



# Quarterly indicators of the Labour Market

Situation on December 31th 2020



# Preface



The National Employment Office (NEO) regularly publishes its most common statistics. Extensive data on the NEO's most substantial missions are published on its website on a monthly basis. Apart from these tables, the NEO also publishes a monthly commentary on the evolution of employment benefits and of career break and time credit schemes based on our payment statistics. Furthermore, the NEO composes a detailed annual report. This consists of a volume on our activities, as well as a substantial statistical volume, describing all schemes that are a part of the NEO's missions (partial and full unemployment, career break and time credit...).

Our brochure called the 'Quarterly Indicators of the Labour Market', however, contains the most recent quarterly data on the NEO's missions. It also provides data on a number of external economical indicators, allowing us to view our data in a larger context, and some elements for comparing Belgian unemployment to European trends. Publishing these data on a quarterly basis enables us to detect trends for these schemes and for the labour market at large at a faster rate than is possible in the context of a yearly report. At the same time, the impact of seasonal or technical effects is softened when compared to monthly statistics.

If possible, all data series in the 'Quarterly Indicators' are published starting from the year 2007, since this is the year before the start of the most recent large economical crisis. In this way, the NEO hopes to chart the effects of this crisis, as well as the economical recovery in the following years.

Since the mentioned publications are only being made available in Dutch and French, this abbreviated English version of the 'Quarterly Indicators' was devised in order to enable a larger international public to take note of its contents. The English publication contains a summary of the most important trends observed in the brochure, as well as a statistical annex containing all quarterly and yearly data on the indicators used for this analysis. In this way, the NEO strives to contribute to the analysis and progress of our labour market.





# 1

## Summary of observations

With all data on 2020 available, this summary of observations will look into the yearly trends rather than the quarterly results that are discussed in other editions of these Quarterly Indicators. Details on these subjects can be found in our annual reports (available in Dutch or French).

### **2020: A Year Branded by COVID-19**

2020 will go down in history as the year of the corona crisis. With an unforeseen speed, the coronavirus COVID-19 spread across borders. In order to limit the spread, to avoid oversaturation of hospital capacity and to save tens of thousands of lives, the Belgian governments decided on far reaching sanitary measures, as did nations across the globe. The impact on society was unmistakable.

On March 16<sup>th</sup> 2020, Belgium went into lockdown. Certain firms and sectors were forced to drastically lower their activities or even to temporarily halt them. Despite a careful easing of measures in the months of May and June and a relatively stable summer, the economy had to absorb a significant shock. Furthermore, because of a new wave of infections in Autumn, the year 2020 came to an end during a new (albeit less strict) lockdown.

Because of this exceptional crisis, the Belgian economy – after six consecutive years of growth – shrunk by 6.2% on an annual basis. According to the National Bank, salaried employment dropped by 23,000 units. In these times, social security serves as a buffer against loss of jobs and income for many workers. The schemes managed by the NEO were correspondingly impacted.

The total financial impact of the corona crisis on payments for NEO schemes in 2020 amounted to 4,669.6 million EUR. For the most part (4,041.9 million EUR or 86.6%), this additional cost was situated in the temporary unemployment scheme.

## 1.1

### Temporary unemployment

During the first lockdown in March 2020, the number of workers in temporary unemployment started growing exponentially almost overnight.

A total of almost 1.4 million workers received at least 1 payment for temporary unemployment in the course of 2020. Per month, this corresponded to an average of 196,865 budgetary units (full time equivalents), which is 10 times more than was the case in 2019 (19,186). This is not only the highest number since World War II, but more than twice the size of the last historical peak of the year 1981 (93,271 budgetary units) and more than three times as large as the level reached during the financial crisis of 2009 (60,196 budgetary units). In 2020, all sectors and workers were struck including the white-collar workers, which wasn't the case in 1981 and only marginally so in 2009. At the end of 2020 the level of temporary unemployment was still higher than the peak level of the 2009 crisis.

While Belgium experienced 2 epidemic waves with similar peaks in numbers of infections, hospitalisations and deaths, this is not the case for temporary unemployment. Because of a better understanding of the virus and the ways in which it's transmitted, lockdown measures could be more focused during the 2<sup>nd</sup> wave, which resulted in a limited suspension of activities and need for temporary unemployment. While in the first half of April there was a peak of 597,822 declarations of temporary unemployment (average over 7 days), during the 2<sup>nd</sup> wave this peak was 3 times smaller (171,334 declarations in the first half of November).

Thus the scheme formed an important buffer against the risk of massive job losses due to the crisis. Furthermore, the governments decided on some specific crisis measures in this context, in order to enable the scheme to provide additional support to struck workers. For all workers in temporary unemployment during the corona crisis, the replacement ratio of benefits was raised from 65% to 70% (taking into account maximal and minimal benefits).

The minimal benefit, which was already raised for single and cohabiting recipients on 01.01.2020 in order to set it to the same level as that of heads of households, was again raised because of the crisis. Since the presence of the virus in other countries already affected certain companies in February, these measures were applied retroactively on 01.02.2020. Furthermore, from 01.03.2020 onwards all workers on temporary unemployment for force majeure (with the exception of medical reasons) received an additional supplement of 5.63 EUR per day financed by the NEO. Lastly, an additional bonus was accorded to workers who spent at least 53 days in temporary unemployment for force majeure or economical reasons between 01.03.2020 and 30.11.2020, this in order to compensate for the effect on their end of year bonus. This bonus amounted to 10 EUR per day of temporary unemployment starting from day 52 with a minimum of 150 EUR.

## 1.2

### Fully unemployed benefit recipients seeking work (FUBR-SW)

In 2020, the NEO counted an average of 339,266 fully unemployed benefit recipients seeking work (FUBR-SW). This is an augmentation by 3.0% compared to 2019, which means their number is increasing for the first time since 2015. However, with regards to measure by which the sanitary measures limited economic activity, this increase remains limited. For comparison: in 2009, the peak of the financial crisis, an increase by 7.5% was registered.

Despite this, in their search for a (re)insertion on the labour market, jobseekers were confronted with an exceptional drop in economic activity. In order to continue supporting them in this specific context, the governments decided on:

- Temporarily freezing the so-called degression of unemployment benefits (by which the benefit level diminishes over time). This means that the concerned benefit recipients no longer transfer to a phase with lower benefits from 01.04.2020 to 30.06.2021.
- Extending the base right to insertion benefits by the duration of the corona crisis. This means that this duration (counted from 01.04.2020 to 30.06.2021) won't be subtracted from the period during which these jobseekers can claim right to benefits.

Against this backdrop, we can make the following observations:

The number of fully unemployed benefit recipients seeking work (FUBR-SW) increased in each of the three regions. We observe the highest relative increase in the Brussels Capital Region (+3.7%), followed by the Flemish (3.5%) and the Walloon Region (+2.2%) respectively. Despite this similar evolution, we need to take into account that the unemployment rates of the Walloon and Brussels Capital Region remain significantly higher than that of the Flemish Region.

The number of FUBR-SW increased slightly faster for men (+3.5%) than for women (+2.4%).

Only for the age group of 50-59 years old we observe a decrease (-4.4%) of the number of FUBR-SW. The age group of 60 years or older has the largest increase (+13.0%), which can be explained by the extinguishing of the exemption for registration as a jobseeker based on age (only professional history can still be invoked as a criterium to obtain this exemption). For the age groups of < 25 years old and 25-49 years old, we observe augmentations by 2.8% and 3.9% respectively.

By duration of unemployment, the strongest increase in 2020 is to be situated with the unemployed of medium duration (1 - 2 years of unemployment). Their number increased by 9.6%. Short term unemployment (< 1 year) increased by 3.9%. The level of long term unemployment (2 years or more), which logically responds to economic shocks with a certain lag, remained stable (+0.1%). However, this stabilisation brought an end to five years of continual decreases of long term unemployment.

By educational level unemployment rose most for the highly educated (+7.4%). For those with a diploma of higher secondary education and those with a low educational level we observe increases of 5.0% and 0.3% respectively.

In 2020, the increase of full unemployment was exclusively due to the number of those exiting unemployment. The number of new entries continued to decrease, especially taking into consideration the temporary unemployment scheme and the moratorium on bankruptcies, two measures that protected workers from job loss. There are, however, fewer people who leave unemployment, whether for work, incapacity or education.

The number of fully unemployed jobseekers without benefits increased by 1.0% in 2020. This augmentation is situated exclusively in the group of youngsters in their insertion period (+9.4%), which bears witness to the difficulties educated youngsters experience in finding a job.

According to the harmonised unemployment rate of the labour force survey (LFS), the Belgian unemployment rate increased by 0.2 points to 5.6%. This is not a drastic increase compared to the EU average (+0.5 points to 7.2%) and the euro zone (+0.4 points to 8.0%). By contrast, the Belgian inactivity rate is relatively higher: 32.4% in the second quarter of 2020 compared to 28.4% in the euro zone and 28.2% in the EU.

### 1.3

#### Fully unemployed benefit recipients not seeking work (FUBR-NSW)

The number of unemployed benefit recipients not seeking work (unemployed with a company bonus and exempted elderly unemployed) again decreased by 37.0% in 2020. Their number is now at 38,881 physical units, less than 1/5 of their level in 2007. The evolution for these schemes is influenced on the one hand by a regulatory reform, which decreases the number of new entries, but also by ageing of the general population, which increases the number of exits towards retirement. Since January 1<sup>st</sup> 2019 this effect is reinforced by the possibility for unemployed with a company bonus to choose an early retirement.

### 1.4

#### Total number of fully unemployed benefit recipients

Because of the significant drop for those not seeking work, we observe a decrease of 3.3% on an annual basis of the total number of fully unemployed benefit recipients (seeking work or not, with or without a company bonus). Thus, the average number of FUBR drops to 378,147 per month. Despite the current crisis, their general number remains on the lowest level since 1980.

### 1.5

#### Career break, time-credit and thematic leave

In 2020, on average 252,046 workers per month received a benefit for interrupting their career. This is an increase by 1.1% on an annual basis. It's the first augmentation of the number of career interruption benefits since 2015. Parental leave 'corona' had an important influence on this evolution. This type of leave was applied from 01.05.2020 to 30.09.2020 in order to support the organisation of child care for working parents in case schools of day cares were closed. Despite its limited duration, this leave represents 8.8% of the total number of payments made for career interruption schemes. 70.9 million EUR worth of payments were made in this context.

In other words, for several months this temporary variation on regular parental leave gave an additional boost to the scheme, which was already in rise. In total, 96,054 people made use of this scheme. By consequence, the total number of thematic leave increased by 24.3% on a yearly basis. The enabling of a new type of thematic leave starting September 1<sup>st</sup> 2020, leave for recognised informal care, only represented a small portion of this increase (on average 1 unit per month when counted for the entire year. In total, parental leave increased by 31.5%, while leave for medical assistance and for palliative care decreased by 0.9% and 11.1% respectively.

Time-credit, which is applied in the private sector, decreased by 11.5% in 2020. This is a consequence of the stricter conditions for access to time-credit and the end of career schemes, which led to a significant decrease of new entries since 2015. The number of exits due to retirement was also rising these last couple of years.

The career break scheme, which is applied in the public sector, we observe a decrease by 11.9%. This is mainly a consequence of the partial transfer of competence in the context of the sixth state reform, which caused new applications for career break in the Flemish Region to be covered by the Flemish scheme called 'zorgkrediet' (care credit). By consequence, the number for zorgkrediet (18.237) needs to be added to the numbers for career break in order to have a complete overview.

The decrease in both mentioned schemes can also be explained in a smaller way by the fact that certain workers in time-credit or career break temporarily suspended these schemes in order to make use of parental leave 'corona'.



On top of the monthly average of 252,046 workers receiving career interruption benefits, we also need to count 15,039 workers who interrupt their career without receiving benefits. This brings their total for 2020 to 267,086. This monthly average represents 414,986 different persons who made an interruption in the course of 2020.

## **1.6 4.7 billion of additional expenditures, avoiding a much higher social cost**

The total number of social expenditures for the NEO in 2020 amounted to 10.9 billion EUR. When compared to the budget calculated in 2019, which took other demographical and economical influences (such as the Brexit) into account but not the corona crisis, we observe an addition expenditure of 4.7 billion EUR due to the corona crisis. The largest addition expenditure is situated in the temporary unemployment scheme, for which we observe an additional expenditure of 4.0 billion EUR. The expenditures for temporary unemployment benefits amounted to 10 times as much as what was budgeted if the corona crisis hadn't taken place. 16.8% of this additional expenditure was caused by the specific measures described above, by which the governments offered extra support to those struck by these exceptional times.

Expressed as a percentage of GDP, the social expenditures amounted to 2.61%, which is an additional expenditure of 1.12% of GDP. Despite the larger scale of the corona crisis, the expenditures for NEO schemes as a percentage of GDP were not much higher than was the case in the years of the financial crisis.

Thus, the crisis caused high costs in NEO expenditures, which increased by 75.4% compared to budget. However, these measures allowed to protect workers against illness, loss of income or job, safeguarded the sustainability of companies and supported the economy in general. Without these measures, the human, social and economic costs on society would have been much higher. These measures will also expediate recovery once the sanitary measures allow it.

## **1.7 Large increase of workload**

The crisis caused a historic rise of the number of NEO benefit recipients: in the course of 2020, 2.3 million benefit recipients received at least one NEO payment. This is approximately 1/3 of the population of working age. More than half (1.4 million people) were cases of temporary unemployment. Furthermore, the number of people represents but a portion of the actual number of cases to be treated by the NEO. For instance, 414,986 people with a career interruption benefit in 2020 corresponds to 529,456 solicitations to be treated (because of prolongations, modifications etc.).

Besides the increased number of benefit recipients, during this crisis the NEO was also confronted with challenges stemming from the activities in order to support policy making. The many crisis measures and the speed by which they had to be implemented, required the involvement of almost every NEO department. After all, these required preceding budgetary estimates, preparation of texts and forms, modifications in programming, training of case handlers... all within a context of exponential increases of the number of cases to be treated.

Furthermore, the NEO was closely involved with monitoring the impact of the crisis on the labour market. Almost overnight, an extensive statistical apparatus was developed, which was used for daily reports to policy makers and other stakeholders on the evolution of temporary unemployment. By participating in different working groups and through online publications, these different statistical data were also made available to a larger public. Despite this, the statistical departments of the NEO still received an average of 4 requests per day for receiving tailor made data, which usually required analysis and adjusted programming in order to create the desired statistics.

## **1.8 The challenges are not yet behind us**

Unfortunately, the end of the year 2020 didn't put an end to the corona crisis. The new years started with focused sanitary measures for which the future evolution over the coming months is difficult to predict. A real normalisation of society and economy is probably possible only after sufficient group immunity can be built among the general population. In this context, a lot depends on how quickly and successfully vaccinations can be produced and deployed. In the meantime, few predictions can be made on the way the need for sanitary measures will evolve in light of the number of contagions and hospitalisations and how the economy will react in their wake. It's a hopeful sign, however, that the economy started recovering rather quickly after the initial shock at the beginning of the year, despite the ongoing crisis. In this context, it's also important to realise that the limitation could be deployed in a more focused manner during the second pandemic wave than during the first.

A number of specific crisis measures will continue during the first months of 2021 and will possibly be prolonged depending on the sanitary situation.

Thereafter, we'll be faced with the challenge to support the measures implemented to support the recovery of the economy and labour market, especially for the sectors and workers that were struck hardest.

The need to avoid physical contacts sped up some of the existing developments on the labour market, namely the growing digitalisation. It's inescapable: increasingly strong digital skills are necessary for acquiring or maintaining durable employment on the present day labour market. For many stakeholders, it's an important challenge to respond constructively to this trend, which also harbours a lot of opportunities as is demonstrated by the strong progress of telework.

Furthermore, the presence of a crisis doesn't imply we can lose track of other evolutions that influence the economy and social security. The long term consequences of Brexit aren't fully known. The ageing of the general population, which will cause exits from the labour market (towards retirement) to outnumber the entries, will put increasing pressure on financing the social security schemes. Lastly, the regional differences in unemployment and employment rates remain high, while interregional mobility is only progressing slowly.

As soon as we leave the crisis, we should not only support the recovery, but also continue to tackle these challenges.

# 2

## Statistical annex

### 2.1

#### Evolution of the economic climate

##### 2.1.1

##### GDP and conjuncture indicator

Table 1

Evolution of the GDP and the conjuncture indicator

		In millions of chained euros	GDP		
			Quarterly variations	Annual variations	Conjuncture indicator
2007	Q1	95,666	+1.4%	+3.8%	+4.9
	Q2	96,103	+0.5%	+3.9%	+7.0
	Q3	96,845	+0.8%	+3.8%	+5.6
	Q4	97,238	+0.4%	+3.1%	+1.6
	Year	385,852	-	+37.8%	+4.8
2008	Q1	97,658	+0.4%	+2.1%	+1.9
	Q2	97,720	+0.1%	+1.7%	-0.9
	Q3	97,149	-0.6%	+0.3%	-4.7
	Q4	95,042	-2.2%	-2.3%	-21.5
	Year	387,569	-	+0.4%	-6.3
2009	Q1	94,117	-1.0%	-3.6%	-30.3
	Q2	94,162	+0.0%	-3.6%	-26.9
	Q3	95,352	+1.3%	-1.8%	-19.6
	Q4	96,117	+0.8%	+1.1%	-10.3
	Year	379,748	-	-2.0%	-21.8
2010	Q1	96,615	+0.5%	+2.7%	-5.9
	Q2	97,567	+1.0%	+3.6%	-5.0
	Q3	97,974	+0.4%	+2.7%	-5.0
	Q4	98,469	+0.5%	+2.4%	+0.4
	Year	390,625	-	+2.9%	-3.9
2011	Q1	98,943	+0.5%	+2.4%	+5.5
	Q2	99,148	+0.2%	+1.6%	+0.4
	Q3	99,432	+0.3%	+1.5%	-6.6
	Q4	99,722	+0.3%	+1.3%	-11.1
	Year	397,245	-	+1.7%	-2.9
2012	Q1	99,936	+0.2%	+1.0%	-8.9
	Q2	99,935	-0.0%	+0.8%	-11.7
	Q3	100,178	+0.2%	+0.8%	-11.6
	Q4	100,132	-0.0%	+0.4%	-12.9
	Year	400,181	-	+0.7%	-11.3
2013	Q1	99,857	-0.3%	-0.1%	-13.1
	Q2	100,440	+0.6%	+0.5%	-13.3
	Q3	100,751	+0.3%	+0.6%	-9.1
	Q4	100,971	+0.2%	+0.8%	-6.1
	Year	402,019	-	+0.5%	-10.4
2014	Q1	101,405	+0.4%	+1.6%	-4.7
	Q2	101,674	+0.3%	+1.2%	-5.9
	Q3	102,376	+0.7%	+1.6%	-7.3
	Q4	102,911	+0.5%	+1.9%	-6.6
	Year	408,366	-	+1.6%	-6.1
2015	Q1	103,446	+0.5%	+2.0%	-7.8
	Q2	104,141	+0.7%	+2.4%	-5.0
	Q3	104,340	+0.2%	+1.9%	-5.3
	Q4	104,775	+0.4%	+1.8%	-3.1
	Year	416,702	-	+2.0%	-5.3

Table 1 (continued)

		In millions of chained euros	Quarterly variations	GDP		Conjuncture indicator
				Annual variations		
2016	Q1	104,835	+0.1%	+1.3%	-4.6	
	Q2	105,411	+0.5%	+1.2%	-1.5	
	Q3	105,596	+0.2%	+1.2%	-1.4	
	Q4	106,138	+0.5%	+1.3%	-1.3	
	Year	421,980	-	+1.3%	-2.2	
2017	Q1	106,818	+0.6%	+1.9%	-0.7	
	Q2	107,072	+0.2%	+1.6%	-1.3	
	Q3	107,015	-0.1%	+1.3%	-2.4	
	Q4	107,861	+0.8%	+1.6%	+0.7	
	Year	428,766	-	+1.6%	-0.9	
2018	Q1	108,327	+0.4%	+1.4%	+1.3	
	Q2	108,842	+0.5%	+1.7%	+0.6	
	Q3	109,214	+0.3%	+2.1%	-0.1	
	Q4	110,154	+0.9%	+2.1%	-0.5	
	Year	436,537	-	+1.8%	+0.3	
2019	Q1	110,329	+0.2%	+1.8%	-1.3	
	Q2	110,673	+0.3%	+1.7%	-3.9	
	Q3	111,234	+0.5%	+1.8%	-5.5	
	Q4	111,912	+0.6%	+1.6%	-4.0	
	Year	444,148	-	+1.7%	-3.7	
2020	Q1	108,088	-3.4%	-2.0%	-5.2	
	Q2	95,315	-11.8%	-13.9%	-31.1	
	Q3	106,410	+11.6%	-4.3%	-12.2	
	Q4	106,623	+0.2%	-4.7%	-9.7	
	Year	416,436	-	-6.2%	-14.6	

Source: National Bank of Belgium's online statistics (stat.nbb.be) – GDP of the total economy in millions of chained euros (year of reference 2015) + Monthly Conjuncture Survey, seasonally adjusted synthetic curve + Press Release - Flash estimate and quarterly accounts for the most recent quarter

## 2.1.2 Job offers

Table 2  
Evolution of the number of job offers

		Flemish region	Walloon Region	Brussels Capital Region	Country			Flemish region	Walloon Region	Brussels Capital Region	Country
2007	Q1	53,058	18,174	3,587	74,819	2007	Q1	100	100	100	100
	Q2	50,674	20,240	3,239	74,153		Q2	100	100	100	100
	Q3	50,344	18,050	3,443	71,837		Q3	100	100	100	100
	Q4	47,664	17,183	3,454	68,301		Q4	100	100	100	100
	Year	201,740	73,647	13,723	289,110		Year	100	100	100	100
2008	Q1	53,232	20,045	4,095	77,372	2008	Q1	100	110	114	103
	Q2	50,882	18,409	4,010	73,301		Q2	100	91	124	99
	Q3	48,474	19,385	4,131	71,990		Q3	96	107	120	100
	Q4	40,507	14,610	3,892	59,009		Q4	85	85	113	86
	Year	193,095	72,449	16,128	281,672		Year	96	98	118	97
2009	Q1	40,648	18,879	4,017	63,544	2009	Q1	77	104	112	85
	Q2	35,780	15,232	3,531	54,543		Q2	71	75	109	74
	Q3	35,983	16,397	4,571	56,951		Q3	71	91	133	79
	Q4	35,589	13,142	3,937	52,668		Q4	75	76	114	77
	Year	148,000	63,650	16,056	227,706		Year	73	86	117	79
2010	Q1	42,230	18,060	4,579	64,869	2010	Q1	80	99	128	87
	Q2	43,307	17,487	4,207	65,001		Q2	85	86	130	88
	Q3	45,832	17,417	5,140	68,389		Q3	91	96	149	95
	Q4	43,431	15,646	4,499	63,576		Q4	91	91	130	93
	Year	174,800	68,610	18,425	261,835		Year	87	93	134	91
2011	Q1	53,425	19,867	5,167	78,459	2011	Q1	101	109	144	105
	Q2	52,485	19,560	5,516	77,561		Q2	104	97	170	105
	Q3	50,498	18,572	6,026	75,096		Q3	100	103	175	105
	Q4	44,923	15,563	5,445	65,931		Q4	94	91	158	97
	Year	201,331	73,562	22,154	297,047		Year	100	100	161	103
2012	Q1	48,860	18,644	5,475	72,979	2012	Q1	92	103	153	98
	Q2	46,219	15,095	4,843	66,157		Q2	91	75	150	89
	Q3	41,409	17,066	5,114	63,589		Q3	82	95	149	89
	Q4	40,322	13,455	4,114	57,891		Q4	85	78	119	85
	Year	176,810	64,260	19,546	260,616		Year	88	87	142	90
2013	Q1	41,058	14,660	4,936	60,654	2013	Q1	77	81	138	81
	Q2	39,111	12,813	4,575	56,499		Q2	77	63	141	76
	Q3	36,431	12,961	5,151	54,543		Q3	72	72	150	76
	Q4	37,139	11,962	4,302	53,403		Q4	78	70	125	78
	Year	153,739	52,396	18,964	225,099		Year	76	71	138	78
2014	Q1	42,420	14,065	4,692	61,177	2014	Q1	80	77	131	82
	Q2	39,473	12,993	4,660	57,126		Q2	78	64	144	77
	Q3	40,609	12,637	5,238	58,484		Q3	81	70	152	81
	Q4	36,586	12,063	4,373	53,022		Q4	77	70	127	78
	Year	159,088	51,758	18,963	229,809		Year	79	70	138	79
2015	Q1	45,066	13,567	5,090	63,723	2015	Q1	85	75	142	85
	Q2	43,519	12,739	4,931	61,189		Q2	86	63	152	83
	Q3	45,580	12,554	5,616	63,750		Q3	91	70	163	89
	Q4	45,143	12,381	5,057	62,581		Q4	95	72	146	92
	Year	179,308	51,241	20,694	251,243		Year	89	70	151	87

Table 2 (continued)

		Flemish region	Walloon Region	Brussels Capital Region	Country			Flemish region	Walloon Region	Brussels Capital Region	Country
2016	Q1	55,489	14,995	5,235	75,719	2016	Q1	105	83	146	101
	Q2	58,510	15,248	6,115	79,873		Q2	115	75	189	108
	Q3	56,745	13,744	5,419	75,908		Q3	113	76	157	106
	Q4	55,927	13,457	5,291	74,675		Q4	117	78	153	109
	Year	226,671	57,444	22,060	306,175		Year	112	78	161	106
2017	Q1	65,868	17,963	6,032	89,863	2017	Q1	124	99	168	120
	Q2	66,742	17,219	5,859	89,820		Q2	132	85	181	121
	Q3	61,829	15,347	6,464	83,640		Q3	123	85	188	116
	Q4	63,685	15,718	6,699	86,102		Q4	134	91	194	126
	Year	258,124	66,247	25,054	349,425		Year	128	90	183	121
2018	Q1	73,099	20,033	7,339	100,471	2018	Q1	138	110	205	134
	Q2	73,277	18,941	7,496	99,714		Q2	145	94	231	134
	Q3	70,658	16,774	6,824	94,256		Q3	140	93	198	131
	Q4	70,154	16,134	7,209	93,497		Q4	147	94	209	137
	Year	287,188	71,882	28,868	387,938		Year	142	98	210	134
2019	Q1	76,138	20,141	7,696	103,975	2019	Q1	143	111	215	139
	Q2	72,432	19,200	7,099	98,731		Q2	143	95	219	133
	Q3	74,774	17,290	6,493	98,557		Q3	149	96	189	137
	Q4	68,889	19,510	5,929	94,328		Q4	145	114	172	138
	Year	292,233	76,141	27,217	395,591		Year	145	103	198	137
2020	Q1	69,774	17,355	7,156	94,285	2020	Q1	132	95	199	126
	Q2	49,657	11,017	4,852	65,526		Q2	98	54	150	88
	Q3	59,683	15,640	6,029	81,352		Q3	119	87	175	113
	Q4	61,697	14,584	5,551	81,832		Q4	129	85	161	120
	Year	240,811	58,596	23,588	322,995		Year	119	80	172	112

Sources: VDAB, FOREM, Actiris, ADG – Job offers of the regular economical circuit received by the regional Public Employment Services, with the exception of agency work and job offers exchanged between regions.

