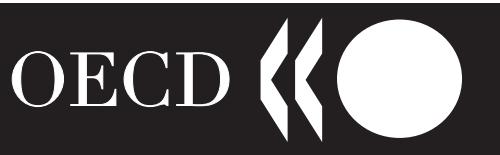


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## Symbols Employed

sa : Series adjusted for seasonal variations  
.. : Data not available  
— : Nil or negligible  
. : Decimal point  
\* : Important break in the series (in tables)  
// : Important break in the series (in graphs)

## Signes Conventionnels

cvs : Série corrigée des variations saisonnières  
.. : Données non disponibles  
— : Nul ou négligeable  
. : Sépare les unités des fractions décimales  
\* : Rupture importante de l'homogénéité de la série (tableaux)  
// : Rupture importante de l'homogénéité de la série (graphiques)

# Introduction – Introduction

This publication provides the most recent information available on key labour force indicators in 23 OECD Member countries. It contains a summary of more detailed information published in the annual *Labour Force Statistics* publication. Unless otherwise indicated the annual data shown in this publication are identical to those published in the latest edition of the annual publication which contains data for the years 1983-2003. Any differences are due to revisions.

This publication is also designed to complement other OECD Statistics Directorate monthly and quarterly publications that provide information on a wide range of short-term economic indicators for OECD Member countries. These publications are:

- *Monthly Statistics of Foreign Trade*
- *Main Economic Indicators* (monthly);
- *Quarterly National Accounts*

*Main Economic Indicators* also includes key short-term statistics for 6 non-member countries: Brazil, China, India, Indonesia, Russian Federation and South Africa.

## Data comparability

This publication covers countries that compile labour force statistics on a monthly and quarterly basis. Notes are provided for each country at the end of Part One.

The standardised presentation of the tables does not imply that the statistics shown for the various countries are comparable. Although all of the countries in this publication largely adhere to International Labour Organisation (ILO) guidelines, there are differences between them with regard to some definitions, classifications and the methods used to collect the data.

La présente publication fournit les informations les plus récentes sur les principaux indicateurs de la population active pour 23 pays Membres de l'OCDE. Cette publication constitue un sous-ensemble des informations plus complètes publiées dans la publication annuelle Statistiques de la population active. Sauf indication contraire, les chiffres annuels mentionnés sont les mêmes que ceux qui figurent dans le dernier numéro de l'annuaire qui contient des données pour les années 1983-2003. Tous les écarts éventuels sont dus à des révisions.

Cette publication est aussi un complément des autres publications mensuelles et trimestrielles de la direction des statistiques de l'OCDE. Ces publications qui fournissent un large éventail d'indicateurs à court terme pour les pays Membres de l'OCDE sont:

- *Statistiques mensuelles du commerce extérieur*
- *Principaux indicateurs économiques* (mensuels);
- *Comptes nationaux trimestriels*;

Les *Principaux indicateurs économiques* présentent également les statistiques conjoncturelles clefs pour 6 pays non membres de l'OCDE : l'Afrique du Sud, le Brésil, la Chine, l'Inde, l'Indonésie et la Fédération de Russie.

## Comparabilité des données

La présente publication couvre principalement les pays qui établissent des statistiques de la population active à partir d'enquêtes mensuelles ou trimestrielles auprès des ménages. A la fin de la première partie, se trouvent des notes pour chacun des pays.

Le fait que les tableaux sont présentés sous une forme standardisée n'implique pas que les données relatives aux différents pays soient comparables. Bien que tous les pays de cette publication suivent dans une large mesure les recommandations du Bureau International du travail (BIT), il subsiste des différences au niveau de certaines définitions ainsi qu'au niveau des classifications et des moyens utilisés pour collecter les données.

For 20 of the 23 countries, data are derived from monthly or quarterly household labour force surveys. Statistics for the remaining three countries (France, Germany and Switzerland) are derived from the annual labour force surveys. International comparisons must therefore be approached with caution, particularly as regards unemployment and unemployment rates.

## Unemployment rates

The unemployment rates shown in the country tables in Part **One** and which are derived from national sources are in general calculated with respect to the *total labour force*.

Part **Two** of this publication gives a set of Standardised Unemployment Rates for 27 OECD Member countries. These rates are calculated for men, women and the total of men and women. The rates are also calculated for the cited groups, where possible, by age: total; less than 25 years; more than 25 years. These rates show *unemployment* as a percentage of the *civilian labour force*. As both aggregates are defined according to standard ILO-OECD guidelines, these rates are comparable between countries. A description of the methodology used to compile these rates is provided in the *Technical notes* at the beginning of Part Two.

In the graphs for individual countries the standardised unemployment rate for each country is compared with standardised unemployment rates for OECD-total and EU15 country groupings. For the unemployment rate the composition of area totals are as follows:

Euro area: Austria, Belgium, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Ireland, Italy, Luxembourg, Netherlands, Portugal and Spain.

EU15: All Euro area countries plus Denmark, Sweden and United Kingdom.

OECD-total: EU15 plus Australia, Canada, Czech Republic, Hungary, Japan, Korea, New Zealand, Norway, Poland, Slovak Republic, Switzerland and United States.

Major seven countries: Canada, France, Germany, Italy, Japan, United Kingdom and United States.

When the standardised unemployment rate is not available for a given country, the unemployment rates (total, males, females) published in the country tables are shown.

Standardised Unemployment Rates, for all periods, are also published monthly in the OECD's *Main Economic Indicators* publication and are available on Internet:  
<http://www.oecd.org/statistics/news-releases>.

Pour 20 des 23 pays les données sont dérivées d'enquêtes sur la population active auprès des ménages mensuelles ou trimestrielles. Les données pour les trois pays restant (Allemagne, France, et Suisse) sont dérivées d'enquêtes sur la population active annuelles. En conséquence, il convient de faire montre d'une certaine prudence dans les comparaisons internationales, du chômage et du taux de chômage en particulier.

## Taux de chômage

Les taux de chômage présentés dans les tableaux par pays de la **première** partie provenant directement des sources nationales sont établis en général sur la base de la *population active totale*.

Dans la **deuxième** partie de cette publication est présenté un ensemble de taux de chômage standardisés pour 27 pays Membres de l'OCDE. Ces taux sont calculés pour les hommes, les femmes et le total des hommes et des femmes. Les taux sont également calculés quand cela est possible pour chacun des groupes cités : total ; les moins de 25 ans ; les plus de 25 ans. Ces taux montrent le niveau du chômage en pourcentage de la *population active civile*. Les deux agrégats étant définis selon les lignes directrices BIT-OCDE, ces taux sont comparables entre pays. Une description de la méthode utilisée pour calculer ces taux est fournie dans les *Notes techniques* au début de la deuxième partie.

Dans les pages de graphiques de chaque pays, le taux de chômage standardisé dudit pays est mis en regard avec le taux de chômage standardisé pour les groupes de pays OCDE-total et EU15. Pour le taux de chômage standardisé, la composition des groupes de pays est :

Zone euro : Allemagne, Autriche, Belgique, Espagne, Finlande, France, Grèce, Irlande, Italie, Luxembourg, Pays-Bas et Portugal.

EU15 : Ensemble des pays de la Zone euro plus Danemark, Royaume-Uni et Suède.

OCDE-total : EU15 plus Australie, Canada, Corée, États-Unis, Hongrie, Japon, Norvège, Nouvelle-Zélande, Pologne, République slovaque, République tchèque et Suisse.

Sept grands pays : Allemagne, Canada, États-Unis, France, Italie, Japon et Royaume-Uni.

Lorsque le taux de chômage standardisé n'est pas disponible pour un pays donné, on a choisi de représenter graphiquement les taux de chômage (total, hommes, femmes) publiés dans les tableaux par pays.

Les taux de chômage standardisés pour l'ensemble des personnes sont aussi publiés mensuellement dans la publication de l'OCDE intitulée les *Principaux Indicateurs Economiques* et sont disponibles sur Internet :  
<http://www.oecd.org/statistics/news-releases>.

## **Classification used**

Employment data in this publication are classified according to the following three sectors, which are based on the International Standard Industrial Classification of all Economic Activities (ISIC), Revision 2, United Nations, 1968:

### Agriculture: ISIC Major Division 1

1. Agriculture, hunting, forestry and fishing.

### Industry: ISIC Major Divisions 2-5

2. Mining and quarrying.
3. Manufacturing.
4. Electricity, gas and water.
5. Construction.

### Services: ISIC Major Divisions 6-9 plus 0

6. Wholesale and retail trade, restaurants and hotels.
7. Transport, storage and communications.
8. Financing, insurance, real estate and business services.
9. Community, social and personal services.
0. Activities not adequately defined.

## **Data presentation**

The following points should be noted regarding statistical series presented in this publication:

1. Index numbers are shown with 2000=100, in conformity with international recommendations for a standard reference year.
2. Many series are shown in both seasonally adjusted and unadjusted form. In the tables and graphs seasonally adjusted data are indicated by **sa**. Where seasonally adjusted data are not available from national sources, seasonal adjustments are calculated by OECD using the X12-ARIMA Method of the US Bureau of the Census.
3. Youth unemployment is defined as unemployment of persons less than 25 years old. It is shown as percentage change over 4 quarters in the graphs and as a percentage of total unemployment in the tables.

## **Classification utilisée**

Les données de l'emploi fournies dans cette publication sont ventilées entre les trois secteurs suivants, construits sur la base de la deuxième Révision, en date de 1968 de la Classification Internationale Type par Industrie de toutes les activités économiques (CITI) des Nations Unies :

### Agriculture : Branche 1 de la CITI

1. Agriculture, chasse, sylviculture et pêche.

### Industrie : Branche 2 à 5 de la CITI

2. Industries extractives.
3. Industries manufacturières.
4. Électricité, gaz et eau.
5. Bâtiments et travaux publics.

### Services : Branches 6 à 9 et 0 de la CITI.

6. Commerce de gros et de détail ; restaurants et hôtels.
7. Transports, entrepôts et communications.
8. Banques, assurances, affaires immobilières et services fournis aux entreprises.
9. Services fournis à la collectivité, services sociaux et services personnels.
0. Activités mal désignées.

## **Présentation des données**

A propos des séries statistiques présentées dans cette publication, les point suivants doivent être mentionnés.

1. Les indices sont exprimés sur la base 2000=100, ceci selon les recommandations de divers organismes internationaux visant à uniformiser la période de référence pour la publication des indices.
2. Bon nombre de séries sont présentées corrigées et non corrigées des variations saisonnières. Dans les tableaux et les graphiques les séries corrigées des variations saisonnières sont signalées avec l'abréviation **cvs**. Lorsque les séries corrigées ne sont pas fournies par les sources nationales, l'OCDE effectue le calcul au moyen de la méthode X12-ARIMA mise au point par le Bureau of the Census des États-Unis.
3. Le chômage des jeunes est défini comme le chômage des personnes âgées de moins de 25 ans. Il est présenté sous forme graphique avec la variation sur quatre trimestres et dans les tableaux en pourcentage du nombre total de chômeurs.

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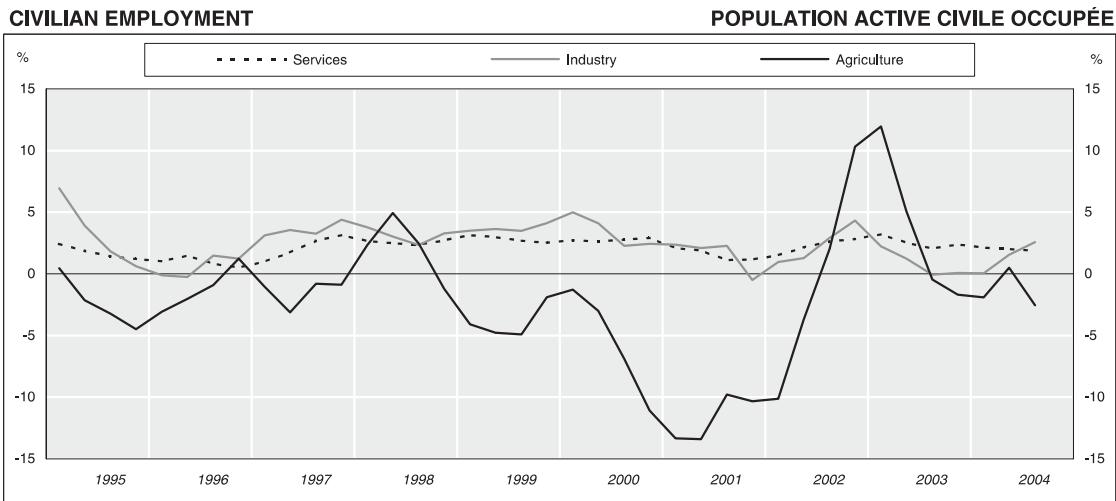
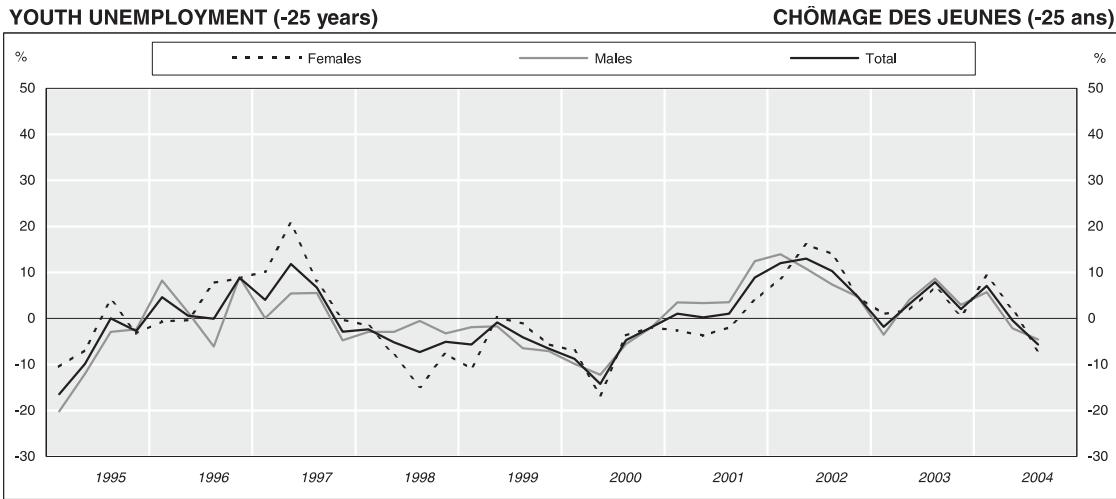
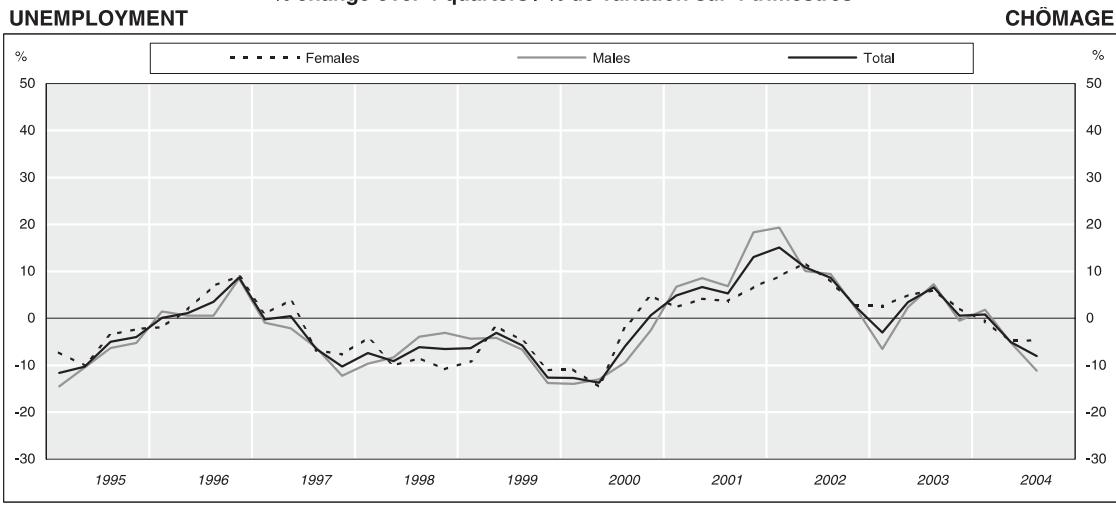
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**Indicateurs de la population active par pays**

## CANADA

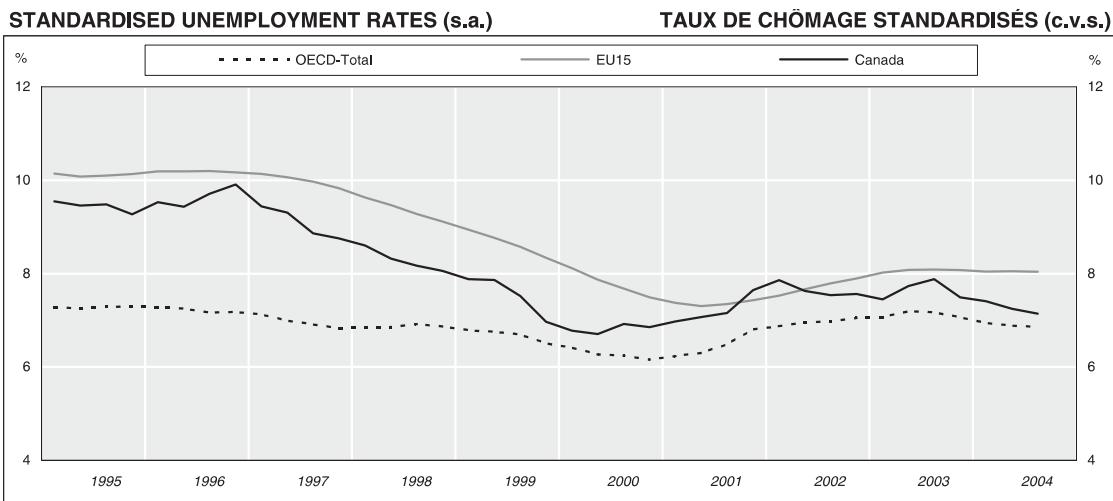
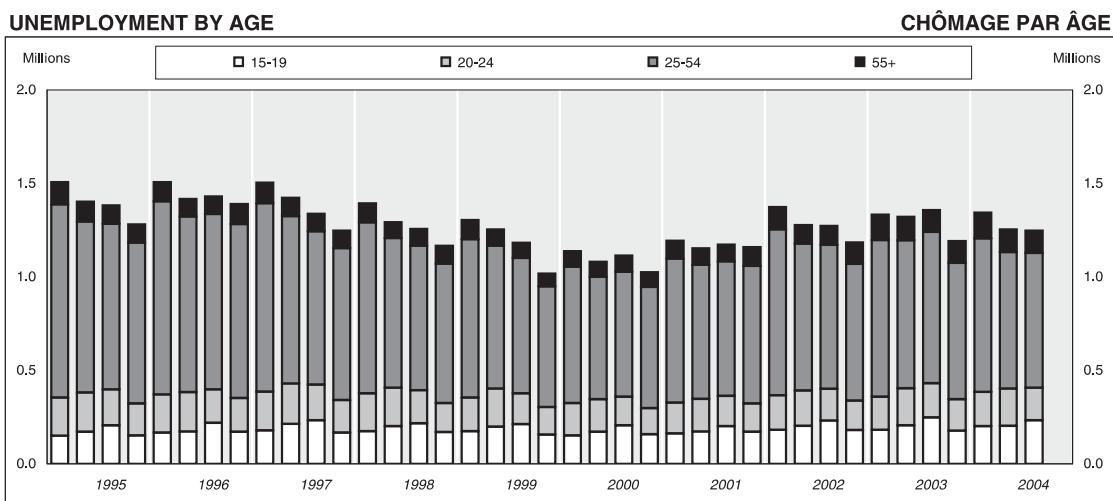
### INDICATORS OF LABOUR FORCE COMPONENTS

% change over 4 quarters / % de variation sur 4 trimestres



## COMPOSANTES DE LA POPULATION ACTIVE

Absolute figures / Nombre de personnes



# CANADA

	2001	2002	2003	1999				2000				2001		
				Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	
<b>Total labour force</b>														
Total	16300	16744	17102	15417	15863	16099	15746	15684	16089	16366	16086	15971	16367	
Males	8816	9038	9187	8358	8629	8786	8579	8503	8728	8882	8687	8624	8862	
Females	7483	7706	7918	7060	7235	7314	7168	7180	7361	7484	7400	7348	7505	
<b>Civilian labour force</b>														
Total	16246	16689	17047	15357	15803	16039	15686	15624	16031	16310	16032	15918	16314	
Males	sa	sa	sa	15617	15713	15764	15792	15894	15941	16032	16138	16172	16227	
Females	sa	sa	sa	8769	8990	9136	8304	8575	8732	8525	8450	8677	8832	8638
				8468	8523	8553	8592	8623	8625	8649	8707	8737	8762	
				7477	7700	7911	7053	7228	7307	7161	7174	7355	7478	7394
				7149	7190	7211	7200	7271	7316	7383	7431	7435	7465	
<b>Unemployment</b>														
Total	1170	1278	1301	1305	1253	1184	1019	1139	1081	1114	1025	1194	1153	
Males	sa	sa	sa	1231	1236	1186	1100	1077	1069	1110	1106	1128	1148	
From 15 to 19 years	177	199	203	174	199	211	156	152	171	206	157	163	172	
From 20 to 24 years	163	175	182	181	204	165	147	172	175	153	139	164	175	
From 25 to 54 years	736	794	792	847	763	724	646	730	654	668	648	770	719	
55 years and over	94	109	124	103	87	83	70	85	82	86	80	97	88	
Females	660	728	729	770	702	624	577	662	611	565	562	707	663	
From 15 to 19 years	101	115	114	102	105	117	88	87	93	109	89	94	96	
From 20 to 24 years	99	104	112	114	118	90	90	108	103	87	85	108	106	
From 25 to 54 years	403	441	426	485	418	368	356	413	365	325	341	442	405	
55 years and over	57	67	77	69	60	50	43	54	50	45	47	63	55	
Females	510	550	572	535	551	560	442	477	470	548	463	488	490	
From 15 to 19 years	76	84	89	72	94	94	68	65	78	98	68	69	76	
From 20 to 24 years	64	72	71	67	86	75	57	64	72	66	55	57	69	
From 25 to 54 years	333	353	365	361	345	357	290	317	288	343	307	328	313	
55 years and over	37	42	47	35	26	33	26	30	32	42	33	34	32	
<b>Civilian employment</b>														
Total	15077	15412	15746	14052	14550	14855	14668	14486	14950	15196	15007	14724	15161	
Males	sa	sa	sa	14386	14478	14578	14692	14816	14872	14922	15031	15044	15079	
Agriculture	435	433	447	480	532	568	506	474	516	529	450	411	447	
Industry	sa	sa	sa	524	522	518	521	519	507	483	463	450	439	
Services	3428	3510	3539	3065	3252	3402	3339	3217	3385	3480	3420	3294	3456	
sa	11214	11469	11760	10507	10766	10885	10823	10794	11049	11188	11137	11019	11258	
Females	sa	sa	sa	10651	10714	10777	10838	10940	10993	11086	11149	11165	11196	
From 15 to 19 years	8110	8262	8407	7534	7873	8107	7949	7788	8066	8267	8077	7870	8151	
From 20 to 24 years	324	321	333	350	385	411	366	345	375	390	343	313	330	
From 25 to 54 years	2637	2692	2717	2350	2492	2611	2568	2478	2601	2678	2631	2530	2663	
55 years and over	5148	5249	5357	4834	4995	5085	5014	4965	5090	5199	5103	5027	5158	
Females	6967	7150	7339	6518	6677	6748	6719	6697	6884	6930	6930	6854	7010	
Agriculture	110	112	114	131	147	157	140	129	141	139	107	98	117	
Industry	791	817	823	714	759	791	770	739	785	802	789	764	793	
Services	6066	6221	6403	5673	5771	5800	5809	5829	5959	5989	6034	5992	6100	
<b>Employees</b>														
Total	12768	13066	13333	11615	12059	12385	12213	11989	12521	12786	12656	12419	12837	
Males	sa	sa	sa	11932	11998	12125	12226	12301	12454	12529	12672	12719	12763	
<b>Civilian employment</b>														
Total	101.1	103.4	105.6	94.2	97.6	99.6	98.4	97.2	100.3	101.9	100.7	98.8	101.7	
Agriculture	sa	sa	sa	96.5	97.1	97.8	98.5	99.4	99.7	100.1	100.8	100.9	101.1	
Industry	101.6	104.0	104.8	97.6	108.1	115.3	102.8	96.3	104.9	107.4	91.4	83.5	90.8	
Services	sa	sa	sa	106.5	106.0	105.3	105.9	105.3	102.9	98.0	94.0	91.4	89.2	
Females	101.6	103.9	106.5	95.2	96.0	97.1	98.6	99.7	100.0	99.4	101.1	101.9	102.0	
From 15 to 19 years	96.4	97.0	97.6	98.2	99.0	99.6	100.4	101.0	101.1	101.1	101.4			

# CANADA

2001		2002				2003				2004				
Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3		
<b>Population active totale</b>														
16574	16286	16308	16761	17086	16821	16743	17161	17404	17101	16995	17386	17600		<i>milliers</i>
8986	8794	8807	9065	9243	9039	8992	9233	9379	9144	9076	9299	9457		Total
7588	7492	7503	7696	7843	7782	7752	7927	8034	7957	7918	8088	8143		Hommes
														Femmes
<b>Population active civile</b>														
16521	16232	16254	16707	17032	16766	16688	17106	17348	17045	16940	17331	17545		<i>milliers</i>
16249	16347	16492	16617	16761	16881	16935	17015	17079	17160	17190	17246	17284		cvs Total
8939	8747	8757	9017	9195	8990	8943	9185	9321	9095	9028	9250	9408		cvs Hommes
8763	8824	8901	8961	9023	9069	9095	9126	9154	9175	9179	9197	9235		cvs Femmes
7582	7485	7497	7690	7837	7775	7745	7921	8028	7950	7912	8081	8137		
7486	7523	7591	7655	7738	7811	7839	7889	7926	7985	8011	8049	8049		
<b>Chômage</b>														
1172	1159	1375	1277	1273	1185	1333	1321	1358	1192	1344	1254	1248		<i>milliers</i>
1163	1250	1296	1268	1263	1277	1262	1315	1346	1286	1273	1250	1234		cvs Total
202	171	182	203	231	180	181	206	247	177	201	203	232		cvs De 15 à 19 ans
161	152	185	189	170	159	178	198	184	169	184	199	175		cvs De 20 à 24 ans
719	735	888	785	771	731	837	791	809	730	821	730	721		cvs De 25 à 54 ans
90	100	120	101	102	115	136	126	117	116	137	122	120		cvs 55 ans et plus
604	664	843	730	661	677	788	747	709	674	802	708	629		cvs Hommes
111	103	112	114	127	108	106	114	134	101	111	107	126		cvs Femmes
91	93	118	110	91	97	115	120	102	109	123	122	99		cvs De 15 à 19 ans
352	411	537	441	384	404	478	435	405	388	481	408	341		cvs De 20 à 24 ans
50	58	77	64	59	69	89	78	68	75	87	72	63		cvs De 25 à 54 ans
568	494	531	548	613	508	545	574	649	518	542	546	619		cvs 55 ans et plus
91	68	70	88	104	72	75	92	113	75	90	96	106		cvs Femmes
70	59	67	79	79	62	63	78	82	59	61	78	76		cvs De 15 à 19 ans
368	324	352	344	387	327	360	356	404	342	341	322	380		cvs De 20 à 24 ans
40	42	43	36	43	47	47	48	50	41	50	51	57		cvs De 25 à 54 ans
														cvs 55 ans et plus
<b>Population active civile occupée</b>														
15349	15074	14879	15429	15758	15581	15355	15784	15991	15854	15596	16077	16296		<i>milliers</i>
15086	15097	15196	15349	15497	15604	15673	15700	15733	15875	15917	15996	16050		cvs Total
477	404	369	430	487	445	414	452	484	438	406	454	472		cvs Agriculture
435	414	405	424	444	456	454	446	442	447	445	449	430		cvs Industrie
3559	3403	3325	3501	3663	3550	3399	3544	3661	3552	3401	3599	3755		cvs Services
3433	3398	3468	3490	3533	3546	3544	3533	3531	3549	3545	3589	3622		cvs Hommes
11313	11267	11185	11498	11609	11586	11542	11788	11845	11863	11789	12023	12069		cvs Femmes
11220	11277	11328	11433	11521	11597	11683	11722	11761	11876	11927	11957	11985		cvs Agriculture
8335	8082	7914	8287	8534	8313	8155	8438	8612	8421	8226	8542	8779		cvs Industrie
354	300	276	317	358	332	312	335	365	320	297	333	351		cvs Services
2736	2619	2537	2696	2817	2720	2599	2723	2803	2741	2608	2759	2889		cvs Femmes
5245	5164	5101	5275	5358	5261	5245	5379	5445	5361	5321	5450	5539		cvs Agriculture
7014	6991	6965	7142	7224	7268	7200	7346	7379	7432	7370	7534	7518		cvs Industrie
123	103	93	113	128	113	102	117	120	118	109	122	121		cvs Services
823	784	788	805	846	830	800	820	858	812	793	840	866		
6068	6104	6084	6224	6250	6324	6298	6409	6401	6503	6468	6573	6531		
<b>Salariés</b>														
13029	12786	12604	13084	13377	13198	12996	13376	13541	13421	13194	13607	13796		<i>milliers</i>
12784	12802	12901	13011	13137	13216	13291	13298	13304	13437	13488	13535	13575		cvs Total
<b>Population active civile occupée</b>														
102.9	101.1	99.8	103.5	105.7	104.5	103.0	105.9	107.2	106.3	104.6	107.8	109.3		2000=100
101.2	101.3	101.9	102.9	103.9	104.7	105.1	105.3	105.5	106.5	106.8	107.3	107.6		cvs Total
96.9	82.0	75.0	87.4	98.8	90.4	84.0	91.9	98.4	88.9	82.4	92.3	95.9		cvs Agriculture
88.4	84.1	82.2	86.1	90.2	92.6	92.1	90.6	89.7	90.8	90.4	91.1	87.4		cvs Industrie
105.4	100.8	98.5	103.7	108.5	105.2	100.7	105.0	108.5	105.2	100.8	106.6	111.2		cvs Services
101.7	100.7	102.7	103.4	104.7	105.1	105.0	104.7	104.6	105.1	105.0	106.3	107.3		
102.5	102.0	101.3	104.1	105.1	104.9	104.5	106.8	107.3	107.4	106.8	108.9	109.3		
101.6	102.2	102.6	103.6	104.3	105.0	105.8	106.2	106.5	107.5	108.1	108.3	108.5		

## CANADA (continued)

	2001	2002	2003	1999				2000				2001	
				Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2
<b>Unemployment rate</b>													
				as percentage of total labour force									
Total	7.2	7.6	7.6	7.2	7.9	7.3	6.5	7.3	6.7	6.8	6.4	7.5	7.0
Males	7.5	8.1	7.9	7.8	7.8	7.5	6.9	6.8	6.7	6.9	6.8	7.0	7.0
Females	6.8	7.1	7.2	7.6	7.6	7.6	6.2	6.6	6.4	7.3	6.3	6.6	6.5
<b>Youth unemployment (15 - 24 years)</b>													
				as percentage of total unemployed									
Total	29.1	29.3	29.6	27.2	32.2	31.8	29.7	28.4	32.0	32.2	29.0	27.4	30.1
Males	30.5	30.3	31.0	28.1	31.9	33.0	30.7	29.4	32.1	34.5	31.0	28.5	30.6
Females	27.3	28.1	27.8	26.0	32.6	30.4	28.3	27.1	31.8	29.9	26.5	25.8	29.4
<b>Civilian employment (sectors)</b>													
				as percentage of total									
Agriculture	2.9	2.8	2.8	3.4	3.7	3.8	3.5	3.3	3.5	3.5	3.0	2.8	2.9
Industry	22.7	22.8	22.5	21.8	22.3	22.9	22.8	22.2	22.6	22.9	22.8	22.4	22.8
Services	74.4	74.4	74.7	74.8	74.0	73.3	73.8	74.5	73.9	73.6	74.2	74.8	74.3

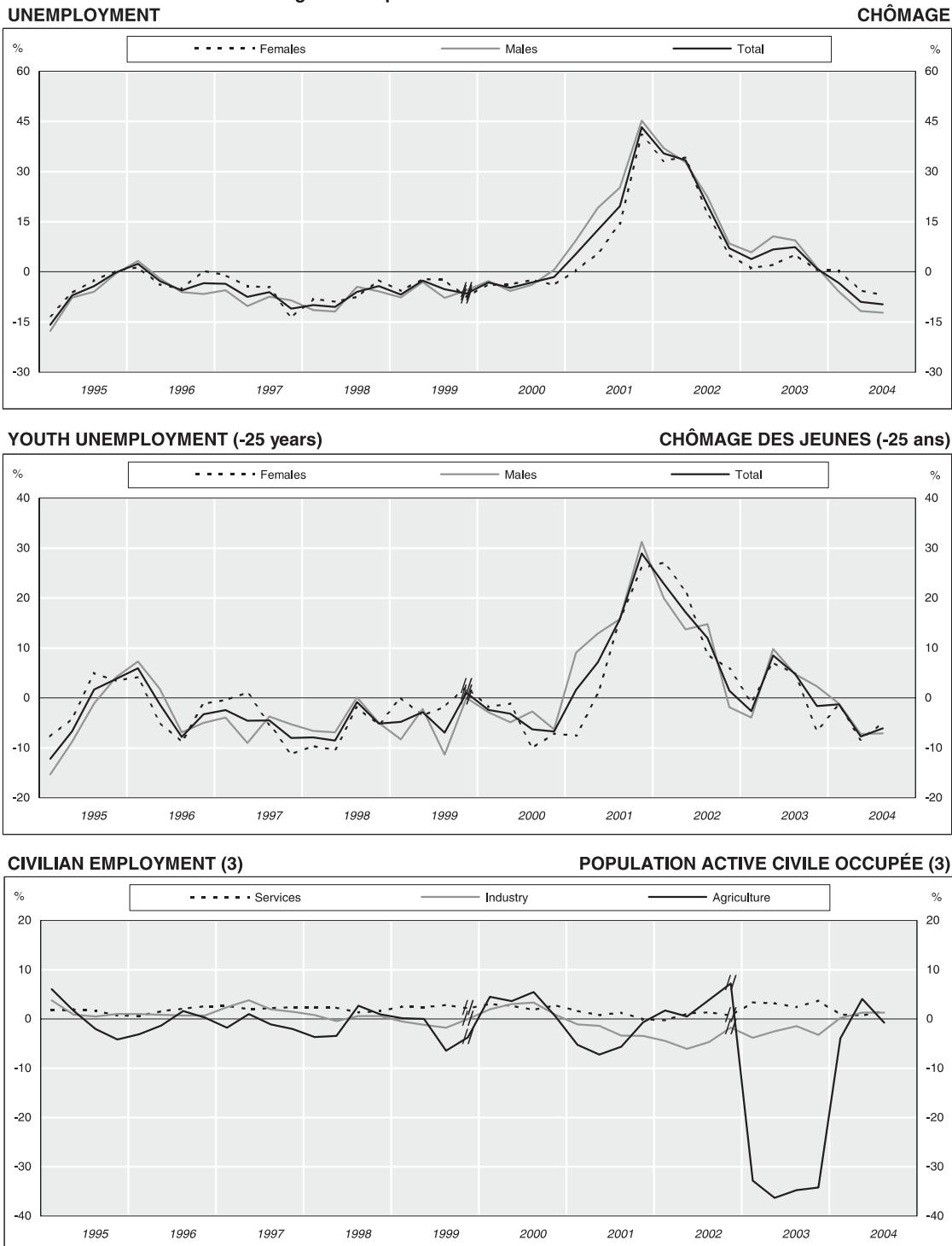
## CANADA (suite)

2001		2002				2003				2004				<i>cvs</i>
Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3		
7.1	7.1	8.4	7.6	7.4	7.0	8.0	7.7	7.8	7.0	7.9	7.2	7.1	Taux de chômage <i>en pourcentage de la population active totale</i>	
7.1	7.6	7.8	7.6	7.5	7.5	7.4	7.7	7.9	7.5	7.4	7.2	7.1	Total	
6.7	7.6	9.6	8.1	7.1	7.5	8.8	8.1	7.6	7.4	8.8	7.6	6.7	Hommes	
7.5	6.6	7.1	7.1	7.8	6.5	7.0	7.2	8.1	6.5	6.8	6.8	7.6	Femmes	
31.0	28.0	26.7	30.7	31.4	28.6	27.0	30.6	31.8	29.0	28.7	32.1	32.6	Chômage des jeunes (15 - 24 ans) <i>en pourcentage du total des chômeurs</i>	
33.4	29.6	27.2	30.8	32.8	30.3	28.1	31.3	33.2	31.3	29.2	32.3	35.7	Total	
28.4	25.8	25.7	30.5	29.9	26.3	25.3	29.6	30.3	25.9	27.8	31.8	29.5	Hommes	
													Femmes	
3.1	2.7	2.5	2.8	3.1	2.9	2.7	2.9	3.0	2.8	2.6	2.8	2.9	Pop. active civ. occupée (secteurs) <i>en pourcentage du total</i>	
23.2	22.6	22.3	22.7	23.2	22.8	22.1	22.4	22.9	22.4	21.8	22.4	23.0	Agriculture	
73.7	74.8	75.2	74.5	73.7	74.4	75.2	74.7	74.1	74.8	75.6	74.8	74.1	Industrie	
													Services	

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### INDICATORS OF LABOUR FORCE COMPONENTS

% change over 4 quarters / % de variation sur 4 trimestres

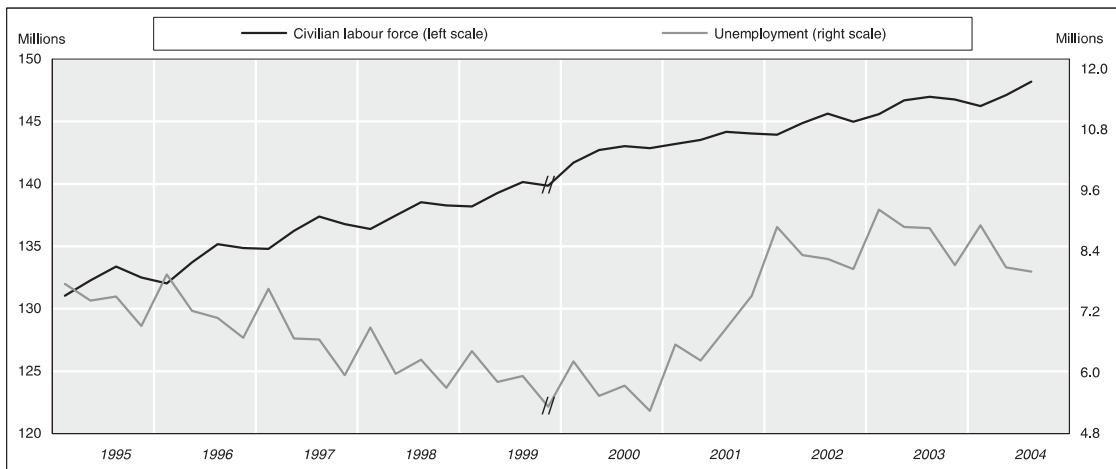


**COMPOSANTES DE LA POPULATION ACTIVE**

Absolute figures / Nombre de personnes

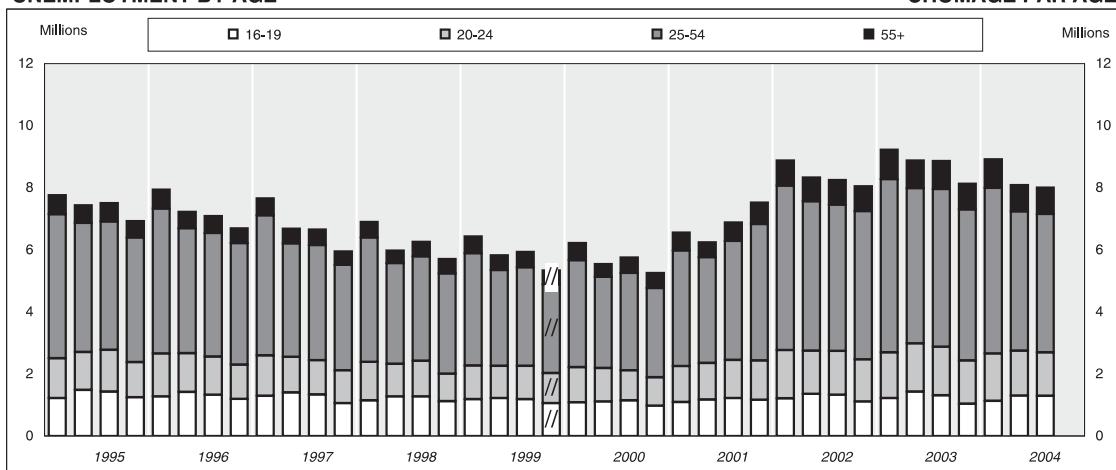
**CIVILIAN LABOUR FORCE**

**POPULATION ACTIVE CIVILE**



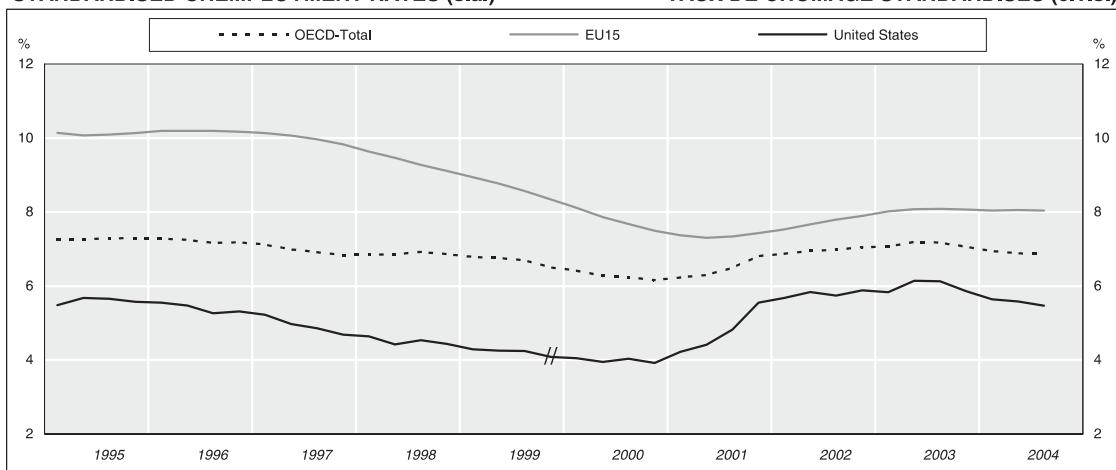
**UNEMPLOYMENT BY AGE**

**CHÔMAGE PAR ÂGE**



**STANDARDISED UNEMPLOYMENT RATES (s.a.)**

**TAUX DE CHÔMAGE STANDARDISÉS (c.v.s.)**



# UNITED STATES<sup>(1)</sup>

	2001	2002	2003	1999				2000				2001				
				Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2			
<b>Total labour force<sup>(2)</sup></b>				139387	140462	141346	141091	*142903	143908	144234	144049					
Total				74745	75582	76209	75651	*76614	77359	77889	77342					
Males				64642	64880	65136	65439	*66289	66549	66345	66706					
Females																
<b>Civilian labour force</b>				143734	144863	146510	138188	139275	140142	139866	*141709	142719	143039	142864	143197	143534
Total	sa			138900	139132	139497	139991	*142369	142562	142455	142965	143771	143387			
Males	sa			76886	77500	78238	73713	74562	75174	74600	*75589	76339	76865	76326	76279	76872
Females	sa			66848	67363	68272	74333	74372	74561	74791	*76216	76157	76260	76488	76846	76725
<b>Unemployment</b>				6801	8378	8774	6429	5822	5935	5332	*6223	5544	5750	5251	6560	6240
Total	sa			5957	5917	5926	5716	*5760	5630	5747	5608	6068	6327			
From 16 to 19 years				1162	1253	1251	1180	1225	1184	1057	*1081	1117	1148	979	1093	1174
From 20 to 24 years				1209	1430	1495	1092	1037	1073	967	*1136	1074	968	910	1160	1173
From 25 to 54 years				3842	4896	5131	3612	3079	3180	2872	*3445	2940	3142	2881	3728	3414
55 years and over				588	798	897	545	481	499	436	*561	414	493	481	578	479
Males				3690	4597	4906	3507	3008	2923	2826	*3409	2837	2811	2842	3732	3381
From 16 to 19 years				650	701	698	666	655	621	590	*612	626	628	529	636	649
From 20 to 24 years				688	792	841	599	568	543	540	*617	538	504	529	704	665
From 25 to 54 years				2005	2644	2849	1926	1537	1476	1450	*1863	1442	1422	1502	2035	1791
55 years and over				346	460	519	316	247	283	246	*317	230	257	282	358	276
Females				3111	3781	3868	2922	2814	3012	2506	*2814	2707	2940	2409	2828	2860
From 16 to 19 years				512	553	554	513	570	563	468	*469	491	520	450	457	526
From 20 to 24 years				521	638	654	493	468	530	428	*519	535	464	381	457	508
From 25 to 54 years				1836	2252	2282	1687	1542	1703	1422	*1582	1498	1720	1378	1693	1622
55 years and over				242	338	378	229	234	216	189	*244	183	236	199	221	203
<b>Civilian employment<sup>(3)</sup></b>				136933	136485	137736	131759	133453	134206	134534	*135485	137175	137289	137613	136638	137293
Total	sa			132943	133215	133571	134275	*136609	136933	136708	137357	137703	137060			
Agriculture	sa			3367	3479	*2275	3067	3643	3679	3273	*3205	3774	3881	3289	3037	3502
Industry	sa			30767	29461	*28651	30457	30702	30884	31138	*31059	31629	31907	31404	30724	31187
Services	sa			102799	103545	*106810	98235	99107	99643	100123	*101221	101772	101501	102920	102877	102604
Males				73196	72903	73332	70207	71553	72251	71774	*72180	73503	74054	73484	72546	73492
Agriculture				2458	2585	*1695	2257	2717	2730	2449	*2340	2771	2917	2466	2180	2572
Industry				23323	22651	*22180	22816	23061	23302	23368	*23114	23850	24072	23601	22934	23508
Services				47415	47667	*49457	45133	45774	46220	45956	*46726	46882	47065	47417	47432	47412
Females				63737	63582	64404	61552	61900	61955	62760	*63306	63673	63234	64129	64091	63802
Agriculture				910	893	*580	811	926	949	825	*864	1003	964	823	858	929
Industry				7445	6811	*6472	7641	7641	7582	7769	*7944	7779	7832	7802	7792	7680
Services				55382	55878	*57352	53101	53333	53424	54166	*54498	54891	54438	55504	55441	55193
<b>Employees (non farm activities)<sup>(4)</sup></b>				131826	130341	129931	126355	129129	129333	131156	129572	132335	132004	133229	131074	132691
Total	sa			127782	128607	129336	130242	130992	131823	132054	132297	132462	132187			
Industry				24473	23153	22398	24492	25104	25439	25259	24738	25325	25622	25318	24558	24766
Services				107353	107188	107533	101863	104025	103894	105897	104835	107010	106382	107911	106515	107925
<b>Civilian employment<sup>(3)</sup></b>				2000=100												
Total	sa			100.0	99.7	100.6	96.3	97.5	98.0	98.3	*99.0	100.2	100.3	100.5	99.8	100.3
Agriculture	sa			95.2	98.3	*64.3	86.7	103.0	104.0	92.5	*90.6	106.7	109.7	93.0	85.8	99.0
Industry	sa			97.7	93.5	*91.0	96.9	98.4	94.8	95.9	*101.3	102.6	99.8	95.9	95.9	96.0
Services	sa			100.9	101.7	*104.9	96.4	97.3	97.8	98.3	*99.4	99.9	99.7	101.0	101.0	100.7

Footnotes appear at the end of the table.

# ÉTATS-UNIS<sup>(1)</sup>

2001		2002				2003				2004						
Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3				
<b>Population active totale<sup>(2)</sup></b>																
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## **UNITED STATES<sup>(1)</sup>** (*continued*)

(1) There are minor breaks in the data between the last quarter of the year and the first quarter of the following year for 1996, 1997, 1998 and 2002. These are due to the introduction of revised population controls and other changes. Due to the inclusion of population controls based on the 2000 decennial census, there is a significant break in the data between the last

(2) As data for Resident armed forces are unavailable from 2001, data for Total labour force and Unemployment rate (calculated with respect to the total labour force) are unavailable from 2001. However, the latest data for the Standardised Unemployment Rates (calculated with respect to the civilian

(3) labour force) are available in part Two. Due to the introduction of the 2002 Census industry classification system derived from the North American Industry Classification System (NAICS) into the Current Population Survey, there is a break in the data between the last quarter of 2002 and the first quarter of 2003.

(4) Figures refer to the Monthly payroll survey of industrial establishments classified according to the North American Industry Classification System (NAICS) 2002. Employees in agriculture and private domestic service are excluded from the survey. Quarterly data are monthly averages.

## ÉTATS-UNIS<sup>(1)</sup> (*suite*)

2001		2002				2003				2004				
Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3		
35.6	32.4	31.2	33.0	33.2	30.7	29.2	33.5	32.4	29.9	29.9	34.0	33.7		
37.2	33.7	31.5	33.2	34.9	30.5	28.5	32.9	33.4	30.8	30.0	34.7	35.4		
33.9	30.8	30.8	32.6	31.3	31.0	30.2	34.1	31.2	28.8	29.7	33.2	31.8		
2.7	2.4	2.3	2.6	2.8	2.6	*1.5	1.6	1.8	1.7	1.5	1.7	1.8		
22.5	22.2	21.7	21.5	21.4	21.8	*20.7	20.7	21.0	20.8	20.6	20.8	20.9		
74.9	75.4	76.0	76.0	75.8	75.7	*77.8	77.6	77.2	77.5	77.9	77.5	77.3		

(1) Il y a des ruptures mineures dans les données entre le dernier trimestre de l'année et le premier trimestre de l'année suivante pour 1996, 1997, 1998 et 2002. Ces ruptures sont dues à l'introduction de révision des contrôles de population et autres changements. En raison de l'introduction de contrôles de population basés sur le recensement décennal de 2000, il y a une rupture significative dans les

(2) donnés entre le dernier trimestre de 1999 et le premier trimestre de 2000. Les données des forces armées résidentes ne sont pas disponibles depuis 2001. Pour cette raison, les données de la population active totale et celles du taux de chômage calculé sur la base de la population active totale ne sont pas disponibles depuis 2001. Cependant, les données les plus récentes des taux de chômage

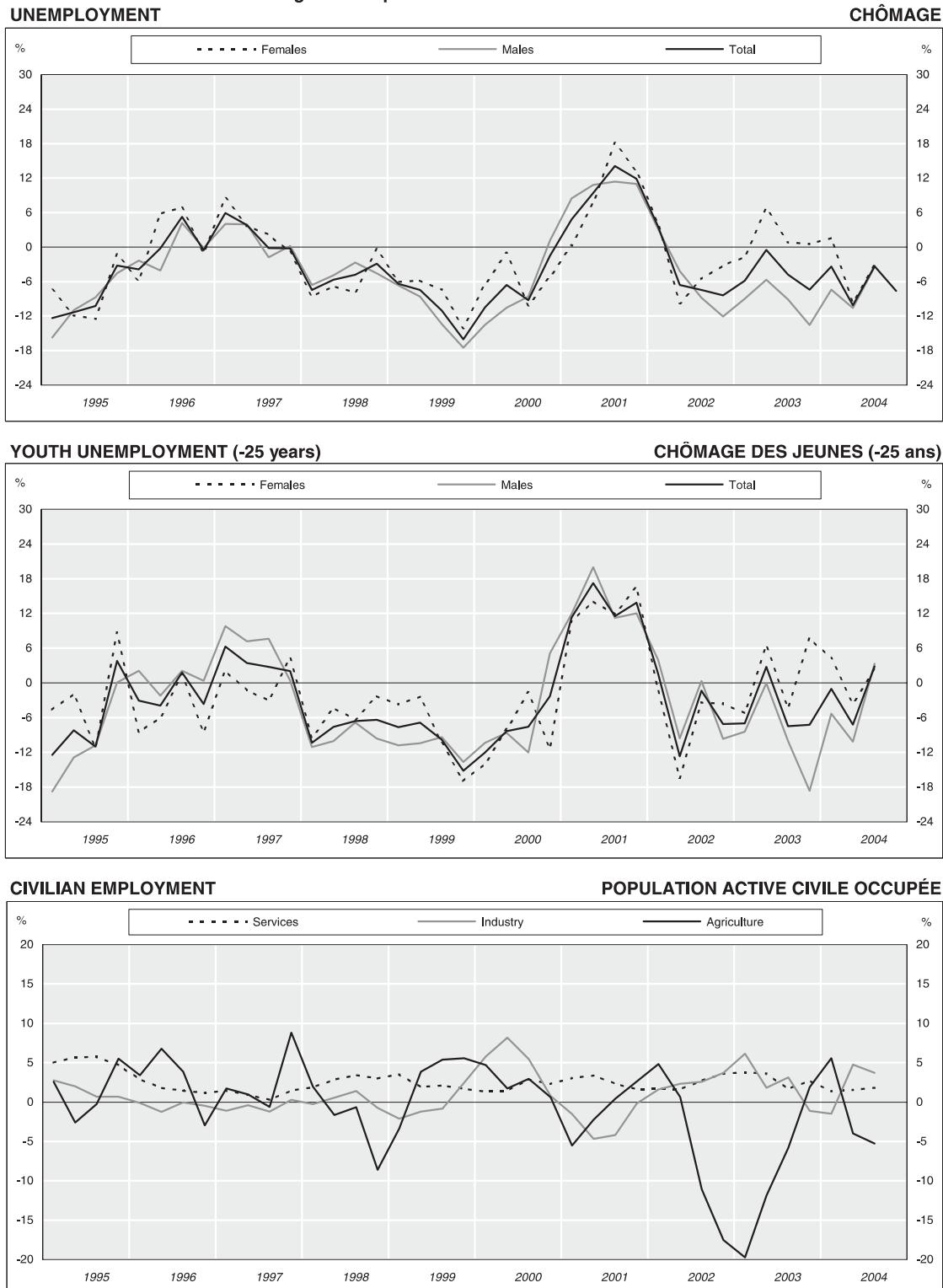
(3) standardisés (calculés sur la base de la population active civile) sont disponibles dans la deuxième partie. En raison de l'introduction dans l'Enquête sur la population (Current Population Survey), d'un système de classification de l'industrie (recensement de 2002) basé sur le système de classification type par industrie en Amérique du Nord (SCIAN) de 2002.

(4) Les données proviennent de l'enquête mensuelle auprès des établissements industriels classés suivant le système de classification type par industrie en Amérique du Nord (SCIAN) de 2002. Les salariés agricoles et le personnel domestique ne sont pas inclus dans l'enquête. Les données trimestrielles sont des moyennes mensuelles.

## AUSTRALIA

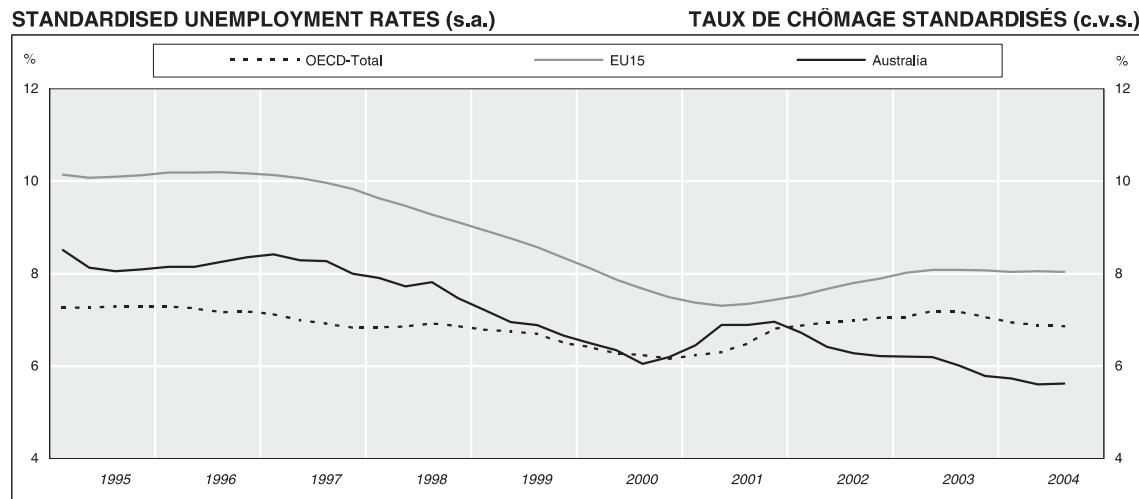
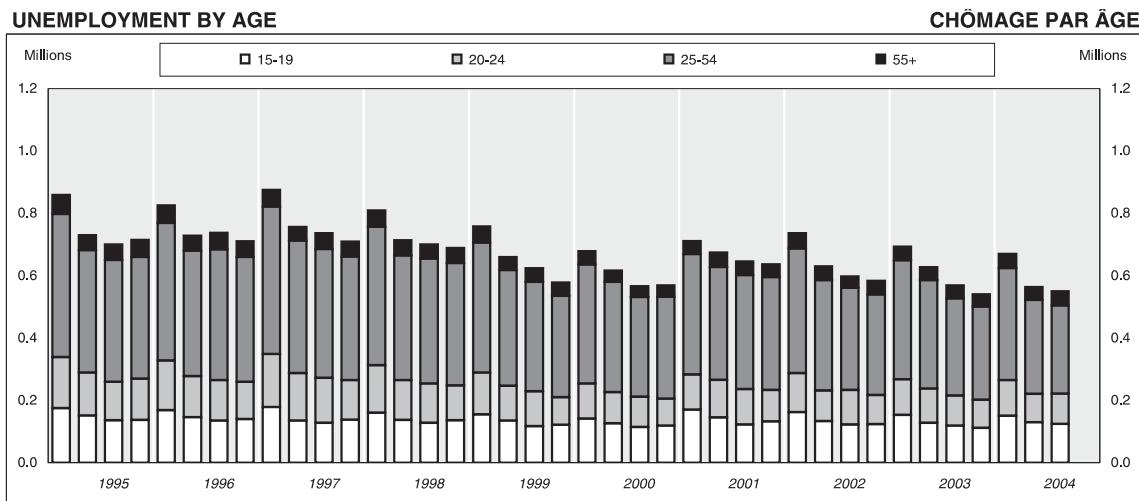
### INDICATORS OF LABOUR FORCE COMPONENTS

% change over 4 quarters / % de variation sur 4 trimestres



## COMPOSANTES DE LA POPULATION ACTIVE

Absolute figures / Nombre de personnes



# AUSTRALIA

	2001	2002	2003	1999				2000				2001		
				Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	
<b>Total labour force</b>														
	thousands													
Total		9788	9943	10125	9462	9416	9374	9480	9592	9623	9614	9638	9768	9798
Males		5469	5548	5607	5390	5347	5324	5328	5408	5402	5389	5416	5474	5464
Females		4319	4395	4517	4072	4069	4049	4153	4184	4221	4226	4222	4294	4334
<b>Civilian labour force</b>														
	thousands													
Total	sa	9730	9885	10067	9404	9358	9316	9422	9534	9565	9556	9580	9710	9740
	sa				9376	9378	9401	9467	9501	9581	9642	9629	9668	9752
Males	sa	5419	5498	5557	5340	5297	5274	5278	5358	5352	5339	5366	5424	5414
Females	sa	4311	4387	4509	4064	4061	4041	4145	4176	4213	4218	4214	4286	4326
	sa				4057	4067	4079	4159	4165	4216	4254	4230	4270	4326
<b>Unemployment</b>														
	thousands													
Total	sa	667	637	607	758	660	623	578	678	617	566	569	711	675
	sa				680	659	648	611	609	613	589	604	638	673
From 15 to 19 years		142	135	128	154	135	117	122	142	126	114	119	170	145
From 20 to 24 years		112	107	102	134	112	112	88	112	100	98	86	113	121
From 25 to 54 years		369	351	335	418	371	351	325	381	354	319	327	386	363
55 years and over		44	44	42	52	43	43	43	43	37	35	37	42	47
Males		384	363	330	433	385	367	333	375	345	335	337	406	382
From 15 to 19 years		76	74	68	79	72	62	62	76	65	58	70	91	77
From 20 to 24 years		65	62	56	75	60	69	53	62	56	57	52	63	69
From 25 to 54 years		209	195	178	238	217	203	186	204	197	192	188	218	202
55 years and over		33	32	28	41	36	32	32	27	27	28	27	33	35
Females		283	273	277	325	275	257	245	304	272	231	232	305	293
From 15 to 19 years		66	61	60	76	63	55	59	66	61	56	49	79	68
From 20 to 24 years		47	45	47	59	52	43	35	50	44	40	35	49	52
From 25 to 54 years		159	156	157	179	154	148	139	177	157	127	139	168	160
55 years and over		11	11	14	11	7	11	11	11	10	7	10	9	12
<b>Civilian employment</b>														
	thousands													
Total	sa	9063	9248	9459	8646	8698	8692	8844	8856	8948	8990	9011	8999	9066
	sa				8691	8717	8770	8844	8893	8968	9067	9016	9032	9082
Agriculture	sa	439	412	373	427	434	435	436	447	442	448	439	422	432
Industry	sa				424	436	435	437	446	442	446	440	424	431
Services	sa	1906	1954	2003	1823	1846	1871	1918	1928	1997	1973	1933	1899	1904
	sa				1834	1845	1870	1910	1940	1992	1976	1926	1908	1897
Males		6719	6881	7083	6397	6418	6386	6490	6481	6509	6570	6639	6678	6730
Agriculture		5035	5135	5227	4907	4911	4908	4945	4983	5008	5004	5029	5018	5032
Industry		298	286	262	292	302	299	303	308	308	310	301	282	294
Services		1508	1550	1586	1446	1467	1486	1507	1521	1577	1556	1519	1499	1509
Females		3229	3299	3380	3169	3143	3122	3134	3154	3122	3138	3209	3236	3229
Agriculture		4028	4113	4232	3740	3787	3784	3900	3872	3940	3987	3982	3981	4033
Industry		141	127	112	135	132	136	133	139	133	138	137	140	137
Services		397	404	417	377	380	385	411	407	420	417	414	400	395
		3490	3583	3704	3228	3275	3264	3356	3326	3387	3432	3430	3442	3501
<b>Employees<sup>(1)</sup></b>														
	thousands													
Total	sa	7880	8031	8262	7427	7495	7380	7632	7657	7812	7747	7785	7819	7893
	sa				7431	7451	7446	7610	7655	7769	7813	7765	7815	7854
<b>Civilian employment</b>														
	2000=100													
Total	sa	101.2	103.3	105.7	96.6	97.2	97.1	98.8	98.9	100.0	100.4	100.7	100.5	101.3
	sa				97.1	97.4	98.0	98.8	99.4	100.2	101.3	100.7	100.9	101.5
Agriculture	sa	98.8	92.9	84.1	96.2	97.8	98.0	98.3	100.7	99.5	100.9	98.9	95.2	97.3
Industry	sa	97.3	99.8	102.3	95.5	98.3	97.9	98.4	100.5	99.7	100.6	99.1	95.5	97.1
Services	sa	102.6	105.1	108.1	97.7	98.0	97.5	99.1	98.9	99.4	100.3	101.4	102.0	102.8
	sa				97.8	97.7	98.0	98.8	99.0	99.2	100.7	101.1	101.9	102.6

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# AUSTRALIE

2001		2002				2003				2004				
Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3		
<b>Population active totale</b>														
9766	9820	9960	9910	9900	10001	10204	10137	10024	10133	10268	10262	10186		<i>milliers</i>
5449	5488	5579	5554	5513	5547	5645	5602	5565	5617	5727	5705	5637		Total
4316	4332	4381	4356	4387	4455	4559	4535	4459	4516	4541	4558	4549		Hommes
														Femmes
<b>Population active civile</b>														
9708	9762	9902	9852	9842	9943	10146	10079	9966	10075	10210	10204	10128		<i>milliers</i>
9796	9814	9851	9859	9935	9995	10086	10086	10063	10125	10144	10210	10229		Total
5399	5438	5529	5504	5463	5497	5595	5552	5515	5567	5677	5655	5587		Hommes
5452	5474	5500	5514	5519	5534	5563	5562	5574	5604	5642	5665	5647		Femmes
4308	4324	4373	4348	4379	4447	4551	4527	4451	4508	4533	4550	4541		
4343	4340	4351	4345	4416	4462	4523	4524	4489	4521	4501	4546	4582		
<b>Chômage</b>														
646	637	736	630	598	583	693	627	569	540	670	564	550		<i>milliers</i>
678	680	658	628	628	626	617	626	599	582	595	563	579		Total
123	132	162	134	122	123	153	128	119	112	151	130	124		De 15 à 19 ans
113	101	125	98	111	94	114	110	97	89	114	91	97		De 20 à 24 ans
365	361	400	354	328	322	382	347	312	300	359	301	283		De 25 à 54 ans
45	42	49	45	37	44	44	42	42	39	46	42	46		55 ans et plus
373	374	419	366	340	329	381	345	309	284	353	309	299		Hommes
64	74	91	72	66	67	83	71	62	56	77	65	62		De 15 à 19 ans
64	62	70	59	63	56	64	61	54	44	63	53	57		De 20 à 24 ans
212	205	223	201	181	176	203	187	166	156	182	162	148		De 25 à 54 ans
33	32	36	34	30	30	31	27	28	28	32	29	31		55 ans et plus
273	263	317	264	258	255	312	282	260	256	316	255	252		Femmes
59	58	72	62	56	56	70	57	57	55	74	64	62		De 15 à 19 ans
49	39	55	38	48	38	50	49	43	46	51	38	40		De 20 à 24 ans
153	156	177	152	147	147	178	160	146	143	178	139	134		De 25 à 54 ans
12	10	13	12	7	14	13	16	14	12	14	13	15		55 ans et plus
<b>Population active civile occupée</b>														
9062	9125	9166	9221	9244	9360	9453	9452	9396	9535	9540	9641	9578		<i>milliers</i>
9134	9133	9199	9233	9316	9367	9486	9460	9472	9542	9572	9646	9658		Total
450	450	443	434	400	371	355	383	377	378	375	368	357		Agriculture
447	451	446	432	398	372	359	380	375	379	379	364	355		Industrie
1890	1930	1929	1948	1939	2001	2048	1984	1999	1979	2018	2078	2073		Services
1896	1924	1935	1941	1947	1996	2050	1978	2010	1974	2018	2072	2085		Hommes
6722	6745	6794	6839	6906	6987	7050	7086	7020	7177	7147	7195	7148		Agriculture
6745	6735	6789	6830	6928	6980	7044	7075	7044	7171	7140	7183	7173		Industrie
5026	5064	5110	5138	5123	5168	5214	5207	5205	5283	5324	5346	5288		Services
309	306	303	302	282	255	246	269	263	270	258	251	243		Hommes
1491	1534	1536	1540	1537	1588	1613	1573	1583	1574	1625	1672	1655		Agriculture
3227	3224	3271	3295	3304	3325	3354	3365	3359	3440	3440	3423	3390		Industrie
4036	4061	4056	4084	4122	4192	4240	4245	4191	4252	4216	4295	4290		Services
141	144	140	132	118	116	109	114	114	109	117	117	114		Femmes
400	396	393	408	402	413	435	411	416	405	392	406	418		Agriculture
3495	3521	3523	3544	3602	3663	3696	3721	3661	3738	3707	3772	3758		Industrie
														Services
<b>Salariés<sup>(1)</sup></b>														
7846	7961	7978	8010	7998	8138	8265	8259	8219	8305	8285	8403	8240		<i>milliers</i>
7906	7945	7970	7975	8057	8121	8257	8226	8278	8288	8275	8372	8299		Total
<b>Population active civile occupée</b>														
101.2	101.9	102.4	103.0	103.3	104.6	105.6	105.6	105.0	106.5	106.6	107.7	107.0		2000=100
102.0	102.0	102.8	103.1	104.1	104.6	106.0	105.7	105.8	106.6	106.9	107.8	107.9		Total
101.4	101.5	99.8	97.9	90.1	83.7	80.1	86.3	84.9	85.3	84.5	82.8	80.4		Agriculture
100.8	101.7	100.5	97.4	89.6	83.9	80.8	85.7	84.5	85.5	85.4	82.1	80.1		Industrie
96.5	98.6	98.5	99.5	99.0	102.2	104.6	101.3	102.1	101.1	103.0	106.1	105.9		Services
96.8	98.3	98.8	99.1	99.5	102.0	104.7	101.0	102.7	100.8	103.0	105.8	106.5		
102.6	103.0	103.7	104.4	105.4	106.7	107.6	108.2	107.2	109.6	109.1	109.9	109.1		
103.0	102.8	103.7	104.3	105.8	106.6	107.5	108.0	107.5	109.5	109.0	109.7	109.5		

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## AUSTRALIA (continued)

	2001	2002	2003	1999				2000				2001	
				Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2
<b>Unemployment rate</b>													
				as percentage of total labour force									
Total	6.8	6.4	6.0	8.0	7.0	6.7	6.1	7.1	6.4	5.9	5.9	7.3	6.9
sa				7.2	7.0	6.8	6.4	6.4	6.4	6.1	6.2	6.6	6.9
Males	7.0	6.5	5.9	8.0	7.2	6.9	6.3	6.9	6.4	6.2	6.2	7.4	7.0
Females	6.6	6.2	6.1	8.0	6.8	6.3	5.9	7.3	6.4	5.5	5.5	7.1	6.8
<b>Youth unemployment (15 - 24 years)</b>													
				as percentage of total unemployed									
Total	38.1	38.0	37.9	38.1	37.4	36.7	36.3	37.4	36.7	37.4	36.0	39.8	39.3
Males	36.7	37.4	37.3	35.6	34.4	35.8	34.7	36.9	35.1	34.4	36.1	38.0	38.0
Females	39.9	38.8	38.5	41.5	41.5	38.0	38.5	38.1	38.6	41.7	36.0	42.1	40.9
<b>Civilian employment (sectors)</b>													
				as percentage of total									
Agriculture	4.8	4.5	3.9	4.9	5.0	5.0	4.9	5.0	4.9	5.0	4.9	4.7	4.8
Industry	21.0	21.1	21.2	21.1	21.2	21.5	21.7	21.8	22.3	21.9	21.5	21.1	21.0
Services	74.1	74.4	74.9	74.0	73.8	73.5	73.4	73.2	72.7	73.1	73.7	74.2	74.2

(1) Civilian employees in all activities.

## AUSTRALIE (suite)

2001		2002				2003				2004				
Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3		
<b>Taux de chômage</b>														
														<i>en pourcentage de la population active totale</i>
6.6	6.5	7.4	6.4	6.0	5.8	6.8	6.2	5.7	5.3	6.5	5.5	5.4		<i>cvs</i>
6.9	6.9	6.6	6.3	6.3	6.2	6.1	6.2	5.9	5.7	5.8	5.5	5.6		Total
6.8	6.8	7.5	6.6	6.2	5.9	6.8	6.2	5.6	5.1	6.2	5.4	5.3		Hommes
6.3	6.1	7.2	6.1	5.9	5.7	6.8	6.2	5.8	5.7	7.0	5.6	5.5		Femmes
<b>Chômage des jeunes (15 - 24 ans)</b>														<i>en pourcentage du total des chômeurs</i>
36.5	36.7	39.0	36.7	38.9	37.2	38.5	37.9	37.8	37.3	39.5	39.2	40.3		Total
34.4	36.4	38.3	35.9	37.8	37.4	38.6	38.0	37.5	35.2	39.5	38.2	40.1		Hommes
39.5	37.0	39.9	37.9	40.4	36.9	38.5	37.8	38.3	39.5	39.5	40.3	40.5		Femmes
<b>Pop. active civ. occupée (secteurs)</b>														<i>en pourcentage du total</i>
5.0	4.9	4.8	4.7	4.3	4.0	3.8	4.1	4.0	4.0	3.9	3.8	3.7		Agriculture
20.9	21.1	21.0	21.1	21.0	21.4	21.7	21.0	21.3	20.8	21.1	21.6	21.6		Industrie
74.2	73.9	74.1	74.2	74.7	74.7	74.6	75.0	74.7	75.3	74.9	74.6	74.6		Services

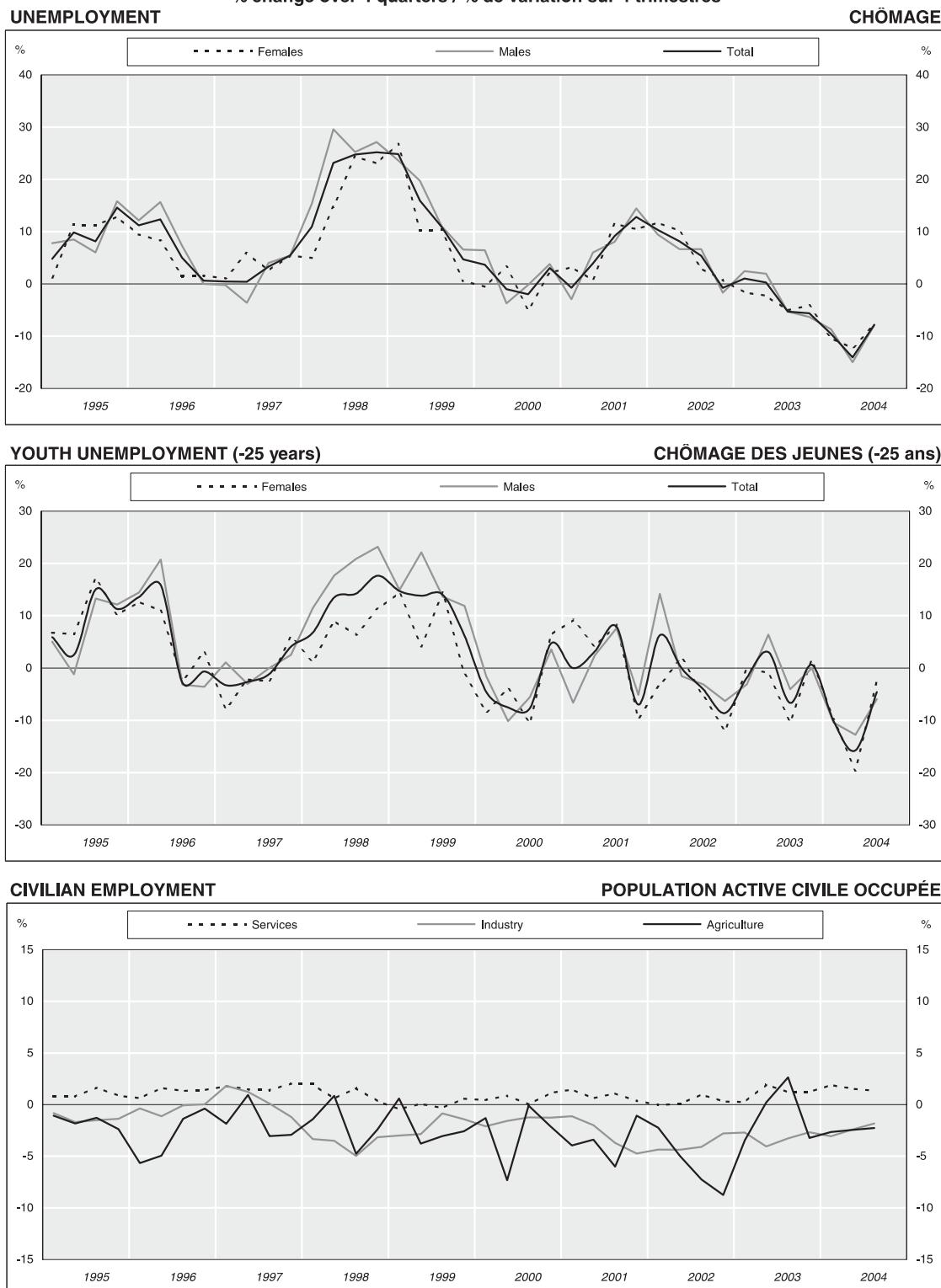
(1) Salariés civils dans toutes les catégories.

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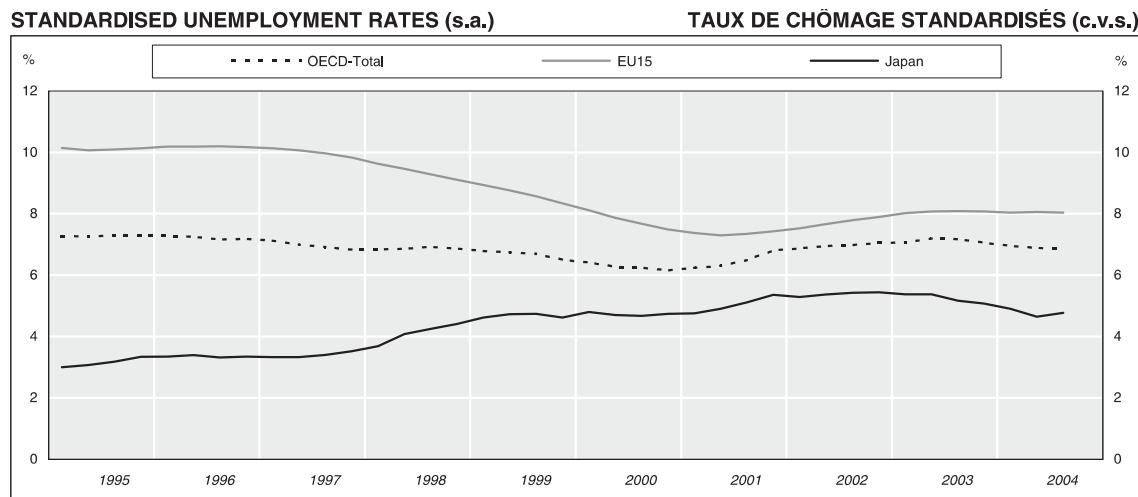
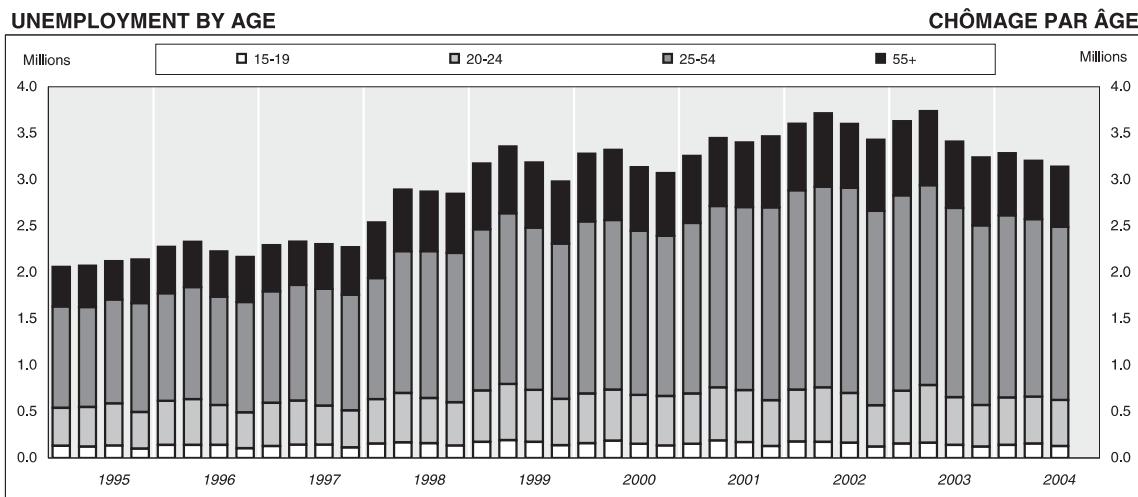
## INDICATORS OF LABOUR FORCE COMPONENTS

% change over 4 quarters / % de variation sur 4 trimestres



## COMPOSANTES DE LA POPULATION ACTIVE

Absolute figures / Nombre de personnes



# JAPAN

	2001	2002	2003	1999				2000				2001	
				Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2
<b>Civilian labour force</b>													
Total	67518	66890	66663	66830	68417	68257	67673	66653	68137	67957	67903	66897	68003
Males	39917	39558	39340	67780	67795	67847	67746	67557	67580	67578	67923	67768	67509
Females	27603	27335	27327	39933	40393	40370	40273	39827	40203	40207	40310	39693	40100
				40291	40204	40229	40242	40175	40031	40073	40265	40038	39939
				26893	28023	27893	27400	26827	27933	27747	27593	27207	27903
				27502	27582	27637	27484	27405	27528	27512	27649	27769	27531
<b>Unemployment</b>													
Total	3395	3588	3504	3167	3350	3187	2980	3283	3317	3123	3070	3260	3447
Males	158	158	144	3126	3211	3214	3126	3243	3179	3156	3211	3222	3309
From 15 to 19 years	543	533	538	553	607	560	500	537	553	527	533	543	573
From 20 to 24 years	1962	2154	2059	1737	1840	1747	1673	1853	1827	1770	1727	1840	1953
From 25 to 54 years	731	743	763	710	723	707	670	733	760	687	677	723	737
55 years and over	2086	2193	2153	1920	2063	1910	1847	2043	1987	1907	1917	1983	2107
Females	94	95	84	113	123	107	87	97	110	93	80	87	107
From 15 to 19 years	304	306	316	297	337	310	290	307	303	300	310	290	317
From 20 to 24 years	1123	1222	1176	960	1037	940	947	1057	1003	993	1003	1040	1100
From 25 to 54 years	563	568	576	557	573	553	533	577	577	523	527	560	580
55 years and over	1311	1395	1350	1247	1287	1277	1127	1240	1330	1213	1150	1280	1340
Females	64	63	60	60	67	67	50	60	73	57	53	63	80
From 15 to 19 years	238	227	223	257	270	250	210	230	250	227	223	253	257
From 20 to 24 years	839	933	883	777	803	807	727	797	823	777	723	800	853
From 25 to 54 years	168	174	188	153	150	153	137	157	183	163	150	163	157
<b>Civilian employment<sup>(1)</sup></b>													
Total	64121	63303	63162	63660	65067	65073	64693	63370	64820	64830	64833	63637	64553
Agriculture	3135	2949	2927	64638	64597	64633	64614	64312	64408	64406	64713	64562	64185
Industry	19554	18789	18191	2810	3827	3620	3150	2773	3547	3617	3083	2663	3427
Services	41432	41565	42044	3389	3430	3293	3299	3324	3191	3305	3218	3161	3098
Males	37829	37365	37187	20360	20380	20580	20490	19933	20060	20327	20233	19710	19660
Agriculture	1749	1678	1673	20559	20429	20426	20395	20130	20111	20185	20120	19913	19709
Industry	14122	13709	13305	14567	14557	14790	14710	14313	14437	14670	14550	14170	14243
Services	21958	21978	22209	21817	21700	21743	21943	21833	21837	21720	22080	21973	21857
Females	26293	25938	25975	25647	26737	26613	26270	25587	26600	26537	26443	25923	26567
Agriculture	1388	1274	1259	1183	1757	1707	1383	1140	1607	1700	1327	1097	1543
Industry	5433	5080	4886	5793	5823	5790	5780	5620	5623	5657	5683	5540	5417
Services	19473	19584	19830	18670	19157	19117	19107	18827	19370	19180	19433	19287	19607
<b>Employees</b>													
Total	53689	53309	53348	53063	53250	53360	53557	52840	53473	53713	54210	53473	53950
Agriculture	464	482	475	53412	53190	53276	53326	53228	53417	53599	53965	53906	53890
Industry	17438	16738	16206	18097	18017	18137	18150	17570	17737	18043	17990	17563	17583
Services	35788	36089	36668	34580	34810	34847	35000	34853	35300	35260	35813	35477	35887
<b>Civilian employment</b>													
Total	99.5	98.2	98.0	98.8	100.9	100.9	100.4	98.3	100.6	100.6	100.6	98.7	100.1
Agriculture	96.3	90.6	89.9	86.3	117.6	111.2	96.8	85.2	109.0	111.1	94.7	81.8	105.3
Industry	97.1	93.3	90.3	104.1	105.4	101.2	101.3	102.1	98.0	101.5	98.9	97.1	95.2
Services	100.9	101.2	102.4	101.1	101.2	102.2	101.7	99.0	99.6	100.9	100.5	97.9	97.6
				102.1	101.4	101.4	101.3	100.0	99.9	100.2	99.9	98.9	97.9
				99.1	99.1	99.7	99.6	99.5	100.1	99.7	100.7	101.0	100.7

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# JAPON

2001		2002				2003				2004				
Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3		
<b>Population active civile</b>														
														<i>milliers</i>
67720	67453	66303	67267	67247	66743	65837	67323	67023	66470	65653	66930	66933	cvs	Total
67349	67443	67146	66814	66876	66725	66667	66883	66647	66455	66478	66499	66554	cvs	Hommes
40023	39850	39380	39687	39743	39423	39057	39633	39440	39230	38767	39287	39187	cvs	Femmes
39886	39804	39725	39527	39601	39383	39400	39470	39293	39200	39108	39121	39038		
27700	27603	26923	27583	27510	27323	26780	27697	27590	27240	26883	27643	27740		
27479	27636	27461	27241	27297	27342	27304	27370	27376	27252	27406	27326	27523		
<b>Chômage</b>														<i>milliers</i>
3410	3463	3597	3727	3593	3437	3633	3737	3403	3243	3287	3210	3137	cvs	Total
3452	3609	3555	3583	3644	3567	3595	3594	3454	3358	3257	3088	3186	cvs	De 15 à 19 ans
170	127	177	173	163	120	153	163	140	120	140	153	127	cvs	De 20 à 24 ans
560	493	560	587	537	447	570	620	513	450	510	507	497	cvs	De 25 à 54 ans
1973	2080	2147	2163	2210	2097	2107	2153	2040	1937	1963	1913	1867	cvs	55 ans et plus
697	767	720	793	690	767	800	803	717	733	673	630	650	cvs	Hommes
2060	2193	2170	2247	2197	2157	2223	2290	2080	2020	2030	1947	1917	cvs	De 15 à 19 ans
107	77	107	100	100	73	90	83	87	77	73	87	70	cvs	De 20 à 24 ans
317	293	323	317	310	273	327	360	307	270	300	300	300	cvs	De 25 à 54 ans
1113	1237	1193	1203	1273	1217	1200	1230	1157	1117	1147	1087	1080	cvs	55 ans et plus
520	590	547	620	520	587	607	610	537	550	510	467	467	cvs	Femmes
1353	1270	1430	1477	1393	1280	1407	1443	1323	1227	1260	1267	1220	cvs	De 15 à 19 ans
63	50	70	73	63	47	63	80	53	43	67	67	57	cvs	De 20 à 24 ans
243	200	237	270	227	173	243	260	207	180	210	207	197	cvs	De 25 à 54 ans
860	843	953	960	937	880	907	923	883	820	817	827	787	cvs	55 ans et plus
177	177	173	173	170	180	193	180	183	163	163	163	183	cvs	
<b>Population active civile occupée<sup>(1)</sup></b>														<i>milliers</i>
64303	63990	62707	63540	63660	63307	62207	63590	63627	63223	62363	63723	63790	cvs	Total
63888	63848	63605	63206	63246	63160	63088	63269	63208	63070	63242	63410	63364	cvs	Agriculture
3400	3050	2603	3257	3153	2783	2513	3263	3237	2693	2447	3183	3163	cvs	Industrie
3113	3176	3086	2953	2888	2897	2976	2963	2965	2795	2889	2896	2897	cvs	Services
19573	19273	18853	18800	18770	18733	18343	18037	18153	18230	17780	17603	17820	cvs	Hommes
19444	19156	19050	18845	18650	18615	18538	18078	18041	18113	17969	17642	17711	cvs	Agriculture
41330	41667	41250	41483	41737	41790	41350	42290	42237	42300	42137	42937	42807	cvs	Industrie
41383	41483	41472	41401	41776	41607	41576	42219	42265	42117	42367	42871	42829	cvs	Services
37960	37657	37213	37433	37547	37267	36833	37343	37357	37213	36737	37343	37270	cvs	Hommes
1813	1727	1520	1847	1760	1583	1473	1817	1817	1583	1433	1783	1780	cvs	Agriculture
14117	13957	13730	13723	13650	13733	13420	13193	13250	13357	13067	12957	13023	cvs	Industrie
22030	21973	21963	21863	22137	21950	21940	22333	22290	22273	22237	22603	22467	cvs	Services
26347	26337	25493	26107	26113	26040	25370	26250	26267	26013	25620	26377	26523	cvs	Femmes
1583	1327	1087	1413	1390	1207	1043	1460	1423	1110	1013	1397	1387	cvs	Agriculture
5457	5317	5123	5077	5120	5000	4923	4843	4903	4873	4713	4647	4797	cvs	Industrie
19307	19693	19283	19617	19603	19833	19403	19947	19940	20030	19893	20333	20340	cvs	Services
<b>Salariés</b>														<i>milliers</i>
53687	53647	52890	53287	53613	53447	52823	53453	53523	53593	53023	53820	53723	cvs	Total
53544	53407	53345	53219	53451	53218	53288	53381	53353	53371	53495	53745	53548	cvs	Agriculture
463	480	433	523	487	483	460	497	477	467	427	430	440	cvs	Industrie
17453	17150	16800	16750	16730	16673	16293	16050	16233	16247	15800	15777	15883	cvs	Services
35770	36017	35657	36013	36397	36290	36070	36907	36813	36880	36797	37613	37400	cvs	
<b>Population active civile occupée<sup>(1)</sup></b>														<i>2000=100</i>
99.8	99.3	97.3	98.6	98.8	98.2	96.5	98.6	98.7	98.1	96.7	98.9	99.0	cvs	Total
99.1	99.0	98.7	98.0	98.1	98.0	97.9	98.1	98.1	97.8	98.1	98.4	98.3	cvs	Agriculture
104.5	93.7	80.0	100.1	96.9	85.5	77.2	100.3	99.4	82.7	75.2	97.8	97.2	cvs	Industrie
95.6	97.6	94.8	90.7	88.7	89.0	91.4	91.0	91.1	85.9	88.7	89.0	89.0	cvs	Services
97.2	95.7	93.6	93.4	93.2	93.0	91.1	89.6	90.1	90.5	88.3	87.4	88.5	cvs	
96.6	95.1	94.6	93.6	92.6	92.4	92.1	89.8	89.6	89.9	89.2	87.6	87.9	cvs	
100.6	101.5	100.4	101.0	101.6	101.8	100.7	103.0	102.8	103.0	102.6	104.5	104.2	cvs	
100.8	101.0	101.0	100.8	101.7	101.3	101.2	102.8	102.9	102.6	103.2	104.4	104.3	cvs	

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## JAPAN (continued)

	2001	2002	2003	1999				2000				2001		
				Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	
<b>Unemployment rate</b>														
				as percentage of total labour force										
Total	sa	5.0	5.4	5.3	4.7	4.9	4.7	4.4	4.9	4.9	4.6	4.5	4.9	5.1
Males		5.2	5.5	5.5	4.6	4.7	4.7	4.6	4.8	4.7	4.7	4.7	4.8	4.9
Females		4.7	5.1	4.9	4.8	5.1	4.7	4.6	5.1	4.9	4.7	4.8	5.0	5.3
<b>Youth unemployment (15 - 24 years)</b>														
				as percentage of total unemployed										
Total		20.6	19.3	19.5	22.9	23.8	23.0	21.4	21.1	22.2	21.7	21.7	21.3	22.1
Males		19.1	18.3	18.6	21.4	22.3	21.8	20.4	19.7	20.8	20.6	20.3	19.0	20.1
Females		23.1	20.8	20.9	25.4	26.2	24.8	23.1	23.4	24.3	23.4	24.1	24.7	25.1
<b>Civilian employment (sectors)</b>														
				as percentage of total										
Agriculture		4.9	4.7	4.6	4.4	5.9	5.6	4.9	4.4	5.5	5.6	4.8	4.2	5.3
Industry		30.5	29.7	28.8	32.0	31.3	31.6	31.7	31.5	30.9	31.4	31.2	31.0	30.5
Services		64.6	65.7	66.6	63.6	62.8	62.8	63.5	64.2	63.6	63.1	64.0	64.8	64.2

(1) Armed forces, considered as National Self-Defence Forces, are included in Civilian employment.

## JAPON (suite)

2001		2002				2003				2004			<i>cvs</i>	
Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3		
5.0	5.1	5.4	5.5	5.3	5.1	5.5	5.6	5.1	4.9	5.0	4.8	4.7		
5.1	5.4	5.3	5.4	5.4	5.3	5.4	5.4	5.2	5.1	4.9	4.6	4.8		
5.1	5.5	5.5	5.7	5.5	5.5	5.7	5.8	5.3	5.1	5.2	5.0	4.9		
4.9	4.6	5.3	5.4	5.1	4.7	5.3	5.2	4.8	4.5	4.7	4.6	4.4		
<b>Taux de chômage</b>														
<i>en pourcentage de la population active totale</i>														
Total														
Hommes														
Femmes														
<b>Chômage des jeunes (15 - 24 ans)</b>														
<i>en pourcentage du total des chômeurs</i>														
21.4	17.9	20.5	20.4	19.5	16.5	19.9	21.0	19.2	17.6	19.8	20.6	19.9		
20.6	16.9	19.8	18.5	18.7	16.1	18.7	19.4	18.9	17.2	18.4	19.9	19.3		
22.7	19.7	21.4	23.3	20.8	17.2	21.8	23.6	19.6	18.2	22.0	21.6	20.8		
<b>Pop. active civ. occupée (secteurs)</b>														
<i>en pourcentage du total</i>														
5.3	4.8	4.2	5.1	5.0	4.4	4.0	5.1	5.1	4.3	3.9	5.0	5.0		
30.4	30.1	30.1	29.6	29.5	29.6	29.5	28.4	28.5	28.8	28.5	27.6	27.9		
64.3	65.1	65.8	65.3	65.6	66.0	66.5	66.5	66.4	66.9	67.6	67.4	67.1		

(1) Les Forces armées, considérées comme des Forces nationales d'autodéfense, sont incluses dans la Population active civile occupée.

