



Statistics for the SDGs - indicators for national priorities



Name of the indicator	5.3.a Employment rate of women with the youngest child up to 5 years old (LFS)
Sustainable Development Goal	Goal 5. Gender equality
Priority	Ensurance of conditions for women's return to labour market after a break from employment due to childbirth and childcare
Definition	Share of employed women with the youngest child up to 5 years old in the total number of womenwith the youngest child up to 5 years old.
Unit	percent [%]
Available dimentions	total
Methodological explanations	Data come from a sample survey Labour Force Survey (LFS) . The survey is conducted on a quarterly basis. The survey is conducted as continuous observation (movable survey week) what allowspresenting the situation on the labour market during a whole quarter. The survey covers personsaged 15 and more who are members of households in dwellings selected on a random basis. In the context of economic activity — work is the main criterion in dividing the population, i.e.performing, holding or seeking work. According to the international standards, the tree maincategories are distinguished: employed, unemployed and economically inactive persons. Theemployed, unemployed are the economically active population. Among the employed are included all persons aged 15 years or more who during the reference week: 1) performed for at least one hour any work generating pay or income, i.e. were employed as paidemployees, worked on their own (or leased) agricultural farm, or conducted their own economicactivity outside agriculture, assisted (without pay) in conducting family agricultural farm or familyeconomic activity outside agriculture, 2) had work but did not perform it: (e.g. due to illness, maternity leave or vacation, a break incompany activity) if the break in employment did not exceed 3 months; if the break was longer than 3months in case when persons were paid employees the additional criterion is receiving during thatperiod at least 50% of the hitherto earnings. Among employees are also included persons performing outwork and apprentices with whomenterprises or natural persons signed a contract for occupational training or learning skills for aparticular job (if they receive a payment). Due to the survey methodological assumptions the number of the employed obtained from the LFSdoes not comprise some categories of persons, who are considered as employees living in lodging houses for workers, b) employees working abroad for their Polish employers.
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