### 2.1.3 Job ratio

Table 3  
Evolution of the job ratio since Q2 2007

		Flemish region	Walloon Region	Brussels Capital Region	Country
2007	Q2	52,5	42,7	88,5	52,9
	Q4	52,8	43,2	89,8	53,4
	Year	52,7	43,0	89,1	53,1
2008	Q2	53,3	43,7	87,4	53,6
	Q4	52,9	43,5	87,8	53,4
	Year	53,1	43,6	87,6	53,5
2009	Q2	52,7	43,3	85,0	52,9
	Q4	52,4	43,2	85,7	52,8
	Year	52,5	43,2	85,3	52,9
2010	Q2	52,9	43,7	83,7	53,1
	Q4	52,7	43,9	84,9	53,2
	Year	52,8	43,8	84,3	53,1
2011	Q2	53,3	44,0	82,9	53,4
	Q4	52,8	43,8	83,6	53,1
	Year	53,0	43,9	83,2	53,3
2012	Q2	53,1	43,6	80,6	53,0
	Q4	52,8	43,5	81,4	52,8
	Year	53,0	43,5	81,0	52,9
2013	Q2	52,8	43,1	79,3	52,5
	Q4	52,6	43,4	80,0	52,5
	Year	52,7	43,2	79,7	52,5
2014	Q2	53,1	43,5	78,8	52,8
	Q4	53,1	43,5	79,1	52,8
	Year	53,1	43,5	78,9	52,8
2015	Q1	53,3	43,7	78,6	53,0
	Q2	53,7	43,7	78,2	53,2
	Q3	54,1	43,9	78,5	53,5
	Q4	53,5	43,8	78,4	53,1
	Year	53,6	43,8	78,4	53,2

Table 3 (continued)

		Flemish region	Walloon Region	Brussels Capital Region	Country
2016	Q1	53,8	44,0	78,0	53,3
	Q2	54,3	44,3	77,9	53,7
	Q3	54,9	44,3	77,9	54,1
	Q4	54,2	44,4	78,0	53,6
	Year	54,3	44,3	78,0	53,7
2017	Q1	55,1	45,1	78,7	54,5
	Q2	55,5	45,4	78,5	54,8
	Q3	55,8	45,3	78,3	54,9
	Q4	55,4	45,2	78,7	54,7
	Year	55,4	45,3	78,5	54,7
2018	Q1	55,7	45,5	77,8	54,9
	Q2	56,2	45,7	77,6	55,2
	Q3	56,5	45,8	77,7	55,5
	Q4	56,3	45,8	78,5	55,4
	Year	56,2	45,7	77,9	55,2
2019	Q1	56,7	46,2	77,8	55,7
	Q2	57,0	46,1	77,6	55,8
	Q3	57,6	46,5	78,4	56,4
	Q4	57,1	46,4	78,8	56,1
	Year	57,1	46,3	78,1	56,0

Source: RSZ "Verdeling van de arbeidsplaatsen naar plaats van tewerkstelling" and Eurostat LFS [lfst\_r\_lfsd2pwn] 15-64 years.

Calculations by the NEO



## 2.1.4 Agency work

Table 4  
Evolution of the average number of hours of agency work  
performed each day

		White collar workers	Blue collar workers	Total			White collar workers	Blue collar workers	Total
2007	Q1	205,673	360,772	566,445	2007	Q1	100	100	100
	Q2	223,537	400,360	623,897		Q2	100	100	100
	Q3	288,206	465,601	753,807		Q3	100	100	100
	Q4	241,225	398,998	640,223		Q4	100	100	100
	Year	239,660	406,433	646,093		Year	100	100	100
2008	Q1	227,591	358,208	585,799	2008	Q1	111	99	103
	Q2	235,735	384,748	620,482		Q2	105	96	99
	Q3	301,571	428,679	730,250		Q3	105	92	97
	Q4	237,161	333,918	571,079		Q4	98	84	89
	Year	250,515	376,388	626,903		Year	105	93	97
2009	Q1	204,081	239,868	443,949	2009	Q1	99	66	78
	Q2	201,276	253,277	454,553		Q2	90	63	73
	Q3	251,113	315,038	566,151		Q3	87	68	75
	Q4	208,598	291,666	500,264		Q4	86	73	78
	Year	216,267	274,962	491,229		Year	90	68	76
2010	Q1	193,276	257,043	450,319	2010	Q1	94	71	79
	Q2	206,207	314,573	520,780		Q2	92	79	83
	Q3	267,895	388,922	656,817		Q3	93	84	87
	Q4	230,207	359,361	589,568		Q4	95	90	92
	Year	224,396	329,975	554,371		Year	94	81	86
2011	Q1	213,510	323,642	537,152	2011	Q1	104	90	95
	Q2	226,416	363,768	590,184		Q2	101	91	95
	Q3	284,509	412,570	697,079		Q3	99	89	92
	Q4	236,827	355,543	592,370		Q4	98	89	93
	Year	240,316	363,881	604,196		Year	100	90	94
2012	Q1	211,690	294,529	506,220	2012	Q1	103	82	89
	Q2	223,433	329,948	553,381		Q2	100	82	89
	Q3	274,504	369,878	644,382		Q3	95	79	85
	Q4	230,488	314,728	545,216		Q4	96	79	85
	Year	235,029	327,271	562,300		Year	98	81	87
2013	Q1	210,858	264,046	474,904	2013	Q1	103	73	84
	Q2	218,840	302,757	521,597		Q2	98	76	84
	Q3	267,417	355,794	623,212		Q3	93	76	83
	Q4	229,563	329,022	558,585		Q4	95	82	87
	Year	231,670	312,905	544,575		Year	97	77	84
2014	Q1	209,838	290,294	500,131	2014	Q1	102	80	88
	Q2	234,313	337,724	572,037		Q2	105	84	92
	Q3	294,496	392,187	686,683		Q3	102	84	91
	Q4	246,689	345,506	592,195		Q4	102	87	92
	Year	246,334	341,428	587,762		Year	103	84	91
2015	Q1	234,655	322,614	557,269	2015	Q1	114	89	98
	Q2	262,058	371,864	633,922		Q2	117	93	102
	Q3	316,311	419,640	735,951		Q3	110	90	98
	Q4	276,240	380,992	657,232		Q4	115	95	103
	Year	272,316	373,778	646,094		Year	114	92	100

Table 4 (continued)

		White collar workers	Blue collar workers	Total			White collar workers	Blue collar workers	Total
2016	Q1	257,421	341,220	598,642	2016	Q1	125	95	106
	Q2	277,990	386,387	664,377		Q2	124	97	106
	Q3	337,638	444,525	782,163		Q3	117	95	104
	Q4	291,050	410,460	701,510		Q4	121	103	110
	Year	291,025	395,648	686,673		Year	121	97	106
2017	Q1	261,318	360,848	622,166	2017	Q1	127	100	110
	Q2	295,326	427,703	723,029		Q2	132	107	116
	Q3	358,337	475,346	833,683		Q3	124	102	111
	Q4	307,520	430,930	738,450		Q4	127	108	115
	Year	305,625	423,707	729,332		Year	128	104	113
2018	Q1	277,268	382,171	659,438	2018	Q1	135	106	116
	Q2	303,580	433,586	737,166		Q2	136	108	118
	Q3	357,966	468,721	826,687		Q3	124	101	110
	Q4	306,732	416,011	722,743		Q4	127	104	113
	Year	311,387	425,122	736,509		Year	130	105	114
2019	Q1	274,710	369,120	643,830	2019	Q1	134	102	114
	Q2	297,750	414,044	711,794		Q2	133	103	114
	Q3	350,538	446,093	796,631		Q3	122	96	106
	Q4	301,222	398,083	699,305		Q4	125	100	109
	Year	306,055	406,835	712,890		Year	128	100	110
2020	Q1	251,086	323,253	574,340	2020	Q1	122	90	101
	Q2	217,836	264,530	482,367		Q2	97	66	77
	Q3	306,178	372,412	678,590		Q3	106	80	90
	Q4	281,217	358,268	639,485		Q4	117	90	100
	Year	264,079	329,616	593,696		Year	110	81	92

Source: Federgon

## 2.1.5 Creation of enterprises

Table 5  
Evolution of the creation of enterprises in the profit sector

		Flemish region	Walloon Region	Brussels Capital Region	Country			Flemish region	Walloon Region	Brussels Capital Region	Country
2007	Q1	4,465	1,579	1,331	7,376	2007	Q1	100	100	100	100
	Q2	3,904	1,438	1,266	6,611		Q2	100	100	100	100
	Q3	3,563	1,269	1,073	5,905		Q3	100	100	100	100
	Q4	4,778	1,616	1,440	7,837		Q4	100	100	100	100
	Year	16,710	5,902	5,110	27,729		Year	100	100	100	100
2008	Q1	4,702	1,675	1,224	7,605	2008	Q1	105	106	92	103
	Q2	4,383	1,579	1,274	7,258		Q2	112	110	101	110
	Q3	3,836	1,238	1,038	6,129		Q3	108	98	97	104
	Q4	4,558	1,526	1,190	7,282		Q4	95	94	83	93
	Year	17,479	6,018	4,726	28,274		Year	105	102	92	102
2009	Q1	4,082	1,498	1,069	6,657	2009	Q1	91	95	80	90
	Q2	3,652	1,321	1,053	6,030		Q2	94	92	83	91
	Q3	3,563	1,216	903	5,685		Q3	100	96	84	96
	Q4	4,695	1,533	1,282	7,515		Q4	98	95	89	96
	Year	15,992	5,568	4,307	25,887		Year	96	94	84	93
2010	Q1	4,802	1,634	1,261	7,703	2010	Q1	108	103	95	104
	Q2	4,082	1,583	1,135	6,808		Q2	105	110	90	103
	Q3	4,123	1,373	1,065	6,563		Q3	116	108	99	111
	Q4	5,202	1,792	1,361	8,357		Q4	109	111	95	107
	Year	18,209	6,382	4,822	29,431		Year	109	108	94	106
2011	Q1	5,136	1,803	1,410	8,352	2011	Q1	115	114	106	113
	Q2	4,655	1,674	1,323	7,652		Q2	119	116	105	116
	Q3	4,138	1,476	1,204	6,822		Q3	116	116	112	116
	Q4	4,979	1,848	1,422	8,253		Q4	104	114	99	105
	Year	18,908	6,801	5,359	31,079		Year	113	115	105	112
2012	Q1	4,514	1,647	1,287	7,453	2012	Q1	101	104	97	101
	Q2	3,643	1,391	1,155	6,193		Q2	93	97	91	94
	Q3	3,126	1,160	984	5,272		Q3	88	91	92	89
	Q4	3,376	1,314	1,134	5,825		Q4	71	81	79	74
	Year	14,659	5,512	4,560	24,743		Year	88	93	89	89
2013	Q1	3,928	1,480	1,288	6,700	2013	Q1	88	94	97	91
	Q2	3,129	1,251	1,098	5,479		Q2	80	87	87	83
	Q3	3,435	1,148	1,053	5,637		Q3	96	90	98	95
	Q4	3,807	1,480	1,425	6,712		Q4	80	92	99	86
	Year	14,299	5,359	4,864	24,528		Year	86	91	95	88
2014	Q1	4,135	1,561	1,331	7,029	2014	Q1	93	99	100	95
	Q2	3,600	1,408	1,178	6,186		Q2	92	98	93	94
	Q3	3,437	1,215	1,045	5,697		Q3	96	96	97	96
	Q4	4,168	1,479	1,302	6,949		Q4	87	92	90	89
	Year	15,340	5,663	4,856	25,861		Year	92	96	95	93
2015	Q1	4,251	1,554	1,242	7,047	2015	Q1	95	98	93	96
	Q2	3,884	1,372	1,178	6,434		Q2	99	95	93	97
	Q3	3,989	1,400	1,188	6,577		Q3	112	110	111	111
	Q4	4,859	1,681	1,362	7,902		Q4	102	104	95	101
	Year	16,983	6,007	4,970	27,960		Year	102	102	97	101

Table 5 (continued)

		Flemish region	Walloon Region	Brussels Capital Region	Country			Flemish region	Walloon Region	Brussels Capital Region	Country
2016	Q1	5,151	1,743	1,446	8,346	2016	Q1	115	110	109	113
	Q2	4,435	1,702	1,347	7,484		Q2	114	118	106	113
	Q3	4,162	1,417	1,165	6,744		Q3	117	112	109	114
	Q4	5,264	1,784	1,482	8,530		Q4	110	110	103	109
	Year	19,012	6,646	5,440	31,104		Year	114	113	106	112
2017	Q1	5,310	1,810	1,453	8,575	2017	Q1	119	115	109	116
	Q2	4,563	1,687	1,381	7,631		Q2	117	117	109	115
	Q3	4,081	1,402	1,139	6,625		Q3	115	110	106	112
	Q4	4,697	1,718	1,470	7,885		Q4	98	106	102	101
	Year	18,651	6,617	5,443	30,716		Year	112	112	107	111
2018	Q1	5,862	1,813	1,516	9,192	2018	Q1	131	115	114	125
	Q2	4,663	1,519	1,404	7,588		Q2	119	106	111	115
	Q3	4,419	1,269	1,209	6,897		Q3	124	100	113	117
	Q4	6,321	1,997	1,704	10,023		Q4	132	124	118	128
	Year	21,265	6,598	5,833	33,700		Year	127	112	114	122
2019	Q1	6,476	2,032	1,599	10,110	2019	Q1	145	129	120	137
	Q2	5,324	1,751	1,370	8,445		Q2	136	122	108	128
	Q3	5,980	1,876	1,382	9,238		Q3	168	148	129	156
	Q4	7,465	2,384	1,739	11,588		Q4	156	148	121	148
	Year	25,245	8,043	6,090	39,381		Year	151	136	119	142
2020	Q1	7,469	2,316	1,620	11,405	2020	Q1	167	147	122	155
	Q2	5,076	1,496	1,026	7,598		Q2	130	104	81	115
	Q3	6,881	2,094	1,442	10,417		Q3	193	165	134	176
	Q4	8,455	2,531	1,599	12,588		Q4	177	157	111	161
	Year	27,881	8,437	5,687	42,008		Year	167	143	111	151

Source: FPS Economics

## 2.1.6 Bankruptcies: with or without loss of jobs

Table 6  
Evolution of the number of bankruptcies for corporations  
with or without personnel

		Flemish region	Walloon Region	Brussels Capital Region	Country			Flemish region	Walloon Region	Brussels Capital Region	Country
2007	Q1	997	547	373	1,925	2007	Q1	100	100	100	100
	Q2	952	578	416	1,958		Q2	100	100	100	100
	Q3	728	398	308	1,436		Q3	100	100	100	100
	Q4	1,001	633	425	2,075		Q4	100	100	100	100
	Year	3,678	2,156	1,522	7,394		Year	100	100	100	100
2008	Q1	943	587	416	1,952	2008	Q1	95	107	112	101
	Q2	1,060	658	471	2,205		Q2	111	114	113	113
	Q3	856	450	445	1,757		Q3	118	113	144	122
	Q4	1,140	669	494	2,310		Q4	114	106	116	111
	Year	3,999	2,364	1,826	8,224		Year	109	110	120	111
2009	Q1	1,306	737	417	2,466	2009	Q1	131	135	112	128
	Q2	1,194	687	471	2,359		Q2	125	119	113	120
	Q3	873	565	433	1,875		Q3	120	142	141	131
	Q4	1,250	677	498	2,430		Q4	125	107	117	117
	Year	4,623	2,666	1,819	9,130		Year	126	124	120	123
2010	Q1	1,329	714	504	2,554	2010	Q1	133	131	135	133
	Q2	1,304	716	472	2,497		Q2	137	124	113	128
	Q3	1,022	586	434	2,048		Q3	140	147	141	143
	Q4	1,179	696	534	2,416		Q4	118	110	126	116
	Year	4,834	2,712	1,944	9,515		Year	131	126	128	129
2011	Q1	1,318	770	496	2,592	2011	Q1	132	141	133	135
	Q2	1,202	778	562	2,550		Q2	126	135	135	130
	Q3	1,014	651	467	2,137		Q3	139	164	152	149
	Q4	1,276	739	778	2,799		Q4	127	117	183	135
	Year	4,810	2,938	2,303	10,078		Year	131	136	151	136
2012	Q1	1,319	763	473	2,560	2012	Q1	132	139	127	133
	Q2	1,397	782	521	2,704		Q2	147	135	125	138
	Q3	1,100	596	537	2,236		Q3	151	150	174	156
	Q4	1,496	793	702	2,999		Q4	149	125	165	145
	Year	5,312	2,934	2,233	10,499		Year	144	136	147	142
2013	Q1	1,443	926	627	3,002	2013	Q1	145	169	168	156
	Q2	1,407	744	700	2,856		Q2	148	129	168	146
	Q3	1,247	742	652	2,651		Q3	171	186	212	185
	Q4	1,570	927	651	3,151		Q4	157	146	153	152
	Year	5,667	3,339	2,630	11,660		Year	154	155	173	158
2014	Q1	1,445	996	536	2,983	2014	Q1	145	182	144	155
	Q2	1,325	833	525	2,688		Q2	139	144	126	137
	Q3	1,078	665	503	2,256		Q3	148	167	163	157
	Q4	1,420	791	639	2,862		Q4	142	125	150	138
	Year	5,268	3,285	2,203	10,789		Year	143	152	145	146
2015	Q1	1,383	926	596	2,910	2015	Q1	139	169	160	151
	Q2	1,339	799	681	2,827		Q2	141	138	164	144
	Q3	927	559	433	1,925		Q3	127	140	141	134
	Q4	1,287	703	456	2,451		Q4	129	111	107	118
	Year	4,936	2,987	2,166	10,113		Year	134	139	142	137

Table 6 (continued)

		Flemish region	Walloon Region	Brussels Capital Region	Country			Flemish region	Walloon Region	Brussels Capital Region	Country
2016	Q1	1,316	694	407	2,430	2016	Q1	132	127	109	126
	Q2	1,336	713	538	2,592		Q2	140	123	129	132
	Q3	1,028	531	464	2,027		Q3	141	133	151	141
	Q4	1,264	638	605	2,511		Q4	126	101	142	121
	Year	4,944	2,576	2,014	9,560		Year	134	119	132	129
2017	Q1	1,380	734	529	2,649	2017	Q1	138	134	142	138
	Q2	1,259	741	799	2,805		Q2	132	128	192	143
	Q3	945	555	444	1,947		Q3	130	139	144	136
	Q4	1,276	729	931	2,945		Q4	127	115	219	142
	Year	4,860	2,759	2,703	10,346		Year	132	128	178	140
2018	Q1	1,243	720	858	2,829	2018	Q1	125	132	230	147
	Q2	1,059	561	659	2,284		Q2	111	97	158	117
	Q3	926	499	663	2,097		Q3	127	125	215	146
	Q4	1,261	756	879	2,901		Q4	126	119	207	140
	Year	4,489	2,536	3,059	10,111		Year	122	118	201	137
2019	Q1	1,319	663	720	2,710	2019	Q1	132	121	193	141
	Q2	1,319	775	861	2,968		Q2	139	134	207	152
	Q3	1,039	608	627	2,282		Q3	143	153	204	159
	Q4	1,287	664	725	2,680		Q4	129	105	171	129
	Year	4,964	2,710	2,933	10,640		Year	135	126	193	144
2020	Q1	1,316	720	622	2,661	2020	Q1	132	132	167	138
	Q2	684	313	217	1,215		Q2	72	54	52	62
	Q3	825	417	305	1,551		Q3	113	105	99	108
	Q4	882	446	326	1,655		Q4	88	70	77	80
	Year	3,707	1,896	1,470	7,082		Year	101	88	97	96

Source: Fund for compensation of discharged employees in the case of closing down of corporations (NEO)

## 2.1.7 Bankruptcies with loss of jobs

Table 7  
Evolution of the number of bankruptcies for corporations  
with personnel

		Flemish region	Walloon Region	Brussels Capital Region	Country			Flemish region	Walloon Region	Brussels Capital Region	Country
2007	Q1	367	242	131	740	2007	Q1	100	100	100	100
	Q2	375	254	158	787		Q2	100	100	100	100
	Q3	262	194	119	575		Q3	100	100	100	100
	Q4	354	282	132	768		Q4	100	100	100	100
	Year	1,358	972	540	2,870		Year	100	100	100	100
2008	Q1	352	250	147	749	2008	Q1	96	103	112	101
	Q2	403	280	133	816		Q2	107	110	84	104
	Q3	321	196	164	681		Q3	123	101	138	118
	Q4	417	306	167	890		Q4	118	109	127	116
	Year	1,493	1,032	611	3,136		Year	110	106	113	109
2009	Q1	495	320	152	967	2009	Q1	135	132	116	131
	Q2	479	292	156	927		Q2	128	115	99	118
	Q3	341	270	154	765		Q3	130	139	129	133
	Q4	462	297	182	941		Q4	131	105	138	123
	Year	1,777	1,179	644	3,600		Year	131	121	119	125
2010	Q1	478	318	164	960	2010	Q1	130	131	125	130
	Q2	459	305	173	937		Q2	122	120	109	119
	Q3	387	263	173	823		Q3	148	136	145	143
	Q4	424	310	162	896		Q4	120	110	123	117
	Year	1,748	1,196	672	3,616		Year	129	123	124	126
2011	Q1	478	335	141	954	2011	Q1	130	138	108	129
	Q2	453	364	143	960		Q2	121	143	91	122
	Q3	357	299	151	807		Q3	136	154	127	140
	Q4	437	340	241	1,018		Q4	123	121	183	133
	Year	1,725	1,338	676	3,739		Year	127	138	125	130
2012	Q1	507	361	173	1,041	2012	Q1	138	149	132	141
	Q2	499	345	191	1,035		Q2	133	136	121	132
	Q3	402	275	156	833		Q3	153	142	131	145
	Q4	505	349	177	1,031		Q4	143	124	134	134
	Year	1,913	1,330	697	3,940		Year	141	137	129	137
2013	Q1	524	437	190	1,151	2013	Q1	143	181	145	156
	Q2	488	321	204	1,013		Q2	130	126	129	129
	Q3	427	328	208	963		Q3	163	169	175	167
	Q4	582	400	195	1,177		Q4	164	142	148	153
	Year	2,021	1,486	797	4,304		Year	149	153	148	150
2014	Q1	475	431	194	1,100	2014	Q1	129	178	148	149
	Q2	427	354	194	975		Q2	114	139	123	124
	Q3	389	302	161	852		Q3	148	156	135	148
	Q4	496	300	218	1,014		Q4	140	106	165	132
	Year	1,787	1,387	767	3,941		Year	132	143	142	137
2015	Q1	473	405	190	1,068	2015	Q1	129	167	145	144
	Q2	458	334	208	1,000		Q2	122	131	132	127
	Q3	334	263	165	762		Q3	127	136	139	133
	Q4	425	299	186	910		Q4	120	106	141	118
	Year	1,690	1,301	749	3,740		Year	124	134	139	130

Table 7 (continued)

		Flemish region	Walloon Region	Brussels Capital Region	Country			Flemish region	Walloon Region	Brussels Capital Region	Country
2016	Q1	424	304	161	889	2016	Q1	116	126	123	120
	Q2	435	286	199	920		Q2	119	118	152	124
	Q3	322	185	164	671		Q3	88	76	125	91
	Q4	358	231	181	770		Q4	98	95	138	104
	Year	1,539	1,006	705	3,250		Year	113	103	131	113
2017	Q1	389	283	170	842	2017	Q1	106	117	130	114
	Q2	381	313	233	927		Q2	102	123	147	118
	Q3	326	228	137	691		Q3	124	118	115	120
	Q4	428	339	250	1,017		Q4	121	120	189	132
	Year	1,524	1,163	790	3,477		Year	112	120	146	121
2018	Q1	428	303	266	997	2018	Q1	117	125	203	135
	Q2	352	263	197	812		Q2	94	104	125	103
	Q3	315	225	162	702		Q3	120	116	136	122
	Q4	469	336	274	1,079		Q4	132	119	208	140
	Year	1,564	1,127	899	3,590		Year	115	116	166	125
2019	Q1	415	273	208	896	2019	Q1	113	113	159	121
	Q2	401	354	239	994		Q2	107	139	151	126
	Q3	333	250	163	746		Q3	127	129	137	130
	Q4	427	307	218	952		Q4	121	108	165	124
	Year	1,576	1,184	828	3,588		Year	116	122	153	125
2020	Q1	447	297	203	947	2020	Q1	122	123	155	128
	Q2	241	170	92	503		Q2	64	67	58	64
	Q3	289	161	102	552		Q3	110	83	86	96
	Q4	245	153	111	509		Q4	69	54	84	66
	Year	1,222	781	508	2,511		Year	90	80	94	87

Source: Fund for compensation of discharged employees in the case of closing down of corporations (NEO)



