

Average annual working time
Hours per worker

	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008
Australia	1 749	1 736	1 734	1 740	1 727	1 717	1 717	1 721
Austria	1 657	1 652	1 658	1 663	1 652	1 644	1 630	1 631
Belgium	1 577	1 580	1 575	1 549	1 565	1 566	1 560	1 568
Canada	1 762	1 744	1 734	1 752	1 738	1 738	1 735	1 727
Czech Republic	2 000	1 980	1 972	1 986	2 002	1 997	1 985	1 992
Denmark	1 587	1 579	1 576	1 579	1 579	1 585	1 599	1 610
Finland	1 734	1 728	1 720	1 724	1 718	1 714	1 710	1 728
France	1 579	1 537	1 533	1 561	1 559	1 536	1 553	1 542
Germany	1 458	1 445	1 439	1 442	1 434	1 432	1 433	1 432
Greece	2 123	2 106	2 116	2 064	2 081	2 150	2 122	2 120
Hungary	2 019	2 027	1 998	1 998	1 997	1 993	1 988	1 988
Iceland	1 847	1 812	1 807	1 810	1 794	1 795	1 807	1 807
Ireland	1 713	1 698	1 671	1 668	1 654	1 642	1 631	1 601
Italy	1 843	1 831	1 826	1 826	1 819	1 815	1 817	1 802
Japan	1 809	1 798	1 799	1 787	1 775	1 784	1 785	1 772
Korea	2 506	2 465	2 434	2 404	2 364	2 357	2 316	..
Luxembourg	1 646	1 635	1 630	1 586	1 570	1 580	1 515	1 555
Mexico	1 864	1 888	1 857	1 849	1 909	1 883	1 871	1 893
Netherlands	1 373	1 348	1 363	1 362	1 375	1 389	1 390	1 389
New Zealand	1 817	1 817	1 813	1 827	1 810	1 787	1 771	1 753
Norway	1 429	1 414	1 399	1 417	1 420	1 414	1 417	1 422
Poland	1 974	1 979	1 984	1 983	1 994	1 985	1 976	1 969
Portugal	1 769	1 767	1 742	1 763	1 752	1 757	1 727	1 745
Slovak Republic	1 790	1 733	1 678	1 733	1 768	1 773	1 776	1 769
Spain	1 727	1 721	1 706	1 690	1 668	1 653	1 635	1 627
Sweden	1 618	1 595	1 582	1 605	1 605	1 599	1 615	1 625
Switzerland	1 650	1 630	1 643	1 673	1 667	1 652	1 643	1 643
Turkey	1 942	1 943	1 943	1 918
United Kingdom	1 715	1 696	1 677	1 672	1 676	1 671	1 673	1 653
United States	1 814	1 810	1 800	1 802	1 800	1 801	1 798	1 792
OECD-Total	1 796	1 787	1 778	1 777	1 776	1 774	1 770	1 766

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Source: Hours worked: Average annual hours actually worked, OECD Employment and Labour Market Statistics (database)

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