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Setup for Importing the Anonymised Quarterly Data Sets for 1983-2011

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I. Overview

The following information will help you to import the EU-LFS 1983-2011 quarterly data. The data you received from Eurostat are formatted as comma separated values (csv). With the routines provided by GESIS's German Microdata Lab, these data can be converted into SPSS.

The routines to convert the data into SPSS consist of a year-specific setup and a universal label syntax:

Setup for 2011 quarterly data:	Setup_EULFS_2011_q.sps
Setup for 2009-2010 quarterly data:	Setup_EULFS_2009-2010_q.sps
Setup for 2006-2008 quarterly data:	Setup_EULFS_2006-2008_q.sps
Setup for 2002-2005 quarterly data:	Setup_EULFS_2002-2005_q.sps
Setup for 1998-2001 quarterly data:	Setup_EULFS_1998-2001_q.sps
Setup for 1983-1997 quarterly data:	Setup_EULFS_1983-1997_q.sps
Labels for all data:	Labels_EULFS_1983-2011.sps

The routines achieve the following objectives:

- Transformation of EU-LFS quarterly data from csv into sav (SPSS)
- Recoding of alphanumeric variables into numeric variables
- Recoding of missing values
- Definition of variable and value labels (by executing the label syntax)

For a first check of the converted data, you can compare the number of cases per country with the number of cases listed in table 1 to 29. Consistent numbers indicate that the execution of the setup was successful.

II. Explanatory notes on the recoding of alphanumeric variables into numeric variables

- HHNUM, QHHNUM, REGION, REGIONW

These variables have a large amount of values. Thus they remain alphanumeric.

- YEARESID

The alphanumerically coded 5-year groups (11-14, 15-19 etc.) are recoded into numeric codes in line with the standard aggregation of AGE. In Malta, the grouping differs slightly from the other countries (see User Guide 2012, p. 65), however this is documented in the appropriate value labels.

Until 2007, there is only one group for "more than 10 years".

- COUNTRYW

Numeric 2-digit codes are assigned for European countries. These codes display the alphabetical order of the country as given by the ISO codes (e.g. 06 for BG representing Bulgaria). The alphanumeric codes in the EU-LFS differ from the ISO codes with regard to the United Kingdom (UK instead of GB) and – from 2012 on – to Greece (EL instead of GR). For these countries, the numeric codes are assigned in accordance with the codes used in the EU-LFS (e.g. 50 for UK representing United Kingdom). Note that there are codes for clusters of European countries as well (e.g. 110 for EU15). These codes were used until 2005.

Numeric 4-digit codes are assigned for countries outside Europe. The first two digits indicate the region, according to the country codification from 2011 (e.g. 05 for North Africa).¹ The last two digits display the alphabetical order of the country in the corresponding region as given by the ISO codes (e.g. 02 for EG representing Egypt, so that the whole code for Egypt is 0502).²

In Malta and Slovenia, the coding of COUNTRYW in the raw data differs from the other countries (see User Guide 2012, p. 65). Thus the recoding within the Setup is different as well.

¹http://circa.europa.eu/irc/dsis/employment/info/data/eu_lfs/LFS_MAIN/Coding_lists_explanatory_notes_and_classifications/Country_codification_from_2011_onwards.pdf

²http://www.iso.org/iso/country_codes/iso_3166_code_lists/country_names_and_code_elements.htm

III. Explanatory notes on the recoding of missing values

Coding standard for missing values:

- 1 for "No answer"
- 2 for "Not applicable"
- 3 for "Not available"
- 4 for "Not specified"
- 9 for "Otherwise" in exceptional cases (only LEAVCLAS)

In SPSS these missing values are declared as user-missing values.

The Code -3 for "Not available" is assigned, if a variable has no valid cases in a country. Some of these variables have only system-missings (i.e. blanks) in the raw data of the respective country, others have only cases with "No answer" and/or "Not applicable".

Specifics and exceptions:

– NATIONAL, COUNTRYB

The code -1 includes not only cases without a valid answer, but also suppressed cases, cases with the original code "Other and Stateless", and in some countries certain other cases (see User Guide 2012, p. 69).

IV. Explanatory notes on specific recoding, renaming and label definitions

– REGION, REGIONW

The values of these variables have country-specific meanings (according to the NUTS classification).³ Thus they remain unlabelled.

– ISCO3D, ISCOPR3D

Due to a revision of the International Standard Classification of Occupations, which becomes effective in the LFS data from 2011 onwards, the ISCO-variables coded on the 3-digit-level are renamed.

Until 2010, where ISCO-88 COM is used:

- ISCO3D is renamed into ISCO3D_88
- ISCOPR3D is renamed into ISCOPR3D_88

From 2011 onwards, where ISCO-08 is used:

- ISCO3D is renamed into ISCO3D_08
- ISCOPR3D is renamed into ISCOPR3D_08

The ISCO-variables coded on the 1-digit-level (ISCO1D, ISCOPR1D) are not affected by the revision. Thus they remain unchanged.

³http://circa.europa.eu/irc/dsis/employment/info/data/eu_lfs/LFS_MAIN/Coding_lists_explanatory_notes_and_classifications/NUTS_2006_from_2007_onwards.pdf

V. Notes on irregularities not mentioned in the User Guide

2011 data:

– COEFF

There are cases with a weighting factor of zero in France, Germany, the Netherlands and Poland. There are system-missings in Denmark and Finland. The origin of these missings is unclear.

– INTWEEK, SIGNISAL

These variables contain system-missings in some countries. The origin of these missings is unclear.

2010 data:

– COEFF

There are cases with a weighting factor of zero in France, Germany and Poland. There are system-missings in Denmark and Finland. The origin of these missings is unclear.

– HHSEQNUM, INTWEEK

These variables contain system-missings in some countries. The origin of these missings is unclear.

– YEARESID, AGERESID

There are only blanks in Iceland for persons who have not been born in Iceland. Thus there are only two categories (0 "Born in the country" and -1 "No answer").

– ISCO3D_88, ISCOPR3D_88

A number of cases belonging to the category "armed forces" had been coded incorrectly in the 3-digit ISCO code. This became obvious while crosstabulating the 1-digit with the 3-digit ISCO code. Thus these cases have been recoded.

2009 data:

– COEFF

There are cases with a weighting factor of zero in France, Germany and Poland. There are system-missings in Finland. The origin of these missings is unclear.

– HHSEQNUM, INTWEEK, INTWAVE, DEGURBA, NOWKREAS

These variables contain system-missings in some countries. The origin of these missings is unclear.

– DEGURBA

In Switzerland all cases have the value 2 for "Intermediate area".

– YEARESID, AGERESID

There are only blanks in Iceland for persons who have not been born in Iceland. Thus there are only two categories (0 "Born in the country" and -1 "No answer").

– ISCO3D_88, ISCOPR3D_88

A number of cases belonging to the category "armed forces" had been coded incorrectly in the 3-digit ISCO code. This became obvious while crosstabulating the 1-digit with the 3-digit ISCO code. Thus these cases have been recoded.

2008 data:

- COEFF

There are cases with a weighting factor of zero in France and Poland. There are system-missings in in Finland. The origin of these missings is unclear.

- HHSEQNUM, INTWEEK, INTWAVE, DEGURBA, NOWKREAS

These variables contain system-missings in some countries. The origin of these missings is unclear.

- AGERESID, YEARESID

There are only blanks in Iceland for persons who have not been born in Iceland. Thus there are only two categories (0 "Born in the country" and -1 "No answer").

2007 data:

- COEFF

There are cases with a weighting factor of zero in France, Germany and Poland. There are system-missings in Finland and Greece. The origin of these missings is unclear.

- HHSEQNUM, INTWEEK, INTWAVE, DEGURBA

These variables contain system-missings in some countries. The origin of these missings is unclear.

2006 data:

- COEFF

There are cases with a weighting factor of zero in France, Germany and Poland. There are system-missings in Belgium and Finland. The origin of these missings is unclear.

- HHSEQNUM, INTWEEK, INTWAVE, DEGURBA

These variables contain system-missings in some countries. The origin of these missings is unclear.

2005 data:

- COEFF

There are cases with a weighting factor of zero in France, Germany, Latvia and Poland. There are system-missings in Belgium and Finland. The origin of these missings is unclear.

- HHSEQNUM, INTWEEK, INTWAVE, DEGURBA, METHODDA – METHODDM

These variables contain system-missings in some countries. The origin of these missings is unclear.

- Data of Greece (gr2005q1)

There are seven cases with defective raw data. Due to a supernumerary comma for the variable COURLEN in the raw data, the values of all following variables are mismatched.

To exclude these cases from the analysis, they can be identified as follows:

QHHNUM=Q127618 and HHSEQNUM=1, QHHNUM=Q129362 and HHSEQNUM=4,

QHHNUM=Q133061 and HHSEQNUM=1, QHHNUM=Q152286 and HHSEQNUM=3,

QHHNUM=Q155861 and HHSEQNUM=3, QHHNUM=Q155861 and HHSEQNUM=4,

QHHNUM=Q157989 and HHSEQNUM=4.