## 2.1.8 Jobs lost in bankruptcies

Table 8  
Evolution of the number of jobs lost in bankruptcies

		Flemish region	Walloon Region	Brussels Capital Region	Country			Flemish region	Walloon Region	Brussels Capital Region	Country
2007	Q1	2,636	1,979	1,286	5,901	2007	Q1	100	100	100	100
	Q2	2,373	2,349	1,251	5,973		Q2	100	100	100	100
	Q3	1,776	1,613	768	4,157		Q3	100	100	100	100
	Q4	2,622	1,700	695	5,017		Q4	100	100	100	100
	Year	9,407	7,641	4,000	21,048		Year	100	100	100	100
2008	Q1	2,974	1,746	1,143	5,863	2008	Q1	113	88	89	99
	Q2	2,286	1,794	1,069	5,149		Q2	96	76	85	86
	Q3	2,249	1,671	852	4,772		Q3	127	104	111	115
	Q4	3,225	2,153	912	6,290		Q4	123	127	131	125
	Year	10,734	7,364	3,976	22,074		Year	114	96	99	105
2009	Q1	3,704	1,914	919	6,537	2009	Q1	141	97	71	111
	Q2	3,323	2,249	1,074	6,646		Q2	140	96	86	111
	Q3	1,966	1,757	870	4,593		Q3	111	109	113	110
	Q4	2,377	1,911	1,659	5,947		Q4	91	112	239	119
	Year	11,370	7,831	4,522	23,723		Year	121	102	113	113
2010	Q1	3,058	2,835	1,035	6,928	2010	Q1	116	143	80	117
	Q2	2,738	2,157	866	5,761		Q2	115	92	69	96
	Q3	2,243	1,731	1,011	4,985		Q3	126	107	132	120
	Q4	2,803	2,104	898	5,805		Q4	107	124	129	116
	Year	10,842	8,827	3,810	23,479		Year	115	116	95	112
2011	Q1	3,378	2,441	1,336	7,155	2011	Q1	128	123	104	121
	Q2	3,067	2,259	960	6,286		Q2	129	96	77	105
	Q3	2,638	1,576	1,432	5,646		Q3	149	98	186	136
	Q4	2,693	2,171	1,483	6,347		Q4	103	128	213	127
	Year	11,776	8,447	5,211	25,434		Year	125	111	130	121
2012	Q1	2,994	3,123	1,222	7,339	2012	Q1	114	158	95	124
	Q2	3,632	2,036	1,282	6,950		Q2	153	87	102	116
	Q3	2,435	1,821	878	5,134		Q3	137	113	114	124
	Q4	4,324	1,898	1,850	8,072		Q4	165	112	266	161
	Year	13,385	8,878	5,232	27,495		Year	142	116	131	131
2013	Q1	4,098	2,685	1,226	8,009	2013	Q1	155	136	95	136
	Q2	3,362	2,230	1,231	6,823		Q2	142	95	98	114
	Q3	3,259	2,118	1,173	6,550		Q3	184	131	153	158
	Q4	4,629	2,634	1,382	8,645		Q4	177	155	199	172
	Year	15,348	9,667	5,012	30,027		Year	163	127	125	143
2014	Q1	3,610	3,102	1,428	8,140	2014	Q1	137	157	111	138
	Q2	3,224	2,059	1,510	6,793		Q2	136	88	121	114
	Q3	2,520	2,050	1,443	6,013		Q3	142	127	188	145
	Q4	4,092	1,705	1,759	7,556		Q4	156	100	253	151
	Year	13,446	8,916	6,140	28,502		Year	143	117	154	135
2015	Q1	3,204	2,689	1,190	7,083	2015	Q1	122	136	93	120
	Q2	3,180	1,908	1,252	6,340		Q2	134	81	100	106
	Q3	2,614	1,653	932	5,199		Q3	147	102	121	125
	Q4	2,925	2,690	1,148	6,763		Q4	112	158	165	135
	Year	11,923	8,940	4,522	25,385		Year	127	117	113	121

Table 8 (continued)

		Flemish region	Walloon Region	Brussels Capital Region	Country			Flemish region	Walloon Region	Brussels Capital Region	Country
2016	Q1	3,535	1,498	715	5,748	2016	Q1	134	76	56	97
	Q2	4,265	1,678	1,104	7,047		Q2	162	85	86	119
	Q3	2,212	827	1,240	4,279		Q3	84	42	96	73
	Q4	2,484	1,606	1,542	5,632		Q4	94	81	120	95
	Year	12,496	5,609	4,601	22,706		Year	133	73	115	108
2017	Q1	2,546	1,630	832	5,008	2017	Q1	97	82	65	85
	Q2	2,527	2,462	1,268	6,257		Q2	106	105	101	105
	Q3	2,431	1,224	1,122	4,777		Q3	137	76	146	115
	Q4	2,660	1,797	1,275	5,732		Q4	101	105	183	114
	Year	10,164	7,113	4,497	21,774		Year	108	93	112	103
2018	Q1	2,980	1,590	1,842	6,412	2018	Q1	113	80	143	109
	Q2	2,311	1,189	1,159	4,659		Q2	97	51	93	78
	Q3	2,063	1,209	805	4,077		Q3	116	75	105	98
	Q4	3,151	1,908	1,390	6,449		Q4	120	112	200	128
	Year	10,505	5,896	5,196	21,597		Year	112	77	130	103
2019	Q1	3,986	1,732	1,250	6,968	2019	Q1	151	88	97	118
	Q2	2,624	2,631	1,295	6,550		Q2	111	112	104	110
	Q3	2,261	1,446	795	4,502		Q3	127	90	104	108
	Q4	3,442	1,996	1,006	6,444		Q4	131	117	145	128
	Year	12,313	7,805	4,346	24,464		Year	131	102	109	116
2020	Q1	3,698	1,613	908	6,219	2020	Q1	140	82	71	105
	Q2	3,340	835	561	4,736		Q2	141	36	45	79
	Q3	4,102	962	1,158	6,222		Q3	231	60	151	150
	Q4	2,629	771	716	4,116		Q4	100	45	103	82
	Year	13,769	4,181	3,343	21,293		Year	146	55	84	101

Source: Fund for compensation of discharged employees in the case of closing down of corporations (NEO)

## 2.1.9 Collective dismissals

Table 9  
Evolution of the number of employees concerned with an  
announcement of intention of collective dismissal

		Flemish region	Walloon Region	Brussels Capital Region	Country			Flemish region	Walloon Region	Brussels Capital Region	Country
2009	Q1	1,848	20	146	2,014	2009	Q1	100	100	100	100
	Q2	2,705	230	133	3,068		Q2	100	100	100	100
	Q3	2,030	887	209	3,126		Q3	100	100	100	100
	Q4	2,843	585	217	3,645		Q4	100	100	100	100
	Year	9,426	1,722	705	11,853		Year	100	100	100	100
2010	Q1	3,776	291	4,805	8,872	2010	Q1	204	1,455	3,291	441
	Q2	573	421	120	1,114		Q2	21	183	90	36
	Q3	425	105	175	705		Q3	21	12	84	23
	Q4	870	316	269	1,455		Q4	31	54	124	40
	Year	5,644	1,133	5,369	12,146		Year	60	66	762	102
2011	Q1	1,065	310	524	1,899	2011	Q1	58	1,550	359	94
	Q2	592	644	160	1,396		Q2	22	280	120	46
	Q3	474	340	463	1,277		Q3	23	38	222	41
	Q4	1,010	1,214	128	2,352		Q4	36	208	59	65
	Year	3,141	2,508	1,275	6,924		Year	33	146	181	58
2012	Q1	1,553	1,420	216	3,189	2012	Q1	84	7,100	148	158
	Q2	1,919	310	96	2,325		Q2	71	135	72	76
	Q3	542	80	291	913		Q3	27	9	139	29
	Q4	7,887	469	243	8,599		Q4	277	80	112	236
	Year	11,901	2,279	846	15,026		Year	126	132	120	127
2013	Q1	1,129	4,698	344	6,171	2013	Q1	61	23,490	236	306
	Q2	962	518	438	1,918		Q2	36	225	329	63
	Q3	868	126	146	1,140		Q3	43	14	70	36
	Q4	768	125	162	1,055		Q4	27	21	75	29
	Year	3,727	5,467	1,090	10,284		Year	40	317	155	87
2014	Q1	1,416	944	30	2,390	2014	Q1	77	4,720	21	119
	Q2	1,358	197	2,343	3,898		Q2	50	86	1,762	127
	Q3	219	831	138	1,188		Q3	11	94	66	38
	Q4	1,046	327	311	1,684		Q4	37	56	143	46
	Year	4,039	2,299	2,822	9,160		Year	43	134	400	77
2015	Q1	1,049	450	328	1,827	2015	Q1	57	2,250	225	91
	Q2	439	295	149	883		Q2	16	128	112	29
	Q3	600	105	87	792		Q3	30	12	42	25
	Q4	871	104	192	1,167		Q4	31	18	88	32
	Year	2,959	954	756	4,669		Year	31	55	107	39

Table 9 (continued)

		Flemish region	Walloon Region	Brussels Capital Region	Country			Flemish region	Walloon Region	Brussels Capital Region	Country
2016	Q1	836	120	306	1,262	2016	Q1	45	600	210	63
	Q2	1,769	644	218	2,631		Q2	65	280	164	86
	Q3	737	2,410	831	3,978		Q3	36	272	398	127
	Q4	653	477	1,645	2,775		Q4	23	82	758	76
	Year	3,995	3,651	3,000	10,646		Year	42	212	426	90
2017	Q1	874	164	61	1,099	2017	Q1	47	820	42	55
	Q2	406	98	280	784		Q2	15	43	211	26
	Q3	171	14	104	289		Q3	8	2	50	9
	Q4	367	145	372	884		Q4	13	25	171	24
	Year	1,818	421	817	3,056		Year	19	24	116	26
2018	Q1	1,002	95	1,129	2,226	2018	Q1	54	475	773	111
	Q2	809	568	194	1,571		Q2	30	247	146	51
	Q3	470	68	13	551		Q3	23	8	6	18
	Q4	976	164	162	1,302		Q4	34	28	75	36
	Year	3,257	895	1,498	5,650		Year	35	52	212	48
2019	Q1	950	629	174	1,753	2019	Q1	51	3,145	119	87
	Q2	330	43	163	536		Q2	12	19	123	17
	Q3	632	503	294	1,429		Q3	31	57	141	46
	Q4	592	119	149	860		Q4	21	20	69	24
	Year	2,504	1,294	780	4,578		Year	27	75	111	39
2020	Q1	66	392	83	541	2020	Q1	4	1,960	57	27
	Q2	2,068	207	905	3,180		Q2	76	90	680	104
	Q3	1,004	336	737	2,077		Q3	49	38	353	66
	Q4	1,357	553	989	2,899		Q4	48	95	456	80
	Year	4,495	1,488	2,714	8,697		Year	48	86	385	73

Source: FPS Employment, Labour and Social Dialogue

## 2.2 Evolution of temporary unemployment

### 2.2.1 Temporary unemployment by region (physical units)

Table 10  
Evolution of temporary unemployment by region  
– physical units

		Flemish region	Walloon Region	Brussels Capital Region	Country			Flemish region	Walloon Region	Brussels Capital Region	Country
2007	Q1	96,756	50,116	6,165	153,037	2007	Q1	100	100	100	100
	Q2	69,387	37,280	4,976	111,643		Q2	100	100	100	100
	Q3	60,727	34,363	3,850	98,940		Q3	100	100	100	100
	Q4	71,449	38,147	4,221	113,817		Q4	100	100	100	100
	Year	74,580	39,977	4,803	119,359		Year	100	100	100	100
2008	Q1	101,554	51,448	6,328	159,330	2008	Q1	105	103	103	104
	Q2	74,314	41,204	4,974	120,492		Q2	107	111	100	108
	Q3	70,132	33,819	3,993	107,944		Q3	115	98	104	109
	Q4	96,387	47,528	4,778	148,693		Q4	135	125	113	131
	Year	85,597	43,500	5,018	134,115		Year	115	109	104	112
2009	Q1	185,732	83,877	8,567	278,176	2009	Q1	192	167	139	182
	Q2	152,511	67,993	7,350	227,854		Q2	220	182	148	204
	Q3	102,534	47,948	5,733	156,215		Q3	169	140	149	158
	Q4	112,201	58,108	6,598	176,907		Q4	157	152	156	155
	Year	138,244	64,481	7,062	209,788		Year	185	161	147	176
2010	Q1	163,713	81,611	9,584	254,908	2010	Q1	169	163	155	167
	Q2	104,189	55,046	7,680	166,915		Q2	150	148	154	150
	Q3	75,837	40,096	5,929	121,862		Q3	125	117	154	123
	Q4	87,745	51,001	6,713	145,459		Q4	123	134	159	128
	Year	107,871	56,939	7,477	172,286		Year	145	142	156	144
2011	Q1	115,749	64,378	8,678	188,805	2011	Q1	120	128	141	123
	Q2	77,706	43,467	7,277	128,450		Q2	112	117	146	115
	Q3	70,486	38,195	5,925	114,606		Q3	116	111	154	116
	Q4	76,427	42,412	6,140	124,979		Q4	107	111	145	110
	Year	85,092	47,113	7,005	139,210		Year	114	118	146	117
2012	Q1	129,302	66,607	8,955	204,864	2012	Q1	134	133	145	134
	Q2	97,315	50,709	7,657	155,681		Q2	140	136	154	139
	Q3	78,764	41,952	6,384	127,100		Q3	130	122	166	128
	Q4	91,017	52,330	6,316	149,663		Q4	127	137	150	131
	Year	99,100	52,899	7,328	159,327		Year	133	132	153	133
2013	Q1	152,792	77,319	9,494	239,605	2013	Q1	158	154	154	157
	Q2	109,719	58,893	8,214	176,826		Q2	158	158	165	158
	Q3	69,966	39,755	5,942	115,663		Q3	115	116	154	117
	Q4	82,382	46,685	5,768	134,835		Q4	115	122	137	118
	Year	103,715	55,663	7,355	166,732		Year	139	139	153	140
2014	Q1	110,290	60,004	7,995	178,289	2014	Q1	114	120	130	117
	Q2	82,488	43,128	6,735	132,351		Q2	119	116	135	119
	Q3	69,923	36,005	5,604	111,532		Q3	115	105	146	113
	Q4	70,531	37,167	4,822	112,520		Q4	99	97	114	99
	Year	83,308	44,076	6,289	133,673		Year	112	110	131	112
2015	Q1	110,282	57,375	7,482	175,139	2015	Q1	114	114	121	114
	Q2	71,831	41,309	5,963	119,103		Q2	104	111	120	107
	Q3	55,753	30,128	4,691	90,572		Q3	92	88	122	92
	Q4	67,404	37,033	5,299	109,735		Q4	94	97	126	96
	Year	76,317	41,461	5,859	123,637		Year	102	104	122	104

Table 10 (continued)

		Flemish region	Walloon Region	Brussels Capital Region	Country			Flemish region	Walloon Region	Brussels Capital Region	Country
2016	Q1	103,404	53,391	7,817	164,612	2016	Q1	107	107	127	108
	Q2	79,961	42,867	8,087	130,915		Q2	115	115	163	117
	Q3	51,709	28,480	5,621	85,810		Q3	85	83	146	87
	Q4	55,038	31,359	4,867	91,265		Q4	77	82	115	80
	Year	72,528	39,024	6,598	118,150		Year	97	98	137	99
2017	Q1	80,993	46,870	6,454	134,316	2017	Q1	84	94	105	88
	Q2	55,181	31,683	5,213	92,077		Q2	80	85	105	82
	Q3	44,218	26,409	3,942	74,569		Q3	73	77	102	75
	Q4	53,496	30,485	4,087	88,068		Q4	75	80	97	77
	Year	58,472	33,862	4,924	97,258		Year	78	85	103	81
2018	Q1	84,975	45,724	6,132	136,831	2018	Q1	88	91	99	89
	Q2	52,038	28,983	4,771	85,793		Q2	75	78	96	77
	Q3	40,160	22,701	3,669	66,529		Q3	66	66	95	67
	Q4	52,463	27,104	3,756	83,324		Q4	73	71	89	73
	Year	57,409	31,128	4,582	93,119		Year	77	78	95	78
2019	Q1	85,661	45,802	5,568	137,030	2019	Q1	89	91	90	90
	Q2	57,560	30,172	4,710	92,442		Q2	59	60	76	60
	Q3	43,837	21,989	3,253	69,079		Q3	45	44	53	45
	Q4	58,914	31,474	3,416	93,803		Q4	61	63	55	61
	Year	61,493	32,359	4,237	98,089		Year	82	81	88	82
2020	Q1	185,449	94,108	18,596	298,153	2020	Q1	192	188	302	195
	Q2	620,268	272,899	89,499	982,666		Q2	894	732	1.799	880
	Q3	193,864	89,608	34,680	318,152		Q3	319	261	901	322
	Q4	246,662	129,988	43,008	419,658		Q4	345	341	1.019	369
	Year	311,561	146,651	46,446	504,657		Year	418	367	967	423

## 2.2.2

## Temporary unemployment by region (budgetary units)

Table 11  
Evolution of temporary unemployment by region  
– budgetary units

		Flemish region	Walloon Region	Brussels Capital Region	Country			Flemish region	Walloon Region	Brussels Capital Region	Country
2007	Q1	23,534	16,263	2,070	41,866	2007	Q1	100	100	100	100
	Q2	14,846	10,792	1,654	27,292		Q2	100	100	100	100
	Q3	12,278	9,486	1,440	23,204		Q3	100	100	100	100
	Q4	14,645	10,675	1,449	26,769		Q4	100	100	100	100
	Year	16,326	11,804	1,653	29,783		Year	100	100	100	100
2008	Q1	22,597	15,820	2,068	40,485	2008	Q1	96	97	100	97
	Q2	15,523	11,210	1,674	28,407		Q2	105	104	101	104
	Q3	13,730	9,045	1,433	24,209		Q3	112	95	100	104
	Q4	21,086	12,988	1,623	35,697		Q4	144	122	112	133
	Year	18,234	12,266	1,700	32,199		Year	112	104	103	108
2009	Q1	54,638	31,205	2,960	88,803	2009	Q1	232	192	143	212
	Q2	39,910	21,134	2,412	63,455		Q2	269	196	146	233
	Q3	24,389	14,433	1,911	40,733		Q3	199	152	133	176
	Q4	27,448	18,165	2,181	47,794		Q4	187	170	151	179
	Year	36,596	21,234	2,366	60,196		Year	224	180	143	202
2010	Q1	50,737	32,958	3,451	87,146	2010	Q1	216	203	167	208
	Q2	23,888	16,487	2,398	42,774		Q2	161	153	145	157
	Q3	16,269	11,879	1,872	30,019		Q3	132	125	130	129
	Q4	19,177	15,595	2,050	36,823		Q4	131	146	141	138
	Year	27,518	19,230	2,443	49,191		Year	169	163	148	165
2011	Q1	30,403	21,996	2,672	55,072	2011	Q1	129	135	129	132
	Q2	16,625	12,132	1,946	30,703		Q2	112	112	118	112
	Q3	13,944	10,591	1,718	26,253		Q3	114	112	119	113
	Q4	15,991	12,113	1,732	29,835		Q4	109	113	119	111
	Year	19,241	14,208	2,017	35,466		Year	118	120	122	119
2012	Q1	34,394	23,603	2,656	60,653	2012	Q1	146	145	128	145
	Q2	19,770	13,635	2,015	35,420		Q2	133	126	122	130
	Q3	15,551	11,143	1,815	28,509		Q3	127	117	126	123
	Q4	20,665	14,824	1,802	37,291		Q4	141	139	124	139
	Year	22,595	15,801	2,072	40,468		Year	138	134	125	136
2013	Q1	42,642	28,468	2,946	74,056	2013	Q1	181	175	142	177
	Q2	22,548	15,841	2,129	40,518		Q2	152	147	129	148
	Q3	13,642	9,735	1,608	24,984		Q3	111	103	112	108
	Q4	16,586	11,998	1,528	30,112		Q4	113	112	105	112
	Year	23,854	16,511	2,053	42,418		Year	146	140	124	142
2014	Q1	24,897	18,126	2,165	45,188	2014	Q1	106	111	105	108
	Q2	16,003	10,858	1,630	28,490		Q2	108	101	99	104
	Q3	12,979	8,800	1,431	23,210		Q3	106	93	99	100
	Q4	14,025	9,302	1,203	24,529		Q4	96	87	83	92
	Year	16,976	11,771	1,607	30,354		Year	104	100	97	102
2015	Q1	24,138	18,219	1,906	44,264	2015	Q1	103	112	92	106
	Q2	13,268	9,798	1,348	24,414		Q2	89	91	81	89
	Q3	10,195	6,909	1,153	18,258		Q3	83	73	80	79
	Q4	12,381	8,675	1,184	22,239		Q4	85	81	82	83
	Year	14,996	10,900	1,398	27,294		Year	92	92	85	92

Table 11 (continued)

		Flemish region	Walloon Region	Brussels Capital Region	Country			Flemish region	Walloon Region	Brussels Capital Region	Country
2016	Q1	22,934	16,282	1,878	41,094	2016	Q1	97	100	91	98
	Q2	13,934	9,644	1,731	25,309		Q2	94	89	105	93
	Q3	9,417	6,564	1,314	17,295		Q3	77	69	91	75
	Q4	9,721	7,211	1,062	17,994		Q4	66	68	73	67
	Year	14,001	9,925	1,496	25,423		Year	86	84	91	85
2017	Q1	17,366	14,064	1,556	32,985	2017	Q1	74	86	75	79
	Q2	9,466	7,171	1,104	17,741		Q2	64	66	67	65
	Q3	7,671	5,887	935	14,493		Q3	62	62	65	62
	Q4	9,286	7,183	921	17,390		Q4	63	67	64	65
	Year	10,947	8,576	1,129	20,652		Year	67	73	68	69
2018	Q1	16,996	13,560	1,413	31,969	2018	Q1	72	83	68	76
	Q2	9,145	6,605	988	16,737		Q2	62	61	60	61
	Q3	6,940	5,001	896	12,837		Q3	57	53	62	55
	Q4	8,350	5,674	811	14,836		Q4	57	53	56	55
	Year	10,358	7,710	1,027	19,095		Year	63	65	62	64
2019	Q1	16,589	12,381	1,262	30,232	2019	Q1	70	76	61	72
	Q2	9,057	6,323	937	16,317		Q2	61	59	57	60
	Q3	7,242	4,685	706	12,633		Q3	59	49	49	54
	Q4	9,870	6,967	726	17,563		Q4	67	65	50	66
	Year	10,690	7,589	908	19,186		Year	65	64	55	64
2020	Q1	52,155	30,643	6,369	89,166	2020	Q1	222	188	308	213
	Q2	269,662	133,403	48,673	451,738		Q2	1.816	1.236	2.942	1.655
	Q3	56,446	29,295	15,074	100,815		Q3	460	309	1.047	434
	Q4	79,958	46,629	19,156	145,743		Q4	546	437	1.322	544
	Year	114,555	59,992	22,318	196,865		Year	702	508	1.350	661



## 2.2.3

## By reason for temporary unemployment (in compensated days)

Table 12  
Evolution of temporary unemployment by reason  
– compensated days

		Economical reasons	Bad weather	Force majeure	Other	Among which suspensions for white collar workers				
						Economical reasons	Bad weather	Force majeure	Other	
2007	Q1	1,753,577	1,224,865	146,921	111,369	0	100	100	100	100
	Q2	1,501,717	428,006	153,170	65,111	0	100	100	100	100
	Q3	1,043,714	356,426	147,357	274,364	0	100	100	100	100
	Q4	1,254,681	616,829	133,363	97,510	0	100	100	100	100
	Year	1,388,422	656,531	145,203	137,089	0	100	100	100	100
2008	Q1	1,821,540	1,083,745	145,360	108,221	0	104	88	99	97
	Q2	1,597,480	428,632	142,765	52,677	0	106	100	93	81
	Q3	1,248,118	256,158	142,252	249,541	0	120	72	97	91
	Q4	2,027,170	534,802	144,192	93,121	0	162	87	108	95
	Year	1,673,577	575,834	143,642	125,890	0	121	88	99	92
2009	Q1	4,510,612	2,056,379	155,963	165,195	0	257	168	106	148
	Q2	4,300,996	396,873	149,061	96,717	0	286	93	97	149
	Q3	2,728,599	95,391	152,707	236,630	34,636	261	27	104	86
	Q4	2,902,555	485,951	151,306	205,373	130,177	231	79	113	211
	Year	3,610,690	758,648	152,260	175,979	41,203	260	116	105	128
2010	Q1	3,541,479	2,724,586	163,191	240,938	151,058	202	222	111	216
	Q2	2,709,338	310,616	177,439	163,952	118,287	180	73	116	252
	Q3	1,737,315	198,978	169,327	260,993	43,976	166	56	115	95
	Q4	1,858,128	775,053	161,142	98,546	21,584	148	126	121	101
	Year	2,461,565	1,002,308	167,775	191,107	83,726	177	153	116	139
2011	Q1	2,268,036	1,721,416	168,851	120,398	25,331	129	141	115	108
	Q2	2,026,811	158,069	164,409	65,129	28,822	135	37	107	100
	Q3	1,411,495	208,817	165,609	289,433	22,328	135	59	112	105
	Q4	1,762,984	306,627	159,861	112,623	20,869	141	50	120	115
	Year	1,867,331	598,732	164,682	146,896	24,337	134	91	113	107
2012	Q1	2,548,873	1,865,979	156,729	124,749	27,170	145	152	107	112
	Q2	2,149,783	380,215	166,746	76,799	36,819	143	89	109	118
	Q3	1,627,657	213,113	163,033	231,974	34,068	156	60	111	85
	Q4	2,117,529	529,632	151,778	137,720	54,653	169	86	114	141
	Year	2,110,960	747,235	159,572	142,811	38,177	152	114	110	104
2013	Q1	2,718,169	2,652,472	162,089	190,312	66,456	155	217	110	171
	Q2	2,115,011	753,656	166,529	133,172	79,248	141	176	109	205
	Q3	1,451,223	113,003	158,898	244,649	62,862	139	32	108	89
	Q4	1,632,811	488,783	158,264	121,114	57,544	130	79	119	124
	Year	1,979,303	1,001,979	161,445	172,311	66,527	143	153	111	126
2014	Q1	2,396,396	787,955	162,278	138,584	61,902	137	64	110	124
	Q2	1,807,440	178,986	154,885	88,151	54,572	120	42	101	135
	Q3	1,286,534	179,027	156,592	200,739	36,813	123	50	106	73
	Q4	1,444,144	263,066	139,169	86,791	34,563	115	43	104	89
	Year	1,733,629	352,258	153,231	128,566	46,962	125	54	106	94
2015	Q1	1,961,043	1,209,724	152,377	112,373	46,218	112	99	104	101
	Q2	1,452,242	232,207	149,234	66,573	38,542	97	54	97	102
	Q3	1,000,788	129,975	134,672	175,716	30,248	96	36	91	64
	Q4	1,169,676	339,276	151,174	82,492	30,888	93	55	113	85
	Year	1,395,937	477,795	146,864	109,288	36,474	101	73	101	80

Table 12 (continued)

