

The labour force among permanent residents 18 to retirement age by time, gender, inventory variable and age, 2016-2022

| | | Total | 18-19 years | 20-24 years | 25-29 years | 30-34 years | 35-39 years | 40-44 years | 45-49 years | 50-54 years | 55-59 years | 60 years-retirement age | |
|-------|-------|--|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------------------|------|
| 2016 | Total | Labour force in average per month | 28192 | 811 | 2850 | 3280 | 3202 | 2756 | 2510 | 3592 | 4111 | 3136 | 1946 |
| | | Employment in average per month | 26401 | 672 | 2574 | 3035 | 3015 | 2607 | 2395 | 3379 | 3887 | 2982 | 1855 |
| | | Unemployment in average per month | 1791 | 139 | 276 | 245 | 186 | 149 | 115 | 213 | 224 | 154 | 91 |
| | | Persons not in the labour force in average per montl | 7684 | 777 | 1268 | 953 | 659 | 479 | 391 | 648 | 853 | 829 | 827 |
| | | Total population | 35876 | 1588 | 4118 | 4233 | 3861 | 3235 | 2901 | 4239 | 4964 | 3965 | 2773 |
| Men | | Labour force in average per month | 15266 | 416 | 1525 | 1717 | 1648 | 1471 | 1380 | 1921 | 2230 | 1806 | 1153 |
| | | Employment in average per month | 14266 | 346 | 1379 | 1597 | 1547 | 1391 | 1311 | 1800 | 2097 | 1705 | 1092 |
| | | Unemployment in average per month | 1001 | 70 | 146 | 119 | 101 | 80 | 69 | 122 | 133 | 101 | 61 |
| | | Persons not in the labour force in average per montl | 3820 | 376 | 592 | 426 | 335 | 250 | 208 | 333 | 451 | 432 | 417 |
| | | Total population | 19087 | 792 | 2117 | 2143 | 1983 | 1721 | 1589 | 2255 | 2681 | 2238 | 1570 |
| Women | | Labour force in average per month | 12925 | 395 | 1325 | 1563 | 1554 | 1285 | 1130 | 1670 | 1881 | 1330 | 792 |
| | | Employment in average per month | 12135 | 326 | 1195 | 1438 | 1468 | 1215 | 1084 | 1579 | 1790 | 1277 | 763 |
| | | Unemployment in average per month | 790 | 68 | 130 | 125 | 86 | 70 | 46 | 91 | 91 | 53 | 30 |
| | | Persons not in the labour force in average per montl | 3864 | 401 | 676 | 527 | 324 | 229 | 183 | 315 | 402 | 397 | 410 |
| | | Total population | 16789 | 796 | 2001 | 2090 | 1878 | 1514 | 1313 | 1985 | 2283 | 1727 | 1203 |
| 2017 | Total | Labour force in average per month | 28537 | 775 | 2834 | 3366 | 3219 | 2884 | 2485 | 3247 | 4142 | 3333 | 2252 |
| | | Employment in average per month | 26856 | 654 | 2577 | 3145 | 3038 | 2720 | 2381 | 3074 | 3942 | 3172 | 2153 |
| | | Unemployment in average per month | 1681 | 121 | 257 | 221 | 181 | 164 | 105 | 173 | 200 | 161 | 100 |
| | | Persons not in the labour force in average per montl | 7899 | 771 | 1250 | 973 | 659 | 517 | 377 | 559 | 851 | 879 | 1064 |
| | | Total population | 36437 | 1546 | 4084 | 4339 | 3878 | 3401 | 2862 | 3806 | 4993 | 4211 | 3316 |
| Men | | Labour force in average per month | 15395 | 403 | 1491 | 1768 | 1667 | 1507 | 1371 | 1744 | 2224 | 1887 | 1333 |
| | | Employment in average per month | 14435 | 341 | 1356 | 1652 | 1568 | 1415 | 1310 | 1646 | 2102 | 1781 | 1265 |
| | | Unemployment in average per month | 960 | 62 | 135 | 116 | 99 | 93 | 61 | 98 | 122 | 106 | 69 |
| | | Persons not in the labour force in average per montl | 3973 | 382 | 599 | 443 | 321 | 281 | 206 | 294 | 456 | 447 | 545 |