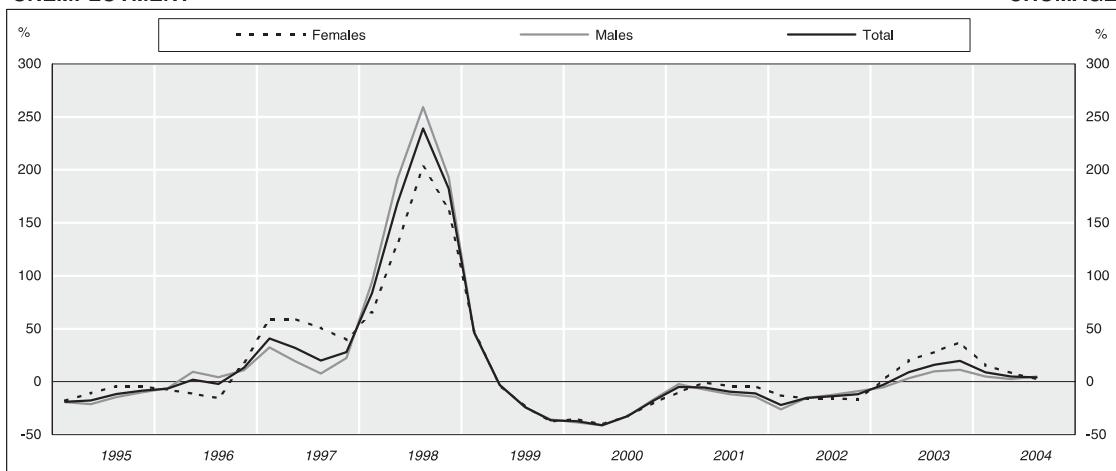
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### INDICATORS OF LABOUR FORCE COMPONENTS

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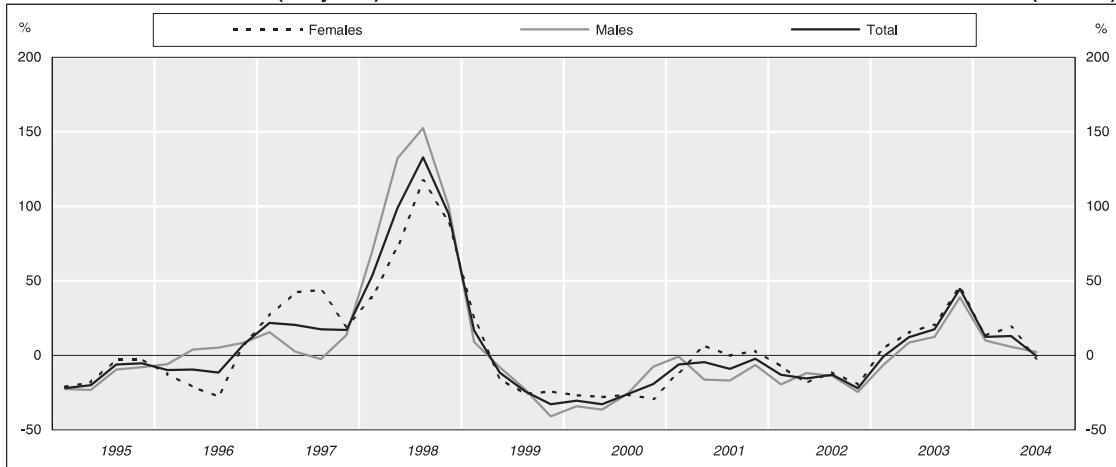
#### UNEMPLOYMENT

#### CHÔMAGE



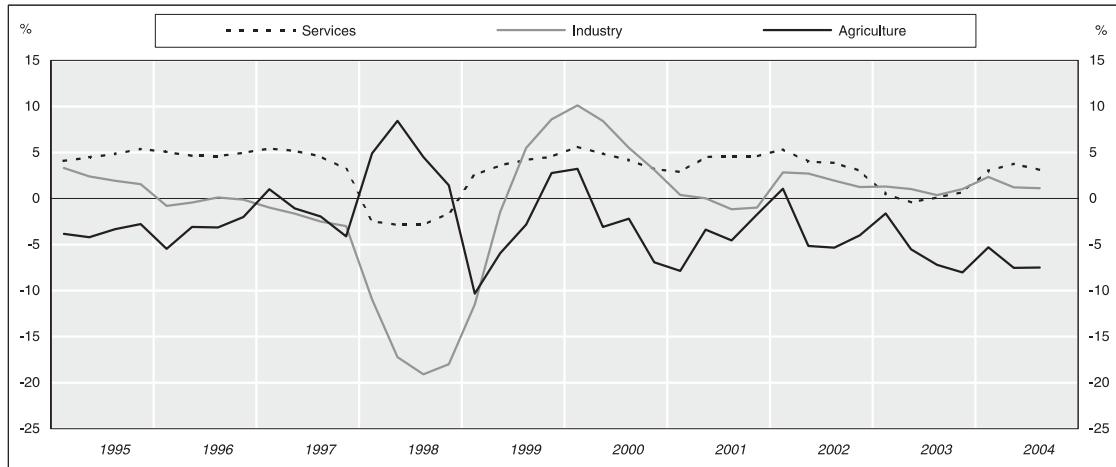
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#### CHÔMAGE DES JEUNES (-25 ans)



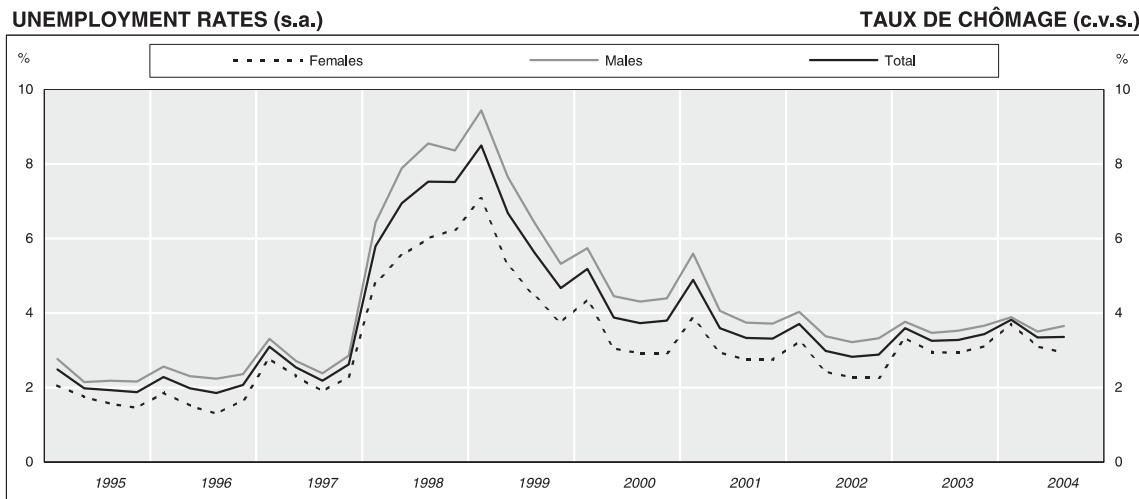
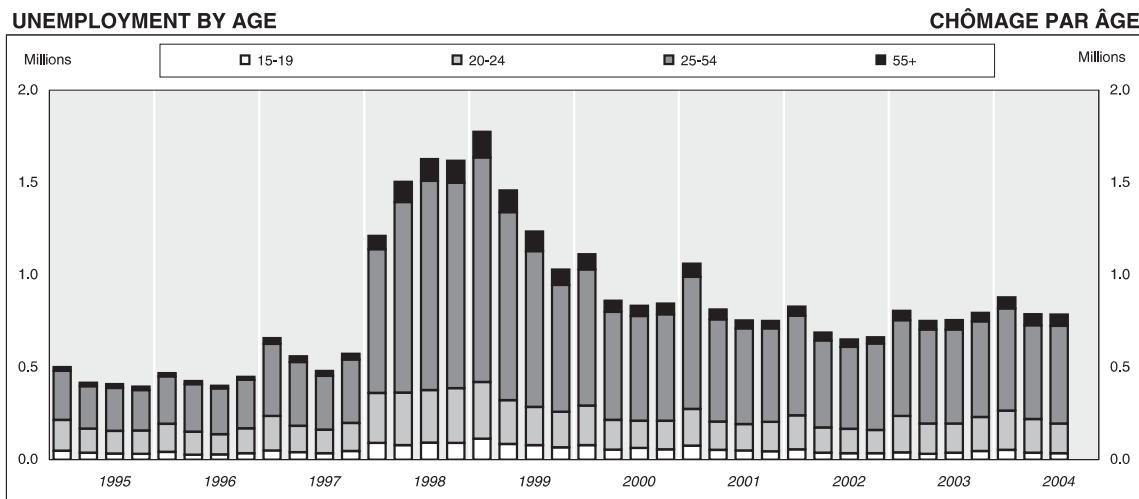
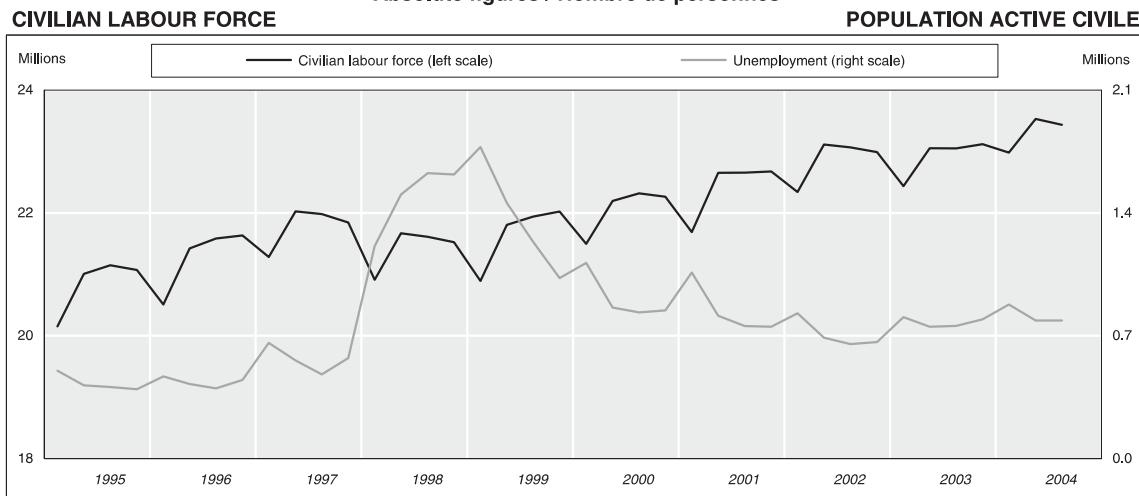
#### CIVILIAN EMPLOYMENT

#### POPULATION ACTIVE CIVILE OCCUPÉE



## COMPOSANTES DE LA POPULATION ACTIVE

Absolute figures / Nombre de personnes



# KOREA

	2001	2002	2003	1999				2000				2001	
				Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2
<b>Civilian labour force</b>													
	<i>thousands</i>												
Total	22417	22877	22916	20894	21807	21941	22020	21494	22197	22319	22265	21687	22653
Males	13142	13411	13518	12589	12916	13000	13016	12786	13028	13093	13093	12821	13224
Females	9275	9466	9397	8305	8891	8941	9004	8708	9170	9226	9172	8866	9429
<b>Unemployment</b>													
	<i>thousands</i>												
Total	845	708	777	1776	1457	1235	1029	1114	861	833	845	1060	814
From 15 to 19 years	55	39	38	112	84	78	66	78	53	62	54	75	52
From 20 to 24 years	164	145	176	308	236	206	193	214	162	148	155	199	153
From 25 to 54 years	573	481	513	1216	1019	844	686	737	584	567	576	715	553
From 55 to 64 years	48	38	45	128	108	102	77	76	56	52	56	67	51
65 years and over	5	6	5	10	10	6	7	8	5	4	4	5	4
Males	561	467	487	1189	988	837	692	734	580	564	575	718	537
From 15 to 19 years	28	20	18	62	49	45	33	39	28	31	31	39	23
From 20 to 24 years	78	67	79	143	124	107	85	96	82	82	78	95	69
From 25 to 54 years	413	347	353	877	722	602	507	537	423	406	419	525	399
From 55 to 64 years	40	30	34	101	88	80	63	56	44	44	45	55	42
65 years and over	4	5	4	6	6	3	5	6	4	3	3	4	4
Females	284	241	289	587	469	399	337	380	280	269	269	342	278
From 15 to 19 years	27	19	19	51	35	33	33	39	25	31	23	36	29
From 20 to 24 years	86	79	98	165	112	99	108	119	81	66	77	104	84
From 25 to 54 years	161	134	161	339	298	243	179	200	162	161	157	189	155
From 55 to 64 years	9	8	11	27	20	21	14	20	12	9	11	12	9
65 years and over	1	2	1	5	4	3	2	2	1	1	1	1	0
<b>Civilian employment</b>													
	<i>thousands</i>												
Total	21572	22169	22139	19118	20351	20706	20991	20380	21337	21486	21420	20627	21839
Agriculture	2148	2069	1950	1797	2534	2548	2330	1855	2456	2492	2169	1709	2373
Industry	5928	6058	6113	5204	5496	5699	5929	5730	5959	6014	6114	5753	5961
Services	13496	14042	14076	12116	12320	12459	12731	12795	12922	12980	13137	13165	13505
Males	12581	12944	13031	11400	11929	12163	12324	12053	12448	12529	12518	12103	12687
Agriculture	1132	1085	1026	1046	1315	1304	1220	1053	1243	1253	1133	979	1218
Industry	4259	4377	4478	3744	3946	4099	4232	4092	4295	4331	4375	4109	4295
Services	7191	7482	7526	6611	6668	6761	6871	6907	6909	6945	7009	7015	7175
Females	8991	9225	9108	7718	8422	8543	8667	8328	8889	8957	8902	8524	9152
Agriculture	1016	984	923	752	1219	1244	1110	802	1213	1239	1036	730	1155
Industry	1670	1681	1635	1460	1550	1601	1697	1637	1664	1683	1738	1643	1668
Services	6305	6560	6550	5506	5652	5697	5860	5889	6013	6035	6128	6152	6329
<b>Employees</b>													
	<i>thousands</i>												
Total	13659	14181	14403	11998	12629	12841	13185	13058	13407	13399	13578	13197	13769
Agriculture	163	152	162	137	225	192	188	152	214	187	162	116	183
Industry	4820	4921	4995	4229	4521	4701	4876	4684	4888	4918	4995	4666	4850
Services	8675	9109	9246	7632	7883	7949	8121	8222	8306	8294	8420	8415	8736
<b>Civilian employment</b>													
	2000=100												
Total	102.0	104.8	104.6	90.4	96.2	97.9	99.2	96.3	100.9	101.6	101.2	97.5	103.2
Agriculture	95.8	92.2	86.9	80.1	113.0	113.6	103.9	82.7	109.5	111.1	96.7	76.2	105.8
Industry	99.6	101.7	102.7	87.4	92.3	95.7	99.6	96.2	100.1	101.0	102.7	96.6	100.1
Services	104.1	108.4	108.6	93.5	95.1	96.1	98.2	98.7	99.7	100.2	101.4	101.6	104.2
<b>Unemployment rate</b>													
	as percentage of total labour force												
Total	3.8	3.1	3.4	8.5	6.7	5.6	4.7	5.2	3.9	3.7	3.8	4.9	3.6
Males	4.3	3.5	3.6	9.4	7.6	6.4	5.3	5.7	4.5	4.3	4.4	5.6	4.1
Females	3.1	2.5	3.1	7.1	5.3	4.5	3.7	4.4	3.1	2.9	2.9	3.9	2.9
<b>Youth unemployment (15 - 24 years)</b>													
	as percentage of total unemployed												
Total	25.9	26.0	27.5	23.6	22.0	23.0	25.2	26.2	25.0	25.2	24.7	25.8	25.2
Males	18.8	18.6	19.8	17.2	17.5	18.2	17.1	18.4	19.0	20.0	19.0	18.7	17.1
Females	39.9	40.6	40.3	36.8	31.3	33.1	41.8	41.6	37.9	36.1	37.2	40.9	40.6

# CORÉE

2001		2002				2003				2004				
Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3		
22655 13261 9394	22674 13264 9410	22339 13160 9179	23112 13473 9639	23067 13506 9562	22989 13507 9483	22439 13339 9100	23055 13549 9506	23050 13555 9495	23119 13631 9488	22982 13557 9425	23531 13745 9785	23434 13705 9729		

## KOREA (*continued*)

	2001	2002	2003	1999				2000				2001	
				Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2
<b>Civilian employment (sectors)</b>													
				as percentage of total									
Agriculture	10.0	9.3	8.8	9.4	12.5	12.3	11.1	9.1	11.5	11.6	10.1	8.3	10.9
Industry	27.5	27.3	27.6	27.2	27.0	27.5	28.2	28.1	27.9	28.0	28.5	27.9	27.3
Services	62.6	63.3	63.6	63.4	60.5	60.2	60.6	62.8	60.6	60.4	61.3	63.8	61.8

**CORÉE (suite)**

2001		2002				2003				2004			
Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	
10.9	9.7	8.0	10.0	10.0	9.2	7.9	9.5	9.4	8.4	7.3	8.6	8.5	
27.1	27.6	27.5	27.3	27.0	27.5	27.7	27.7	27.3	27.7	27.7	27.5	27.2	
62.0	62.7	64.5	62.7	62.9	63.4	64.4	62.7	63.3	63.8	65.0	63.8	64.3	

**Pop. active civ. occupée (secteurs)**

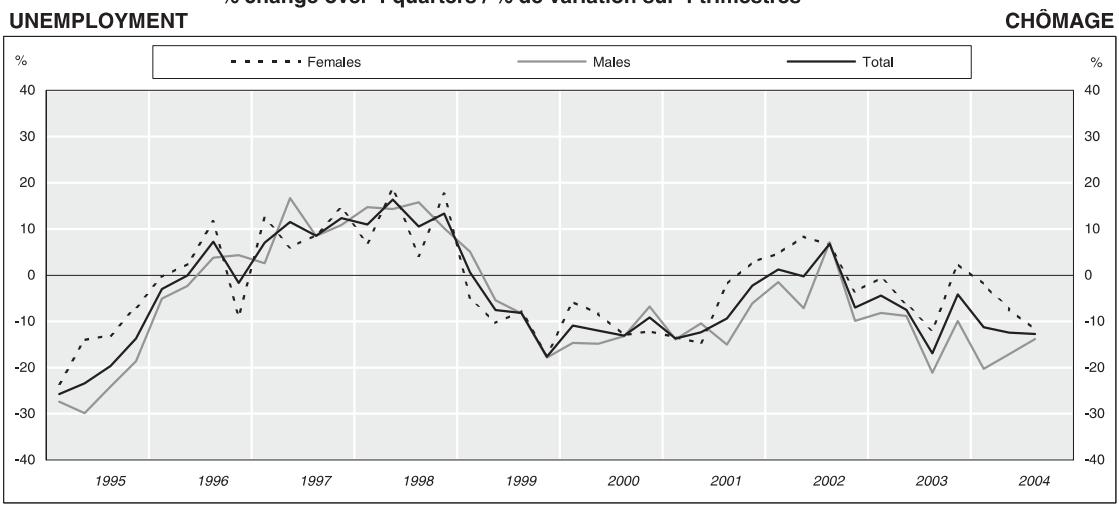
*en pourcentage du total*

Agriculture  
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## NEW ZEALAND

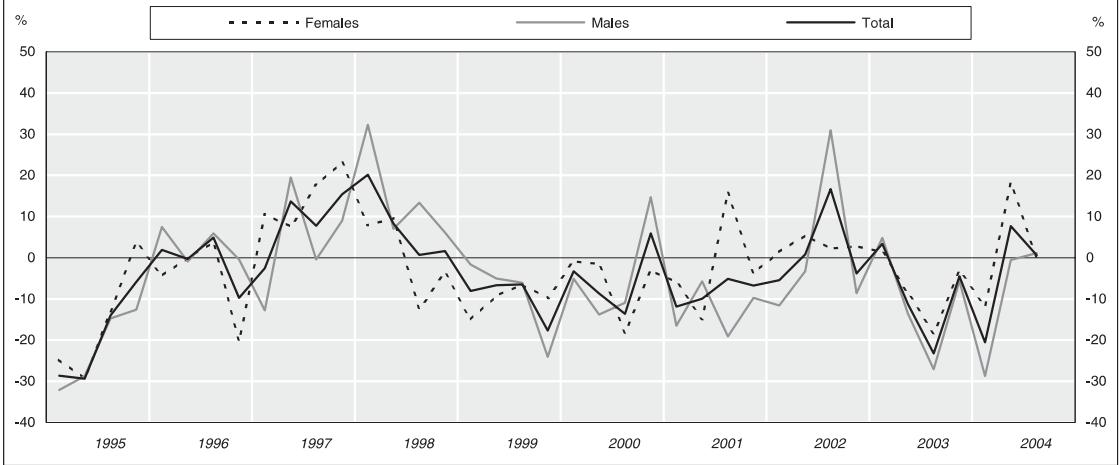
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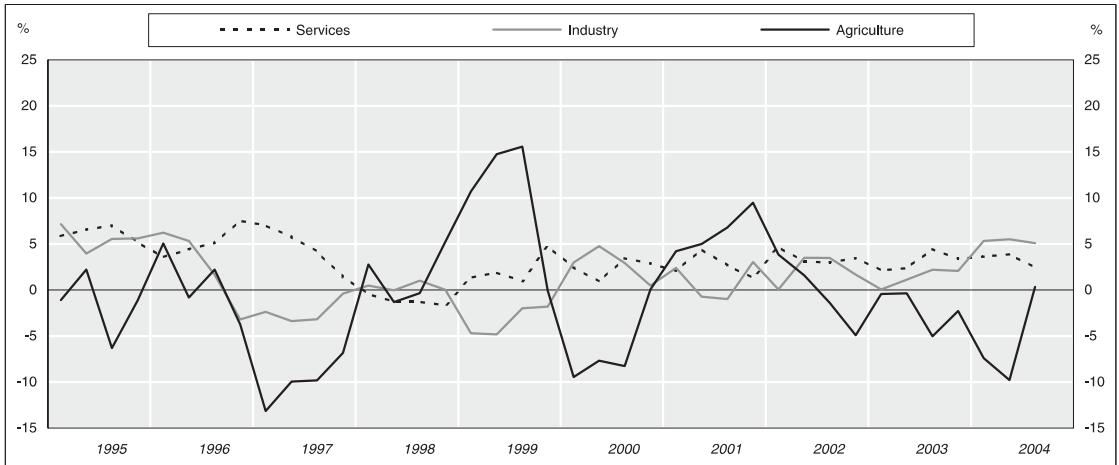
**YOUTH UNEMPLOYMENT (-25 years)**

**CHÔMAGE DES JEUNES (-25 ans)**



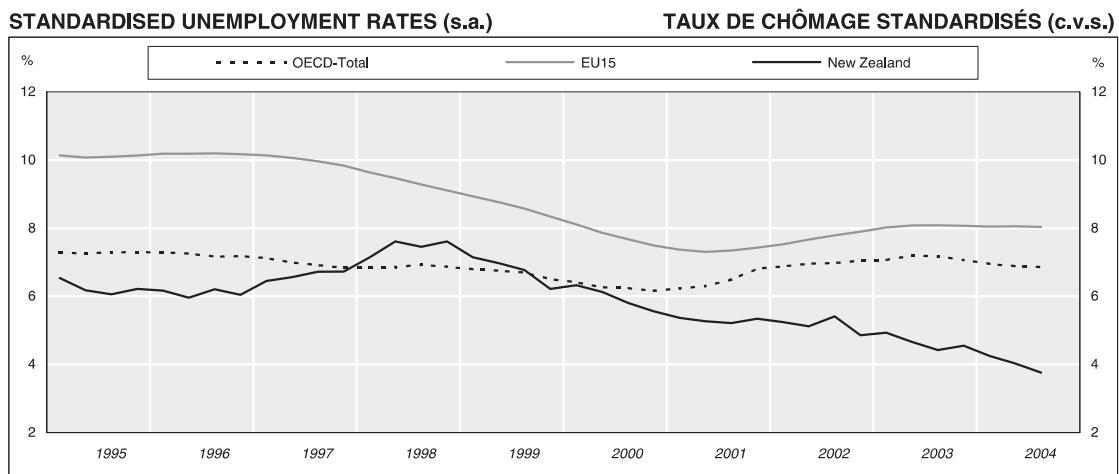
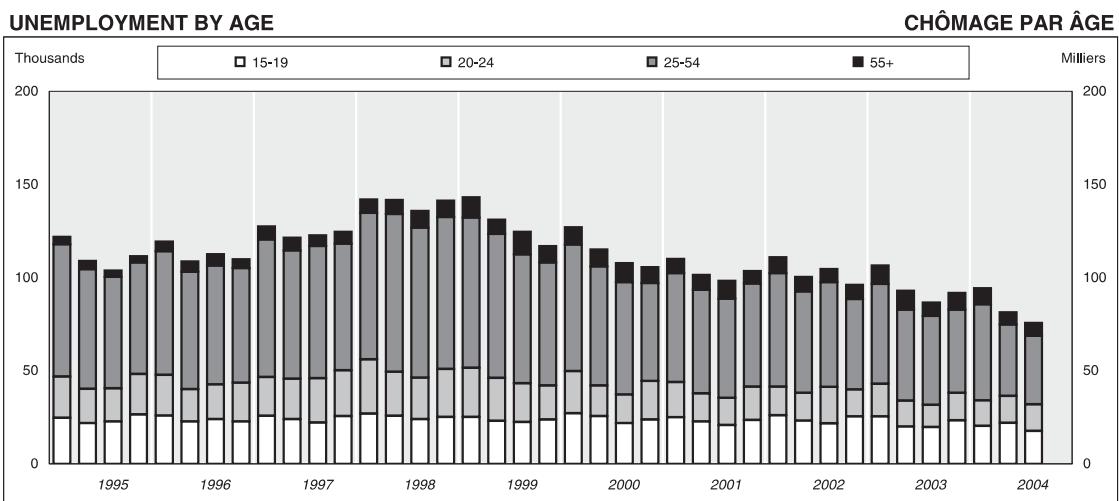
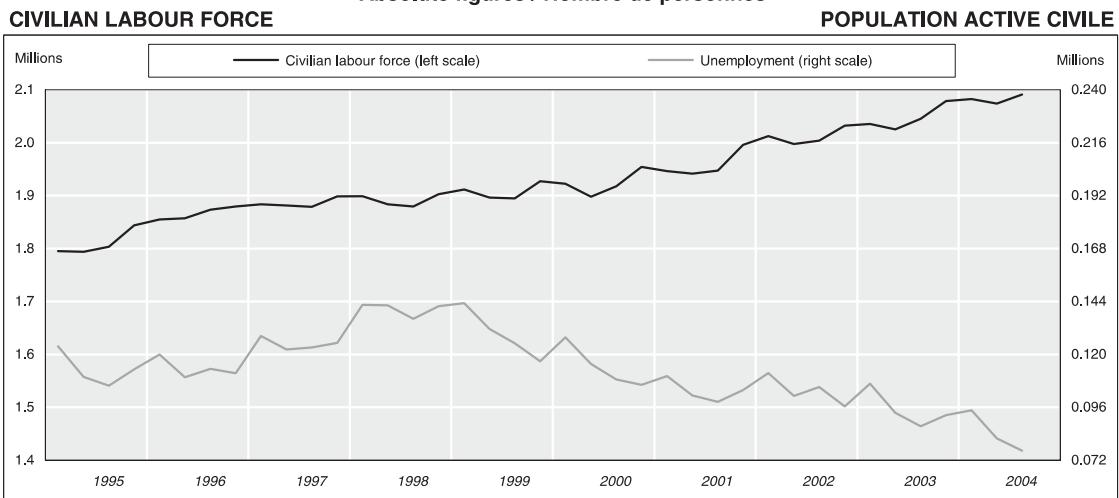
**CIVILIAN EMPLOYMENT**

**POPULATION ACTIVE CIVILE OCCUPÉE**



**COMPOSANTES DE LA POPULATION ACTIVE**

Absolute figures / Nombre de personnes



# NEW ZEALAND

	2001	2002	2003	1999				2000				2001	
				Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2
<b>Total labour force</b>													
Total	1967	2020	2055	1921	1905	1904	1936	1931	1907	1927	1963	1955	1951
Males	1071	1100	1112	1056	1043	1042	1062	1060	1046	1052	1072	1070	1058
Females	896	921	943	865	863	862	874	871	862	875	891	886	892
<b>Civilian labour force</b>													
Total	1958	2012	2046	1912	1896	1895	1927	1922	1898	1918	1954	1946	1942
Males	sa	1063	1092	1105	1048	1035	1034	1054	1052	1038	1044	1065	1062
Females	sa	895	919	941	864	861	861	873	870	860	874	890	884
	sa				863	864	864	868	869	863	877	884	884
<b>Unemployment</b>													
Total	103	104	95	143	132	125	117	128	116	109	106	110	101
	sa			136	133	129	119	121	117	113	108	104	103
From 15 to 19 years	23	24	22	25	23	23	24	27	26	22	24	25	23
From 20 to 24 years	17	16	15	26	23	21	18	23	17	15	21	19	15
From 25 to 54 years	56	55	49	81	77	69	66	68	64	60	53	58	56
55 years and over	8	8	9	11	8	12	9	9	9	10	9	8	8
Males	56	55	48	81	73	72	65	69	63	63	61	60	56
From 15 to 19 years	12	13	12	14	14	13	13	15	13	12	13	13	12
From 20 to 24 years	9	9	7	16	13	12	10	13	10	10	12	10	9
From 25 to 54 years	30	28	24	44	42	39	36	35	33	33	28	30	29
55 years and over	5	5	5	7	5	8	6	6	7	7	6	6	5
Females	47	49	47	62	58	53	52	59	53	46	46	51	45
From 15 to 19 years	11	12	10	12	9	10	11	12	13	10	10	12	11
From 20 to 24 years	8	7	7	11	10	9	9	10	7	6	8	9	6
From 25 to 54 years	26	27	25	36	35	31	30	33	31	28	24	28	26
55 years and over	3	3	4	4	3	4	3	4	3	3	2	2	3
<b>Civilian employment</b>													
Total	1854	1908	1951	1769	1765	1770	1810	1794	1782	1809	1848	1836	1840
	sa			1767	1772	1778	1796	1792	1791	1818	1832	1834	1850
Agriculture	163	162	159	169	162	167	156	153	150	153	156	159	157
	sa			166	166	168	155	150	153	154	155	157	160
Industry	421	430	436	410	398	403	413	422	417	415	415	432	414
	sa			404	401	409	410	416	420	421	412	427	417
Services	1270	1316	1356	1191	1204	1200	1241	1220	1215	1241	1277	1245	1269
	sa			1198	1207	1201	1228	1227	1219	1243	1264	1251	1274
Males	1007	1038	1057	967	961	962	990	983	975	981	1004	1003	995
Agriculture	109	108	110	109	104	107	102	98	99	101	104	105	104
Industry	321	330	337	306	303	306	315	318	319	314	318	327	311
Services	577	600	609	535	555	549	573	568	558	567	583	570	579
Females	848	870	894	802	803	808	821	811	807	828	844	834	846
Agriculture	54	54	49	59	59	60	54	55	51	52	53	54	53
Industry	98	99	97	102	94	95	96	102	97	99	95	103	101
Services	693	707	743	639	640	651	668	652	657	675	694	675	690
<b>Employees</b>													
Total	1485	1538	1572	1389	1387	1394	1436	1419	1400	1416	1477	1468	1473
	sa			1387	1395	1405	1418	1417	1409	1428	1458	1466	1483
<b>Civilian employment</b>													
Total	102.5	105.5	107.9	97.8	97.6	97.8	100.1	99.2	98.6	100.0	102.2	101.5	101.8
	sa			97.7	98.0	98.3	99.3	99.1	99.0	100.5	101.3	101.4	102.3
Agriculture	106.4	106.0	103.9	110.1	106.2	109.1	102.1	99.8	98.0	100.1	102.2	103.9	102.9
	sa			108.2	108.5	109.8	101.0	98.2	99.9	100.7	101.1	102.5	104.8
Industry	100.9	103.1	104.5	98.2	95.5	96.5	99.0	101.2	100.0	99.4	99.4	103.6	99.3
	sa			96.7	96.0	98.1	98.2	99.8	100.7	100.9	98.6	102.3	99.9
Services	102.6	106.3	109.5	96.1	97.2	96.9	100.2	98.5	98.1	100.2	103.1	100.5	102.5
	sa			96.8	97.5	97.0	99.2	99.1	98.5	100.4	102.1	101.0	102.9

## NOUVELLE-ZÉLANDE

2001		2002				2003				2004				
Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3		
<b>Population active totale</b>														
1956	2004	2021	2006	2013	2041	2044	2034	2054	2087	2091	2083	2099		<i>milliers</i>
1065	1089	1105	1090	1094	1108	1113	1102	1107	1126	1132	1135	1136		
891	916	915	917	918	932	931	932	947	961	960	947	964		
<b>Population active civile</b>														
1947	1996	2013	1998	2004	2032	2035	2025	2046	2079	2083	2074	2091		<i>milliers</i>
1959	1983	2003	2009	2016	2018	2025	2037	2058	2064	2072	2086	2103		
1058	1081	1098	1082	1087	1101	1106	1095	1100	1119	1124	1128	1128		
1065	1074	1090	1090	1095	1094	1097	1103	1108	1112	1116	1136	1136		
889	914	914	915	917	931	930	931	946	960	958	946	963		
892	908	913	919	920	924	929	935	949	953	958	950	966		
<b>Chômage</b>														
99	104	112	101	105	97	107	94	87	93	95	82	76		<i>milliers</i>
102	105	105	103	110	97	100	95	91	93	89	83	80		
21	24	26	23	22	26	25	20	20	23	20	22	18		
15	18	15	15	20	14	18	14	12	15	14	15	14		
53	55	61	54	56	49	54	49	48	45	52	38	37		
10	7	9	8	7	8	10	10	7	9	9	7	7		
53	57	59	52	57	51	54	47	45	46	43	39	39		
10	14	13	12	12	14	12	11	11	13	10	11	9		
8	10	8	9	11	8	9	7	7	7	6	7	8		
29	30	33	26	29	25	27	24	22	21	23	18	17		
6	4	5	5	4	4	5	5	5	5	4	4	4		
45	47	53	49	48	45	53	46	43	46	52	43	38		
11	10	13	12	9	12	13	9	9	10	11	11	9		
7	8	8	6	9	7	8	7	6	8	8	8	6		
24	26	28	28	27	23	27	25	25	24	29	20	20		
3	3	4	3	3	3	5	5	2	4	4	3	3		
<b>Population active civile occupée</b>														
1849	1892	1901	1896	1899	1936	1929	1932	1958	1986	1988	1992	2015		<i>milliers</i>
1858	1875	1899	1906	1908	1919	1927	1941	1967	1969	1986	2002	2024		
164	171	165	160	161	163	164	159	153	159	152	144	154		
165	169	163	163	162	161	162	162	154	157	150	146	155		
411	428	432	429	425	435	433	434	434	444	444	456	457	456	
416	424	428	431	431	431	428	435	440	440	451	459	463		
1275	1293	1304	1308	1313	1338	1332	1339	1371	1383	1380	1391	1405		
1276	1281	1310	1313	1314	1326	1337	1344	1371	1373	1385	1396	1405		
1005	1025	1040	1030	1030	1050	1052	1047	1055	1073	1081	1089	1090		
110	115	111	104	107	110	115	111	106	110	104	98	107		
315	329	332	327	326	335	334	336	336	343	352	354	351		
579	581	597	599	597	605	603	600	613	620	625	637	632		
844	867	861	866	869	885	877	885	903	913	907	903	925		
54	56	54	56	54	52	50	48	47	49	48	46	47		
93	97	99	100	97	98	97	95	96	99	102	103	106		
695	713	695	700	716	719	713	739	758	763	755	754	772		
<b>Salariés</b>														
1474	1525	1529	1524	1532	1566	1549	1554	1588	1599	1607	1601	1630		<i>milliers</i>
1485	1504	1528	1534	1542	1546	1549	1565	1598	1578	1607	1612	1639		
<b>Population active civile occupée</b>														
102,2	104,6	105,1	104,9	105,0	107,0	106,7	106,8	108,3	109,8	109,9	110,2	111,4		2000=100
102,7	103,7	105,0	105,4	105,5	106,1	106,6	107,4	108,8	108,9	109,8	110,7	111,9		
106,9	111,8	107,9	104,5	105,4	106,4	107,5	104,1	100,1	103,9	99,5	93,9	100,4		
107,5	110,6	106,6	106,4	106,1	105,1	106,2	106,0	100,9	102,6	98,3	95,6	101,2		
98,4	102,5	103,6	102,8	101,8	104,2	103,7	103,9	104,1	106,4	109,3	109,6	109,4		
99,8	101,7	102,5	103,2	103,3	103,4	102,6	104,3	105,6	105,6	108,2	110,0	110,9		
102,9	104,5	105,3	105,6	106,0	108,1	107,5	108,1	110,7	111,7	111,4	112,3	113,4		
103,1	103,4	105,8	106,1	106,1	107,1	108,0	108,6	110,8	110,8	111,9	112,8	113,4		

## NEW ZEALAND (continued)

	2001	2002	2003	1999				2000				2001	
				Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2
<b>Unemployment rate</b>													
				as percentage of total labour force									
Total	5.3	5.1	4.6	7.5 sa	6.9	6.6	6.0	6.6	6.1	5.6	5.4	5.6	5.2
Males	5.3	5.0	4.3	7.7	6.9	6.8	6.2	6.3	6.1	5.8	5.5	5.3	5.2
Females	5.3	5.3	5.0	7.2	6.7	6.2	5.9	6.7	6.2	5.3	5.6	5.7	5.1
<b>Youth unemployment (- 25 years)</b>													
				as percentage of total unemployed									
Total	38.3	38.9	38.5	35.9	35.1	34.5	35.9	39.0	36.4	34.3	41.9	39.8	37.4
Males	37.9	39.3	39.7	36.3	35.7	34.3	34.5	40.4	36.2	35.2	42.5	39.2	38.0
Females	38.6	38.3	37.0	35.5	34.1	35.0	37.3	37.4	36.7	32.8	41.1	40.6	36.6
<b>Civilian employment (sectors)</b>													
				as percentage of total									
Agriculture	8.8	8.5	8.1	9.5	9.2	9.4	8.6	8.5	8.4	8.5	8.5	8.7	8.6
Industry	22.7	22.5	22.3	23.2	22.6	22.8	22.8	23.5	23.4	22.9	22.5	23.5	22.5
Services	68.5	69.0	69.5	67.3	68.2	67.8	68.5	68.0	68.2	68.6	69.1	67.8	68.9

## NOUVELLE-ZÉLANDE (*suite*)

2001		2002				2003				2004				
Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3		
<b>Taux de chômage</b>														
														<i>en pourcentage de la population active totale</i>
5.0	5.2	5.5	5.0	5.2	4.7	5.2	4.6	4.3	4.4	4.5	3.9	3.6		
5.2	5.3	5.2	5.1	5.4	4.8	4.9	4.6	4.4	4.5	4.3	4.0	3.8	cvs	Total
5.0	5.2	5.3	4.8	5.2	4.6	4.8	4.3	4.1	4.1	3.8	3.5	3.4		Hommes
5.1	5.1	5.8	5.4	5.3	4.9	5.7	4.9	4.5	4.8	5.4	4.5	3.9		Femmes
<b>Chômage des jeunes (- 25 ans)</b>														<i>en pourcentage du total des chômeurs</i>
35.9	40.0	37.2	37.8	39.3	41.3	40.2	36.3	36.3	41.2	36.0	44.6	41.8		
33.5	40.8	35.2	39.6	40.9	41.4	40.1	37.6	37.9	43.4	35.9	45.0	44.4		Total
38.8	38.5	39.4	35.6	37.2	41.1	40.2	34.7	34.5	38.8	36.1	44.3	39.1		Hommes
														Femmes
<b>Pop. active civ. occupée (secteurs)</b>														<i>en pourcentage du total</i>
8.8	9.0	8.7	8.4	8.5	8.4	8.5	8.2	7.8	8.0	7.7	7.2	7.6		
22.2	22.6	22.7	22.6	22.4	22.5	22.4	22.4	22.2	22.3	22.9	23.0	22.7		Agriculture
68.9	68.4	68.6	69.0	69.1	69.1	69.0	69.3	70.0	69.7	69.4	69.8	69.7		Industrie
														Services

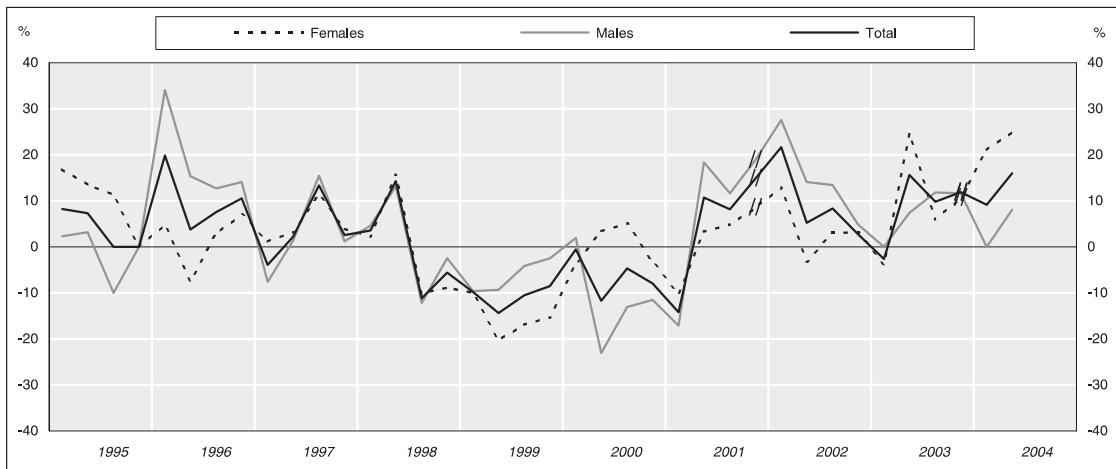
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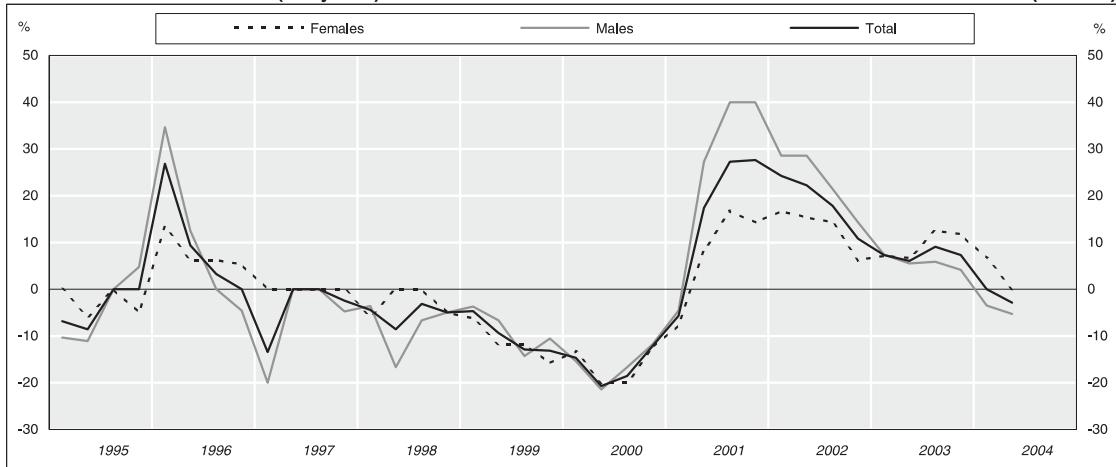
#### UNEMPLOYMENT

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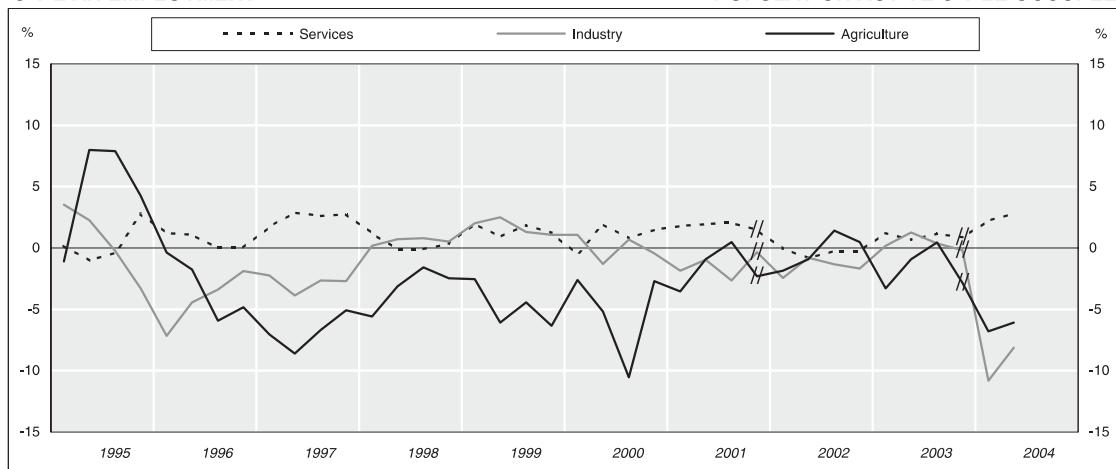
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#### CHÔMAGE DES JEUNES (-25 ans)



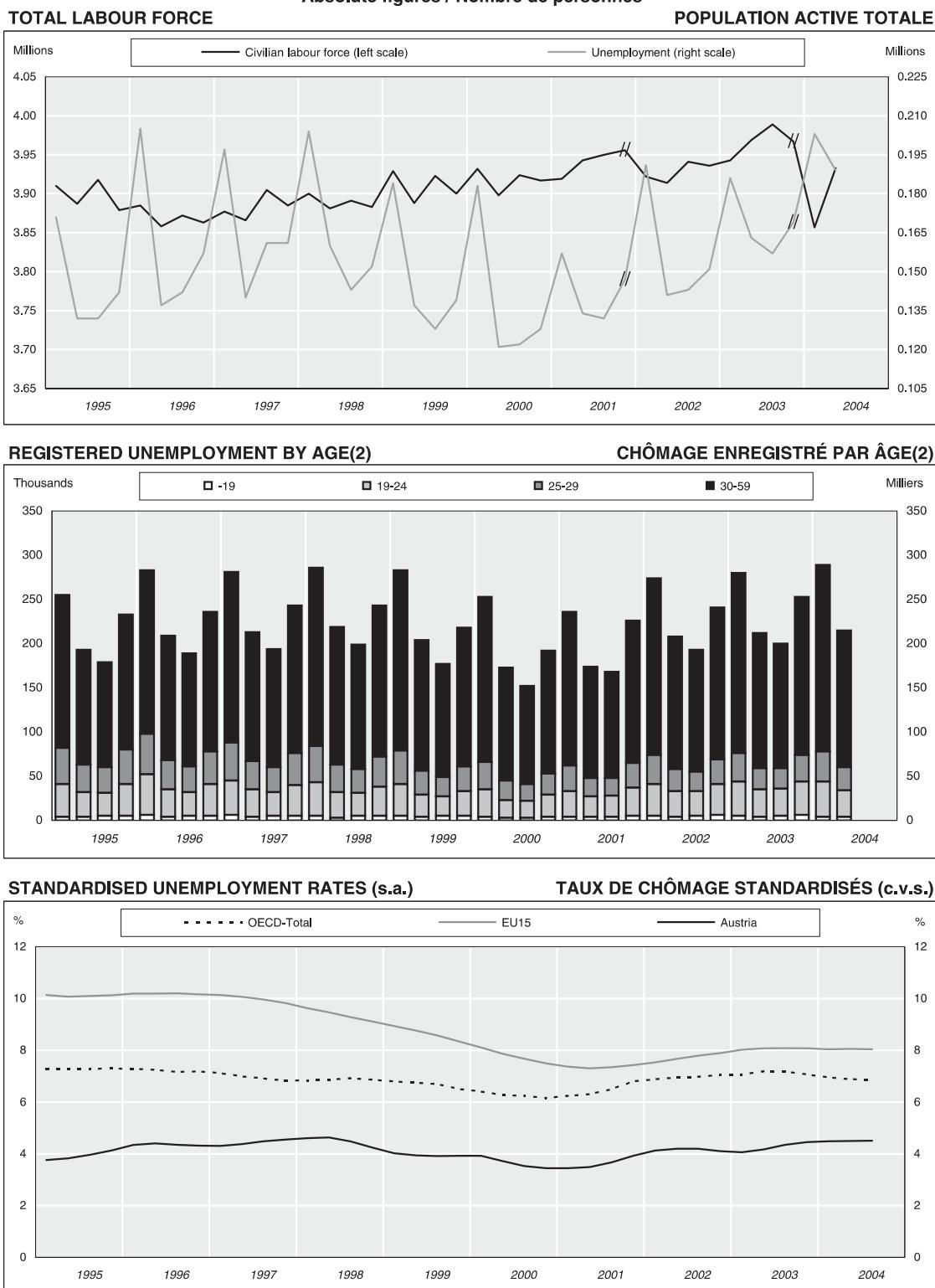
#### CIVILIAN EMPLOYMENT

#### POPULATION ACTIVE CIVILE OCCUPÉE



## COMPOSANTES DE LA POPULATION ACTIVE

Absolute figures / Nombre de personnes



# AUSTRIA<sup>(1)</sup>

	2001	2002	2003	1999				2000				2001					
				Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2				
<b>Total labour force</b>																	
Total				3942	3929	3967		3929	3888	3923	3900	3932	3898	3924	3917	3919	3943
	sa				3921	3899	3913	3905	3927	3908	3914	3920	3917	3951			
Males				2219	2184	2197		2222	2215	2230	2221	2221	2215	2226	2218	2205	2218
	sa				2229	2220	2220	2219	2228	2220	2216	2216	2211	2223			
Females				1723	1746	1771		1707	1673	1693	1679	1711	1683	1698	1699	1714	1725
	sa				1691	1680	1693	1686	1698	1689	1697	1706	1704	1729			
<b>Unemployment<sup>(2)</sup></b>																	
Total				142	157	169		184	137	128	139	183	121	122	128	157	134
	sa				153	148	142	144	153	130	135	133	131	131	143		
Males				77	89	95		103	78	69	78	105	60	60	69	87	71
				64	68	74		81	59	59	61	78	61	62	59	70	63
<b>Registered unemployed<sup>(3)</sup></b>																	
Total				204	232	240		284	205	180	219	255	175	154	194	239	176
	sa				231	226	218	211	207	194	187	186	194	194	196		
Under 19 years				4	4	4		5	4	5	5	4	3	3	4	4	4
From 19 to 24 years				27	32	34		36	25	22	28	31	20	19	25	29	23
From 25 to 29 years				25	27	28		38	27	22	28	31	22	19	24	29	21
From 30 to 59 years				146	165	169		204	148	128	157	187	128	111	139	174	126
60 years and over				2	4	4		1	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	2	2
Males				115	134	140		176	105	88	117	162	91	76	102	152	93
Under 19 years				2	2	2		3	2	2	2	1	1	2	2	2	
From 19 to 24 years				15	19	20		23	12	10	15	20	10	9	13	19	12
From 25 to 29 years				13	15	16		22	12	9	13	19	10	8	11	18	10
From 30 to 59 years				83	95	97		127	78	66	86	119	68	56	74	111	67
60 years and over				2	4	4		1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	2
Females				89	98	100		108	100	91	102	93	84	78	92	86	83
Under 19 years				2	2	2		2	2	3	3	2	2	2	2	2	
From 19 to 24 years				12	13	14		13	13	12	13	11	10	10	12	10	11
From 25 to 29 years				12	12	12		16	15	13	15	12	12	11	13	11	11
From 30 to 59 years				63	70	72		77	70	62	71	68	60	55	65	63	59
60 years and over				0	0	0		0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	
<b>Civilian employment<sup>(4)</sup></b>																	
Total				3765	3738	3763		3719	3722	3761	3725	3712	3740	3762	3749	3725	3773
	sa				3748	3715	3738	3727	3741	3733	3739	3750	3754	3767			
Agriculture				214	214	211		231	232	237	222	225	220	212	216	217	218
	sa				234	229	234	224	227	218	210	218	210	218	219	216	
Industry				1127	1108	1114		1115	1155	1161	1140	1127	1140	1169	1135	1106	1129
	sa				1143	1148	1141	1139	1155	1132	1150	1132	1150	1134	1134	1120	
Services				2423	2416	2438		2373	2335	2362	2361	2361	2380	2381	2398	2403	2426
	sa				2374	2335	2362	2361	2364	2380	2380	2395	2380	2395	2407	2427	
Males				2108	2060	2066		2092	2109	2127	2106	2079	2120	2128	2112	2082	2112
Agriculture				114	113	112		118	119	125	118	121	120	115	117	114	118
Industry				898	888	894		887	924	927	913	895	915	939	905	878	881
Services				1096	1060	1060		1087	1066	1075	1075	1063	1085	1074	1090	1090	1113
Females				1657	1678	1697		1627	1613	1634	1619	1633	1620	1634	1637	1644	1661
Agriculture				101	101	98		113	113	112	104	104	100	97	99	103	100
Industry				229	220	220		228	231	234	227	232	225	229	230	228	248
Services				1327	1356	1378		1286	1269	1287	1287	1297	1295	1308	1308	1313	1313
<b>Employees<sup>(5,6)</sup></b>																	
Total				3267	3247	3283		3215	3220	3266	3232	3214	3252	3285	3251	3229	3276
	sa				3242	3215	3240	3235	3242	3246	3259	3253	3259	3253	3259	3269	

Footnotes appear at the end of the table.

# AUTRICHE<sup>(1)</sup>

2001		2002				2003				2004				
Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3		
3950	3956	*3922	3914	3941	3936	3943	3969	3989	3967	*3857	3933		Population active totale	
3939	3958	*3924	3920	3930	3938	3948	3974	3976	3969	*3863	3937		milliers	
2231	2223	*2175	2176	2190	2190	2185	2191	2205	2205	*2108	2164		cvs	
2222	2220	*2182	2181	2181	2187	2192	2196	2196	2202	*2115	2169		Total	
1719	1733	*1747	1738	1751	1747	1758	1779	1784	1762	*1749	1769		cvs	
1717	1740	*1740	1740	1748	1754	1753	1779	1781	1770	*1745	1768		Hommes	
													cvs	
													Femmes	
													cvs	
													Chômage <sup>(2)</sup>	
132	147	*191	141	143	151	186	163	157	169	*203	189		milliers	
146	152	*160	150	157	157	157	173	172	176	*171	201		cvs	
67	82	*111	81	76	86	111	87	85	96	*111	94		Total	
65	64	*79	61	67	66	76	76	71	73	*92	95		cvs	
												Hommes		
												cvs		
												Femmes		
												cvs		
												Chômeurs inscrits <sup>(3)</sup>		
170	230	278	210	197	244	284	216	204	256	294	220		milliers	
206	220	226	233	237	234	232	240	245	246	240	244		cvs	
4	5	5	4	5	6	5	4	5	6	4	4		Total	
24	32	36	29	28	35	39	31	31	38	40	30		cvs	
20	28	33	25	22	28	32	24	23	30	34	26	Moins de 19 ans		
120	161	200	150	138	172	204	153	141	179	211	155	De 19 à 24 ans		
3	3	4	3	4	4	4	4	4	4	5	4 <th>De 25 à 29 ans</th>	De 25 à 29 ans		
86	129	178	114	104	141	184	119	108	148	189	119 <th>De 30 à 59 ans</th>	De 30 à 59 ans		
2	3	3	2	2	3	3	2	2	3	2	2 <th>60 ans et plus</th>	60 ans et plus		
12	18	24	16	15	21	26	17	16	22	26	16 <th>Hommes</th>	Hommes		
9	15	21	13	11	16	21	13	12	17	22	14 <th>Moins de 19 ans</th>	Moins de 19 ans		
61	90	127	81	72	98	131	83	74	102	134	83 <th>De 19 à 24 ans</th>	De 19 à 24 ans		
3	3	4	3	4	4	4	4	4	4	5	4 <th>De 25 à 29 ans</th>	De 25 à 29 ans		
84	101	100	96	93	104	100	97	96	109	105	101 <th>De 30 à 59 ans</th>	De 30 à 59 ans		
2	2	2	2	3	3	2	2	3	3	2	2 <th>60 ans et plus</th>	60 ans et plus		
12	14	12	13	13	14	13	14	15	16	14	14 <th>Femmes</th>	Femmes		
11	13	12	12	11	12	11	11	11	13	12	12 <th>Moins de 19 ans</th>	Moins de 19 ans		
59	71	73	69	66	74	73	70	67	77	77	72 <th>De 19 à 24 ans</th>	De 19 à 24 ans		
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0 <th>De 25 à 29 ans</th>	De 25 à 29 ans		
											De 30 à 59 ans			
											60 ans et plus			
											cvs			
											Population active civile occupée <sup>(4)</sup>			
3781	3775	*3694	3742	3763	3751	3717	3769	3796	3764	*3641	3734		milliers	
3757	3776	*3724	3736	3738	3751	3748	3763	3770	3764	*3672	3728		cvs	
213	211	*213	216	216	212	206	214	217	206	*192	201	Total		
211	213	*215	214	214	214	208	212	215	208	*194	199 <th>cvs</th>	cvs		
1138	1131	*1079	1120	1123	1112	1081	1134	1127	1110	*964	1042 <th>Agriculture</th>	Agriculture		
1120	1129	*1107	1110	1107	1109	1110	1124	1111	1107	*991	1032 <th>Industrie</th>	Industrie		
2430	2433	*2402	2406	2424	2427	2431	2422	2452	2448	*2485	2490 <th>Services</th>	Services		
2427	2430	*2406	2409	2419	2425	2435	2426	2445	2447	*2489	2495 <th>cvs</th>	cvs		
2127	2107	*2027	2065	2079	2070	2035	2068	2083	2075	*1984	2060 <th>Hommes</th>	Hommes		
114	110	*112	112	115	113	109	116	115	109	*105	108 <th>Agriculture</th>	Agriculture		
914	903	*861	898	903	889	861	911	905	898	*747	814 <th>Industrie</th>	Industrie		
1099	1094	*1054	1055	1060	1068	1065	1041	1063	1068	*1132	1138 <th>Services</th>	Services		
1653	1668	*1668	1678	1684	1681	1681	1701	1713	1689	*1657	1674 <th>Femmes</th>	Femmes		
99	101	*101	104	100	99	97	98	102	97	*87	94 <th>Agriculture</th>	Agriculture		
224	227	*218	222	220	222	219	223	222	212	*216	229 <th>Industrie</th>	Industrie		
1330	1339	*1349	1352	1364	1359	1365	1381	1388	1380	*1353	1352 <th>Services</th>	Services		
											cvs			
										Salariés <sup>(5 6)</sup>				
3284	3277	*3199	3253	3270	3264	3236	3283	3312	3289	*3166	3266		milliers	
3260	3275	*3231	3246	3247	3260	3270	3277	3288	3285	*3199	3261		cvs	
										Total				

Les notes se trouvent en fin de tableau.

# AUSTRIA<sup>(1)</sup> (continued)

	2001	2002	2003	1999				2000				2001		
				Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	
<b>Civilian employment</b>														
	2000=100													
Total		100.6	99.9	100.6	99.4	99.5	100.5	99.6	99.2	100.0	100.6	100.2	99.6	100.9
	sa				100.2	99.3	99.9	99.6	100.0	99.8	99.9	100.2	100.4	100.7
Agriculture		98.2	98.2	96.8	106.0	106.4	108.7	101.8	103.2	100.9	97.2	99.1	99.5	100.0
	sa				107.1	105.3	107.5	102.9	104.2	100.0	96.3	100.1	100.4	99.2
Industry		98.6	96.9	97.5	97.6	101.0	101.6	99.7	98.6	99.7	102.3	99.3	96.8	98.8
	sa				100.0	100.5	99.8	99.7	101.1	99.1	100.6	99.2	99.2	98.0
Services		101.8	101.5	102.4	99.7	98.1	99.2	99.3	99.2	100.0	100.0	100.8	101.0	101.9
	sa				99.8	98.1	99.2	99.2	99.3	100.0	100.0	100.6	101.1	102.0
<b>Unemployment rate<sup>(7)</sup></b>														
	as percentage of total labour force													
Total		3.6	4.0	4.3	4.7	3.5	3.3	3.6	4.7	3.1	3.1	3.3	4.0	3.4
	sa				3.9	3.8	3.6	3.7	3.9	3.3	3.5	3.4	3.3	3.6
Males		3.5	4.1	4.3	4.6	3.5	3.1	3.5	4.7	2.7	2.7	3.1	3.9	3.2
Females		3.7	3.9	4.2	4.7	3.5	3.5	3.6	4.6	3.6	3.7	3.5	4.1	3.7
<b>Youth unemployment (- 25 years)<sup>(3)</sup></b>														
	as percentage of total unemployed													
Total		15.2	15.5	15.8	14.4	14.1	15.0	15.1	13.7	13.1	14.3	14.9	13.8	15.3
Males		14.8	15.7	15.7	14.8	13.3	13.6	14.5	13.6	12.1	13.2	14.7	13.8	15.1
Females		15.7	15.3	16.0	13.9	15.0	16.5	15.7	14.0	14.3	15.4	15.2	14.0	15.7
<b>Civilian employment (sectors)</b>														
	as percentage of total													
Agriculture		5.7	5.7	5.6	6.2	6.2	6.3	6.0	6.1	5.9	5.6	5.8	5.8	5.8
Industry		29.9	29.6	29.6	30.0	31.0	30.9	30.6	30.4	30.5	31.1	30.3	29.7	29.9
Services		64.4	64.6	64.8	63.8	62.7	62.8	63.4	63.6	63.6	63.3	64.0	64.5	64.3

(1) From 2002 data based on the quarterly labour force surveys are compiled in line with the 2001 population census. From 2004 they refer to private households only (Eurostat definition).  
(2) Data are derived from the quarterly

(3) Labour force surveys.  
(4) Data on registered unemployed are provided by the Labour Offices. Figures for Civilian employment include the Armed forces.

(5) Series refer to social insurance statistics; quarterly data refer to the months of March, June, September and December. All figures include the Armed forces.  
(6) Annual data are monthly averages.

(7) Unemployment rates based on the labour force surveys.

## AUTRICHE<sup>(1)</sup> (suite)

2001		2002				2003				2004			
Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	
<b>Population active civile occupée</b>													
													2000=100
101.1	100.9	*98.7	100.0	100.6	100.3	99.4	100.7	101.5	100.6	*97.3	99.8		
100.4	100.9	*99.5	99.9	99.9	100.3	100.2	100.6	100.8	100.6	*98.2	99.6	cvs	Total
97.7	96.8	*97.7	99.1	99.1	97.2	94.5	98.2	99.5	94.5	*88.1	92.2	cvs	Agriculture
96.8	97.7	*98.6	98.2	98.1	98.2	95.5	97.3	98.5	95.4	*89.1	91.3	cvs	Industrie
99.6	99.0	*94.4	98.0	98.3	97.3	94.6	99.2	98.6	97.1	*84.3	91.2	cvs	Services
98.0	98.8	*96.9	97.1	96.8	97.0	97.1	98.3	97.2	96.8	*86.7	90.3	cvs	
102.1	102.2	*100.9	101.1	101.8	102.0	102.1	101.8	103.0	102.9	*104.4	104.6		
102.0	102.1	*101.1	101.2	101.6	101.9	102.3	101.9	102.7	102.8	*104.6	104.8		
<b>Taux de chômage<sup>(7)</sup></b>													
													en pourcentage de la population active totale
3.3	3.7	*4.9	3.6	3.6	3.8	4.7	4.1	3.9	4.3	*5.3	4.8	cvs	Total
3.7	3.8	*4.1	3.8	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.4	4.3	4.4	*4.4	5.1	cvs	Hommes
3.0	3.7	*5.1	3.7	3.5	3.9	5.1	4.0	3.9	4.4	*5.3	4.3	cvs	Femmes
3.8	3.7	*4.5	3.5	3.8	3.8	4.3	4.3	4.0	4.1	*5.3	5.4	cvs	
<b>Chômage des jeunes (- 25 ans)<sup>(3)</sup></b>													
													en pourcentage du total des chômeurs
16.5	16.1	14.7	15.7	16.8	16.8	15.5	16.2	17.6	17.2	15.0	15.5	cvs	Total
16.3	16.3	15.2	15.8	16.3	17.0	15.8	16.0	16.7	16.9	14.8	15.1	cvs	Hommes
16.7	15.8	14.0	15.6	17.2	16.3	15.0	16.5	18.8	17.4	15.2	15.8	cvs	Femmes
<b>Pop. active civ. occupée (secteurs)</b>													
													en pourcentage du total
5.6	5.6	*5.8	5.8	5.7	5.7	5.5	5.7	5.7	5.5	*5.3	5.4	cvs	Agriculture
30.1	30.0	*29.2	29.9	29.8	29.6	29.1	30.1	29.7	29.5	*26.5	27.9	cvs	Industrie
64.3	64.5	*65.0	64.3	64.4	64.7	65.4	64.3	64.6	65.0	*68.3	66.7	cvs	Services

(1) Depuis 2002 les données provenant des enquêtes trimestrielles sur la population active sont basées sur des estimations de la population du recensement 2001. Depuis 2004 elles se réfèrent uniquement aux ménages privés (définition Eurostat).

(2) Données provenant de l'enquête trimestrielle sur la population active. Ces données se réfèrent aux chômeurs enregistrés et sont établies par les Offices de l'emploi.  
(3) Les chiffres de l'Emploi civil comprennent les Forces armées.

(5) Les séries proviennent des statistiques des assurances sociales ; les données trimestrielles se réfèrent aux mois de mars, juin, septembre et décembre. Tous les chiffres incluent les Forces armées.  
(6) Moyennes annuelles de données

(7) mensuelles.  
Taux de chômage basés sur les données des enquêtes par sondage.

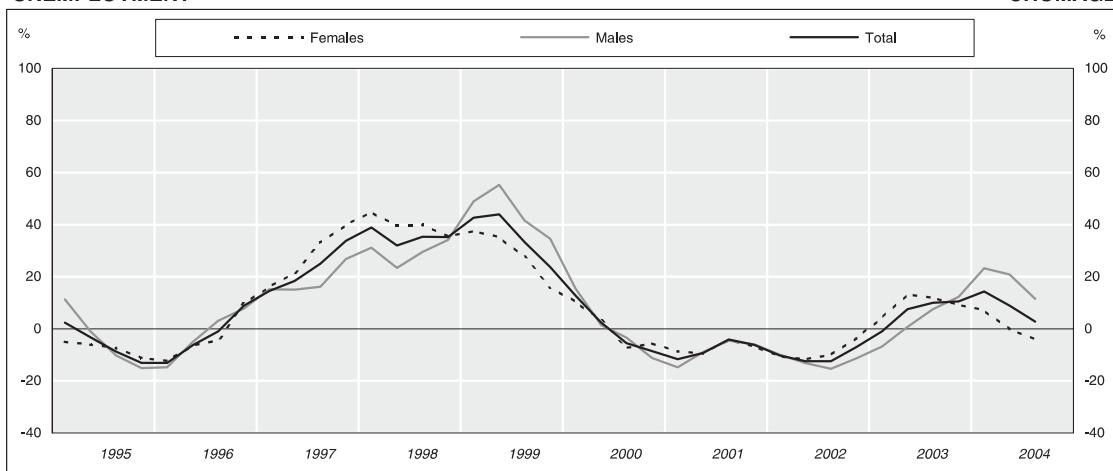
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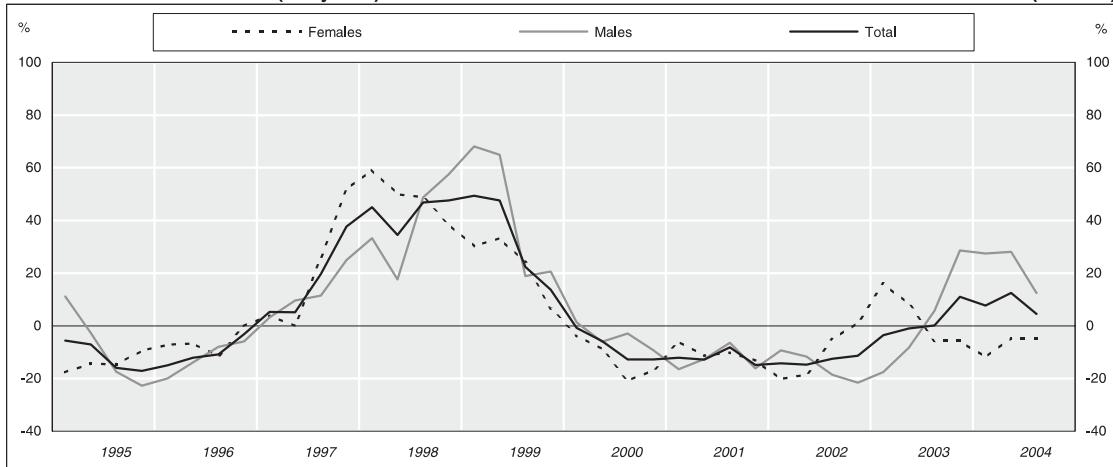
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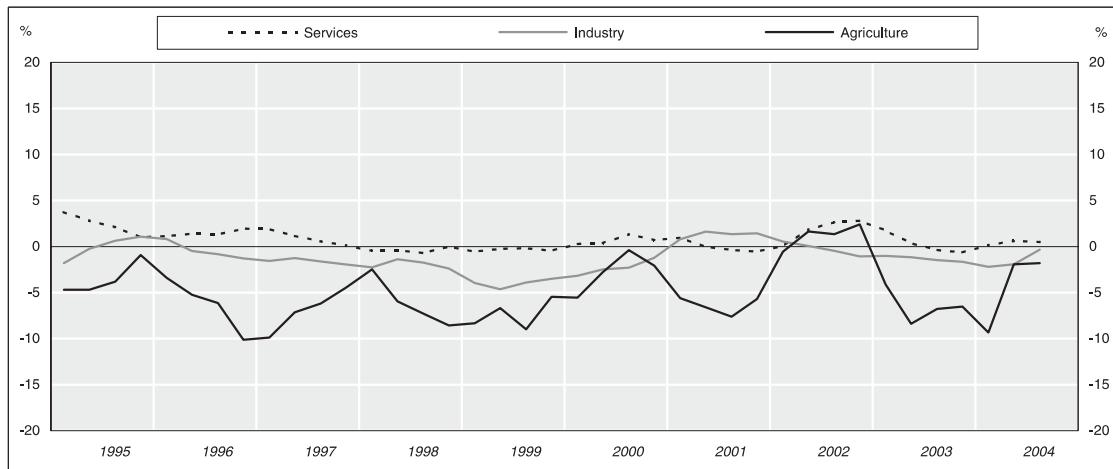
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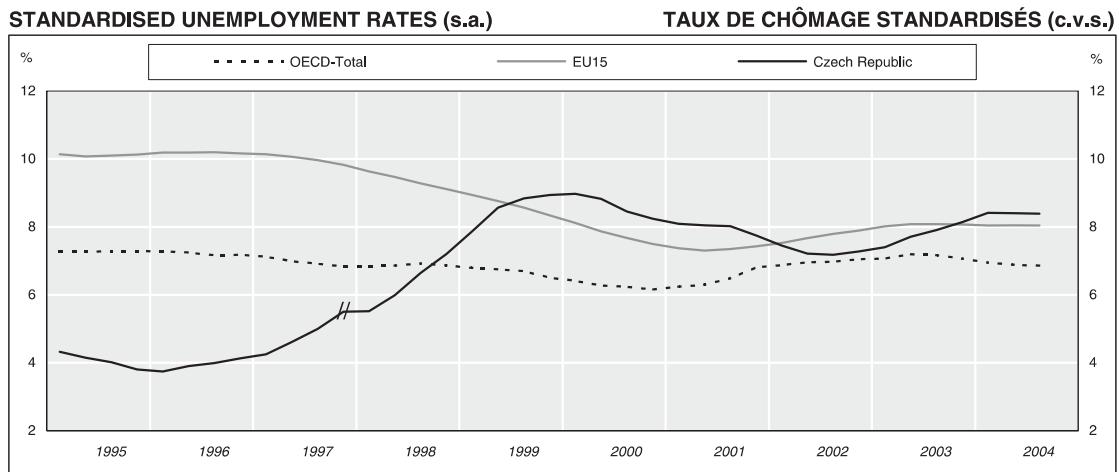
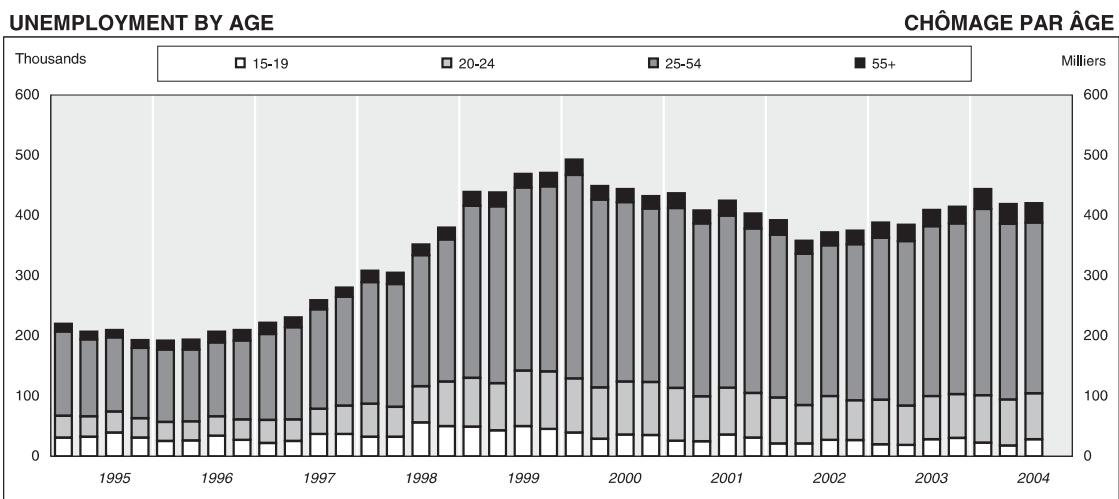
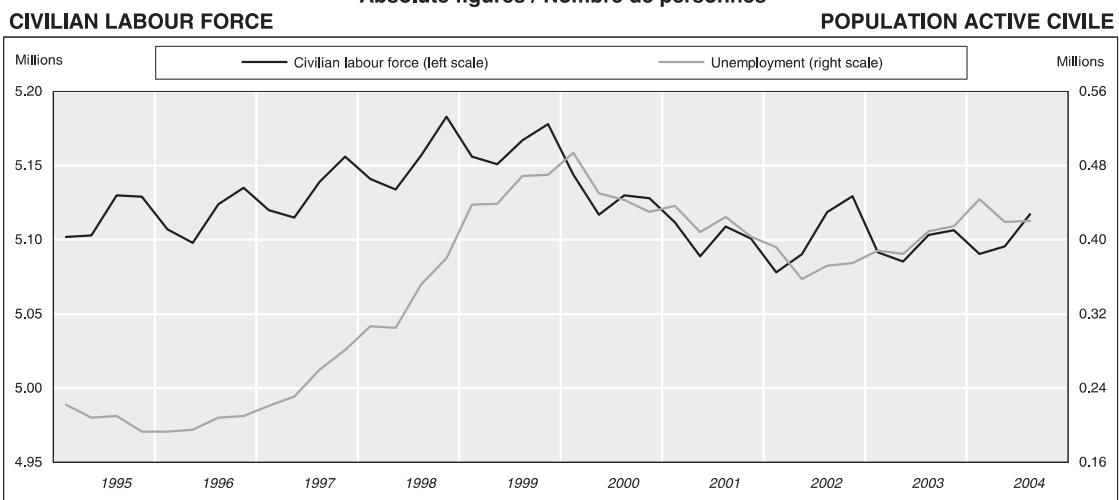
#### CIVILIAN EMPLOYMENT

#### POPULATION ACTIVE CIVILE OCCUPÉE



COMPOSANTES DE LA POPULATION ACTIVE

Absolute figures / Nombre de personnes



# CZECH REPUBLIC

	2001	2002	2003	1999				2000				2001	
				Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2
<b>Civilian labour force</b>													
				thousands									
Total	5103	5104	5097	5156	5151	5167	5178	5144	5117	5130	5128	5112	5089
Males	2825	2836	2826	2850	2846	2853	2857	2839	2823	2836	2832	2819	2817
Females	2278	2268	2271	2306	2305	2315	2321	2305	2294	2295	2297	2293	2272
<b>Unemployment</b>													
				thousands									
Total	418	374	399	438	439	469	470	494	450	443	430	437	408
From 15 to 19 years	29	24	24	49	43	50	45	39	29	36	35	26	24
From 20 to 24 years	79	70	71	81	78	92	96	90	85	88	88	88	75
From 25 to 54 years	286	258	277	286	294	304	307	338	312	298	288	299	287
From 55 to 64 years	22	20	25	19	20	19	20	24	22	20	20	22	19
65 years and over	3	2	2	4	3	4	3	2	1	2	1	2	2
Males	193	169	175	207	205	211	222	239	208	204	197	204	189
From 15 to 19 years	15	12	12	28	24	23	23	20	14	17	17	13	13
From 20 to 24 years	45	39	39	46	42	46	53	55	48	50	52	50	41
From 25 to 54 years	119	106	108	120	124	127	130	148	130	122	116	125	122
From 55 to 64 years	13	12	15	11	14	13	14	16	15	13	13	14	12
65 years and over	1	1	1	2	1	2	2	1	0	1	1	2	1
Females	225	205	224	231	234	259	248	255	242	240	234	233	219
From 15 to 19 years	14	12	12	21	19	27	22	19	15	19	18	13	12
From 20 to 24 years	34	31	32	35	37	45	43	35	36	38	36	38	33
From 25 to 54 years	167	152	169	166	169	178	176	192	182	175	172	174	165
From 55 to 64 years	8	8	10	8	6	7	6	8	7	7	7	8	7
65 years and over	1	1	1	2	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
<b>Civilian employment<sup>(1)</sup></b>													
				thousands									
Total	4684	4730	4698	4718	4712	4698	4708	4650	4667	4687	4698	4675	4681
Agriculture	225	228	213	253	251	243	242	239	244	242	237	226	228
Industry	1893	1888	1863	1918	1913	1915	1902	1857	1866	1871	1879	1872	1896
Services	2567	2614	2621	2547	2548	2540	2564	2554	2557	2574	2582	2578	2556
Males	2632	2666	2651	2643	2641	2642	2635	2600	2615	2632	2635	2615	2627
Agriculture	158	157	147	173	170	164	165	164	166	166	161	155	158
Industry	1312	1320	1311	1327	1331	1342	1329	1296	1308	1305	1305	1300	1313
Services	1162	1189	1192	1143	1140	1136	1141	1140	1141	1161	1169	1161	1156
Females	2053	2064	2047	2075	2071	2056	2073	2050	2052	2055	2063	2060	2053
Agriculture	68	71	66	80	81	79	77	75	78	76	76	71	70
Industry	581	568	552	591	582	573	573	561	558	566	574	572	583
Services	1404	1425	1429	1404	1408	1404	1423	1414	1416	1413	1413	1417	1401
<b>Employees<sup>(2)</sup></b>													
				thousands									
Total	3970	3967	3886	3975	3972	4016	4018	3958	3965	3967	3976	3956	3964
Males	2128	2124	2074	2125	2122	2153	2144	2111	2117	2127	2127	2112	2124
Females	1843	1843	1812	1851	1850	1864	1874	1847	1848	1840	1849	1844	1840
<b>Civilian employment</b>													
				2000=100									
Total	100.2	101.2	100.5	100.9	100.8	100.5	100.7	99.5	99.8	100.2	100.5	100.0	100.1
	sa			101.2	100.9	100.4	100.3	99.8	99.9	100.2	100.1	100.4	100.2
Agriculture	93.6	94.7	88.6	105.2	104.4	101.0	100.6	99.4	101.5	100.6	98.5	93.8	94.8
	sa			106.3	103.9	104.4	100.7	100.5	100.8	100.2	98.4	94.9	94.2
Industry	101.3	101.1	99.7	102.7	102.4	102.5	101.8	99.4	99.9	100.1	100.6	100.2	101.5
	sa			103.4	102.4	102.2	101.4	100.2	99.8	99.9	100.2	100.9	101.3
Services	100.0	101.8	102.1	99.2	99.3	99.0	99.9	99.5	99.6	100.3	100.6	100.4	99.6
	sa			99.3	99.5	99.0	99.5	99.6	99.9	100.3	100.5	100.5	99.9
<b>Unemployment rate</b>													
				as percentage of civilian labour force									
Total	8.2	7.3	7.8	8.5	8.5	9.1	9.1	9.6	8.8	8.6	8.4	8.5	8.0
Males	6.8	6.0	6.2	7.3	7.2	7.4	7.8	8.4	7.4	7.2	7.0	7.2	6.7
Females	9.9	9.0	9.9	10.0	10.2	11.2	10.7	11.1	10.5	10.2	10.2	9.6	

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# RÉPUBLIQUE TCHÈQUE

2001		2002				2003				2004				
Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3		
<b>Population active civile</b>														
5109	5101	5078	5090	5119	5129	5091	5085	5103	5107	5090	5096	5117		<i>milliers</i>
2831	2833	2824	2830	2845	2844	2820	2813	2834	2836	2825	2832	2853		
2277	2268	2254	2260	2274	2285	2272	2273	2269	2271	2265	2264	2265		
<b>Chômage</b>														<i>milliers</i>
425	403	392	358	372	375	388	385	409	415	444	419	420		
36	31	21	21	27	26	20	19	28	30	22	18	28		
78	74	76	64	72	66	74	65	72	73	79	77	76		
286	273	270	252	251	259	269	273	282	283	309	292	284		
22	23	22	19	19	21	23	25	25	27	32	32	31		
3	2	2	2	2	2	3	3	2	1	1	1	2		
195	185	183	164	165	164	171	166	177	185	211	200	198		
17	16	11	10	13	12	9	8	15	16	12	10	15		
45	42	46	38	38	34	38	36	39	43	48	47	46		
118	113	112	103	102	106	109	106	108	109	131	125	118		
13	13	14	12	11	11	13	13	15	17	20	19	18		
2	1	1	1	2	1	2	2	1	1	1	1	1		
230	218	208	193	207	211	217	219	232	230	233	219	222		
19	15	10	11	14	15	11	10	13	14	11	8	13		
33	32	31	26	35	33	36	29	33	30	31	30	31		
168	160	159	148	149	153	160	167	175	175	179	167	165		
9	10	8	8	9	9	9	11	10	10	12	13	13		
2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	0	0	1	1			
<b>Population active civile occupée<sup>(1)</sup></b>														<i>milliers</i>
4684	4698	4686	4732	4747	4755	4703	4701	4694	4692	4647	4677	4697		
224	223	224	232	227	229	215	212	211	214	195	208	207		
1896	1906	1882	1898	1888	1886	1863	1876	1860	1855	1822	1840	1854		
2564	2568	2580	2603	2633	2640	2625	2613	2623	2623	2629	2629	2636		
2637	2648	2641	2665	2680	2680	2649	2647	2657	2652	2614	2632	2655		
159	158	157	160	155	156	147	146	146	150	135	143	144		
1317	1317	1311	1322	1325	1324	1313	1315	1313	1305	1282	1292	1312		
1161	1172	1172	1184	1200	1201	1189	1185	1198	1197	1197	1197	1198		
2048	2050	2045	2067	2067	2075	2055	2054	2037	2041	2032	2045	2042		
64	65	67	72	72	73	68	66	65	64	60	65	63		
580	589	571	576	563	562	551	561	547	550	540	548	541		
1403	1396	1407	1419	1433	1440	1436	1427	1425	1427	1432	1432	1438		
<b>Salariés<sup>(2)</sup></b>														<i>milliers</i>
3966	3995	3963	3980	3971	3955	3897	3882	3889	3877	3841	3883	3906		
2131	2144	2122	2130	2129	2116	2076	2069	2083	2071	2037	2065	2084		
1836	1851	1840	1850	1842	1840	1821	1813	1806	1806	1804	1819	1822		
<b>Population active civile occupée<sup>(1)</sup></b>														<i>2000=100</i>
100.2	100.5	100.2	101.2	101.5	101.7	100.6	100.5	100.4	100.4	99.4	100.0	100.5		
100.1	100.1	100.6	101.3	101.4	101.4	101.0	100.6	100.3	100.0	99.8	100.0	100.3		
92.9	92.9	93.3	96.3	94.2	95.2	89.5	88.2	87.8	88.9	81.1	86.6	86.3		
92.7	92.5	94.5	95.8	94.1	94.6	90.6	87.8	87.7	88.3	82.2	86.2	86.1		
101.5	102.0	100.7	101.6	101.0	100.9	99.7	100.4	99.5	99.3	97.5	98.5	99.2		
101.3	101.7	101.5	101.3	101.0	100.6	100.4	100.1	99.5	99.0	98.2	98.1	99.2		
99.9	100.0	100.5	101.4	102.6	102.9	102.3	101.8	102.2	102.2	102.4	102.4	102.7		
99.8	99.8	100.6	101.7	102.4	102.6	102.4	102.1	102.0	102.0	102.5	102.7	102.5		
<b>Taux de chômage</b>														<i>en pourcentage de la population active civile</i>
8.3	7.9	7.7	7.0	7.3	7.3	7.6	7.6	8.0	8.1	8.7	8.2	8.2		
6.9	6.5	6.5	5.8	5.8	5.8	6.1	5.9	6.3	6.5	7.5	7.1	6.9		
10.1	9.6	9.3	8.6	9.1	9.2	9.6	9.6	10.2	10.1	10.3	9.7	9.8		

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## CZECH REPUBLIC (continued)

	2001	2002	2003	1999				2000				2001			
				Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2		
<b>Youth unemployment (15 - 24 years)</b>															
	as percentage of total unemployed														
Total	25.8	25.0	23.8	29.7	27.6	30.3	30.0	26.1	25.3	28.0	28.6	26.0	24.3		
Males	30.7	29.7	29.1	35.7	32.2	32.7	34.2	31.4	29.8	32.8	35.0	30.8	28.6		
Females	21.6	21.2	19.8	24.2	23.9	27.8	26.2	21.2	21.1	23.8	23.1	21.8	20.6		
<b>Civilian employment (sectors)</b>															
	as percentage of total														
Agriculture	4.8	4.8	4.5	5.4	5.3	5.2	5.1	5.1	5.2	5.2	5.0	4.8	4.9		
Industry	40.4	39.9	39.7	40.7	40.6	40.8	40.4	39.9	40.0	39.9	40.0	40.0	40.5		
Services	54.8	55.3	55.8	54.0	54.1	54.1	54.5	54.9	54.8	54.9	55.0	55.1	54.6		

(1) Civilian employment figures include those members of the armed forces who are covered by the labour force

(2) survey, i.e. those living in households. Due to the nature of co-operatives in the Czech Republic, persons working in

this type of enterprise are included in the figures representing the numbers of employees (such workers are usually

classified as self-employed).

## RÉPUBLIQUE TCHÈQUE (*suite*)

2001		2002				2003				2004			
Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	
<b>Chômage des jeunes (15 - 24 ans)</b> <i>en pourcentage du total des chômeurs</i>													
26.8	26.0	24.8	23.7	26.8	24.8	24.2	21.8	24.4	24.9	22.8	22.5	24.8	Total
32.2	31.3	31.0	29.1	30.9	27.6	27.4	26.5	30.4	31.6	28.3	28.1	30.6	Hommes
22.3	21.5	19.4	19.1	23.5	22.6	21.6	18.2	19.8	19.5	17.8	17.4	19.6	Femmes
<b>Pop. active civ. occupée (secteurs)</b> <i>en pourcentage du total</i>													
4.8	4.8	4.8	4.9	4.8	4.8	4.6	4.5	4.5	4.6	4.2	4.5	4.4	Agriculture
40.5	40.6	40.2	40.1	39.8	39.7	39.6	39.9	39.6	39.5	39.2	39.3	39.5	Industrie
54.7	54.7	55.0	55.0	55.5	55.5	55.8	55.6	55.9	55.9	56.6	56.2	56.1	Services

(1) Les données de l'emploi civil incluent les membres des forces armées couverts par l'enquête, c.à.d. ceux résidants dans les ménages.

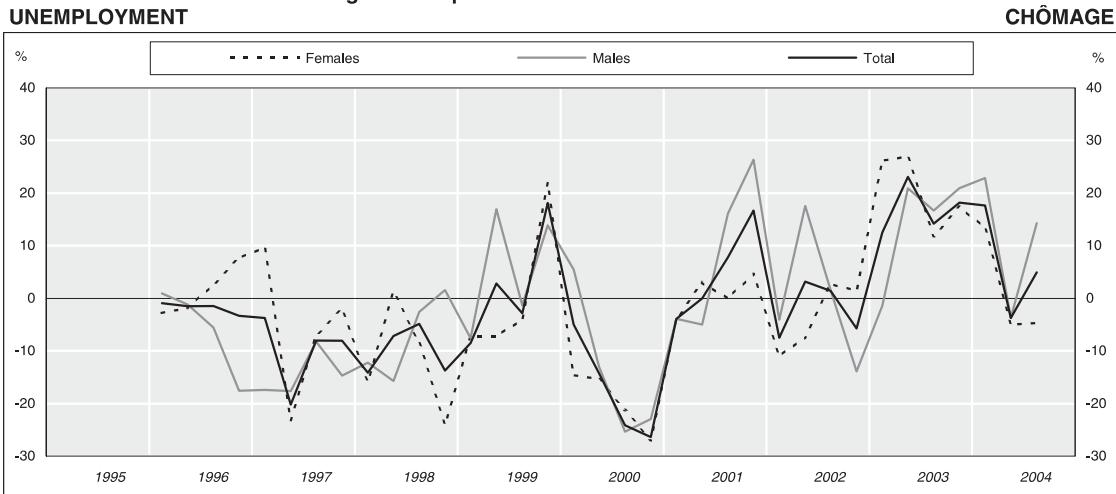
(2) Du fait de la nature des coopératives dans la République tchèque, les personnes travaillant dans ce type d'entreprise sont incluses dans les

chiffres correspondant aux employés (alors qu'elles sont habituellement incluses dans les travailleurs indépendants).

## DENMARK<sup>(1)</sup>

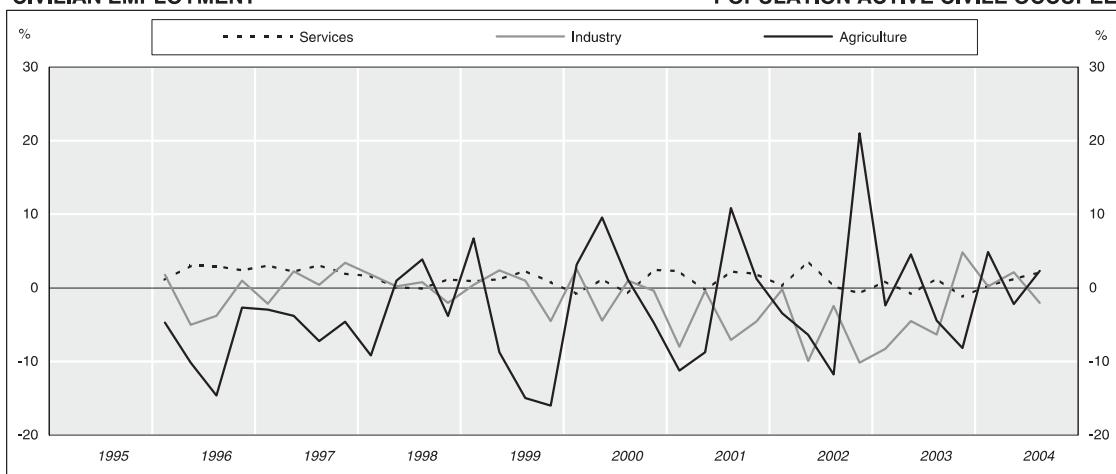
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% change over 4 quarters / % de variation sur 4 trimestres



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### POPULATION ACTIVE CIVILE OCCUPÉE

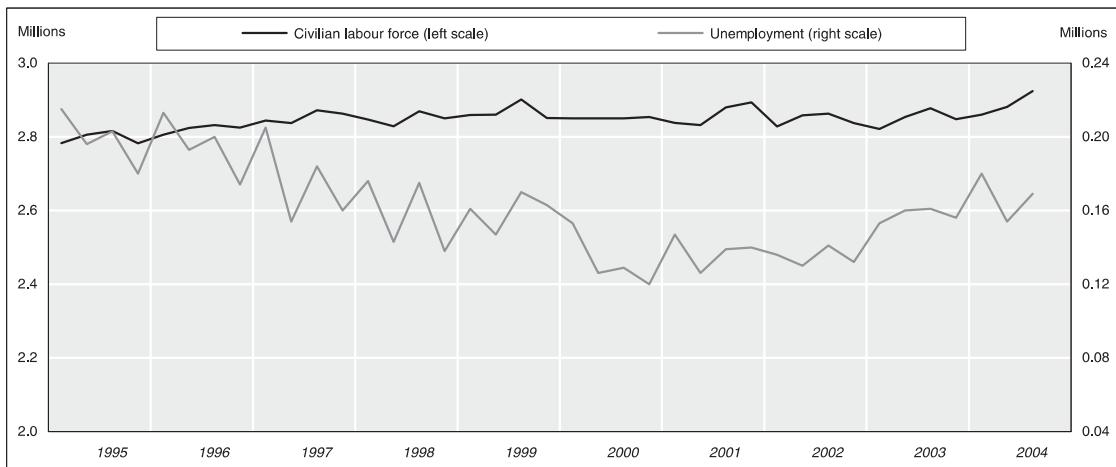


COMPOSANTES DE LA POPULATION ACTIVE

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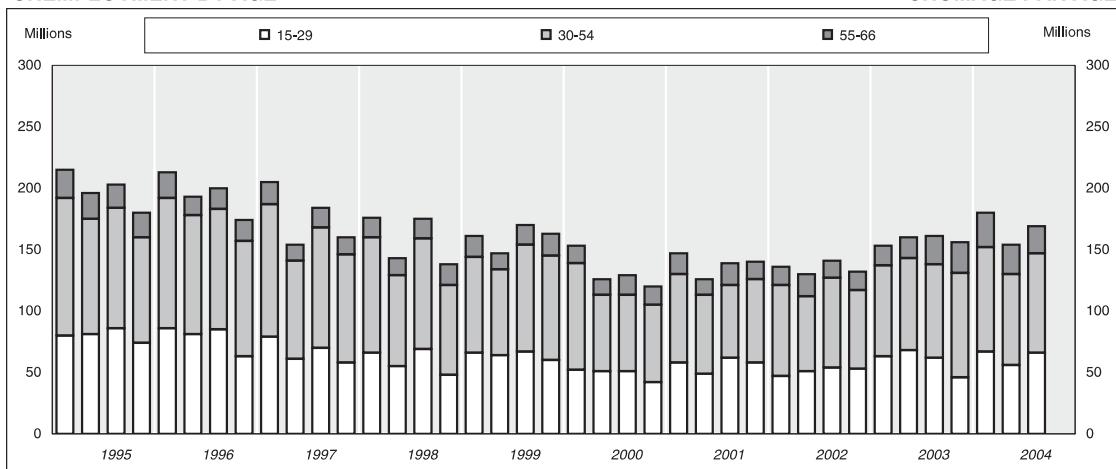
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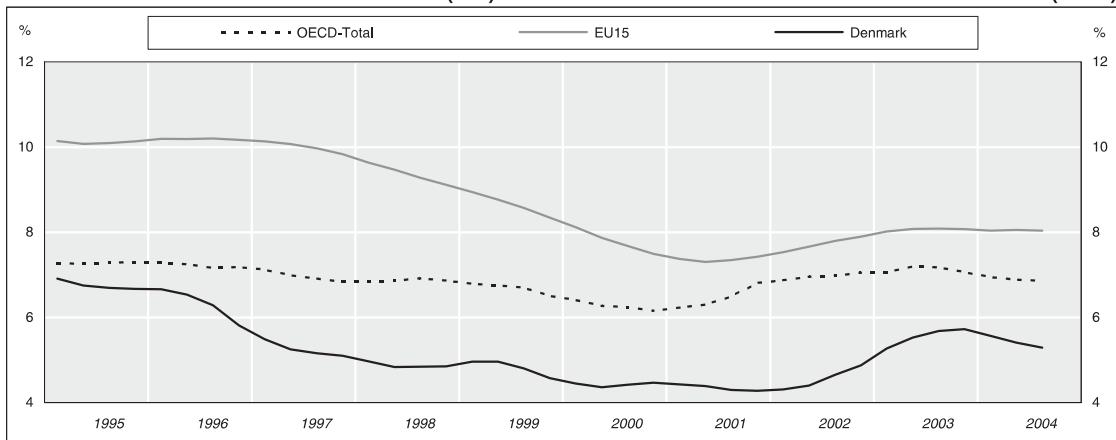
UNEMPLOYMENT BY AGE

CHÔMAGE PAR ÂGE



STANDARDISED UNEMPLOYMENT RATES (s.a.)

TAUX DE CHÔMAGE STANDARDISÉS (c.v.s.)



# DENMARK<sup>(1)</sup>

	2001	2002	2003	1999				2000				2001	
				Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2
<b>Civilian labour force<sup>(2)</sup></b>													
	<i>thousands</i>												
Total	2862	2849	2850	2859	2860	2901	2851	2850	2850	2850	2854	2838	2832
Males	1522	1516	1523	1533	1534	1543	1525	1508	1517	1530	1530	1513	1508
Females	1340	1334	1327	1327	1326	1358	1326	1341	1333	1322	1326	1325	1323
<b>Unemployment</b>													
	<i>thousands</i>												
Total	137	134	158	161	147	170	163	153	126	129	120	147	126
From 15 to 29 years				66	64	67	60	52	51	51	42	58	49
From 30 to 54 years				78	70	87	85	87	62	62	63	72	64
From 55 to 66 years				17	13	16	18	14	13	16	15	17	13
Males	66	66	76	73	69	75	74	77	60	56	57	74	57
From 15 to 29 years				27	31	31	30	28	23	22	22	27	22
From 30 to 54 years				38	32	36	35	41	29	25	28	37	28
From 55 to 66 years				8	6	8	9	8	8	9	7	10	7
Females	71	68	82	89	78	94	89	76	66	74	65	73	68
From 15 to 29 years				39	33	36	30	24	28	30	20	31	27
From 30 to 54 years				41	38	51	50	46	33	37	36	35	35
From 55 to 66 years				9	7	7	9	6	5	7	9	7	6
<b>Civilian employment</b>													
	<i>thousands</i>												
Total	2725	2715	2692	2698	2713	2731	2688	2697	2724	2721	2734	2691	2706
Agriculture	89	85	82	95	94	91	84	98	103	92	80	87	94
Industry	686	659	641	512	518	517	508	525	495	522	506	483	493
Services	1917	1935	1937	2091	2101	2123	2096	2074	2126	2107	2148	2121	2119
Males	1456	1450	1447	1460	1465	1468	1451	1431	1457	1474	1473	1439	1451
Agriculture	68	65	64	75	74	70	68	72	78	71	61	67	73
Industry	515	496	490	350	349	356	357	352	338	357	352	332	329
Services	846	860	868	1035	1042	1042	1026	1007	1041	1046	1060	1040	1049
Females	1269	1266	1245	1238	1248	1264	1237	1265	1267	1248	1261	1252	1255
Agriculture	20	20	18	20	19	20	17	26	25	21	19	21	21
Industry	171	165	151	162	169	160	152	173	157	165	154	151	163
Services	1070	1073	1069	1056	1060	1084	1068	1066	1085	1062	1088	1080	1071
<b>Employees</b>													
	<i>thousands</i>												
Total	2458	2443	2429	2417	2425	2465	2414	2433	2446	2454	2484	2435	2445
Males	1255	1246	1256	1251	1260	1277	1249	1240	1256	1278	1294	1252	1252
Females	1202	1197	1173	1166	1165	1187	1166	1193	1190	1175	1191	1183	1193
<b>Civilian employment</b>													
	<i>2000=100</i>												
Total	100.1	99.7	98.9	99.1	99.7	100.3	98.8	99.1	100.1	100.0	100.4	98.9	99.4
	<i>sa</i>			99.8	99.6	100.2	98.3	99.8	100.1	99.7	100.0	99.6	99.4
Agriculture	98.9	94.4	91.1	105.6	104.4	101.1	93.3	108.9	114.4	102.2	88.9	96.7	104.4
	<i>sa</i>			108.0	100.8	98.0	99.4	109.5	109.8	99.8	95.1	96.7	100.1
Industry	96.3	92.6	90.0	71.9	72.8	72.6	71.3	73.7	69.5	73.3	71.1	67.8	69.2
	<i>sa</i>			72.2	74.1	72.1	70.3	74.0	70.9	72.8	70.0	68.0	70.7
Services	101.8	102.8	102.9	111.0	111.6	112.7	111.3	110.1	112.9	111.9	114.1	112.6	112.5
	<i>sa</i>			111.5	111.2	112.6	111.1	110.8	112.6	111.7	113.7	113.5	112.2
<b>Unemployment rate</b>													
	<i>as percentage of civilian labour force</i>												
Total	4.8	4.7	5.5	5.6	5.1	5.9	5.7	5.4	4.4	4.5	4.2	5.2	4.4
Males	4.3	4.4	5.0	4.8	4.5	4.9	4.9	5.1	4.0	3.7	3.7	4.9	3.8
Females	5.3	5.1	6.2	6.7	5.9	6.9	6.7	5.7	5.0	5.6	4.9	5.5	5.1
<b>Civilian employment (sectors)</b>													
	<i>as percentage of total</i>												
Agriculture	3.3	3.1	3.0	3.5	3.5	3.3	3.1	3.6	3.8	3.4	2.9	3.2	3.5
Industry	25.2	24.3	23.8	19.0	19.1	18.9	18.9	19.5	18.2	19.2	18.5	17.9	18.2
Services	70.3	71.3	72.0	77.5	77.4	77.7	78.0	76.9	78.0	77.4	78.6	78.8	78.3

(1) Annual data are from "Annual Labour Force Statistics" and therefore may differ from the average of quarterly data.

(2) Civilian labour force data include military personnel.

