

## Wages according to collective agreements and labour disputes

*Retribuzioni contrattuali e conflitti di lavoro*

**October**

**Index of wages according to collective agreements (base: December 2000=100)**

	Septem 2007	October 2007	August 2008	Septem 2008	October 2008
<b>Index of wages according to collective agreements per hour</b>					
Index number	118.9	119.5	123.7	123.8	123.8
Change on the previous month (%)	0.2	0.5	0.1	0.1	0.0
Change on the corresponding month of the previous year (%)	1.8	2.0	4.2	4.1	3.6
<b>Index of wages according to collective agreements per employee</b>					
Index number	118.9	119.5	123.6	123.8	123.8
Change on the previous month (%)	0.3	0.5	0.0	0.2	0.0
Change on the corresponding month of the previous year (%)	1.8	2.0	4.2	4.1	3.6

### Working hours lost for labour disputes (in thousands)

	Level			Percentage changes	
	2006	2007 (*)	2008 (*)	2007 compared with 2006	2008 compared with 2007
January	1,478	107	577	-92.8	439.3
January-February	1,572	170	708	-89.2	316.5
January-March	2,303	304	1,444	-86.8	375.0
January-April	2,491	533	1,884	-78.6	253.5
January-May	2,822	935	2,038	-66.9	118.0
January-June	2,926	1,285	2,278	-56.1	77.3
January-July	3,025	1,464	2,423	-51.6	65.5
January-August	3,075	1,497	2,429	-51.3	62.3
January-September	3,204	1,567		-51.1	
January-October	3,457	3,494		1.1	
January-November	3,659	4,943		35.1	
<b>YEAR</b>	<b>3,883</b>	<b>6,416</b>		<b>65.2</b>	

(\*) **Provisional data**

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