| | | Total population | 19368 | 785 | 2090 | 2211 | 1987 | 1788 | 1577 | 2038 | 2679 | 2334 | 1879 |
| Women | | Labour force in average per month | 13142 | 372 | 1343 | 1598 | 1552 | 1377 | 1115 | 1503 | 1918 | 1446 | 919 |
| | | Employment in average per month | 12421 | 313 | 1221 | 1493 | 1470 | 1306 | 1071 | 1428 | 1841 | 1391 | 888 |
| | | Unemployment in average per month | 721 | 59 | 122 | 105 | 83 | 71 | 44 | 75 | 78 | 55 | 31 |
| | | Persons not in the labour force in average per montl | 3926 | 389 | 651 | 530 | 338 | 237 | 171 | 265 | 395 | 432 | 518 |
| | | Total population | 17068 | 761 | 1994 | 2128 | 1891 | 1613 | 1286 | 1768 | 2314 | 1877 | 1437 |
| 2018 | Total | Labour force in average per month | 28621 | 751 | 2790 | 3446 | 3296 | 3004 | 2479 | 2877 | 4146 | 3355 | 2478 |
| | | Employment in average per month | 27181 | 659 | 2572 | 3263 | 3145 | 2866 | 2380 | 2754 | 3967 | 3211 | 2363 |
| | | Unemployment in average per month | 1441 | 91 | 218 | 182 | 151 | 138 | 99 | 124 | 180 | 144 | 114 |
| | | Persons not in the labour force in average per montl | 7788 | 693 | 1243 | 951 | 695 | 529 | 386 | 507 | 866 | 887 | 1033 |
| | | Total population | 36409 | 1443 | 4033 | 4396 | 3991 | 3532 | 2865 | 3384 | 5012 | 4242 | 3510 |
| Men | | Labour force in average per month | 15373 | 387 | 1468 | 1813 | 1700 | 1554 | 1347 | 1552 | 2240 | 1860 | 1450 |
| | | Employment in average per month | 14567 | 341 | 1364 | 1717 | 1620 | 1479 | 1290 | 1479 | 2141 | 1769 | 1367 |
| | | Unemployment in average per month | 806 | 46 | 104 | 97 | 80 | 76 | 57 | 74 | 99 | 91 | 83 |
| | | Persons not in the labour force in average per montl | 3946 | 340 | 612 | 426 | 344 | 290 | 217 | 275 | 459 | 458 | 526 |
| | | Total population | 19319 | 727 | 2080 | 2239 | 2043 | 1844 | 1564 | 1828 | 2699 | 2319 | 1976 |
| Women | | Labour force in average per month | 13249 | 364 | 1322 | 1632 | 1597 | 1449 | 1132 | 1325 | 1906 | 1495 | 1027 |
| | | Employment in average per month | 12614 | 318 | 1208 | 1547 | 1525 | 1387 | 1090 | 1275 | 1826 | 1442 | 996 |
| | | Unemployment in average per month | 635 | 45 | 114 | 86 | 71 | 62 | 42 | 50 | 81 | 53 | 31 |
| | | Persons not in the labour force in average per montl | 3841 | 353 | 631 | 524 | 351 | 239 | 169 | 231 | 407 | 429 | 507 |
| | | Total population | 17090 | 716 | 1953 | 2157 | 1948 | 1688 | 1301 | 1556 | 2314 | 1924 | 1534 |

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|------|-------|--|-------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|
| 2019 | Total | Labour force in average per month | 28654 | 729 | 2726 | 3478 | 3431 | 3048 | 2507 | 2624 | 3998 | 3498 | 2616 |
| | | Employment in average per month | 27411 | 673 | 2556 | 3315 | 3293 | 2926 | 2415 | 2519 | 3840 | 3367 | 2507 |
| | | Unemployment in average per month | 1243 | 56 | 170 | 163 | 138 | 122 | 92 | 105 | 158 | 131 | 109 |
| | | Persons not in the labour force in average per montl | 7781 | 671 | 1219 | 918 | 727 | 594 | 402 | 459 | 808 | 893 | 1091 |
| | | Total population | 36435 | 1400 | 3944 | 4396 | 4158 | 3643 | 2909 | 3083 | 4805 | 4391 | 3707 |
| | Men | Labour force in average per month | 15293 | 363 | 1417 | 1831 | 1753 | 1576 | 1353 | 1419 | 2164 | 1906 | 1512 |