		Economical reasons	Bad weather	Force majeure	Other	Among which suspensions for white collar workers	Economical reasons	Bad weather	Force majeure	Other
2016	Q1	1,765,874	1,170,164	146,423	109,057	39,203	101	96	100	98
	Q2	1,277,226	447,417	185,200	80,710	36,831	85	105	121	124
	Q3	863,760	180,707	153,699	167,210	27,293	83	51	104	61
	Q4	935,195	260,793	137,765	79,211	30,519	75	42	103	81
	Year	1,210,514	514,770	155,771	109,047	33,461	87	78	107	80
2017	Q1	1,333,368	968,842	140,792	94,506	35,178	76	79	96	85
	Q2	995,239	211,457	140,326	44,028	26,106	66	49	92	68
	Q3	683,286	165,203	139,186	157,334	16,145	65	46	94	57
	Q4	761,147	382,696	132,168	82,249	15,234	61	62	99	84
	Year	943,260	432,049	138,118	94,529	23,166	68	66	95	69
2018	Q1	1,126,346	1,121,056	136,145	75,940	20,126	64	92	93	68
	Q2	796,215	340,247	137,140	40,082	21,955	53	79	90	62
	Q3	637,336	92,424	129,526	147,958	19,113	61	26	88	54
	Q4	762,656	220,513	119,587	66,891	17,067	61	36	90	69
	Year	830,638	443,560	130,600	82,718	19,565	60	68	90	60
2019	Q1	1,141,571	1,013,902	126,472	73,155	17,408	65	83	86	66
	Q2	856,973	257,876	129,467	31,783	16,783	57	60	85	49
	Q3	649,851	89,704	124,615	131,405	15,792	43	21	81	202
	Q4	780,738	418,039	121,289	64,891	20,147	62	68	91	67
	Year	857,283	444,880	125,461	75,309	17,533	62	68	86	55
2020	Q1	928,461	831,140	5,096,899	96,966	20,509	53	68	3,469	87
	Q2	25,818	68,585	35,112,914	26,763	370	2	16	22,924	41
	Q3	42,230	106,840	7,670,925	154,046	4,509	3	25	5,008	237
	Q4	69,693	239,628	11,007,447	84,330	13,508	5	56	7,186	130
	Year	266,550	311,548	14,722,046	90,526	9,724	19	47	10,139	66

## 2.2.4

### By activity branch (budgetary units)

Table 13  
Evolution of temporary unemployment by activity branch  
– budgetary units

		Construction	Industry	Services	Commerce, banks and assurances	Other	Construction	Industry	Services	Commerce, banks and assurances
2007	Q1	20,120	11,075	5,391	710	4,569	100	100	100	100
	Q2	10,964	9,015	4,071	619	2,624	100	100	100	100
	Q3	9,922	5,974	3,440	517	3,352	100	100	100	100
	Q4	12,389	6,633	3,517	441	3,789	100	100	100	100
	Year	13,349	8,174	4,105	572	3,584	100	100	100	100
2008	Q1	18,436	10,721	5,840	666	4,822	92	97	108	94
	Q2	11,365	9,570	4,134	562	2,776	104	106	102	91
	Q3	9,304	8,081	3,589	583	2,652	94	135	104	113
	Q4	12,580	14,359	4,167	649	3,942	102	216	118	147
	Year	12,921	10,683	4,433	615	3,548	97	131	108	108
2009	Q1	30,069	36,193	9,186	1,048	12,306	149	327	170	148
	Q2	12,521	33,189	7,558	887	9,300	114	368	186	143
	Q3	7,993	19,984	5,369	691	6,696	81	335	156	134
	Q4	13,605	20,928	5,531	747	6,984	110	316	157	169
	Year	16,047	27,573	6,911	843	8,821	120	337	168	148
2010	Q1	38,057	26,832	9,101	989	12,168	189	242	169	139
	Q2	11,780	17,707	6,209	772	6,306	107	196	153	125
	Q3	9,350	10,348	5,012	673	4,636	94	173	146	130
	Q4	14,771	10,119	5,872	989	5,071	119	153	167	224
	Year	18,490	16,251	6,548	856	7,045	139	199	160	150
2011	Q1	23,009	13,566	9,799	2,549	6,149	114	122	182	359
	Q2	8,591	11,066	6,327	1,801	2,918	78	123	155	291
	Q3	8,633	8,073	5,805	1,571	2,171	87	135	169	304
	Q4	9,842	10,152	5,861	1,804	2,177	79	153	167	409
	Year	12,519	10,714	6,948	1,931	3,354	94	131	169	338
2012	Q1	26,122	16,322	10,908	2,615	4,686	130	147	202	368
	Q2	10,804	12,739	7,338	2,016	2,523	99	141	180	326
	Q3	8,656	9,704	6,325	1,768	2,057	87	162	184	342
	Q4	12,121	14,921	5,883	1,926	2,440	98	225	167	437
	Year	14,426	13,422	7,614	2,081	2,926	108	164	185	364
2013	Q1	34,309	19,925	11,806	3,014	5,002	171	180	219	424
	Q2	14,331	13,939	7,560	2,065	2,623	131	155	186	334
	Q3	6,973	8,904	5,758	1,576	1,775	70	149	167	305
	Q4	11,020	10,064	5,466	1,717	1,844	89	152	155	389
	Year	16,658	13,208	7,648	2,093	2,811	125	162	186	366
2014	Q1	16,448	13,680	9,438	2,367	3,255	82	124	175	333
	Q2	8,779	10,144	5,978	1,774	1,815	80	113	147	287
	Q3	7,666	7,041	5,417	1,475	1,612	77	118	157	286
	Q4	8,413	8,255	4,753	1,520	1,587	68	124	135	345
	Year	10,326	9,780	6,396	1,784	2,067	77	120	156	312
2015	Q1	18,995	10,719	9,171	2,199	3,179	94	97	170	310
	Q2	7,941	7,770	5,635	1,445	1,623	72	86	138	233
	Q3	5,648	5,367	4,829	1,143	1,270	57	90	140	221
	Q4	8,002	6,813	4,847	1,304	1,274	65	103	138	296
	Year	10,146	7,667	6,121	1,523	1,836	76	94	149	266

Table 13 (continued)

		Construction	Industry	Services	Commerce, banks and assurances	Other	Construction	Industry	Services	Commerce, banks and assurances
2016	Q1	17,261	10,248	8,921	1,891	2,774	86	93	165	266
	Q2	8,822	7,435	5,989	1,405	1,658	80	82	147	227
	Q3	5,410	4,888	4,779	1,088	1,130	55	82	139	211
	Q4	6,012	5,455	4,226	1,116	1,184	49	82	120	253
	Year	9,376	7,007	5,979	1,375	1,687	70	86	146	241
2017	Q1	13,912	7,484	7,503	1,593	2,493	69	68	139	224
	Q2	5,711	5,047	4,727	1,119	1,137	52	56	116	181
	Q3	4,941	3,633	3,986	964	969	50	61	116	187
	Q4	7,109	4,315	3,866	1,064	1,035	57	65	110	241
	Year	7,918	5,120	5,021	1,185	1,408	59	63	122	207
2018	Q1	14,731	6,476	7,201	1,410	2,150	73	58	134	198
	Q2	5,990	4,494	4,149	1,035	1,069	55	50	102	167
	Q3	3,644	3,660	3,781	865	887	37	61	110	168
	Q4	4,968	4,692	3,434	855	887	40	71	98	194
	Year	7,333	4,831	4,641	1,041	1,248	55	59	113	182
2019	Q1	13,487	6,442	6,931	1,226	2,146	67	58	129	173
	Q2	5,303	4,917	4,128	805	1,163	48	55	101	130
	Q3	3,295	4,204	3,359	702	1,072	33	70	98	136
	Q4	6,609	5,446	3,559	804	1,144	53	82	101	182
	Year	7,174	5,252	4,495	884	1,381	54	64	109	155
2020	Q1	21,203	16,463	31,277	14,063	6,159	105	149	580	1,980
	Q2	39,535	70,103	215,442	95,250	31,408	361	778	5,293	15,388
	Q3	8,127	17,480	52,140	13,622	9,446	82	293	1,516	2,637
	Q4	10,819	17,361	80,165	28,045	9,354	87	262	2,279	6,360
	Year	19,921	30,352	94,756	37,745	14,092	149	371	2,308	6,602

## 2.3

### Evolution of fully unemployed benefit recipients (FUBR)

#### 2.3.1

#### FUBR (SW + NSW) by scheme

Table 14

Evolution of the FUBR (SW + NSW)

		FUBR-SW	FUBR-NSW	Total FUBR			FUBR-SW	FUBR-NSW	Total FUBR
2007	Q1	466,138	243,995	710,133	2007	Q1	100	100	100
	Q2	445,747	242,200	687,946		Q2	100	100	100
	Q3	454,622	240,828	695,449		Q3	100	100	100
	Q4	429,422	239,700	669,121		Q4	100	100	100
	Year	448,982	241,680	690,662		Year	100	100	100
2008	Q1	437,929	237,742	675,671	2008	Q1	94	97	95
	Q2	414,077	235,639	649,716		Q2	93	97	94
	Q3	425,974	235,498	661,473		Q3	94	98	95
	Q4	415,450	232,050	647,500		Q4	97	97	97
	Year	423,358	235,232	658,590		Year	94	97	95
2009	Q1	448,804	231,135	679,939	2009	Q1	96	95	96
	Q2	449,353	229,533	678,886		Q2	101	95	99
	Q3	468,245	230,553	698,798		Q3	103	96	100
	Q4	453,453	229,423	682,876		Q4	106	96	102
	Year	454,964	230,161	685,125		Year	101	95	99
2010	Q1	476,093	228,550	704,643	2010	Q1	102	94	99
	Q2	456,911	225,841	682,752		Q2	103	93	99
	Q3	463,254	224,973	688,227		Q3	102	93	99
	Q4	446,579	222,566	669,145		Q4	104	93	100
	Year	460,709	225,483	686,192		Year	103	93	99
2011	Q1	459,404	220,938	680,343	2011	Q1	99	91	96
	Q2	435,915	216,591	652,506		Q2	98	89	95
	Q3	449,265	214,596	663,861		Q3	99	89	95
	Q4	437,062	211,121	648,184		Q4	102	88	97
	Year	445,412	215,812	661,223		Year	99	89	96
2012	Q1	452,103	208,207	660,310	2012	Q1	97	85	93
	Q2	433,746	204,774	638,520		Q2	97	85	93
	Q3	444,947	203,350	648,298		Q3	98	84	93
	Q4	434,827	201,206	636,033		Q4	101	84	95
	Year	441,406	204,384	645,790		Year	98	85	94
2013	Q1	461,061	201,598	662,658	2013	Q1	99	83	93
	Q2	450,788	195,088	645,876		Q2	101	81	94
	Q3	460,558	190,798	651,356		Q3	101	79	94
	Q4	458,733	185,615	644,347		Q4	107	77	96
	Year	457,785	193,275	651,059		Year	102	80	94
2014	Q1	483,208	182,586	665,794	2014	Q1	104	75	94
	Q2	452,289	176,718	629,007		Q2	101	73	91
	Q3	459,316	172,549	631,865		Q3	101	72	91
	Q4	439,755	167,024	606,779		Q4	102	70	91
	Year	458,642	174,719	633,361		Year	102	72	92
2015	Q1	444,945	159,986	604,931	2015	Q1	95	66	85
	Q2	415,216	154,997	570,213		Q2	93	64	83
	Q3	410,121	151,067	561,187		Q3	90	63	81
	Q4	399,446	147,831	547,277		Q4	93	62	82
	Year	417,432	153,470	570,902		Year	93	64	83

Table 14 (continued)

		FUBR-SW	FUBR-NSW	Total FUBR			FUBR-SW	FUBR-NSW	Total FUBR
2016	Q1	412,661	145,531	558,193	2016	Q1	89	60	79
	Q2	392,724	139,714	532,439		Q2	88	58	77
	Q3	393,810	134,856	528,666		Q3	87	56	76
	Q4	381,655	128,571	510,226		Q4	89	54	76
	Year	395,213	137,168	532,381		Year	88	57	77
2017	Q1	394,734	123,111	517,845	2017	Q1	85	50	73
	Q2	368,335	116,002	484,337		Q2	83	48	70
	Q3	373,011	110,763	483,775		Q3	82	46	70
	Q4	358,723	104,484	463,206		Q4	84	44	69
	Year	373,701	113,590	487,291		Year	83	47	71
2018	Q1	369,026	98,745	467,771	2018	Q1	79	40	66
	Q2	344,480	92,830	437,310		Q2	77	38	64
	Q3	346,817	88,096	434,913		Q3	76	37	63
	Q4	332,561	81,352	413,913		Q4	77	34	62
	Year	348,221	90,256	438,477		Year	78	37	63
2019	Q1	346,969	72,184	419,153	2019	Q1	74	30	59
	Q2	322,926	64,226	387,152		Q2	72	27	56
	Q3	329,464	58,627	388,092		Q3	72	24	56
	Q4	318,081	51,676	369,757		Q4	74	22	55
	Year	329,360	61,678	391,038		Year	73	26	57
2020	Q1	330,910	46,107	377,016	2020	Q1	71	19	53
	Q2	346,504	40,658	387,162		Q2	78	17	56
	Q3	346,784	36,970	383,753		Q3	76	15	55
	Q4	332,868	31,789	364,657		Q4	78	13	54
	Year	339,266	38,881	378,147		Year	76	16	55

## 2.3.2 FUBR-SW by scheme

Table 15  
Evolution of the FUBR-SW by scheme

		After working full-time	After studies	After working part-time voluntarily	With company bonus - SW	Total			After working full-time	After studies	After working part-time voluntarily	With company bonus - SW	Total
2007	Q1	327,072	118,441	20,625	0	466,138	2007	Q1	100	100	100	-	100
	Q2	312,216	113,582	19,938	11	445,747		Q2	100	100	100	-	100
	Q3	313,113	121,213	20,255	41	454,622		Q3	100	100	100	-	100
	Q4	298,140	112,570	18,607	105	429,422		Q4	100	100	100	-	100
	Year	312,635	116,452	19,856	39	448,982		Year	100	100	100	-	100
2008	Q1	306,893	111,082	19,068	886	437,929	2008	Q1	94	94	92	100	94
	Q2	289,331	105,517	18,182	1,048	414,077		Q2	93	93	91	100	93
	Q3	294,693	111,390	18,477	1,414	425,974		Q3	94	92	91	100	94
	Q4	290,854	105,621	17,536	1,438	415,450		Q4	98	94	94	100	97
	Year	295,443	108,403	18,316	1,196	423,358		Year	95	93	92	100	94
2009	Q1	320,058	108,156	18,693	1,897	448,804	2009	Q1	98	91	91	214	96
	Q2	321,459	107,314	18,687	1,892	449,353		Q2	103	94	94	181	101
	Q3	331,516	115,339	19,395	1,995	468,245		Q3	106	95	96	141	103
	Q4	323,677	108,961	18,693	2,122	453,453		Q4	109	97	100	148	106
	Year	324,178	109,943	18,867	1,976	454,964		Year	104	94	95	165	101
2010	Q1	342,704	110,936	19,940	2,513	476,093	2010	Q1	105	94	97	284	102
	Q2	327,330	107,651	19,213	2,717	456,911		Q2	105	95	96	259	103
	Q3	326,737	113,823	19,734	2,960	463,254		Q3	104	94	97	209	102
	Q4	317,062	107,460	18,997	3,060	446,579		Q4	106	95	102	213	104
	Year	328,458	109,967	19,471	2,812	460,709		Year	105	94	98	235	103
2011	Q1	328,408	107,171	20,086	3,740	459,404	2011	Q1	100	90	97	422	99
	Q2	311,657	101,005	19,328	3,925	435,915		Q2	100	89	97	375	98
	Q3	315,777	109,375	19,913	4,199	449,265		Q3	101	90	98	297	99
	Q4	308,800	105,101	18,936	4,226	437,062		Q4	104	93	102	294	102
	Year	316,160	105,663	19,566	4,023	445,412		Year	101	91	99	336	99
2012	Q1	323,634	104,081	20,129	4,259	452,103	2012	Q1	99	88	98	481	97
	Q2	312,900	96,673	19,943	4,229	433,746		Q2	100	85	100	404	97
	Q3	318,993	101,111	20,608	4,236	444,947		Q3	102	83	102	300	98
	Q4	309,818	101,790	19,010	4,208	434,827		Q4	104	90	102	293	101
	Year	316,336	100,914	19,923	4,233	441,406		Year	101	87	100	354	98
2013	Q1	332,450	103,843	20,465	4,303	461,061	2013	Q1	102	88	99	486	99
	Q2	327,996	97,705	20,705	4,381	450,788		Q2	105	86	104	418	101
	Q3	335,212	99,380	21,453	4,513	460,558		Q3	107	82	106	319	101
	Q4	333,048	100,302	20,827	4,557	458,733		Q4	112	89	112	317	107
	Year	332,176	100,308	20,862	4,439	457,785		Year	106	86	105	371	102
2014	Q1	356,161	99,593	22,770	4,684	483,208	2014	Q1	109	84	110	529	104
	Q2	337,102	88,603	21,820	4,765	452,289		Q2	108	78	109	455	101
	Q3	342,354	89,487	22,585	4,890	459,316		Q3	109	74	112	346	101
	Q4	327,864	85,900	21,021	4,970	439,755		Q4	110	76	113	346	102
	Year	340,870	90,896	22,049	4,827	458,642		Year	109	78	111	403	102
2015	Q1	349,025	67,886	22,838	5,196	444,945	2015	Q1	107	57	111	587	95
	Q2	330,266	57,501	22,086	5,363	415,216		Q2	106	51	111	512	93
	Q3	327,263	54,568	22,222	6,068	410,121		Q3	105	45	110	429	90
	Q4	318,153	53,998	21,175	6,120	399,446		Q4	107	48	114	426	93
	Year	331,177	58,488	22,080	5,687	417,432		Year	106	50	111	475	93

Table 15 (continued)

		After working full-time	After studies	After working part-time voluntarily	With company bonus - SW	Safeguard allowance	Total		After working full-time	After studies	After working part-time voluntarily	With company bonus - SW	Total	
2016	Q1	330,141	54,133	22,200	6,188	0	412,661	2016	Q1	101	46	108	699	89
	Q2	314,709	49,890	21,710	6,415	0	392,724		Q2	101	44	109	612	88
	Q3	316,259	48,984	22,107	6,460	0	393,810		Q3	101	40	109	457	87
	Q4	305,945	48,368	20,891	6,450	0	381,655		Q4	103	43	112	449	89
	Year	316,764	50,344	21,727	6,378	0	395,213		Year	101	43	109	533	88
2017	Q1	318,672	47,415	22,050	6,597	0	394,734	2017	Q1	97	40	107	745	85
	Q2	298,906	41,596	20,920	6,913	0	368,335		Q2	96	37	105	660	83
	Q3	302,794	41,349	21,553	7,315	0	373,011		Q3	97	34	106	517	82
	Q4	289,905	40,852	20,203	7,763	0	358,723		Q4	97	36	109	540	84
	Year	302,569	42,803	21,181	7,147	0	373,701		Year	97	37	107	597	83
2018	Q1	298,966	40,673	21,072	8,314	0	369,026	2018	Q1	91	34	102	939	79
	Q2	279,889	35,871	20,136	8,584	0	344,480		Q2	90	32	101	819	77
	Q3	281,742	35,542	20,564	8,969	0	346,817		Q3	90	29	102	634	76
	Q4	268,921	35,338	18,995	9,307	0	332,561		Q4	90	31	102	647	77
	Year	282,380	36,856	20,192	8,794	0	348,221		Year	90	32	102	735	78
2019	Q1	282,305	35,244	19,920	9,500	0	346,969	2019	Q1	86	30	97	1,073	74
	Q2	263,651	30,795	18,852	9,627	0	322,926		Q2	84	27	95	919	72
	Q3	268,501	31,156	19,607	10,201	0	329,464		Q3	86	26	97	721	72
	Q4	258,366	31,055	18,207	10,454	0	318,081		Q4	87	28	98	727	74
	Year	268,206	32,063	19,146	9,945	0	329,360		Year	86	28	96	831	73
2020	Q1	270,648	30,749	18,939	10,574	0	330,910	2020	Q1	83	26	92	1,194	71
	Q2	284,282	30,782	20,934	10,507	0	346,504		Q2	91	27	105	1,003	78
	Q3	284,229	30,471	21,503	10,580	0	346,784		Q3	91	25	106	748	76
	Q4	271,816	28,095	20,060	10,750	2,147	332,868		Q4	91	25	108	748	78
	Year	277,744	30,024	20,359	10,603	537	339,266		Year	89	26	103	886	76



### 2.3.3 FUBR-SW by region

Table 16  
Evolution of the FUBR-SW by region

		Flemish region	Walloon Region	Brussels Capital Region	Country			Flemish region	Walloon Region	Brussels Capital Region	Country
2007	Q1	172,381	217,557	76,200	466,138	2007	Q1	100	100	100	100
	Q2	159,319	211,655	74,773	445,747		Q2	100	100	100	100
	Q3	160,698	217,023	76,901	454,622		Q3	100	100	100	100
	Q4	149,357	207,060	73,005	429,422		Q4	100	100	100	100
	Year	160,439	213,324	75,220	448,982		Year	100	100	100	100
2008	Q1	154,948	208,801	74,179	437,929	2008	Q1	90	96	97	94
	Q2	142,199	199,771	72,107	414,077		Q2	89	94	96	93
	Q3	148,124	204,485	73,365	425,974		Q3	92	94	95	94
	Q4	144,776	198,615	72,059	415,450		Q4	97	96	99	97
	Year	147,512	202,918	72,928	423,358		Year	92	95	97	94
2009	Q1	165,882	207,696	75,226	448,804	2009	Q1	96	95	99	96
	Q2	167,354	206,049	75,950	449,353		Q2	105	97	102	101
	Q3	175,749	213,434	79,062	468,245		Q3	109	98	103	103
	Q4	170,437	205,855	77,161	453,453		Q4	114	99	106	106
	Year	169,855	208,258	76,850	454,964		Year	106	98	102	101
2010	Q1	182,556	211,855	81,682	476,093	2010	Q1	106	97	107	102
	Q2	172,108	204,836	79,968	456,911		Q2	108	97	107	103
	Q3	172,387	209,278	81,590	463,254		Q3	107	96	106	102
	Q4	165,117	201,698	79,763	446,579		Q4	111	97	109	104
	Year	173,042	206,917	80,751	460,709		Year	108	97	107	103
2011	Q1	172,272	205,282	81,851	459,404	2011	Q1	100	94	107	99
	Q2	159,299	196,613	80,002	435,915		Q2	100	93	107	98
	Q3	163,819	203,722	81,724	449,265		Q3	102	94	106	99
	Q4	158,997	198,547	79,518	437,062		Q4	106	96	109	102
	Year	163,597	201,041	80,774	445,412		Year	102	94	107	99
2012	Q1	167,928	202,106	82,069	452,103	2012	Q1	97	93	108	97
	Q2	159,705	193,589	80,452	433,746		Q2	100	91	108	97
	Q3	163,015	199,887	82,045	444,947		Q3	101	92	107	98
	Q4	159,331	196,373	79,123	434,827		Q4	107	95	108	101
	Year	162,495	197,989	80,922	441,406		Year	101	93	108	98
2013	Q1	174,658	205,101	81,301	461,061	2013	Q1	101	94	107	99
	Q2	170,140	199,235	81,413	450,788		Q2	107	94	109	101
	Q3	174,538	203,735	82,285	460,558		Q3	109	94	107	101
	Q4	175,006	202,523	81,204	458,733		Q4	117	98	111	107
	Year	173,586	202,648	81,551	457,785		Year	108	95	108	102
2014	Q1	191,262	208,380	83,566	483,208	2014	Q1	111	96	110	104
	Q2	176,518	195,822	79,950	452,289		Q2	111	93	107	101
	Q3	178,641	199,556	81,119	459,316		Q3	111	92	105	101
	Q4	171,543	191,740	76,472	439,755		Q4	115	93	105	102
	Year	179,491	198,874	80,277	458,642		Year	112	93	107	102
2015	Q1	182,743	186,341	75,861	444,945	2015	Q1	106	86	100	95
	Q2	169,836	173,289	72,091	415,216		Q2	107	82	96	93
	Q3	168,638	170,447	71,035	410,121		Q3	105	79	92	90
	Q4	165,585	166,159	67,702	399,446		Q4	111	80	93	93
	Year	171,700	174,059	71,672	417,432		Year	107	82	95	93

Table 16 (continued)

		Flemish region	Walloon Region	Brussels Capital Region	Country			Flemish region	Walloon Region	Brussels Capital Region	Country
2016	Q1	171,795	171,956	68,911	412,661	2016	Q1	100	79	90	89
	Q2	160,887	164,564	67,273	392,724		Q2	101	78	90	88
	Q3	161,256	165,237	67,317	393,810		Q3	100	76	88	87
	Q4	157,293	160,833	63,529	381,655		Q4	105	78	87	89
	Year	162,808	165,648	66,757	395,213		Year	101	78	89	88
2017	Q1	164,856	162,765	67,113	394,734	2017	Q1	96	75	88	85
	Q2	152,456	151,164	64,715	368,335		Q2	96	71	87	83
	Q3	154,038	152,527	66,447	373,011		Q3	96	70	86	82
	Q4	148,227	146,456	64,040	358,723		Q4	99	71	88	84
	Year	154,894	153,228	65,579	373,701		Year	97	72	87	83
2018	Q1	153,943	149,964	65,119	369,026	2018	Q1	89	69	85	79
	Q2	141,153	139,465	63,861	344,480		Q2	89	66	85	77
	Q3	139,497	141,397	65,923	346,817		Q3	87	65	86	76
	Q4	133,190	136,818	62,553	332,561		Q4	89	66	86	77
	Year	141,946	141,911	64,364	348,221		Year	88	67	86	78
2019	Q1	141,328	141,030	64,610	346,969	2019	Q1	82	65	85	74
	Q2	129,517	130,904	62,505	322,926		Q2	81	62	84	72
	Q3	130,386	134,265	64,814	329,464		Q3	81	62	84	72
	Q4	125,641	130,239	62,201	318,081		Q4	84	63	85	74
	Year	131,718	134,109	63,533	329,360		Year	82	63	84	73
2020	Q1	132,716	134,600	63,593	330,910	2020	Q1	77	62	83	71
	Q2	140,430	140,415	65,660	346,504		Q2	88	66	88	78
	Q3	139,809	138,787	68,188	346,784		Q3	87	64	89	76
	Q4	132,214	134,542	66,112	332,868		Q4	89	65	91	78
	Year	136,292	137,086	65,888	339,266		Year	85	64	88	76