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2001		2002				2003				2004				
Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3		
<b>Population active civile<sup>(2)</sup></b>														
														<i>milliers</i>
2880	2893	2828	2858	2863	2837	2821	2854	2877	2848	2860	2881	2924	Total	
1526	1538	1505	1517	1531	1508	1515	1528	1534	1518	1524	1533	1550	Hommes	
1355	1355	1324	1341	1332	1328	1306	1325	1344	1331	1334	1347	1375	Femmes	
<b>Chômage</b>														<i>milliers</i>
139	140	136	130	141	132	153	160	161	156	180	154	169	Total	
62	58	47	51	54	53	63	68	62	46	67	56	66	De 15 à 29 ans	
59	68	74	61	73	64	74	75	76	85	85	74	81	De 30 à 54 ans	
18	14	15	18	14	15	16	17	23	25	28	24	22	De 55 à 66 ans	
65	72	71	67	66	62	70	81	77	75	86	78	88	Hommes	
27	34	24	28	24	26	28	35	29	25	34	30	42	De 15 à 29 ans	
27	30	40	28	34	29	34	37	35	38	37	35	34	De 30 à 54 ans	
11	8	7	11	8	7	8	9	13	12	15	13	12	De 55 à 66 ans	
74	68	65	63	76	69	82	80	85	81	93	76	81	Femmes	
35	23	23	23	30	27	35	34	33	21	33	26	24	De 15 à 29 ans	
32	39	34	33	39	34	39	38	41	48	48	39	47	De 30 à 54 ans	
7	6	8	7	7	8	8	8	11	12	12	11	10	De 55 à 66 ans	
<b>Population active civile occupée</b>														<i>milliers</i>
2741	2753	2692	2728	2722	2705	2668	2694	2716	2692	2680	2727	2755	Total	
102	81	84	88	90	98	82	92	86	90	86	90	88	Agriculture	
485	483	482	444	473	434	442	424	443	455	443	433	434	Industrie	
2154	2189	2126	2196	2159	2173	2144	2178	2187	2147	2151	2204	2233	Services	
1461	1466	1434	1450	1465	1446	1445	1447	1457	1443	1438	1455	1462	Hommes	
81	65	66	67	70	74	64	69	68	74	69	66	68	Agriculture	
331	341	341	303	319	290	317	295	305	314	311	301	297	Industrie	
1049	1060	1027	1080	1076	1082	1064	1083	1084	1055	1058	1088	1097	Services	
1281	1287	1259	1278	1256	1259	1224	1245	1259	1250	1241	1271	1294	Femmes	
22	16	18	21	21	24	18	22	18	16	17	24	20	Agriculture	
153	142	141	141	155	144	125	128	138	142	132	132	137	Industrie	
1106	1129	1100	1116	1080	1091	1081	1095	1103	1092	1092	1115	1137	Services	
<b>Salariés</b>														<i>milliers</i>
2471	2468	2424	2464	2454	2417	2405	2429	2447	2436	2417	2464	2484	Total	
1257	1247	1240	1254	1261	1228	1252	1259	1259	1253	1241	1264	1266	Hommes	
1214	1221	1184	1210	1193	1189	1153	1170	1187	1183	1176	1200	1218	Femmes	
<b>Population active civile occupée</b>														<i>2000=100</i>
100.7	101.1	98.9	100.2	100.0	99.4	98.0	99.0	99.8	98.9	98.5	100.2	101.2	Total	
100.3	100.7	99.7	100.2	99.5	99.0	98.9	99.0	99.3	98.6	99.3	100.2	100.7	cvs	
113.3	90.0	93.3	97.8	100.0	108.9	91.1	102.2	95.6	100.0	95.6	100.0	97.8	Agriculture	
111.4	95.4	93.5	93.8	99.4	113.4	91.7	98.3	95.6	102.9	96.4	96.2	98.1	cvs	
68.1	67.8	67.7	62.4	66.4	61.0	62.1	59.6	62.2	63.9	62.2	60.8	61.0	Industrie	
67.5	66.9	67.9	63.7	65.7	60.3	62.1	60.9	61.4	63.3	62.3	62.3	60.1	cvs	
114.4	116.3	112.9	116.6	114.7	115.4	113.9	115.7	116.1	114.0	114.2	117.0	118.6	Services	
114.3	115.7	113.9	116.3	114.4	114.9	114.9	115.3	115.9	113.6	115.3	116.6	118.3	cvs	
<b>Taux de chômage</b>														<i>en pourcentage de la population active civile</i>
4.8	4.8	4.8	4.5	4.9	4.7	5.4	5.6	5.6	5.5	6.3	5.3	5.8	Total	
4.3	4.7	4.7	4.4	4.3	4.1	4.6	5.3	5.0	4.9	5.6	5.1	5.7	Hommes	
5.5	5.0	4.9	4.7	5.7	5.2	6.3	6.0	6.3	6.1	7.0	5.6	5.9	Femmes	
<b>Pop. active civ. occupée (secteurs)</b>														<i>en pourcentage du total</i>
3.7	2.9	3.1	3.2	3.3	3.6	3.1	3.4	3.2	3.3	3.2	3.3	3.2	Agriculture	
17.7	17.5	17.9	16.3	17.4	16.0	16.6	15.7	16.3	16.9	16.5	15.9	15.8	Industrie	
78.6	79.5	79.0	80.5	79.3	80.3	80.4	80.8	80.5	79.8	80.3	80.8	81.1	Services	

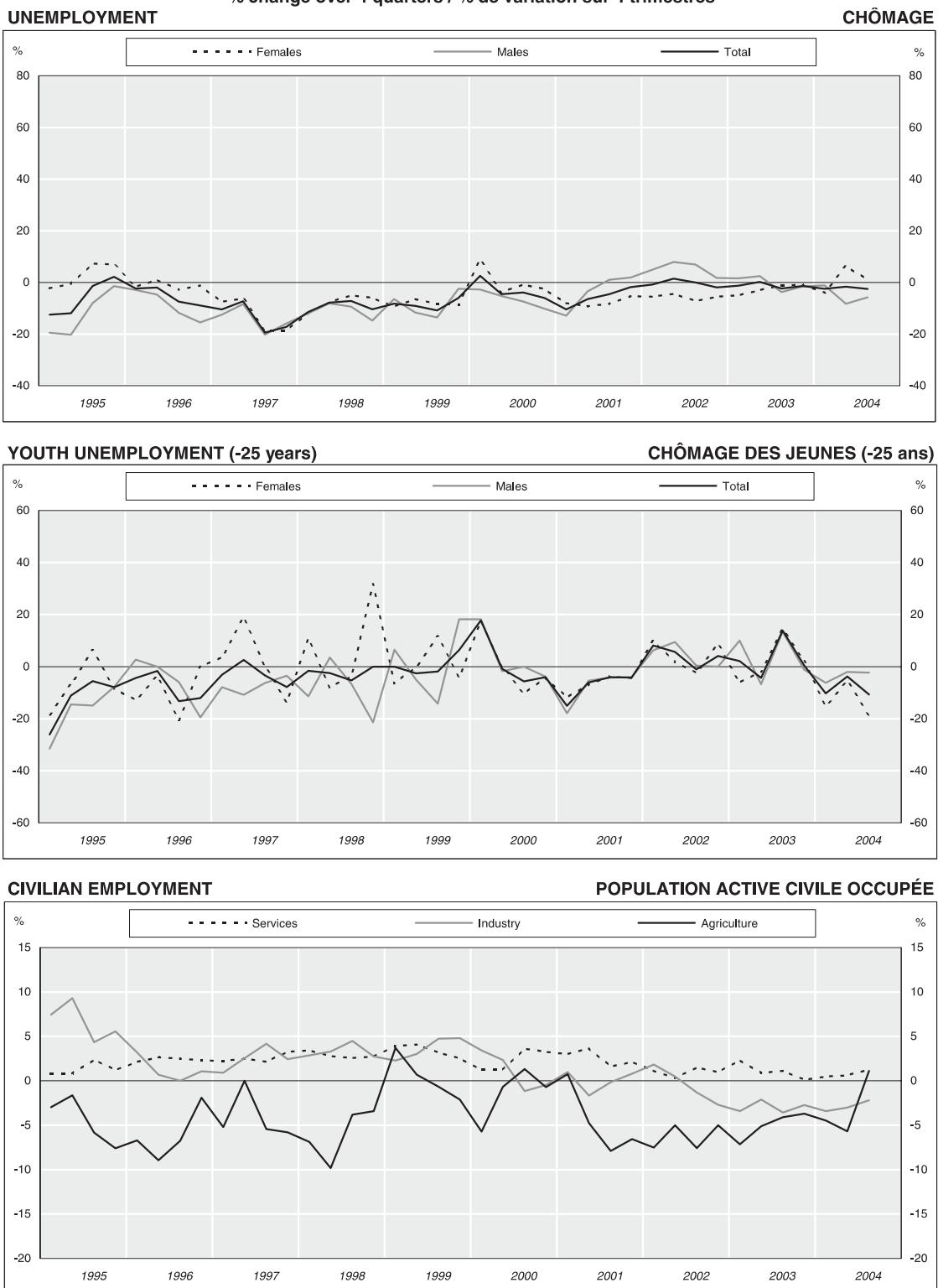
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(2) les données de population active civile incluent les militaires.

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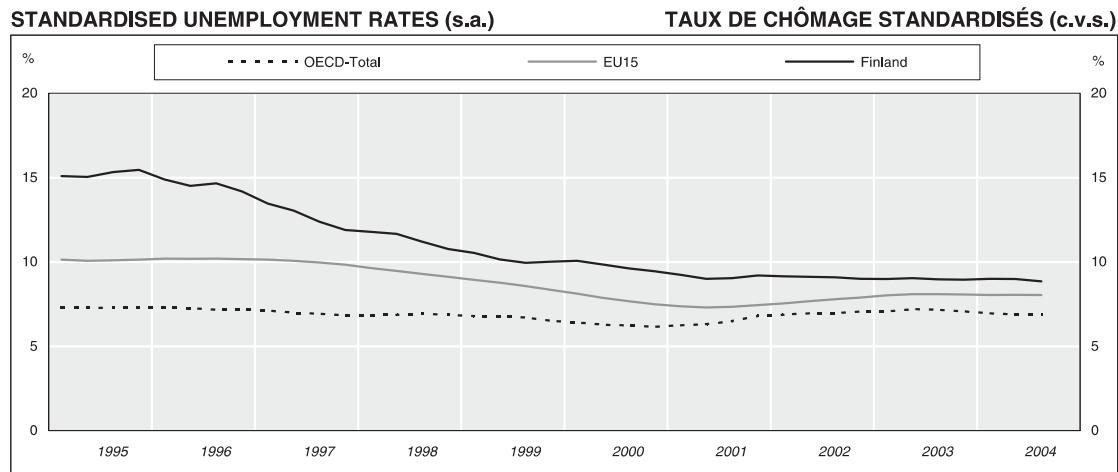
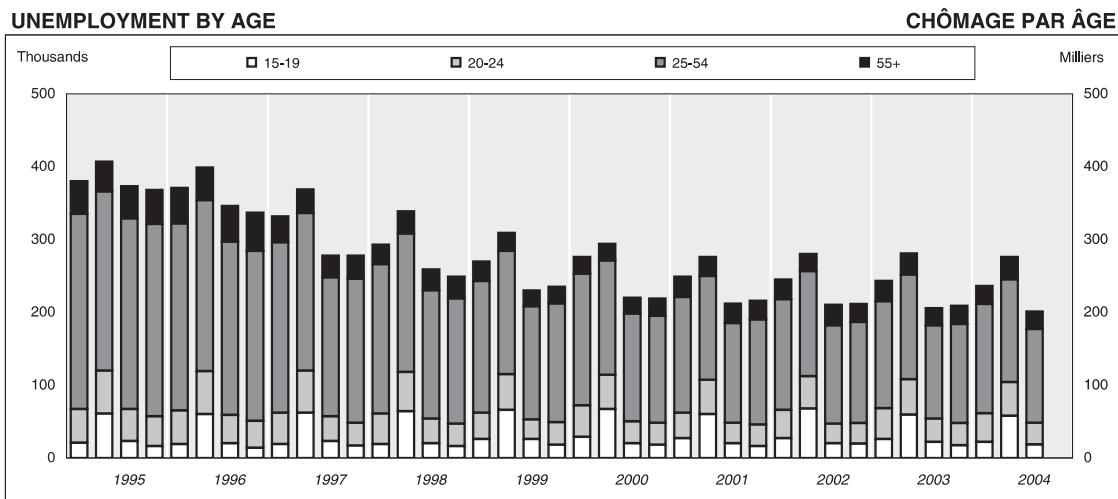
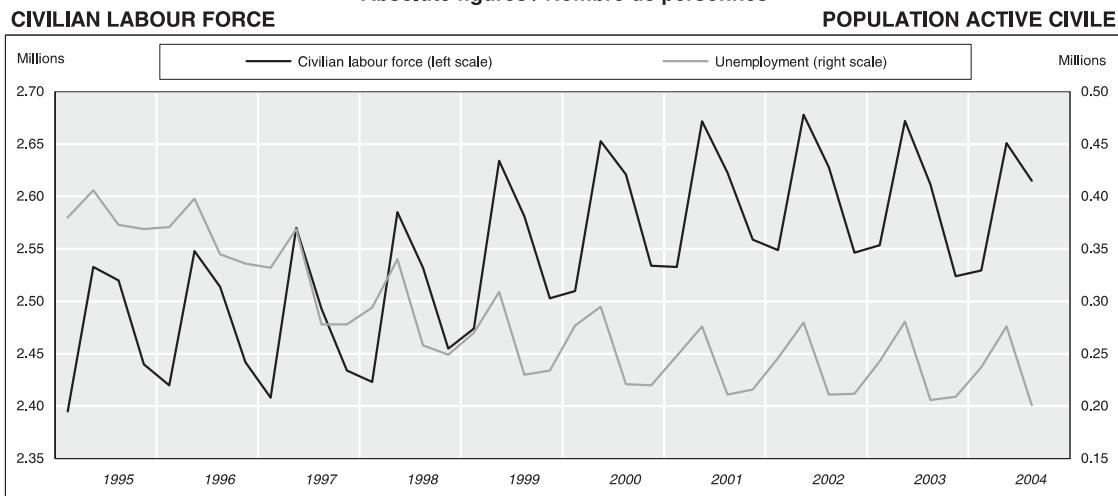
### INDICATORS OF LABOUR FORCE COMPONENTS

% change over 4 quarters / % de variation sur 4 trimestres



## COMPOSANTES DE LA POPULATION ACTIVE

Absolute figures / Nombre de personnes



# FINLAND

	2001	2002	2003	1999				2000				2001	
				Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2
<b>Total labour force</b>													
Total	2626	2629	2620	2503	2661	2614	2535	2541	2682	2651	2561	2564	2698
Males	1378	1371	1371	1317	1394	1379	1339	1333	1407	1394	1346	1345	1413
Females	1248	1258	1249	1186	1267	1235	1196	1208	1276	1257	1215	1219	1285
<b>Civilian labour force</b>													
Total	2597	2600	2590	2474	2634	2581	2503	2510	2653	2621	2534	2533	2672
Males	1349	1343	1342	1289	1367	1346	1307	1303	1378	1364	1319	1314	1387
Females	1247	1257	1248	1185	1267	1235	1196	1207	1275	1257	1215	1218	1285
<b>Unemployment</b>													
Total	238	237	235	270	309	230	234	277	295	221	220	248	276
Males	117	123	124	144	151	108	118	140	143	100	106	122	138
Females	121	114	111	126	158	122	117	137	152	121	114	126	138
From 15 to 19 years	15	15	14	12	30	12	10	15	32	8	9	13	29
From 20 to 24 years	18	19	21	21	27	12	16	24	24	16	16	19	24
From 25 to 54 years	71	75	75	95	82	72	81	89	74	66	69	76	72
55 years and over	14	14	14	16	13	12	11	12	12	11	12	15	13
From 15 to 19 years	16	18	17	14	36	14	9	15	35	12	9	14	31
From 20 to 24 years	17	15	17	15	22	15	15	19	23	14	14	16	23
From 25 to 54 years	75	68	64	86	88	83	82	92	83	83	78	83	71
55 years and over	13	13	13	11	12	10	11	11	11	12	12	13	13
<b>Civilian employment</b>													
Total	2359	2363	2356	2203	2325	2351	2269	2233	2358	2400	2314	2285	2397
Males	1232	1220	1219	1144	1216	1239	1189	1163	1235	1264	1213	1193	1250
Agriculture	93	85	83	97	100	100	97	94	103	102	95	94	97
Industry	487	486	478	441	488	515	480	459	500	513	483	461	491
Services	652	649	658	606	628	624	612	610	632	649	635	638	662
Females	1127	1143	1137	1059	1109	1112	1079	1070	1123	1136	1101	1092	1147
Agriculture	42	41	38	43	49	50	41	38	44	50	42	39	43
Industry	155	154	143	144	157	169	153	146	160	162	148	150	158
Services	930	948	957	872	903	893	885	886	919	924	911	903	946
<b>Employees</b>													
Total	2052	2059	2052	1887	2004	2024	1950	1919	2038	2072	2000	1979	2085
				sa	1943	1965	1976	1980	1975	2000	2022	2030	2048
<b>Civilian employment</b>													
Total	101.4	101.6	101.3	94.7	100.0	101.1	97.5	96.0	101.4	103.2	99.5	98.2	103.1
Agriculture	95.1	89.2	84.8	98.6	104.2	105.6	97.2	93.0	103.5	107.0	96.5	93.7	98.6
Industry	99.8	99.4	96.5	104.5	101.3	100.5	99.6	98.4	100.5	102.1	98.9	99.1	95.5
Services	102.7	103.7	104.8	95.9	99.4	98.5	97.2	97.1	100.6	102.1	100.4	100.0	104.3
				sa	97.4	98.0	97.4	98.1	98.6	99.3	101.0	101.3	101.5

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2001		2002				2003				2004				
Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3		
<b>Population active totale</b>														
2654	2589	2581	2705	2659	2575	2581	2700	2643	2556	2561	2681	2648		<i>milliers</i>
1398	1358	1342	1411	1392	1343	1337	1411	1395	1341	1340	1399	1387		Total
1256	1231	1239	1294	1267	1232	1244	1289	1248	1215	1221	1283	1261		Hommes
														Femmes
<b>Population active civile</b>														
2623	2559	2549	2678	2628	2547	2553	2672	2612	2524	2529	2651	2615		<i>milliers</i>
2594	2615	2601	2598	2600	2602	2605	2593	2585	2579	2580	2573	2588		Total
1367	1328	1311	1385	1362	1315	1310	1384	1365	1310	1310	1369	1356		Hommes
1347	1355	1344	1344	1342	1342	1344	1344	1345	1337	1343	1328	1336		Femmes
1256	1231	1238	1293	1266	1231	1243	1288	1247	1214	1220	1281	1260		
1248	1259	1258	1254	1259	1258	1261	1249	1241	1240	1237	1243	1254		
<b>Chômage</b>														
211	216	246	280	211	212	243	281	206	209	237	276	201		<i>milliers</i>
237	239	239	237	238	235	236	237	233	233	230	232	227		Total
20	16	27	68	20	20	26	59	22	17	22	58	19		De 15 à 19 ans
28	30	39	44	27	28	42	49	32	31	39	46	30		De 20 à 24 ans
137	144	152	145	135	139	147	144	128	136	150	141	129		De 25 à 54 ans
27	26	27	24	29	25	28	29	24	25	25	31	24		55 ans et plus
101	108	128	149	108	110	130	153	104	108	129	140	98		Hommes
9	8	12	33	8	8	12	28	9	8	11	28	9		De 15 à 19 ans
14	16	22	25	15	16	25	26	17	16	25	25	16		De 20 à 24 ans
65	71	79	77	70	74	80	83	66	72	81	71	60		De 25 à 54 ans
13	13	14	14	15	12	14	15	13	13	13	17	12		55 ans et plus
111	108	119	132	103	102	113	128	102	101	109	136	103		Femmes
11	8	15	35	12	12	14	31	13	10	11	30	9		De 15 à 19 ans
14	14	18	20	13	12	17	23	15	15	15	21	14		De 20 à 24 ans
72	73	73	67	65	65	67	61	62	64	70	70	69		De 25 à 54 ans
14	13	13	10	14	13	14	13	12	12	13	14	12		55 ans et plus
<b>Population active civile occupée</b>														
2412	2343	2304	2398	2417	2335	2311	2392	2406	2315	2293	2375	2414		<i>milliers</i>
2356	2374	2366	2361	2362	2365	2370	2356	2352	2345	2351	2341	2360		Total
140	128	123	133	129	122	114	126	124	117	109	119	126		Agriculture
134	131	130	129	124	124	121	122	119	120	115	115	121		Industrie
674	635	622	652	665	618	601	638	641	601	581	619	627		Services
643	648	653	639	636	631	629	626	614	614	607	607	600		Hommes
1598	1580	1559	1613	1622	1595	1595	1627	1640	1597	1603	1637	1661		Agriculture
1580	1595	1583	1593	1604	1610	1620	1608	1620	1612	1628	1618	1641		Industrie
1267	1220	1184	1237	1254	1206	1180	1232	1261	1202	1182	1229	1258		Services
95	86	83	89	87	82	94	86	85	81	76	85	90		Femmes
511	484	467	493	507	476	459	489	498	466	442	478	484		Agriculture
661	650	634	655	659	649	627	657	678	654	663	666	684		Industrie
1145	1123	1119	1161	1163	1129	1131	1160	1145	1113	1111	1146	1156		Services
45	42	40	43	42	40	20	40	39	36	33	34	36		Hommes
162	151	156	159	158	142	142	149	144	135	138	142	143		Agriculture
938	930	923	959	963	947	969	971	962	943	940	970	977		Industrie
														Services
<b>Salariés</b>														
2103	2041	2000	2090	2115	2032	2016	2086	2091	2006	1996	2079	2102		<i>milliers</i>
2052	2071	2056	2055	2064	2062	2072	2052	2041	2035	2050	2046	2051		Total
<b>Population active civile occupée</b>														
103.7	100.7	99.1	103.1	103.9	100.4	99.3	102.8	103.4	99.5	98.6	102.1	103.8		2000=100
101.3	102.1	101.7	101.5	101.5	101.7	101.9	101.3	101.1	100.8	101.1	100.6	101.5		Total
98.6	90.1	86.6	93.7	91.1	85.6	80.4	88.9	87.4	82.5	76.8	83.8	88.4		Agriculture
94.3	92.3	91.6	90.5	87.4	87.6	85.1	85.8	84.0	84.2	81.3	80.8	85.1		Industrie
104.8	98.8	96.8	101.4	103.4	96.1	93.5	99.3	99.8	93.5	90.3	96.3	97.6		Services
100.0	100.8	101.5	99.4	98.8	98.1	97.9	97.3	95.4	95.5	94.5	94.4	93.4		
103.7	102.5	101.2	104.7	105.3	103.5	103.5	105.6	106.4	103.6	104.0	106.2	107.8		
102.5	103.5	102.7	103.4	104.1	104.5	105.1	104.3	105.2	104.6	105.6	105.0	106.5		

## FINLAND (continued)

	2001	2002	2003	1999				2000				2001		
				Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	
<b>Unemployment rate</b>														
				as percentage of total labour force										
Total	9.1	9.0	9.0	9.1	10.8	11.6	8.8	9.2	10.9	11.0	8.3	8.6	9.7	10.2
	sa				10.4	10.2	9.9	9.9	10.4	9.7	9.4	9.3	9.2	9.0
Males	8.5	9.0	9.0		10.9	10.8	7.8	8.8	10.5	10.2	7.2	7.9	9.1	9.8
Females	9.7	9.1	8.9		10.6	12.5	9.9	9.8	11.3	11.9	9.6	9.4	10.3	10.7
<b>Youth unemployment (15 - 24 years)</b>														
				as percentage of total unemployed										
Total	27.7	28.8	29.8	27.7	23.0	37.2	23.0	20.9	26.0	38.6	22.6	21.8	25.0	38.8
Males	28.2	27.6	28.5		22.9	37.7	22.2	22.0	27.9	39.2	24.0	23.6	26.2	38.4
Females	27.3	29.3	30.9		23.0	36.7	23.8	20.5	24.8	38.2	21.5	20.2	23.8	39.1
<b>Civilian employment (sectors)</b>														
				as percentage of total										
Agriculture	5.7	5.4	5.1	5.7	6.4	6.4	6.4	6.1	5.9	6.2	6.3	5.9	5.8	5.8
Industry	27.2	27.0	26.3		26.6	27.7	29.1	27.9	27.1	28.0	28.1	27.2	26.7	27.1
Services	67.1	67.6	68.5		67.1	65.9	64.6	66.0	67.0	65.8	65.5	66.9	67.4	67.1

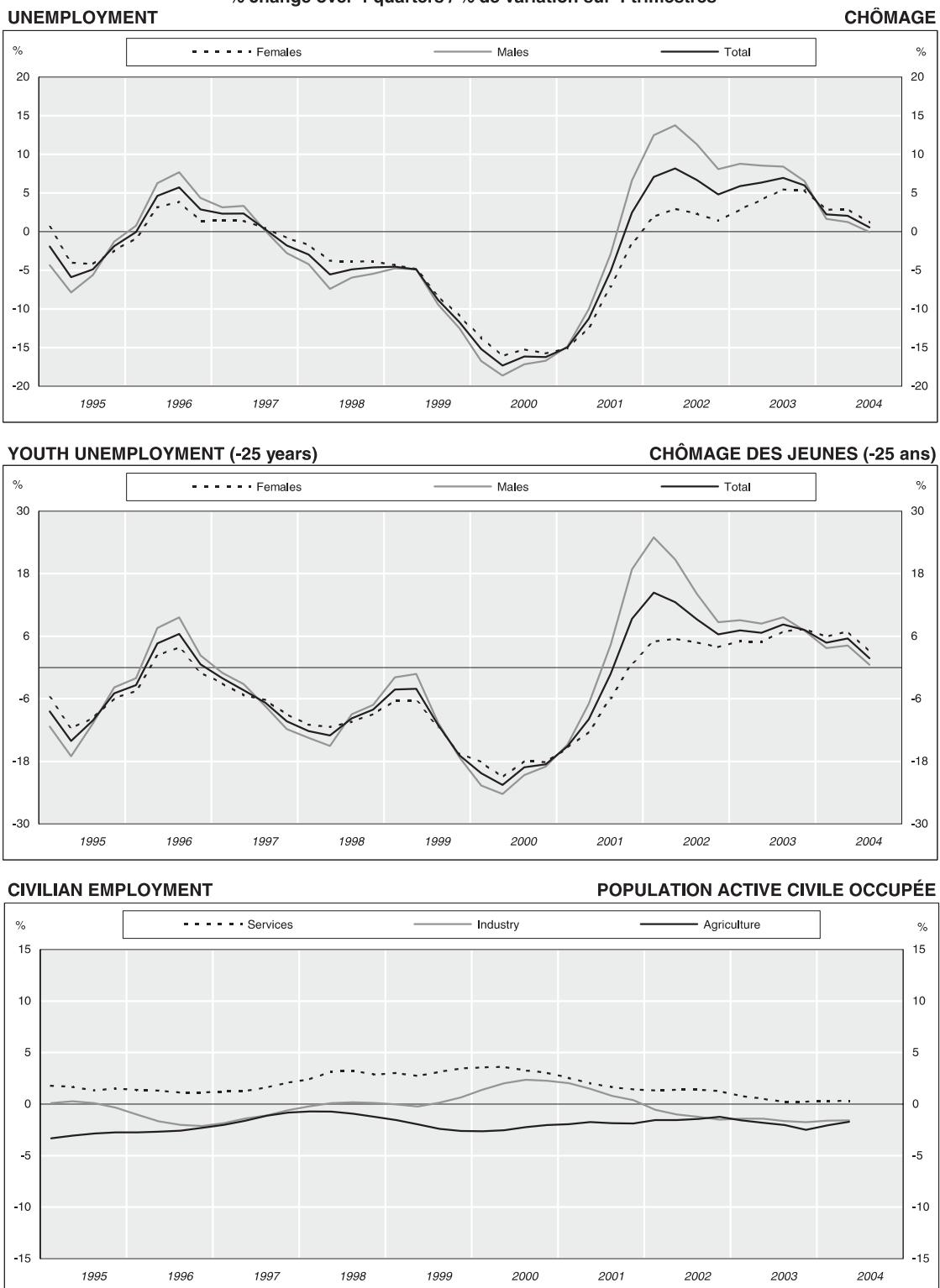
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2001		2002				2003				2004				cvs
Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3		
8.0	8.3	9.5	10.4	7.9	8.2	9.4	10.4	7.8	8.2	9.2	10.3	7.6	Taux de chômage en pourcentage de la population active totale	
9.0	9.1	9.1	9.0	9.0	9.0	8.9	9.0	8.9	8.9	8.8	8.9	8.7	Total	
7.2	8.0	9.5	10.6	7.8	8.2	9.7	10.8	7.5	8.1	9.6	10.0	7.1	Hommes	
8.8	8.8	9.6	10.2	8.1	8.3	9.1	9.9	8.2	8.3	8.9	10.6	8.2	Femmes	
22.7	21.3	26.8	40.0	22.3	22.6	28.1	38.5	26.2	22.9	25.9	37.7	24.0	Chômage des jeunes (15 - 24 ans) en pourcentage du total des chômeurs	
22.8	22.2	26.6	38.9	21.4	21.8	28.8	35.4	25.2	21.9	27.3	37.9	26.1	Total	
22.5	20.4	27.7	41.7	23.7	23.4	27.4	42.2	27.4	24.2	24.2	37.5	22.0	Hommes	
													Femmes	
5.8	5.5	5.3	5.5	5.4	5.2	4.9	5.3	5.2	5.1	4.8	5.0	5.2	Pop. active civ. occupée (secteurs) en pourcentage du total	
27.9	27.1	27.0	27.2	27.5	26.5	26.0	26.7	26.7	26.0	25.3	26.1	26.0	Agriculture	
66.3	67.4	67.7	67.3	67.1	68.3	69.0	68.0	68.2	69.0	69.9	68.9	68.8	Industrie	
													Services	

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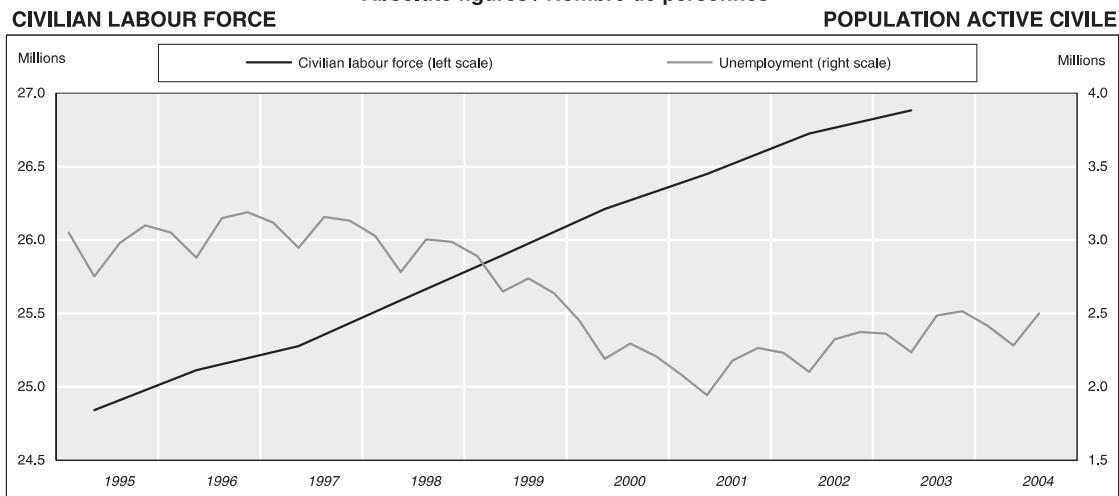
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% change over 4 quarters / % de variation sur 4 trimestres



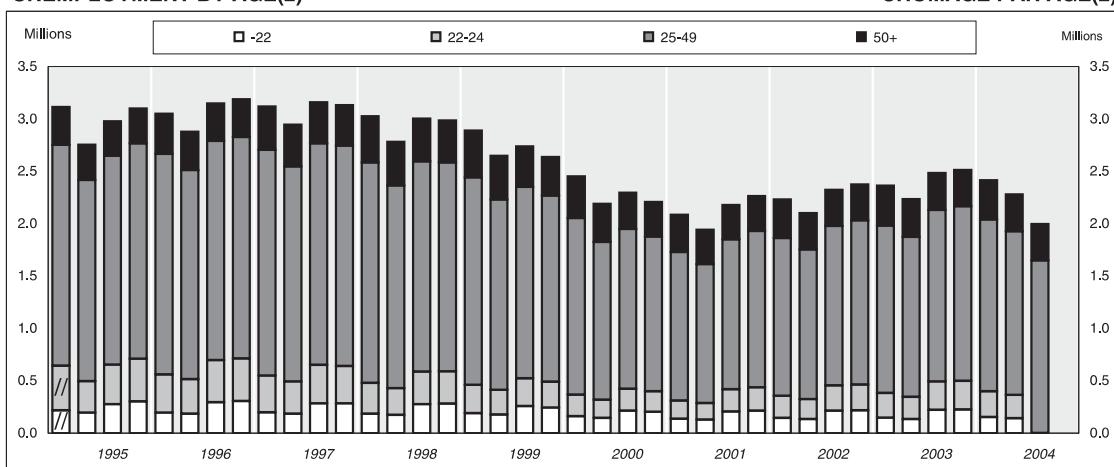
## COMPOSANTES DE LA POPULATION ACTIVE

Absolute figures / Nombre de personnes



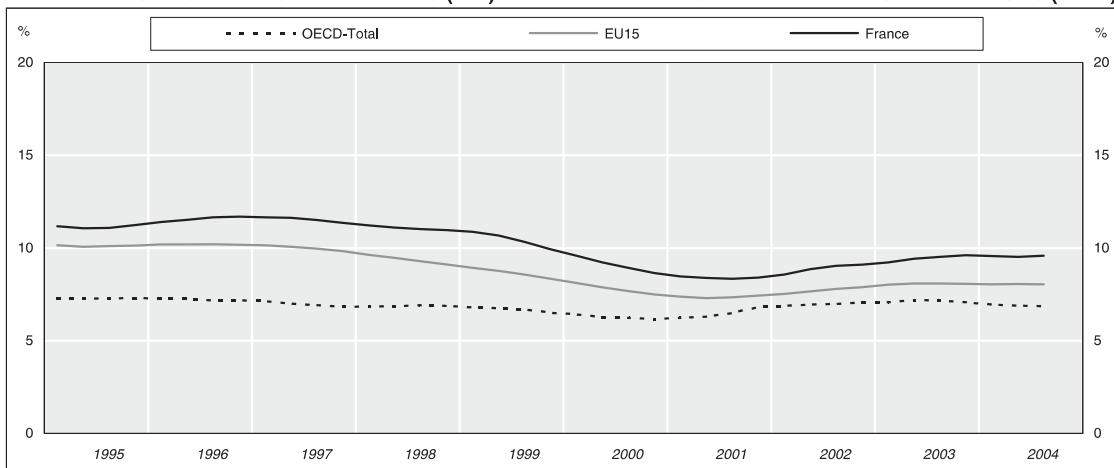
## UNEMPLOYMENT BY AGE(2)

## CHÔMAGE PAR ÂGE(2)



## STANDARDISED UNEMPLOYMENT RATES (s.a.)

## TAUX DE CHÔMAGE STANDARDISÉS (c.v.s.)



# FRANCE

	2001	2002	2003	1999				2000				2001	
				Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2
<b>Total labour force</b>													
Total				26792	27070	27236							
Males				14515	14601	14628							
Females				12277	12477	12608							
<b>Civilian labour force</b>													
Total				26449	26724	26883							
Males				14201	14295	14319							
Females				12248	12437	12563							
<b>Registered unemployed<sup>(1,2)</sup></b>													
Total				2321	2431	2590	2890	2648	2738	2637	2451	2189	2296
	sa						2897	2851	2730	2613	2504	2378	2299
Under 22 years							191	178	257	244	160	144	214
From 22 to 24 years							271	234	265	246	207	176	208
From 25 to 49 years							1982	1818	1829	1776	1684	1506	1526
50 years and over							447	418	387	371	399	364	348
Males				1048	1162	1246	1438	1283	1318	1298	1197	1044	1091
Under 22 years							97	85	124	121	80	68	101
From 22 to 24 years							125	103	116	112	92	75	89
From 25 to 49 years							965	863	865	860	806	703	711
50 years and over							250	232	213	206	219	198	190
Females				1273	1276	1344	1452	1365	1420	1339	1254	1145	1204
Under 22 years							93	92	133	123	80	75	113
From 22 to 24 years							146	131	149	135	115	101	119
From 25 to 49 years							1016	954	964	916	878	803	815
50 years and over							197	187	174	166	180	166	158
<b>Civilian employment<sup>(3)</sup></b>													
Total <sup>(4)</sup>	sa	24128	24293	24293	22917	23033	23208	23361	23555	23716	23862	23981	24082
Agriculture <sup>(4)</sup>	sa	904	889	873	950	944	937	931	925	920	916	912	907
Industry <sup>(4)</sup>	sa	5801	5754	5677	5609	5607	5624	5648	5687	5720	5756	5776	5803
Services <sup>(4)</sup>	sa	17425	17654	17757	16358	16482	16647	16782	16943	17076	17190	17293	17372
Males		13153	13133	13073									
Females		10975	11161	11219									
<b>Employees<sup>(3)</sup></b>													
Total <sup>(4)</sup>	sa	22303	22494	22503	21042	21158	21333	21490	21686	21856	22013	22144	22253
Industry <sup>(4)</sup>	sa	5421	5367	5278	5235	5232	5248	5272	5311	5344	5381	5401	5426
Males		4100	4062	4001									
Females		1321	1305	1277									
Services <sup>(4)</sup>	sa	16535	16784	16888	15437	15558	15720	15856	16015	16154	16276	16389	16477
Males		7644	7678	7689									
Females		8891	9106	9198									
<b>Civilian employment</b>													
Total	sa	101.8	102.5	102.5	96.7	97.2	98.0	98.6	99.4	100.1	100.7	101.2	101.6
Agriculture	sa	98.1	96.5	94.8	103.1	102.5	101.7	101.1	100.4	99.9	99.5	99.0	98.5
Industry	sa	101.4	100.6	99.3	98.1	98.0	98.3	98.8	99.4	100.0	100.6	101.0	101.5
Services	sa	102.2	103.5	104.1	95.9	96.7	97.6	98.4	99.4	100.1	100.8	101.4	101.9
<b>Unemployment rate<sup>(1)</sup></b>													
as percentage of total labour force													
Total		8.7	9.0	9.5									
Males		7.2	8.0	8.5									
Females		10.4	10.2	10.7									

Footnotes appear at the end of the table.

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2001				2002				2003				2004														
Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3										
<b>Population active totale</b>																	<i>milliers</i>									
Total Hommes Femmes																	<i>milliers</i>									
<b>Population active civile</b>																	<i>milliers</i>									
Total Hommes Femmes																	<i>milliers</i>									
<b>Chômeurs inscrits<sup>(1,2)</sup></b>																	<i>milliers</i>									
cvs Total Moins de 22 ans De 22 à 24 ans De 25 à 49 ans 50 ans et plus Hommes Moins de 22 ans De 22 à 24 ans De 25 à 49 ans 50 ans et plus Femmes Moins de 22 ans De 22 à 24 ans De 25 à 49 ans 50 ans et plus																	<i>milliers</i>									
2178	2264	2231	2102	2324	2373	2363	2236	2485	2515	2415	2282	2499	2123	2185	2219	2249	2274	2294	2344	2383	2414	2443	2418	2439	2452	
206	214	146	135	213	217	148	134	222	224	152	142	143	1494	1506	1429	1522	1566	1599	1529	1636	1667	1639	1562	1648	1433	
211	222	211	189	242	247	234	211	271	273	248	222	228	328	334	368	350	346	343	382	362	356	376	356	349	1060	
1060	1153	1146	1069	1180	1247	1247	1160	1279	1328	1267	1175	1278	101	113	77	68	108	116	80	69	115	120	81	72	97	
97	111	106	92	118	127	120	104	134	140	126	109	109	681	743	758	714	759	807	829	781	828	867	849	795	834	180
180	187	205	195	194	196	218	206	202	200	212	199	194	1118	1111	1085	1033	1144	1127	1116	1075	1207	1187	1148	1107	1221	1118
104	101	69	67	105	101	68	65	107	104	71	70	114	104	101	89	89	890	886	884	879	874	868	862	861	859	104
114	111	105	97	123	120	114	106	137	133	122	113	752	751	748	716	764	759	769	748	808	800	790	767	814	752	
148	148	163	154	151	147	164	156	155	150	164	155	148	148	148	148	148	148	148	148	148	148	148	148	148	148	
<b>Population active civile occupée<sup>(3)</sup></b>																		<i>milliers</i>								
cvs Total <sup>(4)</sup> cvs Agriculture <sup>(4)</sup> cvs Industrie <sup>(4)</sup> cvs Services <sup>(4)</sup> cvs Hommes cvs Femmes																	<i>milliers</i>									
24175	24232	24268	24297	24335	24356	24308	24290	24260	24274	24251	24243	899	895	893	890	886	884	879	874	868	862	861	859	5802		
5802	5799	5771	5747	5731	5712	5689	5665	5637	5611	5598	5575	17474	17538	17604	17660	17718	17760	17740	17751	17755	17801	17792	17809	17474		
<b>Salariés<sup>(3)</sup></b>																		<i>milliers</i>								
cvs Total <sup>(4)</sup> cvs Industrie <sup>(4)</sup> cvs Hommes cvs Femmes																	<i>milliers</i>									
22357	22419	22458	22488	22529	22570	22512	22494	22468	22481	22458	22451	5422	5417	5388	5363	5346	5327	5304	5280	5252	5226	5213	5190	22357		
16592	16661	16728	16782	16839	16898	16865	16875	16882	16926	16917	16934	cvs Services <sup>(4)</sup> cvs Hommes cvs Femmes														
<b>Population active civile occupée</b>																		2000=100								
cvs Total cvs Agriculture cvs Industrie cvs Services																	2000=100									
102.0	102.3	102.4	102.5	102.7	102.8	102.6	102.5	102.4	102.5	102.4	102.3	97.6	97.2	97.0	96.6	96.2	96.0	95.4	94.9	94.2	93.6	93.5	93.3	101.5		
101.5	101.4	100.9	100.5	100.2	99.9	99.5	99.1	98.6	98.1	97.9	97.5	102.5	102.8	103.2	103.6	103.9	104.1	104.0	104.1	104.1	104.4	104.3	104.4	102.5		
<b>Taux de chômage<sup>(1)</sup></b>																		en pourcentage de la population active totale								
Total Hommes Femmes																		en pourcentage de la population active totale								

Les notes se trouvent en fin de tableau.

## FRANCE (continued)

	2001	2002	2003	1999				2000				2001	
				Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2
<b>Youth unemployment (- 25 years)<sup>(2)</sup></b>													
Total				16.0	15.6	19.1	18.6	15.0	14.6	18.4	18.1	15.0	14.8
Males				15.5	14.7	18.2	17.9	14.4	13.7	17.4	17.4	14.4	14.1
Females				16.5	16.4	19.9	19.2	15.6	15.4	19.2	18.7	15.5	15.4
<b>Civilian employment (sectors)</b>													
Agriculture	3.7	3.7	3.6	4.1	4.1	4.0	4.0	3.9	3.9	3.8	3.8	3.8	3.7
Industry	24.0	23.7	23.4	24.5	24.3	24.2	24.2	24.1	24.1	24.1	24.1	24.1	24.1
Services	72.2	72.7	73.1	71.4	71.6	71.7	71.8	71.9	72.0	72.0	72.1	72.1	72.2

(1) Figures for the unemployed on an annual basis have been provided by the Institut National de la Statistique et des Études Économiques and correspond to ILO's international definitions.

(2) Quarterly unemployment figures refer to job applicants still registered at the end of the months of March, June, September and December; they are established monthly by the Ministry of Labour for totals and age groups.

(3) These series have been repeatedly affected by the introduction of new administrative procedures.  
Data refer to all employees and not civilian employees only. Differences between the total and the sum of data

for males and females stem from different release dates for these figures.  
(4) Annual averages are moving averages calculated from the non-seasonally adjusted quarterly series.

## FRANCE (suite)

2001		2002				2003				2004				
Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3		
19.1	19.3	16.0	15.4	19.6	19.6	16.2	15.4	19.8	19.8	16.6	16.0	20.1		<b>Chômage des jeunes (- 25 ans)<sup>(2)</sup></b>
18.7	19.4	16.0	15.0	19.2	19.5	16.0	15.0	19.4	19.6	16.3	15.4	19.6		<i>en pourcentage du total des chômeurs</i>
19.5	19.1	16.0	15.8	20.0	19.6	16.4	15.9	20.3	20.0	16.8	16.5	20.6		Total
3.7	3.7	3.7	3.7	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.5		Hommes
24.0	23.9	23.8	23.7	23.6	23.5	23.4	23.3	23.2	23.1	23.1	23.1	23.0		Femmes
72.3	72.4	72.5	72.7	72.8	72.9	73.0	73.1	73.2	73.3	73.4	73.5			

(1) Les données annuelles du chômage, fournies directement par l'Institut national de la statistique et des études économiques sont estimées selon les définitions internationales du BIT.  
(2) Les données trimestrielles du chômage se réfèrent aux Demandes d'emploi non

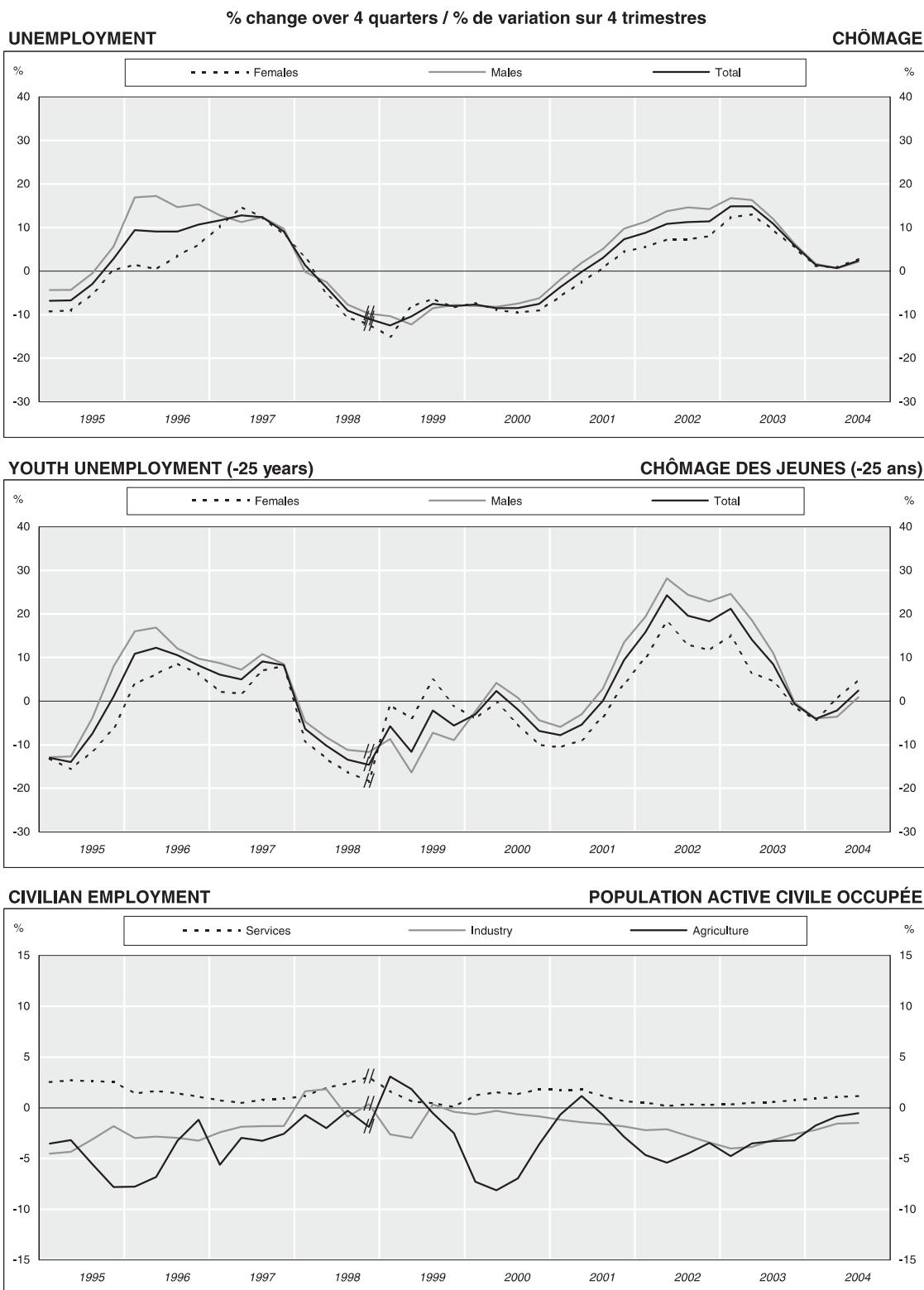
satisfaites à la fin des mois de mars, juin, septembre et décembre ; ces séries sont établies mensuellement par le ministère du Travail pour les totaux et par groupes d'âge. Ces séries ont été sérieusement affectées au cours des années par l'application de

(3) procédures administratives importantes.  
Les données concernent l'ensemble des salaires et non uniquement les salaires du civil. La différence entre le total et la somme des hommes et des femmes provient d'un décalage dans la

(4) disponibilité des données.  
Les moyennes annuelles sont des moyennes mobiles calculées à partir de la série trimestrielle brute.

# GERMANY<sup>(1)</sup>

## INDICATORS OF LABOUR FORCE COMPONENTS



COMPOSANTES DE LA POPULATION ACTIVE

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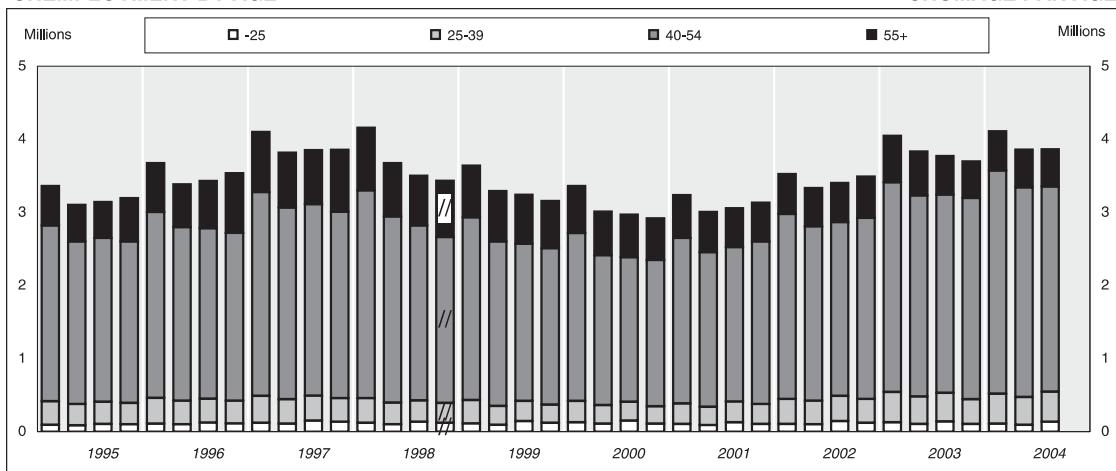
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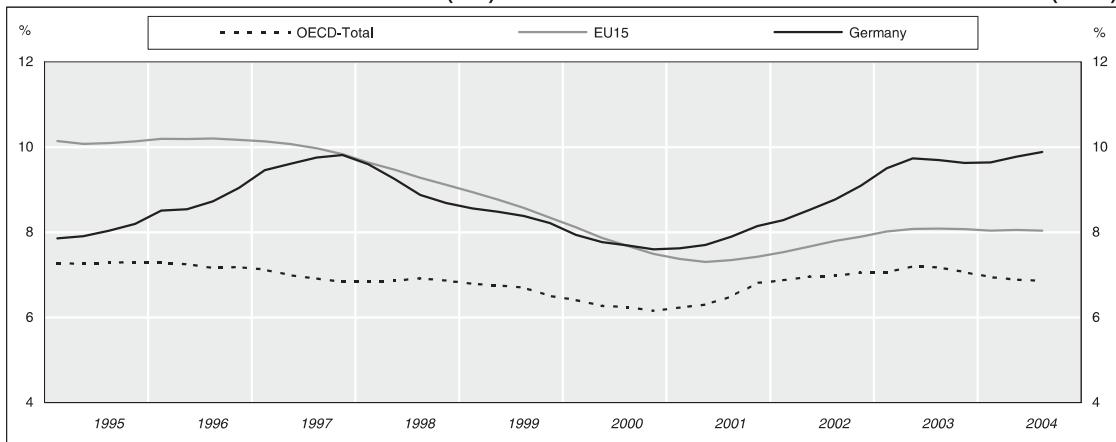
UNEMPLOYMENT BY AGE

CHÔMAGE PAR ÂGE



STANDARDISED UNEMPLOYMENT RATES (s.a.)

TAUX DE CHÔMAGE STANDARDISÉS (c.v.s.)



# GERMANY<sup>(1)</sup>

	2001	2002	2003	1999				2000				2001	
				Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2
<b>Total labour force</b>													
Total	39682	39727	39827	39517	39419	39695	39826	39352	39352	39565	39858	39467	39589
Males	22140	22046	22004	22231	22188	22287	22351	22061	22057	22116	22280	22037	22100
Females	17543	17681	17823	17286	17231	17408	17474	17291	17295	17448	17577	17430	17489
<b>Civilian labour force</b>													
Total	39456	39499	39591	39275	39179	39457	39590	39118	39121	39334	39629	39239	39363
	sa			39397	39294	39420	39378	39258	39231	39299	39408	39391	39464
Males	21919	21826	21777	21995	21954	22055	22122	21834	21832	21892	22057	21814	21880
Females	17536	17673	17815	17280	17225	17402	17468	17284	17289	17443	17572	17425	17483
<b>Unemployment</b>													
Total	3109	3438	3838	3641	3293	3241	3157	3361	3013	2968	2920	3238	3008
	sa			3403	3357	3322	3243	3143	3068	3040	3005	3029	3057
Under 20 years	105	117	119	112	91	143	119	125	108	148	109	103	87
From 20 to 24 years	273	334	380	319	260	274	250	292	251	261	235	283	252
From 25 to 54 years	2179	2442	2771	2501	2249	2154	2140	2298	2052	1977	2004	2266	2113
55 years and over	552	545	568	709	693	670	648	645	602	582	572	587	556
Males	1717	1948	2198	2033	1775	1698	1672	1870	1630	1572	1568	1834	1660
Under 20 years	57	67	72	63	50	73	63	70	59	76	58	57	48
From 20 to 24 years	170	213	246	197	155	155	144	184	155	154	140	182	159
From 25 to 54 years	1172	1355	1547	1353	1163	1082	1093	1245	1076	1013	1046	1255	1134
55 years and over	318	312	333	419	407	388	372	371	341	329	325	340	320
Females	1393	1490	1640	1608	1518	1543	1485	1491	1383	1396	1351	1404	1348
Under 20 years	47	50	47	48	41	70	56	55	50	72	52	45	39
From 20 to 24 years	104	121	134	122	105	119	106	109	96	107	95	101	93
From 25 to 54 years	1007	1087	1224	1148	1086	1072	1046	1053	976	964	958	1011	980
55 years and over	235	232	235	289	286	282	276	274	261	253	247	246	236
<b>Civilian employment</b>													
Total	36346	36061	35754	35634	35887	36215	36433	35757	36109	36366	36710	36001	36355
	sa			36003	35942	36092	36120	36137	36167	36252	36374	36397	36406
Agriculture	952	909	875	997	1043	1056	1009	924	958	983	973	918	969
	sa			1048	1039	1023	997	971	954	952	961	965	964
Industry	12015	11699	11300	12129	12219	12346	12406	12049	12181	12267	12300	11906	12006
	sa			12299	12245	12281	12268	12228	12210	12194	12158	12094	12036
Services	23380	23454	23579	22508	22625	22813	23018	22784	22970	23117	23437	23177	23379
	sa			22661	22669	22786	22847	22936	23008	23109	23256	23327	23409
Males	20202	19879	19579	19962	20179	20356	20450	19963	20202	20320	20489	19980	20219
Agriculture	618	591	578	640	669	677	649	599	622	638	631	595	630
Industry	9119	8864	8561	9217	9316	9422	9460	9152	9267	9338	9357	9013	9114
Services	10465	10424	10441	10105	10194	10257	10342	10212	10313	10344	10500	10372	10475
Females	16144	16183	16175	15672	15707	15859	15983	15794	15907	16047	16220	16021	16135
Agriculture	334	318	298	357	374	379	361	325	336	345	341	322	339
Industry	2896	2835	2739	2912	2903	2923	2946	2898	2914	2929	2943	2893	2893
Services	12914	13029	13138	12403	12430	12556	12677	12571	12657	12773	12936	12805	12904
<b>Employees</b>													
Total	32521	32261	31878	31980	32229	32546	32748	32058	32388	32615	32924	32183	32515
	sa			32392	32313	32391	32411	32462	32465	32485	32574	32590	32576
<b>Civilian employment</b>													
				2000=100									
Total	100.3	99.5	98.7	98.3	99.0	99.9	100.5	98.7	99.7	100.4	101.3	99.4	100.3
	sa			99.4	99.2	99.6	99.7	99.7	99.8	100.0	100.4	100.4	100.5
Agriculture	99.2	94.7	91.2	103.9	108.7	110.1	105.2	96.3	99.9	102.4	101.4	95.7	101.0
	sa			109.2	108.3	106.7	103.9	101.2	99.4	99.3	100.1	100.6	100.5
Industry	98.5	95.9	92.6	99.4	100.2	101.2	101.7	98.8	99.9	100.6	100.8	97.6	98.4
	sa			100.8	100.4	100.7	100.6	100.2	100.1	100.0	99.7	99.1	98.7
Services	101.3	101.6	102.2	97.5	98.0	98.9	99.7	98.7	99.5	100.2	101.6	100.4	101.3
	sa			98.2	98.2	98.7	99.0	99.4	99.7	100.1	100.8	101.1	101.4

# ALLEMAGNE<sup>(1)</sup>

2001		2002				2003				2004				
Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3		
<b>Population active totale</b>														
39709	39965	39564	39646	39751	39948	39665	39780	39859	40005	39680	39873	40045	<i>milliers</i>	
22161	22261	21993	22021	22035	22137	21946	21992	22001	22077	21861	21938	21958		
17547	17704	17571	17625	17716	17811	17718	17789	17858	17929	17819	17935	18087		
<b>Population active civile</b>														
39482	39738	39337	39420	39523	39716	39430	39545	39623	39768	39443	39636	39808	<i>milliers</i>	
39451	39516	39494	39510	39496	39502	39584	39625	39600	39561	39593	39713	39787		
21941	22041	21774	21803	21815	21913	21720	21765	21773	21849	21633	21712	21732		
17541	17697	17563	17617	17708	17803	17710	17780	17849	17919	17810	17925	18076		
<b>Chômage</b>														
3058	3133	3524	3335	3403	3491	4049	3831	3773	3698	4108	3859	3864	<i>milliers</i>	
3131	3235	3293	3381	3484	3614	3782	3877	3865	3836	3836	3901	3960		
125	103	105	102	142	119	129	105	138	103	107	93	136		
284	274	341	321	348	327	412	377	393	340	412	379	408		
2113	2225	2530	2385	2376	2478	2869	2749	2711	2753	3051	2870	2808		
536	531	548	528	537	567	639	601	531	503	538	518	511		
1652	1721	2042	1889	1893	1966	2384	2197	2119	2091	2423	2212	2165		
66	57	62	59	78	69	79	65	80	62	67	57	77		
171	167	224	207	216	206	276	250	247	213	274	247	253		
1109	1192	1438	1321	1294	1368	1658	1533	1480	1517	1756	1601	1535		
306	305	319	302	305	323	371	350	313	298	325	307	300		
1406	1412	1482	1446	1510	1525	1665	1634	1653	1608	1685	1648	1699		
59	46	43	43	64	49	49	40	58	41	40	36	59		
113	106	117	114	132	120	136	127	146	127	138	132	155		
1004	1033	1092	1064	1083	1111	1212	1216	1231	1235	1295	1269	1274		
230	227	229	225	232	244	268	251	218	204	213	211	211		
<b>Population active civile occupée</b>														
36424	36605	35814	36085	36121	36226	35381	35713	35850	36070	35335	35777	35945	<i>milliers</i>	
36315	36265	36216	36128	36016	35889	35783	35753	35743	35737	35736	35817	35835		
976	945	875	917	932	912	833	884	901	883	819	877	896		
947	932	922	911	904	899	879	879	874	869	864	871	869		
12072	12075	11644	11752	11737	11663	11175	11298	11364	11361	10932	11121	11193		
11994	11931	11838	11780	11657	11522	11367	11324	11286	11223	11121	11145	11115		
23376	23586	23295	23417	23452	23651	23373	23531	23585	23826	23585	23780	23856		
23382	23406	23440	23441	23464	23473	23514	23554	23598	23649	23725	23805	23867		
20289	20320	19732	19914	19922	19947	19336	19567	19654	19758	19210	19500	19567		
634	612	566	594	606	598	548	584	596	583	541	579	591		
9177	9173	8803	8901	8902	8847	8436	8558	8627	8621	8253	8414	8457		
10478	10535	10363	10418	10413	10503	10352	10425	10432	10554	10416	10507	10519		
16134	16285	16082	16171	16199	16278	16045	16146	16196	16312	16125	16277	16377		
341	333	309	323	326	314	285	300	306	300	278	298	305		
2895	2902	2841	2850	2834	2816	2739	2741	2737	2740	2679	2706	2736		
12898	13051	12932	12999	13038	13148	13021	13106	13153	13272	13168	13273	13337		
<b>Salariés</b>														
32596	32791	32011	32287	32320	32426	31545	31857	31963	32149	31380	31789	31924	<i>milliers</i>	
32482	32441	32419	32335	32214	32080	31953	31899	31855	31807	31789	31830	31814		
<b>Population active civile occupée</b>														
100.5	101.0	98.8	99.6	99.7	100.0	97.6	98.6	98.9	99.5	97.5	98.7	99.2	2000=100	
100.2	100.1	99.9	99.7	99.4	99.0	98.8	98.7	98.6	98.6	98.6	98.8	98.9		
101.7	98.5	91.2	95.5	97.1	95.1	86.9	92.2	93.9	92.0	85.3	91.4	93.4		
98.7	97.1	96.1	95.0	94.2	93.7	91.6	91.6	91.1	90.6	90.1	90.8	90.6		
99.0	99.0	95.4	96.3	96.2	95.6	91.6	92.6	93.2	93.1	89.6	91.2	91.7		
98.3	97.8	97.0	96.6	95.6	94.4	93.2	92.8	92.5	92.0	91.2	91.4	91.1		
101.3	102.2	100.9	101.5	101.6	102.5	101.3	102.0	102.2	103.2	102.2	103.0	103.4		
101.3	101.4	101.6	101.6	101.7	101.7	101.9	102.1	102.3	102.5	102.8	103.2	103.4		



## GERMANY<sup>(1)</sup> (*continued*)

	2001	2002	2003	1999				2000				2001	
				Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2
<b>Unemployment rate</b>													
				as percentage of total labour force									
Total	7.8	8.7	9.6	9.2	8.4	8.2	7.9	8.5	7.7	7.5	7.3	8.2	7.6
	<b>sa</b>			8.6	8.5	8.4	8.2	8.0	7.8	7.7	7.6	7.6	7.7
Males	7.8	8.8	10.0	9.1	8.0	7.6	7.5	8.5	7.4	7.1	7.0	8.3	7.5
Females	7.9	8.4	9.2	9.3	8.8	8.9	8.5	8.6	8.0	8.0	7.7	8.1	7.7
<b>Youth unemployment (- 25 years)</b>													
				as percentage of total unemployed									
Total	12.1	13.1	13.0	11.8	10.7	12.9	11.7	12.4	11.9	13.8	11.8	11.9	11.3
Males	13.2	14.4	14.5	12.8	11.5	13.4	12.4	13.6	13.1	14.6	12.6	13.0	12.5
Females	10.8	11.4	11.0	10.6	9.6	12.2	10.9	11.0	10.5	12.8	10.8	10.4	9.8
<b>Civilian employment (sectors)</b>													
				as percentage of total									
Agriculture	2.6	2.5	2.4	2.8	2.9	2.9	2.8	2.6	2.7	2.7	2.6	2.5	2.7
Industry	33.1	32.4	31.6	34.0	34.0	34.1	34.1	33.7	33.7	33.7	33.5	33.1	33.0
Services	64.3	65.0	65.9	63.2	63.0	63.0	63.2	63.7	63.6	63.6	63.8	64.4	64.3

(1) Data from 1999 onwards refer to private households only (Eurostat definition).

## ALLEMAGNE<sup>(1)</sup> (*suite*)

2001		2002				2003				2004			cvs	
Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3		
7.7	7.8	8.9	8.4	8.6	8.7	10.2	9.6	9.5	9.2	10.4	9.7	9.6		
7.9	8.1	8.3	8.5	8.8	9.1	9.5	9.7	9.7	9.6	9.6	9.8	9.9		
7.5	7.7	9.3	8.6	8.6	8.9	10.9	10.0	9.6	9.5	11.1	10.1	9.9		
8.0	8.0	8.4	8.2	8.5	8.6	9.4	9.2	9.3	9.0	9.5	9.2	9.4		
<b>Taux de chômage</b>													cvs	
<i>en pourcentage de la population active totale</i>														
Total														
Hommes														
Femmes													cvs	
<b>Chômage des jeunes (- 25 ans)</b>														
<i>en pourcentage du total des chômeurs</i>														
Total														
Hommes													cvs	
Femmes														
<b>Pop. active civ. occupée (secteurs)</b>														
<i>en pourcentage du total</i>														
Agriculture													cvs	
Industrie														
Services														

(1) A partir de 1999, les données se réfèrent uniquement aux ménages privés (Définition Eurostat).

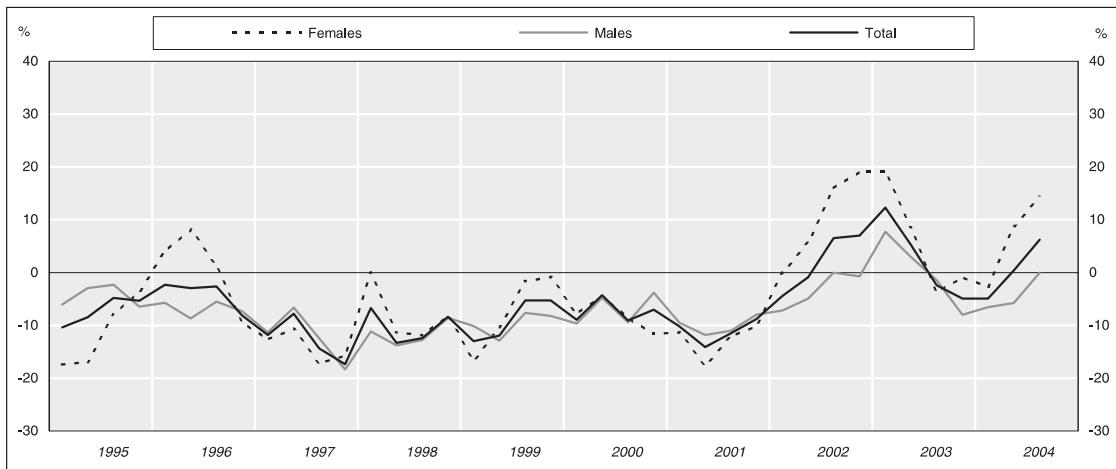
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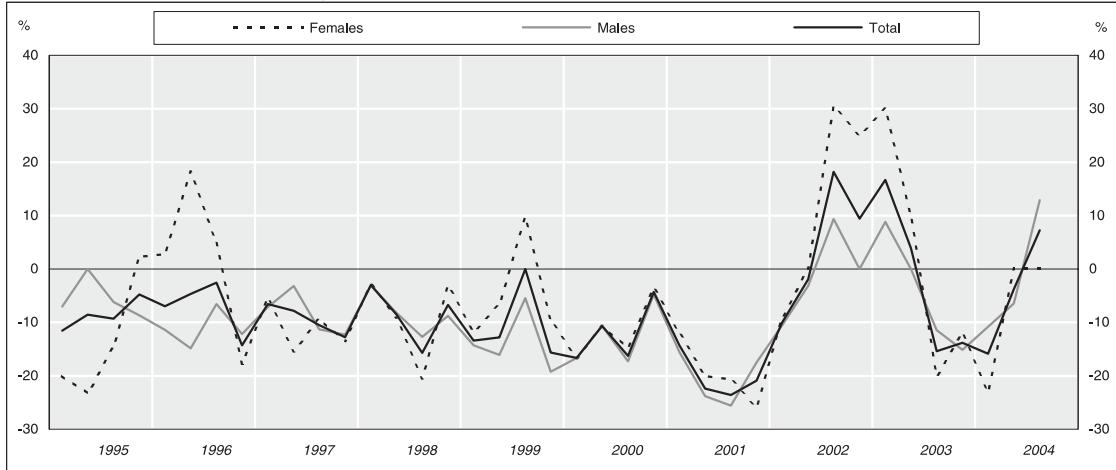
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#### CHÔMAGE



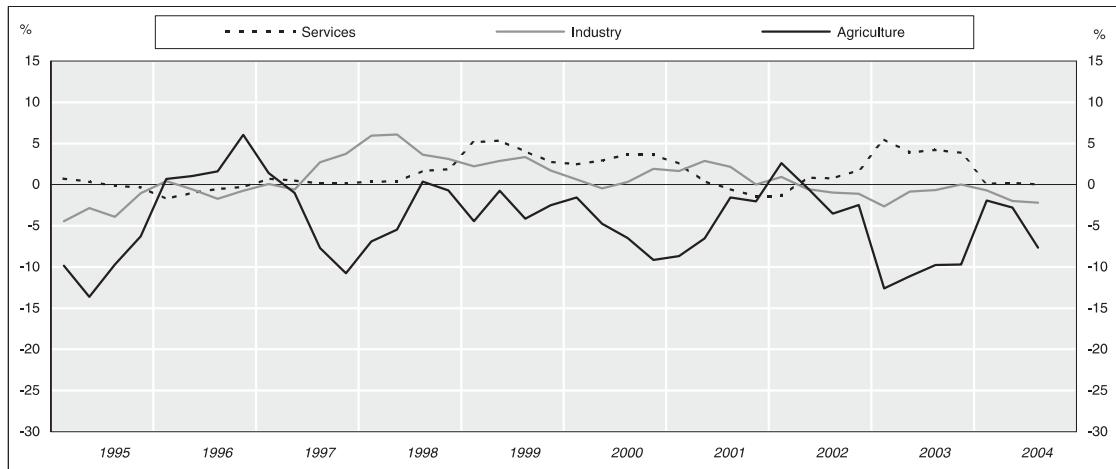
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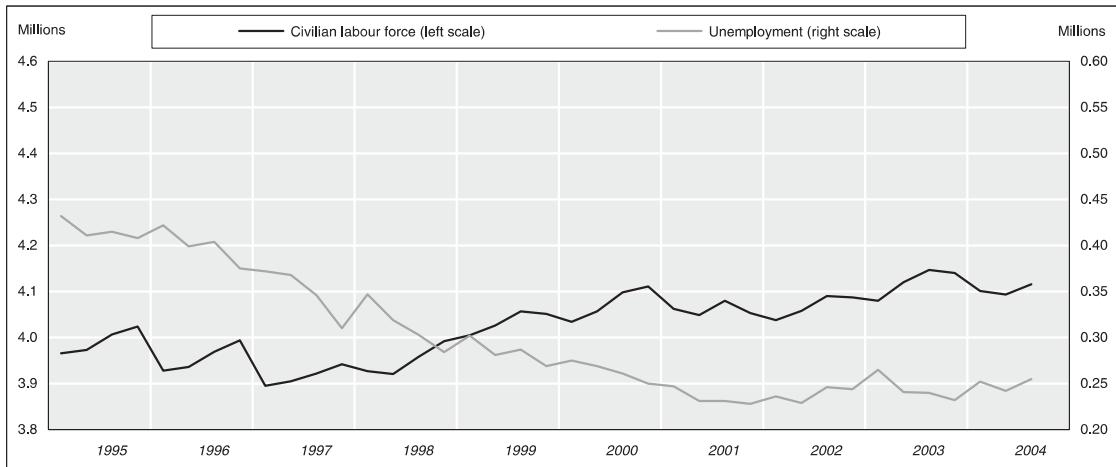


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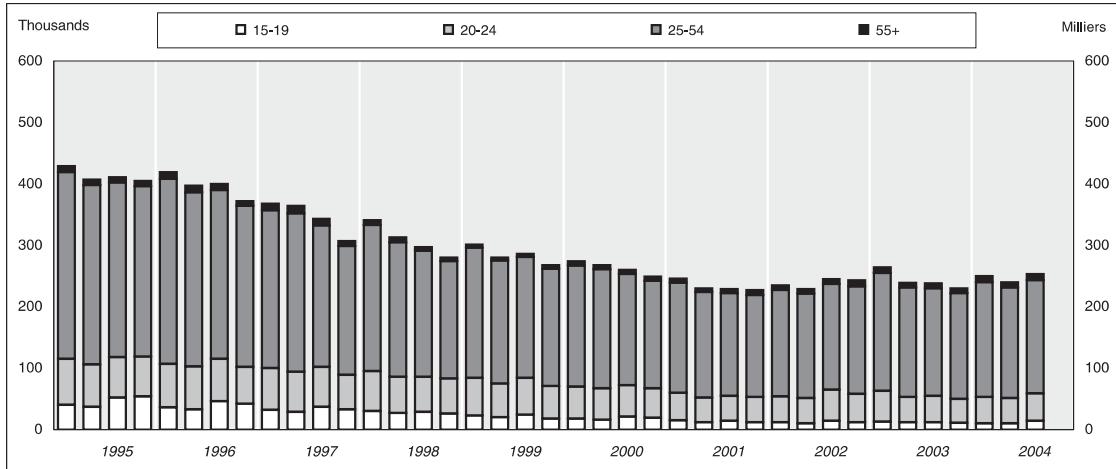
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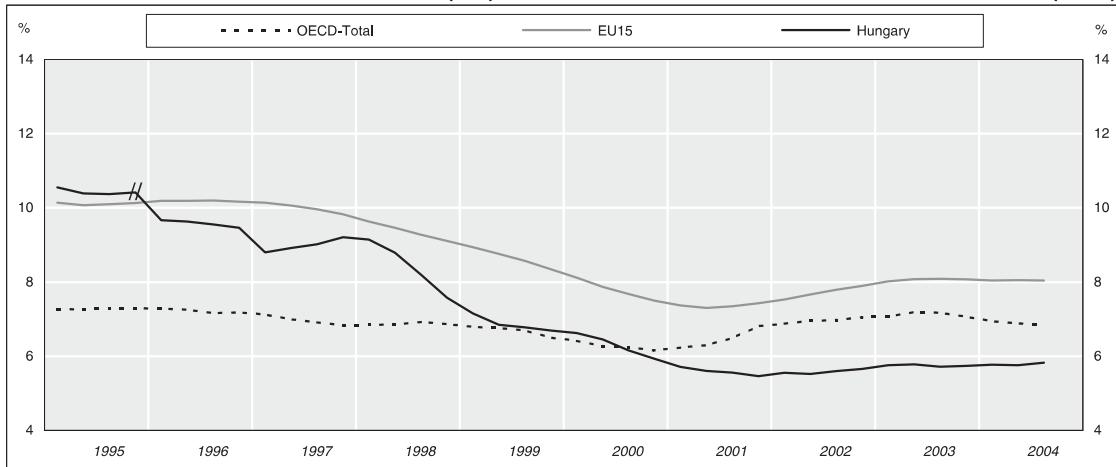
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## CHÔMAGE PAR ÂGE



## STANDARDISED UNEMPLOYMENT RATES (s.a.)

## TAUX DE CHÔMAGE STANDARDISÉS (c.v.s.)



# HUNGARY

	2001	2002	2003	1999				2000				2001	
				Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2
<b>Total labour force</b>													
				thousands									
Total	4103	4110	4167	4066	4086	4120	4113	4078	4104	4143	4155	4107	4090
Males	2256	2251	2265	2255	2270	2287	2283	2239	2257	2280	2282	2256	2253
Females	1846	1859	1902	1811	1816	1833	1830	1839	1847	1863	1873	1851	1837
<b>Civilian labour force</b>													
				thousands									
Total	4061	4068	4122	4005	4026	4057	4051	4034	4057	4098	4111	4062	4049
Males	2220	2217	2226	2201	2216	2231	2227	2201	2217	2242	2243	2216	2216
Females	1841	1851	1896	1805	1809	1826	1824	1833	1840	1856	1868	1846	1833
<b>Unemployment<sup>(1,2)</sup></b>													
				thousands									
Total	234	239	245	302	281	287	269	275	269	261	250	247	231
From 15 to 19 years	13	12	12	23	20	24	18	18	16	21	19	15	12
From 20 to 24 years	42	45	43	61	55	60	53	52	51	51	48	45	40
From 25 to 54 years	171	173	179	212	200	197	191	197	194	181	175	179	172
From 55 to 59 years	7	9	8	5	5	5	6	7	7	7	7	7	6
From 60 to 74 years	1	1	2	0	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Males	143	138	139	187	169	170	157	169	161	154	151	153	142
From 15 to 19 years	8	6	7	15	12	14	10	11	10	12	10	9	7
From 20 to 24 years	26	27	25	39	35	38	32	34	32	31	30	29	25
From 25 to 54 years	102	98	101	128	117	114	109	118	112	105	104	108	104
From 55 to 59 years	6	6	5	4	4	5	6	6	6	5	6	6	5
From 60 to 74 years	1	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	1	1	1	1	1
Females	92	101	106	115	113	117	112	106	108	107	99	94	89
From 15 to 19 years	6	6	5	8	8	11	8	7	6	9	8	6	5
From 20 to 24 years	16	18	18	22	20	23	20	18	19	20	19	16	15
From 25 to 54 years	69	75	79	84	83	83	82	79	82	76	71	68	
From 55 to 59 years	1	2	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	1	1
From 60 to 74 years	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Civilian employment</b>													
				thousands									
Total	3827	3830	3878	3704	3745	3770	3782	3760	3789	3837	3862	3815	3818
Agriculture	244	241	215	258	274	277	273	254	261	259	248	232	244
Industry	1326	1320	1306	1280	1293	1302	1310	1288	1287	1306	1335	1309	1324
Services	2258	2269	2368	2165	2178	2191	2199	2218	2241	2272	2279	2274	2250
Males	2077	2079	2088	2014	2048	2061	2070	2033	2057	2087	2093	2063	2074
Agriculture	181	177	167	199	207	206	205	192	197	193	186	173	181
Industry	877	884	884	850	867	877	883	856	853	868	883	862	877
Services	1019	1019	1048	965	974	978	982	985	1006	1026	1023	1028	1016
Females	1750	1751	1790	1690	1697	1709	1712	1727	1732	1750	1769	1752	1744
Agriculture	62	64	49	59	67	71	67	62	64	66	62	59	62
Industry	448	436	422	430	426	425	427	432	434	438	452	447	447
Services	1239	1250	1320	1200	1204	1213	1218	1233	1235	1246	1256	1246	1234
<b>Employees<sup>(3)</sup></b>													
				thousands									
Total	3273	3296	3355	3148	3190	3226	3241	3181	3202	3250	3295	3265	3253
<b>Civilian employment</b>													
				2000=100									
Total	100.4	100.5	101.7	97.2	98.2	98.9	99.2	98.6	99.4	100.7	101.3	100.1	100.2
Agriculture	95.3	94.3	84.1	101.0	107.2	108.4	106.8	99.4	102.2	101.4	97.1	90.8	95.5
Industry	101.6	101.2	100.2	98.2	99.2	99.8	100.5	98.8	98.7	100.2	102.4	100.4	101.5
Services	100.2	100.7	105.1	96.1	96.7	97.3	97.6	98.5	99.5	100.9	101.2	101.0	99.9
<b>Unemployment rate</b>													
				as percentage of total labour force									
Total	5.7	5.8	5.9	7.5	7.0	7.1	6.6	6.7	6.6	6.3	6.0	6.0	5.6
Males	6.3	6.1	6.1	8.5	7.6	7.6	7.0	7.5	7.1	6.8	6.6	6.8	6.3
Females	5.0	5.4	5.6	6.4	6.2	6.4	6.1	5.8	5.8	5.7	5.3	5.1	4.9

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## HONGRIE

2001		2002				2003				2004				
Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3		
<b>Population active totale</b>														
4122	4091	4076	4097	4132	4133	4124	4165	4193	4184	4144	4136	4161		<i>milliers</i>
2265	2251	2233	2246	2264	2259	2241	2270	2281	2268	2246	2248	2261		Total
1857	1840	1843	1851	1868	1874	1883	1895	1912	1916	1898	1888	1900		Hommes
														Femmes
<b>Population active civile</b>														
4080	4053	4038	4058	4090	4087	4080	4120	4147	4140	4101	4093	4116		<i>milliers</i>
2229	2218	2203	2214	2230	2221	2203	2230	2242	2230	2209	2212	2224		Total
1851	1835	1835	1844	1860	1866	1877	1890	1905	1910	1892	1881	1892		Hommes
														Femmes
<b>Chômage</b> <sup>(1,2)</sup>														
231	228	236	229	246	244	265	241	240	232	252	242	255		<i>milliers</i>
14	12	12	10	14	12	13	12	12	11	10	10	14		Total
41	41	42	41	51	46	50	41	43	39	43	41	45		De 15 à 19 ans
167	166	173	170	172	175	192	178	175	172	187	180	184		De 20 à 24 ans
7	8	8	8	10	9	8	8	8	8	10	9	10		De 25 à 54 ans
2	1	1	0	1	1	1	2	2	2	2	2	2		De 55 à 59 ans
137	139	142	135	137	138	153	139	135	127	143	131	135		De 60 à 74 ans
7	7	6	5	7	7	7	7	7	6	7	6	9		Hommes
25	26	28	26	28	26	30	24	24	22	26	23	26		De 15 à 19 ans
98	98	101	98	95	97	109	102	98	93	103	95	93		De 20 à 24 ans
6	7	6	6	7	6	5	5	5	5	6	6	6		De 25 à 54 ans
1	1	1	0	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1		De 55 à 59 ans
94	89	94	94	109	106	112	102	105	105	109	111	120		De 60 à 74 ans
7	5	6	5	7	5	6	5	5	5	3	4	5		Femmes
16	15	14	15	23	20	20	17	19	17	17	18	19		De 15 à 19 ans
69	68	72	72	77	78	83	76	77	79	84	85	91		De 20 à 24 ans
1	1	2	2	2	3	3	3	3	3	4	3	4		De 25 à 54 ans
1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	1	1	1		De 55 à 59 ans
														De 60 à 74 ans
<b>Population active civile occupée</b>														
3849	3825	3802	3829	3844	3843	3816	3879	3907	3908	3849	3852	3861		<i>milliers</i>
255	243	238	243	246	237	208	216	222	214	204	210	205		Total
1334	1335	1321	1317	1321	1320	1286	1306	1312	1320	1277	1280	1283		Agriculture
2260	2247	2243	2269	2277	2286	2366	2357	2373	2374	2368	2362	2373		Industrie
2092	2079	2061	2079	2093	2083	2051	2091	2107	2103	2067	2082	2089		Services
190	181	175	177	181	176	159	167	172	168	158	161	159		Hommes
883	887	881	882	888	884	867	885	887	896	868	877	880		Agriculture
1019	1011	1005	1021	1024	1024	1064	1040	1048	1039	1042	1044	1050		Industrie
1757	1746	1741	1750	1751	1760	1765	1788	1800	1805	1782	1770	1772		Services
65	62	63	66	65	61	49	49	50	46	46	49	46		Femmes
451	448	440	435	433	436	419	421	425	424	409	403	403		Agriculture
1241	1236	1238	1248	1253	1262	1302	1317	1325	1335	1326	1318	1323		Industrie
														Services
<b>Salariés</b> <sup>(3)</sup>														
3289	3283	3272	3296	3305	3311	3299	3357	3382	3382	3307	3290	3303		<i>milliers</i>
													Total	
<b>Population active civile occupée</b>														
101.0	100.3	99.7	100.4	100.8	100.8	100.1	101.8	102.5	102.5	101.0	101.0	101.3		2000=100
100.5	100.0	100.5	100.5	100.4	100.5	100.9	101.7	102.0	102.3	101.8	100.9	100.8		cvs
99.8	95.1	93.2	95.1	96.3	92.8	81.4	84.5	86.9	83.8	79.8	82.2	80.2		Agriculture
96.6	93.6	97.9	95.2	93.2	91.3	85.6	84.6	84.0	82.4	84.0	82.3	77.5		Industrie
102.3	102.4	101.3	101.0	101.3	101.2	98.6	100.2	100.6	101.2	97.9	98.2	98.4		Services
102.1	101.4	102.1	101.3	101.0	100.4	99.5	100.5	100.3	100.4	98.8	98.4	98.1		cvs
100.3	99.8	99.6	100.7	101.1	101.5	105.0	104.6	105.3	105.4	105.1	104.9	105.3		cvs
100.1	99.9	99.5	100.8	101.0	101.8	104.8	104.7	105.2	105.8	104.8	104.9	105.3		cvs
<b>Taux de chômage</b>														
en pourcentage de la population active totale														
5.6	5.6	5.8	5.6	5.9	5.9	6.4	5.8	5.7	5.5	6.1	5.9	6.1		Total
6.0	6.2	6.4	6.0	6.0	6.1	6.8	6.1	5.9	5.6	6.4	5.8	6.0		Hommes
5.1	4.8	5.1	5.1	5.8	5.7	5.9	5.4	5.5	5.5	5.7	5.9	6.3		Femmes

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## HUNGARY (continued)

	2001	2002	2003	1999				2000				2001			
				Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2		
<b>Youth unemployment (15 - 24 years)</b>															
	as percentage of total unemployed														
Total	23.5	23.8	22.6	27.8	26.7	29.3	26.4	25.5	24.9	27.6	26.8	24.3	22.5		
Males	23.6	24.1	22.9	28.9	27.8	30.6	26.8	26.6	26.1	27.9	26.5	24.8	22.5		
Females	23.2	23.4	22.1	26.1	24.8	29.1	25.0	23.6	22.2	27.1	27.3	23.4	22.5		
<b>Civilian employment (sectors)</b>															
	as percentage of total														
Agriculture	6.4	6.3	5.5	7.0	7.3	7.3	7.2	6.8	6.9	6.8	6.4	6.1	6.4		
Industry	34.6	34.5	33.7	34.6	34.5	34.5	34.6	34.3	34.0	34.0	34.6	34.3	34.7		
Services	59.0	59.2	61.1	58.5	58.2	58.1	58.1	59.0	59.1	59.2	59.0	59.6	58.9		

(1) All employment figures exclude those on child-care leave. The duration and conditions of child-care leave are such that it is preferable to exclude this group from employment.

(2) Civilian employment and labour force figures include permanent members of the armed forces from the first quarter 1992 to the fourth quarter 1993. From the first quarter 1994 all members of

(3) the armed forces are excluded from the civilian figures.  
Due to the nature of co-operatives in Hungary, those working in this type of enterprise are included as employees

(such workers are usually classified as self-employed).

## HONGRIE (suite)

2001		2002				2003				2004				
Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3		
<b>Chômage des jeunes (15 - 24 ans)</b> <i>en pourcentage du total des chômeurs</i>														
23.8	23.3	22.9	22.3	26.4	23.8	23.8	22.0	22.9	21.6	21.0	21.1	23.1		
23.4	23.7	23.9	23.0	25.6	23.9	24.2	22.3	23.0	22.1	23.1	22.1	25.9	Total	
24.5	22.5	21.3	21.3	27.5	23.6	23.2	21.6	22.9	21.0	18.4	19.8	20.0	Hommes	
<b>Pop. active civ. occupée (secteurs)</b> <i>en pourcentage du total</i>														
6.6	6.4	6.3	6.4	6.4	6.2	5.5	5.6	5.7	5.5	5.3	5.5	5.3	Agriculture	
34.7	34.9	34.7	34.4	34.4	34.4	33.7	33.7	33.6	33.8	33.2	33.2	33.2	Industrie	
58.7	58.8	59.0	59.3	59.2	59.5	62.0	60.8	60.7	60.8	61.5	61.3	61.5	Services	

(1) Toutes les données de l'emploi excluent les personnes en congé parental. L'exclusion de l'emploi de ce groupe est rendue préférable par la durée et les conditions de ces congés

(2) parentaux.  
Toutes les données de l'emploi civil et de la population active incluent les forces armées du premier trimestre 1992 au quatrième trimestre 1993. A

(3) partir du premier trimestre 1994 tous les membres des forces armées sont exclus des données civiles.  
Du fait de la nature des coopératives en Hongrie, les personnes travaillant

dans ce type d'entreprise sont incluses dans les chiffres correspondant aux employés (alors qu'elles sont habituellement incluses dans les travailleurs indépendants).