2004 data:

– COEFF

There are cases with a weighting factor of zero in France, Germany and Poland. There are system-missings in Finland. The origin of these missings is unclear.

– HHSEQNUM, INTWEEK, INTWAVE, DEGURBA, METHODDA – METHODDM

These variables contain system-missings in some countries. The origin of these missings is unclear.

2003 data:

– COEFF

There are cases with a weighting factor of zero in France and Poland. There are system-missings in Finland. The origin of these missings is unclear.

– HHSEQNUM, INTWEEK, INTWAVE, DEGURBA, METHODDA – METHODDM

These variables contain system-missings in some countries. The origin of these missings is unclear.

2002 data:

– COEFF

There are cases with a weighting factor of zero in Denmark and Poland. There are system-missings in United Kingdom. The origin of these missings is unclear.

– HHSEQNUM, INTWEEK, INTWAVE, DEGURBA, METHODDA – METHODDM

These variables contain system-missings in some countries. The origin of these missings is unclear.

2001 data:

– COEFF

There are cases with a weighting factor of zero in the Netherlands and Poland.

– HHSEQNUM, INTWEEK, INTWAVE, DEGURBA, METHODDA – METHODDM

These variables contain system-missings in some countries. The origin of these missings is unclear.

2000 data:

– COEFF

There are cases with a weighting factor of zero in Romania.

– HHSEQNUM, INTWEEK, INTWAVE, DEGURBA, WSTATOR, METHODDA – METHODDM

These variables contain system-missings in some countries. The origin of these missings is unclear.

1999 data:

– HHSEQNUM, INTWEEK, INTWAVE, DEGURBA, METHODDA – METHODDM

These variables contain system-missings in some countries. The origin of these missings is unclear.

– COURLEN

In Ireland, in the third quarter, all cases are coded with 9. As the variable is not available until 2003, these cases have been recoded to -3.

– HATLEVEL

In Ireland, in the third quarter, there are only invalid one-digit codes. An unambiguous matching to the valid two-digit codes is not possible. Therefore the invalid codes remain (unlabelled). It seems likely that code 1 is equal to code 10, code 2 is equal to code 21 and code 6 is equal to code 60. Code 3 might be equal to either code 32, code 33 or code 35. Code 5 might be equal to code 51 or code 52. Code 9 should be equal to code -2.

– ILOSTAT

In Cyprus there are no cases with value 2 for "Unemployed" and no cases with value 3 for "Inactive". Instead, there are a lot of cases with system-missing. The origin of these missings is unclear.

1998 data:

– COEFF

There are cases with a weighting factor of zero in Hungary.

– HHSEQNUM, INTWEEK, INTWAVE, DEGURBA, METHODDA – METHODDM

These variables contain system-missings in some countries. The origin of these missings is unclear.

1997 data:

– DEGURBA

This variable contains system-missings in some countries. The origin of these missings is unclear.

– ISCO3D_88, ISCOPR3D_88

There is a small number of cases with invalid codes (e.g. 249, 299 or 515) in some countries. The meaning of these codes is unclear. Thus they remain unlabelled.

– REM

In Spain and Portugal there are a few cases with the invalid code 13. The meaning of this code is unclear. Thus it remains unlabelled.

1996 data:

– DEGURBA

This variable contains system-missings in some countries. The origin of these missings is unclear.

– ISCOPR3D_88

There is a small number of cases with invalid codes (e.g. 299, 349 or 799) in some countries. The meaning of these codes is unclear. Thus they remain unlabelled.

– REM

In Spain and Portugal there are a few cases with the invalid code 13. The meaning of this code is unclear. Thus it remains unlabelled.

– YEARPR, LEAVTIME

In Slovenia, there are a few cases with invalid codes (e.g. 193 for YEARPR or 21647 for LEAVTIME). The meaning of these codes is unclear. Thus they remain unlabelled.

1995 data:

– COEFF

There is one system-missing in Sweden. The origin of this missing is unclear.

– DEGURBA

This variable contains system-missings in some countries. The origin of these missings is unclear.

– ISCOPR3D_88

There is a small number of cases with the invalid code 799 in Denmark. The meaning of this code is unclear. Thus it remains unlabelled.

1994 data:

– ISCOPR3D_88

There is a small number of cases with invalid codes (e.g. 299 or 799) in some countries. The meaning of these codes is unclear. Thus they remain unlabelled.

1993 data:

– COEFF

There are cases with a weighting factor of zero in Denmark.

– ISCO3D_88, ISCOPR3D_88

There is a small number of cases with invalid codes (e.g. 219, 515 or 819) in some countries. The meaning of these codes is unclear. Thus they remain unlabelled.

1992 data:

– COEFF

There are cases with a weighting factor of zero in Denmark.

– ISCO3D_88, ISCOPR3D_88

There is a small number of cases with invalid codes (e.g. 515, 799 or 899) in some countries. The meaning of these codes is unclear. Thus they remain unlabelled.

1991 data:

– COEFF

There are cases with a weighting factor of zero in Denmark, Luxembourg and in United Kingdom.

– REFWEEK

This variable contains system-missings in some countries. The origin of these missings is unclear.

1990 data:

– COEFF

There are cases with a weighting factor of zero in Denmark, Luxembourg and in United Kingdom.

1989 data:

– COEFF

There are cases with a weighting factor of zero in Denmark, Luxembourg and in United Kingdom.

– REFWEEK

This variable contains system-missings in some countries. The origin of these missings is unclear.

1988 data:

– COEFF

There are cases with a weighting factor of zero in Denmark, Luxembourg and in United Kingdom.

– REFWEEK

This variable contains system-missings in some countries. The origin of these missings is unclear.

1987 data:

– COEFF

There are cases with a weighting factor of zero in Italy, Luxembourg and in United Kingdom.

– REFWEEK

This variable contains system-missings in some countries. The origin of these missings is unclear.

1986 data:

– COEFF

There are cases with a weighting factor of zero in Italy, Luxembourg and in United Kingdom.

– REFWEEK

This variable contains system-missings in some countries. The origin of these missings is unclear.

1985 data:

– COEFF

There are cases with a weighting factor of zero in Italy, Luxembourg and in United Kingdom.

– REFWEEK

This variable contains system-missings in some countries. The origin of these missings is unclear.

1984 data:

– COEFF

There are cases with a weighting factor of zero in Luxembourg and in United Kingdom.

– REFWEEK

This variable contains system-missings in some countries. The origin of these missings is unclear.

1983 data:

– COEFF

There are cases with a weighting factor of zero in Denmark and in United Kingdom.

– REFWEEK

This variable contains system-missings in some countries. The origin of these missings is unclear.

VI. Classifications

– ISCED classification (EDUCLEVEL, HATLEVEL):

http://circa.europa.eu/irc/dsis/employment/info/data/eu_lfs/LFS_MAIN/Related_documents/ISCED_EN.htm

– other classifications used in the EU LFS:

http://circa.europa.eu/irc/dsis/employment/info/data/eu_lfs/LFS_MAIN/Coding_lists_explanatory_notes_and_classifications/Index_EU_LFS_coding_lists_explanatory_notes_and_classifications.htm

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Table 1: Number of cases per country in the EU-Labour Force Survey 2011, quarterly data^a

Country	N (without selection)			
	Quarter 1	Quarter 2	Quarter 3	Quarter 4
01 AT Austria	45.629	45.118	45.248	44.852
02 BE Belgium	25.671	22.937	23.559	23.773
03 BG Bulgaria	32.620	31.964	31.480	31.520
04 CH Switzerland	34.929	34.955	34.707	34.894
05 CY Cyprus	10.953	10.974	10.803	10.792
06 CZ Czech Republic	58.410	58.268	57.804	57.558
07 DE Germany	115.673	123.949	119.665	126.943
08 DK Denmark	34.727	34.914	35.042	35.855
09 EE Estonia	5.272	5.336	5.421	5.610
10 ES Spain	171.487	170.966	168.979	167.161
11 FI Finland	36.203	36.253	36.070	35.778
12 FR France	129.577	129.247	126.638	131.656
13 GR Greece	69.556	70.755	66.099	65.360
14 HU Hungary	70.535	70.788	71.281	70.136
15 IE Ireland	57.169	59.369	56.262	55.420
16 IS Iceland	3.129	3.124	3.209	3.268
17 IT Italy	167.800	163.578	161.086	165.105
18 LT Lithuania	16.647	16.531	16.237	15.751
19 LU Luxembourg	5.834	4.877	4.447	4.784
20 LV Latvia	9.295	8.727	9.154	8.680
21 MT Malta	6.036	5.972	6.059	5.909
22 NL Netherlands	102.042	104.398	104.295	105.930
23 NO Norway	20.807	20.475	20.120	19.558
24 PL Poland	103.438	104.760	105.609	107.326
25 PT Portugal	39.884	40.077	39.365	40.410
26 RO Romania	62.116	60.380	59.305	59.881
27 SE Sweden	64.118	63.000	62.862	62.662
28 SI Slovenia	15.823	15.470	15.386	15.209
29 SK Slovak Republic	26.446	26.203	25.919	25.706
30 UK United Kingdom	99.793	98.412	98.671	100.258
Σ	1.641.619	1.641.777	1.620.782	1.637.745

