

PRESS RELEASE

Labour force survey
3rd quarter 2005

Labour force by labour status and geographical area, employment by economic activities. 3rd quarter 2005 (levels and absolute changes in thousands).

Geographical area and economic activity	RAW DATA			SEASONALLY ADJUSTED DATA				
	Levels	Changes on previous year		Levels	Changes on previous quarter		Changes on previous year	
		Absolute	Percentage		Absolute	Percentage	Absolute	Percentage
LABOUR FORCE								
Total	24,268	-17	-0.1	24,419	-69	-0.3	23	0.1
North	12,048	125	1.1	12,061	-28	-0.2	91	0.8
Centre	4,841	-9	-0.2	4,889	6	0.1	35	0.7
South	7,380	-133	-1.8	7,469	-47	-0.6	-103	-1.4
EMPLOYMENT								
Total	22,542	57	0.3	22,545	-55	-0.2	79	0.4
North	11,578	142	1.2	11,572	-21	-0.2	103	0.9
Centre	4,559	0	0.0	4,585	9	0.2	44	1.0
South	6,406	-85	-1.3	6,388	-43	-0.7	-68	-1.1
Agriculture	994	-88	-8.1	934	-25	-2.6	-81	-8.0
Manufacturing, fuel and power products	5,068	58	1.1	5,022	9	0.2	22	0.4
Building and construction	1,890	7	0.4	1,900	-17	-0.9	13	0.7
Services	14,591	80	0.6	14,689	-22	-0.1	125	0.9
UNEMPLOYMENT								
Total	1,726	-74	-4.1	1,874	-14	-0.8	-55	-2.9
North	470	-17	-3.5	490	-7	-1.4	-11	-2.3
Centre	282	-9	-3.0	304	-3	-0.9	-9	-3.0
South	974	-48	-4.7	1,080	-5	-0.4	-35	-3.1
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE								
Total	7.1	-0.3		7.7	0.0		-0.2	
North	3.9	-0.2		4.1	0.0		-0.1	
Centre	5.8	-0.2		6.2	-0.1		-0.2	
South	13.2	-0.4		14.5	0.0		-0.3	

Employment by professional status, economic activity and geographical area. 3rd quarter 2005. (levels and absolute changes in thousands)

Geographical area	Levels			Changes on previous year					
	Employees	Self-employed	Total	Absolute			Percentage		
				Employees	Self-employed	Total	Employees	Self-employed	Total
TOTAL									
Total	16,604	5,938	22,542	432	-375	57	2.7	-5.9	0.3
North	8,574	3,004	11,578	323	-181	142	3.9	-5.7	1.2
<i>North-west</i>	4,982	1,712	6,694	161	-56	105	3.3	-3.2	1.6
<i>North-east</i>	3,592	1,291	4,884	162	-125	37	4.7	-8.8	0.8
Centre	3,320	1,239	4,559	97	-97	0	3.0	-7.3	0.0
South	4,710	1,696	6,406	12	-97	-85	0.3	-5.4	-1.3
AGRICULTURE									
Total	476	517	994	10	-97	-88	2.1	-15.8	-8.1
North	106	269	375	-2	-34	-36	-1.5	-11.3	-8.7
<i>North-west</i>	48	116	163	1	-4	-4	1.6	-3.7	-2.2
<i>North-east</i>	58	154	212	-2	-30	-32	-3.9	-16.3	-13.2
Centre	60	76	136	8	-18	-10	15.1	-18.8	-6.7
South	311	172	483	3	-45	-42	1.1	-20.9	-8.0
INDUSTRY									
Total	5,470	1,488	6,958	113	-49	64	2.1	-3.2	0.9
North	3,392	848	4,240	133	-7	127	4.1	-0.8	3.1
<i>North-west</i>	1,964	481	2,445	77	-2	75	4.1	-0.4	3.2
<i>North-east</i>	1,428	367	1,795	56	-5	51	4.1	-1.3	2.9
Centre	898	300	1,198	-4	-17	-21	-0.5	-5.4	-1.8
South	1,180	340	1,520	-16	-25	-41	-1.3	-6.9	-2.6
Manufacturing, fuel and power products									
Total	4,311	757	5,068	95	-38	58	2.3	-4.7	1.1
North	2,891	455	3,346	134	3	137	4.9	0.6	4.3
<i>North-west</i>	1,666	260	1,925	71	1	71	4.4	0.2	3.8
<i>North-east</i>	1,225	195	1,420	64	2	66	5.5	1.0	4.8
Centre	705	145	850	-24	-35	-58	-3.2	-19.4	-6.4
South	715	157	872	-16	-5	-21	-2.1	-3.2	-2.3
Building and construction									
Total	1,159	731	1,890	18	-11	7	1.6	-1.5	0.4
North	501	393	894	-1	-9	-10	-0.2	-2.3	-1.1
<i>North-west</i>	298	221	519	7	-3	4	2.3	-1.1	0.8
<i>North-east</i>	203	172	375	-8	-7	-14	-3.7	-3.8	-3.7
Centre	193	155	348	19	18	37	11.0	13.0	11.9
South	465	183	648	0	-20	-20	0.0	-9.8	-3.0
SERVICES									
Total	10,658	3,932	14,591	309	-229	80	3.0	-5.5	0.6
North	5,077	1,886	6,963	192	-140	52	3.9	-6.9	0.7
<i>North-west</i>	2,970	1,116	4,086	83	-50	33	2.9	-4.3	0.8
<i>North-east</i>	2,106	770	2,877	108	-90	18	5.4	-10.5	0.6
Centre	2,362	863	3,225	93	-62	31	4.1	-6.7	1.0
South	3,220	1,183	4,403	24	-26	-2	0.8	-2.2	0.0