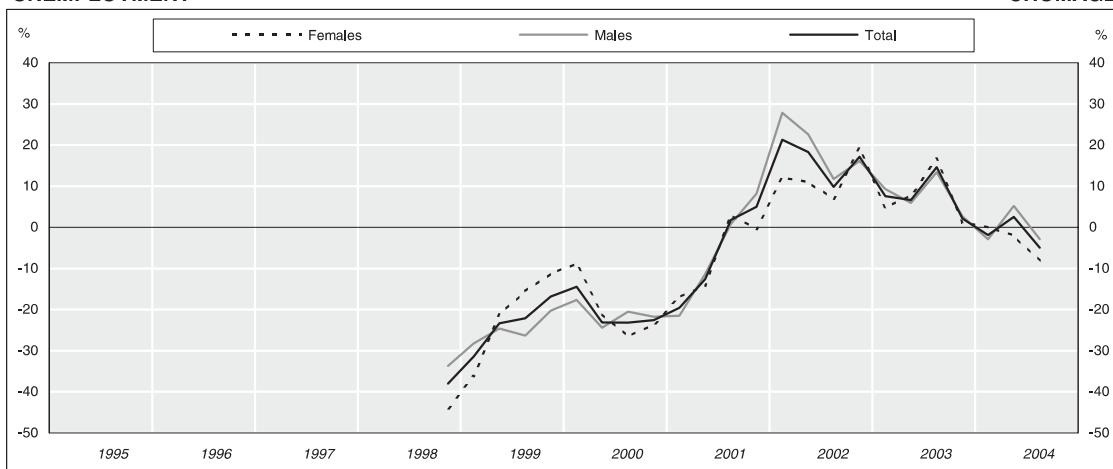
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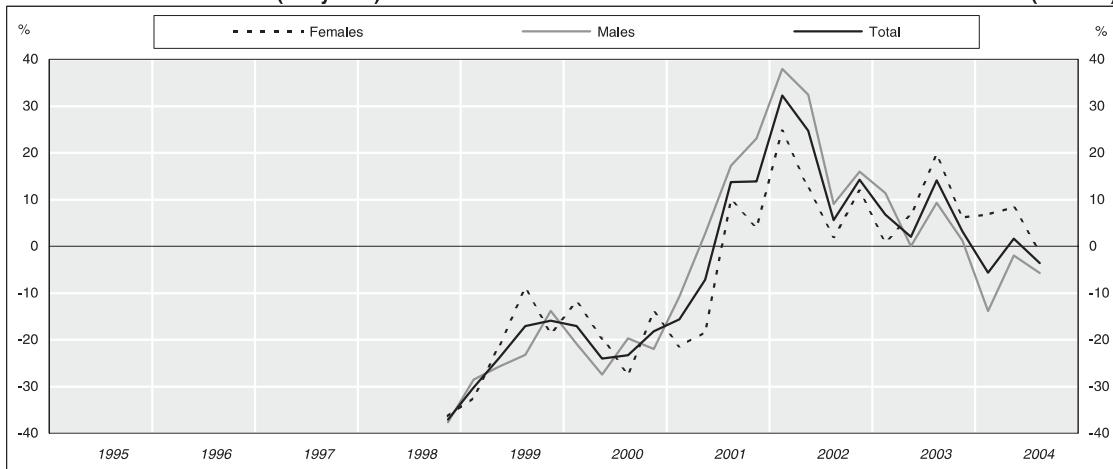
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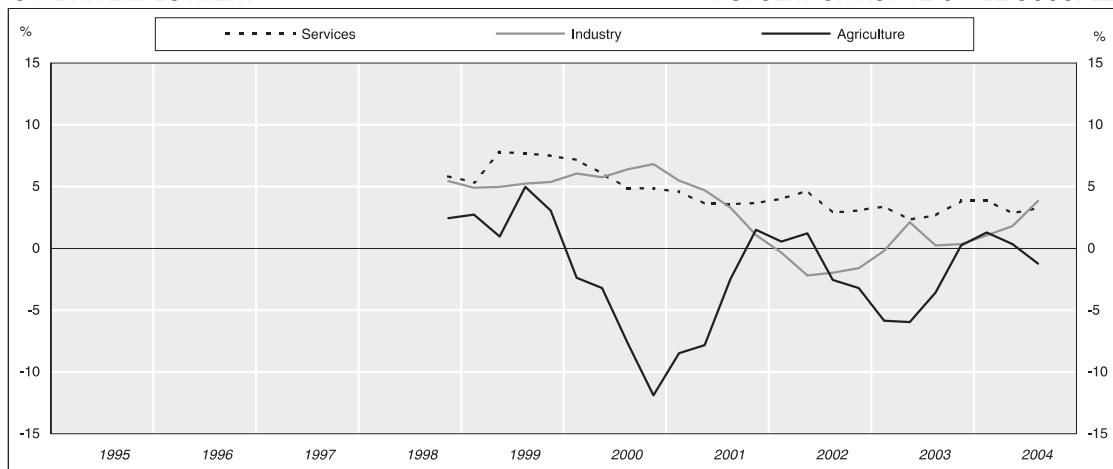
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Absolute figures / Nombre de personnes

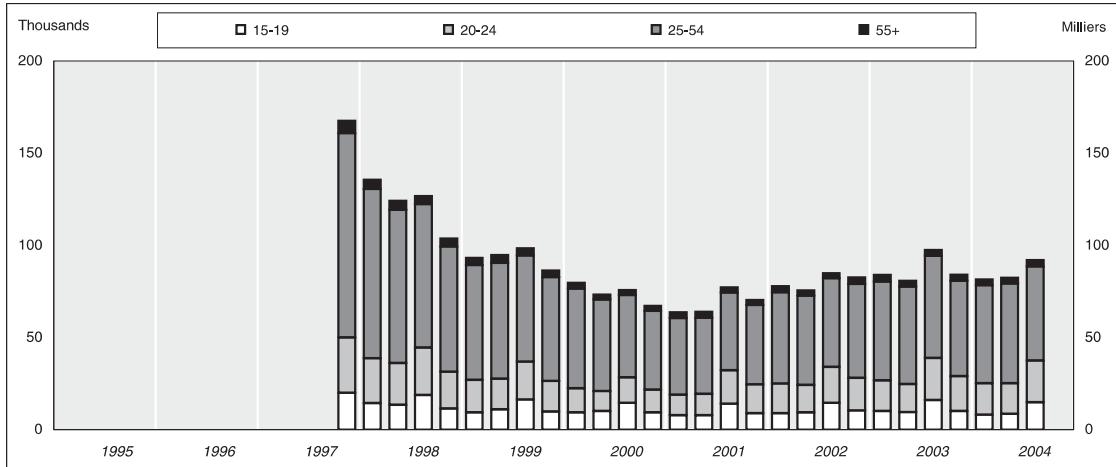
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## POPULATION ACTIVE CIVILE



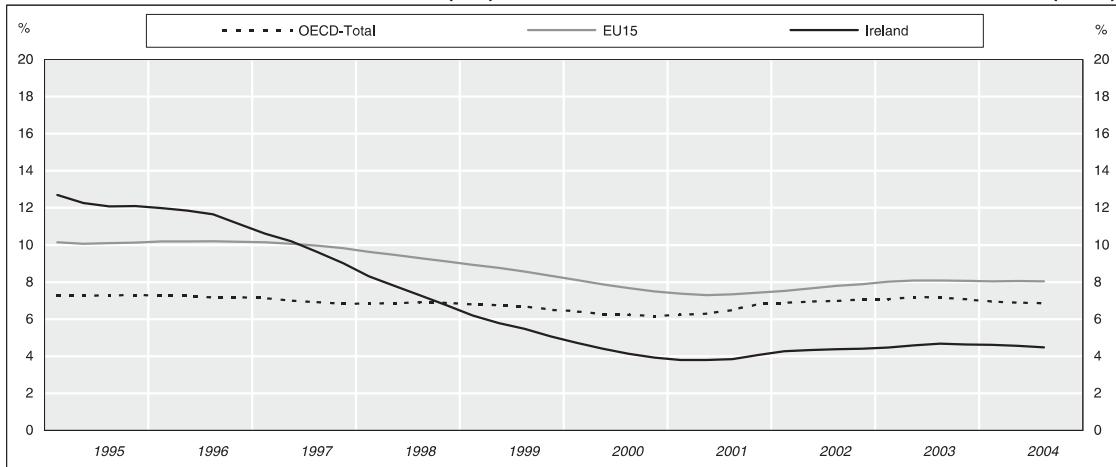
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## CHÔMAGE PAR ÂGE



## STANDARDISED UNEMPLOYMENT RATES (s.a.)

## TAUX DE CHÔMAGE STANDARDISÉS (c.v.s.)



# IRELAND

	2001	2002	2003	1999				2000				2001				
				Q1		Q2		Q3		Q4		Q1				
	Total	Males	Females	Total	Males	Females	Total	Males	Females	Total	Males	Total	Males			
<b>Civilian labour force</b>																
	thousands			1816	1859	1899	1651	1686	1766	1736	1730	1746	1813	1781	1776	1787
Total				1071	1087	1105	994	1007	1048	1034	1031	1038	1071	1053	1051	1059
Males				744	772	793	656	679	718	702	699	708	743	728	726	728
<b>Unemployment</b>																
	thousands			70	82	88	95	97	100	88	81	75	77	68	65	65
Total				10	11	11	9	11	16	10	9	10	15	9	8	8
From 15 to 19 years				14	17	18	18	17	21	17	13	11	14	12	11	12
From 20 to 24 years				42	49	53	62	63	58	56	54	50	45	43	42	41
From 25 to 54 years				4	4	5	5	6	6	5	4	4	4	4	5	4
From 55 to 64 years				0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
65 years and over				43	51	55	60	59	59	53	49	45	47	41	39	40
Males				6	6	7	5	6	8	6	5	6	8	5	5	5
From 15 to 19 years				8	10	11	10	9	11	9	7	5	7	7	6	7
From 20 to 24 years				26	31	34	41	40	36	34	34	31	29	27	25	25
From 25 to 54 years				3	3	3	4	4	4	4	3	3	3	3	3	3
From 55 to 64 years				0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
65 years and over				28	31	33	35	38	42	36	32	30	31	27	26	25
Females				4	4	5	4	5	8	4	4	4	7	4	3	3
From 15 to 19 years				6	7	8	8	7	10	7	6	6	7	6	5	5
From 20 to 24 years				16	18	20	22	23	22	23	20	19	16	16	17	16
From 25 to 54 years				1	1	1	2	2	2	2	1	1	1	1	1	1
From 55 to 64 years				0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
65 years and over																
<b>Civilian employment</b>																
	thousands			1745	1777	1811	1556	1589	1666	1647	1649	1671	1736	1713	1711	1722
Total				126	124	120	139	137	144	142	136	133	133	125	124	123
Agriculture				504	496	499	445	450	470	467	471	476	500	499	497	498
Industry				1116	1156	1191	972	1002	1052	1038	1042	1063	1103	1088	1090	1101
Services				1029	1036	1051	934	948	990	981	981	993	1024	1012	1012	1019
Males				113	112	107	123	122	128	126	120	118	118	112	110	109
Agriculture				398	396	401	348	351	365	362	365	372	390	391	392	395
Industry				518	528	543	463	476	497	493	496	503	516	510	510	515
Services				717	741	760	621	641	676	666	667	679	712	701	699	703
Females				13	13	13	16	16	16	16	15	15	14	14	14	13
Agriculture				106	100	98	97	99	105	105	107	104	110	108	106	103
Industry				597	628	648	509	526	555	546	546	560	588	579	580	586
<b>Civilian employment</b>																
	2000=100			103.1	105.0	107.0	91.9	93.9	98.4	97.4	97.4	98.8	102.6	101.2	101.1	101.8
Total				95.6	94.6	91.0	105.5	104.4	109.1	108.1	103.0	101.0	100.7	95.2	94.3	93.1
Agriculture				103.6	102.0	102.6	91.3	92.4	96.6	96.0	96.9	97.8	102.8	102.5	102.2	102.4
Industry				103.9	107.6	110.9	90.5	93.3	98.0	96.6	97.0	99.0	102.7	101.3	101.4	102.5
<b>Youth unemployment (15 - 24 years)</b>																
	as percentage of total unemployed			33.9	34.1	33.9	28.5	28.4	36.8	29.9	27.6	28.1	36.7	31.6	28.9	29.8
Total				31.9	32.6	31.9	25.5	25.8	32.1	28.4	24.5	24.7	32.5	28.3	27.8	28.6
Males				37.0	36.6	37.2	33.5	32.5	43.5	32.1	32.4	33.1	43.0	36.2	30.7	31.5
<b>Civilian employment (sectors)</b>																
	as percentage of total			7.2	7.0	6.6	8.9	8.6	8.6	8.6	8.2	8.0	7.6	7.3	7.2	7.1
Agriculture				28.9	27.9	27.6	28.6	28.3	28.2	28.4	28.6	28.5	28.8	29.1	29.1	28.9
Industry				63.9	65.1	65.8	62.5	63.1	63.2	63.0	63.2	63.6	63.6	63.5	63.7	64.0

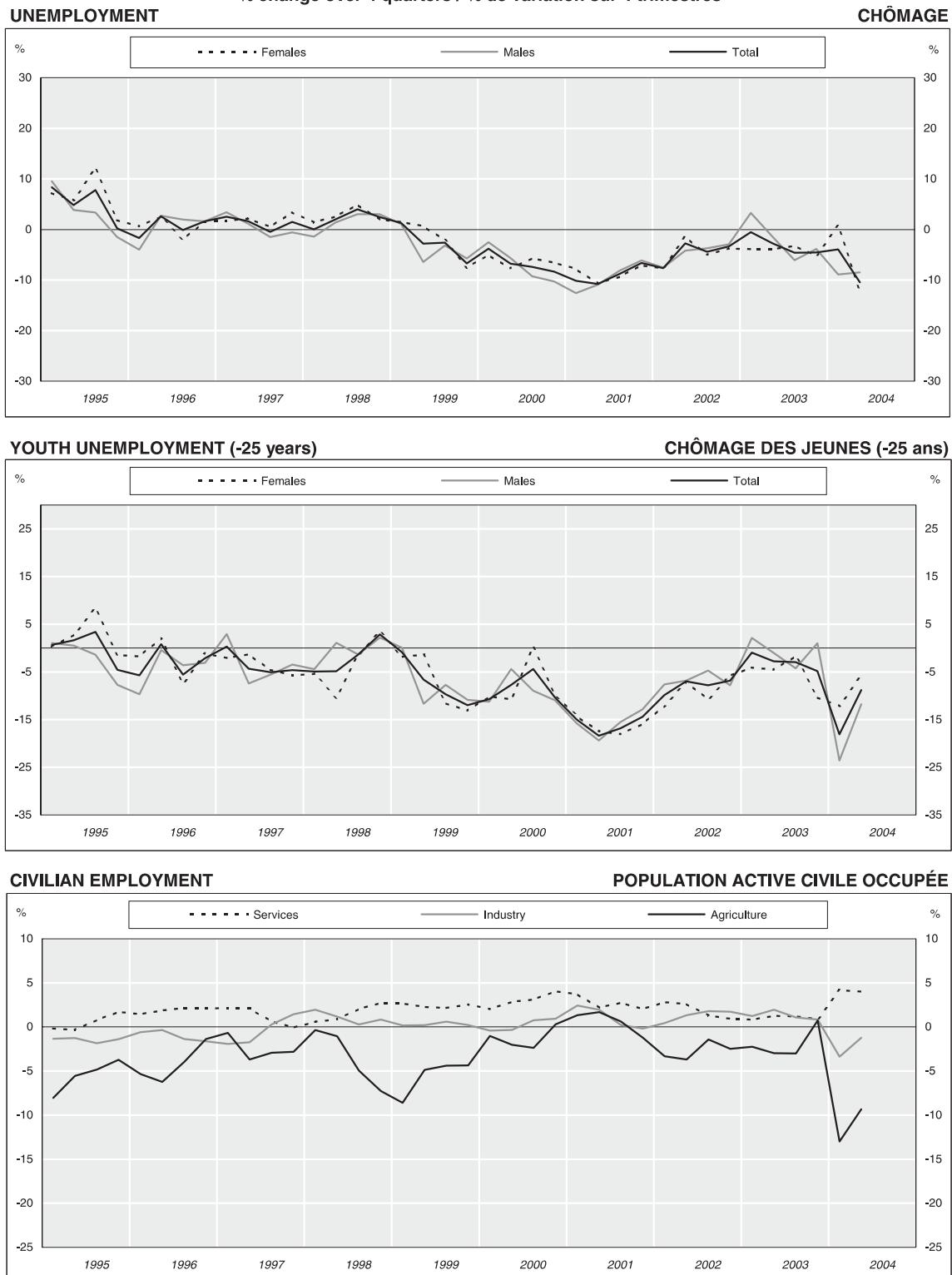
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2001		2002				2003				2004				
Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3		
1867	1832	1833	1841	1895	1866	1869	1876	1935	1915	1920	1920	1988		
1098	1078	1073	1077	1105	1092	1092	1093	1123	1114	1118	1120	1156		
770	754	760	764	789	774	777	783	812	800	801	801	832		
<b>Population active civile</b>														
<i>milliers</i>														
Total														
Hommes														
Femmes														
<b>Chômage</b>														
<i>milliers</i>														
79	72	79	77	86	84	85	82	99	86	84	84	94		
14	9	9	9	14	10	10	9	16	10	8	9	15		
18	16	16	15	20	18	17	15	23	19	17	17	23		
42	43	50	48	48	51	54	53	56	52	53	54	51		
4	4	5	4	4	5	5	4	4	5	5	5	5		
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
47	45	50	49	52	52	54	52	59	53	53	54	58		
8	5	5	6	9	6	6	6	9	6	5	5	8		
10	9	10	9	11	10	10	9	12	11	10	10	12		
26	27	31	31	30	32	34	33	35	33	35	36	34		
3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	4	4	4		
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32	27	30	28	34	32	31	30	39	33	31	30	36		
6	4	4	4	6	4	4	4	7	4	3	4	7		
9	7	7	5	9	7	6	6	11	8	8	7	11		
16	16	18	18	18	19	19	19	20	19	19	18	17		
1	1	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	2	1	2		
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
<b>Population active civile occupée</b>														
<i>milliers</i>														
Total														
Agriculture														
Industrie														
Services														
Hommes														
Agriculture														
Industrie														
Services														
Femmes														
Agriculture														
Industrie														
Services														
<b>Population active civile occupée</b>														
<i>2000=100</i>														
105,7	104,0	103,6	104,2	106,9	105,3	105,4	106,0	108,5	108,1	108,5	108,5	111,9		
98,2	96,7	94,8	94,3	95,7	93,6	89,2	88,6	92,3	93,8	90,4	88,9	91,1		
106,2	103,7	101,8	100,1	104,1	102,0	101,6	102,2	104,4	102,3	102,7	104,1	108,4		
106,4	105,0	105,5	107,3	109,5	108,3	109,1	109,8	112,4	112,4	113,3	112,9	116,1		
<b>Chômage des jeunes (15 - 24 ans)</b>														
<i>en pourcentage du total des chômeurs</i>														
Total														
Hommes														
Femmes														
<b>Pop. active civ. occupée (secteurs)</b>														
<i>en pourcentage du total</i>														
Agriculture														
Industrie														
Services														

## ITALY

### INDICATORS OF LABOUR FORCE COMPONENTS

% change over 4 quarters / % de variation sur 4 trimestres

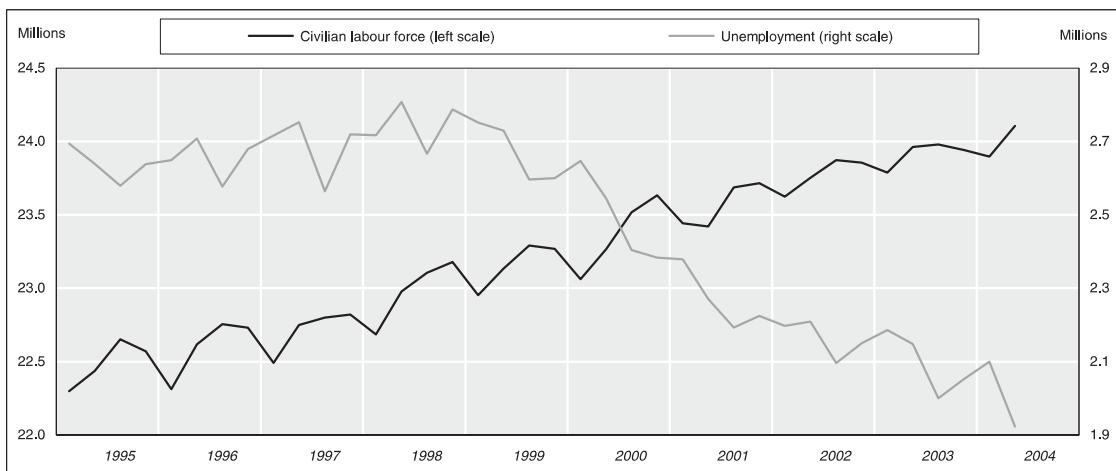


## COMPOSANTES DE LA POPULATION ACTIVE

Absolute figures / Nombre de personnes

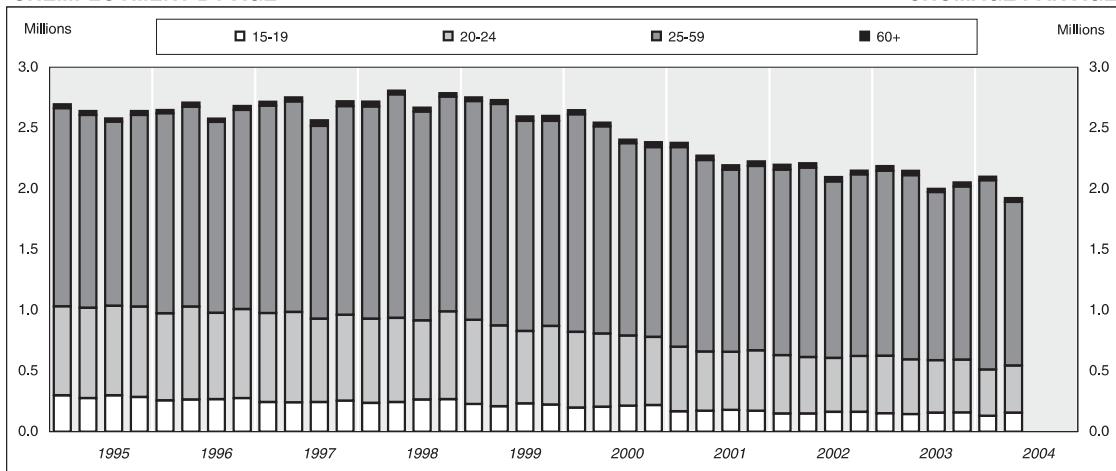
## CIVILIAN LABOUR FORCE

## POPULATION ACTIVE CIVILE



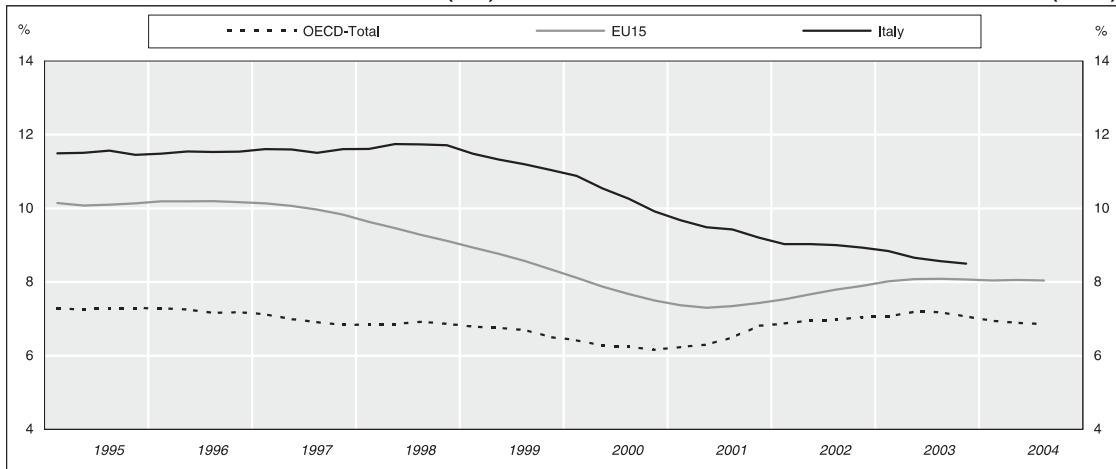
## UNEMPLOYMENT BY AGE

## CHÔMAGE PAR ÂGE



## STANDARDISED UNEMPLOYMENT RATES (s.a.)

## TAUX DE CHÔMAGE STANDARDISÉS (c.v.s.)



# ITALY

	2001	2002	2003	1999				2000				2001		
				Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	
<b>Total labour force</b>														
				thousands										
Total	23901	24085	24230	23331	23521	23661	23619	23417	23621	23871	23971	23773	23768	
Males	14640	14702	14765	14509	14565	14680	14631	14522	14568	14724	14747	14598	14551	
Females	9261	9383	9465	8822	8956	8981	8988	8895	9053	9147	9224	9175	9217	
<b>Civilian labour force</b>														
				thousands										
Total	23567	24085	23918	22952	23135	23291	23269	23061	23266	23516	23633	23442	23422	
	sa			23119	23136	23199	23200	23211	23277	23425	23569	23579	23437	
Males	14306	14702	14453	14130	14179	14310	14281	14166	14213	14369	14409	14267	14205	
	sa			14207	14202	14245	14250	14232	14243	14307	14378	14323	14238	
Females	9261	9383	9465	8822	8956	8981	8988	8895	9053	9147	9224	9175	9217	
	sa			8912	8933	8949	8955	8979	9033	9113	9196	9257	9198	
<b>Unemployment</b>														
				thousands										
Total	2267	2162	2096	2752	2729	2597	2600	2647	2545	2404	2383	2379	2271	
	sa			2718	2693	2671	2599	2605	2521	2466	2387	2339	2251	
From 15 to 19 years	171	155	152	227	209	231	221	196	204	212	218	166	172	
From 20 to 24 years	499	462	448	693	665	595	649	626	602	578	562	532	486	
From 25 to 59 years	1559	1508	1463	1801	1824	1733	1689	1791	1706	1584	1562	1643	1577	
60 years and over	37	37	35	31	31	37	41	35	33	30	41	38	36	
Males	1066	1015	996	1320	1272	1233	1238	1287	1200	1119	1111	1124	1069	
	sa			88	77	79	116	104	122	113	105	102	91	87
From 15 to 19 years	242	230	227	345	316	295	312	304	300	272	263	254	238	
From 20 to 24 years	707	683	667	838	831	789	783	851	774	719	703	749	718	
From 25 to 59 years	28	25	24	21	21	26	30	26	24	20	29	31	27	
Females	1201	1147	1100	1432	1457	1364	1362	1360	1345	1286	1273	1255	1202	
	sa			83	78	73	111	105	108	91	102	104	102	85
From 15 to 19 years	257	232	221	348	348	300	337	322	302	306	299	278	249	
From 20 to 24 years	852	825	796	963	994	944	906	940	932	866	859	894	859	
From 25 to 59 years	9	12	11	10	11	11	9	9	10	12	7	9	9	
<b>Civilian employment</b>														
				thousands										
Total	21300	21612	21822	20200	20406	20695	20669	20414	20721	21112	21250	21063	21151	
	sa			20396	20452	20526	20602	20596	20771	20949	21184	21237	21200	
Agriculture	1126	1096	1075	1095	1118	1165	1160	1084	1095	1137	1164	1098	1113	
	sa			1141	1146	1136	1118	1127	1121	1111	1123	1139	1139	
Industry	6841	6932	7019	6689	6675	6805	6832	6661	6653	6856	6897	6824	6783	
	sa			6738	6735	6748	6782	6706	6714	6800	6847	6868	6841	
Services	13333	13585	13728	12416	12613	12724	12677	12669	12973	13119	13189	13141	13255	
	sa			12506	12562	12638	12727	12751	12928	13036	13236	13217	13216	
Males	13240	13376	13457	12810	12907	13078	13043	12880	13013	13250	13298	13142	13136	
	sa			764	746	745	754	779	800	784	758	774	783	763
Agriculture	5194	5277	5358	5084	5096	5205	5174	5053	5071	5196	5215	5173	5145	
	sa			7282	7353	7355	6972	7033	7073	7084	7069	7183	7280	7300
Industry	8060	8236	8365	7390	7499	7617	7627	7534	7708	7862	7951	7920	8015	
	sa			363	350	331	341	339	365	376	326	335	363	350
Services	1646	1655	1661	1605	1579	1601	1658	1608	1583	1660	1682	1650	1638	
	sa			6051	6232	6373	5444	5581	5651	5593	5600	5789	5839	5889
<b>Employees</b>				thousands										
Total	15302	15633	15814	14364	14570	14773	14788	14644	14824	15076	15158	15135	15188	
	sa			14484	14584	14668	14762	14755	14844	14972	15133	15242	15212	
<b>Civilian employment</b>														
				2000=100										
Total	102.0	103.5	104.5	96.8	97.8	99.1	99.0	97.8	99.3	101.1	101.8	100.9	101.3	
	sa			97.7	98.0	98.3	98.7	98.7	99.5	100.4	101.5	101.7	101.6	
Agriculture	100.5	97.9	96.0	97.8	99.8	104.0	103.6	96.8	97.7	101.6	103.9	98.1	99.4	
	sa			101.9	102.3	101.5	99.8	100.6	100.1	99.2	100.3	101.7	101.7	
Industry	101.1	102.4	103.7	98.8	98.6	100.6	101.0	98.4	98.3	101.3	101.9	100.8	100.2	
	sa			99.6	99.5	99.7	100.2	99.1	99.2	100.5	101.2	101.5	101.1	
Services	102.7	104.6	105.7	95.6	97.1	98.0	97.6	97.6	99.9	101.0	101.6	101.2	102.1	
	sa			96.3	96.7	97.3	98.0	98.2	99.5	100.4	101.9	101.8	101.8	

Footnotes appear at the end of the table.

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2001		2002				2003				2004				
Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3		
<b>Population active totale</b>														
24023	24039	23960	24052	24162	24165	24099	24284	24282	24253	24296	24484			<i>milliers</i>
14709	14703	14667	14668	14737	14734	14735	14756	14766	14801	14499	14705			
9314	9336	9292	9384	9425	9431	9364	9528	9516	9452	9797	9778			
<b>Population active civile</b>														
23688	23716	23624	23752	23872	23856	23788	23962	23980	23941	23898	24107			<i>milliers</i>
23598	23661	23751	23765	23784	23812	23908	23971	23893	23905	24014	24111			
14373	14379	14332	14368	14447	14425	14424	14434	14464	14489	14110	14333			
14316	14350	14381	14403	14394	14399	14468	14466	14415	14466	14149	14363			
9314	9336	9292	9384	9425	9431	9364	9528	9516	9452	9788	9773			
9277	9315	9372	9363	9385	9417	9441	9505	9474	9443	9867	9748			
<b>Chômage</b>														
2193	2225	2198	2209	2096	2150	2186	2148	2000	2052	2099	1923			<i>milliers</i>
2250	2225	2165	2183	2157	2146	2157	2118	2062	2046	2074	1894			
177	170	148	149	161	162	151	143	156	157	130	156			
480	497	481	463	445	460	472	452	432	435	380	387			
1500	1519	1528	1561	1453	1494	1525	1516	1383	1425	1559	1349			
36	38	41	36	37	34	38	37	29	35	30	32			
1027	1042	1039	1024	989	1012	1073	1009	929	973	978	923			
88	87	76	78	77	78	79	72	82	82	64	77			
234	243	243	224	229	226	246	227	211	225	184	187			
679	684	695	696	657	685	721	685	618	642	705	638			
28	28	26	26	26	23	27	25	18	24	24	21			
1165	1182	1158	1185	1107	1138	1113	1139	1071	1079	1122	1000			
89	84	72	71	84	84	72	71	74	75	66	79			
247	254	238	239	216	234	226	225	221	210	196	200			
821	835	833	865	796	809	804	831	765	783	854	711			
8	10	15	10	11	11	11	12	11	11	6	10			
<b>Population active civile occupée</b>														
21495	21491	21427	21543	21777	21704	21601	21815	21981	21889	21799	22183			<i>milliers</i>
21337	21433	21592	21588	21622	21658	21758	21855	21827	21853	21951	22221			
1144	1149	1062	1072	1128	1121	1038	1040	1094	1129	903	943			
1119	1110	1100	1097	1103	1082	1075	1066	1069	1089	936	967			
6871	6885	6853	6873	6993	7004	6937	7007	7067	7063	6703	6921			
6818	6838	6897	6926	6942	6959	6981	7056	7018	7020	6746	6967			
13479	13457	13512	13597	13656	13578	13625	13768	13820	13697	14193	14319			
13399	13502	13582	13562	13577	13625	13689	13735	13741	13748	14254	14286			
13346	13337	13293	13344	13459	13411	13350	13426	13536	13516	13132	13410			
773	769	729	750	754	752	735	730	745	769	643	657			
5218	5242	5218	5225	5318	5345	5320	5339	5386	5386	5130	5356			
7355	7326	7346	7369	7387	7314	7295	7357	7405	7361	7359	7398			
8149	8154	8134	8199	8318	8293	8251	8389	8445	8373	8667	8773			
371	381	333	322	374	369	303	310	349	360	260	286			
1654	1642	1635	1648	1675	1659	1617	1668	1681	1677	1573	1566			
6124	6131	6166	6228	6269	6264	6330	6411	6415	6336	6834	6922			
<b>Salariés</b>														
15441	15444	15478	15571	15777	15706	15632	15794	15941	15888	15600	15886			<i>milliers</i>
15336	15422	15582	15596	15668	15689	15734	15819	15829	15875	15700	15910			
<b>Population active civile occupée</b>														
103.0	103.0	102.6	103.2	104.3	104.0	103.5	104.5	105.3	104.9	104.4	106.3			<i>2000=100</i>
102.2	102.7	103.4	103.4	103.6	103.8	104.2	104.7	104.6	104.7	105.2	106.5			
102.2	102.6	94.8	95.7	100.7	100.1	92.7	92.9	97.7	100.8	80.6	84.2			
99.9	99.1	98.3	98.0	98.5	96.6	96.0	95.2	95.5	97.3	83.5	86.3			
101.5	101.7	101.3	101.6	103.3	103.5	102.5	103.5	104.4	104.4	99.1	102.3			
100.8	101.0	101.9	102.4	102.6	102.8	103.2	104.3	103.7	103.7	99.7	103.0			
103.8	103.6	104.0	104.7	105.2	104.6	104.9	106.0	106.4	105.5	109.3	110.3			
103.2	104.0	104.6	104.4	104.5	104.9	105.4	105.8	105.9	109.8	110.0				

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Statistiques Trimestrielles de la Population Active

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## ITALY (continued)

	2001	2002	2003	1999				2000				2001		
				Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	
<b>Unemployment rate</b>														
				as percentage of total labour force										
Total	9.5	9.0	8.7	11.8 11.6	11.6 11.4	11.0 11.3	11.0 11.0	11.3 11.1	10.8 10.7	10.1 10.4	9.9 10.0	10.0 10.0	9.6 9.5	
Males	7.3	6.9	6.7	9.1 13.0	8.7 12.2	8.4 11.6	8.5 16.2	8.9 15.2	8.2 15.2	7.6 14.9	7.5 14.1	7.7 13.8	7.7 13.7	7.3 13.0
Females														
<b>Youth unemployment (15 - 24 years)</b>														
				as percentage of total unemployed										
Total	29.6	28.5	28.6	33.4	32.0	31.8	33.5	31.0	31.7	32.9	32.7	29.3	29.0	
Males	31.0	30.2	30.7	34.9	33.1	33.9	34.3	31.8	33.5	34.0	34.1	30.6	30.3	
Females	28.3	27.0	26.7	32.0	31.1	30.0	32.7	30.3	30.0	31.9	31.6	28.2	27.8	
<b>Civilian employment (sectors)</b>														
				as percentage of total										
Agriculture	5.3	5.1	4.9	5.4	5.5	5.6	5.6	5.3	5.3	5.4	5.5	5.2	5.3	
Industry	32.1	32.1	32.2	33.1	32.7	32.9	33.1	32.6	32.1	32.5	32.5	32.4	32.1	
Services	62.6	62.9	62.9	61.5	61.8	61.5	61.3	62.1	62.6	62.1	62.1	62.4	62.7	

## ITALIE (suite)

2001		2002				2003				2004			<i>cvs</i>	
Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3		
9.1	9.3	9.2	9.2	8.7	8.9	9.1	8.8	8.2	8.5	8.6	7.9			
9.4	9.3	9.0	9.1	9.0	8.9	8.9	8.7	8.5	8.4	8.5	7.7			
7.0	7.1	7.1	7.0	6.7	6.9	7.3	6.8	6.3	6.6	6.7	6.3			
12.5	12.7	12.5	12.6	11.7	12.1	11.9	12.0	11.3	11.4	11.4	10.2			
<b>Taux de chômage</b>														
<i>en pourcentage de la population active totale</i>														
Total														
Hommes														
Femmes														
<b>Chômage des jeunes (15 - 24 ans)</b>														
<i>en pourcentage du total des chômeurs</i>														
Total														
Hommes														
Femmes														
<b>Pop. active civ. occupée (secteurs)</b>														
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Agriculture														
Industrie														
Services														

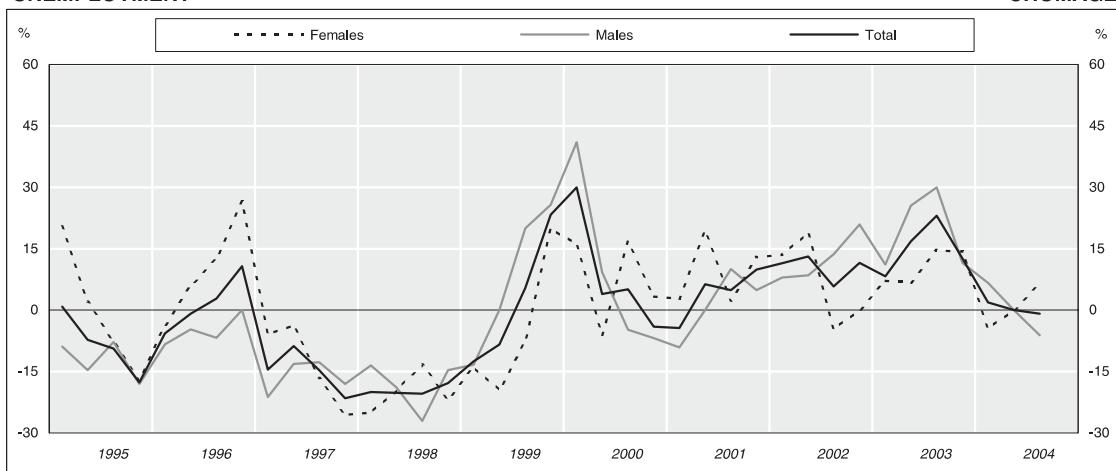
## NORWAY

### INDICATORS OF LABOUR FORCE COMPONENTS

% change over 4 quarters / % de variation sur 4 trimestres

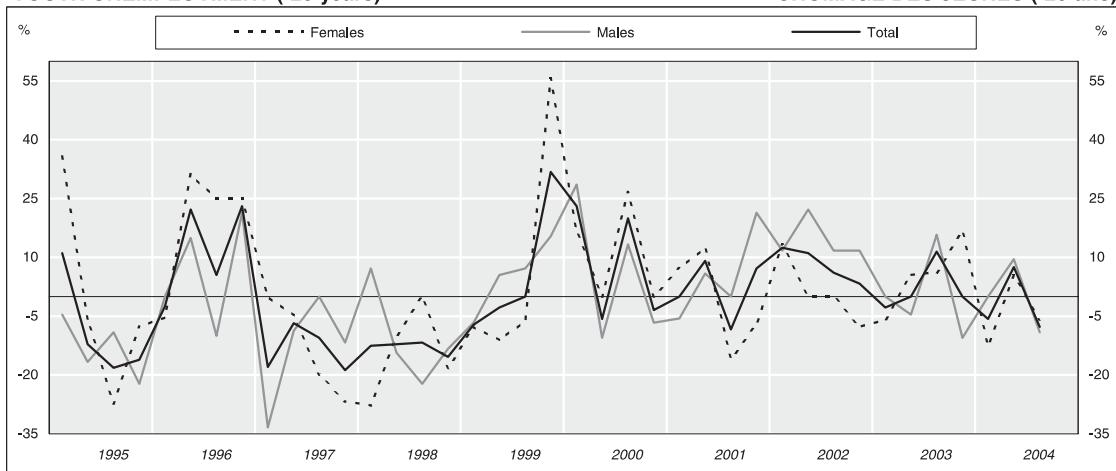
#### UNEMPLOYMENT

#### CHÔMAGE



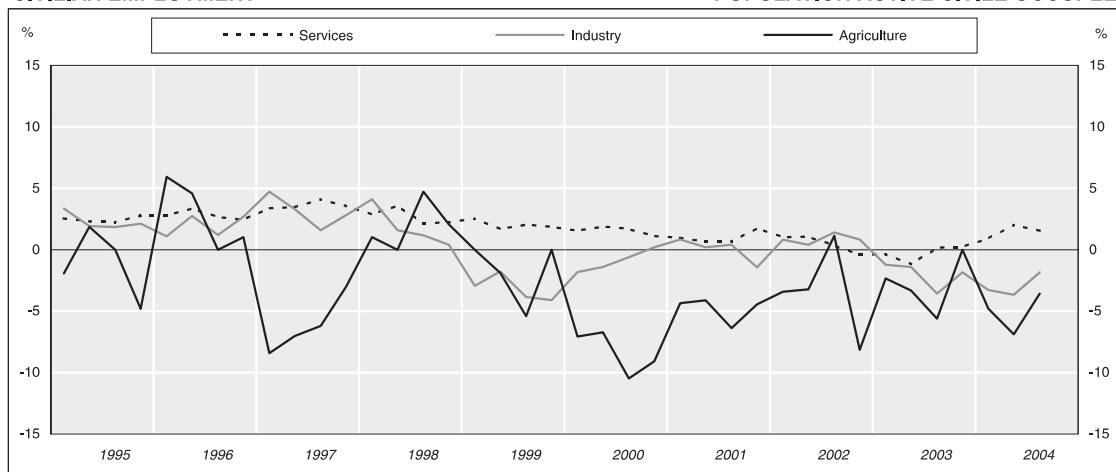
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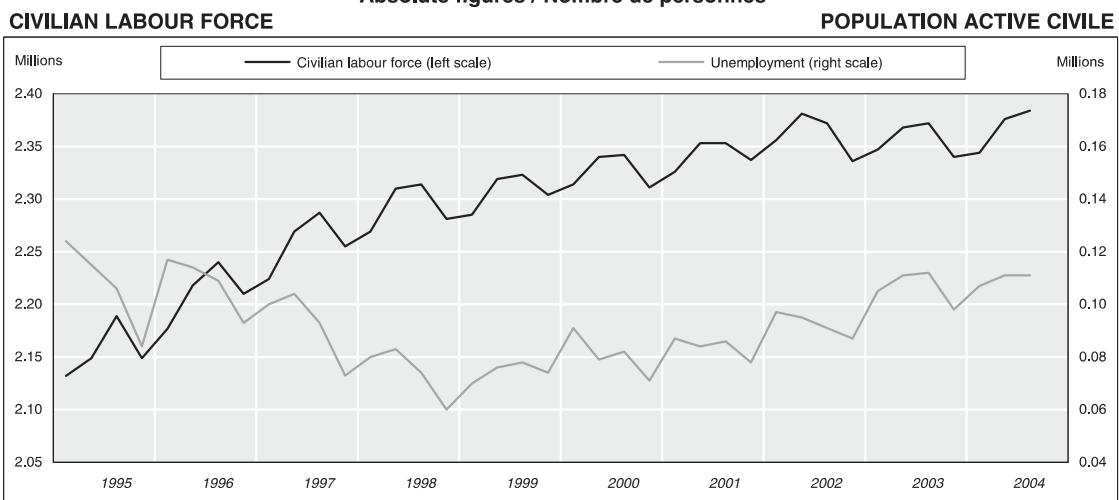
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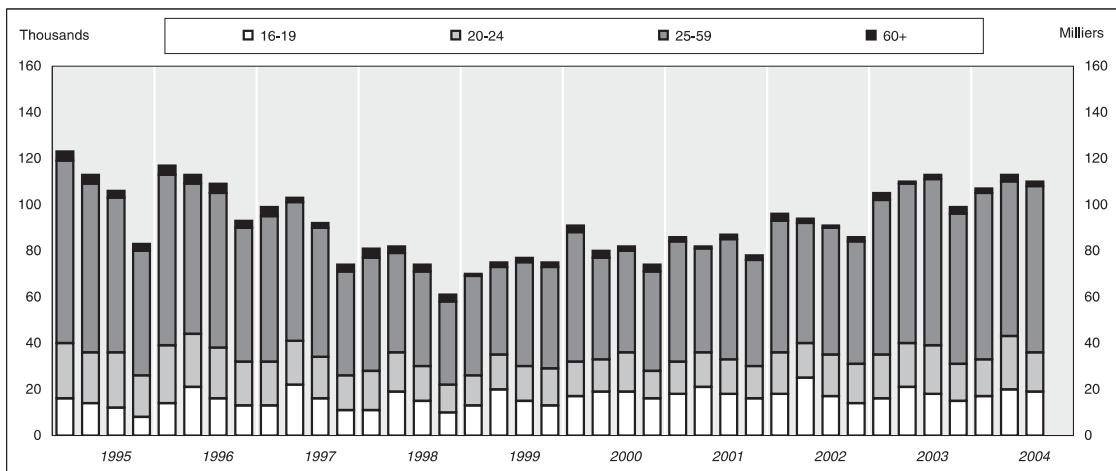
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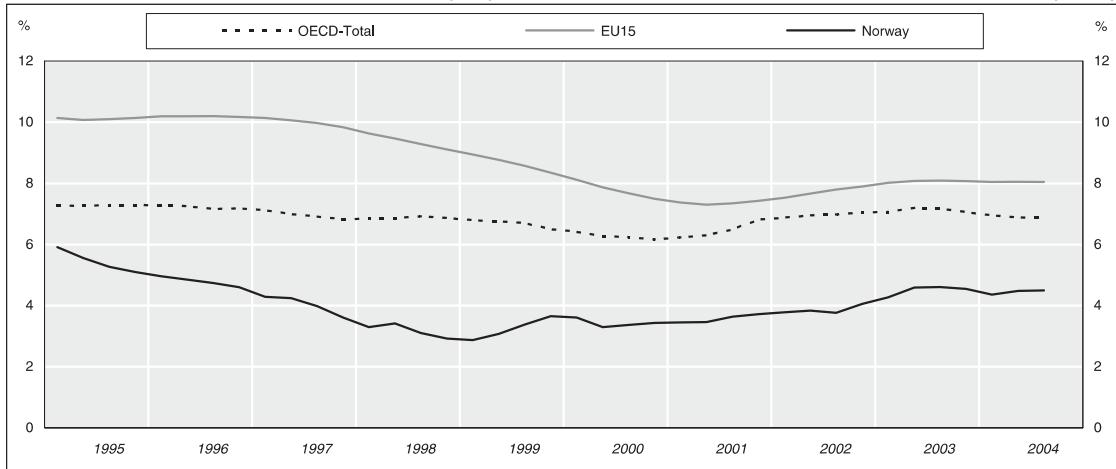
## UNEMPLOYMENT BY AGE

## CHÔMAGE PAR ÂGE



## STANDARDISED UNEMPLOYMENT RATES (s.a.)

## TAUX DE CHÔMAGE STANDARDISÉS (c.v.s.)



# NORWAY

	2001	2002	2003	1999				2000				2001	
				Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2
<b>Total labour force</b>													
	<i>thousands</i>												
Total	2362	2379	2375	2311	2343	2348	2330	2337	2364	2365	2333	2349	2373
Males	1260	1262	1259	1239	1253	1258	1251	1253	1270	1259	1248	1258	1269
Females	1102	1117	1116	1072	1091	1090	1079	1085	1094	1105	1085	1091	1104
<b>Civilian labour force</b>													
	<i>thousands</i>												
Total	2342	2361	2357	2285	2319	2323	2304	2314	2340	2342	2311	2326	2353
	<i>sa</i>			2298	2304	2307	2323	2326	2325	2328	2330	2336	2338
Males	1241	1245	1242	1214	1229	1234	1226	1230	1247	1238	1226	1236	1249
	<i>sa</i>			1221	1221	1226	1235	1236	1239	1231	1235	1241	1240
Females	1101	1117	1115	1071	1090	1089	1079	1084	1093	1104	1084	1090	1104
	<i>sa</i>			1077	1082	1082	1089	1089	1085	1098	1093	1094	1096
<b>Unemployment</b>													
	<i>thousands</i>												
Total	84	92	107	70	76	78	74	91	79	82	71	87	84
	<i>sa</i>			67	72	77	84	87	75	81	80	82	80
From 16 to 19 years	18	19	17	13	20	15	13	17	19	19	16	18	21
From 20 to 24 years	14	17	19	13	15	15	16	15	14	17	12	14	15
From 25 to 59 years	49	55	68	43	38	45	44	56	44	44	43	52	45
60 years and over	2	2	2	1	2	2	2	3	3	2	3	2	1
Males	46	52	62	39	43	42	44	55	47	40	41	50	47
From 16 to 19 years	9	10	9	7	11	7	6	9	9	10	8	9	10
From 20 to 24 years	8	10	11	7	8	8	9	9	8	7	6	8	8
From 25 to 59 years	27	31	40	24	22	25	27	35	29	22	25	31	27
60 years and over	1	1	1	1	1	2	2	2	1	2	1	1	1
Females	38	41	45	31	33	36	30	36	31	42	31	37	37
From 16 to 19 years	9	9	8	6	9	8	7	8	10	9	8	9	11
From 20 to 24 years	6	7	8	6	7	7	6	6	6	10	6	6	7
From 25 to 59 years	22	24	28	19	16	20	17	21	15	22	18	21	18
60 years and over	1	1	1	0	1	1	0	1	1	1	1	1	0
<b>Registered unemployed<sup>(1)</sup></b>													
	<i>thousands</i>												
Total	63	75	93	62	56	64	57	66	61	65	59	65	57
	<i>sa</i>			58	57	61	61	61	63	63	63	61	60
<b>Civilian employment<sup>(2)</sup></b>													
	<i>thousands</i>												
Total	2259	2269	2250	2215	2243	2245	2230	2223	2262	2264	2239	2239	2269
	<i>sa</i>			2233	2232	2230	2239	2239	2250	2251	2248	2254	2257
Agriculture	89	86	83	99	104	105	99	92	97	94	90	88	93
	<i>sa</i>			103	101	102	102	95	94	91	92	91	90
Industry	492	496	486	494	501	499	491	485	494	496	492	489	495
	<i>sa</i>			503	499	493	492	492	492	490	494	495	493
Services <sup>(3)</sup>	1675	1684	1679	1618	1637	1639	1637	1643	1668	1667	1655	1659	1679
	<i>sa</i>			1627	1632	1636	1646	1652	1664	1669	1662	1669	1674
Males	1195	1193	1180	1174	1186	1192	1182	1174	1200	1198	1186	1186	1202
Agriculture	67	66	63	74	77	78	74	68	73	70	67	67	70
Industry	395	399	392	397	400	400	393	388	395	395	394	392	396
Services <sup>(3)</sup>	731	726	724	701	708	713	714	717	731	731	722	725	734
Females	1063	1076	1070	1040	1057	1053	1048	1048	1062	1062	1053	1053	1067
Agriculture	22	20	21	25	26	27	25	24	24	22	21	21	23
Industry	97	97	94	97	101	99	98	97	100	101	97	96	99
Services <sup>(3)</sup>	944	957	955	917	929	926	923	926	937	936	934	934	945
<b>Employees</b>													
	<i>thousands</i>												
Total	2089	2101	2080	2068	2093	2092	2078	2075	2114	2116	2093	2070	2094
	<i>sa</i>			2083	2083	2080	2084	2091	2104	2105	2098	2085	2085

Footnotes appear at the end of the table.

# NORVÈGE

2001		2002				2003				2004				
Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3		
<b>Population active totale</b>														
2371	2353	2373	2398	2389	2354	2366	2386	2390	2359	2362	2394	2401		<i>milliers</i>
1263	1249	1258	1271	1268	1251	1256	1267	1264	1250	1256	1267	1271		Total
1108	1103	1115	1127	1121	1103	1109	1120	1126	1108	1106	1127	1130		Hommes
														Femmes
<b>Population active civile</b>														
2353	2337	2356	2381	2372	2336	2347	2368	2372	2340	2344	2376	2384		<i>milliers</i>
2340	2356	2365	2366	2359	2355	2355	2353	2359	2360	2352	2361	2371		<i>cvs</i> Total
1246	1234	1241	1255	1251	1233	1238	1250	1247	1233	1239	1250	1256		<i>cvs</i> Hommes
1240	1244	1246	1246	1243	1243	1242	1241	1242	1243	1243	1241	1251		<i>cvs</i> Femmes
1107	1103	1115	1127	1121	1103	1109	1119	1125	1107	1105	1126	1128		
1101	1113	1119	1120	1115	1113	1113	1112	1118	1117	1109	1119	1121		
<b>Chômage</b>														
86	78	97	95	91	87	105	111	112	98	107	111	111		<i>milliers</i>
85	88	92	91	90	98	99	107	111	110	101	107	110		<i>cvs</i> Total
18	16	18	25	17	14	16	21	18	15	17	20	19		De 16 à 19 ans
15	14	18	15	18	17	19	19	21	16	16	23	17		De 20 à 24 ans
52	46	57	52	55	53	67	69	72	65	72	67	72		De 25 à 59 ans
2	2	3	2	1	2	3	1	2	3	2	3	2		60 ans et plus
44	43	54	51	50	52	60	64	65	58	64	64	61		Hommes
9	9	10	13	9	8	8	11	10	8	9	11	11		De 16 à 19 ans
8	8	9	9	10	11	11	10	12	9	10	12	9		De 20 à 24 ans
26	25	33	28	30	31	39	41	42	40	44	40	39		De 25 à 59 ans
1	1	2	1	1	1	2	1	1	2	1	2	2		60 ans et plus
43	35	42	44	41	35	45	47	47	40	43	47	50		Femmes
9	7	8	12	8	6	8	10	8	7	8	9	8		De 16 à 19 ans
7	6	9	6	8	6	8	9	9	7	6	11	8		De 20 à 24 ans
26	21	24	24	25	22	28	28	30	25	28	27	33		De 25 à 59 ans
1	1	1	1	0	1	1	0	1	1	1	1	0		60 ans et plus
<b>Chômeurs inscrits<sup>(1)</sup></b>														
64	63	73	70	80	78	93	90	98	89	97	89	95		<i>milliers</i>
62	67	69	72	78	83	87	94	95	95	92	92	93		<i>cvs</i> Total
<b>Population active civile occupée<sup>(2)</sup></b>														
2267	2259	2259	2287	2281	2249	2242	2257	2260	2242	2237	2266	2273		<i>milliers</i>
2255	2269	2273	2275	2269	2258	2256	2246	2248	2251	2250	2255	2261		<i>cvs</i> Total
88	86	85	90	89	79	83	87	84	79	79	81	81		Agriculture
86	88	88	87	87	81	85	84	82	82	81	78	79		Industrie
498	485	493	497	505	489	487	490	487	480	471	472	478		Services <sup>(3)</sup>
492	488	498	495	495	493	491	487	482	484	475	469	473		<i>cvs</i> Services <sup>(3)</sup>
1678	1684	1676	1697	1684	1677	1670	1677	1687	1681	1685	1711	1713		Hommes
1677	1692	1688	1694	1683	1684	1679	1674	1684	1686	1694	1708	1709		Agriculture
1202	1191	1187	1204	1201	1181	1178	1186	1182	1175	1175	1186	1194		Industrie
67	65	64	69	68	61	63	64	63	60	60	63	62		Services <sup>(3)</sup>
400	391	394	401	407	395	391	396	393	389	382	382	387		Femmes
733	732	725	733	724	723	723	726	724	732	741	741	744		Services <sup>(3)</sup>
1065	1068	1072	1083	1079	1068	1064	1071	1078	1067	1062	1079	1079		Agriculture
21	21	21	21	21	18	20	23	22	19	19	19	19		Industrie
98	94	98	96	98	95	96	94	94	91	89	90	91		Services <sup>(3)</sup>
945	952	951	964	960	954	947	954	962	957	954	970	969		
<b>Salariés</b>														
2096	2096	2093	2112	2114	2085	2076	2082	2091	2071	2068	2092	2100		<i>milliers</i>
2085	2101	2107	2105	2102	2090	2089	2077	2078	2076	2080	2088	2087		<i>cvs</i> Total

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## NORWAY (continued)

	2001	2002	2003	1999				2000				2001	
				Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2
<b>Civilian employment</b>													
	2000=100												
Total		100.5	101.0	100.1	98.6	99.8	99.9	99.2	98.9	100.7	100.8	99.6	99.6
	sa				99.4	99.3	99.3	99.7	99.7	100.1	100.2	100.1	100.3
Agriculture		95.2	92.0	89.3	106.2	111.5	112.6	106.2	98.7	104.0	100.8	96.5	94.4
	sa				110.2	108.0	109.0	109.4	102.3	100.6	98.1	99.1	97.6
Industry		100.0	100.9	98.8	100.5	101.9	101.5	99.8	98.6	100.5	100.9	100.1	99.4
	sa				102.3	101.4	100.3	100.0	100.1	100.0	99.7	100.4	100.7
Services		101.0	101.5	101.2	97.6	98.7	98.8	98.7	99.1	100.6	100.5	99.8	100.0
	sa				98.1	98.4	98.6	99.3	99.6	100.4	100.7	100.2	100.6
<b>Unemployment rate<sup>(4)</sup></b>													
	as percentage of total labour force												
Total		3.6	3.9	4.5	3.0	3.2	3.3	3.2	3.9	3.3	3.5	3.0	3.7
	sa				2.9	3.1	3.3	3.6	3.7	3.2	3.4	3.4	3.5
Males		3.7	4.1	4.9	3.1	3.4	3.3	3.5	4.4	3.7	3.2	3.3	4.0
Females		3.4	3.7	4.0	2.9	3.0	3.3	2.8	3.3	2.8	3.8	2.9	3.4
<b>Youth unemployment (16 - 24 years)</b>													
	as percentage of total unemployed												
Total		39.0	38.6	33.9	37.1	46.1	38.5	39.2	35.2	41.8	43.9	39.4	36.8
Males		37.5	38.0	31.9	35.9	44.2	35.7	34.1	32.7	36.2	42.5	34.1	34.0
Females		40.8	38.4	36.7	38.7	48.5	41.7	46.7	38.9	51.6	45.2	45.2	48.6
<b>Civilian employment (sectors)</b>													
	as percentage of total												
Agriculture		3.9	3.8	3.7	4.5	4.6	4.7	4.4	4.1	4.3	4.2	4.0	3.9
Industry		21.8	21.9	21.6	22.3	22.3	22.2	22.0	21.8	21.8	21.9	22.0	21.8
Services		74.2	74.2	74.6	73.0	73.0	73.4	73.9	73.7	73.6	73.9	74.1	74.0

(1) Data refer to registered unemployment; the figures differ significantly from

(2) those of the labour force surveys. Armed forces are included in Civilian

(3) employment. Including "non-specified".

(4) Rates computed from the labour force survey.

## NORVÈGE (suite)

2001		2002				2003				2004				
Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3		
<b>Population active civile occupée</b>														
														2000=100
100.9	100.5	100.5	101.8	101.5	100.1	99.8	100.4	100.6	99.8	99.6	100.8	101.2	cvs	Total
100.3	101.0	101.2	101.3	101.0	100.5	100.4	100.0	100.1	100.2	100.1	100.4	100.6	cvs	Agriculture
94.4	92.2	91.2	96.5	95.4	84.7	89.0	93.3	90.1	84.7	84.7	86.9	86.9	cvs	Industrie
92.1	94.8	94.0	93.2	93.4	87.2	91.6	90.1	88.1	87.5	86.9	84.0	84.8	cvs	Services
101.3	98.6	100.3	101.1	102.7	99.4	99.0	99.6	99.0	97.6	95.8	96.0	97.2		
100.1	99.3	101.2	100.6	101.5	100.2	99.9	99.1	97.9	98.4	96.6	95.5	96.2		
101.2	101.6	101.1	102.3	101.6	101.1	100.7	101.1	101.7	101.4	101.6	103.2	103.3		
101.1	102.0	101.8	102.1	101.5	101.6	101.3	101.0	101.6	101.7	102.2	103.0	103.1		
<b>Taux de chômage<sup>(4)</sup></b>														
														en pourcentage de la population active totale
3.6	3.3	4.1	4.0	3.8	3.7	4.4	4.7	4.7	4.2	4.5	4.6	4.6	cvs	Total
3.6	3.7	3.8	3.8	3.8	4.1	4.2	4.5	4.7	4.6	4.3	4.5	4.6	cvs	Hommes
3.5	3.4	4.3	4.0	3.9	4.2	4.8	5.1	5.1	4.6	5.1	5.1	4.8	cvs	Femmes
3.9	3.2	3.8	3.9	3.7	3.2	4.1	4.2	4.2	3.6	3.9	4.2	4.4		
<b>Chômage des jeunes (16 - 24 ans)</b>														
														en pourcentage du total des chômeurs
38.4	38.5	37.1	42.1	38.5	35.6	33.3	36.0	34.8	31.6	30.8	38.7	32.4		Total
38.6	39.5	35.2	43.1	38.0	36.5	31.7	32.8	33.8	29.3	29.7	35.9	32.8		Hommes
37.2	37.1	40.5	40.9	39.0	34.3	35.6	40.4	36.2	35.0	32.6	42.6	32.0		Femmes
<b>Pop. active civ. occupée (secteurs)</b>														
														en pourcentage du total
3.9	3.8	3.8	3.9	3.9	3.5	3.7	3.9	3.7	3.5	3.5	3.6	3.6		Agriculture
22.0	21.5	21.8	21.7	22.1	21.7	21.7	21.7	21.5	21.4	21.1	20.8	21.0		Industrie
74.0	74.5	74.2	74.2	73.8	74.6	74.5	74.3	74.6	75.0	75.3	75.5	75.4		Services

(1) Les données se réfèrent aux chômeurs inscrits ; les chiffres diffèrent sensiblement de ceux obtenus par les

(2) enquêtes par sondage.  
Les forces armées sont incluses dans l'emploi civil.

(3) Y compris les « non-spécifiés ».

(4) Les taux sont établis d'après les enquêtes par sondage.

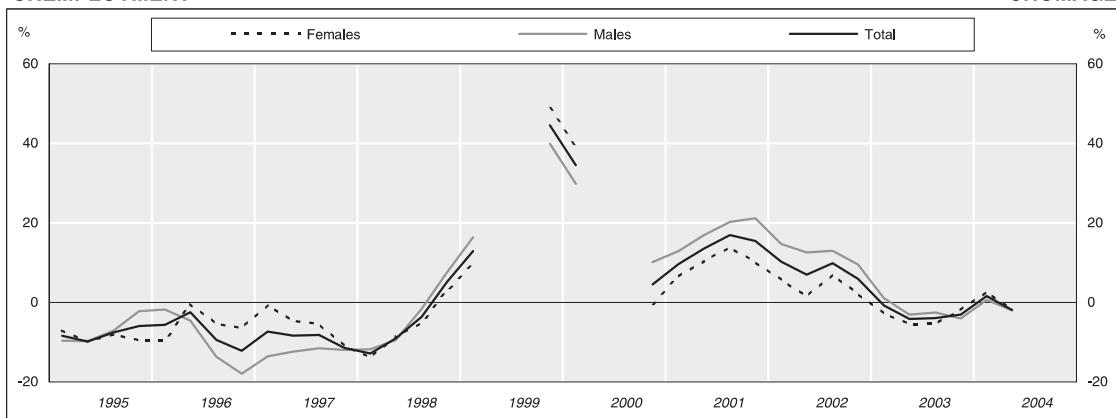
## POLAND<sup>(1)</sup>

### INDICATORS OF LABOUR FORCE COMPONENTS

% change over 4 quarters / % de variation sur 4 trimestres

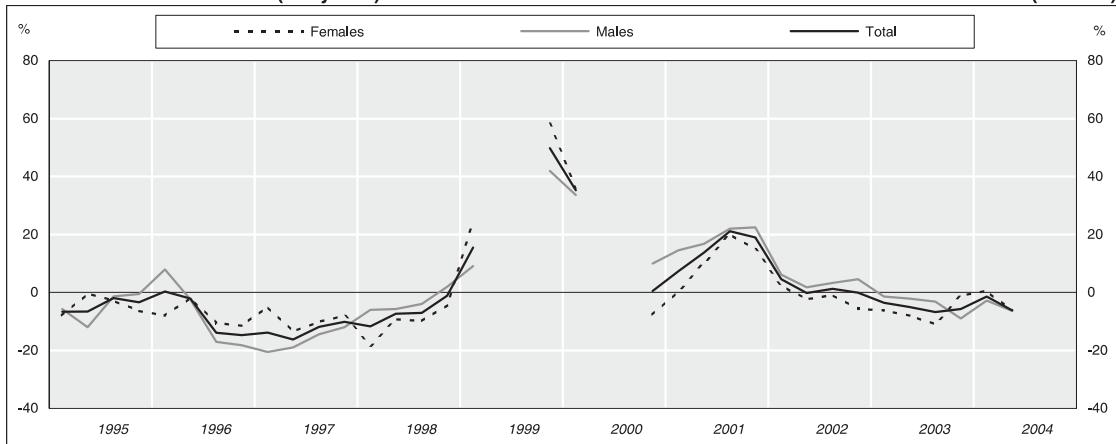
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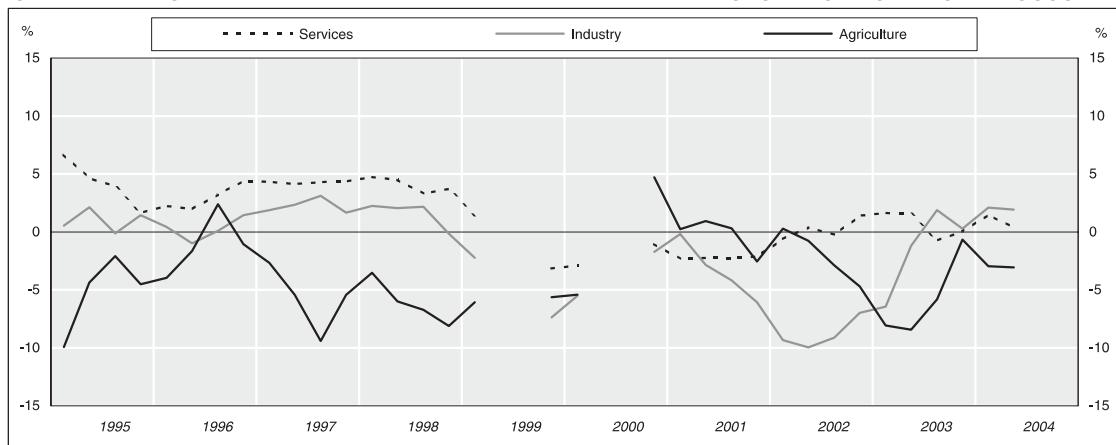
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#### CIVILIAN EMPLOYMENT

#### POPULATION ACTIVE CIVILE OCCUPÉE



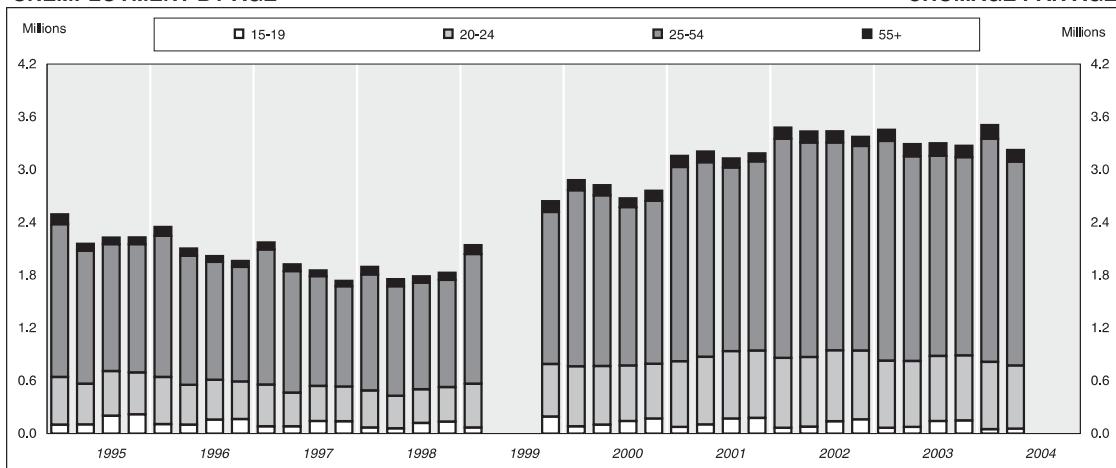
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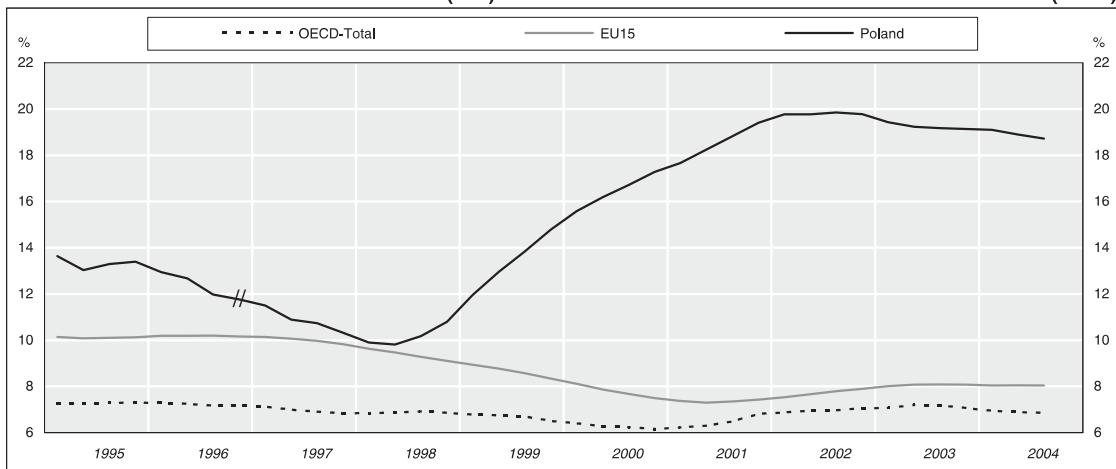
**UNEMPLOYMENT BY AGE**

**CHÔMAGE PAR ÂGE**



**STANDARDISED UNEMPLOYMENT RATES (s.a.)**

**TAUX DE CHÔMAGE STANDARDISÉS (c.v.s.)**



# POLAND<sup>(1)</sup>

	2001	2002	2003	1999				2000				2001	
				Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2
<b>Total labour force</b>													
Total	17442	17283	17019	17150				17298	17250	17405	17480	17369	17360
Males	9445	9378	9247	9319				9392	9308	9396	9483	9466	9437
Females	7997	7905	7773	7831				7907	7942	8009	7997	7903	7923
<b>Civilian labour force</b>													
Total	17376	17213	16945	17082				17214	17199	17343	17402	17300	17306
Males	9380	9308	9173	9251				9308	9257	9334	9405	9397	9383
Females	7997	7905	7773	7831				7907	7942	8009	7997	7903	7923
<b>Unemployment</b>													
Total	3170	3431	3329	2141				2641	2880	2825	2675	2760	3158
From 15 to 19 years	129	109	106	68				193	80	100	140	169	72
From 20 to 24 years	762	794	749	497				595	684	665	631	623	748
From 25 to 54 years	2165	2405	2339	1475				1729	2001	1942	1802	1855	2208
From 55 to 64 years	105	115	130	91				105	98	104	88	99	120
65 years and over	8	9	5	10				20	18	15	13	15	9
Males	1583	1779	1741	1086				1208	1410	1359	1278	1331	1592
From 15 to 19 years	72	63	61	44				87	47	58	77	92	49
From 20 to 24 years	399	427	408	245				285	339	335	318	317	393
From 25 to 54 years	1039	1211	1185	727				773	956	898	822	855	1072
From 55 to 64 years	68	73	84	63				54	58	57	51	58	78
65 years and over	5	6	4	8				9	8	11	10	10	4
Females	1587	1652	1588	1055				1434	1470	1466	1397	1429	1566
From 15 to 19 years	58	46	45	25				106	32	42	64	78	23
From 20 to 24 years	363	367	341	252				310	345	330	313	306	356
From 25 to 54 years	1126	1194	1154	748				955	1044	1043	980	999	1137
From 55 to 64 years	38	42	47	29				50	40	46	36	41	46
65 years and over	3	4	2	3				11	10	5	3	5	4
<b>Civilian employment</b>													
Total	14207	13782	13617	14941				14573	14319	14518	14727	14540	14148
Agriculture	2719	2663	2509	2695				2627	2549	2710	2897	2751	2555
Industry	4332	3948	3892	4691				4555	4433	4509	4505	4476	4425
Services	7156	7171	7216	7555				7391	7337	7299	7325	7313	7136
Males	7797	7529	7432	8165				8100	7847	7975	8127	8066	7791
Agriculture	1498	1491	1421	1502				1499	1456	1508	1612	1547	1417
Industry	3149	2873	2828	3323				3258	3176	3275	3268	3251	3205
Services	3150	3166	3183	3340				3343	3215	3192	3247	3268	3169
Females	6410	6253	6185	6776				6473	6472	6543	6600	6474	6357
Agriculture	1222	1173	1088	1193				1128	1093	1204	1284	1203	1138
Industry	1182	1074	1065	1367				1298	1258	1234	1236	1226	1218
Services	4006	4006	4032	4216				4047	4121	4105	4080	4045	4001
<b>Employees</b>													
Total	10226	9904	9904	10934				10630	10494	10542	10600	10550	10304
Males	5465	5241	5220	5793				5720	5568	5638	5676	5686	5528
Females	4761	4663	4684	5141				4910	4925	4904	4924	4864	4776
<b>Civilian employment</b>													
				2000=100									
Total	97.8	94.9	93.7	102.9				100.3	98.6	99.9	101.4	100.1	97.4
				sa				104.6	100.2	100.0	99.9	99.9	99.0
Agriculture	99.7	97.7	92.0	98.8				96.3	93.5	99.4	106.2	100.9	93.7
				sa				104.3	97.1	98.7	99.1	100.4	100.1
Industry	96.7	88.1	86.9	104.7				101.7	98.9	100.6	100.5	99.9	98.8
				sa				107.2	101.0	101.2	100.5	99.1	99.2
Services	97.8	98.0	98.6	103.2				101.0	100.3	99.7	100.1	99.9	97.9
				sa				103.2	100.5	100.3	100.0	99.4	98.0
<b>Unemployment rate</b>													
				as percentage of civilian labour force									
Total	18.2	19.9	19.6	12.5				15.3	16.7	16.3	15.4	16.0	18.2
Males	16.9	19.1	19.0	11.7				13.0	15.2	14.6	13.6	14.2	17.0
Females	19.8	20.9	20.4	13.5				18.1	18.5	18.3	17.5	18.1	19.8
													20.0

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2001				2002				2003				2004			
Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q1	Q2	
<b>Population active totale</b>															
17581 9495 8086	17303 9415 7889	17241 9356 7885	17326 9375 7951	17403 9434 7970	17162 9348 7813	16872 9171 7701	17025 9233 7792	17119 9298 7821	17061 9285 7776	17054 9287 7766	16995 9282 7714				<i>milliers</i>
Total															
Hommes															
Femmes															
<b>Population active civile</b>															<i>milliers</i>
17510 9424 8086	17229 9341 7889	17177 9292 7885	17253 9302 7951	17324 9355 7970	17097 9283 7813	16801 9100 7701	16945 9153 7792	17044 9223 7821	16991 9215 7776	16974 9207 7766	16907 9194 7714				
Total															
Hommes															
Femmes															
<b>Chômage</b>															<i>milliers</i>
3127 169 765 2088 98 7 1537 91 391 982 67 1590 9 374 1106 31 1 1537 91 391 982 67 1590 9 374 1106 31 1	3186 175 767 2150 87 7 1613 89 412 1055 53 4 1574 86 355 1095 34 3 14043 2681 4204 7160 7887 1592 3148 3147 6496 1314 1168 4014	3480 63 794 2494 117 12 1825 38 431 1279 70 7 1655 25 363 1216 47 3 13697 2562 4012 7123 7467 1506 3065 3157 6315 1175 1120 4000	3432 77 791 2437 119 122 1788 49 418 1236 82 5 1701 28 372 1203 37 5 13821 2714 3945 7143 7514 1515 2851 3141 3148 6307 1200 1092 3983	3436 138 808 2361 122 100 1736 78 420 1156 77 8 1608 61 388 1205 44 3 13888 2822 3923 7143 7619 1584 2892 3143 3232 6269 1237 1030 4015	3375 158 783 2326 100 122 1766 87 437 1174 61 8 1609 70 346 1152 39 2 13348 2555 3910 7257 7517 1429 2856 3232 3231 6205 1126 1055 4002	3453 65 761 2500 122 134 1844 43 419 1297 81 5 1554 22 342 1202 42 1 13657 2485 3753 7240 7256 1425 2691 3183 3100 6092 1020 1062 4024	3288 75 749 2325 134 137 1734 47 410 1190 84 6 1609 80 402 1132 51 2 13744 2658 3898 7274 7419 1425 2931 341 339 6238 1060 1090 4088	3300 139 743 2274 137 127 1691 75 402 1120 85 7 1578 75 402 1133 52 2 13718 146 7293 7089 7532 1501 2931 341 339 6212 1065 1044 3990	3273 146 741 2255 127 147 1695 75 402 1120 85 7 1578 146 7293 7089 7532 1501 2931 341 339 6212 1065 1044 3990	3509 48 766 2538 147 130 1856 30 419 1133 96 7 1578 146 7293 7089 7532 1501 2931 341 339 6212 1065 1044 3990	3225 55 718 2317 130 1700 1500 31 397 1180 89 3 1525 24 321 1138 41 1 13682 2285 3921 7348 7351 1382 2785 3235 6066	Total De 15 à 19 ans De 20 à 24 ans De 25 à 54 ans De 55 à 64 ans 65 ans et plus Hommes De 15 à 19 ans De 20 à 24 ans De 25 à 54 ans De 55 à 64 ans 65 ans et plus Femmes De 15 à 19 ans De 20 à 24 ans De 25 à 54 ans De 55 à 64 ans 65 ans et plus			
<b>Population active civile occupée</b>															<i>milliers</i>
14383 2906 4317 7160 7887 1592 3148 3147 6496 1314 1168 4014	14043 2681 4204 7123 7467 1506 3065 3157 6315 1175 1120 4000	13697 2562 4012 7123 7467 1515 2851 3141 3148 6307 1200 1092 3983	13821 2714 3945 7143 7514 1515 2892 3143 3232 6269 1237 1030 4015	13722 2555 3923 7257 7517 1429 2856 3232 3231 6205 1126 1055 4002	13348 2355 3910 7257 7256 1334 2856 3231 3231 6092 1126 1062 4024	13657 2485 3753 7240 7256 1425 2691 3183 3100 6238 1020 1062 4088	13744 2658 3898 7274 7419 1425 2931 341 339 6212 1060 1090 4088	13718 2538 3973 7348 7351 1424 2877 3235 6066	13465 2538 3973 7348 7351 1301 2785 3235 6066	13682 2409 3973 7300 7494 1382 2877 3235 6066	Total Agriculture Industrie Services Hommes Agriculture Industrie Services Femmes Agriculture Industrie Services				
<b>Salariés</b>															<i>milliers</i>
10225 5457 4767	10107 5406 4701	9879 5216 4663	9920 5216 4704	9874 5251 4623	9942 5136 4660	9799 5212 4663	9973 5250 4761	9904 5283 4655	9940 5270 4658	9986 5339 4716	10056 5339 4717				
Total															
Hommes															
Femmes															
<b>Population active civile occupée</b>															<i>2000=100</i>
99.0 97.7 106.6 100.6 96.3 95.0 97.8 98.1	96.7 96.4 98.3 99.0 93.8 91.5 97.3 97.2	94.3 95.9 94.0 99.5 88.0 88.0 97.9 98.0	95.1 95.2 99.5 99.5 88.0 86.3 97.6 97.9	95.6 94.4 103.5 97.5 87.6 86.6 99.2 98.6	94.5 94.1 93.7 94.3 87.3 86.5 99.2 99.1	91.9 93.5 93.7 91.6 83.8 85.6 98.9 99.1	94.0 94.0 91.1 91.0 87.0 87.0 99.4 99.5	94.6 93.4 97.5 91.7 87.0 87.0 96.9 97.3	94.4 94.0 93.1 93.7 87.5 86.8 99.2 98.6	92.7 94.3 83.8 89.0 85.5 87.5 100.4 100.5	94.2 94.2 88.3 88.2 88.7 88.8 99.7 99.8	Total Agriculture Industrie Services			
<b>Taux de chômage</b>															<i>en pourcentage de la population active civile</i>
17.9 16.3 19.7	18.5 17.3 20.0	20.3 19.6 21.0	19.9 19.2 20.7	19.8 18.6 21.3	19.7 19.0 20.6	20.6 20.3 20.9	19.4 18.9 19.9	19.4 18.3 20.6	19.3 18.4 20.3	20.7 20.2 21.3	19.1 18.5 19.8				
Total															
Hommes															
Femmes															

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Statistiques Trimestrielles de la Population Active

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## POLAND<sup>(1)</sup> (*continued*)

	2001	2002	2003	1999				2000				2001			
				Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2		
<b>Youth unemployment (15 - 24 years)</b>															
	<i>as percentage of total unemployed</i>														
Total	28.1	26.3	25.7	26.4				29.8	26.5	27.1	28.8	28.7	26.0		
Males	29.8	27.5	27.0	26.6				30.8	27.4	28.9	30.9	30.7	27.8		
Females	26.5	25.0	24.3	26.3				29.0	25.6	25.4	27.0	26.9	24.2		
<b>Civilian employment (sectors)</b>															
	<i>as percentage of total</i>														
Agriculture	19.1	19.3	18.4	18.0				18.0	17.8	18.7	19.7	18.9	18.1		
Industry	30.5	28.6	28.6	31.4				31.3	31.0	31.1	30.6	30.8	31.3		
Services	50.4	52.0	53.0	50.6				50.7	51.2	50.3	49.7	50.3	50.7		

(1) The Labour Force Survey has not been carried out for the second and third quarter of 1999. From the fourth quarter of 1999, the method of data collection has changed. The survey is now conducted continuously throughout the year.

## POLOGNE<sup>(1)</sup> (*suite*)

2001		2002				2003				2004			
Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	
29.9	29.6	24.6	25.3	27.5	27.9	23.9	25.1	26.7	27.1	23.2	24.0		
31.4	31.1	25.7	26.1	28.7	29.7	25.1	26.4	28.5	28.1	24.2	25.2		
28.5	28.0	23.4	24.3	26.4	25.9	22.6	23.7	24.9	26.0	22.2	22.6		
20.2	19.1	18.7	19.6	20.3	18.6	17.6	18.2	19.3	18.5	17.0	17.6		
30.0	29.9	29.3	28.5	28.2	28.5	28.1	28.5	29.1	28.6	28.5	29.0		
49.8	51.0	52.0	51.8	51.4	52.9	54.2	53.3	51.6	52.9	54.6	53.4		

**Chômage des jeunes (15 - 24 ans)**  
*en pourcentage du total des chômeurs*

Total
Hommes
Femmes

**Pop. active civ. occupée (secteurs)**  
*en pourcentage du total*

Agriculture
Industrie
Services

(1) L'enquête sur la population active n'a pas eu lieu les deuxièmes et troisième trimestres de 1999. À partir du quatrième trimestre de 1999, la méthode de collecte des données a changé. L'enquête est conduite de manière continue tout au long de l'année.

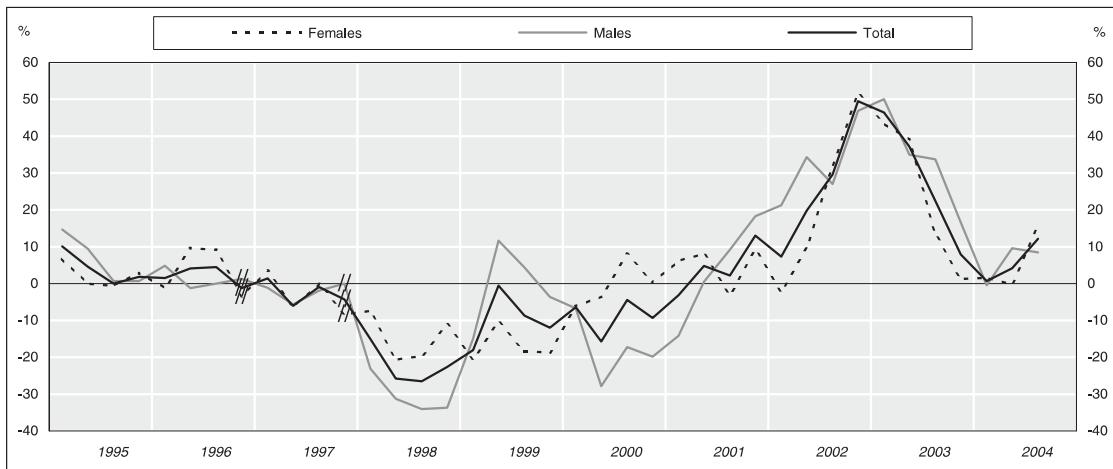
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## INDICATORS OF LABOUR FORCE COMPONENTS

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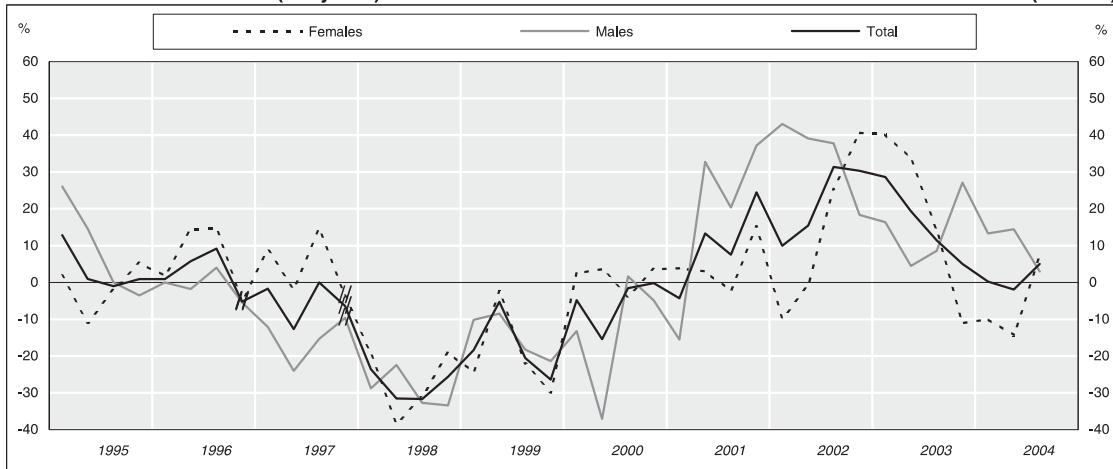
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### CHÔMAGE



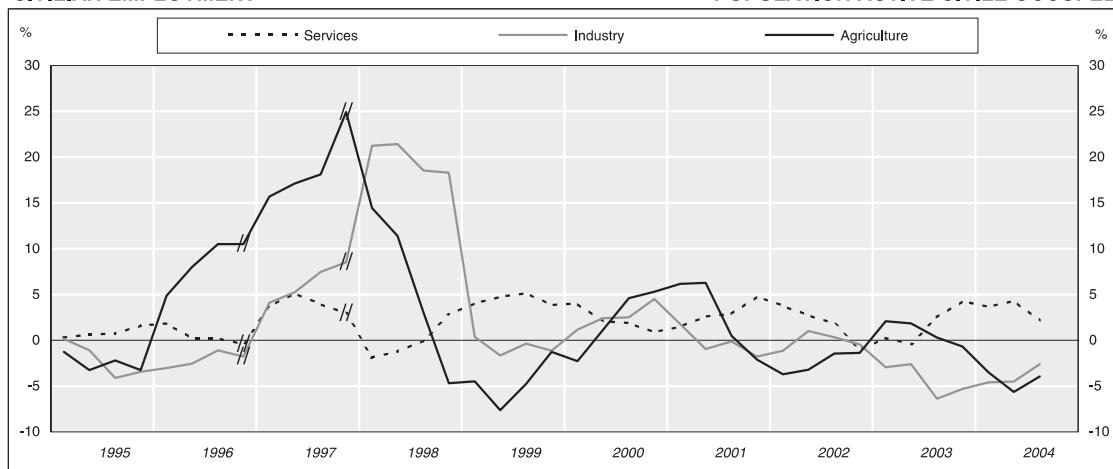
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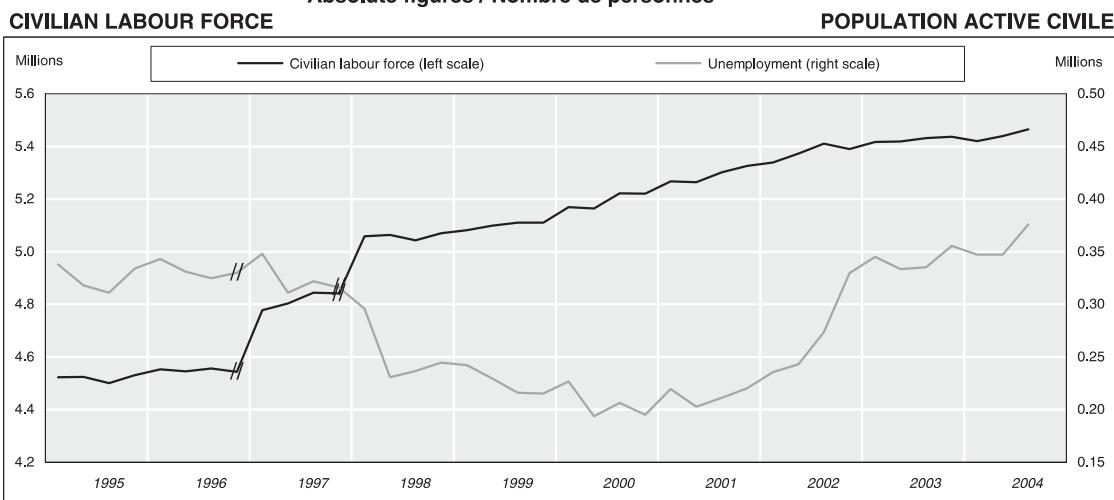
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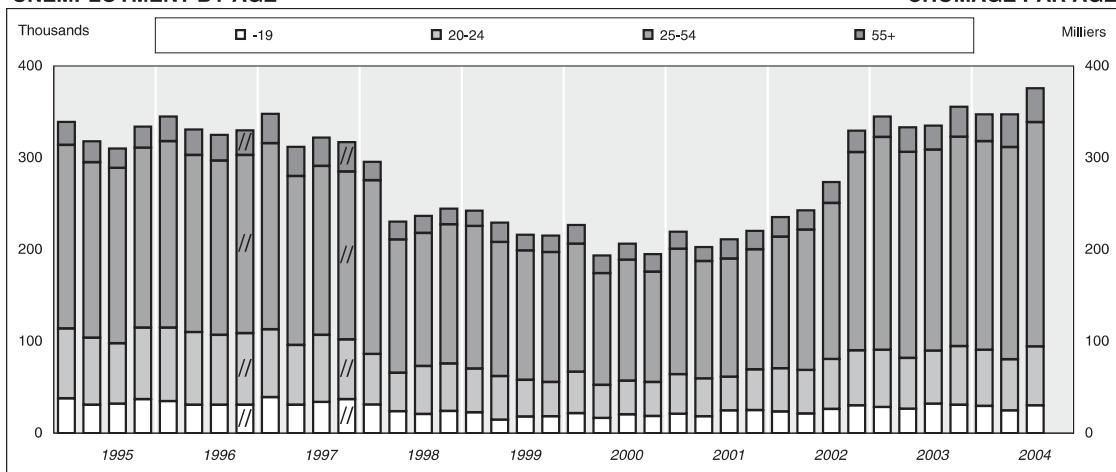
**COMPOSANTES DE LA POPULATION ACTIVE**

**Absolute figures / Nombre de personnes**



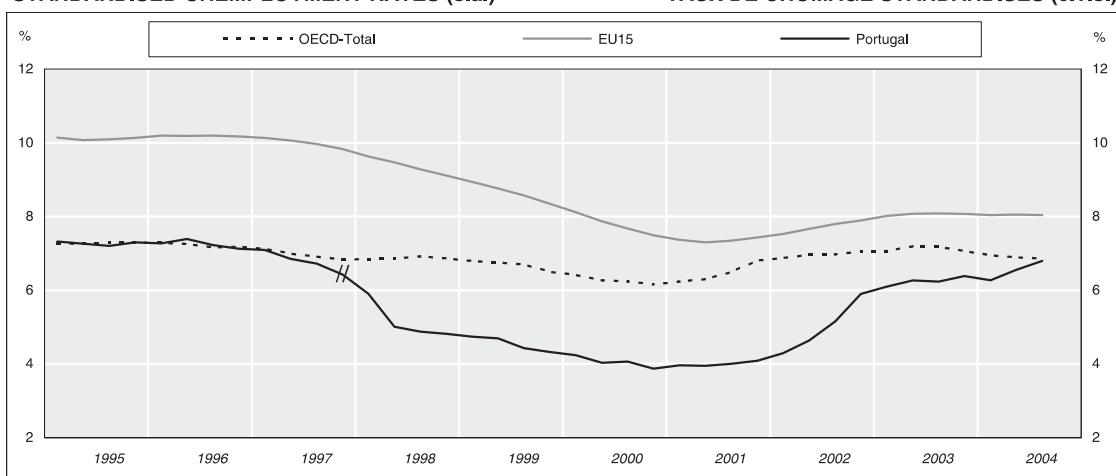
**UNEMPLOYMENT BY AGE**

**CHÔMAGE PAR ÂGE**



**STANDARDISED UNEMPLOYMENT RATES (s.a.)**

**TAUX DE CHÔMAGE STANDARDISÉS (c.v.s.)**



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	2001	2002	2003	1999				2000				2001	
				Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2
<b>Total labour force</b>													
Total	5335	5416	5470	5129	5145	5157	5159	5211	5209	5268	5266	5315	5316
Males	2911	2946	2958	2820	2827	2835	2836	2854	2848	2881	2884	2898	2900
Females	2424	2470	2512	2309	2319	2322	2323	2357	2361	2387	2383	2417	2416
<b>Civilian labour force<sup>(2)</sup></b>													
Total	5290	5378	5426	5081	5099	5110	5110	5169	5164	5221	5221	5267	5265
Males	2868	2910	2916	2775	2782	2791	2789	2813	2804	2836	2841	2853	2852
Females	2422	2468	2510	2307	2317	2320	2321	2356	2360	2385	2380	2414	2413
<b>Unemployment</b>													
Total	214	271	342	242	230	216	215	227	194	207	195	220	203
	sa			231	239	221	212	216	202	211	192	209	212
Under 19 years	22	25	29	23	15	18	18	22	16	20	19	21	19
From 20 to 24 years	41	52	60	48	48	40	38	45	36	37	37	43	41
From 25 to 54 years	131	171	226	155	146	141	142	139	122	132	120	137	128
55 years and over	19	22	27	17	21	17	18	20	19	18	19	19	16
Males	92	121	161	111	115	106	103	104	83	88	83	89	84
Under 19 years	10	13	15	10	8	7	7	8	4	7	7	6	8
From 20 to 24 years	18	23	27	22	22	17	18	20	14	17	17	18	17
From 25 to 54 years	53	72	102	68	70	68	66	62	52	52	47	53	50
55 years and over	11	13	17	11	16	14	13	14	11	12	12	9	7
Females	122	149	181	131	115	110	112	123	111	119	113	131	119
Under 19 years	13	12	14	13	7	11	11	13	12	13	12	15	11
From 20 to 24 years	24	29	33	25	26	23	20	25	22	20	20	25	24
From 25 to 54 years	78	99	123	88	76	73	76	78	70	80	73	84	78
55 years and over	8	10	11	6	5	3	5	7	7	7	7	6	7
<b>Civilian employment</b>													
Total	5076	5107	5084	4839	4869	4894	4895	4942	4971	5015	5026	5048	5062
	sa			4827	4855	4899	4914	4934	4960	5014	5041	5045	5054
Agriculture	652	636	642	629	619	621	618	614	626	650	651	652	666
	sa			632	616	617	622	619	622	645	655	658	660
Industry	1729	1727	1653	1694	1681	1700	1682	1713	1722	1742	1757	1744	1705
	sa			1690	1679	1698	1687	1712	1723	1738	1758	1745	1710
Services	2696	2744	2789	2513	2569	2574	2595	2614	2623	2622	2618	2652	2691
	sa			2514	2552	2583	2602	2613	2609	2629	2627	2649	2679
Males	2776	2789	2755	2664	2667	2685	2686	2709	2721	2748	2758	2764	2768
Agriculture	324	318	328	314	305	306	307	304	308	323	326	325	331
Industry	1212	1228	1175	1175	1168	1179	1185	1210	1216	1217	1227	1228	1197
Services	1240	1242	1252	1173	1194	1199	1194	1195	1198	1208	1205	1211	1241
Females	2300	2319	2328	2176	2203	2210	2209	2233	2249	2266	2268	2283	2294
Agriculture	328	318	313	315	314	315	311	311	319	327	325	328	335
Industry	517	499	478	519	514	521	497	503	506	525	530	515	509
Services	1455	1502	1537	1340	1375	1374	1401	1419	1425	1414	1412	1441	1450
<b>Employees</b>													
Total	3676	3718	3702	3486	3511	3530	3537	3587	3609	3633	3640	3663	3644
	sa			3477	3502	3534	3550	3579	3604	3633	3650	3659	3643
<b>Civilian employment</b>													
				2000=100									
Total	101.8	102.4	101.9	97.0	97.6	98.1	98.1	99.1	99.6	100.5	100.8	101.2	101.5
	sa			96.8	97.3	98.2	98.5	98.9	99.4	100.5	101.1	101.1	101.3
Agriculture	102.6	100.1	101.0	98.9	97.5	97.8	97.3	96.7	98.6	102.3	102.5	102.6	104.8
	sa			99.4	97.0	97.1	97.9	97.4	97.9	101.5	103.1	103.6	103.8
Industry	99.7	99.6	95.3	97.7	97.0	98.0	97.0	98.8	99.3	100.5	101.4	100.6	98.4
	sa			97.5	96.9	97.9	97.3	98.8	99.4	100.2	101.4	100.7	98.6
Services	102.9	104.8	106.5	96.0	98.1	98.3	99.1	99.8	100.1	100.1	99.9	101.3	102.7
	sa			96.0	97.5	98.6	99.4	99.8	99.6	100.4	100.3	101.1	102.3

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2001		2002				2003				2004				
Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3		
<b>Population active totale</b>														
														<i>milliers</i>
5343	5367	5379	5410	5443	5433	5459	5463	5476	5481	5463	5478	5506		Total
2923	2925	2939	2947	2956	2942	2944	2946	2970	2971	2957	2959	2964		Hommes
2421	2442	2439	2463	2487	2491	2515	2517	2506	2511	2505	2518	2541		Femmes
<b>Population active civile<sup>(2)</sup></b>														
														<i>milliers</i>
5302	5326	5338	5373	5410	5390	5417	5419	5431	5437	5420	5439	5464		Total
2882	2885	2901	2912	2924	2902	2904	2905	2927	2930	2919	2923	2925		Hommes
2420	2441	2438	2461	2486	2488	2513	2514	2505	2507	2501	2516	2539		Femmes
<b>Chômage</b>														
														<i>milliers</i>
211	221	236	243	274	330	345	333	335	356	347	347	376		cvs Total
215	217	225	254	280	325	330	347	343	351	332	361	385		
25	25	23	21	26	30	28	27	32	31	30	25	30		
37	44	47	47	55	60	62	56	58	64	61	56	64		
129	131	144	153	170	216	232	224	219	228	227	231	244		
21	20	22	21	23	24	22	27	26	33	29	36	37		
96	98	108	112	122	144	162	151	163	167	161	166	177		
13	13	13	12	15	14	15	12	18	16	15	13	15		
17	19	21	22	26	24	25	24	26	32	30	28	31		
54	54	61	67	68	92	110	99	102	98	98	103	111		
13	11	13	12	13	14	12	17	17	21	18	22	20		
115	123	128	131	152	186	183	182	172	188	186	181	199		
12	12	10	10	12	16	13	15	14	15	15	12	15		
20	25	26	25	28	36	38	32	32	32	31	28	34		
75	77	83	86	102	124	122	125	117	130	129	128	134		
9	9	9	10	10	10	10	10	10	12	12	14	17		
<b>Population active civile occupée</b>														
														<i>milliers</i>
5091	5105	5103	5130	5137	5060	5072	5085	5096	5081	5073	5091	5089		cvs Total
5085	5118	5104	5125	5127	5073	5076	5080	5085	5094	5078	5085	5077		
653	637	628	644	644	628	641	656	646	624	618	619	620		
647	642	635	637	638	634	649	648	639	630	627	611	614		
1740	1726	1724	1722	1746	1718	1673	1677	1634	1627	1596	1601	1592		
1733	1724	1728	1728	1738	1714	1679	1682	1627	1623	1602	1606	1585		
2698	2742	2752	2764	2747	2714	2758	2752	2816	2830	2859	2871	2877		
2702	2753	2746	2756	2747	2728	2751	2748	2813	2846	2850	2869	2871		
2786	2787	2793	2800	2803	2759	2743	2753	2764	2762	2758	2757	2748		
325	317	313	322	322	316	328	331	331	323	322	322	322		
1214	1209	1216	1229	1243	1224	1184	1193	1167	1156	1133	1145	1136		
1247	1262	1263	1249	1238	1219	1232	1229	1266	1284	1303	1290	1291		
2304	2318	2310	2330	2334	2301	2329	2332	2332	2319	2315	2335	2340		
328	320	315	322	322	312	313	325	314	301	296	297	299		
526	517	507	493	503	494	489	485	467	471	463	456	455		
1450	1481	1488	1515	1509	1496	1527	1523	1551	1547	1556	1581	1586		
<b>Salariés</b>														
														<i>milliers</i>
3691	3705	3707	3716	3744	3706	3687	3695	3719	3707	3705	3765	3747		cvs Total
3685	3713	3706	3718	3734	3714	3688	3698	3707	3714	3707	3769	3734		
<b>Population active civile occupée</b>														
														2000=100
102.0	102.3	102.3	102.8	103.0	101.4	101.7	101.9	102.2	101.9	101.7	102.1	102.0		cvs Total
101.9	102.6	102.3	102.7	102.8	101.7	101.8	101.8	101.9	102.1	101.8	101.9	101.8		
102.8	100.3	98.8	101.4	101.3	98.9	100.8	103.3	101.6	98.2	97.3	97.4	97.6		
101.9	101.1	100.0	100.3	100.4	99.7	102.2	101.9	100.6	99.2	98.7	96.1	96.7		
100.4	99.6	99.4	99.3	100.7	99.1	96.5	96.7	94.3	93.8	92.0	92.4	91.8		
100.0	99.4	99.7	99.7	100.3	98.9	96.8	97.0	93.9	93.6	92.4	92.6	91.4		
103.0	104.7	105.1	105.5	104.9	103.6	105.3	105.1	107.5	108.1	109.2	109.6	109.8		
103.2	105.1	104.9	105.2	104.9	104.2	105.0	104.9	107.4	108.7	108.8	109.5	109.6		

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# PORTUGAL<sup>(1)</sup> (continued)

	2001	2002	2003	1999				2000				2001		
				Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	
<b>Unemployment rate</b>														
				as percentage of total labour force										
Total	sa	4.0	5.0	6.3	4.7	4.5	4.2	4.2	4.4	3.7	3.9	3.7	4.1	3.8
Males		3.1	4.1	5.4	4.5	4.7	4.3	4.1	4.2	3.9	4.0	3.6	4.0	4.0
Females		5.0	6.0	7.2	5.7	4.9	4.7	4.8	5.2	4.7	5.0	4.7	5.4	4.9
<b>Youth unemployment (15 - 24 years)</b>														
				as percentage of total unemployed										
Total		29.8	28.7	26.1	29.1	27.1	26.9	25.9	29.5	27.2	27.7	28.5	29.2	29.4
Males		30.0	30.2	26.1	29.3	25.3	22.8	23.9	27.3	22.0	28.0	28.3	26.8	29.1
Females		29.6	27.4	26.2	28.9	28.9	30.8	27.8	31.5	31.0	27.4	28.7	30.8	29.6
<b>Civilian employment (sectors)</b>														
				as percentage of total										
Agriculture		12.8	12.5	12.6	13.0	12.7	12.7	12.6	12.4	12.6	13.0	13.0	12.9	13.2
Industry		34.1	33.8	32.5	35.0	34.5	34.7	34.4	34.7	34.6	34.7	35.0	34.5	33.7
Services		53.1	53.7	54.9	51.9	52.8	52.6	53.0	52.9	52.8	52.3	52.1	52.5	53.2

(1) Prior to 1996 data refer to mainland Portugal, from 1997 they refer to Portugal. From 1998 data are compiled in line with the 2001 population census.

(2) The seasonally adjusted series have been suppressed because the seasonal adjustments were not significant.

# PORTUGAL<sup>(1)</sup> (*suite*)

2001		2002				2003				2004			<i>cvs</i>	
Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3		
4.0	4.1	4.4	4.5	5.0	6.1	6.3	6.1	6.1	6.5	6.4	6.3	6.8		
4.0	4.0	4.2	4.7	5.1	6.0	6.0	6.3	6.3	6.4	6.1	6.6	7.0		
3.3	3.3	3.7	3.8	4.1	4.9	5.5	5.1	5.5	5.6	5.5	5.6	6.0		
4.8	5.0	5.2	5.3	6.1	7.5	7.3	7.2	6.9	7.5	7.4	7.2	7.8		
<b>Taux de chômage</b> <i>en pourcentage de la population active totale</i>														
Total														
Hommes														
Femmes														
<b>Chômage des jeunes (15 - 24 ans)</b> <i>en pourcentage du total des chômeurs</i>														
Total														
Hommes														
Femmes														
<b>Pop. active civ. occupée (secteurs)</b> <i>en pourcentage du total</i>														
Agriculture														
Industrie														
Services														

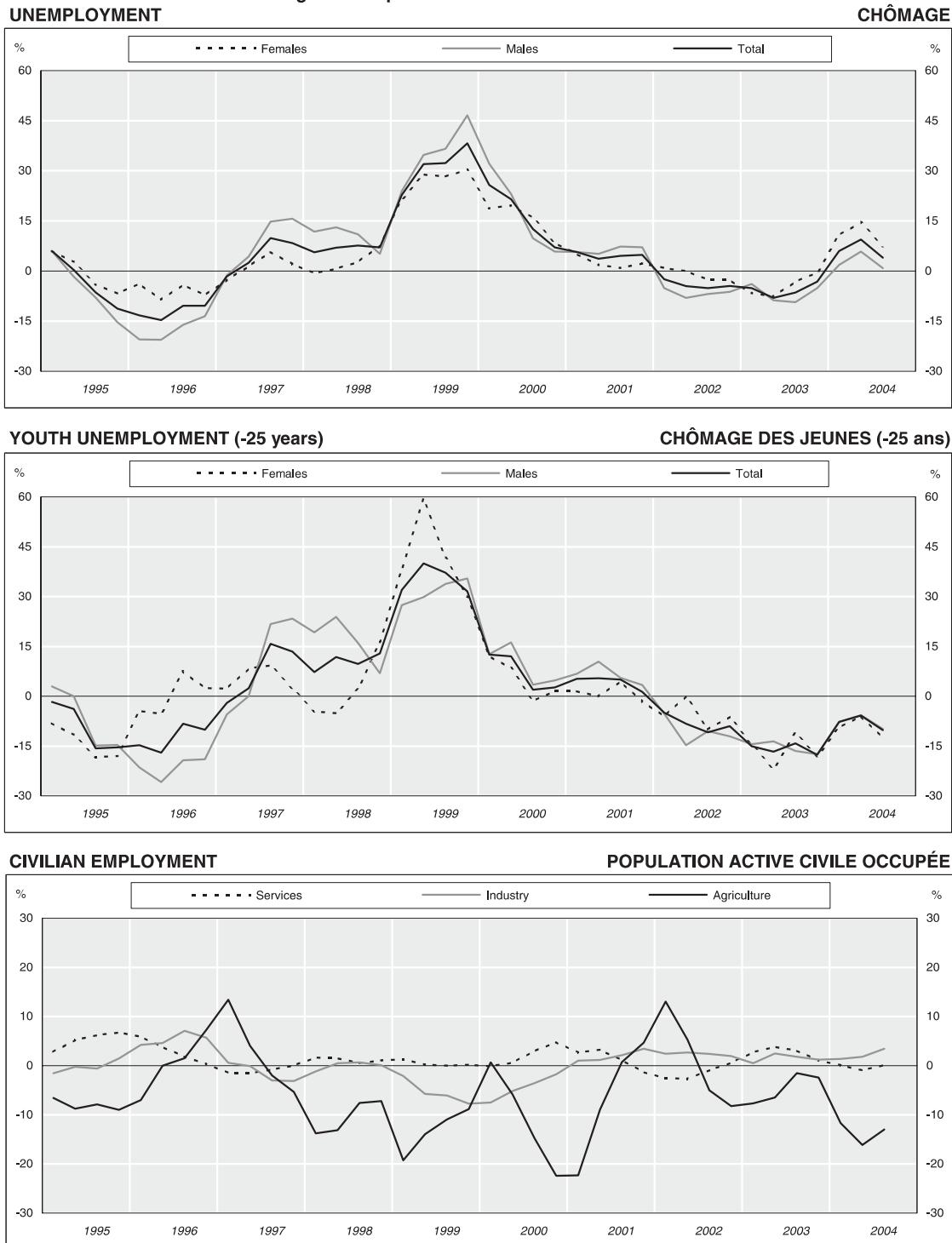
(1) Jusqu'à 1996 les données concernent le Portugal continental, à partir de 1997, elles concernent le Portugal dans son ensemble. A partir de 1998 les données sont basées sur des estimations de la population du recensement 2001.