^a see also "datafileinfo_quar_2009-2011.csv" on the DVD you received from Eurostat

Table 2: Number of cases per country in the EU-Labour Force Survey 2010, quarterly data^a

Country	N (without selection)			
	Quarter 1	Quarter 2	Quarter 3	Quarter 4
01 AT Austria	45.318	44.989	46.002	45.845
02 BE Belgium	26.164	24.476	25.777	26.056
03 BG Bulgaria	34.386	33.432	32.970	33.892
04 CH Switzerland	32.769	32.287	31.477	32.614
05 CY Cyprus	10.740	10.958	10.947	11.017
06 CZ Czech Republic	58.780	58.633	58.601	58.205
07 DE Germany	120.550	121.363	120.732	126.594
08 DK Denmark	32.742	33.280	34.427	32.574
09 EE Estonia	4.998	5.000	5.030	5.037
10 ES Spain	175.030	172.320	170.922	170.932
11 FI Finland	37.568	36.551	36.816	36.745
12 FR France	122.192	127.477	123.584	127.209
13 GR Greece	75.754	76.594	75.336	74.452
14 HU Hungary	70.601	70.625	71.156	70.553
15 IE Ireland	63.334	64.822	58.671	59.511
16 IS Iceland	3.108	3.097	3.130	3.156
17 IT Italy	169.484	165.842	162.666	164.994
18 LT Lithuania	16.867	17.044	16.512	16.444
19 LU Luxembourg	4.279	5.049	4.411	5.042
20 LV Latvia	9.556	9.111	9.424	9.342
21 MT Malta	6.914	6.416	6.302	6.557
22 NL Netherlands	103.000	92.472	90.424	97.309
23 NO Norway	20.318	19.853	20.604	20.663
24 PL Poland	103.033	103.817	103.388	103.883
25 PT Portugal	40.888	40.139	39.772	40.369
26 RO Romania	61.063	60.009	60.528	62.153
27 SE Sweden	66.200	65.213	64.759	64.081
28 SI Slovenia	16.390	15.894	16.102	16.213
29 SK Slovak Republic	26.037	26.057	26.245	26.346
30 UK United Kingdom	110.817	111.177	102.027	101.001
Σ	1.668.880	1.653.997	1.628.742	1.648.789

^a see also "datafileinfo_quar_2009-2011.csv" on the DVD you received from Eurostat

Table 3: Number of cases per country in the EU-Labour Force Survey 2009, quarterly data^a

Country	N (without selection)			
	Quarter 1	Quarter 2	Quarter 3	Quarter 4
01 AT Austria	46.957	46.328	46.424	45.533
02 BE Belgium	27.407	24.615	25.659	26.714
03 BG Bulgaria	34.899	34.772	34.703	34.354
04 CH Switzerland	-	49.390	-	-
05 CY Cyprus	10.257	10.182	10.482	10.501
06 CZ Czech Republic	58.919	58.322	58.801	59.077
07 DE Germany	120.471	113.677	114.667	140.640
08 DK Denmark	29.432	29.476	29.866	29.958
09 EE Estonia	5.203	4.745	5.011	4.897
10 ES Spain	166.436	166.399	175.335	175.682
11 FI Finland	38.254	37.197	37.546	37.803
12 FR France	95.008	101.754	105.195	115.174
13 GR Greece	74.051	74.293	74.256	74.860
14 HU Hungary	72.108	72.275	72.936	71.730
15 IE Ireland	70.488	70.941	66.647	65.054
16 IS Iceland	3.101	3.082	3.080	3.107
17 IT Italy	170.270	164.242	156.394	168.655
18 LT Lithuania	16.559	16.266	16.735	17.243
19 LU Luxembourg	3.719	4.875	4.903	5.732
20 LV Latvia	10.372	10.183	9.997	9.872
21 MT Malta	7.101	7.063	6.197	6.040
22 NL Netherlands	100.308	103.938	100.809	99.640
23 NO Norway	21.037	20.781	20.584	20.618
24 PL Poland	53.077	53.233	53.078	53.032
25 PT Portugal	41.877	41.378	40.881	40.828
26 RO Romania	59.179	59.093	59.904	61.250
27 SE Sweden	51.222	50.445	49.873	49.796
28 SI Slovenia	16.496	16.121	16.666	16.636
29 SK Slovak Republic	26.780	26.324	26.026	25.884
30 UK United Kingdom	116.512	114.307	112.784	110.511
Σ	1.547.500	1.585.697	1.535.439	1.580.821

^a see also "datafileinfo_quar_2009-2011.csv" on the DVD you received from Eurostat

Table 4: Number of cases per country in the EU-Labour Force Survey 2008, quarterly data^a

Country	N (without selection)			
	Quarter 1	Quarter 2	Quarter 3	Quarter 4
01 AT Austria	49.570	48.683	48.338	47.479
02 BE Belgium	28.189	25.244	25.914	26.257
03 BG Bulgaria	34.427	33.265	33.752	34.353
04 CH Switzerland	-	47.899	-	-
05 CY Cyprus	9.862	10.094	10.268	10.156
06 CZ Czech Republic	61.634	60.686	60.191	59.423
07 DE Germany	109.774	115.476	123.633	136.031
08 DK Denmark	28.854	28.748	29.125	28.781
09 EE Estonia	5.844	5.514	5.546	5.338
10 ES Spain	167.350	168.098	166.647	166.699
11 FI Finland	39.059	38.228	38.318	38.600
12 FR France	89.377	87.538	84.777	86.870
13 GR Greece	74.071	73.613	73.118	72.816
14 HU Hungary	72.862	73.125	73.045	71.399
15 IE Ireland	75.022	74.368	69.235	68.762
16 IS Iceland	3.085	3.053	3.115	3.103
17 IT Italy	174.883	169.775	162.729	164.552
18 LT Lithuania	13.951	15.441	15.637	16.747
19 LU Luxembourg	2.791	4.367	3.789	3.341
20 LV Latvia	9.890	9.408	9.554	9.745
21 MT Malta	-	-	-	-
22 NL Netherlands	106.487	106.587	106.157	109.192
23 NO Norway	20.510	20.102	20.470	20.887
24 PL Poland	51.765	51.955	51.114	52.059
25 PT Portugal	42.226	42.197	41.599	41.948
26 RO Romania	61.625	60.623	59.543	58.994
27 SE Sweden	51.395	51.361	51.291	51.215
28 SI Slovenia	16.901	16.294	16.188	16.217
29 SK Slovak Republic	27.637	27.559	27.368	27.276
30 UK United Kingdom	119.605	118.386	116.222	117.373
Σ	1.548.646	1.587.687	1.526.683	1.545.613

^a see also "datafileinfo_quar_2006-2008.csv" on the DVD you received from Eurostat

Table 5: Number of cases per country in the EU-Labour Force Survey 2007, quarterly data^a

Country	N (without selection)			
	Quarter 1	Quarter 2	Quarter 3	Quarter 4
01 AT Austria	50.761	50.433	50.314	50.263
02 BE Belgium	28.143	26.578	28.336	28.921
03 BG Bulgaria	33.545	32.774	32.182	32.463
04 CH Switzerland	-	48.485	-	-
05 CY Cyprus	9.507	9.482	9.765	9.708
06 CZ Czech Republic	63.641	62.978	62.136	61.847
07 DE Germany	99.375	123.559	123.876	137.027
08 DK Denmark	28.495	30.514	30.570	28.417
09 EE Estonia	5.626	5.823	5.942	5.951
10 ES Spain	164.935	166.674	165.687	166.260
11 FI Finland	38.590	37.858	37.922	38.491
12 FR France	88.855	88.810	85.295	87.782
13 GR Greece	74.597	74.130	73.863	73.793
14 HU Hungary	77.286	77.162	76.551	74.049
15 IE Ireland	79.108	85.133	75.937	80.328
16 IS Iceland	3.165	3.083	3.095	3.092
17 IT Italy	174.362	171.496	165.699	166.189
18 LT Lithuania	14.681	17.511	16.786	14.044
19 LU Luxembourg	5.074	5.335	5.685	5.084
20 LV Latvia	9.623	9.091	9.152	9.956
21 MT Malta	-	-	-	-
22 NL Netherlands	110.174	109.153	107.343	107.787
23 NO Norway	21.023	20.915	21.075	21.098
24 PL Poland	53.059	51.940	50.916	50.960
25 PT Portugal	44.164	43.162	42.529	42.105
26 RO Romania	63.580	62.860	61.819	61.262
27 SE Sweden	52.469	51.806	52.006	51.777
28 SI Slovenia	17.632	17.011	16.618	16.616
29 SK Slovak Republic	27.710	27.698	27.536	27.433
30 UK United Kingdom	120.156	120.379	119.604	119.243
Σ	1.559.336	1.631.833	1.558.239	1.571.946

