500	9,800	9,800	8,800	8,400	7,700	8,300	8,900	8,500	5,500
Agriculture	4,900	5,200	4,100	3,700	4,200	4,000	3,500	3,900	4,200	4,500	4,300	4,000	3,800	3,500	3,600	4,600	4,200	2,800
Fishing	5,800	6,300	6,400	6,000	6,400	6,500	5,900	5,600	6,300	5,300	5,500	4,800	4,700	4,200	4,700	4,300	4,300	2,800
Industry total	24,500	24,300	24,600	25,900	25,500	25,200	26,400	26,900	27,000	28,000	28,100	27,800	26,400	27,100	26,800	28,800	29,900	30,100
Fish processing	3,300	3,600	4,500	4,600	4,600	4,400	3,800	3,500	3,500	3,700	3,700	3,300	2,900	2,600	2,500	2,300	1,700	2,100
Manuf. Exept	10,000	10,100	9,500	10,500	10,500	11,000	12,100	11,900	12,400	13,100	12,400	12,000	11,900	12,100	11,600	11,500	11,700	10,200

fish processing																			
Electricity and water supply	1,500	1,100	1,000	1,100	1,100	900	900	1,200	1,000	1,000	1,100	1,000	1,300	1,400	1,200	1,100	1,300	1,200	
Construction	9,700	9,500	9,600	9,700	9,300	8,800	9,600	10,300	10,100	10,100	10,900	11,600	10,400	11,000	11,500	13,900	15,200	16,600	
Services total	39,300	38,400	38,200	37,800	39,500	40,500	40,600	42,700	44,700	45,800	47,100	46,400	47,500	47,700	50,500	54,400	58,100	61,300	
Wholesale, retail trade, repairs	12,100	12,600	11,200	9,500	10,700	11,200	11,100	11,200	11,300	11,500	12,600	11,200	11,400	11,400	13,100	13,600	14,400	14,100	
Hotels, restaurants	1,700	1,400	1,500	2,300	2,100	1,900	2,000	2,000	2,300	3,100	2,800	2,600	2,300	2,200	2,500	3,100	2,500	2,700	
Transport, communication	5,800	5,200	6,000	5,900	6,300	6,700	6,200	6,600	7,200	6,300	6,000	6,100	6,200	7,100	7,600	7,800	7,400	7,300	
Financial intermediation	1,300	1,500	1,400	1,400	1,700	1,900	1,700	1,800	2,500	2,600	2,100	2,100	1,900	2,100	2,100	2,700	3,600	3,500	
Retail estate and business activities	5,400	4,300	4,200	4,900	5,200	5,100	5,100	5,700	6,700	7,900	8,400	7,600	8,800	8,400	9,000	9,700	11,400	12,300	
Public administration	4,000	4,200	4,000	3,200	2,900	2,800	3,300	4,100	4,200	3,800	3,200	4,100	4,000	3,300	3,500	4,500	4,500	4,700	
Education	2,700	3,200	2,900	2,600	3,000	3,200	3,000	3,100	2,800	2,700	3,400	3,600	4,000	4,000	3,600	4,100	4,600	4,100	
Health services, social work	2,800	2,600	3,200	3,000	2,500	3,000	3,300	3,000	3,100	2,700	3,000	3,400	3,500	3,600	3,600	3,400	3,900	4,000	
Other services and n.s.	3,600	3,400	3,900	5,100	5,200	4,700	4,800	5,100	4,700	5,200	5,500	5,600	5,300	5,400	5,400	5,600	5,800	8,600	
Females																			
Total	62,400	62,600	63,300	64,200	66,200	65,900	65,600	68,900	71,200	72,800	74,000	73,800	74,600	73,600	75,600	77,500	80,700	81,400	
Agriculture total	3,200	2,800	2,100	2,700	2,900	3,000	2,800	3,300	3,200	3,200	2,600	2,600	2,300	2,200	2,300	2,200	2,000	1,600	
Agriculture	2,800	2,300	1,900	2,300	2,300	2,500	2,400	2,700	2,400	2,400	2,100	2,100	1,900	1,800	1,900	1,800	1,800	1,300	
Fishing	400	500	200	400	600	600	400	600	900	800	500	500	400	400	400	300	200	200	
Industry total	11,000	9,500	9,700	9,700	9,600	9,300	9,800	10,400	8,400	8,000	7,900	8,300	7,700	7,900	8,000	7,200	6,800	7,000	
Fish processing	4,700	4,000	4,700	5,000	4,400	4,000	4,100	3,900	2,700	3,000	3,100	3,200	2,600	2,800	2,200	1,500	1,100	1,100	
Manuf. Except fish processing	5,700	4,700	4,200	4,100	4,400	4,700	4,800	5,500	5,100	4,400	3,900	4,000	4,500	4,400	4,700	4,600	4,600	4,400	
Electricity and water supply	100	300	400	300	300	200	300	300	100	300	300	500	300	200	300	300	400	300	
Construction	500	400	400	300	400	400	600	600	500	400	500	600	400	600	800	800	600	1,300	
Services total	48,200	50,300	51,500	51,800	53,700	53,600	53,000	55,200	59,500	61,600	63,600	62,800	64,500	63,500	65,300	68,100	71,900	72,800	
Wholesale, retail trade, repairs	9,000	9,400	9,400	8,600	8,400	8,200	9,000	9,400	9,900	10,400	10,600	10,200	9,200	8,500	9,400	10,000	11,100	9,700	
Hotels, restaurants	2,400	1,900	2,400	2,300	2,500	2,400	2,200	2,500	3,600	3,400	3,400	2,800	3,200	3,100	2,900	3,000	3,700	3,400	
Transport, communication	2,900	3,300	3,000	3,000	2,900	3,400	3,600	4,100	4,400	4,300	4,100	3,600	3,500	3,700	4,100	4,100	3,800	3,900	
Financial	3,600	3,600	3,700	3,100	3,100	2,700	2,600	2,800	3,200	4,000	4,400	4,000	4,300	4,800	4,600	4,700	5,100	5,000	

intermediation																			
Retail estate and business activities	2,800	2,900	3,100	3,300	3,400	3,600	3,800	3,800	4,400	5,100	5,100	5,700	5,500	6,000	6,000	5,600	5,800	6,600	
Public administration	2,700	3,400	3,300	2,900	3,300	3,200	2,700	2,900	3,400	3,200	3,000	3,600	4,100	4,200	3,700	4,300	4,500	5,000	
Education	5,200	5,600	5,800	5,900	6,200	6,300	6,000	6,500	6,300	7,100	8,300	9,000	8,200	8,100	8,300	8,600	8,900	8,600	
Health services, social work	15,200	16,000	16,100	17,600	18,500	17,900	17,600	17,700	18,300	17,900	19,100	18,200	21,300	19,300	21,000	22,000	22,100	22,000	
Other services and n.s.	4,500	4,200	4,500	5,100	5,400	5,700	5,600	5,600	6,000	6,300	5,400	5,600	5,200	5,800	5,400	5,800	6,800	8,600	

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. Economic activity. The economic activity of the firms for which people work or were last working for is classified in accordance with the Icelandic classification of economic activity, ÍSAT95, which is built on the EU classification of economic activity, NACE. Regions. The capital region consists of Reykjavík, Seltjarnarnes, Kópavogur, Hafnarfjörður, Garðabær, Mosfellsbær, Álftanes and Kjósahreppur other are considered to be other regions.

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