

Physical activity level, 16-79 years (C)

Year		2015
Geography	Measure	
Nordland	per cent, standardised	57
	ratios (Norway = 100), standardised	105
Troms	per cent, standardised	54
	ratios (Norway = 100), standardised	100
Finnmark	per cent, standardised	51
	ratios (Norway = 100), standardised	94

CellMark Legend

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- . Not possible to calculate
- : Hidden value

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Description

Proportion of survey respondents who report that they are physically active more than 2.5 hours per week.

Source

Statistics Norway

Collection

Data is collected every 3-4 years from Statistics Norway's survey of level of living. A nationally representative sample of 10 000 individuals is drawn, with around 7 000 completing the survey via a personal or telephone interview. Survey participants are required to assess their own health, illness, disability, living habits and utility of health services. People living in institutions are not included. Each survey provides an indication of the population's health at a given point in time (cross-sectional survey). Repetition of the survey provides an indication of developments in health over time. Nationally representative data.

Data quality

The health survey is a stable and regular source of data about different aspects of the population's health. In recent years, the survey has had a participation rate of around 60%, which is good compared with other health surveys in Norway. The question concerning physical activity has been changed and is therefore not comparable over time.

Statistical analysis

The method used for age standardisation is indirect standardisation using a fixed population reference. The reference is the sum of men and women in 5-year age groups in Norway in 2015.

When numbers are missing

Statistics based on fewer than 3 cases is hidden to protect the identity of the patients. Figures are also hidden when the population group in which the cases originate, is smaller than 10 persons.

If more than 20 per cent of the cases in a time series are hidden due to the abovementioned reasons, the complete time series is hidden to avoid giving a skewed impression.

The complete time series is also hidden if more than 50 per cent of the values in the series are based on fewer than 6 cases. In this case, the figures are regarded as too uncertain.

Time periods

2015

Geographical level

Country, health regions and counties

Gender

Both genders

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Age groups

16-79 years

Frequency of updates

Every 3-4 years

Last updated

3/8/17

Keywords

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- Activity
- Exercise
- IPAQ
- Motion
- Physical
- Physical activity
- Physical work
- Training

Fact sheets

Below are links to relevant fact sheets, articles and reports. These may describe trends over time in the Norwegian population or differences by sex, age group, geographical region or socioeconomic status:

- [Physical activity in Norway - fact sheet](#)