^a see also "datafileinfo_quar_2006-2008.csv" on the DVD you received from Eurostat

Table 6: Number of cases per country in the EU-Labour Force Survey 2006, quarterly data^a

Country	N (without selection)			
	Quarter 1	Quarter 2	Quarter 3	Quarter 4
01 AT Austria	51.152	50.237	49.577	50.117
02 BE Belgium	30.062	27.843	28.145	28.228
03 BG Bulgaria	34.571	33.211	32.718	33.798
04 CH Switzerland	-	48.262	-	-
05 CY Cyprus	9.577	9.526	9.567	9.557
06 CZ Czech Republic	62.869	63.257	63.374	63.754
07 DE Germany	110.588	107.392	137.258	140.902
08 DK Denmark	14.892	14.740	14.627	14.640
09 EE Estonia	5.061	4.952	4.926	5.250
10 ES Spain	155.333	161.593	159.511	161.043
11 FI Finland	39.683	38.353	37.877	38.634
12 FR France	86.494	84.998	82.504	85.779
13 GR Greece	76.827	76.211	75.442	75.141
14 HU Hungary	77.850	77.820	77.989	77.738
15 IE Ireland	89.412	85.734	78.599	83.818
16 IS Iceland	3.095	3.125	3.130	3.200
17 IT Italy	171.821	173.363	169.393	169.726
18 LT Lithuania	11.515	11.179	11.162	11.102
19 LU Luxembourg ^b	21.270	21.270	21.270	21.270
20 LV Latvia	5.025	4.644	4.633	4.338
21 MT Malta	-	-	-	-
22 NL Netherlands	120.122	119.189	115.738	115.406
23 NO Norway	20.684	20.922	21.220	21.376
24 PL Poland	55.445	54.278	53.697	53.420
25 PT Portugal	45.973	45.166	44.271	44.124
26 RO Romania	65.671	64.924	63.801	63.586
27 SE Sweden	52.906	52.151	52.340	52.474
28 SI Slovenia	17.555	17.186	17.455	17.617
29 SK Slovak Republic	28.695	28.513	28.350	27.859
30 UK United Kingdom	120.847	120.651	118.920	119.186
Σ	1.584.995	1.620.690	1.577.494	1.593.083

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Table 7: Number of cases per country in the EU-Labour Force Survey 2005, quarterly data^a

Country	N (without selection)			
	Quarter 1	Quarter 2	Quarter 3	Quarter 4
01 AT Austria	51.266	51.483	51.125	51.184
02 BE Belgium	27.705	27.592	27.143	26.686
03 BG Bulgaria	36.237	34.972	34.099	34.727
04 CH Switzerland	-	51.791	-	-
05 CY Cyprus	10.230	9.847	9.742	9.695
06 CZ Czech Republic	62.888	62.504	62.191	62.154
07 DE Germany	103.917	118.746	120.575	133.953
08 DK Denmark	15.115	14.932	14.921	14.824
09 EE Estonia	4.695	4.398	4.301	4.510
10 ES Spain	155.997	154.018	149.934	150.902
11 FI Finland	40.445	39.500	39.673	39.771
12 FR France	87.871	86.914	83.913	85.260
13 GR Greece	79.613	78.876	78.541	77.546
14 HU Hungary	78.482	77.939	78.197	77.572
15 IE Ireland	87.914	91.174	87.215	93.096
16 IS Iceland	3.112	3.061	3.107	3.144
17 IT Italy	182.011	177.723	170.267	174.371
18 LT Lithuania	12.309	11.881	11.840	11.917
19 LU Luxembourg ^b	22.506	22.506	22.506	22.506
20 LV Latvia	5.690	5.523	5.450	5.287
21 MT Malta	-	-	-	-
22 NL Netherlands	121.307	114.694	113.118	120.395
23 NO Norway	21.538	20.955	21.404	21.434
24 PL Poland	57.362	55.880	55.794	56.289
25 PT Portugal	49.040	47.870	46.711	46.507
26 RO Romania	68.558	67.738	66.768	66.344
27 SE Sweden	35.665	39.368	44.885	47.559
28 SI Slovenia	18.490	17.750	17.567	17.599
29 SK Slovak Republic	29.011	29.061	29.149	29.029
30 UK United Kingdom	124.683	123.141	121.970	121.323
Σ	1.593.657	1.641.837	1.572.106	1.605.584

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^b In 2005, the survey in Luxembourg provides data for the whole reference year only. In absence of quarterly results, the same yearly figures are repeated each quarter (see http://circa.europa.eu/irc/dsis/employment/info/data/eu_lfs/lfs_main/lfs_comparability.htm).

Table 8: Number of cases per country in the EU-Labour Force Survey 2004, quarterly data^a

Country	N (without selection)			
	Quarter 1	Quarter 2	Quarter 3	Quarter 4
01 AT Austria	45.185	49.325	50.382	50.989
02 BE Belgium	28.583	27.739	27.874	27.936
03 BG Bulgaria	37.927	36.540	35.709	35.966
04 CH Switzerland	-	54.229	-	-
05 CY Cyprus	-	10.615	10.700	10.451
06 CZ Czech Republic	62.522	62.807	62.582	62.918
07 DE Germany	-	327.089	-	-
08 DK Denmark	15.584	15.445	14.777	14.940
09 EE Estonia	4.854	4.533	4.410	4.541
10 ES Spain	175.692	175.159	171.429	172.589
11 FI Finland	41.141	39.680	40.060	40.843
12 FR France	88.185	87.657	84.689	87.784
13 GR Greece	80.499	80.992	80.851	80.157
14 HU Hungary	83.337	82.310	81.230	79.459
15 IE Ireland	92.273	86.545	82.197	88.894
16 IS Iceland	3.164	3.110	3.069	3.113
17 IT Italy	174.874	172.264	177.132	180.802
18 LT Lithuania	12.190	12.149	12.171	12.314
19 LU Luxembourg ^b	21.189	21.189	21.189	21.189
20 LV Latvia	6.140	6.020	6.085	6.258
21 MT Malta	-	-	-	-
22 NL Netherlands	114.839	112.913	111.126	123.415
23 NO Norway	21.594	21.306	21.397	21.468
24 PL Poland	57.756	57.433	57.736	57.372
25 PT Portugal	50.310	50.714	49.353	49.403
26 RO Romania	69.182	68.596	67.851	68.331
27 SE Sweden	53.968	52.185	51.770	41.603
28 SI Slovenia	19.532	18.871	18.966	18.517
29 SK Slovak Republic	28.885	28.772	28.861	29.040
30 UK United Kingdom	126.760	125.610	124.154	125.284
Σ	1.516.165	1.891.797	1.497.750	1.515.576

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^b In 2004, the survey in Luxembourg provides data for the whole reference year only. In absence of quarterly results, the same yearly figures are repeated each quarter (see http://circa.europa.eu/irc/dsis/employment/info/data/eu_lfs/lfs_main/lfs_comparability.htm).

Table 9: Number of cases per country in the EU-Labour Force Survey 2003, quarterly data^a

Country	N (without selection)			
	Quarter 1	Quarter 2	Quarter 3	Quarter 4
01 AT Austria	56.268	50.953	54.706	49.672
02 BE Belgium	27.589	27.565	27.414	27.455
03 BG Bulgaria	39.880	38.524	38.168	38.346
04 CH Switzerland	-	57.679	-	-
05 CY Cyprus	-	10.779	-	-
06 CZ Czech Republic	60.777	60.973	61.133	61.575
07 DE Germany	-	330.297	-	-
08 DK Denmark	15.989	15.471	14.999	14.898
09 EE Estonia	4.814	4.735	4.965	5.040
10 ES Spain	175.547	175.209	172.934	174.992
11 FI Finland	41.257	40.782	40.651	41.120
12 FR France	87.413	86.070	83.310	87.030
13 GR Greece	74.062	73.017	73.122	72.662
14 HU Hungary	92.683	88.212	85.185	84.318
15 IE Ireland	103.041	101.500	95.934	96.902
16 IS Iceland	3.226	3.186	3.165	3.150
17 IT Italy	194.076	192.359	191.324	192.043
18 LT Lithuania	12.491	12.219	12.294	12.258
19 LU Luxembourg ^b	16.394	16.394	16.394	16.394
20 LV Latvia	6.081	6.022	6.042	6.019
21 MT Malta	-	-	-	-
22 NL Netherlands	103.878	96.740	99.964	105.793
23 NO Norway	21.498	20.931	21.510	21.503
24 PL Poland	58.433	58.303	58.762	59.065
25 PT Portugal	46.858	46.385	46.118	49.147
26 RO Romania	41.647	41.556	40.937	40.290
27 SE Sweden	56.995	56.316	55.935	56.390
28 SI Slovenia	20.496	19.881	20.076	19.922
29 SK Slovak Republic	28.877	28.889	28.892	29.047
30 UK United Kingdom	131.289	130.417	128.484	128.209
Σ	1.521.559	1.891.364	1.482.418	1.493.240

^a see also "datafileinfo_quar_2002-2005.csv" on the DVD you received from Eurostat

^b In 2003, the survey in Luxembourg provides data for the whole reference year only. In absence of quarterly results, the same yearly figures are repeated each quarter (see http://circa.europa.eu/irc/dsis/employment/info/data/eu_lfs/lfs_main/lfs_comparability.htm).

