

Name of the indicator	<b>3.3 Active Ageing Index (AAI)</b>
Sustainable Development Goal	Goal 3. Good health and well-being
Target	-
Definition	A synthetic measure of the underutilisation of the potential of older people to participate more in the economy, society and independent living. The active ageing index was developed by combining measures from 4 areas: employment; participation in the society; independent living in health and safety; potential and conditions for active ageing.
Unit	points
Available dimensions	total
Methodological explanations	<p><b>The Active Ageing Index (AAI)</b> consists of 22 indicators grouped into the following 4 domains:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Employment (employment rate of persons aged 55-59, 60-64, 65- 69, 70-74);</li> <li>2. Participation in society (voluntary activities, care to children and grandchildren, care to older adults and political participation);</li> <li>3. Independent, healthy and secure living (physical exercise, access to health services, independent living, financial security, physical safety, lifelong learning);</li> <li>4. Capacity and enabling environment for active ageing (remaining life expectancy at age 55, share of healthy life expectancy at age 55, mental well-being, use of ICT, social connectedness, educational attainment).</li> </ol> <p>Each of the 4 domains was assigned a given weight:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Employment – weight 35%,</li> <li>2. Participation in society – weight 35%</li> <li>3. Independent, healthy and secure living – weight 10%</li> <li>4. Capacity and enabling environment for active ageing – weight 20%.</li> </ol> <p>The AAI indicators were drawn using mainly 4 major European household surveys:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- EU Labour Force Survey (EU-LFS),</li> <li>- EU Survey of Income and Living Conditions (EU-SILC),</li> <li>- European Quality of Life Survey (EQLS),</li> <li>- European Social Survey (ESS).</li> </ul> <p>The score of the <b>AAI</b> can range from 0 to 100; the higher the value, the larger contribution of ageing population to the society and better conditions for active ageing.</p>
Source of data	The Ministry of Family, Labour and Social Policy
Data availability	Data every 2 years; since 2010
Notes	The Active Ageing Index is calculated since 2010. Hitherto, three editions of the survey have been held in the years: 2010, 2012 and 2014.