

## Large firms in industry and services: labour indicators <sup>(1)</sup>

*Indicatori del lavoro e delle retribuzioni nelle grandi imprese*

March 2008

Economic Activities	Index number (base 2005=100)	Percentage changes	
	March 2008	March 2008 compared to February 2008	March 2008 compared to March 2007
<b>Industry</b> (sections C-F of NACE rev. 1.1)			
Employees	97.3		-1.0
Employees ( <i>excluding c.i.g.</i> ) (2)	97.5		-1.2
Employees - seasonally adjusted	97.7	-0.2	
Employees - seasonally adjusted ( <i>excluding c.i.g.</i> )	97.9	-0.7	
Actual hours worked per employee ( <i>excluding c.i.g.</i> )	103.8		-6.8
Overtime (3)	5.2		0.2
Gross average earnings per employee ( <i>excluding c.i.g.</i> )	105.3		4.1
Average labour cost per employee ( <i>excluding c.i.g.</i> )	105.4		4.5
<b>Services</b> (sections G-K of NACE rev. 1.1)			
Employees	102.0		0.9
Employees - seasonally adjusted	102.5	0.1	
Actual hours worked per employee ( <i>excluding c.i.g.</i> )	99.7		-6.0
Overtime (3)	6.0		0.2
Gross average earnings per employee ( <i>excluding c.i.g.</i> )	102.8		3.8
Average labour cost per employee ( <i>excluding c.i.g.</i> )	102.4		4.1
<b>Total</b> (sections C-K of NACE rev. 1.1)			
Employees	100.2		0.2
Employees - seasonally adjusted	100.7	0.0	
Actual hours worked per employee ( <i>excluding c.i.g.</i> )	101.2		-6.3
Overtime (3)	5.7		0.2
Gross average earnings per employee ( <i>excluding c.i.g.</i> )	103.7		3.9
Average labour cost per employee ( <i>excluding c.i.g.</i> )	103.5		4.2

(1) Firms with at least 500 job holders.

(2) C.i.g. is cassa integrazione guadagni = Short-time working allowance.

(3) Overtime as a percentage share of regular working hours.

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