Table 10: Number of cases per country in the EU-Labour Force Survey 2002, quarterly data^a

Country	N (without selection)			
	Quarter 1	Quarter 2	Quarter 3	Quarter 4
01 AT Austria	58.717	57.254	57.098	57.738
02 BE Belgium	28.731	27.834	27.746	27.490
03 BG Bulgaria	59.459	57.549	57.173	57.693
04 CH Switzerland	-	41.263	-	-
05 CY Cyprus	-	10.667	-	-
06 CZ Czech Republic	63.231	62.091	61.001	60.271
07 DE Germany	-	328.074	-	-
08 DK Denmark	16.317	16.081	15.875	16.004
09 EE Estonia	5.029	4.948	4.980	5.024
10 ES Spain	173.691	172.552	172.412	174.349
11 FI Finland	43.554	42.743	42.723	42.877
12 FR France	175.939	-	-	-
13 GR Greece	78.112	77.451	77.014	76.092
14 HU Hungary	82.912	82.904	82.447	80.864
15 IE Ireland	106.204	105.569	99.447	101.593
16 IS Iceland	-	3.646	-	-
17 IT Italy	194.863	194.041	193.444	195.901
18 LT Lithuania	12.550	12.993	12.625	12.703
19 LU Luxembourg	-	13.429	-	-
20 LV Latvia	5.809	5.943	6.083	6.094
21 MT Malta	-	-	-	-
22 NL Netherlands	100.649	97.594	95.096	100.313
23 NO Norway	21.600	20.838	21.560	21.535
24 PL Poland	58.433	58.623	58.316	57.375
25 PT Portugal	45.482	45.617	43.934	44.185
26 RO Romania	42.719	41.757	42.618	41.848
27 SE Sweden	56.494	55.699	56.072	56.486
28 SI Slovenia	19.600	19.766	20.172	20.386
29 SK Slovak Republic	29.844	29.420	29.147	28.934
30 UK United Kingdom	137.460	136.156	133.856	132.614
Σ	1.617.399	1.822.502	1.410.839	1.418.369

^a see also "datafileinfo_quar_2002-2005.csv" on the DVD you received from Eurostat

Table 11: Number of cases per country in the EU-Labour Force Survey 2001, quarterly data^a

Country	N (without selection)			
	Quarter 1	Quarter 2	Quarter 3	Quarter 4
01 AT Austria	59.296	57.138	57.927	57.419
02 BE Belgium	26.646	26.391	26.247	26.417
03 BG Bulgaria	60.742	59.991	59.410	60.126
04 CH Switzerland	-	18.738	-	-
05 CY Cyprus	-	10.596	-	-
06 CZ Czech Republic	63.171	63.964	63.951	63.376
07 DE Germany	-	-	-	-
08 DK Denmark	16.547	15.986	16.259	15.848
09 EE Estonia	5.183	5.179	5.202	5.266
10 ES Spain	175.227	173.643	170.995	172.323
11 FI Finland	43.772	42.712	43.048	43.757
12 FR France	178.143	-	-	-
13 GR Greece	80.165	80.282	80.317	80.677
14 HU Hungary	84.663	84.671	84.406	83.369
15 IE Ireland	106.400	105.405	104.818	106.935
16 IS Iceland	-	3.685	-	-
17 IT Italy	197.883	196.236	195.563	195.360
18 LT Lithuania	-	7.788	-	7.765
19 LU Luxembourg	-	14.814	-	-
20 LV Latvia	-	18.834	-	18.932
21 MT Malta	-	-	-	-
22 NL Netherlands	94.034	90.265	82.838	96.514
23 NO Norway	21.275	20.213	20.819	21.113
24 PL Poland	58.501	57.575	56.321	56.276
25 PT Portugal	45.434	45.681	44.181	45.117
26 RO Romania	43.867	43.742	43.391	42.740
27 SE Sweden	46.249	50.512	55.936	56.102
28 SI Slovenia	19.351	19.607	19.779	19.687
29 SK Slovak Republic	30.862	30.554	30.622	30.264
30 UK United Kingdom	135.010	135.887	136.004	137.635
Σ	1.592.421	1.480.089	1.398.034	1.443.018

^a see also "datafileinfo_quar_1998-2001.csv" on the DVD you received from Eurostat

Table 12: Number of cases per country in the EU-Labour Force Survey 2000, quarterly data^a

Country	N (without selection)			
	Quarter 1	Quarter 2	Quarter 3	Quarter 4
01 AT Austria	59.146	57.732	57.467	57.583
02 BE Belgium	27.229	27.446	26.659	26.405
03 BG Bulgaria	52.908	53.404	52.692	53.371
04 CH Switzerland	-	17.733	-	-
05 CY Cyprus	-	10.301	-	-
06 CZ Czech Republic	66.580	65.464	64.198	63.208
07 DE Germany	-	-	-	-
08 DK Denmark	17.907	17.993	17.848	18.020
09 EE Estonia	4.888	4.676	4.698	5.226
10 ES Spain	185.602	180.853	176.922	176.235
11 FI Finland	34.417	42.146	42.574	44.021
12 FR France	182.066	-	-	-
13 GR Greece	81.692	81.264	81.431	80.656
14 HU Hungary	85.342	85.080	84.850	84.811
15 IE Ireland	104.431	106.306	106.260	108.096
16 IS Iceland	-	3.697	-	-
17 IT Italy	200.363	199.367	198.215	198.630
18 LT Lithuania	-	7.583	-	7.500
19 LU Luxembourg	-	15.257	-	-
20 LV Latvia	-	19.193	-	19.242
21 MT Malta	-	-	-	-
22 NL Netherlands	52.684	66.992	71.614	93.345
23 NO Norway	21.816	21.095	21.504	21.102
24 PL Poland	46.509	46.295	46.789	47.903
25 PT Portugal	46.031	45.626	44.265	44.777
26 RO Romania	44.984	44.805	44.062	43.798
27 SE Sweden	-	17.321	-	-
28 SI Slovenia	18.764	18.751	19.509	19.356
29 SK Slovak Republic	30.866	30.846	31.061	31.066
30 UK United Kingdom	141.251	140.067	137.644	136.056
Σ	1.505.476	1.427.293	1.330.262	1.380.407

^a see also "datafileinfo_quar_1998-2001.csv" on the DVD you received from Eurostat

Table 13: Number of cases per country in the EU-Labour Force Survey 1999, quarterly data^a

Country	N (without selection)			
	Quarter 1	Quarter 2	Quarter 3	Quarter 4
01 AT Austria	61.618	59.648	58.745	59.315
02 BE Belgium	27.309	27.479	27.568	27.400
03 BG Bulgaria	-	-	-	-
04 CH Switzerland	-	17.720	-	-
05 CY Cyprus	-	10.135	-	-
06 CZ Czech Republic	69.502	68.824	68.060	67.510
07 DE Germany	-	-	-	-
08 DK Denmark	18.081	17.895	17.866	17.582
09 EE Estonia	-	16.361	-	-
10 ES Spain	198.569	196.532	190.901	189.329
11 FI Finland	32.912	35.071	34.425	34.758
12 FR France	182.155	-	-	-
13 GR Greece	83.084	82.921	83.106	82.489
14 HU Hungary	87.337	87.541	86.627	85.394
15 IE Ireland	-	109.768	106.423	107.903
16 IS Iceland	-	3.656	-	-
17 IT Italy	201.578	200.625	200.384	200.960
18 LT Lithuania	-	7.558	-	7.693
19 LU Luxembourg	-	16.095	-	-
20 LV Latvia	-	18.701	-	18.944
21 MT Malta	-	-	-	-
22 NL Netherlands	-	51.929	-	-
23 NO Norway	-	20.717	-	-
24 PL Poland	53.300	-	-	-
25 PT Portugal	47.795	47.315	46.196	46.090
26 RO Romania	46.865	46.261	45.399	45.413
27 SE Sweden	-	17.909	-	-
28 SI Slovenia	19.267	19.627	19.278	20.215
29 SK Slovak Republic	30.304	30.442	30.324	30.908
30 UK United Kingdom	-	143.058	141.516	141.437
Σ	1.159.676	1.353.788	1.156.818	1.183.340

^a see also "datafileinfo_quar_1998-2001.csv" on the DVD you received from Eurostat