## 2.3.4 FUBR-SW by gender

Table 17  
Evolution of the FUBR-SW by gender

		Men	Women	Total			Men	Women	Total
2007	Q1	225,640	240,498	466,138	2007	Q1	100	100	100
	Q2	214,680	231,066	445,747		Q2	100	100	100
	Q3	217,178	237,444	454,622		Q3	100	100	100
	Q4	208,045	221,377	429,422		Q4	100	100	100
	Year	216,386	232,596	448,982		Year	100	100	100
2008	Q1	214,914	223,015	437,929	2008	Q1	95	93	94
	Q2	201,704	212,374	414,077		Q2	94	92	93
	Q3	206,275	219,699	425,974		Q3	95	93	94
	Q4	206,063	209,387	415,450		Q4	99	95	97
	Year	207,239	216,119	423,358		Year	96	93	94
2009	Q1	229,931	218,873	448,804	2009	Q1	102	91	96
	Q2	232,250	217,102	449,353		Q2	108	94	101
	Q3	241,674	226,571	468,245		Q3	111	95	103
	Q4	236,769	216,684	453,453		Q4	114	98	106
	Year	235,156	219,808	454,964		Year	109	95	101
2010	Q1	251,046	225,047	476,093	2010	Q1	111	94	102
	Q2	238,964	217,947	456,911		Q2	111	94	103
	Q3	239,421	223,833	463,254		Q3	110	94	102
	Q4	231,898	214,680	446,579		Q4	111	97	104
	Year	240,332	220,377	460,709		Year	111	95	103
2011	Q1	239,755	219,649	459,404	2011	Q1	106	91	99
	Q2	225,768	210,147	435,915		Q2	105	91	98
	Q3	231,256	218,008	449,265		Q3	106	92	99
	Q4	226,404	210,658	437,062		Q4	109	95	102
	Year	230,796	214,616	445,412		Year	107	92	99
2012	Q1	237,296	214,807	452,103	2012	Q1	105	89	97
	Q2	227,289	206,457	433,746		Q2	106	89	97
	Q3	231,702	213,245	444,947		Q3	107	90	98
	Q4	229,990	204,837	434,827		Q4	111	93	101
	Year	231,569	209,836	441,406		Year	107	90	98
2013	Q1	248,783	212,277	461,061	2013	Q1	110	88	99
	Q2	242,533	208,254	450,788		Q2	113	90	101
	Q3	245,779	214,778	460,558		Q3	113	90	101
	Q4	246,432	212,300	458,733		Q4	118	96	107
	Year	245,882	211,903	457,785		Year	114	91	102
2014	Q1	263,618	219,590	483,208	2014	Q1	117	91	104
	Q2	246,192	206,098	452,290		Q2	115	89	101
	Q3	247,785	211,531	459,316		Q3	114	89	101
	Q4	238,342	201,413	439,755		Q4	115	91	102
	Year	248,984	209,658	458,642		Year	115	90	102
2015	Q1	246,207	198,738	444,945	2015	Q1	109	83	95
	Q2	229,195	186,021	415,216		Q2	107	81	93
	Q3	225,189	184,931	410,121		Q3	104	78	90
	Q4	219,859	179,587	399,446		Q4	106	81	93
	Year	230,113	187,319	417,432		Year	106	81	93

Table 17 (continued)

		Men	Women	Total			Men	Women	Total
2016	Q1	230,063	182,598	412,661	2016	Q1	102	76	89
	Q2	217,232	175,492	392,724		Q2	101	76	88
	Q3	216,039	177,771	393,810		Q3	99	75	87
	Q4	209,474	172,181	381,655		Q4	101	78	89
	Year	218,202	177,010	395,213		Year	101	76	88
2017	Q1	218,554	176,181	394,734	2017	Q1	97	73	85
	Q2	203,277	165,058	368,335		Q2	95	71	83
	Q3	204,349	168,662	373,011		Q3	94	71	82
	Q4	196,780	161,943	358,723		Q4	95	73	84
	Year	205,740	167,961	373,701		Year	95	72	83
2018	Q1	204,045	164,981	369,026	2018	Q1	90	69	79
	Q2	189,738	154,741	344,480		Q2	88	67	77
	Q3	189,265	157,552	346,817		Q3	87	66	76
	Q4	182,639	149,922	332,561		Q4	88	68	77
	Year	191,422	156,799	348,221		Year	88	67	78
2019	Q1	193,407	153,562	346,969	2019	Q1	86	64	74
	Q2	179,882	143,044	322,926		Q2	84	62	72
	Q3	181,853	147,611	329,464		Q3	84	62	72
	Q4	176,195	141,886	318,081		Q4	85	64	74
	Year	182,834	146,526	329,360		Year	84	63	73
2020	Q1	185,827	145,082	330,910	2020	Q1	82	60	71
	Q2	194,237	152,268	346,504		Q2	90	66	78
	Q3	192,584	154,199	346,784		Q3	89	65	76
	Q4	184,355	148,513	332,868		Q4	89	67	78
	Year	189,251	150,016	339,266		Year	87	64	76

## 2.3.5 FUBR-SW by age group

Table 18  
Evolution of the FUBR-SW by age group

		< 25 years	25-49 years	50-59 years	60 years or more	Total		< 25 years	25-49 years	50-59 years	60 years or more	Total
2007	Q1	65,548	301,684	95,362	3,544	466,138	2007	Q1	100	100	100	100
	Q2	61,332	284,715	96,001	3,699	445,747		Q2	100	100	100	100
	Q3	66,695	286,518	97,408	4,001	454,622		Q3	100	100	100	100
	Q4	60,403	268,214	97,004	3,801	429,422		Q4	100	100	100	100
	Year	63,494	285,283	96,444	3,761	448,982		Year	100	100	100	100
2008	Q1	60,249	274,011	100,043	3,626	437,929	2008	Q1	92	91	105	102
	Q2	56,209	256,212	98,366	3,290	414,077		Q2	92	90	102	89
	Q3	61,542	261,814	99,615	3,003	425,974		Q3	92	91	102	75
	Q4	58,568	253,902	100,032	2,948	415,450		Q4	97	95	103	78
	Year	59,142	261,485	99,514	3,217	423,358		Year	93	92	103	86
2009	Q1	64,101	276,531	105,161	3,010	448,804	2009	Q1	98	92	110	85
	Q2	64,622	275,557	106,126	3,047	449,353		Q2	105	97	111	82
	Q3	70,895	285,288	108,802	3,259	468,245		Q3	106	100	112	81
	Q4	65,973	275,030	108,995	3,455	453,453		Q4	109	103	112	91
	Year	66,398	278,102	107,271	3,193	454,964		Year	105	97	111	85
2010	Q1	67,732	290,858	113,851	3,651	476,093	2010	Q1	103	96	119	103
	Q2	63,420	277,018	112,764	3,709	456,911		Q2	103	97	117	100
	Q3	67,145	278,971	113,249	3,890	463,254		Q3	101	97	116	97
	Q4	61,554	268,498	112,411	4,116	446,579		Q4	102	100	116	108
	Year	64,963	278,836	113,069	3,841	460,709		Year	102	98	117	102
2011	Q1	61,169	278,715	115,205	4,316	459,404	2011	Q1	93	92	121	122
	Q2	55,946	262,044	113,415	4,509	435,915		Q2	91	92	118	122
	Q3	62,254	268,162	114,046	4,803	449,265		Q3	93	94	117	120
	Q4	58,852	260,182	112,955	5,073	437,062		Q4	97	97	116	133
	Year	59,555	267,276	113,905	4,675	445,412		Year	94	94	118	124
2012	Q1	59,008	273,184	114,682	5,229	452,103	2012	Q1	90	91	120	148
	Q2	52,746	262,778	112,769	5,453	433,746		Q2	86	92	117	147
	Q3	56,417	270,031	112,419	6,081	444,947		Q3	85	94	115	152
	Q4	58,357	260,840	109,180	6,450	434,827		Q4	97	97	113	170
	Year	56,632	266,708	112,262	5,803	441,406		Year	89	93	116	154
2013	Q1	62,358	281,166	110,919	6,618	461,061	2013	Q1	95	93	116	187
	Q2	57,193	273,905	112,629	7,061	450,788		Q2	93	96	117	191
	Q3	58,457	279,166	115,388	7,546	460,558		Q3	88	97	118	189
	Q4	60,332	273,364	117,166	7,870	458,733		Q4	100	102	121	207
	Year	59,585	276,900	114,026	7,274	457,785		Year	94	97	118	193
2014	Q1	62,134	290,735	122,666	7,672	483,208	2014	Q1	95	96	129	216
	Q2	52,721	270,379	121,675	7,515	452,289		Q2	86	95	127	203
	Q3	52,293	275,531	123,391	8,101	459,316		Q3	78	96	127	202
	Q4	50,627	258,696	122,008	8,423	439,755		Q4	84	96	126	222
	Year	54,444	273,835	122,435	7,928	458,642		Year	86	96	127	211
2015	Q1	50,693	259,045	124,626	10,581	444,945	2015	Q1	77	86	131	299
	Q2	43,020	241,074	120,680	10,442	415,216		Q2	70	85	126	282
	Q3	41,579	237,538	118,912	12,092	410,121		Q3	62	83	122	302
	Q4	41,851	229,587	116,392	11,615	399,446		Q4	69	86	120	306
	Year	44,286	241,811	120,152	11,183	417,432		Year	70	85	125	297

Table 18 (continued)

		< 25 years	25-49 years	50-59 years	60 years or more	Total		< 25 years	25-49 years	50-59 years	60 years or more	Total	
2016	Q1	42,865	240,586	117,075	12,136	412,661	2016	Q1	65	80	123	342	89
	Q2	37,726	227,917	112,421	14,660	392,724		Q2	62	80	117	396	88
	Q3	36,694	229,011	110,400	17,705	393,810		Q3	55	80	113	443	87
	Q4	36,825	218,812	106,126	19,892	381,655		Q4	61	82	109	523	89
	Year	38,527	229,081	111,505	16,098	395,213		Year	61	80	116	428	88
2017	Q1	37,093	229,129	106,597	21,916	394,734	2017	Q1	57	76	112	618	85
	Q2	30,818	212,033	100,997	24,487	368,335		Q2	50	74	105	662	83
	Q3	30,490	216,163	99,146	27,212	373,011		Q3	46	75	102	680	82
	Q4	30,452	204,546	94,347	29,378	358,723		Q4	50	76	97	773	84
	Year	32,213	215,468	100,271	25,748	373,701		Year	51	76	104	685	83
2018	Q1	31,315	211,889	94,028	31,794	369,026	2018	Q1	48	70	99	897	79
	Q2	26,292	196,185	88,733	33,270	344,480		Q2	43	69	92	900	77
	Q3	25,793	198,660	87,057	35,307	346,817		Q3	39	69	89	882	76
	Q4	26,130	186,580	82,468	37,383	332,561		Q4	43	70	85	984	77
	Year	27,383	198,328	88,072	34,438	348,221		Year	43	70	91	916	78
2019	Q1	27,603	196,462	83,283	39,621	346,969	2019	Q1	42	65	87	1.118	74
	Q2	23,320	180,817	77,888	40,901	322,926		Q2	38	64	81	1.106	72
	Q3	23,936	185,996	76,689	42,843	329,464		Q3	36	65	79	1.071	72
	Q4	24,344	176,320	72,828	44,589	318,081		Q4	40	66	75	1.173	74
	Year	24,801	184,899	77,672	41,989	329,360		Year	39	65	81	1.116	73
2020	Q1	25,346	185,323	73,774	46,467	330,910	2020	Q1	39	61	77	1.311	71
	Q2	26,734	197,907	75,054	46,809	346,504		Q2	44	70	78	1.266	78
	Q3	25,252	198,753	75,193	47,587	346,784		Q3	38	69	77	1.189	76
	Q4	24,631	186,485	72,899	48,853	332,868		Q4	41	70	75	1.285	78
	Year	25,491	192,117	74,230	47,429	339,266		Year	40	67	77	1.261	76

## 2.3.6 FUBR-SW by unemployment duration

Table 19  
Evolution of the FUBR-SW by unemployment duration

		< 1 year	1 - < 2 years	2 years or more	Total			< 1 year	1 - < 2 years	2 years or more	Total
2007	Q1	147,851	74,983	243,304	466,138	2007	Q1	100	100	100	100
	Q2	134,250	72,018	239,479	445,747		Q2	100	100	100	100
	Q3	142,885	72,619	239,118	454,622		Q3	100	100	100	100
	Q4	136,776	66,577	226,068	429,422		Q4	100	100	100	100
	Year	140,440	71,549	236,992	448,982		Year	100	100	100	100
2008	Q1	147,214	67,592	223,123	437,929	2008	Q1	100	90	92	94
	Q2	133,576	65,076	215,426	414,077		Q2	99	90	90	93
	Q3	143,161	67,641	215,173	425,974		Q3	100	93	90	94
	Q4	144,638	65,013	205,798	415,450		Q4	106	98	91	97
	Year	142,147	66,330	214,880	423,358		Year	101	93	91	94
2009	Q1	170,452	70,843	207,509	448,804	2009	Q1	115	94	85	96
	Q2	170,691	72,628	206,034	449,353		Q2	127	101	86	101
	Q3	178,955	79,765	209,524	468,245		Q3	125	110	88	103
	Q4	169,562	80,309	203,582	453,453		Q4	124	121	90	106
	Year	172,415	75,886	206,662	454,964		Year	123	106	87	101
2010	Q1	176,008	90,766	209,319	476,093	2010	Q1	119	121	86	102
	Q2	158,555	90,613	207,743	456,911		Q2	118	126	87	103
	Q3	159,582	91,987	211,684	463,254		Q3	112	127	89	102
	Q4	154,967	83,693	207,918	446,579		Q4	113	126	92	104
	Year	162,278	89,265	209,166	460,709		Year	116	125	88	103
2011	Q1	163,822	83,038	212,544	459,404	2011	Q1	111	111	87	99
	Q2	149,206	77,571	209,138	435,915		Q2	111	108	87	98
	Q3	157,383	78,879	213,003	449,265		Q3	110	109	89	99
	Q4	156,397	74,183	206,482	437,062		Q4	114	111	91	102
	Year	156,702	78,418	210,292	445,412		Year	112	110	89	99
2012	Q1	168,427	76,710	206,965	452,103	2012	Q1	114	102	85	97
	Q2	153,511	76,052	204,183	433,746		Q2	114	106	85	97
	Q3	157,719	80,589	206,639	444,947		Q3	110	111	86	98
	Q4	159,055	77,224	198,548	434,827		Q4	116	116	88	101
	Year	159,678	77,644	204,084	441,406		Year	114	109	86	98
2013	Q1	178,956	82,009	200,096	461,061	2013	Q1	121	109	82	99
	Q2	170,385	79,225	201,178	450,788		Q2	127	110	84	101
	Q3	170,560	84,121	205,877	460,558		Q3	119	116	86	101
	Q4	173,307	82,966	202,459	458,733		Q4	127	125	90	107
	Year	173,302	82,080	202,403	457,785		Year	123	115	85	102
2014	Q1	188,684	88,585	205,939	483,208	2014	Q1	128	118	85	104
	Q2	166,514	84,626	201,150	452,289		Q2	124	118	84	101
	Q3	166,289	87,422	205,604	459,316		Q3	116	120	86	101
	Q4	156,949	81,759	201,047	439,755		Q4	115	123	89	102
	Year	169,609	85,598	203,435	458,642		Year	121	120	86	102
2015	Q1	165,442	83,389	196,114	444,945	2015	Q1	112	111	81	95
	Q2	148,404	76,391	190,421	415,216		Q2	111	106	80	93
	Q3	143,225	76,054	190,841	410,121		Q3	100	105	80	90
	Q4	142,466	71,159	185,821	399,446		Q4	104	107	82	93
	Year	149,884	76,748	190,799	417,432		Year	107	107	81	93

Table 19 (continued)

		< 1 year	1 - < 2 years	2 years or more	Total			< 1 year	1 - < 2 years	2 years or more	Total
2016	Q1	152,973	72,909	186,780	412,661	2016	Q1	103	97	77	89
	Q2	140,355	70,514	181,855	392,724		Q2	105	98	76	88
	Q3	137,110	72,255	184,445	393,810		Q3	96	99	77	87
	Q4	135,384	67,256	179,015	381,655		Q4	99	101	79	89
	Year	141,455	70,734	183,024	395,213		Year	101	99	77	88
2017	Q1	144,034	70,431	180,269	394,734	2017	Q1	97	94	74	85
	Q2	126,999	65,893	175,443	368,335		Q2	95	91	73	83
	Q3	127,765	66,741	178,505	373,011		Q3	89	92	75	82
	Q4	124,540	61,063	173,119	358,723		Q4	91	92	77	84
	Year	130,835	66,032	176,834	373,701		Year	93	92	75	83
2018	Q1	134,483	61,535	173,008	369,026	2018	Q1	91	82	71	79
	Q2	121,167	56,919	166,394	344,480		Q2	90	79	69	77
	Q3	123,985	56,738	166,094	346,817		Q3	87	78	69	76
	Q4	120,504	52,684	159,373	332,561		Q4	88	79	70	77
	Year	125,035	56,969	166,217	348,221		Year	89	80	70	78
2019	Q1	133,703	52,735	160,531	346,969	2019	Q1	90	70	66	74
	Q2	114,173	53,571	155,183	322,926		Q2	85	74	65	72
	Q3	116,649	56,611	156,204	329,464		Q3	82	78	65	72
	Q4	113,985	53,243	150,853	318,081		Q4	83	80	67	74
	Year	119,628	54,040	155,693	329,360		Year	85	76	66	73
2020	Q1	124,611	56,019	150,280	330,910	2020	Q1	84	75	62	71
	Q2	133,195	57,588	155,722	346,504		Q2	99	80	65	78
	Q3	126,057	61,398	159,329	346,784		Q3	88	85	67	76
	Q4	113,101	62,004	157,763	332,868		Q4	83	93	70	78
	Year	124,241	59,252	155,773	339,266		Year	88	83	66	76



## 2.3.7 FUBR-SW by household position

Table 20  
Evolution of the FUBR-SW by household position

		Head of family	Single person	Cohabiting	Total			Head of family	Single person	Cohabiting	Total
2007	Q1	161,929	110,226	193,829	466,138	2007	Q1	100	100	100	100
	Q2	156,841	105,518	183,253	445,747		Q2	100	100	100	100
	Q3	157,406	106,575	190,527	454,622		Q3	100	100	100	100
	Q4	149,040	102,918	177,323	429,422		Q4	100	100	100	100
	Year	156,304	106,309	186,233	448,982		Year	100	100	100	100
2008	Q1	149,838	105,449	182,483	437,929	2008	Q1	93	96	94	94
	Q2	143,361	100,096	170,511	414,077		Q2	91	95	93	93
	Q3	145,397	100,797	179,645	425,974		Q3	92	95	94	94
	Q4	140,942	100,131	174,212	415,450		Q4	95	97	98	97
	Year	144,884	101,618	176,713	423,358		Year	93	96	95	94
2009	Q1	147,093	108,152	193,433	448,804	2009	Q1	91	98	100	96
	Q2	147,072	108,437	193,677	449,353		Q2	94	103	106	101
	Q3	150,441	111,827	205,854	468,245		Q3	96	105	108	103
	Q4	145,065	110,426	197,797	453,453		Q4	97	107	112	106
	Year	147,418	109,710	197,690	454,964		Year	94	103	106	101
2010	Q1	149,542	117,051	209,333	476,093	2010	Q1	92	106	108	102
	Q2	145,942	112,617	198,217	456,911		Q2	93	107	108	103
	Q3	147,438	112,682	203,100	463,254		Q3	94	106	107	102
	Q4	142,224	110,736	193,612	446,579		Q4	95	108	109	104
	Year	146,286	113,272	201,065	460,709		Year	94	107	108	103
2011	Q1	144,698	114,215	200,486	459,404	2011	Q1	89	104	103	99
	Q2	140,040	108,634	187,235	435,915		Q2	89	103	102	98
	Q3	142,581	109,706	196,974	449,265		Q3	91	103	103	99
	Q4	137,347	107,899	191,813	437,062		Q4	92	105	108	102
	Year	141,167	110,113	194,127	445,412		Year	90	104	104	99
2012	Q1	139,292	112,467	200,339	452,103	2012	Q1	86	102	103	97
	Q2	135,594	108,697	189,455	433,746		Q2	86	103	103	97
	Q3	137,822	109,589	197,537	444,947		Q3	88	103	104	98
	Q4	132,245	106,317	195,567	434,827		Q4	89	103	110	101
	Year	136,238	109,267	195,724	441,406		Year	87	103	105	98
2013	Q1	136,049	112,680	211,633	461,061	2013	Q1	84	102	109	99
	Q2	134,632	110,937	205,108	450,788		Q2	86	105	112	101
	Q3	136,573	111,950	212,007	460,558		Q3	87	105	111	101
	Q4	133,312	111,270	214,134	458,733		Q4	89	108	121	107
	Year	135,141	111,709	210,720	457,785		Year	86	105	113	102
2014	Q1	136,611	117,114	229,472	483,208	2014	Q1	84	106	118	104
	Q2	131,401	110,555	210,330	452,289		Q2	84	105	115	101
	Q3	132,737	110,896	215,682	459,316		Q3	84	104	113	101
	Q4	126,034	106,577	207,143	439,755		Q4	85	104	117	102
	Year	131,696	111,286	215,657	458,642		Year	84	105	116	102
2015	Q1	123,843	109,385	211,712	444,945	2015	Q1	76	99	109	95
	Q2	118,833	102,673	193,700	415,216		Q2	76	97	106	93
	Q3	118,074	100,043	191,994	410,121		Q3	75	94	101	90
	Q4	113,878	98,098	187,425	399,446		Q4	76	95	106	93
	Year	118,657	102,550	196,208	417,432		Year	76	96	105	93

Table 20 (continued)

		Head of family	Single person	Cohabiting	Total			Head of family	Single person	Cohabiting	Total
2016	Q1	116,625	101,668	194,345	412,661	2016	Q1	72	92	100	89
	Q2	113,634	98,064	181,004	392,724		Q2	72	93	99	88
	Q3	114,362	97,451	181,932	393,810		Q3	73	91	95	87
	Q4	109,950	95,132	176,573	381,655		Q4	74	92	100	89
	Year	113,643	98,079	183,464	395,213		Year	73	92	99	88
2017	Q1	111,777	98,996	183,961	394,734	2017	Q1	69	90	95	85
	Q2	107,621	93,619	167,095	368,335		Q2	69	89	91	83
	Q3	108,590	94,188	170,234	373,011		Q3	69	88	89	82
	Q4	103,385	91,869	163,469	358,723		Q4	69	89	92	84
	Year	107,843	94,668	171,190	373,701		Year	69	89	92	83
2018	Q1	104,165	94,565	170,296	369,026	2018	Q1	64	86	88	79
	Q2	100,124	89,592	154,764	344,480		Q2	64	85	84	77
	Q3	100,616	89,272	156,929	346,817		Q3	64	84	82	76
	Q4	95,452	86,865	150,243	332,561		Q4	64	84	85	77
	Year	100,089	90,074	158,058	348,221		Year	64	85	85	78
2019	Q1	97,663	90,763	158,543	346,969	2019	Q1	60	82	82	74
	Q2	93,551	85,503	143,872	322,926		Q2	60	81	79	72
	Q3	93,825	86,412	149,227	329,464		Q3	60	81	78	72
	Q4	89,486	84,888	143,708	318,081		Q4	60	82	81	74
	Year	93,631	86,891	148,838	329,360		Year	60	82	80	73
2020	Q1	91,357	88,491	151,062	330,910	2020	Q1	56	80	78	71
	Q2	95,320	91,912	159,273	346,504		Q2	61	87	87	78
	Q3	95,459	91,852	159,472	346,784		Q3	61	86	84	76
	Q4	90,874	89,622	152,371	332,868		Q4	61	87	86	78
	Year	93,253	90,469	155,544	339,266		Year	60	85	84	76

