

Income by sex and age, 2000-2009

			2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009
Total annual income	Mean - total	Total	2167	2414	2565	2753	2957	3390	3841	4590	4529	4346
		Men	2718	2995	3145	3313	3562	4058	4594	5426	5307	4997
		Women	1639	1857	2009	2215	2375	2748	3115	3782	3771	3711
	Median - total	Total	1663	1854	1958	2065	2235	2449	2738	3058	3418	3365
		Men	2273	2482	2561	2659	2863	3134	3466	3821	4122	3928
		Women	1329	1499	1599	1711	1851	2011	2251	2533	2926	3002
	Number - total	Total	187011	190225	192371	196961	199477	200731	204372	208061	215314	221665
		Men	91476	92998	94168	96556	97783	98397	100399	102297	106238	109438
		Women	95535	97227	98203	100405	101694	102334	103973	105764	109076	112227
	Standard deviation - total	Total	2625	3949	4337	7286	5220	8975	11361	19299	8056	8981
		Men	2785	4162	4603	7202	5911	10362	11586	19915	9030	7262
		Women	2343	3648	3988	7326	4377	7343	11091	18649	6894	10348
Income from work	Mean - total	Total	1641	1820	1929	1994	2113	2325	2568	2853	2999	2789
		Men	2192	2405	2518	2574	2726	2991	3300	3661	3782	3422
		Women	1112	1261	1365	1436	1524	1684	1862	2071	2237	2173
	Median - total	Total	1281	1440	1514	1572	1677	1846	2062	2269	2388	2113
		Men	1937	2122	2204	2267	2410	2653	2934	3181	3281	2770
		Women	918	1055	1127	1183	1249	1370	1524	1696	1813	1704
	Number - total	Total	187011	190225	192371	196961	199477	200731	204372	208061	215314	221665
		Men	91476	92998	94168	96556	97783	98397	100399	102297	106238	109438
		Women	95535	97227	98203	100405	101694	102334	103973	105764	109076	112227
	Standard deviation - total	Total	1614	1788	1962	2061	2286	2707	2961	4133	3494	3182
		Men	1882	2090	2316	2433	2748	3319	3605	5322	4238	3802
		Women	1067	1201	1322	1416	1510	1716	1915	2230	2328	2264
Capital income	Mean - total	Total	218	253	257	337	393	599	775	1168	892	631
		Men	255	291	284	355	429	646	834	1228	929	651
		Women	182	217	231	320	358	553	717	1109	857	612
	Median - total	Total	3	2	1	1	1	3	7	11	76	53
		Men	4	2	1	1	2	3	8	11	73	49
		Women	3	1	1	1	1	3	7	11	79	56
	Number - total	Total	187011	190225	192371	196961	199477	200731	204372	208061	215314	221665
		Men	91476	92998	94168	96556	97783	98397	100399	102297	106238	109438
		Women	95535	97227	98203	100405	101694	102334	103973	105764	109076	112227
	Standard deviation - total	Total	2053	3541	3854	6924	4559	8463	10822	18617	7100	8280
		Men	2005	3605	3907	6613	4971	9620	10682	18727	7624	5851
		Women	2098	3477	3803	7210	4124	7176	10956	18510	6548	10101
Other Income	Mean - total	Total	307	340	378	421	450	466	497	569	637	924
		Men	270	299	343	382	406	420	459	536	595	923
		Women	343	378	412	458	492	510	535	601	677	925
	Median - total	Total	52	55	72	92	92	85	70	98	132	347
		Men	22	30	40	58	51	46	40	57	90	298
		Women	100	96	115	133	132	133	123	145	180	404
	Number - total	Total	187011	190225	192371	196961	199477	200731	204372	208061	215314	221665
		Men	91476	92998	94168	96556	97783	98397	100399	102297	106238	109438
		Women	95535	97227	98203	100405	101694	102334	103973	105764	109076	112227
	Standard deviation - total	Total	652	711	770	862	903	920	1099	1897	1290	1579
		Men	727	757	853	982	992	1009	1274	2524	1478	1853
		Women	568	661	680	726	806	823	896	959	1073	1255
Taxes	Mean - total	Total	455	533	569	582	639	686	772	840	950	890
		Men	643	734	773	775	842	903	1006	1095	1195	1111
		Women	274	340	374	396	444	478	545	593	710	675
	Median - total	Total	265	332	356	365	409	446	504	536	608	572
		Men	481	563	583	583	637	693	758	798	857	765
		Women	162	219	238	256	293	311	351	377	451	450
	Number - total	Total	187011	190225	192371	196961	199477	200731	204372	208061	215314	221665
		Men	91476	92998	94168	96556	97783	98397	100399	102297	106238	109438
		Women	95535	97227	98203	100405	101694	102334	103973	105764	109076	112227
	Standard deviation - total	Total	601	700	765	821	1102	1015	1344	1914	2261	1286
		Men	727	825	898	965	1262	1236	1625	2310	2428	1534
		Women	368	483	541	597	879	680	947	1385	2057	935
Disposable income	Mean - total	Total	1652	1813	1923	2095	2237	2616	2971	3641	3463	3344
		Men	1995	2171	2277	2440	2617	3043	3461	4192	3965	3750
		Women	1323	1470	1583	1764	1872	2206	2497	3108	2974	2949
	Median - total	Total	1336	1453	1525	1621	1737	1901	2124	2392	2677	2689
		Men	1705	1831	1884	1975	2107	2312	2560	2861	3098	3019
		Women	1120	1228	1306	1400	1498	1630	1815	2058	2371	2461
	Number - total	Total	187011	190225	192371	196961	199477	200731	204372	208061	215314	221665
		Men	91476	92998	94168	96556	97783	98397	100399	102297	106238	109438
		Women	95535	97227	98203	100405	101694	102334	103973	105764	109076	112227