Table 14: Number of cases per country in the EU-Labour Force Survey 1998, quarterly data^a

Country	N (without selection)			
	Quarter 1	Quarter 2	Quarter 3	Quarter 4
01 AT Austria	61.902	-	-	-
02 BE Belgium	-	80.066	-	-
03 BG Bulgaria	-	-	-	-
04 CH Switzerland	-	16.306	-	-
05 CY Cyprus	-	-	-	-
06 CZ Czech Republic	70.893	70.721	70.490	70.426
07 DE Germany	-	-	-	-
08 DK Denmark	-	18.233	-	-
09 EE Estonia	-	16.861	-	-
10 ES Spain	190.103	190.911	189.283	190.129
11 FI Finland	33.175	17.063	32.856	33.409
12 FR France	183.072	-	-	-
13 GR Greece	83.853	84.007	84.115	83.747
14 HU Hungary	-	84.980	-	-
15 IE Ireland	-	111.342	-	-
16 IS Iceland	-	3.755	-	-
17 IT Italy	201.369	201.835	201.646	201.907
18 LT Lithuania	-	7.543	-	7.575
19 LU Luxembourg	-	17.326	-	-
20 LV Latvia	-	18.756	-	18.791
21 MT Malta	-	-	-	-
22 NL Netherlands	-	55.959	-	-
23 NO Norway	-	20.664	-	-
24 PL Poland	-	54.545	-	-
25 PT Portugal	50.280	50.067	48.217	48.303
26 RO Romania	-	47.718	-	-
27 SE Sweden	-	15.810	-	-
28 SI Slovenia	-	17.976	-	-
29 SK Slovak Republic	31.503	31.301	31.240	31.009
30 UK United Kingdom	-	144.979	-	-
Σ	906.150	1.378.724	657.847	685.296

^a see also "datafileinfo_quar_1998-2001.csv" on the DVD you received from Eurostat

Table 15: Number of cases per country in the EU-Labour Force Survey 1997, quarterly data^a

Country	N (without selection)			
	Quarter 1	Quarter 2	Quarter 3	Quarter 4
01 AT Austria	59.717	-	-	-
02 BE Belgium	-	80.373	-	-
03 BG Bulgaria	-	-	-	-
04 CH Switzerland	-	16.188	-	-
05 CY Cyprus	-	-	-	-
06 CZ Czech Republic	-	72.028	-	71.611
07 DE Germany	-	-	-	-
08 DK Denmark	-	18.265	-	-
09 EE Estonia	189.655	5.051	-	-
10 ES Spain	-	189.898	189.323	189.656
11 FI Finland	-	17.213	-	-
12 FR France	183.417	-	-	-
13 GR Greece	-	163.893	-	-
14 HU Hungary	-	63.443	-	-
15 IE Ireland	-	147.933	-	-
16 IS Iceland	-	3.759	-	-
17 IT Italy	-	201.541	200.677	200.833
18 LT Lithuania	-	-	-	-
19 LU Luxembourg	-	17.769	-	-
20 LV Latvia	-	-	-	-
21 MT Malta	-	-	-	-
22 NL Netherlands	-	89.842	-	-
23 NO Norway	-	21.362	-	-
24 PL Poland	-	54.583	-	-
25 PT Portugal	43.030	44.044	43.064	44.257
26 RO Romania	-	49.473	-	-
27 SE Sweden	-	16.069	-	-
28 SI Slovenia	-	18.318	-	-
29 SK Slovak Republic	-	-	-	-
30 UK United Kingdom	-	148.091	-	-
Σ	475.819	1.439.136	433.064	506.357

^a see also "datafileinfo_quar_1983-1997.csv" on the DVD you received from Eurostat

Table 16: Number of cases per country in the EU-Labour Force Survey 1996, quarterly data^a

Country	N (without selection)			
	Quarter 1	Quarter 2	Quarter 3	Quarter 4
01 AT Austria	60.325	-	-	-
02 BE Belgium	-	81.760	-	-
03 BG Bulgaria	-	-	-	-
04 CH Switzerland	-	16.186	-	-
05 CY Cyprus	-	-	-	-
06 CZ Czech Republic	-	-	-	-
07 DE Germany	-	-	-	-
08 DK Denmark	-	18.354	-	-
09 EE Estonia	-	-	-	-
10 ES Spain	190.888	191.097	189.745	189.848
11 FI Finland	-	17.751	-	-
12 FR France	185.590	-	-	-
13 GR Greece	-	165.305	-	-
14 HU Hungary	-	64.611	-	-
15 IE Ireland	-	144.674	-	-
16 IS Iceland	-	3.845	-	-
17 IT Italy	-	202.432	-	-
18 LT Lithuania	-	-	-	-
19 LU Luxembourg	-	18.382	-	-
20 LV Latvia	-	-	-	-
21 MT Malta	-	-	-	-
22 NL Netherlands	-	77.808	-	-
23 NO Norway	-	21.551	-	-
24 PL Poland	-	-	-	-
25 PT Portugal	-	43.770	41.287	42.620
26 RO Romania	-	-	-	-
27 SE Sweden	-	16.244	-	-
28 SI Slovenia	-	24.640	-	-
29 SK Slovak Republic	-	-	-	-
30 UK United Kingdom	-	152.116	-	-
Σ	436.803	1.260.526	231.032	232.468

^a see also "datafileinfo_quar_1983-1997.csv" on the DVD you received from Eurostat

Table 17: Number of cases per country in the EU-Labour Force Survey 1995, quarterly data^a

Country	N (without selection)			
	Quarter 1	Quarter 2	Quarter 3	Quarter 4
01 AT Austria	60.337	-	-	-
02 BE Belgium	-	80.385	-	-
03 BG Bulgaria	-	-	-	-
04 CH Switzerland	-	-	-	-
05 CY Cyprus	-	-	-	-
06 CZ Czech Republic	-	-	-	-
07 DE Germany	-	-	-	-
08 DK Denmark	-	18.449	-	-
09 EE Estonia	-	-	-	-
10 ES Spain	-	192.743	-	-
11 FI Finland	-	18.675	-	-
12 FR France	186.482	-	-	-
13 GR Greece	-	165.221	-	-
14 HU Hungary	-	-	-	-
15 IE Ireland	-	148.090	-	-
16 IS Iceland	-	3.933	-	-
17 IT Italy	-	203.434	-	-
18 LT Lithuania	-	-	-	-
19 LU Luxembourg	-	18.731	-	-
20 LV Latvia	-	-	-	-
21 MT Malta	-	-	-	-
22 NL Netherlands	-	87.311	-	-
23 NO Norway	-	30.673	-	-
24 PL Poland	-	-	-	-
25 PT Portugal	-	43.933	-	-
26 RO Romania	-	-	-	-
27 SE Sweden	-	16.651	-	-
28 SI Slovenia	-	-	-	-
29 SK Slovak Republic	-	-	-	-
30 UK United Kingdom	-	153.761	-	-
Σ	246.819	1.181.990	-	-

^a see also "datafileinfo_quar_1983-1997.csv" on the DVD you received from Eurostat

Table 18: Number of cases per country in the EU-Labour Force Survey 1994, quarterly data^a

Country	N (without selection)			
	Quarter 1	Quarter 2	Quarter 3	Quarter 4
01 AT Austria	-	-	-	-
02 BE Belgium	-	81.281	-	-
03 BG Bulgaria	-	-	-	-
04 CH Switzerland	-	-	-	-
05 CY Cyprus	-	-	-	-
06 CZ Czech Republic	-	-	-	-
07 DE Germany	-	-	-	-
08 DK Denmark	-	18.942	-	-
09 EE Estonia	-	-	-	-
10 ES Spain	-	190.737	-	-
11 FI Finland	-	-	-	-
12 FR France	187.326	-	-	-
13 GR Greece	-	167.225	-	-
14 HU Hungary	-	-	-	-
15 IE Ireland	-	149.566	-	-
16 IS Iceland	-	-	-	-
17 IT Italy	-	198.935	-	-
18 LT Lithuania	-	-	-	-
19 LU Luxembourg	-	13.949	-	-
20 LV Latvia	-	-	-	-
21 MT Malta	-	-	-	-
22 NL Netherlands	-	82.084	-	-
23 NO Norway	-	-	-	-
24 PL Poland	-	-	-	-
25 PT Portugal	-	47.029	-	-
26 RO Romania	-	-	-	-
27 SE Sweden	-	-	-	-
28 SI Slovenia	-	-	-	-
29 SK Slovak Republic	-	-	-	-
30 UK United Kingdom	-	159.445	-	-
Σ	187.326	1.109.193	-	-

^a see also "datafileinfo_quar_1983-1997.csv" on the DVD you received from Eurostat

Table 19: Number of cases per country in the EU-Labour Force Survey 1993, quarterly data^a