### 2.3.8 FUBR-NSW by scheme

Table 21  
Evolution of the FUBR-NSW by scheme

		After working part-time voluntarily	Elderly exempted after working full time	Exemption for social or family related reasons or for informal care	With company bonus - NSW	Total			After working part-time voluntarily	Elderly exempted after working full time	Exemption for social or family related reasons or for informal care	With company bonus - NSW	Total
2007	Q1	9,239	110,997	10,251	113,508	243,995	2007	Q1	100	100	100	100	100
	Q2	9,187	108,729	10,834	113,450	242,200		Q2	100	100	100	100	100
	Q3	10,037	105,984	11,095	113,712	240,828		Q3	100	100	100	100	100
	Q4	9,121	106,044	10,888	113,646	239,700		Q4	100	100	100	100	100
	Year	9,396	107,939	10,767	113,579	241,680		Year	100	100	100	100	100
2008	Q1	9,011	103,241	11,107	114,384	237,742	2008	Q1	98	93	108	101	97
	Q2	8,913	101,582	11,195	113,949	235,639		Q2	97	93	103	100	97
	Q3	9,927	100,054	11,198	114,319	235,498		Q3	99	94	101	101	98
	Q4	8,712	98,498	10,889	113,952	232,050		Q4	96	93	100	100	97
	Year	9,141	100,844	11,097	114,151	235,232		Year	97	93	103	101	97
2009	Q1	8,773	96,410	11,148	114,804	231,135	2009	Q1	95	87	109	101	95
	Q2	8,706	95,074	10,824	114,929	229,533		Q2	95	87	100	101	95
	Q3	9,886	94,094	10,721	115,853	230,553		Q3	98	89	97	102	96
	Q4	8,907	93,626	10,268	116,622	229,423		Q4	98	88	94	103	96
	Year	9,068	94,801	10,740	115,552	230,161		Year	97	88	100	102	95
2010	Q1	8,833	91,491	10,283	117,944	228,550	2010	Q1	96	82	100	104	94
	Q2	8,683	89,455	10,004	117,699	225,841		Q2	95	82	92	104	93
	Q3	9,645	88,105	9,823	117,399	224,973		Q3	96	83	89	103	93
	Q4	8,518	87,721	9,333	116,995	222,566		Q4	93	83	86	103	93
	Year	8,920	89,193	9,861	117,509	225,483		Year	95	83	92	103	93
2011	Q1	8,510	85,400	9,432	117,597	220,938	2011	Q1	92	77	92	104	91
	Q2	8,299	83,392	9,096	115,804	216,591		Q2	90	77	84	102	89
	Q3	9,241	82,143	8,919	114,293	214,596		Q3	92	78	80	101	89
	Q4	8,144	81,374	8,514	113,089	211,121		Q4	89	77	78	100	88
	Year	8,549	83,077	8,990	115,196	215,812		Year	91	77	84	101	89
2012	Q1	8,073	78,906	8,538	112,690	208,207	2012	Q1	87	71	83	99	85
	Q2	7,982	77,073	8,470	111,249	204,774		Q2	87	71	78	98	85
	Q3	8,946	75,917	8,304	110,183	203,350		Q3	89	72	75	97	84
	Q4	7,962	76,360	7,770	109,114	201,206		Q4	87	72	71	96	84
	Year	8,241	77,064	8,270	110,809	204,384		Year	88	71	77	98	85
2013	Q1	8,086	76,370	7,881	109,260	201,598	2013	Q1	88	69	77	96	83
	Q2	7,696	72,253	7,747	107,392	195,088		Q2	84	66	72	95	81
	Q3	8,443	68,757	7,608	105,990	190,798		Q3	84	65	69	93	79
	Q4	7,330	65,968	7,326	104,991	185,615		Q4	80	62	67	92	77
	Year	7,889	70,837	7,641	106,908	193,275		Year	84	66	71	94	80
2014	Q1	7,185	62,760	7,340	105,301	182,586	2014	Q1	78	57	72	93	75
	Q2	6,932	59,696	7,076	103,015	176,718		Q2	75	55	65	91	73
	Q3	7,784	56,766	6,896	101,103	172,549		Q3	78	54	62	89	72
	Q4	6,588	54,316	6,320	99,800	167,024		Q4	72	51	58	88	70
	Year	7,122	58,385	6,908	102,305	174,719		Year	76	54	64	90	72
2015	Q1	6,337	50,534	3,582	99,532	159,986	2015	Q1	69	46	35	88	66
	Q2	5,997	49,814	2,131	97,054	154,997		Q2	65	46	20	86	64
	Q3	6,701	47,968	1,498	94,899	151,067		Q3	67	45	14	83	63
	Q4	5,644	48,080	891	93,217	147,831		Q4	62	45	8	82	62
	Year	6,170	49,099	2,026	96,176	153,470		Year	66	45	19	85	64

Table 21 (continued)

		After working part-time voluntarily	Elderly exempted unemployed after working full time	Exemption for social or family related reasons or for informal care	With company bonus - NSW	Total			After working part-time voluntarily	Elderly exempted unemployed after working full time	Exemption for social or family related reasons or for informal care	With company bonus - NSW	Total
2016	Q1	5,546	47,505	,692	91,789	145,531	2016	Q1	60	43	7	81	60
	Q2	5,301	44,231	,740	89,443	139,714		Q2	58	41	7	79	58
	Q3	6,182	41,002	,719	86,953	134,856		Q3	62	39	6	76	56
	Q4	5,068	38,464	,715	84,324	128,571		Q4	56	36	7	74	54
	Year	5,524	42,800	,716	88,127	137,168		Year	59	40	7	78	57
2017	Q1	4,935	35,809	,752	81,614	123,111	2017	Q1	53	32	7	72	50
	Q2	4,682	32,446	,764	78,110	116,002		Q2	51	30	7	69	48
	Q3	5,446	29,363	,781	75,173	110,763		Q3	54	28	7	66	46
	Q4	4,291	26,688	,785	72,719	104,484		Q4	47	25	7	64	44
	Year	4,838	31,077	,771	76,904	113,590		Year	51	29	7	68	47
2018	Q1	4,222	23,622	,817	70,084	98,745	2018	Q1	46	21	8	62	40
	Q2	4,031	20,734	,824	67,242	92,830		Q2	44	19	8	59	38
	Q3	4,906	18,108	,800	64,281	88,096		Q3	49	17	7	57	37
	Q4	3,738	15,703	,800	61,111	81,352		Q4	41	15	7	54	34
	Year	4,224	19,542	,810	65,680	90,256		Year	45	18	8	58	37
2019	Q1	3,737	13,369	,821	54,257	72,184	2019	Q1	40	12	8	48	30
	Q2	3,529	11,114	,812	48,771	64,226		Q2	38	10	7	43	27
	Q3	4,387	8,943	,736	44,562	58,627		Q3	44	8	7	39	24
	Q4	3,070	7,080	,664	40,862	51,676		Q4	34	7	6	36	22
	Year	3,680	10,127	,758	47,113	61,678		Year	39	9	7	41	26
2020	Q1	3,009	5,480	,631	36,987	46,107	2020	Q1	33	5	6	33	19
	Q2	2,680	4,051	,597	33,330	40,658		Q2	29	4	6	29	17
	Q3	3,620	2,579	,541	30,229	36,970		Q3	36	2	5	27	15
	Q4	2,425	1,269	,508	27,587	31,789		Q4	27	1	5	24	13
	Year	2,933	3,345	,569	32,033	38,881		Year	31	3	5	28	16

## 2.3.9 Dynamic evolution of the FUBR-SW

Table 22  
Dynamic evolution of the FUBR-SW

		Remainers	Entries	Stock	Exits	Stock in Q-1	Remainers	Entries	Exits
2007	Q1	442,141	77,598	519,739	98,298	540,439	85.1%	14.9%	18.2%
	Q2	440,031	80,815	520,846	79,708	519,739	84.5%	15.5%	15.3%
	Q3	426,056	76,945	503,001	94,790	520,846	84.7%	15.3%	18.2%
	Q4	423,552	87,362	510,914	79,449	503,001	82.9%	17.1%	15.8%
	Year	432,945	80,680	513,625	88,061	521,006	84.3%	15.7%	16.9%
2008	Q1	409,424	75,127	484,551	101,490	510,914	84.5%	15.5%	19.9%
	Q2	405,009	83,985	488,994	79,542	484,551	82.8%	17.2%	16.4%
	Q3	396,691	76,736	473,427	92,303	488,994	83.8%	16.2%	18.9%
	Q4	395,122	87,400	482,522	78,305	473,427	81.9%	18.1%	16.5%
	Year	401,562	80,812	482,374	87,910	489,472	83.2%	16.8%	18.0%
2009	Q1	388,059	80,317	468,376	94,463	482,522	82.9%	17.1%	19.6%
	Q2	397,498	99,706	497,204	70,878	468,376	79.9%	20.1%	15.1%
	Q3	411,150	91,355	502,505	86,054	497,204	81.8%	18.2%	17.3%
	Q4	430,142	93,828	523,970	72,363	502,505	82.1%	17.9%	14.4%
	Year	406,712	91,302	498,014	80,940	487,652	81.7%	18.3%	16.6%
2010	Q1	427,856	84,460	512,316	96,114	523,970	83.5%	16.5%	18.3%
	Q2	436,106	88,697	524,803	76,210	512,316	83.1%	16.9%	14.9%
	Q3	433,047	81,058	514,105	91,756	524,803	84.2%	15.8%	17.5%
	Q4	431,625	89,952	521,577	82,480	514,105	82.8%	17.2%	16.0%
	Year	432,159	86,042	518,200	86,640	518,799	83.4%	16.6%	16.7%
2011	Q1	420,792	83,851	504,643	100,785	521,577	83.4%	16.6%	19.3%
	Q2	421,981	87,342	509,323	82,662	504,643	82.9%	17.1%	16.4%
	Q3	414,274	79,316	493,590	95,049	509,323	83.9%	16.1%	18.7%
	Q4	413,752	91,775	505,527	79,838	493,590	81.8%	18.2%	16.2%
	Year	417,700	85,571	503,271	89,584	507,283	83.0%	17.0%	17.7%
2012	Q1	409,482	83,990	493,472	96,045	505,527	83.0%	17.0%	19.0%
	Q2	411,215	88,758	499,973	82,257	493,472	82.2%	17.8%	16.7%
	Q3	408,414	76,352	484,766	91,559	499,973	84.2%	15.8%	18.3%
	Q4	407,698	92,042	499,740	77,068	484,766	81.6%	18.4%	15.9%
	Year	409,202	85,286	494,488	86,732	495,935	82.8%	17.2%	17.5%
2013	Q1	405,243	84,302	489,545	94,497	499,740	82.8%	17.2%	18.9%
	Q2	410,141	95,720	505,861	79,404	489,545	81.1%	18.9%	16.2%
	Q3	419,165	82,598	501,763	86,696	505,861	83.5%	16.5%	17.1%
	Q4	423,686	95,888	519,574	78,077	501,763	81.5%	18.5%	15.6%
	Year	414,559	89,627	504,186	84,669	499,227	82.2%	17.8%	17.0%
2014	Q1	423,947	91,349	515,296	95,627	519,574	82.3%	17.7%	18.4%
	Q2	436,840	95,839	532,679	78,456	515,296	82.0%	18.0%	15.2%
	Q3	433,843	72,823	506,666	98,836	532,679	85.6%	14.4%	18.6%
	Q4	426,863	89,370	516,233	79,803	506,666	82.7%	17.3%	15.8%
	Year	430,373	87,345	517,719	88,181	518,554	83.1%	16.9%	17.0%
2015	Q1	415,809	81,077	496,886	100,424	516,233	83.7%	16.3%	19.5%
	Q2	403,171	87,272	490,443	93,715	496,886	82.2%	17.8%	18.9%
	Q3	393,935	70,274	464,209	96,508	490,443	84.9%	15.1%	19.7%
	Q4	385,724	81,655	467,379	78,485	464,209	82.5%	17.5%	16.9%
	Year	399,660	80,070	479,729	92,283	491,943	83.3%	16.7%	18.8%

Table 22 (continued)

		Remainers	Entries	Stock	Exits	Stock in Q-1	Remainers	Entries	Exits
2016	Q1	372,303	79,354	451,657	95,076	467,379	82.4%	17.6%	20.3%
	Q2	375,438	81,090	456,528	76,219	451,657	82.2%	17.8%	16.9%
	Q3	373,039	66,171	439,210	83,489	456,528	84.9%	15.1%	18.3%
	Q4	366,456	75,273	441,729	72,754	439,210	83.0%	17.0%	16.6%
	Year	371,809	75,472	447,281	81,885	453,694	83.1%	16.9%	18.0%
2017	Q1	356,078	73,729	429,807	85,651	441,729	82.8%	17.2%	19.4%
	Q2	357,481	78,303	435,784	72,326	429,807	82.0%	18.0%	16.8%
	Q3	351,922	59,597	411,519	83,862	435,784	85.5%	14.5%	19.2%
	Q4	342,609	76,728	419,337	68,910	411,519	81.7%	18.3%	16.7%
	Year	352,023	72,089	424,112	77,687	429,710	83.0%	17.0%	18.1%
2018	Q1	333,807	70,420	404,227	85,530	419,337	82.6%	17.4%	20.4%
	Q2	334,557	76,013	410,570	69,670	404,227	81.5%	18.5%	17.2%
	Q3	329,273	56,966	386,239	81,297	410,570	85.3%	14.7%	19.8%
	Q4	317,373	74,210	391,583	68,866	386,239	81.0%	19.0%	17.8%
	Year	328,753	69,402	398,155	76,341	405,093	82.6%	17.4%	18.8%
2019	Q1	308,390	67,013	375,403	83,193	391,583	82.1%	17.9%	21.2%
	Q2	310,707	74,944	385,651	64,696	375,403	80.6%	19.4%	17.2%
	Q3	306,761	54,928	361,689	78,890	385,651	84.8%	15.2%	20.5%
	Q4	298,644	73,687	372,331	63,045	361,689	80.2%	19.8%	17.4%
	Year	306,126	67,643	373,769	72,456	378,582	81.9%	18.1%	19.1%
2020	Q1	293,669	66,007	359,676	78,662	372,331	81.6%	18.4%	21.1%
	Q2	297,266	71,852	369,118	62,410	359,676	80.5%	19.5%	17.4%
	Q3	307,004	56,649	363,653	64,018	371,022	84.4%	15.6%	17.3%
	Q4	312,867	69,201	382,068	50,877	363,744	81.9%	18.1%	14.0%
	Year	302,702	65,927	368,629	63,992	366,693	82.1%	17.9%	17.5%

## 2.3.10

## Jobseekers not working and not receiving benefits by type of registration

Table 23  
Evolution of jobseekers not working and not receiving benefits by type of registration

		Youngsters in insertion stage	Other jobseekers registered by	Jobseekers registered voluntarily	Total			Youngsters in insertion stage	Other jobseekers registered by	Jobseekers registered voluntarily	Total
2007	Q1	38,729	32,318	35,503	106,550	2007	Q1	100	100	100	100
	Q2	26,807	31,016	33,421	91,244		Q2	100	100	100	100
	Q3	49,852	29,496	35,550	114,898		Q3	100	100	100	100
	Q4	41,013	30,937	35,386	107,335		Q4	100	100	100	100
	Year	39,100	30,942	34,965	105,007		Year	100	100	100	100
2008	Q1	35,572	32,022	35,498	103,092	2008	Q1	92	99	100	97
	Q2	25,666	32,697	34,049	92,411		Q2	96	105	102	101
	Q3	46,687	30,964	35,410	113,062		Q3	94	105	100	98
	Q4	39,768	32,270	37,731	109,770		Q4	97	104	107	102
	Year	36,923	31,988	35,672	104,584		Year	94	103	102	100
2009	Q1	37,773	32,754	39,895	110,423	2009	Q1	98	101	112	104
	Q2	28,901	31,219	41,049	101,170		Q2	108	101	123	111
	Q3	51,341	30,947	44,145	126,432		Q3	103	105	124	110
	Q4	45,050	31,406	45,021	121,477		Q4	110	102	127	113
	Year	40,766	31,582	42,528	114,875		Year	104	102	122	109
2010	Q1	41,156	33,441	46,346	120,943	2010	Q1	106	103	131	114
	Q2	29,648	34,397	45,945	109,989		Q2	111	111	137	121
	Q3	51,948	35,454	50,115	137,516		Q3	104	120	141	120
	Q4	43,824	36,027	48,203	128,054		Q4	107	116	136	119
	Year	41,644	34,830	47,652	124,126		Year	107	113	136	118
2011	Q1	38,260	37,014	49,610	124,884	2011	Q1	99	115	140	117
	Q2	27,920	36,212	48,323	112,454		Q2	104	117	145	123
	Q3	48,688	36,926	49,257	134,871		Q3	98	125	139	117
	Q4	42,002	37,015	50,305	129,322		Q4	102	120	142	120
	Year	39,217	36,792	49,374	125,383		Year	100	119	141	119
2012	Q1	40,624	37,966	52,793	131,383	2012	Q1	105	117	149	123
	Q2	36,474	36,810	50,275	123,560		Q2	136	119	150	135
	Q3	56,844	37,648	53,560	148,052		Q3	114	128	151	129
	Q4	47,777	37,728	55,277	140,782		Q4	116	122	156	131
	Year	45,430	37,538	52,976	135,944		Year	116	121	152	129
2013	Q1	42,238	38,721	56,979	137,938	2013	Q1	109	120	160	129
	Q2	37,394	38,035	55,675	131,103		Q2	139	123	167	144
	Q3	58,541	39,140	57,739	155,420		Q3	117	133	162	135
	Q4	48,991	39,345	59,049	147,385		Q4	119	127	167	137
	Year	46,791	38,810	57,360	142,962		Year	120	125	164	136
2014	Q1	43,519	40,467	62,839	146,825	2014	Q1	112	125	177	138
	Q2	36,725	40,930	59,638	137,292		Q2	137	132	178	150
	Q3	59,326	42,147	59,956	161,429		Q3	119	143	169	140
	Q4	50,302	43,683	61,697	155,682		Q4	123	141	174	145
	Year	47,468	41,807	61,033	150,307		Year	121	135	175	143
2015	Q1	43,664	49,001	68,469	161,134	2015	Q1	113	152	193	151
	Q2	36,474	48,493	66,973	151,940		Q2	136	156	200	167
	Q3	55,789	48,831	67,593	172,213		Q3	112	166	190	150
	Q4	49,117	49,549	70,949	169,615		Q4	120	160	201	158
	Year	46,261	48,969	68,496	163,725		Year	118	158	196	156

Table 23 (continued)

		Youngsters in insertion stage	Other jobseekers registered by	Jobseekers registered voluntarily	Total			Youngsters in insertion stage	Other jobseekers registered by	Jobseekers registered voluntarily	Total
2016	Q1	44,647	48,880	71,878	165,405	2016	Q1	115	151	202	155
	Q2	38,616	47,256	69,052	154,924		Q2	144	152	207	170
	Q3	58,925	48,225	69,346	176,496		Q3	118	163	195	154
	Q4	52,695	55,647	64,768	173,110		Q4	128	180	183	161
	Year	48,721	50,002	68,761	167,484		Year	125	162	197	159
2017	Q1	47,490	57,376	64,061	168,927	2017	Q1	123	178	180	159
	Q2	39,742	56,651	60,239	156,632		Q2	148	183	180	172
	Q3	58,382	56,670	60,340	175,391		Q3	117	192	170	153
	Q4	52,878	53,674	59,720	166,272		Q4	129	173	169	155
	Year	49,623	56,093	61,090	166,806		Year	127	181	175	159
2018	Q1	47,057	52,729	59,177	158,963	2018	Q1	122	163	167	149
	Q2	40,655	50,782	55,463	146,900		Q2	152	164	166	161
	Q3	57,067	65,563	56,687	179,317		Q3	114	222	159	156
	Q4	50,350	63,362	56,701	170,413		Q4	123	205	160	159
	Year	48,782	58,109	57,007	163,898		Year	125	188	163	156
2019	Q1	42,612	62,677	57,596	162,885	2019	Q1	110	194	162	153
	Q2	36,557	61,352	56,457	154,367		Q2	136	198	169	169
	Q3	51,337	61,964	61,783	175,084		Q3	103	210	174	152
	Q4	47,035	62,430	60,980	170,444		Q4	115	202	172	159
	Year	44,385	62,106	59,204	165,695		Year	114	201	169	158
2020	Q1	42,766	62,098	61,226	166,090	2020	Q1	110	192	172	156
	Q2	43,153	59,150	54,949	157,252		Q2	161	191	164	172
	Q3	57,648	60,705	58,729	177,081		Q3	116	206	165	154
	Q4	50,725	60,325	57,933	168,983		Q4	124	195	164	157
	Year	48,573	60,570	58,209	167,352		Year	124	196	166	159

Source: regional Public Employment Services, calculations by the NEO



## 2.4

### Evolution of part time employees receiving IGB

#### 2.4.1

##### By scheme

Table 24

Evolution of part time employees receiving IGB by scheme

		Part-time workers retaining rights and an IGB	Voluntary part- time workers with an IGB	Total	Part-time workers retaining rights and an IGB	Voluntary part- time workers with an IGB	Total
2007	Q1	47,370	-	47,370	100	-	100
	Q2	49,777	-	49,777	100	-	100
	Q3	46,673	-	46,673	100	-	100
	Q4	46,243	-	46,243	100	-	100
	Year	47,516	-	47,516	100	-	100
2008	Q1	49,663	-	49,663	105	-	105
	Q2	48,648	-	48,648	98	-	98
	Q3	45,893	-	45,893	98	-	98
	Q4	47,801	-	47,801	103	-	103
	Year	48,001	-	48,001	101	-	101
2009	Q1	52,293	-	52,293	110	-	110
	Q2	51,753	-	51,753	104	-	104
	Q3	48,411	-	48,411	104	-	104
	Q4	50,631	-	50,631	109	-	109
	Year	50,772	-	50,772	107	-	107
2010	Q1	54,078	-	54,078	114	-	114
	Q2	54,474	-	54,474	109	-	109
	Q3	49,372	-	49,372	106	-	106
	Q4	52,497	-	52,497	114	-	114
	Year	52,605	-	52,605	111	-	111
2011	Q1	54,457	-	54,457	115	-	115
	Q2	53,122	-	53,122	107	-	107
	Q3	49,898	-	49,898	107	-	107
	Q4	52,580	-	52,580	114	-	114
	Year	52,514	-	52,514	111	-	111
2012	Q1	52,518	-	52,518	111	-	111
	Q2	54,089	-	54,089	109	-	109
	Q3	50,173	-	50,173	107	-	107
	Q4	50,081	-	50,081	108	-	108
	Year	51,715	-	51,715	109	-	109
2013	Q1	52,619	-	52,619	111	-	111
	Q2	53,964	-	53,964	108	-	108
	Q3	49,280	61	49,341	106	-	106
	Q4	50,875	260	51,135	110	-	111
	Year	51,685	80	51,765	109	-	109
2014	Q1	53,939	394	54,332	114	100	115
	Q2	52,330	427	52,757	105	100	106
	Q3	48,430	428	48,858	104	100	105
	Q4	48,111	439	48,550	104	100	105
	Year	50,702	422	51,124	107	100	108
2015	Q1	49,443	426	49,869	104	108	105
	Q2	46,559	417	46,976	94	98	94
	Q3	39,210	344	39,554	84	80	85
	Q4	42,082	381	42,463	91	87	92
	Year	44,323	392	44,716	93	93	94

Table 24 (continued)

		Part-time workers retaining rights and an IGB	Voluntary part- time workers with an IGB	Total	Part-time workers retaining rights and an IGB	Voluntary part- time workers with an IGB	Total
2016	Q1	42,502	363	42,865	90	92	90
	Q2	41,189	389	41,578	83	91	84
	Q3	37,286	344	37,630	80	80	81
	Q4	38,488	370	38,858	83	84	84
	Year	39,866	367	40,233	84	87	85
2017	Q1	39,014	403	39,416	82	102	83
	Q2	38,365	399	38,763	77	93	78
	Q3	35,513	334	35,847	76	78	77
	Q4	36,984	365	37,349	80	83	81
	Year	37,469	375	37,844	79	89	80
2018	Q1	36,947	388	37,335	78	99	79
	Q2	36,738	432	37,170	74	101	75
	Q3	33,513	353	33,867	72	82	73
	Q4	34,272	376	34,648	74	86	75
	Year	35,368	387	35,755	74	92	75
2019	Q1	35,694	424	36,118	75	108	76
	Q2	33,771	398	34,169	68	93	69
	Q3	30,956	344	31,300	66	80	67
	Q4	32,339	377	32,716	70	86	71
	Year	33,190	386	33,576	70	91	71
2020	Q1	34,022	407	34,429	72	103	73
	Q2	32,867	457	33,324	66	107	67
	Q3	27,922	368	28,290	60	86	61
	Q4	30,689	419	31,108	66	98	67
	Year	31,375	413	31,788	66	98	67

## 2.4.2

### By region

Table 25  
Evolution of part time employees receiving IGB by region

		Flemish region	Walloon Region	Brussels Capital Region	Country			Flemish region	Walloon Region	Brussels Capital Region	Country
2007	Q1	24,835	17,605	4,930	47,370	2007	Q1	100	100	100	100
	Q2	26,143	18,532	5,102	49,777		Q2	100	100	100	100
	Q3	24,634	17,431	4,609	46,673		Q3	100	100	100	100
	Q4	23,662	17,825	4,756	46,243		Q4	100	100	100	100
	Year	24,819	17,848	4,849	47,516		Year	100	100	100	100
2008	Q1	25,376	19,174	5,114	49,663	2008	Q1	102	109	104	105
	Q2	24,679	18,879	5,090	48,648		Q2	94	102	100	98
	Q3	23,389	18,000	4,504	45,893		Q3	95	103	98	98
	Q4	23,683	19,236	4,881	47,801		Q4	100	108	103	103
	Year	24,282	18,822	4,897	48,001		Year	98	105	101	101
2009	Q1	26,065	20,970	5,257	52,293	2009	Q1	105	119	107	110
	Q2	25,891	20,487	5,375	51,753		Q2	99	111	105	104
	Q3	24,495	19,123	4,794	48,411		Q3	99	110	104	104
	Q4	24,999	20,542	5,090	50,631		Q4	106	115	107	109
	Year	25,363	20,281	5,129	50,772		Year	102	114	106	107
2010	Q1	26,700	21,871	5,507	54,078	2010	Q1	108	124	112	114
	Q2	27,086	21,776	5,613	54,474		Q2	104	118	110	109
	Q3	24,407	20,020	4,945	49,372		Q3	99	115	107	106
	Q4	25,725	21,477	5,295	52,497		Q4	109	120	111	114
	Year	25,980	21,286	5,340	52,606		Year	105	119	110	111
2011	Q1	26,640	22,204	5,613	54,457	2011	Q1	107	126	114	115
	Q2	25,907	21,630	5,585	53,122		Q2	99	117	109	107
	Q3	24,625	20,295	4,978	49,898		Q3	100	116	108	107
	Q4	25,424	21,914	5,243	52,580		Q4	107	123	110	114
	Year	25,649	21,511	5,355	52,514		Year	103	121	110	111
2012	Q1	25,298	21,877	5,342	52,518	2012	Q1	102	124	108	111
	Q2	26,149	22,479	5,462	54,089		Q2	100	121	107	109
	Q3	24,170	20,992	5,011	50,173		Q3	98	120	109	107
	Q4	23,853	21,168	5,060	50,081		Q4	101	119	106	108
	Year	24,868	21,629	5,219	51,715		Year	100	121	108	109
2013	Q1	25,323	21,923	5,373	52,619	2013	Q1	102	125	109	111
	Q2	25,794	22,373	5,797	53,964		Q2	99	121	114	108
	Q3	23,749	20,522	5,070	49,341		Q3	96	118	110	106
	Q4	24,386	21,426	5,323	51,135		Q4	103	120	112	111
	Year	24,813	21,561	5,391	51,765		Year	100	121	111	109
2014	Q1	26,179	22,451	5,703	54,332	2014	Q1	105	128	116	115
	Q2	25,517	21,684	5,556	52,757		Q2	98	117	109	106
	Q3	23,831	19,991	5,036	48,858		Q3	97	115	109	105
	Q4	23,521	19,909	5,120	48,550		Q4	99	112	108	105
	Year	24,762	21,009	5,354	51,124		Year	100	118	110	108
2015	Q1	23,930	20,542	5,397	49,869	2015	Q1	96	117	109	105
	Q2	22,600	19,090	5,286	46,976		Q2	86	103	104	94
	Q3	19,061	16,246	4,247	39,554		Q3	77	93	92	85
	Q4	20,098	17,671	4,694	42,463		Q4	85	99	99	92
	Year	21,422	18,387	4,906	44,716		Year	86	103	101	94

