

STATISTICAL ANNEX

Table N. Real average annual wages and real unit labour costs in the total economy
Annualised growth rates

	Average wages in 2019 USD PPPs ¹	Average wage (%) ²					Unit labour costs (%) ²				
		2000-2007	2007-2019	2007	2018	2019	2000-2007	2007-2019	2007	2018	2019
Australia	54 401	1.5	0.5	2.8	-0.3	0.5	0.9	-0.1	2.1	0.2	1.0
Austria	53 903	0.8	0.4	0.5	0.2	0.6	-1.1	0.5	-1.0	0.6	1.1
Belgium	55 590	0.4	0.5	-0.2	0.8	1.0	-0.5	0.0	-1.0	-0.1	0.7
Canada	53 198	1.4	0.8	2.7	1.2	0.7	0.9	0.4	2.5	0.9	1.1
Chile ³	26 916	1.0	2.8	2.8	0.2	2.1	-0.6	1.3	1.7	-2.0	1.2
Colombia	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Czech Republic	29 281	4.8	1.9	3.0	5.5	3.2	0.8	0.8	-0.1	4.2	2.1
Denmark	57 150	1.7	0.9	1.1	1.0	0.6	1.1	0.0	3.6	0.6	0.0
Estonia	30 297	8.4	2.6	16.3	7.3	6.3	2.1	1.3	7.7	2.1	3.4
Finland	45 698	1.7	0.5	1.4	0.4	1.5	-0.1	0.2	-1.6	0.7	0.1
France	46 481	1.2	0.9	0.4	0.2	0.5	0.1	0.3	-0.5	-0.3	-0.9
Germany	53 638	0.3	1.3	-0.3	1.4	1.3	-1.7	1.1	-2.0	1.5	2.1
Greece	27 459	2.6	-1.7	0.2	0.6	-0.1	1.6	0.0	0.4	1.4	2.3
Hungary	26 223	4.7	1.0	-0.7	5.0	6.2	0.7	-0.3	-1.0	0.1	1.2
Iceland ³	68 006	3.0	0.7	2.6	3.4	-2.9	1.1	-0.2	-0.4	0.0	-1.7
Ireland	50 490	2.5	1.1	2.9	0.2	1.6	0.9	-2.5	0.9	-4.0	-0.9
Israel	39 403	-0.4	1.0	1.9	2.3	2.1	-0.6	0.3	-0.1	1.0	0.4
Italy	39 189	0.5	0.0	0.0	0.4	0.9	0.6	0.6	0.0	1.8	1.8
Japan	38 617	-0.2	0.2	-0.2	0.3	1.1	-0.9	0.3	-0.6	1.7	0.2
Korea	42 285	2.6	1.6	1.9	3.2	3.6	0.4	0.5	0.0	1.1	1.9
Latvia	28 454	9.2	2.5	23.3	4.5	6.3	2.4	0.8	15.0	3.8	3.6
Lithuania	28 914	9.3	2.3	6.5	4.2	5.6	2.7	0.5	2.0	3.0	3.2
Luxembourg	68 681	1.2	0.6	2.6	0.0	-1.3	0.7	1.4	-1.6	1.7	-0.2
Mexico ³	17 594	1.2	-0.3	0.4	1.2	2.4	0.7	-0.2	-0.6	0.5	3.4
Netherlands	56 552	0.8	0.3	1.4	-0.8	-0.3	-0.8	0.1	-0.1	0.1	0.6
New Zealand ³	44 031	2.7	0.9	5.9	0.9	0.6	2.1	0.5	2.7	1.7	0.4
Norway	54 027	3.3	1.2	4.5	0.8	1.0	2.2	1.3	6.2	1.5	1.7
Poland	31 970	1.2	2.9	3.2	7.2	6.2	-1.4	0.7	2.3	1.8	2.1
Portugal	26 634	-0.3	-0.1	0.7	1.0	0.8	-0.7	-0.2	-1.8	1.6	0.8
Slovak Republic	25 452	3.4	2.2	6.2	2.7	4.9	-2.7	0.9	-2.9	1.5	3.4
Slovenia	40 220	2.9	1.2	2.2	1.5	2.9	-0.2	0.4	-1.3	1.0	3.0
Spain	38 758	-0.1	0.2	1.1	-0.9	0.5	0.1	-0.8	0.7	0.2	1.3
Sweden	46 695	2.2	1.3	3.5	0.5	1.4	0.4	0.8	2.9	1.0	0.3
Switzerland	66 567	1.1	0.5	1.5	0.0	0.7	0.2	0.6	0.0	-1.7	1.0
Turkey	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
United Kingdom	47 226	2.5	0.1	2.8	0.4	1.2	1.2	-0.2	1.5	0.4	1.3
United States	65 836	1.2	0.9	2.0	1.0	2.2	-0.5	0.0	0.8	-0.1	1.3
OECD ⁴	48 587	1.1	0.7	1.4	1.1	1.8	-0.5	0.1	0.3	0.1	0.9

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Note: Average annual wages per full-time equivalent dependent employee are obtained by dividing the national-accounts-based total wage bill by the average number of employees in the total economy, which is then multiplied by the ratio of average usual weekly hours per full-time employee to average usual weekly hours for all employees. Please note that data for 2019 are provisional estimates. For more details, see: http://www.oecd.org/employment/emp/average_wages.pdf.

1. Average wages are converted in USD PPPs using estimated 2019 USD PPPs for private consumption.
2. Average annual wages and unit labour costs are deflated by a price deflator for private final consumption expenditures in 2019 prices.
3. Real compensation per employee (instead of real wages).
4. The OECD average wages and real wage growth are a weighted average based on dependent employment weights in 2019 for the countries shown.

Source: OECD Employment Database, www.oecd.org/employment/emp/onlineoecdemploymentdatabase.htm and www.oecd.org/els/emp/lfsnotes_sources.pdf.