Country	N (without selection)			
	Quarter 1	Quarter 2	Quarter 3	Quarter 4
01 AT Austria	-	-	-	-
02 BE Belgium	-	81.219	-	-
03 BG Bulgaria	-	-	-	-
04 CH Switzerland	-	-	-	-
05 CY Cyprus	-	-	-	-
06 CZ Czech Republic	-	-	-	-
07 DE Germany	-	-	-	-
08 DK Denmark	-	29.379	-	-
09 EE Estonia	-	-	-	-
10 ES Spain	-	190.708	-	-
11 FI Finland	-	-	-	-
12 FR France	181.762	-	-	-
13 GR Greece	-	170.386	-	-
14 HU Hungary	-	-	-	-
15 IE Ireland	-	151.820	-	-
16 IS Iceland	-	-	-	-
17 IT Italy	-	200.550	-	-
18 LT Lithuania	-	-	-	-
19 LU Luxembourg	-	14.149	-	-
20 LV Latvia	-	-	-	-
21 MT Malta	-	-	-	-
22 NL Netherlands	-	74.968	-	-
23 NO Norway	-	-	-	-
24 PL Poland	-	-	-	-
25 PT Portugal	-	48.776	-	-
26 RO Romania	-	-	-	-
27 SE Sweden	-	-	-	-
28 SI Slovenia	-	-	-	-
29 SK Slovak Republic	-	-	-	-
30 UK United Kingdom	-	163.164	-	-
Σ	181.762	1.125.119	-	-

^a see also "datafileinfo_quar_1983-1997.csv" on the DVD you received from Eurostat

Table 20: Number of cases per country in the EU-Labour Force Survey 1992, quarterly data^a

Country	N (without selection)			
	Quarter 1	Quarter 2	Quarter 3	Quarter 4
01 AT Austria	-	-	-	-
02 BE Belgium	-	77.690	-	-
03 BG Bulgaria	-	-	-	-
04 CH Switzerland	-	-	-	-
05 CY Cyprus	-	-	-	-
06 CZ Czech Republic	-	-	-	-
07 DE Germany	-	-	-	-
08 DK Denmark	-	27.028	-	-
09 EE Estonia	-	-	-	-
10 ES Spain	-	196.715	-	-
11 FI Finland	-	-	-	-
12 FR France	174.797	-	-	-
13 GR Greece	-	135.941	-	-
14 HU Hungary	-	-	-	-
15 IE Ireland	-	153.913	-	-
16 IS Iceland	-	-	-	-
17 IT Italy	-	-	-	201.007
18 LT Lithuania	-	-	-	-
19 LU Luxembourg	-	15.202	-	-
20 LV Latvia	-	-	-	-
21 MT Malta	-	-	-	-
22 NL Netherlands	-	77.350	-	-
23 NO Norway	-	-	-	-
24 PL Poland	-	-	-	-
25 PT Portugal	-	48.566	-	-
26 RO Romania	-	-	-	-
27 SE Sweden	-	-	-	-
28 SI Slovenia	-	-	-	-
29 SK Slovak Republic	-	-	-	-
30 UK United Kingdom	-	159.601	-	-
Σ	174.797	892.006	-	201.007

^a see also "datafileinfo_quar_1983-1997.csv" on the DVD you received from Eurostat

Table 21: Number of cases per country in the EU-Labour Force Survey 1991, quarterly data^a

Country	N (without selection)			
	Quarter 1	Quarter 2	Quarter 3	Quarter 4
01 AT Austria	-	-	-	-
02 BE Belgium	-	78.026	-	-
03 BG Bulgaria	-	-	-	-
04 CH Switzerland	-	-	-	-
05 CY Cyprus	-	-	-	-
06 CZ Czech Republic	-	-	-	-
07 DE Germany	-	-	-	-
08 DK Denmark	-	29.435	-	-
09 EE Estonia	-	-	-	-
10 ES Spain	-	199.613	-	-
11 FI Finland	-	-	-	-
12 FR France	170.407	-	-	-
13 GR Greece	-	138.129	-	-
14 HU Hungary	-	-	-	-
15 IE Ireland	-	150.228	-	-
16 IS Iceland	-	-	-	-
17 IT Italy	-	192.597	-	-
18 LT Lithuania	-	-	-	-
19 LU Luxembourg	-	24.448	-	-
20 LV Latvia	-	-	-	-
21 MT Malta	-	-	-	-
22 NL Netherlands	-	76.260	-	-
23 NO Norway	-	-	-	-
24 PL Poland	-	-	-	-
25 PT Portugal	-	84.289	-	-
26 RO Romania	-	-	-	-
27 SE Sweden	-	-	-	-
28 SI Slovenia	-	-	-	-
29 SK Slovak Republic	-	-	-	-
30 UK United Kingdom	-	159.129	-	-
Σ	170.407	1.132.154	-	-

^a see also "datafileinfo_quar_1983-1997.csv" on the DVD you received from Eurostat

Table 22: Number of cases per country in the EU-Labour Force Survey 1990, quarterly data^a

Country	N (without selection)			
	Quarter 1	Quarter 2	Quarter 3	Quarter 4
01 AT Austria	-	-	-	-
02 BE Belgium	-	77.148	-	-
03 BG Bulgaria	-	-	-	-
04 CH Switzerland	-	-	-	-
05 CY Cyprus	-	-	-	-
06 CZ Czech Republic	-	-	-	-
07 DE Germany	-	-	-	-
08 DK Denmark	-	28.885	-	-
09 EE Estonia	-	-	-	-
10 ES Spain	-	201.640	-	-
11 FI Finland	-	-	-	-
12 FR France	168.882	-	-	-
13 GR Greece	-	139.764	-	-
14 HU Hungary	-	-	-	-
15 IE Ireland	-	151.027	-	-
16 IS Iceland	-	-	-	-
17 IT Italy	-	383.682	-	-
18 LT Lithuania	-	-	-	-
19 LU Luxembourg	-	24.629	-	-
20 LV Latvia	-	-	-	-
21 MT Malta	-	-	-	-
22 NL Netherlands	-	77.210	-	-
23 NO Norway	-	-	-	-
24 PL Poland	-	-	-	-
25 PT Portugal	-	83.746	-	-
26 RO Romania	-	-	-	-
27 SE Sweden	-	-	-	-
28 SI Slovenia	-	-	-	-
29 SK Slovak Republic	-	-	-	-
30 UK United Kingdom	-	161.772	-	-
Σ	168.882	1.329.503	-	-

^a see also "datafileinfo_quar_1983-1997.csv" on the DVD you received from Eurostat

Table 23: Number of cases per country in the EU-Labour Force Survey 1989, quarterly data^a

Country	N (without selection)			
	Quarter 1	Quarter 2	Quarter 3	Quarter 4
01 AT Austria	-	-	-	-
02 BE Belgium	-	77.321	-	-
03 BG Bulgaria	-	-	-	-
04 CH Switzerland	-	-	-	-
05 CY Cyprus	-	-	-	-
06 CZ Czech Republic	-	-	-	-
07 DE Germany	-	-	-	-
08 DK Denmark	-	28.897	-	-
09 EE Estonia	-	-	-	-
10 ES Spain	-	199.553	-	-
11 FI Finland	-	-	-	-
12 FR France	171.365	-	-	-
13 GR Greece	-	140.794	-	-
14 HU Hungary	-	-	-	-
15 IE Ireland	-	154.882	-	-
16 IS Iceland	-	-	-	-
17 IT Italy	-	384.472	-	-
18 LT Lithuania	-	-	-	-
19 LU Luxembourg	-	24.629	-	-
20 LV Latvia	-	-	-	-
21 MT Malta	-	-	-	-
22 NL Netherlands	-	79.578	-	-
23 NO Norway	-	-	-	-
24 PL Poland	-	-	-	-
25 PT Portugal	-	84.800	-	-
26 RO Romania	-	-	-	-
27 SE Sweden	-	-	-	-
28 SI Slovenia	-	-	-	-
29 SK Slovak Republic	-	-	-	-
30 UK United Kingdom	-	166.433	-	-
Σ	171.365	1.341.359	-	-

^a see also "datafileinfo_quar_1983-1997.csv" on the DVD you received from Eurostat

Table 24: Number of cases per country in the EU-Labour Force Survey 1988, quarterly data^a

Country	N (without selection)			
	Quarter 1	Quarter 2	Quarter 3	Quarter 4
01 AT Austria	-	-	-	-
02 BE Belgium	-	77.967	-	-
03 BG Bulgaria	-	-	-	-
04 CH Switzerland	-	-	-	-
05 CY Cyprus	-	-	-	-
06 CZ Czech Republic	-	-	-	-
07 DE Germany	-	-	-	-
08 DK Denmark	-	28.817	-	-
09 EE Estonia	-	-	-	-
10 ES Spain	-	198.310	-	-
11 FI Finland	-	-	-	-
12 FR France	171.439	-	-	-
13 GR Greece	-	143.139	-	-
14 HU Hungary	-	-	-	-
15 IE Ireland	-	154.580	-	-
16 IS Iceland	-	-	-	-
17 IT Italy	-	349.734	-	-
18 LT Lithuania	-	-	-	-
19 LU Luxembourg	-	25.031	-	-
20 LV Latvia	-	-	-	-
21 MT Malta	-	-	-	-
22 NL Netherlands	-	78.284	-	-
23 NO Norway	-	-	-	-
24 PL Poland	-	-	-	-
25 PT Portugal	-	89.414	-	-
26 RO Romania	-	-	-	-
27 SE Sweden	-	-	-	-
28 SI Slovenia	-	-	-	-
29 SK Slovak Republic	-	-	-	-
30 UK United Kingdom	-	166.456	-	-
Σ	171.439	1.311.732	-	-