| | | Employment in average per month | 14586 | 337 | 1327 | 1743 | 1685 | 1506 | 1298 | 1359 | 2067 | 1828 | 1436 |
| | | Unemployment in average per month | 707 | 26 | 90 | 87 | 69 | 69 | 55 | 61 | 97 | 78 | 76 |
| | | Persons not in the labour force in average per montl | 4003 | 331 | 593 | 427 | 359 | 324 | 229 | 257 | 437 | 468 | 578 |
| | | Total population | 19296 | 694 | 2010 | 2258 | 2113 | 1900 | 1582 | 1677 | 2601 | 2374 | 2089 |
| | Women | Labour force in average per month | 13361 | 367 | 1308 | 1647 | 1677 | 1473 | 1154 | 1205 | 1834 | 1592 | 1104 |
| | | Employment in average per month | 12825 | 336 | 1229 | 1572 | 1608 | 1420 | 1117 | 1161 | 1773 | 1539 | 1071 |
| | | Unemployment in average per month | 536 | 30 | 80 | 75 | 69 | 53 | 37 | 45 | 61 | 53 | 33 |
| | | Persons not in the labour force in average per montl | 3778 | 339 | 626 | 491 | 368 | 270 | 174 | 201 | 371 | 425 | 513 |
| | | Total population | 17139 | 706 | 1934 | 2139 | 2045 | 1743 | 1327 | 1406 | 2204 | 2017 | 1618 |
| 2020 | Total | Labour force in average per month | 28642 | 707 | 2599 | 3458 | 3611 | 3136 | 2632 | 2434 | 3706 | 3582 | 2778 |
| | | Employment in average per month | 27342 | 647 | 2440 | 3303 | 3454 | 3003 | 2528 | 2338 | 3541 | 3427 | 2661 |
| | | Unemployment in average per month | 1300 | 60 | 159 | 155 | 157 | 133 | 104 | 95 | 165 | 155 | 117 |
| | | Persons not in the labour force in average per montl | 7992 | 710 | 1235 | 955 | 765 | 607 | 422 | 437 | 773 | 941 | 1145 |
| | | Total population | 36634 | 1417 | 3834 | 4413 | 4376 | 3743 | 3054 | 2870 | 4479 | 4523 | 3924 |
| | Men | Labour force in average per month | 15244 | 360 | 1333 | 1801 | 1844 | 1631 | 1407 | 1326 | 2001 | 1919 | 1623 |
| | | Employment in average per month | 14501 | 330 | 1250 | 1716 | 1766 | 1560 | 1346 | 1272 | 1899 | 1824 | 1537 |
| | | Unemployment in average per month | 744 | 30 | 83 | 84 | 77 | 71 | 62 | 53 | 102 | 95 | 86 |
| | | Persons not in the labour force in average per montl | 4136 | 342 | 611 | 453 | 378 | 332 | 243 | 247 | 416 | 497 | 619 |
| | | Total population | 19380 | 702 | 1944 | 2253 | 2222 | 1963 | 1650 | 1573 | 2416 | 2416 | 2242 |
| | Women | Labour force in average per month | 13398 | 347 | 1266 | 1657 | 1767 | 1505 | 1224 | 1108 | 1705 | 1663 | 1156 |
| | | Employment in average per month | 12842 | 317 | 1190 | 1587 | 1687 | 1443 | 1182 | 1066 | 1642 | 1603 | 1125 |
| | | Unemployment in average per month | 557 | 30 | 76 | 70 | 80 | 62 | 42 | 42 | 63 | 60 | 31 |
| | | Persons not in the labour force in average per montl | 3855 | 369 | 625 | 503 | 387 | 276 | 179 | 189 | 358 | 444 | 526 |
| | | Total population | 17253 | 715 | 1891 | 2160 | 2154 | 1780 | 1403 | 1297 | 2063 | 2107 | 1682 |
| 2021 | Total | Labour force in average per month | 28960 | 715 | 2505 | 3407 | 3710 | 3214 | 2730 | 2425 | 3371 | 3691 | 3192 |
| | | Employment in average per month | 27901 | 666 | 2384 | 3298 | 3587 | 3112 | 2638 | 2354 | 3235 | 3548 | 3078 |
| | | Unemployment in average per month | 1059 | 49 | 121 | 109 | 123 | 102 | 92 | 71 | 136 | 143 | 114 |
| | | Persons not in the labour force in average per montl | 8193 | 730 | 1206 | 940 | 772 | 619 | 461 | 397 | 695 | 915 | 1458 |