(2) Les séries corrigées des variations saisonnières ont été supprimées parce que les ajustements saisonniers n'étaient pas significatifs.

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### INDICATORS OF LABOUR FORCE COMPONENTS

% change over 4 quarters / % de variation sur 4 trimestres

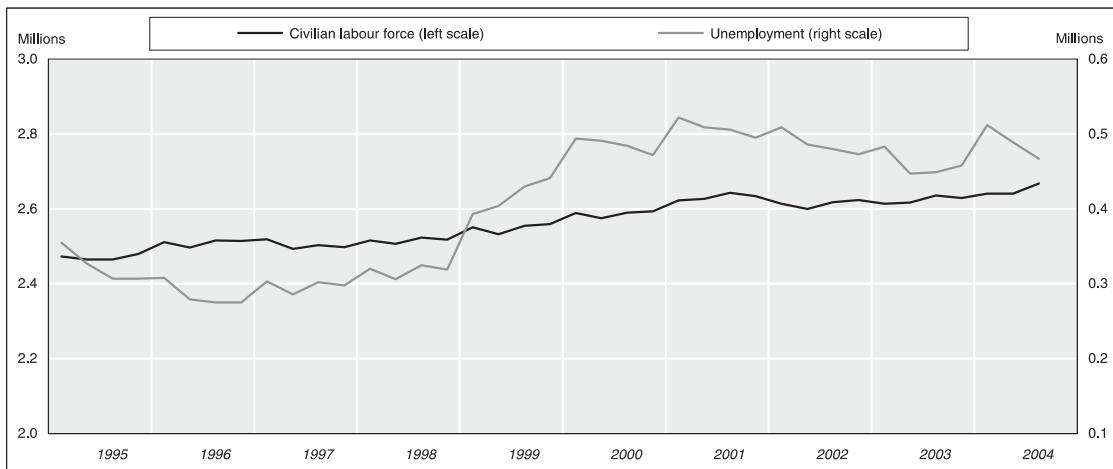


COMPOSANTES DE LA POPULATION ACTIVE

Absolute figures / Nombre de personnes

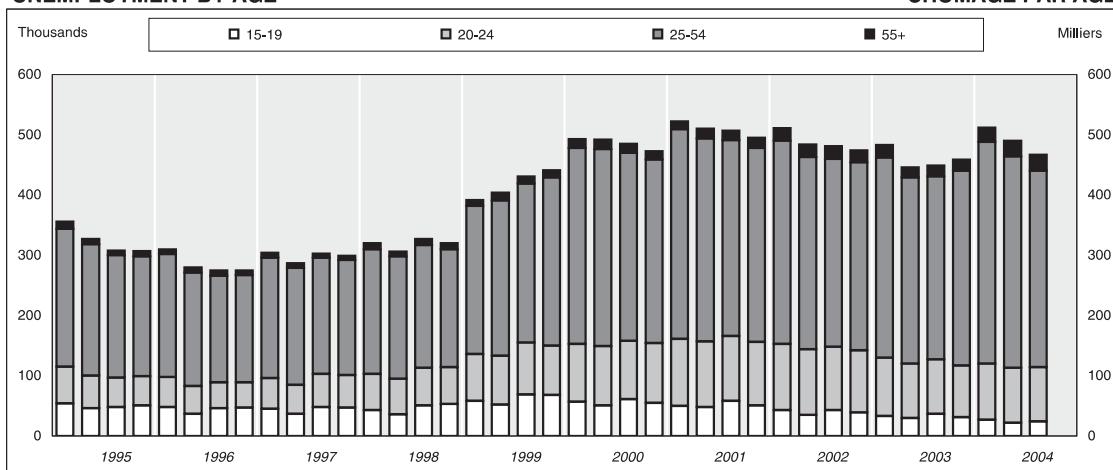
CIVILIAN LABOUR FORCE

POPULATION ACTIVE CIVILE



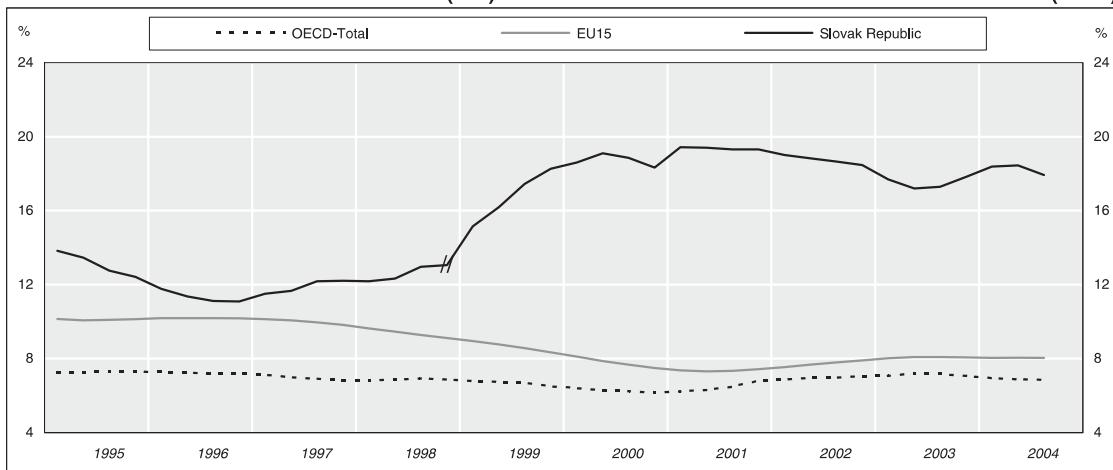
UNEMPLOYMENT BY AGE

CHÔMAGE PAR ÂGE



STANDARDISED UNEMPLOYMENT RATES (s.a.)

TAUX DE CHÔMAGE STANDARDISÉS (c.v.s.)



# SLOVAK REPUBLIC

	2001	2002	2003	1999				2000				2001			
				Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2		
<b>Civilian labour force<sup>(1)</sup></b>															
	<i>thousands</i>														
Total	2632	2614	2624	2551	2532	2555	2559	2589	2575	2590	2594	2623	2627		
Males	1428	1421	1423	1395	1380	1393	1394	1404	1397	1406	1405	1419	1426		
Females	1203	1193	1200	1156	1152	1162	1165	1185	1177	1185	1190	1204	1201		
<b>Unemployment</b>															
	<i>thousands</i>														
Total	508	487	459	393	404	430	441	494	491	484	472	522	509		
From 15 to 19 years	52	40	33	58	52	69	68	57	51	61	55	50	48		
From 20 to 24 years	108	107	91	78	81	86	82	96	98	97	99	111	109		
From 25 to 54 years	333	320	317	246	258	264	279	325	327	312	305	348	337		
From 55 to 64 years	15	20	19	9	12	11	11	14	15	14	13	13	15		
65 years and over	1	1	0	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	0	1		
Males	283	264	246	212	221	235	239	280	272	258	253	296	286		
From 15 to 19 years	28	22	18	31	26	35	35	30	24	30	26	25	26		
From 20 to 24 years	67	62	53	48	48	52	49	59	62	60	62	70	69		
From 25 to 54 years	177	164	160	126	137	140	145	178	173	157	154	190	181		
From 55 to 64 years	12	15	15	7	10	10	10	12	12	12	11	11	11		
65 years and over	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	1	0	0	1		
Females	225	223	213	181	183	195	202	215	219	226	219	226	223		
From 15 to 19 years	25	18	15	28	26	34	32	28	27	31	29	25	23		
From 20 to 24 years	42	45	38	30	33	34	33	37	37	36	37	41	41		
From 25 to 54 years	156	157	156	120	122	126	135	147	154	156	151	157	157		
From 55 to 64 years	4	4	3	3	1	1	1	2	2	2	3	3	3		
65 years and over	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	0	0		
<b>Civilian employment<sup>(1)</sup></b>															
	<i>thousands</i>														
Total	2124	2127	2165	2158	2128	2125	2118	2095	2084	2106	2122	2101	2118		
Agriculture	130	131	125	147	154	163	165	148	145	139	128	115	132		
Industry	798	817	829	844	818	817	801	781	776	788	787	789	785		
Services	1195	1179	1210	1167	1156	1145	1152	1166	1163	1179	1207	1197	1201		
Males	1146	1157	1177	1183	1159	1158	1155	1124	1125	1148	1152	1123	1140		
Agriculture	94	92	91	107	108	115	117	105	103	102	95	85	95		
Industry	549	562	575	586	565	565	553	527	532	546	544	541	542		
Services	503	503	511	490	486	478	485	492	490	500	513	497	503		
Females	978	970	988	975	969	967	963	970	958	959	971	978	978		
Agriculture	37	40	35	40	46	48	48	43	42	37	33	30	37		
Industry	250	255	254	258	253	252	249	254	244	242	243	248	242		
Services	692	676	699	677	670	667	666	673	672	680	695	700	699		
<b>Employees</b>															
	<i>thousands</i>														
Total	1944	1941	1948	1992	1965	1958	1945	1928	1916	1932	1948	1923	1936		
Males	1015	1019	1023	1063	1040	1036	1029	1005	1002	1021	1028	996	1008		
Females	929	922	925	929	925	922	916	924	914	910	920	927	928		
<b>Civilian employment</b>															
	<i>2000=100</i>														
Total	101.0	101.2	103.0	102.7	101.2	101.1	100.8	99.7	99.2	100.2	101.0	100.0	100.8		
Agriculture	93.0	93.8	89.5	105.0	110.0	116.4	117.9	105.7	103.6	99.3	91.4	82.1	94.3		
Industry	101.9	104.3	105.9	107.8	104.5	104.3	102.3	99.7	99.1	100.6	100.5	100.8	100.3		
Services	101.4	100.0	102.7	99.0	98.1	97.1	97.7	98.9	98.7	100.0	102.4	101.5	101.9		
<b>Unemployment rate</b>															
	<i>as percentage of civilian labour force</i>														
Total	19.3	18.6	17.5	15.4	16.0	16.8	17.2	19.1	19.1	18.7	18.2	19.9	19.4		
Males	19.8	18.6	17.3	15.2	16.0	16.9	17.1	19.9	19.5	18.3	18.0	20.9	20.1		
Females	18.7	18.7	17.7	15.7	15.9	16.8	17.3	18.1	18.6	19.1	18.4	18.8	18.6		

Footnotes appear at the end of the table.

# RÉPUBLIQUE SLOVAQUE

2001		2002				2003				2004				
Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3		
2643	2634	2614	2600	2618	2624	2614	2617	2636	2629	2641	2641	2668		<b>Population active civile<sup>(1)</sup></b>
1434	1434	1425	1411	1420	1427	1420	1421	1429	1423	1434	1437	1453		<i>milliers</i>
1208	1200	1189	1189	1198	1196	1194	1195	1207	1205	1205	1204	1215		Total
														Hommes
														Femmes
506	495	509	486	480	473	483	447	449	458	512	489	467		<b>Chômage</b>
58	51	43	35	43	39	33	30	37	31	27	22	24		<i>milliers</i>
108	105	110	109	105	103	97	90	90	86	93	91	90		Total
325	322	337	319	312	312	332	309	304	323	368	351	326		De 15 à 19 ans
15	16	20	20	19	20	17	18	19	24	25	25	26		De 20 à 24 ans
1	1	1	1	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	1		De 25 à 54 ans
277	271	281	263	258	254	270	240	234	241	275	254	236		De 55 à 64 ans
31	28	24	19	23	21	19	17	20	17	16	13	12		65 ans et plus
64	63	66	62	62	59	58	53	51	49	55	53	52		Hommes
170	165	174	165	159	159	177	156	149	159	184	168	152		De 15 à 19 ans
11	13	15	16	15	15	16	14	14	16	19	19	19		De 20 à 24 ans
1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		De 25 à 54 ans
228	224	228	223	222	218	213	206	215	217	236	236	231		De 55 à 64 ans
27	23	18	16	19	18	14	13	17	14	10	9	11		65 ans et plus
43	42	44	48	44	43	39	37	39	36	38	38	38		Femmes
155	156	162	156	155	153	156	152	154	163	183	184	172		De 15 à 19 ans
4	4	4	4	4	4	3	3	3	3	5	6	7		De 20 à 24 ans
0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0		De 25 à 54 ans
														De 55 à 64 ans
														65 ans et plus
2137	2139	2105	2114	2138	2151	2131	2170	2187	2171	2129	2152	2201		<b>Population active civile occupée<sup>(1)</sup></b>
140	134	130	139	133	123	120	130	131	120	106	109	114		<i>milliers</i>
805	814	808	806	824	830	812	826	839	840	823	841	868		Total
1192	1191	1167	1169	1181	1198	1199	1214	1217	1211	1200	1202	1219		Agriculture
1157	1163	1144	1148	1162	1173	1150	1181	1195	1182	1159	1183	1217		Industrie
100	95	94	98	91	86	86	93	94	90	80	82	84		Services
552	560	554	552	566	576	559	573	585	584	575	586	608		Hommes
505	508	496	498	505	511	505	515	516	508	504	515	525		Agriculture
980	976	961	966	976	978	981	989	992	988	969	968	984		Industrie
40	39	36	42	43	37	35	37	36	31	26	27	29		Services
254	254	255	253	258	254	253	253	254	256	248	255	260		Femmes
686	683	670	671	675	687	693	699	702	701	695	686	695		Agriculture
														Industrie
														Services
1956	1960	1927	1934	1951	1952	1926	1959	1965	1942	1891	1887	1923		<b>Salariés</b>
1025	1032	1013	1013	1023	1027	1002	1028	1041	1021	991	993	1014		<i>milliers</i>
931	928	913	921	928	925	923	930	924	921	900	894	909		Total
														Hommes
														Femmes
101.7	101.8	100.2	100.6	101.7	102.3	101.4	103.2	104.1	103.3	101.3	102.4	104.7		<b>Population active civile occupée</b>
100.0	95.7	92.9	99.3	95.0	87.9	85.7	92.9	93.6	85.7	75.7	77.9	81.4		<i>2000=100</i>
102.8	104.0	103.2	102.9	105.2	106.0	103.7	105.5	107.2	107.3	105.1	107.4	110.9		Total
101.1	101.0	99.0	99.2	100.2	101.6	101.7	103.0	103.2	102.7	101.8	102.0	103.4		Àgriculture
19.1	18.8	19.5	18.7	18.3	18.0	18.5	17.1	17.0	17.4	19.4	18.5	17.5		Industrie
19.3	18.9	19.7	18.6	18.2	17.8	19.0	16.9	16.4	16.9	19.2	17.7	16.2		Services
18.9	18.7	19.2	18.8	18.5	18.2	17.8	17.2	17.8	18.0	19.6	19.6	19.0		Femmes

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	2001	2002	2003	1999				2000				2001			
				Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2		
<b>Youth unemployment (15 - 24 years)</b>															
	as percentage of total unemployed			31.5	30.1	26.9	34.6	32.9	36.0	34.0	31.0	30.3	32.6	32.6	
Total	33.3	31.8	28.8	37.3	33.5	37.0	35.1	31.8	31.6	34.9	34.8	32.1	30.8	30.8	
Males				29.4	28.1	24.6	32.0	32.2	34.9	32.2	30.2	29.2	30.1	33.2	
Females													29.2	28.7	
<b>Civilian employment (sectors)</b>															
	as percentage of total			6.1	6.2	5.8	6.8	7.2	7.7	7.8	7.1	7.0	6.6	6.0	
Agriculture	37.6	38.4	38.3	39.1	38.4	38.4	37.8	37.3	37.2	37.4	37.1	37.6	37.1	6.2	
Industry				56.3	55.4	55.9	54.1	54.3	53.9	54.4	55.7	55.8	56.0	57.0	
Services														56.7	

(1) The Civilian Labour Force and Civilian Employment figures include regular members of the armed forces.

## RÉPUBLIQUE SLOVAQUE (*suite*)

2001		2002				2003				2004				
Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3		
<b>Chômage des jeunes (15 - 24 ans)</b> <i>en pourcentage du total des chômeurs</i>														
32.8	31.5	30.1	29.6	30.8	30.0	26.9	26.8	28.3	25.5	23.4	23.1	24.4	Total	
34.3	33.6	32.0	30.8	32.9	31.5	28.5	29.2	30.3	27.4	25.8	26.0	27.1	Hommes	
30.7	29.0	27.2	28.7	28.4	28.0	24.9	24.3	26.0	23.0	20.3	19.9	21.2	Femmes	
<b>Pop. active civ. occupée (secteurs)</b> <i>en pourcentage du total</i>														
6.6	6.3	6.2	6.6	6.2	5.7	5.6	6.0	6.0	5.5	5.0	5.1	5.2	Agriculture	
37.7	38.1	38.4	38.1	38.5	38.6	38.1	38.1	38.4	38.7	38.7	39.1	39.4	Industrie	
55.8	55.7	55.4	55.3	55.2	55.7	56.3	55.9	55.6	55.8	56.4	55.9	55.4	Services	

(1) Les chiffres de la population active civile et de la population active civile occupée incluent les membres réguliers des forces armées.

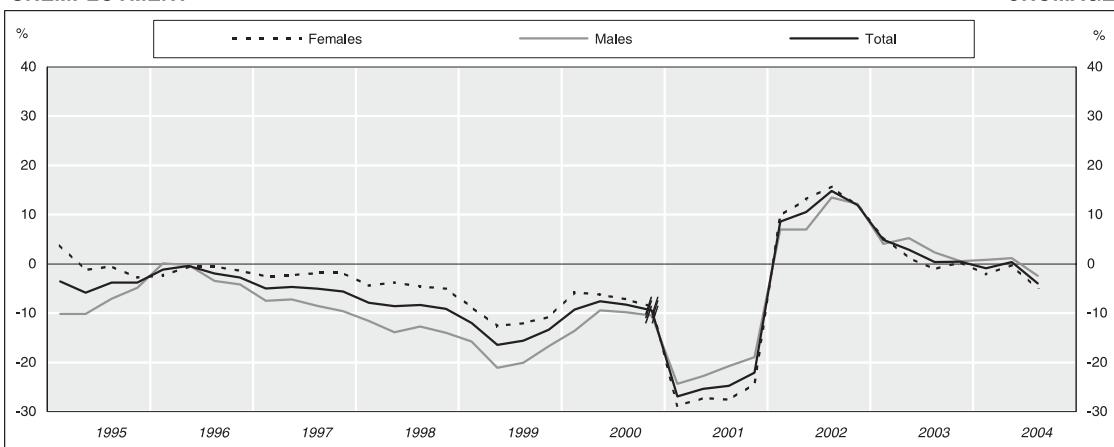
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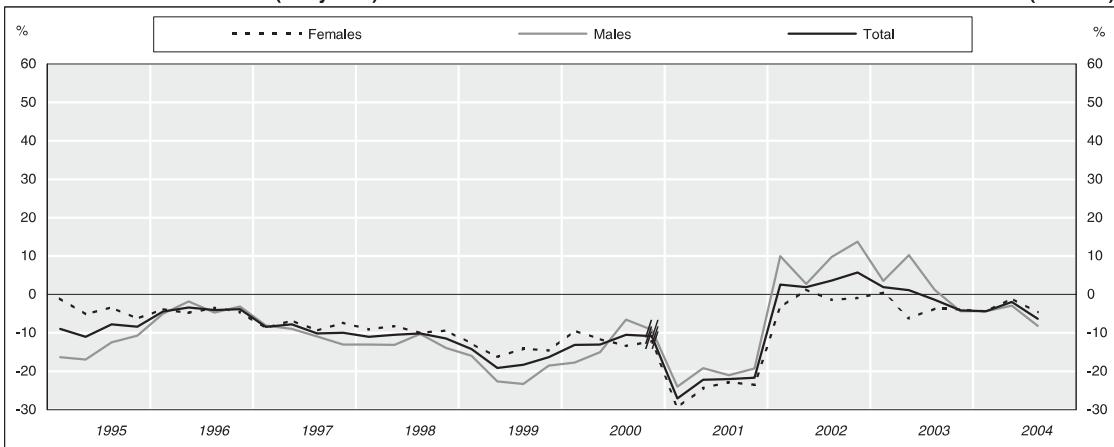
#### UNEMPLOYMENT

#### CHÔMAGE



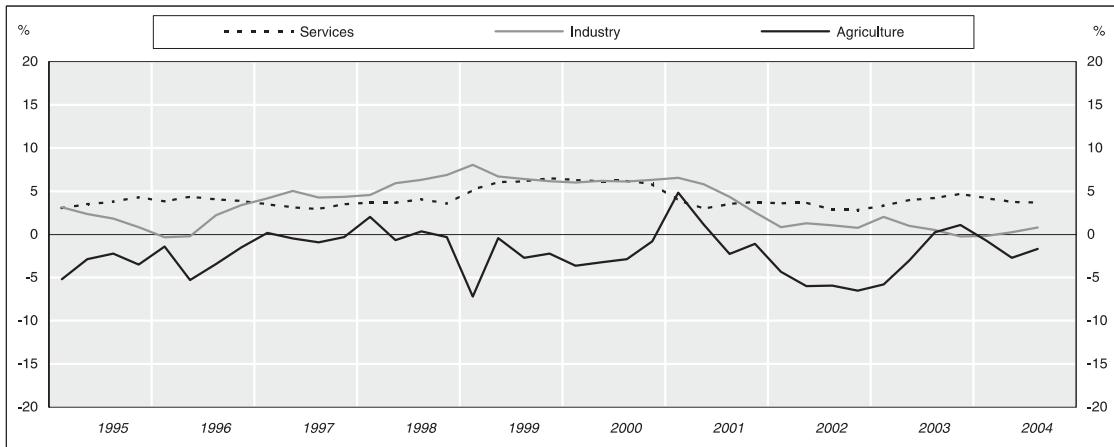
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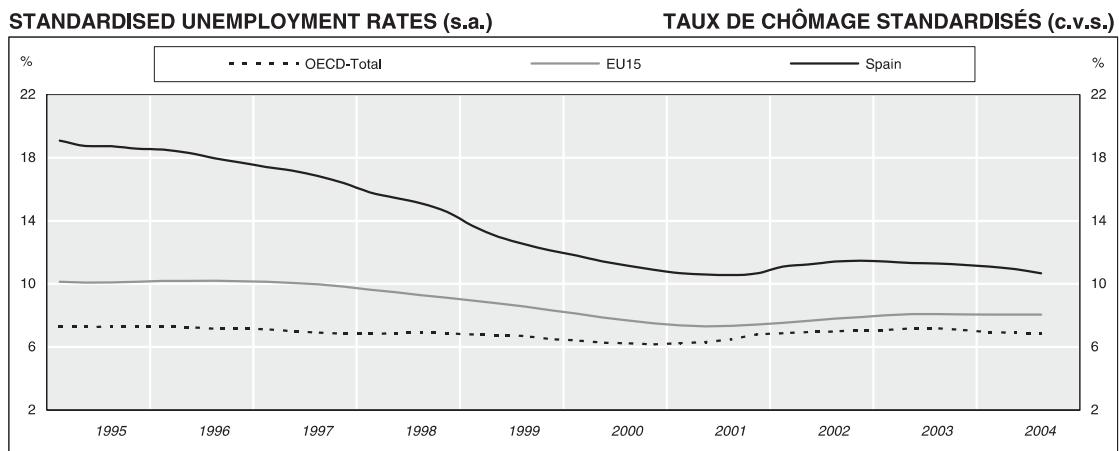
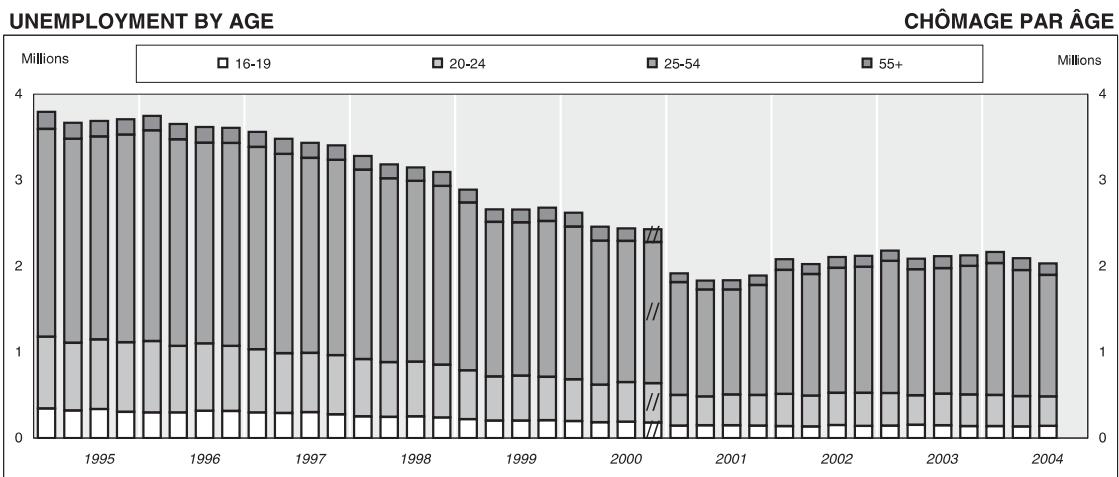
#### CIVILIAN EMPLOYMENT

#### POPULATION ACTIVE CIVILE OCCUPÉE



## COMPOSANTES DE LA POPULATION ACTIVE

Absolute figures / Nombre de personnes



# SPAIN

	2001	2002	2003	1999				2000				2001					
				Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2				
<b>Total labour force<sup>(1)</sup></b>																	
	<i>thousands</i>				17854	18341	18822	17223	17293	17499	17615	17714	17855	18053	18135	*17685	17756
Total	10876	11035	11199	10562	10582	10700	10690	10725	10803	10934	10948	10770	10948	10948	*10770	10841	
Males	6978	7306	7623	6661	6711	6799	6925	6989	7052	7120	7187	6915	6915	6915	*6915	6915	
Females																	
<b>Civilian labour force</b>																	
	<i>thousands</i>				17815	18340	18822	17102	17168	17385	17506	17610	17764	17981	18071	*17629	17710
Total	sa	10837	11035	11199	17145	17217	17321	17477	17655	17813	17915	18046	18046	18046	*17672	17756	
Males	sa	10441	10458	10586	10581	10621	10712	10741	10862	10885	10881	10881	10881	10881	*10714	10795	
Females	sa	6978	7306	7623	10468	10485	10536	10575	10651	10741	10806	10881	10881	10881	*10744	10823	
	sa				6661	6711	6799	6925	6989	7052	7120	7187	7187	7187	*6915	6915	
<b>Unemployment<sup>(2)</sup></b>																	
	<i>thousands</i>				1869	2083	2127	2889	2660	2659	2682	2622	2457	2439	2428	*1916	1833
Total	sa				2870	2719	2659	2644	2598	2517	2438	2400	2400	2400	*1893	1879	
From 16 to 19 years		146	141	145	219	203	203	207	195	184	190	179	179	179	*144	148	
From 20 to 24 years		351	373	365	568	511	522	506	489	437	459	457	457	457	*355	335	
From 25 to 54 years		1266	1445	1490	1954	1801	1783	1811	1776	1676	1645	1643	1643	1643	*1313	1245	
55 years and over		107	124	128	148	146	151	158	162	161	146	150	150	150	*104	106	
Males		808	888	915	1282	1127	1103	1127	1107	1021	995	1008	1008	1008	*838	788	
From 16 to 19 years		73	75	79	111	100	99	101	96	89	96	84	84	84	*70	71	
From 20 to 24 years		149	167	169	245	211	210	205	197	175	193	194	194	194	*152	143	
From 25 to 54 years		519	573	592	820	719	694	716	703	650	615	640	640	640	*546	507	
55 years and over		67	73	75	106	97	101	106	111	107	92	91	91	91	*69	68	
Females		1061	1195	1213	1608	1533	1556	1555	1515	1437	1444	1420	1420	1420	*1079	1045	
From 16 to 19 years		73	66	67	108	103	104	106	99	94	95	95	95	95	*74	78	
From 20 to 24 years		201	206	195	324	300	312	301	292	262	266	263	263	263	*203	192	
From 25 to 54 years		746	873	898	1134	1081	1089	1095	1073	1027	1030	1004	1004	1004	*767	737	
55 years and over		40	51	53	42	49	50	52	51	54	54	59	59	59	*36	39	
<b>Civilian employment</b>																	
	<i>thousands</i>				15946	16258	16695	14213	14509	14726	14825	14988	15306	15542	15643	15713	15877
Total	sa				14273	14495	14664	14839	15054	15288	15478	15656	15784	15784	15784	15857	15857
Agriculture	sa	1019	961	942	1067	1047	1018	1027	1028	1014	988	1018	1018	1018	1078	1025	
Industry	sa				1034	1047	1046	1031	997	1011	1021	1021	1021	1021	1041	1025	
Services	sa	5018	5067	5108	4382	4471	4568	4625	4645	4748	4847	4917	4917	4917	4948	5023	
	sa				4421	4473	4541	4613	4682	4747	4820	4908	4908	4908	4986	5020	
Males		9909	10229	10644	8763	8990	9141	9173	9315	9545	9707	9708	9708	9708	9687	9828	
Agriculture					8827	8976	9078	9183	9385	9533	9638	9714	9714	9714	9762	9818	
Industry					9159	9331	9483	9454	9514	9691	9866	9876	9876	9876	9876	10007	
Services					752	710	685	794	784	774	757	746	746	746	748	768	
					4155	4178	4234	3687	3765	3839	3850	3858	3927	4012	4053	4084	4168
Females					5121	5259	5365	4678	4782	4870	4847	4910	5019	5108	5075	5025	5078
Agriculture					5916	6111	6410	5054	5178	5243	5371	5474	5615	5676	5767	5837	5870
Industry					267	251	257	273	263	244	269	283	283	242	270	311	265
Services					862	889	874	695	706	729	775	787	821	835	864	864	856
					4787	4971	5280	4085	4208	4271	4326	4404	4526	4599	4633	4662	4750
<b>Employees</b>																	
	<i>thousands</i>				12787	13142	13598	11097	11397	11636	11767	11913	12231	12456	12542	12563	12692
Total	sa				11159	11392	11578	11765	11765	11984	12223	12392	12392	12392	12642	12683	
<b>Civilian employment</b>																	
	<i>2000=100</i>				103.7	105.8	108.6	92.5	94.4	95.8	96.5	97.5	99.6	101.1	101.8	102.2	103.3
Total	sa							92.9	94.3	95.4	96.5	97.9	99.5	100.7	101.9	102.7	103.2
Agriculture	sa				100.7	95.0	93.1	105.4	103.5	100.5	101.4	101.6	100.1	97.6	100.6	106.5	101.3
Industry	sa							102.2	103.4	103.3	101.9	98.5	99.9	100.9	100.9	102.8	101.2
Services	sa				104.8	105.8	106.7	91.5	93.4	95.4	96.6	97.0	99.1	101.2	102.7	103.3	104.9
	sa							92.3	93.4	94.8	96.3	97.8	99.1	100.7	102.5	104.1	104.8
	sa				103.6	106.9	111.2	91.6	94.0	95.5	95.9	97.3	99.8	101.4	101.5	102.7	102.6
	sa							92.3	93.8	94.9	96.0	98.1	99.6	100.7	101.5	102.0	102.6

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2001		2002				2003				2004				
Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3		
<b>Population active totale<sup>(1)</sup></b>														
17939	18035	18137	18267	18463	18496	18615	18751	18932	18989	19017	19143	19272	<i>milliers</i>	
10945	10949	10954	10993	11109	11082	11115	11166	11270	11245	11231	11276	11362		
6994	7086	7183	7274	7354	7413	7500	7585	7663	7744	7785	7866	7910		
<b>Population active civile</b>														
17907	18013	18137	18267	18463	18496	18615	18751	18932	18989	19017	19143	19272	<i>milliers</i>	
17842	17993	18177	18309	18401	18479	18653	18789	18872	18976	19053	19178	19213		
10913	10927	10954	10993	11109	11082	11115	11166	11270	11245	11231	11276	11362		
10857	10925	10984	11019	11054	11082	11145	11190	11215	11246	11261	11300	11307		
6994	7086	7183	7274	7354	7413	7500	7585	7663	7744	7785	7866	7910		
6982	7069	7191	7292	7344	7399	7507	7601	7653	7733	7790	7881	7902		
<b>Chômage<sup>(2)</sup></b>														
1835	1892	2081	2026	2106	2118	2183	2085	2115	2127	2164	2093	2031	<i>milliers</i>	
1835	1874	2050	2074	2109	2104	2146	2130	2120	2116	2125	2135	2039		
148	143	137	134	151	142	145	152	148	136	138	135	139		
358	355	375	358	373	384	376	345	369	369	361	353	345		
1223	1283	1445	1413	1456	1466	1537	1466	1459	1496	1535	1466	1412		
107	111	124	121	126	126	124	121	139	127	130	138	136		
789	817	896	843	895	917	933	888	916	922	941	898	894		
78	72	71	68	84	78	78	84	78	74	74	73	82		
150	153	174	151	166	177	175	158	175	170	169	162	150		
499	525	578	555	571	586	604	576	583	605	622	585	586		
62	68	74	69	74	76	75	70	80	74	76	79	76		
1046	1074	1185	1183	1211	1201	1250	1197	1198	1205	1223	1194	1137		
70	71	66	65	68	64	67	69	70	62	64	62	57		
208	203	201	208	207	207	201	187	194	199	192	191	195		
724	758	868	858	885	880	933	890	876	891	913	881	826		
45	43	50	52	52	50	49	51	58	53	54	60	59		
<b>Population active civile occupée</b>														
16072	16121	16056	16241	16357	16377	16432	16666	16818	16862	16853	17050	17240	<i>milliers</i>	
16007	16131	16129	16222	16292	16387	16509	16646	16751	16871	16931	17029	17172		
966	1007	1031	964	909	942	972	934	911	952	964	909	895		
1004	1007	992	966	946	939	933	938	949	948	927	914	932		
5057	5043	4989	5088	5111	5081	5091	5138	5136	5067	5082	5151	5177		
5030	5037	5025	5082	5083	5078	5129	5130	5108	5066	5120	5142	5148		
10049	10071	10036	10189	10337	10355	10370	10594	10771	10843	10807	10900	11168		
9976	10073	10117	10182	10262	10352	10457	10588	10693	10837	10898	10984	11087		
10124	10109	10058	10149	10214	10165	10182	10279	10354	10323	10291	10378	10468		
732	750	751	718	687	685	686	680	684	691	695	667	671		
4193	4177	4138	4193	4207	4172	4208	4266	4253	4211	4208	4270	4284		
5200	5183	5169	5239	5320	5308	5288	5333	5417	5421	5388	5441	5513		
5947	6012	5998	6091	6143	6212	6250	6387	6464	6539	6562	6672	6773		
235	258	281	246	221	256	286	254	227	261	269	242	225		
864	866	850	895	904	909	883	873	883	856	874	881	893		
4849	4889	4867	4951	5017	5047	5082	5261	5354	5422	5419	5549	5655		
<b>Salariés</b>														
12928	12964	12909	13095	13263	13299	13334	13574	13730	13753	13707	13877	14077	<i>milliers</i>	
12859	12960	12994	13086	13190	13293	13424	13566	13653	13747	13800	13868	13996		
<b>Population active civile occupée</b>														
104.6	104.9	104.5	105.7	106.4	106.6	106.9	108.4	109.4	109.7	109.6	110.9	112.2	2000=100	
104.1	105.0	104.9	105.5	106.0	106.6	107.4	108.3	109.0	109.8	110.2	110.8	111.7		
95.4	99.5	101.9	95.2	89.8	93.0	96.0	92.3	90.0	94.0	95.3	89.8	88.5		
99.2	99.5	98.0	95.4	93.5	92.8	92.2	92.7	93.7	91.6	90.3	92.1			
105.6	105.3	104.2	106.2	106.7	106.1	106.3	107.3	107.2	105.8	106.1	107.6	108.1		
105.0	105.2	104.9	106.1	106.1	106.0	107.1	107.1	106.7	105.8	106.9	107.4	107.5		
105.0	105.3	104.9	106.5	108.0	108.2	108.4	110.7	112.6	113.3	112.9	114.9	116.7		
104.3	105.3	105.7	106.4	107.3	108.2	109.3	110.7	111.7	113.3	113.9	114.8	115.9		

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## SPAIN (continued)

	2001	2002	2003	1999				2000				2001	
				Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2
<b>Unemployment rate</b>													
				as percentage of total labour force									
Total	10.5	11.4	11.3	16.8 16.7	15.4 15.7	15.2 15.0	15.2 14.7	14.8 14.1	13.8 13.5	13.5 13.2	13.4 13.2	*10.8 *10.7	10.3 10.6
Males	7.4	8.0	8.2	12.1 24.1	10.6 22.8	10.3 22.9	10.5 22.4	10.3 21.7	9.4 20.4	9.1 20.3	9.2 19.8	*7.8 *15.6	7.3 15.1
Females	15.2	16.4	15.9										
<b>Youth unemployment (15 - 24 years)</b>													
				as percentage of total unemployed									
Total	26.6	24.7	24.0	27.3	26.8	27.3	26.6	26.1	25.2	26.6	26.2	*26.0	26.3
Males	27.5	27.3	27.1	27.8	27.6	28.0	27.1	26.4	25.9	29.0	27.5	*26.6	27.1
Females	25.9	22.7	21.6	26.8	26.3	26.8	26.2	25.8	24.8	25.0	25.2	*25.6	25.8
<b>Civilian employment (sectors)</b>													
				as percentage of total									
Agriculture	6.4	5.9	5.6	7.5	7.2	6.9	6.9	6.9	6.6	6.4	6.5	6.9	6.5
Industry	31.5	31.2	30.6	30.8	30.8	31.0	31.2	31.0	31.0	31.2	31.4	31.5	31.6
Services	62.1	62.9	63.8	61.7	62.0	62.1	61.9	62.1	62.4	62.5	62.1	61.6	61.9

(1) From the first quarter of 2002, Total Labour Force and Civilian Labour Force become equivalent, because persons on obligatory military service are no longer separately counted and are now included in the Civilian Labour Force.

(2) From first quarter 2001, the new unemployment definition established by the European Commission in 2000 has been introduced.

## ESPAGNE (suite)

2001		2002				2003				2004				<i>cvs</i>
Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3		
<b>Taux de chômage</b>													<i>en pourcentage de la population active totale</i>	
10.2	10.5	11.5	11.1	11.4	11.5	11.7	11.1	11.2	11.2	11.4	10.9	10.5		
10.2	10.4	11.3	11.4	11.4	11.4	11.5	11.4	11.2	11.1	11.2	11.2	10.6		
7.2	7.5	8.2	7.7	8.1	8.3	8.4	7.9	8.1	8.2	8.4	8.0	7.9		
15.0	15.2	16.5	16.3	16.5	16.2	16.7	15.8	15.6	15.6	15.7	15.2	14.4		
<b>Chômage des jeunes (15 - 24 ans)</b>													<i>en pourcentage du total des chômeurs</i>	
27.6	26.3	24.6	24.3	24.9	24.9	23.9	23.9	24.4	23.7	23.0	23.3	23.8		
28.9	27.4	27.3	26.0	27.9	27.8	27.2	27.2	27.6	26.5	25.8	26.1	26.0		
26.6	25.5	22.5	23.1	22.7	22.6	21.5	21.4	22.0	21.6	20.9	21.2	22.2		
<b>Pop. active civ. occupée (secteurs)</b>													<i>en pourcentage du total</i>	
6.0	6.2	6.4	5.9	5.6	5.7	5.9	5.6	5.4	5.6	5.7	5.3	5.2		
31.5	31.3	31.1	31.3	31.2	31.0	31.0	30.8	30.5	30.1	30.2	30.2	30.0		
62.5	62.5	62.5	62.7	63.2	63.2	63.1	63.6	64.0	64.3	64.1	64.5	64.8		

(1) Depuis le premier trimestre 2002, la Population active totale et la Population active civile sont équivalentes, parce que les personnes concernées par le service militaire obligatoire ne sont plus comptées séparément et sont désormais incluses dans la Population active civile.

(2) À partir du premier trimestre 2001, la nouvelle définition du chômage établie par la Commission européenne en 2000 est appliquée.



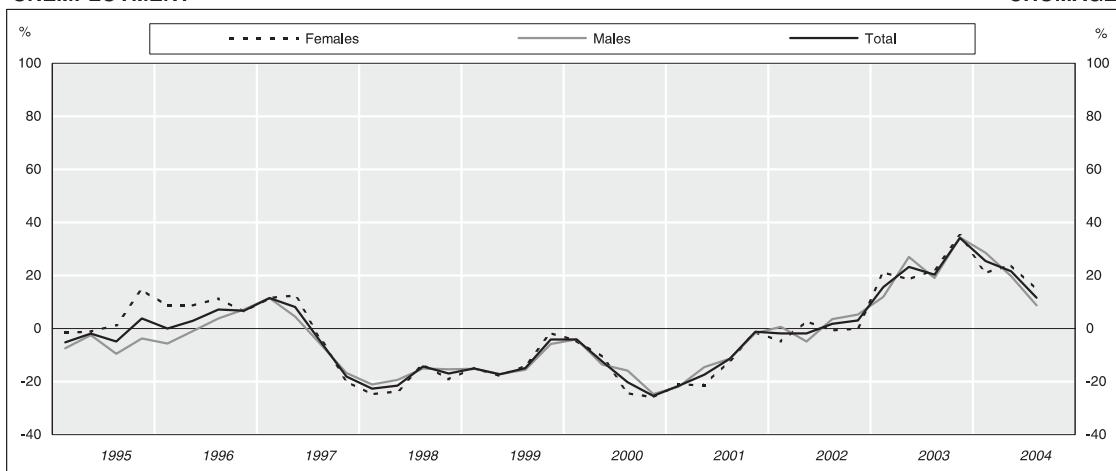
## SWEDEN

### INDICATORS OF LABOUR FORCE COMPONENTS

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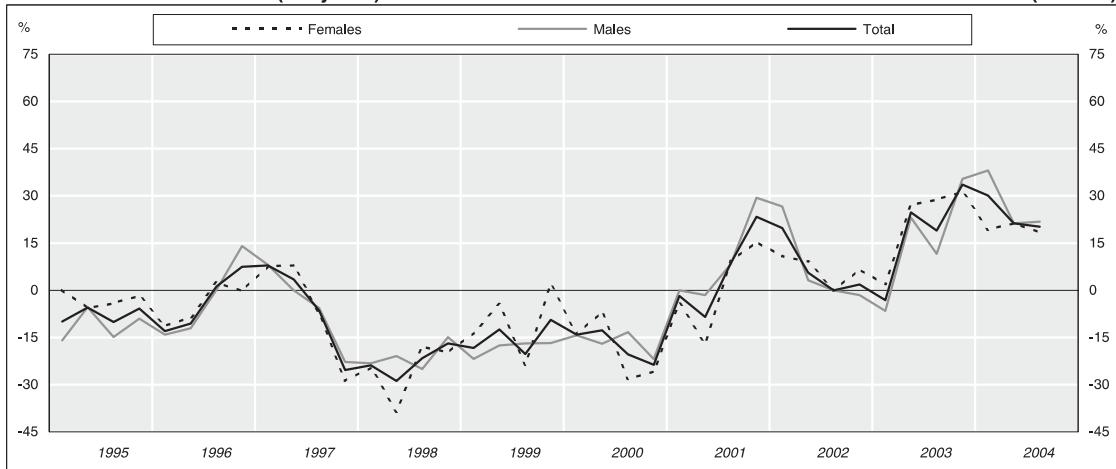
#### UNEMPLOYMENT

#### CHÔMAGE



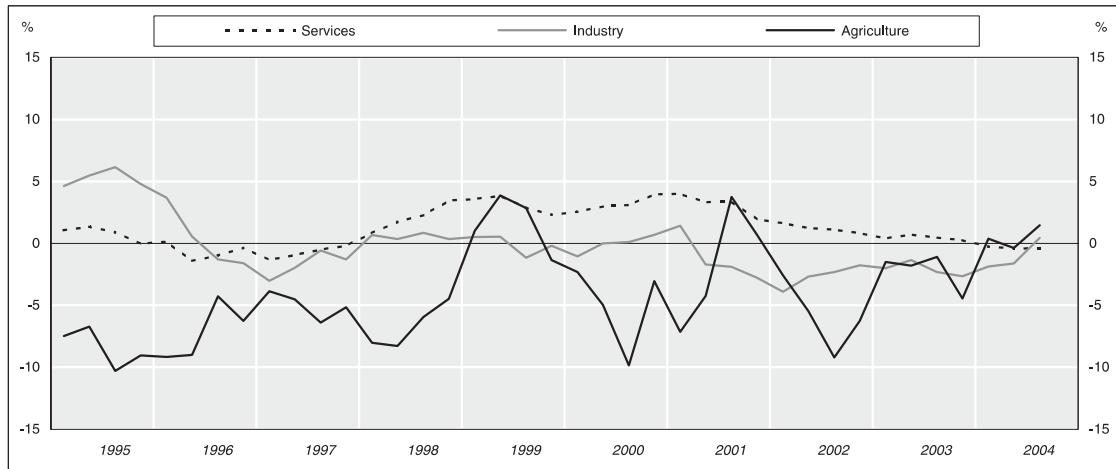
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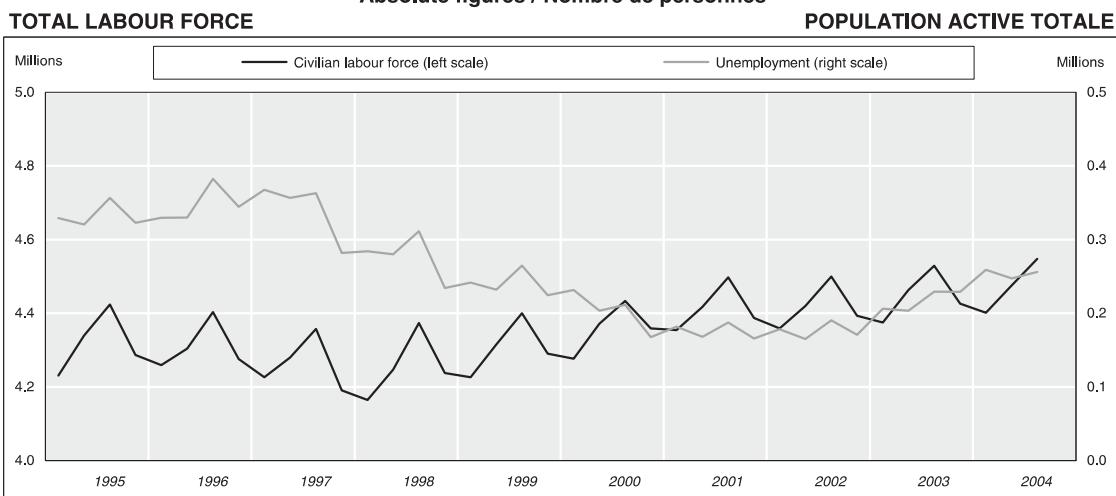
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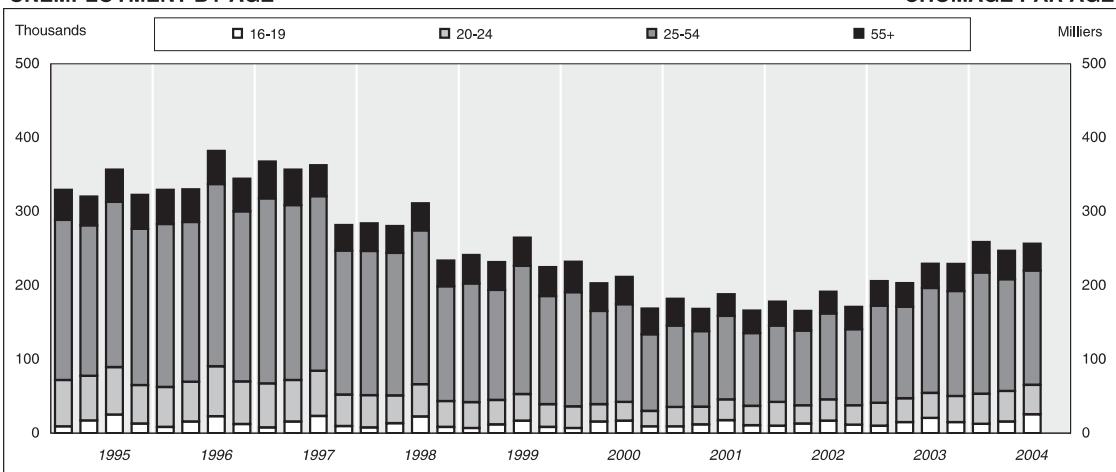
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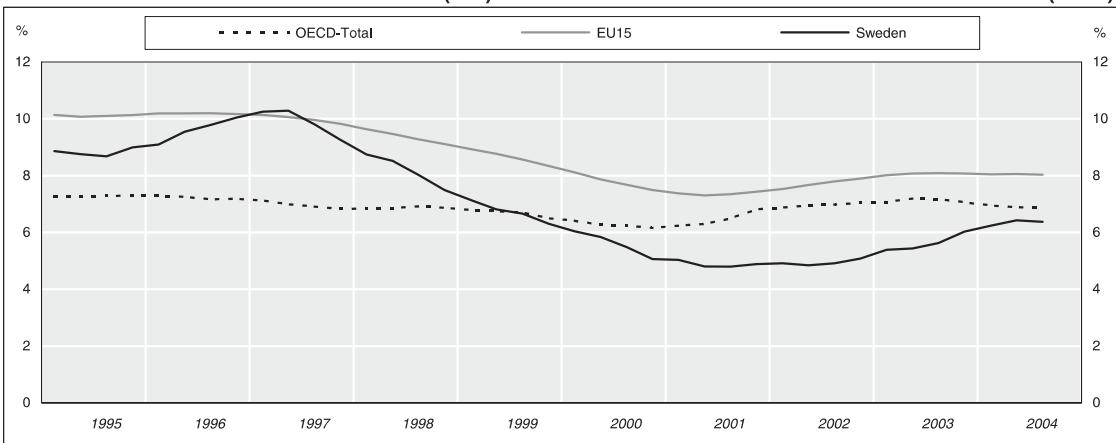
## UNEMPLOYMENT BY AGE

## CHÔMAGE PAR ÂGE



## STANDARDISED UNEMPLOYMENT RATES (s.a.)

## TAUX DE CHÔMAGE STANDARDISÉS (c.v.s.)



# SWEDEN

	2001	2002	2003	1999				2000				2001	
				Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2
<b>Total labour force</b>													
				thousands									
Total	4414	4418	4448		4226	4316	4400	4290	4277	4372	4433	4359	4355 4418
	sa				4286	4306	4313	4325	4337	4362	4349	4392	4414 4410
Males	2302	2297	2313		2216	2259	2298	2245	2238	2282	2319	2285	2279 2303
	sa				2245	2255	2257	2260	2269	2277	2279	2299	2308 2300
Females	2113	2121	2135		2011	2056	2102	2045	2040	2089	2114	2074	2076 2115
	sa				2042	2050	2055	2066	2070	2082	2071	2094	2105 2109
<b>Unemployment</b>													
				thousands									
Total	176	176	217		242	232	265	225	232	203	211	168	182 168
	sa				241	238	243	242	229	209	194	181	178 174
From 16 to 19 years	12	13	15		7	12	17	8	7	16	17	9	9 12
From 20 to 24 years	26	28	33		35	33	36	31	29	23	25	21	26 24
From 25 to 54 years	106	106	135		161	149	174	146	155	126	132	104	110 102
55 years and over	32	30	34		39	38	39	39	41	38	37	35	36 30
Males	99	100	123		141	130	136	127	135	112	114	96	106 96
From 16 to 19 years	7	7	7		3	6	9	5	3	8	9	4	5 6
From 20 to 24 years	15	17	20		21	20	19	17	17	14	15	13	15 15
From 25 to 54 years	59	59	75		93	82	87	83	92	69	68	58	66 57
55 years and over	18	18	21		25	23	21	23	24	22	22	21	20 18
Females	76	76	94		101	102	129	98	96	91	98	72	76 72
From 16 to 19 years	5	6	8		4	6	8	4	4	8	7	5	4 5
From 20 to 24 years	11	11	13		15	13	17	14	12	10	11	8	11 9
From 25 to 54 years	47	47	60		68	67	86	64	63	57	64	46	44 45
55 years and over	14	12	13		14	16	18	17	17	16	15	14	17 13
<b>Civilian employment<sup>(1)</sup></b>													
				thousands									
Total	4239	4242	4232		3984	4084	4135	4065	4045	4168	4222	4191	4173 4250
	sa				4045	4069	4069	4084	4108	4153	4156	4208	4236 4235
Agriculture	97	91	89		100	107	108	98	98	102	98	95	91 98
	sa				105	105	104	101	102	100	94	97	95 96
Industry	1009	982	961		1004	1027	1043	1015	993	1027	1044	1022	1007 1010
	sa				1027	1024	1019	1020	1015	1025	1020	1027	1029 1008
Services	3126	3163	3178		2877	2946	2980	2949	2950	3034	3073	3065	3068 3134
	sa				2911	2939	2940	2962	2986	3025	3030	3080	3107 3124
Males	2211	2197	2190		2075	2129	2162	2118	2102	2170	2205	2189	2173 2208
Agriculture	74	70	70		74	79	82	76	75	78	75	73	70 75
Industry	785	770	760		781	799	813	789	770	796	815	800	787 784
Services	1339	1352	1358		1217	1248	1266	1250	1255	1293	1311	1311	1311 1343
Females	2036	2045	2041		1910	1955	1973	1948	1944	1998	2017	2001	2000 2043
Agriculture	23	20	19		26	28	26	23	23	24	21	22	21 23
Industry	224	212	202		222	228	230	226	223	232	229	223	221 226
Services	1787	1811	1820		1660	1697	1721	1698	1695	1741	1762	1754	1757 1791
<b>Employees</b>													
				thousands									
Total	3815	3826	3824		3554	3655	3701	3632	3616	3738	3799	3765	3749 3831
	sa				3613	3641	3634	3653	3680	3722	3731	3785	3811 3816
Agriculture	37	35	34		32	37	38	35	36	39	39	36	33 39
Industry	927	897	878		919	945	962	931	911	944	963	942	925 929
Services	2845	2889	2910		2601	2670	2712	2664	2666	2748	2790	2780	2785 2856
<b>Civilian employment</b>													
				2000=100									
Total	102.0	102.1	101.8		95.9	98.3	99.5	97.8	97.3	100.3	101.6	100.8	100.4 102.2
	sa				97.3	97.9	98.3	98.8	99.9	100.0	101.3	101.9	101.9 101.9
Agriculture	98.2	92.4	90.3		102.1	109.2	110.3	100.1	99.7	103.8	99.4	97.0	92.6 99.4
	sa				106.5	106.8	105.8	102.4	104.0	101.6	95.6	98.8	96.6 97.6
Industry	98.7	96.1	94.1		98.3	100.5	102.1	99.4	97.2	100.5	102.2	100.1	98.6 98.8
	sa				100.5	100.2	99.7	99.8	99.4	100.3	99.9	100.5	100.7 98.6
Services	103.2	104.4	104.9		94.9	97.2	98.3	97.3	97.3	100.1	101.4	101.2	101.2 103.4
	sa				96.1	97.0	97.0	97.7	98.5	99.8	100.0	101.6	102.5 103.1

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2001		2002				2003				2004				
Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3		
<b>Population active totale</b>														
														<i>milliers</i>
4497	4387	4359	4420	4500	4393	4375	4464	4529	4426	4402	4475	4548	cvs	Total
4414	4417	4420	4409	4417	4427	4437	4453	4446	4458	4464	4463	4467	cvs	Hommes
2340	2285	2269	2297	2336	2287	2270	2317	2357	2309	2300	2334	2362	cvs	Femmes
2301	2298	2299	2293	2297	2301	2301	2313	2317	2321	2330	2330	2323		
2157	2102	2090	2122	2164	2106	2106	2146	2171	2117	2102	2142	2186		
2114	2122	2120	2115	2122	2126	2137	2139	2129	2136	2133	2134	2144		
<b>Chômage</b>														
														<i>milliers</i>
187	166	178	165	191	171	206	203	229	229	259	247	256	cvs	Total
174	178	174	171	178	183	200	211	215	245	252	257	241	cvs	Hommes
17	11	10	13	17	11	10	15	20	15	13	16	25	cvs	Femmes
28	26	32	25	29	26	31	32	34	35	41	41	40		
113	98	103	101	116	103	132	124	142	142	164	151	155		
29	31	33	27	30	30	33	32	33	37	41	39	36		
101	94	106	91	105	99	119	116	125	133	153	139	136		
10	7	5	7	10	6	5	7	9	8	8	9	13		
16	15	20	15	16	15	19	19	20	21	25	24	22		
59	55	60	56	63	59	75	69	77	81	94	83	79		
17	17	21	14	17	18	20	20	20	23	26	24	22		
86	71	72	74	85	71	87	87	104	96	106	108	120		
7	4	5	6	7	5	5	7	12	7	5	7	12		
12	11	12	10	13	11	12	13	14	14	16	18	18		
54	44	44	45	54	44	57	55	65	61	70	68	75		
12	14	12	13	12	12	13	12	14	14	15	15	15		
<b>Population active civile occupée<sup>(1)</sup></b>														
														<i>milliers</i>
4310	4222	4181	4254	4310	4222	4170	4260	4299	4197	4143	4228	4292	cvs	Total
4244	4238	4246	4238	4243	4242	4237	4242	4232	4214	4209	4210	4227	cvs	Agriculture
101	96	89	92	92	90	87	91	91	86	88	90	92	cvs	Industrie
98	98	92	91	89	91	91	89	88	87	92	89	89	cvs	Services
1024	994	968	983	1001	976	949	969	977	950	931	954	982		
1001	998	988	981	978	980	968	968	955	954	950	953	960		
3177	3125	3117	3173	3212	3151	3130	3195	3227	3159	3122	3182	3214		
3132	3142	3158	3160	3166	3169	3171	3182	3180	3178	3164	3168	3167		
2240	2224	2163	2206	2232	2188	2151	2201	2232	2176	2147	2194	2226		
77	74	69	71	71	70	68	71	72	68	69	71	73		
796	774	757	771	787	767	744	765	776	754	736	755	775		
1361	1339	1332	1360	1370	1347	1335	1362	1382	1354	1340	1366	1375		
2071	2031	2018	2049	2079	2035	2019	2059	2067	2021	1996	2033	2066		
24	23	19	21	21	20	19	19	20	18	19	19	19		
229	220	211	212	214	209	204	204	202	196	194	198	206		
1815	1786	1785	1813	1843	1804	1795	1834	1845	1805	1782	1816	1839		
<b>Salariés</b>														
														<i>milliers</i>
3885	3797	3763	3838	3894	3808	3758	3852	3893	3792	3730	3815	3876	cvs	Total
3816	3816	3827	3821	3825	3830	3825	3835	3824	3810	3795	3796	3809	cvs	Agriculture
39	37	32	36	38	33	32	35	37	31	31	35	38	cvs	Industrie
942	912	885	899	915	892	864	887	896	865	845	868	895	cvs	Services
2896	2843	2841	2897	2938	2880	2860	2927	2957	2894	2850	2910	2939		
<b>Population active civile occupée<sup>(1)</sup></b>														
														2000=100
103.7	101.6	100.6	102.4	103.7	101.6	100.3	102.5	103.4	101.0	99.7	101.7	103.3	cvs	Total
102.1	102.0	102.2	102.0	102.1	102.1	101.9	102.1	101.8	101.4	101.3	101.3	101.7	cvs	Agriculture
103.1	97.7	90.2	94.0	93.6	91.6	88.9	92.3	92.6	87.5	89.2	91.9	94.0	cvs	Industrie
99.4	99.4	94.2	92.2	90.5	92.8	92.8	90.7	89.6	88.4	93.2	90.7	91.0	cvs	Services
100.3	97.3	94.7	96.2	97.9	95.6	92.8	94.9	95.7	93.0	91.1	93.3	96.1		
98.0	97.7	96.7	96.0	95.7	95.9	94.8	94.7	93.5	93.4	93.0	93.3	93.9		
104.8	103.1	102.9	104.7	106.0	104.0	103.3	105.4	106.5	104.2	103.0	105.0	106.1		
103.4	103.7	104.2	104.3	104.5	104.6	104.7	105.0	104.9	104.9	104.4	104.5	104.5	cvs	

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## SWEDEN (continued)

	2001	2002	2003	1999				2000				2001	
				Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2
<b>Unemployment rate</b>													
				as percentage of total labour force									
Total	4.0	4.0	4.9	5.7	5.4	6.0	5.2	5.4	4.6	4.8	3.8	4.2	3.8
	sa			5.6	5.5	5.6	5.6	5.3	4.8	4.5	4.1	4.0	3.9
Males		4.3	4.4	5.3	6.4	5.8	5.9	5.7	6.0	4.9	4.9	4.2	4.6
Females		3.6	3.6	4.4	5.0	4.9	6.1	4.8	4.7	4.3	4.6	3.5	3.6
<b>Youth unemployment (16 - 24 years)</b>													
				as percentage of total unemployed									
Total	21.7	23.1	22.1	17.3	19.1	19.9	17.5	15.5	18.5	19.7	17.9	19.4	20.9
Males	22.4	23.6	22.0	16.5	19.8	20.2	17.2	14.8	18.5	20.6	17.7	18.9	21.6
Females	20.9	22.7	22.2	18.4	18.4	19.5	18.0	16.6	18.4	18.4	17.9	20.0	20.0
<b>Civilian employment (sectors)</b>													
				as percentage of total									
Agriculture	2.3	2.1	2.1	2.5	2.6	2.6	2.4	2.4	2.4	2.3	2.3	2.2	2.3
Industry	23.8	23.1	22.7	25.2	25.2	25.2	25.0	24.6	24.7	24.7	24.4	24.1	23.8
Services	73.7	74.6	75.1	72.2	72.1	72.1	72.5	72.9	72.8	72.8	73.1	73.5	73.7

(1) Civilian employment includes certain categories of permanent military personnel.

## SUÈDE (suite)

2001		2002				2003				2004				<b>cvs</b>  <i>en pourcentage de la population active totale</i>
Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	
4.2	3.8	4.1	3.7	4.2	3.9	4.7	4.6	5.1	5.2	5.9	5.5	5.6	5.6	
4.0	4.0	3.9	3.9	4.0	4.1	4.5	4.7	4.8	5.5	5.6	5.8	5.4		
4.3	4.1	4.7	4.0	4.5	4.3	5.2	5.0	5.3	5.8	6.7	6.0	5.8		
4.0	3.4	3.4	3.5	3.9	3.4	4.1	4.1	4.8	4.6	5.0	5.1	5.5		
<b>Taux de chômage</b>														
<i>en pourcentage de la population active totale</i>														
Total														
Hommes														
Femmes														
<b>Chômage des jeunes (16 - 24 ans)</b>														
<i>en pourcentage du total des chômeurs</i>														
24.4	22.3	23.7	22.7	23.9	22.1	19.8	22.9	23.7	22.0	20.6	22.9	25.5		
25.6	23.4	23.7	23.6	24.8	22.0	19.8	22.7	23.3	22.1	21.3	23.2	25.9		
22.8	20.9	23.7	21.5	23.2	22.4	19.7	23.1	24.2	21.8	19.6	22.6	25.0		
<b>Pop. active civ. occupée (secteurs)</b>														
<i>en pourcentage du total</i>														
Agriculture														
Industrie														
Services														

(1) La Population active civile occupée comprend certaines catégories du personnel militaire permanent.

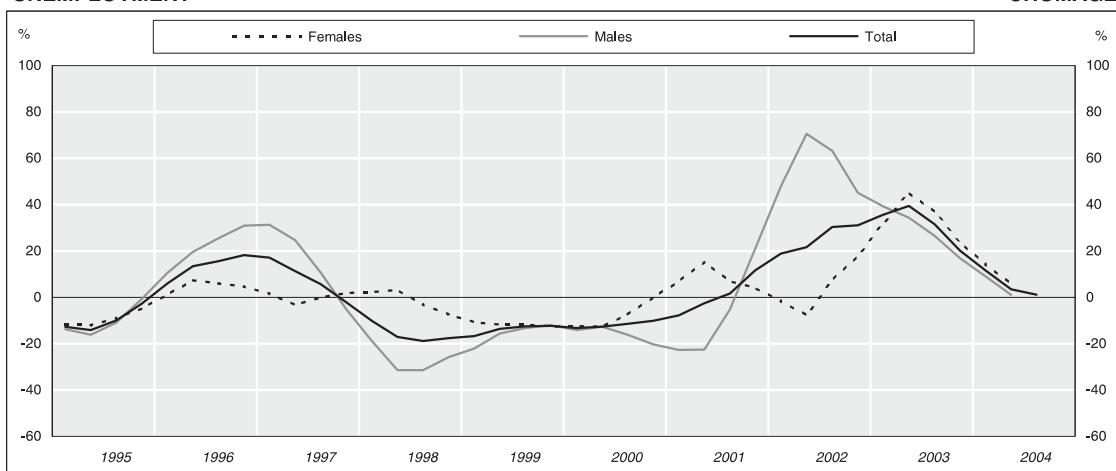
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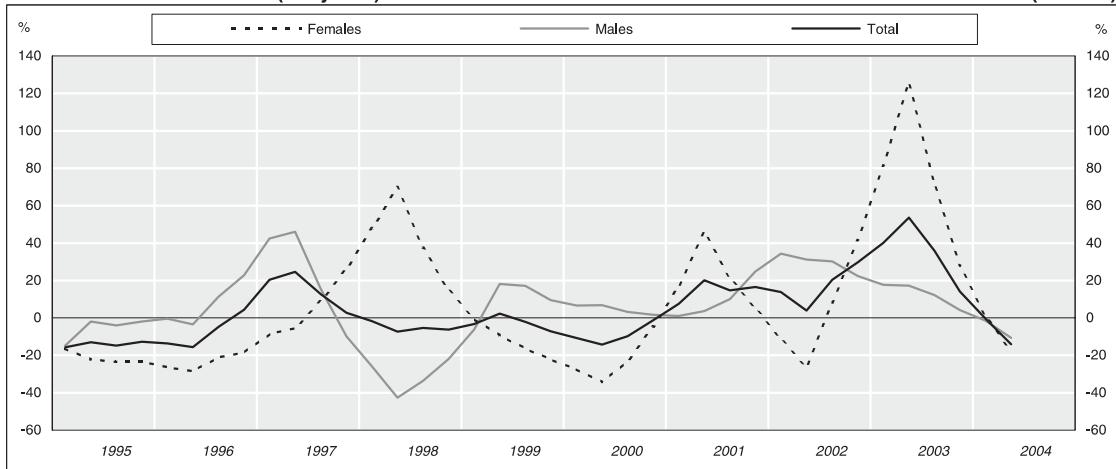
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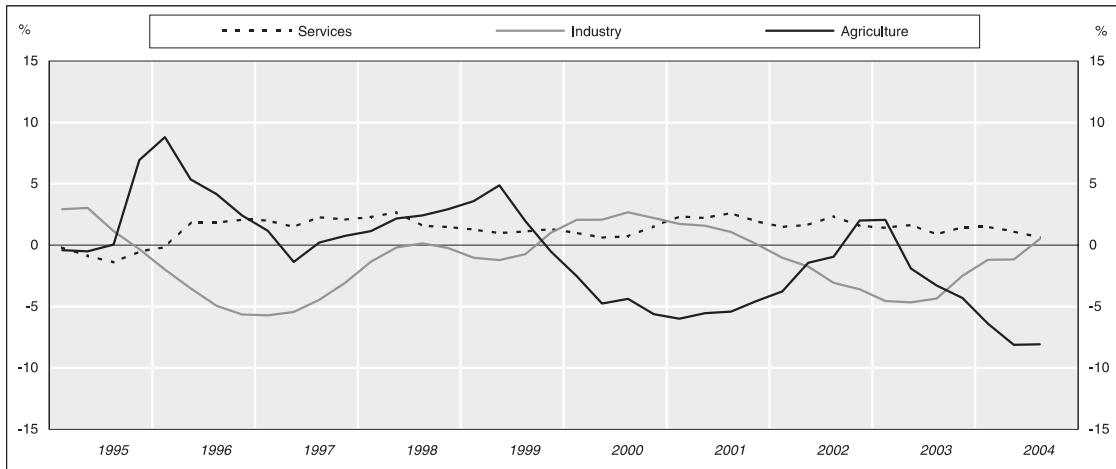
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#### CIVILIAN EMPLOYMENT

#### POPULATION ACTIVE CIVILE OCCUPÉE



## COMPOSANTES DE LA POPULATION ACTIVE

Absolute figures / Nombre de personnes

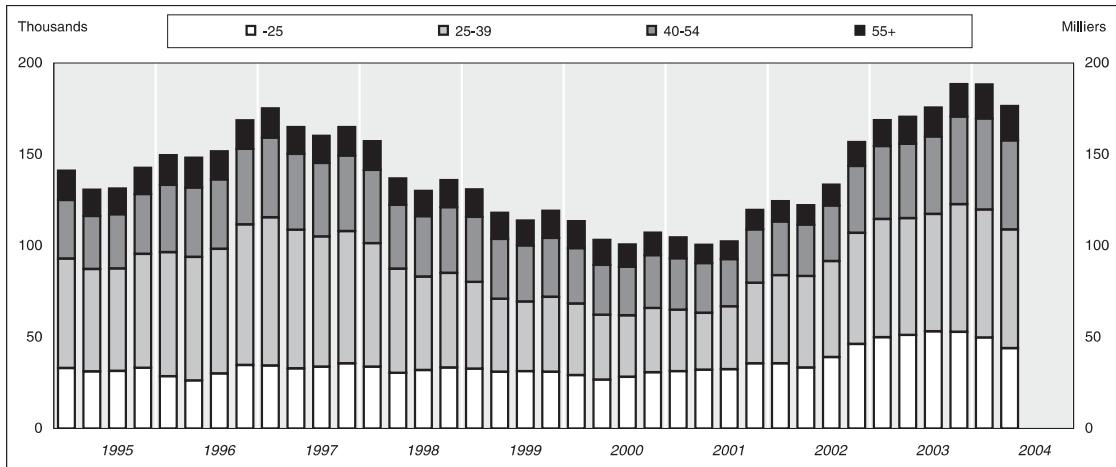
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## POPULATION ACTIVE CIVILE



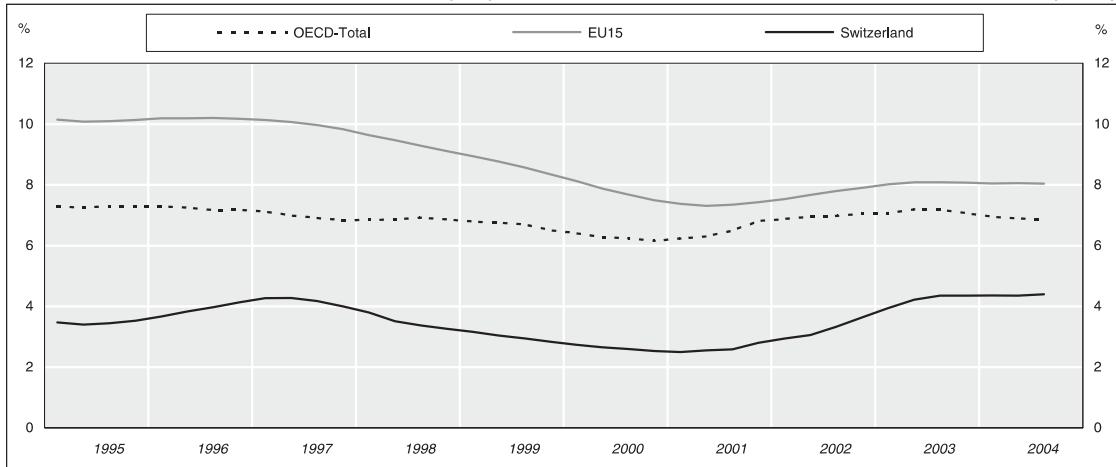
## UNEMPLOYMENT BY AGE

## CHÔMAGE PAR ÂGE



## STANDARDISED UNEMPLOYMENT RATES (s.a.)

## TAUX DE CHÔMAGE STANDARDISÉS (c.v.s.)



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	2001	2002	2003	1999				2000				2001		
				Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	
<b>Total labour force<sup>(1)</sup></b>														
	<i>thousands</i>													
Total		4261	4312	4349	4147	4173	4178	4170	4174	4188	4204	4214	4238	4254
	sa				4154	4167	4169	4178	4180	4183	4196	4220	4244	4253
Males		2378	2395	2409	2329	2350	2350	2344	2350	2360	2360	2354	2366	2378
	sa				2335	2343	2343	2351	2355	2355	2354	2359	2371	2376
Females		1883	1916	1941	1818	1824	1828	1826	1824	1828	1844	1860	1872	1876
	sa				1819	1824	1825	1827	1826	1829	1840	1861	1873	1878
<b>Unemployment</b>														
	<i>thousands</i>													
Total		106	131	174	131	118	114	119	114	103	101	107	105	101
	sa				127	122	118	114	110	107	105	103	102	104
Under 25 years		32	38	51	33	31	31	31	29	27	28	31	31	32
From 25 to 39 years		35	52	65	48	40	38	41	39	35	34	35	34	31
From 40 to 54 years		28	31	42	36	33	31	32	30	27	27	29	28	27
55 years and over		11	12	15	15	14	14	15	15	14	12	12	12	10
Males		44	68	89	65	56	53	60	56	49	44	47	43	38
Under 25 years		18	24	27	16	15	16	17	17	16	16	18	17	17
From 25 to 39 years		12	25	33	23	19	17	20	18	14	12	13	11	9
From 40 to 54 years		8	13	20	17	13	12	13	12	10	8	9	8	7
55 years and over		6	7	9	10	8	8	9	9	8	7	7	7	5
Females		62	63	85	65	62	61	60	57	54	56	60	61	63
Under 25 years		14	14	24	17	16	15	14	12	10	12	13	14	15
From 25 to 39 years		23	27	32	24	21	21	21	21	21	21	22	23	23
From 40 to 54 years		20	18	22	19	19	19	19	18	18	18	19	20	20
55 years and over		5	5	6	6	6	6	6	5	5	5	5	5	5
<b>Civilian employment<sup>(1,2)</sup></b>														
	<i>thousands</i>													
Total		4155	4180	4175	4016	4055	4064	4051	4061	4084	4103	4107	4134	4154
	sa				4028	4044	4050	4064	4071	4076	4090	4118	4143	4148
Agriculture		175	173	169	190	199	196	186	185	190	187	175	174	179
	sa				193	195	192	191	188	186	184	180	177	176
Industry		1062	1037	996	1014	1029	1038	1028	1035	1051	1066	1051	1053	1067
	sa				1023	1024	1026	1037	1044	1047	1053	1058	1062	1064
Services		2918	2970	3010	2812	2826	2829	2837	2841	2844	2850	2880	2907	2907
	sa				2812	2825	2830	2838	2839	2843	2851	2881	2905	2907
Males		2334	2327	2320	2264	2294	2297	2284	2294	2311	2316	2306	2323	2340
Agriculture		115	113	112	126	133	130	121	120	122	122	114	114	119
Industry		824	803	771	782	798	807	798	808	821	830	817	818	830
Services		1394	1411	1437	1356	1363	1361	1365	1366	1369	1364	1375	1391	1392
Females		1822	1853	1856	1752	1761	1767	1766	1767	1773	1787	1801	1810	1813
Agriculture		59	60	58	64	67	66	65	65	68	66	61	60	61
Industry		238	234	225	232	231	232	230	227	230	236	234	235	237
Services		1524	1559	1573	1456	1464	1469	1471	1475	1475	1485	1505	1516	1515
<b>Civilian employment<sup>(1)</sup></b>														
	<i>2000=100</i>													
Total		101.6	102.2	102.1	98.2	99.2	99.4	99.1	99.3	99.9	100.4	100.4	101.1	101.6
	sa				98.5	98.9	99.0	99.4	99.6	99.7	100.0	100.7	101.3	101.5
Agriculture		94.6	93.6	91.8	102.9	108.1	106.3	100.8	100.3	103.0	101.6	95.1	94.3	97.3
	sa				104.8	105.7	104.3	103.3	102.1	100.7	99.7	97.5	96.0	95.1
Industry		101.1	98.7	94.8	96.5	98.0	98.8	97.9	98.5	100.0	101.5	100.0	100.2	101.6
	sa				97.3	97.5	97.6	98.7	99.3	99.6	100.2	100.7	101.1	101.2
Services		102.3	104.1	105.5	98.6	99.1	99.2	99.4	99.6	99.7	99.9	100.9	101.9	101.9
	sa				98.5	99.0	99.2	99.4	99.5	99.6	99.9	101.0	101.8	101.9

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2001		2002				2003				2004				
Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3		
<b>Population active totale<sup>(1)</sup></b>														
														<i>milliers</i>
4281	4276	4284	4302	4347	4325	4326	4347	4365	4368	4367	4361	4377		
4272	4280	4290	4303	4337	4328	4332	4349	4356	4369	4372	4364	4368		
2390	2382	2380	2394	2412	2403	2403	2409	2411	2416	2417	2417	2415		
2383	2386	2384	2393	2406	2406	2406	2409	2406	2417	2419	2419	2416		
1892	1893	1904	1909	1934	1922	1923	1939	1954	1951	1951	1946	1946		
1887	1894	1906	1911	1929	1922	1925	1942	1948	1952	1953	1949	1949		
<b>Chômage</b>														
														<i>milliers</i>
102	120	124	122	133	157	169	171	176	188	188	176	178		
106	115	121	127	138	151	164	176	182	182	183	182	184		
32	36	36	33	39	46	50	51	53	53	50	44			
34	44	48	50	53	61	65	64	64	70	70	65			
26	29	29	28	30	36	40	41	42	48	50	49			
10	11	11	11	11	13	14	15	16	18	19	19			
42	58	64	64	69	84	89	87	87	98	97	87			
18	22	23	22	24	27	27	26	26	28	27	23			
11	19	23	24	25	31	34	32	31	35	34	30			
7	10	11	11	13	17	19	19	20	24	25	24			
5	6	7	7	7	8	9	9	9	10	11	11			
60	62	60	58	65	73	80	84	89	91	91	89			
14	14	12	11	16	19	23	25	27	25	23	21			
23	25	26	26	27	29	31	31	33	35	36	35			
19	19	18	17	18	19	21	21	22	24	24	25			
5	4	4	4	5	5	6	6	7	8	8	8			
<b>Population active civile occupée<sup>(1,2)</sup></b>														
														<i>milliers</i>
4179	4156	4159	4180	4213	4168	4157	4177	4189	4179	4179	4185	4199		
4164	4165	4169	4176	4198	4176	4167	4174	4174	4186	4189	4182	4184		
177	167	167	177	176	171	171	173	170	163	160	159	156		
174	171	170	173	173	174	173	170	168	166	162	157	155		
1078	1052	1042	1049	1045	1014	995	1000	999	989	983	988	1004		
1065	1058	1052	1045	1033	1019	1004	997	988	993	992	987	993		
2924	2936	2950	2955	2993	2983	2991	3003	3020	3027	3036	3037	3038		
2925	2937	2948	2956	2993	2984	2990	3005	3019	3028	3035	3038	3037		
2348	2325	2316	2329	2344	2320	2314	2322	2324	2319	2319	2327	2338		
118	110	110	116	115	112	112	114	112	108	106	107	105		
835	815	805	814	809	784	770	773	774	765	757	763	776		
1395	1400	1401	1400	1419	1424	1432	1435	1437	1446	1456	1458	1457		
1831	1831	1844	1851	1870	1848	1843	1855	1865	1860	1859	1857	1861		
60	57	58	61	60	59	59	60	58	55	54	53	51		
243	237	237	235	235	230	225	226	225	224	226	225	229		
1529	1537	1549	1555	1574	1559	1569	1583	1581	1580	1579	1581			
<b>Population active civile occupée<sup>(1)</sup></b>														
														2000=100
102.2	101.6	101.7	102.2	103.0	101.9	101.7	102.2	102.5	102.2	102.2	102.3	102.7		
101.8	101.9	102.0	102.1	102.7	102.1	101.9	102.1	102.1	102.4	102.5	102.3	102.3		
96.1	90.8	90.8	95.9	95.2	92.6	92.6	94.0	92.1	88.6	86.7	86.4	84.7		
94.5	92.8	92.2	93.9	93.9	94.4	93.9	92.4	91.0	90.0	87.7	85.1	83.8		
102.6	100.1	99.2	99.8	99.4	96.5	94.7	95.2	95.1	94.1	93.5	94.0	95.6		
101.3	100.7	100.1	99.5	98.3	97.0	95.6	94.9	94.1	94.5	94.4	93.9	94.5		
102.5	102.9	103.4	103.5	104.9	104.5	104.8	105.3	105.8	106.1	106.4	106.4	106.5		
102.5	102.9	103.3	103.6	104.9	104.6	104.8	105.3	105.8	106.1	106.4	106.5	106.4		

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## SWITZERLAND (continued)

	2001	2002	2003	1999				2000				2001			
				Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2		
<b>Unemployment rate</b>															
	as percentage of total labour force														
Total	sa	2.5	3.0	4.0	3.2	2.8	2.7	2.9	2.7	2.5	2.4	2.5	2.5		
Males		1.9	2.8	3.7	3.1	2.9	2.8	2.7	2.6	2.6	2.5	2.4	2.4		
Females		3.3	3.3	4.4	3.6	3.4	3.3	3.3	3.1	3.0	3.1	3.2	3.3		
<b>Youth unemployment (- 25 years)</b>															
	as percentage of total unemployed														
Total		30.7	28.7	29.6	25.0	26.3	27.5	26.0	25.7	25.9	28.1	28.6	29.9		
Males		41.0	34.6	30.2	24.5	27.4	30.1	29.2	30.5	33.5	37.0	37.2	39.8		
Females		23.2	22.4	28.9	25.4	25.4	25.3	22.8	21.0	19.1	21.0	21.7	23.0		
<b>Civilian employment (sectors)</b>															
	as percentage of total														
Agriculture		4.2	4.1	4.1	4.7	4.9	4.8	4.6	4.6	4.7	4.6	4.3	4.2		
Industry		25.6	24.8	23.8	25.2	25.4	25.6	25.4	25.5	25.7	26.0	25.6	25.5		
Services		70.2	71.1	72.1	70.0	69.7	69.6	70.0	70.0	69.6	69.4	70.1	70.3		

(1) Revised data from 1991 in order to be consistent with ILO definitions. A person is employed if they have worked in paid employment at least one hour during the reference week instead of six hours previously.

(2) Permanent military personnel are included in Civilian Employment.

## SUISSE (suite)

2001		2002				2003				2004				<b>cvs</b>  <b>Taux de chômage</b> <i>en pourcentage de la population active totale</i>  <b>Chômage des jeunes (- 25 ans)</b> <i>en pourcentage du total des chômeurs</i>  <b>Pop. active civ. occupée (secteurs)</b> <i>en pourcentage du total</i>
Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	
2.4	2.8	2.9	2.8	3.1	3.6	3.9	3.9	4.0	4.3	4.3	4.0	4.1	4.2	
2.5	2.7	2.8	2.9	3.2	3.5	3.8	4.1	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.2	
1.8	2.4	2.7	2.7	2.8	3.5	3.7	3.6	3.6	4.0	4.0	3.6	3.6	3.6	
3.2	3.3	3.2	3.0	3.4	3.8	4.1	4.3	4.5	4.7	4.7	4.6	4.6	4.6	
31.7	29.8	28.7	27.2	29.3	29.5	29.6	30.0	30.2	28.0	26.4	24.9	24.9	24.9	
43.0	38.3	36.2	34.4	34.3	32.3	30.6	30.0	30.4	28.8	27.6	26.6	26.6	26.6	
23.8	22.0	20.7	19.3	24.0	26.4	28.4	29.9	30.1	27.2	25.1	23.2	23.2	23.2	
4.2	4.0	4.0	4.2	4.2	4.1	4.1	4.2	4.1	3.9	3.8	3.8	3.8	3.7	
25.8	25.3	25.1	25.1	24.8	24.3	23.9	23.9	23.9	23.7	23.5	23.6	23.6	23.9	
70.0	70.7	70.9	70.7	71.0	71.6	72.0	71.9	72.1	72.4	72.7	72.6	72.6	72.4	

(1) Données révisées depuis 1991 pour être en conformité avec les définitions du BIT. Une personne est active occupée si elle a effectué un travail rémunéré d'au moins une heure par semaine au lieu de six heures précédemment.

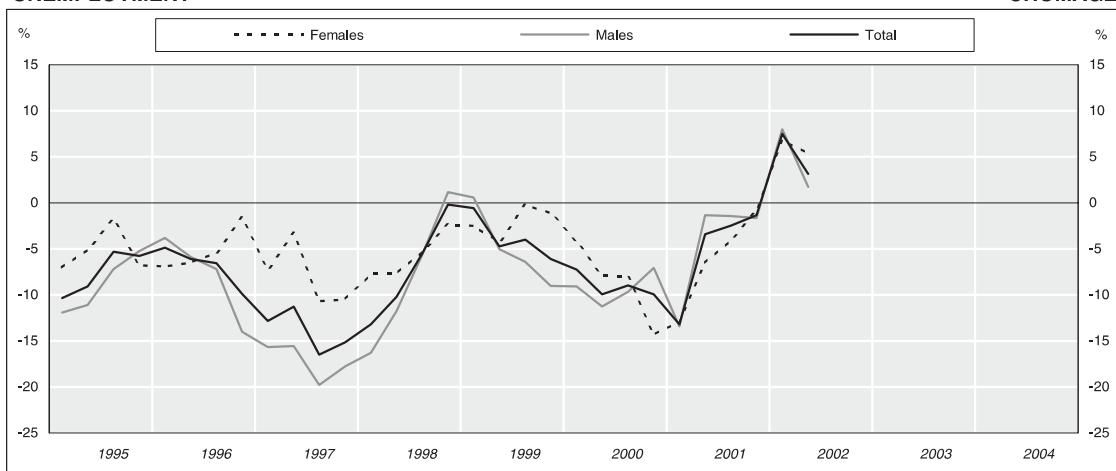
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### INDICATORS OF LABOUR FORCE COMPONENTS

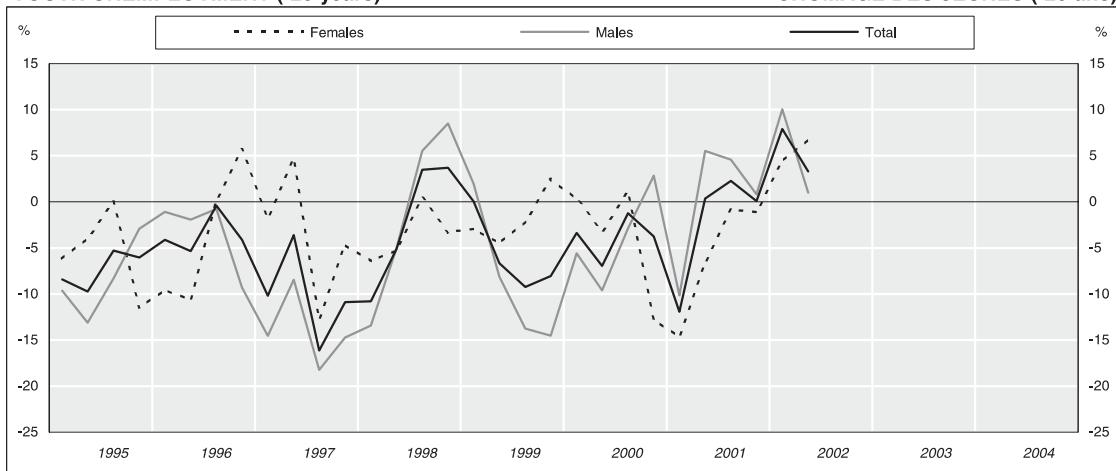
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#### UNEMPLOYMENT



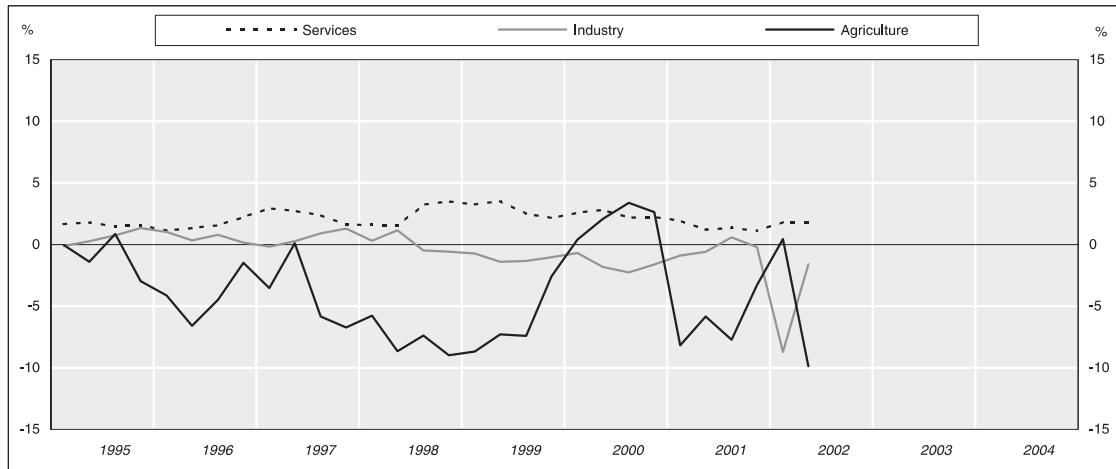
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#### YOUTH UNEMPLOYMENT (-25 years)



#### CHÔMAGE DES JEUNES (-25 ans)

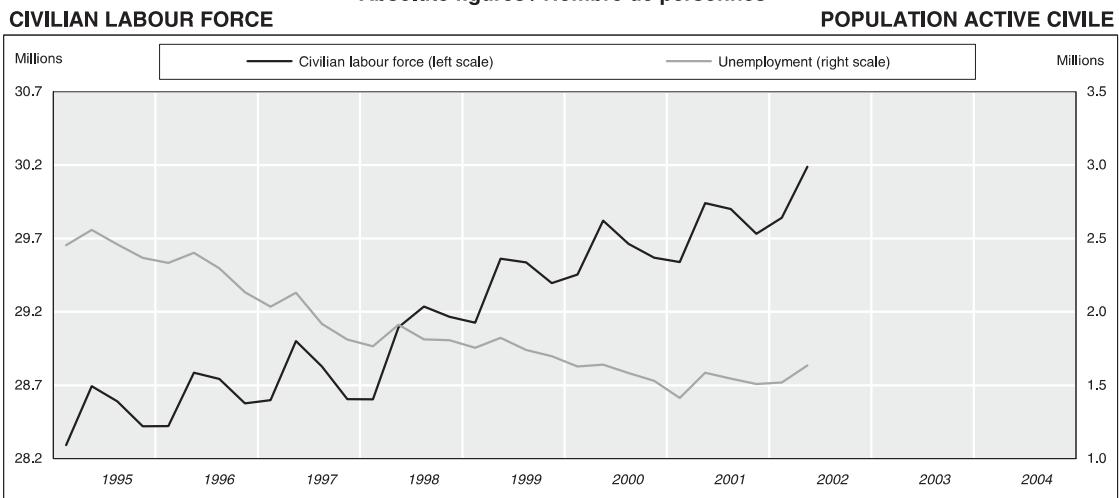
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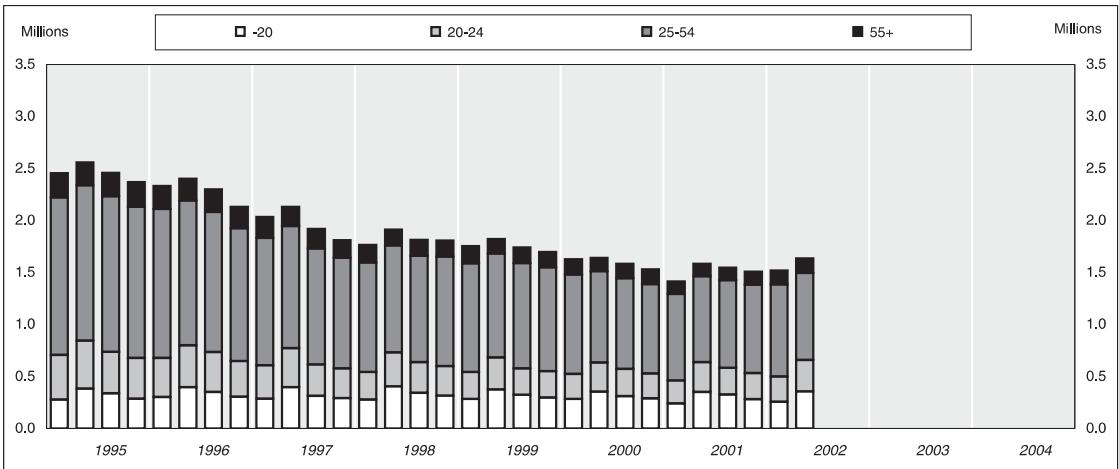
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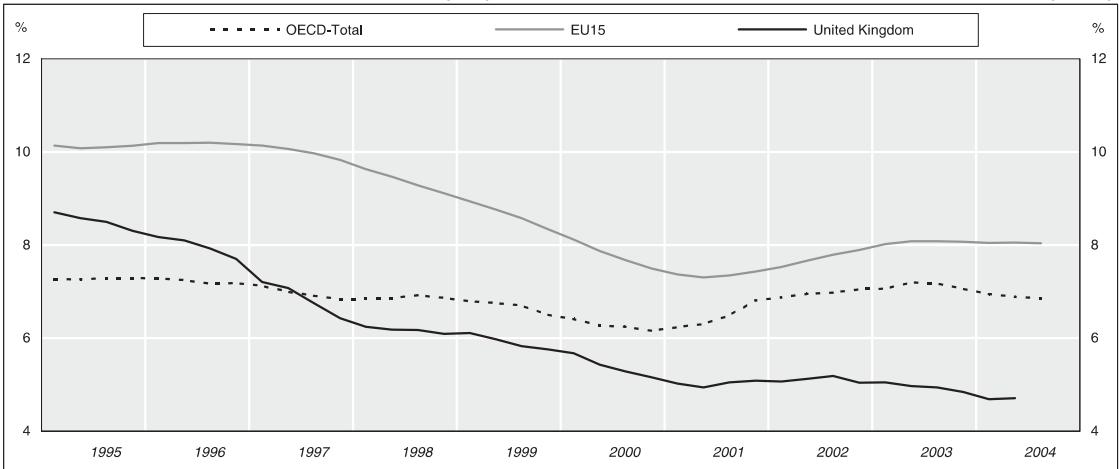
## UNEMPLOYMENT BY AGE

## CHÔMAGE PAR ÂGE



## STANDARDISED UNEMPLOYMENT RATES (s.a.)

## TAUX DE CHÔMAGE STANDARDISÉS (c.v.s.)



# UNITED KINGDOM<sup>(1)</sup>

	2001	2002	2003	1999				2000				2001	
				Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2
<b>Total labour force</b>													
Total	29877			29255	29679	29652	29517	29571	29936	29776	29684	29638	30036
Males	16566			16276	16529	16472	16380	16433	16590	16499	16480	16427	16688
Females	13311			12979	13150	13180	13137	13138	13346	13277	13204	13212	13347
<b>Civilian labour force</b>													
Total	29778			29126	29562	29536	29395	29454	29821	29664	29569	29539	29940
	sa			29290	29362	29461	29506	29620	29624	29587	29677	29704	29745
Males	16473			16157	16419	16364	16268	16326	16483	16392	16369	16331	16597
	sa			16247	16290	16344	16330	16418	16358	16371	16429	16423	16475
Females	13305			12970	13143	13172	13127	13128	13338	13272	13200	13208	13343
	sa			13044	13071	13117	13176	13202	13266	13217	13249	13282	13270
<b>Unemployment</b>													
Total	1513			1755	1823	1740	1698	1628	1641	1584	1529	1413	1585
Under 20 years	300			282	374	323	297	282	354	311	289	240	352
From 20 to 24 years	253			260	308	255	254	242	281	260	241	221	285
From 25 to 54 years	837			1044	998	1011	998	954	875	872	857	832	826
55 years and over	123			169	142	151	149	150	132	141	142	119	123
Males	925			1098	1108	1037	1032	998	984	937	958	864	970
Under 20 years	176			175	219	181	163	164	200	175	177	147	206
From 20 to 24 years	159			161	183	155	154	153	164	151	149	138	178
From 25 to 54 years	498			634	605	595	609	569	524	510	526	486	492
55 years and over	92			127	100	106	106	111	96	101	106	93	94
Females	588			657	715	703	666	630	658	647	571	549	615
Under 20 years	124			107	155	142	134	118	153	136	112	93	146
From 20 to 24 years	94			99	125	100	100	88	117	109	92	83	107
From 25 to 54 years	339			410	393	416	389	385	351	363	331	346	333
55 years and over	30			41	42	45	43	38	36	40	36	27	29
<b>Registered unemployed</b>													
Total	1513	sa		1808	1752	1735	1716	1684	1574	1577	1543	1472	1522
<b>Civilian employment<sup>(2)</sup></b>													
Total	28265	sa		27371	27739	27796	27697	27826	28180	28080	28040	28126	28355
				27482	27610	27726	27790	27936	28050	28010	28135	28232	28223
Agriculture	402			425	436	417	403	426	445	431	414	391	419
Industry	7004			7107	7196	7173	7081	7057	7064	7011	6967	6993	7022
Services	20790			19760	20034	20129	20135	20270	20599	20569	20585	20660	20845
Males	15548			15059	15311	15327	15236	15328	15499	15455	15411	15467	15627
Agriculture	309			332	338	326	313	330	337	330	324	305	321
Industry	5571			5568	5641	5643	5577	5567	5577	5532	5515	5557	5571
Services	9624			9107	9281	9308	9295	9388	9542	9550	9526	9549	9690
Females	12717			12312	12428	12469	12461	12498	12680	12625	12629	12659	12728
Agriculture	93			93	99	91	90	97	109	101	90	86	99
Industry	1434			1540	1555	1530	1504	1490	1487	1478	1452	1436	1451
Services	11166			10653	10752	10821	10840	10882	11057	11018	11060	11111	11155
<b>Employees</b>													
Total	24832	sa		23896	24234	24298	24241	24408	24717	24651	24606	24699	24905
				23991	24111	24239	24324	24505	24596	24592	24692	24790	24783
<b>Civilian employment</b>													
Total	100.8	2000=100	sa	97.6	99.0	99.2	98.8	99.3	100.5	100.2	100.0	100.3	101.2
				98.0	98.5	98.9	99.1	99.7	100.1	99.9	100.4	100.7	100.7
Agriculture	93.7			98.9	101.7	97.1	94.0	99.3	103.8	100.4	96.4	91.2	97.8
Industry	99.7			101.2	102.4	102.1	100.8	100.5	100.6	99.8	99.2	99.6	100.0
Services	101.4			96.4	97.7	98.2	98.2	98.8	100.5	100.3	100.4	100.8	101.7

Footnotes appear at the end of the table.