^a see also "datafileinfo_quar_1983-1997.csv" on the DVD you received from Eurostat

Table 25: Number of cases per country in the EU-Labour Force Survey 1987, quarterly data^a

Country	N (without selection)			
	Quarter 1	Quarter 2	Quarter 3	Quarter 4
01 AT Austria	-	-	-	-
02 BE Belgium	-	74.576	-	-
03 BG Bulgaria	-	-	-	-
04 CH Switzerland	-	-	-	-
05 CY Cyprus	-	-	-	-
06 CZ Czech Republic	-	-	-	-
07 DE Germany	-	-	-	-
08 DK Denmark	-	28.972	-	-
09 EE Estonia	-	.	-	-
10 ES Spain	-	184.972	-	-
11 FI Finland	-	-	-	-
12 FR France	170.471	-	-	-
13 GR Greece	-	142.734	-	-
14 HU Hungary	-	-	-	-
15 IE Ireland	-	156.448	-	-
16 IS Iceland	-	-	-	-
17 IT Italy	-	351.592	-	-
18 LT Lithuania	-	-	-	-
19 LU Luxembourg	-	24.586	-	-
20 LV Latvia	-	-	-	-
21 MT Malta	-	-	-	-
22 NL Netherlands	-	52.632	-	-
23 NO Norway	-	-	-	-
24 PL Poland	-	-	-	-
25 PT Portugal	-	90.904	-	-
26 RO Romania	-	-	-	-
27 SE Sweden	-	-	-	-
28 SI Slovenia	-	-	-	-
29 SK Slovak Republic	-	-	-	-
30 UK United Kingdom	-	163.886	-	-
Σ	170.471	1.271.302	-	-

^a see also "datafileinfo_quar_1983-1997.csv" on the DVD you received from Eurostat

Table 26: Number of cases per country in the EU-Labour Force Survey 1986, quarterly data^a

Country	N (without selection)			
	Quarter 1	Quarter 2	Quarter 3	Quarter 4
01 AT Austria	-	-	-	-
02 BE Belgium	-	81.455	-	-
03 BG Bulgaria	-	-	-	-
04 CH Switzerland	-	-	-	-
05 CY Cyprus	-	-	-	-
06 CZ Czech Republic	-	-	-	-
07 DE Germany	-	-	-	-
08 DK Denmark	-	28.876	-	-
09 EE Estonia	-	-	-	-
10 ES Spain	-	199.257	-	-
11 FI Finland	-	-	-	-
12 FR France	169.549	v	-	-
13 GR Greece	-	141.998	-	-
14 HU Hungary	-	-	-	-
15 IE Ireland	-	153.692	-	-
16 IS Iceland	-	-	-	-
17 IT Italy	-	329.044	-	-
18 LT Lithuania	-	-	-	-
19 LU Luxembourg	-	24.660	-	-
20 LV Latvia	-	-	-	-
21 MT Malta	-	-	-	-
22 NL Netherlands	-	-	-	-
23 NO Norway	-	-	-	-
24 PL Poland	-	-	-	-
25 PT Portugal	-	92.655	-	-
26 RO Romania	-	-	-	-
27 SE Sweden	-	-	-	-
28 SI Slovenia	-	-	-	-
29 SK Slovak Republic	-	-	-	-
30 UK United Kingdom	-	167.245	-	-
Σ	169.549	1.218.882	-	-

^a see also "datafileinfo_quar_1983-1997.csv" on the DVD you received from Eurostat

Table 27: Number of cases per country in the EU-Labour Force Survey 1985, quarterly data^a

Country	N (without selection)			
	Quarter 1	Quarter 2	Quarter 3	Quarter 4
01 AT Austria	-	-	-	-
02 BE Belgium	-	89.872	-	-
03 BG Bulgaria	-	-	-	-
04 CH Switzerland	-	-	-	-
05 CY Cyprus	-	-	-	-
06 CZ Czech Republic	-	-	-	-
07 DE Germany	-	-	-	-
08 DK Denmark	-	30.851	-	-
09 EE Estonia	-	-	-	-
10 ES Spain	-	-	-	-
11 FI Finland	-	-	-	-
12 FR France	169.651	-	-	-
13 GR Greece	-	141.713	-	-
14 HU Hungary	-	-	-	-
15 IE Ireland	-	155.855	-	-
16 IS Iceland	-	-	-	-
17 IT Italy	-	331.073	-	-
18 LT Lithuania	-	-	-	-
19 LU Luxembourg	-	26.005	-	-
20 LV Latvia	-	-	-	-
21 MT Malta	-	-	-	-
22 NL Netherlands	-	163.616	-	-
23 NO Norway	-	-	-	-
24 PL Poland	-	-	-	-
25 PT Portugal	-	-	-	-
26 RO Romania	-	-	-	-
27 SE Sweden	-	-	-	-
28 SI Slovenia	-	-	-	-
29 SK Slovak Republic	-	-	-	-
30 UK United Kingdom	-	167.188	-	-
Σ	169.651	1.106.173	-	-

^a see also "datafileinfo_quar_1983-1997.csv" on the DVD you received from Eurostat

Table 28: Number of cases per country in the EU-Labour Force Survey 1984, quarterly data^a

Country	N (without selection)			
	Quarter 1	Quarter 2	Quarter 3	Quarter 4
01 AT Austria	-	-	-	-
02 BE Belgium	-	43.290	-	-
03 BG Bulgaria	-	-	-	-
04 CH Switzerland	-	-	-	-
05 CY Cyprus	-	-	-	-
06 CZ Czech Republic	-	-	-	-
07 DE Germany	-	-	-	-
08 DK Denmark	-	30.051	-	-
09 EE Estonia	-	-	-	-
10 ES Spain	-	-	-	-
11 FI Finland	-	-	-	-
12 FR France	170.789	-	-	-
13 GR Greece	-	142.141	-	-
14 HU Hungary	-	-	-	-
15 IE Ireland	-	153.972	-	-
16 IS Iceland	-	-	-	-
17 IT Italy	-	345.484	-	-
18 LT Lithuania	-	-	-	-
19 LU Luxembourg	-	27.661	-	-
20 LV Latvia	-	-	-	-
21 MT Malta	-	-	-	-
22 NL Netherlands	-	-	-	-
23 NO Norway	-	-	-	-
24 PL Poland	-	-	-	-
25 PT Portugal	-	-	-	-
26 RO Romania	-	-	-	-
27 SE Sweden	-	-	-	-
28 SI Slovenia	-	-	-	-
29 SK Slovak Republic	-	-	-	-
30 UK United Kingdom	-	164.692	-	-
Σ	170.789	907.291	-	-

^a see also "datafileinfo_quar_1983-1997.csv" on the DVD you received from Eurostat

Table 29: Number of cases per country in the EU-Labour Force Survey 1983, quarterly data^a

Country	N (without selection)			
	Quarter 1	Quarter 2	Quarter 3	Quarter 4
01 AT Austria	-	-	-	-
02 BE Belgium	-	110.468	-	-
03 BG Bulgaria	-	-	-	-
04 CH Switzerland	-	-	-	-
05 CY Cyprus	-	-	-	-
06 CZ Czech Republic	-	-	-	-
07 DE Germany	-	-	-	-
08 DK Denmark	-	203.663	-	-
09 EE Estonia	-	-	-	-
10 ES Spain	-	-	-	-
11 FI Finland	-	-	-	-
12 FR France	171.130	-	-	-
13 GR Greece	-	126.774	-	-
14 HU Hungary	-	-	-	-
15 IE Ireland	-	146.954	-	-
16 IS Iceland	-	-	-	-
17 IT Italy	-	343.716	-	-
18 LT Lithuania	-	.	-	-
19 LU Luxembourg	-	27.727	-	-
20 LV Latvia	-	-	-	-
21 MT Malta	-	-	-	-
22 NL Netherlands	-	170.910	-	-
23 NO Norway	-	-	-	-
24 PL Poland	-	-	-	-
25 PT Portugal	-	-	-	-
26 RO Romania	-	-	-	-
27 SE Sweden	-	-	-	-
28 SI Slovenia	-	-	-	-
29 SK Slovak Republic	-	-	-	-
30 UK United Kingdom	-	217.772	-	-
Σ	171.130	1.347.984	-	-

^a see also "datafileinfo_quar_1983-1997.csv" on the DVD you received from Eurostat