| | | Total population | 37153 | 1444 | 3711 | 4347 | 4482 | 3833 | 3191 | 2822 | 4066 | 4606 | 4650 |
| | Men | Labour force in average per month | 15397 | 386 | 1282 | 1753 | 1897 | 1660 | 1453 | 1329 | 1807 | 1989 | 1841 |
| | | Employment in average per month | 14802 | 359 | 1221 | 1693 | 1836 | 1607 | 1401 | 1288 | 1730 | 1901 | 1766 |
| | | Unemployment in average per month | 595 | 27 | 62 | 60 | 61 | 52 | 51 | 41 | 77 | 88 | 75 |
| | | Persons not in the labour force in average per montl | 4262 | 346 | 598 | 461 | 381 | 339 | 266 | 229 | 367 | 495 | 780 |
| | | Total population | 19659 | 731 | 1880 | 2215 | 2278 | 1999 | 1718 | 1558 | 2174 | 2484 | 2622 |
| | Women | Labour force in average per month | 13563 | 329 | 1223 | 1654 | 1813 | 1554 | 1278 | 1096 | 1564 | 1702 | 1350 |
| | | Employment in average per month | 13099 | 308 | 1163 | 1605 | 1751 | 1505 | 1237 | 1066 | 1505 | 1647 | 1312 |
| | | Unemployment in average per month | 464 | 21 | 60 | 49 | 62 | 50 | 41 | 30 | 58 | 55 | 39 |
| | | Persons not in the labour force in average per montl | 3931 | 384 | 608 | 478 | 391 | 280 | 196 | 168 | 329 | 420 | 678 |
| | | Total population | 17494 | 713 | 1831 | 2132 | 2204 | 1834 | 1473 | 1264 | 1892 | 2122 | 2028 |

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| 2022 | Total | Labour force in average per month | 28808 | 704 | 2429 | 3293 | 3823 | 3237 | 2820 | 2396 | 2994 | 3722 | 3390 |
| | | Employment in average per month | 27877 | 669 | 2326 | 3190 | 3698 | 3147 | 2745 | 2339 | 2891 | 3602 | 3270 |
| | | Unemployment in average per month | 931 | 36 | 103 | 102 | 124 | 90 | 75 | 57 | 103 | 121 | 120 |
| | | Persons not in the labour force in average per montl | 8231 | 698 | 1194 | 966 | 788 | 628 | 524 | 415 | 640 | 903 | 1477 |
| | | Total population | 37038 | 1402 | 3623 | 4258 | 4611 | 3865 | 3344 | 2811 | 3634 | 4625 | 4867 |
| | Men | Labour force in average per month | 15255 | 388 | 1227 | 1689 | 1963 | 1674 | 1472 | 1321 | 1598 | 1997 | 1927 |
| | | Employment in average per month | 14730 | 369 | 1177 | 1632 | 1897 | 1628 | 1429 | 1286 | 1537 | 1924 | 1851 |
| | | Unemployment in average per month | 525 | 19 | 50 | 57 | 66 | 46 | 42 | 35 | 61 | 73 | 76 |
| | | Persons not in the labour force in average per montl | 4363 | 350 | 601 | 486 | 398 | 344 | 308 | 244 | 354 | 502 | 777 |
| | | Total population | 19619 | 737 | 1828 | 2175 | 2361 | 2018 | 1780 | 1565 | 1952 | 2498 | 2704 |
| | Women | Labour force in average per month | 13552 | 317 | 1202 | 1604 | 1859 | 1563 | 1348 | 1075 | 1396 | 1726 | 1463 |
| | | Employment in average per month | 13147 | 300 | 1150 | 1559 | 1801 | 1519 | 1316 | 1053 | 1354 | 1678 | 1419 |
| | | Unemployment in average per month | 405 | 17 | 53 | 45 | 58 | 44 | 33 | 23 | 42 | 48 | 44 |
| | | Persons not in the labour force in average per montl | 3868 | 348 | 593 | 480 | 390 | 284 | 215 | 171 | 286 | 401 | 700 |
| | | Total population | 17420 | 665 | 1795 | 2083 | 2249 | 1847 | 1564 | 1246 | 1681 | 2127 | 2163 |

The permanent resident population is defined as all citizens residing in the country at the beginning and end of the year, 18 years-retirement age. Age is calculated at the beginning of the month.

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