Table 25 (continued)

		Flemish region	Walloon Region	Brussels Capital Region	Country			Flemish region	Walloon Region	Brussels Capital Region	Country
2016	Q1	20,168	18,014	4,683	42,865	2016	Q1	81	102	95	90
	Q2	19,569	17,336	4,673	41,578		Q2	75	94	92	84
	Q3	17,648	15,914	4,068	37,630		Q3	72	91	88	81
	Q4	18,022	16,621	4,215	38,858		Q4	76	93	89	84
	Year	18,852	16,971	4,410	40,233		Year	76	95	91	85
2017	Q1	18,022	16,933	4,462	39,416	2017	Q1	73	96	91	83
	Q2	17,567	16,880	4,317	38,763		Q2	67	91	85	78
	Q3	16,243	15,821	3,783	35,847		Q3	66	91	82	77
	Q4	16,801	16,509	4,040	37,349		Q4	71	93	85	81
	Year	17,158	16,536	4,151	37,844		Year	69	93	86	80
2018	Q1	16,534	16,798	4,003	37,335	2018	Q1	67	95	81	79
	Q2	16,465	16,643	4,062	37,170		Q2	63	90	80	75
	Q3	14,970	15,199	3,698	33,867		Q3	61	87	80	73
	Q4	15,083	15,767	3,798	34,648		Q4	64	88	80	75
	Year	15,763	16,102	3,890	35,755		Year	64	90	80	75
2019	Q1	15,691	16,454	3,973	36,118	2019	Q1	63	93	81	76
	Q2	14,787	15,496	3,886	34,169		Q2	57	84	76	69
	Q3	13,559	14,260	3,482	31,300		Q3	55	82	76	67
	Q4	14,076	14,937	3,703	32,716		Q4	59	84	78	71
	Year	14,528	15,287	3,761	33,576		Year	59	86	78	71
2020	Q1	14,793	15,762	3,874	34,429	2020	Q1	60	90	79	73
	Q2	14,504	15,116	3,704	33,324		Q2	55	82	73	67
	Q3	12,377	12,820	3,093	28,290		Q3	50	74	67	61
	Q4	13,570	14,167	3,371	31,108		Q4	57	79	71	67
	Year	13,811	14,466	3,511	31,788		Year	56	81	72	67

### 2.4.3 By gender

Table 26  
Evolution of part time employees receiving IGB by gender

	Men	Women	Total		Men	Women	Total
2007 Q1	9,927	37,443	47,370	2007 Q1	100	100	100
2007 Q2	10,391	39,386	49,777	2007 Q2	100	100	100
2007 Q3	9,583	37,090	46,673	2007 Q3	100	100	100
2007 Q4	9,591	36,652	46,243	2007 Q4	100	100	100
2007 Year	9,873	37,643	47,516	2007 Year	100	100	100
2008 Q1	10,092	39,571	49,663	2008 Q1	102	106	105
2008 Q2	9,998	38,650	48,648	2008 Q2	96	98	98
2008 Q3	9,173	36,720	45,893	2008 Q3	96	99	98
2008 Q4	9,669	38,131	47,801	2008 Q4	101	104	103
2008 Year	9,733	38,268	48,001	2008 Year	99	102	101
2009 Q1	10,531	41,762	52,293	2009 Q1	106	112	110
2009 Q2	10,638	41,115	51,753	2009 Q2	102	104	104
2009 Q3	9,904	38,507	48,411	2009 Q3	103	104	104
2009 Q4	10,468	40,163	50,631	2009 Q4	109	110	109
2009 Year	10,385	40,387	50,772	2009 Year	105	107	107
2010 Q1	11,275	42,803	54,078	2010 Q1	114	114	114
2010 Q2	11,517	42,957	54,474	2010 Q2	111	109	109
2010 Q3	10,265	39,108	49,372	2010 Q3	107	105	106
2010 Q4	11,046	41,451	52,497	2010 Q4	115	113	114
2010 Year	11,026	41,580	52,606	2010 Year	112	110	111
2011 Q1	11,416	43,042	54,457	2011 Q1	115	115	115
2011 Q2	11,252	41,870	53,122	2011 Q2	108	106	107
2011 Q3	10,376	39,522	49,898	2011 Q3	108	107	107
2011 Q4	11,059	41,521	52,580	2011 Q4	115	113	114
2011 Year	11,026	41,489	52,514	2011 Year	112	110	111
2012 Q1	11,027	41,490	52,518	2012 Q1	111	111	111
2012 Q2	11,484	42,605	54,089	2012 Q2	111	108	109
2012 Q3	10,597	39,576	50,173	2012 Q3	111	107	107
2012 Q4	10,606	39,476	50,081	2012 Q4	111	108	108
2012 Year	10,929	40,787	51,715	2012 Year	111	108	109
2013 Q1	11,242	41,377	52,619	2013 Q1	113	111	111
2013 Q2	11,760	42,205	53,964	2013 Q2	113	107	108
2013 Q3	10,570	38,771	49,341	2013 Q3	110	105	106
2013 Q4	11,058	40,078	51,135	2013 Q4	115	109	111
2013 Year	11,157	40,608	51,765	2013 Year	113	108	109
2014 Q1	11,912	42,420	54,332	2014 Q1	120	113	115
2014 Q2	11,683	41,074	52,757	2014 Q2	112	104	106
2014 Q3	10,621	38,238	48,858	2014 Q3	111	103	105
2014 Q4	10,730	37,820	48,550	2014 Q4	112	103	105
2014 Year	11,237	39,888	51,124	2014 Year	114	106	108
2015 Q1	11,363	38,506	49,869	2015 Q1	114	103	105
2015 Q2	10,980	35,996	46,976	2015 Q2	106	91	94
2015 Q3	9,010	30,544	39,554	2015 Q3	94	82	85
2015 Q4	9,895	32,569	42,463	2015 Q4	103	89	92
2015 Year	10,312	34,404	44,716	2015 Year	104	91	94

Table 26 (continued)

		Men	Women	Total			Men	Women	Total
2016	Q1	9,911	32,954	42,865	2016	Q1	100	88	90
	Q2	9,861	31,717	41,578		Q2	95	81	84
	Q3	8,704	28,926	37,630		Q3	91	78	81
	Q4	8,986	29,873	38,858		Q4	94	82	84
	Year	9,365	30,867	40,233		Year	95	82	85
2017	Q1	9,315	30,101	39,416	2017	Q1	94	80	83
	Q2	9,214	29,549	38,763		Q2	89	75	78
	Q3	8,310	27,537	35,847		Q3	87	74	77
	Q4	8,797	28,552	37,349		Q4	92	78	81
	Year	8,909	28,935	37,844		Year	90	77	80
2018	Q1	8,895	28,440	37,335	2018	Q1	90	76	79
	Q2	8,865	28,305	37,170		Q2	85	72	75
	Q3	8,022	25,845	33,867		Q3	84	70	73
	Q4	8,333	26,315	34,648		Q4	87	72	75
	Year	8,529	27,226	35,755		Year	86	72	75
2019	Q1	8,692	27,426	36,118	2019	Q1	88	73	76
	Q2	8,358	25,812	34,169		Q2	80	66	69
	Q3	7,520	23,780	31,300		Q3	78	64	67
	Q4	8,023	24,693	32,716		Q4	84	67	71
	Year	8,148	25,428	33,576		Year	83	68	71
2020	Q1	8,485	25,944	34,429	2020	Q1	85	69	73
	Q2	8,133	25,191	33,324		Q2	78	64	67
	Q3	6,849	21,441	28,290		Q3	71	58	61
	Q4	7,693	23,415	31,108		Q4	80	64	67
	Year	7,790	23,998	31,788		Year	79	64	67

## 2.4.4 By age group

Table 27  
Evolution of part time employees receiving IGB by age  
group

		< 25 years	25-49 years	50 years or more	Total			< 25 years	25-49 years	50 years or more	Total
2007	Q1	2,123	37,431	7,816	47,370	2007	Q1	100	100	100	100
	Q2	2,161	39,338	8,277	49,777		Q2	100	100	100	100
	Q3	1,930	36,633	8,110	46,673		Q3	100	100	100	100
	Q4	1,956	36,176	8,111	46,243		Q4	100	100	100	100
	Year	2,043	37,395	8,079	47,516		Year	100	100	100	100
2008	Q1	2,015	38,744	8,905	49,663	2008	Q1	95	104	114	105
	Q2	1,990	37,718	8,940	48,648		Q2	92	96	108	98
	Q3	1,871	35,301	8,721	45,893		Q3	97	96	108	98
	Q4	2,134	36,541	9,126	47,801		Q4	109	101	113	103
	Year	2,002	37,076	8,923	48,001		Year	98	99	110	101
2009	Q1	2,214	39,776	10,303	52,293	2009	Q1	104	106	132	110
	Q2	2,433	39,002	10,319	51,753		Q2	113	99	125	104
	Q3	2,310	36,114	9,987	48,411		Q3	120	99	123	104
	Q4	2,532	37,706	10,393	50,631		Q4	129	104	128	109
	Year	2,372	38,150	10,250	50,772		Year	116	102	127	107
2010	Q1	2,534	40,151	11,393	54,078	2010	Q1	119	107	146	114
	Q2	2,644	40,287	11,543	54,474		Q2	122	102	139	109
	Q3	2,332	36,282	10,759	49,372		Q3	121	99	133	106
	Q4	2,534	38,448	11,516	52,497		Q4	130	106	142	114
	Year	2,511	38,792	11,303	52,606		Year	123	104	140	111
2011	Q1	2,518	39,725	12,215	54,457	2011	Q1	119	106	156	115
	Q2	2,444	38,550	12,128	53,122		Q2	113	98	147	107
	Q3	2,211	35,809	11,878	49,898		Q3	115	98	146	107
	Q4	2,354	37,723	12,503	52,580		Q4	120	104	154	114
	Year	2,382	37,952	12,181	52,514		Year	117	101	151	111
2012	Q1	2,322	37,516	12,680	52,518	2012	Q1	109	100	162	111
	Q2	2,439	38,376	13,273	54,089		Q2	113	98	160	109
	Q3	2,199	35,285	12,689	50,173		Q3	114	96	156	107
	Q4	2,227	35,088	12,767	50,081		Q4	114	97	157	108
	Year	2,297	36,566	12,852	51,715		Year	112	98	159	109
2013	Q1	2,290	36,640	13,689	52,619	2013	Q1	108	98	175	111
	Q2	2,485	37,457	14,022	53,964		Q2	115	95	169	108
	Q3	2,176	33,903	13,262	49,341		Q3	113	93	164	106
	Q4	2,478	34,899	13,759	51,135		Q4	127	96	170	111
	Year	2,357	35,725	13,683	51,765		Year	115	96	169	109
2014	Q1	2,571	36,824	14,937	54,332	2014	Q1	121	98	191	115
	Q2	2,515	35,627	14,614	52,757		Q2	116	91	177	106
	Q3	2,189	32,669	14,000	48,858		Q3	113	89	173	105
	Q4	2,253	32,400	13,898	48,550		Q4	115	90	171	105
	Year	2,382	34,380	14,362	51,124		Year	117	92	178	108
2015	Q1	2,142	32,915	14,812	49,869	2015	Q1	101	88	190	105
	Q2	1,926	30,968	14,083	46,976		Q2	89	79	170	94
	Q3	1,512	25,730	12,312	39,554		Q3	78	70	152	85
	Q4	1,696	27,507	13,261	42,463		Q4	87	76	163	92
	Year	1,819	29,280	13,617	44,716		Year	89	78	169	94

Table 27 (continued)

		< 25 years	25-49 years	50 years or more	Total			< 25 years	25-49 years	50 years or more	Total
2016	Q1	1,570	27,628	13,666	42,865	2016	Q1	74	74	175	90
	Q2	1,444	26,828	13,306	41,578		Q2	67	68	161	84
	Q3	1,213	23,910	12,507	37,630		Q3	63	65	154	81
	Q4	1,360	24,651	12,847	38,858		Q4	70	68	158	84
	Year	1,397	25,754	13,082	40,233		Year	68	69	162	85
2017	Q1	1,315	24,878	13,224	39,416	2017	Q1	62	66	169	83
	Q2	1,349	24,475	12,939	38,763		Q2	62	62	156	78
	Q3	1,085	22,436	12,326	35,847		Q3	56	61	152	77
	Q4	1,194	23,351	12,804	37,349		Q4	61	65	158	81
	Year	1,236	23,785	12,823	37,844		Year	60	64	159	80
2018	Q1	1,132	23,120	13,083	37,335	2018	Q1	53	62	167	79
	Q2	1,104	22,914	13,152	37,170		Q2	51	58	159	75
	Q3	869	20,717	12,280	33,867		Q3	45	57	151	73
	Q4	954	21,291	12,403	34,648		Q4	49	59	153	75
	Year	1,015	22,011	12,730	35,755		Year	50	59	158	75
2019	Q1	1,002	22,012	13,104	36,118	2019	Q1	47	59	168	76
	Q2	880	20,832	12,458	34,169		Q2	41	53	151	69
	Q3	754	18,868	11,679	31,300		Q3	39	52	144	67
	Q4	844	19,857	12,015	32,716		Q4	43	55	148	71
	Year	870	20,392	12,314	33,576		Year	43	55	152	71
2020	Q1	867	20,725	12,838	34,429	2020	Q1	41	55	164	73
	Q2	853	19,933	12,538	33,324		Q2	39	51	151	67
	Q3	622	16,698	10,970	28,290		Q3	32	46	135	61
	Q4	824	18,402	11,882	31,108		Q4	42	51	146	67
	Year	791	18,940	12,057	31,788		Year	39	51	149	67



## 2.5

### Evolution of employment and training schemes

#### 2.5.1

#### Employment and activation schemes

Table 28  
Evolution of employment and activation schemes

		Transferred competences (federal to regional level)					Non-transferred competences (federal)	Total
		Activa	Social advancement schemes	SINE	Resumption of work allowance	Training benefit	Sheltered workshop	
2007	Q1	35,793	5,717	7,974	3,603	2,932	491	56,509
	Q2	38,636	6,197	8,833	4,367	2,390	516	60,939
	Q3	39,359	4,974	9,075	4,931	2,140	503	60,982
	Q4	39,237	6,104	8,970	5,521	2,967	449	63,249
	Year	38,256	5,748	8,713	4,605	2,607	490	60,420
2008	Q1	41,715	6,120	10,369	6,188	3,108	523	68,022
	Q2	40,590	6,033	10,200	7,164	2,285	481	66,753
	Q3	38,832	4,860	10,124	7,441	2,013	447	63,718
	Q4	37,560	6,011	10,154	7,975	2,920	432	65,052
	Year	39,674	5,756	10,212	7,192	2,581	471	65,886
2009	Q1	38,566	6,138	11,564	8,155	2,726	508	67,656
	Q2	34,890	5,978	10,938	8,625	1,864	524	62,820
	Q3	32,121	4,798	10,787	9,067	1,591	452	58,815
	Q4	31,431	5,859	11,083	10,271	2,272	427	61,342
	Year	34,252	5,693	11,093	9,029	2,113	478	62,658
2010	Q1	30,916	5,770	12,247	11,036	2,378	483	62,831
	Q2	28,197	5,567	11,761	12,533	1,960	435	60,453
	Q3	26,120	4,140	11,168	13,521	1,971	399	57,319
	Q4	25,899	5,374	11,329	15,150	3,021	361	61,135
	Year	27,783	5,213	11,626	13,060	2,333	420	60,434
2011	Q1	25,952	5,319	11,906	15,792	2,788	424	62,181
	Q2	24,903	5,219	11,250	16,969	2,209	356	60,905
	Q3	24,168	3,912	11,234	17,831	2,039	352	59,536
	Q4	24,835	5,150	11,209	18,994	2,900	372	63,459
	Year	24,964	4,900	11,400	17,396	2,484	376	61,520
2012	Q1	24,816	5,027	11,320	19,016	2,400	363	62,942
	Q2	27,998	5,230	11,077	20,448	2,165	374	67,293
	Q3	29,314	4,023	11,043	20,446	2,091	359	67,276
	Q4	30,463	5,104	10,373	20,554	2,610	301	69,405
	Year	28,148	4,846	10,953	20,116	2,316	349	66,729
2013	Q1	31,685	5,131	11,196	20,450	2,802	357	71,621
	Q2	32,388	5,236	11,200	19,838	2,225	355	71,243
	Q3	31,534	3,981	10,740	18,744	2,059	303	67,361
	Q4	33,398	5,089	10,367	18,497	2,744	283	70,378
	Year	32,251	4,859	10,876	19,382	2,458	325	70,151
2014	Q1	34,129	5,022	11,163	17,666	2,856	362	71,198
	Q2	34,782	4,965	10,632	17,387	2,207	300	70,274
	Q3	35,757	3,758	10,683	16,882	1,976	315	69,371
	Q4	35,452	4,886	9,776	16,495	2,584	270	69,464
	Year	35,030	4,658	10,564	17,108	2,406	312	70,077
2015	Q1	37,868	5,018	11,184	15,791	2,946	318	73,126
	Q2	37,755	4,915	10,775	15,413	2,407	307	71,572
	Q3	36,690	3,263	9,973	15,070	2,113	249	67,359
	Q4	38,299	3,670	10,245	15,035	2,866	257	70,372
	Year	37,653	4,217	10,544	15,327	2,583	283	70,607

Table 28 (continued)

		Transferred competences (federal to regional level)					Non-transferred competences (federal)	Total
		Activa	Social advancement schemes	SINE	Resumption of work allowance	Training benefit	Sheltered workshop	
2016	Q1	39,274	3,505	10,939	14,612	3,037	242	71,608
	Q2	37,276	3,521	9,911	14,860	2,448	263	68,279
	Q3	38,887	2,288	10,308	14,608	2,318	217	68,626
	Q4	38,802	3,457	10,118	14,897	3,099	206	70,579
Year		38,560	3,193	10,319	14,744	2,726	232	69,773
2017	Q1	35,896	3,413	10,258	14,425	3,028	237	67,257
	Q2	32,942	3,453	9,991	14,755	2,503	218	63,862
	Q3	31,379	2,288	9,873	14,450	2,241	178	60,409
	Q4	34,209	3,602	9,674	14,587	2,439	164	64,674
Year		33,606	3,189	9,949	14,554	2,553	199	64,051
2018	Q1	33,426	3,518	9,970	14,149	2,247	204	63,514
	Q2	34,475	3,372	9,942	13,212	1,881	192	63,074
	Q3	34,488	2,146	9,278	11,958	1,779	158	59,807
	Q4	34,584	3,248	9,654	11,052	1,223	163	59,923
Year		34,243	3,071	9,711	12,593	1,783	179	61,580
2019	Q1	35,327	2,863	9,898	10,026	539	187	58,841
	Q2	35,620	2,706	9,629	9,286	173	169	57,583
	Q3	34,524	1,593	9,594	8,659	144	145	54,659
	Q4	38,059	2,699	9,289	8,083	158	153	58,441
Year		35,883	2,465	9,602	9,013	254	164	57,381
2020	Q1	35,947	2,330	9,527	7,500	173	195	55,672
	Q2	24,464	2,075	7,645	6,299	121	118	40,722
	Q3	28,308	502	8,234	5,229	81	138	42,492
	Q4	29,386	544	8,384	5,296	97	174	43,880
Year		29,526	1,363	8,448	6,081	118	156	45,692

## 2.5.2 Exemptions

Table 29  
Evolution of exemptions by scheme

		Trainings		Other exemptions		Total
		Vocational training	Recommencing studies	Foreign activity	Activity in LEA or as civic guard	
2007	Q1	25,614	11,529	28	1,307	38,478
	Q2	27,205	10,318	21	1,307	38,851
	Q3	22,185	7,461	27	1,347	31,019
	Q4	25,206	11,683	30	1,350	38,270
	Year	25,053	10,248	27	1,328	36,655
2008	Q1	25,863	12,201	33	1,389	39,486
	Q2	25,420	11,014	24	1,410	37,867
	Q3	20,259	7,294	22	1,457	29,032
	Q4	24,827	9,671	29	1,469	35,997
	Year	24,092	10,045	27	1,431	35,596
2009	Q1	25,857	10,066	28	1,482	37,433
	Q2	26,203	9,116	23	1,443	36,786
	Q3	22,323	7,186	24	1,470	31,003
	Q4	27,899	10,894	25	1,466	40,284
	Year	25,570	9,316	25	1,465	36,376
2010	Q1	28,365	11,504	22	1,471	41,363
	Q2	28,486	10,678	14	1,401	40,579
	Q3	21,828	8,379	19	1,416	31,643
	Q4	26,786	11,828	21	1,412	40,047
	Year	26,366	10,597	19	1,425	38,408
2011	Q1	26,073	12,414	22	1,397	39,907
	Q2	26,591	11,230	12	1,334	39,167
	Q3	21,406	8,920	11	1,373	31,710
	Q4	25,810	12,223	11	1,339	39,382
	Year	24,970	11,197	14	1,361	37,542
2012	Q1	25,437	12,611	13	1,349	39,410
	Q2	27,191	11,469	9	1,333	40,001
	Q3	21,478	9,407	7	1,384	32,277
	Q4	26,463	12,993	14	1,334	40,805
	Year	25,142	11,620	11	1,350	38,123
2013	Q1	26,808	13,587	22	1,341	41,758
	Q2	27,897	12,609	14	1,324	41,843
	Q3	21,956	10,466	16	1,399	33,836
	Q4	27,769	14,430	11	1,414	43,624
	Year	26,108	12,773	16	1,369	40,265
2014	Q1	28,951	14,996	15	1,434	45,396
	Q2	29,012	13,469	15	1,434	43,929
	Q3	23,159	11,483	16	1,496	36,155
	Q4	27,868	15,027	10	1,468	44,373
	Year	27,247	13,744	14	1,458	42,463
2015	Q1	28,172	15,704	12	1,426	45,313
	Q2	27,566	14,376	12	1,375	43,329
	Q3	21,041	11,640	6	1,421	34,109
	Q4	26,298	14,272	7	1,449	42,025
	Year	25,769	13,998	9	1,418	41,194

Table 29 (continued)

		Trainings		Other exemptions		Total
		Vocational training	Recommending studies	Foreign activity	Activity in LEA or as civic guard	
2016	Q1	24,827	13,980	11	1,466	40,284
	Q2	24,434	13,245	7	1,488	39,175
	Q3	19,301	11,215	4	1,646	32,166
	Q4	24,433	13,906	6	1,686	40,031
	Year	23,249	13,086	7	1,572	37,914
2017	Q1	24,383	13,936	6	1,682	40,006
	Q2	25,251	13,086	7	1,721	40,066
	Q3	19,264	10,822	7	1,750	31,843
	Q4	24,512	12,330	6	1,735	38,582
	Year	23,352	12,543	6	1,722	37,624
2018	Q1	25,898	12,309	6	1,725	39,938
	Q2	26,586	11,785	7	1,677	40,055
	Q3	21,706	9,544	6	1,634	32,890
	Q4	27,800	10,627	5	1,623	40,055
	Year	25,497	11,066	6	1,665	38,235
2019	Q1	28,892	10,786	4	1,620	41,302
	Q2	28,701	10,297	4	1,632	40,635
	Q3	23,332	8,339	4	1,608	33,283
	Q4	28,194	9,435	4	1,598	39,230
	Year	27,280	9,714	4	1,614	38,612
2020	Q1	27,728	9,653	7	1,585	38,973
	Q2	24,096	9,303	3	1,497	34,899
	Q3	21,452	8,153	3	1,342	30,950
	Q4	25,256	9,302	4	1,307	35,868
	Year	24,633	9,103	4	1,433	35,173

## 2.5.3

## Evolution of the total of employment and training schemes

Table 30  
Evolution of the total of employment and training schemes

		Employment and activation schemes	Exemptions	Other	Extinct schemes	Total	Employment and activation schemes	Exemptions	Other	Extinct schemes	Total
2007	Q1	56,509	38,478	21	1,183	96,191	100	100	100	100	100
	Q2	60,939	38,851	25	768	100,583	100	100	100	100	100
	Q3	60,982	31,019	20	766	92,788	100	100	100	100	100
	Q4	63,249	38,270	25	3,494	105,038	100	100	100	100	100
	Year	60,420	36,655	23	1,553	98,650	100	100	100	100	100
2008	Q1	68,022	39,486	18	1,028	108,553	120	103	84	87	113
	Q2	66,753	37,867	28	672	105,320	110	97	112	88	105
	Q3	63,718	29,032	22	2,843	95,616	104	94	108	371	103
	Q4	65,052	35,997	26	3,846	104,920	103	94	103	110	100
	Year	65,886	35,596	23	2,098	103,602	109	97	102	135	105
2009	Q1	67,656	37,433	10	1,007	106,106	120	97	49	85	110
	Q2	62,820	36,786	168	758	100,532	103	95	680	99	100
	Q3	58,815	31,003	568	3,663	94,049	96	100	2,792	478	101
	Q4	61,342	40,284	903	3,648	106,177	97	105	3,612	104	101
	Year	62,658	36,376	412	2,269	101,716	104	99	1,812	146	103
2010	Q1	62,831	41,363	1,297	2,795	108,287	111	107	6,178	236	113
	Q2	60,453	40,579	1,440	14,341	116,813	99	104	5,837	1,868	116
	Q3	57,319	31,643	1,322	27,102	117,385	94	102	6,504	3,538	127
	Q4	61,135	40,047	1,305	35,992	138,479	97	105	5,220	1,030	132
	Year	60,434	38,408	1,341	20,057	120,241	100	105	5,895	1,292	122
2011	Q1	62,181	39,907	1,263	43,159	146,510	110	104	6,016	3,648	152
	Q2	60,905	39,167	1,274	48,409	149,755	100	101	5,163	6,306	149
	Q3	59,536	31,710	1,173	54,923	147,342	98	102	5,770	7,170	159
	Q4	63,459	39,382	1,235	58,359	162,435	100	103	4,939	1,670	155
	Year	61,520	37,542	1,236	51,213	151,511	102	102	5,434	3,299	154
2012	Q1	62,942	39,410	1,336	52,244	155,932	111	102	6,363	4,416	162
	Q2	67,293	40,001	1,283	36,036	144,613	110	103	5,202	4,694	144
	Q3	67,276	32,277	1,230	25,348	126,131	110	104	6,052	3,309	136
	Q4	69,405	40,805	1,067	11,218	122,495	110	107	4,268	321	117
	Year	66,729	38,123	1,229	31,212	137,293	110	104	5,403	2,010	139
2013	Q1	71,621	41,758	1,024	2,054	116,457	127	109	4,878	174	121
	Q2	71,243	41,843	1,008	858	114,951	117	108	4,085	112	114
	Q3	67,361	33,836	876	3,823	105,895	110	109	4,307	499	114
	Q4	70,378	43,624	859	3,107	117,969	111	114	3,437	89	112
	Year	70,151	40,265	942	2,460	113,818	116	110	4,140	158	115
2014	Q1	71,198	45,396	910	917	118,422	126	118	4,335	78	123
	Q2	70,274	43,929	874	1,516	116,592	115	113	3,541	197	116
	Q3	69,371	36,155	871	4,906	111,303	114	117	4,284	640	120
	Q4	69,464	44,373	889	3,672	118,398	110	116	3,557	105	113
	Year	70,077	42,463	886	2,753	116,179	116	116	3,895	177	118
2015	Q1	73,126	45,313	851	1,506	120,795	129	118	4,054	127	126
	Q2	71,572	43,329	825	2,155	117,881	117	112	3,343	281	117
	Q3	67,359	34,109	648	5,366	107,481	110	110	3,186	701	116
	Q4	70,372	42,025	653	3,788	116,838	111	110	2,611	108	111
	Year	70,607	41,194	744	3,204	115,749	117	112	3,271	206	117