# ROYAUME-UNI<sup>(1)</sup>

2001				2002				2003				2004					
Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2		
<b>Population active totale</b>																	
30001	29832	29934	30291														<i>milliers</i>
16618	16532	16538	16760														Total
13383	13300	13396	13531														Hommes
																	Femmes
<b>Population active civile</b>																	<i>milliers</i>
29901	29733	29842	30190														Total
29824	29841	29991	29996	*29197		29219	29294	29283	29511	29669	29570	29622					Hommes
16524	16440	16453	16665														Femmes
16502	16499	16544	16544	*15789	15805	15861	15845	15993	16054	15972	16045						
13377	13293	13389	13525														
13322	13342	13447	13453	*13408	13414	13433	13437	13518	13616	13598	13575						
<b>Chômage</b>																	<i>milliers</i>
1545	1509	1519	1635														Total
327	281	257	355														Moins de 20 ans
257	249	241	303														De 20 à 24 ans
840	851	885	838														De 25 à 54 ans
121	127	137	138														55 ans et plus
924	943	933	987														Hommes
178	173	156	209														Moins de 20 ans
163	156	158	179														De 20 à 24 ans
495	518	521	502														De 25 à 54 ans
88	96	100	96														55 ans et plus
621	566	586	648														Femmes
149	109	101	146														Moins de 20 ans
94	93	83	124														De 20 à 24 ans
345	334	364	336														De 25 à 54 ans
34	31	37	42														55 ans et plus
<b>Chômeurs inscrits</b>																	<i>milliers</i>
1535	1520	1572	1568	*1515	1494	1474	1479	1460	1426	1432	1387					Total	
<b>Population active civile occupée<sup>(2)</sup></b>																	<i>milliers</i>
28356	28224	28323	28556														Total
28289	28320	28419	28429	*27682	27725	27820	27804	28050	28243	28138	28234						Agriculture
398	400	393	378														Industrie
7051	6951	6384	6909														Services
20846	20811	21035	21213														Hommes
15600	15498	15520	15678														Agriculture
302	308	305	293														Industrie
5611	5543	5458	5538														Services
9652	9605	9717	9809														Femmes
12756	12726	12803	12877														Agriculture
95	92	87	85														Industrie
1440	1408	1376	1371														Services
11194	11205	11318	11404														
<b>Salariés</b>																	<i>milliers</i>
24912	24813	24884	25066													Total	
24854	24899	24968	24957	*24356	24336	24337	24240	24382	24392	24294	24401						
<b>Population active civile occupée</b>																	2000=100
101.2	100.7	101.0	101.9													Total	
100.9	101.0	101.4	101.4	*98.8	98.9	99.2	99.2	100.1	100.8	100.4	100.7						Agriculture
92.7	93.3	91.6	88.1														Industrie
100.4	99.0	90.9	98.4														Services
101.7	101.5	102.6	103.4														

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	2001	2002	2003	1999				2000				2001		
				Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	
<b>Unemployment rate</b>														
	<i>as percentage of total labour force</i>													
Total			5.1		6.0	6.1	5.9	5.8	5.5	5.5	5.3	5.2	4.8	5.3
	<i>sa</i>				6.2	5.9	5.9	5.8	5.7	5.3	5.3	5.2	4.9	5.1
Males			5.6		6.7	6.7	6.3	6.3	6.1	5.9	5.7	5.8	5.3	5.8
Females			4.4		5.1	5.4	5.3	5.1	4.8	4.9	4.9	4.3	4.2	4.6
<b>Youth unemployment (- 25 years)</b>														
	<i>as percentage of total unemployed</i>													
Total			36.6		30.9	37.4	33.2	32.5	32.2	38.7	36.0	34.7	32.7	40.2
Males			36.2		30.6	36.3	32.4	30.8	31.8	37.0	34.8	34.0	33.0	39.6
Females			37.2		31.3	39.1	34.4	35.1	32.8	41.2	37.8	35.7	32.1	41.1
<b>Civilian employment (sectors)</b>														
	<i>as percentage of total</i>													
Agriculture			1.4		1.6	1.6	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.6	1.5	1.5	1.4	1.5
Industry			24.8		26.0	25.9	25.8	25.6	25.4	25.1	25.0	24.8	24.9	24.8
Services			73.6		72.2	72.2	72.4	72.7	72.8	73.1	73.3	73.4	73.5	73.5

(1) The break in series in 2002 reflects that Labour Force Survey estimates from the third quarter 2002 have been adjusted to take account of the Census 2001 results, while the previous quarters are in line with 1991 Census. Non-seasonally adjusted data on a similar basis will not be available before June 2004.

(2) The difference between Civilian employment and the sum by sector is due to non-response.

## ROYAUME-UNI<sup>(1)</sup> (*suite*)

2001		2002		2003				2004			cvs
Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2
5.1	5.1	5.1	5.4								
5.1	5.1	5.2	5.2								
*5.6	5.7	5.6	5.9								
4.6	4.3	4.4	4.8								
37.8	35.2	32.8	40.2								
36.9	34.9	33.7	39.3								
39.1	35.6	31.4	41.7								
1.4	1.4	1.4	1.3								
24.9	24.6	22.5	24.2								
73.5	73.7	74.3	74.3								

(1) La rupture qui apparaît en 2002 dans les données ajustées des variations saisonnières traduit la prise en compte des résultats du recensement de 2001 pour les données à partir du troisième trimestre 2002 tandis que les années antérieures sont en ligne avec le recensement de 1991. Les données non ajustées correspondantes ne seront pas disponibles avant juin 2004.

(2) La différence entre le total de la population active civile occupée et la somme des secteurs est due aux non-réponses.

### Taux de chômage

*en pourcentage de la population active totale*

Total  
Hommes  
Femmes

### Chômage des jeunes (- 25 ans)

*en pourcentage du total des chômeurs*

Total  
Hommes  
Femmes

### Pop. active civ. occupée (secteurs)

*en pourcentage du total*

Agriculture  
Industrie  
Services

# Country notes – Notes par pays

## General remarks

The sources for all the series shown in this bulletin are identical to those given in the annual *Labour Force Statistics* Publication. Moreover, in order to complete many of the series, National Statistical Offices provide directly to OECD the appropriate data as well as the most recent revisions.

## CANADA

Data for all series refer to the monthly labour force survey (households). The sample used represents all persons in the population aged 15 years and over. Quarterly figures are monthly averages.

Seasonally adjusted series for the major components of the labour force are national estimates. Those referring to the distribution of employment by sectors have been adjusted by the Secretariat.

## UNITED STATES

Data for all series refer to the monthly labour force survey (households). The sample used represents all persons in the population aged 16 years and over. Yearly and quarterly figures are monthly averages. Seasonally adjusted series for the major components of the labour force are national estimates. Those referring to the distribution of employment by sector, have been established by the Secretariat.

Total Labour Force figures only include Resident Armed Forces. They differ from those published in the annual *Labour Force Statistics* publication, which include, in addition, military personnel serving overseas.

Due to the introduction of the 1990 population census results adjusted for an estimated undercount, data from 1990 forwards are not directly comparable with those of previous years. Due to a major redesign of the household survey, there is also a major break in the data in 1994.

## Remarque générale

Les sources utilisées pour les séries publiées dans ce bulletin sont identiques à celles indiquées dans la publication annuelle *Statistiques de la population active*. Pour compléter plusieurs séries, les instituts statistiques nationaux fournissent directement à l'OCDE les données correspondantes ainsi que les révisions les plus récentes.

## CANADA

Toutes les données proviennent de l'enquête mensuelle sur la population active (auprès des ménages). Le plan de sondage utilisé représente toutes les personnes âgées de 15 ans et plus. Les chiffres trimestriels sont des moyennes mensuelles.

Les séries corrigées des variations saisonnières relatives aux principales composantes de la population active sont calculées par les autorités nationales ; celles relatives à la distribution de l'emploi par secteur d'activité ont été établies par le Secrétariat.

## ÉTATS-UNIS

Toutes les données proviennent de l'enquête mensuelle sur la population active (auprès des ménages). Le plan de sondage utilisé représente toutes les personnes âgées de 16 ans et plus. Les données annuelles et trimestrielles sont des moyennes mensuelles. Les séries corrigées des variations saisonnières relatives aux principales composantes de la population active sont calculées par les autorités nationales ; celles relatives à la distribution de l'emploi par secteur d'activité ont été établies par le Secrétariat.

Les données de la Population active totale ne comprennent que les forces armées résidentes à la différence des données correspondantes de la publication annuelle *Statistiques de la population active* qui incluent en plus les forces outre-mer.

En raison de l'introduction des résultats du recensement 1990 de la population, ajustés pour compenser une sous-évaluation précédente, les données depuis début 1990 ne sont pas directement comparables avec celles des années antérieures. En raison d'un réaménagement important de l'enquête auprès des ménages, il y a également une rupture importante dans les données en début 1994.

## JAPAN

Data for all series refer to the monthly labour force survey (households). The sample used represents all persons in the population aged 15 years and over. Quarterly figures are monthly averages. Monthly data are rounded to the nearest ten thousand and the sum of the components may differ slightly from the corresponding total.

## KOREA

Data for all series refer to the labour force survey (households) which started in August 1963 on a quarterly basis and from July 1982 on a monthly basis. The survey refers to all persons aged 15 years and over who usually reside within the territory of the Republic of Korea. The armed forces, auxiliary police, defence corps, institutional populations, population residing on islands and foreigners are excluded from the survey. The survey is conducted during one week each month. Yearly and quarterly data are averages of monthly data. Participation in the survey is compulsory. The size of the sample is 30 000 households. Employment includes those working without pay in a family business for 18 hours or more during the reference week.

Survey results are published by the National Statistical Office in the *Annual Report on the Economically Active Population Survey*.

## AUSTRALIA

All data refer to the monthly labour force surveys. The sample used represents all persons in the population aged 15 years and over. Quarterly figures refer to the months of February, May, August and November. Since February 1978, the surveys have been conducted monthly, but since data for employed persons by industry are only available for February, May, August and November, the figures refer to the same months for the whole period shown. Yearly data for all series, from 1978, are averages of the months specified for each quarter.

## JAPON

Toutes les données proviennent de l'enquête mensuelle sur la population active (auprès des ménages). Le plan de sondage utilisé représente toutes les personnes âgées de 15 ans et plus. Les données trimestrielles et annuelles sont des moyennes mensuelles ; les chiffres sont arrondis à la dizaine de milliers la plus proche et la somme des composantes peut différer légèrement du total indiqué.

## COREE

Toutes les données proviennent de l'enquête sur la population active (auprès des ménages) qui a débuté sur une base trimestrielle en aout 1963 et qui est mensuelle depuis juillet 1982. L'enquête concerne les personnes âgées de 15 ans et plus qui résident habituellement sur le territoire de la République de Corée. Les forces armées, le corps de policiers auxiliaires volontaires, les forces défensives, la population institutionnelle, la population vivant dans les îles et les étrangers sont exclus de l'enquête. L'enquête s'effectue sur une semaine chaque mois. Les données trimestrielles et annuelles sont des moyennes des données mensuelles. La participation à l'enquête est obligatoire. L'échantillon comprend 30 000 ménages. Les données de l'emploi comprennent les travailleurs familiaux non rémunérés qui ont un emploi pendant 18 heures et plus pendant la période de référence.

Les résultats des enquêtes sont publiés par l'Institut Statistique National dans la publication *Annual Report on the Economically Active Population Survey*.

## AUSTRALIE

Toutes les données proviennent des enquêtes mensuelles sur la population active. Le plan de sondage représente toutes les personnes âgées de 15 ans et plus. Les données trimestrielles se réfèrent aux mois de février, mai, août et novembre. Depuis le mois de février 1978, l'enquête est devenue mensuelle ; par contre la distribution de l'emploi civil dans l'industrie est disponible seulement pour les mois de février, mai, août et novembre. Afin de maintenir la comparabilité des séries, le système pour les périodes précédentes des mois spécifiques est maintenu pour toute la période. Les moyennes annuelles, depuis 1978, pour toutes les séries, se réfèrent aussi aux mois spécifiques mentionnés ci-dessus.

## **NEW ZEALAND**

Data for all series refer to the quarterly labour force survey carried out since the fourth quarter 1985. The sample used represents the usually resident civilian and non-institutional population of 15 years and over. The survey is carried out throughout each quarter and the statistics therefore reflect the average situation for the three month period. Employment and unemployment definitions are in line with the relevant international ILO Guidelines. The quarters are attributed to the months of March, June, September and December. Yearly data are their averages.

## **AUSTRIA**

Data refer to the quarterly labour force surveys. The sample used represents all persons in the population aged 15 years and over. Quarterly figures refer to March, June, September and December. Beginning with the first quarter of 1994, all series are based on the new Labour Force Survey of the Mikrozensus, adapted to international definitions. Data for previous periods are not strictly comparable.

Two series for the unemployed are shown:

1. Data collected from the quarterly labour force surveys.
2. Data on registered unemployed are provided by the Labour Offices. Up to 1987, quarterly data for Total, Males and Females correspond to the same month as those of the labour force survey. The distribution by age-groups however was established only once a year in the month of August. As from 1987, these observations are monthly. As a result, from 1987 onwards, the yearly and quarterly data for all registered unemployment series are monthly averages.

## **CZECH REPUBLIC**

Data for all series refer to the quarterly labour force survey (households). The survey covers all persons living in households continuously for at least three months, with the final results weighted by estimates of the frequency of the individual age groups for men and women from demographic projections. Labour market data refer to those aged 15 years and over. Data refer to the calendar year and quarters. All data shown are taken from the quarterly publication of labour force results by the Central Statistical Office of the Czech Republic.

## **NOUVELLE-ZÉLANDE**

Les données pour toutes les séries proviennent de l'enquête trimestrielle sur la population active, menée depuis le quatrième trimestre 1985. L'échantillon utilisé représente la population civile et non institutionnelle de 15 ans et plus, habituellement résidente. L'enquête s'effectue durant toute la période de chaque trimestre. Les statistiques indiquent donc la situation moyenne des trois mois couverts. Emploi et chômage sont en ligne avec les définitions-type internationales du BIT. Les trimestres sont attribués au mois de mars, juin, septembre et décembre. Les données annuelles sont leurs moyennes.

## **AUTRICHE**

Les données proviennent des enquêtes trimestrielles sur la population active. Le plan de sondage représente toutes les personnes âgées de 15 ans et plus, les données trimestrielles se réfèrent aux mois de mars, juin, septembre et décembre. A partir du premier trimestre 1994, toutes les séries proviennent de la nouvelle enquête sur l'emploi du Mikrozensus adaptée aux définitions internationales. Les données des périodes antérieures ne sont pas strictement comparables.

Deux séries de chômage sont indiquées :

1. Données provenant de l'enquête trimestrielle sur la population active.
2. Données sur les chômeurs enregistrés établies par les Offices de l'emploi. Jusqu'en 1987, les données trimestrielles des totaux, hommes et femmes, se référaient au même mois que celles de l'enquête. La distribution par tranches d'âge cependant n'était établie qu'une fois par an, au mois d'août. A partir de 1987, ces observations sont faites mensuellement. Depuis le premier trimestre 1987, les données trimestrielles et annuelles concernant toutes les séries du chômage enregistré sont donc des moyennes mensuelles.

## **RÉPUBLIQUE TCHÈQUE**

Toutes les données proviennent de l'enquête trimestrielle sur la population active (auprès des ménages). L'enquête couvre toutes les personnes vivant dans le ménage de façon continue pendant au moins trois mois. Les résultats finaux sont pondérés à l'aide des estimations de la fréquence des groupes d'âge, hommes et femmes, dérivées des projections démographiques. Les données de la population active se réfèrent aux personnes âgées de 15 ans et plus. Les données correspondent à l'année civile et aux trimestre-calendriers. Toutes les données publiées proviennent de la publication trimestrielle des résultats de l'enquête de la population active de l'Office Central de Statistiques de la République tchèque.

The data in this issue have been revised and now reflect the calendar years and quarters for the entire period.

## DENMARK

All data refer to a continuous survey covering both private and collective households. The entire country is covered by the survey, apart from Greenland and the Faroe Islands.

The sample size is 15 600 persons, which represent an average survey rate of 0.4%. It is drawn from persons aged between 15 and 66 years whose names appear in the population register and comprised 5 000 persons registered as unemployed during a quarter preceding the survey.

For the part of the sample comprising registered unemployed persons, stratification by age, income and level of educational attainment is carried out. For the remainder of the sample, the stratification is carried out on the basis of age, gross income and sector of activity.

Information is collected by means of CATI, supplemented by questionnaires sent by post to persons who could not be contacted by telephone.

## FINLAND

Data for all series refer to the monthly labour force survey. The sample used (12 500 persons) represents all persons in the population aged 15 to 74 years and it is divided into five rotation groups, each containing 2 500 persons. Each rotation group is surveyed five times over a period of 15 months.

Until 2000, the data were collected for one week, generally the week containing the 15th day of the month. In 2000, a continuous survey week was introduced in the labour force survey.

Quarterly figures are monthly averages.

## FRANCE

Data for all series have been provided by the national authorities and refer to metropolitan France. They have been compiled from various statistical sources, mainly the quarterly surveys of industrial and commercial establishments, the labour force surveys (the annual survey in March and experimental quarterly surveys in June, September and December) and the latest population census. Quarterly figures refer to the situation at the end of March, June, September and December.

Dans ce numéro les données ont été révisées et correspondent à présent à l'année civile et aux trimestre-calendriers sur toute la période.

## DANEMARK

Toutes les données proviennent de l'enquête continue qui couvre les ménages privés et les ménages collectifs. Le pays entier est couvert par l'étude à l'exception du Groenland et des îles Féroé.

La taille de l'échantillon est de 15 600 personnes, ce qui représente un taux de sondage moyen de 0.4%. Cet échantillon est créé à partir du Registre de population parmi les personnes âgées de 15 à 66 ans et comprend 5 000 personnes enregistrées comme chômeurs lors d'un trimestre précédent l'enquête.

Pour la partie de l'échantillon constituée de chômeurs enregistrés, il est effectué une stratification selon l'âge, le revenu et le niveau de l'éducation. Pour le reste de l'échantillon, la stratification est faite en utilisant l'âge, le revenu brut et le secteur d'activité.

L'information est收集ée grâce à des entretiens téléphoniques assistés par ordinateur (système CATI), complétée par des questionnaires envoyés par la poste pour ceux qui n'ont pas pu être contactés par téléphone.

## FINLANDE

Toutes les données proviennent de l'enquête mensuelle de la population active. Le plan de sondage utilisé (12 500 personnes) représente toutes les personnes âgées de 15 à 74 ans et il est divisé en cinq groupes de rotation de 2 500 personnes chacun. Chaque groupe de rotation est sondé cinq fois sur une période de 15 mois.

Jusqu'en 2000, les données étaient collectées sur une semaine, généralement celle contenant le 15ème jour du mois. En 2000, une semaine d'enquête continue a été introduite dans l'enquête de la population active.

Les données trimestrielles sont des moyennes mensuelles.

## FRANCE

Les données pour toutes les séries sont fournies par les autorités nationales et concernent la France métropolitaine. Elles ont été établies d'après de nombreuses sources statistiques, notamment les enquêtes trimestrielles auprès des établissements industriels et commerciaux, les enquêtes sur l'emploi (enquête annuelle en mars et enquêtes trimestrielles expérimentales en juin, septembre et décembre) et les résultats du dernier recensement (utilisés comme base de référence). Les données trimestrielles se réfèrent à la fin des mois de mars, juin, septembre et décembre.

## **GERMANY**

Data for all series are provided by the Statistisches Bundesamt. Since 1984 yearly and quarterly averages of all series, including unemployment by sex and age groups, are derived from the annual EU-labour force benchmark survey.

Beginning with the first quarter of 1991, data refer to Germany (Federal Republic of Germany after unification of Germany). Prior to 1991 data refer to western Germany (Federal Republic of Germany before unification of Germany).

## **HUNGARY**

Data for all series refer to the quarterly labour force survey (households), the results of which are available from the first quarter of 1992. The sample used is compiled from dwellings registered by the 1990 Population Census and represents all persons in the population aged 15 to 74 years. From 1998, new sample design. The size of the survey was expanded from 24 000 to 39 000 households (50 000 to 64 000 persons). Each household is retained for six consecutive quarters.

## **IRELAND**

Data for all series refer to the Quarterly National Household Survey, the results of which are available from the third quarter of 1997 replacing the annual April Labour Force Survey. Information is collected continuously throughout the year, with 3000 households surveyed each week to give a total sample of 39 000 households in each quarter. The reference quarters for survey results are Q1: December to February, Q2: March to May, Q3: June to August and Q4: September to November. The sample represents all persons in the population aged 15 years and over. A two-stage sample design is used. Households are asked to take part in the survey for five consecutive quarters and are then replaced by other households in the same block. The survey results are weighted to agree with population estimates broken down by age, sex and region.

## **ALLEMAGNE**

Les données pour toutes les séries sont fournies par le Statistisches Bundesamt. Depuis 1984, les moyennes annuelles et trimestrielles de toutes les séries, y compris celles du chômage par sexe et groupes d'âge, sont dérivées de l'enquête annuelle-UE de l'emploi.

A partir du premier trimestre 1991, les données se réfèrent à l'Allemagne (République fédérale d'Allemagne depuis l'unification de l'Allemagne). Les données antérieures au premier trimestre 1991 se rérètent à l'Allemagne occidentale (République fédérale d'Allemagne avant l'unification de l'Allemagne).

## **HONGRIE**

Toutes les données proviennent de l'enquête trimestrielle sur la population active (auprès des ménages) dont les résultats sont disponibles depuis le premier trimestre 1992. Le plan de sondage utilisé est constitué à partir des habitations dénombrées par le recensement de la population de 1990 et représente toutes les personnes âgées de 15 à 74 ans. A partir de 1998, nouveau plan de sondage. La taille de l'enquête passe de 24 000 à 39 000 ménages (de 50 000 à 64 000 personnes). Chaque ménage reste dans l'enquête six trimestres consécutifs.

## **IRLANDE**

Toutes les données proviennent de l'enquête nationale trimestrielle auprès des ménages dont les résultats sont disponibles à partir du troisième trimestre de 1997. Les informations sont collectées de manière continue tout au long de l'année, 3000 ménages étant sondés chaque semaine, pour obtenir un échantillon total de 39 000 ménages au cours de chaque trimestre. Les trimestres auxquels se réfèrent ces résultats sont T1: de décembre à février, T2: de mars à mai, T3: de juin à août et T4: de septembre à novembre. L'échantillon représente l'ensemble de la population âgée de 15 ans et plus. Un échantillon à deux niveaux est utilisé. Il est demandé aux ménages de participer à l'enquête pendant 5 trimestres consécutifs. Ils sont ensuite remplacés par d'autres ménages issus du même pâté de maisons. Les résultats de l'enquête sont pondérés afin de respecter la cohérence avec la structure par âge, sexe et région de la population.

## ITALY

Data for all series refer to the quarterly labour force surveys (households). The sample used represents all persons in the population aged 14 years and over until the third quarter of 1992, and 15 years and over afterwards. Quarterly data refer to January, April, July and October. Due to changes in definitions and procedures used in the survey, data from 1993 onwards are not comparable with previous periods.

The Italian authorities (ISTAT) have introduced major changes to some series. Estimates of permanent inmates of institutions, previously excluded from the quarterly surveys, have been included in Population and Labour Force data. Consequently, all data are based on the concept Resident Population. Persons considered as having temporarily emigrated, however, are excluded.

## NORWAY

Data for all series refer to the quarterly labour force surveys which started in 1972. The sample used represents all persons in the population aged 16 to 74 years. The sample consisted of about 12 000 persons up to the second quarter of 1988. It was then gradually expanded. Since the third quarter of 1990, the sample consists of about 24 000 persons. Quarterly data refer to February, May, August and November. From the second quarter of 1988, the quarterly figures are monthly averages.

In 1996, the survey was redesigned. The survey is now carried out throughout each quarter. The unemployment definition includes availability for work within two weeks following the interview. A new sample design and a change in estimation procedure have been introduced.

## POLAND

Data for all series refer to the quarterly labour force survey (households) which started in May 1992. The survey refers to the non-institutional population and covers all persons living in households continuously for at least two months. Prior to the second quarter 1999, the survey was conducted during one week each quarter in February, May, August and November. From fourth quarter 1999, the survey is conducted continuously throughout the year. In February 1996, the size of the sample was 22 100 households, i.e. 55 000 persons. The labour force data refer to those aged 15 years and more. Employment data includes persons taking between four and six months maternity leave. Survey results are published by the Central Statistics Office (GUS) in the quarterly publication *Labour Force Survey in Poland*.

## ITALIE

Les données pour toutes les séries proviennent de l'enquête trimestrielle par sondage sur la population active. Le plan de sondage représente toutes les personnes âgées de 14 ans et plus jusqu'au troisième trimestre de 1992 et de 15 ans et plus par la suite. Les données trimestrielles se réfèrent aux mois de janvier, avril, juillet et octobre. Par suite de changements de définitions et procédures de l'enquête, à partir de 1993, les données ne sont pas comparables avec celles des périodes antérieures.

Des modifications importantes ont été introduites par les autorités italiennes (ISTAT) dans certaines séries. Des estimations concernant les membres permanents des institutions, auparavant exclus de l'enquête trimestrielle, ont été ajoutées aux chiffres de la Population totale et de la Population active. En conséquence, les données publiées se réfèrent au concept de la Population résidente, les personnes temporairement émigrées en étant exclues.

## NORVÈGE

Les données pour toutes les séries proviennent des enquêtes trimestrielles sur la population active qui ont débuté en 1972. Le plan de sondage utilisé représente toutes les personnes âgées de 16 à 74 ans. L'échantillon, jusqu'au deuxième trimestre 1988, comprenait 12 000 personnes et fut augmenté graduellement. Depuis le troisième trimestre 1990, il comprend 24 000 personnes. Les données trimestrielles se réfèrent aux mois de février, mai, août et novembre. Depuis le deuxième trimestre 1988, elles sont des moyennes mensuelles.

En 1996, l'enquête a été modifiée. L'enquête est dorénavant répartie sur l'ensemble de la période de chaque trimestre. La définition du chômage comprend la disponibilité à travailler dans les deux semaines qui suivent l'entrevue. L'échantillon et la procédure d'estimation sont également modifiés.

## POLOGNE

Toutes les données proviennent de l'enquête trimestrielle sur la population active (auprès des ménages) qui a débuté en mai 1992. L'enquête concerne la population non institutionnelle et couvre toutes les personnes vivant dans le ménage de façon continue pendant au moins deux mois. Jusqu'au deuxième trimestre 1999, l'enquête a été effectuée sur une semaine chaque trimestre en février, mai, août et novembre. A partir du quatrième trimestre de 1999, l'enquête est conduite de manière continue tout au long de l'année. En février 1996, l'échantillon comprenait 22 100 ménages soit 55 000 personnes. Les données de la population active se réfèrent aux personnes âgées de 15 ans et plus. Les données de l'emploi incluent les personnes en congé de maternité pour une durée de quatre à six mois. Les résultats des enquêtes sont publiés par l'Office Central de Statistiques (GUS) dans la publication trimestrielle *Labour Force Survey in Poland*.

## PORUGAL

All data refer to the quarterly labour force surveys, starting with the second quarter 1983. Figures for previous years (not shown in this bulletin) were computed on a half-yearly basis. End of year estimates for those years are shown in the annual publication *Labour Force Statistics*. Due to revisions introduced in 1983, annual data for previous periods are not comparable.

The sample used until 1991 represents all persons in the population aged 12 years and over. Persons aged 12 to 14 years in the labour force were about 80 000 in the 4th quarter 1983 and about 51 000 in the same quarter 1986. Since 1992, it represents only persons of 14 years and over only, and since 1998, 15 years and over.

Quarterly figures refer to February, May, August and November. The survey is conducted during a four to five week period within the reference period. Since 1998, the survey is carried out throughout the quarter. Annual data are averages of quarterly data.

Data since 1998 are based on the results of the 2001 census, data from 1992 to 1997 are based on the results of the 1991 census.

A new definition of unemployment according to international guidelines was introduced from 1992.

## SLOVAK REPUBLIC

Data are supplied by the Statistical Office of the Slovak Republic. They are derived from the quarterly Labour Force Sample Survey which began in 1993.

The Survey is based on a random sample of dwellings from all districts of the Slovak Republic. It covers 10250 dwellings representing 0.6 per cent of all permanently occupied dwellings. All persons aged 15 and over are covered, except the population living in institutions. Households are retained for 5 consecutive quarters. The survey data for persons who were willing to co-operate is then weighted by post-stratification using demographic data on population by region, gender and age group.

Until 1999 the reference quarters for the survey results were December to February for the first quarter, March to May for the second quarter, June to August for the third quarter and September to November for the fourth quarter. From the first quarter of 2000 the reference period has been the calendar quarter.

Data are considered final on first release and are not normally subject to revision.

## PORUGAL

Toutes les données proviennent des enquêtes trimestrielles sur la population active depuis le deuxième trimestre 1983. Les chiffres pour les années antérieures (non publiés dans ce bulletin) ont été établis sur une base semestrielle. Les estimations en fin d'année sont indiquées dans la publication annuelle *Statistiques de la population active*. En raison des révisions introduites en 1983, les données (annuelles) pour les périodes antérieures ne sont pas comparables.

Le plan de sondage a représenté jusqu'en 1991 toutes les personnes âgées de 12 ans et plus. Le groupe d'âge de 12 à 14 ans comptait environ 80 000 personnes au quatrième trimestre 1983 et 51 000 personnes au même trimestre de 1986. Depuis 1992, il ne représente que les personnes de 14 ans et plus, et depuis 1998, 15 ans et plus.

Les données trimestrielles se réfèrent aux mois de février, mai, août et novembre. L'enquête est effectuée durant 4/5 semaines de la période de référence. Depuis 1998, l'enquête est répartie sur l'ensemble de la période de chaque trimestre. Les données annuelles sont les moyennes des données trimestrielles.

Les données depuis 1998 sont basées sur les résultats du recensement de 2001, les données de 1992 à 1997 sont basées sur les résultats du recensement de 1991.

Nouvelle définition du chômage alignée sur les critères internationaux, depuis 1992.

## RÉPUBLIQUE SLOVAQUE

Les données sont fournies par le Bureau statistique de la République slovaque. Elles sont dérivées de l'enquête trimestrielle par échantillonnage de la population active qui a commencé en 1993.

L'enquête est basée sur un échantillon aléatoire de logements de toutes les zones de la République slovaque. Elle couvre 10250 logements représentant 0.6 pour cent de tous les logements occupés de manière permanente. Toutes les personnes de 15 ans et plus sont concernées, à l'exception de la population vivant dans les institutions. Les ménages restent 5 trimestres consécutifs dans l'échantillon. Les données d'enquête pour les personnes disposées à participer sont pondérées en utilisant la stratification à partir des données démographiques sur la population par région, genre et catégorie d'âge.

Jusqu'en 1999, les trimestres de référence correspondent à la période de décembre à février pour le premier trimestre, de mars à mai pour le deuxième trimestre, de juin à août pour le troisième trimestre et de septembre à novembre pour le quatrième trimestre. A partir du premier trimestre 2000, la période de référence correspond au trimestre du calendrier civil.

Les données sont considérées comme définitives dès la première version et ne font normalement pas l'objet de révision.

## SPAIN

Data for all series refer to the quarterly labour force survey. The sample used (about 240 000 persons) represents all persons aged 16 years and over. The series are transmitted by the Spanish authorities. Quarterly data have been provided only since the third quarter of 1972. The survey is carried out throughout the quarter. The figures represent an average estimate of the employment situation for the period under consideration. Complementary estimates of "permanent inmates of institutions", as well as for the provinces Ceuta and Melilla are added to the survey results.

The Active Population Survey has been modified in 2002. Three methodological changes have been introduced. The population figures used for the projections have been revised from 1996-2001 to compensate for an immigration undercount. Age group weights have been revised for the period 1976-2001 to improve estimates concerning the 25-45 years group. From the first quarter 2001, the new unemployment definition established by the European Commission in 2000 has been introduced.

## SWEDEN

Data for all series refer to the monthly labour force surveys. Since 1986 the sample represents all persons in the population aged 16-64 years. Previously, the age limits were 16-74 years. Quarterly figures are monthly averages.

## SWITZERLAND

Data for all series are provided by the Swiss Federal Statistical Office (OFS).

Since 1991 a new estimation procedure has been applied for employment series based on the Labour Force Survey and the central register of foreigners. A benchmark is calculated for the middle of each year. Between benchmarks, definitive quarterly values are derived from employment statistics. Until the next benchmark becomes available, preliminary quarterly values are estimated.

This new calculation method necessitated a retrospective adjustment to the series from 1985, in order to prevent a break in the series.

## ESPAGNE

Toutes les données proviennent de l'enquête trimestrielle sur la population active. Le plan de sondage utilisé (240 000 personnes environ) représente toutes les personnes âgées de 16 ans et plus. Les séries sont transmises par les autorités espagnoles. Les données trimestrielles ne sont disponibles qu'à partir du troisième trimestre 1972. L'enquête est répartie sur l'ensemble de la période de chaque trimestre ; les données représentent une estimation moyenne de la situation de l'emploi au cours de la période considérée. Aux résultats de l'enquête sont ajoutées des estimations relatives aux membres des communautés (ménages collectifs) ainsi que des estimations concernant les provinces Ceuta et Melilla.

L'Enquête sur la population active a été modifiée en 2002. Trois changements méthodologiques ont été introduits. Les chiffres de population utilisés pour les projections ont été révisés pour la période 1996-2001 pour corriger une sous-évaluation de l'immigration. La pondération des groupes d'âge a été revue pour la période 1976-2001 pour améliorer les estimations du groupe 25-45 ans. Enfin à partir du premier trimestre 2001, la nouvelle définition du chômage établie par la Commission européenne en 2000 est appliquée.

## SUÈDE

Les données pour toutes les séries proviennent de l'enquête mensuelle sur la population active. Depuis 1986, le plan de sondage représente toutes les personnes de 16 à 64 ans. Jusqu'au premier trimestre 1986, il représentait les personnes de 16 à 74 ans. Les chiffres trimestriels sont des moyennes mensuelles.

## SUISSE

Les données pour toutes les séries proviennent de l'Office fédéral de la statistique (OFS).

La nouvelle méthode d'estimation des séries d'emploi introduite en 1991 utilise comme sources principales l'enquête suisse sur la population active et le registre central des étrangers. Une valeur de référence est déterminée pour le milieu de chaque année. Entre les valeurs de référence sont calculées des valeurs trimestrielles définitives à l'aide de la statistique de l'emploi. Des valeurs trimestrielles provisoires sont estimées jusqu'à ce que la valeur de référence de l'année suivante ait été déterminée.

L'introduction de la nouvelle méthode de calcul a rendu nécessaire un ajustement rétrospectif de la série à partir de 1985 afin d'éviter une rupture dans la série.

## UNITED KINGDOM

Until 1991, data were provided by the Department of Employment. They are derived from the Census of Employment, the General Household Survey (annual), the Labour Force Survey (annual) and the Employment Survey (quarterly). Seasonally adjusted figures for all series shown have been compiled by the national authorities. Annual data refer to June; quarterly data refer to the months of March, June, September and December, with the exception of unemployment by age. The Labour Force Survey was carried out every two years from 1973 to 1983 and on an annual basis from 1984 to 1991.

Since 1992, data for all series are provided by the Office for National Statistics (ONS) and refer to the quarterly Labour Force Survey. The survey includes all persons aged 16 years and over living in private households or National Health Service accommodation. The survey is conducted continuously throughout the year. In any three-month period, 120 000 people in around 61 000 households are interviewed. In this publication the quarterly results cover the following periods: Q1 = spring (March-May) Q2 = summer (June-August) Q3 = autumn (September-November) Q4 = winter (December-February).

Quarterly labour force data are regularly regrossed. In June 2002, they have been regrossed from third quarter 1998 and are not strictly comparable with earlier data.

## ROYAUME-UNI

Jusqu'à 1991, les données fournies par le Department of Employment sont dérivées du recensement de l'emploi, de l'enquête annuelle auprès des ménages, de l'enquête annuelle sur la population active et de l'enquête trimestrielle sur l'emploi. Les chiffres corrigés des variations saisonnières sont établis par les autorités nationales pour toutes les séries. Les données annuelles se réfèrent au mois de juin ; les données trimestrielles se réfèrent aux mois de mars, juin, septembre et décembre, à l'exception de la répartition du chômage par groupes d'âge. L'enquête sur la population active était effectuée tous les deux ans de 1973 à 1983 et sur une base annuelle de 1984 à 1991.

A partir de 1992, les données sont fournies par l'Office for National Statistics (ONS) et proviennent de l'enquête trimestrielle sur la population active. L'enquête comprend toutes les personnes âgées de 16 ans et plus, vivant au sein de ménages privés ou des logements "National Health Service". L'enquête est conduite de manière continue tout au long de l'année. Au cours de chaque période de trois mois, 120 000 personnes dans environ 61 000 ménages sont interrogées. Dans cette publication, les résultats trimestriels couvrent les périodes suivantes : T1 = printemps (mars-mai) T2 = été (juin-août) T3 = automne (septembre-novembre) T4 = hiver (décembre-février).

Régulièrement, les données provenant des enquêtes de la population active sont extrapolées à nouveau. En juin 2002, les données ont été extrapolées à nouveau à compter du troisième trimestre 1998 et ne sont pas strictement comparables aux données antérieures.

*Part 2*  
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**Standardised unemployment rates**  
**Taux de chômage standardisés**



# Standardised unemployment rates Taux de chômage standardisés

## Technical notes

This section contains Standardised Unemployment Rates which are more comparable between countries than the unemployment rates published in national sources. In the past, these rates were calculated by the OECD based on data received from Member countries. Now, OECD publishes in this section the "comparable" unemployment rates produced by the Statistical Office of the European Communities (Eurostat) for all their Member States plus Norway. The OECD is responsible for the collection of data and calculation of standardised unemployment rates for the other OECD Member countries.

The standardised rate gives the number of unemployed persons as a percentage of the civilian labour force. The definition of unemployment conforms with the definition adopted by the 13th Conference of Labour Statisticians, which are generally referred to as the ILO Guidelines. The same is true for the definition of labour force, except that Eurostat uses estimates that are based on labour force surveys covering only private households. The OECD has also adopted this approach for the other OECD Member countries.

According to the ILO Guidelines, the labour force to be used to calculate the unemployment rate is the total labour force which consists of civilian employees, the self-employed, unpaid family workers, professional and conscripted members of the armed forces, and the unemployed. The use of survey data covering only private households implies a departure from this definition in that individuals living in institutions are excluded from estimates. For example, members of the armed forces living in barracks are excluded.

Standardised Unemployment Rates are also published monthly in the OECD's Main Economic Indicators publication and are available on the Internet : <http://www.oecd.org/statistics/news-releases>.

## Notes techniques

Dans cette section figurent les taux de chômage standardisés qui sont plus comparables d'un pays à l'autre que ne le sont les taux de chômage publiés dans les sources nationales. Dans le passé, ces taux étaient calculés par l'OCDE à partir de données reçues des pays Membres. Maintenant, l'OCDE publie dans cette section pour les pays de l'Union européenne ainsi que la Norvège les taux de chômage "comparables" calculés par l'Office statistique des Communautés européennes (Eurostat). L'OCDE est responsable de la collecte des données et du calcul des taux de chômage standardisés pour les autres pays Membres de l'OCDE.

Les taux de chômage standardisés désignent le pourcentage de chômeurs par rapport à la population active civile. La définition du chômeur correspond à celle qui a été adoptée par la 13ème Conférence des statisticiens du travail et à laquelle on fait référence comme directives du BIT. Il en est de même pour la définition de la population active à une exception près: les estimations d'Eurostat proviennent d'enquêtes sur la population active qui ne concernent que les ménages privés. L'OCDE a adopté cette approche pour les autres pays Membres de l'OCDE.

Selon les directives du BIT, la population active à utiliser pour calculer le taux de chômage est la population active totale qui comprend les salariés civils, les travailleurs indépendants, les travailleurs familiaux non rémunérés, les militaires de carrière et les appelés du contingent ainsi que les chômeurs. L'utilisation de données d'enquêtes auprès des ménages privés pour les estimations de la population active constitue un écart par rapport à la définition dans la mesure où les individus vivant dans des institutions sont exclus des calculs. Par exemple, les militaires vivant dans les casernes sont exclus.

Les taux de chômage standardisés sont aussi publiés mensuellement dans la publication de l'OCDE intitulée Principaux Indicateurs Économiques et sont disponibles sur Internet : <http://www.oecd.org/statistics/news-releases>.

The ILO definition of the unemployed refers to persons of working age who, in a specified period, are without work, who are available for work and who are seeking employment for pay or profit. It should be noted that the ILO Guidelines list a number of ways in which the criterion of "seeking employment" can be satisfied. These include direct applications to employers, checking on work sites and placing or answering advertisements in addition to what is in many countries the most common way of seeking work - namely, registering at an employment office.

Because registering at an employment office is only one of the ways of satisfying the seeking work criterion, it follows that registration records maintained by these offices cannot be used alone to measure unemployment according to the ILO Guidelines. This can only be measured through labour force surveys. Such surveys have been specifically developed to measure the employment status of all persons above a certain age during a specified period. They provide comprehensive statistics on unemployment, since they cover persons who may be excluded from unemployment registration systems.

Despite the preference for labour force survey data, data on registered unemployment are often used in the generation of unemployment series, especially in the generation of monthly unemployment series. For example, for countries which carry out quarterly or annual labour force surveys, monthly series may be generated by using monthly data on registered unemployment, adjusted by information from labour force surveys. These series are typically generated such that the monthly figures coincide with survey estimates, i.e. the registered unemployment data are effectively used for interpolation and extrapolation of survey data.

With regard to the calculation of unemployment, the most notable feature of Eurostat's method is that unemployment estimates are adjusted using annual estimates based upon a common and precisely defined definition of unemployment. This is achieved by an agreement between European Union Member countries to provide unemployment figures, once a year, based upon a common set of questions which are included as part of labour force survey questionnaires. The use of this common format, in principle, generates unemployment estimates that are more internationally comparable compared to national estimates where a variety of unemployment definitions and questionnaire formats are used. Therefore, there is generally a two-stage adjustment process, the first adjustment incorporating national unemployment estimates and the second incorporating estimates derived from the common format.

Selon la définition du BIT, les chômeurs désignent les personnes en âge de travailler qui, au cours de la période de référence, sont sans travail et à la recherche d'un emploi rémunéré ou d'une activité lucrative. Il est à noter que les directives du BIT indiquent un certain nombre de dispositions à prendre pour répondre au critère de "recherche d'un emploi". Ces dispositions incluent la candidature directe auprès des employeurs, les démarches sur les lieux de travail, l'insertion ou la réponse à des annonces dans les journaux, outre la procédure la plus couramment utilisée dans de nombreux pays à savoir, l'inscription auprès d'un service de l'emploi.

L'inscription auprès d'un service de l'emploi n'étant qu'un des moyens de rechercher un emploi, les registres tenus par ces services ne sauraient permettre à eux seuls de mesurer le chômage conformément aux directives du BIT. Le chômage ne peut être mesuré qu'au moyen d'enquêtes sur la population active. Celles-ci sont expressément conçues pour déterminer la situation au regard de l'emploi de toutes les personnes ayant dépassé un certain âge durant une période spécifiée. Elles fournissent des statistiques complètes sur le chômage car elles couvrent des personnes qui ne figurent peut-être pas dans les registres du chômage.

Bien que la préférence aille aux données d'enquêtes sur la population active, les données de chômage enregistré sont souvent utilisées pour construire des séries de chômage, en particulier des séries mensuelles. Par exemple, dans les pays qui disposent d'enquêtes trimestrielles ou annuelles, on peut construire des séries mensuelles en ajustant les données provenant d'enquêtes avec les données de chômage enregistré. Ces séries sont d'ordinaire construites de façon à faire coïncider les chiffres mensuels avec les estimations provenant de l'enquête, c'est-à-dire que les données de chômage enregistré sont utilisées pour interpoler ou extrapoler les données d'enquête.

En ce qui concerne le calcul du nombre de chômeurs, la spécificité de la méthode d'Eurostat réside dans le fait que l'estimation du nombre de chômeurs est faite à partir d'estimations annuelles basées sur une définition commune et précise du chômage. Cela est possible grâce à un accord passé avec les pays Membres pour fournir une fois par an des chiffres de chômage. Ces chiffres doivent être basés sur un jeu de questions commun qui est inclus dans les questionnaires des enquêtes sur la population active. L'utilisation d'un format identique génère en principe des estimations du chômage qui sont plus comparables que les estimations nationales basées sur des définitions et des questionnaires variés. Pour cette raison, il y a généralement un ajustement en deux étapes, dans un premier temps, on incorpore les estimations nationales du nombre de chômeurs et dans un second temps on incorpore les estimations dérivées du format communautaire.

Austria, Belgium, Czech Republic, Denmark, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Ireland, Italy, Luxembourg, Netherlands, Poland, Portugal, Slovak Republic, Spain and the United Kingdom, conduct either annual or quarterly labour force surveys, from which they generate both national unemployment estimates and estimates based on the common format. The monthly unemployment estimates for these countries therefore involve the two-stage adjustment of registered unemployment figures discussed above. Finland and Sweden conduct monthly labour force surveys. Therefore, the monthly unemployment estimates involve a single stage adjustment which ensures that the national monthly labour force survey results conform to the common format results.

For Australia, Canada, Japan, Korea, New Zealand, Norway and the United States monthly or quarterly labour force survey data are available which follow ILO Guidelines. For Switzerland, unemployment data are generated from an annual labour force survey, conducted every second quarter. The figures of the other quarters are interpolated using the numbers of registered unemployed. Data for the current year are provisional. Concerning employment data for Switzerland, data have now been corrected to exclude cross borders to conform to ILO recommendations.

L'Allemagne, l'Autriche, la Belgique, le Danemark, l'Espagne, la France, la Grèce, la Hongrie, l'Irlande, l'Italie, le Luxembourg, les Pays-Bas, la Pologne, le Portugal, la République slovaque, la République tchèque et le Royaume-Uni conduisent une enquête de la population active soit annuelle, soit trimestrielle à partir de laquelle sont calculées à la fois une estimation nationale du nombre de chômeurs et une estimation communautaire. Par conséquent, dans ces cas, les estimations mensuelles sont faites en deux étapes à partir des données de chômage enregistré comme on l'a précédemment indiqué. La Finlande et la Suède conduisent des enquêtes mensuelles sur la population active. Par conséquent, les estimations mensuelles du chômage impliquent un ajustement unique qui autorise la conformité des résultats nationaux de l'enquête mensuelle avec le format communautaire.

Pour l'Australie, le Canada, la Corée, les États-Unis, le Japon, la Norvège et la Nouvelle-Zélande des données mensuelles ou trimestrielles provenant d'enquêtes sur la population active satisfaisant les directives du BIT sont disponibles. Pour la Suisse, les chiffres du chômage proviennent de l'enquête annuelle qui a lieu au deuxième trimestre. Les chiffres des autres trimestres sont interpolés à l'aide des nombres de chômeurs inscrits. Les données de l'année en cours sont provisoires. En ce qui concerne la population occupée en Suisse, les données sont dorénavant corrigées pour exclure les travailleurs frontaliers, conformément aux recommandations du BIT.



**STANDARDISED UNEMPLOYMENT RATES OF SELECTED OECD COUNTRIES**  
**TAUX DE CHÔMAGE STANDARDISÉS DE CERTAINS PAYS DE L'OCDE**

**I. Annual data – I. Données annuelles**

**All persons - Ensemble des personnes**

	1990	1981	1982	1983	1984	1985	1986	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	
Percent of civilian labour force — Pourcentage de la population active civile																									
Canada	7.5	7.6	11.0	11.9	11.3	10.7	9.6	8.8	7.8	7.5	8.1	10.3	11.2	11.4	10.4	9.4	9.6	9.1	8.3	7.6	6.8	7.2	7.7	7.6	
United States	7.1	7.6	9.7	9.6	7.5	7.2	7.0	6.2	5.5	5.3	5.6	6.8	7.5	6.9	*6.1	5.6	5.4	4.9	4.5	4.2	*4.0	4.7	5.8	6.0	
Australia	6.1	5.8	7.2	10.0	9.0	8.3	7.9	7.0	6.0	6.7	9.3	10.5	10.6	9.5	8.2	8.3	7.7	6.9	6.3	6.8	6.4	6.1	Australie		
Japan	2.0	2.2	2.4	2.7	2.6	2.8	2.8	2.5	2.3	2.1	2.1	2.2	2.5	2.9	3.1	3.4	3.4	4.1	4.7	4.7	5.0	5.4	5.3	Japon	
Korea																								Corée	
New Zealand	2.2	3.6	3.5	5.7	5.7	4.2	*4.1	4.1	5.6	7.1	7.8	10.3	10.4	9.5	8.1	6.3	6.1	6.6	7.4	6.8	6.0	5.3	5.2	Nouvelle-Zélande	
Austria																									
Belgium	9.8	10.7	10.8	10.1	10.0	9.8	8.8	7.4	6.6	6.4	7.1	8.6	9.8	9.7	9.5	9.2	9.3	8.6	8.6	8.6	6.9	6.7	7.3	7.9	
Czech Republic																									
Denmark	7.8	8.4	7.9	6.6	5.0	5.0	5.7	6.8	7.2	7.9	8.6	9.6	9.6	7.7	6.8	6.3	5.3	4.9	4.8	4.8	4.6	4.3	4.4	5.6	
Finland																									
France	2.6	4.0	5.7	6.9	7.7	9.2	9.7	9.8	9.9	9.4	8.9	8.5	9.0	9.9	11.1	11.7	11.1	11.6	11.5	11.1	10.5	9.1	9.1	9.0	
Germany																									
Greece																									
Hungary																									
Ireland																									
Italy																									
Luxembourg																									
Netherlands																									
Norway																									
Poland																									
Portugal																									
Slovak Republic																									
Spain																									
Sweden																									
Switzerland <sup>(1)</sup>																									
United Kingdom																									
Euro area																									
EU15	2.1	2.6	3.3	3.7	3.3	2.9	2.7	2.2	1.8	1.5	1.7	3.1	5.6	9.0	9.4	8.8	9.6	9.9	8.2	6.7	4.9	4.9	5.6	5.6	
OECD-Totals Major seven	5.2	6.0	7.4	7.8	7.1	7.1	7.0	6.6	6.0	5.6	5.5	6.2	6.9	7.1	*6.9	6.6	6.7	6.5	6.3	6.1	*5.6	5.9	6.5	6.7	

(1) From Q3 2004, quarterly data are provisional.

(1) À partir de T3 2004, les données trimestrielles sont provisoires.

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**II. Quarterly data, seasonally adjusted – II. Données trimestrielles, corrigées des variations saisonnières**

**All persons - Ensemble des personnes**

	1993				1994				1995				1996				1997				1998			
	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3
Canada	11.7	11.1	11.7	11.5	11.3	11.0	10.6	10.1	9.7	9.6	9.5	9.3	9.5	9.4	9.7	9.9	9.4	9.3	8.9	8.8	8.6	8.3	8.2	
United States	7.4	7.2	7.1	6.8	6.6	6.2	6.0	5.6	5.5	5.7	5.6	5.5	5.5	5.3	5.3	5.2	5.0	4.9	4.7	4.6	4.4	4.4	4.5	
Australia	10.8	10.7	10.6	10.6	10.5	10.1	9.7	9.2	8.8	8.5	8.1	8.1	8.2	8.1	8.3	8.4	8.4	8.3	8.0	7.9	7.7	7.8	Australie	
Japan	2.3	2.4	2.5	2.7	2.9	2.8	3.0	3.1	3.2	3.3	3.4	3.4	3.3	3.3	3.3	3.3	3.3	3.4	3.5	3.7	4.1	4.3	Japon	
Korea	9.8	9.9	9.2	9.2	9.0	8.3	7.7	7.4	6.5	6.2	6.1	6.2	6.2	6.0	6.2	6.0	6.4	6.6	6.7	7.1	7.6	7.5	Corée	
New Zealand	10.3	9.8	9.9	9.2	9.0	8.3	7.7	7.4	6.5	6.2	6.1	6.2	6.2	6.0	6.2	6.0	6.4	6.6	6.7	7.1	7.6	7.5	Nouvelle-Zélande	
Austria	3.8	4.0	4.1	4.0	3.9	3.8	3.8	3.8	3.8	3.8	3.8	4.0	4.1	4.3	4.4	4.4	4.3	4.3	4.5	4.5	4.6	4.6	Autriche	
Belgium	7.5	7.9	8.4	8.9	9.3	9.6	9.8	9.8	9.7	9.7	9.6	9.7	9.8	9.8	9.7	9.4	9.4	9.2	9.3	9.3	9.4	9.4	Belgique	
Czech Republic	4.6	4.4	4.3	4.3	4.3	4.3	4.4	4.4	4.3	4.3	4.0	4.0	3.8	3.8	3.7	3.9	4.0	4.1	4.6	5.0	5.5	6.0	République tchèque	
Denmark	9.1	9.6	9.9	9.6	9.0	8.4	7.8	7.5	7.2	6.9	6.8	6.7	6.7	6.5	6.3	5.8	5.5	5.2	5.1	5.0	4.8	4.8	Danemark	
Finland	13.5	15.0	16.3	16.9	17.5	17.9	17.4	16.5	15.6	15.1	15.0	15.3	15.5	14.9	14.5	14.7	14.2	13.5	13.0	12.4	11.9	11.8	Finlande	
France	10.2	10.6	10.9	11.3	11.7	11.9	11.8	11.6	11.4	11.2	11.1	11.1	11.2	11.4	11.5	11.7	11.7	11.6	11.5	11.4	11.2	11.1	France	
Germany	6.8	7.2	7.5	8.0	8.3	8.3	8.4	8.2	8.0	7.9	7.9	8.0	8.2	8.5	8.5	8.7	9.0	9.5	9.6	9.8	9.8	9.6	Allemagne	
Greece	8.6	8.6	12.1	12.2	11.9	*11.4	11.0	10.6	10.8	10.6	10.4	10.4	10.4	*9.7	9.6	9.6	9.5	8.8	8.9	9.0	9.2	9.1	Grèce	
Hungary	10.6	12.2	12.1	12.2	11.9	*11.4	11.0	10.6	10.8	10.6	10.4	10.4	10.4	10.4	11.1	11.7	11.1	10.6	10.2	9.6	9.0	8.8	Hongrie	
Ireland	15.7	15.8	15.8	15.5	15.4	15.1	14.7	14.1	13.4	12.7	12.3	12.1	12.1	12.0	11.9	11.7	11.1	10.6	10.2	9.6	9.0	8.3	Irlande	
Italy	9.0	9.3	10.1	10.2	10.6	10.8	10.8	11.0	11.4	11.5	11.5	11.6	11.5	11.5	11.5	11.5	11.6	11.6	11.5	11.6	11.6	11.7	Italie	
Luxembourg	2.2	2.4	2.8	3.0	3.2	3.3	3.1	3.0	2.9	2.8	2.8	2.9	2.9	3.1	3.1	2.8	2.8	2.6	2.6	2.7	2.9	2.8	Luxembourg	
Netherlands	5.5	5.8	6.2	6.4	6.5	6.8	6.7	6.9	6.8	6.7	6.4	6.4	6.4	6.1	6.0	5.8	5.3	5.1	4.9	4.5	4.2	3.7	Pays-Bas	
Norway	6.7	6.7	6.7	6.7	6.4	6.0	6.1	5.9	6.0	5.9	5.6	5.3	5.1	5.0	4.8	4.7	4.6	4.3	4.2	4.0	3.6	3.3	Norvège	
Poland	13.7	13.2	14.2	13.5	15.1	14.8	14.5	14.4	14.1	13.6	13.0	13.3	13.4	12.9	12.7	12.0	11.8	*11.5	10.9	10.7	10.3	9.9	10.2	Pologne
Portugal	4.6	5.0	5.4	5.9	6.3	6.6	6.8	7.0	7.2	7.3	7.3	7.2	7.3	7.4	7.2	7.1	7.1	6.9	6.7	6.4	*5.9	5.0	Portugal	
Slovak Republic	16.2	17.4	18.3	19.0	19.5	19.9	19.5	19.1	18.7	18.7	18.6	18.5	18.3	18.0	17.7	17.4	17.2	16.8	16.4	15.8	15.4	15.1	République slovaque	
Spain	6.6	7.7	9.0	9.6	9.9	9.7	9.5	9.2	9.1	8.9	8.8	8.7	9.0	9.1	9.6	9.8	10.0	10.3	9.8	9.3	8.7	8.5	Espagne	
Sweden	3.5	3.7	3.9	4.1	4.1	4.0	3.9	3.8	3.6	3.5	3.4	3.4	3.5	3.7	4.0	4.1	4.3	4.2	4.0	3.8	3.5	3.4	Suède	
Switzerland <sup>(1)</sup>	10.1	10.3	10.1	9.9	9.9	9.6	9.4	9.1	8.8	8.7	8.6	8.5	8.3	8.2	8.1	7.9	7.7	7.2	7.1	6.7	6.4	6.2	Suisse <sup>(1)</sup>	
United Kingdom	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	Royaume-Uni	
Euro area	9.1	9.5	10.0	10.4	10.7	10.9	10.8	10.7	10.6	10.6	10.5	10.6	10.6	10.7	10.7	10.8	10.8	10.8	10.7	10.5	10.3	10.1	Zone euro	
EU15	9.2	9.5	10.0	10.3	10.5	10.6	10.4	10.3	10.1	10.1	10.1	10.1	10.1	10.2	10.2	10.2	10.1	10.1	10.0	9.8	9.6	9.5	9.3	UE15
OECD-Totals Major seven	7.0	7.0	7.2	7.1	7.2	7.9	7.7	7.6	7.4	7.3	7.3	7.3	7.3	7.3	7.2	7.2	7.1	7.0	6.9	6.8	6.9	6.9	6.3	OCDE-Totals Sept grands

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**II. Quarterly data, seasonally adjusted – II. Données trimestrielles, corrigées des variations saisonnières**

**All persons - Ensemble des personnes**

	1998				1999				2000				2001				2002				2003				
	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	
Canada	8.1	7.9	7.9	7.5	7.0	6.8	6.7	6.9	7.0	7.1	7.2	7.6	7.9	7.5	7.6	7.5	7.7	7.9	7.5	7.4	7.4	7.2	7.1	7.1	
United States	4.4	4.3	4.3	4.2	4.1	*4.0	3.9	4.0	3.9	4.2	4.4	4.8	5.6	5.7	5.8	5.7	5.9	5.8	6.1	6.1	5.9	5.6	5.6	5.5	5.5
Australia	7.5	7.2	6.9	6.9	6.7	6.5	6.3	6.0	6.2	6.4	6.9	6.9	7.0	6.7	6.4	6.3	6.2	6.2	6.0	5.8	5.7	5.6	5.6	5.6	5.6
Japan	4.4	4.6	4.7	4.7	4.6	4.8	4.7	4.7	4.7	4.8	4.9	5.1	5.4	5.3	5.4	5.4	5.4	5.4	5.4	5.2	5.1	4.9	4.6	4.6	4.8
Korea	6.6	6.6	5.4	5.4	4.7	4.2	4.4	4.3	4.5	3.9	3.8	3.7	3.5	3.3	3.2	3.1	3.3	3.6	3.7	3.8	3.5	3.7	3.8	3.8	3.8
New Zealand	7.6	7.1	7.0	6.8	6.2	6.3	6.1	5.8	5.6	5.4	5.3	5.2	5.3	5.2	5.1	5.4	4.9	4.7	4.4	4.6	4.2	4.0	3.8	3.8	3.8
Austria	4.2	4.0	3.9	3.9	3.9	3.9	3.7	3.7	3.5	3.4	3.4	3.5	3.5	3.7	3.9	4.1	4.2	4.2	4.1	4.1	4.2	4.3	4.4	4.5	4.5
Belgium	9.2	9.1	8.9	8.5	8.5	7.9	7.3	6.9	6.7	6.6	6.5	6.6	6.6	6.9	7.1	7.3	7.4	7.6	7.9	8.0	8.1	7.9	7.8	7.7	7.7
Czech Republic	7.2	7.9	8.6	8.8	8.9	9.0	8.8	8.5	8.5	8.2	8.1	8.0	7.8	7.5	7.2	7.2	7.2	7.3	7.4	7.7	8.1	8.4	8.4	8.4	8.4
Denmark	4.9	5.0	5.0	4.8	4.6	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.5	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.3	4.3	4.3	4.4	4.6	4.9	5.3	5.5	5.7	5.7	5.6	5.3
Finland	10.8	10.5	10.2	10.0	10.0	10.1	9.9	9.6	9.4	9.2	9.0	9.0	9.2	9.1	9.1	9.1	9.0	9.0	9.0	9.0	9.0	9.0	9.0	9.0	9.0
France	11.0	10.9	10.7	10.3	9.9	9.6	9.2	8.9	8.6	8.5	8.4	8.3	8.4	8.6	8.9	9.0	9.1	9.2	9.4	9.5	9.6	9.6	9.5	9.5	9.6
Germany	8.7	8.6	8.5	8.4	8.2	7.9	7.8	7.7	7.6	7.6	7.7	7.9	8.1	8.3	8.5	8.8	9.1	9.5	9.7	9.6	9.6	9.8	9.9	9.9	9.9
Greece	10.9	11.4	11.9	11.9	12.0	11.5	11.3	11.0	10.4	10.3	10.4	10.3	10.4	10.3	10.6	10.4	10.4	9.9	9.5	9.2	9.3	9.3	9.3	9.3	9.3
Hungary	7.6	7.2	6.8	6.8	6.7	6.6	6.5	6.2	5.9	5.7	5.6	5.6	5.6	5.5	5.6	5.5	5.6	5.7	5.8	5.8	5.8	5.8	5.8	5.8	5.8
Ireland	6.7	6.2	5.8	5.5	5.1	4.7	4.4	4.1	3.9	3.8	3.8	4.1	4.3	4.3	4.3	4.4	4.4	4.5	4.6	4.7	4.6	4.6	4.6	4.6	4.5
Italy	11.7	11.5	11.3	11.2	11.0	10.9	10.5	10.3	9.9	9.7	9.5	9.4	9.2	9.0	9.0	9.0	9.0	8.8	8.7	8.6	8.5	8.5	8.5	8.5	8.5
Luxembourg	2.5	2.4	2.4	2.4	2.4	2.3	2.1	2.0	2.1	2.0	2.1	2.3	2.5	2.5	2.7	2.9	3.1	3.4	3.6	3.8	3.9	4.1	4.2	4.3	4.3
Netherlands	3.6	3.5	3.2	3.4	2.8	2.9	2.9	3.0	2.7	2.4	2.4	2.4	2.4	2.4	2.5	2.7	2.8	3.0	3.4	3.7	3.8	4.1	4.5	4.7	4.7
Norway	2.9	2.9	3.1	3.4	3.7	3.6	3.3	3.4	3.4	3.5	3.5	3.6	3.6	3.7	3.8	3.8	4.1	4.3	4.6	4.6	4.6	4.5	4.5	4.5	4.5
Poland	10.8	12.0	13.0	13.8	14.8	15.6	16.2	17.3	17.7	18.2	18.8	19.4	19.8	19.8	19.8	19.8	19.8	19.4	19.2	19.2	19.1	19.1	18.9	18.7	18.7
Portugal	4.8	4.7	4.7	4.4	4.3	4.2	4.0	4.1	3.9	4.0	3.9	4.0	4.1	4.3	4.6	5.2	5.9	6.1	6.2	6.4	6.3	6.6	6.8	6.8	6.8
Slovak Republic	13.1	*15.1	16.2	17.4	18.3	18.6	19.1	18.9	18.3	19.4	19.4	19.3	19.3	19.0	18.8	18.7	18.5	17.7	17.3	17.8	18.4	18.4	17.9	17.9	17.9
Spain	14.6	13.7	13.0	12.5	12.1	11.8	11.4	11.1	10.9	10.7	10.6	10.7	11.1	11.2	11.4	11.4	11.3	11.2	11.1	10.9	10.7	10.7	10.7	10.7	10.7
Sweden	7.5	7.2	6.8	6.7	6.3	6.0	5.8	5.5	5.1	5.0	4.8	4.8	4.9	4.9	4.8	5.1	5.4	5.6	6.0	6.2	6.4	6.4	6.4	6.4	6.4
Switzerland <sup>(1)</sup>	3.3	3.0	2.9	2.8	2.7	2.6	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.6	2.6	2.5	2.6	2.8	2.9	3.1	3.3	3.6	3.9	4.2	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.4
United Kingdom	6.1	6.1	6.0	5.8	5.7	5.4	5.3	5.2	5.0	4.9	5.1	5.1	5.1	5.1	5.2	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	4.9	4.8	4.7	4.7	4.7
Euro area	9.9	9.7	9.5	9.3	9.0	8.8	8.5	8.3	8.1	8.0	7.9	8.0	8.1	8.2	8.4	8.5	8.6	8.8	8.9	8.9	8.9	8.9	8.9	8.9	8.9
EU15	9.1	8.9	8.8	8.6	8.3	8.1	7.9	7.7	7.5	7.4	7.3	7.4	7.5	7.7	7.8	7.9	8.0	8.1	8.1	8.1	8.0	8.1	8.0	8.0	8.0
OECD-Total	6.9	6.8	6.8	6.7	6.5	*6.4	6.3	6.2	6.2	6.3	6.3	6.8	6.9	7.0	7.0	7.1	7.1	7.2	7.2	7.1	6.9	6.9	6.9	6.9	6.9
Major seven	6.2	6.2	6.1	6.0	5.9	*5.8	5.6	5.6	5.5	5.6	5.7	5.9	6.3	6.4	6.5	6.5	6.6	6.6	6.8	6.6	6.5	6.5	6.4	6.4	6.4

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**III. Monthly data, seasonally adjusted – III. Données mensuelles, corrigées des variations saisonnières**

*All persons - Ensemble des personnes*

	2000		2001		2002										2002											
	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov		
Canada	6.8	6.9	6.9	7.1	7.1	7.0	7.1	7.1	7.2	7.2	7.4	7.6	8.0	7.9	7.9	7.8	7.7	7.5	7.6	7.4	7.6	7.6	7.6	7.6	Canada	
United States	3.9	4.2	4.2	4.3	4.4	4.3	4.5	4.6	4.9	5.0	5.4	5.6	5.7	5.6	5.7	5.7	5.8	5.8	5.7	5.7	5.8	5.8	5.9	5.9	Etats-Unis	
Australia	6.3	6.3	6.6	6.5	6.8	6.9	6.9	6.9	6.9	7.2	7.2	6.9	6.8	7.0	6.7	6.5	6.4	6.4	6.5	6.2	6.3	6.4	6.1	6.3	Australie	
Japan	4.8	4.7	4.7	4.8	4.9	4.9	5.0	5.0	5.3	5.3	5.4	5.4	5.3	5.3	5.3	5.4	5.4	5.4	5.5	5.4	5.5	5.5	5.5	5.3	Japon	
Korea	4.3	4.4	4.5	4.5	4.0	3.8	3.9	3.9	3.8	3.8	3.7	3.7	3.7	3.6	3.4	3.3	3.3	3.3	3.2	3.2	3.3	3.3	3.1	3.2	Corée	
New Zealand	5.6	5.4	5.4	5.3	5.3	5.3	5.3	5.3	5.2	5.2	5.3	5.3	5.2	5.2	5.2	5.1	5.1	5.1	5.1	5.1	5.1	5.4	5.4	5.4	Nouvelle-Zélande	
Austria	3.4	3.4	3.5	3.4	3.4	3.5	3.5	3.6	3.6	3.7	3.7	3.8	3.9	4.0	4.1	4.1	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.1	Autriche	
Belgium	6.6	6.6	6.6	6.5	6.6	6.6	6.6	6.6	6.8	6.8	6.9	6.9	6.9	7.0	7.1	7.2	7.3	7.3	7.3	7.4	7.4	7.3	7.5	7.5	7.6	Belgique
Czech Republic	8.2	8.1	8.0	8.0	8.1	8.0	8.0	8.1	8.0	8.0	7.8	7.8	7.7	7.5	7.5	7.4	7.4	7.2	7.2	7.2	7.2	7.2	7.2	7.3	République tchèque	
Denmark	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.3	4.3	4.3	4.3	4.3	4.3	4.3	4.3	4.3	4.3	4.3	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.6	4.6	4.7	4.8	Danemark	
Finland	9.4	9.3	9.2	9.1	9.1	9.0	8.9	9.0	9.0	9.1	9.2	9.2	9.2	9.2	9.1	9.1	9.1	9.1	9.1	9.1	9.1	9.0	9.0	9.0	Finlande	
France	8.6	8.5	8.5	8.4	8.4	8.4	8.4	8.3	8.3	8.3	8.4	8.4	8.4	8.5	8.6	8.7	8.8	8.9	8.9	9.0	9.1	9.1	9.1	9.1	France	
Germany	7.6	7.6	7.6	7.7	7.7	7.7	7.8	7.8	7.8	7.9	8.0	8.1	8.1	8.2	8.3	8.3	8.3	8.3	8.5	8.7	8.7	8.8	8.8	8.9	Allemagne	
Greece	10.4	10.3	10.3	10.4	10.4	10.4	10.3	10.3	10.3	10.3	10.6	10.6	10.6	10.4	10.4	10.4	10.4	10.4	10.4	10.4	10.4	10.4	9.5	Grèce		
Hungary	5.8	5.8	5.7	5.7	5.6	5.6	5.6	5.6	5.6	5.6	5.5	5.5	5.5	5.5	5.5	5.5	5.5	5.5	5.6	5.6	5.6	5.6	5.7	5.7	Hongrie	
Ireland	3.9	3.8	3.8	3.8	3.8	3.8	3.8	3.8	3.8	3.8	3.9	4.0	4.1	4.1	4.2	4.3	4.4	4.3	4.3	4.3	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.4	Irlande	
Italy	9.8	9.8	9.7	9.6	9.5	9.5	9.5	9.5	9.5	9.4	9.4	9.3	9.2	9.1	9.0	9.0	9.0	9.0	9.0	9.0	9.0	9.0	9.0	8.9	Italie	
Luxembourg	2.1	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.1	2.1	2.1	2.2	2.2	2.3	2.4	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.6	2.6	2.6	2.7	2.8	2.8	2.9	3.0	Luxembourg	
Netherlands	3.1	2.9	2.7	2.4	2.3	2.5	2.4	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.4	2.4	2.4	2.4	2.4	2.4	2.4	2.6	2.6	2.7	2.8	2.8	2.9	Pays-Bas	
Norway	3.5	3.6	3.4	3.3	3.3	3.5	3.6	3.7	3.6	3.7	3.8	3.7	3.7	3.7	3.7	3.8	3.9	3.9	3.9	3.7	3.7	3.7	3.8	4.0	Norvège	
Poland	17.4	17.5	17.6	17.8	18.0	18.3	18.4	18.6	18.8	19.0	19.2	19.4	19.6	19.7	19.7	19.8	19.8	19.9	19.7	19.7	19.8	19.8	19.9	19.8	Pologne	
Portugal	3.9	4.0	4.0	3.9	3.9	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.1	4.1	4.1	4.2	4.3	4.4	4.5	4.6	4.7	5.0	5.1	5.4	5.8	6.0	Portugal	
Slovak Republic	18.5	19.1	19.6	19.6	19.5	19.4	19.3	19.3	19.4	19.4	19.4	19.4	19.2	19.1	19.1	19.1	19.1	19.1	18.8	18.8	18.7	18.7	18.6	18.5	République slovaque	
Spain	10.8	10.7	10.7	10.6	10.6	10.6	10.5	10.5	10.6	10.6	10.6	10.7	10.8	11.0	11.0	11.1	11.2	11.2	11.3	11.3	11.4	11.4	11.5	11.5	Espagne	
Sweden	4.9	5.1	5.0	5.0	4.8	4.9	4.7	4.7	4.8	4.9	5.0	4.7	4.9	4.9	4.9	4.9	4.8	4.8	4.8	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.1	5.1	Suède	
Switzerland <sup>(1)</sup>	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.6	2.6	2.6	2.6	2.8	2.8	2.8	2.9	2.9	3.1	3.1	3.3	3.3	3.3	3.3	3.3	3.3	Suisse <sup>(1)</sup>	
United Kingdom	5.1	5.0	5.0	4.9	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.1	5.1	5.1	5.1	5.1	5.1	5.1	5.1	5.1	5.1	5.2	5.2	5.2	5.2	5.1	5.1	Royaume-Uni	
Euro area	8.1	8.0	8.0	7.9	7.9	8.0	8.0	8.0	8.1	8.1	8.2	8.2	8.2	8.3	8.4	8.4	8.4	8.5	8.5	8.6	8.6	8.7	8.7	Zone euro		
EU15	7.5	7.4	7.4	7.3	7.3	7.3	7.3	7.3	7.4	7.4	7.4	7.5	7.5	7.6	7.6	7.7	7.7	7.8	7.8	7.8	7.8	7.8	7.9	7.9	UE15	
OECD-Totals	6.2	6.2	6.2	6.2	6.3	6.3	6.4	6.4	6.5	6.6	6.7	6.8	6.9	6.9	6.9	6.9	6.9	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	OCDE-Totals	
Major seven	5.5	5.6	5.6	5.6	5.7	5.7	5.8	5.8	5.8	5.9	5.9	5.9	5.9	5.9	5.9	5.9	5.9	6.5	6.6	6.6	6.6	6.6	6.6	6.6	Sept grands	

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	2002		2003		2004																				
	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	
Canada	7.5	7.5	7.5	7.4	7.6	7.9	7.7	8.0	7.9	7.6	7.5	7.4	7.4	7.5	7.3	7.2	7.3	7.2	7.2	7.1	7.1	7.1	7.3	Canada	
United States	6.0	5.8	5.9	5.8	6.0	6.1	6.3	6.2	6.1	6.1	5.9	5.7	5.6	5.6	5.6	5.6	5.6	5.6	5.6	5.5	5.4	5.4	5.5	Etats-Unis	
Australia	6.2	6.2	6.1	6.3	6.2	6.2	6.2	5.9	5.9	5.7	5.7	5.7	5.6	5.6	5.6	5.6	5.6	5.6	5.6	5.7	5.5	5.5	5.3	5.2	Australie
Japan	5.5	5.5	5.2	5.4	5.4	5.4	5.3	5.3	5.1	5.1	5.2	4.9	5.0	5.0	4.7	4.7	4.6	4.6	4.6	4.9	4.8	4.6	4.6	4.7	Japon
Korea	3.1	3.3	3.2	3.3	3.4	3.5	3.7	3.8	3.7	3.8	3.8	3.7	3.5	3.5	3.5	3.6	3.7	3.7	3.7	3.9	3.8	3.8	3.8	3.8	Corée
New Zealand	4.9																								Nouvelle-Zélande
Austria	4.1	4.1	4.1	4.1	4.1	4.2	4.3	4.3	4.3	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.5	4.5	4.5	4.5	4.5	4.5	4.5	4.5	4.5	4.5	4.5	4.5	Autriche
Belgium	7.7	7.8	7.9	7.9	8.0	8.0	8.1	8.1	8.0	7.9	7.9	7.8	7.8	7.8	7.7	7.7	7.7	7.7	7.7	7.7	7.7	7.7	7.7	7.7	Belgique
Czech Republic	7.3	7.4	7.4	7.5	7.6	7.7	7.8	7.9	7.9	8.0	8.1	8.2	8.4	8.4	8.4	8.4	8.4	8.4	8.4	8.4	8.4	8.4	8.4	8.4	République tchèque
Denmark	4.9	5.1	5.3	5.4	5.4	5.4	5.4	5.4	5.7	5.7	5.7	5.7	5.7	5.6	5.6	5.5	5.5	5.5	5.4	5.4	5.3	5.3	5.3	5.3	Danemark
Finland	9.0	9.0	9.0	9.0	9.0	9.0	9.0	9.0	9.0	9.0	8.9	8.9	9.0	9.0	9.0	9.0	9.0	9.0	9.0	9.0	9.0	9.0	9.0	9.0	Finlande
France	9.1	9.1	9.2	9.3	9.4	9.4	9.5	9.5	9.5	9.5	9.6	9.6	9.6	9.6	9.6	9.5	9.5	9.5	9.5	9.5	9.5	9.5	9.5	9.5	France
Germany	9.2	9.4	9.5	9.6	9.7	9.8	9.7	9.7	9.7	9.7	9.7	9.7	9.6	9.6	9.6	9.6	9.6	9.6	9.6	9.6	9.6	9.6	9.6	9.6	Allemagne
Greece	9.5	9.4	9.4	9.4	9.2	9.2	9.2	9.2	9.2	9.2	9.3	9.3	9.3	9.3	9.3	9.3	9.3	9.3	9.3	9.3	9.3	9.3	9.3	9.3	Grèce
Hungary	5.7	5.8	5.8	5.8	5.8	5.8	5.7	5.7	5.7	5.7	5.7	5.7	5.7	5.8	5.8	5.8	5.8	5.8	5.8	5.8	5.8	5.8	5.8	5.8	Hongrie
Ireland	4.4	4.5	4.5	4.5	4.5	4.6	4.6	4.6	4.7	4.7	4.7	4.6	4.6	4.6	4.6	4.6	4.6	4.6	4.6	4.6	4.5	4.5	4.5	4.4	Irlande
Italy	8.9	8.8	8.8	8.7	8.7	8.6	8.6	8.6	8.5	8.5	8.5	8.5	8.5	8.5	8.5	8.5	8.5	8.5	8.5	8.5	8.5	8.5	8.5	8.5	Italie
Luxembourg	3.2	3.3	3.4	3.5	3.5	3.6	3.7	3.7	3.8	3.8	3.8	3.9	3.9	4.0	4.0	4.1	4.1	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.3	Luxembourg
Netherlands	3.0	3.2	3.4	3.5	3.6	3.7	3.8	3.7	3.8	3.9	4.0	4.1	4.3	4.4	4.4	4.5	4.6	4.6	4.7	4.7	4.7	4.7	4.7	4.7	Pays-Bas
Norway	4.1	4.3	4.2	4.3	4.5	4.6	4.7	4.6	4.6	4.6	4.6	4.6	4.6	4.6	4.6	4.6	4.6	4.6	4.6	4.5	4.5	4.5	4.5	4.4	Norvège
Poland	19.7	19.5	19.4	19.3	19.3	19.2	19.2	19.2	19.2	19.2	19.1	19.1	19.1	19.1	19.1	19.1	19.1	19.0	19.0	18.9	18.9	18.8	18.7	18.6	Pologne
Portugal	6.0	6.1	6.2	6.3	6.3	6.2	6.2	6.3	6.3	6.3	6.4	6.4	6.3	6.3	6.2	6.2	6.2	6.4	6.5	6.5	6.7	6.8	6.8	6.7	Portugal
Slovak Republic	18.3	18.0	17.7	17.4	17.3	17.2	17.2	17.3	17.3	17.4	17.6	17.6	18.1	18.1	18.3	18.4	18.5	18.5	18.5	18.3	18.1	17.9	17.8	17.7	République slovaque
Spain	11.5	11.4	11.4	11.4	11.3	11.3	11.3	11.3	11.3	11.3	11.2	11.2	11.2	11.2	11.1	11.1	11.1	11.1	11.0	10.9	10.9	10.7	10.6	10.5	Espagne
Sweden	5.1	5.2	5.3	5.4	5.4	5.5	5.6	5.7	5.6	5.6	6.0	6.1	6.1	6.1	6.3	6.3	6.3	6.6	6.6	6.4	6.2	6.7	6.3	6.3	Suède
Switzerland <sup>(1)</sup>	3.6	3.6	3.9	4.2	4.2	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.3	4.3	4.3	4.3	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.4	Suisse <sup>(1)</sup>
United Kingdom	4.9	5.0	5.1	5.0	5.0	4.9	5.0	5.0	4.9	4.9	4.9	4.9	4.9	4.9	4.8	4.8	4.7	4.7	4.7	4.7	4.6	4.6	4.5	4.5	Royaume-Uni
Euro area	8.7	8.7	8.8	8.9	8.9	8.9	8.9	8.9	8.9	8.9	8.9	8.9	8.9	8.9	8.9	8.9	8.9	8.9	8.9	8.9	8.9	8.9	8.9	8.9	Zone euro
EU15	7.9	8.0	8.0	8.0	8.1	8.1	8.1	8.1	8.1	8.1	8.1	8.1	8.1	8.1	8.1	8.1	8.1	8.1	8.1	8.1	8.0	8.0	8.0	8.0	UE15
OECD-Totals	7.1	7.1	7.1	7.1	7.1	7.1	7.2	7.2	7.2	7.2	7.1	7.1	7.0	7.0	6.9	6.9	6.9	6.9	6.9	6.9	6.9	6.9	6.9	6.9	OCDE-Totals
Major seven	6.7	6.6	6.6	6.7	6.8	6.8	6.8	6.9	6.8	6.7	6.8	6.7	6.7	6.7	6.6	6.5	6.5	6.5	6.4	6.4	6.4	6.4	6.3	6.3	Sept grands

(1) À partir de Q3 2004, quarterly data are provisional.

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**II. Quarterly data, seasonally adjusted – II. Données trimestrielles, corrigées des variations saisonnières**

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	1998				1999				2000				2001				2002				2003				2004						
	Q4		Q1		Q2		Q3		Q4		Q1		Q2		Q3		Q4		Q1		Q2		Q3		Q4		Q1		Q2		
Canada	8.5	8.2	8.0	7.8	7.2	6.9	6.9	7.0	7.0	7.2	7.5	7.4	8.1	8.5	8.0	7.9	8.0	7.7	8.1	8.3	7.9	7.8	7.6	7.4	7.4	7.4	5.6	5.6			
United States	4.3	4.2	4.1	4.1	4.0	*3.9	3.8	3.9	4.3	4.5	4.9	5.7	5.8	5.9	5.9	6.1	6.1	6.5	6.4	6.1	5.7	5.7	5.7	5.7	5.7	5.6	5.6	5.6			
Australia	7.9	7.5	7.3	7.0	6.5	6.4	6.5	6.4	6.5	6.9	7.1	7.1	7.2	7.0	6.7	6.4	6.3	6.3	6.2	5.8	5.4	5.7	5.5	5.5	5.5	5.5	5.5	5.5			
Japan	4.5	4.7	5.0	4.8	4.7	5.0	4.8	4.8	4.9	4.9	5.1	5.2	5.6	5.4	5.5	5.6	5.6	5.6	5.4	5.2	5.2	4.8	4.8	4.8	4.8	4.8	4.8	4.8	4.8		
Korea																															
New Zealand	7.6	7.5	7.2	7.0	6.2	6.4	6.1	6.1	5.7	5.4	5.4	5.1	5.3	5.1	4.9	5.3	4.7	4.7	4.4	4.2	4.1	3.7	3.5	3.5	3.5	3.5	3.5	3.5	3.5		
Austria	3.6	3.4	3.3	3.3	3.4	3.4	3.2	3.0	2.9	3.0	3.2	3.0	3.2	3.0	3.2	3.6	3.8	4.0	4.0	3.9	3.9	4.0	4.0	3.9	3.9	3.9	3.9	3.9	3.9		
Belgium	10.4	10.3	10.1	9.7	8.7	7.8	7.3	7.5	7.8	8.0	8.2	8.5	8.5	8.7	9.0	9.5	9.9	9.9	10.2	10.1	9.5	9.1	8.9	8.8	8.8	8.8	8.8	8.8	8.8		
Czech Republic	6.5	7.2	7.4	7.7	7.6	7.4	7.2	6.9	6.7	6.7	6.7	6.5	6.2	5.9	5.8	5.8	5.8	5.8	6.0	6.3	6.6	7.1	7.2	7.4	7.4	7.4	7.4	7.4	7.4		
Denmark	4.1	4.4	4.4	4.2	4.1	4.0	4.1	4.0	3.9	3.8	3.8	4.0	4.1	4.3	4.6	4.6	4.7	5.0	5.2	5.4	5.4	5.3	5.3	5.1	5.1	5.1	5.1	5.1	5.1		
Finland	10.2	10.2	9.7	9.4	9.5	9.4	9.1	8.9	8.7	8.5	8.5	8.7	8.9	8.9	9.2	9.2	9.1	9.1	9.2	9.0	9.1	9.0	8.8	8.7	8.7	8.7	8.7	8.7	8.7		
France	9.4	9.2	8.8	8.4	8.1	7.7	7.4	7.1	6.9	6.9	7.0	7.3	7.6	7.9	8.1	8.2	8.3	8.5	8.6	8.7	8.7	8.7	8.7	8.7	8.7	8.7	8.7	8.7	8.7		
Germany	8.3	8.2	8.0	7.9	7.6	7.5	7.5	7.4	7.5	7.5	7.6	7.6	7.9	7.8	8.2	8.4	8.7	9.0	9.4	9.8	10.1	10.1	10.0	10.1	10.1	10.1	10.1	10.1	10.1		
Greece	7.0	7.5	7.7	7.8	8.0	7.4	7.5	7.2	6.7	6.7	6.7	6.9	7.0	7.2	7.0	6.5	6.5	6.5	6.5	6.0	6.0	5.8	5.8	5.8	5.8	5.8	5.8	5.8	5.8	5.8	
Hungary	8.0	7.7	7.3	7.2	7.2	7.0	6.7	6.7	6.3	6.3	6.2	6.1	6.0	6.0	6.0	6.0	6.0	6.0	6.1	6.1	5.9	5.8	5.8	5.7	5.7	5.7	5.7	5.7	5.7		
Ireland	6.9	6.3	5.9	5.6	5.1	4.7	4.4	4.1	3.9	3.8	3.8	3.9	4.2	4.5	4.6	4.7	4.7	4.8	4.9	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0		
Italy	9.0	8.6	8.7	8.5	8.4	8.1	7.8	7.6	7.4	7.3	7.3	7.1	6.9	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	6.7	6.6	6.6	6.6	6.6	6.6	6.6	6.6	6.6	6.6			
Luxembourg	1.8	1.8	1.8	1.8	1.9	1.8	1.8	1.7	1.7	1.7	1.7	1.7	1.9	1.9	2.0	2.0	2.2	2.5	2.8	3.1	3.2	3.3	3.5	3.5	3.5	3.5	3.5	3.5	3.5		
Netherlands	2.6	2.1	2.3	2.2	2.4	2.3	2.2	2.1	2.1	2.1	2.1	2.1	2.0	2.0	2.1	2.1	2.4	2.7	2.9	3.2	3.6	4.0	4.3	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.4		
Norway	3.0	3.2	3.7	3.9	4.0	3.7	3.4	3.5	3.5	3.5	3.7	3.8	4.0	3.9	4.0	4.0	4.2	4.4	4.6	4.9	5.3	5.1	4.8	4.9	4.9	4.9	4.9	4.9	4.9		
Poland	9.2	10.4	11.4	12.2	13.1	13.8	14.3	14.8	15.4	15.9	16.7	17.4	18.2	18.7	18.9	19.2	19.2	18.8	18.6	18.5	18.5	18.5	18.4	18.4	18.4	18.4	18.4	18.4			
Portugal	3.8	3.9	4.1	3.9	3.7	3.6	3.3	3.2	3.0	3.0	3.1	3.2	3.4	3.6	3.9	4.2	4.8	5.2	5.4	5.5	5.5	5.4	5.4	5.4	5.4	5.4	5.4	5.4			
Slovak Republic	12.4	*14.7	16.0	17.5	18.8	19.3	19.0	18.4	19.9	19.9	19.7	19.6	19.0	18.7	18.5	18.3	18.3	17.5	17.0	17.0	17.8	17.4	17.4	17.4	17.4	17.4	17.4				
Spain	10.5	9.8	9.2	8.8	8.5	8.2	8.0	7.7	7.6	7.5	7.4	7.5	7.8	7.9	8.1	8.2	8.2	8.2	8.2	8.2	8.1	8.1	7.9	7.9	7.9	7.9	7.9	7.9	7.9		
Sweden	7.5	7.0	6.6	6.5	6.4	6.3	6.2	5.9	5.2	5.3	5.2	5.1	5.2	5.1	5.3	5.5	5.6	5.6	5.6	5.6	6.0	6.4	6.6	6.6	6.6	6.6	6.6	6.6	6.6		
Switzerland	2.8	2.6	2.5	2.5	2.4	2.3	2.1	2.0	1.8	1.8	2.0	2.4	2.7	3.0	3.2	3.4	3.7	3.9	4.1	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0			
United Kingdom	6.8	6.6	6.4	6.3	6.2	5.9	5.7	5.6	5.5	5.4	5.6	5.6	5.6	5.6	5.6	5.7	5.6	5.6	5.6	5.6	5.4	5.4	5.1	5.1	5.1	5.1	5.1	5.1	5.1		
Euro area	8.3	8.1	7.9	7.7	7.5	7.3	7.0	6.9	6.7	6.7	6.8	6.9	7.1	7.2	7.3	7.4	7.4	7.4	7.4	7.3	7.3	7.3	7.3	7.3	7.3	7.3	7.3	7.3	7.3		
EU15	7.9	7.8	7.6	7.4	7.2	7.0	6.8	6.6	6.4	6.4	6.6	6.7	6.9	7.1	7.2	7.3	7.4	7.4	7.4	7.4	7.4	7.4	7.4	7.4	7.4	7.4	7.4	7.4	7.4		
OECD-Total	6.4	6.3	6.2	6.1	*6.0	5.8	5.8	5.8	5.8	5.8	6.0	6.2	6.5	6.6	6.7	6.8	6.9	7.0	7.0	6.8	6.7	6.7	6.7	6.7	6.7	6.7	6.7	6.7	6.7		
Major seven	5.9	5.9	5.8	5.6	*5.6	5.4	5.3	5.3	5.5	5.4	5.3	5.5	5.6	5.8	6.3	6.4	6.4	6.5	6.6	6.7	6.8	6.6	6.4	6.4	6.4	6.4	6.4	6.4	6.4	6.4	

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**TAUX DE CHÔMAGE STANDARDISÉS DE CERTAINS PAYS DE L'OCDE**

**III. Monthly data, seasonally adjusted – III. Données mensuelles, corrigées des variations saisonnières**

**Males – Hommes**

	2001												2002											
	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov
Canada	6.9	7.0	7.2	7.5	7.4	7.5	7.3	7.5	7.4	7.7	8.0	8.5	8.2	8.1	8.0	7.9	8.0	7.7	7.9	8.1	8.0	8.0	8.0	8.0
United States	4.0	4.2	4.3	4.3	4.5	4.4	4.6	4.6	4.6	4.9	5.0	5.5	5.7	5.8	5.8	5.9	5.9	5.9	5.9	5.9	5.9	5.9	5.9	6.1
Australia	6.6	6.6	6.9	6.8	7.0	7.1	7.1	7.2	7.1	7.2	7.3	7.2	6.8	7.2	7.0	6.9	6.7	6.5	6.2	6.4	6.4	6.1	6.3	6.3
Japan	4.9	4.9	4.9	5.0	5.1	5.2	5.2	5.3	5.6	5.7	5.7	5.5	5.4	5.4	5.5	5.5	5.5	5.5	5.5	5.7	5.7	5.5	5.5	5.5
Korea	4.9	5.1	5.1	4.4	4.3	4.3	4.3	4.2	4.2	4.1	4.0	4.1	4.0	4.0	3.7	3.6	3.7	3.6	3.6	3.8	3.4	3.4	3.5	3.5
New Zealand	5.7	5.7	5.4	5.4	5.4	5.4	5.1	5.1	5.1	5.3	5.3	5.1	5.1	5.1	5.1	4.9	4.9	4.9	4.9	4.9	5.3	5.3	5.3	5.3
Austria	2.8	2.8	2.9	2.9	2.9	3.0	3.0	3.1	3.2	3.3	3.4	3.6	3.7	3.8	3.8	3.9	3.9	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0	3.9
Belgium	5.7	5.7	5.8	5.8	5.9	6.0	6.0	6.0	6.1	6.3	6.3	6.3	6.4	6.5	6.5	6.5	6.5	6.6	6.7	6.8	6.8	6.8	7.0	7.2
Czech Republic	6.8	6.8	6.7	6.7	6.7	6.7	6.7	6.7	6.7	6.7	6.7	6.5	6.5	6.4	6.3	6.2	6.1	6.0	5.9	5.9	5.8	5.8	5.8	5.8
Denmark	4.0	3.9	3.9	3.8	3.8	3.8	3.8	3.8	3.8	3.9	3.9	3.9	4.0	4.0	4.1	4.2	4.3	4.3	4.4	4.5	4.5	4.6	4.6	4.8
Finland	8.6	8.6	8.5	8.5	8.5	8.5	8.5	8.6	8.6	8.7	8.8	8.9	8.9	8.9	9.0	9.1	9.2	9.2	9.2	9.2	9.1	9.1	9.1	
France	7.0	6.9	6.9	6.9	6.9	7.0	7.0	7.1	7.2	7.3	7.3	7.5	7.6	7.7	7.8	7.9	8.0	8.1	8.1	8.1	8.1	8.1	8.2	8.2
Germany	7.4	7.4	7.5	7.5	7.6	7.6	7.7	7.8	7.8	8.0	8.1	8.2	8.3	8.3	8.4	8.4	8.5	8.7	8.9	8.9	9.0	9.1	9.2	9.4
Greece	6.7	6.7	6.7	6.7	6.9	6.9	6.9	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.2	7.2	7.2	7.2	7.0	7.0	6.5	6.5	6.5	6.5	6.5	6.5	6.6	6.6
Hungary	6.4	6.3	6.3	6.2	6.2	6.2	6.2	6.1	6.1	6.0	6.0	5.9	5.9	6.0	6.0	6.0	5.9	5.9	6.0	6.0	6.0	6.0	6.0	6.0
Ireland	3.9	3.9	3.8	3.8	3.8	3.9	3.9	4.0	4.1	4.3	4.4	4.4	4.5	4.6	4.6	4.6	4.6	4.6	4.6	4.7	4.7	4.7	4.7	4.7
Italy	7.5	7.5	7.4	7.4	7.3	7.3	7.3	7.3	7.2	7.2	7.1	7.0	6.9	6.9	6.9	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0
Luxembourg	1.7	1.7	1.6	1.7	1.7	1.7	1.7	1.7	1.7	1.7	1.8	1.8	1.9	1.9	1.9	1.9	2.0	2.1	2.1	2.2	2.3	2.4	2.5	2.5
Netherlands	2.3	2.2	2.1	2.0	2.1	2.0	2.1	2.0	2.1	2.1	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.1	2.2	2.3	2.4	2.5	2.6	2.7	2.8
Norway	3.6	3.6	3.4	3.4	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.8	3.8	3.8	3.8	4.1	4.1	4.1	3.9	3.9	4.1	4.0	4.0	4.2	4.5	4.5
Poland	15.6	15.7	15.9	16.1	16.4	16.7	16.9	17.2	17.4	17.7	18.0	18.2	18.5	18.6	18.7	18.8	18.9	19.0	19.1	19.2	19.2	19.3	19.2	19.2
Portugal	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.1	3.2	3.2	3.3	3.3	3.4	3.4	3.5	3.5	3.6	3.7	3.8	3.9	4.0	4.1	4.2	4.4	4.4	4.7	4.9
Slovak Republic	18.7	19.5	20.1	20.1	19.9	19.8	19.7	19.7	19.7	19.7	19.6	19.3	19.1	19.0	18.8	18.6	18.7	18.7	18.6	18.5	18.4	18.3	18.3	18.3
Spain	7.6	7.5	7.5	7.5	7.5	7.4	7.4	7.5	7.5	7.5	7.6	7.7	7.7	7.7	7.9	7.9	8.0	8.0	8.1	8.1	8.2	8.2	8.2	8.2
Sweden	5.1	5.1	5.4	5.1	5.2	5.1	5.2	5.1	5.2	5.1	5.2	5.3	5.2	5.3	5.2	5.1	5.1	5.1	5.2	5.2	5.4	5.5	5.5	5.5
Switzerland	2.0	2.0	1.8	1.8	1.8	1.8	1.8	1.8	1.8	2.0	2.0	2.4	2.4	2.4	2.7	2.7	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.2
United Kingdom	5.6	5.7	5.5	5.4	5.3	5.5	5.5	5.6	5.6	5.6	5.6	5.6	5.6	5.6	5.7	5.7	5.6	5.7	5.7	5.8	5.7	5.6	5.5	5.5
Euro area	6.7	6.6	6.6	6.7	6.7	6.7	6.8	6.8	6.9	6.9	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.1	7.1	7.3	7.4	7.4	7.5	7.5	7.6	7.6	7.6	7.6
EU15	6.5	6.4	6.4	6.4	6.4	6.4	6.4	6.4	6.5	6.5	6.6	6.6	6.6	6.7	6.7	6.8	6.9	7.0	7.0	7.1	7.1	7.2	7.2	7.2
OECD-Totals	5.8	5.9	5.9	5.9	5.9	5.9	5.9	6.0	6.0	6.1	6.2	6.4	6.6	6.6	6.6	6.7	6.7	6.7	6.7	6.8	6.8	6.9	6.9	6.9
Major seven	5.3	5.4	5.4	5.4	5.5	5.5	5.6	5.6	5.7	5.7	5.9	6.2	6.3	6.3	6.4	6.4	6.5	6.5	6.6	6.6	6.6	6.6	6.6	6.6

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**III. Monthly data, seasonally adjusted – III. Données mensuelles, corrigées des variations saisonnières**