Labour market indicators by sex and geographical area. 3rd quarter 2005. (percentage values)

Geographical area	Levels			Absolute changes on previous years		
	Total	Males	Females	Total	Males	Females
ACTIVITY RATE 15-64 YEARS						
Total	61.8	74.0	49.6	-0.5	-0.6	-0.5
North	67.8	77.5	58.0	0.0	0.1	-0.1
<i>North-west</i>	67.2	77.1	57.3	0.0	0.1	-0.1
<i>North-east</i>	68.6	78.0	59.0	0.0	0.1	-0.1
Centre	64.5	74.1	55.1	-0.6	-1.8	0.5
South	52.8	69.6	36.3	-1.2	-0.8	-1.5
EMPLOYMENT RATE 15-64 YEARS						
Total	57.4	69.9	44.8	-0.3	-0.4	-0.3
North	65.1	75.2	54.9	0.1	-0.1	0.3
<i>North-west</i>	64.5	74.7	54.1	0.3	0.2	0.4
<i>North-east</i>	66.0	75.8	56.0	-0.1	-0.5	0.1
Centre	60.7	70.9	50.8	-0.5	-1.6	0.6
South	45.7	62.5	29.3	-0.8	-0.2	-1.4
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE 15 YEARS OR MORE						
Total	7.1	5.5	9.5	-0.3	-0.2	-0.4
North	3.9	2.9	5.3	-0.2	0.2	-0.7
<i>North-west</i>	4.0	3.0	5.5	-0.5	-0.2	-0.9
<i>North-east</i>	3.7	2.8	5.1	0.2	0.7	-0.4
Centre	5.8	4.3	7.8	-0.2	-0.1	-0.3
South	13.2	10.0	19.2	-0.4	-0.7	0.4
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE 15-24 YEARS						
Total	23.6	20.2	28.3	2.3	1.2	4.0
North	13.5	10.0	17.8	0.5	-0.8	2.3
<i>North-west</i>	14.0	9.5	19.5	-1.4	-3.8	1.6
<i>North-east</i>	12.9	10.8	15.5	3.1	3.3	3.1
Centre	24.2	20.7	28.6	6.6	5.3	8.5
South	36.8	32.1	44.4	3.2	2.3	5.3
LONG TERM UNEMPLOYMENT RATE						
Total	3.3	2.4	4.7	-0.2	-0.2	-0.2
North	1.2	0.8	1.8	-0.2	-0.1	-0.5
<i>North-west</i>	1.3	0.7	2.0	-0.5	-0.3	-0.9
<i>North-east</i>	1.1	0.8	1.6	0.2	0.3	0.1
Centre	2.5	1.5	3.8	-0.1	-0.5	0.5
South	7.2	5.1	11.2	-0.1	-0.1	0.1

For further details please refer to the Italian version

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