

Contractual wages and salaries

October 2013

The index of wages according to collective labour agreements measures the evolution of wages and salaries (per employee or per hour) determined by contractual provisions set by collective agreements; the indices are calculated with reference to the fixed employment structure of the base period (December 2010).

At the end of October 2013 the coverage rate (share of national collective agreements in force for the wage setting aspects) was 50.6 per cent in terms of employees and 49.0 per cent in terms of the total amount of wages.

In October 2013 compared to the previous month, the hourly index increased by 0.2 per cent while the per employee index rose by 0.1 per cent. Compared with October 2012 both indices increased by 1.4 per cent. During the period January- October 2013 both indices increased by 1.5 per cent compared to the same period of the previous year.

Wages according to collective agreements. October 2013

Indices	Index (December 2010=100)	Percentage changes		
		Oct. 13 Sept. 13	Oct. 13 Oct. 12	Jan.-Oct. 13 Jan.-Oct. 12
Wages according to collective agreements per hour	104.4	0.2	1.4	1.5
Wages according to collective agreements per employee	104.4	0.1	1.4	1.5

For more details please refer to the Italian version

Time series are available at <http://dati.istat.it/?lang=en>

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