

## SDG Goal 8 Decent work and economic growth

**SDG Target 8.5** By 2030, achieve full and productive employment and decent work for all women and men, including for young people and persons with disabilities, and equal pay for work of equal value

**SDG Indicator 8.5.2** Unemployment rate, by sex, age and persons with disabilities

1. Name of data series	
<b>Unemployment rate (15 to under 75 years), by sex and age classes</b>	
Compliant with SDG metadata: yes	<a href="#">SDG Metadata</a>

2. Definition of indicator
The unemployment rate presents the percentage of persons in the labour force who are unemployed according to the ILO concept under the economically active population (persons in employment plus unemployed).
3. Comparison with SDG metadata (as of 08/06/2018)
The indicator is compliant with the international metadata description of the SDG indicator 8.5.2. Up to now, data are not available for the disaggregation dimension "persons with disabilities".

4. Data description	
The data of the indicator is taken from the EU Labour Force Survey (EU-LFS). The EU-LFS is a household sample survey providing quarterly and annual results on labour market participation as well as information on household composition, demographics and education for the whole population of 15 years and older. It covers residents in private households. For the indicator, annual averages can be calculated. In Germany the LFS is integrated into the Microcensus.	
5. Calculation method	
by sex and age-classes	
$\text{Unemployment rate} = \frac{\text{unemployed persons (number)} \times 100}{\text{economically active population (number)}}$	
6. Unit of measure	%

7. Timeliness	8. Frequency
t + 16 months	Annual
9. Last regular revision	10. Revised period
Not applicable	Not applicable

11. Accessibility of source data
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GENESIS online 13231-0003, <a href="#">Unemployment rate: Germany, months, sex, age groups, original and adjusted data</a>
12. Metadata on source data
<a href="https://ec.europa.eu/eurostat/cache/metadata/en/lfsa_esms.htm">https://ec.europa.eu/eurostat/cache/metadata/en/lfsa_esms.htm</a>
13. Related SDG data series (duplicate indicators or sub-indicators to same indicator)
Not applicable

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