**Males – Hommes**

	2003												2004													
	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov		
Canada	7.9	7.8	7.8	7.7	7.8	8.2	8.1	8.3	8.4	8.3	8.0	7.9	7.7	7.8	7.9	7.6	7.6	7.4	7.3	7.4	7.2	7.4	7.4	7.4		
United States	6.2	6.1	6.1	6.1	6.3	6.5	6.7	6.6	6.4	6.4	6.2	6.2	5.8	5.7	5.8	5.7	5.8	5.6	5.5	5.6	5.6	5.6	5.6	5.5	5.5	
Australia	6.3	6.4	6.3	6.2	6.4	6.2	6.2	6.1	5.8	5.7	5.7	5.4	5.6	5.6	5.7	5.5	5.6	5.5	5.6	5.4	5.5	5.5	5.5	5.2	5.2	
Japan	5.5	5.6	5.6	5.7	5.6	5.6	5.6	5.5	5.4	5.3	5.3	5.1	5.3	5.4	4.9	4.7	4.9	5.3	4.8	4.8	4.8	4.8	4.8	4.8	4.8	
Korea	3.5	3.4	3.5	3.6	3.8	3.9	3.9	3.9	4.0	4.0	4.0	3.9	3.9	3.8	3.5	3.5	3.6	3.9	3.8	4.2	4.1	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0	
New Zealand	4.7		4.7		4.4		4.4		4.2		4.1		4.1		4.1		3.7		3.5		3.5		3.5		3.5	
Austria	3.9	3.9	3.9	3.8	3.9	3.9	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0	3.9	3.9	3.9	3.9	3.9	3.9	3.9	3.9	3.9	3.9	
Belgium	7.3	7.4	7.5	7.6	7.7	7.7	7.7	7.8	7.8	7.6	7.5	7.3	7.2	7.2	7.1	7.0	6.9	6.9	6.9	6.9	6.9	6.9	6.9	6.9	6.9	
Czech Republic	5.8	5.7	5.8	5.9	6.0	6.1	6.2	6.3	6.3	6.3	6.5	6.6	6.8	7.1	7.1	7.2	7.2	7.3	7.4	7.3	7.4	7.4	7.5	7.5	7.5	
Denmark	4.9	5.1	5.1	5.0	5.2	5.3	5.3	5.4	5.4	5.4	5.5	5.4	5.4	5.4	5.3	5.2	5.2	5.1	5.1	5.1	5.1	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	
Finland	9.0	9.1	9.1	9.2	9.3	9.2	9.1	9.0	9.0	9.0	9.1	9.1	9.1	9.1	9.1	9.0	8.8	8.7	8.7	8.7	8.7	8.7	8.7	8.7	8.7	
France	8.2	8.2	8.3	8.4	8.5	8.5	8.6	8.6	8.6	8.7	8.7	8.7	8.7	8.7	8.7	8.7	8.6	8.6	8.6	8.6	8.6	8.6	8.6	8.6	8.6	
Germany	9.5	9.7	9.8	9.9	10.0	10.1	10.1	10.1	10.1	10.1	10.1	10.1	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.1	10.1	10.2	10.2	10.2	10.3	10.3	10.3	
Greece	6.2	6.1	6.1	6.1	6.0	6.0	6.0	5.8	5.8	5.8	5.8	5.8	5.8	5.8	5.8	5.8	5.8	5.8	5.8	5.8	5.8	5.8	5.8	5.8	5.8	
Hungary	6.0	6.1	6.1	6.2	6.1	6.1	6.0	5.9	5.9	5.9	5.9	5.9	5.9	5.9	5.9	5.9	5.9	5.9	5.9	5.9	5.9	5.9	5.9	5.9	5.9	
Ireland	4.7	4.8	4.8	4.8	4.9	4.9	4.9	4.9	4.9	4.9	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	
Italy	7.0	7.1	7.0	6.9	6.8	6.7	6.7	6.6	6.6	6.6	6.6	6.6	6.6	6.6	6.6	6.6	6.6	6.6	6.6	6.6	6.6	6.6	6.6	6.6	6.6	
Luxembourg	2.5	2.7	2.8	2.9	3.0	3.1	3.1	3.1	3.1	3.1	3.1	3.1	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.3	3.4	3.5	3.5	3.5	3.5	3.5	3.5	3.5	
Netherlands	2.9	3.0	3.3	3.4	3.5	3.6	3.6	3.5	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.8	3.9	4.0	4.2	4.3	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.4	
Norway	4.5	4.6	4.5	4.6	4.7	5.0	5.1	5.3	5.4	5.2	5.0	5.0	4.9	4.9	4.9	4.8	4.8	4.9	4.9	4.9	4.9	4.9	4.9	4.9	4.9	
Poland	19.1	18.9	18.8	18.7	18.6	18.5	18.5	18.5	18.5	18.5	18.5	18.5	18.5	18.5	18.5	18.4	18.4	18.4	18.4	18.4	18.4	18.4	18.4	18.4		
Portugal	5.0	5.1	5.3	5.3	5.3	5.4	5.4	5.5	5.5	5.5	5.6	5.6	5.6	5.6	5.6	5.4	5.3	5.4	5.4	5.4	5.4	5.4	5.4	5.4	5.4	
Slovak Republic	18.1	17.7	17.4	17.2	17.1	16.9	16.9	17.0	17.0	17.1	17.2	17.4	17.6	17.8	17.8	17.7	17.6	17.5	17.2	16.9	16.7	16.5	16.3	16.3	16.3	
Spain	8.2	8.2	8.2	8.2	8.2	8.2	8.2	8.2	8.2	8.2	8.2	8.2	8.2	8.2	8.2	8.1	8.1	8.1	8.1	8.0	8.0	7.9	7.9	7.9	7.9	
Sweden	5.5	5.5	5.7	5.8	5.8	6.0	6.0	6.1	6.1	6.1	6.1	6.1	6.3	6.6	6.5	6.8	6.5	6.6	6.6	6.5	6.5	6.5	6.5	6.5	6.5	
Switzerland	3.4	3.7	3.7	3.7	3.9	5.5	5.5	5.4	5.4	5.4	4.1	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0	
United Kingdom	5.3	5.6	5.6	5.6	5.5	5.5	5.5	5.4	5.4	5.4	5.4	5.4	5.4	5.4	5.4	5.3	5.1	5.1	5.1	5.1	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	
Euro area	7.7	7.7	7.8	7.8	7.9	7.9	7.9	7.9	7.9	7.9	7.9	7.9	7.9	7.9	7.9	7.9	7.9	7.9	7.9	7.9	7.9	7.9	7.9	7.9	7.9	
EU15	7.2	7.3	7.3	7.4	7.4	7.4	7.4	7.4	7.4	7.4	7.4	7.4	7.3	7.3	7.3	7.3	7.3	7.3	7.3	7.3	7.3	7.3	7.3	7.3	7.3	
OECD-Totals	6.9	6.9	6.9	6.9	6.9	7.0	7.0	7.1	7.0	7.0	6.9	6.9	6.8	6.7	6.7	6.7	6.7	6.7	6.7	6.6	6.6	6.6	6.6	6.6	6.6	
Major seven	6.7	6.7	6.7	6.7	6.7	6.8	6.8	6.9	7.0	6.9	6.9	6.9	6.8	6.8	6.7	6.7	6.4	6.4	6.4	6.4	6.4	6.4	6.3	6.3	6.3	



Pourcentage de la population active civile, cvs

Autriche  
 Belgique  
 République tchèque  
 Danemark  
 Finlande  
 France  
 Allemagne  
 Grèce  
 Hongrie  
 Irlande  
 Italie  
 Luxembourg  
 Pays-Bas  
 Norvège  
 Pologne  
 Portugal  
 République slovaque  
 Espagne  
 Suède  
 Suisse  
 Royaume-Uni

Zone euro  
 UE15

OCDE-Totals  
 Sept grands

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## I. Annual data – I. Données annuelles

Females – Femmes



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## II. Quarterly data, seasonally adjusted – II. Données trimestrielles, corrigées des variations saisonnières

Females – Femmes

	1992				1993				1994				1995				1996				1997				1998					
	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3														
Canada	10.7	10.3	11.0	10.6	10.5	10.2	10.1	9.6	9.1	9.2	8.9	9.1	8.9	9.0	9.0	9.5	9.6	9.0	9.1	8.7	8.7	8.5	8.0	7.7	7.7	7.7	7.7			
United States	7.0	6.8	6.7	6.4	6.5	6.4	6.1	5.9	5.6	5.5	5.7	5.7	5.6	5.5	5.4	5.3	5.5	5.3	5.1	5.0	4.7	4.8	4.6	4.6	4.6	4.6	4.6	4.6		
Austria	9.5	9.7	9.5	9.9	10.3	9.3	9.0	8.9	8.5	8.3	7.6	7.5	8.0	7.6	7.9	7.9	7.9	7.9	8.1	7.7	7.4	7.2	7.2	7.2	7.2	7.2	7.2	7.2		
Japan	2.4	2.5	2.5	2.6	2.9	3.0	2.9	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.2	3.3	3.3	3.4	3.3	3.4	3.4	3.4	3.4	3.5	3.4	3.5	3.5	4.0	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.2		
Korea																														
New Zealand	9.7	8.8	9.3	8.6	8.4	8.5	7.7	7.2	7.0	6.4	6.4	6.1	6.4	6.1	6.2	6.4	6.4	6.4	6.7	6.4	6.9	6.5	7.1	7.6	7.1	7.1	7.1	7.1		
Austria	4.8	5.0	5.1	5.0	5.0	4.9	4.9	4.9	4.9	4.9	4.9	4.9	4.9	4.9	4.9	4.9	4.9	5.0	5.1	5.2	5.3	5.3	5.3	5.3	5.4	5.5	5.5	5.5		
Belgium	10.3	10.8	11.2	11.7	12.1	12.5	12.8	12.8	12.6	12.6	12.7	12.6	12.7	12.8	12.9	12.7	12.4	12.1	11.9	11.8	11.8	11.8	11.8	11.8	11.8	11.8	11.8	11.8		
Czech Republic	5.5	5.5	5.4	5.3	5.3	5.2	5.2	5.1	5.0	4.9	4.8	4.5	4.4	4.4	4.6	4.6	4.6	4.9	4.9	5.1	5.1	5.6	5.6	5.6	5.6	5.6	5.6	5.6	5.6	
Denmark	9.6	9.9	10.2	9.9	9.4	8.9	8.5	8.3	8.2	8.1	8.1	8.1	8.1	8.0	7.9	7.8	7.5	7.5	6.8	6.6	6.4	6.1	6.1	6.2	6.2	6.2	6.2	6.2	6.2	
Finland	11.3	13.0	14.6	15.2	15.4	15.6	15.0	14.6	14.5	14.7	15.0	15.3	15.1	14.7	14.6	14.9	14.5	13.9	13.5	12.9	12.4	12.3	12.3	12.2	12.2	12.2	12.2	12.2		
France	12.3	12.6	12.9	13.2	13.4	13.7	13.6	13.6	13.5	13.3	13.1	13.2	13.4	13.5	13.5	13.4	13.4	13.4	13.5	13.5	13.4	13.4	13.3	13.3	13.3	13.3	13.3	13.3		
Germany	8.6	8.8	9.2	9.6	9.9	10.0	10.0	9.7	9.5	9.4	9.3	9.3	9.4	9.3	9.4	9.5	9.5	9.8	10.1	10.4	10.6	10.6	10.6	10.6	10.6	10.6	10.6	10.6		
Greece																														
Hungary	9.0	10.8	10.3	10.3	10.1	*9.8	9.6	9.1	8.9	8.6	8.4	8.8	9.1	*8.9	8.9	8.7	8.6	7.8	7.8	8.2	8.4	8.3	8.3	8.1	8.1	8.1	8.1	8.1	8.1	
Ireland	16.2	16.4	16.2	15.8	15.7	15.4	15.0	14.4	13.7	13.0	12.5	12.2	12.3	12.1	11.8	11.8	11.2	10.8	10.3	9.6	8.8	8.0	7.5	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0		
Italy	13.4	13.8	14.6	14.7	15.0	15.2	15.0	15.4	15.9	16.2	16.2	15.9	16.1	15.9	16.0	15.9	16.0	16.0	16.0	16.0	16.0	16.0	16.0	16.0	16.0	16.0	16.0	16.0	16.0	
Luxembourg	2.8	3.3	3.5	4.0	4.1	4.0	4.1	4.0	4.2	4.3	4.3	4.3	4.3	4.3	4.4	4.4	4.5	4.4	4.4	4.0	4.0	3.8	3.8	4.0	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.2	
Netherlands	6.9	7.3	7.3	7.5	7.6	7.7	7.7	7.8	8.3	8.2	8.2	7.9	7.8	7.8	7.7	7.7	7.7	7.4	6.9	6.6	6.6	6.5	6.5	6.5	6.5	6.5	6.5	6.5		
Norway	5.7	5.6	5.9	5.8	5.0	5.3	5.4	5.5	5.7	5.2	4.9	4.7	4.9	4.7	4.9	4.8	4.8	4.8	4.8	4.5	4.5	4.5	4.5	4.5	4.5	4.5	4.5	4.5	4.5	
Poland	15.2	15.0	15.9	16.3	16.6	16.3	15.9	15.9	15.8	15.4	14.3	14.6	14.6	14.1	14.3	13.7	13.6	*13.5	13.1	12.9	12.3	12.0	11.9	12.1	12.1	12.1	12.1	12.1		
Portugal	5.5	5.9	6.5	7.0	7.5	7.8	7.8	7.9	8.2	8.3	8.1	8.0	8.0	8.3	8.2	8.2	8.5	8.2	8.1	8.0	7.8	7.6	7.2	*7.3	6.2	6.1	6.1	6.1	6.1	
Slovak Republic																														
Spain	22.1	23.1	23.8	24.5	25.1	25.7	25.1	24.5	25.1	26.0	26.4	26.2	25.9	25.3	25.2	24.9	24.8	24.6	24.3	24.0	23.7	23.5	23.3	22.9	22.7	22.1	21.8	21.8	21.8	
Sweden	5.2	6.1	7.4	7.7	8.0	7.9	7.8	7.7	7.5	7.6	7.8	7.5	7.6	7.8	8.5	8.5	8.9	9.2	9.4	9.8	10.1	9.3	8.8	8.3	8.0	8.0	8.0	8.0	8.0	
Switzerland	4.2	4.5	4.7	4.9	4.8	4.6	4.5	4.4	4.3	4.1	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.1	4.2	4.2	4.1	4.0	4.1	4.2	4.1	4.1	4.1	4.1	4.1	4.1	4.1	
United Kingdom	7.6	7.7	7.7	7.6	7.6	7.4	7.1	7.0	6.8	6.9	6.8	6.7	6.5	6.2	6.3	6.2	6.3	6.0	5.9	5.8	5.5	5.4	5.4	5.4	5.4	5.4	5.4	5.4	5.4	
Euro area	11.6	11.9	12.4	12.7	13.0	13.2	13.2	13.0	13.2	13.2	13.1	13.0	13.1	13.1	13.1	13.1	13.1	13.1	13.1	13.1	13.1	13.1	13.1	12.9	12.6	12.4	12.4	12.4		
EU15	10.6	10.9	11.3	11.6	11.8	11.9	11.9	11.8	11.8	11.8	11.7	11.7	11.7	11.7	11.7	11.7	11.7	11.7	11.6	11.6	11.5	11.5	11.1	10.9	10.9	10.9	10.9	10.9		
OECD-Total Major seven	7.3	7.3	7.5	7.4	7.5	7.4	7.5	7.4	7.3	7.3	8.4	8.3	8.0	7.9	7.9	7.9	7.8	7.8	7.8	7.7	7.7	7.6	7.5	7.5	7.5	7.5	7.5	7.5	7.5	

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**II. Quarterly data, seasonally adjusted – II. Données trimestrielles, corrigées des variations saisonnières**

**Females – Femmes**

	1998				1999				2000				2001				2002				2003				2004					
	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	
Canada	7.6	7.5	7.7	7.1	6.7	6.6	6.5	6.8	6.7	6.7	6.6	6.9	7.1	7.1	7.2	7.1	7.1	7.3	7.4	7.0	7.0	6.8	6.9	6.9	6.9	6.9	6.9	6.9		
United States	4.6	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.1	*4.2	4.1	4.2	3.9	4.2	4.3	4.8	5.4	5.5	5.5	5.7	5.5	5.7	5.5	5.6	5.6	5.6	5.4	5.4	5.4	5.4	5.4	5.4	5.4	
Australia	7.6	6.9	6.7	6.6	6.4	6.3	6.3	5.7	5.9	6.2	6.6	6.6	6.5	6.3	6.0	6.2	6.1	6.0	6.1	6.1	6.1	5.5	5.5	5.8	5.8	5.8	5.8	5.8	5.8	
Japan	4.4	4.5	4.4	4.6	4.4	4.5	4.6	4.4	4.5	4.6	4.6	4.9	5.0	5.1	5.1	5.1	5.1	5.1	5.0	4.9	4.9	4.5	4.4	4.5	4.5	4.5	4.5	4.5	4.5	
Korea	5.6	5.6	4.4	3.9	3.5	3.7	3.5	3.5	3.3	3.2	3.2	3.0	3.0	2.7	2.7	2.7	2.7	2.5	3.0	3.3	3.4	3.3	3.3	3.4	3.4	3.4	3.4	3.4	3.4	
New Zealand	7.6	6.7	6.7	6.5	6.2	6.2	6.1	5.6	5.4	5.3	5.1	5.4	5.3	5.4	5.3	5.4	5.5	5.1	5.2	5.0	4.7	5.0	4.9	4.9	4.9	4.9	4.9	4.9	4.9	
Austria	5.1	4.8	4.7	4.7	4.6	4.6	4.4	4.2	4.2	4.1	4.1	4.2	4.3	4.5	4.5	4.5	4.5	4.5	4.3	4.3	4.3	4.5	4.8	5.0	5.2	5.2	5.2	5.2	5.2	
Belgium	11.2	10.8	10.5	10.2	9.6	9.1	8.6	8.3	7.9	7.6	7.4	7.4	7.8	8.0	8.2	8.1	8.2	8.3	8.4	8.5	8.5	8.6	8.7	8.8	8.8	8.8	8.8	8.8	8.8	
Czech Republic	9.0	9.6	10.2	10.6	10.5	10.6	10.6	10.1	9.9	9.8	9.7	9.6	9.4	9.1	8.8	8.9	9.2	9.5	9.5	9.5	9.5	9.5	9.7	9.7	9.7	9.7	9.7	9.7	9.7	
Denmark	5.7	5.6	5.3	4.9	4.8	4.7	4.8	5.0	5.0	5.0	4.8	4.6	4.6	4.5	4.5	4.7	5.1	5.5	5.9	6.0	6.0	5.9	5.7	5.6	5.6	5.6	5.6	5.6	5.6	
Finland	11.3	10.9	10.7	10.5	10.6	10.8	10.7	10.4	10.2	10.0	9.5	9.5	9.6	9.4	9.1	8.9	8.8	8.9	8.8	8.9	8.9	9.0	9.0	9.0	9.0	9.0	9.0	9.0	9.0	
France	12.8	12.7	12.4	12.1	11.7	11.4	11.0	10.8	10.5	10.3	10.1	9.9	9.7	9.7	10.0	10.1	10.2	10.3	10.5	10.6	10.6	10.6	10.5	10.6	10.6	10.6	10.6	10.6	10.6	
Germany	9.2	8.9	8.8	8.7	8.4	8.1	8.0	7.8	7.8	7.8	8.0	8.1	8.2	8.3	8.5	8.7	9.1	9.3	9.2	9.2	9.2	9.2	9.3	9.4	9.4	9.4	9.4	9.4	9.4	
Greece	16.8	17.1	18.2	17.9	18.1	17.5	16.9	16.6	15.7	15.6	15.6	15.6	15.8	15.8	15.6	15.6	15.0	14.9	14.4	14.3	13.9	14.1	14.4	14.4	14.4	14.4	14.4	14.4	14.4	
Hungary	7.0	6.5	6.3	6.2	6.1	6.0	5.8	5.5	5.3	5.0	4.9	4.9	4.9	5.0	5.1	5.2	5.2	5.3	5.4	5.5	5.6	5.6	5.6	5.6	5.6	5.6	5.6	5.6	5.6	5.6
Ireland	6.5	6.0	5.6	5.4	5.1	4.7	4.4	4.1	3.9	3.8	3.7	3.7	3.7	3.8	3.9	3.9	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.1	4.0	3.9	3.9	3.9	3.9	3.9	
Italy	16.2	15.9	15.7	15.3	15.1	14.8	14.5	14.2	13.6	13.2	12.9	12.8	12.5	12.3	12.3	12.1	12.1	11.9	11.7	11.6	11.6	11.4	11.4	11.4	11.4	11.4	11.4	11.4		
Luxembourg	3.6	3.4	3.3	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.1	2.7	2.5	2.4	2.7	3.1	3.4	3.7	3.9	4.0	4.3	4.6	4.8	5.0	5.2	5.3	5.3	5.3	5.3	5.3	5.3	5.3	5.3	
Netherlands	4.6	4.7	4.5	4.9	3.6	3.6	3.9	4.2	3.5	2.9	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.1	3.5	4.1	4.4	4.8	5.1	5.2	5.2	5.2	5.2	5.2	5.2	5.2	
Norway	2.9	2.8	2.9	3.1	3.4	3.2	2.9	3.3	3.4	3.2	3.5	3.7	3.5	3.7	3.5	3.7	3.6	3.9	4.3	4.3	4.0	3.8	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0	
Poland	12.7	13.8	14.8	15.7	16.7	17.7	18.4	18.9	19.4	19.7	20.1	20.4	20.8	21.0	20.7	20.6	20.5	20.2	20.0	19.9	19.9	19.9	19.8	19.7	19.7	19.7	19.7	19.7	19.7	
Portugal	6.0	5.8	5.4	5.0	5.0	5.0	4.9	5.2	4.9	5.1	5.0	5.0	4.9	5.1	5.5	6.3	7.2	7.1	7.3	7.1	7.4	7.3	7.4	7.4	7.4	7.4	7.4	7.4	7.4	
Slovak Republic	13.7	*15.7	17.4	18.0	18.4	18.8	18.7	18.2	18.9	18.8	18.8	19.0	19.1	19.0	18.7	18.0	17.5	17.6	18.3	18.3	19.6	19.6	19.6	19.6	19.6	19.6	19.6	19.6		
Spain	21.2	19.9	19.1	18.5	17.8	17.4	16.8	16.5	16.0	15.6	15.5	15.4	15.5	16.1	16.3	16.4	16.4	16.3	16.0	15.8	15.6	15.4	15.0	14.6	14.6	14.6	14.6	14.6	14.6	
Sweden	7.5	7.3	7.0	6.8	6.2	5.8	5.5	5.0	4.9	4.8	4.4	4.4	4.6	4.6	4.6	4.6	4.6	5.1	5.0	5.2	5.6	5.8	6.2	6.2	6.2	6.2	6.2	6.2	6.2	
Switzerland	3.8	3.7	3.6	3.5	3.3	3.2	3.1	3.2	3.2	3.3	3.3	3.5	3.3	3.3	3.2	3.2	3.5	3.9	4.2	4.6	4.7	4.8	4.8	4.8	4.8	4.8	4.8	4.8	4.8	
United Kingdom	5.2	5.1	5.1	5.1	4.8	4.7	4.5	4.4	4.3	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.5	4.5	4.5	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.2	4.2	4.3	4.3	4.3	4.3	4.3	4.3	4.3
Euro area	12.1	11.9	11.7	11.4	11.1	10.8	10.5	10.0	9.8	9.6	9.6	9.6	9.7	9.8	9.9	9.9	10.1	10.2	10.2	10.2	10.2	10.2	10.2	10.2	10.2	10.2	10.2	10.2	10.2	
EU15	10.7	10.5	10.3	10.1	9.8	9.5	9.3	9.1	8.8	8.6	8.5	8.5	8.6	8.7	8.7	8.8	8.9	9.0	9.0	9.0	9.0	9.0	9.0	9.0	9.0	9.0	9.0	9.0	9.0	
OECD-Total	7.5	7.4	7.3	7.3	7.0	*7.0	6.9	6.8	6.7	6.7	6.9	7.2	7.2	7.3	7.3	7.3	7.3	7.4	7.4	7.4	7.4	7.3	7.2	7.2	7.2	7.2	7.2	7.2	7.2	
Major seven	6.6	6.5	6.4	6.4	6.2	*6.1	6.0	5.9	5.8	5.8	5.8	6.1	6.4	6.5	6.6	6.6	6.6	6.6	6.6	6.7	6.7	6.6	6.5	6.5	6.4	6.4	6.4	6.4	6.4	

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**III. Monthly data, seasonally adjusted – III. Données mensuelles, corrigées des variations saisonnières**

**Females – Femmes**

	2001												2002												
	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	
Canada	6.6	6.7	6.7	6.7	6.6	6.5	6.7	6.9	6.8	6.9	7.1	7.4	7.0	7.2	7.2	7.3	7.2	7.1	7.1	7.2	7.1	7.2	7.0	7.0	
United States	3.8	4.1	4.2	4.2	4.3	4.2	4.4	4.5	4.8	5.0	5.2	5.4	5.7	5.5	5.6	5.9	5.7	5.6	5.7	5.5	5.5	5.6	5.6	5.6	
Australia	5.8	5.9	6.2	6.1	6.6	6.6	6.8	6.6	6.5	6.5	6.6	7.0	6.5	6.6	7.2	6.3	6.0	6.0	6.5	6.2	6.3	6.1	6.1	6.1	
Japan	4.6	4.6	4.5	4.5	4.6	4.6	4.7	4.7	4.9	5.2	4.9	5.0	5.1	5.0	5.2	4.9	5.2	5.3	5.2	5.1	5.0	5.1	4.8	4.8	
Korea	3.5	3.4	3.6	3.5	3.5	3.2	3.3	3.3	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.1	2.9	2.9	2.8	2.8	2.5	2.8	2.7	2.6	2.6	2.5	
New Zealand	5.4	5.4	5.3	5.3	5.1																				
Austria	4.2	4.2	4.1	4.1	4.1	4.1	4.1	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.3	4.3	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.5	4.5	4.5	4.5	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.3	4.3
Belgium	7.8	7.7	7.6	7.5	7.4	7.4	7.4	7.4	7.6	7.8	7.8	7.8	7.9	7.9	7.9	8.0	8.2	8.2	8.2	8.2	8.2	8.1	8.1	8.2	
Czech Republic	9.9	9.8	9.8	9.7	9.7	9.7	9.7	9.7	9.7	9.6	9.5	9.4	9.3	9.2	9.1	9.0	8.8	8.8	8.8	8.9	8.9	9.0	9.1	9.1	
Denmark	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.1	5.1	5.1	5.0	4.9	4.9	4.8	4.7	4.6	4.6	4.5	4.5	4.4	4.5	4.5	4.5	4.5	4.6	4.7	4.8	5.0	
Finland	10.2	10.1	10.0	9.8	9.7	9.5	9.4	9.4	9.4	9.5	9.6	9.6	9.6	9.5	9.4	9.3	9.2	9.1	9.0	9.0	8.9	8.9	8.9	8.9	
France	10.4	10.3	10.2	10.2	10.1	10.0	9.9	9.9	9.9	9.8	9.8	9.8	9.7	9.7	9.7	9.8	9.9	10.0	10.0	10.1	10.2	10.2	10.2	10.2	
Germany	7.8	7.8	7.8	7.8	7.8	7.8	7.9	7.9	7.9	8.0	8.1	8.1	8.2	8.2	8.2	8.2	8.3	8.3	8.5	8.5	8.5	8.5	8.6	8.8	
Greece	15.7	15.6	15.6	15.6	15.6	15.6	15.6	15.6	15.6	15.2	15.2	15.2	15.8	15.8	15.6	15.6	15.6	15.6	15.6	15.6	15.0	15.0	14.9	14.4	
Hungary	5.2	5.1	5.0	5.0	4.9	4.9	4.9	4.9	4.9	4.9	4.9	4.9	4.8	4.8	4.9	4.9	5.0	5.1	5.1	5.1	5.2	5.2	5.2	5.2	
Ireland	3.9	3.8	3.8	3.8	3.7	3.8	3.8	3.7	3.7	3.7	3.7	3.8	3.8	3.8	3.9	3.9	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0	
Italy	13.5	13.2	13.1	12.9	12.9	12.9	12.9	12.8	12.7	12.7	12.6	12.5	12.4	12.4	12.4	12.3	12.3	12.3	12.2	12.2	12.1	12.1	11.9		
Luxembourg	2.6	2.5	2.4	2.4	2.4	2.4	2.5	2.6	2.6	2.7	2.8	2.9	3.1	3.2	3.3	3.4	3.5	3.6	3.6	3.8	3.8	3.9	3.9	3.9	
Netherlands	4.0	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	
Norway	3.5	3.6	3.2	3.2	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	
Poland	19.5	19.6	19.7	19.8	19.9	20.1	20.2	20.3	20.4	20.5	20.7	20.8	20.9	20.9	21.0	21.0	21.0	21.0	21.0	20.7	20.5	20.6	20.5	20.5	
Portugal	4.9	5.0	5.1	5.1	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	4.9	4.9	4.9	4.9	5.0	5.0	5.1	5.1	5.2	5.4	5.5	5.7	6.0	6.2	6.6	7.0	
Slovak Republic	18.3	18.7	19.0	18.9	18.8	18.7	18.8	18.7	18.8	18.9	19.0	19.0	19.0	19.1	19.1	19.1	19.1	19.0	18.9	18.9	18.8	18.7	18.7		
Spain	15.9	15.7	15.6	15.6	15.5	15.5	15.4	15.3	15.4	15.4	15.4	15.4	15.5	15.6	16.0	16.2	16.2	16.2	16.3	16.3	16.4	16.3	16.4		
Sweden	4.7	4.9	4.8	4.6	4.6	4.5	4.5	4.2	4.3	4.5	4.5	4.5	4.8	4.4	4.6	4.6	4.5	4.5	4.7	4.7	4.6	4.6	4.5	4.7	
Switzerland	3.2	3.3	3.3	3.3	3.5	3.5	3.5	3.5	3.5	3.5	3.3	3.3	3.3	3.3	3.3	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.5	3.5	3.5	3.5	
United Kingdom	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.3	4.3	4.3	4.3	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.3	4.3	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.5	4.5	4.6	4.6	
Euro area	10.0	9.9	9.8	9.7	9.6	9.6	9.6	9.6	9.6	9.6	9.6	9.6	9.7	9.7	9.7	9.8	9.8	9.9	9.9	9.9	9.9	10.0	10.0	10.0	
EU15	8.8	8.7	8.7	8.6	8.5	8.5	8.5	8.5	8.5	8.5	8.5	8.5	8.5	8.5	8.5	8.6	8.6	8.7	8.7	8.7	8.8	8.8	8.8	8.8	
OECD-Totals	6.6	6.7	6.7	6.7	6.7	6.7	6.7	6.8	6.8	6.9	7.0	7.1	7.1	7.3	7.2	7.2	7.3	7.3	7.3	7.3	7.3	7.3	7.3	7.3	
Major seven	5.7	5.8	5.8	5.8	5.8	5.8	5.8	5.9	6.0	6.1	6.3	6.3	6.4	6.4	6.5	6.5	6.6	6.6	6.6	6.6	6.6	6.6	6.6	6.6	



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**Females – Femmes**

	2002			2003			2004			Per cent of civilian labour force, sa – Pourcentage de la population active civile, cvs	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	
	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug														
Canada	7.1	7.2	7.1	7.1	7.4	7.5	7.2	7.5	7.5	7.0	6.9	7.0	6.9	6.8	6.9	7.1	6.7	6.9	7.0	6.9	7.0	6.9	
United States	5.7	5.4	5.6	5.6	5.6	5.7	5.9	5.7	5.8	5.7	5.5	5.6	5.5	5.4	5.3	5.6	5.3	5.3	5.2	5.3	5.3	5.3	
Australia	6.0	6.3	6.0	6.3	6.0	6.1	6.1	6.3	6.1	6.0	6.1	6.2	6.1	5.6	5.7	5.5	5.7	6.0	5.8	5.5	5.3	5.3	
Japan	5.3	5.4	5.0	4.9	5.1	5.0	4.8	4.9	4.8	4.9	4.9	4.7	4.7	4.5	4.4	4.5	4.4	4.2	4.4	4.6	4.3	4.5	
Korea	2.5	3.1	2.9	2.9	3.1	3.3	3.4	3.5	3.3	3.5	3.5	3.8	3.5	3.3	3.3	3.5	3.4	3.4	3.4	3.3	3.3	3.5	
New Zealand	5.1				5.2		5.0		4.7		5.0		5.0		4.9		4.9		4.5		4.1		
Austria	4.3	4.3	4.3	4.3	4.3	4.5	4.6	4.7	4.8	4.9	5.0	5.0	5.1	5.2	5.2	5.3	5.2	5.2	5.2	5.2	5.2	5.3	
Belgium	8.3	8.3	8.3	8.3	8.4	8.4	8.5	8.5	8.5	8.5	8.5	8.6	8.6	8.6	8.7	8.7	8.7	8.8	8.8	8.7	8.8	9.0	
Czech Republic	9.2	9.4	9.4	9.6	9.7	9.9	9.9	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.1	10.1	10.0	10.0	10.1	10.0	9.9	9.9	9.8	9.7	9.7	9.6	
Denmark	5.1	5.3	5.5	5.7	5.8	5.9	6.1	6.0	6.0	6.1	6.1	6.0	6.0	5.9	5.8	5.7	5.7	5.6	5.6	5.6	5.5	5.5	
Finland	8.9	8.9	8.8	8.8	8.8	8.8	8.9	8.9	8.9	8.9	8.8	8.8	8.9	8.9	9.1	9.2	9.2	9.2	9.0	8.9	8.8	8.8	
France	10.2	10.2	10.3	10.3	10.4	10.5	10.5	10.6	10.6	10.6	10.6	10.6	10.6	10.6	10.6	10.6	10.5	10.5	10.6	10.6	10.6	10.6	
Germany	8.9	9.0	9.1	9.2	9.3	9.3	9.3	9.3	9.2	9.2	9.2	9.2	9.2	9.2	9.2	9.3	9.3	9.3	9.4	9.4	9.5	9.5	
Greece	14.4	14.3	14.3	14.3	13.9	13.9	13.9	13.9	14.1	14.1	14.1	14.1	14.4	14.4	14.4	14.4	14.4	14.4	14.4	14.4	14.4	14.4	
Hungary	5.2	5.3	5.3	5.4	5.4	5.4	5.4	5.5	5.5	5.5	5.6	5.6	5.6	5.7	5.7	5.8	5.8	5.9	5.9	5.9	5.9	5.9	
Ireland	4.0	4.0	4.1	4.1	4.1	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.1	4.1	4.1	4.0	4.0	3.9	3.9	4.0	3.9	
Italy	11.9	11.8	11.7	11.7	11.6	11.6	11.7	11.7	11.6	11.5	11.4	11.4	11.4	11.3	11.3	11.3	11.3	11.3	11.3	11.3	11.3	11.3	
Luxembourg	4.1	4.2	4.3	4.4	4.4	4.6	4.6	4.7	4.8	4.8	4.9	5.0	5.0	5.1	5.2	5.2	5.3	5.3	5.2	5.2	5.3	5.4	
Netherlands	3.1	3.4	3.5	3.7	3.8	3.9	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.4	4.6	4.7	4.8	4.9	5.1	5.1	5.2	5.1	5.2	
Norway	3.7	3.8	4.0	4.0	4.3	4.2	4.4	4.1	3.8	3.7	3.6	4.1	4.1	4.0	3.7	3.7	3.9	4.1	4.1	4.1	4.0	3.9	
Poland	20.4	20.2	20.1	20.1	20.0	20.0	20.0	20.0	19.9	19.9	19.9	19.9	19.9	19.9	19.9	19.9	19.8	19.8	19.8	19.7	19.7	19.6	
Portugal	7.2	7.0	7.1	7.2	7.3	7.4	7.3	7.1	7.0	7.2	7.4	7.4	7.3	7.2	7.2	7.3	7.3	7.3	7.3	7.3	7.3	7.3	
Slovak Republic	18.6	18.3	17.9	17.7	17.5	17.4	17.5	17.6	17.8	18.0	18.3	18.6	18.9	19.1	19.4	19.6	19.7	19.6	19.7	19.4	19.4	19.4	
Spain	16.4	16.3	16.3	16.3	16.0	15.9	16.0	15.8	15.8	15.8	15.6	15.6	15.6	15.4	15.4	15.3	15.1	14.9	14.7	14.6	14.5	14.4	
Sweden	4.7	5.8	4.8	4.9	4.9	4.9	5.0	5.0	5.2	5.3	5.2	5.7	5.5	5.7	6.0	6.3	6.2	6.0	6.0	6.5	6.5	6.2	
Switzerland	3.9		4.2		4.6		4.2		4.7		4.7		4.7		4.8		4.8		4.8		4.8		
United Kingdom	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.3	4.3	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.3	4.3	4.3	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.3	4.3	4.3	4.1	4.1	4.1	
Euro area	10.0	10.1	10.2	10.2	10.2	10.2	10.2	10.2	10.2	10.2	10.2	10.2	10.2	10.2	10.2	10.2	10.2	10.2	10.2	10.2	10.2	10.2	
EU15	8.8	8.9	8.9	8.9	9.0	9.0	9.0	9.0	9.0	9.0	9.0	9.0	9.0	9.0	9.0	9.0	9.0	9.0	9.0	9.0	9.0	8.9	
OECD-Totals Major seven	7.3	7.3	7.3	7.3	7.3	7.4	7.4	7.4	7.4	7.4	7.4	7.4	7.4	7.4	7.4	7.4	7.4	7.4	7.4	7.4	7.4	7.4	
	6.7	6.6	6.6	6.6	6.7	6.7	6.7	6.7	6.7	6.7	6.7	6.7	6.7	6.7	6.7	6.7	6.6	6.5	6.5	6.4	6.4	6.3	

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	1998				1999				2000				2001				2002				2003				
	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	
Canada	14.6	14.2	14.7	13.8	13.2	12.7	12.5	12.8	12.5	12.6	12.5	12.8	13.6	13.8	13.7	13.5	13.6	13.2	13.8	14.3	13.7	14.1	13.7	13.5	
United States	9.9	10.0	9.9	9.9	9.8	*9.6	9.4	9.2	9.1	9.7	10.2	10.7	11.8	12.1	11.9	11.9	12.1	11.9	12.9	12.7	12.1	11.8	11.9	11.8	
Australia	14.0	13.7	13.4	13.2	12.9	12.3	12.2	11.6	12.2	13.1	14.0	13.6	14.0	13.4	12.8	12.8	12.7	12.5	12.6	12.0	11.7	11.9	11.5	11.7	
Japan	8.3	8.8	9.2	9.4	9.3	8.7	8.8	9.1	9.9	9.1	9.4	10.0	9.9	10.2	9.8	10.1	9.6	10.3	10.6	9.8	10.0	9.7	9.3	9.6	
Korea	14.8	14.2	14.5	14.1	12.1	13.8	13.5	12.5	12.7	12.3	11.8	11.6	11.5	10.9	11.5	12.9	10.8	11.2	10.2	11.4	10.2	11.2	10.2	10.7	
New Zealand																									
Austria	5.9	5.5	5.3	5.3	5.4	5.5	5.3	5.2	5.3	5.5	5.6	5.9	6.2	6.5	6.7	6.8	6.7	6.8	7.5	8.6	9.4	9.8	9.7	9.7	
Belgium	23.2	23.9	22.6	20.3	18.1	16.8	16.5	16.7	17.2	17.6	17.6	17.7	17.6	17.7	17.8	18.8	19.8	20.7	21.1	21.6	20.7	20.2	19.8	19.7	
Czech Republic	15.0	16.5	17.8	18.2	18.3	17.8	18.1	17.7	17.6	17.3	17.4	17.6	17.4	17.0	16.8	16.8	17.0	17.5	18.4	18.7	19.7	20.4	21.7	21.5	
Denmark	8.0	9.2	9.6	8.7	7.6	7.0	6.5	6.9	7.7	8.3	8.7	8.4	7.9	7.6	7.4	7.9	8.5	9.5	10.3	10.1	9.7	8.7	8.2	7.9	
Finland	22.5	21.9	20.7	20.6	21.6	21.9	21.6	21.2	20.6	20.0	19.7	19.8	20.5	21.4	21.2	20.6	20.9	21.8	22.4	21.9	21.1	20.8	20.9	20.9	
France	24.9	24.5	24.1	23.1	22.1	21.2	20.3	19.7	19.2	19.1	19.2	19.4	19.7	19.8	20.0	20.1	20.1	20.4	21.1	21.6	21.6	21.6	21.8	21.8	
Germany	9.3	9.0	8.6	8.7	8.7	8.7	8.5	8.7	8.1	8.0	8.1	8.5	8.9	9.2	9.0	10.0	10.2	10.6	11.2	11.1	10.7	10.8	11.1	11.3	
Greece	30.4	31.5	32.3	31.7	32.0	30.6	30.0	29.5	27.6	28.5	28.5	27.4	27.9	27.4	26.3	26.1	25.9	25.7	25.8	26.6	27.8	27.7	27.7	27.7	
Hungary	13.6	12.9	12.5	12.6	12.5	12.5	12.4	12.0	11.4	11.1	11.0	11.2	11.1	11.5	11.7	11.8	13.1	13.3	13.4	13.8	14.3	14.8	14.9		
Ireland	10.1	9.3	8.6	8.2	7.6	7.2	6.8	6.5	6.3	6.3	6.5	6.8	7.3	7.8	8.0	8.0	8.1	8.2	8.5	8.5	8.5	8.5	8.3		
Italy	33.8	33.3	32.3	31.8	31.9	31.5	31.3	30.7	29.2	28.4	28.1	28.2	27.6	27.5	27.2	27.1	27.1	27.4	27.0	26.9	26.8				
Luxembourg	6.7	6.8	7.2	6.8	7.1	7.1	7.2	7.2	7.3	7.4	7.2	7.4	7.2	7.6	7.7	8.5	9.4	10.5	11.3	11.6	12.4	12.5	13.3	13.0	
Netherlands	7.2	7.1	6.8	8.2	5.3	5.6	6.1	6.3	6.0	5.6	5.2	5.2	5.7	4.9	4.9	5.3	5.7	6.4	6.9	6.4	6.9	7.9	8.2	7.7	
Norway	8.3	8.6	9.3	9.8	10.5	10.3	9.2	10.2	10.4	9.8	9.9	10.7	10.9	11.3	11.4	10.7	11.3	11.4	11.7	12.1	11.5	10.9	11.9		
Poland	24.2	27.0	29.1	31.0	33.2	34.7	35.9	36.7	37.8	38.6	39.3	40.1	41.1	41.9	41.7	41.8	42.0	41.7	41.4	40.9	40.6	40.3	40.0	39.4	
Portugal	10.3	9.8	9.4	9.0	8.8	9.0	8.8	8.9	8.9	8.9	9.2	9.3	9.8	10.4	11.1	12.0	12.7	13.6	14.2	14.8	15.2	15.0	14.9		
Slovak Republic	27.4	*31.4	33.6	35.5	36.1	36.1	37.5	37.1	37.5	39.2	39.2	38.9	38.6	38.3	38.2	37.4	36.4	34.8	33.6	33.7	33.9	33.9	33.1		
Spain	29.7	27.6	26.1	24.8	24.1	23.7	22.6	22.0	21.9	21.6	21.5	21.3	21.7	22.0	22.4	22.9	22.7	22.6	22.8	22.6	22.4	21.7			
Sweden	14.0	13.3	12.5	11.9	11.4	10.6	11.1	10.3	9.8	11.0	10.3	10.9	11.6	12.4	11.4	11.5	12.4	12.9	13.2	14.5	15.6	16.6	16.2		
Switzerland																									
United Kingdom	13.4	13.2	12.9	12.5	12.3	12.7	12.2	12.1	12.1	12.0	11.5	12.0	12.2	12.1	12.0	12.2	12.0	12.4	12.4	11.8	11.8	12.0			
Euro area	20.0	19.4	18.7	18.3	17.7	17.4	16.9	16.6	16.1	15.8	15.7	15.8	16.0	16.3	16.4	16.7	17.1	17.2	17.3	17.3	17.4	17.4	17.4		
EU15	18.2	17.7	17.2	16.8	16.3	16.0	15.6	15.3	14.9	14.7	14.6	14.7	14.8	14.9	15.1	15.3	15.5	15.8	15.9	15.9	15.9	15.9	15.9		
OECD-Total	13.8	13.7	13.6	13.6	13.3	*13.1	12.9	12.8	12.7	12.9	13.1	13.5	14.0	14.1	14.1	14.3	14.8	14.6	14.3	14.2	14.2	14.1	14.1		
Major seven	12.4	12.4	12.2	12.1	12.0	*11.7	11.5	11.4	11.2	11.3	11.6	12.0	12.6	12.8	12.8	12.9	13.0	13.6	13.4	13.0	12.9	12.9	12.9		



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	2000			2001			2002			Per cent of civilian labour force, sa — Pourcentage de la population active civile, cvs	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	
	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug														
Canada	12.3	12.0	12.9	12.9	13.1	12.0	12.5	12.6	12.7	13.1	12.9	13.9	14.0	13.6	13.9	13.5	14.1	13.6	13.4	13.7	13.5	13.7	
United States	9.2	9.6	9.8	10.2	10.0	10.4	10.2	11.2	10.8	11.6	11.6	12.2	12.1	11.8	12.4	12.2	11.6	11.8	12.0	12.0	11.7	11.8	
Australia	12.5	12.3	13.4	13.5	13.7	14.1	14.1	13.1	13.7	14.6	13.8	13.6	14.0	13.4	12.8	12.6	12.5	13.2	12.2	12.9	12.9	12.8	
Japan	10.4	9.6	8.7	9.0	9.2	9.6	9.5	9.6	10.9	10.3	9.6	10.0	10.0	10.7	9.9	9.8	9.6	10.0	10.3	10.1	9.8	9.4	
Korea	10.4	10.1	10.9	11.0	10.3	10.0	10.1	9.7	9.5	10.2	10.0	10.4	10.2	9.7	8.7	8.7	8.3	8.2	9.0	9.3	7.8	8.3	
New Zealand	12.7																						
Austria	5.4	5.4	5.5	5.5	5.5	5.6	5.6	5.7	5.8	5.9	6.0	6.1	6.2	6.3	6.4	6.5	6.6	6.7	6.7	6.7	6.8	6.8	
Belgium	16.8	17.0	17.2	17.4	17.5	17.6	17.5	17.5	17.7	17.9	17.7	17.5	17.5	17.5	17.7	17.8	17.8	17.9	18.4	19.0	19.1	19.8	
Czech Republic	17.5	17.3	17.1	17.5	17.5	17.7	17.4	17.7	17.7	17.3	17.1	16.9	17.1	17.0	16.9	16.8	16.8	16.7	16.7	17.0	17.1	16.8	
Denmark	7.9	8.1	8.4	8.6	8.8	8.7	8.5	8.3	8.2	8.0	7.9	7.8	7.7	7.6	7.5	7.5	7.4	7.4	7.7	7.9	8.1	8.6	
Finland	20.4	20.2	20.0	19.8	19.7	19.7	19.6	19.7	19.8	20.0	20.2	20.5	20.9	21.2	21.5	21.6	21.5	21.2	20.9	20.7	20.6	20.5	
France	19.1	19.1	19.1	19.2	19.2	19.3	19.4	19.4	19.4	19.6	19.7	19.8	19.7	19.8	19.9	19.9	20.0	20.0	20.0	20.1	20.1	20.0	
Germany	8.1	8.0	8.0	8.0	8.1	8.3	8.4	8.4	8.6	8.8	8.8	8.9	9.1	9.2	9.3	9.4	9.8	10.7	10.1	10.1	10.2	10.7	
Greece	27.6	28.2	28.2	28.5	28.5	28.5	28.5	28.5	27.4	27.4	27.4	27.9	27.9	27.4	27.4	27.4	27.4	26.3	26.3	26.1	26.1	25.9	
Hungary	11.3	11.1	11.0	11.0	10.9	11.1	11.3	11.1	11.1	11.2	11.1	11.1	11.1	11.3	11.5	11.5	11.7	11.6	11.7	11.8	11.9	13.4	
Ireland	6.3	6.3	6.3	6.4	6.5	6.6	6.6	6.7	6.8	7.0	7.4	7.5	7.8	8.0	8.0	8.0	8.0	8.0	8.0	8.0	8.0	8.0	
Italy	28.9	28.7	28.4	28.2	27.9	28.1	28.3	28.4	28.2	27.9	27.6	27.6	27.6	27.7	27.5	27.5	27.4	27.2	27.2	27.2	27.1	26.8	
Luxembourg	7.2	7.3	7.2	7.1	7.2	7.3	7.2	7.4	7.5	7.3	7.2	7.2	7.2	7.2	7.5	7.5	7.7	7.7	8.0	8.3	8.6	9.0	
Netherlands	6.7	6.4	5.1	5.1	5.3	5.1	4.9	5.3	5.6	5.8	5.7	5.5	5.7	5.8	5.9	5.9	5.1	4.8	5.0	5.2	5.4	5.8	
Norway	10.4	10.1	9.9	9.3	9.0	9.9	10.9	11.4	10.3	10.4	10.7	11.1	10.9	11.3	11.3	11.3	11.6	11.3	10.6	10.7	11.3	11.5	
Poland	38.1	38.3	38.6	38.8	39.1	39.3	39.5	39.8	40.1	40.4	40.8	41.1	41.5	41.7	41.9	41.9	42.0	41.7	41.6	41.8	41.9	42.0	
Portugal	8.8	8.9	9.0	9.2	9.1	9.2	9.3	9.2	9.4	9.4	9.7	9.9	10.2	10.4	10.5	10.9	11.1	11.2	11.8	12.1	12.2	12.8	
Slovak Republic	37.8	38.7	39.4	39.4	39.2	39.0	38.9	38.9	38.8	38.7	38.7	38.5	38.4	38.3	38.2	38.3	38.1	37.7	37.4	37.1	36.8	36.5	
Spain	21.8	21.7	21.5	21.6	21.5	21.3	21.3	21.4	21.3	21.3	21.3	21.6	21.7	22.0	22.1	22.3	22.4	22.4	22.8	22.9	22.8	22.9	
Sweden	9.5	11.7	10.2	11.0	10.5	10.4	9.9	10.2	11.0	11.6	12.0	10.3	12.4	12.0	12.5	12.6	11.4	11.9	11.4	11.9	12.7	12.3	
Switzerland																							
United Kingdom	11.8	12.1	12.0	11.8	11.5	11.4	11.6	11.8	12.0	12.1	12.2	12.3	12.0	11.9	12.2	12.0	12.1	11.8	12.2	12.2	12.0	12.1	
Euro area	16.0	15.9	15.8	15.6	15.6	15.7	15.7	15.7	15.8	15.9	15.9	16.0	16.0	16.1	16.1	16.2	16.4	16.4	16.5	16.5	16.6	16.7	
EU15	14.9	14.8	14.7	14.6	14.5	14.6	14.7	14.6	14.7	14.7	14.8	14.8	14.9	14.9	14.9	15.0	15.1	15.2	15.2	15.3	15.3	15.5	
OECD-Tot Major seven	12.9	12.9	12.9	12.9	13.1	13.1	13.3	13.2	13.6	13.6	13.9	14.1	14.1	14.0	14.0	14.1	14.1	14.1	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.2	
	11.3	11.3	11.2	11.3	11.5	11.4	11.7	11.7	11.7	11.7	11.7	12.2	12.5	12.5	12.8	12.9	12.9	12.9	12.9	12.7	12.7	12.9	



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**III. Monthly data, seasonally adjusted – III. Données mensuelles, corrigées des variations saisonnières**  
*All persons less than 25 years - Ensemble des personnes de moins de 25 ans*

	2002			2003			2004			Per cent of civilian labour force, sa — Pourcentage de la population active civile, cvs	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov		
	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug															
Canada	13.2	13.7	13.2	12.8	13.6	14.0	14.1	14.4	14.5	13.9	13.3	14.0	14.3	13.9	14.0	13.3	13.4	13.7	13.5	13.4	13.2	13.2		
United States	12.2	12.0	12.0	11.8	12.6	12.9	13.3	12.9	12.4	12.4	12.8	12.3	12.1	11.7	12.0	11.8	11.6	12.1	12.0	11.6	11.8	12.2	11.6	
Australia	12.4	12.5	12.2	12.8	12.8	12.4	12.4	12.4	11.8	11.9	11.7	11.5	11.9	12.1	11.7	11.8	11.6	11.2	11.8	11.5	11.9	11.6	11.5	
Japan	9.8	10.0	9.8	11.0	10.8	10.5	10.4	9.7	10.0	9.5	9.8	10.2	10.1	10.1	9.7	9.5	9.4	9.5	9.8	9.5	9.4	9.7	9.7	
Korea	7.7	9.2	9.1	8.9	9.1	9.8	10.7	10.6	10.6	9.5	10.9	12.0	11.1	10.2	9.9	10.6	10.8	11.3	11.4	10.4	10.5	9.6	9.7	
New Zealand	10.8																							
Austria	6.7	6.7	6.8	7.0	7.1	7.5	8.0	8.4	8.6	8.9	9.2	9.3	9.6	9.7	9.7	9.8	9.9	9.7	9.7	9.7	9.7	9.8	9.8	
Belgium	20.2	20.5	20.7	20.9	21.1	21.1	21.2	21.6	21.7	21.3	21.0	20.7	20.5	20.3	20.7	20.5	20.6	20.4	20.6	21.6	21.8	21.6	19.6	
Czech Republic	16.9	17.5	17.6	18.3	18.4	18.5	18.7	18.7	18.8	19.6	19.7	19.7	20.3	19.7	20.3	20.4	20.6	20.6	21.6	21.6	21.3	21.5	21.7	
Denmark	8.7	9.1	9.5	9.9	10.0	10.3	10.5	10.3	10.1	9.9	9.6	9.5	9.0	8.7	8.5	8.3	8.2	8.0	8.0	7.9	7.9	7.9	7.9	
Finland	20.7	20.7	20.9	21.1	21.4	21.8	22.1	22.4	22.4	22.2	22.4	22.2	21.9	21.6	21.4	21.1	20.9	20.8	20.8	20.8	20.8	21.0	21.1	
France	20.2	20.3	20.4	20.6	20.8	20.9	21.0	21.0	21.3	21.6	21.6	21.6	21.6	21.6	21.6	21.6	21.5	21.6	21.6	21.5	21.6	21.9	21.5	
Germany	10.8	11.0	11.2	11.3	11.4	11.4	11.2	11.2	11.1	11.0	10.8	10.7	10.6	10.7	10.8	10.9	11.1	11.1	11.1	11.2	11.3	11.5	11.7	
Greece	25.9	25.7	25.7	25.7	25.8	25.8	25.8	26.6	26.6	26.6	26.6	26.6	27.1	27.1	27.1	27.1	27.1	27.1	27.1	27.1	27.1	27.1	27.1	
Hungary	13.3	13.3	13.3	13.4	13.5	13.5	13.2	13.2	13.4	13.5	13.6	13.8	13.9	14.0	14.2	14.5	14.8	14.8	14.8	14.7	14.8	14.9	15.0	
Ireland	8.0	8.0	8.1	8.1	8.2	8.2	8.3	8.5	8.5	8.5	8.5	8.5	8.5	8.5	8.5	8.5	8.5	8.5	8.4	8.4	8.2	8.2	8.1	
Italy	27.3	27.6	27.4	27.2	27.0	27.0	27.0	27.0	27.0	26.9	26.8	26.7	26.8	27.0	27.1	27.1	27.1	27.1	27.1	27.1	27.1	27.1	27.1	
Luxembourg	9.8	10.3	10.6	10.7	11.0	11.3	11.5	11.6	11.6	11.7	12.2	12.2	12.3	12.3	12.4	12.9	13.4	13.3	13.0	13.0	13.1	13.0	12.8	
Netherlands	5.8	6.1	6.6	6.6	6.9	6.8	6.3	6.3	6.3	6.6	6.7	6.7	7.1	7.5	8.0	8.2	8.4	8.0	7.7	7.8	7.8	7.8	7.8	7.8
Norway	11.2	11.3	11.4	11.7	11.6	11.5	11.7	11.7	12.4	12.3	11.7	11.4	11.5	10.7	11.0	10.9	11.5	12.1	12.1	12.3	11.4	11.4	11.4	
Poland	41.9	41.8	41.7	41.7	41.6	41.4	41.2	41.0	40.9	40.8	40.7	40.6	40.5	40.4	40.4	40.4	40.2	40.1	40.0	39.9	39.7	39.4	39.0	
Portugal	12.9	13.4	13.7	13.7	14.2	14.3	14.2	14.7	14.7	14.8	15.3	15.2	15.1	15.1	15.0	14.9	14.9	14.7	15.2	16.0	15.9	15.8	15.7	
Slovak Republic	36.1	35.4	34.8	34.3	33.7	33.4	33.6	33.8	33.7	33.6	33.5	33.5	33.6	33.8	33.9	33.9	33.8	33.3	32.2	31.5	31.4	31.4	31.4	
Spain	22.9	23.0	22.9	22.9	22.7	22.6	22.5	22.7	22.6	22.6	22.9	22.8	22.7	22.7	22.7	22.6	22.5	22.4	22.3	22.3	21.9	21.7	21.4	
Sweden	12.3	15.3	11.5	11.8	12.6	12.5	13.5	13.6	13.0	13.1	13.7	15.4	14.3	14.6	16.0	16.2	17.3	16.2	16.2	15.0	17.4	16.2	16.2	
Switzerland																								
United Kingdom	11.8	12.3	12.4	12.4	12.5	12.4	12.7	12.6	12.4	12.3	11.8	11.8	11.7	11.7	11.9	11.9	12.1	12.0	12.1	12.3	12.3	12.3	12.3	
Euro area	16.8	17.0	17.1	17.2	17.3	17.2	17.3	17.3	17.3	17.3	17.3	17.3	17.3	17.4	17.4	17.5	17.4	17.4	17.4	17.5	17.5	17.4	17.4	
EU15	15.6	15.8	15.8	15.9	16.0	16.0	16.0	15.9	15.9	15.9	15.9	15.9	15.8	15.8	15.9	15.9	16.0	15.9	15.9	15.9	15.9	16.0	16.0	
OECD-Totals	14.2	14.3	14.3	14.3	14.6	14.7	14.9	14.7	14.5	14.6	14.4	14.4	14.3	14.2	14.2	14.1	14.3	14.2	14.2	14.2	14.0	14.1	14.1	
Major seven	12.9	13.0	13.0	13.1	13.5	13.6	13.8	13.5	13.3	13.4	13.1	13.0	12.9	13.0	12.8	12.9	13.1	12.9	13.0	12.8	12.9	12.8	12.9	
CCDE-Total																								
Sept grands																								

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## I. Annual data – I. Données annuelles

### **Males less than 25 years - Hommes de moins de 25 ans**



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**TAUX DE CHÔMAGE STANDARDISÉS DE CERTAINS PAYS DE L'OCDE**

**II. Quarterly data, seasonally adjusted – II. Données trimestrielles, corrigées des variations saisonnières**

**Males less than 25 years - Hommes de moins de 25 ans**

	1992				1993				1994				1995				1996				1997				1998						
	Q4		Q1		Q2		Q3		Q4		Q1		Q2		Q3		Q4		Q1		Q2		Q3		Q4		Q1		Q2		
Canada	19.7	19.1	20.6	19.3	19.2	19.3	18.3	17.3	16.5	15.5	16.1	17.1	16.3	17.0	16.4	16.3	17.9	17.3	17.4	17.0	16.8	16.8	16.6	16.6	16.7	Canada	Ets-Unis				
United States	14.9	14.6	14.9	14.0	13.5	14.0	13.5	13.1	12.1	11.9	12.3	12.9	12.8	13.0	12.9	12.4	12.2	12.3	11.6	11.8	11.4	11.4	10.7	10.7	11.5	Australie					
Australia	21.2	20.1	19.2	20.0	18.0	18.8	18.2	16.7	15.9	15.0	15.7	14.9	16.0	15.6	15.6	15.1	16.2	17.4	17.1	17.1	16.3	15.7	15.4	15.5	15.5	Japan	Corée	Nouvelle-Zélande			
Japan									5.5	5.8	5.8	5.8	5.9	5.8	6.7	6.7	6.8	6.5	6.7	6.8	6.7	7.1	8.0	8.2	8.5						
Korea																															
New Zealand	19.5	19.9	19.8	16.5	17.5	17.5	16.4	13.9	14.6	11.8	11.5	12.0	12.3	12.7	11.5	12.7	12.7	11.4	14.0	13.3	13.9	15.2	15.4	15.7							
Austria	5.0	5.3	5.3	5.1	4.8	4.6	4.5	4.3	4.3	4.3	4.6	4.8	5.1	5.3	5.3	5.4	5.5	5.7	5.6	5.5	5.4	5.4	5.2	4.9							
Belgium	15.1	17.2	18.9	20.5	21.6	22.0	21.5	21.4	21.3	21.0	20.8	20.3	19.9	19.3	18.6	18.3	18.1	18.2	18.6	18.5	18.6	18.8	19.2	20.8							
Czech Republic	7.9	7.5	7.7	7.8	8.0	8.4	9.0	9.1	8.6	8.0	8.0	7.4	7.5	7.1	7.0	7.0	7.3	8.0	8.3	8.9	8.9	10.3	12.8								
Denmark	12.5	13.3	13.7	13.3	12.3	11.2	10.4	10.1	9.3	8.3	8.0	8.2	8.5	9.1	9.0	8.3	7.5	7.1	6.6	6.7	6.6	6.7	7.2	Danemark							
Finland	32.8	34.0	35.9	36.4	37.3	38.8	38.7	36.1	33.0	30.9	29.3	29.2	29.7	28.7	27.6	26.3	24.9	24.7	24.5	23.3	22.7	22.7	22.0	Finlande							
France	21.9	23.2	24.5	25.7	26.6	27.2	26.7	25.7	24.8	23.9	23.4	23.3	23.7	24.4	25.3	26.2	26.7	26.8	26.3	25.6	24.8	24.1	23.4	23.0	France						
Germany	6.4	6.9	7.4	7.9	8.5	8.7	8.8	8.5	8.2	8.1	8.4	8.7	9.1	10.0	10.1	10.2	10.7	11.2	11.4	11.3	11.1	10.5	10.2	10.0	Allemagne						
Greece																															
Hungary																															
Ireland	26.7	27.9	27.5	26.6	26.6	26.2	25.5	24.1	23.5	21.8	20.9	20.3	20.2	20.2	19.8	19.3	18.9	18.1	17.3	16.7	15.6	14.3	13.0	12.0	11.1	Italie					
Italy	22.5	24.1	25.9	27.0	28.0	28.0	28.1	28.5	29.0	29.0	29.4	29.0	29.5	28.9	28.8	29.6	29.4	29.2	29.3	29.2	29.0	28.8	29.2	29.6							
Luxembourg	4.0	4.9	5.0	5.8	7.0	7.6	6.6	6.3	6.2	6.5	7.4	8.5	8.9	7.8	7.0	6.2	5.9	6.7	6.9	6.4	6.4										
Netherlands	9.1	9.9	12.0	12.2	11.6	13.2	11.5	10.5	11.1	10.4	11.1	10.0	11.3	10.7	10.3	10.9	9.0	7.4	8.3	7.1	7.9	7.6	Pays-Bas								
Norway	16.1	15.8	14.9	15.4	14.5	15.3	14.1	14.1	14.1	14.1	13.3	12.8	11.8	13.0	12.5	11.0	11.3	9.3	10.2	10.5	9.8	9.8	8.8	Norvège							
Poland	26.5	29.0	26.6	30.0	30.7	31.6	31.1	29.9	28.0	28.0	28.0	30.4	29.6	29.3	27.2	24.6	24.4	*21.2	20.1	20.4	20.0	19.0	19.3	20.5	Pologne						
Portugal	9.4	9.9	10.2	11.2	11.6	12.5	12.8	13.4	14.8	15.1	15.1	15.3	14.8	14.7	14.7	14.1	13.5	12.8	12.0	11.8	11.3	*8.8	8.5	8.3	Portugal						
Slovak Republic	29.3	32.1	34.7	36.5	37.1	36.7	35.8	34.4	33.1	32.1	32.2	32.0	31.1	32.2	31.3	30.8	30.1	29.1	28.4	27.4	26.4	25.5	24.5	24.5	République slovaque						
Spain	18.0	20.5	25.8	28.3	28.2	27.3	25.5	23.4	23.3	22.1	21.4	19.4	18.7	20.0	21.6	21.4	22.1	21.5	21.4	21.3	19.7	18.2	17.5	15.5	Espagne	Suède	Suisse	Royaume-Uni			
Sweden																															
Switzerland																															
United Kingdom	20.4	21.0	20.7	20.6	20.5	19.3	19.3	18.3	17.9	17.7	17.1	17.0	17.8	17.6	17.3	17.2	16.0	15.9	15.3	14.4	14.2	14.2	14.9								
Euro area	16.7	18.0	19.3	20.2	20.8	21.2	21.0	20.7	20.3	19.9	19.7	19.9	20.0	20.3	20.6	20.5	20.6	20.1	19.8	19.3	18.7	18.4	18.1	Zone euro							
EU15	17.3	18.6	19.7	20.3	20.7	20.8	20.6	20.2	19.7	19.3	19.1	19.0	19.1	19.4	19.7	19.6	19.3	18.9	18.5	18.0	17.6	17.4	17.1	UE15							
OECD-Totals Major seven																															
	14.4	14.2	13.9	13.3	13.0	13.2	13.7	13.6	13.9	13.9	13.9	13.9	13.9	13.9	13.9	13.7	13.7	13.7	13.3	13.3	13.0	13.0	12.7	13.2	Sept grands	OCDE-Totals					



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**Males less than 25 years - Hommes de moins de 25 ans**

	1998				1999				2000				2001				2002				2003				
	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	
Canada	16.2	15.8	15.8	15.3	14.3	13.9	13.8	14.2	13.7	14.0	14.2	14.6	15.6	15.3	15.0	15.4	14.8	15.7	16.2	15.8	15.7	15.3	15.5	Canada	
United States	10.5	10.3	10.5	10.1	10.3	*9.8	9.7	9.6	10.6	11.1	11.3	12.8	13.0	12.6	13.0	12.6	12.6	14.0	13.8	13.1	12.5	12.9	12.5	Australie	
Australia	14.8	14.1	14.0	14.3	13.3	12.8	12.8	12.7	13.8	14.3	15.1	13.7	15.1	14.5	13.7	13.8	13.7	13.2	13.3	12.3	10.8	12.0	11.7	12.5	
Japan	8.8	9.5	10.5	10.3	10.6	9.8	9.8	10.1	11.2	9.7	10.4	11.3	11.3	11.5	10.9	11.1	11.3	11.9	11.4	11.5	11.0	11.1	11.1	Japon	
Korea																									Corée
New Zealand	16.0	16.0	15.5	14.9	11.9	15.1	13.9	13.8	13.8	12.8	12.6	10.7	12.2	10.5	11.7	13.5	10.7	11.0	9.8	9.6	9.9	7.7	9.4	9.5	Nouvelle-Zélande
Austria	4.5	4.2	4.1	4.3	4.7	5.1	4.8	4.7	4.6	4.8	5.0	5.3	5.7	6.1	6.4	6.5	6.4	6.4	7.0	7.8	8.3	8.5	8.5	8.5	Autriche
Belgium	22.2	23.5	23.7	22.1	18.8	15.8	14.3	14.1	14.6	15.6	14.6	16.4	16.8	17.4	17.6	18.1	19.5	20.7	21.6	21.9	22.2	20.4	18.8	17.8	Belgique
Czech Republic	14.1	16.3	17.6	17.5	18.2	18.3	18.6	18.4	18.5	17.6	18.0	17.6	17.6	17.5	17.0	16.3	15.5	15.9	17.8	19.2	20.7	21.5	23.5	République tchèque	
Denmark	7.9	9.2	9.6	8.6	7.6	7.0	6.6	6.8	7.3	7.6	7.7	7.8	8.3	8.8	9.1	9.6	9.8	10.4	11.0	10.8	10.4	9.4	8.6	8.6	Danemark
Finland	21.5	21.3	19.8	19.6	20.6	20.6	20.2	19.7	19.2	18.6	18.8	19.1	19.8	21.0	21.3	20.9	20.7	21.2	22.6	22.1	21.2	20.3	20.6	Finlande	
France	22.7	22.5	22.3	21.3	20.2	19.3	18.3	17.7	17.0	17.0	17.2	17.5	17.9	18.3	18.8	19.1	19.3	19.8	20.3	20.6	21.0	21.0	21.0	France	
Germany	10.1	9.3	9.4	9.4	9.5	9.4	9.3	9.0	8.9	9.1	9.4	9.3	9.0	9.1	9.6	10.3	10.7	11.6	12.0	12.7	13.4	12.9	13.0	13.5	Allemagne
Greece	21.7	23.1	23.4	23.0	22.9	22.2	22.6	21.7	20.5	21.2	21.5	21.2	20.0	20.2	19.3	19.4	18.9	18.5	18.8	18.9	18.5	18.8	17.8	17.8	Grèce
Hungary	14.8	14.1	13.5	13.7	13.6	13.6	13.6	12.9	12.2	11.8	11.6	11.7	11.7	12.1	12.3	12.4	13.6	13.8	13.7	13.5	13.8	14.2	14.6	Hongrie	
Ireland	10.2	9.3	8.6	8.0	7.2	6.7	6.3	6.2	6.2	6.3	6.7	7.1	7.8	8.5	8.8	8.8	8.8	9.0	9.2	9.1	9.0	9.0	9.0	8.7	Irlande
Italy	29.7	29.3	28.5	28.6	28.3	27.9	27.9	26.9	25.8	25.1	24.9	24.9	24.7	24.4	23.9	24.0	23.9	24.5	23.9	24.0	24.2	24.0	24.2	Italie	
Luxembourg	6.2	6.0	6.3	6.4	5.9	6.1	6.5	7.4	7.8	8.1	7.6	6.7	6.4	5.9	5.8	6.2	6.2	6.2	6.2	6.2	6.2	6.2	6.2	6.2	Luxembourg
Netherlands	7.2	6.9	4.2	5.1	4.6	5.3	5.3	4.8	3.9	4.4	5.1	5.0	5.1	4.2	4.9	5.6	6.3	7.2	6.3	7.2	8.2	8.3	7.2	7.2	Pays-Bas
Norway	8.4	9.0	9.7	9.9	10.2	10.8	9.4	9.8	9.9	9.5	10.4	11.1	11.6	12.3	12.4	12.0	12.2	12.0	13.6	12.5	13.1	12.7	12.7	Norvège	
Poland	22.2	25.5	27.5	29.3	31.7	33.2	34.1	34.9	36.2	37.1	37.9	38.8	39.9	40.8	40.8	41.0	41.1	40.6	40.1	39.6	39.3	39.1	38.6	37.8	Pologne
Portugal	8.0	7.8	7.5	7.1	6.9	6.9	6.4	6.6	6.5	6.5	7.1	7.5	8.3	9.0	9.5	10.0	10.2	11.1	11.8	12.8	13.7	13.7	13.7	Portugal	
Slovak Republic	28.0	*31.7	34.0	36.6	38.1	40.0	40.6	40.4	40.6	42.6	41.9	40.9	39.8	39.2	38.5	37.7	36.3	35.3	35.6	35.6	35.8	34.8	32.8	République slovaque	
Spain	23.3	21.8	20.1	18.8	18.5	18.2	17.4	16.9	16.9	16.6	16.7	16.5	17.6	17.8	18.6	19.4	19.4	19.4	19.2	19.2	19.0	18.3	18.3	Espagne	
Sweden	14.2	13.2	12.4	11.8	11.5	10.8	11.5	11.7	9.8	11.3	11.7	12.1	12.4	13.0	11.2	11.5	12.6	12.6	12.6	14.4	15.5	16.0	15.4	Suède	
Switzerland	5.1	5.1	5.1	5.1	5.2	5.2	5.2	5.2	5.2	5.2	5.6	5.6	5.6	7.1	7.1	8.3	8.3	8.3	8.3	8.3	7.6	7.6	7.6	Suisse	
United Kingdom	15.4	15.0	14.5	13.9	13.4	13.6	13.4	13.0	13.2	13.4	12.7	13.4	13.6	13.6	13.7	13.7	14.1	13.8	13.9	13.4	13.1	13.1	13.1	Royaume-Uni	
Euro area	17.9	17.4	16.6	16.3	15.8	15.5	15.1	14.7	14.2	14.0	14.2	14.4	14.7	14.9	15.3	15.8	16.2	16.7	16.9	16.9	16.9	16.9	16.8	Zone euro	
EU15	17.0	16.7	16.0	15.6	15.1	14.8	14.5	14.1	13.7	13.6	13.8	14.0	14.3	14.5	14.8	15.2	15.5	15.9	16.0	15.9	15.9	15.8	15.7	UE15	
OECD-Total	13.8	13.8	13.8	13.5	13.4	*13.0	12.9	12.9	13.2	13.5	13.7	14.5	14.7	14.5	14.8	14.9	15.5	15.4	15.1	14.8	14.9	14.7	14.7	OCDE-Total	
Major seven	12.8	12.7	12.8	12.4	12.4	12.4	11.9	11.8	11.8	11.7	11.9	12.2	12.6	13.5	13.7	13.5	13.8	13.7	13.9	14.7	14.6	14.1	13.8	14.0	Sept grands



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	2000			2001			2002																		
	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	
Canada	13.4	13.0	14.3	14.7	14.9	13.8	14.0	14.3	14.4	14.9	15.2	15.7	15.8	15.5	15.6	15.3	15.5	15.2	14.9	15.3	14.9	15.5	15.5	15.8	
United States	9.9	10.5	10.7	10.7	10.7	11.0	11.0	11.5	10.7	12.1	11.2	12.4	12.9	13.0	12.8	12.7	13.6	12.9	12.5	12.6	13.4	12.9	12.3	12.8	
Australia	13.5	13.5	14.3	14.6	14.8	15.1	15.0	15.0	13.7	14.8	16.2	15.1	14.5	14.9	14.5	13.8	13.9	13.7	13.6	13.2	13.8	13.7	13.7	13.7	
Japan	11.7	10.6	9.1	9.3	9.9	10.9	10.4	10.7	10.8	12.3	11.4	10.9	11.5	11.5	12.2	10.6	11.3	10.4	10.8	11.6	11.1	10.6	10.9	11.7	
Korea	13.0	13.3	14.8	14.1	12.2	12.1	11.5	11.2	11.6	13.2	12.6	13.0	12.6	12.2	10.2	10.8	10.3	9.7	10.2	10.9	11.4	9.2	10.0	8.4	
New Zealand	13.8																							13.5	
Austria	4.5	4.7	4.8	4.8	4.8	5.0	5.1	5.2	5.3	5.4	5.6	5.7	5.9	6.0	6.0	6.1	6.4	6.4	6.5	6.4	6.6	6.6	6.6	6.5	
Belgium	14.9	15.2	15.6	16.0	16.3	16.4	16.5	16.5	16.8	17.1	17.5	17.4	17.3	17.4	17.6	17.8	18.0	18.1	18.9	19.7	19.9	19.9	20.2	20.7	
Czech Republic	18.2	17.9	17.5	17.3	17.6	17.6	17.5	18.0	18.2	17.9	17.7	17.5	17.4	17.6	17.6	17.4	17.2	17.1	16.8	16.5	16.4	16.1	15.6	15.4	
Denmark	7.3	7.4	7.6	7.7	7.8	7.6	7.6	7.8	8.0	8.1	8.3	8.4	8.7	8.9	8.9	9.2	9.1	9.4	9.6	9.6	9.6	9.6	9.9	9.9	
Finland	18.9	18.7	18.6	18.6	18.7	18.8	18.8	18.9	19.0	19.2	19.5	19.8	20.2	20.6	21.0	21.3	21.2	21.0	20.9	20.8	20.7	20.7	20.7	20.7	
France	16.9	17.0	17.0	17.1	17.1	17.2	17.3	17.5	17.4	17.5	17.8	18.0	18.1	18.2	18.3	18.5	18.7	18.8	19.0	19.2	19.2	19.1	19.3	19.3	
Germany	8.9	8.9	8.9	9.0	9.0	9.3	9.4	9.6	9.8	10.1	10.3	10.4	10.6	10.7	10.9	11.0	11.5	12.4	11.9	12.0	12.1	12.4	12.8	12.8	
Greece	20.5	21.2	21.2	21.5	21.5	21.5	21.5	21.7	21.7	21.7	22.0	22.0	22.0	22.0	22.0	20.2	20.2	20.2	19.3	19.3	19.4	19.4	19.3	19.3	
Hungary	12.0	11.8	11.8	11.7	11.6	11.6	11.6	11.7	11.7	11.8	11.7	11.7	11.7	11.8	11.7	12.2	12.3	12.3	12.3	12.3	12.4	12.5	13.9	13.9	
Ireland	6.3	6.3	6.3	6.4	6.5	6.7	6.8	6.9	7.1	7.2	7.5	7.9	8.1	8.3	8.6	8.8	8.8	8.8	8.8	8.8	8.8	8.8	8.8	8.8	
Italy	25.5	25.1	25.0	25.0	24.8	24.9	24.9	25.0	24.9	24.8	24.7	24.7	24.7	24.7	24.7	24.1	23.8	23.9	24.1	24.2	24.0	23.7	23.4	23.9	
Luxembourg	7.7	7.9	7.9	7.6	8.1	8.4	8.0	7.9	7.7	7.3	6.9	6.7	6.5	6.5	6.5	6.2	5.9	5.8	6.1	6.5	6.8	7.1	7.8	8.2	
Netherlands	5.3	4.7	4.2	4.2	4.7	5.4	5.2	5.4	5.4	5.2	5.4	5.2	4.6	4.3	3.8	4.6	4.9	5.1	5.6	5.5	6.7	6.4	6.4	6.4	
Norway	9.8	9.9	9.9	8.7	9.1	10.1	11.8	11.8	10.8	10.6	11.1	11.9	11.7	12.2	11.9	12.9	12.4	12.2	12.5	12.4	11.9	11.6	13.0	13.4	
Poland	36.5	36.8	37.1	37.3	37.6	37.9	38.1	38.4	38.8	39.1	39.5	39.9	40.3	40.7	40.8	40.8	40.8	40.9	40.8	40.9	40.9	41.0	41.1	41.1	
Portugal	6.5	6.4	6.6	7.0	7.0	7.2	7.3	7.4	7.7	8.1	8.3	8.4	8.8	9.0	9.1	9.4	9.5	9.6	9.9	10.1	10.1	10.2	10.2	10.2	
Slovak Republic	40.8	42.0	42.9	42.9	42.8	42.6	42.3	42.2	41.9	41.6	41.3	41.0	40.5	40.1	39.8	39.4	39.2	39.1	38.8	38.5	38.2	38.0	37.7	37.7	
Spain	16.8	16.7	16.5	16.5	16.7	16.8	16.5	16.5	16.7	16.6	16.7	16.8	17.3	17.7	17.7	17.8	17.8	17.9	17.7	18.5	18.7	19.4	19.4	19.4	
Sweden	9.3	11.5	10.4	11.9	11.4	11.7	12.1	12.1	13.0	12.7	11.5	13.0	13.2	13.2	12.5	11.8	11.6	10.1	11.1	11.3	12.1	13.4	12.2	12.2	
Switzerland																									
United Kingdom	13.1	13.6	13.5	13.0	12.7	12.6	12.9	13.3	13.4	13.6	13.5	13.6	13.5	13.9	13.6	13.6	13.7	13.4	13.9	13.5	13.8	13.6	13.6		
Euro area	14.2	14.0	13.9	14.0	14.1	14.2	14.3	14.4	14.5	14.7	14.7	14.8	14.9	15.0	15.1	15.3	15.6	15.7	15.8	15.8	15.9	16.2	16.2		
EU15	13.8	13.7	13.6	13.6	13.7	13.8	13.9	14.0	14.1	14.2	14.3	14.3	14.4	14.6	14.6	14.8	15.0	15.1	15.2	15.2	15.3	15.5	15.5		
OECD-Totals	13.0	13.1	13.2	13.2	13.3	13.5	13.7	13.4	14.0	13.9	14.4	14.6	14.7	14.6	14.6	14.8	14.4	14.5	14.7	14.5	14.6	14.9	14.9		
Major seven	11.9	12.0	11.9	11.9	12.0	12.0	12.2	12.2	12.9	12.8	13.3	13.5	13.7	13.6	13.7	13.8	13.4	13.6	13.6	13.6	13.6	13.5	13.9		

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	2002			2003			2004			Per cent of civilian labour force, sa — Pourcentage de la population active civile, cvs	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec			
	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug																
Canada	14.9	15.2	15.0	14.1	15.0	15.9	16.2	16.1	16.2	15.8	15.2	16.5	15.6	15.5	16.0	15.3	15.7	15.0	15.3	15.6	14.8	14.5			
United States	12.8	12.7	12.7	12.5	13.7	14.1	14.1	14.1	14.4	12.9	14.1	13.2	13.4	12.6	12.7	12.2	12.6	12.8	13.0	12.8	12.2	12.4	12.9		
Australia	13.6	13.9	13.2	13.7	14.1	13.3	13.4	13.3	12.3	12.1	11.9	10.8	11.6	12.0	12.0	12.8	12.4	11.7	12.6	11.7	12.5	12.1	11.8		
Japan	10.8	10.9	10.8	12.2	11.9	11.9	11.9	11.3	11.7	11.1	11.4	11.3	11.8	10.9	11.4	10.6	11.0	10.8	11.5	11.3	10.6	11.4	10.4		
Korea	9.7	10.2	10.7	10.8	11.5	11.7	12.3	12.4	11.8	11.5	12.9	13.4	13.1	12.7	10.6	11.0	12.1	13.5	12.8	12.7	12.3	12.0	12.0		
New Zealand	10.7																							9.5	
Austria	6.4	6.4	6.4	6.5	6.7	7.0	7.4	7.6	7.8	8.0	8.2	8.3	8.6	8.5	8.4	8.5	8.6	8.5	8.5	8.5	8.5	8.5	8.5		
Belgium	21.1	21.4	21.6	21.8	21.9	21.9	21.9	21.9	22.4	22.5	21.7	21.0	20.3	19.8	19.3	18.8	18.3	17.9	17.8	17.7	17.5	17.3	17.2		
Czech Republic	15.5	15.7	15.8	16.0	17.6	17.8	18.1	18.9	19.2	19.6	20.5	20.5	20.8	20.9	21.3	21.5	21.8	23.2	23.4	24.0	24.2	24.1	24.6	25.0	
Denmark	9.8	10.2	10.5	10.7	11.1	11.1	11.2	11.0	10.7	10.6	10.6	10.6	10.3	10.2	9.7	9.3	9.1	8.9	8.8	8.7	8.7	8.6	8.5	8.5	
Finland	20.8	20.9	21.2	21.5	21.9	22.3	22.5	22.6	22.6	22.5	22.3	22.2	21.9	21.6	21.2	20.8	20.5	20.3	20.2	20.3	20.2	20.6	21.0	21.0	
France	19.5	19.6	19.8	20.0	20.2	20.3	20.4	20.5	20.5	20.5	20.7	21.0	21.0	21.0	21.0	21.0	21.0	21.0	21.0	21.0	21.0	21.2	21.3	20.8	
Germany	13.0	13.1	13.4	13.6	13.8	13.9	13.6	13.5	13.5	13.5	13.3	13.1	12.8	12.7	12.9	13.0	13.1	13.3	13.2	13.3	13.4	13.5	13.6	13.9	
Greece	19.3	18.9	18.9	18.9	18.5	18.5	18.5	18.8	18.8	18.8	18.9	18.9	18.9	18.9	18.9	18.9	18.9	18.9	18.9	18.9	18.9	18.9	18.9	18.9	
Hungary	13.8	13.8	13.8	13.8	13.9	13.9	13.7	13.5	13.4	13.5	13.6	13.7	13.8	13.9	14.0	14.1	14.4	14.6	14.6	14.7	14.8	14.9	15.2	15.2	
Ireland	8.9	8.9	8.9	8.9	8.9	8.9	9.0	9.1	9.2	9.2	9.2	9.1	9.0	9.0	9.0	9.0	9.0	9.0	9.0	9.0	9.0	8.9	8.7	8.6	8.6
Italy	24.4	24.9	24.5	24.2	23.8	23.9	23.9	23.9	24.0	24.1	24.2	24.2	24.3	24.3	24.3	24.3	24.3	24.3	24.3	24.3	24.3	24.3	24.3	24.3	
Luxembourg	8.5	9.2	9.7	9.9	10.1	10.5	10.6	10.5	10.6	10.5	10.6	10.6	11.3	11.8	11.6	11.3	11.3	12.0	12.8	12.5	12.7	12.7	12.5	12.1	
Netherlands	6.3	6.3	7.0	7.4	7.3	6.8	6.1	6.0	6.8	7.1	7.2	7.3	7.8	8.2	8.7	8.8	8.3	7.9	7.2	7.2	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0
Norway	13.2	12.2	12.1	12.1	12.2	11.6	12.3	12.1	14.0	14.5	13.2	12.0	12.1	12.2	12.2	12.5	12.7	13.2	13.3	13.3	12.6	12.6	12.4	12.4	
Poland	40.9	40.7	40.6	40.5	40.3	40.1	39.8	39.7	39.6	39.5	39.3	39.6	39.2	39.2	39.1	39.0	38.8	38.6	38.5	38.2	37.8	37.4	37.2	37.2	
Portugal	10.4	10.9	11.1	11.2	11.8	12.0	12.7	12.8	13.0	13.6	13.7	13.6	13.7	13.7	13.7	13.7	13.7	13.5	13.5	13.8	13.7	13.7	13.7	13.7	
Slovak Republic	37.3	36.8	36.3	35.9	35.4	35.1	35.3	35.6	35.6	35.6	35.6	35.6	35.6	35.7	35.8	35.8	35.8	35.8	35.8	34.8	33.9	33.2	32.8	32.2	
Spain	19.4	19.4	19.4	19.4	19.4	19.5	19.4	19.4	19.3	19.4	19.4	19.4	19.3	19.3	19.1	19.1	19.2	18.9	18.9	18.5	18.3	18.2	18.0	18.0	
Sweden	12.1	12.9	11.7	11.8	13.4	12.0	13.5	12.9	12.8	12.0	13.5	15.8	13.9	14.8	16.8	15.0	14.9	17.2	15.7	15.4	13.9	17.0	14.1	14.1	
Switzerland	13.2	14.1	14.1	14.1	13.9	13.7	13.8	13.8	13.7	14.1	13.5	13.5	13.2	13.1	13.1	13.2	12.7	13.2	13.3	13.5	13.5	13.5	13.5	13.5	
United Kingdom																									
Euro area	16.4	16.6	16.7	16.8	16.9	16.8	16.9	16.8	16.9	16.9	16.9	16.9	16.9	16.9	16.9	16.9	16.9	16.9	16.9	16.8	16.8	16.8	16.8	16.8	
EU15	15.6	15.8	15.9	15.9	16.0	16.0	16.0	16.0	15.9	15.9	15.9	15.9	15.9	15.8	15.8	15.8	15.8	15.8	15.8	15.8	15.7	15.7	15.8	15.7	
OECD-Totals Major seven	14.8	14.9	14.9	14.9	14.9	14.5	14.5	14.5	14.8	14.8	14.8	14.1	14.7	14.2	14.0	13.8	13.7	13.8	14.0	14.0	13.7	13.8	14.1	14.1	
CCDE-Totals Sept grands																									

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## I. Annual data – I. Données annuelles

**Females less than 25 years - Femmes de moins de 25 ans**

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**II. Quarterly data, seasonally adjusted – II. Données trimestrielles, corrigées des variations saisonnières**

*Females less than 25 years - Femmes de moins de 25 ans*

	1992				1993				1994				1995				1996				1997				1998					
	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3																		
Canada	14.5	13.6	14.6	14.4	14.5	14.2	13.9	12.8	13.2	12.9	12.8	13.1	13.1	12.9	14.3	14.5	14.7	15.5	14.9	14.7	14.0	12.8	Canada	Ets-Unis	10.0	9.7	9.9	12.8		
United States	13.1	13.1	12.7	11.6	12.0	12.2	11.9	11.5	11.1	11.2	11.5	12.2	11.7	11.8	11.1	11.1	11.4	11.1	10.5	10.1	10.5	10.0	Australie	Japon	7.1	7.1	7.1	13.3		
Australia	17.0	16.7	16.6	17.0	17.6	16.5	15.5	15.8	13.6	15.3	14.8	13.8	14.5	14.2	14.0	14.2	13.8	15.0	14.2	14.4	13.6	13.4	Nouvelle-Zélande	Corée	12.7	12.7	12.7	13.3		
Japan																														
Korea																														
New Zealand																														
Austria																														
Belgium	18.6	20.1	21.5	22.6	23.7	24.6	25.1	25.3	25.4	25.1	25.3	25.4	25.5	25.6	26.0	26.3	26.3	26.5	26.5	26.7	26.8	26.9	25.7	Autriche	Belgique	24.3	24.3	24.3	24.4	
Czech Republic	10.9	10.5	10.1	10.4	10.5	10.4	10.5	10.0	9.9	9.0	8.6	8.9	8.9	8.4	8.3	8.7	8.2	8.4	8.6	8.6	9.1	10.6	*12.5	République tchèque	15.0	13.6	13.6	13.6		
Denmark	12.3	12.9	13.1	12.5	11.4	10.4	9.6	9.9	10.5	10.9	11.4	11.3	11.5	11.7	11.4	10.8	10.1	9.5	9.1	8.6	8.0	7.4	7.0	Danemark		7.4	7.4	7.4	7.4	
Finland	25.4	27.6	30.5	31.2	31.8	31.6	30.2	29.6	29.6	29.2	29.1	28.7	28.0	28.2	27.5	26.3	26.1	26.1	24.9	24.6	24.4	24.1	Finlande							
France	27.3	28.0	28.8	29.7	30.5	31.1	31.3	31.4	31.2	30.8	30.7	30.8	30.7	30.7	30.8	31.2	31.7	32.2	31.7	31.0	30.2	29.4	28.7	France						
Germany	7.0	7.4	7.7	7.9	8.1	8.3	8.4	8.2	8.1	8.1	8.2	8.3	8.4	8.3	8.4	8.6	8.8	8.8	8.9	9.1	9.3	9.3	8.9	8.5	Allemagne					
Greece																														
Hungary																														
Ireland	23.5	24.0	23.7	22.5	22.4	21.9	21.2	20.0	19.9	18.7	18.1	17.4	17.6	17.6	17.7	17.7	17.6	17.2	16.5	15.9	14.8	14.7	15.0	14.0	Grece					
Italy	31.6	33.5	34.8	35.8	35.8	36.3	35.8	35.8	35.8	37.0	38.1	38.1	38.7	39.0	38.4	38.9	39.1	39.1	39.3	39.4	39.7	38.9	38.7	Italie						
Luxembourg	4.1	4.6	4.8	6.0	6.7	7.2	7.3	6.8	7.3	7.6	8.0	7.8	8.0	8.3	8.4	8.1	9.0	9.5	10.0	9.8	8.9	7.5	7.1	Luxembourg						
Netherlands	8.1	9.1	9.7	9.9	9.6	9.1	9.6	9.1	9.2	10.6	12.0	12.5	12.0	12.0	11.8	11.8	11.5	11.5	11.7	10.6	10.7	10.8	10.0	Pays-Bas						
Norway	13.6	12.9	13.6	14.7	13.2	11.2	12.2	13.8	13.1	14.3	12.0	10.9	12.3	13.0	13.0	12.4	12.1	12.8	12.1	10.6	9.4	9.0	9.6	Norvège						
Poland	31.7	31.7	34.2	30.0	34.2	30.0	34.2	33.9	33.3	34.5	34.8	33.8	32.6	34.8	33.8	32.2	32.6	30.6	29.8	*28.0	27.0	26.3	25.1	24.6	Pologne					
Portugal	13.2	14.2	15.0	15.7	16.0	16.5	16.7	16.8	17.3	17.3	17.8	18.0	18.5	19.1	19.3	20.0	20.1	19.9	19.8	19.1	18.6	17.9	*15.2	12.0	Portugal					
Slovak Republic	38.6	40.8	42.7	43.8	43.8	44.6	45.1	46.0	45.7	44.9	44.1	44.4	44.1	44.6	44.1	44.1	44.1	43.3	42.1	42.1	41.2	40.8	39.7	39.4	Espagne					
Sweden	12.3	14.7	19.1	19.4	19.8	19.6	19.0	18.4	19.1	18.2	17.0	17.2	18.5	18.5	18.5	20.4	20.5	19.8	20.6	22.1	20.1	17.9	16.8	16.4	Suède					
Switzerland																														
United Kingdom	13.3	13.9	14.1	13.5	13.8	13.5	13.2	13.4	12.7	13.1	12.9	12.8	12.2	11.6	11.8	12.1	12.5	12.0	11.9	11.7	11.2	11.5	11.4	Royaume-Uni						
Euro area	20.7	21.8	22.8	23.4	23.7	24.0	24.1	24.3	24.6	24.8	24.8	25.0	25.0	25.3	25.4	25.6	25.5	25.3	24.7	24.3	23.5	23.0	22.8	Zone euro						
EU15	18.8	19.8	20.7	21.1	21.3	21.5	21.6	21.8	21.9	21.9	21.9	21.9	22.0	22.1	22.3	22.3	22.0	22.0	21.4	21.0	20.5	20.0	19.9	UE15						
OECD-Total Major seven																														
	13.3	13.1	12.9	12.7	12.8	13.0	13.5	13.0	13.2	13.1	13.2	12.9	13.0	13.2	13.1	13.2	13.0	13.0	13.2	13.1	12.6	12.4	12.2	12.1	12.1	12.1	12.1	12.1	12.1	



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**Females less than 25 years - Femmes de moins de 25 ans**

	1998				1999				2000				2001				2002				2003				
	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	
Canada	12.8	12.4	13.4	12.3	12.0	11.5	11.2	11.3	11.1	11.1	10.6	10.9	11.5	11.8	11.9	11.6	11.6	11.9	12.4	11.5	12.4	12.1	11.4	Canada	
United States	9.3	9.7	9.2	9.6	9.3	*9.5	9.1	8.6	8.5	8.6	9.2	10.1	10.7	11.1	11.1	10.8	11.4	11.2	11.8	11.5	10.9	11.1	10.9	11.0	Ets-Unis
Australia	14.1	13.0	13.0	12.0	12.1	11.4	11.6	11.4	10.7	12.4	13.0	12.6	12.3	12.2	11.1	12.1	11.6	11.1	11.5	11.4	12.1	11.3	10.8	11.4	Australie
Japan	7.9	7.9	7.7	8.5	8.0	7.6	7.7	8.0	8.6	8.4	8.4	8.8	8.5	8.8	8.8	8.9	8.0	9.1	9.2	8.1	8.4	8.3	7.6	8.1	Japon
Korea	13.6	12.5	13.6	12.7	12.5	12.5	13.2	10.6	11.8	11.9	10.9	12.1	11.1	11.1	11.1	11.8	11.3	11.2	10.4	9.4	10.4	9.7	12.4	9.6	Nouvelle-Zélande
Austria	7.5	7.0	6.7	6.4	6.2	6.1	5.8	5.9	6.1	6.3	6.4	6.6	6.8	7.0	7.1	7.1	7.0	7.3	8.1	9.5	10.5	11.2	11.1	11.2	Autriche
Belgium	24.4	24.2	23.2	22.0	20.7	19.8	19.5	19.3	19.1	19.0	18.6	18.1	17.5	17.5	18.0	18.7	19.4	20.1	20.7	21.2	21.7	21.7	22.0	22.2	Belgique
Czech Republic	16.7	18.0	19.1	18.4	17.3	17.5	16.8	16.7	17.0	17.3	17.1	16.4	16.4	16.4	17.8	18.3	19.6	19.0	18.2	18.4	19.1	19.4	17.9	République tchèque	
Denmark	8.1	9.6	8.8	7.5	6.9	6.4	7.0	8.2	9.2	9.0	7.5	6.3	5.6	6.1	7.1	8.5	9.5	9.4	8.9	8.0	7.5	7.2	7.2	7.2	Danemark
Finland	23.5	22.4	21.6	21.6	22.7	23.3	23.2	22.7	22.1	21.5	20.7	20.6	21.3	21.9	21.1	20.3	20.5	20.6	21.3	22.2	21.7	21.0	21.3	Finlande	
France	27.5	26.9	26.2	25.2	24.2	23.4	22.8	22.2	21.8	21.7	21.8	21.9	21.7	21.6	21.3	21.0	21.5	21.8	22.3	22.3	22.3	22.3	22.5	France	
Germany	8.4	7.8	8.0	7.9	7.8	7.6	7.6	7.2	7.0	7.0	7.2	7.4	7.6	8.1	8.1	8.3	8.7	8.6	8.5	8.3	8.4	8.7	8.9	8.7	Allemagne
Greece	40.0	40.4	41.6	41.0	41.6	39.5	38.2	38.2	35.3	35.7	36.1	33.8	34.7	35.8	34.3	33.5	34.0	34.7	36.3	37.1	37.1	37.1	37.1	Grèce	
Hungary	12.0	11.4	11.2	11.3	11.0	10.9	10.6	10.3	10.1	10.2	10.4	10.3	10.4	10.6	10.8	11.0	12.4	12.7	12.9	13.2	13.7	14.4	15.0	Hongrie	
Ireland	9.9	9.2	8.6	8.4	8.1	7.8	7.3	6.9	6.5	6.2	6.3	6.4	6.7	7.0	7.0	7.1	7.3	7.6	7.8	7.9	7.9	7.7	7.7	Irlande	
Italy	38.9	37.1	35.9	36.4	35.8	35.5	35.3	33.5	33.5	32.4	32.1	32.3	31.3	31.6	31.3	31.3	31.2	31.0	30.7	30.4	30.4	30.4	30.4	Italie	
Luxembourg	7.2	7.8	7.7	8.1	7.8	8.3	8.4	8.1	7.0	7.0	7.2	7.1	7.5	7.9	9.0	10.0	10.5	10.9	11.5	12.2	12.8	13.2	13.5	Luxembourg	
Netherlands	7.2	7.4	9.3	11.3	6.0	5.9	7.5	8.7	7.7	5.3	5.6	5.3	5.5	5.0	4.9	5.2	6.1	6.5	6.5	6.6	7.5	8.1	8.3	Pays-Bas	
Norway	8.2	8.1	8.8	9.6	10.9	9.8	8.9	10.6	11.0	10.1	9.5	10.3	10.2	10.3	10.4	9.2	9.3	10.6	11.3	10.6	10.5	9.2	10.6	Norvège	
Poland	26.5	28.8	30.9	33.0	34.9	36.5	37.9	38.9	39.7	40.4	40.9	41.7	42.5	43.1	42.8	43.1	43.1	42.6	42.2	41.9	41.9	41.7	41.5	Pologne	
Portugal	12.9	12.1	11.6	11.3	11.2	11.6	11.8	11.8	11.8	12.0	11.9	11.6	12.2	13.1	14.6	15.9	16.7	17.1	17.1	17.0	16.7	16.8	18.6	Portugal	
Slovak Republic	25.8	*31.1	33.0	34.1	33.9	33.7	33.8	34.0	34.2	35.2	35.2	35.9	36.5	37.0	36.1	35.0	33.0	33.0	31.4	31.1	29.8	29.8	29.8	29.8	Republique slovaque
Spain	37.8	35.0	33.9	32.6	31.0	30.5	29.1	28.7	28.6	28.1	27.8	27.4	27.1	27.7	27.3	27.5	27.0	27.0	27.3	27.2	26.8	26.8	26.3	Espagne	
Sweden	13.9	13.6	12.7	12.1	11.3	10.4	10.6	8.9	9.9	10.6	8.9	9.7	10.7	11.8	11.7	11.4	12.2	13.7	12.8	13.9	14.5	15.7	17.3	Suède	
Switzerland	5.7	11.1	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.6	10.9	11.2	10.8	10.3	10.1	10.3	10.5	10.2	10.1	10.4	10.2	10.4	10.8	10.0	10.2	10.8	10.8	Suisse	
United Kingdom	11.1	11.1	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.6	10.9	11.2	10.8	10.3	10.1	10.3	10.5	10.2	10.1	10.4	10.2	10.4	11.0	10.8	10.0	10.2	10.8	Royaume-Uni	
Euro area	22.4	21.6	21.1	20.7	20.0	19.6	19.1	18.9	18.4	17.9	17.5	17.4	17.3	17.4	17.3	17.4	17.7	17.7	17.8	17.9	17.7	18.1	18.2	Zone euro	
EU15	19.6	18.9	18.6	18.2	17.7	17.3	16.9	16.7	16.4	16.0	15.6	15.5	15.5	15.5	15.4	15.5	15.8	15.9	16.0	15.9	16.0	16.1	16.2	UE15	
OECD-Total	13.8	13.7	13.5	13.6	13.3	13.3	*13.1	12.9	12.7	12.6	12.7	12.7	13.1	13.3	13.4	13.3	13.6	13.7	13.7	13.6	13.5	13.5	13.5	OCDE-Totale	
Major seven	11.9	12.0	11.6	11.8	11.5	*11.4	11.1	10.9	10.7	10.6	10.8	11.4	11.7	11.9	11.8	11.9	12.1	12.5	12.1	11.7	11.9	11.8	11.9	Sept grands	