Table 30 (continued)

		Employment and activation schemes	Exemptions	Other	Extinct schemes	Total	Employment and activation schemes	Exemptions	Other	Extinct schemes	Total
2016	Q1	71,608	40,284	669	1,584	114,145	127	105	3,184	128	119
	Q2	68,279	39,175	693	2,198	110,345	112	101	2,809	262	110
	Q3	68,626	32,166	657	2,393	103,842	113	104	3,230	281	112
	Q4	70,579	40,031	673	1,701	112,983	112	105	2,691	27	105
	Year	69,773	37,914	673	1,969	110,329	115	103	2,957	86	111
2017	Q1	67,257	40,006	682	1,295	109,240	119	104	3,246	104	113
	Q2	63,862	40,066	710	1,596	106,235	105	103	2,879	190	106
	Q3	60,409	31,843	653	1,698	94,602	99	103	3,210	199	102
	Q4	64,674	38,582	607	789	104,652	102	101	2,428	13	97
	Year	64,051	37,624	663	1,345	103,682	106	103	2,914	59	104
2018	Q1	63,514	39,938	532	121	104,104	112	104	2,532	10	108
	Q2	63,074	40,055	520	49	103,699	104	103	2,109	6	103
	Q3	59,807	32,890	471	22	93,190	98	106	2,317	3	100
	Q4	59,923	40,055	480	7	100,464	95	105	1,920	0	93
	Year	61,580	38,235	501	50	100,364	102	104	2,201	2	101
2019	Q1	58,841	41,302	537	17	100,697	104	107	2,556	1	105
	Q2	57,583	40,635	512	35	98,764	94	105	2,075	4	98
	Q3	54,659	33,283	476	6	88,424	90	107	2,343	1	95
	Q4	58,441	39,230	521	1	98,194	92	103	2,085	0	91
	Year	57,381	38,612	512	15	96,520	95	105	2,249	1	97
2020	Q1	55,672	38,973	473	23	95,142	99	101	2,254	2	99
	Q2	40,722	34,899	360	27	76,008	67	90	1,461	3	76
	Q3	42,492	30,950	235	3	73,680	70	100	1,156	0	79
	Q4	43,880	35,868	182	2	79,932	69	94	728	0	74
	Year	45,692	35,173	313	14	81,191	76	96	1,374	1	82

## 2.6

## Evolution of career break, time-credit and thematic leave

Table 31

Evolution of career break, time-credit and thematic leave: benefit recipients

		Carreer break	of which career break for federal entities	of which career break for federised entities	Time credit	Thematical leave	Total			Carreer break	of which career break for federal entities	of which career break for federised entities	Time credit	Thematical leave
2007	Q1	71,457	26,495	44,962	108,930	39,312	219,699	2007	Q1	100	100	100	100	100
	Q2	71,849	26,545	45,305	110,997	39,868	222,714		Q2	100	100	100	100	100
	Q3	71,564	26,463	45,101	112,509	40,530	224,604		Q3	100	100	100	100	100
	Q4	72,256	25,420	46,836	114,234	39,769	226,259		Q4	100	100	100	100	100
	Year	71,781	26,231	45,551	111,668	39,870	223,319		Year	100	100	100	100	100
2008	Q1	72,566	25,615	46,951	117,647	43,681	233,894	2008	Q1	102	97	104	108	111
	Q2	73,045	25,691	47,354	118,985	44,635	236,666		Q2	102	97	105	107	112
	Q3	71,674	25,015	46,659	119,172	44,936	235,782		Q3	100	95	103	106	111
	Q4	72,256	23,969	48,287	119,624	44,491	236,372		Q4	100	94	103	105	112
	Year	72,385	25,073	47,313	118,857	44,436	235,678		Year	101	96	104	106	111
2009	Q1	71,877	23,644	48,232	122,824	48,435	243,135	2009	Q1	101	89	107	113	123
	Q2	72,601	23,797	48,804	127,226	51,630	251,457		Q2	101	90	108	115	130
	Q3	71,870	23,922	47,948	129,829	54,951	256,650		Q3	100	90	106	115	136
	Q4	72,647	23,087	49,561	131,104	54,721	258,473		Q4	101	91	106	115	138
	Year	72,249	23,612	48,636	127,746	52,434	252,429		Year	101	90	107	114	132
2010	Q1	72,053	22,517	49,535	132,058	59,547	263,658	2010	Q1	101	85	110	121	151
	Q2	72,578	22,531	50,047	132,678	61,476	266,733		Q2	101	85	110	120	154
	Q3	71,587	22,534	49,053	131,694	62,670	265,950		Q3	100	85	109	117	155
	Q4	72,616	21,715	50,901	132,844	60,498	265,959		Q4	100	85	109	116	152
	Year	72,208	22,324	49,884	132,318	61,048	265,575		Year	101	85	110	118	153
2011	Q1	71,644	20,781	50,863	134,375	64,222	270,240	2011	Q1	100	78	113	123	163
	Q2	72,253	20,681	51,572	135,540	63,875	271,668		Q2	101	78	114	122	160
	Q3	71,770	20,552	51,218	136,022	63,465	271,257		Q3	100	78	114	121	157
	Q4	74,263	19,779	54,484	137,208	60,523	271,994		Q4	103	78	116	120	152
	Year	72,482	20,448	52,034	135,786	63,021	271,290		Year	101	78	114	122	158
2012	Q1	74,223	19,617	54,606	139,339	63,437	276,998	2012	Q1	104	74	121	128	161
	Q2	74,240	19,204	55,036	137,761	62,126	274,127		Q2	103	72	121	124	156
	Q3	71,810	18,614	53,196	135,077	62,771	269,658		Q3	100	70	118	120	155
	Q4	72,395	17,834	54,561	133,389	61,503	267,287		Q4	100	70	116	117	155
	Year	73,167	18,817	54,350	136,391	62,459	272,018		Year	102	72	119	122	157
2013	Q1	70,453	17,268	53,184	132,981	65,980	269,414	2013	Q1	99	65	118	122	168
	Q2	70,233	17,100	53,133	133,149	66,780	270,162		Q2	98	64	117	120	168
	Q3	68,879	16,875	52,004	132,356	68,454	269,689		Q3	96	64	115	118	169
	Q4	69,737	16,308	53,429	132,425	66,682	268,844		Q4	97	64	114	116	168
	Year	69,826	16,888	52,938	132,728	66,974	269,527		Year	97	64	116	119	168
2014	Q1	68,952	16,048	52,904	133,088	71,442	273,482	2014	Q1	96	61	118	122	182
	Q2	68,717	15,803	52,914	133,564	73,231	275,512		Q2	96	60	117	120	184
	Q3	67,511	15,510	52,001	133,295	75,653	276,459		Q3	94	59	115	118	187
	Q4	69,490	15,013	54,477	138,378	71,881	279,749		Q4	96	59	116	121	181
	Year	68,668	15,594	53,074	134,581	73,052	276,301		Year	96	59	117	121	183
2015	Q1	70,725	16,354	54,371	146,519	73,647	290,891	2015	Q1	99	62	121	135	187
	Q2	70,899	16,532	54,368	145,863	74,234	290,996		Q2	99	62	120	131	186
	Q3	69,878	16,211	53,667	142,505	76,615	288,998		Q3	98	61	119	127	189
	Q4	70,873	15,300	55,573	138,662	72,008	281,543		Q4	98	60	119	121	181
	Year	70,594	16,099	54,495	143,387	74,126	288,107		Year	98	61	120	128	186

Table 31 (continued)

		Carreer break	of which career break for federal entities	of which career break for federised entities	Time credit	Thematical leave	Total			Carreer break	of which career break for federal entities	of which career break for federised entities	Time credit	Thematical leave	Total
2016	Q1	70,025	14,608	55,417	134,285	75,651	279,961	2016	Q1	98	55	123	123	192	127
	Q2	69,769	14,168	55,601	130,573	77,191	277,532		Q2	97	53	123	118	194	125
	Q3	74,297	14,113	60,184	126,647	80,052	280,996		Q3	104	53	133	113	198	125
	Q4	82,524	13,711	68,812	124,929	74,845	282,298		Q4	114	54	147	109	188	125
	Year	74,154	14,150	60,003	129,109	76,935	280,197		Year	103	54	132	116	193	125
2017	Q1	78,932	12,727	66,205	122,012	79,167	280,111	2017	Q1	110	48	147	112	201	127
	Q2	76,676	12,645	64,031	118,791	80,774	276,242		Q2	107	48	141	107	203	124
	Q3	70,569	12,556	58,013	115,815	86,208	272,592		Q3	99	47	129	103	213	121
	Q4	62,755	12,415	50,339	115,070	81,510	259,334		Q4	87	49	107	101	205	115
	Year	72,233	12,586	59,647	117,922	81,915	272,070		Year	101	48	131	106	205	122
2018	Q1	61,516	12,343	49,173	113,921	83,480	258,916	2018	Q1	86	47	109	105	212	118
	Q2	60,006	12,286	47,720	111,873	83,213	255,093		Q2	84	46	105	101	209	115
	Q3	58,127	12,151	45,976	109,420	87,750	255,297		Q3	81	46	101	97	217	114
	Q4	56,989	11,818	45,171	110,382	81,489	248,860		Q4	79	46	100	97	205	110
	Year	59,160	12,149	47,010	111,399	83,983	254,541		Year	82	46	103	100	211	114
2019	Q1	55,543	11,327	44,216	111,973	84,981	252,497	2019	Q1	78	43	98	103	216	115
	Q2	54,423	11,267	43,156	108,664	84,965	248,052		Q2	76	42	95	98	213	111
	Q3	52,814	11,208	41,606	105,290	92,898	251,002		Q3	74	42	92	94	229	112
	Q4	51,925	10,997	40,928	103,642	90,351	245,918		Q4	72	43	87	91	227	109
	Year	53,676	11,200	42,477	107,392	88,299	249,367		Year	75	43	93	96	221	112
2020	Q1	50,545	10,454	40,091	102,012	96,672	249,229	2020	Q1	71	39	89	94	246	113
	Q2	48,120	9,952	38,168	95,027	117,927	261,074		Q2	67	37	84	86	296	117
	Q3	45,396	9,528	35,867	87,821	129,815	263,032		Q3	63	36	80	78	320	117
	Q4	45,153	9,524	35,629	95,140	94,557	234,851		Q4	62	37	76	83	238	104
	Year	47,303	9,865	37,439	95,000	109,743	252,046		Year	66	38	82	85	275	113



## 2.7

## Evolution of measures for the creation of a single statute

Table 32

Evolution of measures for the creation of a single statute

		Physical units				Amounts (in millions of EUR)			
		Crisis bonus	Dismissal benefit	Compensation for dismissal benefit, paid outright	Compensation for dismissal benefit, paid in instalments	Crisis bonus	Dismissal benefit	Compensation for dismissal benefit	Total
2010	Q1	628	-	-	-	683.1	-	-	683.1
	Q2	2,793	-	-	-	9,381.9	-	-	9,381.9
	Q3	2,658	-	-	-	9,206.2	-	-	9,206.2
	Q4	3,436	-	-	-	11,713.5	-	-	11,713.5
	Year	2,379	-	-	-	30,984.8	-	-	30,984.8
2011	Q1	3,763	-	-	-	12,486.9	-	-	12,486.9
	Q2	3,683	-	-	-	12,476.0	-	-	12,476.0
	Q3	2,962	-	-	-	9,927.2	-	-	9,927.2
	Q4	3,689	-	-	-	12,615.8	-	-	12,615.8
	Year	3,524	-	-	-	47,505.9	-	-	47,505.9
2012	Q1	2,923	744	-	-	9,720.5	3,398.9	-	13,119.5
	Q2	728	2,857	-	-	2,267.9	12,774.4	-	15,042.3
	Q3	265	2,712	-	-	747.7	12,385.3	-	13,133.0
	Q4	134	3,102	-	-	381.9	14,456.2	-	14,838.1
	Year	1,012	2,354	-	-	13,118.1	43,014.8	-	56,132.9
2013	Q1	91	4,161	-	-	259.2	19,578.8	-	19,838.0
	Q2	53	4,400	-	-	157.4	21,030.5	-	21,187.9
	Q3	28	3,823	-	-	87.0	18,500.8	-	18,587.7
	Q4	21	4,098	-	-	58.1	19,923.5	-	19,981.6
	Year	48	4,120	-	-	561.6	79,033.6	-	79,595.2
2014	Q1	18	4,716	-	27	61.2	23,184.5	1,413.8	24,659.6
	Q2	11	3,197	2	178	35.3	15,418.2	11,414.4	26,867.9
	Q3	8	2,397	458	181	26.6	11,305.4	13,488.4	24,820.4
	Q4	4	2,236	1,071	155	10.4	10,720.4	14,079.0	24,809.8
	Year	10	3,136	383	135	133.4	60,628.6	40,395.6	101,157.6
2015	Q1	2	2,789	2,333	266	5.6	13,928.8	26,661.9	40,596.2
	Q2	3	2,465	3,079	289	11.8	13,380.4	30,260.1	43,652.3
	Q3	1	2,163	3,201	200	1.8	14,244.0	25,376.4	39,622.2
	Q4	2	1,560	3,013	183	6.7	8,244.8	23,460.9	31,712.4
	Year	2	2,244	2,906	235	25.8	49,798.0	105,759.4	155,583.2

Table 32 (continued)

		Physical units				Amounts (in millions of EUR)					
		Crisis bonus	Dismissal benefit	Compensation for dismissal benefit, paid outright	Compensation for dismissal benefit, paid in instalments			Crisis bonus	Dismissal benefit	Compensation for dismissal benefit	Total
2016	Q1	2	1,640	2,771	241	2016	Q1	5.6	9,022.5	23,654.0	32,682.1
	Q2	1	1,370	2,427	251	2016	Q2	4.4	7,526.9	21,654.1	29,185.4
	Q3	1	906	2,290	268	2016	Q3	2.2	4,944.1	22,283.2	27,229.6
	Q4	0	869	2,115	261	2016	Q4	1.1	4,789.0	20,416.5	25,206.6
	Year	1	1,196	2,401	255	2016	Year	13.3	26,282.5	88,007.8	114,303.6
2017	Q1	0	851	2,429	397	2017	Q1	0.7	4,828.4	25,385.9	30,215.0
	Q2	0	572	2,314	426	2017	Q2	1.6	3,357.3	23,859.7	27,218.6
	Q3	0	316	2,214	477	2017	Q3	1.1	2,045.6	23,499.3	25,545.9
	Q4	1	347	2,213	681	2017	Q4	2.2	2,191.7	29,576.0	31,770.0
	Year	0	521	2,292	495	2017	Year	5.6	12,423.0	102,321.0	114,749.6
2018	Q1	0	339	2,200	557	2018	Q1	1.1	2,068.1	27,964.9	30,034.1
	Q2	0	93	1,841	411	2018	Q2	0.6	642.5	21,386.6	22,029.8
	Q3	-	113	1,619	379	2018	Q3	-	574.5	19,300.5	19,875.1
	Q4	-	15	1,566	447	2018	Q4	-	88.3	19,595.2	19,683.5
	Year	-	140	1,807	449	2018	Year	-	3,373.4	88,247.4	91,622.5
2019	Q1	-	6	1,664	547	2019	Q1	-	38.6	24,461.1	24,499.7
	Q2	-	5	1,485	413	2019	Q2	0.5	21.5	19,509.5	19,531.4
	Q3	-	2	1,401	404	2019	Q3	-	10.0	19,786.9	19,796.9
	Q4	-	1	1,278	381	2019	Q4	-	3.8	17,221.2	17,225.0
	Year	-	3	1,457	436	2019	Year	-	73.9	80,978.7	81,053.0
2020	Q1	-	-	1,411	506	2020	Q1	-	-	23,105.4	23,105.4
	Q2	-	-	1,538	486	2020	Q2	-	-	24,010.9	24,010.9
	Q3	-	1	1,708	514	2020	Q3	-	2.5	26,239.0	26,241.5
	Q4	-	0	1,625	352	2020	Q4	-	1.3	22,036.3	22,037.5
	Year	-	0	1,571	465	2020	Year	-	3.8	95,391.6	95,395.3

## 2.8 International comparison

Table 33  
Evolution of employment in Belgium and in Europe

		EU 27			Euro area			Belgium		
2007	Q1	187,586.7	142,832.6	4,347.8	2007	Q1	100	100	100	
	Q2	190,756.1	144,989.8	4,344.7		Q2	100	100	100	
	Q3	193,053.5	146,519.6	4,385.3		Q3	100	100	100	
	Q4	192,219.2	146,279.6	4,443.3		Q4	100	100	100	
Year		190,903.9	145,155.4	4,380.3	Year		100	100	100	
2008	Q1	191,207.3	145,513.3	4,449.5	2008	Q1	102	102	102	
	Q2	193,343.4	146,721.5	4,414.3		Q2	101	101	102	
	Q3	194,988.7	147,717.9	4,464.6		Q3	101	101	102	
	Q4	193,119.1	146,505.1	4,455.1		Q4	100	100	100	
Year		193,164.6	146,614.5	4,445.9	Year		101	101	101	
2009	Q1	189,241.2	143,590.1	4,418.0	2009	Q1	101	101	102	
	Q2	190,234.1	143,970.7	4,395.7		Q2	100	99	101	
	Q3	190,232.2	143,683.7	4,414.9		Q3	99	98	101	
	Q4	189,025.0	143,398.6	4,454.2		Q4	98	98	100	
Year		189,683.1	143,660.8	4,420.7	Year		99	99	101	
2010	Q1	185,045.6	141,141.4	4,470.0	2010	Q1	99	99	103	
	Q2	187,289.0	142,240.6	4,442.8		Q2	98	98	102	
	Q3	188,200.9	142,767.2	4,488.0		Q3	97	97	102	
	Q4	187,122.3	142,492.2	4,554.1		Q4	97	97	102	
Year		186,914.5	142,160.4	4,488.7	Year		98	98	102	
2011	Q1	185,239.0	141,220.8	4,453.6	2011	Q1	99	99	102	
	Q2	187,519.0	142,826.6	4,543.7		Q2	98	99	105	
	Q3	188,086.5	142,968.9	4,489.2		Q3	97	98	102	
	Q4	186,886.1	142,324.3	4,550.6		Q4	97	97	102	
Year		186,932.7	142,335.2	4,509.3	Year		98	98	103	
2012	Q1	184,569.1	140,646.1	4,502.0	2012	Q1	98	98	104	
	Q2	186,679.9	141,823.9	4,524.8		Q2	98	98	104	
	Q3	187,651.8	142,302.3	4,536.2		Q3	97	97	103	
	Q4	185,967.9	141,236.6	4,532.6		Q4	97	97	102	
Year		186,217.2	141,502.2	4,523.9	Year		98	97	103	
2013	Q1	183,284.2	139,445.0	4,487.4	2013	Q1	98	98	103	
	Q2	185,803.8	140,947.5	4,548.8		Q2	97	97	105	
	Q3	186,906.5	141,548.9	4,558.7		Q3	97	97	104	
	Q4	185,920.7	140,986.8	4,526.3		Q4	97	96	102	
Year		185,478.8	140,732.1	4,530.3	Year		97	97	103	
2014	Q1	185,061.0	140,451.8	4,505.9	2014	Q1	99	98	104	
	Q2	187,676.3	142,180.8	4,543.7		Q2	98	98	105	
	Q3	189,391.6	143,104.1	4,549.3		Q3	98	98	104	
	Q4	188,574.0	142,832.4	4,575.3		Q4	98	98	103	
Year		187,675.7	142,142.3	4,543.6	Year		98	98	104	
2015	Q1	187,060.8	141,927.8	4,558.4	2015	Q1	100	99	105	
	Q2	189,558.5	143,499.3	4,517.9		Q2	99	99	104	
	Q3	191,346.3	144,645.4	4,563.3		Q3	99	99	104	
	Q4	190,905.9	144,586.6	4,566.9		Q4	99	99	103	
Year		189,717.9	143,664.8	4,551.6	Year		99	99	104	

Table 33 (continued)

		EU 28	Euro area	Belgium			EU 28	Euro area	Belgium
2016	Q1	190,125.9	144,450.7	4,532.4	2016	Q1	101	101	104
	Q2	192,610.6	146,069.4	4,555.1		Q2	101	101	105
	Q3	194,136.5	147,244.8	4,575.1		Q3	101	100	104
	Q4	193,556.4	146,961.9	4,684.2		Q4	101	100	105
	Year	192,607.4	146,181.7	4,586.7		Year	101	101	105
2017	Q1	192,596.4	146,253.0	4,570.5	2017	Q1	103	102	105
	Q2	195,823.0	148,164.7	4,611.8		Q2	103	102	106
	Q3	197,438.6	149,604.9	4,650.3		Q3	102	102	106
	Q4	196,605.1	149,339.6	4,718.5		Q4	102	102	106
	Year	195,615.8	148,340.6	4,637.8		Year	102	102	106
2018	Q1	195,507.5	148,466.0	4,715.1	2018	Q1	104	104	108
	Q2	198,134.0	150,185.9	4,698.0		Q2	104	104	108
	Q3	199,606.2	151,437.7	4,795.1		Q3	103	103	109
	Q4	198,644.1	151,110.2	4,812.4		Q4	103	103	108
	Year	197,973.0	150,300.0	4,755.2		Year	104	104	109
2019	Q1	197,758.6	150,494.9	4,769.1	2019	Q1	105	105	110
	Q2	200,103.2	152,034.2	4,854.5		Q2	105	105	112
	Q3	200,979.3	152,666.4	4,863.8		Q3	104	104	111
	Q4	201,004.7	153,137.1	4,840.7		Q4	105	105	109
	Year	199,961.5	152,083.2	4,832.0		Year	105	105	110
2020	Q1	198,433.9	151,069.4	4,827.0	2020	Q1	106	106	111
	Q2	195,345.1	148,323.6	4,764.7		Q2	102	102	110
	Q3	197,517.5	149,931.9	4,826.4		Q3	102	102	110

Source: Eurostat – Total employment of residing population  
(in thousands) - 15 years or older - LFS (lfsq\_egaps)

Table 34  
Evolution of inactivity rates in Belgium and in Europe

		EU 27	Euro area	Belgium
2007	Q1	30.9	29.7	32.9
	Q2	30.5	29.4	33.3
	Q3	30.0	28.9	33.0
	Q4	30.3	29.1	32.5
	Year	30.4	29.3	32.9
2008	Q1	30.5	29.2	32.7
	Q2	30.0	28.8	33.7
	Q3	29.7	28.6	32.1
	Q4	30.0	28.7	33.0
	Year	30.1	28.8	32.9
2009	Q1	30.2	28.9	32.9
	Q2	29.8	28.7	33.6
	Q3	29.7	28.8	33.1
	Q4	29.9	28.7	32.7
	Year	29.9	28.8	33.1
2010	Q1	29.9	28.8	32.3
	Q2	29.6	28.7	33.1
	Q3	29.5	28.7	32.1
	Q4	29.7	28.6	31.9
	Year	29.7	28.7	32.4
2011	Q1	29.9	28.8	34.0
	Q2	29.5	28.6	33.1
	Q3	29.4	28.5	33.1
	Q4	29.3	28.3	33.0
	Year	29.5	28.6	33.3
2012	Q1	29.5	28.4	33.7
	Q2	29.0	28.0	33.5
	Q3	28.7	27.9	32.6
	Q4	28.8	27.8	32.5
	Year	29.0	28.0	33.1
2013	Q1	29.0	28.0	33.0
	Q2	28.6	27.8	32.5
	Q3	28.5	27.8	31.7
	Q4	28.6	27.7	32.6
	Year	28.7	27.8	32.5
2014	Q1	28.7	27.9	32.6
	Q2	28.5	27.8	32.5
	Q3	28.1	27.6	32.1
	Q4	28.1	27.4	32.0
	Year	28.4	27.7	32.3
2015	Q1	28.5	27.7	32.1
	Q2	28.1	27.6	33.0
	Q3	27.9	27.5	32.3
	Q4	27.9	27.3	32.3
	Year	28.1	27.5	32.4

Table 34 (continued)

		EU 27	Euro area	Belgium
2016	Q1	28.2	27.5	32.8
	Q2	27.7	27.2	32.6
	Q3	27.5	27.0	32.5
	Q4	27.6	27.0	31.6
	Year	27.8	27.2	32.4
2017	Q1	27.8	27.3	32.5
	Q2	27.2	27.0	32.4
	Q3	27.0	26.7	31.6
	Q4	27.1	26.7	31.4
	Year	27.3	26.9	32.0
2018	Q1	27.4	26.9	31.9
	Q2	26.9	26.6	32.1
	Q3	26.6	26.5	30.8
	Q4	26.8	26.5	30.8
	Year	26.9	26.6	31.4
2019	Q1	27.0	26.6	31.6
	Q2	26.6	26.4	30.7
	Q3	26.4	26.3	30.4
	Q4	26.5	26.2	31.1
	Year	26.6	26.4	31.0
2020	Q1	27.0	26.8	31.4
	Q2	28.2	28.4	32.4
	Q3	26.6	26.6	30.4

Source: Eurostat – Inactivity rates as a part of the intire pop-  
ulation - 15-64 years - LFS (lfsq\_ipga)