Standard deviation - total	Total	2241	3576	3986	7042	4596	8488	10648	18509	6939	8427
	Men	2286	3698	4140	6847	5117	9706	10650	18990	7705	6253
	Women	2147	3421	3801	7208	3999	7099	10625	18016	6062	10091

Income - tax returns is statistics based on individuals tax returns. Everyone is tax reliable from the age of 16 in Iceland.

Population - the outcome is based on taxpayers who are taxable in Iceland excluding the following:

Taxpayers who have their tax return hand calculated.

Taxpayers who have their tax return estimated on relevant income year or the year before.

Taxpayers who died on the income year or those who only lived in Iceland partially on the income year, have tax liability in Iceland, have income in Iceland but do not live in Iceland and also if a change has been in their marital status to be mentioned or other changes in their status which calls for special treatment in their tax return. An individual who has lived abroad for more than 30 days is considered living abroad.

The method for estimating the population was revised in March 2024 and the time series updated from 2011 onwards, see details in the working paper.

Income and taxes:

Total annual income: Total of income from work, capital income and other income.

Income from work: Wages and other work related income such as car benefits, daily allowance and other benefits, calculated remuneration and income from abroad, other than capital income is calculated as income from work.

Capital income: Income from interests, dividend, profit from sales and rental income excluding business. Income from work related business is also including in capital income.

Other Income: Payments from pension funds, the Social Insurance Administration and other compensations such as unemployment benefits and interest- and child support reliefs. Interest- and child support reliefs are calculated on cash base, on the year they are paid i.e. the year before the income year. Research benefits, scholarships, lottery winnings and some other incomes is also included in other income.

Taxes: Total of state income tax, municipal income tax, property tax, capital income and other taxes which is paid on the income year. In some cases a refund from taxes is possible. Taxes are withholding taxes paid on the income year or in case of accrued taxes/balances paid the year after the income year. All taxes are calculated on cash base, i.e. according to the year they are paid.

Disposable income: Total income deducted by taxes and payments from pension funds since the beginning of the year 1997.

Unit:

Mean - total: Mean for all tax payers

Median - total: Median for all tax payers.

Number - total: Total number of tax payers

Standard deviation - total: Standard deviation for all tax payers

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