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	2000			2001			2002			Per cent of civilian labour force, sa — Pourcentage de la population active civile, cvs	Dec Jan Feb Mar Apr May Jun Jul Aug Sep Oct Nov	
	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov
Canada	11.2	11.0	11.2	10.9	11.1	9.9	10.9	10.8	10.7	11.1	12.6	11.8
United States	8.5	8.6	8.4	8.9	9.6	8.8	9.1	9.6	10.3	10.3	12.0	11.4
Australia	11.5	11.2	12.4	12.3	12.5	13.0	13.1	12.6	12.1	12.3	11.8	11.9
Japan	9.2	8.6	8.3	8.4	8.2	8.5	8.6	9.1	9.0	8.5	8.6	11.8
Korea	8.5	8.3	8.7	9.2	9.2	8.7	9.1	8.8	8.0	8.6	8.4	11.4
New Zealand	11.8											
Austria	6.3	6.3	6.3	6.3	6.4	6.4	6.5	6.6	6.7	6.8	6.8	11.5
Belgium	19.2	19.2	19.1	19.1	19.0	18.9	18.7	18.5	18.5	18.1	17.7	17.5
Czech Republic	16.7	17.0	16.8	17.3	17.4	17.2	17.1	16.8	16.7	16.5	16.5	16.4
Denmark	8.5	8.8	9.2	9.6	9.9	9.8	9.5	8.9	8.4	7.9	7.5	7.2
Finland	21.9	21.7	21.5	21.2	20.9	20.6	20.5	20.5	20.6	20.8	21.0	21.6
France	21.7	21.7	21.7	21.7	21.7	21.7	21.8	21.8	21.8	21.9	21.8	22.0
Germany	7.1	7.0	6.9	6.9	6.9	7.2	7.2	7.3	7.3	7.4	7.5	7.6
Greece	35.3	35.7	35.7	36.1	36.1	33.8	33.8	33.8	34.7	34.7	34.7	35.8
Hungary	10.2	10.1	10.1	10.1	10.1	10.3	10.5	10.4	10.4	10.3	10.2	10.4
Ireland	6.4	6.3	6.2	6.2	6.3	6.4	6.4	6.4	6.5	6.7	6.8	6.9
Italy	33.2	32.8	32.5	32.1	31.8	32.1	32.5	32.8	32.3	31.8	31.3	31.4
Luxembourg	6.7	6.5	6.5	6.3	6.3	6.8	7.3	7.4	7.6	7.7	7.6	7.7
Netherlands	8.8	8.7	8.6	8.0	5.5	5.2	5.1	5.6	5.3	6.2	6.4	5.3
Norway	11.2	10.4	9.8	10.0	8.8	9.7	9.9	10.9	9.8	10.4	10.2	10.7
Poland	39.9	40.1	40.4	40.6	40.8	41.0	41.1	41.4	41.7	42.0	42.2	43.0
Portugal	11.8	12.0	12.0	11.9	11.8	11.7	11.5	11.6	11.8	11.8	12.1	12.4
Slovak Republic	34.4	34.9	35.3	35.3	35.3	35.0	35.3	35.5	35.7	35.9	36.1	36.3
Spain	28.4	28.2	28.0	27.9	27.8	27.6	27.8	27.7	27.5	27.4	27.3	27.6
Sweden	9.7	11.8	10.0	10.1	9.7	9.2	7.7	9.1	10.0	10.1	11.3	9.0
Switzerland												
United Kingdom	10.4	10.2	10.3	10.1	10.0	10.1	10.2	10.4	10.6	10.7	10.2	10.0
Euro area	18.2	18.1	17.9	17.6	17.5	17.5	17.5	17.4	17.4	17.3	17.3	17.3
EU15	16.2	16.1	16.0	15.7	15.6	15.6	15.6	15.5	15.5	15.5	15.5	15.5
OECD-Totals	12.7	12.6	12.5	12.6	12.9	12.5	12.8	13.0	13.1	13.2	13.4	13.4
Major seven	10.8	10.7	10.5	10.7	11.0	10.5	10.8	11.1	11.4	11.5	11.6	11.8



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*Females less than 25 years - Femmes de moins de 25 ans*

	2002			2003			2004			Per cent of civilian labour force, sa – Pourcentage de la population active civile, cvs	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	
	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug														
Canada	11.4	12.0	11.3	11.4	12.1	11.9	11.6	12.1	12.5	12.6	12.0	11.2	11.4	12.0	12.6	12.5	12.1	11.5	11.5	11.3	11.9	11.8	
United States	11.4	11.2	11.3	11.1	11.4	11.7	12.4	11.3	11.8	11.4	11.3	10.7	10.7	11.3	11.3	10.8	10.3	11.1	11.2	11.7	10.7	10.6	11.3
Australia	11.0	11.2	11.1	11.8	11.6	11.5	11.4	11.5	11.4	11.6	11.5	12.1	12.2	12.4	11.3	10.7	10.8	10.8	10.9	11.5	11.4	11.1	11.1
Japan	8.9	9.2	8.8	9.3	9.7	8.9	9.0	8.3	8.2	7.7	8.3	8.5	8.4	9.3	7.7	8.1	8.0	8.0	6.7	8.3	8.7	7.4	8.8
Korea	6.1	8.8	8.3	7.8	7.7	8.6	10.0	9.5	9.6	8.6	9.7	10.5	9.5	8.9	9.6	10.2	10.0	9.9	10.8	9.0	9.3	8.4	9.6
New Zealand	11.3																						
Austria	7.0	7.2	7.3	7.5	7.5	8.0	8.8	9.2	9.5	9.9	10.3	10.5	10.8	11.1	11.2	11.3	11.3	11.1	11.0	11.1	11.2	11.2	11.2
Belgium	19.0	19.3	19.4	19.6	19.9	20.1	20.3	20.5	20.7	20.8	21.0	21.2	21.4	21.5	21.7	21.9	21.9	21.0	22.0	22.2	22.1	22.2	22.3
Czech Republic	18.6	19.6	19.7	19.4	19.2	19.0	18.9	18.5	18.1	18.0	18.5	18.5	18.4	19.0	19.1	19.6	19.5	19.1	18.2	17.8	17.6	17.4	17.4
Denmark	7.4	7.9	8.0	9.0	9.3	9.5	9.6	9.4	9.2	9.1	8.8	8.7	8.3	8.0	7.8	7.7	7.5	7.4	7.3	7.2	7.2	7.2	7.2
Finland	20.5	20.9	20.5	20.7	21.0	21.3	21.7	22.1	22.3	22.3	22.1	21.7	21.3	21.1	21.0	21.0	21.3	21.3	21.3	21.3	21.2	21.2	21.2
France	21.0	21.1	21.2	21.3	21.5	21.5	21.5	21.7	21.9	22.2	22.2	22.3	22.3	22.3	22.3	22.3	22.3	22.3	22.3	22.3	22.3	22.6	22.4
Germany	8.5	8.6	8.7	8.8	8.7	8.7	8.5	8.5	8.5	8.5	8.4	8.4	8.4	8.3	8.4	8.5	8.5	8.6	8.7	8.7	8.7	9.0	9.2
Greece	33.5	34.0	34.0	34.7	34.7	34.7	34.7	36.3	36.3	36.3	36.3	37.1	37.1	37.1	37.1	37.1	37.1	37.1	37.1	37.1	37.1	37.1	37.1
Hungary	12.6	12.6	12.7	12.8	12.9	12.9	12.8	13.2	13.4	13.6	13.7	13.9	14.1	14.4	14.7	15.0	15.0	15.0	15.0	15.1	15.1	15.1	15.2
Ireland	7.0	7.0	7.1	7.1	7.2	7.3	7.4	7.6	7.6	7.7	7.7	7.8	7.8	7.9	7.9	7.9	7.9	7.9	7.7	7.7	7.7	7.7	7.6
Italy	31.3	31.2	31.2	31.1	31.1	31.0	31.0	30.9	30.7	30.7	30.5	30.5	30.5	30.4	30.6	30.6	30.7	30.7	30.7	30.7	30.7	30.7	30.7
Luxembourg	11.2	11.4	11.5	11.6	12.0	12.2	12.4	12.6	12.8	12.9	13.1	13.2	13.1	13.3	13.4	13.7	14.2	14.2	13.7	13.4	13.5	13.6	13.5
Netherlands	5.2	5.9	6.2	6.2	6.3	6.5	6.8	6.5	6.5	6.5	6.3	6.6	6.6	6.8	7.2	7.7	8.0	8.2	8.1	8.4	8.5	8.5	8.5
Norway	9.1	10.2	10.5	11.2	11.5	11.0	11.5	11.0	10.7	10.1	10.1	10.1	10.1	10.8	9.2	9.2	10.3	10.3	11.0	10.8	11.4	10.1	10.4
Poland	43.1	43.1	43.1	43.2	43.1	42.9	42.8	42.6	42.6	42.5	42.3	42.3	42.3	42.2	42.1	42.0	41.9	41.8	41.8	41.7	41.7	41.6	41.3
Portugal	16.1	16.5	16.8	17.2	17.1	17.0	17.2	17.1	17.1	17.0	17.3	17.0	16.8	16.9	16.7	16.5	16.6	16.3	17.4	18.7	18.6	18.5	18.3
Slovak Republic	34.5	33.8	33.0	32.4	31.7	31.4	31.6	31.5	31.4	31.2	31.0	31.0	31.1	31.3	31.5	31.7	31.8	31.4	30.1	29.4	29.7	30.2	30.5
Spain	27.5	27.7	27.6	27.1	26.9	27.0	27.0	26.9	27.4	27.4	27.2	27.2	27.2	27.2	27.2	27.1	27.1	26.9	26.8	26.7	26.5	26.2	25.9
Sweden	12.5	17.8	11.3	11.7	11.9	13.1	13.4	14.2	13.3	14.2	13.9	14.9	14.7	14.3	15.6	17.0	17.6	17.4	16.7	17.1	16.2	17.8	18.5
Switzerland																							
United Kingdom	10.2	10.2	10.5	10.5	10.8	11.4	11.2	11.0	10.2	10.0	10.0	10.1	10.2	10.1	10.4	10.9	10.9	10.6	10.4	10.9	10.9	10.9	
Euro area	17.4	17.6	17.7	17.7	17.7	17.8	17.8	17.7	17.7	17.8	17.8	17.9	17.8	18.0	18.0	18.0	18.0	18.1	18.1	18.2	18.2	18.2	
EU15	15.6	15.9	15.8	15.8	15.9	15.9	15.9	16.0	16.0	15.9	15.8	15.9	15.9	15.9	16.0	16.0	16.1	16.1	16.1	16.1	16.2	16.2	
OECD-Totals	13.5	13.7	13.6	13.6	13.8	13.8	14.1	13.7	13.8	13.6	13.6	13.4	13.4	13.7	13.5	13.6	13.6	13.3	13.5	13.7	13.4	13.2	
Major seven	12.1	12.1	12.1	12.0	12.3	12.3	12.7	12.1	12.3	12.0	12.0	11.9	11.6	12.1	11.9	11.8	11.6	11.9	11.8	12.2	11.8	11.6	
OCDE-Totals																							
Sept grands																							

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	1992				1993				1994				1995				1996				1997				1998			
	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4																							
Canada	10.5	9.9	10.4	10.3	10.1	9.8	9.5	9.1	8.6	8.6	8.4	8.3	8.2	8.4	8.6	8.7	8.2	7.9	7.4	7.4	7.2	7.0	6.9	6.9	6.9	6.9		
United States	6.1	5.8	5.7	5.6	5.4	5.2	4.9	4.8	4.4	4.3	4.5	4.3	4.3	4.2	4.2	4.1	4.0	3.8	3.7	3.5	3.5	3.3	3.3	3.4	3.4	3.4		
Australia	8.4	8.5	8.5	8.5	8.5	7.9	7.6	7.3	7.0	6.8	6.3	6.3	6.3	6.4	6.6	6.4	6.4	6.2	6.1	6.0	6.0	6.1	6.1	6.1	6.1	6.1		
Japan																												
Korea																												
New Zealand	8.2	7.4	7.5	7.3	7.1	7.0	6.1	6.0	5.7	5.1	4.8	4.4	4.5	4.6	4.6	4.7	4.6	5.1	4.9	5.1	5.1	5.4	5.9	5.8	5.8	5.8		
Austria	3.3	3.5	3.6	3.6	3.5	3.5	3.5	3.5	3.4	3.5	3.5	3.5	3.5	3.7	3.8	4.0	4.1	4.0	3.9	3.9	4.0	4.1	4.2	4.3	4.2	4.2	4.2	
Belgium	6.3	6.6	6.9	7.3	7.6	7.9	8.1	8.2	8.1	8.0	8.0	8.1	8.3	8.4	8.2	8.0	7.8	7.7	7.7	7.7	7.7	8.0	8.1	8.1	8.1	8.1		
Czech Republic	3.7	3.6	3.4	3.3	3.4	3.4	3.4	3.4	3.5	3.5	3.3	3.3	3.2	3.1	3.0	3.2	3.3	3.5	3.6	4.2	4.6	4.6	4.6	4.6	4.6	4.6	4.6	
Denmark	8.4	8.9	9.2	8.9	8.5	7.8	7.4	7.0	6.6	6.3	6.1	6.0	5.9	5.9	5.8	5.6	5.2	4.9	4.7	4.7	4.7	4.6	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.4		
Finland	11.4	12.8	14.1	14.6	15.3	15.7	15.2	14.4	13.7	13.3	13.4	13.7	13.8	13.3	12.9	13.1	12.7	11.9	11.5	10.7	10.3	10.2	10.1	9.6	9.6	9.6		
France	8.3	8.6	8.9	9.3	9.6	9.8	9.8	9.6	9.4	9.3	9.2	9.3	9.4	9.6	9.7	9.8	9.8	9.8	9.8	9.7	9.7	9.6	9.5	9.5	9.5	9.5		
Germany	6.9	7.2	7.5	8.0	8.3	8.3	8.3	8.2	8.0	7.8	7.9	8.0	8.1	8.4	8.6	8.9	9.4	9.5	9.7	9.7	9.6	9.2	8.8	8.8	8.8	8.8		
Greece																												
Hungary																												
Ireland	13.1	13.2	13.2	13.0	12.8	12.5	12.1	11.4	10.9	10.5	10.5	10.5	10.5	10.5	10.4	10.3	10.2	9.7	9.2	8.9	8.4	8.5	8.7	8.7	8.8	8.8		
Italy	5.8	6.0	6.6	6.7	7.1	7.3	7.4	7.7	8.0	8.1	8.1	8.2	8.2	8.2	8.2	8.3	8.4	8.4	8.5	8.5	8.5	8.5	8.5	8.5	8.5	8.5		
Luxembourg	1.9	2.1	2.4	2.5	2.7	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.3	2.2	2.2	2.3	2.4	2.4	2.2	2.1	2.0	2.1	2.3	2.4	2.3	2.3	2.3	2.3	2.3	2.3		
Netherlands	4.8	5.0	5.1	5.3	5.6	5.9	5.9	6.0	5.8	5.7	5.5	5.3	5.2	5.0	5.2	5.0	4.9	4.7	4.5	4.3	4.1	3.7	3.4	3.1	3.0	3.0		
Norway	5.1	5.2	5.2	4.8	4.7	4.5	4.6	4.4	4.3	4.1	3.9	3.9	3.6	3.4	3.5	3.4	3.1	2.9	2.6	2.3	2.2	2.1	2.1	2.1	2.1	2.1		
Poland	11.0	11.8	11.4	12.8	12.3	11.9	11.8	11.5	11.3	10.6	10.6	10.8	10.4	10.3	9.8	9.7	*9.8	9.3	9.1	8.8	8.4	8.3	8.6	8.6	8.6	8.6		
Portugal	3.3	3.7	4.1	4.5	4.9	5.2	5.3	5.5	5.6	5.7	5.7	5.6	5.7	5.7	5.8	5.7	5.6	5.6	5.4	5.3	5.1	*4.8	4.1	3.9	3.9	3.9		
Slovak Republic	12.8	13.7	14.4	15.0	15.5	15.8	16.1	16.0	15.7	15.5	15.2	15.1	14.9	14.5	14.4	14.2	14.1	13.8	13.5	13.0	12.7	12.5	12.5	12.5	12.5	12.5		
Spain	5.3	6.2	7.1	7.6	7.9	7.8	7.7	7.6	7.4	7.3	7.3	7.4	7.8	8.1	8.4	8.7	8.9	8.9	8.5	8.5	8.1	7.7	7.5	7.0	7.0	7.0		
Sweden																												
Switzerland																												
United Kingdom	8.6	8.7	8.4	8.3	8.3	8.1	7.9	7.6	7.4	7.3	7.2	7.2	7.0	6.8	6.8	6.6	6.3	5.9	5.7	5.5	5.2	5.0	4.9	4.9	4.9	4.9		
Euro area	7.5	7.8	8.2	8.5	8.9	9.0	9.1	9.0	8.8	8.8	8.6	8.5	8.5	8.6	8.6	8.6	8.6	8.6	8.6	8.5	8.4	8.3	8.1	8.0	8.0	8.0		
EU15	7.6	7.9	8.2	8.5	8.7	8.8	8.9	8.8	8.6	8.5	8.5	8.5	8.5	8.6	8.6	8.6	8.6	8.6	8.6	8.5	8.4	8.3	8.1	8.0	8.0	8.0		
OECD-Total																												
Major seven																												
	6.0	5.8	5.8	5.8	5.8	5.8	5.8	5.8	5.6	5.5	5.5	5.5	5.5	5.6	5.6	5.6	5.6	5.5	5.5	5.4	5.4	5.3	5.3	5.3	5.2	5.2		

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	1998				1999				2000				2001				2002				2003				
	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	
Canada	6.8	6.7	6.5	6.3	5.8	5.6	5.6	5.8	5.7	5.9	6.0	6.1	6.5	6.4	6.4	6.3	6.5	6.6	6.3	6.1	6.0	5.9	5.9	Canada	
United States	3.4	3.2	3.2	3.0	*3.0	2.9	3.1	2.9	2.9	3.2	3.4	3.7	4.4	4.5	4.8	4.6	4.7	4.9	4.9	4.8	4.5	4.5	4.5	4.3	Ets-Unis
Australia	5.8	5.6	5.4	5.4	5.2	5.1	5.0	4.7	4.8	4.9	5.2	5.3	5.3	5.2	4.9	4.8	4.7	4.8	4.7	4.6	4.3	4.2	4.1	4.1	Australie
Japan	3.9	4.1	4.2	4.1	4.0	4.3	4.2	4.1	4.1	4.2	4.3	4.5	4.8	4.7	4.8	4.9	4.9	4.8	4.8	4.7	4.5	4.4	4.1	4.3	Japon
Korea																									Corée
New Zealand	6.1	5.6	5.3	5.2	5.0	4.7	4.6	4.4	4.0	3.9	3.9	3.9	4.0	4.0	4.0	3.7	3.8	3.6	3.6	3.5	3.3	3.4	3.3	2.6	Nouvelle-Zélande
Austria	4.0	3.8	3.7	3.7	3.7	3.7	3.5	3.3	3.2	3.2	3.1	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.3	3.2	3.3	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.2	Autriche
Belgium	7.7	7.5	7.3	7.0	6.5	6.1	5.7	5.6	5.5	5.5	5.4	5.4	5.4	5.4	5.4	5.4	5.4	5.4	5.4	5.4	5.4	5.4	5.4	5.4	Belgique
Czech Republic	5.9	6.4	7.0	7.3	7.4	7.6	7.4	7.1	6.9	6.8	6.8	6.8	6.8	6.8	6.8	6.8	6.8	6.8	6.8	6.8	6.8	6.8	6.8	6.8	République tchèque
Denmark	4.3	4.2	4.1	4.1	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0	3.9	3.8	3.7	3.6	3.6	3.7	3.7	3.8	3.9	4.1	4.3	4.6	4.8	5.0	Danemark
Finland	9.2	8.9	8.6	8.4	8.3	8.1	7.9	7.8	7.6	7.4	7.5	7.6	7.4	7.4	7.4	7.4	7.3	7.3	7.3	7.2	7.1	7.2	7.4	7.4	Finlande
France	9.5	9.4	9.2	8.9	8.6	8.3	8.0	7.7	7.5	7.3	7.2	7.1	7.1	7.1	7.1	7.2	7.1	7.2	7.1	7.2	7.1	7.2	7.2	7.2	France
Germany	8.6	8.5	8.3	8.1	7.8	7.7	7.5	7.6	7.6	7.6	7.6	7.6	7.6	7.6	7.6	7.6	7.6	7.6	7.6	7.6	7.6	7.6	7.6	7.6	Allemagne
Greece	8.5	9.0	9.1	9.3	8.9	8.7	8.5	8.0	8.0	8.1	8.1	8.1	8.1	8.1	8.1	8.1	8.1	8.1	8.1	8.0	8.0	7.7	7.4	7.4	Grece
Hungary	6.5	6.1	5.8	5.7	5.7	5.5	5.2	5.1	5.0	4.9	4.8	4.7	4.8	4.7	4.8	4.7	4.8	4.8	4.9	4.9	4.9	4.9	4.9	4.9	Hongrie
Ireland	5.9	5.4	5.1	4.8	4.5	4.1	3.8	3.6	3.4	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.2	Irlande
Italy	8.7	8.6	8.7	8.6	8.4	8.3	8.0	7.8	7.6	7.6	7.4	7.4	7.2	7.2	7.2	7.1	7.1	7.1	7.1	7.1	7.1	7.1	7.1	7.1	Italie
Luxembourg	2.1	1.9	1.9	1.9	1.9	1.9	1.8	1.6	1.5	1.4	1.6	1.5	1.4	1.4	1.4	1.4	1.5	1.6	1.6	1.6	1.6	1.6	1.6	1.6	Luxembourg
Netherlands	2.9	2.5	2.4	2.3	2.3	2.3	2.3	2.3	2.3	2.3	2.3	2.3	2.3	2.3	2.3	2.3	2.3	2.3	2.3	2.3	2.3	2.3	2.3	2.3	Pays-Bas
Norway	2.0	1.9	2.0	2.0	2.3	2.5	2.3	2.2	2.4	2.4	2.4	2.4	2.4	2.4	2.4	2.4	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	Norvège
Poland	9.0	9.9	10.8	11.5	12.2	12.9	13.4	13.8	14.2	14.4	14.9	15.5	16.0	16.4	16.4	16.4	16.4	16.4	16.4	16.4	16.4	16.4	16.4	16.4	Pologne
Portugal	3.8	3.9	3.9	3.6	3.6	3.4	3.3	3.3	3.1	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.2	Portugal
Slovak Republic	10.2	*12.0	12.7	13.8	14.8	15.2	15.7	15.4	14.8	14.8	15.8	15.8	15.8	15.8	15.8	15.8	15.8	15.8	15.8	15.8	15.8	15.8	15.8	15.8	République slovaque
Spain	12.0	11.4	10.8	10.5	10.2	9.9	9.7	9.4	9.2	9.0	8.9	8.9	9.1	9.5	9.7	9.9	9.9	9.9	9.9	9.9	9.9	9.9	9.9	9.9	Espagne
Sweden	6.7	6.3	6.0	6.0	5.6	5.4	5.1	4.8	4.4	4.2	4.0	3.9	4.0	3.9	3.9	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.1	4.3	4.4	4.6	4.9	5.0	Suède
Switzerland																									Suisse
United Kingdom	4.7	4.8	4.7	4.6	4.6	4.4	4.2	4.1	3.9	3.8	3.8	3.8	3.8	3.8	3.8	3.8	3.8	3.8	3.9	3.9	3.9	3.9	3.9	Royaume-Uni	
Euro area	8.5	8.4	8.2	8.1	7.9	7.6	7.4	7.2	7.1	7.0	6.9	7.0	7.1	7.2	7.3	7.5	7.6	7.7	7.8	7.8	7.8	7.8	7.8	Zone euro	
EU15	7.8	7.7	7.6	7.4	7.2	7.0	6.8	6.6	6.4	6.3	6.3	6.4	6.5	6.6	6.8	6.8	6.9	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	UE15
OECD-Totals Major seven	5.8	5.7	5.6	5.4	5.4	*5.4	5.2	5.1	5.1	4.9	*4.9	4.7	4.6	4.7	4.8	5.0	5.4	5.4	5.6	5.6	5.7	5.7	5.8	5.8	OCDE-Totals Sept grands



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**III. Monthly data, seasonally adjusted – III. Données mensuelles, corrigées des variations saisonnières**  
*All persons 25 years or more - Ensemble des personnes de 25 ans et plus*

	2000			2001			2002			2002		
	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov
Canada	5.7	5.8	5.8	6.0	5.9	6.0	6.1	6.0	6.2	6.3	6.4	6.4
United States	2.9	3.1	3.2	3.2	3.3	3.3	3.5	3.5	3.8	4.2	4.5	4.7
Australia	4.8	4.8	5.0	4.9	5.2	5.1	5.2	5.4	5.3	5.4	5.5	5.6
Japan	4.1	4.2	4.2	4.3	4.3	4.4	4.4	4.5	4.6	4.7	4.8	4.7
Korea	3.7	3.8	3.8	3.7	3.3	3.1	3.2	3.2	3.1	3.1	3.0	3.0
New Zealand	4.0				3.9			3.9		4.0		
Austria	3.1	3.1	3.1	3.1	3.2	3.2	3.3	3.3	3.4	3.5	3.6	3.7
Belgium	5.4	5.4	5.3	5.3	5.4	5.4	5.4	5.5	5.5	5.7	5.8	5.9
Czech Republic	6.9	6.8	6.8	6.8	6.8	6.8	6.8	6.7	6.6	6.6	6.4	6.4
Denmark	3.8	3.8	3.8	3.7	3.7	3.7	3.6	3.7	3.7	3.7	3.8	3.9
Finland	7.8	7.7	7.7	7.6	7.5	7.4	7.4	7.5	7.6	7.6	7.5	7.4
France	7.4	7.3	7.3	7.2	7.2	7.1	7.1	7.1	7.1	7.1	7.2	7.3
Germany	7.5	7.5	7.6	7.6	7.6	7.7	7.8	7.8	7.9	8.0	8.0	8.1
Greece	8.0	8.1	8.1	8.1	8.1	8.1	8.1	8.1	8.1	8.5	8.5	8.5
Hungary	5.0	5.0	4.9	4.9	4.9	4.9	4.8	4.8	4.8	4.7	4.7	4.8
Ireland	3.3	3.3	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.3	3.4	3.4
Italy	7.6	7.6	7.5	7.5	7.4	7.4	7.4	7.4	7.3	7.3	7.2	7.1
Luxembourg	1.6	1.5	1.4	1.4	1.4	1.5	1.5	1.6	1.7	1.7	1.8	1.9
Netherlands	2.2	2.0	1.9	1.8	1.8	1.9	1.9	1.9	1.8	1.8	1.9	2.0
Norway	2.4	2.4	2.4	2.3	2.4	2.4	2.5	2.6	2.7	2.5	2.4	2.6
Poland	14.3	14.4	14.5	14.7	14.9	15.1	15.3	15.5	15.6	16.0	16.3	16.4
Portugal	3.1	3.2	3.3	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.3	3.4	3.5
Slovak Republic	15.0	15.5	15.9	15.9	15.8	15.7	15.8	15.9	15.9	15.8	15.7	15.6
Spain	9.1	9.0	9.0	8.9	8.9	8.9	8.9	9.0	9.0	9.1	9.4	9.6
Sweden	4.3	4.2	4.2	4.0	4.1	4.0	3.9	4.0	4.0	4.0	3.9	3.8
Switzerland												
United Kingdom	3.9	3.8	3.8	3.7	3.7	3.8	3.8	3.8	3.8	3.8	3.8	3.9
Euro area	7.0	7.0	7.0	6.9	6.9	6.9	7.0	7.0	7.1	7.1	7.2	7.3
EU15	6.4	6.4	6.3	6.3	6.3	6.3	6.3	6.3	6.4	6.4	6.5	6.6
OECD-Totals	5.1	5.2	5.2	5.2	5.2	5.2	5.3	5.3	5.4	5.5	5.6	5.7
Major seven	4.6	4.7	4.7	4.7	4.8	4.8	4.9	4.9	5.0	5.1	5.4	5.4

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**III. Monthly data, seasonally adjusted – III. Données mensuelles, corrigées des variations saisonnières**

**All persons 25 years or more - Ensemble des personnes de 25 ans et plus**

	2002			2003			2004			Pourcentage de la population active civile, cvs	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov					
	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug																									
Canada	6.4	6.3	6.4	6.4	6.4	6.4	6.5	6.5	6.7	6.4	6.4	6.1	6.1	6.2	6.0	5.9	6.0	5.8	5.9	5.9	5.9	6.1	6.1	6.1	6.1	6.1	6.1	6.1	6.1					
United States	4.9	4.6	4.8	4.8	4.9	4.9	5.1	5.0	5.0	4.9	4.9	4.8	4.7	4.5	4.5	4.5	4.6	4.5	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.3	4.3	4.3	4.3	4.3	4.3	4.3	4.3	4.3				
Australia	4.8	4.9	4.7	4.8	4.7	4.7	4.7	4.7	4.5	4.5	4.4	4.3	4.3	4.3	4.3	4.3	4.3	4.1	4.2	4.1	4.2	4.1	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0			
Japan	5.0	4.9	4.7	4.8	4.8	4.8	4.8	4.8	4.8	4.7	4.6	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.1	4.1	4.1	4.1	4.1	4.1	4.1	4.1	4.1	4.1			
Korea	2.6	2.5	2.7	2.8	2.9	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.1	3.0	3.0	3.1	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	2.9	2.8	2.8	2.8	2.9	2.9	3.2	3.1	3.1	3.1	3.1	3.1	3.1	3.1	3.1	3.1		
New Zealand	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.5	3.5	3.5	3.5	3.5	3.5	3.3	3.3	3.4	3.4	3.4	3.4	3.4	3.3	3.3	3.3	3.3	3.3	3.3	2.6	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5		
Austria	3.7	3.7	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.7	3.7	3.7	3.7	3.7	3.7	3.7	3.7	3.7	3.7	3.7	3.7	3.7	3.7	3.7	3.7	3.7	3.7	3.7	3.7	3.7	3.7	3.7	3.7	3.7				
Belgium	6.4	6.5	6.5	6.6	6.6	6.6	6.6	6.6	6.7	6.6	6.5	6.5	6.5	6.4	6.4	6.4	6.4	6.4	6.4	6.4	6.4	6.4	6.4	6.4	6.4	6.4	6.4	6.4	6.4	6.4	6.4			
Czech Republic	6.2	6.2	6.3	6.5	6.6	6.6	6.6	6.6	6.7	6.7	6.8	6.8	6.8	7.0	7.1	7.1	7.1	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0			
Denmark	4.3	4.5	4.6	4.7	4.7	4.8	4.9	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.1	5.1	5.1	5.1	5.1	5.1	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	4.9	4.9	4.9	4.9	4.9	4.9	4.9	4.9	4.9	4.9		
Finland	7.3	7.3	7.3	7.3	7.3	7.2	7.2	7.1	7.1	7.1	7.1	7.1	7.1	7.2	7.2	7.3	7.4	7.4	7.4	7.4	7.4	7.4	7.4	7.4	7.4	7.4	7.4	7.4	7.4	7.4	7.4	7.4		
France	7.8	7.8	7.9	8.0	8.0	8.1	8.1	8.1	8.2	8.2	8.2	8.2	8.2	8.2	8.2	8.2	8.2	8.2	8.2	8.2	8.2	8.1	8.1	8.1	8.1	8.1	8.1	8.1	8.1	8.1	8.1			
Germany	9.0	9.2	9.3	9.4	9.5	9.5	9.5	9.5	9.5	9.5	9.5	9.5	9.5	9.5	9.5	9.5	9.5	9.5	9.5	9.5	9.5	9.5	9.6	9.6	9.6	9.6	9.6	9.6	9.6	9.6	9.6	9.6		
Greece	7.7	7.5	7.5	7.4	7.4	7.4	7.4	7.4	7.3	7.3	7.3	7.3	7.3	7.4	7.4	7.4	7.4	7.4	7.4	7.4	7.4	7.4	7.4	7.4	7.4	7.4	7.4	7.4	7.4	7.4	7.4			
Hungary	4.8	4.9	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0			
Ireland	3.7	3.7	3.7	3.7	3.8	3.8	3.8	3.8	3.9	3.9	3.9	3.9	3.9	3.9	3.9	3.9	3.8	3.8	3.8	3.8	3.8	3.8	3.8	3.8	3.8	3.8	3.8	3.8	3.8	3.8	3.8	3.8		
Italy	7.0	7.0	6.9	6.8	6.8	6.8	6.8	6.7	6.7	6.7	6.7	6.7	6.7	6.7	6.7	6.7	6.7	6.7	6.7	6.7	6.7	6.7	6.7	6.7	6.7	6.7	6.7	6.7	6.7	6.7	6.7	6.7		
Luxembourg	2.6	2.7	2.8	2.9	3.0	3.1	3.1	3.1	3.1	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.2		
Netherlands	2.4	2.6	2.7	2.9	3.0	3.1	3.1	3.1	3.1	3.2	3.2	3.4	3.4	3.4	3.4	3.4	3.4	3.4	3.4	3.4	3.4	3.4	3.4	3.4	3.4	3.4	3.4	3.4	3.4	3.4	3.4	3.4		
Norway	3.0	3.1	3.1	3.1	3.1	3.1	3.1	3.1	3.1	3.1	3.1	3.1	3.1	3.1	3.1	3.1	3.1	3.1	3.1	3.1	3.1	3.1	3.1	3.1	3.1	3.1	3.1	3.1	3.1	3.1	3.1	3.1		
Poland	16.3	16.2	16.1	16.0	15.9	15.9	15.9	15.9	15.9	15.9	16.0	16.0	16.0	16.0	16.0	16.0	16.0	16.0	16.0	16.0	16.0	16.0	16.0	16.0	16.0	16.0	16.0	16.0	16.0	16.0	16.0			
Portugal	5.0	5.1	5.1	5.2	5.2	5.3	5.2	5.1	5.1	5.1	5.1	5.1	5.1	5.1	5.1	5.1	5.1	5.1	5.1	5.1	5.1	5.1	5.1	5.1	5.1	5.1	5.1	5.1	5.1	5.1	5.1	5.1		
Slovak Republic	15.3	15.0	14.8	14.6	14.5	14.4	14.4	14.4	14.5	14.5	14.6	14.6	14.8	15.0	15.0	15.3	15.6	15.8	16.0	16.1	16.2	16.2	16.2	16.2	16.2	16.2	16.2	16.2	16.2	16.2	16.2	16.2	16.2	16.2
Spain	9.9	9.8	9.8	9.8	9.8	9.8	9.8	9.8	9.8	9.7	9.7	9.7	9.7	9.7	9.7	9.7	9.7	9.7	9.7	9.7	9.6	9.6	9.6	9.6	9.6	9.6	9.6	9.6	9.6	9.6	9.6	9.6		
Sweden	4.1	4.3	4.3	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.5	4.5	4.5	4.6	4.6	4.6	4.7	4.7	4.8	4.9	4.9	4.9	4.9	4.9	4.9	4.9	4.9	4.9	4.9		
Switzerland	3.7	3.7	3.7	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6		
United Kingdom	3.7	3.7	3.7	3.7	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6		
Euro area	7.7	7.7	7.8	7.8	7.8	7.8	7.8	7.8	7.8	7.8	7.8	7.8	7.8	7.8	7.8	7.8	7.8	7.8	7.8	7.8	7.8	7.8	7.8	7.8	7.8	7.8	7.8	7.8	7.8	7.8	7.8	7.8	7.8	
EU15	6.9	6.9	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	
OECD-Totals	6.0	6.0	6.0	6.0	6.0	6.0	6.1	6.1	6.1	6.1	6.1	6.1	6.1	6.0	6.0	5.9	5.9	5.9	5.9	5.9	5.9	5.9	5.9	5.9	5.9	5.9	5.9	5.9	5.9	5.9	5.9	5.9	5.9	
Major seven	5.7	5.6	5.7	5.7	5.8	5.8	5.8	5.8	5.8	5.8	5.8	5.8	5.8	5.8	5.8	5.8	5.8	5.7	5.7	5.7	5.7	5.7	5.7	5.7	5.7	5.7	5.7	5.7	5.7	5.7	5.7	5.7	5.7	5.7

**STANDARDISED UNEMPLOYMENT RATES OF SELECTED OECD COUNTRIES**  
**TAUX DE CHÔMAGE STANDARDISÉS DE CERTAINS PAYS DE L'OCDE**

**I. Annual data – I. Données annuelles**

**Males 25 years and more - Hommes de 25 ans et plus**

	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	1985	1986	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	Per cent of civilian labour force – Pourcentage de la population active civile											
																									Canada	United States	Australie	Corée	Nouvelle-Zélande	Euro area	EU15	OECDE-Totale	Major seven			
Canada	4.9	5.0	8.4	9.5	9.2	8.6	7.8	7.1	6.2	6.2	6.9	9.2	10.4	9.5	8.5	8.7	7.9	7.1	6.4	5.6	6.2	6.7	6.6	6.6	6.6	6.6	6.6	6.6	6.6	6.6	6.6					
United States	4.8	5.1	7.5	7.8	5.7	5.3	5.4	4.8	4.2	3.9	4.4	5.7	6.4	5.8	4.8	4.3	4.1	3.6	3.2	3.0	*2.8	3.6	4.7	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0			
Australia	3.2	3.2	4.2	6.8	6.1	5.8	5.6	5.7	4.8	4.3	5.0	7.5	8.9	9.4	8.0	7.0	6.8	6.7	6.5	5.7	5.1	5.4	5.0	4.5	4.5	4.5	4.5	4.5	4.5	4.5	4.5	4.5	4.5			
Japan																																				
Korea																																				
New Zealand																																				
Austria																																				
Belgium	4.6	5.2	5.2	4.8	4.9	5.2	4.9	3.8	3.3	3.4	4.2	5.2	5.1	6.2	6.2	6.2	6.2	6.2	6.2	6.2	6.3	5.8	4.7	4.9	5.4	5.4	5.4	5.4	5.4	5.4	5.4	5.4	5.4	5.4		
Czech Republic	5.6	5.9	5.7	4.5	3.1	3.5	4.3	5.4	5.8	6.5	7.2	8.5	6.4	6.4	5.1	4.7	3.8	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.2	
Denmark	3.9	4.2	5.0	5.6	5.9	6.1	5.7	5.4	5.2	5.6	6.5	7.8	8.3	7.9	8.4	8.4	8.1	7.6	7.4	7.1	7.4	7.3	7.3	7.3	7.3	7.3	7.3	7.3	7.3	7.3	7.3	7.3	7.3	7.3	7.3	
Finland	3.8	4.0	3.6	3.2	3.2	3.0	2.6	2.5	2.8	3.0	3.3	3.6	3.3	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	
France	1.9	2.2	2.4	2.5	3.0	3.5	3.7	3.9	3.6	3.3	3.6	3.3	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	
Germany	1.3	1.6	1.5	1.2	1.3	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.4	1.9	2.1	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.4	1.4	1.2	1.2	1.2	1.2	1.2	1.2	1.2	1.2	1.2	1.2	1.2		
Greece	5.3	6.6	6.5	5.7	4.8	4.3	4.4	4.0	3.5	3.3	3.4	4.3	5.1	4.6	5.1	4.6	4.6	4.6	4.6	4.6	4.6	4.6	4.6	4.6	4.6	4.6	4.6	4.6	4.6	4.6	4.6	4.6	4.6	4.6	4.6	
Hungary																																				
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**Males 25 years and more - Hommes de 25 ans et plus**

	1992				1993				1994				1995				1996				1997				1998				
	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3																	
Canada	11.1	10.2	10.5	10.7	10.5	10.1	9.7	9.2	8.9	8.7	8.5	8.3	8.6	8.6	8.7	8.8	8.4	8.1	7.6	7.3	7.3	7.1	7.0	Canada	Ets-Unis	3.2			
United States	6.4	6.0	5.9	5.8	5.5	5.2	4.8	4.7	4.4	4.2	4.4	4.3	4.2	4.2	4.2	3.9	3.8	3.9	3.7	3.5	3.4	3.3	3.1	3.1	3.2	3.2	3.2		
Australia	9.3	9.4	9.5	9.2	9.1	8.6	8.0	7.6	7.4	7.2	7.0	6.9	6.7	6.7	6.6	7.1	6.6	6.7	6.6	6.6	6.5	6.4	6.4	6.5	Australie				
Japan																										Japon			
Korea																										Corée			
New Zealand	8.5	8.0	7.9	7.8	7.7	7.4	6.9	6.6	5.9	5.3	4.8	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.7	4.5	4.6	4.6	5.2	5.0	5.1	5.3	5.4	5.9	Nouvelle-Zélande				
Austria	2.6	2.8	2.9	2.8	2.7	2.7	2.7	2.7	2.7	2.6	2.7	2.7	2.9	2.9	3.2	3.5	3.4	3.4	3.3	3.2	3.3	3.5	3.6	3.6	3.7	Autriche			
Belgium	4.4	4.7	5.0	5.4	5.7	6.0	6.2	6.2	6.1	6.1	6.0	6.2	6.4	6.5	6.3	6.1	6.1	6.0	6.1	6.2	6.3	6.4	6.4	6.4	Belgique				
Czech Republic	2.9	2.7	2.5	2.4	2.7	2.7	2.7	2.7	2.7	2.6	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.6	2.8	2.9	3.0	3.2	3.6	*3.4	3.6	3.6	3.9	République tchèque				
Denmark	7.9	8.6	9.0	8.6	8.0	7.2	6.6	6.1	5.7	5.4	5.1	5.0	4.9	4.9	4.8	4.6	4.6	4.2	4.1	3.9	3.7	3.4	3.3	3.3	Danemark				
Finland	13.1	14.4	15.4	16.0	17.0	17.6	17.1	16.0	14.6	13.6	13.4	13.7	14.1	13.5	12.8	13.0	12.3	11.6	11.1	10.3	9.9	9.7	9.7	Finlande					
France	6.8	7.2	7.6	8.0	8.3	8.5	8.4	8.2	8.0	7.9	7.8	7.9	8.1	8.2	8.3	8.5	8.5	8.5	8.4	8.3	8.2	8.1	8.0	France					
Germany	5.4	5.8	6.1	6.6	6.9	7.0	6.9	6.7	6.5	6.6	6.9	7.1	7.6	7.7	7.9	7.9	8.2	8.7	8.7	8.9	8.9	8.8	8.6	Allemagne					
Greece																										Grece			
Hungary																										Hongrie			
Ireland	12.9	12.8	13.0	13.0	12.8	12.6	12.3	11.9	11.2	10.7	10.3	10.3	10.3	10.3	10.3	10.3	10.2	10.1	9.6	9.1	8.8	8.4	8.0	7.5	7.1	6.6	Italie		
Italy	4.0	4.3	4.7	4.9	5.2	5.4	5.6	5.7	5.6	5.7	6.0	6.0	6.0	6.3	6.1	6.2	6.3	6.3	6.3	6.4	6.5	6.4	6.4	6.6	Luxembourg				
Luxembourg	1.6	1.6	2.0	2.2	2.3	2.1	1.8	1.6	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.6	1.5	1.5	Luxembourg				
Netherlands	3.7	3.9	4.1	4.4	4.7	4.9	5.1	5.1	5.1	4.9	4.8	4.8	4.5	4.5	4.2	4.0	3.9	3.7	3.6	3.3	3.2	2.9	2.7	2.4	2.1	Pays-Bas			
Norway	5.9	6.0	6.2	5.9	5.3	5.5	5.3	5.0	5.0	4.7	4.6	4.4	4.4	4.4	3.6	3.5	3.6	3.6	3.3	3.2	3.0	2.9	2.5	2.3	2.0	Norvège			
Poland	9.6	10.6	10.2	11.6	11.1	10.6	10.6	10.1	9.9	9.6	9.6	9.9	9.4	9.1	8.5	8.1	*8.3	7.5	7.4	7.1	6.7	6.6	7.0	7.0	Pologne				
Portugal	2.9	3.2	3.5	3.8	4.1	4.5	4.7	4.9	4.9	5.0	5.0	5.1	5.1	5.1	5.1	5.1	5.1	5.2	5.1	5.0	4.8	*4.0	3.3	3.1	Portugal				
Slovak Republic	10.3	11.3	12.0	12.6	13.0	13.2	13.0	12.6	12.1	12.2	12.1	11.9	11.6	11.3	11.1	11.0	10.6	10.2	9.7	9.3	9.0	9.0	9.0	9.6	République slovaque				
Spain	6.4	7.5	8.4	9.0	9.3	9.2	9.0	8.9	8.6	8.5	8.3	8.2	8.3	8.3	8.7	8.9	9.2	9.3	9.2	8.9	8.5	8.1	7.7	7.1	Espagne				
Sweden																										Suede			
Switzerland																										Suisse			
United Kingdom	10.3	10.5	10.1	9.9	9.9	9.7	9.5	9.1	8.8	8.6	8.5	8.5	8.3	8.2	8.0	7.8	7.3	6.7	6.6	6.1	5.8	5.6	5.5	5.4	Royaume-Uni				
Euro area	6.0	6.3	6.7	7.1	7.4	7.5	7.6	7.4	7.2	7.3	7.4	7.5	7.6	7.7	7.7	7.6	7.7	7.8	7.7	7.7	7.5	7.5	7.4	7.2	Zone euro				
EU15	6.7	7.0	7.4	7.6	7.8	7.9	7.8	7.6	7.5	7.4	7.5	7.6	7.7	7.7	7.7	7.6	7.6	7.5	7.5	7.3	7.1	7.0	6.8	6.8	UE15				
OECD-Totals Major seven																										OCDE-Totals Sept grands			



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	1998				1999				2000				2001				2002				2003			
	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3
Canada	7.1	6.8	6.6	6.5	5.9	5.6	5.7	5.7	6.0	6.2	6.1	6.7	7.1	6.6	6.5	6.6	6.4	6.6	6.9	6.4	6.3	6.2	5.8	5.8
United States	3.1	3.0	3.0	3.0	2.8	*2.9	2.7	2.8	3.1	3.3	3.7	4.4	4.5	4.8	4.6	5.0	5.0	5.2	5.1	4.9	4.5	4.5	4.4	4.4
Australia	6.4	6.0	5.8	5.4	5.1	5.0	5.1	5.0	5.0	5.3	5.6	5.5	5.3	5.1	4.8	4.7	4.7	4.6	4.2	4.3	4.1	3.9	Australie	
Japan	4.0	4.2	4.4	4.2	4.5	4.3	4.2	4.3	4.4	4.6	5.1	4.8	5.0	5.1	5.0	5.0	4.8	4.7	4.7	4.7	4.2	4.4	Japon	
Korea	5.9	5.8	5.5	5.3	5.0	4.6	4.5	4.1	4.2	4.3	4.5	3.8	3.7	3.5	3.2	3.1	3.0	3.2	3.4	3.3	3.1	3.2	3.6	Corée
New Zealand																								2.2
Austria	3.5	3.3	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.0	3.0	2.8	2.6	2.6	2.7	2.9	3.3	3.5	3.6	3.6	3.5	3.4	3.4	3.3	3.2	3.2	3.2	Autriche
Belgium	6.2	6.1	6.0	5.8	5.3	4.9	4.6	4.6	4.6	4.7	4.7	4.8	4.9	5.1	5.2	5.3	5.4	5.4	5.7	6.0	6.2	6.1	6.0	5.8
Czech Republic	4.3	5.5	5.8	6.0	5.6	5.6	5.6	5.3	5.3	5.2	5.1	4.8	4.6	4.6	4.6	4.7	4.6	4.7	4.9	5.1	5.1	5.6	5.6	République tchèque
Denmark	3.4	3.5	3.6	3.7	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.5	3.5	3.3	3.2	3.2	3.3	3.4	3.6	3.8	4.0	4.2	4.3	4.6	4.7	4.7	4.6	Danemark
Finland	8.7	8.7	8.2	7.9	7.9	7.7	7.5	7.3	7.2	7.1	7.0	7.1	7.3	7.2	7.4	7.6	7.4	7.4	7.2	7.3	7.4	7.2	7.1	Finlande
France	8.0	7.9	7.8	7.5	7.2	6.8	6.5	6.3	6.0	5.8	5.7	5.8	6.0	6.3	6.6	6.8	6.8	6.9	7.0	7.1	7.2	7.2	7.1	France
Germany	8.1	8.0	7.9	7.7	7.4	7.3	7.2	7.2	7.3	7.4	7.6	7.9	8.1	8.3	8.6	9.0	9.4	9.6	9.7	9.6	9.6	9.7	9.8	Allemagne
Greece	5.2	5.6	5.9	6.0	6.2	5.7	5.7	5.6	5.6	5.2	5.3	5.4	5.6	5.6	5.6	5.6	5.2	5.2	5.2	5.1	5.1	4.6	4.6	Grece
Hungary	6.8	6.5	6.2	6.1	6.1	5.9	5.7	5.6	5.4	5.4	5.4	5.4	5.2	5.2	5.2	5.1	5.2	5.2	5.1	5.0	4.9	4.8	4.8	Hongrie
Ireland	6.2	5.6	5.3	5.0	4.6	4.3	3.9	3.7	3.4	3.3	3.2	3.2	3.5	3.7	3.8	3.9	4.0	4.1	4.2	4.2	4.3	4.3	4.2	Irlande
Italy	6.5	6.4	6.4	6.4	6.3	5.9	5.8	5.6	5.6	5.5	5.5	5.4	5.2	5.3	5.4	5.4	5.3	5.1	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	Italie
Luxembourg	1.4	1.4	1.4	1.5	1.5	1.4	1.5	1.4	1.2	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.3	1.5	1.7	1.8	2.0	2.2	2.4	2.6	2.7	2.8	2.9	Luxembourg
Netherlands	1.9	1.8	1.8	1.8	1.9	1.8	1.7	1.8	1.7	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.7	1.5	1.7	1.9	2.1	2.3	2.6	2.9	3.1	3.4	3.6	Pays-Bas
Norway	2.1	2.0	2.2	2.6	2.8	2.9	2.7	2.3	2.5	2.5	2.6	2.6	2.7	2.6	2.8	3.0	3.4	3.7	4.0	3.9	3.7	3.6	3.7	Norvège
Poland	7.5	8.4	9.2	9.9	10.5	11.1	11.5	11.9	12.3	12.6	13.3	14.1	14.8	15.3	15.6	15.8	15.8	15.4	15.2	15.3	15.3	15.4	15.1	Pologne
Portugal	3.1	3.2	3.5	3.4	3.2	3.0	2.8	2.6	2.5	2.5	2.6	2.6	2.8	3.1	3.4	4.1	4.4	4.5	4.6	4.5	4.4	4.5	4.9	Portugal
Slovak Republic	9.4	*11.4	12.4	13.7	14.7	15.0	15.6	15.0	14.4	14.4	15.7	15.8	15.7	15.7	15.3	15.0	15.0	14.9	14.3	13.9	13.9	14.5	14.8	République slovaque
Spain	8.6	8.0	7.6	7.3	7.1	6.8	6.6	6.4	6.3	6.1	6.2	6.4	6.6	6.7	6.7	6.7	6.7	6.7	6.8	6.8	6.7	6.7	6.7	Espagne
Sweden	6.6	6.2	5.9	5.8	5.7	5.5	5.1	4.6	4.5	4.3	4.2	4.2	4.3	4.2	4.3	4.4	4.5	4.7	4.9	5.1	5.3	5.4	5.3	Suède
Switzerland																								Suisse
United Kingdom	5.3	5.4	5.3	5.1	5.0	4.9	4.7	4.5	4.3	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.3	4.1	4.1	4.0	4.0	4.0	3.7	3.7	Royaume-Uni
Euro area	7.0	6.9	6.8	6.7	6.5	6.3	6.0	5.9	5.8	5.7	5.8	5.9	6.1	6.2	6.4	6.6	6.7	6.8	6.8	6.8	6.8	6.8	6.9	Zone euro
EU15	6.7	6.6	6.5	6.4	6.2	6.0	5.8	5.6	5.4	5.4	5.5	5.6	5.7	5.8	6.0	6.1	6.2	6.3	6.3	6.2	6.2	6.2	6.2	UE15
OECD-Total	5.3	5.3	5.2	5.2	5.0	*4.9	4.8	4.6	*4.6	*4.4	4.4	4.4	4.5	4.6	4.8	5.1	5.4	5.6	5.7	5.8	5.7	5.6	5.5	5.5
Major seven	4.9	4.9	4.9	4.9	4.8	4.6	4.6	*4.6	*4.4	4.4	4.4	4.5	4.6	4.6	4.8	5.2	5.3	5.4	5.5	5.6	5.7	5.6	5.5	5.3

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**III. Monthly data, seasonally adjusted – III. Données mensuelles, corrigées des variations saisonnières**

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	2000			2001			2002			Per cent of civilian labour force, sa – Pourcentage de la population active civile, cvs	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	
	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug														
Canada	5.6	5.9	5.8	6.2	6.1	6.2	6.3	6.0	6.2	6.4	6.6	6.6	6.5	6.7	6.6	6.6	6.7	6.6	6.7	6.5	6.5	6.5	
United States	2.9	3.1	3.1	3.2	3.3	3.3	3.4	3.5	3.8	4.2	4.4	4.5	4.5	4.5	4.7	4.8	4.7	4.7	4.6	4.6	4.7	5.0	
Australia	5.1	5.1	5.3	5.1	5.4	5.3	5.4	5.5	5.6	5.4	5.5	5.5	5.2	5.5	5.3	5.2	5.1	5.0	4.8	4.8	4.7	4.7	
Japan	4.3	4.3	4.4	4.4	4.5	4.5	4.6	4.6	4.6	4.9	4.9	5.2	5.3	4.8	4.8	4.8	5.0	5.0	5.1	5.1	4.9	4.7	
Korea	4.4	4.6	4.4	4.4	3.9	3.8	3.8	3.8	3.7	3.6	3.5	3.5	3.4	3.2	3.1	3.2	3.2	3.0	3.3	3.3	3.0	3.1	
New Zealand	4.1																						
Austria	2.6	2.6	2.6	2.6	2.6	2.7	2.7	2.8	2.9	3.0	3.1	3.2	3.4	3.5	3.5	3.5	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.5	
Belgium	4.7	4.7	4.8	4.8	4.8	4.8	4.8	4.9	4.9	5.0	5.1	5.1	5.1	5.1	5.2	5.2	5.3	5.3	5.4	5.4	5.4	5.5	
Czech Republic	5.3	5.3	5.2	5.3	5.3	5.3	5.3	5.3	5.3	5.2	5.1	5.1	5.0	4.9	4.7	4.7	4.6	4.6	4.5	4.5	4.6	4.7	
Denmark	3.4	3.3	3.3	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.3	3.3	3.4	3.4	3.5	3.6	3.6	3.8	3.8	3.9	4.0	
Finland	7.1	7.1	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.1	7.1	7.2	7.3	7.3	7.2	7.2	7.3	7.3	7.4	7.5	7.6	7.6	7.5	7.4	7.4	
France	5.9	5.8	5.8	5.7	5.7	5.8	5.8	5.8	5.9	5.9	6.0	6.1	6.2	6.3	6.4	6.5	6.6	6.7	6.8	6.8	6.8	6.8	
Germany	7.2	7.3	7.3	7.4	7.4	7.5	7.5	7.6	7.6	7.7	7.8	7.9	8.0	8.1	8.1	8.1	8.2	8.2	8.2	8.2	8.2	8.0	
Greece	5.1	5.2	5.2	5.3	5.3	5.4	5.4	5.4	5.4	5.4	5.6	5.6	5.6	5.6	5.6	5.6	5.6	5.6	5.6	5.6	5.6	5.6	
Hungary	5.5	5.5	5.4	5.4	5.4	5.4	5.4	5.4	5.4	5.3	5.2	5.2	5.2	5.2	5.2	5.2	5.1	5.1	5.1	5.1	5.1	5.0	
Ireland	3.4	3.3	3.3	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.3	3.3	3.3	3.4	3.5	3.6	3.6	3.7	3.8	3.8	3.8	3.8	3.9	3.9	3.9	
Italy	5.7	5.6	5.6	5.5	5.5	5.6	5.6	5.5	5.5	5.5	5.4	5.3	5.2	5.2	5.3	5.3	5.3	5.3	5.4	5.4	5.4	5.4	
Luxembourg	1.2	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.2	1.2	1.3	1.2	1.2	1.3	1.4	1.4	1.4	1.5	1.5	1.6	1.7	1.7	1.8	1.9	2.0	
Netherlands	1.8	1.7	1.6	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.4	1.4	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.6	1.6	1.8	1.8	2.0	2.0	2.1	2.1	2.2	2.2	
Norway	2.6	2.6	2.5	2.5	2.6	2.7	2.6	2.5	2.7	2.7	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.7	2.7	2.8	2.8	2.8	2.6	2.6	2.6	2.6	
Poland	12.4	12.5	12.6	12.7	13.0	13.3	13.6	13.8	14.1	14.3	14.6	14.8	15.0	15.2	15.3	15.4	15.5	15.7	15.8	15.8	15.8	15.8	
Portugal	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.4	2.4	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.6	2.6	2.6	2.6	2.7	2.8	2.8	2.9	3.0	3.1	3.2	3.3	3.6	3.9	
Slovak Republic	14.6	15.3	15.9	15.9	15.7	15.6	15.6	15.7	15.8	15.8	15.8	15.8	15.8	15.8	15.8	15.8	15.8	15.8	15.8	15.8	15.8	15.8	
Spain	6.2	6.2	6.2	6.1	6.1	6.1	6.2	6.2	6.2	6.2	6.2	6.3	6.4	6.4	6.5	6.5	6.6	6.6	6.7	6.7	6.7	6.7	
Sweden	4.5	4.4	4.5	4.3	4.4	4.3	4.3	4.2	4.2	4.3	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.3	4.3	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.4	
Switzerland																							
United Kingdom	4.3	4.3	4.2	4.1	4.0	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.3	4.2	4.2	4.3	4.4	4.3	4.0	
Euro area	5.8	5.7	5.7	5.7	5.7	5.7	5.8	5.8	5.8	5.9	5.9	5.9	5.9	5.9	5.9	5.9	6.1	6.2	6.3	6.4	6.4	6.5	
EU15	5.5	5.5	5.4	5.4	5.4	5.4	5.4	5.4	5.5	5.5	5.6	5.6	5.6	5.7	5.7	5.8	5.8	5.9	6.0	6.0	6.0	6.1	
OECD-Totals	4.8	4.8	4.8	4.8	4.9	4.9	4.9	5.0	5.1	5.1	5.2	5.2	5.2	5.2	5.2	5.2	5.3	5.3	5.4	5.5	5.5	5.5	
Major seven	4.4	4.5	4.5	4.5	4.6	4.6	4.6	4.7	4.7	4.8	4.8	4.8	4.8	4.8	4.8	4.8	4.9	4.9	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	



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**III. Monthly data, seasonally adjusted – III. Données mensuelles, corrigées des variations saisonnières**

**Males 25 years and more - Hommes de 25 ans et plus**

	2002			2003			2004			Poucentage de la population active civile, cvs	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar		
	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug														
Canada	6.6	6.3	6.5	6.5	6.5	6.8	6.6	6.8	6.9	6.6	6.5	6.1	6.2	6.3	6.4	6.2	6.0	6.2	5.9	5.8	5.8	5.8	6.1
United States	5.1	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.1	5.2	5.4	5.2	5.0	5.0	5.0	4.7	4.5	4.5	4.6	4.4	4.6	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.3	4.3	4.3
Australia	4.8	4.8	4.7	4.5	4.7	4.6	4.7	4.6	4.3	4.4	4.2	4.0	4.1	4.3	3.9	4.1	4.1	4.1	3.9	4.1	3.9	4.1	3.8
Japan	5.1	5.0	5.1	5.0	4.9	5.0	4.9	4.8	4.6	4.8	4.7	4.8	4.5	4.8	4.4	4.3	4.1	4.3	4.3	4.3	4.2	4.2	4.3
Korea	3.1	3.0	2.9	3.0	3.1	3.2	3.4	3.3	3.4	3.5	3.4	3.2	3.3	3.1	3.1	3.0	3.1	3.3	3.2	3.6	3.5	3.5	3.5
New Zealand	3.4				3.4					3.0			2.9			2.8			2.3			2.2	
Austria	3.6	3.5	3.5	3.5	3.4	3.4	3.5	3.4	3.4	3.4	3.4	3.4	3.3	3.3	3.3	3.3	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.2
Belgium	5.8	5.9	6.0	6.0	6.1	6.2	6.2	6.1	6.1	6.0	5.9	5.9	5.9	5.8	5.8	5.8	5.8	5.8	5.8	5.8	5.8	5.8	5.9
Czech Republic	4.7	4.6	4.6	4.6	4.7	4.7	4.8	4.8	4.9	4.9	5.0	5.0	5.3	5.6	5.6	5.6	5.5	5.6	5.6	5.6	5.6	5.6	5.6
Denmark	3.9	4.2	4.2	4.3	4.2	4.2	4.3	4.4	4.5	4.6	4.6	4.7	4.7	4.7	4.7	4.7	4.6	4.6	4.6	4.6	4.5	4.5	4.5
Finland	7.4	7.4	7.4	7.5	7.4	7.5	7.4	7.3	7.2	7.2	7.1	7.2	7.3	7.4	7.3	7.4	7.3	7.2	7.1	7.1	7.1	7.0	7.0
France	6.8	6.9	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.1	7.1	7.1	7.2	7.2	7.2	7.2	7.2	7.2	7.2	7.2	7.1	7.1	7.1	7.1	7.1	7.2	7.1
Germany	9.1	9.2	9.4	9.5	9.6	9.7	9.7	9.7	9.7	9.7	9.7	9.7	9.6	9.6	9.6	9.6	9.7	9.7	9.7	9.8	9.8	9.9	9.8
Greece	4.9	4.8	4.8	4.8	4.7	4.7	4.7	4.6	4.6	4.6	4.6	4.6	4.6	4.6	4.6	4.6	4.6	4.6	4.6	4.6	4.6	4.6	4.6
Hungary	5.1	5.2	5.3	5.3	5.2	5.1	5.1	5.1	5.1	5.1	5.1	5.1	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	4.9	4.9	4.9	4.8	4.8	4.8	4.9
Ireland	3.9	3.9	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.1	4.1	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.3	4.3	4.3	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.1
Italy	5.4	5.3	5.2	5.2	5.1	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0
Luxembourg	2.1	2.1	2.2	2.3	2.4	2.4	2.5	2.5	2.6	2.6	2.6	2.6	2.6	2.6	2.6	2.6	2.7	2.7	2.8	2.8	2.9	2.9	2.9
Netherlands	2.3	2.4	2.6	2.7	2.8	2.9	3.0	3.1	3.1	3.2	3.3	3.4	3.5	3.6	3.6	3.7	3.7	3.7	3.7	3.7	3.8	3.8	3.8
Norway	3.2	3.4	3.3	3.4	3.4	3.8	3.9	4.0	3.9	3.9	3.9	3.9	3.9	3.8	3.8	3.7	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.7	3.7
Poland	15.7	15.5	15.4	15.3	15.2	15.2	15.2	15.3	15.3	15.3	15.3	15.3	15.4	15.4	15.4	15.4	15.3	15.2	15.1	15.1	15.1	15.0	15.0
Portugal	4.2	4.3	4.4	4.5	4.5	4.5	4.6	4.6	4.6	4.6	4.6	4.6	4.6	4.6	4.6	4.6	4.6	4.6	4.6	4.7	4.7	4.7	4.7
Slovak Republic	14.8	14.2	14.1	14.0	13.9	13.8	13.8	13.9	14.1	14.3	14.5	14.7	14.9	14.9	14.9	14.9	14.8	14.7	14.5	14.2	14.1	13.9	13.9
Spain	6.7	6.7	6.7	6.7	6.7	6.7	6.7	6.7	6.7	6.7	6.7	6.7	6.8	6.8	6.8	6.8	6.7	6.7	6.7	6.7	6.6	6.6	6.6
Sweden	4.6	4.7	4.7	4.8	4.8	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.1	5.1	5.3	5.4	5.4	5.4	5.4	5.4	5.4	5.4	5.3	5.3	5.3	5.3
Switzerland	4.0	4.1	4.2	4.1	4.1	4.0	4.1	4.0	3.9	3.9	4.0	4.0	3.9	3.9	3.9	3.9	3.7	3.7	3.7	3.6	3.4	3.4	3.4
United Kingdom																							
Euro area	6.6	6.6	6.7	6.7	6.8	6.8	6.8	6.8	6.8	6.8	6.8	6.8	6.8	6.8	6.8	6.8	6.8	6.8	6.9	6.9	6.9	6.9	6.9
EU15	6.1	6.1	6.2	6.2	6.2	6.3	6.3	6.3	6.3	6.3	6.3	6.3	6.2	6.2	6.2	6.2	6.2	6.2	6.2	6.2	6.2	6.2	6.2
OECD-Totals	5.8	5.7	5.7	5.7	5.7	5.7	5.7	5.7	5.7	5.8	5.8	5.8	5.8	5.8	5.8	5.8	5.6	5.6	5.5	5.5	5.5	5.4	5.4
Major seven	5.7	5.6	5.7	5.7	5.7	5.7	5.7	5.7	5.7	5.8	5.8	5.8	5.8	5.8	5.8	5.8	5.7	5.7	5.6	5.3	5.3	5.2	5.2

### STANDARDISED UNEMPLOYMENT RATES OF SELECTED OECD COUNTRIES TAUX DE CHÔMAGE STANDARDISÉS DE CERTAINS PAYS DE L'OCDE

## I. Annual data – I. Données annuelles

### **Females 25 years and more - Femmes de 25 ans et plus**



**STANDARDISED UNEMPLOYMENT RATES OF SELECTED OECD COUNTRIES**  
**TAUX DE CHÔMAGE STANDARDISÉS DE CERTAINS PAYS DE L'OCDE**

**II. Quarterly data, seasonally adjusted – II. Données trimestrielles, corrigées des variations saisonnières**

**Females 25 years and more - Femmes de 25 ans et plus**

	1992				1993				1994				1995				1996				1997				1998						
	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4																										
Canada	9.8	9.6	10.2	9.8	9.7	9.3	9.2	8.9	8.2	8.4	8.1	8.2	8.0	8.2	8.6	8.6	7.8	7.8	7.3	7.5	7.2	6.8	6.7	6.7	6.7	6.7	6.7	6.7			
United States	5.8	5.5	5.5	5.4	5.4	5.2	5.0	4.8	4.5	4.4	4.5	4.4	4.4	4.3	4.3	4.2	4.4	4.1	3.9	3.9	3.7	3.8	3.6	3.5	3.5	3.5	3.5	3.5	3.5		
Australia	7.0	7.3	7.1	7.7	7.9	7.0	6.9	6.7	6.1	5.3	5.5	5.9	5.6	6.0	5.9	6.1	6.2	6.2	6.2	6.2	5.8	5.7	5.5	5.5	5.5	5.5	5.5	5.5	5.5		
Japan																															
Korea																															
New Zealand	7.6	6.7	6.9	6.5	6.2	6.4	5.1	5.3	5.5	4.8	4.8	4.5	4.6	4.6	4.6	4.7	4.8	4.5	5.1	4.8	5.0	4.9	5.3	6.0	5.7	5.7	5.7	5.7	5.7		
Austria	4.3	4.5	4.6	4.5	4.5	4.5	4.5	4.5	4.5	4.5	4.5	4.6	4.6	4.6	4.7	4.8	4.9	4.8	4.8	4.8	4.8	4.9	5.0	5.1	5.1	5.1	5.1	5.1	5.1		
Belgium	9.0	9.3	9.7	10.1	10.4	10.7	11.0	11.0	10.9	10.9	10.8	11.0	11.1	11.2	11.0	10.7	10.7	10.3	10.1	10.1	10.1	10.4	10.5	10.5	10.5	10.5	10.5	10.5			
Czech Republic	4.6	4.6	4.5	4.4	4.4	4.2	4.3	4.4	4.2	4.2	4.1	4.3	4.2	4.1	3.8	3.9	4.0	4.4	4.4	5.0	5.4	5.9	*6.1	6.6	7.2	7.2	7.2	7.2	7.2		
Denmark	9.0	9.3	9.5	9.3	9.0	8.6	8.3	7.9	7.7	7.5	7.3	7.3	7.2	7.1	7.0	6.8	6.2	5.8	5.5	5.6	5.8	5.8	5.8	5.6	5.6	5.6	5.6	5.6	5.6		
Finland	9.5	11.1	12.5	13.1	13.4	13.6	13.1	12.7	12.8	13.0	13.3	13.7	13.6	13.1	13.1	13.0	12.3	11.8	11.2	10.7	10.7	10.5	10.1	10.1	10.1	10.1	10.1	10.1			
France	10.2	10.4	10.6	10.9	11.2	11.4	11.3	11.2	11.0	10.9	11.0	11.1	11.3	11.1	11.4	11.3	11.3	11.3	11.3	11.3	11.3	11.3	11.2	11.2	11.2	11.2	11.2	11.2			
Germany	8.8	9.1	9.4	9.9	10.2	10.3	10.2	10.0	9.7	9.6	9.5	9.5	9.5	9.5	9.5	9.5	9.5	9.5	9.5	9.5	9.5	9.5	9.5	9.5	9.5	9.5	9.5	9.5	9.5		
Greece	9.3																														
Hungary																															
Ireland	13.7	13.7	13.6	13.5	13.2	13.0	12.6	11.7	11.2	10.8	10.7	10.8	10.7	10.8	10.7	10.7	10.5	10.3	9.8	9.3	8.9	8.3	7.6	7.2	6.6	6.6	6.6	6.6			
Italy	9.2	9.4	10.1	10.2	10.5	10.9	10.8	11.3	11.7	11.9	11.8	11.5	11.5	11.9	11.7	11.8	11.9	11.9	12.0	12.2	12.6	12.5	12.5	12.5	12.5	12.5	12.5	12.5			
Luxembourg	2.5	2.9	3.0	3.3	3.5	3.4	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.7	3.7	3.4	3.2	2.9	3.1	3.5	3.8	3.7	3.5	3.5	3.5	3.5		
Netherlands	6.6	6.8	6.7	7.1	7.4	7.3	7.0	7.1	7.2	7.0	7.1	6.9	6.7	6.7	6.7	6.7	6.5	6.1	6.0	5.7	5.2	4.8	4.4	4.4	4.3	4.3	4.3	4.3	4.3		
Norway	4.1	4.2	4.1	4.3	4.3	3.8	4.0	3.9	4.1	4.1	4.0	3.8	3.8	3.8	3.8	3.8	3.5	3.3	3.4	3.5	3.1	3.2	2.8	2.6	2.3	2.2	2.1	2.1	2.1		
Poland	12.6	13.3	12.9	14.2	13.6	13.5	13.3	13.1	12.9	11.8	11.9	11.9	11.9	11.7	11.7	11.8	11.4	11.4	11.4	11.4	11.4	11.2	10.7	10.4	10.3	10.4	10.4	10.4			
Portugal	3.9	4.3	4.8	5.3	5.9	6.1	6.1	6.3	6.5	6.7	6.4	6.2	6.5	6.3	6.6	6.4	6.4	6.2	6.1	5.9	5.7	5.4	*5.8	5.1	4.9	4.9	4.9	4.9	4.9		
Slovak Republic	17.7	18.5	19.0	19.6	20.4	21.0	21.5	21.4	20.9	20.7	20.5	20.3	20.2	19.9	19.7	19.6	19.5	19.5	19.2	18.7	18.6	18.4	18.4	18.4	18.4	18.4	18.4	18.4	18.4		
Spain	4.1	4.8	5.7	6.0	6.3	6.3	6.3	6.1	6.1	6.3	6.3	6.5	7.1	7.2	7.5	7.8	8.1	8.5	8.6	8.0	7.7	7.3	7.3	7.3	7.3	7.3	7.3	7.3	7.3		
Sweden																															
Switzerland																															
United Kingdom	6.3	6.3	6.2	6.3	6.2	6.1	5.8	5.6	5.6	5.6	5.6	5.6	5.6	5.6	5.6	5.6	5.5	5.4	5.1	4.9	4.7	4.6	4.4	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.2		
Euro area	9.8	10.0	10.4	10.7	11.1	11.3	11.3	11.2	11.2	11.1	11.0	11.1	11.1	11.1	11.1	11.1	11.2	11.2	11.3	11.3	11.4	11.4	11.2	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0		
EU15	8.9	9.1	9.5	9.8	10.0	10.2	10.1	10.0	9.9	9.9	10.0	9.9	9.9	9.9	9.9	9.9	9.9	9.9	9.9	9.9	10.0	10.0	9.9	9.7	9.5	9.5	9.5	9.5	9.5	9.5	
OECD-Total Major seven																															
	6.4	6.3	6.2	6.0	5.9	6.0	5.9	6.0	5.9	6.0	5.9	6.0	5.9	5.9	5.9	5.9	5.9	5.9	6.0	5.9	5.9	5.8	5.8	5.7	5.7	5.7	5.7	5.7	5.7	5.7	

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**II. Quarterly data, seasonally adjusted – II. Données trimestrielles, corrigées des variations saisonnières**

**Females 25 years and more - Femmes de 25 ans et plus**

	1998				1999				2000				2001				2002				2003						
	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3			
Canada	6.5	6.5	6.5	6.1	5.6	5.7	5.5	5.9	5.8	5.8	6.0	6.2	6.2	6.1	6.2	6.4	6.3	6.1	5.9	5.8	6.0	6.0	6.0	6.0			
United States	3.6	3.4	3.5	3.3	3.1	*3.1	3.2	3.3	3.0	3.3	3.4	3.8	4.4	4.5	4.8	4.5	4.6	4.5	4.6	4.7	4.6	4.5	4.5	4.5	4.3		
Australia	5.8	5.2	4.9	5.2	4.9	5.0	4.9	4.2	4.7	4.6	4.9	5.1	5.1	4.8	4.6	4.6	4.8	4.7	4.7	4.8	4.6	4.7	4.1	4.4	4.4		
Japan	3.8	3.9	3.9	4.0	3.8	4.0	4.0	3.9	3.9	4.1	4.3	4.4	4.6	4.6	4.6	4.7	4.5	4.5	4.4	4.3	4.0	3.9	4.0	4.0	4.0		
Korea																											
New Zealand	6.3	5.4	5.1	5.0	5.0	4.8	4.6	4.4	3.9	3.9	3.8	3.9	4.1	4.1	4.0	4.2	3.7	3.9	3.8	3.7	3.8	3.9	2.9	3.0	3.0		
Austria	4.6	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.3	4.3	4.1	3.9	3.9	3.8	3.8	3.9	4.0	4.1	4.1	4.0	3.9	3.8	3.9	4.1	4.1	4.2	4.3	4.3	4.3		
Belgium	9.6	9.3	9.0	8.7	8.2	7.7	7.3	7.0	6.6	6.2	6.1	6.2	6.6	6.9	7.2	7.0	7.1	7.1	7.2	7.2	7.2	7.2	7.2	7.2	7.2	7.2	
Czech Republic	7.8	8.4	8.9	9.1	9.2	9.6	9.5	9.0	8.9	8.7	8.6	8.6	8.4	8.2	8.2	7.9	8.0	8.3	8.8	9.0	9.1	9.1	8.8	8.8	8.8	8.8	
Denmark	5.2	5.0	4.8	4.6	4.5	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.3	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.3	4.5	4.7	5.1	5.4	5.6	5.5	5.4	5.3	5.3	5.3	
Finland	9.7	9.2	9.1	8.9	8.8	9.0	8.8	8.6	8.5	8.3	7.9	7.8	7.9	7.6	7.4	7.3	7.2	7.1	7.0	7.1	7.3	7.6	7.3	7.3	7.3	7.3	
France	11.2	11.1	10.9	10.7	10.3	10.0	9.7	9.5	9.2	9.0	8.8	8.6	8.4	8.4	8.7	8.9	9.0	9.2	9.3	9.3	9.3	9.2	9.3	9.2	9.3	9.3	
Germany	9.3	9.2	9.1	9.0	8.8	8.4	8.2	8.0	7.9	7.9	7.9	8.1	8.2	8.3	8.3	8.5	8.8	9.2	9.3	9.3	9.3	9.4	9.5	9.5	9.5	9.5	
Greece	12.7	13.1	14.0	13.9	14.0	13.8	13.4	13.1	12.5	12.5	12.4	12.4	12.4	12.3	12.3	12.4	12.4	11.9	11.7	11.3	11.5	11.8	11.8	11.8	11.8	11.8	
Hungary	6.1	5.7	5.4	5.3	5.2	5.0	4.8	4.6	4.4	4.4	4.3	4.3	4.3	4.2	4.3	4.3	4.5	4.6	4.6	4.7	4.7	4.8	5.0	5.1	5.2	5.2	
Ireland	5.6	5.1	4.8	4.5	4.2	3.9	3.6	3.4	3.2	3.2	3.1	3.0	3.1	3.0	3.1	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.3	3.4	3.4	3.3	3.2	3.1	3.1	3.1	
Italy	12.5	12.4	12.2	11.9	11.8	11.4	11.1	10.9	10.7	10.4	10.3	10.2	10.2	10.0	10.0	10.0	9.9	9.7	9.5	9.5	9.5	9.3	9.3	9.3	9.3	9.3	
Luxembourg	3.2	2.8	2.8	2.7	2.6	2.5	2.2	2.0	1.9	2.0	2.2	2.2	2.4	2.3	2.4	2.4	2.5	2.6	2.5	2.6	2.5	2.6	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	
Netherlands	4.0	3.4	3.4	3.0	3.0	3.1	3.0	3.1	3.0	3.1	3.0	3.1	3.0	3.1	3.0	3.1	3.2	3.1	3.1	3.2	3.1	3.1	3.1	3.1	3.1	3.1	
Norway	1.9	1.9	1.9	2.1	2.0	1.9	2.1	2.1	2.1	2.1	2.2	2.2	2.2	2.2	2.2	2.2	2.2	2.2	2.2	2.2	2.2	2.2	2.2	2.2	2.2	2.2	
Poland	10.9	11.8	12.6	13.3	14.2	15.0	15.6	16.0	16.3	16.5	16.8	17.1	17.4	17.6	17.5	17.5	17.4	17.2	16.9	16.7	16.8	16.8	16.8	16.8	16.8	16.8	
Portugal	4.8	4.6	4.3	4.0	4.0	3.8	4.1	3.9	4.1	4.1	4.0	4.0	4.1	4.1	4.0	4.1	4.5	5.2	6.0	5.9	6.1	5.8	6.2	6.4	6.6	6.6	
Slovak Republic	11.3	*12.6	13.0	14.0	14.8	15.4	16.0	15.7	15.2	15.9	15.8	16.0	16.0	16.0	15.9	15.9	15.9	15.5	15.2	15.4	15.4	15.4	15.4	15.4	15.4	15.4	
Spain	17.9	16.9	16.2	15.8	15.4	15.0	14.5	14.3	13.8	13.5	13.3	13.5	14.3	14.5	14.7	14.7	14.7	14.6	14.3	14.2	14.0	13.7	13.4	13.0	13.0	13.0	
Sweden	6.7	6.5	6.2	6.1	5.5	5.2	4.8	4.5	4.2	3.9	3.7	3.6	3.7	3.6	3.5	3.5	3.6	3.5	3.5	3.9	4.0	4.4	4.4	4.6	4.7	4.7	
Switzerland																											
United Kingdom	4.0	4.1	4.0	4.0	4.0	3.8	3.6	3.5	3.4	3.3	3.3	3.3	3.3	3.3	3.3	3.3	3.4	3.4	3.2	3.1	3.1	3.1	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	
Euro area	10.6	10.4	10.2	10.0	9.8	9.5	9.3	9.1	8.8	8.7	8.5	8.6	8.7	8.8	8.9	9.0	9.1	9.2	9.2	9.2	9.2	9.2	9.2	9.2	9.2	9.2	
EU15	9.3	9.1	9.0	8.8	8.6	8.3	8.1	7.9	7.7	7.5	7.4	7.4	7.5	7.6	7.7	7.8	7.8	7.9	8.0	8.0	8.0	8.0	8.0	8.0	8.0	8.0	
OECD-Total	6.4	6.2	6.2	6.0	5.9	*5.9	5.8	5.7	5.7	5.7	5.9	6.1	6.2	6.3	6.3	6.4	6.4	6.4	6.3	6.3	6.2	6.2	6.2	6.2	6.2	6.2	
Major seven	5.7	5.6	5.6	5.5	5.6	5.2	5.1	5.1	4.9	5.0	5.0	5.2	5.5	5.6	5.7	5.7	5.8	5.8	5.8	5.8	5.8	5.6	5.6	5.6	5.6	5.6	



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**III. Monthly data, seasonally adjusted – III. Données mensuelles, corrigées des variations saisonnières**

**Females 25 years and more - Femmes de 25 ans et plus**

	2000			2001			2002			Per cent of civilian labour force, sa – Pourcentage de la population active civile, cvs	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov
	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug													
Canada	5.7	5.8	5.7	5.8	5.7	5.8	5.9	6.0	6.2	5.9	6.2	6.1	6.2	6.2	6.2	6.1	6.2	6.1	6.1	6.1	6.1	6.1
United States	2.9	3.2	3.3	3.3	3.3	3.4	3.5	3.5	3.8	4.0	4.2	4.4	4.6	4.4	4.5	4.5	4.8	4.6	4.6	4.5	4.5	4.5
Australia	4.4	4.4	4.6	4.5	5.0	4.9	5.0	4.7	5.1	5.0	5.5	5.1	5.5	4.8	4.5	4.7	4.6	4.8	4.7	4.6	4.6	4.8
Japan	3.8	4.0	3.8	4.0	4.0	4.1	4.2	4.2	4.4	4.2	4.5	4.6	4.7	4.6	4.6	4.6	4.6	4.6	4.6	4.6	4.6	4.6
Korea	2.6	2.5	2.8	2.4	2.3	2.3	2.3	2.3	2.5	2.2	2.4	2.2	2.2	2.1	2.1	2.0	2.0	1.9	1.9	1.8	1.8	1.8
New Zealand	3.9	3.9	3.9	3.8	3.8	3.7	3.8	3.8	3.8	3.9	3.9	4.1	4.1	4.0	4.0	4.1	4.1	4.1	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.2
Austria	3.9	3.8	3.8	3.8	3.7	3.7	3.8	3.8	3.9	3.9	3.9	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.1	4.1	4.1	4.0	4.0	4.0	3.9
Belgium	6.5	6.3	6.2	6.2	6.1	6.1	6.0	6.1	6.3	6.5	6.6	6.7	6.8	6.9	7.1	7.2	7.2	7.2	7.0	6.9	7.0	7.1
Czech Republic	8.9	8.8	8.7	8.6	8.6	8.6	8.7	8.7	8.6	8.5	8.4	8.5	8.4	8.2	8.1	7.9	7.8	7.8	7.9	8.0	8.0	8.1
Denmark	4.4	4.3	4.3	4.3	4.3	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.1	4.1	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.3	4.3	4.4	4.5	4.6	4.7	4.7
Finland	8.5	8.4	8.3	8.2	8.0	7.8	7.8	7.8	7.9	7.9	7.9	7.8	7.7	7.6	7.5	7.4	7.3	7.3	7.3	7.3	7.3	7.3
France	9.2	9.1	9.0	8.9	8.8	8.7	8.6	8.5	8.5	8.4	8.4	8.4	8.4	8.5	8.6	8.7	8.8	8.9	8.9	8.9	8.9	8.9
Germany	7.9	7.9	7.9	7.9	7.9	7.9	8.0	8.0	8.0	8.1	8.2	8.2	8.3	8.3	8.2	8.2	8.4	8.4	8.5	8.6	8.7	8.8
Greece	12.5	12.5	12.5	12.4	12.4	12.4	12.4	12.4	12.4	12.4	13.0	13.0	12.6	12.6	12.6	12.6	12.3	12.3	12.4	12.4	11.9	11.9
Hungary	4.5	4.4	4.4	4.3	4.3	4.2	4.3	4.3	4.3	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.3	4.3	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.5	4.5	4.5	4.4
Ireland	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.1	3.1	3.1	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.1	3.1	3.1	3.1	3.1	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.2
Italy	10.8	10.8	10.7	10.6	10.5	10.4	10.4	10.4	10.4	10.3	10.3	10.3	10.2	10.1	10.1	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0
Luxembourg	2.1	2.0	2.0	1.9	1.9	2.0	2.1	2.2	2.3	2.4	2.5	2.6	2.7	2.8	2.9	3.0	3.1	3.1	3.2	3.2	3.3	3.3
Netherlands	2.8	2.6	2.4	2.3	2.1	2.4	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.6	2.6
Norway	2.2	2.2	2.2	2.2	2.1	2.2	2.2	2.2	2.4	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.4	2.4	2.4	2.5	2.5	2.6	2.6	2.6	2.7
Poland	16.4	16.5	16.5	16.7	16.8	16.9	17.0	17.1	17.2	17.3	17.4	17.5	17.6	17.6	17.6	17.6	17.4	17.4	17.5	17.5	17.3	17.2
Portugal	3.9	4.0	4.1	4.1	4.1	4.0	4.1	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.1	4.1	4.2	4.4	4.5	4.6	4.9	5.1	5.4
Slovak Republic	15.3	15.7	16.0	15.9	15.9	15.8	15.8	15.8	15.8	15.9	16.0	16.1	16.0	16.0	16.0	16.0	15.9	15.9	15.9	15.9	15.9	16.0
Spain	13.7	13.5	13.5	13.4	13.3	13.3	13.2	13.2	13.3	13.4	13.5	13.7	14.1	14.4	14.4	14.5	14.5	14.6	14.6	14.8	14.8	14.7
Sweden	4.0	3.9	4.0	3.8	3.7	3.8	3.7	3.6	3.7	3.7	3.8	3.8	3.8	3.5	3.5	3.4	3.5	3.4	3.4	3.4	3.4	3.4
Switzerland	3.3	3.3	3.3	3.3	3.3	3.3	3.2	3.3	3.3	3.2	3.3	3.2	3.3	3.3	3.2	3.3	3.4	3.4	3.4	3.4	3.4	3.5
United Kingdom	3.3	3.3	3.3	3.3	3.3	3.3	3.2	3.3	3.3	3.2	3.3	3.2	3.3	3.3	3.2	3.3	3.4	3.4	3.4	3.4	3.4	3.4
Euro area	8.8	8.7	8.6	8.5	8.5	8.5	8.5	8.5	8.5	8.5	8.6	8.6	8.6	8.6	8.7	8.7	8.8	8.8	8.9	8.9	9.0	9.0
EU15	7.7	7.6	7.6	7.5	7.4	7.4	7.4	7.4	7.4	7.4	7.5	7.5	7.5	7.6	7.6	7.6	7.7	7.7	7.8	7.8	7.8	7.9
OECD-Tot	5.6	5.7	5.7	5.7	5.7	5.7	5.7	5.7	5.8	5.9	6.0	6.1	6.2	6.2	6.3	6.3	6.3	6.3	6.3	6.3	6.3	6.3
Major seven	4.8	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.1	5.1	5.1	5.2	5.3	5.4	5.5	5.6	5.7	5.8	5.8	5.7	5.7	5.7	5.7	5.7
OECD-Total																						
Major seven																						

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Canada	6.2	6.2	6.2	6.3	6.4	6.6	6.3	6.1	6.4	6.2	6.0	5.8	5.8	5.7	5.9	6.0	6.2	5.8	5.9	5.9	6.1	6.1
United States	4.6	4.3	4.5	4.6	4.6	4.6	4.7	4.7	4.7	4.7	4.6	4.6	4.4	4.6	4.6	4.5	4.5	4.3	4.3	4.2	4.2	4.3
Australia	4.8	4.9	4.7	4.9	4.7	4.7	4.7	4.8	4.8	4.7	4.6	4.6	4.4	4.4	4.7	4.3	4.4	4.1	4.4	4.1	4.1	3.9
Japan	5.0	4.9	4.3	4.3	4.5	4.7	4.3	4.5	4.3	4.4	4.4	4.2	4.1	4.0	3.8	3.9	4.0	3.9	4.3	3.8	3.8	3.9
Korea	1.8	2.1	2.0	2.0	2.3	2.3	2.4	2.5	2.3	2.6	2.5	2.4	2.1	2.4	2.3	2.5	2.3	2.4	2.5	2.5	2.6	2.6
New Zealand	3.7				3.9		3.8			3.7		3.8			3.8		3.9		3.9		3.0	
Austria	3.8	3.8	3.8	3.8	3.8	3.9	4.0	4.0	4.1	4.1	4.1	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.3	4.3	4.3	4.3	4.3	4.3	4.3
Belgium	7.1	7.1	7.1	7.1	7.1	7.2	7.2	7.2	7.2	7.1	7.1	7.1	7.1	7.1	7.2	7.2	7.2	7.2	7.2	7.2	7.2	7.5
Czech Republic	8.1	8.1	8.2	8.4	8.6	8.8	8.9	9.0	9.0	9.0	9.1	9.1	9.1	9.1	9.1	9.1	9.1	8.9	8.8	8.8	8.8	8.7
Denmark	4.8	4.9	5.1	5.2	5.3	5.3	5.5	5.5	5.5	5.6	5.6	5.6	5.6	5.6	5.5	5.5	5.5	5.4	5.4	5.4	5.3	5.2
Finland	7.3	7.2	7.2	7.1	7.1	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.1	7.1	7.1	7.1	7.1	7.3	7.4	7.5	7.6	7.5	7.5	7.5	7.2	7.1
France	9.0	9.0	9.0	9.1	9.2	9.2	9.3	9.3	9.3	9.3	9.3	9.3	9.3	9.3	9.3	9.3	9.3	9.2	9.2	9.3	9.3	9.2
Germany	8.9	9.1	9.2	9.3	9.4	9.4	9.4	9.4	9.3	9.3	9.3	9.3	9.3	9.3	9.3	9.3	9.4	9.4	9.5	9.5	9.5	9.5
Greece	11.9	11.7	11.7	11.7	11.3	11.3	11.5	11.5	11.5	11.5	11.5	11.8	11.8	11.8	11.8	11.8	11.8	11.8	11.8	11.8	11.8	11.8
Hungary	4.4	4.5	4.6	4.6	4.7	4.7	4.7	4.7	4.7	4.7	4.7	4.8	4.8	4.8	4.9	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.1	5.1	5.1	5.2
Ireland	3.3	3.3	3.3	3.3	3.4	3.4	3.4	3.5	3.4	3.4	3.4	3.4	3.4	3.3	3.3	3.3	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.1	3.1	3.0
Italy	9.6	9.6	9.5	9.5	9.4	9.5	9.5	9.5	9.5	9.4	9.4	9.4	9.3	9.3	9.3	9.3	9.3	9.2	9.2	9.2	9.2	9.2
Luxembourg	3.4	3.5	3.6	3.6	3.7	3.8	3.9	3.9	4.0	4.0	4.1	4.2	4.3	4.4	4.3	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.5	4.6
Netherlands	2.6	2.8	2.9	3.1	3.2	3.3	3.4	3.5	3.6	3.6	3.7	3.9	4.1	4.2	4.3	4.5	4.5	4.5	4.5	4.4	4.4	4.4
Norway	2.8	2.8	2.9	3.1	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.0	3.0	3.1	2.8	2.8	2.9	2.9	2.9	3.0	2.8	2.8
Poland	17.1	17.0	16.9	16.8	16.7	16.7	16.8	16.8	16.8	16.8	16.8	16.8	16.8	16.8	16.8	16.8	16.8	16.8	16.7	16.7	16.6	16.5
Portugal	6.0	5.8	5.9	6.0	6.1	6.1	6.0	5.8	5.7	6.0	6.2	6.3	6.2	6.1	6.1	6.2	6.3	6.3	6.5	6.6	6.6	6.5
Slovak Republic	15.9	15.7	15.4	15.3	15.2	15.1	15.2	15.4	15.7	16.0	16.3	16.6	16.9	17.2	17.5	17.8	17.9	18.0	18.0	17.8	17.7	17.7
Spain	14.7	14.6	14.6	14.6	14.4	14.4	14.4	14.2	14.2	14.0	14.0	14.0	13.9	13.8	13.7	13.7	13.7	13.5	13.4	13.3	13.1	12.9
Sweden	3.6	3.8	4.0	4.0	3.8	4.0	4.0	4.2	4.2	3.9	4.6	4.2	4.4	4.3	4.5	4.5	4.4	4.7	4.8	4.5	4.6	4.4
Switzerland																						
United Kingdom	3.3	3.3	3.2	3.2	3.1	3.0	3.1	3.1	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.1	3.1	3.1	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.1	3.0	2.9	2.8	
Euro area	9.0	9.1	9.2	9.2	9.2	9.2	9.2	9.2	9.2	9.2	9.2	9.2	9.2	9.2	9.2	9.2	9.2	9.2	9.2	9.2	9.2	9.1
EU15	7.9	7.9	7.9	7.9	7.9	8.0	8.0	8.0	8.0	8.0	8.0	8.0	8.0	8.0	8.0	8.0	8.0	8.0	8.0	8.0	8.0	7.9
OECD-Tot Major seven	6.4	6.3	6.3	6.3	6.3	6.3	6.3	6.4	6.4	6.4	6.4	6.4	6.3	6.3	6.3	6.2	6.2	6.2	6.2	6.1	6.1	
OECD-Total Sept grands	5.8	5.7	5.7	5.7	5.8	5.8	5.8	5.8	5.8	5.8	5.8	5.8	5.7	5.7	5.6	5.6	5.6	5.6	5.6	5.6	5.6	



*Part 3*  
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**Total population table**  
**Tableau de la population totale**

## POPULATION

	1968	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	
Canada	26795	27282	27698	28031	28367	28682	28999	29302	29611	29905	30157	30404	30689	31021	31362	31630	
Mexico			81250	83265	*84902	86613	*88402	91234	92788	94305	95786	97199	98658	100051	101398	102708	
United States	245021	247342	249973	252665	255410	258119	260637	263082	265502	268048	270509	272945	275572	*285321	288205	291049	
Australia	16532	16814	17065	17284	17495	17667	17855	18072	18311	18518	18711	18926	19153	19413	19663	19881	
Japan	122783	123255	123611	124043	124452	124764	125034	125570	125864	126166	126486	126686	126926	127291	127435	127619	
Korea	42031	42449	42869	43296	43748	44195	44642	45093	45525	45954	46287	46617	47008	47343	47640	47925	
New Zealand	3317	3330	3363	*3495	3532	3572	3620	3673	3732	3781	3815	3835	3858	3881	3939	4009	
Austria	7596	7624	7718	7823	7884	7993	8031	8047	8059	8072	8078	8092	8110	8132	8053	8067	
Belgium	9902	9938	9967	10004	10045	10084	10116	10137	10157	10181	10203	10226	10251	10287	10333	10372	
Czech Republic	10356	10362	10362	10309	10318	10331	10336	10331	10316	10304	10294	10283	10272	10224	10201	10202	
Denmark	5130	5133	5141	5154	5171	5189	5206	5233	5263	5285	5304	5322	5340	5359	5374	5387	
Finland	4947	4964	4986	5014	5042	5066	5088	5108	5125	5140	5153	5165	5176	5188	5201	5213	
France (1)	56118	56423	56709	56976	57240	57467	57659	57844	58026	58207	58398	58623	58896	59193	59489	59768	
Germany (2)	61450	62063	63254	*79984	80595	81179	81422	81661	81895	82052	82029	*82024	82160	82277	82456	82502	
Greece	10005	10038	10089	10200	10322	10380	10426	10454	10475	10498	10516	10538	10937	10971	11003	11036	
Hungary	10596	10578	10374	10373	10369	10358	10343	10329	10311	10290	10267	10238	10211	10188	10159	10124	
Iceland	250	253	255	258	261	264	266	267	269	271	274	277	281	285	288	289	
Ireland	3538	3515	3503	3524	3549	*3563	3583	3601	3626	3664	3703	3742	3790	3847	3917	3953	
Italy	56763	56737	56760	56737	56859	*56442	56623	56745	56826	56941	57040	57078	57189	57348	57474	57478	
Luxembourg	376	379	384	390	395	401	407	413	416	421	427	433	439	443	444	452	
Netherlands	14760	14849	14951	15070	15184	15290	15383	15459	15531	15611	15707	15812	15926	16046	16149	16224	
Norway	4209	4227	4241	4262	4287	4312	4337	4359	4381	4405	4431	4462	4491	4514	4538	4564	
Poland	37862	37963	38119	38245	38365	38459	38544	38588	38618	38650	38654	38666	38666	38251	38232	38195	
Portugal	9955	9920	9877	9961	9965	9983	10013	10041	10070	10108	10129	10171	10229	10305	10380	10449	
Slovak Republic	5251	5276	5298	5283	5307	5325	5347	5364	5374	5383	5391	5395	5401	5379	5380	5380	
Spain	38717	38792	38851	38935	39054	39167	39264	39345	39427	39520	39648	39844	40171	40615	41200	41874	
Sweden	8436	8493	8559	8617	8668	8719	8781	8827	8841	8846	8851	8858	8872	8896	8925	8958	
Switzerland	6593	6647	6712	6800	6875	6938	6994	7041	7072	7089	7110	7144	7184	7233	7290	7343	
Turkey	53715	54893	56154	57262	58374	59491	60612	61737	62873	64015	65157	66293	67420	68529	69626	70712	
United Kingdom (3)	56916	57076	57237	57439	57585	57714	57862	58025	58164	58314	58475	58684	58886	59113	59322	59554	
OECD-Totale					1025308	*1050722	*1059619	*1067581	*1075832	108982	1092448	1099948	1107003	*1113970	1121941	*1136943	
Major seven	625846	630278	635219	*655897	660507	*664367	668236	672229	675889	679636	683095	*686444	690118	*701564	705743	709600	
OECD-Europe		473441	476243	479479	*48643	501714	*504114	506643	508956	511115	51268	515251	*517358	520277	525431	528096	
EU15		344608	346044	347965	*365850	367558	*368637	369863	370940	371901	373661	*374611	376371	378019	379719	381287	
World (4)		5095420	5181756	5206442	5349055	5429807	5509146	5587816	5666360	5744872	5823143	5901054	5978401	6070581	6148000	6224985	6301463

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