

SWITZERLAND

Table 3. Participation rates and unemployment rates by age and sex

Annual average estimates, percentage

	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012
Participation rates										
Males										
15-19	59.3	55.3	54.8	56.9	55.9	56.9	54.9	56.8	58.6	58.1
20-24	80.6	79.9	77.9	83.2	83.7	79.3	77.2	80.9	79.1	78.8
25-34	95.3	95.2	95.2	95.3	95.4	95.5	95.3	94.8	95.3	95.2
35-44	96.7	96.8	96.7	96.8	97.3	97.5	97.3	97.2	97.2	97.2
45-54	94.5	94.8	94.6	94.1	94.6	94.6	95.2	95.0	95.2	95.4
55-59	90.0	89.4	88.5	89.5	90.0	90.0	90.4	90.7	91.0	91.5
60-64	66.4	66.1	64.7	62.4	66.0	66.7	68.0	69.8	71.7	71.0
15-24	70.4	68.1	66.6	70.1	70.2	68.1	66.1	69.1	69.3	69.3
25-54	95.6	95.7	95.6	95.5	95.8	95.9	96.0	95.7	95.9	95.9
55-64	79.7	79.1	77.8	77.1	78.4	78.9	79.5	80.5	81.7	82.0
65 and over	14.6	12.7	11.2	12.1	13.2	13.5	14.5	13.5	14.9	15.2
15-64	88.5	88.0	87.4	87.8	88.2	88.0	87.8	88.3	88.7	88.8
Females										
15-19	55.3	52.3	51.5	53.3	51.5	52.0	56.2	54.4	54.6	51.2
20-24	81.7	80.2	78.0	80.8	78.3	80.5	80.4	78.1	79.0	78.9
25-34	80.7	81.7	82.3	82.3	82.2	84.1	83.9	83.6	83.8	84.2
35-44	80.9	79.8	79.8	79.8	80.8	82.4	83.0	81.7	81.7	83.0
45-54	79.9	81.1	82.2	81.9	83.0	84.5	84.8	85.2	84.7	85.1
55-59	69.5	70.2	70.8	71.9	74.5	76.4	74.2	74.2	74.3	76.7
60-64	38.4	39.3	42.9	44.0	44.6	46.3	47.1	46.3	49.0	49.6
15-24	68.3	65.9	64.7	67.0	64.5	66.1	68.5	66.5	67.0	65.4
25-54	80.5	80.8	81.3	81.2	81.9	83.6	83.9	83.5	83.4	84.1
55-64	55.4	55.9	57.7	58.6	60.3	61.6	61.0	60.6	62.1	63.5
65 and over	5.8	5.0	4.9	5.5	5.7	6.6	6.7	6.2	6.2	6.7
15-64	74.1	73.9	74.3	74.7	75.0	76.6	77.1	76.4	76.7	77.2
All persons										
15-24	69.3	67.0	65.6	68.6	67.4	67.1	67.3	67.8	68.2	67.4
25-54	88.1	88.2	88.5	88.3	88.9	89.8	90.0	89.6	89.7	90.0
55-64	67.4	67.4	67.6	67.8	69.3	70.2	70.2	70.5	71.9	72.7
65 and over	9.4	8.2	7.5	8.2	8.8	9.5	10.0	9.3	10.0	10.4
15-64	81.3	81.0	80.8	81.2	81.6	82.3	82.5	82.4	82.8	83.0
Unemployment rates										
Males										
15-19	8.1	8.5	7.4	7.8	6.8	6.2	7.6	7.0	6.9	7.7
20-24	8.4	7.7	9.2	8.0	6.8	7.0	8.2	7.4	8.1	9.4
25-34	4.9	4.4	3.9	3.7	2.9	2.4	5.1	5.1	4.2	4.8
35-44	2.6	2.8	2.7	2.0	2.0	2.3	2.8	3.7	2.9	2.7
45-54	2.8	3.4	3.1	2.7	2.1	2.1	2.2	2.9	2.7	2.8
55-59	2.2	2.3	3.7	2.0	1.8	2.0	3.3	3.7	2.6	2.9
60-64	3.1	4.5	3.7	4.2	3.7	3.2	2.6	3.4	3.9	3.3
15-24	8.3	8.0	8.5	7.9	6.8	6.7	7.9	7.3	7.6	8.8
25-54	3.4	3.5	3.2	2.7	2.3	2.2	3.3	3.8	3.2	3.4
55-64	2.5	3.1	3.7	2.8	2.6	2.5	3.0	3.6	3.2	3.1
65 and over	0.7	0.5	0.6	0.8	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.9	0.5	0.8
15-64	3.9	4.0	4.0	3.5	3.0	2.9	3.9	4.3	3.8	4.1
Total	3.8	3.9	3.9	3.4	2.9	2.8	3.8	4.2	3.7	3.9
Females										
15-19	6.4	6.3	10.5	7.9	7.0	8.1	8.8	7.8	9.2	7.7
20-24	10.3	8.1	8.1	7.1	7.7	6.9	9.0	8.9	6.9	8.3
25-34	5.2	5.9	5.9	5.3	4.9	4.1	5.5	6.3	4.9	5.2
35-44	3.9	4.0	4.4	4.7	4.3	3.8	3.9	4.7	4.1	4.0
45-54	3.0	3.8	3.6	3.5	3.3	2.9	3.1	3.5	3.3	3.5
55-59	2.6	3.6	3.0	2.8	3.7	2.7	2.5	3.5	3.7	3.1
60-64	2.3	3.0	4.8	4.4	3.9	2.7	2.0	3.3	2.8	3.1
15-24	8.7	7.4	9.1	7.5	7.4	7.4	9.0	8.4	7.8	8.1
25-54	4.0	4.6	4.6	4.5	4.1	3.6	4.1	4.7	4.1	4.2
55-64	2.5	3.4	3.7	3.3	3.8	2.7	2.3	3.4	3.4	3.1
65 and over	0.5	0.0	0.6	1.0	1.3	1.7	0.8	0.4	1.2	0.8
15-64	4.6	4.8	5.2	4.8	4.6	4.0	4.6	5.1	4.5	4.6
Total	4.5	4.8	5.1	4.7	4.5	4.0	4.5	5.0	4.4	4.5
All persons										
15-24	8.5	7.7	8.8	7.7	7.1	7.0	8.4	7.8	7.7	8.4
25-54	3.7	4.0	3.8	3.5	3.1	2.9	3.7	4.2	3.6	3.7
55-64	2.5	3.2	3.7	3.0	3.1	2.6	2.7	3.5	3.3	3.1
65 and over	0.7	0.3	0.6	0.9	0.9	1.1	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.8
15-64	4.2	4.4	4.5	4.1	3.7	3.4	4.2	4.6	4.1	4.3

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